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In all corners of the country, the leadership of the SWAPO Party at all levels is reporting tremendous satisfaction with the way the campaign for the 2009 Presidential and National Assembly Elections is progressing. Most of the rank and file of the SWAPO Party are filled with euphoria of the campaign and are hard at work lobbying and educating fellow members about the aims and objectives of the SWAPO Party. In the SWAPO Party, we have many reasons to celebrate achievements scored so far at this early stage of the campaign. The number of people joining the SWAPO Party is increasing day by day. We are, as a result, predicting a decisive victory by far exceeding the votes received during all preceding elections. The flocking of a large number of Namibians to the SWAPO Party clearly demonstrates that the messages being come and join SWAPO

Workers and staff members at The Namibian have alleged that pay structures at that newspaper are designed and worked out on the basis of one’s colour, alleging that whites are paid more than blacks. Gwen Lister, who has persistently claimed that she does not get a salary, takes home more than N$700,000 per year. One “senior court reporter” apparently earns more than assistant.

School hooliganism: Above and below. A pupil at David Bezdienhout was attacked and severely beaten up and kicked all over the body by about six fellow pupils in front of the school and dropped on the ground unconscious, shortly after 13 hours on Thursday. The pupil was rushed to hospital by an ambulance.

Namibia has lost one of its finest liberation icons, Cde Hendrick Witbooi, who passed away on Tuesday this week. He will be buried at Gibeon next week Sunday.

Pay disparities reveal ‘racism’ at The Namibian

Witbooi to be buried at Gibeon

Liberation icon to get State funeral, all flags to fly at half-mast