

29th August, 1945.

Mr. H. Selby Msimang,
General Secretary:
Natal African Congress.

Dear Sir,

I thank you for your note dated the 28th inst. with reference to the next meeting of the Executive Committee. I agree that we should have the meeting; you will appoint a suitable day and place of the meeting. You may be aware now that we shall be invited by the Daughters of Africa in their Conference in Newcastle to be held in October.

As to Kanyile's affair I have a letter from the Native Commissioner. I am communicating with the C.N.C. myself.


As to Makanya's affair I had placed it in the hands of Mr. E. O. Msimang to have it attended legally. I spoke to him because the whiteman shot dead this Makanya's goats for alleged trespass. I personally spoke to Mr. Msimang. In these matters we have to have a legal adviser who must attend to these matters. If you will remind Mr. Msimang he will remember about it.

The Muden affair is very important. I spoke about it in the Open Council. I also spoke about it to the Secretary in the Office. They contend that the Natives have no case. They showed me the copy of the Deed of Transfer. I told them that as far as I am concerned the Natives had an inherent right to protect their rights as members of the Mission. Don't you think that we should obtain Counsel's opinion? My immediate concern is about our National Fund. Before the meeting of the Executive I think we should have the meeting of the Working Committee to deal with this

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funds organisation.
We must move forward.

Yours faithfully,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to be 'A. M. S.', written over a horizontal line.

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