

CALLS—OCTOBER 11

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Theatre

ABERDEEN: His Majesty's. — (Howard & Wyndham). The Corrie.
ASHTON UNDER LYNE: Tamside. — Old Time Music Hall. — Don Ellis.
BASILDON: Towngate Theatre. — "City Sugar". Lewis Collins. Stacy Tisdale. (11, 12).
BATHE: Theatre Royal. — "Once More With Music". Cecily Courtenage. Jack Hulbert.
BIRMINGHAM: Forum. — "Separate Tables". John Mills, Jill Bennett.
BIRMINGHAM: Alexandra. — "The Student Prince". John Hanson.
BIRMINGHAM: Hippodrome (Moss). — "The Desert Song". (amateur).
BOURNEMOUTH: Pavilion. — "D'Oyly Carte Opera Company".
BRADFORD: Alhambra. — "Stop The World. I Want To Get Off".
BRIGHTON: Theatre Royal. — "Lucy Crown". Carroll Baker. Roy Dore.
BRISTOL: Hippodrome (Moss). — "Glyndebourne Touring Opera".
CAMBRIDGE: Arts. — "Present Laughter". "The Rivals". "Home".

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NORWICH: Mademur. — "The Misanthrope".
NOTTINGHAM: Theatre Royal. — "Norwich Triennial Festival".
NOTTINGHAM: Playhouse. — "Othello".
NOTTINGHAM: Theatre Royal (Moss). — "To Dorothy A Son".
NOTTINGHAM: Louise Phillips, Amanda Brann, (Renee Stephens).
NOTTINGHAM: New. — (Howard & Wyndham). Concert Week.
NOTTINGHAM: Ashton Pavilion. — "Spider's Web". Elizabeth Lamer (Renee Stephens).
SOUTHAMPTON: Gaumont. — "London Festival Ballet".
SOUTHEAST: King's. — "Love's Labour's Lost". New Shakespeare Company.
SUNDERLAND: Empire. — "Many A Naked Bird". Jack Smurthwaite (Malcolm Knight).
SUNDERLAND: Woodlands Theatre. — "Relatively Speaking".
SUNDERLAND: Woodlands Theatre Group.
SWANSEA: Grand. — "Wild Duck".
SWINDON: Wyvern. — "Kennedy's Children".
TORQUAY: Prices. — "The Bride Makes Three".
WARWICK: University Arts Centre. — "Music To Murder By" (12-16). Henry McGee, Jack Walling (Renee Stephens).
WATFORD: Palace. — "The School For Scandal".
WHITEHAVEN: Wimbledon Theatre. — "Dear Daddy". Nigel Wimbledon.
WINDSOR: Theatre Royal. — "The Earl and the Pussycat".
WOLVERHAMPTON: Grand. — "Double Edge". Margaret Lockwood, Peter Byrne (Renee Stephens).

Clubs

ABERAVON: Big Club. — "Sight 'n' Sound, Trilogy, Ricky Lomas, Norman, Dave Smith, Tris (Burgin-Hughes).
BATLEY: Variety Club. — "Brotherhood of Man, Neen Ryles, Donna Coleman, Zaneeda, Bruce Allen (Burgin-Hughes).
BIRMINGHAM: La Dolce Vita. — "Tommy Hunt".
BIRMINGHAM: M & B Touring Circuit. — "Ian Lee, Martin & Julie, Duke Sound (Tony York Associates).
BIRMINGHAM: Night Out. — "Four Tops Ricki Pisoni, Patti Commers, Mury Morning, Jean Clarke's Night Out Dancers, Eddie Gray Orchestra (London Management).
BIRMINGHAM: Cavendish. — "King Sune Goteborgsrockarna, Terry Denton (Burgin-Hughes).
BIRMINGHAM: Jenkinson's Cabaret Bar. — "Greengage".
CARPHILL: Club Double Diamond. — "Roger De Courcy, Julie Thursday, Dennis Bullen Sextet (London Management).
CAMBRIDGE: Lakeside Country Club. — "Carl Wayne, Les Dennis".

VGS CHAMPIONSHIP DECLARED VOID

The VGS Championship for 1976 has been declared void. The reason is because this is a 36-hole event and must be played by London players on Wednesday and Thursday, 18 holes each day, at Kingswood. Unfortunately on the Thursday, Kingswood was closed. So the Committee declared the Championship void.

Next year, however, the Championship will be played on the same day, a Wednesday, over 27 holes, 18 in the morning and 9 in the afternoon.

LATEST RESULTS:

Sir Oswald Stoll Bowl: London winner KEN WOLSTENHOLME 81-16-65; provinces — KEN WOOD 78-14-64 at St. Annes Old Links, Blackpool. Miki and Grit Trophy: WILLIE FAUX, 38 pts at Sudbury; KEN MOSLEY 42 pts at Bognor. Sidney Jerome Cup: KENNY DAY 35 pts. at Sudbury; JERRY STEVENS 33 pts (won on last nine). Doris MacDonnell Bowl: GRIFF GIFFITHS 76-11-65 at Fulwell; LES RAWLINGS 75-5-71 at Blackpool. — ANDY GRAY.

L.C.P.A.

On Wednesday 29th September, the LONDON CONCERT PARTIES' ASSOCIATION held the first of the Social/Concerts of the Autumn Season at The Black Horse, Rathbone Place, W.1.

A very pleasant evening ensued with the Association's Chairman HARRY CLARK in the Chair, presenting a strong programme of artists who were — IVY ESTA entertaining at the piano and accompanying, GLENDA WILKINSON brilliantly playing her piano accordion, DICKIE DUNFORD with his particular brand of rumbustious humour, CARMINETTA, singer and dancer making welcome initial appearance for the Association, and TOM BOWEN, singing his tenor songs that are so much to the liking of the Members.

The next Social/Concert will take place on Wednesday 20th October at The Black Horse, W.1.

COCKNEY comedian MIKE REID is to top the cabaret bill at the Circus Tavern, Purfleet, for a week commencing on Sunday, October 31. He is one of several comedians booked for the Essex venue.

Other star comics booked to appear at the club within the next few weeks are PAUL MELBA and JIMMY JONES.

The much-hailed singer TONY MONOPOLY completes a weeks season at the club on Saturday. Other vocalists booked for future dates are JOE BROWN, FRANK IFIELD and VAL DOONICAN.

CHARNOCK RICHARD: Park Hall. — Colin Crompton, Pete & Mary Mason, Noel Burns Jr. The Geoff Moore Sound (Leisure Entertainment).
CHESTERFIELD: Aquarius. — Hughie Green, Bobby Crush, Jan Curry, Victor Burnett.
DERBY: Baileys. — Tavares, Merseybeats.
EASTBOURNE: King's Country Club. — Champagne (13-16).
HEREFORD: Peter Bonner Duo, Mick Urrey Orchestra (London Management).
HOLWORTH: Holywood Inn. — The Minnetimers (A.I.R.).
HOLWORTH: Crystal Rooms. — Ronnie Dukes & Ricky Lee, Terry Courtney, Dave & Pauline Conway, The Pete Kelly Sound (J.M.E.).
HORSHAM: Arts Centre Christ's Hospital. — Kent Opera Hull.
LEICESTER: Baileys. — Shangi Las, Tavares, Bobby Hopkins.
LONDON: Aphrodites. — Julie West.
LONDON: Quaglines. — Bob Arnau.
LONDON: Ronnie Scotts. — Illinois Jacquet Trio, Ronnie Scott Quartet.
LONDON: Savoy. — Los Reales Del Paraguay.
LONDON: Talk of the Town. — Julie Rogers.
LUTON: Cears Palace. — Gene Pitney, Tony Dowling, Gerry Brooke, Geoff Walker Orchestra (London Management).
MADENHEAD: Silver Stiller Combo. — Jess Conrad, Dave Cole, Tony Morris.
MALTA: Presha. — Leapy Lee (A.I.R.).
MANCHESTER: Duke of Wellington Cabaret Lounge. — Dudley Doolittle, Bill Tarmey, Blanche, Finlay, Tony York, Duke Sound (Tony York Associates).
MANCHESTER: Silver Stiller Combo. — Jess Conrad, Dave Cole, Tony Morris.
MANCHESTER: Golden Garter. — Wilma Reading, Stu Francis, Kevin Kent, Sheila Marie, Jean Clarke's Touch of Gold Dancers, Pete Brown Showband (London Management).
MANCHESTER: Peco Peco. — Chris Evans (S.H.C.).

talk of the North. — Cannon & Ball, Mark Peters, Alan Beale, Talk of the North Trio, The Images, Johnny Mansell (Bridgewater).
MORECAMBE: Morecambe Bowl. — Pink Elephant (S.H.C.).
NATH: Landdown Towers. — The Minnetimers (A.I.R.).
NEWCASTLE: La Dolce Vita. — Silhouette.
NOTTINGHAM: Heart of the Midlands. — Lena Martell, Mark Gerald, Judi Peers, Steve Sabre, Heart of the Midlands Trio, Alan Roper (Bridgewater).
OLDHAM: Baileys. — One Fine Day, Jimmy James & The Vagabonds.
PLYMOUTH: Embassy II Club. — Rivendell.
RYE: New Tito's. — Bryn Phillips, David Sebastian Bach, Bob Potter Trio, Tito's Rhythm Machine (Kenneth Earle).
ST AGNES: Talk of the West. — Johnny Tudor (10-13), Mike Varwood (14-16), Reflections (Sue Maltner).
SHEFFIELD: Baileys. — Magic.
SOLIHULL: New Cresta. — Mike Reid, Jenny Darren, Tony Barton, Bernie Chinn Band, Mike Harris (Applause Unlimited).
SOUTH SHIELDS: Variety Club. — The Fortunes.
SPENNYMOOR: Top Hat. — The Don Juan (A.I.R.).
STOCKPORT: Peco-a-Peco. — Tony Monopoly.
STOCKPORT: Club Fiesta. — The Fortunes.
STOKE: Bikes. — Drifters, Sherman Brothers.
STOURPORT-ON-AVERN: Severn Manor Hotel. — Tweed, Maggie Cole (Jamm).
SWINDON: The Affair. — Les, Dave Paskett, The First Fanfair, Johnny Daylight (An N. Reid).
TONYREAF: Meadow Vale Country Club. — Martin Dale (Sandy Mackenzie).
USK: Helms International. — Leah Bell, Dave Cunningham, Clem Raymond, The International Lovelies, Alan Phillips, Equinox.
WAKEFIELD: Theatre Club. — Bob Monkhouse, Colin Robbins & Angie Dean, Viv Hatam Dancers, Willie Hirst Band.

WATFORD: Baileys. — Marmalade, Tavares, Mike Henson.
WESTON-SUPER-MARE: Webington Country Club. — Dave Evans, Brenda Marsh.
WHITLEY BAY: Sands Club. — Royal Variety Show (A.I.R.).
WORKINGTON: Kendevon. — The Dooley Family, Ian Sands.

On tour

Ballet Rambert: Theatre Royal, Newcastle.
Black Mikado: Opera House, Manchester.
The Bride Makes Three: Princess, Torquay.
City Sugar: Towngate, Basildon.
To Dorothy A Son: Theatre Royal, Nottingham.
Double Edge: Grand, Wolverhampton.
D'Oyly Carte: Pavilion, Bournemouth.
Edge of Darkness: New, Cardiff.
The Englishman Amused: Moid Theatre, Croyd.
Glyndebourne Touring Opera: Hippodrome, Bristol.
Godspell: King's, Glasgow.
Kent Opera: Arts Centre, Christ's Hospital, Horsham.
Lauder: Civic, Darlington.
London Festival Ballet: Gaumont, Southampton.
Many A Naked Bird: Empire, Sunderland.
Roger's Last Stand: Playhouse, Harlow.
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