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MAYEKISO (113)

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? Meeting No. 352. V.23. p.4430 at p.4430.

Meeting held on 7/11/54 at Magxaki's Pte. Ground,
Veepplaats, Port Elizabeth. It was a meeting of the
A.N.C.

Mayekiso was the Chairman of the meeting. He dealt with
the boycott campaign and the higher rentals in the
locations.

? p.4430 : "Our campaign now is boycott for
the year and it was our weapon. I am so sorry because
the year is ending while the places being boycotted are
still very few."

MINI (114)

No. 352. U. 41. V. 23. p.4430.

A.N.C. Veeplaats, P.E. 7/11/54.

p.4431. Accused refers to fact that Govt.,
laws have compelled Africans to organise themselves
for their freedom. Is critical about the banning
of leaders.

J. Tshume (123)

? - Meeting No. 352. V.23. p.4430 at p.4432.

Meeting held on 7/11/54, at Veeplaats, Port Elizabeth.
It was a meeting of the A.N.C.

Only portion of Tshume's speech was deemed important
enough to read into the record. This portion appears
below.

? - p.4432 : "We are the slaves in this Africa.
Chief Luthuli said he wants 50,000 volunteers for
freedom and they banned him."

MKWAYI (117).

Meeting No. 352, V.25, p.430 at p.4432.

Meeting held on 7/11/54 at Magaki's Pte. Ground, Vee-
plants, Port Elizabeth. It was a meeting of the A.I.C.

Although Mkwazi spoke his speech was not read into the
record.

? - 9501 p.2 : "but we are not leaving New
Brighton except they are going to take us as ashes".

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MKALIPi (116).

+ Meeting No. 353. V.23. p.1432 at p.1433.

Meeting held on 14/11/54 at Corsten, Port Elizabeth.
It was a meeting of the A.N.C.

Mkalipi's speech was not read into the record and
is to be found in exhibit G.562 at p.1. Mkalipi
said that the A.N.C. believed in peace.

Mkampeni (120)

No. 353. U. 421. V. 23. p.4432.

A.N.C., Korsten.P.E.

14/11/54.

p.4433. States that those who do not follow
the struggle are slaves of Europeans. Attacks

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p.4433. States that a shop which does not
go with the struggle would be boycotted.

Ndimba (119)

No. 353. U. 42/1. V. 23. p.4432 at 4433.

A.N.C., Korsten. P.E. 14/11/54.

p.4433. Support for the boycott. Criticism of African labour legislation. "The capitalist must be abolished in this country, so that the Africans must fall in".

p.4434. Some gibberish reference to Russia and China. Chinese communists are apparently preferred to other Chinese.

No. 354./...

MAYEKISO (113)

- Meeting No. 543. V.41. p.8001 at p.8001 and p.8002.

Meeting held on 27/11/54 at the T.C. White Hall,
New Brighton, Port Elizabeth. It was a meeting of
the A.N.C.

Mayekiso acted as Chairman at the meeting. He said
that the struggle was progressing well and that the
Congress of Democrats had also joined the struggle.
He dealt with the recent death of an African woman
which he said was the result of an assault by police.
He asked the audience to stand as a mark of respect
in honour of the late woman. He said that the
Government was defending itself by assaulting the
Africans.

- p.8002. "We must know that we are in the
struggle and its armies are progressing well."

U 42/2.

Kepe (106)

No. 543. V.41. p.8001 at p.8003.

Conference of A.N.C., possibly New Brighton branch,
T.C. White Hall, New Brighton, P.E., 27/11/54.

Kepe was present and moved a resolution that the
police, though allowed to be present, should not be
allowed to take notes.

MKWAYI (117)

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Meeting No. 543 V.11 p.8001 at pp. 8011, 8004 & 8005.

Meeting held on 27/11/54 at the T.C. White Hall,
New Brighton, Port Elisabeth. It was an A.N.C. Meeting.

Mkwayi sold the "New Age" dated 27/11/54, and "Fighting
Talk" to the audience. He was elected as one of the
delegates to attend the annual conference of the A.N.C.
in Durban. Mkwayi made certain proposals in relation
to the money payable by members attending a Trades Union
meeting on 2/12/54. (at p.8005 reference is made to
what the previous speaker has said. In actual fact the
previous speaker did not refer to the Trades Union
meeting to which Mkwayi referred. This might well be
a point for cross-examination)

Meeting No. 545 /...

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Nkampungeni (120)

No. 312. U. 44. V. 22. p.4241 at 4236.

A.N.C., Veeplaas. P.E. 28/11/54.

p.4236. "The capitalists cannot think because they first close Africans from owing their own lands, because they can't expect people to live on small wages. We ask the capitalists for peace living in this country and have equal rights".

p.4239. Accused apparently helped in certain collections.

Mtsangani (121)

- ? + Meeting No. 312. V.22. p.4235 at p.4238.

Meeting held on 28/11/54 at Marzaki's Yard,
Port Elisabeth. It was a meeting of the A.N.C.

Mtsangani spoke about Bantu Education and urged
resistance against it. He called for a withdrawal
of the ban on Luthuli. He indicated that Luthuli
would be Prime Minister in the 1955 Parliament
and that he would be in Parliament in that year too.

- p.4237 : "We must not apply to Mr. Swart
to withdraw the ban on Luthuli, but we shall lift
it up ourselves, in 1955 in the Parliament when
Luthuli will be the Prime Minister of this country."

+ p.4238 : "The Bantu Education Act depends
on a Christians who should fight against it."

? - p.4238 : "The youths have taken an oath
that Dr. Verwoerd will enforce his education on
our dead bodies. Anything may happen to us. Last
week our mothers have been assaulted by the police.
The Africans have been religious for the last 300
years."

? - p.4239 : "I shall speak next year" in the
Parliament. I shall not die nor be shot by a
Dutchman before freedom is achieved."

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Mayekiso (113)

? Meeting No. 313. V.22. p.4241 at p.4243.

Meeting held on 5/12/54 at Veeplaats, Port Elizabeth.
It was a meeting of the A.N.C.

Mayekisodealt with the attitude of the Government towards the A.N.C. He called for freedom volunteers. He announced that certain boycott instructions had been withdrawn. Mayekiso was the Chairman at the meeting.

? p.4242: "When we are on the road towards freedom, we must expect death. Mr. Swart has given powers and he directs the police to rule this country. We in the African National Congress and other democratic organisations have taken a pledge to march forward in spite of some people standing in our way. In the struggle for freedom we are undergoing hardships. Our people are being killed by the police. Our organisation is on the road towards freedom and is expected for any man to protect himself. It is painful to see our people killed and some people want to know why the African National Congress is not taking action against the police. The African National Congress does not instruct the people to fight back whilst being assaulted by the police."

Meeting No. 315/2. /...

Ntsangani (121)

- Meeting No. 313. V.22. p.421 at p.423.

Meeting held on 5/12/54 at Veeplaata, Port Elisabeth.
It was a meeting of the A.N.C.

Ntsangani criticised Bantu Education. He stated that their present education, categorised as a Capitalist education, was better than the Bantu Education. He called upon the people to form an African Government in this country.

- p.423 : "Some people think that Strijdom is going to give us to freedom ; we must bear this in our minds that white people only differ in their way of oppression, but the fact remains that all Capitalists are oppressors."

- p.424 : "When the Capitalists gave us their education it did not know that we shall again find out some faults out of this education."

- p.424 : "Let us form the African Government in this country. The Government that will give equal education for all races."

Meeting No. 315 / ...

MKWAYI (117).

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Meeting No. 513. V.22. p.4241 at p.4244.

Meeting held on 5/12/54 at Veerplaat, Port Elisabeth.
It was a meeting of the A.N.C.

Mkwayi dealt with a large number of subjects. He spoke about the taxes payable by Africans; he announced that delegates were going to a Conference of the Congress of the people; he stated that the Government intended to remove Africans from the Western Area but as a result of a pledge taken by the A.N.C. Youth League and the A.N.C. this proposed removal had not been successful; he called for volunteers; he stated that he expected Luthuli to be Prime Minister instead of Strijdom; Bantu Education was spoken of as slavery education.

p.4246.

"I expected Chief Luthuli to be Prime Minister instead of Strijdom."

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W. MATI - ACCUSED 110.

Meeting 314. Volume 22. Page 4249.

19/12/54 Veeplaats. P.E.

A.N.C.

- The accused spoke about the economic boycott as "the most important thing in the campaign" and also about Bantu Education.

- - In Kenya when the Government interfered with education the Africans decided to fight"

+ "Here in South Africa we say stop Dr.Malan and his followers with your unjust laws. We in Africa as black people are no more prepared to obey unjust laws and we demand freedom in our lifetime. We are not prepared to shed blood, but if those in authority are determined to do so, we shall not be responsible".

V. Mini (114).

No. 314. U. 15. V. 22. p.4241.

A.N.C., Veeplaats, P.E. 19/12/54.

p.4253. Approves the co-operation between different Congresses and refers to a membership fee of 2/6 by A.N.C. members. States that boycott of certain firms in P.E. is still being continued and refers to the "M" Plan which he says should now be started.

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Adamba (119)

No. 337. U. 46. V. 22. p.4383.

A.N.C., Korsten. P.E. 19/12/54.

p.4383. Accused presided. Opened meeting with the remark that it was a meeting for people who wanted freedom.

p.4384. Complains about oppressive laws and invites speakers to talk about the boycott.

p.4385. Accused apparently made further remarks at this stage. Not read in court. Contained in G.544.

G. 544. p. 2. Freedom volunteers are asked to sign certain forms concerning C.O.P.

p.2. "Ons gaan die Republiek kansleer omdat ons honger lei. Volgende jaar sal die vryheid na ons aangeloop kom ons moet dit tegemoet gaan Rusland is baie ginge wat vir die bevolking goed is maar ons het nie ons skole vir ons kinders nie. Die Sjinese wat bly word Kommuniste genoem. Daardeur word ons ook Kommuniste genoem....."

Nkampi (120)

No. 337. U. 46. V. 22. p.4383 at 4383.

A.N.C., Korsten. P.E.

19/12/54.

p.4385. Speech not read in court contained
in G. 544.

G.544. p. 2. Speaks against poll-tax. Complains
that ground was being taken from Africans and
given to Coloureds.

p. 2. "Hoe kan ek met Swarts se dogter
trou as daar anderkant waar" (the meaning of
this is not clarified by the context).

p. 2. "Een van die dae sal ons almal
weg gaan dan sal jy sien wat van die boere word.
Ons gaan die O.K. boikot deur die artikel in
kaffertaal te vra."

A. Hoqaya. (122)

Meeting 337.

Volume 22. Page 4384.

19/12/54.

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The speech by the accused was omitted by

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Mtshangani (121)

- Meeting No. 315/1. v.22. p.4254 at pp. 4254 & 4259.

Meeting held on 26/12/54 at the T.C. White Hall, New Brighton, Port Elizabeth. It was a meeting of the A.L.C.

Mtshangani acted as Chairman of the meeting. He criticised Bantu Education and stated that at a conference at Durban the decision had been taken that from the 1st April, no African should allow his child to attend school. He stated that it was preferable to educate their children at home. He remarked that in Kenya the British Government had failed. He stated that they in the African National Congress said that during 1955 they were going to be in the Parliament.

- p.4254 : "We in the African National Congress say that during 1955 we are going to be in the Parliament."

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Mati (110).

Meeting 315/1 (U.47). Volume 22. Page 4255.

23/12/54 New Brighton, P.E.

ANCYL - Accused's speech poorly reported. He spoke about Bantu Education and the decision to withdraw children from the schools. "we in ANCYL are determined to oppose B.E....no child should go to school from April 1. It shows that an African in Kenya does the same as what an African does in S.A."

J. Tshume (123)

Meeting No. 315/1. V.22. p.4254 at p.4256.

Meeting held on 23/12/54 in the T.C. White Hall,
New Brighton, Port Elizabeth. It was a meeting of
the A.N.C.

Tshume criticised the present education system for
Africans. He stated that Sophiatown had declared to
fight so that the African should remain where he was
because Africa was his home. He stated in relation
to the Kenya people that the Conference had decided to
write to the British Government.

Meeting No. 315/2./.

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Meeting 315/1 Volume 22. Page 4254 at 4257. Exh. G.521

23/12/54 New Brighton, Port Elisabeth.

ANCYL.

- The speeches at this meeting were
principally about the A.C. Speaking on
this topic the accused called for the
withdrawal of children and condemned
Government policies generally.

4258 - This is not a game but in Kenya when
Education was interfered with they decided
to fight and die. If I am attacked and on
my retaliation it is nobody's fault"

Reported by Nathaniel Sogoni from notes. Poor.

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Vol. & Page 11.22 p. 4259

Date 9.1.55

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Speakers: 1.	<u>F. QIKO</u>	<u>() (0)</u>	Length of Report: <u>4 1/2 pp. (typed)</u>
2.	<u>MKWAYI 72 (117)</u>	<u>(E)</u>	
3.	<u>TSHUMBE 78 (123)</u>	<u>(0)</u>	<u>Meeting Summary</u>
4.	<u>NTSANGANI 76 (121)</u>	<u>(-)</u>	
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Mayekiso (113) Ho.

? - Meeting No. 315/2. V.22. p.4259 at p.4260.

Meeting held on 9/1/55 at Veeplaats, Port Elizabeth.
It was a meeting of the A.N.C.

Mayekiso acted as Chairman at the meeting. He stated that the A.N.C. members were not allowed to support the advisory board. He told his audience of the Congress of the People. He informed the audience that the delegates at the National Conference stressed the fact that no Africans would move from their place. He also said that at the Conference it had been decided that the economic boycott should be strengthened. He told the people about the Bantu Education Act.

MKWAYI (117)

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Meeting No. 225/2. V.22. p.1259 at p.1260.

Meeting held on 9/1/55 at Veoplaats, Port Elisabeth.
It was a meeting of the A.N.C.

Mkwayi spoke of the Western Areas Removal Scheme;
he stated that before freedom could be attained tears
and blood would flow; he dealt with the Bantu Education
Act and again said that blood would flow; he called for
volunteers; he spoke of the people in the Reserves;
he announced that preparations were being made for the
Congress of the People.

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p.1260: "If the Government start removing
people in Johannesburg it will do it with force and we
will see what will happen. We shall at all times answer
back to what the Government action is, even at the
Reserves there are no more trust farms to be made again.
Dr. Malan has run away and Strijdom will do the same.

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Mkwavi (117). No. 315/2 Cont.

The apartheid is abolished since Malan retired. Strijdom before freedom is achieved tears are going to flow down from a human being and blood is going to flow through the Government. The Government wants the blood to flow and if it happens it will be bad and if it doesn't it will be good."

p.4261: "We shall only answer according to anything that may happen as regards the Bantu Education Act. It is like a poison given to the parents to poison their children. I want to warn that the Government has touched the wrong part by interfering with education. In Kenya the Government interfered with education, and at the time the people ran into the forest. There is no freedom that has ever achieved unless tears and blood have flowed. The Government has given up and all your hope is that Chief Luthuli is your Prime Minister".

p.4262: "I want new volunteers to have the same uniform as I have got and when they sign the forms they must be prepared to face death".

Comment: At the end of Mkwavi's speech there was a comment by the Chairman. See Mayekiso (113). Mayekiso said that his audience must not be frightened by the last speaker and think that they were going to face death. These remarks seem to have been addressed to potential volunteers.

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J. Tshume (123)

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Meeting No. 315/2. V.22. p.4259 at p.4263.

Meeting held on 9/1/55 at Veeplaats, Port Elizabeth.
It was a meeting of the A.N.C.

Tshume described the method of meeting of the people in the Congress of the People. He criticised Bantu Education. He described an analogist position in Japan which he described as a capitalist country where the Government had attempted to interfere with education. He stated that a Conference had been held and that a law had been "refused".

Mtsangani (121)

Meeting No. 315/2. V.22. p.259 at p.266.

Meeting held on 9/1/55 at Veeplaate, Port Elizabeth.
It was a meeting of the A.A.C. H

Mtsangani criticised Bantu Education and called upon the audience to withdraw their children from school. He reported that Chief Luthuli had stated that he had ~~been asked to go to the Government and they~~ he now wanted to go to the Parliament to make laws. He called for an economic boycott of United Tobacco Co. products. He remarked that the Capitalist Governments were "breaking away".

p.267 : "It is quite evident that the Capitalist governments from all over the world are breaking away. In Kenya the police of high ranks are resigning. Whether we beg the white people the time is going to come when there will be a shooting retaliation from the people."

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	Name and No.	Code	
Chairman :	<u>NTSANGANI 76</u> (121) (-) *		Duration: <u>2 Hrs, 40 mins</u>
Speakers: 1.	<u>Dr. MASZULO</u> () (=)		Length of Report: <u>4 pp. typed.</u>
2.	<u>B. STURMAN</u> () (0)		
3.	<u>B. TSHUME</u> () (+ -)		<u>Meeting Summary</u>
4.	<u>M DYOGOLO</u> () (-)		
5.	<u>NTSANGANI 76</u> (121) (-)		
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J. Lohme (123)

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Meeting No. 316. V.22. p.4267 at p.4271.

Meeting held on 23/1/55 at Veeplaats, Port Elizabeth.
It was a meeting of the A.N.C. Youth League.

Tahme proposed a resolution lending support to those
Africans in the Transvaal on the eve of the inception
of the removal scheme. This resolution was adopted by
the meeting.

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Mtsangani (121)

Meeting No. 316. V.22. p.1267 at p.1267 & p.1270.

Meeting held on 23/1/55 at Veeplaats, Port Elisabeth.
It was a meeting of the A.N.C. Youth League.

Mtsangani acted as Chairman of the meeting.

He announced the decision of the African National Congress Annual National Conference held in Durban to keep children away from schools as from the 1st April, 1955. He said that the A.N.C. did not fight against education but only the so-called Bantu Education. He remarked that there were two fighting sections in this country. He talked of the Nationalist Party Government as a Fascist government. After dealing with the intention of the Government to deprive the Courts of their rights he said the Africans were going to depend upon their own national courts.

p.1268 : "There are two fighting sections in this country and they are; One under leadership of Strijdom, and the other under Luthuli's leadership."

p.1269 : "The Africans are now going to depend upon their own national Courts and it is for Africans to decide what to do with laws passed in the Parliament if they are not pleasing."

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Ndimba (119) - 7 -

No. 354. U. 50. V. 23. p.4434.

A.N.C., Korsten. P.E. 23/1/55.

p.4434. Accused presided. Refers to the presence of people from the Church which he says is also going to be governed by the government. Condemns segregated education, pass laws and removal of Africans from western Areas and Korsten. Some gibberish reporting suggests that Africans will only be moved. "Over their Dead Bodies".

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J. Jack (104)

Meeting 354. (U.50). Volume 25. Page 4476.

23/1/55

Korsten, P.E.

A.H.C.

0 The accused merely reported to the meeting that the Durban conference had decided "they were preparing for the Covenant conference (presumably C.O.P.) and that the meeting could either accept "this education" (presumably Bantu Education) or "take the A.H.C. decision".

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