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# Jackie Marriage Talk

**N**EW YORK: — Column Confetti: Howcum nobody's credited the entertainer who started the trend which helped Dean Martin, Andy Williams, Perry Como and Arthur Godfrey get richer? Ben Bernie practically invented the soft-sell style . . . Paramount Studio brass are being asked: "How come the only Oscar we won was for a cartoon short?" . . . French gossip columns revived the skewp that Jackie would wed architect Jack Warneke "in 18 months." Many U. S. gazettes and mags said it long ago . . . Producer S. Bronston says a five-line sumup of his film "King of Kings" in a photo mag cost him about \$2 million at the box-office. The critique ridiculed the movie with: "I was a teenage lord." . . . It's a girl for the Stephen Forbes at Henderson, Nev, making ex-Mirror staffer Jerry Edelberg a grandpop: . . . **CURTAIN TIME:** Joey Bishop's rebuttal to critics

who didn't appreciate his premiere program ("Why don't they stop looking at my show? I won't miss them either!") destroyed his rep for being unflappable and cool. Never advertise your knocks or knockers, as we say in showbiz . . . Josh Logan (directing the screen version of "Camelot") never liked the stage play. "I saw it opening night," he says, "and thought it was terrible. It opened like bread that never came out of the oven" . . . The best line that 1st night was a wag's: "You come out humming the scenery!" . . . Lili Palmer (she made over one million in movies) is quoted: "What possible satisfaction can an intelligent person get out of acting?"

**COMPLIMENTIONS:** Thornton Wilder's "The Eighth Day." If you'd like to read a clean book for a change . . . The debunker of the year: "The Scavengers and Critics of the Warren Report." A de-

molisher by R. W. Lewis and L. Schiller (Delecorte Press) . . . Lovely Pat Marand's larking at the St. Regis Misonette . . . Charles Cochran's delightful ~~string at the mouse~~ trap . . . The Thad Jones-Mel Lewis 18 piece orchestra at the cigar-box-size Village Vanguard.

**GARDEN OF EDEN:** Wall Streeter Richard Poll (of the Loeb, Rhodes Brokerage) and Julie Mahr (of ABC's programming dept) at Walsh's. They'll unite May 15 . . . Modelovely Charlotte McKay with stockbroker Jacques Elmaleh at Gallagher's . . . Geoffrey Murphy and bride-to-be Elizabeth Kleinhaus (a reader's dije staffer) at Char-das. They wed May 27 . . . Sharon Harris (her fadda is the Wuld Junnel Trib's political essayist) with her mate-to-be Stephen Dannis, a Long Island U. senior .

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