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Charge Pressure On Bunche To Quit S.A. Racial Probe

United Nations, N.Y., March 24—Delegates of the Asian-Arab group charged today that Ralph Bunche, Nobel prize winner and director of the UN trusteeship department, had been forced by pressure from Secretary-General Trygve Lie to withdraw from a commission set up to investigate South African racial policies.

The group named a five-member committee to protest to L. B. Pearson, president of the General Assembly and Canada's external affairs minister, and to request Pearson to name a successor so the commission could go to work quickly.

A spokesman for Lie said that Lie had informed the Asian-Arab group that Bunche could not serve because of his other duties. He would not elaborate on the incident further.

Named by Assembly

Bunche was named to the three-member commission by a General Assembly vote last fall. The commission was set up as a result of complaints by the Asian-African group that South Africa's racial policies are a threat to world peace.

A spokesman for the group said today it had been given to understand last fall that Bunche would be available for the assignment. He said the group was told after Bunche was named that he would not be available. Some of the group protested and the word came from Lie, the spokesman said, that Bunche would again be available. This was the situation until yesterday when Lie informed the group that Bunche could not serve because of other duties.

This action, the spokesman indicated, meant also that the group would press its attack on Lie's personnel policies.

Members of the commission have said they did not expect to be allowed into South Africa in the course of their work. South Africa has denied that its policies threaten world peace and has rejected the UN action as an interference in its internal affairs.

NEGRO CONTRALTO PERFORMS MONDAY

Marion Crowley Newby, nationally known Negro contralto performed in a concert at Central Baptist Church, Monday a 8 p.m., presented by the London Bible Institute and Theological Seminary.

A native of Toronto, Mrs. Newby received her A.T.C.M. from the Royal Conservatory in piano. Then she began vocal study and has made an outstanding success as a singer.

In 1946 she decided to dedicate her talents to Christian service and she entered Toronto Bible College. She graduated in 1950 and for two years was teacher of voice at the college.

She has toured Canada and the United States extensively and has just returned from a recital tour of the Maritimes.

HEAR MRS. ROOSEVELT AT JACKSON DAY DINNER

The Democratic campaign in Michigan and Wayne County got off to an official start Saturday at the Annual Jefferson-Jackson Day dinner.

Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt and Stephen Mitchell, chairman of the Democratic National Committee, praised Michigan Democratic for the fine showing made by the party in the 1952 elections. Wayne County was pointed out as one of the Democratic strongholds that held it on in face of the Eisenhower boom.

Among those who attended were Harold Bledsoe, Edward A. Baker, Hobart Taylor, Joseph Coles, Dr. and Mrs. Samuel Milton, Mr. Geneva Cassey, Charles W. Jones, George Cathcart, Edgar Currie, the Rev. Mr. Molbon, David Holmes, Leon Gay, Sen. Charles C. Diggs, Jr., Sen. Cora Brown, and others.

Mrs. Vernice Spraggs, assistant to Congressman William Dawson, was the featured speaker at the Women's Tea earlier in the day.

SOUTH AFRICA VERSUS THE CHURCH

The recent barring from South Africa of two United States Negro Bishops is a disgrace to South Africa and an insult to the Christian Church. The two American bishops representatives of the missionary department of the African Methodist Episcopal Church with headquarters in New York were barred from visiting South Africa to preach. After a long delay a brief note of rejection was received and apparently no given reason. However, a glance at the headlines concerning South Africa will give reason enough. The recent uprising in S.A. The actions of the Mau-Maus and terrorist groups. The wave of terror gripping the white farmers, the mob riots, etc. are all good indications. The African black native is at last wanting to arise from under the thumb of Malan and the white supercrats and take their rightful place in the world as useful citizens rather than just glorified slave labor.

It is only natural that a country that is discriminating between two people (coloured) non-Europeans and Europeans would not want the natives to hear too much of the word of God. Christ's basic teaching, the Golden Rule and the fact that all men are created equal are certainly not being practiced in the South Africa of today. S.A. is having a general election on April 15 with the major election issues being the white supremacy policy. Prime Minister Malan, the instigator of the policy seems assured of personal re-election because no opponent was nominated. However, despite their policies S.A. can't suppress the work of the church among the people. Missionaries have and are doing a wonderful work despite the reign of terror. Until such time that it is recognized that all men are created equal in the sight of God there will be no internal rest in the Union of South Africa.

The Late Dowager Queen Mary



CANADIANS MOURN WITH CITIZENS OF THE COMMONWEALTH OF NATIONS, THE PASSING OF HER BELOVED MAJESTY QUEEN MARY.

HER LONG LIFE OF UNFAILING SERVICE, TO HER PEOPLE AND HER COUNTRY, STANDS AS A MEMORABLE EXAMPLE OF SIMPLE KINDNESS, WILLING SACRIFICE AND DEVOTION TO DUTY.

This was realized by the nation at large. They recognized in this royal woman all the high qualities which they had learned to think of as the core and heart of the English race. They admired her and loved her. She lived up to their expectations. On all occasions, opening bazaars, inspecting various projects, inquiring into the lives of the poor, probing the hardships of working women, she was close to her people. This genuine interest in their welfare was hers all the days of her life.

Life had brought her tears as well as laughter, and she had a warm, quick sympathy with all people. The world of honorable men and women dedicated to the privileges and duties of a free people, has lost a friend as well as a Queen.

Women With Heart Disease Can Bear Children Safely

Most young women with heart disease can bear children safely by following their doctors' instructions, according to a new booklet, "Heart Disease and Pregnancy," published recently by the American Heart Association and its affiliates, 44 E. Twenty-third Street, New York.

Answering the question, "Does childbearing tend to shorten the lives of women with heart disease?" the booklet reports that studies have been made of two groups of women with rheumatic heart disease—those who have had children and those who have not. There was no difference in the life span of these two groups.

Too often a doctor is not consulted early enough in pregnancy to give the patient the frequent and regular checkups she should have, the booklet points out. The four dangers against which doctors warn pregnant women who have heart disease are: 1, Overfatigue; 2, Overweight; 3, Infection; 4, Tight clothing. The booklet urges women with heart disease to observe strictly the same common-sense rules which apply to all pregnancies. These are: Diet, rest, weight control, and proper clothing.

LARRY DOBY SIGNS '53 TRIBE CONTRACT

Tucson, Ariz. — Larry Doby, hard-hitting Cleveland Indian centerfielder, who has been an "official" holdout since March 1, finally came to terms with the Tribe here Monday when he placed his signature on a contract for the 1953 season.

Doby, who led the American League in home runs last season, reportedly received an increase in salary amounting to about \$5,000. The contract is expected to place Doby in the \$28,000 bracket.

Doby, who arrived here from his home in New Jersey Sunday, said he was "well satisfied" with the final offer made him by General Manager Hank Greenberg.

While his batting average slipped last season to .276, Doby still managed to clout thirty-two home runs and drive in 104 runs. He also scored 104 runs.

Larry, who had been working out daily before his arrival here, says he's confident he'll enjoy one of his best years this season. I've never felt so good upon reporting to camp, Doby told newsmen after the signing.

In regards to the pennant race, Doby was also optimistic. "This has to be our year. We have too good a ball team to miss again. If injuries don't hamper us, I'm certain we will grab the flag this season."

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