THIS IS YOUR BUSINESS

The GROUP AREAS blow has fallen on Johannesburg it may fall on you soon

MASS MEETING

ATHLONE THEATRE

(LADYSMITH)

Sunday 9th Sept. 1956 At 7 p. m.

The Government has struck the first serious blow under the GROUP AREAS ACT by proclaiming the Western Suburbs of Johannesburg a White Group Area.

The Proclamation orders over 100,000 non-whites to move out of these areas leaving behind their Homes, Businesses, Schools, Mosques, Temples and Churches The time given is one year in some cases and two years in others.

The Government wants the Africans to move away to the wilds of Meadowlands, which it has set aside as an African Ghetto.

The Indians are told to go to their Ghetto, Lenasia, 20 miles out of Johannesburg. Here they will have to buy their vacant plot and build their houses.

The reply of the Transvaal Indian people to the Government's Proclamation was given at the great All-In-Conference held by the Transvaal Indian Congress on the 26th August over 1000 delegates, representing merchants and workers, professionals, women and youths, declared:

"WE WILL DEFENED OUR HOMES. WE WILL NOT GO TO LENASIA OR ANY OTHER GROUP AREA"

Tomorrow the Government may declare Group Areas in your town. What will you do?
Attend the mass meeting and learn what you can and must do.

SPEAKERS

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Dr. A. H. Sader

N. T. Naicker

G. Hurbans

Adv. H. Mall

Dr. M. M. Motala

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Natal Vigilance Committee

Representing: Natal Indian Congress. African National Congress, Congress of Democrats

Liberal Party, Congress of Trade Unions.

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