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THE DIRECTOR GENERAL
PAN AMERICAN UNION
WASHINGTON, D. C.

September 7, 1920.

Personal and Confidential.

My dear Friend:

I want to take an early opportunity to congratulate you on the great honor that has come to you in your election to the presidency of Mexico. Congratulations are primarily due the people of your great country in securing your services in this high office, and I am certain that the period of your incumbency will mean much to the prosperity and progress of Mexico.

It has been my privilege to visit Mexico on six different occasions, and I am acquainted with every section of the country with the exception of the important states along the Pacific Coast. I know what a wonderful future awaits your country and its people, and I want you to feel that I will deem it a very real privilege to be of any possible service to your country.

With warm regards and renewed good wishes for the success of your administration, I beg to remain,

Yours most sincerely,

General Alvaro Obregon,
Mexico City, Mexico.

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En México, D. F.

Sept. 20
de 1920.

Estimado y fino amigo:

He tenido verdadero placer en recibir su atenta carta fechada el 7 de Septiembre último, conteniendo su muy expresiva felicitación por el triunfo que obtuvo mi candidatura en las elecciones presidenciales verificadas el domingo 5 de los corrientes.

Estimo en alto grado y agradezco sinceramente - la atenta felicitación de usted y los buenos deseos que expresa, por el futuro bienestar y desarrollo - de México, así como por la buena voluntad en que se encuentra para prestar cualquier servicio a nuestro País, cuya cooperación considero de gran valor e importancia.

Envío a usted mis saludos más cariñosos y con el aprecio y estimación de siempre, me es grato repetirle su atento amigo y seguro servidor.

Señor ^{E. S.} X. O. Rowe.
Director General.
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September 8, 1920.

My dear General Obregon:

I want to present to you my good friend, Mr. V. H. Pinckney, Chairman of the Latin American Division of the Chamber of Commerce of San Francisco, who is proceeding to Mexico City as a representative of the Chamber to bring about closer commercial relations between his community and Mexico. I know that it will be of very great service and advantage to Mr. Pinckney to have the benefit of a conference with you, and I will greatly appreciate any courtesies extended to him. Mr. Pinckney has been one of the leaders in fostering relations between the United States and Mexico and with the other countries of Central and South America, and I am expecting important results from his trip.

With very warm regards, I am,

Most sincerely yours,

Director General.

His Excellency
The President of Mexico,
General Alvaro Obregon,
Mexico City, Mexico.

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