Monday, January 21, 1991

EXCALIBUR 7

# **AURAL SECTION** Kim Deal: vocals, guitar Tanya Donelly: vocals, guitar Josephine Wiggs: vocals, bass guitar Shannon Doughton: vocals, drums Carrie Bradley: violin

## POD

by "The Aardvark" **The Breeders** POD

Vertigo/Polygram Breeder: (n) 1. One who breeds, 2. Derogatory term used by lesbians to describe heterosexual women. 3. Derogatory term used by heterosexual women to describe the role the pro-life movement assigns all woman. 4. An all women rock band which just released an album called POD

Strange tempos (and strange, abrupt tempo changes), sonic guitar chords and the heavy use of the snare drum suggest that The Breeders have pretensions to psychedelia. Especially the snare drum.

But, the production on POD is pretty grungy and the playing is really rough. Call it psychedelia by way of the garage.

Made up of five female British musicians, The Breeders use their songs to tell women's stories from a female point of view. This doesn't make them feminists, necessarily, although the name of the band, not to mention a hilarious cover of The Beatles' phallocentric "Happiness is a Warm Gun", suggests that they may be.

Kim Deal's scratchy lead vocals don't impress me, but you can get used to anything if you have to.





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### Correction

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Thursday, January 24 4:00 pm Curtis Lecture Hall I

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As part of remuneration, the campus representative is being presented with a \$1,500 scholarship by General Motors.

POD, despite its retro aspirations, is alot of fun to get used to.

# **Army Justice**

by Paul Meiorin New Model Army Impurity Capitol/EMI

Impurity is New Model Army's fifth album, although I'd be surprised if anyone reading this would know or care. That doesn't matter anyway beacuse NMA have always forged ahead in their post-punk British angst with a certain Vengence (which was not surprisingly their first LP).

The production of Impurity has the live raw sound that most bands achieve only on their debut release. NMA have retained that kind of youth and energy over 10 years of their history.

The first single, "Get Me Out," is destined for CFTR's top six at six or at least for a spin on CHRY once a week. There really isn't a need to convince a fan to buy it. By this time, I wouldn't doubt they already have it.

For those who have never heard New Model Army there are a lot of reasons to buy this new release. (Anyone who can't put up with antiestablishment lyrics may stop reading now.) If you sometimes like your music delivered with a spiteful voice, bold lyrics and a kick , but you've heard enough heavy metal-slick production (ie. Whitesnake, Motley Crue) and if you like music that keeps you entertained and simultaneously enables you to pay attention (unlike "Pray" MC Hammer's single), NMA's Impurity is for you.

The cassette and the C.D. have an extra track, giving Impurity twelve strong songs. You can't get stiffed in Canada though, because the album wasn't released on vinyl here.

I listened through the album several times hoping to use excerpts from the lyrics to help describe what I said above. But the lyrics are best captured in the music where only New Model Army can do them proper justice. And Justice is what it's all about.

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