



Members of the cast of Springbok Stampede (from left): Helen Harrod, Suzan Daneel, Jos Slabbert, Hamish Scott, Gertrude Nachenius, Helen Horn and Jonathan Harrod, singing outside Bulawayo's City Hall.

'STAMPEDE' IS A CHALLENGE TO YOUTH

Chronicle Reporter

MORE than 50 young South Africans arrived in Bulawayo yesterday to present a challenge in music and movement to the youth of Rhodesia.

They are the performers of Springbok Stampede, a show with a message, which opens tomorrow at the Bulawayo Theatre.

One of the cast, Mr. Jonathan Harrod (18), of Potgietersrus Transvaal, described the show as "a positive demonstration of our generation".

He said: "We want to make contact through the show with people of our generation to find out how they can take on the challenge of tomorrow and the development of this continent.

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"Through it we present our own ideas and we hope that we can inspire Rhodesians to take them up and present their own ideas."

Miss Helen Horn (26), of Vaalharts, near Kimberley, said that 2,000 youngsters had formed local shows based on Stampede.

There were 300 similar shows all round the world which were

geared to the context of individual countries.

From Bulawayo the show will move to Wankie, Gwelo, Que Que, Salisbury, Umtali and Fort Victoria.

Mr. Harrod said: "We gave an impromptu performance at Balla Balla on the way up. The response was fantastic. We're hoping that we'll get the same response throughout our tour".