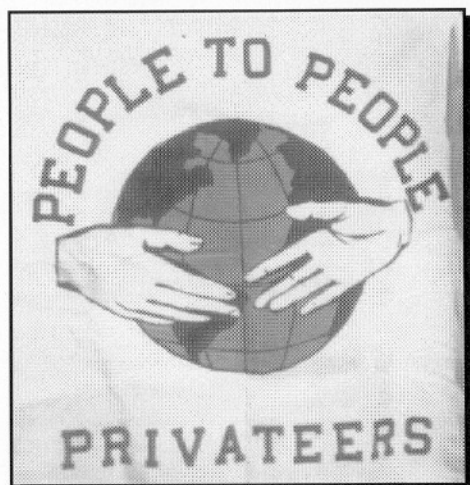
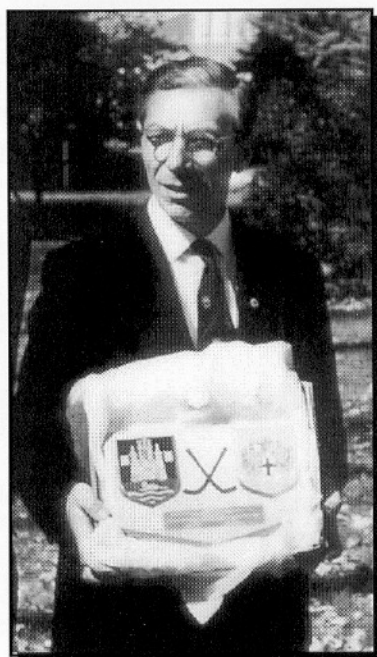


A BRIEF HISTORY OF THE ANGELS

The Angels are an invitation team born to tour on the International scene and then some. The story starts back in 1963 when the Angels embarked on their first ever tour, which was to New York in the United States of America. The organiser of that tour and the founder of the Angels, Jim Pollock sadly died earlier this year. How apt therefore that the opportunity has presented itself at this turning point in our history for the new Angels to revisit the Big Apple. We are extremely grateful to Nigel Treviso and the tournament Committee for affording us the opportunity in this year to revisit our roots.



Since that first trip to New York the Angels have gone on to visit 34 different countries and we still hope to add to that total. There has always been an International basis to the Angels and the American connection was firmly cemented with the appointment of Longstaff John Rote of the Privateers Hockey Club as one of the original Vice-Presidents

The cover photograph shows the Angels founder Jim Pollock presenting an Angels plaque to President Eisenhower back in 1963. The photograph was taken at the President's residence in Gettysberg.



Jim Pollock " in action "

