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Jewish Terrorists Attack Palestine Police Camps

JERUSALEM, FEB. 22.—THREE JEWISH TERRORISTS WERE KILLED IN A MIDNIGHT ATTACK ON THE PALESTINE POLICE MOBILE FORCE CAMP AT SARONA NEAR TEL AVIV.

It was officially announced that the police guards saw terrorists near the fence on the north side of the camp

and immediately went into action with small arms fire and hand grenades. The terrorists retaliated by throwing bombs into the camp compound. Later, the police found the bodies of two dead Jews inside the camp. Both had Sten guns and one carried a pack of explosives. The third man died of wounds in hospital.

Two other attacks on police camps were made during the night. An official statement said that at Shevaamir, east of Haifa, Assistant Superintendent McLaughlin was slightly injured when explosives placed at the base of a building went off. At Kefar, Vitkin terrorists placed explosives in a police car park and damaged an oil store and four lorries. The police opened fire but the attackers escaped. Areas in Tel Aviv, adjoining the attacked camp, have been cordoned off by the police and military and house-to-house searches are being made.—Reuter.

National Theatre For Britain

London, Feb. 22.—Britain is to have a National Theatre at last. It may not become a fact for four or five years yet—until a new theatre has been built and equipped on the riverside site provided by the London County Council on the south bank of the Thames.

But the announcement that the Shakespeare Memorial National Theatre Committee and the Old Vic have decided to merge marks a definite stage in a plan which has been discussed for 40 years or more.

Pending the merging of the two bodies under the name of the National Theatre, a joint Council has been formed under the chairmanship of Mr. Oliver Lyttelton, together with two sub-committees.

Of the latter, one will look after the problems of building and equipping the theatre while the other will supervise the future activities and plans of the Old Vic companies.—Reuter.

Bombay Quiet

New Delhi, Feb. 23.—The situation in Bombay is reported to be quiet. Only a few pedestrians and cyclists were seen on the main streets.

Despite the curfew from 9 p.m. to 6 a.m., a few incidents were reported last night.

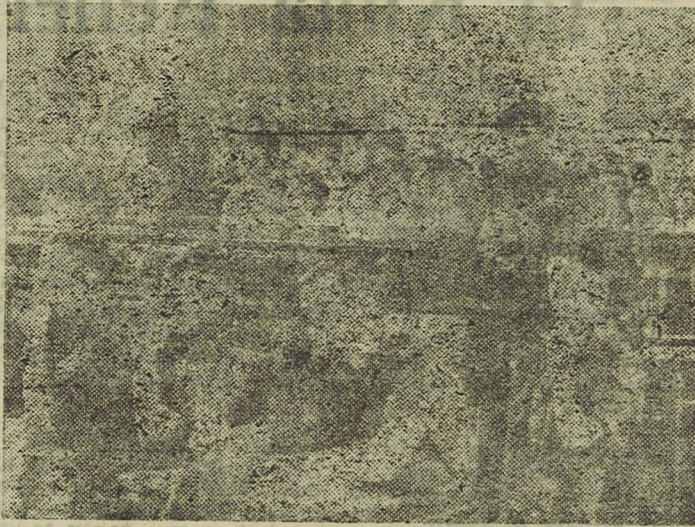
Unofficial reports place the casualty figures in yesterday's disturbances as 60 killed and more than 600 injured.—Reuter.

NAZIS PLANNED TO DESTROY MOSCOW

Berlin, Feb. 23.—At the Nuremberg trial yesterday, the Russian prosecutor told the tribunal that the Nazis planned the destruction of Moscow and Leningrad. Gen. Yodl had ordered that the capitulation of the two cities should not be accepted and that they were to be razed to the ground.—Reuter.

SULTANEH SEES STALIN

London, Feb. 22.—Marshal Stalin yesterday received the Persian Prime Minister, M. Ghavam Sultaneh, reports Moscow radio. M. Ghavam has gone to Moscow to negotiate with Russia on the future of Azerbaijan where the Russians are backing the movement for self-government. The Soviet Foreign Minister, M. Molotov, was present at today's meeting.—Reuter.



Sgt. Yoshimura, former Kempeitai terror, described by the President as the "Scourge of Ipoh," stands stiffly to attention between Indian guards and his bespectacled Jap interpreter, in the dock before a British Officers' Court which sentenced him to be hung on his plea of guilty to two cruelty charges. It was the first war crimes trial to be held in Ipoh.

Jap Lawyers To Defend War Criminal Suspects Here

The war crimes trials are being heard by Military Courts, and the Judges, prosecutors and defence counsel are assigned by the convening officer as part of their duties; they have neither the option to refuse these assignments, nor are they paid anything extra to their usual pay.

When the war crimes trials began in the South-East Asia Command, the Japanese criminals, it was stated then, were surprised when they knew that they had been given eminent counsel to defend. How much more surprised they will be when they learn that these legal officers have not been given any compensation? The fact that a number of them have been saved from the gallows and others from heavy punishment, in the trials in Singapore, may have been due to the expert manner in which some of the defence counsel conducted their cases.

New Formula Worked Out

Nanking, Feb. 23.—A report from Chungking says that a formula for the fusion of the Central Government and Communist armies has been worked out by the military sub-committee appointed by the Political Consultative Council. This was revealed yesterday by Gen. Chou En-lai, the Communist member on the military sub-committee of three members, with U.S. envoy, Gen. George Marshall, as adviser.—Reuter.

GRAND NATIONAL TO BE HELD AT AINTREE

London, Feb. 22.—All doubts about the venue of the Grand National were removed with the statement by the managers of the world famous Aintree course, at Liverpool that the race would be definitely held there as pre-war on April 5 as arranged. The course and jumps will be limited, says the statement. The licence for £6,000 granted by the Ministry of Works to put the course in order is just sufficient to ensure that all essential public amenities will be available.—Reuter.

SINO-SOVIET DEADLOCK

Chiang's Son On Way To Moscow

Chungking, Feb. 23.—Gen. Chiang Ching-kuo, eldest son of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek and formerly his special Envoy in Moscow, has left for Moscow again in an attempt to break the "Chinese-Soviet deadlock," says the independent newspaper, "World Daily News."

In Chungking, some 100 professors and members of the University faculty yesterday joined more than 10,000 Chinese students in a monster Anti-Soviet "Quit Manchuria" demonstration and sang with them patriotic songs. Thousands of people lined the streets and cheered the demonstrators.

Communist reports said that students stoned and smashed the windows of a Communist newspaper office and that later some "special service agents" ran riot destroying the books and files.

Red Army troops garrisoning Manchuria have not yet been withdrawn although the Big Three Foreign Ministers conference had agreed that they should leave by the beginning of February.

The Chinese press has been expressing anxiety over the position there.

Fighting between the Kuomintang and Communist forces flared up in Manchuria early this week where the American-trained new Chinese 6th Army recently arrived.—Reuter.

Austerity Ascot

London.—The Royal Ascot on June 18, 19, 20 and 21 will be run on austerity lines, it was officially stated at Buckingham Palace.

"The King has expressed the wish to the Ascot authority that the Royal meeting should be run strictly on austerity lines," stated the Buckingham Palace announcement. The statement said that to comply with His Majesty's wishes ladies will wear day dresses with hats and men service dress or lounge suits. There will be a Royal Enclosure for entry to which application must be made as pre-war. Instead of the elaborate meals served in the restaurant on the course before the war there will be refreshment buffets only. It is proposed to have six days racing in addition to the above Royal meeting in June. The dates for these will be announced later.—Reuter.

Stalin's Order

Moscow, Feb. 23.—Generalissimo Stalin has issued an order of the day to the armed forces of the Soviet Union on the 23rd Anniversary of the Red Army in which he said that Russia must raise the material welfare of her people, as well as the military and economic strength of the country.—Reuter.

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Communal Strife

WELL-WISHERS of all communities in Malaya cannot permit themselves to blind their eyes to the fact that communal feeling has assumed disquieting proportions. This is a direct legacy of Japanese misrule in south-east Asia and is not confined to this country. During the whole period of the occupation, the Japanese sought, with slight success, to inculcate into the hearts of all non-Chinese people hatred for Chinese. But that success, slight though it was, has been enough to lead to tragic results.

We do not charge the British Military Administration with failure to realise the seriousness of this situation, but judged purely on an interpretation of their policy (which in everything but local application is dictated from London) they are making no remarkable contribution to a liquidation of this state of affairs.

The world has been rid of the satanic influences of the great aggressor powers. The way is open for all nations to live at peace. But unfortunately there is in this country a sufficiently large number of persons not willing to live at peace and amity with their neighbours to constitute a real menace to the security of local minorities.

The once proud boast of Malaya that all communities lived in peace and tolerance—"without distinction of race, creed or colour," a true, if hackneyed phrase—cannot truthfully be made today. The principle of racial animosity is wrong, but the conduct of our late oppressors was such that it is easier to make out a case for branding ethnologically than to refute it, and the result upon small sections of a once highly tolerant population has been deplorable. The vast majority of Malaya's are still free from prejudices of any sort, but unfortunately their tolerance does little or nothing to restrain the intolerance of the infinitesimal minority.

Whitehall in all probability assumed that such would be the relief at liberation, that lesser matters would be dwarfed to insignificance. Hardly were the bonds of serfdom severed, when political pronouncements were made indicating an intention to nurse a line of policy, which however desirable in itself, was more than a little lacking in tact.

Highly partizan utterances by the Malayan Old Hands have made the poorest contribution to dissipating communal stress, while the scares raised by people like Viscount Ellbank and Mr. Roland Braddell predicting a danger of transmigration of Malaya into Chinaya are positively mischievous.

PERAK CHINESE AMATEUR DRAMATIC ASSOCIATION

Owing to the requisition of the Association premises. Members are hereby notified that the Association has now moved to No. 29, Leong Sin Nam Street, Ipoh. By Order of the Committee.

Haven For Displaced Persons

Success Of Humanitarian Work In Kinta Relief Camps

(By Tribune Staff Reporter)

A HAVEN FOR DISPLACED PERSONS RESCUED FROM THE NOTORIOUS JAP LABOUR CAMPS IN SIAM, IS SITUATED AT ASHBY ROAD, IPOH. HERE EMACIATED MEN, WOMEN AND CHILDREN WHO, UNTIL THEIR LIBERATION, HAD BEEN LIVING IN FEAR AND STARVATION, ENJOY THE COMFORTS AND AMENITIES OF LIFE UNDER IDEAL CONDITIONS.

There is also a similar welfare centre at Tanjong Rambutan where relief is given to those who come from the Northern areas of the Peninsula. This centre is for those who are, strictly speaking, not hospital cases, but are unfit for work and, therefore, need rest and help before returning to their former homes or places of employment.

Wing-Commander R. Rendle, C.A.O. Kinta is responsible for the running of these relief centres in Kinta and is fortunate to have a very efficient band of British Red Cross welfare workers and others to aid him in tackling this urgent problem.

W/Comdr. Rendle told me that welfare work comes under four main headings, first there is the relief of distress by cash payment or by direct distribution of relief stores through local committees representative of all classes. Members of these committees are all wellknown local residents. Secondly there is the movement of refugees and displaced persons returning to their homes from the north. These

refugees come into Ipoh by rail, having been sorted and documented at Jitra or Penang. Immediately on arrival they are taken to the transit camp in Ashby Road. This camp comprises a series of clean and comfortable attap sheds, where the different communities are separately accommodated, fed and receive free medical attention. A clerical staff record particulars of each individual and find out their final destination. This camp which is run by capable Miss Kennet, a S.J.A.B. member, aided by an efficient staff. Special attention is given to children and the daily distribution of milk to the little ones is an event in their lives. The kids, as enthusiastic as any children the world over for their food, line up excitedly with their little tin pans in their hands and have their supply doled out to them.

Though the average stay in this camp is only ten days, it is gratifying to note the marked improvement which good food, cleanliness and order, can make in so short a time.

TANJONG RAMBUTAN
Quite a number of the displaced persons from the north who come into Ipoh are not strictly speaking, hospital cases, but are far from well and therefore unfit to earn their own living and consequently have to receive care and attention for some time to come. They are sent to the Rehabilitation Centre at Tanjong Rambutan, a model relief



W/COMDR. R. RENDLE, C.A.O., KINTA

centre, set in pleasant surroundings in the grounds of the Mental Hospital, here Miss Bababra Calderwood, BRCS worker who seems to have a genius for making "unfortunates" happy and contented, gives them special diet and every attention that modern science can afford in the country. It is interesting to compare the poor, starved frightened men, women and children who come into the camp with those who have been there for a while—happy, cheerful individuals and sometimes even fat!

Then there is the orphanage at Batu Gajah. Far from being the grim forbidding, walled structure that orphanages are commonly supposed to be, the one at Batu Gajah is a lovely house on the slopes of the pleasant Changkat. Here with the help of a local committee, Miss Bowden of the BRCS is the popular officer-in-charge of a bunch of cheery, noisy kids. This orphanage can accommodate a few more and the BMA will be glad to consider taking in any child recommended through the relief committees.

BRITISH MILITARY ADMINISTRATION (MALAYA)

REGION NO. 3 (PERAK)

NOTICE

The Rent And Charged Land (Restriction) Enactment, 1940 And The Interpretation Proclamation

In exercise of the powers conferred by Section 4 of the Rent and Charged Land (Restriction) Enactment, 1940, and vested in him by Section 3 of the Interpretation Proclamation, the Senior Civil Affairs Officer, Region No. 3 Perak, has appointed the following persons to constitute a Rent Assessment Board for all the Town Board areas in the District of Krian for the year 1946.—

1. The Civil Affairs Officer, Krian (President).
2. Mr. G.P. Aitken.
3. Mr. Ang Cheng Kim.
4. Mr. G.N.S. Sabapathy, J.P.
5. Tuan Syed Abdul Hamid bin Syed Sapi (Toh Muda Orang Kaya Besar).

V.C. de CRESPIGNY
Colonel
SCAO 3 REGION
(SCAO PR. (G) 267/46)

Stabbed In Neck

Kuala Kangsar.—Mohamed bin Pandak Abu Kassim, of Sauk, was charged in the District Court here for voluntarily causing hurt to Sithamparampillai, Officer-in-Charge of Maryland Estate at Sauk on Jan. 23, by stabbing him in the back of his neck with a dagger.

The accused was convicted and sentenced to eight months' rigorous imprisonment.

BRITISH MILITARY ADMINISTRATION Region No. 3 (Perak)

NOTICE

FIRE ALARM SYSTEM IPOH
The fire alarm system in Ipoh is now in operation, and in the event of fire, break the glass in the alarm head, pull down lever and release same. It is most important that any person calling the FIRE BRIGADE by this method will wait by the fire alarm until the arrival of the Brigade.

Capt. E. MARSDEN,
Officer-in-Charge,
Fire Brigade, Ipoh.

NOTICE

OWNERSHIP OF FIREARMS
All persons who formerly possessed firearms and who now hold documentary proof of ownership in 1941 either by a Police receipt or licence, are requested to forward their claims to the Chief Police Officer of the State or Settlement in which they are resident.

Copies only of such documentary proof, together with any details which may assist in tracing the arms, should accompany claims.

Officer Commanding,
Malay Peninsula Unit,
Civil Affairs (Malaya),
Police Force.
Kuala Lumpur, 15th February, 1946.

FOOD PRODUCTION ON ESTATES

Employers of labour, Estate Managers and others interested in the PRODUCTION OF FOOD are hereby informed that, by arrangement with the BMA (M), Relief Labour when available will be diverted on application for FOOD PRODUCTION. Wages of such Relief Labour will be paid from BMA Funds as at present but Employers who apply for such Relief Labour are expected to give ADEQUATE SUPERVISION to the work being undertaken in order that full value may be obtained from such Relief Labour.

The food produced may be secured by the Estates in payment to the BMA (M) at controlled prices. BMA (M) Cir. 334/46 of 6/2/46 refers. Application for Relief Labour should be made to the C.A.O. in your district. PERAK PLANTING ASSN. P.O. Box 63, IPOH 7th. February, 1946.

Aged Chinese Charged With Aiding Enemy

Taiping.—Lee Fook, a 62-year-old Hakka, was produced before Raja Salim, Presiding Officer, District Court, charged with intent to help the enemy by doing an act likely to give assistance to the military operations of the enemy.

Accused was alleged to have assisted in the capture of three soldiers of His Majesty's armed forces in Malaya during January, 1942 in Changkat Serdang Estate. The case was postponed to Feb. 27 and the accused was remanded in custody. Chief Inspector, Mohamed Noor, prosecuted.

T. R. INDIAN ASSN.

Following are office-bearers of the Tanjong Rambutan branch of the Perak Indian Labourers' Association:

President:—Sir Pandit C. R. Sharma; Vice-President: Sri K. Kannusamy; General Secretary: Sri R. Vasuthavan; Treasurer: Sri R. Basu Dev Committee:—Sris. D. Deva kirubal, Ramadullah, Harban Singh, M. Velu, K. L. George, Ram Singh and A. A. Kallupillai.

THE RUBBER SUPERVISION ENACTMENT 1937

Licensing Board Meeting

NOTICE is hereby given that the Rubber Supervision Licensing Board for the District of Kinta including the Sub-District of Parit will hold a meeting at the office of the Civil Affairs Officer, Kinta, Sanitary Board Building Ipoh on 28th February, 1946 at 10 o'clock in the forenoon to consider applications for the following licences for the year 1946:

- (i) Licences to purchase rubber under Sec. 11.
 - (ii) Licences to treat and store rubber under Sec. 12.
 - (a) where none of the rubber stored and treated is grown or produced on land in occupation of the applicant.
 - (b) where the applicant is forwarding or snapping agent and he stores the rubber as such.
 - (c) where the rubber treated or stored is only partly grown or produced on land in occupation of the applicant.
 - (iii) Licences to pack rubber for export under Sec. 1.
2. The Sanitary Board number and/or Survey office Lot No. of the premises referred to in the application should be stated.
3. Every application for any licence must be supported by a statutory declaration in the prescribed form under Sec. 6 (iv) and should be sent to the Civil Affairs Officer, Kinta at his office in the Kinta Sanitary Board Building, Ipoh, not later than 16 February, 1946.
4. Approved applicants for licences may be required to enter into recognizances with such security as the Board may think fit, for the due observance of the conditions of the licences.
5. Every applicant for licence to purchase rubber shall enclose with his application a Treasury deposit receipt for the sum of one hundred (\$100) which the equivalent amount of the annual fee prescribed for the licence.

CHAIRMAN
Rubber Supervision
Licensing Board
Kinta including Parit

Nazi War Factories Demolished

Munich, Feb. 22.—Explosions now taking place in Bavaria mean more houses for German civilians — but they do not all of them know it.

As the rumble of the explosions is heard, peasants working in the fields or people walking in the snow covered streets of Munich, look up and mutter "there goes another of our factories."

But those who bitterly resent the destruction of war plants, now being carried out by the Americans are not aware that these explosions mean houses for Germans and valuable material released from war purposes for the good of the community.

The work of demolition, officially known as "reduction of war potential" falls into two categories. First, there is the destruction by explosion and other means of anything that can be used in war; and, second, there is the salvaging of industrial and other material that can either be made available to the Allies in the form of reparations or, if not wanted by them, handed over to the Germans for their use.

The work is carried out by the economics division of the Industry Branch of Military Government for Bavaria. The Branch chief is Colonel S.Y. McGiffert, who comes from Duluth, Minnesota.— Reuter.

Comments On Current Topics

Macham Macham

(BY C.C.)

RICE, MORE RICE

The world's agony of war against brutal totalitarianism may be ended, but today we hear the tattooed declaration of the grim global war against hunger. The dark shadow of world famine falls athwart the council halls of UNO, where at last there are prospects of a united stand never as yet achieved. Surely it cannot baffle human ingenuity to frame some flexible scheme whereby will be averted what may well be the greatest catastrophe in history.

But are there not lessons to be learnt? Cannot some long-term plan be put into immediate effect for the improvement of indigenous food production? And to come nearer home. Is self-sufficiency in rice impossible of attainment in Malaya? Vast tracts of fertile and uncultivated land are still available while scientific research and collaboration with other rice-producing countries should result in the producer harvesting the elusive increased yield per acre. And now. The acquirement of working class will release a flood of labour which could be used to ensure final self-sufficiency.

this problem cannot be too heavily stressed. We shall never go an inch along the hard road to that sense of security in which rebuilding of this broken world and tottering civilisation must be based, unless we make the effort to provide a decent standard of living for all.

But the unemployed also owe a duty to themselves. Remembering that being out of work is no personal disgrace, enlist the help of your friends and acquaintances. They may enable you to establish fruitful contacts with prospective employers. Advertisements in local newspapers may prove another major road to jobs. Then there are the school employment agencies which are being resuscitated.

BE IT SO HUMBLE

Our medical authorities must be gravely concerned by the acute housing conditions prevalent today. The indiscriminate cramming of 60 to 70 inmates within the gloomy confines of a small dwelling is not only unhygienic but pregnant with danger to the whole country. Already we read of the severe epidemic of typhoid that is sweeping across Europe. There may be yet more ills in the wake of war. We can only hope there will be no conflagration of a pestilential nature in this country.

Meantime the housing problem must be tackled. The cry is for the biggest possible effort in housing. The building trade operatives are impatiently waiting to cope with the inevitable building boom that will accompany the free flow of housing materials. Crystal gazing is not an attractive pastime but could not a comprehensive town planning scheme be evolved now? And should not government as the most prominent landlord in the country devise the necessary plans which could assume concrete form with the availability of materials? The immediate prospects are not promising but let not bureaucratic inertia be blamed for future bottlenecks.

WANT THAT JOB?

The ogre of unemployment is again rearing its ugly head in this period of post liberation. Guided by considerations of expediency the BMA has achieved remarkably gratifying results by the total mobilisation of all available material to handle the essential machinery of reconstruction. The gradual re-organisation of former mercantile houses will further tend to deplete the ranks of the jobless. But still the unemployed will remain with us. The importance of

PERAK TURF CLUB MARCH MEETING 1946

1st Day, Saturday, 9th March
2nd Day, Saturday, 16th March

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A \$2 COURSE CASH SWEEP will be held on each race each day. THROUGH NUMBERS can be booked at the Secretary's Office up to 5 p.m. on the day preceding the race day.

VITAMIN C-INEMA

Today the cinema business appears to be well ahead on the high road to recovery. The exhausted, poisoned, bewildered populace of Malaya gasps for fresh air, hungers for the necessities of life, thirsts for enlightenment and pleads for hope and security while it cries for the distraction necessary to relegate to the limbo of forgotten things the nightmare of the last few years. The principal agency for the provision of recreation and entertainment today is the cinema. With commendable enterprise relatively up-to-date pictures have been procured, and fans have been quick to display their appreciation of this far-sighted gesture. We admit the expense but the scale of charges appears unduly high. The large attendances do not signify ability to pay but rather the vital necessity, the urge to remedy a state of deficiency, a matter almost as essential for the promotion of healthy living as the Vitamin.

COAL FIND

Rangoon, Feb. 22.—Burma, which almost solely depends on India for coal, may be able to meet some of her requirements in the near future.

It is learned today that coal deposits have been found near Kalewa, the scene of fighting last year and an expert geologist from Britain is expected shortly to survey the deposits.

The Governor's Executive Council has decided to empower revenue officers to grant permissions and reductions of land revenue on account of the damage to crops or of substantial reductions in turn out.—Reuter.

Third I.N.A. Trial Concludes

New Delhi.—At the hearing of the third INA trial at the Delhi Cantonment against Sengara Singha and Fateh Khan, the defence counsel in his closing address said that the accused should be treated in the same way as the vanquished are treated by the victor.

He added that the accused, joined the INA to achieve India's independence and did not owe allegiance to the King and as such could not be convicted under the Criminal Procedure Code.— Reuter.

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Malay League Convention

IpoH.—For the first time in the history of Perak, Malay women took part in a political movement when the first Malay League Convention began in the Town Hall yesterday.

The Convention began at 10 a.m. when delegates from the different district branches elected the Malay League State Committee:

- President: Datoh Panglima Bukit Gantang; gen. sec. and deputy president: (vacant); finance—Toh Muda Wan Mohd. Noor; information—Datoh Muda Hashim; religion—Haji Ismail Mufli; education—Dr. Meghat Khas; secretary for Malayan affairs—Raja Shahar Shah; economy—Haji Sayyah; secretary for inter-relations—Raja Azam.

The formal opening of the convention took place at 2 p.m. when the president Datoh Panglima Bukit Gantang outlined the aims and objects of the convention.

Messages of goodwill were received from Brigadier A.T. Newbott C.M.G., D.C.C.A.O., Malay Peninsula and Col. V.C. de Crespigny, SCAO, Perak.

Later in the afternoon, free discussions were held as to the real definition of the term "Malay". It was also announced that over 21,000 members have been registered for the Malay League throughout Perak.

A dinner to the visiting delegates was given last night.

The following were elected Perak representatives to the Malay Congress to be held in Kuala Lumpur: Datoh Panglima Bukit Gantang, Che Zainal Abidin, Haji Ismail Mufli, Raja Kechil Tengah, Raja Haji Shahar Shah and Che Suleiman.

Church Service

IpoH.—Church of St. John the Divine Services for today are as follows:—

- Sexagesima: Litany 7.45 a.m.
- Holy Communion 8.00 a.m.
- Matins 10.30 a.m.
- Evening Song 6.00 p.m.

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In MANDARIN

Court Ruling On Tenancy

IpoH: An important ruling on tenancy was delivered yesterday in the District Court by Major Thornloe. The parties in the case were Leong Hoi Kow, applicant, represented by Mr. M.S. Mahendran, and Mrs. Chang Yin Yee respondent, represented by Mr. Chin Swee Onn.

The applicant alleged that he was disturbed in his possession of rooms in 37, Chamberlain Road, by the chief tenant.

The judgment read by Che Samsuddin in the absence of Major Thornloe, is as follows: From the circumstances of this case I am satisfied that

Kampar Recreation Club Officials

A general meeting of the Kampar Recreation Club was held in the club premises with Capt. D. Maby, A.C.A.O., Kampar, in the chair. The meeting unanimously decided to revive the activities of the club and to concentrate primarily on encouraging sport in the town.

The election of office-bearers resulted as follows:—President, Capt. D. Maby Vice-Presidents: Che Ma'rof and Dr. N. Naganathar. Hon. Secretary, Mr. N. Ramalingam. Hon. Treasurer, Mr. Aw Tuan Poot. Sports Secretary, Mr. Tan Hong Kim. Committee, Mr. Teh Senz Kay, Mr. M. K. Murugasu, Che Ayub, Mr. Chuah Chye Hin and Mr. E. John.

TO FLY TO CHUNGKING

IpoH.—Mr. Lau Pak Khuan, President of the Perak Chinese Chamber of Commerce and a member of the Supervisory Council, Kuomintang, is making arrangements to fly to Chungking to attend the opening session of the Central Executive Council meeting on March 1.

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Since none of the above have been effected applicant succeeds. Applicant is treated as in lawful possession.

If the respondent still feels that the sub-tenant is using the rooms in such a manner as to cause further dispute, it is up to the respondent to either give the sub-tenant notice to leave, or apply for his eviction through the Rent and Assessment Board.

Baby With Two Heads, Four Arms

Manila, Feb. 21.—The Manila Post reported this morning that a baby with two heads, four arms and four legs was born to a farmer's wife last night in one of the outlying provinces.

According to the doctor who examined the freak baby, the child apparently had two sets of respiratory organs. Its two heads are perfectly formed and so were the two necks. Shoulders and body are normal.

UNEXPLAINED WANDERLUST

Taiping.—Unable to give sufficient explanation as to their wanderlust, two youths, one an Indian named Akbar Ahmad and the other a Chinese, Leong Ah Kow, were produced before Raja Salim, Presiding Officer, District Court, on a charge of committing trespass at the Taiping railway station on Feb. 18 at about 7 p.m. Both the accused pleaded guilty. The first accused was fined \$15 and the second accused \$5.

SITIAWAN WEDDING

Sitiawan.—A wedding took place last Saturday, at the Church of St. Francis, of Mr. M.A. Sany of the Food Control Office, Lumut, and Miss Lucy Chong of Bruas. A largely attended reception was held at the bridegroom's residence. Speeches, wishing the new couple every happiness were made by Dr. V.R.N. Menon, Messrs. V.S.A.K. Subramaniam and S. Krishnan.

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The Senior Civil Affairs Officer, Region No. 3, Perak in exercise of the power conferred by section 2 (1) of the Excise Enactment (Cap. 133) and vested in him under section 3 of the Interpretation Proclamation has established the following Licensing Boards for the area hereunder specified for the year 1946.

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1. The Civil Affairs Officer, Larut, Matang and Selama (Chairman).
2. The Assistant Civil Affairs Officer, Selama.
3. The Deputy Chairman, Sanitary Board, Larut and Matang.
4. The Adviser on Chinese Affairs, Perak.
5. The Staff Officer III, Labour, Taiping.
6. Major O.B. Haines.
7. Mr. Toh Eng Swee.

For the Area comprising the District of Lower Perak

1. The Civil Affairs Officer, Lower Perak (Chairman).
2. The Adviser on Chinese Affairs, Perak.
3. The Assistant Civil Affairs Officer, Lower Perak.
4. The Assistant District Officer, Lower Perak.
5. Lt. Commander C. T. d. B. Whitehouse, J.P.
6. Mr. Lim Ewe Cheng J.P.
7. Mr. W.E. Perera.

For the Area comprising the District of Dindings.

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2. The Adviser on Chinese Affairs, Perak.
3. The Controller of Labour, Perak.
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5. Dr. Ng Kong Kai.
6. Dr. K.S. Lim.

For the Area comprising the District of Kinta.

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2. The Adviser on Chinese Affairs, Perak.
3. The Officer-in-Charge, Labour Exchange, IpoH.
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