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15<sup>th</sup> Sept-09.

Zedra Dr. F. F. F. F. F.

I am going to  
 write you over a  
 matter in which I  
 am very deeply interested  
 just at present.

I have taken in hand  
 an exposition of the law  
 of Waqf as interpreted  
 by the Anglo-Indian  
 courts and here -

But I propose to  
 deal historically with  
 the 'Legal Institutions  
 of Islam' before I take  
 up the subject

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I write, I am writing,  
therefore, by you, as the  
material being another  
in Islam if you would be  
good enough to give  
me directions as to  
why.

When would I be able  
to find an account of  
the Muhammadan legal  
institutions?  
Mawardi's book has  
been very useful and  
I am keen to get a  
copy of it.

Whether it is out of kind  
I can never be had.  
I am sure you would  
help to me know what  
and I to find meaning  
information for my  
work. It will be a  
very valuable work as  
nothing, by itself,  
has yet dealt fully  
with this subject.

I have got your 'Shahih' but  
it deals with the  
principles of jurisprudence,  
not with the history of  
legal institutions.

I shall be anxious  
waiting to hear from you  
as, at present, I am

absolutely in Dr. Kees.

14th May. On the 1st of June  
return 2 part.

Just received  
S. Khuda Bu Khosh.