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## Improvement in the racial problem in South Africa

We received following letter from the South African Olympic Committee which is worth being published.

International Olympic Committee  
Lausanne

Johannesburg, Nov. 17th 1959

'Dear Sir,

I attach for your information, a cutting from one of our daily papers of the 15th inst. advising that a cricket match *between White and non-Whites* is being played in Johannesburg. This article speaks for itself and should give an indication to the International Olympic Committee that we are doing our best to honour the statement made by Mr. R. Honey at the Munich Session.

'Yours faithfully  
'I. G. Emery, General Secretary'.

Ed.: *Let us add that the English coach, David Casson, has been engaged to coach the local Indian players.*

*Questioned as to his motive for organizing this game, Mr. Coetzee replied: 'Solely to provide an opportunity for natural cricketers of Indian descent to play against stronger opposition than they have meeting.'*