

African Studies

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Dear Dr Kuper,

Thank you very much for your letter of Thursday last in which you refer ~~you~~ kindly to my decision to resign my post at Fort Hare.

You are quite right in saying it was not an easy decision to make, having to my family responsibilities and the heavy financial loss which it was going to entail. My wife and I had to give the matter very serious consideration, but once we began to examine the implications of my staying on here, it became quite clear that it would be impossible for me to stay with a clear conscience. We do not know what the future holds in store for us, but we are satisfied that we have done the right thing. The Fort Hare that we have come to know and love has come to an end, and it is just as well that we should go with it.

Thank you very much for your offer of assistance. If the need arises I shall not hesitate to call upon you.

With kind regards to Leo and yourself,

Yours sincerely,

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