

African Military Activity Reported Inside So. Africa

DAR ES SALAAM, Tanzania (UPI) - South Africa's white-minority regime will soon be facing a full-scale war inside its territory, launched by POQO, the military wing of the Pan Africanist Congress of Azania. ("Azania" is the African name for what is now known as the Republic of South Africa.)

A PAC spokesman in Tanzania has disclosed recent statements by South Africa's white Commander of Civilian Defense, confirming for the first time in several years African military activity against the white regime.

The commander claimed that the flight of the Africans was at present only at the level of terrorism, but he maintained it could grow into a guerrilla war and from there into a full-scale war.

His remarks were made at the time of the installation of the first air raid sirens in Pretoria, the South African capital.

Such defense measures were necessary, the Civilian Defense chief said, because white rule in South Africa was threatened by African freedom fighters, backed by the Organization of African Unity (OAU).

This was the first time in recent years that an official of the South African apartheid regime has admitted the existence of black military activity within the country. The last reports were between 1960 and 1963, when POQO was reported

to have carried out attacks on white settlers in various parts of South Africa.

Recently, South Africa police arrested 71 Africans in Victoria West, Eastern Cape Province, later charging 32 under the country's "Sabotage Act" and for belonging to POQO.

The PAC spokesman maintained that his organization was the only African group carrying armed struggle inside South Africa, "since others have diverted the fighting power they have to activity outside the country."

This was an indirect reference to the rival African National Congress of South Africa, which has announced it was sending its forces to Rhodesia to fight alongside the Zimbabwe African People's Union (ZAPU) against the white minority regime of Ian Smith, rather than launch a frontal attack against white rule in South Africa.

ZAPU's rival, the Zimbabwe African National Union (ZANU) which maintains guerrilla forces inside Rhodesia strongly denounce the ANC move as merely a "political manoeuvre."

PAC leaders have stated their belief that African freedom fighters can make their best contribution to the common struggle against white rule by launching a struggle within their own countries, where they have first-hand knowledge of the people, their language, customs and the terrain.



AIR FORCE TO PAY THEIR WAY TO COLLEGE - After being selected among 1,000 outstanding Air Force ROTC cadets A&T State University students receive full scholarships from Dr. Lewis C. Dowdy, president of the University. From left to right are Dr. Dowdy, Lt. Col. Masenberg, professor of aerospace studies; students Hillis Haygood, Greensboro; Bennie Brooks, Pittsboro; Eddie Mims, Southern Pines; William Stevens, Wilson; and Kenneth Stith, Clayton. The Air Force scholarships will pay for all tuition, fees, books and cadets will receive \$50 per month throughout the year.

Mayor Stokes Won't Give Blacks Power, CORE's Innis Charges

CLEVELAND (UPI) - Mayor Carl B. Stokes has been accused of failing to provide an effective means of giving black people power.

The charge was made by Roy Innis, CORE's associate national director, who asserted that programs without provision for turning over social mechanism to the people are inadequate.

Participation in planning cannot be effective without political and economic power, Innis added.

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AWARDED JCSU DOCTORATED - Dr. John Hope Franklin (center), University of Chicago historian; and world renown author, receives the Doctor of Humane Letters degree from Johnson C. Smith President R. P. Perry. The Chicago scholar delivered the commencement address to 165 J.C.S.U. students. Rev. Herman Counts of JC Smith adjusts the academic collar.

To Raleigh Friday: Federal Government Sending Team To Seek Vietnam Workers

Representatives of the Federal Government will be in Raleigh for two days, beginning Friday, June 7, interviewing candidates for civilian posts in Vietnam.

Officials of the U. S. Agency for International Development (AID), a unit of the Department of State, stated that recruitment for a limited number of categories will be resumed after a three-month suspension of drives. During that time a comprehensive review of the pacification needs in Vietnam was conducted by mission officials.

Even after filling most of the vacancies with personnel from AID Missions around the world, the following positions need to be staffed: Assistant Area development officers, secretaries, refugee relief officers, nurse anesthetists, auditors, and public safety advisors.

Candidates must be willing to be separated from their families for at least 18 months and may be assigned to remote and possible hazardous areas of Vietnam. Depending on the position and the candidate's qualifications, the salaries range from \$5,000 to \$15,000 per annum, plus a 25% hardship bonus, furnished quarters, medical care, family allowances, and other benefits.

During the two-day period, interviews will be conducted from 9 a. m. to 6 p. m. at the Sheraton-Sir Walter, 400 Fayetteville St. Applicants may call (910) 832-7712 for an appointment. Collect out-of-town calls will be accepted.

Five ROTC Cadets Win Scholarships

MAXWELL AFB, Ala. - Five top-ranking Air Force ROTC cadets at North Carolina A&T State University have been selected to receive full financial assistance grants starting next September.

The A&T students were among the 1,000 outstanding students in the nation selected to receive the prestigious scholarships which cover the cost of full tuition, laboratory fees, and textbooks. In addition, the recipients receive \$50 each month throughout the calendar year.

A&T's selectees are Hillis Haygood, Greensboro; Bennie Brooks, Pittsboro; Eddie Mims, Southern Pines; William Stevens, Wilson; and Kenneth Stith, Clayton.

The criteria for selection include a cumulative grade point averaged of at least 2.5 on a 4.0 scale, satisfactory scores on the Air Force Officer Qualifying Test, meeting medical qualifications and high personal and moral standards.

Consideration is given to each cadet's academic major and leadership potential as demonstrated through participation in high school and college activities. In addition, emphasis is placed on selecting cadets with skills and abilities needed by the Air Force.

Each of A&T's selectees is in the top two per cent of his class. Haygood is a senior, Stith a sophomore and the others are juniors.

H. I. Offers Memorial Scholarships

HAMPTON, Va. - Hampton Institute president Jerome H. Holland has announced the establishment of scholarships in honor of NAACP executive director Roy Wilkins, the late federal Judge J. Waties Waring and the late Mrs. Elizabeth Howe, a teacher of the donor, prominent Harlem physician W. Adrian Freeman, who was graduated from Hampton Academy in 1922.

The scholarships will be used for Nursing Education at the Virginia college. Also, an auditorium in the new Nursing School will be named for Mrs. Howe and rooms will be named for Mr. Wilkins and Judge Waring in a planned Hampton Union building.

At almost the same time Dr. Holland announced the Freeman gift -- the third major contribution he has made to his alma mater -- the medical school from which he graduated, Case Western Reserve University in Cleveland -- named him "Medical Alumnus of the Year."

Dr. Freeman had previously honored his medical school for its policy of non-discrimination by establishing the Freeman Scholarship Fund containing a provision that there be no requirement as to race, color or sex in its award.

A specialist in trauma surgery, Dr. Freeman was the first black physician to sit on the Committee of Trauma of the American College of Surgeons. He recently retired as chief of traumatic surgery at New York's Harlem Hospital and he served in the same capacity at Mt. Morris Park Hospital, also in New York.

Dr. Freeman is a former vice president of the Case Western Reserve Alumni Association of New York, a co chairman of the New York Medical Alumni group and he is currently chairman of the National Alumni Campaign Committee for Hampton Institute's centennial fund drive. The College recently presented him with one of its 100 specially struck Centennial medallions.

Dr. and Mrs. Freeman, both NAACP life members, reside in Riverdale.

MLK's Last Book Out This Month

NEW YORK - The last book written by the late Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr., will be published June 26, by Harper & Row.

Entitled "The Trumpets of Conscience," the book reveals Dr. King's belief that mass civil disobedience, which would "dislocate the functioning of a city without destroying it," must replace protest marches and sit-ins as a tactic.

In the book, Dr. King charged that Vietnam war expenditures and the atmosphere of violence in Negro areas have resulted in the reduction of War on Poverty spending.

Peace Corps Will Test On June 15

Raleigh area residents interested in putting their skills to use in developing nations around the world are invited to take the Peace Corps Placement Test at 1:30 p. m. Saturday, June 15, at Main Post Office.

The Peace Corps uses the Placement Test, which takes about an hour and a half, to determine how an applicant can best be utilized overseas. The test measures general aptitude and the ability to learn a language, not education or achievement. The test requires no preparation and is non-competitive -- an applicant can neither pass nor fail.

The application form not the Placement Test, is the most important factor in the selection of Volunteers. Persons interested in serving in the Peace Corps must fill out an application, if they have not already done so, and present it to the tester before taking the test. Applications may be obtained from local post offices or from the Peace Corps, Washington, D. C. 20525.

12,000 Peace Corps Volunteers are currently serving in Asia, Africa, Latin America and the Pacific Islands, working with the people of those nations in self-help projects in agriculture, health, education, and community action. Many more Volunteers are needed for projects which will begin this summer and fall.



STAFFER PROMOTED-Earl Bowen, ROTC instructor at A&T State University, accepts congratulations from Mrs. Bowen (left) shortly after he was promoted to the rank of major in the United States Army. Also enjoying celebration is Mrs. Sylvia Morris, whose husband, Sgt. Emmanuel Morris is also on the Air Force ROTC Staff.

Mobilization For Poor To DC June 19th

NEW YORK - The Mobilization in Support of the Poor People's Campaign will come to Washington on June 19 with a list of specific and attainable economic demands, it was announced by Bayard Rustin, national coordinator of the Mobilization.

The demands, spelled out in an official "Call to All Americans of Good Will," issued by the Mobilization headquarters are for steps toward an "Economic Bill of Rights" that would guarantee full employment, decent wages, and an adequate income for the unemployed. Among the demands are that Congress: legislate the creation of 1,000,000 public service jobs; adopt the pending housing and Urban Development Act of 1968; repeal the punitive welfare restrictions imposed by the 90th Congress; give all farm workers the right to organize and bargain collectively; and restore budget cuts for Head Start, summer jobs, bilingual education, OEO programs, and elementary and secondary education.

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Black Talent Is Sought By New Group

NEW YORK (UPI) - A new organization, the National Negro Retail Advisory Group, is seeking to draw black talent into the retailing industry.

Walter W. Branford, of the W. T. Grant company, heads the group, which is trying to reach "hard-core unemployed" upgrade black workers in the retailing industry, and attract others to work in it. The group, consisting of 30 Negro executives in New York-based stores and chains, hopes to expand nationwide, with chapters representing local stores in major cities.