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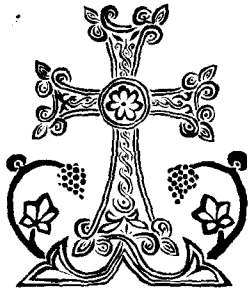
Ժամանակին առաջած ենք Հոկտեմբեր 1, 1978 թուակիր ձեր նամակը, եւ ներկեալ Սէյնթ Լուիզ Կլոպ թերթի կարօնը, որուն բովանդակութիւն տեղեակ էինք:

Ենորհակալ ենք որ դուք եւս մեր ուշադրութեան յանձնած էք յիշեալ թերթին մէջ գրուած անճիշդ գրութիւնը: Արդէն իսկ Տ. Արսէն Ա. Ըհնյ. Աշմեանի ստորագրութեամբ մշղում մը դրձած ենք թերթի խմբագրութեան՝ այս սխալ արտայայտութեան կապակցութեամբ:

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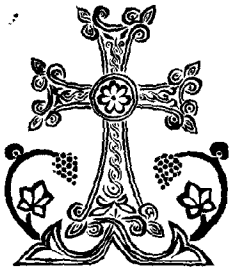
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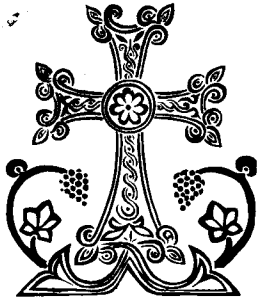
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I do have a couple of questions, but I hope to speak to you by phone shortly regarding these in order to save time. We have an important committee meeting shortly and I wish to be prepared.

Soon, Gayn Saanen will be here, and, hopefully, I shall no longer have to bother you. I hope that you are feeling well and that this fall is very pleasant for you.

*Most respectfully,
Zabelle N. Vartanian*

5 Oriental Orthodox churches to seek reunification with Rome

St. Louis Globe - Sat., 7/30

Globe-Democrat-Washington Post
News Service

Resolving one of the major doctrinal disputes in Christendom, five Oriental Orthodox churches that broke from Rome 15 centuries ago have agreed in principle to seek reunification with the Roman Catholic Church.

The five have a combined membership of 17 million, about 1 million of them in the United States.

The five Oriental churches — the Coptic Orthodox Church of Egypt, the Syrian Orthodox Church of Antioch, the Armenian Apostolic Church, the Ethiopian Orthodox Church and the Syrian Orthodox Church of India — since 451 A.D. have remained a distinctly separate branch of Christianity that viewed Christ's nature as only divine.

The five churches have accepted both the divine and the human natures of Christ.

According to sources reached by telephone in Rome and Vienna, the settlement of doctrinal disputes and the general agreement to seek reunification are not likely to lead to any immediate steps to incorporate the five small churches into Christendom's largest organized branch.

The sources said the key obstacle is the pope's role as head of the Roman Catholic Church.