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HARRY HANSON presents the Court Players in

#### "THE LETTER"

By W. Somerset Maugham.

Characters in order of their appearance:

 Geoffrey Hammond
 DAVID WHITAKER

 Leslie Crosbie
 MARIGOLD SHARMAN

 Head Boy
 FRANK B. MOORE

 John Withers
 DAVID LYN

 Robert Crosbie
 J. W. TERRY

 Howard Joyce
 FRANK MIDDLEMAS

 Ong Chi Seng
 PETER NEWELL

 Mrs. Parker
 NAN DALY

 Chung Hi
 HUGH TATE

 Chinese Woman
 JOHANNA BROOKS

 Mrs. Joyce
 EDNA LANDOR

The Play produced by DAVID BEECHING. Settings designed and executed by KENNETH BROCKLESS.

SYNOPSIS OF SCENES:

The action of the play takes place on a plantation in the Malay Penin sula, and at Singapore.

ACT 1. The sitting-room of the Crosbie's bungalow. Midnight.

ACT 2. The visitors' room in the gaol at Singapore. Six weeks later.

ACT 3. Scene 1. A room in the Chinese quarter of Singapore. The same night.

Scene 2. The same as Act 1. Afternoon, the next day.

Manager David Beeching Stage Manager Nan Daly Stage Director Hugh Tate Scenic Designer Kenneth Brockless For HARRY HANSON.

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