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Mr. Mafika Gwala,
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Dear Mafika,

Well, I haven't been quite as slow about answering your last letter as I was about the earlier ones---which is something!

About you and the female companion and the week-end, we can offer you two alternatives. We have a place adjoining the Giants Castle Game Reserve, up in the Drakensberg, which sounds something like your Transkei setting. There you would be very much on your own, and apart from the road going past and leading to the Game Reserve, quite isolated. The second alternative is what you might call the 'house farm' at Nottingham Road. I am on duty every third week-end there, and we could aim to fit your visit in with one of my week-ends. The only trouble is that neither place is at its most inviting at this time of year -- cold, dry and dusty. So you might prefer to wait for the rain and the warmth to come back. Anyway, think about it and let me know.

Things on the Inkatha/UDF front don't look very happy at the moment, with a public slanging match in full swing. Dromo has responded in REALITY to an article on the "Year of Cetwavs" in reasonably moderate terms. I think the author wants to reply, so perhaps there will be some reasonable discussion there.

Thank you for your suggestions on Poverty Programmes and the one about your photographer friend, Omar Badsha. We did use one of his photographs, which I think came from Afrifix, but our trouble is we can't afford to pay for our photographs. On poverty, we are hoping to have something on Carnegie in our coming number.

Regards,