**LETTERS FROM AFRICA**

*Pen Friends Wanted*

During the month the Editor has had some letters from African aborigines who are anxious to find pen friends in Australia.

Some of our Australian aboriginal men and women may like to write, so here are the addresses:

Barnett H. Thabethe, c/o Biedell Market Gardens, 737 Voortreker Road, Brakpan, Africa, is 16 years old, a golfer and short story writer. He would like girl pen friends between 15 and 18 years of age.

Miss Yvonne Seekeei, 349 Main Road, Location, Cape, Africa, would like pen friends between 21 and 27 years of age interested in letter writing, short stories and baseball.

Mr. M. Korasip of Krantzplaz, Post Office Box 2, via Gibeon, Africa, would like pen friends interested in reading, singing, photography, religion, gardening. He is 43 years of age, married, and would like male or female pen friends.

Miss Eva Olifant, 1344 Baron Street, Lady Selborne, Pretoria, Africa, would like pen pals, male or female.


Patrick Makanya (17), of Adams Mission, Post Office, Adams, Natal, Africa. Likes music, dancing, jive and readings, and would like pen pals between 16 and 18 years of age.

Apostle Malinga, 74 Broad Street, Durban, Natal, Africa, would like pen friends between 16 and 20 years of age.

Miss Elizabeth Mtibumbu, of Springfield Hospital, Post Office Dormerton, Durban, Africa, is 21 years of age and would like pen friends interested in sewing, knitting, music and photography.

And some Australians this time:

Lorraine Brown (8 years of age) c/o. Public School, Upper Burrinjuck, via Bowning, wants to correspond with aboriginal girls of her own age.

Robyn Davis (13), of 67 Kangaroo Point Road, Sylvania, also wants to hear from aboriginal girls of her own age, interested in Guides, sports, reading, and hobbies.

Patricia Chapman (14), of Falls Creek, via Nowra, wants pen-friends interested in art and letter writing.

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**NEW WELFARE OFFICERS**

*Further Help For Aborigines*

In accordance with the Board’s expressed policy of giving the aborigines of this State every possible help and guidance, two additional Welfare officers have been appointed, and have already taken up their duties.

These officers are:

- Mr. P. M. Sephton,
  *Nowra.*

And:

- Mr. P. E. Felton,
  *Dubbo.*

Aborigines living in these areas, and in need of advice or assistance are invited to contact their Welfare Officer.