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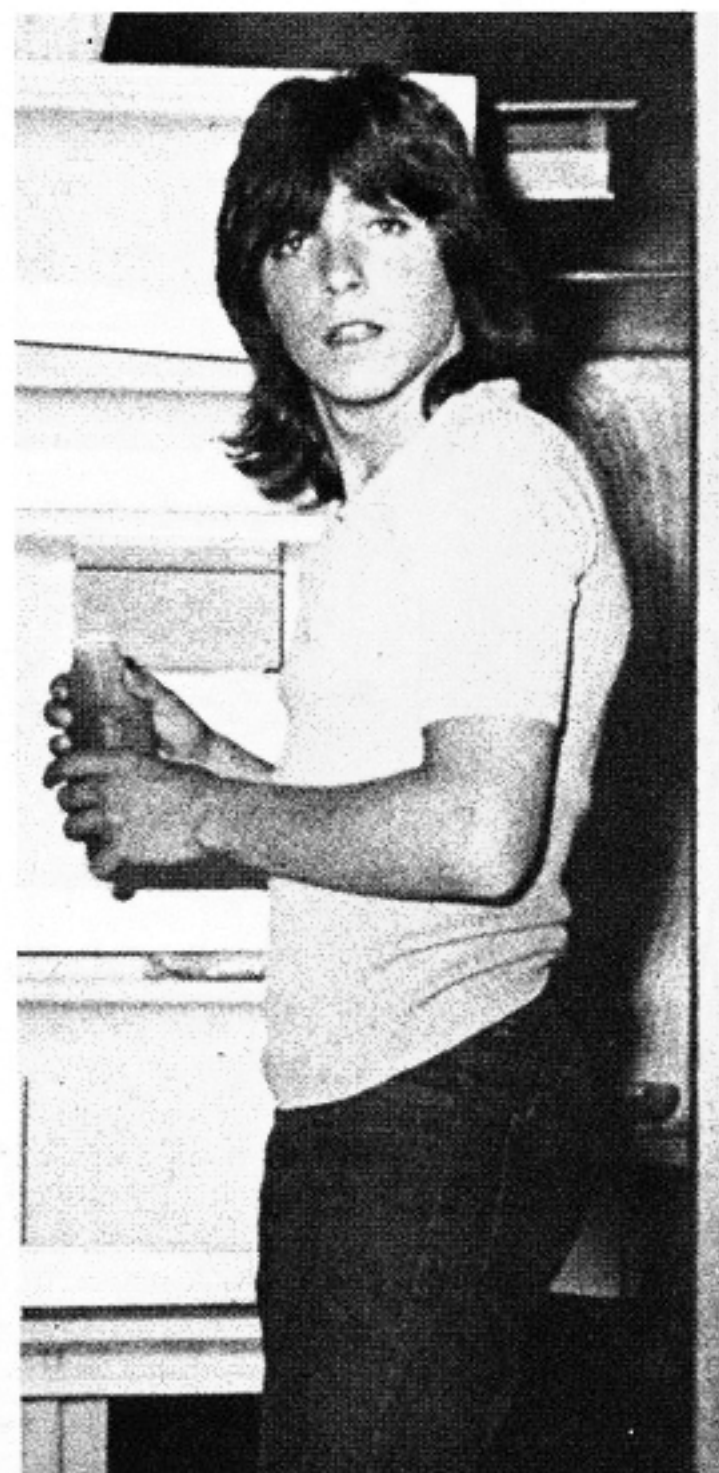
AND T.V. GOSSIP!

McCARTNEY talking to **ALBERT FINNEY** about possibly starring Finney in a new mystery flick.

NEIL YOUNG has been very particular about his new Harvest album, down to the paper used for the album jacket. He wanted something that would look "lived in," so he took samples home and checked every day to see how they were holding up. Finally, Oatmeal paper won out—its disintegration speed was the best!

MELANIE has just received certification on her "Candles in the Rain" album as a million-seller, with "Brand New Key" not far behind.

PEGGY LIPTON is happy with her "Mod Squad" raise. But as the scripts for September are already being discussed, she reiterates her request of *last* year—she wants bigger and meatier parts!



David Cassidy still prefers the casual life—despite his tremendous earning capacity!



Ann-Margret, here with hubby Roger Smith, has her eye on more meaty dramatic roles!

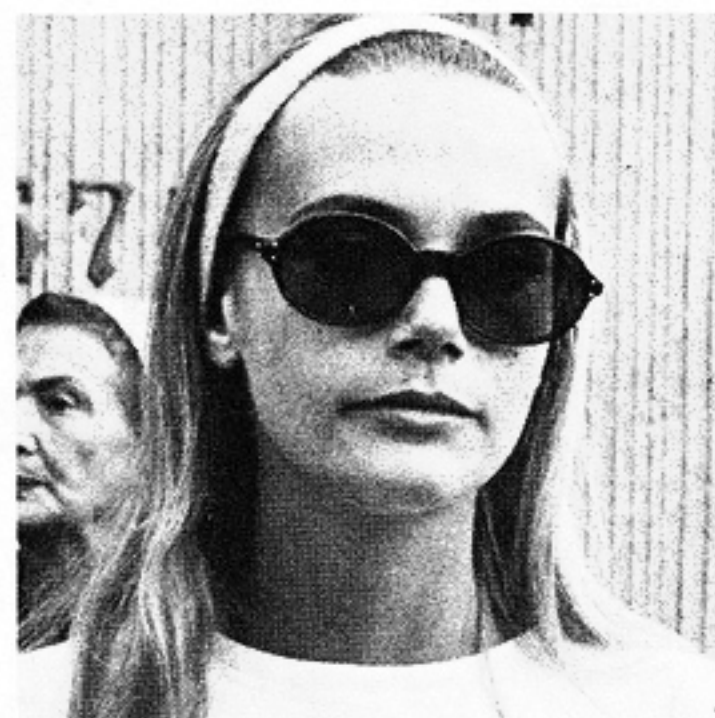
DAVID CASSIDY will soon be the richest young man in the world if he keeps grossing the fabulous earnings on his concerts in 1972 the way he did last year. In only an 8-month period last year from mid-May to early December—and working only on the weekends—handsome David smiled and sang his way to \$1,061,000 on the concert circuit. Not bad for a weekend gig!

SONNY and his lovely wife **CHER** have come a long way since their beginning days as long-haired singers, when they were refused admission to most of the better hotels whenever they toured. Now "The Sonny and Cher Comedy Hour" is a smash hit and the husband and wife team continues to delight viewers with their rapid-fire put-downs as well as their songs. The show continues to be a fashion show of Bob Mackie's clothes and Jim Oertel's hairstyles for Cher.

Handsome **RYAN O'NEAL** is being kept busy these days. As soon as he wound up his latest flick, "What's Up Doc?", in which he stars with **BARBRA STREISAND**, he was asked to stay on in Burbank for "The Thief Who Came To Dinner."

Be on the look-out for **RAQUEL WELCH**'s latest pic "Minnie Caulder." Raquel has the title role of the first lady gunfighter who has "a notch on her gun for every man she got."

Till next issue . . .



Peggy Lipton's future—for next year, at least—is assured. It's more "Mod Squad!"



Engelbert Humperdinck's the latest of the singers to hanker after an acting chance!