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## NEWS FROM GENEVA

Geneva, December 18th

Captain Eden accompanied by Mr. Starling the British oil expert, arrived in Geneva this morning. Mr. Eden and M. Laval the French Prime Minister held a lengthy conversation before to-days meeting. It is known that Mr. Eden has requested that the Meeting to-day shall be public, and great interest is being shown in learning the official opinion of the British Government. The Meeting held this morning was open to the public under the presidency of Doctor Guñazu, the Argentine Delegate. All the Delegates were present with the exception of the Roumanian Mr. Titulesco, and the Italian Delegates who had previously announced their intention of not attending the meeting. Speaking of to-days meeting afterwards, one of the Delegates of an important country is reported to have expressed the opinion that the Franco-British Peace Plan was already dead, and that the only thing that remained was to find some decent manner in which to dispose of the body. Possibly an attempt will be made at conciliation as a preliminary step to an announcement that the plan has failed.

## LAVAL PRESENTS HIS EXCUSES

In a summary of foreign affairs in the Chamber of Deputies, M. Laval stressed that France and Great Britain had agreed that there should be no military sanctions or naval blockade against Italy, and were therefore hopeful of preventing a spread of the Italo-Ethiopian conflict to Europe.

"I do not", he declared, "with to allow to pass unanswered the the criticism made from this tribute of the foreign policy with which I am entrusted. More over, it is easy for me to explain.

"With regard to the Italo-Ethiopian conflict, the public declarations which I have made before the League Council and Assembly should suffice to justify this policy. France's respect for the Covenant has been manifested not only by words but by acts. We tried everything to prevent the war, and then, when it was declared, we set in motion the mechanism of collective security at Geneva.

## HAUPTMANN'S MOTHER, APPEAL TO BOARD OF PARDONS

Kamenz, December 17th

The mother of Hauptmann has written to Mr. Hoffmann, the Governor of New Jersey, asking the Board of Pardons to commute the death sentence to a term of imprisonment.

She reiterate her belief that he never committed the crime, stating that felonies in Germany are committed only under the duress of hunger, and that if Hauptmann were guilty he would certainly have confessed during his imprisonment.

She concludes by saying that she pleads only for clemency, and does not wish unduly to influence the Court of Pardons.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 19, 1935

Editorial Office: Reconquista 634 - 640

## WILL YOU HELP TO HELP OTHERS?

The Salvation Army in accordance with established custom has arranged to provide Xmas fare to the sailors in Port and those actually living in the Sailor's home on Xmas Day and The New Year. A Xmas tea will be provided for five hundred poor children, and parcels are to be distributed to poor families and old people. Five hundred poor children will be treated to a picnic in the parks of the city, and on New Year's Day all sailors in Port will receive dinner and tea at the Sailor's Home. Some Programme!! Yes but it, cost money. But Major Wilson has undertaken this ambitious programme feeling sure that he can count on your whole-hearted cooperation. Don't let him down. He is depending on you to send along whatever you can in the way of a contribution. Nothing is too small, and nothing is too large. So just sit down and calculate how much you can spare to help to give others the sort of Xmas you hope to have yourself, and having decided, roll up WITHOUT DELAY to Major Wilson, Sailors' Home, Ituzaingo 1522

"The Montevideo Times" has already collected the following sum for this worthy cause and wishes to emphasize that no time should be lost in getting in touch with Major Wilson.

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## COL. WEDGWOOD'S QUESTIONS

London, December 17th

Replying to a question in the House of Commons why British warships had been concentrated in Alexandria, the Prime Minister said:

"It was originally arranged that the Fleet should leave Malta on August 29 and visit ports in the Eastern Mediterranean, including Italian ports, but in view of the hostile Press campaign in Italy this was considered inopportune.

"It was necessary that a large proportion of the Fleet should remain at Alexandria because that was the only port capable of accommodating numerous ships under winter conditions.

"Naval squadrons have however, made periodic cruises in neighbouring waters" (Laughter).

Mr. Mander: "It is the policy of the Government to use the British Fleet if necessary or to run away".

No answer was given.

Colonel Wedgwood asked whether the Fleet would not be "safer" in the Suez Canal, but an uproar ensued and the question was ignored.

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## BRITONS' RAILWAY INVESTMENTS

London, December 17th

Bear-Admiral Sueter asked the Chancellor of the Exchequer in the House of Commons to-day whether, in view of the extinction of British Capital invested in Mexican, Brazilian, and Chinese railways, as well as the partial extinction of that invested in Argentine railways, the Government would forbid those countries to negotiate loans in Great Britain.

Mr. Chamberlain said in reply: "It can be left to the market to assess the credit of foreign borrowers".

## THE ROCA PACT

London, December 17th

Replying to various questions in connection with British capital investments in Argentina, Lord Cranborne, on behalf of the Foreign Secretary, stated: All these questions will be under consideration in connection with any negotiations for the revision or renewal of the Anglo-Argentine Agreement.

Rear-Admiral Sueter asked whether the Government was insisting that the Argentine legislation for the protection of the British railways must be completed before the negotiations were undertaken regarding the Roca Agreement.

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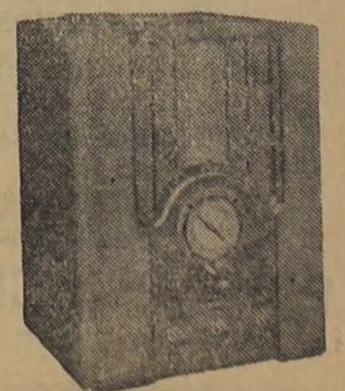
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The system of apprenticeship training of boys was dropped, and the skilled men were turned out into the streets to earn their living the best way they could. During the last few years these men have drifted into other jobs, or what is more likely have joined the ranks of the unemployed and have now no further inclination to exchange their carefree existence for the shackles of industry, where they have learned from experience there is no real security when their labour no longer produces profits for the employer. Then there is of course the normal loss of skilled labour through death and old age which has not been provided for by the short sighted policy of the employer. The boys of five or six years ago

now men who have had no part in the training for any job, and the chances are that they have never had a job in their lives; and having grown accustomed to the dole, have now no desire for work. We are not criticising the dole system entirely for this, but one cannot help wondering whether they would not have turned out better citizens if they had had to give something in return for the small weekly sum they are accustomed to receive for nothing. However much one may object to the methods of Mussolini and Hitler, the fact remains that these countries appear to have no unemployment problems. We are perfectly well aware that such despots would receive short shrift in England; but it cannot be denied that the youth of these countries has been thoroughly taught to work. It has often occurred to us that if the finances of such countries have been able to sustain the heavy burdens of re-

her ship-yards and armament factories, thereby adding to the army of workers who were thrown on the dole when the depression first struck the country some years ago. The British Navy has been consistently scrapping her fighting ships and discharging her experienced Naval forces to swell the flood of the idle. The Army has been reduced to a minimum and thousands of good men turned onto the dole. The wisdom of this policy of the old Labour Governments remains yet to be seen, but present symptoms cannot be said to be very reassuring when the present Government has decided that discretion is the better part of valour in face of a threatened attack by the openly despised Fasists in Rome. It is all very well to sit back and sneer at such loud voiced persons as Mussolini and Hitler; but it must be admitted that they have done something else besides make a noise. We are no admirers of either of these self appointed modern Caesars, and are perfectly convinced that any who tried to install such systems of government in Great Britain would be riding for a rapid and severe fall. But we cannot help thinking that such a system as is able to bring both Italy and Germany out of the chaos they were in only a few years ago, may possibly have a few good points worth copying. In any case there is clearly something wrong with a system which permits several million units of perfectly good sound material go to waste every year, and the whole nation having to assist in the disintegration by the payment of enormous sums of money, while the defenses of the Empire are allowed to deteriorate to such an extent that modern Italy — a third rate Power only a few years ago — is able to scare the politicians of Westminster, by threatening the historically invincible British Navy, into a change of policy which has tended to eliminate her already waning influence in the affairs of the world for many years to come.

## EMPIRE SOCIETY

The Honorary Corresponding Secretary of the Royal Empire Society is authorised to announce that a Junior Section of the Society is being formed, which carries with it the title of Companion of the Society.

There is no entrance fee, and until further notice the annual subscription payable by Companions, together with the privileges which they will enjoy, are as follows:

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Any wishing to join are requested to apply for the necessary entrance form to H. H. Grindley, Esq., O.B.E., Honorary Corresponding Secretary of the Royal Empire Society, Casilla de Correo 203.

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## JAPAN'S FEAR OF THE U.S.A.

London, December 17th

The following communiqué has been issued in connection with the Naval Conference: "A full meeting of the first Committee was held this afternoon, when the United Kingdom delegation made a statement setting out a proposal of naval construction of a period of years by means of unilateral declarations on the part of the Naval Powers. A public discussion ensued, in the course of which various delegations requested a clarification of the United Kingdom proposal."

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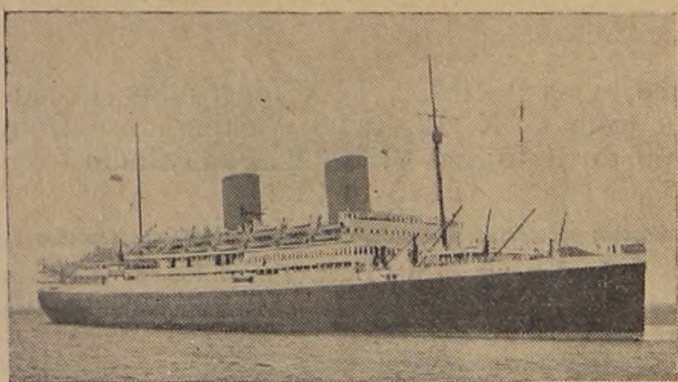
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armament to the extent we know to be the case, it can only be by making full use of the nation's man-power. One cannot somehow imagine Mussolini or Hitler providing pocket-money for the youth of those countries when it has arrived at the age to leave school in order that it shall not be deprived of the luxury of cigarettes, cinemas and football matches. Or providing the married man with a weekly allowance on which he can comfortably bring up his family without the need to work — other than a weekly trip to the Unemployment Office to collect his money for nothing. Italy is known to be a poor country, and yet she has been able within the last few years to build up her fighting strength to the level at which to-day she is not afraid to challenge the world. The right or wrong of the matter does not enter into the argument, we are merely pointing out what Italy has done; and it has been done by utilising the full man-power of the nation, and in spite of all criticism, it has been done with the approval of the nation. The young Italian has been conscripted into industry or some branch of the services where he has at the same time received the necessary training to enable him to find employment when his period of military service was ended. The same can be said of Germany. There is no shortage of skilled labour in either of these countries; the younger generation has received splendid training while their Governments have been building up their formidable Air and Naval Forces. They have been engaged on useful work and at the same time they have been taught to be skilled workmen and the meaning of discipline and patriotism. The ship-yards and aero plane factories in these countries have been able to absorb all the rising generation as it came along in furthering the Government's plans to make their country safe. Idleness and agitation have been eliminated, and the wheels of industry have been kept spinning at full speed. Great Britain on the other hand, has shut down

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SUBSCRIPTIONS FOR 1935 — BRITISH SOCIETY

The annual subscriptions to the British Society become due at the beginning of each year, and the Hon. Treasurer asks us to publish his request, that members who have not yet paid their subscriptions for the current year, make an effort to do so before the 31st of December, date upon which the accounts have to be closed and Balance Sheet drawn up.

Also any members who have changed their addresses during the current year, we would ask to advise the Society's office accordingly.

### BRITISH SOCIETY JUBILEE FUND

The Committee gratefully beg to acknowledge the following donations received up to and including the 17th instant:

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### BRITISH PATRIOTIC FUND

CASH STATEMENT FOR THE FINANCIAL YEAR ENDED 31st AUGUST, 1935

| PAYMENTS                                                                                                                |                    |
|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Assistance for education of children of ex-servicemen                                                                   | \$ 1,752.90        |
| Assistance to local Volunteers                                                                                          | 3,036.60           |
| Sterling remittances to Mr. D. G. Begg — applied to pensions and assistance to ex-servicemen and their families £ 205.— | 2,473.86           |
| Bank interest                                                                                                           | 262.80             |
| Stationery and Printing                                                                                                 | 14.75              |
| <b>Total</b>                                                                                                            | <b>\$ 7,540.91</b> |

| RECEIPTS                                        |                    |
|-------------------------------------------------|--------------------|
| Dividends on Investments                        | \$ 3,876.37        |
| Balance, being excess of Payments over receipts | 3,664.54           |
| <b>Total</b>                                    | <b>\$ 7,540.91</b> |

E. and O. E.  
Montevideo, 31st August 1935  
(signed) C. G. MC CULLOCH  
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**THE MONTEVIDEO TIMES**  
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December 21st  
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December 22nd  
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9.30 a. m. Sunday School  
10.30 a. m. Matins and Sermon  
Hymns: 48, 53, 520, 202  
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ANDERSON'S ACADEMY

The Examination of Anderson's Academy will begin on Monday and continue on the 10th and 11th. The Closing Ceremony will be held on the 21st.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Steers who celebrated their twentieth Wedding Anniversary last night with a Cocktail Party.

What are you giving your boy or girl this Xmas? Before deciding on your present, call at Macadam's, 25 de Mayo 510. A list of suggestions is given in the advertisement on the first page.

Mr. Richard G. Lucas-Calcraft has come over from Buenos Aires and is staying with his uncle in Progreso.

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On Saturday next the 21st inst. at ten p. m. the dancing season on the terrace at the Parque Hotel will commence. We are informed that the Management has already engaged the services of two of our best orchestras, and dancing will continue until 1 a.m. each day.

Congratulations to Mrs. Ricardo Shaw who celebrates her birthday today.

Mr. J. J. Rugerone returned to Buenos Aires last night.

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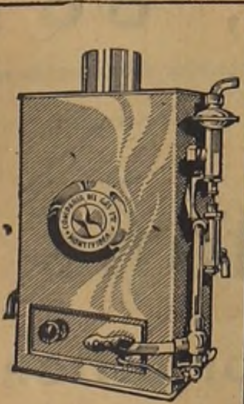
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Sunday, Dec. 22nd  
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## THE WOOL MARKET

The Wool Market remains very quiet, there being practically no business in any particular grade. It is considered that the principal cause of the present stagnation is due to the fact that there is a noticeable shortage of available cash due to the heavy buying during the last few weeks.

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At the Morning hour the theme will be "God's wonderful Gift to the world", and the Text will be taken from Luke 2:11 "For unto you is born this day in the City of David a Saviour which is Christ the Lord". At the Evening hour of Worship the theme will be: "In quest of the King". And the Text will be from Matthew 2:2 "Where is He that is born King of the Jews?"

On CHRISTMAS MORNING, Dec. 25th at 10.30 there will be held in Emmanuel Church a one hour Service a "Christmas Service".

WATCH NIGHT SERVICE will be held on the last Evening of the year, at 11.00 p.m. The Service will close a minute or two after midnight. All are invited to this service to end the old year and begin the new as right as human thought and effort can make it.

The usual Wednesday Evening Prayer Meeting will be held in Emmanuel Church on from 8.00 to 8.45. The meeting will close earlier because of the Sunday School festival that will follow.

The Sunday School Treat and Prize Giving of Emmanuel Church School will be held on Wednesday Evening the 18th. Commence sharp at 9.00 p.m. All the English-speaking friends of the Church in the Community are most cordially invited.

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## Britain's Air-Force

We have received the following letter which we feel will be of interest to our community in view of the publicity which has been given to similar causes in Montevideo.

The Editor.  
THE MONTEVIDEO TIMES

Sir:  
I am prompted to communicate with you in view of certain notices and statements which have appeared in an English contemporary regarding the so-called British National League of Airmen. Perhaps it would be as well to let British residents in Uruguay have a true statement of the facts.

Firstly, one wonders how many of the good contributors — who naturally have the welfare of the Empire at heart—are aware that the National League of Airmen is organized and sponsored by certain of the penny-press at home, mainly for publicity motives. We will recall though that such newspaper Barons who are so fond of preaching Empire unity see fit to travel on Foreign ships when paying a visit to Brasil.

However, in spite of this, assuming that the League was a soundly constituted scheme, run properly, and was capable of bringing pressure or dictating to those who have the destiny of the old Country in their hands, one would most certainly join, and pay up half-a-crown. It so

happens however that — if necessary—there are other ways of doing this, and getting something accomplished by people who know their jobs.

One wonders how many people in South America are aware of the fact that there is The Air League of The British Empire, a soundly constituted body, run on the lines of the Navy League which has done such good work in connection with the building up of our Navy throughout the past. This organization is in the very capable hands of Air Commodore Chamier, who I know would be only too pleased to give any information should one write to him at the headquarters at 19 Berkeley Square, London. They are looking after our destinies if it should be necessary to criticise the opinion of the Air Council or Air Ministry. Again, supposing one wants to join a more Technical Society in order to keep in touch with developments and obtain certain privileges — has any one considered The Royal Aeronautical Society which was founded in 1866, and is in touch with, and organizes most of the Technical and big International events in the World; they are a most capable body and any visitor to England should not miss their annual Wilbur Wright memorial lecture or the fortnightly conversations. Also they have been able

to obtain so many "privileges" which have not been granted to anyone else; they have a most excellent headquarters of particular historical interest to anyone keen on studying the Romance of Aviation. One can become a Student Member or Associate quite easily and the address of the Society is 7 Albemarle Street, London.

Naturally the Secretaries of these Societies will be considered most lax in not soliciting the cooperation of local residents sooner; on the other hand they may feel that one will not be able to participate in any of the advantages at such a distance other than the wearing of a badge as the only receipt for the subscription.

By the way, the National League of Airmen have done something. They held a meeting recently on Hounslow Heath; no doubt they meant well but one could not help feeling rather sorry for the feeble attendance and the pathetic air about the whole show. Some of the speakers did not seem to know their parts too

Coasts, which has developed a certain class of high-speed Transport machine; unfortunately however one has to pay for Speed and the man-in-the-street has had to dip heavily into his pocket to pay for this high subsidy. Our own policy has been to build up our services on less "extravagant" lines, and some of our Transport operators are making quite nice profits without Government help because British designers have gone more for Efficiency. Imperial Airways too, are running an excellent Service to Australia and the Cape, but are somewhat handicapped by having to pass through so many different foreign Countries with International formalities on the ground, which is not the case in the States.

If the N.L. of A. are right in trying to alter this state of affairs it will presumably affect our Exports, because most "Commercial" operators throughout the World choose British aeroplanes, as one will note if the Export statistics are studied for the past few years. If speed is desirable take the case of the London-melbourne race last year, which was won by a British machine of 400 H.P., when it beat its nearest rival, a machine of 1,600 H. P. by eleven hours, an enormous margin when travelling at 200 M.P.H. This was a British machine, engine, and Pilots, — good show!

Personally I am not a bit anxious, and am sure we are alright and will come out on top — as we always do. It is a pity though that these odd Leagues should try and make us think otherwise, and more so, that British Officials in the Community should see fit to join a half-hearted movement to try and bring pressure to bear on their own Service and permanent Civil Associates who are really most capable. Why not consult the British Air Attaché out here to check up on these things.

Yours, etc.  
SCEPTICAL

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well, but not being directly connected with the Service or Industry this might be expected. I have a cutting before me about that meeting from one of the leading Technical papers which I shall be glad to send you for publication; naturally all editors of such Journals are anxious for bigger air forces, which means increased manufacture — and more advertising space, so his report may be considered impartial. He seems to think the meeting most unconvincing and considers Hounslow Heath an appropriate spot for it in view of past traditions.

Now a word about the Old Country and the unnecessary for all this nonsense if we review the true position. Doubtless our air arm, like the other Services, were neglected to some extent during the past regime of the pacifist labour governments. It has since been built up though by sound policy and on sane lines by the best tactical brains in the World; incidentally they are now crowding a three years expansion programme into a years budget which will be quite sufficient for our needs. It may help to reassure readers in Uruguay also if they will realise that the British Air Force is the most efficient in the World — it has an enormous Reserve of Pilots supplied by the Short Service scheme for Officers and it has the best machines. This efficient arm is planned for, and is capable of, rapid expansion; we have the best basic designs but if they were ordered now in thousands they would be obsolete in two years. That they are the best we can be assured by the fact that when Great Britain one day said "let us have a shot at the Schneider Trophy" — not only did they win it, but won it for three consecutive races, and kept it, just to prove that the Rolls-Royce engine is the best in the world. They also got the height and long-distance records that year, but so mehow they are not bothering to follow this up as we happen to be rather busy. Possibly this is a pity for the Export markets but we to be making good use of the engine which was thus developed.

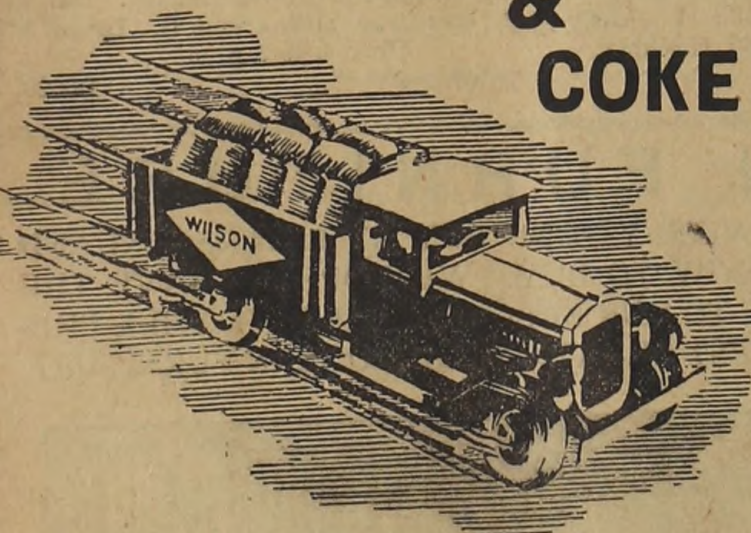
I believe the N. L. of Airman want also to reorganise British Civil Aviation, and are comparing the speeds of American Air Lines at random. This is a great pity because the problem of our good friends in the States is somewhat different. They have an enormous area to traverse, calling for fast communication between the Pacific and Atlantic



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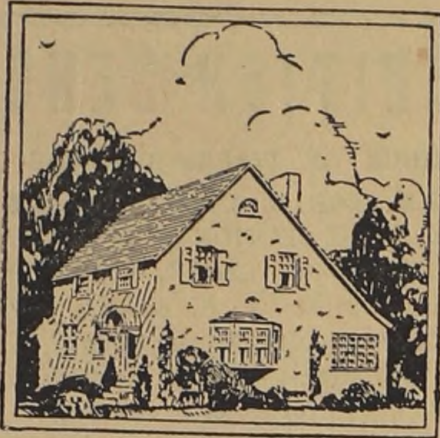
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A good number of members were present at the luncheon of the American Association held at the Alhambra yesterday. President Knowles, in the Chair, opened proceedings by expressing the regret of the Association at the coming departure of Mr and Mrs Ridgeway, who are shortly taking up their residence in Buenos Aires, and asked Mr. Ridgeway to make a speech. However, he limited himself to thanking the Members for their good wishes and expressing his hopes that he would be able to return occasionally.

Mr. Howard Wheaton, a visitor, was then cordially welcomed, and Mr. J. Jones, of the National City Bank, was warned that he will be expected to recount his experiences during his recent visit to the United States at the next Luncheon.

President Knowles then called upon Mr. Raúl Varner, who also recently returned from the United States. Mr. Varner, instead of giving the usual "travelogue" combined with politics and commerce, made a very interesting talk upon his personal impressions of the changes in America during the last few years. He spoke of the immense advances made in transport accommodations "air-conditioned" trains and high speeds making travel throughout the country both comfortable and quick. As for business conditions in general, Mr. Varner declared that they are greatly improved and that, although "big business" is showing opposition to President Roosevelt and his Government, he believes that the great majority of the public, who are benefiting from the immense sums of money being spent on public works, will insure the re-election of Mr. Roosevelt unless something unexpected develops during the next year. Mr. Varner then recounted other "high lights" of his trip, including a visit to Rockefeller Center, the R.C.A. broadcasting studios "where a star performer, coming in all hot and bothered can have the temperature of the room decreased or increased to his body temperature", and hearing the broadcast account of the football match between Notre Dame and Illinois in which the former won against almost impossible odds during the last five minutes of play. He added that he was especially impressed by the courtesy and consideration shown by the public in general to strangers, in marked contrast to the attitude evidenced a few years ago (and contrary to the impressions of Mr. Herbert Coates).

After Mr. Varner had been warmly applauded, Mr. Herbert Coates spoke of the late Mr. Burt Kennedy and read a paragraph from the "Mulberry Bush" of the "Buenos Aires Herald" in which H.G. declared that a sad gift had been received from the "Burt Kennedy Memorial Fund". The Members kept a moment of silence in remembrance of a man who had a host of friends in Montevideo as well as in Buenos Aires.

President Knowles then drew attention to the appeal in "THE MONTEVIDEO TIMES" for funds to assist the Salvation Army in their programme of Christmas Festivities for the sailors in port and for the poor — children and grown-ups — of the port district. Mr. Herbert Coates gave a short explanation of the objectives sought and the manner in which the money collected will be used. (Ed. Note: The response of the Members was generous and we wish to express our personal thanks for their kindly donations).

The second Speaker of the Day Mr. Lohigorry, was then introduced. Starting off in English, and gave a most entertaining talk upon the historical and modern history of Spain. He told incidents of the past and recounted events of the present, his talk being thoroughly enjoyed.

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