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## NEWS BRIEFS

### Marriage For Ngala Daughter

**KALOLENI (KNA)** Thousands of relatives and friends thronged St. John's CPK Church Kaloleni Giriama, to witness a wedding of the year between Mr. Sydney Manaseh and the former Miss Margaret K. Ngala. The groom who hails from Kisauni Mombasa, works with the Kenya Commercial Bank in Nairobi. The bride is the daughter of the late Minister for Power and Communications Mr. Ronald Gedion Ngala, and a sister to the Minister for Information and Broadcasting Mr. Noah Katana Ngala.

### DIRECT DIALLING ON KILIFI CALLS

**KILIFI (KNA)** Residents of Kilifi township will now be able to communicate with the outside world without going through the telephone operators following the completion of the installation of the automatic telephone exchange by the Kenya posts and telecommunications corporation. The new subscribers trunk dialling (STD) system has started operating and all the manual telephone numbers have been changed with the code for Kilifi being 01252.

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**Kenya Airways**  
Staff Reporter Gray Phombeah writes on his Tanzania Visit  
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### 'DAUGHTER' IN "KOLORMASK" ...

**FACE OF THE FUTURE** — Lovely Constance Mwangemi, one of the co-stars in the All-Kenya hit movie 'Kolormask' is seen while attending the film's Mombasa Premiere, staged at the LOTUS cinema, and in aid of the KANU Building Fund, Mombasa. — Report P.4.

PHOTO — NARENDRA PATEL (NATIONAL STUDIO)

# CLOCK BLOCK SHOCK

## CUSTOMS HOLD MOMBASA'S 'BIG BEN'

CUSTOMS regulations stand in the way between timeless Mombasa and its own modern version of the Big Ben - a towering and magnificent time-keeper gracing the town's rising skyline. The solar-powered, 50-kg clock imported from the famous watch-makers

by Gray Phombeah

According to the past chair  
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Seiko of Tokyo, has been lying in a Customs' Bonded Warehouse since May because project donors have failed to pay K.Shs. 250,000/= in duties and Sales Tax.

The Clock Tower, financed by the 42-year-old Rotary Club of Mombasa at a cost of nearly half a million shillings, was to be erected at the heart of the island on the main intersection hugged by the throbbing Moi Avenue, Digo Road, Nkrumah and Nyerere Avenues.

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## ALI JUMA IS NEW KENYA WIND-SURF CHAMP ...

FOR THE FIRST time, Kenya's top roundboard windsurfing champion is an African - Ali Juma, 24, who is an instructor at Hotel Inter-Continental's Water Sports Centre.

Ali was born in Gaza, Pate Island, in the Lamu Archipelago, and at an early age was helping his father in the dhow trade.

He was declared 'overall winner' of the 1986 National Championships held by the Kenya Board Sailors' Association at Mombasa's Hotel Inter-Conti-

mental on December 27 and 28 after tying with Eric Allard.

The organisers decided to give first place to the 'best posi-

by NETA PEAL

tion' achieved by these two contestants in the last race on Sunday. This went to Ali, with Eric

becoming 'second overall'.

Both were congratulated by the Minister for Tourism and Wildlife, Andrew Omanga, who presented the prizes.

Ali received a Kenya Airways Club Class return ticket for one to London, as well as a week's free stay in London's Britannia Inter-Continental Hotel.

The Minister asked KA if it

might consider offering another ticket to Ali so that he may take a companion with him to London. Adding 'I am sure the Inter-Continental group will be happy to extend accommodation at the Britannia to 'two'.'

Henry Yala, KA Senior Representative, promised the Minister that his request would be 'considered'.

Eric Allard, second overall, and 'First Amateur' received shs. 4,000/- from various sponsors.

Third was Willy Bland, one of Kenya's top windsurfers who won the ISCA World Windsurfing championships (Div2) in Kenya in 1983.

Main sponsors of the 1986 National Windsurfing Cham-

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TAKE A LOOK AT Coastweek classified !



# SAROVA HOTELS PROMOTE PAT MAREKIA

PATRICK MAREKIA, 37, has joined Sarova Hotels, as general manager of the New Stanley Hotel on December 1, 1986 becoming the first African to hold this position.

Patrick brings to the group long experience in the hotel trade, having started his career in 1970 when he joined the Hotel Management School, at the Kenya Polytechnic, the forerunner of the Utalii College.

He graduated four years later with a diploma in Hotel Management, having successfully completed his practical training at the Zurich Hilton, Switzerland.



PATRICK MAREKIA

Patrick's first posting in Kenya was at Salt Lick and Taita Hills Lodges where he was appointed food and beverage manager, taking over from an expatriate.

Later in 1976, Patrick was transferred to the Nairobi Hilton as assistant food and beverage manager. Under the Hilton International training programme, Patrick was sent on overseas study tours, starting at the Vienna Hilton, Austria, Switzerland and Germany.

Additional training was gained in Canada, when Patrick attended the Career Development Institute in Montreal. He toured many hotels both in Canada and the United States, to familiarise himself with diverse operating systems.

rating systems.

Patrick left Hilton International to join Serena Hotels as Food and Beverage manager in 1981. During the six years he was with them, he was actively involved in Kenya food promotions, in the Middle East, in conjunction with the Ministry of Tourism.

In 1985, he had a three-month training tour of the Heathrow Penta, London to update himself with new trends in the industry. Patrick is married with three children.



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"Is this where they're holding the St Andrew's Social Club whist drive?"



"WILL THE LAST MAN TO LEAVE THE ROOM PLEASE SHUT OFF THE LIGHTS"

## CONFIDENTIAL

### Christmas Bonus For Hotel Staff



JOHN MUTUA, executive assistant manager at Mombasa's Hotel InterContinental was kept very busy during the staff Christmas party, as an ex-officio barman. PHOTO - NETA PEAL

AT THE FIRST Staff Christmas Party in the one-year old Hotel Inter-Continental, Mombasa, a big cheer followed the announcement that a Christmas Bonus would be paid.

Declared the general manager, Francois R. Mages 'more than two-hundred employees who have been with us for the first year will receive this bonus tomorrow'.

Employees not only enjoyed a lavish feast of food and drink, but also some spectacular entertainment by the Mama Muramba Dance Theatre who staged a special show for them in the Banqueting Room.

Based on traditional themes, it was particularly enjoyed by staff who come from all over Kenya and recognised some of their traditional folk music.

The Mama Muramba Dance Theatre was also seen at many other functions during the festive season at this hotel giving enjoyment to many people who had come from all over the world to spend Christmas in Kenya.

Mr. Mages told employees that the hotel represented not only a big investment, but also a big challenge!

Amid applause he declared

'we want it to be the best in every aspect'.

Referring to recently introduced training schemes, Mr. Mages said 'we are receiving a lot of good guest comments'. Adding 'they say they are very impressed by what we are doing here'. He told employees 'let us carry on the make our hotel even better'.

He said they could rest as-

Achodede, speaking on behalf of staff, thanked the hotel for introducing a loan scheme for the purchase of bicycles and that the first fifteen applications had been approved.

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sured that the hotel will try and fill any vacancy that is advertised 'within our own ranks'.

Addressing staff, Ahmed Sheikh, Personnel Manager, noted that employees had come from many different places and hotels. The majority had been able to adapt to Hotel Inter-Continental standards.

He said that an important factor in this had been the team work, 'without which we could not have reached so far'.

He stressed that the success of the hotel does not depend on management alone, but on all employees.

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# mombasa MOVIES

## Whopie Goldberg Is A Great New Talent ...

WHOOPIE GOLDBERG, the talk of Hollywood these days, makes her debut in Mombasa movie-land in *The Colour Purple* opening tomorrow (Thursday) at Kenya Cinema.

This Spielberg's saga, nominated for eight Oscar Awards but got none, is about blacks in Tennessee spanning 40 years

### PREVIEW with GRAY PHOMBEAH

from 1906 to 1947, adapted from Alice Walker's Pulitzer prize-winning drama.

The story, revolving around Goldberg as the black girl Celie, carries an incredibly mix of gloom, fun and colour which has been met with mixed reactions in America and elsewhere.

Her spell-binding presence is felt throughout this sad movie. As a child (hardly more than that) she gives birth to a daughter, then gives the baby away, only to end up with a widower with a nice house and a pack of kids.

Helped by her younger sister, she strives to keep this extended and unrelated family in order, which includes the house, the farm and the children.

A successful singer and daughter of the local preacher returns home and the movie takes a new turn when the widower falls madly in love with her.

Behind this drudgery of life also lurks sordid acts of brutality that range from beatings, racial brutality to incest.

Goldberg still labours on amidst this savage mess, aided by stoic, sometimes borrowed, fun, laughter and colour.

Meanwhile, continuing at Lotus Cinema is *Kolormask*, which enters its second great week, still drawing bumper audiences.

## NEW 'WATER PARK'



THERE ARE TWO WATER SLIDES in the new 'Water Park' at Mombasa Beach Hotel, one being the eleven-metre high 'Kamikaze'.

A BIG CROWD PULLER at Mombasa Beach Hotel over the festive season has been the new Water Park, with two huge water slides - one being the eleven metre high 'KAMIKAZE', for the more adventurous spirit. Tables and chairs have been conveniently set out to give a birds-eye-view of the water slides. A beach Cafe offers food and drink throughout the day. The hotel's swimming pool area is much more spacious and includes the 'Rendezvous', which also offers a selection of Kenya fruits and Italian ice cream.



THE UNIQUE water mushroom in the new water park.

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## KENYA CINEMA STARTS TOMORROW 1ST JAN. 1987

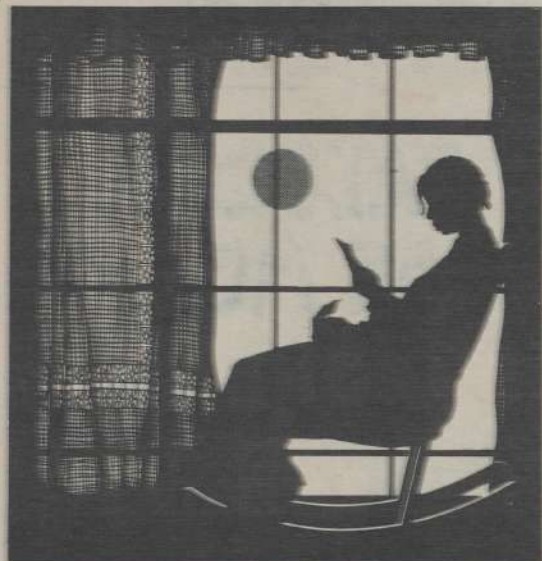
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## A Superb 'Kolormask'

"KOLORMASK" is a splendid production. Its script is intellectually written, though in simple structure for general audience. It is professionally acted with a versatile actor as its main star - Greg Adambo.

There is no culture conflict but a cultural misunderstanding through a negative attitude from one end of a different cultural norm which contributed heavily towards unhappy marriage between a Black Kenyan with a White English woman.

This truancy of a young boy of school age from home, wondering into a dangerous forest; symbolising exactly what happens to a broken home.

The poor mixed family boy leaning heavily towards his father's cultural values; while the daughter despising her father's cultural background to such an extent as she would never open the door for her own aunt from her maternal home!

### SAO GAMBA

This part was well acted by Constance Mwangeni (herself a beautiful girl).

Sao Gamba, as a producer and director of this beautifully presented film, has emerged as a highly talented producer with useful experience of many years as the producer of the Voice of Kenya Programmes.

Talking to him at the Lotus Cinema during the Charity Premiere Film Show in aid of KANU Building Fund, he told me that



MOMBASA MAYOR Coun. A. Mwidani looks on (right) as lucky-ticket winner Mr Adam receives a Mombasa-Nairobi return ticket from Kenya Airways Mombasa representative Mr Yale.

the production had to be done in English for commercial reasons.

This is where our weakness always lies - to be apologetic in most of our dealings and using either economic or cultural excuses for our own weaknesses!

The very film is apologetic in the sense that The Black sees his weaknesses through the eyes of the White.

The film shows African Cultural values as primitive and obsolete through the white wife who had refused to comply with Black-African cultural norms pertaining to ritual performances at a mourning ceremony of the husband's mother.

It was an extremely good gesture on the guest of honour, the Mayor of Mombasa, Coun. Ahmed Mwidani to talk in Swahili to the audience casting away his written English speech.

This was spontaneously won through the Mayor did and the message did reach to both the audience and the actors, actresses Producers and sponsor of the film - that they could have won a greater number of audience had it been in Swahili.

One great positive thing that emerged through this film is that Kenya has an abundance of artistic talents, which could produce well produced, acted and photographed films.

### FILM INDUSTRY

The country itself is deeply endowed with attractive natural scenery conducive to film productions.

"Kolormask" sends one pertinent message - that Kenya is ripe for having its own film industry - better still its own Swahili Film industry!

- FARAJ DUMILA



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# KOLOORMASK

*Starring: Greg Adambo, Caroline Beerman, John Okite,  
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*"Lotus Cinema Management wishes Kenya Film  
Corp. great success in their Maiden Venture  
Kolormask".*

Today at 6.00 & 9.00 p.m. Thursday at 3, 6.00 & 9.00 p.m.  
Friday at 6.00 & 9.00 p.m. Saturday/Sunday at 3, 6.00 & 9.00 p.m.

# DATELINE: DAR ES SALAAM

## 'Air Tanzania' Will Lease Aircraft For Expanding Overseas Services

THE NATIONAL Airline carrier, Air Tanzania Corporation (ATC) is liaising with some foreign firms to lease an aircraft for the proposed opening of international flights to Europe and Asia. The negotiations are expected to be finalised by March this year. The airline plans to operate 131 - weekly flights from April with one going to London via Rome and Frankfurt and the other flying to Bombay via Karachi.

To this effect the airline has requested the government to help it secure some 350 million shillings in foreign exchange and about 50 million shillings in local currency.

The airline's general manager Silva Rwebangira pointed out that the running of international flights is a tough task and called for a sound financial disposition of foreign exchange in particular.

The new routes are expected to bring in more tourists to the country and should also help the airline corporation financially. At present the airline is losing about 13 million shillings each month because of the closure of Mwanza Airport to Boeing flights, and the recent devaluation has worsened the liquidity position, for the first time in five years the airline is in serious financial doldrums but things look brighter towards the later part of this year.

The Mwanza Airport should be ready by March with repairs currently going on.

Meanwhile the Tanzania shil-



**Report From MUNIR DAYA**

ling continued to decline in value against other major currencies of the world through a daily adjustment system being monitored and effected by the Central Bank here.

### DEVALUATION

The shilling which was at 60/- to one pound sterling after the official devaluation last year now stands at 74/- to one pound sterling whilst the US dollar stands at about 52/-. The Canadian dollar is presently standing at 37/- whilst the Kenya shilling is equal to 3/15 Tanzania shilling.

The currency decline is expected to continue and the dollar should soon be up to 60/-.

In Dar Es Salaam, a Kenyan company delegation recently inspected the premises of a Hungarian built light source manufacturing company and have placed an order for 122,000 bulb shells worth about 100,000 US dollars.

The Kenyan company, which had been importing the bulbs from overseas now, are expected to be regular customers for the bulbs.

The company has estimated its requirement to be upto five million bulb shells.

The Dar es Salaam firm has also secured an order from Harare for 60,000 light bulbs and 50,000 fluorescent tube lights worth about 564,000 Zimbabwe dollars.

The plast is presently the only marketer for fluorescent tubes in the PTA territory with most member countries importing completed tube lights.



**FIRST CHRISTMAS IN KENYA** The Sheraton Overseas Management Corporation marked its first Christmas in Kenya with an official light switching ceremony performed by the Kwale District

Commissioner, Mr P.N. Mbugua, at Sheraton Golden Beach. Over 2,500 lights are being used for the display which covers the entire facade of the 150 room hotel.

## A LITTLE BIT OF 'OLD MOMBASA' LOOKING 'NEW' AT "AZANIA ..."

NOW, if you wend your way down Moi Avenue in Mombasa, leaving the dazzling Castle Hotel on your left and start looking to the right towards the old "New Carlton Hotel", your eyes will light on an unexpected and unusual sight - a little bit of old Mombasa looking very new.

This is Mombasa's new gallery AZANIA. Beautifully styled and executed woodcarving, painted in brilliant yellow green forms its astonishing facade.

In case you are unaware, Azania is the ancient name by which the whole length of the East African coast was once known. The name sprang from the Arab word "Zinj" meaning "black people", and from this word also the names of Zanzibar and Tanzania are derived.

Step inside this new gallery and you will find yourself in an atmosphere of dignity and calm cool beauty. The dark stained and waxed woodwork and stark white rough plastered walls are reminiscent of the main room in an old Arab dignitary's home.

Here displayed on the walls is the work of Kenya-born artist "Robin A." for which the gallery has been specifically designed. Robin's well known silk prints grace the walls, beautifully framed.

These are made in her Nairobi studio, using a mixture of silk screen printing and batik, and finished off with painting. The subject matter deals with many different aspects of Kenya life, mainly its people and animals.

Her seemingly endless supply of ideas spring from a profound and life-long passion for the land in which she grew up and now lives. The vast number on drawings and sketching that litter her studio form the references for her designs.

These were collected in sketch books and pieces of paper, together with many interesting experiences and adventures, on many sketching safaris throughout Kenya from the time she was small.

AZANIA gallery together with its counterpart "TAZAMA" in Nairobi, give a new sophisticated and distinguished air to their respective cities. AZANIA very much enriches the commercial and cultural scene in Mombasa with its emphasis on the value of carefully thought out presentation and unhurried charm.

AZANIA is the twin gallery to Tazama in Nairobi and perhaps the most noticeable aspect is the

originality of thought that has gone into their entirely different designs, each suited to their respective locations, and the creativity and passion for perfection that has been

### by Correspondent

applied in their construction. The workmen who carried out all the construction, two of whom were from upcountry and two coastal men, were under the supervision of the gallery Director.

They had never done such work before, and so they were trained on site to undertake carpentry, stonework, plastering, painting and been managed to achieve extremely good carving, to a highly



VISITORS looking at paintings in the new Gallery Azania.

professional standard. The exquisite quality of detail and finish, particularly in the complicated woodwork and design of AZANIA is most impressive. The design was planned to revive the valid traditional beauty which game such character to be architecture of the old coastal towns.

The exterior colour scheme is somewhat startling and unusual but on acquaintance is obviously very suited to its environment and surroundings.

### IMAGINATIVE

The imaginative visualizer of AZANIA and Tazama is to be highly congratulated on remarkable effects and the high standard that has been achieved in both galleries.

## BRUCE TRUCKS APPOINTED AS KENYA AGENTS FOR HANOMAG

KENYA's Hanomag customers can now look forward to receiving improved service and spare parts back-up.

Distributors Bruce Trucks and Equipment this week announced a new commitment to the rugged Hanomag construction machinery range which has helped shape Kenya's development though a variety of public and private projects.

"Our spare parts supply and servicing is now really going to work. We have been talking to customers, we know what they want and we are going to make sure they get it," said Managing Director Howard Lawrence-Brown who heads a dynamic new management team at Bruce.

The distributors are being given the full backing of Hanomag who have just sent service representative Helmut Schipke to Kenya from West Germany for two weeks to meet customers and discuss their servicing and parts requirements.

### CUSTOMERS

Mr. Schipke has been with the Hanover-based company for 39 years and said his visit was evidence of the importance Hanomag placed on its Kenyan customers.

After a 1,500km tour of Government and private Hanomag customers in Nairobi, Nakuru, Thika, Embu, and Machakos, Mr. Schipke discussed how Bruce could streamline its spares service and step up the



BRUCE TRUCKS and Equipmnet managing director Howard Lawrence Brown (left) with Hanomag Service Representative Helmut Schipke and Bruce Service Manager B.J. Muindi.

technical training of Kenyan staff.

Said Mr. Lawrence-Brown: "The message is 'we are at your service'. In addition to offering Hanomag parts and servicing at our Gilgil Road premises in Nairobi's Industrial Area, we will also be extending field service operations. One way or another, Hanomag customers are going to be seeing a lot more of us."

"Bruce's Mombasa and Coast Province operation, newly opened in October, will service the customers we have in that important area."

"We are already bringing in Hanomag parts by airfreight at customers' request and this will

be followed by large scale parts orders."

Mr. Lawrence-Brown said Hanomag had earned an enviable reputation in Kenya for building tough, reliable and efficient machines with highly competitive price tags.

"Which other construction machinery manufacturer guarantees spare parts availability for machines up to 25 years old?" asked Mr. Lawrence Brown.

### CONFIDENCE

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## Congratulations For New Book

I WOULD like to extend my sincere congratulations to Faraj Dumila for his good job he did for Mombasa KANU Branch, with the book: "Mombasa KANU On The Move", and his radio programmes on KANU Code of Discipline at the Voice of Kenya.

This book proves Mr. Dumila as a keen, energetic and alert follower of the Philosophy of Nyayo, particularly with the collection of His Excellency President Moi's quotations.

I wish Mr. Dumila a happy and prosperous new year and continue with your good work of promoting KANU affairs. This is true patriotism in action.  
SALIM IDYA, MOMBASA.

## 'SEVENTIETH'

THE DAWOODI Bohras all over the world are celebrating with great pride and joy, the Seventy-fifth birth anniversary of the religious leader, His Holiness Dr. Sayedna Muhammad Burhanuddin (T.U.S.). I dedicate my original poem to our Aqa Mowlana on this auspicious occasion.

S urat, India, ceremonial site,  
E steemed leader's anniversary night,  
V enue, beautiful and bright,  
E verywhere, colour and light,  
N oble Sayedna Burhanuddin in white,  
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Y es, his celebration is full of delight,  
F ervent, Dawoodi Bohras rejoice,  
I n pleasing manner and voice,  
V ery happy festive time,  
E very moment marked and sublime,  
Y emen's spiritual King,  
E xceptional human being,  
A rticulate, able and tenacious,  
E markably intelligent and sagacious,  
S eptuagenarian man, gracious,  
E. K. A. Karimjee, mombasa.

## WISE THOUGHTS OF POET JALAU DIN RUMI

WISE THOUGHTS of Jalau-Din Rumi in Coastweek by Mrs. Sarah Armiton of Lamu are God's words and fundamental truth.

Congratulations to Mrs. Sarah to share with us such noble thoughts. I hope she will continue to send such wise words to the readers of Coastweek, time to time.

It goes without saying that every religion is only evolving a God and same God is the inspirer of all of them.

It is the same light coming through glasses of different co-

# VIEWPOINT

## 'VICTIMISED'

I FULLY support the 'VICTIM' who has complained about notorious scheme of circumventing the Rent Restriction and Tenant Protection Act as reported in your paper. (Coastweek, Dec 19, 1986).

I understand that there is no other enacted legislation in Kenya so far concerning absolute titles and ownership of the flats and, under the circumstances, so-called "leading" of flats is a clear cut violation of the laid down regulation.

I request the Authority concerned to take good note of this and stop issuing lease certificates for the flats which are already occupied by the old sitting tenants.

'Concerned', MOMBASA.

## 'BLESSED ARE THOSE WHO SEEK ORDER AND UNITY'

WHOEVER seeks order and strives for unity is bound to cultivate further unity because the more unity is being fostered, the more order in society and vice versa.

From its very meaning, aim and motive the word "unity" has always been to create a firm and permanent base for co-ordination and co-operation among people of all back grounds, in order to bring about peaceful co-existence and tranquil society, for the benefit of all.

And the fulfillment of those aims will undoubtedly create an atmosphere where the positive aspects of service-rendering to the downtrodden, individual thoughts will blossom towards material and spiritual maturity, and respect towards one another without regard to race.

But in order to achieve a genuine unity in our country, first, we need to explain the factors causing disunity and how to find ways of avoiding them, while not forgetting to pin point the enemies of progress in our society.

Twalib Y. Rahami, MOMBASA.

## AN EXTRAORDINARY THEATRE EVENING!

THOSE PEOPLE who failed to see "IPI TOMBI" at the Little Theatre Club, have missed a rare and extraordinary event in African theatre at the Coast.

For four months a band of dedicated young people have sacrificed their leisure hours to give the public one of the finest musicals seen at the LTC for some years. But how many people saw it?

I can tell you that of the 1,820 seats available over the 10 night run, only 825 were sold. What a heartbreaking disappointment for the cast after all

their high hopes and hard work.

I wonder how they managed to maintain not only their morale but their smiles, when they looked through the lights each evening at the dimly thin audience.

Perhaps their only consolation is that those who were sensible enough to book seats had nothing but praise for their magical performance, and that those who didn't are the losers.

What really amazes me is that so few people supported this fine production. In the past the Club has been severely criticised for not putting on more indigenous plays performed by Africans.

Now, thanks to a small and enthusiastic group of African members, the Club has produced several good plays, but where were all those critics of the past?

They certainly weren't in the audience last week, or the week before. Where is the moral support so badly needed for African theatre at the Coast?

How sad it would be if, because of the lack of support shown on this occasion, this up-and-coming group become so completely demoralised that they may never again wish to expend so much time and energy for so little appreciation.

Jennifer Walters MOMBASA.



IT WAS A FEAST of curry, fashion-wear and jazz music on the Mvita Terrace at Nyal Beach Hotel, where the popular 'Outta Bounds' are seen (above) entertaining guests over the Christmas Holiday weekend.  
PHOTO - NETA PEAL

## NYALI FESTIVITY

NYALI BEACH Hotel's Mvita Terrace was a very lively scene for Sunday's Jazz Curry-BBQ lunch which was enhanced by music provided by the versatile "Outta Bounds" group from the UK, and a fashion show by the talented designer, Meena Patel of Sunflower Boutique, Mombasa.

The Mvita Terrace, just a few yards from the sea, was jam-packed for this feast of curry, fashionwear and jazz. The "Outta Bounds" group has entertained all over London at private functions and in hotels. They are in Kenya for a few weeks and while at the coast have, on several occasions, entertained at Nyal Beach Hotel, before leaving for Nairobi.

All the young men in this group were formerly living in Mombasa. They are Owen Pires (band leader), Mariano Consalves and Cedrick Almeida. The two young ladies - Margerite and Katherine Harp are from the UK.

The fashion show, as well as some dishy models, was enthusiastically received, particularly when it came to the bikini stage.

Meena Patel's Sunflower Boutiques are located at Plaza and Neptune Beach Hotels. She shows considerable flair as a designer - although being self-taught.

Meena admits starting by putting more shape into school uniforms while still a student. Quite an excellent idea!

## DEATH NOTICE:

The death has occurred of Mr.

### EDWARD WILLIAM STAIRS

former Editor of the *Mombasa Times* newspaper. He died suddenly, in Spain, on Wednesday, November 26, 1986.

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## أطلب العلم من المولد اللغيد

MEN AND WOMEN in Islam are equal in the sight of Allah (S.W.T.) in terms of their rights and obligations; for example in spiritual issues: "Every soul will be held in pledge of its deeds." (Qur'an 47:38).

A man therefore has no spiritual superiority over a woman, and certainly the salvation of a woman is her own personal responsibility and not tied up with her husband's destiny, as was erroneously believed by our traditional women.

The Qur'an makes this clear when it says: "Whoever does right whether male or female and is a believer, We shall assuredly give them to live a good life: and we shall pay them recompense according to the best of what they do". (16:57).

It (Qur'an) also commands Moslems men and women to enjoy good and forbid what is wrong. And there is no division in Islam between material and spiritual life:

And women's right to acquire education is compulsory. Because the Holy Qur'an commands us to think, contemplate and learn; women's education should embrace all fields.

This shows that women have equal rights to strive and build society. Also in political arena they have a right to elect, nominate and participate in politics and public affairs; historically women took part in gatherings with the holy Prophet Muhammad (S.A.W.) and Khulafah.

The fact that women of Medina at the time of the Prophet (S.A.W.) were not aloof from the affairs of their society, clearly indicates that the rights of women to work and to move in public are endorsed in Islam, as long as they (Women) observe the "sharia" (law), especially in certain areas where women's skill is especially needed.

And there is no restriction on benefiting from a woman's occupational talent in any legal (Halal) field.

Women's legal rights should be enforced; Islam has made it clear that no cause can succeed when women are excluded from participation.

Every Muslim (male and female) has a role to play as well as responsibility to undertake in striving for the cause of Allah (S.W.).

SAIDA BASHIR CHANDOO.

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# 'Global Express' Sails In To Open Up Karachi Traffic

A SMALL BUILD UP of waiting ships normally follows the Christmas holiday. The Port closes down on Christmas Day, except naturally when cases of emergency arise. When visiting the Port on Saturday there was only one vacant berth at the container terminal, meantime, three vessels operated by regular liner services were waiting to berth namely the Mitsui OSK Continental Partner with over 4000 tons from the Far East, the Indian Ocean Shipping line Cardinal discharging and loading some 2500 tons on her African coastal service, and lastly the two year old Mediterranean Shipping charter Spyros A Lemos ex Europe with 3500 tons of containerised and breakbulk cargo; these three vessels were, I believe, waiting for general cargo berths.

I was interested to see the newly introduced Global Express at No. 18 berth discharging and loading on her first voyage between the Gulf Karachi and East Africa.

A smart green hulled vessel of 7000 tons deadweight registered in Hamburg, she will operate the service along with Global Express I.

The Agents for Global Container Line, Spanfreight Ltd., are introducing another service in conjunction with the well known leading Danish Ship-owners Maersk Line (A.P. Moller) who intend accepting containerised cargo for East Africa ex Far East and French Ports on their 'main line' container services for transshipment at Dubai to the Global feeder vessels - this will fill a gap felt by Global with the collapse of United States Lines Round The World service.

The new formed alliance with Global could be a profitable one in several ways as Maersk Line have an enviable reputation amongst the world's container liners for their aggressive and highly efficient operations. They come third or fourth in the world's league of container ship operators.

## UGANDA WAGONS

The last shipment of railway wagons for Uganda arrived on Boxing Day by the Danish vessel Sigga Siv. Numbering 66, she berthed and discharged her cargo loaded at Calcutta direct to rail at No. 11 berth. Built in 1982, she is 4500 deadweight tons and was looking particularly spick and span with a blue hull.

Several shipments of wagons for Uganda have been handled by the port. This is a large contract secured by India, one of the world's foremost builders of railway wagons and passenger coaches, under a long term credit arrangement.

## SHIPPING with JOHN WALTERS

The Republic of China vessel *Changde* is at No. 1 berth all this week discharging a cargo of 10500 tons bagged for Kenya. One of the older vessels of

the State owned China Ocean Shipping Company's fleet, she was built 22 years ago and is thus a very conventional looking cargo vessel with funnel and accommodation amidships - a type of vessel seen less and less today on the oceans of the world.

To see the old year out a large wheat shipment is due today from Australia; this is 26000 tons in bulk for Kenya arriving in the one year old bulk carrier *New Condesa* formerly the Japanese operated *Sanko Condesa*, a one time unit of the financially collapsed Sanko Line.

The Royal Navy Squadron sailed on Monday morning this week as scheduled after their 14 days stay in Mombasa.

# QUEEN ELIZABETH II UNDERGOES MAJOR GERMAN FACE-LIFT

CUNARD's cruise liner *Queen Elizabeth II*, better known as the *QE2*, has docked in the Lloyd-Werft in Bremerhaven for a DM312m re-fit that will last 179 days.

The British ship, built 18 years ago, is to be rebuilt to meet the demands of the next century.

The 67,140 grt. *QE2* is the second largest cruise liner in the world. The largest is the 70,202 grt *Norway* (formerly *France*), that is also to be re-fitted by the Bremerhaven shipyard.

The re-building contract that Lloyd-Werft captured in the teeth of intense worldwide competition is the largest ever to be given to a yard by a shipowner.

Almost two-thirds of the contract involves rebuilding the engines.

The two high-fuel-consumption steam turbines, each producing 55,000 hp, are to be taken out and replaced by nine diesel engines from MAN (Augsburg) each producing 14,445 hp.

They will produce the power for both new electro-propulsion units, each producing 65,000 hp (44,000 kilowatts).

When the engine room conversions are completed the *QE2* will be the fastest cruise liner in the world with a top speed of 32.2 knots and a service speed of 28.5 knots (almost 53 kilometres an hour).

The new diesel engines will cut fuel consumption by a half. This will save Cunard about 250 tons of fuel a day, which over a year adds up to an economy of about DM20m at the present low oil prices.

Considerable investment is to be made in the passenger and service facilities in the liner. Cabins and crew accommodation are to be renovated. The kitchens are to be rebuilt, and the restaurants, bars and public rooms are to be re-designed.

## BREMERHAVEN

The *QE2* arrived in Bremerhaven from Southampton and the vessel has to be handed back to Cunard on 25 April next year. During the summer, as before the re-fit, the *QE2* will be deployed in a regular trans-Atlantic service. She is the last passenger vessel to be operated in a liner service on this route.

Outside the high season the British ship will be deployed in an annual round-the-world cruise and cruises to the Caribbean.

Despite the 'labour-saving' engine-room conversion the *QE2* will continue to operate with a crew of about 1,000.

When the ship is again ready for service the maximum number of passengers that can be carried will be increased from 1,800 to 1,816.

Nine new luxury suites with their own balcony, will have been added to the 18 already available in the ship.

# Bleeding Scars Of A Brutal Zanzibar Past

THE OLD SLAVE market and the Mangapwani slave cave are empty. So, too, is the slave chamber that leads to the shore.

The Maruhubi palace, built by Seyyid Barghash for his harem, also lies in ruins, licked by fire during his reign.

It is around these bleeding scars of a brutal past, and many others hugged by green cloves and coconut trees, that the Zanzibar government plans to revive its tourist industry.

More than 13,000 tourists visited Zanzibar between January 1985 and March this year, according to government statistics, earning the island more than Tshs. 4 million in foreign exchange.

The majority of tourists came from Europe, followed by Asia, USA and from different parts of Africa.

Relying on its abundant tourist attractions, Zanzibar is now trying to woo private investors to help it in the development and promotion of its tourism industry.

Already developments for beach resorts are underway in Pemba and Zanzibar.

There are plans for a 200-bed international hotel at Mangapwani, Zanzibar and

They include the construction of beach hotels in Pemba, a game fishing lodge, renovation of existing hotels, establishment of new historical museums, and the development of small islets close to the town of Zanzibar and Pemba.



ELEPHANTS near Mikumi Game Lodge in Central Tanzania

# Government Donors Boost

TOURISM IN TANZANIA, on the decline since 1980, is now showing remarkable signs of recovery, thanks to concerted efforts between the Tanzanian government and foreign donors.

The current rehabilitation programme for hotel infrastructure and the construction of new hotels and cottages, is expected to restore the country to its rightful place in the world tourist map and make it an effective competitor in international tourism, after a five-year disastrous trend.

The Tanzania Tourist Corporation, the sole government body responsible for the promotion and management of the tourist industry in the country, has embarked on the rehabilitation of most of tourist facilities, through a loan by the World Bank and local funds.

"We are determined to return these facilities back to normal in the shortest possible time," the general manager of the TTC Mr. Timothy J. Kasella told a group of visiting Kenyan journalists recently in Dar-es-Salaam.

## MILLION DOLLAR BOOST

The TTC is pumping 10 million dollars in the first phase of the programme and 30 million dollars in the second phase. The Tanzanian government is providing 10 per cent of the total cost, Mr. Kasella said.

At the same time, the construction of two five-star hotels, at a cost of 70 million US dollars, is expected to alleviate the acute shortage of hotel beds currently felt in Dar-es-Salaam and Dodoma, the new capital.

The two hotels, to be managed by the US international company Sheraton, will have a



A HELPFUL receptionist at Dar-Es-Salaam's New Africa Hotel complex.

other plans to turn the Changu island into a beach resort.

According to a policy statement issued by the Ministry of Marine, Tourism and Forestry, Zanzibar has set out a number of projects to boost its tourism.

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nia's leading beach resort in the  
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the gleaming sand on the shore,  
these holiday resorts command  
a captivating view of the clear  
blue ocean.

Africana Hotel is a relaxed,  
informal holiday village of  
scattered chalets; Kunduchi  
Hotel provides a more formal  
grandeur with its white moorish-  
style architecture; and Bahari  
Beach Hotel, the aristocrat of  
the group, with its striking  
African style design and that-  
ched roof rooms encircling its  
gracious lawn.

Sandwiched between these  
beach resorts and others, are  
the thriving fishing villages and  
local peasant agriculture com-  
munities in Kunduchi.

Discos, traditional ngomas and  
other entertainments have trans-  
formed Kunduchi Beach Colony

into the temple of Dar-es-Sala-  
am's nightlife.

Bagamoyo, Tanganyika's old  
capital and centre of the slave  
trade, is still home to the ele-  
gant Christian mission, the Is-  
lamic ruins at Kaole, the fading  
German administrative build-  
ings, and the bustling fish mar-  
ket on the seafloor.

One of the famous game  
lodges in Tanzania is the Mi-  
kumi Wildlife Lodge in the  
Mikumi National Park, located  
above a waterhole where ani-  
mals come to quench their  
thirst.

The lodge and park offer  
wildlife viewing of the Big Five  
as well as wildbeest, zebra,  
impala and warthogs in the  
vicinity of the Hippo Pool and  
Mikumi Wildlife Camp.

## MIKUMI LODGE

Shying away from the heat  
and the crowds in Dar-es-Salaam,  
Mikumi is located 300 kilo-  
metres from the city, standing  
750 metres above the sea level.

# KENYA AIRWAYS LEAD THE WAY ...

"WE ARE the only foreign air-  
line flying into Zanzibar," pro-  
udly asserts Joe Kariuki, the  
Kenya Airways area manager in  
Tanzania.

"Indeed, we are the main car-  
rier in the East African region,"  
he added.

Speaking at Bwawani Hotel,  
Zanzibar luxury hotel within  
walking distance of the histo-  
cal Stone Town, Mr. Kariuki de-  
scribed the airlines role as that  
of promoting regional tourism in  
the area.

"It is that link that we want  
to promote and we want our  
people to know about the ser-  
vices we provide within the  
region," he said.

Kenya Airways, said Mr. Ka-  
riuki, operates five flights to  
Tanzania every week. There are  
two direct flights between Nai-  
robi and Dar-es-Salaam and three  
flights to Zanzibar via Mom-  
bas.

"It is our opinion that we  
need more services between the  
two countries, and I hope that  
some of the bottlenecks that  
affect the air travel will be iron-  
ed out."

On Kenya Airways relations  
with Air Tanzania, Mr. Kariuki  
said:

"We are not competing. In  
fact, we are trying to augement  
and complement each other in  
the promotion of regional tou-  
rism in the area."

## And trade

ending up the present TTC's  
on capacity from 300,000

hotel will have 350 bed-  
suits, four restaurants, a  
purpose hall.

Kasella, the hotel will cost  
mostly from foreign funds.

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na hotel will cost 25 million  
include seven suites, three  
m, two bars and a night-

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lan, TTC plans to put up  
in Mwanza and Kigoma,  
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## Attraction



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## LIVING IS HARD IN TANZANIA

LIFE is tough in Tanzania, one  
of Africa's poorest nations.

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between Shs. 50 and 70, depend-  
ing where you buy them. Few  
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sell them at black at black mar-  
ket prices if they have them.  
Only in big hotels is the stan-  
dard price of Shs. 50 observed.

Beer, either Safari or Pilsner,  
goes at the price of Shs. 80 in  
most big hotels in Dar-es-Salaam,  
and drops to Shs. 60 in smaller  
premises. When scarcity reigns,  
the item is known to fetch up  
to Shs. 120 under the counter.

A small lunch in a medium  
hotel would cost as much as  
Shs. 300. Soft drinks cost an  
average of Shs. 35 in most places  
for the few brands available.

Petrol cost around Shs. 30  
and there is a shortage of spare  
parts for thousands of graying  
cars that ride the pot-holed  
roads of the seaside capital.

Dar-es-Salaam, with a popu-  
lation of more than 1 million,  
looks faded and tired, but still  
retains its old image of the  
harbour of peace. Ordinary  
people manage to smile and  
take life casually, despite moun-  
ting economic problems that  
hold this country hostage.

A veteran Tanzanian journa-  
list told this reporter in Dar:  
"The situation is improving  
here - with time and determina-  
tion, Tanzanians will soon sort  
out this mess in the country  
and open a new chapter of eco-  
nomic development."

Before stepping down last  
year, Nyerere admitted that  
mistakes were made from the  
start.

After nearly 20 years of Uja-  
maa, most Tanzanians agree.

As the soul-searching contin-  
ues for Tanzania's economic  
cures, calls for private enterprise  
are becoming more bolder and  
frequent.

Members of parliament recent-  
ly urged the government to  
take immediate steps to rescue  
the tourist industry, or allow  
private investment to save it.

"We have reached a point  
where the government should  
declare that it needs support  
from private investors in reha-  
bilitating the industry," an MP  
told the House.

The Tanzanian government  
now seems eager to encourage  
individuals with capital to in-  
vest in the tourism sector.

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ES WAR EIN historischer Moment in der Geschichte der Vereinigung der Körperbehinderten in Kenia, Sektion Küste, als die Erweiterung ihrer populären Möbelwerkstätte in Likoni Ende Oktober eröffnet und in Betrieb genommen wurde, gefolgt von der Übergabe von 2300 Möbelstücken an das neue Safari Beach Hotel in Diani. Dieser Auftrag im Wert von Kshs 1,8 Millionen wurde in weniger als sechs Monaten von den behinderten Schreibern ausgeführt.

Die erweiterte Möbelwerkstatt ist nun eine der größten in Mombasa, und unter der neuen Einrichtung befinden sich fünf der modernsten Holzbearbeitungsmaschinen im Gesamtwert von Kshs 1 Million, eine Spende von der Stiftung für Entwicklungsländer in Dänemark.

Diese Möbelwerkstatt hat schon für mehr als zwanzig Hotels Mobiliar angefertigt. Es war auch nicht das erste Mal, daß Alliance Hotells die Werkstatt für Körperbehinderte in Likoni berücksichtigte, denn für die neue Africana Sea Lodge in Diani waren die Möbel für die Schlafzimmer und die öffentlichen Aufenthaltsräume bereits dort hergestellt worden.

"Es freut mich sehr, daß die kleine Werkstatt unsere große Bestellung in der kurzen Zeit ausführen konnte. Aber wir konnten uns bisher stets auf sie verlassen", sagte Chris Modigell, Gruppen General Manager von Alliance Hotels.

Der erste Teil des Safari Beach Hotels in Diani wurde wie geplant am 3. November 1986 eröffnet.

Die Likoni-Werkstätte hatte so erfolgreich gearbeitet, daß es ihr möglich war, die Erweiterung



LUCIEN ZINTGRAFF, Generalsekretär von Hotelplan International, überreicht Mr. S.G. Smith (l.), Direktor von Alliance Hotels, und Hon. K.S.N. Matiba, Verwaltungsratspräsident von Alliance Hotels, eine Schweizer Wanduhr zur Feier der Eröffnung des Safari Beach Hotels.

im Betrag von Kshs 400.000 selbst zu finanzieren. Der "National Youth Service" stellte freie Arbeitsstunden zur Verfügung.

Mr. Moody Awori, Vorsitzender der Vereinigung der Körperbehinderten in Kenia und gleich-

Nachahmung empfohlen werden kann. Er würde es sehr begrüßen, wenn Herr Hubert Seifert, Administrator für die Küste, und einige seiner angelegenen Schreiner zum Beispiel in Busia beim Aufbau einer solchen Werkstätte mithelfen könnten.

## von NETA PEAL

zeitig Assistant Manager für Tourismus und Wildlife, sprach Alliance Hotels seinen Dank aus für die kontinuierliche Unterstützung.

Er wies darauf hin, daß die Likoni-Werkstatt für Körperbehinderte in Mombasa ein leuchtendes Beispiel sei, das anderen Regionen Kenias wärmstens zur

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Mr. Kizito dankte dem deutschen Freiwilligendienst für die wertvolle Hilfe seit 1972 sowie Herrn Hubert Seifert, der in den letzten vier Jahren in Likoni gewirkt hatte und durch seinen unermüdeten Einsatz dem Projekt zu seinem Erfolg verhalf.

## 'ROUND TABLE'

Die Likoni-Möbelwerkstatt - 1972 mit der Hilfe von befreundeten Rotary Clubs in Kanada, Round Table No. 3, Brot für die Welt und dem deutschen Freiwilligendienst errichtet - beschäftigt 55 körperbehinderte Schreiner. Darüberhinaus werden jedes Jahr 12 Behinderte als Tischler ausgebildet.

Seit 1972 war jeweils ein Spezialist vom deutschen Freiwilligendienst für die Administration und die Leitung der Werkstatt verantwortlich. Ende Oktober 1986 wurde die Verwaltung jedoch einem Kenianer übertragen.

Die Likoni-Möbelwerkstätte erhält stets viele Aufträge. Der Erlös wird zum Betrieb der Polio-Klinik in Port Reitz verwendet, die jungen, von der Kinderlähmung betroffenen Leuten behilflich ist, wieder gehen zu lernen. Das verdiente Geld reichte sogar aus, um die Werkstatt zu erweitern und um Häuser für die Arbeiter zu bauen.

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# Österreichische Journalisten auf Informations-tour in Kenia

"EINE MISCHUNG aus Abenteuer und Sonne...", so beschrieben die neun Journalisten führender Zeitungen und Magazine in Österreich ihre achtstägige Reise durch Kenia, zu der sie von Neckermann Austria eingeladen waren, mit der Absicht, den Tourismus in diesem Lande zu fördern.

Sie lobten vor allem die United Touring Company (UTC), die mit der Durchführung ihrer Safaris sowie mit den übrigen Landarrangements betraut war. Sie fanden die Fahrer/Reiseführer überaus freundlich, hilfsbereit und stets in der Lage, über alles Interessante detaillierte Auskünfte zu geben, wodurch die Safari erst zu einem unvergesslichen Erlebnis wurde.

Sie besuchten viele berühmte Orte in Kenia, übernachteten in der Keekorok Lodge in Masai Mara und im Lake Hotel in Naivasha. Einige unternahm eine zweite Safari zur Amboseli Lodge und Taita Hills/Salt Lick Lodge, andere verbrachten zwei ruhige Tage im Jadini Beach Hotel an der Südküste.

Sehr beeindruckt waren sie von der einheimischen Bevölkerung, die ihnen stets mit spontaner Freundlichkeit begegnete, wo immer sie sich aufhielten.

## URSULA WEJROWSKY

Sie bemerkten allerdings, daß bei dem ständig zunehmenden Tourismus in Kenia die Straßen entschieden besser sein könnten! Die Gruppe wurde angeführt von Ursula Wejrowsky von Neckermann Austria, zuständig für Public Relations. Sie flogen mit einer Chartermaschine von Austrian Airlines von Wien direkt nach Mombasa.

Neckermann Austria schickt in dieser Wintersaison erstmals Touristen nach Kenia.



DIE JOURNALISTEN aus Österreich auf dem Flughafen von Mombasa vor ihrem Rückflug nach Wien. In der Mitte Ursula Wejrowsky; rechts Ahmed Mehry, Manager für Flugsafaris von UTC, und Peter Baritsch, Resident Manager von NUR Touristic.

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Mr. Medeiros-Ferreira kam in Kenia an nach einem kurzen Aufenthalt in Zypern, wo das Limasol Sheraton Hotel demnächst eröffnet werden soll. Vorher verbrachte er zwei Jahre als General Manager im Son Vida Sheraton Hotel in Mallorca, Spanien. Er verfügt über eine 27jährige Berufserfahrung in der Hotellerie, davon zwanzig Jahre im Hotel Management in Europa, in der Kanibik,

in USA, Südamerika und im Mittleren Osten.

Mr. Medeiros-Ferreira war Ende November zusammen mit der kenianischen Delegation von Hoteliers und Reisebüro-Vertretern, angeführt von Hon. Andrew Omanga, Minister für Tourismus und Wildlife, am "World Travel Market" in London. Im Rahmen einer Werbekampagne für die kenianische Küste verteilte das Sheraton Golden Beach an die Messebesucher mehrere Hundert Mini-Kiondos (die beliebten Einkaufskörbe aus Sisal), gefüllt mit Macadamia-Nüssen und Holzschmitzereien, die großes Interesse an Kenia und an der sprichwörtlichen Gastfreundschaft von Sheraton hervorriefen.

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EMPLOYEE of the Year at Diani Reef is William Mfuko, who is seen receiving congratulations from general manager Sigi Jogschat. Looking on are (from left) personnel manager D. Chivats, managing director S. Banin, and director Ms. W. Vickers.

## Diani Reef Awards

SUCH has been the popularity of Diani Reef Hotel, which celebrated its fifth birthday only recently, that it is going to extend by the addition of a further one-hundred rooms.

This will then give the hotel a total of over 500 beds.

Work commences on this extension, as well as general improvements to Diani Reef, early 1987.

This was announced, amid

cheers, by Mr. S. Banin, Managing Director, Sonotels (Kenya) Ltd. when presenting awards under the hotel's Incentive Scheme during the Staff Christmas Party.

It is Sonotels which manage Diani Reef Hotel.

'Employee of the Year' was William Mfuko from the Security Department who was presented with a beautiful Stereo Radio and Cassette and congratulations by Mr. Banin.

## FARM MACHINERY POSTING:



IAN ALLEN (left) has been appointed general sales manager of Farm Machinery Distributors, the franchisees of Massey Ferguson, Kenya's best selling tractor. He is seen with Paul Kitoli, FMD sales manager, in the workshops of the firm's Nakuru head office.

## Customs Hold Mombasa Monumental Clock

FROM PAGE ONE

man of the Rotary Club of Mombasa, Mr. Hussein Anjarwalla, who initiated the project during his tenure of office, the organisation has written to the minister for Finance seeking his authority to waive the duty charges.

"We were made to understand at the beginning that no charges will be levied on the imported items because this was a harambee project meant as a property of the Municipal Council of Mombasa," Mr. Anjarwalla told Coastweek.

He said that Rotary Club officials, together with the Mayor of Mombasa, are now seeking an audience with the minister of finance and hoped to meet him early next month.

The imported clock impounded by Mombasa custom officials, is described as an energy-saving, high Accuracy outdoor clock which converts light into electric energy by use of solar batteries.

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### CONCRETE SHAFT

The symbolic clock tower, in chiselled dressed concrete shaft, was designed to rise between 23 and 26 ft high against the architectural backdrop of the Ambal Building, Bima Towers, the Holy Ghost Cathedral and the new Kenya Power and Lighting Co. complex currently under construction.

Its main features were to include a master sub-control

system at the foot of tower running the clocks embedded on the four sides of the tower, hands made of hard plastic material with aluminium black finish, Roman numbers and milky white dials.

### COLONIAL DAYS

When constructed, the Rotary Clock Tower will be the third major time-indicating unit to be installed in Mombasa in the 80 years.

The old clock, built in 1902 over the main entrance of the old Law Courts, chimed the hours for many years in the early colonial days and later shared the function of the town's time-keeper with the clock on the main post office at the Treasury Square.

## KLM Vetoes Hilton Deal

KLM ROYAL Dutch Airlines previously announced an agreement to purchase Hilton International Co. from Transworld Corporation, conditioned upon approval by the Supervisory Board of KLM.

KLM announced on December 23, 1986 that the Supervisory Board voted not to approve the agreement.

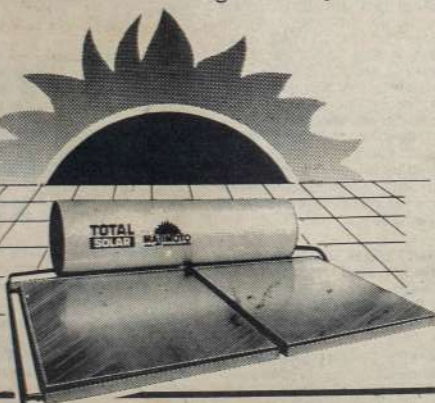
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## NYALI LONG-SERVICE AWARDS



LONG Serving Employees who had completed between 10-20 years with Nyali Beach Hotel are pictured with David Stogdale, Managing Director, Block Hotels Management and the hotel's general manager, Abdul Ali (centre back) during the Staff Christmas Party.

## Swiss Photo Group Stay At Neptune Beach



WINNERS of HOTELPLAN of Switzerland's photographic competition for students who work on the land during vacations are pictured at Neptune Beach Hotel, Bamburi. Front left are Maryse Schneider, Hotelplan's resident manager, Kenya, and Patrick Mutua, the hotel's general manager. Right (front) is Ernst Ehrbar, group leader.



NYALI BEACH HOTEL general manager Abdul Ali (centre) is seen with Rika and Simon Fallegger from Switzerland — back on their 30th visit to their favourite hotel. They were among VIP guests entertained at the Nyali Cocktail reception.

## Nyali Beach Host V.I.P. Reception

A COCKTAIL party was hosted by Nyali Beach Hotel to wish over four-hundred of their guests a Very Happy Christmas and New Year.

The general manager, Abdul Ali, thanked them for choosing this hotel in which to spend the festive season, and gave a special warm welcome to 'repeat' guests.

It is estimated that around 50 per cent of the 420 guests there were 'repeaters'.

Among them were Rika and Simon Fallegger from Switzerland. Since 1974 they have spent around thirty vacations at this hotel. Declared Rika 'we love it here and have made many friends'.

Bill and Monique Palinginis from Switzerland and USA, together with their three children, have been holidaying at Nyali Beach for the past ten years.

Said Mr Palinginis 'it is an excellent hotel. The food is good and they look after us very well'.

Mr Palinginis spends about

ten months a year travelling to many parts of the world. He says that Kenya compares very favourably with the Caribbean, South America and Brazil.

From the UK were Tony and Lynn Barlow with their two children spending their fourteenth holiday at Nyali Beach Hotel.



MR I.M. GANIWALLA Branch Manager (left) with Mr S.C. Mwaura Income Tax Officer, Mr C.C. Patel chairman, Mr John Lau Senior Immigration Officer, Mr Shivji Parbat Director of Mistry Javda Parbat, Mr Haribhai K Halai Director of Mulji Devraj and Bros and Mr C.M. Pandya (Regional Manager).

## Concorde Insurance Christmas Cocktail

CONCORDE INSURANCE Company Ltd. have hosted a party at Mombasa Club, to welcome and introduce Mr C.C. Patel, the chairman to its clients, agents and friends.



MR C.M. PANDYA, Regional Manager, (left) with Mr John Lau Senior Immigration Officer, and Mr N C Patel.



MR C.M. PANDYA Regional Manager, (left) with Mr Kuldip Singh Suri, and Mr Rasik Devani.

## YOUNGEST IN KENYA!

YOUNGEST IN KENYA — Jeremy Jessop, aged 14, who has just become a member of the British Barefoot Water Ski Club (No. 736) after completing the required one minute barefoot time. His father is also a member of the BBFSC (No.375) and there are a few other people in Mombasa who can barefoot ski, and some can barefoot ski on one foot, but as yet are not members of the BBFSC. Hopefully they will join soon. Interested parties wishing to join the BBFSC should contact R.C. Jessop, Tel. 472353, who has the necessary entry forms.

## New Name For Lamu Soccer Club

MOTTO FC of Lamu has changed its name to Al-Nassir Football Club, the club Chairman Abdulrahman Sayyid Ali Baskuttah disclosed to the Coastweek over the weekend.

Baskuttah who has led the club since its formation in 1971, informed Coastweek that this was not the first time they have taken such a decision.

The Motto club boss said: "We formed the club with the name being Mwenge but we were forced to change it when the national soccer body insisted that there should be no duplication of names".

He added that as they formed the club having impressed by Mombasa's Mwenge, "we decided to change ours and from then on, it was known as Motto FC".

Baskuttah revealed that since they called themselves Motto, for the last 13 years, "we have club members decided to change it to its new name - Al-nassir, which we feel will have more luck to us".

The club Chairman said all arrangements for the change of the name have been finalised and the new name will start functioning from January 1, a new year's day.

He appealed to all members, players and officials to work hard this new year and achieve better results.

He wished all his players, members and supporters all the best of luck during the new



\* A.S.A. BASKUTTAAH

year saying: "Lamu clubs should be prepared to face Al-nassir FC and not Motto FC from January 1, 1987".

## BRIEFS

MOMBASA (KNA) Coast... Mr Simon Mung'alla has urged Kenyans to make use of the national airline, Kenya Airways, in order to support government efforts and uplift the economy in the country. Speaking before accompanying 380 school children from Mombasa who were taken on a complimentary flight aboard an Airbus A310-300 over Mombasa, Malindi and Lamu, the PC thanked President Moi for giving the children the opportunity to enjoy some of the services offered by the national airline.

## SPORTS IN TANZANIA

THE Mount Meru marathon race to be held in Arusha in March this year has so far attracted 8 foreign athletes out of which about 70 are from Britain.

Sweden has confirmed 20 runners, the United States four athletes, Canada (one), Rwanda (two) and West Germany one.

More entries are expected from both local and foreign runners and the organisers have cash prizes for the first ten winners in the men's category and the first five in the women's category.

The winner of the men's race will get 20,000/- and the runner-up will get 10,000/- and the winner of the women's event will also get 20,000/- provided she finishes the race in under three hours.

Meanwhile the Tanzania Hockey Union has selected 25 players to play here from 28 to 30 January this year. The event is expected to bring Zambia, Uganda, Egypt and Malawi. Last year Zambia hosted the event.

## MALINDI GOLF NEWS

THE annual Easterbrook trophy, no generously sponsored by Horace Easterbrook for the ninth successive year, was played at

## GOLF NEWS

Malindi on Friday, Boxing Day, under very hot and dry conditions.

Unfortunately Horace Easterbrook who won the trophy last year was unable to be present, writes "Greensome".

Results were as follows: Winner - D. Darborough 36 points. Runner up - Barbara Darborough 34, 1st 9 - D. Gordon, and 2nd 9 - G. Hunter.

Visitor - Mrs. A. Palmer. Senior's subsidiary prize Mrs. A. Oliver "Piga Mingi" B. Leech.

# Leopards Clash With Tanzania

NATIONAL Football League Champions AFC Leopards and Kenyan Club Champions Tukuyu Stars, who are preparing themselves for the East and Central Africa Club Championship to be played in Uganda late January, will be in Mombasa where they will play games to raise funds for the Kanu Mombasa District headquarters.

According to the Kenya Football Federation Coast Branch secretary Khamis Ali Khamis, Leopards and Tukuyu Stars will play two games each. Kenya will play both their matches at Mombasa Stadium while the Tanzania will play a match each in Mombasa and Mbweni.

Khamis said Tukuyu Stars will start their tour with a game against Kwale Combined set to take place at Msambweni on Monday while on the same day AFC Leopards clash against Mombasa Wanderers at Mombasa Stadium. On Sunday, the Tanzanian club face AFC Leopards in another Kanu fund-raising encounter at Mombasa Stadium.

Returning to local Coast Premier League, Nyundo face an early task when they tackle Mombasa Warriors on Thursday (January 1) while Mombasa Warriors clash against Simba at the same venue on Friday. Jaws will be at home on Saturday facing Malindi's Simba.

Former Coast Soccer "Giants" Mombasa FC of Sarigoi meet Mombasa Wanderers on Friday for a Kanu Fund-raising match. Four Coast Premier League matches are to be played at various grounds on Saturday while three matches are to be played on Sunday.

On Saturday at Mombasa Stadium, Feisal who are an automatic choice to represent Kenya in Next year's Super League will meet lowly placed Jaws of Mombasa at Mombasa Stadium at 3 p.m. as curtain raiser to Leopards - Wanderers match, which is off at 4.30 p.m.

Mombasa Breweries entertain Mombasa Maroon at Police ground while Nyundo will be at Shimanzi ground to meet Simba. Alaskan of Malindi will be at home ground to play Kiweke. These fixtures will be held on Saturday, January 3.

On Sunday, Jan 4, Feisal will have another easy task on their way to emerge champions on Saturday at various grounds. In their host Tana Maroon

**SOCCKER SCENE** by **Abdul R. Sheriff**



at Mombasa Stadium at 3 p.m. This match will also act as curtain-raiser to the day's big clash between Kenya's Leopards and Tanzanian's Tukuyu Stars.

Mombasa Breweries are expected to get an easy job in thrashing Lamu Jaws at Shimanzi ground on Sunday while the same day, Starfish of Malindi will be hosting Kwale's Kiweke at Malindi Stadium on in another coast premier league fixture.

On Wednesday January 7, Nyundo meet Kiziwi Leopards in a Kanu fund-raising game at Mombasa Stadium while the following day, Congo Boys of Sarigoi face Christmas Cup Champions Chelsea at the same venue for the same purpose.

Feisal proved their superiority when they crushed fourth placed Mombasa Breweries 7-2 in a Coast Premier League replay match. The K.F.F. Coast Branch ordered a replay. Feisal showed the beer makers that they were too lenient when they first met where tye (Feisal) won by 2-0.

### RUNNERS-UP

Nyundo also enhanced their chances to finish at runners-up position when they thrashed Starfish of Malindi 5-1 at Mombasa Stadium while Chelsea beat Simba of Kwale 1-0. Bantu went down 1-4 to Starfish and Feisal beat Kiweke 1-0 in a match abandoned after the Kwale side refused a penalty to be taken against them.

Chelsea who will automatically surrender the Coast Premier League title most probably to Feisal, refused to finish the season without an achievement when they lifted the Christmas Cup by beating Black Forest 3-1 in the final held at Mombasa Municipal Stadium.

KACHUMBARI dropped some mates at the airport the other day and then proceeded back to town where he met some old cronies of his.

When their jollifications finished it was late in the evening so his cronies asked to be dropped in Mji wa Kale.

Kachumbari tried to resist but, as no taxis were available due to the normal Yuletide invasion of Mombasa, he acceded to their request.

Anyone who has tried finding their way through the old town must have felt a bit apprehensive at first. The maze of roads is the first problem. The next problem is the number of one way streets.

Kachumbari, as is with most seasoned visitors of the old town, only knew the main thoroughfares.

These cronies of his insisted that he take them to their doorstep to avoid any possible contact with law since they had forgotten to carry their vitambulisho (I.D. Cards).

# GETTING LOST, LATE AT NIGHT, IN MAZE OF MJI WA KALE ...

He agreed and was taken off the main thoroughfare into small back streets. Round and

profusely and vanished into the darkness. He was left on a one way street unable to reverse or turn round to try and retrace his steps albeit against normal traffic rules.

Kachumbari had only one option and that was to drive forward. Two turns later he found himself looking across Tudor creek towards the Tamarind.

His spirits rose and he tried to deduce the best direction to take. He started again around the one way system and to his dismay, he came to a dead end.

This continued for a further three hours before Kachumbari found himself adjacent to the Central Police Station - and

**COAST DRIVE** with **PATRICK OBATH**



round they went until Kachumbari completely lost his orientation.

On arrival, his cronies jumped out of the car, thanked him



THE NISSAN CABSTAR - Class leader at the Coast in the 2-3 tonne category.

## NISSAN-CABSTAR LEADS

WITH LESS than a week to go before the year ends Nissan vehicles had on Sunday established a strong lead in the race for vehicle sales in the Coast area giving them a commanding 22.75 per cent share of the vehicle market.

Sales of Nissan vehicles for the period January to 30 November 1986 totalled 273 - well a head of their main competitor Toyota who sold 251 vehicles during the period.

Mitsubishi and Isuzu, the other contenders in the race, sold 165 and 160 units respectively.

A spokesman for D.T. Dobie and Co. (Kenya) Ltd., the local Nissan agents, attributed their successful sales performance in 1986 to a greater awareness of back-up and service now available to customers in the Coast area as well as an extensive and proven model line-up of quality Nissan vehicles ranging from a half ton pick-up through saloons and station wagons to a three tonne truck.

In the class for saloons, station wagons and panel vans, the Sunny wagon leads at the Coast with sales of 61 units, with Toyota running second with 57 units sold and Mazda in third place with 46 units.

The Nissan Cabstar is the class leader in the two to three tonne category with 28 units sold, followed by Mitsubishi with 22 units.

### SUCCESSFUL

To crown their successful sales effort this year, D.T. Dobie's Mombasa Branch has swept the board at all shows at the Coast, taking first place in the classes for motor vehicles at the Mombasa ASK, Voi and Malindi Shows.

The trophies won at these shows are pictured at D.T.

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## ALI JUMA IS NEW WIND-SURF CHAMPION

### FROM FRONT PAGE

pionships were Kenya Airways and the Inter-Continental Hotel group. It attracted 35 entries - more than last year.

Winning the flatboard races was Abdul Mohamed, his prize being a KA return ticket to Dubai and a week's free stay at the Abu Dhabi Inter-Continental Hotel.

Chris Soper was runner-up (with only five points between them) and also "Best Amateur". Third was Guido Haller.

Winning the Fun Board races was Kevin Cleaver, an amateur from up-country and a member of the Naivasha Yacht Club.

Second (by one point) was Sabina Funk, a windsurfing instructor with the Sollacher Brothers on the south coast. Sabina who was Best Lady and second in the 'Ins and Outs' received Shs. 3,000/- as prize money.

First in the 'Ins and Outs' was Peter Sollacher.

There were three very remarkable juniors - Julian Soper (12), Anthon Koch (12) and Munir Nathoo (16). 'Best Junior' was Julian Soper with 111 points.

There were only two 'Veteran' entries - William Brown from Kiambu (113 points) and Martin

### Veteran Entries From Kiambu

Taylor, a visitor from Botswana (118 points). First Veteran was Bill Brown.

Leading Amateurs were Chris Groom (36 points) and Danny Haller (37 points).

Only two ladies entered. They were Sabina Funk (62 points) and Nichola Brown from Kiambu (101 points).

The First Up-Country prize went to Simon Woods, chairman of the Kenya Boardsailors' Association.

The Minister of Tourism and Wildlife, Andrew Omanga, thanked the co-sponsors - Kenya Airways and Hotel Inter-Continental and paid tribute to the organisers of this event which was not only enjoyed by participants but many guests from all over the world as well as local residents.

He congratulated all winners, adding it is always good to be at this hotel.

In an interview later, Simon Woods, the association's chairman said 'Africans are becoming extremely good, and the association will definitely consider organising sponsorship to the next Olympics'.

Six Africans entered the 1986 championships.

Said Thomas Sollacher, last

year's round board champion 'Ali Juma is a very good windsurfer and I congratulate him on becoming the Kenya round-board champion'.

He said there had been very little wind for the racing on Saturday and Sunday morning, with more in the afternoon. Thomas weighs 25 kgs. more than Ali, giving Ali a great advantage in the mornings.

Thomas, who is chairman of the Association's coast branch, said he would like to see more sponsors coming forward to back this biggest windsurfing event in Kenya. Those interested should contact him at Sollacher Brothers on the south coast.

### INTERNATIONAL

Thomas revealed that they would also be interested in organising an international windsurfing event again as had taken place in 1983 and which had attracted several top international windsurfers.

Ali Juma first started windsurfing at the age of 13 when his brother, Twahiru, now in America, was running the Man of the Sea Windsurfing School at Whispering Palms Hotel.

Before becoming a windsurfing instructor he was working for Kenya Marineland as a four guide taking tourists up Mtwapa Creek on traditional dhows. He speaks several languages - German, Swiss, Italian, Swahili, English and is now learning French.

Ali has been a windsurfing instructor for several years.

He was 'runner-up' in the Fun Board races in the 1985 National Windsurfing Championships at Hotel Inter-Continental, afterwards declaring 'my greatest ambition is to become Kenya's windsurfing champion and to represent this country in the Olympics'.

It was then the first time for him to participate in Fun Board racing.

Said Joe Leichum, owner of Kenya Marineland. "Ali is a long term employee of ours and we have sponsored him in several windsurfing championships and regattas over the years, as well as providing him with racing equipment."

He has now been an instructor at the Water Sports Centre at Inter-Continental since the hotel opened just over a year ago, previously working as an instructor at the windsurfing school at Kenya Beach Hotel.

He has been among the top five in several windsurfing regattas. He was the first Kenyan in the IBSA World Championships held at Dolphin Hotel, 1984, and seventh in the ISCA World Windsurfing Championships at Kilifi a year earlier.

### COMPETITIONS

He was overall winner of two windsurfing competitions held in 1985, one being the KLM regatta.

Entertaining throughout the 1986 championships were Hotel Inter-Continental's talented Black Jack Orchestra, and on the beach were buffet tables offering light snacks and soft drinks.

It attracted many local residents as well as hotel guests.



PHOTOS - NETA PEAL

ALI JUMA Kenya's top 'Round-Board' Wind-Surfing Champion is seen after the prize-giving at Mombasa Hotel InterContinental.



TOURISM AND Wildlife Minister Hon. Andrew Omanga presenting Abdul Mohamed with his prize for coming 'First' in the Fun Board races, during the Kenya Wind-Surfing Championships.

### LADY - OF - THE - DAY



SABINA FUNK second in the 'Fun-Board' races, and Best Lady, and second in the 'Ins And Outs', is presented with her trophy by Tourism and Wildlife Minister Hon. Andrew Omanga.

### Remarkable Youths:



REMARKABLE JUNIORS - Munir Nathoo (left) one of the three 'Top Junior Wind-Surfers' in Kenya, seen out at Bamburi with his younger brothers Karim, 12, and Farid, 7, who are both following in Munir's footsteps and hope to participate in next year's Kenya Wind-Surfing Championships.



TOURISM and Wildlife Minister Hon. Andrew Omanga is seen presenting Eric Allard with the 'Second Overall' and 'First Amateur' trophies, during prize giving after the 1986 Kenya National Wind-Surfing Championships hosted at Mombasa Hotel InterContinental.

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