

MARITZBURG'S CLAIMS FOR VOORTREKKER MONUMENT

TWO COMMANDING SITES
INSPECTED

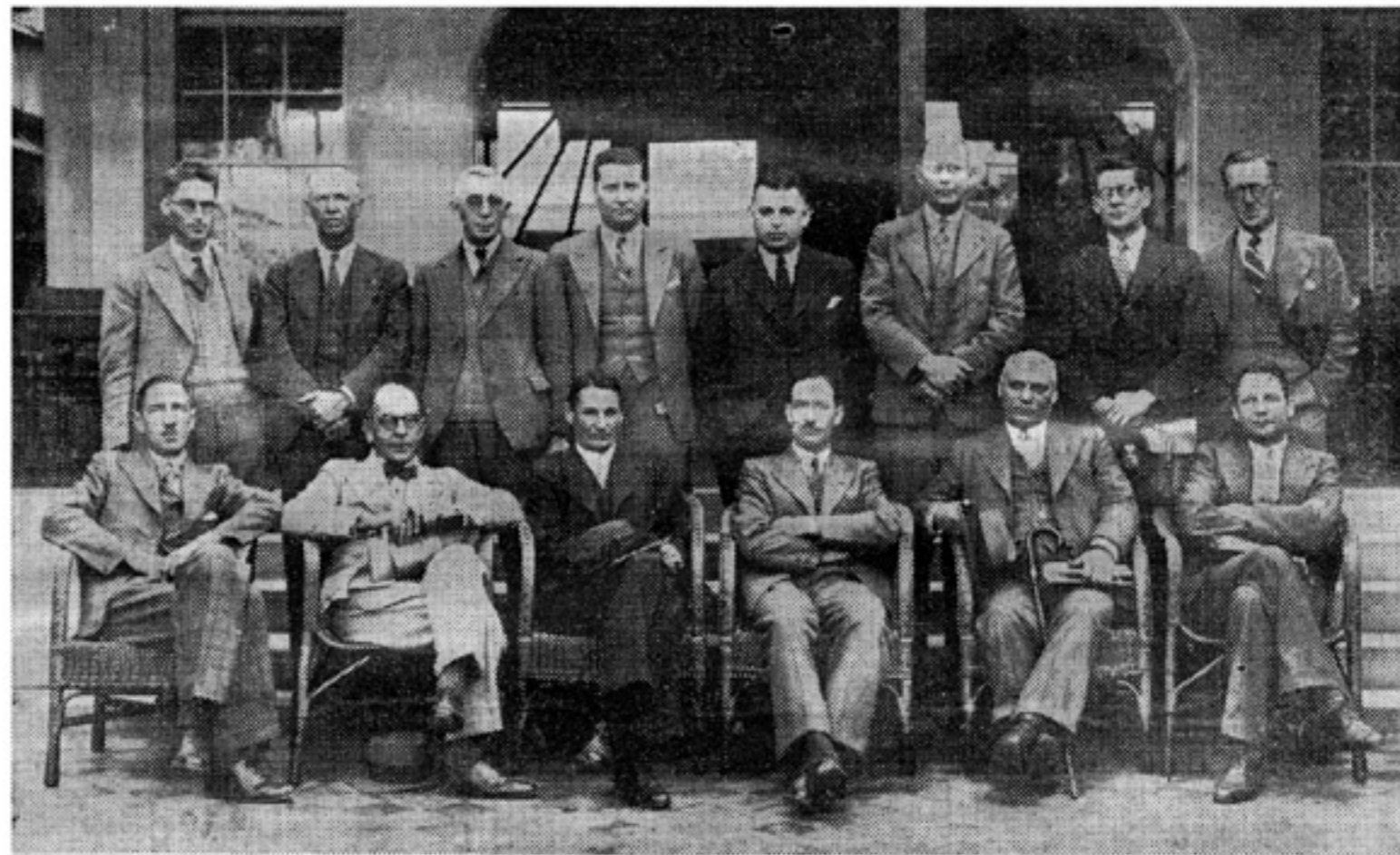
Rich Associations With Early Days
Narrated to Committee

OTHER CENTRES IN UNION STILL
TO BE VISITED

MARITZBURG'S rich associations with Voortrekker days were traced yesterday in graphic fashion to the committee charged with the duty of exploring prospective sites for South Africa's great tribute to the pioneers—the Voortrekker Monument.

The Mayor of Maritzburg, Mr. A. T. Allison, M.P.C., with a party of local experts, escorted the committee on a tour round the city and suburbs, two commanding sites being viewed.

"We are certainly impressed with what Maritzburg has shown us today," said Mr. Gerald Moerdyk, the designer of the memorial, to The Natal Witness afterwards.



SEARCH FOR MONUMENT SITE.—The committee which is inspecting prospective sites for the Voortrekkers' Monument, with local enthusiasts, photographed in Maritzburg yesterday. On the left of Mr. A. T. Allison, Mayor of Maritzburg (in the centre) is Mr. E. G. Jansen, chairman of the central committee, and on the right Senator F. S. Malan, with Mr. G. Moerdyk, the architect.