

30th SEPTEMBER 1939.

My dear Luca,

Thanks for your letter, the essential contents of which I had more or less anticipated.

As you suggest I will apply on your behalf for one year's leave without pay, and as this is asking the University for nothing I suppose they will make no particular trouble about it. I am very glad to think that you have found your time in my department useful to you, and that you think possibly after a year the way may be clear for you to spend some more time in England. This I should certainly enjoy very much.

With kindest regards to Mrs. Cavalli and the family,

yours sincerely,