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In view of the slump, Mr. Ong Eng Suan is reducing the rentals of all his houses by 10 per cent., says the "Malay Mail."

H. H. the Sultan of Johore in Council has appointed Sept. 1 as the day on which the Advocates and Solicitors Enactment, 1930, shall come into force.

The Government Printing Press at Johore Bahru, and all documents printed there, have been excluded, from Sept. 1, from the whole of the operations of the Printing Presses Enactment in Johore.

Under the auspices of the Straits Chinese Methodist Church an Evangelistic Service will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Koh Yew Liang, 81 S, Joo Chiat Terrace, on Thursday at 8 p.m. Members and friends are cordially welcome.

The engagement is announced and the marriage will take place shortly of Dr. Chua Boon Teck, younger son of the late Mr. Chua Cheng Tuan and Mrs. Chua Cheng Tuan, and nephew of Mr. Chua Cheng Bok, of Kuala Lumpur, to Khor Joo Saik, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Khor Ewe Keng, of Penang.

Two big works that are in hand in Selangor that should greatly relieve unemployment are the aerodrome and the huge bulk oil installation of the Asiatic Petroleum Co. at Port Swettenham, both costing over \$1,000,000 and providing employment for hundreds, writes a correspondent of the "Times of Malaya."

The "Malaya Tribune" has (says the "Malacca Guardian") done the Press of Malaya good service by so courageously, yet temperately, challenging the amount of damages awarded in the recent libel action brought against the "Pinang Gazette." The plea made for greater consideration when the press stumbles, and it is very seldom, indeed, that it can be said to stumble deliberately, we hope will not fall on rocky ground, adds the Malacca paper.

At the annual general meeting of the Mayflower Musical and Dramatic Association, held on Sunday at the residence of Mr. Ang Chin Seng, 173, Geylang Road, the following were elected office-bearers for the ensuing year: President, Mr. Tan Siew Kuah; Vice Presidents,





Messrs. Chew Kew Sun and Ho Langtat; hon. secretary, Mr. Ang Chin Seng; asst. hon. secretary, Mr. Chua Poh Seh; hon. treasurer, Mr. Quah Cheng Siew; asst. hon. treasurer, Mr. Chua Kim Hin; hon. music superintendent, Mr. Cheong Teck Leong; asst. hon. music superintendent, Mr. Ee Eng Boon; hon. auditor, Mr. Leong Chung Fen; committee members, Messrs. Ong Guan Seng, Gan Cheng Nam, Tan Peng Siang, Wong Kit Leng, Lee Wing Kee and Yeo Bah Chee. All the office-bearers were re-elected with the exception of Messrs. Tan Feng Siang, Lee Wing Kee, Yeo Bah Chee and Cheong Teck Leong.

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