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Dear Beatriz:

I have the letter you wrote to DR on May 3, 1983. I will bring with me to Mexico (we are both coming to Palenque) the microfilm of the Ordoñez y Aguilar manuscript. It will be great to see you again too!

I did a little digging around and find that the manuscript was in the Nicolás León Collection (it has his bookplate in the front of the leather cover it is in). A Certificado de Seguro de Transito in the back gives the date of 25 Oct. 1929 (also 31). I don't know why the "1931," but it seems to have come to Tulane in 1929.

We do have a larger Nicolás León Collection purchased from Agencia Misrachi, March, 1932, but a small part was acquired by the Middle American Research Institute previous to the Misrachi acquisition.

I am enclosing xerox from Gropp, 1933, giving some information about the manuscript, and xerox of the catalog cards (including the typewritten transcription that we have). Would you be interested in that transcription?

The cost of the microfilm will be \$18.00 (U.S.).

Looking forward to seeing you, I am

Sincerely yours,

Martha B. Robertson
Curator of Rare Books

P. S. Don will be at the Hotel Montejo beginning June 6th, and I will come down on June 9th. Would you kindly do him a favor and call to verify his reservation on June 6th. Thanks muchissimo!