

# BUS BOYCOTT BRINGS HARDSHIPS TO THOUSANDS ON REEF AND IN PRETORIA



MR. F. Q. VUNDLA . . . Where is he? asked the people when the boycott was due to be organised

THE REEF and Pretoria bus boycotts have brought new hardships to thousands of people. It is costing them more to live and some now find it hard to make ends meet.

Alexandra, Sophiatown, Western Township and Lady Selborne (Pretoria) have boycotted buses since dawn on Monday.

People believe that the boycott would have been much more widespread at Pretoria were it not for poor leadership.

But Western Township is boycotting the buses without leaders. People are wondering what has happened to their advisory board.

The big question they all ask is: "Where is P. Q." (Vundla, who is their "Mayor").

### Where is he?

He was not at Western Township Communal Hall on Monday night.

People say they had expected their leaders to give them guidance.

Meanwhile Mr Vundla is away in Umtata in the Transkei where he is attending activities of a Moral Rearmament Team.

Among the activities of the Moral Rearmament team are

speeches and bioscopes. They all deal with moral rearmament.

People say there are at present two far more important things for him to attend to than moral rearmament.

### Big things

1. The bus boycott.
2. The Location Advisory Boards Congress at Bloemfontein.

He is a regional organiser of this body for the Witwatersrand area.

Reef Advisory Board big shots wonder what he is doing in Umtata. They have to face a big storm by themselves, though they had expected Mr. Vundla to stand by them.

The storm has grown out of the Cape Town deputation. When five Johannesburg Joint members went to Cape Town

to protest against banishment during the last session of Parliament they did not consult the national executive of the boards congress.

But the executive is furious and Messrs G. G. Xorile, H. M. Butshingi and P. Lengene will have to face a tough attack ... without any help from Mr Vundla.

The executive will be strongly backed by board members\* from other provinces. They are the people who voted for Mr. R.H. Godlo and his cabinet