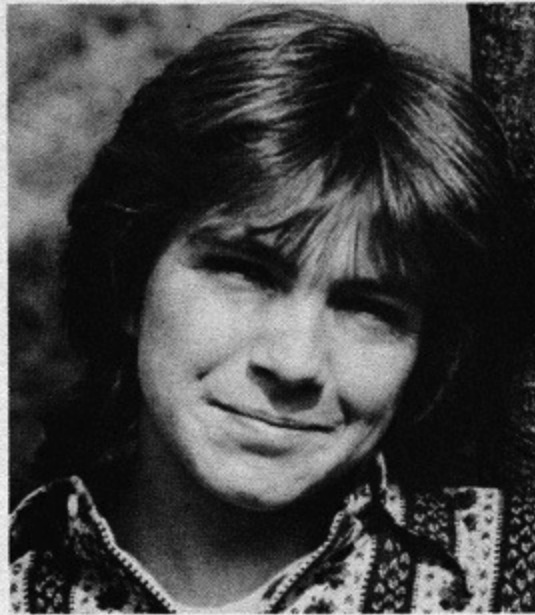
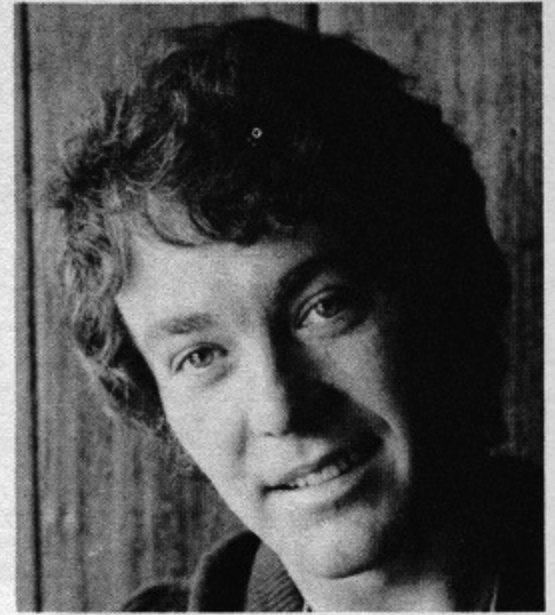


FLASH!! Bobby Sherman's guest-starring role on a Partridge Family segment is actually a pilot which may be picked up as a series next fall. In the pilot, Bobby plays a young musician who needs lyrics for his compositions. He "invades" the Partridge family's garage and soon writes a couple of hit tunes for the group. The Bobby Sherman episode on The Partridge Family series—called "Words And Music"—will be aired sometime in April. Be sure to keep your eyes glued to your local TV listings, so you won't miss that fabulous show!!



FLASH!! David Cassidy's new home in the Hollywood Hills is one of the most luxurious "pads" a bachelor teen king ever lived in! The house—which David shares with his roommate, film-cutter and actor Sam Hyman—has an incredible panoramic view of Los Angeles, Hollywood and surrounding valleys and mountains! The house not only is impeccably furnished, it also has indirect lighting throughout, huge glass wrap-around sliding doors, a swimming pool and—well, you name it, David's new house has got it! And congrats to David—nobody deserves this more than he does!!



FLASH!! Mike Cole is all smiles now that Mod Squad has been picked up for yet another season! Needless to say, Peggy and Clarence join him—especially since the three of them have been made financial partners in all the proceeds garnered from Mod Squad airings, not only in the States but around the world! Other renewed shows include The Partridge Family, Here's Lucy, The Smith Family, Medical Center and Marcus Welby. Possible renewals: Young Lawyers, The Interns, Brady Bunch, Courtship Of Eddie's Father, etc., etc.!!

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DON'T WORRY, LUVVIES—future plans of two of your favorite favs, RICK ELY and PHILIPPE FORQUET, include enough series and guest-star appearances to keep these two handsome former *Rebels* flashing in front of your eyes at regular intervals. If you didn't catch Rick on *American Bandstand* and *The Dating Game*, keep your eyes peeled for his guest-shot on *The Doris Day Show*. Of course, Rick will continue to record both singles and LPs for RCA. As for Philippe, his future plans include release of a Paramount movie *Waterloo*, in which he co-stars with Rod Steiger. And if you didn't catch Philippe on *Matt Lincoln*, never fear, just keep looking for him in the pilot of a projected CBS-TV series called *Scared Stiff*—if *Scared Stiff* is picked up, you'll see Philippe co-starring with WARREN BERLINGER and BOB DENVER!

Guessing games! What top star of what TV show didn't want his picture taken with what guest star? Oh, well—it was probably just a passing "uncomfortableness". Betcha these two guys end up good buddies one of these days! . . . Though there have been denials from everywhere, the fact of the matter is—as 16 & SPEC have been predicting for months—that (unless some unforeseen calamity occurs)

adorable DAVID CASSIDY will go on a major tour of American cities to do live performances with his own backup group this summer. Stay tuned to 16 & SPEC for further details!

Last-minute flash! Keep your eyes on your local listings and your CBS-TV channel during the month of March, cos it's an almost "for sure" that the **OSMOND BROTHERS'** special The Osmond Brothers Show—He's My Brother will be aired sometime in March . . . The ABC-TV spec Diana!, co-starring DIANA ROSS and the JACKSON 5, has been re-scheduled for ". . . sometime in April or May," according to the program department at ABC . . . And speaking of the Jackson 5, congrats to them on receiving three gold records and three platinum discs! The gold records were awarded to the group for selling more than three hundred thousand copies of each of their Motown LPs—Diana Ross Presents The Jackson 5, Jackson 5-ABC and Jackson 5-Third Album. The platinum discs were presented to the boys for sales of more than two million copies for each of their super-selling singles—I Want You Back, ABC and I'll Be There. That's more records than most artists sell in a