

JOHANNESBURG INDIAN SOCIAL WELFARE ASSOCIATION.

MINUTES OF THE THIRTEENTH ANNUAL
 GENERAL MEETING OF THE ASSOCIATION,
 HELD AT 5 P.M. ON THURSDAY, 25th
 MARCH 1948, IN THE INDIAN CLINIC,
 15 BREE STREET, FORDSBURG,
 JOHANNESBURG.

PRESENT: Mrs. A.W. Hoernle (in the Chair) Dr. K. Attaoullah, Mr. W. Ernest,
 Mrs. W. Ernest, Mr. J.D. Rheinallt Jones, Miss E. Katz, Mrs. I. Kuper,
 Mr. K.G. Moodley, Mr. K.D. Pillay, Miss Ramsbottom, Mr. S.D. Royeppen,
 Mr. J.J. Smith, Miss E.M. Hunt (Hon. Secretary).

1. APOLOGIES: The Administrator, Mr. P.M. Anderson, The Matron of the Corona-
 tion Hospital, Secretary of the Country Club, Miss Granger, Mr. Ryle
 Masson, Mr. J.W. Meldrum, the Manager of the Non-European Affairs
 Department, The Rev. B.L.E. Sigamoney, Mr. Telkandas.

2. SIGNATURE OF MINUTES OF THE TWELFTH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING.
 The minutes of the previous Annual General Meeting, held on 3rd April 1947,
 having been circulated, were taken as read, and the Chairman was authorised
 to sign the minutes as a correct record of the proceedings.

3. THIRTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT.
 This was presented by the Chairman, and, on the proposal of Mr. Royeppen,
 seconded by Miss Katz, was adopted.

4. THE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS:
 The Revenue and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31st December 1947,
 and the Balance Sheet as at 31st December 1947, signed by the Auditor, Mr.
 W.G.C. Moir, C.A.(S.A.) were presented by the Chairman, and on the proposal
 of Mr. Moodley, seconded by Mr. Rheinallt Jones, were adopted.

5. ELECTION OF OFFICE BEARERS:
 (a) Honorary President:
 Owing to the return to India of the High Commissioner, Mr. R.M. Desmukh,
 the position of Honorary President was vacant. After some discussion, and
 on the proposal of Mr. Royeppen, seconded by Mrs. Kuper,

IT WAS AGREED that the Association ask the Minister of the Interior, Mr.
 H. Lawrence, to act as Hon. President.

(b) Chairman.
IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY AGREED to re-elect Mrs. A.W. Hoernle as Chairman.

(c) Vice-Chairmen.
IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY AGREED to re-elect (i) Mrs. W. Ernest,
(ii) Mr. M. Jajbhay,
(iii) The Rev. B.L.E. Sigamoney,

and on the proposal of Miss Katz, seconded by Mr. Smith,
IT WAS AGREED to elect Mrs. I. Kuper.

(d) Honorary Treasurers.

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY AGREED to re-elect (i) Mr. Q.A. Whyte,
(ii) Mr. I.M. Coovadia,
(iii) Mr. N. Parbhoo.

(e) Joint Hon. Secretaries:

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY AGREED to re-elect (i) Miss E.M. Hunt,
(ii) Mr. K.G. Moodley.

(f) The Committee.

IT WAS UNANIMOUSLY AGREED that in addition to the above, the following be re-elected members of the Executive Committee:-
Miss G. Alexander, Mr. A.M. Coovadia, Mr. A.H. Dadabhay, Mr. Cecil Ernest, Mr. W. Ernest, (Government Representative) Miss B. Francis, Mr. M.R. George, Miss J.H. Granger, Mr. Saleh Mahomed, Mr. S.S. Moodley, Mr. F. Muller, Mr. L. Nieman, Mr. Z.V. Parekh, Mr. C.K. Patel, Mr. D. Patel, Mr. K.D. Pillay, Mr. P. Pillay, Mr. S.D. Royeppon, Miss R. Shaer, Mr. H.D. Singh, Mr. K. Thambi, Mr. J.G. Vandoyar, Mr. R.J. Vandoyar, Mr. M.R. Varachia.

(g) Assistant Social Worker.

Mrs. Hoernle announced that Mrs. Essery had had to resign as she and her husband had been given an opportunity to return to Singapore.

IT WAS AGREED that the Secretary write to Mrs. Christopher of P.O.Box 1905, Durban, to ask if she knew of anyone who could take Mrs. Essery's place as Assistant Social Worker.

6. ELECTION OF REPRESENTATIVES ON OTHER BODIES.

IT WAS AGREED that the following be elected to represent the Association:-

- (i) National War Memorial Health Foundation - The Rev. Sigamoney,
- (ii) Child Welfare Society - Mrs. Hoernle, (with Mr. Jajbhay and the Rev. Sigamoney as alternatives.
- (iii) Transvaal Cripple Care Association - Miss Katz and Mr. K.G. Moodley,
- (iv) Johannesburg Social Welfare Committee - Mrs. Hoernle.
- (v) Adult Education Committee - Mr. K.G. Moodley, and the Rev. Sigamoney.

7. GENERAL.

Mr. Rheinallt Jones said that he regretted that he was an outsider now, as in recent years he had been unable to give his attention to the Association. He expressed his admiration of those who had given loyal and faithful service to the Association, with special reference to Mrs. Hoernle and Miss Katz.

THE MEETING ENDED AT 5.30 P.M.

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CHAIRMAN.
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