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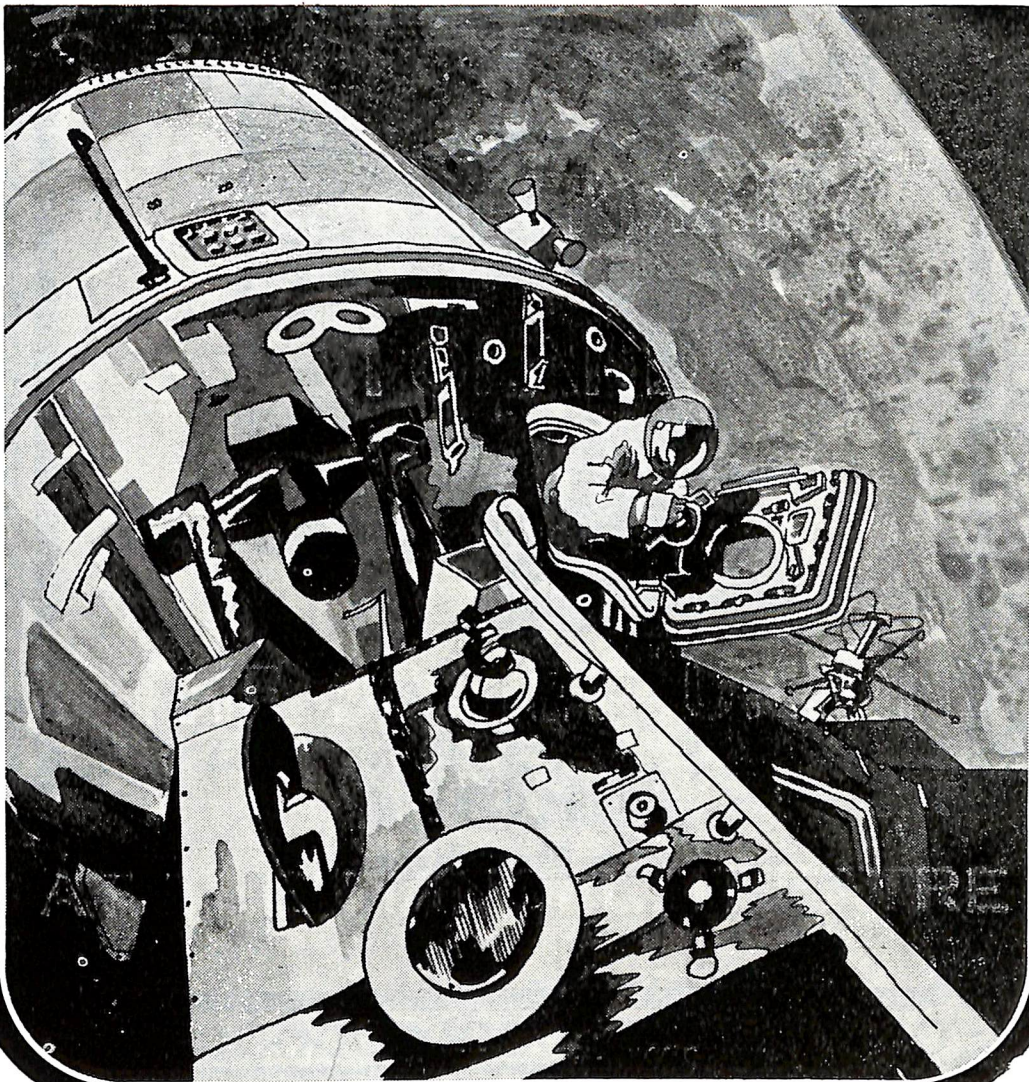
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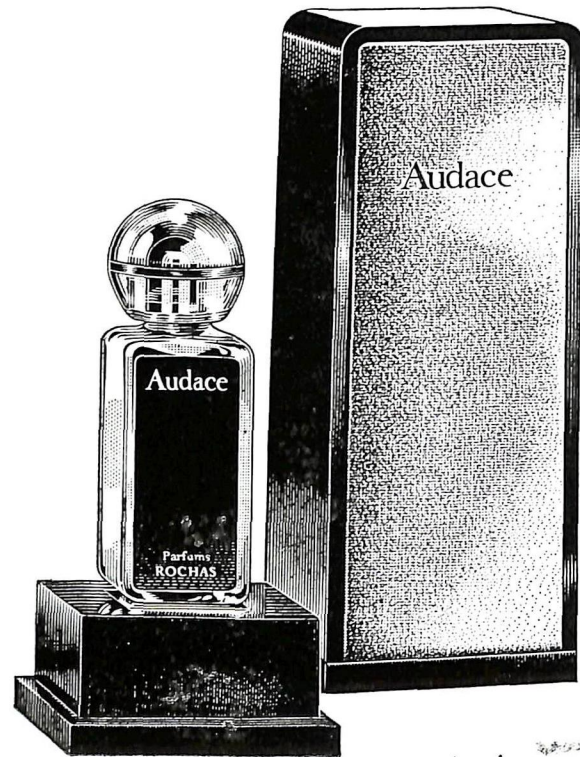
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SICILY WEEK IN MALTA

AT THE MANOEL THEATRE

on Tuesday, 16th May 1978

Presidente : *Mario B.A.*
Coreografo : *Santoro Giuseppe*
Direttore Coro : *Flora Giuseppe*

PROGRAMME

ENTRATA (Introduction)

CANTO DELLA VALLE (Song of the valley)

CIURI, CIURI (Flowers, flowers)

MAZURKA

A PAMPINA DI L'OLIVA (The leaf of the olive tree)

INTERVAL

A SCACCIATA DI LI MENNULI (Cracking the almonds)

BALLO DELLA PRIMAVERA (Spring dance)

U PAISI ME' (My country)

A MEGLIU TERRA (The best hearth)

MARRANZANATA (Jew's harp melody)

CONTRADANZA (Country dance or quadrille)

ORCHESTRINA

VITTI 'NA CROZZA (I have seen a skull)

U CHIOVU

VOCA VARCENZA (The song of the sailor)

'A ZOTTA (The shepherds' dance)

Anna Cartia Bongiorno

ANNA CARTIA BONGIORNO

Anna Cartia Bongiorno was born in Syracuse and has dedicated her life to composition. She started composing Folk Ballads on her own and in conjunction with other sicilian poets. Presently Miss Bongiorno is composing two operas and one ballet, the latter is on the libretto of Rosso di S. Secondo.

ANTONIO COTTONE

Antonio Cottone, Baritone has studied singing at the Conservatory of Palermo.

His modern style has been very successful with dramatic characters and has carried him to the front of lyrical folk ballads.

Antonio Cottone
Giuseppe Bellone

Folk Ensemble: VALLE DEI TEMPI — AGRIGENTO

Agrigento home town of the renowned Folk Festival "Mandorlo in Fiore" has a number of well known Folk Ensembles.

Agrigento is best known in the field of Archeology for the Greek remains which are spread along the valley below the city. The folk ensemble which is in Malta for "La Settimana Siciliana" is named after these remains.

Anna Cartia

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