TWELFTH ANNUAL SOUTHEASTERN WORLD AFFAIRS INSTITUTE

BLUE RIDGE ASSEMBLY, YMCA

Black Mountain, North Carolina

July 30, 31, August 1, 1965

THE SOUTHEASTERN WORLD AFFAIRS INSTITUTE, held annually to give students, teachers, editors and others interested in world affairs and the direction in which men and nations move an opportunity for discussion and decision, is successor to one held originally at Catawba College, Salisbury, North Carolina, in 1950, and later institutes at Blowing Rock and at Blue Ridge.

BLUE RIDGE ASSEMBLY, YMCA, a cool, rural retreat in the scenic Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina, has ample living and recreational facilities. Swimming, hiking, tennis, golf, and other sports facilities are excellent. (Baby sitters are available from the staff of Blue Ridge Assembly, at a modest fee.)

"THE UNITED NATIONS – REAL OR PAPER TIGER?"

— Is the U.N. outdated?
— What can I, an individual, do for world security?
— Is power an illusion?
— Shall we choose world law or world war?
— What are the results of nationalism in today's world?

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HONORABLE L. P. McLENDON, JR., General Chairman

FRIDAY, JULY 30

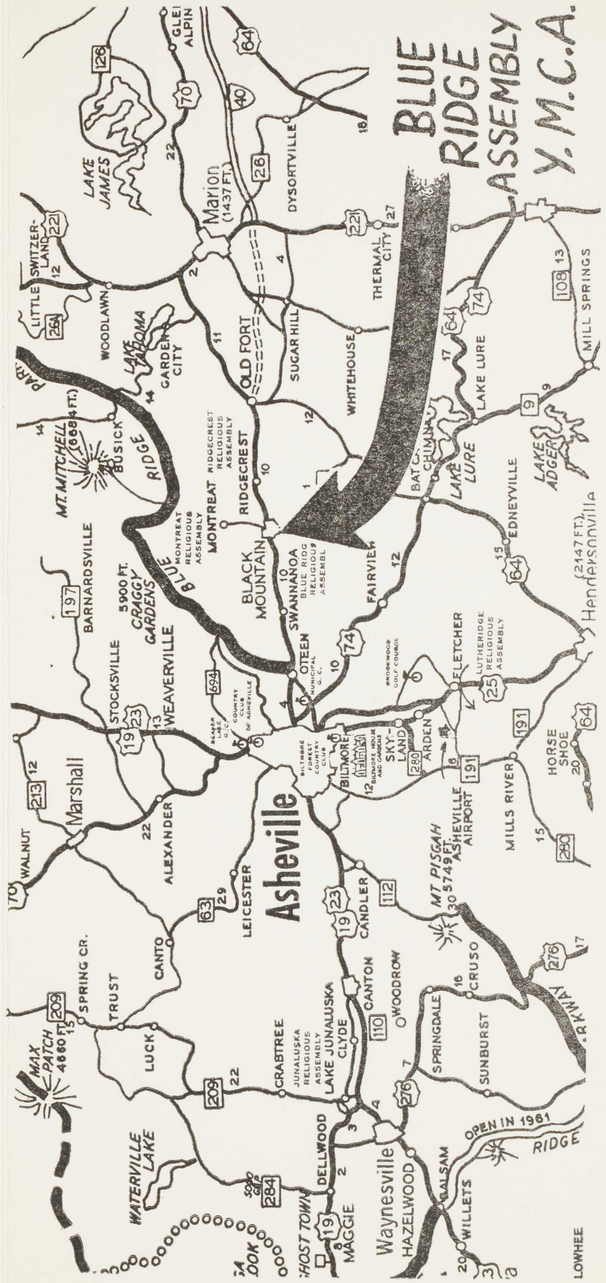
2:00 Registration
3:00 "I Work for Peace Through . . ." (to discuss ways and means of using the materials available in the field of peace education and reports from sponsoring organizations.)
4:00 "Can the Present U.N. Crisis Be Solved?" ..... Elmore Jackson
Special Assistant, International Organizations Division, U. S. Department of State
6:00 Dinner
7:30 "How Can the United Nations Be Saved?"—KEYNOTE ADDRESS ..... Dr. Luis Quintanilla
former Ambassador of the Republic of Mexico to the United States
8:30 Forum
9:15 Discussion Groups

SATURDAY, JULY 31

9:00 "What's Ahead for U.N. Peacekeeping?" a panel discussion ..... Mr. Paul Edwards
Mr. Elmore Jackson, Mr. Alan Newcomb (Director of Public Affairs, Jefferson Standard Broadcasting Company), Major General I. J. Rikhye, Dr. Luis Quintanilla.
10:00 Forum
10:45 Discussion Groups (coffee and soft drinks to be served)
12:30 Luncheon
1:30 "What's Ahead for the U.N. War on Poverty?" a panel discussion ..... Mr. Paul Edwards,
Mr. Elmore Jackson, Mr. Alan Newcomb, Major General I. J. Rikhye, Dr. Luis Quintanilla
3:00 Recreation — swimming, hiking, table games, tennis, golf, etc.
6:00 Dinner
7:30 *Presentation of the American Freedom Association World Peace Award*
Award Presentation: Mr. McNeill Smith, Attorney; Chairman, N. C. Advisory Comm. on Civil Rights
Address: "My Experience with U.N. Peace Forces" ..... Major General I. J. Rikhye
Military Advisor to the U.N. Secretary-General
8:30 Reception for Honored Guests—Lee Hall

SUNDAY, AUGUST 1

8:30 American Freedom Association Annual Membership Meeting
9:30 Meeting of the A.F.A. Boards of Directors and Advisors
10:00 *Worship Service:* "The Journey to Brotherhood—'O Lord, How Long?' " ..... Mr. John H. Wheeler
President, Southern Regional Council; President, Mechanics and Farmers Bank, Durham, N. C.
11:00 "Our Torn Planet: How Do We Get from Here to World Order?" ..... Mr. Paul B. Edwards
Chief, Public Information, United Nations Children's Fund
Comment: Samuel R. Levering, Chairman, Executive Council, Friends Committee on National Legislation



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