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17th December 1947.

My dear Roerich,

I feel very happy that I had opportunities of meeting you and Devika and of coming to know you so well. I hope we shall get together again.

I am enclosing my second file which contains practically most of the stuff that I had in my personal file. You can take this to Delhi and give it back to me on your return to Bombay in January. You are free to show any of these notes to anybody you like, of course, confidentially.

With very best wishes to you

and Devika,

Yours sincerely,

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27th May, 1960.

My dear Devika and Svetoslav,

I was deeply grieved to read of the passing away of George. How I wish I were with you at this time of distress to share with your your grief and to lighten as far as possible your burden. Raghavan wrote to Chanda about your going to Moscow on the 20th April and that you would return in about six weeks' time. I wonder if your programme will now be changed. George was a great friend of mine just as you have been and I enjoyed being with him in Kalimpong for a fortnight in April 1955. We had a number of meetings in Bombay when he was on his way to Russia. I had great affection for him and I know he liked me immensely also.

It was good that you were with George all this month and last before his passing away so suddenly. When we meet, which I hope will be very soon, you will tell me all about him and his work in Moscow.

I am very tired for the moment as I have had no leave during the last 18 months since my return from Hong Kong early in December 1958. I have got stuck to Bombay and it seems for the next three months at least, I will be in Bombay. Not only because of my normal work but because I expect to complete during the next three months my book on Labour. It is going to be a long long story and I have already written over ten chapters.

When this book is finished I would like to take a good

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holiday and I do not think of any place better than Bangalore where we three can stay together and you look after me as you did in September-October 1953. Please accept my heart-felt condolences and remember that when you return to India and to Bangalore we must get together.

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With all my love to both of you,

Yours ever affectionately,

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My dear Svetoslar, I pend you my warmest greeting, my best wishes and my love on the occasin og your birth-day. I wish you many many many happy returns of the dag. I ovedere send you two gustatus. which I have recently read. One has to be remaided of this constantly Fully, I have pleasant news to give you and Devike. Early in September, I completed my frist volume "Indias Fight-

for Freedom: 1913 to 1937, an Eye. Witness, story" - 34 Chapters, 1,80,000 words. I have handed over the type seight try publishes. They tell me that the book will be publish 67 May ~ June, 1965 - 450 pages. you and Devika will receive a city as som as it is ont glu- Press. Drit you thill this news is comberful? In writing this full story of this. Besant's work, I have fulfilled the Mission of my life. I am now about to start the second

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Volume og my book - 1938 to 1963. This. should take me about ten monthe more to complete. I hope you and devilla are in thebest of health. Will all my love to bolk of you,

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yours ever.

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Frank has written a new book on Nehm we which will be publish in early December. I will send you a con. He went they two weeks back as is return on the 18th. K.