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# INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF MAGICIANS



Souvenir Programme

HASTINGS 1960

## THE INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF MAGICIANS

(British Ring No. 25)

Twenty-Fourth

Annual Convention

#### BRITISH



#### RING

No. 25

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#### THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



WILFRED TYLER

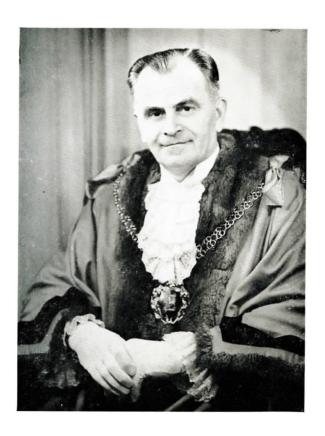
I feel sure you will all agree with me that when we make a return visit with our Convention to a town, it is usually as a result of the success of the previous Convention held at that venue.

Casting our minds back to 1952, reminds us of the warmth of welcome we received from the Mayor and Mayoress, and the Public Relations Officer, Mr. A. K. Vint, and Mr. J. Burton, their able Entertainments Director.

From the preliminary visits that we have made to Hastings for this Convention there is every evidence that an even greater welcome awaits you all at the 1960 Convention. I so well know the Committee work ceaselessly throughout the year in your interests, to ensure that your stay will meet with every satisfaction. These men who look after this organisation are experienced in the job and we all owe them our very great thanks for their efforts.

I make a special welcome to those members of the British Ring, who are making their first visit to a Convention. I sincerely hope that there will be true brotherhood by the older members extending a welcome to these "new boys." so that they might not feel strangers in our midst.

To those who are sick and unable to be with us. I send a special greeting, with the hope that you may all be soon restored to good health and be enabled to join us at the next Convention.



MAYOR'S PARLOUR,
TOWN HALL,
HASTINGS,

September, 1960.

I am delighted to have this opportunity of extending a very warm welcome to the British Ring of the International Brotherhood of Magicians on the occasion of its Twenty-Fourth Annual Convention.

We remember with pleasure the occasion of your previous visit to our town, and I need hardly tell you how much we are looking forward to having you with us once again.

I hope your stay here will be most enjoyable and I wish you all a very happy and successful Convention.

C. Barfoot,

Mayor.



#### A MESSAGE FROM THE INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT

HARRIS A. SOLOMON

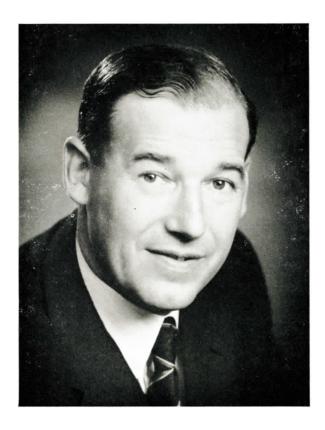
It is my pleasant privilege to convey the heartfelt good wishes of the Officers, Board of Trustees and members of the International Brotherhood of Magicians to our British brothers on the occasion of your Convention.

May you enjoy the pleasure of each others company, the wisdom of the lecturers, the entertainment of the performing artistes; with the knowledge that as members of the largest magic fraternity in the world, you are, through each meeting of this sort, contributing to magic as an art.



WM. G. STICKLAND Hon. Secretary, British Ring and Organising Convention Secretary.

JEFFERY ATKINS Hon. Treasurer.



# CONVENTION ANNOUNCEMENTS

#### CONVENTION HEADQUARTERS — QUEENS HOTEL

The events will be announced on the fixture boards at the Registration Office, Convention H.Q., and a blackboard will be provided for any alterations or special announcements.

We have official CONVENTION STEWARDS on duty (distinguished by arm bands) and they are particularly anxious to assist newcomers to conventions who should make themselves known to the Stewards with a view to introductions being effected. The organisers too will be very happy to give information regarding any events. Lists of Stewards and Organisers on page 44.

THE REGISTRATIONS DESKS will be open in the headquarters throughout the convention. There are two desks, one for the delegates who have previously registered, the other for registrants at the convention.

Please wear your Convention badge which shows all delegates your name, and the rule "Admission only by badge" will be strictly enforced for convention events.

**PROFESSOR E. DUPLOYEN,** Honorary Interpreter to the British Ring will be present and his services will be at the disposal of any members or visitors requiring same.

# WELCOME TO OUR OVERSEAS VISITORS

A Hearty Welcome to

**AUSTRALIA** 

Charles Wicks

International Vice President, I.B.M.



#### Bienvenue a Nos Amis Belges

#### BELGIUM



Max Henry
President Magic Circle of Belgium (Ghent).



Claude Isbeque (Klingsor)
Secretary Cercle Belge d' Illusionisme.



Walter Muller
Chairman 1961 F.I.S.M. International
Congres Committee.

NOTE TO OVERSEAS VISITORS. You are invited by the Mayor of Hastings to meet him at the Town Hall at 11 a.m. on Saturday, September 24th.

Dubois d'Enghien



## A Hearty Welcome to CANADA Mrs. Madge Howard

## Vitame Nase Pratele z Ceskoslovenska CZECHOSLOVAKIA

Mila Trnka



#### Velkommen Til Vore Damske Venner

#### DENMARK

Miels Staalo



Haakon Edeling



Aage Rasmussen
Secretary of The Magic Circle, Denmark.



Uffe Rasmussen
President of the Magic Circle, Denmark.

Bienvenue a Nos Amis Français.

**FRANCE** 

Claude Rix

Pierre Moello

**MOROCCO** 

H. Ducoo

Wir Heissen Unser Deutschen Besucher

Herlzich Willkommen

**GERMANY** 

H. R. Von Heldt

Welkom Hollandse Vrienden

HOLLAND

Roberto and Hella

Henk Vermeyden

President F.I.S.M.



A Hearty Welcome to NEW ZEALAND

L. D. Olsen

A Hearty Welcome to SOUTH AFRICA

Eric J. Commerford

Secretary. Cape Magicians' Circle.

Val Kommen Till Vara Swenska Vanner SWEDEN

Sven Kindsom (Carboni & Carbonita)

Bengt Nilsson (Lester)

#### A Hearty Welcome to our American Friends.

#### UNITED STATES OF AMERICA



George Oetting



Mystic Craig



Carolyn Trask
First National President MAGIGALS



Victor Trask

**Donald Robertson** 



Alma Pringle Junior Past President MAGIGALS



Leonard A. Pringle



Jay Palmer and Doreen

#### Welcome to our IRISH Visitors.



Arthur Jenknis Hon. Treasurer. Irish Ring. No. 85, I.B.M.





Miss N. McLoughlin Irish Ring, I.B.M.





Harry Pobjoy
President of the Irish Ring, I.B.M.



Robert McVeigh
Past President, Irish Ring, I.B.M.



Christopher Woodward Vice-president. Irish Ring. I.B.M.

Wednesday: Thursday: Friday: Saturday: Sunday

THE GRAND

## DEALERS MAGICAL TRADE FAIR

#### YOUR SHOP WINDOW

Direction: EDDIE DEXTER & TOMMY ROWE

in the White Rock Pavilion (Lower Hall)

OPENING TIMES: Wednesday 9-30 a.m. until 6 p.m. then from 9 p.m. until 11 p.m.

Thursday 9-30 a.m. until 8-30 p.m.

Friday 11-30 a.m. (to allow member dealers to attend the A.G.M.

Closing for this day at 6-30 p.m. to allow attendance at Banquet)

Saturday 9-30 a.m. until 8-30 p.m. Sunday 9 a.m. until Mid-day.

IZANI—HENLEY MAGIC CO.

OSCAR OSWALD
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WIZARDS DEN
SUPREME MAGIC
JACK HUGHES

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VAL ANDREWS CHAS. FITNESS WITCHCRAFT MAGIC THEATRICAL SUPPLIES MURRAY

GEORGE JENNESS "KLINGSOR"

EAST LONDON MAGICAL SUPPLIES

L. DAVENPORT & CO.



Each year dealers go to considerable expense to present their exhibitions at the British Ring Convention, and your attention to their demonstrations is welcomed. All are eager to show you their "latest" and many exclusives will be on show for the first time. Take this opportunity of making a full round of the dealers. You will not regret it. One of the most important features is the Dealer's Trophy presented by MYSTIC CRAIG for the MOST ATTRACTIVE STAND, and this will be awarded during the convention. It is held for one year.

Present Holders: Supreme Magic Co.

WHO WILL WIN IT THIS YEAR?

MYSTIC CRAIG with the Dealers' Trophy

Judging will take place on WEDNESDAY, 21st September, at 5-30 p.m. by L. BULL. Esq., Display Manager for Messrs. Plummers Ltd., Hastings.

## Hospital Shows

Patients in the wards of St. Helen's, Eversfield Chest and Royal East Surrey hospitals will be entertained by:—

Percy Press

Harry and Marjorie Fletcher

Alfred and Cecilia Gabriel

Ken Green

Tom Harris

Francis Haxton

'Mo' Howarth

Vernon Jackson

George Oetting

Geoffrey Robinson

Michael Rich

John Salisse

Reg. Walbridge

The magic and fun will be aided by the Clowns:

Will Norman

J. R. Askew (Masko)

E. Jackson-Laurie (Trixo)

Will these helpers please assemble and be ready to depart from the entrance of the Oueen's Hotel,

WEDNESDAY, 21st September Queens Hotel At 3-15 p.m.

## "Wizard's Meet"

Musical Selections by J. L. PRETTY TRIO

AFTERNOON TEA

### "GETTING TO KNOW YOU"

This is where we would like to meet **ALL NEWCOMERS** to a British Ring Convention, who are requested to give their names to the Head Steward, IOE TURNER.

5-15 p.m. — Edinburgh Suite — Queens Hotel

CLOSE UP MAGIC



ARTHUR JENKINS (I.B.M., IRELAND)

WEDNESDAY, 21st September Queen's Hotel At 4-15 p.m.

# International Cabaret

Compere: ALASTAIR

with



BERTRAM MILLIDGE
(I.B.M., BRITISH RING)



Dr. VICTOR TRASK



UFFE RASMUSSEN
(I.B.M., DENMARK)



CLAUDE RIX

WEDNESDAY, 21st September. White Rock Pavilion 8 p.m. to 12 midnight.

# CIVIC RECEPTION, BALL AND CABARET

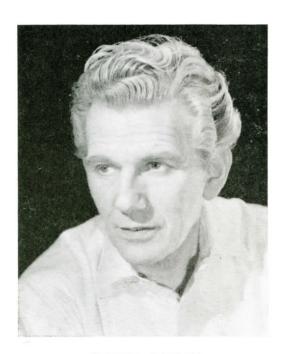
given by His Worship the Mayor and Mayoress of Hastings, Alderman and Mrs. C. Barfoot.

RECEPTION 8 p.m. - 8-30 p.m.

With the kind permission of the Mayor and Mayoress our Overseas Visitors will be introduced at this function.

Dancing to the music of Ray Elgar and His Orchestra.

Evening Dress.



HAROLD TAYLOR

#### CABARET

#### HAROLD TAYLOR

"The Witty Wizard"

#### "VANITY FAYRE"

London's Leading Cabaret

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#### **TOMBOLA**

for BENEVOLENT FUND



# THURSDAY, September 22nd MAMMOTH DEALERS'

in the

DEMONSTRATION

#### White Rock Pavilion Theatre

Arranged by EDDIE DEXTER and TOMMY ROWE

#### ORDER AND TIMES OF APPEARANCE:-

9-45 a.m. EAST LONDON MAGICAL SUPPLIES

9-56 a.m. CLIFF LOUNT

10-07 a.m. THE WIZARDS DEN

10-18 a.m. OSCAR OSWALD

10-29 a.m. SUPREME MAGIC

10-40 a.m. WITCHCRAFT MAGIC

10-51 a.m. VAL ANDREWS

11-02 a.m. HARRY STANLEY

5 minutes ONLY break.

11-17 a.m. CORINDA

11-28 a.m. DAVENPORT & CO.

11-39 a.m. THEATRICAL SUPPLIES

11-50 a.m. JACK HUGHES

12-01 p.m. "KLINGSOR"

12-12 p.m. MURRAY

12-23 p.m. CHAS. FITNESS

12-34 p.m. IZANI — HENLEY STUDIO OF MAGIC

Announcer: TOMMY ROWE

Owing to the number of Demonstrations and in the interest of all a warning bell will be sounded at 9 minutes. Each Demonstrator being allowed 10 minutes. The curtains will be drawn at that time. All performers have been notified of this rule, which we very much regret having to enforce.

This is a Mammoth Demonstration and in fairness to the first artiste please be seated in good time. The curtain rises **promptly.** 

THURSDAY, 22nd September. White Rock Pavilion at 2-15 p.m.

## MAGIC OF THE HANDS

Lecture by Britain's most distinguished master

of Sleight of Hand . .

# Edward Victor

Author of

- 'Magic of the Hands'
- 'More Magic of the Hands'
- 'Further Magic of the Hands' etc.



Mr. Victor will show how with the most simple accessories the magician can obtain the most miraculous results.

THURSDAY, 22nd September
At 2-30 p.m. Ballroom, Queens Hotel

## The Magic of Make-up

THE LADIES WILL BE GIVEN A SPECIAL DEMONSTRATION
BY A REPRESENTATIVE OF

Messrs. YARDLEY & Co. Ltd., 33 Bond Street, W.1.

MAGIC and a TALK ON "MAGIGALS"

by

ALMA PRINGLE

Junior Past President and

CAROLYN TRASK

Founder Member & First National President

EXHIBITION
of entries for the
HAT TRIMMING,
EMBROIDERY
KNITWEAR
COMPETITION

— AFTERNOON TEA —

SUPPORT THE . . .

### GIANT TOMBOLA

arranged by

GEORGE SMALLWOOD & JANNIE (Betty) MENSINK

Total Proceeds for the Benevolent Fund

#### THURSDAY, 22nd September. White Rock Pavilion

Commencing 4-30 till 6-0 (Entrants numbers 1-7) resuming at 7-45.

#### ALASTAIR introduces

### The Competition for The British Ring Shield

#### JUDGES:

GEOFFREY BUCKINGHAM (Chairman) GEORGE BLAKE J. BURTON

(Director of Entertainments. Hastings)
HAAKON EDELING
MAX HENRY
PETER NEWCOMBE
ARCHIE TEAR

HENK VERMEYDEN

#### STAGE STAFF:

Stage Manager—CYRO
Assistants—BILLY RUSSELL, ROY CURRIE
Musical Director—ALFRED GABRIEL
Timekeeper—JACK POTTER



ALASTAIR

#### Entrants in order of appearance:

#### At 4-30 p.m.

- 1. R. B. Swadling, Oxford.
- 2. Chris Upton, St. Leonards.
- 3. Clare Field, East Grinstead.
- 4. Robert West, Doncaster.
- 5. Brian & Betty Le Slie, Harrogate.
- 6. Arturo, Hull.
- 7. **Ian Stuart**, Harrogate.

#### Commence at 7-45 p.m.

- 8. Helen Strachan, Sutton Coldfield.
- 9. Mal Williams, Chester.
- 10. Peter Scarlett, West Worthing.
- 11. **Dennis Gardner**, Nottingham.

- 12. Larry Spencer, Clacton.
- 13. McFall McKee and Johnny,
  - Manchester.
- 14. John Barlow, Reading.
- 15. Sly-Smith, Cheadle Hulme.
- 16. Hubert Caddy, Hove.
- 17. Ronald Gadd and Joan, London.
- 18. E. Duployen, Birmingham.
- 19. Norman Stone, Cranleigh.
- 20. Madge E. Kwand, Birmingham.
- 21. Stuart Good, Sheffield.
- 22. David Haggarty, Paisley.
- 23. Howard Peters, East Croydon.
- 24. Charlie Spratt, Prudhoe.

**IMPORTANT TO COMPETITORS:** Allowing TEN minutes for each turn competitors should work out approximate time of appearance and report to the Stage Manager half an hour before time due.

For the guidance of competitors a red light will be flashed after nine minutes of every act.

#### MIDNIGHT — QUEEN'S HOTEL

#### INFORMAL MAGIC

Organised by FRANCIS HAXTON.



#### **COMPETITION** for the

# NEW SILVER BRITISH RING SHIELD

#### Conditions Relating to Performance in the British Ring (International Brotherhood of Magicians) Annual Competitions

These competitions shall be open to all paid up members of Ring 25 THE BRITISH RING. There shall be three main awards as follows:—

#### 1. THE NEW SILVER BRITISH RING SHIELD and Cash Prize £10.

This will be awarded for the presentation of the most entertaining magical act and is held for one year.

#### 2. THE CONVENTIONEERS' TROPHY

For greatest originality shown either in effect, method or presentation and is held for one year.

#### 3. THE CRAIG TROPHY

For the best performance by a lady magician and is held for one year.

In addition there are the

**THEO SPEAKER CUP** and Cash Prize of £5 for runner up. To be held for one year.

#### THIRD PRIZE £3.

**TOM HARRIS CUP** (Comedy) and Cash Prize of £5 (kindly donated by Tom Harris)

#### **DITTIA SHIELD** (Manipulation)

No bar is placed upon the number of awards that can be obtained by a successful competitor and thus a male winner of the British Ring Shield, could, having presented the most entertaining and at the same time most original act, qualify for two awards.

In the same manner a lady competitor equally successful would be entitled to all three awards.

The length of act submitted by each competitor should not exceed ten minutes playing time, and to assist him or her, a warning light will be flashed at the end of nine minutes. Any competitor exceeding a time of ten and a half minutes will be automatically disqualified and such disqualification will be announced from the stage immediately before the appearance of the next competitor.

The judges would consist of five members of the Ring, the local Entertainments manager and the editor of the local paper. This composition might have to be varied according to location. There would be an umpire, a senior official of the Ring, who would have complete powers to accept or reject the judges' decisions. If he rejected them, he would be required to place his decision and reasons therefore before the Committee.

For additional guidance, the Instructions to Judges are appended.

#### ANNUAL COMPETITIONS

#### INSTRUCTIONS TO THE JUDGES

There are three competitions which require your judgment. The first is for the major award, the BRITISH RING SHIELD.

This will be won by the act, which in your opinion constitutes the most

entertaining magical act.

In view of this the act should be considered from the point of view of entertainment. Imagine you are seeing it in a concert, or dinner or other show, either by itself or with a number of other acts of various types. Does it entertain you?

The following points may assist you in judging:-

- A. Consider general entertainment first—that is important—then, if you have several acts which you consider equally entertaining give your attention to the following:—
- B. Consider the entrance and exit of the performer, the stage setting and condition of apparatus, his or her dress, deportment and elocution, the nature of the tricks performed and the reaction of the audience. If the act is a silent one note the effectiveness of the mime.
- C. You will take into account magical ability, but as you are viewing this from the layman's angle of entertainment with magic, your judgment must not be biassed by a display of advanced technical ability which would **only be apparent** to a magician.

The points made above may help you decide. YOU ARE NOT LOOKING FOR NEW TRICKS—and if a performer does old ones very well in an ENTERTAINING MANNER—he deserves your marks. Remember that a layman may not have seen that vast repertoire of tricks that you know so well. Naturally the same remarks apply to patter.

The SECOND AWARD is for ORIGINALITY, and is in the main, the concern of those members of the panel who are magicians.

The merits necessary for this award are:—

- 1. Newness of effect, so far as is known.
- 2. A novel presentation employing twists on standard effects.
- 3. The entertainment value contained in such presentation of effects.
- 4. An adequacy of mystery.

The THIRD AWARD is that given to the best lady performer. This requires no further elucidation, the merits previously stated applying equally in this case.

So as to allow for any disparities in judgment which may arise you are asked to write down the names of what you consider to be the best four acts, adding, if these do not qualify in the first four places, the performers entitled to the second and third awards. Seal your paper in the envelope provided and hand it to the Umpire. PLEASE DO NOT DISCUSS YOUR DECISION WITH ANY OTHER MEMBER OF THE JUDGING PANEL until you have all handed over your envelopes.

FRIDAY, 23rd September
At 10 a.m. prompt — White Rock Pavilion

# Annual General Meeting and Election of Officers

Members only admitted

Chairman — Wilfred Tyler, Esq.

NOTE—Printed agenda will be handed to each member, and voting papers must be left at the Reception Desk not later than 4 p.m., Thursday, 22nd September.

12-45 p.m. — OUTSIDE WHITE ROCK PAVILION

GROUP PHOTOGRAPH

All delegates are requested to be present for this.

THE HARRY KAYE MEMORIAL ALBUM

This album will be on view at the Registration Desk and all members and visitors are invited to record their names in it as a token of respect and remembrance of our revered late brother Ringer.

FRIDAY, 23rd September at 11-45 a.m. and 4-30 p.m. and SUNDAY at 11-15 a.m.

#### in the Annexe. White Rock Pavilion

### Peter Warlock

introduces



### Classics in PETER WARLOCK the Modern Manner

In these programmes you will see those tricks which have stood the test of magical time performed with modern technique and with modern presentation.

The artistes taking part are

**IACK AVIS** FRANK BOYNETT GEOFFREY BUCKINGHAM DEVANO ALEX ELMSLEY FRANCIS HAXTON RON McMILLAN VICTOR PEACOCK

At the Piano: Sam Patience.

ADMISSION BY TICKET.

## Close-Up Casino

BALCONY LOUNGE — WHITE ROCK PAVILION

### Sessions

Organised by

FRANCIS HAXTON

and

FRED LOWE



WEDNESDAY, September 21st, 5-15 p.m. Queens Hotel, Edinburgh Suite

11-45 a.m. & 4-30 p.m.

FRIDAY, Sept. 23rd SATURDAY, Sept. 24th 4 p.m.

> SUNDAY at 11-15 a.m. Sun Lounge, White Rock Pavilion

> > With the following performers:

ERNEST WETHERED IOHN RAMSAY GUS SOUTHALL ACK AVIS JOHN HOLLAND CLAUDE MANLEY

BILL VASENIC PETER WARLOCK FRANCIS HAXTON

ALEX ELMSLEY

GEORGE BLAKE

HOWARD PETERS

Stage Manager: TED BEAL.

ADMISSION BY TICKET.

#### FRIDAY, 23rd September

EXCLUSIVE TO THE BRITISH RING CONVENTION

## MYSTIC CRAIG

proudly presents his

## SENSATIONAL COLOUR/SOUND FILMS

(1½ hours running time)



PROF. JACK MILLER



MYSTIC CRAIG

OF

# Professor Jack Miller

AWARD WINNER - LECTURER

giving his lecture:

## Post Graduate Magic

ALSO AN OUTSTANDING FILM IN COLOUR AND SOUND OF

#### JERRY ANDRUS

NEW EFFECTS NOT PREVIOUSLY SEEN, PERFORMED BY ONE OF AMERICA'S GREATEST CLOSE-UP MAGICIANS

#### Synopsis of JACK MILLER Lecture:

#### PART ONE

GENERAL ADVICE COMMENTS

BODY LOADS . . . SLEEVING . . . HOW NOT TO DO IT

PRODUCTION OF BALLS FROM A

- (A) Loading three balls from pockets to sleeves.
- (B) Producing them from a silk.

THE CONTINUOUS PRODUCTION OF BALLS FROM THE AIR.

SLEEVING AND RETRIEVING OF BALLS AND SMALL OBJECTS.

CUPS AND BALLS (with one cup and two inch balls).

THE BALL POINT PEN ROUTINE. SLEIGHTS FOR THE CUP AND BALL ROUTINE

- (1) The Scoop.
- (2) The Flim-Flam.
- (3) The Throw Vanish.
- (4) The Horizontal Load.
- (5) The Vertical Replacement.
- (6) The Throw Through.(7) The Kick Through.
- (8) The In and Out.

#### LINKING RINGS . . . THE FABULOUS FIVE RING ROUTINE

- (1) The False Count . . two methods.
- (2) The Basic Move . . The Heel Link.
- (3) The full routine with additional moves not in the original Jack Miller Book.

#### ROPE MAGIC

- (1) Cut and Restored . . . Hold Out Method (explained in Part Three).
- (2) "The Invisible Man" Cut and Restored.

End of Reel One.

#### REEL TWO

- (1) Continuation of "The Invisible Man.
- (2) The Sliding Knot.
- (3) The Single Loop Cut and Restored Rope.
- (4) Trick Knots for the Short Piece.

- (5) Getting Rid of the Short Piece Invisibly.
- (6) The Nip Knot.

#### SLATES

The No Flap Clean Cut Message Production.

#### SILKS

The Knutty Silk Unties and Reties itself.

#### SILKS AND BALLS

- (1) Colour Changing Ball.
- (2) Miller Drop.
- (3) Miller Changeover.

- (1) The Phantom Purse.
- (2) The Finger Palm.
- (3) Vanish of a Handful of Coins (explained in Part Three).
- (4) Coin Vanishes and Reproductions. A—The Sneaky Sleeve Vanish. B—Around the Thumb Palm. C-Back of the Hand Vanish.

End of Part Two.

#### PART THREE

#### "HOLD OUT MAGIC" THE LAST WORD IN MYSTERY

- (1) Explanation of the Sleeve Pull . . . The Flat Clip and Ball Holder.
- (2) Exercise for the Working of the Pull and various Manipulation and Moves
- (3) The Ball through the Cup.
- (4) Production of Balls from a Silk.
- (5) Vanish and Reproduction of a Silk. (6) The Silk to Egg with the Hold Out.
- (7) The Bill in the Lemon.
- (8) Squash-Vanish and Reproduction of Glass of Liquid.
- (9) Vanishing Wand or Pencil.
- (10) Cut and Restored Rope.
- (11) Vanish of a Handful of Loose Coins.
- (12) The Colour Changing Silk.
- (13) Sucker Explanation for Changing Silk.
- (14) Jack Miller Egg Bag (no pocket).
- (15) The Sucker Explanation of the Egg Bag.

#### THE BALL AND FINGER ROLL.

The End.

#### FRIDAY, 23rd September

6.30 p.m. for 7 p.m.

## Convention Banquet

at

#### QUEEN'S HOTEL

Hastings

Toastmaster: LES DOWNHAM

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MENU

Prawn Cocktail

Cream of Tomato

Fillet of Sole Mornay

Poussin Polonaise Garden Peas Croquette Potatoes

Souffle I.B.M.

Petit Fours

Coffee

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TOAST LIST

THE QUEEN
Proposed by The President.

THE COUNTY BOROUGH OF HASTINGS
Proposed by Henry Francis, President of the Order of the Magi.
Response by The Mayor of Hastings, Alderman C. Barfoot.

THE BRITISH RING, I.B.M.
Proposed by Dr. Victor Trask, International Ambassador of Goodwill, Society of American Magicians.
Response by The President.

THE LADIES AND VISITORS
Proposed by Victor Peacock.
Response by M. Walter Muller, (Belgium) Chairman of 1961
F.L.S.M. International Congress Committee.

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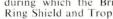


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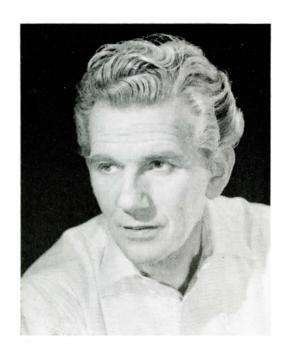
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This competition shall be open to all paid up members of Ring 25 (The British Ring) International Brotherhood of Magicians. There shall be two main awards as follows:—

- 1. The Zina Bennett Trophy and a silver replica valued at £4 4s, which shall be awarded to the competitor presenting in the opinion of the judges, the most novel magical entertaining act.
- 2. A Cash award of £3 to be presented to the runner-up.

Micro Magic for the purpose of this competition shall be defined as magic generally termed 'Table Magic'. The entertainment to be given should not include tricks suitable for platform use, and the inclusion of such tricks will mean a loss of marks. It is an entertainment intended for the most intimate audience. CARD TRICKS of any kind are precluded from this competition.

The length of the performer's act shall be not less than four and not more than eight minutes. Warning will be given either audibly or visually when seven minutes have elapsed and should a performer exceed the maximum time of eight minutes he will be disqualified when eight and a half minutes have elapsed and such disqualification shall be announced by the judges.

**INSTRUCTIONS TO THE JUDGES** of whom there shall be no more than five nor less than three. One to be appointed as Chairman.

Each judge shall keep his own record and no comparison with any other judge shall be allowed. At the conclusion of the competition each judge shall hand his marking paper to the Chairman of the judges and from their findings will announce the name of the winner and the runner-up.

The points which shall decide the judges in their voting shall be:—

- 1. The overall magical content.
- 2. Technical ability and handling.
- 3. Entertainment value of tricks used.
- Originality in the trick per se or in technical ability.
- 5. Manner of presentation.
- 6. Whether the routine is truly Micro Magic.



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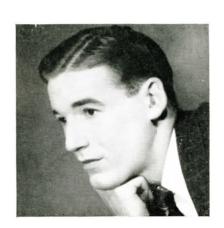
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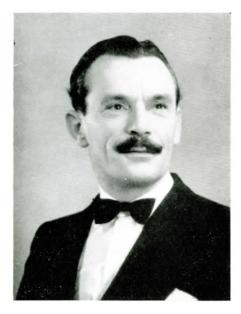
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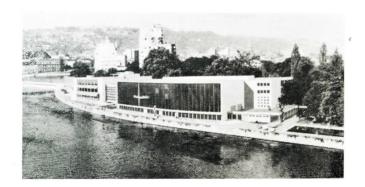


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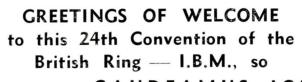
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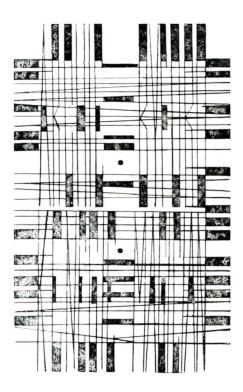
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