
Subject: A question about radio in the past
Posted by [Drury](#) on Sat, 21 May 2011 00:27:59 GMT
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Someone told me that radio producers were responsible for creating the music term 'country and western', and that prior to that these were very distinct styles. Has anyone else heard this?

Subject: Re: A question about radio in the past
Posted by [Adveser](#) on Sat, 21 May 2011 20:58:55 GMT
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Yes. To the best of my knowledge they were two different genres a long time ago that got lumped together at one point.

Subject: Re: A question about radio in the past
Posted by [Drury](#) on Tue, 24 May 2011 11:10:24 GMT
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Thanks Adveser. I will have to dig around a bit more on this topic. What I find interesting is that I couldn't name any song I would consider 'western', yet country is so easy to identify.
