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April 1st, 1943.

Mrs. P. Sabula,
104, End Street,
Johannesburg.

Dear Sir

Re: A.N.C. Membership Cards.

On December 2nd, 1942, I received 50 cards from the President-General of the A.N.C.

1. So far I have enrolled 21 members.

I am hoping to enrol enough to form a branch in a week's time when office-bearers will be elected.

So kindly give me a chance until the 7th. when I shall send names and cash.

2. I have still got 29 cards in my possession which I hope to dispose of in a short time from now. I only had the first chance to address a Public meeting on Congress last week.

We shall try to send a delegate to the Provincial Conference if we can get 3 more members for I shall then be the 25th. member. I do not count my card as it is not one of the 50 I got from the Doctor.

Yours Sincerely,
Jas. J. Maditjaphwa.

A.N.C. - African Charter

1st April, 1943.

Paramount Chief Tshekedi,
P.O. SEROWE, Bechuanaland.

My dear Paramount Chief and Friend,

re: AFRICANS OWN CHARTER COMMITTEE.

I am enclosing, herewith, a document which calls upon our people's representatives to state their disabilities and therefrom to frame their Bill of Rights in keeping with expressions of leaders of the Allied Nations in the expressions of their war aims.

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With best regards,

I am,

Yours sincerely,

PRESIDENT-GENERAL.

ABX/pd.

1st April,

43.

Paramount Chief Sobhuza II,
Komkulu,
Private Bag,
MBABANE, Swaziland.

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1st April, 1943

Paramount Chief Mshiyeni ka Dinizulu,
Ndhlunkulu,
P.O. MAHASHINI,
Zululand.

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ABX/pd.

1st April,

3.

Mr. Khiba,
Zeerust Council of Chiefs,
C/O The Native Commissioner,
ZEERUST, T.

Dear Sir,

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PRESIDENT-GENERAL.

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1st April,

3.

Solomon Sidzumo Esq.,
Rustenburg Council of Chiefs,
C/O Native Commissioner,
RUSTENBURG, T.

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PRESIDENT-GENERAL.

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1st April,

3.

Samuel Thema Esq.,
Pietersburg Council of Chiefs,
PIETERSBURG.

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Borichko Parsonage,
B' Location
Kroonsstad, O.F.S.

April 1, 1943

Dear Sir,

I have received your letter
of the 22nd ult. with enclosures
on the subject of Post-War
Reconstruction and the Rights
of African people.

I am exceedingly glad that
this step has been taken in the
direction of preparing a Memo-
randum for presentation to the
Union Government and the United
Nations.

All things well I shall do
my best to ~~send~~ forward you my
suggestions. The subject assigned to
me & this is just that in which
I am more interested. Undischance
me.

With the warmest wishes for
the success of this move,
I am,

Yours sincerely
for habitation
Senior Chaplain
A. N. C.

P.S. -
You will be interested to know that
your letter came at the right time when
we are taking steps to receive Congress
in Kroonsstad.

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ABX.430403

3rd April, 1943.

Mr. C.S. Ramohano,
Secretary,
Transvaal African Congress,
140-6th Avenue,
Alexandra Township,
near Johannesburg.

Dear Sir,

As you will remember, because of my desire for a united Congress in the Transvaal, I took upon myself, as President-General, to approach Mr. Ntshundisane. Afterwards, I invited your Executive to meet me with this group at the Bantu Men's Social Centre. As a result of that conference, I agreed that Mr. Maloka go to Pretoria and meet the group on my behalf, as even Mr. Ntshundisane felt Mr. Maloka would be welcome. I, however, have had no report.

It would be improper for my Executive and me to attend your emergency meeting as you may have occasion to discuss matters that must of necessity come to us for settlement. All my Executive wishes is a settlement, so that we hope your Executive will freely and frankly discuss the position and report their decision as to what we may do in the circumstance or ask for our advice and action to break the impass.

Yours faithfully,

PRESIDENT-GENERAL.

ABX/pd.

ABX. 430405a

PROVINCE OF THE CAPE OF GOOD HOPE.

PROVINSIE DIE KAAP DIE GOEIE HOOP.

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC EDUCATION.

DEPARTEMENT VAN OPENBARE ONDERWYS.

A.H.C.

St. James Mission
Cradock

5 - 4 - 43

Dear Sister,

I hasten to reply to your letter of the 30th ult. received to day to say that my wife and I are very grateful to you for all you have done for Ntshahle May Elizabeth; and hope that you will continue to attend to her until she is completely well. I shall write to Sister Theresa to say that you are willing to have her at Enderby, & ask her to allow her to go to your consulting room at other times.

The documents for Atlantic Charter I think it is well drawn and covers the nation splendidly. The address of the Cis-Kai Paramount Chief is H.R.H. Archie V. Sandile, Paramount Chief, Gaikao Village, Fort Murray, King's Town. The address of the Secretary for the Cis-Kai Chiefs' Convention is Mr. Ntshahle Zondeni, Porton, King's Town.

Re Transkeian Bishopric —

The African Priests' opinion is divided. There seems to be great

doubts with some of them of the advisability of appointing an African for a Diocesan Bishop whilst the whole work of the Church in the Transkei is controlled by European Priests.

There is great excitement on either side of the colour line and I am afraid the devil may stir in and spoil what should be left entirely to the Holy Spirit.

Six priests (some archdeacons + Deans) and one bishop are nominated.

Voting takes place on the 14th.

I shall be in Somerset East on the distant of Somerset East and will not know the results until the 19th unless some kind person wires. Perhaps they will be prevented by wireless, but I doubt it.

I am receiving letters from all over about this. Evidently the Africans outside the Transkei are unanimous in urging me to stand and accept if elected, but what about my health? Do you think it would do in the Transkei?

Yours for Africa
J. A. A. A.

ABX. 4304056

Union of South Africa.

Department of Native Affairs,

P.O. Box 384,

Pretoria.

5 - 4 - 1943.

Sir,

Resolution from the African National Congress.

With further reference to your letter of the 13th January, 1943, I beg to inform you that owing to the need for economy and Staff difficulties it is only possible for the Department to arrange for special journeys for the purpose of effecting payments of allotments to be undertaken once in every two months, but payees who so desire may call at the office of the relative Commissioner during the intervening months.

The matter of decentralised pay centres in Johannesburg is still receiving the attention of the Department.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

G. Mears.

for SECRETARY FOR NATIVE AFFAIRS.

The Secretary-General,

African National Congress,

P.O. Cape Province.

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DR. P. KA I. SEME,

B. A., LL. D.,

SOLICITOR, ETC.

(TRANSVAAL & SWAZILAND.)

(Phone 33-5590)

P.O. Box 7943

2 - 3. ROSENBERG ARCADE,

55, COMMISSIONER STREET,

Johannesburg.

TRANSVAAL.

5th April 1943.

President

Dr. A.B.Xuma, M.D., D.P.H., Etc
104 End Street,
Johannesburg.

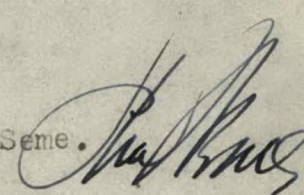
Dear Sir,

Greetings: I beg to enclose herein the copy of my letter to Dr. Dube. I decided not to proceed to Swaziland as I have a case to defend tomorrow in "A" Court. I will have to arrange to go there at the end of the week.

I will come over tuesday evening if our Mr. Baloi will fetch me at 8 p.m.

Yours faithfully,

P.kaI. Seme.



ABX-430405d
Social Welfare - General
5/4/1943

JOHANNESBURG SOCIAL SECURITY ACTION COMMITTEE

A MEETING OF THE JOHANNESBURG SOCIAL SECURITY ACTION COMMITTEE WILL BE HELD IN THE LARGE COMMITTEE ROOM, CITY HALL, JOHANNESBURG, ON MONDAY, 5th APRIL 1943 AT 2.30 P.M.

27th March 1943.

D.N. MURRAY
Hon. Secretary

A G E N D A

1. Confirmation of minutes of meeting held on 27th January 1943. (copy attached)
 2. Matters arising from the minutes.
 3. Co-option of new members.
 4. Consideration of Administrative Report. (copy attached)
 5. General.
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JOHANNESBURG SOCIAL SECURITY ACTION COMMITTEE

MINUTES OF THE FOURTH MEETING OF THE JOHANNESBURG SOCIAL SECURITY ACTION COMMITTEE, HELD IN THE MAYOR'S LUNCHEON ROOM, CITY HALL, JOHANNESBURG, ON MONDAY, 5th APRIL 1943 AT 2.30 P.M.

P R E S E N T

Hon. J.D.F. Briggs (Vice Chairman - in the Chair)
Rev. A.W. Blaxall
Mr. N.H. Clarke
Mr. E. Cohn
Mr. P. Leon
Clr. J. Mincer
Mrs. E. Norgarb
Clr. Mrs. E.M. Pemberton
Professor J. Phillips
Mr. J.R. Rathébe
Mrs. J.K. Robertson
Dr. J. Dexter Taylor
Mr. H.A. Thorne
Miss H. Troughton
Rev. Father Whelan
Mr. D.N. Murray (Honorary Secretary)

1A. LEAVE OF ABSENCE.

RESOLVED

That the following members be granted leave of absence from this meeting of the Committee:- Professor J.L. Gray, His Worship the Mayor, Sir George Albu, Mr. and Mrs. Ballinger, Messrs. G.W. Crowe, J. Hersov, J.D. Rheinallt Jones, C. Leon, J. Fleming Orr, Dr. Harvey Pirie, Rev. B. Sigamoney.

1. CONFIRMATION OF MINUTES.

RESOLVED

That the minutes of the meeting held on 27th January 1943 be taken as read and be confirmed.

2. MATTERS ARISING FROM THE MINUTES.

(a) Composition of Government Social Security Committee.

The Secretary read the reply which had been received from the Prime Minister's Secretary to the Committee's letter protesting that no woman and no Non-European had been selected as a member of the Committee recently appointed by the Government to investigate and report on social security. The reply pointed out that the Committee was one recommended by the Social and Economic Planning Council on which women were represented and stated that the Council evidently did not consider it necessary to include women and Non-Europeans on the Committee.

NOTED

3. CO-OPTION OF NEW MEMBERS.

The Secretary reported that Dr. A.T. Shrock had been compelled by pressure of work to resign from the Committee.

RESOLVED

That Mr. N.R. Clarke, Councillor J. Mincer, Dr. J. Reedman and Mr. P. Whiteley be co-opted to this Committee.

4. CONSIDERATION OF ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT.

Item 1. First Meeting of S.A. Social Security National Council.

NOTED

Item 2. Specialist Sub-Committees.

RESOLVED

(a) That the Executive Committee be asked to appoint a sub-committee, with power to co-opt, to formulate detailed Social Insurance proposals for submission to the S.A. Social Security National Council.

/(b)

- (b) That the Executive Committee also be asked to appoint small sub-committees, with power to co-opt, to draw up suggestions on the following subjects for forwarding by the National Council to the specialist sub-committees concerned in other towns:- Health Services; Social Services and Family Allowances; Rural Areas; Industry; Agriculture; Productivity and Distribution relating to Industry and Agriculture.

Item 3. Constitution.

The draft constitution was considered clause by clause, and it was

RESOLVED

That it be recommended to the National Council that the draft constitution be approved subject to the following amendments:-

2. That this clause be drafted in a positive form instead of its present negative form.
- 4.(e) That Constituency Action Committees be not laid down in the constitution, but that each Local Action Committee be left to form such sub-committees as is thought desirable.
- 4.A(i) That the words, "Further, the Council shall invite three additional Europeans to represent the interest of Non-Europeans" be deleted.
- 4.A(ii)(b) The addition of the following words to this clause: "After obtaining a majority vote of the Action Committees as a whole."
- 4.A(ii)(f) That the words "Elect its Chairman, Vice Chairman, Treasurer and Auditors" be amended to "Elect the Chairman, Vice Chairman, Treasurer and Auditors of the Council and the Association."
- 4.A(iii)(d) That the words "of whom at least five shall be representatives of one Province" be deleted.
- 4.A(iii)(h) That this clause be amended to read: "Each member, or alternate member, whose credentials are in order shall be entitled to vote on his own behalf and to exercise not more than one further vote on behalf of any absent member or members of the Council represented by him."
- 4.B(i) That this clause read: "The Executive shall be elected by the Council and shall consist of the Chairman and Vice Chairman of the Council and six other members of the Council, with power to co-opt a further four members who may not vote."
- 4.B(ii)(h)&(i) That the word "quarterly" be substituted for "monthly" in these clauses.
- 4.C(iii)(b) That the word "after" be changed to "prior to."
- 4.D(i) That the opening sentence read, "Local Action Committees shall be formed as far as possible in every city" &c, and that the third paragraph read, "Any other members whom the Committee may wish to co-opt in view of their expert knowledge or usefulness to the Association."
- 4.D(ii)(d) That "Raise funds" be amended to "To raise and disburse funds under the direction of the National Executive."
- 4.D(ii)(g) That the word "monthly" be changed to "quarterly."
- 4.D(ii)(h)-(k) That these sections be amended as follows:-
 "It shall be the further duty of the Action Committee Executive in Johannesburg, Cape Town, Durban and Bloemfontein, (hereinafter known as the Provincial Central Executives):-
 1. To receive nominations for each incoming National Council.
 2. To select at least twenty candidates whose names, together with credentials of suitability,

/shall

shall be submitted to the Provincial Electorate Committee for the selection of:-

eight National Council members

eight Alternate National Council members.

3. To prepare the list of such candidates at least fourteen days before the meeting of the Provincial Electorate Committee. It shall be a further duty of this Executive to ascertain whether the nominees are able and willing to serve on the National Council.
4. Elect such member or members to the Provincial Electorate Committee and forward the name/s of such member/s to the National Executive.
- 4.D(iii) That a clause (c) be inserted: "The Local Action Committee shall convene a meeting of members of the local branch at least once each twelve months and submit an annual report and statement of accounts to such meeting."
- 4.E(ii)(c) That this clause read: "Assist in carrying out the objects 3. A, B and C."

Item 4. Organisation.

Rev. A.W. Blaxall said that in his opinion it should not be the aim of the Association to establish an Action Committee in each Parliamentary constituency but it should be left to the Local Action Committees to form such sub-committees as was thought desirable.

RESOLVED

That the Executive Committee be authorised to proceed with the formation of such sub-committees as it considered desirable and to enrol members.

Item 5. Function to be held by Mayor.

The Secretary pointed out that the date of the cocktail party to be given by the Mayor had been changed to 29th April 1943. A list of several hundred suggested guests had been given to the Mayor by the Finance Committee, and he would be glad to add to the list if members had any further names to suggest.

NOTED

Item 6. Finance.

Members expressed appreciation of the efforts of the Finance Committee in enabling an amount of £2,000 to be contributed to the national funds.

NOTED

Item 7. Work of Government Social Security Committee.

The Chairman said that the Government Social Security Committee would shortly report to the Government, and he thought that its report would be generally acceptable. It would be the work of the Action Committees to stir up public opinion to endorse this report and thus bring pressure on the Government to see that its recommendations were carried out.

NOTED

Item 8. Sending of Minutes and Agendas to Pretoria Action Committee.

RESOLVED

That copies of minutes and agendas of all meetings of this Committee and of its Executive be sent to the Pretoria Action Committee for its information.

Item 9. Social Security Proposals in Other Countries.

NOTED

5. GENERAL.

(a) Direct Representation of Non-Europeans on National Council.

On the motion of Dr. J. Dexter Taylor, it was

RESOLVED

That this Committee express to the National Council its opinion that in the constitution of the Council as well as in that of other Committees the principle of direct representation of Non-Europeans by Non-Europeans should be recognised.

(THE MEETING TERMINATED AT 5.5 P.M.)



Mr. A. B. Xuma,
85 Toby Street,
Sophiatown,
JOHANNESBURG.

ADMINISTRATIVE REPORT.

TO
EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE
OF

THE JOHANNESBURG SOCIAL SECURITY ACTION COMMITTEE.

1. APPOINTMENT OF SPECIALIST SUB-COMMITTEES.

(a) Social Security Sub-Committee.

At the meeting of the Social Security General Committee held on 5th. April, 1943, it was reported that the South African Social Security National Council had adopted the memorandum on Social Security for South Africa, which had previously been submitted to this Committee. Arising out of that memorandum the National Council had asked the Johannesburg Action Committee if it would draw up a more detailed report in regard to Social Insurances. The General Committee in considering this matter resolved that the Executive Committee be asked:

"to appoint a sub-committee, with power to co-opt, to formulate detailed Social Insurance proposals for submission to the South African Social Security National Council."

(b) Other Sub-Committees.

At the last meeting of the General Committee it was also pointed out that while the National Council had allocated specific Social Security subjects to each of the major Committees in the Union, it was desirous of obtaining the views of the major branches on each of the component parts of the Social Security program. In considering this matter, the Johannesburg General Committee resolved that the Executive Committee be asked:

"to appoint small sub-committees, with power to co-opt, to draw up suggestions on the following subjects for forwarding by the National Council to the specialist sub-committees concerned in other towns:- Health Services; Social Services and Family Allowances; Rural Areas; Industry; Agriculture; Productivity and Distribution relating to Industry and Agriculture."

THE INSTRUCTIONS OF THE COMMITTEE ARE REQUIRED.

2. CONSTITUTION.

The General Committee at the last meeting had under consideration the proposed constitution as drafted by the National Council. Various amendments were suggested to the constitution and these have been forwarded to the National Secretary. The constitution and the proposed amendments were circulated to all members with agenda and the committee report of the last meeting of the General Committee.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE COMMITTEE.

3. ORGANISATION.

The following report was submitted to the General Committee at its meeting on 5th. April, 1943:-

"In recent communications, the Secretary of the S.A. Social Security National Council has indicated the desire of the Executive of the Council that local Action Committees should organise along the following lines:-

- (i) Form local Action Committees in each Parliamentary constituency.
- (ii) Enrol members who would pay an annual subscription of at least one shilling and sign the following declaration:-

" I hereby / ...

"I hereby declare myself in favour of a system of National Social Security, embracing all the inhabitants of the Union, and I support the establishment of a Social Security Association for the extension of knowledge in connection with Social Security, in particular that system as outlined by the National Council. I further desire to be enrolled as a member of the aforesaid Association."

- (iii) Hold meetings in Parliamentary constituencies with the object of getting each local member of Parliament to agree to support the enactment of Social Security legislation."

The General Committee

RESOLVED

"That the Executive Committee be authorised to proceed with the formation of such sub-committees as it considered desirable and to enrol members."

4.

LETTER FROM THE NATIONAL SECRETARY.

The following letter has been received from the Secretary of the Social Security National Executive:-

"At a recent meeting of the Council it was decided to form an Association to which members of the public could be enrolled, providing they subscribe to the principles of Social Security and paying a small membership fee.

No doubt you have many interested people in your area who strongly support Social Security and who would like to feel that they belong to an Association of this kind. I am therefore sending you under separate cover, 500 enrolment cards, and I would ask you to contact the members of your Committee with the view of enrolling members as early as possible. As soon as the cards are signed and in our possession together with an amount covering the membership fees, Membership Cards will be issued from this office direct to the members who have enrolled.

By enrolling members in this way a great deal of interest will be aroused and the education of the public becomes a much easier matter. I would ask you therefore to organise your committee for a vigorous campaign.

I would also ask you in future to prepare a monthly report on the workings of your committee; i.e. the number of members enrolled and various items of interest, and to forward this to Durban in order that a detailed monthly report can be prepared for circulation to the Committees throughout the country."

As the question of enrolment of new members will have been dealt with under Item 3 (ii) above, it remains for the Committee to consider the question of the drafting of a brief monthly report setting out the operations of the Committee during the month, for forwarding to the National Secretary.

5.

THE SOCIAL SECURITY NEWSPAPER.

For some time the question of a Social Security newspaper has been under consideration both by the National Council and the Johannesburg Committees. The National Council has finally accepted the principle of publishing such a newspaper, principally with the view to educating the public in regard to this important matter.

At the request of the Pretoria Action Committee, the Johannesburg Finance Sub-Committee has considered the question of the best means of producing such a newspaper with a view to making recommendations to the National Executive.

The Finance Sub-Committee finally decided that it was advisable to ascertain whether a firm of advertising consultants would be prepared to obtain advertisements, print / ...

print and circulate the newspaper. On the recommendation of the Pretoria Committee the Finance Sub-Committee discussed the matter with the Press Advertising Company and the following communication has now been received from the Press Advertising Company:-

"We have pleasure in enclosing herein a rough draft which constitutes the basis on which we are willing to undertake the advertising for "Social Security".

We are also enclosing a brief draft pertaining to circulation, together with estimates for your guidance.

When all the terms have been agreed upon, we would suggest that they all be incorporated in one agreement".

DRAFT OF TERMS TO BE INCORPORATED IN ADVERTISING CONTRACT

1.

You will appoint us your sole and exclusive agents for the procuring and canvassing of advertisements for your publication "Social Security".

2.

You shall provide us with a letter, and as many copies thereof as we may require for the purposes of canvassing, setting out the aims and objects of your association and the purposes for which the magazine is being published.

3.

We shall be entitled to employ sub-agents and canvassers whose remuneration shall be fixed by us entirely at our discretion. No obligation will devolve upon you in respect of such sub-agents or canvassers who will look to us solely for their remuneration.

You are to pay us a commission of Thirty-three and one third per cent on the amounts of all advertising contracts, no matter whether these contracts were procured by us or by yourselves or sent direct by advertisers to yourselves.

5.

In the event of a commission having to be paid to any newspaper press agency or advertising agency the commission of Thirty-three and one third per cent payable to us shall be calculated on the nett amount of the advertising contract, that is to say on the balance of the contract amount after deduction of the 15%.

6.

Our appointments as sole and exclusive advertising agents shall be for the period of the life of the magazine or any successor thereto, subject to our providing the magazine with 300 single column inches of advertising for each issue of the said publication.

7.

We are to be paid a commission of Thirty-three and one third per cent on all renewals of advertising contracts and other on all advertising contracts obtained from advertisers from whom the original advertising contracts were obtained by us. This commission on renewals and on subsequent advertising contracts shall be paid to us even if we cease to be your advertising agents.

8.

All advertising shall be sold at a minimum rate of £1.1.0 per single column inch, although it is anticipated that a charge of £2. 0. 0 for 1½ inches will be made.

9.

You shall only be liable to pay commission to us on advertising contracts if we procure at least 300 inches of advertising. Subject to the above proviso commission shall accrue to us immediately on the procuring of advertising contracts and shall be completed on the whole amount of the advertising contracts. For the purpose of convenience, however, we are prepared to accept payment of the commission in the following manner:- One twelfth on the first issue of the publication and thereafter one twelfth in each succeeding month.

10.

In view of the fact that Messrs. Alex White & Co. (Pty) Limited are to collect all advertising revenue on your behalf you are to authorise them to pay us the commission in the manner stipulated in the last paragraph hereof, and your authority to Messrs. Alex White & Co. (Pty) Limited shall have the effect of an irrevocable power of attorney.

DRAFT OF TERMS TO BE INCORPORATED IN "SOCIAL SECURITY" CIRCULATION AGREEMENT.

We will undertake a campaign throughout the Union in an endeavour to dispose of not more than 16,000 subscriptions, subject to the following conditions:-

1.

We are appointed your sole and exclusive selling agents for a period of twelve months.

2.

Our remuneration shall be forty per cent (40%) on the gross of all moneys received.

3.

We shall be permitted to open a banking account in the name of the paper and have your authority to endorse and bank all cheques, postal or money orders obtained in respect of circulation and made out in the names of either the publication or your association. We shall also have your authority to draw cheques on the said bank account.

4.

The right or renewal of any subscriptions introduced by us is vested in us for all time on the same terms as outlined in clause 2 above.

5.

Separate books will be kept for the circulation campaign and these books including bank books will be open to inspection by your Committee at all times.

6.

The addressing of wrappers, wrapping, mailing and despatching, including postage, of all subscribers' papers will be undertaken by us at a nett cost of £4.3.4. per thousand, such moneys to be a debit on the Circulation Account.

7.

On publication of each monthly issue of "Social Security" a statement of account will be prepared by us and forwarded to you within seven days, together with whatever profit has accrued to your Association for that issue.

8.

It is understood that the right to trade as official advertising contractors and/or sales agents for "Social Security" is granted to us, and that this may at our discretion be displayed on our offices

throughout / ...

throughout the Union, or published at our discretion, after written approval has been obtained from your Association, in any manner which may be deemed to be to our mutual advantage.

"SOCIAL SECURITY"

C I R C U L A T I O N.

On an estimated 20,000 issue we shall endeavour to sell an amount not exceeding 16,000 subscriptions.

The success of our campaign, apart from our diligent endeavours, depends to a great extent upon:

- (a) The popularity and growth of your movement;
- (b) The capabilities of your editor.

16,000 subscriptions @ 12/6£10,000

LESS:

16,000 x 6d. for postage£400

Addressing, wrapping and
wrappers @ £2.1.8 per thousand 400

Our commission (40% on £10,0004000 4,800

Balance available to S.A. Social
Security Association £5,200.

"SOCIAL SECURITY"

PRINTING AND ADVERTISING ESTIMATE.

By 20 columns, i.e. 300 inches sold
@ £2.0.0. per 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ inch £480

To 20,000 "Social Security" newspapers,
being 8 pages all printed, measuring
17" x 11" wide, set in 5 columns 8
point£200

To Advertising commission @ 33 $\frac{1}{3}$ % on
£480 160 360

By Balance, being profit available
to S.A. Social Security Association £120

DRAFT OF TERMS TO BE INCORPORATED IN PRINTERS' AGREEMENT.

1.
All advertising revenue shall be paid to us and we have your authority to endorse for collection and to collect all cheques, bills of exchange, promissory notes, postal orders or other forms of money made or issued in respect of advertising contracts.

2.
We will keep separate books recording all receipts and payments, debits, charges, etc., which books will be open to your auditors for inspection at all convenient times.

3.
We will make a charge of 3% on the gross advertising revenue for handling accounting, bookkeeping and supervision.

4.
We will print and deliver to your offices 20,000 copies of "Social Security" size 17 inches by 11 inches wide, 8 pages. / ...

8 pages all printed and set in 5 columns 8 point, at a cost of £200 which shall constitute a first charge on the revenue from advertisements which we shall be collecting on your behalf, plus the cost of blocks used by you in an editorial capacity in any issue. If the number of books or pages is increased, or any other substantial alteration made to the publication, the additional price is to be as per the Master Printers' Association Costing System.

5.

Three months after the first publication, we will render to you an account in respect of the first publication and monthly thereafter in respect of subsequent publications. These accounts shall reflect the total advertising revenue, the cost of printing, advertising commission, accounting, etc. and other charges and disbursements and we will pay to you for each account, the nett surplus if any, on the issue concerned you being responsible to pay to us the deficit if any, so that in the event of the advertising revenue not being sufficient to cover the outgoings stipulated you will be responsible to us.

6.

The magazine is to be the official organ of the S.A. Social Security Association and is to be published in the name of the Association. You are to indemnify us against any claims arising in respect of libel actions, infringements of copyright, or contraventions of any law, such as the Electoral Act. The editorial policy of the publication is to be entirely under your control and responsibility, and our functions are limited to those of printers.

7.

This contract is to be subject to force majeure and the standard conditions and recognised customs of the printing trade and further subject to any regulations or enactments governing paper control or any other laws affecting the matter. We will also not be responsible for delays due to strikes lock-outs or any other cause not under our control."

The Chairman of the Pretoria Action Committee has been invited to be present at the meeting of the Executive Committee with the object of discussing the question of the publication of the newspaper and thereafter making the necessary recommendations to the National Council or Executive.

THE VIEWS OF THE COMMITTEE ARE REQUIRED.

6. THE MAYOR'S COCKTAIL PARTY.

The Finance Sub-Committee wishes to report that His Worship, the Mayor, (Councillor Lionel Leveson) has very kindly agreed to give a cocktail party in the Mayor's Luncheon Room at the City Hall, on Thursday, 29th April, 1943, with the object of starting a campaign for funds for the Social Security movement in Johannesburg.

The procedure which it is suggested should be followed at this Party is as follows:-

(i) His Worship the Mayor, (Councillor Lionel Leveson) will welcome the guests and stress the importance of Social Security movement.

(ii) The Chairman, (Prof. J.L. Gray) will deliver a short address on Social Security.

(iii) The Chairman of the National Finance Committee, (Sir George Albu) will appeal to the public and those present to support the Social Security movement with substantial donations, and invite those present to nominate their donations.

THE APPROVAL OF THE COMMITTEE IS REQUIRED.

7. FINANCES / ...

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The Finance Sub-Committee received an urgent appeal from the National Executive for funds and has forwarded £2,000 to the National Office. This amount was made up of a donation of £1,000 from the Transvaal Chamber of Mines, and advances of £500 each from Sir George Albu, and Messrs. C. Hersov and C. Leon.

The Finance Sub-Committee has also submitted an application to the Johannesburg City Council for a Grant-in-Aid of £2,500.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF THE COMMITTEE.

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