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LATEST NEWS IN BRIEF...

- Don't miss... **Dunstable Rotary Club's** Antique and Collectors Fair at Houghton Regis. Next events: **BH Mon. 28th Aug. 2017 and 1st Jan. 2018.** (See ad page on 37).
- Don't miss... **Take Five Fairs** Art Deco & 20th Century events at Woking on **BH Mon. 28th Aug. and Thurs. 28th Dec.** Plus Woking Market on **8th October.** (See their main ads on pages 31 & 40).
- **Hertfordshire Militaria & Medal Fairs** have three dates at Rickmansworth School the quarter: **3rd Sept, 29th Oct & 3rd Dec.** (See their main advert on page 29).
- Don't miss... the famous **Art Deco Fair** at **Eltham Palace** on **Sat. 9th & Sun. 10th Sept.** (Please see Calendar listings).
- Don't miss **PTA's** Autumn Postcard Fair at Woking Leisure Centre on **Fri. 15th & Sat. 16th Sept.** (See Calendar listings).
- **Love Fairs** are running three fairs this quarter... **Lingfield** on **1st Oct & 3rd Dec** and **Brighton** on **22nd October.** (See their main adverts on pages 31 & 37).
- **'Bentleys Flea and Collectors Fair'** is the name of a new event held on **Sat. 7th / Sun. 8th October** in Nash Street, Eastbourne. (See their main ad on p. 33).
- **Ace Events** next Newmarket Antiques & Collectables event will be held on the **22nd October.** (See their ad on page 36).
- The **84th Luton Antiques & Fine Art Fair** takes place on **Sat. 14th & Sun. 15th Oct.** at Putteridge Bury House. (See their main advertisement on page 35).
- **National Specialist Collectors Fayres 'Autumn Extravaganza'** is on **Sunday 15th October** at Berkhamsted Leisure Centre. (See their ad. on p.34).
- **FireKettle** have announced an Antiques & Collectors on **Sat. 21st & Sun. 22nd Oct.** at Knockholt, Kent. (See ad on p.36).
- The 6th annual **Chessington Jukebox & Retro Fair** is on **Sat 28th & Sun 29th October** at Chessington Community College, Surrey. (See their ad on page 38).
- This Autumn, the **National Glass Fair** is on **Sunday 12th November** (See their main advertisement on page 37).
- 'The Big Suffolk Flea' is the name of **GNB Fairs** new event on **Sunday 19th November.** (See their main ad on p. 33).

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Front cover GTAP captions

- 1) A watercolour design for the wedding dress of Princess Margaret (1960), from the Studio of Norman Hartnell, sold with provenance. Height 24.7 ins. (63cm), now mounted in a gilt frame.
 - 2) A Martinware stoneware 'Wally Bird' tobacco jar, as a standing bird of prey with supercilious expression, coloured in shades of blue, ochre and manganese, the base and detachable head each signed R.W.Martin & Bros Southall - B-37. Height 8.25ins. (21cm).
 - 3) One of six rare and important Chinese pages from the 'Huangchao liqi tushi' ('The Illustrated Regulations for Ceremonial Paraphernalia of the Present [Qing] Dynasty'), in ink, gouache and gold on silk laid down on card, each page approx. 42 x 41cm, comprising three pages of costume illustration and three pages of corresponding descriptive text, sold with provenance.
 - 4) A rare 1930s Compass Camera made by LeCoulre Co, No.1359 with lens cover and original leather pouch. One of 4000 made, it only measures 2.75 ins. (7cm) in height.
 - 5) A vintage c.1964 electro-mechanical 'Sweepstake' penny arcade machine made by Jameison's of Bridlington. Height: 31ins. (79cm).
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