



The Residency,
Gangtok, Sikkim.
The 31st May, 1924.

Dear Mr Roerich

Thank you for your letter of 26th. I am glad I was able to get you some of the books you wanted.

I do not know the prices, I will ~~let~~ find out when I reach Gyantse next month and let you know.

Two of the books you wanted namely, *ཇི་མི་ལུ་ལྷ་ལྷན་པུ་ལྷན་པུ་ལྷན་པུ་ལྷན་པུ་* are in one volume which I have sent you.

I will now try and get you the other two viz, *ཏུ་མ་རྒྱལ་ལྷན་པུ་ལྷན་པུ་ལྷན་པུ་ལྷན་པུ་*

We had splendid weather for our journey and never once had to wear our mackintoshes. Please remember me to your parents and brother. I hope you will all be able to pay us a visit sometime. I am going up to Tibet soon.

To
Georges Roerich Esquire,
Hillside, Darjeeling.

Yours truly
Mr. Bailey

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2nd June
1928

THE RESIDENCY,
GANGTOK,
SIKKIM,
INDIA.

Dear Prof. Roerich

Thank you for your
letter enclosing the cheque for
Rs 30/- which I have given
to the banker

I have seen your photographs
the notes & announcement. I think
they have gone but they were delayed

a day or two slip on the road

was not possible. I wish the

where I can do about the books &

images for you when I am in

Tibet this summer.

I am sorry you had trouble

in finding accommodation in

Darjeeling. There were a couple

of days holiday in Calcutta &

so everyone makes up 2-Darjeeling

It is not usually so full. We just
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D.O.No. 545/P

THE RESIDENCY,
GANGTOK,
SIKKIM,

Camp Gyantse, Tibet.

the 5th July 1928.

Dear Mr Roerich

Thank you for your letter of the 9th June and two articles about Dr. Filchner's Expedition, and also for the articles and photos published by the "Englishman" about your own Expedition. I received the cheque for Rs.9/2/- and have given it to the Bankers. I return herewith the articles which you sent me.

I hope you are all getting on well in Darjeeling though I am afraid the rains there are most depressing.

We have been here about a week now and are settling down in the very comfortable dak bungalow. Your two camels are here with the Maharaja of Sikkim's half-brother.

With kindest regards to you all.

E. S. S.
W. S. S.

To

G. Roerich, Esquire,
Hillside, Darjeeling.

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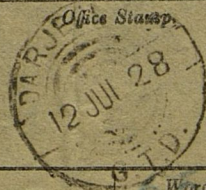
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Professor Roerich Hillside
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Tibetan government official
 here informs me that he questioned
 your 3 mongolian servants here
 and found them to be genuine

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and harmless and assisted them on their
 journey to Chasa. Stop he has no news
 of any harm to them and believes that
 there is no truth in it. Greetings
 Political Sikkim

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THE RESIDENCY,
GANGTOK,
SIKKIM,
Camp Gyantse, Tibet.
The 26th July 1928.

Dear Mr Roerich

I have heard of a copy of the Tengyur (225 volumes) and of the Kangyur (103 volumes) which are at Shigatse. The price of the two is Rs.3000/-. They are about 20 mule loads and will cost about six or seven hundred rupees to carry to Darjeeling.

Shall I buy these for you ?

Please telegraph reply and send the money.

There is one thing, and that is that, although I will do my best, I cannot be responsible that the books are correct, complete and in good order.

I will get men to count the pages and do my best but I cannot hold myself responsible.

Yours truly
H. S. S. S.

P.S.

I am sorry to say that I cannot get you the images of Shambala and of the 5th Dalai Lama. I am still trying.

To

G. Roerich, Esquire,
Hillside,
Darjeeling.

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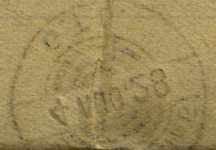
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do my best but cannot be responsible
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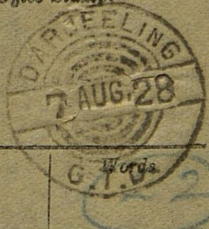
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*Rosrich Hillside
 Darjuling*

*Regret that cannot get price
 reduced stop please reply
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 man to see them.
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	<i>Hillside</i>			
	<i>Darjuling</i>			

As stated in my telegram of 4th Instant I have no one suitable or reliable to send to Examine books do you wish me to get them up here and see them myself it will cost

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THE RESIDENCY,
GANGTOK,
SIKKIM,
INDIA.

Dear Mr Roerich

I am in great pleasure to acknowledge
your cheque for Rs 3,600/- I have
some volumes of the books here but they
seem to me to be badly printed
& are very brittle - I am doing my
best for you & will perhaps see the
best paper reprinted.

In any case I will not cash

Your cheque until I have actually

THE RESIDENCY.
NOTAGANAH
SIKKIM
INDIA
bought the book.

My wife has delighted with
the book. With kindest regards
to you all.

In haste

Wm Bailey

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D.O. No. 821/P.



THE RESIDENCY,
GANGTOK,
SIKKIM,

Camp Gyantse, Tibet.

the 27th August 1928.

Dear Mr Roerich

I have bought the books and will send you the account later.
I am cashing your cheque today to pay for ~~them~~

I got a lot of lamas to check the pages and we found 14 pages
of the Kangyur and 54 pages of the Tengyur were either missing or
illegible. I am having these replaced. I am sending off the books
as soon as they can be packed, and these missing pages are to be sent
separately by post as soon as they are ready.

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J. Dancy

To
G. Roerich, Esquire,
Hillside, Darjeeling.

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D.O. No. 883/P.

THE RESIDENCY,
GANGTOK,
SIKKIM.

Camp Gyantse, Tibet.
The 6th September 1928.

Dear Mr Roerich

The books have been properly packed in hide and altogether make nine pony loads. I enclose details of expenditure incurred. As I am not certain when I shall reach Gangtok I am arranging to send a man to you at Darjeeling with the books.

I have also received the missing and illegible pages and I think it will be best to send these with the man. He is intelligent and will be able to assist you to restore the pages to their places. The Tibetan Trade Agent here who got me the books is anxious that they should be all right and suggests that you should get some lamas who know the book to put the faulty pages in the right places. I sincerely hope that the books will be satisfactory.

Please remember me kindly
to your father & mother & to your brother
if he has found me

To
G. Roerich, Esquire,
Hillside, Darjeeling.

Yours truly
J. S. S. S.

Received from the Political Officer in Sikkim, on account of a set of Tengyur and Kangyur supplied, the sum of Rs.3134/- (Three thousand one hundred and thirty four only), as detailed below:-

Price of books	3000 - 0 - 0.
18 Cow hides for packing @ 4/- each	72 - 0 - 0.
Hire of 9 donkeys from Shigatse to Gyantse	20 - 0 - 0.
One mounted messenger to fetch the books from Shigatse	8 - 0 - 0.
Hire of coolies for removing books to Dak bungalow	4 - 0 - 0.
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Total Rupees	3134 - 0 - 0.

(Rupees Three thousand one hundred and thirty four only)

Gyantse, Tibet.
the 4th September 1928.

Sd/- Kachen La.



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THE RESIDENCY,
GANGTOK,
SIKKIM,

Camp Gyantse, Tibet.

the 10th September 1928.

Dear Mr Roerich

In continuation of my letter of the 6th instant, as I had to postpone the date of my leaving Gyantse for Sikkim, I have had the bundles of books reopened and put all the missing and illegible pages in their proper places. The Tibetan Trade Agent, who got me the books asked me to do this as he was anxious that everything should be in good order. This cost me Rs.7/- more.

In 2-1
Mr Darley

To

G. Roerich, Esquire,
Hillside, Darjeeling.

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THE RESIDENCY,
GANGTOK,
SIKKIM,

Camp Yatung, Tibet.

the 25th September 1928.

Dear Mr Roerich

Please refer to my demi-official letter No.909-P of 10th instant. I am sending the books with Inchungla together with the balance of money from which he will pay the hire of transport etc. Will you please also pay Inchungla at Rs.2/- a day from ^{the} day he leaves here and pay ^{to} him one riding and one pack pony. I think it best to send a responsible man with the books on account of the wet weather. I am glad you had a good time in Simla.

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To

G. Roerich, Esquire,
Hillside, Darjeeling.

L.D.

Details of expenditure.

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Price of books. Rs. 3000- 0- 0.
 18 cow hides for packing @ 4/- each. Rs. 72- 0- 0.
 Hire of 9 donkeys from Shigatse to Gyantse. Rs. 20- 0- 0.
 One mounted messenger to fetch the books from
 Shigatse. Rs. 8- 0- 0.
 Hire of coolies for removing books to Dak bungalow.. Rs. 4- 0- 0.
 Commision charge for cheque. Rs. 18- 0- 0.
 Cost of ~~XXXXXX~~ reopening and repacking (for
 placing missing and illegible pages). Rs. 7- 0- 0.
 Hire of 9 ~~XXXX~~ ponies from Gyantse to Phari
 @ Rs. 8/3/- per pony. Rs. 73-11- 0.
 Hire of 9 ponies from Phari to Yatung @ 2/8/- per
 pony. Rs. 22- 8- 0.
 Inchungla, purchase of gunny bags for covering
 the books. Rs. 9- 0- 0.

 Expenditure Rs. 3234- 3- 0.
 -- Receipt.Rs. 3600- 0- 0.

 Balance.....Rs. 365-13- 0.

(Balance of Rs. 365/13/- (three hundred sixty five and annas
 thirteen only) handed over to Inchungla).

Gyantse - Dayuling -

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Rs 22/- Inchung la's pay
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 12/- 6- 21/-

one riding pony

Rs 22,
 Yatung - Dayuling Rs 20/-
 Rs 18/- 21/-

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Rs 365/-13/-

Jatung - Kalingpur

9 mules per Rs 12/-

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Rs 108/-

Kalingpur - Daju -

9 mules - Rs 6/8/- Rs 48/8/-

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Rs 600/-

Rs 6/-
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Rs 24/-

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THE RESIDENCY,
GANGTOK,
SIKKIM,

the 8th October 1928.

Dear Mr Roerich

I am very sorry to hear that some of the volumes arrived damaged. I took a good deal of trouble and spent considerable money in having them well done up in skins - and it is very disappointing - but the Sikkim rains are hard to cope with.

It would have been better had we kept the books in Tibet until the rains were over - but as I am leaving I was anxious to get the books to you before I left. When I hear from you I will order again what is spoilt.

Kindest regards to all.

Yours sincerely
J. S. S. S.

To
G. Roerich, Esquire,
Hillside, Darjeeling.

Received
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THE RESIDENCY,
GANGTOK,
SIKKIM,

the 13th October 1928.

Dear Mr Roerich

I have just received your two letters of the 10th October and see that you want the extra volumes after all. In your letter of 6th you said you would let me know the exact volumes which you wanted replaced. If you will now do so I will ask Rai Bahadur Norbhu Dhondup to get them.

I am afraid that I shall not be coming to Darjeeling. I am leaving here on the 16th instant and am going straight to Calcutta and then Kashmir.

As I am leaving soon, I am afraid I shall not be able to do anything about the Tibetan Shepherd dogs. I am, however, asking Rai Bahadur Norbhu Dhondup to see if he can get one for you.

I am ^{not} sure when I shall be in the States but I think next April or May.

Yours truly
J. M. Darley

To
G. Roerich, Esq.,
Hillside, Darjeeling.

Received
13/10/28.