THE NEW LIGHT OF MYANMAR (Monday, 9 June, 1997)

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General Maung Aye and Lt-Gcn Tin Oo, accompanied by Minister for Forestry Lt-Gen Chit Swe, Ministers members and other officials, flew from Dawei in Taninthayi Division to Cocokyun in Yangon Division yesterday morning.

(2) Secretary-1 inspects reconstruction of King Bayintnaung's Kanbawzathadi Palace, development in Bago

YANGON, 8 June - Secretary-1 of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt inspected re-construction of King Bayintnaung's Kanbawzathadi Palace and work for development in Bago today.

He was accompanied by Member of the. Security and Management Committee Lt-Gen Aye Thoung, Minister for Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement Maj-Gen Soe Myint, Minister at the Office of Chairman of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Brig-Gen Myo Thant, Minister for Transport Lt-Gen Thein Win, Minister for Culture U Aung San, Deputy Minister for Religious Affairs U Aung Khin, Deputy Minister for Education Dr Than Nyunt, Vice-Chairman of Yangon City Development Committee Vice-Mayor Col Maung Pa, Director-General of the Office of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Col Pe Nyein, heads of department and officials concerned.

The Secretary-1 and party were welcomed this morning at Winbawdat Bridge at Thayagon Village-in Bago Township by Chairman of Bago Division Law and Order Restoration Council Commander Maj-Gen Kyi Aung, Commander of No 77 Light Infantry Division Brig-Gen Soe Myint and officials concerned.

(3) Minister, for Labour leaves for 85th ILO Conf

YANGON, 8 June Myanmar delegation led by Minister for Labour Maj-Gen Saw Lwin left here by air this morning for Geneva to attend the 85th International Labour Organization Conference there.

He was seen off at the airport by Minister at the Office of Deputy Prime Minister Brig-Gen Maung Maung, Minister at the Chairman's Office of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Gen Min Thein, Deputy Minister for Labour U Kyaw Aye and heads of department of the ministry.

The Minister was accompanied by Director of Labour Department U Khin Maung Yi as member and PSO to the minister Capt Nyi Nyi Swe.

Member of the delegation are Permanent Representative of Myanmar to the UN (Geneva) Ambassador U Aye, Director-General of Labour department U Tun Shwe as alternate leader, Joint General-Secretary of Union of Myanmar Chamber of Commerce and Industry U Zaw Min Win, Supervisor U Hla Min of Myanma Oil and Gas Enterprise (Oilfields and Worksite), officials of the Office of the Permanent Representative of Myanmar to the UN Counsellor U Denzil Abel and U Lin Myaing, U Kyaw Tin, U Tun Arnt, U Aung Ba Kyu- and Daw L Nan San and U Htin Lin as advisers, Director-General of Attorney-General's Office U Kyaw Aye and Assistant.Director of Labour Department U Aye Ngwe.

(4) 29,116 USDA membership applications submitted in Mohnyin Township

YANGON, 8 June-New office building of Mohnyin Township Union Solidarity and Development Association of Kachin State was inaugurated in Mohnyin Township and USDA membership applications of ten village-tracts of Mohnyin Township were collectively submitted at Nanma Village yesterday.

Member of the Central Executive Committee of the USDA Minister for Livestock and Fisheries U Aung Thaung formally opened the new office building, accepted the USDA membership applications and spoke of nation-building endeavours of the Government. Minister t Aung Thaung, together with military and civil officials, arrived at the new office building of Mohnyin Township USDA of Kachin State at 7 am, where he formally opened the new office building worth K 1.5 million and inspected it.

He met executives, organizers and members of Ward and Village USDAs and gave instructions on political, economic and social affairs.

He presented K 25,000 each to four cultural troupes.

Then, he went to Nanma Village and attended the ceremony of submitting USDA membership applications.

The ceremony held at the football ground of Nanma Basic Education High School attended by 8,600 people.

He accepted 19,273 membership applications of ten village-tracts.

The minister also met executives and organizers of 32 village-tracts of Mohnyin, Nanma and Hopin region of Mohnyin Township at Teza Hall of Nanma BEHS

He elaborated on nation building endeavours of the Government and presented ballpoint pens for the school.

He also attended the ceremony of submitting USDA membership applications of Indawgyi region of Nangmon Village of Mohnyin Township.

The ceremony was attended by 9,216 people.

He accepted 9,843 USDA membership applications of Nangmon, Mamonkaing, Hepu and Lonton villages and gave instructions on political, economic and social affairs.

He spoke of endeavours of the Government for the development of the country

and added internal and external destructive elements are resorting to various means to make the country revert to servitude.

He called on all to thwart sabotage committed by internal traitors relying on external elements and to uphold Our Three Main National Causes and implement the 12 Objectives.

U Aung Thaung accepted a total of 29,116 USDA membership applications in Mohnyin Township, Kachin State.

In the evening, he met executives and organizers of Indawgyi region at Indawtha Yeiktha Hall in Lonton Village, Mohnyin Township.

(5) No 1 Provost Company wins Yangon Command Commander's Volleyball Trophy

YANGON, 8 June Men's team of No 1 Provost Company and women's team of No 1 Motor Transport Battalion emerged champions in the Yangon Command Commander's Trophy Volleyball Tournament.

On behalf of the Commander, Deputy Commander Brig-Gen Thura Myint Maung presented the championship trophies at Hline Gymnasium this morning.

Men's runner-up was No I Motor Transport Battalion and women's runner-up was No 1 Provost Company.

Commander of No 2 Military Region Col Hsan Hsint presented the best men's player award to Cpl Saw Pyay Thein of No 1 Provost Company and the best women's player award to Ma Wai Wai Lwin of No 1 Motor Transport Battalion.

(6) MOC member leaves to attend XIX Medical Committee Meeting

YANGON, 8 June Member of Myanmar Olympic Committee Director of Medical Services Brig-Gen Mya Thein Han left here today by air for Indonesia to attend the Meeting of the XIX South-East Asian Games Medical Committee in Jakarta on 9 June.

He was seen off at the Yangon International Airport by Chairman of Myanmar Olympic Committee Minister for Sports Brig-Gen Sein Win, Director-General of Sports and Physical Education Department Col Hla Myint Kyaw, Deputy Director-General Lt-Col Thein Aung, directors, officials of the Directorate of Medical Services and his family.

(7) Kokkine Swimming Club holds annual meeting

YANGON, 8 June Kokkine Swimming Club held its annual meeting for 1996-97 at 43 Saya San Road, Bahan Township, this morning, addressed by Club Patron U Min Lwin.

The annual report and financial statement were submitted and approved. Afterwards, an Executive Committee with U Khin Shwe (Zaykabar) as chairman and U Kyaw Paing as secretary was elected.