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# biZ meter: music

one to watch

CAN ED SHEERAN strike lucky twice? He's signed Irish singer FOY VANCE, who co-wrote some of Ed's songs, to his record label Gingerbread Man Records. First signing JAMIE LAWSON's debut album hit No1 last month.



critics

HE won Brits Critics' Choice and now my Next Big Thing JACK GARRATT is a BBC Music Sound of 2016 nominee. He'll compete with hip-hop act WSTRN and 13 others for the right to join past winners including ADELE.



idol

COUNTRY star CARRIE UNDERWOOD had a chinwag with old American Idol pal SIMON COWELL after Sunday's X Factor, where she sang new single Heartbeat. She said: "We talked about my O2 show. Hopefully he'll make it."



charts

JUSTIN BIEBER is unstoppable. He looks set to knock his song Sorry from the No1 spot this week with ED SHEERAN-penned track Love Yourself. Biebs' former chart-topper What Do You Mean is still at No4 too.

