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My dear Terry

I fully sympathise with you in your worries about the coming Anglo-Catalan Conference.

I rang J. Walker. He is going to Seville as soon as the term ends to work for four weeks at the "Archivo de Indias".

He suggested that Keithleigh might have some material out of his thesis on Hercules in the Hispanic literatures.

I am writing to Tate on this & enquiring also about Miss Jill Webster whose thesis on Francesc Eiximenis we passed recently at Nottingham.

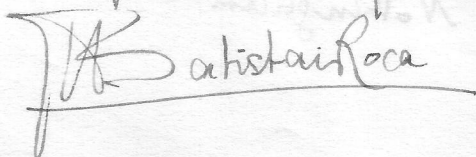
If you could kindly send me the names of the young Catalan lectors in British Universities I could try to insist asking their cooperation.

As for myself, I wrote to Barrass on receipt of the first circular in November offering a paper. I added that the subject would be submitted later, & that is possibly the reason why he did not take my offer as a firm one. The subject of my paper would be "The persistence of the Catalan national sentiment through the 18th century." I have much material collected on the subject, so in the worst of cases I could expand the paper into a lecture.

"Serra d'Or" published recently your excellent article on Molas & Castellat's books. Could it not be developed as a paper of yours for the conference? We all should enjoy it.

With all good wishes

yours sincerely

Batistai Roca