

JACKSON STREET AND ME . . . By Rudi Jackson



Another Profile of: LOU RAGLAND . . . Not only a man of great talent in the world of music but also a very creative man in the Arts and Crafts of Plastic, Sculptural-Carvings of Mini-Bicycles . . . Some of his creative works are on display and for sale in the gift shoppe in The Palace Station

. . . Lou stated that this type of artistic work keeps his mind and body in a stable condition when he gets from the works of music and song writing and keeping tabs on the productions of music he is so engaged in with Casino Records and The Great Lakes Orchestra (G.L.O.). He is an active member of The Las Vegas Arts Museum (located in Lorenzi Park) and he along with the staff of CASINO RECORDS felt that the NEED WAS GREAT for FUNDS to aid in the working motions of The Arts in Las Vegas . . .

Thus came the plans to present a LIVE CONCERT to raise funds for a worthy program at work here in Las Vegas.

There are many types of ART in the world of culture and this concert is going to reach into the talents of many artist from music to poetry, from singing to fashions in The Empire Theatre of The LANDMARK HOTEL & CASINO on JUNE 7 with shows — 7:30 p.m. and 10 p.m. For tickets phone (702) 732-1710, 648-7508 and 644-5967.

As the date of the concert draws near there will be other by-lines of some of the multi-talents that will be on the Star-filled line-up of this worthwhile program. Here-is-Looking-at-You-kid . . . I received a nice call from Ernestine Batts, a member of The Las Vegas Senate of The National Bowlers

Association. She wanted to say a BIG THANK YOU TO ALL WHO came out to their 3rd Annual CARNATION BALL last month at The Elks Lodge on West Owens. The Crowned King of the ball was John Cole. The outgoing Queen was Darlene Rucker. The selected 1st Queen was Ernestine Batts. John Cole will represent The Las Vegas Senate in Chicago on May 31 at The National Convention of The National Bowlers Association. The Las Vegas Senate is looking to present heartfelt community events in the future. Be on the watch for them.

The President of The Las Vegas Senate is Jean Wright, The King & Queen Coordinator is Dorothy Murphy; The Tournament Chairman is Lou Harris, The Ways and Means Chairpersons are Ernestine Batts, James Smith, Jr., Alex McNair. The Carnation Ball was sponsored by the Kings and Queens and Ways and Means Commit-

tees.

Now let us get back to May because April is gone and June is moving in fast like a

starship this-a-way. Last Saturday TYNE RICHARD enjoyed a HAPPY BIRTHDAY PARTY in THE DESERT



Lou Ragland

LOUNGE thrown for her by her hubby BOISY RICHARD, HERMAN THROWER & STAFF, MAGGIE & MAURINE & CHARLENE & DEL-JUANA and the music presented by Mr. L.A. (Mr. Music) JACKSON and yours truly . . . plus EMERY WASHINGTON of The Embryo Band and vocalist Dorothy . . . Everyone had a ball along with Allen and Leare Serrail. The Jet-Away folks were there having a fun-loving time snapping the fingers and singing happy birthday to the beautiful birthday lady! Many others who came out for the enjoy!

Then I heard that THE PAPER BAG and CO., THE EMRYBO BAND with JEAN ANDERSON will open at THE UNION PLAZA (Omaha Lounge) on May 10. Make plans to go out and catch their show. They are a Dine-O-Mite Show Groupe . . . Next week! A local Male Model to be seen at The June Concert — Monomodi 85.

miss teenage america

Troy, Mich. — Contenders for the 1986 Miss Teenage America title may obtain entry forms at any U.S. K mart discount department store, the retailer announced today.

K mart Apparel Corp., a subsidiary of K mart Corporation, is cosponsoring the 1986 Miss Teenage America

program. Other sponsors are Lincoln Mercury, National Dairy Board and Sea Breeze.

Miss Teenage America is an achievement program to recognize outstanding young women between the ages of 13 and 18, according to 'Teen Magazine, which operates the program.

The Miss Teenage

America program seeks to recognize scholastic achievement, general awareness, individual accomplishment, community service, poise, appearance and personality.

The young woman who is named Miss Teenage America will receive a \$20,000 college scholarship, a 1986 Lincoln Mercury Capri, a K mart Apparel wardrobe and an assortment of beauty products from Bristol Myers. She will travel nationally, appear on television and on a 'Teen Magazine cover and write a monthly column for 'Teen.

Entry deadline is June 1. The program will culminate with the televised selection of Miss Teenage America later this

year.

Candidates must be enrolled in high school through at least 1986, have a "B" or better grade average and have special achievements.

Executive Vice President of U.S. K mart Stores Larry M. Parkin said, "We are proud to be a sponsor of Miss Teenage America because the program highlights American ideals such as scholarship and community service."

K mart Corporation, parent company of K mart Apparel Corp., is the second-largest retailer in the world, with 1984 sales of \$21 billion.

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