

KING FAROUK.

Egypt --- King Farouk was a visitor to the Art and Industrial Exhibitions ~~at xkxkxkxkx~~ ^{at Ghurneh.} and he was escorted by the Royal Guard. In the Dutch ~~Industrial Exhibition~~ ^{Section} the young king ~~paid a visit~~ ^{passed} to the various stands accompanied by Egyptian officials and the Dutch Commissioner. ~~The exhibitions were held at Lousich,~~ which is a very hard name to pronounce. ~~The name of the Dutch Commissioner is unfortunately impossible.~~

INVESTITURE.

London --- distinguished personages in the Services and the Arts attended Buckingham Palace for the investiture following the last Honours list. [^] One of those summoned to attend was that great artist Gracie Fields --- She received from His Majesty the King her C.B.E. ⁷

BIRD MAN AND PARACHUTISTS.

Florida --- at the Tampa Air Show one of the ~~items~~ was a flight by a Bird Man. ^M After the death of the first Bird Man Clem Sohn this is a nerve-wracking game --- but this one came down all right if a bit suddenly. Then followed some more parachute stunt-~~xxxx~~ merchants. They landed without accident, but dropped all over the place like leaves in the wind.

JESSIE MATTHEWS.

Glasgow --- the Empire Exhibition is still very much in the raw, but it has been graced by a visit from charming and popular Jessie Matthews and her director husband Sonnie Hale. It's a nice place, but unfortunately it's one place where even Britain's dancing divinity can't dance. But Jessie came through smiling as usual --- and she dug her heels in the mud to give them a hand ^{ok} building the place.

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