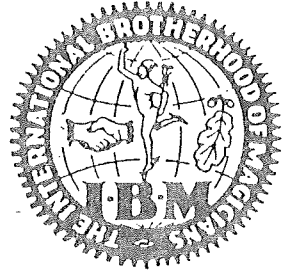


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Our upcoming meeting, scheduled for this Monday, October 14, 1985, features MENTAL AND SPIRITUALISTIC effects which we think are appropriate in light of the Halloween season rapidly approaching us. Among our membership, the following gentlemen have made firm commitments to contribute to the program: MARC DE SOUZA, FRANK OLKOWSKI, and HUNTER GAUL. At the writing of this newsletter, there are two other contributors whose names have not yet been confirmed. If any DVCC member wishes his or her name to be included on the program, please contact JOHN WADE (259-9051) not later than Sunday, October 6, 8:00 p.m.

In addition to the scheduled program for the meeting, two important events will occur. The CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAW committee, chaired by MARC DE SOUZA, will distribute to the membership a draft of this very important document which hopefully can be ratified by the end of this calendar year. All DVCC members are encouraged to be present to receive a copy of the proposed Constitution and By-laws; without it, you will be unable to vote intelligently when the time for ratification arrives. Secondly, the winners of last month's MAGICIAN OF THE YEAR COMPETITION will be announced at the meeting. By all means, make a special effort not to miss attending this Monday's gathering.

We are very proud to announce that HOWARD POLYKOFF won an award in the talent competition billed, "LOOK OUT SHOW BIZ -- HERE I COME;" which took place last month in Upper Darby hosted by the well known T.V. personality, AL ALBERTS. Howard (THE AMAZING POLY) subsequently appeared this past Saturday morning on the AL ALBERTS SHOWCASE with a rope routine and his version of the "Hippity-Hop Rabbits." We extend warm congratulations to Howard and wish him continued success.

A large red circle should be drawn around NOVEMBER 3, 1985 by every DVCC member. This is the date of BOB LITTLE'S upcoming SUPER SUNDAY CONVENTION. This year, the convention will feature HANK MOOREHOUSE, past National President of S.A.M. and DAVID CRESSEY, the acclaimed magus from Boston. The format of the convention will follow that of previous years: auction, lectures, and demonstrations. Super Sunday clearly constitutes one of the top magical highlights in the Philadelphia area on an annual basis. If you have never attended, make this year your first -- you will not regret it. Place: FIESTA MOTOR INN, WILLOW GROVE; Time: 10:30 A.M. -- 10:30 P.M.; Cost: \$12. per person.

As a final note, it should be of interest to members that erstwhile DVCC regular, JOHN LENAHAN, has apparently met with some success in his European ventures. Page 18 of September 1985's Linking Ring carries a full page ad for a video tape release entitled, "Taking it to the Streets," available from MARTIN BREESE USA, P.O. Box 8114, F.D.R. Station, New York, N.Y. 19015. The price is \$70, specify VHS or BETA. The tape is apparently the first in a series of JOHN LENAHAN LECTURES, and we send John our best wishes and hopes for a smashing sellout.

QUOTES TO CONSIDER: "Remember: if you expect to make a ghost walk, you must make people think there are ghosts, just like the mediums do."
--Joseph Dunninger, How to Make a Ghost Walk