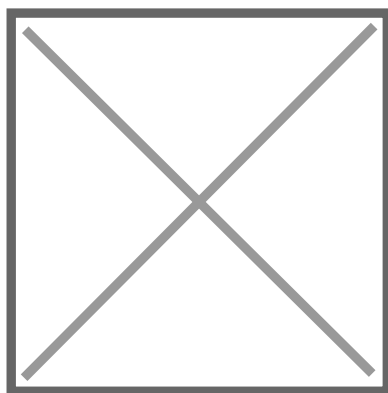




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Much esteemed Madame,

While attending the PER Congress at Buenos Aires, as a delegate from India, I met your countrywoman Mariyam who requested me to hand over her latest novel to you. But as I hear today during the few hours that our ship stops in Lisbon, your Consulate may be closed owing to a holiday. So I beg to send the book and this letter through my esteemed friend Dr. Fidelino de Figueiredo who has kindly agreed to pass on the book to you.

As a humble poet from Bengal (the native place of Rabindranath Tagore), I beg to convey to you, in this connection, the respects and admiration of the rising generation of Indian writers. We know your kind interest in the cultural life of other nations and we shall be grateful if you send us now and then your books (when translated into French or English) and other interesting documents relating to the literary and cultural life of Chile.

Thanking you and with best regards

Yours faithfully

Kalidas Nag

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