

THE NEW LIGHT OF MYANMAR (Tuesday 20 May, 1997)

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- (1) MIC Chairman receives President of Japan Centre for International Finance**

YANGON, 19 May Member of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Deputy Prime Minister and Chairman of Myanmar Investment Commission Vice-Admiral Maung Maung Khin received President of Japan Centre for International Finance Mr Tomomitsu Oba and party at his office this morning.

They discussed progress of Myanmar economy and investment opportunities.

Present also were Minister at the Office of Deputy -Prime Minister U Khin Maung Yin and officials of Myanmar Investment Commission.

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- (2) Chairman of PT Thesa Centraprima Co calls on Minister for Forestry**

YANGON, 19 May Chairman of PT Thesa Centraprima Co Mr Yos S Theosabrata and party, accompanied by Ambassador of the Republic of Indonesia Maj-Gen (Police) A Poerwanto Leggono, called on member of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Minister for Forestry Lt-Gen Chit Swe at International Business Centre on Pyay Road this afternoon.

They discussed mutual investment cooperation in wood-based industry.

Present also were officials under the ministry.

(3) Deputy Minister of LPDR calls Minister for Hotels and Tourism

YANGON, 19 May The delegation Led by Mr Cheuang Sombourzkhanh, Deputy Minister of Prime Minister's Office of Lao People's Democratic Republic, called on Minister for Hotel and tourism Lt-Gen Kyaw Ba at his office this morning.

Present were Deputy Minister for Hotels and Tourism Brig-Gen Tin Aye, Director-General of Directorate of Hotels and Tourism U Khin Maung Latt and Managing Director of Myanmar Hotels and Tourism Services U Soe Thein.

Deputy Minister Brig-Gen Tin Aye hosted lunch in honour of the delegation at the People's Park Restaurant and a bilateral agreement on cooperation in tourism was signed by Deputy Director-General of DHT U Naing Bwa and Deputy Director-General of Lao National Tourism Administration Department Mr Sannya Abhay.

They then exchanged documents and bilateral cooperation in tourism was discussed with private tour operators.

Minister Lt-Gen Kyaw Ba hosted dinner in honour of the guests at Karaweik Hall and they were entertained by variety of cultural dances.

(4) Proper urban planning vital for expanding human settlements

YANGON, 19 May Urban Planning Training 1/97 of the Development Affairs Department of the Ministry for Progress of Border Areas and National Races and Development Affairs began at the Central training School of the Ministry of Construction in Thuwunna this morning with an address by Minister for PBANRDA Lt-Gen Maung Thint.

(5) Ambassador of Russian Federation calls on Minister for Home Affairs

YANGON, 19 May Ambassador of the Russian Federation Mr Valeri V Nazarov called on member of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Minister for Home Affairs Lt-Gen Mya Thin at his office this morning.

They discussed bilateral cooperation between the two countries.

Deputy Minister for Home Affairs Col Tin Hlaing and Head of Office Capt Man Maung were also present.

(6) Vice-President YMEIE Corp calls on Minister for Transport

YANGON, 19 May- Vice-President Ms Liu Zhong Rong of Yunnan Machinery and Equipment Import and Export Corporation called on Minister for Transport Lt-Gen Thein Win at his office this morning.

Development of port, dredging and bilateral mutual cooperation were discussed.

Officials of the ministry were present.

(7) Tatmadaw Nursing Cadet Course No 2 opens

YANGON, 19 May - An opening ceremony of the Tatmadaw Nursing Cadet Course No 2 was held at the Convocation Hall of the Defence Services Institute of Medicine in Mingaladon today with an address by Adjutant-General Lt-Gen Win Myint..

Also present were Minister for National Planning and Economic Development Brig-Gen Abel, Minister at the Office of the Prime Minister Col Pe Thein, Minister for Transport Lt-Gen Thein Win, Judge Advocate-General Maj-Gen Than Oo, Vice-Adjutant-General BrigGen Than Tun, Director of Public Relations and Psychological Warfare Brig-Gen Aung Thein, Director of Medical Services Brig-Gen Mya Thein Han, Rector of Defence Services Institute of Medicine Col Hla Myint, commandants of medical depots and units, other officers, Director Dr Maung Maung lay of Defece Service Institute of Medicine and faculty members, 45 cadets of the Tatmadaw Nursing Cadet Course No. 2, student cadets of Defence Services Institute of Medicine and guests.

First, the nursing cadets, led by parade commander, marched past the Adjutant General and presented salute to him.

Afterwards, Adjutant General Lt-Gen Win Myint delivered the opening address.

(8) Minister for Energy receives GM of Tenaga Nasional Berhad Co

YANGON, 19 May-Minister for Energy U Khin Maung Thein received General Manager of Tenaga Nasional Berhad Co Ir Hj Yahya Bin Abdul Ghani and party at his office this afternoon.

They discussed mutual cooperation and investment in power generation and supply.

Director-General of Energy Planning Department U Soe Myint was also present.

(9) Appointment of Brunei Ambassador agreed

YANGON, 20 May The Government of the Union of Myanmar has agreed to the appointment of Mr Pengiran Dato Paduka Haji Asmalee bin Pengiran Ahmad, as Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Brunei Darussalam to the Union of Myanmar with residence in Yangon, in succession to His Excellency Pehin Datu Pekerma Bijaya Kolonel Dato Paduka Haji Hussin bin Haji Sulairnan, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of Brunei Darussalam to the Union of Myanmar with residence in Singapore.

Mr Pengiran Dato Paduka Haji Asmalee bin Pengiran Ahmad was born on 18 May 1941. From 1962 to 1996 he had served in-the Department of Language and Literature Bureau, the Department of Radio and Television Brunei and the Department of Welfare, Youth and Sports. He retired as- Director of the Department of Welfare, Youth and Sports on 13 May 96. He is married and has three children.
