

WOMAN GIVES FARM TO MORAL RE-ARMAMENT

MISS Nancy Brereton, a Gwelo woman who has for many years been closely involved with the Moral Re-Armament Campaign, has given it her 300 hectare dairy farm, Coolmoreen, for the establishment of Rhodesia's first Moral Re-Armament training centre.

The farm, with its 100 plus Jersey herd of milk cows and followers, will be managed by another member of the movement, Mr Peter Loch, who has been farming in Kenya. Miss Brereton and her friend, Dr Ann Martin, have already moved from the main farmhouse into a cottage they have built on the farm. They too will help.

The centre will be used by people of all races for seminars, conferences, and training courses where they will be instructed in the beliefs of Moral Re-Armament.

There are other such centres elsewhere in the world, and Miss Brereton says that in this one she hopes they may create something that Rhodesia needs at this difficult time by promoting good fellowship—"a place where all can meet regardless".

Midlands Representative: GWELO

In opening the centre yesterday, the Mayor of Gwelo, Alderman G. A. Sulter, not himself a member of Moral Re-Armament, broadly outlined its aims.

He said he believed it was the great desire for the vast majority of Rhodesians that from the present settlement talks would evolve a nation united in purpose.

This purpose was "to provide and preserve the great freedoms of the people — freedom from fear, from want, from discrimination, of worship and of speech. This will be true liberty and any-

thing less will have missed the mark," he said.

The Coolmoreen Training Centre, he said, had a vital part to play in establishing communication and understanding between people in this country and outside it.

"There is every reason to expect the same success as has been experienced by similar centres throughout the world."

At the opening, attended by a multiracial audience —most of whom were connected in some way with the movement—Miss Brereton said she hoped the centre would become "a beacon of hope in Southern Africa and the world".

The Coolmoreen Development Fund was launched at the ceremony with an initial \$6 000 target for providing kitchen and dining-room facilities at the centre. It was announced that one Gwelo woman had already given \$1 000 to the fund.