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SPANISH PLAY

Produced by Birches Head Church Amateur Society The theatrical society of St. Matthew's Church. Birches Head, is producing this week a Spanish play entitled "A Hundred Years Old," adapted by Helen and Harley Granville Barker. The society has set a high standard in its choice of material, and the present

The society has set a high standard in its choice of material, and the present play is no exception. It demands of the players a deep appreciation of character as well as considerable interpretive ability in scenes where action is scarce.

The play was given a pleasing first performance, and will be repeated to-morrow. Those taking part are Mrs. P. Powell. Misses E. Pickin. E. Slater, D. M. Hand, O. Pickin, and L. Lees. and Messrs. G. Cooke. S. Dwyne, S. F. Hand, W. Evans. L. H. Sherwood. and J. Keisall.

The musical part of the performance was in the hands of Mr. W. Evans and Misses B. E. Meakin, R. Bullock, E. Harrison. A.-Lovell, V. Jones. J. Kirkham and D. Phillips. Musical interludes were rendered during the evening by Mrs. A. Clewley and Mr. C. Coppack.

The stage settings. which were a fine feature of the production, were designed and executed by Father N. C. H. Colley. Mr. Sidney F. Hand deserves a great credit, for his work as producer, assisted by a willing staff of stage hands.

