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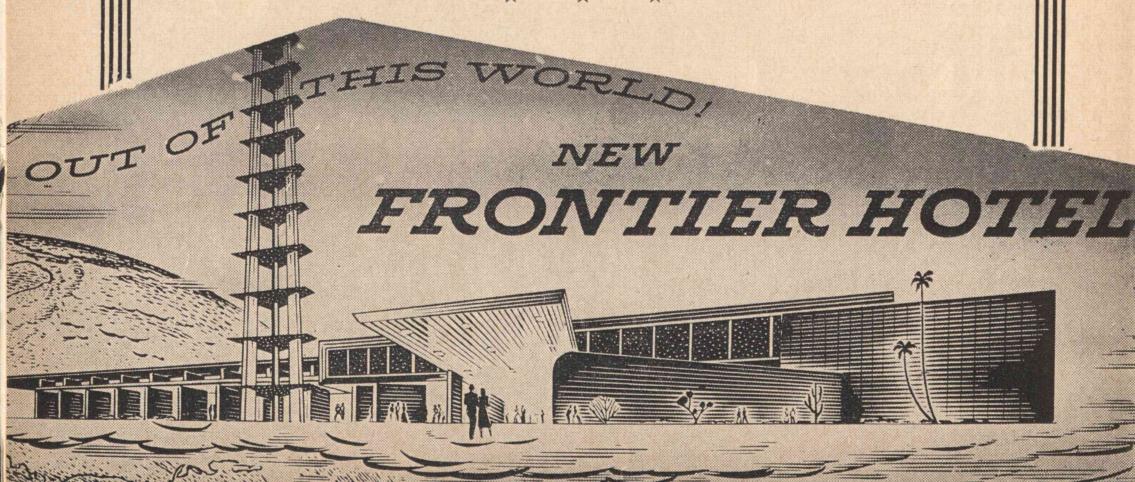
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NIGHT LIGHTS

With SYLVIA PETRICCIANI

IN LAST week's column, I ran a small item about a French Poodle named Schultz Fisher. Two days after the item was printed, Schultzie died. In response to my now unhappy story, I received a very nice letter from the PBX gals at the Riviera Hotel. They think that the Poodle, owned by Ruby Hughes, chief operator of the hotel, has one name better. He bears the title "Stanley" Sheeky Hughes, and comes from the Sheeky Greene Poodle stock. Can you guess who named him? . . . Our heart-felt sympathy goes out to Mr. and Mrs. Dan Colleran who lost their two month old baby girl last week. Dan is a "21" dealer at the Stardust Hotel. . . .

Millie Scocchera has had her share of Vegas nights — at least for a little while. Millie's cousin from Toledo, Ohio, Jerry Cohen, came a-visiting, and as do most tourists, answered the call of the bright night lights for a solid week. Millie's hubby, Nick, affectionately called the Silver Fox by the crew at the Desert Inn, just kept dealing and wondered how long his little woman could keep up the pace. She was good for three out of seven. It just goes to show ya' the visitors can take it better than the natives. . . .

Frank Baller, owner of the Deluxe Hand Laundry and Cleaners, recently bought the little restaurant next to Vegas Bowl. Frank's co-investor is Mike Diamond. . . . Cutie, Katie Mc-

Williams got a big surprise for her birthday which was the 26th of last month. The gals working ever so hard with Katie in the Stardust Hotel offices baked five cakes. Each cake was decorated with a letter from her first name. Incidentally, Katie has been Tommy McDonnell's right-hand gal since way back when. It's no surprise when she's paged — "Mrs. Katie McDonnell, telephone please, Mrs. Katie McWilliams." . . . Danny Lee and Dorothy Damroe have set the date for their trip to the altar. The couple will exchange vows March 5 and head for Chicago, honeymooning en route. Danny is employed by the Union Pacific Railroad and has a bigger and better job awaiting his arrival in the "windy city." Dorothy and Danny are LVHS graduates, and Dorothy has the title of ex-Rhythmette to her credit. . . .

Tommy and Mary Calahan just returned from Mayo Clinic where Mary won a three week bout with ulcers. It's good seeing Tommy back at his pit duties in the Flamingo Hotel, and Mary in her usual good spirits. Here's hoping all stays well. . . . World's Champion Bowler, Buddy Bomar, in town last week watching the tournament and taking in the night life. . . . Dune's manager, Leonard Schaffer, and his better-half, Evelyn, are back in town from a trip to L. A. . . . It seems as though vacation time is in

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THIS WEEK'S COVER: The heavy snowfall this past week brought out a great many of FLV's skiing enthusiasts. Pretty SHIZUKO YAGI of the NEW FRONTIER'S Holiday Inn Japan show was surprised to find out that Mt. Charleston has enough snow to allow her to indulge in her favorite hobby. Photo by Las Vegas News Bureau.

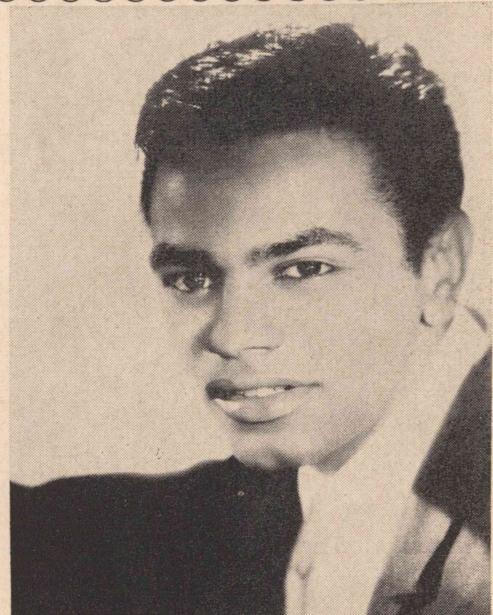
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IT NEVER rains but it pours. What started out as a slight cold almost turned into pneumonia because of the rain, plus a piece of our wonderful desert by some chance became lodged in my eye and with the effects of the cold, became a minor infection. The reasons for the above is not a plea for our readers' sympathy but rather an explanation for a briefer than usual column. Between sneezes and wheezes and doctors with shots, we weren't able to make our usual nightly rounds. It has given us a chance to appreciate the flow of news items that are sent to us through the mails.

Split-second timing will be needed for LIBERACE to make his appearance at the benefit sponsored by MRS. HORACE DODGE for the Good Samaritan Hospital in Palm Beach, Florida. LIBERACE, who closes in Boston the night of March 8th, will fly to Palm Beach immediately following the closing of the Boston show. In order to play the performance scheduled for March 10th at the Everglades, the entertainers will be racing the clock for an engagement in Minneapolis, Minnesota beginning March the 12th. LIFE magazine has been invited to cover the show given to aid in the support of the hospital.

Our sincere congratulations go to BILLY WARD and his DOMINOES who will appear as the singing stars of "Off The Record," which will be

shot in Hollywood in the Spring. WARD will play himself in the movie. Others in the cast include VALERIE PORTER, GEORGE RAFT, PHILIP BIARD and maybe FRED CLARK.

Wonderful SOPHIE TUCKER, who does more for charity than most other stars, can be found nightly between her shows at the SAHARA HOTEL autographing copies of her book "Some of These Days" and her new Mercury album "Bigger and Better Than Ever." The monies from the book and album are for SOPHIE'S many charities.

Our best wishes for success to SAM EISENBERG, ex-bar manager of the GOLDEN GATE, and MARK FAIRCLOTH, ex-bartender of the same club. They have just recently bought the NEW YORKER BAR formerly owned by SY HUSNEY.

Two post cards of importance this week. One from our very dear friend ROSE MARIE in London, England. She reports that they have already done a TV show there (which was a big success) and are to do another one within the week. They may stay on for awhile to play the Palladium or a night club there. Although they are having a wonderful time and love the English people, they miss Las Vegas and all of their friends.

A post card from photographer BERNARD tells us that his trip to Europe and Israel is coming to an end
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Dateline — California

AFTER putting the Tamburitzans on their bus bound for an engagement in Gary, Indiana and then on to the new and lush RUTTGER'S LAUDERDALE HOTEL in Fort Lauderdale, and after helping my mother celebrate her birthday in Minneapolis, and bidding goodbyes to the Bill Wolf Family, I boarded a WESTERN AIRLINES plane bound for Las Vegas together with my good friend and publisher, Glenn Hage. Glenn was coming out to Las Vegas on a prospective business trip and we enjoyed three good days at the WILBUR CLARK DESERT INN together. We saw the STARDUST Lido show and it gets better seemingly every time I see it; the Jimmy Durante show and his birthday party — his performance this time was the best I have ever seen him give — even better than his bang-up show at the first night opening of the FLAMINGO way back when; and the FOLIES BERGERE at the Tropicana. My good friend, Red Gibbs, came up by car to pick me up and I reluctantly left Las Vegas. I have spent less time in Las Vegas this winter than at any time since first coming there in 1940, save for the war years when I was in North Africa. I hope I will get my Ninth Edition of Hillsway finished soon so as to be able to spend a few weeks in Las Vegas before going back to Minnesota to open my summer home.

While writing this column I just heard over the air that my very good friend, Joe Boland died of a heart attack at his home in South Bend, Indiana this morning. I first met Joe back in the twenties when he was one of the Mules on the Notre Dame team

with the Four Horsemen under the late and loved Knute Rockne. Joe and I at that time used to go up to Father Foley's Camp for Boys in northern Minnesota as guest counsellors in the summertime. His wife, Peg, then his girl friend, used to visit him often — she has developed into quite a writer and they have two fine children. I believe Joe Jr. should be graduating from Notre Dame this year — or was it last? Joe was one of the nation's great sports announcers, a truly fine gentleman, and no matter how famous he became he never forgot me.

Have enjoyed the company of Asst. City Attorney Harvey G. Odenbrett of Milwaukee and R. James Dodge, President of the famous and smart PROSPECT HALL Secretarial School for girls in Milwaukee and Fort Lauderdale, this past week when they are at Los Alamitos Naval Air Base near Long Beach on their annual two weeks' stint of naval reserve duty. We did Disneyland one day, thoroughly, with the good wishes of my friend, Edward Meck, who is Public Relations Director for Disneyland, and who always is so very kind in providing tickets for me any time I call

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him. Ed was interested in my telling him that the St. Paul Winter Carnival's entire parade used the Disney theme on each float and had as one of its star attractions, besides Wilbur and Toni Clark and Gene and Mary Murphy, Tom Tryon, the Texas John Slaughter of the Disneyland TV show. I certainly owe Ed Meck a great debt of gratitude for all the favors he is constantly doing for me. Disneyland awed both my visiting guests — and it did me too this time, what with all

the new rides and innovations there. We really enjoyed the Monorail, the bob sled ride down Matterhorn, the submarine ride, the lift across the park, the train ride, the showboat ride and the river trip, as well as the famous Pepsi-Cola show in the Golden Horseshoe Saloon with my friend, Donald Novis as the star still.

Another evening Jim and Harvey and I had cocktails at the very ultra-ultra smart REEF RESTAURANT out

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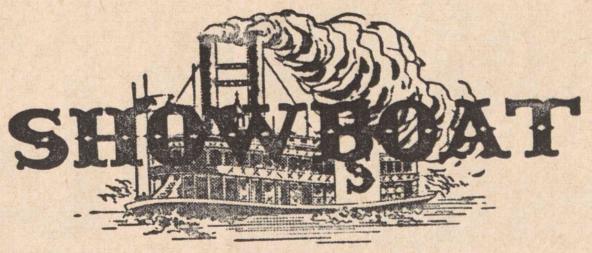
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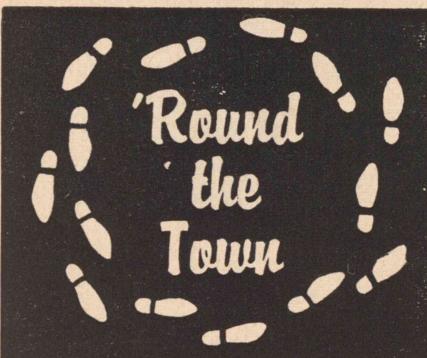
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It was the most successful Olympics in its history and has made an International reputation for the Lake Tahoe area. BILL HARRAH, who recently opened a plush new club on the Nevada side of the Lake, won the

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admiration of all who attended the great sporting event with his alert publicity and promotion ideas. His entertainment director, CANDY HALL, provided a wonderful show which packed HARRAH'S every night and gave the people a taste of what we have in our area. MARLENE DIETRICH was the star of the show and our good friends SHAW-HITCH-COCK staged the production. Anyway, a tip of the chapeau to our Northern neighbors for bringing such credit and acclaim to our wonderful Nevada. . . . One of our favorite funneymen SONNY KING, who is starring with the JIMMY DURANTE show at the DESERT INN, features a straw hat in the act and is making the hat as famous as TED LEWIS' old topper. The straw hat industry should keep SONNY in skimmers for life. . . . A few weeks ago, in one of our columns, we described a pianist as having "numble" fingers. Of course, it should have been nimble and the pianist is one of boss man JACK CORTEZ'S favorite people, BUDDY GROVER. "Numble," nimble BUDDY is holding court at the HACIENDA HOTEL with the GROVER-SHORE TRIO. . . . If you're the type that like a friendly dealer, we recommend to you FRANK NOONAN, who places the pasteboards for the "21" game at the HORSESHOE. Every once in awhile we see FRANK and our pal, MYRL ALDERMAN, trying to analyze the gaming situation. . . . Every time I see PRESTON FOSTER and his lovely wife SHEILA it takes me back in time to some wonderful Sunday afternoons in Arcadia, California. A group of friends used to meet at the home of a Dr. HOEFER and spend the afternoons swimming and the early twilight in dancing. SHEILA and PRESTON were part of the group and they used to contribute with wonderful Latin melodies on the guitar. Like myself, the FOSTERS are great fans of anything with the Latin flavor and so the popular bossman of the LAST FRONTIER combines many talents other than being a fine actor. . . . JOHNNY

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Francisco studying acting, dancing and voice. Big brother Johnny who's turning them away at the SANDS, couldn't be more pleased. . . . SAM LEEKER is the guy to see if you feel that lucky KENO urge coming on. Sam writes those tickets at the FREMONT and has been writing some winning ones for some of us. With all the unrest in Africa, we feel that WALTAN CLARK would be promoting International good will by sending a couple of hundred of his gor-

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DUKE ELLINGTON has hit the town with the wildest sounds in big band jazz. The DUKE, who is packing them in at the RIVIERA'S Starlight Lounge, is not only one of the greatest musicians of the day, but has also composed a number of the all-time classics in American jazz. He can make the room jump and swing or set a mellow mood with the tunes from his album "ELLINGTON INDIGO".

Vocalist, DIANE HULL, who closed with CHUCK RIO at the DUNES HOTEL Sinbad Lounge a few weeks ago, is now one of RAY ANTHONY'S gals. DIANE sings greater than ever with the backing of RAY and his band at the SAHARA'S Casbar Lounge. CARLOS MOLINA, who manages the LOS CHURUMBELES group in the FLAMINGO Lounge,

tells us of their booking in Puerto Rico at the close of their engagement here.

TONY PASTOR and his great revue stars, did an album for Capitol Records in the wee hours last Friday night.

Upon leaving the RIVIERA Lounge the PLAYBOYS head for New York to cut their first album. . . . Bend an ear to the sweet sounding trumpet of JONAH JONES who appears in the Copa Lounge of the SANDS HOTEL. JONAH recently did the FRED ASTAIRE Show, and tells us he had a ball.

Most of the songs in the CABALLEROS album "VIVA" are original compositions of guitarist RUBEN GREVARA. The album consists of authentic Mexican folk music and ballads. The CABALLEROS appear in the Lady Luck Lounge at the DESERT INN HOTEL.

Our own MARY KAYE TRIO closed in Houston March 2nd and are on their way to the CAVE in Vancouver where they open on Monday. The trio had hopes of returning to Vegas to

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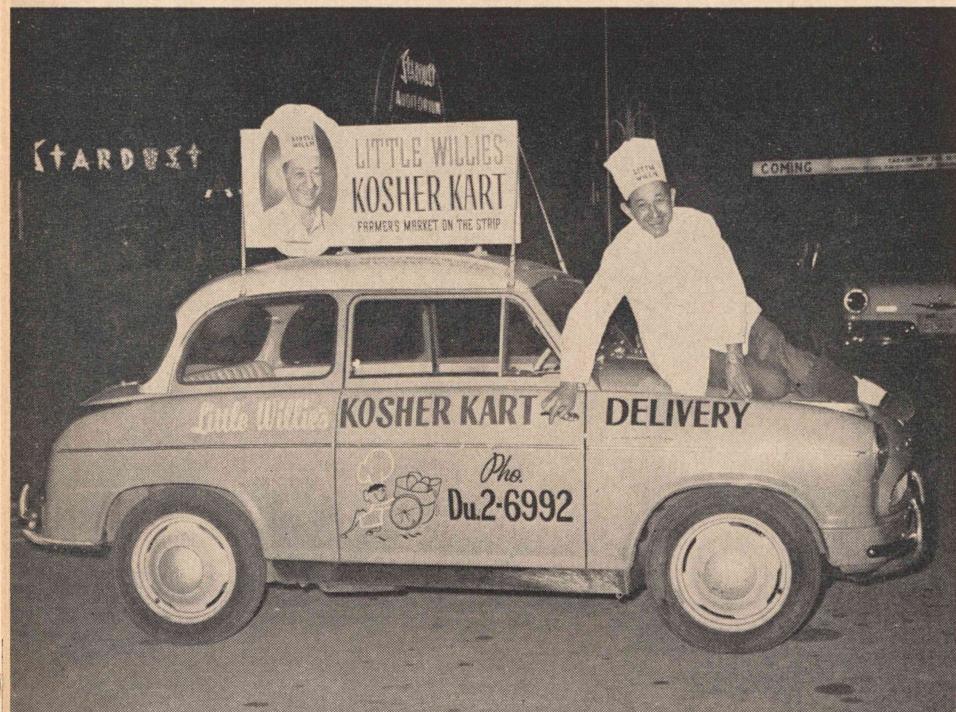
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With a wave of a magic wand and \$400,000, the DUNES has transformed the Arabian Room into the elegant, new Cafe' La Parisienne with a show to match. To open the new room, MAJOR RIDDLE, President of the DUNES, flew to Paris and engaged producer CHARLEY HEN-

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EL CORTEZ

CELEBRITY LOUNGE — thru Indefinite. George Faith & Buddies; Shirley Scott & The Modulators; Al Fike.

Guitar-playing GEORGE FAITH and his BUDDIES are a Canadian group who are a wonderful example of the good neighbor policy. Excellent musicians and pleasing personalities, they appear destined for a long stay at the EL CORTEZ. . . . SHIRLEY SCOTT and THE MODULATORS continue the smooth, harmony that

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EL RANCHO VEGAS

DU 2-1300

OPERA HOUSE — January 27th thru Indefinite Monte Proser presents Russell Patterson's Sketch Book; Jane Kean; Louise O'Brien; Tim Herbert; Chele Graham; Special Guest Star: John Carroll.

NUGGET NELL COCKTAIL LOUNGE Pollack Brothers; Louis Castellanos Group.

Welcome Home, MONTE PROSER! Once again we are eye-witness to a Broadway Musical, created just for Belden's Boite. Headlining the show is the happy, happy girl of entertain-

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FLAMINGO

DU 2-8020 — DU 2-4000

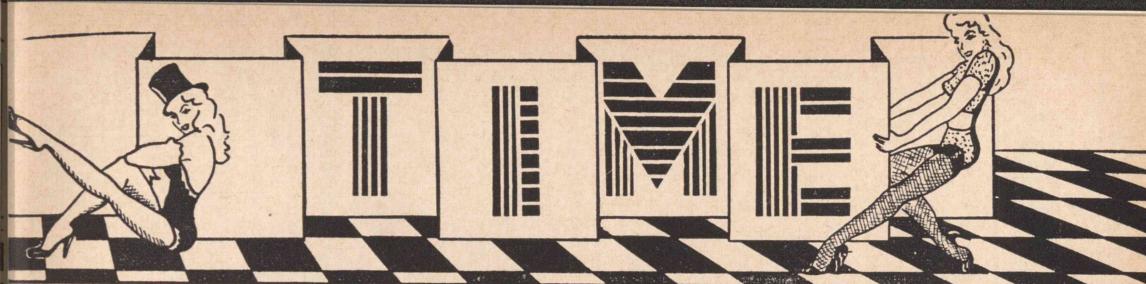
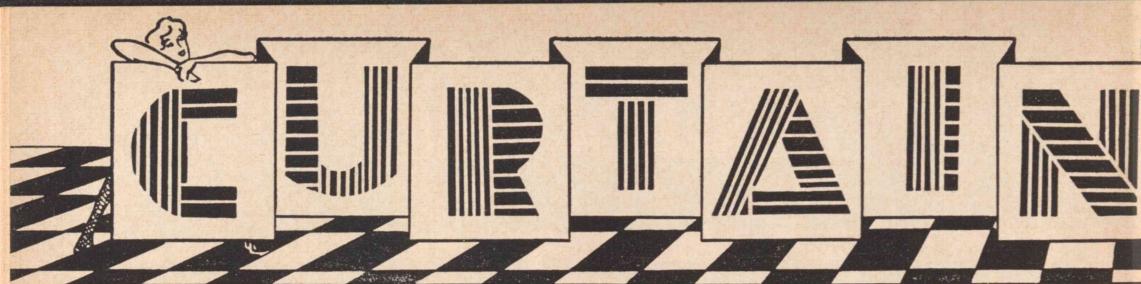
FLAMINGO ROOM — March 3rd thru March 30th Milton Berle and His Hilarious Revue; Betty George; Stan Fisher; The Met Sextet; Francis Brunn; Georgie Tapps and His Dancers; Jack Cathcart & His Orchestra; Sam Liner at the Piano.

STAGE BAR LOUNGE

Kirby Stone 4; The Town Pipers; Tony Bellus 4; Fred Estrada Trio.

"Mr. Television" (in color) and America's top cabaret comedian, MILTON BERLE, has landed in the FLAMINGO HOTEL for his annual attack on the ridiculous. "Uncle Mil-

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HACIENDA

DU 2-7800

JEWEL BOX THEATRE

Four Tunes; Johnny O'Leary and the Red Toppers; Grover-Shore Trio; The Keynotes; Guy Scalise.

JOHNNY O'LEARY offers a modern, musical group featuring the newest sounds in instrumental innovation. When Johnnie's group takes over the Jewel Box Theatre, there's just no sitting and listening. It's the kind of a musical togetherness that makes for foot-moving, hand-clapping swing. . . .
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NEW FRONTIER

DU 2-7171

VENUS ROOM — thru Indefinite

Steve Rarker's "Holiday in Japan," original Japanese cast of 60; Nat Brandwynne and his Orchestra.

CLOUD NINE LOUNGE

The Treniers; Tony and Eddie; Marcy Layne and Fred Kushon with The Peter Hank Duo; Al DePaulis Trio; Jackie Allison.

BILL MILLER'S presentation of "Holiday in Japan" is all that was expected of this all-Oriental spectacular and more. As soon as you get ac-
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RIVIERA

DU 4-5678

VERSAILLES ROOM — thru March 8.

Dennis Day; The Andrews Sisters; Dorothy Dorben Dancers; Ray Sinatra & His Orchestra.

STARLIGHT ROOM

Duke Ellington; The Playboys; Johnny Hamlin Quintet with Marcie Miller; Johnnie McCormick.

DENNIS DAY belongs in the charmed circle of entertainers whose talents and personal appeal are equally interesting to watch whether he performs in a Night Club, on TV,
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SAHARA

DU 2-6800

CONGO ROOM — February 23 thru March 14. Sophie Tucker with Ted Shapiro at the piano; Paul Anka; Fayard Nicholas & Vicky; Louis Basil and His Orchestra.

CASBAR THEATRE

Ray Anthony Sextet; Ginny Greer and the Gallions; The Sabres; Olguita.

"Something old, something new, something remembered, something blue," is as good a description of SOPHIE TUCKER'S opening in the SAHARA'S Congo Room as can be found. The ageless veteran singer of saucy songs again demonstrates her remarkable showmanship as she belts across one after another of her famous "red hot" songs from her spice bag of tunes. Youth takes a fling in the person of talented PAUL ANKA who makes his FLV debut opposite one of show business' greats. Let it
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THE SANDS

DU 2-7100

COPA ROOM — February 17 thru March 8. Johnny Mathis; Rowan & Martin; Antonio Morelli's Orch.; The Copa Girls

COPA LOUNGE

Jonah Jones; Norman Brooks & Ann Brooks; Red Norvo; Ernie Stewart Trio.

In the past year JOHNNY MATHIS has consistently led all popular singers in the number of record albums sold. Besides this he has just concluded a record breaking engagement at the Los Angeles Grove. To hear this personable lad is to recall the many hit songs he has sung in the past few years. Each one a superb rendition of the romantic ballad. His sophisticated charm and his ease of delivery are but two of the many reasons why MATHIS has had such a rapid rise to stardom. . . . Two masters of
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FABULOUS LAS VEGAS

SHOWBOAT

DU 2-7575

SHOWBOAT LOUNGE — Current

Bob Luman & The Shadows; Bob Alan Quartet; George Faith and his Buddies; Orrie Clark at the Organ; UNIVAC.

BOB LUMAN, one of the bright, new, young stars from the West Coast, returns to the Showboat and the many fans he made during his summer engagement. Accompanied by THE SHADOWS, a youthful group of excellent musicians, Bob projects a vitality and charm that goes a long way
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SILVER SLIPPER

DU 2-7660

SILVER SLIPPER — thru Indefinite

Eddie Fox Presents, "Laugh-Capades of 1960," starring Hank Henry; Miss "Japan Beautiful" Tura Satana; Red Marshall; Sparky Kaye; Danny Jacobs; The Slipperettes; George Redman and his Orchestra. As an added attraction — Miss Hawaii.

GAY 90's LOUNGE

Don Santora & the Car-tunes; Toni and Harry Wham with Peggy Dietrick.

This is one of the most hilarious

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STARDUST

DU 4-0825 — DU 4-6350

CAFE CONTINENTAL — thru Indefinite

Le Lido De Paris, "Ca C'est L'Amour" with Alfredo Alaria and his Company; Gino Donati; Margie Lee; Lucky Latmos; Les Marottes; Marion Conrad; Beverly Richards; John Juliano and Jack Rains and featuring The Bluebell Girls and Eddie O'Neil and his Orchestra.

STARDUST LOUNGE

Tony Pastor Revue; The Kim Sisters; The Happy Jesters; George Hernandez; Edmond Sisters.

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THUNDERBIRD

DU 2-5100

TURQUOISE ROOM — thru Indefinite

"Ecstasy on Ice" staged by George Arnold starring Vivienne della Chiesa; Jack Wallace; Alice Farrar and Jimmy Carter; George Arnold and Phil Richards; Bill Carey and Donna Cook; Al Jahns and his Orchestra.

THE TOPAZ LOUNGE

The Tribesmen with Bob Hernandez; The Four-Most; The Nitecaps; Bud, Frank & Joe.

VIVIENNE della CHIESA, a voice designed to impart pleasure, occupies the featured spot in this brand new version of "ECSTASY ON ICE." Her extensive training and background allows her to mix Opera with "pops" in a sort of musical pot-pourri. Her clarity of tone and warm delivery reaches every nook and cranny of the TURQUOISE ROOM to return to her in the form of thunderous applause from
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TROPICANA

DU 2-6850

THEATRE RESTAURANT — Current

Folies Bergere, "The Show that made Paris famous"; 80 Continental Stars; The Dancing Parisiennes; Herman Kaye and his Orchestra.

SHOWCASE LOUNGE

Sheeky Greene; Denis & Rogers; The Versatiles; Dubonnet Trio.

Billed as "The Show That Made Paris Famous," THE FOLIES BERGERE has been moved lock, stock and scanties to the beautiful Theatre Restaurant of the TROPICANA HOTEL. Here you will see the naughty "Can-Can" done in its authentic style as performed by the Dancing Girls of the Folies. It's a plushy show that is presented in the traditional grand manner and Producer LOU WALTERS with the aid of the French Director MICHAEL
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SATURDAY — March 5

9:30 **2** Litter Bag Movies
 10:00 **13** Jungle
 10:30 **13** Corliss Archer
 11:00 **2** St. Paul vs. Minneapolis
13 Soupy Sales
11:30 **13** High Road to Danger
 12:00 **13** "Alive on Saturday"
 1:00 **13** "Mr. Denning"
 1:30 **2** "Beast with 5 Fingers"
 2:00 **3** Saturday Matinee
 3:00 **2** Cartoons
13 Milt's Quiz Movie
 4:00 **2** Kit Carson
13 Jubilee, U.S.A.
 4:30 **2** Bonanza
8 Santa Anita Maturity
 5:00 **8** Movie
13 All Star Golf
 5:30 **2** 26 Men
 6:00 **8** Mighty Mouse
13 High Road
 6:30 **2** President's Latin Visit
8 Death Valley
13 Dick Clark
 7:00 **8** Zane Grey
13 Bowling Stars
 7:30 **2** Overland Trail
8 Show of the Month
13 Leave It To Beaver
 8:00 **13** Lawrence Welk
 8:30 **2** Man & The Challenge
 9:00 **2** The Deputy
8 Mr. Lucky
13 International Speedway
 9:30 **2** Mr. D. A.
8 Have Gun Will Travel
 10:00 **2** People Are Funny
8 Gunsmoke
 10:30 **2** "Sea of Lost Ships"
8 Manhunt
13 Not For Hire
 11:00 **8** "Road to Glory"
13 Frank Proctor Show

SUNDAY — March 6

10:00 **13** "3 Faced Women"
 11:00 **2** Syracuse vs. Boston
11:30 **13** "Steel Key"
 1:00 **8** Children's Concert
13 President's Latin Trip
 1:30 **2** Championship Golf
 2:00 **13** Paul Winchell
 2:30 **2** Time Present
 3:00 **2** Meet the Press
8 Golf Spect.
 3:30 **2** N. Y. Confidential
13 Frank Proctor
 4:00 **2** Championship Bowling
 4:30 **8** Bowling Time
13 Big News
 5:00 **2** Sunday Showcase (C)
13 Matties Funday Funnies
 5:30 **8** Jamboree
13 Broken Arrow
 6:00 **2** Chevy Show (C)
 6:30 **8** 20th Century
13 Maverick
 7:00 **2** Riverboat
8 Probe
 7:30 **8** Dennis the Menace
13 Lawman
 8:00 **2** Laramie
8 Ed Sullivan
13 The Rebel
 8:30 **13** The Alaskans
 9:00 **2** Masquerade Party
8 G. E. Theatre
 9:30 **2** Price Is Right
8 Alfred Hitchcock
13 Man Without a Gun
 10:00 **2** Loretta Young
8 Jack Benny
13 21 Beacon Street
 10:30 **2** "Maverick Queen"
8 What's My Line
13 "Sullivan's Travels"
 11:15 **8** "Magnificent Doll"
 12:30 **13** "Centennial Summer"

★ THIS WEEK ON TV - MAR. 5 THRU MAR. 11 ★**MONDAY — March 7**

3:00 **8** The Millionaire
 3:30 **8** Verdict Is Yours
13 Frank Proctor
 4:00 **8** Brighter Day
 4:30 **2** "Hell Ship Mutiny"
8 Feminine View
 5:00 **8** Cinderella Time
13 Kiddie Karnival
 5:30 **13** Rin Tin Tin
 6:00 **2** News
8 Dick Porter
13 Harbor Command
 6:30 **2** Jeff's Collie
8 Jet Jackson
13 Cheyenne
 7:00 **2** Steve Allen (C)
8 Report
 7:30 **8** Kate Smith
13 Bourbon Street Beat
 8:00 **2** Silent Service
8 The Texan
 8:30 **2** Wells Fargo
8 Father Knows Best
13 Adventures in Paradise
 9:00 **2** Peter Gunn
8 Danny Thomas
 9:30 **2** Bold Venture
8 Playhouse 90
13 "Berlin Correspondent"
 10:00 **2** Award Theatre
 10:30 **2** 10th Hour
13 News
 10:45 **2** "Sealed Cargo"
13 "How Green Was My Valley"
 11:00 **8** Report
 11:15 **8** "Slave Girl"

TUESDAY — March 8

3:30 **8** Verdict Is Yours
13 Court Report
 4:00 **8** Brighter Day
 4:15 **2** Report
 4:30 **2** "Armed Car Robbery"
8 Feminine View
 5:00 **8** Cinderella Time
13 Kiddie Karnival
 5:30 **13** Rocky's Friends
 6:00 **2** News
8 Dick Porter
13 West Point Story
 6:30 **2** Arthur Murray Party (C)
8 Bengal Lancers
13 Sugarfoot
 7:00 **2** Startime
8 Report
 7:30 **8** Sea Hunt
13 Wyatt Earp
 8:00 **2** Wichita Town
8 Dennis O'Keefe
13 Rifleman
 8:30 **2** "Wyoming Kid"
8 Doby Gillis
13 Colt .45
 9:00 **8** Tightrope
13 Alcoa Presents
 9:30 **8** Red Skelton
13 Coronado 9
 10:00 **8** Garry Moore
13 Keep Talking
 10:30 **2** 10th Hour
13 News
 10:45 **2** "Step Lively"
13 "Brigham Young"
 11:00 **8** Report
 11:15 **8** "Pier 13"

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WEDNESDAY — March 9

3:30 **13** Frank Proctor
 4:00 **8** Brighter Day
4:30 **2** "Make Mine Laughs"
8 Feminine View
 5:00 **8** Cinderella Time
13 Kiddie Karnival
5:30 **13** My Friend Flicka
 6:00 **2** News
8 Dick Porter
13 Adventure Tomorrow
 6:30 **2** Robin Hood
8 Texas Rangers
13 Ozzie and Harriet
 7:00 **2** Roy Rogers
8 Report
13 Wed. Nite Fights
 7:30 **2** Wagon Train
8 Be Our Guest
 8:00 **13** Hawaiian Eye
 8:30 **2** 4 Just Men
8 The Millionaire
13 "The Crusades"
 9:30 **6** I've Got a Secret
 10:00 **2** This Is Your Life
8 Steel Hour
 10:30 **2** 10th Hour
 11:00 **2** "Blue Veil"
8 Report
 11:15 **8** "East of Borneo"
 11:30 **13** "International House"
 1:00 **8** News
 2:00 **13** Jack's All Nite Theatre

THURSDAY — March 10

4:30 **2** "Anabel Takes a Tour"
 5:00 **8** Cinderella Time
 6:00 **2** Dick Porter
13 Judge Roy Bean
 6:30 **2** Law of the Plainsman
8 Casey Jones
13 Gale Storm
 7:00 **2** Brave Stallion
8 Report
13 Real McCoys
 7:30 **2** African Patrol
8 To Tell The Truth
13 Donna Reed
 8:00 **2** Bat Masterson
8 Betty Hutton
13 Pat Boone
 8:30 **2** Johnny Staccato
8 Johnny Ringo
13 The Untouchables
 9:00 **2** Bachelor Father
8 The Millionaire
 9:30 **2** Ernie Ford
8 Markham
13 Take a Good Look
 10:00 **2** You Bet Your Life
8 Revlon Show
13 Charlie Weaver
 10:30 **2** 10th Hour
 10:45 **2** "Whip Hand"
13 "I'm From Missouri"
 11:00 **8** Report
 11:15 **8** "Lone Wolf in Mexico"
 2:00 **13** Jack's All Nite Theatre

FRIDAY — March 11

4:00 **8** Brighter Day
 4:30 **2** "Nevada"
8 Feminine View
 5:00 **8** Cinderella Time
 6:00 **2** News
8 Dick Porter
13 The Vikings
 6:30 **2** Open House
8 Jungle Jim
13 Walt Disney
 7:00 **2** Cavalcade of Sports
8 Report
 7:30 **8** Rawhide
13 Man From Black Hawk
 8:00 **2** Shotgun Slade
13 77 Sunset Strip
 8:30 **2** Art Carney Show
8 Lockup
 9:00 **8** Desilu Playhouse
13 Robert Taylor
 9:30 **2** M-Squad
13 Black Saddle
 10:00 **2** Mickey Spillane
8 Twilight Zone
13 This Man Dawson
 10:30 **2** 10th Hour
8 Person to Person
13 News
 10:45 **2** "Red Pony"
13 "Untamed Women"
 11:00 **8** Report
 11:15 **8** "Escape Devil's Island"
 1:00 **8** News
 2:00 **13** Jack's All Nite Theatre

REGULAR PROGRAMMING

Monday thru Friday
 8:00 **2** Price Is Right
 8:30 **2** Concentration
 9:00 **2** Truth or Conseq.
8 Red Rowe Show
 9:30 **2** It Could Be You (C)
8 On The Go
 10:00 **2** Cartoons
8 I Love Lucy
13 Restless Gun
 10:30 **2** December Bride
13 Love That Bob
 11:00 **2** Queen for a Day
8 Love of Life
13 Milt's Quiz Movie
 11:30 **2** Loretta Young
8 Search for Tomorrow
 12:00 **2** Young Dr. Malone
8 Encore Theatre
13 Day in Court
 12:30 **2** From These Roots
13 Gale Storm
 1:00 **2** Thin Man
13 Beat the Clock
 1:30 **2** Yancy Derringer
8 World Turns
13 Who Do You Trust
 2:00 **2** Owl Matinee
8 For Better Or Worse
13 American Bandstand
 2:30 **8** House Party
 3:00 **2** Louise Black
8 The Millionaire



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DESERT INN

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(when the Boss allows him to). Long favorites JOHNNY MACK, a nimble terpsichorean artist and JULES BUFFANO and JACK ROTH make up the rest of this package of mirth. . . . On the distaff side, the beautiful FERNANDA MONTEL sings in a sweet lyrical style which has brought her International fame. . . . The Production is staged by DONN ARDEN and presents the beautiful, young DONN ARDEN DANCERS in a superlative show-number. . . . CARLTON HAYES and HIS ORCHESTRA do the musical honors for this outstanding DESERT INN SHOW.

the show as a special guest star is the handsome motion picture star, JOHN CARROLL. Playing the masculine part to the hilt, he provides a robust and charming addition to this fun revue. As far as we know, this is LOUISE O'BRIEN'S first headlining role on Las Vegas stages. Louise, a long-time partner with Rusty Draper on the popular CBS network, is as prettily talented as she is prettily endowed. Also in the cast are TIM HERBERT and CHELE GRAHAM. DICK RICE and His ORCHESTRA do an excellent job with the RUSSELL PATTERSON music.

FLAMINGO

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tie's" out of the blue one liners and fast quips keep everyone in a state of perpetual laughter every minute the show is on. You never know when this "will o' the wisp" funny man will break into an act and clown up the whole thing. He's the most unpredictable stage personality you've ever seen. . . . With him is an All-Star Revue headed by busomy songstress BETTY GEORGE, target of a block of "Berlisims", Harmonica virtuoso STAN FISHER; the magnificent voices and songs of the MET SEXTET; the amazing acrobat-juggler FRANCIS BRUNN and exciting dance sequences as staged by GEORGIE TAPPS and his DANCERS Pianist accompanist for BERLE is handled by SAM LINER and JACK CATHCART and his ORCHESTRA supply their usually charged up musical atmosphere to top it off.

HACIENDA

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Bringing a great change of pace to the program are the smooth and long-

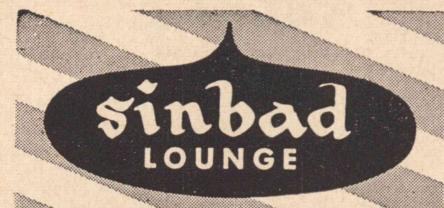
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NEW FRONTIER

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customed to the completely different and brilliantly colored and patterned costumes you settle down to watch a most interesting and unique stage presentation. . . . The clever effect of this package is transmitted in many ways. From the widening of the stage with brilliant, neatly placed panels of lanterns and sliding shoji screens to the striking colors in the beautiful silk kimonos and the intricate music and choreography in the production numbers. . . . Every phase of the show flows smoothly, from one production to another and through each of the acts. . . . Singing star JIMMY PORGAS sports a very impressive voice and excels in love ballads sung both in English and native Japanese. . . . RIE TANIUCHI brings down the house with her modernistic dancing. . . . A baseball satire and tap dancing by the fleet-footed and rhythmic STRING BROTHERS are other highlights sandwiched in between the vivid productions. . . . Stage settings and costuming are eye-opening at every turn. . . . Woven tastefully into the productions are a string of as beautifully bare-chested lovelies as have ever been seen locally. . . . NAT BRANDWYNNE and his ORCHESTRA rate reams of praise for the magnificent musical accompaniment through the entire show.

RIVIERA

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or recordings. His shows are sparked by his great versatility in songs and impressions. Day has a facile knowledge of Yiddish and a variety of other tongues, and his impersonations of celebrities in the sports, political and entertainment worlds are models of accuracy and good-humored charm.

. . . The ANDREWS SISTERS are the most successful female singing act in show business and have been for as long as they have been performing. They have sold more records than any other female singers or singing group, starred in more movies, and played more theatres and night clubs. It is no wonder that they add so much to this variety show. . . . The DOROTHY DORBEN DANCERS are back with an enchanting Production number with music under the capable baton of RAY SINATRA.

SAHARA

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be noted that he holds up his end of the show with great success and ability. This Canadian youngster has the manner and ease to go all the way in the entertainment world. . . . In his first Stateside appearance in nearly 5 years, FAYARD NICHOLAS teams with his wife, VICKY, to show the terpsichorean magic that made the name Nicholas Brothers a byword on the stages of the world. LOUIS BASIL and his ORCHESTRA do a wonderful job in this music-filled romp.

SANDS

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repartee and the fast ad-lib are joining with MATHIS for a real laugh

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riot. ROWAN & MARTIN are certainly no strangers to FLV and each time they have appeared for Producer JACK ENTRATTER they have come equipped with new lines and material that have kept the Copa Room patrons in uproarious laughter. . . . The beautiful COPA GIRLS live up to their reputations with an exciting dance production and of course, the Orchestra, under ANTONIO MORELLI, provide a wonderful musical frame for this excellent star-studded show.

SHOWBOAT

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in establishing him as a singer to watch in the American song sweepstakes. The other half of the entertainment bill belongs to the BOB ALAN QUARTET who have broken away from their former Dreamdusters name to come up with this excellent "pops" group. Bob Alan records and Jack Driscoll arranges these smooth numbers that are a welcome change of pace in the "Boat." . . . The nimble fingers on the organ keyboard belong to charming ORRIE CLARK, who pleasantly fills the interludes with music pleasant, music sweet and above all . . . music. . . . UNIVAC, the giant Remington Rand electronic brain, continues to take on all comers in games of "21" and at last report has been losing, so, if you feel a lucky streak coming on try it out on the UNIVAC, you have nothing to lose.

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The national theme for Girl Scout Week is "YOU CAN COUNT ON HER TO BE PREPARED," and is slated toward the Senior girls in helping other troops. Everyday these girls engage in different community activities such as: Church services, home-making activities, arts and crafts, aid to the physically handicapped troops.

FABULOUS LAS VEGAS

SILVER SLIPPER

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shows the Silver Slipper has presented in years. Producer EDDIE FOX has finally presented the first real Beatnik number on the strip and the SLIPPERETTES make the most of it. . . . Miss Hawaii is a true Island beauty and enchants the audience with songs from our brand new State. . . . The highlight of the evening is the LOUIE PRIMA-KEELY SMITH impressions as performed by comedians HANK HENRY and SPARKY KAYE. You can be sure Louie and Keely will dash over from their show at the Desert Inn to catch this hilarious spoof of themselves. George Redman continues to make his ORCHESTRA sound like little giants and his men perform with "tongue-in-cheek" enthusiasm.

STARDUST

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"Le Lido de Paris" is, without a doubt, the show that turned FLV into the cosmopolitan show-place of the world. . . . True to the French tradition, this Parisienne "parfait" features GIRLS! GIRLS! and GIRLS! . . . Showgirls, dancers, the famous BLUE-BELL GIRLS and an inspired group of Gallic dancers, provide the audience with a breath-taking panorama of Continental charm. . . . Provided as a background for this splendid "spectacular" are sets of such color and magnificence as to stagger the imagination. Giant waterfalls, displays of fireworks, the excitement of the French Revolution, are but a few of the production numbers cleverly conceived to make you feel as though you are a participant in the history of France. . . . As though this were not enough, a great array of European talent is blended into the show to provide the fullest measure of entertainment. The brilliant dancing of the ALFRED ALARIA company; GINO DONATI, opera singer and comedian; ice skating queen, MARGIE LEE; the puppet-wizardy of LES MAROTTES; the songs of BEVERLY RICHARDS,

JOHN JULIANO and JACK RAINS, are but a part of the cast that perform in this amazing show. . . . The music for the entire production is under the direction of EDDIE O'NEIL, who guides his Orchestra through a most interesting and vibrant musical score. The entire show is a tribute to the skill and knowledge of Parisienne Producers PIERRE LOUIS-GUERIN and RENE FRADAY and DONN ARDEN who staged the entire production.

THUNDERBIRD

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an appreciative audience. . . . GEORGE ARNOLD, as always, is a Fred Astaire on ice skates. Whether with his partner PHIL RICHARDS in a comedy routine, or in presenting interpretive dances, he shows the agility and grace that has kept him among the headliners in the art of ice-skating. . . . Also in the cast are ALICE FARRAR, JILL CAREY and DONNA COOK. AL JAHNS and HIS ORCHESTRA are outstanding in their ability to range the musical scale from classical and operatic music to the honky tonk kind of music of the comedy numbers.

TROPICANA

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GYARMANTHY have spared no expense in mounting this extravaganza. . . . As is expected the accent is on girls . . . Girls . . . GIRLS! Here are some of the most beautiful and leggy dancers, showgirls and mannikins ever seen in our Country. The entire show is a panorama of color and a spectacular in the truest sense. . . . The difficult and Foreign musical book for this production is handled by HERMAN KAYE and His Orchestra.



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on March 1st. Mr. Cully has seen the remarkable transition of DC-3 airplanes to Boeing 707 Jets in a matter of seven years in Las Vegas. Our air age is truly amazing! Ray is very active in Community affairs and at present is President of the Las Vegas Rotary Club. . . . FREIGHT RATES WILL BE CUT BY all truck lines and airplanes in an effort to gain more business from the security entrenched railways! . . .

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I predict the news will be filled with British citizens seeing Egyptian "ghosts" within the next year! At the turn of the century, many exploring parties raided the many tombs in Egypt, bringing thousands upon thousands of "mummies" back to England. To stop this practice the Crown decided to levy a tax on all Egyptian mummies of many hundreds of pounds! The owners of mummies crushed the bodies into a fine dust,

and scattered them over the countryside to escape detection and the tax! Over 50 years later, entire areas are terrified by stalking Egyptian "ghosts!" The Once Princes, Princesses, and titled gentry of Egypt are now mingling with the local English ghosts and bringing a double barreled threat of an invasion by those people who continue to live on the threshold!

REGRET PREDICTIONS

I regret to predict that the city of Indianapolis, Indiana will be completely bypassed by the new Coast-to-Coast freeway! I regret to predict that Senator Kefauver of Tennessee will be used as a political whipping boy in the coming elections in that state!

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NIGHT LIGHTS

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the air, and many of the localities are traversing the country despite bad weather conditions. No exception was Leo Sussman who hit the airways for Pittsburgh. Leo climbed down from the boss' stool at the Chemin de Fer table in the Stardust to spend a couple of weeks back home.

Jimmy Durante is going to need something larger than a freight car to pack all the awards he's won since his opening at the Desert Inn. The beloved Schnoz has been presented with an award from the press division of the American Legion, the Showman of the Year Award from Limelight Magazine, the Press Club's "Nose for News" award, and a biggy for Humanitarian Activities by Variety. This particular award was presented to Jimmy by Hank Henry. Once a champ, always a champ! . . . Our sympathy is extended to Alec Goldfine's lovely wife, Dolores, whose

brother passed away in Minneapolis last week. . . .

On the more humorous side. I found Nate Lenet tossing Tommy McDonnell's name cards on a Chemin de Fer table. The cards are unique in their design, shaped like a chip with \$100 on one side, and his name on the other. The jovial host was all smiles. . . . Riviera boss, Bob Ganz, is planning a late-summer trip to the Orient. This will really be a vacation well-earned for Bob, who is one of the hardest workers and nicest guys around. . . . Three of the four pro golfers filming TV's World Championship Golf at the D. I. Country Club, have cinched their entries in the coming Tournament of Champions. They are Mason Rudolph, Don January, who holds the course record of 65, and Mike Souchak, '59 Tourney winner. Dr. Cary Middlecoff, who is also a contender on the video tape series, has a good chance of obtaining an invite, as there are six major competitive events yet to come. . . . Remember! Elvis returns March 9!

FABULOUS LAS VEGAS

THAT'S FOR SURE

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much too soon. He says that a trip such as his gives you more perspective on our hectic, crazy life on the little planet, earth.

Last week our Birthday Greetings did not appear in our magazine so at this time we would like to extend belated congratulations to: CHILI and JOHNNY UHLMAN who celebrated their Sixth Wedding Anniversary on Sunday, February the 28th. . . . The COPE'S (of the BOTTLE HOUSE) had a busy week. MRS. FLOYD COPE had her birthday on Sunday, February the 28th and MR. FLOYD COPE celebrates today, March the 5th. . . . Local business woman JEAN DEVLYN was toasted by her many friends on February the 28th. . . . LEE FISHER, Publicity Director at the DUNES HOTEL, celebrates today also. . . . SAL D'AMORE, of the DESERT INN Barber Shop, passes another milestone on Monday, March the 7th. . . . The very successful businessman ELIAS ATOL, has his natal day on March the 9th. . . . KEELY SMITH and her adorable daughter TONI ELIZABETH have a double celebration on March the 9th. TONI will be five years old. . . . CECIL GALLAGHER, box man at the FREMONT HOTEL, has his birthdate on March the 11th. . . . The Staff of Fabulous wishes all of you sincere congratulations.



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HILLSWAY

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on the pier in Long Beach Harbor. My good friend of years standing, Everett Boyette met us and seated us. He used to own his own restaurant down in Belmont Shores until the Freeway completely ruined the location by putting in an overhead bridge to avert the new Marina that has been built. Everett is one of the nicest guys in Long Beach. Tommy Noh, the Manager of the REEF came over to visit with us. I first knew Tommy when he was at the Lafayette Hotel as manager. This restaurant has all the color and charm of any fine Polynesian Restaurant in the country, plus a setting right on the ocean overlooking all the lights of Long Beach that is easily the envy of every restaurant owner in the country. The food is excellent here; later we went out to RICART'S on Atlantic Avenue to eat a late snack because I wanted to show my friends as much of Long Beach as possible during their short stay. RICART'S is completely done over in a beautiful white motif, sort of Oriental in decor, and is truly magnificent now. One of the Southland's best eating places.

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Ran into my friend, John Krill at Church last Sunday. He is also from Milwaukee and represents the Falk Corporation in Los Angeles now. He asked if I knew a quiet place to spend his vacation with his wife, young twins and new baby, and I could think of no better spot than Axel Springbord's wonderful GLEN IVY HOT SPRINGS down at Corona, California. Wish I were going to spend a vacation there. It is one of my very favorite places in Southern California. Was good seeing Axel leading the horse contingent in the Rose Parade this past New Year's day. He looked spectacular with his gorgeous horse and all its silver regalia.

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cleaning establishment, Paramount Cleaners, in Long Beach, told me all about his cousin's (Dorothy Tsouras) wedding recently in Las Vegas. Cap is a fine fellow and has a terrific business here. His girl, Friday, Willie Toomer, is a whiz too. Reminds me, I haven't been in to see Dorothy in a long time — I'll make a note to visit the SHOWBOAT the next time in town.

'ROUND THE TOWN

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geous Mu-mus to the Mau-maus. His brand new ladies' store across from the STARDUST is probably one of the most colorful shops in FLV. What with the Hawaiian music and South Pacific perfumes in the store I am thinking of spending my vacation there. . . The DESERT INN has announced a brand new pro-celebrity amateur golf tournament as a preliminary to the annual Tournament of Champions. The Pro-cel event will

pay out \$10,000 and each pro who is eligible for the Tournament of Champions will be paired with a celebrity from among the likes of BOB HOPE, DANNY KAYE, PHIL HARRIS, JACK BENNY who are slated to appear. The tee-off is May 4, just preceding the big Tournament of Champions. . . Be sure and see newcomer PAUL ANKA, the Canadian teenager in the SAHARA show. You'll be amazed at the great talent this youngster has. He keeps the other teen ager, SOPHIE TUCKER, (it's her second time around) hopping, with her multi-talents, in this unusual show. . . The "Sketchbook" at EL RANCHO VEGAS provided an unlooked for event the other evening. BILLY DANIEL, the choreographer for the show, surprised star JANE KEAN by joining her in a soft-shoe dance. The number got such a great reception that they include it as a permanent number. . . Last week we mentioned that AL ALVAREZ of the NAT BRANDWYNNE Orchestra in the NEW FRONTIER Hotel was a trumpet player. Well, now that I have got the trumpet valve fragments out of my teeth it turns out that he is a master of the saxophone. Either way we hear he should forget the horns and concentrate on his vocal chords which according to Frank Sinatra's Mgr. Hank Sanicola, are pure gold. Al's wife JUDY is one of the managers of the SMART SET in the Farmer's Mart across from the STARDUST HOTEL. . . Here and there signs of Spring are in the air. We have seen

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the Francisco Square groundhogs, BERNIE SCHULTZ and MICKEY FISHER, coming out of their Casualaire caverns to cast a shadow or two in the noonday sun. Their new Spring men's wear is arriving and that also puts a smile on their friendly faces. . . We dropped in next door to the Schultz-Fisher factory and visited the popular band leader GARWOOD VAN, who has one of the finest music stores in Nevada. We might add that we left with a record player that Gar-

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Berle. He's a real adept at the game. . . . Big week coming up. JERRY LEWIS due into the SANDS Wednesday night and the RIVIERA is coming up with a great BIG one. THE WORLD OF SUZIE WONG, the Broadway show that has played to S.R.O. for so long. It's a wonderful event for FLV and should prove a big business getter for the Riviera. . . . On Thursday night, DICK SHAWN moves into a new show at EL RANCHO VEGAS. MONTE PROSER has been working on a subtle closing production number for the bombastic comic. He promises only a few small cannon plus some left over A-bombs.

LOUNGE STARS

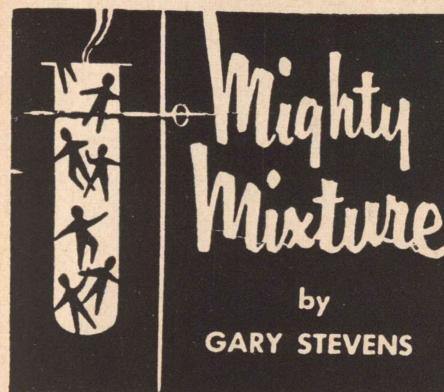
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complete a movie picture before the ensuing actors strike. The strike, however, is also scheduled for the 7th so it looks like they're out of luck.

The pert little KIM SISTERS are singing up a storm in the STARDUST Lounge. The KIMS are one of the most versatile acts to hit show business. They sing our songs and play our music perfectly, you'd never know they speak very little English.

It was a real fun night in the Cloud 9 Lounge of the NEW FRONTIER HOTEL when our good friend MYRL ALDERMAN sat in with the AL DE PAULIS TRIO. MYRL, who is a top notch piano pounder, joined AL with DAN SHERRET on bass, and JACK WOODS guitarist, for a real "mad" session.

FABULOUS LAS VEGAS



QUOTA OF QUOTES:

MARLENE DIETRICH: "Becoming exhausted in Paris is like getting a well earned vacation away from a season of dolldrums." Boris Karloff: "When I meet young, grown-up people for the first time, I'm almost tempted to apologize for scaring them so when they were children." Patti Page: "A hit record is the only sure way a singer knows that people are really listening." Harold Lloyd: "Egotism can be tempered very easily — even in a retired millionaire actor. Someone old enough to be your grandson hears the name, Harold Lloyd and asks — 'Who's he?'"

NIGHT OUT: Peacock Alley is a legendary location long associated with the Waldorf-Astoria. It dates back to the era when the hostelry was on 34th St., now the site of the Empire State Building. Today in the current home on Park Avenue between 49th St. and 50th St., the W-A has a proud Peacock Alley all its own. It has grown out of the Lounge and the Flamingo Room. The menu carries on the printed pages a wide assortment of excellent dinner and supper dishes.

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Time has taken its toll of large feathered ladies' hats, emblazoned diamond displays and the parade of promenaders and strutters — all contributing factors to the original name, but Peacock Alley remains a decorative gathering place for the present day elite.

Down the lobby at the Empire Room, Dorothy Dandridge is the attraction. She knows her way around a song; her physiognomy is pleasing, too.

THIRTEEN YEAR HEADACHE: Back in 1947, 20th Century-Fox dashed out a glorified 'B' movie called "Daisy Kenyon." The picture starred Joan Crawford, who essayed the title role.

As it must come to all films made before '48, a grand new television career has been carved out for this oldie. The other night it showed up. While we purposely missed it during its original commercial exhibition, we peeped in during its channel cruise. What do you know, a telephone number comes up. It is CHelsea 2-0459 and in the flicker it belongs to "Daisy

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the video rounds. He blew up. Any repetition of his past problems with the constant ringing of the curious and the depraved will fire our gent to legal action.

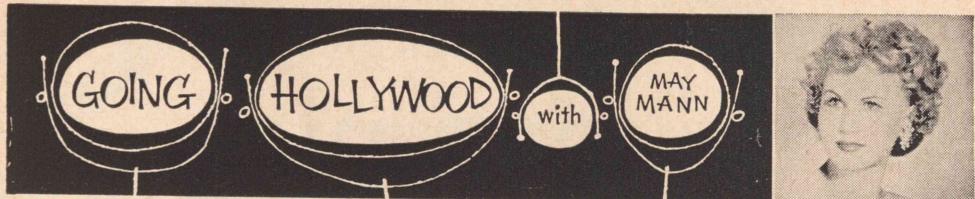
He sounded as though he was waiting at the ting-a-linger with a shotgun in hand.

SCENES SEEN: Sammy Fain, the tunesmith, humming to himself on Central Park South. One of his new ones from "Christine," no doubt. . . . Two lookable larks, Patti Page and Jill Corey among the Monsignore table takers — Luscious Lucius making with the Beebe talk to the doorman at the St. Regis. . . . Dave Chasen, the Beverly Hills food dispenser, on boniface's holiday, visiting the kitchen at the Eden Roc Club. . . . Sir Edmund Hillary, who climbs mountains for a kick, deciding his tootsies need resting, so he hops a cab at 60th and Madison. . . . Jim Lowe and Jane Froman champagning at the Roundtable's King Arthur Room where Mabel Mercer is a magical delineator of lyrics.

The stranger walked up to a Las Vegas dice table and laid down a \$1,000 bet. He shook the dice, but as he threw them a third cube fell unexpectedly from his sleeve. The house operator was unruffled. He handed back two of the dice and pocketed the third, saying, "OK, roll again. Your point is 15."

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IT ISN'T so that George and Liberace have teamed up again as a night club act. My shell pink ears were deceived by a long-distance call from Reno to that effect. George laughed, "Don't let it worry you. It was the advertisements side-by-side in the papers that I was opening and Lee was closing in Reno that fooled everyone. But maybe it would be a good idea. Right now I'm knee deep in beauty with an all-girl orchestra, and believe me everyone is a glamour girl."

Rod Lauren passed his tests with flying colors for Hal Wallis and Paramount. He's a handsome boy with an expressive face and a pleasing voice, and with the Elvis Presley build-up, he'll shortly be the young femmes' new idol.

Edd Byrnes called to tell me he's still on suspension from Warner Brothers. But that may change any hour since "77 Sunset Strip" viewers miss the vitality and careless charm of "Kookie."

Max Baer's son, Max Jr., who is handsome, 22, and 6' 6", is heading for Hollywood and movie offers. He's finished his Army stint, and before he resumes his final year at Santa Clara College studying law, he wants a movie fling. His father was determined that his son would be a lawyer.

Burt Reynolds, co-star of "Riverboat" series on TV, and Lori Nelson have broken their marriage plans.

Butler Miles bought and sold the William Randolph Hearst mansion in Beverly Hills without even moving into it. His god-mother, Gloria Swanson, who has been his house guest for three months, has asked him to get settled in a new house before she returns from a Florida engagement. Of course, Gloria hasn't gone yet, and Butler will probably have to find a house with a safe to deposit all of her jewels and furs.

Talked with Fabian in Stockton, California, and even though he and the teenage femme fatale Tuesday Weld have been making a picture together up that-a-way for four weeks — they don't date. They are both seventeen, but Tuesday is too old for him, and he's too young for her.

Sammy Davis Jr. and his Canadian fiance were entertained by Frank Sinatra at Puccini's the other eve. Sammy is having a time of it entertaining his fiance, working on his movie, and he went to Reno for the Olympics, and wound up signing for an engagement at the Mapes Hotel.

Mamie Van Doren hopes the Sahara Hotel holds Ray Anthony over for an extra two weeks — which will establish residence for that divorce.

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