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J. G. PHELPS STOKES
100 WILLIAM STREET
NEW YORK

October 10, 1931.

Professor Nicholas de Roerich,
Naggar, Kulu,
Punjab, India.

My dear Professor Roerich:-

I desire to express to you my profound appreciation of the consideration shown me by yourself, and by your fellow Trustees of the Roerich Museum, in electing me a Member in Perpetuity of that very wonderful institution.

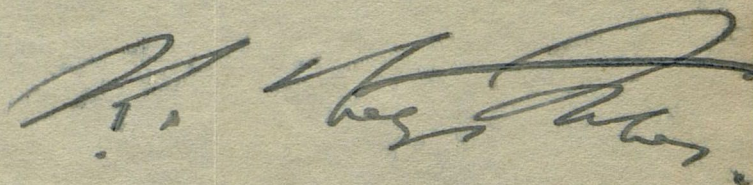
My awareness of my limitations makes my appreciation of this honor all the more keen.

I esteem it a very great privilege to be permitted so trusted an association with yourself and your collaborators in the very great work that is being done under your leadership, and trust I may show my appreciation in such ways as may be open to me.

May I express also, my profound appreciation of the sentiments so very kindly expressed by Mme. Roerich in this connection, as communicated to me recently, most kindly, by Mr. and Mrs. Horch.

Believe me,

Very faithfully yours,



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November 24, 1931.

Professor Nicholas Roerich,
Naggar, Kulu,
Punjab, India.

Dear Professor Roerich:-

I very greatly appreciate your exceedingly kind note of September 24, 1931, so kindly handed to me by Miss Lichtmann.

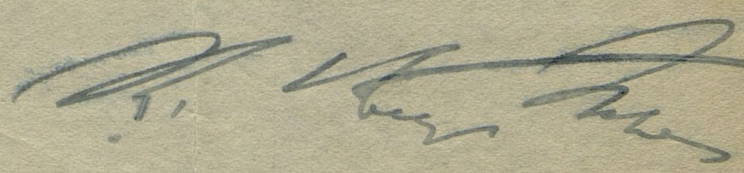
It was indeed a privilege to meet Miss Lichtmann, and to hear so much from her about the wonderful work that is being done under your inspiration and guidance at Kulu.

At a meeting of the Committee of the Biological Laboratory Fund, held at the Museum on November 18th, your beautiful painting of St. Pantaleimon, the Healer, so generously donated by you to the Fund, was presented to the Committee in your name by Miss Lichtmann. All were deeply touched, and I was requested to express to you the gratitude of the Committee for this gift, as well as their very deep appreciation.

There are evidently many things that cannot be adequately expressed in words. Among them, such admiration as your co-workers feel, even the humblest of them, for your inestimable services to humanity. It is indeed a privilege to be permitted to share, in however slight a degree, in the very great work that you are doing.

Pray convey to Mme. Roerich the same measure of respect from all the members of the Committee, as I am endeavoring to express to you; and also my best personal regards to Dr. George Roerich and Mr. Svetoslav Roerich, and believe me,

Very sincerely yours,



so very generously shown
only in so many ways -
I can only hope to show
my appreciation by an
even larger service to
that Supreme Ref that
we both (I so in-
adequately!) strive
to serve -

With best of Christmas
wishes to Anne Roenick
and to the Bureau -
Roanoke as well as
to yourself I am
ever sincerely,
J. G. Phelps Stokes.

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December 23
1931

Very dear Prof. Roenick
Miss Lichtenman
most kindly handed to
me a few days ago
the silver nautica box
that you so very kindly
sent me through her.

I do not know how
to adequately express in
words my appreciation
of this gift and of the
consideration you have

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November 17, 1937.

Dear Professor and Madame Roerich:

I am asked to convey to you on behalf of many of your friends gathered at Mrs. Sutro's home to-day, a renewed expression of their admiration, loyalty and devotion.

In the hard times that are being experienced by the many who share your ideals and aspirations, we want to assure you again of our desire to be of service in any way in our power; and of our certainty that the right for which you have so long and so valiantly striven will again emerge victorious, as it always does; and that the despoilers of holy shrines will continue to meet, as they always do sooner or later, the merited retribution that their acts rightly entail.

With heartfelt greetings, we remain, as ever,

Faithfully yours,

Some twenty or thirty devoted
friends through their instrument —

J. G. PHELPS STOKES

Prof. and Mme. Nicholas Roerich,
Naggar, Kulu,
Punjab, Brit. India.

Signature: Nicholas Roerich
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J. G. PHELPS STOKES
33 MADISON AVENUE
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September 26, 1941

Prof. and Mme. Nicholas Roerich,
Naggar, Kulu,
Punjab, Br. India.

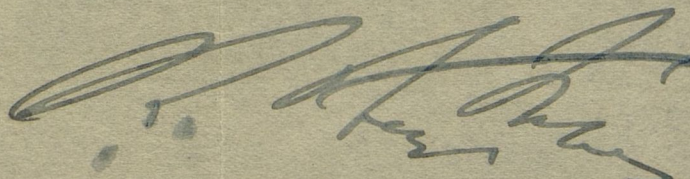
Dear Professor and Madame Roerich:

It is with profound grief that I find it necessary to advise you of a most unhappy interview occurring in my office this noon, in which interview Mr. and Mrs. Fosdick, Mrs. Campbell, Miss Fritschie and myself were the participants.

I have written Mrs. Campbell and Miss Fritschie to-day respecting the situation that has arisen, and feel that in fairness to you a copy of my said letter should be transmitted to you. I therefore enclose it to you herewith.

With great appreciation of the great work you both have done and of the great service you both have rendered, and with exceedingly profound grief over the situation that has arisen, I am

Very sincerely yours,



Encl.