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HEAD QUARTERS - NEW BRIGHTON

12 Rula Street,
New Brighton,
PORT ELIZABETH,
12th April, 1961.

Professor Z.K. Matthews,
ALICE.

Dear Professor,

I have been instructed by the above mentioned Syndicate to follow up a telephonic communication made by Mr. Ximiya on our behalf, by this correspondence.

We kindly request you to accept our invitation to attend a Reception in your honour for your Doctorate degree to be conferred on you by the Rhodes University in the near future.

We are planning to organise a big Reception on Saturday 27th May, 1961, in the New Hall, Showground, at 8.p.m. It is our intention to make the occasion a memorable one and we are inviting Professor James Irving to be the Guest-Speaker and we are contacting Dr. Xuma to give introductory speech.

We shall deem it a great favour if you accept our humble request. Further, Sir, we would be pleased to get a list of your family, relatives and friends, both in the Union and outside, as a guide to us when sending out invitations.

We have, already, embarked on big plans for this day.

Thanking you in anticipation of your favourable reply.

Yours faithfully,

A. Z. Lamani
SECRETARY.