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Rra Ke utluile mafoko a lokoalo loa gago. Go nale namane e tona  
ea tsietsi e e re raletseng ka ntlha ootlhe, mo loapeng ko nageng  
mo ditirong mo mmeding le kae le kae. Ngoaga ono o simologile  
ka dikutluisho-botlhoko, eseng mo morafeng fela le mo bathung ka  
pharologano. Kgetse ea Dinca, choaro ea kgosi Tatinyane, mashoe

ao othe a mphitlhela ke le mo ditharaanchong tse di kile tsa nkisa kong.

tse le jaanong ke sa itseng kafa nka di potang ka teng. Ke shone  
se ebile ekete ke tholotse mafokoa gago kaga bo Leeds Hospital  
and Medical training (England or America) ke dilo tse u di nt-a-  
editseng tse u tla mpnang botlhogole, mme rure ese jone ele go  
tshelala fela mo dikhutsafalong le mo diphegelong tse di ntseng  
jaka tse re kile ra tshela le bo Dikoko kong

Mo kgoedding ea December re shoecoe ke banyana ba ba anyang jana  
Mrs Mbelle, her brother, her sister (who is married to my brother  
Ramokoto) 2 at Colesberg and two here ka oa rona' in the same  
family. Now Monnapula's and Ngoana's rakgadi at Bethani all babies.

SICKNESS eone e tsamaea ka diatla, motho eo o fodileng o  
bonoa secelo. Eare motlhamongoe ke gopole gore ke bplaoa ke di  
troubles tse tsa Tsala. Strike le shone se ntiretse mo go golo  
se sentse tiro ea rona ko Transvaal ka kgoedi ea January we could  
not get any money from there, qn and that made things worse.

Kgolego ea Kgosi Tatinyane e re tsentse boloretse ka rona re itse A  
Ba bangoe motlhamongoe fa ba bala mo dipampiring ba gopola gore ke  
headman fela e e chonang le Nce, kgotsa koloane mongoe eo o "rough  
jaka Ramakoloi or Dikgaou. Rona ba re itseng gore emang ren itse  
gore tlhogo ea morafe oa Rolong e mo mashoeng a magolo. Bana ba  
ga Mosele bone ba kgoleaganyedicoe eng ba coa Thaba Nchob, gotoe  
baeng ga ba dibedi? Rure mathata a 1914 ke a a ngomolang pelo  
Re ka rapela fela gore a fele ka molemo jaka a re simologets'e ka  
mashulashula a

Da 27 Aug 18

Sir I heard the words from your letter. There is a very big trouble which has penetrated all over. In yards, in working places, in valleys and every-where. This year started with sorrow; and that doesn't only affect the tribe but every individual. Dick's care, the arrest of chief Tatinyane. All those found me in trouble like those which once made me come ~~there~~ there, those which even now I do not know how to ~~handle~~ handle them. (how to solve them) That is why I seem quiet about you words about Leeds hospital, and medical training (England or America) such thing will make you think I am not good, but really that not being the case, is just these bad things bad thing which are like those we once lived with them there when we were with Ditsoko.

In December ~~there~~ we had babies' death and Mrs. Mbelle, her brother, her sister (who is married to my brother to my brother's family. Now Monnapsular and my aunt baby at Bethune. This was a very bad sickness, you could hardly find a healed person. Sometimes I think I am mostly worried by my friends' troubles, but stroke too made me worse, it spoiled all our work in Transvaal in January we could not get any money there any more

~~now a man I am mostly worried by my friend's troubles,  
but stroke too made me worse, it spoiled all our work in  
Transvaal in January we could not get any money there ~~they were~~  
done from there and that made things worse.~~

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The Tita Tatinyane's arrest has caused a great sorrow among us who  
know, some people will think that he was just a head man like  
Nce, I mean those who just get things from the papers, or  
just a rough radical young man like Ramakotai or Dikgacu.  
But those of us who know him very well, we are aware  
that the Kolong chief is in shit or bull-shit. why should  
the children of Modile uprose like that, yet they are from Thaba  
who it is been said the ~~visitor~~ visitor is never twice? really  
the 1914 <sup>sorrows</sup> 'troubles' are heart-barking. let us just pray that  
every ends well as we started with sorrows.

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