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Dear Robin,

The Puzzle of Architecture

Two copies of the contract are enclosed. I would be grateful if you would check them carefully, and if you find everything in order sign and seal both copies and return both to me. The University will then seal your copy and return it to you to hold. A couple of gummed wafers are enclosed in an envelope, in case your signet ring happens to be in pawn at the moment. Please leave date blank - it will be inserted when the University seal is applied. Cheque for the advance will be sent immediately upon receipt of the contracts from you.

This will certainly be one of the most important books upon our list, and we are greatly looking forward to its appearance. It is of course absurdly premature to begin planning in too much detail, but one point which might bear early discussion is the page size. I don't know whether you have any firm ideas on the matter yet. In terms of sales, I think the more conventional shapes and sizes enjoy a distinct advantage. You may feel, however, that for display and arrangement of material some other approach is required.

Looking forward to many agreeable discussions about the book,

Yours sincerely,

per P. Cowf.

P. A. RYAN
Director

(Drafted but not read by Mr. Ryan)