

**THE INTERNATIONAL  
BROTHERHOOD  
OF  
MAGICIANS  
BRITISH RING  
No 25  
54th ANNUAL  
CONVENTION  
1990**



**EASTBOURNE**



# THE BRITISH RING

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**BRITISH RING No. 25**



## **PRESIDENTIAL GREETINGS**

*This, our 54th Annual Convention, is the culmination of nearly two year's planning by the Secretary, the Treasurer and your conscientious Committee. I am delighted that it should be held in Eastbourne, one of the Ring's favourite venues.*

*Early registrations were at record levels and there will be many visitors from abroad who Sue and I will look forward to greeting.*

*Apart from careful preparation, a convention can only be run smoothly through the help of a large band of Organisers, Stewards and Backstage Helpers, all of whom I would like to thank on your behalf.*

*It has been both an honour and a privilege to serve as your President. We have had a wonderful year and this convention is the climax. Thank you for coming . . . . and have a wonderful time.*

**Ken de Courcy**

President, British Ring No. 25  
International Brotherhood of Magicians





## **EASTBOURNE 1990**

### **THE INTERNATIONAL PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE**

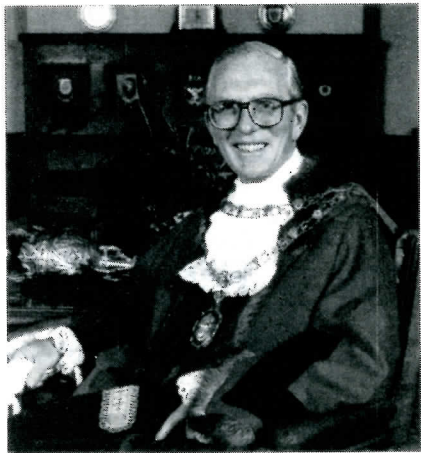
It is a particular pleasure to attend the British Convention at Eastbourne this year as President of the International Brotherhood of Magicians, because I was fortunate enough to attend the Convention at Eastbourne in 1986. The opportunity to return is most welcome and I thank you for inviting me. I enjoy it here so very much.

It is an additional pleasure because on my first visit I had recently become a widower. Now I am remarried and quite excited about exposing Betty Lou to the pleasures and charms of Eastbourne. Also for both of us it is one more opportunity to enjoy the company of many friends we have made in the world of British Magic. What a wonderful world.

On behalf of all our members everywhere, I bring to our largest Ring our best wishes for another great Convention.

**MICHAEL ELLIS**  
*(International President)*





### MESSAGE FROM THE WORSHIPFUL THE MAYOR

It gives me particular pleasure to welcome all the Delegates attending the 54th Annual Convention (British Ring No. 25) of the International Brotherhood of Magicians to Eastbourne this September.

It will come as a surprise to you, I have no doubt, when I say that I have known your Hon. Organising Secretary, Mr. Jeffery Atkins, since boyhood. We were, in fact, at school together. It was through him and his outstanding prowess in the art that my interest in matters magical was aroused. This has remained as an abiding interest ever since.

Delegates will be able to understand, therefore, what a special Convention this will be for me and I look forward very much indeed to being with you.

I know that you will be well looked after by our Director of Tourism and Leisure and his Staff, and that you will enjoy Eastbourne's climate at this time of year. There is plenty to do and to see for the families of Delegates and their friends, including the Military Museum at the Redoubt Fortress, the Exhibitions and Local History Museum at Towner Art Gallery, and the Sovereign Centre for swimming, among many other attractions.

I wish the Convention a successful course and a satisfying conclusion.

**AUBREY VICKERS**  
Mayor





Tuesday September 25th  
20.00 hours

Floral Hall

# **MEET YOUR FRIENDS**

*and watch some*

# **CLOSE-UP MAGIC**

**ROVI**  
*and*  
**friends**

*will be happy to amaze you at your table*

**ON REQUEST**

From 21.00 hours onward those who have registered by post can  
collect Registrations



Wednesday September 26th  
09.45 hours

Floral Hall

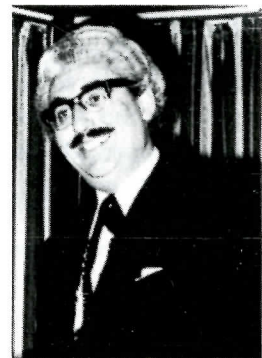
# **Dealers' Demonstration**

*Where you can see a sample of the items on sale  
in the dealers' hall*



*arranged by*  
**TONY SHELLEY**

*assisted by*  
**DOUG JONES**





Wednesday September 26th  
11.00 hours

Floral Hall

# FIRST STAR LECTURE

*by*

# ★ **MAGIC HANDS** ★

(Manfred Thumm)

**TIPS & TRICKS**

you should not miss

*introduced by*

***Peter Scarlett***



Wednesday September 26th  
12.00 hours

Wish Tower  
Slopes

# THE AMAZING Mr BAILY

*proudly presents*

# **ZETA**

**DYNAMITE SENSATION**

**RUSSIAN ROULETTE with HIGH EXPLOSIVES!**

**TREMENDOUS !**

**NERVEWRACKING !**

**THRILLING !**

introduced by **TERRY HERBERT**





Wednesday September 26th  
14.30 hours

Congress Theatre

OFFICIAL OPENING  
of the  
1990 CONVENTION

by *THE PRESIDENT*  
Ken de Courcy Esq

*in the presence of His Worship*  
THE MAYOR OF EASTBOURNE  
Councillor AUBREY VICKERS

*followed by*

**RING UP THE CURTAIN**

*Introduced by*  
PAUL DIAMOND

*with*

***RICH BLOCH***



FLUKE

***"FLUKE"***

***HENRIQUE***

***MAXIM***

***STEVE WALKER***



MAXIM

*At the Organ*  
KEITH HURFORD

*At the Drums*  
BERNARD McGOVERN







Wednesday September 26th  
16.30 hours

Gold Room

*Ted Whebell*

*will introduce*

# THE DAVID BERGLAS CHAT SHOW

during which David will introduce some of the

★ ★ **Magical Personalities** ★ ★

**attending our Convention**

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★ *THE EDDIE DEXTER WELFARE STAND* ★

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**GIFTS ★ NOVELTIES ★ RAFFLES ★ COMPETITIONS**

*Please support your Welfare Stand*

Why not buy your "take home presents" here?

*Cynthia Neptune and her helpers look forward to meeting all Conventioneers  
at the stand and thank everyone for their support.*

**DON'T MISS THE AUCTION OF UNSOLD GOODS AND PRE-USED  
MAGICAL APPARATUS, BOOKS AND MEMORABILIA**

*At approximately mid-day on Saturday*





# **WELCOME to our OVERSEAS VISITORS**

*who are requested to meet*  
**Mr. Barry Laymond**  
*in the entrance to the*  
**WINTER GARDEN**  
*at 20.00 hours*

*on WEDNESDAY SEPTEMBER 26th*

*Prior to the Civic Reception*

*and who are invited to a*

## **COCKTAIL PARTY**

*kindly given by*

His Worship  
**The MAYOR of EASTBOURNE**  
**Councillor AUBREY VICKERS**

*at*

**THE TOWN HALL**  
*at 10.00 hours on Saturday September 29th*

If you wish to attend please apply for a ticket at the Registration Office





Wednesday September 26th  
20.30 hours

Floral Hall

# CIVIC RECEPTION BALL & CABARET

by kind invitation of  
**THE MAYOR & MAYORESS OF EASTBOURNE**  
**Councillor & Mrs. Aubrey Vickers**  
who together with the President of the British Ring  
will receive the

## OVERSEAS VISITORS

Dancing to

### SOUNDS EASY

★ ★ ★ **CABARET** ★ ★ ★

**DENNIS & BRENDA HOWELL**  
present

### THE NEW CAPITOL DANCERS

from BBC's "COME DANCING"

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### ROGER JOHN & COMPANY

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Flagbearers: Pupils of THE SYLVIA BYFORD SCHOOL OF DANCING

DRESS: Dinner Jacket or Dark Lounge Suit

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### TOMBOLA STAND HELENE STRACHAN AND HELPERS



Look forward to meeting you all at the Tombola Stand, please come along and give us your support. All the proceeds are for our **Benevolent Fund**.

We would like to take this opportunity of thanking all the Members who have given Gifts and help in any way, and it is so encouraging to be able to count on so many generous friends.

Yours sincerely  
**HELENE AND HELPERS**





# ★ DEALERS' MAGICAL TRADE FAIR ★

*arranged by Tony Shelley  
assisted by Doug Jones*

★★ held in The Exhibition Hall adjacent to The Winter Garden ★★

<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>9.30 - 17.30</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>9.30 - 17.30</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>9.30 - 17.00</b>
<b>Saturday</b>	<b>9.30 - 17.30</b>
<b>Sunday</b>	<b>9.30 - 12.00</b>

*The following Magical Dealers will be represented:*

Magic Books by Post Castle Magic Alan Warner Mini Magic Mark Leveridge Magic Stephen Tucker Magic Dan Dearing Deceptions Goodliffe Publications Elizabeth McMillan Bookseller Playtime Balloons Progetto Magia Quality Props Presto Magic Tom Owen Hamilton Kaye Guaranteed Magic Hocus Pocus Magic Ron Gilbert Magic Hands Taurus Magic Supplies Magic By Design British Ring Sales Fantasio Magic Paul Diamond Peter Kersten Mike Caveney Marvin's Magic	R A R Magic M J R Entertainments Ltd Patrick Page Tony Curtis Magic Mel Harvey Productions Repro Magic Krazy Rabbit Rootlecraft Miss Terry Banshee Magic Supreme Magic Co Terry and Norma M & M Enterprises Magictrix Camtryx Bradford Magic Studio Practical Magic International Magic Emerson & West Hank Moorehouse Kovari Magic Mike Shelley Collectors Workshop John Cornelius Heinz Minten Opus Magazine
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Sound Ideas

*The organisers would like to thank all the Dealers for appearing at this British Ring Convention.  
It is hoped that Conventioneers will support the Dealers in their efforts.*

## THE CRAIG TROPHY

*This will be awarded to the Dealer presenting the most attractive display at the exhibition.*

**ENTRANCE BY CONVENTION BADGE ONLY**







# HOSPITAL & SPECIAL VENUE SHOWS EASTBOURNE 1990

## WEDNESDAY EVENING 26th SEPTEMBER

## & THURSDAY AFTERNOON 27th SEPTEMBER

★ ★ PLEASE NOTE....DATES & TIMES ★ ★

MAPS will be available from myself at 12 noon by the WELFARE STAND on THURSDAY when I will be available to deal with any final queries.

Yours very sincerely LES NOTTLE, Organiser

MAP REFERENCES as in EASTBOURNE HOLIDAY GUIDE available from TOURIST OFFICE

### WEDNESDAY Evening 26th September

#### MENTALLY HANDICAPPED ADULTS

Map Ref: K10 (7.30pm - 8.30pm)  
**ARCHER YOUTH CLUB**  
 Seaside corner of Churchdale  
 David Poppy  
 Sid Slavny  
 Reporter.....

### THURSDAY Afternoon SCHOOLS SHOWS 27th September

Map Ref: C.8 (1.45pm - 2.45pm)  
**THE DOWNS SCHOOL**  
 Beechy Avenue  
 Combined with Lindfield School  
 5-14 years  
 Stage Manager ..... Roy Woodgate  
 Compere/Host ..... Ali Cardabra  
 Andrew Bryant  
 David Haggerty  
 Margaret E. MacLean  
 Terry Coats  
 Tony the Magician  
 Reporter.....

Map Ref: J.18 (1.45pm - 2.45pm)  
**HAZEL COURT SCHOOL**  
 Shinewater Lane Via Milfoil Drive  
 Handicapped  
 5-16 years  
 Stage Manager ..... Harry Hayes  
 Compere/Host .....  
 Dennis Tubbs  
 Keno & Pamela  
 Arthur Setterington  
 Wally Boyce  
 Reporter..... Stephen Holloway



LES NOTTLE

### THURSDAY Afternoon ADULT SHOWS PLEASE NOTE TIMES

Map Ref: I.4 (3pm - 4pm)  
**PALM COURT HOTEL**  
 R.N.I.B Holiday Hotel  
 Burlington Road  
 Blind Adults  
 Stage Manager .....  
 Compere/Host .....  
 Pianist..... Esther Richards  
 Ron & Nancy Spencer  
 Reporter.....

Map Ref: I.6 (2.15pm - 3.15pm)  
**AGE CONCERN pop-in Club**  
 Church Hall  
 Langley Road  
 Close-up  
 Stage Manager ..... David Pearson  
 Compere/Host ..... Fred Buttress  
 Pianist.....  
 Bill Shewan  
 Michael Seacome  
 Brian Barnes  
 Frank F. Dailey  
 Toni Nansen  
 David Poppy  
 Reporter.....

Map Ref: G.2 (2.30pm - 3.15pm)  
**ALL SAINTS HOSPITAL**  
 King Edward Parade  
 Elderly and Stroke  
 Stage  
 Stage Manager ..... Bob Downing  
 Compere/Host ..... Philip Southwood  
 Pianist..... Charles Wilson  
 Jim Cuthbert  
 Robert  
 David Marshall  
 Ina Cuthbert  
 Reporter.....

Map Ref: F.11 (3pm - 4pm)  
**EASTBOURNE GENERAL HOSPITAL**  
 Kings Drive 65 years +  
 Tour of Jevington-Selmston  
 Pevensy and Wilmington Wards  
 Stage Manager .....  
 Compere/Host ..... Rovi  
 Terry Jones  
 Ernie Tongue  
 Bob Collyer  
 Reporter..... Diane O'Brien

Map Ref: G.2 (2.15pm - 3.15pm)  
**CHASELEY HOME for DISABLED**  
 South Cliff  
 Ex Service Men (Wheels Chairs)  
 Stage/Close-up  
 Stage Manager ..... Les Brooks  
 Compere/Host ..... Mary Poppins  
 Pianist.....  
 Bob Averill  
 Doctor Bondini  
 De-Jay  
 Reporter..... Arnold Isaacs

Map Ref: I.6 (3.30pm - 5pm)  
**SOCIAL CENTRE**  
 Longstone Road  
 Venue and audience of Senior Citizens  
 arranged by Eastbourne LIONS CLUB  
 INTERNATIONAL  
 Stage  
 Stage Manager ..... Ian Gardner  
 Compere/Host ..... El Rico  
 Pianist/Organ ..... Dennis Bussey  
 Michael Symes  
 Ian Wesley  
 Allen Oldfield  
 Bob Hayden  
 Sid Slavny  
 Reporter..... Dennis Patten

Presidential Transport: Brian Miller

Reserves: Dara Kaka, Hugh Cecil

I.B.M. Clown Band consisting of Reg Allan - The Rann Family - Sheila - Taffy - Dez Collora - Lightning etc will visit some of the venues.

The above teams are subject to change, please see reports in THE BUDGET for final list of participants.

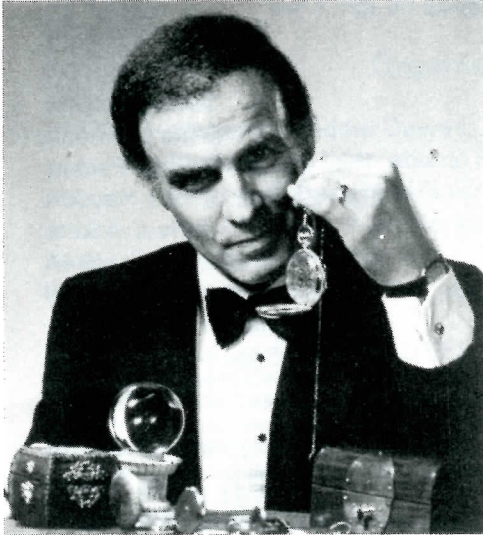




Thursday September 27th  
14.15 hours

Floral Hall

★ STAR LECTURE ★



*Jeffrey Atkins*  
*will introduce*

**RICH BLOCH**  
*of*  
**COLLECTORS'**  
**WORKSHOP**

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Thursday September 27th  
14.30 hours

Congress Restaurant

**LADIES AFTERNOON**

THE BRITISH RING LADIES' COMMITTEE  
have pleasure in presenting a demonstration

**COOKING MADE EASY**  
**WITH A**  
**FOOD PROCESSOR**





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 Jack Mayes & Richard Stupple  
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 Jeffery Atkins & Ali Bongo  
 Peter Scarlett  
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 Cynthia Neptune  
 Ted Whebell  
 Rovi  
 Robert Hayden

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## IMPORTANT NOTICE

The Video recording of any item during the Convention is strictly forbidden without the prior permission of both the Artist and the Organiser.



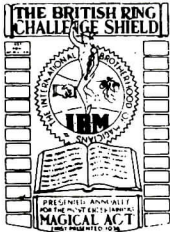




Thursday September 27th

Congress Theatre

19.30 hours



The competition for the  
NEW SILVER

# BRITISH RING SHIELD

Organised by JOHN PALFREYMAN

**JUDGES:** Chairman: Eddie Dawes,  
Michael Ellis International President I.B.M. (U.S.A.), Dale Salwak (U.S.A.)  
Valerie Roberts Eastbourne Conference Organiser, Mary Stuppel,  
Jon Marshall, Alan Kennaugh

At the Organ: Keith Hurford  
Stage Manager: Ron Langhorn

At the Drums: Bernard McGovern  
Timekeeper: Tony Brooks  
Assisted by: Les Brooks

## RULES AND AWARDS

Rules relating to the Competition the awards of which are:

1. **THE NEW SILVER BRITISH RING SHIELD and Cash Prize.**  
This will be awarded for the most entertaining magic act and is held for one year.
2. **THE CONVENTIONEERS TROPHY**  
The greatest originality shown in effect, method or presentation and is held for one year
3. **THE CRAIG TROPHY**  
For the performance by a lady magician who, in the opinion of the judges is worthy of this prize, and is held for one year.  
**THEO SPEAKER CUP and Cash Prize for runner-up** To be held for one year.  
**THIRD PRIZE - Cash Prize and Silver Wand presented by ALASTAIR**  
**TOM HARRIS CUP (Comedy)** (donated by Tom Harris)  
**DITTA SHIELD (Manipulation)**

THE INTERNATIONAL BROTHERHOOD OF MAGICIANS BRITISH RING No.25.

Rules governing the British Ring Shield competition and other major awards to be competed at the annual convention.

1. The competitions shall be open to all members of the British Ring providing:-(1) They are accepted and fully paid up members, or (2) application for membership has been received by the Hon. Secretary not later than the last day of June preceeding the Competition
2. The Management Committee of the society shall appoint six Judges, comprising magical and lay. They shall also appoint a chairperson who shall be a member of the society. In the event of a tie the chairperson shall have the casting vote.
3. If any member of the panel of judges has been responsible for the production, tuition or guidance by way of advice to any competitor or feels that any personal relationship would be an embarrassment, then the Hon Secretary must be informed, and the said Judge stand down, and a replacement shall be made.
4. There is no bar upon the number of awards that a competitor can win; it is possible for a male entrant to win the British Ring Shield, the Conventioneers Trophy, the Ditta Shield and the Tom Harris cup, whilst a lady entrant could win the British Ring Shield, the Tom Harris Cup, The Ditta Shield, Conventioneers Trophy, and the Craig Trophy.
5. The length of a competitor's act shall not exceed TEN minutes. At the end of NINE minutes a Yellow warning light will come on and a buzzer sound. At the end of TEN minutes a RED light will come on. If a Competitor continues beyond TEN and a HALF minutes then that will constitute automatic disqualification, and as such this will be announced prior to the next act competing.
6. All acts will be judged accordingly for all Awards.
7. The Judges shall have the power to withhold any award if, in their opinion, the act or acts do not reach the required standard.
8. A previous British Ring Shield winner shall not be allowed to enter and present the SAME ACT. There is, however, no bar to the presentation of a different act.
9. Any competitor who has taken part in the Competition for three successive years and failed to qualify for an award shall, unless the Committee of Management deem otherwise, have a waiting period of two years before entering again.
10. Each Competitor will be allowed TWO minutes (MAXIMUM) to set the act. This will be timed by the Stage Manager.
11. The opening and closing acts will be decided by draw, the remaining acts drawn by style of act and the Competition running order put together to obtain the best balance of variety. It is THEREFORE ESSENTIAL that the Competition Questionnaire is filled in as fully as possible.
12. The Presentation of every act shall be considered as family entertainment and be in good taste.
13. The Closing date of the Competition entries shall be not less than SIX WEEKS prior to the Convention, and CONFIRMATION OF SUCH ENTRY WILL BE ON RECEIPT OF THE COMPETITION QUESTIONNAIRE, BY THE COMPETITION ORGANISER.
14. Any matter not covered by the foregoing rules shall be decided by the Committee of Management whose decision shall be final.
15. All trophy winners shall hold their award for a period of one year, or until the following Convention, which ever is the lesser, and such award must be returned to the Competition Organiser at the Convention Hotel in a presentable condition at least one day prior to the day scheduled for the Competition.
16. UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES will the printed running order of the Competition be changed. Any artiste finding the order inconvenient due to professional or any other commitments will have to withdraw from the Competition.





# THE BRITISH RING SHIELD COMPETITION RUNNING ORDER

- |                                  |  |
|----------------------------------|--|
| 1 ROMANOFF & JULIETTE - Wallasey | 9 MICHELE - Frimley Green              |
| 2 CHARLES PEMBERTON - London     | 10 NAFFO THE FABULOUS - London         |
| 3 PAUL KYBERT - Banbury          | 11 DAVID CHARLES - Nottingham          |
| 4 LEO BOND - Welling             | 12 MAGIC PRINCE M. R. TONY - Bangedesh |
| 5 DOCTOR BONDINI - Cambridge     | 13 MICHAEL MALLINSON - Swindon         |
| 6 CAMILLE - Preston              | 14 NATHAN De BRETT - Harlow            |
| 7 ANDY - Coulsdon                | 15 JANET CLARE - Tunbridge Wells       |
| 8 ERIC SHARP - Pontyclun         | 16 MERSON GRANT & LOUISE - Buckie      |

TEN MINUTE INTERVAL

TWENTY MINUTE INTERVAL

- 17 RICHARD GRIFFIN - Enfield
- 18 LEN BLEASE - Walton-on-the-Naze
- 19 AQUARIUS - Leeds
- 20 ROBERT JOHN - Bangor
- 21 SU JAYNE - Whitley Bay
- 22 JOHN HOLMES - Barrow in Furness
- 23 STUART BROWN - Derby
- 24 ALI CARDABRA - London



**JOHN PALFREYMAN**  
*Competition Organiser*

Band Call will be at 15.00 hours in the Congress Theatre and will be taken in strict running order. Anyone late for their 'call' will have to wait until the running order has been completed.

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## ★ ★ CLOSE-UP SESSION ★ ★

*will take place each night at the Lansdowne Hotel  
after programmed events*

### ROVI

*will arrange performers for your entertainment*





Friday September 28th  
09.15 hours

Floral Hall

# ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING and Election of Officers for 1990/91

Members only admitted

Printed Agenda and Copies of Accounts will be available



## FROM THE CHIEF WELFARE OFFICER

During the year many of our members are faced with sickness or fall on hard times. We want them to know that they are remembered especially at convention time when so many of us are able to meet and enjoy a programme rich with magic and fellowship.

Thank you to all our welfare officers who keep me in touch, and greetings again to all with whom I correspond on behalf of the British Ring.

**MICHAEL SEACOME**  
*Chief Welfare Officer*  
*British Ring No 25, I.B.M.*

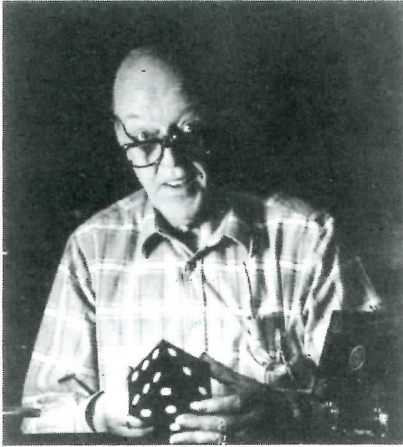




Friday September 28th  
10.45 hours

Floral Hall

# ★ STAR LECTURE ★



TERRY HERBERT

*will introduce*

*from Holland*

# ANVERDI



Friday September 28th  
11.55 hours

Floral Hall

# ★ STAR LECTURE ★

JANET CLARE

*will introduce*

*from CALIFORNIA*

# MIKE CAVENEY





Friday September 28th  
14.30 hours

Congress Theatre

**EDDIE DAWES**

*presents*

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Friday September 28th  
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Congress Theatre  
Doors open 21.30 hours

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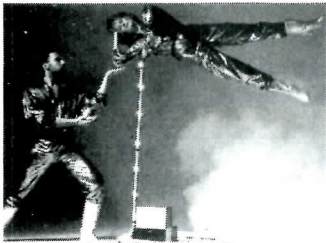
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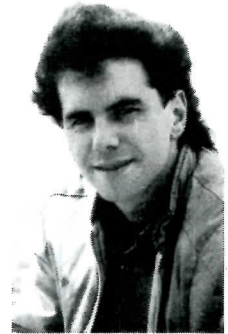
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# STAR LECTURE

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Saturday September 29th  
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Old Town Hall

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Saturday September 29th  
12.00 hours

Gold Room

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PAUL DIAMOND - U.S.A.  
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Saturday September 29th  
15.00 hours

Floral Hall

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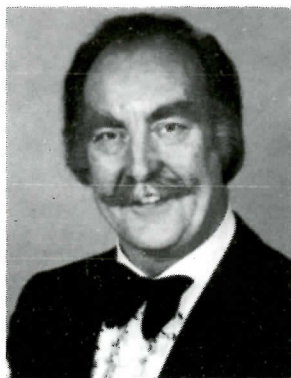
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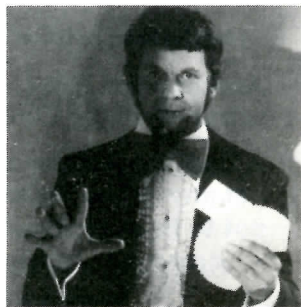
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Sunday September 30th  
10.45 hours

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Sunday September 30th  
11.30 hours

Floral Hall

# INSTALLATION of our NEW PRESIDENT **ALAN SHAXON**

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Arranged by Ted and Rene Whebell





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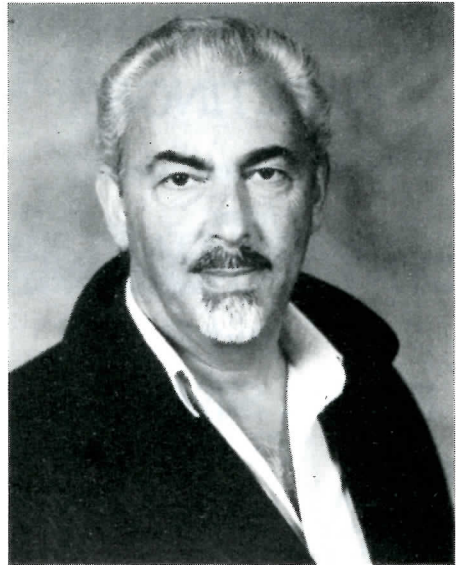




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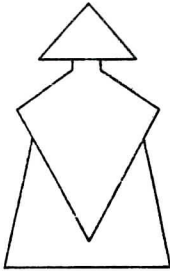


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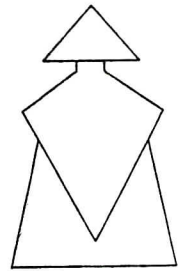
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1950	Louis Martelle	1973	The Waldos
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1952	Peter Warlock	1975	Brian Miller & Audrey
1953	Elizabeth Warlock	1976	Sam & Joy Mallinson
1954	Derrick Speight	1977	Martin Scott-Price
1955	Devolyn & Irene	1978	Brian Sefton
1956	Geoff Gregson	1979	Not Awarded
1957	Ron MacMillan	1980	Josephine
1958	Marjorie Waddell	1981	Crisco
1959	Ralph Hall & Mollie	1982	Not Awarded
1960	Larry Spencer	1983	Marc & Jane
1961	Robert Sinclair	1984	Richard Kyall & Joanna
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