
SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

NAMIBIAN NATURAL RESOURCES PROTECTION ACT, H.R. 2589

Recently U.S. Congressional Representative Patricia Schroeder, 1st District, Denver, CO, presented a bill designed "to bring the United States into compliance with international law regarding Namibia and pressure South Africa to withdraw its illegal occupation of Namibia." The bill "prohibits companies or persons in the United States from using Namibia's natural resources, without the permission of the U.N. Council for Namibia; authorizes the president to issue regulations, licenses, and orders necessary to carry out this Act; establishes penalties for violation of this Act; provides for termination of this Act when the president has certified that Namibia has achieved internationally recognized independence; and denies assistance from the U.S., in accordance with international law, to any person or company sued or held liable by the future government of Namibia for exploitation of Namibian natural resources."

"I..., I..., I..., I..., AIN'T GONNA PLAY SUN CITY!"

The Africa Fund announces the availability of the *Sun City Education Project*, an anti-apartheid curriculum package which includes a record featuring over 50 internationally known artists, a video, a book and accompanied by a teaching guide. For information about pricing and availability contact The African Fund, 198 Broadway, New York, NY 10038.

MLA VOLUME ON APPROACHES TO TEACHING *THINGS FALL APART*

The Committee on Teaching And Professional Activities of the Modern Language Association has authorized preparation of a volume on *Approaches to Teaching Chinua Achebe's Things Fall Apart* for inclusion in their Approaches to Teaching World Literature Series. The editor of the volume will be Prof. Bernth Lindfors, English Department, University of Texas at Austin, Austin, TX 78713. Persons wishing to contribute a short essay to the projected volume should contact Prof. Lindfors before February 1, 1987.

NEW FILM FROM IDAF

The International Defence and Aid Fund for Southern Africa has produced a new film, *Song of the Spear*, the theme of which is the role of culture in the struggle for national liberation. The film intercuts performances of the Amandla Cultural Ensemble with interviews with leading ANC cultural workers. Films and videos are available from the IDAF, Canon Collins House, 64 Essex Road, London N1 8LR, UK.