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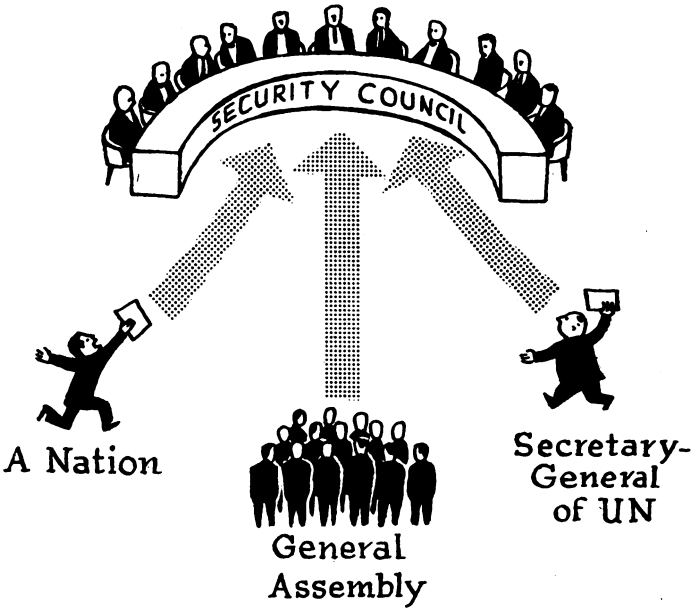
HOW CASES COME BEFORE SECURITY COUNCIL



and on election of a Secretary-General, the approval and supervision of trusteeship agreements over strategic areas. Under the International Court of Justice statute it acts dually with the Assembly to elect judges.

In effect, the Council has even acted on the complaint of an individual. On March 10, 1948, Jan Papanek, signing his letter as permanent representative of Czechoslovakia, charged his country's independence had been violated by a Soviet threat of force, leading to a Communist coup. Chile, citing him as Czechoslovakia's permanent representative, asked the Council on March 12 to investigate. Although the Communist Czechoslovak government announced that Dr. Papanek had ceased to be a delegate as of March 10, the Council put the case on its agenda on March 17—and on March 22 invited Dr. Papanek to the debate.

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JOBS FOR THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY

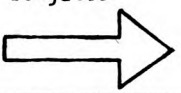


Discuss any question within scope of Charter



Make recommendations when case is not before Security Council

Also the Charter assigns the General Assembly specific tasks on a number of subjects





Consider principles of arms limitation



Promote human welfare and freedom



Consider reports from other UN agencies



Supervise Trusteeship system

Elect nonperman't members of Security Council and Trusteeship Council, all members of Economic and Social Council.
Also elect jointly with Security Council new UN members, Secretary Gen'l and World Court judges



Approve UN budget, apportion expenses among members



Request advisory opinions from International Court



Initiate revision of Charter

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ACHESON PLAN

1. Assembly meets in 24 hours when Security Council fails to act in emergency



2. Creation of Peace Observation Commission



3. Member states to hold armed force contingents for UN use



4. Establishment of Collective Measures Committee to study methods of strengthening peace



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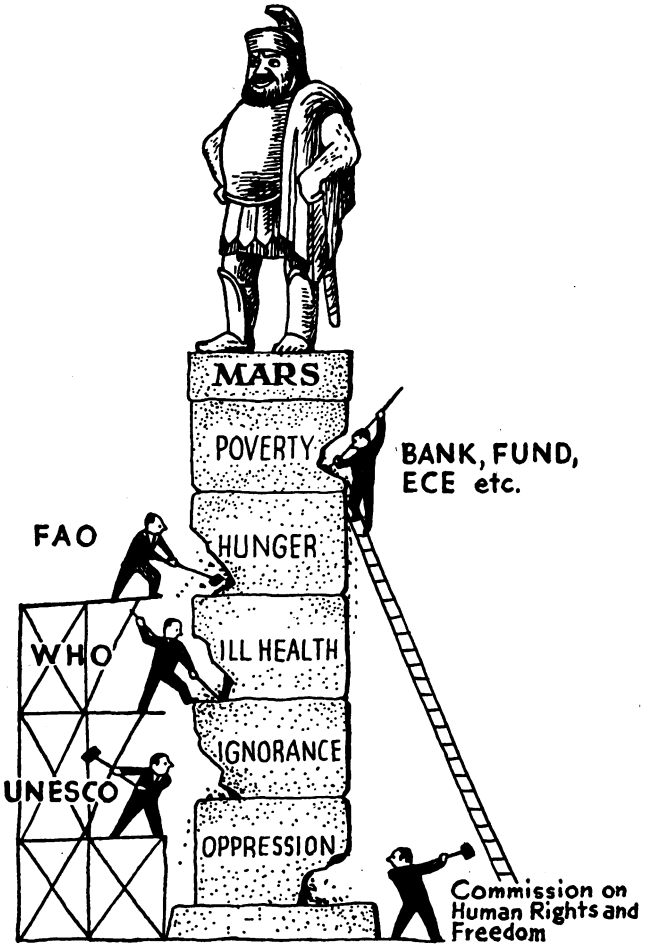

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Half the world's people still do not know how to read or write, and yet the UN Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) constitution warns: "Since wars begin in the minds of men, it is in the minds of men that the defenses of peace must be constructed."

The greatest UN challenge—and the most lasting battle—rests in these enduring problems. The Charter, in Article 55, seeking

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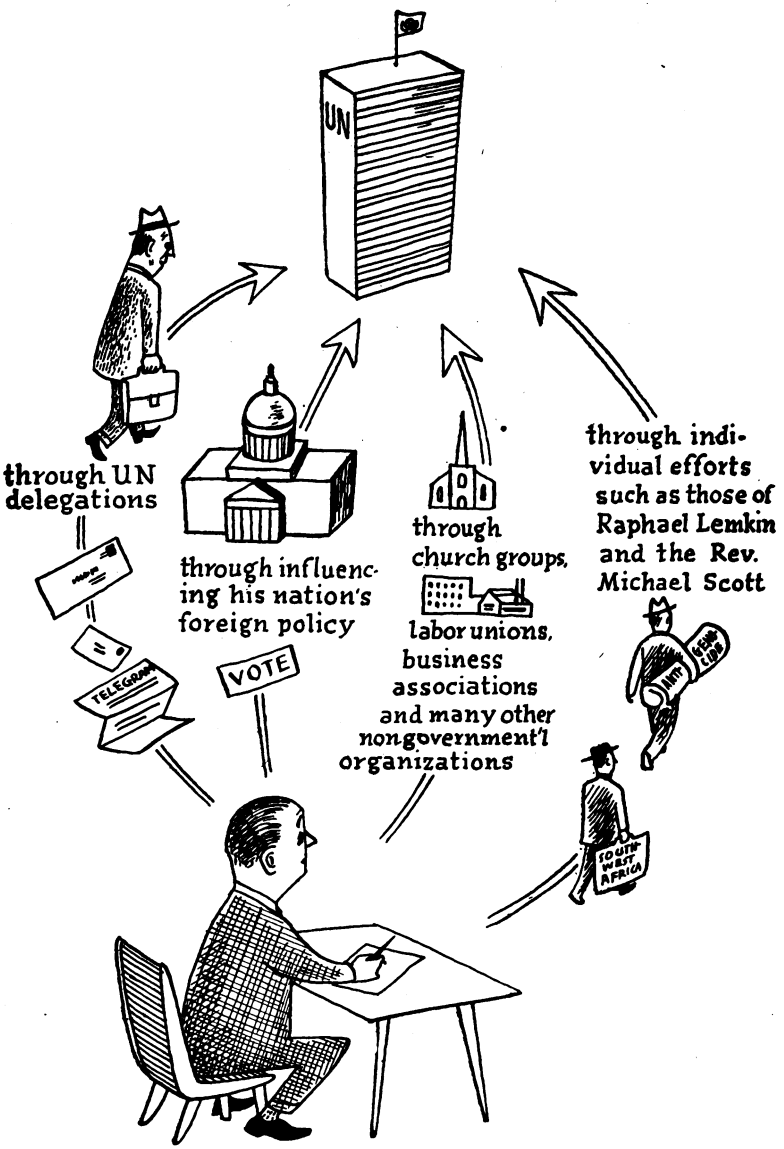

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