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Charlton House,
Mowbray,
near Cape Town,
South Africa:
12 Septbr/81.

Dear Sir,

In 1874, through Mr Furnivall's kind instrumentality, you were so good as to give me (by letter) some advice concerning a type-founder (Messrs Stephen Austin, Esq.

be cast for the purpose. Inclose a specimen of the kind of work to be printed here. Will you kindly write me word what your charge would be per sheet (including making up) preliminary for a volume of about 500 pages; and try the enclosed specimen, and let me see the result. I also enclose a copy of a sheet on which Dr Bleek had marked most of the unusual signs (which will be) accents required.

As I am anxious to be able to begin the printing of the above mentioned preliminary volume

(Messrs Figgins), from whom, as time went on, we were hoping to be able to order the type needful for printing the Bushman text (collected by the late Dr Bleek and myself). The time has now come, when I must take (some active) steps regarding printing, and it has struck me, that, as the communication between the Cape and England is now so regular and rapid, it might be possible to print in England, while at the same time living here, where the whole mass of material is, and having the proofs sent out to me, here, (& on correction should) The type which we require would be Pica, and the size Demy Octavo; the Bushman text, and its translation into English, being on pages opposite to each other. Some signs would have to be

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volume as early as practicable, I shall be very glad to receive a reply to my present letter at the earliest date possible to yourself.

I am, dear Sir,

Faithfully yours

Lucy L. Lloyd

P. S.

My address is,

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Charlton House,
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nr. Cape Town,
South Africa.