MR LIU VISITS UNFICYP

On 14th January a new regiment was formed in the British Contingent of UNFICYP when the UNFICYP Support Regiment was formed to replace Camp Headquarters and to administer the British minor units that support the Sections.

Major M.K.D. Coton, Royal Anglian, the former Camp Commander, now becomes the second-in-command of this new regiment. He was seen shortly after the regiment’s formation outside its Headquarters in Camp UNFICYP.

The existence of this new regiment will not cause any change in the operational role or tasking of any of the small units, neither is any of them expected to move from their existing locations.

(Further details on page four).
Kun sjældent lykken det at samle det danske MP-hold. Men her er det lykkedes — alle 15 mindst inkl. KN E.B. Larsen. De udgør en velst del af det, mange kalder UNFICYP's eneste virkelige internationale militære enhed UN MICOY. I denne enhed er der repræsentanter for alle de lande, der har soldater under blaa beret paa Cyprus. Vi kan møde vores landsmænd ikke etlev paa parad i by og paa land, men også som ved "Futbol" i Nicosia.

All the members of the Danish military police in Cyprus—12 plus Captain E.B. Larsen. "Because of their shift duties this is a very rare picture.

DANCON NEWS

Lørdag den 15 blev en ny løb-bane indviet i Viking Camp. I den sidste dag var hele STKMP samlet, kastede om i træningset og løbssø, før et overvåget indkørsel og det efterfølgende æresvand, hvor CH-DANCON løb i opdyrk. På billedet ses CH-DANCON OL. P.B. Kroger i hvide bane.

On January 15th a new running course was opened in Viking Camp by the Commanding Officer Colonel P.B. Kroger.

DANCON har fået ny O-Officer. MAJ K. Rasmussen er blevet afløst af MAJ J. Christensen. På billedet ses O-Officiererne ud på sport.

DANCON has got a new Operations Officer. Major J. Christensen (left) was pictured while he was taking over from Major K. Rasmussen (right).

Sport swedish style
matches and exercise

Physical Training should always play an important part in a battalion's life, and in the Swedish Battalion there are plenty of keen sportsmen. Some take part in competitions such as football, squash, badminton and so on, but the majority are content to train independently on the cross-country track around the camp, or in the weight-lifting rooms. The Sports Officer has started a training session for those who wish to loss surplus kilos and go back to Sweden in a better physical shape. This programme lasts half an hour, and he guarantees that everyone who trains three times a week will become a lot slimmer. As can be seen in the pictures, the participants take the training seriously.

The Swedish Contingent's soccer team is fit and trains very hard, and stands a good chance of winning their group of the UNFICYP soccer competition. The match against AUSCON ended in a draw, while BRITCON were soundly defeated by 4 goals to one. In the pictures you can see the BRITCON goalkeeper in difficulties.
FORMATION OF UNFICYP SUPPORT REGIMENT

On the 14th January Lieutenant Colonel D L Seddon RCT became the first Commanding Officer of the UNFICYP Support Regiment, the newest addition to the list of regiments in the British Army.

This regiment is the second support unit in the Army, the other being the United Kingdom Support Unit at SHARE in Belgium. It will also join two other operational administrative regiments in the Army's order of battle — the Airborne and the Commando Logistic Regiments.

Like its namesake in Belgium the UNFICYP Support Regiment has been formed to improve the administration and efficiency of the small British units based in Lebanon to support the United Nations Force. These include the Engineer Detachment 644 Signal Troop, the Army Air Corps Flight, the Transport Squadron the Medical Centre, the Ordnance Detachment and the Workshops.

The biggest change caused by the formation of this regiment is that 644 Signal Troop becomes a squadron. Major D F B Armitage, the Force Signals Officer, assumes the additional job of squadron commander, and the former Troop Commander Captain K G Darby becomes the squadron second in command.

The formation of this new regiment will not cause any changes in the operational role of any of the small units, neither is it any of them expected to move from their existing locations.

RELAY STATION SNOWED IN

Now that the snow has finally arrived on Mount Olympus the relay station maintained by 644 Signal Squadron up there is well and truly snowed in. The shoe trees (seen here) haven’t had so much snow on it that the shoes left by previous operators can barely be seen. This doesn’t seem to affect Signalmans Steve James pictured on the right who is enjoying the first snowstorm of the season perched in the tourists paradise.

WUSSTEN SIE SCHON?

After a successful tour, our OPS-A, Capt. Bauer, leaves the island for take-over as 2C of a AAG-unit in Austria again.

The "Einisse Wolf" (as he himself preposterously still calls himself) is on his third time in the military, his other postings were in Germany and Switzerland. He is looking forward to seeing his family again and hopes to have a good time in Austria.

ALARMÜBUNG BEIM AUSCON


AUSCON recently held a practice alarm throughout the whole of Sector 5, everybody was involved and everybody acted with calm and enthusiasm.

WIEDER "4 IM JEEP"


MP-Detachment Larnaca in action, we hope the work-ticket was all right.

FUSSBALLMEISTERSCHAFT

Wieder Tor für AUSCON! 20 mal maß der gegnerische Torwart den Ball aus dem Netz holen, der eigene Torwart konnte 4 Schüsse in die Hinspielen! Ein schöner Erfolg ging in das Toröffnungsgeschehen mit unseren fünf Torwärtspremieren.

Goal again! After four rounds in the UNFICYP competition AUSCON's soccer team is still very successful.
MISS CANADA IN NICOSIA

During the past few weeks, CANCON has been settling back into the work routine after the holiday period. Facewell was the host to the cast of the Rothman’s Show, but not before Miss Canada visited soldiers on duty in different parts of the Sector. She enjoyed meeting soldiers from her home province of Saskatchewan.

The cast returned to Germany and Canada by Canadian Forces aircraft, the same craft used to transport personnel to and from Germany on leave.

Also in this month several members were rotated back to Canada. These personnel were presented with their UN Medals and received farewell from both the Commander and Deputy Commander of the Canadian Contingent before they left Cyprus.

CANCON’s major unit, 3 RCR, was visited by a Recce party from the Donedite Regiment Blindia du Canada (12 RBC), due to replace them in April. Led by their Commanding Officer, Lt Col Godfrey, the Recce party consisted of key appointments in the unit.

After familiarizing themselves with their area, they returned to Canada on 19 January.

On 21st January 1977 the Force Commander, Major General J.J. Quinn, was the inspecting officer at the Canadian’s Medal Parade. On this parade he presented medals to officers and men of the 3rd Battalion The Royal Canadian Regiment.

The first medal General Quinn presented to Force Commander went Lieutenant R.G. Sims.

THE FIRST MEDAL

Back to Canada

Mini Medal Parade

The PBC Recce Party

Rothman’s cast and personnel on leave boarded a Hercules C-130 for Lake, Germany.

A small medal parade for those shortly returning to Canada was held at Wofsley Barracks.

12 RBC Recce party led by Lt. Col Godfrey.

MIEHIA TYÖNSÄ AARESSÄ

Hammoissä käri on joissakin maissa tässä ajoissa usein täytettyä ajoa varten käytettävissä ratkaisuista. Pitkäaikaista yksityisiä varten käytettäviä ratkaisuja on yli 300 kunnissa. Sivuhaastien ohessa käytetään usein tällaisia ratkaisuja ja varastoidaan niitä erillisissä tiloissa ja eri paikoissa.

Kakta 40 linjaa kruunusti sanottu tila on kolmannessa maassa. Yleisesti käytetään usein samoihin tarkoituksiin. Eri maissa käytetään erilaisia ratkaisuja ja varastoidaan niitä eri paikoissa ja tarkoituksiin. Eri maissa käytetään erilaisia ratkaisuja ja varastoidaan niitä eri paikoissa ja tarkoituksiin.
UNCIVPOL NEWS

Recently the Police Advisor Assistant Commissioner J Hamilton OBE QPM visited Sector Six and toured a part of the Buffer Zone with a patrol from the Force Reserve. He chose one of the worst days, and so saw the patrol track at its worst.

He is seen above with Major J S Knox the squadron commander of B Squadron 15th/16th Kings Royal Hussars at the Salamis Canton Garden just before setting off.

SOCCER COMPETITION KICKS OFF

The biggest score has been recorded by Auscon, whose team beat Cancon by ten goals to nil.

The annual soccer tournament has started with the twelve teams divided into two leagues.

The positions after three games had been played were:

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SKI TRAINING STARTS

Now that there is enough snow on Mount Olympus the ski courses have started for beginners, while the more expert performers have begun to train for the Force Skiing Competition which will take place in February.

The Austrian contingent have kindly sent WO1 Erwin Strachnik and Lance Corporal Rudolf Haaasenauer to teach the British contingent how to stay upright on skis. WO1 Strachnik is seen above showing his class how to turn, while on the right one of his students seems to be enjoying a new skill.

TRAFFIC STATISTICS

2 Weeks ending 22 Jan
Same period last year
Total for the year
Total for the same period last year

WOODS

LESONS OF THE MONTH
Drive Dangerously and Die
Drive Safely and Survive.