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Week Commencing MONDAY, 11th SEPTEMBER, 1950.

THE COURT PLAYERS present :

“THE CHINESE BUNGALOW”

By Marion Osmund and James Corbet.

Characters in order of appearance :—

The Ayah (Mrs. Sings Malay servant) BETTY MORTON-POWELL
Abdul (Richard Marquess's Malay servant) DAVID MILES
Charlotte Merivale (Mrs. Sing's sister) MARY QUINN
Harold Marquess (Manager of a Rubber Plantation,
lately out from England) DAVID BOOTH
Sadie Sing (The English Wife of Yuan Sing) ELIZABETH WALTON
Richard Marquess (The elder brother of Harold, and wealthy
owner of rubber plantations in Malaya) ROBERT HOLLYMAN
Wong (Personal servant to Yuan Sing) DOUGLAS NEILL
Mr. Yuan Sing (A wealthy Chinese gentleman) FRANK PETTITT
Si-billa (Yuan Sing's siamese cat) “Clio”

The Play Produced by DOUGLAS NEILL.

Stage Director CAROL HOWARD. (For Harry Hanson) Stage Manager DAVID BOOTH

Set constructed by ROY LUCAS and painted by JOHN PIPER

ACT ONE. The Garden of Mr. Yuan Sing's Chinese Bungalow. Night.

ACT TWO. Scene 1. The Drawing Room of The Chinese Bungalow.
Three months later.

Scene 2. An hour later.

ACT THREE. The same. Two hours later.

The entire action of the play takes place in The Malay States, on the Sarong River, above Kuala Lumpur.

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