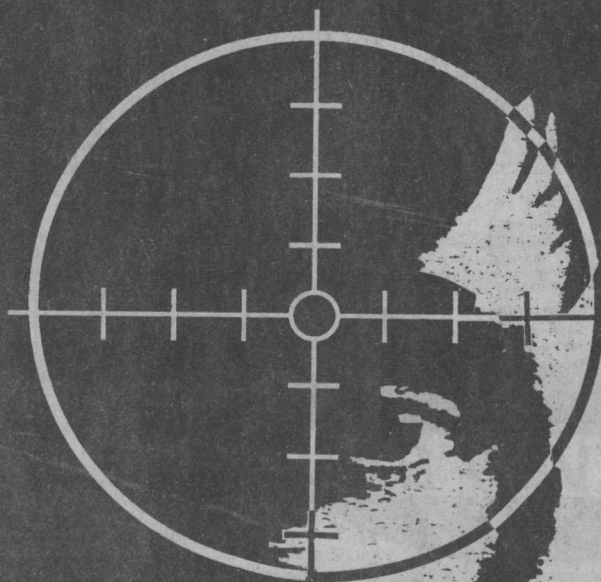


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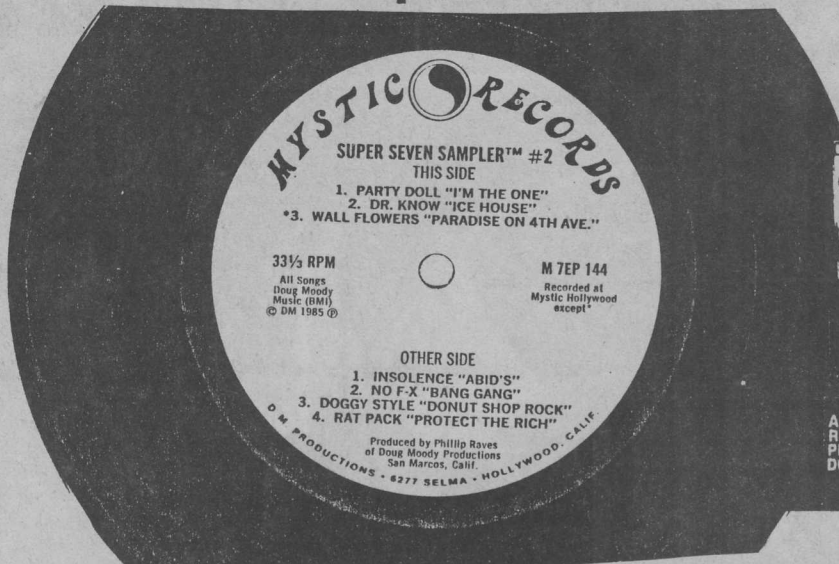
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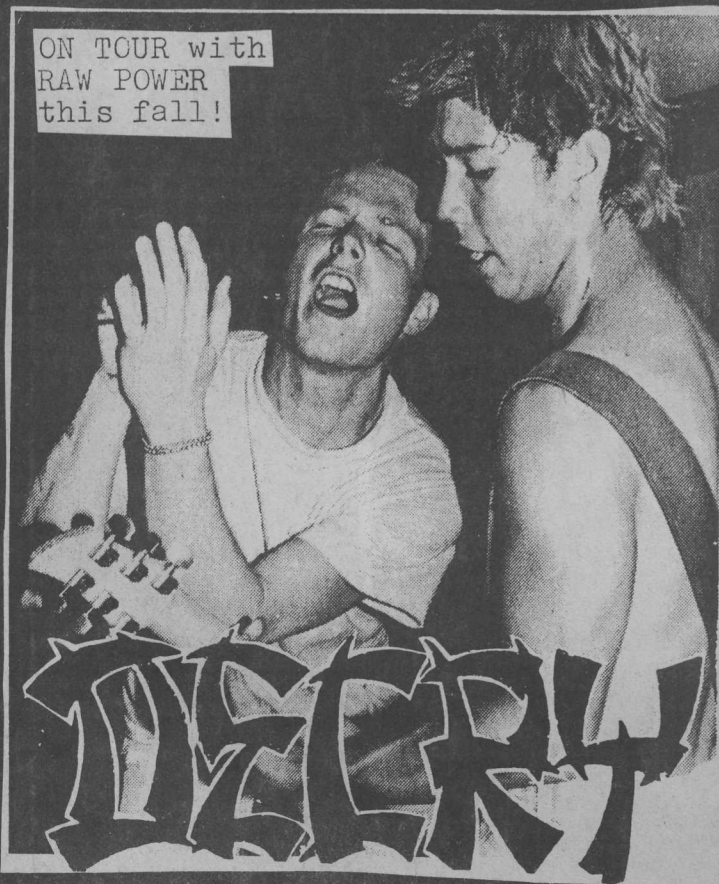
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For what it's worth, here are the Maximum Rock'n'Roll crew's current Top 15 lists. Please send us your records or tapes (2 copies of vinyl, if possible--one for review and one for airplay. The address is: MRR/ P.O. Box 288/ Berkeley CA 94701.

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BATHORY-The Return-LP
V/A-Wild Riders of Boards-LP
DECAPITATION-TP
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SWANKY'S-LP & 7"
V/A-Babylon-LP
CRO-MAGS-TP
PART 1-Pictures of Pain-LP

PUSHEAD

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BEDBOYS-EP
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DOGGY STYLE-LP
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END RESULT-TP
KNUCKLEHEAD-LP
LEGENDARY GOLDEN VAMPIRES-45
NUCLEAR COWBOYS-LP
PAGANS...Shit Called Love-45
PERDITION/VICIOUS CIRCLE-split LP
PROCES/STENGTE DORER-split EP
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V/A-Alive and Kicking-LP
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POISON 13-First You Dream-LP
KILDOZER-Snakeboy-LP
PONTIAC BROTHERS-Doll Hut-LP
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SHRIEKBACK-The Infinite-LP
DOGGY STYLE-LP/AFRIKANA BAMBATAA-LP

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S.O.D.-Besides My Head-EP
JUSTICE LEAGUE-Think Or Sink-EP
DOGGY STYLE-Side By Side-LP
SEWER ZOMBIES-Reach Out And...-LP
WE THE LIVING-Carnival of Vice-EP
ANGRY RED PLANET-Gawkers Paradise-EP
BUTTHOLE SURFERS-Cream Corn-EP
POISON 13-First You Dream-EP
WHAT NOW-Small Record w/4 Songs-EP
SQUIRT-Men and Their Masters-LP
DEAD KENNEDYS-Frankenchrist-LP
BAD TRIP-Never Had it Better-EP
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UNITY-You Are One-EP
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SCREAM-Still Screaming-LP
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FEATURE ARTICLES

Lately, MRR has received a few really good longer articles for publication, something we've been hoping for and are quite glad to publish. If you (or someone you know) has some well-thought out or researched articles that they might want to share with around 40,000 people, please take a chance and send them in for possible consideration. We're especially interested in investigative and historical reporting in a variety of fields (politics, culture, history, philosophy, humor, etc.), and though we don't really pay for writing (we don't pay ourselves for working on the mag either!), we are open to some kind of compensation for longer or more exceptional work. Hope to hear from you.

AD RATE AND CRITERIA CHANGES

I'd like to announce a few changes with MRR's ad policies, forced upon by an ever-increasing demand for a very limited amount of space.

First off, we will have to strictly enforce the "one ad per company" policy. At times, we've been lax about it, but we can't afford to now if we want to meet everybody's needs.

Secondly, as before, priority space will go to record distribution, tape, band ads, with others (t-shirts, etc.) on the wait-see basis.*

Third, if you want to advertize just one single product, then you cannot have our largest size (1/2 page). We must limit 1/2 page ads to those with 2 or more products or a catalog.

Fourth, the price for a 1/2 page will go up from \$50 to \$60. Since a 2 1/2 x 5 costs \$20, a 5x5 costs \$40, then logically, a 7 1/2 by 5 should cost \$60. We had it at \$50 to encourage 1/2 page ads, but at this point, it's become self-defeating. So, beginning with #32, the cost will become \$60.

Finally, we wage those of you who are spending their good money on ads to spend some time making them look eye-appealing. And also, please send your ads in at the correct dimensions. It's amazing how many ads show up a 1/2 inch too long on one side, and equally short on the other.

Hopefully, these few changes will enable anyone who wants an ad to get one placed. As usual, try to let us know well in advance that you want space saved (sending money in with you reservation certainly helps). Then just send in the ad copy itself by the deadline (first of the month).

Thanks, Tim

*[one note on t-shirts ads: we suspect that some of the ads for band t-shirts are done without the permission of the bands, on their labels, so if you want to advertise such items, we'd like some proof that it's legit.]

Thrash music fans revive radio program

By Elizabeth Parker

"Maximum Rock-n-Roll," a pre-taped thrash radio show on KUGS-FM, is back on the air after being removed from the programming schedule two weeks ago.

The show was rescheduled after more than 300 people signed petitions and the station received a flood of protests.

Ritchie "Rich" Hodges, who uses the taped show with his live show, said there was "a torrent of calls" after he announced the cancellation over the air.

"It was like taking away their cars or something. Yeah, like taking away their cars."

"Maximum Rock-n-Roll" is taped in Berkeley, Calif., each week and sent to KUGS. Cellophane Square, a local record store, sponsors the show. The show is a compilation of various garage-thrash bands from around the world.

Scott Lennon, the program director for KUGS, said the show was cancelled mainly because of the low-quality of the recordings.

"Usually the recordings aren't very good," Lennon said, "and we wanted to support more in-house programming."

Lennon said the show, which was originally aired at 10 p.m. on Wednesdays, came right after a

live folk show that KUGS broadcasts from the Roeder Home. The Program Advisory Committee decided that having the shows so close together was bad programming.

Lennon said the four-letter lyrics in some of the music also were a reason for moving the show to its current 11 p.m. time slot.

"It would be irresponsible of the staff not to think about obscenity," he said.

Hodges said the show is popular. He received calls from as far as La Conner and White Rock, B.C., about the cancellation.

"There's even a strong thrash contingency in Anacortes, strangely enough," he said.

Lennon said the Program Advisory Committee also was concerned about Cellophane Square underwriting the cost of the show. They received half-price advertising in exchange for sponsoring the show. Lennon said the committee didn't think it was fair to other advertisers.

He said the committee decided to keep the show because of the amount of support showed by the petitions and calls.

"A reason we decided to cancel the show was because of the low quality of the tapes. But with industrial-strength thrash, that's part of the aesthetics. At first the KUGS staff hadn't considered that," he said.

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