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Dear Alan,

Just a line to let you have my new address. I know it's a long time since you wrote and I should've back, but what with moving, preparing courses, preparing my new research, one thing, and another, correspondence generally has been a wee bit neglected.

Mainly, I'm keen to be informed about the Anglo-Pat. conference as I'm hoping you in your capacity as something like head cook might be able to help me tout my thesis to potential English^{and}-based translators (having someone in Spain, I've decided, would be to court disaster). Anyway we'll see.

Aberystwyth's like a breath of fresh air after Cambridge (and that's not only a reference to the mountains!) I'm teaching

a leisurely translation course and
an equally un-taxing literary one in XXth.
C. Spanish. My own research is taking
me further into that no-man's land
where literature becomes blurred with his-
tory and I'm vaguely toying with the idea
of doing something on comparative Cast./Cat.
nationalism via lit. and periodicals in the
dear old period of fin-de-siècle till the
Great War, unless I find someone has al-
ready done it! I'm at the moment also
piling together a paper (for publication?)
saying just how bloody awful Pompeu
Gener was.

Hope to get some info. from you
soon,

Regards,

Mike McCarthy

P.S. I'm posting this later, having just picked
up the info. you sent from College. Thanks.
I must admit the conference does fall on a tricky
weekend but I'll do my best to see you there!