

All our chiefs have real pheta (Toga)

✓ Sibasa 2 strings

✓ Sefogole 2 strings

✓ Shiroane 3

✓ Kefedee 1

✓ Sekhenni 3

✓ Matimame 3

✓ Lesha Misoane 3

Matini Mphahlela 1

✓ Ntoamphe 2

Sekoroso in Hamutshing.

Paschos Road ³⁷
26/8/27.

Dear Mr Hunt
Herewith
the beads +
copper bar + head
of same. I'm curious
about the copper
+ would like to
know very much
what it has
been. There's
nothing but wind here
today + the "class" is
still low.

with kind regards
Yours Sincerely
R Charvley

~~Bahagabudi~~

Bahagabudi under Tulare
were the craftsmen of these
sticks.

The "Bahagabudi" was ^{hereditary} title.

The Bahagabudi had the secret
which he passed on to his son
as a "master smith".

The Amer. Museum of Natural
History.

77th Street & Central Park West
New York.

The Field Museum
Chicago Ill.
U.S.A.

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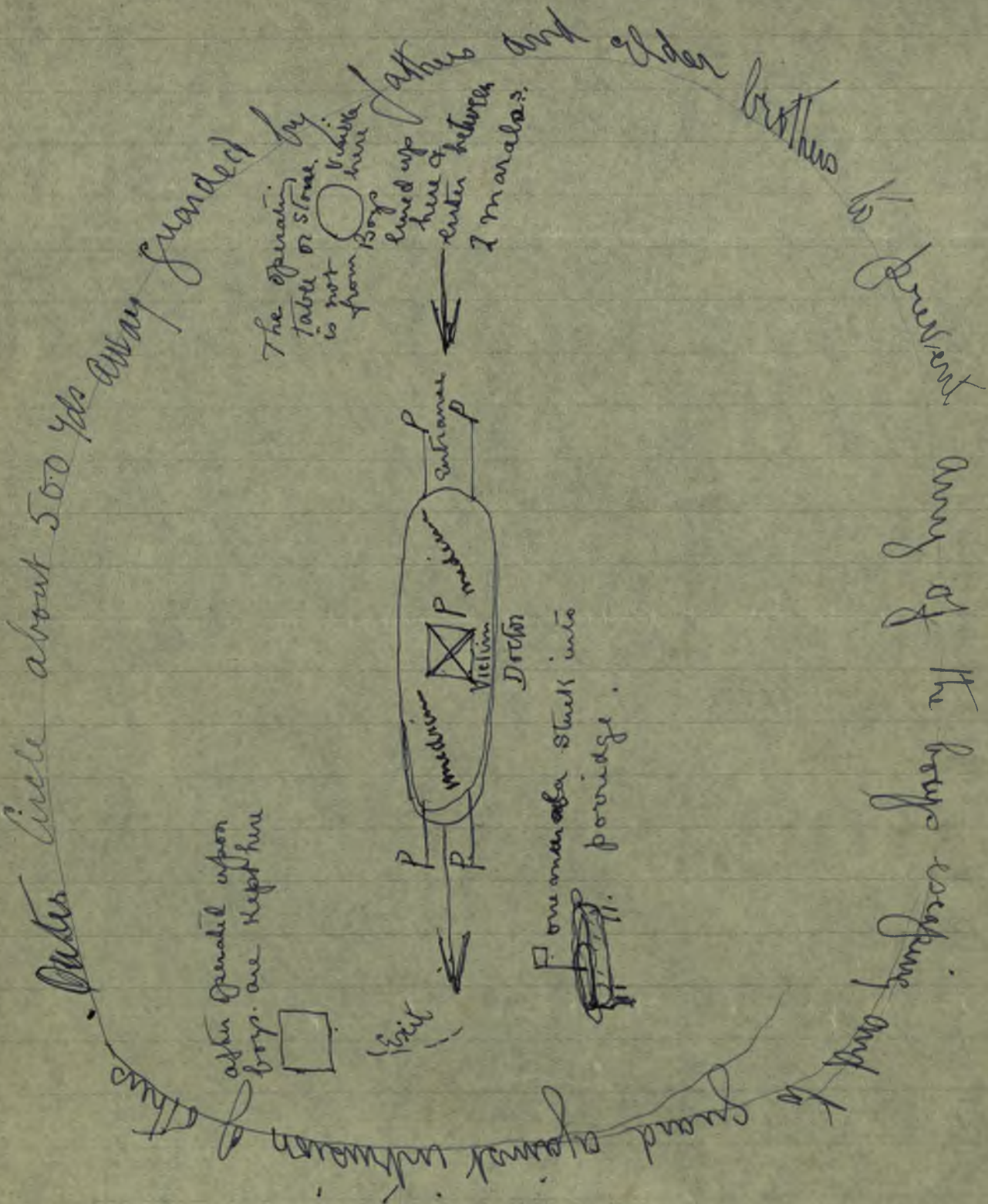
29/12/27.

Dear Mr. Hunt

I don't know whether you ever found out what that copper thing was, but I hear it is in "G.W. Stow's Native Races of South Africa" & the name is "marala stick."

The straight portion represents the penis & the other part the scrotum & the projection fertility. Originally it was used for lobola, about twenty of them being the price paid. They were manufactured at Palabora. They are supposed to be very rare & a good specimen worth about £20. Dr. Hall gave me the above information with kind regards & best wishes for the new year.

Yours sincerely, R. Charney



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