

PROGRAM.

THE NATIONAL ~~CONGRESS~~ FOR THE FIRST ANNIVERSARY OF THE ARRIVAL OF REFUGEES
FROM THE NORTH AND NORTH OF CENTRAL OF VIETNAM UNDER THE PRESIDENCY OF
PRESIDENT NGO-DINH-DIEM
From 11 to 14 - 10 - 1955

FIRST DAY: 11 - 10 - 1955

Morning.

INAUGURATION PART.

- 7:30 - Arrival of representatives of Refugee camps.
- 8:00 - Arrival of ~~Guests~~ ^{Guests}
- 8:15 - Arrival of the President of the Government (^{Gi}guided by the Commissioner General for Refugees)
 - Reception and ~~Flag~~ raising ceremony.
 - A moment silence and flower wreath laying at the monument erected in memory of the refugees killed in their flight to seek freedom.
 - Picture taking.
- 9:10 - The President and ~~Guests~~ enter the meeting-room.
 - Music and songs in "The President's honour".
 - Introduction of the Representatives of the Refugee camps.
- 9:30 - The President opens the ceremony.
- 9:45 - The Commissioner General for Refugees's speech to greets the Assembly and report on the general situation of the Commissioner for Refugees for the past year.
 - Preliminary view of future plans.
- 10:30 - Thanks from a representatives of refugees.

Afternoon. From 2:30 p.m. to 6:00

- Reports from Representatives of refugees camps on:
 - a) Life of the resettled refugees;
 - b) Security of Refugee camps (self-defense)
 - c) Aspirations of the Refugees.

Evening. 8:30 p.m.

- Entersainments sponsored by the Commissariat for Refugees.

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12 - 10 - 1955

Morning. From 7:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.

- The Commissioner General for Refugees exposes the future plans in a more detailed way.

From 8:30 to 12:00

- Exposition of plans to start "Rehabilitation self-sufficiency" movement for the Refugee camps: self-sufficiency competition and classification of Refugee camps: A - B - C -
- Enata. - From 6:00 p.m. Reception at President's Palace.

Afternoon. From 2:30 p.m. to 5:00

- Representatives discussing competition plans for their carrying out.

Evening. From 8:30 p.m.

- Entertainments sponsored by the Ministry of Information a play entitled: "Self-sufficiency"

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13 - 10 - 1955

Morning. From 7:30 a.m. to 8:30

- Pointing out the fact that: "The Flight of a million of Refugees to the South" should be (flow) wave of ideals against the Communists invasion in the Free World.

From 8:30 to 12:00

- Discussion on the plans to carry out: The campaign for South and North comprehension (for anti-communist purpose).

Afternoon. From 2:30 p.m. to 4:00

- Referendum and getting rid of Bao-Dai.

From 4:00 to 5:00

- The Resettlement Division and Information service exposes about the training of agents for Resettlement and propaganda for Refugee camps and their duties.

Evening: From 8:30 p.m.

- Entertainments sponsored by the Information service.
- Play: "Getting rid of Bao-Dai".

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14 - 10 - 1955

Morning From 7:30 a.m. to 10:00

- Training part
- Refuting Communist propaganda that the Refugees have made the economic situation of South Vietnam instable.
- Promoting the role of American assistance.

From 10:00 to 12:00

- Analysis
- Geneva agreement and normalisation of relations.

Afternoon. From 2:30 p.m. to 5:00

- What were the statements of the Communists?
- Report on the situation of the North as compared to the Communists statements.

From 6:00 p.m.

- Tea Party.

Evening. From 8:30 p.m.

- Entertainments sponsored by Information service.
- Play: "Denouncing Communism" and promoting the role of the friend nations in their aid program.

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