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VOWEL MOVEMENT Holly Vincent
Johnette Napolitano

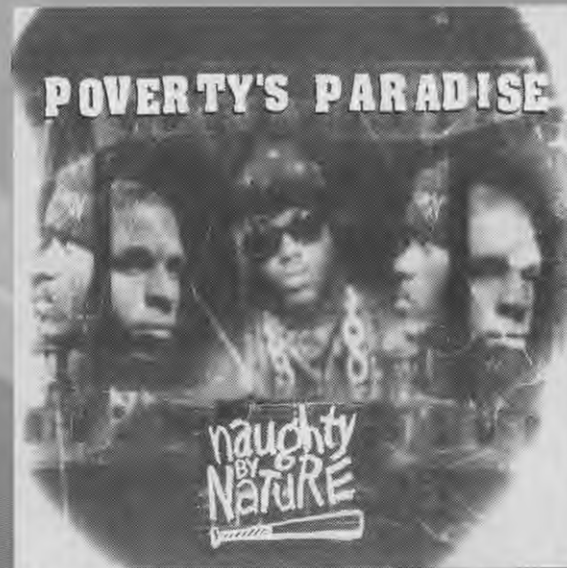
Holly Vincent (ex Holly & The Italians) and Johnette Napolitano (ex Concrete Blonde) make up the duo that is Vowel Movement. Holly and Johnette formed the band on New Year's Eve in 1993 when neither of them had a date. They drank, smoked pot, did each other's tarot cards, threw the I-Ching, drank some more, Johnette picked up her bass, Holly got on her drums, Johnette started mumbling...and vowel movement was born. Johnette and Holly played and sang everything on the album which was recorded in six days. If it weren't for Johnette and Holly, it would be safe to say that there wouldn't be people like Liz Phair, Bikini Kill, Seven Year Bitch & Hole around, OK?



LETTERS TO CLEO Aurora Gory Alice

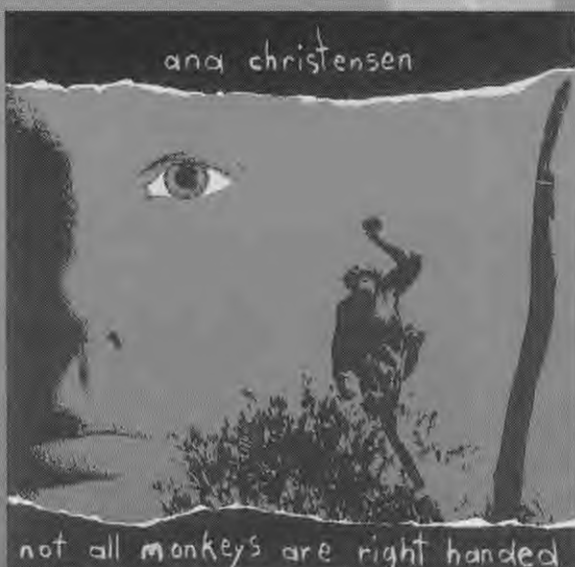
Fresh on the heels of their hit 'Here And Now' being blasted all over *Melrose Place* and its soundtrack comes the huge debut from Letters To Cleo. LTC are the sound of here and now, guitar attack that chimes and fuzzes, stuttering female vocal with cool melodies. Letters To Cleo have a fantastically scrappy pop-punk meld of sound which has given them an absolute smash of an album that has drawn rave reviews world-wide.

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NAUGHTY BY NATURE Poverty's Paradise

With their album *Poverty's Paradise* the band who have made a career out of creating street anthems deliver more of that Naughty Flow and groove that has made them the hip-hop story of the 90's. Tracks like 'Here We Go/Feel Me Flow' with Treach in top form plus the current Top 10 smash 'Craziest' follow on from their earlier hits 'OPP' and 'Hip Hop Hooray'. However that doesn't mean this album is all a party, there are some hard hitting beats on 'Holdin Fort' and 'Chain Remains' that reflect the realities of life in the ghetto. This album is 100% ruffneck. Get it in your house from June 12.



ANA CHRISTENSEN Not All Monkeys Are Right Handed

Australian singer-songwriter Ana Christensen emerges with her second album to date. Although Ana is relatively unknown in New Zealand she possesses a songwriting talent that is loaded with emotion and truth and best compared with Melissa Etheridge. If you are interested in an artist with depth and true songwriting ability Ana Christensen's *Not All Monkeys Are Right Handed* will take you into another reality.

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SUPERETTE Rosepig

JPS Experience songwriter Dave Mulcahy is back with a new trio, Superette. This debut on Flying Nun contains five sweetly spare pop songs mixing grand hook riffery and sly tunes to maximum effect. Major groovy lead-off track 'Killer Clown' appears on TV screens and seven inch singles too.



CROWBAR Time Heals Nothing

This is the second full-length album from New Orleans underground thrashers Crowbar on independent label Pavement Music. After the success of 1993's self-titled release (produced by Pantera vocalist Philip Anselmo) the group is poised to expand their already large and loyal fan base. Crowbar have featured on MTV's *Headbangers Ball*, *Beavis and Butthead* and completed a European tour with *Paradise Lost*, five full US tours and, most notably, a sold-out theatre tour with Pantera.

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