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13th March 1950.

The Director,
S.A. Institute of Race Relations,
P.O. Box 97,
JOHANNESBURG.

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Dear Sir:

PRELIMINARY NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING

Would you kindly note that the 1950 Annual General Meeting of my Association will be held in the Small Darrach Hall, Johannesburg, on the afternoon and evening of Friday, 19th May, concluding the following morning about noon.

We hope that your Institute will be strongly represented at our Annual General Meeting and will be glad to hear from you on that point.

Incidentally, we are writing to enquire whether Mrs. Quinton-Whyte could attend to outline the Literacy Classes for adult Natives, if in her opinion the Classes could be used to the advantage of awaiting-trial and/or long-term adult Native prisoners. If Mrs. Quinton Whyte's itinerary permit of her attending for this purpose, perhaps she would be able to attend throughout our Annual Meeting as the Institutes' Representative?

A copy of our 1949 Annual Report and all A.G.M. papers will be furnished you in due course.

Yours truly:

Thekla H. Hall
National Organizer

At this A.G.M. we hope to discuss the proposed Legislation to which the Minister for Justice has made reference lately, - concerning the petty offender and the awaiting-trial period. Do you know whether a copy of the Bill is yet procurable? or when it is likely to have its first reading in the House?

If you have any matter for discussion at our A.G.M. please advise me.

See
S.G.N.

13th March 1950.

Mrs. Quinton Whyte:
S.A. Institute of Race Relations,
P.O. Box 97,
JOHANNESBURG.

Dear Mrs. Quinton Whyte:

This year our Annual General Meeting will be held in JOHANNESBURG (Small Darrach Hall) on the afternoon and evening of Friday, 19th May, - concluding the following morning.

If you plan to be in Johannesburg at that time we would be very glad if you would attend to outline the Literacy Classes for adult Natives, which we had to miss last year through your inability to join us in Durban. We have in mind the adult long-term Native prisoner, of course.

Yours truly:

J. Hall -

National Organizer

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20th. March, 1950.

The National Organizer,
National Council of Social Services of South Africa,
39 Colonization Chambers,
West Street,
DURBAN.

Dear Madam,

I thank you for your letter of the 13th. March, 1950, and note that your Annual General Meeting will be held on the 19th. May in the Small Darragh Hall, Johannesburg. My wife says that she will be glad to outline her work at the meeting.

I understand that the Bill relating to the petty offender is not yet publicly available, and I have no information as to when it will be introduced in the House. Mr. Junod will be in a better position to know about it, and I suggest that you contact him.

Yours faithfully,

Quintin Whyte
DIRECTOR.

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