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في ٢٤ ربيع الأول ١٣٣٢



FIRWOOD, 20. 11. 1914.

TRUMPINGTON ROAD,

CAMBRIDGE.

My dear Friend, استاذي الأجل
بعد السلام والتحية والاستفسار عن صحتكم
الشريفة أخبر حضرتكم ان السبب في تسطير
هذه الوريقة هذا:-

T. W. Arnold, formerly of this
University, now Professor of Arabic
in London and Assistant
Librarian at the India Office,
has applied to the Board of
Oriental Studies, of which I
am Chairman, asking that the
Degree of Doctor of Letters may
be conferred upon him, on the
ground of his services to learning,
and especially his book on the
Preaching of Islam (2nd -
new edition) and the text

about 'al-jizah' putted by
him.

The Board considered that
there existed a prima facie
case for granting the Depra,
and therefore, according to
the Statutes of the University,
appointed 2 "Assessors" who
should report on his work,
especially in regard to (1) its
Value, and (2) its originality.

They have named me one
of the "Assessors", and they
very earnestly hope that
you will consent to act
as the other. There is a
fee of 5 guineas (£.5.5.0)

for the performance of this duty.

A short written report on
the Candidate's work is required,
but it need not be more than
2 or 3 pages. It is submitted
to the "Senate Board", and
if the reports of the two
Assessors are favourable, the
Depra is granted.

I enclose Mr. Arnold's
application. I hope you
will consent to act as
assessor. The report should
be sent in by the end of
April, and if done, do
mind the better. If you
have not the preaching of
S. Haim (2nd ed. two) and
the Arabic text on the 'al-jizah'

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فتقبل في الختام خالص تحيّي و باهر
السلام من صديقكم المخلص
الحقير الفقير ~~المستحق~~ المحتاج الى
رحمة ربه الغفور

ادوارد بروك الانجليز

Edward G. Brooke.

Thomas Walker Arnold M.A.