

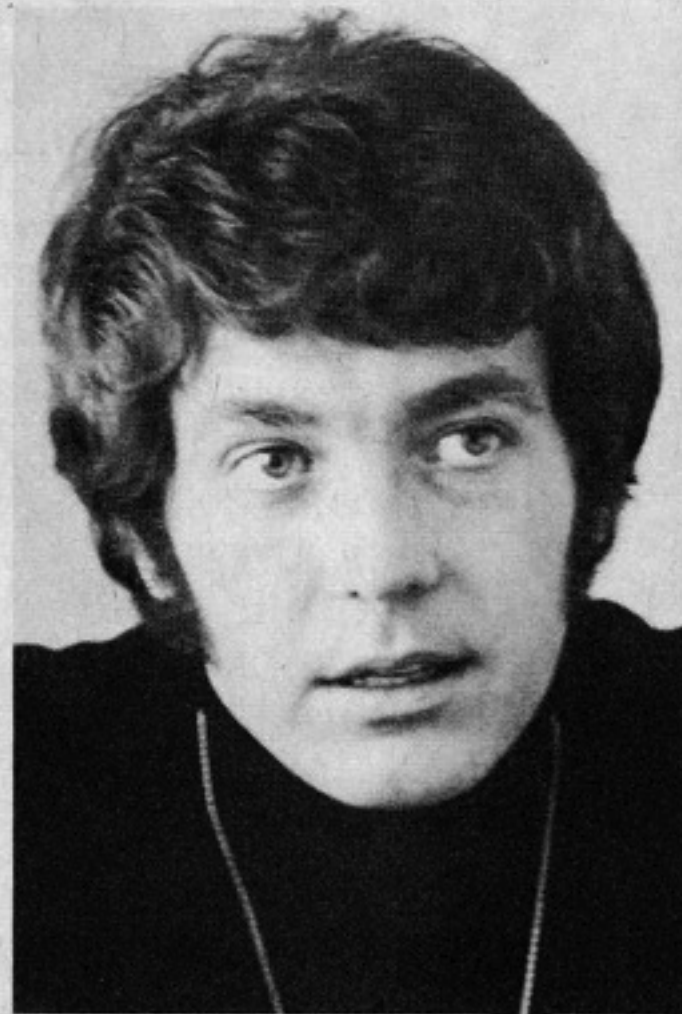
FAVE FLASHES FAVE FLASHES FAVE FLASHES FAVE FLASHES BY JOHNNY JASON

If this issue's "Fave Flashes" is late in arriving at the FaVE editorial offices, it can be at least partially blamed on the JACKSON FIVE. The Motown group recently appeared live at the Hollywood Bowl and created such a traffic jam on the streets leading to the freeway that it took your own Johnny Jason a long time to get through (and consequently to my typewriter). Seriously, though, the J-5's concert was an incredible event, with crowds flocking from all directions, people selling their posters on street corners, and police trying to keep the traffic moving... Is MICHAEL COLE really a party pooper? It's really difficult to answer that question because of MICHAEL'S interest in film-making. At a recent party I attended, the young "Mod Squad" star did virtually no socializing. Instead he sat in front of a television set watching a talk show. Appearing on the show were a number of people involved with motion pictures. MICHAEL himself is quite outspoken on the subject of movies and may eventually become known as a director... Despite his phenomenal stardom, DAVID CASIDY has been known for his non-materialistic views on life. Lately DAVID has been especially down on personal possessions and has been driving a funky old Mustang. Screen Gems executives, however, finally shook their heads, saying that the star of "The Partridge Family" was too big to be driving around in his favorite car. So they gave him a brand new white Corvette, no strings attached! DAVID looked at the shiny new car, thought over the situation and his own dislike of materialism, and accepted it. In this case he'd make an exception! (I don't blame him—do you?)... RICK ELY recently confided to friends he'd made on "The Young Rebels" that he was totally surprised about his date with a fan which had been arranged through "FaVE." The date was thoroughly groovy, he said. He enjoyed every moment of it.

RICK had no idea this bit of information would ever be printed when he revealed it to his friends. You can see RICK in an upcoming episode of "Marcus Welby, M.D."... If you notice GREG MORRIS wearing a bracelet on "Mission: Impossible," here is the reason: GREG is working with an organization called VIVA to help free prisoners of war in Hanoi. The bracelets are made of nickel or copper, each one having the name of one prisoner or soldier missing in action plus the date reported missing. The bracelets are being sold and the proceeds finance trips to Washington, D.C. and Hanoi for the wives of the missing soldiers. GREG will not take off his bracelet until all such prisoners are released... Watch for a new star on "Laugh-In." But you'll have to look hard because the newest addition to the show is quite small. He's seven year-old MOOSIE DRIER and, like all stars of "Laugh-In," he's going to be big with a 1-o-n-g career ahead of him... RAY BOLGER, who occasionally plays the grandfather on "The Partridge Family," will carry on family relations this season. He can be seen as an uncle on "Nanny and the Professor." Does this make the Everetts and the Partridges related somehow?... LUCIE, the daughter of LUCILLE BALL, may get her own series. Her mother is going to feature her prominently in one episode of "Here's Lucy." The episode will actually be a pilot that may spin-off as a separate show... Some critics maintain that the 5TH DIMENSION depends mostly on heavy backgrounds consisting of brass, strings, and other embellishments. But when the group appeared recently at the Hollywood Bowl they used only an eight-man rhythm section. The 5TH DIMENSION sounded better than ever!... You can be assured that BOBBY SHERMAN will be seen quite often this television season. Besides doing his own show "Getting Together," BOBBY will be appearing on programs like the



THE CLOTHES she wears on TV get LINDA RONSTADT in a fix sometimes!



THE BIG QUESTION: Is MICHAEL COLE really a loner at parties?