

14^{го} марта 1924.

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Мои дорогие, твердо-любящие друзья!
Получилось все как мы с вами обговорили
воткнув день и мы были бесконечно
счастливы письму Н. К. к Лобану и до
ваше мудрые советы относительно
воткнув амер. худож. на него по-
видим. Когда они нам выкажут
эту идею то мы все были против,
но они все таки решили в амер-
ицизм. Подойди Н. К., не могу вам
передать как мы счастливо убо
его удерживали во время и до
хотели уже все от этого
разлучать.

Любимая моя, рождена Елена
Ивановна, сродни прорада вам
письмо. Вы все увидите и все
знаете и доброго стана по мне

надеюсь, что вы еще не успели
написать. Преподнесите сейчас
то и убедительно и быстро в печать
скажите это Медведеву и Воронину не
судят быстрое больше год или. Как
каждо известно - для всего на что
мы подошли всего неспешно
и стирала некорректно - мы бы
лучше было идти своим путем
и брать. Модные мы все знаем.
груда и потому еще больше
сложнее как себя изурядовать
неудобно на пути.

Все это время когда мы
начинаем по абсолютному решению
жить в школе - лето модно,
которое ведет к одному центру
лично это было бы прекрасным а
доходить око до конца по
идеальному представлению и ^{под} ^{пред}

Людмила, вы не знаете, на первом этапе работы, очень важно и быть самим
\$300 и т.д. но это не единственное, что важно, и это не единственное, что важно.
Итак, вы не знаете, на первом этапе работы, очень важно и быть самим

P.S. Виноградник
весь виноград
Забавляю. Денно коняра
на горах на нем
самым и все
судно корабль

до некоторым результатам, и до
его года ерзуем, моды одмы
и неахогрии в' расоворв.

Корень - же это устреление
ленко дню бы бурбага есмиди
ручурка его удерживала, узи, она
его веденъ на стюлу пути и толкае
Оно оренъ вьротъ и стана она
Котиле и ели дню - бы леве
сразо воедуге есмиди его не
удерживали вь хороши Корбале
и не толкам - бы вь обратную сторону

Касано дню Корчурка рде
предельно голъ и дуче Full Mother
и вь узкое поминание едфуе
Дламя Словъ есе вьторо емо.
Тодъ дуче господинои клангунуе
лек. кан. Курене садью еве и
курене открывае еве достно

P.S. Чары м-сяскаю гнелі кары і пераказаў кады і яго сябры і членамі першы - норнін нi адкае - пер кады кары і гдзінаю яго гнелі членамі.

сердце. Порушкна - гэе сурд но ветку
 дрысубіднае вадка седь право ва-
 вементва, рывалей какь она ка-
 логуіть правітствую и поемозил
 слово за нелю. Родные мои, маь да
 стою мы не менше модию друзь
 дрыца и молнии за просветлені.
 радостно и легко от роуны да
 а ам и даваейть камель кохорвот
 туде погиде то нэто нi страшно.
 мода и помы во а баеь рась
 морейть даеь инае нэмо радостно
 и сьотно? Модимте, модимте
 мои, не спрашеет нэ - са каеь, ве
 будетъ хороу.

Гамуо Ваеь, родные мои, Криво
 криво! Гора - маблуда и помы
 изаь Ваеь всегда Одна .

March 14, 1924.

My dear, greatly beloved friends!

All your illuminating letters came in one day and we were endlessly happy at the letter of N.K. to Logvan, because your wise counsels regarding the exhibitions of American artists made impressions upon them. When they expressed to us this idea, we were all against it, but nevertheless they decided to apply it. Dear N.K., I cannot tell you how happy we are that you kept him away from it, because he already wanted to proclaim it to all.

My beloved, dear Elena Ivanovna I read your letter with my heart. You feel everything and know everything and it hurt me that we all are still minors and as yet understand so little.

Before telling you what I feel and see in the works, I will say that there does not exist any more burden and fear for me. Now often I would like to take upon my shoulders more of the unpleasant and of the bad arrows, only that it should be easier to walk for my sisters and brothers. We all love each other and therefore it is still more painful to see, how they load themselves up with the unnecessary on the Path.

There are two things which often impede the correct decision in the work in the School - ambition, which leads to one striving - to recognize the president, and it reaches absurdity, things, below the prestige, and which many times bad results, because he has a good heart, loves to promise and is not resourceful in conversation. It would have been easy to eradicate the root of this striving, if Porumochka would hold him back. Helas, she leads him upon this path and pushes him.

He grew much and became calmer, and it would have been easier for him to ascend if he would not be held back in good intentions, and not pushed to the opposite side. It was told to Porumochka to make ~~this~~ distribution in the House and become Full-Mother, but the second evil lies in the narrow understanding of these benevolent Words.

In order to be a worthy successor to Isk. Chan. one must forget one's own self, one must reveal one's big heart. But Porumochka, according to all her actions, took upon herself the right of governing, decides as she sees fit and has her say as the final one. Dear ones, because of this, we do not love less each ~~with~~ other, and pray for enlightenment. We build joyously and easily the House, and if there is at times a stone which is difficult to lift, this also is not terrifying.

Loving and thinking of Him and you, can there be anything but joy and light? My beloved, beloved ones, do not be chagrined because of us, all will be well.

I kiss you, my own ones, strongly, strongly. Deeply loving you and always remembering you.

Ojana.

P.S. Already for a few days the ring of Logvan is quite black, almost same as the stone. The ring of Frances gets yellow.

P.S. Am worried a little bit about Zavadsky. The money which you left for them for the trip they spent, and out of the money which Logvan sent him for the trip, he left for his wife and belle-soeur \$300, i.e. \$100 per month, and sends them to Nice. Porumochka and Logvan do not like the idea of Nice and I do not blame them.



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April 20 1926

My dearest brother,

Received your letter and was happy to hear from you. We are all well with the exception of Mrs. Schaffran who has been sick for the last month with a terrible pain in her arm. Doctors believe it is rheumatism, but I am afraid it might be something more serious. Naturally the tea room has been closed. Paroma also has not been so strong lately. School is doing nicely, even some new enrollments at this period.

In your letter you call yourself an impostor etc. Please eradicate such thoughts from your mind forever. Our opinion of you is the highest. We are

all gathered here to do some great work
together - let us bring our finest efforts and
noblest thoughts for this never to be repeated
occasion. During your absence we have all
grown and can now better understand
each other -

In your letter you mention nothing
about your Art! Please write me
more in detail what you have been
creating. This is of tremendous interest
to all!

The "Tibetan Lady" yellow back gourd
was sold to a Mrs. Getz Los Angeles for
\$400. - She was so joyous to be able to
place it into their home. We are to
send it end of May. They might be
interested also in portrait work. -

I do not deny, that I am homesick
for you. When will you return?

With much love from all
Remain your brother

Logan J.



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Feb 2nd 1926.

My dearest Brother Swetig,

We were all very happy to hear from! I hope that your stay at Cannes will be a beneficial one to you and hope through it the operation will be avoided.

I confess to you frankly, that I miss you greatly and am very homesick for you - When will you return?

You may feel fully assured that upon your return we shall work in closest harmony and cooperation together to help build The Temple in

His Name.

The American exhibition was nothing uplifting the new American Indian exhibit is much better. Of the artists selected by yourself as worthy to be represented

32) only two answered my letter. From both
we shall purchase a picture Maurice
Sterne highly pleased with the great success
achieved here, visited the institutions and
has greatly admired your Art. Mesquita
Exhibition very bad. Some sales were made
in Corona Chundi

Well Brother take the best of care
of yourself and hoping to see you very
soon remain your brother in spirit
Logan.

P.S.

If you happen to return to Paris perhaps
you could pick up a few things for us.
For instance a 1/2 dozen sketches for
Russian Icons (we paid 70 cents a piece for them
3 years ^{at la Vierge, Paris} ago). If you see some nice drawings of
old masters or even a few modern french
paintings and drawings would be
interesting to have. We are willing to
have you spend 4000 francs for this work.
A few modern paintings we could easily use
for our exhibitions. The amount is small and
I know you will smile, but do your
best!

LOUIS L. HORCH
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NEW YORK

June 18 1926

My dearest Brother Louis,

Really my brother there is very little new to write you about. We are all busy arranging for our leaving for the country, which will be by end of this month. Nothing further has come out of our summer plans regarding Corona Audi.

Last Sunday we had a very joyous occasion - your father's new pictures were shown for the first time to the public. Many people came. We had one copy of the Monograph ready. Every

body liked the book. Some of
the reproductions turned out
real well. We all thought of you
upon this occasion.

How is your work
progressing? We are very anxious
awaiting the time when we will
see your new paintings. They
must be fine.

Our Students Exhibition was
much better than last year. The
Tibetan Painted Collection is booked
in Kansas City, Chicago, Liverpool,
& Rochester.

Well brother take care of
yourself and with much love
and many kisses
revere you brother
Lagwan!

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MRS. LOUIS L. HORCH
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6/16/28

My dear brother Svetig,

We hope that your trip was a pleasant one.

Everyone is well with exception of Brivle who has had fever for a few days.

At the moment we are still negotiating for the next house. A woman has a lease for 14 years and absolutely refuses to sell it — yet we want to buy it for protection of light and rentals. I hope we will get it — The demolishing is progressing rapidly. — I laid out \$118⁹⁵ for your storage Manhattan Ware house. — The temporary house 313 West 105th is a real nice one. Mr. Hale has

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so far not replied regarding the
Languin! I understand Corbett
& Sigerson have come to a
satisfactory and friendly
understanding.

Much love to you and
our best thoughts are
always with you
your brother,
Logan

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April 23, 1926

Dearest Lums,

Perhaps you may wonder why I have not written sooner, but really I never knew whether the letters would reach you as your address seemed so changeable and also whether you might not be sailing homewards any day.

Thanks heartily for your sweet letter and thoughtfulness, also for the other letters in spite of the obvious misunderstandings which can be easily cleared up.

I followed with interest all the information you gave about yourself and hope the trip gave you all that you

were looking for and expected.
I trust the "Change" has refreshed you,
as you were badly in need of
it, so that you can turn to
your creative work ^{again} with fresh
and renewed inspiration. I am
most eager to know what painting
you have done abroad.

We were awaiting to hear further
what connections and possibilities
you had in mind regarding U.S.

As for our plans they are
still indefinite - we have not
heard anything definite from
Mrs Bacon (nothing surprising).
I had a lovely luncheon with
Mrs Hoy and she spoke dis-
couragingly about Cloudcraft
as she did not think it practical
so there we stand. I do not think

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we shall go en groupe out West,
but perhaps one member might
go to make some connections if
there arises some such possibility.
If nothing definite turns up I
believe I shall take a small
house in the suburbs of N.Y.
and make some small trips.

How about your plans?

The Tibetan Tantras are very
popular and being booked in
several places.

We have received nice
publicity from your exhibition
in Langton.

We cabled you that one of
your paintings was sold. A
friend of Mrs Rosenthal bought

one of your fathers, and after show-
ing yours ^{also} bought one immediate-
ly. Her permanent home is
in California and name Mrs Getz.

Last night we were out with
the Trabaldos - he lost a fortune
in the break in the stock market.

We had some lovely hours
with the children speaking of
insects and flowers etc.

Should you find some thing
that would be educational for
the children - buy them for me,
if you have the time.

Dearest brother, let us forget
our differences, and respect each others
opinions - and unitedly build in
"His Name" which is the dearest and
nearest striving of all who know
and understand. Yours affectionately
Poc.

Aug. 31st

My dear and beloved ones! What joy the photographs of our beloved Father and the children brought us is difficult to describe. The three photographs of Father gave to our own Mother more joy than any other photograph taken before of Father. "A great sage with pure eyes which have seen much suffering of humanity" - this is Mother's definition. And those of our darling children, how they made us happy! On one snapshot Mother found Flavinus looking like Lama Rinpoche, and the one where little Oriole leans forward her head to look at the baby shows the essence of the child's nature, how motherly she does it! We were also so happy to see all of you, beloved ones, who were on the pictures with the children. We are appealing to you to send us, please, more clippings. We received so little since Father is with you and you know how every thing is of such vital interest to us here. - We received Father's letter, Georges, Radwan and two letters from Paromatchka which all gave us much joy. How wonderful that the Building is already 60% rented. What success and against evidence, as every body spoke so much against appartments hotels. We were happy to learn that Father likes Domensteris. He was so useful during the loan.

To day we sent you our wishes of success for the work in the new Building. Last year there was a big hole in the ground and there stands a tower. May this growth be the symbol of everything

we will undertake. Will the Building be ready for October 1st? - We received the two pages from the ground section with the photographs of the Kulu festival. The Second Book also arrived in a good condition. We began work at it.

From Handi no further news except that ^{he} claimed money for some entries ^{on the Ssetig from Teyram} until March 4th which have been already paid - we have the receipt signed by them. ^{This shows their order in business} The copy of the letter we asked from them did not yet arrive. Strange that he holds it up and makes us think that either he did not receive it but heard from somebody rumors or the refusal is in his disfavor. Anyhow no body here has heard of any refusal and all say it takes such a long time always. - Since my last letter we heard more gossip about Ssetig's purchase - now that the owner agreed to conditions arranged, it cannot be registered without a sanction and the man in charge of registration says he cannot do it. So we will have to drag it a little while too until the main problem is solved.

Beloved Father you are legendary figures here! People are so puzzled and Mother and I have a great deal of fun to hear all the rumors about you. Even from Canada somebody inquired who this great Nicholas Roerich is living in Kulu. People are so funny and cannot take things simply as they are! All our neighbours are exceedingly friendly and search our company. We

join you, dear George, in your remark about social life.

As we supposed the cracks in the lower wall with stood the monsoon wonderfully and nothing crumbled as every body asserted. Our mason filled them with small stones and all the walls are strong. The only wall that will have may be to be fixed is the one cracked in the laundry. We will wait another month until the ground will settle a little more, it may also be a minor crack in the plaster. The monsoon has been not so humid but the atmospheric currents were so heavy for dear Mother, it was too stuffy and too warm.

Beloved Mother suffered for the last few days from the center of the lungs. This center being of such great importance naturally caused great pain in the nerve and its ramifications. A few nights Mother had to sleep almost sitting in her bed so as to avoid pressure upon the nerve. She feels the pains in the neck, vertebral column, right shoulder and arm. The heart was less affected. The control of this nerve center is known in Eastern religions as the center enabling people to fly and walk on water. This is the secret power behind so called miracles. How unmeasurably great is the attainment of a spirit undergoing such experiment of kindling of the centers to teach people a higher striving and how small seems in comparison a life devoted to forcibly kindled centers for the sake of personal

satisfaction of phenomena. How much do we all and those who will yet realize the full significance of this experiment owe to the Mother of Agni Yoga. - Still with all the pains we continue the rhythm of our daily work and Mother sits the whole day at her writing desk and works. We are so happy you sent the bed and matras. It is remarkable how you caught our thought, beloved Peromotele. One can really say "there is no distance".

Mother still dreams of a possibility to have a course in the school of applied arts, conducted by a person as capable as Lin Lindemann was, a former pupil of Father's school. Also a maybe, if a teacher could be found, a course iconography.

I received a very nice letter from M-me de Vaux Phalipan. She seems to be very enthusiastic about the Paris branch of the Society of Friends and is confident that the finest people will adhere to it. How wonderful that the Society branches out.

Beloved Father, all best powers are with you. We have constant affirmation of it and we know all the success ahead of us and also all the strain you are undergoing. May we all be worthy of yours and Mother's guidance. All my best love to you and to all dear ones. Mother sends to you and all Her love and best thoughts

With thoughts of strength from both of us.

Yours devoted

Gana

Nov. 25th

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My own, deeply beloved Elena Ivanovna!

Great and joyous was Sunday, the day of the opening of the K. K. Wing. On the top, most light floor, are placed these divine, holy paintings, and it is so joyous and illuminating to realize and see, in whose name is adorned this Wing. My own, you were with us, I so clearly felt you and on the eve of the opening One Sister of Br. came to me. My door was opened from the outside by a key, and a woman entered as tall as the door itself, slender, thin, dressed in a simple, linen dress, white-grey, with a cover on her head, completely covering hair and ears. Eyes of ~~it~~ striking beauty and depth. On a pale, elongated face they were glowing with such love. From Her right hand something was hanging down, which she brought me. I was so excited and rejoiced at her nearness that my heart went atremble and she left too soon, although for a long time hardly any One visited me. I still feel Her visit and I know that She Came precisely to honor the day of opening, because she brought with her a great deal of strength, which we greatly needed. Poroomchka, as usual, became ill on the eve of significant days, and was not ^{on} Sunday in the Museum, Logvan was a bit brittle and irritable. At times I am sorry for them, for their show of narrow understanding - for them is THERE joy where one can show ruling and bossy tone. Again they manifested, as in last year, fear that the institutions should not be called russian, ones. Of course such thoughts on such a great day were harmful. And there was a sign - electricity went out about 20 times and it was necessary to repair it all the time, to put new fuses and bulbs. But my own, beloved Elena Ivanovna, if some were darkened, so ~~much~~ much stronger did those carry joy within themselves, who truly felt this day, and balance was on our side, on the side of rejoicing ones. There were about 500 visitors, I think, even more, because all the time the crowd was incoming, and all were enthralled. Very astonished were Brinton and Grigorioff. We heard how Brinton confessed to Dereginisky, that he did not know where he was going.

We have already copied everything, We tried to do it until the arrival of N.K. from the trip, in order to utilize every free minute to be near ~~to~~ Him. How we love him and immeasurable is our joy that he is with us and that on Sunday he was among us. My own one, I know that you will laugh, but I shall tell you that I drink N.K. with my eyes. I confess to you that I greatly restrain myself and live in immeasurable inner happiness.

My own one, I would like also to tell you, that I love, love, love you dearly. I kiss you, my own one!

Ojana

P.S. Svetik is very close and dear to us all. I kiss dear Yury.