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February 19, 1965

Dr. Feza Gursey Middle East Technical University Ankara, Turkey

Dear Feza:

A very able graduate student of mine — Ralph Roskies — would like to continue his studies at Yale under your direction. I hope that he will take his degree there this summer. It would be a great deal of help if you could let us know for sure whether you will be at Yale next year.

Best regards to you and your family from Mary and myself.

Sincerely yours,

Eugene P. Wigner

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April 6, 1965

Dr. Feza Gürsey Orta Dogu Teknik Universitesi 24 Modafaa Caddesi Yenisehir Ankara, TURKEY

Dear Feza:

Thank you very much for your letter of March 26, and not only I but also Mary is delighted at the prospect of seeing the Gürsey family again in the fall. We will be back in Princeton, but actually both of us enjoyed our stay here and I do think that it was not altogether unsuccessful. I do understand very well your misgivings about the Istanbul Summer School Proceedings. It is a bit disjointed, but the articles themselves are informative and the reader should be able to piece the information together to a coherent whole if he thinks about it sufficiently. Naturally, few people will read every single article, and this hope is therefore perhaps a bit optimistic. I do not fully understand Gordon and Breach - I was told that in other cases they did a good job.

We have a visitor from Yale here right now, and he tells me that he was quite impressed with Roskies' talk there. You realize, of course, that it is more difficult for me to judge him than for someone who is further away and therefore less biased. If you really would like to have him in Yale, you might want to drop a line to this effect to the Physics Department because it seems to be the custom that everyone puts in a word for the person with whom he may want to work.

Did I tell you that Roskies is giving a set of lectures here which are quite popular and which deal to a considerable extent with your groups?

Sincere regards to yourself and Suha from Mary and myself.

Sincerely yours,

Eugene P. Wigner

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P.S. I am enclosing a copy of "A Relativistic Mechanics of Interacting Point Particles" as you requested.

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June 1, 1965

Dr. Feza Gürsey Department of Theoretical Physics Middle East Technical University Ankara, TURKEY

Dear Feza:

Thank you very much for your letter of May 17 which pleased me no end. No, I do not have any serious reservations concerning your extensions of the SU-groups. The fact is, however, that I have studied them much less than I would have liked to. In fact, most of what I know about the most modern literature on the subject I owe to conversations with Roskies. Incidentally, he did receive an appointment at Yale and was almost in the Seventh Heaven about it.

The whole family does look forward to seeing you next year, and I hope you will not neglect Princeton altogether.

Sincerely yours,

Eugene P. Wigner

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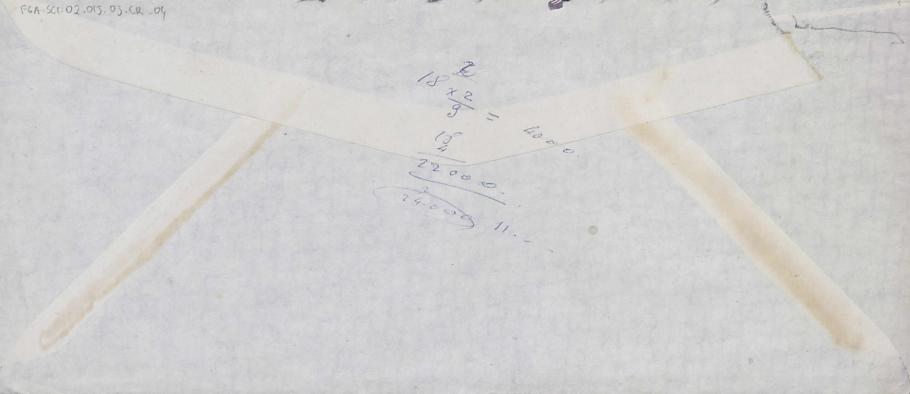
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