

Maeking, May 13, 1914,

Mr. Solomon T. Plaatje,
Passenger to England per
K I N F A U N S C A S T L E
CAPETOWN DOCKS.

Dear Sir:--

We are sending you a letter of recommendation duly signed by the Paramount Chief, Chiefs and Councillors and Headmen of the Nation. You are now clothed with all the power to fully represent the Barolong Nation at England and we hope the God of your fathers will crown your work with success.

Regarding the letter of Sechele, Chief of the Bakwena and the letter of Chief Seepapitso of Kanye I have not been able to send them to you for there was no responsible party to sign the same. For some time ago through the wisdom of our long lamented Chief Montsioa the Barolong secured farms in the Protectorate on the N. E. of Molopo River, leaving a strip of land on the West part known as the Barolong Reserve, which now is called Crown Land which name is now known to how it came to be attached to that part of the country.

Please refer to correspondence Nos. 1, 2, 3 and 4 which are self-explanatory. Get all the advice you can from Imperial authorities and see to it if what part of the country known as the Crown Reserve can be regained by the Barolong under the old name Barolong Reserve.

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