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Personal

16. 3. 1938

Dear Dr Xuma,

I was extremely glad to get your letter of the 6<sup>th</sup> March & to hear that you were well. Your children apart from the common colds now and again have always been well. I was extremely sorry to hear about your dad, and I wish you long life. Your father was an old man, and men can't live for ever. If we can reach the age that he was we shall attain some degree of compensation for the work in our own life-time.

I have often wished to have your address and I am glad that I have now got it. In your sphere there has not been over activity but the expenses just cover themselves with something to spare for the trouble. With Prosper's windfall gone for ever, and Doornfontein being cleared out, you can understand that End Str is now at an end except for the

old stalwarts who believe in the magic  
of the rooms. You know of course that as  
soon as you left, Mills opened up next  
door to Seeger's, who was promised the  
support of the medicines. The boot is now  
on the other foot. Seeger gets no prescriptions  
as Mills now does his own dispensing.  
Mills of course has useful agents - and  
I still work - honestly.

Most of the calls at Sophiatown  
come only at night or on Sunday morning.  
I still think that when you return you  
must open at Orlando, it would be much  
better than End St. as all Prospect &  
Doornfontein have tricked to that area.

I am standing for Parliament in  
May but I have no chance of getting  
in, as I am standing in a jingo area,  
and I am afraid that my slogans  
"Healthy native population makes a white  
population healthy + health  
wages for health, and wages for age"  
may not carry just yet - but I am fighting  
the fight for all good people  
with End Regards to all  
Yours, Julius Dubane

Good luck  
in all your work. P.S. Please write.

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22nd March, 1938.

Dr. A. B. Xuma,  
4 Gordon Place,  
LONDON, W.C.1.

*Rare Relations*

Dear Dr. Xuma,

Thinking ahead with regard to your Luncheon speech on April 8th, I am wondering whether it would be useful to have a list on the blackboard of the various Acts to which I expect you will have cause to refer. Remembering your interesting speech at Muswell Hill, I am very anxious that the people who listen to you next month may be able to follow not only with their ears but with their eyes the repressive legislation which has been enacted in South Africa in recent years.

If this idea commends itself to you, please let us have the list two or three days beforehand. If you care to meet me and have a chat about it over lunch, so much the better.

With kindest regards,

Believe me,  
Very sincerely yours,

*Stanley Easton*

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March 25th, 1938

## AFRICA EDUCATION GROUP

Dear Member of the Group,

At the next meeting of the Group Mr Dougall will present for discussion a memorandum to be put before the missionary societies from the Group, as recommendations for action arising from the papers read this winter.

It is not easy to find a convenient date. April 29th, which was proposed, now proves impossible. Could you manage May 6th in the morning or afternoon, May 13th in the morning or afternoon or, failing those, April 22nd in the morning?

I am,

Yours sincerely,

B.D. GIBSON

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31st March, 1938.

Dr. A. B. Xuma,  
4 Gordon Place,  
LONDON, W.C.1.

*our Relations*

Dear Dr. Xuma,

I hope you got my letter of a week ago, in which I wanted to be helpful by making an appeal to "eye-gate" as well as "ear-gate" when you are speaking here next week.

Perhaps you will be writing me over the week-end.

With kindest regards,

Believe me,  
Very sincerely yours,

*Dancey Gordon*

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1st April, 1938.

Dr. A. B. Xuma,  
4 Gordon Place,  
LONDON, W. C. 1.

*Race Relations*

Dear Dr. Xuma,

Replying to the last paragraph in your letter received this morning, our lunch begins at one, as you may remember, and the speaker is usually on his feet by 1.30, and we like him to be finished by, at the latest, 1.55. It will not therefore, I fear, be possible for you to get back to your lecture at two.

The suggestion I made with regard to the black-board was with a view to making it easier for your audience to follow your statements. These various Acts referred to in your letter are so very clearly in your mind, but are not too easy to follow when they have to be related to the information that you are giving us in the course of your speech. However, I have made the suggestion for your consideration, and if you do not think it is going to be helpful we need take no further steps in the matter.

Long experience has taught me that for a non-technical audience it is best for a speaker to avoid too many dates and too many figures. I hope that you will be able to give us one or two word-pictures as you make your points one after the other.

With kindest regards,

Believe me,  
Very sincerely yours,

*Stanley Dorton*

ABX. 380403



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IVY LODGE,  
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SURREY.

3rd April 1938

Dear D. Luma,

We are looking forward to hearing you next Friday. We start the meal at 1 pm sharp & after the introductory remarks by the Chairman you should be on your feet by 1.28 pm. I hope 25 minutes will be enough for you, as the Chairman should have a chance of winding up so that the men can leave promptly at 2 pm.

I've no doubt Mr. Sowden will also have reminded you.

I trust you enjoy it as much as we shall. Let me know if I can help you in any way.

Gratefully & sincerely yours  
W. Glasspoole

ABX. 380407a  
Race Relations

TELEPHONE 41-1211.

ANWOTH,

JAN SMUTS AVENUE,

PARKTOWN,

JOHANNESBURG.

7<sup>th</sup> April 1938

Dear D' Xuma.

We went to see  
your children and found  
them looking very well and  
happy. They look such nice  
children and I think the  
little girl is very pretty.  
We did not see your sister  
for she was out but we  
saw your niece and talked  
with her giving her news  
of you.

We have had a most interesting  
trip and have met quite a lot  
of your friends. The Matthews  
were very kind to us at Fort Hare  
and we lived there both  
enormously - we also met  
Professor Jabavu there and one  
or two other friends of the  
Matthews - whose names I can't  
spell. At Adams we saw



Mr. Utim Rulu and gave  
him news of Miss Fengyang.  
He also saw Dr and Mrs Borner  
at Middledrift and at Hutton,  
Dr Wellington and Miss Fengyang's  
sister and the Wilsons (Nonica  
Hunter) Kerns at FortHare and  
many other interesting people.

The Ballingers dined with  
us at Cape Town and we  
went to hear him speak to  
some coloured people — we  
are all very friendly again.  
Sueyane says that Mrs Ballinger  
made a really splendid  
speech in the House, I  
think she will do a lot  
of good there. We met  
Dr. Nolteno who seems to  
be working well with  
Mrs Ballinger. of course

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ANWOTH,

JAN SMUTS AVENUE,

PARKTOWN,

JOHANNESBURG.

We also saw the  
R-1s but you won't be quite  
so interested in them.

Here we have seen the  
Hoernli's and went to the  
Bantu News Social Centre to  
ask ~~them~~ them there if they  
could find us a Boarding  
Master to look after the  
peculiarities on the farm. We  
saw two men there who asked  
to be remembered to you  
- Mr. Lithelo & Mr. Setlogelo.

I saw Mrs. Noumaroe  
yesterday, she is naturally  
worried about Victoria being  
ill but I told her the child  
had some good friends and  
was being well taken care of.

We leave here today &

the N. Transvaal. I  
think you know our  
address there

P. O. of Colaco  
N. Transvaal

I hope you are getting  
on well and have not  
been feeling so worried  
about the children.

Please remember us both  
to Professor Macmillan next  
time you see him.

Kind regards from my  
husband and myself

Sincerely yours

Elzavir Thwaites

Alexandra  
Health Officer

ABX. 3804076

Alexandra Township,  
JOHANNESBURG,  
SOUTH AFRICA,  
7th April, 1938.

Dear Dr. Xuma,

In the first place I must beg for your pardon for what I had promised to do, to send you regularly all the reports of the Committee's activities, I have not been able to do so, and I have always felt that I would be interfering with your so much desired studies for the forthcoming exams you will be taking.

Things have so changed locally that it is quite possible that when you return we shall be on a different footing than when you left us. Our Sanitary Staff has done excellent work. Mr. Thipe was successful at the examinations held under the directorship of Dr. Anning and Mr. Nyamende has acquired his R.S.I. certificate.

The whole trouble now lies in the inhabitants. During December and up to the present we have the Press busy some clamouring for the immediate abolition of the Township whilst others follow the contents of the Feetham Report, a copy of which I am sending under separate cover, that the Government should shoulder the burden of the whole administration of the Township.

The Feetham Report will give you an idea of the opposite attitude adopted by the Europeans of the place. The City Council, Native Affairs Department, Public Health Department and the Provincial Administration will be meeting very soon to confer on our ultimate end. As soon as we receive a drastic change I shall let you know. At the moment things are just running smoothly the only exception being these smallpox cases - created by none but the Zionists who point blank refuse to be vaccinated.

Another long wanting asset is the co-operation of the inhabitants and the Health Committee. At the present such co-operation is lacking and lacking to an extent that

people are actually playing into the hands of the City Council. Recently a public meeting decided to F.M.G (in their own way of putting it - meaning FALWASSER MUST GO). I take no sides, but I think when such a resolution is submitted to the Administrator and a deputation waits on him, whilst on the one hand we have the Feetham report which places high praise on the system of Government of the Township, things do not look at all rosy for us. Even the recent smallpox outbreak was so tackled that the Union Public Health Department was surprised at the manner in which we handled the affair. To-day after having discovered, with no aid from a Medical Practitioner - some hidden cases, the Press have the audacity of terming the Township a "PLAGUE SPOT". This insinuation we might augment by having this split between the people ~~the~~ and the Health Committee.

I do hope that when you return you will find things on a bettering line and I have thought to myself that since you were M.O.H. we were never so worried by the Government Departments, nor were insinuations thrown at us from the Press as at present, and your return will, this is my sound contention - wave aside such insinuations and we shall never - as in the past - have an outbreak of any form of epidemic.

Your studies are a great concern as far as I am concerned and I do not want you to worry about local affairs whilst furthering your knowledge.

With all kind wishes.

Yours very sincerely,

/ARM.

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8<sup>th</sup> April 1938

Dear D. Luma,

The mission House recommend  
as tailor B. H. yes, 17 Old Change,  
Barnon St., West. My own tailor  
who I know would satisfy you is  
Henry N. Schofield, 211 St. John's Hill,  
Clapham Junction, SW11. (He is  
on the telephone).

You gave us something  
different today & we are very  
grateful to you. There were several  
of our regular messengers, but there was  
a bunch from Rayleigh, Essex of  
10 men (all new buns!)

Yours ever sincerely  
W. Glasspoole.

ABX. 380413

Beltracis - General

The University Union  
Edinburgh, Scotland,  
13/4/38

My dear Dr. Xuma,

I was very happy to receive your letter to-day. Sorry to hear of the lamentable loss of your father, for which you have my most sincere sympathy.

I like things in Edinburgh fairly well. Only I hate to stay here longer than I had planned, which now seems inevitable.

If successful in my examinations, it is my plan

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to return home the end of 1939 or  
early 1940.

Among South Africans in Edinburgh  
are Ihlamini, from Natal, Molema  
from Mafeking, Bikitshu and Xunta  
from the Transkei Territories, Sibilo  
from Natal again, and Monari from  
the Transvaal.

I have no plans for Easter,  
though I am expected in  
Aberdeen the end of the month.

Hope things will change for  
the better in your situation there.

Sincerely yours,

Hastings K. Banda



Race Relations SABX. 380418a

THE RECTORY,  
STOWE-NINE-CHURCHES,  
WEEDON, NORTHANTS.

18. 4. 1938

Dear Dr. Xuma.

Last Saturday we met Miss Carlidge of the S. African Church Institute and she gave me your phone number and address.

We were glad to know you are back in England. We have now settled here. - a quiet, very quiet village, 8 miles from Northampton, 6½ miles from Towcester.

wonder if you could come along and spend a weekend, or a few days with us?

I phoned you on Saturday evening, but you happened to be out.

our phone number is 117 Weedon. I have a small and noisy car and would be glad to meet you either at Towcester or Northampton.

Yours Sincerely

H. N. Martinis

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Please say - if you can come - at  
what station you will arrive - there are  
two stations at Northampton.

- Also there is a north country bus  
service called "midland" which goes  
through Weedon which is only  $1\frac{1}{2}$  miles  
from here.

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HOTEL  
DER KAISERHOF  
AN DEN STAÄTLICHEN BADHÄUSERN  
BAD NAUHEIM

18. 4. 38

personal

Dr. Victor Khuma.

I was very slow in answering your letter but have been in the pi' ever since I arrived and am here now to take a rest and also to have my heart rested and seen to. I enclose a cheque for £35 to help you through and hope I can do a little more for you before I leave for S.A. on the 4<sup>th</sup> June.

I enclose a cutting from paper which may interest you. My brother <sup>would</sup> like to hear Dr. Siebman is the mischief maker and the wiping out of Alexander is his chief propaganda subject. He wants to get into the Municipal Council. If this is so or not I don't

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tell. Anyway my people are watching over my interests until I get back. Mr Swobler has retired! This is also a good thing. There are elections to be fought out there and there won't be time to do much damage - while this is going on and the Feehan report must also be considered. Anyway I am not working at present. But I will be glad when you get back. How long will you be? I cannot trust the other people.

There is nothing more to say. I get to England about the 25th May or so and would like to see you. Please drop me a line to c/o Standard Bank of S.A. 9 Westminister Lane about that time and fix a time when I can meet you. With kind regards

Yours sincerely

J. M. Bangalore

ABX. 380420

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April 20th 1938.

Dr. A.B. Xuma,  
London School of Hygiene,  
Keppel Street,  
Gower Street, W.C. 1.

Dear Dr. Xuma,

Many thanks for your letter of April 18th I should be very glad to see you here before you return to South Africa. Would Monday next, April 25th, suit you? I presume that you are still engaged most of the day at the School of Hygiene and that you would not be able to manage any time earlier than 5.30 or 6 p.m.? If this will suit you I shall look forward to seeing you on Monday.

Yours sincerely,

*Race Relations:-*

*I. M. Nangle.*

Secretary.

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April 23rd 1938.

Dr. A.B. Xuma,  
School of Hygiene & Tropical Medicine,  
Keppell Street,  
Gower Street,  
London, W.C. 1.

Dear Dr. Xuma,

After you telephoned yesterday, I remembered that unfortunately I have another appointment at 6 p.m. on Tuesday next April 26th, and as I am unlikely to get back from my earlier Committee before 4.30 or 5.p.m. this leaves us very little time. Could you therefore come on Monday after all, or would you rather come one day later in the week - perhaps Friday April 29th would suit you?.

I am so sorry to have to change again, but I had completely forgotten the later appointment when you spoke to me.

Yours sincerely,

*I. M. Nangle.*

Secretary.

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Dr A.B.Xuma,  
The London School of Hygiene  
and Tropical Medicine,  
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Keppel Street,  
London W.C.I.

938 Beckwith Street, S.W.  
Atlanta Georgia,  
U.S.A.

May 3rd, 1938.

*Personal  
Matters*

Dear Doc,

Thanks a million for your letter of April 9, I was already begining to wonder what had happened to you, and was thrilled to receive your letter which however had the sad news in of the passing of Father, please allow me to convey to you and the entire family my sincerest sympathy with you in your berievement. I recall the very pleasant memories you used to tell me about, and in my heart felt you had a deep seated love for Father and feel sure South Africa is poorer for his loss. Then, allow me to congratulate you on your splendid success at your recent examinations. No, I do not think it was "luck" I have always felt sure you could do almost any thing to which you put your hand, I therefore wish you even greater success in the finals.

School here, will be "out" on June 2nd, and my plans for the present are to proceed to New York join a Recreation Centre for three weeks and then proceed to Chicago to take a "Summer" in the following: Administration, Recreation, Case Work, etc. Then I propose to see some of the Institutions I have been learning about in Cleveland, Washington, Philadelphia, Boston, and whilst at the latter place, will visit Mr Bridgman, and Dr Loram id at home. All this should take me to the middle of August after which I plan to come over to England. All this however will be dependent upon my securing money from some where, in the meantime Old man "shekels" is still striving to get me some money for the purpose, if on the other hand I cannot get money from America I fear will have to content myself with what I have thus far learnt.

I was sorry indeed to learn of the indisposition of Miss Maomakoe, I do hope she will soon be restored to complete health and strength. I hear from home every week and the "Little Girl" is doing very well including all your juvenile patients, the "Professor" however, writes that he is busy trying to pass his sixth standard and tells me that he has very little time to write to me. I had a circular letter from The Rev Dr Ray E. Phillips yesterday in which he tells his American friends of the many responsibilities that have been piled upon him and his wife since their return a little under a year ago, from the letter, it would seem position after position has been piled upon him, He is now Gamma-Sigma Clubs organozer for the "Chamber" and runs two cars one given to him by the people of America and the other the "Chamber". You will I am sure be pleasantly surprised to learn of the appointment to the B.M.S.C. Staff <sup>at</sup> Mr A.P. Khutlang, this appointment does not seem to be consistant with a recent statement made to discontinue my salary after the expiry of my term of furlough because of lack of funds. However, I am not loosing sleep over this affair. Shall let you have my definate plans as soon as I know whether I am to receive financial help or not. In the meantime



I shall be glad if you will address all letters after the 20th May to me c/o Messrs Thomas Cook and Son 587, 5th Avenue New York City. Then you said very little about Auntie May in your last letter. What is the position? We have not lost have we?

If you should see Miss Maomakoe kindly extend to her my ~~xx~~ sincerest sympathy.

With all good wishes,

Always yours,

John Paul White

P.S.

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Miss Pearl White got married to a Mr. Bennett in Chicago a few weeks ago. This was on the eve of her return to S.A. Had a letter from her a few days ago.

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4th May, 1938.

Dear Dr. Xuma,

I am very sorry to say so, but I am afraid I cannot part with your pamphlets - I think there were two - for the simple reason that I found the material so valuable that I packed them up with all my other documents to take to South Africa, whither I am going on Saturday morning. I do hope you can let me keep them.

I trust you will be able some time to go to Africa House, which we have now purchased, and lend our friends a hand in making this a successful social centre.

Yours sincerely,

*x Camden Sq.*

*John Harris*

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May 5, 1938

Dear Dr. Xuma,

Many thanks for your  
letter. I sail on Saturday next  
& I enclose a provisional  
programme of my journey.  
I shall be glad to hear from  
you at any time.

Yours sincerely

Russell Brayshaw

ABX. 380511

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PALAPYE ROAD,  
BECHUANALAND PROTECTORATE.

SOUTH AFRICA.

May 11th, 1938.

Dr. A. B. X u m a ,  
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And Tropical Medicine,  
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G o w e r Street,  
L O N D O N, W.C.1.

Dear Sir,

I thank you for your letter of the 22nd April, 1938, and very much appreciate what you said in it.

I had the privilege of seeing you by accident and I when Mr. Griffiths Motsieloa/walked into your surgery in Johannesburg in 1928.

Regarding my views on the suggested incorporation of the Bechuanaland Protectorate into the Union of South Africa, I and my people are strongly opposed to such incorporation by reason of the Union's Native Policy towards its own natives, and I need not dwell at length on this question, as you are better acquainted with the Union legislation than I am, because your home is in the Union.

With reference to your seeing The Secretary of State on our behalf, I am afraid I cannot go as far as that, but you can see him and tell him what you yourself feel about this suggested incorporation, because I know

you...../

you are also opposed to the idea of having these territories transferred to the Government of the Union of South Africa. My not granting you permission to interview the Secretary of State on our behalf must not be taken as meaning that I distrust you in any way - far from that - the question is a very delicate and diplomatic one indeed, and you know that I am a representative of the people and am not at liberty to authorise any private individual to interview such a high official on their behalf, and in any case you could not be accepted by the Secretary of State as an official representative of the people.

With kind regards,

yours sincerely,

*Shekedi Thama*

Personal.

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P. O. Klipston  
14/5/38

My dear Doctor

You have my heart  
felt-sympathy in your sad  
loss, of which, I did not know  
until a few weeks ago at the  
dedication of our church in  
Sophiatown. God's ways are not  
our ways, so our duty is to say,  
"Thy Will be done". We are pray-  
ing for you. Mother sends  
best-wishes she still uses her  
sun bath but is getting very  
feeble nowadays.

The children look well &  
have to see them several times

We are having cold spells al-  
ready. This winter starts too early  
for old folks, but of course I am  
in my full senses now.

I have not heard from Dr Berry  
as yet, I understand that he  
will be here in July with Bishop  
and family.

Closing with best-wishes for  
your continued success.

Yours sincerely

Charlotte M. Matoka

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