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BANTU SPORTS CLUB

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CLUB HOUSE

VON WEILLIGH STREET SOUTH.

JOHANNESBURG.

HON. TREASURERS:
HOWARD PIM & HARDY.
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Dear Sir/Madam,

MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN.

The Club has a membership of only 1000 and to be able to maintain it well we require 5000. The membership fees are only 5s per annum. To serve its best and highest purpose an African Club must be supported by an African Public, and there is no doubt that the necessary enthusiasm can be aroused in the City if the employers of Africans in the Industries, the Homes, and the Mines could volunteer to pay part or full membership of their servants.

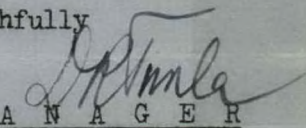
You will agree with us that "All work and no play, makes Jim a dull boy" - but it makes him much more dangerous to the citizenship of this City, if he has no properly organised outlet for surplus energy. To provide healthy exercise and amusement for the native people : to meet the problem of how best to dispose of the weekly free day : to keep as many natives as is possible away from the streets and Skokian dens, the BANTU SPORTS CLUB, was established.

The place is situated on the south of Von Weilligh Street, just off Eloff Street Extension, in a position readily accessible to the more than fifty-thousand of the town's black workers.

The response of the native to the amenities provided by the Club has been practically demonstrated by the large attendances at the Club every Saturday and Sunday afternoon. Well over 10,000 natives visit the Club grounds every week-end to watch the Tennis and Soccer games. On Sunday soccer fixtures are scheduled from 8.00 a.m till 5 p.m, and the Tennis Courts(6 in number) are occupied from 6 a.m till 6 p.m.

To keep this Club going we appeal to you, and to many public-spirited friends of the native, to contribute generously towards the membership of your native servant. All contributions to be sent to the Hon. Treasurer, Howard Pim & Hardy, P.O.Box 3722, Johannesburg or to the Manager, Club House, Bantu Sports Club, Box 6975, Johannesburg - Von Weilligh St, South.

Yours faithfully


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