Reports

July 7th, 1891.

Mr. Escombe, Bishopstowe. I am reporting this to you and please convey to Dinuzulu.

I am reporting about the family of Ntshingwe: his wife, mother of Siqingi, son of Notshwila, a certain female, two girls from Moteni, Muyeza's wife from Majangaza with her two mothers and one of them was a woman of Zinhlendhleni, died. Two wives of Ngatsha of Kutwane, two children of Mugamule, i.e. one was the boy and one was the girl, died. Musutshwana's wife, mother of Ntaminemidwa and other two women died. Sikonyane's child died due to the outbreak of flu which also claimed the life of Matshiqela. Mashiqela's sister is mourning, and she says: "Only if there is my child Dinuzulu, I would take these children to their owner, Dinuzulu". Twenty nine (29) people died from the family which Dhlemudhlemu looks after for the king. Three wives of Mntabeni also died.

Three beasts from Osutu, Muhlophekazi died. Ndubane came here to stay with us. Siswana of Madwala is sick, and his leg is painful. Sokufoca came here with Dubane. Paul Mtimkulu's son is working for the Minister I am staying with here. He had been in need of money whilst he was working for Radebe and he got one pound. He also gave a beast for the death of Sifo, okaMsweli for medicines and gave the children a cow from Dhlambula's cattle.

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