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Period November 11 - 25, 1929

November 25, 1929

To the Board of Trustees of Roerich Museum:

Since November 15th one hundred and ten letters with pamphlets were sent out to leading Universities, Scientific Foundations and persons interested in scientific research.

The Institute plans to inaugurate a campaign to collect necessary funds for the erection of an electric power plant at the Headquarters in India.

Two additional funds of \$40,000 and \$30,000 are needed for the continuation of scientific research in the several departments of the Institute.

The Research Institute plans to communicate with Professor Henry F. Osborn in order to obtain his cooperation on a scientific Expedition to Lahul and the Western Himalayas, scheduled to leave the Institute in July, 1930.

The Library of the Institute has received an additional grant of ten books.

The expenses for this period were:

Secretary	\$30.00
Cost of printing pamphlet	109.00
Postage expenses:	10.00

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TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF ROERICH MUSEUM.

Period November 25th - November 30th, 1929

During the past week 75 letters with enclosed pamphlets have been sent out.

Twelve answers acknowledging the pamphlet have been received expressing interest in the undertaking.

One annual membership fee has been received from Mrs. Chauncey Blain of Chicago.

The Director of the Institute had an interview with Dr. Stephen Duggan, Director of the Institute of International Education, who promised his full assistance.

The expenditures for this period were:

Secretary	\$15.
Postage	5.

The Director plans to visit Washington and Boston in the course of the next week in order to discuss further co-operation.

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Period November 30, 1929 - December 7, 1929

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One annual Membership (\$25.) has been received.

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Period December 14th, 1929 - December 21st, 1929.

To the Board of Trustees of Roerich Museum:

During the past week the Director visited Boston and Cambridge and had a number of important conferences. President Lowell expressed his sympathy with the project of the Institute and promised to recommend the Institute to some of the Trustees of the University. He also agreed to support the Institute's proposal for a book exchange between the Harvard University Press and the Institute's Library.

The Director had the following interviews: Dr. R. Blake, Prof. Ed. Forbes, Sir Aurel Stein, Dr. R. Chaney, Dr. Heyne, Dr. L. Warner, and Prof. C. F. Moore.

A letter has been received from the Smithsonian Institution inaugurating the book exchange with the Institute's Library.

The Institute received a number of inquiries about its scientific activity.

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Period December 21st, 1929 - December 28th, 1929.

The Director has been in communication with Dr. Parks concerning the organization and equipment of the proposed Expedition to Lehul.

The Director had an interview with Dr. James Bennett concerning the erection of an electric power station at the Headquarters of the Institute in the Kulu Valley.

The Institute has received a grant of books from the Smithsonian Institution of Washington which are now being catalogued.

The Director has approached different manufacturers of scientific equipment in order to obtain estimates of field and laboratory equipment.

The Director had an interview with Dr. Edgar Hewett who was very much in favor of a scientific cooperation of the Institute with the different schools of the American Archaeological Society. Dr. Hewett mentioned the establishment of an archaeological school in California whose object it will be to study archaeological problems in the Basin of the Pacific.

The Institute's Office, except for the item of staff salaries, had no expenses.

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