



290 MUJAHID REBELS SURRENDER

Rohinja Is One Of The Minorities Of The Union And Rohinjas Must Be Loyal

(By Our Staff Reporter)

Two hundred and ninety Mujahid insurgents led by President of the South Burmese Mujahid Party Mr. Soti Hlae surrendered en masse in a formal ceremony on July 4 at Mawngdaw in Mays Frontier District.

ABPWF Convention At Chauk

(By Our Staff Reporter)

The All Burma Petroleum Workers Federation is holding a 3-day convention at Chauk from July 14 to 16. The Convention, the first of its kind to be held, will be inaugurated by U Ba Htay, Chairman of the B.O.C. Board of Directors.

The Convention's main business will be to elect Executive Committee Members and to discuss and adopt the draft constitution of the Federation.

The meeting will also urge for the implementation of the recommendations contained in the report of the Commission formed during the Caretaker Government with regard to the revision of pay of employees. The provisional Executive Committee of the Federation had approved the report. The demand for a 3-month bonus for a year and improvement of conditions of service will also be considered.

The Rangoon BOC Head Office Union will be represented at the convention by President U Aung Pe, General Secretary Saw Wornat Hsing and six others. Donsendaw Union will be represented by Joint Secretary U Shwe Zao and three others.

State Religion Issue

(By Our Staff Reporter)

The Report of the State Religion Enquiry Commission submitted in December last has been under discussion for some time between the Government and the Advisory Committee of Dr. Ba U. Yesterday afternoon the last discussion took place at the Prime Minister's official residence. Among those who attended were Prime Minister U Nu, Thakin Tin, Dr. E Maung, U Ba Saw and U Thein Maung. The report will now be submitted to the Cabinet.

U.B.A. PLANE TURNED BACK FROM MOULMEIN

(By Our Staff Reporter)

UBA Plane XY-ADD which left for Tavoy and Mergui via Moulmein at 10.30 a.m. yesterday was forced to return to Rangoon when it ran into bad weather near Moulmein. Another UBA plane to Moulmein which left Rangoon earlier was however able to make the trip to Moulmein and return to Rangoon.

On the previous day also the UBA plane had to return to Rangoon because it found it impossible to take a landing at Moulmein because of bad weather.

Brigadier Aung Gyi, VCGB, in accepting the surrender emphasized that the Rohinjas were Union citizens and as members of the Union "family" they should foster "family spirit" and exhorted them to be loyal to the country.

The VCGB pointed out that like all other minorities such as Nagas, Shans, Kachins, Lisus, people of Chinese origin in Kachin and others who live on both sides of the 2000-mile long frontier, there are people of Chittagonian origin living on both sides of the border. As the Lisus on the Burma side of the frontier is taken as the Burmese citizens, similar status applies to the Rohinjas who have been residing on Burma side of the border for generations. But these minorities must be loyal to the Union, Brigadier Aung Gyi emphasized.

The Brigadier stressed that there was no discrimination in the Union against any race and spoke of the need for the Rohinjas to cooperate with the Army to establish the rule of law and restore peace and security in the country.

The VCGB also appealed to the Moulvi's to use their good influence and bring back to the legal fold those Mujahids who are still taking to insurgent activities.

The surrender ceremony was held at the Parade Ground, Mawngdaw. Although it was raining at the time, thousands of people started coming in to witness the scene as soon as the morning was light enough.

The VCGB and party including the Director General of the Frontier Areas Administration, Col. Saw Myint, Col. Khin Nyo and Thein Maung, Lt. Col. Hla Phone and Joint Director General of FAA U Khin Nyunt flew from Rangoon in a BAF plane on July 3 to attend the ceremony.

On arrival at Akyab the VCGB and party were met by Force Commander Lt. Col. Ye Gaung and Divisional Commissioner U Thein Hsing who joined the party and all set off for Mawngdaw where the surrender ceremony was to take place.

Over three thousand Rohinjas led by Moulvi's greeted the arrival of the party with welcoming arches and young Muslim and Rohinja girls presented bouquets to the arriving party. The Rohinjas constitute about 500,000 of the population of the Mays Frontier District.

The surrender ceremony was held in the rain but the people began arriving at the Parade Ground from very early morning.

After inspecting the Guard of Honour by the VCGB, the surrender ceremony was opened by Salute to the National Flag.

Then the VCGB inspected the surrendering Mujahids. After the inspection, the President of

ISRAEL LAUNCHES ROCKET

JERUSALEM (Israeli Sector), July 5 — The Israeli Defence Ministry announced today that Israel had launched a rocket to an altitude of 80 kilometres (50 miles).

A Defence Ministry spokesman said the rocket, called "Shavit Number Two", was launched for meteorological purposes from Israeli territory at 0241 GMT this morning in the presence of Premier David Ben-Gurion.

The spokesman said Israeli President Itzhak Ben-Zvi was informed later this morning.

The rocket was a 250-kilogram device operating on solid fuel. It was secretly manufactured in an Israeli laboratory.

Later Ben-Gurion announced that today's successful launching would be followed by the sending of larger rockets equipped with electronic instruments.

The rocket was launched from an undisclosed place somewhere on the Mediterranean coast.

Israel is the seventh country to have sent this sort of rocket into space, after the United States, the Soviet Union, Britain, France, Italy and Japan — AFP.

PREMIENT OPENS BULK WHARVES

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KNDO Leader Killed

(From Our Correspondent)

FA-AN, July 5 (By Telegram)—Four KNDOs including their leader Bo Shwe Daing were killed and several wounded when about sixty KNDOs raided two bunkers at Silonkwe village last night.

The two bunkers were defended by three Village Defence Force men each but they put up a stout resistance. In the two hour long engagement, the leader Bo Shwe Daing, who was wearing a pip on his shoulder, was killed and his body together with his carbine was captured by the Defence Force men.

With their leader killed, the KNDOs withdrew at about midnight. Only one Defence Force man, Aung Than, received injuries.

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PM's Press Conference

(By Our Staff Reporter)

The Prime Minister's Press Conference which is to be held tomorrow has been postponed to 10 a.m. on Tuesday, July 11.

U Chan Tun Aung Presents Swedish Press Code To PM

(By Our Staff Reporter)

A copy of the Press Code of Sweden has been recently submitted to Prime Minister U Nu and another copy forwarded to the Organizing Secretary of the Union Party, U Ohn, by U Chan Tun Aung, retired Chief Justice of the High Court and currently Chairman of the Public Services Enquiry Commission.

Copies of the Press Code of Sweden were brought back from Sweden by U Chan Tun Aung in the course of a tour of several countries to study the systems of civil administration obtaining in those countries.

HTEEDAN LABOUR ELECTION JULY 8

(By Our Staff Reporter)

In a communique issued to the Press yesterday, the Government announced that the postponed election of the Hteedan Foreshore Labourers' Special and Ordinary Gangs-in-charge would be held on Saturday, July 8 and that steps had been taken to deal with law-breakers and to afford security for those labourers voting on that day.

THAN TUN'S LETTER TO NU

Thakin Than Tun Wants Through Negotiations

Force Of Arms Will 'Civil War', Than Tun

Neutrality, Release Of Political Legalisation Of BCP, Points Fe

(By Our Staff Reporter)

In a letter addressed to the Prime Minister, Communist leader Thakin Than Tun reiterated his 'Through Negotiations', as his internal peace plan his desire to negotiate with the Government on strict neutrality, release of political prisoners, and other 'democratic' mass organizations.

Thakin Kodaw Hsain, Chairman of the Internal Peace Committee, through whom the letter was sent, issued a statement yesterday mentioning the gist of the contents of Thakin Than Tun's letter to U Nu. Thakin Than Tun is stated to have expressed that securing of peace through democratic means to be the only solution to problems confronting the Union. Peace could be achieved only through negotiation, and force of arms would not end the 'Civil War', the letter added.

The letter stated three points that Thakin Than Tun proposes for discussion with the Government: that of the neutral policy of the Government, release of

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(By Our Correspondent)

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LL. D. for U Thant

(By Our Staff Reporter)

The University of Rangoon will confer an Honorary Degree of Doctor of Laws (LL.D.) on U Thant, recently elected Secretary-General of the United Nations, according to sources close to the Chancellor of the University.

Four other prominent educationists are also tipped for Honorary Degrees, the same sources revealed.

Former Director of Public Instruction U Cho and Emeritus Professor of Philosophy, University of Rangoon, Dr. Hla Bu will receive the Honorary Degrees of Doctor of Literature (D. Litt.), while U Ba Than Tin, former Principal of the Rangoon Government High School, and U Ba Lwin, ex-Principal of the Myoma Co-educational School and former Minister to Ceylon, will receive Honorary M.A. Degrees.

Hsenwi Customs seize truck-load of contraband

(From Our Correspondent)

LASHIO, Nov. 9.—Chinese goods worth over K 10,000 were seized from a truck at the Customs gate at Hsenwi on November 8. The truck had come from Kyukok, on the frontier.

Normally, trucks from Kyukok have to pass through the Customs post at Monyu where the Customs has opened an inland branch Office. Searches were usually made at the Monyu camp of trucks coming from and going to the frontier. So the present seizure of the truck laden with contraband at Hsenwi has caused surprise to the authorities and necessary investigations are being made how the truck had passed the Monyu Customs post.

Driver of the truck, Mg Kyaw Win, had been arrested and handed over to the Police.

200 MUJAHIDS TO SURRENDER SOON

They capture their own leaders for surrender

(By Our Staff Reporter)

Over two hundred Mujahids with a considerable number of arms will be returning to the light soon. They have also captured their own leaders, Salai Ahmed and Shauffi, and are turning them in to the authorities.

The Frontier Administration has already made arrangements to receive the returning Mujahids in a fitting ceremony at Maungdaw.

Brigadier Aung Gyi, Vice Chief of Staff, will officiate at the ceremony in Maungdaw and accept the surrender, it is learnt.

Mujahid followers arrested their top-line leaders, Salai Ahmed and Shauffi, as the two were about to escape across the border and collecting over two hundred of themselves, they have arranged to turn in 11 machine guns, three 3" mortars, three 2" mortars, 18 tommy and sten guns, 274 assorted arms including rifles, nine revolvers and an assortment of ammunition at the surrender ceremony in Maungdaw.

It will be recalled that on July 3 last, 273 Mujahid insurgents, led by Mujahid Party President Robi Hula, surrendered en masse to Brig. Aung Gyi at a ceremony held at Maungdaw. At this ceremony, Brig. Aung Gyi exhorted the remaining Mujahids to return to light, saying that they were Union citizens and that there was no racial or religious discrimination in the Union.

The Monsoon Ops mounted by the Army in the Mayu Frontier District recently captured dead the Mujahid leader Cassim No. 2, and two of his men.

Marine Dept. buys Jap. launches

(By Our Staff Reporter)

The Mercantile Marine Department has recently placed an order with the Japanese firm of Kanawa, Hiroshima, for the construction of three launches.

The total cost of the launches will be K 16 lakhs and will be paid out of the Japanese Reparations. Their specifications are 90 feet by 18½ with a loading capacity of 100 tons.

The launches are to be delivered

Chauk Refinery to step up production today

(By Our Staff Reporter)

The Chauk Refinery will step up its throughput (quantity of crude oil processed) from 172,000 to 200,000 gallons a day from today, states an announcement issued yesterday by the BOC (1954) Ltd.

Recently, the ABPWF (All-Burma Petroleum Workers Federation) and the BOC Management reached an agreement whereby the Management conceded to the demands of the workers for a new pay-scale and the workers agreed to co-operate with the Management to boost the production.

Consequent on this agreement, the workers are extending their co-operation and the throughput at the Chauk Refinery will be stepped up to 200,000 gallons a day from today, says a spokesman of the Company in Rangoon.

Exploration
The Company also announced that a geological conference would be held in Rangoon next week as a preliminary to the Company's projected exploration activities.

The conference is the first of its kind by the Company and both Burmese and British geologists would be attending it, whilst the Company's Chief Geologist, Mr. H. R. Tainsh, in London would come out to preside at it.

The conference will chalk out the programme of exploration to be undertaken in the coming year.

Study Tour On Narcotics Control

Two senior Government officials, U Tin Tut, Additional Commissioner of Customs (Preventive), and U Thaug Tin, Assistant Commissioner of Excise

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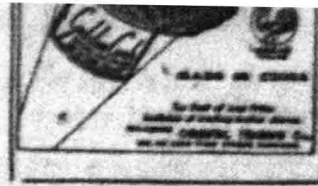
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SIDENT: Indian Prime Minister Shri Jawaharlal Nehru arrived in his visit Prime Minister Nehru had been discussing world problems with addressed the United Nations General Assembly. In the course of his minister clarified India's foreign policy and its attitude towards nuclear and is scheduled to leave New York on November 17 for London and New Kennedy at the White House.

200 Mujahids surrender in Maungdaw

End of trouble & heralding in of peace in Mayu, Brig. Aung Gyi says

(By Our Staff Reporter)

Two hundred Mujahid insurgents led by Vice-President of the East Buthidaung Mujahid Party, Mr. Rauschid, surrendered en masse in a formal ceremony yesterday at Maungdaw in Mayu Frontier District.

Brigadier Aung Gyi, Vice Chief of Staff, in accepting the surrender said it was a momentous day. He said that for the past twenty years, since 1942, the people in the District had lived in mortal fear of their life and limb and that the suspicious day, not only marked the end of death and destruction in the area, but also the heralding in of peace and tranquility in Mayu.

"From today peace would descend on the countryside, making Mayu one of the most peaceful places in the whole of the Union," said the Brigadier, and added, "People in the area can now go about their chosen tasks in peace."

Dwelling at length on the aspects of rural economy, religion and education, Brig. Aung Gyi explained in detail how these aims might be achieved.

The surrender ceremony was held at the Parade Ground at 8 a.m. and over 5,000 people turned out in force to witness the scene.

The Vice-President of the East Buthidaung Mujahid Party, Mr. Rauschid, surrendered to Brig. Aung Gyi a gun to which was tied the Mujahid Insurgent Flag, as a token of their surrender.

The surrender ceremony was attended amongst others by Commodore Than Pe, Vice Chief of Staff (Navy), Col. Saw Myint, Director of Frontier Areas Administration, Lt.-Col. Myint Maung, Ministry of Defence, Lt.-Col. Bo, Director of Psychological Warfare, Lt.-Col. Ye Gaung, Arakan Force Commander and civil, police and army officers.

The Mujahids surrendered 3" and 2" mortars, sub-machine guns, tommy, sten and other arms, totalling over 300 and over 5,000 assorted ammunition.

With the surrender of 290 Mujahids from South Buthidaung Division on July 3 last, and the present surrender of 200 Mujahids from East Buthidaung Division, the menace from Mujahid insurrection in the Mayu Frontier District has disappeared.

After the speech by Brig. Aung Gyi, Commodore Than Pe, Col. Saw Myint and Mr. Rauschid also addressed the gathering.

Commodore Than Pe said there was no rhyme or reason for



the armed revolution as the Constitution of the Union of Burma guaranteed equal rights for all Union citizens. He asked the former insurgents to forget about the historical past and strive for the good of the nation.

Col. Saw Myint declared that the day marked a new chapter in the annals of the Mayu Frontier District. The magnanimity of the Burma Army towards the Mujahids had been amply demonstrated, he said, by the presence of top army officers at the day's ceremony. He exhorted the Mujahids to make a change of heart and pursue the path chalked out for them by the Frontier Areas Administration for economic, social and religious advancement of the people in the Mayu District. The Colonel, however, warned that severe action would be taken against saboteurs who tried to undermine the progress of the Mayu Frontier District.

Speaking next, Mr. Rauschid recounted the reasons why he and his followers returned to the legal fold. He said his unqualified trust in the promise held out by Brig. Aung Gyi in his speech accepting the surrender of the South Buthidaung Mujahids; faith in Col. Saw Myint's speech; the success attending the Monsoon Operations launched by the army; and the good work being done by the Frontier Areas

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Jap. Agri. Mission and arrives

(By Our Staff Reporter)

A six-member Japanese Agricultural Delegation led by Mr. Tausui Chuma, Deputy Minister for Agriculture and Forests, arrived Rangoon yesterday evening by B.O.A.C. plane.

The delegation was received at the Airport by U Ba Kyu, Secretary, Ministry of Agriculture and Forests, the Japanese Ambassador to Burma and officials from the Foreign Office, the Frontier Areas Administration, the Defence Ministry and the Agricultural Department.

The delegation will make a tour of the country for about a month to study Burmese agricultural methods.

Stabbing over love affair?

(From Our Correspondent)

MAYMYO, Nov. 15 (By Telegram)—Two sisters and a man from a cheroot factory in Block 10 were seriously injured when Private Ye Myint, allegedly stabbed them this afternoon.

The injured persons were Ma Mya Than, 24, and Ma Hla Yin, 22, both daughters of U Aung Tha of Ywathitgale village, and Mg Chit Pway, a male worker, of Kyar Byan cheroot factory.

The Police immediately arrested Private Ye Myint. The motive of the crime was said to be over a love-affair and Ma Hla Yin was said to be in love with the accused.

A dying deposition has been recorded from Ma Hla Yin as her condition is serious.

Reorganizing UN Secretariat proposed

UNITED NATIONS, Nov. 15 —Nine nations recommended Tuesday that each member country of the United Nations be allowed to have five posts on the staff of the Secretariat.

They submitted to the General Assembly's budgetary committee a draft resolution aimed at securing a more equitable geographical distribution in the administrative arm of the U.N.

The committee was hearing complaints from the Soviet Bloc and some African

200 KILLED BY STORM

MEXICO CITY, Nov. 15—More than 220 people have been killed and hundreds of others isolated without food or water by a storm which has lashed the Pacific coast of Mexico, according to latest reports here.

Officials say 167 bodies have been recovered from the town of Nuxco alone, while 54 other bodies have been recovered from other areas.—Reuter.

UN Confirms Occupation of Alaska

—Signs on Alaska

Dr. Snowberger, track coach at Slippery Rock College in Pennsylvania, noted that the Burmese athletes are comparable in size to athletes any where in the world and that they have the natural attributes to eventually enable them to approach world records.

Edward Garvazian, track coach at Albuquerque High School in New Mexico, noted the importance of international competition in bringing out an athlete's best efforts. "Pride of country is a tremendous incentive for athletes to perform their best.

Captain Tun Nyein of the Burma Army, manager of the team, said that his team is "stronger than it was at the last SEAP Games." "We are strongest in the long distances but fairly well balanced everywhere else.

The team is currently working out at Aung San Stadium. Early in December they will move to the Polytechnic High School and practice at the Pyidawtha Stadium. Two athletes will be entered in each track and field event and there are 19 men's events and 9 events for women.

Tennis: Neale Fraser extended in NSW Tourney

SYDNEY, Nov. 15—Former Wimbledon champion Neale Fraser failed to fight hard to beat Yugoslavia's Nicola Pilio 6-4, 4-6, 6-4 in the third round of the New South Wales Men's Singles championship here today.

Pilio fought determinedly after losing the first set, won the second but then lost the first game of the third set during which Fraser had the advantage of serving with the wind.

Number two Australian seed Roy Emerson swept into the quarter-final with a brilliant straight set 6-4, 6-0, win over India's Mukherjee. Emerson's service returns gave the Indian no chance.

Results were: Men's Singles third round R. Emerson (Australia) beat Mukherjee (India) 6-4; 6-0; B. Javonovic (Yugoslavia) beat M. Callaghan (Australia) 6,1 6-2; J. Fraser (Australia) beat F. Stolla (Australia) 6-3, 6-4, K. Fletcher (Australia) beat I. Buding (Germany) 4-6, 6-2, 7-5; W. Woodcock (Australia) beat D. Reid (Australia) 6-1, 6-1; R. Laver (Australia) beat I. Crook end (New Zealand) 6-4,

BOMBAY, Nov. 15—England had scored 127 for the loss of three wickets in their second innings when stumps were drawn on the fourth day of the First Test match against India at the Brabourne Stadium here today.

Earlier today, India were all out for 390 in reply to England's first innings score of 500 for 8 wickets declared.—AFP.

(See earlier match details page 8)

Boxing: Yaoita rejects offer by Kingpetch

TOKYO, Nov. 15—Orient flyweight champion Sadao Yaoita of Japan today rejected Thailand's world champion Pone Kingpetch's offer to stage a title bout in Bangkok.

Kingpetch had offered a purse of 1,000 dollars plus expenses for three persons.

Shiniki Nakamura, Yaoita's Manager termed the offer ridiculous. "Yaoita earns at least 2,000 dollars for any fight in Japan—why should we to Bangkok for a mere 1,000 dollars. The world champion is very selfish. When he last came to Japan for his defense of the title, he was accompanied by a 5-man party, which included a doctor. But now he is asking us to reduce our party to three persons", Nakamura said.

He counter-proposed that the fight be staged in Tokyo with a purse of 40,000 dollars for Kingpetch with expenses to be paid for a five-man party.—AFP.

Mujahids surrender:

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Administration had led him and his men to surrender unconditionally.

He said he and his men were firmly resolved for a dedicated service in the cause of the prosperity of the district.

He then appealed to the people for forgiveness saying that they had laid down their arms in atonement of their twelve years' insurrection in the district.

The ceremony ended with the presentation of Korans through the Mujahid leaders to the people of the district by Brig. Aung Gyi. Money and other gifts for the surrendering personnel were received by Lt-Col. Ye Gaung from the VCS.

WORLD FOOD BANK PROPOSED

ROME, Nov. 14—Binyan Ranjan Sen, Director General of the UN Food and Agricultural Organization (FAO) today pro-

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India, Yugo elected to UN

UNITED NATIONS 14—The General Assembly today elected India via to the two seats of the United Nations and Social Council but failed to reach the election of a the vacancy on Council when Tu expires at the end. The ECOSOC decided in one obtaining 74.50 slavia 72. The rec majority was obtained 38 votes. On the oil Assembly failed to break the tie had been cre previous ballots of members to

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