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versus

EASTERN PROVINCE

ADCOCK STADIUM â\200\224 PORT ELIZABETH
25th & 26th November, 1972.

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AFFILIATES OF

~ SOUTH AFRICAN CRICKET BOARD OF CONTROL

EASTERN PROVINCE CRICKET ASSOCIATION |

(Affiliated to South African Cricket Board of Control)

_EDITORIALâ\200\224

This unique exhibition match between Eastern Province and a South African Invitation XI is indeed historic and we will have on view some of the best cricketers participating in the â\200\224

Dadabhai Trophy Competition of the S.A. Cricket Board of Control, in addition to the England

Test Cricketer, Basil Dâ\200\231Oliveira who was a former captain of the S.A. Board team that won two

test series against Kenya. :

This is certainly going to be a game that will appease the appetites of our cricket-hungry

public. The glorious uncertainty of cricket does not allow us to forecast the result of this match

which does not really matter â\200\224 our only hope is that bright and attractive cricket will be played

and that cricket will be the winner.

We extend a warm welcome to all the visiting players, officials, pressmen and spectators.

May your brief stay here have lasting memories and may permanent friendships materialise.

On behalf of my Association and the members of the South African Invitation XI, I wish to express our sincerest thanks to the sponsors of this match, the Stellenbosch Wineries and

Sedgwick Taylor for having sponsored the air tickets of the visiting team. Without this generous

gesture, we would certainly not have been able to have arranged a match of such status.

In the same way we once again, wish to record our thanks to S.A. Bottling Company (Coca Cola) for

their great interest in our cricket conditions and for their sponsorship of Basil Dâ\200\231Oliveira.

We thank the visiting players for sacrificing their local programmes to take part in this

great match. Play the game hard and attractively so that this may be the fore-runner of similar

games in other provinces. Our players are offered so few incentives and more matches of this

nature could at least make all players aware that their performances are being watched continuously and who knows the day may not be far when we take the field in an international

match

as bona fide Springboks selected on merit.

We thank the public for their patronage.

Editor.

SOUTH AFRICAN INVITATION XI.

GOPAL MANICUM (Pietermaritzburg & Natal) Captain. Age 27.

Right-arm off-spin bowler and useful middle-order batsman.

First capped for Natal in 1968.

Captained Natal last season to the Dadabhai Cup first round.

Elected again as this year's Natal captain.

Best performance ~ 7/32 against SWD 1969-70, in Kimberley.
- 5/32 v. WP at Cape Town 1971-72.

SEDICK CONRAD (Wynberg and Western Province) Age 27.

Right-handed opening bat. Had a short spell in the Lancashire League in 1968,
Has scored 858 runs in only four Dadabhai Cup tournaments.

Best performances 194 v. Griquas at Durban in 1966 when he also topped
the batting averages with 106,00.

104 v, Natal at Kimberley, 1969-70. 139 v. Transvaal at Johannesburg, 1971.

IVAN DAGNIN (Wynberg and WP) Age 28.

Right-handed opening bat. At the 1969-70 tournament, he topped the batting averages (64,2) and also scored the most runs (321).

Best performance 100 n.o. v. South Western Districts, Kimberley, 1969-70. Has also represented Western Province at soccer.

ABDULLATIEF BARNES (Ottomans & Transvaal) Age 29.

Brilliant No. 3 bat and accurate off-spin bowler. Also specialist close-to-the-wicket fielder. Son of the great Jamalodien Barnes, former Transvaal and S.A. Barnato Opening bat.

Has played for Transvaal in every inter-provincial tournament since the first one in 1961-62. He is the first player to score 1 000 runs and take 100 wickets in inter-provincial cricket.

Best performances 100 n.o. v. SWD at Cape Town, 1968. 7/27 v. SWD at

Kimberley 1969-70; 6/32 v. Eastern Province 1969-70. Played this year for Colne in the Lancashire league.

JOHN NEETHLING (Maitland and Parow & WP) All rounder. Age 38. Vice-captain.

Capped for WP since the first 1961-62 tournament. Had a two-year spell with Colne in the Lancashire league 1962 and 1963 when he scored 671 runs and took 147

wickets in the two seasons. Toured East Africa with Basil Dâ\200\231Oliveiraâ\200\231s 1958 side and

scored 418 runs and took 42 wickets. Has scored 710 runs and taken 69 wickets in inter-provincial tournaments.

Best performances 10 wickets in match against Transvaal at Durban, 1966 (3/57 and 7/58). Topped the 1962-63 batting averages in PE.

M.B. Kuluâ\200\235 MACLONS (Maitland and Parow & WP) Age 29. Hard-hitting bats man

and brilliant wicket-keeper. First capped for WP in 1968. Topped the batting averages in his first tournament in 1968. :

Best performance 93 v. Transvaal, Cape Town, 1968 final. Represented South Western Districts in 1963-64.

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â\200\224 EASTERN PROVINCE CRICKET TEAM â\200\224

Standing (left to right): Devdas Govinjee; Alec Douglas; Charlie Houlie; Alfonsis Snyman; Desmond Jacobs; Preston de Klerk.

Seated: Basil Dâ\200\231Oliveira; Maurice Wilson (Vice Captain); Mia Loonat (Manager); Phillip Snyman (Captain); Terry Hendricks.

Front: Neville Francis; Jaysugh Vagmaria.

SOLLY CHOTHIA (Transvaal) Age 30. Opening bowler and sound middle-order batsman. Has played in every Transvaal team since 1961-62. Has scored over | 000 runs and taken 55 wickets in inter-provincial cricket. Best performances â\200\224 112 v Border, 1963-64 PE; 6/12 v Griquas, Cape Town 1968; 6/31 v SWD, Cape Town 1968. 7/29 v EP at Johannesburg 1971/72.

SAAIT MAJIET (Wynberg and WP) Age 22. Aggressive batsman and right-arm swing bowler. First made a name for himself in the WP Under-23 side in 1968-69 and 1970-71. Took nine wickets in the match against SWD 1970-71 at Pacaltsdorp and eight wickets in the final against Natal at Cape Town. Capped for the WP senior side last season and scored 89 against EP in Port Elizabeth. | Has represented City and Suburban in the SA Cup rugby competition as a flank forward.

MICHAEL PATRICK (Pietermaritzburg and Natal) Age 30.

Quick-scoring left-handed batsman and left-arm seam bowler. First capped for Natal in 1966. Best performances â\200\224 Tenwickets (6/17 and 4/25) against Griquas, Cape T own, 1968. Also 78 not out in the same match. Coincidentally, again 6/17 v. Griquas at Kimberley, 1969-70.

ISMAIL *â\200\234*BABUâ\200\235 EBRAHIM (Crescents & Natal) Menacing left-arm spin bowl er, who turns the ball both ways. First capped for Natal in 1963-64. Age 26.

Best performances â\200\224 ten wickets (7/38 and 3/10) v SWD, Kimberley, 69/70. Also 6/33 v. EP last season in PE.

MAHALINGUM GOVENDER (Stanger & Natal) A young right-arm fast bowler, who gets terrific pace off the wicket. Age 24. First capped for Natal in 1969-70.

Best performance 5/16 against Transvaal 1970/71 at Johannesburg. Took nine wickets in match against EP last season.

Manager: W. M. Ross.

â\200\224SOUTH AFRICAN INVITATION CRICKET XIâ\200\224

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SOUTH AFRICAN INVITATION XI

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2. S. CONRAD
3. T. BARNES
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N. FRANCIS
4. B. D'OLIVEIRA
o, M. WILSON
G. D. JACOBS
Was C. HOULIE
8. A. SNYMAN
9. T. HENDRICKS
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11. P, SNYMAN

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Results of 200\230Test 200\231 Matches

Kenya Asians vs. South Africa, 1956 SECOND TEST

FIRST TEST MATCH: CAPE TOWN Kenya: 213 (M. Ali 88, B. Patel 34, G. Singh 33,

Kenya Asians 149 (Shakoor Ahmed 101, B. Malam-ba 4/41, A. Bell 3/63) and 218 (Chandrakat Patel 84, Arvind Patel 52, B. Malamba 4/73, C. Abrahams 3/51).

South Africa 258 (B. Dâ\200\231Oliviera 70, S. Raziet 36, A. Variawa 35, C. Abrahams 27) and 112/4 (B. Dâ\200\231Oliviera 36 n.o., C. Meyer 20, A. S. Bulbulla 20).

South Africa won by 6 wickets.

SECOND TEST MATCH: JOHANNESBURG

South Africa 377 (S. Raziet 109, H. Abrahams 63, C. Abrahams 55, A. Bell 26, A. Variawa 27, G. Abed 54) and 165 (B. Dâ\200\231Oliviera 44, S. Raziet 40, A. Bell 18).

Kenya Asians 257 (Shakoor Ahmed 120, Arvind Patel 36, V. V. Bhandari 34, C. Abrahams 3/19, E. I. Jeewa 2/31) and 246 (V. V. Bhandari 91, Gafoor Ahmed 63, G. Abed 3/37, A. Bell 3/55).

South Africa won by 39 runs.

THIRD TEST MATCH: DURBAN

Kenya Asians 71 (Gafoor Ahmed 19, Chandrakant Patel 15, G. Abed 4/9, A. George 2/13) and 111/8 (Ramanhbhai Patel 34, Mehboob Ali 26, Raoof Ahmed 21, M. Garda 4/37).

South Africa 88 (C. Abrahams 39, A. Variawa 10, M. Garda 10).
Match drawn.

SiA. Ys. 200\230Kenya, 1958

FIRST TEST

South Africa: 196 (C. Abrahams 41, A. I. Deedat 38, G. Ahbed 31, J. Neethling 28, Jhalla 4/70, B. Dâ\200\231Cunha 3/23, R. Patel 2/39) and 314/7 dec. (B. Dâ\200\231Oliviera 139, J. Neethling 52, C. Abrahams 50 n.o., A. I. Deedat 59, G. Jhalla 4/97, D. Singh 3/83).

Kenya: 190 (R. Prodger 41, G. Singh 36, M. Ali 37, E. Petersen 6/51, B. Dâ\200\231Oliviera 2/30, J. Neethling 1/42) and 185 (G. Jhalla 33, G. Ahmed 35, G. Singh 29, J. Neethling 3/23, B. Dâ\200\231Oliviera 3/24, G. Langa 1/15, E. Petersen 1/27, G. Abed 1/54).
South Africa won by 135 runs.

G. Abed 4/30, E. Petersen 3/36, O. Williams 1/33, C. Williams 1/31, J. Neethling 1/49) and 205 (A. Gafoor 72, R. D. Patel 51, R. Singh 23, G. Abed 4/50, E. Petersen 2/18, B. Dâ\200\231Oliviera 2/42, J. Neethling 1/24, O. Williams 1/31).

South Africa: 350/7 dec. (B. Dâ\200\231Oliviera 96, C.

Abrahams 77, A. Deedat 66, J. Neethling 53 n.o.,
B. dâ\200\231Cunha 4/78, Z. Shah 2/62) and 72/3 (C.
Abrahams 31 n.o., S. Raziet 19 n.o., R. Singh
2/10).

South Africa won by 7 wickets.

THIRD TEST

South Africa: 193 (S. Solomons 76, J. Neethling
57, B. dâ\200\231Cunha 3/49, C. Patel 2/52) and 183 (B.
Dâ\200\231Oliviera 50, C. Abrahams 26, G. T. Abed 34,
Jhalla 3/59).

East Africa: 49 (E. Petersen 5/14, C. Abrahams
4/20, O. Williams 1/5) and 72 (E. Petersen 4/29,
C. Abrahams 3/22, G. Langa 1/2, J. Neethling 1/5).
South Africa won by 255 runs.

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