

To Sally Cook

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Dear Sally

I hope this finds you well ... and Carol and the babe too. There's just a chance I might get to see you next year; I have written to U/Mass Amherst and one or two other places to see if I can set up some teaching for a few weeks, I shall keep you posted.

Meanwhile, the book on Bob Sobukwe has been coming along, slow but steady. I am getting to the stage where I am catching up with black consciousness of the 70s. Can I impose on you? I would be so happy if you could find the time to let me have answers/views, however briefly, to questions such as:

1. What was the BC view of Sobukwe?
2. The BC view of PAC?
3. Do you see a continuum, in regard to thinking and type of action, in the ANC's African Nationalism of the 40s, the PAC, and BC?
4. Any formal relations, or informal contacts, between SASO and Sobukwe and/or PAC?
5. When you were on the Island, I think Sobukwe was still there ... if so, did you see him/how did prisoners react to him/and how did they react when he was released?
6. How do you assess Sobukwe's significance?
7. Any other thoughts?

I am off to Harare tomorrow for a few days, then to SA for a few more days. I'll be seeing Joe and Pippa. I hope.

The Cry Freedom publicity has abbed a bit here, I saw reports that the BC peoples in SA withdrew their objections to the movie. The question everyone will have asked you; Did you see it?

All the best to both of you - and I hope I am not asking too much of you. Would it be easier for you to speak into a tape recorder and mail the tape to me?

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