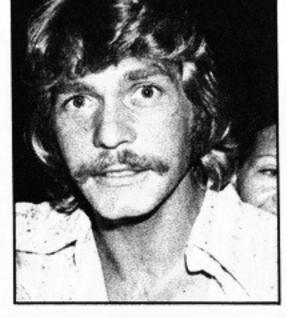


MICHAEL LLOYD is co-producer, along with Alan, of all the Osmonds' records! And he sings!



ROB REINER and wife Penny really have a lot to grin about these days!



REMEMBER Chris Stone from "Interns?" New look!!



WILLIAMS TWINS leave the recording studio after cutting first single—see our review on page 22!



LOOK FOR GROOVY Mark Hamill to be a regular on "General Hospital!"



DR. KILDARE's back—and Mark Jenkins is star! Watch!

## T'S HAPPENING By Funky IN HOLLYWOOD Duke Lewis

Dame Fate and Lady Luck have combined their mystical powers, waved a magic wand and transformed a bunch of budding young actors into funky fantazy motion picture stars of the Scorchy Seventies.

Though some are still dragging skulls through grammar and high schools, all have had experience, exposure and training in the performing arts, necessary to their future superstar status on the big wide screens in the Palaces that popcorn built.

In addition each of these dudes is blessed with class, charm, sex appeal, good luck, unflagging ambition, bull-dog persistence, proven talent, the mysterious personality Quality X, glowing health and enough intelligence and emotional stability to keep them from lousing up their lives with booze, dope or miscellaneous crime.

Hottest of the herd is Desi Arnaz,
 Jr., now wrapping up his "Marco" movie in Japan. On his return Desi and Liza will do a joint guesting on mom Lucy's telegasser, before he jets to Israel to headline another screen epic, "Billy Two Hats."

2. Slender blondish Richard Thomas,

Dick for short, toplines "The Watsons," weekly serial set for a fall start on Channel 2. In his six flicks to date, Dick's roles ranged from dimwit-nitnut to sadistic murderer, thereby appealing to all types of females. By now it's pretty certain that his spectacular screen career is fail-safe.

Quiet introverted brown-eyed Gary Grimes cracked the obscurity barrier and attained acclaim in his first film, "Summer of '42" which was made while he attended Burbank High and got all them gorgeous grades averaging B+, followed by a meaty part in the rip-snorting action pic, "The Culpepper Cattle Co." Coming attraction is a sequel to "Summer of '42," starring the same trio, Grimes, Jerry Houser and Oliver Conant. The "Class of '44" flick will take the boys from high school graduation to college to war. Gary's awards and nominations as Best Newcomer or Star of Tomorrow are something else: Golden Globe, the British Oscar, Photoplay and National Theater Assn., for starters.

4. Freckled-faced red-headed Johnny Whitaker, age 13, captured the microbopper acting plum of the year, the



FUNNY LILY Tomlin takes over the phones as Ernestine at the Democratic National Telethon. She's really funny!

title role in "Tom Sawyer," filming in Missouri during summer vacation. Hundreds of juve cats were interviewed. Johnny not only played four seasons of CBS' "Family Affair," but also four movie features, "The Russians Are Coming," Disney's "Biscuit Eater," a second Disney pic, "Snowball Express," for Christmas showing, and a two-part TVer, "The Mystery in Dracula's Castle."

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