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PRIME TIME

The summer of lurve recently came belatedly to *Record Mirror* HQ when **The Lilac Time** turned up at our offices to play some tracks from their new LP, '& Love For All', and put their new single, 'The Laundry', on the line.

Having spent the past few months touring the living rooms of Britain, with their mild and mellow melodies, trying to bring music to the very heart of the nation, Stephen Duffy and his merry men performed a host of (not quite) hits like 'Return To Yesterday' and 'The Girl Who Waved At Trains' to gob-smacked *Record Mirror* bods, cleaning staff, telephonists and anyone



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else who happened to be passing, culminating in a nifty medley of Duffy's mid-Eighties solo hit 'Kiss Me' and Prince's 'Raspberry Beret'.

"The whole world is a giant bean bag," quoth Duffy inexplicably as they took their leave. That's what watching too many episodes of 'Jim'll Fix It' does for you.