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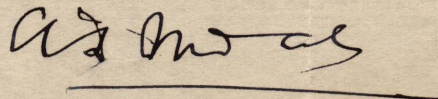
My dear Mr. Saiyidain,

It was very kind of you to have written in such felicitous terms about my period of Vice-Chancellorship and what little I have been able to do by grace of God. As I look back upon these 25 years, I am reminded of the kind friends like you who have literally enriched my life by the valuable advice and contributions you have made for the success of my work in various spheres. You were one of the earliest with whom I had the privilege of coming into contact in the Education Department.

Perhaps I may remind you of an incident that I have treasured all along. When the late revered Maulana Saheb was giving a Tea party to the delegates of U.N.E.S.C.O., how he requested you to call me and spoke in felicitous terms and although I understood what he said very well, he insisted upon your translating it to English and letting me know about it. How much we miss such great men to-day!

I can only live in the past - in the images that are fresh in my memory. Things seem to be going along in the slippery road. People like me, walking yet haltingly on the fallen autumnal leaves of life, can only pray and pray earnestly that God preserve our country and our nation. With sincere thanks,

Yours sincerely,



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