

RETIREMENT OF MR. S. BAGWANDEEN

12/1/35

Well-known Social Worker of Northern Natal

Mr. S. Bagwandeem, a staunch Congressman and a well-known social worker, has retired after serving the Glencoe Indian School Society for the past five years in succession as its honorary secretary.

He founded the Glencoe Indian School Society, the outcome of which was the establishment of the present Government-aided Indian school, being appointed the first school manager. He started the Hindu school, the first of its kind in Glencoe, and founded the Benevolent Society.

Among the other public positions he held were secretary of Kunwar Sir Maharaj Singh's reception committee when the Agent-General visited Glencoe during July, 1933; acted as secretary in the Northern Districts for Dr. Metha Jaimini; president of Dr. Metha Jaimini's reception committee, Glencoe; nominated as a recognised representative of the Indian community by the borough council of Glencoe; represented Glencoe at the South African Hindu Maha Sabh's conference at Durban; nominated to represent Glencoe at the South African Congress conference at Johannesburg, 1933; was instrumental in the invitation extended to the Indian Girl Guides from Baroda to visit Glencoe, and also served on the reception committee as the secretary.

Mr. Bagwandeem is an energetic worker of the Indian community, and his friends hope that his experience and service will at all times be available to the community.

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HONOUR FOR INDIAN
PUBLIC WORKER

Town Council Nominates
Consultant Member

The Indian community of Glencoe are congratulating Mr. S. Bagwandeem for having been nominated as a recognised representative of the Indian community by the Borough Council of Glencoe.

Mr. Bagwandeem is a well-known resident of Glencoe and has done yeoman service for his community. Among other things he was one of those who started both the Government Aided and Hindu schools at Glencoe. He was also responsible for the establishment of the Indian Benevolent Society at Glencoe.