

July 11, 1960.

Mr. Orif Aziz Ahmad
University of London
School of Oriental and African Studies
London, England.

Dear Professor Ahmad:

We would like to inform you that for twenty-two years there has existed in Mexico City a non-profit, private institution dedicated to higher education and to research work in the field of humanities and in some of the social sciences. Its name is El Colegio de México and it is directed by a group of well known personalities,

El Colegio de México has been publishing for thirteen years, besides its teaching and research activities, a hispanic, literary and philological review and a historical one, for ten years. It intends now to initiate a quarterly publication on international affairs.

This, of course, would be a periodical devoted to give to the Spanish-speaking readers, that is to say, to Spain and to the nineteen Latin American countries, a notion of their own international problems and of those of the main nations or regions of the world. These problems are not only juridical, but political, economic, social and cultural as well.

The review would have an initial section dedicated to the publication of articles, of an average length of 4,500 to 9,000 words, in which a particular subject or theme, the presentation of which could be of international interest, would be dealt with. It would have a book-review section and another of documents, where those which could have a notable international repercussion would be reproduced.

El Colegio de México intends to pay the contributions it publishes: it offers a fee of 40 American dollars for an article, and from 10 to 20 dollars for a book-review, according to its extent. El Colegio does not pretend to acquire through these payments exclusive literary rights, that is to say, in all languages, but only in the Spanish language. In this manner, the authors who write in a language other than the Spanish, would be free to use those same articles for publications in reviews or periodicals in their own language. In the same manner, if you are planning to deliver an article or book-review for a journal of your own language, you may order a carbon copy of it to be sent to us for consideration.

El Colegio de México would like to invite you most heartily to send a contribution, perhaps on some of the topics you usually cover in your courses. We would like you to consider yourself a permanent collaborator of its periodical, so that you may send, without further

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invitation, those articles and book-reviews that may come from your habitual work or activity, with the certainty that they will be most welcomed.

El Colegio de México would appreciate very much if you could indicate to us the name and address of friends or colleagues of yours whom you consider liable to be interested in cooperating with us.

In the hope of hearing from you soon, we remain,

Sincerely yours

Daniel Cosío Villegas
President

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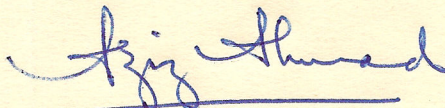
SENIOR COMMON ROOM
SCHOOL OF ORIENTAL AND AFRICAN STUDIES
UNIVERSITY OF LONDON,
W.C.I.

23rd July, 1960

Dear Professor Villegas,

I am very grateful to you for your kind letter of 11th July asking for contribution in the new quarterly journal your Institute is about to bring out. I shall be very happy to contribute an article on the "Impact of Spanish Islam on modern Muslim India". This will be generally of International interest, and specially interesting for Spanish colleagues. I shall ~~ye~~ send you this article in a few weeks' time if you are interested.

Yours sincerely,



(Aziz Ahmad)

August 20, 1960.

Mr. Aziz Ahmad
Senior Common Room
School of Oriental and African Studies
London, England.

Dear Mr. Ahmad:

Your will excuse me for answering your kind letter of July 23rd. latter than I had wished.

Your suggested article on Spanish Islam's Impact on Modern Muslim India would fit, I believe, perfectly well in our journal; and as you say, might interest our readers. Please, then, send it at your earliest convenience.

I am sending you under separate cover a copy of the first issue of our journal, which may give you an idea of its nature, range and contents.

Yours sincerely

Daniel Cosío Villegas
President

DCV/meh.-

SCHOOL OF ORIENTAL AND AFRICAN STUDIES

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5th September, 1960.

Dear Professor Villegas,

Please refer to your letters Ref. DCV/meh dated July 11th and August 20th 1960. As desired by you I am sending you the typescript of my article SPANISH ISLAM AND MODERN MUSLIM INDIA for your journal.

I shall be grateful to know in what issue of your journal this article will be published and when. Also whether in view of your remark in your first letter I may after its publication in your journal also offer it to an English journal. I realise of course, that you will have the monopoly of its publication in Spanish translation.

Can you also let me have 20 off-prints of the article for distribution among my Orientalist friends.

Regarding the remuneration of 40 U.S. dollars which you offer I shall be grateful if the amount is credited to my account (Konto Nr 62 204) in Deutsche Bank, Filiale BONN, West Germany.

Yours sincerely,



(Aziz Ahmad)

Professor Daniel Cosío Villegas,
President,
El Colegio de México,
Durango 93,
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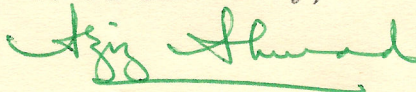
SENIOR COMMON ROOM
SCHOOL OF ORIENTAL AND AFRICAN STUDIES
UNIVERSITY OF LONDON,
W.C.I.

22nd October, 1960

Dear Professor Villages,

In answer to your letter of August 20 I had sent for your Journal as desired by you an article SPANISH ISLAM IN MODERN MUSLIM INDIA. I have not heard anything from you about it. I shall be grateful to know whether you are publishing that article and if so when will it be published.

Yours Sincerely,



(Aziz Ahmad)

México, D. E. a 2 de Diciembre de 1960.

Mr. Aziz Ahmad
Senior Common Room
School of Oriental and African Studies
University of London
London W.C. 1, INGLATERRA

Dear Mr. Ahmad:

Please forgive me for not having written you -
before concerning your very interesting article on the Spanish Islam
in modern Muslim India. Through an oversight it was given to one -
of our translators without first acknowledgment of its receipt. -
However, we expect to have it ready for publication in the near fu-
ture and shall advise you as soon as it appears.

With kind regards,

Sincerely yours,

Daniel Cosío Villegas
President

DCV/ygn.

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c/o School of Oriental & African
Studies,
University of London, W.C.I.

22nd December, 1960

Dear Mr Villegas,

Thank you for your letter of 3rd Dec.
informing me that my article SPANISH ISLAM AND MODERN
MUSLIM INDIA will be published soon in the FORO
INTERNACIONAL.

Kindly note my instructions:

1) I shall be grateful if you could
kindly send me 15 off-prints of my article.

2) The remuneration for the article,
due to me may kindly be credited at your early
convenience to my account (Konto Nr.62 204) at the
Deutsche Bank, Filiale Bonn, BONN, West Germany, and I
may be informed when this is done.

Yours sincerely,

Aziz Ahmad

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Mr. Daniel Cosío Villegas,
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