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TO  
ALEXANDRE STEINLEN  
AND TO  
LUCIEN GUITRY

WHO, THE FORMER IN A SERIES OF  
ADMIRABLE DRAWINGS, THE LATTER  
IN A FINE DRAMATIC CREATION,  
HAVE INVESTED WITH A TRAGIC  
GREATNESS THE HUMBLE FIGURE  
OF MY POOR COSTERMONGER

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