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# RUMGURS

RUMOURS' FROM PAGE 8 drummer Alan Haig has joined the Verlaines, meanwhile the Chills are temporarily off the road because of drummer Martin Bull's

A new duo has been formed featuring ex Pictures Richard Laverty and John McFarland ... Prams have split ... ex Feedback's Lee Wood and Martin Heaps are back with Stallion. George Kay

#### Late News

The Beat are back from the USA Clash tour and are working on their new album. Ranking Roger has released a 45 with 'fellow Brummie' Pato ... two sax players have left Dexys Midnight Runners after trombonist Jim Paterson left due to the "diminish-

Paterson lett due to the "diminishing role of brass" in Dexys.

New: League Unlimited
Orchestra (alias Human League,
Martin Rushent etc) Love and
Dance, Crosby Stills Nash Daylight Again, final DAF Forever,
Yazoo untitled, Virgin Best Ofs:
Magazine After The Fact, Skids Magazine After The Fact, Skids Fanfare.

After two years of deadlines, After two years of deadlines, assistant editor Mark Phillips has resigned. He will devote more time to running A Certain Bar with Peter Urlich. His departure is not linked with the absence of Cammick's tooth cap. The loss occurred while the editor was using dental floss.

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Charley Gray has opened the Last and First Cafe in Symonds St, opposite Rogues, with eating, BYO, special coffees. Upstairs will open in two months to feature film, theatre and exclusive music

... Blondies in Victoria St is under new management. It's open Wed-Sat until 4am with music and

New Ak band is Gorbels Diehards: Paul Edmonds, Max Doyle, Stephen Elsdon, Troy Mery ... No Clapping have a 5 track EP out soon, entitled *Pie and* 

## INDUSTRY

Danse Macabre EP Between the Lines has been released in Australia on Stunn ... Grammar Boys album has been clinched by EMI Australia.

RCA are now distributing Richard Perry's Planet label. Pointer Sisters' So Excited is released late July. RCA now have NZ distribution for Wizard Records. Includes Rick Springfield, and Marcia Hines catalogue

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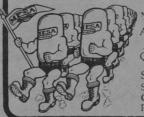
In the UK two big concert promotion companies, Straight Music and Kiltorch, have gone under. Reasons given: bands pulling out of gigs, 15 percent tax on concert tickets and high guarantees for big names ... Undertones have invested 20,000 pounds in an eight track recording/rehearsal facility track recording/rehearsal facility in Derry, Ulster. AnnLouise Martin





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