Dear Professor Matthews,

Thank you for your letter of 16th June. I was pleased to hear that you returned safely to Fort Hare.

I have written to the University Accountant to ask him to send you a cheque for £29 11l to cover the expenses you incurred in travelling to address our Convocation meeting. I hope you will receive this soon. If for some reason there is a delay, would you be so kind as to write to tell me, as I would not like you to be put at an inconvenience.

We were most grateful that you were so kind as to come all the way to speak to us. Your address was a fitting close to our discussions, and was welcomed by many who had not before had the opportunity of listening to you. We were glad also that Mrs Matthews was able to accompany you.

With kind regards to you both,

Yours sincerely,

Trevor Coombe
Secretary