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# Iain Edwards Papers

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## Summary information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Historical Papers Research Archive, University of the Witwatersrand
<b>Title:</b>	Iain Edwards Papers
<b>Reference code:</b>	A3446
<b>Date:</b>	1950s-1990s (accumulation)
<b>Physical description:</b>	9 boxes, photographs

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## Administrative history / Biographical sketch

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### Note

Iain Edwards is South African historian with scholarly interests in oral history, historiography, and historical methods particularly as concerning life histories, public heritage, and history. In the early 1990s, he led the successful public campaign establishing the Kwa Muhle Museum in Durban and was a member of the African National Congress' National Commission on Museums, Monuments and Heritage. Widely published, with key works including collaborating with Ntoko Babenia, an early Umkhonto we Sizwe cadre and, for sixteen years, imprisoned on Robben, on his memoirs (1995); co-editing with Paul Maylam the first scholarly essays on African life in Durban (1996); editing the seminal important private political papers of Mewa Ramgobin, the long banned and house arrested Gandhian anti-apartheid and pro-democracy activist (2015); and, with Marc Epprecht, Working class homosexuality in South African history (2020) which includes his unique oral history interviews with the Izingqingili zaseMkhumbane. He was an historical expert on legal teams successfully representing previous African and Indian residents of Cato Manor Farm in Land Claims Court cases; was a special advisor for Civil Military Affairs to then Deputy Minister of Defence Ms Nozizwe Madlala-Routledge; and involved in the early stages of developing the historical narrative for the Freedom Park Heritage and Museum development in Pretoria. He has been a faculty member or fellow at universities in South Africa, Australia, Britain and the United States. He is currently researching South Africa's post-1990 'History Wars' and related historical issues.

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## Scope and content

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The collection contains the working and research papers of Iain Edwards.

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## Notes

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### Immediate source of acquisition

The papers were submitted by Iain Edwards.

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**Other notes**

- **Publication status:** Published

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**Collection holdings**

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**Series: A3446-A - Community Leadership and Power in Natal, Report**

Title: Community Leadership and Power in Natal, Report

Reference code: A3446-A

Date: December 1988 (date of creation)

Scope and content: The research project relates to the life history of Mr Henry Caleb Sibisi, and was conducted by Iain Edwards, with the assistance of Mr C. Ndlovu. It covers Sibisi's life, as an Adams College educated agricultural demonstrator; his participation in the politics of Cleremont, where he becomes the first unofficial and self-styled mayor; his involvement in the New Africa movements; and in the restarting of the Inkatha movement in the late 1950s.

Physical description: 1 item, digital submission

Immediate source of acquisition: The physical item for digitisation was sourced from the National Library, Pretoria, South Africa

Location of originals: Human Sciences Research Council (HSRC), Pretoria; South Africa National Library, Pretoria, South Africa

Conditions governing use: Permission to publish must be obtain from Iain Edwards.

Publication status:

Published

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**Series: A3446-B - S.B. Bourquin papers**

Title: S.B. Bourquin papers

Reference code: A3446-B

Date: 1950s-1990s (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: Mr S.B. Bourquin was a senior official in the municipal Native Administration Department in Durban from 1950 onwards, becoming Manager and then Director of this Department during the 1950s. He later became Chief Director of the Port Natal Administration Board and retired in 1979. S.B. Bourquin was also a Commandant of the Durban North Commando Group 10.

Physical description: 1 box

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: A3446-B-B1a - Interview notes by Iain Edwards**

Title: Interview notes by Iain Edwards

Reference code: A3446-B-B1a

Date: undated (accumulation) (date of creation)

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: A3446-B-B1 - Native Administration Department, correspondence**

Title: Native Administration Department, correspondence

Reference code: A3446-B-B1

Date: 1950s (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: To a large extent dealing with Emergency camps, such as Cato Manor, Moroka, Benoni, following removals.

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: A3446-B-B2 - Notes on the Ecological History of the St. Lucia Lake and Environs**

Title: Notes on the Ecological History of the St. Lucia Lake and Environs

Reference code: A3446-B-B2

Date: Sep-65 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Notes on the Ecological History of the St. Lucia Lake and Environs, by W.D. Wearne, Technical Officer, Natal Parks, Game and Fish Preservation Board. Edited, revised and with summary by P.G. Stewart. For St. Lucia Lake Commission of Inquiry, September 1965. Photographs numbered Photo 1-23, were taken between the 1920s-1960s, and are describing amongst others:

High tide below 'Angler's Arms'; the 'Sugar loaf' Mapelana; Rev. L.O. Feyling's donkey wagon crossing the lake at 'Ndlelanendlovu'; 'Ndlelanendlovu' crossing from Mt. Tabor Mission Station; Trigsurvey Photo No. 54738 of Job 117 of 1937, Umfolozi river flowing into Estuary; Trigsurvey Photo No. 9370 of Job 400 of 1957 at Umfolozi river; Trigsurvey Photo No. 2271 of Job 442 of 1960;

towing boat by oxen wagon through the Mapelana forest; from 'Ndleleanendlovu' crossing to the Estuary township; dead and dying fish at Estuary; view up the Narrows from the 'Angler's arms' site; Estuary mouth taken from 'Long Island'; Msunduzi river, south of Estuary.

Also included two maps, numbered 2 and 3 (map no. 1 is missing):

'Plan of township and farms laid out by Boers in the neighbourhood of St. Lucia Bay, 1883-84';

'Natal Harbour Dept. Zululand coast surveys. Survey of mouth of Umfelosi river and entrance to St. Lucia Lake, January 1905'

Physical description: Typescripts with pasted photographs

Arrangement: Original photos were pasted in the typescript of the report; maps were included at the end.

Publication status:

Published

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### **Subseries: A3446-B-B3 - Durban North Commando Group 10**

Title: Durban North Commando Group 10

Reference code: A3446-B-B3

Date: 1960s-1970s (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: The unit was primarily tasked in quelling township riots, and resorted under the command of the SADF's Natal Command. During the State of Emergency in the 1980s, this commando was tasked with protecting strategic facilities. S.B. Bourquin held the position of a Commandant at the Commando Group 10.

Physical description: 2 files

Publication status:

Published

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### **Sub-subseries: A3446-B-B3-B3.1 - Terrorist Tactics**

Title: Terrorist Tactics

Reference code: A3446-B-B3-B3.1

Date: 1960s-1970s (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: Including amongst others: Memoranda issued by the Natal Command; compilation of guiding documents, including "The hearts and minds of people": A basic approach to psychological warfare, with special reference to the Blacks. An envisaged role for Commandos. by Cmdt. S Bourquin, DWD, Officer Commanding, Durban North Commando. Classified 'Restricted' to 'Confidential'

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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### **Sub-subseries: A3446-B-B3-B3.2 - Guerilla Warfare**

Title: Guerilla Warfare

Reference code: A3446-B-B3-B3.2

Date: 1960s-1970s (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: Containing amongst others: "Guerrilla Warfare: a method", Ernesto Che Guevara, published by Foreign Languages Press, Peking 1964 (copy), 23 pages; Guerrilla Warfare, issued by The army Gymnasium, undated; Camp training program, August-September 1967; "Guerrilla Warfare", Che Guevara, published by Press New York 1961 (copy), 127 pages

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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### **Series: A3446-C - Mawalal (Mewa) Ramgobin papers**

Title: Mawalal (Mewa) Ramgobin papers

Reference code: A3446-C

Date: 1960s-2000s (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: The grandson of an indentured labourer, Ramgobin led the re-launch of the Natal Indian Congress in 1971 - first started by Gandhi in 1894 - and was a founding national office bearer in the United Democratic Front, one of the six activists to `sit-in` at the British Consulate in Durban in 1984, and Accused number 1 in the `Pietermaritzburg Treason Trial - along with Albertina Sisulu, Rev Frank Chikane and others - of 1984 and 1985. Banned and also later placed under house arrest for periods totalling seventeen years, in 1994 he became an African National Congress Member of Parliament, elected in South Africa's first democratic general elections. In this collection are personal letters from the Consulate and as an imprisoned detainee and treason trialist. Included in the documents are crucial new material on the NIC and the UDF, the return of the ANC in the post-1990 period, and material from his secret state security file. This material offers the informed reader crucial new insights into the dynamics of anti-apartheid politics in the crucial period leading up to both Feb 1990 from then until April 1994. (Book Summary)

Physical description: 3 boxes

Publication status:

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### **Subseries: A3446-C-C1 - Book layout and Notes**

Title: Book layout and Notes

Reference code: A3446-C-C1

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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### **Subseries: A3446-C-C2 - Interviews with Mewa Ramgobin**

Title: Interviews with Mewa Ramgobin

Reference code: A3446-C-C2

Date: 2003 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Transcripts of interviews, conducted by Iain Edwards for the 'Memoir Project', also including introduction and political background.

Physical description: 1 file, 17 PDF uploaded

Note [generalNote]: At times the number of the transcript does not correspond with the file number, the latter which is the correct number.

Conditions governing use: Permission to publish must be obtained from Iain Edwards.

Publication status:

Published

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### **Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.1 - Ramgobin & Edwards 'Memoir Project': An introduction**

Title: Ramgobin & Edwards 'Memoir Project': An introduction

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.1

Date: 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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### **Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.2 - Interviewing Mewa Ramgobin**

Title: Interviewing Mewa Ramgobin

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.2

Date: 2003 (date of creation)



Publication status:

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.3 - The United Democratic Front, 1983-1991: The politics of historical source material**

Title: The United Democratic Front, 1983-1991: The politics of historical source material

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.3

Date: 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.4 - Interview transcript 1**

Title: Interview transcript 1

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.4

Date: 21 January 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.5 - Interview transcript 2**

Title: Interview transcript 2

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.5

Date: 22 January 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.6 - Interview transcript 3**

Title: Interview transcript 3

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.6

Date: 22 January 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.7 - Interview transcript 4**

Title: Interview transcript 4

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.7

Date: 23 January 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.8 - Interview transcript 5**

Title: Interview transcript 5

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.8

Date: 27 January 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.9 - Interview transcript 6**

Title: Interview transcript 6

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.9

Date: 28 January 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.10 - Interview transcript 7**

Title: Interview transcript 7

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.10

Date: 29 January 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.11 - Interview transcript 8**

Title: Interview transcript 8

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.11

Date: 3 February 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.12 - Interview transcript 9**

Title: Interview transcript 9

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.12

Date: 4 February 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.13 - Interview transcript 10**

Title: Interview transcript 10

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.13

Date: 4 February 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.14 - Interview transcript 11**

Title: Interview transcript 11

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.14

Date: 5 March 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.15 - Interview transcript 12**

Title: Interview transcript 12

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.15

Date: 6 March 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.16 - Annotated Interview transcript 13**

Title: Annotated Interview transcript 13

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.16

Date: 10 March 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.17 - Interview transcript 14**

Title: Interview transcript 14

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.17

Date: 20 March 2003 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C2-C2.18 - Reflections on Mewa Ramgobin and the NIC**

Title: Reflections on Mewa Ramgobin and the NIC

Reference code: A3446-C-C2-C2.18

Date: 2019 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: A3446-C-C3 - M Ramgobin, Unpublished manuscript**

Title: M Ramgobin, Unpublished manuscript

Reference code: A3446-C-C3

Date: undated (date of creation)

Physical description: 1 file typescript

Publication status:

Published

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### **Subseries: A3446-C-C4 - Security Branch file on M Ramgobin**

Title: Security Branch file on M Ramgobin

Reference code: A3446-C-C4

Date: 1964-1989 (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: The copies were released by the Directorate of Security Legislation. They were left in the order in which they were received, including the stickers placed on the various documents.

Physical description: 4 files, copies

Publication status:

Published

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### **Subseries: A3446-C-C5 - Various political publications and newspaper clips**

Title: Various political publications and newspaper clips

Reference code: A3446-C-C5

Scope and content: Mainly relating to and including: Phoenix Settlement, Centenary commemorations; Griffiths Mxenge poster, issued by the Release Mandela Committee and Natal Indian Congress; pamphlets and flyers relating to the Transvaal anti-SAIC committee (TASC), 1983/1984; United Democratic Front (UDF); newspaper clips.

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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### **Subseries: A3446-C-C6 - Mahatma and Kasturba Gandhi**

Title: Mahatma and Kasturba Gandhi

Reference code: A3446-C-C6

Date: 1930s-1960s (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: Including Mahatma Gandhi Centenary Memorial, 1969; Indian Opinion Kasturba Gandhi Memorial Number, 22 March 1944; Supplement to The Natal Mercury newspaper, about 'Gandhi's flight from Durban mob', 22 May 1934 (extremely fragile and torn).

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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### **Subseries: A3446-C-C7 - Photographs**

Title: Photographs

Reference code: A3446-C-C7

Date: 1952-2000s (date of creation)

Physical description: 46 listed photographs, 80 unsorted photographs

Publication status:

Published

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### **Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.1 - Early studio photograph**

Title: Early studio photograph

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.1

Date: 1952 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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### **Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.2 - As student**

Title: As student

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.2

Date: 1959 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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### **Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.3 - At his sister's house in Inanda**

Title: At his sister's house in Inanda

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.3

Date: 1960 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.4 - Phoenix Settlement view in 1960**

Title: Phoenix Settlement view in 1960

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.4

Date: 1960 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.5 - Swami Nischalananda at Kidar Ramgobin's Christening, Phoenix Settlement**

Title: Swami Nischalananda at Kidar Ramgobin's Christening, Phoenix Settlement

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.5

Date: 1963 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.6 - Newly opened Mahatma Gandhi Clinic, Phoenix Settlement**

Title: Newly opened Mahatma Gandhi Clinic, Phoenix Settlement

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.6

Date: 1963 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.7 - Group photo "to Mewa"**

Title: Group photo "to Mewa"

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.7

Date: 1964 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.8 - At his home**

Title: At his home

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.8

Date: 1964 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.9 - MR at a 'Call for Clemency' meeting, Bolton Hall, Durban, attended by amongst others Alan Paton**

Title: MR at a 'Call for Clemency' meeting, Bolton Hall, Durban, attended by amongst others Alan Paton

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.9

Date: 1971 (date of creation)

Physical description: 3 photographs

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.10 - MR with Prime Minister of Mauritius, Sir Sewsagar Ramgoolam**

Title: MR with Prime Minister of Mauritius, Sir Sewsagar Ramgoolam

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.10

Date: 1975 (1971?) (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.11 - Mewa Ramgobin in Durban**

Title: Mewa Ramgobin in Durban

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.11

Date: 1976 (date of creation)

Physical description: 2 photographs

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.12 - Visiting the banned Winnie Mandela at her house in Brandfort**

Title: Visiting the banned Winnie Mandela at her house in Brandfort

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.12

Date: 1983 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.13 - Mewa Ramgobin, Treasurer of UDF outside the British Consulate**

Title: Mewa Ramgobin, Treasurer of UDF outside the British Consulate

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.13

Date: 1984 (date of creation)

Conditions governing use: Copyright: The Natal Mercury

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.14 - The Pietermaritzburg Treason Trialists**

Title: The Pietermaritzburg Treason Trialists

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.14

Date: 1985 (date of creation)

Physical description: 2 photographs

Conditions governing use: Copyright: The Natal Mercury

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.15 - MR with Ismail Mohammed and Arti Ramgobin after acquittal at the Pietermaritzburg Treason Trial**

Title: MR with Ismail Mohammed and Arti Ramgobin after acquittal at the Pietermaritzburg Treason Trial

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.15

Date: 1985 (date of creation)

Conditions governing use: Copyright: The Natal Mercury

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.16 - Mewa Ramgobin with Walter and Albertina Sisulu at their house, after Walter Sisulu's release from Robben Island**

Title: Mewa Ramgobin with Walter and Albertina Sisulu at their house, after Walter Sisulu's release from Robben Island

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.16

Date: 1989 (date of creation)

Physical description: 2 photographs

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.17 - MR and Mendi Msimang, European Union Conference, Dublin**

Title: MR and Mendi Msimang, European Union Conference, Dublin

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.17

Date: 1990 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.18 - With the Indian High Commissioner and the later President of South Africa Thabo Mbeki**

Title: With the Indian High Commissioner and the later President of South Africa Thabo Mbeki

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.18

Date: 1994 (date of creation)

Physical description: 2 photographs

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.19 - MR welcoming Sonia Gandhi, Phoenix Settlement**

Title: MR welcoming Sonia Gandhi, Phoenix Settlement

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.19

Date: 1996 (date of creation)

Physical description: 2 photographs

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.20 - MR with Nelson Mandela and Sushipal Ramboros, Aryan Benevolent Home, Chatsworth, Durban**

Title: MR with Nelson Mandela and Sushipal Ramboros, Aryan Benevolent Home, Chatsworth, Durban

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.20

Date: 1997 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.21 - With Archbishop Desmond Tutu**

Title: With Archbishop Desmond Tutu

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.21

Date: 2000 (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.22 - Visiting sites at the destroyed Phoenix Settlement, including Gandhi house and school, and the International Printing Press**

Title: Visiting sites at the destroyed Phoenix Settlement, including Gandhi house and school, and the International Printing Press

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.22

Date: 2000 (date of creation)

Physical description: 7 photographs

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.23 - Official re-inauguration of the Phoenix Settlement, with King Goodwill Zwelithini, President Thabo Mbeki, and Premier of KwaZulu Natal S'bu Ndebele.**

Title: Official re-inauguration of the Phoenix Settlement, with King Goodwill Zwelithini, President Thabo Mbeki, and Premier of KwaZulu Natal S'bu Ndebele.

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.23

Date: 2000 (date of creation)

Physical description: 2 photographs

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.24 - MR with E. Shakrullah, Head of the Arab League**

Title: MR with E. Shakrullah, Head of the Arab League

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.24

Date: undated (date of creation)

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.25 - Mewa Ramgobin 70. Birthday party celebration**

Title: Mewa Ramgobin 70. Birthday party celebration

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.25

Physical description: 8 photographs

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-C-C7-C7.26 - Unsorted photographs**

Title: Unsorted photographs

Reference code: A3446-C-C7-C7.26

Scope and content: Mainly covering political conferences and events, posing with various personalities, some few family members.

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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**Series: A3446-D - Matron Joyce Keen papers**

Title: Matron Joyce Keen papers

Reference code: A3446-D

Date: 1962-1967 (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: Including the Matron's Daily Diary, Kwa Mashu Polyclinic, 11 June 1962-11 November 1967, manuscript; the typed history of the Kwa Mashu Clinic, newspaper clips

Physical description: 3 files, 2 photographs

Publication status:

Published

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**Series: A3446-E - Colin Shum papers**

Title: Colin Shum papers

Reference code: A3446-E

Scope and content: Colin Shum was the first superintendent of the Cato Manor Emergency Camp. He resigned because the municipality refused to provide permanent housing for Africans and Indians in Cato Manor.

Physical description: 4 files, copies

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: A3446-E-E1 - Mind the City, unpublished novel by Colin Shum**

Title: Mind the City, unpublished novel by Colin Shum

Reference code: A3446-E-E1

Date: 1958 (date of creation)

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: A3446-E-E2 - Municipal Native Administration Department**

Title: Municipal Native Administration Department

Reference code: A3446-E-E2

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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**Sub-subseries: A3446-E-E2-E2.1 - Policy and related documents**

Title: Policy and related documents

Reference code: A3446-E-E2-E2.1

Scope and content: Including: Native Housing Policy, 2 versions, November 1948; Draft rules and suggestions for the administration of the controlled shack areas at Cato Manor, August 1951; Proposed rubbish removal scheme - Cato Manor, July 1952; Youth training plan for Cato Manor, May 1953; Methods of shack clearance, undated.

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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### **Sub-subseries: A3446-E-E2-E2.2 - Employment Bureau**

Title: Employment Bureau

Reference code: A3446-E-E2-E2.2

Date: 1950s (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: Including amongst others handwritten reports and statements relating to amongst others: matters of employment and job vacancies; salaries; statements relating to work performances; the case of a member of the Kwa Mashu transit camp gang; statements for an investigation of a clerk.

Physical description: 1 files

Publication status:

Published

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### **Sub-subseries: A3446-E-E2-E2.3 - Various administrative matters**

Title: Various administrative matters

Reference code: A3446-E-E2-E2.3

Scope and content: Documents relating to: the origins of the Kwa Mashu township and establishment of check points; the Cato Manor Emergency camp; the effects of liquor; newsletter style 'Notice to the residents of Umkumbane', 1952; Cato Manor proposals, 1951; resident statements relating to riots in 1959; position paper for the re-organisation of the Native Administration Department, signed by S. Bourquin, incomplete, 1952

Physical description: 1 file

Publication status:

Published

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### **Series: A3446-F - MK History, Research notes**

Title: MK History, Research notes

Reference code: A3446-F

Scope and content: This section contains Iain Edward's researcher material for a history of Umkhonto we Sizwe (MK), consisting of handwritten notes and notes (by dicta-phone), taken from sources in Rhodes House at Oxford; excerpts from the D.Phil. thesis by Howard Barrell, St. Antony's College; notes from documents and interviews formerly held at the Mayibuye Centre; copies of documents which were

available on the ANC website, and on the website of the SA Communist Party. Reference is made to the autobiographical book by Ronald (Ronnie) Kasrils 'Armed and Dangerous'.

Including amongst others copies of:

The Green Book. Report of the Politico-Military Strategy Commission to the ANC National Executive Committee, August 1979;

Umkhonto we Sizwe Military Code. Released at the ANC National Consultative Conference at Kabwe in June 1985, and part of the larger document "Report of Commission on National Structures, Constitutional Guidelines and Codes of Conduct";

List of ANC Members who died in Exile, March 1960-December 1993;

Umkhonto we Sizwe (MK) 30th Anniversary Souvenir Magazine, 16 December 1991

Physical description: 6 files

Arrangement: The order in which the folders were received has been retained.

Publication status:

Published

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### **Series: A3446-G - Searchlight South Africa**

Title: Searchlight South Africa

Reference code: A3446-G

Date: 1988, 1991-1993 (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: Independent socialist journal of Southern African studies, edited by Baruch Hirson, Paul Trehwela, Hillel Ticktin, Brian Mac Lellan. Included issues no. 1 (September 1988), 6 (January 1991, 7 (July 1991), 8 (January 1992, 9(August 1992), 10 (April 1993) and 11 (October 1993).

Publication status:

Published

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### **Series: A3446-H - WILSA, documents**

Title: WILSA, documents

Reference code: A3446-H

Date: 1990s (accumulation) (date of creation)

Scope and content: Documents and minutes of WILSA, a South African Trotskyite political grouping.

Physical description: 3 files

Publication status:

Published

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**Series: A3446-I - Publications**

Title: Publications

Reference code: A3446-I

Publication status:

Published

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**Subseries: A3446-I-I1 - Worker Culture in Durban in the 1980s: A photographic essay**

Title: Worker Culture in Durban in the 1980s: A photographic essay

Reference code: A3446-I-I1

Date: 2019 (date of creation)

Physical description: 1 article, 25 mounted photographs

Note [generalNote]: Included here are 25 mounted photographs, all of which were used in the article, by the following photographers:

Pax Magwaza, Myron Peters, Madu Shangase, Rafs Mayet, and Jeeva Rajgopaul.

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Publication status:

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**Subseries: A3446-I-I2 - Being Freedom Fighters: The autobiography of Morena Motaung**

Creator: Motaung, Morena Ashraf

Title: Being Freedom Fighters: The autobiography of Morena Motaung

Reference code: A3446-I-I2

Date: 2022 (date of creation)

Scope and content: Born in Katlehong, on the East Rand, Morena Motaung became involved with the pre-1994 liberation movements, namely the Congress of South African Students (COSAS), and the African National Congress (ANC). He joined its military wing Umkhonto We Sizwe (MK) and its internal structures the Self Defence Units (SDUs) on the East Rand.

This autobiography relates his own story of the political struggles in the 1980s, and the transitional period that followed after 1994.

Physical description: 1 bound item, 102 pages

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Note [generalNote]: The publication was made possible by the generous support from the Department of Military Veterans (DMV) and the Human Sciences Research Council (HSRC) of South Africa.

Immediate source of acquisition: The copy of the autobiography was donated by Iain Edwards.

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Publication status:

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