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Washington, D. C., U.S.A.

April 5, 1934.

Dear Professor Roerich:

After reading your books, I would like to address you not so much as a professor but as an apostle of the gospel of beauty and peace and as a prophet of the world to come, a world illuminated by the light of the spirit.

The books you have sent me are precious gifts. They show that you can interpret in words the deepest thoughts of the mind and the spirit as masterfully as you have expressed them in color in your paintings.

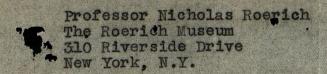
There is a fundamental unity in your literary and artistic work. It seems to me that there is much of the color of your paintings in the pages of your books, and much of the music of your words in the symphony of colors of your paintings.

Your books and your paintings have taken me to the thresh-hold of a wonderful world of thought and beauty.

With my very cordial thanks, I am, my dear Professor Roerich,

Faithfully yours,

(Signed) E.Gil Borges.



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Dear Professor Roerich:

I am happy to transmit to you and Miss Grant the enclosed copies of the report of the Special Committee of the Governing Board appointed to report on the Roerich Pact, to which is attached a draft of the Inter-American Convention on the Roerich Pact formulated by the Committee. The Convention and the report were approved by the Governing Board in its meeting of April 4, 1934.

We are now engaged in transmitting to the Governments members of the Union certified copies of the Convention.

Very cordially yours,

(Signed)

E. Gil-Borges, Assistant Director

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