

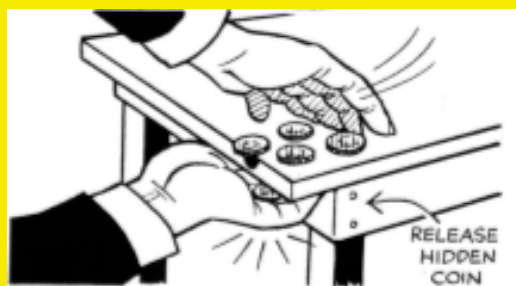


Blue & Gold Magic



MULTIPLYING COINS... you place 4 coins on the table. You now tell your friends that you can, with your mysterious powers, cause the 4 coins to multiply into 5!

Secretly you have attached a coin (with a small dab of soap or gum) to the underside of the table. Brush the coins into your cupped left hand and at the same time release the hidden coin. Immediately make a fist around the coins. Have someone touch your fist and open it to show 5 coins!



IMPOSSIBLE PRODUCTION... Tell your friends that you are about to do a magic trick! So doing, you reach into your pocket and bring out a small coin purse. To do magic you will need a wand, you open the purse and pull out a full size wand

To do this trick, hide the wand up your sleeve (fig. 1). Then make a slit in the change purse (fig. 2) into which you reach to grasp the wand and guide it out of the purse (fig. 3)!



X-RAY EYES... Ask someone to thoroughly shuffle a deck of cards. The cards are handed to you and you put them into the card box. You now remove the cards, one by one, but name each card before removing them!

You have beforehand cut a little window in the box at the bottom corner. This allows you to see the name of the card you are about to remove from the box. Your friends will think you have memorized the deck, but remind them they mixed the cards up first.



MYSTERIOUS BALANCING GLASS... Magically and mysteriously you stand a playing card upright on the table, then, more amazingly, you balance a glass of water on top of the card (fig. 1)!

Beforehand prepare a card by pasting another card to its back at right angles (fig. 2) Then it is a simple matter to perform this puzzler. **DO NOT LET ANYONE SEE THE BACK OF THE PREPARED CARD!!**



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