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26th January, 1979.

Dear Member,

Our first general meeting of the year will be hosted by Gardens/Sea Point branch and will be at St. James Church Hall, Sea Point, on Monday 12th February, 1979, at 8.00 p.m.

Those of you who were at our last general meeting in December will remember that we started discussing points raised by Professor van Rooyen on Criminal Law in South Africa. Our time was limited and we all felt the need to come back to this very interesting and controversial topic; therefore February's general meeting will be devoted once again to discussion, led by Marion Dixon and others who have been reading about the subject. Here once again are the books recommended by Prof. van Rooyen:-

1. Prof. A.S. Mathews : Law Order and Liberty in S.A.
2. Prof. van der Vyfer : 7 Lectures on Human Rights
3. S.A. Journal on Criminal Law and Criminology 1977
4. Article in latest issue of Deurbraak (P.F.P. Magazine)

If you have friends whom you think might like to join the Sash, please invite them to the meeting.

BRANCH MEETINGS :

FALSE BAY :

Wednesday 31st January, 1979 at 10 a.m.

VENUE : Peggy Grant's home
Ambleside
Main Road
ST. JAMES. PHONE : 84542

PLUMSTEAD :

Tuesday 20th February, 1979 at 8.00 p.m.

VENUE : Joan Grover's home
Varkensvlei
Doordrift Road
CONSTANTIA PHONE : 741987

CLAREMONT :

Tuesday 20th February, 1979 at 1.00 p.m.

VENUE : Di. Andrew's home
35 Almond Street
NEWLANDS PHONE : 66064.

ROSEBANK :

Tuesday 30th January, 1979 at 8.00 p.m.

VENUE : Nan Knaggs' home
52 Alma Road
ROSEBANK PHONE : 668802

SUMMER SCHOOL

"Women in South African History" is the title of a course of lectures Continued ... Page 2 ... which

which will be very interesting to our members. The lectures are at 8.15 p.m from 5th to 9th February and the course costs R4,00 - details from Extra Mu ral Studies at the University.

FIRE :

Most of you will have heard of the fire at 5 Long Street on New Years Eve. Our office and the adjoining room (Janet Graaf's office) were ravaged and the police suspect arson. While repairs are under way we have had to move into an office at the side of the building. Valuable records were saved by volunteers who rushed to the office while the fire was being extinguished, but there has been severe fire and water damage to equipment and stationery. Insurance will pay out for some of the damage, but there will still be considerable financial loss, and we appeal to members for whatever help they can give.

Items destroyed or damaged were :

1. Carpets
2. Typewriters
3. Addressograph
4. Stationery worth + R400

Theresa also needs volunteers in the office - records need to be sorted out and new copies made - anyone who can spare a few mornings please phone her. (New temporary phone number is 698887)

MORNING MARKET

Thank you all for all your hard work towards the Morning Market. The final total and the totals of each stall will be sent to you soon.

Many of you will be interested to hear news of Margaret Howes. They are very happy to be in Australia, Margaret has a job as secretary in the History Department at Melbourne University, and their address (till the end of February) is Flat 2, 44 Park Drive, Parkville, VICTORIA 3052

Race Relations is having a Bursary Fair on February 24th, proceeds going to the Educational Trust. Branch chairs will be asked to distribute tickets - please try to support this worthy cause.

Yours sincerely,

HILDUR AMATO (MRS.)

HON. SECRETARY

P.S. Due to the fire our addressograph system is now out of order. Some members do not wish to receive notification of meetings etc; if you are receiving notices unnecessarily please let Theresa know.

P.P.S. At the meeting on February 12th, we will be proposing delegates to the National Conference; please discuss your nominations at Branch meetings. We would also like to have names of people who should be on the invitation list for the supper and entertainment evening during the Conference - Sash members, husbands, friends, press etc.,

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As many of you know, Barbara Versfeld will be resigning from her post at the Advice Office at the end of January. We are very sad to lose her. After her many years of very demanding work she deserves a long rest, but because of her sensitivity, devotion and thorough knowledge of Advice Office work she will be missed intensely. We are making a collection for a farewell present for her - probably a typewriter. Those who would like to contribute towards this, please give your money to your branch chair or to Lou Shaw.