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COMMUNICATION FROM L'ASSOCIATION POUR LE PROGRES SOCIAL ET
ECONOMIQUE DE LA SUBDIVISION DE NGAOUNDERE CONCERNING THE
CAMEROONS UNDER FRENCH ADMINISTRATION

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NGAOUNDERE, 26 March 1956

L'Association pour le Progres Social
et Economique de la Subdivision de
Ngaoundéré (A.P.S.E.N.)
Ngaoundéré

To the High Commissioner of the French Republic,
Yaoundé

Sir,

Our Association has the honour respectfully to inform you of its great displeasure that Mr. Fengam Maurice, of the Bamiléké race, ex-Chairman of the Ngaoundéré branch of the UPC has returned to Ngaoundéré. His presence here is a threat to public peace and order, for we well remember the difficulty we had in calming people a year ago and the violence and disturbances which this subversive party stirred up among us.

At a meeting on Sunday 25 March 1956, the members of APSEN therefore decided unanimously that Mr. Fengam Maurice should simply be expelled from Ngaoundéré (a record of this meeting is enclosed).^{1/}

May I say that our association now has ten thousand registered members in the Ngaoundéré Subdivision as well as many sympathizers. It is the only association

^{1/} Note by the Secretariat: The enclosure referred to has been placed in the Secretariat files and is available to members of the Trusteeship Council on request.

which can truly speak for the Foulbés of Ngaoundéré, who are unanimously opposed to Fengam's continuing his activities here any longer.

We have the honour to be, etc.

(signature illegible)

Chairman of APSEN

(s.) (s.)

Vice-Chairmen

(s.)

Secretary

(s.)

Treasurer

(s.) (s.) (s.)

Councillors
