

President of the General Assembly

On the first ballot, the voting was—

Dr H. V. Evatt (*Australia*), 25 ; Dr J. A. Bramuglia (*Argentina*), 22 ;
Mr Modzelewski (*Poland*), 6 ; Mr J. Bech (*Luxembourg*), 2.

On the second ballot, limited to the two leading candidates, the result was—

Dr H. V. Evatt, 31 ; Dr J. A. Bramuglia, 20.

Dr Evatt, having obtained the necessary majority, was declared elected.

Vice-Presidents

The representatives of *China, France, Mexico, Philippines, Poland, Soviet Union, United Kingdom, and United States* were elected Vice-Presidents.

General Committee

The General Committee consisted of the President, the seven Vice-Presidents, and the Chairmen of the six main Committees :—

Mr P. H. Spaak of *Belgium* (Committee 1) ;
Mr H. Santa Cruz of *Chile* (Committee 2) ;
Mr C. Malik of *Lebanon* (Committee 3) ;
Mr N. Entezam of *Iran* (Committee 4) ;
Mr L. D. Wilgress of *Canada* (Committee 5) ; and
Mr R. J. Alfaro of *Panama* (Committee 6).

International Court of Justice

The fifteen Judges of the Court serve normally for a nine-year term and may be re-elected. The terms of five Judges expire every three years. The General Assembly and the Security Council were therefore required to elect five Judges to replace those who, to enable this rotation, had been allotted a three-year term at the first elections in February, 1946.

At the first meeting, Judges

Hsu Mo (*China*),
Abdel Hamid Badawi (*Egypt*),
John Erskine Read (*Canada*), and
Bohdan Winiarski (*Poland*)

received an absolute majority of votes in both the General Assembly and the Security Council and were therefore re-elected. At the second meeting

Judge Milovan Zorivic (*Yugoslavia*)

also received an absolute majority of votes and was re-elected.