



THE BEAT GOES ON! WHAT'S HAPPENING IN MUSIC!



"THE PLAN" IS the newest Osmond album, it's completely different from other albums they've recorded! See our story on page 16 and buy it, too!



WE WERE SORRY to hear that Peter Doyle is leaving The New Seekers! The group is looking for a replacement right now. Peter will be recording solo!

Rumor has it that **DAVID CASSIDY** will be recording again soon! Good!! When we were talking to **DAVID** recently, he started talking about the image his fans have of him. "All the things that are written about me make me seem somehow untouchable, but I want to stress that I'm human—I'm no super-human, just a human being. One of millions, except I'm able to enjoy a special sort of position in life because of being in show business." He doesn't want his fans to think of him as an "untouchable" (boy, we know he's touchable, right girls??). He'd like to meet every one of you in person. . . . **MICHAEL LLOYD's** been busy again these last few months (is he ever not busy?!). He flew to London with **THE NEW SEEKERS** to produce part of their new album, and his new group, **FRIENDS**, has been in the studio and will have an album out, too. Watch for them to tour around the country as soon as it's released. . . . And what else have **THE NEW SEEKERS** been doing? Well, you know they're on tour—and doing really great! They finished working at Disneyland and Disney World and are going to parts of Canada and Ohio this month. . . .



KENNY ROGER'S First Edition have another gold record, congrats!