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Dear Professor Vicens Vives,

I should have written long before to thank you and Señora Vicens Vives for all your kindness to my wife and me, but, after leaving Barcelona, we were travelling continuously till we returned to England.

We shall always remember that most hospitable and congenial party at your house, at which you gave us the pleasure of meeting your friends and colleagues, and also the all too brief visit the next morning to the Cathedral and the Archives of Aragon, and to the Hall where Columbus made his report to the Catholic Kings; we were grieved that this first visit of ours to Barcelona was so unavoidably short. I am writing now to say that we will carry lasting memories of your kindness and that I look forward to our continuing to keep in touch with one another.

As a small token of my feelings I am sending you, under separate cover, a small work of mine.

With many thanks again,

Yours very sincerely,

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