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To the Editor of the African Times.

Lovedale
15 Aug. 1878

Messrs Bell & Comyns
Oranjia.

Lovedale
S Africa
13 Aug 78.

In addition to the order already sent by this mail please send
1 copy of Isaiah pt I in Camb Bible Size
and if part II is published in the same series, please send 6 copies.
If the Letter is not pub.d please let
[illegible] of your circular and we shall
be sorry when it is likely to appear, but
do not send the 6 copies unless
[illegible]
please also send Otto Ritterbusch's Poetry

Yours truly
J. Love

Lovedale
15 Aug. 1878

Mr. G. Martin Esq.
Hon. Secy
Victoria East Church
Extension Committee.

Lovedale
16 Aug 78

Dear Sir,
I notice [illegible] plans
have been published as a pamphlet
of the [illegible]
I have sent off by
address 50 circular cards.
Yours truly The circular is 1/6 and
2d for postage, in all 1/8.
[illegible]
J. Love

[illegible]
Rev. J. Love
Wellington.

Yours sincerely
J. Love

1 = Schreiner
6 = Sorga
Dr. Pauline
Schreiner
Bottoms

To the Editor of the Alice Times.

Lovedale
15 Aug. 1898.

Sir,

My attention has been called to the fact that my name was published in the "Alice Times" as one of a committee to secure the return of Messrs Tamplin and Garrett for Victoria East.

I shall be obliged if you will give me an opportunity of saying that I have written to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] Committee to say that I [illegible] [illegible] was elected, that I would not have agreed to my name being added to the committee, and that I desire it to be withdrawn.

Lovedale
15 Aug. 1898.

M. E. Mackenzie, Esq
Hon. Secy.
Victoria East Election
Executive Committee.

Dear Sir,

I notice that my name has been published as a member of the General Committee for securing the return of Messrs. Tamplin & Garrett.

I was not present at any meeting when this Committee was elected, nor would I have agreed to my name being added to the Committee. I shall [illegible] [illegible] if you will withdraw it.

I remain
Yours Sincerely
A. Lennox.

Lovedale
S. Africa
22 Aug. 1898.

Lovedale
S.A.
20 Aug. 1898

The Secy.
Tonic Sol-fa College

Messrs. Bell & Bradfute,

Dear Sir, Dear Sirs.

I send Please post to me
1 copy "Devotional Services for
Public Worship" by
John Humber, 1892.
1 — Blaikie's For the Work
of the ministry
& oblige
Yours Truly
J. Lennox

Please also send me
5 doz. Elementary Pract. Exam. — 10
1 set — [illegible]
for 1898 [illegible] for Elementary — 3
1 set — — — — — Junior — 3
8/6

[illegible] new sight-singing tests are not
[illegible] I shall be obliged if you
[illegible] them [illegible] as they appear.
[illegible]

Lovedale
27 Aug. 1898.

The Registrar
Univ. C. G. Hope.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge
with thanks, the [illegible] 6
£9, being Commissioners
fee for the Elementary, School
Higher, & University Examinat[illegible]

John Lennox
27/8/98.

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale
S. Africa
27 Aug. 1898.

The Secy.
Tonic Sol-fa College
London.

Dear Sir,

I send herewith vouchers for 20 candidates who have passed the Elementary Practical Examination & for which I shall be glad to receive the certificates. I am sorry I had as [illegible] painted vouchers. Thirteen were below 16 years of age. I enclose 8/6 in order & stamps

13	Elementary fees @ 3d	3/3
7	— — — — — — 1d	3/6

Please also send me

5 doz Elementary Pract. "Requirements"	1/3
1 set new sight singing tests for 1899-1900 for Elementary	3
1 set - - - - - - - Junior	3
	8/6

If the new sight-singing tests are not yet issued, I shall be obliged if you will send them as soon as they appear. I shall be glad to receive the Elem. vouchers

[illegible]

Lovedale
27 Aug. 1898.

The Registrar
Univ. C. G. Hope.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge with thanks, the [illegible] of £9, being Commissioners fee for the Elementary, School Higher, & University Examination

John Lennox
27/8/98.

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale
3 Sept. 1898.

Dear Mr. Lord,

The groceries arrived all right yesterday. Please accept from Mrs Lennox and myself our united thanks for your goodness in letting us have them. It is a great treat to have fresh home goods of this quality at a reasonable price.

I expect to be in town next Sunday or the following (11th or 18th) to preach for Mr. Don & shall call in then about payment. Miss Ida is a shade better to-day but the temp^rt is still very high.

Yours Truly John Lennox

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale
17 Sept. 1898

Lovedale
S.A.
16 Sept '98

Dear Mr. Young,

I have never received a copy of the Foreign Miss. Com's Report to last assembly. Are they not sent out yet? I shall be much obliged if you will send me a copy.

I was pleased to meet Henderson as Mr. Weir's when I was in King Wm Town last week. He seems settling down to his new duties.

With kind regards
Yours truly
J. Lennox.

Dear Sir,

So far too late but in [illegible] I would be glad if you would send me by post 3 roses one of which I would like to be a Marechal Neil the other two you might choose yourself from those that will have the best chance to succeed when put in so late as this.

Yours Sincerely
(Rev) J. Lennox
Lovedale.

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale
17 Sept. 1878.

– Nelson Esq
Cambridge

Dear Sir

Is it too late to put in roses? If not I would be glad if you would send me by Post 3 roses one of which I would like to be a Maréchal Neil the other two you might choose yourself from one that will have the best chance to succeed when put in so late as this.

I am
Yours Sincerely
(Rev) J. Lennox
Lovedale.

If it is necessary to have the money before the time in which you could get an answer, I would pay it for him, but I think the other course the more satisfactory if it can be done.

All here are well, hoping you can say the same, & with kind regards

Yours Very Truly J. Lennox.

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A.O. Brown Esq

Lovedale
28 Sept. 1898.

Lovedale
Cape Colony

re Mr. Hunter's Insurance Premium

The Secy
Tonic Sol Fa College
27 Finsbury Sq.
London E.C.

Dear Alec,

I do not know what Mr. Hunter's wishes are about the renewal of his Insurance on his house. If you can wait for the time necessary to get an answer from home, I think it would be better to send it to him at

5, Annfield Terrace, West
Partickhill, Glasgow.

If it is necessary in order to secure renewal, to have the £1.. 4/- paid before the time in which you could get an answer, I would pay it for him, but I think the other course the more satisfactory if it can be done.

All here are well, hoping you can say the same, & with kindest regards

Yours Very Truly J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
Cape Colony
29 Sept. 98

The Secy.
Imic Lol. Ex College
27 Finsbury Sq.
London E.C.

Dear Sir,

Please issue Elementary Certificates to

Miss Hillian Castlemaine
" Ethel Treweer
" Zita Castlemaine

address Public School
Aliwal
Cape Colony.

These have all passed the tests for the Elementary (Practical) Certificate.

I enclose 1/6 in stamps.

I trust you will accept this form as my new book vouchers has not yet arrived.

(Rev) John Lennox,
Examiner

address Lovedale
S. Africa.

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Lovedale
11 Oct. 1898

Lovedale
S. Africa
1 Oct '98.

Messrs Hill & Sanford
Edin.

Dear Sirs,

Yours of 9 Sept. & parcels of books are safely to hand. You speak of a p.c. I sent not having arrived. In case it has not yet come I repeat the order (which was dated 10 August).

An interleaved Bible, Oxford Facsimile Series No 2a thin Minion 8vo. references. You quoted it in Turkey morocco limp @ 16/6 nett. If the postal regulations permit, it would perhaps be best to pack this in a pasteboard Bible-Box.

Thanks for Eadie's Ephesians

Yours Sincerely
John Lennox

Lovedale
10 Oct. 1898.

Lindley Couper, Esq.
Equitable Life Ass^ce Soc.
Cape Town.

Dear Sir,

Mrs. Lindley asked me to send her a copy of "Lovedale Illustrated", and send the account to you. The book cost 4/- and postage 2/- making 6/- in all.

I am,
Yours Sincerely
John Lennox.

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Lovedale
11 Oct. 1898

messrs G. Caudell & Co.
K. W. T.

Dear Sirs

I enclose a money order for 16/9 in payment of acct. as follows

Acct. rendered 17/6
less 5% 9
16/9

Yours truly
J. Lennox.

Lovedale
11 Oct. 1898.

messrs. Gibbert & Bryant
K. W. Town.

Dear Sirs.

I enclose money order for £1-18-10. as follows.

Acct. rendered £2-0-10
less 5% 2
£1-18-10

Yours truly
J. Lennox.

Lovedale
11 Oct. 1898.

J. C. Nelson Esq
Cambridge Nurseries

Dear Sir,

I enclose 7/6 in stamps in payment of account.

The roses came safely. Two of them are budding, the third shows no sign yet. I hope it also will come on.

Yours Truly
J. Lennox

Lovedale
11 Oct. 1898.

Messrs Whitakers & Co.
E. London

Dear Sir,

I enclose £1-4/ in payment of renewal of insurance on Contents of Mr. Hounsed's house, Lovedale.

Yours Truly
J. Lennox

Lovedale
11 Oct. 1898.

Dear Mr. Weir,

I wish one more length of hose. Unless there are things coming to Lovedale, it would be best to address it to me c/o E. Look, or Henry Brownlie, and advise me when & to whom it is forwarded.

The whole that I owe you (along with this extra length) will be

2 lengths hose	@ 27/6	£ 5. 12. 6
Less 5%		5. 6
		£ 5. 7.
1 Shuttle (from Jay)		5. 6
		£ 5. 12. 6

I enclose this amount.

With kind regards.
Yours truly
S. Lennox.

Lovedale
13 Oct. 1898.

Dear Mr. Ferris,

I am sending over to you a bag with the feathers of the ostrich killed at the Hospital on Monday.

With kind regards

Yours truly

J. Lennox.

The man who buried the bird said there was no brand on it.

J. L.

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale
14 Oct. 1898.

My Dear Fini,

I am sending you ten shillings as a loan to help you in your need. I shall depend on you to return it at the end of the quarter.

Yours truly
S. Lennox.

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Lovedale
14 Oct. 1898.

The Tonic Sol-fa College
27 Finsbury Sq.
London E.C.

In answer to your pet card of 17 Sept. I may say that miss Johnston's full name is miss Agnes Locke Johnston.

My Dear Fini,

I am sending you ten shillings as a loan to help you in your need. I shall depend on you to repay it as the end of the quarter.

Yours Truly
S. Lennox.

Lindley C. Cooperley
Grand Parade Building
C. Town.

Dear Sir,
Your letter of 10th inst. is duly received, containing 10 s. in payment for Lovedale Illustrated Paper.
Yours Lindley
I am,
Yours Sincerely
S. Lennox.

Lovedale
21 Oct. 1898.

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Lovedale
South Africa
14 Oct 1898.

The Tonic Sol-fa College
27 Finsbury Sq.
London E.C.

In answer to your post card of 17 Sept. I have to say that miss Johnston's full name is miss Agnes Locke Johnston.

Yours Faithfully
S. Lennox

Lovedale
21 Oct. 1898.

Lindley C. Cooper Esq.
Grand Parade Building
C. Town.

Dear Sir,

Your letter of 10th inst. is duly received, containing M.O. for 8/- in payment of Lovedale Illustrated, paid to Miss. Lindley.

I am,
Yours Sincerely
S. Lennox.

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Lovedale
22 Oct. 1898.

Dear Mr. Quinn,

I am enclosing a £5 note to pay for my bread account which up to to-day's date amounts to £3 - 19/-

Kindly acknowledge receipt & oblige Cours Truly

S. Lennox.

Lovedale, S. Africa
22 Oct 1898.

Mr. John Leckie
Resident Secretary
Temperance Assurance Co.
5 York Building
Edinburgh.

Dear Sir,

I enclose a money order for £4-10-1 in payment of the renewal premium on my two policies as follows.

No 8,321 £1-15-8
" 10,045 2-14-5

£4-10-1

Kindly acknowledge receipt and oblige.

Cours Faithfully
John Lennox

Loveldale.
S. Africa.
22 Oct 1898.

mr. John Leckie
Resident Secretary
Scottish Temperance Assurance C.
5 York Building
Edinburgh.

Dear Sir,

I enclose a money Order for £4-10-1 in payment of the renewal premium on my two policies as follows.

No 5,321 £1-13-1
" 10,045 2-16-0

£4-10-1

Kindly acknowledge receipt and oblige.

Yours Faithfully
John Lewis.

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1/8 in stamps
received 2 Nov. 1898

Lovedale
22 Oct. 1898.

miss Frances Retief
Hrq. Coll.
Wellington.

Dear miss Retief,

I am posting to you 50 xmas cards. The price with postage is 1/8. You will quite right to send to me about the Cards, as I have always looked after them, & no. Number would have had to hand over your letter to me in any case had you written to him about them.

Yours Truly
S. Lennox.

Lovedale
27 Oct. 1898.

messrs R. Linnaden & Co
K. W. Town.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose 4/6 in stamps in payment of acc.t rendered.

Please note the postage was 6d, not 8d.

Yours Truly
S. Lennox.

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Lovedale
5th Nov. 1898.

Messrs S. A. Jutar & Co
Cape Town.

Dear Sirs
I enclose 5/8 (in postal note for 5/2 & 8d in stamps) in payment of account rendered.

Your receipt will oblige
Yours truly
J. Lennox

I enclose this amount.
With kind regards
Yours truly
John Lennox

Lovedale
9 Nov. 1898

Lovedale
5 Nov. 1898.

Howard Marks. Esq
Liverpool, London, & Globe Co

Dear Mr. Marks

Thanks for reminding me about insurance. I wish to insure my furniture &c for £500. Your proposal form does not ask for any particulars, but if these are wanted, I distribute the £500 as follows

Furniture, Household goods & Personal Property of every description	£300
Books	£100
Piano	60
Violin	30
Sideboard	20
	£500

I enclose £1 as premium. You will observe that I wish the insurance to commence from 1st Dec.

With kind regards
Yours truly John Lennox.

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Lovedale
9 Nov. 1898

Dear Mr. Henderson,

I have asked Mr. Fisher to send you a Crawshaw's Grammar
an Angel's message
& a First & Second Kafir Reader.
There is no dictionary on sale at present.
It is hoped that Dr. Kropf's will soon be published. You may be able to get the loan of a Davis's dict^y from someone. If you can borrow McLaren's Gram. I would advise you to use it. Its method is suggestive. Its exercises & examples are not so full as might be.

You will find it useful to get a Kafir Bible. The easy narrative chapters in the Gospels are good for beginning with. Are you going to get a native to help you? None of them can tell you "Why" things are so. McLaren will often answer that for you. Mr Knox Bokwe would perhaps be the best man to direct you to someone who might be your tutor. Wishing you all success & hoping you will apply again for anything else in which I can help you. Yours truly J. Lennox

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Lovedale,
12 Nov 1898.
South Africa,

11th Nov. 1898.

The Secy.
THE TONIC SOL-FA COLLEGE,
Dear Mr. Fisher,
27, Finsbury Square,
LONDON, E.C.

sending
2 Dear Sir, Kafir Testaments
and I herewith enclose vouchers of having
satisfied the requirements of the Elementary Exam,
for them for me.

1. Miss Maria C. Faber
2. " Emma L. Botha

Yours Truly
John Lennox

Kindly send me the Certificates,
and oblige,
Yours Truly,
(Rev) John Lennox

One shilling in stamps
enclosed.

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LOVEDALE:

12th Nov. 1898.

Lovedale
12 Nov. 1898.

Dear Mr. Fisher,

I am sending 207 Kafir Testaments and shall be greatly obliged if you can dispose of them for me.

Yours Truly

John Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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LOVEDALE;

12th Nov. 1898.

Lovedale

19 Nov. 1898

Dear Mr. Mzimba,

In August 1894 I spoke to you about a number of Kaffir Testaments that had been sent out from Home for cheap distribution, and which we found could be sold at 1s each. At that time you took a dozen, and again in March 1895, you took six dozen, making 84 in all. The gentleman who sent them out has been asking several times about the success of the plan, and now again writes asking that any money that has been received from the sale of them should be sent to him. I shall be greatly obliged if you will let me know if you have been able to sell any, and if you have any still on hand. Kindly also let me have any proceeds of the sales.

I remain,

Yours Very Truly,

John Lennox

Dear Mr. Mzimba,

I have received the 44 Kafir Testaments, and £2 for the same being two of the 1 dozen you received in August 1894, and March 1895.

I shall send on this £2 along with the other proceeds I have received, to Mr. Aitken.

I enclose a formal receipt for the £2.

Yours Very Truly

John Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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Lovedale
19 Nov. 1898

Miss Clara Scharicks,
& Mrs Causse,
High Level Road,

Dear Mrs. Mzimba,

I have received the 44 Kafir Testaments, and £2 for the remaining 40 of the 4 dozen you received in August 1894, and March 1895.

I shall send on this £2 along with the other proceeds I have received, to Mr. Aitken.

I enclose a formal receipt for the £2.

Yours very truly
John Lennox

LOVEDALE;

19th November 1898.

Miss Clara Hendricks,

℄ Mrs Cawse,

High Level Road,

SEA POINT.

Dear Miss Hendricks,

Dr Waterston has written to say that your fee for the engagement with Mrs Lennox will be £2 10s. I enclose that amount in Postal Notes.

Kindly acknowledge receipt,

and oblige,

Yours Very Truly,

S. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

LOVEDALE:

19th November 1888.

Dear Miss Burnash,

I have much pleasure in sending you

1. Junior Certificate of the Sol-Fa College for Maud Ferris,

2. Elementary Certificates for

Miss Hillian Castlemaine,

" Ethel Tremeer,

" Zita Castlemaine.

With Kind Regards,

I remain,

Yours Very Truly,

J. Kennedy

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale
10 Dec. 1898.

The Singer Manufacturing Co.
East London.

Dear Sirs,

My servant, Jessie Bleki, has received a post-card saying your collector Mr. W. N. Wilson would call on or about 13 Dec. next for two months' payment.

Your agent called here about 5 or 6 weeks ago, & after conversation with me about Jessie Bleki's having made a mistake in agreeing to take a sewing machine, which she was not really in a position to take, Your agent agreed to release her from her promise to take the machine & as a matter of fact it was not delivered.

Kindly note not to send any more of the monthly notices to her. I return her book, which should have been given back to your agent at the time I refer to.

Yours Truly
S. Lemmon

Lovedale
16 Dec. 1898.

F. Farrington Esq
Superintendent.

Dear Sir,

During 1898 I have granted the following Sol- Ja Certificates

1 Junior Certificate.
25 Elementary "

The details arranged according to schools are

	Junior	Elementary
Lovedale		20
Alice Public School	1	3
Seymour Public School		2
Total	1	25

I am
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
John Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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Lovedale
17 Dec 99

Messrs Bell & Bradfute
Edinburgh.

Dear Sirs
Please post me
1 copy Blaikie's
"Work of the ministry"

Yours truly
J. Lennox

Lovedale
13 Jany 99

Miss Maria E. Faber
Seymour

Dear Miss Faber,
I am sorry to hear that your certificate & Miss Botha's have not reached you. I find they were duly sent out from Lovedale Post-Office. I am sending an enquiry to the Post-Office officials about them. Have you asked at the Seymour Office? Please let me know if you get them. [illegible]

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Lovedale
30th Dec 15

Dear Miss Faber,

I am posting your certificate & Miss Botha's to your care. Kindly give Miss Botha hers.

Yours Truly
S. Lemmon

Miss Maria C. Faber
Seymour

Lovedale
13 Jany 99

Dear Miss Faber,

I am sorry to hear that your certificate & Miss Botha's have not reached you. I find they were duly sent out from Lovedale Post-Office. I am sending an enquiry to the Post-Office officials about them. Have you asked at the Seymour Office? Please let me know if you get them. I hope we shall soon be able to trace them.

Yours truly S. Lemmon

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Together in Excellence

Lovedale
14 Feb. 1899.

Dear Mrs. Mabandla,

Whenever I got your letter I tried to get the cards for you. There were none of the cards for "Umanyano Lwamakristukazi" in Lovedale. So I wrote to the "Imvo" Office where they were printed. I am sorry to say that Mr. Bokwe said they had none & that they are out of print. So I fear they cannot be obtained, unless an order is sent to the "Imvo" Office, & they would only print a large number.

I am sending you 6 of the White Cross cards, as I have not been able to get any of the others. These with postage come to 3; & I return

With kind regards to yourself [illegible] to Emily,

Yours very [illegible]

John [illegible]

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Loredale
S. Africa
7 March 99.

The Secretary
Trinity Coll. for College
London.

Dear Sir,

I beg to remind you that you were to send me with a set of the right-singing tests for Junior & Elementary Sol-fa Certificates. I ordered & paid for these in a letter dated 27 Aug 1898, but the new tests were not then ready, and they were to be sent on when issued.

At the same time kindly send a dozen of the Requirements for the Intermediate Practical Certificate for which I enclose 1/- in stamps.

Yours Truly
(Rev.) John Lennox

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Lovedale
23 March '99

Dear Jolobe,

I sent the £5 addressed to my care, to Mr Henry as you requested, and now enclose his receipt. I hope soon to receive from you the small amount still standing for your theological books.

Trusting you are well, and that you will be successful in your work in Capetown,

Yours very truly

John Lennox

John Lennox.

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Together in Excellence

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LOVEDALE.

30th March 1899.

W. Mackenzie, Esq.,
Honorary Secretary,
The League,
ALICE.

Dear Sir,

While remaining in thorough sympathy with the main principles of the League, I wish for the reasons I mentioned to you recently in conversation, to withdraw my name from being a member, and shall be obliged if you will do so.

I remain,
Dear Sir,
Yours Faithfully,

John Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

L O V E D A L E, L O V E D A L E,

9th Mar 1899.

29th April 1899.

Mr. Attorney Vosloo,

S.B. Port Beaufort.

Dear Sir, T o w n.

I enclose 5s 2d in payment of account rendered.

I may be allowed to remark that both items in the account are now rendered for the first time, and it strikes me as unusual to accompany the first rendering of an account with a reference to legal proceedings for recovery.

Dear Sir,

I enclose postal notes for £1. 7s. 5d. in payment of account.

Yours faithfully,

Yours faithfully,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

LOVEDALE;

9th May 1899.

Mr. Attorney Vosloo,

Fort Beaufort.

Dear Sir,

I enclose 3s 6d in payment of account rendered. I may be allowed to remark that both items in the account are now rendered for the first time, and it strikes me as unusual to accompany the first rendering of an account with a reference to legal proceedings for recovery.

Yours faithfully,

Locke [illegible]

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LOVEDALE;

15th May 1899.

M. R. Mackenzie, Esq.

Sec. V. E. Branch

S. A. League.

A. JARMAN, Esq.

Dear Mr. Mackenzie,

Station Road,

With reference to the cancellation of subscriptions to the

CLASSMONT.

Victoria East Branch of the S. A. League, I beg to remind you that on

30th March last, I [illegible] to withdraw my name from the League.

Dear Sir,

I paid the subscription for [illegible] to Mr. [illegible].

I send herewith 12s in payment of enclosed account.

Yours faithfully,

Yours faithfully,

John Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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LOVEDALE;

6th June 1899.

M. E. Mackenzie, Esq.

Sec. V. E. Branch

S. A. League.

Dear Mr. Mackenzie,

With reference to the circular re subscriptions to the Victoria East Branch of the S. A. League, I beg to remind you that on 30th March last, I wrote asking you to withdraw my name from the League. I paid the subscription for 1898 to Mr. Humphreys.

Yours faithfully,

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale
14 June 1899.

The Secretary
The Tonic Sol-fa College
27 Finsbury Square
London E.C.

Alex. Cleghorn Esq.
16 Hout Street
Cape Town.

Dear Sir,

I enclose 25 vouchers & fees amounting [illegible] for [illegible] satisfied [illegible] Elementary Certificates [illegible] to receive [illegible] in due course.

Yours truly
J. Lennox

Lovedale
S. Africa
14 June 1899.

Dear Sir,

I enclose a money order for 12/5 in payment of account rendered.

Yours truly
J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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Lovedale
S. Africa
17 June 1899.

The Secretary
The Imperial Federation College
27 Finsbury Square
London E.C.

Dear Sir,

I enclose 25 vouchers + fees amounting to £12/6 for candidates who have satisfied the requirements for the Elementary Certificate, + shall be glad to receive the certificates in due course.

Yours truly
J. Lennox

20 June 1899.

Dear Mr Roberts,

As Mr. Proost's application for a change of house may come up for further discussion when I am absent, I wish to give you, in a definite form, the views I expressed to you this morning.

When you mentioned your proposal to rent the Dovedale mansion from Mr. Stormont, and to put it at Mr. Proost's disposal, you said it would take two, three or even four weeks to put the house in order. If you arrange to rent the mansion, and if it will be any relief to Mrs Proost to have an immediate change, I agree to the furniture being cleared out of three rooms in Mr. Hunter's house, and the rooms placed at Mr. Proost's disposal while the mansion is being repaired. I do not see my way however to agreeing to the Proost moving into Mr. Hunter's house for an indefinite period without referring the matter to Dr. Stewart and Mr. Hunter. Should you be unsuccessful in carrying out your proposal to rent the mansion, the suggestion about occupying Mr. Hunter's house would of course drop in the meantime.

I understand you also took this view.

Yours very truly, J. Lennox.

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29th June 1881.

Dear Mr Roberts

Your letter of the 24th reached me in East London, and I have had no opportunity to reply to it till now.

You ask to be allowed to correct my record of what passed between us about Mr. Proost's house, and say you want it clearly understood that in this matter you made no suggestion, offer, or proposal.

There is surely some mistake here; for when I called on you offers on your request, you yourself brought forward a proposal to rent the native mansion, and even mentioned the terms on which you would be willing to lease it from Mr. Stormont. You will remember that it was after you made this proposal that I suggested that part of Mr. Hunter's house should be offered to Mr Proost while you were getting the mansion repaired. But I made it clear that this was suggested not as a permanent arrangement, but to give immediate change to Mrs. Proost during the two or three weeks necessary to put the mansion in order.

My proposal followed yours. If yours could not be carried out, mine was not to be brought forward, but the whole question was to be considered de novo.

I do not know who first suggested the native mansion scheme, but that has no material bearing on the fact that in our interview the proposal was brought forward by yourself.

Yours very truly

John Le[illegible]

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12th July, 189 .

15th July 1891

J. B. Liefeld Esq.,

Inspector of Locations

VICTORIA EAST.

J. B. Liefeld Esq.
Inspector of Locations
Victoria East

Dear Sir,

Noni Mguba has asked me to make enquiry for him about Garden Lot No.95 Village Lot No.3 Block S in Gwabini Location.

Noni says he understood from you in March that no title had been issued for the lot in question. Accordingly he applied for title to the lot, paying £3: 6: 0 forwarded in reference to title.

From what you [illegible] to him recently [illegible] under-tain whether the lot is [illegible] as you first understood.

I shall be [illegible] know whether the lot is vacant, and whether the application [illegible] March for title to be issued in his favour [illegible] forwarded and is being considered by the Government.

Yours faithfully,

Yours faithfully,

J. Lenny.

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15th July 1879

J. B. Leifeld Esq.
Inspector of Locations
Victoria East

Dear Sir,

With reference to my letter to you of the 12th inst. re Noni [redacted] application I shall be glad if you will favour me with a reply at your earliest convenience.

I have the honour to be
Your faithfully
J. Kennedy.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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~~D A Hunter~~

D Sidmile

~~[illegible]~~

15th July 1889.

Dear David,

J. B. Liefeld, Esq.

Inspector of Natives,

VICTORIA EAST.

I am sorry & hear that your chest is still troubling you. I hope that the change from home will do you good.

Sir,

I beg to acknowledge y receipt of your letter of this morning. I must say that its contents surprise me beyond measure. I addressed you on a matter of business which came under my notice as Clerk of the Presbytery of Kaffraria. I fail to understand why you should address your reply not to myself, but to one who, as I understand he has already pointed out to you, has nothing to do with ~~this business~~ in the School Higher & so in the School Elementary.

I remain,

Yours faithfully,

Hoping that John Lewis will soon be stronger in health,

I remain

Yours very truly,

J. Lewis

Mr. D. Sidmile

Matatiele.

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~~D A Hunter~~ 55 56

D. Sidmile

Lovedale

8 July 1899

Dear David,

I am sorry to hear that your chest is still troubling you. I hope that the change to your home will do you good. I enclose a short certificate of character.

Hence you seen the splendid success that Lovedale has had in the University examinations, 8 passing in the School Higher & 20 in the School Elementary

Hoping that you will soon be stronger in health.

I remain

Yours very truly

J. Lennox

Mr D. Sidmile

Matatiele.

University of Fort Hare
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~~1897~~

7th September 1899.

James Graham Watson Esq.,

Manager,

The Scottish Provident Institution,

EDINBURGH.

Lovedale

26 Aug 99

Dear Mr Murray

I enclose 11/8 for 10 copies of "School of Obedience." Excuse the delay in replying to your letter.

Yours very truly

J. Lennox

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A Murray
Tertia
Stellenbosch

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7th September 1899.

James Graham Watson Esq.,

Manager,

The Scottish Provident Institution,

E D I N B U R G H.

Loochade

8 Sept 99

Dear Sir,

I enclose £7. 7s. 9d., being Renewal Premium on my Policy No. 30927.

Kindly acknowledge receipt and oblige.

Yours truly,

J. Lennox

Yours very truly

J. Lennox

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Lovedale
8 Sept 99

Messrs H. & J. Henry
K. W. T.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose £1.1.9 in payment of acct. rendered. I have sent the full amount. If there is discount, you might return it in stamps.

Yours very truly

S. Lennox

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2nd October 1899.

MESSRS. WHITAKER & CO.

EAST LONDON.

Dear Sirs,

On behalf of Mr. Hunter I enclose £1. 6s renewal premium on his Policy No.23/16.244 of the South British Fire & Marine Insurance Co.

Yours faithfully,

J. Hunter.

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2nd October 1899.

Mr John Lockie
Resident Secretary,
Scottish Temperance Assurance Co.
6, York Buildings,
EDINBURGH.

THE EAGLE PRINTING PRESS CO., Ltd.
EAST LONDON.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose 12s 6d in payment of my subscription to the "Eagle" to 31 Dec. 1899.

Kindly acknowledge receipt, and oblige,

Yours Faithfully,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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28th Oct. 1899.

Mr John Leckie
Resident Secretary,
Scottish Temperance Assurance Co.
6, York Buildings,
EDINBURGH.

Dear Sir,

I enclose a Money Order for £4.10.1 in payment of the renewal premium on my two policies as follows,

No. 8321 £1.15.8.

No. 100[illegible]

I remain,

Yours faithfully,

A hart seems worn at the place where the bobbin is inserted.

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Mr K. Taylor
Durban Street
(Flowing Trinity Church)
K. W. Town.

Dear Sir,

I have sent in a Wheeler & Wilson machine to be repaired. It is to be left at Messrs H. & J. Henry's store, where you might ask for it. I shall be glad if you can repair it, & then return it to Messrs Henry who will forward it to me.

I am
Yours truly
S. Lemmon

A part seems worn at the place where the bobbin is inserted.

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Lovedale
15 Dec 1899

The Secy
Junior Sol-fa College
28 Finsbury Sq.
London E.C.

Dear Sir
Please issue an Elementary certificate to Thomas Molema.
I enclose 3/- for as follows:-

Fee for certificate	6d
3 doz. Junior Requirements	9d
3 dozen Junior Certificates	9d
	2/-

Yours
Yours fly.
J. Lennox

Cancelled
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Lovedale
15 Dec. 1899.

Lovedale
15 Dec. 1899.

The Secretary
Liverpool, & London & Globe Co.
King wm Towning

10 Junior Solfa and 26 Elementary
Sol-fa certificates.
I enclose [illegible] for renewal
14 Junior Premium [illegible] 16 Elementary
certificates [illegible] date
Total at Lovedale
Yours ffly.
Junior 24
Elementary 42
S. Lennox.

Yours faithfully,
S. Lennox

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Lovedale
15 Dec. 1899.

The Secretary
Tonic Sol-fa College
Tonic Sol-fa Square
London E.C.

7. Farrington, Esq.
Fort Beaufort.

Dear Sir,
I have during 1899 granted 10 Junior Sol-fa and 26 Elementary Sol-fa certificates.
Mr. Shingsley has granted 14 Junior and 16 Elementary certificates.

Total at Lovedale
Junior 24
Elementary 42
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Yours faithfully,
S. Lemmy

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18 Dec. 1899

The Secretary
Tonic Sol-fa College
[illegible] Finsbury Square
London E.C.

Dear Sir,

Kindly issue Elementary Certificates to

Thomas Molamu, and
Matthew Sikele,

and at the same time send me

3 dozen Junior "Requirements" 9
3 " " "Certificates" 9

2/6

From enclosed statement, I understand you have 2/6 standing to my credit, so the account will now be balanced.

Yours sincerely,
J. Lerman.

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale,
20 Jany 1900

Dear Jolobe,

I have received yours of the [illegible] asking for a testimonial. I think Dr Stewart gave you the customary testimonials when you left. If so, he did so as representing all who taught you. I do not as a rule give a testimonial in addition to that which already represents my views. However I shall wait till I hear from Mr Brummer whether any other is requisite. If he wishes to hear from me in addition to what you already have, I shall be glad to write to him.

I think you have forgotten that you owe me 3/4 for a copy of Isaiah got in 1898. This has remained too long unpaid. It was got as an obligement to you, and on the understanding that you would pay it when you got the book. I shall be obliged if you will send the money without further delay.

Hoping you are well, and with kind regards

Yours truly
J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

23rd February 1900.

Messrs Bell & Bradfute,

Bank Street,

Edinburgh.

Dear Sir,

Dear Sirs,

Your letter of 24th February to hand.

Kindly post the following to Mr A. D. Brown, Seymour, Cape Colony.

One copy "Sir Toady Lion."

do. "Trooper 3809."

do. Lilac Sunbonnet."

do. "A Princess of the Gutter."

and post to me a note of the prices and postage. Also post to myself two copies of Bradley's Latin Prose.

Great rejoicings here over the surrender of Cronje and the relief of Ladysmith.

Yours very truly,

J. Lennox.

Yours very truly,

J. Lennox

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15th March 1900.

Mr Cropper Sebetha,

Matelidas,

Basutoland,

Dear Sir,

Your letter of 24th February to hand. I had already spoken to Charlotte advising her to wait with the others in the class who are going to try the Matriculation examination at the extra examination to be held this year in December. She thought you would not be willing for her to wait another session. So it was agreed to enter her name provisionally, but to write to you and represent the advisability of her having another session's preparation. This is necessary especially for the Latin subjects.

The application was posted last Tuesday morning, and your letter arrived that afternoon. It agreed with our judgment of what is necessary, and we have telegraphed to have the application and fee returned. The extra six months' preparation will, I believe, enable her to go in with confidence, whereas if she went in next June it would be very doubtful if she would pass.

Yours very truly,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale
S. Africa
7 April 1900

Messrs Hall & Pardfuse
12 Bank St.
Edinburgh.

Dear Sirs,

Kindly send me

3 copies Exercise Bk of Elem. Pract. Physics, R. A. Gregory (Macmillan)
1 " Gray – Poems, notes by Sir Rhodes Law (Macmillan Sylvia Classics)
1 " Macaulay – Essays on Wm Pitt, notes by R. J. Smith (do.)
1 " Cicero – de Amicitia, Allergo & Moon, three parts in one vol. 3s.

9 " of any good but cheap edition that includes Ovid Metamorph V. 341–411. with notes & vocabulary if cheap. If not, then text alone.

I wish to know the prices of these & similar orders of school books when they arrive. It would be an obligement if you would jot the price on one copy of each order & in the case of nett prices to note that it is nett. Either this or send an invoice, but the first plan is simpler.

Yours truly
J. Lennox.

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Lovedale,

27th April 1900.

Messrs Thos Seymour & Co.,

Seymour.

Dear Sirs,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of a Mortgage Bond on Johannes Nel for the Hundred Pounds [illegible] in my favour, and also your covering letter of 20th inst., containing conditions on which you have ceded the Bond, and to which I agree.

Stamps for 10/- returned by you also receive 9th inst. Yours sincerely, which I agree.

Yours truly

J. Lennox.

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10 May 1900

Messrs Thos Harris Son & Co
Seymour.

Dear Sirs,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of a Bond passed by David R. Kerstze in your favour and ceded by you in my favour of the amount of £70; on terms contained in your letter of 9th May. & to which I agree.

Yours truly

J. Lennox

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

11th June 1900.

Lovedale,

11th June 1900.

Messrs Yates & Murray,

King Wm. Town.

Messrs Galbraith & McGill

69 St Vincent Street

re James Crosbie, deceased.

Dear Sirs,

I have received from Messrs Galbraith & McGill

[illegible] who represent the widow and family of

[illegible] Attorney by Mrs Crosbie

[illegible]

[illegible] Crosbie and the family estate

[illegible] communicated with Messrs Yates & Murray, who

[illegible] firm, and [illegible] reply. I

[illegible]

[illegible] of how matters progress.

[illegible] be [illegible] to hear from you [illegible] what condition the

[illegible] truly.

[illegible] of the deceased are, and what is necessary to be

[illegible] order to have them administered.

Yours faithfully,

J. Lennox

J. Lennox.

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Lovedale,

11th June 1900.

Messrs Galbraith & McGill

69 St Vincent Street

Glasgow

re JAMES CROSBIE, Deceased.

Dear Sirs,

We have received your letter of 18th May with three enclosures. We shall be glad to do all in our power in the interests of Mrs Crosbie and her family.

We have communicated with Messrs Yates & Murray, who are a well-known firm, and are awaiting their reply. We will keep you informed of how matters progress.

We are, yours very truly,

J. Lennox

Lovedale
22 June 1900

Dear Sir,

I write again to remind you of the £3. you owe me. I am not prepared to wait longer for it. At the same time I am very unwilling to think it may be necessary to resort to other means to recover the money, and therefore look to you to remit it on

Lovedale
28 June 1900.

Dear Sir,

I write again to remind you of the £2. 10/- you owe me. I am not prepared to wait longer for it, and look to you to remit it on receipt of this.

Yours sincerely,
J. Lewis.

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Lovedale
13 July 1900.

Lovedale
13 July 1900.

Messrs Graham Bros
Fort Seymour.

Dear Sirs

I am sending you three dozen Kafir Testaments amounting in all to £1-16/-

Yours truly
J. Lennox

Adjusting the 48 [illegible] this leaves you with 145 as the number for which the Bookstore has to account.

Yours truly
J. Lennox

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Lovedale
13 July 1900.

Mr Fisher
Bookstore
Lovedale

Dear Mr Fisher

I have taken from the Bookstore 48 of the Kafir Testaments consigned to you by me.

In the last note I had from you on 15 Aug 1899, it was stated that you had 193 in stock. Deducting the 48 now taken, this leaves you with 145 as the number for which the Bookstore has to account.

Yours truly

J. Lennox

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15 Aug. 1900.

15 Aug. 1900.

Messrs Bell & Bradfute
Exr Dr Paul Edinburgh.

Your letter Dr Sibbald arrived by this mail when you sent me [illegible] and Dr [illegible], it was written in your own handwriting [illegible] "Resolved [illegible]"

I brought the minute [illegible] and all the members urged Dr [illegible] by the [illegible] and he chief he at [illegible] agreed. He maintained strongly, however that the dispute was not a [illegible] but affected his official position. He [illegible] minute to this effect should be [illegible] minute actually passed, has I think [illegible] sent to you.

When the [illegible] arrived, with an introduction [illegible] which had not been in what was sent [illegible] Board, Dr McCash was dissatisfied with the [illegible] "a purely personal dispute" He spoke to Mr [illegible] about the partial [illegible] which had [illegible] before us, & said that if he had known [illegible] it was a personal dispute he would [illegible] in the Board to let the matter [illegible] Mr Stormont & I simply remarked that it seemed unusual not to send the whole minute. Neither of us entered into any discussion & personally I regarded the business as already ended.

If at that I should apologise for troubling you with all these details. I have sent your message to Dr McCash as you ask.

Yours very truly

A. Lemmon.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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Lovedale
Lovedale, Africa

15 Aug. 1900.

Dear Dr Smith

Your letter of 30 July arrived by this mail. When you sent me minute No. 143 about Dr McCash and Dr Roberts, it was written in your own handwriting, beginning at the word "Resolved ...."

I brought the minute before the Education Board, and all the members urged Dr McCash to let the incident take end. At this he at last agreed. He maintained strongly, however, that the dispute was not a personal one but affected his official position. He pressed that a minute to this effect should be recorded. The minute actually passed, has I think been already sent to you.

When the printed minute arrived, with an introductory paragraph which had not been in what was sent to the Board, Dr McCash was dissatisfied with the characterisation "a purely personal dispute". He spoke to Mr Stormont & myself about the "partial minute" which had been before us, & said that if he had known the Committee regarded it as a personal dispute he would not have agreed in the Board to let the matter drop. Mr Stormont & I simply remarked that it seemed unusual not to send the whole minute. Neither of us entered into any discussion & personally I regarded the business as already ended.

I feel that I should apologise for troubling you with all these details. I have sent your message to Dr McCash as you ask.

Yours very truly

J. Lemmon.

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Lovedale
Lovedale Africa
6 Aug 1900.

My Dear Mr Cook

Your letter of the 13th July reached me this morning. I am very glad to hear that you are all well. We are all well here. I am writing to you about the matter of the [illegible] and the [illegible] and the [illegible] and

Lovedale,

18th September 1900.

re James Crosbie, deceased.

Messrs Yates & Murray.

King Wm Town.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 15th inst. I enclose for your information the Power of Attorney granted in my favour by Mrs Crosbie and her son Lewis McGregor Crosbie. I am instructed that the other two surviving children of the marriage are minors, Charles Stewart Crosbie having been born on 13th June 1882 in Glasgow, and James Crosbie on 25th December 1891 in Cape Town. As this Power of Attorney enables me to draw out the money on their behalf, there will be no necessity for following the alternative course you mention, viz to pay the money into the Master of the Supreme Court.

I note Messrs Godlonton & Low's opinion on the Scottish law of intestate succession, and enclose Messrs Galbraith & McGill's letter on the subject. I am of course unable to offer any opinion, but as Messrs Godlonton & Low say they were unacquainted with the procedure until they made enquiry, and as this is a matter with which the Scotch firm have probably to deal frequently in the ordinary course of business, I would merely suggest that you be thoroughly satisfied as to which of the two con-

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flicting opinions is correct. Personally I would wish to be satisfied on the point if I have to sign the receipts for the money on behalf of the heirs.

Kindly return the Power of Attorney and Messrs Galbraith & McGill's letter when you are finished with them.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Yours very truly

J. Lennox

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Lovedale
S. Africa
28 Sept 1900

Lovedale
S. Africa
28 Sept 1900

[illegible]

Dear Mr Young,

[illegible] kindly retain from the [illegible] salary [illegible] payable to me here on 1st June 1901, the sum of Five Pounds (£5) which [illegible] will apply to you for about 20 Dec. of this year, & which I shall be obliged if you will then pay to her.

Yours very truly

J. Lamb

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Together in Excellence

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Lovedale
S. Africa
28 Sept 1904.

Sec G. Saxon Mills
Scottish Provident Instit.
Edinburgh

Dear Sir

I enclose £ 7.7.9 in payment of renewal policy provisions on mine policy 70 92 7.

Yours sincerely, with oblige

Yours truly

J. Lennox

Yours truly

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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Lovedale
2 Oct 1900

The Manager
"Cape Times"
Cape Town.

Dear Sir

I enclose £1 from which please credit 10/- in payment of my subscription to the C. Times Weekly Edition to 30/6/01, & remit the balance in stamps.

Yours truly

J. Lennox.

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...istrate's Court.

— Dec 12

...re Mr W G Blenkins. R.M.

ALLEGED FORGERY.

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...ard Gqwela and Thomas ... Natives, were charged ...heft, forgery and uttering a ... instrument knowing it to ...ed. Both pleaded not guilty ...pt. Clarke prosecuted.

... J. D. Don stated that he ...ident minister of the Pres... Church. He did not know ...used. He knew the Rev ...nald, minister at Knox's ... About 23rd October he ... letter to Mr MacDonald ... cheque for £20 enclosed. ...dorsement on the cheque ...ed was not in Mr MacDon... handwriting.

... Cox, teller at the Standard ... deposed to one of the accus... ...ming to the Bank on a cer... ...day with the cheque and with ...er purporting to have come ... Mr Don requesting that the ...e be cashed to bearer. There ...ome irregularity in the en... ...ent and he sent the accus... ...k no less than three times ...ve it altered. Ultimately he ...ht the cheque back endorsed ...acDonald, and he paid it. He ...t know Mr MacDonald's writ... but subsequently in going ...gh some cheques he came ... his signature, which was ... unlike the other one, and the ... was placed in the hands of ...olice.

...gt. Collocott deposed to ar... ...g accused and that No. 2 ... that he had received the ...e from No. 1.

...pt. Clarke then applied for a ...nd until Thursday, 13th inst., ...h was granted.

L o v e d a l e,

20th November 1900

L o v e d a l e,

10th November 1900

Mr J. Leckie,

Scottish Temperance Assurance Coter.

5, York Buildings,

E D I N B U R G H.

Dear Sir,

I enclose a Money Order for £4.10.1 in payment of the renewal premium on my two policies,

No. [illegible] £1.15.8.

No. 0045 2.14.5

£4.10.1

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

...hotel canteens.

McDonald will be here for a day or two. You might send a line to say how the matter developes.

Yours very truly,

J. Lennox.

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Lowdale,

20th November 1900

Dear Mr Don,

Immediately onepeipt of your wire I sent for Mr McDonald, and after seeing him wired, "McDonald did not receive cheque. Suspects Richard Qwela Believed now in King as waiter "

Richard Qwela(Peter's son) was in Knox in October, and was hanging about Crowe's hotel for some days. McDonald mentioned to some of the people that they should warn Crowe, or Qwela would be making off with some of their money. Qwela got an advance of 7s 6d for some work at Knox but cleared without doing the work. He came from King and was present at the communion at Pirie on 4 Nov. in a fine new suit of clothes

When McDonald was at Pirie on the 14th inst. Kobe said that two parties at Knox (McDonald thinks they were Vena and Ranuga) had been expecting money by post from P. Elizabeth but it had not come, and they had written to P. E. to see if it had been sent.

These circumstances combined with Qwela's past record make McDonald think Qwela may have got the letter containing the cheque at Crowe's and cashed it.

Qwela is believed to be in King acting as waiter in one of the hotel canteens.

McDonald will be here for a day or two. You might send a line to say how the matter developes.

Yours very truly,

J. Lennox.

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Lovedale, S. Africa,
1st December 1900.

The Secretary,
W. Farrington, Esq.
The Tonic Sol-Fa College,
Departmental Music Instructor.
27, Finsbury Square, LONDON, E.C.

Dear Sir,

Dear Sir,

I enclose vouchers and fees for the Sol-fa Elementary Practical and Elementary Theory examinations in favour of Miss Ethel Cumming. As Miss Cumming found it convenient to take the two at the same time, I shall be obliged if you will fill in the number of her Elementary Certificate in her voucher for the Theory examination.

Yours sincerely,

J. Knox

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Lovedale,

1st December 1900.

F. Farrington, Esq.

Departmental Music Instructor.

Dear Sir,

During 1900 I have granted 2 Junior, 36 Elementary, and 1 Elementary Theory Sol-fa certificates.

The Rev D. D. Stormont asks me to say that he has not granted any certificates during the year.

Yours faithfully,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,
Lovedale,
20th December 1900.

11th December

Messrs Yates & Murray,

King Wm Town.

re Estate of Jas Crosbie, deceased.

Dear Sirs,

In reply to your letter of yesterday's date, I have signed and now return the enclosed document consenting to the payment of the sum of £9. 14. 9d due to the Executor as his commission according to the first account.

Yours truly,

Yours very truly,

University of Fort Hare
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Dovedale,

20th December 1900.

My Dear Alec,

I enclose a formal receipt for £6. 9/-, and shall send you £20 on 24th January, and take over Nel's bond from that date. I suppose Dr Kotze understands to send on his receipted account to me.

We closed yesterday, and I feel as if I wanted a week's sleep. Proost and his family are leaving to-morrow to return to Holland. We are having a good many other changes. Dr McCash will be leaving about the month of March. A son of Dr Norman Walker's is likely to succeed him.

Yes! all are well!! I am thankful to say 'We canna complain!'

I have made no plans for the holiday. I am going over to Burnshill for the end of this week. After that I may run up for a day to see you if I can manage it, but horses seem scarcer than ever.

With united good wishes,

Yours very truly,

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Lovedale,

4th January 1901.

Messrs T. Bear's Son & Co:

Seymour.

My Dear Alec,

I enclose £20, (Twenty Pounds) which kindly add to the £90 for which I hold your receipt. For this £110 I shall be glad to take over Nel's bond for that amount.

I have not received Dr Kotzé's receipt for £6. 17s. You might remind him to send it to me.

With all good wishes,

Yours very truly,

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Lovedale,

25th January 1901.

Messrs Galbraith & McGill,

Glasgow.

Dear Sirs,

I have sent on your letter of 24th Ult. to Messrs Yates and Murray. I have sent them a reminder more than once, and when in King Wm Town last week, called on the firm. Mr Murray said they were waiting the return of the distribution account from the Master's office, Cape Town, and that he would be able to pay over the widow's and the elder son's portions in the course of a few days. I had expected this in time for this mail, but it has not arrived.

I must say Messrs Yates & Murray seem to have been a long time over this business; but I can assure you that I have done all in my power to push the matter through.

Yours sincerely,

A. Kennedy.

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Lovedale,
25th January 1901.

Messrs Thomas Bear's Son & Co

Seymour.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 23rd inst

Messrs Yates & Murray,

King Wm Town.

Dear Sirs,

You will see from the enclosed that Messrs Galbraith & McGill are pressing for a settlement of Crosbie's business. I hope to hear from you soon.

Yours sincerely,

Awaiting your favourable reply,

I am,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale,

25th January 1901.

Messrs Thomas Bear's Son & Co

Seymour.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 23rd inst with 2nd mortgage bond on Johannes Nel for £110, ceded by you to me, and on which you engage to pay interest half-yearly on 24th July and 24th January at 6% per annum.

Before agreeing to these terms I would propose that as the bond provides that you receive 10%, the rate of interest payable by you to me should be 8% as in the similar case of J. Nel's first mortgage bond, and Knoetze's bond.

Awaiting your favourable reply,

I am,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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Lovedale,

25th January 1901.

My Dear Alec,

In the accompanying letter I have made a proposal to which I hope you will agree. As it is, instead of having so much of your capital locked up at 10%, you propose to pay me 6% and yourself receive 4% and still have your capital to use, which I think is about the same as getting capital at 2%! But talking seriously, I am as you know anxious to get as good a rate as I can for my Father's money, and hope you can do what I propose.

I am glad you are to have a partner and be somewhat freer yourself. Who is he? You can trust us to be as close as an oyster. Your other bit of news wants a little time for one to adjust oneself to it. Jessie had guessed what was coming from some small indications from home. Mr Taylor arrived in Cape Town last Wednesday.

We had planned to go to Cape Town, but that was all upset by the unsettled state of the country. I spent four days with Roberts at East London. The rest of the time I have been here. I wish you would say when you write how Tom is. He spoke some time ago of being seriously ill, but he has avoided answering all enquiries since.

With kind regards, and hpping you will come down some day soon,

Yours very truly,

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Lovedale,
4th February 1901.

Dear Miss Howes,

Your letter of 31st January enquiring as to the arrangements for the medical supervision of the Hospital after Dr McCush's resignation takes effect, came before the Education Board at their meeting on the 31st ultimo.

In reply I was instructed to say that the matter is under consideration, and that it is believed that Dr Stewart is endeavouring to procure a Resident Doctor to take over the medical supervision of the Hospital.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

Secretary of the Education Board.

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Lovedale
18. Feb. 1901.

Messrs Galbraith & McGill
Messrs Glasgow Murray
King Wm Town

re Arabic's Mission
Arabic's Mission

Dear Sir,

Dear Sir,

I write again to express the hope I regret to say I have heard nothing from Messrs Murray & Yates since I last wrote to you.

You I am again writing to them pressing the matter to be brought to a conclusion.

S. Lemmon

Yours truly

S. Lemmon

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale
16 Feb. 1901

Messrs Yates & Murray
King Wm Town

Arthur's Estate.

Dear Sirs,

I write again to express the hope that you will be able soon to let me have the final settlement of Arthur's affairs. Trusting to receive a remittance from you soon. I remain

Yours truly

J. Lemmon.

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Lovedale
25. 2. 01.

Messrs T. Bear's Son & Co.
Seymour.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of 20 Feb. in which you agree to pay interest on I. Nels second Bond of £110 at the rate of 8%, & now have pleasure in agreeing to the other terms on which you cede the Bond. contained in your letter of 23rd Jany.

Yours truly
J Lennox.

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Lovedale
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Chalmers Urbewana has been an Active member of the Lovedale Students' Christian Association, & has done good work in connection with the work of the missionary companies on Sunday mornings.

J. Lennox
President of the
Students' Christian Association

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Lovedale

26. 2. 01

David Tityana has been an Active member of the Lovedale Students' Christian Association, & has taken a leading part in the work of the visitation of the surrounding villages on Sunday mornings by the missionary Companies

A. Lemon

President of the

Lovedale Students' Christian Assoc.

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Lovedale
6 March 1901

The Civil Commissioner
Victoria East.

Lovedale
26. 2. 01.

Samuel Vena has been an active member of the Lovedale Students' Christian Association, and has done good service in connection with the visitation of the surrounding villages with the Missionary Companies on Sunday mornings.

J. Lennox
President of the
Students Christian Assoc.

Yours sincerely,
J. Lennox

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Lovedale
6 March 1901

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6 March 1901.

The Civil Commissioner
Victoria East.

K. W. Town

Dear Mr Ferris

I understand that you are authorised to pay the Rev. D. D. Stormont's Good Service Allowance. He asked me to look after his affairs in his absence. I am sending to let him know this has come, & to ask him for power to act on his behalf. This will take some time, & I shall be obliged if you will allow the money to lie in your hands till I receive Mr Stormont's reply.

Yours sincerely

J. Lennox

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Lovedale
6 March 1901.

Innes

Messrs & Hutton
K. W. Town.

Dear Mr Innes

Thanks for your note re investment. I am glad the matter is being kept in view.

Yours truly
J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
16 March 1911

Lovedale
11 March 1911

Dear Miss Hawes,

Your letter of 7th March came before the Education Board at their meeting on the 9th inst. Mr Bond desired me to express their sincere thanks for to you for your readiness to carry on the work of the Hospital in the hope that by the end of this month a Resident Medical Officer may be appointed. Should there be any longer delay in that hope being realised, they will communicate with you. Meantime until a Res. Medical Officer can be appointed, they hope to make an arrangement for a daily visit by Dr Kelbe.

Yours sincerely
J. Lennox
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Lovedale
16 March 1901

Messrs Juta & Co
Port Elizabeth.

Dear Sirs

I enclose £2. 15. 0 in payment of account rendered. £2. 16. 9. less 1/4 standing to my credit with you since 26 February.

You might send me a list with prices of the Greek Grammars you stock. Also Greek readers such as Sidgwick's. & Greek Testaments.

Yours truly
J. Lennox

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Lovedale
25. 3. 01.

Messrs Juta & Co
Port Elizabeth.

Dear Sirs

I enclose 7/9 in payment of account of 9th instant.

In receipting the account of the 7th, which I enclose, you have made no allowance for discount as you notified would be done. Kindly return it in stamps.

Yours truly
J. Linn

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Mrs Price, late Matron of Millroad Infirmary, Liverpool, former Sister in clinical wards, Guy's, & now of Brompton Consumption Hospital, gave a testimonial to Miss Harves Dr. who was under her in Millroad for 3 years from 1896 to 1899, in which

Lovedale
26. 3. 01.

Dear Mrs Lindley

Your wire of yesterday has reached here only just now. I went at once to see Miss Harves, & wired to you. It is unfortunate that her testimonials gained at Home were sent to Dr Stewart when she applied for Lovedale & that he has not returned them. Dr Kelbe's & Dr McCaskie were sent to Wynberg. I enclose a copy of her Home Certificate of Training, and a copy of the last report of the Victoria Hospital in which Dr McCaskie refers to her work. She holds the Certificate of Competence of the Colonial Medical Council, as a Trained Nurse.

In lieu of the original testimonials I have got a note of the substance of her testimonials.

I am writing this for Jessie, as I got the information from Miss Harves. It is very good of you to interest yourself in the matter.

Will kindest regards Yours truly J. Lennox

Mrs Price, late Matron of Millroad Infirmary, Liverpool, former Sister in clinical wards, Guy's, & now of Brompton Consumption Hospital, gave a testimonial to Miss Hawes who was under her in Millroad for 3½ years from 1896 to 1899, in which she said

1. She was thoroughly satisfied with Miss Hawes' domestic management of the wards, and capability for training probationers.
2. Miss Hawes had taken charge of wards in last year of her training.
3. She had "never given her a moment's anxiety.

Dr. Kaye, late medical Superintendent of Millroad Infirmary, Liverpool, gave a testimonial to Miss Hawes to the effect that

he considered her quite capable of taking up the work of Matron of the Hospital (the Victoria Hospital Lowestoft) for which she was then applying, and that he considered her one of his best nurses.

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Dr. McCash, late medical Superintendent of the Victoria Hospital, Lovedale, gave a testimonial to Miss Howes in which he spoke of

1. Her vigorous way in which she had taken up the work of the Lovedale Hospital.
2. Her nursing capabilities,
3. Her efficient management of the housekeeping of the Hospital
4. Her tactful management of subordinates & enthusiasm & capability as a teacher.
5. And that for nine months she had done the dispensing at the Hospital.

which her training and capabilities fitted her.

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Dr Kelbe, at present the Medical Superintendent of the Victoria Hospital, London wrote to the effect that

Miss Hawes had been matron of the Victoria Hospital for two years, during which time she had entire control of the nursing establishment: that she had trained probationers with much tact and skill: and that while he would be exceedingly sorry to lose her from the Hospital, he would like to see her in a position for which her training and capabilities fitted her.

Dear Mr Hallam,
We have had a bad commando, working miles of us, & have now a strong garrison of the Colonial Defence Force stationed here. These Colonial mercenaries have been annoying rather than serious!

H.

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Lovedale
S. Africa
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Messrs Bell & Bradfute
Edinburgh

Dear Sirs,

Kindly send me

v.u/ 1. Sidgwick's First Greek Writer

n.u/ 2. Westcott & Hort's Gk. N. Test. for schools

Yours truly
J. Lennox

Dear Mr Haldane,

We have had a Boer commando within 20 miles of us, & have now a strong garrison of the Colonial Defence Force stationed here. These Colonial marandings have been annoying rather than serious!

J.L.

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Lovedale
11.4.01.

Dear Mr Sigg,

I am sorry to have to write again about the Three Pounds you have been so long owing to me. I willingly lent this to you in December 1898, to help you in a difficulty which I understood was a matter of a short time. You have gone beyond the bounds of reason in retaining this money so long, and have quite exhausted my patience. Be good enough to return it at once.

Yours sincerely
J. Lennox

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Lovedale
1.4.01.

Mr Reuben Damane
Zumbu.

Dear Reuben.

I hope you have not forgotten the £2.13.3 which you are still owing to me. It has been standing a good long time now, and I trust you will clear it off without longer delay.

Yours sincerely
J. Kemp

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Lovedale
1 April 1901

Dear Father,

Dear Mr Young,

From the salary due to me here on 1st July, kindly remain at home £6.15/-, which I shall be obliged if you will pay to my Father, who will apply for it on 26th June.

Yours sincerely
J. Lennox

Your loving Son
J. Lennox

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Lovedale
1. 4. 01.

Dear Father,

I enclose a letter to the Foreign Mission Office about the £6-15 of interest for the half-year ending 24 June. As Mother had some difficulty about this last time, she might either take this personally to Mr Young, or post it to him, — whichever she thinks will best meet the case.

Your loving Son
J. Lennox.

In January you [illegible] you would remit the heirs' portions within ten days. I wrote you on 25th January, and again on 16th Feby, but have had no reply.

I shall be obliged if you will let me know by return whether any difficulty has arisen which is causing delay; and, if not, trust to receive the final settlement forthwith.

Yours sincerely
J. L.

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Lovedale
1.4.01

Messrs Yates & Murray
King Wm Town.

re Crosbie's Estate.

Dear Sirs,

I am greatly disappointed that so long time has passed without my receiving a remittance from you for the heirs of Crosbie's Estate. I am at a loss to understand the long delay and your silence in the matter. In January you assured me that you would remit the heirs' portions within ten days. I wrote you on 25th January, and again on 16th Feby, but have had no reply.

I shall be obliged if you will let me know by return whether any difficulty has arisen which is causing delay, and, if not, trust to receive the final settlement forthwith.

Yours sincerely
J. A

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Lovedale
1. 4. 01

Messrs Baker, Bakers & Co
King Wm Town.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose 8/3 in payment of account rendered.

Kindly note that by error, the ~~—~~ total is given as 11/11 instead of 8/3.

Yours faithfully
J. Lennox

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Lovedale
3 April 1901.

Lovedale
1. 4. 01.

Messrs Wm J Henry
King Wm Town.

Dear Sirs Henry

I enclose £2. 2. 9
in payment of account less 5%

With kind regards
Yours truly
J. Lennox

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Lovedale
3 April 1901.

Lovedale
S. Africa

Dear Miss Hawes,

In further reference to your letter of 7th March, the Education Board regret that they have been unable to secure in the Colony a doctor to take up the position of Resident Medical Officer of the Hospital. Dr. Stewart was requested by a cable sent on 12th March, to secure and send out a doctor for this position as soon as possible. Meantime, as you are aware, Dr Kelbe has been appointed to visit the Hospital daily.

The Board desire again to thank you for the readiness with which you have carried on the work of the Hospital with the increased responsibility which the absence of a Resident Medical Officer has laid upon you. They trust that there will not be a long interval before a Resident doctor arrives, and meantime they hope you will be able to carry on the work under the present exceptional circumstances without imposing too heavy a burden on yourself.

From letters received by last mail, it is expected that Dr Stewart will be here before the end of this month, and the Board will then, if not earlier, know what arrangements will be made.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale
8 April 1901.

Lovedale
S. Africa
3. 4. 01

Messrs Galbraith & McNeill
Glasgow.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose for your information a copy of a letter I have sent to Messrs Yates & Murray, & I shall send you their reply on receipt.

Their delay & silence are both extraordinary, but I hope this will produce some reply.

Yours sincerely,
J. Lennox

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Lovedale
8 April 1901.

Dear Miss Harvey,

The Education Board had your letter of the 5th instant under consideration at a meeting held this afternoon. They understand that you wish leave of absence for a period of about six weeks, and they will be glad to sanction ~~this~~ leave for a definite period provided they can come to an agreement with you regarding the modifications you may wish in your engagement.

If you will kindly state the change you desire the Board will give them their careful consideration, and endeavour to come to an arrangement which will be mutually satisfactory.

The Board will esteem it a favour if you will let them have your reply in time for a meeting to be held to-morrow evening, so that an early answer may be sent to you.

Yours sincerely

J Lewis

Secy.

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Lovedale
9th April 1901.

Dear Miss Hawes,

The Education Board have this evening considered your letter containing proposals for "Terms of engagement of Matron." These suggestions were accepted by the Board, with this exception that they are prepared to agree that the second paragraph read as follows:-

"That I be engaged subject to three months' notice on either side."

Should exceptional circumstances arise on the score of health or any other cause which may make it necessary for you to apply to be allowed to leave on shorter notice, the Board will consider such circumstances when they arise.

The conditions as now accepted by the Board are:-

1. That until the formation of a Hospital Board, your engagement is with the Lovedale Education Board.
2. That you are engaged subject to three months' notice on either side.
3. That you are paid a nominal yearly salary of £20.
4. That provision will be made to allow you to take an annual holiday of six weeks exclusive of one week for travelling.

The Board are prepared to re-affirm the original agreement subject to these modifications in the paragraphs to which they relate.

Kindly acknowledge receipt of this letter. I enclose for your signature a copy of the conditions now agreed upon.

The Board sanctioned leave of absence for two months from the present date.

Yours sincerely,

S. Lennox

Secy.

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Lovedale
13 April 1901.

Received from Messrs Thos Bear's Son & Co, the sum of Four Pounds (£4) being interest on Nel's Bond from 11 Oct 1900 to 11 April 1901: £100 @ 8%.

Messrs Yates & Murray
King Wm Town
J. Lennox
12.4.01.

re Crosbie's Estate.

Dear Sirs

A fortnight has now elapsed since I last wrote to you asking for settlement of Crosbie's estate, or an explanation of the delay, and no answer has come. I must ask you to favour me with a reply by return.

Yours sincerely
J. Lennox

Messrs T. Bear's Son & Co
Seymour
Dear Sirs
I enclose receipt of the half-yearly interest on Nel's Bond which was due received.
Yours truly
J. Lennox

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Loredale
16.4.01.

Messrs Yates & Murray
King Wm Town

re Crosbie's Estate.

Dear Sirs

A fortnight has now elapsed since I last wrote to you asking for settlement of Crosbie's estate, or an explanation of the delay, and no answer has come. I must ask you to favour me with a reply by return.

Yours sincerely

J. Lennox

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Lovedale
17. April 1901

Mr E. D. Belie, Papasi, Garry Owen, Indwe

I cannot find your church certificate among my papers, and as you were at Lovedale for part of a session only, your name was not on the roll here. I remember however that you came with a certificate as a full member of the Wesleyan Church.

Yours Sincerely
J. Lennox
Minister of the
United Free Church of Scotland

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Lovedale
S. Africa
8. 4. 01.

The Secretary
Tonic Sol-Fa College
27 Finsbury Square
London E.C.

Dear Sirs,

Dear Sirs, received your letter of 18th ulti. I enclose 10/- in payment of my subscription as an associate of the College (No. 3383) for years 98, 99, 1900, & 01.

Yours truly,
J. Lennox

Yours sincerely
John Lennox.

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Lovedale
11th May 1901.

Messrs Lees & Murray
King Wm Town

re Arabin's Estate.

Dear Sirs,

I duly received your letter of 18th ultimo, in which you promised attention to the matter of Arabin's Estate, and had hoped to hear from you about the payment of the heirs' portions ere now. I trust you will be able to arrange the final settlement forthwith, or else to say what is causing delay, as this matter seems to have made little progress since January last.

Yours sincerely
John Lennox.

Lovedale
23. May 1901.

Lovedale
18 May 1901.

Mr John Pitta
Mafeteng, Basutoland

Dear Mr Jumins Sihlali,
Mqonci,
Idutywa.

Dear Mr Sihlali,

I am in receipt of your letter asking help to send your girl to Lovedale. I am sorry I cannot do anything in the matter.

Hoping you are well, and with kind regards,

Yours sincerely
J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
23. May 1901.

Mr John Pitsa
Mafeteng, Basutoland.

Dear Pitsa,

I am in receipt of your letter of ~~[illegible]~~ 16th instant asking for a certificate that you were a member of the missionary companies of the Students' Christian Association at Lovedale. I have no objection to your showing this letter to say you were a member of these companies although we do not give certificates of the kind you ask, for a thing which is the voluntary work of the students here, & not a part of the Institution work. At the same time, you will of course make it clear, that the work done by these companies is to go out to hold services in the surrounding villages & that the office-bearers of the students themselves decide who are to be admitted to these companies, & that when you say you were a "preacher," this is what you mean, & not that you were an evangelist appointed by & working under the Lovedale authorities.

I was glad to hear from you, & hope you are getting on well.

With all good wishes
Yours truly
S. Lennox

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Lovedale
29 May 1901.

The Secretary
Tonic Sol-fa College
27 Finsbury Square
London, E.C.

Dear Sir,

I enclose the names of 26 candidates whom I have to-day examined for The Elementary Certificate & who have satisfied the requirements.

			age
1.	Bernice Sekokotoane	Lovedale	15
2.	Rosalie Tyamzashe	"	13
3.	Margaret Zibi	"	15
4	Frances Nyombolo	"	12
5	Janet Ntlabati	"	15
6.	Ellen Nduli	"	15
7.	Jubilee Wanchope	"	14
8.	Agnes Magubela	"	14
9.	Robina Poswa	"	15
10.	Agnes Pika	"	15
11.	Jane Kakuza	"	15
12.	Jane Gulwa	"	15
13	Maria Nko		
14.	Annie Mtotoba		
15.	Jane Duza		
16.	Elizabeth Mazomba		
17	Margaret Mlindazwe		
18.	Nompi Goduka		
19.	Ida Zabaka		
20.	Margaret Mpondo		
21.	Claudia Xaba		
22.	Annie Mahlentle.		
23.	Jones Twebu		
24.	Shadrach Malindi		
25.	Ezekiel Mdebuka		
26	Frank Mapesla		

Fees are enclosed as follows: 12 @ 3d - 3/. 14 @ 6d - 7/. Total 10/-

Yours sincerely

J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
S. Africa
11 June 1901

The Secretary
Tonic Sol-fa College
London.

Dear Sir

I enclose voucher + fee for the Elementary Theory Certificate for Annie Mahlentle.

Her name was sent by last mail for the Elementary Certificate. Kindly fill in the no. of her certificate on the voucher.

Yours sincerely

J. Lennox

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Lovedale
15. VI. 01.

Messrs Shaw & Mackay
King Wm Town.

re Estate of late James Cowie.

Dear Sirs,

I must beg for an immediate answer to my repeated enquiries about the settlement of the late James Cowie's estate.

The delay in dealing with the matter, & the way in which my letters have passed with no answer or satisfactory reason for the delay call for explanation and I must ask you to favour me with an immediate reply.

Yours sincerely
John Cowie

Lovedale
20 June 1901.

The Manager
Equitable Life Assurance Co.
Box 250, Capetown

Dear Mr Lindley,

I am thinking of insuring for £500, & would be glad to hear what conditions & terms you can offer. I am 33 years of age & in excellent health. I would like a limited number of annual payments, say twenty, & ~~[illegible]~~ wish to have the option of benefiting at the end of that period by what I had invested.

Assuming that I receive a favourable medicine report what amount would I have to pay annually for a £500 policy? and what might it be expected to amount to with profits after twenty years.

In your system of insurance do you add profits every 3, 5 or 7 years, or only at the end of a 20 years' insurance? For instance what would be received from a £500 policy, should death occur after say 18 payments? ~~[illegible]~~

Yours very truly
J. Lennox

Lovedale
29 June 1900.

The Manager
S. African Mutual Insurance Co.
Cape Town

Dear Sir,

I wish to be insured for £500 and would like to hear from you what conditions and terms you are prepared to offer. I am 88 years of age, and in excellent health. I wish a limited number of annual payments, — say about 20, at which age I would be glad if it could be so arranged that I could have the option of benefiting in some way by the sum I had invested, either by drawing the amount in cash, or by converting it into an annuity. Assuming that I receive a favourable medical report, what sum would I require to pay annually on a £500 policy, & what would might it be expected to amount to with profits after 20 years, or whatever other number of years about 20, you are prepared to arrange for?

Yours sincerely
(Rev). J. Cameron.

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale
3 July 1907.

Dear Mr Kobe,

I am in receipt of your letter of 29th June, in which you decline to state in plain terms what was the nature of the complaint against me, about which you wrote to me then.

At the same time you refer to what I said in the Presbytery when Ntsikana's application was under discussion: and you say that when you saw my hand-writing in these examination papers written in lead pencil, you felt compelled to know whether this was in accordance with the regulations of the Church. The insinuation conveyed is perfectly plain, namely that the questions given to Ntsikana were not as they were set by the examiners. I am surprised and indignant that you should have entertained any such suspicion. The facts are that the questions for every paper were written out by myself, exactly as set by the examiners.

Let me also say that considering all I have done for Ntsikana and Burnet, I am entitled to expect that if there is anything done by me which you do not understand, you will write to myself. I most strongly object to be treated in the way you have done in this instance.

Yours sincerely J. Loram.

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale
2 July 1901.

Dear mother,

I find I have been paying 4/6 each year for money orders in sending home my insurance money, which I think is rather a needless expense. Would it trouble you to draw the money from the Church Offices and pay it for me? The sums amount to £11.17.10 and are as follows:

1. Scottish Provident Instl.n; 6 St Andrew Square, £7.7.9, due 3rd Oct.
2. Scottish Temper.ce Life Assur.ce Co: 5 York Buildings £4.10.1, 2nd Nov.

I enclose a letter to Mr Young asking him to pay you £11.17.10 on 1st October, and then you might post me the insurance receipts when the money has been paid. There are 3 receipts, two from the Sc. Temperance and one from the Scottish Provident. Though there are 7 weeks between the dates when the two payments fall due, it would be better to pay them together, as St. And Square & York Buildings are near together.

I hope this is not asking too much. If so don't hesitate to say so for I don't wish to impose on your kindness.

Your loving Sir John Lennox

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Lovedale
2 July 1901.

Dear Mr Young.

Kindly retain from the salary falling due to me on 1st October, the sum of £ 11 . 17 . 10 and pay it to my brother on 1st October.

With kind regards
Yours truly
J Lennox.

Yours truly
J. Lennox

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Lovedale
4 July 1901.

The Publishers
Cape Times
Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

My subscription for the Weekly Edition of the Cape Times was paid up to 30th June, and as I do not wish to renew it at present. Kindly stop sending it to me.

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Yours truly
S. Lennox

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Dear Alec

Enclosed was written before the mail arrived with your request for a note of interest due, and also for Kuretzki bond to be returned for inspection, which is sent herewith.

When you reply, you might say when it is likely to expect that Kuretzki bond will be paid off. Do you know of any other investment for this amount? I could supplement it to £120 or £150.

Yours very truly

J. Lewis

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King Wm Town
Africa
19th July

Mrs Crosbie's Marriage Certificate & the
Birth Certificate of Mr Lewis
Messrs Galbraith & McNeill Letter
glad to Glasgow. from your acknowledgment
ment of your receiving the money
and also your
Dear Sirs me
and I have now the pleasure of sending
you a draft for £117.14.11 This
minors co Sing dup to Mrs Crosbie £8.11.11
to do anything for them
secure & forward to them
Lesb Acct due to Yates & Murray £1
gladly Commission on draft
especially for Mr
The portions of the two minors amount
to £91.9.2 have been paid in to the Master
the Supreme Court, and will remain there at
3½% or 4% interest till they attain the age
they would then each require to send on
their Baptismal Certificate, & apply to the
Master of the Supreme Court for their
respective portions as they each attain
I enclose copies of the accounts
by Messrs Yates & Murray, and

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Mrs Crosbie's Marriage Certificate & the Birth Certificate of Mr Lewis M. Crosbie.

On receipt of this letter I shall be glad to receive from you acting [illegible] 1901. ment of your receiving the money, and also your approval of the steps taken by me on behalf of Mrs Crosbie and her son.

Messrs Kilbrick & McGill Glasgow

If I am in this country when the minors come of age I shall have [illegible] to do anything for them in order to secure & forward to them their portions.

Rar Sirs I enclose the Schedule exchange for £ 1121 14 : 11 due to Mrs Crosbie & her [illegible]

I have charged no fee, & have gladly ~~done~~ acted in the matter, especially for Mr Yates & Murray's explanation the long delay was ~~[illegible]~~ owing to the war, & to the leaving of one of the partners for England.

I shall be glad to hear from you about it & also to receive the [illegible] due.

I asked also [illegible] to be expected that Knoetze would [illegible] the bond, & if he knew of any other investment for the amount (£75), or any sum up to £120 or £150.

With kind regards
Yours truly
J. Lennox

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Lovedale
S. Africa
26 July 1901.

Messrs Galbraith & McGill
Glasgow.

Dear Sirs

I enclose the Second of Exchange for £112 : 14 : 11 due to Mrs Crosbie & her eldest son.

Yours sincerely
J. Lennox.

In the absence of any [illegible] Alec had left before my letter arrived. I hope the Bond arrived safely. I shall be glad to hear from you about it & also to receive the interest due.

I asked Alec when it was to be expected that Knoetze would buy off his bond, & if he knew of any other investment for the amount (£75), or any sum up to £120 or £150.

With kind regards
Yours truly
J. Lennox

Lovedale
26 July 1901.

Dear Mr Greenslade,

At Alec's request I sent him on the 14th instant Knoetze's bond which he wanted to examine, and a note of interest due to me as follows:-

½ yearly interest on Caton's Bond of £110 @ 6% (due 24 June)	£ 3.6.0
½ yearly interest on Nel's 2nd Bond of £110 @ 8% (due 24 July)	4.8.0
	£ 7.16.0

In the absence of any reply I suppose Alec had left before my letter arrived. I hope the Bond arrived safely. I shall be glad to hear from you about it & also to receive the interest due.

I asked Alec when it was to be expected that Knoetze would pay off his bond, & if he knew of any other investment for the amount (£75), or any sum up to £120 or £150.

With kind regards
Yours truly
J. Lennox

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July 30th 1901.

30 July 1901

The Manager.
Kaffrarian Savings Bank
King Wm's Town.

Dear Sir.

Dorsi to [illegible]

[illegible]ite you, and enclose £15 which
[illegible]idly place to my credit.
also send 1/- in stamps for the
[illegible]ank book.

Yrs truly
(Mrs) Jessie Lennox

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Lovedale
5 Aug. 1901.

Lovedale
30 July 1901

Received from Messrs T. Bear's Son & Co, the sum of Seven Pounds Fourteen Shillings, being half yearly interest on Cuton's bond of £110 @ 6%. and on Vel's Second Bond of £10 @ 8%.

Also 1 [illegible] Macaulay's Pitt (Wrigh)
[illegible] Gray's Poems (Rudsham)
[illegible] Wright's Physics.

I asked for my account to date but it has not come. Kindly add the present order, & let me have it by return.

Yours truly
(Rev) S. Lennox

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Together in Excellence

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Lovedale
5 Aug. 1901.

Lovedale
6 Aug. 1901.

Messrs Juta & Co
Port Elizabeth

Dear Sirs,

I return 3 Thomson's Algebras. This is the wrong edition. Kindly send instead 3 Thomson's Algebra (Chambers's Algebra for Schools)

Also 1 copy Macaulay's Pitt (Winch)
[illegible] Gray's Poems (Bradshaw)
[illegible] Wright's Physics.

I asked for my account to date but it has not come. Kindly ~~[illegible]~~ add the present order, & let me have it by return.

Yours truly
(Rev). S. Lennox

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Lovedale
6 Aug. 1901.

Messrs Juta & Co
Port Elizabeth,

Dear Sirs
I enclose £1.2.5 in payment of two accounts

25 July		.1.8
1 Aug.	14.3	
	13.6	1.0.9
		£1.2.5

In a note written on 28 March last you referred to discount which was to be allowed, & spoke of passing a credit note to in my favour. I would be glad to hear from you how the matter now stands off & you might return any discount to me in stamps. What rate of discount do you allow?

Yours truly
J. Lennox

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Lovedale
10 August 1901.

Messrs Bell & Bradfute
Edinburgh.

Dear Sirs,

Kindly send me
1 copy Lord's Modern Europe
copies Gregory's Exercise Book of Elementary
Practical Physics
(You might [illegible] the pub.d price on these as a quick [illegible])
Also [illegible] send a copy of
Dora Greenwell's 'Patience of Hope' to
Mrs. Howe Ely
Queenstown
S. Africa;
& insert my card.

Yours very truly
J. Lennox

Of course I do not wish to make any change about his bond till I hear further about this new offer.

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Lovedale
17 Aug 1901.

Dear Mr Greenslade,

In view of the likelihood that Knoetze may wish to pay off his bond of £75, I have been enquiring about an investment, & have the offer of one though I am not sure how soon it may be arranged. Supposing I may be called on at short notice, I suppose you would be willing to take over Knoetze's bond, & so let me have the £75 available?

I was glad to hear to-night from Taylor that you were looking well after your trip to E. London. Thanks for the annual invoice.

With mutual kind regards

Yours truly

J. Lennox

Of course I do not wish to make any change about K's bond till I hear further about this new offer.

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Lovedale
29 Aug. 1901.

Lovedale
17. viii. 01.

Dear Miss Hawes,

I enclose a copy of a

Dear Mr Rose Innes

I still have £150 or £160 which I would be glad to invest.

Thanks for keeping the matter in mind.

With kind regards

Yours truly

J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
29 Aug. 1901.

Dear Miss Hawes,

I enclose a copy of a minute of the Education Board which I was instructed to send to you at a recent meeting at which your letter of 31st July was read, and in which you asked the Board to do you the justice to rectify the errors in Dr Stewart's letter accepting your resignation.

I have [illegible] to send forward to [illegible] in the [illegible] room with the [illegible] of the [illegible] of the first [illegible] and [illegible] to [illegible] some [illegible] when I am at [illegible] at date would [illegible] to be [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Yours truly
J. Bennett

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Lovedale
10 Sept 1901

Lovedale
S. Africa
31 Aug. 1901.

Dear Mr Daniel,

Your letter of the 7th inst. arrived to-day, and I have to thank the Dalry S.M.F. assoc^n for their invitation to deliver the closing address on 29th June next. I am sorry it is impossible to accept the engagement, as the date of my furlough is still undecided, although I hope I may be Home by that time. Still, until I hear from the Foreign Mission Committee, I am not free to bind myself. This however I may say, that I have many times looked forward to spending an hour in the Lesion-room with the Assoc^n, of which I was one of the first members, and I shall be glad to come some morning when I am at Home. But the date would need to be fixed after I arrive. With my best wishes for the Assoc^n

Yours truly J. Lennox

Mr Daniel
Mountfield Gardens
Edinburgh.

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Lovedale
10 Sept. 1901.

Dear Mr Innes,

I enclose a Proposal for Assurance in the S. A. Mutual Life Assurce Society, and Reports from Messrs Geddes & Cruden. Dr Kelbe examined me and is sending his report direct to Cape Town.

I wish to insure under Table IV for £500, to be payable at death or on attaining 55. Assuming that the doctor's report is accepted as favourable, and that I am accepted at ordinary rate, the premium I understand would be £4-12-8 per cent, or £23-1-3 for £500. I shall be 34 next birthday (20 January). I enclose my birth certificate, & would be greatly obliged if you would arrange to have my age admitted & marked as such on the policy. Kindly return the certificate after perusal.

Yours very truly,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale
28 Sept 1901.

Messrs Jones & Hutton
Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose a cheque for £23-3-9, being premium of £23-1-3 on my Assurance of £500 in the S.A. Mutual Life Assurance Society, and 2/6, stamps on policy.

Kindly return my birth certificate together with the policy.

Yours sincerely
J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
2 Oct. 1901

Dear Mr Greenslade,

I write to remind you that the half-yearly interest amounting to Four Pounds, on Nel's Bond of £100 @ 8% falls due on the 11th instant. I enclose a One-Pound note, so that if you return a Five-Pound note, that will spare us.

Yours truly,

J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
20 Oct. 1901.

Messrs Crosby & Co
E. London.

Dear Mr Young,

Kindly retain from the salary payable to me here on 1st January, the sum of £6 - 18/-, which I shall be greatly obliged if you will pay to my Mother on 24th December next.

With kind regards,

Yours very truly
J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
2 Oct. 1901.

Lovedale
Oct 23rd

Messrs Crosby & Co
E. London.

Dear Sir

Please find enclosed £1.16/- being [illegible] subscription for the E.L. Dispatch from 1st July 1901 to 30 June 1902.

Yours truly
J. Lennox

I also send £2 for my child Isobel Gordon Lennox as I wish to open an account for her. She will be three years of age on November 7th. By referring to your letter of 6th August I see I can open an account in trust for my child who was born at Lovedale Nov 7th 1898

Yrs faithfully
Jessie Lennox.

for enclosed for new York

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Lovedale.
Oct 23rd.

The Deputy Registrar
Victoria East

Certificate of Registration of Birth.

To the Sgr King Wm Town.
Saving Bank Society

Dear Sir.
I enclose £15 which
kindly put to my credit.
I also send £2. for my child
Isobel Gordon Lennox as I wish
to open an account for her.
She will be three years of
age on November 7th
By referring to your letter
of 6th August I see I can open
an account in trust for my
child who was born at Lovedale
Nov 7th 1895.
Yrs faithfully
Jessie Lennox.

1/- enclosed for new Bk

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Lovedale
28 Oct. 1901.

The Deputy Registrar
Victoria East.

Certificate of Registration of Birth.

Dear Mr Samuels,

Following up our conversation to-day I now send you the ~~Extract~~ Certificate of Birth of Isobel Gordon Lemon, which should be greatly obliged if you will take whatever steps are necessary to ensure the ~~proper~~ registration of her name, and the recognition of this on the certificate. I shall pay whatever fees are necessary to have this put in order.

Yours sincerely
S. Lemon.

Yours obedient Servant,
S. Lemon.

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Lovedale
11 Nov. 1901.

My Dear Alex,

Lovedale
29 October 1901.

F. Farrington Esq
Departmental Instructor
Education Office
Cape Town.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of inquiry of the 10th inst. I have the honour to state that between 1st Oct. 1900 and 30th Sept. 1901 I granted the following certificates in connection with the Sonia Sol. Fa College:

Name of Bond & rate of Int.	Date when int. last paid	Interest due at 31.XII.1
1 Nat. Bond for £100 @ 8%	11 October 1901	£ 1-15-6
Knottles £75 @ 8%	9 November 1901	17-1
Cates £110 @ 6%	26 June 1901	3-8-8
1 Nat. Bond £110 @ 8%	26 July 1901	3-17-2
£395		£ 9-18-5

6 Junior
26 Elementary Practical
1 Theory.

These were all gained in Lovedale.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your obedient Servant,
J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
11 Nov. 1901.

My Dear Alex,

I am in receipt of your letters of 5th & 6th inst. & enclose with thanks, a receipt for your cheque for £3.

I shall be glad to avail myself of your offer that the bonds should be returned at 31st December, & I subjoin a list of what I hold, with note of interest calculated to that date.

Name of Bond & rate of Int:	Date when int: last paid	Interest due at 31.XII.01
J. Nels Bond for £100 @ 8%	11 October 1901.	£ 1 .. 15 .. 6
Knoetze's .. £75 @ 8%	9 November 1901.	17 .. 1
Caton's .. £110 @ 6%	24 June 1901.	3 .. 8 .. 8
J. Nels 2nd .. £110 @ 8%	24 July 1901.	3 .. 17 .. 2
£395		£ 9 .. 18 .. 5

I shall do what I can to secure another investment as soon as possible, & should I be successful in getting one before 31 Decr. I suppose it would suit you to repay the money before that date. Should you hear of anything suitable, I am sure you will bear me in mind.

Mr Granslade is right about having returned the bond to me which I had sent to him. This is what I said to you, & I have the four bonds in my pos[illegible] present.

With kind regards

Yours very truly J. A. E.

[illegible]ll well here.

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Lovedale
11 Nov. 1901.

Gibson

My Dear Tom,

You may remember that when you were at Lovedale I made a small investment through Alec Brown's business. The changes at Seymour require this to be paid off, & so I have money of my own & of my Father's amounting in all to £400, thrown upon my hands. I wish to get some investment for this money, but feel very much out of the way of hearing about these things. Do you know of anything suitable? I am sure you will help us in the matter if you can.

The money will be available on 31st Dec., but if desirable to secure any investment before that date, I could get it immediately. I shall be glad to hear from you soon, as I shall wish to get this settled as soon as possible.

I enclose a receipt for £6, with thanks.

With kindest regards
Your loving Brother
J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
S. Africa
Lovedale
12 Nov. 1901.

Messrs Wilson, Miller & Gilmour
Cape Town

Dear Sirs,

Kindly post to Mrs Lennox, Lovedale, 1 black alpaca skirt £60. with 9 inch circular flounce same as illustration, @ 21/=; waist, 27 in: length 40 in.

Yours sincerely
S. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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Rovedale
S. Africa
23 Nov. 1901

The Resident Secretary
Scottish Temperance Life Assurance Co Ltd
5 York Buildings
Edinburgh.

Dear Sir,

I have signed & now return to you the declaration of Total Abstinence in connection with my policies 8321 & 10145.

I have also received notices of the premiums on these policies being due, but would remind you that these were paid on 2 October 1901, for which I hold your receipt, & that I am expecting the ordinary official receipts in fr.

Yours sincerely,

S. x. Lennox.

Jessie was [illegible] last night over the receipt of her home mail which brought the replies to our cable. All have well. We heard of the Pionola from Greatham-Elad it is such a success.

With unified good wishes

Yours S. Lennox

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Hovedale
23. Nov 1901.

My Dear Alec.

As requested, I am posting to you the four Bonds I used, viz.

1. Johannes Kel's Bond for £100 @ 8%.
2. " " 2nd " 110 @ 8%
3. Knoetze's " " 75 @ 8%
4. Catoni's " " 110 @ 6%

You can retain possession of them till it is necessary for me to cede them to you, when you might give me a note of the proper form to use.

The Easter term ends on the Thursday before Good-Friday. Easter falls on the 9th April in '02, so that the schools close on the 4th. I have not succeeded in seeing a school Almanac, in fact the '02 ones are not yet issued, but you may take this as correct.

Jessie was greatly excited last night over the receipt of her home mail which brought the replies to our cable. All here well. We heard of the Pionola from Mrs Graham. Glad it is such a success.

With united good wishes
Yours S. Kallenbach

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale
23 Nov. 1907

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Messrs Beauchamp Booth & Co.
K.W.T.

Dear Sirs

Enclosed please find 8/9 in payment of account rendered

Yours sincerely
J. Lennox.

Bryant R. Volunt Esq
Liverpool & London, & Globe Insur
1 Victoria Chambers
Victoria Street
London.

Dear Sirs

I enclose [illegible] in payment of account rendered [illegible] 1st Prox. [illegible] the Insurance is on the [illegible] the Dwelling House [illegible] the Dwelling House itself as stated in the notice.

When the premium falls due in 1902 I expect to be in Scotland, & shall be obliged if you will direct the notice to me at 11 Richmond Terrace, Edinburgh, posting it [illegible] in time for me to reply by 1st Dec.

Yours truly
J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale
4/12/01
23 Nov. 1907

Bryant R. Blunt Esq
Liverpool & London, & Globe Insur. Co.
1 Victoria Chambers
Terminus Street
E. London.

Lennox
Seymour

Dear Sir,

I enclose £1 in renewal of the Fire Policy No 3785776 from 1st Prox. Kindly note that the Insurance is on the Contents of the Dwelling House, & not on the Dwelling House itself as stated in the notice.

Secure possible

When the premium falls due in 1902 I expect to be in Scotland, & shall be obliged if you will direct the notice to me at 11 Richmond Terrace, Edinburgh, posting it to me in time for me to reply by 1st Dec.

Yours truly
S. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale
14 Dec. 1901

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4/12/01

My Dear Mr [illegible]

Your letter of the 11th came to hand yesterday & I am very greatly obliged to you for securing a new bond for me, & that you have done better than you promised in the matter of [illegible] interest. I am glad to have this price [illegible] Lennox Brown Seymour [illegible] to my Father also [illegible] lying idle.

In addition to the £395 in the bonds now [illegible] I have to pay [illegible] £105, [illegible] which I have calculated to the 11th [illegible] the date of your letter, [illegible] as follows.

[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	£1 - 6 - 3
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	3 - 5 -
[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	3 - 6 -
			£8 - 7 - 8

£105 less [illegible] £8 - 7 - 8 leaves £96 - 12 - 4 which I shall be able to pay [illegible] as soon as I can get a [illegible] warrant for [illegible]

Again thanking you very heartily

Yours truly

[illegible]

Secure bond for me if possible wire result

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Lovedale
14 Dec. 1901.

My Dear Alex,

Your letter of the 11th came to hand yesterday, & I am very greatly obliged to you for securing a new bond for me, & that you have done better than you promised in the matter of interest. I am glad to have this fixed up before going home sit will be a satisfaction to my Father Alex not to have his money lying idle.

In addition to the £375 in the bonds now to be returned to you I have to pay you £105, less interest which I have calculated to the 11th inst, the date of your letter, & is as follows.

Rel's	£100	@ 8%	11 Oct – 11 Dec. 2 mos	£1 – 6 – 8
Kussefe's	75	@ 8%	9 Nov – 11 Dec 1 mo	10 –
Cassie's	110	@ 8%	24 June – 11 Dec 5½ mos	3 – 5 –
Rel's(2)	110	@ 8%	24 July – 11 Dec 4½ mos	3 – 6 –
				£8 – 7 – 8

£105 less this £8 – 7 – 8 leaves £96 – 12 – 4 which I shall be able to pay to you as soon as I can get a Sav. Bank warrant from C. Town.

Again thanking you very heartily

Yours truly

John Kennedy

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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Loredale
14 Dec. 1901.

Dear Father,

I heard yesterday from Alec Brown that he has secured a new Bond on excellent security at 6½%, which is better than he thought he would be able to get at the present time. This Bond is for £500, which includes your £200, & the £300 which is all our savings except a little we shall have to use for the home-coming. You will therefore get £13 p.a. of interest, but whether yearly or half-yearly I have still to learn.

You will be drawing £6-18 from the U.P.C. offices on the 24th of this month. This is for interest due partly on 24 Dec & partly on 24 Jany. As the transfer to the new Bond will be made immediately, this £6-18 reduces 6 months' interest on Bonds which have been held in one case for 4½ & in the other 5½ months. Some deduction falls to be made but this can be adjusted when the next payment of interest to you falls due, as well as your proportion of any charges in connection with the drawing of the new Bond.

I am very glad this matter has been so satisfactorily arranged & without any interval when the money had to lie idle. I have written thanking Alec very heartily for the trouble he has taken in the matter.

Your loving Son John Lennox

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Lovedale
25 Decr 1901.

Lovedale
27. Dec. 1901

A. D. Brown Esq
Seymour.

My Dear Alex,

I send you by this post my Savings Bank Book, with warrant and order to enable you to draw £66-12-4. I calculated interest to Dec 11th to amounting to £8-7-8, which with the present amount of £66-12-4 and the £30 sent on the 21st inst. made £105. This has to be slightly modified so as to reckon interest to the 20th

The details are:—

Nel's	£100 @ 8%	11 Oct - 20 Dec	£1-10-8
Knuttle's	75 @ 8%	9 Nov - "	13-2
Cetrus	110 @ 8%	26 Jan - "	3-5-1
Nel's (2)	110 @ 8%	26 July - "	3-12-4
			£9-1-3

The difference between £9-1-3 & the £8-7-8 calculated to the 11th is 13/7. This can stand over and be deducted from the amount I shall be due to you for stamps & registering of the Bond.

I am glad you have taken steps to have the Bond made over legally to me. Any outlay is more than justified by the security it obtains.

I hope you are having a jolly holiday at the Kabberg. With the season's greetings to Miss Wood & your sons & many heartfelt good wishes for you both

Yours very truly Lennox

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Loredale
27. Dec 1871

Messrs Neill & Bradfute
Edinburgh.

Dear Sirs
Kindly send to me
1. Hall's Knights' Higher Algebra
2. Key to the same.

Yours truly
Kenny.

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Together in Excellence

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Lovedale
26 Jany 1902

Dear Mr Shearer

My Dear Sir

In reply to your letter of 6th inst I enclose Serial Zibi certificate of church in embarkish.

Lovedale
3 Jany 1902

Zibi left Lovedale because of

My Dear Sir

I write once more to remind you of the £3 you owe me which with a sorry Yours sincerely

J. Kennedy

I. Kennedy

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Lovedale
26 January 1902.

Dear Mr Shearer

In reply to your letter of 6th inst I enclose herein Jibi's certificate of character & conduct.

Jibi left Lovedale because of injuries received when absent from the Institution contrary to rules & had he remained, this would doubtless have been a matter for inquiry; but his withdrawal prevented this. It is on this understanding that I issue his certificate.

Yours truly
J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
27 Jany 1902.

My Dear Alec,

I duly received Cowley's Bond from Mr Hunter, and your letter concerning your kind offer to receive the Interest for me when I go on furlough. I shall expect to hear from you about the cost of registration. The letter with the other Bonds &c has not yet turned up, but I think it should come by Tuesday's or Thursday's post.

I am sorry to say that our prospect of getting off on furlough has become very shadowy. Because of Mr Moir's break-down, Mr Stormont is ordered to Blythewood for an indefinite period. Jessie is very disappointed at this upsetting of all our plans.

Hoping to see Miss Wood & you soon

Ever truly

J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
28 Jan. 1902

My Dear Alex,

Your letter came to hand to-day, & I now send to you

1. Receipt for £16. 16. 1
2. Three bonds ceded back to you, viz.
   a. Hel's Bond for £100
   b. Cabin — — £110
   c. Knoetzes — — £75.

You will notice however that on 23 Nov. I sent four bonds to you, and that you have not sent to me Hel's second bond for £110 for my signature.

With kindest regards
Yours truly
J. Lennox.

28/1/02
£16.16.1

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Lovedale
30 Jany 1902

The Manager
K.W.T. Savings Bank Society.

Lovedale
28 January 1902.

Received from Messrs T. Bear's, Son & Co, the sum of Sixteen Pounds Sixteen Shillings and one Penny (£16.16.1), in payment of

1.	½ yr Int on Conley's Bond due in advance 1/1/02	£16.5
2.	Paid by Conley, Ex of Expenses of Registering Bond	1
3.	Credit Balance	13.7
		£17.18.7
Less	Stamps on 3 Bonds	1.2.6
		£16.16.1

J. Lennox
28/1/02
£16.16.1

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Loveday
30 January 1902

The Manager
N.E.S. Savings Bank Ltd.

Dear Sir

I enclose £20.1.0. of which kindly place £15 to the credit of my account, and £5 in a new book in name for me in trust for my child Jan Hansay Lemmon, born at Loveday on 25 Oct 1901. The Pass Book is enclosed for the purpose.

Yours truly,
Jessie Lemmon.

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Lovedale
30 Jan. 1882.

My dear Mr Howell,

Your letter of the 10th has been wandering round after me, so I am sending this to you at Inanda hoping it may reach you there.

I am sorry you cannot come to us in March. I remember you thought that when at Grahamstown you might come across country to us. Is that not still possible? As we close in the middle of June, it would be too late to hold services in the first week of June, when everything is beginning to be unsettled. Freedom from distraction is necessary at such a time, & it is our experience that it is better not to delay the services later than the middle of the session. I think therefore that the first week of May, or the second at the very latest, would be as far as it would be wise to postpone the services, & as much earlier than that, the better.

I do hope you will be able to arrange to come. It would be a great disappointment if you cannot come, as we have all been looking forward to your visit. Do try to come in March or April.

Kindly let me know your decision.

I am glad you are having so restful a holiday.

With kind regards to Mrs Howell Yours truly

J. Lennox.

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8 Feb. 1902

4 Feb. 1902

Messrs Juta & Co.
Port Elizabeth.

Dear Sirs
Please post to me
copies Richard II.
Lamb's Essays of Elia (Hallward & Hill)
Cicero De imperio Cn. Pompeii (Univ. Tut.
Series, with translation if in stock,
but if not the edition with notes
will do).
Kindly let me have my account
Yours sincerely
J. Lennox

1. A Ten Pound [illegible] 008469
2. " Five " Standard Bank. £ 029595
3. " Five " " " £ 180567

I am
Yours sincerely
John Lennox

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The Manager
Kwo Savings Bank Society

Dear Sir,

On the 30th ult. my wife sent you by a registered letter £20.1 of which £15 you to be placed to her own account, & £5 in my account in trust for Thomas Kennedy Lennox, the [illegible] being for the [illegible] Book for him.

The receipt of the money has not been acknowledged. Kindly say by return if you received it.

The money was sent in three bank notes

1. A Ten Pound Bank of Africa note B/10 008469
2. " Five " Standard Bank. A/5 029595
3. " Five " " " A/5 189567

I am
Yours sincerely
John Lennox

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11 Feb. 1902.

The King Wm Town
Savings Bank Society.

Dear Sirs.

I am glad to find by the pass-books & your letter of 8 inst. that the £20 sent by my wife, and about which I wrote you on the 8th, reached you safely, though it seems strange that there was so long delay.

Please note that the name for Book No 8785 is Ian Ramsay Lennox, not Ian Ramsay Lennox as written,

& oblige
Yours sincerely
J. Lennox.

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[illegible]

18 Feb. 1902

Messrs Juta & Co
Port Elizabeth

Dear Sirs,

I enclose 11/10 in payment of account rendered less 10%.

I am writing to ask whether you can execute my order posted on the 6th Feb. for 7 copies Richard II,
" 7 " Lamb's Essays of Elia,
" 7 " Cicero de Imperio.
I have had no reply to my letter. Kindly say whether you can supply these at once, or if not I can procure them locally now, & must cancel my order to you.

Yours sincerely

John Lennox.

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27 Feb. 1902.

O. B. J. Cowley Esq.
Cathcart Vale
Seymour

Dear Sir,

With reference to the Mortgage Bond for £500 passed by you, and held by me, I shall be obliged if you will pay the half yearly interest as it falls due to Mr. A. D. Brown, Seymour, whom I hereby endower to collect the same for me, and whose receipt to you will be a sufficient acknowledgement and discharge.

I am
Yours sincerely
J. Lennox.

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Lovedale
24 Feb. 1902

A. J. Bowling
Seymour

My Dear Alex,

I enclose a letter to Mr Conley asking him to pay the half yearly interest on his bond for £500 to you, as it falls due, & that your receipt will be a full discharge. Kindly post the letter to him.

With kind regards
Yours very truly
J. Lennox.

You will remember to let me have a note of the expense of registering the bond?

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Lovedale
25 Feb. 02

The Secretary
Kingwilliamstown Society.
King Wm Town.

Dear Sir,

Dear Sir, I do which kindly place [illegible] Enclosure please find 8/2 in payment of account rendered.

Yours truly

[illegible]

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25 Feb. 1912

The Secretary
King's Town Savings Bank Society.

Dear Sir,

I enclose £3 which kindly place to my credit.

Yours truly

Jessie Lennox.

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26 Feb 1902

Hon. D. Russell Esq.
Mt. Royal Dover
Messrs Juta & Co.
Port Elizabeth

Dear Sir,

I am very glad you see your way to come to us in April. That is the best time for Kuralis post to see Nineteen (19) copies of Thompson's Algebra (Chambers)

Yours truly
J. Lennox

I am glad to hear the good news of your work at Saunders & trust your work will prosper abundantly at P.E. and elsewhere along your journey.

With our united kind regards
Yours very truly
J. Lennox

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26 Feb 1902

Rev. D. Russell
Mt. Dover
Port Elizabeth.

My Dear Mr Russell

I am very glad you see your way to come to us in April. That is the best time for the services to be held. Can you fix the third week now?

From Grahamstown there is a post-cart three days a week to Fort Beaufort, & once or twice to Breakfast Vlei, & thence to Alice. If you come by Fort Beaufort, arrangements will be made to meet you there and bring you on here. If you come by B. Vlei, you will be met in Alice. Friends in Grahamstown will be able to tell you in good time which route would be available on the day you would wish to come & you could wire to Lovedale in [illegible] time for arrangements to be made from this side.

I am glad to hear the good news of your work at Inanda, & trust your work will prosper abundantly at P.E. and elsewhere along your journey.

With our united kind regards
Yours very truly
J. Kennedy

University of Fort Hare
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27 Feb. 1902

Messrs Gibson, Macdonald & Co

The Union-Castle Co

East London

Dear Sirs,

I wish to take passage from E. London to Southampton (or London) for myself, wife, & others children (ages, 3 yrs. and 4 months). Kindly inform me what steamers sail in the first, and second weeks of April, and what second class berths are available, & the fares.

On what day of the week do the steamers sail from E. London?

Yours sincerely

Lydia (Mrs). J. Lennon.

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27 Feb. 1902

Messrs Gibson, Macdonald & Co
P. Elizabeth.

My Dear Tom,

I am glorying the business heading in case you are from home. We got a cable to-day that the Committee have sanctioned our going home in April. In view of this I wish to draw out £25 of the £100 you hold from me, & shall be glad if you will let me have it by return.

We have been having very hot weather, & it has knocked up both Jessie & Isobel. However the prospect of the home going should do wonders. I hope we shall see you at P.E. Remember to let me know what the regulations are about landing.

With love to Amy & Yours very Loyalty for us both

Your loving Brother
J. Lennox

Address: Rev. J. Lennox

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28 Feb. 1902

Messrs Juta & Co.
Cape Town.

Dear Sirs.

Kindly post to me

1 Copy Lord's Modern Europe.

5 Copies Essays of Elia, Ed. by Hallwaw & Sis
(Macmillan & Co)

6 " Ovid – Metam. III, 1–130.

Yours faithfully

J. Lennox

Address: –
Rev. J. Lennox, MA.
Lovedale.

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8 March 1902.

Messrs Jones & Co.
Port Elizabeth.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose £2 . 14 . 5 in payment of the two accounts rendered. Please note that the 7 Acero pro Lge Manilia charged at 7/6 should be 6/6 (Nicol's edition). The accounts therefore are

7 Acero p. L. Manilia	6/6	10 . 6
7 Richard II	6/6	12 . 3
7 Thompson's Algebra	6/6	1 . 11 . 6
		2 . 14 . 3
I have [illegible]	10%	5 . 5
		2 . 8 . 10
	Postage 2/3 3/6	5 . 7
		£ 2 . 14 . 5

Yours truly,

J. Lennox.

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8 March 1902

Dear Mr Russell

Your arrangement to give us the third week in April will suit admirably. If you come on Friday 18th, that will give a beginning to the services on Sat. 19th or Sunday 20th, closing say on the 27th.

You can get very easily from Loredale to Seymour, either by post-cart, or by private cart if in actual law which is very strict in these matters will permit. Mr Graham's address is Rev. A. Graham, Seymour. I have told Rev. F. W. King, Baptist minister of Alice, & Rev. J. P. Kriel, D. R. minister of Alice, that you are to be in this neighbourhood, & if they can arrange for services to communicate with you that you may fix time to suit your movements. I am also writing to Mr Hanesworth (F. Beaufort). If time would permit, you could, after leaving Loredale, hold combined meetings in Alice; then go to Seymour; from there to Fort Beaufort; thence to Adelaide:— all easy stages.

Word has come from Home sanctioning my furlough from beginning of April. I expect that I shall be away before your visit, which I very greatly resent after the first week of April therefore, write to Dr Roberts, or Rev N. V. Taylor, Loredale.

With renewed prayers for the success of your work, I will kindest regards. Yours very truly [illegible]

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My Dear Tony,

I enclose a formal receipt for £25 received to-day.

I am applying for berths in the 'Walmer Castle' which sails from E. London on the 11th April. We cannot risk going sooner. Jessie is still weak from an attack of dysenteric diarrhoea, & she was scarcely able to be allowed up when Isobel developed quinsy & we are still in the thick of nursing her. She is greatly pulled down, & Jessie is very worn out with her own sickness & now with nursing.

With loving greetings to Amy & yourself

Your loving Brother

J. Lemmon.

Lovedale
11 March 1902.

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The Co[illegible]
Persons [illegible]
[illegible]

11 March 1902
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My Dear Alec,

Yours of yesterday came to hand to-day. I shall remember to write to you from home about Comley's interest, in time for any [illegible] before 1st July, when the interest next falls due.

I note that the registration acct. is settled. I suppose you have in mind the interest due from 20 Dec to 1 July, as per enclosed [illegible] note [illegible] & that the cost of registration was £2 of which Comley & I each paid half. Is this correct?

I am very sorry you cannot come down with Miss Wood. We are writing to secure passages in the Walmer Castle sailing from E.L. on the 11 April. Are you sure you cannot come before then?

Jessie was [illegible] able to be allowed up when [illegible] developed quinsy. She is still very bad with it, & very weak. We have not had our sorrows to seek for the past two or three weeks.

With our united kind remembrances to Miss Wood & yourself

Yours very truly

[illegible]

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Lovedale
13 March 1902.

The Commandant
Permit Office
East London.

11 March 1902

Union Castle Company
E. London.

Dear Sirs,

In connection with the passages in the Walmer Castle for myself and family applied for by Dr Roberts, I write now to ask whether any regulations are at present in force regarding vaccination. My eldest child was vaccinated twice two years ago, but in neither instance did it take. At present she is in a weak state of health consequent on a recent illness, or the doctor is unwilling to vaccinate her at present unless it is absolutely necessary to do so. He is prepared to give certificate of the former vaccination, if that meets the requirements.

Awaiting the favour of an early reply, I remain

Yours truly

J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale
13 March 1902.

The Commandant
Permit Office
East London.

Sir,

I have the honour to apply for permits for myself and family to proceed from E. London per H.M.S. "Walmer Castle" sailing from E. London on 10th April. We are proceeding to England. The names for the permits are

Rev. John Lennox
Mrs Lennox
Isabel Gordon Lennox
Jean Ramsay Lennox

We would like to have permission to land at Port Elizabeth and Cape Town to see friends, while the "Walmer Castle" is at these places, and if you can grant permits to this effect I would be greatly obliged.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your obedient Servant
John Lennox.

In case the information is necessary I may mention that I am a missionary at Lovedale Missionary Institution & am proceeding home on ordinary furlough.

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Lovedale
13 March 1902

The Commandant
Penn's Office
[illegible] London

[illegible] 1902.
8 March 1902.

Dear Father,

I am most [illegible] to tell you [illegible] we [illegible] the new investment and the interest due to you [illegible]

The New Bond was transferred on 20 Dec 1901 and interest is payable half yearly in advance on 1 Jany and July at 6½%. At 20 Dec. 1901 there was due to you:

Cotton's Bond £110 @ 6% 20 June – 20 Dec		3 . 4 . 8
Hill [illegible] 20 July – 20 Dec		2 . 18 . 9
		£ 6 . 3 . 5
Int. on New Bond (£200 @ 6½%) for 11 days to 31 Dec 01		9
" " " for [illegible] 1/1/02 – 30/6/02		6 . 10 .
Total due to 30/6/02		£ 13 . 0 . 5

Less:

Paid by [illegible] 20/12/01	£ 6 . 18	
2 Stamps @ 7/6 for [illegible] bonds	15	
1/5 of expenses of new bond (1 . 2 . 6)	7	8 . 2
		£ 4 . 18 . 5

I shall pay this £4 . 18 . 5 to you when we come home & after that the interest will be £6 . 10 payable in advance on Jany & July. The expenses of the new Bond are shared by the mortgagee who pays half of the whole account. The stamps on the bonds now received were charges which might have been made when these former bonds were taken over. You will remember there was no charge at that time. The expense connected with the new investment therefore is 9/, a very moderate amount.

Your loving Son
[illegible]

15 March 1902.

[illegible]

[illegible]

[illegible]

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15 March 1902

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[illegible]

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15 March 1902

Messrs Carlomans & Co
E. London

Dear Sirs,

Kindly let me know by return whether there is a Bucknall steamer sailing from E. London for England early in April, & if so on what date. Also whether you could give me berths for myself, wife and two children, aged respectively 3 yrs. and 6 months. What are the fares?

Yours truly

J. Lemmx.

Are the Bucknall fares subject to 10% missionary reduction? I would count it a favour if you would wire if there is a steamer in first or second week of April on which I could get passages.

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18 March 1902

Union-Castle Co.
E. London

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your wire that you are booking passages for me per Sec. Lennox.

Dr. Waterson
Cape Town

Can you oblige [illegible] giving [illegible] passage to Cape Town per

Extremely anxious for health consideration
secure second class [illegible] Dunvegan.
or preferably Walmer self wife
two children East London agency
state steamers full greatly obliged.
if you would interview Cunio.
securing berths if possible.

[illegible] arrange this [illegible] shall be glad of an early reply.

As soon as passages are booked kindly send me some labels.

Yours sincerely

J. Lennox

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18 March 1902

Union-Castle Co.
E. London

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your wire that you are booking passages for me per "Scot".

Can you oblige me by giving me a passage for myself & family to Cape Town per "Walmer" on the 11th, & then allowing me to complete the voyage from Cape Town by the Scot when she leaves C. Town a week later?

I trust you can arrange this & shall be glad of an early reply.

As soon as passages are booked kindly send me some labels.

Yours sincerely

J. Evans

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Mr George Skosana,

Hackney. Messrs Juta, & Co.

Port Elizabeth.

26th August 1903.

Dear Sirs,

Kindly post to me four copies of

Boyser's Magnetism and Electricity, of Longmans,

Advanced Science Manuals.

Yours sincerely

(Rev) J. L. Lennox

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

29th August 1903.

27th August 1903.

Dear Mr Finlayson,

I enclose a list of contributions I received at home on behalf of the Hospital, which I shall be glad if you will kindly hand Mr George Skosana, Hackney.

over per quarter. They amount in all as per the detailed state-

Dear Skosana,

Since receiving your letter of the 17th inst., in which you say you were admitted to the Candidates' class at Lovedale at the beginning of the first session of 1901, and that at the end of that same session you were admitted to the full membership of the church, I have made careful search, and can find no trace of either of these two admissions. I have also looked over the roll of the Candidates' class for all the sessions about that date, and the lists of all who have been admitted to the Church, but can find no evidence that you were admitted here. In these circumstances I regret that I am unable to furnish you with the certificate for which you ask.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
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29th August 1903.

Dear Mr Finlayson,

I enclose a list of contributions I received at home on behalf of the Hospital, which I shall be glad if you will kindly hand over to the proper quarter. They amount in all as per the detailed statement to £15:15:5. I also received £1 from W. A. Campbell, Esq., Glasgow, in payment of his copy of the Christian Express. In acknowledging receipt of this item, you might let me know when it pays his subscription to. These two amounts come to £14: 15: 5. I also enclose a statement of the amount I have paid for wall-paper, amounting to £8: 9: 3.

This leaves a balance which I have to hand over of £6: 6: 2, which I now have pleasure in enclosing. I may add that in each case I acknowledged receipt of the Hospital subscriptions, but it might be well that I should be furnished with a formal receipt to send to those who contributed.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

CONTRIBUTIONS RECEIVED FOR THE LOVEDALE VICTORIA HOSPITAL.

Woodlands U. F. C. Juvenile Missionary Association (Glasgow)	£5: 0: 0
Inverbrothock U. F. C. Sunday School (Arbroath)	1: 0: 0
Lettermore (Ballachulish) per H. W. Gibson, Esq.	2: 0: 0
Dalry Sunday School (Edinburgh)	2: 0: 0
Bon-Accord U. F. C. Minister's Bible Class (Aberdeen)	15: 0
Mrs Ross (Dalry U. F. Church Edinburgh)	5: 0
Thread Street U. F. C. Minister's Bible Class (Paisley)	2:15: 5
	£13 :15: 5

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNT FOR WALL-PAPER, FOR MR LENNOX'S HOUSE.

Drawing Room.			
4 Pieces White Cartridge	1s		4: 0
24 Yards Frieze	9d		18: 0
12 Pieces Walls	2s		£1: 0: 0
Hall.			
25 Pieces Walls	1s 9d		£2: 5: 9
Study.			
5 Pieces Frieze	1s		5: 0
8 Pieces Walls	1s 3d		10: 0
Dining Room.			
14 Pieces Walls	2s 6d		£1:15:0
39 Yards Frieze (35 as 30)	1s 6d		£2: 5: 0
			£9: 2: 9
		Discount	13: 6
			£8: 9: 3

On checking the goods bought from you, Mrs Lennox finds that the following articles have not been sent.

1 Damask Towels
1 Table Napkins
1 Lace Shirt
1 Shirt

I would like these, and especially the Ladies' Shirt to be sent by post, so as to be of service here when the hot weather comes. If the Napkins and Towels are too heavy to send by post, then I fear you must just cancel them and [illegible] me with the amount.

In choosing shirts to replace these, kindly note that they are wide enough in the sleeves, measuring 15 inches below the shoulder, and white in colour.

Yours faithfully,

J Lennox

University of Fort Hare
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5th September 1903.

Messrs J. & W. Campbell & Com,

187 Ingram Street, GLASGOW.

Dear Sirs,

On checking the goods bought from you, Mrs Lennox finds that the following articles have not been sent.

Feb. 18	1 Damask Towels			13: 0
April 18	Table Napkins		1	13: 0
	Lds Skirt	819	1	3: 2
	... Shirt	883	1	3: 9
	... ...	8832	1	4: 4
	... ...	8825	1	2: 4

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Yours faithfully,

J Lennox

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Lovedale,

~~14th October 1903.~~

The Master of the Supreme Court,

(Orphan Chamber Branch),

Cape Town.

5th September 1903.

29 Sept. 1903

Intestate: James Crosbie.

James Crosbie Esq

E London

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find 10/6 in payment of account.

I trust the case in question has been sent forward to West, King Wm Tdrke.

Sir,

In connection with the estate of the late James Crosbie, there is in your hands the portion of James Crosbie, the youngest son of the deceased. On 28th July I wrote to you forwarding the certificate of birth of the son James Crosbie, with the request that as he is in Scotland, you might be good enough to accept the evidence of his date of birth, so that when he comes of age he will not then have to adduce evidence of the date. In your letter No. 21720 of 6th August, you requested that you might be furnished with a Declaration by Mrs Mathie Crosbie, born Stewart, to the effect that the child referred to in the Certificate of Birth, whose birth was registered in Cape Town on the 4th January 1892, and was born on the 25th December 1891, is her son "James Crosbie." I now beg to forward to you an Affidavit by her to this effect, and also James Crosbie's Certificate of Birth, and would request you to be kind enough to note that these have been exhibited to you. Kindly return the Birth Certificate to me when you are finished with it.

Ex tenor

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Lennox

Encl.

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale,

14th October 1903.

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Inheritance: James Crosbie.

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I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Lennox.

2 Encl.

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6th November 1903.

24th October 1903.

Dear Mr Galbraith,

I duly received your letter of 2nd Inst., with Affidavit by Mrs Crosbie, and James Crosbie's Extract Certificate of birth. These I am to-day forwarding to the Master of the Supreme Court, and this shall let you know the result in due course.

With kind regards to Mrs Galbraith and yourself, in which Mrs Lennox unites,

I am,

Yours sincerely,

Hugh Lennox.

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10th December 1908.

6th November 1908.

Messrs Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.

Dear Mr Galbraith,

I am returning to you by this mail the Certificate of Birth of James Crosbie, and also a letter from the Office of the Master of the Supreme Court noting that a copy of the Certificate is filed in the Office.

Everything therefore is now in order so far as is possible at this stage, and whenever James Crosbie comes of age, he will simply need to apply for his portion either personally or by a simple power of Attorney.

With kind regards to Mrs Galbraith and yourself in which Mrs Lennox unites,

I remain,

Yours very truly,

Nora Lennox.

In addition to the papers we are at present receiving, kindly send during 1904, "The World's Work" and "The Scientific American"

Yours Sincerely,

Acting Secretary and Treasurer,

Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
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10th December 1903.

Messrs Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.

30 to 34 New Oxford Street,

LONDON, W.C.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter to The Lovedale Library of 1st October, acknowledging a credit balance in our favour of £52: 14: 8. I now enclose an order for books, which I trust will be forwarded as soon as possible, as various causes have made the order later than usual.

You will observe that we shall be glad to get second-hand any of the books placed in the "new" list. If any of those placed in the "second-hand" list are not yet obtainable but may be expected to be had second-hand later, we shall be obliged if you will delay that part of the order and lay them aside for us whenever they can be so obtained.

In addition to the papers we are at present receiving, kindly send during 1904, "The World's Work" and "The Scientific American"

Yours Sincerely,

Acting Secretary and Treasurer,

Lovedale Library.

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GENERAL GENERAL LIST: Second Hand.

Side Talk Studies		Austen Dobson.
Blackwood, William, and his Sons.		Dean Farrar.
Darkness and Dawn. do		do. Mrs Oliphant
Studies in Contemporary Biography		do. Mrs Gerald Porter
Oliver Cromwell		Prof. Jas Bryce
Into this Land.		Jn Morley
Reminiscences of my Life.		J. Ruskin
The Bayard of India, Sir J. Outram.		Sir F. C. Burnand.
The Uganda Protectorate.		Capt. L. J. Trotter.
Father Dolling.		Sir H. H. Johnston
Life of Gladstone		Jn Morley
British Family Names.	2nd Edn enlarged	H. Barker
Ivory Trader in North Kenia.		Hardwick.
The Unspeakable Scot		Crosland.
A Woman's Wanderings during the Anglo-Boer War		Mrs De la Rey
The Strenuous Life.		Theod. Roosevelt
The Break-up of China.		Lord C. Beresford.
Problems from the Far East.		Lord Curzon.
Notes from a Diary, 1887 - 91.	2 vols	Sir M. E. Grant Duff.
Hodson of Hodson's Horse.		Capt. L. J. Trotter.
Eccentricities of Genius.		Major Pond.
Glimpses of Three Nations.		G. W. Steevens.
Life of R. L. Stevenson.		G. Balfour.
Ganot's Physics.		
Art of Building a House.		Parker & Unwin.
Superstitions of the Highlands and Islands of Scot.		Rev. J. G. Campbell.
The Web of Empire.		Sir D. M. Wallace.
Wesley's Journal.	Abridged	P. L. Parker.
Our Navy for a Thousand Years.		Capt S. E. Wilmot.
Irish Idylls.		Jane Barlow.
Pioneering on the Congo.		Rev. W. H. Bentley.
Among the Thibetans.		Mrs Bishop.
Korea and its Neighbours.		do
The Yangtze Valley and Beyond.		do
Animals at Work and Play.		C. J. Cornish.

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GENERAL LIST: Second-Hand.

Side-Walk Studies	Austen Dobson.	1s 6
Early Days of Christianity	Dean Farrar.	
Darkness and Dawn.	do.	
Life of Christ	do.	
The Man in the Iron Mask.	British Artist Series. Tighe Hopkins.	7s 6
Rise and Influence of Rationalism in Europe	Leckie.	8s 6
History of European Morals.	do. do.	7s 6
History of England in the Eighteenth Century.	do:	7s 6
Official Guide to Natal.		7s 6
Manual of Psychology	Univ. Tutorial Series.	6s
Character Forming.	Booker Washington.	6s 6
Shakespeare, his Mind and Art.	Dowden.	
Letters on Life.	Claudius Clear.	
Romans.	Speaker's Commentary.	
Corinthians.	Expositor's Bible, 2 vols.	
Biblical and Literary Essays.	Prof. A. B. Davidson.	
Philosophy of Religion.	James.	
Place of Christ in Modern Theology.	Fairbairn.	
Christianity.	Harnack.	
The Christ of History and Experience.	Forrest.	
Life of Moody.	by his Son.	
Montaigne's Essays.		
Penrose's Pictorial Annual (and also the back numbers)		
Letters of a Self Made Merchant to his Son.		
The Use of Life.	Lord Avebury.	
Faith of R. L. Stevenson.	J. Nelson.	
Palestine	J. Nelson.	
War Pictures	M. Wemyss.	
Souls of Black Folk.	Prof. W. E. B. du Bois.	
Irrigation Farming.	L. M. Wilcox.	
A Doctor and His Dog in Uganda.	A. R. Cook.	
Ireland and her Story	Empire Series. J. McCarthy.	
Public Control of the Liquor Traffic.	Rountree and Sherwell.	
Rubaiyat of Omar Khayyam.		
Tales from Natal.	A. E. Turnbull.	

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GENERAL LIST: New.

(Note: If any in the following list are obtainable seconde hand, they are to be included in the Second-hand list.)

Sir Joshua Reynolds.	British Artist Series		7s 6
Edward Burne - Jones.	do.		7s 6
J. E. Millais.	do.		7s 6
Lord Leighton	do.		7s 6
Official Guide to Natal.			6s
Manual of Psychology	Univ. Tutorial Series.		8s 6
Character Forming.		Booker Washington.	
Shakespeare, his Mind and Art.		Dowden.	
Letters on Life.		Claudius Clear.	
Romans.	Speaker's Commentary.		
Corinthians.	Expositor's Bible. 2 vols.		
Biblical and Literary Essays.		Prof. A. B. Davidson.	
Philosophy of Religion.		James.	
Place of Christ in Modern Theology.		Fairbairn.	
Christianity.		Harnack.	
The Christ of History and Experience.		Forrest.	
Life of Moody.		by his Son.	
Montaigne's Essays.			
Penrose's Pictorial Annual (and also the back numbers)			
Letters of a Self Made Merchant to his Son.			
The Use of Life.		Lord Avebury.	
Faith of R. L. Stevenson.		J. Kelman.	
Palestine		J. Kelman.	
War Pictures		M. Menpes.	
Souls of Black Folk.		Prof. W. E. B. du Bois.	
Irrigation Farming.		L. M. Wilcox.	
A Doctor and His Dog in Uganda.		A. R. Cook.	
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FICTION: Second-hand.

GENERAL LIST: New.

Monsieur Martin.	Raymond Carey		1s 6
The African Colony: Studies in Reconstructioning.		Jn Buchan.	2s
Century of Electricity. Nature Series.			3s
Sound. Paramount.	do.	Harland.	3s
Robert Browning:	E. W. Croker.	G. K. Chesterton.	
Memories, Grave and Gay.	F. H. Fowler.	J. Kair.	3s
Sons of the Morning.	E. Phillpotts.	Duke of Argyll.	3s
Victoria, R. I.	F. H. Burnett.	Dr S. G. Green.	3s
A hand-book of Church History.	E. Lyall.		1s
The Burgen Letters.	L. T. Meade.		1s 6
Confessions of a Court Milliner.	C. Scotthy		2s
The Countess Loude.	E. Mitford.		2s 6
Dorrien of Cranston	W. Besant.		1s 6
A Five Years' Tryst.	R. Connor.		2s
Glengarry Days.	M. Pemberton.		2s 6
The Gold Wolf.	I. Zangwill.		2s
The Grey Wig.	W. Ms. Jacobs		1s 6
The Lady of the Barge.	D. Crosarty.		1s 6
Lauder and Her Lovers.	S. Pain		6
Little Entertainments.	K. Tynan.		1s 6
Love of Sisters.	S. Baring-Gould.		1s 6
Miss Quillet.	N. Cholmondeley		1s 6
Moth and Rust.	F. A. Mathews.		1s 6
My Lady Peggy goes to Town.	W. Besant.		3s
No Other Way.	W. Clark Russell.		2s 6.
Overdue.	P. White.		2s 6.
Park Lane.	V. Roberts.		1s
Promotion of the Admiral.			
Mill on the Floss. 1 vol.	G. Eliot.		4s 6.
David Elginbrod. 1 vol.	G. Macdonald.		4s
A Seaboard Parish.	do.		
Thomas Wingfold, Curate.	do.		
Robert Falconer.	do.		
St. George and St. Michael. do.	do.		
Sir Gibbie.	do.		
Donal Grant.	do.		
Set. do.	N. Hawthorne.		10s
The Circle.	Beth. C. Thurston.		1s 6.

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Monsieur Martin.		Second-hand.
Pearl Maiden		
Just So Stories.	½ roan.	
The Lady Paramount.		
The Catspaw.		
The World and Winstow.		
Sons of the Morning.		
The Making of a Marchioness.		
The Burges Letters.		
Confessions of a Court Milliner.		
The Countess Londa.		
Dorrien of Cranston		
A Five Years' Tryst.		
Glengarry Days.		
The Gold Wolf.		
The Grey Wig.		
The Lady of the Barge.		
Lauder and Her Lovers.		
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Mill on the Floss.	½ roan.	
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Robert Falconer.		
St. George and St. Michael.	do.	
Sir Gibbie.		
Donal Grant.		
Set.	do.	
The Circle.		
Wymond Carey		1s 6
R. Kipling.		2s
do.		3s
H. Harland.		3s
B. M. Croker.		3s
E. H. Fowler.		3s
E. Phillpotts.		3s
F. H. Burnett.		3s
E. Lyall.		1s
L. T. Meade.		1s 6
G. Boothby		2s
B. Mitford.		2s 6
W. Besant.		1s 6
R. Connor.		2s
M. Pemberton.		2s 6
I. Zangwill.		2.
W. Wa. Jacobs		1s 6
D. Cromarty.		1s 6
E. Pain		9
K. Tynan.		1s 6
S. Baring-Gould.		1s 6
M. Cholmondeley		1s 6
F. A. Mathews.		1s 6
W. Besant.		3s
W. Clark Russell.		2s 6.
P. White.		2s 6.
M. Roberts.		1s
G. Eliot.		4s 3.
G. Macdonald.		4s
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N. Hawthorne.		16s
Kath. C. Thurston.		1s 6.

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FICTION. New.

FICTION: Second-hand.

(Note: To be sent Second-hand if possible.)

Marguerite de Valois	½ roan.	A. Dumas.	2s 6
The Three Musketeers		dno.	
Chicot the Jester.		do.	
Monte Cristo.		do.	
Chevalier de Maison Rouge.		do.	
Deep Sea Plunderings.		F. T. Bullen.	2s 6
The Firebrand.		S. R. Crockett.	2s 6
The Founding of Fortunes.		Jane Barlow.	1s 6
Luther and the Cardinal.		Julie Sutter.	2s 6
The Man of Letters.		Sir G. Douglas.	2s 6
My Lady Joanna.		E. Everett-Green.	1s 6
Six Trees.		Mary E. M. Freeman.	1s 6

Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm. [illegible] D. Wiggin.

The Intervening Sea. D. Lyall.

Katawampus. Paige Parry.

The Scarlet Herring. do.

Wonder Book for Girls and Boys. Hawthorne.

Chris of all Sorts. S. Baring-Gould.

The Ambassadors. H. James.

A Metamorphosis. R. Mars.

Resurgam. L. T. Meade.

A Speaker of Laws. H. Pett Ridge.

Man Overboard. F. M. Crawford.

Pigs in Clover. F. Danby.

Garleah of the Guard. E. S. Morrison.

The Red Triangle. A. Morrison.

An Irish Cousin. Somerville and Ross.

In the Guardianship of FICTION: New.

Lost in Blunderland. Car. Lewis.

The Silver King. J. McCarthy. E. Phillpotts.

Lost Souls that pass in the Night. H. Pett Ridge. B. Harraden.

Uncle Remus. J. K. Jerome.

Return of Uncle Remus. Tolstoi.

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FICTION: New.

(Note: To be sent Second-hand if possible.)

Dream Days.	Kenneth Grahame.
Pagan Papers.	do.
The Five Nations.	R. Kipling.
Mrs Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch.	
Lovey Mary.	
The Boy Galloper.	
Probable Sons.	
Odd.	
Teddy's Button.	
Bunny's Friends.	
Two Tramps.	
Rebecca of Sunnybrook Farm.	K. D. Wiggin.
The Intervening Sea.	D. Lyall.
Katawampus.	Judge Parry.
The Scarlet Herring.	do.
Wonder Book for Girls and Boys.	Hawthorne.
Chris of all Sorts.	S. Baring-Gould.
The Ambassadors.	H. James.
A Metamorphosis.	R. Mars.
Resurgam.	L. T. Meade.
A Breaker of Laws.	W. Pett Ridge.
Man Overboard.	F. M. Crawford.
Pigs in Clover.	F. Danby.
Barlash of the Guard.	H. S. Merriman.
The Red Triangle.	A. Morrison.
An Irish Cousin.	Somerville and Ross.
In the Guardianship of God.	F. A. Steel.
Lost in Blunderland.	Car. Lewis.
If I were King.	J. McCarthy.
Lost Property.	W. Pett Ridge.
Paul Kelver.	J. K. Jerome.
Resurrection.	Tolstoi.

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2nd February 1904.

12th December 1903.

The Rev. J.P.Fitchie,

Messrs Mudie's Select Library,

L o n d o n.

Dear Sirs.

To the list I have already posted to you this mail for the Lovedale Library, kindly add the following.

1. Things as they are, Miss Carmichael.
2. The Making of a Woman, Amy le Feuvre.
3. The Lights of Home, David Lyall.
4. Beggars of the Sea, Tom Bevan.
5. Barbe of Grand Bayou, John Oxenham.
6. Emmy Lou, George Madden Martin.
7. Follow the Gleam, Joseph Hocking.

Yours sincerely,

John Lennon.

Secretary and Treasurer,

LOVEDALE LIBRARY.

With kind regards,

Yours very truly,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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2nd February 1904.

The Rev. J.P.Ritchie,

C a p e T o w n .

Dear Mr Ritchie,

I received your letter when away from Lovedale, and now take the earliest opportunity to answer it. I shall be glad to do all in my power to assist you with regard to the Rev.P.Evans and Mr Gershom Aitchison. The plan you suggest is perfectly feasible. I am Convener of our Synod Committee charged with the oversight of our own Theological students, and shall be glad to carry out such a plan as you have proposed.

You may have seen the subjects prescribed for the Exit work of the present students, which was printed in the Christian Express I shall enclose a copy with the books suggested. I am sorry that we cannot supply these books here. I sent home for those required by the students. You may be able to get them in Cape Town, or some of them to allow these gentlemen to break ground at once. The other books could then be procured in six weeks from home. I get all such books from Messrs Bell and Bradfute, N.Bank Street, Edinburgh, who are most obliging.

With kind regards,

Yours very truly,

University of Fort Hare
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2nd February 1904.

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University of Fort Hare
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10th February 1904.

The General Manager,

Reuter's Telegram Co. Ltd.,

C a p e T o w n.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 8rd inst. with proposal for a daily summary of news, I have to ask you to send for one month from the date of the receipt of this letter a summary of 48 words to "Library Lovedale." I enclose a cheque for £2. I am informing the local Postmaster of the arrangement.

I note your remarks about acting as Correspondent. It may save needless duplicating of information, if you will be good enough to say whether you already have a Correspondent in Alice who is furnishing the class of news you desire from the district generally.

I am,

Yours faithfully,

J. Lennox

Hon. Secretary, Lovedale Library.

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10th February 1904.

The General
Manager,
Reuter's Telegram Co. Ltd.,
S e r v i c e.
C a p e T o w n.

Dear Sir,

I am arranging with Reuter's Telegram Co. Ltd. for a daily summary of news to be sent to the "Library Lovedale," and have to ask you to advise the Postmaster General, Cape Town, so that telegrams may be accepted from Reuter, Cape Town, at Press Collect rates.

Yours faithfully,

I Lennox

Hon. Secretary, Lovedale Library.

The Postmaster,

L o v e d a l e.

20th February 1904.

Dr N.A.Butterfield

S e y m o u r.

Dear Dr Butterfield,

I am in receipt of your account for £1 11s of which £1 has been paid. I shall be obliged if you will furnish me with details of how this sum of £1 11s is made up. The sum seems to me excessive, seeing that the medical attendance involved only one visit, and that the amount of medicine supplied by you was, I understand, one pill for baby, two bottles of medicine for indigestion for Mrs Lennox, and some toothache drops for the nurse.

I remain,

Yours faithfully,

L. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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20th February 1904.

Mrs. Goldsworthy,

S e y m o u r.

Dear Madam,

Mrs. Lennox has handed me your letter of yesterday's date, in which I am surprised to find a demand for 5s which I refuse to pay.

The correct number of your knives was returned to you, and Mrs. Lennox took every care to return you your own property. You will remember that you stated that you had lent knives to others. If those you now refer to are not your own, they doubtless got mixed at that time.

Mr Sheppard has instructions to send you articles in place of those which were broken.

Yours faithfully,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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14th March 1904.

14th March 1904.

Manager,
SYNOD of KAFFARIA: THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS' COMMITTEE.
Reuter's Telegram Co. Ltd.,

Cape Town.

Dear Sir,

Enclosed please find cheque for
22 for service to Lovedale Library for one more month
Genesis, lodging, kindly say from which day we
began.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secy. Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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14th March 1904.

14th March 1904.

SYNOD of KAFFARIA: THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS' COMMITTEE.

SYNOD of KAFFARIA: THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS' COMMITTEE.

Dear Mr Storsont,

Dear Mr Ross,

In view of the Theological Exit Examination, the first part of which is to be held in the beginning of June, I write to ask if you will undertake to examine the students in "English Bible". The work prescribed is

(1) Genesis, Judges - iiSamuel (inclusive).

(2) For Special Exegesis, St John's Gospel.

(3) Prof. Robertson's The Old Testament and its Contents.

If you can do this, I shall be glad if you will kindly arrange that the examination questions be in my hands not later than the 31st May.

With kind regards]

Yours very truly,

Convener, Theol. Stud. Committee.

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14th March 1904.

SYNOD of KAFFRARIA: THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS' COMMITTEE.

Dear Mr Stormont,

In view of the Theological Exit examination, the first part of which is to be held in the beginning of June, I write to ask if you will undertake to examine the students in Apologetics. The work prescribed is

(1) The Christian Origins: Bruce's Apologetics, Book iii.

(2) Mozley's Miracles.

In the event of your being able to undertake this, I shall be glad if you will kindly arrange that the examination questions be in my hands not later than the 31st May.

With kind regards,

Yours very truly,

J. Kemp

Convener, Theol. Stud. Committee.

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14th March 1904.

SYNOD of KAFFRARIA: THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS' COMMITTEE.

14th March 1904.

SYNOD of KAFFRARIA: THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS' COMMITTEE.

Dear Mr Erskine,

In further reference to our conversation about the Theological Exit examination in June, I shall be glad if you undertake to examine the students in Ethics, The Person of Christ, and The Sacraments. The work prescribed under the heading "Ethics" is Butlers Three Sermons, viz, the sermon on The Social Nature of Man, and the two sermons on The Natural Supremacy of Conscience. No special book has been prescribed for the Person of Christ. The students have been recommended to follow the scope of any good text-book on Systematic Theology. For the Sacraments, they are using Candlish's hand-book in the Bible Hand-Book Series.

As the examination will be held at the beginning of June, you might kindly arrange that the examination questions be in my hands not later than the 31st May.

With kind regards,

Yours very truly,

[signature]

Convener, Theol. Stud. Committee.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Similar letter to Mr. Makiwane 14th inst.

Personal.

14th March 1904.

SYNOD of KAFFARIA: THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS' COMMITTEE.

My Dear Erskine,

Dear Mr Makiwane,

In view of the Theological Exit Examination, the first part of which is to be held in the beginning of June, I write to ask if you will undertake the examining the students in Kafir (or, in the case of such as prefer it, in English). The work prescribed is

(1) Exodus.

(2) For Special Exegesis, Psalms XLII - LI.

If you can do this, I shall be glad if you will kindly arrange that the examination questions be in my hands not later than the 31st May.

With kind regards,

Yours very truly,

J. Stewart

Convener, Theol. Stud. Committee.

Similar letter to Mr. Makiwane 19.iii.04.

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Personal. 15th March 1904.

Case of Ntsikana Gaba, Theological Entrance Examination.

My Dear Erskine,

I am sending to you under separate cover, the papers that N.Gaba has handed in at the special entrance examination which the Synod ordered him to take. I have jotted down a few notes on each paper. He had to pass the Matriculation exam. or its equivalent. This determined the standard of the questions set.

Privately, I would like to re-state my own views as to what we should do in his case. He has passed the S.Higher Examination, which is more than any other theological student has had since I came to the country, with the one exception of T.Soga. He has made more of the present papers than I expected; for it has to be remembered that if he found it difficult to pass the Matriculation exam when he was working for nothing else, it was not to be expected that he would do well when his time is largely taken up with the work of the Theological Class as at present. He has made a complete failure in Arithmetic, but has done fairly in English, Geometry, Algebra, and History. His Latin is of course poor. Still it is better than I hoped for when he was preparing privately. I therefore think that taking all this into view, and also that he has improved in character, we should report to the Synod that we recommend that this examination be sustained. I would enter into no particulars. I think if we agree to this, that we should intimate it to him at once, as there is no need to keep him in suspense. Please return the papers and your judgment soon, as I have to send the papers to Mr Makiwane to Fort Eliz.

With kind regards. Yrs truly [illegible]

University of Fort Hare
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17th March 1904.

My Dear Erskine,

You have hit the right solution. If we meet on the first Wed. 6th July, we can get to JBurg for the Conference on the 13th. This avoids the necessity of a quorum meeting on the 13th to adjourn to the 20th as I at first proposed.

Presbytery meets on 13th April at Madfarlan.

Enclosed circular has come from the F.M.Committee with a request for a speedy reply from the M.Council. We must therefore meet, but I am not able yet to name a date. As soon as I find the most suitable date, I shall let you know. We may have to meet on short notice, so I am sending this preliminary notice to the members,

With kind regards,

Yours very truly,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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29th March 1904.

SYNOD of KAFRARIA. THEOLOGICAL STUDENTS' COMMITTEE.

Dear Mr Young,

In view of the Theological Exit Examination, the first part of which is to be held in the beginning of June, I write to ask if you will undertake to examine the students in "English Bible". The work prescribed is:

(1) Genesis, Judges - ii Samuel (inclusive).

(2) For special Exegesis, St John's Gospel.

(3) Prof. Robertson's The Old Testament and its Contents.

If you can do this, I shall be glad if you will kindly arrange that the examination questions be in my hands not later than the 31st M

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

Convener, Theol. Stud. Committee.

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11th April 1904.

re ARNOLS HUMAN's Bond.

Dear Alec,

I am in receipt of yours of the 8th instant enclosing Arnols Human's Bond for £115 duly ceded by you to me, and shall write as you suggest to West in due course.

I shall take the Bond over as from 15th instant, and am owing you as follows:

Bond	£115
Less Int. from 15th April to 1st July 2½ months at £8	£1.18.4
Plus Stamps	2.9
	1.14.7
	£112. 5.5

I enclose a cheque on R.W.Town for £41 and £36.14.1 in cash. The balance of £35.11.4 I shall send with a warrant on the Savings Bank in a day or two

Comley's Bond is for "Lot 22, in the Location called Cathcart Vale."

With kind regards,

Yours very truly,

L Lewis.

University of Fort Hare
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11th April 1904.

re ARNOLS HUMAN's Bond.

Dear Sir,

I understand that you hold Power of Attorney for Arnols Human, and therefore I beg you to note that Mr A. Duncan Brown has ceded to me a Bond for £111 granted by Arnols Human in his favour.

I shall be obliged if you will remit the Interest direct to me each half-year, beginning from 1st July next, when £4.12 falls due.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

J.H.Sackville-West, Esq.,
Seymour.

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18th April 1904.

Dear Aleo,

I now enclose my Savings Bank Book, and a warrant enabling you to draw £31.11.4, which completes the sum I owe you in connection with A Human's Bond.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

With kind regards,

Yours faithfully,

J. Lennox

Convener of Committee on Theol. Students.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

16th April 1904.

15th April 1904.

The Rev. Walter E. Morgan,

The Manse,

Dear Mr Gabs,

The Committee on Theological Students have considered your papers at the recent Entrance Examination, and have agreed to recommend to the Synod that you be accepted as a regular student.

Yours faithfully,

J. A. Lamont.

Convener of Committee on Theol. Students.

University of Fort Hare
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16th April 1904.

J.S.Smith, Esq.,
The Rev. Walter E. Morgan,
Seymour.
The Manse,
Dear Mr Smith,
Bankey.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 12th instant, regarding the examination of Theological Students educated at Union who are studying privately should also be examined.

It was agreed on Mr Ritchie's request that at the ensuing Examination for our Lovedale students, two members of the Congregation

From your letter I gather that Mr Ritchie has understood this more widely than the request which his letter contained seemed to indicate

Before replying to your letter therefore, it will be necessary to the matter to the Lovedale Education Board and our Synod Committee Theological Students, and also to communicate further with Mr Ritchie.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lamont.

University of Fort Hare
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16th April 1904.

J.S.Smith, Esq.,
Seymour.

Dear Mr Smith,

I am in receipt of your letter of 12th instant, enclosing account for 13s 2d. Before leaving Seymour, I sent for my account up date, and was therefore under the impression that I had paid everything which had been got from you. I enclose the receipted account, and would like you to ascertain if the milk account now rendered was not included in the £1.0.6 which appears in the receipt. In the receipted account, you will notice that no discount was deducted, and I presume that if there is any amount still outstanding, that omission may be now rectified.

Yours sincerely,

A. Lennox.

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16th April 1904.

16th April 1904.

The Rev.C.J.Denbuge, and the Assessors

Messrs Thomas Nelson & Sons,

35 & 36 Paternoster Row,

Dear Sirs,

London , E.C.

Dear Sirs,

I acknowledge with thanks receipt of a spec copy of your Advanced Atlas for S. African Schools. It is admirably agived and executed. Through our work in this institution, we come in touch not only with our own students, but also with native schools and teachers throughout the whole of South Africa, and I shall be glad to take every opportunity to recommend this excellent Atlas.

I shall be glad to know at any future time of any of your new ions which are specially suitable for our South African requirements.

Yours faithfully,

[redacted]

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

18th April 1904.

The Rev.D.D.Stormont,
Clerk of Synod.

18th April 1904.

The Rev.C.J.Dambuza, and the Assessors
of the E. London Nat. Congregation.

Dear Sirs,

I have to-day received the following letter:

"Pirie Mission Station, 15th April 1904.

Dear Sir,

Shortly I may say the money which I claimed to you for the House rent which was with Mr.V.S.Dlodlo, I received it on the 14th ~~ult~~ of the ult from Mr John Weir of King Williams Town. I am thanking you for it. I am to stop there. Yours truly, (Sd) Mpiani Kala."

When Kala's first letter of demand for rent came before the Presbytery, and Mr Dambuza advised that £7.10 be paid to Kala, I wrote to Mr Weir asking him to send me a cheque for that amount, intending to communicate with Kala myself. The state of the Synod Funds prevented Mr Weir from being able to pay Kala at that time; and subsequently you were asked by the Presbytary to take up the matter. Mr Weir now having funds, has, I presume, overlooked the fact that I asked that the money for Kala should be sent to me. It is unfortunate that he has dealt directly with Kala, and that the latter has been paid before you have been able to enquire into the case. It will still, however, be necessary to see whether Mr Dlodlo gave due notice, and whether Kala's full claim is just or otherwise.

Yours sincerely,

D. Kennedy
Pres. Clk.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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10th April 1904.

The Rev.D.D.Stormont,

Clerk of Synod.

Dear Mr Stormont,

At our meeting of Presbytery this week, a Report was submitted By Mr Makiwane on a visit he has recently made to the Native Congregation at Port Elizabeth. In a paragraph headed, Whose is the Work? Mr Makiwane says:

"Mr McRobert says he was present at the last meeting of our Synod, when he was asked both in the meeting and by private members to take over Mr Matshikwe's work, and that he spoke very strongly against such a step..... When the Assembly of the P. Church met however, both Mr McRobert and Mr Hunter were surprised to find that the Synod had sent a communication offering the work to the S.A.P.Church. Here both Mr McRobert and Mr Hunter spoke against the work. The Assembly however decided against them."

I am requested by the Presbytery to ask you if it is the case that a communication has been sent by the Synod offering the work at Port Elizabeth to the S.A.P.Church, and if so, will you kindly furnish the Presbytery with details.

Yours faithfully,

J. Lennox

Pres. Clerk.

P. S. I should explain that the context of Mr Makiwane's report makes it plain that the second last sentence quoted above refers not to the work as such, but to the taking of it over by their congregations.

J.L.

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21st April 1904.

Messrs Myers, Bros.,

Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

I am sending to you by registered post my gold watch. You will recognise it as one which Mr. Wright of Lovedale recently took for me to you for repair. He has just returned, and on his sending me the watch, I began to wind it, when the chain ran down. Kindly put it right for me.

Yours sincerely,

(Rev) J. Lennox

J. Lennox

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25th April 1904.

Dear Mr Young,

From my salary which came through the Lovedale Office by this last mail, there has been deducted £15. 6s, being £7 for Widow Rate, and £8. 6s "paid at Home". This latter item of £8. 6 was already deducted from the salary for the first quarter of the year. It is the amount paid to Messrs Bell and Bradfute. In the first quarter there was a deduction of £9. 18. 6, of which £1. 12. 6 was sent to my Father as my letter of 5 December, and the remaining £8. 6 was this amount which has now again been retained. I shall be glad if you will rectify this & send on the amount. Can you also let me have Messrs Bell and Bradfute's receipt for the amount?

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
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28th April 1904.

Messrs Nudie's Select Library, Ltd.,
28th April 1904.

MC to 84 New Oxford Street,
The Manager,
LONDON, W.C.
Standard Bank, ALICE.

Dear Sir,

I am sending herewith £50 to place to the credit of the Lovedale Library.

Kindly let me have a draft for £50 in favour of Messrs Nudie & Co., London.

Yours faithfully,

J. Lennox,

J. Lennox.

Hon. Secy. Lovedale Library.

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28th April 1904.

Messrs Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.,

30 to 34 New Oxford Street,

LONDON, W.C.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose a draft for Fifty Pounds (£50), which kindly place to the credit of the Lovedale Library account.

Kindly acknowledge receipt,

and oblige,

Yours sincerely,

I. Lennox,

Hon. Secretary, Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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28th April 1904.

The Central News Agency,

C a p e T o w n.

Dear Sirs,

The Lovedale Library has not yet received any copies of "School" and "Journal of Education" which were ordered and paid for in the beginning of March. Kindly say whether this is owing to their being obtained from England, or if there has been any oversight.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secy Lovedale Library.

PERSONAL.

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5th May 1904.

My Dear Erskine,

I do not like to send inconclusive replies such as I have had to send to both the questions from 20th Deacons' Court. If occasion arises, you are [illegible] this to the Deacons. You can easily see how the situation has arise[illegible]

Dear Mr Young,

I am in receipt of yours of the 8th instant, enclosing cheque for £8.8. about which I wrote to you after the receipt of last mail. Thanks for putting the matter right.

Mr Stewart has returned to-day from H.M. Town where he represented us at the induction of the Rev. J. Pollock, B.D. Mr Pollock has had a very hearty reception and has made a very good impression. We have with just now the Rev. C Fleming of Indwe whom you may remember at New College in my time. Also the Rev. Prof. Danell of Upsala, who is visiting the Swedish missions in S. Africa, and Lovedale en route.

With kind regards,

Yours very truly,

A Kennedy.

With kind regards
Yrs truly
A Kennedy

University of Fort Hare
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PERSONAL.

5th May 1904.

My Dear Erskine,

I do not like to send inconclusive replies such as I have had to send to both the questions from the Deacons' Court. If occasion arises, you are free to say this to the Deacons. You can easily see how the situation has arise Stuart was working both Pirie and Burnshill. East London work grew to his hand. I do not think the occasion has hitherto arisen to define its position accurate Had you been in sole charge of both missions, the question might still have lai in abeyance. It will not cause much confusion to let it stand over for the two or three months till his return. Of course if this cannot be done, let me know, and I shall bring the question before the Presbytery. But I prefer not to answ personally.

I daresay Dambuza's letter to Ferguson may have been curtly expressed. I may say to you for your private guidance that Mr Ferguson has repeatedly pre ed that he should be in sole charge of the East London work. We have been gr ly indebted to Mr Ferguson and have repeatedly expressed this. But we have always been careful to define Mr Ferguson's position as Assessor. This enabled to preside in Mr Stuart's absence, but it did not place him in charge of the mission. It would have been better had Mr Stuart defined the position more ly. Dambuza has been going down to E.London under Stuart's guidance, Session meetings for the past four years. It is therefore more than pro that Stuart assumed that this should continue in his absence.

With kind regards
Yours truly
J. Kennedy

14th May 1904.

The Rev. J. P. Ritchie,

Craigleven, Clee Road, Observatory,

Town.

Dear Mr. Young,

I shall be obliged if when next quarter's salary falls due on the 1st July, you will send to my Father Fifty Pounds (£50), and deduct from the remittance sent out for me.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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18th May 1904.

The Rev. J. P. Ritchie,

Craigleven, Clee Road, Observatory,

Cape Town.

Dear Mr Ritchie,

In connection with the theological exit examination, I have heard from Mr Aitchison, and am to send the examination papers to him to be answered at Ikwezi Lamagi. I have had no communication from the Rev. Pryce Evans. Do you know what arrangements he desires to make? The examination is to be in the first week of June, so that I would be glad to hear from him at once, if he still desires to take the examination at the same time as the others.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

19th May 1904.
18th May 1904.

Messrs J. C. Juta & Co
Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

Kindly send me a copy of Benkel's "Transkei", and let me know the cost. What discount do you allow on books purchased for a Public Library?

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

Hon. Secy. Lovedale Library.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

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18th May 1904.

THEOLOGICAL EXIT EXAMINATION, 1904.

Messrs. Meyers, Bros.,
Jewellers &c.,
Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Stormont,

I have only now been able to look into the questions you propose on the subjects of Apologetics and Miracles for the Theological Examination. In their present form, I am afraid they are far too difficult for native Theological students. The form of the questions would require to be greatly modified. I trust you will re-cast the paper, keeping it simple, direct, and of such a nature as to bring out the extent to which the students have succeeded in grasping the subject matter with which they have been dealing

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lloyd Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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21st May 1904.

Messrs. Meyers, Bros.,

Jewellers &c.,

Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

A month ago, I posted my gold watch to you in a registered parcel. I am getting anxious that I have heard nothing from you. Did you receive the watch?

Yours sincerely,

S. Lemon.

S. Lemon

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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24th May 1904.

Messrs. Meyers, Bros., Bros.,

Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

I have duly received my watch which you were repairing, and also the account for 8s 6d. I would remind you that I have already paid 7s 6d for this repair, and as stated in my letter of 21st April something ran down, when I was winding it up immediately after Mr. Wright returned it to me from you. I do not think therefore that I should be called on to pay a second sum of 7s 6d for the same repair, and I trust you will reconsider the present charge.

Yours faithfully,

J. Lemmer

University of Fort Hare
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30th May 1904.

The Manager,

25th May 1904.

The Central News Agency,
Messrs. Meyers, Bros.,
Cape Town.
Cape Town.

Dear Sir, Dear Sirs,

In reply to your In further reference to the subject
of my letter of yesterday's date, I have to add that
on winding up the watch, I found that it would not go,
and I have had to lay it aside.

Yours faithfully,

A second copy of the
also to you. I shall be obliged if you will kindly get this rectified as
as possible, and send us "School" for the year as originally ordered.

Yours faithfully,

S. Lennox

Hon. Secretary, Lovedale Library.

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Together in Excellence

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30th May 1904.
4th June 1904.

The Manager,

The Central News Agency,
The Rev. G. J. Pugh,
Cape Town.
Mansfield,

via Port Shepstone,
Dear Sir, Natal.

In reply to youh letter of the 14th instant, the magazine I ordered for the Lovedale Library, is called "School", edited by Laurie Magnus, a monthly published by John Murray, price 6d. nett.

You will see it advertised in Murray's list in the Spectator.

A second copy of the "School Monthly" has been sent here, and I am forwarding it also to you. I shall be obliged if you will kindly get this rectified as soon as possible, and send us "School" for the year as originally ordered.

Yours faithfully,

J. Lennox

Hon. Secretary, Lovedale Library.

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4th June 1904.

The Rev. G. J. Pugh,

Mansfield,

via Port Shepstone,

Natal.

Dear Mr. Pugh,

I am in receipt of your wire and letter of 27th ult., agreeing to act as Commissioner for Mr. Aitchison in connection with the Lovedale Theological Exit Examination. I am now sending you the examination papers on the following subjects:- English Bible, Part I., Apologetics, The Person of Christ, Ethics - Butler's Three Sermons, and The Sacraments.

I expect to be able to send you by next post the remaining papers, viz., those on English Bible, Part II., and the Scripture paper which our students are answering in Kaffir. I had some correspondence about this latter with Mr. Aitchison, some time ago. He is free to answer it either in Kaffir or English as he may himself decide.

Mr. Aitchison's examination number is 6. The time allowed for each paper is three hours, except in the case of those on the Person of Christ and Ethics, where two hours is allowed. At the same time, as quality of work is of more importance than anything produced under pressure, you will observe that the time allowed is ample, and you might use your own discretion if in the case of any particular paper, an extension were desired.

Kindly post the papers to me here.

With kind regards
Yours truly,
J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
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4th June 1904.

Dear Mr. Aitchison,

I am to-day posting to Mr. Pugh the first instalment of the Theological Exit Examination questions. The rest will follow in the course of two days. I think I have given Mr. Pugh all necessary particulars, and he will let you know what I have written. Your examination number is 6.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J Kenny

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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8th June 1904.

Dear Mr. Pugh,

I now enclose the examination papers on "Exodus" and the prescribed "Psalms." The paper on Genesis, &c., and St John's Gospel has not yet reached me. As soon as I receive it, I shall forward it to you.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lemux

University of Fort Hare
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11th June 1904.

The Rev. J. P. Ritchie,

Craigleven,
Dear Mr. Stormont,
Clee Road,
Observatory.

I am sending you under separate cover the Theological Students' papers on Apologetics. I shall be glad to receive your report on them in time for submission to the Synod.

Dear Mr. Ritchie,

The students were asked to answer all the questions in the second set you prepared. My remarks on the first set had reference simply to the form of the questions, and not at all to the scope or difficulty of their subject matter. On that, I did not ask for any reconsideration. As a matter of fact, the questions actually answered are as searching as those originally proposed.

I shall let you know the Examiners' reports on your students, as soon as these come to hand. Meantime your Executive may wish to see the nature of the test to which their work is being submitted.

Yours truly,

Can you let Have Messrs Medhurst's and Sampson's papers which I sent to you some time ago?

J. Lennox

With kind regards,

Yours very sincerely,

J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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11th June 1904.

Dear Mr. Stormont,

I am sending you under separate cover the Theological Students' papers on Apologetics. I shall be glad to receive your report on them in time for submission to the Synod.

The students were asked to answer all the questions in the second set you prepared. My remarks on the first set had reference simply to the form of the questions, and not at all to the scope or difficulty of their subject matter. On that, I did not ask for any reconsideration. As a matter of fact, the questions actually answered are as searching as those originally proposed.

With kind regards,

Yours truly,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
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11th June 1904.

Messrs. T. Nelson and Sons,

35 and 36 Paternoster Row,

L o n d o n, E.C.

Dear Sirs,

I have to thank you for copies of Geography Text Book for S. African Schools Book 2., and "World and its People." The former especially supplies a much-felt need. I am directing attention to them in the pages of "The Christian Express," published at Lovedale, which circulates largely amongst those interested in mission work in this country.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

J. Lennox.

18th June 1904.

Dear Mr. Stirling,

I enclose a circular letter regarding the Revised Kaffir Hymn - Book. At the same time I would ask you before coming to any decision to wait till you have an opportunity of seeing specimens of an edition for Words and Music which have been sent to Mr. Stormont from the Lovedale Printing Office. The correspondence now submitted shows that as far as the edition for words only is concerned, the Lovedale estimate was as good as that of the Edinburgh Press. The disproportion between the prices for an edition with music is accounted for by the fact that Mr. Matheson asked the Lovedale Printing Office to tender for a book of a certain standard, which was done. The tenders from the home firms are for an entirely different style and quality of book. The Lovedale estimate for a book of the quality and style now tendered for, should therefore be considered along with the other estimates.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

29th July 1904.

The Registrar,
The Controller,
Cape University.
Savings Bank Department,
Sir, Cape Town.

Owing to my absence from Lovedale, your telegram of the 22nd instant unfortunately did not reach me till to-day. I have wired in reply that at present trains leave King Wm Town every Monday, Wednesday and Friday, returning the same day The interval however is so short, that the Examiner would require to wait over till the succeeding train.

I communicated the contents of your telegram to the ladies who have prepared candidates for the music examinations. They ask me to represent to you that they earnestly trust that the Examiner will visit Alice, as they had been led to expect. They prepared ten candidates, the number which the syllabus stated would secure the visit of the Examiner to a centre. Several of their candidates could not go to King Wm Town for the practical part of the examination. It is therefore hoped that they will not now be disappointed in this matter.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant.

J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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29th July 1904.

Geo. Gilchrist, Esq., M.L.A.,

The Controller,
Savings Bank Department,
Cape Town.

Dear Sir,

I enclose Savings Bank Warrant No. 807217 for £12 payable at Lovedale,
and shall be obliged if you will make it payable at Lovedale.

Let me point out that I sent for this warrant on the 1st July, and it was
not issued at Cape Town till the 13th. The delay has caused me considerable inconvenience.

I am,

Sir,

Yours faithfully,

John Lennox.

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30th July 1904.

Geo. Gilchrist, Esq., B.A.,
P.O.Box 625,
Cape Town.

Dear Sir,

I regret that I was from home when your letter of 11th instant arrived asking for a short note on Lovedale for the S. A. Educational Annual. I have taken the earliest opportunity to comply with your request, and trust that it will be in time for your purpose. Let me know if you require any further information.

Let me add that I wish you all success in editing the Annual, which is certain to be of great service.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

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Lovedale Institution, situated in the division of Victoria East, was founded in 1841, and is under the United Free Church of Scotland. The Principal is the Rev. Jas. Stewart, M.D., D.D., &c., and the staff consists of 38 European and 14 Native teachers. In the Boys' School there are 350 boarders, and 150 at the Girls' School. In addition to these, there are in daily attendance about 200 day - scholars. These pupils are chiefly natives, but a considerable number of Europeans have also been trained at Lovedale.

The School Department embraces the classes up to Standard VI. The three years of the Normal Department are attended by an average number of a hundred students. There is also a Higher and Theological Department. In the Industrial Departments provision is made for teaching Carpentry, Wagon-Making, Printing, Book-Binding, Black-smithing, Needle and Domestic Work, and Basket-Making.

The Medical Mission attached to the Institution has a well equipped Hospital and is also visited by large numbers of Out-Patients. Native nurses and hospital attendants are trained by the Resident Doctor and the Matron.

The Institution is supported by grants from the United Free Church of Scotland, and from the Colonial Government, and also by fees. In 1908, the native fees amounted to over £5000.

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5th August 1904.

The Rev. J. T. Stobie,
Secretary of the Cong. Union.

30th July 1904

J. H. Sackville Nash, Esq.

Dear Sir,

I have not yet received the interest for the current half-year on Lewis Human's bond, which fell due on the 1st July.

Trusting to hear from you by return,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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5th August 1904.

The Rev. J. T. Ritchie,
Secretary of the Cong. Union,
Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Ritchie,

I am forward to you the report of the examiners on the work of the Thological Students of the Union in the recent Exit Examination. It is, ofcourse, for your College Committee to say if they are satisfied with these results, and if they will regard their students as having passed this first partof the Exit. I have no hesitation in recommending that the three should be regarded as having satisfied the requirements for a pass. If you adopt this recommendation, kindly intimate your decision to the students. I have not had any communication with Mr. Aitchison since his papers were sent to me, as I thought it better that any report on the examination should be sent to him by yourself.

With kind regards,

Yours very truly,

J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
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Extracts from the Reports on Mr. Medhurst's papers.

THEOLOGICAL EXIT EXAMINATION, (First Part), June 1904.

Statement of marks obtained by the students of the Congregational Union.

	W. Medhurst.	A. Sampson.	S. G. G. Aitchison.
Old Testament	85%	75%	69%
St. John's Gospel	82	72	66
Exodus	90	90	80
Psalms	95	90	75
Apologetics	73	64	54
Person of Christ	73	74	49
Sacraments	73	75	62
Ethics	68	70	53

Old Testament.

An excellent paper. Considering the time allowed for writing, and the fulness and clearness of statement and vigour of expression, this paper might probably have received even a higher mark.

Psalms.

A high level in sentences combining a good knowledge of the history and comprehending the principles which underlie the parts of history dealt with.

Exodus.

A good paper with full answers. A show of logic occasionally that leads the writer into dogmatic statements not very convincing. Somewhat wordy and lacking conciseness.

Ethics.

The paper is somewhat uneven, but on the whole the answers are good and full. The writer's tendency to rhetorical expression makes some of his statements pointless.

Person of Christ.

The paper is satisfactory, somewhat spoiled however by wordiness and lacking in definiteness of expression. The writer has got a hold of his subject but does himself injustice in not clarifying his thoughts.

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Extracts from the Reports on Mr. Medhurst's papers.

Old Testament and St. John's Gospel.

An excellent paper. Considering the time allowed for writing, and the fulness and clearness of statement and vigour of expression, this paper might probably have received even a higher percentage.

Psalms.

First in grasp of meaning, force of expression, and in dealing with the deeper meanings of the passages considered.

Exodus.

A high level in ~~contnin~~ combining a good knowledge of the history and comprehending the principles which underlie the parts of history dealt with.

Sacraments.

A good paper with full answers. A show of logic occasionally that leads the writer into dogmatic statements not very convincing. Somewhat wordy and lacking conciseness.

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Extracts from the Reports on Mr. Sampson's papers.

Old Testament and St. John's Gospel.

Excellent papers.

Psalms.

Good in summarising the passages considered, clear in expression, and showing good preparation.

Exodus.

The examiner applies the same remarks to this paper as to Mr. Medhurst's on this subject.

Sacraments.

A very good paper, clear thinking, exact and concise definition, and generally full and satisfactory answers. The cumulative argument for Infant Baptism somewhat weak. The Protestant view of the Sacraments rather meagre.

Ethics.

A satisfactory paper, showing an intelligent grasp of the subject. The writer has gone beyond mere memory work, and put his reading through his mind.

The Person of Christ.

Clear and on the whole full answers. All essential points well put, especially argument for the Sinlessness of Christ. Strange he has nothing to say about the prayers of Christ as an argument. Knowledge of Scripture on the subject very creditable.

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Extracts from the Reports on Mr. Aitchison's papers.

d Testament, & St. John's Gospel.

Very fair papers. The information is generally full and accurate. Some questions are answered by a too bare enumeration of facts. On the other hand, the exposition of the passage from St. John ch. iii suffers from being too diffuse.

craments.

The paper is somewhat uneven in quality. The apparent and more surface ideas about the Sacraments are well understood. There is too much quotation from Scripture and the Shorter Catechism, and too little assimilation of the subjects in the writer's mind.

Ethics.

A creditable paper. The writer has read carefully and expresses himself clearly. His grasp of the subject is somewhat feeble. The tendency to fill up the answers with Scripture quotation, instead of giving Butler's arguments detracts from the value of the paper.

The Person of Christ.

The writer's weakest paper. It shows lack of preparation and consequently confused and pointless argument. His knowledge of Scripture and proof from the Gospels are very creditable and satisfactory.

One examiner adds: I gather he has read privately. The want of class drill is apparent in his papers.

Allowance has to be made for the short time Mr. Aitchison had to prepare the prescribed work.

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8th August 1904.

The Civil Commissioner

& Resident Magistrate,

Victoria East.

Sir,

In reply to Circular No. 31, 1904, I now beg to forward to you a Report of the Lovedale Library for the Half Year ended 30th June, 1904. I also send for your inspection the accounts which have been duly audited, and a certificat to that effect by the Auditor, D. Finlayson, Esq. I trust that this will be found in order.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Lennox

Hon. Secy. of the Lovedale Library.

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10th August 1904.

The Under Colonial Secretary,

Cape Town.

Dear Alec,

I have not yet received the interest for the current half-year on

I have the honour to report to you that I have to-day supplied the Rev. Bolford Mama of Lovedale Native Congregation with one of the Marriage Register Forms supplied to me, bearing the official number 1811.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
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18th August 1904.

Messrs The Photo Materials Co.

Dear Alec,

I have not yet received the interest for the current half-year on Human's bond. I wrote to West on the 30th July about it, but have received no reply. Will you ask him the cause of the delay.

Hoping you are all well, and with best wishes,

Yours very truly,

Dear Sirs,

I have to thank you for the Photo and other materials, which came safely to hand to-day. Everything had been carefully packed and travelled securely. The two prints which you kindly enclosed, promise very well.

You will have probably noticed that the Focussing Cloth had been cut too, and I shall be glad if you will forward it by post. The small wheel of the Trimming Knife is chipped, so that the knife is not of much service. Kindly send one of the small cutting wheels to replace the broken one.

I have also to thank you for getting the Emulsion for me.

Enclosed please find £10 . 7 . 6, being £10 . 18 . 3 less 5%.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

James Lawson

2102

19th August 1904.

Messrs The Photo Materials Co.
6, Berlin Street,
East London.

Dear Sirs,

I have to thank you for the Photo and other materials, which came safely to hand to-day. Everything had been carefully packed and travelled securely. The two prints which you kindly enclosed, promise very well.

You will have probably noticed that the Focussing Cloth had been omitted, and I shall be glad if you will forward it by post. The small wheel of the Trimming Knife is chipped, so that the knife is not of much service. Kindly send one of the small cutting wheels to replace the broken one.

I have also to thank you for getting the Emulsion for me.

Enclosed please find £10 . 7 . 6, being £10 . 18 . 3 less 5%.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Jessie Lennox

University of Fort Hare
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2182

19th August 1904.

The Secretary,
Dear Mr. Young,

From the salary which you will be remitting to me at the 1st October kindly send to Mrs. Lennox, 11, Richmond Terrace, Edinburgh, the sum of £7 . 7 . 9.

With kindest regards,

Yours very truly,

Lennox

Yours sincerely,

2749 2

1st September 1904.

Dear Miss Blair,

30th August 1904.

The Secretary,

Kaffrarian Savings Bank,

King Wm Town.

Dear Sir,

I am sending you under separate cover my bank book, and shall be obliged if you will make out a cheque in my favour for £10 . . . Kindly send this addressed to me, % J. W. Weir, Esq., King Wm Town.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

With kindest regards,

I remain,

Yours truly,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
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1st September 1904.

Dear Miss Blair,

In reply to your inquiry in your letter to Mrs. Lennox, it should be possible for a good student to pass the S. Higher in two years and the Matriculation in other two. I am glad that Tiyo is still thinking of the ministry. I trust that others are also being led to think of this. So far as I know at present, he is the only native who is looking forward to the next Theological Class. This of course is a serious out-look both for the Mission and for the Class. It would scarcely be possible to have a class if there were only one student. As it is, we have had to suspend the Matriculation Class meanwhile for lack of students. At the beginning of this year, only two presented themselves. We require about 15 before we are justified in incurring the expense of holding a special Matriculation Class

With kindest regards,

I remain,

Yours truly,

J. Lennox

ago, it was afterwards pointed out to me that it would have been more useful and complete, if the table included total givings of each congregation, the membership, and the average per member. This information is of course included in the other tables, but it is more easily apprehended when seen at one glance. I have added to the table your sent these two columns, if you are agreeable to the addition.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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20th September 1904.

O.S.J.Conley, Esq.,

Seymour.

1st September 1904.

Bond for £500.

My Dear Mr. Stormont,

The Synod Minute on Mr. Moir has been sent in for printing. As soon as it is ready, you might send a copy of it to Mrs. Moir.

I have checked off the Educational and Congregational Statistics. I compared them with the Education Department report, to which is the only source of information at my command.

I saw the list of proportionate givings per member for the Synod report. When I first included this in the Financial Report some years ago, it was afterwards pointed out, that it would have been more useful and complete, if the table included the total givings of each congregation, the membership, and the average givings per member. This information is of course included in the other tables, but it is more easily apprehended when seen at one glance. I have added to the table you sent, these two columns, if you are agreeable to the addition.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
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20th September 1904.

O.B.J.Conley, Esq.,
The Secretary,
Seymour.
E. M. Town Savings Bank Society, Ltd.,

Bond for £500.

Dear Sir,

Dear Sir,

I wish to withdraw from my account the sum of £21 , 9 , 8, I am sending to you. As I find that I can get 8% without any difficulty for money advanced on mortgage, I am not prepared to continue the above bond at the present rate of 6½%. I therefore propose that the rate of interest be increased to 8% per annum from 1st October. If however you do not see your way to do this, then I hereby ask you to accept the notice required under the Bond, namely three months, thus making the same due and payable on 1st January 1905.

If you agree to the increased rate of interest, I shall ask Mr. Brown to receive on my behalf the sum of £1 19 6, being the additional sum which will be due as interest from 1st October to 31st December of this year.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

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Together in Excellence

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1st October 1904

The Secretary,

K. W. Town Savings Bank Society Ltd.,

East London.

Dear Sir,

I wish to withdraw from my account the sum of £21 . 2 . 3. I am sending to you under separate cover my bank book, number 887.

Yours truly,

J. Lennox.

Account rendered, £1 . 5 . 0 less 5%

Focussing Cloth 10s. less 4s. already paid

Your account of 27th Sept. is marked "Nett" but in a former account stated that your terms were less 5% for Cash, and I have accordingly ducted the 5% in this instance also.

Yours sincerely,

1st October 1904.

Messrs. The Photo Materials Co.,
East London.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose £1 . 10 . 6 in pay ment of account, namely,

Focussing Cloth 10s. less 4s. already paid

Account reddered, £1 . 5 . 8 less 5% £1 .4 6

£1 10 6

C. E. Cook, Esq.,

Your account of 27th Sept. is marked "Nett," but in a former account stated that your terms were less 5% for Cash, and I have accordingly deducted the 5% in this instance also.

I enclose 2s 6d in Yours sincerely,

Rendered 1s 6d" is, I think, already paid. If it is for a mixture to Dr. Brownlee's prescription, I called to get a second prescription made up, and paid the one then received, and that which had been previously sent to Mrs. Lennox. If this is not correct, and there is another 1s 6d standing against me, kindly let me know, and I shall remit it to you.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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2317

4th October 1904.

Messrs J. W. Weir and Co., Ltd.

King Wm Town.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose £3 . 15 . 9 in payment of account rendered, less 5%.

Yours sincerely,

G. E. Cook, Esq.,

King Wm Town.

Dear Mr. Cook,

I enclose 3s 6d in payment of account. The item "To Account Rendered 1s 6d" is, I think, already paid. If it is for a mixture to Dr. Brownlee's prescription, I called to get a second prescription made up, and paid the one then received, and that which had been previously sent to Mrs. Lennox. If this is not correct, and there is another 1s 6d standing against me, kindly let me know, and I shall remit it to you.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
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6th October 1904.

THEOLOGICAL EXIT EXAMINATION.

Messrs. Innes & Rutton,

Dear Sir, Erskine House, Town.

Will you kindly act as Examiner at the second part of the Theological Exit Examination to be held next December in the following subjects? I enclose herewith £25 : 2 : 8 in payment of renewal premium on Policy No. 1288. Kindly acknowledge receipt

1. Systematic Theology. The Doctrines of Justification & Sanctification.

2. Practical Theology since The Christian Ministry.

The papers you set for the June examination were well suited to elicit the students' knowledge and thought. I hope you will undertake this further piece of work in the same direction.

The paper on the Christian Ministry is intended to be a general paper on the class of topics generally included under "Pastoral Theology".

I would ask that the questions be in my hands by the end of November at the latest.

With kind regards,

Yours truly,

H. Erskine

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2917

8th October 1904.

Messrs. Innes & Hutton,

King Wm Town.

THEOLOGICAL EXIT EXAMINATION.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose herewith £23 : 2 : 3 in payment of renewal premium on Policy No. 82888, in the S. A. Mutual Life Assurance Society.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours sincerely,

8th October 1904.

Dear Mr. Stewart,

Will you kindly undertake to act as Examiner in Church History in the concluding part of the Theological Exit Examination to be held in the beginning of December? The work prescribed is the Reformation and Dr. G. Smith's Short History of Missions Ch. XI - XVII. I would be glad to receive the questions not later than the end of November.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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6th October 1904.

THEOLOGICAL EXIT EXAMINATION.

Dear Mr. Stormont,

Will you kindly undertake to act as Examiner in Church History in the concluding part of the Theological Exit Examination to be held in the beginning of December? The work prescribed is the Reformation and Dr. G. Smith's Short History of Missions Ch. XI - XVII. I would be glad to receive the questions not later than the end of November.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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3rd November 1904.

The Secretary,

Scottish Temperance Life Assurance Co.

Edinburgh.

Dear Sir,

I enclose a Money Order for £ 4 . 10 . 1 in payment of the premiums on my two insurance policies.

Your acknowledgement will oblige,

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

Clerk of the Presbytery of Kalworks.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

10th November 1904.

Messrs. J. S. Willway & Sons,

Bristol.

The Traffic Manager,

Cape Town, London.

Dear Sir,

The Rev. P. Nakiwane and Mr. Mbem Njikelana, both members of the Presbytery of Kafraria, of the United Free Church of Scotland, have been appointed to visit the missions of the Presbytery in the Zoutpansberg. They propose to start from King Wm Town on the 21st instant, travelling to Pietersburg, and going Second Class. I am supplying them with form No. 3 Church Synod &c Delegate Certificate, and in order to make sure that this is in order, am now writing to ask if this will secure to them the benefit of the reduction usually granted by the Railway in such cases. Trusting to receive a favourable reply,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

S. Kemp

Clerk of the Presbytery of Kafraria.

3282

8th November 1904.

Messrs. J. S. Willway & Sons,

Bristol.

Dear Sirs,

About two years ago we bought one of your saturators for use in this Institution. It is marked Patent 11966. It was used once, shortly after it was procured. On that occasion, it worked all right. It was pumped out and laid away. We have not had occasion to use it again till lately. But we found that it altogether refused to act. I would be glad to know if you can suggest anything that could be done to get it into working order. Where the two nozzles are, the oxygen passed straight through to the oxygen tap of the lantern, but nothing went through the saturator to the hydrogen tap.

We have to use oxygen in a bag with weights, as oxygen in cylinders cannot be obtained here. When I found that it would not act, I pumped it out, and the bicycle pump drove the ether out at the lower plug. It would not therefore appear that there is any stoppage, though the packing may be too tight to permit the gas to pass.

Yours sincerely,

(Rev) J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
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12th November 1904.

Dear Mr. Ritchie,

In connection with the final part of our Theological Exit Examination, which will be held at the beginning of December, do you wish me to send on the papers to Mr. Aitchison, or rather to Mr. Pugh for Mr. Aitchison, as was done six months ago?

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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14th November 1904.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd., 12th November 1904.

30 to 34, New Oxford Street,

London, W.C.

Dear Mr. Ritchie,

In connection with the final part of our Theological Exit Examination, which will be held at the beginning of December, do you wish me to send on the papers to Mr. Aitchison, or rather to Mr. Pugh for Mr. Aitchison, as was done six months ago?

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secy. Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

14th November 1904.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.,

30 to 34, New Oxford Street,

London, W.C.

Dear Sirs,

Kindly continue to send the Scientific American to the Lovedale Library during 1905., and debit the Library account with the amount you request.

Through some mistake, your letter on this matter only reached me to-day, otherwise you would have had a reply before the 20th Nov. as

Yours faithfully,

Hon. Secy. Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

2nd December 1904.

The Secretary,

Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Co.,

1, Victoria Chambers,

E a s t L o n d o n.

Dear Sir,

I enclose £1 . 7 . 6 as renewal premium on Policy No. 8,785,198 covering the contents of my dwelling house.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

27½66

1st December 1904.

Dear Mr. Ritchie,

I am sorry to hear that you have had influenza. I have written to Mr. Ritchie suggesting that I send on the examination questions in sealed packets to Mr. Pugh, and that he arrange with you as soon as you conveniently can take the examination.

Yours faithfully,

H. Lewis

27366

12th December 1904.

Dear Mr. Aitchie,

Mr. Aitchison has written asking that he might be allowed to take the Theological Exit Examination later than our students. Perhaps the best course is for us to send on the examination questions in sealed envelopes to Mr. Pugh, and to ask him to arrange for Mr. Aitchison as soon as he conveniently can sit for the examination.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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12 December 1904.

The Rev. G. J. Pugh,

Mansfield,

via Port Shepstone,

Natal.

Dear Mr. Pugh,

I enclose the examination questions for the concluding part of the Theological Exit Examination for Mr. Aitchison. He has asked that he might take the examination a little later. Kindly arrange with him the time that will be convenient.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

8th December 1904.

The Hon. The Colonial Secretary,

Cape Town.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 2nd inst., relating to the Distribution of South African Philosophical Transactions, and to express thanks on behalf of the Lovedale Library for your kind offer to present the Library with certain volumes of the Transactions.

The volumes at present possessed by the Library are:-

Vol. IV, Part 2, 1892.
V 1888 - 89.
VI 1885 - 90.
VII 1 1893.
VIII 1 1890 - 92.
VIII 2 1891 - 95.
IX 1 & 2 1900.
XI 4 (concluding part) 1902.
XII 1901
XIII 1904
XIV 3 1904.
XIV 4 1903
XIV 5 1903
XV 2 1904

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Lennox

Hon. Secy, LOVEDALE LIBRARY.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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28th December 1904.

Dear Dr. Macvicar,

In reply to your kind offer to get anythings needed in the way of physical or chemical equipment, at the same time that you are ordering for the Hospital, I shall be glad if you will order the following for the Physics Class.

1. A Fahrenheit Thermometer, and a Centigrade Thermometer. As these are for class lecture purposes, they had better be from nine to twelve inches long. They should be of glass and suitable for stirring liquids.

2. A Daniell's Hygrometer.

3. Mercury. I do not know how this is sold, or how much it costs. I would like as much as would fill a three-ounce measure.

4. A glass working model of the common pump. A cheap one will do quite well. Some spare valves would be very useful. These are made of glass, weighted with shot.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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28th December 1904.
31st December 1904.

Dear Dr. Macvicar,

Mrs. Lennox will be greatly obliged if you will order for her, at 24 New Oxford Street,

4 boxes whole plate Sovereign Imperial.
4 " ½ " " "
4 " ½ " " "
4 " (144 pieces in box) Cabinet size Barnet Glossy P.O.P.
2 " " " Matt P.O.P.
1 pire glossy Barnet P.O.P. in tube.
1 oz. Johnson's gold in tubes.
4 oz Sulphocyanide.
2 oz Metabisulphite.
2 lbs Hyposulphite of soda.
1 lb Carbonate of soda.
4 whe plate celluloid plaques, matt surface, for squeegeeing prints.
1 "Nay" Print Trimmer. The largest size listed seems to be with a nine-inch blade, but one with a twelve-inch blade would be preferable if it is to be got.

Yours sincerely,

L. Lennox.

University of Fort Hare
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31st December 1904.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.

30 to 34 New Oxford Street,

LONDON, W.C.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose an order for books for the Lovedale Library. As a general instruction relating to the whole order, please note that in all possible instances, second hand books should be sent.

By last letter, you noted that our balance at credit was £40 : 15 : 11 which should cover this order, and I shall send you a draft in the course of a few days.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

Hon. Secy & Treasurer,

Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
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28th February 1905.

J. H. Sackville - West, Select Library, Ltd.,

S e y m t o u r , New Oxford Street,

L o n d o n , HUMAN'S BOND.

Dear Sir,

I enclose a draft for Twenty Five Pounds (£25), which kindly Mr. Brown has written to say that you called on him and proposed place to the credit of the Lovedale Library account, and acknowledge to pay the principal of Human's bond and interest to date. I prefer, however, that the money be paid on the date of which legal notice was given, namely 16th (17th) April.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secy & Treasurer,

Lovedale Library.

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S. Lewis

University of Fort Hare
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7th March 1905.

28th February 1905.

The Station Master,

Alice.

Oswald Cowley, Esq.,

Seymour.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of 21st instant, asking that your bond may be paid off in May instead of in April. If you can undertake without fail to pay over the amount of the bond to Mr. Brown on 1st May, I shall be glad to accommodate you by extending the date till then. That is the latest date I can agree to. Kindly say by return if you are able to agree to this.

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Yours sincerely,

Frances Nyombolo's bundle was not put out, and when she asked for it, these men swore at her and she had just time to get into another carriage. When she came to Alice, she saw the men still in the carriage, and asked for her bundle. They said they had thrown it out at one of the stations. This may have been Middledrift, though of this she cannot be certain.

The bundle contained1. a pink scarf, 2. pair of shoes, 3. pair of blk stockings, 4. four yds pink flannelette, 5. five yards blue stuff for a dress, 6. Vaseline, Comb, Bar of soap, and Blue.

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7th March 1905.

The Station Master,

Alice.

Dear Sir,

Yours sincerely,

I write to you about the Lovedale scholar, Frances Nyombobo, whose case was already reported to you by Miss Dodds, and to ask you to be so good as to make enquiries at the stations and halting places between King W. Town and Alice about her bundle.

As already reported, she travelled from Queenstown to Alice, arriving there on Wed. 1st instant. At K. W. Town, she and several other Lovedale girls were in a Third Class carriage. Just when the train was about to start, five Europeans came in, and two of these, who subsequently travelled to Alice, took an active part in clearing these girls out of the carriage and throwing their bundles out on the platform.

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Yours sincerely,

Dear Sirs,

I enclose £2 . 5 . 3 in payment of account as follows,

25 Feb. Goods £1 . 18 . 4

7 March do. 14 . 6

£2 . 5 . 3

Less 6d 2 .

£2 . 5 . 3

Yours sincerely,

Yours sincerely,

11th March 1905.

Messrs. J. W. Weir & Co., Ltd.
The Station Master,
King Wm Town.
A l i c e .

Dear Sirs,

I enclose £2 . 5 . 8 in payment of account as follows,

25 Feb.	Goods	£1 . 15 . 4	
7 March	do.	14 . 6	
		£2 . 7 . 10	
	less 5%	2 . 2	
		£2 . 5 . 8	

Yours sincerely,

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15th March 1905.

The Station Master,

Alice.

Dear Sir,

Dear Sir, to thank you for your kind attention in making enquiries regarding the sisal I have had delivered to me this afternoon a case consigned to me by Messrs J. W. Weir & Co., King Wm Town. From the consignment note I see that this case reached Alice on Wed. 8th. I shall be obliged if you will explain why it took from Wed 8th till Sat. 11th to deliver it from Alice to Lovedale.

I have also to acknowledge your letter of the 13th inst., about the delay in delivery of the case from K. W. Town.

Yours sincerely,

J. Knox.

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15th March 1905.

The Station Master,

Alice.

Dear Sir,

I have to thank you for your kind attention in making enquiries regarding the missing property of the Lovedale scholar Frances Nyombolo. I am afraid there is small chance of recovering it now. It is, of course, a pity that she did not report the matter instantly to you on her arrival at Alice. She is young, and probably did not know this was the best course to take. Should anything further be heard of her bundle, I shall be glad to hear from you.

I have also to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 13th inst., about the delay in delivery of the case from K. W. Town.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

Secy., Lovedale Library.

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21st March 1905.

The Superintendent,
Messrs. James Coutts,
Stationery & Printed Forms Branch,
East London.

Colonial Secretary's Office.

Cape Town.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of 15th inst., I beg to acknowledge receipt of the Report of Native Affairs Commission on behalf of the Lovedale Library. I regret the delay in the acknowledgement. The Report came during my absence, and on my return I was told that the receipt had been sent to your office. This, however, must have been a mistake. I cannot find the usual form, and shall be glad if you will accept this acknowledgement.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Secy., Lovedale Library.

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21st March 1905.

Messrs. James Coutts,

East London.

Colonial Secretary's Office.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your account for 16s 11d for receiving and forwarding a case of books for the Lovedale Library. Before remitting this amount, I would like to enquire about the item 4s for duty. The case contained only books, which I understand are duty free.

If the charge is made because of the entry on page 4 of the invoice, "Parcel enclosed Value 84s," I wish to explain that this was for the fourth vol. of Hastings Dictionary of the Bible, previously subscribed for by the Library. It may have been because of this that Mudie's people did not include it by name in the invoice. If the 4s is charged because of this, it is an error, and we should be credited with that amount.

The out-standing account in connection with the clearing of a piano for the Lovedale Literary Society has been handed to the Society's treasurer, who will communicate with you about it.

Yours sincerely,

Secy., Lovedale Library.

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College Department,

Lovedale,

SOUTH AFRICA.

25th March 1905.

Messrs. Macmillan & Co.,

Publishers,

London.

Dear Sirs,

We intend introducing into the College Department of this Institution text-books suited to meet the requirements of the Revised Syllabus in Mathematics of the Cape University. Before fixing on the books to be used by our students, I would be glad to know which of your publications meet these requirements, and to be favoured with specimen copies. I would specially mention

Barnard & Child: New Geometry for Schools,

Hall & Stevens: A School Geometry,

Foster & Dobbs: Practical Geometry for Beginners,

Eggar: Practical Exercises in Geometry,

Croome Smith: Primer of Geometry.

Yours sincerely,

(Rev.) J. Lennox

Lecturer in Mathematics.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

College Department,

L o v e d a l e,

S O U T H A F R I C A.

25th March 1905.

Messrs. Longmans, Green & Co.,

Publishers,

The Cambridge University Press,

L o n d o n,

C a m b r i d g e.

Dear Sirs,

We intend introducing into the College Department of this Institution mathematical text-books suited to the requirements of the Revised Syllabus of the Cape University. Will you be so good as to favour me with specimen copies of any of your publications which correspond to these requirements? I would specially mention

Godfrey & Siddons: Elementary Geometry.

Barrell: Elementary Geometry, Sections I & II, complete.

Yours sincerely,

Lecturer in Mathematics.

College Department,

L o v e d a l e ,

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1st April 1905.

My Dear Alec,

28th March 1905.

I have signed Human's bond in blank, using the same form of words which you used in ceding it to me. I hope this will be correct in the present instance also. I have not affixed stamps, as I think you said this is done by the one to whom the bond is ceded. If I am wrong kindly put the necessary stamps on, and deduct from the amount you receive on my account. In reply beg to state that interest is [illegible] Human's bond to receive on my behalf the principal and interest to date of Human's bond on the 17th April, and that he will hand over that of the bond ceded in blank. Yours sincerely,

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All well here. We are in complete uncertainty about the future of Lovedale. This will continue till the Royal Commission report, and the Parliament has determined what they are to do. We have no indication as yet when we are to expect the Free Church deputation, or who are to come.

With kind regards
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The Bond is £115. The interest from 1st Jan. to 17th April, i.e. for 3½ months at 3½ is £2 . 13 . 8, making a total due of £117 . 13 . 8. When you get this amount, kindly hold it as part of the £700, and let me have a note that you have received it. We can arrange for a formal acknowledgement for the whole amount when the balance has been handed to you.

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With kind regards
Ever yours
J. Lennox.

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1st April 1905.

29th March 1905.

Dear Miss Brown,

I have pleasure in sending you the new supplement of the Library Catalogue, which I am sure you will find contains some very interesting books. I am sorry that your messenger seems to have experienced some difficulty in getting books during our long vacation. This was due to the fact that all the lads who were acquainted with the work of the Library, left for the holidays, and the only one who was left to attend to the Library had had no experience of it. There is now an experienced attendant, and I trust you will have no further difficulty.

With regard to the books picked up by a Hottentot, I shall be obliged if you will send them in for me to see them. They were taken out by Miss Humphreys. Do you know whom she used to send to the Library for books? If this man was the messenger, he was, of course, not at liberty to sell the Library property. In any case he should have returned them here, as the Lovedale label will be on them. If they are in good condition I shall return the money you paid for them.

May I remind you that your Library subscription was paid to Dec. 1902, but that the subscriptions for 1903 - 04 have not been paid. I shall be glad to receive them from you at your early convenience.

Yours sincerely,
J. Lennox

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6th April 1905.
29th March 1905.

Dear Mr. Stirling,

Messrs Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.
30 to 34 New Oxford Street,
London, W.C.

Dear Sirs,

I have pleasure in sending you the report of the Theological Students' Committee on Mr. A. Bottoman's Exit Examination papers. This report has been delayed because of the loss of the report of one examiner, who sent his report in good time. How it went astray has not been discovered. But for this accident the receipt for the books recently received there was entered

One enclosure, value 34s. This was the latest vol. of the Bible-tot. basis they recommend the [illegible] to the Library had

Kindly note that it will save difficulty with the Customs here, if the

contents of such enclosures be specified. In this instance the Customs

charged 4s duty, which after some correspondence has been recovered.

You will remember that the Library subscribed for the Times History of the War. We have received two vols. Are the others nearly ready to be issued?

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

Secy. Lovedale Library.

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Mr. Bottoman satisfied the requirements of the Library for Books. In a letter from Mr. Hunter, he asked that our Presbytery should send a certificate regarding Mr. Bottoman. On looking into the matter I find that you wrote on 25th April 1901 that Mr. Bottoman had been accepted as a divinity student by the Kaffrarian Presbyterian Church of South Africa. He never came formally under the [illegible], in the way that Mr. Tiyo Soga was placed under our care during his theological studies.

As one of Mr. Bottoman's tutors, I may be allowed to add that he conducted himself in every way as became one looking forward to the ministry. He

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The Committee decided to regard 40% as necessary for a pass. On this basis they recommend the acceptance of Mr. Bottoman as having satisfied this requirement. Where examiners have sent in detailed reports, I have sent you the full extracts which refer to his papers. The results of the first half of the Exit Examination held in June 1904 have been already announced. Mr. Bottoman satisfied the requirements at that time also.

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identified himself with the spiritual work of the Institution, and exerted a good influence during his stay here.

With kind regards,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Convener of the Theological Students' Com.

P.S. Kindly intimate the result of the examination to Mr. Bottoman.

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Marks obtained by Mr. A. Bottoman at the Theological Exit Examination

December 1904.

Subject & Examiner		Mage gained
Ephesians & Philippians	Rev. W. Stuart	88 ?
New Test. Introduction	do.	80
Justification	Rev. D. J. Craking	52
Sanctification	do.	58
Practical Theology	do.	57
Pastoral Epistles	Rev. K. Makiwane	74
Church History	Rev. D. D. Stormont	88
Haggai - Malachi Luke & Colossians	Rev. Dr. Stewart	50

Paper on Practical Theology.

"Somewhat uneven in treatment, but thoughtful answers. Scant justice is done to the outstanding features of Christ's preaching."

Rev. K. Makiwane:

Paper on the Pastoral Epistles. (Answered in Kafir).

" These papers as compared with the last show a decided advance. The students show a clearer grasp of the subjects they deal with, more directness in dealing with what is placed before them and greater plainness and simplicity."

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Extracts from the Examiners' reports on the Theological Exit Examination papers of Mr. A. Bottoman.

Rev. D. L. Erskine:

Paper on the Doctrine of Justification.

"A creditable paper, but uneven in quality. Answers 1 and 5 much better than the others. The writer should try to study the subject of righteousness in Scripture, and especially the Pauline expressions "righteousness of God" and "Righteousness of Christ." "

Paper on the Doctrine of Sanctification.

"A creditable paper. It does not cover much ground on the subject, but what is given is thoughtfully expressed."

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Rev. Dr. Stewart:

Papers on Haggai - Malachi, St. Luke and Colossians.

"Small as the number is of the students who entered this examination, they fall distinctly into three groups." Dr. Stewart passes Mr. Bottoman's papers in the second class, and values them at 50 %. He adds, "All may be regarded to have produced fair, and some, very good answers to the questions."

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7th April 1905.

The Rev. J. P. Ritchie,
Observatory,
Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Ritchie,

I have now pleasure in sending you the results of the Theological Exit Examination. This report has been delayed because of the loss of the report of one examiner, who sent his report in good time. How it went astray has not been discovered. But for this, the results would have been announced much earlier.

The Synod Theological Students' Committee decided to regard 40% as necessary for a pass. Messrs. Medhurst, Sampson and Aitchison have all done very good work. Where examiners have sent detailed reports, I have sent you the full extracts which refer to their papers.

I regret the delay in replying to your request for information regarding the theological course. I have only one copy of the course, and that has been considerably modified in details. I am having a copy prepared for you, and shall hope to let you have it very soon.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

S. Lamb.

P.S. Kindly intimate the results to the students.

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Extracts from the Examiners' reports on the Theological Exit Examination

Papers of Mr. W. Medhurst.

Marks gained by Messrs. Medhurst, Sampson, and Aitchison at the Theological Exit Examination, December 1904.

Subject & Examiner		Marks gained by Mr. Medhurst	Mr. Sampson	Mr. Aitchison
Ephesians & Philippians	Rev. W. Stuart	88	90	85
New Test. Introduction	do.	90	90	88
Doct. of Justification	Rev. D. L. Erskine	87	83	68
Doct. of Sanctification	do.	90	84	78
Practical Theology	do.	92	86	65
Pastoral Epistles	Rev. E. Makiwane	78	73	90
Church History	Rev. D. D. Stormont	88	87	75
Haggai - Malachi Luke, & Colossians	Rev. Dr. Stewart	85 - 90	85 - 90	85 - 90

Paper on the Doctrine of Sanctification.

"A full and clear set of answers. The paper is excellent, the treatment of the word "sanctify" is particularly good."

Paper on Practical Theology.

"This is the best paper the writer has done. It gave some showing of the answers indicate this in a high degree. The treatment of the passage given as an example of effective rending of Scripture is satisfactory and exact."

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Paper on the Doctrine of Justification.

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Rev. F. Makiwane:

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Extracts from the Examiners' Reports on the Theological Exit Examination

Papers of Mr. Adrian Sampson.

Rev. D. L. Erskine:

Paper on the Doctrine of Justification.

"A very good paper, indicating a full and competent knowledge of the subject. The materials are well arranged, and the answers clearly expressed. The writer was not quite so successful in giving the Doctrine from 1st Epistle to the Romans.

Paper on the Doctrine of Sanctification.

"A very satisfactory paper. The place of Faith in Sanctification well answered. Not quite so successful in stating the work of the Holy Spirit."

Paper on Practical Theology.

"Good and comprehensive answers. They show a wise thoughtfulness that is very promising. The writer's ideas of sermon making and delivery are very good. He criticised misses the point in dealing with effective reading of Scripture."

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Extracts from the Examiners' Reports on the Theological Exit Examination Papers of Mr. Aitchison.

Rev. D. L. Erskine:

"Mr. Aitchison's papers are all above the average. The paper on Sanctification is certainly the best of the three. I would have given him higher marking, but for a certain diffuseness in many of the answers. He has done honest work."

Paper on the Doctrine of Justification.

"On the whole a creditable paper, showing a satisfactory knowledge of the subject. The answers are somewhat uneven. The "Righteousness of God" in Justification is treated in rather a meagre way. The writer has clear ideas on Justification generally. His answers on the place of Faith in Justification, full and good.

Paper on the Doctrine of Sanctification.

"A very satisfactory paper. The student has read to purpose on the subject and assimilated his reading. His knowledge of Scripture is most commendable."

Paper on Practical Theology.

"A very good paper. The writer's knowledge of the Pastoral Epistles is minute and thorough. The chief features of Christ's teaching are given in too bald and condensed a form. His outline of how the devotional study of Scripture may be carried on is very satisfactory. The question on effective reading of Scripture was rather missed."

Rev. E. Makiwane:

Paper on the Pastoral Epistles.

"This paper is remarkably good. It shows a grasp of the questions dealt with, a thoroughness of preparation, force and directness of expression and clearness of arrangement in a degree that has not been reached by any other student.

Rev. Dr. Stewart:

Reports in similar terms to those used regarding Mr. Medhurst and Mr. Sampson.

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7th April 1905.

Dear Mr. Gwela,

Your letter referring to the difficulty of the work at Port Elizabeth, and suggesting that you should be given assistance as an evangelist was duly received. A deputation would have been sent to Port Elizabeth and also to the Zoutpansberg missions before this time, but both these deputations have been hindered. As you know, the Free Church in Scotland are claiming that those who united with the ~~XXXX~~ United Presbyterian Church to form the United Free Church of Scotland, should lose all their church property. A Royal Commission is at present enquiring into this claim. The Free Church have intimated their intention to send out a deputation to South Africa. In these circumstances, those who were appointed to visit the P. Elizabeth and Zoutpansberg missions felt that their duty was to remain with their people during these difficulties.

In order that the people of all our congregations may know the present circumstances fully and discuss them, a special meeting of Presbytery has been called to meet at Lovedale on Wed. 26th April. Each congregation is invited to send from two to five of their best men to meet with the Presbytery in this conference. Kindly bring this before the Port Elizabeth congregation that they may select delegates for this purpose.

Mr. Makiwane has been appointed to visit the Port Elizabeth congregation as soon as ~~this~~ he can arrange to go.

With kind regards
Yrs truly
J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

17th April 1905.

Dear Mr. McRobert,

I duly received your letter and post card about the native work at Port Elizabeth. A deputation would have visited the work there, as also our Zoutpansberg missions ere now, but for the nature of the news arriving from Home about the claims of the Free Church. In these circumstances, those appointed for these special services found that they had to remain with their congregations. In order that the congregations may be fully informed of the present state of affairs and be prepared for the visit from the Free Church deputation which they have intimated, our Presbytery have called a special meeting to be held at Lovedale on the 26th instant. To this meeting, each of our congregations is invited to send a delegation of from two to five of their best men. I have written to this effect to Mr. Gwela, if he mentions the matter to you, you will know what is proposed.

As soon as he can get away from his own mission for a few days, Mr. Makiwane will go down to visit the New Brighton people.

With kind regards,

Yours truly,

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Lovedale,

17th April 1905.

Mr. Ntsikana Gabe,

Pirie.

Lovedale,

14th April 1905.

Dear Mr. Gabe,

Dear Mr. Harper,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, in which you say that Mr. Matheson has written to you that "a difficulty has arisen on the ground that Lovedale is claiming copyrights in the old Kaffir Hymn Book, or something of the nature of a claim. At all events a difficulty has been created on this ground."

This statement is so extraordinary, that before replying to it, I shall be obliged if you will tell me the exact expressions which Mr. Matheson has used in this connection.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

T. Lennox

"The Theological Students' Committee have received the reports of the Examiners of the Theological Exit Examination papers. Your marks are as follows.

June 1904: Old Testament	40½
St. John's Gospel	88
Exodus	65
Psalms	86
Apologetics	80
Person of Christ	41
Ethics	61
Ephesians & Philippians	50
New Testament Introduction	35
Haggai - Malachi, Luke & Colossians	40
Justification	42
Sanctification	48
Practical Theology	81
Pastoral Epistles	88
Church History	56

You have therefore passed in Old Testament, St. John's Gospel, Exodus, Psalms, Person of Christ; Ephesians & Philippians, Haggai-Malachi Luke & Colossians, Justification, Sanctification, Practical Theology & Pastoral Epistles. You have failed in Apologetics, Ethics, New Testament Introduction, and Church History. The Committee are remitting your case to the Synod for consideration.

Yours sincerely, Convener.

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Lovedale,
17th April 1905.

Mr. Ntsikana Gaba,
P i r i e.

Dear Mr. Gaba,

The Theological Students' Committee have received the reports of the Examiners of the Theological Exit Examination papers. Your marks are as follows:

June 1904:	Old Testament	40 - 45	40½
	St. John's Gospel	45	40
	Exodus		65
	Psalms	80	80
	Apologetics	90	80
	Person of Christ		41
	Ethics	65	51
Dec. 1904:	Ephesians & Philippians		50
	New Testament Introduction		35
	Haggai - Malachi, Luke & Coloss.		40
	Justification		42
	Sanctification		48
	Practical Theology		57
	Pastoral Epistles		69
	Church History		38

You have therefore passed in Old Testament, St. John's Gospel, Exodus, Psalms, Person of Christ; Ephesians & Philippians, Haggai-Malachi Luke & Colossians, Justification, Sanctification, Practical Theology & Pastoral Epistles. You have failed in Apologetics, Ethics; New Testament Introduction, and Church History. THe Committee are remitting your case to the Synod for consideration.

Yours sincerely, [signature] Convener.

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Lovedale,
17th April 1905.

Mr. Burnet Gaba,
P i r i e.

Dear Mr. Gaba,

The Theological Students' Committee beg to intimate to you that you have passed the Theological Exit Examination. Your marks are as follows

June 1904:	Old Testament	40 - 45 %
	St. John's Gospel	45
	Exodus	80
	Psalms	90
	Apologetics	65
	Person of Christ	41
	Sacraments	41
	Ethics	80

(The Committee agreed to accept the paper on Ethics as a pass

Dec. 1904:	Ephesians & Philippians	49%
	New Testament Introduction	45
	Haggai - Malachi, Luke & Col- ossians	50
	Justification	49
	Sanctification	50

Practical Theology 57%
Pastoral Epistles 62
Church History. 88

I remain,
Yours sincerely,
Convener.

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Lovedale,

22nd April 1905.

Practical Theology	57½
Pastoral Epistles	62
Church History.	66

Dear Alec,

I am forwarding under registered cover Comley's bond for £500 ceded in blank. The amount which should be paid overt to you is £498 . 6 . 8, viz.,

amount of bond	£500
less interest for May & June at 5%	1 . 13 . 4
	£498 . 6 . 8

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennon

Convener.

I have your letter of 17th saying you have received £119 . 18 . 8 from the proceeds of Human's bond, and also yours of 18th enclosing West's letter. I cannot make out from the latter what has happened. Has the transferred bond not handed over to West on Human's account when the money was paid to you?

I also enclose in two separate envelopes the halves of notes for £87 and two money orders for 20s each. In all therefore you now have

Proceeds of Human's bond	£119 . 18 . 8
do. Comley's bond	498 . 6 . 8
Notes	87 . .
Money Orders	2 . .
TOTAL	£706 . 5 . 4

You might send me a note acknowledging receipt, and we can arrange about the bond you are giving me when you come at the end of the week. We shall be glad to see you then. Kindest regards,

Yours truly

J. Lennon

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Lovedale,

22nd April 1905.

Dear Alec,

I am forwarding under registered cover Comley's bond for £500 ceded in blank. The amount which should be paid overt to you is £498 . 6 .. 8, viz.,

amount of bond	£500
less interest for May & June at 8%	6 . 13 . 4
	£493 . 6 . 8

I have your letter of 17th saying you have received £117 . 13 . 8 from the proceeds of Human's bond, and also yours of 18th enclosing West's letter. I cannot make out from the latter what has happened. Was the transferred bond not handed over to West on Human's account when the money was paid to you?

I also enclose in two separate envelopes the halves of notes for £87 and two money orders for 20s each. In all therefore you now have

Proceeds of Human's bond	£117 . 13 . 8
do. Comley's bond	493 . 6 . 8
Notes	87 . .
Money Orders	2 . .
TOTAL	£700 . 0 . 4

You might send me a note acknowledging receipt, and we can arrange about the bond yo are giving me when you come at the end of the week. We shall be glad to seeyou then. Kindest regards,

Yrs. truly

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

26th April 1905.

Lovedale,

27th April 1905.

Mr. Ntsikana Gaba,

Pirie.

Dear Mr. Gaba,

Your letters of 20th and 25th inst. were duly received and considered by the Synod Theological Students' Committee. The Committee adhere to their decision to refer your case to the Synod, and will submit your letters at the same time.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

Convener.

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2.

Lovedale,

26th April 1905.

Dear Mr. Harper,

I am in receipt of your letter of 19th inst., quoting from Mr. Matheson's letter to you regarding the revised Kafir Hymn Book, to the effect that he received word in Scotland "that our Synod had thrown our scheme over, chiefly I understand over the question of the ownership of the old book. The opposition raised or threatened to raise the question of the copyright of the present book."

In saying this, Mr. Matheson must have been entirely misinformed. The Synod did not throw any scheme over, but it was informed that certain necessary steps had to be taken before the actual printing could be proceeded with. In 1903 the Synod of Kafraria passed a minute as follows:

"The Synod instructed the Convener to see to the final editing and the publication of the new Hymn Book in Scotland on such terms as may be satisfactory to the financial Committee."

At the 1904 Synod, Mr. Stormont who was acting for Mr. Matheson proposed the following:

"Agreed to rescind minute 12, 1903, to communicate with the permanent Hymn Book Committee of the Churches concerning all rights, ownership and matters connected with the issue of the new Hymn Book, to reappoint on the Hymn Book Committee, Messrs. Matheson (Convener), Bokwe, Makiwane and Lennox, to communicat with the South African Presbyterian Church anent their Assembly minute on the Kaffir Book, 1903, and to report fully to next Synod."

Mr. Stormont explained that the reason for the 1904 minute was that the

action, taken in 1908, had been too hasty. It was proposed to issue an edition of the revised book with tunes. But it is one thing to select suitable tunes. It is another matter to secure liberty to use these tunes, many of which are copyright and jealously guarded. He stated that on these grounds, a good deal of work remained to be done before the Hymn Book was ready for printing. No question was raised about the copyright of the present book.

Mr. Matheson is Convener of the Synod's Hymn Book Committee. Until he returned, I understand that Mr. Stormont had the business on hand, but though my name was put on the Committee last July, I have had no communication from either of them on the matter.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Kennedy

Lovedale,

27th April 1905.

My Dear Erskine,

Your letter and Matheson's regarding the Exit results of the two Gabas came in time for the meeting of the Theol. Students' Committee on the 17th. It has been intimated to Mr. Burnet Gaba that he has passed the Exit. As Ntsikana had failed in four subjects to reach the standard of 40% fixed by the Synod as necessary for a pass, it was agreed to refer his case to the Synod and this was intimated to him. He has written two letters in reply, the latter of which is as follows:

"I want to be understood plainly, that I am more than astonished at the results of my examination.

These four subjects are not the ones I ever thought of failing in, i.e. the marks I gained from them surprise me.

Further, we waited at home for about five months," (only four) "without any word of sympathy and of encouragement; until we went ourselves to Lovedale.

In a word, I do not at all accept what the Committee say.

Our contemporaries are now in the sphere of labour and work, but our own Church never troubled herself to seek employment for us, save the word which comes to me, viz. we are remitting your case to the Synod. If the Committee is going to treat me in that way, I ask for my testimonials.

Why? Because this is their work and duty, not the work of the Synod. I will still work for the good of the Church, and for the good of His Kingdom, Whose we are, and before Whom we shall all appear."

I laid the letters before the members of the Students' Committee who were all present yesterday with the exception of Mr. Matheson and yourself. It was agreed to intimate to Mr. N. Gaba that the Committee adhered to their former decision to remit his case to the Synod and at the same time to send his letters to the Synod as papers in his case. Do you agree with this action?

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Kennedy.

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L o v e d a l e,

27th April 1905.

Dear Mr. Matheson,

At our Presbytery yesterday, it was agreed to engage Mr. Burnet Gaba as a Theological Student working under the Presbytery from 1st May, and that he be placed under Mr. Stuart till the Synod when further arrangements can be considered. The Synod in the case of former students agreed that Theological Students engaged in this way should be paid at the rate of £60 p.a. This action will be reported to the Synod for confirmation. Meantime will you kindly let Mr. Weir know of this arrangement, so that he may pay Mr. Gaba at the end of the quarter for the two months that will then be due to him.

Your letter and that of Mr. Erskine regarding Mr. Ntsikana Gaba came in time for the meeting ofthe Theol. Students' Committee on the 17th. It was agreed to refer his case to the Synod, and this was intimated to him. He has written two letters in reply, the latter of whichis as follows:

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With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J Lennie

Sir,

On behalf of the Lovedale Library, I have the honour to ask whether the forthcoming five vols. of the evidence submitted to the Native Affairs Commission will be supplied by Government to this library?

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Hon. Secy., Lovedale Library.

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Lovedale,

29th April 1905.

The Superintendent,

Government Stationery Department,

Cape Town.

Sir,

On behalf of the Lovedale Library, I have the honour to ask whether the forthcoming five vols. of the evidence submitted to the Native Affairs Commission will be supplied by Government to this Library?

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Hon. Secy., Lovedale Library.

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Lovedale,

4th May 1905.

Dear Mr. Stuart,

Government Stationery Department,

S. M. S. "Kenilworth Castle"

DOCKS, Cape Town.

Sir,

Dear Alec,

I duly received your letter of yesterday's date, enclosing Mortgage Bond passed by J. T. F. Forsyth in favour of Swynneth Mabel Brown for £900, and signed by her in blank, which you have handed to me as collateral security for £700 lent by me to you. I accept the terms as agreed upon between us, and fully detailed in your letter now under reply.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

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16th May 1905.

Dear Mr. Stuart,

What was the result of the congregational meeting at Firie to consider the question of proceeding to exercise their right of call? I am writing home by next mail in connection with the Mission Council's minute, and would therefore be glad to hear from you by return how the matter now stands.

With kindest regards,

Yours very truly,

[signature]

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18th May 1905.

Dear Mr. Stuart,

What was the result of the congregational meeting at Firth to consider the question of proceeding to exercise their right of call? I am writing home by next mail in connection with the Mission Council's minute, and would therefore be glad to hear from you by return how the matter now stands.

With kindest regards,

Yours very truly,

J. Lennox.

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19th May 1905.
20th May 1905.
18th May 1905.

Messrs. Silberhauer, Wahl & Waller,
Messrs. G. W. Wilson & Co.,
Bureau Street,
2, St. Swithin Street,
Cape Town.
Aberdeen,

S c o t l a n d.

re Bond C. B. J. Comley - £500.

Dear Sirs,

Under separate cover I am sending you twelve photographs to be reproduced on picture post-cards, similar to the Lovedale set you supplied last October. Some of that lot seemed printed rather dark, and you might note this, so as to secure as clear a result as possible. The photos are mounted on cards to show the arrangement desired in each case. The descriptions to be printed on the cards are as follows:

I now return per registered post Comley's Bond for £500 with 10s stamp cancelled as per your letter of 18th instant.

Yours faithfully,

[signature]

1. The Main Educational Building, Lovedale, South Africa.
2. Avenues, Lovedale, South Africa.
3. Carpentry Apprentices, Lovedale, South Africa.
4. Boys Working in Garden, Lovedale, South Africa.
5. Girls' Work Company, Lovedale, South Africa.
6. The Water Furrow, Lovedale, South Africa.
7. Afternoon Sweeping Up, Lovedale, South Africa.
8. Victoria Hospital, Lovedale, South Africa.
9. Distant View of Lovedale, and Alice, South Africa.

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20th May 1905.

Messrs. G. W. Wilson & Co.,

2, St. Swithin Street,

Aberdeen,

S o t l a n d.

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10. Wood Choppers, Lovedale, South Africa.

11. Girls' School, Lovedale, South Africa.

12. Oak Avenue, Lovedale, South Africa.

Kindly print 300 from each of the 12 photos, making 3600 in all, and note the following arrangement.

a. Post 250 sets (3000 cards) to me, and charge me with the cost and postage. Address:- Rev. J. Lennox, Lovedale, Cape Colony.

b. In a separate parcel send 50 sets (600 cards) to Mrs. Lennox, Lovedale, Cape Colony, charging her with the cost and postage.

As in the former instance, the cards are wanted in sets of twelve, each set containing one of each photograph. The envelope can be repeated, viz

L o v e d a l e V i e w s .

Twelve Picture Post Cards

of

N o v e d a l e M i s s i o n a r y I n s t i t u t i o n .

Price ONE SHILLING .

LOVEDALE BOOK STORE,

L o v e d a l e ,

C A P E C O L O N Y .

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

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24th June 23rd June 1905.

Messrs. Relfe Bros, Ltd.,

A. W. Livens, Esq.,

6, Charterhouse Buildings, Aldersgate,

P. W. Smith, Esq.,

L o n d o n , E.C.

Match Box House,

Dear Sirs,

I have had submitted to me by the Manager of the Lovedale Book-Room specimens of your "Secondary School Set of Geometrical Instruments" and of a set in pocket case form. In connection with the new Geometrical Syllabus recently adopted by the Cape University, and the new Geometrical Syllabus of the Cape Education Department, there is likely to be a large and steady demand for sets of instruments in handy form and as yet a supply.

May I take the liberty of pointing out, a defect that could be easily remedied, and which I feel sure it will be your desire to correct? The set squares in the two sets, and the wooden protractor in the pocket set all agree. The tenths scale of the wooden protractor in the Secondary Set, however, does not agree, the divisions being larger by about 1 - 30th in. in four inches.

If this can be rectified, I shall have pleasure in recommending the use of these sets in our College Department, Normal Training School, and Technical Department.

Yours sincerely,

(Rev.) J. Lennox.

I am posting to you a protractor and set square.

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24th June 1905.

A. W. Livens, Esq.,

P. W. Smith, Esq.,

Match Box House,

Reserve Rd. King Wm Town.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 6th inst., with reference to your experience in organ building and repairing, and am keeping the matter in view. Before the receipt of your letter, a communication had been sent to the builders of the "Norvie" organ which is here, and we are still waiting their reply before taking any further step.

I shall preserve your letter, so as to communicate with you later if necessary.

Yours sincerely,

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1st 20th June 1905.

The Rev. J. C. Ritchie,
Messrs. G. A. Watson & Co.,
C. P. Cape Town.
5 St. Swithin Street,
Aberdeen.

Dear Mr. Ritchie,

Soon as I enclose a copy of the Novedale Theological Course. It is, of course, subject to considerable modification in details, according to the requirements and exigencies of each course. But it has been followed generally as here given.

I had hoped to have been able to send you a pamphlet giving full details regarding the Course, and the work done in that which for the cards sent to Various causes have prevented me from getting this completed. I trust what I now send will be of use to you. If I can assist you by any supplementary information, I shall be glad to do so.

Yours faithfully,

J. Lennox.

In April, I sent you the final report on the Theological Exit Examination of Messrs. Medhurst, Sampson, and Aitchison. Did this reach you?

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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1st August 1905.

Messrs G. W. Bacon & Co.,

2 St. Swithin's Street,

Aberdeen.

Dear Sirs,

The Lovedale Picture Post Cards arrived by last mail, and are very satisfactory. The Manager of our Book Store will remit the payment for the cards sent for the Book Store. I enclose £1 : 2 : 8 for the cards sent to Mrs. Lennox.

Yours faithfully,

J. Lennox.

12th August 1906.

Synod of Kaffraria: Theological Students' Committee.

Dear Mr. Stormont,

Mr. Ntsikana Gaba has intimated to me that he now wishes to take the Exit papers he has to repeat, viz., Ethics, N. T. Introduction, and Church History. That on Apologetics he asks to be allowed to take a little later, though I understand he does not wish to protract the matter unduly.

You examined in Ch. History and Apologetics, and you might let me have a set of questions for him on these subjects. The details are

Ch. History: Reformation and Short Hist. of Missions Ch. XI - XVII.

Apologetics: Bruce, Bk. III, and Mozley's Miracles.

Yours sincerely,

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12th August 1905.

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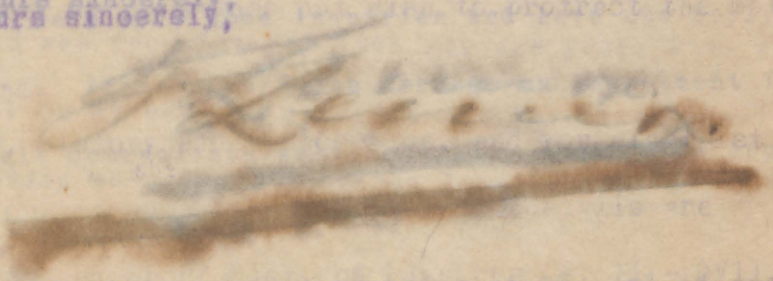
12th August 1905.

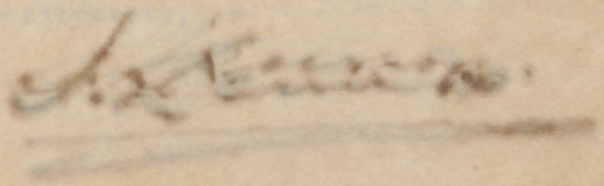
Synod of Kaffraria: Theological Students' Committee.

Dear Mr. Erskine,

Mr. N. Gaba has intimated his desire to take the part of the Exit Examination the Synod required him to repeat. Ethics which you examined is one of the subjects. Kindly let have a set of questions on Butler's Three Sermons.

Yours sincerely,





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12th August 1905.

Synod of Kafraria: Theological Students' Committee.

Dear Mr. Stuart,

Mr. N. Gaba has intimated his desire to take the part of the Exit Examination the Synod required him to repeat. One of the subjects is New Testament Introduction which you examined. Kindly send me a set of questions for him.

Yours sincerely,

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8th September 1905.

6th September 1905.

A. K. Roberts, Esq.,

Dear Alec,

Yours of the 10th August came a week ago, and I would have replied by return, but was in bed with influenza.

I shall do my best to secure a new investment for the money of mine held by you at present. I have made some inquiries and have one reply which may lead to something. As soon as I can arrange an investment I shall let you know and shall communicate with Roberts. I have not applied to Jon Gibson.

I shall of course do my best to secure something at 7%, and if successful, shall ask Roberts to pay me the £700 and interest to date. If, however, I can only secure 6%, I shall avail myself of the proposal you have made.

Hoping you are enjoying your holiday and with kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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8th September 1905.

15th September 1905.

F. E. Roberts, Esq.,

A. R. Adendorff, Esq., M. L. A.

S e y m o u r .

Dear Mr. Roberts,

Dear Sir,

Mr. Brown has written asking me to accept re-payment of

I am in receipt of your letter of the 7th inst. regarding pro-
£700 he borrowed from me, and has made a proposal about the unexpired
posed investment for £750. I am not quite clear as to the terms of your
period of the loan, which was from 1st May 1905 for one year. I am writing
letter, but understand that there are two 1st mortgage bonds on Mr. E.
to Mr. Brown that I shall do my best to secure a new investment, and
Kent's properties for £500 and £250 respectively, and that the present
accommodate him by accepting re-payment whenever I am successful in secur-
holder of these bonds is prepared to hand them over. If this is correct,
ing one.
it further appears that Mr. Kent is desiring to sell for £700 the property
As soon as I have secured a new investment I shall communicate with
at present bonded for £500. You do not give any indication of the value of
you. Do you know of any investment on good security for the whole or
the second property bonded for £250, and I would wish information on this
part of that amount?
point before taking over a bond.

With kind regards,

If I have correctly understood your letter, the margin between £500

Yours sincerely,

and the price Mr. Kent desires is very small, and I would rather treat

with the one who is to hold the property [illegible] whose hands

it may pass at any moment. In any case I would wish a higher rate than

6%.

I shall be glad to hear the nature of the other good investments of which

you spoke in your letter of the 8th instant.

[illegible]

[illegible]

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15th September 1905.

A. R. Adendorff, Esq., M. L. A.
S e y m o u r .

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 7th inst. regarding proposed investment for £750. I am not quite clear as to the terms of your letter, but understand that there are two 1st mortgage bonds on Mr. E. Kent's properties for £500 and £250 respectively, and that the present holder of these bonds is prepared to hand them over. If this is correct, it further appears that Mr. Kent is desiring to sell for £700 the property at present bonded for £500. You do not give any indication of the value of the second property bonded for £250, and I would wish information on this point before taking over a bond.

If I have correctly understood your letter, the margin between £500 and the price Mr. Kent desires is very small, and I would rather treat with the one who is to hold the property than with one out of whose hands it may pass at any moment. In any case I would wish a higher rate than 6%.

I shall be glad to hear the nature of the other good investments of which you spoke in your letter of the 6th instant.

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15th September 1905.

Messrs. Innes & Sutton,

King William's Town.

re Investment for £700.

Dear Mr. Innes,

I am in receipt of your letter of 14th inst. that you have an application for a loan of £700 upon 1st Mortgage on good security at 6%, and have to thank you for giving me the first refusal.

I note that you speak in the highest terms of the security offered, and shall be prepared to consider the application if you will let me know what the security is.

At the same time, 6% is a low rate at the present time when money is scarce, and I would be glad if you could secure better terms.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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15th September 1905.

16th September 1905.

- Wynne, Esq.,

East London.

Dear Mr. Wynne,

I wired you this morning to ask if you know of any good investment on good security for £750 or part thereof. I am not sure whether this is a line of business you pursue. If not, kindly forgive the liberty I have taken.

I was glad to hear of the birth of your son, and trust both Mrs. Wynne and he are flourishing.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Yours sincerely.

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19th September 1905.

W. Wynne, Esq.,
Wast London.
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15th September 1905.

Dear Mr. Wynne,

Dear Sir,

Wolhemus Lyon, Esq.,
P. O. Box 8
Cape Town.

Dear Sir,

By an oversight which I sincerely regret, your letter of 17th July has not been answered till now.

I am sending your letter to the Rev. M. J. C. Matheson of Ross, Umtata, the Convener of the Hymn Book Committee. Meantime let me say that the impression that the issue of a new edition of the Kaffir Hymn Book has been blocked by the Lovedale Press is an entire mistake. Lovedale has in no way been responsible for the delay. Mr. Matheson's Committee have instructions to proceed with the work as speedily as possible. I am asking him to let you know how the matter stands at present.

Yours sincerely,

Matheson
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19th September 1905.

W. Wynne, Esq.,
East London.
Seymour.

Dear Mr. Wynne,

I am in receipt of your kind letter of yesterday's date, and I have to thank you for the interest you have shown in the matter of securing an investment for me. I shall be glad if you will insert such an advertisement as you suggest, but I should like, of course, to secure 7% if possible. I need hardly say, however, that good security is of the first importance.

I would ask you to send me with kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

S. Lennox

This now wish you to do, and if you will send me by return a cheque for the amount stated.

I shall do my best to secure an investment for the remaining sum of £800, and meantime think it better to defer the question of interest and the arrangement proposed by Mr. Brown until I communicate further with you.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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25th September 1905.

F. Roberts, Esq.,

Seymour.

Dear Mr. Roberts,

I write to confirm my wire of even date, "Send by first post cheque for five hundred. Writing."

You will probably have already received my letter of Saturday saying that I hoped to secure an investment for £500, and that if successful I would ask you to send me £500 of the money Mr. Brown borrowed from me. This I now wish you to do, and shall be obliged if you will send me by return a cheque for the amount stated.

I shall do my best to secure an investment for the remaining sum of £200, and meantime think it better to leave the question of interest and the arrangement proposed by Mr. Brown till I communicate further with you.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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25th September 1905.

N. H. Smit, Esq.
Seymour.

Dear Mr. Smit,

I have secured an investment for £600. I still desire to find an investment for £250. If you hear of anything you can recommend for that amount, I shall be glad to hear from you.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

26th September 1905.

W. J. C. Wynne, Esq.,

P. O. Box 1800, London.

Johannesburg.

Dear Mr. Wynne,

I have to-day secured an investment for £500. I still wish to find an investment for £850, and if you know of anything you can recommend for that amount, I shall be glad to hear from you.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

S. Lewis

26th September 1905.

J. C. Gibson, Esq.,

P. O. Box 1261,

Johannesburg.

Dear Mr. Gibson,

On my return from King Wm Town, I received your wire of yesterday's date, "Have secured shares asked for." I now enclose a cheque for £500 from Messrs. Thomas Bear's son & Co., Ltd., Seymour, which I have made payable to you. Kindly let me know what has to be paid for commission and any other charges there may be in connection with the purchase of the shares. Thanking you for your prompt action in securing the shares, and with kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

S. Lennox

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27th September 1905.

Messrs. T. Bear's Son & Co., Ltd.,
45 Arigosan Street,
Seymour.
Greenock.

Dear Mr. Roberts,

I am in receipt of your letter of 25th inst., enclosing cheque for £500 (Five Hundred Pounds) in part repayment of the £700 borrowed from me by Mr. Brown. I enclose a formal receipt.

I am trying to get an investment for the remaining £200, and as stated in my letter of the 25th, I think it better to leave the question of interest meantime, so that we may square the whole matter up in one settlement.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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27th September 1905.

A. Duncan Brown, Esq.,

43 Ardgowan Street,

Greenock.

Dear Alec,

I have secured an investment for £500, and have to-day received from Messrs. T. Bear's Son & Co. a cheque for that amount in part repayment of the £700 borrowed by you from me. I am trying to secure an investment for the remaining £200. I have asked Mr. Roberts to leave over the question of interest till I see if I can secure another investment, as it will be better to square up the whole in one settlement.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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27th September 1905.

The Secretary,

Marlborough House Co., Ltd,

Greene's Buildings,

Commissioner Street,

Johannesburg.

Dear Sir,

I have been recommended to purchase some shares in your company, and now write to ask in what position the "Marlborough House" scheme stands at present. Has the House been built and is it in occupation, and when do you anticipate that the shares will yield a dividend?

Yours faithfully,

(Rev.) J. Lennox

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30th September 1905.

Messrs J. H. Pain & Co.,

Port Elizabeth.

Dear Sirs,

Dear Mr. Stuart,

Mr. N. Gabe has intimated his readiness to take the par[illegible] the Exit Examination he was required to repeat. Kindly let me have the questions for him in the subject for which you acted as examiner.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
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30th September 1905.

Messrs J. C. Juta & Co.,

Port Elizabeth.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose an account and correspondence from your Cape Town house regarding balance of Rs 8 on copies of Morris's Geometrical Drawing for Art Students. Cape Town supplied me with copies of the [illegible] which was charged at 2s each, though in the [illegible] edition [illegible] 1s 6d each. I wanted the later edition which you [illegible] time sent to me. I cannot see any reason in being supplied with the earlier edition and charged at the rate of the later and enlarged edition. The obvious answer to the Cape Town letter is that the price was raised when the edition was enlarged.

I enclose the 5s 6d, as I do not wish to prolong a correspondence over such a small amount, but I do so under protest, and still think the charge should be remitted.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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5th October 1905.

Dear Mr. Sihlali,

For some time Daniel has not been looking well. It seemed to me that the trouble lay rather in something he had in his mind than in the general state of his health. He seemed to wish to avoid me, and did not give me his confidence till last Saturday, when he told me an extraordinary story. I cannot say I understand it, but I strongly urged him to write to you fully on the matter, and said to him that he should do so. I have seen him since, and am greatly relieved to learn that he has written fully to you on the matter. If I may judge from his appearance, it has been a relief to him to unburden his mind, and I trust that your knowledge of the native mind will help you to understand what he has to say, for I confess myself puzzled by his story.

I hope you will be able to visit Lovedale when on your way to or from the Union meetings.

Wilberforce is working hard, and I think, to good purpose.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

A. Lennox

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8th October 1905.

Messrs. N. H. Smit & Son,
Seymour.

Dear Mr. Smit,

I have to thank you for your letter of 6th inst., telling of a probable investment for £650 on Erf No. 13, Lushington. Since I first wrote to you, I have invested part of the money I then had on hand. I have still £250 which I desire to invest, but cannot undertake so much as may be required for the Lushington bond.

Should you hear of a good investment for £250, I would wish to get not less than 7%.

Yours sinberely,

University of Fort Hare
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7th October 1905.

The Rt. Revd. The Bishop of Lebombo,

Lorenco Marques.

Dear Bishop,

It was a great pleasure to meet Mr. Westcorhead. He stayed with us from Saturday till Wednesday, and so had time to see thoroughly all that he felt would assist him in plans for the development of Educational work in Uganda.

Mrs. Stewart had a letter from the Dean of Grahamstown about the report that Dr. Stewart regards Lovedale as a "splendid failure." She sent a long wire to the Dean containing a message from Dr. Stewart himself, absolutely denying the truth of the report, and asking that he should let this be known. It was a great relief to Mrs. Stewart to be able to send this message from Dr. Stewart himself, as she had more than once taken pencil and paper to write a statement to his dictation. They were always interrupted, and often he has not the strength to tackle this piece of work. She still hopes that he will be able to publish a statement, but meantime I am glad this message containing his own views is available for publication.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

John Kenneth

I am sending a copy of last report.

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7th October 1905.

Messrs. T. Nelson & Sons,

35 & 36 Paternoster Row,

London, E.C.

Fort Beaufort.

Dear Sirs,

I have to thank you for your favour of 18th Ult., and for the specimens of school books you have sent. I am bringing these before our staff, and shall also have pleasure in recommending them to those who have charge of the schools throughout our mission.

Yours sincerely,

J. Kemp.

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9th October 1905.

T. P. Ainslie, Esq.,
Millbank,
Fort Beaufort.

Dear Mr. Ainslie,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 7th insts, in which you speak of borrowing £850, giving the five farm on which your brick plant is erected, as security.

In what way do you propose that these erven should be held as security? I may mention that any arrangement we may make should not be for a short period, certainly for not less than twelve months.

I shall be glad to hear from you on these points, and to talk the matter over with you any time you can find it convenient to come.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

S. J. Beaulay.

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28th October 1905.

The Superintendent General of Education,

Accounting Branch,

Cape Town.

28th October 1905.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 18th instant intimating that the Civil Commissioner of Victoria East has been authorised to pay me the sum of £16 : 12 : 6, being Good Service Allowance for the year ending 31st December 1904.

Before applying to the Civil Commissioner for this amount, I shall be glad to learn how the amount of the Good Service Allowance stated above is arrived at. In a letter from the Statistical Branch dated 14th September it was intimated that my service would date from 1st January 1894. The year 1904 therefore counts as the eleventh year of service, in which I understand from the regulations that Good Service Allowance is at the rate of 5s9 of the Government Grant. My total salary is £120, of which £60 is Government Grant. Should not my Good Service Allowance for 1904 therefore be 5s% of £60, namely £21, less 5% for the Teachers' Pension Fund?

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

L. J. Beasley.

J. C. Gibson, Esq.,
P. O. Box 1261,
Johannesburg.

Dear Mr. Gibson,

I have to thank you for your favour of 2nd inst. I have not yet received the share certificates, and trust they will be forwarded in due course.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Kearney.

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26th October 1905.

The Superintendent General of Education,

Accounting Branch,

Cape Town.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 18th instant intimating that the Civil Commissioner of Victoria East has been authorised to pay me the sum of £16 : 12 : 6, being Good Service Allowance for the year ending 31st December 1904.

Before applying to the Civil Commissioner for this amount, I shall be glad to learn how the amount of the Good Service Allowance stated above is calculated. In a letter from the Statistical Branch dated 14th September it was intimated that my service would date from 1st January 1894. The year 1904 therefore counts as the eleventh year of service, in which I understand from the regulations that Good Service Allowance is at the rate of 35% of the Government Grant. My total salary is £120, of which £60 is Government Grant. Should not my Good Service Allowance for 1904 therefore be 35% of £60, namely £21, less 5% for the Teachers' Pension Fund?

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

L. J. Barnley.

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27th October 1905.

T. Pringle Ainslie, Esq.,

F. L. Maltbank, Esq.,

Seymour Beaufort.

Dear Mr. Roberts,

Dear Mr. Ainslie, I shall be glad to receive from you on the 31st instant the sum of £200, being the balance of £700 borrowed from me by Mr. Brown.

I am prepared to lend you £250 at 8% payable half-yearly, and shall be ready to hand over the money to you on Saturday 4th November, if it will be convenient to you to come here on that day.

From our conversation, I understand that you will give me your note of hand, endorsed by Miss Ainslie, and that you offer the five erven on which your brick plant is erected as collateral security.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

John Lennox

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

John Lennox

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27th October 1905.

F. E. Roberts, Esq.,
The Station Master,
Seymour.
Alice.

Dear Mr. Roberts,

I shall be glad to receive from you on the 31st instant the sum of £200, being the balance of £700 borrowed from me by Mr. Brown.

The interest due is:

£200 from 1st May to 31st October at

£500 ... 1st May to 25th September

To this has to be added £1 of expenses incurred in inquiring for [illegible] ments, making £222 in all.

I do not ask for the difference in interest between that paid to Mr. Brown and that now to be received, though meantime the change of investment has been to my disadvantage.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

[illegible]

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27th October 1905.

The Station Master,

A l i c e .

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letters of 23rd instant, relating to the issuing of a third class return ticket to K.W.Town on 10th July, and of five third class return tickets to Middledrift on 15th August, I was not aware that it was necessary to make a previous arrangement with the Railway Department. Mr. Walter Hani went to King Wm Town as duly appointed member of Presbytery to attend the quarterly meeting. The five men who travelled to Middledrift on 15th August were duly appointed to attend a Presbytery meeting at Burnshill I signed the certificates for them as Clerk of the Presbytery. I trust the Chief Accountant will be satisfied with this explanation, and overlook the irregularity.

May I ask whether it is necessary to apply for authorisation on each occasion? There is a quarterly meeting of Presbytery held at each of our missions in rotation. Special meetings have occasionally to be held as was the case on 15th August. Might it not be arranged that any certificates I might sign as Clerk of Presbytery would be accepted?

Yours sincerely,

John [illegible]

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28th October 1905.

A. Tompkins, Esq.,
P. O. Box 1261,
Messrs. Gorman & Beard,
Johannesburg.
Y. M. C. A.

Dear Mr. Gibson,

Dear Sir,

I write again to remind you that I have not yet received any receipt or share certificates for the £500 which I wanted to [illegible] September, and regarding which I wrote on the 14th [illegible] expect you here at the end of September to put our Norvic Organ in order. The receipt will be formally acknowledged by return, and then [illegible] you would be at Lovedale, without any word from you. Kindly let me know when we may look for your arrival.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lemmon

It would be better if you can possibly do so, to come here at once, as otherwise your work might be attended with some difficulty owing to the Government examinations which are held in the hall where the organ is, towards the end of November and beginning of December.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lemmon

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28th October 1905.

J. C. Gibson, Esq.,

P. O. Box 1261,

Johannesburg.

Dear Mr. Gibson,

I write again to remind you that I have not yet received any receipt or share certificates for the £500 which I posted to you on the 26th September, and regarding which I wrote on the 14th instant. Trusting that the receipt will be formally acknowledged by return, and with kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

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28th October 1905.
30th October 1905.

A. Duncan Brown, Esq.,

43, Ardgowan Street,

Messrs. Innes & Hutton,

Greenock.

King Wm Town.

re Estreated Bail.

My Dear Alec,

I have to-day written to Mr. Roberts asking him to send me the
Dear Mr. Innes,
£200 balance of the money you borrowed from me, and £22 of interest to date
I communicated the contents of your letter of 27th inst. to
and expenses incurred in securing new investments. I do not ask for the
the two natives conderned, and they will follow the advice you have given.
difference between the interest I am now to receive and that you were paying.
If the matter is pressed further against them, they are to let me know, and
though the change of investments has meantime been to my disadvantage.
if neccessary apply for your assistance.
have had a good deal of difficulty in securing investments, but am glad to
I enclose 10 : 6
be able to oblige you by accepting re-payment of the whole amount.
The Deacons' Court of the Lovedale Native Congregation meets this week, when
Before next week's mail I hope to have heard from Mr. Roberts, and shall
I shall ask them to formally consider the reply from Mbanjwa etc. regarding
then write to you regarding the bond which reverts to you, and which you ask-
the trespass on their lands.
ed me to retain in my possession for you.

Yours sincerely,

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

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1st November 1905.
30th October 1905.

F. E. Roberts, Esq.,
Messrs. Innes & Hutton,
King Wm Town.

re Estreated Bail.

Dear Mr. Roberts,

Dear Mr. Innes, I communicated the contents of your letter of 27th inst. to the two natives conderned, and they will follow the advice you have given. If the matter is pressed further against them, they are to let me know, and if neccessary apply for your assistance.

I enclose 10 1: 6 .

The Deacons' Court of the Lovedale Native Congregation meets this week, when I shall ask them to formally consider the reply from Mbanjwa etc. regarding the trespass on their lands.

Yours sincerely,

1st November 1905.

F. E. Roberts, Esq.,
Messrs. T. Bear's Son & Co. Ltd.,
Seymour Burgh.

Dear Mr. Roberts,

I am in receipt of your letter of 30th ult., and confirm my wire of even date, "Cannot possibly wait. Have arranged new investment at Brown's request. Insist on receiving balance by first post. Wire reply."

I would just add to my wire that Mr. Brown borrowed the money from me for one year from 1st May 1905. When he asked me to accept repayment, it was as an obligement. I was willing to meet him in the matter if possible, and have put myself to a good deal of trouble to do so. If Mr. Brown still desired to retain the £200, I should have been told of this before the transaction was put through, since you were aware that I was on the outlook for an investment for the balance. As matters now stand, I have arranged for a new investment as from to-day's date, and must have the money by return.

Kindly favour with an immediate reply, and oblige,

Yours sincerely,

A. Lemmon

University of Fort Hare
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4th November 1905.

The Secretary,

Scottish Temperance Assurance Co.,

5, York Buildings,

Edinburgh.

Dear Sir,

I enclose a Money Order for £4.10.1 in payment of the renewal premium on my two policies Nos. 8321 and 10045.

Yours sincerely,

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4th November 1905.

J. C. Gibson, Esq.,

P. O. Box 1261,

Johannesburg.

Dear Mr. Gibson,

By this mail I have received acknowledgement from the Secretaries of the Marlborough House Ltd., and of the Premier Lime Works Ltd. of the money you were good enough to receive and invest on my behalf. Again thanking you for your kind interest in the matter, and with kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
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6th November 1905,

T. Pringle Ainslie, Esq.,

Millbank, P. O. Box 1261,

Fort Beaufort.

Dear Mr. Ainslie,

I enclose a cheque for £[illegible] from Messrs. T. Bear's Son & Co., Limited, which I have made payable to you, and which together with the £20 in cash which you received from me [illegible] instant makes a total of £250 which you have borrowed from me, and for which I hold your promissory note, endorsed by Miss Ainslie. It is understood that interest is at the rate of 8% per annum, payable half-yearly, and that the loan is for twelve months from date. At the end of that period, the loan may be repaid renewed for any period we may then agree upon, or may be repaid on three months' notice on either side. Kindly acknowledge receipt of the money, and your agreement to the terms of the arrangement.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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8th November 1905.

Dear Mr. Dyke,

Since I last wrote to you, the proposed College scheme has progressed. You will have seen Sargant's letter to the Scotsman, this has been taken over by the Lovo, with a very cordial leader on it. Mr. Weir held a meeting of representative natives in King We less about three weeks ago, and he is holding a further meeting to-day. I understand that they were very hearty in their desire to see some advance in Native higher education. I feel greatly relieved that this matter is moving out into a clearer atmosphere. It would have been unwise for a scheme in which Lovedale may be so greatly concerned to be advocated from Lovedale. Col. Crewe was here yesterday for a very few minutes, and he indicated his interest in any movement to be advanced to secure better educational facilities for the natives.

Mr. Stewart is much the same as he has been for some time. Some days he is wonderfully vigorous. At other times his memory fails him, to his own great distress. Mrs. Stewart keeps wonderfully brave in the midst of all her anxiety. Others are all well. I trust this will find you and your family in good health and spirits. Mrs. Lennox unites with y se in affectionate greetings to Mrs. Dyke, yourself and your family.

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15th November 1905

The Superintendent General of Education,

Accounting Branch, 9th November 1905.

Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Dyke, Good Service Allowance.

Since I last wrote to you, the proposed College scheme has progressed. You will have seen Sargant's letter to the Scotsman. This has been taken over by the Imvo, with a very cordial leader on it. Mr. Weir held a meeting of representative natives in King Wm Town about three weeks ago, and he is holding a further meeting to-day. I understand that they were very hearty in their desire to see some advance in Native higher education. I feel greatly relieved that this matter is moving out into a clearer atmosphere. It would have been unwise for a scheme in which Lovedale may be so greatly concerned to be advocated from Lovedale. Col. Crewe was here yesterday for a very few minutes, and he indicated his interest in any scheme that may be advanced to secure better educational facilities for the natives.

Dr. Stewart is much the same as he has been for some time. Some days he is wonderfully vigorous. At other times his memory fails him, to his own great distress. Mrs. Stewart keeps wonderfully brave in the midst of all her anxiety. Others are all well. I trust this will find you and your family in good health and spirits. Mrs. Lennox unites with me in affectionate greetings to Mrs. Dyke, yourself and your family.

Yours very truly

J. Lennox

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15th November 1905.

The Superintendent General of Education,

Accounting Branch,

Cape Town.

Good Service Allowance.

Sir,

In reply to your letter No. 14 : 718 of 31st October stating that in my case Free Board is reckoned at £30 per annum, and asking how I arrive at a total salary of £120, I have the honour to state that the Board etc., which I receive, is reckoned and paid for at the rate of £50 per annum. A letter to this effect has been addressed to you by the Rev. Dr. Stewart. I therefore beg respectfully to submit as stated in my letter of 26th October, that half my salary is £60, on which Good Service Allowance reckoned at 35% should be £21 less deduction for the Teachers' Pension Fund.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

F. Barnley.

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15th November 1905.

The Superintendent General of Education,

Accounting Branch,

C a p e T o w n.

14th November 1905.

Good Service Allowance.

M. H. Samuels, Esq.,

Dear Alec,

I received from Mr. F. A. Roberts by letter dated 2nd inst., a cheque for £222 being balance of loan to you plus interest and charges to date. With this payment my interest in the loan and the draft for [illegible] entirely to you. I shall retain the loan to me for one year ending 31st [illegible] return or pending instructions. I have the Education Department about the amount of my Good Service Yours sincerely. I refer not to cash this draft [illegible] while. I therefore return it. [illegible] will retain it till the correspondence is concluded.

Thanking you for your kindness in sending the draft over,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

[illegible]

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The Superintendent General of Education,
Accounting Branch,
Pretoria.

14th November 1905.

E. H. Samuels, Esq.,
Alice.

Sir,

Dear Mr. Samuels,

I duly received through Mr. Finlayson the draft for £17 : 10, stated to be Good Service Allowance due to me for the year ending 31st December 1904. As I am in correspondence with the Education Department about the amount of my Good Service Allowance, I prefer not to cash this draft meanwhile. I therefore return it, and shall be obliged if you will retain it till the correspondence is concluded.

Thanking you for your kindness in sending the draft over,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

F. Barnley.

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15th November 1905.

The Superintendent General of Education,
Accounting Branch,
Cape Town.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter No. 15: 25 of 11th instant, in which you state that Board and Lodging may be reckoned at £40 per annum in connection with my Good Service Allowance. You will observe that your letter has crossed mine of the 10th instant and Dr. Stewart's letter in which he states that Board and Lodging are £50 per annum. I shall therefore await your reply to these letters from Dr. Stewart and myself.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Barclay.

15th November 1905.

Dear Mr. Fogarty,

I have to thank you for your kind letter of the 8th instant, asking me on behalf of Mr. Sargant to give some lectures to the Native Teachers during the Maseru Vacation Course. Since I received your letter, I have had a letter from Mr. Sargant also, in which he expresses the hope that I can assist at the Course. I shall be very glad to do so. As regards subjects it is somewhat difficult to decide, in ignorance of the other arrangements proposed. It may simplify matters if I leave myself in your hands and Mr. Sargant's as to a range of subjects you would suggest, and as to time, I shall hope to hear from you as soon as you can say definitely what will be best.

Many thanks for your kind invitation to stay with you. I think however that Mr. Gibson wishes me to k be his guest while I am in Maseru. I am looking forward to my trip to Basutoland, and to the pleasure of renewing your acquaintance.

With kind regards,

Believe me,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lamb

24th November 1905.

W. Thomson, Esq., LL.D.,

The University,

C a p e T o w n.

Dear Sir,

The Arithmetic paper in the School Higher examination just concluded has called forth indignant protest. The effect on the candidates at this centre was to completely demoralise them. They became frightened and nervous, so much so, that they seem to have been unable to do work which in ordinary circumstances they were quite familiar with. The paper approached much more nearly to the Matriculation standard than to that of the School Higher. Apart from the unfairness of subjecting young pupils to such a test, it may very well be considered whether injury is not inflicted by the disheartening effect of such a conclusion to the steady work of a whole year.

For the reason already given, that nervous fright made the pupils incapable of dealing even with what they knew, it is difficult to suggest any course that would to any extent rectify the injustice that has been done. A lowered minimum would meet the case but partially. If I might venture to make a suggestion it would be to ask whether the University authorities would not consider it fair to group the marks obtained say in Mathematics, Physics,

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(or other Science subject) with the marks obtained in Arithmetic, and so arrive at a reasonably fair estimate of the pupils' position.

I have taken the liberty of addressing you privately in this matter, partly from extreme reluctance to lodging a formal protest, and also because any formal action would seem to come from Dr. Stewart, and in the present state of his health, we refrain as much as possible from troubling him with any question which it is not absolutely necessary to bring before him.

Believe me to be,

Dear Sirs,

Yours sincerely,

8th December 1905.

The Members of the

Synod Theological Students' Committee.

Case of Mr. Ntsikana Gaba.

Dear Sirs,

At Last Synod Mr. Ntsikana Gaba was required to take over again the portions of the Exit Examination in which he had failed. He has done so, and I yesterday received the last of the reports from Examiners.

Subject.	Examiner.	Mage granted.
Apologetics	Rev. D. D. Stormont,	40
Church History	do.	45
Ethics	Rev. D. G. Erskine.	50
New Testament Introduction.	Rev. Wm Stuart.	45

Mr. Stormont and Mr. Erskine sent written reports, which I enclose. As Mr. Gaba has received the Mage required by the Synod, I would ask you to authorise me to intimate to him that he has passed the Exit Examination, and also to communicate this to the Presbytery of Kafraria, who by powers granted at last Synod will be free to receive Mr. Gaba on trials for licence whenever he applies.

Yours sincerely,

Convener of Theol. Stud. Committee

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The Members of the
The Rev. Nelson W. Fogarty,
Messrs. Chambers & Goodrich,
Case of Mr. Ntsikana Gaba.

Dear Mr. Fogarty,

Dear Sir,

On account of the critical condition of Dr. Stewart's health, and [illegible] has required to take over again the portion of the [illegible] on projected holiday [illegible] and I yesterday [illegible] reports from examiners.

Yours sincerely,

With kind regards,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

Apologetics
Church History
Ethics
New Testament Introduction.

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Lovedale,
11th January 1906.

Messrs. Chambers & Poole,
East London.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of yours of the instant, and in reply I send to you herewith Forsyth's Bond in favour of Mr. Brown.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours faithfully,

John Knox

J. Knox

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John Knox

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Lovedale,
11th January 1906.

Mr. Jacob Motsatsing,
Kanye.

Dear Mr. Motsatsing,

Some time ago you wrote to me about one of your boys whom you wished to come to Lovedale, and whose work you asked me to take into house, as I did Andrew. I have a place for a lad who can work as you repeated are:- did. Is this lad like him?

The work is as when Andrew was here, to look after my horse, the flowers, and act as house boy. I would pay his school fees and books and would board him in my house.

The school re-opens here on the 15th March. If your boy is coming to me, he had better come at the beginning of March.

When you reply, kindly state the age of the boy, the experience he has had, the standard he has passed, and whether he would be able to come at the time I have stated.

I remain,
Yours sincerely,
John Knox

With kind regards,
Convener, Theol. Stud. Committee.
Yours sincerely,

John Knox

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11th January 1908.
Lovedale,

11th January 1908.

Mr. Ntsikana Gaba,
Basutoland.
Lovedale,

Dear Mr. Gaba,

I have pleasure in intimating to you that you have passed the Theological Exit Examination. The marks you obtained in the subjects you repeated are:-

Apologetics	40%
Church History	45
Ethics	50
New Testament Introduction	45

I remain,
Yours sincerely,

John Knox

Convener, Theol. Stud. Committee.

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11th January 1906.

M. Letele,

Maseru,

Basutoland.

Dear Sir,

I duly received your telegram asking that if possible Elias might be allowed to go home. I regret that it is impossible to release Elias at present, owing to pressure in the Lovedale Office, where the work is generally heavy in January, February and at the beginning of the new session.

I have told Elias that he will be free to go at the end of March. This is the end of the six months work which I understand you agreed that he should do here. In ordinary circumstances these six months would have ended at 31st December. But Elias was on special service in Basutoland for nearly three out of these six months, during which time, he received his full salary from Lovedale, in addition to the salary he received in Basutoland. He will therefore not have completed his six months here till the end of March.

At the same time, I must remind you that Elias wrote promising to stay two years, and that Dr. Stewart understood that this was a definite promise on his part.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

J. Henderson

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12th January 1903.

A. D. Brown, Esq.,

43 Erdgowan Street,

G r a h a m s t o w n.

Dear Alec,

Mr. Poole wrote for Forsyth's bond, which we has now received and acknowledged.

I duly received yours of 27th November, and should have answered it earlier. But, as I daresay you know, Mr. Stewart appointed me to act for him pending the arrival of his successor. Both before and after Mr. Stewart's death, there has been a great deal to attend to, and my private correspondence has had to stand aside.

You have referred more than once to investment with Tom Gibson. Tom kindly offered to take over any money we might wish to invest, it did not, follow as a matter of course that we would wish to avail ourselves of this; and, as a matter of fact, we had no intention of doing so.

All our holiday plans have had to be set aside. Jessie and the children say go to Blackwoods for a few days at the end of this month. I cannot get away. Perhaps I may get a few days later on. I hope you and Mrs

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18th January 1906.

A. D. Brown, Esq.,

43 Ardgowan Street,

G r e e n o c k.

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are enjoying your stay in the old country. The time will soon fly past, and you will probably share the experience that so many have when they go home, of finding that the time has been far too short for all you desired to do.

We had a remarkable gathering here at the end of the month of December in connection with the Native Convention. I think I posted a "Christian Express" to you last week with a full account of it. There is every indication that the St John's College scheme is to go ahead.

The addition to the house is nearly completed. It is being painted just now. The stoep is laid, and the verandah iron will be put in position on the completion of the apprentices' holidays. Even as it is, however, it is a great advantage. These hot nights, it is very pleasant to sit outside.

With kind regards to Gwyn and yourself, and to your family, in which Jessie unites,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

Lovedale
13 March 1902.

The Commandant
Bruce Office
East London.

Dear Sir,

I have the honour to apply for permits for myself and family to proceed from Lovedale for Kei Valley Estate, omitting from Intention to [illegible] the 1st April. We are proceeding to England the names for the permits are

Rev. John Lennox
Mrs Lennox
Miss Gordon Lennox
Miss Florence Lennox

We would like to have permission to land at [illegible] and Cape Town, to see friends, with the Wilson Castle as these steamers and if you can grant permits to this effect I would be much obliged.

I have the honour to be
Sir
Your obedient servant
John Lennox.

In case the information is necessary I may mention that I am a missionary on Native duty

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Lovedale.

16th January 1906.

Messrs. Innes & Button,

King Wm Town.

Dear.Sirs,

In speaking to Mrs. Stewart to-night I found that I had through a misunderstanding, conveyed a wrong impression to Mr. Innes on one point regarding Mrs. Simmons affairs, - which however does not affect the case as related to the Ballantynes' action.

Of the £100 thereby drawn from the Gov. Savings Bank by the late Mrs. Simmons, £50 was given to Mr. Stewart for the Organ Fund. Mrs. Stewart thinks this sum was [illegible] for the Organ Fund. Mrs. Stewart thinks this sum [illegible] say the beginning of [illegible] 1902.

The sum of £20 referred to in Mr. Stewart's letter to Messrs Yates & Murray is therefore a second sum given by Mrs. Simmons for the funds of the Mission, and was placed, Mrs. Stewart understands, to the credit of the Lovedale Mission Fund.

While I write this to correct the wrong impression I conveyed to you, this corrected version does not affect the case as related to the Ballantynes' action.

Mrs. Simmons gave no funds to Mr. Stewart to be held by him on her behalf.

Messrs. Ryan & Burton,

King Wm Town.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose three cheques made payable to you, amounting in all to Fifty Pounds (£50), in payment of the Phaeton and harness recently purchased from you.

Your acknowledgement will oblige,

Yours sincerely,

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Lovedale,

16th January 1906.

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King Wm Town.

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Of the £100 or thereby drawn from the Gov. Savings Bank by the late Mrs. Simmons, £50 was given for work amongst the Jews, £25 to Mrs. James Anderson, and the remaining sum of somewhere between £20 and £30 was given to Dr. Stewart for the Lovedale Mission, and used for the Organ Fund. Mrs. Stewart thinks this sum was given about the end of the war, - say the beginning of 1902.

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Lovedale received no rent from the farm whose lease she asked Dr. Stewart to retain for her. The two sums given by Mrs. Simmons to the Lovedale Mission were given by herself from her own money, and the Ballantynes have no business to enquire either what amounts she gave, or to what purposes these were put.

Yours sincerely,

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18th January 1906.

Rev. H. Mama,
New Brighton.

Dear Mr. Mama,

I received your telegram of the 16th instant, and am surprised at its contents and tone. Members of Presbytery are expected to know the dates of ordinary meetings themselves. The notice sent by the Presbytery Clerk does not call the meeting, and is merely a reminder.

It has never been customary to issue a paper of agenda. If the Presbytery desires this, especially for the convenience of distant members, it can be done, provided the Presbytery is prepared to supply the necessary clerical assistance. The Clerk does a great deal of work for the Presbytery, and does it ungrudgingly, and generally without a word of recognition. If you wish to increase the work, provide the means.

With kind regards,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

John Knox

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LOVEDALE,

23rd January, 1906.

19th January 1906.

James Rodger, Esqr.

P. O. Box 23,

Mersrs. Innes & Hutton,

CAPE TOWN.

King Wm Town.

Dear Mr. Rodger,

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of 18th instant, and have spoken to Mr. Fisher about the thousand copies of the Junior Native Songster which are being sent to Lovedale by Novello. Mr. Fisher is glad to have this number, and is obliged to you for ordering them so that he is in a position to [illegible] immediate supply. I trust the book will have a good [illegible] it meets a felt need.

I am in receipt of your letter of yesterday's date in answer to mine of the 16th relating to the affairs of the late Mrs. Simmons.

I entirely agree with the view you have taken, that the additional facts I gave you do not alter the general situation, and that there is no need to alter or explain the letters you had already written to Messrs. Yates & Murray.

Yours sincerely,

John Lennox

Dr. Stewart's death has made a great blank in our midst. We shall feel it more and more as time goes on. His place will be hard to fill. Mr. Henderson is a New College man. We were fellow-students, although in different years. He has done excellent work in Livingstonia. I have a cable to say he will arrive here on 17th March.

You are right in supposing I wrote the description of Dr. Stewart's funeral for the Cape Times. I have not seen

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L O V E D A L E,

23rd January, 1908.

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P. O. Box 3,
C A P E T O W N.

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it in print. Could you procure me a copy? The articles in the Presbyterian Churchman are very good. I suppose Mr. Dewar, Mr. Taylor and Dr. Waterston wrote three of them. The paragraph in the Gazette we all thought very true and sympathetic.

There is a matter in which you might assist me, regarding which I have not cared to write officially to the Education Department. Reference is made in a report to the Admission Register. I shall be greatly obliged if you will send me a copy of this Register and of any pamphlet containing regulations regarding it, as I wish to have the pupils for the new session admitted on the lines required by the Department.

With kindest regards,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

John Laing

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LOVEDALE,

13th January, 1906.

Mr. Tee Boon,

Post Restante,

J. W. Weir, ESQUANNESBURG.

King Wm Town.

Dear Mr. Tee Boon,

Dear Mr. Weir,

I called a meeting of the Education Board yesterday, and submitted your letter asking the Board to sanction an arrangement whereby Mr. Houghton might continue to carry on the work of General Organising Secretary to the Scheme after the holidays were ended.

The Board gladly sanctioned the arrangement and promised to do all it could to help you in the matter.

Let me also add my thanks for the suggestion you offer as to means for relieving any pressure of work, should necessity arise.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

John Lennox

I remain,

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd.) J. Lennox.

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LOVEDALE,

13th January, 1906.

Mr. Tee Boon,

Post Restante,

JOHANNESBURG.

Dear Mr. Tee Boon,

I note that you speak of my possibly wishing to return your services. But in addition to the facts contained in my business letter, I learn from Dr. Macvicar that it is desirable for your own health that you should not return to Lovedale, but should try a higher climate. I sincerely trust the change will prove beneficial to you.

You made the remark to me at our first business interview that Dr. Stewart had broken your agreement. I looked into this afterwards, and from the letter he sent to you, and on which you came to Lovedale, it is perfectly clear that Dr. Stewart fully kept the agreement that was made. The statement you made to me, and I believe to others, is not founded on fact, and should not be repeated.

I remain,

Yours faithfully,

(Sgd.) J. Laurence.

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LOVEDALE,

Cape Colony,

9th February, 1906.

The Cape Times Limited,

Advertisement Branch,

CAPE TOWN.

Dear Sirs,

Kindly insert the following advertisement on three days, leaving an interval of a day between each insertion.

Yours faithfully,

WANTED: A teacher for work up to Matriculation in the College Department, Lovedale Institution. Apply to-

The Acting Principal,

LOVEDALE.

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L O V E D A L E,

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The Transvaal Leader,

Advertisement Branch,

JOHANNESBURG.

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LOVEDALE,

13th February, 1906.

Dear Dr. Rein,

The meeting at Alice on 9th inst. was called by the Magistrate in consequence of instructions from the Prime Minister that all Civil Commissioners are to take advantage of every opportunity for explaining to the natives the resolutions passed at the recent Native Convention; and to receive any contributions from natives towards the College Scheme.

No one from Lovedale knew about the meeting till after it had been held.

I understand that M. Gazo and B. Mabandla were the principal speakers; and that they said that while they are in favour of Native Higher Education, they are opposed to Lovedale being purchased for such a purpose. As you are doubtless aware, the only opposition to the Convention resolutions came from Soga and from Mabandla and other Mainbaites, who seem to think that the College Scheme is a plan to prevent Lovedale passing into the hands of its rightful owners,- the Free Church.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

John Knox

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LOVEDALE,
15th February, 1906.

T. W. Mills, Esqr.
Hon. Secretary,
Transvaal Teachers' Association,
Vrededorp Government School,
JOHANNESBURG, TRANSVAAL.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 3rd instant. We require:-

1. A teacher for our College Department for work in School Higher or Matriculation Class. Married preferred. Salary £150 with prospect of increase if satisfactory.

2. A teacher for School Department for Standard VI. Salary £150 with extra £20 for evening class work for 1½ hours, four evenings each week.

Trusting you will be able to put me in communication with suitable men,

Yours sincerely,

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LOVEDALE,
13th February, 1905.

Messrs. Innes & Hutton,
The Manager,
KING WILLIAM'S TOWN.
Standard Bank,

Dear Sirs,

ALICE.

Dear Sir,

I send herewith the "Letters of Administration" issued by the last Supreme Court in favour of Mrs. Stewart as Executrix of the Estate of the late Dr. Stewart. Kindly register the appointment in your books and return the letters of Administration to me at your earliest convenience.

I duly received your letter of even date with Cheques and Certificates to be signed by Mrs. Stewart and these are receiving immediate attention.

I am,

Yours faithfully,

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LOVEDALE,

15th February, 1906.

14th February 1906.

Messrs. Innes & Hutton,

KING WILLIAM'S TOWN.

Dear Sirs,

In further reference to your letter of 9th instant relating to the Administration of Estate of the late Dr. Stewart I beg to enclose a letter received to-day from the Manager of the Standard Bank, Alice, covering three Cheques for signature by Mrs. Stewart as Executrix, viz.-

Cheque for balance to Credit of Dr. J. Stewart Book Department £311: 7: 4

" " " " Building Fund £307: 6:

" " " " Special Deposit £709: 1: 9

I also enclose three "Nil" Certificates showing that the above accounts have been closed.

I am also in receipt of your letter of 12th instant with "The Letters of Administration" in favour of Mrs. Stewart which I shall show to the Manager of the Standard Bank, which return to me as soon as possible.

Yours sincerely,

John Kennedy

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14th February 1906.

Messrs. Innes & Hutton,
King Wm Town.

Estate of the late Dr. Stewart.

Dear Sirs,

I now return to you the "Letters of Administration" granted in favour of Mrs. Stewart. These have been submitted to the Manager of the Standard Bank, Alice, and noted by him.

Yours sincerely,

John Laurence

20th February 1906.

A. Wilson, Esq.,
143 Russell Road,
P o r t E l i z a b e t h .

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of yesterday's date, we require two teachers. One is for Standard VI., for which we require a certificated teacher. The salary is £150, with an extra £20 for evening class work, which consists of a class for one and a half hours, four evenings in the week. The second is a for our College Department, taking work in the School Higher or Matriculation Class. The salary is £175 with the prospect of increase if satisfactory.

I shall be glad to hear from you, with copies of your testimonials. The duties begin on 15th March. We wish unmarried men for both of these posts.

Yours sincerely,

John Lennox

Yours sincerely
John Lennox

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20th February, 1906.

The General Manager,
Reuter's Telegram Company, Ltd.,
47 - 49, St. George's Street,
Cape Town.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of 17th instant, and have to thank you for your courtesy in offering to appoint me one of your correspondents. I shall be very glad to do as you suggest, and shall be pleased to receive your formal authority.

May I ask whether you have any regulation which makes it necessary to address any such items of news always from Lovedale in my own case? In the case of the telegram I sent you last week, it would have been an advantage had the paragraph as it appeared in the newspapers not been headed from Lovedale, but from Cape Town. In any telegrams where for general reasons such a course might be advisable, I would of course indicate it in my message, and I need hardly add that I would guarantee the accuracy of the information.

Yours sincerely
John Tengo Jabavu

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26th February 1906.

Mr. Jacob Motsatsing,
Kanye,
via Lobatsi.
B. B.

Dear Mr. Motsatsing,

I shall take Peter Kgasa of whom you wrote.

I enclose railway Certificates as requested.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

John Lennox

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21st February 1906.

Estate of the late Rev. Dr. James Stewart.

Sir,

The Colonial Mutual Life Assurance Society require a certificate from the Registrar of Births and Deaths of Victoria East, certifying to the death of Dr. Stewart. I have therefore the honour to request that you will be so good as to furnish me with this certificate.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

John Lennox

The C. C. & R. M.

Victoria East.

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22nd February 1906

E. H. Lamston Esq
5 Herschel Road
Observatory
Cape Town

Dear Sir

I am in receipt of your letter of the 15th inst. and in reply thereto beg to inform you that the salary which is offered for the vacancy in the College Department is £175 per annum. If you were thinking of applying, I shall be glad to hear from you at your earliest convenience, and to receive any testimonials you may desire to submit.

We require an unmarried man for the post.

Yours truly

John Lennox

Acting Principal

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22nd February 1906

This is to Certify that Marie Laura Caroline Danielsen daughter of Mr and Mrs Dagmar Christian Danielsen born on 15th April 1879 was baptized by me in Lovedale on the 11th May 1879.

John Lennox
Minister of the
Church of Scotland

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LOVEDALE.

5th March 1906.

R.W. Innes, Esq,
Brackondale,
MOWBRAY.

Dear Mr. Innes,-

I shall see that the booklets are sent on to you in due course. I am sorry to learn of the serious illness of your father. Kindly give him and Mrs. Innes my very kindest regards.

Yours very truly,

John Lewis

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LOVEDALE.

5th March 1906.

Messrs Innes & Hutton,

KINGWILLIAMSTOWN.

Dear Sirs,-

I am in receipt of your letter of the 3rd inst., enclosing three cheques and certificates signed by Mrs. Stewart, which I shall present in due form to the Manager of the Standard Bank, Alice.

Yours very truly,

John Laing & Co.

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[illegible], but if you can do so, I shall be obliged [illegible] telegraph to me on receipt of this letter.

The Institution re-opens on 10th March.

Yours sincerely,

[illegible],

6th March 1906.

[illegible]

H. C. van Niekirk,

Esse Street,

Paarl.

Dear Sir,

I have to thank you for your application [illegible] College Department. The position has been filled. [illegible] testimonials were very favourably received, [illegible] of providing a house for a married man, and all [illegible] at present occupied.

Before returning the copies of your testimonials [illegible] enough to submit, it has occurred to me that you might [illegible] that we have still a vacancy in Standard VII class. The salary [illegible] £150 with an extra £20 for evening class work of 12 hours [illegible] evenings each week. Though we have no house available, single gentlemen can get boarding at the Boys' Institution at £[illegible] per month. It is of course for you to decide whether you could arrange to take this appoint

sent, but if you can do so, I shall be obliged if you will at once telegraph to me on receipt of this letter.

The institution re-opens on 16th March.

Yours sincerely,

Lovedale,

6th March 1906.

10th March 1906.

A. S. Wright, Esq.,
[illegible]

The Premier Lime Works, Ltd.,
[illegible]

P. O. Box, 4527,
Rose Street,

Johannesburg.
[illegible]

Dear Sir,
Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of 5th instant, with three certificates nos. 608, 9 70 each for 50 shares.

I have to thank you for your application for the post in our College Department. The position has been filled. I may say that your testimonials were very favourably received, but there was the difficulty of providing a house for a marriedman, and all the available houses are at present occupied.

Yours sincerely,

Before returning the copies of your testimonials which you were good enough to submit, it has occurred to me that you might wish to know that we have still a vacancy in Standard VI class. The salary is £[illegible] [illegible] £150 with an extra £20 for evening class work of 1½ hours hour [illegible] each week. Though we have no house available, single gentlemen [illegible] at the Boys' Institution at £5 per month. It is of course for you to decide whether you could arrange to take this appoint-

10th March 1906.

A. S. Wright, Esq.,
The Premier Lime Works, Ltd.,
P. O. Box, 4527,
J o h a n n e s b u r g .

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of 5th instant, with three certificates nos. 568, 9 70 each for 50 shares.

Yours sincerely,

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Novedale,

12th March 1906.

Mr. B. Ackermann,

Butcher,

Alice.

Dear Sir,

I enclose receipts to show that your November account of 16 : 4½ was paid on 4th December; that in the December account you included the 16 : 4½ already paid together with the 19 : 3 for that month. That account was paid on 11th January, so that the sum of 16 : 4½ has been paid twice. In the January account you include the £1 : 15 : 7½ already paid, so that you charge the November amount for the third time, and the December amount for the second time.

You therefore owe me the amount I have paid twice, viz.	16 : 4
Deduct the January amount	13 : 7
Balance due to me	2 : 9

I shall be obliged by your returning this 2s: 9 to me by bearer, and checking your accounts in future before they are sent out.

Yours sincerely,

John Lennox

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale,

12th March 1906.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.,

30 - 34 New Oxford Street,

London, W. C.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose a draft for Which kindly place to the credit of the Lovedale Library Account.

The Illustrated papers (Black & White, Graphic, Science Siftings, and Sphere), due by the mail which left London on 17th February, have not come to hand. This may be due to some irregularity in the Post Office, but I shall be obliged if you will say whether they were duly sent out by you.

I enclose an order for books. In all cases, please regard it as a standing rule that if you can supply any or all of these second-hand, we shall take them s.h. We have to exercise economy at the present time, and therefore shall be obliged by your helping us to make the funds at our disposal go as far as possible. For the same reason, I do not wish the order now sent to exceed the amount lying at our credit, and if it threatens to do so, kindly exercise your discretion in throwing out such books as will bring the order within the amount we have to spend.

Thanking you for your kind attention

Yours sincerely,

J. Henderson.

Lovedale,

12th March 1906.

Mr. Harry Ntomboni,

House,

Dear Mr. Mama,

Mr. Fini received Four Pounds from me, to be repaid from his salary at the end of this quarter. The letter authorising this to be deducted from the money he will receive as grant at the end of this quarter was sent to Mr. Makiwane, who may have given it to you. But in case this may have been overlooked, I send you this note, and shall be obliged if you will send this amount to me.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

John Knox

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LOVEDALE, Lovedale,

15th March, 12th March 1906.

Mr. Harry Mtombeni,

Mousa,

Hackney.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of 3rd instant stating that Bethuel Tshandu circumcised himself during the holiday. I am obliged to you for calling attention to such a case as this.

I called the lad, and he denies the fact that he was circumcised during the holiday. I then sent him to the doctor for medical examination. He says the boy bears the marks of circumcision, but that the boy says this was done three years ago, and that the doctor cannot tell from the marks whether circumcision took place three years or three months ago. Before communicating with the boy's father, I shall be obliged if you will tell me whether you have positive proof that the circumcision took place during last holiday. I have not disclosed the source of my information, but I assume (unless I hear from you to the contrary), that I may make use of your letter.

Yours faithfully,

John Lennox

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L O V E D A L E,

15th March, 1906.

The Rev. Dr. Kropf,

STUTTERHEIM.

P E D D I E.

Dear Dr. Kropf,

I beg to thank you for your touching and beautiful letter. Knowing your long association with Dr. Stewart I gave special instructions that the memorial number of the "Express" be sent to you. I feel more than rewarded to find that this has been so much appreciated.

May I express with the deepest respect my admiration for the work you have done for your long life-time. When the time comes I shall observe your wishes regarding the copy of the Lexicon.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

John Lawrence

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LOVEDALE,

LOVEDALE,

16th March, 1906.

The Rev. J. Metcalf,

Secretary of The Wesleyan District Synod,

P E D D I E.

Dear Mr. Metcalf,

On behalf of the United Free Church Mission I beg to thank you for the kind sympathy of expression in the Minutes of your Synod of 23rd January. Not only our own mission but the whole mission field of South Africa has suffered an irreparable loss in the death of Dr. Stewart.

Your kind expression of sympathy has been mentioned to Mrs. Stewart and family.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

John Lennox

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LOVEDALE,

15th March, 1906.

J. W. M. Williamson, Esqr. C. A.

P. O. Box 37,

GRAHAMSTOWN.

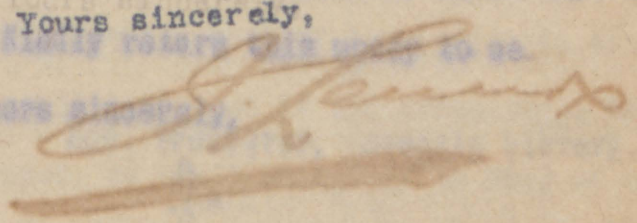
Dear Mr. Williamson,

The harness has come to-day and looks first class. I am sure it will give every satisfaction and I beg to renew my expression of sincere thanks to you for all the trouble you have taken on the matter.

The academic title you have so kindly prefixed to my name has still to be endorsed by some university. Meantime I must with becoming modesty beg to remain for the present the name Mr. Lennox.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,



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Lovedale

25rd March 1906.

Mr. John Mosimane,

c Rev J. K. Derry,

Thaba Nchu.

Dear Sir,

Your son, Solomon Mosimane, has been examined by the Doctor and found to be suffering from venereal disease. He has been kept for a few days at the Hospital for treatment, from which he has received some relief. We are unable to receive him into the Institution, and he is therefore returning home to-day.

He has been given £1 for travelling expenses, as he says he has no money to take him home. Kindly return this money to me.

Yours sincerely,

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Loveddale,

Loveddale,

South Africa,

24th March 1906.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.,

30 to 34 New Oxford Street,

London, W.C.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose the Second of Exchange of the Draft for Forty Pounds, of which the First of Exchange was sent to you by last mail on behalf of the Loveddale Library.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Treasurer, Loveddale Library.

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Lovedale,

28th March 1905.

B. B. Locke, Esq.,

Lovedale Post Office.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your note asking that arrangements be made for the 8 a.m. call.

We shall try to make arrangements for this call, on the following conditions:-

1. It is distinctly understood that you are responsible for the 8 a.m. call, and any assistance is to be regarded as a favour which we are in no way required to give, but which is given as a convenience to yourself.

2. You are responsible for the work of the assistant thus supplied.

If you agree to these conditions and if the arrangement meets with the approval of the Surveyor, we shall endeavour to make an arrangement for six weeks, by which time Tsenoli may be able to receive and despatch messages.

Kindly let me know if you agree to these terms.

Yours sincerely,

Acting Secretary

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Lovedale,

27th March 1906.

Mr. Harry Ntombeni,

Mousa,

Hackney,

W h i t t l e s e a .

Dear Sir,

After receipt of your letter containing extracts from your Deacons' records regarding the case of Bethuel Tshandu, the matter was considered carefully by the Education Board. It was decided to communic with the lad's family. But before that was done, he with two other lads absented himself last Sunday night from the Institution, and that after the rules had been stated publicly on the preceding Friday.

For this offence, which is a serious one in itself and is rendered more serious by the fact of its being committed immediately after public intimation of the rules, he and the two others have this morning been expelled.

Yo-rs sincerely,

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Lovedale,
28rd April 1906.

Dr. Geo. Smith, C. I. E.,
Secretary,
Foreign Mission Committee,
Edinburgh.

Dear Dr. Smith,

I am forwarding under separate registered cover the Lovedale Institution Accounts for 1905. These are as follows:-

1. Cash Statement of Income and Expenditure.
2. Profit and Loss Account.
3. Balance Sheet.
4. Summary of Capital Account.
5. Building Fund (Deposit Receipt Account).

These accounts have been audited by J. W. M. Williamson, Esq., C. A. Grahamstown, and F. J. Mallet, Esq., Manager of the Standard Bank, Alice. They were also submitted to, and passed by the Education Board on the 27th instant.

The Audit was completed by the middle of March, but the accounts were detained until Mr. Henderson should have an opportunity of going fully into them when taking over the business of the Institution.

The finances of the Institution were personally controlled by the late Dr. Stewart until the close of the session. The Statements now submitted have been prepared in the same form as those of the past few years.

The year 1905 was one of severe drought, and the whole Colony was suffering from the financial depression which still prevails. These circumstances affected Fees and the Grants, as may be seen from the following statement.

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FEES:

Collected in 1904		£5036 . 0 .0	
do. 1905		4722 . 19 . 3	
Decrease in 1905			£313 . 0 . 9

GRANTS:

Received in 1904		£2222 . 3 .0	
do. 1905	£2076 . 9 . 0		
less 15% bonus	47 . 2 . 9	2029 . 6 . 3	
			£192 . 16 . 9
Total Decrease of Fees and Grants in 1905			£505 . 17 . 6

It has also to be noted that £407 . 7 . 0 was paid in 1905 towards the purchase of six erven situated in the middle of the Institution farm which were acquired during the year. The Capital Account is increased by this amount.

The decrease in income and the extraordinary expenditure from these three sources amounted to £913 . 4 . 6. To meet this without increasing the Bank over-draft, certain fixed deposits were taken on loan. These will be replaced during the present year.

Yours faithfully,

John Lennox

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Lovedale.
23rd April 1906.

The Rev. Wm Stevenson, M.A.,
Secretary,
Women's Foreign Mission,
Edinburgh.

Dear Mr. Stevenson,

I send you under separate cover the Accounts of the Lovedale Girls' School and Girls' Work Department for 1905. These have been duly audited by J. W. M. Williamson, Esq., C.A., Grahamstown, and F. J. Mallett, Esq., Manager of the Standard Bank, Alice, and have also been submitted to and passed by the Lovedale Education Board. As in the case of the Accounts for 1904 this statement has been prepared in the form suggested by Mr. Slight. The Balance Sheet referred to by the Auditors is being sent with the Financial Statement to the Foreign Missions Committee.

It is satisfactory to note that the financial position of the Girls' School in 1904 has been maintained throughout the past year, in spite of the severe drought which prevailed, and the prolonged depression throughout the Colony which still continues.

Yours sincerely,

John A. Brown DG

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Lovedale,
30th April 1909.

The Rev. J. H. Nott,
c/o Mr. C. D. Murray,
10 Hospital Road,
Bloemfontein.

Lovedale,
30th April 1909.

Frank Huskisson, Esq.,
S. A. G. Mission,
Johannesburg.

Dear Mr. Huskisson,

I understand that you are making arrangements for the visits of the Keswick Deputation. If there is any chance of their being able to visit Lovedale, I wish on behalf of Principal Henderson and all the staff here to extend to them a very earnest invitation. As their time will no doubt be very fully occupied, we shall be glad to arrange for any time that would suit their convenience.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Lovedale,
30th April 1906.

The Rev. J. H. Mott,
c/ Mr. C. D. Murray,
10 Hospital Road,
Bloemfontein.

Dear Mr. Mott,

I have to thank you for your letter of 24th instant, and have discussed it with Principal Henderson, Mr. Hunter (who arrived last Friday), Rev. Mr. King and others. We entirely agree with the suggestions you offer. Subject to modification when we meet, the programme for your visit will be:

Tuesday Afternoon: Reception of Delegates in the Grove, Alice, 4 pm

.. Evening: Evangelistic Meeting for Male Students,...Mr. Mott.

.. .. Female .. ,...Miss Rouse.

Wednesday Forenoon: (1) Meeting with Missionaries, Native Pastors and Teachers.....Mr. Mott and Miss Rouse.

(2) General Meeting with all the students and Delegate Mr. Mott and Miss Rouse.

.. Evening: Evangelistic Meeting for Male Students,...Mr. Mott.

.. .. Female .. ,....Miss Rouse.

Thursday Forenoon: General Meeting with all the Students and Delegates, Mr. Mott and Mr. Nel.

In this sketch programme I have purposely left Wednesday Afternoon blank, so that we may have room to re-adjust and insert as may be thought necessary on

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further consultation. We here shall be ready to assist in any way, but we wish to place ourselves in your hands to be guided by the experience you have of the best way to conduct such a conference.

We invited 90 ministers, missionaries and others, of whom between 30 and 40 will be able to come. I saw Mr. Caley of Healdtown on Saturday, and a good deputation of their students will come over on Wednesday, returning that same evening. Native students will come from one or two of the other Native Institutions, but the great distances will prevent the remaining Institutions from sending delegates.

We have been keeping the matter of the approaching Conference before our students. We had a good meeting last Saturday evening. I trust that you will find the ground prepared.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Lovedale,

28th April 1906.

The Rev. G. S. Stewart,

Emgwali.

Dear Mr. Stewart,

I owe you a sincere apology for the delay in replying to your letters regarding the Emgwali lease. The Mission Council minute which I now enclose was written at the time of the Council meeting, but must have been laid aside. Since then I have been extremely busy with the work of the opening of the session, and since Principal Henderson's arrival, we have been hard at work early and late with the re-arrangements that are necessary at this time. The lease business should have been attended to long ere this, and I regret the inconvenience to which you must have been put.

The Mission Council felt that there were many questions arising in connection with this business which they were not in a position to deal with without fuller information, and appointed you and myself as a Committee to enquire into it, and if you considered it necessary, to take advice from Messrs Innes & Hutton or any other lawyers whom you are accustomed to consult. If a course of action is decided on, it could be submitted to a pro re nata meeting of Council which could be convened here where we can always command a quorum, and so transmit any resolution formally to the Home Committee. I shall be glad to do anything you may feel necessary.

I enclose the lease.

With kind regards
Yrs sincerely
[illegible]

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Lovedale,
3rd May 1906.

Dear Mr. Rodger,

On 8th February you wrote forwarding Reporter Vols. for the Lovedale Girls' School Choir, and saying that prizes for the male voice choir were being ordered. The young men concerned have been asking about them, and perhaps you will let me know when they may be expected.

I may be in Cape Town at the time of Mr. Mott's Conference, and if so, I shall hope to see you.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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Lovedale,

3rd May 1906.

The Secretary for Agriculture,

Cape Town.

Sir,

I have the honour to ask you for information as to the best means for destroying prickly pear. It is growing on some parts of the Lovedale property, and we wish to get rid of it. We shall esteem it a favour if you will tell us what is the best method of dealing with the matter, which will be effective without been unduly expensive.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

7th May 1906.

Messrs. Hodder & Stoughton,
Publishers,
L o n d o n .

Dear Sirs,

We publish at the Mission Press of this Institution a monthly magazine, the "Christian Express." It has a wide circulation throughout South Africa amongst Ministers, Missionaries, Government Officials, Business Men, and Teachers, and others of the reading public who are interested in the South African Native Question and missionary work.

In that part of the "Christian Express" set apart for reviews, it is our purpose to direct attention to such books as are most likely to interest our readers. Amongst these are books on the South African Native Question and kindred questions in other lands, theological and biographical books, and text and other books relating to primary and secondary education.

We shall be glad to receive any of your publications for review. In submitting this proposal for your consideration, we are confident that it will be to your advantage, as we can assist in bringing your publications to the notice of the class of South African readers whom we believe it is your desire to reach.

Yours sincerely,

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7th May 1906.

Messrs. T. & T. Clark,
Publishers,
Edinburgh.

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Yours sincerely,

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L C V 8th May 1906.

The Traffic Manager,

East London.

Dear Sir,

On the 15th April Abel Plaatye, a student of this Institution, presented a Scholar's Certificate signed by me, to the Station Master of Engcobo, to enable him to get a Third Class Single ticket from Engcobo to Alice. The Station Master saw the certificate, but had no change. He asked the boy to get change, but while he was doing so, the certificate was lost. The Station Master had to charge the full fare, 10s 9d, but he wrote the number of the ticket on the envelope in which I had posted the Railway Certificate, and which I now enclose.

I trust in these circumstances that you will see your way to authorise a refund to the boy.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

John Knox

Lovedale,

12th May 1906.

Chief Bathoen,

Kanye,

British Protectorate.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your inquiry about how to send boys to Scotland. It is difficult to answer without fuller information regarding the age, attainments and intentions of the boys. You have no doubt taken into consideration that it is a serious step to send a boy so far from home and his own people. It would not be wise to send a young boy whose character is not developed, unless you were able to place him under someone who would act as a father to him and watch the formation of his character.

The purpose for which the boy would be sent also requires consideration. If it is for education, he should have a good elementary education in his own country before going abroad, so that he might readily benefit by the training he might receive in the place to which he would be sent.

I understand that the native boys who have been sent to Colwyn Bay in Wales have been well cared for.

If you can give me further particulars I shall be glad to do anything in my power to assist you to get reliable information and advice.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

John Knox

General Statement regarding Educational Salaries in 1905 & 1906.

Saving effected in the salaries paid in the Normal, Practising School, and Industrial Departments		£262 . 8
Increased exkenditure in the College Department		95
Net saving effected in salaries in 1906		£167 . 8

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Summary of the Salaries in the College Department for 1905 and 1906.

Name	1905	1906
Mr. Lennox	£300 and House	£300 & H.
Houghton	£250 and House	£250 & H.
Creak	£150	£170
Sutherland		£200
TOTAL	£700	£920

Increased expenditure in 1906 £220

Less Mr. Houghton (6 mos) 125

Net increase in 1906 £95

Table showing Increase or Decrease of Local Contributions to Salaries.

Name	Increase	Decrease
Mr. Cowan		£25
Peart		£25
Zibi		£8
Nisbona		£8
Tyamzashe		£13
Gulwa		£10
Yekele		£2 . 8
Fowler	£16	
Printing Department		£144
Blacksmith Department		£50 (?)
Miss Stewart	£5	
Molutshungu	£2	
Tupeni		£4
Mgijima	£5	
TOTAL	£27	£289 . 8
		NET Decrease £262 . 8

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Name	Former Salary	New Salary	Former Grant	New Grant	Former Local Con.	New L.C.
Cowan	£280: £15: H	£280: £15: H	£100: £15	£140	£280 (F. M. C.)	£280
Jonas	£200: £15: H	£215: £15: H	£100: £15	£150	£100	£100
Germond	£150: £15: H	£155: £15: H	£100: £15	£120	£50	£50
Peart (v. Walters)	£180: £9	£170	£60: £9	£75	£120	£25
Zibi	£60: £3.12: £12	£85	£24: £3.12	£45	£48 (includ Bd £12)	£40
Ntshona	£50: £3.12: £12	£75	£24: £3.12	£45	£38 (.....£12)	£30
Tyamzashe	£50: £3.12 £12	£70	£24: £3.12	£45	£38 (.....£12)	£25
Gulwa (v. Mbeln)	£50: £4.10: H	£55: H	£30: £4.10	£45	£20	£10
Yekele	£45: £3.12	£48.12	£24: £3.12	£30	£21	£18.12
MacGregor	£85: £9: Bd(45)	£95: Bd (£45)	£60: £9	£70	£25 and Bd (£45)	£5 & Bd
Sullivan (v. Macgregor)		£60 & Bd(£45)		£60		Bd (45
Stewart	£100: £6	£110	£40: £6	£40: £6	£60	£64
Nolutshungu	£25: £3.12: Bd	£55	£24: £3.12	£33	£1 and Bd (£20)	£22
Tupeni	£30: £3.12: Bd	£55	£24: £3.12	£33	£6 and Bd (£20)	£22

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Name	Former Sal.	New Sal.	Former Grant	New Grant	Former Local Con.	New L. C.
Preston	150: 11.5 : H	175 : H	75 : 11 .5	£100	£75 : H	£75 : H
McGillivray	144: 14.8 : H	144 : 14.8H	£96 : £14.8	£96 : £14.8	£48 : H	£48 : H
Fowler	144 : H	160 : H			£144 : H	£160 : H
Gray	144: 14.8 : H 160	144 : 14.8H	£96: £14.8	£96: £14.8	£48 : H	£48:: H
Rodger	144: 14.8 : H	160	£9 : £14.8	£9	£198 : H	£54
Aux	160	160			£160	£160
Nesson	120	70 (?)			£120	£70
Mwandla		50		£25		£25
s Barnley	£70: 9: Bd	£70: 9: Bd	£60 : 9	£60 : 9	£10: Bd	£10: Bd
Wood	£50: 6: Bd	£50: 6: Bd	£40 : 6	£40 : 6	£10: Bd	£10: Bd
Mgijima	£20 : Bd	£25 : Bd			£20: Bd	£25: Bd
s Dodds	£80: 9: Bd	£80: 9: Bd	£60 : 9	£60 : 9	£20: Bd	£20: Bd

NOTE: 150: 11.5: H means a salary of £150 plus £11 . 5 of bonus from the Government reckoned at 15% on the Government Grant . In the case of a new grant or increase of an old grant, this bonus ceases.
H means "free house." Bd means "free board" At the Girls' Sch. this is £45 p.a.

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Schedule showing Salaries and Allowances, and Grants for 1905 and 1906.

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NOTES:-

1. In cases where the 15% bonus formerly received has ceased, the new salaries have been fixed at such an amount that the teachers in question will not suffer any reduction.

As this involves in some instances an increased local contribution from the Institution funds, this may require to be reconsidered when such teachers begin to receive Good Service Allowance.

2. Native unmarried teachers are required to assist with the Afternoon Work Companies. They are to board in the Institution, and the amount of their board will be deducted from each quarterly payment.

3. Increased grants should be applied for in the case of Mr. Preston and Miss Barnley. A new Grant should be applied for in the case of the new Drill Instructor and Overseer.

MAY 1 906.

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Lovedale,
6th June 1906.

J. R. Mott, Esq.,
c/o Thos. Cook & Son,
Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Mott:-

I returned to Lovedale yesterday, and found your letter of 23rd ult., and the packet of booklets you have so kindly sent. Please accept my best thanks for these, and be assured I shall make the best use of them I can.

I trust Mrs. Mott and you feel rested by your trip to the Falls. You will need a real rest after the strenuous work connected with your conferences. No doubt the greatness of the results you, under the blessing of God, were able to achieve in so short a time is a reward for all your hard work. Still I felt you were taking a great deal out of you, and hoped therefore that it would be possible for you to get the necessary rest.

I visited Stellenbosch and Wellington, and hope I was able to do a little to draw together those whose interests were separated by the events of recent years in South Africa. You will be interested to know that I went carefully into the Gordon Memorial Mission question, and am quite clear that I did right in not letting that application go farther.

With our united and warmest regards to you both,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,
[illegible]

L o v e d a l e ,
21st June 1906.

16 July

The Superintendent-General of Education,
Accounting Branch,
C a p e T o w n .

Good Service Allowance,

Sir,

I have the honour to apply for my Good Service Allowance for the year ending 31st December 1905. I regret that through an inadvertence, this application was not made at that date.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Henry J. Beasley.

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Lovedale,

21st June 1906.

16 Jun

The Superintendent-General of Education,

Cape Town.

Application for Leave of Absence.

Sir,

I have the honour to apply for Leave of Absence for four months dating from 1st September next.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Samuel P. Brownlee

Lovedale,
7th July 190[illegible].

The Traffic Manager,
[illegible] London.

Sir,

Application for leave of absence.

In reply to your letter 8.2:9182 of 12th May, I have the honour to enclose the duplicate certificate referred to.

The delay in dealing with this latter was caused by my absence from Lovedale for some time.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

[signature]

Lovedale,
Lovedale,
[illegible] July 1906.
7th July 1906.

Dear Mr. Peart,

Mr. Jacob Motsatsi only now in receipt of your letter of yesterday's date, and regret to learn that you are unwell. Temporary relief for a few days could be arranged; but the more serious question which your letter raises can only be dealt with by the Education Board, which will consider it to-morrow. I find that Peter is too young and fold of his play rather than of his work for him to be of any real service. [illegible] does not trained effect till the 30th September. I must ask you to regard [illegible] from writing to you much earlier than now about this, [illegible] free to leave until then, or until you have been released from your present duties by the Education Board. [illegible] work with only half his heart, and I therefore do not wish to keep him during the second half of this year.

I remain,
Yours sincerely,

My former letter does not seem to have reached you, as I have not heard from you. I am now writing to say that on the 14th instant, the end of next week, he can go to the Institution on the ordinary terms. I shall pay for him for the first half of the year, and half of his book account as I promised.

Lovedale

With kind regards to yourself and your family, and especially to Andrew,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

1 p.m., 8th July 1908.

Dear Mr. Peart,

I am only now in receipt of your letter of yesterday's date, and regret to learn that you are unwell. Temporary relief for a few days could be arranged; but the more serious question which your letter raises can only be dealt with by the Education Board, which will consider it to-morrow.

Seeing that the notice you gave to the Rev. J. Henderson does not take effect till the 30th September, I must ask you to regard yourself as not free to leave until then, or until you have been released from your present duties by the Education Board.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

John Knox

Etc.

The Rev. A. Peart,
Lovedale.

H. T. Burnley.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

16th July 1906.

The Superintendent-General of Education,

Cape Town.

Application for Leave of Absence.

Sir,

I have the honour to apply for leave of absence for eight months dating from the 25th instant. The arrangements proposed for carrying on my work during my absence will be fully explained by the Revd. Principal Henderson. I shall esteem it a favour to receive a reply by wire, for which payment is enclosed. This is to enable me to take my passage by the "Guelph" from East London on the 27th instant.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

F. J. Barnley

John Lennox

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Grahamstown,
South Africa,
20th August, 1908.

Messrs. Marlborough & Co., Ltd.,
28 - 34 New Oxford Street,
London, W.C.

The Secretary,
The Cape Special Services Mission,
for Twelve Months, ending 31st July, 1908.
Account.
London, E.C.

We wish to discontinue "Nature," kindly arrange accordingly.

Dear Sir, Kindly thanks for all your kindly attention to our requirements. We shall be glad if you can make arrangement of Scripture Union cards for 1907 to the Students' Christian Association of this institution as in former years. Mr. Davidson writes me that he thinks the number supplied for 1906 was 250 English and 50 Kaffir cards. I find that the number sent just met our requirements, and would therefore ask that that number be repeated. Perhaps you will be good enough to check from your books whether the numbers stated are correct.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

John Knox

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale,
South Africa,

20th August 1906.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.,
30 - 34 New Oxford Street,
London, W.C.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of 27th ult., and enclose a draft for Twelve Pounds (£12) to be placed to the credit of the Lovedale Library Account.

We wish to discontinue "Nature." Kindly arrange accordingly.

With thanks for all your careful attention to our requirements,

I remain,
Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

Hon. Secy, Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

28th September 1906.

The Superintendent-General of Education,

Examining Branch,

Cape Town.

Lovedale,

27th September 1906.

Sir,

The Director,

Industrial School,

Sir,

I have the honour to accept the post of lecturer in Grammar and Geography at the Teachers' Vacation Course to be held in Maseru from January 1 to 20, 1907, on the terms mentioned in your letter of the 24th instant.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Lovedale

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

28th September 1906.

The Superintendent-General of Education,

Examining Branch,

Cape Town.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose a list of candidates who have satisfied the requirements for the Elementary Certificate of the Tonic Sol-Fa College and to request you to register and issue Elementary Certificates for them.

	Name	Date of examination.	Age, if under 16.	Examined at
1	Mina Tatu	19.9.06	15	Lovedale
2	Emma Morumoloa			
3	Florence Zondani			
4	Muriel Zokobe			
5	Georgina Mahlangeni	21.9.06		
6	Amelia Njongwana			
7	Georgina Mngcwengi			
8	Henrietta Mpikwane			
9	Maria Mtila			
10	Eva Kumalo			
11	Regina Vekilahle			
12	Leonora Kiviet		15	
13	Ebba Hermanus			
14	Ella Lusaseni			
15	Mary Jane Sipuka		15	
16	Esther Mbaba			
17	Amelia Mafanya			
18	Eliza Mhlambiso			
19	Constance Kiviet		15	
20	Agnes Nolutshungu			
21	Nozizwe Nkomo			
22	Ebenezer Mabandla	27.9.06		
23	Harry Mnyengeza			
24	Benjamin Dzingwa			
25	Joseph Sicwebu			
26	Benjamin Tyamzashe		14	
27	Richard Sidzumo			
28	Molomo Rapeane			
29	Simon Malinga		15	
30	Gracie Ngodwane			

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Name	Date	Age	Place
31 Rosamund Ntsingani	28.9.06	14	16th October 6. Lovedale.
32 Barbara Fowler		12	
33 Sophia Piliso		14	
34 Janet Mdledle			
35 Annia Figlan		15	
36 Hilda Peterson		15	
37 John Khaka			
38 Welsh Maqubela		15	
39 Edmund Gushu			
40 Ebenezer Wotshela			

Also kindly issue an Intermediate Certificate for Abraham Johns examined on 22nd September.

I enclose 18s 6d in payment of the fees, Union cards for Lovedale for 1907.

Elementary, 12 under 16 at 3d 3:0

28 6d 14:0

Intermediate 1 1:6

18:6

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Examiner.

15th October 6.

H. Hankinson, Esq.,
Secretary,
The Children's Special Service Mission,
15a Warwick Lane,
Paternoster Row,
London, E.C.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of 7th Ultimo, I have to thank you for ~~sending~~ arranging to sent on the Scripture Union cards for Lovedale for 1907. In Lovedale we keep in touch with a ~~x~~ large number of natives all over South Africa, who have formerly been students here. The Scripture Union card is one means of helping them to regular study of the Bible. We send out the cards even though in few cases we receive pennies back from them for the cards. Mr. D. A. Hunter I understand placed these facts before the C.S.S.M. when he applied for a grant some years ago on behalf of our Students' Christian Association. At the same time we realise the need of doing what we can to meet the expense, and last year our S. C. Association sent a contribution of £1 10s to the C. S. S. M.. I have pleasure in enclosing £2 as a contribution for this year. In addition to this we have to bear the expense of the postage of the cards throughout S. Africa. These are the circumstances which led us to ask for a renewal of your former kindness in sending the cards, and we shall be glad if you find them sufficient to warrant you in continuing the favour.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

15th November 1906.

J. C. Gibson, Esq.,

R. Hankinson, Esq.,

Secretary,

Lovedale,

25th October 1906.

Dear Mr. Gibson,

I am in receipt of your letter of 31st ultimo, and desire to thank you for writing so fully. What you say regarding the Premier Lime Company has caused me to [illegible] myself much anxiety. We have felt for some time, and your letter has strengthened the feeling, that we made a mistake in investing in anything except on first mortgage. In saying this, I do not modify a single word of what I have formerly written to you of thanks for the advice you gave. With only a small sum such as we have to invest, we are limited class of investments to which we should have restricted ourselves, and we [illegible] it will [illegible] mistake for [illegible].

We wish to remedy the mistake we have made at [illegible] Lovedale we keep in touch with a large number of natives all over South Marlborough Company seems to promise well, and I therefore trust it may be possible [illegible] of the 550 [illegible] more. The Scripture Union card is selling them, I shall be much obliged to you. The money has been lying unproductive for more than a year now, but we would rather waive the prospect of [illegible] though in [illegible] receive pennies back from them for the [illegible] students.

In the present position of the Lime Company, it may be a difficult to find a purchaser, but I would rather sell at a loss, and put the proceeds into the [illegible] of our Students' [illegible] have been granted by the [illegible] If it is possible to sell the 150 Lime shares on these conditions, and what price might be expected? Even if the Premier Company should amalgamate, I would [illegible] contribution of £1 [illegible] by the state of his health.

I am sorry to trouble you in this matter, and have again to acknowledge your kindness. I have pleasure in enclosing £2 as a contribution for [illegible] Theological Tutors.

Yours sincerely,

[illegible] Africa. These are the circumstances which led [illegible] your former kindness in sending the cards, and we [illegible] to warrant you in continuing the favour.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

15th November 1906.

J. C. Gibson, Esq.,

P. O. Box 1261,

Johannesburg.

Dear Mr. Gibson,

I am in receipt of your letter of 31st ultimo, and desire to thank you for writing so fully. What you say regarding the Premier Mine Company has caused Mrs. Lennox and myself much anxiety. We have felt for some time, and your letter has strengthened the feeling, that we made a mistake in investing in anything except on first mortgage. In saying this, I do not qualify a single word of what I have formerly written to you of thanks for the advice you gave. With only a small sum such as we have to invest, there is a limited class of investments to which we should have restricted ourselves, and anything else it was a mistake for us to touch.

We wish to remedy the mistake we have made as soon as possible. The Marlborough Company seems to promise well, and I therefore trust it may be possible to dispose of the 550 shares we hold. If you can assist us in selling them, I shall be much obliged to you. The money has been lying unproductive for more than a year now, but we would rather waive the prospect of dividend and recover the capital.

In the present position of the Lime Company, it may be difficult to find a purchaser, but I would rather sell at a loss, and put the proceeds into the class of investment to which we should confine ourselves. Can you say if it is possible to sell the 150 Lime shares on these conditions, and what price might be expected? When if the Premier Company should amalgamate, I would desire to move into a different class of investment.

I am sorry to trouble you in this matter, and have again to acknowledge your kindness.

With kindest regards in which Mrs. Lennox unites,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

19th November 1907.

Dear Mr. Fogarty,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 16th instant, and note the arrangement of lectures.

As regards travelling I am indebted to you for your kind suggestion, I am sorry that the concessions are withdrawn on the C.S.A.R. lines. I thought they had been [illegible] times are evidently against such liberality. In order to secure a return ticket to last for the whole time we may wish to be in Basutoland, I suggest a modification of what you propose, and which I trust will be feasible. It is that I take tickets right through from Alice to Maseru. I shall get the concession on the C.S.A.R. part of the journey, pay the full fare from Bathulie onwards. I can then receive the amount of my own ticket from you when at Maseru.

With kind regards to yourself and Mrs. Fogarty in which Mrs. unites,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

John Lennox

Lovedale,

South Africa,

1st December 1906.

3rd December 1906.

Dear Mr. Mott,

R. F. Young, Esq., Loubser has asked me to send you some Lovedale photos to reach you in New York before 20th instant. I am sending them by the first mail after receipt of his letter, but as it is impossible for them to reach New York by the time he mentions, I trust they will be forwarded to you.

There are seven whole plates. No. 1 shows the pupils and staff. About 750 or 800 in all. No. 2 gives a view of the Main Educational Building, taken at 1 p.m. when the classes are beginning to disperse, and the boys are going to dinner. No. 3 gives another view of the Educational Building, with six dormitories and workshops in the distance. No. 4 shows the girls on parade at the Girls' School. The corner building is the Muirhead Avenue, named in memory of Mrs. Muirhead who was Lady Superintendent for many years. The Hall was opened by Lord (then Sir Alfred) Milner. No. 5. Miss Dodds, the House Mother, giving directions to a company of sweepers and garden girls for their two hours' afternoon work. No. 6 the Main Avenue. No. 7. Lovedale from a distance.

Trusting the Japan Conference will be a great success, and with kind regards to Mrs Mott & yourself in which Mrs Lennox unites

Yours sincerely

John Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
South Africa,
3rd December 1906.

Dear Matt,

By this mail there has gone a detailed statement of the goods forwarded by the "Clan Line", and the total of £22 : 5 : 8 which you have settled with the various ones who have made purchases for us. I had already sent to Janie the price of that she got for Jessie, so that £1 : 6 : 7 falls to be deducted from the £22 : 5 : 8 leaving the sum of £20 : 19 : 1 to Messrs. Gibson Brothers & Co., St. Mirren's Mills, Polloksnaws, Glasgow, and deduct from my next salary quarterly payment.

Jessie and I are very greatly obliged to you for all the trouble you have taken. The "Clan Ross" is expected at East London about the 20th of this month, and the agents at East London have promised to look after the cases on arrival.

Your affectionate Brother,

R. F. Young, Esq.,
United Free Church Offices,
Edinburgh.

Dear Mr. Young,

I shall be obliged if you will send a cheque for £20.19.1 to Messrs. Gibson Brothers & Co., St. Mirren's Mills, Polloksnaws, Glasgow, and deduct from my next salary quarterly payment.

With the compliments of the season, and kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

Lovedale,
South Africa,
3rd December 1906.

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By this mail there has come a detailed statement of the goods forwarded by the "Clan Line", and the total £22 : 5 : 8 which you have settled with the various ones who have made purchases for us. I had already sent to Janie the price of that she got for Jessie, so that £1 : 6 : 7 falls to be deducted from the £22 : 5 : 8, leaving a balance of £20 : 19 : 1. I have written to Mr. R. F. Young of the United Free Church Offices to send you a cheque for that amount. I trust this will reach you safely.

Jessie and I are very greatly obliged to you for all the trouble you have taken. The "Clan Ross" is expected at East London about the 20th of this month, and the agents at East London have promised to look after the cases on arrival.

Your affectionate Brother,

John Knox

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale,

7th December 1906.

Lovedale,

5th December 1906.

5th December 1906.

T. Pringle Ainslie, Esq.,

Millbank,

Fort Beaufort.

Dear Mr. Ainslie,

Kindly accept notice that three months from this date I desire you to repay me the Two Hundred and Fifty Pounds (£250) which you hold from me on loan, with interest to that date.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours sincerely,

Note.

Yours sincerely,

John Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
7th December 1906.

Miss Ainslie,
Millbank,
Fort Beaufort.

Dear Miss Ainslie,

I desire to notify you that I have this day written to Mr. Ainslie, asking him to accept three months notice, at the expiry of which I desire him to repay me the Two Hundred and Fifty Pounds (£250) which he holds from me on loan, and for which you endorsed his Promissory Note.

Yours sincerely,

John Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

7th December 1906.

The Secretary,

King Wm Town Saving Bank Society,

King Wm Town.

Dear Sir,

I am forwarding under separate cover my own bank book, No. 8655, and those of the accounts I hold in trust for Isobel Gordon Lennox, No. 8712, and Ian Ramsay Lennox, No. 8785.

I wish to withdraw from my own account Fifty-six Pounds (£56) and from each of the children's books Nine Pounds (£9), making Seventy-four Pounds (£74) in all. I shall be glad to receive a cheque from you for this amount by return.

Yours faithfully,

John Lennox

Lovedale,

10th December 1906.

The Secretary,

King Wm Town Saving Bank Society,

King Wm Town.

Dear Sir,

I am forwarding under separate cover my own bank book, No.8653, and those of the accounts I hold in trust for Isobel Gordon Lennox, No. 8712, and Ian Ramsay Lennox, No. 8785.

I wish to withdraw from my own account Fifty-six Pounds (£56) and from each of the children's books Nine Pounds (£9), making Seventy-Four Pounds (£74) in all. I shall be glad to receive a cheque from you for this amount by return.

I remain,

Yours faithfully,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

10th December 1906.

The Rev. W. E. Hunter,

The Secretary,

King Wm Town Savings Bank Society,

King Wm Town.

Dear Sir,

I am posting to you my bank book, No.9161, and wish to withdraw Twenty-Five Pounds (£25). Trusting to receive this by return,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

10th December 1908.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library,

The Rev. W. E. Hunter,

Hon. Secy., Victoria Memorial Ward Committee,

Alice.

Dear Mr. Hunter,

I duly received the notice of the meeting of the above Committee called for Thursday, 20th instant. I greatly regret my inability to attend, as I am leaving on the 17th instant for Basutoland. Kindly convey my apology for absence to the Committee.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secy.

Lovedale,

South Africa,

15th December 1906.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library,

London, Town.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose an account for the Scientific American sent to the Lovedale Library by Messrs. Munn & Co, 361, Broadway, New York. I sent some time ago to you, asking that the Scientific American be continued for another year, and therefore expect that you have already settled this account on our behalf.

The other papers we have been receiving are to be continued in the coming year.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secy.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

15th December 1906.

Mrs. Nicholson,

5, Leopold Street,

King Wm. Town.

Dear Mrs. Nicholson,

I am deeply grieved to see the sore trouble in which you are. On receipt of your former letter, I wrote to Miss Dunsmore, the Lady Principal of Emgwali, Donne, and told her your circumstances. It was after my letter, I expect, that she made enquiries about you. I have not heard from her since, but as some time has elapsed, I fear the situation there has been filled up. I shall write to her again, and you might write also to see if there is any post she could offer you.

I cannot advise you to apply at Alice. The School Board have dispensed with the services of all the present staff, and are advertising for teachers of a higher grade. So far as I know, there is no arrangement made for a boarding house.

I shall try to hear of something for you, and if successful will write at once. I am very sorry not to be able to direct you to anything immediately.

Yours faithfully,

John [illegible]

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
15th December 1906.

Mrs. Michelson,
6, Leopold Street,
King Wm Town.

Dear Mrs. Michelson,

I am deeply grieved to see the sore trouble in which you are. On receipt of your former letter, I wrote to Miss Dunscore, the lady Principal of Mgwali, Bohne, and told her your circumstances. It was after my letter, I expect, that she made enquiries about you. I have not heard from her since, but as some time has elapsed, I fear the situation there has been filled up. I shall write to her again, and you might write also to see if there is any post she could offer you.

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Yours faithfully,

John Knox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

15th December 1906.

Dear Miss Dunsmore,

I have had another most pitiful letter from Mrs Michelson, and from what she says, she must be in great straits. She offers to do any work for room and food for herself and her children. Have you anything you can offer her? Her address is 5, Leopold Street, K.E. Iowa.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

Lovedale,
Lovedale,
15th December 1906.

Dear Mrs. Weir,

I enclose a pitiful letter from Mrs. Michelson, at present living at 3 Leopold Street, King Wm Town. Her husband, a printer, has cleared off to Australia, after dringing very heavily, and she has been left unprovided for with two or three children. She herself is a very respectable woman, and has had training as a teacher. The fact that she has children makes it very unlikely that she will get a position as a teacher.

If you have a Benevolent Society in King Wm Town, I think this is a case for inquiry, and I therefore venture to bring it to your notice.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

25th Jany. 7.

E. H. Samuels, Esq., A.S.M.,
Victoria East.

Lovedale,
25th January 1907.

R. J. Crozier, Esq., R.M.,
Victoria East.

Sir,

I have the honour to remind you that on 18th August last, I handed you a Power of Attorney dated 25th July 1906, and granted to me by Miss Barnley, to receive from the Education Department on her behalf any money owing by the Education Department to her.

Miss Barnley, who is at present in England on leave, has written asking me to make application for the annual payment of Good Service Allowance to her, which application falls to be made in M January. I am therefore in her name to make this application, and address this to you in the first instance, as you received the Power of Attorney. I shall be obliged if you will forward this application to the proper quarter.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Miss Barnley's Good Service Allowance.

Dear Mr. Crozier,

While the animal which was examined by Mr. Matthews this morning undoubtedly died of Black Gall Sickness, and showed no symptoms whatever of Red-Water, I think from the reports of the herds that the two animals which died this morning, suffered from Red-Water. We have not opened these two animals, but the symptoms seem to point to that conclusion.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

25th Jany. 7.

E. H. Sampain, Esq., A.R.M.,

Victoria East.

Sir,

Miss Barnley's Good Service Allowance.

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Miss Barnley, who is at present in England on leave, has written asking me to make application for the special payment of Good Service Allowance to her, which application falls to be made in January. I beg therefore in her name to make this application, and address this to you in the first instance, as you received the Power of Attorney. I shall be obliged if you will forward this application to the proper quarter.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

28th January 7.

Supply of Blue Books to Public Libraries.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 4th November on the above subject. A number of Blue Books which do not bear on our special work in connection with Native affairs might be discontinued. The principal Blue Books, such as those dealing with Native Affairs, Education, Statistics, Libraries, Public Health, etc., we trust we shall continue to receive. May I suggest in connection with the Colonial Secretary's kind offer to favourably consider applications for any particular Blue Book, that it would be of assistance if a list of Blue Books published were printed say in the Government Gazette, so that Secretaries of Public Libraries might know of the issue of those in which their subscribers might be specially interested.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

[signature]

Hon. Secy., Lovedale Library.

The Assistant Under Colonial Secretary,

Cape Town.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

28th January 7.
31st January, 7.

Supply of Government Gazettes to Libraries.

Sir,

In reply to your letter of 14th instant on the above subject, I have the honour to state that it would be a distinct misfortune to us were we no longer to receive the Government Gazette. The interests of this Institution are very numerous, and the Government Gazette is valued and widely taken advantage of as supplying authoritative information. While subscribers desiring it might see a copy of the Gazette if they happened to know that something had been published in which they were specially interested, the Library would generally have no means of knowing what had been published. I trust therefore that the Government may not be under the necessity of withdrawing the copy of the Gazette from us.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Lennard.

Hon. Secy and Treasurer

of the Lovedale Library.

The Acting Under Colonial Secretary,

Cape Town.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

31st January, 7.

Messrs. Ward & Wynne,

A L I C E.

Dear Sirs,

I sent herewith Sixty Pounds (£60), which kindly acknowledge.

I shall be glad to receive the bond from you at your convenience.

Yours sincerely,

J. Kemm

31st January 1907.

Dear Sir,

I send herewith Sixty Pounds (£60), which kindly acknowledge.

I am in receipt of your letter of yesterday's date, I shall be glad to receive the bond from you at your contenance.

Yours sincerely,

Yours sincerely,

John Reeves

John Reeves

Lovedale,

6th February 1907.

Miss Ainslie,

Willbank,

Fort Beaufort.

Dear Miss Ainslie,

I am in receipt of your letter of yesterday's date, and draft for Fifty Pounds, for which I enclose a formal receipt.

Yours sincerely,

John Knox

In both cases, we made a mistake in going into this class of investment. We should have stuck to first mortgages on property. This being so, I wish to recover as soon as possible as much of the capital as I can get, and wish to dispose of the Marlborough shares, even if we have to suffer some loss. The £550 we have in the Marlborough has been there sixteen months without drawing a penny of interest, so that on that alone we are already £80 poorer than if we had put the money out on mortgage. That however must go. Our immediate concern is with the capital. I shall be greatly indebted to you if you will tell me if there is any way of disposing of these shares, and what price they might fetch.

Yours sincerely,

A. Kannemeyer

Lovedale,

7th February 1907.

A. S. Wright, Esq.,
Box 1814,
Johannesburg.

My Dear Wright,

I am very much obliged to you for your full letters of information regarding the Marlborough and Lina Companies. It is very disappointing about the Lina Company, especially as from what you say, there seems to have been very bad business on the part of some of those connected with it. I am sorry to learn that you yourself are so badly hit. Even if the Company liquidates, is there any chance of recovering anything? It means a good deal to Mrs. Dennis and me to know, as we have little to invest, and our loss is correspondingly severe.

In both cases, we made a mistake in going into this class of investment. We should have stuck to First Mortgages on property. This being so, I wish to recover as soon as possible as much of the capital as I can get, and wish to dispose of the Marlborough shares, even if we have to suffer some loss. The £550 we have in the Marlborough has been there sixteen months without drawing a penny of interest, so that on that alone we are already £30 poorer than if we had put the money out on Mortgage. That however must go. Our immediate concern is with the capital. I shall be greatly indebted to you if you will tell me if there is any way of disposing of these shares, and what price they might fetch.

Yours sincerely,

J. Dennis

Dr. Muir and the Nati College Scheme.

Lovedale,

Lovedale,

7th February 1907.

L. A. Hunter, Esq.,

Hogsback.

Dear Mr. Hunter,

I am in receipt of yours of 5th instant, in which you suggest that a Board Meeting should be called to decide regarding the giving out of the contract for the Girls' School Building. I agree with you that the matter should be pushed on without delay, but you have not sent the tenders and relative papers. In the circumstances the Board could scarcely come to any final decision. As Mr. Henderson and you have had the matter in hand, you might consider whether you will not decide the matter of the contract yourself and get the work put in hand.

Yours sincerely,

John Lennox

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Dr. Muir and the Nati College Scheme.

Sir,

In a recent number of the "Education Gazette" (Vol. VI, No. 19) is contained an unsympathetic and mis-leading reference to the Inter-State Native College Scheme. This is occasioned by the failure of all the native candidates presented for Matriculation this year.

To begin with it is a breach of etiquette - if not more - for Dr. Muir to publish the number of native candidates sent in by any particular institution. This information is not public property, and could only be obtained in a private way. Dr. Muir has made use of it to injure an institution.

But a much larger question is involved in the enquiry: Why did these candidates fail? Not for lack of ability on the part of the candidates, nor of hard and systematic work on their part and that of their masters. In attempting to prepare natives for Matriculation, the institutions have been undertaking a task which year by year has become more and more impossible, and for the following reasons:-

1. Dr. Muir has narrowed his policy to the training of native teachers. He has concentrated his grants into the Normal Schools. He has systematically refused assistance to the Lovedale High School Course, has ignored it, and has failed to take into consideration any educational facilities for natives other than those for his normal classes.

2. The Elementary School Course is framed entirely with a view to the Normal Course. Year by year while the requirements for Matriculation have been increased, without its approach being widened to meet the peculiar circumstances of Natives, there has been no modification of the Elementary School Course. In European schools this is enriched by the introduction of

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subjects not included in Dr. Muir's Elementary Code. They have to go past his requirements if they wish to prepare their pupils with a view to a College Course. Why cannot the Native Institutions do the same? Because the burden of the Elementary School Course is in no way lightened to admit of it. And for Natives, and this goes to the root of the matter, the burden is increased by the fact that English and not Kafir is the medium of instruction in the lower classes. Dr. Muir's absurd ~~x xxx~~ policy of insisting upon the same language requirements from black as from white cuts at the heart of all native educational progress.

3. In consequence, the Natives are not educated in the primary classes: they are over-burdened in the upper elementary classes, and when they come to the School Higher and Matriculation classes, they have to begin a whole range of subjects for which they have had absolutely no preparation. Such a task would never be undertaken in European schools. It is attempted with Natives who are under the ~~disability~~ further disability of learning in a foreign language.

4. The current number of "Imvo Labantsundu" speaks of Dr. Muir gloating over the failure of the Natives. It wants to be brought home to the public that it is not the Natives who have failed - they have ability and extraordinary patience to stand such treatment as long as they have - nor the institutions, and especially Lovedale which has stood by the Natives in almost hopeless circumstances, spending money, strength and time, and bearing the reproach of failure, in the best interests of the Natives. It is Dr. Muir who stands contemned by his indifference to the educational needs of the Natives, his impossible cast-iron code, and his ridiculous multiplication of examinations.

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Dr. Muir has added to his failure to deal with native education in statesman like way a contemptuous sneer at native ability which his article contains. He has also made this failure, which is his failure, the basis of an attack on the College Scheme. He says no barriers have or will be placed in the way of native common school education. Native common school education has been blocked with barriers raised by Dr. Muir If the future is more hopeful, we shall not have Dr. Muir to thank.

I am &c.,

ONE WHO KNOWS.

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Lovedale,

16th February 1904.

Dear Mr. Byron,

I have had considerable difficulty in replying to your kind invitation contained in your letter of 10th ult., to open up a discussion at the Y. M. C. A. Conference at East London. This has been not because of any doubt as to my desire and readiness to take part at the Conference, for I shall esteem it a privilege to be present, but it has been because of other claims which have made it difficult to arrange for March.

If my delay in replying has not already necessitated your asking other arrangements, I write now to say that I shall be glad to open a discussion on the subject you suggest, namely "The Claims of Mission Work upon the Members of the Y. M. C. A.". I would suggest that this be taken in the morning of Tuesday 29th proximo.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Henderson

Lovedale,

16th February 1907.

Polhemus Lyon, Esq.,

P.O. Box 8,

Cape Town.

Lovedale,

16th February 1907.

Dear Mr. Lyon,

It is only to-day that I have been able to see my way through March's engagements, and have written to Mr. Derham to [illegible] glad to speak at the Y.M.C.A. Conference at East London on Tuesday [illegible] 26th prox. I shall probably return from Basutoland about the 16th March. I shall be preaching in K. W. Town on the 24th and shall go on to E. London the 25th so as to speak on the 26th and return to Lovedale on the 27th. Mr. Lennox will return to Lovedale about the 14th March, and therefore glad to welcome Mrs. Lyon and yourself either in the week before the Conference or after it, whichever suits you best.

You ask a difficult question when you ask for suggestions for your own subject. For myself I propose to deal with the problem of the town native, for Y.M.C.A.s are mostly in towns, and it is therefore in towns that [illegible] members can best help in native work. What would you think of dealing in at least part of your address with the question of Native Liquor legislation? The Hofmeyr clause in the Innes Liquor Act renders it practically a dead letter. You will have noticed articles dealing with this in recent issues of the Christian Express. Then again a large subject is the pressing one of Race Prejudice and how to avoid it. We shall have trouble in S. Africa from the flippant insolence of many unthinking men in their attitude towards the Native. The Native's response is Ethiopianism, and who can blame him?

With kindest regards to Mrs. Lyon and yourself,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

19 February 1907.

Messrs. Wright's Press Agency, Ltd.,

Box 9,

I am in receipt of yours of 16th instant, and enclose a proxy for the meeting of the Premier Line, at which I shall be obliged by your acting in my interest. I am sorry the thing has gone so completely to smash, but there is no need crying over spilt milk. As I said in my former letter to you, the next thing for me is to recover as much as possible from the Marlborough and get it put into a steady-going old-fashioned first mortgage on landed property. As you are also on the hunt for a purchaser, I shall be indebted to you if you will let me know when there is a chance of a sale on reasonable terms.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secy., Lovedale Public Library.

P.O. Box 527

14th March 1907.

The Chief Traffic Inspector,

P.O. Box 33,

Cape Town.

Lovedale,

20th February 1907.

Messrs, The Central News Agency, Ltd.,

Box 9,

Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

I hold your receipt No. 51748, dated 12th instant for One Pound being the subscription of the Lovedale Library for the Weekly Times from [illegible] 8.3.07 to 7.3.08. Formerly I note that we have only paid Sixteen Shillings, as for example in your receipt No. 19601 dated 20th Feb. 1906. Kindly explain if the price of the Weekly Times has been increased, and if this has been an over-charge, repay the Four Shillings.

Yours sincerely,

Lennox

Hon. Secy., Lovedale Public Library.

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14th March 1907.

The Chief Traffic Inspector,

P.O.Box 33,

Cape Town.

Sir

I am in receipt of your letter T2:10718 of 8th instant addressed to Mrs. Lennox in which you ask for £7 : 9 : 4 for herself and two children (together with booking fees) in consequence of their having travelled in a second-class compartment on 27th ult. from Maseru to King Wm Town, holding expired tickets. The tickets in question were Christmas Holiday tickets. When Mrs. Lennox and the children travel with me in this Colony they receive the benefit of the concession granted to Ministers of Religion. When I took out these tickets at King Wm Town I learned that this concession is granted to Ministers by the C.S.A.R., but not to their families. The Booking-clerk at King Wm Town suggested that Mrs. Lennox and the children could benefit by the Christmas Holiday tickets, of which till then I had not been aware.

The date of expiry was not endorsed on the tickets. In the first week of February, Mrs. Lennox exhibited the tickets to the Station Master at Maseru, who told her they were available so long as she finished her journey by 28th February. Mrs. Lennox arranged her return journey accordingly.

Having heard that a question had arisen about the date of the tickets, I called personally on the Station Master at Maseru last Saturday 9th instant, and he re-affirmed that the tickets were valid until 28th February.

When passing through Bloemfontein, I called on the Traffic Manager on the 11th instant, and stated these facts, and beg to refer you to him.

As Mrs. Lennox's return was arranged in accordance with the official information furnished by the Station Master at Maseru, I do not admit any responsibility for excess fare.

Yours faithfully,

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14th March 7.

The Traffic Manager,

C. S. A. R.,

B l o e m f o n t e i n .

Sir,

In further reference to the matter which I laid before you on Monday 11th instant, I have received a letter from the Chief Traffic Inspector, Cape Town asking for £7 : 9 : 4 inasmuch as Mrs. Lennox and two children travelled second-class from Maseru to King Wm Town on 25th - 27th instant on tickets which are declared to be time-expired.

I have referred the Chief Traffic Inspector to you, and have stated that the date of expiry was not endorsed on the tickets. Further, that Mrs. Lennox exhibited the tickets to the Station Master at Maseru, who declared them valid, so long as the journey was completed by the 28th February, and that she arranged her return journey accordingly. Having heard that a question had been raised about the availability of the tickets, I had personally seen the Maseru Station Master on ~~5th~~ 9th instant, and he re-affirmed that the tickets were valid till the 28th ultimo, and that as Mrs. Lennox's return was arranged in accordance with this official information, I do not admit any responsibility for excess fare.

Yours faithfully,

D. Lennox

Lovedale,
17th March 1907.

Messrs. Wilks, James & Co.,
Arderne's Buildings,
141, Longmarket Street,
Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of 22nd ult. and the accompanying catalogue for which please accept my thanks. The delay in replying has been due to my absence for some time from the Institution.

I am placing the catalogue and correspondence before Rev. J. Henderson, the Principal of the Institution. I do not expect however that we shall require any school furniture at present, as during the past year we adapted a number of our old desks in our own Carpentry Department, as we did not feel justified in incurring the expense of a completely new equipment.

Yours sincerely,

J. Tennyson

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Lovedale,
18th March 1907.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.,
New Oxford Street,
London, W.C.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of 7th February, and now beg to enclose a draft for Ten Pounds (£10), for which your acknowledgement will oblige.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secy.,
Lovedale Library.

Lovedale,

19th March 1907.

Dear Miss Bliss,

When I visited Wellington last year you took me through your College Library, and showed me some students who, I understand, were receiving a course of instruction in Library work. Do you know anyone who would be prepared to make a Card Catalogue of a Library of between 8,000 and 9,000 volumes? We are contemplating the preparation of such a catalogue, but before undertaking the work, desire to have some idea of the cost. Can you tell me what salary should be offered to anyone who would do this work for us? Is there any firm in South Africa that makes a specialty of the cards, cabinets and other accessories requisite?

We sympathise with you and your co-workers in the loss sustained in the recent fire. We have seen no details other than those in the Reuter telegrams. I trust the loss is covered by insurance. But you will even then have the loss of buildings and equipment and the dislocation of your work.

Mrs. Lennox unites with me in sending kindest regards.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

19th March 1907.

T. Maskew Miller, Esq.,

Adderley Street,

Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Miller,

We are contemplating the preparation of a Card Catalogue of the Lovedale Library, and before undertaking the work are enquiring as to costs etc. Is there any firm in South Africa who supplies cards, cabinets, and the various accessories requisite? If you do not know of any firm in South Africa to whom I can apply for a catalogue and prices, perhaps you know of one in England who makes a specialty of these things?

Thanking you in anticipation,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

J. Knowles

Lovedale,

19th March 1907.

T. Maskew Miller, Esq.,

Paddernoster Street,

Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Miller,

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Thanking you in anticipation,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

John Knox

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale,

1st April 1907.

Cape Colony,

T. Pringle Ainslie, Esq.,

Millbank,

Fort Beaufort.

Dear Mr. Ainslie,

With reference to our conversation on Saturday last, when you asked for extension of time from 5th May to 30th June to repay the Two Hundred Pounds which is the balance of the money you borrowed from me, I agree to accept re-payment on 30th June. I further understand that if you find yourself able to re-pay the money before that date, you will do so.

Your acknowledgement of this letter, and agreement to its terms will oblige,

Yours sincerely,

John Knox

J. Knox

Hon. Secretary.

Lovedale,

Cape Colony,

30th March 1904.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.,

London.

Dear Sirs,

Kindly note that the Lovedale Library Committee desire to take the "Illustrated London News" in place of the "Graphic"; to discontinue "London" and the "English Illustrated", and to begin to take "Blackwoods."

Kindly send to Messrs J. C. Copland & Son, Godliman House, Godliman Street, London E.C., for enclosure to me along with the first consignment of goods for the Lovedale Book-Room, Library Reading-room covers for the following papers and magazines:- Black & White, The Illustrated London News, Punch, Somers, Chambers, Pearson, Strand, Sunday Strand, Windsor, and the Woman at Home. and also Blackwoods.

Yours sincerely,

S. Lewis

Hon. Secretary.

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2nd April 7.

The Superintendent-General of Education,

Cape Town.

Return from Leave of Absence.

Good Service Allowance.

Sir,

I have the honour to intimate my return to duty after the eight months' leave of absence for which I made application on 15th July of last year.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Sammy J. Beasley.

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2nd April 7.

The Superintendent-General of Education,

Accounting Branch,

Cape Town.

Mr. William Yazbek,

P. O., Fort Beaufort.

Good Service Allowance.

Sir,

I have the honour to state that the Rev. J. Lennox, who held my Power of Attorney while I was on leave of absence, applied on 25th January last through the Assistant Resident Magistrate of Victoria East for my Good Service Allowance, for ~~xxx~~ which application falls to be made in January. In making this application on my behalf, Mr. Lennox asked that it be forwarded to the proper quarter. As no answer has been received, I beg to repeat the application.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient S rvant,

Sammy J. Baeuley.

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Lovedale,

8th April 1907.

Mr. William Yazbek,

P. O., Fort Beaufort.

Dear Sir,

I duly received your interesting letter of the 4th instant, and have also shown it to the Rev. Principal Henderson, but I regret that we have no opening which we can invite you to fill. Our staff is complete for this year.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

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Lovedale,

15th April 1907.

Oswin S. Bull, Esq.,

c/ Rev. T. Tatlow,

The Traffic Manager,

22, Warwick Lane,

C. S. A. R.,

London.

Bloemfontein.

Dear Mr. Bull,

Mr. Mott wrote to tell me of your acceptance of the appointment of the position of Travelling Secretary for the S. C. Association of South Africa. I write to express my earnest hope that you will have much success and blessing in your new sphere of work.

Both at Lovedale and the Cape Town Conference, Mr. Mott and Miss Rouse laid emphasis on the field that they saw for work in the Native Institutions. I have no doubt you will pay a visit as soon as possible to Lovedale, where we can discuss plans for this part of your work. I need not add that you are assured of a very hearty welcome whenever you are able to come to us.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

John Knox.

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15th April 1907.

15th May 1907.

The Traffic Manager,
C. S. A. R.,
Bloemfontein.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter G. 22937, of 12th 9th instant, and to thank you for the satisfactory conclusion of the incident.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,

J. Lennox

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

15th May 1907.

A. F. Tomkins, Esq.,

P. O. Box 199,

Johannesburg.

Dear Mr. Tomkins,

Our organ is badly requiring to be tuned. When may we expect you in this direction? After our conversation in March I had hoped that you would we in our neighbourhood in a few weeks' time. I trust you can make it convenient to come to us soon. It would of course be too expensive for you to come down from Johannesburg for this alone. If therefore you have no other engagements bringing you down, perhaps you can recommend someone whom we can have confidence in engaging to put the organ in tune?

Yours sincerely,

J. Kennedy

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Lovedale,

24th June 1907.

Personal.

LOVEDALE,

Dear Mr. Black,

F. J. Greensladt, Esq.,

Aldwal North.

Dear Mr. Greensladt,

I enclose £300 for the loan to Mr. Allen, and for which I shall take over the Bond he is ceding for that amount, and the cession of which he will duly register. I note also that the insurance policy will be ceded to me.

The amount is made up as follows:-

Draft	£100
Staff. Sav. Bank ch. payable to you	78
ditto	45
ditto	15
ditto	15
Gov. Savings bank with order in your favour	36
Notes	11
TOTAL	£300.

When replying, kindly let me know how much I owe you for commission on the cheques,

With kind regards,

John Wilson

P.S. The Bond should be ceded in my own favour.

Personal.

LOVEDALE,

19th July, 1907.

Dear Mr. Black,

After you left King Wm Town, the Synod discussed the question of the future policy of the Mission and passed the following resolution:-

"The Synod recognising an insuperable difficulty in the disparity of the two organisations, are not prepared to enter into an incorporating union with the South African Presbyterian Church, and resolve to proceed with the formation of a self supporting and self governing Native Church."

This step will clear the air of many of the difficulties which have beset us for years, and will prepare the way for a real and effective federal union with the European Church.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Laws

University of Fort Hare
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LOVEDALE,

3rd August 1907.

A. L. Barrett, Esq.,

Native Affairs Office,

Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Barrett

I am in receipt of your letter of 26th July. The evening of 16th August will suit me very well for the lecture. [illegible] that we have so few Lovedale lantern slides here, that it [illegible] cessary to have some made. I am [illegible] sending you twenty [illegible] and one printed illustration. [illegible] not trespassing [illegible] on your kindness by asking you to [illegible] slides made from [illegible] to await my arrival. Mr. Cartwright [illegible] Lyon would, I am sure, advise as to the best firm to apply to, so [illegible] slides produced. These, of course, will be charged to Loveda[illegible] stitution.

The lecture will deal with Dr. Stewart's work in Livingstone, Lovedale, Blythswood and Kibwezi. [illegible] conection with Lovedale dwell on what he has done for native education, literary, [illegible] and medical.

I shall arrive in Cape Town on the evening of Thursday instant.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

16th Sept. 1907.

14th October 1907

The Superintendent-General of Education,

Kindly see Rule 13 (1) (a) (b) (c) (d) (e) (f) (g) (h) (i) (j) (k) (l) (m) (n) (o) (p) (q) (r) (s) (t) (u) (v) (w) (x) (y) (z) (aa) (bb) (cc) (dd) (ee) (ff) (gg) (hh) (ii) (jj) (kk) (ll) (mm) (nn) (oo) (pp) (qq) (rr) (ss) (tt) (uu) (vv) (ww) (xx) (yy) (zz) (aaa) (bbb) (ccc) (ddd) (eee) (fff) (ggg) (hhh) (iii) (jjj) (kkk) (lll) (mmm) (nnn) (ooo) (ppp) (qqq) (rrr) (sss) (ttt) (uuu) (vvv) (www) (xxx) (yyy) (zzz) (aaaa) (bbbb) (cccc) (dddd) (eeee) (ffff) (gggg) (hhhh) (iiii) (jjjj) (kkkk) (llll) (mmmm) (nnnn) (oooo) (pppp) (qqqq) (rrrr) (ssss) (tttt) (uuuu) (vvvv) (wwww) (xxxx) (yyyy) (zzzz) (aaaaa) (bbbbb) (ccccc) (ddddd) (eeeee) (fffff) (ggggg) (hhhhh) (iiiii) (jjjjj) (kkkkk) (lllll) (mmmmm) (nnnnn) (ooooo) (ppppp) (qqqqq) (rrrrr) (sssss) (ttttt) (uuuuu) (vvvvv) (wwwww) (xxxxx) (yyyyy) (zzzzz) (aaaaaa) (bbbbbb) (cccccc) (dddddd) (eeeeee) (ffffff) (gggggg) (hhhhhh) (iiiiii) (jjjjjj) (kkkkkk) (llllll) (mmmmmm) (nnnnnn) (oooooo) (pppppp) (qqqqqq) (rrrrrr) (ssssss) (tttttt) (uuuuuu) (vvvvvv) 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14th October 1907

The Superintendent-General of Education,
Examining Branch,
C A P E T O W N.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 9th inst. and to say that I shall be glad to act as Commissioner at the Pupil Teachers' Examinations at Lovedale on 10th, 11th and 12th December.

I beg to suggest Mr. D. A. Hunter as second Commissioner in terms of your letter.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

J. Lennox.

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J. N. M. Williamson Esq. C.A.

GRAHAMSTOWN.

Alice Town Council,

Novedale,

Mist November 1909

J. N. M. Williamson, Esq., C.A.,

Mutual Buildings,

Grahamstown.

Alice Town Council Accounts.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 7th instant, I have [illegible] Town Clerk of Alice to post to you his Cash Book to enable you to [illegible]

It will be necessary to procure the requisite complement [illegible] the nature of the transactions. It will be an obligement if you will [illegible] of books and these should be as simple as is compatible with [illegible] the book to him with the least possible delay.

sound book-keeping. Assuming that you can render the desired [illegible]

If you can submit suggestions as to the books necessary to be pro- [illegible] assistance I would be glad of your suggestions regarding [illegible] cured and the form in which they should be prepared, it might be possible [illegible] the books to be obtained. It may be necessary to have the [illegible] to have these ready against your visit. You have already noted the [illegible] books specially made to show the analysed details you would [illegible] essity for having the system to be introduced, as simple as possible, [illegible] recommend should be regularly shown. As soon as it is [illegible]

I regret that it has been impossible for me to procure a copy of [illegible] stood what these details should be, an order could [illegible] Municipal Act, but I trust you can procure the necessary information [illegible] with the stationer [illegible] the Public Office at Grahamstown.

could be ready for you.

Yours sincerely,

[illegible]

You would find it [illegible]

an inspection of the [illegible]

your time, and [illegible] new books [illegible] to be opened [illegible]

on the occasion of your visit. Your general knowledge of [illegible]

what is required for the Municipal Accounts of a town like [illegible]

Alice will [illegible] give all suggestions [illegible]

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

19th November

Lovedale,

21st November 1907.

J. N. M. Williamson, Esq., C.A.,

Mutual Buildings,

Grahamstown.

Sir,

Alice Town Council Accounts.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 7th instant, I have asked the Town Clerk of Alice to post to you his Cash Book to enable you to see the nature of the transactions. It will be an obligement if you will return the book to him with the least possible delay.

If you can submit suggestions as to the books necessary to be procured and the form in which they should be prepared, it might be possible to have these ready against your visit. You have already noted the necessity for having the system to be introduced, as simple as possible.

I regret that it has been impossible for me to procure a copy of the Municipal Act, but I trust you can procure the necessary information from the Public Office at Grahamstown.

Hilda F. Wood.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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19th November 7.

Lovedale,

The Superintendent-General of Education,

Cape Town.

Sir,

I have the honour to apply for twelve months' leave of absence from January 1908, at which date I shall have completed five years of teaching in a Government school. In January 1903 I came to Lovedale, and have not had a break since that date.

I have resigned my position in Lovedale, so that I do not require to nominate a substitute if my leave is granted.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Hilda F. Wood.

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Lovedale,

4th December 1907.

J. W. M. Williamson, Esq., C.A.,

Mutual Buildings,

Grahamstown.

Alice Town Council Accounts.

Dear Sir,

I have to thank you for your letter of 30th ult., and the suggestion you make, that you come to Alice at the end of January, have a day or two at the Town Council Accounts, send off your drafts for the necessary books, and then complete the work at Alice after finishing at Lovedale. This meets with the entire approval of the Council, and we are obliged to you for suggesting this course so as to reduce the excense as much as possible.

Believe me,

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

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Lovedale,

th December 1907.

R. Lyon, Esq.,

H. B. Hunter,

Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Lyon,

Our Lovedale Library Committee have decided to prepare a card catalogue. When in Cape Town I saw various styles of cabinets, amongst others, those of the Rockwell Wabash in wood, and at the Cape Times Office I saw cabinets in metal, made by a company named, if I remember aright, the Art Metal Company. These metal cabinets, though more expensive, are better suited to our requirements. The price quoted in Cape Town for six-drawer metal cabinets to take say cards x in each drawer, was . We should require four such cabinets.

It has occurred to Mr. Hunter and myself that you may be able to import what we require on more favourable terms than those stated. If you know the metal cabinets about by the Cape Times Co., you will understand the class of cabinet we consider best for our purpose. Of course we are not bound to four six-drawer sets. We want sufficient space to hold from to cards and that the units be such that in future a single unit can be easily added to the set of cabinets as the Library grows.

We understand that cards x of medium weight are quoted by the Library Bureau at per . If you can supply the cabinet we would also ask you to procure for us cards. The ruling of these, we would leave to the judgment of those whose experience

2. Lovedale,

has made them specialists in this subject. We shall catalogue in the usual way under both author and subject. We also require a full set of alphabetical guide cards.

We wish this work put in hand as soon as possible. May I therefore ask you to wire me if you can do this for us? I am leaving today for Basutoland. Till the 31st instant a wire addressed to me c/o Gibson, Maseru, will find me.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Lovedale,

16th December 1907.

The Rev. James Ramage,
Paarl.

Dear Sir,

It has been suggested to me by Miss Stebbins of Huguenot College, Wellington, to communicate with you regarding the preparation of a card catalogue for the Lovedale Library. Miss Stebbins recommends Miss Ramage for this work, and says it might take five months, though probably less. We hope to have the cabinets, cards and other accessories by the beginning of next April, I shall be glad to know if Miss Ramage would be prepared to come to us at that time. We would provide board, pay travelling expenses to and from Lovedale, and offer a honorarium of £15, (Fifteen Pounds).

I am,

Dear Sir,

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secy., Lovedale Library.

L o v e d a l e ,

16th December 1907.

Miss Stebbins,

Huguenot College,

W e l l i n g t o n .

Dear Miss Stebbins,

I thank you very sincerely for your letter of 21st ult., and for the full information it contains. We hope to have the cards, cabinets and other accessories by the beginning of next April, and I have acted on your recommendation by writing to Rev. J. Ramage, asking if Miss Ramage will be prepared to come to us at that date.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

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Hon. Sec., Lovedale Library.

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University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale,

South Africa,

16th December 1907.

Dr. G. Smith, C.I.E.,

Edinburgh.

Dear Dr. Smith,

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.,

30 to 34, New Oxford Street,

London, W.C.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose a draft for £20 to be placed to the credit of the Lovedale Library account. Kindly send the periodicals as in 1907.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

Hon. Secy., Lovedale Library.

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University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
South Africa,
16th December 1907.

Dr. G. Smith, C.I.E.,
Edinburgh.

Dear Dr. Smith,

I enclose a letter from the Rev. R. Godfrey, which he asks me to forward. He has made a good beginning. His formal introduction to the people at Pirie was yesterday.

Mr. Henderson showed me a copy of a recent Minute of the F. M. Committee, supporting the appeal for funds to rebuild the Rev. Elijah Makiwane's manse at Macfarlan, and I understand that the young people of the Church at Home are to have this appeal brought before them. It may interest them to know what the children of the Lovedale staff have done.

Nine or ten weeks ago, the children made up their minds to work for Mr. Makiwane's manse, and they set to with characteristic vigour. Assisted by Mrs. Gibb, they met regularly to sew, and to these little people, this became the engagement of the week. We heard wonderful accounts of what they were making. They enlisted the sympathy of friends in Lovedale, Alice, and King Wm Town, and even from Glasgow, contributions of material were received. They were as keen as mustard, and even tots like Betty Henderson, aged five, developed practical and successful business instincts.

The sale took place on Saturday afternoon, 7th December, on the verandah of my house. Mr. Henderson opened the bazaar in appro-

ved style, while the little stall-holders stood expectant by their wares. Unfortunately the day was wet, and many interested were unable to attend. The children's tables made a brave display, and it was really wonderful what they had prepared and collected. Ever grown-up was soon called upon by the two little flower girls to buy button-holes (one at least from each, so that there might be no partiality); then there was tea at a "tickey" a cup, a bran tub where two small boys got much fun and some shillings, and other powerful attractions. By five o'clock the tables were cleared, and then came the exciting question, How much have we got? Mr. Henderson and I ~~[illegible]~~ added up the takings, and found they amounted to £10 : 2 : 4.

Mr. Makiwane well deserves all the help he can get from old and young. Of his ability, those who have seen his letters in the "Scotsman" and other Home papers can judge. We here can testify to the splendid service he has done. The path of duty is often obstructed. Mr. Makiwane, because he has been fearless for the truth, has had much opposition. The foulest form it has taken was the deliberate burning of his house. Thank God, his children were spared. But it was by the direct intervention of God Himself. The dastardly deed was done when Mr. and Mrs. Makiwane were known to be at a distant village, where they were holding special services for the conversion of the heathen. Their children were left at home. One Sunday, in the middle of the night, Mr. Makiwane felt strangely restless, and told his wife he would go home to see that all was right. When he came over the hill whence in the distance his house was visible, he saw the flames licking up the thatch.

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How he covered the intervening distance, he never knew. He arrived in time to get out the children, who were asleep in the house. Practically nothing else could be saved. One's blood runs cold when one thinks of the heartless cruelty that brought these children into such peril.

Mr. Makiwane is a favourite with our children. I hope he will find many friends among the children at Home, and that soon he will have the funds to put a good roof over his head.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

15th February 1908.

W. Fellows Tomkins, Esq.,
The Secretary for Education,
P.O. Box 499,
Johannesburg.

Dear Mr. Tomkins,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 11th instant, and have also spoken with the Rev. J. Henderson about it. The post I spoke of was filled more than a year ago, but while we have no vacancy just at present, both Mr Henderson and I feel that as our work is expanding, there may be a call for a man with the experience and outlook you have in the future. Should such an occasion arise, I would communicate with you. Meantime of course if a good appointment presents itself to you, you would be right in accepting the certainty rather than waiting for a maybe.

Mrs. Lennox is still at the Katberg enjoying the cool air of the mountains with the children. With kind regards to your brother and yourself,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale, 18th February 8.

22nd February 1908.

The Superintendent General of Education,

Accounting Branch,

Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose a cheque for £25 : 17 : 6 in payment of Good Service Allowance.

Sir,

I have the honour to apply for my Good Service Allowance for the year ending 31st December 1907.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Fanny Rankay

Lovedale,

17th March 1908.

Lovedale,

22nd February 1908.

Mr. Forbes Botha,

Donhill,

Pietersburg.

The Cape Times, Ltd.,

Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose a cheque for £25 : 17 : 6 in payment of metal cabinets and ruled cards supplied through Messrs. Peabody, Cape Town. Kindly note to make out the receipt in name of Rev. J. Lennox, Secretary, Lovedale Library.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

Dear Mr. Botha,

Since I last wrote to you about Lydia, she has been carefully examined by the doctor, who reports that he thinks she is quite strong enough to carry on the usual school work of Lovedale. She has signs of feeble digestion, and the doctor does not think the combination of school work and house work is advisable in her case.

Mr. Mpamba was here yesterday, and I put the case before him, though at that time the report from the doctor had not been received. He told me that Lydia's friends cannot afford to support her as a boarder at the Girls' School. I should be very sorry if Lydia had to return home without completing some portion of her education. Mr. Mpamba was in favour of Lydia entering the Industrial Department at the Girls' School, and that the training she would receive there would be of great service to her. Mrs. Lennox would be prepared to pay her fees as a worker in the Industrial Department for one year. Her friends would only require to pay £3 for for the second year in the Department, and as you know, in the third year the workers are received free of charge.

As I indicated in my former letter, Mrs Lennox is fond of Lydia and interested in her and for this reason is prepared to pay her fee for this year.

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With kind regards,

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Lovedale,

19th March 1908.

T. Maskew Miller, Esq,
Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Miller,

I enclose a cheque for £2 : 4 : 8 in payment of the Library Account, less 2½%, which I trust you will find correct. I also send Postal Orders for my private account, the balance of which can be returned in stamps.

On 21st August last I wrote ordering Fiske's Critical Period of American History, Oliver's Alexander Hamilton, and Alex. Hamilton's The Federalist. I have not heard from you on the matter sinc that date. Are they still on order?

Yours sincerly,

J. Lennox

Lovedale,

19th March 1908.

Lovedale,

19th March 1908.

A. Duncan Brown, Esq.,

Seymour

Dear Alec,

re Loan: Mr. G. E. A. Wood.

Since Mr. Geddes's death, I have acted for Mrs. Geddes in looking after her affairs, and advising her as far as I can. Her money is in Messrs. Innes & Hutton's hands to invest for her. Innes has written to me telling me of an applicat ion for £1000 on behalf of Mr. G. E. A. Wood, who I take it is your brother-in-law, Eric Wood. Innes, not knowing the relationship, asks me if I could get a confidential report and mentions your name. In the circumstances you may prefer to remain neutral, but in Mrs. Geddes's interests I feel that I can, without asking you to depart from that neutrality, ask you what the value of the property is and if the security is such that when the matter comes before her, should it do so, I would be justified in advising her to advance the money.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

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Lovedale,

19th March 1908.

Messrs. Innes & Hutton,

King Wm Town.

re Loan: Mr. G. E. A. Wood.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of your letter of 18th inst., enquiring about the loan Mr. Wood proposes to raise. I have written to Mr. Brown of Seymour. As he is brother-in-law to Mr. Wood, he may prefer to remain neutral, but without departing from such neutrality, I think he may tell me something about the value of the property.

I have met Mr. Wood and know a little about him. It is all in the direction of confirming what Mr. Fenner-Solomon says about Mr. Wood as a progressive and hard-working young farmer of reliable character.

I shall let you know whatever reply comes from Mr. Brown. I am only too pleased to assist in any way in Mrs. Geddes's interests.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

20th March 1905.

G. T. Obedell Esq.,

Alice.

Dear Sir,

The Town Council of Alice desire to raise a loan of Eight Hundred Pounds (£800), for which they are prepared to pay Six per cent per annum, the security being the assets of the Municipality. They propose that the bond may be cancelled on six months' notice on either side.

They also desire that the Council have the option of paying off the principal in sums of not less than one Hundred Pounds (£800) at a time on six months' notice.

I shall be glad on behalf of the Municipality to know at your early convenience whether you are prepared to advance the amount on these terms.

Yours sincerely,

Chairman of the Finance Committee of the Municipality.

In order that I may keep in touch with what you do, kindly send me an invoice in addition to that you send to the Church Offices.

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Lovedale,
South Africa,
23rd March 1908.

James Thin, Esq.,
54 & 55 South Bridge,
Edinburgh.

Dear Sir,

I shall take two sets of Harmsworth's Encyclopaedia, in half Persian at 27/6 nt as per the enclosed advertisement.

In order to reduce the freight as much as possible, I shall be obliged by your sending these to Messrs J. P. Copeland & Son, Godliman House, Godliman Street, LONDON, E.C. for enclosure with the first consignment of goods to Lovedale, addressing these to Rev. J. Lennox, Lovedale. If you can still further reduce freight by having these sent direct from a London house to Messrs, Copeland, please do so.

Charge in the usual way to me through the United Free Church Offices.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

In order that I may keep in touch with what you do, kindly send me an invoice in addition to that you send to the Church Offices.

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26th March

Jas Rodger, Esq., M.A.,

Education Office,

Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Rodger,

I cannot better reply to your letter of the 24th inst. than by sending you the subjoined copy of my letter dated 4:9:07 to the S.G.E. With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox.

(Copy).

Lovedale, 4/9/07.

The Superintendent General of Education,
Examining Branch,
Cape Town.

Sir,

I have the honour to submit the names of the following who have satisfied the requirements for the Tonic Sol-Fa Certificate indicated.

Intermediate.

1. Mary JanetSullivan.

Elementary.

1. Sarah Moloto,
2. Naomi Leeuw,
3. Rose Raphela,
4. Agnes Elizabeth Makwe,
5. Gontle Bathoen,
6. Walter Mjo,
7. Ben Ngumbela,
8. Rampholo Molefhe,
9. Joseph Owen Mangena,
10. Asser Sehahabane,
11. William Selana,
12. Peter Kgasa,
13. Ada Hermanus,
14. Annie Qamata,
15. Sarah Ann Jonas,
16. Algiva Lujalajala,
17. Magdalene Mocher,
18. Sifo Mgodeza,
19. James Dipa,
20. May Mzimba,
21. Michal Kwatsha.

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I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your obedient Servant,
(Sgd) J. Lennox,

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Lovedale,

27th March 1908.

The Town Clerk,
Alice.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of yours of even date, enclosing letter from Mr. T. Stevenson, financial adviser to Mr. Ubedell. Kindly send him the information he asks for, viz, the Municipal Act, the statement of accounts to 31st December last, and the copy of the minute of Council authorising the raising of the loan.

The statement of accounts prepared by Mr. Williamson would be the form of accounts most suitable to send.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennon

Chairman of the Finance Committee.

Lovedale,

27th March 1908.

Mr. F. C. Botha,
Donhill,
Mamabolo's,
Pietersburg,
Transvaal.

Dear Mr. Botha,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 21st instant. You will by this time have received my second letter containing Mrs. Lennox's offer to pay for Lydia for one year in the Industrial Department. Lydia has gone to the Girls' School, and from the doctor's report which I mentioned to you, I see no reason why Lydia should not stay at Lovedale for the present. There is nothing in the climate here to cause her to return home.

I am sorry I cannot undertake to have her sister Priscilla in my house. As I already explained, the classes now begin at 6.45 in the morning, and the hour in the morning is the time when a girl staying in the house can be of most service. As that help can no longer be given, we find that we cannot continue the old arrangement.

I trust we shall see you one day in Lovedale. I was glad to hear Mr. Mpamba speak very highly of your work and influence in the Zoutpansberg.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

31st March 1908.

The Town Clerk,

Alice.

Dear Sir,

I beg to thank you for your letter of even date, and return the letter you were good enough to send to me for my perusal.

I shall be obliged if you will take the earliest opportunity of seeing Mr. Lloyd to arrange a meeting with reference to the loan the Town Council desires to raise, and which I understand Mr. Lloyd is prepared to make.

If you are not likely to see him for a day or two, kindly write to him on behalf of the Finance Committee, informing him that they are prepared to enter into negotiations with him regarding the loan, and asking him to name a time when it would be convenient to meet with him on the matter.

Yours sincerely,

Chairman, Finance Committee.

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Lovedale,

3rd April 1908.

T. Maskew Miller, Esq.,

Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Miller,

On 19th ult. I wrote sending £2 : 4 : 8 for the Library, and also 4/- in payment of my private account. I have received no receipt. Kindly rectify this oversight by return, and oblige,

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

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29th April 8.

The Superintendent-General of Education,

Examining Branch,

Cape Town.

Sir,

I have the honour to send to you six Elementary Sol-Fa Certificates of pupils who have left Lovedale since they were examined, and before their certificates came to hand, and ask you to be good enough to post the certificates to their addresses as follows:-

1. Walter Mjo, c/o Mr. Wm Mjo, c/o S. Bayley, Esq., P.O.Box 185, East London.
2. Sifo Mgedeza, Zincuka, Mt Fletcher.
3. Sarah Moloto, Battlesden, P.O. Kalkbank, Pietersburg, Transvaal.
4. Naomi Leeuw, P.O.Box 1488, Robinson Deep, Jo'burg.
5. Algiva Lujalajala, c/o Rev. W. Stuart, Burnshill, Middledrift.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

30th May 1908.

The Town Clerk,

Alice.

The Visit of the Rev. F. B. Meyer.

Dear Sir,

In connection with the forth-coming visit of the Rev. F. B. Meyer, it has been arranged to have a meeting for men on the afternoon of Sunday 2nd August. On behalf of the local committee who are arranging for Mr. Meyer's visit, I beg to apply for the free use of the Town Hall for that afternoon.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

A. Kennedy

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Lovedale,
Lovedale, Africa,
6th August 1908.

Ernest A. Baker, Esq., M.A.,

Hon. Secy., The Library Association,
E. W. Rankin, Esq.,
Whitcomb House, Whitcomb Street,
Alies,
Pall Mall East,

London, S.W.

Dear Mr. Rankin,
Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 18th instant, and in reply have to say that we shall have a centre for the School Higher here and that we shall be pleased to have the candidates from the Public School to sit for the examination here.

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 18th instant, and in reply have to say that we shall have a centre for the School Higher here and that we shall be pleased to have the candidates from the Public School to sit for the examination in Cataloguing under my supervision and conformed with the Association's rules. Her papers are sent to you under separate cover.

Yours faithfully,
With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Henderson

Lovedale,

6th August 1908.

E. N. Rankin, Esq.,

Alice.

Dear Mr. Rankin,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 4th instant, and in reply have to say that we shall have a centre for the School Higher here and that we shall be pleased to have the candidates from the Public School to sit for the examination here.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

25th August 1908.

A. D. Philip, Esq.,

Govt. Land Surveyor,

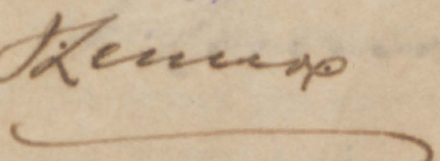
BRANDFORT, O. R. C.

Dear Mr. Philip,

Immediately on receipt of your letter of the 19th instant, I spoke to the Secretary of the Inter-State College Committee. He told me that yesterday it was decided to engage Mr. Barker for some work that is on hand. Your offer would have been in time to be considered but for the unfortunate fact that you had posted your letter without a stamp, and I did not receive it till Monday, though it had arrived in Lovedale Post Office on Saturday evening.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,



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Lovedale,

1st September 1908.

A. Lyon, Esq.,

Drumshiel,

72 Irvine Street,

Port Elizabeth.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of yours of the 29th ult. Our offer of £4 . 10/- for 76 volumes was 25% of the published price (£18), and not 25% off the pubd price, as quoted in your letter. Doubtless you are aware that we purchase new books in England at 25% off pubd price. Thus Carlyle volumes which you offer at 2/- per volume, are published at 3/6 and can be had new for 2/7½ plus a trifle for freight.

We are prepared to amend our offer to £6 for the 76 volumes named, which is 33 1/3% of the published price, and quite the outside ~~xxxx~~ value for second-hand books.

Kindly let me have your reply by return, as this offer cannot stand open for more than a week in view of other purchases we contemplate.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lovedale.

P.S. The list of books is returned under separate cover.

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Lovedale,

5th September 1908

The Manager,

The Scottish Provident Institute,

6 St. Andrew Square,

Edinburgh.

Dear Sir,

I enclose £7.7.9 being renewal premium on Policy No. 70927.

Yours sincerely,

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Ebvedale,

16th September 1908.

G. A. Martin, Esq., Secr.,

Alice.

Dear Sir,

In accordance with the intimation made to you by the Town Clerk, the Finance Committee of the Municipality were at the Town Hall yesterday afternoon to meet with the Municipal Auditors. The Committee regret your failure to attend or to furnish any reason for absence.

In your Auditors' report dated 2nd instant, Mr. Glass and yourself certify that "We have .....duly audited the books of the Municipality of Alice ..... and found everything correct." The Finance Committee have examined the half-yearly statement and the books, and find grave irregularities in the book-keeping. There is no Balance Sheet. The Ledger has not been properly posted, balanced or closed for the half-year. The Journal has not been touched since it was written up as at 1st January of this year. The Committee understand from your fellow-auditor that you found mistakes in the Cash Book as submitted to you. The Finance Committee consider that it was the duty of the Auditors to report these things to the Council, and they are bound to take a serious view of the report you have submitted.

In these circumstances the Committee, before taking further action, desire to place these facts before you and to afford you an opportunity to consider your position.

Yours sincerely,

Chairman, Finance Committee.

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Lovedale,

16th September 1908.

E. E. Glass, Esq.,

Alice.

Alice Municipal Auditors' Report.

Dear Sir,

After the full discussion yesterday between yourself as one of the Municipal Auditors and the Finance Committee of the Town Council, it is not necessary to enter into particulars as to the reasons which have led the Committee to take a serious view of the Report furnished by the Auditors. As stated at our interview, the Committee desire to afford you an opportunity to consider your position, and you shall be glad to hear from you in due course.

Yours sincerely,

Chairman, Finance Committee.

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Lovedale,
16th September 1908.

J. T. Fairhead, Esq.,
Alice.

Alice Half-Yearly Financial Statement.

Dear Sir,

I enclose the half-yearly statement prepared by the Town Clerk, and Mr. Williamson's report. The Finance Committee will be obliged if you will now proceed to rectify the books of the Municipality with a view to the preparation of a correct statement of the Municipality's financial position at 30th June last, as stated at our interview on the 14th instant.

Yours sincerely,

Chairman, Finance Committee.

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Lovedale,

5th October 1908.

A. MacGillewie, Esq.,

Queenstown.

" System of Book-keeping.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of yours of the 2nd instant, and beg to thank you for your courtesy in sending me the copy of your interesting treatise on book-keeping. I have read it with much profit.

It has an added interest as having been issued at this Institution so long ago as '76.

I see from your letter that you are aware of the confusion which has reigned in the Alice Municipal finance. It is much worse than I ever expected to find. Step by step we are moving towards order, but it will take some time before all the evil results of the past want of business method are overcome.

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

J Kennedy

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Lovedale,

15th October 1908.

The Superintendent General of Education,

Examining Branch,

CAPE TOWN.

Lovedale,

9th October 1908.

Sir,

Allan Ballantyne, Esq.,

Secy., Divisional Council.

Dear Mr. Ballantyne,

The Finance Committee of the Town Council desire to meet with the Divisional Council at their forthcoming meeting with reference to questions connected with the Estates (1) B. D. Bell, (2) Cavanagh, (3) Clay, and (4) Dockrill, in which the Town Council as well as the Divisional Council are interested.

Kindly let me know if it will be convenient for the Divisional Council to receive the Finance Committee of the Town Council, and if so on what date and hour.

Yours sincerely,

Chairman, Finance Committee of the Municipality.

Lovedale,

13th October 1908.

The Superintendent General of Education,

Examining Branch,

CAPE TOWN.

Sir,

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 8th instant, and agree to accept your invitation to act as Commissioner at the Pupil Teachers' Examinations to be held at Lovedale in December. As in former years, I propose that the examinations be held in the two halls here which adjoin and are admirably suited for this purpose. The arrangement we find most convenient is that the First Year be accommodated in the larger hall, and the Second and Third Years in the smaller hall. This provides ample accommodation, and ensures perfect supervision.

I beg to submit the name of Dr. Roberts as second commissioner. I think it will simplify work if the whole of the papers and stationery be addressed to me, and we shall divide it here according to the requirements of the different years and subjects.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

James Stewart

University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale,

13th October 1908.

Dear Mr. Henderson,

The Court to consider objections to the new valuation roll will be held in the Town Hall on Thursday 22nd at 11 a.m. I understand that the Court is bound to accept the Valuer's valuation unless the owner himself raises objection.

The new valuation of Lovedale is about £15,960. There has been a slight increase since I took down these figures, but not such as to materially affect the position. The following points deserve consideration:-

(1) The distribution of the Lovedale values. This affects our voting power. But unless there is some glaring case to consider, it would seem better policy not to raise any question which might give the Court occasion to alter the whole scale of values assigned to Lovedale.

(2) The compact whereby Lovedale agreed five years ago to pay £50 per annum has now expired. Three alternatives fall to be considered. (a) To make no compact, but pay the ordinary rates. The sum of £50 would then be subject to increase for three reasons, viz., We have not been paying on our fuki valuation, the values have increased by new buildings during the past five years, and the condition of the Municipal finances makes it certain that the rate will be increased from 1½d to 2d for the next two years at least.

(b) To endeavour to fix a sum to be paid by Lovedale annually during the next five years. The objection to this is that the near prospect of the rate being raised would lead the Council to impose a large sum. If two years hence the Town could revert to a 1½d rate Lovedale would continue to pay at the total calculated for a high rate. (c) I would therefore suggest that we should try to fix a

sum based on the present 1½d rate, and agree that if the rate be increased, Lovedales annual assessment should increase pro rata. This is so reasonable that it ought to be accepted without any objection by the Couhcil.

The arguments in favour of a special rate are:-

(1) The nature of the work in which we are engaged. Similar public institutions invariably receive special consideration.

(2) Lovedale does not exercise its rights to run stock on the commonage.

(3) Lovedale receives very little in return for its large payment. The total Municipal rates leviable (but not received) for the current year amount to £385:5:3, of which we pay £57 or nearly one sixth. During the past five years the Gaga drift has been widen ed, and while we have benefited, so also has the lower part of Alice. Pipes are being laid where the Seymour road crosses the furrow. In this instance, the principal reason has not been consideration for Lovedale, but fear that travellers would break their carts at the drift in its former state, and that the Council would be called on to pay heavy damages exceeding the cost of the work now in progress. We have also received two lamps.

Yours sincerely,

We might also very fairly add that Lovedale should not be called on to pay heavily when the rate has to be increased in order to meet a deficit arising very largely from the incompetence of the Council in its supervision of the Municipal finances in past years.

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Lovedale,

15th October 1908.

Rev. J. H. Pagan,

Vlak Pan,

Douglas.

Dear Mr. Pagan,

I duly received your letter of the 10th inst., with examination questions for Mr. Dugmore. I shall send on the answers. As to date of sitting for the examination, Dugmore tells me that he has been in communication with the theological Committee and has asked that he be allowed to take the exam at the end of this month. Mr. Campbell of Stellenbosh was here after the Assembly rose, and told us the matter was considered by the Committee, and they were prepared to meet Dugmore in the matter.

I am glad to hear good accounts of your health. South Africa needs you, and I trust Douglas will do its work thoroughly in fitting you for the battle.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

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Lovedale,

15th October 1908.

J. T. Fairhead, Esq.,
Accountant,
ALICE.

Dear Mr. Fairhead,

It gives me much pleasure to express on behalf of the Finance Committee of the Alice Municipal Council their appreciation of the service you have rendered in connection with the half-yearly statement of the Municipal finances. The quality of your work is the more noteworthy in view of the state of the books when they were placed in your hands, and the rapidity with which you reduced them to order and coherence.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

Chairman, Finance Committee,
Alice Municipal Council.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

31st October 1908.

Mr. T. Nqandela,

Tarkastad.

Dear Mr. Nqandela,

Your letter arrived when I was absent from Lovedale, and this accounts for delay in acknowledging it. I enclose receipts for the contributions to the Geddes Memorial Fund, and have to thank you for receiving and forwarding these. I note your suggestion that the inscription should contain the words U Yise waba ninzi, and shall bring this before the Committee when they discuss the form of the memorial and its inimscription.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

31st October 1908.

6th November 1908.

The Resident Magistrate & Civil Com.

Victoria East.

Wm P. Grimmer, Esq.,

P.O.Box 174, Johannesburg.

Dear Mr. Grimmer,

I was absent from Lovedale for ten days when your letter arrived, and this accounts for the delay in its being acknowledged. I enclose a receipt for the contribution from Mr. Frames and yourself, and have to thank you for the interest you have taken in the Geddes Memorial Fund. Subscriptions are coming in very slowly. Depression is against the success of any special effort at the present time.

Believe me,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

6th November 1908.

The Resident Magistrate & Civil Com.r
Victoria East.

Sir,

I have the honour to enclose The Income Tax Return, Year 1908, which I have filled up and signed according to instructions. I also enclose two Life Assurance receipts, viz., Scottish Provident Institution receipt dated 7 Oct. 1907, for £7.7.9 and S. A. Mutual Life Assurance Society receipt dated 9th October 1907 for £23.1.3. I shall be glad to have these returned to me after perusal.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Lennox

P.S. I find I have not got the insurance policy, so that what I require is the policy assigned to me.

3 enclosures.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

10th November 190

W. J. Wynne, Esq.,

Alice.

Bond Nel.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of the above bond in my favour. I shall be obliged by your forwarding to me the receipt for the renewal of the fire insurance on the house on the lot in question.

Yours sincerely,

P.S. I find I have not got the insurance policy, so that what I require is the policy assigned to me.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

18th December 1908.

W. J. Wynne, Esq.,
Alice.

Dear Mr. Wynne,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 17th inst., with policy No. 8531164 L. & L. & G. Insurance Co., in favour of Isaac F. Nel, duly ceded to me as collateral security for the sum of money lent by me to Mr. Nel.

Yours sincerely,

Insurance in force till 4 p.m. 18th November 1909.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

18th December 1908.

The Secretary,
British Kaffrarian Savings Bank,
P.O.Box 38,
King Wm Town.

Dear Sir,

I have to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 15th instant, with cheque No. 3761.

I enclose £15 to be placed to the credit of Mrs. Lepper's account. Her bank book is sent under separate cover.

Yours faithfully,

J. Jennings

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
3rd February 1909.

The Commissioner of Taxes,
Victoria East.
Cape Town.

Income Tax, 1908.

Victoria East, No. 41.

Sir,

In reply to the notice of assessment of Income Tax (Division of Victoria East, Reference No. 41), I have the honour to enclose £2 : 4 /-, the amount at which I have been assessed.

I have the honour to acknowledge receipt of your letter of 30th ult., intimating that I am assessed at £2 . 4/-. Before paying this amount I wish to lodge a Notice of Objection, in order to enquire whether my salary ~~is~~ does not come under the exceptions provided in the Act, inasmuch as it is derived to the extent of £300 from Scotland, being paid by the Foreign Mission Committee of the United Free Church of Scotland. I think that on this account, it should be excepted for Income Tax purposes, and I shall be glad to have a ruling on this point.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

22nd February 190

The Civil Commissioner,
Victoria East.

Income Tax, 1908.

Sir,

In reply to the notice of assessment of Income Tax (Division of Victoria East, Reference No. 41), I have the honour to enclose £2 : 4 /-, the amount at which I have been assessed.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

L o v e d a l e ,

22nd February 1909.

Rev. A. Jalla,

Lealui,

N.W. Rhodesia.

Dear Mr. Jalla,

On receipt of your letter of the 26th ult., asking that Kashambatwa be sent to Morija on the grounds that his father has heard that he has consumption, I at once placed the letter before Mr. Henderson.

Mr. Henderson told me that the lad has a tendency to asthma which he, Mr. Henderson, reported when the lads first arrived at Lovedale, and that Kashambatwa has been twice in Hospital from this cause. Otherwise Mr. Henderson tells me the lad is in good health, and has no sign of consumption. Mr. Henderson will reply himself to your letter in due course, and meantime I send you this information which he gave me.

With kind regards, and all good wishes for the success of your work,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

22nd February 1909.

Dear Mr. Harper,

Your letter of the 4th inst., asking for a copy of the marriage register of Isaac Menter and Kate Danster both of Lovedale and married there in 1893, was forwarded by Mr. Henderson to me, and after following me about the country has found me at Lovedale on my return. Please excuse the delay which has resulted.

I regret I cannot furnish the information. The Lovedale Native Congregation records were carried off by Mzimba's people and are said to have perished in a fire which they reported to have taken place in one of their huts. The year you mention falls in the period contained in the books thus missing.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

23rd February 1909.

Lovedale,

The Superintendent-General of Education, 25th February 1909.

Accounting Branch,

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library Ltd.

New Oxford Street.

Dear Sirs, Good Service Allowance.

I enclose [illegible] to be placed to the credit of the Lovedale Library account.

Kindly acknowledge receipt.

Yours sincerely,

Sir,

I have the honour to apply for my Good Service Allowance for the year ending 31st December 1908.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Hon. Secy. and Treasurer.

Your obedient Servant,

Fanny Beverley.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

South Africa,

25th February 1909.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.

New Oxford Street,

London.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose £15 to be placed to the credit of the Lovedale Library account.

Kindly acknowledge receipt,

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secy. and Treasurer.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

27th February 1909.

The Rev. A. J. Wookey,

Vryburg,

B. Bechuanaland.

Dear Mr. Wookey,

Your letter of the 3rd inst. came when I was on holiday, and this explains the delay in the reply. I have received from the Office the retuhn of Bechuanas at Lovedabe in 1908. The numbers are Boys, 22, Girls, 6, Total, 28. I am posting you a copy of our printed roll which furnishes exact information of the names of pupils and the districts from which they come. I trust this will give you the information you require. If I can help you with any further particulars, please let me know.

I am glad to hear that the Sechuana Bible is published. It must be a great satisfaction to see your labours brought to a completion. We have re-opened this week, and have made a good beginning. When are we to have the pleasure of a visit from you?

With kind regards

Yours simcerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
Lovedale,

Miss S. Fourie,

¢ T. J. Pieterson,

Springfield,

A l i c e,

Dear Miss Fourie,

I trust my reply to your letter regarding membership of the Lovedale Library reached you.

We shall be glad to enrol you as a member.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
6th March 1906.

Messrs. A. J. Cross, & Co.,
King Wm Town.

Dear Sirs,

Goods have come safely to hand, except that one of the tins of Panafin was leaking and was nearly half empty. You sent four dozen fruit jars instead of two dozen as ordered and charged for. Mrs. Lennox tells me she has written to you about this, and also about some cheese received by a former order which had to be thrown away. In the circumstances I am adding 4s 9d to the account, and suggest this as a fair settlement. I enclose £14 . 13 . 3, for which I shall be obliged for your receipt.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secretary,
Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale.

18th March 1908.

The Secretary,

Sun Fire Office,

King Wm Town.

Dear Sir,

Kindly tell me the terms on which your Company will be prepared to insure the books and furnishings of the Lovedale Library. It is housed in two rooms of the Main Educational Building, which is a substantial building of stone under an iron roof. The value of the Books and furnishings is estimated at £800.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secretary,
Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

Lovedale 16th March 190

16th March 1909.

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The Central News Agency,

pool & London & Globe Insurance Co.,

Cape Town,

Terminus Street,

East London.

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Kindly send to the Secretary, Lovedale Library, "The State." wish to

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have all the issues since it began to appear, and will subscribe for a year.

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Kindly let me know the annual subscription.

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Hon. Secretary,

Lovedale Library.

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University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

16th March 1909.

The Central News Agency,

Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

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Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secretary,
Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
16th March 1909.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library,

London.

Dear Sir

On receipt of this letter, please discontinue sending to the Lov
Black and White,
The Windsor Magazine,
The Bookman.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secretary,
Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

16th March 1909.

Dear Miss Ramage,

I am in receipt of yours of the 15th instant, in which you ask if there is any opening in the Institution. I regret very much that there is nothing we can offer you. We have such happy memories of your work here that nothing would give me personally greater pleasure than to see you back amongst us. Lovedale however like many other institutions in South Africa is requiring to exercise rigorous economy, and we are reducing the staff where possible. I mentioned your letter to Mr. Henderson. If we hear of any work such as you might wish to apply for, we shall let you know.

All here are well, and busy with the work of the new session. I trust your Father and Mother are well. Although I have not had the pleasure of meeting them, please give them my greetings.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

18th March 1909.

Mr. Chas. Veldtman Bikitsha,
Nkondwane Farm,
Butterworth.

Dear Mr. Bikitsha,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 10th instan
your son Hubert. We were very pleased that he passed the School Higher
ation so well. He is now in the Matriculation class, and I trust he
make good progress. He will have every chance given to him to make t
progress of which he can avail himself.

We shall be in a better position in two months' time to
he may be ready to try the Matriculation examination. The f th
beginning Latin this year will I fear make it unwise for him to atte he
examination till December of next year. Even in schools where boy can
Latin from Standard IV. or V. it is customary for them to take years be
the School Higher and the Matriculation examinations.

With best regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

22nd March 1909.

The Local Secretary,

Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Co.,

1, Victoria Chambers,

Terminus Street,

East London.

Dear Sir,

I am in receipt of your letter of 18th instant, quoting terms for the insurance of the Lovedale Library, and in accordance therewith beg to enclose the proposal form duly filled up, and cheque for £1 . 6 . 8, in payment of one year's premium from 1st April next, on an insured value of £800.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secretary.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

Messrs. Lennon, Ltd.,

East London.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose £12 . 1 . 7 in payment of accounts rendered as follows:

18th March	£9 . 18 . 0
do.	1 . 12 . 9
do.	12 . 8
	£12 . 4 . 0
less 10%	1 . 4 . 5
	£10 . 19 . 7
18th March nett	1 . 2 . 0
	£12 . 1 . 7

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

2nd April 1909.

The Rev. F. W. King,

Hon. Secretary of the Burial Board,

Alice.

Dear Mr. King,

I beg to apply on behalf of Mrs. Geddes for permission to enclose her piece of ground in the Alice Cemetery.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

Lovedale,

17th April 9.

Mr. N. A. Leigh,
11, Milner Road,
East London.

The Central News Agency
Cape Town.

Dear Sir,

In my letter to you of 16th March I asked on behalf of the Lovedale Library for the "State" from its commencement. I hold your receipt 25206 for the period Jany to December 1909, and have received the issue for April Number 4, Vol 1, but you have not sent the first three issues as requested. Kindly post these by return, and at the same time let me know what they cost.

Yours sincerely,

S. Lennox
Hon. Sec. Lovedale Library.

Yours sincerely,

Lovedale,

SOUTH AFRICA.

Lovedale,

24th April 1909.

Mr. W. A. Leigh,

11, Milner Road,

East London.

Dear Sir,

Mrs. Lennox has been surprised that you have sent no reply to the letter she addressed to you some weeks ago about your charge for repairing her camera. In that letter she remarked on the amount you have charged for the repairs, which she considers heavy. She does not wish this matter to hang on any longer, and I am enclosing £2 for her, but with her protest. In the circumstances she asks you to reconsider your charge, and to remit the balance.

Yours sincerely,

Lovedale,
SOUTH AFRICA.
8th May 1909.

Mr. John Grant,
31 George IV. Bridge,
Edinburgh.

Dear Sir,

I enclose £9 . 14 . 1 in payment of the account rendered to the Lovedale Library. I have delayed remitting this money, because when the parcel of books arrived, I regret to say that we discovered that the edition of Sir Walter Scott (100 vols. at £6 . 15s) is identical with that we already have on our Library shelves. I had thought from the advertisement that it was a larger Library edition. This is an unfortunate circumstance, resulting from the impossibility of our seeing secondhand books before purchase. I have tried to dispose of the books here, but a purchaser for a big lot such as this is not easily found especially in the times of depression through which the Colony is at present passing. If it had been practicable I would have returned the books, and trusted that you would have received them off our hands. But we have already paid close on a pound for carriage out, and I do not feel justified in throwing away another pound on freight.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

J. Kennedy

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale

10th May 9.

The Rev. F. W. King,

Hon. Secretary, Alice Burial Board.

Mr. Samuel Mafisa,
Potsane, Leribe.

Dear Sir,

Dear Mr. King,

I am in receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant, and note that you handed the fee for the Elementary Sof-Fa certificate to Mr. Reid, but have not received your certificate. In my register I find that you passed the Junior examination, and that you received your certificate for that stage. But I have no record of your having passed the Elementary, or of my having received the fee for that examination. I am writing to Mr. Reid about the matter.

Yours sincerely,

[illegible]

P.S. I am reminded that Mrs. Reid is in England, as it is so we are writing to Mr. Reid. Are you sure he did not hand the fee back when you failed?

Lovedale

18th May 1909

The Rev. F. W. King,

Hon. Secretary, Alice Burial Board.

Dear Mr. King,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 12th inst. intimating the granting to Mrs. Geddes of permission to purchase one more grave space in the Alice Cemetery, and to enclose the two spaces.

Mrs. Geddes asks me to say that she will pay the fee attached to this permission as soon as you let her know the amount.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

15th May 1909.

Jas. Catto, Esq.,

Oxford Street,

East London.

Dear Mr. Catto,

I am not an accomplished draftsman like you, but I have tried my hand at a sketch of the frame of Mr. Geddes's photo. The plate will go on the brown wood marked BC ⅛in. wide. I have shown your sketch to Mrs. Geddes, who is pleased with it. I hardly know what to say whether to have the letters sunk or raised. I did not know that they could be had raised. They would certainly look better than sunk letters. If the expense is not a great deal more, please order them ~~sunkx~~ raised. Use your discretion in this particular, and do not trouble sending the different prices, as I would like this part of the memorial in position as soon as possible.

I shall see Mrs. Geddes again about the kerb stone, and write you later. May I trouble you about a small matter? I wrote to Leigh who repaired Mrs. Lennox's camera a long time ago, saying that she thought the charge high, and asking him to reconsider the matter. I got no reply. Not wishing to have the affair hanging on indefinitely, I advised Mrs. Lennox to pay the £2, and wrote for her enclosing the £2 on 24th April. No acknowledgement has come. I wrote ten days ago, asking him if he had received the money. No reply! Please drop round to 11 Milner Road and ask him if he has got the money, and if so what he means by not sending a receipt. I can trust your Aberdeen wit to do full justice to the situation.

With kind regards to Nellie and yourself,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

South Africa,

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.,
30 - 34 New Oxford Street,
London.

Dear Sirs,

We wish to take advantage of the arrangement advertised in your Magazine and Review list, and instead of taking Blackwood and the Nineteenth Century new, to take second-hand copies of Blackwood, the Fortnightly, the Nineteenth Century, and the Contemporary. Kindly begin this arrangement from the date of receipt of this letter.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

SOUTH AFRICA,

11th May 1906.

T. Hunter Donald, Esq.,

Schools Secretary,

University Tutorial Press,

Berlington House,

Cambridge.

Dear Sir,

Last year you were good enough to send me a very kind invitation to select specimen copies of books which may meet the requirements of our native College work. If I did not immediately avail myself of that invitation, it was merely because I did not wish to trespass unduly on your kindness, until I knew what class of books we are most likely to use. I shall be glad now to have copies of

Geometry, Part II., The New Matriculation Heat, Light and Sound, General Elementary Science, English Course, Landmarks of European History., Matriculation History, and the Tutorial History of England.

Thanking you in anticipation,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

18th May 1909.

W. J. Wynne, Esq.,

A l i c e.

Dear Mr. Wynne,

I am in receipt of your letter of yesterday's date, and have to thank you for letting me know of the investment you refer to. From your account it seems safe enough. I shall come over to see you to-morrow (Wednesday). My present impression is to advance the money, but I shall decide definitely when I see you.

I shall be over some time in the afternoon, and shall call at your office if you are to be free at that time.

With kind regards,

Ysurs sincerely,

J Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

18th May 1909.

L. A. Burnell, Esq.,
Town Clerk,
Alice.

Estate Griffin.

Dear Mr. Burnell,

In reply to your letter of to-day's date, I enclose my copy of the notes I prepared showing the position of the Estate Griffin and the Alice Municipality. I trust it contains the information you require. I shall be glad if you return the paper after perusal.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

19th May 1909.

Mr. Edward Phera,
Qoali,
Cuthing.

Dear Mr. Phera,

I duly received your letter and have shown it to Dr. Macvicar. He has promised to communicate with you about Hospital training. It is better that he should write to you on this matter, as I personally have nothing to do with the arrangements made with those received for such training.

I am at a loss to understand what you say about not having received your SolFa certificate. It was duly posted to you, and I feel sure it must reach you. Meantime I enclose a personal letter from myself as the one who examined you, stating that you passed the examination, and giving the registered number of your certificate.

Yours sincerely,

J Kennedy

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

19th May 1909.

To Whom it may concern.

This is to certify that EDWARD PHERA of Qoali, Basutoland, was examined by me for the Elementary (Practical) certificate of the Tonic Sol-Fa XXXX College, that he satisfied the tests, and that certificate No. 248281 was issued to him and posted to him at Qoali. The certificate appears to have gone astray in the post, as he reports that it has not reached him. This statement that he was examined on 18th January 1909, and that he was duly registered as the holder of the Elementary Certifica is given by

J Kenmo

Examiner of the Tonic Sol-Fa College.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

20th May 1909.

R. J. Wynne, Esq.,

Alice.

J. C. Fairlie, Esq.,

Alice.

Dear Mr. Fairlie,

I shall advance the £100 on Miss Nel's property at seven per cent, on first mortgage, and on condition that she insures the building or buildings on the ground.

Let me know when the money is required.

Yours sincerely,

R. Wynne

Lovedale,

20th May 1909.

W. J. Wynne, Esq.,
Alice.

Dear Mr. Wynne,

I have decided not to advance the money for the Magerman property, but have shown the matter to Mr. Finlayson. He will give a reply the first thing to-morrow morning. Again let me thank you for letting me know of the investment.

Yours sincerely,

J Knapp

Lovedale,

Mons. T. Verdier,
Leloaleng,
Basutoland.

Dear M. Verdier,

On receipt of your letter of the 12th instant I made enquiries about a man for bootmaking and saddlery work, but I regret to say without success. Judging from our own experience in this matter, I should say that the chance of your securing the kind of man you want in South Africa is slight. When we were in want of a man to fill a similar post with us, we made enquiries far and wide, and negotiated with different men, but in each case without success. Finally we got a man from Northampton.

I have given your message to Miss Coombs. Mr. and Mrs. Germond are on furlough. I believe they are in Switzerland at the present time.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

CAPE COLONY,

20th July 1909.

Messrs. Deale, Bros.,

Booksellers &c.,

Bloemfontein.

Dear Sirs,

On the 6th instant I paid you 18s for three copies of Thatcher & Schwill's History Part II. These you undertook to post to me on the foll day to await my afrival here. I am greatly disappointed and annoyed to f they have not arrived. I must ask you to post the books by first mail return the money at once, as the books are urgently required.

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

Recd 27 July

Lovedale,

24th July 1909.

Dear Mr. Catto,

Your letter of the 28th ult. and the brass name-plate arrived after I had left Lovedale for the vacation and followed me to the Transkei. Mrs. Gedden has now seen it, and is very pleased with it. It is neatly done, and will serve its purpose admirably. I enclose 14s 6d, for which you might ask the man who did the work to give me a receipt, so that my accounts for the Gedden Memorial may be in order.

I was in East London for a few days last week, but I sat very close at Synod work, and got very little about. I hope Nellie and you are keeping well.

Do you expect the stone &c for the grave soon?

Yours sincerely,

23rd July 9.

Messrs. Greenslade & Dawe
Aliwal North.

Dear Sirs,

Kindly send me the interest due on Allen's bond to ~~xxxxxxxxx~~ 30th June. At the same time I shall be obliged if you will procure and send me the latest insurance receipt on the property in question.

Yours sincerely,

J. Linnor

Lovedale,
24th July 1909.

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Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

24th July 1909.

The Town Clerk,

Alice.

Municipal Land Lot 1, Block C.

Dear Sir,

Your letter of the 7th instant arrived when I was absent from Lovedale, and had to await my return to enable me to enquire into the facts about Molosi Ntlebe, against whom you say that complaint has been made on the ground that he is not an old resident or descendant thereof.

The result of enquiry is that I am told that Klass Mayekiso, the brother of Molose, occupied the land in question by permission of the Council; that Molose grew up in Klass's house from childhood; that he therefore is "a son of the place", and as such, as much as other holders, entitled to the lot.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovédale,

29th July 1909.

The Acting Local Secretary,

The Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Co.,

1, Victoria Chambers, Terminus Street,

EAST LONDON.

Policy 6581464.

Dear Sir,

I have to thank you for your letter of 20th inst., and enclose a receipt for £1:6:8, being rebate on the above policy. On behalf of the Lovedale Library I beg to express our indebtedness to you for your action in this matter.

Yours faithfully,

J. Lennox

Hon. Secretary, Lovedale Library.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

3rd August 1902.

Dear Mr. Catto,

Please give me an estimate for cutting 114 letters in granite and leading them. The stone in question is in the Balfour graveyard. Give therefore an estimate of what your journey &c would cost in addition to the actual cutting (1) if you travel from East London, and (2) if you were able to go on from Mr. Balfour when you are here for Mrs. Geddes's work.

As I shall have to report on your reply to Stockenstrom on receipt of your letter, please let me have this information by return.

Yours sincerely,

J. Jennings

The Town Clerk,

The Secretary,

The Colonial and Foreign Bank Guarantee Corporation,

Dear Sir, 94, Gracechurch Street,

L o n d o n.

I am asked to write to you in connection with the application of Mr. Herbert Alfred Paxton as a junior clerk in the National Bank of South Africa, Ltd., Johannesburg. I have known him for several years while he was a pupil of this Institution, and have pleasure in testifying to the good character he bore here.

Yours sincerely,

Minister of the United Free Church of Scotland

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

9th September 1909.

The Town Clerk,

Alice.

re General Dealer's Licence Lovedale.

Dear Sir,

I desire to explain that the application made by me on the 31st ult. to the Town Council was an application for a General Dealer's Licence, and hereby confirm my application as for a General Dealer's Licence; and further that in accordance with the demand of the Council made to the Rev. J. Henderson when he made application, I am prepared to undertake, and hereby do undertake, that if the certificate be granted, I shall confine it the trade of the the Lovedale Book and Stationery Department to Books, Kafir Literature and Stationery Requisites.

Yours faithfully,

J Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

9th September 1909.

The Town Clerk,

Alice.

Dear Sir,

General Dealer's Licence, Lovedale.

Before signing the Agreement which you have handed me, I propose the insertion of the words, "as soon as the stock now in hand and in transit is disposed of" in the eighth line from the foot of page two of the draft, after the words "Rev. John Dennox hereby agrees that". I am therefore returning the draft to you for the insertion of this clause.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
14th September 1909.

Mr. Geo. McGillivray, jr.,
Alice.

re Geddes Memorial.

Dear Mr. McGillivray,

I enclose the plans and specifications of the proposed memorial to the late Mr. Geddes, for which the Committee invite you to tend. The stone proposed is that from Mr. Matthew's quarry.

I shall be glad to hear from you in reply in the course of a few days. I have only this one copy of the plans, and therefore ask you to return the papers.

The Committee do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any tender.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

Hon. Secretary.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

14th September 1909.

The Town Clerk,

Alice.

Lovedale Book-Store, Licence.

Sir,

I beg to enclose the Agreement relative to the Lovedale Book-Store Licence drafted by the Town Council and sent by them for my signature.

I have signed it under protest, and it has been duly witnessed.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

SOUTH AFRICA,

The Manager,

The Scottish Provident Institution,

6, St. Andrew Square,

Edinburgh.

Dear Sir,

I enclose £7 : 7 : 0, being the premium on the above Policy. Kin

acknowledge receipt.

Yours sincerely,

Lovedale,

28nd September 1909.

Lovedale,

SOUTH AFRICA,

The Postmaster,

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.,

30 - 34 New Oxford Street,

London, W. C.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of yours of the 28th ult., and enclose a draft for (16) Sixteen Pounds, to be placed to the credit of the Lovedale Library account.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

22nd September 1909.

The Postmaster,
Alice.

General Dealer's Licence.

Dear Sir,

I beg to apply for a General Dealer's Licence to be made out in my name, trading as The Lovedale Book Department, in accordance with the certificate granted by the Alice Town Council.

If you have power to issue a licence for six months to cover the period to the 31st December 1909, I shall take the licence in that form.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
SOUTH AFRICA,
22nd September 1909.

Dear Mr. Henderson,

The Town Clerk of Alice in a letter to me dated 11th ins intimated the decision of the Council come to at a special meeting of Counc held on the 10th instant that my "proposition to insert the words "as soon a the stock now in hand and in transit is disposed of" cannot be entertained.

In this connection I wish to put on record that when the Town Clerk cal on me on the 8th instant with the Agreement drafted by the Town Council for signature, I said to him that I supposed the Council would allow a reasonab time to allow of the disposal of the stock of goods in hand or in transit. The Town Clerk said: "I do not suppose you mean boots and clothing?", to wh I replied: "No, I do not mean boots and clothing, but the usual fancy goods which are sold by all stationers." I added that if he cared to look into the Book Department he would see the class of fancy goods in stock, and to which my question had reference.

Yours sincerely,

J. Henderson

Lovedale,
SOUTH AFRICA,

25th September 1909.

Messrs. J. Wippel & Co., Ltd.,
Cathedral Yard,
Exeter.

Dear Sirs,

I am in receipt of the goods despatched on the 3rd inst., and find them very satisfactory, with this exception that the Preacher's Gown would [illegible] // if it fitted a little more easily. The balance to my debit is £2 : 3 7s 6d for discount comes to £1 : 15 : 9. This I enclose. Last time for goods you I think you paid part of the postage. Any allowance you make can be [illegible] with the receipt.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secretary,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

L o v e d a l e ,

25th September 1909.

Messrs. Roskilly & Dunstan,

A l i c e .

re Geddes Memorial.

Dear Sirs,

On behalf of the Gedess Memorial Committee I have to thank you for the tender you submitted and to say that the tender of Mr. G. McGillivray has been accepted.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secretary.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lloyvedale,

7th October 1909.

C. McGillivray, Esq., jr.,

Alice.

re Geddes Memorial.

Dear Mr. McGillivray,

On behalf of the Geddes Memorial Committee I beg to accept your tender of 22nd September to execute the mason work of the Geddes Memorial according to plans and specifications for Seventy-Nine Pounds (£79), with the addition of Four Pounds (£4) for work on the foundation in addition to what is shown in the plan. This will make a total of Eighty-three Pounds (£83). The additional work, I understand to mean flat stone ruble building 12 inches below the level of the grass. The work should be proceeded with forthwith, and is to be completed to the satisfaction of the Rev. J. Henderson and myself or anyone we may appoint.

I shall be glad to see you any evening to sign the contract.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

11th October 1909.

Messrs. Packer & Forsyth,

Argyle Chambers,

38, Hout Street,

Cape Town.

re Geddes Memorial

Gentlemen,

I am glad to inform you that we have accepted a tender for the Geddes Memorial in the form you handed to Mr. Henderson in August. The tende for the mason work is £89. We have sent Home for the spring tap heads, cups and interior piping. The Outside piping to connect with the water supply we shall procure locally.

In the specifications you were good enough to prepare, you say that full size details will be given of the projections etc when the work proceeds. We shall be glad to receive these now, to enable the work to go on.

In case anything should ever go wrong with the interior water pipes, how would you suggest that access should be obtained? Would it be the simplest way to remove the four courses on top, and so enter the interior frog above?

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

13th October 1909.

The Town Clerk,

Alice.

re Revised Bye-Laws.

Dear Sir,

I beg to enclose two petitions lodging protest against the terms of one of the proposed new Bye-Laws. One petition is from ratepayers in Alice and Lovedale. The second is from native ratepayers.

Yours sincerely,

1. Solomon Nyathe
2. Nathaniel Sooverie
3. Philip Nafagane
4. Titus Ramaboea
5. George Stofile
6. Boswell Matlmoyane
7. Eleazer Rasefate

I enclose for the fees, and shall be to receive from you the certificates.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

October 1909.

The Superintendent-General of Education,

Examining Branch,

Cape Town.

Sol-Fa Certificates.

Sir,

I have the honour to intimate that the following have been examined by me for the Sol-Fa College Elementary Practical Certificate, and have satisfied the tests.

1. Solomon Nyathe
2. Nathaniel Bouverie
3. Philip Magagane
4. Titus Ramaboea
5. George Stofile
6. Boswell Matlanyane
7. Eleazer Rasefate

I enclose 3/6 for the fees, and shall be to receive from you the certificates.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

26th October 1908.

The Superintendent-General of Education,
Examining Branch,
Cape Town.

Sol-Fa Candidates.

Sir,

I have the honour to request you to issue Sol-Fa Elementary (Practical) certificates in favour of

1. Mfazo Ntshona,
2. Simon Mtoba,
3. Spurgeon Mzimba,
4. John Gazo,

who were examined by me on the 21st instant, and satisfied the tests

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

Examiner.

Fees (2shgs.) herewith.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

5th November 1909.

Mr. Geo. McGillivray, jr.,

Alice.

Geddes Memorial.

Dear Mr. McGillivray,

I enclose the full size drawings received from Messrs. Parker & Forsyth. I hope this is everything you require to enable you to proceed with the work.

The architects say that in the event of anything going wrong with the internal pipes, which they think extremely unlikely, the four top courses should be removed to afford entrance.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

5th November 1909.

J. C. Gibson, Esq.,

Markham's Buildings,

Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Gibson,

I arrived this afternoon, and the suit case has been very much admired by Mrs. Lennox, whose gift to me it is. I wonder if I may trespass again on your and Mr. Stark's and Mr. Mushet's kindness? If you can segure two more cases similar to the one I got in size, price and quality, I shall be greatly obliged. One is for Dr. Anderson, whom doubtless all three of you know. If the exac same cannct be got, a size a little larger would not be amiss. I suppose the best way to send it up will be by rail.

I am glad to say that our visit to Cape Town promises to be a success. We cannot yet say what view the Supreme Court may take of whether the Imperial Act of 1905 empowered the Imperial Commission to deal with properties outside the United Kingdom. If we fail in that respect, we shall have to apply to the Imperial Parliament itself. That means time, but I have no fear of the ultimate result.

Mrs. Lennox unites with me in kindest regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

6th November 1909.

Mr. T. Maskew Miller,

P. O. Box 396,

Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Miller,

Since my return I have looked through my Library papers, but see nothing which throws any light on the account for "Kafir Life." I find however an account dated 26th February for 8s 3d for which I have no receipt. If this is still owing, I shall pay it when settling for the books I took last week. Please see if that will settle everything to date.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

8th November 1909.

J. C. Gibson, Esq.,

Box 988,

Cape Town.

Dear Mr. Gibson,

With reference to my letter of the 5th and wire of this morning, please send three suit cases instead of two. The extra one is for Mr. Henderson. I trust this is not asking too much of your kindness.

If they are all sent to me, I shall look after the matter.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
South Africa,
11th November 1909.

Miss L. Foster,
Hon. Sec. Literature Committee,
Victoria League,
Millbank House, 2, Wood Street,
Westminster, S.W.

Mrs John Grant,
George IV Bridge,
Edinburgh.

Dear Madam,

I have to thank you for your kind letter of the 15th ultimo. We are grateful for the expression of interest in the work of this Institution, and for the very generous offer [illegible] begun [illegible] had [illegible] accept your offer, and I shall be [illegible] grateful thanks.

Dear Sir,

Please post me a copy of White Book Cd 2484 1905, being the Report of the Royal Commission of Churches (Scotland) The copy I have seen was marked vol. i. If there are subsequent volumes published, I wish the complete set.

Yours sincerely,

I remain,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

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I remain,

Yours sincerely,

J Kemp

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

19th November 1909.

Mr. Blyth Makhoane,

Tsoloane,

Siloe,

Mafeteng.

Dear Sir,

In reply to your letter of the 14th instant, I enclose your certificate of Baptism. I do not find any record of your being received at Lovedale as a full member, or that you brought a certificate of having been received as such elsewhere. I note that you say you were in Mr. Cowan's class along with the church members, but your going there must have been a mistake in the absence of evidence of your having been admitted as a member.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

3rd December 1909.

The Registrar,

University,

Cape Town.

Sir,

I have the honour to state that Rev. Principal Henderson exhibited to me two telegrams from you relative to co-operation in the conduct of the University examinations at this centre, on which matter I understand he had communicated with you. In view of the second of these telegrams, the examinations were conducted entirely under my personal supervision. Mr. K. A. E. Houghton read the passage for English Dictation in my presence to the School Higher candidates, but took no further part in the examinations.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient Servant,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

18th December 1909.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library,

London.

Dear Sirs,

I have received the following quotations from Cape Town for the unde noted papers and magazines, and I place your prices alongside for reference.

	Cape Town	Mudie's
Punch	15 . 9	18 . 0
Science Siftings	6 . 0	8 . 8
Illustrated London News	1 .14 . 6	2 . 1 . 0
Sphere	1 .14 . 8	2 . 2 . 8
Spectator	1 .11 . 6	1 .11 . 0
London Times, Weekly	11 . 7	18 . 0
Chambers	8 . 9	9 . 6
Bearsons	8 . 3	10 . 6
	£7 .10 . 7	£8 .14 . 4

Before taking any further action, I think it right to let you know the local terms offered. Naturally I am not inclined to interrupt the long connection our Library with your firm if you can offer us as good terms.

Yours sincerely,

J Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

13th December 1900

Messrs. J. C. Juta & Co.,

P. O. Box 30.

Cape Town.

Dear Sirs,

I have to thank you for yours of the 10th instant. We are not fre
make any change for the next six months, but I shall keep the quotation in h
for consideration when our present obligation is fulfilled.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

7th March 1910.

Lovedale.

23rd February, 1910.

Dear Mr. Sheard,

I duly received yours of the 28th ult., and am arranging to send you the papers on Thursday afternoon. Will you please let Mr. Kriel have them for Friday, and ask him to send them on to Mrs. Watson on Saturday? I shall ask Mrs. Watson to return them, and if this arrangement can be carried out, it will get over the difficulty about messenger. You might drop me a note after you have seen Mr. Kriel to say if this will suit you all.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose £10 . 14 . 2 in payment of goods supplied on the 10th instant, less Allowance 17/3 and less 5%.

Yours sincerely,

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

Messrs. Roberts Bros.,
P. O. Box 26,
East London.

Gedney Memorial.

Dear Sirs,

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Yours sincerely,

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

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May I also remind you that I paid in your subscription last December to place the amount into last year's total. I shall be glad to get the amount which I think settles up to 30th September last. Kindly say if this is correct.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

SOUTH AFRICA,

14th March 1910.

Messrs. J. Nippell & Co.,

Exeter,

ENGLAND.

Dear Sirs,

Please send me a suit to the measurements of last order of pattern 33166 a.c., at 84shgs. As I am not certain what the nett amount will be after deducting 5% and with your arrangement about payment of postage, I enclose £4. 5. 0. I think there is a small balance to my credit in your hands. Whatever be the balance after settling this account, please return by postal order.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

24th March 1910.

Messrs. Parker & Forsyth,

Architects,

G. McGillivray, Esq., jr.,

Alice.

Gentlemen,

Geddes Memorial Fountain.

Dear Mr. McGillivray,

I enclose £50 to complete the contract price of the Geddes Memorial Fountain, and shall be glad to receive your receipt.

Let me once more express the thanks of the committee for the manner in which the work has been executed. From those who are more competent than I to form an opinion of the workmanship, I have heard nothing but words of praise.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

24th March 1910.

Messrs. Parker & Forsyth,

Architects,

Cape Town.

Gentlemen,

The Geddes Memorial Fountain was opened yesterday in presence of a large gathering of the friends and admirers of the late Mr. Geddes. The design of the memorial was universally praised, and is felt to be in perfect keeping with the character it helps to commemorate. I trust at some not future date you will be able to see the fountain for yourselves, and I feel sure you will be satisfied with the way in which your design has been executed. Let me once more and very heartily thank you in the name of the subscribers for your kind assistance in this matter.

I am,

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

GEDDES MEMORIAL FUND.

To Subscriptions		£108. 12. 0	By Payments per Rev. J. Lennox	
			July 26 '09 Name plate for photo	14. 6
			Oct. 5 Photo, frame & freight	3. 0. 0
			Feb. 3 '10 G. McGillivray jr to ac	34. 0. 0
			... 23 Croggon: 11. 8. 9	
			draft: 2. 3	11.11. 0
			... 24 Freight on Croggon's goods	1.14. 2
			Mar. 24 G. McGillivray jr. final payment	50. 0. 0
				100. 19. 8
			Payments by the Institution	
			Roberts Bros. Ltd.	10.14. 2
Balance		8. 1. 10	Blacksmithing	
			Labour	
		£111. 13. 10		£111.13.10

Cash handed to Lovedale Office £2. 12. 4

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

4th April 1910.

29th March 1910.

T. S. Alston, Esq.,

East London.

Dr. Rein,

Fort Beaufort.

Dear Mr. Alston,

I am in receipt of your favour of the 1st inst., and have now to ask you to fix berths 87 and 82 in the "Galician" for Mr. McGillivray and Miss Duncan. Both are on the Lovedale staff, and entitled to the missionary reduction. Considering Mr. McGillivray's age, it will be desirable to secure a lower berth for him.

I enclose £86. 8. 0 reckoned as follows:

2 2nd class port hole cabin return passages

	86. 8. 0
	2. 2. 0
	88. 10. 0
less your contribution	2. 2. 0
	£86. 8. 0

Dear Dr. Rein,

I have made what enquiries were possible for me to make regarding the cases mentioned in your letter of the 17th instant. I find that the facts you give are correct, viz., that a large number of titles contain the clause you quote. Of the ten shillings paid as quitrent in such cases, five shillings is to be for educational purposes. What use the Government makes of the money so contributed have no means of knowing. All I know is that the money is received and transmitted to Cape Town.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

I have to thank you on my own behalf and on Mr. McGillivray's for your very generous contribution. It has gratified the old man very much.

On the top of her other troubles, Mrs. Lennox has developed measles, and has had a sharp attack. The fever has now abated and the rash is fading, and we hope she is near the end of her troubles.

University of Fort Hare
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I enclose £86. 8. 0 reckoned as follows:

2 2nd class port hole cabin return passages at £49. 3. 0 each	£98.	6. 0
less 10% missionary reduction	9.	16. 0
	88.	10. 0
less your contribution	2.	2. 0
	£86.	8. 0

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University of Fort Hare
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Lovedale,

8th April 1910.

The Union-Castle Co., Ltd.,

East London.

Dear Sirs,

I beg to acknowledge your letter of the 5th with enclosures, and now return to you the relative receipts and vouchers duly signed. Kindly send the labels &c. which are necessary.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secretary.

Lovedale,

South Africa,

18th April 1910.

Messrs. Croggon & Co. Ltd.,

5 Colonial Chambers,

Temple Street,

Liverpool.

Wire Doors, Lovedale Library.

Dear Sirs,

In pursuance of former correspondence with Mr. D. A. Hunter re Wire Doors for Lovedale Library, I enclose £7. 15. 0 in settlement of account, reckoned as follows, making allowance for expenses incurred in connection with the first set of doors which was returned:

Account rendered		£10. 3. 8
Less: Coutts acct. landing charges & Duty on 1st set	£1. 12. 6	
Railway freight on first set	7. 8	
Coutts: Insurance 1st set when returned	8. 6	
		2. 8. 8
		£ 7.15. 0

I trust this will be found in order. As I shall be away from Lovedale when your acknowledgement arrives, kindly address your reply to the Hon. Secy, Lovedale Library, Lovedale, South Africa.

Yours sincerely,

Hon. Secretary.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
18th April 1910.

Dear Mr. Finlayson,

Library Wire Doors.

I enclose £4. 12. 1 in payment of charges already met by you on behalf of the Library. It is made up as follows:

21 June '09	Coutts, Landing charges on 1st Set of Doors	£1. 12. 6
June '09	Railway Charges, E. London to Alice	7. 8
Mar. '10	Coutts, Charges insuring 1st set when returned	8. 8
22 Jany '10	Coutts, Landing Charges on 2nd Set of Doors	1. 14. 4
28 Jany '10	Railway Charges, E. London to Alice	9. 1
		£4. 12. 1

I shall be obliged if you will detail these items on your receipt, to make matters clear when the Library accounts have to be made up and audited at the end of the year.

Yours sincerely,

J Remmo

P. S. You might make sure that the item 8. 6d last month when the first set was returned has been paid by the Institution. I noticed that the invoice had Mr. Hunter's name upon it.

J.R.

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

21st April 1910.

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The Manager,

Union Castle Co., Ltd.,

East London.

Dear Sir,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of the 19th instant, and to thank you for securing passages in the "Balmoral". I enclose a cheque for £93. 16. 2 being three and five-sixteenth passages at £31. 10s each, less the missionary reduction of 10%.

Mrs. Lennox is now quite recovered, and I am taking her Home for the complete change which a voyage affords.

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,
South Africa,
22nd April 1910.

Messrs. Mudie's Select Library, Ltd.,
30 - 34 New Oxford Street,
London, W. C.

Dear Sirs,

I enclose a draft for £15 to be placed to the credit of the Lovedale Library.

I shall be on furlough for some months, and the Library will then be under the care of Rev. A. F. Cowan, M.A., Lovedale. My address during furlough will be 28, Sardinia Terrace, Hillhead, Glasgow. I shall be glad to hear at that address that this draft has safely reached you, but formal receipt should be sent to Mr. Cowan.

Yours sincerely,

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

25th April 1910.

T. S. Alston, Esq.,

East London.

Dear Mr. Alston,

I write to confirm my wire of this morning, asking you to cancel our passages in the "Balmoral." Misfortunes never come singly. Our children were out of the house during Mrs. Lennox's illness, and returned at the end of last week. Isobel looked seedy, and it has proved to be an attack of diphtheria. It is a mild case, and having been caught at the very start, and treated with antitoxin, there is every prospect of speedy recovery. As soon as the doctor gives us a f clear bill that we are free from danger of infection, we shall be going. The doctor is hopeful that this may be in a fortnight's time from next Thursday, that is to say that we might be free to travel by the Armadale. Can you secure berths for us in her provisionally? I am sorry to cause you so much trouble, but this has been a very unexpected and disappointing blocking of our plans.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J. Lennox

University of Fort Hare
Together in Excellence

Lovedale,

28th April 1910.

The Manager,

Union-Castle Co., Ltd.,

East London.

Dear Sir,

I write to confirm my wire of this morning: "Book passages Armadale, Doctor authorises."

The sickness of my elder child Isobel which made it necessary to cancel our passages by the "Balmoral Castle" was happily taken in time and has proved a mild case. This morning Dr. Pollock (of East London who is acting here during the holiday of Dr. Macvicar) found her throat quite clear and temperature normal, and he says he will be able to give a clean bill in a few days, and that all danger of infection and of travelling will be over days before we would require to leave here to catch the "Armadale." I trust therefore you will be able to secure passages for us by her.

I return the passage ticket for the passages by the "Balmoral Castle," and shall be glad to receive the new one in its place in due course.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J Ramsay

P.S. I should thank you for the kind and thoughtful offer to take us aboard by the 11 o'clock launch. Perhaps you will be good enough to let me know if that offer will still hold good, in which case we shall be very glad to avail ourselves of it.

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Lovedale,

10th May 1910.

The Manager,

T. S. Alston, Esq.,

Manager,

Union Castle Co., Ltd.,

East London.

Dear Mr. Alston,

We have had another disappointment. Isobel is now quite convalescent, and the doctor was to give me a medical certificate of her fitness to travel. But yesterday Ian developed a suspicious throat. It cannot be definitely pronounced diphtheritic, but in view of what Isobel has had, the doctor advised us to delay a fortnight. As far as the child himself is concerned, this is probably not necessary, but as a precautionary measure for the safety of others our fellow-travellers it is considered advisable. I have accordingly wired you this morning.

Please transfer us to the "Walmer Castle," and send me a plan of the vessel with the berths marked. It is a great disappointment to us to miss travelling with the Dykes, and for me to be unable to be present at the General Missionary Conference, but it is a case in which we must put aside our own plans out of consideration for others' safety.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

J Remmo

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Lovedale,

14th May 1910

The Manager,

Union Castle Co., Ltd.,

East London.

Dear Sir,

I have your letter of the 11th instant, offering cabins Nos. 334 and 336 D 4 on the "Walmer Castle", and in the absence of anything better, shall accept these, but I trust you will be able to arrange to transfer us to a port-hole cabin as you offer to do in the event of a vacancy occurring. As such a vacancy might arise at the last moment either at Port Elizabeth or at Cape Town, even if one should not occur at East London, I trust you will arrange with the agents there to give us the opportunity of transference. Our voyage being taken for the sake of complete change for our invalids, I wish to have them as comfortable as possible, and I know I may rely on your kindness to do all in this direction that is possible.

Our little boy is making a very good recovery. I discussed the matter with Dr. Macvicar this morning, and some days before we leave he will take a culture from the throat, to insure that all risk of infection is over, and that we shall have an absolutely clean bill of health before we leave here.

I am sending you our passage tickets as you request, but suggest that the amendment of them be left to as late as possible in case you are able to transfer us to something better. In that event, I shall be glad to hear from you to that effect.

Yours sincerely,

J Lennox

TO THE NATIVE CHURCHES CONNECTED WITH THE UNITED FREE CHURCH OF SCOTLAND, THEIR PASTORS, OFFICE-BEARERS, AND MEMBERS.

DEAR BRETHREN,

We write to assure you of our continued interest in your welfare, and our joy in hearing from our Missionaries of the advancement of our Redeemer's cause among you. Since the Union of the Churches here our interests in Christ's work have been extended to fields of labour new to the members of each Church; but all our mission fields share alike in our earnest desire and prayer for their prosperity.

As you no doubt know, we have in each mission field a Council representing the Church of this land, and charged with its mission work. To all these Mission Councils we have lately written regarding the means at our disposal for the carrying on of our present undertakings. We have had, with much sorrow, to tell them that our income is not equal to our expenditure; that they must practise great economy in their work; and that, meanwhile, we cannot respond to the earnest appeals to us to send labourers into new fields.

Now, we write to you to ask your help at this time. We see, with much thankfulness, from the letters of our Missionaries, that in many of our mission fields the office-bearers and members of the Church are doing much, not only for the support of Gospel ordinances among themselves, but also to carry the Word of Life to their fellow-countrymen. All do not make the same effort; and we know very well that the circumstances of the Church members in different lands

are so different that they are not all alike able; nor can we expect much help from those who have but recently been impoverished by famine and persecution. Yet we are persuaded that the knowledge of our inability at present to respond to appeals for more preachers and teachers to go to those who are your kindred according to the flesh, will lead you to a fresh consideration of what it may be in your power to do, so that they shall not be left altogether without the light of the Gospel which has made you glad.

You will ask what you can do at such a time. The first thing we would suggest is, that every member of the Church should be affectionately asked to consider what he or she can do for the advancement of Christ's Kingdom. We read with deep interest and joy of the labours of those, in many of our mission fields, who volunteer for this work. All cannot be preachers, or teachers, or catechists, or singers of the Gospel, but let all who can so help do it heartily. The Lord has greatly blessed such simple services. Yet all of you can contribute to the testimony of consistent Christlike lives, which in every land and among all peoples is the most effective preaching of the truth as it is in Jesus; and few, if any, are without some opportunity of direct effort for the winning of others to Christ. Then, we would ask you to consider what you may do to carry on Gospel ordinances among yourselves, so as to set free our Missionaries to enter on new fields of labour among those around you. It is a gratifying fact that nearly all the ordained native Pastors are now maintained by their own congregations; and some congregations, even out of much poverty, are abounding in the riches of their liberality for the spread of the Gospel. If all did what they could, many of the most clamant appeals, which we are sorrowfully compelled to refuse, might be met.

We are appealing to the members of our Church here to give us more to spend in this work; and we therefore at the same time appeal to you to do your part in passing on to others what you have received.

Do not misunderstand our purpose. Do not think that we so write because we are weary of giving the Gospel to your people. It is because we have but a limited income, and if we go on spending it all upon those who have long been fed, and who are of age to help themselves, we can have nothing to give to those around you who have never yet tasted of the good Word of God.

We ask this for the sake of your countrymen, who are your kindred. We ask it for your own sakes, because we know that nothing will more effectually contribute to your own furtherance and joy of faith than such consecrated service and self-denial for your brethren's sakes; and we ask it for His sake, whose name and honour you love, and who has laid equally upon you and us the duty to preach His Gospel unto every creature.

We invite you, therefore, Brethren, to meet in your Presbyteries and Congregations and prayerfully to resolve what more you will do for yourselves and for your neighbours, that we may tell those who are entreating us to send Missionaries to them also that the help you have done without will be given to them.

In name and by appointment of the Foreign Mission Committee of the United Free Church of Scotland,

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Revd. Sir,

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We have no amount standing to your credit, the allowance made on the postage of the last parcel (6/9) - to which you probably refer - having been returned to you by postal order.

Trusting that this will be found in order,

We are, your obedt. Servts.,

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Signed Bertrand Parkhouse.

Dated at Exeter *this* 8th *day of* April 1910.

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