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as the armed forces of Malaysia and Singapore. In addition, Britain will probably keep a battalion of Gurkhas in the Borneo sultanate of Brunei and will rotate about 3000 troops a year for jungle

Britain is also seeking the end of the 1957 Anglo-Malaysian Defence Agreement, under which Britain is committed to come to Malaysia's defence in the event of external aggression.

## HOSTEL NEEDS A NEW SITE

The Matthew Talbot Hostel for homeless men in Woolloomooloo will have to move to a new site because of redevelopment plans for the area.

THIS was revealed yesterday by Mr. J. Morahan, president of the Metropolitan Central Council.

He was speaking at the annual meeting of the hostel, which is run by the St. Vincent de Paul Society.

"It has not been decided yet whether to rebuild another hostel the same size, or to decentralise," he said.

The present hostel was built five years ago, and the hostel committee only finished repaying its capital debt last year.

The hostel has nearly 400 beds, including 60 for permanent guests too old or ill to care for themselves.

Cardinal Gilroy, patron of the hostel, said it had

reached its limit in size and the number of people to whom it attends.

He congratulated the committee which runs the hostel, and all who had supported it.

"Despite the enormous expenditure (\$90,969 for 1969) it has been completely covered by income, with an amazing number of individual contributors," he said.

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Moon rock

More than 5000 Sydney people saw a tiny piece of Moon rock over the weekend.

Not much bigger than a matchbox, the rock is in a revolving display case at the Mining Museum, George Street North.

Museum officials said last night the weekend's crowd was about ten times the normal figure.

The piece of rock is one of many gathered by Neil Armstrong and Edwin Aldrin during man's first Moon landing in July last year.

The rock was guarded by two uniformed policemen.

It will remain at the Museum until Thursday and will be air freighted to Brisbane on Friday for display there.

## Service for 'Canberra'

A service commemorating the loss of HMAS Canberra, 28 years ago, was held yesterday.

The service was held at the Naval Memorial Chapel, Watsons Bay.

The Commander at Garden Island dockyard (Commodore B. W. Mussared) who served on HMAS Canberra, read the lesson.

HMAS Canberra was lost off Savo Island on August 9, 1942.

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