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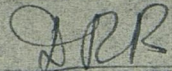
17th July 1964.

Dear Mr. Nayar,

This is my driver, Arunachallam who will wait for you at your office till you are ready to start for our estate. He will direct you and bring you to our home.

Looking forward to the pleasure of welcoming you in our home.

Yours sincerely,


(DEVIKA RANI ROERICH)

P.S.

Since this man is not gifted with much intelligence will you kindly tell him to wait outside the door till you are ready to start.

(D.R.R.)

Shri G.P.S. Nayar,
Station Director,
All India Radio,
BANGALORE 1.

THE FOLLOWING HAVE BEEN SENT TO
MR. G.P.S. NAYAR, STATION DIRECTOR,
ALL INDIA RADIO, BANGALORE 1, on
27TH JULY 1964.

1. ONE PHOTOGRAPH OF JAWAHARLAL NEHRU
AND NICHOLAS ROERICH AT KULU IN
1942.
2. FOREWORD BY S. RADHAKRISHNAN.
3. JAWAHARLAL NEHRU'S TRIBUTE TO
ROERICH.
4. INTRODUCTION BY RABINDRANATH TAGORE.
5. FOREWORD BY ABANINDRANATH TAGORE.
6. RABINDRANATH TAGORE TO NICHOLAS
ROERICH.
7. DR. KALIDAS NAG TO NICHOLAS
ROERICH.
8. A FEW HIGHLIGHTS OF NICHOLAS
ROERICH'S CREATIVE LIFE BY SVETOSLAV
ROERICH.

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C/o. The Indian Bank Ltd.,
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27th July 1964.

Dear Mr. Nayar,

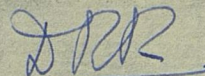
I am sending to you one photograph of Jawaharlal Nehru and Nicholas Roerich at Kulu in 1942 which you wish to have and a brochure containing the following excerpts on Prof. Nicholas Roerich:

1. Foreword by S. Radhakrishnan.
2. Jawaharlal Nehru's tribute to Roerich.
3. Introduction by Rabindranath Tagore.
4. Rabindranath Tagore to Nicholas Roerich.
5. Foreword by Abanindranath Tagore.
6. Dr. Kalidas Nag to Nicholas Roerich.
7. A few highlights of Nicholas Roerich's creative life by Svetoslav Roerich.

After you have finished with the above you may kindly return them to me.

With kind regards from both of us,

Yours sincerely,

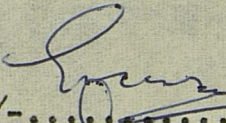


(DEVIKA RANI ROERICH).

Shri G.P.S. Nayar,
Station Director,
All India Radio,
BANGALORE 1.

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27TH JULY 1964.

Received one letter from Madam Devika Rani Roerich
addressed to Shri G.P.S. Nayar, Station Director,
All India Radio, BANGALORE 1.


Sd/-.....
(G.P.S. NAYAR)



G.P.S. Nayar,
Station Director.

Telephone : 6151

Telegrams : "AKASHVANI"

D. O. No. Ban. 15/1/64-G

ALL INDIA RADIO

Dated, Bangalore, Sravana 5 Saka 188 6

July 27 1964


Dear Madame Roerich,

Many thanks for your kind letter of the 27th July 1964 enclosing the photograph of the late Shri Jawaharlal Nehru and the late Prof. Nicholas Roerich. I would very much like to get this published in our programme journals when we schedule Dr. Roerich's talk. I think I would require atleast two or more copies of this photograph.

The excerpts on Prof. Nicholas Roerich will be returned to you very shortly.

With kind regards to both of you,

Yours, sincerely,


(G.P.S. Nayar)

Madame Devika Rani Roerich,
c/o The Indian Bank Ltd.,
Infantry Road,
Bangalore-1.

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C/o The Indian Bank Ltd.,
Infantry Road,
Cantonment,
Bangalore - 1.

3rd August, 1964.

Dear Mr. Nayar,

As desired by you I am sending you 2 more photographs of Pandit Nehru with Professor Nicholas Roerich. I would like to have some copies of your Programme Journals when you schedule Dr. Roerich's talk.

Will this talk of Dr. Roerich be also relayed from All India Radio Delhi? I hope it will as people who tune in from abroad will be able to hear it. I have a request, could you kindly send me a Programme Journal giving the times for Foreign listeners. Some of my friends in France, Germany and the U.S.S.R. wish to know the exact time of the Indian Broadcast. I would be grateful to you if you could send me such a Journal.

With kind regards from both of us.

Yours sincerely,

DRR
(DEVIKA RANI ROERICH)

Shri. G.P.S.Nayar,
Station Director,
All India Radio,
BANGALORE.

Encl: 2 photographs of Pandit Nehru
with Professor Nicholas Roerich in Kulu.



G.P.S. Nayar,
Station Director.

Telephone : 6151

Telegrams : "AKASHVANI"

D. O. No. Ban. 15/1/64-G

ALL INDIA RADIO

Dated, Bangalore, Sravana 12 Saka 1886

August 3 1964

Dear Madame Devika Rani,

I am most grateful to you for sending me two more photographs of Pandit Nehru with Professor Nicholas Roerich . As desired, I am sending a copy of the Programme journal, Akashvani. In the last cover page, it gives some idea of the programmes for the Overseas listeners. I shall send you a detailed programme chart for Overseas listeners within a day or two.

The talk when it is recorded will be sent to New Delhi for broadcast in the External Services also.

With warm regards to both of you,

Yours sincerely,

(G.P.S. Nayar)

Madame Devika Rani Roerich,
Infantry Road,
Cantonment, Bangalore-1.

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G.P.S. Nayar,
Station Director.

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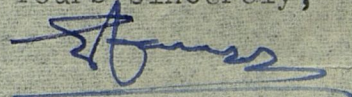
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(August 13, 1964)

My dear Madame Devika Rani,

I am most grateful to you both for Dr. Roerich consenting to record a talk on the occasion of the 90th Anniversary of the late Prof. Nicholas Roerich. This talk, as we have already discussed, will be broadcast on October 9th. An invitation form for Dr. Roerich's kind signature is enclosed, which may duly be returned to me at an early date. I should be grateful if you would also send me a photograph of Dr. Roerich himself for our publicity purposes.

With warm regards,

Yours sincerely,


(G.P.S. Nayar)

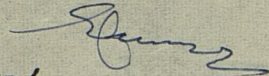
Madame Devika Rani Roerich,
c/o The Indian Bank Ltd.,
Infantry Road,
Bangalore-1.

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3 Photographs of
S.R. - Sent by hand
on - Aug. 19th
1964

19th August 1964.

Received one letter from Madam D.R. Roerich addressed
to Mr. G.P.S. Nayar, Station Director, All India Radio,
BANGALORE 1.


SD/-.....
(G.P.S. NAYAR)

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C/o. The Indian Bank Ltd.,
Infantry Road,
Cantonment,
BANGALORE 1.

19th August 1964.

Dear Mr. Nayar,

Thank you for your letter dated August 13,
1964 No.Ban.15(3)64/Pl.

As requested by you I am sending you back
the invitation form of All India Radio which
Dr. Roerich has signed.

I am also sending to you 3 photographs of
my husband which you may kindly return to me after
you have completed the work.

The title of Dr. Roerich's broadcast on
the 9th of October which he will of course record
before hand should please be "NICHOLAS ROERICH THE
ARTIST AND SEER".

Miss M. Masani spoke to me on the
telephone. I think she will be contacting you also.

With kind regards from both of us,

Yours sincerely,

D.R.R.

(DEVIKA RANI ROERICH)

Mr. G.P.S. Nayar,
Station Director,
All India Radio,
BANGALORE 1.

P.S. Please put SVETOSLAV ROERICH for my husbands'
name and omit the "DR."

D.R.R.
(D.R.R.)

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BY HAND.

C/o. The Indian Bank Ltd.,
Infantry Road,
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BANGALORE 1.

*Sent 31st Aug:
through Phil
my hand - one
Photograph
of S.R.*

31st August 1964.

Shri G.P.S. Nayar,
Station Director,
Government of India,
All India Radio,
BANGALORE 1.

Dear Mr. Nayar,

I am sending you a large size photograph
of my husband which you wished to have for publication.
If you need anything further kindly let me know.

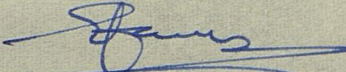
With kind regards from both of us,

Yours sincerely,

(DEVIKA RANI ROERICH)

31st August 1964

Received from Madam Devika Rani Roerich one letter
addressed to Shri G.P.S. Nayar, Station Director,
Government of India, All India Radio, BANGALORE 1.


Sd/- 31.8.64
(G.P.S. NAYAR)

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C/o. The Indian Bank Ltd.,
Infantry Road,
Cantonment,
BANGALORE 1.

14th September, 1964.

My Dear Mr. Nayar,

Could you possibly let me have the time when we can get my husband's talk from All India Radio on the 9th of October as many friends are asking me about it. My Secretary told me that it was at 9.15 P.M. but, I am not sure whether it is from Bangalore station or from Delhi.

Can we subscribe to "LISTNER"? I presume it will have the various timings of this broadcast at different places.

You have very kindly said that you would send to me the various A.I.R. Bulletin containing news about this broadcast of my husband on the 9th of October 1964. I would like to have at least 2 copies of each issue for my record and if possible a few more which I will be happy to pay for, as many friends abroad will be interested.

Since they are relaying this broadcast from Delhi to Europe, etc. would it be possible for me to get from the foreign sections any printed matter on this subject? My point is that I would like to have for our record the above and also know the timings.

Forgive me for all this, but I just wanted to let you know all that is on my mind, so that you can kindly advise me as to what to do in order to get the above mentioned data.

With our kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

DRK

(DEVIKA RANI ROERICH).

Shri G.P.S. Nayar,
Station Director,
All India Radio,
BANGALORE 1.



G .P.S. Nayar,
Station Director.

Telephone : 6151

Telegrams : "AKASHVANI"

D. O. No. Ban. 15/3/64-P1

ALL INDIA RADIO

Dated, Bangalore, Bhadra 24 Saka 188. 6

September 16 1964

My dear Madame Devika Rani,

Many thanks for your letter of the 14th September 1964.

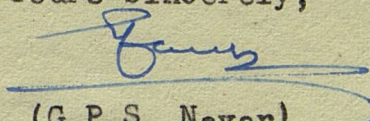
Dr. Roerich's talk will be broadcast from All India Radio, Bangalore on October 9th at 9-15 p.m. The same talk will be repeated from Delhi on the 12th. The details will be published in the Akashvani journal, a copy of which I should be glad to send you as soon as I get them from Delhi. We are also requesting the Director, External Services, to inform you of the date and time of broadcast of Dr. Roerich's talk in the External Services of All India Radio.

You can indeed subscribe for the Akashvani journal, which is now called 'Akashvani' and not 'Listener'. Copies can be received from the Editor, 'Akashvani', Akashvani Unit, Room No. 406, Akashvani Bhavan, Parliament Street, New Delhi. ~~The~~ annual subscription is Rs. 15/-; concessional annual subscription for radio licence holders in India: Rs. 12/- .

I am also requesting the Director of External Services to send you a copy of the 'India Calling'.

With kind regards to both of you,

Yours sincerely,


(G.P.S. Nayar)

Madame Devika Rani Roerich,
c/o The Indian Bank Ltd.,
Infantry Road, Bangalore - 1.

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C/o The Indian Bank Ltd.,
Infantry Road,
Cantonment,
Bangalore.-1.,
21st. September. 1964.

My dear Mr. Nayar,

Thank you so much for your letter of the 16th. September and for giving me the data I requested you for. It is indeed good of you

- 1- We shall listen in on the 9th. of Oct. at 9-15 from Bangalore -*
- 2- And to Delhi on the 12. I presume it will be at the same time - 9-15 P.M.?*
- 3.- I will write to the Editor "Akashvani" and send him Rs.12/ for the year, as we have a Radio, and it will be interesting to have it.
- 4.- I have written to Miss Masani asking her if she could send to the Vice-President of the Roerich Museum New York, a copy of the Tape-record of this talk, as they have written to me for it, to be on the non-commercial radio in New York on that day. I have told her that we ofcourse, will be happy to pay for it, and also the postage. It is important as they will be having a big Exhibition of the paintings of Prof. Roerich on that day at the Roerich Museum.
- 5.- We would also like to have a copy ourselves for our archives, as this is to us an important day. We would be most grateful if you could kindly help us in this matter, please let me know.
- 6.- I was thinking that perhaps it would be nice if the talk could be sent to the Press Information people there at Delhi, so that the papers could release news about the 90th. Anniversary of Prof. Roerich on the 10th. as it would help the press to write about the occasion, is this possible? It should be on the morning of the 10th. as the talk will be on the 9th.
- 7.- In this talk there are many things which would help the Press to write about, that is why P. I. B., could release it perhaps?
- 8.- I look forward to receiving "India Calling", "Akashvani journal", and the news from the Director External Services about the date and time of the broadcasts to other countries, all of which you so kindly said you would send to me when you receive them.

We hope we shall have the pleasure of seeing you soon again,

With our kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Shri G. P. S. Nayar,
Station Director, A. I. R., (DEVIKA RANI ROERICH.)
B A N G A L O R E.-1.



G.P.S. Nayar,
Station Director.

Telephone : 6151

Telegrams : "AKASHVANI"

D. O. No. Ban. 15/3/64-P1

ALL INDIA RADIO

Dated, Bangalore, Bhadra 31 Saka 188. 6

..... September 22 196. 4

My dear Madame Devika Rani,

I have your letter of the 21st September 1964.

2. Delhi will be broadcasting this talk at 8-30 p.m. on the 12th October 1964. This can be heard on Delhi 'B' wavelengths.

3. I am glad you are writing to the Editor, Akashvani for the journal.

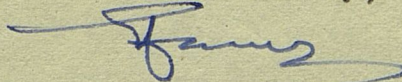
4. We may await Miss Masani's reply. I shall remind her if necessary.

5. Action will be taken in the course of the next few weeks.

6. This talk is being released through the Press Information Bureau on the 9th inst from Bangalore.

With kind regards to you both.

Yours sincerely,


(G.P.S. Nayar)

Madame Devika Rani Roerich,
c/o The Indian Bank Ltd.,
Infantry Road,
Cantonment, Bangalore-1.

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Dated 21st August, 1964.

My dear Devika Rani,

This is with reference to your letter of the 17th August. I am glad to inform you that we have decided that the talk which is to be broadcast from Bangalore on the 9th of October will also be broadcast from several other stations. We are requesting the Station Director to send us the recording so that copies can be supplied to the stations concerned.

With kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

M. Masani

Smt. Devika Rani Roerich,
c/o The Indian Bank Ltd.,
Infantry Road,
Cantonment,
BANGALORE.

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Miss M. Masani,
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Dated... 4.8..... September... 1964.

My dear Devika Rani,

Thank you for your letter of 16th
September.

The talk will be broadcast from
Bangalore on the 9th of October. We have
arranged for copies to be supplied to the
stations of All India Radio who have been
left free to select the time according to
their convenience. It would, therefore,
be best if you listened to the talk from
the Bangalore station since we do not know
at what time it would be broadcast from the
other stations.

We are arranging to supply a copy
of the recording to the Roerich Museum as
suggested by you.

Kind regards,

Yours sincerely,

Smt. Devika Rani Roerich,
c/o The Indian Bank Ltd.,
Infantry Road,
Cantonment,
BANGALORE.

Melba Masani

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(Director Programmes
A.I.R.

Dear Mr. Moser,

~~Very sorry~~ ✓

The 9th The 90th anniversary

Dear Mr. Moser,

The kind ^{birth} anniversary of Prof.
Falkner to the late Prof. Poerod
falls on Oct 9th 1964.

A number of Events to coincide
with the anniversary were arranged
in the U.S.A., USSR, and elsewhere.

The USSR has brought out a monograph
on his life and work, in
which has been published, in the USSR, ^{special} photos
of his paintings will be arranged by the
Zoological Museum New-York and

and to Room of India
are planning to bring out a book
on his paintings.
Mr. Nagar of ^{Sabai Dindia} A.H.F. Bangalore
who has arranged a broadcast
by my husband Subash Chandra
on his Father. Tells us that
he has already written to G. K. G.
about this radio broadcast of
the 9th of October.

As requested by him I have
given him some photographs
and of our late Prime Minister
with my Father in Law & Rules.
and a short Brochure with 8 items.
A copy of the brochure is enclosed

Mr. Nayan's idea was that
 it should be not only be a
 H. G. but that it could
 be relayed in other parts
 of India at various different
 times. —

If the way they further
 the year may have to
 know my address at
 Bangalore is:

With our
 best kind regards