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Kra,
Ke nna eone. Ekete ho lw
Fenyang ba neetse Reo Gromyane keetse
ea madi ame a kgedi tse tharo
joanony le bone bare ba ikatllhaa
khahlo ke gu romela more than
this £10. panto tse tharo di senyefile
during the week. Nna le masenti le
nyana ra itaanya ke botlholo
last week. Kgaka ebile ene e tsel
gabedi. Madi a sencoe ke gone
le meyala e ke utse ke e itela
koa khaha Ncha.

Ke santse ke lebeleitse cheke
ea £9 from the Pretoria news for
February service etlare e tla fela
kehe ke e fetisa. Ke boadile maabane
fona ha e akopise le mono ke
sa kholoka. (oe eke na u se
popole gone ke iketlile kea kgaratho
Madi a gone fela a tla ba
bonyana. A khaha Nchu ke £42.

A ke lebele le nang. Ka dileraantla nago
ho fobantlelele le nente no baranting. Ke
madi a tona one a ea ka nako ke kabo re sa

S.T. Plaatje - Correspondence

Da 16 [c.1911?]

Sir,

Here I am. It seems Mr Fenyang and others have given Rev. Goronyane the bag containing my money for three months and they however, regret their action. I would be sending you more than this £10.

I spent £3 during the week. Ma Sainty the child and I suddenly took ill last week. The Doctor called on two occasions and I spent money paying him and sending telegrams to Thaba-Nchu.

I am expecting a cheque worth £9 from the Pretoria News for February service. As soon as I receive it, I'll forward it to you. I wrote yesterday asking them to hasten, and I am still collecting some money from here. Please Sir, do not think that I am sitting on my laurels; I too am restless. There is money, but they send it at their own time. For Thab-Nchu it is £42. Please get money for the newspapers from Gaboutloeloe and others and money for rent from the ministers. If the money was always send in time we would save it.

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