



Dear Mr. Jenkins.

Congratulations —

And if my husband were here I know that he too would have added his wholehearted approval. For I never, at any stage, heard him have any doubt whatsoever of the theory that the 'Sydney's' magazines went up. But the press, & writer's of books, like Montgomery would not let it rest. It had to be a mystery —

And now, at last, I have just this moment finished reading your splendid account, written after great research. It has given me enormous satisfaction. And I know my husband too would have really appreciated it. With kindest regards —

Yours sincerely

Phyllis L. Collins (Lady Collins)
P.T.O.

Sorry, when I say "The
magazines went up", obviously
he meant - because she
was on fire & so badly
damaged, he concluded
that she would probably
have blown up - I haven't
put it very well! But
you will get the message.
P. P.
