

LAS VEGAS

SHOWCASE



While California goes nuts on the Lottery, Las Vegas notes the millions won in slot machine jackpots over the past fortnight. First there was PATRICIA MASON, auto saleswoman from Hallendale, Fla., winning \$1,023,631 at the Frontier, while Dallas bank teller ANN BAILEY plunked \$9 into a progressive Golden Nugget slot a few days later and won \$1,804,268. Meanwhile at the Las Vegas Hilton a fey character, 83-year-old DANIEL MAYHOEFER of L.A., calling himself "King of Slot Machines" won \$2,250,000 playing four \$25 slots at one time. "I've never seen anything like it," Hilton slot manager, CECIL FREDI commented on the Frey outlay. "Never in the history of Las Vegas slot machine play has anyone put in so much money in nonprogressive slots and gotten so much money back." He said that Mayhoefer "is responsible for 90% of the money played and has won 98% of the money paid out." PATRICIA MASON fed \$388 into her slot machine after promising change girl JOAN MIRKO she would buy her a car of her choice if the jackpot hit. MASON has also been doling out her winnings to other people around town down in their luck. As for the 62-year-old grandma from

Dallas, Golden Nugget owner STEVE WYNN asked her if she was going to cease gambling now that she was a millionaire. BAILEY's frank reply caused laughs from GN staffers and media when she replied, "No, but I may quit work." That was a refreshing admission. Most millionaire winners say they'll keep right on working.



CHARLIE VANDA, mastermind of UNLV's Master Concert Series, was notified that the Dresden Phil set for Oct. 18 had to cancel "because of last minute passport problems." VANDA, who is also director of UNLV's performing arts center, said pianist AGUSTIN ANIEVAS, skedded to perform with the Dresden will solo instead. "As a bonus," VANDA said, "we'll be including an additional concert in the Spring."...Dynamite duo at Caesars Palace, SAMMY DAVIS JR. and BILL COSBY, has maitre d' Angelo Giouzellis using the giant shoehorn to fit applauders in for the 12-nighter. SAMMY is also due for almost a month's frolic at the Desert Inn, bringing along JACK WAKEFIELD and GUY MARKS to split the booking.



More than 96,000 delegates are expected in town this month to attend conventions and trade shows. One of the important meetings for tourism is Nevada Hotel & Motel Association and Nevada Restaurant Association 6th annual statewide convention Oct. 20-22 at Caesars Palace. Keynoter is

Howard (Bud) James, prez of American Hotel & Motel Assn...MITZI SHORE's lineup this week for her Dunes Comedy Store is ALLAN STEPHAN, REX MEREDITH, LOIS BROMFIELD, ANGEL SALAZAR and ARGUS HAMILTON...SAM BUTERA toted his tenor sax and The Wildest bunch down to Four Queens French Quarter Tuesday. Another saxman, PHIL WOODS, brings his group into the French Quarter for ALAN GRANT's Monday Night Jazz...LOU RAWLS eased back into the Golden Nugget Cabaret, wrapping after the 15th...TOM JONES is in concert at MGM Grand through the 16th followed by ENGELBERT HUMPERDINCK for a week.



KENNY LOGGINS is due for a night at Aladdin Theater for Performing Arts on the 23rd with special guest MARK MCCOLLUM at \$17.50 top...The good old boys will be driving their pickups into the Desert Inn's parking lot to unload passengers for MICKEY GILLEY and comedian DAN RILEY, settled in the Crystal Room until Hallowe'en eve...Las Vegas Hilton hosts the 19th annual St. Jude's "Nite of Stars" Nov. 1 in the Grand Ballroom. Last year two guys who don't speak to each other starred on the all-star show, PAUL ANKA and WAYNE NEWTON, but they had to be separated in dressing rooms stage L and stage R. Benefit is for St. Jude's Ranch for Children in Boulder City by Hoover's Boulder Dam. Courtesy of Musicians Local 369, DICK SAXE ORCH will provide the notes and measures.

RESERVATIONS

A Play by
Sydney Elliot

Directed by
Marvin Brody

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NOVEMBER
1, 2, 7, 8 AND 9
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Make No Mistake! Union Plaza Show Is A Hit!

Make no mistake town's movie theatre. now! The funny antics Wayne and Alma Stone of Phil Ford and Mimi (Phil & Mimi) are a Hines in 'The Mind typical husband and With The Dirty Man' are wife who hardly ever the hit-making materials of what great performing is all about! And what a show it is. The play's setting is in a small town where hardly anything happens -- except at the

movie premiere. And then all chaos breaks loose. The movie critique committee swings into action and Wayne, the fearful soul that he is, joins them again. And how does Alma react to this? With outrage and by revealing how she really feels about the ridiculous standards that aren't benefiting anyone, especially her and Wayne. And she has her own way of making a point, in a non-stop dialogue of comic brilliance played so well with her long-time stage partner Phil Ford.

Early Start Set For 300 Antique Autos In Fourth Annual Imperial Palace Antique Auto Run



7:00 a.m. is send-off time for the Fourth Annual Imperial Palace Antique Auto Run on Saturday, October 26th. Three hundred vintage autos have entered the event.

The gala send-off for the Imperial Palace Antique Auto Run is set for 7:00 a.m. on Saturday, October 26th, according to Kris Engelstad, co-

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producer son Clinton (Dan Ferrone) brings a new film and new film star, who happens to be his wife, home for a

Add the other supporting characters to these top stars -- Marleta Marrow as the singing, dancing, distracting movie star Divina, Art Kassul as the stately Father Jerome, and the town's two fuddy-duddys, played by Dorothy Constantine and Jan Stearman, and the stage rocks with all the earmarks of a hit show. 'The Mind With The Dirty Man' is playing indefinitely in the Union Plaza's main showroom. Showtimes are 8 p.m. for the dinner show and 11:45 p.m. (cocktails only).