



MATHIS' excursion over the July 4 holiday with JENEANNE BURNIER's whimsies...Although the TOM SELLECK appearance in Thomas & Mack Center with his volleyballers, Hawaiian Outrigger Club vs. U.S.A. Coaches, is said to be a money aid for the Special Olympics, full page ad paid by Las Vegas Events Inc. say "Help us break the U.S. record of 12,088 at a match. Proceeds to benefit U.S.A. Volleyball Association." SELLECK will appear both Friday and Saturday, according to the blurbs, at \$10 top, \$5 for children Friday, \$8 & \$4 Saturday...DEBBIE REYNOLDS, orbiting at Las Vegas Hilton, had an unusual space plug in May when Mission Control waggishly played her "Aba Daba Honeymoon" goldie for the Challenger crew, up there coping with monkey biz.

LANGSTON with TEDDY BERGERONE. FIELDING WEST & CO., JACKSON HIGHWAY BAND and ED CREE are mixed together in "Comedy Cabaret" at the Maxim..."Big River" composer and Tony Award winner for his original score wraps ROGER MILLER, CURT THOMPSON's interim booking of country acts at the Frontier. MILLER, SYLVIA and JOHNNY LEE stomp and fidgit for a week with SIEGFRIED & ROY returning to their "Beyond Belief" abracadabras July 2...Downtown at the Mint, "FlamBOYant Follies" alternates with "Bottoms Up" in The MerriMINT Theater, both productions from the devils workshop of BRECK WALL & PAT MAES.



LYNDA CARTER eased down from Reno for her Desert Inn run with the BROTHERS SMOTHERS through July 17...Bagman MURRAY Pitting DIAHANN CARROLL against PHYLLIS DILLER, or vice versa, at MGM Grand is bringing in the advance reservations to maitre d' Pete Bella. They open Thursday through July 3 when ENGELBERT HUMPERDINCK returns for three

frames...GARY NASEEF is gathering up CROSBY, STILLS & NASH, plus THE BAND for a nostalgic combination in Thomas & Mack Center July 5...PAUL ANKA converts to his intimate manner Thursday when he works the Golden Nugget Cabaret. Room goes dark on the 3rd, then MELISSA MANCHESTER comes in out of the rain for three nights over the holiday span, July 4-6...At least, locals hope for some raindrops after the unprecedented June hotspell....Chantoose DIANE JUST & pianist **DENNIS** O'SULLIVAN's date in LIBERACE's Tivoli Gardens piano lounge has been extended a fourth month. The boss, Mr. L, and restaurant manager FRED FAVORITE are delighted with the dandy duo...DARCUS, having steamed up the MGM lounge with the MAURICE MOORE FOUR, now unfolds her heated vocals into the Las Vegas Hilton Casino lounge...BOB MOORE, whose mutts have appeared on "The Love Boat" and "Little House on the Prairie," takes his act, MOORE's MONGRELS, into the Flamingo Hilton's "City Lites" icey-dancer July 2 for several week's romp.



JOSEPH BERNARD has been signed to direct a pre-Broadway tryout of a new play, "On the Level" by BEN STARR. BERNARD begins rehearsals on the SHELLEY BERMAN starrer July 28 for opening at Westport Playhouse in Connecticut...Back together again -- PHIL FORD & MIMI HINES are on final rehearsal stages of "The Mind With the Dirty Man," set to open July 2 in the Union Plaza's main showroom, directed by PAUL SZIGETY. In the U.P.'s Omaha lounge, CALAMITY JAYNE adorns the apres-midnight shift until 6:45 ayem with groups VALENTINO and LOU MAREK's RAINBOW EXPRESS alternating earlier...Sahara's poolside barbecue, dance and possible dunking starts this wekend and is skedded for Fridays and Saturdays throughout the summer. Each weekend a new theme is introduced.





