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Dear Mr. King,

I have just finished the final proofs of the Hofmeyr book. With your permission I would like to add a brief appendix which would read as follows -

"Readers of this book will perhaps be interested to learn that on April 20, 1964 I received a letter from Mr. Albert King (Babu), who for thirty years exchanged letters with Hofmeyr. He wrote from the address, 'Golden Journey', 23 Cherwell Park Caravans, Mill Lane, Old Marston, Oxford. The important paragraph reads as follows - "You ought to know that I got married in 1954 and that we live in a very comfortable caravan with over 600 books and a little garden, a cat, etc. My work is only 5 minutes away on a scooter but I no longer make cuckoos like you saw. But I still sketch and am also an amateur astronomer, with a little 4" reflector I built from a kit. Outside hangs a camel-bell, hence the address name."

Please let me know whether you have any objection, The brief appendix would make a wonderful addition to the book which deals frequently with the way in which you and JH teased one another about marriage.

Best wishes to you and your wife.

Yours sincerely,