

4196

16th January, 1964.

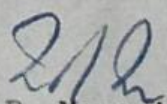
Dear Rajaji,

I forward herewith an interesting message for our Convention from the Honorable, Giovanni Malagodi, President of the Liberal International and leader of the Italian Liberal party in Parliament. We shall arrange to circulate it to delegates in Bangalore but I am enclosing a copy herewith as I thought you may like to publish the full text in the issue of Swarajya of February 1 which will be in the hands of those who are attending our Convention.

Yesterday I received a letter from V.T. Sreenivasan panicking at the expected flood of delegates to Bangalore and suggesting shifting the Convention to a pandal after all.

I have ~~formally~~ resisted this idea pointing out that the C.O.C. had taken a firm decision, which we have publicised that expenditure on a pandal was to be eschewed. I also reassured him that there is no likelihood of more than 500 delegates from outside. I am mentioning this just in case the pandal idea is tried on you also.

Yours sincerely,


(M.R. Masani)

Mr. C. Rajagopalachari,
60, Buzllulah Road,
T'Nagar,
MADRAS.