SEBASTIAN MALLABY: AFTER APARTHEID. Faber and Faber, London, 1992.

Journalist Mallaby was one of the first to climb on the bandwagon of post-apartheid analyses of South Africa. As Africa correspondent of the ECONOMIST and a student of history. Mallaby is interested in this central question: will Africa's most sophisticated economy become an East Asian-style powerhouse, or another African disappointment? Will the white South Africans, with their money and skills remain in the country? Will the black politicians prove equal to the challenge of building a new order?

This book could be skilfully used to stimulate the thoughts of senior pupils doing contemporary South African history.