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Witwatersrand Native Labour Association,
LIMITED.

(INCORPORATED IN THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA.)

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**REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGEMENT
FOR THE YEAR ENDED 31ST DECEMBER, 1935.**

Report of the Members of the Board of Management, to be presented to Members at the Thirty-fourth Ordinary General Meeting, to be held in the Council Chamber of the Transvaal Chamber of Mines, on Monday, the 27th day of April, 1936, at 10 a.m.

Gentlemen,

We beg to submit our Report on the operations of the Association for the year ended 31st December, 1935, together with the Audited Accounts.

RECRUITING.

The following figures show the numbers of Natives obtained by the Association and its Members from all sources during 1935 :—

TERRITORY.	Recruited by W.N.L.A. (Twelve Months' Contract Natives).		NON-RECRUITED :		Total.	
	Recruited by Native Recruiting Corporation	Recruited by Native Recruiting Corporation	† From Territories.	* Engaged by Mines Locally.		
1. BRITISH—			A.V.S.	Others.		
Transvaal	—	4,189	11,300	2,904	3,284	21,677
Swaziland	—	6,562	1,060	171	84	7,877
Bechuanaland	—	6,613	32	85	102	6,832
Cape of Good Hope Province	—	59,449	55,356	1,272	5,473	121,550
Basutoland and Orange Free State Province	—	17,733	12,725	3,189	5,659	39,306
Natal Province and Zululand	—	789	11,936	352	743	13,820
Other Districts (including Tropical)	350	—	—	83	97	530
2. PORTUGUESE—						
Province of Moçambique—						
South of Latitude 22°S.	54,536	—	—	1,443	2,944	58,923
North of Latitude 22°S.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totals for 1935	54,886	95,335	92,409	9,499	18,386	270,515
Totals for 1934	49,155	86,646	85,447	8,685	13,279	243,212

† This column shows the number of Natives, " Assisted Voluntaries " and others, engaged on travelling passes from their homes.

* This column shows the number of Natives who transferred from other employment to that of the Mines, or transferred from one mine to another.

Except for the necessary measures towards introducing an additional 3,000 experimental Tropical Natives for employment on the Gold Mines, the operations of the Association were confined to the Province of Moçambique south of Latitude 22 degrees South.

Of the total of 270,515 Natives engaged for employment by the Gold Mines and Collieries (members of the Association), 54,536 were Portuguese Natives obtained by the Association, of whom 83 per cent. were Natives who had previously worked on the mines.

The number of Portuguese Natives employed by Gold Mines and Collieries (members of the Association), at 31st December, 1935, was 78,834 as against the maximum of 80,000 permitted to be employed at that date under the 1928 Convention.

WASTAGE.

The usual statistical table (Annexure A), giving particulars of the number of Natives taking their discharge, and the losses from deaths and desertions for the year 1935 as compared with previous years, is attached.

ACCOUNTS.

CAPITAL.

The Registered Capital of the Association remained unaltered throughout the year under review, viz., 59,800 shares of £1 each, of which 59,754 shares had been issued at the 31st December, 1935. The position of your Capital Account at that date was as follows:—

59,754 Shares of £1 each, upon which 12s. per Share had been called	£35,852	8	0
The amount of Uncalled Capital is 8s. per Share, representing the sum of	£23,901	12	0

DEPOSITS.

A Deposit of 25s. per Share has been made on the 59,754 Shares	£74,692	10	0
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DEPRECIATION—

Provision has been made for depreciation of your assets by writing off—

Land, Buildings, Plant, etc.	£5,311	17	7
Furniture, Livestock, Vehicles, etc.	1,426	7	7
	£6,738	5	2

REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE.

The Statement of Revenue and Expenditure laid before you deals with the Twelve Months under review.

The Total Revenue for that period (including Interest, £3,823 19s. 6d.) was	£224,761	16	3
And the Total Expenditure (including Depreciation, £6,738 5s. 2d.) was	180,667	7	6
Leaving a Balance of Revenue over Expenditure of	£44,094	8	9

The Board, acting under Clause 15 of the Articles of Association, decided to make a refund of 10 per cent. on the capitation fees paid for Natives during 1935, which absorbed £22,094 8s. 9d. of the above balance, and £22,000 was transferred to Reserve Account, bringing the total to the credit of that account to £66,500.

The Association's capitation fee for a Native engaged for twelve months' service was reduced from £4 to £3 10s., with effect from 1st March, 1935.

The costs in connection with the Natives allotted by the Association, including all Head Office, Compound and Hospital Expenses, amounted to 2.44d. per recruited shift for 1935, as compared with 2.55d. for 1934.

COMPOUNDS.

JOHANNESBURG, WITBANK AND BREYTEN.—The following figures reflect the work performed at your Johannesburg, Witbank and Breyten Compounds during the year under review:—

	Johannesburg Compound.	Witbank Compound.	Breyten Compound.	Total.
Natives in compound awaiting distribution, 31st December, 1934	162	—	—	162
Received for distribution during 1935	51,719	2,650	517	54,886
	51,881	2,650	517	55,048
Distributed to Mines, etc.	51,580	2,621	506	54,707
Repatriated as unfit	196	28	11	235
Deserted	5	—	—	5
Died	18	—	—	18
Discharged	2	—	—	2
Balance in Compounds, 31st December, 1935	80	1	—	81
	51,881	2,650	517	55,048

In addition to the 54,886 Natives received at your three compounds, 95,335 contracted B.S.A. Natives were received at the Johannesburg Compound for medical examination and registration. Of these 150,221 Natives, 945 East Coast, 67 Tropical and 2,562 B.S.A. Natives, who were train-weary or otherwise unfit for immediate distribution, were detained for recuperation and subsequent distribution.

2,829 East Coast, 5 Tropical and 4,747 B.S.A. Natives, who failed to pass the examination of the mine medical officers, were returned to your compounds for further examination.

1,291 East Coast and 96,206 B.S.A. Natives who proceeded direct from their homes to the mines in search of employment, were received at the compounds for medical examination and registration.

2,956 time-expired East Coast Natives and 9,137 time-expired B.S.A. Natives presented themselves at the three compounds for further service on the mines.

2,532 East Coast, 29 Tropical and 6,222 B.S.A. Natives were received from the mines as medical rejects, which included 3,239 injured Natives, and 1,663 Natives admitted under the Miners' Phthisis Act (No. 35 of 1925), for examination and assessment for compensation.

3,992 Natives engaged by contractors to the mines were received for medical examination.

38,532 time-expired East Coast Natives presented themselves at the three compounds for repatriation. A total of 957,232 such Natives have been repatriated under the aegis of the Association since 1906.

880 Tropical Bechuanas and 834 Tropical Rhodesians, who were time-expired, were repatriated during the year.

NATIVES IN TRANSIT.—33,618 East Coast recruits, *en route* from Ressano-Garcia to Johannesburg, were fed at the Witbank Compound and 3,437 East Coast recruits, 328 East Coast repatriates, with 20,885 B.S.A. recruits and repatriates, were accommodated in the Breyten Compound in transit to and from the mines.

The total numbers of Natives who passed through the Association's Compounds during the year were as follows :—

Johannesburg	..	..	..	..	..	..	314,391
Witbank	..	..	..	..	..	..	38,676*
Breyten	..	..	..	..	..	..	25,614*
							<u>378,681*</u>

as compared with 342,151 in the previous year.

* Includes the foregoing Natives in transit to and from the mines.

£162,952 was deposited with the Association at Johannesburg and Witbank for safekeeping by Natives pending departure for their homes, as against £151,839 in 1934.

RESSANO-GARCIA.—37,408 Natives for Mine work passed through the hands of your compound staff at Ressano-Garcia during the twelve months under review. Of this number 198 were rejected either by the Association's Medical Officer or the Portuguese officials at that place, 14 deserted, 411 were on hand at the end of the year, and the balance of 36,785 came forward. 33,976 Natives repatriated under the aegis of the Association were also dealt with at Ressano-Garcia prior to leaving for their kraals.

ZOEKMAKAAR.—11,981 Natives were examined, of whom 11,379 came forward to Johannesburg for Mine work. 6,531 Native repatriates were handled by your staff at Zoekmakaar during the year.

STEGI.—3,520 Natives were sent forward for mining employment, and 339 East Coast Natives passed through the depot *en route* home.

WEI-HAI-WEI (China).—This property remains unsold.

All compounds have been maintained in a thorough state of repair. Some of the camps maintained by the Association in Portuguese East Africa were either renovated or replaced by buildings of modern design.

A large store room and quarters to accommodate the Native staff were added to the Johannesburg compound. Expenditure was also authorized to provide additional accommodation, especially hospital wards, to meet the prospective larger demands on that compound.

HEALTH OF NATIVES.

The Report of your Chief Medical Officer (Dr. A. I. Girdwood) is attached. The death-rate during the years 1935 and 1934 among Native labourers employed by Members of the Association was as follows :—

	Death-rate per 1,000 per annum.	
	1935	1934
From Disease	7.15	7.98
From Accident	2.65	2.85
	<u>9.80</u>	<u>10.83</u>

The above figures are based on deaths occurring on the Mines, and do not include deaths occurring among recruits and repatriates in the Association's Johannesburg, Witbank and Breyten Compounds. These latter number 169 (*vide* Annexure G), and, if included, the death-rate from disease only for 1935 is increased to 7.73 per thousand per annum, as compared with 8.35 for 1934.

The welfare of Natives in Mine Compounds received the earnest attention of the Transvaal Mine Medical Officers' Association and the Compound Manager's Association throughout the year.

PAYMENT OF ACCIDENT COMPENSATION TO MINE NATIVES.

The Central Medical Boards established at Johannesburg and Witbank to determine the degree of incapacitation sustained by Natives through Mine accidents, examined 3,239 Native cases during the year. 1,544 Natives were awarded and paid on behalf of members compensation amounting to £18,376 16s. 7d., and 1,555 Natives were similarly paid compassionate grants totalling £4,390 15s. ; a total payment of £22,767 11s. 7d.

Act No. 59 of 1934 (the Workmen's Compensation Act) came into force on the 1st July, 1935. The Central Medical Board continues to function as heretofore in the medical examination of and assessment of the degree of incapacitation sustained by Native Mine labourers.

COMPENSATION TO NATIVES FOR MINERS' PHTHISIS AND TUBERCULOSIS.
MINERS' PHTHISIS ACT, No. 35, 1925.

The number of Native cases dealt with at your Johannesburg Compound, and the amounts of compensation paid on behalf of members during the year, were as follows :—

	Number of Natives admitted to Bureau Wards for Examination.	Number of Natives who received Compensation.	Amount of Compensation Paid.
Ante-Primary Silicosis	1,663	268	£10,102 10 10
Primary Silicosis		49	2,815 17 6
Silicosis and Tuberculosis		199	15,180 10 11
Tuberculosis		425	20,699 11 1
Totals for 1935	1,663	941	£48,798 10 4
Totals for 1934	1,616	883	£47,133 18 11

In addition to the foregoing amounts, £7,566 9s. 8d. compensation moneys due in the estates of deceased Natives were paid to the Director of Native Labour for administration.

NATIVES FROM NORTH OF LATITUDE 22 DEG. SOUTH.

Following the success which attended the introduction of 2,000 Natives from areas North of Latitude 22 deg. South, to test their suitability for employment on the Gold Mines, to which reference was made in the Annual Report for 1934, the Union Government granted permission, under the usual safeguards, for the importation of a further 3,000 Tropical Natives. Arrangements were made for these additional Natives to be drawn from areas not comprised within the first test.

PROTECTIVE CLOTHING FOR MINE NATIVES.

Arising out of the decision of the Transvaal Chamber of Mines to adopt the recommendation of its Health Advisory Committee that all Natives employed underground on the Gold Mines be provided with a tunic when proceeding to and from their working places as a protection against the incidence of pneumonia and other respiratory diseases, the Association undertook the importation, storage and distribution of supplies of serge tunics as approved by that Committee. Between 1st May and 31st December, 1935, 232,590 tunics were distributed to the Gold Mines at practically cost price, and the Association has arranged for the maintenance of adequate supplies.

EMPLOYERS' RECRUITING LICENCES.

Consequent upon the demand that employers of Native labourers shall comply with the terms and conditions of Section 5 of Act No. 15 of 1911, it was agreed (a) that each Mining Company should obtain an Employer's Recruiting Licence, such licence to be issued personally to the manager; (b) that the Association, on behalf of its Members (Gold Mines and Collieries) should furnish to the Director of Native Labour security for £200 in respect of each licence issued, in the same form and manner as the security given by the Native Recruiting Corporation, Ltd., for the issue of recruiting licences to its officials and agents; and (c) that each member in turn should indemnify the Association against any penalty consequent upon default on the part of the holder of the licence.

SOUTH AFRICAN INSTITUTE FOR MEDICAL RESEARCH.

The Association's grant to the Institute remained at £7,500 per annum. The Union Government contributed a like sum.

The Institute continues to render valuable services to Members of the Association.

The representatives of the Association on the Board of Management of the Institute at 31st December, 1935, were :—

John Martin (Chairman) W. A. Mackenzie Sir William Dalrymple, K.B.E., LL.D.	} Alternates :	{ P. M. Anderson. { G. H. Beatty. { W. Gemmill.
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NATIVES ON COLLIERIES.

The inspection of the conditions under which Natives are employed on the Collieries showed that the terms of the agreement as to rates of pay, hours of work, etc., had been duly observed by the Collieries.

DESERTIONS.

The attached Statement "E" shows the desertions among Natives employed by Members for each year 1930 to 1935.

MEMBERSHIP.

During the year the following Mining Companies were admitted to Membership of the Association :—

Marievale Cons. Mines, Ltd.,
 Palmietkuil G.M. Co., Ltd.
 Rietfontein (No. 11) Gold Mines, Ltd.,
 South African Land & Exploration Co., Ltd.
 Springfield Collieries, Ltd.,
 Vlakkfontein G.M. Co., Ltd.

There were no withdrawals from membership.

BOARD OF MANAGEMENT.

The Board as constituted at 31st December, 1935, was as follows :—

W. A. Mackenzie, <i>Chairman</i> , P. M. Anderson, D.Sc. (Eng.), G. H. Beatty. J. H. Crosby, Sir William Dalrymple, K.B.E., LL.D. Erroll Hay, A. S. Hersov, E. M. Hind, W. H. A. Lawrence, John Martin, F. Raleigh, F. A. Unger, J. L. van Eyssen, S. C. Black, Added Member.	} <i>Members of the Executive Committee of the Transvaal Chamber of Mines.</i>
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OBITUARY.

It is with deep regret that your Board has to place on record the death, on 24th September, 1935, of Mr. Arthur French, and, on 10th October, 1935, of Dr. Samuel Evans. The deceased gentlemen were for many years members of the Board of Management and took an active interest in the affairs of the Association.

The deaths during the year of Mr. David James, and Mr. Reginald E. Floquet, two officials of the Association's staff have also to be recorded with deep regret. Mr. James entered the service of the Association in 1903, and since 1909 held the position of Secretary at the Lourenço Marques office. Mr. Floquet was the Association's Compound Manager at Witbank since 1925, prior to which he was at the Johannesburg Compound since 1916.

Dr. Duarte Pinto Coelho, who was one of the Association's Medical Officers in Portuguese East Africa, died on 2nd June, 1935, and his death is greatly deplored. Prior to resuming private practice, Dr. Coelho held the important Government appointment at Lourenço Marques of Intendente, and during his period of office gave invaluable advice and assistance in the formation of the policy adopted by the Association during the days of its early history in Portuguese territory.

ACKNOWLEDGMENTS.

The continued co-operation and assistance accorded by the Government of the Province of Moçambique, the Curator of Portuguese Natives and staff, the Union Native Affairs Department (including the Director of Native Labour and staff), the Swaziland Administration, the Bechuanaland Administration, the Transvaal Chamber of Mines and its Health Advisory Committee, the Native Recruiting Corporation, the Rand Mutual Assurance Company, and Messrs. Breyner and Wirth, Ltd., are gratefully acknowledged.

Your Board also desires to record its thanks to the officials and members of the Association's staff, in the Transvaal, in the adjacent territories, and in the Province of Moçambique, for their loyal and valuable services during the year.

G. H. BEATTY, *Chairman.*

W. A. MACKENZIE, }
JOHN MARTIN, } *Members of the Board of Management.*

W. GEMMILL, *General Manager.*

Johannesburg,
3rd April, 1936.

CHIEF MEDICAL OFFICER'S REPORT.

*To the Chairman and Members of the Board of Management,
WITWATERSRAND NATIVE LABOUR ASSOCIATION, LIMITED,
Johannesburg.*

Gentlemen,

I have the honour to submit my Report for the year ended 31st December, 1935.

During the year the following Natives were inspected and stethoscopically examined at your Johannesburg Compound Hospital, as to their fitness for underground work :—

CLASS.	EXAMINED	REJECTED.		CAUSE OF REJECTION.			
		Number.	Percentage.	T.B. and Def. Lungs.	Defective Lungs.	Epilepsy.	Other.
B.S.A. Recruits	95,335	3,893	4.08	124	1,479	6	2,284
B.S.A. A.V.S.	92,728	1,027	1.11	40	478	4	505
B.S.A. Non-recruited	3,478	48	1.38	—	18	—	30
B.S.A. Locals	9,137	72	0.79	4	40	—	28
E.C. Recruits	52,660	1,440	2.73	120	578	—	742
E.C. Locals	2,873	11	0.38	2	9	—	—
Underground Contractors	462	20	4.33	2	10	—	8
Dump Contractors	3,530	1	0.03	—	—	—	1
Tropical Recruits	350	12	3.43	1	5	—	6
	260,553	6,524	2.50	293*	2,617†	10*	3,604†

* Repatriated prior to allotment. † Passed for surface employment.

ADMISSIONS TO HOSPITAL.

During the year the undermentioned Natives were admitted into the W.N.L.A. Hospital, Johannesburg :—

1,576 East Coast Recruits and Refused by Mines.
4,222 British South African Recruits, and Refused by Mines.
2 Natives for Re-engagement.
1,669 East Coast Medical Rejects from Mines.
5,104 British South African Medical Rejects from Mines.
1,663 Natives under the Miners' Phthisis Act.
67 Tropical Recruits.
27 Tropical Rejects.

14,330

The following table shows the causes of admission :—

(a) EAST COAST RECRUITS (including those refused by Mines) :—

Abscess	35
Amputated Toe	1
Ankylostomiasis	1
Bronchitis	49
Bilharziasis	82
Crepitations	369
Conjunctivitis	17
Defective Vision	3
Dysentery	6
Encephalitis Lethargica	1
Epilepsy	62
Haematemesis	2
Herpes Zoster	2
Hydrocele	1
Influenza	113
Malaria	34
Mentally Deficient	5
Minor Injuries	35
Nephritis	8
Observation (with slight temperature)	94
Oedema (legs)	7
Otitis Media	4
Pericarditis	1
Phimosis	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	14
Pulmonary Tuberculosis and Silicosis	19
Pneumonia	94
Physically Unfit	22
Pyorrhoea	1

EAST COAST RECRUITS—(Continued)

Relapsing Fever	32
Rheumatism	2
Scurvy	2
Simple Ailments	120
Silicosis	91
Sinus (jaw)	2
Synovitis (knee)	1
Tapeworm	1
Tonsillitis	1
Ulcers	100
Vaccinia	22
Valvular Heart Disease	3
Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis	22
Chicken Pox	4
Enteric	12
Glands (groin)	2
Gonorrhoea	23
Genital Sores	5
Measles	5
Mumps	1
Pneumococcal Meningitis	2
Skin Disease	13
Syphilis	27
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	1,576

(b) BRITISH SOUTH AFRICAN RECRUITS (including those refused by Mines):—

Abscess	67
Amputated Leg	1
Ankylostomiasis	3
Bronchitis	49
Bilharziasis	19
Cerebral Haemorrhage	1
Conjunctivitis	27
Crepitations	817
Defective Vision	4
Dysentery	7
Erysipelas	1
Epilepsy	167
Hernia	1
Herpes Zoster	1
Hydrocele	2
Hysteria	1
Influenza	128
Malta Fever	1
Mental Deficiency	37
Minor Injuries	232
Malaria	6
Nephritis	4
Observation (with slight temperature)	78
Oedema (legs)	15
Osteomyelitis	2
Otitis Media	20
Paraphimosis	3
Peritonitis	2
Pernicious Anaemia	1
Physically Unfit	1,236
Pneumonia	57
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	54
Pulmonary Tuberculosis and Silicosis	16
Pleurisy	1
Pyorrhoea	3
Rheumatism	5
Scabies	7
Scurvy	2
Silicosis	116
Simple Ailments	212
Synovitis (knee)	2
Tapeworm	1
Tuberculous Glands (neck)	6
Tonsillitis	8
Ulcers	355
Vaccinia	1
Valvular Heart Disease	5
Bubo	8
Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis	9
Chicken Pox	14
Enteric Fever	11
Genital Sores	5
Gonorrhoea	16
Leprosy	24
Measles	6
Mumps	1
Skin Disease	276
Syphilis	67
Typhus Fever	1
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	4,222

(c) TROPICAL RECRUITS (including those refused by Mines) :—

Abscess	2
Bilharziasis	3
Conjunctivitis	2
Crepitations	11
Dysentery	1
Influenza	2
Minor Injuries	1
Nephritis	9
Observation (with temp.)	16
Physically Unfit	3
Pneumonia	2
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	1
Simple Ailments	1
Ulcers	4
Vaccinia	4
Balanitis	1
Gonorrhoea	2
Skin Disease	2
	67
	67

(d) RE-ENGAGEMENTS :—

Crepitations	1
Skin Disease	2
Ulcer (leg)	1
	4
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MEDICAL REJECTS FROM MINES.

(a) EAST COAST :—

On the 31st December, 1934, 43 Natives remained in Hospital.

During the year, 1,669 East Coast convalescent Natives were received from the Mines for repatriation. Of these, 1,435 were repatriated, 24 died, 9 were transferred to the Miners' Phthisis Bureau Wards, 220 were returned to the Mines, 2 were discharged, and 2 deserted. 20 remained in the Compound Hospital at the end of the year, awaiting repatriation.

(Note.—The above figures include the following Natives sent in by *non-members* :—24 Cape Colony, 2 Zulu, 14 Basuto, 2 Transvaal, 3 Swazi, and 3 Bechuana).

(b) BRITISH SOUTH AFRICAN :—

On the 31st December, 1934, 196 Natives remained in Hospital.

During the year, 5,104 Natives were received from the Mines, of whom 4,523 were repatriated, 14 died, 22 were transferred to the Miners' Phthisis Bureau Wards, 599 were returned to the Mines, 3 were discharged, 2 sent to Rietfontein Lazaretto, and 137 remained in the Compound Hospital at the end of the year.

(c) TROPICAL :—

On the 31st December, 1934, 6 Tropical Natives remained in Hospital.

During the year, 27 Tropical Natives were received from the Mines for repatriation. Of the 33 Natives, 31 were repatriated, and 2 were returned to the Mines.

MINERS' PHTHISIS ACT (No. 35 of 1925).

The following table shows the number of Natives admitted for examination by the Miners' Phthisis Medical Bureau :—

	Number in Hospital. 31.12.34.	Admis- sions during 1935	Repatriated or Discharged to look for Work.	Died.	Returned to Mines.	Number in Hospital 31.12.35.
East Coast	42	543	533	11	—	41
B.S.A.	79	1,118	1,081	53	—	63
Tropical	—	2	2	—	—	—
	121	1,663	1,616	64	—	104
	121	1,663	1,616	64	—	104

941 Natives were compensated in terms of the Miners' Phthisis Act. Of these, 359 were East Coast, 580 B.S.A., and 2 Tropical Natives.

HOSPITAL ADMISSIONS, DEATHS AND DISCHARGES OF ALL NATIVES DURING 1935.

Balance in Compound Hospital on 31st December, 1934 : 511 Natives.

1935	ADMISSIONS.	DEATHS.	DISCHARGES.
January	1,365	13	1,619
February	1,221	17	1,221
March	1,155	9	1,150
April	1,366	10	1,198
May	1,055	12	1,214
June	1,062	14	1,052
July	1,308	27	1,145
August	1,205	20	1,266
September	1,228	16	1,122
October	1,168	11	1,277
November	1,095	11	1,063
December	1,102	9	963
Totals	14,330	169	14,290

Balance in Compound Hospital at 31st December, 1935 : 382 Natives.

NATIVES PROVISIONALLY REJECTED BY THE MINES AS UNFIT TO COMMENCE WORK.

	Examined.	Rejected.	CAUSE OF REJECTION.			
			T.B. and Defective Lungs.	Defective Lungs.	Epilepsy.	Other.
East Coast Recruits ..	2,813	550	74	184	62	230
B.S.A. Recruits ..	4,747	941	71	305	174	391
	7,560*	1,491†	145**	489	236	621

* Equal to 5.35 per cent. of the total number of Recruits received.

† Equal to 1.05 per cent. of the total number of Recruits received (0.88 per cent. if Epileptics are excluded).

** Repatriated.

CENTRAL MEDICAL BOARD FOR ASSESSMENT OF MINE ACCIDENTS.

During the year 1935, 3,010 accident cases were examined by the Central Medical Board, and their disability estimated. Of these, 2,819 received compensation.

X-RAY DEPARTMENT.

During the year the following films were taken :—

Coloured and Asiatics, under Miners' Phthisis Act	1,145
Natives, under Miners' Phthisis Act	2,072
Natives with long Mine Service	678*
Natives from Mines for Diagnosis	418
East Coast and B.S.A. Natives : Confirmatory Examinations	5,700
	<u>10,013</u>

* Details of the examination of long-service Natives (i.e., of continuous service) from August, 1935, to February, 1936 :—Of 678 Natives X-rayed during this period, 19 were found to be suffering from Tuberculosis ; 5 from Tuberculosis and Silicosis and 8 from Silicosis ; a total of 32.

MORTALITY RETURNS.

See Annexure " G. "

GENERAL.

During the year I have been ably assisted by the Medical Officers and the Nursing Staff in carrying out the work of the Association.

I have the honour to be,

Gentlemen,

Your obedient servant,

A. I. GIRDWOOD, M.B., Ch.B. (Edin.),

Chief Medical Officer.

Johannesburg,

9th March, 1936.

WITWATERSRAND NATIVE

(INCORPORATED IN THE

BALANCE SHEET

Capital Account—	LIABILITIES.	
Authorised : 59,800 Shares of £1 each		£59,800 0 0
Issued : 59,754 Shares, 12s. per share called up		£35,852 8 0
Deposit Account		74,692 10 0
(25s. per share issued)		
Creditors and Credit Balances		206,157 18 11
Open Accounts	184,063 10 2	
Members—for refund of proportion of Capitation Fees	22,094 8 9	
Reserve Account		66,500 0 0
As at 31st December, 1934	44,500 0 0	
Funds appropriated from Revenue and Expenditure Account for the year ended 31st December, 1935	22,000 0 0	
		£383,202 16 11

W. GEMMILL, General Manager.

Report to the Members of the Witwatersrand Native Labour Association, Limited.

We report that we have examined the above Balance Sheet and accompanying Revenue and Expenditure all the information and explanations we have required as Auditors. The Association has kept proper books and records of its affairs, according to the best of our information and the explanations given to us, and as shown by the Books of

Johannesburg,
10th March, 1936.

Dr. REVENUE AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT,

To East Coast Recruiting Expenditure	£108,107 3 0	
,, Tropical Recruiting Expenditure	4,027 0 8	
,, Compound Expenses	18,100 6 5	
,, Hospital and Medical	3,359 8 6	
		£133,593 18 7
,, Administration Expenses		31,740 18 1
,, Transvaal Chamber of Mines Pension and Staff Gratuities Fund		8,594 5 8
,, Depreciation on Property, Plant, etc.		6,738 5 2
,, Balance—		
To be refunded to Members for Capitation Fees	22,094 8 9	
Carried to Reserve Account	22,000 0 0	
		44,094 8 9
		£224,761 16 3

W. GEMMILL, General Manager.

G. H. BEATTY,
W. A. MACKENZIE,
JOHN MARTIN, } Members of Board of
Management.

Johannesburg,
10th March, 1936.

LABOUR ASSOCIATION, LTD.

(UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA.)

at 31st DECEMBER, 1935

ASSETS.		
Property, Plant, etc.		£41,984 11 2
Land and Buildings	£30,885 10 6	
Plant	290 0 0	
Furniture, etc.	1,841 10 0	
Livestock, Vehicles and Equipment	668 10 0	
Motor Cars and Lorries	8,299 0 8	
Stores and Clothing		67,290 16 0
Payments in Advance		2,673 1 0
Rail Fares, Licences, etc.		
Deposits with Moçambique Government		2,100 0 0
Debtors and Debit Balances		113,584 14 5
Sundry Companies for Recruiting Fees, etc.	84,973 12 6	
Sundry Persons	28,611 1 11	
Investments		129,823 9 0
Union of S.A. Local Registered Stock, with Interest Accrued	84,314 12 4	
Electricity Supply Commission Stock, with Interest Accrued	22,968 6 6	
Loans at Call, with Interest Accrued	22,540 10 2	
Cash—		
In hand and at Bankers on Current Account		25,746 5 4
		£383,202 16 11

G. H. BEATTY,
W. A. MACKENZIE
JOHN MARTIN,

Members of Board of
Management.

Account with the Books and Vouchers of the Association for the Year ended 31st December, 1935, and have obtained and, in our opinion, such Balance Sheet is properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the Association.

DOUGLAS, LOW & CO.,
Incorporated Accountants,
SAML. THOMSON & YOUNG,
Chartered Accountants,

Auditors.

1st January to 31st December, 1935.

Cr.

BY Capitation Fees—Natives Distributed	£220,847 16 9
„ Interest	3,823 19 6
„ Rents Received	90 0 0

£224,761 16 3

Examined and found correct.

SAML. THOMSON & YOUNG,
Chartered Accountants,
DOUGLAS, LOW & CO.,
Incorporated Accountants,

Auditors.

A.

Witwatersrand Native Labour Association, Limited.

Statement showing the Number of Natives Employed by and Distributed to Members during the Years 1934 and 1935.

Natives Registered to Contractors are excluded.

Month.	Number of Natives Employed on first day of each month.		Number of Natives distributed during month.				"Wastage" during month including time expired natives returning to their homes.		Percentage of "Wastage" to number employed on first day of month.		Increase or Decrease in Number employed.			
	1934	1935	1934		1935		1934	1935	1934	1935	1934		1935	
			Allocated by W.N.L.A. and Non-Recruited Natives engaged	Recruited by N.R.C.	Allocated by W.N.L.A. and Non-Recruited Natives engaged	Recruited by N.R.C.					Inc.	Dec.	Inc.	Dec.
Jan. ..	243,004	260,630	12,132	8,221	13,475	9,241	15,955	17,048	6.57	6.54	4,398	—	5,668	—
Feb. ..	247,402	266,298	12,433	5,793	12,298	4,427	15,314	16,480	6.19	6.19	2,912	—	245	—
Mar. ..	250,314	266,543	12,834	4,940	14,054	6,911	17,594	19,357	7.03	7.26	180	—	1,608	—
April ..	250,494	268,151	12,752	6,254	14,370	9,213	18,497	19,835	7.38	7.40	509	—	3,748	—
May ..	251,003	271,899	12,999	7,170	14,229	7,901	19,524	20,493	7.78	7.54	645	—	1,637	—
June ..	251,648	273,536	12,841	6,780	14,419	8,029	18,105	18,896	7.19	6.91	1,516	—	3,552	—
July ..	253,164	277,088	11,754	7,141	15,135	7,700	17,721	21,243	7.00	7.67	1,174	—	1,592	—
Aug. ..	254,338	278,680	13,114	8,423	15,099	7,855	19,322	21,119	7.60	7.58	2,215	—	1,835	—
Sept. ..	256,553	280,515	13,091	6,946	14,245	8,060	20,215	22,044	7.88	7.86	—	178	261	—
Oct. ..	256,375	280,776	14,043	8,719	15,427	8,827	21,693	22,551	8.46	8.03	1,069	—	1,703	—
Nov. ..	257,444	282,479	14,061	8,019	15,417	7,877	20,963	22,630	8.14	8.01	1,117	—	664	—
Dec. ..	258,561	283,143	14,443	7,090	16,811	8,256	19,464	20,379	7.53	7.20	2,069	—	4,688	—
Jan. ..	1935 260,630	1936 287,831												
	Average number of Natives employed during year.													
	1934 253,259	1935 275,278	156,497	85,496	174,979	94,297	224,367	242,075	7.38	7.33	17,626	—	27,201	—

Analysis of "Wastage" for the Years 1902 to 1935 inclusive.

Period.	Average Number Employed.	Taking Discharge.	Deserted and Sent to Gaol.	Died.	Total "Wastage."
1902 (11 months) ..	38,320	21,729	2,459	1,698	25,880
1903 ..	62,056	47,323	3,164	5,022	55,509
1904 ..	69,831	68,188	3,019	3,372	74,579
1905 ..	88,617	82,604	5,979	4,529	93,112
1906 ..	78,260	76,279	4,911	3,016	84,206
1907 ..	92,421	78,856	7,856	3,397	90,109
1908 ..	131,194	104,319	12,924	4,698	121,941
1909 ..	154,908	134,362	10,081	5,843	150,286
1910 ..	177,795	170,365	4,528	6,352	181,245
1911 ..	184,396	202,212	3,672	6,277	212,161
1912 ..	184,724	217,434	2,968	5,327	225,729
1913 ..	179,823	227,544	2,652	4,786	234,982
1914 ..	162,855	203,854	2,258	2,990	209,102
1915 ..	180,735	199,721	2,577	3,593	205,891
1916 ..	193,427	232,742	1,800	3,322	237,864
1917 ..	180,688	220,067	1,423	2,461	223,951
1918 ..	179,420	209,097	1,637	4,256	214,990
1919 ..	177,041	204,552	1,467	2,909	208,928
1920 ..	186,686	207,350	1,304	3,327	211,981
1921 ..	182,192	191,780	2,125	2,657	196,562
1922 ..	167,823	192,088	2,088	2,180	196,356
1923 ..	193,000	210,965	4,270	2,725	217,960
1924 ..	194,494	202,804	4,518	2,409	209,731
1925 ..	193,290	187,927	3,070	2,136	193,133
1926 ..	203,310	186,589	2,128	2,322	191,039
1927 ..	207,741	190,463	2,150	2,985	195,598
1928 ..	217,342	195,203	2,233	3,115	200,551
1929 ..	210,971	201,372	2,763	2,817	206,952
1930 ..	217,376	205,208	3,257	2,763	211,228
1931 ..	220,717	213,179	2,932	2,578	218,689
1932 ..	224,531	196,858	1,807	2,244	200,909
1933 ..	235,640	199,118	1,391	2,175	202,684
1934 ..	253,259	218,982	2,643	2,742	224,367
1935 ..	275,278	236,635	2,742	2,698	242,075

B.

Witwatersrand Native Labour Association, Limited.

NATIVES RECEIVED DURING THE YEARS 1901 TO 1935, INCLUSIVE.

MONTH.	BRITISH SOUTH AFRICA.						BRITISH CENTRAL AFRICA.	PORTUGUESE EAST AFRICA.		SUNDRY SOURCES.	Non-Recruited "Locals" and "From Territories."	Total.	NATIVES RECRUITED INDEPENDENTLY OF THE W.N.L.A. (INCLUDING N.R.C. RECRUITS).							Total.		
	Transvaal Province.	Swaziland.	Bechuanaland.	Cape of Good Hope Province.	Basutoland and Orange Free State Province.	Rhodesia.		East Coast South of Lat. 22° South.	Portuguese Tropical Areas.				Transvaal Province.	Swaziland.	Bechuanaland.	Cape of Good Hope Province.	Basutoland and Orange Free State Province.	Natal Province.	Rhodesia.		South-West Africa.	
1935																						
January	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,974	—	—	—	8,460	13,434	577	559	619	5,897	1,734	60	—	—	—	9,446
February	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,324	—	—	—	8,982	12,306	467	377	312	2,465	814	36	—	—	—	4,471
March	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,735	—	—	—	10,668	14,403	534	399	385	4,763	1,064	28	—	—	—	7,173
April	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,983	—	—	—	10,077	14,060	523	387	611	5,857	1,828	62	—	—	—	9,268
May	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,137	—	—	—	10,495	14,632	381	475	624	5,249	1,411	55	—	—	—	8,195
June	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,521	—	—	—	9,836	14,357	264	497	584	5,153	1,342	47	—	—	—	7,887
July	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,796	—	—	—	10,638	15,434	245	470	439	5,303	1,132	83	—	—	—	7,672
August	—	—	—	—	—	—	4,224	—	—	—	10,664	14,888	195	418	378	5,695	1,223	63	—	—	—	7,972
September	—	—	—	—	—	—	3,677	—	—	—	10,212	13,970	250	690	466	5,203	1,463	69	—	—	—	8,141
October	—	—	—	—	—	—	114	—	—	—	11,116	15,418	245	729	613	5,030	2,166	73	—	—	—	8,856
November	—	—	—	—	—	—	50	—	—	—	9,508	15,907	269	671	787	4,306	1,861	106	—	—	—	8,000
December	—	—	—	—	—	—	56	—	—	—	9,638	16,371	239	890	795	4,528	1,695	107	—	—	—	8,254
Totals for																						
1935	—	—	—	—	—	—	301	—	—	—	120,294	175,180	4,189	6,562	6,613	59,449	17,733	789	—	—	—	95,335
1934	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	107,411	156,566	4,468	6,063	5,950	54,742	14,447	976	—	—	—	86,646
1933	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	100,250	138,708	5,595	5,477	4,306	48,871	13,647	1,438	—	—	—	79,334
1932	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	102,448	138,154	5,041	5,158	4,062	43,242	13,657	1,027	—	—	—	72,187
1931	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	105,761	155,778	7,419	5,180	3,839	35,710	14,831	1,175	—	—	—	67,654
1930	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	96,563	147,245	8,123	5,268	5,601	42,478	20,403	1,774	—	—	—	63,125
1929	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	89,652	136,779	5,505	4,244	3,264	32,865	15,652	1,595	—	—	—	59,834
1928	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	92,054	140,673	5,829	4,088	2,236	32,682	13,823	1,176	—	—	—	60,237
1927	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	89,972	150,417	7,521	4,122	1,788	31,418	14,254	834	—	—	—	66,531
1926	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	105,870	137,340	2,749	4,684	2,429	29,926	21,358	885	—	—	—	46,273
1925	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	107,995	141,679	2,741	5,095	1,460	26,407	9,953	617	—	—	—	66,755
1924	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	113,403	144,990	4,398	4,860	2,935	36,607	17,033	922	—	—	—	76,606
1923	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	106,230	151,496	4,521	5,026	2,736	48,048	15,280	992	3	—	—	92,332
1922	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	67,782	103,740	4,586	5,844	3,508	59,958	17,465	963	8	—	—	89,282
1921	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	83,724	129,266	3,220	4,117	3,193	51,310	26,383	1,039	20	—	—	67,913
1920	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	90,744	144,394	2,754	2,469	1,540	43,350	16,887	928	5	—	—	80,624
1919	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	110,532	153,180	4,834	4,214	2,005	51,508	16,163	1,896	4	—	—	62,658
1918	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	100,951	138,447	4,033	4,433	1,917	34,761	14,777	2,718	19	—	—	76,215
1917	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	95,932	137,415	5,977	3,491	2,328	45,731	15,380	3,239	69	—	—	87,397
1916	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	100,115	147,644	9,160	4,511	3,023	54,653	11,616	4,405	29	—	—	119,059
1915	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	85,006	133,591	12,000	4,836	5,898	69,201	19,867	7,106	151	—	—	567,402
1901-1914	84,104	442	7,970	49,333	10,543	6,367	12,295	512,535	88,845	9,296	599,180	1,380,910	55,717	21,776	19,967	320,683	88,414	55,580	5,139	126	—	2,167,046
Grand Totals	84,104	442	9,085	49,333	10,543	7,464	12,596	1,439,415	88,845	9,296	2,672,469	4,383,592	175,160	121,518	90,098	1,253,600	429,023	92,074	5,447	126	—	2,167,046

C.

Witwatersrand Native Labour Association, Limited.

TERRITORIAL ANALYSIS OF NATIVES EMPLOYED BY MEMBERS AND CONTRACTORS AS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1935.

PLACE OF ORIGIN.	Number Employed.	Percentage of Total.
Cape Province	117,820	40·46
Natal and Zululand	14,140	4·86
Orange Free State	3,068	1·05
Transvaal	23,830	8·18
Basutoland	37,882	13·01
Bechuanaland	7,406	2·54
Swaziland	7,469	2·56
East Coast	78,834	27·07
TROPICALS—		
Bechuana	80	·03
British Nyasaland Protectorate ...	291	·10
Southern Rhodesia	109	·04
Sundry	281	·10
	291,210	100·00

D.

Witwatersrand Native Labour Association, Limited.

Territorial Analysis of Non-Recruited Natives ("Locals" and "From Territories") engaged by Members during the Years 1905 to 1935 inclusive.

1935	Portuguese Territory.		Transvaal Province.	Swaziland.	Bechuanaland.	Cape of Good Hope Province.	Basutoland and Orange Free State Province.	Natal Province.	Others.	S.W. Africa.	Totals for 1935.	Totals for 1934.	Totals for 1933.	Totals for 1932.	Totals for 1931.	Totals for 1930.	Totals for 1929.	Totals for 1928.	Totals for 1927.	Totals for 1926.	Totals for 1925.	Totals for 1924.	Totals for 1923.	Totals for 1922.	Totals for 1921.	Totals for 1920.	Totals for 1919.	Totals for 1905/1918	
	South of Lat. 22° S.	North of Lat. 22° S.																											
January ..	318	—	1,446	139	13	3,781	1,882	843	38	—	8,460	8,466	7,090	9,524	9,434	9,041	9,111	8,643	9,260	11,057	12,038	10,221	13,952	1,831	7,186	9,892	10,767	68,041	
February ..	228	—	1,785	130	28	4,736	1,196	859	19	—	8,981	9,057	9,311	9,222	9,669	9,687	9,533	9,932	9,660	12,132	10,617	9,032	9,898	1,219	7,563	10,686	14,193	95,425	
March ..	351	—	1,928	116	16	5,738	1,429	1,076	14	—	10,668	9,276	9,033	8,515	8,760	8,558	9,441	9,333	8,762	10,623	9,219	7,896	7,888	2,092	7,378	8,609	12,434	99,181	
April ..	359	—	1,376	78	16	5,743	1,489	994	21	—	10,076	8,990	7,755	8,474	7,292	8,505	8,469	7,633	7,182	9,319	7,973	9,249	7,923	7,605	6,561	7,245	9,448	85,948	
May ..	421	—	1,539	110	24	5,689	1,552	1,143	17	—	10,495	9,273	8,292	8,693	7,752	7,730	7,909	7,709	6,721	8,562	8,198	9,810	8,517	11,795	6,826	7,186	7,962	76,790	
June ..	470	—	1,296	128	7	5,453	1,432	1,034	16	—	9,836	9,076	8,268	8,164	7,951	6,894	6,734	7,170	6,632	8,407	7,670	9,448	7,909	8,090	6,494	7,310	7,529	73,029	
July ..	378	—	1,391	120	23	5,517	2,024	1,168	17	—	10,638	8,300	7,186	8,192	9,034	7,663	6,496	6,877	6,075	8,591	8,254	9,444	9,032	4,909	6,105	5,783	7,621	68,751	
August ..	333	—	1,286	102	22	5,803	1,812	1,294	12	—	10,664	9,472	9,400	7,953	9,611	7,856	6,708	7,458	7,786	8,872	9,296	10,123	9,296	10,123	9,770	4,232	7,536	7,826	77,119
September ..	357	—	1,374	67	31	5,646	1,604	1,125	8	—	10,212	9,495	8,191	7,898	9,679	8,258	6,874	7,194	7,700	9,116	10,270	10,875	9,984	8,402	6,075	7,725	7,199	9,291	75,092
October ..	357	—	1,466	110	19	5,673	2,196	1,294	1	—	11,116	10,098	9,155	9,275	9,885	8,360	6,668	7,145	6,763	6,593	9,709	9,984	8,440	7,376	7,433	6,765	6,365	7,420	64,693
November ..	405	—	1,371	98	10	4,217	2,273	1,122	12	—	9,508	8,784	8,829	8,576	8,199	6,904	5,766	6,626	7,274	6,151	7,298	8,440	7,376	7,433	6,765	6,365	7,420	64,693	
December ..	408	—	1,230	117	10	4,105	2,684	1,079	5	—	9,638	7,123	7,740	7,962	8,494	7,105	5,939	6,332	6,144	6,421	7,317	8,836	6,816	7,630	5,905	5,725	7,231	73,033	
Totals for 1935	4,385	—	17,488	1,315	219	62,101	21,573	13,031	180	—	120,292	107,410	100,250	102,448	105,760	96,561	89,648	92,052	89,959	105,844	107,859	113,358	106,230	67,782	83,724	90,744	110,532	935,033	
" Local "	—	—	970	15	23	596	907	196	37	—	2,744	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
" Mines "	2,944	—	2,314	69	79	4,877	4,752	547	60	—	15,642	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
" New "	1,441	—	14,204	1,231	117	56,628	15,914	12,288	83	—	101,906	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Totals for	1935	4,385	—	17,488	1,315	219	62,101	21,573	13,031	180	—	120,292	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1934	3,672	—	15,243	1,362	276	57,682	18,569	128	—	—	107,410	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1933	2,937	3	15,217	975	506	53,818	8,788	23	—	—	100,250	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1932	3,421	2	14,969	995	759	53,956	19,135	29	—	—	—	102,448	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1931	4,058	1	13,345	1,324	930	56,724	20,479	56	—	—	—	—	105,760	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1930	5,574	—	12,051	1,164	910	56,318	15,527	163	—	—	—	—	—	96,561	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1929	13,700	—	11,732	1,015	740	46,672	11,150	200	—	—	—	—	—	—	89,648	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1928	17,472	1	14,809	858	625	46,487	7,894	305	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	92,052	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1927	15,308	—	17,803	972	593	43,942	7,230	267	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	89,959	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1926	22,849	13	17,852	1,157	964	49,669	8,458	482	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	105,844	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1925	27,261	16	18,709	1,301	935	48,546	6,651	436	4	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	107,859	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1924	28,864	8	17,447	1,261	958	55,695	9,413	233	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	113,358	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1923	26,057	27	17,262	1,441	1,088	48,406	7,521	362	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	106,230	—	—	—	—	—	—
"	1922	17,939	16	9,300	611	900	30,270	5,753	485	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	67,782	—	—	—	—	—
"	1921	20,205	33	9,542	1,071	787	41,733	5,178	450	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	83,724	—	—	—	—
"	1920	22,684	36	8,432	1,059	836	47,893	5,174	462	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	90,744	—	—	—
"	1919	21,928	56	13,148	1,287	1,001	59,448	6,106	459	7	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	110,532	—	—
"	1905-18	198,638	12,010	167,312	15,244	12,610	347,496	64,633	105,965	9,624	1,501	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	935,033

SUMMARY :

	1935	1934	1933	1932	1931	1930	1929	1928	1927	1926	1925	1924	1923	1922	1921	1920	1919	1905-18
" Local " (i.e., Natives transferring from other employ to that of mines)	2,744	2,073	1,674	2,373	4,506	5,174	4,434	4,288	4,569	4,486	4,907	4,839	4,855	4,975	5,003	4,849	6,531	160,728
" Mine " (i.e., Natives transferring from one mine to another)	15,642	11,206	8,125	11,568	21,546	21,923	28,967	30,376	26,702	27,083	26,731	30,875	34,006	21,589	26,500	26,629	33,218	248,912
" New " (i.e., Natives obtaining employment on travelling passes from their homes)	101,906	94,131	90,451	88,507	79,708	69,464	56,247	57,388	58,688	74,275	76,221	77,644	67,369	41,218	52,221	59,266	70,783	525,393
	120,292	107,410	100,250	102,448	105,760	96,561	89,648	92,052	89,959	105,844	107,859	113,358	106,230	67,782	83,724	90,744	110,532	935,033

F.

Witwatersrand Native Labour Association, Limited.

NATIVES EMPLOYED BY MEMBERS AND CONTRACTORS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1935.

GROUP AND COMPANY.	Natives employed at 31st Dec., 1935.		Total.
	By Company.	By Contractors.	
ANGLO AMERICAN CORPORATION—			
Brakpan Mines	9,957	—	9,957
Daggafontein Mines	9,786	170	9,956
S.A. Land and Exploration Company	—	—	—
Springs Mines	9,507	—	9,507
West Springs	5,585	—	5,585
	34,835	170	35,005
CENTRAL MINING-RAND MINES—			
City Deep	8,486	—	8,486
Consolidated Main Reef	9,879	—	9,879
Crown Mines	24,247	313	24,560
Durban Roodepoort Deep	6,637	—	6,637
East Rand Proprietary Mines	15,861	170	16,031
Ferreira Estate Co.	5	—	5
Geldenhuis Deep	5,902	130	6,032
Modderfontein B.	4,515	88	4,603
Modderfontein East	6,148	39	6,187
New Modderfontein	9,628	134	9,762
Nourse Mines	6,660	84	6,744
Rietfontein (No. 11)	165	—	165
Rose Deep	5,323	—	5,323
Village Deep	—	—	—
	103,456	958	104,414
GENERAL MINING AND FINANCE—			
Van Ryn Estate	3,513	201	3,714
West Rand Consolidated	8,608	113	8,721
	12,121	314	12,435
JOHANNESBURG CONSOLIDATED INVESTMENT CO.—			
Government G.M. Areas	14,623	—	14,623
Langlaagte Estate	7,112	—	7,112
New State Areas	7,797	—	7,797
Randfontein Estates	23,817	632	24,449
Van Ryn Deep	7,087	122	7,209
Witwatersrand	6,219	179	6,398
	66,655	933	67,588
NEW CONSOLIDATED GOLD FIELDS—			
Robinson Deep	7,059	116	7,175
Simmer and Jack	8,859	228	9,087
Sub Nigel	7,756	31	7,787
Venterspost	966	—	966
Vlakfontein	660	—	660
Vogelstruisbult	1,050	—	1,050
	26,350	375	26,725

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GROUP AND COMPANY.	Natives employed at 31st Dec., 1935.		Total.
	By Company.	By Contractors.	
UNION CORPORATION—			
East Geduld	7,019	129	7,148
Geduld Proprietary	4,336	64	4,400
Grootvlei Proprietary	—	—	—
Marievale Consolidated	67	—	67
Modderfontein Deep	2,419	129	2,548
Van Dyk Consolidated	886	235	1,121
	14,727	557	15,284
SUNDRY COMPANIES—			
Luipaards Vlei	3,945	72	4,017
New Kleinfontein	5,254	—	5,254
Palmietkuil	591	—	591
Welgedacht	566	—	566
Witwatersrand Deep	4,808	—	4,808
	15,164	72	15,236
COLLIERIES—			
Albion	254	—	254
Apex	334	—	334
Bellevue	294	—	294
Black Diamond	276	—	276
Clydesdale (Blackhill)... ..	559	—	559
Clydesdale (Coalbrook)	315	—	315
Cons. Collieries	773	—	773
Cornelia	1,958	—	1,958
Coronation	634	—	634
Douglas	353	—	353
Kendal	259	—	259
Largo	1,027	—	1,027
Middelburg Steam	494	—	494
Minnaar	218	—	218
New Springs	87	—	87
Oogies	9	—	9
Schoongezicht	668	—	668
South African Coal Estates (Landau)	600	—	600
South African Coal Estates (Navigation)	582	—	582
South Rand Exploration	363	—	363
Springfield	406	—	406
Transvaal and Delagoa Bay	722	—	722
Tweefontein	1,368	—	1,368
Union	236	—	236
Witbank	1,228	—	1,228
	14,017	—	14,017
OTHER MINES—			
Afrikander Lease	506	—	506

SUMMARY.

GROUP AND COMPANY.	Natives employed at 31st Dec. 1935.		Total.
	By Company.	By Contractors.	
Anglo American Corporation	34,835	170	35,005
Central Mining-Rand Mines	103,456	958	104,414
General Mining and Finance	12,121	314	12,435
Johannesburg Consolidated Investment Co.	66,655	933	67,588
New Consolidated Gold Fields	26,350	375	26,725
Union Corporation	14,727	557	15,284
Sundry Companies	15,164	72	15,236
Witwatersrand Gold Mines	273,308	3,379	276,687
Collieries	14,017	—	14,017
Afrikander Lease	506	—	506
TOTAL, 1935	287,831	3,379	291,210
TOTAL, 1934	260,630	4,873	265,503

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MORTALITY RETURNS, 1935.

W.N.L.A. HOSPITAL—JOHANNESBURG.

Recruits and Natives Returned by Mines before Working.

CAUSE OF DEATH.	EAST COAST.	B.S.A.	TROPICAL.	TOTAL.
Acute Nephritis	—	—	1	1
Broncho-Pneumonia	11	4	—	15
Lobar Pneumonia	16	8	—	24
Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis	11	5	—	16
General Peritonitis	—	2	—	2
Miliary Tuberculosis	—	1	—	1
Pernicious Anaemia	—	1	—	1
Pneumococcal Meningitis	1	—	—	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	2	2	—	4
Pulmonary Tuberculosis and Silicosis	1	—	—	1
Typhus	—	1	—	1
TOTALS	42	24	1	67

NATIVES RETURNED BY MINES FOR REPATRIATION.

CAUSE OF DEATH.	E.C.	C.C.	Bas.	Tvl.	Swazi.	Zulu.	Bech.	Total.
Abdominal Tuberculosis	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Abdominal Tuberculosis and Empyema	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Abdominal Tuberculosis and Pericarditis	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Abscess of Liver and Dysentery	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Broncho-Pneumonia	5	—	—	—	—	—	—	5
Lobar Pneumonia	12	2	1	1	—	—	2	18
Carcinoma of Liver	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Cerebral Haemorrhage	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Cerebro-Spinal Meningitis	2	—	1	—	—	—	—	3
Chronic Nephritis	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	3
Diabetes Mellitus	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Enteric Fever	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
Fractured Skull and Lacerated Brain	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1
Gangrene of Lung	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1
Gastro-Enteritis	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1
General Peritonitis and Dysentery	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
General Tuberculosis	2	1	7	2	—	2	1	15
Haemothorax	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Miliary Tuberculosis	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	1
Nephritis and Pericardial Effusion	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Natural Causes (not ascertained <i>post-mortem</i>)	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	1
Pleurisy with Effusion	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Pneumococcal Meningitis	1	—	—	—	—	—	—	1
Pulmonary Tuberculosis	4	8	9	1	1	1	1	25
Pulmonary Tuberculosis and Silicosis	2	4	—	—	1	—	—	7
Pericarditis	1	1	1	—	—	—	—	3
Tubercular Peritonitis	—	2	1	—	—	—	—	3
Valvular Heart Disease	—	1	—	—	—	—	1	2
TOTALS	35	28	24	4	2	3	6	102

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LIST OF MEMBERS AT 31st DECEMBER, 1935.

Afrikander Lease, Ltd.
Albion Collieries, Ltd.
Apex Mines, Ltd.

Bellevue Colliery Co., Ltd.
Black Diamond Colliery, Ltd.
Brakpan Mines, Ltd.

City Deep, Ltd.
Clydesdale (Transvaal) Collieries, Ltd.
Consolidated Collieries, Ltd.
Consolidated Main Reef Mines and Estate, Ltd.
Coronation Collieries, Ltd.
Crown Mines, Ltd.

Daggafontein Mines, Ltd.
Douglas Colliery, Ltd.
Durban Roodepoort Deep, Ltd.

East Geduld Mines, Ltd.
East Rand Proprietary Mines, Ltd.

Ferreira Estate Co., Ltd.

Geduld Proprietary Mines, Ltd.
Geldenhuis Deep, Ltd.
Government Gold Mining Areas (Modderfontein)
Cons., Ltd.
Grootvlei Proprietary Mines, Ltd.

Kendal Colliery Co.

Langlaagte Estate and G.M. Co., Ltd.
Largo Colliery Co., Ltd.
Luipaardsvlei Estate and G.M. Co., Ltd.

Marievale Consolidated Mines, Ltd.
Middelburg Steam Coal and Coke Co., Ltd.
Minnaar (Witbank) Colliery, Ltd.
Modderfontein B Gold Mines, Ltd.
Modderfontein Deep Levels, Ltd.
Modderfontein East, Ltd.

New Kleinfontein Co., Ltd.
New Modderfontein G.M. Co., Ltd.
New Springs Colliery, Ltd.
New State Areas, Ltd.
Nourse Mines, Ltd.

Palmietkuil G.M. Co., Ltd.

Randfontein Estates G.M. Co., Witwatersrand, Ltd.
Rietfontein (No. 11) Gold Mines, Ltd.
Robinson Deep, Ltd.
Rose Deep, Ltd.

Schoongezicht Collieries (Witbank), Ltd.
Simmer and Jack Mines, Ltd.
South African Coal Estates (Witbank), Ltd.
South African Land and Exploration Co., Ltd.
South Rand Exploration Co., Ltd.
Springfield Collieries, Ltd.
Springs Mines, Ltd.
Station Colliery, Ltd.
Sub Nigel, Ltd.

Transvaal and Delagoa Bay Collieries.
Tweefontein United Collieries, Ltd.

Union Collieries, Ltd.

Van Dyk Consolidated Mines, Ltd.
Van Ryn Deep, Ltd.
Van Ryn Gold Mines Estate, Ltd.
Venterspost Gold Mining Co., Ltd.
Vereeniging Estates, Ltd.
Village Deep, Ltd.
Vlakfontein G.M. Co., Ltd.
Vogelstruisbult Gold Mining Areas, Ltd.

Welgedacht Exploration Co., Ltd.
West Rand Consolidated Mines, Ltd.
West Springs, Ltd.
Witbank Colliery, Ltd.
Witwatersrand Deep, Ltd.
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