US team brings cash for struggle

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G. Locke Tanzania

A DELEGATION from the US-based African Liberation Support Committee (ALSC) arrived in Dar es Salaam yesterday to present 300,000/- to liberation movements. Zambia

The delegation is led by the Chairman of the committee, Mr. Gene Locke. The other members are the former Chairman of the committee, Mr. Owusu Sadaukai, and the committee's Secretary, Miss Brenda Paris.

Talking to reporters at Dar es Salaam International Airport, Mr. Locke said the aim of their trip to Africa was not only to present the money to the liberation movements, but also to talk to the OAU Liberation Committee about how the ALSC can effectively support the movements. He said that this would also give them an opportunity to get a real picture of the activities of the movements.

Mr. Locke further said that 80 per cent of the money will go to Frelimo, Zanu and Zapu, PAIGC and Unita. Unita is an Angolan organisation not recognised by the OAU.

The other 20 per cent will be given to the movement most in need of money. "This will be decided after we have had talks with the liberation movements," he said.

Mr. Locke said the ALSC has 33 offices (chapters) in the United States, Canada and the Caribbean and one in Dar es Salaam. The organisation engages itself in raising money for liberation movements in Southern Africa and Guinea Bissau, conducts educational seminars and programmes, and distributes literature, films and other educational materials.

The 300,000/- was raised in May by organising dances and other activities.

The delegation, which is a guest of Tanu, will be in Tanzania for five days.

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The delegation from the US which arrived in Dar es Salaam yesterday to present 300,000/- to liberation movements in Africa. The chairman of the committee, Mr. G. Locke (centre), is flanked by the secretary of the committee, Miss B. Paris (left), and the former chairman of the committee, Mr. Owusu Sadaukai. Story — Page 1.

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Words alone won't help liberation

"IT IS not enough that we give verbal support for the struggle for national liberation in southern Africa. We must show commitment by making material and tangible contribution."

This is the message that Mr. Gene Locke, newly elected chairman of the African Liberation Support Committee (ALSC) conveyed to students at the Kibaha Education Centre.

Mr. Owuzu Sadaukai, a member of the ALSC executive committee, however struck a note of caution by saying: "It is people who win struggle and not money or weapons. All the weapons and bombs could not defeat the people of Vietnam who were determined to be free."

He believed that Africa would one day be controlled by the workers and peasants and it will be "Africa which would befit us as human beings."

Asked whether the ALSC stood for an independent black state in the U.S., Mr. Sadaukai said: "Under capitalism this was not possible and it is our task to replace the present capitalist regime with a socialist one."

Mr. Sadaukai added however: "Once we have achieved our objective of the change of the regime, we reserve the right of self-determination, for even then racism will still prevail."

On how the Afro-Americans who are a minority could expect to overthrow the American imperialist, Mr. Sadaukai said that there was also a large section of the whites who were also oppressed and exploited.

"At a certain stage unity will be forged. But in this unity the black workers will play a vanguard role because they form the most oppressed and exploited section of the American people," he declared.

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US students praise Ujamaa

ELEVEN Afro-American students from the City College of the City University of New York, who are in Singida Region learning about Tanzanian socialism, have said that they have been impressed by the way villagers in Ujamaa villages are organised, their spirit of togetherness and in their activities in self-reliance.

The students have just completed five days living and working together with the Ngamu and Mwanga Ujamaa Villagers in Singida and Iramba Districts where they helped in harvesting various food crops, making bridges and erecting a flour mill at Mwanga Ujamaa Village.

Their leader, Prof. Max Magnat, has said that they had been impressed by the fact that the villagers were very advanced politically. He added that they enjoyed staying and working with the villagers.

He and a team-mate Prof. Marjorie Henderson contributed 350/- to help the development of the Mwanga Ujamaa Village while Mr. Juan Numoz, a student, contributed two pairs of shoes and two shirts.

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Frankly Speaking by Penge wa Penge

ALSC: Boost for struggling brothers

AN EVENT has been taking place in Tanzania which I would like all Africans to appreciate it for what it is. The event is the visit of representatives of the U.S.-based African Liberation Support Committee.

The visit is a visit with a difference. It is a visit that is not purely devoted to speech making. It is a visit that is not concerned with reciting litanies about African oppression. It is a visit of true solidarity.

For the representative of the A.L.S.C. have come with 300,000/- as a donation to African Liberation Movements. The other day we read in the newspapers that already, they have given 58,000/- to the fighting and heroic Front for the Liberation of Mozambique.

This is extremely significant. It shows that Africans everywhere are quickly realising that it is not enough to simply talk about our oppression and exploitation. It is necessary to act and act concretely.

The revolutionary gesture of the African Liberation Support Committee is far better than the million errands of those who masquarade from one African capital to another behaving more as messengers of the ideological neo-imperialists than true African revolutionaries.

Africans cannot behave this way. For they have a continent to liberate. They have a people to emancipate. This does not mean they should not look beyond their noses. What it means is that Africans must get their revolutionary priorities correct.

We Africans cannot at this stage pretend that we are citizens of the world and concentrate ourselves on that effort. That would be immature. It would be bankruptcy. For this vast continent has yet to be liberated.

For us Africans, there is no life outside the African Revolution. There is no friendship, no comradeship, no brotherhood and no solidarity outside this struggle to liberate mother Africa.

THE delegation of the ALSC, now visiting Tanzania. From left to right: Brother Gene Locke, Chairman, Sister Brenda Paris, Secretary, and Owusu Sadaukai.

I cannot think of a brother who does not want to participate in the hot struggle to free Africa from exploitation, oppression and all forms of weaknesses. I cannot think of an African who wants to fight for the liberation of our continent from rostruma outside where the struggle is taking place — in Africa.

Not every African can take up a gun and fight for the liberation of Africa. But Africans can contribute to the struggle through other concrete deeds that exclude mere talking. Certainly for those who call themselves African revolutionaries, the responsibility is even much more greater.

African revolutionaries cannot content themselves with the business of merely dramatising concepts. For in Africa, there are problems to grapple with. There are issues to be settled. There are injustices to be liquidated. There are inhuman forces to be eliminated. This cannot be done by merely emphasising on concepts. There is fighting to be done. There is a struggle to be waged.

This struggle must be prosecuted in concrete terms.

Theory and practice are interrelated. They are inseperable. To emphasise theory without practice is dogmatism. To concentrate on practice forgetting theory is adventurism. Let us leave the world of dogmas to those who believe in ghosts. Let us leave the world of adventurism to the bare-handed hunters!

As the Tanu Guidelines point out: "We have been oppressed a great deal, we have been exploited a great deal and we have been disregarded a great deal. It is our weakness that has led to our being oppressed, exploited and disregarded. We now intend to bring about a revolution which will ensure that we are never again victims of these things".

The necessity of waging an African Revolution makes it imperative for us to demonstrate our commitment by making material and tangible contribution to the struggle.

That is why we must hail our brothers of the African Liberation Support Committee for their latest contribution to the African cause. We can only wish that they will continue on this correct path.

Long live the African Revolution! The people of Africa shall win.

OWUSU COMES AS PARTY GUEST

By Staff Writer Karrim Essack

BROTHER Owusu Sadaukai comes to Tanzania this time as a guest of Tanu. He is accompanied by the current Chairman of the African Liberation Support Committee Brother Gene Locke and the Committee's Secretary, Sister Brenda Paris. They have come to present 300,000/- on the liberation movements.

In this concrete, practical and material way they have come to express their solidarity with the oppressed in Southern Africa and Guinea Bissau who are engaged in a struggle against enemies similar to their own.

This is Brother Owusu's third visit to Tanzania. It was in 1971 that he slipped into Tanzania unobtrusively. The new generation of the militant Afro-Americans had heard reports about the armed struggles of national liberatory movements in Africa. They also had heard of the new life that was coming to the fore in the liberated areas. Owusu was sent to see, talk to the people and find out for them at first hand.

major cities in the US to express support and solidarity for the oppressed fighting and armed struggle. This year demonstrations were held in 30 major cities. The movement has spread to Canada and the Caribbean. Altogether over 80,000 participated in demonstrations all over America, Canada and the Caribbean.

Though Brother Owusu has handed the reins to Brother Gene Locke he remains on the Executive Committee of the ALSC. The important thing is not the personality but the movement. It is important that the people associate a cause with a movement and not a personality. These American people have established bonds over a cause which is very dear to the people of Tanzania and Africa.

Tanu will be glad to hear that the amount was raised not by donations from the industrialists but by the working poor.

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commemorate the beginning of the track-laying work on the Zambia side.

The Presidents will then, stand aside and watch the Tanzania Minister for Communications and Works Mr. Job Lusinde, and the Zambian Minister for Power, Transport and Works Mr. F.M. Mulikita, lay the last rail on the Tanzania section and the first rail on the Zambia section of the railway respectively.

From here the Presidents will shake hands with a representative group of the railway workers.

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US group due in Dar tomorrow

The Chairman of the United States-based National African Liberation Support Committee, Mr. Owusu Sadaukai, and representatives of the committee are due to arrive in Dar es Salaam tomorrow for a one-week visit.

During their stay in the country, they hope to consult officials of liberation movements on how activities and programmes of the committee could best be co-ordinated with the liberation struggle on the continent.

On May 26, African Liberation Day, the committee planned and co-ordinated demonstrations in the US, Canada and the Caribbean, during which over 300,000/- was raised to assist Africa's freedom fighters.

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58,100/- aid to Frelimo

Mozambique Liberation Front yesterday received a cheque for 58,100/- from the US-based African Liberation Support Committee to boost their liberation struggle.

Presenting the cheque to Frelimo's Vice-President, Mr. Marcelino Des Santos, at his office in Dar es Salaam, ALSC's chairman, Mr. Dawelu Gene Locke, said the contribution was in recognition of the gallant struggle put up by Frelimo towards the liberation of Mozambique.

Mr. Dos Santos expressed gratitude to the committee and the Black community in the US for the generous donation. "Your action is an expression of solidarity," he said.

The delegation leaves on Saturday for Zambia to hold talks with Zapu and Zanu officials there before going on to Guinea where they will make a similar gift to PAIGC.

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