

California Hotel with departure of SUSAN FORD to Washington, D.C., joining hubby GLENMAUL-DIN as Administrative Assistant to CHIC HECHT, the Junior Sen, from Nev,...,MICHAEL MARLIN. top notch comedy juggler closes the Tropicana's "Folies Bergere" Sunday after a highly successful 8 - week run....Next orch to grace Ham Hall for CHARLES VANDA'S Master Series is the Heilsinki Philharmonic conducted by OKKO KAMU, Monday, March 7....Las Vegas Symphonic & Chamber Music Society is tossing a "Candlelight Interlude" at the Tropicana Satur-day, March 5, to benefit those musical orgs. It's in the Monte Carlo Room and there's a donation of \$25....Today (Friday) from 5 to 8 p.m., the Chamber of Commerce is having another Membership Mixer at PAUL ANKA'S Jubilation .....In Union Plaza's Omaha Lounge there are two diverse musical acts, LOU MAREK'SRAIN-BOW EXPRESS and KAREN CAVANAUGH & STARFLIGHT ..... In the Sahara Casbar, DR. LEON & STAFF alternate with holdover JOE VINITO & CO., while over in the Keno lounge, STACY CARROLL plies her piano.

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Hundreds of lovin' couples inundated Las Vegas for Valentine weddings. Wedding chapel owners couldn't get all of the knotters inside. so some ceremonies had to be performed al Valentines and New Year's Eve are fesco. busiest days of the year for chapels....Cele-brants taking advantage of the Presidents' Holiday this past weekend were assured that overall crime dropped 13% in this area last month... DICK TYLER vamoosed from his \$50,000 job dreaming up specials for Las Vegas Events, Inc. the nonprofit quasi public corporation designed to pump up tourism. After three months he resigned to head back to L.A. and join





THE "BOTTLE" HYMN OF THE REPUBLIC IS JUST ONE OF THE TUNES PLAYED BY RUDY RODARTE IN THE MICKEY FINN SHOW AFTERNOONS AT THE IMPERIAL PALACE.

Appearing in the main showroom of the Imperial Palace is hilarious the zany, and rocket - paced MICKEY FINN SHOW. The talented troupe's move to the Imperial follows six Palace sensational years at

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the Union Plaza down-

town. MICKEY FINN will play afternoons in the main showroom at 2:00 and 4:00 P.M. six days a week (dark Sundays.)

pubrelations firm of Brooke & Co....Las Vegas Convention & Visitors Authority has begun booking conventions for Cashman Center downtown. Sales manager JOE MANOS disclosed American Congress has signed a pact to use the facility for six months during '88 for a massive bowling tourney. And the 9600 seat stadium, home base for the Triple A Las Vegas Stars, is on finishing touches for March 17 completion date. The San Diego Padres, whose farm team is the LV Stars, plays an exhibition game as Cashman with Seattle Mariners April 1.

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KENNY ROGERS concert with comedian LONNIE SHORR packed the Aladdin Theatre for Performing Arts Monday and Tuesday .... Caesars Place put on some promo for Asian superstar THERESA TENG performing last weekend in the Circus Maximum showroom, Publicity chief Mary Ann Mele sent out redribboned gold boxes with two fortune cookies holding the message inside, "Confúsious say: 'Find your key to a Happy Chinese New Year at Caesars Palace with Teresa Teng'.'' The 28 - year - old Taiwanian making her Vegas debut singing softrock and native tunes, has recorded 20 albums to date. She took the 8 p.m. shows with WAYNE NEWTON on the 12:30 a.m. slots....RAY GOLDEN, who presented several revues in the earlier de-cades, is back with "Let the Good Times Roll" collaborating with AL KASHA at the Tropicana Fountain Theatre current through March 2. Featured are LITTLE ANTHONY, DIAMONDS, LOU CHRISTI, CORNELL GUNTHER & THE COASTERS, CRYSTALS & DONNY BROOKS,

JOAN RIVERS, wasting no time after her Riviera romp, jetted to Gotham to board the Concorde and London for Blighty bow guesting on "Live At Her Majesty's" vidshow. She'll return to the Riv Mar. 17....GABE KAPLAN coheadlines with ROGER MILLER for a week at the Sahara .... JOHN KAY & STEPPENWOLF, plus comedy/magician FIELDING WEST are currently rocking the Sands Copa Room through Mar. 2. Kay reactivated the "Wolf" legend couple of years ago and has been on a nationwide tour with the group ever since. Previous trip here for FIELDING was in "Bravo Vegas" at Imperial Palace. IP's newest addition to its collection of antique and classic autos is an automotive artwork, a '34 Duesenberg with an SJ engine, supercharged version of the Model J on a Walker-LaGrande Phaeton Dual Cowl chassis. Also at IP, keno has a new twist called "No Show Keno" where a player can play to lose -- that is, bet against his number turning up and still win \$50,000..... DEAN MARTIN eased into MGM Grand with THE GOLDDIGGERS for a frame...ANNE MUR-RAY & JAY JOHNSON combine for a Riviera seven, wrapping Wednesday with CHARO standing by for her fortnight con cuchi-cuchi.

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TOMMY BELL galloped into the Maxim Cloud Nine lounge with his C/W chants through Mar. 3, followed by KIRBY ST, ROMAIN, LEW SALL'S comedy workshop has been moved to Sunday, nights, THE FOLD, ACCS, and the second Sunday nights....THE FOUR ACES are dealing their tunes at Top O' the Dunes for a month. Downstairs, "Dream Street" will take a hiatus during SANDLER & YOUNG'S fortnight opening Mar. 10 with PHIL FORD & JERRY KUR-LAND, back on the 24th .... Local rockers head for Moby Grape club for Notorious with TOMMY AIRBORNE'S exit Saturday night....On Saturday night in Ham Hall, UNL V, WEATHER REPORT plays to raise money for the university's FM-er KUNV .... DONNA FARGO was in for one-nighter at the Showboat Wednesday .... BYRON ALLEN readies "Real People" skate Saturday night at Playland benefiting local Arthritis Foundation.





Mickey Finn's music is a potpourri of Dixieland, Roaring

(dark Sundays).

nightly at 8:00 P.M.

funky 20's, ragtime, blues, jazz and Rinkytink. Mickey Finn and his piano are at the center of the whirlwind. Finn is well - known for an amazingly happy and unique style and his hands often become a virtual blur of fastaction pianistics.

During his eight years in Las Vegas, Mickey Finn has won accolades from criaudiences tics and alike. His family-