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MAKING A NAME FOR THEMSELVES



Good thinking have built up a good reputation.

ONCE upon a time there were five musicians who felt they had an important part to play in the development of music in England.

So they gathered together some instruments, they wrote some songs and they invested in some expensive amplification equipment.

There was just one thing wrong . . . they didn't have a name.

So the five musicians sat down and thought

deeply. Finally one of them cried out in triumph.

"I've got it!" he said.

"We'll call ourselves Sulks."

It was a marvellous name and his friends clamoured round him.

"Good thinking," said one.

"Good thinking," echoed the rest. And they forgot all about Sulks.

Lead guitarist Warren Davis and drummer Mark Evans, both from Barkingside, couldn't be more pleased with the name of their band.

"The name Good Thinking is one people really remember," said Warren.

"In only nine months we have built up a good reputation."

"We are supporting the Groundhogs group less than a year old.

"Then we hope to be booked for a tour in the spring."

Good Thinking have lived up to their name. Most of their material is written jointly by all five, after a lot of good thinking, of course.

"We play predominantly rock," said Warren. "But our songs are more melodic than typical rock.

"We feel that rock music as such has had a good crack of the whip. In a few years more tuneful music will reassert itself without completely supplanting present-day rock, which has a great following.

"When the change comes, we'll be ahead of it. Then we'll really go places."