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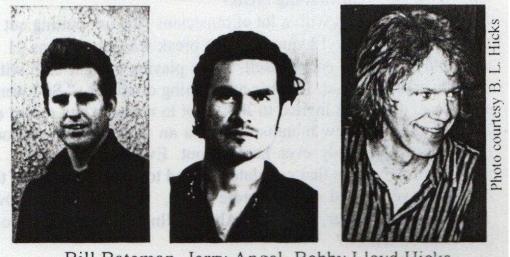
The Blasters Newsletter

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## The Drummer Interviews

### LATEST NEWS: : -

Dave Alvin will go into the studio to produce the next Derailers album in late November and after that he will start working on his next studio record for HighTone Records. - Dave played guitar on a few tracks on a new Ray Campi album due for release next year. It is being



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produced by Skip Heller for a record label through Twin Tone Records out of Minneapolis. Other musicians on the recordings include Stan Ridgeway, Greg Leisz, Tony Gilkyson, and D. J. Bonebreak. - Rumors have once again been circulating that The Blasters are in negotiations to release on CD the band's first album originally on Rollin' Rock. No confirmation of this yet from the band. - Bill Bateman has joined the James Harman band and will be touring with the band in the Spring. Harman has already recorded an album which will be released by Black Top records. - Blasters and Dave Alvin on the Internet: Dont forget, the best homepage yet online is The Blasters and Dave Alvin homepages at http://bullwinkle.

#### BLASTERS TOUR DATES

11/22-23 Santa Monica at American Pie 11/27 Long Beach at Blue Cafe 12/31 Long Beach at Times Square on Pine Ave. outdoor show w/ Fabulous Thunderbirds

JAMES HARMAN BAND

11/19 Long Beach State U in Ca (Bill Bateman's first show as a member)

as.utexas.edu/scot/blasters.html - Another site called Texas Tears has a page dedicated to Dave's 'Interstate City' at www.agonet.it/blue/texas/tears.html - If you want to be included on a Blaster/Dave Alvin e-mailing list for info and tour dates from this newsletter, e-mail me with your address at davistb@aol.com —Am

INSIDE: Drummer Interviews Bill Bateman, Jerry Angel and Bobby Lloyd Hicks, Dave's Interstate City Tour, and band Q & A's.