

LAS VEGAS SHOWCAST

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STRIP HAPPENINGS...BRECK WALL AND JOE PETERSON'S long running musical comedy hit, "BOTTOMS UP", opens an 18 week run today (May 4th) at the Circus Hippodrome theater. "B.U." just ended it's annual winter road tour with smash engagements in Houston, Dallas and Harrah's Reno. In September the show is scheduled for a quick trip across the pond for a BBC-TV special...Country favorite and multi-talented TV personality ROY CLARK headlines the new country and western review with special guest star Australian songstress DIANA TRASK, now at the Frontier Hotel. This is Roys first strip appearance since winning an armload of awards at the recent Country Western Music Association Awards in Nashville...Speaking of country western, knock out glamour girl BOBBIE GENTRY will have a battery of special security guards on hand when she opens May 8th at the Desert Inn in her new "Diamonds by Tiffany's, Levis by Strauss". Miss Gentry will be wearing several hundred thousand dollars worth of diamonds in her splashy new show...Opening Tuesday, May 8th, in Beverly Hills, at MARSHALL EDSON'S YE LITTLE CLUB, handsome new singing sensation BOB ANDERSON. Anderson made his national TV debut last week on the MERV GRIFFIN SHOW (taped from Caesars Palace). The popular young star was introduced by PAUL ANKA and shared the stage with such super stars as JOEL GREY and WAYNE NEWTON. Merv was so impressed with Anderson's big talent he invited Bob back for a guesting during his Beverly Hills engagement. Anderson's first guest shot will air on May 7th, and will be seen in Las Vegas on May 14th. Headliner JOAN RIVERS will present Anderson in his West Coast debut to a galaxy of opening night celebrities including MILTON BERLE, JACK and MITZI GAYNOR BEAN, EVY and JAMES DARREN, PERRY and ABBE LANE LEFF, FRENCHY and MARTY ALLEN, TRINI LOPEZ, JOHNNIE RAY, ZSA ZSA GABOR, producer ROSS HUNTER, director JOHN SCHLEISINGER, MERV



CARROLL AND DALY PUT SUPPER CLUB PATRONS IN JOVIAL SPIRITS WITH SONGS RANGING FROM HAND-CLAPPING IRISH NOVELTY TUNES, TO BALLADS IN HEBREW, ITALIAN, FRENCH AND SPANISH TO UP-TUNES OF TODAY. THE BOYS, WHO ARE MAKING THEIR AMERICAN DEBUT AT THE LANDMARK, ARE GAINING A LARGE FOLLOWING AND ATTRACTING A LOT OF ATTENTION FROM WELL KNOWN TALENT BUYERS. DINNER, FEATURING PRIME RIB AT \$4.95, IS SERVED AT 6, 7:30 AND 9:30 P.M.

GRIFFIN, STEVE LAWRENCE and EYDIE GORME, EDIE ADAMS, JACK JONES, KAY BALLARD, ROBERT Q. LEWIS, RIP TAYLOR, conductor and arranger JOHNNY HARRIS, DON RICKLES, CONNIE STEVENS, ROGER and ANN-MARGRET SMITH and a full contingent of West Coast press and major talent agencies. Anderson's in Las Vegas this week end to record PAUL ANKA'S latest composition "It's Sad to See Your Old Hometown Again" under the direction of John Harris at Las Vegas Recording Studio's. Also arriving this weekend from Detroit is Anderson's manager, industrialist DANIEL J. RAPPAPORT who will be guiding his astonishing discovery through the amazing maze of fame and fortune which seems to be inevitable in the coming months.....

CELEBRITY CIRCUS...ROCK HUDSON, Academy Award nominee CICELY TYSON, and Academy Award winner CLAIRE TREVOR, among the stars in to catch SHELLY GREENE & JOEL GREY in their Riviera bow...ARTHUR TREACHER, ZSA ZSA GABOR, JAN MURRAY, TIRESA BRIWER, SHICKY GREENE, PHYLLIS McGUIRE, THE FLYING FERROS, newcomers RON STEVENSON (from Salt Lake City, Utah) and CARROL and DALY (from Cork, Ireland and currently starring at the Landmark Hotel), TONY ORLANDO and DAWN, DANNY THOMAS, JERRY COLLINS, JERRY VALE, among the stars guesting on the MERV GRIFFIN SHOW from Caesars Palace...Falling by to meet and greet guests of honor JAMES DARREN, DON HO and KENNY ROGERS (and to sample more of NANCY PATRIGNANI cookery): VV's own DICK McNEFLY, SHIRLEY NORMAN and BARNEY GLAZER, plus JAN MURRAY, BOB ANDERSON, JEAN-PAUL VIGNON, FRANKIE RANDELL, DAPHNE DAVIS, KITTY KOVER,

JACQUELINE DOUGUET, JACKIE (Miss Velvet) HOUSTON, SHARON DALE, JENNIFER PIERSON, JEAN (Yes Lebanon, Pa.) DOUGLAS, JANET BOYD, LISA AND SALERNO, TAKEUCHI (Geisha Rella) KEIGO, SIG and GINA SAKOWICZ, JACKIE BEER, MILO and ROGER, Wax Museum scenic designer GLENN HOLSE, comedy writer BOB LEFS, Billboard L.V. correspondence LAURA DENI, Merv Griffin director DICK CARSON and talent coordinator DON CANE.

STRIP BITS.....The famous nude calendar pose of MARILYN MONROE will be one of the special exhibitions at JIM SCHIFF'S new LAS VEGAS WAX MUSEUM opening this month opposite the Stardust Hotel. Miss Monroe joins SONNY and CHER, DIANA ROSS, ANN-MARGRET, JOHN KENNEDY, MAE WEST, etc. among the museum's some 75 wax figures...MILTON BERLE makes his second Desert Inn headliner stand opening May 28th...As if any of his lady admirers need to be reminded TOM JONES returns to Caesars on May 24th...THE TRENTERS, now at the Flamingo Casino Theater, set for two more 4 week engagements before the fall of '73...PETULA CLARK and JOAN RIVERS make their co-headlining bow at Caesars in July...JERRY LEWIS' MDA TELETHON '73 moves to Las Vegas headquarters for the annual Labor Day telecast, September 2nd and 3rd from the Sahara Space Center.....

WEEKEND WANDERERS.....GREENE & GREY at the Riviera...Afternoons at the Thunderbird GEISHA RELLA...New at the Aladdin: BARRY ASHTON'S "THIS IS BURLESQUE" and at the Sands PHYLLIS DILLER...Let's Get Away From It All, Hawaiian super star DON HO at the Flamingo.....

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