ATTENTION PHOTOGRAPHERS

The "official" contingent photographers are very busy not taking pictures for the "Blue Beret". However, there must be many soldiers taking pictures of the attractive Cyprus scene. If you take a picture which you think is good enough why not let us have a copy of it and if it is published it will be done under your name. The address to send them is "MPZO, HQ UNFICYP".

Do remember, however, the restrictions on photography in Cyprus as published in Routine Orders.

REDUCTION OF THE BLUE BERET

As part of the general drive for economy in order to reduce costs of UNFICYP, the "BLUE BERET" will in future be published once fortnightly.

The first issue under the new scheme will be on Wednesday 5 June, 1974.

TRAFFIC ACCIDENTS-UNFICYP

| Week Ending 24 May, 1974 | 3 |
| Same Period Last Year | 4 |
| Total This Year | 109 |
| Same Period Last Year | 125 |

Main Cause of Accidents this week:-

DRIVING WITHOUT DUE CARE AND ATTENTION.

SUMMER SPORTS

The summer sports programme will shortly get under way, the first event being the Inter-Contingent Athletics meeting organized by Auscon in Larnaca.

It is hoped to hold the Swimming Competition again in the pool at Royal Air Force Nicosia, and if so, it will be run by Camp UNFICYP who are also running the Tennis Championships at Blue Beret Camp at the moment.

Dates for all these events will be announced in the near future.

300 NEWS CARS

Since the last issue of the Blue Beret 300 more cars have come onto the roads of Cyprus. 300 more reasons to drive with care!
**KONTINGENTET SKIFTEDE CHEF 17 MAJ**

**Overstasjonstjener C.J. K. Severinsen foran et utvalg av officerere av hold XXI. Alle er i jomfru ansatte, idet de er generalfanger for hold XXI.**


**BESØG FRA DANMARK**


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**Swedcon News**

**Swedcon Forces Photos**

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**LEIVERESORNA - IGEN**

INTRODUCING THE COLDSTREAM GUARDS

The Chief of Staff, Brigadier F. R. Henn, CBE, accompanied by the Senior Political Adviser, Mr. J. A. Miles, recently paid his first official visit to the Coldstream Guards at Palmeisha Camp.

After a short briefing the visitors toured the camp to see how the Coldstream are settling into their new surroundings.

In our picture to the right the visitors are seen arriving at the helipad. From left to right: the Commanding Officer, Lieutenant Colonel the Hon. Christopher Willoughby, the Regimental Sergeant Major, Warrant Officer Class 1 Arthur Longshaw, Mr. J. A. Miles, Brigadier F. R. Henn, CBE, the Adjutant, Captain Edward Amisstead and the Officer Commanding B Squadron, 4/7th Royal Dragoon Guards, Major Roddy Evans.

Warrant Officer Class 2 Roger Motherwen, the Signals Warrant Officer, about to board the helicopter prior to take-off for his regular check of radio communications in the OPs.

The District Commander at Paphos, Major Richard Macfarlane, pictured in his office.

After his recruit training, Guardsmen Steve Leakebarrow joined the Battalion just one week before departure to Cyprus. He is seen here manning a roof top OP in Limassol.

Captain Richard Greenley, the Coldstream Guards Station Officer at Paphos, appears to have successfully balanced the Company books (again!).

110°C IN CAMP LEOPOLD

Seit einigen Tagen ist Camp Leopold um eine Attraktion reicher: eine richtige Sauna steht uns nun zur Verfügung. Unsere unermüdlichen Patienten haben sie in nennenswerten Zeiten gebaut, unterstützt durch eine freudige Spendenaktion aller Dienstränge.


WUSSTEN SIE SCHON,

dass unser Campkommandant und Betreungsinspektor, Maj Nagi, sich niemals von seiner Pflicht trennt und daher auch den Beinamen "Maj Maigret" führt?

Mjr Nagi, Artillerie, kommt aus Wien und ist im Zivilberuf Textilkaufmann. Sowohl in seiner Eigenschaft als Campkommandant als auch als Betreungsinspektor hat er nicht wenig Sorgen, er beschäftigt Pisten, verwaltet und verteilt das Betreuungsgerät, besorgt Theatekarten, Visa, Tickets etc. Nicht zuletzt führt er unsere Bibliothek. All dies tut er mit großer persönlicher Einsatz und sorgfältiger Fürsorge.

AUSCON NEWS
After many long and warm weeks the pool at the Junior Ranka Chimo Club was finally opened with a grand flourish on Saturday the 18th of May.

The ceremonies commenced at the main gate of Blue Beret Camp as relay teams from all the companies did battle along the road to Wesleys Barracks for the honour of being the first across the line and into the pool. The Race Plateau "Grenelle", representing Headquarters Company were the eventual winners.

The water was then "clarified" by a short inter-company water-polo competition and the Headquarter Company team came out on top.

The ceremonies concluded with a recital of modern dance, music, courtesy of the Commando Group Band, the Karoon Berret, and finally the officers were "invited" to go for a swim in the newly opened pool. All in all it was a successful day.

- These well dressed Engineers are repairing the Chimo Pool prior to the opening. Note the rigid position of Attention Corporal Jackson displays whilst emptying the wheelbarrow and the perfect A/E of Corporal Pfeifer raking the concrete.

- Trooper Dave Michaud on duty at the Nicoune switchboard at Wesleys Barracks.

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- The Chimo Pool opens with the water polo tournament.

- Happiness is making mud - Private Chemel and Gordon display their enthusiasm during the repairs to the Chimo Club Pool.

CHAPLAIN GENERAL VISITS CANCON

Conlon was recently honoured by the visit of the Chaplain General (P) for the Canadian Forces, Brigadier General R G C Cunningham... also an "old" jumper. In our picture Lieutentant Ben Guthrie is seen explaining the Welfare programme for the contingent to the General.

A WORD FROM HQ COY

This week the emphasis is on the good work and activities of the Communications Platoon. Well qualified and equipped, they are here to make sure communications are adequate. Hidden away in a small room in front of a telephone exchange, on the road repairing lines, operating radio or providing SEC, they are at work day and night.

The previous contingents did not have the specialised personnel to take care of communications as we do now, consequently our Comm PI work on many projects to improve communications.

VIERAITA FINCON'SSA

FINCONissa vieraili 19.20.05 rivitalaisen juoksija PVM soltiessaan osaaani ensimmäistä Aamiaistä entisä stadiassa. OLE raportointi on ollut järkevänleikunnainen. OLE kissa alkoi muokata oireitaan ja on otettu 1.5 kiloa. OLE saanut vartalot ja se on ollut suhteellisesti suhteellisesti hyvä.

SAKKI-TURNAUS

UpProveedoremus järjestää palat

On saanut paikoista ja taas

RUNSASTA OSANOTTOA TOIVOTTAAN

NEWS IN BRIEF

A Finnish delegation of Admiral Wilberg, Major Nieminen and five House Representatives visited FINCON 19th-20th May.

The Officers' Mess will arrange an open chess tournament for FINCON personnel. It will take place in June and will be played in the cup system.

The photos: The guests leaving for Cairo. FINCON again took over the grand duty in BBC. Training is an essential part of a soldier's life.
CHIEF OF STAFF VISITS BRITCON

The Chief of Staff, Brigadier P R Henn, CBE, recently paid his first official visit to Britcon in the Limassol Zone. He was accompanied by the Senior Political Adviser, Mr. J. A. Miles.

Our pictures show the visitors at the Town Office in Limassol with the Zone Commander, Lieutenant Colonel The Hon. Christopher Willoughby and the Limassol District Commander, Major Myfys Frisby.

NEW COMMANDER OF SWEDGIVPOL

The new Swedish Commander, Superintendent Ake Ekström, recently arrived in Cyprus and has been accompanied in the presentation by Superintendent Sven Hjalmarson who has already left the Island after serving for one year with UNFICYP.

MUSIC AT SALAMIS

The next month's concert of classical music at the ancient amphitheatre at Salamis will be on Wednesday, the 5th of June. The programme is as follows:

- Mozart - Marriage of Figaro - Overture
- Sibelius - Karelia Suite
- Schubert - Symphony No 5
- Handel - Organ Concerto No 2 in B
- Beethoven - Choral Fantasia

CHANGE OF COMMAND AT DANGON

Our picture shows Lieutenant Colonel C. J. K. Sorensen taking over from Lieutenant Colonel A. J. Adolph in the garden of the Officers' Mess in Viking Camp in Xeroy. The outgoing commander is going back to Denmark to take over the Danish UN Section.

The rotation of the contingent has finished and 215 men of all ranks have taken over the responsibilities from Dangcon XX in the Lefka District.