

SUPPORT FROM AFRICA FOR DEMONSTRATIONS

TANGANYIKA: A letter signed by Mr. Oscar Kambona, secretary-general of the Tanganyika African National Union, says:

"As we attain our independence, we pledge ourselves to the struggle for the freedom of the people of South Africa.

"You are carrying on a fight in the face of unimaginable

hardships. Be strengthened by the fact that we are standing with you and will do all in our power to assist you."

Africa—indeed the world—will not tolerate another Sharpeville, adds TANU.

"We will not stand idly by and see our brothers massacred, for doing no more than demanding the freedom, justice and equality which is their inherent right."

SOUTH WEST AFRICAN PEOPLE'S ORGANISATION: A letter signed by Mburumba Kerina, SWAPO representative in New York, said:

"I wish to express our appreciation for the call of the Action Council made to political organisations in South West Africa. SWAPO, which is also a member of the South Africa United Front, has already issued its public declaration to the peoples of South West Africa to join their brothers and sisters in the Union in their projected protest against the declaration of the Republic.

"Momentous decisions must be made by the peoples of South West Africa and South Africa in order to save the remnants of our rights and help save the honour of our two countries from Nationalist destruction.

"**SWAPO views the South African events as having direct bearing on our century-long struggle for independence. The liberation struggle in our two countries is one and must be fought as such.**

"Long live the freedom struggle."

NIGERIA: South Africans in Nigeria have cabled New Age:

"Solidly behind struggle. Freedom is indivisible. All success. Mayibuye. Izwelethu."

Messages of support for the people's struggle in South Africa this week came from:

Warmbaths

33 Jailed For Public Violence

WARMBATHS.

The people's hostility to the Manager of the Warmbaths Non-Europeans Affairs Department, Mr. Van Coller, which provoked militant demonstrations there on April 29 and 30, had a sequel in the Regional Court last Friday when 28 Africans, mainly young men, were sentenced to 12 months imprisonment and five others to 18 months, after having been found guilty on a charge of public violence.

The Regional Magistrate, Mr. W. A. van Helsing, said that while the court pitied the number of young people who had to be punished, severe sentences were being passed as a deterrent.

All the accused were acquitted of a further charge under the Riotous Act of attempting to stop people from going to work during this period.

As a result of the demonstrations, which resulted in the loss of 3 lives when the police opened fire on a large group of people, the Manager was suspended from duty, and has not been re-instated. A Commission of Inquiry will sit in mid-June to investigate the cause of the trouble.

DEATH

The Transvaal Indian Congress extends its sincere condolences to Vella Pillay and his family on the death of his brother Kumorin Pillay.

Sincere condolences to Vella Pillay and family on the death of his brother Kumorin from Paul and Adelaide Joseph.

The editor and staff of New Age extend their sincere sympathy to Vella Pillay and family on the death of his brother Kumorin Pillay.

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BIG SPORTS MOVES IN THE NORTH

THE Transvaal is very much in the sports news. Big moves lately have been

★ The plans for the All-Africa Games.

★ The shift of headquarters of the S.A. Football Association (formerly SAIFA) from Durban to Johannesburg.

★ The decision of Transvaal to wash their hands of the all-Coloured Rhodes Cup Tournament.

Special Cheers This Week

For the following:—

★ **Bob Pavadai**, new President of

SAFA and his Cabinet. Bob has a big job on hand—to ensure that the Sam China Cup is genuinely non-racial and to wipe out the dregs of racialism still remaining.

★ **George Singh**, retiring President of SAFA, who has been elected an Honorary Life Vice-President. George's work while SAFA H.Q. was in Durban is an enduring monument to him.

★ **Louis Mtshirana**, president of S.A. African Rugby, for a hard-hitting attack on the racialists in the Coloured rugby board who are blocking integration. Louis' suggestion that Kester of the Coloured Board should retire must be taken up by others.

★ To **Transvaal rugby officials** for rejecting the racial rugby Rhodes Cup. Other provinces may follow this lead before the tourney begins and many sportsmen may refuse to support it.

Tricky Issues

★ **Professional Soccer** still has serious problems in both the Transvaal and Natal. If the meeting between the Soccer Federation and Soccer League takes place on June 3, it may solve some of them.

★ **Boxing and Athletic** bodies which joined the all-White bodies in the hope of a fair deal now know there is no hope for them. A Cabinet Minister has told them the score. Will they have the honesty to make a fresh start?

SASA Snippets

● The South African Soccer Federation has made the munificent donation of R200 towards the work of SASA. The cheque was presented to Secretary D. Brutus after he addressed the BGM of SAFA in Durban recently.

Lone Indian At Swart Ceremony?

DURBAN.

Two Indians—Mr. A. S. Kajie and Mr. P. R. Pather, President of the Natal Indian organisation—were invited to attend the inauguration of the South African President Mr. C. R. Swart.

Mr. Pather, New Age understands, refused to attend the ceremony after considering the implications of the invitation.

Mr. A. S. Kajie, unknown in either political or social circles in Natal accepted the invitation and at the time of writing was expected to attend.

Mr. Kajie, whose main business interests are at Mapumulu in the heart of an African reserve, has come in for considerable criticism as a result of his acceptance, and his action has been condemned in statements to New Age by Dr. G. M. Naicker, President of the South African Indian Congress, and by the Natal Indian Youth Congress.

Rugby Tournament

TOUGH COMPETITION FOR RHODES CUP

From L. W. Himson
KIMBERLEY.

COMPETITION is expected to be tough in the National Coloured Rugby Tournament for the Rhodes Cup this year.

With the exception of the Transvaal, nine centres have entered, and for the first time in the history of the South African Coloured Rugby Board the tournament will be played in two centres almost simultaneously.

With only two weeks left before the start of the "B" section at Port Elizabeth and the "A" section a week later at East London, South African rugby headquarters in Kimberley have drawn up the complete fixtures for both sections.

Trials for the tournament are being held all over the Union and the participating Provinces are likely to announce their teams within the coming weeks.

FINALS

The date and venue of the finals will be decided by mutual agreement between the winners of each section of the tournament.

RUGBY INTEGRATION

Mr. A. R. Abass, secretary of the South African Coloured Rugby Board, has intimated that there is a possibility that the question of rugby integration will be discussed during the tournament with the officials of the South African "African" Rugby Board and he had high

hopes that this would become a fact in 1962.

OVERSEA TEAMS

In spite of all opposition to sending a team overseas, or entertaining teams from beyond the Union's borders, Mr. Abass said he was of the opinion that the time was now ripe to demonstrate the Non-White standard of rugby against outside competitors if they were to obtain international recognition.

FIXTURES

The "B" section fixtures are:

June 17. North Western Cape vs Western Province; Eastern Province vs Griqualand West; Central Karoo bye.

June 19. Eastern Province vs North Western Cape; Western Province vs Central Karoo; Griqualand West bye.

June 21. Griqualand West vs Western Province; North Western Cape vs Central Karoo; Eastern Province bye.

June 22. Eastern Province vs Central Karoo; Griqualand West vs North Western Cape; Western Province bye.

June 24. Central Karoo vs Griqualand West; Eastern Province vs Western Province; North Western Cape bye.

"A" section at East London:

June 24. Boland vs South West Districts; Border vs Natal.

June 28. Boland vs Natal; South West Districts vs Border.

July 1. Natal vs South West Districts; Border vs Boland.

SCOREBOARD

by RECORDER

● During his visit to Johannesburg and Durban the Secretary was able to meet **SASA Vice-Presidents** R. Feldman and Rev. B. Sigamoney, George Singh, S. L. Singh, E. I. Haffee and M. N. Pather.

● The **SASA Executive meeting** has been postponed for a week as permission to hold it was not obtained in time.

● The **Nigerian Olympic Association** has written that it will oppose racial discrimination when the matter is discussed by the Olympic Committee at Athens.

Raids and Arrests In Bloemfontein

BLOEMFONTEIN.

Raids have been conducted since the beginning of May on the homes of members of the banned ANC. Each person was visited by a team of 13 or 14 members of the Special Branch and S.A. police force in pre-dawn raids.

Mr. T. Nkobi of Johannesburg and Mr. G. Dichabe, a New Age agent, were arrested and are both being detained separately. They are in the outer suburbs of the city where it is difficult to send food and clothing for them.

The two men appeared in court and were represented by counsel who applied for bail for them. This was refused on the grounds that they would flee the country.

Some New Age sellers were also taken to the police station and told to stop selling the paper. Everyone was asked the whereabouts of Mr. C. Motshabi for whom there was a warrant of arrest. The warrant included his wife and Mr. J. E. Motshabi.

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