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Islamic State supporter charged with murder of UK MP

London.—British police yesterday charged a 25-year-old Londoner of Somali heritage with stabbing a lawmaker to death in a church, a case that has raised fears about the safety of elected politicians.

Prosecutor James Cable told the court that Ali Harbi Ali, the son of an ex-media adviser to a former prime minister of Somalia, was an Islamic State supporter who had for years planned to kill a member of parliament.

The killing of 69-year-old David

Amess - five years after another British member of parliament was murdered on the street - has prompted calls for better

protection of lawmakers. Amess, a member of Prime Minister Boris Johnson's Conservative Party, was knifed repeatedly.



“Celebrations” linked to small rise in Balearic Covid cases

● Health minister Patricia Gómez recognised yesterday that there has been a “small increase” in coronavirus infections this week. Most of these cases, she said, were associated with

outbreaks linked to celebrations, though she also pointed to 77 infections at an “educational centre”; these infections hadn't originated there.

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