

"OY-VEY-GAS"
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Kovell's) Face, For The Whole Human Race....."

"Last Summer" at Cinerama tells the youth summer scene like it is, with inexperienced, insecure teens as subjects. It stars Barbara Hershey and reveals promiscuity, boozing and pot among 15 and 16 year olds as no other flick before. Co-producer Sid Beckerman, an Israelite supporter, has a sure winner. He brilliantly displays the joys, trauma, emotions, insecurity, idealism, cruelty, honesty and dishonesty among physically mature but emotionally immature adolescents...."Easy Rider", starring Peter Fonda and Dennis Hopper, is a story of two adult longhaired drop-outs cycling cross-country. It lacks romance and sex, but abounds with freedom, independence and a desire of rebels "to do their thing". It's a modern "On The Waterfront" updated to our current generation of malcontents.....

The Oct. 12th Israel Bond Dinner, featuring Bishop Gordon Crowther, who's a dynamic speaker, raised over half-a-million bucks. It was LV's finest hour, pumping the means to survive into Israel, the Middle East's only democracy. Every "pistol" in Nevada was there, except the Laxalt-Bible-Cannon-Baring foursome. And Totie Fields, who's found time for tv shots all week, failed to show.

Why is the Trop fountain chipped and unsightly?....The sweetsounding Summer Winds, now at the Mint, move to the Sahara Dec. 8th....Paul Massey's LV Cowboys are now 5 wins, 1 loss. A fine record....KLUC Radio devoted Oct. 15th to Moratorium Day, programming only "message" songs protesting the war....Barry Zevan the weatherman (that rhymes) on Channel 13 is as knowledgeable as he is funny. He's an expert meteorologist...We hear Bob Goulet is jealous of the Unusual We's success, and cut their perf. from 20 to 12 minutes.....

LBJ won re-election in '64 on a "peace" platform. Nixon claimed a "secret plan" to end the war, in his '68 campaign. Both outright liars....Laugh-in: I played spin the bottle with 8 boys....Trouble was they were The Boys In The Band. Charlie Brown works for peanuts In Calif.'s school system Ronnie Reagan may lose all of his facultiesDid you know the Trop fountain was also it's cooling system?

Louie Bellson's orchestra at CP is superb....LV Cowboys vs. Portland's Loggers next Tuesday at Cashman Field....Drum solos don't excite us like they used to....CP's showroom has the softest atmosphere in LV...Nevada's greatest undiscovered magician and illusionist is Gary Meador....Jimmy Durante just keeps going...Laugh-in, Bob Hope & Mitzi Gaynor tv'ers are merely stepped-up vaudeville.

Who's old enough to remember Bob Hope's first Broadway show? (Not us) 'Twas "Ballee Hoo" in 1933. A popcorn crier in the audience said he makes \$40-50 a day, so Hope jumped offstage and started selling popcorn....Congrats to Walt Epprecht for making LV Dodge the nation's leader....Have you seen Basco Jewelers' colorful 330-page catalog?...."Butch Cassidy & The Sundance Kid" at the Fox is the best shoot-em-up of the year. A 1910 put-on of the dying west, it's almost an art film, starring Paul Newman, Bob Redford & stunning Katharine Ross....

Ever notice the different way the Dow Jones "dips" 8 points but "soars" 5 points?....Don't be surprised if Nixon reverses his "Vietnamization" and steps up the war.... Archie Moore says "I have never heard a black man ask for more than his equal share". C'mon, Arch, what about James Farmer's call for Black supremacy in government, business, police and the army?....Silver Slipper dancer Janet Boyd lost her eyesight, and Dunes dancer Cindy Davis (300 Upland, LV) is raising funds to pay for costly surgery in SF. Send your check today.....

Blond sexpot Charo steals the Bishop show every time... Mort Sahl claims Pres. Nixon was born in a blue suit, in a log cabin, at age 42.....Silver Futures are still the best

THE VEGAS BAG

by Mark Tan



IN CONCERT at the Ice Palace last weekend for producer Mike Tell - THE DOORS - pulled in a expectant audience of more than 4000. What was expected was not exactly clear but whatever, it never materialized. The Doors were superbly "in control" at all times. There were no incidents of any kind. The mostly under-25 crowd seemed unusually quiet. After nationwide press about how riotous The Doors concerts can and have been, the Las Vegas security was tripled, and word was circulated that one gesture by any member of the popular group could mean immediate cancellation. Producer Mike Tell is to be commended for the cooperation he provided and was able to obtain from the highly volatile and temperamental underground rock stars.

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buy....Have you heard Boots Randolph's new album, "The Seductive Sax"?....Haight-Ashbury's Dr. Stephen Pittet asserts "there's overwhelming evidence proving that pot does not lead to harsher drugs."....Armstrong, Aldrin & Collins have the same initials as the first 3 men on earth, Adam, Abel & Cain....Newsboys' parents are seen making collection rounds with their sons, to pressure slow payers. The reason: both dailies require written guarantees from moms & pops. Why don't the papers help collect from deadbeats?.....

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Almost as many Americans were killed on highways Jan. 1 to Aug. 31 as in 8 yrs in Viet Nam (38,887)....watch for a big comeback in conglomerate stocks, like G & W, Litton, LTV, Textron, etc....It's anti-American to bar Cassius Clay from boxing because of his religious or political beliefs....The girls in NLV's Gay 90's Club are surprisingly attractive....21-year-old Arlo Guthrie, who wrote "Alice's Restaurant", is son of the late folksinger Woody Guthrie. Arlo was wed in a meadow last week, and noted: "a wedding is a good place to get loaded".....

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Umpire Hank Soar, veteran of the American League, says Ted Williams was easily the greatest slugger of 'em all. At Cleveland one year Soar purposely called a 6-inch-wide pitch to Williams a strike. The Red Sox legend said nothing, but next time up said "you know that strike was 6 inches outside." Soar's reply: "You're absolutely right!"....Soar is the only man ever to ump the majors in football, basketball and baseball...."One of the hardest plays is when the firstbaseman tags the runner instead of the bag. I've called that one on the basis of the first baseman's facial expression. A player's face never lies!".....

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The Supreme Court's primary function is 80% psychological, 20% legal, as the pinnacle of ethics in America. It's the watchdog over politicians, tycoons and ordinary citizens. That's reason enough to decline Haynsworth's nomination....Great Western Financial (NYSE) at \$27 is a potential double-your-loot, even in a bad market.... Jim Morrison of the DOORS went on the town after his controversial Oct. 4th Ice Palace appearance, booked by Mike Tell. He caught the Checkmates at the International, then performed free at Pussycat A-Go-Go. Jim was a perfect gentleman till 6 ayem....Why did ABC reverse the UCLA score over Washington, causing heart attacks coast to coast?....Judge Mowbray and ex-gov. Grant Sawyer were the two most impressive guests at the Israel Bond Dinner.....

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Totie Fields says "men don't like female comics, except me".....Patti Page now at the Fremont, never had a written contract with her manager, since her naive days just after high school....We feel there's a good chance Ted Kennedy will ride a crest of sympathy and admiration, right to the nomination in '72....The UNLV game

had everything, including a brutal wind, freezing cold and an announcer who kept saying Santa Barbara instead of Santa Clara. Glad to see Profs. Crawford and Burns brave the elements....America's 1966 leading marathoner Nick Kitt, now an El Cortez dealer, runs away with the AAU five miler each week....Does anyone else remember Leslie Uggams at 6 yrs with Ethel Waters on TV's "Beulah" show?....Fine job Royce Feour's doing as Sports Editor of the R-J.....

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Don't be fooled by this latest market rally. Our money says it'll be a down market for 3 months, until Jan. - Feb. when billions will re-enter after heavy stock-loss selling in Dec....The words hippie, dropout & fuzz (police) are now in the dictionary....Isn't it time to take down Mirabelli's "Voice of the People" posters, like the one on Charleston near Main?....Keith Hall is the best auto mechanic in LV, at Rancho Enco (at Sahara.). His pal needs \$350 for a fuel cell to bring a race car to Riverside. Some wise sponsor can get his name before 200,000 next Jan.....

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Ralph Petillo says "who needs the Doors?" Maybe the youth of LV, who had 75 teens prepared to demonstrate if the "establishment" prevented the Oct. 4th perf.... A historic manned balloon crossing of the Atlantic is scheduled for next week, launching 70 miles from Lindy's kick-off 42 yrs. ago....Shirli Root is LV's foremost fashion designer, getting calls from New York & Miami Beach....Mike (KLUC) Gold's \$1,000 Israel Bond was the only radio or tv pledge at the Oct. 12th dinner. And Hank (LV Sun) Greenspun's generous \$35,000 in bonds was the only daily newspaper purchase, HMMMMM....Geo. Carlin as weatherman predicts "The forecast for tonight is dark, followed by partially light in the morning".... DYNAMIC Eddie Fisher into CP Oct. 23rd thru Nov. 5th with Steve Rossi & Slappy White. Should be sensational....

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Stu Gilliam asks "would you like to be a centipede with athlete's foot?"....Police admirably didn't fire a shot during Westside's riots last week....The Voice says Black Panthers instigated the disturbances....Wilt "The Still" Chamberlain is known as a braggart, who claims he broke world track records in college in 12 events. Not trooooo.... LV's popular writer and press agent, Mark Tan is now stringing for the Hollywood Reporter....Jim Parker, the Mad Moustache, just discovered the Jets, who've excited "in" people in LV since the early '60's. Where you been, Jim?.... Buy 1970 proof sets, thru as many relatives as you can (limit 5 per person), for easy profits...Vel. musicians cringe every time Dave Burton gets sour... Columnists who refer to Stanley Myron Handleman as "new" should ask his wife, who admits he's knocked around many years before getting a break....

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Congrats to Ben Roscoe as new PR man at the Bonanza....the 3rd series game should've been Agee 5, Orioles 0....Got an anti-Semitic letter 'bout the column, but the cowardly sender didn't sign her name. And on yellow stationery yet?....Stu Gilliam in his VW claims he stuck his hand out for a left turn & ruptured a traffic cop....That's TELLIN' 'em!

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