

Dr. Buchman's visit to S.A.: invitations explained

In some minds a doubt seemed to have arisen about the nature of the invitation extended to Dr. Frank N. D. Buchman, leader of the Moral Re-Armament movement, to visit South Africa, Mr. W. Williams, a representative of Moral Re-Armanent said in an interview.

"We of Moral Re-Armament in South Africa have undertaken to bring Dr. Buchman to the Union as our guest," he said. "We informed various representative leaders of the impending visit and they joined us in extending an invitation to him.

"The invitation from the Speaker of the House of Assembly, Mr. J. H. Conradie, and the President of the Senate, Mr. C. A. van Niekerk, is not an official invitation from the Government. These men, by the nature of their office, represent all political parties and as such they have taken it upon themselves to welcome the idea of Dr. Buchman's visit.

"The five administrators in their positions as non-political leaders of the provinces have extended a personal invitation to Dr. Buchman to come here."