

THE NEW LIGHT OF MYANMAR (Saturday, 4 Oct, 1997)

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YANGON, 3 Oct-Secretary-1 of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Gen Khin Nyunt left here by air this morning for Singapore to attend the Second Meeting of Myanmar Singapore Ministerial Level Working Committee.

The Secretary- 1 was seen off at Yangon International Airport by Vice-Chairman of the State Law and Order Restoration

Council Deputy Commander-in-Chief of Defence Services Commander-in Chief (Army) General Maung Aye, Secretary-2 of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Lt-Gen Tin Oo, members of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Deputy Prime Ministers Vice-Admiral Maung Maung Khin and Lt-Gen Tin Tun, Minister at the Office of Chair man of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Brig-Gen Myo Thant, Ministers at the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister Brig-Gen Maung Maung and U Khin Maung Yin, Defence Services Inspector-General Maj-Gen Sein Htwa, Chairman of Yangon Division Law and Order Restoration Council Commander of Yangon Command Maj-Gen Khin Maung Than Deputy minister for Hotels and Tourism Brig-Gen Tin Aye, Deputy Minister for Transport U Sann Wai, Vice-Chairman of Yangon City Development Committee Vice-Mayor Col Maung Pa, Charge d'Affaires ai of the Embassy of the Republic of Singapore Mr William Chik, heads of departments and officials.

The Secretary-1 was accompanied by Minister for Hotels and Tourism Lt-Gen Kyaw Ba, Minister for National Planning and Economic Development BrigGen Abel, Minister for Transport Lt-Gen Thein Win, Chairman of Yangon City Development Committee Mayor U Ko Lay, Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs U Nyunt Swe and departmental officials.

(2) Minister inspects Yangon Zoological Gardens Theme Park

YANGON, 3 Oct- Member of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Minister for Forestry Lt-Gen Chit Swe inspected Yangon Zoological Gardens Theme Park, which will open soon, this morning.

The amusement park was built with modern games such as jet roller coaster, twister, motor boat, air balloon, indoor computer games and bumping car as a recreation centre for the people.

The Forest Department and Doh Pyi Thar Enterprise jointly undertook construction of the theme park with collaborative efforts of Japanese and local technicians and equipment imported from Japan.

In instructing officials, the minister said the Ministry of Forestry is striving to earn foreign exchange, boost production of timber and forest products for infrastructure in the country, conserve the environment, forest and wildlife and establish public recreation centres such as Yangon and Mandalay zoos.

He spoke of establishment of recreation centres and ecotourism industry to extend undertakings which make money and instructed officials to systematically maintain the park accident-free.

The minister also viewed the baby giraffes presented by the Netherlands under the animal exchange programme.

(3) MIC Secretary receives MD of KCCI

YANGON, 3 Oct - Minister at the Office of the Deputy Prime Minister and Secretary of Myanmar Investment Commission Brig-Gen Maung Maung received Managing Director of Korean Chamber of Commerce and Industry (KCCI) Mr Wan Kee Minn of Republic of Korea at Myanmar Investment Commission Office this afternoon.

Present also were officials of Myanmar Investment Commission Office.

(4) Farm equipment handed to AMD

YANGON, 3 Oct- Shiroyama Shoji Co Ltd of Japan donated five harvesters and one transplanter worth US \$ 99,000. The hand-over of agricultural equipment was held at Agriculturel Mechanization Department, Kyaikkalo, Mingaladon Township, on 24 September.

Manager Makio Yachi of the company handed the equipment to Director-General of AMD U Win Maw.

Officials then inspected the equipment.

(5) Minister receives Minister at Office of the Prime Minister of Thailand

YANGON, 3 Oct- Member of the State Law and Order Restoration Council Minister for Progress of Border Areas and National Races and Development Affairs Lt-Gen Maung Thint received Minister at the Office of the Prime Minister of Thailand Mr Werakorn Khumprakob, accompanied by Ambassador of Thailand Mr Poksak Nilubol, at his office this morning.

Present also were Deputy Minister U Kyaw Tin and officials.

(6) Minister receives Minister at Office of Prime Minister of Thailand

YANGON, 3 Oct - Minister for Home Affairs Lt-Gen Mya Thin received Minister at the Office of the Prime Minister of Thailand Mr Werakon Khumprakob and party at his office this morning.

Present also were Deputy Minister for Home Affairs Col Tin Hlaing, Director-General of the Myanmar Police Force Police Maj-Gen Soe Win, Director Police Col Ngwe Soe Tun of the Central Committee for Drug Abuse Control and Head of the Office U Mahn Maung.

(7) Myanmar delegation leaves for China

YANGON, 3 Oct Myanmar delegation led by Minister for Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement Maj-Gen Soe Myint left here by air this morning for the People's Republic of China at the invitation of the Minister of Public Affairs of PRC.

It was seen off at the Yangon International Airport by Minister for Labour Maj-Gen Saw Lwin, Minister for Livestock and Fisheries U Aung Thaung, Deputy Minister for Social Welfare, Relief and Resettlement Brig-Gen Maung Kyi, Ambassador of PRC Mr Liang Dong, heads of departments under the ministry and relatives.

The delegation includes Director-General of Social Welfare Department U Than Po, Deputy Director-General of Fire Services Department U Than Hlaing and Head of Division Captain Than Zaw.

(8) Labour Department presents stipend for staff children

YANGON, 3 Oct - The Labour Department of the Ministry of Labour held the fourth ceremony to present stipend and prizes to the children of the employees for outstanding performance in education, at Pinlon Hall of the department in Dagon Myothit (North) this morning.

Present were Minister for Labour Maj-Gen Saw Lwin, Deputy Minister U Kyaw Aye, directors-general of the boards and departments under the ministry, officials of the labour department, employees and guests.

Director U Tin Nwe of the Labour Department spoke.

Maj-Gen Saw Lwin presented prizes to the children of the employees.

U Kyaw Aye presented stipend for the Labour Department (Head Office) and seven states and divisions, and Director-General of the Labour Department U Tun Shwe stipend and two special prizes for seven states and divisions.

A total of over K 550,000 including stipend for 564 children of the employees and prizes for 13 outstanding students were presented.

(9) MoU on economic cooperation signed

YANGON, 3 Oct - The Union of Myanmar Chamber of Commerce and Industry and the Korea Chamber of Commerce and Industry signed a Memorandum of Understanding on economic cooperation at the Sedona Hotel this morning.

Present were Vice-Chairman of UMCCI U Hla Myint Thein, executives, Managing Director of KCCI Mr Wan Kee Min, Vice-Chairman Mr Jin Young Oh and party, Ambassador of the Republic of Korea Mr Kyong Bo Choi, and officials of UMCCI.

U Hla Myint Thein and Mr Wan Kee Min extended greetings.

Mr Jin Young Oh explained industrial development in Korea.

U Hla Myint Thein and Mr Wan Kee Min signed the MoU, and exchanged documents.

Then, they discussed economic cooperation.
