

AFRICAN STUDIES CONFERENCE

La Trobe University

23-24 August 1980

- Themes: A. Teaching About Africa in Schools
 B. Africa in the 80s: Problems and Prospects

FRIDAY, 22 AUGUST 19808.00 AFSAAP Executive Committee Meeting (Chisholm College)SATURDAY, 23 AUGUST 19809.00 Registration (Humanities-Education P 104)10.00 A1 Problems in Teaching about Africa (P 103)

Dr Jan Pettman (Canberra CAE): 'Africa and Attitude Change: The Teacher's Role'

Dr Anthony P. Haydon: 'Problems in Teaching about Other Cultures in Australian Students'

Bla Southern Africa (P 102)

Mr Roy Pateman: "Some Implications of Military Cooperation between South Africa and Israel"

Dr John Lea (Sydney): 'The New Urban Dispensation: Black Housing Policy in South Africa, post-Soweto, 1976'

Blb Fanon and Cabral (P 106)Mr Paul Nursey-Bray (Adelaide): 'Franz Fanon in the Post-Colonial Period: A la recherche du temps perdu?'

Dr Jock Mc Cullough: 'Cabral'

1.00 Lunch (Chisholm College)2.00 Rationalizing Library Resources on Africa (P 102)

Mr Bill Thorn (National Library)

Mr John Horacek (La Trobe University Library)

3.00 A2 Resources for Teaching about Africa (P 104)

Dr Thomas Spear (La Trobe) and Dr Stafford Kay (Monash): 'Teaching About Africa: A Guide to Resources'

Dr David Dorward (La Trobe): 'Films on Africa'

B2 Contemporary African Culture (P 102)

Dr Caroline Ifeka (ANU): 'Identity and Crisis: The Biafran Civil War'

Dr Eric ten Raa (UWA): 'Ritual Before and After Villagisation in Tanzania: The Case of Sandawe Twin Birth Rituals'

- 6.00 Conference Dinner (Chisholm College)
Mr E.G. Dimka, Acting High Commissioner for Nigeria,
'Why Teach About Africa?'
African Drumming, Jeff Pressing and Group
- 8.00 AFSAAP Annual General Meeting (Chisholm College) - members
only

SUNDAY, 24 AUGUST 1980

- 10.00 A3 Curriculum and Strategies for Teaching about Africa: I
(P 103)
Dr Noel Vanzetti (Canberra CAE) and Mr John Gregan:
'Overcoming Stereotypes of Africa: The Case Study Approach'
Mr Kenneth Gooding (Collingwood HS): 'Racism in South
Africa'
- B3 Africa and the International Political Economy (P 102)
Dr Richard Higgott (UWA): 'The Continuing French
Presence in Africa'
Dr June Verrier (Parliamentary Library): 'The Economic
determenants of International Policy Towards Southern
Africa'
- 12.00 Self-Help Groups for Teachers (P 103) - discussion
- 1.00 Lunch (Chisholm College)
- 2.00 A5 Curriculum and Strategies for Teaching about Africa: II
(P 103)
Ms Trish Henwood (Dandenong Technical College): 'Become
Aware of the People of Africa'
Mr Steve Brazil (Hurstbridge HS)
- B5a Passing of the Nationalist Generation (P 102)
Dr Cherry Gertzel (Flinders); Dr John Ballard (ANU);
Professor V. Subramaniam (NSW): "Nigeria's New Federalism:
Teething Troubles and Traumas of Transition"
- B5b Education in Africa (P 106)
Dr Dan O'Brien (Macquarie): 'Zambian Education Plans and
National Debate'
Mr. J.U. Ayalogu (Nigerian High Commission): 'Universal
Primary Education in Nigeria'
Professor J.D. Omer-Cooper (Otago): 'The Role of the
University of Ibadan in the Spread of the Study and
Teaching of African History in Africa'

BOOK EXHIBIT: Major Africanist publishers will be exhibiting materials
suitable for both schools and universities throughout the
conference in room P 101.

