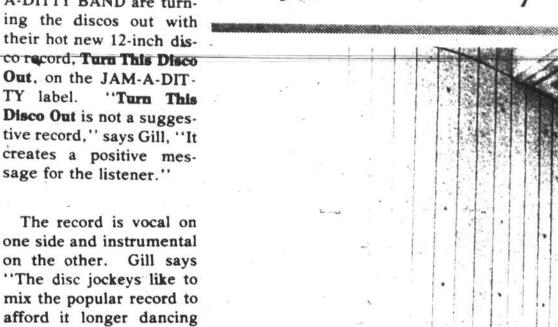
ART-MUSIC-REVIEWS-PEOPLE

Jam-A-Ditty Cirt Gill and the JAM-A-DITTY BAND are turning the discos out with



Earl Gill, producer and coordinator of promotions for the group and Cirt's cousin, has exceedingly high hopes for the record and says the 12-inch disc is doing very well in five states where the record has been marketed.

time and people can dance

to one side and sing along

with the other ."

JAM-A-DITTY Records was named for Cirt's father and Earl's uncle (J. Cirt Gill Jr.) who was a black pioneer in radio in the southeast. JAM-A-DIT-TY appeared on WGBG cept. southeast.

Cirt and Earl, who marketing of their hit record controlled to just

radio from 1949 until his Regional sales can help death in 1960 and is still determine if other marremembered for his con- kets should be prusued, tact with both black and explained Gill "We have white audiences in already been contacted by Greensboro and the several of the major labels in reference to our latest release. This is a very positive signal towards 'grew up in radio' have the quality of the music intentionally kept the we are producing." Earl

Billy Rowe's

Notebook

Ten top African journalists from Nigeria are on a write

hunt in this country as exchange news-persons with the black press. The writers will be working for the next

three weeks on black weeklies from one end of the

country to the other. Among the papers involved are the

Amsterdam News, the Afro-American, the Cleveland

Call and Post, the St. Louis Sentinel, The Miami Times

Ophelia DeVore Mitchell, publisher of the Columbus

Times, and General Foods picked up part of the tab to

allow the visiting pen-folk to enjoy the convention

happenings of the NABJ in Washington, DeeCee...

In a capsule comment on "Benson", ABC's new

series, Kup's Sunday Kolumn said it like this: "The Butler did it -- magnificiently. Robert Guillaume, who won many admirers with his stage performances here, (Chicago) portrays a butler in a governor's mansion and

m ay be the teevee sensation of the year."

and the Norfolk Journal and Guide.

UNC-G school of music was recorded at Phil Nelremembers sitting in the control room with his father watching the operation of a radio station when he was four years old. He credits his knowledge and interest in music to his mother, Mrs. Margaret B. Gill, who taught music in the public school system for 30 years.

the immediate region con- Cirt, a graduate of the JAM-A-DITTY label, You

Can Never Go Back, received very positive responses last year.

To maintain that favorable image, disc jockeys, (radio and disco), program directors, music directors, young people and

others all had input into the decision to release. Turn This Disco Out, as the current release. "It is ironic for the most part that black people in the music business are not looked upon as business people, despite the fact that Motown Records had total sales of \$58 million dollars in 1978," said Earl.

According to music industry information, 3.5 billion dollars was spent for music last year and black people accounted for 33% of the total for recorded music last year 'We should all be aware of the importance of that much buying power in an industry that affects so many black people," Earl

Turn This Disco Out. son Sound Creators located in Greensboro, N.C. Members of the JAM-A-DITTY Band are: Cirt Gill, bass guitar, Charles Carlton (writer of Turn This Disco Out) guitarist, Roy "Geno" Edwards, drummer, Talib Din, keyboards, Kevan Tynes, vocalist, James "Coffee" Yourse, keyboards, and The first release on the Jerry Jeffries, tenor saxo-



Mynetta Davis **Birthday** Celebrated

The second birthday of Mynetta Sunshine Davis was celebrated by family and friends on Oct. 6 at 4 p.m. at the home of her grandmother Mae Davis Green, 3025 Bon Air ave. Mynetta is the daughter of Ms. Margaret Lynn Davis.

Among the guests present were Micheal Brown. Alkeisha Guthrie, Anthony Jones, Ronnie Wilkins and his cousin Charles, Sonya and Reginald Mack and Lamont Lomax.

Each child was given a gift of either a story book or crayons and coloring book. The children were served ice-cream, cake, peanuts, potato chips and mints.

Brooke Guthrie was in charge of entertainment.

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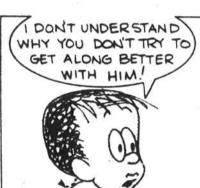
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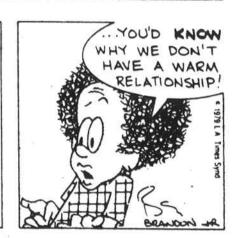




















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STARSCOPE

Quarrels this week, but happy reconciliations. Practicality and sound judgement needed. Mar. 21 - Apr. 19 TAURUS Extravagent urges need to be restrained for your own

good. You'll have strong competition this week. A pleasant surprise awaits you. A friend you have GEMINI not seen for a long time reappears May 21 - June 20

Apr. 20 - May 20

Aug. 23 - Sept. 22

A hermit you're not this week. You mingle freely and meet an interesting personality. June 21 - July 22

There could be a legacy from a near forgotten relative. There are more surprises in store. July 23 - Aug. 22 You have a good head on your shoulders and decide

LIBRA Your prospects in career situations are great. Good Sept. 23 - Oct. 22 vihes creare understanding and in turn, deeds

SCORPIO Don't look back. The future is more important. You Oct. 23 - Nov. 21 can accomplish great things if you have faith. SAGITTARIUS Your loved ones appreciate you more this week and

While old friends, like wine, can mellow with age, CAPRICORN they have been known to sour also. Enlarge your so-Dec. 22 - Jan. 19

you appreciate them too. It's a happy week.

AQUARIUS You've been encumbered with ties for a long time & Jan. 20 - Feb. 18 now you begin to lighten the load.

PISCES Day dreaming takes too much of your time. While it Feb. 19 - Mar. 20 can be pleasant, not too much can be accomplished. OTML74

WORDSE MEANINGS-Unmix the letters in the boxes to form a word. Then circle A, B or C for the correct meaning (or definition) Score yourself as follows: 4 Correct-Excellent 2 Correct-Fair 3 Correct-Good 1-0 Correct-Poor ALE B. MEADOW 2. B R A G C CLOTHING PREVI 4. SHERFET A. RENEW 2. GARB-C 3. VIPER-A 4. FRESHET-B Build your vocabularly Learn the word and use it in a sentence

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Word list: Bean, beet, broccoli, carrot, corn, lettuce, onion, pea, potato, spinach, turnip, yam. Leftover letters make a surprise word.

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