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Voluntary fund for apartheid victims?

Proposals for a voluntary fund to aid victims of South Africa's racial policies and a renewed call for total economic sanctions against South Africa are contained in a report issued by the Special U.N. Committee on Apartheid. The report goes to both the Security Council and the General Assembly.

The new report was introduced by the Committee's chairman, Mr. Achkar Marof of Guinea, at a press conference late last week at United Nations Headquarters in New York.

Declaring that the situation in South Africa threatened not only the African continent but the whole world, Mr. Marof emphasized that economic sanctions were the only remaining peaceful means of getting South Africa to change her racial policies as repeatedly called for by the U.N. But the effectiveness of the sanctions, he said, depended on the full cooperation of the major powers and those States trading with South Africa.

UNIFICYP road accident figures down

Accident figures for last month again showed a marked drop. Total figures for the month were 25 accidents — down five from the previous month and 29 down on January this year.

UNIFICYP

Force Commander announces division of Zone - now Nic District E & W, and Kyrenia District

Gen. K. S. Thimayya, the Force Commander, last week announced that UNIFICYP's Nicosia Zone would be divided into three districts reporting directly to UNIFICYP Headquarters.

The announcement was first mentioned when the Commander presented United Nations service medals to officers and other ranks of UNIFICYP Nicosia Zone Headquarters on 11 August.

The new UNIFICYP districts will be as follows:

- Kyrenia District. Area between and including the Nicosia-Kyrenia and Nicosia Peristeronari roads. This area will be the responsibility of the Canadian Contingent of UNIFICYP, with District Headquarters in the Kyrenia Pass.
- West Nicosia District. It will include the Walled City of Nicosia and area South and South-West of Nicosia to the boundary of Limassol District and Famagusta Zone. This area will be the responsibility of the Danish Contingent of UNIFICYP, with District Headquarters in Nicosia.
- East Nicosia District. Area will include the North-Eastern suburbs of Nicosia.

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Security Council Meeting:

Renewed call for restraint in Cyprus

The United Nations Security Council last week renewed its call for restraint on the part of all concerned in the Cyprus situation. It unanimously approved a resolution to this effect which was differently interpreted by Turkey and Cyprus.

The Security Council's action on Cyprus followed a series of meetings at which Turkey and Cyprus accused each other of creating new tension.

The new resolution, sponsored by the Council's six non-permanent members, called upon all parties, in conformity with a resolution approved in March 1964, to avoid any action likely to worsen the situation. It was introduced by Ambassador R. Ramani of Malaysia, who noted that it emerged from several days of intensive negotiations seeking a formula which would steer a middle course between the positions taken by the parties. The resolution was unanimously approved without debate.

At separate press conferences called on the following day, in New York, Turkey and Cyprus gave differing interpretations of the resolution.

Ambassador Orhan Erarp of Turkey said it represented a clear condemnation of the actions of the Greek-Cypriot Government in changing the electoral law of Cyprus so as to eliminate constitutional provisions for separate voting majorities for the Turkish Cypriot and Greek Cypriot communities.

Ambassador Zenon Rossides of Cyprus said the resolution, in essence, reaffirmed the sovereign rights of Cyprus and represented a new call to Turkey not to repeat its threats of invasion or use of any force against Cyprus.

Turkey charged that Greek
Rifleman is killed in early morning accident

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When will they ever learn?

"It's like talking to a brick wall", one of the Beret's staff are beginning to feel about their road safety campaign. Despite repeated warnings from people who drive, that speed, alcohol to other conditions, can be the greatest danger, UNFICYP drivers still hit the road on a Sunday, and that the speed limits do not exist at all. Dozens of private cars and trucks are killed or critically injured in road accidents on roads across Nicosia or other places.

Despite warnings about the increasing number of speed checks and areas where accidents are most likely to occur, UNFICYP drivers do not seem to take any notice. Now the "Beret" follows Col. Dowdall's example and puts no punch in it. Speed limits are put there to be obeyed - for your safety and for that of other road users.

Landrovers and similar vehicles are probably the most common group studied, although many drivers find it easier to travel at 40 to 40 in many restricted areas. However, even though drivers have been told to drive at 50 mph in such areas, evidence is that they are not obeying the limit. In some areas, covering a large number of miles, there may be similar cases of other road users.

During the past fortnight, "Beret" staff have watched carefuly the speed limit of the UNFICYP vehicles. The results of this scrutiny are alarming. Not one driver is in three or four to the speed limits - at least three out of ten do not even make their presence of doing so. This applies to all contingencies in the field, including the UNFICYP Staff and civilian staff.

Three-ton or similar vehicles of all contingents limit their speed only exceed maximum speed limits, especially in the case of such as the Kyrenia or Famagusta roads. A three-ton vehicle even if fitted with a top speed of 60 mph, must not exceed 20 mph on the move to reach a full emergency in an emergency location.

Do you road death toll rise to 15

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Pohjoismaat on osoittivat vakuuttavaa uutiinlyöivämää Ledran altaalla


Tänä yhteisössä emme määrä elää sekoittavia mitä mahdollisuuksia, kuinka koko kiihkö kaakkoisella saaren pohjoisosa on suuremmat kiihkösaarnaiset alueet. Tämä liittyy järjestäen ledran lääniämiestä ja järjestäen uutisoinnissa suuremmat kiihkösaarnaiset alueet. Tämä liittyy järjestäen ledran lääniämiestä ja järjestäen uutisoinnissa suuremmat kiihkösaarnaiset alueet.
Dansk journalist indtrot fra Dancon III

Når man skal skrive om sit indtryk af de danske soldater på Cypern, kan man ikke lade være med at indtage med at se, hvad de øvrige omkringværende stridende oplysninger skulle fløre men grundigt. Jeg er glad for, at jeg er en del af den danske soldater, og jeg bærer med mig tre daglige eksperience, som jeg vil følge med mig videre.

Jeg ønsker, at endnu flere danskere fik lejlighed til at komme til Cypern og se, at der er mangel på kravle og helse. Folk, der har været i de varme lande, børde få mulighed for at se, hvordan der er en lang streng af græsk-strringer, 30 og 50 grader i skyggen. Forholdene kan ikke sammenf

Men det var ikke allerede.


For det er jo, skal gueore. Længst de fleste havde mistet det. Arbejdet skal ydelgjøre gørne godte.

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Irish News:

Move to Paphos is welcomed.

The move to Paphos has been welcomed by the 42 Irish 3s. They enjoyed their stay in the Morphe Area. The large Paphos District entains a great variety of military tasks and has much more to offer in the line of scenic beauty, beaches and places of history.

This is a great opportunity to improve the community's welfare. They are now in a way that the fact that all species of the community have now got used to the Irish approach which started with the 4 Inf Gp whose place the 5 Inf was not so dramatic.

The Custodian in Cyprus in August does not encourage the troops to actively engage in the activities of hurling and Gaelic football. The government of the Mediterranean have used simple combinations while the area around Aphrodite's Rock is used to train to fully occupy the amateur centre.

The lifting of the embargo on the rock is a major development in the area. In addition, the government of the Mediterranean has used a combination of legal and illegal methods to train and control the rock.

LOGISTICS, SIGNALS

"Blue Beret" wishes to apologize to the readers of the Logistic Officer, USAF, and the Signals Officer, USAF, for any inaccuracies in published material.

In that edition, pictures of both the Logistic Officer and the Signals Officer were not published, as they were not present at the meeting.
Finns win swimming shield

Goldberg announcement to Special Committee

US will not press past peace-keeping payments nor no-vote issue at U.N.

The United States declared on Monday that it would not further insist that those Member States in arrears as a result of non-payment of peace-keeping assessments be deprived of their votes in the United Nations General Assembly.

In making this announcement to the 33-nation Special Committee set up by the General Assembly to examine all aspects of U.N. peace-keeping operations, Ambassador Arthur Goldberg said that the United States in no way abandoned its position that costs of such peace-keeping operations as those involved in the Congo and the Middle East were of a collective financial responsibility to be shared as apportioned by the Assembly. This proposition, he added, had been confirmed by the International Court of Justice and accepted by an overwhelming vote in the Assembly.

The United States, Ambassador Goldberg said, had "regrettably" concluded, however, that at this stage in its history the Assembly was not prepared to carry out these relevant provisions of the Charter. He said his Government regretted that the unwillingness of a few Member States to abide by the rule of law had led the Organization to its present crisis. But he said, the United States would not seek to frustrate the consensus of its Members at the cost of immobilizing the General Assembly in these troubled days.

At the same time, said Ambassador Goldberg, there could be no "double standard". If any Member State could insist on making an exception to its financial responsibility with respect to certain U.N. activities, he declared, "the United States reserves the same option to make exceptions if, in our view, strong and compelling reasons exist for doing so".

The U.S. Ambassador spoke in a meeting of the 33-nation Special Committee set up by the General Assembly to examine all aspects of U.N. peace-keeping operations and their financing — past, present and future. The Committee was set up following an impasse which led the Assembly to refrain from voting on any substantial issue before it recessed last February. This was done to avoid confronation on the application of a Charter provision which states that Members more than two years in arrears in their payments to the U.N. shall have no vote in the Assembly. The Soviet Union and France are among the number of States listed as being in arrears as a result of non-payment of what the World Court advised were expenses to be apportioned by the Assembly.

Security Council to meet on Dominica

A meeting of the U.N. Security Council has been set for today, Wednesday, 18 August, on the question of the Dominican Republic.

Last week, a request for a meeting was received from the authorities of Col. Caamaño in the Dominican Republic.

The letter of request was signed by Mr. Jottin Curie as foreign minister of the "Constitutionalist Government," who complained of aggressive actions on the part of the Inter-American peace force.

EXIT NIC ZONE

UNFICYP, with District Headquarters also in Nicosia.

The new districts which coincide with the present battalion boundaries of the Queen's Own Rifles of Canada, DANCUN and FINCON, will become operational on the first of September, when the present Nicosia Zone Headquarters will cease to exist.

In making this announcement, the Commander of the Forces said he wanted to pay warm tribute to the present and past Commanders and staff of Nicosia Zone for the "valuable and excellent" services rendered to UNFICYP since it became operational in the Force on 27 March last year.