

Police praise behaviour of Paul Simon crowd

Tribune Reporter

THE audience at the Paul Simon concert at Ellis Park was praised by the police last night for its good behaviour in the face of provocation by some 200 picketers.

A group of about 100 demonstrators sang and chanted outside the Ellis Park railway station as hundreds of concert-goers slowly filed past slogans proclaiming Simon a sellout.

Witwatersrand police spokesman Captain Eugene Opperman described the audience as "extremely well behaved under the circumstances".

"I could see many people felt they were being provoked but they kept their cool," he said.

Publicity secretary of the Azanian Youth Organisation George Ngwenya said the protest would end before the show began to allow the audience to enjoy it.

He said he was pleased that many blacks had decided not to attend despite



Security outside Ellis Park in preparation for the Paul Simon concert last night.

a call on Saturday by ANC president Nelson Mandela for blacks to attend in their "thousands".

"There are groups of two or three black people but there is certainly nowhere near attendance in the thousands."

"Black people believe liberation is more important than entertainment and have proved this by staying away," Mr Ngwenya said.

Captain Opperman described the demonstrators' behaviour as a form of harsh verbal harassment rather than intimidation.

Inside the rapidly filling stadium everything was calm with no indication of any politicisation except for a banner proclaiming "Quasimodo for President".

According to an Azapo demonstrator, 1 200 protesters were expected at the stadium — 700 of whom were to be inside.

Posters included "Yankee go home", "Simon!!! you have blood on the soles of your boots", "One Paul Simon One Sellout", "Born at the Wrong Time. Paul go Home" and "Liberation first! Interment after — Viva Azapo".

Prakash Naidoo and Edwin Naidu

THE bodies of two white policemen were found with bullet wounds in their heads near Bulwer in the Natal Midlands early yesterday morning.

Police said the two recruits, who completed their training in November, had been "assassinated". They were identified as Jacques Wilken, 19, of Newcastle, and Wybrand Smit, 19, of Vereeniging. They were found back to back in the veld off the road between Howick and Bulwer.

Emotions in the police are running "very high" and a senior officer said the police were "very angry".

The deaths of the two policemen bring to seven the number of police officers killed so far this year.

A countrywide intensive manhunt has been launched by police.

According to Col Willem van den Berg, of Pietermaritzburg Murder and Robbery Squad, who is the chief investigating officer, the manner in which they were shot indicated that they had been "assassinated". They were shot in a sitting position, back to back; when the bodies were found they had tilted over.

Both were shot at point blank range with at least two head wounds each.

They were believed killed in the early hours of Saturday morning.

Police said the two had a lift from Durban to Pietermaritzburg and had been dropped off at the Greytown-Church Street offramp on the N3 at 4.45pm on Friday. They were hitching on their way to Constable Wilken's home in Newcastle.

Detectives are working on the theory that once their killers realised the two men were policemen they were shot, the colonel said.

Their bodies were found by a passer-by walking along a dirt road at 8.15am on Saturday morning. He alerted Howick police.

The area where they were found is next to a dirt road three kilometres from Mpophomeni township and the bodies were found three metres from the edge of the dirt road close to a stream. The spot was 30 metres off the road from Howick to Bulwer.

Pietermaritzburg's Murder and Robbery Squad are anxious to speak to anyone who might have seen the two men on the road. Both were wearing casual grey slacks, one had on a white shirt and the other a green paisley shirt.

When found their watches, two tog-bags they were carrying, and their shoes and socks were missing.

They both graduated from the police training college in November and were stationed in Durban.

Mr Wilken's mother, Mrs NB Wilken, was too upset to speak to the Tribune when contacted last night, but Mr Wilken's brother Johann said Jacques had been in the police force six months and had only just finished basic training.

"He was planning to make the police force his career," he said.

Police appealed to anyone with information to contact Colonel Willem van den Berg at (0331) 943771 or Sgt Danie Reynicke on (0331) 66002.

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SUPPORT FOR SIMON



ANC President Nelson Mandela lifts American singer Paul Simon's hand after he appealed for support for Simon's concert tour at a banquet in Johannesburg on Friday night. The ANC has offered to provide security for the tour, which has been threatened by black extremist groups.



MBONGENI KHUMALO ... More allegations against the IFP.

Top Inkatha man reveals MI connections

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By SEKOLA SELLO and Sapa

THE Inkatha Freedom Party is controlled by the security forces and has 200 highly trained hit squad members based at various KwaZulu police stations, a former senior party official claimed on Friday.

Mbongeni Khumalo, who was a member of the organisation's central committee, made the claims at a press conference in Johannesburg.

Khumalo, 33, also told the conference that Inkatha was fast losing support and was now confined to some pockets of Natal and KwaZulu only.

He also confirmed several allegations made by *The Weekly Mail* concerning the involvement of Military Intelligence (MI) in training Inkatha's top members,

including KwaZulu Members of Parliament, Cabinet Ministers, youth activists and school inspectors. They were taken on leadership and political education courses.

Inkatha, claims Khumalo, also assisted SADF operatives in many efforts to undermine the now-defunct United Democratic Front and Mass Democratic Movement.

Some Inkatha members helped by distributing pamphlets critical of the UDF, MDM and Cosatu.

Khumalo said Inkatha had no political programme or agenda of its own and that the security forces had "greatly infiltrated" it to the point where they effectively controlled it.

The former acting chairman of Inkatha's Youth Brigade said Buthelezi was aware of the organisation's links with the security forces.

"Buthelezi runs Inkatha like his own personal household," he said.

According to *The Weekly Mail*, the 200 Inkatha hit squad members were trained by the SADF in the Caprivi Strip and in Israel in 1986.

Inkatha has repeatedly denied that these men have been trained for hit squad purposes, saying they were trained to provide security for KwaZulu VIPs.

In its report, the newspaper said seven of these 200 men had been linked to hit squad activities.

Among the claims endorsed by Khumalo are that Buthelezi was fully aware of the source and amount (R250 000) paid by the police for an Inkatha anti-sanctions rally at King's Park Stadium in 1989.

Last year, Buthelezi denied that he was aware this rally was funded by the police and his personal as-

sistant, MZ Khumalo, subsequently took the rap for "not informing his leader".

An Inkatha Youth Brigade official had said they were responsible for attacking mourners at a funeral in Wesselson in the eastern Transvaal.

During the attack, the mourners, mostly ANC sympathisers, were forced to flee and the three coffins were opened and corpses sprayed with bullets.

Khumalo, who lives in Ulundi with his family, says he now regrets having joined Inkatha, which he initially thought was a liberation movement. He says he is prepared for any consequences as a result of his allegations.

Meanwhile, Sapa reports that Buthelezi has dismissed allegations of collaboration between his party and the Defence Force and

accused the editor and staff of *The Weekly Mail* of being "loyal sycophants" and propagandists of the ANC.

Buthelezi, who accompanied the Zulu king to a meeting with President FW de Klerk on Friday, was asked at a news conference after the discussions to comment on Khumalo's allegations.

Buthelezi said Khumalo "is bitter because he tried to get a job in my department, the department of the Chief Minister, but was not successful".

Buthelezi described allegations that IFP personnel had received training from the SADF as "a blatant lie".

However, he acknowledged that "some young people" received training in VIP protection after disclosures of an alleged ANC plot to assassinate him (Buthelezi).

"These people were later re-integrated into the KwaZulu Police," he told reporters.

Buthelezi said allegations of complicity between Inkatha and the security forces were deliberately put out before major events to discredit him and the IFP.

De Klerk said he did not know anything about the latest disclosures.

He said he had dealt fully with secret funding and operations at his post-Inkathagate news conference in July last year and said legislation relating to the restructuring of secret funding would be introduced.

"Many of these issues relate to a different time and different circumstances, when we had to fight terrorism. But we have now adapted to the new circumstances and we have nothing to hide," said De Klerk.

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Legal slant for ANC at Codesa

THE African National Congress has opted for strong legal representation in choosing its Codesa working group teams.

The working group dealing with Codesa time schedules and implementation of decisions taken at the historic talks includes veteran advocate George Bizos, a long-time friend of the mainstream anti-apartheid movement and of the Mandela family in particular.

Other lawyers include Legal Resources Centre head Arthur Chaskalson, advocate Dullah Omar, legal professor Kader Asmal and ANC legal expert Penuel Maduna.

The full list, which the ANC has said may still be subject to alteration, is as follows:

Creation of the right political climate and the role of the State media: Joe Modise, Jacob Zuma, Penuel Maduna and Prof Asmal;

General constitutional principles and constitutional mechanisms: Cyril Ramaphosa, Mohammed Valli Moosa, Dr Frene Ginwala and Mr Chaskalson;

Interim government/transitional measures: Thabo Mbeki, Joe Nhlanhla, Joel Netsitshende and Mr Omar;

Future of the TBVC states: Alfred Nzo, Matthew Pheza, Barbara Masekela and Pius Langa;

Time schedules and application of Codesa decisions: Dr Pallo Jordan, Zola Skweyiya, Lucille Meyer and Mr Bizos. — Sapa

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