



CALIFORNIA CALLING...

Keep up with what's happening out West with our gal, Kathryn Paulsen!



The Osmonds are very grateful to all their fans for helping to make them a real super-group.

DONNY OSMOND recovered from his emergency appendectomy just in time to see himself and the rest of **THE OSMOND BROTHERS** make history. Last October they became the first entertainers since the early **BEATLES** to have two hits—the group's "Yoyo" and Donny's "Go Away Little Girl"—in the top 5 position on the charts at the same time. All the Osmonds are really very proud and happy and they want to thank all of you for helping to make it possible. Donny also sends a special thanks for the thousands of cards, letters and gifts you sent him while he was recuperating.

Congratulations to **THE JACKSON FIVE**, too. They became the first contemporary musical artists to be honored simultaneously by both the Senate and the House of Representatives. During a recent concert in Baltimore, Maryland,

the five brothers were publicly praised by Congressman Ray Madden and Senators Vance Hartke and Birch Bayh of Indiana and were presented with a congressional citation for their TV special "Goin' Back To Indiana."

THE PARTRIDGE FAMILY isn't missing out on any firsts either. For the first time in the history of Bell Records, an album—namely "A Partridge Family Christmas Card"—qualified as a gold record even before it was released! It may sound unbelievable, but the album's pre-release orders went well over the one million mark.

Speaking of The Partridge Family, pretty **SUSAN DEY** has proven that the younger generation really believes in "the show must go on" tradition. She taped a guest spot on "The **GLEN CAMPBELL Show**" with a swollen face after having an impacted wisdom tooth

removed.

Another member of **THE COWSILLS** has happily given up his bachelorhood. **PAUL COWSILL** recently wed a lovely gal named **MARY HULL**. Paul says he'll be staying with the group, and that his new wife will travel with the family when they go on the road.

TOM JONES is finally going to add film star to his growing list of credits. He's been signed to do three features for United Artists. The first one is almost ready to roll...it's a musical to be called "Gospel Singer."... Meanwhile, Tom's good friend, **ENGELBERT HUMPERDINCK**, has had a California street named after himself. It's a three-block long road in the northern fishing resort town of Albion.

The much talked about "**ELVIS PRESLEY Story**" has begun to air on radio stations across the country. The entire documentary is twelve hours long and it's all about the life and good times of Elvis.



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