

# Editors' CHOICE

## *An Exciting Adventure: The Governor's Residence and the Road to Mandalay*



MYANMAR, WHICH USED TO BE CALLED BURMA, was made famous by that great Kipling poem, "On the road to Mandalay, Where the flyin'-fishes play..."

Now you can experience this magical adventure thanks to the Orient Express, which operates the finest hotel in Yangon (which used to be called Rangoon), The Governor's Residence – which really was the Governor's residence – and has been restored to a first-class, five-star small hotel where you stop and stay over until you board a wonderful ship named *Road to Mandalay*.

You sail up the Irrawaddy River witnessing sunsets, sunrises, and river bank villages, while dining on superb food and sitting on deck by the swimming pool. This ship has everything.

But visiting this part of the world is fast becoming popular now that Myanmar is safe, the government is stable and welcoming, and true first-class has come to this developing country. So go before it becomes too popular. It's like visiting a place 50 years ago when life was simple and all the people were kind and gentle, and really liked meeting you.

It's that way now in Myanmar. ●



*Left page: The exotic Governor's Residence in Yangon, Myanmar; Right page: The luxurious accommodations and sights afforded by the Road to Mandalay as it travels the Irrawaddy River.*



