

Appendix 2

Chief Articles in the Press

The press coverage of the Wiriyamu report was vast not only in Britain but all over the world. The following is a small selection, consisting of some of the most significant items in the British and overseas press.

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| July | 10 | <i>Times</i> . Original report and editorial. |
| | 11 | Front page news in every national paper. editorial in the <i>Times</i> . |
| | 13 | <i>Times</i> . Full text of the report by Valverde and Hernandez of the Mucumbura massacres. Third editorial. |
| | 15 | <i>Observer</i> . Publication of the Chawola report. <i>Sunday Times</i> . The evidence of Fr Da Costa. 'Insight' article providing much background information. <i>Sunday Telegraph</i> . The most extensive attempt to criticise the story. |
| | 16 | <i>Times</i> . Letter from me replying to the critics. |
| | 18 | <i>Times</i> . The evidence of Fr Berenguer. |
| August | 2 | <i>Times</i> . Article by me entitled: 'The Three Inquiries—the Missionaries, the Bishops and the Army.' |
| | 3 | <i>Guardian</i> . Full-page article by Fr Burridge of the White Fathers explaining why they left Mozambique in 1971. |
| | 5 | <i>Sunday Times</i> . Peter Pringle's evidence from Tete. |
| | 6 | <i>Times</i> . The evidence of Father Berenguer. |

- 15 *Spiegel* (Germany). Long general article.
- 20 *Daily Telegraph*. Lisbon admits one 'reprehensible' act in Tete and Bruce Loudon explains what it was.
- 26 *Observer*. Article by me on the wider significance of the atrocity.
- September 16 *Famiglia Cristiana* (Milan). Long article by Antonio Filippini entitled *Mozambico. Parlono I Superstiti*. (The survivors speak). Various photographs.
- 20 *Times*. Full text of the Mozambique bishops' confirmation of the massacre and protest to the Governor General made public.
- 25 *Star* of Johannesburg. Confirmation of the Wiriyamu massacre from Portuguese sources.
- 26 *Times* and *Guardian*. Reports of the preceding item.
- October 7 *Observer*. Detailed Frelimo confirmation of the Wiriyamu massacre.
- November 27 *Times*. Statement of Frs Valverde and Hernandez after release from prison.
- December 9 *Sunday Times*. Fr Sangalo's report on events in Tete in August.