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The collection contains research material collected by Prof Belinda Bozzoli, relating to Alexandra. It includes documents about the activities of the Alexandra Town Council and The Alexandra Civic Association, rent and consumer boycott in Alexandra, court cases and police documents, newspaper clippings, publications, research reports, architectural plans and photographs.

SHORT BIOGRAPHY

Professor Belinda Bozzoli completed her undergraduate education in Johannesburg and continued with her MA and DPhil in African Studies at the University of Sussex. She worked at first as a teacher and journalist, but later started her academic career as a junior lecturer at the University of the Witwatersrand, where she became a Professor in the Department of Sociology. Professor Bozzoli is the author of three single-authored, internationally published books and editor or co-editor of a further four. She also published 26 articles. In 2006 she was awarded an A-rating from the National Research Foundation, making her first sociologist to be honored in this way. She became Deputy Vice-Chancellor of the University of the Witwatersrand in 2002 and was also Senior Adviser to the Vice-Chancellor working on a major research development project for the University. At present Professor Belinda Bozzoli is the DA Shadow Minister for Higher Education and Training.

INVENTORY

- A Curriculum Vitae of Professor Belinda Bozzoli.
- B Documents relating to the Alexandra Town Council.
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 - B1.1 History of The Alexandra Civic Association formed in 1983.
 - B2 Proclamation of the Alexandra Health Committee in 1932.
 - B2.1 Activities of The Alexandra Anti-Tuberculosis Association, 1949 -1960.
 - B2.2 Designation of The Peri-Urban areas Health Board as an Urban Local Authority in Alexandra.
 - B3 Minutes of the Meetings of The Alexandra Town Council for the period of 1983 - 1986. 2 files
 - B3.1 Minutes of the Meeting held on 6 December 1983.
 - B3.2 Minutes of the Town Council Meetings for 1984.
 - B3.3 Minutes of The Alexandra Town Council for 1985.
 - B3.4 Minutes of The Town Council of Alexandra Meeting held on 29 April 1986.
 - B4 Supporting Document of The Town Council of Alexandra detailing projects in Application for Government Grants, December 1985.

- B5 Reports of the Departmental Committee regarding the Administration and future of the Alexandra Township. 2 files
- B5.1 Report of 1949 to consider the future of Alexandra Township and the control of Native Townships and Settlements.
- B5.2 Report on the future of Alexandra Township for 1951.
- B5.3 Reports regarding the administration of Alexandra for 1962 - 1964.
- B5.4 Reports for 1965 - 1969.
- B5.5 Reports regarding the administration of the designated area of Alexandra for 1972 - 1973.

- B5.6 Report on Alexandra Urban Renewal Proposal, September 1986.
- B5.7 Annual Reports of the Alexandra Health Centre and University Clinic, 1946 - 1965.
- B5.8 Report on Unrest in Alexandra entitled:" Dark City" October 1986.

- B6 Financial Reports relating to Income and Expenditure for Alexandra Areas, 1972 - 1974. 1 file
- B6.1 Report on Income and Expenditure for the Alexandra Hostels for the Financial year 1973/74.
- B6.2 Financial Report of 1973/74 relating to income and expenditure of two groups: Liquor and Administration in Alexandra areas.
- B6.3 Estimates of General Income and Expenditure of Alexandra Bantu Revenue Account for 1972/73.
- B6.4 General Income and Expenditure of Alexandra Bantu Revenue Account for 1973/74.

- B7 Documents relating to the Rent Boycott in Alexandra Township and other areas, 1986. 1file

- B8 Consumer Boycotts In Alexandra and other areas around South Africa, 1985 - 1986. 1 file

- B9 Alexandra Football Association.

- B10 South African Police records of prisoners taken to the Alexandra Health Centre and Wits University Clinic for medical treatment, 1976 - 1979. 2 files

- B11 Court documents relating to the case in Supreme Court of South Africa (Witwatersrand Local Division) in the matter: The State versus Ashwell Mxolisa Zwane and others, 27 April 1987. 3 files
- B11.1 Application for Amendment of the Indictment. The Applicant's Heads of Argument.
- B11.2 Evidence and Notes on the Chief of Police in Pretoria in Court Case against Zwane and others, September 1987.
- B11.3 Defence Heads of Argument in case of: The State and Moses Mayekiso and Four Others.
- B11.4 Analysis of Oral Evidence in regard to yard, block and street committees
- B11.5 Summary of Oral Evidence against the Accused Moses Mayekiso and others.
- B11.6 Publications relating to the Court Case against Moses Mayekiso and campaign for his release, 1987 - 1989.
- B11.7 Transcripts of interviews with the Accused.
- B11.8 Formation of People's Courts.

- B12 Statements taken from some women residents of Alexandra, who had relatives in detention in 1986/87.
- B13 Documents relating to Court Case in The Supreme Court of South Africa
Documents relating to Court Case in The Supreme Court of South Africa (Witwatersrand Local Division) in the matter between Elwyn Investments (Proprietary) Limited (Plaintiff) and South African Special Risks Insurance Association (Defendant), 1992.
- B14 Programme of the Funeral Service of Dr A. B. XUMA, ANC National President, 1 February 1962, Orlando.
- C Alexandra Youth Congress AYCO. 1 file
- C1 History of Alexandra Youth Congress.
- C2 Constitution of AYCO.
- C3 Newsletter 'Voice of AYCO' for 1983 and 1984.
- C4 Press Release on resignation of Alexandra Councilors, 1986.
- C5 Transvaal Student Congress message to all students for the National Youth Day.
- D Establishment of Churches in Alexandra. 1 file
- D1 List of the churches established in Alexandra.
- D2 History of the Alexandra Parish.
- D3 Diocesan work of the Community of The Resurrection in Alexandra Township.
- D4 Opening of a branch of the Lutheran Mission Church in Alexandra Township.
- D5 Origin and development of Alexandra churches and schools.
- D6 History of the establishment of the Methodist Church and School.
- D7 Opening of Alexandra Catholic Mission.
- D8 Correspondence to Solomon Modise relating to The Union Advisory Board on Native Education and his activities as educator.
- E Newspaper clippings, 1989. 1 file
- F Reports of the activities of History Workshop at The University of the Witwatersrand. 1 box
- F1 Report for the three years ended December 31st, 1984.
- F2 Report of the History Research Group for the three years 1 October 1984 - 31 July 1987.
- F3 History Research Group First Annual Report, 1 January 1985 - 30 September 1985.
- F4 Second Annual report of the History Research group , 1 October 1985 - 30 September 1986.
- F5 History Workshop Report on Media project 1986 - 1987.
- F6 4th Annual Report of the History Workshop, 1 October 1987 - 30 September 1988.
- F7 History Workshop 5th Annual Report, 1 October 1988 - 30 September 1989.

- G Paper by Belinda Bozzoli entitled: " From Governability to Ungovernability: repertoire, space and authority in South Africa's black cities".
- H Publications, 1930s-1980s relating to the following issues: communities in urban areas and their relocations, townships establishment and native housing in South Africa, land issues, racism in sport, industrial relations in South Africa and black trade unions in South Africa.
- H1 "Bechuanaland Protectorate" by Margaret L. Hodgson and W. G. Ballinger published by Lovedale Press in 1931.
- H2 "A Survey of Race Relations in South Africa 1951-1952" compiled by Muriel Horrell.
- H3 "Township Layout" by T. B.. Floyd published in 1951.
- H4 "Industrial Relations in South Africa" by J. D. Rheinallt Jones published by Royal Institute of International Affairs in London in 1953.
- H5 "Native Housing in South Africa" by D. M. Calderwood, 1953.
- H6 "Group Areas. The Emerging Pattern with Illustrative Examples from Transvaal" by Muriel Horrell, 1966.
- H7 "Johannesburg's Coloured Community with especial reference to Riverlea" by Peter Randall and P. C. Burrow, 1968.
- H8 "South Africa: Arms and Apartheid" by the International Defence and Aid Fund in London, December 1970.
- H9 "South Africa: Racism in Sport" by the International Defence and Aid Fund in London, 1970.
- H10 "African Population. Relocation in South Africa" by Gerry Mare, 1980.
- H11 "Black Review 1974/5" edited by Thoko Mbanjwa and published by Black Community Programmes in 1975.
- H12 "The Sharpetown Swingsters. Their will to survive" by Ian Jeffrey, 1985.
- H13 "Black Trade Unions in South Africa" by Martin Plaut & David Ward, 1982.
- H14 "We will not move, the struggle for crossroads" published by the National Union of south African Students in 1977.
- I Reports on the Projects relating to the development of Alexandra Township and socio-economic information on it's communities.
- I1 Preliminary Report on Socio-Economic Survey done in Alexandra by Tessa Augustyn, 1979.
- I2 Report by S. S. Modise entitled: " Dark City. The Origin and development of Alexandra Township" 1965.
- I3 Aims and objectives for redevelopment and renewal of Alexandra in "Alexandra Master Plan" by W. van Dijk, 1980.
- I4 Project on Alexandra Bus Boycott by Gobey, E. , September 1984.
- I5 Project entitled: "The changing form of youth struggles in Alexandra from the 1950s to the present" by David Bruce, September 1985.
- I6 Health Care Project on political economy of health in Alexandra, 1985/86.
- I7 "Alexandra Urban Renewal Proposal" prepared for Alexandra Town Council, September 1986.

- I8 Research Project entitled: "The effects of unrest on the lives of workers living in Alexandra" by Lianne Barker, 1986.
- I9 Richard Abel's Research Report on Alexandra Treason Trial, 1991.
- I10 Publication entitled: "Civic Struggles for a New South Africa. The making of a Social Movement in Alexandra Township" by Mzwanele Mayekiso, August 1994.
- I11 Research Report entitled: "Self Defence Units and their relations to the communities in which they are found" by J. Resenthal, 1994.
- I12 Dissertation entitled: "The Soweto Rent Boycott" by K. Shubane.
- I13 Research Report entitled: "The soldiers of Luthuli: Youth in the politics of resistance in South Africa" by Shaun Johnson.
- I14 Thesis by Karen Vera Calteaux entitled: "A Sociolinguistic Analysis of A Multilingual Community", June 1994.
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- K Photographs
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- K1.1-K1.6 Dwellings in Alexandra Township built out of wood and iron in early 1900's.
- K2.1-K2.2 Methodist Mission House as an original church building in Alexandra erected on the 3rd Avenue.
- K3.1 Building of the Methodist Church built on the 2nd Avenue No 12 in Alexandra in 1918.
- K3.2 African Methodist Episcopal Church on the 3rd Avenue in Alexandra erected in 1917.
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- K4 Photos of Solomon Modise, member of Alexandra Health Committee and educationist.
- K4.1 Group of pupils at Wesleyan Methodist Government-Aided School with Solomon Modise as a pupil age 9 in 1920.
- K4.2 Solomon Modise as a teacher with sons of Transkei Chiefs, 11 July 1975.
- K4.3 Photo of S. Modise from the 1960's.
- K4.4 Photograph taken on Modises's 80's birthday, 21 July 1991.
- K4.5-K4.6 Passport photos of S. Modise in 1948 and in 1983.
- K4.7 Masaro Cottage No 85 on 8th Avenue in Alexandra, which belonged to S. Modise expropriated in 1971.
- K4.8 S. Modise with Councilor S. Arthur Wilson from the Alexandra Health Committee, 1957.
- K4.9 Modise with councilors of Alexandra Town Council, 1978.
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- K4.12-K4.13 Photographs of Solomon Modise's wife, Dorothy Modise.
- K4.14 Solomon Modise with Dr J. S. Moroka in Thaba Nchu in Orange Free State, 1970.
- K4.15 Wife of S. Modise with wife of Dr Moroka and their son at Thaba Nchu, 1970.
- K5 Photographs of the funeral of the 17 victims of unrest in Alexandra in 1986.
- K5.1 Large funeral crowd at "Alexandra Massacre" funeral/political rally.
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- K5.3-K5.4 Funeral procession with carrying coffins.

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- K6 Photographs of changed street names in Alexandra.
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- K6.4 14th Avenue/Grenade street, Vincent Section, May 1986.
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- K7.1-K7.4 Photographs of Senzeni/Democratic Park for children in Alexandra.
- K8 Aerial photograph of Alexandra taken in 1987.
- K9 R. Baloyi with prominent soccer officials in Alexandra, 28 November 1948.
- K10 Alexandra Health Committee Staff, 30 November 1946.
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