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Ottawa, April 5, 1959.

Dr. Solon Michaelides,
State Conservatoire of Music,
Salonica, Greece.

Dear Dr. Michaelides,

I have suggested to Miss Maud Karpeles, the Secretary of the International Folk Music Council, that you should be approached to find out whether you would accept an invitation to become president of the IFMC in replacement of the late and much regretted Vaughan Williams. And she has just asked me to write to you about it and to request you to reply to her directly, to save time for the consultation of other members of the Executive Board.

No need to tell you that we are very much in earnest about this invitation and hope that you will be able to accept. Of course, the other members of the Board will be requested to give their own opinion. But a prerequisite is your acceptance.

With kindest regards,

Very sincerely,

Marius Barbeau

Marius Barbeau

14th April

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STATE CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC,
THESSALONIKI, GREECE;

Director: Dr. Solon Michaelides.

Dr. Marius Barbeau,
President, Canadian F.M. Society,
O t t a w a, Ontario,
Canada.

Dear Dr. Barbeau,

Very many thanks for your letter of April 5,
1959.

It was extremely kind of you to propose my
name for the Presidency of the I.F.M.C. I am grateful
for these generous feelings which coming from a persona-
lity of your standing are deeply touching.

Miss Karpeles has already communicated your
suggestion to me and I am enclosing herein a copy of my
reply to her.

I hope you will kindly forgive my refusal to
accept, considering that this is not based on unwilling-
ness to serve but to consciousness that there are more
competent persons than me for this high post.

With kindest regards,

Yours very sincerely,


Solon Michaelides,

1 enclosure.

6th April 19.

STATE CONSERVATORY OF MUSIC
THESSALONIKI, GREECE.

Director: Solon Michaelides.

Miss Maud Karpeles,
Secretary IFMC,
35 Princess Court, Queensway,
London, W.2
England.

Dear Miss Karpeles,

Many thanks for your letters of March 20th
and April 3rd.

I was very moved by Dr. Barlean's thought
to propose my name to the Presidency of the IFMC. But,
though willing to serve in every way I can, I am afraid
I am not the right person for such a high post, honoured
by R.W. Williams.

Will you please not include my name in the
list of the Candidates ?

With regard to the Conference in Bucharest
I shall do my best to come. My difficulty comes from the
fact that after a special grant of the Government we are
starting just now a State Symphony Orchestra and being
in charge of it I shall be wholly busy with rehearsals
etc. for a long period.

Yours sincerely,


S. Michaelides.

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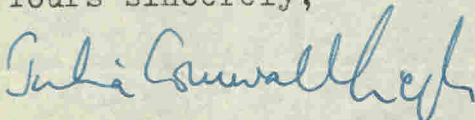
29th March 1971

Dear Mr Michaelides,

I am enclosing the reply that I received from the B.B.C. Unfortunately they don't offer you anything, as you see.

But if you have any plans for an appearance, I'm sure they would come along.

Yours sincerely,



Julia Cornwall-Legh

29th November, 1976

Mrs. Enid A. Hill
Secretary, The Loeb Classical Library
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Dear Mrs. Hill,

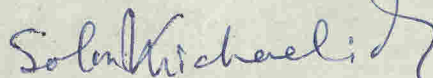
I am glad to inform you that the printing of my "Dictionary of Ancient Greek Music" is now at its final stage and I hope to be able to bring with me a copy when I come to London on December 19, 1976.

I would be very grateful if you could arrange an appointment for me any time between the 20th and 31st December as I want to show you the copy and consult you on certain problems concerning the distribution of the book.

Thanking you in anticipation.

With kindest regards,

Yours sincerely



(SOLON MIXHAELIDES)

Ε. Χαριτζειδού

Αγ. Νικολάου 51

Λευκωσία, Τ.Τ. 1106

10 11 1974

Αγαπητέ μου κ. Μιχαηλίδη,

Παρακομμάδισαμε με βαθιά ευκίνηση την "Προσφορά στην Κύπρο" στο ραδιόφωνο και αργότερα στην τηλεόραση που ήτανε πολύ επιτυχημένη. Σας εύχαριστούμε πολύ για την ευθελία σας και πιστεύουμε πως όσο έχουμε ανθρώπους του ήθικου και καλλιτεχνικού αναστήματος σας μπορούμε να πιστεύουμε στην σωτηρία του τόπου μας. Η τραγωδία μας είναι συγχρονιστική, την παρακομμάδιστε.

Τα "Κυπριακά Ξενούδια" νιώσαμε πως έβγαλαν σα μια δέηση μέσα από την γυχή μας και θέλουμε να πιστεύουμε πως θα γτάσουνε στην Ανάσταση. Όσο το προγράμμα μας ευκίνησε και εύχαριστούμε εγώσας βαθιά.

Παίρνω τό θάρρος να σας παρακαλέσω να δεχθείτε δύο πίνακες μου, αν αυτό θα σας εύχαριστούσε. Δεν έχω μεχρήμ ιδέα για την έκφραση μου, πιστεύω μόνο πως είναι εύληπτης. Θα μπορούσε να διαλέξετε ότι θα σας άρεσε αν έρθετε εσείς εδώ. Αν θέξετε μαζί σας στέγω εγώ από δω, μόλις βρω ευκαιρία. Έρεϊς τώρα δεν μπορούμε να ταξιδέυουμε.

Σας παρακαλώ χαιρετίστε μου την κυρία σας, θα ήθελα να ήξερα τι μπορεί να άρεσε και εσάς δυο σας.

Σας εύχαριστώ και πάλι θερμά για την προ-
σφορά σας στον βασισμένο τόπο μας.

Θα χαίρομαι πολύ να έχω νέα σας.

Με βαθύτατη εκτίμηση
Έβνη Χαριτζίδου



ΠΡΟΕΔΡΙΚΟΝ ΜΕΓΑΡΟΝ

Ἐν Λευκωσίᾳ, τῆς 10ῆς Δεκεμβρίου 1976.

Κύριον
Σόλωνα Μιχαηλίδην,
Νεοφύτου Μεταξᾶ 14-16,
Ἀθήνας (109).

Ἀγαπητέ κ. Μιχαηλίδη,

Ἐλάβομεν τὴν ἀπὸ 4ης τρέχοντος μηνὸς Δεκεμβρίου ἐπιστολὴν σας ὡς καὶ τὸν δίσκον μὲ ἔργα σας καὶ θερμῶς εὐχαριστοῦμεν.

Ἐκφράζομεν βαθεῖαν ἐκτίμησιν διὰ τὴν ἀπόφασίν σας νὰ διαθέσετε τὸ προϊόν τῆς πωλήσεως τοῦ δίσκου σας ὑπὲρ ἐνισχύσεως τοῦ Ταμείου Ἐκτοπισθέντων καὶ Παθόντων. Δηλοῦ ἡ χειρονομία σας αὕτη τὴν σταθερὰν πρὸς τὴν Κύπρον ἀγάπην καὶ ἀφοσίωσίν σας.

Ἐπὶ τούτοις ἐπικαλούμεθα ἐφ' ὑμᾶς πλουσίας παρὰ Θεοῦ εὐλογίας, εὐχόμενοι τὰ βέλτιστα.

Ἐν Χριστῷ Εὐχέτης

fr. Γεώργιος Κλαυδίου

3 Août 1964.

Monsieur le Secrétaire
Concours et Festival International
G. UNESCO
3-5 rue Franklin,
B u c a r e s t

Cher Monsieur le Secrétaire,

Votre lettre du 6 juillet a été reçue en mon absence en France et Angleterre par ma femme qui a rempli le formulaire nécessaire pour l'obtention de son visa d'entrée en Roumanie. J'espère que vous l'avez bien reçu.

Mon visa se trouve déjà à votre Ambassade à Athènes et je vous en remercie; j'y ai laissé nos deux passeports jusqu'à la transmission du visa de ma femme.

Veillez agréer, Monsieur le Secrétaire, l'assurance de ma haute considération.

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Dr. Solon Michaelides

7th February 1961

M.J. Evans Esq.,
Tour Office,
British Overseas Airways Corporation,
Buckingham Palace Rd.,
London, S.W.1.

Dear Mr. Evans,

Quebec Conference.

Many thanks for your letter of 17th January 1961
and for all the informations you were so kind to give me.

I wish now to confirm the reservations of two
seats for me and my wife for your service:

London/Montreal 25th August 1961
Montreal/Quebec 26th do

as described in your letter of the 17th January.

Yours faithfully,



Solon Michaelides
Director of the State Conservatoire of Music
and the Symphony Orchestra of Northern
Greece.

79 Redington Road
London NW 3

4 February 1976

Prof. Solon Michaelides
14 - 16 Neofytou Metaxa St.
Athens 109

My dear Prof Michaelides-

Many thanks for your warm note of 30 January. It does seem, after all, that I shall have the pleasure of seeing you before our respective rehearsals begin. May I indicate the various travel and meeting possibilities, and I ask you to select the plan - or to propose one of your own - which is most convenient for you.

I could fly from London on Monday, 15 March, arriving in Athens about 17.15 via Thessaloniki stopover. We could meet somewhere in Athens that same afternoon - I will be staying with friends out of the town centre; perhaps around 19.00 might be good, in the lobby of some central hotel, such as the Akadimos. Or, we could meet during the morning of Tuesday, 16 March, somewhere in town, have coffee together, and a chance to talk. I imagine that you could then fly to Thessaloniki in the early afternoon. If you have a more suitable idea, do let me know, and I will try to adjust my timetable to your convenience.

Your kind comments about Apostolides have been taken, and I will therefore recommend him to Tehran for possible guest solo engagements.

If we meet on Monday afternoon, 15 March, the Akadimos would be perhaps most convenient, as I could then take the bus on the corner directly to my friends' home after our meeting.

My warmest greetings to your wife, and I am eagerly looking forward to greeting you soon.

Yours very cordially,


Adrian Sunshine

Reply 15.2.76

79 Redington Road
London NW 3

20 January 76

Prof. Solon Michaelides
Neofitou Metaxa 14 - 16
Athens 109

Dear Prof. Michaelides-

How delighted I am to receive your news, but what terrible misfortune that you will be in Thessaloniki during my week in Greece.

However, as I must leave for London on 23 March, Tuesday, I suggest that we might meet before you leave for Thessaloniki, and I would arrive a day or two earlier in Athens...around 14 or 15 March. I did not realise that you are on the Athens orchestra Board...so it is also to you that I must express my gratitude for the invitation! Regrettably my hope of having an invitation to Thessaloniki orchestra during the same visit did not materialise, and I wonder why not...especially after I had done some good work there. I am quite surprised.

In any event I do hope that we can meet before you leave Athens, and I would be happy to arrive a day or two earlier just to see you. Could you let me know whether this is possible?

A very confidential question: does Apostolidis play well as a soloist? There is a possible guest engagement for him in Tehran with the chamber orchestra of Television, but first I would welcome your honest opinion as to whether you feel he could perform well as guest soloist with chamber orchestra.

My warm regards to your wife, and I do hope that we will see each other in a few weeks.

Cordial greetings for 1976,


Adrian Sunshine

Reply: 30.1.76

79 Redington Road

London NW 3

7 January 76

Prof. Solon Michaelides
14-16 Neofytou Metaxa Street
Athens 109

Dear Prof. Michaelides-

May I first wish you and Mme. Michaelides a happy, healthy, and active 1976. It is with pleasure that I look forward to the possibility of greeting you during my forthcoming visit to Athens. Our friend Kourakos has confirmed my concert with the State orchestra on 22 March, and during the few days before I would very much enjoy meeting you and talking over all the things which you are involved in.

Perhaps you could let me know whether you will be in Athens from about 15 - 22 March, and I hope that we may see each other then.

Yours cordially,



Adrian Sunshine

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My dear Dr, Michaelides,

Thank you so much for the material for the Grove Supplement, which is very welcome indeed, believe me.

What is more, I am so glad you wrote, as I have had you much on my conscience. You very kindly sent me a card last Christmas, and I never answered it, thinking that I had not got your address. I knew you had left Athens and thought you were at Salonika, but did not know where to write. As far as I can remember - and surely I should have remembered that - I never heard of your appointment to the Conservatory there, on which I really must congratulate you, however belatedly. Of course this must be mentioned. (The correction about Llangollen has already been made, but I will check the wording again.)

With very kind regards and good wishes, I remain,

Yours sincerely,



P.S. I can still accept Grove material until about next spring.

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1.10.76

Dear Dr. Michaelides,

Thank you for your letter asking permission to quote certain passages from the Loeb Athenaeus, Nonnos and Plutarch Moralia in your forthcoming work "A Dictionary of Ancient Greek Music". I am happy to grant this. Please acknowledge - The Loeb Classical Library (Harvard University Press: William Heinemann). It should make fascinating reading.

Yours sincerely,

Ernie Hill

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11 January 1977

Professor Solon Michaelides
c/o Strand Palace Hotel
London WC2

Dear Professor Michaelides,

I regret that the editor concerned with our music books is out of London until the end of the month. I do not believe, however, that your proposed dictionary of Ancient Greek Music is suitable for our present list and I therefore suggest that you offer it to another English publisher.

Many thanks for offering this to us.

Yours sincerely,



Michael Hodson
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Solon Michaelides, D.C.Mus.,
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Dear Dr. Michaelides,

I shall be glad to see you here on Monday, 20th December, any time after 2.30 p.m (14.30). I am afraid that I am only concerned with the production of the Loeb Classical Library, but no doubt we can consult someone in the firm who deals with distribution if you require advice.

Yours sincerely,

Erid Hill (Mrs)

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8 May 1975

Dear Mr. Michaelides,

Thank you for your letter of 3 May. It seems to us that the topic of your proposed book is too specialized to make its publication a viable proposition. If you wish to show it to us, we will certainly examine it, but it is unlikely that our conclusion would be different.

Yours sincerely,

P. A. Mulgan
Music Books Editor

Mr. Solon Michaelides
14-16 Neofytou Metaxa Str.
Athens
109 Greece.

79 Redington Road
London NW 3

29 November 76

Dear Prof. Michaelides-

Many thanks for your letter, and I was delighted to learn that the book is finally being printed.

I spoke immediately to Giles de la Mare - who is moving soon to another house in Highgate - who would be very happy to see you. He does suggest, however, that the first week in the new year might be more advantageous in terms of your ability to see people. He would gladly receive you, especially as his duties now also include being a director of Faber Music, a division of Faber Books.

I also spoke to a friend John Calder, of Calder and Boyars, and he would be glad to see you also. Calder is very shrewd and not-always^astraightforward fellow, but he does print and/or distribute many interesting items, and you might wish to see him too.

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Yours sincerely,



Adrian Sunshine

22 June 77

W.S. Gwynn Williams, OBE, Esq.
Musical Director, Llangollen
International Musical Festival,
Llangollen, N. Wales, LL20 8SN
U.K.

Dear Gwynn,

Thank you very much for your
letter of 8 June and the "List of
duties" and the Work Permit.

Just a few words to tell you
that everything is in order, including
the fee etc. →

I shall be booking forward
to my next visit to Llangollen.

I shall be in time for the first
Prelim. at 5pm on Tuesday, 5 July.

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5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10 JULY, 1977

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8 June, 1977

Prof. Dr. Solon Michaelides,
14-16 Neofytou Metaxa Street,
Athens 109,
Greece.

Dear Solon,

I am sending you herewith the usual "List of Duties" from which you will see that your first competition will be the Adult Folk Song Solo at 5 p.m. on the Town Hall on Tuesday, 5 July.

I also enclose the necessary Work Permit and I have informed the Treasurer that the inclusive fee is £220. Accomodation will be reserved as usual at the Royal Hotel for you and, I hope, for Mrs. Michaelides. I would be glad to receive a note from you saying that everything is in order, and I hope that you will enjoy being with us once again.

Yours very sincerely,

W.S. Gwynn Williams
Hon. Music Director

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20 September, 1977

Prof. Solon Michaelides,
14-16 Neofytou Metaxa Str.,
Athens 109,
Greece.

Dear Solon,

We do not seem to have heard from one another recently, and I am eager to know that my "Black Boy" is well and flourishing, and that your book will be out soon. Please let me know if there is anything at any time that I can do to help.

I have been thinking of the days when we first met in Basle in 1948 at the first meeting of the International Folk Music Council when I was appointed Treasurer. Many of our friends of those days are no longer with us. For us it was a wonderful experience when in this country you had to have a coupon to buy a pocket handkerchief !

Dear love to you both.

Your old friends,

Angus & Beta

Reply 3.10.77



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16 November, 1977.

Prof. Dr. Solon Michaelides,
14-16 Neophytou Metaxa Street,
Athens 109,
Greece.

Dear Dr. Michaelides,

You are no doubt aware that our mutual friend, Mr. W. S. Gwynn Williams, has retired from the Music Directorship of this Eisteddfod.

As his successor, I have very much pleasure in inviting you to again join the panel of adjudicators at the 1978 Eisteddfod and sincerely hope that you will be able to accept such invitation.

In anticipation of your acceptance, I would say for your guidance that, broadly speaking, your duties will be as on previous occasions but, of course, we can deal with these in detail at a later stage.

The Executive Committee has authorised me to offer an inclusive fee of £280 together with free accommodation in one of the best hotels in Llangollen.

I look forward to receiving your reply at your earliest possible convenience.

Yours sincerely,

Arwel Hughes
Honorary Music Director

Reply 30.11.77



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13th July, 1979

Professor Dr. Solon Michaelides,
Norfolk Towers Hotel,
Norfolk Place,
LONDON W2 1QW.

Dear Prof. Michaelides,

Thank you for your kind letter ~~but letter~~ but let me assure you completely that the 'gesture' in no way warrants such expression.

The long and most valuable service you have given to the Eisteddfod; the expertise of your professional knowledge and work ~~have~~ down the years added lustre and immense prestige to the aims and objects of our venture and in every conceivable way it has been joy to have your close and warm co-operation.

Please forget what little we have done but remember always that you and Mrs. Michaelides hold, and always will hold, a very special place in our organisation and in the hearts of very many people in and around Llangollen.

I send this with sincere regards to you both and express the wish and hope that you will soon be restored to robust good health in the very near future.

Again most sincerely yours,

Noel Bowen.



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4th January, 1978

Professor Dr. Solon Michaelides, D.C.Mus.,
Hon.F.T.C.L., L.E.N.M.,
14-16 Neophytou Metaxa Street,
Athens 109,
GREECE.

Dear Dr. Michaelides,

My Chairman and Executive Committee wish me to convey to you their grateful thanks and appreciation for your ready acceptance of their invitation to a Vice Presidency of the 1978 Eisteddfod.

With all good wishes for a very happy New Year.

Yours sincerely,

I. MORRIS JONES
Secretary to the Executive Committee



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28th November, 1978

Prof. Dr. Solon Michaelides,
14-16 Neophytou Metaxa Street,
ATHENS 109,
Greece

Dear Prof. Dr. Michaelides,

Once again I have great pleasure in inviting you to join the panel of adjudicators at the 1979 Eisteddfod (3rd - 8th July) and sincerely hope that you will be able to accept.

The Executive Committee has authorised me to offer an inclusive fee of £290 together with free accommodation at the 'Royal.'

I look forward to receiving your reply at your earliest possible convenience.

Thank you very much for the copy of your book 'The Music of Ancient Greece.' It is indeed an outstanding work of scholarship which will be appreciated by all who care about the origins of Western Music. I already find myself using it as an authoritative book of reference. More about this when we meet.

You will know by now of the death of Mr. W. S. Gwynn Williams. All Wales mourns the passing of this great man.

Kind regards to you and Mrs. Michaelides.

I have just been asked to write an article on Gwynn Williams, and I thought how nice it would be to have a short appreciation from you - something I could quote in the article. I would be very grateful if you could do this.

Yours sincerely,

ARWEL HUGHES
Hon. Music Director.

Repl. 10.12.78

Many thanks.



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8th December, 1978

Professor Dr. Solon Michaelides, D.C. Mus.,
Hon. F.T.C.L., L.E.N.M.,
14-16 Neophytou Metaxa Street,
Athens 109,
Greece.

Dear Professor Michaelides,

It is with very much pleasure that the Chairman and Executive Committee of the Eisteddfod extend to you an invitation to a Vice Presidency of the 1979 Festival.

It is indeed sincerely hoped that you will again find it possible to honour the Eisteddfod by your acceptance of this invitation.

I have pleasure in enclosing a 1979 brochure.

Yours sincerely,

I. MORRIS JONES
Secretary to the Executive Committee

Reply: 18.12.78



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16th January, 1979

Prof. Dr. Solon Michaelides,
14-16 Neophytou Metaxa Street,
ATHENS 109,
Greece

Dear Prof. Dr. Michaelides,

I was very pleased to understand that you are once again able to come to Llangollen this year. I am trying to prepare administrative matters well ahead for the Eisteddfod so I should be very grateful if you would complete the enclosed Work Permit and return it to me when convenient.

You will have heard of the sad passing of Mr. W. S. Gwynn Williams. We on the Staging Committee are deeply conscious of our responsibility to continue and further his great work for the Eisteddfod. It will be very strange to be without him next July.

We send to you and Mrs. Michaelides seasonal greetings for the New Year.

Yours sincerely,

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EULANWY DAVIES (MRS.)

Secretary,
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24th May, 1979

Prof. Dr. Solon Michaelides,
14-16 Neophytou Metaxa Street,
ATHENS 109,
Greece

Dear Prof. Dr. Michaelides,

I was very pleased to understand from Mr. Arwel Hughes that you are coming once again to the Eisteddfod in July. Arrangements for the week are well in hand and, as usual we are expecting a blend of old and new faces.

I should be very grateful if you would kindly let me know as soon as possible:

- (a) the day of your arrival and departure
- (b) whether you need to be met at Ruabon Station and, if so, the time of arrival.

I understand that you will need a double room for you and your wife, as last year.

I look forward very much to meeting you again and trust that you will have an enjoyable week in our midst.

Please give my very kind regards to Mrs. Michaelides.

Yours sincerely,

Eulanwy

EULANWY DAVIES (MRS.)
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31st May, 1979

Prof. Dr. Solon Michaelides,
14-16 Neophytou Metaxa Street,
ATHENS 109,
Greece

Dear Solon,

You will be pleased to know that we had 62 entries from all over the world for the Composers Competition.

Sir Thomas Armstrong and I were very pleased with the general standard and we met recently to make a short list of nine. Out of these we agreed that the following three were the best -

1st - "Four Songs of William Blake" - Alan Bullard

Equal 2nd { "Eifionydd" - H. A. Watt
 { "Ruzho, Ruzho" - Vladimir Panchev

I am sending you the nine works and perhaps you might consider some of the others to be more worthy than the three we chose.

One of the main considerations from our point of view was that the works chosen should be suitable as test pieces in Llangollen, and Sir Thomas and I felt that our chosen three came up to this standard as well as being musically good.

Do let me have these back by return if possible please, together with your verdict.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Eulanwy Davies
p.p. ARWEL HUGHES



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20th June, 1979

Prof. Dr. Solon Michaelides,
c/o Royal Bayswater Hotel,
122 Bayswater Road,
LONDON, W.2

Dear Prof. Dr. Michaelides,

I was very concerned to understand from your letter to Mr. Hughes that you have not been in the best of health recently. I do hope that you are now well on the road to recovery and that you feel fit to be with us in Llangollen.

With regard to your duties, we shall certainly make them as light as possible and we will do our best to smooth your arrangements during the week.

I wonder if you could let me know when you intend to arrive in Llangollen so that we can be sure of booking you in at the 'Royal' early, if necessary. My home telephone number may be useful for you. It is Llangollen (0978) 860581.

Please give my very warm regards to Mrs. Michaelides. I look forward to seeing you both again in Llangollen.

Yours sincerely,

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EULANWY DAVIES (MRS.)

Secretary,
Staging Committee

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Έν Λαρίση τῆ 18^η Σεπτεμβρίου 1966

Κύριε Καθηγητά,

Τό Διοικητικόν Συμβούλιον τοῦ καθ ἡμᾶς Συλλόγου αἰσθάνε-
ται τήν ὑποχρέωσιν ὅπως καί γραπτῶς εὐχαριστήσῃ Ὑμᾶς διὰ τὰς πρός τήν
χορωδία μας προσφερθείσας ὑπηρεσίας, κατὰ τόν 14ον διαγωνισμόν χορωδιῶν
τῆς πόλεως τοῦ Ἀρέτσο τῆς Ἰταλίας.

Πιστοί εἰς τήν μουσικήν παράδοσιν τῆς χώρας μας καί ἀφοσιωμένοι
εἰς τήν θείαν τέχνην τῆς μουσικῆς, θά χωρήσωμεν πρός τά πρόσω, εὐελπι-
στοῦντες ὅτι θά φθάσωμεν εἰς ζηλευτόν ὕψος τό συγκρότημά μας, στηριζό-
μενοι καί εἰς τήν Ὑμετέραν πεφωτισμένην καθοδήγησιν καί συμπαραστάσιν.

Μετά τῆς προσηκουσῆς τιμῆς

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ΙΩΝ. ΠΑΠΑΘΕΟΔΩΡΟΥ

79 Redington Road
London NW 3

5 December 76

Dear Prof Michaelides-

How delightful to hear your voice several days ago, and my wife and I hope that you and Mrs Michaelides are both well and very active. We take this opportunity to send you our warmest holiday greetings, with our best wishes for 1977.

I spoke once again to Giles de la Mare, who will be pleased to see you in London on or about 20-21 December. He suggests that you telephone his office upon your arrival, which you should also do in the case of John Calder, of Calder and Boyars, London W 1 (Brewer St, I believe).

We will do our best to see you here, although I return to London from overseas on or about 19/20 December; we then leave with the entire family for Switzerland for a short rest on 21 or 22 December...but we will hope to see you anyway.

In the meantime I continue to be amazed at what Hadjidakis is doing - or not doing - with the State Orchestra. My conversation with Cavadias last July was even more frustrating; he approves in principle, so he says, of whatever Hadjidakis is doing...which for me spells the eventual ruin of this nice orchestra. How I would like to become its conductor - not its general director - and work it back into good condition.... Meanwhile Kourakos hasn't heard anything yet.

Best wishes from us, and we hope to see you soon.

Yours,



Adrian Sunshine

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7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 JULY, 1964

THE OFFICE OF
THE MUSIC DIRECTOR
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23rd June, 1964

Dr. Solon Michaelides,
Director of the State Conservatoire,
Thessaloniki,
Greece.

Dear Dr. Solon Michaelides,

I am sending you herewith your Labour Certificate for your commitment as Adjudicator at the Llangollen International Musical Eisteddfod.

You will see from the enclosed programme of duties of adjudicators and accompanists at the 1964 Llangollen International Musical Eisteddfod the competitions for which you are responsible as one of the adjudicators. Your services as a member of the Board in the marquee are required when you are not actually taking a Preliminary Test. The morning sessions begin at 9.00 a.m. prompt. Competitions should finish about 5.30 p.m. and there are no evening competitions in the marquee.

I am sending you herewith copies of all set test pieces in the choral competitions and a copy of the syllabus and programme announcement. Your badge and Eisteddfod Programme will be awaiting you on your arrival at the hotel at Llangollen. "Only the stipulated editions of test pieces may be used, and all works must be sung in published keys only". Please note that when original compositions are asked for, that is, in Competitions 1 to 3 and 5 to 10 inclusive, arrangements cannot be accepted and the works must be "of the competitors' own country". Please bring all the music with you.

When maximum times have been set for own selected items, these must not be exceeded, namely 4½ minutes for the Mixed Choir, 4 minutes each for the Female and Male Choirs, 6 minutes

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April 3, 1959

Dear Dr Michaelides,

Some time ago Dr Barbeau informed me that he would like to propose you to the Executive Board for nomination to the Presidency of the IFMC. I asked him if he would ascertain if you would be willing to serve if nominated, but he has not replied.

May I ask you to be good enough to let me know by return mail if you would be willing to allow your name to go forward?

Another name that has been suggested is that of Jaap Kunst; and others are Benjamin Britten, Villa-Bobos and Walter Wiora, but I have not yet heard whether these last three would be willing to serve.

Yours sincerely,

Maud Karpeles
Secretary

ΣΥΛΛΟΓΟΣ
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ΔΡΑΜΑΣ

Έν Δράμα τῆ 27 Ν/βρίου 1958

Ἄριθ. Πρωτ. 10

Πρὸς

Τὸν Διευθυντὴν τοῦ ᾠδείου Θεσσαλονίκης
κ. Σόλωνα Μιχαηλίδην - Θεσσαλονίκη .

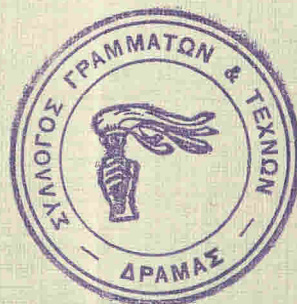
Κύριε Διευθυντά .

Εἴμεθα ὑποχρεωμένοι νὰ ἐκφράσωμεν πρὸς ὑμᾶς καὶ δι' ἐγγράφου
τάς θερμὰς εὐχαριστίας μας , διὰ τὴν διάλεξιν τὴν ὅποσαν εἵ-
χατε τὴν εὐγενῆ καλωσύνην νὰ δώσητε πρὸς τὰ μέλη τοῦ ἡμετέ-
ρου Συλλόγου καὶ ἥτις τόσῃ ἐπιτυχίαν ἐσημείωσεν χάρις καὶ
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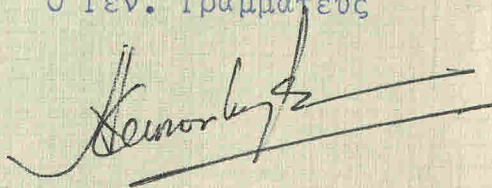
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12 CLORANE GARDENS, LONDON, N.W. 3

Telephone : HAMpstead 9116

July 1, 1958

Dear Dr Michaelides,

For the purpose of printing a second impression of Folk Songs of Europe the publishers have asked me to supply them with a list of errors in the present edition. I would therefore ask you to be good enough to examine carefully the songs from

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and to let me have as soon as possible a list of any corrections that should be made. Should there be no errors in the songs, will you kindly confirm that this is the case?

Yours sincerely,

Maud Karpeles

Secretary