

Rra. Lo sale lo feta go rile tuu. Ga ke its
 a mothale ofe ka le dithushonyana tse di bonalan
 Aku ree kgoatlhe oa gagu, Mr Haal ure o ira jang
 a o gana ka madi e se a gagoe ka Robinson a rile
 isement koano fa ele account e tla ea ko Rnadfont
 e dueloeng teng. Mmolelele ure erile u ea Capetown
 ra Robinson lore a romele kitsisho jaanong u
 ranteng go bonala gore ke ene o ganang ka eone.
 botlhoko go bonala fa go tla nna strike ko Rad
 nna advertisement ele mo pampiring re ne re tl
 every month without any trouble, jaanong fa u
 romele jaanong there will be trouble in gettin
 if he does not send it I must tell them and
 will be very excited with the stike and pay
 will be obliged to wait for the £10. 10/ per
 is - over---probably next ~~year~~. Please

Coe coe a ku nthapelele le Kgosi gore fona
 mosako. Gape Congress e tla nna teng ka July
 Chief an Official letter of invitation, and
 to tell the other Chiefs in the Protectorate
 come to Johannesburg or send a responsible person
 burg. Please help me in these matters as the
 work keep me busy at top speed.

Greeting

Haal

S.T. Plaatje - Correspondence

Da 23 [1912? or 1913?]

Sir,

It has been very quiet since you passed here. I wonder where we can get help from? Ask Mr Haal what is happening? Does he refuse with money which is not his? Robinson had told him to send the money for advertisements here, but the account would be sent to Randfontein where it will be paid. Tell him that when you left for Cape-Town we asked Robinson to send us information; now it appears in the paper he refuses with it. What is worse is that there may be a strike at Randfontein. Had there been an advertisement in the paper every month, we would have avoided trouble. You do not send it now there will be trouble in getting the information and if he does not send it I must send them that information and they will be excited with the strike and payment will be delayed that is why I think that we will be obliged to wait for the £10-10s perhaps the strike will be over - probably next year.

Do please plead with the Chief for me. There will be a Congress again in July and we have sent the Chief an official letter of invitation and we asked him to tell the other Chiefs in these matters as the Tsala and congress work keeps me busy at top speed.

Greetings.

Plaatje

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