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Programme of Forcing American Currency Down to New Low Levels is Designed to Drive Prosperity Out Into the Open.

**A**MERICA's experiments in economic surgery have entered a new phase with President Roosevelt's message to Congress calling for a dollar worth no more than sixty cents. Which is just twice as much as a dollar worth thirty cents. That much is clear to the merest novice, and it is about all that is clear, although after a little preliminary fumbling due to faulty rehearsal, the United States appears to hail the measure as the step needed to save the nation.

The legislation asked for provides that sixty cents is the top value for dollars. The bottom, fifty cents, was fixed months ago.

In order to accomplish the drop safely, the President proposes to use the entire gold reserve of the country if need be. His plan is spoken of variously as nationalization of the nation's gold supply and as simple robbery. This latter expression was used by Senator Carter Glass, one of the most noted economists among the statesmen of Roosevelt's own party. At first it was estimated that the Government would by this simple means acquire three and a half billions of dollars to play with. The Secretary of the Treasury has revised this figure, and says it will be only two and a half billions.

On the face of it the programme seems to be aimed at achieving the results desired by both the inflationists and the sound money men, Whether it will do that, no one can tell. Certainly it has satisfied neither side.

### Drop Amounts

#### to Less Than 10 Per Cent.

In actual terms of foreign exchange, the President's plan would decrease the value of the dollar in, say, pesetas by less than ten per cent. It would mean, one hopes, a dollar of definite value upon which the world could rely in doing its business. That is the greatest gain to be sanely expected of the plan, although it is not the greatest claimed for it.

The great benefit is supposed to be the stimulus given the export trade. For a dollar worth sixty cents, instead of the sixty-three cents, foreign countries are expected to flock to the American markets. It sounds a logical notion until one remembers the economic truism that money, no matter how you may manipulate it, is a counter representing in effect the exchange of goods.

Consequently, it is difficult to see how foreign nations will be able to buy American goods, even at a low rate, unless the United States is willing to buy something abroad. Up to date the buying campaign there has been confined to domestic production.

Even at the beginning of any foreign buying, the United States can make it possible only by purchasing foreign currencies heavily (hence the great gold grab). And what is the Government going to do with the currencies thus bought? We have seen no answer to that question; indeed, after the first sporadic objections to the President's programme, it was not asked.

### The Example

#### of England

The example of England has been quoted to show what advantages may be derived from a depreciated but still controlled currency. However, there is one difference between the position of Great Britain and that of the United States. The English are heavy buyers in the world's markets; the Americans are not. That difference is likely to prove the chief obstacle to success of the Roosevelt plan.

The repercussion upon Americans living abroad has not yet been as bad as might have been expected. After a preliminary plunge in the general direction of the President's dollar level, exchange rose again. However, once the dollar is forced down to the sixty cent mark, it will make it just that much more difficult for those who must live on incomes paid from the United States. And then will apply with crushing force the little anthem written for Mallorca by Mr. Heber Blankenhorn, then a visitor in Palma, now one of the leading stalwarts of the American Government's recovery programme. Sang Mr. Blankenhorn:

Blest islet of the bust!  
Save my In God We Trust  
Or Bradbury.  
Let the Depression press,  
Deya's still cheap I guess,  
If necessary I'll progress  
To Santany.

The tune is *God Save the King*, and Englishmen may soon care to sing it too, since the dollar's drop is bound to be followed by attempts to lower the pound in proportion and keep the balance even.



## REVIEW OF THE WEEK'S NEWS

**T**HE League of Nations Council began its seventy-eighth session on Monday. As usual, the world continues to hope that its latest deliberations will be slightly less futile than before.

Two questions of first class importance will be discussed: the Saar plebiscite, and Russia's demand for admission to the League. Germany has been asked to send a representative for the Saar debate, as the question so intimately concerns her. It is unlikely that Germany will do this, after her recent withdrawal from the League, but a delegation of Nazis from the Saar valley itself has arrived in Geneva, and their presence may be inspired by Berlin.

Russia's plea for admission is to some extent sponsored by France, with whom relations are on a much better footing after M. Herriot's Muscovite visit. If Russia comes in, Geneva hopes that the United States may also be induced to, as Mr. Roosevelt is considered more friendly to the League than any President since Wilson. Russia is anxious about the elevation of Manchukuo to the status of an empire, and this further proof of the success of Japanese policy in the Far East is bound to react in America also.

A question of even greater importance is the long-drawn one of Disarmament. At least, it would be important if anything were going to be done about it, but as usual there will probably be a spate of words, and continued activity in the arsenals of the world.

### Hectic Cuba

Ramón Grau, president of Cuba since September, has been ousted from office, and 32 year old Carlos Hevia, graduate of the American Naval Academy of Annapolis, rules in his stead. He will need all his youth and American efficiency to cope with the vacillating mob, and the sinister machinations of Fulgencia Batista, the pocket Napoleon of the Island.

The ex-president retires to the study of anatomy, while soldiers fire on the mob which hurls

itself at the palace gates, doubtless shouting Rhubarb! after the manner of all Musical Comedy mobs.

Meanwhile, three United States warships have been ordered to proceed to Cuban waters, and a British battleship is already at Havana.

The sugar kings and the tobacco

kings want peace in this distressful island. Peace and steady dividends. But the Cubans like their traditional amusements of riot, revolution and pillage. Perhaps the U.S. Marines will have to persuade them differently.

### A New Emperor

In these days of black-coated presidents, it is refreshing to hear of a new Emperor. Pu Yi, has been proclaimed Emperor of Manchukuo. His actual coronation will not take place till March 1st, and he will inaugurate his reign by sacrificing a single sacred bullock.

Pu Yi, as a child, was the last Emperor of China, though the real power was in the hands of the

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celebrated Empress Dowager. He lost his throne in the revolution of 1911.

Pu Yi, clad in a smart Field Marshal's uniform, received Press Correspondents last Tuesday. He has promised to follow the principles of Wangtao (Benevolent Rule) in future.

Evidence of consolidation in the Far East, and of the success of Japanese policy, is causing some alarm in the United States, and five Japanese, found taking photographs of the bridges over the Jersey Meadows, have been solemnly jailed on suspicion of being spies.

#### Britain's Premier on the National Task

Mr. Ramsay McDonald, in a speech to his constituents at Keyham Harbourn, County Durham, claimed that the National Government had fulfilled its promise to lead the nation out of the slough of depression. The position of Great Britain, after two years of intense economic difficulties, is now definitely better than that of any country in the world. It must be remembered that Britain is an immense buyer in the world's markets, and that her export trade has to cope with the most severe competition.

The Premier wound up his speech with the words: «When I cannot serve you with my intelligence and conscience, then I will tell you. But do not expect me to go following any crowd, I cannot serve you in that way, and I will not try to do it.»

#### Imprisoned Innocents

A thoroughly bad impression is being made on all friends of Germany by the delay in the release of Dmitroff and the two other Bulgarians acquitted nearly a month ago of complicity in the Reichstag fire. It is now intimated that the three men may be held indefinitely, in spite of their established innocence.

For the sake of Germany's reputation abroad, it is to be hoped that the men will be set free as soon as possible. The Government state their fear that Dmitroff might foment anti-Nazi propaganda abroad if released, but he could not possibly do as much harm to Germany as she is doing to herself by this negation of justice.

Everybody was relieved when Nazi judges overrode political pressure, and gave a verdict in accordance with the evidence; but this relief will turn to dismay if the release of the Bulgarians is postponed indefinitely.

We are bound to recall the ferocious and hysterical outbursts of General Göring, premier of Prussia, at the trial, much as we should like to forget them.

#### Exchange of the Week

(Rates given in Palma by the Crédito Balear).

	Opening	High	Low	Closing
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## Lockwoods, Blodgett,

## Meade Get 6 Months

### Supreme Court Frees Fullerton; Others

### Will Probably Get Off With

### Time Already Served.

MADRID—(By Wire) The final verdict of the Supreme Court in the case of the five Americans, who last summer obtained notoriety by their difference of opinion with a member of the Guardia Civil, has now been unofficially given.

Mr. Rutherford Fullerton has been acquitted. The other four, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Lockwood, Mr. Walton Blodgett, and Mr. Roderick Meade, have been sentenced to serve a term of six months and one day's imprisonment. It is expected, however, that at the same time as they are officially announced, the sentences will be reduced, so as to be covered by the time they have already served in prison, or that they will be pardoned.

It will be recalled that on the night of June 4th last, these five people, after they had dined not wisely but too well, became implicated in an altercation with a Civil Guard at the Hotel Mediterraneo, in the course of which actual violence was offered to the officer, and they were arrested on the, in Spain, very serious charge of striking a Guardia Civil, who is a member of the properly constituted armed forces of the Republic.

This fracas put Mallorca onto the front page of the world's press, and the case has been followed with immense interest. Strenuous efforts on their behalf were made by the American press, by Consular and even Diplomatic Officials.

The unfortunate five spent nearly seven weeks in jail, while relations between America and Spain were strained to a dangerous pitch of tension, and people were clamouring for U.S. Marines to be landed in Mallorca. At last they were released, on heavy bail, and at their trial in Palma were acquitted. The Prosecuting Counsel in the case, however, appealed against the verdict to the Supreme Court, who have just re-considered the entire proceedings.

The movements of the Five after the official announcement of the verdict are uncertain. Assuming that they are all set free, it is not yet known whether they will be permitted to remain in the country.

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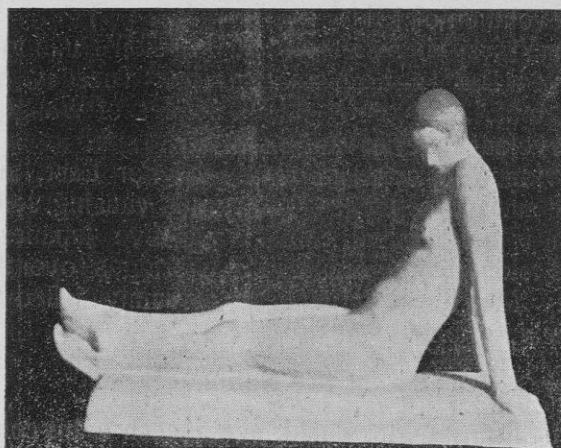
## Art Exhibitions

Mrs. Eleanor Hinman's Exhibition of photographs opened at the Galerías Costa on Wednesday January seventeenth. The photographs shown are all extremely competently taken, and beautifully produced. Some of them are in natural colours, this process having been applied to them in London. Nearly all are scenes from Spanish life, or landscapes, many of them in the Balearics. An interesting picture is of a night-blooming Cereus, which was taken in a house in Palma at midnight. This has been bought by the Royal Botanical Society.

Where it seems to us that Mrs. Hinman has failed, is that there is not sufficient artistic distinction about her photographs. All of them are good, but one looks in vain for that subtle choice of subject, that harmonious blending of masses, figures, light and shadow which go to make a photograph into a work of art.

In the same exhibition are a number of portrait busts and statuettes by Mrs. Mary K. Jones. Some of these show real plastic feeling. There is a lightness and grace about them that stamp them as the work of an original and sensitive artist. We particularly liked the statuettes intended to be garden ornaments.

Two of Mrs. Hinman's photographs have been



*Reclining Nude. One of Mrs. Jones' studies at the Costa Exhibition.*

hung in exhibitions at present taking place in Paris, one in Seville, and one in Barcelona, while several of Mrs. Jones' sculptures were bought on the first day of the show. The purchaser was Mrs. Josephson of the Hotel Royal, who has also commissioned the artist to do a portrait bust of her daughter.

In addition to working in terracotta, Mrs. Jones has executed some very interesting works in stone and wood. We illustrate one of the nude studies bought by Mrs. Josephson.

## The Noble Art

At the Teatro Balear, on Wednesday next, will be staged an evening of boxing, which promises good sport. Among the preliminary contests will be one of eight rounds between the flyweights Momo and Gori, the former ex-champion of Spain, the latter of Italy.

The big fight will be over ten rounds, between Girones, featherweight champion of Spain, and De Negri, the Italian ace. Girones is in addition bantamweight champion of Europe, while De Negri recently fought a gruelling draw with Al Brown, the coloured South African, one of the most determined fighters at the weight in the British Empire. It should prove a searching test for Girones, and good preparation for his postponed match with Jimmy Walsh. The winner of the latter battle is to have a crack at Watson, featherweight champion of the world, and Girones is considered to have a good chance.

## And a Mill with the Sailors

The Teatro Balear will also be the scene of another boxing night on Monday the 29th, when

## The British Association in the Balearic Islands

The Association will be «at home» to the Captain and officers of H. M. S. Renown at the Mediterraneo Hotel on Thursday, January 25th, from 4-7 p. m. Tea, Refreshments, Dancing.

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## Palma's Very Own Saint

Yesterday was the Fiesta of San Sebastian, Palma's patron saint. Many shops and offices were closed, and there were the usual religious observances.

## Decree About Foreigners

An order modifying the decree which made new regulations for the foreigners visiting or residing in the Balears, has been signed and will be published in a forthcoming issue of the Gazette. The decree meets all the objections raised against it by those who wish to maintain and foster the tourist traffic of these Islands.

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Although Gibraltar was up till recently not very well provided with hotels, this has been remedied by the building of the Rock Hotel, a first class place, comfortable and well run, yet reasonable in price. The windows of the hotel look across Gibraltar Bay to the mountains of Andalucia, beneath which gleams the white city of Algeciras. Across the Straits, in Morocco, the snow-clad Atlas mountains are clearly visible, while in the foreground is the busy anchorage, with hardly a day passing without the arrival of some great liner.

And amid all this alien Southern beauty, the Union Jack floats. Familiar bugle calls ring out from the bastions, khaki clad troops march in the streets.

Gibraltar has a delightful climate all the year round. In winter it is one of the warmest places in Europe, but more and more people are coming to realize the charms of the Mediterranean as a summer resort, and the Rock Hotel offers safe bathing from its own private beach, as well as tennis on its own fine hard courts. In addition the visitor may enjoy Race Meetings, Hunting, Golf, Polo, Fishing and Boating, and really good open air military concerts.

From the higher levels of the Rock, splendid views may be enjoyed, and the visitor may perhaps see some of the wild Barbary Apes, in this, their only habitat in Europe. The Alameda Gardens, with their riot of sub-tropical bloom, and the Muse-

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um, in which have been collected all the most interesting relics of Gibraltar's historic past, are also well worth a visit.

Further afield, one can easily reach such interesting places as Seville, Granada and Ronda, and there is a daily service of steamers across the Straits to Morocco.

Among recent arrivals at the Rock Hotel are: Sir Fredk. Hopkinson, Mr. R. Windsor Rickards, Sir Hugh and Lady Levick, Dr. and Mrs. Crichton Alison, Dr. Roberts and party, Sir Geoffrey Fison, Sir. Thos. Best, Mr. and Mrs. Spagnoletti, Major Gen. and Mrs. Marriott Smith, Countess Cadogan, Lady Alexander Cadogan, Mme. Vallin, and Mr. and Mrs. L. Currie.

### Saint Anthony, Friend of Beasts

The fiesta of San Antonio, patron saint of animals, was celebrated with traditional pageantry in Palma on Wednesday last. A gaily decorated cavalcade, which included some charming and diminutive donkeys, wound through the town to the church of San Antonio de Viana. In the evening, a banquet was given at the Hotel Mediterraneo.

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# THE FIRST CONQUISTADOR

**T**HE early history of the Balearic Isles is rather like the song about the Argentines and the Greeks. First came the Celtiberians, then the Carthaginians, The Romans, and then the Vandals. Then came the Moors from Africa, To make our country grow, And still they keep on coming...

After the advent of the Moors, darkness descends upon the islands till the coming of Jaime the Conqueror, blazing like a meteor in the skies.

That was in 1228. But more than a hundred years earlier, there had been another Conquistador, who somehow seems to have escaped the notice of the historians. He was Sigurd, king of Norway, son of King Magnus Barefoot.

In 1107 he sailed from Norway, with a great fleet of sixty ships. Heading first for England, he wintered with King Henry, William the Bastard's son. The story is picturesquely told in the Heimskringla Saga. In the spring he sailed westward to Valland, otherwise the West of France, and from there he reached the coast of Galicia, where, in an encounter with Moorish pirates, he fought his first battle with heathen men. He was victorious, and took eight galleys from them. Coasting on, he fought the Moors at Cintra and Lisbon, and took great booty from them. The Saga tells us that next he came to a town called Alkassi, which might have been Alicante, and here he had his fourth battle with the Moors and took the town, and killed so many people that he left it empty.

In the Sound of Niorfa he had a sea fight, and was again victorious and so he came to the island of Formentera. Here the Moors were strongly posted in a cave, but King Sigurd and his warriors climbed above the cave, and from there let down two boatloads of men, and so again discomfited the Heathen. Then he came to Ibiza, and was again victorious; and once more he prevailed, in Minorca. As says Halldor Skualldre:

On Green Minorca's plains  
The eighth battle now he gains:  
Again the heathen foe  
Falls at the Norse King's blow.

You will imagine, then, the long black galleys, the raven banner, the round shields hung over the

bulwarks, and the fair-haired, winged-helmed Vikings leaping ashore. And the hacking and the stabbing, the grievous wounds, the flames and the plunder.

From these Isles, King Sigurd sailed to Sicily, then ruled by Duke Roger; and thence across the Greek sea to Palestine, where he landed at Acre, and so came to Jerusalem, where he was royally entertained by Baldwin, King of that place. And Baldwin gave him a splinter of the true cross; and together the two kings went up against the heathen in the castle of Sidon, which they took, with great booty.

So King Sigurd took his leave, and sailed north to Cyprus, and so came to the Greek country; and he waited for a side wind, so that all the people might see the costly silk in his sails before he came to land at Constantinople.

Now the Emperor Alexius received King Sigurd with great splendour, but King Sigurd took no heed of this, so that the Greeks said: «Surely this must be a great and powerful king, that he pays no heed to all the magnificence of the emperor.»

And the Emperor Alexius gave splendid games in the Hippodrome in honour of King Sigurd; and the King entertained him and his nobles to a great feast.

And many of his men took service with the emperor, and joined what is called the Varangian guard; but King Sigurd went his way, and gave all his ships to the emperor, and returned to his own country by land. He passed through Bulgaria and Hungary, Pannonia, Suabia and Bavaria, and so at last he came to Denmark, and took ship for the land of Norway. There he was joyfully welcomed by his people, and it was common talk among them that none had ever made so honourable a journey from Norway as King Sigurd.

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## 'Osses - and Other Animals

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«??»

«Isn't it your saint's day?»

«Thanks for the compliment.»

This and similar conversations are typical of St. Anthony's Day, St Anthony of the Asses as he is usually called, if it is not St. Anthony of the Pig. These *cognomina* of the Saint explain why a congratulation on this day is not so flattering for the person to whom it is directed. Yet, the joke is said to be received by most people with good humour.

A legend tells us how St. Anthony got to be called «of the pig.» When, centuries ago, the daughter of Barcelona's governor was very ill, her father sent a delegation to the Saint who at that time was doing his miraculous cures in the desert. After a long journey, they arrived there and begged St. Anthony to come with them to Barcelona to heal the daughter of their master. But the Saint refused to go with them, saying that he had no time to go on that long journey, because he had so many sick people to attend to who had come to see him in his desert about their ailments. So the delegates had to start on their return journey without having effected their object. The Saint, however, thought it over, called down a cloud from the sky, and sailed on it to Barcelona as quickly as clouds would travel in those times. He came down on the sea shore, a spot where is now the Parque de la Ciudadela, and the first living being he encountered was a hog with her new born sucking pig that could not walk because its legs were crippled. St. Anthony put its legs straight, and then went off to heal the Governor's daughter. But the grateful pig had taken a fancy to its healer and never left him any more. It went back with the Saint to the desert - we do not know if they went by cloud again - and dug the grave for him when he died.

Thus St. Anthony became the patron saint of the pigs and later his patronage was extended to all other domestic animals especially to asses, mules and horses. On the day consecrated to his memory



*Blessing an old friend.*

these animals have their holiday and special fiestas are celebrated in their honour. This tradition is still alive, though modern times have taken some of its splendour. In the morning horses and dogs, cats and geese are taken to the chapel opposite the Mercado de San Antonio in the Ronda to be blessed. A priest stands in front of it and hundreds of animals, the horses very often beautifully decorated with flowers, coloured ribbons and bells, are presented to him to hear a prayer of blessing and receive a spray of holy water. After this little ceremony their master buys a blessed roll which he gives his animal to eat.

Another place where the day is celebrated with great animation is the Polo Jockey Club, of which St. Anthony is the patron saint. The Club recently changed premises; that is why the chapel is not yet built, in which mass used to be said for the animals. So there is only the traditional benediction of the horses and also of the greyhounds of the Kennel Club, which shares the premises with the Polo Club. The fashionable set of Barcelona gives this ceremony its particular note, in fact it is like the first race meeting of the season, at which the fashion editor has her busiest time taking down particulars of the most elegant dresses worn by the smart ladies.

Another custom of the fiesta is still practised in some of the suburbs of Barcelona, particularly at San Andrés. It is called in Catalan "Els Tres Tombs" and means literally "The Three Turns". This name's significance is interpreted in two ways. In old times the guilds that employed horses and mules in their trade as the coachdrivers and transport people, celebrated St. Anthony's Day in a particularly splendid manner. One of the features of the fiesta was a cavalcade in which all the members of the guild took part. They all went to the church together to get their animals blessed, and those riders who wanted to show their good horsemanship made their horse give three turns on its hind legs after the blessing as a sign of gratitude. The other explanation is based on the custom that the cavalcade used to go three times round the church after the blessing.

Also for human beings there is something in this fiesta. A certain kind of cake is sold on this day, the so called "coques de Sant Antoni". Most of the pastry shops put up a table in the street outside the shop, where these sweet, round cakes are sold. Outside the church where the animals are blessed there are usually a number of these stands, and also sellers of amulets for the animals to protect them against illness.



*The Animal's Mass.*



## The New Films

When Marlene Dietrich's newest Paramount picture, *The Song of Songs*, opens at the Coliseum tomorrow, movie fans will have the opportunity of seeing one of the world's most widely read books brought to life on the screen. It's Hermann Sudermann's novel of the same name: (*Das Hohe Lied*). When it was announced that this interesting story was to be filmed, congratulatory letters were received from every «literary» country in the world.

The widespread interest is accounted for by the fact that *The Song of Songs*, first published in 1909, has been translated into eighteen languages. Reports from libraries show that it is one of the unfailingly popular novels, one always in demand (far over a hundred thousand copies have been sold in Germany alone).

Sudermann was born of poor parents in a small village in East Prussia, near the Russian frontier, in 1857. He studied philosophy and literature and then entered journalism in Berlin, until he became, together with Gerhart Hauptmann, the founder of the naturalistic school in German literature. His novels and plays had a tremendous success owing to the new psychological technique employed by the author.

Particularly *The Song of Songs* is one of the most fascinating life histories of a woman ever written. Lily Czepanek, its heroine, passes through much calamity and unhappiness, but the steps in her degradation are not put in, as they are so often in Guy de Maupassant, merely to lend spice to the narrative; every event has a definite influence on the girl's character. With the best intentions of the world, with noble sentiment, with a passionate desire to be a rescuing angel to the men and women whom she meets, Lily gradually sinks into the mire of life. She struggles desperately, but she always ends by taking the easiest way.

The picture was directed by Rouben Mamoulian, with a cast of supporting players including the young English actor, Brian Aherne, Lionel Atwill and Alison Skipworth.

Six years ago it was reported in the Press that the famous film-director, Rex Ingram, had been converted to the Mahommedan religion. Irish by birth, he was brought up in America and began earning his living in the mines. Later he was employed by a Railway Company, and after being a boxer and an artist, he finally chose the film industry.

*Baroud*, which is being presented by Meyler Films this week in the Cine Cataluña, is an example of his skill as a director and of his personality as an actor.

The story is interesting and, due to Rex In-



Marlene Dietrich and Brian Aherne in *The Song of Songs* (Paramount).

gram's knowledge of the Arabs and their customs, the film is realistically staged.

This is the first time that he has both directed and played in the same picture, and he is to be congratulated on his outstanding success.

Rex Ingram was a pioneer among the really outstanding film directors. His work is notable for the beauty of its photography and the economy with which he produces big films. For some years he had a studio at Nice, and was an intimate friend of Vicente Blasco Ibañez. Ibañez used to say that it was due to Rex Ingram that he was able to spend his last exiled years in comfort, for it was Ingram, of course, who directed the films of Ibañez's books, of which the most famous was *The Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse*.

Rex Ingram has been living in Spain, and attended the splendid memorial service accorded to the Spanish writer in Valencia last October.

Among Ingram's activities in Nice was some interesting and attractive experimental work with films, the fruits of which may be seen in this picture.

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## Good Evening, Everybody

The Wireless Conference in Lucerne that was held during the summer of last year, has decided to modify the system of wavelengths in the various European countries. These changes had become necessary because since 1929, a number of new powerful stations had been erected, the wave lengths of which were in the neighbourhood of those of other stations, thus making it difficult to obtain a clear reception. The following is a list of Catalan, Spanish and foreign stations, whose wave lengths and frequencies are changed, since the 15th of January:

### CATALUÑA

Radio Barcelona	EAJ 1	377'4 metres	795 kilocycles
Radio Associació	EAJ 15	293'5 "	1022 "
Sabadell	EAJ 20	201'1 "	1492 "
Tarrasa	EAJ 25	200'0 "	1500 "
Tarragona	EAJ 33	201'1 "	1492 "

The wave lengths of Reus, Villalonga i Geltrú, Gerona, Badalona and Lerida stay the same.

### SPAIN

Madrid	EAJ 7	274'0 metres	1095 kilocycles
Valencia		352'9 "	850 "

The other 52 Spanish stations have remained at their old wave lengths which lie in the neighbourhood of 200 metres and 1500 kilocycles.

### FOREIGN

Moscow		1714 metres	175 kilocycles
Budapest		549'5 "	546 "
Vienna		506'8 "	512 "
Rome		420'8 "	713 "
Leipzig		382'2 "	785 "
Milan		368'6 "	814 "
Radio Toulouse		335'2 "	895 "
Brussels		321'9 "	932 "
Algiers		318'8 "	941 "
London		261'1 "	1149 "
Munich		405'4 "	740 "

## New Books

The following books have been added to the Anglo-American Lending Library:

*Over the River*, by John Galsworthy. The Nobel Prizewinner's last book. *Body in the Silo*, by Father Ronald Knox. An amusing detective story. *Fiesta (The Sun also Rises)*, the book that made Hemingway famous. *Flush*, by Virginia Woolf. *Autobiography of Alice*, by Toklas-Stein. *No Second Spring*, by Janet Beeth. *Ida Elizabeth*, by Sigrid Undset. *Miss Bishop*, by Aldrich. *The Master of Jalna*, by Mazo de la Roche. *Vanessa*, by Hugh Walpole. *No Castle in Spain*, by Mc.Fee. *Bonfire*, by Dorothy Canfield. *The Farm*, by Louis Bromfield.

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*Huelva* English Church. Alternate Sundays, 8 and 11. Rev. G. W. Poultney, Calle Vásquez López, 28.

*Las Palmas* (Grand Canary). Holy Trinity Church, Paseo Rafael Ramirez. Sundays 8 and 10.30 (winter months).

*Madrid* British Embassy Church, Calle de Hermosilla, 30. Sundays 8.30, 11, 7.15. Rev. Herbert Pentin, M. A.; Gran Hotel Victoria.

*Orotava* (Tenerife). All Saint's Church, Carretera del Hotel Taoro. Sundays, 8.30, 11, 12. Canon E. N. Redfern, B. A., The Parsonage.

*Palma* English Church, 37 Calle 14 de Abril. Sundays, 8.30, 11, 6.30. Rev. J. de B. Forbes, Hotel Victoria.

*Rio Tinto* English Church. Alternate Sundays, 8, 10.30 6.30. Rev. G. W. Poultney.

*Santa Cruz* (Tenerife). St. George's Church, Plaza del 25 de Julio, Sundays, 11 a. m.

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*Valencia* Calle Ciscar, 10. Sundays, 11 and 7. Rev. H. S. Taggart, M. A.; Lay Reader, Mr. G. Lemmon.

## Spanish Wines in U.S.

Spanish wine interests are becoming a little uneasy as they watch their French rivals increasing their lead in the race to capture the newly opened American markets. This week the French quota of wines admitted to the United States was doubled. So was that of Portugal, both of them in return for concessions granted American goods.

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# What to Do and Where to Go in Barcelona

## Theatres

LICEO OPERA—This afternoon: *Rigoletto*, (Verdi).  
 Tuesday night: *La Bohème*, (Puccini).  
 Wednesday night: *Tannhauser*, (Wagner.)  
 ROMEA—*El Divino Impaciente*.  
 NOVEDADES—*La Posada del Caballito Blanco*  
 (*White Horse Inn*).  
 GRAN TEATRE ESPANYOL—*Papavert*.  
 COMICO—*Con el Pelo Suelto*.  
 OLYMPIA—Circus.

## Cinemas

COLISEUM—*Island of Lost Souls*, (English). To-  
 morrow: *The Song of Songs*, (English).  
 URQUINAONA—*Night Flight*, (English).  
 FANTASIO—*Paprika*, (German). Tomorrow: *Ein*  
*Mann mit Herz*, (German).  
 FEMINA—*Le Roi des Palaces* and *L'Ordonnance*,  
 (Both in French).  
 TIVOLI—*Idylle au Caire*, (French).  
 CAPITOL—*Merveilleuse Journée*, (French) and  
*Zwei Gute Kameraden*, (German).  
 CATALUÑA—*Broadway Bad*, (doubled in Span-  
 ish). Tomorrow: *Baroud*, (English).  
 KURSAAL—*The Mystery of the Wax Museum*,  
 (English). Tomorrow: *Conduisez-moi, Ma-*  
*dame*, (French).  
 PATHÉ PALACE AND EXCELSIOR—*Teodore*  
*et Cie.* (French) and *Three on a Match*,  
 (English). Tomorrow: *Rome Express*, (En-  
 glish).  
 RAMBLAS—*Madame Butterfly*, (English).  
 GOYA—*My Lips Betray*, (English).  
 PARIS—*Madame Butterfly*, (English).  
 INTIM—*El Himno de la Victoria*, (German).  
 AVENIDA—*The Sign of the Cross* (English).  
 ACTUALIDADES—News reels and reportages.  
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## Amusements

Concerts—Tuesday night at the Palau de la Musica  
 Catalana: Lener Quartett. January 29th and  
 30th at the Palau de la Musica Catalana:  
 Madrid Philharmonic Orchestra.  
 Football—This afternoon at Casa Rabia: F.C. Bar-  
 celona vs. Arenas (Bilbao).

## Radio

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 turning to disdain. In each dance she keeps up her  
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## About Barcelona

The last two rounds of the Golf Championships of Cataluña were played last Sunday. The winner of the title is Mr. F. Witty with a score of 295 for the four rounds. Sr. A. Batlló was second. The Ladies Competition was won by Srta. Margarit.

The programme for today is a competition mixed foursomes (Witty Cup).

The organizers of the British Colony Rugby Team (B. C. R. T.) are still receiving names from people who are anxious to take an active part in the game. For the practise match which was played last Saturday, fourteen players turned up and joined in practise with some members of the Barcelona University team. The date for the match has now been definitely fixed for the 10th February.

The Rev. C. H. D. Crimes has changed his address. He is now at Villa Carmen, Calle del Dr. Roux, Sarriá, Telephone 75971.

Professor Mascaró is giving a lecture on *Othello* at the Ateneo (Calle Canuda) on January 24th at 7'15 p.m. He will speak in English and admission will be free. This lecture will be held under the auspices of the Anglo-Spanish Committee.

The English Players have announced their arrival in Barcelona on the 10th February. One of the two plays they will give here is *Ten Minutes Alibi*.

The performance of the play *Tons of Money* by members of the English colony will take place on the 7th February at the Teatro Parthenon in Calle Balmes. Miss Eppie Parsons is the stage manager and the cast includes Mrs. J. H. Roberts, Miss Bonte Noble, Miss E. Parsons, Mrs. Jackson, Mr. T. Evans, Mr. J. H. Roberts, Mr. A. S. Latta, Mr. Burgoyne and Mr. Dennis.

Mr. James Chesney and Miss Thekla Nielsen, both of Valencia, have posted their bans in the British Consulate. Miss Nielsen is the daughter of the Danish Consul of Valencia and Mr. Chesney is the agent for the firm of Harry Walker in that town.

The Rev. Hayes and Mrs. Hayes are making a stay in Tarragona with relatives. Mr. Hayes has been for some time a chaplain on the continent.

Mr. Oswald A. Scott, D. S. O. accompanied by Mrs. Scott, passed through Barcelona this week on his way to Madrid, where he is taking up his new post as First Secretary at the British Embassy.

The Anglo-American Dance Committee will hold their annual Carnival Dance at the Hotel Continental on February 10th. The Committee have been fortunate to secure a very good band, the one which was such a success at the Maison Dorée last year. The organizers are making every effort to ensure that the dance (in fancy dress, of course) will be a real success.

On account of Miss Gibraltar Noble's slight attack of tonsillitis she will not leave for England

with her mother and Miss Nancy Hall until the end of next week.

Mrs. W. D. Washburne Bishop has now almost recovered from her recent attack of pleurisy and hopes to resume her normal activities soon.

Mrs. H.J. Sanderson is giving a bridge tea to her numerous friends at the Hotel Continental tomorrow afternoon.

We understand that our aristocratic friend, Baron Renaud de Graffenried-Villars has fixed today as the definite date of his return to Barcelona. His numerous friends have been disappointed so many times by false rumours of his arrival that they do not believe in the reliability of the news, consequently the reception committee have decided not to be at the station this time. Having heard of his activities with the gun, we have great sympathy with the game on his estates as we fear that they must be almost extinct by now.

The boxing match between the middle weight champion of Spain, Ignacio Ara, and the Italian Menabeni last Wednesday, ended with the convincing and quick victory of the Spaniard who dominated during the whole match and knocked his opponent out in the third round.

As expected the coalition of left parties carried off the highest number of votes in the Municipal Elections last Sunday. In Barcelona the Coalition obtained 162,776 votes, the Lliga (Conservatives) 133,711 and the Radicals (Lerroux) 20,914. None of the other parties reached the number of 2000 votes. Of a total of 570,559 electors only 324,535 voted.

On Thursday night the employees organized in the Frente Unico Mercantil held a meeting as a protest against several stores that pay their employees less than stipulated in the new tariff of wages. After the meeting a number of the clerks organized a raid on those stores and broke their shop windows. The new Siglo in the Calle Pelayo was one of them.

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# Madrid Report

Newspaper Men Revel;  
Juan March in Cortes

WITH Christmas, New Year and Reyes behind us, and with carnival still in the distant offing, the usual lull has set in in the round of festivities. The Association of Foreign Correspondents, however, kept things moving by their annual ball in the Ritz Hotel last night (Saturday), which was postponed from December 16 by a strike of waiters which proved to be a blessing in disguise, because on the night in question, the veteran Don Alejandro Lerroux formed his new Cabinet, and newsmen were busy explaining to the world at large the significance of this come-back of the one-time revolutionary. Diplomats, writers and local newspapermen swelled the cheerful gathering of the foreign Press representatives.

Cocktail parties are the order of the day. Two recent arrivals from Hollywood, Catalina Barcena and Grehorio Martinez Sierra, were the guests of Mr. Curtis Jordan, the American Consul at one of these reunions. Bright young folks of the British colony were entertained by Mr. Morrison on Thursday.

Ramon Perez de Ayala, whose writing activities have been suspended for a while in virtue of his duties as Ambassador of Spain in London, will be the guest of honour and the speaker at the next meeting of the British Luncheon Club at the Hotel Savoy on Thursday next, January 25. Sir George Grahame, the British Ambassador, will likewise be a guest of honour.

Sincere sympathy is felt with Mrs. J. J. McGroarty, wife of the manager of the Madrid branch of the Anglo-South American Bank, who left for England on receiving news of the illness of her mother. Mrs. McGroarty arrived home too late, as her mother passed away after a brief illness.

Mr. Hallet Johnson has arrived from The Hague to take over from Mr. Hugh Millard, ranking secretary at the United States Embassy, who will

leave for his new post in London at the end of the month. Mr. Hallet Johnson is staying at the Palace Hotel. Mr. Millard's family has left for Switzerland where Mrs. Millard and the children will stay for a while before going on to London.

During the week the Cortes voted in favour of allowing Don Juan March, recently elected Deputy for the Baleares, to take his seat in the House. Not long before the elections, March, who is one of the wealthiest and most influential men in Spain, had escaped from the prison where he had been confined by the State for seventeen months, and at the time his flight attracted world wide notice.

Mr. Rutherford Fullerton is leaving Madrid for Palma as soon as the Supreme Court's verdict in the case of himself and four other Americans, which was reviewed by the Sala Sexta last week, has been decided. Mr. Fullerton has been in the capital ever since the prosecutor in Mallorca appealed against the acquittal of the five, who had been accused of assaulting a Guardia Civil.

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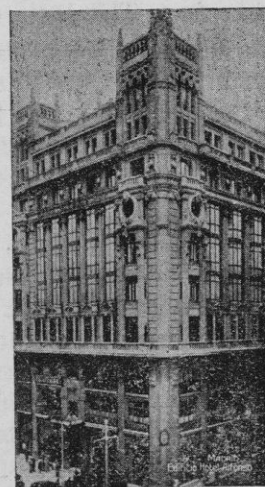
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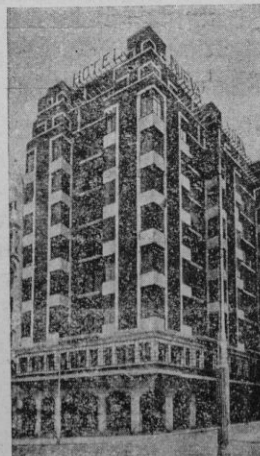
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**PROTECTORA**—(3:30, 6:30, 9:30) All the week, A KISS BEFORE THE MIRROR. In English. Mon. Tues. and Wed. also ALIAS TERREMOTO.

**PRINCIPAL**—THE THREE MUSKETEERS. Thurs. BOLICHE The Spanish Musical Hit.

**BALEAR**—SIERRA DE RONDA. In Spanish.

**BORN**—PALACIO FLOTANTE, in Spanish. Thursday, EL RETADOR, and LA MUJER ACUSADA.

**LIRICO**—LA HERMANA BLANCA. In Spanish.

**MODERNO**—To-day, THE CRIME IN THE WAX MUSEUM. In English. To-morrow, MELODIA PROHIBIDA and SIEMPRE ADIOS, both in Spanish.

**RIALTO**—YO, TU Y ELLA. In Spanish.

**Dancing:** MORISCO.—Dancing every night.

TURKEY BAR.—Dancing indoors.

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**Miscellaneous:** BRIDGE CLUB.—At the Bellver, afternoon and evening.

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INTERNATIONAL LANGUAGE CLUB.—At the Trocadero, Tuesday, 4.30 p.m. Thursday, 9.30 p.m. Dancing.

HORSE RACING.—Today at 1 p.m. at the Hipodromo.

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The Hotel Formentor has now a new President for the company that directs its policy, Señor Enseñat, director of the Grand and Victoria Hotels in Palma.

## Cocktail Competition

This week there will be a novel Cocktail Competition at the Morisco Bar. Entrants will be invited to submit recipes for new and original cocktails. An international jury will pronounce on the merits of the different drinks, and there will be a first prize of fifty pesetas, as well as other cash prizes, and bottles of champagne and gin. It is important that the exact quantities of the ingredients of each cocktail should be stated, and also a distinctive name chosen. The prize-winning aperitifs will afterwards be obtainable by the public at the Morisco.

The final decision and distribution of prizes will take place at the Morisco at six o'clock on Saturday the 27th. All recipes must be in the hands of the management by 3.30 p.m. on the previous Friday, and must be original.

Among the rules of the competition are that each recipe must contain at least one Spanish wine or liqueur product; it is also important to give directions for serving the cocktail. The recipes become the property of the Morisco.

So here is an opportunity for amateur bartenders. Try a mixture of Gin and Luch, with a dash of Cointreau.

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Sunday, Jan. 28th, mail closes at the Palma postoffice at 1:30 p.m. for the OLYMPIC, Cherbourg, due in New York Feb. 5th.

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Palma-Algiers: Lv. Saturday 6 p.m. Ar. Sunday 6 a.m.

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## The Say in Pollensa

The residents of the Puerto are seeing the first signs of the great improvement plan that has been proposed. Notwithstanding the temporary discomforts of breaking one's neck over small mountains of stones, or sticking fast to the newly laid pavements, it is with keen delight that we watch the progress of a smooth going promenade. This, we understand, is to be made wider and longer, continuing to the lighthouse, where there will be constructed an observation terrace.

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Also, speaking of improvements, the Pollensa water system is again in good working condition. It caught some of us unawares, after being off for over a month, and many kitchens and bathrooms were flooded.

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Mrs. Clara Steichen expects the well known interior decorator, Miss Mabel Scott, of New York and Paris, to stay with her for several days. Miss Scott has come to Spain on an important textile commission, and will then go to London in time to attend the Manufacturers' Exhibition.

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Staying at the Hotel Mar i Cel this week are: Frau Wessels, Fraulein Dreyscharfft, Mr. and Mrs. Evans, and Mrs. Chisholm.

At the Miramar are: Major General and Mrs. Higginson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Warden, Mr. and Mrs. H. Leefe, M. and Mme. W. Fapie, and Mr. and Mme. G. Biseau.

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Earnest sunbathers are among us. Staying at the Hotel Victoria are Mr. and Mrs. N.F. Bardford founders of the Sun bathing Society, and of the Sun bathing Review. They hope to found a Sun bathing colony in Mallorca, and their magazine is on sale at the kiosks.

The aims of the Society are serious and therapeutical, and such well known people as Mr. Bernard Shaw, Dr. A. Rollier, Dr. Norman Haire, Dr. Elizabeth Sloan Chesser, Professor Julian Huxley and the Countess of Mayo are members.

Doubtless a secluded beach on the island will be found, where Nudists may go Nude; but we hope not to meet anyone strolling down the Borne in a state of nature, or the Guardias will have a few words to say.

## A Little Sniff of «Snow»

A very charming elderly lady recently arrived in Palma, and in her luggage the Customs Officials found and seized a box of talcum powder. They kept it, insisting that it was a dangerous drug. In spite of the lady's insistence that she used it for toilet purposes after her morning bath, she was unable to recover it, and was nearly scared out of her life that she was going to be arrested for trying to smuggle Cocaine. Eventually, her innocence was established, and she was given back her harmless box of powder.

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After several months absence in London, Holland and Paris, Mr. Heinrich Mendelssohn, the Berlin architect, has returned to Palma. He arrived on Thursday, and is once more to be seen strolling along the Borne with his umbrella over his arm like the Duke of Cambridge.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dorr Newton sailed from Barcelona yesterday on the Spanish Transatlantica Line's cruise to New York and Central American ports, a cruise which will bring them back to Mallorca in March. A large party had been arranged for the cruise by the Count de Guell in Barcelona and among those who were to join it was Miss Marybell Krippendorf. Another reservation for the trip was that of Mr. Clifford Harmon.

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Mr. Jack Osgood, whose place in Ibiza was for a time the goal of all his friends since they could delve in his garden for Phoenician relics, is going in for gentleman farming in an ambitious way. On Wednesday's boat there were consigned to him two pigs, one cock, six hens and a dozen eggs.

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When Miss Monica Seed came to Mallorca recently to visit her mother in Terreno she also invited a house guest, Mr. Watts of Kenya Colony. They were to leave for Africa on the same day, and the evening before their departure Miss Seed confided to her mother that

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Mrs. Gordon Stanton, who recently committed suicide spectacularly by flying to her death after hearing that her husband had been killed in an automobile accident, has had a silver bowl sent to her friend Mrs. Doris Cameron. This was one of the bequests in the informal will she made just before she died.

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Mrs. Louise Galbraith gave a party at her house in Corp Mari as a farewell to the Abbot Lawrences, who left on Wednesday night. Among her guests were Mr. and Mrs. Mashford, the oldest residents of the Island foreign colony, Mrs. Walker of La Portassa and her daughter, Mr. Arthur Middlehurst, and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Australia. The last named are ardent yachtsmen, and have chartered a boat with the intention of cruising extensively.

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Mrs. Isla Knowles is gradually collecting her entire family here. Her son Neville and her youngest daughter arrive tomorrow on the Njassa. They have been studying in Germany, and are bringing with them two important members of the outfit, Bill and Nip, a bulldog and a Dalmatian. Probably Mr. Charles Knowles will be arriving with his married daughter Betty and a friend. They have been motoring down through France. They will all be stay-

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Those who arrived here from the States aboard the Exeter Friday morning were Miss Marjorie Walsh, the Misses Frances Stock and Caroline Carr, Mrs. S. W. Hubbard, the Misses Elizabeth and Jane Hubbard, Miss Mary McAbee, Mrs. E. N. Blake and Miss Barbara Blake, Mr. G. Beresford Reynolds and Miss A. F. Cleaver who has come to Mallorca to live with her sister, Mrs. Julia Grant, in Galilea. Miss Cleaver has been retired as matron of St. Luke's hospital in New York, after many years on their staff.

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The Bishop of Ripon arrived yesterday on the SS Yoma which brought forty-nine other visitors to Palma from England.

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Dr. McDowell, Master at Winchester College, is spending a short holiday on the Tranquil Isle. He arrived Thursday.

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C'an Senyoranda (Wild Thyme in Mallorquin) has a new tenant again. Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Priday and Mrs. Priday's sister have rented the house on the top of San Agustin hill. They formerly lived in India.

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Mrs. M. Irvine is a recent arrival, and is registered at Hotel Royal.

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Mrs. L. W. Best was hostess at a cocktail party last Friday to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davies, Mr. Walter Ogden, Mrs. Alice Addington and her daughter Mrs. Dean, Don Pedro Bonet, Dr. Rovir, Mrs. Wolfer, and Mr. Gaston Lang.

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By way of bidding his friends farewell, Mr. Fred Maggs entertained eighteen guests at a bridge-tea party in the English Tea Rooms in Terreno the other day. Mr. Maggs has been living at the Hotel Alfonso but will return to England shortly.

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Major W. H. C. Stanford, who was forced to land here because of ill health, has now sufficiently recovered to resume his journey to South Africa. During his illness on shore he was attended by Dr. Peñaranda at his clinic.

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Miss Carmen Short celebrated her birthday last Sunday at her home in the approved fashion. The

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only bit of sadness which crept into the gaiety of the evening was the fact that Miss Short's father, a shy old gentleman, couldn't face the music and tried to keep himself awake at the Café Alhambra until the last guest left the house, which was at about three-thirty in the morning.

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Arrivals on the Yoma yesterday were:

Miss Allen, Miss S. T. S. Arthur, Rev. E. A. Burroughs, Mr. J. Edwards, Mr. Everest, Mrs. F. E. Forbes, Miss M. E. Green, Lieut-Col. H. C. Hall, Miss D.M. Harvey, Miss L. R. Jacobs, Mrs. Jamieson, Mrs. Keeler, Mr. H. E. McCaully, Miss M. E. McCaully, Mr. J. M. McGill, Col. A. A. McHarg, Miss McShane, Major N. G. Orrell, Miss E. C. R. Philp, Capt. H. W. Randall, Mr. P. Rickards, Mrs. C. E. Strainer, Miss K. Taylor, Mr. A. E. Curton, Mrs. Moss.

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There will be considerable private entertaining on shore for the ship's company. The Círculo Mallorquín are giving a Gala dance, and The British Association in the Balearic Isles will be At Home to the Captain and Officers of the battleship at the Mediterraneo Hotel on Thursday the 25th for tea, refreshments and dancing. Tickets for the latter, price pesetas 5 for members, and pesetas 10 for others, may be obtained at Short's Tea Room, Terreno, on Monday and Tuesday from 11 a.m. till noon.

Arrangements are being made for the entertainment of the petty officers, marines and seamen of all ranks. Until the ship arrives, and the length of shore leave is known, it is only possible to make provisional arrangements, but it has been suggested that parties should be made up for visits to places of interest, and it is hoped to provide a temporary club room, where the men can read, write letters, play games, have sing-songs, etc. Offers of help in service or in kind, will be gratefully received by Mrs. Morrison and Mrs. Walker, c/o The Olde English Tearoom, 80 Calle 14 Abril, Terreno. Guides will be wanted for shore trips, and helpers at the Club room, which may also be a temporary canteen. Books and magazines, on loan or gift, (please say which) games like draughts, halma, etc; paper, envelopes and other writing materials, home made cakes and sweets, cigarettes, community song-books (on loan) would all be useful.

A number of tea shops have already agreed to supply a substantial tea at a cost of one or two pesetas.

## Rummage Sale

The Mallorca Junior Club is holding a rummage sale, on Saturday the 27th of this month. The proceeds will go to the fund which is being raised for the purchase of a moving picture projector. The Club has at present the use of a motion picture camera, but has no means of showing the pictures taken.

This is rather like saying «If we had some ham we might have ham and eggs, if we had some eggs.» So let us hope the sale will be a great success.

Mrs. George Bowden, who is the moving spirit of the club, would greatly appreciate the gift of any children's clothing for this sale. The Club is open every day but Sunday from 3 to 5 p.m.

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«No no, the place I am taking with a friend, un amigo.»

«Ah, un' amiga? Yes yes, of course.»

«No, a friend, a man, un amigo.»

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Among the guests at the official reception were Don Fernando Alzamora, Honorary President of the Fomento del Turismo; Don Francisco Vidal Sureda, secretary of the Fomento; Conde Peralada, president of the Fomento; Mr. and Mrs. Feigerl, of the French Consulate; Don Juan Roca; Col. Emilio Morote, representing the Captain General; Don Enrique Pedret, President of the Hotel Association; Don Jaime Aleñar, Sres. Socias and Pujol, Sr. and Sra. Juan Bauzá of the Diputacion; Don Antonio Piña, Don Enrique Manera; Messrs. Massanet, Simonds and Roca.

Don José La Cruz is director of the Hotel. One of the features of the establishment is that it is the only hostelry in Mallorca to be equipped with an oil burning heating apparatus.

Señor la Cruz was with the old Hotel McAlpin when it was the Martin House in New York. He opened the old Hotel Knickerbocker, and was for years with the Hotel Plaza, so he is obviously a hotel director of experience. The cuisine at the Paris will be a special feature.

### Tennis Improvements in Mahon

Of interest to tennis playing tourists planning a visit to Minorca is the announcement that the Port Mahon Lawn Tennis Club has commenced the work of rebuilding the clubhouse and reconstructing the grounds. The new building, which is being rushed through and will be ready for use within a month, will have a large hall, a bar and modern dressing rooms and showers for both men and women.

### Dudley to be Free Soon

The unfortunate Mr. Hamilton John Dudley still languishes behind prison bars, although he may be

freed at the discretion of the Governor. He would have been out by now, had not the Governor been away for a week. So Mr. Dudley must remain in durance vile till the order for his release is signed. But we gather that the authorities will courteously indicate that they prefer his room to his company.



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