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Dear Russell. Lebbell,

Thank you for your letter and enclosure, and for the reminder about the subscription. I shall communicate with Geoff Ribbons almost at once (there may be a week's delay, but I shan't forget!).

I do not propose to read any paper at the next session, but many thanks for the 'invitation'. Catalan, not being on the programme of our district book, is at present undergoing an eclipse. The work on the book is proceeding slowly. At present we are not decided about its scope: I am awaiting an answer from Douglas

Gifford on this point at present, but it is pretty certain that we shall be comparing ourselves to the central dialects of the peninsula. I am at present collecting for Sragonese and Gifford for Kewese. Castellan will be the toughest nut in some ways, and that we shall leave to the last.

Will you thank Mr Staff for his very informative circular about the Hispanist's Society. I haven't yet got down to reading it properly, but expect to find time at the end of term.

With best wishes.

Yours sincerely,

Fred Taylor