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Professor G. E. Pearse,  
University of the Witwatersrand,  
P. O. Box 1176,  
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Dear Professor Pearse,

I was very interested to get your letter of 27th ultimo, and to learn that you propose to write a book on the Work of Herbert Baker in South Africa.

For many years I have felt that such a work should certainly be undertaken by someone in a position to give the subject its proper weight and appreciation, holding as I do that Herbert Baker is one of the greatest Architects of our time; and although he has been generally appreciated in this Country to a certain point, I think that he is deserving of a far greater recognition than he has yet achieved - and I shall be most pleased to supply any particulars that I can which will add to the interest of the book.

I note that you expect to be in Cape Town sometime before June next, and no doubt could arrange a good many details with you personally when we meet. In the meantime I suppose it would be well, as you suggest, to make a list of Herbert Baker's Works, and this I will endeavour to do at convenient times - as a certain amount of this compilation will probably be dependant upon memory,

I hope to send you some particulars before very long, and with all good wishes.

Yours sincerely,

F. K. Kendall