USO SHOW PROVES BIG SUCCESS

THE United States show "Spotlight Revue", was performed before an audience of nearly 800 UNFICYP personnel on Thursday, 15 October, in the hangar at HQ UNFICYP.

Rod Rogers — Comedian, Joane Starr — Dancer, Patsy Rees — Singing and Comedy, The Gerick Twins (Lee and Lou) — Singing, Dancing and Novelty, and last but not least, The Chuck Burgess Trio (Chuck Burgess — Piano, Johnny Adams — Electric Bass and Guitar, Bill Price — Drums) form the cast of this very well balanced show.

Everyone thoroughly enjoyed themselves, but there were two numbers which really brought the house down. Both involved audience participation.

The first was when Patsy Rees lured L Cpl Eddie Calais, of the Royal Signals, onto the stage and invited him, in song, to "put his arms around her and hold her tight." With which Eddie complied in no uncertain manner. Patsy comes over beautifully whether she is singing, dancing or even just talking, and I am sure that there would have been no lack of volunteers to take Eddie's place.

The second came when the Gerick Twins (Lee and Lou, or is it Lou and Lee? I'm not certain which way as they're identical) grabbed two senior members of the audience and had them join them in a 'twist'.

The two assistants could really shake a leg, or do I mean show it?

Rod Rogers, assisted by the delectable Joane Starr, compared the show and proved himself to be a good comedian with a fine sense of timing.

The Chuck Burgess Trio accompanied all the acts and provided two musical interludes which gained good rounds of applause.

"Spotlight Revue", which is making a tour, under the auspices of the United Services Organisation, of United States bases in the Eastern and Western Mediterranean, arrived in Cyprus from Turkey on 14 October. Besides playing in Cyprus and Turkey the show, which has already been on the road for six weeks, will play in Spain, Morocco, Crete, Greece, Italy and the Azores. The show is expected to return to the United States in approximately mid-November.

Our thanks must go to the organising committee and the United Services Organisation for giving us a very entertaining evening.

The show returned to Turkey on Saturday, 17 October, and I am sure that everyone joins me in wishing them a safe journey and much success for the rest of their tour.
**FESTIVALS IN CYPRUS — EPHYPHANY**

The customs, traditions and superstitions connected with Eastern Orthodox Christmas, or Epiphany, are of great interest.

On the evening of Epiphany Eve, which is celebrated on 5 January, every household will take to church a small receptacle containing pure, blessed water in order to bless the water during the evening of Epiphany Day.

The housewife will bake the wheat which she prepared on New Year's Eve for St. Basil's Day. And she will prepare a plate with Kallikardzoura — a type of bread made with almonds, dates, raisins and honey — and a lit candle, a “light not to the plate containing the Kallikardzoura, she will put the bread and the wine in a saucer, and she will keep the small receptacle with pure water and the lit candle on the table near the door of the house, so that the doorbell will ring and the door will open to receive the Holy Spirit on New Year's Eve.

In some villages there is an interesting tradition connected with the sprinkling of the waters. It is believed that many evils will fall on the last house to visit the festival, and particularly if this happens to be the same house in two consecutive years. This will not be accepted by the housewife, and she will lock the door and depart when she sees the priest approach.

As soon as the bells chime on Epiphany day all members of the family are expected to attend church.

The ceremony of the blessing of the waters is magnificently performed in the village church, as the weather permits — or otherwise, in the church. After the ceremony, the housewives will bring water — as much as they can — in lit candles or lamps — in the church. They will then go home to sprinkle the water on all parts of the house. Then they will walk about the house, singing hymns in memory of the dead people of the family, and, after blessing the table, take some koulouria which is left on the table for him and go away.

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LORD STRATHCONA'S HORSE

(ROYAL CANADIANS)

(Allied with: 27th/South Lancs)

Regimental March: "Soldiers of the Queen"

Motto: PERSEVERANCE

A" Squadron, The Canadian Mounted Rifles, was organized on 1 July 1901. It was redesignated: "The Royal Canadian Mounted Rifles", 1 Oct. 1903; "Strathcona's Horse (Royal Canadians)", 1 May 1911; "2nd Armoured Regiment (Lord Strathcona's Horse (Royal Canadians)) RCAC", 16 Oct. 1946; "Lord Strathcona's Horse (Royal Canadians) (2nd Armoured Regiment)", 2 Mar. 1949; and "Lord Strathcona's Horse (Royal Canadians)", 19 May 1958.

Early History. The Regiment perpetuates the title of Strathcona's Horse, which served in the South African War, 1899-1902. Capt A.H.L. Richardson, Strathcona's Horse won the VC on 3 July 1900.

First World War, 1914-1918

The Regiment was mobilized in Sep. 1914 and was dispatched to England in Oct., and to France in May 1915. It served until the armistice, as infantry with the 1st Canadian Cavalry Brigade with the British Cavalry Corps. Two VCs were won by members of the Regiment: Lt W.M.F. Harvey, on 27 Mar. 1917, and Lt G.M. Flewellyn, on 30 Mar. 1918.

Second World War, 1939-1945

The Regiment was placed on active service on 3 Sep. 1939. In July 1940 Headquarters and one squadron were mobilized together with Headquarters and one squadron of the Royal Canadian Dragoons to form the 1st Canadian Armoured Division. In Nov. 1940 the Regiment was assigned to the Canadian Armoured Corps and moved to England in Dec. 1940. It was redesignated "2nd Armoured Regiment (Lord Strathcona's Horse (Royal Canadians))") and 11 Feb. 1941.

It was dispatched to England in Nov. 1941, and in Nov. 1941 to Italy, where it fought in an armoured role as a unit of the 5th Armoured Brigade, 5th Canadian Armoured Division. In Feb. 1945 the Regiment moved to North-West Europe where it fought in its armoured role until the end of the war. The Regiment returned to Canada 2 Jan. 1946.


The Brigade Major, Nicosia Zann, pointing out the position of the Green Line to the Commander of the Finnish Contingent. 2nd left.

BATTLE HONOURS

South Africa, 1900-1901


(Battle Honours selected for enlargement are in italics.)

MAJOR J.B.S. ROSE, CD

Commanding Officer

Recognition Squadrons, Lord Strathcona's Horse (Royal Canadians).

Major J.B.S. Rose, CD was born June 27, 1959 at Vancouver. British Columbia. He received his education there and graduated from the University of British Columbia in 1982. He attended the British Army Staff College at Camberley, England in 1981.

He was commissioned into the Royal Canadian Armoured Corps in September 1981 and joined his Regiment in May 1982. Major Rose has served with his Regiment in Calgary, Alberta: Headquarters 1st Canadian Infantry Brigade Group in Germany; Headquarters 2nd Canadian Infantry Brigade Group in Camp Gagetown, Oshawa, Ont.

He was promoted to rank of Major and appointed Commanding Officer of the REIC's 'D' Squadron for service with the United Nations Peace Keeping Force in Cyprus, arriving in September.

He is married to the former Alison Maynes Rose, who was born in December 1961. They have three sons, Michael, Timothy and Christopher.
THE UNITED NATIONS AT WORK

HURTING THE GAME

When the United Nations was created, it was
promised to be free from political manipulation.
But the body of President Kennedy, a man
trusted by many for his honesty and integrity,
had this to say of the United Nations:

"The United Nations is very inefficient.
We cannot, however, expect too much from
a body that is continually subject to political
manipulation." (The Daily Mirror, March 11, 1963)

The United Nations is a body that has
been created to prevent war and promote
diplomacy. It was founded in 1945 with the
aim of maintaining international peace and
colaboration.

MEMBERSHIP

The United Nations consists of 193 member
countries, each of which has the right to vote
in the General Assembly. The majority of
voting is required to adopt any resolution.

UNESCO

UNESCO, the United Nations Educational,
Scientific, and Cultural Organization, was
established in 1945 to promote peace through
education, science, and culture. It has
over 195 member states.

The Future of the United Nations

The future of the United Nations is uncertain.
Many members of the United Nations are
dissatisfied with its current role and
functioning. Some members are calling for
reform to make the United Nations more
effective.

Conclusion

The United Nations is a unique and
treasureous organization. Its achievements
have been significant, but it is not without its
problems. The future of the United Nations
remains uncertain, but it is hoped that it will
continue to contribute to world peace and
collaboration.
by the Board of Governors of the Bank but must still be confirmed by the 1965 Conference of FAO.

It also unanimously adopted a proposal of its own committee, made last July, that the activities under the Freedom-From-Hunger Campaign be continued until the end of the United Nations development decade in 1967. The World Food Programme has received additional pledges totalling nearly one million dollars in cash and commodities, from the United Kingdom and the Netherlands. Total pledges are now more than 92 million dollars in commodities, cash and services.

The World Food Programme of the United Nations and the Food and Agriculture Organization is sending 144,000 dollars worth of food to Uganda to meet emergency needs of refugees from the Sudan and Rwanda.

ANSWERS TO CROSSWORD PUZZLE IN ISSUE No. 86:

ACROSS:
1. Tallyho 2. A.A.F.
6. Lot 3. Llama
9. Value 4. Lures
10. Dine 5. Year
11. Fadad. 6. Lit
13. Item. 7. One
15. Merits 8. Tempest
17. Alas. 10. Distaff
18. Gate 12. Digestion
20. Tenen's 14. Farewell
22. Eagles 16. Tan
25. Ar 20. Teat
29. Ark 23. Giant
31. Lino 27. Lie
32. Let 28. So
33. Antena 29. Ann

CROSSWORD

1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8
9 10 11 12 13
14 15 16 17 18
19 20 21 22 23
24 25 26 27

1. Scatters the wallowing females
3. This cutter is a cousin of
5. To alter your curve, diet,
7. Finds fault with the charges
12. A really fruity bit of
14. Figure that is less sensitive
16. Golden road standing firm
18. Why should V.L.P.s picnic
19. The optimist's goaling
21. I get mixed about men in the allowance;
24. Started a bloomer
25. In a chair next to queen
26. If gin stays somehow, it'll be as much as you want
27. Bird that wasn't satisfied with building mere nests

DOWN:
1. The drink that ends with one over the eight is fatal
2. It isn't my big end that
4. Prayer in a dictator is one
5. To do far more than brown
6. The medical profession is inclined to get me down
7. Out of circulation, in the drawing room?
8. Adventurous spots
10. Visiting political agents—a danger to the furniture stores
13. Got the thread, apparently, and agreed
15. I skim through the drink quite mechanically
17. Of yore many volunteers joined it
20. Bed to go—successively
22. Put out of sight in the top of a terebinth-tree
23. Overturn the favourite?

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Hear about the judge who visited his dentist and made him swear to pull the tooth, the whole tooth and nothing but the tooth?

"Then there was the country girl who said she felt like a young colt—but she looked more like an old '48."

"The trouble is, Doctor, I can't remember anything from one moment to the next."

"I see. When did this start?"

"When did what start?"

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