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VERWOERD LETS LOOSE TERROR.

Verwoerd's police have now turned their ~~attention~~ vicious attention in a big way on those organisations affiliated to the All-African Convention and the Unity Movement of South Africa.

Last week-end they arrested Mr. W.M. Tsotsi, Vice-President of the Unity Movement just outside Basutoland and detained him in a Bloemfontein prison under the 90-day law. Mr. Tsotsi has been practising as an attorney in Basutoland since 1961. He had a Basutoland passport and permit to enter South Africa when the police arrested him.

Later this week they arrested Mr. J. L. Mkentane, Vice-President of the All-African Convention and a lawyer in King William's Town, Cape Province. He is also detained under the 90-day law. Like Mr. Tsotsi, Mr. Mkentane is also a leading member of the African People's Democratic Union of Southern Africa (A.P.D.U.S.A.).

Before these two leading members of the Unity Movement the Special Branch (Security Police) had Mr. A. Wilcox dismissed from his job at the Simonstown docks as a security risk. An Assistant Secretary of A.P.D.U.S.A. Mr. Wilcox is now banned for five years and confined.

Mr. G. Qaba, Acting Secretary of the Unity Movement and Executive member of A.P.D.U.S.A. has been served with a notice to leave Cape Town where he works and lives with his family. He has been deported to the Transkei where he is not assured of a place to live. The Native Commissioner or a chief may decide that he is an undesirable person and must leave. If this happens, as it has many times before, Mr. Qaba and his family will be homeless wanderers with no one, not even their parents, allowed to house them.

Mr. D. Nyamela, Chairman of the Cape Town Branch of A.P.D.U.S.A. and two brothers - Eric and Ernest Jama - leading members of the Cape Town Branch of A.P.D.U.S.A., have been served with deportation orders to leave Cape Town for the Transkei. They too lose their employment. In addition there is a whole crop of ordinary members of organisations affiliated to the Unity Movement that has been subjected to intimidation throughout the country.

Every official of the All-African Convention to a man, has either been put under house arrest, banned and confined or simply banned and deported. The same applies to the Unity Movement. Now the fascist police force is dealing with the affiliated organisations depriving them of their leadership and terrorising the membership. All those banned under the fascist laws of South Africa are also forbidden from participating in any of the activities of any of the organisations affiliated to the All-African Convention and the Unity Movement or continuing to be members of these.

Now the fascist regime of South Africa has decided to send the army into Pondoland in the Transkei in order, they hope, to clean up that area of members of A.P.D.U.S.A. which has been growing into a force.

But these acts of terrorism and intimidation by Verwoerd's fascist regime will do nothing to deter the people from continuing to fight for liberty.

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