MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE



Mrs. D. Kalideen, the newly-elected president of the Women's Indian Club, Durban.

INDIAN BROADCAST

The ministry of the Andhra Rashtrik Sabha of South Africa, held recently, will present a programme of Telugu songs and music during the Indian session on Sunday, 6th October. These listening will be: Mr. Thathiah Naidoo, Mr. Ramaswamy Naidu and the Misses Kamala and Hemalatha Naidoo. Mr. Ramaswamy Naidoo will preside.



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Mrs. Chas. H. Hammonds of Durban, Mrs. Hoosen Cajee of Durban, Mrs. Ismail Amod, Mrs. Amod Ismail and Mrs. Jack Ismail, all of Durban, are visiting Johannesburg for about one month and will be entertained by friends.

Mr Dhanjibhai Gangat, who has been on the staff of the Natal Indian Congress and acted as Assistant Secretary to the late Mr. Parsee Rustomjee, has been appointed Secretary to the Congress in succession to the late Indian School. He will resume his services on his new school on October 21.

A fair gathering witnessed the naming ceremony of Manorji Karma and Prabha Kalka recited at the residence of Thakur Singh, at Tugela. Pte. H. M. Patel officiated.

Mr. A. P. Kandhiraan, Principal of the Tigers Kloof Indian School, Newcastle, has been transferred to the Primary school at the newly-opened Indian Location, known as the Madadeni Indian School.



Viswanathan, son of Mr. and Mrs. K. Naidoo, of Superintendent, grandson of Mr. and the late Mrs. Rupe Vass Naidoo, and Mr. and Mrs. Arumugam Gounder, of Illovo, who celebrated his first birthday on July 26, 1946.

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PILLAY—MOODLEY WEDDING

Mr. Vathilingum, son of Mr. and the late Mr. Peter Ramasamy Pillay, of 15 Argument Road, Isipingo, and Miss Saraswathy, daughter of Mr. and the late Mr. Soonan Doorsamy Moodley, of 5 Somerton Road, Durban, were married recently at the Sastri College Hall, Durban.

Numerous letters of felicitations and presents were received from friends and relatives throughout the country.

Mr. Doorsamy Moodley, the father of the bride, is a well known sportsman. He was a member of the South African Indian cricket team that toured India in 1935. He also held the badminton championship of South Africa.



Indrapratapsingh, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Naidoo, of Tongaat, and granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Naidoo, of Clairwood, celebrated her first birthday on Saturday, August 31, at the latter's residence, Clairwood.



Rajendra (Hugh) eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Sathasivan and grandson of Mrs. Ramasharan, of Kathkuin, Mandeburg, who celebrated his second birthday on Sunday, September 15.

OVERPORT SOCIAL CLUB

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Mrs. Pavlin Samuelson and Miss Phyllis Joyce, both of East London, are spending a short visit in Durban.



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Sushila Rani Sookdyall, the popular radio and stage star, and youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Sookdyall, of Speightown, who celebrated her first birthday on Saturday, September 14, at her residence.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Madhavan, of 17 Lemuel Road, Cato Manor, are spending a holiday at Umkomaas.

Mr. H. S. Nochanth, attached to the staff of the Tigers Kloof Indian School, Newcastle, has been appointed to the staff of the Sastri College, Durban.

Mr. Jan Muthusamy Mackenzie and Mrs. Mackenzie are spending a month's honeymoon at Durban.



Shanmugam Naidoo, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. K. R. Naidoo, of 5 Mail Street, Sydenham, who celebrated his second birthday on September 5.

INFORMAL TEA FOR FOSA COLLECTORS

An informal tea party will be given this (Saturday) afternoon at 4 p.m. by the friends of the Fosa collectors at the Durban International Club in aid "Londsmoor, collectors who assisted with the last street collection.

As FOSA has been unable to contact all collectors they are requested to take notice of this.

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GOLF NOTICE

Mr. D. Kalideen, president of the Durban Indian Golf Club, wishes to inform all competitors in the Natal Open Golf Championships which are to be held at Curries Fountain next week, that they should be present on the grounds, before eight o'clock in the morning.

Late comers will not be entered.

During the substantial entries received from Maritzburg and Inland Districts, there will be many interesting events offered in the drawing of the Salvers.

GIRL GUIDES

Enrolment of girl Guides and Brownies will take place at the R.T.M.S. Hall on October 7 (under 12 years) and October 8 (over 12 years) at 4 p.m. Mrs. Pillay, Divisional Commissioner for Natal, is in charge of the enrolment. Mrs. Phillips, 697 Booms Street, Durban, in charge of the registration. Parents and all interested are requested are invited to attend the enrolment meeting at the R.T.M.S. Hall.

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There are no fees to pay; the hospital will provide uniforms, lodgings and board plus a pocket allowance beginning at £20 p.a. The girls, however, will have to find their fares from here to England. These arrangements have been made by Dr. Dorasamy Naidoo (formerly of Umkomaas) and MRS. HEDLEY, his wife and Mr. Cassim Jadwat.

In the course of a letter Mr. Jadwat, who is studying in England, and who conveyed information states that the girls have reached out to Dr. Naidoo his wish to go to England.

Dr. Naidoo is a Medical Officer of Health in the Middlesex Hospital.

The following proposals are under consideration. The girls must be between 17 and 25 years of age and have passed the South African Matriculation Examination or equivalent. It is important that the girls should be unfailly healthy and have an aptitude for nursing. It would be worth while for girls who have it in them to make a positive contribution to their community on their return to South Africa.

The first two girls should be particularly bright for on their performance would depend whether the hospital will take in

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AFRICA AND INDIA TO IMPROVE RELATIONS

SUGGESTIONS FOR BETTER RELATIONS BETWEEN INDIANS AND AFRICANS HAVE BEEN MADE BY SIX REPRESENTATIVE AFRICANS IN KENYA IN A LETTER TO PANDIT NEHRU, STATES A SAPA-REUTER MESSAGE FROM NEW DELHI.

THE letter concerns the good offices of the writers on the establishment of an Indian Government and was delivered by the leader of an Indian delegation to East Africa which returned to New Delhi this week.

It suggests that scholarships be created for African students to Indian universities as soon as possible, and that African students be given special facilities for technical, commercial and agricultural studies in India.

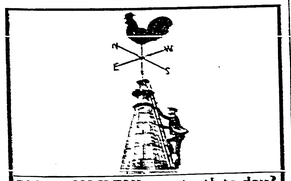
It suggests that representatives of the African peoples should be invited to attend any Indian round table conference which may be held in India in November, and that Africans also be represented at the Paris Peace Conference.

"Come to Your Senses"

—Clarkson

The Minister of the interior, Dr. T. E. Dönges, addressing the National Congress of the United Party on Thursday, said the Indian Land Tenure and Indian Representation Act was on the Statute Book and, despite Indian opposition, would be enforced.

Senator Clarkson appealed to the Indian community to "come to their senses" and to the best of the community as a whole appeal to the Government to see that the Act would be administered in a reasonable manner. Only when peaceful relations have been established between South Africa and India would it be possible to deal with the South Africans.



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THE VOICE OF INDIA

Mr. Naidoo, who returned from the Transvaal this week, said in Delhi would always be raised in the cause of African freedom and understand the aspirations.

"I like the idea that African students should come to the universities and mix with the sons and daughters of India, and we shall try to encourage this as far as we can," he said.

He was sure that friendly advances from Africa would be welcomed at the Paris Union conference to be held in March next year. We can then confer with the African delegates and see what we can do for development of the relations between Asia and Africa."

INDIAN BANK FOR S.A.?

ARRANGEMENTS are being made to open an Indian bank in this country because of the difficulty which Indians find in trying to raise loans from European financial houses.

Until the passing of the Asiatic Land Tenure Act loans were advanced to Indians by Europeans as a matter of ordinary business, but now there is a political twist to it and Europeans who lend money to Indians are virtually blackmailed by municipal politicians.

The Act also prevents a European from mortgaging a loan of more than 50% of the value of a property to Indians.

A big English banking interest with South African connections is, The Leader understands, interested in the proposition and will, in fact, be the backbone of the project.

Plans and registration of an Indian Building Society are also now being worked out.

INDIA WANTS FRIENDLY RELATIONS

MR. Jadwat came with Mr. Maharaj Singh and Mr. Krishna Menon, Private Secretary to the Prime Minister of India, and Pandit Nehru's personal secretary, according to a Sapa-Reuter Pretoria message.

Mr. Menon said his mission was one of goodwill, undertaken to convey to the South African people the friendly feelings of India towards them.

India wants friendly relations with all countries, including the Union and Britain, and does not feel that friendship with one country should be at the expense of another, he said.

He was not aware why relations between India and the Soviet Union should be placed on a permanent basis of the strongest friendship.

It is gratifying to learn that Mr. Menon asked Mr. Malcolm for the opportunity of visiting India, and the establishment of full diplomatic relations.

Because of the shortage of food in India, Mr. Menon said, he did not hope for any substantial help from South Africa, but he would call the attention to the possibility that there may be overproduction.

DEWALI GREETINGS

MAY thousands send your Diwali greetings which will appear in The Leader of October 19 and 26. The following are specimens:

"I wish all my friends and relatives a very happy Deepavali."—Ramasamy Pandit.

Mr. and Mrs. Moodley wish all relatives and friends a very happy Deepavali.

To all relatives and friends, best and best wishes for the festive season from all at 28 Church Street, Mayville.

Readers may place their greetings at these rates. The cost is 1/- per insertion. Sunday greetings must be received by Wednesday and Wednesday greetings by Friday. Send your greetings to The Leader, Box 1167, Durban.

300,000 DEAL

Avalon Cinemas Change Hands

THE Avalon chain of cinemas, established primarily by Mr. A. I. Kajee, has been sold to a Pretoria Indian company. The deal involves £300,000 and is, The Leader understands, the biggest Indian business transaction in South Africa.

There will be no change of control until December 15, after which the new owners will take charge.

AMERICAN DOUBTS ABOUT UNO

IN some American circles there is still doubt whether the United Nations will take any positive action to get the personal emigrants to South Africa considered.

In the course of a letter to Mr. Harold V. Johnson, leader of the United States delegation to UNO the Secretary for Mission states:

"It is already apparent, however, that there will be strong opposition in certain quarters against any action by the United Nations which appears to be dangerous from the point of view of the peaceful relations that exist between the United Nations on the one hand and the governments of Indonesia and Spain on the other hand. Reports have been reported, as likewise the Indian Government's protest against the treatment of South Africa may be referred.

The New York Times editorially prepared the way for such measures with views by saluting the South African Government's decision to abolish the pass system and to end the Indian segregation zones in favour of "somewhat permanent" measures.

A spokesman of the British Foreign Office has strongly hinted that Britain will table a motion.

The latter goes on ... no decision or assurance that the Indian delegation will give assistance especially in the matter of the transport and will always be available. Possibly a decision to be taken by the General Assembly on the question of the treatment of Indians in the Union of South Africa, in the matter of the South African Government's policy and practice of discrimination against its non-White populations."

MR. MOOLLA LOSES STANGER ELECTION

MR. E. M. Moolla, who was to Wednesday, per the only Indian on a ward, finally on this count the Town Council of Stanger, was defeated in the election. He had been a candidate for the second year's and two years are to be annual from the Board's members.

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Mrs. Chris N. Govender, of Sastown, née Hoole's apartment, to an Durban was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Pillay, 15 Verdoorn Road, Mr. and Mrs. P. Pillay, 11 Old Dutch Road, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack R. Govender of Wartville. After will be in Durban for about one month and will be returning by plane.



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Mr. Dhanpall Gangat, who has been on the staff of the Natal Indian Congress under Indian control for the last seven years, has been appointed as the translator for the Government Secretariat Indians in Natal. He will assume his duties on his new school on October 1.

A fare gathering witnessed the marriage ceremony of Ramraj Karan and Prabha Kalka received at the residence of Ramraj Singh, of Tugela Pte. E. M. Patel officiated.

Mr. A. P. Ramkelawan, Principal of the Tugela Road Indian School, Newcastle, has been transferred to the Principalship of the newly-opened Indian School at Wentworth, the native Lands Indian School.

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Mr. Vasthalingum, son of Mr. and the late Mr. Police Statesman Pillay, of St. Augustines' Road, Clairwood, and Miss Sivagamee, daughter of Mr. and the late Mr. Ry. Servant Chetty and Mrs. Moodley, of 5 Kingsland Road, Tyne Valley, at the Sastri College Hall, Durban, on the 14th instant. Natesan Temple Hall, Clairwood.

Numerous letters of felicitations and presents were received from friends and relatives throughout the Union.

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Vadival, second son of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Moodley, of 21 Strathmore Road, Umbilo, who celebrated his fourth birthday on September 14.



Sumitra Hans Boodyall, the popular radio and stage star, and youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sood, of Sydenham, who celebrated her fourteenth birthday on Thursday, September 19, at her residence.

Mrs. P. J. Mudliyar, H.P. Council of Jeppe Town, all of Durban, and mother of Lutchmee Naidoo, of Johannesburg, is very unwell.

Mr. H. Nowbath, attached to the staff of the Town Hall Durban, and Miss Nowbath, have been received the congratulations of the Prime Minister of the Union of South Africa.

Mr. Jan Mayburgh, Durbanite and well known Indian sportsman, is returning to town back at his office.



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Mr. Pathy Samuelsen and Miss Phyllis Jones, both of East London, are members of the club's committee in Durban.

GIRL GUIDES

Knockaven 1st Girl Guides and Brownies will be at home in the C.W.A. Hall on Saturday, 5 October, 3 p.m. to 5 p.m. Competitors have already been notified. Parents and friends are welcome. Divisional Commissioner Mrs. Berry is Mrs. D. F. Cronje, Mrs. S. H. Phillips, 492 Bowes street, Durban, is in charge of the refreshments. Parents and all interested in the movement are invited to attend a meeting at the H.T.S.

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In connection with a letter Mr. Cassim Jadwat, who is studying in England, and who is known to readers of The Leader that the scheme has been worked out by Dr. Naidoo in a Memorandum to the Minister of Health in the Middlesex Hospital.

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AFRICA AND INDIA TO IMPROVE RELATIONS

SUGGESTIONS FOR BETTER RELATIONS BETWEEN INDIANS AND AFRICANS HAVE BEEN MADE BY SIX REPRESENTATIVE AFRICANS IN KENYA IN A LETTER TO PANDIT NEHRU, STATES A SAPA-REUTER MESSAGE FROM NEW DELHI.

THE letter connects the good

[illegible] matter of the matters on the establishment of an Indian Government and was delivered by the leader of an Indian delegation to the Asiatic Relations Conference in New Delhi this week.

It suggests that scholarships be created for African students in Indian universities as soon as possible, and that African students be given special facilities for [illegible] commercial and agricultural studies in India.

It suggests that representatives of the African peoples should be invited to attend any Indian round table conference proposed to be held in India, and also suggests that the conference should create

"Come to Your Senses"

The Minister of the Interior, Senator the Hon. F. C. Clarkson, addressing a meeting of the United Land Tenure and Indian Representation Party last week on the Native Bills and, despite Indian opposition, would be enforced.

Senator Clarkson appealed to the Indian community to "come to their senses" and to the interests of the Union generally as a whole, and to the administration of the Act. The Act would be administered sympathetically, he said. There would be no compulsion or invasion of property. Were Indians more law-abiding than any and they could be dealt with as South Africans.

[illegible] machinery for a better understanding between Europeans and Indians. He suggests that a special conference between Africans and Indian leaders be convened by India to foster better relations between the continents of Africa and Asia.

THE VOICE OF INDIA

Mr. Nehru, in reply, assured the Africans that the voice of India would always be on the side of the cause of African freedom and equality and justice.

"I like the idea that Africa leaders should come to the new conditions and technical methods in India, and we shall try to encourage this as far as we can," he said.

He was sure that friendly observers from Africa would be welcomed at the Inter-Asian conference to be held in March next year. We can then resolve together on what we should do for developing closer relations between Asia and Africa.

INDIAN BANK FOR S.A.?

ARRANGEMENTS are being made to open an Indian bank in this country because of the difficulty which Indians find in trying to raise loans from European financial houses.

Until the passing of the Asiatic Land Tenure Act loans were advanced to Indians by Europeans as a matter of ordinary business, but now there is a political twist to it and Europeans who lend money to Indians are virtually blacklisted by municipal politicians.

The Act also prevents a European from advancing a loan of more than 50% of the value of a property to Indians.

A big English banking interest with South African connections is, The Leader understands, interested in the proposition and will, in fact, be the backbone of the project.

Plans and registration of an Indian Building Society are also now being worked out.

INDIA WANTS FRIENDLY RELATIONS

MY letter here with Mr. Mohotet [illegible] current [illegible] a week's [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

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PATNA, Thursday.

Reports in Bihar panels are to be supplied. The Rs. 300 crore is recently transferred to a separate person.—Reuter.

Obituaries

MR. P. S. NAIDOO.

The death occurred at Mr. Parish Sookdeo Naidoo (Frank), brother of Mr. P. S. Naidoo and brother-in-law of Messrs. K. V. Naidoo Brothers, at his home, 56 Rose Road, Mayville, on Tuesday, September 5, after a short illness at the age of 46 years. He remains were interred at the Mayville Cemetery.



The deceased, a prominent and popular member of Mayville and district, was a well known merchant in the Mayville district for the past 15 years.

The following is the list of wreaths: Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Naidoo, Mr. and Mrs. K. V. Naidoo Brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Naraynsamy, Mayville, Harry and family, Mark Sookdeo and family, Mayville, M. V. Naidoo and family, Mayville, M. V. Naidoo and family, Mayville and Manager and Staff Natoma Factory, Mayville, Mr. and Mrs. Ramsamy Naidoo and family, Mayville, Mr. and Mrs. P. Pillay, Mayville, Mr. and Mrs. P. P. Naidoo and family, Mayville, Durban Hallfarmacutic and Indian Staff, Durban, A Lodge Lotus and staff, Durban.

MR. A. MUTHU PILLAY.

Mr. A. Muthu Pillay, father of Messrs. M. E. Pillay Brothers, of 6, Bathurst Road, Mayville, who passed away on September 4, at the age of 71 years.

His remains were interred at the Clare Manor Indian Cemetery on the following day in the presence of a large number of friends.

He leaves behind his wife, five sons, three daughters, and a host of friends and relatives to mourn their loss.

The following is the list of wreaths: Officials and Members, Mayville



Sanmarthie Tabrel School, Mr. and Mrs. Ramsamy Pandley, Mayville, and Mrs. A. R. Pandy, Durban (Mrs.), P. R. Pandley and Lenette, Mayville, K. M. Reddy Brothers, Mayville, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Govender, City Water Department, Staff, Crystal Lake, Indian Staff, Central Lake, Indian Staff, Mayville, Mr. and Mrs. Ramsamy Naidoo and Officials, Assembly Rooms Social Club, Mr. and Mrs. P. S. Naidoo, Sydenham, Mr. and Mrs. Thillay Sydenham, Mayville, Mr. and Mrs. V. Chetty, Mayville, Rajoo Naidoo Brothers, Mayville, Mr. and Mrs. Kuppu, Mayville, Mayville Football Club, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Pandey and family, Mayville, Mr. and Mrs. P. Pillay, Mayville, Bobby Naidoo and family, Mayville, Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Moodley, Mayville, T. N. Govender and family, Kathemere Place, Mayville, Mr. and Mrs. K. N. Govender Brothers, Transvaal Barracks.

MR. A. K. SAIK.

Mr. Saikot's followers here, who passed away at his home, 39 Avenue Road, Claremont, on Monday, September 4, at the age of 56 years.

He leaves behind to mourn his loss, daughters, a son, sons-in-law and grandchildren to survive.

The late Mr. A. K. Saik was the founder member and first secretary of the Natal Hindu Samaj.

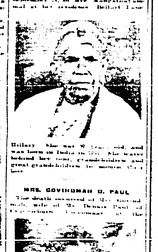


Leading Association. He also did much good work in connection with the Tamil education in children in Natal. At present there are about 20 Tamil only associations that conduct their classes in connection with the Natal Tamil Sangam.

While on Tuesday 29 Mayville took great interest in the advancement of Tamil education there by her Tamil only association that conducts their classes, and did great service to the Tamil community.

MRS. RANGATHAYAMMAL.

The death occurred on Wednesday, September 6, of Mrs. Rangathayammal, wife of Mr. Perumal Pillay, of Mayville.



Mr. Pillay, who was in poor health for some time, was taken to Indian Hospital, Durban, on Monday, suffering from a paralytic stroke, and succumbed to it on Wednesday.

The deceased lady was a native of Madras, and was 60 years of age. She leaves behind her husband, two sons, two daughters, a son-in-law, and a host of friends and relatives to mourn their loss.

The funeral took place on Thursday, September 7, at 10 a.m., from the late residence, Mayville, and was largely attended by friends and relatives.

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TODAY, Saturday, October 7, other day marks the 5th birthday of the Friends of the Sick (the F.O.S.A.), the Friends of the Sick and Needy. Launched four years ago as a humanitarian movement for the amelioration of the sick and needy in South Africa by a number of Indian ladies, it has grown to be the only African and Asiatic organisation in South Africa that has extended its activities to the establishing organisations and has continued its pursuit.

Its aims are to save Committees in the Association in practically every district of Durban, and the ladies of FOSA stretch out to the Indians on the North Coast and in the interior in the south, and they are so far as Pietermaritzburg. Working in these Committees all such Committees all devoted to the task of preventing the spread of the Sick and needy, and their duties are to visit the sick, and to report any cases of distress to the Head Committee, and to help the Executive Committee in the distribution of help given by the European Ladies' Committee and other Institutions.

During the past few years the Association has dealt with hundreds of cases of distress and illness, has distributed nearly £2,000 in monthly grants and has established T.B. sanatoria, and established the Poor T.B. Relief Fund, which has distributed nearly £1,000 in monthly grants to 128 people living patients and has actually gathered in and saved from the spectre of T.B.

He was a man of the people, and was known to all and sundry as "Uncle Hiver," was equally recognised by all as a humanitarian and a gentleman.

He was a man of old and genteel manners, and when the time came to leave this world, which is to be lamented by many, he left behind a heavy heart on all sides.

FOSA MEETING

The following are attendances at the meeting of the Friends of the Sick (the F.O.S.A.) held at Harmsbury Arts Club Committee on Tuesday last evening.

The secretary, Mr. T. N. Moodley, said that the high cost of living was causing many indigent people to be in trouble at the Middleton County Hospital. After the N.E.N. a further one year's training can be taken for the three following diplomas: (1) C.M.H. (Midwifery); (2) H.F.N. (Fever's Nurse); (3) H.C.N. (Child Nurse). Then and also a Health Worker's Diploma.

The sessions start in March and September and it is suggested that the first two months be sent to Durban for the November next year. After three months' study the girls write the examination in Anatomy and Physiology and Hygiene.

NO FEES TO PAY

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This question is purely between the British girls today prefer to work in the industries where they receive better pay and find conditions generally more attractive. Any girl wishing to proceed overseas will have to find her own fare.

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more Indian women from south Africa. Even if a girl does not have the Matriculation Certificate she could qualify if she is intelligent and the principal of her school is satisfied that she could do well.

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INDIA TO BREAK CASTE SYSTEM

DURBAN Sunday Post.) Thursday, by an overwhelming majority, the Bombay Legislature Assembly passed a Bill for the removal of the social disabilities of the depressed classes in India.

The Bill provides for the removal of social disabilities of public entertainments, hospitals, public conveyances, wells, tanks, water taps and schools.

It declares members of the depressed classes eligible for office under an authority constituted by law, and includes the law courts from taking cognisance of matters relating to social disabilities of them.

Members of the depressed classes are also to be eligible for the benefits of all funds allocated, grants and scholarships.

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Maritzburg's Social Services

(RENDER) correction in Maritzburg's social services, which is here shown the work that the Department of Social Welfare and appointing Indians to one of their committees without respecting any Indian organisations to submit nominations, was discussed by the Town Council at a "Leader" reporter, by Major J. R. Leonard, Mayor of Maritzburg.

Major Leonard said that the appointments had nothing to do with the Department. The reason was that in the past there were cases of insolvency, and after a long time that these cases did not fall within the Department's control of the money. In some cases did not fall within the Treasury department, and a refund of the money to start a municipal scheme.

There was a tremendous difficulty in selecting people who would be suitable to do the work, and in order to prevent a recurrence of that there was a proposal to appoint people to a "Case Link" committee.

Under this committee would be used to be made in investigating the cases, and to report on the suitability of the committee for the work. The Treasury appointed one and their two Indian other members to be the Indian Samaj and not to the Indian Association.

The matter extended to appoint a full-time Indian other cases were ready.

Major Lomax added that he had a number of letters on hand from several addressees, none of which had yet passed a meeting where the Indians were not represented. He was not in favour of a separate class of people, and he would be glad to see the Indian community represented in the preparation of municipal matters, and commercial matters. He was in favour of the Indian communities would be given.

The Rev. of G. H. Sandwalla, of 18 Illing Road, Ladysmith, distributed now to the residents of Ladysmith last Wednesday. One pound of tea was sent to members of each person over 3 and 10 cents to the aged, Europeans and Non-Europeans were received. Many letters of thanks have been received. During the two hours of distribution 12 bags of tea were sold. This is his second distribution since a similar occasion.

Racing Selections

By Diplomate

DURBAN

The following are my selections for today's races at Greyville—

First race, 10 races, Galloway and Pony Handicap, Second Division, Reformers: 1, MOOI CROFT, 2, Rose Royal, 3, Pantaloon; 4, Silver Streak.

Second race, 12.30, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, across Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Five Pots, 3, Nimbi.

Third race, 13, Greyville Handicap, Third Division, open Reformers: 1, ARDOON, 2, Fire, 3, Chrysolite.

Fourth race, 1.30, Flying Handicap, Second Division, Reformers: 1, ALSATIE, 2, Chrysolite, 3, Rosary Queen.

Fifth race, 2.0, Flying Handicap, open Reformers: 1, Rose Knox; 2, Nimbi.

Sixth race, 2.30, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, across Reformers: 1, TIC, 2, Five Pots, 3, Nimbi.

Seventh race, 3.0, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

Eighth race, 3.30, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ARDOON, 2, Five Pots, 3, Nimbi.

Ninth race, 4.0, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

Tenth race, 4.30, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

Eleventh race, 5.0, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

Twelfth race, 5.30, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

Thirteenth race, 6.0, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

Fourteenth race, 6.30, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

Fifteenth race, 7.0, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

Sixteenth race, 7.30, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

Seventeenth race, 8.0, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

Eighteenth race, 8.30, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

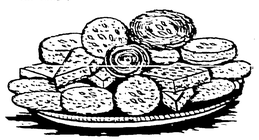
Nineteenth race, 9.0, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

Twentieth race, 9.30, Galloway and Pony Handicap, First Division, open Reformers: 1, ICE, 2, Rose Knox, 3, Nimbi.

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All are invited.

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Five-a-side Tournament

Malvern Continental Social Club (Going to the Natal-Transvaal match a 6 o'clock Function on Sunday, October 6, the arrangements for the same to be held at the Alexandra Indian School Council room at Hallen Park and Wolfe Roads, Malvern) on the same day has been postponed to October 13. For further particulars write to Secretary, Box 26, Malvern.

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Mr. F. C. Pillay will officiate. You and your family are cordially invited to attend.

Yours faithfully,
T. RATNAPANNESAMY.

SIXTEENTH DAY CEREMONY

The Sixteenth Day Ceremony of the late MRS. GOVENDAVIR PATE, will take place at her late residence, Umbumbulu, on the 5th and 6th October, 1946. All friends and relatives are welcome.

MARITZBURG INDIAN PARLIAMENT

FORTNIGHTLY MEETING
N.Y.M.A. Library Church St., Pietermaritzburg.
Wednesday, Oct. 9, 7.30 p.m.
Subject: Mr. H. Sidey (Natal Central Weekly) will answer "The effectiveness of all current anti-Indian legislation and power to pass any such legislation in the future" and "Land ownership policy."
All Welcome.

Springboks Indian Football Club (Maritzburg)
ANNUAL
FIVE-A-SIDE TOURNAMENT
(for H. P. Gregsamy's Floating Trophy)
will be held at the
Indian Sports Ground, Mkondeni
on
Sunday, 13th Oct., 1946,
commencing at 9 a.m. prompt.
Rousing will receive suitable Prizes.
ENTRANCE FEE:
5/- per Team.
Entries close with the Hon. Secretary, P.O. Box 7, Mount Elgin, on Saturday, 12th October, 1946. Phone 70.
P. M. SINGH,
President.
E. J. KHAN,
Hon. Secretary.

THE FIFTH
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
of the
Friends of the Sick Association will be held
THIS AFTERNOON
(Saturday, 5th Oct.) at 2.30
at the
ARTHUR SMITH HALL
(cor. Bates Rd. and Warwick Ave.)
(Guest Speaker:)
MR. J. H. SULLIVAN, M.P.
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M. S. REDDY, Hon. Secretary,
502 Prospect Hall Road,
Durban North.
H. P. Kandasamy, 52 Indian Market, Durban.
T. M. Naicker, 39 Riverside Road, Durban North.
K. Badal, 47 North Coast Road, Umgeni.

TRANSVAAL INDIAN CONGRESS
NOTICE

In terms of the resolution passed at the Mass Meeting of the Transvaal Indian Congress, held on 21st July, 1946, the elections of the Transvaal Indian Congress will be held on Sunday, 20th October, 1946, at 2.30 p.m. at the Indian Sports Grounds (City and Suburban), Johannesburg.

All members of the Congress are requested to attend.

(Sgd.) DR. Y. M. DADOO,
President, r
Transvaal Indian Congress.

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The application for a permit was made in good faith by the Building Society without my knowledge or consent.

The loan was raised in February, 1946, and the Bond registered in March, 1946, at a time when it was not known that the Asiatic Act would make restrictive the provisions relative to Bonds.

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NATAL UNIVERSITY COLLEGE
Non-European Section

Non-European graduates, past students and present students of the Natal University College, Durban, are asked to attend a special meeting to be held in the University students' Common Room at Natal University College, Durban, on Saturday, 12th October, 1946, for the purpose of considering the formation of an Association of past students and graduates of the Non-European section of the Natal University College. The time of the meeting is 3 p.m.

SELBY R. NAIDOO
Secretary.

In Memoriam



NAIDOO: In loving memory of our dearly beloved daughter, sister and friend Thanam, who left us on 5th October, 1945.
One long year has flown by,
With tears in our eyes,
And sorrow in our hearts,
We handed you with loving care,
Into God's tender keeping,
We watched beside your bedside,
Your every moment counting,
And your lonely eyes looking,
For help that we could not give,
We held you tenderly and close,
And watched you fade away,
Dearest Thanam, you left us,
Without a last goodbye,
Your memory is our keepsake,
With which we will never part,
Sweet is your memory dear Thanam,
Lasting is your pain,
Like a flower fades, but still smells sweet,
Even remembered by some loving heart,
Sadly missed by Pamela Bond, Mrs. Cora Lake, Durban.

LOVY JOSIAH: In loving memory of our beloved daughter, Irene, who was called to rest on October 5, 1944.
Dear Irene could have been saved,
But God willed it otherwise,
He took you home to be with Him,
And left us to cry.
Sweet Irene, Peace be thine.
Sadly missed by her loving parents, Mr. and Mrs. Josiah.

GOVENDER: In cherished and fond memory of our dear mother, Dhanamal, who passed away peacefully on 5th October, 1945.
Dear mother, you were nothing,
But kind and true to us,
We needed you with loving care,
You could not make your wish,
We watched beside your bedside,
Your every moment counting,
And your lonely eyes looking,
For help that we could not give,
We held you tenderly and close,
And watched you fade away,
Dearest mother, you left us,
Without a last goodbye,
Your memory is our keepsake,
With which we will never part,
Sweet is your memory dear mother,
Lasting is your pain,
Like a flower fades, but still smells sweet,
Even remembered by some loving heart,
Sadly missed by daughter, Pamela Bond, Mrs. Cora Lake, Durban.

GOVENDER: In loving memory of our beloved husband, father and brother, who passed away suddenly on 5th October, 1945.
In tears we now pen nothing,
But kind and true to us,
We needed you with loving care,
You could not make your wish,
We watched beside your bedside,
Your every moment counting,
And your lonely eyes looking,
For help that we could not give,
We held you tenderly and close,
And watched you fade away,
Dearest husband, you left us,
Without a last goodbye,
Your memory is our keepsake,
With which we will never part,
Sweet is your memory dear husband,
Lasting is your pain,
Like a flower fades, but still smells sweet,
Even remembered by some loving heart,
Sadly missed by wife, children, brother, in-laws and nephews.

NAIDOO: In loving memory of our darling mother, who passed away on 5th October, 1945.
Dearly missed by children.

NAIDOO: In loving memory of our darling mother, who passed away on 5th October, 1945.
We remember you always,
We miss you more each day,
A darling mother you were to us,
A darling mother you were,
A loving mother you were,

Thajmoon Cup Final

DAFFS FORCE EXTRA HALF: THEN LOSE

In the final of the Thajmoon Cup Cup's, constituting trom the Second Division, held Warwickshire, A Dawson, to a 1—1 draw and forced an extra half but lost 2—2. Daffodils actually drew first blood in the second half after the first half had ended without any score, but Shire found the equaliser just before time.

Play started off at a cracking pace with Daffodils having the better of the opening exchanges. It was not long, however, before Shire showed some first

Combining better, Daffodils made frequent rushes and pressed many anxious moments for the Shire defence.

Intent on winning Thajmoon's cup, players were soon on the field. Wanna and then United Sevas had within minutes of each other, displayed good form between them. Shire, however, were the first to score and the successful team was captained by Daffodils' goal-keeper, Johnny Hudson and Rommels Pillay, who soon saw efforts.

Then in another determined attack Jack Edwards, the Daffodils' left, placed nicely for a centre, but he just failed to reach the ball.

As the half progressed the pace and vigour of the game increased and the players were seen from the other banner. The adjutator

Displaying strong pressure, Daffodils all were there at their best but the defence kept on desperately

Following a spell of Daffodils' attacking in which Harold Isme and Jack Edwards were combined, Shire's centre-forward, Albert Johnson, broke away and scored a goal.

Shire's spirited attacking, however, and beat the Daffodils' defence back with a heavy pressure.

Then came the equaliser. Daffodils' centre-forward, Kenny, the ball from Hudson in front of the Shire goal

Combined Play

Playing confidently, Daffodils were on the offensive with their all-round play which had Shire defence on the alert.

At times the game was played in a delightful speed and there was a fine blending on the part of both sides as Shire made strong bids to draw level.

After some battle for mastery, the Daffodils' forwards were able to make only to see Johnny and Rommels save fine chances.

The Equaliser

They devoted much by N. C. Naidoo and Chas pal Moses again made their way into the Shire area with several good movements and these combined with a splendid

ward to Sonny Rodgers, a few minutes before the end of the game.

In the extra half Daffodils reverted to their usual vigour

Good work between Wanna and Rodgers saw the latter beat a defender in a terrific low shot which immediately found the mesh. Loud applause followed the goal which broke the ice in a friendly.

The Daffodils reduced the defect by a penalty goal

Final Scores: Shire 3 (Sonny Rodgers 1, Bobby Singh 1, Sonny 1); Daffodils 2 (George 1, Kenneth 1).

JUNIOR

Mossingtatter's Cup: Final

Umbilo 7, Berea College 5

JUVENILE "C"

Human Sves, Cen. Sectional Final have a point collection.

DURBAN HOTELS

Hollander's Cup Final

Lorne Hotel vs.

D.I.F.A. LEAGUE LOG

Final

The following are the final senior league tables of the Durban Indian Football Association:

SENIOR "A"

	P	W	L	D	F	A	P
Warwickshire	14	9	1	4	31	9	22
Daffodils	14	9	2	3	28	11	21
Essex	14	7	3	4	21	16	18
Kimberley	14	5	7	2	16	24	12
Transvaal Schools	14	0	12	2	7	37	2

Durban Y. permits

SENIOR "B"

	P	W	L	D	F	A	P
Daffodils	14	11	0	3	38	5	25
Campers	14	9	2	3	27	10	21
Durban	14	7	3	4	22	16	18
Clarke	14	6	5	3	21	18	15
Durban Rovers	14	5	6	3	21	21	13
N.W. Warriors	14	3	9	2	16	31	8
Sydenham	14	2	10	2	14	33	6
Wakefields Youth	14	1	12	1	8	39	3

The Junior League Memorial Trophy competitions will be played tomorrow at Curries Fountain.

Members are requested to be on the grounds before eight in the morning. The competitions will only be played if there is a minimum of seven teams to be prepared for the senior matches between Natal and the Transvaal.

Tour Successful in Every Sense

THE time is not far distant when India will not only beat England on English soil, but will challenge and beat Australia, the West Indies, New Zealand and all other comers.

This is the opinion of Leary Constantine, the famous West Indies cricketer, who, as Reuter's special correspondent, reported the last Indian cricket tour of England.

In a Press interview, the Sunday Pictorial, the organ of the tour ing team, declared that the tour was a wonderful one in every way in the world.

"We were happy, he said, that more than one pessimist cricket authority has on England had said that the Indian team in 1946 was one of the finest cricket teams that had ever visited that country.

"I took that as a great compliment, not only to the playing powers of Indian, the Nawab said, but also for what they did on and off the ground as men.

SPORTS—FAST BECOMING A FORCE IN INDIAN LIFE

SPORTS in that becoming a force in the life of the Indian community. Hitherto its everyone have been directed rather aimlessly to this end but immediately after the war there was a tremendous broadening out of the interest of the Indian people in all kinds of sport, and the indications are that in the near few months big strides will be made. The tendency—or need is any approach worthy—makes here, all today, for almost every area and woman with energy to turn to political activity. Many are now, however, turning to sports.

THIS weekend marks the beginning of the season proper in cricket and in the next few weeks some will be the best cricket we are before the wickets and player away for a total of a month in all. The season for a second eleven. Although it will have much interest for the Indian sportsmen there is little doubt that the Indian will take more and more interest as time goes on

NATAL GOLF TITLE WON BY 19-YEAR OLD PLAYER

WITH a score card of 154 for 36 holes 19-year old non-percentile Poppy won the Natal Open Golf Championship and the Hamilton Memorial Trophy, which goes with it, on Sunday at Currie's Fountain Poppy drove straight, approached accurately and sank his putts well. Application, it is understood, will be made to the City Council to hold the next championship on the Windsor Park course.

THE following also completed the course: Gerald C. P. Hartzell, 164; A. Haw, Allan Lad and J. Rathbone, 165; T. B. Perry, J. Reynolds, A. Welsh and M. Nagan, 166; M. N. Pillay, H. Hamilton and J. N. Pillay, 165; A. P. Moonsamy, 166; M. M. Jadoo, 165; A. Hamilton, 166; M. Rathbone, R. Bell and H. Sohan, 166; Gerald C. P. Hartzell, 164; A. Haw, Allan Lad and J. Rathbone, 165; T. B. Perry, J. Reynolds, A. Welsh and M. Nagan, 166; M. N. Pillay, H. Hamilton and J. N. Pillay, 165; A. P. Moonsamy, 166; M. M. Jadoo, 165; A. Hamilton, 166; M. Rathbone, R. Bell and H. Sohan, 166; their colours were a disconcerting factor. They should now think of making those cards non-European. Were reserved for the benefit of the U.I.T.A. of of our sports rep. Natal (name).

HOCKEY: not for Indians were kind and playing hockey, but we hardly think the season will show them to be of much. It is hoped now hockey of sport. Indians' interest now lasting way.

GOLF: Golf has also jumped or the forefront in recent months, and there are indications that it will soon play a more important part in Indian sports. The revival of the Natal open does many others, and quite a number of enthusiastic fans are now playing regularly at Currie's Fountain where they followed the players.

BOXING: Boxing, too, has come quite a long, as the recent successful promotions show. In all the matches the Indians have had to take a hiding from the African boxers, who are fast and fine in every way. There is only one way to overcome this, and that is by training. Indians must train themselves to get tough so that they can stand the punishment.

In every branch of sport there has been a revival since the war, and it is evident that the Indian will take more and more interest as time goes on

NEW TENNIS COURT

Through the generosity of Mr T. Govender, well-known sportsman, of Claremont, a new tennis court has been added to the amount of the organisers for the Indian Tennis Club. The court is situated on the property of Mr Govender, and is known as the Temple Hall, Claremont, and was opened by Mr Pressmer Lawn Tennis Club.

The following office-bearers have been elected: Patrons, Messrs. T. G. Govender, P. R. Pather and H. Dwaglia, president, Mr P. C. Pather, vice-president, Mr. M. Moodley, hon. secretary, Mr. K. A. Pillay hon. treasurer, Mr. P. V. Pather hon. auditor, Mr. R. G. Moodley, committee, Messrs. A. Reddy, John Naidoo, P. R. Pather, H. P. Moodley, P. A. Pather, Ram Singh, V. Gangadayal and P. G. Singh.

The court is in the process of construction and it is hoped to officially open it towards the end of October.

Marathon Game Undecided

The destiny of the Harden Heights Cup will be decided after many days of wondering after the game between Harden Heights and Durban Rovers ended in a draw on Sunday.

Playing off against the latter, the Naturites were seen in the first half of the game, and it was only after a chance of both teams and John Pillay, Durban Rovers' centre-forward, that James Frank started the ball rolling for the Heights. Immediately after the goal Durban Rovers' centre-forward, Kenny, was seen to be in possession of the ball and he made a fine centre from the left wing and Pillay, who was waiting in the centre, headed it into the net.

Both sides were happy, he said, that more than one pessimist cricket authority on England had said that the Indian team in 1946 was one of the finest cricket teams that had ever visited that country.

"I took that as a great compliment, not only to the playing powers of Indian, the Nawab said, but also for what they did on and off the ground as men."



SUPERIOR FOPWA, in possession of Hamilton Memorial Trophy, which he won in the Durban Indian Football Association's annual championship competition, and which he is defending at the Kingsmead ground tomorrow.

C. Naidoo, H. C. Ramsamujee, H. Naidoo, H. Ramsamujee and E. Naidoo, 160; B. Moodley, Marian Govender and S. C. Cooper, 161; Cooper, D. Kalla, Dass, N. B. Naidoo, 158; Lucas Naidoo, 159; and K. Ramsamujee, 162; S. Naidoo, 161; H. Ramsamujee and H. Naidoo

SAILING SHORTLY FOR INDIA

Mr. E. Ramsay, [illegible] estate and insurance agents, who is a well-known social worker and who has recently formed a great deal of reference with social work in Durban, is sailing for India on an extensive tour.

There are some of his public activities: President, Maritzburg Indian Technical students, Pro-tem, 1942-3; secretary, Hindu Youth Club, 1942-3; chairman, organising committee of the South African Hindu Maha Sabha conference (recently concluded here); Social Welfare Society, etc., etc.



Mr. E. Ramsay

Indian Technical Institute Pretoria, at one time, a keen Democrat's hand [illegible] Chinnappanaidu Building, [illegible] Avenue, All Saints and Woodlands High School and Boys' Club, were amongst the Pietermaritzburg organisations that Sparked Students Technical Institute. Technical Institute Football Club, as managers [illegible] F.C. [illegible] as patron, the Technical Institute F.C. [illegible] MBIT [illegible] Technical Institute on Board Tennis Hobbi Competition, [illegible] on MBIT Vocational Guidance and [illegible] scholarship committee [illegible] MBIT Technical Institute Welfare Society, [illegible] Indian Welfare Society, etc., etc.

He hopes to be back in South Africa before Xmas.

Mr. E. Ramsay [illegible] Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Moodley [illegible] Durban, Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Naidoo [illegible] Johannesburg, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Durban, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Durban, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Durban

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Obituaries

MR. S. K. CHETTIAR

Mr. S. Kuttaberan Chettiar passed away at Kuttaberan Chettiar passed away at his late residence, 49 Chancellor Avenue, Mayville, at the age of 46 years.

His remains were interred at the Kenilworth Hindu Cemetery on the same afternoon.

He is survived by his wife, four sons and daughter.

The late Mr. Chettiar served with the firms of the Imperial Cold Storage, Durban, for 25 years, and Mercury Thea, Durban, for 5 years.



MRS. S. MAHARAJ

Sympathy, prompted by honour in Chatsworth, was extended to the late Mrs. S. Maharaj, who died on 24 March, Chatsworth, and was buried on 25 March, Chatsworth funeral area at the residence. Chatsworth



Mrs. Maharaj, at about 5 o'clock, at the age of 42 years.

Mrs. Maharaj was born in Durban, and was married to Mr. S. Maharaj, of Durban, for 25 years. She was a member of the Hindu Community for the last 20 years. She leaves behind four sons, three daughters, four brothers, one sister and grandchildren to mourn.

MRS. W. NAIDOO

Mrs. C. Naidoo, of 5 the Inch Street, Durban, died on 24 March, Chatsworth, and was buried on 25 March, Chatsworth funeral area at the residence.

Mrs. Naidoo was born in Durban, and was married to Mr. W. Naidoo, of Durban, for 25 years. She was a member of the Hindu Community for the last 20 years. She leaves behind four sons, three daughters, four brothers, one sister and grandchildren to mourn.

MR. R. MANIPATH

Mr. R. Manipath, of 21 Durnford Road, Durban, who passed away at



the Addington Hospital on Monday, was buried on Tuesday, 9 October, at the Addington Hospital cemetery.

Mr. Manipath was born in Durban, and was married to Mr. Manipath, of Durban, for 25 years. He was a member of the Hindu Community for the last 20 years. He leaves behind four sons, three daughters, four brothers, one sister and grandchildren to mourn.

MRS. SUBRANA G. NAIDOO

The death occurred at the Addington Hospital on Monday, 8 October, of Mrs. Subrana G. Naidoo, of 5 the Inch Street, Durban, who passed away at the Addington Hospital on Monday, 8 October, at the age of 42 years.

Mrs. Naidoo was born in Durban, and was married to Mr. Naidoo, of Durban, for 25 years. She was a member of the Hindu Community for the last 20 years. She leaves behind four sons, three daughters, four brothers, one sister and grandchildren to mourn.

CHENGALRAYA

The death occurred at the Addington Hospital on Monday, 8 October, of Mrs. Chengalraya, of 5 the Inch Street, Durban, who passed away at the Addington Hospital on Monday, 8 October, at the age of 42 years.

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

All members of the above Sabha are hereby notified that the Annual General Meeting will take place at the

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284 Randles Road, Sydenham,
on
Sunday, 27th Oct., 1946,
commencing at 1.30 p.m.

Your presence is earnestly requested.

Agenda: (1) Bawan; (2) Minutes of previous Annual General Meeting; (3) Correspondence; (4) Presidential Address; (5) Secretaries' Annual Report; (6) Treasurers' Financial Statement and Balance Sheet; (7) Election of the Trustee; (8) Proposed changes to Constitution: Notice of Motion, (a) Reduction of Quorum required for Annual and Special General Meeting; (b) Reduction of Quorum for Committee Meeting; (c) Creation of a new post: Chairman of Committee; (9) Election of Office-bearers; (10) General.

K. L. Maharaj and H. H. Maharaj, Joint Hon. Secretaries.

BUSINESS CLOSURE

All Hindu Business Houses will remain closed on THURSDAY, 17th October, 1946, due to Deepavali.

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The application for a permit was made in good faith by the Building Society without my knowledge or consent.

The loan was raised in February, 1946, and the Bond registered in March, 1946, at a time when it was not known that the Asiatic Act would make retrospective the pernicious relative to Bonds.

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NOTICE

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All members of the Congress are requested to attend.

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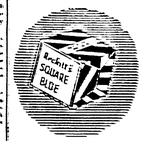
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Those left to mourn have gone to rest
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Have come and gone since you were slain
Your loving smile we shall not see
But memories of you will always be
Sadly missed by his son and daughter.

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SATURDAY, OCTOBER, 12, 1946.

A Tragic Situation

It is one of the tragedies of the Indian community that it is faced with periodical outbreaks of internal strife which can be avoided by the use of common sense, mutual adjustment and discussion in committee. Over the last fortnight we have seen more experienced an internal commotion which has set the entire community rocking and diverted attention from the fight ahead.

We could not be further from the truth of the matter when we say that the interests of the Indian community as a whole are in unquestioned safety. Nothing of the internal tension these past few months has been allowed to affect the struggle we have made to present a united front to the oppressor. We have noted with satisfaction that the Passive Resistance Movement has the support of our people. It has not been an effort to carry back slaves to their masters, to be lashed into submission by the whip of personal vengeance, as certain sections would have us believe. It has been a struggle in which the people have been asked to suffer and endure hardships, and to make sacrifices in the interests of the community as a whole.

The present conflict between the Passive Resistance Council and the Provincial Executive of the S.A. Indian Congress has now reached the point of open and violent statement. Each side has made its charges and counter-charges, and the whole affair has become disproportionately big. Issues have been raised which have no bearing on the struggle, and which have only served to confuse the public mind.

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The accused was then brought into the dock and the charge was read out to him. He was asked if he pleaded guilty or not guilty to the charge. He replied that he was not guilty.

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The curtain-raiser, a hockey match between a Kimberley Coloured women's team and an Indian women's team from Durban, was won 2-0 by the former. Sunday's soccer was far below Provincial standard, but Monday's game provided plenty verve and dash, and Natal won 6-2 in the last 15 minutes. Actually, with a quarter of an hour to go the score was two-all, but Natal secured two goals within four minutes to win the match.

Natal ran weakly off the mark and the ball went to touch from a header. From the throwin it was picked up by the Transvaal inside right, Teddy, but he was tackled and Jarvis, Natal's right back, cleared. Play continued to be even. The first love-mistakes and then the first bad ones were made. Natal got the ball and ran down the field to the Transvaal goal, but Transvaal cleared. Natal forced a corner, but Transvaal cleared. Play was even. Natal's left back, Rahikwana, was injured and limped out of play.

On the resumption Transvaal got a quick goal when Moodley scored on the left. Teddy, but he was offside. Natal's centre-forward Ramsamy got the ball and ran down the field before being tackled by Moodley. Natal forced a corner, but Transvaal cleared. Natal's left back, Rahikwana, was injured and limped out of play.

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A bonny daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Nayad Zamakhowa at 20 Alden Road, Portsworth, on October 5, and grand-daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Nayad Makandeen. Both well. Thanks to doctor and nurse.

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE



The final game on on Monday, and despite the shortage of oil the people had fun. Above: Shad being scheduled at Maritzburg during the week.



MR. B. B. MAHARAJ FOR MARITZBURG



Mr. T. M. Reddy, of Durban North, after conducting an enormous camp in India for the past eight months, returned by the Dunera last week.

Mr. H. Ramphal, a former Durban headmaster, will be shortly leaving for the Rhodesias. He will stay at Bulawayo with his eldest son, who is the Principal and daughter-in-law Mr. and Mrs. J. Ramphal.

Mr. S. G. Naidoo returned to Maritzburg last Sunday from Port Elizabeth, where he represented the local branch at the conference of the Textile Industry.

Miss S. G. (Pat) Pillay and children have returned to Durban after a week's stay in Maritzburg where they have been visiting friends and relatives.

News has been received from New Delhi that Mr. D. Somaroo, who left Durban recently to tour India on a lecture, has so far covered 700 miles on his "trip." He has visited Poona, Nasik, Dhulia, Jalgaon, Gwalior, Jhansi, Agra, Mathura, and Delhi, among many villages and big cities he and plantations.

Mr. T. Govender, of Durban, third son of Mr. Ramasthan Govender, of Northdene, and Miss Kamalavalee, fifth daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Pitchaiyar, were married according to Vedic rites on Sunday last, on the occasion of a large gathering at the bride's residence, Pitchaiyar.

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Mrs. Thayar Kistensamy, wife of Mr. Kistensamy Naidu, proprietor of the African Grocer, Lonsdale Road, Clairwood, Durban, passed away on Thursday, 10th October, at the age of 36 years.

A large number of friends and relatives attended the funeral, which took place at the Red Hill cemetery on the following afternoon.

She leaves behind her husband, four daughters, two sons, and a host of relatives and friends to mourn their loss.

The late Mrs. Thayar Kistensamy entered this world on [illegible]. The following is the list of deaths:



Beloved husband and children; affectionate and considerate father [illegible]; Mr. Kistensamy Naidu; devoted husband [illegible]; Mr. Kistensamy Naidu and family; Mrs. A. S. Naidoo and family; Thomas, Leonard, Dulcie Smith; Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Chetty, Mr. Thangavelu, Durban South; Mr. and Mrs. Sangaree Mutty Sangh and children; R. Govindsamy and family; Mrs. K. Narrainsamy and family; Mrs. A. R. Pillibee and family; Mr. and Mrs. Anthony; Mr. and Mrs. V. M. Moodley; Mr. C. Moodley, Mr. and Mrs. Appasamy Moodley; Mrs. Mary Thangavelu and son, Ravi Mrs. Mary and family; Mr. and Mrs. Vee Moodley and family; Mr. and Mrs. Ramsamy; Mr. C. Moodley, Mr. and Mrs. M. P. Pillay; Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Govindsamy and family; Mr. and Mrs. Thumbadoo, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. K. P. Gounden; Mrs. Weed, Durban North; Mr. Thumbadoo, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. Vengatasamy and brothers; R. Moodley; C. Naidoo and Pillay.

The following telegrams were received: A. F. Naidoo, Benoni; Thaya Thumbadoo, Dundee; Johnny Davel, Maritzburg.

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"The Ashton Consent" of the Transvaal Indian Congress (Mr. Yusuf Ismail) has donated the sum of £304 to aid the Passive Resistance Council, Transvaal, and has also sent the first batch of volunteers, seven in number.

The Post Shepstone Hindu Social Club has decided to boycott all Diwali festivities, irrespective of religion, Hindus, Christians, Parsees and Muslims, to the merchandise and the cinemas which flew from it.

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to bring these racial doctrines to an end.

"Equally, we shall resist the demands of South Africa to spread their doctrines elsewhere. The Government of India has instructed its delegation to the United Nations Organisation to oppose the South Africa claim for the former German South-West African colony.

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MEMON FAREWELL TO SETH JHAVARY

The Pietermaritzburg Memon community arranged a farewell function at the Masonic Hall in honour of Seth Jhavary, with Abrahamjee H. Essa Jhavary presiding. Many guests from Pretoria and district, Johannesburg and Durban were present and Mr. Ebrahim Ismail Kajee Mahomed, a relative of the guest of honour.

After the recitation of the quran by Mr. A. M. H. Ahmed, Mr. Ismail Kajee Mahomed welcomed the guests and guest of honour, and then was followed by Mr. Ismail Kajee Mahomed, who spoke on the great service he had made to the organisation of the Natal Indian Educational and Welfare Society. Touching on the personal relations he had with the guest of honour, and their mutual help in the organisation, he said that he was sure that the guest of honour would always be remembered for his services to the community.

Mr. Harper Jonah, in welcoming the guests, praised Mr. Abrahamjee's dignity, charm and personality and emphasised the fact that the great service he had made to the organisation of the Natal Indian Educational and Welfare Society Touch-ing on the personal relations he had with the guest of honour, and their mutual help in the organisation, he said that he was sure that the guest of honour would always be remembered for his services to the community.

Mr. Jonah said: "We do not look upon you as a stranger, but as a brother. We appreciate it so had wholehearted co-operation in many social and charitable things [illegible] and worthwhile for the community."

Mr. Hoosen Dawood Bawa, Mr. Ismail Kajee Mahomed and Mr. Ismail Kajee Mahomed also spoke in appreciation of the guest of honour's services to the community and to the Natal Indian Educational and Welfare Society. Mr. Ismail Kajee Mahomed added that Mr. A. H. Jhavary had sacrificed his time and money for the welfare of his community and that he was a person who had done a great deal of good work, and he was sure that in a short period he had collected over £2,000.

He also stressed the importance of education and the need for more children, and went on to say that the community no longer needed a leader, but a guide. He said that the guest of honour would always be an inspiration to them in their struggle for their rights.

Mr. Abrahamjee H. Essa Jhavary, in reply, said that he was deeply touched by the kind words that had been said about him. He said that he had been a member of the Natal Indian Educational and Welfare Society for the past 20 years, and that he had always tried to help the community to the best of his ability. He said that he had always tried to help the community to the best of his ability. He said that he had always tried to help the community to the best of his ability. He said

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In terms of the resolution passed at the Mass Meeting of the Transvaal Indian Congress, held on July 21, 1946, a special General

MASS MEETING

will be held at the
INDIAN SPORTS GROUND,
City and Suburban,
JOHANNESBURG,
on SUNDAY, 20th October, 1946,
at 2.30 p.m.

Agenda:- (1) Minutes; (2) Joint Secretaries' Report; (3) Joint Treasurers' Financial Statement; (4) Report on Agreement and Working Committee and Mass Meeting Resolutions; (5) Elections; (6) Adoption of Joint Passive Resistance Council Decision on Delegates to UNO.
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Shri Vishnu Temple,
784 Randles Road, Sydenham,
on
Sunday, 27th Oct., 1946,
commencing at 1.30 p.m.
Your presence is earnestly requested.

Agenda:- (1) Election, (2) Minutes of previous Annual General Meeting, (3) Correspondence, (4) Presidential Address, (5) Secretaries' Annual Report, (6) Treasurers' Financial Statement and Balance Sheet; (7) Election of Committee, (8) Proposed changes in Constitution, Notice of Motion, (a) Reduction of Quorum required for Annual and Special General Meeting; (b) Reduction of Quorum for Committee Meeting; (c) Creation of a new post, Chairman of committees, (d) Duties of office bearers; (9) Awards, (10) Thanks to R. E. Maharaj and R. R. Maharaj, Joint Hon. Secretaries.

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Under auspices of Joint Youth Clubs a MAGIC LANTERN
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Situated at 322 Bellair Road, Cato Manor, Four Ranch.
ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING
The Public is hereby notified that the Annual General Meeting of the above Temple will be held at the TEMPLE GROUNDS on SUNDAY, 20th October, 1946, commencing at 10 a.m. sharp. Your presence will be highly appreciated.
AGENDA: Minutes, Correspondence, Trustee's Annual Report, Secretary's Annual Report, Treasurer's Financial Statement and Balance Sheet, duly audited, Election of Officials and Committee Members, etc., etc.
Trustees: K. M. Govender and D. M. Naidoo.
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Your memory will be our guide
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Your love was one of many
But in our hearts you hold a place
That none can fill
Until we meet in God's sweet peace
Sleep on dear one and take your rest
Mummy, Daddy and all Brothers and Sisters, Grand and Uncle.

NAIDOO: In fond remembrance of our dear wife and friend Thambi, who passed away on 19th October, 1945.
In the midst of our sorrow
In the midst of our tears
There is one fond thought
That helps us through the years
Dear wife, we miss you more than words can tell
Your memory is our treasure
Your love we shall never forget
Husband, Children and Grandchildren.

KOORSAHALLY: In loving memory of our dear father, who passed away on 19th October, 1945.



Time rolls on and still we must miss
Never shall our memory fade
Sorrow lingers and silent tears flow
Remind the one above he lived
Not forgotten by his loving Sisters and children.

BHAGWANDEEN: In memoriam to our dear brother, who passed away on 19th October, 1945.
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SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, '46.

Propaganda Abroad

THIS Foreign people of South Africa are determined to counteract both officially and unofficially what has been described as the systematic propaganda abroad against South Africa by the Indians in this country. General smuts has taken his course of advance to UNO to present the case for the defence against the charge made by India.

Deputations during the week the Joint Working Committee are reported the publication of pamphlets and leaflets giving a true and truthful picture of the wonderful conditions under which the Indian people live. Quite a large sum of money has been spent, and it is unofficially stated that the anti-Indian people are not going to let their there is very little chance for the consumer of the European people to be aware. What ever the might do to discredit the propaganda of the Indian people there can be no denying the fact that the evils of which the Indians complain are real and serious. There can be no denying certain fundamental factors in South African life. South Africa cannot be the home of two civilisations for ever. The Indian people have not representation in the municipal and Provincial Councils and the Government of the Union. But events in fact, if not in law, have made the Indian the permanent people of the Union. Legislation against the Indians in this country are passed by the Union Parliament and by the State as a whole but the Indians have no say in the appointment of the whole people. The Indian is a permanent and permanent harmony which is fundamental to the presence in which he has come to South Africa. He has not acquired his country in search of a livelihood. He has come to the office of emigrants of South Africa to have land ahead of them and to be left alone. The Indians are well advised to watch carefully the progress and the fate of the Indians in this country, for the Indians have also take a cause full to the Indians in South Africa, and it will go a long way to avoid unpleasant conditions here.

Financial Houses

(ONLY two months are pointed out that the possession of the Indian people in this country would go over to Indian financial houses. In this connection there is an announcement to the effect that the Indian banking society in Indian has been established.

The European legislators by the way, in this country are quite powerful. There is no doubt that the Indians are outnumbered thereby in the Union Parliament, but they are represented there by Europeans who are sympathetic to the Indian cause. It is also a fact that the Indian Government has declared it will not be a party to any action which may be taken against the Indians in South Africa, but it is also a fact that the Indian Government has not broken off diplomatic relations with South Africa. The Indian Government has not even withdrawn its High Commissioner from South Africa. It is also a fact that the Indian Government has not even withdrawn its High Commissioner from South Africa. It is also a fact that the Indian Government has not even withdrawn its High Commissioner from South Africa.

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More and More Women Go to Jail

DURING the last week increasing numbers of Indian women have resorted imprisonment by defying the Ghetto Act. "The fight," one woman told the magistrate, "against the unjust laws of this country will continue so long as we are denied the elementary right to live as human beings."

On Thursday last, Mrs. C. D. Pillay led a batch of ten women resisters from Claremont into prison as defiance of the "Ghetto fight."

This is the fourth batch from Claremont to the magistrate's cells.

In a statement to the Court Mrs. C. D. Pillay said: "The fight against the unjust laws of this country will continue so long as we are denied elementary rights as human beings."

"In all appointments overseas the nations are playing a second role. We Indian women of South Africa also want to play our rightful part in peace and end to all oppression. Even in this country I believe that in time long the tension being maintained between the Indians and the Europeans will disappear, as the result of the liberation of the Indian people."

Seven passive resisters were to-day sentenced to three months' imprisonment each.

Mr. Maniklal Narsee, Mr. Ismail Meer, Mr. Yusuf Dadoo, Mr. Ahmed Kathrada, Mr. Abdul Minty, Mr. Ebrahim Patel and Mr. Ahmed Vawda were charged with having contravened the Ghetto Act by entering the Europeans only area of Fordsburg, Johannesburg, on Wednesday, October 16, a group of Indians, all of whom have been sentenced to three months' imprisonment each.

Mr. Narsee, a woman's group, consisting of thirteen Passive Resisters from Benoni and led by Mrs. Monica Naicker, were sentenced to three months' imprisonment each.

Mr. Dadoo, Mr. Kathrada, Mr. Minty and Mr. Patel were sentenced to three months' imprisonment each.

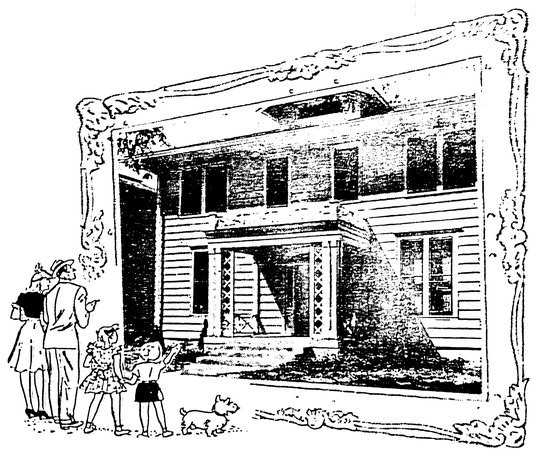
Mr. Meer was sentenced to two months' imprisonment.

Mr. Vawda was sentenced to one month's imprisonment.

Mr. Vawda's wife, Mrs. Vawda, was sentenced to three months'

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PRICE OF RICE

The Directorate of Food Supplies and Distribution writes:—

The attention of this Directorate has been drawn to a statement in your issue of 21st September last in which you say, inter alia, that "good quality rice could be imported from Portuguese East Africa, if there were no restrictions . . . the price of rice in Nyasaland is 12d. per lb. . . . and pounds of rice have awaited acceptance at the post office, Johannesburg which have been sent from residents at Lawrence Marques to their friends in the Union and have not been delivered because of the Union ban . . . There is rice at the Union's doorstep yet nothing is done to obtain it."

This statement is evidently misleading. The facts are that imports of rice to the Union are still controlled internationally by the Rice Allocation Food Council in Washington owing to the world food shortage. The Union is not free to negotiate for private offers from any source it may wish, particularly in view of the Board's allocations to deficiency areas. It is true that representations are made periodically to the Rice Allocation Food Council in Washington for the allocation of additional supplies of rice and would raise the limited ration in the Union for 3d. or 1½d. per lb. Even were the Union willing to accept such offers they could not be accepted except by Blue Danube agreement to the exportation country or through facilities under international agreements because they would not be in the sequence of countries now known as "Empire Countries" are known the nation on the basis of the quantities allocated to it over a period of time the Union Government has an opportunity of considering any and all exportable surplus supplies of rice when and if they are announced by legal and licensed trade channels in Rhodesia, Nyasaland, Mozambique or elsewhere where available other than any one.

The committee has in past years distributed food hampers to those interned and inmates of the Royal Lunatic Asylum, this year, owing to a deficiency that, owing to shortages in the Union this year it will not be possible to make Christmas distributions. The committee has decided that the money to be made locally. There is a shortage of sugar and tea and whatever foodstuffs the holder may require at a store nominated by the committee.

The Committee also makes an appeal to the community, in view of the unrest and tension, both in this country and India, to observe this day as a day of prayer instead of rejoicing.

DEWALI AS PRAYER DAY

With the Hindu festival of Dewali only a few days away, the Maritzburg Relief Committee has once again resolved collecting funds to brighten the homes of the destitute members of the community.

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A MEDICO'S SUGGESTION

TRUST FUND FOR PROMISING STUDENTS

Beautiful flowers in dainty cut glass vases adorned the numerous tables covered with blue and white table cloths at the reception given in honour of Dr. Amarjeth R. Singh on Sunday evening by Messrs. W. A. Scribbins and Sons (Pty.), Limited, at St. Paul's Hall, Durban.

The guests, who had been representative gathering of Indians and a few Europeans, were received by Mr. Scribbins and Dr. Singh's fiancée, a Durban girl, who returned from Calcutta after ten years away.

Mr. Arthur Lazarus, J.P. (Vale), acted as master of ceremonies. Advocate J. W. Godfrey, speaking as an old friend of the family, said that he knew Dr. Singh when he was a very young girl, she left for England.

Dr. Singh said that her returned home was the subject of much interest that it was a pleasure to be back.

DR. SINGH

Indeed, an opportunity that was denied those of less fortunate financial circumstances.

Dr. Singh said that the progress made by the Indian people during the past year and that their rapid progress in every field of activity was amazing.

He asked the Indian people to greater efforts in the field of education and appealed to the wealthy Indians at this country to create an Educational Trust Fund to assist promising young men and women who wished to take up careers by granting them loans without interest on their repayment in small monthly instalments.

She asked her audience to think on the part of the wealthy in this regard and hoped that it would not be turned a deaf ear upon.

DIWALI HOLIDAYS AND PRAYERS

All Indian schools will be closed on Wednesday and Thursday for the Diwali holidays. Hindu business houses will close uniformly on Tuesday, the 29th.

"The Leader" has been informed that the garment market will also remain closed on Thursday.

A Note of Warning



MR. SINATH

Speaking at the 6rd Provincial Conference of the Transvaal Structure under the auspices of the Transvaal Muslim League Mr. V. A. Sinath declared:

"Whatever our differences in India, the circumstances of our existence in this country, however, are quite different, and a note of warning must be sounded against the creation of any dissension whatsoever in the ranks of the Indian people in this country. No communal differences, petty or otherwise, should get the better of us here, for such shortsightedness would be inimical for the Indian community in its just and peaceful fight against the colonial Government of this land, which discrimination against our people, not as Hindus and Muslims, but as Indians.

"The course we should follow in South Africa is clearly stipulated by the recent resolution taken by the Working Committee of the All India Muslim League which makes it clear that the only honourable means now left to the Indian community of South Africa to combat the anti-Indian measures of the Union Government is that of Passive Resistance and goes on to pledge the full and active support of Muslim India for the struggle now being waged for our sheer existence leave alone our legitimate rights, Quaid-e-Azam Mahomed Ali Jinnah has exhorted us, in his cable, to pursue this struggle as an endeavour to eradicate what he calls 'this blot not only on the Government of South Africa, but on the whole civilised world.'

"Differences of religion, culture and ethics make the Muslims a basically separate entity in India and in all fairness we must affirm and endorse the policy of the All India Muslim League as the only solution pointing the way to peace and harmony as between the Hindu and Muslim people."

RED CROSS UNIT IN MARITZBURG

The Natal Indian Red Cross Association (Maritzburg Branch) held its 1st meeting on Saturday 1st at the W.P.A. Library.

There was a good gathering of members and friends of the Red Cross Indian Women's Detachment and patients. Among those present were the guests of honour, Dr. E. A. Kadwy and Mr. E. Thornton-Dibb, and Messrs. K. Reginath, J. V. Naidoo (Durban), F. Lalgrand and E. Pentath. Mr. K. V. Pillay presided.

Mr. E. Thornton-Dibb spoke on the value of First Aid training and congratulated the ambulance on their splendid successes in the recent Red Cross competition. Mr. Thornton-Dibb presented African Red Cross Society certificates of proficiency to the successful candidates. He also presented the Red Cross Shield to the winning team.

Among the speakers were Messrs. K. Reginath, P. Lalgrand, K. Pentath, Nadasi Naidoo, N. G. Phillips and Miss B. Sathyand.

The following officials were then elected for the new Red Cross Detachment:—Commandant, Mr. A. Pillay; Quartermaster, Mr. Billy Moodley.

MARTYR, Thursday.—India has 1,000,000 blind or more, chiefly blind people," according to the secretary of the Blind Relief Association.

He attributed this "appallingly large number of blindness" and "general apathy to the care of the blind" to inadequate medical relief.

He stated that "many doctors are not conversant with first-aid preventive measures against blindness" and added: "The need of the hour is extensive blind relief and the organisation of more eye camps and travelling dispensaries which should be encouraged and helped and sums of money are spent on more important medical equipment in cities." Reuter.

CARE OF INDIAN BUSES

The first view of the Indian bus owners should be the required three personal services before supplying for new routes," said Mr. K. E. Watterson, acting chairman of the Central Road Transportation Board. The Board sat in Durban yesterday to hear appeals.

Mr Watterson read an official report which stated that Non-European drivers in Durban were in poor condition. It said that speed-controllers were not operative; that brakes were usually bad; and contained the barest necessities, and that seats were unsafe. In a deplorable condition by the Inspectors presented to the Board. Mr. Watterson, presided over by Mr. Watterson, presided to hear appeals.

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CRICKET SEASON OPENS

The following were the scores in the Games played at Curries Fountain last Saturday:—

FIRST DIVISION

Young Central v. Gilmour

Young Central, who were nominated to the first division, suffered an innings defeat, Gilmour dismissing them for 72 in the first innings. A fine spell of bowling by Hall-Green their second innings, stopped them from even taking the Gilmour total. First innings, 72 (Hall-Green 5 for 15, W. Reddy 3 for 31). Gilmour, first innings, 85 for 7 dec. (Hall-Green 27).

Young Central, second innings, 46 (Arnie 20, Hall-Green 5 for 16).

Gilmour, second innings, 1 for no wicket. Gilmour won by an innings and two runs.

Greyville v. Kismet

Greyville could only muster 72 against the accurate bowling and keen fielding of Kismet's Abrahams, who took 6 for 14. Greyville, in reply to Kismet's 108, was only bettered by 20 runs, Kismet's first innings being concluded two hours.

C. L. Mossel, the next down at Greyville, were, both at one time, 7 runs.

Greyville, first innings, 72 (C. Abrahams 6 for 14).

Kismet, 108 (Mossel 29 not out).

Greyville's second innings was declared closed.

Central v. Young Muslims

Central, first innings, 107 (S. Dollie 57, J. Chellan 20, W. Chellan 15, M. C. Reddy 10 not out; I. H. Ali 4 for 20).

Young Muslims, first innings, 16 for no wicket.

The match will be continued today.

Stork v. Sparks

Sparks, first innings, 72 (I. A. Sulaiman 17, Ahmed 10; Hayes 5 for 19).

The match will be continued tomorrow.

Saint College v. Young Mussel

Saint College, first innings, 152 for 9 declared (E. I. Jones 60 not out; V. Hlomza 32, M. Bhamjee 29).

Young Mussel, first innings, 2 for 2 wickets.

The match will be continued tomorrow.

Stork v. Sparks

Mars and Jones were strong positions in their match against Hlomza and Bhamjee, and by the time they were had a respectable total of 100 for 3 wickets. Jones was then run out for 60, and on the next ball Mars was bowled by Hlomza for 50. Both batsmen had given chances before reaching their scores, but after the fall of the second wicket Hlomza and Bhamjee took full toll of the bowling.

H. Davis, a new batsman, took 3 for 10 in his first match.

Lions, first innings, 152 (not 3, dec. (A. K. Omar 28, G. H. Tyndall 27, not out, A. Fahed 21, M. Motala 20).

Stork, first innings, 97 for 4 (Mars 50 not out, A. Hamid 22, A. H. Motala 20; H. Davis 2 for 42).

The match will be continued today.

SECOND DIVISION

Although the weather was damp and the ground slow, Dixie cricket was seen in the middle on the same ground.

United made 97 on the match against Dixie-old, A. Osman claiming seven for 37. All the rest of the Dixie-old had come to the pavilion for some workers.

Dixie made 72 against Sparks' 77, Ishar Sooklal being top scorer, taking four for 17.

Batting first, Sparks' Indoor declared at 182 for four wickets. S. L. Jansen, batting well over an hour, collected 80 of the total, Others who contributed were M. Sharpe 19, and H. V. Hlomza 12).

Dixie made 51 for the loss of four wickets when A. K. Omar, with 30, not out, and A. Fahed 21, not out, batted with Central all day for 38, and with Young Muslims 16 for one wicket.

Central took altogether 120 minutes for their runs. Jack Chellan, David Chellan, W. Chellan, a new member and a product of Kaithsberg, and M. C. Reddy were the successful scorers.

E. C. M. Aamodt, who boasts modern names, returned the best bowling figures, taking four wickets for 25 runs in 11 overs.

After the loss of the first wicket at six, Daniel and Jack Chellan settled down to add 47 runs. Both batted enterprisingly and made the best runs. Later, M. C. Reddy, who made a well-executed 21 not out, and W. Chellan batted well against some good bowling to bring Central's score to 120.

G. H. Esmail, with 21 not out, and A. S. Yelland (20) were the chief scorers. Young Bharat replied with 67, a total getting the for 10 runs.

United v. Granitside

United, first innings, 97 (Esmail 1 for 22).

Granitside, first innings, 61 for 7 wickets.

The match will be continued tomorrow.

Dixie v. Sparks

Sparks, first innings, 77 (I. A. Sulaiman 17, Ahmed 10; Hayes 5 for 19).

Dixie, first innings, 51 for 4 (Hayes 3 for 19).

The match will be continued tomorrow.

Eastern College v. Young Mussel

Eastern College, first innings, 152 for 9 declared (E. I. Jones 60 not out; V. Hlomza 32, M. Bhamjee 29).

Young Mussel, first innings, 2 for 2 wickets.

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SUNCRUSH SHIELD FOR S. COAST TEAM

Bridgetown F.C. of the South Coast District Indian Football Association, defeated Rissmont F.C. of the Merebank District Indian Football Association, by 3 goals to 2 in the Suncrush Shield final, played at the Merebank Public Ground.

Both sides played entertaining soccer on the foul ball, Bridgetown's superior middle combined attacks, but Rissmont's backs were sound and Natal player excelled, kept repeated forwards away.

They three followed some good midfield play, each scoring a goal in the opening half.

Rissmont's Bridgetown S. Rissmont's R. The consumption both sides attacked with commendable zest, but Bridgetown were more an opportunity and scored through Pillay. Rissmont replied immediately to the Bridgetown centre forward, and the centre forward, and the centre forward, and the

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Dr. Madanayake Pather, who is on the staff of the Victoria Hospital, has spent a few days in Durban with his parents.



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Obituaries

Mr. Harry Ernest

The death occurred at Mr. Harry Ernest, fourth son of the late Mr. David Ernest and Mrs. Ernest of Johannesburg, at the age of 36 years.

Deceased, who was a native of Warm Baths.

The remains were interred at Pretoria on Wednesday.

He leaves behind his wife, two children, a host of friends and relatives to mourn their loss.

The late Mr. Harry Ernest, who received his education in Natal, was a teacher first at the Mt. Edgecombe School, Durban, and then at the Government Indian School, Johannesburg. At the time of his death he was teaching at the Indian Training College in Pretoria as a commercial clerk.

The late Mr. Harry Ernest, who was a keen sportsman, was a leading member of the Indian Recreation Club of Pretoria and a vice-president of the Pretoria district. He also had many other posts in the Transvaal Indian Football League. He also played cricket, being a member of the Schools and Universal cricket clubs of Johannesburg.

Cricket Officials

CRICKET UNION

The following were elected to office at the tenth annual general meeting of the Naperville District Indian Cricket Union, held on Sunday, November 10, at the Hindu Tamil Institute, Grove Street, Durban:

Hon. life vice-presidents, Messrs. G. R. Naidoo, K. Mahadeo, J. Hamid, E. Saldhan and S. Reuben; patrons, Messrs. R. Sookdeo Singh and S. R. Naidoo; president, Mr. C. Sunnassy; vice-presidents, Messrs. S. Ramsamy, K. A. Panchoo, L. D. Lalla, Amin Kajee, Jack Govender, Ismail Naidoo and N. Allagan; secretary, Mr. S. Ali; assistant secretary, Mr. R. Rajkumar; treasurer, Mr. S. Pillay; assistant treasurer, Mr. S. Pillay.

STARS CRICKET CLUB

At a meeting of the Stars Cricket Club, held recently, the following officials were elected for the ensuing year:

Patron, Messrs. H. Ahmed, E. Goolamee and E. Kassery; president, Mr. S. Reddy; vice-presidents, Messrs. S. Mahomed, E. Ismail and A. P. Thomas; secretary, Mr. A. Rajah; assistant secretary, Mr. A. Timothy; treasurer, Mr. P. S. Dayal; auditor, Mr. I. E. Shaikh; delegates to S.P.I.C.C., Messrs. I. Mahomed, S. Ismail, S. Reuben, A. Timothy and S. Singh; alternative delegates, Messrs. A. Reddy and P. S. Singh; captain, Mr. H. Mohamed; vice-captain, Mr. V. Kassery; committee, Messrs. A. Shaikh, S. Kassery, S. Dayal, S. Reddy and C. Reddy.

ROYALE CRICKET CLUB

The second annual general meeting of the Royale Cricket Club, Phoenix, was held on Tuesday, September 17, at the office of Mr. Ram Sewnarain. The following were elected officials for the season 1946-7:

Patrons, Messrs. S. P. Naidoo, H. Ramlall, C. S. Naidoo, M. Ramlall, M. L. G. Naidoo, S. Ramraj and S. Naidoo; president, Mr. T. A. Naidoo; vice-presidents, Messrs. P. M. Krishna, P. R. Naidoo, D. P. Lalla, R. P. Reed and Jack Naidoo; secretary, Mr. K. V. Naidoo (re-elected); treasurer, Mr. V. Padayachee; hon. auditor, Mr. V. V. Padayachee; hon. auditor, Mr. V. V. Naidoo (re-elected); committee, Messrs. L. G. Christopherson; manager, Mr. Frank Williamson (re-elected); assistant manager, Mr. J. M. Moodley; captain, Mr. K. P. Govindsamy (re-elected); vice-captain, Mr. N. Jansen; delegates to S.C.I.C.C., Messrs. K. Krishna, Subramoney, D. V. Sunil, S. R. Naidoo and K. V. Naidoo.

It is hoped to arrange a friendly match between Port Shepstone Indian Cricket Club and the Royale Cricket Club at a date to be announced later.

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KILLED TRAGICALLY



Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Singh, of 33 Livingstone Road, Durban, who were killed in a tragic motor accident in Venda on Sunday last. Their infant daughter, Anita, was also killed, while their elder daughter, Nadkanal, is in hospital. A fifth passenger in the car, Mr. M Makahear, died the next day from injuries he received in the same accident.

Death struck with tragic swiftness on Sunday morning when Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Singh, of Livingstone Road, Durban, and their infant daughter Anita were killed instantaneously when the car in which they were travelling collided with a train at the Venda level crossing.

Their elder daughter, Nadkanal, and another were removed to the hospital where they are detained.

Mr. M. Makahear (Nana), another occupant of the car, was critically injured and died in hospital the next day.

Mr. and Mrs. Singh and their children were on their way to Louis Trichardt when their car ran into the train.

They belong to two well known Durban families. Mr. H. L. Singh was the youngest brother of Mr. H. Singh, of "The Leader."

Another brother of Mr. Singh was for many years well known Durban footballer, Goalkeeper of the late Mr. and Mrs. Bridge Brownlee and sister of Mr. H. Brandon, of "The Leader."

Their remains were cremated at the Mobeyond Crematorium on Monday afternoon.

The remains of Mr. Makahear were cremated on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Jack, Durban; M. Mahadeur and Sons, Waverley; Mr. and Mrs. Ismail, Mr. and Mrs. James Sandipall, Sydenham; staff Singh's Hotel, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. Moosa, Brandon Brothers, C. H. Richard, Merebank; Mr. and Mrs. Brothers, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. H. Sookdeo, Mr. and Mrs. Ramlall, Merebank; Mrs. H. Jeewary and Sons, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. Ram Sewnarain, Mr. and Mrs. Ramlall, Verulam; Mr. and Mrs. Sid Rahadeo, Mr. and Mrs. Indian, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. Cox, Cato Manor; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Sayer, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. Lucky and Dry Cleaners, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. T. Naicker and Sons, Springfield; Messrs. Jaliboy Sons and Daughters, Bailey, Durban; K. C. Badhey, Bellaby's, Rossville, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. K. M. Maharaj and family, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. Bandy, Durban; Mr. A. S. Kara, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. Ramlall, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. Ramlall, Durban; Mr. and Mrs. Ramlall

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ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

All members of the above Sabha are hereby notified that the Annual General Meeting will take place at the

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commencing at 1.30 p.m.

Your presence is earnestly requested.

Agenda: (1) Hawan (2) Minutes of previous Annual General Meeting. (3) Secretary's Annual Report. (4) Treasurer's Statement and Balance Sheet. (5) Election of Office Bearers. (6) Proposed changes in Constitution. (7) General Business. (8) Hawan. (9) Question of Quorum regarded. Any Annual and Special General Meeting. (10) Election of Members of Committee. (11) Election of Office Bearers for 1947. (12) Closing Hawan.

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Cycle Race from Pentrich to Thornville Junction and return for D. K. Sons's Rolling Trophy. Entrance Fee 5/-. Commencing at 11 a.m.
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22nd October, 1946.

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Subject: Mr. Z. A. H. Kumalo.
Secretary, Zak Sooney, will move: That in the opinion of this House the time is ripe for the formation of a Political Party for Non-European Canvassers in 1948 for the ensuing Assembly Elections.
All Welcome.

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H.Y.M.A. Library, Church St., Maritzburg.
Wed., 30th Oct., at 7.30 p.m.
Subject: M. M. Clark
Proposer: Mr. Moodley
That India's non-aligned foreign policy is detrimental to her interests.
All Welcome.

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YOUNG MUSLIMS' DISTINCTION

THE first rounds of the league fixtures in Durban cricket were completed over the weekend. Young Muslims were the first this season to score over 200 runs in an innings.

The following are the various scores:—

Central v. Young Muslims.

Batting first, Central scored 158 for 9 wickets, retired with 156 for the loss of nine wickets.

Rahim, their opening bat, made a well-earned 76. M. I. Yusuf, who went in another five, rattled up a quick 56. He stayed at the wicket for 40 minutes, and his score included nine fours and two sixers.

I. G. M. Jamal, the next man in, together with R. A. Hamza, put on 46 runs before dismissals were made. Cassim Hassan Ismail, who had defended 45, and E. Khan, who had the misfortune to be run out for 25, which included four fours, took advantage of their poor fielding and hit their way to add 53 runs to the total in 30 minutes.

The Muslims were, Central first innings, 158 for nine declared (M. I. Yusuf, 56, Rahim 76, G. Mahomed 20, I. G. M. Jamal 23, E. A. Hamza 21, Cassim Hassan Ismail 45, E. Khan 25 not out). Central (second innings) 32 for two, Young Muslims won by 10 runs.

Croyville v. Kenmir.

Bowling on Croyville's 22, Kenmir made a good batting effort, which included five sixers, in his 56 (not out) score, made in just a little over three hours.

Kenmir, who formed on the 6th Maitland, was given his cake when he went in at 8 for 1, and started off with a hard-earned but quick 11. His score included four fours.

A. A. Sarodia, who started his second wicket stand with Kenmir, made a quick 21, while H. A. Randeree, a newcomer, who is a member of the Natalia club, made a good 20 in his first appearance in a first division match. Randeree's score included six fours.

Croyville, unfortunately, were unable to keep up the pace set by their opponents' batsmen, and were all out for 122, Kenmir thus winning by 22 runs.

Scores:—

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Sastri College v. Young Hamid.

Sastri College, batting first, made a modest 126 for nine declared. Young Hamid, who replied to this, were all out for 76, R. Naidoo 4 for —, R. Y. Sharma 3 for —, Young Kismet 2 for —, Young Hamid 2 for —, Young Kismet 2 for —, C. V. Naidoo 4 for 24).

Young Kismet v. Young Hamid.

Kismet (first innings) 152 for 7 declared, Young Hamid (first innings) 42 (A. Omar 3 for 22, A. Mohamed 4 for 20). Young Hamid (second innings) 36.

THOMPSON TO FIGHT MAKELE

Mr. Ned Moodley, of Durban, will be in charge of the first professional boxing tournament in the City Hall, Durban, on November 15.

The bouts lined on his programme is an interesting light for the next unofficial championship of South African between Wally Thompson, of Natal, who has had a successful night's boxing in Johannesburg, and Alex Makhele, of Johannesburg.

The other star bout of the evening will be between P. W. Pillay and Mickey Tyson, of Durban.

Mr. Moodley is negotiating with Jack Hart, of Johannesburg, for a return engagement for Tommy Vaccaro, the welterweight champion.

Mr. Moodley is also negotiating for a fight for Tommy Vaccaro, the welterweight champion.

MARITZBURG COUNTRY CLUB

The following matches have been drawn for the first round of the Country Districts Championship:—

SECOND DIVISION
LONDON Competition
Today

Maritzburg C. Country Club v. Mason-ic Club, No. 1.
Maritzburg C. Country Club, No. 2 v. Maritzburg C. Country Club, No. 3.

FIRST DIVISION
London Competition
Tomorrow

Maritzburg C. Country Club, No. 1 v. Maritzburg C. Country Club, No. 2.
Maritzburg C. Country Club, No. 3 v. Greenville, No. 2.

W.S.P.

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After the supper, which is arranged by the ladies, there will be dancing and community singing. All bowlers and their friends are welcome.

Cricket Fixtures

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DURBAN GOLF

The replay for the Lawrence Hunt Trophy resulted in a win for C. L. Bingle-Hall with a net score of 67 over Arthur Bailey, who had 69 net.

The Club Championship (A and B sections) was played on Saturday last on the home course.

The following is the result:—

A. Divenay, 74 less 14 handicap, 60 net; C. L. Bingle-Hall, 81 less 20, 61 net; Bailey, 83 less 14, 69 net; Peter Fell, 87 less 14, 73 net; Dr. Vidler, 89 less 14, 75 net; C. N. Widdow, 102 less 14, 88 net; Nathoo, 104 less 14, 90 net; Nathoo, 104 less 14, 90 net; Peter Fell, 87 less 14, 73 net; Dr. Vidler, 89 less 14, 75 net; C. N. Widdow, 102 less 14, 88 net; Nathoo, 104 less 14, 90 net; Harold V. Pillay scratch, 74 net; Maryland 76 less 2, Reyburn 76 less 2, Kenmir 76 less 2, Hall 76 less 2, Ebrahim 76 less 2, Sastri 76 less 2, Sastri 76 less 2, Sastri

MAINLY ABOUT PEOPLE

BIRTH NOTICES

HUTHERAM: A home daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Sidney V. Hutheram, a sister for, and granddaughter to Mr. and Mrs. Sewdyal Hutheram, on October 9, Both well.

SHARALLY: To Jean and Baby Sharally, of Claremont, a home son, on October 20 at the St. Aidan's Hospital. Thanks to Matron, staff and Pastor Rowlands.

Mr. N. R. A. Harrison is director of Hansen's Limited in Trinidad. He will leave shortly for India. He is the secretary of the Rajkumar Ali Animal Welfare Committee and is the only Indian who has held, and is now a Commissioner under the Indian Income-tax Act.

The engagement has been announced of Miss Chandra H. Sooali, elder daughter of Mrs. Ramchurran Sooali, of 149 Prince Edward Street, Durban, to Mr. Ramlall S. Sooali, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Sooali of Bellair Road.



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HOISTING OF HINDU FLAG

In accordance with a resolution the South African Hindu Maha Sabha last month was observed as Day of Prayer in Karnataka.

The ceremony, which was held at the D.S. Hall, was attended by all sections of the Hindu community, and after the opening prayer by Pandit Jagannath, the Hindu flag was hoisted by Mr. D. S. Yather, president of the Veda Dharma Sabha.

Religious songs were sung by the pupils of the V.D.S. Hindi school and the M.V.M.A. Tamil school, among other speakers were Messrs. K. E. Pillay, K. P. Reddy and P. Nayagapal and Miss S. S. Moodley.

A collection of coppers was then held by Messrs. D. S. Yather, S. Govindsamy and G. Jagarnath, and made to the gathering at the conclusion.

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Round Table Conference

PLUSHING (New York), Wednesday.

IT is learned authoritatively tonight that efforts are being made to settle the controversy between South Africa and India over the Asiatic Land Tenure and Indian Representation Bill, now before the General Assembly through mediation. Various independent but interested delegates are understood to have sounded both South African and Indian representatives here on whether they would consider a round-table conference. The Indians, it is understood, will not consider such talks so long as the Bill remains on the South African Statute Book. A source close to the Indian delegation said that the initiative in opening negotiations for a round-table conference would have to come from South Africa.

Earlier there was a discussion of the South African Indian question between the British and United States delegations, the main point discussed was, it was stated, whether the problem came within the domestic jurisdiction of a sovereign state.

According to United Press, the United States delegation was divided that it was a domestic matter and others maintaining that it should be discussed by the United Nations.

THE American meeting also dealt with the problems of racial minorities embodied in the Charter and the right of a sovereign state to deal with its own nationals.

Some members of the delegation felt it is understood, raised the point that the rights of minorities in being problems under the United Nations in accordance with the Charter provisions, as this would raise the whole question of minorities within the great powers, including the Negroes in the United States.

The United States delegations, it is understood, has not decided whether the General Assembly has power to pass recommendations on questions affecting domestic legislation.

It was learned that the British position, in its discussion of the above problems, has not yet finally decided on action to be taken to settle the conflicting views of the two members of the Commonwealth.

The Canadian spokesman said, however, that Canada would vote

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INDIA is on the move and the old order passes.

Too long have we been passive spectators of events, the playthings of others. The initiative comes to our people now and we shall make the history of our choice. Let us all join in this mighty task and make India, the pride of our hearts, great among nations, foremost in the arts of peace and progress. The door is open and destiny beckons to all.

The Hon. Pandit Jawaharlal Nehru broadcast this message from the A.I.R., New Delhi, a week after assuming office as Vice-President of India's Interim Government.

Jinnah's Appeal

END COMMUNAL STRIFE

AN appeal for an end to communal strife was made here today by Mr. Jinnah, president of the Moslem League.

Mr. Jinnah said: "We stand discredited already before the eyes of the world because of these disturbances, which have happened NOT only in Bengal but also in other provinces, such as Bihar, the United Provinces Madras and Bombay.

Mr. Jinnah appealed to Moslems and to Moslem League members, especially, to stand by the principles of Islam in defence and protect the weak, to show complete tolerance and to help in every way to restore order. He also appealed to every Hindu to cooperate wholeheartedly and without reserve. Sapalliance

India Will Stand By

NEW DELHI, Monday.

ADDRESSING the meeting of the Legislative Assembly today Mr. Nehru, vice-president of the Indian Interim Government, said that India was grateful to those nations which supported her in the United Nations Assembly on the subject of the Indians in South Africa.

Mr. Nehru said that he hoped that the decision would go in India's favour, but in any event Indians would stand by their

S.A. Indian Stand Appreciated

MOMBASA, Thursday.

A resolution expressing appreciation of the stand taken by South African Indian passive resisters for "the removal of obnoxious racial legislation from the Statute Book of the Union" was passed at a meeting here today of the Indian Association.

The meeting condemned the treatment meted out to passive resisters in the Union and expressed the view that if two countries within the British Commonwealth could not compose comparatively minor differences of racial prejudice there could be no prospect of the whole world agreeing on measures for world peace and security.

In view of its racial policies, no trust could be placed in the Union Government for the administration of any territories or mandates, and the meeting accordingly appealed to the General Assembly of the United Nations to put all African Protectorates and Mandated Territories under the direct trusteeship of the United Nations.

The meeting decided that the matter of the resolution should be cabled to the General Assembly of the United Nations and to the Foreign Affairs and Commonwealth Department of the Government of India.—Ups.

S.A.I.C. President's £500 Challenge

In view of the present confused position, arising out of differences between the left wing and moderates, Councillor Ahmed Ismail, president of the South African Indian Congress, who was in Durban during the week, made an exclusive statement to The Leader. He strongly repudiated the attack made on him that he had opposed the passive resistance movement.

He was prepared to offer £500 to any charitable object if it could be proved that he had done anything to injure the cause.

He referred also to "an act of diplomatic communication by the Executive of the S.A.I.C. to the Government of India, seeking advice in confidence which had been used to create confusion and misunderstanding in the Indian community."

The S.A.I.C. Executive, he declared, never wanted India's complaints removed from the UNO agenda and the only Round Table Conference it would welcome would be between the two Governments.

THERE might be differences of views among Indians, said Mr. Ismail, on the wisdom of having always recourse to passive resistance as a means of opposing the "Ghetto" Act, but having once been started there was to be no turning back.

"I hold that those who were going to gaol today were doing so in the belief that they were fighting for the respect and interest of the Indian community. I would be a craven to it if I did anything which was to endanger, whether directly or indirectly, the position of those who were making sacrifices in the struggle.

"I offer £500 to any charitable cause if it could be proved that a had done anything to injure the passive resistance movement.

"In fact, I had planned to go to gaol with my wife and three children

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