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Dear Brethren:

It is now quite a long time since I wrote to you. I know that from time to time others have sent you communications and I thought it perhaps would be better, in view of the Hudson agitation, to let things rest quietly and not have too many individuals start writing about the same thing.

As you doubtless know, there have been a few communications come to us from Brother Hudson who, apparently, has become very earnest and serious as to his relation in this question. Recently he sent to me personally what he mentions as a letter terminating our correspondence on the subject, and so I presume he does not propose writing to us again.

You have probably received from him a copy of this letter for in his correspondence he seems to have been quite free and has been careful to see that others have received copies, so I could presume that he sent copies to you. However, in giving a little consideration to this, this morning the brethren thought I should send you a copy of the letter in case you did not have it.

I sincerely trust that the work in which you are engaged in in old Africa is bring theer and courage to your hearts. It is a wonderful privilege to be a servant of God in these last days. May the Lord Help us all to be all He would have us be, rightly related to Him, so that He can live in us and reveal Himself through us to the world.

With my very best wishes and Christian greetings to you both, also to the members of your families, believe me to remain

Very sincerely your brother,

W. E. Read

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