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OPERATIONS RESEARCH SOCIETY OF SOUTH AFRICA OPERASIONELE NAVORSINGSVERENIGING VAN SUID-AFRIKA

NEWSLETTER
NUUSBRIEF

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1. MEMBERSHIP/LIDMAATSKAP

Ons verwelkom mnr M. Sinclair van Stellenbosch as 'n nuwe medelid van die vereniging.

2. PAPERS FOR ANNUAL CONFERENCE/REFERATE VIR JAARKONGRES

The annual conference will be held in Johannesburg on the 6th and 7th November, 1975. Prospective authors are requested to complete the enclosed form and return it to the Conference Convenor as soon as possible.

Die jaarkongres word op 6 en 7 November 1975 in Johannesburg gehou. Voornemende sprekers word versoek om die ingeslote vorm te voltooi, en so spoedig moontlik aan die Sameroeper terug te stuur.

Closing dates/
Sluitingsdatums

Abstracts/Uittreksels	23/05/1975
Draft papers/Konsepreferate	15/08/1975
Final papers/Finale referate	1/10/1975

3. IFORS CONFERENCE

The 7th triennial conference of IFORS (International Federation of Operations Research Societies) takes place in Japan from 17 - 23 July this year. Unfortunately we have not been able to find a national delegate to represent ORSSA at the conference. We would

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like to urge members however to already now begin giving thought to potential national contributions to the 1978 conference - Three years pass all too quickly!

(Brochures available from the editor: closing date 31 May)

4. CHAPTER NEWS/TAKNUUS

4.1 Johannesburg At the recent annual general meeting of the Johannesburg chapter, the following committee for 1975 was elected:

Chairman:	R. Eales
Secretary:	D. Bromley
Treasurer:	K. Lieberknecht
Additional members:	T. McGiddy (National conference convenor)
	R. Lewis

Subsequently two further members were co-opted on to the committee, viz.:

F. Tumazos (Vereeniging)
Dr J. Avidan

4.2 Pretoria: Die algemene jaarvergadering van die Pretoria tak word op 2 April om 19 h 30 in die Assembly Hotel, v.d. Waltstraat gehou.

This business meeting will be followed at 20 h 00 with a talk on an application of zero-one integer programming to a saw-mill cutting problem by mr N.R. Laman, currently with the National Research Institute of Mathematical Sciences of the CSIR.

TJS/MH
24 Maart 1975