

LAS VEGAS SHOWEAS



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Next Friday, May 29th, would have been the 53rd birthday of John F. Kennedy our 35th president. Numbers are funny things. 53 and 35 can be turned around and they are the same. We all wish and hope that all other times could be turned around so that our America can again be blessed with a brilliant man who actually loved the human race. We will never forget the night after he passed away. We called the Temple to ask that we hold special services to mourn the passing of a great man. My Miriam was busy picking up show people to attend these special services. Belle Barth, her accompanist Marge, and Miriam came in together. Every show in town closed. Tears were shed. Makeup was ruined. Everybody was sad as was I. The only happy note as we looked around at the crowded room was that we all believed together that we had lost a great man. Very much like the time the F. D. Roosevelt passed away after all the great things he accomplished.

Nobody has a greater sense of humor than Marv Sillman (Caesars Palace). He tells you meyses (stories) that we are sure he makes up. He broke me up with the story about the guy that complained to a delicatessen man "your food gives me heartburn". The deli man replied "what did you

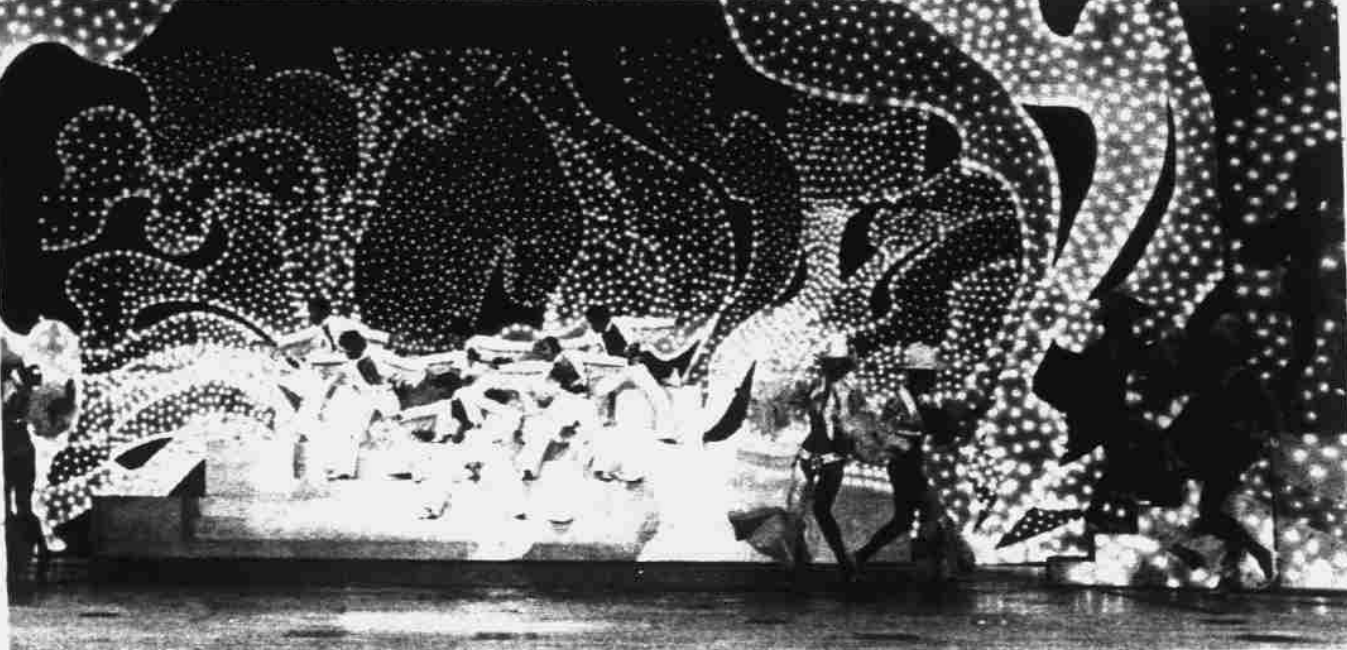
expect? Sunburn". The relative visitors for the past few weeks has me feeling like I'm in a hotel, said Ed Rubin. Last week I caught myself stealing my own towels.

Dr. Marc Forman claims that kissing doesn't shorten life—it just makes the time pass more quickly. Eh—gotta admit to Jackie Leonard the Flamingo man that he better come up with a better one next week.

Hey, you big shot gamblers who have money hidden away in Switzerland. Just found out that there is a move afoot to change the currency every 18 months. This means that your hidden money might very well be worthless even the jazz you have hidden under the mattress. Suggest you invest instead.

Thank the Good Lord that Sam Rosen (Dice Pit Frontier) is feeling better. He scared the heck out of his friends. We all love the old stories that Bathhouse Sam Rosen remembers. Like when he was a young guy and asked a girl: "May I have this next dance?" and she smothered him with "Sure I don't want it". We wish his health is always better than his jokes.

Smarty Marty Kane claims its true that when he and his pretty Rita were passing a farm and he heard a donkey braying. Marty said "isn't that one of your relatives?" Rita said "Only



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by marriage". Well you can't win, em all.

The Brenda Lee show at the Fremont was just as exciting as Joe Glaston claimed it would be. We particularly enjoyed the background of the Casuals they were wonderful. Pretty Brenda never changes except for the Better. Class will tell which is why Brenda packs them in. Must thank Al Abram for seeing to it that we were nicely seated for good viewing and good listening. (Al is the Maitre D' at the Fremont).

We were fortunate enough to be invited to a double birthday party at the Gerry (Joy Juice) Radstones. Daughter Beverly Pepper and son Richard had a ball being surrounded by relatives and friends. Incidentally Richard kept us

busy looking through his new telescope so we could see the craters on the moon. When we asked him which Crater was Judge Crater he couldn't answer, well that's the same answer the public gets from our law enforcement men.

Just received a letter from San Francisco that had some 1 penny stamps with the picture of Andrew Jackson who served two terms as our President. This was way before my time since it took place before the civil war. However, we must admit that two Italian nightclub entertainers, look-alikes Dean Martin and Perry Como are the image of Jackson. Prove it to yourself spend a penny and buy a stamp.

Just heard a rumor that French—Pompadou is going

allout to help Israel. He is supposed to arrange for all the French clothes that American Jewish ladies don't buy to be donated free of charge to the Arabian ladies. If our nice rich Jewish women get busy and stop buying French rags we can break both countries.

Last week's Preakness was a thrilling race to watch. Why not every Saturday? We lost two dollars and didn't mind. Everybody we knew was at their television watching the race. Paul Price will be impossible to speak with because he touted this horse.

The Dodgers did great the other night. They went on a winning streak, one in a row. Stick to the Angels in the American League and the Cincinatti Reds in the

National.

Another good bet is the extra special Combined Jewish Appeal Dinner at Caesars on May 28th. This should be a ball. My Miriam just explained it is a Ball and we will all have a wonderful time. If you guys show up we promise to dance with your wives. As they say in Jewish "A Gonza Godilla" (This means big deal).

I think the market has not yet bottomed out. The initial pressures put on the economy to slow down inflation are just really being felt by the public now.

Right now I suggest careful selectivity in your stock purchases. Every stock that's way down is not necessarily a good buy. One company that seems to present a good value is Del Webb. Their most well

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