

Vegas Scene By Joe Behar

BOURBON STREET HOTEL AND CASINO sold to Las Vegas Investors, Inc. and magician, Melinda and the Bourbon Street Follies are out...GENO MUNARI and HERMAN YOUNGMAN are keeping the place busy...JESSE MACK, get well soon...DAVE TIPTON, happy birthday...DEBRA CAMPBELL, T.V. #5, ready for network assignments...RAY STECKLER, producer/director, now located in Green Valley...DON PARKER, now an account exec with Donald and Co. Securities...MIKE CLOSE, Mt. Charleston Hotel, and the Original Comedy Corner, will together, enjoy a renaissance of comedy...MEL LARSON, exec from Circus Circus will be the guest of honor at the 3rd Annual Celebrity Roast, March 31st. at the Frontier Hotel to benefit the Community Drama Workshop...ALICIA VELGOS, now a cover girl on Bantam Books...GEORGE STARESINIC joins publicity staff at Imperial Palace...JUDI WOLFE now P.R. director for the Paddlewheel Hotel and Casino...BARBARA TOMKIES, DIME 2 secretary, wins award as "most congenial and helpful" here, in the Las Vegas area...JOANNE KALMBECK joins Circus Circus Marketing Department...TINA HOUSER, Lentz Agency, made the national advertising awards successful...actor/comedian, CRAIG DEPUTY, helped make the local ad awards look as good as slick Nat'l awards...RED MCILLVAINE is writing a book titled, "3 Nights and One Day in Las Vegas." ALAN BAER joins Sports Form with CHUCK DI ROCCO, JIM, BRANN and JACK WELCH...LINDA GAMBLE reflects great credit towards St. Vincent Dining Hall...DR. KENNY GUINN, "Man of the Year"...last Dec. in this newspaper we announced that actor ED ASNER would be a speaker at the Community Drama Workshop. Since then we discovered that Ed was not aware of the invitation, our apologies to Ed...BOYD GROUP announces reorganization: WILLIAM BOYD, chairman; CHARLES RUTHE, president; PERRY WHITT, vice president and SAM BOYD, honorary chairman..."CURTAIN GOING UP" at Las Vegas High School and directed by BUD STEPHEN..."CRIME STORY" continues filming at the Stardust Hotel...3 of the nicest guys in town are: BOBBY BALDWIN, BRUCE BANKE and TOM LETIZIA...12th Annual CONCERT OF LOVE for Opportunity Village, Las Vegas Hilton, Sunday, Feb. 14th...DICK and TOMMY SMOTHERS looking for a home in Vegas...I am a KORK-AM 920 club member and my # is 0008259...3 of the nicest ladies in town are: ISABEL GOLDBERG, EVE BEHAR and JANIE GREENSPUN...IRISH SHOWBAND at the Barbary Coast...SIEGFRIED AND ROY "Beyond Belief" at the Frontier...GEORGE BURNS and ANN JILLIAN at Caesars Palace, March 2-7...DEAN MARTIN at Bally's Feb. 18-24...HARRY BELAFONTE at the Golden Nugget, Feb. 4-6...ANDY WILLIAMS at the D.I. Feb. 25...Lido de Paris with BOBBY BEROSINI and his Orangutans at the Stardust Hotel...new, talented faces in town: GARY DEVANEY, SHANNA MUNSON,

Imperial Palace Hotel & Casino Promotes Bruce Meyer To Position Of Casino Manager



Bruce Meyer has been promoted to casino manager at the Imperial Palace Hotel & Casino, it was announced by E. Edward Crispell, General Manager.

Meyer, who has been with the Imperial Palace since 1984, will oversee the entire casino operation at the Strip resort and is looking forward to the challenge.

"The Imperial Palace is rapidly becoming a contender with any hotel/casino operation in the world and we are looking forward to the challenge," Meyer said.

Prior to accepting his new position, Meyer served as Junket Coordinator, a promotion he received nearly two years ago. Previous to that, Meyer was in charge of the dice pit on swing shift.

Meyer came to Las Vegas in 1969 from Dubuque, Iowa, where he majored in economics at the University of Iowa.

Meyer is married and has one daughter. When he finds the time for relaxation, Meyer enjoys playing golf, snow skiing and playing softball.

TORONTO (JTA) — Imre Finta, a Hungarian-born Canadian accused of war crimes in Hungary, Austria and Poland during World War II, won a postponement of a preliminary hearing in federal court here. It was put off a week, because Finta hired a new lawyer, Douglas Christie.

Finta is the first Canadian to face prosecution under the amended criminal code, which allows Canadian courts to try suspected war criminals for crimes committed on foreign soil.

SONNY JAMES, JAMES HALL, MAURICE FEASTER, JOANN TITUS, FRAN SHELTON, KIM RICHARDS and RICH OLIVER..."Nothing, not all the armies of the world, can stop an idea whose time has come."

Michigan Lady Hits Exacta Poker Jackpot For \$1,025 At The Imperial Palace Hotel & Casino

Mrs. Mary Snook of Southgate, Mich., was recently the first winner of the Imperial Palace's new Exacta Poker Jackpot promotion. Mary was lucky enough to be holding the Exacta Poker Jackpot hand (full house of twos over eights) and is now \$1,025 richer.

The Imperial Palace's Exacta Poker Jackpot promotion is an innovation of poker room manager, Joe Cannella. Each day, the Exacta Poker Jackpot hand is displayed in the Imperial Palace poker room. In order to win the Exacta jackpot, a player's hand must match exactly the posted Exacta hand. The jackpot started at \$100 and increased \$25 per day until Mary hit it. A new Exacta Poker Jackpot hand has been posted and is continuing to build daily. The Exacta Poker Jackpot has no additional rake.

Details about the Imperial Palace's Exacta Poker Jackpot promotion are available in the poker room.

Nello Bottari Casted In NBC-TV Series "Crime Story"



(Photograph by Marvin)

Sam's Town Bowling Alley mezzanine is a beehive of activity on Monday nights from 8 to 10 P.M., when Joe Behar's Community Drama Workshop meets for their weekly FREE class in how to get ready for speaking parts and extra work in films, television, and commercials. For the past 15 years Joe Behar has been teaching a weekly class, always FREE, to those interesting in acting. Anyone is welcome from the beginner with no acting experience, to the professional who just needs to brush up or add another facet to his or her ability. REMEMBER MONDAY NIGHTS - SAM'S TOWN - 8 P.M. - Free. Call 458-0069 for more information. Nello Bottari is a student of Joe Behar's Community Drama Workshop.

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