Dear Mr. Cattendi.

I wish to acknowledge with many thanks your letter of June 24th.

It gives me great pleasure to learn that His Majesty The King of Egypt has bestowed upon me the honour of creating me a Grand Officer of the Order of Ismail, which honour I greatly appreciate.

I have to thank you for conveying to me this good mews, and shall look forward to the pleasure of seeing you when perhaps you will let me know whether I should express my thanks to His Majesty direct to Egypt or through the Legation here. Will you kindly let me know by telephone if it would be convenient for you to see me at the Legation to-morrow, Thursday, between 5.30 and 6 o'clock.?

Yours sincerely,

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