

three new appointments. David Robinson, formerly Vice-President, Engineering, has been appointed Vice-President, Advanced Development. In addition to overseeing the conceptual engineering of Dolby professional products, he will also be responsible for the engineering and promulgation of new technology developed for Dolby Laboratories' licensing activities.

Brad Stribling has been appointed Vice-President, Products Development. He will be responsible for the development and production engineering of Dolby professional and cinema products.

Scott Schuman has been appointed Manager, Recording Industry Products. He will be responsible for the market development of professional Dolby noise reduction products within the recording industry.

Eric Knutsen has been named president of the newly formed TVC Video, Inc., a subsidiary of TVC Image Technology, Inc., 311 W. 43 St., New York, NY 10036. The new unit was created to handle video post production. TVC Video will be doing film-to-tape transfers, videotape editing and a variety of ancillary video post-production services.

Knutsen joined the parent company, TVC Image Technology, in 1980 after spending 15 years with Eastman Kodak

Co. as an engineer, where he assisted in the development of new products for both the motion picture and the television industries.

Hartwell T. Sweeney of Eastman Kodak Co. is the newly elected President of CINE (Council on International Nontheatrical Events). CINE is a voluntary non-profit organization which coordinates the selection and submission of American non-theatrical films and television documentaries to represent the United States at various film and television events abroad. Other officers elected for this term are Guilford C. Kater, Chairman of the Executive Committee; Frank Kavanaugh, First Vice-President; James G. Damon, Jr., Vice-President Finance; David Parker, Vice-President Festivals; Barbara Blair, Vice-President Selections; Karen Loveland, Vice-President Information; Barbara Hopper, Secretary; and Wellstood W. Tipton, Treasurer.

George Thomas Howard has been made a Fellow of the United States Institute for Theatre Technology (USITT). Only 31 living persons have received that honor. The George Thomas Howard Associates, a Hollywood-based firm, is a leader in the design of theaters and television and motion picture studios.

OBITUARY

B. Weldon Hancock

B. Weldon Hancock died March 21, 1981, at the age of 75. A native of Olathe, Kansas, he moved to California at the age of 18. For 20 years he was a film editor for Columbia Studios. He engaged also in the design and manufacture of motion picture equipment. He developed a table model splicer which was widely distributed, enabling him to form his own company, the Maier-Hancock Industries located in North Hollywood, Calif., which has been in existence for 35 years. He is survived by his wife, Helen, his daughter, Barbara, and his son, John Tyler.

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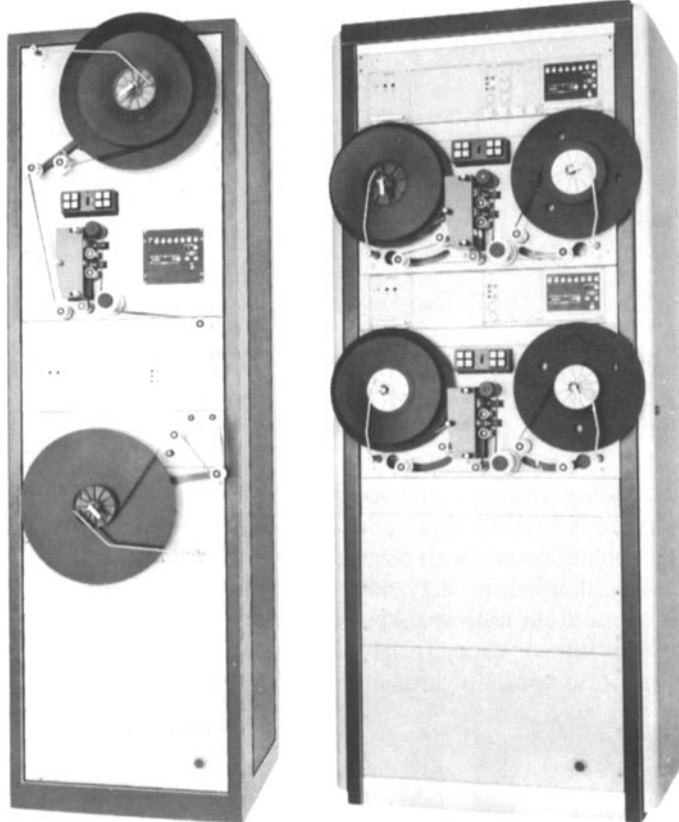
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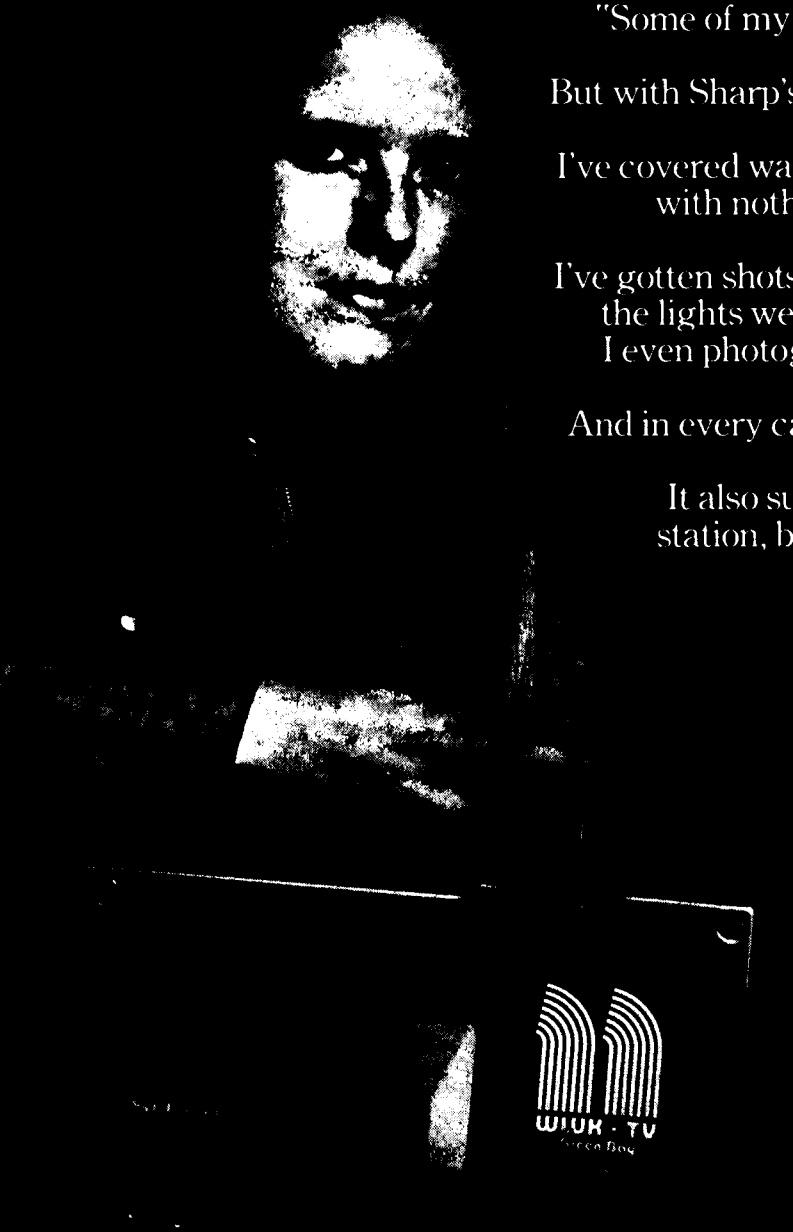
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