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his set. He has fired all of the Ding-a-lings (those lovely ladies who cuddled and showcased Dean). In exchange, he has welcomed back the GOLDDIG-GERS. He also panned several others of cast and crew and is taking on a new look. Some say he is still mad at JEANNE MARTIN, other quip, "CA-THY is very jealous," still others say it was the poor ratings. Aaaahhh, the legend lives on, and on and on!

Plagued with illness, the *Iron-side* set shut down, again. Earlier, it was *DON MITCHELL*, now *RAYMOND BURR* has suffered a relapse of malaria which has all of the executives at UI taking shots, hoping that they won't catch it, too! Word is that Burr will continue to suffer relapses as one can not be completely cured of this tropical disease. P.S.: He is recuperating at his Tropical Island hideaway in Tahiti!

GRUFF, GRUFF: wasn't that something about the run-in JOANNE WOODWARD had with GEORGE C. SCOTT. But she tamed him quickly, and without her hubby PAUL NEW-MAN, who happens to be busy at the newly named Burbank Studio (formerly Warner Brothers). George, incidentally, hasn't changed, he's just as cranky as ever, but a great actor. Why he dislikes so many people, none of us will know! If ever a man needed a New Year's resolution and new image, it's George C.

Is it true what the voices are whispering about that accordian pleat millionaire and his girl-friend? Somewhere, behind the palms and ferns. Pardon the pun!

Is FLIP WILSON flipping? Why not ask the little old peacock, because rumor has it, they have had some mighty big prob-

lems keeping it a secret. Seems it's the pressure of the business!

POW! POW! The word battle between CARROLL O'CONNOR and LUCY BALL over All In The Family is something else, with Lucy panning the show despite the critics. Face to face with Carroll, they tugged it out in the hallways of CBS and left everyone gasping, MY GOD! The hallways are still shaking from the yelling, with Lucy having won the verbal battle. Some say it's because Carroll is such a gentlemen, others shake their heads NOPE!

Who's sneaking away for a face lift? Why Hollywood's favorite scrub woman and it ain't JULIE ANDREWS. She'll be in dark glasses for a couple of weeks, but will look great, so her doctor told us!

Golden boy swimmer MARK SPITZ nodded NEY at the offer to window dress a movie with none other than BOB RED-FORD, claiming, "When I make a movie, I want to be my own star, not just a window dressing." Meanwhile, he'll blade it away in commercials with TUESDAY WELD holding his hand. Speaking of lovely Tuesday, she's hotter than ever in this town, and look for her to snag an Oscar nomination.

Is DAVID CASSIDY married? Well, one woman called us, claiming to be his secret wife. We called David, who quipped, "Consider it a rumor." He didn't say yes, and he didn't say no, but the young lady claims they were wed in Reno just a couple of weeks ago. P.S.: She wouldn't give us her name, but said, "David will kill me if he finds out I called and tipped you off." Sure hope not, she has a lovely voice! Meanwhile, we'll all keep guessing.

Whoopee! Whoopee! BOB HOPE, JIMMY DURANTE

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