AUSTRALIAN AND BRITISH MEDAL PARADES

The armoured cars of A Squadron The Life Guards led the drive and march pasts on the British Contingent medal parade (see also page 4).

NEW DCOS ARRIVES

In the picture above the officers of the Australian Police Contingent are seen just after they had received their medals. They are from the left, Chief Inspector J Jamieson, Inspector N Millward, Chief Inspector D Storey, Inspectors B Head, P Cole and G Brodie, Sgts D Cotterell, I Redman, I Beard, J Travers, C Hallinan, J Cummins, Inspector P Dodkin and Sgts C Medlock.

Colonel A J G D de Chastein CD took over the appointment of Deputy Chief of Staff in HQ UNFICYP last week. Colonel de Chastein commanded the 2nd Battalion Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry in Winnipeg from 1970 to 1973. He previously served in UNFICYP from April to September 1968.
Parliamentary Elections in Sweden

On Sunday 19 September elections took place in Sweden. However, before that day the votes of the Swedish Contingent were collected and sent to the Swedish Embassy in Cairo first and then, with those of the Swedish Contingent in UNICEF to Sweden.

Voting took place in "The House of Justice" at Carl Gustaf Camp under the supervision of legal adviser Ulf Hallen and Provost Marshall John Persson. A very high poll was recorded with voters coming from both Carl Gustaf and Gold Y Camps. In all, 313 out of a possible 426 votes were cast, which was a very good percentage.

I "Juristhuset" på Carl Gustaf Camp var det väl och röster för huvudsakens del. I tid före den tikta valgången hemsattes i Sverige.

Valfrkorutan Ulf Hallen och John Persson sade att det var mycket litet valbefästet, 313 av 426 valande ansåg att det var en riktig röst.

Efter röstningen hittades väl

The picture shows some soldiers from the 40th Company exercising their voting rights. As the table legal advisor Ulf Hallen.

WITH SKIS TO NISSI BEACH

Skiing in Cyprus — no wonder all the passersby stop and stare as WO Gillian Hellinga goes down to Nissi Beach. It is all part of the WO Hellinga's training programme, and though it may look odd going cross country on roller-skis it is the only way he can prepare for the winter competitions in Sweden while serving in Cyprus.

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BRITISH CONTINGENT MEDAL PARADE AT NICOSIA

The second British Contingent Medal Parade took place on the edge of the Nicosia airfield on the evening of Tuesday 7 September 1976. The Parade, commanded by Lieutenant Colonel C E W Jones the CO of the 1st Battalion The Royal Green Jackets, consisted of A Squadron The Life Guards, three Guards formed from Letter B, Letter C and HQ Companies of The Royal Green Jackets and a composite Medal Party under the command of SSM Obe of 8 Sqn RCT. It was held in the presence of His Excellency Mr D McD Gordon CMG and a large number of distinguished guests from the other Contingents. The British High Commission and Sovereign Base Areas. After the Force Commander Lieutenant General D Frome Chandler had been received with a general salute the helicopters of the UN Flight Army Air Corps and the Detachment of 84 Squadron RAF led by Major D Thornehill gave their salute during a fly past.

A Squadron The Life Guards hand over to B Squadron 15th/19th The Kings Royal Hussars

Last week A Squadron The Life Guards handed over the duties of the Force Reserve to B Squadron of 15th/19th The Kings Royal Hussars. Major R F Beddals the Leader of A Squadron said "he had enjoyed the tour and his men were looking forward to leave and getting back to Scorpion". B Squadron under Major Jim Knox have come to Cyprus from Tidworth, where they have only been for a short while since completing an 18 month tour in Ulster.

SALT LAKE LARNACA


The life of an Armenian farmer on the Salzsee is hard and dangerous. The farmers spend their days working in the salt mines, where they live and work in small, cramped spaces. The work is physically demanding and can be dangerous.

PATROUILLENLAUF AM SALZSEE

CANCON NEWS

Summer is drawing to a close and with it the end of tour for 2PFCL. Our inter-company sports program which includes softball and volleyball is culminating with high calibre playoff matches. Presentation of awards for individual achievement during the tour is also underway. Many CANCON members who embarked on individual athletic programs in April such as swimming, running gymnastics, and weight lifting have successfully completed them. Those who joined hobby clubs such as sky diving, scuba, gliding, and the model aircraft club, have for the most part completed their qualifications. Many members of CANCON will return home with new interests and skills which they have developed here in Cyprus.

Cpl W.R. Morgan an actual member of the model airplane club, with two of the club's planes.

Major L.H. Gray Officer Commanding A Company presents Pte F.J. Ethier with his drivers licence at the completion of a drivers course.

NIPPA-NAPPA-TAPPIO MINIMAAOTTELUSSA


Keskiyönä jutteilla paljon jokaisen sotilassa Lemmiksesta, leirin ja näistä Lamivaarasta, mukaan laita, osoittautui jokin kolmas järjestely hänellä Voovan, vas. Ilm Grabrier (Auskon), Ilm Wüthrer (Dancon), Ilm Höglund (Swecon), maj von Fieandt (Kotoppi), maj Jonsson (Swecon), kapit Puchinger (Uncyp) ja yli Sallustio (Fincon).

KORKEAN TASON VIERAILU PATALJOONASSA

ENGLISH SUMMARY

Athletic contest between Swedish and Fincon took place at Ayios Nikolas sports ground on 4 September. The competition was hard as usual in a contest between Finns and Swedes. This time Swedish won 84-81. In the picture above left Wodi Palm is seen long-jumping. A Welfare Officers meeting took place at Tjikos camp on 9 September. In the picture above, on the right, some of the participants are seen in front of Fincon's Officers Mess. From the left: Lt Grabrier (Auskon), Lt Wüthrer (Dancon), Lt Höglund (Swecon), Maj von Fieandt (Kotoppi), Maj Jonsson (Swecon), Capt Puchinger (Uncyp) and Lt Sallustio (Fincon). A VIP visit from Finland took place at Fincon on 13 September. Nine Members of Parliament came to see the Battalion. In the picture on the left, the MPs are seen in Fincon's hospital being briefed by Medical Officer Heikki Laspo. The next day, the MPs left Cyprus for final to continue their tour by visiting the final Battalion at UNEF.

FORCE COMMANDER PRESENTS MEDALS TO AUSTCIVPOL

The Australian Civilian Police Contingent held their Medal Parade at Kokkinia Trimithia two weeks ago, when, in the presence of His Excellency Mr B Savage, the Acting Australian High Commissioner in Cyprus, the Force Commander presented United Nations Medals to the members of the Contingent.

In the pictures above Great Britain's Colonel in Command is seen left as he was received with a general salute, and right as he presented Inspector Peter Cole with his medal.

ROAD RELAY SPONSORED BY MILITARY POLICE COMPANY

Last week the Military Police Company organised a relay race between four teams — the MP Company, the PFCCL Logistics Company, 8 Squadron RCT and an Officers Mess team. The course was over a road route of about 1000 yards. Inspector Dohkin, one of the first runners for the Officers Mess team set the fastest time of 10 minutes 18 seconds for the course. The result was close and afterwards the runners (seen on the right) were entertained by the MP Company.

TRAFFIC STATISTICS

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