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A.C.S

Dear Ron,

Many thanks for your letter of the 16th. I enclose details of such hotels as I am able to give; you may need to amend this in the light of your experience last year, but the prices at least are up-to-date. I have consulted Janet Chapman about Spanish restaurants. It looks as if the two that are most likely to accommodate us reasonably are:

Antonio's Spanish Restaurant,  
3 Long Acre, W.C.2.  
tel: 836 7911 or 9959

Martinez's Spanish Restaurant,  
25 Swallow Street, W.1.  
tel: 734 5066

We used to use Martinez's before transferring to Hampstead, and although expensive it was reasonably satisfactory. I gather that those who are unwary enough to have dinner at Antonio's are subjected to flamenco, but this may not apply to lunch, and one could in any case ask them to refrain. Janet adds that there is a third possibility - the Hispaniola Restaurant Ship, River Thames Victoria Embankment, W.C.2. (tel: 839 3011). This, it seems, is small, but could probably accommodate 30 people without sinking. I suppose it all depends on whether you like bouncing up and down while you eat.

Prices at Westfield for meals will be:

Lunch ... 4/9d.  
Dinner ... 5/6d.  
Morning coffee  
and biscuits ... 1/6d.

There is no need to pay in advance; all that is needed is as much information as possible about numbers a couple of days before the Conference (slight fluctuation will not matter, but if I told the Catering Officer to expect 10 and 25 come, or

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*Saturday lunch*  
*8 Nov.*  
*c. 1.00pm*

*approx 30*

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vice versa, we shall be in trouble.

The position about speakers sounds a little disappointing. It would be very helpful if you could let me have a note of the speakers with titles of papers, even if the times are not yet fixed, since there is a meeting of the London Medieval Society on Wednesday the 30th and I want to publicise our conference. I think that covers everything. Let me know if not.

Yours ever,

*Alan*