

To Chief Wessels Moutsoa
or Silas Molema

Lord Methuen wants
about 30 wagons to carry
goods from here to the camp
at Cowan's farm during
next week.

The loads will be about
5500 lbs. and rate of hire
will be £1 a day for each
waggon with 16 oxen.

Can

you get any from the
Baralong. I shall be
very glad if you can
let me know by ^{eight}
or nine o'clock, ^{tomorrow morn} how
many can be got.

Lord Methuen would
like to have as many
as possible to be at the
Transport Office at
7 o'clock on Monday

morning.

Even if you cannot
get the full number by
Monday morning I hope
to see some by then.

The rest could come on
Tuesday or Wednesday.

~~J. B. Moffat~~
Resident Magistrate.

The waggons will not be
required to go beyond Cousin's
farm ~~J. B. M.~~

Required from
~~Required to~~
Required from

} Chief Lekoko on behalf of Chief Israel

by O.C. In Transport Depot

Mapetling

Station

28. 9. 00

Date.

14 donkeys of which 4 are returned as a reward

Barnes Leonard
Signature
Capt

20/11/00
The 4 0.0
are given as reward
for 20 sheep from
Chief Israel
W. J. [unclear]
[unclear]

Mafeking

3rd February 1900

Zyne Ed Jacobus Inyman,
Beveelhebber Machten
Z. A. R.
Mafeking

Waarde Heer,

Twee jongen zyn stiletjes hier ingekomen: zy geven my eenen mondelijke boodschap van u ed; en van eenen van Saane, dat het met my beter zal gaan indien ik myn volk uit Mafeking naar buiten neem om de hongersnood te myden. Deze boodschap is zoo gewichtig dat ik over om het zonder een brief te luisteren.

U ed moet verstaan dat ik tot heden toe nog in de handen der Engelsche zyn en het is my te gevaarlijk om met zulke zaak zonder een letterlike bewijs te handelen, want heb niets ^{ik} te proef dat zy waarlijk van U ed en Saane zyn: misschien is het een Engelsche net om my in moeielijkheden te brengen daarom schrijf ik om u kennis te geven waarover ik hen gehouden heb. Gelieve my hastig een antwoordt terug te zenden want het is gevaarlijk om hen hier zonder de kennis der Engelschen

te houden. Ik ben angstig om myne
mensen naar hunne tuinen ongewapend
terug te hebben

U. eds. Dienstwaardige
Wessels X Montsiva
Captijn van De Barolong

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Office of the Inspector of Native Reserves, Sitalyali

Makking 28th July 1903

Chief Wessels Montevideo
Makking

Greeting: My Friend

There are a number of
Kyalagadis (Vaalsens) living
about Makking on the Reserve,
especially on the North, towards
Rhamatthabams.

These people are not doing
much good about there so
they must be warned, either
to leave this Reserve altogether
or else they must all come
into one localism, the site
of which I leave to you to
decide upon.

I intend visiting that
part of the Reserve towards
the middle of August if
I

I find any of these people
about there then. I will dis-
troy their huts by setting
fire to them.

You must therefore send
a message to them all
telling them about this

I am
your Friend
C. Spring
Inspector

Resident Magistrate's Office,

M/10/255
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Mafeking, 15th October 1903.

To

Chief Westels Montsioa
and Headmen, Baralong, Mafeking.

With reference to your petition of July last praying to be relieved from payment of the balance of the purchase amount due on the farms Expath, Heath, Buccleugh and Kgaba, I am directed to inform you that the Prime Minister, while appreciating your good behaviour during the siege, and your loyalty during the war, as well as sympathising with you in the hardships and suffering that have been entailed, regrets that the Government are unable to grant relief in the manner sought, there being no provision in the law for cancellation of the mortgages on the properties in question.

Sir Gordon Sprigg observes that one of the principal reasons advanced in support of your request is that provision could thus be made for the maintenance of the widows and orphans of those of your tribe who were unfortunately killed during the war. In that connection he desires me to inform you that Parliament will be approached next session for the necessary sanction, with a view to the payment of a grant or gratuity in each case according to its merits. For this purpose, as you are aware, a list of cases has already been furnished which will in due course be presented to Parliament.

Your Friend,

P. Graham Green
Resident Magistrate.

MINCHIN & SONNENBERG,
Attorneys and Notaries, etc.,
VRYBURG, MAFEKING and
CAPE TOWN.

Telegraphic Address at VRYBURG—
"LAW."
Telegraphic Address at MAFEKING—
"MINCHIN."
Telegraphic Address at CAPE TOWN—
"MINCHIN."

Mafeking,

10th Dec 1890

BRITISH BECHUANALAND.

The Chief Wessels,
Mafeking.

Dear Sir,

I am glad to be able to inform you that the Government will not proceed in the case of the cattle looted from Michael and that your people will be released from their bail. This you will hear officially from the Magistrate.

I enclose account for £10 in the matter also for the £12 paid to Michael.

I am still waiting for the list of your people killed in the War which should be sent in as soon as possible.

Your friend,

S. Minchin

Received from Native Chief
Lokoko, the undermentioned: -

Bulls	1
Cows	10
Heifers	4
Sters	6
Calves	4

Total 25 Head

Maseking
9. 10. 00

K. Straup

Captain
A.D.

Mafeking
Dec. 10th

Chief Wessels Montsied,
In account with
Minchin & Sonnenberg.

1900

Nov 19 To attendances re cattle of Michael
both in office & at your house,
appearing in Court & on
adjournment on behalf of Baslong
• attendances on Michael & paid
his claim for cattle as per receipt
attached

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