

Thant Views World Law As Priceless Peace Tool

UN Secretary-General U Thant has often regretted that some of the United Nations' most notable advances often go practically unreported. The reason is that they do not make "hot" news.

Yet, some of the progress of which the general public is often unaware is a peace settler and deeply affects the texture of human relations.

The best example is in the field of international law. To this subject U Thant addressed himself in a speech before the International Bar Association in Dublin.

U THANT'S basic thesis was this: "The developments in the United Nations and other international organizations abundantly show that any contemporary definition of international law which overlooks the individual not only fails to reflect the facts of international life today but also contributes to impeding the development of international law itself."

"No country and no people has a monopoly on rightness, liberty, and human dignity, and our experience shows that the aspirations of peoples all over the world, whether in the civil or cultural field, are basically the same although the approaches to their realization may be different," he said.

U Thant likened the role of international law in keeping the peace today to the candles which light the darkness.

He mentioned recent disputes resolved by arbitration or agreement: the Ham of Hutz dispute between India and Pakistan; a territorial dispute between Argentina and Chile; the dispute between Indonesia and the Netherlands regarding West Irian.

"The more these examples are followed," the Secretary-General argued, "the sooner the darkness will be dispelled."

ONE OF THE main roles of

international law is to provide new regimes for new areas of man's endeavor.

U Thant mentioned the Antarctic treaty which converted a potential source of strife and conflict into an area of peace and cooperation. The same principles were utilized in the treaty on principles gov-

erning the activities of states in the exploration and use of outer space, including the moon and other celestial bodies.

Within the framework of the regime established by the other space treaty, the General Assembly last December commended to governments the agreement on the rescue of

astronauts, the return of astronauts, and the return of objects launched into outer space. Always in the same spirit the General Assembly took up last year the issue of reserving exclusively for peaceful purposes the seabed and ocean floor, and the sub-soil there-of.

THE ROLE of international law, U Thant reminded his audience, also is to regulate existing relations between states.

The Secretary-General recalled the "very significant step" taken by the General Assembly when it commended to states the treaty on the non-

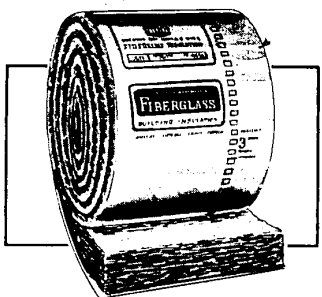
proliferation of nuclear weapons. "This treaty," he said, "taken together with the Moscow test-ban treaty of 1963, is the first really significant breakthrough in the field of global disarmament since the end of World War II."

Another important step was the treaty for the prohibition

of nuclear weapons in Latin America signed last year in Mexico. "These, then," U Thant stated, "are some of the bright places, where the law has constituted the cornerstone of peace. However, there are still great areas of darkness and of strife in this world where force

and power politics rule to the detriment of law and peace. "In the ultimate analysis, law cannot prevail over force and power politics until mankind comes to regard the impartial adjudication of international law in disputes among states as the rule, not the exception," he added.

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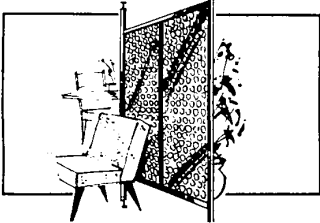


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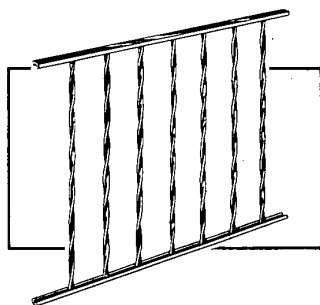
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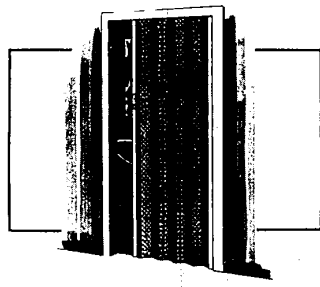
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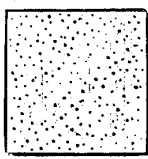
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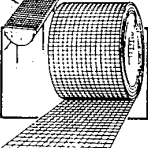
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A border should, however, be entirely of one kind of flower that does not vary greatly in either height or spread. The flowers may be of one color or of the varied colors available within a single kind or variety.

Shown above are two of the best border plants—sweet alyssum and dwarf zinnias. Several years ago, a truly tiny zinnia, only 6 inches in height, was introduced and named Thumbelina. Perfect for a border, this has 1 1/2-inch-wide flowers of red, yellow, pink, rose and white.

Colors now have been selected from this strain so that a border of one color is possible. For generations sweet alyssum was known only with a white flower. There still are white-flowered varieties available such as Carpet of Snow, Little Gem, Tetra Snowdrift or even the old-time Sweet, the original wild, honey-scented alyssum that added the adjective to the flower name.

But there also are varieties with colored blooms: Royal Carpet, purple; Violet Queen and Pink Heather, names of which describe their blossom colors; and Rosie O'Day which has rose-pink blossoms.

So, within just the ranges of dwarf zinnias and sweet alyssum, many color combinations are possible between the border plantings and the flowers in the border.

Both sweet alyssum and dwarf zinnias are best grown from seed sown in a sunny place wherever the flowers are to bloom.

Study Smoking's Harmful Effects

While cigarette manufacturers add filters in an attempt to cut down on the hazards of smoking, University of Kentucky scientists working under contract from the U.S. Department of Agriculture are attempting to reduce harmful tobacco components at the source, the tobacco plant.

Working under federal contracts totaling \$127,562, the Kentucky researchers are conducting genetic studies to develop tobacco-plant breeding lines in which constituents which may be hazardous to smokers will be reduced or eliminated.

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