Joint Council Notes.
The annual meeting of the J. Joint Council
of Europeans and Bantu was held in the
Elmor Church Hall on the 25th of January.
Before an attentive audience of White and
Black, the chairman, Mr. H. D. Standly,
read the report of the Council's work
during the past year. The report
disclosed very interesting facts which
include: how the Relief Fund was used,
the establishment of a Bantu Eisteddfod in
this area, a pamphlet dealing with the
wise and use of mealies, and many
other points of interest.
The J. Joint Council has been brought
into being only four years ago, but
within this time it has proved itself
as a movement for the people of this area.
For, no sooner was it formed than it
interested itself in social and economic
problems obtaining in this area. Be it
said therefore that, in solving these
problems, the Council seemed to know
the real needs and the solutions thereto.
It seemed to be endowed with Divine
Power and its resolutions have the strength of Commandments from the Creator. For, it gave commanded, "let there be created a Fund for the relief of those in distress." By a mysterious way a substantial sum was raised. Again it commanded, "let there be a Course for the training of mothers in mothercraft" and a Council was held. And a host of other Commandments which are carried to the letter.

In itself, this record of the Council is indicative of the harmonious relation spirit which exists between the White inhabitants of this locality and Black in this locality. One has every to feel hopeful of a bright future. It behoves every man and woman to bring the early dawning of such a time.

The Bantu inhabitants of this area to owe a debt of gratitude to the members of this Council who so whole-heartedly gave themselves for service. We wish the Council further notable records of good work in this New Year.