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Graham Brazier and Lyle Kinney, Hello Sailor

TOURS

Goose tour off

Mother Goose have cancelled their New Zealand tour. High overheads meant they would have had to compromise on equipment (P.A., lighting etc.) to make a New Zealand tour pay.

Mother Goose will return to Australia late November. Craig Johnston writes, "We should clear up our debts after a few months in Australia and then we can go and get a whole lot more in America." Their manager is in the U.S. now.

In Australia they'll headline their own national tour. Aussie television loved them after their single, "Baked Beans", made the charts. Their first album, *Stuffed*, has already sold 12,000 copies there, but like Dragon they have not yet received due recognition in New Zealand. Be Warned, Mother Goose intend to rectify the situation in the coming year.



Randy Meisner

An Eagle flies

Eagles bass player Randy Meisner quit last month and was immediately replaced by Poco member, Timothy Schmit. In fact, Schmit replaced Meisner in Poco in 1970, when Meisner left to play with Rick Nelson before he once again moved on to win the Eagles. The new Eagles line up are working on an album for release next year and both Meisner and current member, Joe Walsh, are working on solo albums. Poco's future is believed to be uncertain.

Fleetwood Mac are currently on a leisurely tour of Australia. They will perform at Western Springs on Sunday afternoon, November the 27th. Their current album *Rumours* has topped American sales charts for 25 weeks. Fleetwood Mac will have a new Clair Brothers matched sound system from Australia. The **Kevin Borich Express** is the support act.

Though they were a big hit at Hinuera, Labour weekend, **Mother Goose** have cancelled their New Zealand tour.

Marcia Hines will finish three months of touring in Australia with three concerts in New Zealand. Her new album *Ladies and Gentlemen*

Marcia Hines, has been released to coincide with the tour. Concert dates are November 11th — Christchurch Town Hall, November 13th — St James, Wellington and November 14th — His Majesty's, Auckland. The support act will be **Richard Wilde**.

Hello Sailor have been on the road on a sponsored tour (*Rum and Coca-Cola Tour*) since October 26th. They have had big crowds even in Whangarei, Rotorua and Whakatane. Though playing small venues, the band are travelling with a soundman, mixer and lights. Hello Sailor's tour dates are listed below.

Tentative dates for New York band, **Blondie** are December 16th — Auckland, December 17th — Hamilton and December 19th — Wellington. Detroit black vocal group the **Spinners** may do one concert in Auckland on November 30th. Also not confirmed are dates in December for the **Stylists**.



Marcia Hines

Hello Sailor Tour Dates: Nov. 7-9 — Dr John's Disco **Wellington**. Nov. 11 — Chateau Commodore, **Christchurch**. Nov. 12, 18 & 19 — Gladstone Hotel, **Christchurch**. Nov. 13 — Radio Avon Concert, **Christchurch**. Nov. 16 & 17 — Sheraton Shoreline, **Dunedin**. Nov. 24 — **Palmerston North**. Nov. 25 & 26 — Oxford Hotel, **Levin**. Nov. 28 — Homestead Tavern, **Masterton**. Nov. 29 & 30 — Leopard Inn, **Napier**. Dec. 1-3 — Mayfair Hotel, **Hastings**. Dec. 4 — Soundshell, **Gisborne**. Dec. 5 & 6, Sandown Park, **Gisborne**. Dec. 9 — **Rotorua Racecourse**. Dec. 14-17 — Milford Marina, **Auckland**. Dec. 19-21 — Ponsonby Club Hotel, **Auckland**.

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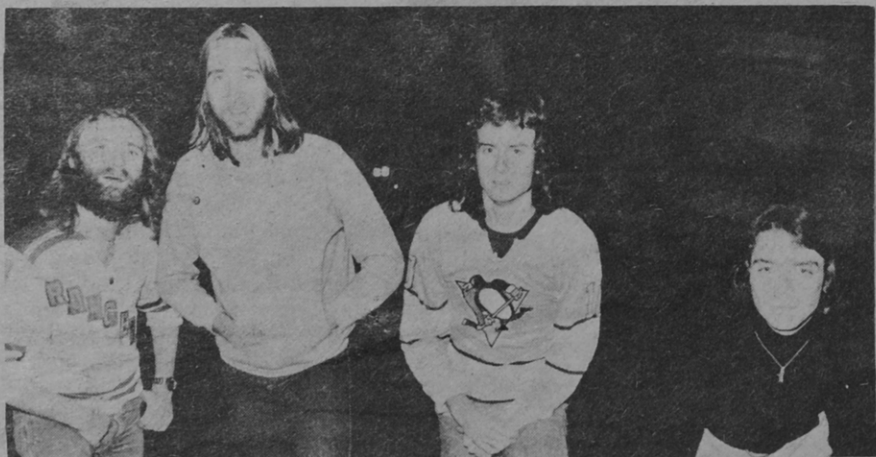


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Genesis: Phil Collins, Mike Rutherford, Tony Banks and Steve Hackett

Genesis quartered

Steve Hackett, guitarist for Genesis, has quit. His decision was given to the band some months ago but the announcement of this fact comes on the eve of the release of a live double album from the band. The remaining three members have meantime cut a follow up album in Holland. Titled, *Then There Were Three*, it features bass player Mike Rutherford taking over the guitar chores. This arrange-

ment will probably be continued for stage work with an occasional bass player hired for tours.

Hackett's decision to quit has been prompted by the glut of material he has written that the band has been unable to use. He will now work on his second solo album, a follow up to his *Voyage of the Acolyte*, recorded 2 years ago.