

## **THE NEW LIGHT OF MYANMAR (Monday, 29 Sept, 1997)**

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### **(1) Athletes to XIX SEA Games urged to strive to promote national prestige through sports**

YANGON, 28 Sept President of Myanmar National Olympic Council Secretary-1 of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt met Myanmar sports contingent to the XIX South-East Asian Games and handed the State Flag to the leader of the contingent at the National Indoor Stadium-1 in Thingangyun Township this afternoon.

Also present were Minister for Transport Lt-Gen Thein Win, Minister for Cooperatives U Than Aung, Chairman of Yangon City Development Committee Mayor U Ko Lay, Minister for Sports Brig-Gen Sein Win, Deputy Minister for Education Col Kyi Maung, Deputy Minister for Labour U Kyaw Aye, Minister for Industry-2 U Thein Tun, Deputy Commander of Yangon Command Brig-Gen Thura Myint Maung, officials of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Office, departmental heads, the Director-General of Sports and Physical Education Department and officials, presidents of sports federations and guests.

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### **(2) K 6 million for construction of Myanmar Maternal and Child Welfare Association's new building**

YANGON, 28 Sept-A ceremony to donate cash for the construction of Myanmar Maternal and Child Welfare Association's new building for the fourth time was held at Mya Yeik Nyo Royal Hotel this morning, attended by Chairman of National Health Committee Secretary-1 of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt.

Present also were 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, member of Security and Management Committee Vice-Admiral Than Nyunt, Minister for Transport Lt-Gen Thein Win, Minister for Cooperatives U Than Aung, Minister for Labour Maj-Gen Saw Lwin, Mayor U Ko Lay, Deputy Minister for Health Col Than Zin, officials of the Office of State Law and Order Restoration

Council, Chairperson of MMCWA (Central) Professor Daw Kyu Kyu Swe, Vice-Chairperson Dr Khin Win Shwe and EC members, Honorary patrons and guests.

Wellwishers donated K 6 million for the construction of Myanmar Maternal and Child Welfare Association's new building.

Today's donations included K 2.5 million by Mr Vikrom of Andaman Club Ltd, K 500,000 by Mayor U Ko Lay, K 500,000 by U Thaw Thaw of Metro Asia Myanmar Ltd and Metro Asia Factory Ltd, K 500,000 by Daewoo International Co Ltd and K 500,000 by U Ohn and Daw Than Nwe, on behalf of the families in memory of Father U Tha Din Gyi and Mother Daw Thein Mya, K 500,000 by Manager U Myint Lwin, on behalf of the U Kyaw Win, Chairman of May

Flower Bank and wife Daw Khin Kyi, one air-condition valued at K 295,000, by President of ATG Electronics Myanmar Ltd, school equipment valued at K 250,000, by Daw Chaw Thiri Khaing of Dandy International Ltd, K 200,000 by Academy Zinyaw Maung Maung and wife Academy May Than Nu and son Min Thant Maung Maung, K 200,000 by U Win Naing-Daw Cho Cho and family, K 100,000 by Managing Director of Aung Construction Group U Zaw Aung, K 100,000 by Chairperson of Dagon Township Maternal and Child Welfare Association Daw Mi Mi Khin, K 100,000 by U Win Swe and Daw Yi Yi Hla (WYZ), K 100,000 by Managing Director of JVC No 5 U Zaw Win, K 100,000 by U Thein Tun and wife Tanura Kyoto, K 50,000 by Director-General of Department for Development of Border Areas and National Races Lt-Col Thein Han and wife Daw Khin Win Kyi and K 50,000 by U Maung Maung and Daw Hla- Myint.

Secretary-1 Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt, Minister Maj-Gen Soe Myint, member of Security and Management Committee Vice-Admiral Than Nyunt and Minister Lt-Gen Thein Win. accepted the donations and presented certificates of honour to the donors.

Daw Kyu Kyu Swe thanked the donors.

After the ceremony, the Secretary- 1 and party inspected documentary photos and scale model of new buildings in the hall.

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### **(3) NHC Chairman attends inauguration ceremony of bowling alley at Thuwunna National Sports Complex**

YANGON,28 Sept - The inauguration ceremony of bowling alley, jointly sponsored by Sports and Physical Education Department of the Ministry of Sports and National Bowling Centre, was held there at Thuwunna National Sports Complex in Thingangyun Township this afternoon, attended by Chairman of National Health Committee Secretary-1 of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt.

Present also were Minister for Transport Lt-Gen Thein Win, Minister for Cooperatives U Than Aung, Minister for Labour Maj-Gen Saw Lwin, Chairman of Yangon City Development Committee Mayor U Ko Lay, Deputy ministers, Deputy Commander of Yangon Command, officials of the Office of State Law and Order Restoration Council, heads of departments, officials of Sports and Physical Education Department, members of Executive Director of National Bowling Centre and guests.

Minister for Sports Brig-Gen Sein Win formally opened the bowling alley and spoke on the occasion.

Executive Director of National Bowling Centre U Khin Zaw Shein expressed words of thanks.

Then, Executive Directors of National Bowling Centre U Khin Zaw Shein, U Ko Ko Aye, U Yan Naing Lwin and U Thein Dan Swe donated K 500,000 for Myanmar selected Sports contingent which will participate in XIX SEA Games. Minister Brig-Gen Sein Win accepted the donations.

The Secretary-1 and party took part in the game of bowling.

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#### **(4) Secretary-2 meets industrialists in Mandalay**

YANGON, 28 Sept-Secretary-2 of the State Law and Order Restoration Council. Lt-Gen Tin Oo, accompanied by Minister at the Office of the Prime Minister Brig-Gen Lun Maung, Minister for Industry-2 Maj-Gen Kyaw Than, Minister for Science and Technology U Thaung, Director of Medical Services Brig-Gen Mya Thein Han, Mandalay Mayor Col Sein Win Aung and officials, arrived at Hi-Tech Yonshin Cement Factory near Ohnchaw Village in Patheingyi Township on 26 September.

The Secretary-2 and party were welcomed by Secretary of Mandalay Division Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Col Tin Ohn, Chairman of Mandalay District Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Col Tin Tun, Chairman of Patheingyi Township Law and Order Restoration Council U Khin Maung Yi, Managing Director of Hi-Tech Yonshin Cement Co Ltd U Aung Win Khaing and personnel.

The Secretary-2 and party inspected cement produced at the factory.

U Aung Win Khaing reported on the factory, test running, raw materials and cement being produced.

The Secretary-2 and party were conducted round the factory. They went to Mandalay Tuberculosis Hospital in Patheingyi Township where they were welcomed by Medical Superintendent Dr Mya Maung and staff.

Dr Mya Maung reported on the hospital and requirements.

Brig-Gen Mya Thein Han, Director-General of Traditional Medicine Department Dr Kyaw Myint Tun, Rector of Institute of Medicine-1 Dr Kyaw Myint and specialists explained medical experience, measures to be taken and health education to staff.

Mandalay Mayor Col Sein Win Aung reported on arrangements for the hospital.

The Secretary-2 met members of Mandalay Division Law and Order Restoration Council, Chairmen of District and Township Law and Order Restoration Council, members of Mandalay City Development Committee, departmental officials and industrialists in Mandalay Industrial-Zone at Mandalay City Hall.

The Secretary-2 said economic progress is basically necessary for emergence of a modern, developed nation and therefore, the government has laid down plans and is implementing them for economic progress.

He said it is now in the second year of the Five Year Economic Plan. Success of economic plans does not depend on the government alone. Progress will be achieved as in the previous four-year plan with the cooperation of peasants, workers, Tatmadawmen, industrialists and businessmen together with the government, he added.

The Secretary-2 spoke of efforts for industrial development based on agriculture in building a modern developed nation, formation of Myanmar Industrial Development Committee, Regional Industrial Development Committees, establishment of industrial zones and providing the requirements of private industrialists.

He spoke of the need for private industrialists to make concerted efforts for industrial development.

He urged them to put forward requirements for considerable industrial development and establishment of Mandalay Sanpya Industrial Zone.

Chairman of Industrial Development Work Committee Minister Maj-Gen Kyaw Than, Mandalay Industrial Zone in-charge Minister Brig-Gen Lun Maung and Minister U Thaung and private industrialists took part in discussions on undertakings for industrial development, products for investment, technology transfer and development of Mandalay Industrial Zone. Those present reported on requirements and technology transfer.

The Secretary-2, Ministers Maj-Gen Kyaw Than, U Thaung, Brig-Gen Lun Maung and the Mandalay Mayor took part in the discussions.

Minister for Education U Pan Aung on 26 September explained education policies in meeting with the rector, faculty members and trainees at Mandalay Institute of Education, school head and teachers at Zibingyi Basic Education Middle School and Kyaukphyadoe Basic Education Primary School in PyinOoLwin and Township Education Officers, school heads and teachers at Nan Myaing Hotel.

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#### **(5) Secretary-2 inspects construction at Mandalay University, hospitals in Sagaing**

YANGON, 28 Sept Secretary-2 of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Gen Tin Oo inspected construction at Mandalay University and hospitals in Sagaing and paid homage to Razamanisula and SoonU Ponnyashin Pagodas in Sagaing yesterday.

He was accompanied by Minister at the Office of the Prime Minister Brig-Gen Lun Maung, Minister for Industry-2 Maj-Gen Kyaw Than, Minister for Education U Pan Aung, Minister for Science and Technology U Thaung, Director of Medical Services Brig-Gen Mya Thein Han, Mandalay Mayor Col Sein Win Aung and officials concerned.

The Secretary-2 and party were welcomed at the construction site of a fourstorey lecture hall (the western main hall) of Mandalay University by

Rector Dr Thein Myint and faculty members and Superintending Engineer U Thein Kyaw and personnel of Construction Division 8 of Public Works.

After inspecting the lecture hall, the Secretary-2 heard a report by Rector Dr Thein Myint on Mandalay University, post-graduate courses and future programmes. Minister U Pan Aung submitted a supplementary report.

The Secretary-2 gave counsel.

Minister U Thaung briefed the Secretary-2 on plans for advanced teaching at Institutes of Computer Science and Technology and institutes of Technology under the ministry.

Director-General Dr Kyaw Myint Tun of Department of Traditional Medicine, Rector Dr Kyaw Myint of Yangon Institute of Medicine-1, Professor Physician Dr Maung Maung Wint of Yangon General Hospital and Professor/Head of Department Urologist Dr Paing Soe of YGH briefed the Secretary-2 on plans regarding medical science.

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#### **(6) Minister inspects Kinda Hydro-Electric Power Plant**

YANGON, 28 Sept Minister for Energy U Khin Maung Thein, together with officials of the Ministry of Energy, arrived at Kinda Hydro-Electric Power Plant of Myanma Electric Power Enterprise in Myittha Township yesterday morning.

They were welcomed by Plant Manager U Aye Cho and officials.

The minister and party inspected the model of the plant.

They were briefed by U Aye Cho on power supply.

The minister gave instructions on generating more power, maintenance of the plant and working for staff welfare and inspected the plant.

Next, they inspected Kinda Main Reservoir.

The plant, with an installation capacity of 56 megawatts, has been generating and supplying an average of 165 million kilo-watt-hours per year since 1986.

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