

# OF THE STARS



PLANNING THE ANNUAL COLUMBUS DAY DINNER-DANCE, SATURDAY, AT ITALIAN AMERICAN CLUB ARE, NICK KELLY, CLUB'S FOUNDER, AND MEMBERS OF WOMEN'S AUXILIARY, LENA YOUNG, LEFT, BEA SALOMONE, AND PAST PRESIDENT STELLA IACONIS, RIGHT.

Popular Nick Kelly, founder of the Italian American Club and Phil Mirabelli, current president, invite the public to attend the Annual Columbus Day Dinner & Dance, Sat., Oct. 12, at the Clubhouse, 2333 E. Sahara Avenue. A no-host cocktail party will commence at 6:30 P.M. After dinner, dancing will follow until 1 A.M. There will be surprises and a door prize. Tickets are available at the door, or call 457-3866.

## SHIRLEY JONES, JACK CASSIDY AT MGM GRAND

Shirley Jones and Jack Cassidy return to Las Vegas in the Celebrity Room of the MGM Grand Hotel. Joining the talented duo for the fortnighter will be first-ranked second banana Ronnie Schell.

Shirley Jones and Jack Cassidy made their Las Vegas debut together in a Grand opening earlier this year. The pair originally "dueted" when they toured Europe in "Oklahoma" for the State Department.

Ronnie Schell is a very funny fellow who has established himself as a Las Vegas favorite. The move to the Celebrity Room of the sprawling, towering MGM indicates that things are going Grand for Mr. Schell.

The Jones-Cassidy-Schell engagement will play the Celebrity Room through October 22nd.

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## 'MIND WITH DIRTY MAN AT UNION PLAZA

The Union Plaza's highly hilarious "Mind With The Dirty Man" is fast becoming the talk of the town as the No. 1 show in Las Vegas.

And, much of the credit goes to two veteran performers -- Phil Ford and Jane Kean -- who combine with two youngsters -- Marilyn Chambers and Dan Ferrone -- to spark the year's comedy hit.

Ford and Miss Kean have both appeared on Broadway and are eyeing a return via the Plaza's pre-Broadway engagement.

"This is such a funny show, absolutely good, honest clean fun," said Ford "and it wouldn't surprise me in the least to see it move to Broadway."

Miss Kean, who has appeared in five top Broadway productions, feels much the same way.

"This is one of the funniest roles I've ever had," she said, "and believe me I've been in some very funny situations."



THE PAUL ANKA SHOW PACKING THE CIRCUS MAXIMUS THEATRE RESTAURANT WILL BE AT CAESARS PALACE THROUGH OCTOBER 16. ANKA'S CURRENT SONG HIT, "YOU'RE HAVING MY BABY," IS ONE OF THE BIGGEST SELLING RECORDS OF THE YEAR.

Miss Kean, though a highly accredited stage actress, became well known and loved by television audiences as "Trixie" on the Jackie Gleason "Honey-mooners" series, playing the wife of Art Carney.

Ford, who starred on Broadway in "Funny Girl" for 18 months and

replaced Robert Preston in the lead of "I Do, I Do," hails the Jules Tasca play as the funniest he has seen.

The Plaza production is presented twice nightly -- at 8 and 11:45 p.m. except Monday.

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