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## UN Told To Continue Campaign Against Apartheid

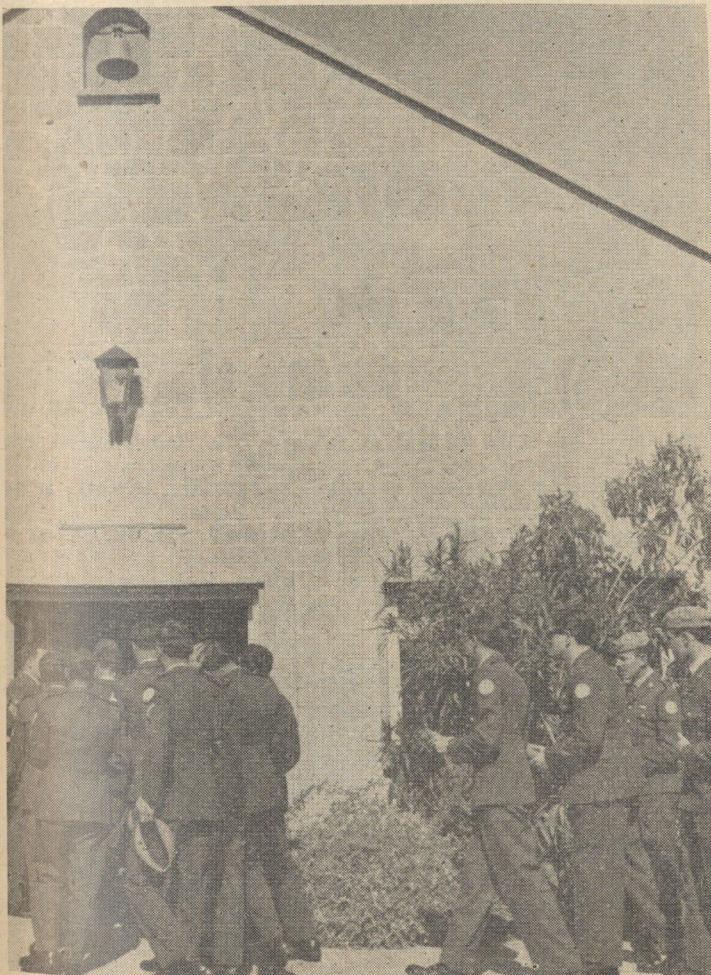
The UN Assembly's Special Political Committee in New York, continuing its debate on the apartheid policies of the South African Govern-

ment, was told by Turkey on 7th November that efforts against apartheid should be continued on three fronts — pressure of world opinion should be increased by intensifying the campaign against apartheid, efforts should be made to achieve greater unity in the political field in order to translate previous resolutions into effective action, and moral and material support for the victims of apartheid should be strengthened. Finland told the Committee, that it did not share the view

## REMEMBRANCE DAY

The British soldiers serving at HQ UNFICYP commemorated Remembrance Day with a church ceremony at St. Columbia's Church, RAF Nicosia, on Sunday, 9th November. (Picture below).

The service was led by the Reverend A.A. Loades and the lesson was read by the Commander Britcon, Col. D.B. Riddell-Webster, OBE. Remembrance Sunday is commemorated each year to honour those who died during the two world wars.



● Sgt John Cummings is presented with the UN medal by Chief Superintendent G. Davidson, the UNFICYP Police Advisor. Extreme left is Supt. K.L. Carton, the Australian UNCIVPOL Element Commander.

● Supt. R. Lawlor receives from FC the posthumous award for Sgt. Lewellyn Thomas, who was killed in a road accident in Cyprus.



## AUSTRALIANS RECEIVE UN MEDALS

On Friday, 7th November, the Australian Civilian Police contingent were presented with their UN medals at Wolseley Barracks, Nicosia, the headquarters of UNCIVPOL.

The UNFICYP Commander, Lt. Gen. A.E. Martola, pinned the medals on a representative number of the contingent after emphasising in his speech the vital role which UNCIVPOL plays in the Cyprus problem.

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that the United Nations had failed to advance the struggle against apartheid.

Information provided largely through the United Nations, the Finnish Representative said, had made apartheid "frighteningly real" even to those far away, and as a consequence an important shift in the international opinion had taken place.

Today virtually all states were prepared to apply to the question of the apartheid principle, that nations must be responsible to the international community for their action, when these actions caused substantial international effect.

## UNESCO Awards Kalinga Prize To British Scientist

The 1,000 dollar Kalinga Prize for the popularization of science, awarded each year by an international jury chosen by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) goes this year to Sir Gavin de Beer of the United Kingdom.

Sir Gavin de Beer's candidature for the prize was put forward by the Academy of Sciences of the Institute of France. Sir Gavin is both a scientist and a popularizer of science. His research has covered zoology and biology, his writings have ranged from Charles Darwin to Voltaire and Shelley.

## International "Machinery" To Control Use Of Seabeds

As two new proposals relating to the world's seabeds were put before the UN General Assembly's main political committee, on Friday 7 Nov., seventeen of less developed states asked the Secretary General to study what kind of an international "machinery" could be set up to control the uses of seabeds for the benefit of mankind as a whole.

The draft of the seventeen states indicates, that the interests of the landlocked states should not yield to those of coastal nations, and says that special attention should be given to the needs of poorer nations.

At the same time Uruguay submitted a draft resolution

asking states not to claim any part of the ocean floors beyond the limits of the present national jurisdiction, while an international agreement on their use was being worked out. The draft also says that nothing being done on the

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# Vi synger på sidste vers



■ Der er blevet sunget mange vers på DANCON XI. Men det er vist sådan at man for det meste husker 1. vers - og netop ikke det sidste. Lad os derfor se, hvordan en populær sang ser ud fra først til sidst:

Jeg' en træt gammel dreng  
jeg har ikke set en seng  
sid'n jeg kom i land med kontanter.  
Jeg ser hvide høns gå rundt  
og mit ho'de gør saa ondt  
det blir jokket paa af myg og elefanter.

Jeg har plejet min tørst  
min gode gamle tørst  
jeg har sgu vandet pottplanten  
jeg har brugt alt mit sølv  
sam'n med damer der drak øl  
men i aften er jeg ude paa atlanten.

Hvor er mine sko - de gode gamle sko  
de omsat i øl og cigarer.  
Se, af hæl var der nul  
og i sålen var der hul  
tæ'rne sprællet frit så de ku få lidt solskin.

Hvor er min skjorte, min gode gamle skjorte  
den er omsat i øl og cigarer.

Se, af knapper var der nul  
og på brystet var der hul  
så mit maveskind ku få en smule solskin

Hvor er min kone, min gode gamle kone  
Hun er omsat i øl og kontanter  
Sam'n med hende var jeg nul  
hendes skygge var som kul  
Så jeg aldrig fik den mindste smule solskin

Hvor er min seng, min gode gamle seng  
den er omsat i øl og cigarer  
Se, af bunden var der nul  
i madrassen var der hul  
så'd'n at fjedrene ku få en smule solskin.

Hvor er mine bukser, min gode gamle bukser.  
De er omsat i øl og cigarer.  
Se, af ben'ne var der nul  
og i rumpen var der hul  
Så min bagdel den ku få en smule solskin.



■ ALFA's 1. deling fik sin hund....."Duckie."

## DER ER BRAND I DEN

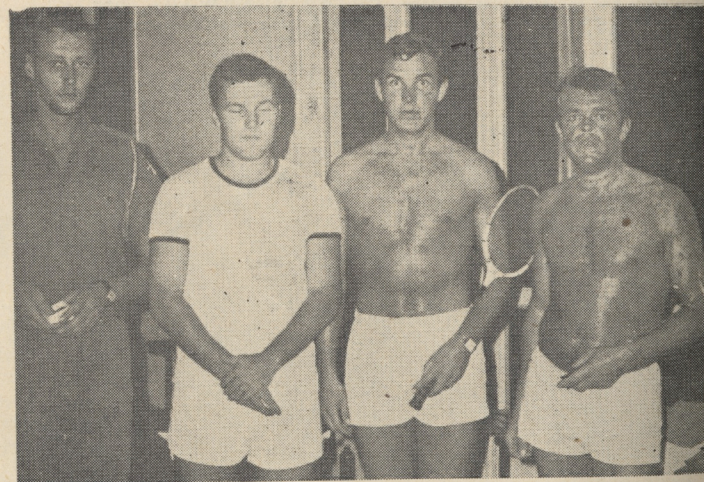
Brandfaren i nogle af vore huse er stor. Alt er knastørt efter sommeren. Derfor er det vigtigt, at man overalt er sikker på, at ildslukkerne fungerer. Gør de det, kan en brand tages i opløbet.

Endvidere skal man være sikker på de elektriske installationer. Det er ved at blive koldt, så det er naturligt, man skaffer sig varme ved elektriske varmeovne.

■ Oberstløjtnanten modtager i lufthaven chefen for DANCON XII - OL C.H. Christensen, Danske Livregiment.

Det er ligesaa klart, at man trænger til en varm kop kaffe engang imellem. Men det betyder, at el-systemerne overbelastes. Og statistisk har det vist sig, at netop på denne tid sætter ildebrandene ind.

Derfor: Der er brand i den, det er knastørt, vær paa vagt!

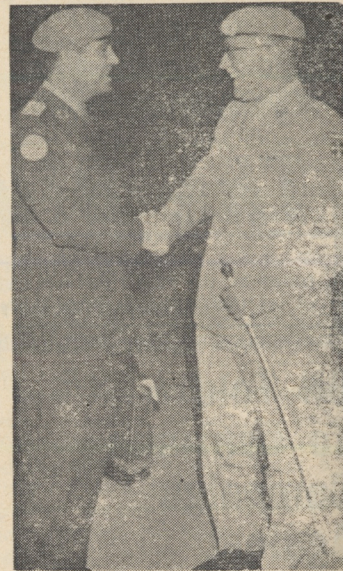


■ Det er ikke trætte gamle mænd, vi ser ovenfor. Det er snarere folk med brand i. Det er nemlig DANCON-mestrene i badminton. Resultatet af turneringen blev, at SG M. Olesen, STKMP, vandt med, KS P. Jensen, CHARLIE, som nummer 2 i single. I double er SG M. Olesen og KS P. Jørgensen, STKMP, nummer 1. SG O.M. Hansen og KS P. Jensen, CHARLIE, nummer 2. - Det var altså STKMP, der tog sejren hjem i badminton.-

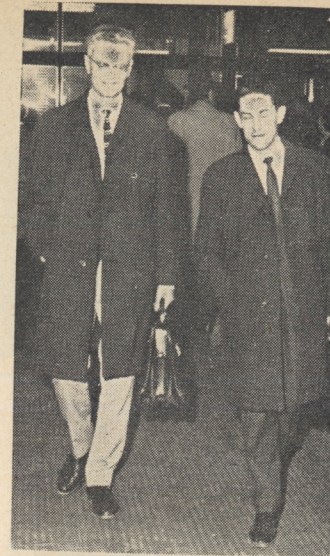


■ Og Louroujina fik sit føl....."Georg."

## DANCON NYT



# RIKSPOLISER FRÅGAR SWEDCIVPOL SVARAR



## JUSTITIA BESÖKER CIVPOL

■ (Ovan.) Expeditionschef Ingvar Gullnäs och statssekreterare Ove Rainer från justitiedepartementet anländer till Nicosia Airport i fredags.

■ Några dagar innan kom från rikspolisstyrelsen (stora bilden) polisintendent Rune Johannesson och byråchef Karl-Erik Kappelin. Civilpolisens chef, Torsten Lindberg ledsagar gästerna på ön, på bilden t.h. med bistånd av duty officer, Helge Eriksson.



SWEDCON NEWS  
Swedish Forces Photos

Representanter för justitiedepartementet och rikspolisstyrelsen besöker under ett par dagar Swedcon och i första hand civilpolisen och militärpolisen. Polisväsendet sorterar som bekant under justitiedepartementet och rikspolisstyrelsen är ju det ämbetsverk som svarar för "rörelsen".

Statssekreterare Ove Rainer och expeditionschef Ingvar Gullnäs är från departementet, medan polisintendent Rune Johannesson och byråchef K-E Kappelin kommer från rikspolisstyrelsen.

Besöket är bl a föranlett av en administrativ omläggning från en

avdelning till en annan inom rikspolisstyrelsen och justitierepresentanterna ska allmänt skärskåda förhållandena för poliserna här nere. I måndags besöktes bl UNFICYP Headquarters i Nicosia och Force Commander, generalløjtnant A.E. Martola.

## TV-världsreporter filmarna svenska zonen

Sveriges Radio-TV:s flygande världsreporter, Bo Holmqvist besökte under ett par timmar i lördags Carl Gustaf Camp. Tillsammans med öv Lars Lavén diskuterade han möjligheterna att filma en del av händelserna inom den svenska zonen för att senare sända ett kortare reportage i tv:s kanal två, som Bo Holmqvist arbetar för sedan kanaldelningen i början av november.



■ Bo Holmqvist, Sveriges Radio-TV:s flygande världsreporter tvingas åtminstone ibland att använda även mer markbundna fordon.

Om någon dryg vecka väntas tv-journalisten med fotograf dyka upp här igen för att genomföra planerna. Närmast kom han från Tel Aviv och fortsatte i lördags till Beirut. Han ska också besöka Jordaniens huvudstad Amman före returbesöket på Swedcon. Dryga sex månader varje år

befinner sig denne man på resande fot runt om i världen, och den resterande tiden går åt för bearbetning av materialet till sändbart skick. Det hinner bli en hel del han hinner samla på sig, när han som den här gången varit ute omkring sex veckor i sträck.

## SVENSK MP-KONTROLL MED GOTT RESULTAT

Den svenska militärpolisens kontroller inom zonen har givit ett ganska gott resultat, säger MP-chefen, kn Stig Berling.

Under flera dagar har vi som kört på vägarna utsatts för frågor och fordonskontroller. I måndags hade man hastighetskontroller vars resultat vi ännu inte vet något om. Rattnykterheten kommer att kollas

med många och ofta återkommande tester.

■ Svensk militärpolis (MP) i action. Flera inom den svenska bataljonen har redan råkat ut för deras bestämda men vänliga "på platsförhör" under förra veckan.

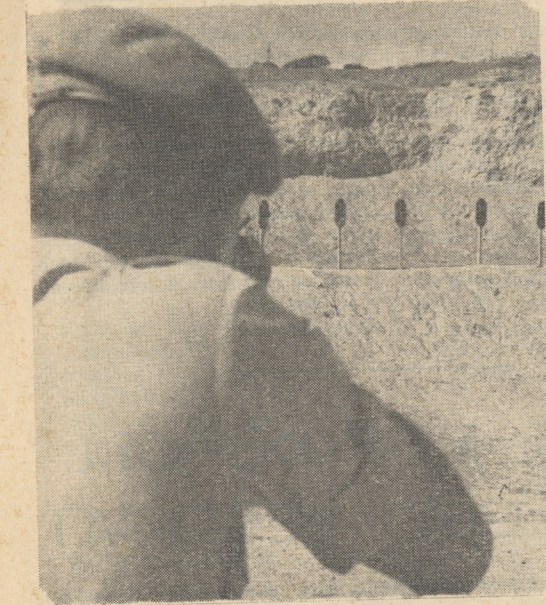






### The Pompadoours' Band And Drums Are Ready For Action

Drum Major Barry Sutcliffe leads the Band and Drums of the 3rd Bn The Royal Anglians Regt at the Australian UNCIVPOL Element Medal Parade on Friday last, 7 Nov. at Wolseley Barracks in Nicosia. This was the Band's first performance since they arrived for their six-months tour in Cyprus. — On Page 8 our story continues on the Fanfare Trumpets and Silver Drums of 'The Pompadoours'.



### SIGNALS DINNER

On Friday, 7th November, the officers and senior NCOs of 644 Signal Troop sat down to a dinner in the Sergeants Mess, HQ UNFICYP. The dinner was organised to bid farewell to Capt. J.V. Williams, Ssgt Jack Perry, Sgt. Eddy Phillips and Sgt. Brian Dearman all of whom will shortly be departing for the United Kingdom. Present at the dinner, as guests of the troop, were the RCM, WO1 Waterski, and Sgt. Barny Rimmer.



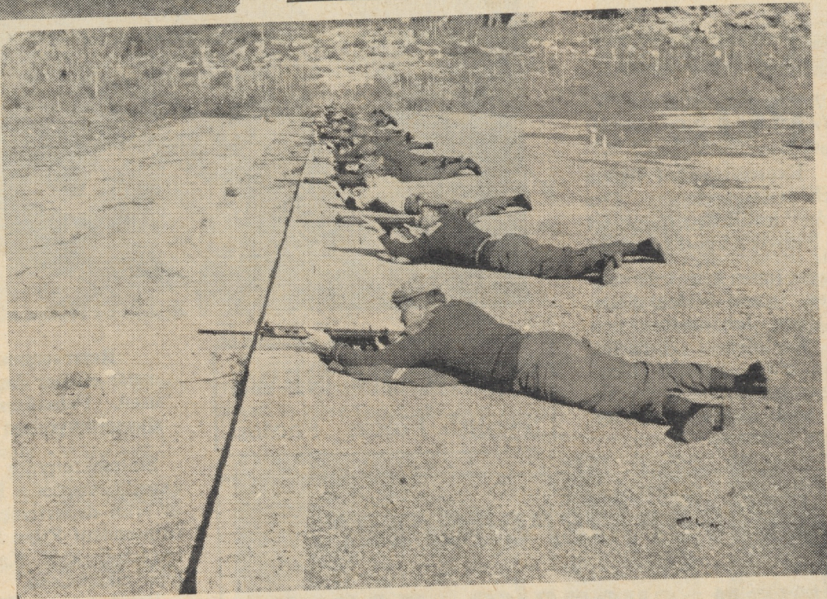
### DCOS Visits The Anglians

The Commander of the British UNFICYP Contingent, Col. D.B. Riddell-Webster, OBE, who is also Deputy Chief-of-Staff at HQ UNFICYP, made his first official visit to the 3rd Bn The Royal Anglian Regt in Limassol Zone on 6 Nov. 1969.

● In our picture (right) DCOS, to the left, is seen together with Lt Col Keith Burch, MBE, Commanding Officer of the battalion.



### BRITCON NEWS



### Range Classifications

On Sunday, 9th November, 18 (Amph) Sqn, RCT, went to Dhekelia for their Annual Range Classifications. They fired both the SLR and the SMG. Starting at 0900 hours they fired for four hours and of the 65 personnel present 90% of them were classified. The SMG range was conducted by Capt. D. Nicholas, and the SLR range by 2 Lt. A. Anderson and SSM Bob Band. The hard work of the butt party was supervised by Ssgt Henry Kubinski and Sgt Tony Hoyland. (Pictures Left and Above).

● The 'Signals' goal-keeper ready for action, as the 'HQ' team makes a scoring attempt in their match versus '262 Signals'. (Below).



### SPORT EVENTS

#### RUGBY

● HQ v GRIFFINS. The Headquarters "15" have at last broken the jinx that has been overhanging them recently. On Thursday, 6th November, they beat the Episkopi Griffins, at Happy Valley, by 12 pts. to 6 pts.

According to past form the HQ team were regarded as the underdogs, but as soon as the first whistle was blown they were like a flock of sheep, quickly snatched up by the Headquarters team and they ploughed on to a great victory.

#### FOOTBALL

● HQ v 262 Sigs. On Friday, 7th November, the Headquarters football team played 262 Signals Squadron at RAF Nicosia.

The HQ team seemed over-confident and were unable to settle down to squash the opposition. They narrowly won by 1-0 and for future games they should move to the loose balls with more determination.

● 18 (Amph) Sqn RCT v 3 Sqn 9 Sigs Regt.

While the HQ team were being hard-pressed in their victory, 18 (Amph) Sqn, on an adjacent pitch, were delivering a crushing blow to the morale of 3 Sqn 9 Sigs Regt.

After a scrappy first twenty minutes, in which the RCT sqn conceded a goal, the Amphibians began to play with more determination. Two well-placed corners by Lt Col. Mike Colloghan were headed into the net by Tony Hoyland in the dying seconds of the first half.

In the second half 18 (Amph) Sqn pushed home their advantage by scoring four more goals, with Dvr. And Proctor completing his hat-trick. Late in the game 3 Sqn scored another two goals to make the final score 7-3.

### Commanding Officer's Inspection

It was the turn of B Coy at Knockanure Camp Limnitis to face the music last week when the OC 13 Inf Gp, Lt Col P. Carroll inspected the Camp.

There was an excellent turn out on parade and the vehicles for inspection and the Camp itself were favourable commented upon. All concerned won high praise from the Group Commander.



OC 13 Inf Gp accompanied by Lt R. McEvoy inspecting the 'B' Coy guard at Camp Knockanure Limnitis.



No wonder the Pipe Band played so well. Here we see Sgt O'Hara, the Pipe Major, tuning the drones for Pte 'Maxie' McSweeney prior to parading for 'B' Coy inspection.



Cpl P. Ryan, Cook Cpl with 'B' Coy, making a final check, seems happy that all is ready for the inspection.



### KNOW YOUR DISTRICT!

We don't want you to guess the number of the Cubed objects in the picture. We can tell you they have been a familiar sight to many Irish Contingents but can you tell us what they are and where they are?

### INTERNATIONAL . . .

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seafloors beyond national limits — such as oil extraction — justifies making such claims.

Proposals already before the Committee include a Belgian draft asking the standing Seabed Committee to continue its work on legal principles and a code of exploitation.

A Maltese resolution looks toward an international conference dealing with the continental shelf and an international regime for the ocean floors.

### ALGERIAN FLOOD VICTIMS GET WFP AID

The World Food Programme (WFP) is sending emergency food aid valued at 1.4 million dollars to Algeria to help prevent mass starvation among victims of "unprecedented" rain-floods.

A series of cloudbursts early last month resulted in four to six times the annual rainfall over three of the five affected Departments.

Interim reports from WFP officials visiting the areas tell of an 80 per cent loss of the country's date crop besides all food grown under the date palms. The rains also threaten a complete loss of most palms, which would deny Algeria a considerable part of its date crop for three to four years.

The allocation for feeding 180,000 persons for three months, including costs of shipping, was authorized by Addeke H. Boerma, Director-General of the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO).

### ROAD SAFETY:

A moment of carelessness may mean a lifetime of regret.

Convention itself had been completed the Group went to Lefka to see a demonstration of Armd Car Gp Signal eqpt.

The Iron Pipe band put on a display for the visitors and then followed a dinner which included Gaelic Coffee.

By 1500 hrs it was agreed by all that Comms problems were negligible in UNFICYP.

Group taken of all Contingent representatives at the Signal Convention held at HQ IRCON last week. (Below).

### IRCON NEWS

### NCO's SIGNAL CONVENTION

The NCO Signal Convention was held at Iron on 31 Oct last. All Contingents were represented and welcomed to HQ Iron at Xeros by Comdt. V. Crawford, 21C 13 Inf Gp. This was followed by a briefing by Lt S. Lyons Iron Sigs Officer.

After the business of the

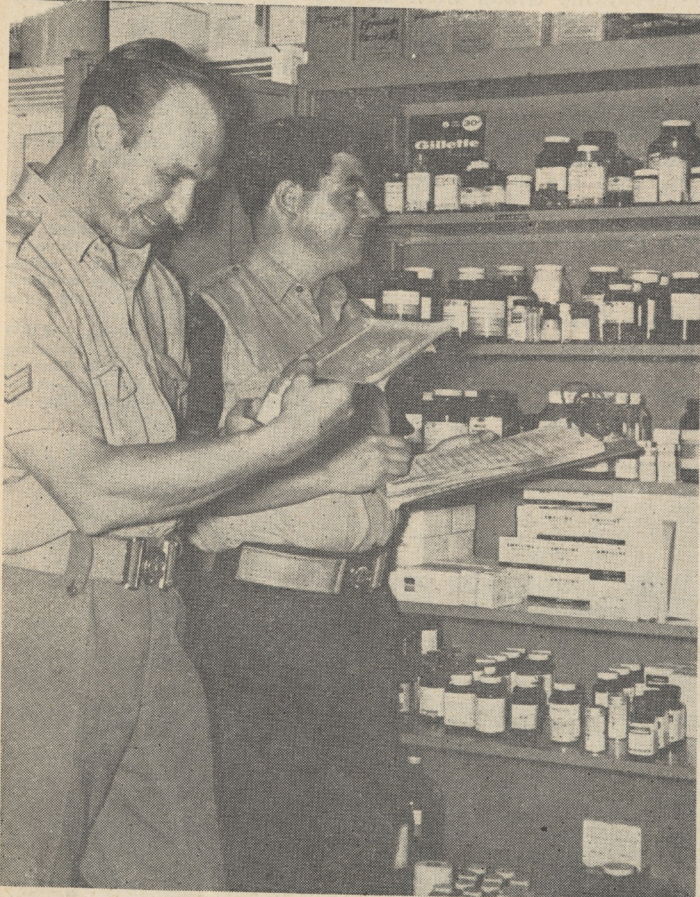




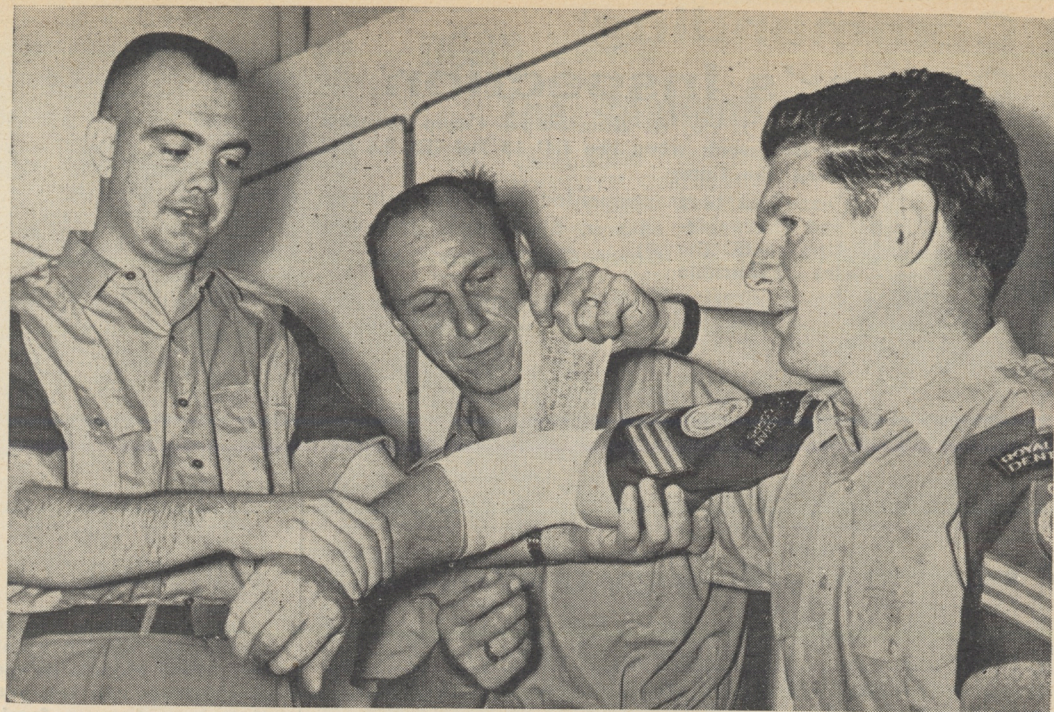
## THE MEDICS —who care about our health



Out of Harm's Way — A poisonous Levantine Viper is safely exhibited by hygiene technician Corporal (S) William R. Glenn. The harmful snake as well as other exhibits, are bottled for identification to show Canadians what to watch out for when going for a stroll.



The No! No! Cupboard — a particularly close check is maintained on the stock of prescription medicines in the medical unit's pharmacy. (Left to right) Sergeant J.A. (Andre) Bergeron, pharmacist; and Private Michael T. Nearing, medical aid.



An elbow bandage for dental Sergeant Norman J. Hope. (Left to right) Corporal W.T. (Bill) Murphy; Sergeant J.A. (Andre) Bergeron and Sergeant Hope.

To well over 500 Canadian soldiers serving with the United Nations Force in Cyprus and a handful of families whose husbands are here for a year or more, the unit aid station represents help in time of illness or injury.

The medical section is located at Camp Maple Leaf near the Cypriot capital of Nicosia, and is headed by

### CANCON NEWS Canadian Forces Photos

Captain David Lawson, formerly of Edmonton and Calgary. He has an eight-man team to carry out his preventive medicine and treatment responsibility.

If a serious case develops which can't be handled by the small medical unit because a lack of sophisticated facilities, help is close-at-hand at

Administrative duties play a big part in day-to-day operation of medical unit. (Left to right) Corporal Albert A. Richardson, clerk, and Dr. Lawson handle a typical "paper session".



the Austrian Field Hospital, or the two British Military Hospitals at Dhekelia or Akrotiri.

For the protection of the Canadians serving observation duties in the Kyrenia mountains a first aid post is manned by a medical assistant much nearer the troops at the Observation Company headquarters at Tjiklos. If the need arises none is much further from treatment than a few minutes' flying time by helicopter.

## RISTIÄISET

### ST. PAULISSA

Seurakuntamme täällä on hieman sotilasseurakuntaa laajempi. Tähän kuuluu joukko suomalaisia tai suomalaistuneita protestantteja, jotka silloin tällöin käyvät jumalanpalveluksissamme. Viime perjantaina kastettiin jumalanpalveluksen alussa Helsingin Saksalaiseen seurakuntaan kuuluvien lähetystösihteeri Franz ja Monica Sick'in Nicole tytär. Kirkkotilaisuuden jälkeen kaikki olivat kutsutut Sick'ien moderniin kotiin kastejuhlaan.



- Yhteislähtö -

## E K —

...rynnisti kertaheitolla Kykkon läheisyyteen ja pisti pystyyn kunnan maastojuoksukilpailut kunnan kohentamiseksi. Matkan pituus oli neljä kilometriä ja 200m päälle. Kuvassamme yllä on lähtö tapahtunut ja voittaja, ylik Passi pyyhälsi kärkeen heti alussa. Piti paikansa ja voitti. Lieneekö paita auttanut. Passin aika oli 14,47. Ylivoimaisen Passin lisäksi tuntui kuntoa löytyvän kaikilta muiltakin.



### Kaksi Miestä Samasta Perheestä

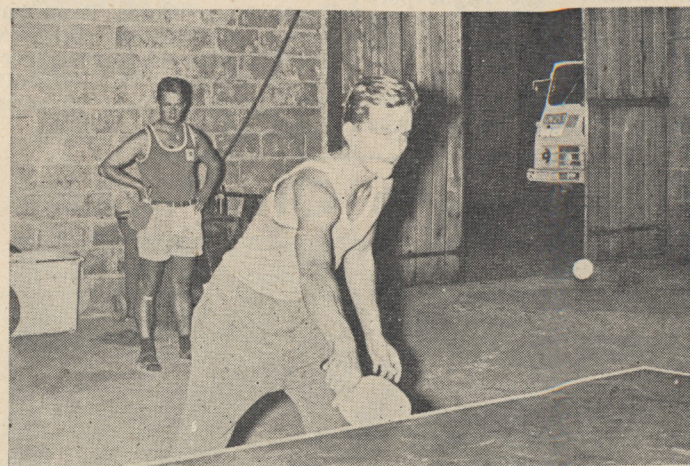
—yht'aikaa Kyproksella. Harvinaista. Majuri Aulis LAINE ja poika, Hannu Laine. Hannu Laine palvelee jääkärinä 1 JK:ssa, jossa maj Laine oli komppanian päällikkönä v. -67. Asevelvollisuutensa Hannu suoritti Helsingin laivastosemalla ja Merisotakoulussa veneenkuljettajana. Molemmat ovat nykyisin Kontiolahtelaisia.



### FINCON NEWS KUVIEN KERTOMAA

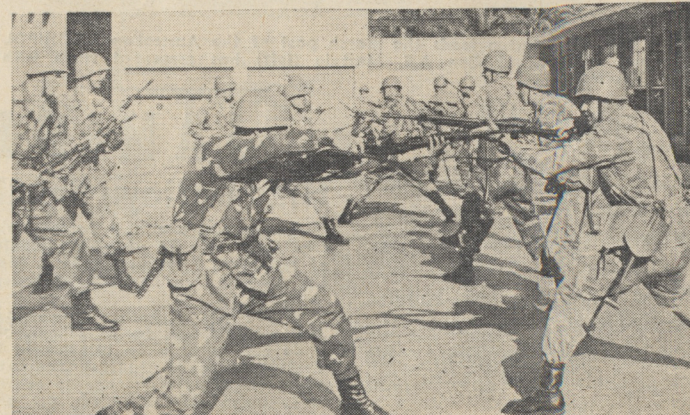
NÄILLÄ SANOILLA:

"Minä kastan Simt Nicole Franziska Isän ja Pojan ja Pyhän Hengen nimeen." Kuvassa kummina pikku Nicolen isoäiti ja kasteen suorittajana sot past Heikki Hytönen.



Pöytätennistä pelattiin kakkosen workshop'ssa 27.10.1969. Vastakain olivat FINCON ja CANCON. Suomalaiset voittivat kaikki ottelut ja lopputulokseksi jäi 10-0. Kuvassa (yllä) jää Ruottisen tyylinäyte.

Kuvassa alla harjoitellaan tositalannetta varten. Lähihaistelukoulutus kuumimmillaan 1 JK:n alueella. Harjoituksen tahti sen kuin koveni ilta päivää kohden, jolloin harjoiteltiin linjan miehitystä.





## The Fanfare Trumpets Of The Pompadours

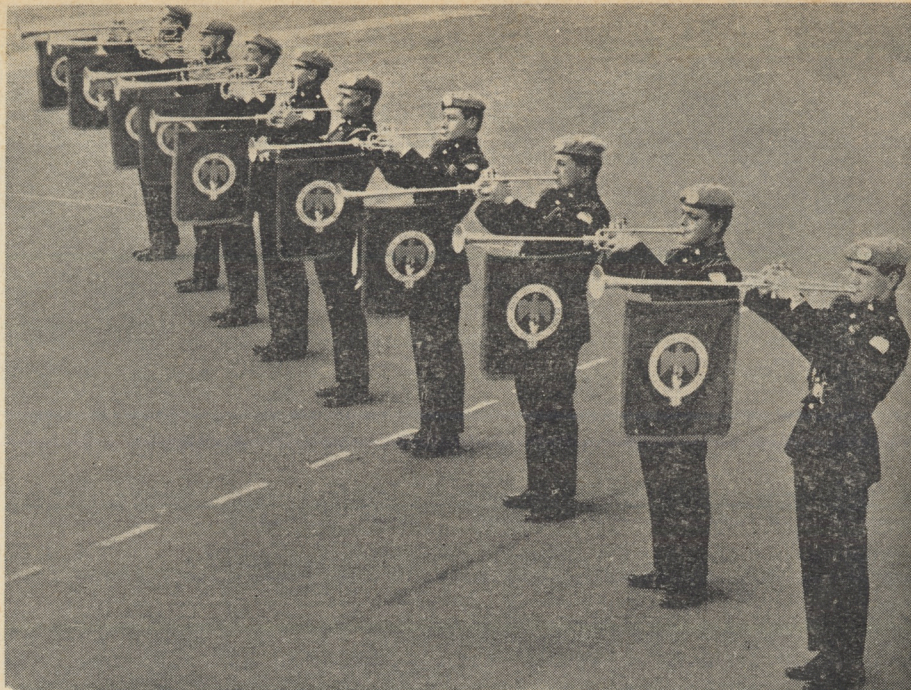
The instruments and silver drums arrived by sea freight last week, so now the Band and Drums of the 3rd Battalion, The Royal Anglian Regiment, at Polemedhia Camp in Limassol, are practicing hard to be on top form for what is to be hoped will be a busy season in Cyprus.

The Corps of Drums in their scarlet tunics and the Band in blue appeared first at the Australian UNCIVPOL Medal Parade on Friday 7th November 1969.

Under the direction of their Bandmaster R.A. Bowness Smith, ARCM, and Drum Major Barry Sutcliffe the Band and Drums have already fulfilled 102 varied engagements in 1969. Twice they have played for Royalty and led the Battalion as they marched through London to line the route on the occasion of the State Visit of the President of Finland. In April they flew to Iceland giving concerts,

Back in England The Royal Canadian Mounties Musical Ride was performed to their accompaniment, and the Olympic Horse Trials were opened by the Fanfare Trumpeters sounding a fanfare specially composed by the Bandmaster. Educational concerts to numerous schools and a lecture concert to 300 music student contrast with light music at Butlins Holiday Camp, Carnivals and Shows plus many Dance Band engagements. Regimental Guest Night performances and playing at special Church Services add to the total.

Of interest was a joint performance with the Womens



### MP NOTEBOOK

## Accidents - Unficyp

Week Ending 8 Nov 69: 1  
Same Period Last Year: 11  
Total This Year: 305  
Same Period Last Year: 383  
Cause of Accident This Week:

### FOLLOWING TOO CLOSE

AN ACCIDENT FREE WEEK? —  
No, not quite! One careless mo-

ment by a UN driver resulted in a rear-end collision. Cause — following too closely. You almost set a perfect record for an accident-free week, an achievement never before accomplished since the existence of UNFICYP.

When tail-gating (following too closely), remember that a fraction of a second is all it takes to involve you in an accident: Re-

member this particularly when you are in a hurry!

In one second, when travelling at 30 miles an hour, your vehicle travels 44 feet.

Lets start over again! This time achieve the aim of defensive driving — record an accident-free week!

Concentrate on your job — DRIVING.

Royal Army Corps Band but doubly so as Mr Bowness Smith is married to the Director of Music of the W.R.A.C. Band, Captain Zara Bowness Smith ARCM.

## Australians On Parade



● Supt. K.L. Carton leads the march past of the Australian UNCIVPOL Element, after FC, Lt Gen A.E. Martola (left) has presented them with their UN Medals.

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After the ceremony the Australians marched off while the strains of "Waltzing Matilda" reverberated through the barracks. The music was played by the red-tuniced band of the 3rd Battalion, the Royal Anglian Regiment, this being their first engagement on the island.

## JANICE Miss Unficyp No. 23

Blonde and beautiful Janice, (picture right), the 16 year-old daughter of the Force Economics Officer, Maj. Les Charest, was born in Brandon, Manitoba.

If she was in her native Canada Janice would still be at school, but while her father is on attachment to UNFICYP she is studying the Arts and Sciences by correspondence course. Janice's interests include art and music — both classical and 'pop'.

