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My dear Sir:

I have received your report on Yaxchilan and have sent it to be translated with all speed.

I congratulate you on the work, which you have accomplished, and take pleasure in sending you a draft on New York for five hundred dollars, the balance due you under our original agreement. This payment makes no account of the amount which has been spent to furnish you with the German newspaper, which I beg you will accept with my kind regards.

I have sent you also, as I have already notified you, your articles through that on Petha. Your report on Piedras Negras is being put into typewriting and will be sent you as soon as possible. That on Yaxchilan will also be forwarded as soon as it is translated and typewritten.

I am still waiting to hear from you in regard to our publishing as a part of your report some of the photographs of Yaxchilan and other places, which you had previously sent me. If there is no objection to this on your part, it might be well for you to furnish the negatives, if you have them, and these will be returned to you after they have been made use of.

The question now arises as to your doing further work in connection with the Museum. I have expressed myself in regard to this in former letters and I shall be very glad to know your views in the matter.

In sending your report on Yaxchilan to the translator, I have inserted the name of Charnay's work, as you requested. It is "Les Anciennes Villes du Nouveau Monde", and the year of his explorations in Yaxchilan is March 1882. I suppose the title of Maudslay's work, which you wish, is "Biologia Centrali-Americana, Archaeology". This I have also inserted.

Please acknowledge the receipt of this draft and let me know your views about further explorations.

Very truly yours,

Charles D. Barrett