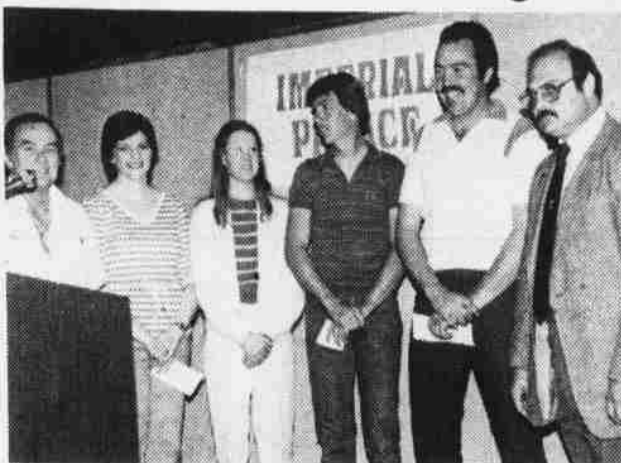


**Don't Miss The J&B Scotch Pro-Am April 12-15 At The D.I.**



**DEFENDING CHAMP** — Nancy Lopez returns to the Desert Inn Country Club and Spa April 12-15 to defend her championship in the \$200,000 J&B Scotch Pro-Am. The field boasts 96 women pros and 288 amateurs, including 38 top celebrities. Proceeds from the LPGA event benefit Big Brothers and Big Sisters of Southern Nevada. Tickets are on sale in the DI golf shop.

**Imperial Palace And Cab Companies Present Rewards to Five Las Vegans**



From left, Ralph Engelstad, owner of the Imperial Palace, presented checks to Patti Jones Zeedyk, Terre Grove, David Berry, Albert Smith, and Joseph Ulrey. Each received an equal share of \$15,050 reward money for aiding in the arrest and conviction of the killers of a Las Vegas cab driver October 20, 1980. \$10,000 was donated by Engelstad, the remainder by seven cab companies.

When cab driver John Schweitzer was murdered October 20, 1980, seven cab companies posted rewards totaling \$5,050 for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the killer. Ralph Engelstad, owner of the Imperial Palace Hotel and Casino, added \$10,000 to the reward.

March 27, 1984, at a press conference at the Imperial Palace, the reward was presented to five Las Vegans who went to the police with information instrumental in the arrest and conviction of Joe and Maggie Koza.

Albert Smith, Terre Grove, Patti Jones Zeedyk and David Berry were riding on Sunset Road after dark on October 20 when they saw a man and a woman hitchhiking. They let the two ride in the

back of their pick-up. Two days later when they heard about the murder of the cab driver and the resultant manhunt, they took their information to Las Vegas Metro Police Dept. Subsequently they identified the Kozas and testified at both trials. Joseph Ulrey, the fifth person dividing the reward money, overheard the Kozas at a casino and contacted the police.

Although these individuals came forward directly with their information rather than calling Secret Witness, Sheriff John Moran made use of the press conference to praise all citizens who aid the police in solving crimes by any means. Speaking for Sheriff Moran, Detective Nace Palmer urged citizens to call Secret Witness if they have any leads for police to follow in solving the unsolved homicides in Clark County.

"To date," Palmer said, "44 homicides have been solved by Secret Witness. We have one of the best rates of solved crimes in the nation. Rewards from Secret Witness are paid on arrest and indictment of a suspect. If a witness goes to court and helps us get a conviction, the reward doubles."

In an interview, Ralph Engelstad said, "I don't think the money is what brings people forward to fight crime, but those kind of people should be rewarded."

**NEW YORK (WNS)** — The Soviet Jewry Research Bureau of the National Conference on Soviet Jewry reported that only 51 Jews were permitted to emigrate from the Soviet Union in March. This is the lowest monthly figure since the movement begun in the late 1960s. Bureau chairman, Charlotte Jacobson, said "this is a shocking development that must not go unnoticed."

**NEW YORK (WNS)** — More than \$500,000 in grants to support innovative cancer research by Israeli's foremost young physicians and scientists will be awarded by the Israeli Cancer Research Fund at the annual allocations meetings of its scientific review panel in New York, according to Dr. Daniel Miller, ICRF president.



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