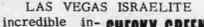
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THE MOVIEMAKERS IN LAS VEGAS Producer-director JERRY SCHAFER and his lied to Shecky Greene. cast and crew of "HORACE & FRED" round town shooting The wild, funny man cast and crew of "HORACE & FRED" 'round town shooting The wild, funny man chase sequences, kidnappings, tigers, gorillas, clowns and delivers comic clout carnivals. It's all part of the new Affinity Pictures Corporation comedy caper starring BRECK WALL (of "Bottoms Up"), DICK SHANE, JOANNE WORLEY, DAVE MADDEN (of "The Partridge Family"), THE FLYING TORRELS (from Circus Circus) and giant gueststar ing humor. ROOSEVELT GRIER. Schafer resumes filming next week comic vehicle out of and plans to add half a dozen name stars in guest cameo roles including such favorites as MICKEY ROONEY, VAN JOHNSON, KAY BALLARD, MARTY ALLEN and JOHNNIE RAY....The carnival sequences in the film, scheduled for last weekend got blown away by Vegas' unseasonable 60mph windstorm. Schafer is rescheduling the scenes and will be announcing his invitation to the public to join in the crowd sequences MILTON BERLE opening March 14 at the Frontier Hotel, with FRANK SINATRA JR., has just completed his guest-starring role in Tony Curtis' new gangster drama, "Lepke". Milton has his own property, "Too Late to Smell the Flowers" upcoming when he finishes his Frontier stint MEL TORME, now back at the Sahara with JERRY LEWIS, has also just completed his solo starring role in a new adventure film called "SNOWMAN" about the lone human survivor of a plane crash in the mountains. The only write the musical score for the film and an over-the-titles heads back to London in April to start shooting her starring role in the rock opera, "Tommy". Meantime, plans are underway to film her new show, "The Best of Ann-Margret" from the Trop as a television special. Also, attention and often planned on "special third show" for performers during her current engagement



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and the dynamic song stylings of Vic Damone are combined in a grand melding of laugh and lilt in the Celebrity Room of the MGM Grand, Accolades ranging from "the funniest man alive" to "the comic's comic" have been app-

that literally lays his audiences in the aisles. Shecky's forte is raw,

audacious, even shock-He is a control as he lashes into hair, silicone injections a mixed bag of topics including divorce, plu- the mbers, people with long comics as sex symols.

(from Philadelphia) are now in their Strip bow at the Flamingo Casino Theater. The MGM recording stars ("You Can't Sit Down", "Bristol Stomp" etc.) ARNIE SILVER, MARK STEVENS, and JERRY GROSS are an overdue sensational. The group's last (and only) Vegas appearances was a few years back as part of a Rock and Roll revival show S.O.U.P., now at the MGM's Lion's Den, have been invited to join PAUL ANKA, LIBERACE & JERRY LEWIS at the "Salute to Youth" dinner gala at the Sahara Space Center on March 9.

other survivors are animal actors - and it's Mel's task to lead STRIP BITS & PIECES VIC DAMONE, at the MGM the unusual entourage to safety. Mel is also being urged to Grand with Shecky Greene, takes time out from his busy schedule to visit the Clark County Juvenile Detention Center song Deluscious ANN-MARGRET, the runaway smash for informal rap sessions with the young and troubled



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Vic Damone, who for men and women, and thrilled Paramount Theatre audiences in New York in the forties

in the spring, a headline stint at the fabulous Tivoli Gardens in Copenhagen MARTY ALLEN, back to the Flamingo in April, enroute to hometown Pittsburgh where he'll be feted as the Pittsburgh Press Club Man of the Year, March 15. Marty and Frenchy Allen, and ERNIE & TOVE BORGNINE flew in earlier this week to join old buddy MIKE DOUGLAS in his daily tele-tapings from the Las Vegas Hilton. Also visiting Mike: PAUL ANKA, LIBERACE, GABRIEL KAPLAN, JERRY LEWIS, MEL TORME, TOTIE FIELDS.

Mike continues taping thru March 15 WEEKEND WANDERERS.....THE BEST OF ANN-MARGRET at the Tropicana is the not-to-be-missed show of the month.....JERRY LEWIS & MEL TORME at the Sahara repeating their January blockbuster Singer-illusionist extraordinaire JIM BAILEY at the Thunderbird "BOTTOMS UP" at the Circus Circus Hippodrome Theater "BARE TOUCH OF VEGAS" the Top Lounge Show of the Year award winner at the Stardust Lounge with the RON LEWIS DANCERS featuring ROGER MINAMIBlonde and beautiful CONNIE STEVENS at the Flamingo with SAMMY SHORE BARRY ASHTON'S THIS IS BURLESQUE" starring IRV BENSON, SATAN'S ANGEL, DENISE MONTEGO and new comedy duo from



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still has one of the greatest natural vocal instruments in show business and he wields it well through contemporary up-beat offerings, ballads and opera.

Damone is a singer's singer, a consummate Without frills, artist. fussiness or theatrics, he doesn't intrude his personality on his music. The dynamics generated in his act come from his vocalization - which is there in happy abundance.

Jackie Gayle, Las Vegas' Lounge Star of 1973, continues to wow Lion's Den audiences. Sharing the Lion's Den stage with Gayle are S.O.U.P., Vin Cardinal and Gelsa Palao.