

# POLICE QUESTION DARWIN UNION LEADER

DARWIN, Monday. — Police have questioned the acting secretary of the militant North Australian Workers' Union, Mr T. Peel, about his activities during the recent native strikes.

Peel refused to answer until he had seen a solicitor. The questions were contained in three handwritten pages.

On January 26, J. Orang, SM, said in Darwin police court, after convicting the aboriginal Lawrence, that the Crown Law authorities might consider taking action against people who might have prompted Lawrence's actions, particularly Peel, who had been mentioned in evidence.

Lawrence was convicted on a charge of having interfered by threats with the right of the aboriginal Jacky to continue in his employment.

Lawrence was released on bail pending an appeal.