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KABUL

NEWS STALLS Near Shahi Pul: Blue Mosque Shar-e-Naw; Khyber Restaurant: International Club; Pamir Cinema; Near Ariana Afghan Airlines.

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KABUL SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1963 (HOOT 4, 1341 S.H.) Constitution of the second

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300 Killed In Libyan Earthquake OF EMERGENCY DECLARED

BENGHAZI, Feb. 23, (Reuter).-More tremors last night shook the desert town of Barce, 60 miles from here, where 300 people, mostly children, were killed in Thursday's violent earthquake.

Attend E.C.M. Council Meeting

THE HAGUE, Feb. 23, (Reuter).—The Dutch Cabinet yesterday decided not to send a Minister to next Monday's European in Brussels. Holland will be represented by her permanent delegate. Mr. Dirk Spierenburg.

The Foreign Minister, Dr. Joseph Luns, would normally have attended, but when the date of the meeting was proposed it was pointed out that it did not suit him, a Ministry spokesman said.

Other Ministers-who would have gone are either on holiday. or "prevented from attending," the spokesman added.

Meanwhile, in an interview yesterday with the Berlin Morgenpost, Dr. Luns said the cleavage between Britain and the Common Market countries must not widen.

German Chairman of the Market executive, will visit here for talks with the Government on the situation following the French veto on British entry to the six, Foreign Ministry sources said tonight.

tensive diplomatic exchanges yesterday tabled a draft resoluwere going on to find an "interim" tion at the UN Economic Comsolution to break the deadlock of mission for Africa (EEC) confer-British membership.

unite Europe "based on a Franco- at the U.N. General Assembly. in no way be disregarded."

LEAVE FOR YEMEN

MOSCOW, Feb. 23, (DPA).-A left here for Yemen last night and joined by another group of Soing to a report by "Tass" News and Social Council in New York, farmers. Agency. The Soviet specialists tion in Yemen and on other agri- ence. cultural problems and also offer recommendations concerning the shipment of Soviet equipment for the drilling of artesian wells, the agency added.

avalanche of mud and earth day. forcing the 75 inhabitants to including nine policement.

No Dutch Minister further damage all buildings in the acting Vice-President of the ban treaty. But it said the U.S. bility from the Soviet Union." Mr. Paiz disarmament chief, Mr. William Godber added. people are feared missing beneath of the Institute of Theatrical Arts this week-end in another effort to Yemen

> A state of emergency has been declared and Libyan soldiers. police and U.S. and British troops are co-operating in combing the ruins for survivors.

A joint American-British opera-Common Market Council meeting tional centre had been established in Benghazi and British troops in Cyrenaica were co-

> the devastation, said half the tan in 1963. town looked destroyed.

dark mass of rubble.

"all U.A.R. resources," following sador and Embassy officials. ed, last night.

Africa From ECA RESOLUTION DRAFT TABLED

LEOPOLDVILLE, Feb. 23, Well-informed sources said in- (Reuter).-Fifteen African States ence here calling for the exclu-In Brussels Lord Gladwyn, for- sion of South Africa and Portu-

"the chances of a world war could second resolution aimed at reducing the status of Britain, France and Spain to associate membership was still possible, but con-SOVIET FARM EXPERTS siderable lobbying among deleyesterday.

Neither Portugal nor South Af-

ARRESTED IN N. KENYA

Fortyseven people have been ar- that implementation of the targets on the experience gained so far. Havana, reiterated President

curfew.

Royal Audience

KABUL, Feb. 23.—The Department of Royal Protocol announces that His Majesty the King granted audience to the following during the week which ended on February 21: Mr. Sayed Abdullah, the acting Minister of Interior; Dr. Abdul Hakim Tabibi, Afghahammad Ibrahim Kandahari, Pre- has agreed to two or three. sident of the Government Print- An official U.S. statement voic- the Soviet attitude at the talks. ing Press; Mr. Ghulam Sarwar ed disappointment at the Soviet Nasher, President of the Spinzar Union's unwillingness to go ahead But the new tremors caused no Company; Dr. Abdullah Wahidi, with three-nation talks on a test and uninhabitable. Many more Mohammad Khairzada, Director P. Foster, would return to Geneva the rubble and 12,000 are home- and Mr. Samad, chief of Miamana reach an effective agreement to Buz-kashi team.

Sherzad In Moscow Foster heads, after it had been cleared by President Kennedy Trade

ordinating aid to the stricken Ghulam Mohammad Sherzad, Af- a year.

President Nasser has offered Shahalami, the Afghan Ambas-day for consultations.

iden.
Professor Walter Hallstein, Exclusion Of South payments between the two countries.

U.S.A. READY TO ACCEPT 7 ON-SITE INSPECTIONS

WASHINGTON, Feb. 23, (AP).—The United States disclosed yesterday it had told the Soviet Union it might accept seven on-site inspections to police an atomic test ban if the Soviets agree to "meaningful" inspection procedures.

nistan's Minister Plenipotentiary sisting on eight to 10 on-site in- when he arrived at London airat the United Nations; Mr. Mo- spections while the Soviet Union port for the week-end yesterday

ban nuclear explosions.

The U.S. statement was issued by the Arms Control and Disarmament Agency, which cleared by President Kennedy.

MOSCOW, Feb. 23, (Tass).-Mr. than three on-the-spot inspections but fixed no election date.

Two RAF officers who flew over merce, arrived in Moscow yester- Press officer, Mr. Lincoln White, Barce at noon in an RAF Can-day for negotiations on trade who read the statement to reberra which took photographs of between the USSR and Afghanis- porters said he did not know just when Mr. Foster offered the So-He was met at Sheremetyevo viets the possibility of a lower White building still apparently airport by Mr. Nicolai Patolichev, inspection figure. Presumably it intact stood out clearly against a the Minister of Foreign Trade of was shortly before Mr. Foster rethe USSR, Mr. Abdul Hakim turned to Washington on Thurs-

Only the day before, Feb. 20, the Barce earthquake disaster, the During his sojourn in the So- the State Department spokesman Middle East News Agency report-viet Union, the Minister of Com- had said stories about a reported merce will sign the protocol for reduction in the U.S. demand Note within a week from the Inthe 12th term of the agreement were "entirely speculative" and dian Prime Minister, Mr. Nehru,

> Mr. Joseph Godber, British delegate at the 17-nation dis-

ADVANTAGES **CO-OPERATIVES** Adalat's Advice To Mazar Agriculturists

MAZAR-I-SHARIF, Feb. 23.—The acting Minister of Agrimer British Ambassador to gal from the Commission and ask- culture, Mr. Ghulam Haider Adalat, now visiting northern pro-France, said that if the efforts to ing for the issue to be taken up vinces, discussed at a meeting held at the Government hall in Mazar city with representatives of livestock owners and far-German alliance" were to prevail, Conference sources said a mers matters related to the distribution of chemical fertilizers tined for a Cuban underground among the agriculturalists and the establishment of livestock movement. associations, agricultural co-operatives and assistance to farmers in general.

In his 1½-hour long discussionssion in the country. gates continued on this subject the Minister explained to repre-The resolution tabled on South nities in Mazar the advantages of who was also present at the meet- the Cuban coast. team of Soviet farm specialists Africa and Portugal in effect establishing these associations ing, said in a statement, that as asks the Commission to reaffirm and co-operatives and their role a result of the increased efforts in the next few days would be resolutions approved at the last in improving crop and livestock of the people and the material U.S. NOTE annual conference and subse production which in turn would and technical assistance given by WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The

would draft proposals on irriga- rica is represented at the confer- tion in the area the Minister tons as compared to that of last "unprovoked and wilful" attack pointed out that the Government year. The Governor expressed on an unarmed U.S. shrimp boat had a two-fold interest in assist- the hope that next year this in the Florida Straits last Weding and promoting cotton indus-figure would be far exceeded as nesday. try namely that of increasing ex- a result of the application of im- The Note, delivered to the Cuports and improving the lot of proved varieties of chemical fer- ban Foreign Office on Thursday NAIROBI, Feb. 23, (Reuter).— the farmers. The Minister added tilizer and better practices based night by the Swiss Embassy in

rested at Garissa, in North-east set would depend to a great deal Afterwards the Minister, ac-Kennedy's warning that the U.S. Kenya, after a tribal clash two on the farmers themselves. It companied by Mr. Pramach, in-Armed Forces would take neces-NAPLES, Feb. 23, (Reuter).-An days ago, police here said yester- was up to them, he said, to esta- spected the agricultural farm sary measures to protect the life blish associations and co-opera- which covers an area of 200 acres, and property of its citizens on the about 450 yards wide, last night. The clash, between pro-seces- tives on the advice and assistance. The farm also grows saplings for high seas against such attacks. engulfed the village of St. sionist Somalis and Tan Riverine of the Government. He promised the reafforestation scheme. It has "This flagrant and deliberate Antonio, a few miles from here, tribesmen, left 24 people injured, that the Ministry of Agriculture an elaborate workshop for repair- violation of international law would render every assistance for ing and maintaining agricultural warrants prompt and unequivoabandon their homes and posses- The area was yesterday under development and extension of traction equipment and tools and cal explanation from the Cuban agriculture and livestock expan-implements.

The United States has been in- armament talks in Geneva, said tnat he had been disappointed" by

> Disagreement between East and West was narrow now and "it could be bridged with more flexi-

Elections

ADEN, Feb. 23, (Reuter).-Marshal Abdullah al Sallal, the president of the Yemen Republic, It followed Geneva develop yesterday ordered the first ever GIKS ments yesterday in which the elections throughout Yemen for Soviets made an offer of no more a tribal House of Representatives,

Sana'a Radio said 60 per cent ghanistan's Minister of Com- The U.S. State Department of the members will be elected freely and 40 per cent will be nominated.

The sheikhs of all Yemeni tribes will be represented in the House whose membership will be between 160 and 180, the radio

Indian Note Nasser

CAIRO, Feb. 23, (AP).-President Nasser has received second on the exchange of goods and "no numbers have been mention on the Sino-Indian border dispute, U.A.R., officials said yes-

> They said the most recent Note contained new material" concerning the six Colombo Powers' recommendations for settling the dispute, but gave no details.

HIJACKED TRAWLERS CAPTURED

HAVANA, Feb. 23, (Reuter) .-The Cuban Navy yesterday announced the capture on Thursday night of two Cuban trawlers hijacked eight days ago and the arrest of eight anti-Castro agents

The communique said that two 33-foot boats belonging to a State o co-operative at Cardenas, about 90 miles east of Havana, were sentatives of the farming commu- The Governor, Mr. Pramach, caught as they tried to land on

viet agricultural experts, accord- quently rejected by the Economic raise the living standards of the the Government, cotton produc- United States told Cuba in a Note tion in Mazar province had in-published yesterday that two In encouraging cotton cultiva- creased this year by over 2,000 Cuban MIG aircraft had made an

Government," it added.

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LIBYAN QUAKE

DISASTER

people have lost their lives and territories over a period of a hun-being spread by the Government called border and in numerous voted one full page to international homeless has come hardly ing out of long should be former. Consider the company of the former Consider Deforment Consider Deforment

declared a state of emergency and already rescue teams and doctors have rushed to the spot to render assistance to the

that moral and material help is Africa had more than doubled required by the people of the during the last fifteen years; in affected areas. Apart from insome African countries, he added, dividual countries rendering up to a quarter of the total population assistance, international Red dwellers.

Transfer and Adaptation

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Cross should move in quickly Dumont, (France), turned his atmunity to examine the existing lance sheet of the inadequacies of th

Normally epidemics follow danger in developing countries targets of the UN Programme. It ingend; he dealt particularly with outlets on the Mediterranean and organizations should provide in a way out of proportion to the sion. introduced the subject ledge In his view the highest

At least meteorologists can help in this connexion but yet ties ranging from manpower de-technically more advanced countion of agriculture. Belgium, the At least meteorologists can help in this connexion but yet ties ranging from manpower us technically more advanced court monor agriculture. Beigium, the predict the direction and tim- in the case of earthquakes this velopment and energy utilization tries.

Netherlands, Luxembourg or the Benefix countries which are tied and give timely warnings to science should come to the res. In fact, as the Conference Sec. more on up-to-date methods and

The Line Which Dismembers Nation

Pakhtunistan—the northern, By CANDIDUS not because she wants to extend central and southern parts-in-mand of this country's noble son her boundaries, but because she In an editorial for children cluding the Occupied and Inde- His Majesty, late King Moham- has been wantonly and arbitrarily yesterday's Anis spoke about the pendent portions extends from mad Nadir Shah, achieved their dismembered to perpetuate colo-points of etiquette which should Chitral in the north to the Ara- full independence. They did, nial interests and preserve a for- be observed by young ones durbian Sea in the south. When the however, create a w border the eign colony on Asian soil. Let us ing the Id festivities. The edi-British conquered Sind and the so called Durand Line-between look at this question more closely torial points sout that children Punjab, defeating the Talpur Afghanistan and, what they call- and carry out a step-by-step exa- should watch out against exces-Mirs of Sind and the Sikh rulers ed, British India: of the Punjab, their desire to further extend the borders of their Unreal Line Empire in Central Asia and also

what every impartial observer food. If they don't watch out to 'contain', as they thought, the Had it been a boundary-line will finds for himself. We shall they are likely to become ill by Afs. 250 slow but persistent nibbling drawn with full regard for geo-find that the Momands in the over-stuffing themselves. The Afs. 150 tactics of Czarist Russia from ap graphical and ethnographical North have been divided indis- editorial stressed that good chil-Afs. 80. proaching the borders of their facts, then no one would have criminately and live on both sides dren make a point of not staying Indian Empire, they formulated objected to it. But was it so? of this bogus 'Line', so are the at each relative's home where ... \$ 15 what later came to be known as We know, and so do the rulers Afridis, the Masouds, the Wazirs, they go to offer Id felictations ... \$ 8 the "Forward Policy". of Pakistan, that the Afghan the Bhittanis, the Yousuphzais, more than 10 or 20 minutes. rulers, from the late Amir the Kakars and the Achakzais, to In an article published also on

suffice it to say that it was, as the and British India; why? the south live in Afghanistan, an complement their studies in word forward shows, an aggres- To the world-at-large, including other tenth, the Ammerzais, live school.

the disaster is big and the efforts by the glaring swords of Alghanistan supports the free the Afghans who under the com- dom movement in . Pakhtunistan blood to be free. efforts by the glaring swords of Afghanistan supports the free flesh and the blood of their own policies. The Libyan Government has leclared a state of emergency Science. And Economic Progress Developing victims and search for survi- That economic development of education would a develop, principal aid-giving nations had shocking figure, said the editorial

vors. What makes the event tends to produce its own problems while the peasantry would con- set up important organizations to was in fact being spent to create tragic is that the first two was the lesson of Tuesday morn-tinue to lack even the elementary look after their technical assist. greater and more efficient means shocks came accompanied by ing's General Session, devoted to instruction needed to modernize ance programmes, many under- of mass annihilation. After stresstorrential rain after the _peo- social problems of development its production methods. In order developed countries had not yet ing that the present-day world ple, who consist mostly of Mus. and urbanization. Although the to change this type of situation created the administrative machine needs all this amount and more lims, began to eat their first problem was obviously world and thus put an end to the now nery required for the efficient to eradicate poverty, hunger and wide it assumed very different existing difficulties of physical handling of aid received; most illiteracy, the editorial expressed meal to break the day's fasting, forms, depending on the region, labour, Prof. Dumont suggested under-developed countries, he the hope that 17-nation. Conferthis being the month of Rama- the country and the climate that a new type of education be said, had not clearly defined de- ence on Disarmament would under consideration. In most encouraged in the developing velopment plans and as a conse-reach an agreement as the most cases, however, economic trans-countries, one that would be less quence of this were inadequately pressing problem of our time-Heavy loss of life in such formation led to upheavals in a copy of European education but organized to utilize, to the maxi- disarmament. natural calamities always casts the social order and affiected so- rather a system that would pro- mum benefit, the technical assisa gloom and causes sorrow and ciety down to the family and the vide practical instruction, in tance available. In addition dea gloom and causes sorrow and clery down to the family and the vide practical instruction, in tance available. In addition de name radio r

retary emphasized, while the (Contd. on Page 3)

mination of the area astride the sive eating when they call on so-called Durand Line. This is their relatives where they are what we shall see and this is likely to be offered sweets and from abroad. This policy has been described Abdurrahman Khan down, have name only a few. It may inter- pages allotted specially for chilwill be accepted by cheques of and analysed so often that it never accepted this Line as the est the Pakistani propagandists dren Anis advises them to take a local currency at the official would be a waste of space and real, justiciable and indisputable and their supporters that while greater interest in studying books energy on my part to repeat it; boundary between Afghanistan 9/10th of the Achakzai tribe in of general knowledge in order to

sive policy calculated to keep Af- I am afraid, most politicians, in Southern Occupied Pakhtunis- Thursday's Anis in its editorial ghanistan in a state of perpetual Pakhtunistan, is a strip of land tan, i.e., across the so-called Bri- considered the projected State unrest so that its rulers would on "the eastern frontier of Afgha- tish-imposed boundary-line. Simi- visit by His Majesty the King seek the British support and 'as- nistan". It will, however, sur- larly is the case with the Kakars, and Her Majesty the Queen to sistance'. The British Empire prise them if they made an on- half of them live in Zhob (the United States as another step builders were in fact so zealous the spot examination of facts as Jogezais) in Southern Occupied towards strengthening Afghanthat they even thought of carving they are in Northern; Central and Pakhtunistan while another half American relations, which have Afghanistan into two parts—the Southern Pakhtunistan. To many live in Afghanistan. It may also been constantly developing ever part north of the Hidukush and people abroad the Government of interest—the vistor to see indivi- since the exchange of diplomatic that south of this mountain range. Afghanistan is disputing Pakis- vidual families split up with some missions between the two countries scheme missions as tan's occupation of some real- members living across the so-call- tries in 1936. The editorial also everybody knows, led to a num- estate claimed as Afghan pro- ed border in Pakhtunistan and gave some information about the Thursday's Libyan earth ber of wars between Afghanistan perty. Nothing can be farther the others in Afghanistan. I georgraphy and history of the quake in which hundreds of and British colonial forces. Their from the truth than this propa-have seen many a couple's in-laws. United States. people have lost their lives and enchroachments into the Afghan ganda, which has been, and is living on both sides of the so-. The same issue of the paper de-

homeless has come hardly ing out of large chunks of our Afghanistan and its leaders do divided to protect vested inter of the former Canadian Defence months after a similar or motherland with sheer brutality not covet territory belonging to ests. perhaps worse disaster which with a view to incorporating them others, and pray how can an aim. What Afghanistan and the peo_appears on the page. Mr. Harkins, struck Iran and claimed 20,000 in their Indian colony. How of territorial expansion be nursed ple of Afghanistan want is not it may be recalled, did not agree casualties. Even in the Libyan ever, the aggressors finally realize when old Empires are being so many square miles of rock and with the Canadian Prime Ministra case the casualties are great, ed the futility of their continued liquidated all over the world? desert, but the flesh of their own beliefen defence to the casualties are great, ed the futility of their continued liquidated all over the world? desert, but the flesh of their own beliefen defence to the casualties are great, ed the futility of their continued liquidated all over the world?

> French Defence Minister visiting Madrid and holding talks with Spanish authorities is also featured on the page.

Thursday's Islah carried an editorial entitled #\$150 billion spent annually on carmaments". This

Radio Kabul in its commentary

formulate their precise demands The six member States of the for the kind of technical assist. European Common Market, that

munity to examine the existing lance sheet of the inadequacies of preoccupations of these two counpre-requisites of economic promethods of international co-ope- technical assistance methods at tries are of a different character.

Normally epidemics follow gress; in his view there was a targets of the UN Programme. It ingend he dealt particularly with food, medical supplies, tents, wealth produced by the peasant blankets and ambulances.

Science and technology have majorities in a way out of proportion to the subject ledge. In his view the highest focussed upon the newly independent of the development decade would tional institutions in devloping inc. how the hard, Britain which is los-Science and technology have indispensable resources required of the development decade would tional institutions in devloping ing her commonwealth countries, not yet been able to prevent ed to satisfy inessential urban intensified by the developed as ly on additional curricula and mon Market for its trade, and not yet been able to prevent ed to satisfy messential urban intensified by the developed as ly on additional curricular and mon market for its trade, and well as by the developing counteaching methods which were dethat is why, she has been strugties, over a wide field of activity veloped over centuries in the gling against France on the questions de technically more advanced countended. tries, in his view, should depend by various treaties to each other,

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RADIO PROGRAMME

SATURDAY EXTERNAL SERVICES First English Programme: On 19 Metre Band 3-00-3-30 p.m. A.S.T.=10-30 GMT Music 3-07: 3-10 Commentary 3-10-3-13: Music 3-13-3-16; article on "Men who made history" 3-16-3-20 Music

Second English Programme:

On 31 Metre Band for South East Asia and Indonesia. Urdu Programme: 7-00-7-30 p.m. A.S.T. on 63 Metre Band in the Short Wave

Third English Programme:

7-30-8-00 p.m. A.S.T.=14-00 GMT on 63 Metre Band. News 7-30-7-37; Music 7-37-7-40article on "Afghanistan today" 7-46-7-49: Music 7-49-800 Russian Programme: 10-00-10-30 p.m. A.S.T. on 63 Metre Band. Arabic Programme: 10-30-11-00 p.m. A.S.T. on 31 Metre Band

German Programmes 11-00-11-30 p.m. A.S.T. on 31 Metre Band French Programme:

11-30-12-00 p.m. A.S.T. on 31 Metre Band.

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nesday. Saturday

SUNDAY

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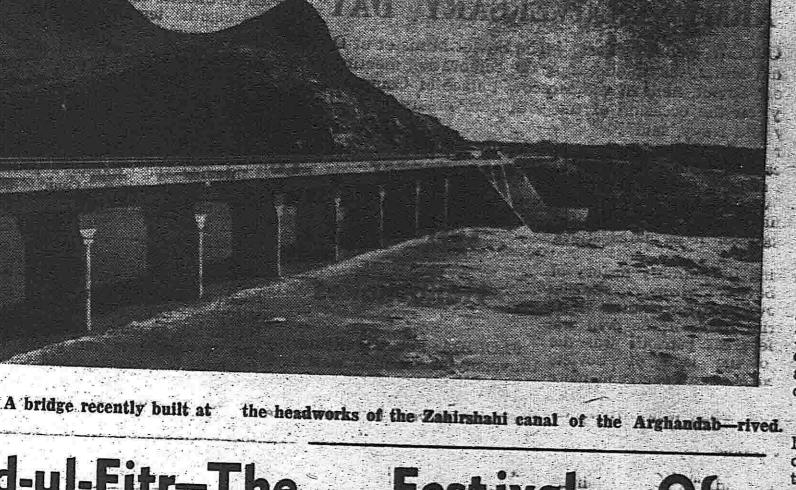
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ld-ul-Fitr-The Festival Rejoicing & Thanksgiving

9-00-9-30 a.m. daily except Fri. The word "Id" means "rejoic freedom after a day of self-res- together with the following two ing" and, in some cases, "greeting traint, imposed upon oneself days are spent in visits to friends 5-00-5-30 p.m. daily except Sun- each other". Id-ul-Fitr, celebrat- voluntarily just to please Him. and relatives, dinners and pared at the end of the month of Colourful Occasion fasting, is a sort of "Thanksgiv-

9-00-9-45 p.m. Sunday, classical ing" in which the faithful and Id-ul-Fitr, for the grown-ups, is and help their less-fortunate diovascular diseases and cancer 9-45-10-00 p.m. Monday, Wed the godly thank their Creator for a day of thanksgiving, and for the brothers with cash—"Sadagai of the lung." a duty well-performed and for younger generation an occasion Fitr" is designed for this very His munificence in bestowing on which they can gorge them-purpose. Children, escorted by The resolution, passed on Wed-upon us the bountiful gifts of selves upon all the goodies in the their parents or elder brothers, passed on Friday. Services food, health and contentment. world—their world. It is a real- are taken to the various fairIn the Islamic world two Ide ly colourful occasion—everyone, grounds where they ride in In the Islamic world, two Ids ly colourful occasion-everyone, grounds where they ride in or festivals are celebrated every old and young, is dressed in his merry-go-rounds, smear lolly-pops only 81 acute cases of high alti-year; one of these is Id-ul-Fitr or her best clothes. In Afgha- over their nose and cheeks, tude sickness were recorded and the other Id-ud-Doha or Id- nistan, the day begins with Id munch pop-corn and almond-brit, among Indian troops in last fall's Bakr. Id-ud-Doha marks the peer- prayers at the Grand or Central tle, drink innumerable glasses of battles with the Chinese in the ARIANA AFGHAN AIRLINES less sacrifice offered by Patriarch mosque in which His Majesty the 'sherberts' in all hues and flavours Himalayas. Abraham when he agreed to sac- King, the Prime Minister and but mostly sweet, and then holdrifice his son Ismail to please God, other members of the Cabinet, ing rattles, cloth-covered and but Id-ul-Fitr is a gay occasion Moslem members of the Diploma- stiff-legged toy-horses, dolls and others all recovered quickly on when Moslems all over the world tic Corps and large crowds of the tin-whistles they return home being taken down from 14,000 celebrate the freedom given to citizens of Kabul take part tired, dusty but feeling as if the feet to lower altitudes, he said. them after thirty days of self- After that high-ranking Govern- whole world belonged to them. abnegation, patience in the face ment officials offer their felicita. This, then is Id-ul-Fitr or, to desabnegation, patience in the face ment officials of the face ment of the fa The greatest misfortune in the Palace (meaning "The Hall of ing". present-day world, in my opinion, Audience"). The public disperse

is that people take for granted the pleasures of life, the comforts Science And of modern living and the joy of a healthy life. This is, perhaps, (Contd. from page 2). achieving the objectives laid concern the dispute between Brihuman nature; but were these teaching instruments and should down in the report and recome tain and France. And Finally fortunate people to pause and not be critical of accelerated me-mendations of the UN Secretary- Western Germany and France, think how unpleasant things thods for the training of specia- General", relating to the Deve which for the first time in their

would look if they missed their lists; but because competent tea- lopment Decade. lunch, or dinner or even the ching personnel were generally harmful whiff of tobacco smoke in short supply the problem of The discussion that followed leaders wish, of full confidence higher education in developing presentation of the subject rang- in each other. In this case such It would be well-worthwhile quired a solution at the interna- to develop telecommunications; after General de Gaulle and perspiring under a heavy load in

serve as a tonic for the latter to gretted what he said was both communications. know that while he himself can the overlapping and duplication reasons for being thankful for marked that telecommunications veral dialects were spoken. what we have. The most impor- are the nervous system of a motant thing for us to know is whe-dern economy.

ther we appreciate what we have Telecommunications, in the sion of information, Mr. Amer re- ing a blockade against the Comor do we grumble and turn life opinion of Mr. S. H. Abaza of the ported that progress was being mon Market, and Italy has threainto a miserable existence. This ITU, had a penetrating role in made towards the mass productened to quit this union, yet poliis what the month of Ramadan human activities as a means of tion of the five dollar transistor tical and economic observers are teaches us. Can anyone forget social promotion, as a tool of eco-receiver, to be assembled locally of the opinion that despite all - the pleasure of the cup of tea nomic development in the service by three or four skilled workers, these developments, the European Phone No. 24273 sipped at "Iftar" in the evening and protection of life and for edu- which could become a powerful Common Market, would continue or the first puff of smoke from a cation. He added that telecom-tool in rural educational pro- its activities and none of its mem-Phone No. 20583. cigarette Most important of all munications therefore "will be grammes." is that all-permeating sense of called upon to play its partin

countries Prof. Lauger said, re- ed from problems of how properly questions as what would happen for those reclining in a Cadillac tional or at least the regional le- that is the transmission of infor- Chancellor Adenauer leave the mation, to the nature of the in- scene. formation itself, as well as to the the scorching sun. It will also Dr. I. N. Romanov (USSR) re-potentialities of satellites in But the most important cause

indigestible food, the man-in-the he urged greater concentration of marked that a well developed against Britain's inclusion in this Cadillac is probably suffering essential and urgent needs. broadcasting service might help union. from stomach-ulcers and lives on During UNCSAT's final general to solve the language problem in 20121-20122 boiled spinach and unbuttered Session, devoted to telecommuni some African countries, in so far Although the failure, at the 20121-20122 toast. In other words, all of us, cations, held on Thursday after as it could generalise the use of Brussels talks, was greeted with 20159-24041, whether rich or poor, have many noon, Mr. J. Briend (France) re- one language in areas where se- a violent reaction in certain quar-

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Cause & Effect

U.S. CHEST DOCTOR'S NOTHER Cigarette smoking and soldiers

sickness at high altitudes figured in discussions at a meeting in New Delhi on Friday of more than 800 doctors from 40 coun-

There are no statistics to prove that smoking causes cancer of the dung. That is only an inference by statisticians." Dr. John F. Briggs of the U.S.A. told a news conference

Dr. Briggs, who is President of the American College of Chest Physicians (ACCP), said in his opinion smoking and cancer "are an association of events and not cause and effect.

"Smoking does play a role in lung cancer and coronary heart disease but we don't know what the role is."

The ACCP is holding a five-day international congress in New Delhi on chest diseases.

The ACCP International Council, representing members in 89 countries, adopted a resolution saying, "the weight of scientific evidence distinctly indicates cigarette smoking and other atassociation and relationship which strongly suggests casual connex-The well-to-do feed the poor ion with chronic bronchitis, car-

The resolution, passed on Wed-

Two of these men died but

turbulent history have joined hands, are not quite sure, as their

of the bickerings within the Eurodigest the richest and the most of technical assistance projects; Mr. Salah Amer (UAR) re-days, is General de Gaulle's veto

> ters of the Western allies, and some members of the Brussles As for the media for the diffu- commission have talked of impos-. ber States will be in a position to quit it.

'Kissometer

Test

Only

Handshakes

FLORIDA, Feb. 23, (Reuter).-

clamped down on the "kisso-

metre" machine, which measures

the "love power" of passionate

kisses, and ruled that it will only

be used to test handshakes in fu-

There was to be no kissing on

The machine, devised by under-

graduate scientists, has electrical-

ly charged probes which are held

by the couple using it. These

send a small electric charge

through their bodies, and a circuit

The lowest kiss power lights a

A sizzling embrace rate a "wo-

DURING ID

HOURS

is completed when they kiss.

sign saying "dead fish".

wee" and rings a bell.

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gard to the law.

the University campus, their rul-

ing said.

EXPANSION RESOURCES COMECON Takes "Big Steps"

meeting here this week have moved a step further in the integration of their economies.

The East German Deputy Premier, Mr. Bruno Leuschner, who presided at the meeting which ended on Thursday, said "big steps" were taken especially for the pooling and expansion of fuel and power resources up to 1980.

The Polish Deputy Premier, Mr. P. Jarosziewicz, said in a Tass interview that the meeting adopted practical measures on cooperation in geological prospecting and unincation of certain geological engineering works. Western observers said this was no doubt one way of achieving the aim outlined by Herr Leusch-

Mr. Jarosziewicz said the meeting's decisions were designed to increase the co-ordination national development plans to the adoption of a single plan for some branches of the economy."

Training Meteorology

Up-To-Date **Facilities** Available

KABUL, Feb. 23.-The programme followed by the Department of Meteorology in the Faculty of Science_differs very little from that followed by similar departments in foreign univer- ness, a victory of the policy of sities. The department is equip-peaceful co-existence over the KABUL, Feb. 23.—The Minisped with up-to-date facilities and policy of crude arbitrariness in try of Communications announces is run by capable experts. This was stated by Mr. Abiburrahman Khalilzada, a teacher of meteorology at the Faculty of Science.

He said that graduates from the Department of Meteorology would not only be able to take part in compiling charts and weather the aggressors burn in the very ter).—The Moroccan National PARIS, Feb. 23, (Reuter).—Mr. bean nine days ago are due to be forecasts but would also be able to carry out research work on climatology and on the academic aspects of meteorology.

Afghanistan, he said, being a mountainous country offered challenging prospects in various nuclear catastrophev. aspects of meteorology. He added that during the next academic honest people in the world to year in addition to theoretical concentrate their efforts on curbtraining, plans were under way ing the imperialists in time, deto acquaint the students with priving them of the possibility of analysing and making use of using the murderous nuclear weaweather maps and charts now ar- pons. ranged for weather forecasts by the forecasting section of the Af-sky has ordered a 45-salvo gun ghan Air Authority so that the salute to be fired today to mark students could be usefully em-the 45th anniversary of the Army ployed after graduation.

of students. Other text-books on their battle readiness. climatology, physics and mathematics and other related sciences were under translation.

BOOKS CZECH MUSEUM KABUL

Stoge, the First Secretary of the grip of another cold wave, with Czechoslovak Embassy, presented the frigid air extending into parts on Thursday a number of publica- of the deep South. tions by the Czechoslovak Na- Below-zero temperatures were of Museums.

FUEL & POWER Soviet Troops Bring Peace To People MALINOVSKY'S ADDRESS ARMY ANNIVERSARY DAY

MOSCOW, Feb. 23, (Tass).—The Soviet Minister of Defence, MOSCOW, Feb. 23, (Reuter).— Marshal Malinovsky, addressing the celebration meeting of the The top Executive of COMECON, Moscow Soviet, held in the Moscow Palace of Congresses yesterday, on the occasion of the 45th anniversary of the Soviet Army and Navy, said:

> "Our armed forces in case of need can be quickly alerted to such a state of combat readiness, which will enable them to put immediately into a straitjacket any aggressor if he dares attack

Tracing the military history of the Soviet Army, Marshal Malinovsky stressed that "from the grim trials of the civil war and the great patriotic war the Army of the land of Soviets emerged even stronger and more steeled. It has become a truly invincible army, which vigilantly guards the peaceful labour of the Soviet people.

The Soviet Army, the Defence Minister said, "is of a genuinely nation-wide character, is inseparably linked with the people. The Soviet Army brings to the peoples no threat of aggression, but peace and security.'

Marshal Malinovsky said that truly revolutionary changes had been effected in the Soviet armed forces in recent years.

The far-sighted policy of the Communist Party and the Soviet Government in the extremely alarming days of the Caribbean crisis was highly assessed by the peoples of all countries as the most sober, realistic and peaceful of policies. The solution of the crisis in the Caribbean was a victory of reason over recklessthat the Central Post Office will international relations.

The Soviet Minister said: "We be open during the Id holidays once again firmly remind the from 9 a.m. to 12 noon and 2 to Western leaders that the Soviet 4 p.m. Union cannot be intimidated. The might of our retaliatory blow will be more than enough to make may lead to the unleashing of a in an irregular situation with re- air from New York last night.

The Marshal called upon all

Reuter adds: Marshal Malinovand Navy.

Mr. Khalilzada also said that In an order of the day orderthe latest editions of books on ing the salute, he called on the meteorology had been made avail- soldiers and sailors to be 'extreable for the department's library mely watchful," to strengthen the and a text-book had been trans- defensive capacity of the Soviet lated into Persian for the benefit Union and to improve constantly

Eastern And Central USA In Grip Of Cold Wave

NEW YORK, Feb. 23, (Reuter). -The Eastern and Central Unit-KABUL, Feb. 23.-Mr. Miroslav ed States were yesterday in the

tional Museum and the Naprstek general throughout the Middle Museum in Prague to the library West and North eastern States. of Kabul Museum. The publica- The West also had its share of tions were received by Mr. Mota-rough weather, with five inches medi, the acting Director-General of snow falling on Thursday in normally mild Las Vegas, Nevada.

Home News Brief

KABUL, Feb. 23.—Dr. Mohammad Anas, the Deputy Minister of Education, on Thursday distributed certificates to the graduates of the eighth term of the winter courses launched by the Institute of Education. In a brief speech on the occasion the Deputy Minister expressed the hope that the additional knowledge gained by taking the winter courses would help the men and women teachers to discharge their duties of enmore efficiently. Over 500 trainees have graduated from the

JALALABAD, Feb. 23.—A delegation of experts from the Institute of Education arrived in Nangarhar province on Wednesday to co-operate and guide the University of Miami officials have teachers for science and social subjects at the Teachers' Training College of Jalalabad. The delegation after holding talks with the teaching staff of the college returned to Kabul the same day. Adoula Returns

> KANDAHAR, Feb. 23.-Work on the installation of the new automatic telephone exchange in last night after his first visit there Kandahar has been completed since Katanga's secession ended. The 1,500-line exchange has been put into operation on an experimental basis for a month.

Thailand Recognizes Iraqi Government

BANGKOK, Feb. 23, (AP).-Thailand has extended formal recognition to the Iraqi Govern- go and Belgium. ment of the Prime Minister, Brigadier Ahmed Hasa Al Bakr, the Foreign Ministry has announced

SPECIAL KENNEDY'S

CASABLANCA, Feb. 23, (Reu- ENVOY IN PARIS

they can be only advised not to a meeting here yesterday that it Kennedy's special envoy for resort outside Rio and a Foreign lose their heads and keep their would take legal proceedings consultations on the establish- Ministry spokesman has said they hands as far as possible from the against foreign newspapers pub- ment of a NATO multilateral will later be given political push-buttons which, if pressed, lished in Morocco as they were nuclear force, arrived in Paris by asylum.



PARK CINEMA:

.At 3-30, 8 and 10 p.m. English film VIRGIN ISLAND starring: Virginia Maskell and Sindney Poitier.

For Id days Italian film "ROLAND THE MIGHTY" starlightening the country's youths ring: Reck Batta Glia and Rosanno Schiassino.

KABUL CINEMA:

At 3-30, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Russian film PLANE NUMBER 713, ASKS FOR LANDING. BEHZAD CINEMA:

At 3-30, 8 and 10-30 p.m. Russian film THE ENJOYABLE STORIES.

ZAINAB CINEMA:

At 3-30, 8 and 10 p.m. American film THE SHEEP MAN starring: Glen Ford.

From Katanga Visit

LEOPOLDVILLE, Feb. 23. (Reuter).—The Congolese Prime Minister, Mr. Cyrille Adoula, returned here from Elisabethville

Answering questions at the airport, he compared the two-day trip to his visit to Stanleyville 18 months ago to mark the end of secession of Orientale Province.

With his Foreign Minister, Mr. Justin Bomboko, he will leave for Brussels on Monday for a four-day visit generally accepted here as a move towards strengthening the ties between the Con-

BELEM, (Brazil), Feb. 23, (Reuter).-The nine Venezuelans who hijacked the freighter Anzoategui arrived here last evening. The Brazilian authorities handed over the 3,127-ton freighter to her owners and Venezuelan Embassy representatives on Thursday. The men who seized her in the Caribfirst hours of war. Therefore, Press Syndicate announced after Livingston Merchant, President interned at a naval hospital in a



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