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From: Dr. G.J. Walker

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Dear Miss McHugh,

Thank you for your letter of 1st February and your cheque for £2.00 as your subscription to join the Anglo-Catalan Society. Let me first extend a personal as well as a corporate welcome to you as a new member.

I am afraid that not very much happens in the Society at this time of year beyond the selection of the Society's Catalan visiting scholar for this year, and the next event of importance will be the weekend conference to be held in Birmingham at the end of September. In the meanwhile I am enclosing some reading matter which I hope you may find interesting and will pass on your name and address to Alan Yates so that you will receive notices etc. and details of the Birmingham meeting.

The number of courses available on Catalan affairs in Catalonia has been growing over the last few years. I enclose last year's programme of the oldest established and most widely recognized one, run by the Institut d'Estudis Catalans. If you write to Srta. Montserrat Martí at the address shown she will send you details of this year's course (which, incidentally, may not be published until as late as June or July). Details of another (beginners') course in Barcelona may be had from Dr. Henry Ettinghausen, Dept. of Spanish, The University, Southampton. I believe there are other courses too (at Barcelona and Valencia Universities) but I have no specific details. I shall ask Alan Yates to send you information of anything else of this kind which he may have received as Secretary of this Society.

Looking forward to meeting you personally in September, and with all good wishes,

Yours sincerely,

Geoffrey J. Walker

P.S. I assume from your letter that you are still a student. If this is so you will be pleased to hear that we have a reduced subscription rate of £1 for students. May I therefore keep your £2 as a subscription for two years, or alternatively credit you with £1 against your conference bill in September?

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