or merely noticed by the king. EL-VIS still has his old magic going for him. He wore a body tight, flared pants white cowboy suit, leather laces dangling from his arms and legs, a purple scarf matching a long tassled sash belt as well as his unchanging long side burns. ELVIS sings his usual "Heartbreak Hotel," "Love Me Tender" and "Blue Suede Shoes" then goes into "Sweet Caroline," "Get Back" and "Something" to mention a few. He closes with "Impossible Dream" a stunning and dramatic number that proves that ELVIS, sideburns and swivel hips aside, is still one of our nation's great white blues shouters and one of the most eloquent pop and country singers, too . . . ROD McKUEN has been signed to compose the score and sing the theme song for "Scandalous John," a Walt Disney western starring BRIAN KEITH . . . After being,



THE COWSILLS ARE coming back—did you know they were gone? They have a great brand-new single out!

so to speak, "out of the business" for about a year, the COWSILL family is making a return. London Records has signed them and started

MICHAEL AND MARLON Jackson are thrilled about the street in Gary, Indiana, named after their group!





ELIZABETH MONTGOMERY is gorgeous as Samantha Stevens and cousin Serena. "Bewitched" is still great!

them off on their first single "On My Side," which is set for immediate rush release! An LP has also been produced by BUD COWSILL, and is being set for an early spring release. Nine of the 10 tunes in the album were written by the group during a recent tour . . . The JACK-SON FIVE are now a street, or I should say a boulevard. Gary, Indiana, their hometown honored the boys by changing the name of Jackson Street to JACKSON 5 BOULE-VARD. The group had returned to Gary to perform two concerts as a special tribute to the Mayor who brought them to the attention of MOTOWN records less than two years ago . . . After breaking it up musically for 12 years CREE-DENCE CLEARWATER REVI-VAL will break it up personally. TOM FOGERTY leaves the group to stay home, enjoy his four kids and so some musical creating on his own. CREEDENCE plans to keep it rolling as a threesome, with no hard feelings and no plans to disband the group or get a replacement . . . ELIZABETH MANTGOM-ERY will get to try her special brand of witchery in European climates this season. For some episodes of "Bewitched," the entire cast is going to spook it up in real damp, dark castles ... MARCUS WEL-BY's handsome sidekick JAMES BROLIN has signed an album contract with Universal Records. However, it is doubted that he will break into song in the operating room . . . FLIP WILSON has finally worked his way to the top of the Neilsen poll, where he belongs. FLIP has four children from a previous marraige and he spends a lot of his free time visiting them . . . DAVE MAD-

DEN (The PARTRIDGE FAMILY'S manager) says it was FRANK SIN-ATRA's nod of approval that put him in the big time. MADDEN got his first big break when FRANK saw his act in an old night club and brought him to Lake Tahoe . . . Although JUDY CARNE (remember from Laugh-In?) can do many things, she can't seem to shake her "sockit-to-me-water-target" Laugh-In image. While JUDY was performing at New York's Plaza Hotel a man in the audience stood up and threw a glass of water at her. So, what did she do? Throw one back. Soon everyone else had joined in and a water-tossing free-for-all followed with police arriving to settle everyone down again ... TV writer RO-BERTA TATUM is suing THE PARTRIDGE FAMILY for \$250,000 alleging that the original manuscript she submitted under the title of "Baker's Half Dozen," has been,



FLIP WILSON has one of the few hits of the season. He spends his free time visiting his 4 children!

copied in portions and used on the series. MISS TATUM says she submitted the property with the understanding that she would be compensated if it was used ... BAR-BARA EDEN may have a musical variety show scheduled for the 1971-72 telly season...DIANA ROSS and the original SUPREMES are being sued for over \$8 million by FLORENCE BALLARD, one of the three original members of the group. She's charging that they "secretly, subversively and maliciously" conspired to get her out of the group. The suit also asks that the present SUPREMES be barred from using that name . . . Didja know that BOB-BY GOLDSBORO was aboard the Delta Air Lines jetliner that was hijacked to Cuba? ... PRESIDENT NIXON gave his endorsement to the movie "Love Story," though he did criticize its "profanity." Though his

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