

OF THE STARS



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fo call 796-0133...Rockers will flock to Thomas & Mack Center on the 29th for FOREIGNER, JOHN CAFFERTY & THE BEAVER BROWN BAND...The annual Beaux Arts Hallowe'en Gala, otherwise known as MARK TAN's BALL at the Union Plaza Saturday night and early Sunday ayem, spots the 5th Dimension as collective monarchs. Originally started in the late '60s as a costumed celebration for Strip performers, singers, dancers, hotel employees, specialty acts, producers, kibbitzers and friends of friends, MARK's BALL has ballooned into one of the most cherished of local showbiz jubilees. This year, four innovative choreographers/producers, performers, BOB MICHAELS, RICARDO, MICHAEL DARRIN & RON RUGE, will show their stuff all night long in the U.P.'s Crown Room...While the 5th Dimension have returned to "Splash," upstairs in the Riv's Mardi Gras Room, GYPSY (JAMES HAAKE) has vanished from "An Evening at La Cage" for other acting chores, leaving his compere duties up to FRANK MARINO, who brings his raucous JOAN RIVERS interp to replace the redoubtable GYPSY...This week's laughers in MITZIE SHORE's COMEDY STORE at the Dunes are TAMAYO OTSUKI, JOHN CAPONERA, LICASSI & SIEGEL, REX MEREDITH & FINIS HENDERSON.

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A few minutes before the state Gaming Control Board gave preliminary okay to the Hilton's Australian venture in Queensland, BARRON HILTON told the panel the hotel company has a commitment for Nevada, witness last year's guesting of 3,500,000 visitors who bet \$2 billion. Final approval for the \$100 million Gold Coast operation (Hilton Hotels has 10% and a 15-year contract to run it) comes from Nevada Gaming Commission this week. Also at the Hilton, RON AMOS returns to promote revival of fights and other special events. A December world champ welterweight fray pitting DONALD CURRY against MILTON McCORRY is already slated...Las Vegas Symphony, with VIRKO BALEY conducting, will not kick off its new season at the Tropicana with Xmas concert Dec. 15, but makes music in UNLV's Ham Hall for en-

"The Mind With The Dirty Man" Plaza's Show Is Las Vegas Entertainment's Best

A night out on the town in Las Vegas offers the ultimate choice in the variety of entertainment to choose from -- stars, spectacular productions, reviews, follies. And there is also the choice of a theatre show, 'The Mind With The Dirty Man,' that remains as one of the top selections for a night of fun. The Union Plaza Hotel & Casino's top hit Broadway show continues to run indefinitely meeting the demand for an alternative to the usual entertainment choices.

Starring Phil Ford and Mimi Hines, the play is a pleasant mix-

ture of entertainment -- glamour, with the "hot scenes" by Divina played by Marleta Marrow in her showbiz movie-star role; comedy, with Phil and Mimi's classic comic scenes and witty puns by Father Jerome (Art Kassul) and other supporting cast members; and drama, with the very-serious theme of midlife crisis-time as the basic plot of the live theatre performance.

So it's on with the show at the Union Plaza, with that wonderful feeling of show business at its best. Showtimes are at 8 p.m. and 11:45 p.m. nightly.

tire batch of concerts ending June 1, 1986...LIBERACE's vacation is partially filled with writing his fourth book, "The Wonderful Private World of Liberace" for publication next year...Democrats are not at all pleased about the "1985 Las Vegas Gala" for the G.O.P.'s National Conservative Political Action Committee (NCPAC) at MGM Grand Saturday night. The highrolling million-dollar fundraiser co-chaired by SEN. CHIC HECHT and former Interior Secretary JAMES WATT has announced performers GEORGE BERNIS, LORNE GREENE, SAMMY DAVIS JR., ERNEST BORGNINE, LIBERACE & BARBARA BENTON as money-making skills...ALAN KING, who comedies at the Golden Nugget, was tossed a cocktail party this past Monday by the Friar's Club in New York honoring KING's just-published book, "Is Salami & Eggs Better Than Sex?" Salami & eggs were served, of course. As for sex, it was every man for himself on his own time. The book published by Little, Brown & Co., was co-authored by renowned food writer MIMI SHERATON, currently Time mag's food editor. According to the publicity release, "The tome is an anecdotal look at gourmet cooking and dining and covers some of the most lavish locales in the world as well as a menu full of celebrity gourmands."

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The first-rate annual "Nite of Stars" at the Hilton on Nov. 1 will have JOE DELANEY & CHARLES VANDA spearheading the production.

Del Webb's Mint Casino Hotel Re-Opens Coffee Shop

Dell Webb's Mint Casino Hotel announces the re-opening of their coffee shop which has been renovated and re-named the Coffee House. Monday, October 21st was the re-opening date of the restaurant, which features delicious meals served 24 hours a day in an elegant and comfortable atmosphere.

Downtown visitors will soon enjoy a variety of meal choices when the Mint introduces the opening of the new Terrace Garden Food Promenade in February 1986. Guests will be able to choose from 11 different outlets including a New York Deli, Chinese, Italian, Mexican, seafood bar, a carvery, complete salad bar, stuffed potato bar, barbecue, ice cream and beverage bar. The pleasant garden atmosphere will enhance any meal.

Del Webb's Mint Casino Hotel offers its guests everything they are looking for.

The St. JUDE RANCH FOR CHILDREN benefit also has called upon BILL COSBY, JOAN RIVERS, TONY ORLANDO, NORM CROSBY, ANN-MARGRET & LOLA FALANA to lasso talent, not to forget FORREST DUKE, who has been the "Nite of Stars" talent recruiter for its 19 years...Not included in the season ticket for Charleston Heights Arts Center special events is ZORONGO FLEMENCO Nov. 2, 8 p.m. Presented by the Cultural & Community Affairs Division & Sociedad Cultural Hispanic Inc., MARGO TOREA, coordinator, the exciting art of flamenco and Spanish dance and music is ticketed at \$5 per...Latest offering from THEATRE EXPOSED is "Whittsend Manor, the Horror Hotel," opening Thursday (24) and running through Nov. 11 at the I.A.T.S.E. Local 720 Union Hall, 3000 South Valley View. Created by TX prez JERRY CLEARY and the group's artistic director, MARGUERITE GOWAN HALL, with creatures and special effects by DAVID DALTON, conducted tours of "The Horror Hotel" begin at 7 p.m. nightly and continue until audiences are too scared to enter...The Tropicana's 1st anni Italian-American Celebrity Golf Classic raised over \$15,000 for OPPORTUNITY VILLAGE. Celebs DALE ROBERTSON, ED MARINARO, BRUCE WEITZ, JACK CARTER & PAT COOPER swung clubs and batted balls all over the freeways, greens, traps and sinkholes...Should you have HBO unscrambled on your vidset, "RICH LITTLE & A NIGHT OF 42 STARS" will air Nov. 16 and additional viewings on the 20th, 24th and 29th. RICH taped the show with all 42 Rich people at MGM Grand Sept. 8...Down Laughlin way, DON LAUGHLIN, boss of his Riverside hotel-casino springs a VIParty, Thursday (24) in the Starview Room, a Japanese revue "Dancin' Dolls." This is the first U.S. appearance of the show...KNPR's CRAFTWORKS MARKET, Southern Nevada's only juried all-craft show unfolds this weekend at Paradise Park, featuring more than 80 artists from 11 western states. Not a bad place to stock up on unusual holiday gifts.



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