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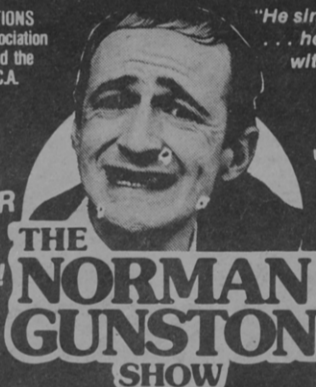
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With basic tracks and overdubs down, Iggy Pop has fired producer James Williamson and dropped the three songs chosen by Williamson to make the album more commercial. The LP now features seven Iggy tunes and three Pop/Matlock compositions. David Bowie sings with Iggy on one track. On his forthcoming US tour he will gig as Iggy and the Stooges with guitarists Steve New, Ivan Krall (Patti Smith Group), Glen Matlock on bass and Klaus Kruger on drums ... **Patti Smith** and band are off the road for a year or so, "to let the earth replenish itself." Patti will record a solo album and Lenny Kaye will amuse himself assembling a compilation album follow-up to *Nuggets* ... **Tom Petty** has resolved his legal hassles with MCA and is working on his newie *Damn the Torpedoes* on Backstreet/MCA records ... highly regarded guitarist **Jimmy McCulloch** of Thunderclap Newman and Wings fame was found dead in his London flat. The cause is not known. Since Wings McCulloch has played with the reformed Small Faces and more recently in the **Dukes** with ex-Be Bop Deluxe bassist Charlie Tumahai ... **Richard Dudanski**, the **PIL** drummer has left the band. He was unable to work with certain PIL members and feels that the good ideas behind the band will never see the light of day ... the new look for **Eric Clapton** is no beard, a suit and tie, swept back hair and a new band — Albert Lee (guitar), Dave Markee (bass), Henry Spinetti (drums) and Chris Stainton (keyboards) ... not to be outdone, Ray Davies has smashing new white spectacles and the **Kinks** are rehearsing a couple of Kink oldies, the Jam's "David Watts" and the Pretenders' "Stop Your Sobbing", for their UK tour ... the final **Little Feat** LP is not now called *Duck Lips*. The new title is *Down on the Farm* and guests on the platter include Bonnie Raitt, Sneaky Pete and David Lindley ... **Thin Lizzy** toured Japan with Ultravox's Midge Ure on keyboards and ex-Manfred Mann guitarist, Dave Flett ... first single off **Strangler** Hugh Cornwell's solo album is an up-date of the old Cream song, "White Room". Most of the tracks are written by Cornwell with Capt Beefheart drummer, Robert Williams ... Cheap Trickster, **Tom Petersson** was secretly married in August in Las Vegas to his German girlfriend ... wed in September in London were *New Musical Express* shit-slingers Tony Parsons and Julie Burchill ... **Stevie Wonder**'s new double album *Journey Through the Life of Plants* is likely to be in stores by Xmas. The cover is perfumed and Stevie has added vocals to several tracks that were originally instrumentals ... **Ringo**'s 13 year old son Zak has formed a band and plays the drum set given to him by the late Keith Moon ... **Pete Townshend** cut his hand while playing at Madison Square Garden, had two stitches put in, and then finished the song ... **Abba** has a crew of 50 on their US tour ... **Frank Zappa** was a hit on US TV show *Make Me Laugh*. He didn't even smile ... **Gary Moore**'s guitar collection includes a Peter Green Gibson and a Steve Jones guitar that Jones left at Moore's place ... Rounder Records (the George Thorogood people) will release the **Peter Green** album *In the Skies*, in the States ... **Rolling Stone** ace Dave Marsh has a **Springsteen** bio out titled *Born to Run — the Bruce Springsteen Story*. Industry mag *Cashbox* describes Marsh's writing as "a tad hypey ... written in the style of a devout follower." But they really liked the Springsteen pix ... **Springsteen** was upset by the presence of his ex-girlfriend rock photographer **Lynn Goldsmith** in row 12 at the MUSE Madison Square Garden concert. He walked into the au-

dience and pulled her on stage in front of 20,000 people shouting "this is my ex-girlfriend" before he "flung her towards the wings," (*Rolling Stone* Nov 1). The photographer is expected to take legal action. Goldsmith was in charge of still photos for the MUSE concerts and refrained from entering the photographers' pit but Springsteen claims they'd agreed that she would not photograph the performance ... record producer Jack Nitzche (Mink Deville albums and Graham Parker's *Squeezing Out Sparks*) is facing charges including assault with intent to commit murder and assault with a deadly weapon ... **Nick Lowe** is now expected to produce the new Costello in Holland not Australia. Currently **Elvis Costello** is producing the debut LP by UK ska act the **Specials** ... is it true that the new Steve Jones/Paul Cook band is called the Bollock Brothers? Is the final Sex Pistols' album titled *Flogging A Dead Horse?* ... due to heart troubles **Jethro Tull** bassist John Glascock has left the band. His replacement is Dave Pegg (ex-Fairport Convention) ... when the **Members** played Houston, USA, they played four encores before an insistent Mr Springsteen dragged the band back for more. We are told Bruce described the band as the best British group he'd seen ... **Stevie Nicks** is the first signing to Modern Records. Nicks remains a member of Fleetwood Mac and her first LP will be the film soundtrack *Rhiannon* (based on her big Mac song) ... disco acts **Village People** and **Sylvester** are both releasing live double albums ... Johnny's daughter **Rosanne Cash** and **Rodney Crowell** expect their first child in January ... new names in USA include Mike Chapman produced **Nervus Rex** (Chapman also produced new Tanya Tucker *Tear Me Apart*), Capitol Records' latest LA discovery the **Motels**, unlike the Knack, features a woman singer/guitarist Martha Davis who wrote eight of the 10 tunes on their debut *The Motels*. Also fronted by a woman (Pearl E. Gates) is Warner Bros' San Francisco signing **Pearl Harbor** and the **Explosions** ... **Jeff "Skunk" Baxter** (ex-Doobie) produced the new **Livingstone Taylor** LP ... the next **Yes** may be produced by Queen/Cars whiz **Roy Thomas Baker** ... **Quincy Jones** has produced **Rufus** with **Chaka Khan** newie *Master Jam* ... **Sly and the Family Stone** are back after a three year absence with *Back On The Right Track*. Also released soon is *Ten Years Too Soon* an album of disco remixes of Sly's early hits ... **Sex Pistols** Cook and Jones are working on their new album. Old mate Andy Arthur plays bass and Jones sings. There's nine originals and two covers (the Ronette's "Do I Love You?" and a George McCrae song) ... **Joe Perry** has quit **Aerosmith** to form the **Joe Perry Project** ... next **Clash** album may be the soundtrack to their flick *Rude Boy* ... filming of *Urban Cowboy* (starring **John Travolta**) is completed. The Irving Azoff compiled soundtrack features Bonnie Raitt, Doobie Bros, Jimmy Buffett, J.D. Souther and Waylon Jennings ... the **Stranglers** are filming a "new wave *Kids Are Alright*" about touring, on and off stage ... Springsteen off-siders **Clarence Clemons** and **Gary W. Tallent** will front their own band for a few gigs ... albums to look out for — Ian Hunter double live and double *Best of*, Tony Banks (ex-Genesis keyboards) *A Curious Feeling*, Police *Regatta de Blanc*, Joe Jackson *I'm the Man*, Steve Hillage *Open*, The Skids *Days In Europa*, Graham Parker *High Times* (Best of), Human League *Human League*, Penetration *Coming Up For Air*, David Johansen *In Style*, Culture International *Herb* and The Ruts *The Crack*.

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