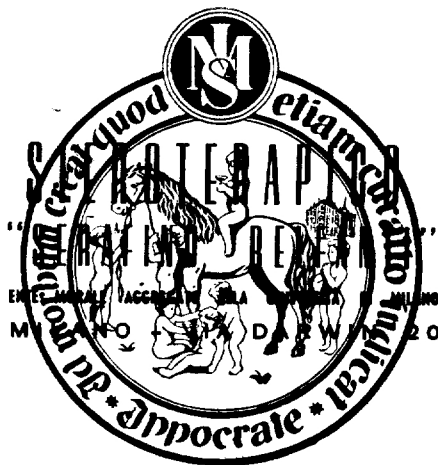


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18/8/52

Dear Joshua,

Thank you for your letter of July 28, which arrived during my absence. I am surprised that occasionally the mail from Italy (or, perhaps, from this place) suffers undue delay. Meanwhile the editors of JGM have acknowledged receipt of the typescript and also had it refereed, since they sent the enclosure to Hayes. Hayes kindly offered to ~~have~~ do the corrections he can do, and discuss the rest with me at Pallanza (where Pontecorvo, who is likely to have been one of the referees, will also be), then have the typescript retyped and send it directly to the Editor in time for the deadline. This does not leave time for you to read the new manuscript, but you will have time for any corrections that you may like to make before the proofs come. However, there is still time for altering this proposed course and ~~relaxing~~ letting you have the corrected manuscript before it goes to press. I have temporarily accepted ~~it~~ <sup>this plan</sup>, in the hope that the alterations proposed by the editor - and which may have been detailed in the typescript, now in Hayes's hands - are not ~~so~~ in fact as heavy as their letter sounds. I would not take in consideration replanning of the whole work, as they seem to claim <sup>it</sup> as almost essential.

I should start work again in the second half of September. Meanwhile, I shall be here or in Pallanza for this business of the European symposium of MG.

Yours sincerely

*Luca*