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Dear Miss Horwitz,

I must apologise for not having replied to you earlier. I have read through your notes and am quite satisfied with them, but would just like to make the following remarks:-

1. Stick to your practice of underlining headings, and of running a line across the page when the subject is changed.
2. I understand your abbreviations pretty well, for example, division, between, equality, etc.
3. Where another MP is mentioned, please name constituency unless of course by that time it has become well-known to me.
4. Yes, the book is a personal study rather than a political one, but, as you yourself will know, too much political matter, especially when it has lost its interest can kill a biography. I think you will find the important things in 1936, '38, '39, '43, '46, '47, '48.
5. You say your main difficulty is to paraphrase Hofmeyr, but you must do this - too many quotations will kill the book. For eloquence and oratory, look in the years indicated above. I am sure that you will get less detailed as you go on.
6. Yes, you are quite right to look for the following points - Colour, Race, Jews and Immigration, Control of behaviour by legislation, dislike of interfering with personal liberty, attitude to Nazism, attitude to Afrikaner Nationalism, Segregation, attitude towards women, humour, wit, idiosyncrasies.
7. I find your writing quite legible. Was it your intention to type? I think if you were to write a little more slowly, and used more spacing and underlining, we could dispense with the typing.

You do not mention anything about fees. I agreed with Leftwich that I would pay him £30 a month for a 5-day week of seven hours a day. Does this suit you?

Good luck with the work.

Yours sincerely,

P.S. Shall I return your notes, or shall I keep them?

