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Dear Dr. Allport,

I am not quite sure if I wrote to thank you for sending me LETTERS FROM JENNY. Both my wife and I found it very fascinating.

The Oxford University Press published my Life of Hofmeyr in October 1964 in South Africa, and it is shortly being brought out by Scribner's in an abridged edition, under the title A SOUTH AFRICAN TRAGEDY. Although the abridgement has been quite well done, I can't bring myself to like it very much because it seems to move jerkily. Of course the abridger had to leave out many things which I think robs the biography of its fullness.

Warm regards from my wife and myself.

Yours sincerely,