under him, from any foreign source or by way of payment in the ordinary course of business transacted in India by such foreign source; or

(b) By way of payment in the ordinary course of business transacted by him outside India; or

(c) As an agent of a foreign source in relation to any transaction made by such foreign source with the Government; or

(d) By way of a gift or presentation made to him as a member of any Indian delegation, provided that such gift or present was accepted in accordance with the regulations made by the Central Government with regard to the acceptance or retention of such gift or presentation; or

(e) From his relative.

9. No member of a legislature, office-bearer of a political party, Government servant or employee of any corporation shall, while visiting any country or territory outside India, accept except with the prior permission of the Central Government, any foreign hospitality.

10. The Central Government may—

(a) Prohibit any association, not specified in Section 4 or Section 6, or any person, from accepting any foreign contribution;

(b) Require any association, specified in Section 6, to obtain prior permission of the Central Government before accepting any foreign contribution;

(c) Require any person or class of persons, not specified in Section 9, to obtain prior permission of the Central Government before accepting any foreign hospitality;

Foreign Hospitality

(d) Require any person or class of persons or any association, not being an associaton specified in Section 6, to furnish intimation within such time and in such manner as may be prescribed as to the amount of any foreign contribution received by such person or class of persons or association, as the case may be, and the source from which and the manner in which such contribution was received and the purpose for which and the manner in which such foreign contribution was utilised;

(e) Require any person, or class of persons, not specified in Section 9, to furnish intimation within such time and in such manner as may be prescribed as to the receipt of any foreign hospitality, the source from which and the manner in which such hospitality was received :

Provided that no such prohibition or requirement shall be made unless the Central Government is satisfied that the acceptance of foreign contribution by such association or person or, as the case may be, the acceptance of foreign hospitality by such person, is likely to affect prejudicially—

(i) the sovereignty and integrity of India; or

(ii) the public interest; or

(iii) freedom or fairness of election to any legislature; or

(iv) friendly relations with any foreign State; or

(v) harmony between religious, racial, linguistic or regional groups, castes or communities.

11. Every individual, association, organisation or other person, who is required by or under this Act to obtain the prior permission of the Central Government to accept any foreign contribution of foreign hospitality, shall before the acceptance of any such contribution or hospitality, make an application for such permission to the Central Government in such form and in such manner as may be prescribed.

Chapter III Miscellaneous

12. Where the Central Government is satisfied, after making such inquiry as it may deem fit, that any person has in his custody any article or currency, whether Indian or foreign, which has been accepted by such person in contravention of any of the provisions of this Act, it may, by order in writing, prohibit such person from paying, delivering, transferring or otherwise dealing with, in any manner whatsoever, such article or currency save in accordance with the written orders of the Central Government and a copy of such order shall be served upon the person so prohibited in the prescribed manner, and thereupon the provisions of sub-sections (2), (3), (4) and (5) of Section 7 of the Unlawful Activities (Prevention) Act, 1967 shall, so far as may be, apply to, or in relation to, such article or currency and references in the said sub-sections to moneys, securities or credits shall be construed as references to such article or currency :

Provided that nothing contained in this section shall apply to any remittance made, in the ordinary course of business, through any official channel, post office or any authorised dealer in foreign exchange under the Foreign Exchange Regulation Act, 1947.

13. Every association, referred to in Section 6, shall maintain, in such form and in such manner as may be prescribed,—

(a) an account of any foreign contribution received by it, and

(b) a record as to the manner in which such contribution has been utilised by it.

14. If the Central Government has any reason to suspect that any provision of this Act has been, or is being contravened by—

(a) any political party, or

(b) any person, or

(c) any organisation, or

(d) Any association.

if may, by general or special order authorise such gazetted officer as it may think fit (hereinafter referred to as the "authorised officer"), to inspect any account or record maintained by such political party, person, organisation, as the case may be, and thereupon every such authorised officer shall have the right to enter in or upon any premises at any reasonable hour, before sunset and after sunrise, for the purpose of inspecting the said account or record.

15. If, after inspection of an account or record referred to in Section 14, the authorised officer has any reasonable cause to believe that any provision of this Act or of any other law relating to foreign exchange has been, or is being, contravened, he may seize such account or record and produce the same before the court in which any proceeding is brought for such contravention :

Provided that the authorised officer shall return such account or record to the person from whom it was seized if no proceeding is brought within three months from the date of such seizure for the contravention disclosed by such account or record.

16. If any gazetted officer, authorised in this behalf by the Central Government, by general or special order has any reason to believe that any person has in his possession or control any article or currency, whether Indian or foreign, in relation to which any provision of this Act has been, or is being, contravened, he may seize such article or currency.

17. Every seizure made under this Act shall be made in accordance with the provisions of Section 103 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898.

18. Any article or currency which is seized under Section 16 shall be liable to confiscation.

19. Any confiscation referred to in Section 18 may be adjudged—

(a) Without limit, by the court of district judge within the local limits of whose jurisdiction the seizure was made; and

(b) subject to such limits as may be prescribed, by such officer, not below the rank of an Assistant Sessions Judge, as the Central Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, specify in this behalf.

20. No order of adjudication of confiscation shall be made unless a reasonable opportunity of making a representation against such confiscation has been given to the person from whom any article or currency has been seized.

Judicial order

21. (1) Any person aggrieved by any order made under Section 19 may prefer an appeal,—

(a) where the order has been made by the Court of District Judge, to the High Court to which such Court is subordinate:

(b) where the order has been made by any other officer, to the court of the District Judge within the local limits of whose jurisdiction such order of adjudication of confiscation was made, within one month from the date of communication to such person of the order :

Provided that the appellate court may, if it is satisfied that the appellant was prevented by sufficient cause from preferring the appeal within the said period of one month, allow such appeal to be preferred within a further period of one month, but not thereafter.

(2) Any organisation referred to in Section 5, or any person or association referred to in Section 9 or Section 10, aggrieved by an order of the Central Government refusing to give permission, or by any order made by the Central Government, under Section 5 or Section 9 or Section 10, as the case may be may, within 60 days from the date of such order, prefer an appeal against such order to the Supreme Court of India.

(3) Every appeal preferred under this section shall be deemed to be an appeal from an original decrer and the provisions of Order XLI of the first schedule to the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, shall, as far as may be, apply thereto as they apply to an they appeal from an original decre.

22. If any person, on whom any prohibitory order has been served under Section 12, pays, delivers, transfers or otherwise deals with, in any manner whatsoever, any article or currency, whether Indian or foreign, in contravention of such prohibitory order, he shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years or with fine or with both; and not withstanding anything contained in the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, the court trying such contravention may also impose on the person convicted an additional fine equivalent to the market value of the article or the amount of the currency in respect of which the prohibitory order has been contravened by him or such part thereof as the court may deem fit.

23. (1) Whoever accepts, or assists any person, political party or organisation in accepting, any foreign contribution or currency, whether Indian or foreign, in contravention of any provision of this Act or any rule made thereunder shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to five years, or with fine, or with both.

(2) Whoever accepts any foreign hospitality in contravention of any provision of this Act shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to three years, or with fine, or with both.

Confiscation

24. Any person who in relation to any article or currency, whether Indian or foreign, does or omits to do any act which act or omission would render such article or currency liable to confiscation under this Act shall be liable to a penalty not exceeding five times of value of the article or currency or Ra. 1,000 whichever is more, where such article or currency is not available for confiscation.

25. Whoever, having received from a foreign source any article for his personal use, the market value of which does not exceed Rs. 5,000 sells or otherwise transfers or makes any commercial use of, such article without the prior permission of the Central Government, shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to five years, or with fine, or with both.

26. Whoever fails to comply with any provision of this Act for which no separate penalty has been provided shall be punished with imprisonment for a term which may extend to one year, or with fine, or with both.

27. (1) Where an offence under this Act or any rule made thereunder has been committed by a company, every person who, at the time the offence was committed, was in charge of, and was responsible to, the company for the conduct of the business of the company, as well as the company, shall be deemed to be guilty of the offence and shall be liable to be proceeded against and punished accordingly:

Provided that nothing contained in this sub-section shall render such person liable to any punishment if he proves that the offence was committed without his knowledge or that he had exercised all due diligence to prevent the commission of such offence.

(2) Notwithstanding anything contained in sub-section (1), where an offence under this Act or any rule made thereunder has been committed by a company and it is proved that the offence has been committed with the consent or connivance of, or is attributable to any neglect on the part of, any director, manager, secretary or other officer of the company, other officer shall also be deemed to be guilty of that offence and shall be liable to be proceeded against and punished accordingly.

Explantion.—for the purposes of this section,—

(a) "company" means anybody corporate and includes a firm, society, trade union or other association of individuals, and

(b) "director," in relation to a firm, society, trade union or other association of individuals, means a partner in the firm or a member of the governing body of such society, trade union or other association of individuals.

Previous sanction

28. No court shall take cognizance of any offence under this Act, except with the previous sanction of the Central Government or any officer authorised by that Government in this behalf.

29. Notwithstanding anything contained in the Code of Criminal Procedure, 1898, any offence punishable under this Act may also be investigated into by such authority as the Central Government may specify in this behalf.

30. No suit or other legal proceeding shall lie against the Central Government in respect of any loss or damage caused or likely to be caused by anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done in pursuance of the provisions of this Act or any rule or order made thereunder.

31. (1) The Central Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, make rules to carry out the provisions of this Act.

(2) In particular, and without prejudice to the generality of the foregoing power, such rules may provide for all or any of the following matters, namely:—

(a) the time within which, and the manner in which, intimation is to be given by an association specified in section 6 with regard to the foreign contributions received by it;

(b) the time within which, and the manner in which, intimation is to be given by persons receiving any scholarship, stipend or any payment of a like nature from a foreign source,

(c) the formand manner in which an application shall be made for obtaining prior permission of the Central Government to receive foreign contribution or foreign hospitality;

(d) the manner of service of the prohibitory order made under Section 12;

(e) the form and manner in which account or record referred to in Section 13 shall be maintained;

(f) the limits up to which an officer, not below the rank of an Assistant Sessions Judge, may make adjudication of confiscation;

(g) any other matter which is required to be or may be, prescribed.

(3) Every rule made by the Central Government under this Act shall be laid, as soon as may be after it is made, before each House of Parliament while it is in session for a total period of 30 days which may be comprised in one session or in two or more successive sessions, and if, before the expiry of the session immediately following the session or the successive sessions aforesaid, both Houses agree in making any modification in the rule or both Houses agree that the rule should not be made,

the rule shall thereafter have effect only in such modified form or be of no effect, as the case may be; so, however, that any such modification or annulment shall be without prejudice to the validity of anything previously done under that rule.

32. If the Central Government is of opinion that it is necessary or expedient in the interests of the general public so to do, it may, by order and subject to such conditions as may be specified in the order, exempt any association (not being a political party), organisation or any individual from the operation of all or any of the provisions of this Act and may, as often as may be necessary, revoke or modify such order.

33. Nothing contained in this Act shall apply to any transaction between the Government of India and the Government of any foreign country or territory.

December 11, 1974
psbg/sz

Rev. Dr. Paul Singh
Acting Pramukh Adhyaksh
GEL Church

R a n c h i / Bihar
India

Re.: Discretionary Fund

Dear brother Singh,

I herewith acknowledge receipt of your kind letter dated November 5th. I thank you for the latest news you informed me about as well as for your reminding me of a further amount for the discretionary fund of the Pramukh Adhyaksh. I know very well that you need this money for giving medical help to pastors and katechists. I hesitated because I had some hope that you predecessor would still give you his last bills, but obviously he did not and your hands are empty. I am happy to inform you that Gossner Mission will transfer within the next days an amount of DM 2.000,-- appr. Rps 6.000,-- as grant to the discretionary fund of the Pramukh Adhyaksh.

Yours sincerely

for Martin Seeberg

(Secretary)

cc: Frau Meudt

To
The Gossner Mission Director,
Rev.M.Seeberg,Berlin.

Sir,

I am sending a short account of Rs.2500/- received by you through Rev.Dr.C.K.P.Singh.The Boundery work is yet not done due to lack of cement but Building repairing work has been done.

The final years students' Covocation will be held on 1st December 74.Please remember this occasion.

I and the Managing Committee Members of this Intitution are very thankful to you for this kind help.

Yours very faithfully.

J. Soy 14-11-74.

Rev.Junas Soy.
G.B.& B.P.Kendra Govindpur.
P.O.Govindpur
Dist Ranchi,Bihar.
INDIA.

An Account of Rs.2500/-received by Rev.~~Dr.~~ Sw C.Berg through Rev.Dr.C.K.P.Singh on 2nd March 74 for repairing work of Tabita Building and Boundry wall.

S.N.	Description		Amount. Rs.Ps.
1.	Materials:-97 Rollas-	-	325.50
	16 Bamboos-	-	8.00
	1 Blockcard sand-	-	111.00
	600 ft total legth Batas	-	69.50
	7 K.Panipatta supporter iron-		21.00
	3 K.250 gr.nails-	-	21.25
	Half K.Rope-	-	2.60
	2000 Tiles-	-	116.00
	Coal Tar-	-	3.00
	One big Blue-	-	5.50
	27 Seer Lime for white washing-		14.50
	1 Liter yellow colour painter-		17.50
	2 Brick Broker Basulas-		4.00
		Total-	618.75
2.	Labour espenses:-		446.00
3.	Journey espenses for managing the materials-		22.20
		Grand total-	1086.95
	=~~Rs.~~	Income-	2500.00
		Balance-	1413.05

=Rs.One thousand four hundred thirteen and ~~Ps.f~~ five only.

J.Soy 14-11-74. S/~~D~~ ReV.J.Soy.
Headmaster
G.B.& B.P.K.Govindpur.

गोस्सनर बैबल एवं बुनियादी प्रशिक्षण केन्द्र

पी॰ ओ॰ गोविन्दपुर, राँची (बिहार)

रेभ॰ जे॰ सोय
प्रधानाध्यापक

स्थान.....

दिनांक.....

An introduction of the Gossner Bible & Buniyadi Prashikshan Kendra(Gossner Bible & Basic Training Centre) Govindpur in short.

1.No of staff member-2 male teachers:-(1)Rev.Junas Soy.
(2)Rev.Christ Umbulan Dang.
2 female teachers:-(1)Miss.Santoshi ~~Ho~~ Horo.
(2)Miss.Shanti Tutti

2.No of students-1st Year students-9 men and 6 girls=15.
2nd Year students-12men and7 girls =19
Total- 34

The said students have come from the defferent parts of the Provinces like Bihar,Orissa,Assam and C.P.(India)

3.Aims and objects-(1) To prepare men for preaching the Gospel to be incharge of the congregations as Catechist.
(2)To prepare women for preaching the Gospelas Pracharikas and to make them idial house holders.

4.Maintenance-The sum of Rs.40/-is being paid to each ~~studets~~ as monthly stipend by the K.S.S.,G.E.L.Church Chotanagpur and Assam.

J.Soy 7-11-74. ~~S/D~~ Rev.J.Soy.
Headmaster
G.B.& B.P.K.Govindpur.
The 7th Nov.1974.

KS 4/10/74

October 4, 1974
psbg/sz

Rev. Dr. C.K. Paul S i n g h
Acting Pramukh Adhyaksh G.E.L. Church

R a n c h i / Bihar
India

Re.: Budget 1974 BEL - final instalment of subsidy

Dear Brother Singh,

Referring to your letter dated August 26th Gossner Mission will transfer the outstanding amount.

Your calculation C - (A + B) = Rps 91.168,80 is not correct. It should be

Rps 90.728,80.

From this amount we deducted Rps 15.000,-- (Railway Hotel advance) because we had sent it already on August 23rd 1974.

So the final instalment of subsidy is actually

Rps 75.728,80

which has been transferred to-day.

With kind regards,

yours sincerely,

(Martin Seeberg, Mission Director)

P.S. The interim help towards KSS of Rps 14.000,-- was sent on July 9th 1974.

19.9.1974 mdt.

Lutheran High School
c/o Mr. C. A. Tirkey
C h a i n p u r
Dt. Ranchi / Bihar
I n d i a

Re: Money for church bell

Dear Mr. Tirkey,

Today we asked the sum of

1.000,-- DM

to be transferred in favour of the account No. 49o4 at the United Commercial Bank Ltd., Ranchi Branch, Ranchi/Bihar, India.

We beg to excuse for the delay of transmission caused by an error.

With many greetings,

sincerely yours

Mdt.

(Brigitte Meudt, treasurer)

19.9.1974

Deutscher Evangelischer
Missions-Rat

2000 Hamburg 13

Mittelweg 143

Sehr geehrter Herr Bannach !

Wir bitten höflichst um Überweisung von

1.000,-- DM

an Mr. Christ Anand Tirkey, G. E. L. Church, Chainpur, Ranchi, auf das Konto bei der United Commercial Bank Ltd., Ranchi Branch, Main Road, Ranchi/Bihar, India, Account No. 4904, mit dem Vermerk: Lt. Schreiben vom 21.12.1973.

Der genannte Betrag ist mit gleicher Post an Sie abgegangen.

Mit freundlichen Grüßen

für die Gossner Mission
im Auftrag Mett.

LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL CHAINPUR, RANCHI

SRI C. A. TIRKEY
Headmaster/Secretary

Ref.

EINGEGANGEN
9. SEP. 1974
Erledigt .....

Date 5-9- 1974

To

Pastor M.Seeberg, Director,
Gossner Mission,Berlin.

Dear Pastor Seeberg,

I am taking this opportunity to write you when Mrs.Tirkey will be visiting you on the way to Birmingham at your invitation. I thank you for this and hope Mrs.Tirkey and Miss Bhengra will enjoy and benefit from this visitation.

Just for reminder sake I would like to write few lines about the amount you have to give us.

Money for Church Bell- I was informed by you that Rev.Klimkeit has sent you money for our long awaited Church Bell and you asked me the Bank account where to transfer the amount. I did the same and I am still waiting for the Transfer.I don't know if you missed the letter .If you have not already done kindly do it even through the Church account with information to the Pramukh and Head Accountant. Next year we are going to celebrate 75 th year anniversry of Chainpur Church building and we want to fix up the bell. Kindly look into the matter and expedite.

School Money:- I have come to learn that the balance of the school building money has been transferred to KSS account and out of which 30 thousand money has been given for the use of the KSS.Rs.20 thousand has been given as loan. I have already claimed Rs.20 thousand in my school bill.Repair and mending

Frau Herrdt
Das Geld ist
dort eingetroffen!
Nachricht, wann
und wie an
Hr. C.A. Tirkey
geben
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LUTHERAN HIGH SCHOOL CHAINPUR, RANCHI

SRI C. A. TIRKEY
Headmaster/Secretary

Ref..... Date.....197

work is very necessary. I have spent about 3 thousand rupees to repair most urgent ones by taking loan from different funds in the hope I will be able to pay back. I need Rs.10 thousand immediately to complete all. I shall be very grateful if you kindly advice the Pramukh Adhyaksh to make arrangement for the payment.Rest amount be paid later for the purchase of eqipments as shown in my bill.

We are still on our way to new constitution and hope some thing will be done in few months to come.

With love and Christian greetings,

Yours sincerely,

C.A.Tirkey

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चेयरमेन-पादरी एस० तिग्गा
सेक्रेटरी-श्री सी० ए० तिर्की

खजांची.
श्री फिलिप खलखो

पादरी लूथर टोप्पो-जदी
पादरी अ० बखला-अमगांव

संख्या .....

दिनांक 12/1/1973

EINGEGANGEN
23. JAN. 1974
Erledigt .....

From

Mr. C.A.Tirkey,Headmaster,

Lutheran High School,Chainpur/Ranchi/Bihar.

I N D I A

To

Pastor Seeberg,

Director,

Gossner Mission,Berlin.

Dear Director Seeberg,

Many thanks for your promt action and kind information for the amount asked for.I have just opened a Saving Bank Account with the United Commercial Bank Ltd. Ranchi Branch for the same.

Kindly transfer the amount in ~~the~~ " The United Commercial Bank Ltd., Ranchi Branch, Main Road,Ranchi/Bihar/ India, to Saving Bank Account No. 4904, Christ Anand Tirkey,G.E.L.Church, Chainpur,Ranchi.

With thanks and greetings from us for this New Year. Hope to see you early this year.

Yours Sincerely,

Tirkey 12.1.74

C.A.Tirkey

December 21, 1973

Mr.
C.A. T i r k e y
Headmaster
Lutheran High School

C h a i n p u r / Dt. Ranchi / Bihar
India

Dear Mr. Tirkey,

a few days ago Rev. Klimkeit sent us an amount of DM 1.000,-- i.e. appr. Rps 3.150,-- . What to do now? The bank account of the GEL Church is not working. Please inform us to which account we shall transfer the above mentioned sum.

With all good wishes for a blessed New Year,

sincerely yours,

Sg.

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Empfänger (genaue Anschrift)

Gossner Mission, 1 Berlin 41 Handjrystr. 19

Bankleitzahl

Konto-Nr. des Empfängers

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bei (Sparkasse usw.) oder ein anderes Konto des Empfängers

Berliner Bank AG

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Verwendungszweck (nur für Empfänger)

Für Glocke für Chainpur

DM

1000,-

Konto-Nr. des Auftraggebers

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Auftraggeber

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J. Klimkeit, Bierde 126

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14. DEZ. 1973

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Bitte dieses Feld nicht beschreiben und nicht bestempeln

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GOSSNER EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH

NORTH WEST ANCHAL

CHAINPUR ILAKA

REV. S. KUJUR B. D.
Adhyaksh — RANCHI
Act. Treasurer — RANCHI
REV. N. EKKA B.A., L. Th., Dip-Ed.
Up-Adhyaksh — LOHARDAGA

SRI C. A. TIRKEY B.A., Dip-Ed
Secretary — CHAINPUR

Ref. No.....

Date 20-11-1973.

Dear Rev.Klimkeit,

On receipt of your last letter I requested you to send the amount of Rs.2000/- through the Home Board at Berlin but I don't know whether you got that.

Well, Director Seeberg was here and I showed him your letter and also told him about the position of the church bell. He has told me ~~xxhx~~ that he will contact you and do the needful. One thing I have to tell you that the manufcturer of the bell want 65% advance before they make bell for any one and the same is delivered after a month.I therefore could not order the bell but as soon as we get the amount I shall place order with the manufacturer.

In the last I would like to inform you that my ailing mother and Shanti mistress are no more in this world.Shanti Tirkey expired in January and my mother on Easter Saturday this year. Rest of our family members are quite well and I do hope you all be keeping well.

With love and greetings,

Sincerely yours,

C. Tirkey
29/11/73

Copy to Director Seeberg
for information.

Copy to
Director Leading
for information.

14. November 1973
psbg/sz

14.11.73

Herrn
Pastor
K l i m k e i t

4956 B i e r d e
Kirchstr.

Lieber Bruder Klimkeit!

Vor wenigen Tagen bin ich aus Indien zurückgekehrt und Sie werden bald meinen Reisebericht bekommen. In diesem steht nicht, dass Mr. C.A. Tirkey, Headmaster High School Chainpur, Ihnen herzliche Grüsse sagen lässt und einen besonderen Dank für den Brief, den Sie ihm wegen der Glocke geschrieben haben. Mr. Tirkey hat für die Kirche in Chainpur die Glocke in Süd-Indien bestellt und wartet nun darauf, dass Sie ihm die versprochenen Rps 2.000,-- überweisen. Sie können das Geld entweder direkt auf das Konto der GEL Church of Chotanagpur and Assam, Ranchi/Bihar/India, bei der United Bank of India Ltd., Ranchi Branch, c/d. Acc. No. 1564, oder über uns überweisen.

Mit herzlichem Gruss bin ich

I h r

Sg.

D/ Frau Meudt

From: Sri. S. Bhengra
GEL Church, Ranchi.

April 20, 1974.

To

Rev. M. Seeberg,
Director, Gossner Mission,
1 Berlin 41 (Friedenau)
H a n d j e r y s t r. 19/20
West Germany.

Dear Sir,

I had a great desire to discuss with you for final adjustment of G.E.L. Church Accounts before you left India on 26th March 1974. but unfortunately the circumstances did not allow this opportunity and we could not do a thing about it.

At the year end it is necessary for me to close the accounts. You know the accounts up to the date 5.11.73 have been audited. We wanted then that from that day accounts be started fresh. I have not forsaken that idea. I only want that the accounts be adjusted on the basis of our three men discussion of November 1973.

So, as advised by Rev. Dr. N. Minz, Acting Pramukh Adhyaksh, the new officers of the KSS sat on 17.4.1974 and took up this account adjustment issue. I placed before them the position of G.E.L. Church accounts as on 5.11.1973. also suggested the adjustment. I have adjusted the accounts according to your suggestion given to me in last Nov. 1973.

According to the above adjustment all the deficit baring loans is made up utilising the probable accounts as detailed in the attached statement of accounts.

All the available funds were finished up. As for Evangelistic fund balance a sum of Rs.83,064.00 out of the total balance of Rs.1,63,064.00 has been utilised for making up deficit leaving only Rs.80,000.00 as balance for 1973 arrear expenses.

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From: Rev. J. Jacobs
Sub. Director, Lonah.

April 20, 1974.

To

Rev. J. Jacobs,
Director, Gossner Mission,
1 Berlin 41 (Friedenau)
A r g u d j e r y s t r. 19/20
West Germany.

Dear Sir,

I had a great pleasure to discuss with you for final settlement of ... Gossner accounts before you left India on 20th March 1974. But unfortunately the circumstances did not allow this opportunity and we could not do a thing about it.

As the year end is necessary for me to close the accounts. You know the accounts up to the date 5.11.73 have been audited. So needed then is a fresh year end day accounts be audited afresh. I have not foreseen this idea. I only wrote that the accounts be adjusted on the basis of the Gossner dissolution of November 1973.

So, as advised by Rev. [illegible] Kumar, Director, Gossner Mission offices of the Gossner at [illegible] and took up this accounts adjustment issue. I placed before them the position of the Gossner accounts as on 5.11.1973. He suggested the adjustments. I have adjusted the accounts based on [illegible] given to me in June 1973.

According to the above adjustment all the deficit during 1974 is made up leaving the probable accounts as detailed in the enclosed statement of accounts.

All the available funds were utilized up. As for Evangelistic Fund payments and [illegible] the total balance of Rs.1,93,000.00 has been utilized for [illegible] up deficit leaving only Rs.80,000.00 as liabilities for 1974 and [illegible] expenses.

...

The officers agreed with the adjustment of all other amounts except the utilisation of Rs.83,064.00 out of the total Evangelistic work balance of Rs.1,63,064.00. The BEL in its meeting suggested that the whole amount of Rs.1,63,064.00 (Evangelistic work balance) be kept in balance and not only an amount of Rs.80,000.00 as suggested. They think that the amount of Rs.80,000.00 will not be sufficient for payment of 1973 arrear bills.

If this money of Rs.83,064.00 is not utilised to make up the deficit there will be a burden of an amount of Rs.83,064.00 upon the Church as deficit. Personally I prefer your proposal that only Rs.80,000.00 be kept for 1973 arrears. The rest amount of Rs.83,064.00 be utilised to make up the deficit. This will free GEL Church from all the long accumulated deficit and give it a chance of new begin.

Hence, our request to you will be either

(1) Allow the adjustment of Rs.83,064.00 out of the balance of Rs.1,63,064.00. or

(2) Be kind enough to send us an amount of Rs.83,064.00 separately if you think the whole amount of balance is kept intact.

Your promise is still fresh in our mind. We will be happy the day the G.E.L.Church will be free from all deficit.

Our acting Pramukh will be at Geneva for the next two weeks inconnection with LWF meeting. Also Dr.C.K.P.Singh will be visiting Germany in the first week of May 1974. They will contact you and explain about the position of the accounts. I hope you will come to a definit decision. For the present I am closing the 1973 accounts without touching Evangelistic work balance.

The situation of the Church is now a days better. We have no more any bank problem. You may have been informed about these matters by our officers. The Good Friday and Easter have been celebrated happily and peacefully all over the Church.

With all the best wishes and compliments.

Sincerely yours,

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(S. BHENGRA)

Copy to: 1. Dr.N.Minz
Acting Pramukh Adhyaksh,GELC.

The officers approved the adjustments of all other amounts except the publication of $.83,064.00 due of the total appropriation work balance of $.1,683,064.00. The bill in the mechanics suggested that the whole amount of $.1,683,064.00 (available work balance) be kept in balance and not only an amount of $.80,000.00 as suggested. They think that the amount of $.80,000.00 will not be sufficient for payment of 1973 street bills.

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AUDITED KSS ACCOUNT POSITION ON 5.11.1973

MONEY TO BE AT HAND

			Rs.
1. Foreign Grant:-			
a, Church Economy			15,322.46
b, In-country Scholarship			25,332.62
c, Library grant to Theological College			2,575.62
2. Endowment Fund:-			11,963.45
3. Evangelistic Work (General)	A.	1,39,740.42	
" " (Central)	B.	14,113.23	
" " (Mikir Hills)	C.	9,210.35	1,63,064.00
4. Gossner Theological College (L.W.F)			7,374.34
5. Bible Training School Govindpur (L.W.F)			925.95
6. " " " " (Stipend)			720.00
7. Theological College in India			15,437.99
8. Affiliation Fees			6,179.66
9. Special Widows Grant			198.82
10. Bethesda Womens' Training School			2,000.00
11. Medical Programme Account			16,000.00
12. Jubilee Chanda Account			6,887.72
13. Pastors Refresher Course Account			3,040.89
14. Central Education Fund			2,36,502.05
15. Miscellaneous Special			28,178.42
Total:-			5,41,703.99

PAYMENTS TO BE ADJUSTED

	Rs.
1. G.E.L. Church Surguja	*3,695.71
2. Gossner Theological College (Stipend)	7,300.00
3. General Expenses Account	50,545.45
4. Motor Vehicle Account	42,385.07
5. Travel Transfer	10,476.16
6. Board of Properties Account	38,404.79
7. KSS Contribution to Provident Fund	5,503.00
8. " " " Pension Fund	5,146.52
9. Special Construction Account	*12,306.49
10. KNH Hostels	*438.18
11. Miscellaneous General	7,040.52
12. Miss Else Martin (extra cost of new Zeep)	*3,133.01
13. Loans	*2,02,996.63
14. Closing Balance	1,52,332.46
*These are not deficit but advances.	
Total:-	5,41,703.99

DEFICIT ADJUSTMENT

PAYMENTS

	Rs.
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8. Miscellaneous	7,040.52
T o t a l:-	1,66,801.51
Adjustment Balance:-	4,349.08
Total:-	1,71,150.59

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8. Central Education Fund	2,36,502.05		
9. Adjustment Balance	4,349.08	5. Balance at hand	1,52,332.46
Total:-	3,74,902.48	Total:-	3,74,902.48

Date- 19th April, 1974.

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Ref. No. 69/74/BPR-9 Date

Ranchi
18/4/74

To,
The Director
Gossner Mission
Berlin

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However, I am enclosing a copy of my very short report which would give you some ideas to save our church properties.

Hope you will reply with your good suggetions.

With regards-

Faithfully Yours
S.K. Barla 18/4/74
(SUSHIL KUMAR BARLA)
Asstt. Manager,
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THE BOARD OF PROPERTIES : ITS IMPORTANCE AND DEVELOPMENTS IN THE GEL CHURCH.

The present Property Board has been formed by the KSS and staffed by one Manger, one Asstt. Manager and a Clerk. The work of the Board is standstill as its functions have been decentralised by the present arrangements. The Head Quarters Congregation through its R.C.P. is responsible for Ranchi compound. The Anchals through their Station Committees in the Ilakas are responsible for church properties in the church stations. Thus the Board at the centre has no administrative authority over the subordinate formations as it looks to-day.

Suggestions:- It is therefore suggested that all Station Committees of the church stations should come under the direct control of the central Board and be responsible to the Property Board instead of to the Anchals All managerial works and development works of such stations should be supervised by the Prop. Bd. staff from time to time. Similarly the R.C.P. which was formed by the KSS on experimental basis on advice by the then Mission Director Dr. C. Berg in 1965 should also come under direct administrative control of the Prop. Bd. The present staff of the RCP be amalgamated with the central board. At present all the station committees and the R.C.P. are functioning independently and the Board of Properties has no hold on them. Thus the Property Board is formed only in the name.

The Station Committees of all stations and the RCP with staff should work according to the plans and schemes chalked out by the Board of Properties and the decisions made in the Property Board meetings should be implementd by the station committees.

All the income now being handled by the Anchals or station committees should come in the Property Board account in the centre, where there is no account or funds at present to carry on even day to day business of the Property Board. i.e. there are several court cases but the P.B. has no fund to meet the expenses of the court.

So far the power of attorney has been vested only on the Secretary of the Prop. Bd. who as a honorary worker resides outside the central headquarters and in time of necessity he may not and is not available. The managers who are required to handle the court cases cannot do any thing in the absence of the power of attorney. It is therefore suggested that for some cases the power of attorney be conferred on the Manager & the Asstt. Manager of the Board of Properties.

AGRICULTURAL SCHEMES & DEVELOPMENT

1. Agriculture:- There are landed properties in many places and stations as given in the description of lands below where paddy can be grown and are being grown in an irregular manner. Almost all the lands are given on Adhbatai system which means the church gets only 50% of the total yield and the rest goes to the cultivator. Thus we are losing our annual income to a great extent. If these lands are cultivated departmentally they will fetch more income to the church. The departmental works will succeed if proper arrangements are made by the Property Board, which can be seen from the previous works of the Property Board.

2. Gardening:-The Gossner Church has many gardens which were maintained by the then missionaries. From these gardens they earned so much money that could maintain the local churches. The missionaries had not to look for foreign money as they were all self supported The present Gossner Church can also become self supported if it adopts the method of earning money from the gardens. At present there are many facilities of developing the garden works asnow electric and diesel pumps are available for irrigation works. Such gardens are now available at Ranchi 2 Nos. Govindpur-1 Takarma-1. Singhani-1., Burju-1, Chainpur-1. Rajgangpur-1 Chakradharpur-1 and Karimati-1.

3. Fisheries:-There is a bandh at Marcha and a tank at Govindpur which can be used for fishery in a greater scale than now being done.

4. Buildings:- Projects:- In urban areas as well as in big stations we have sufficient spaces or plots of land to build houses which may be given on rent. For the moment we have no resources for buildings purposes but this should be kept in our minds to execute this work as soon as funds are available for the purpose.

5. Existing buildings:-In many places or stations we have buildings which have been given on rent. The rent earned from such buildings are now used by the local committees in local works and are not centralised in the account of the Property Board. Therefore the Property Board does not get any thing from such buildings. Take for example of the Ranchi compound. The RCP is made incharge of rent collection of Church compound but if one investigates he will find that no rent at all is being collected from Pilgar Lane, Babu Lane, Master Lane and Gossner compound. The church is left at the mercy of the tenants and the tenants are not in the mercy of the church being the owner of the buildings. The RCP expects to get the rent hoping that the tenants themselves will bring the rents to the office. There is no rent collector who could go door to door to the tenants and unless one goes door to door to the tenants he will not get any rent from them. Thus the church is in a loss of hundreds of rupees per month which would have sufficed for the expenditure of payments and repair and developmental works.

6. Staff:-The present staff with one manager, one Assistant manager and a typist clerk in the Property Board is not enough to carry on the works of the Property Board. According to the estimate of Mr. R. Montag the Property Board should have 30 staff. But the church cannot maintain so much staff therefore it must have atleast One Manager, two Asstt. Managers, two field Supervisors, One Accountant cum Treasurer two clerks total 7 members in the staff of P.B. for smooth running of the works of the Board.

Landed Properties excepting the gardens:-

The church has in its possession the following landed properties at different stations which are suitable for paddy cultivation:-
1. Khutitoli. 2. Koronjo. 3. Tujur. 4. Govindpur. 5. Dokad. 6 Lalli 7. Karamdih. 8. Kinkel. 9. Marcha. 10 Sarnatoli. 11. Purulia. 12 Gumla. 13. Kuru 14. Diankel 15. Ranikhatanga. 16 Ranchi. 17 Chainpur. 18. Lohardaga. 19 Karimati 20. For fishery. poultry, bee-keeping-Ranchi, Chainpur Takarma, Lohardaga, Chakradharpur, Chaibasa, Karimati, Tisukia. Texpur, Jharsugda and Singhani.
21. Bee-keeping and poultry only:- Tokad and Jonha.

S.K. Barla 15/4/74
S.K. Barla
Asstt. Manager Board of Properties GELC. Ranchi.

Copy to:-
All KSS members.
Secretaries of Anchals.
Secretaries of Ilakas.

Following financial arrangements have been agreed upon on the basis of resources mentioned between Director Pastor M.Seeber, Dr.C.K.Paul Singh, Director B.E.L. and Rev.Dr.N.Minz, Acting Pramukh Adhyaksha, G.E.L.Church, Ranchi on 18th March, 1974.

I. Financial arrangements to be continued until the GELC Bank operation begins.

(a) Payments to the staff of Central (KSS) office and those of the Central Institutions (Gossner Theological College and Pracharak Training School) will be made through Dr.C,K.Paul Singh, Director, BEL.

(b) Dr.Singh will make payments to the Mission fields and he will give loan to KNH hostels, if necessary, from the Evangelistic account.

(c) The manner of payment will be made as it was done during the past months.

2. Available financial resources.

(a) The G.M. has taken steps to transfer about Rupees Three lakhs in favour of G.E.L.C. to Amgaon Hospital account. Dr.Horo, the Superintendent is advised to make the necessary amounts available to Dr.Singh.

(b) Special Account is with U.B.I.

(c) About thirteen thousand rupees still remains balance from Chainpur High School Construction Accounts. Chainpur High School will loan it to the KSS for the time being.

3. An emergency budget for six months beginning from 15th March, 1974 be prepared soon.

24/3/74

(Rev.Dr.N.Minz)
Acting Pramukh Adhyaksha, G.E.L.C.
RANCHI

Rev. Martin Seeberg
Director Gossner Mission
Ranchi

February, 20th, 1974

To
Rev. N. Bhuinya
Adhyaksh S.E.Anchal
G.E.L.Church Kadma, Khunti

Ref. Foreign Fonds for Govindpur and Bokaro

Dear Rev. Bhuinya,

The Associated Home Builders sent you a letter dated February 14th, 1974 of which I got a copy.

As far as Gossner Mission is concerned I regret that the money in favour of South East Anchal has not been spent for the purpose meant as yet.

May I request the Anchal Samiti resp. Treasurer to settle the matter as soon as possible, because your friends abroad who collected this amount for the schoolbuilding at Govindpur and the churchbuilding at Bokaro are worried by complaints like those mentioned in the letter of the Associated Home Builders and have greatest interest in correct Exspenditures of sanctoned subsiedies.

I am
sincerely yours

ASSOCIATED HOME BUILDERS

ENGINEERS & BUILDING CONTRACTORS

C/o T. T. C. FUDI, P. O. FUDI, DIST. RANCHI.

Ref. No .....

Date 14 February 1974.

Paster M. Seeberg,
Director, Gossner Mission, Berlin
Camp: Ranchi, India

Dear sir:

As suggested by you, we requested Rev. J. Topno for payment in full settlement of our outstanding dues at his earliest convenience, by a letter dated 23.11.73 but till now we have not received any reply from him. We have sent a copy of that letter to you, with a request for taking suitable action, but it seems that you have not got it.

Now we are sending him a reminder with further request for early payment of our dues of Rs. 8944.90.

We are enclosing herewith the copy of our letter dated 23.11.73 and copy of our letter to Rev. J. Topno dated 23.11.73, copy of our reminder to him dated 14·2·74 copy of our letter to Rev. N. Bhuinya dated 14-2-74 and request you to kindly take proper steps with the Church Authorities so that we may get our dues.

Thanking you, we remain

Yours sincerely,

P. S. Topno

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For Associated Home Builders
c/o T.I.C. Fudi/Ranchi

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Ref. No. .....

23rd Nov. 3.

Date 197

Pastor, Seeberg,
Director,
Gossner Mission.

Dear Sir,

We hope you have safely arrived your home and met the families hale and hearty. As per our last talk on our way from Khunti to Ranchi on 5.11.1973 we are sending the copy of our letter to Rev. J. Topno for final settlement of accounts for our works done at Govindpur and Bokaro for your kind perusal and suitable action.

Awaiting to hear from you, we remain

Yours sincerely,

P.S. Topno

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Ref. No. ..... Date 23rd Nov 1973

Rev. J. Topno,
South East Anchal,
G.E.L. Church, Kadma, Khunti,
P.O. Khunti, Ranchi.

Sub :- Final settlement of accounts for the construction of 4 Rooms, School Building Govindpur and the Church Building with Pastor's Quarter at Bokaro.

Dear Sir,

We hope you will agree with the details of your accounts as per statement attached, which has been prepared after proper discussions and thorough checking and verification of the relevant papers and documents which we mutually agreed as correct on 20.2.1973 at your place Ranchi and you also agreed to pay the balance amount gradually in due course. And subsequently you made further payment which has also been inclued in the statement showing the up-to-date position of the accounts.

We shall be glade to receive your further payment in full settlement of the accounts at your earliest convenience.

Thanking you, we are,

Yours faithfully,

P. S. Topno
(P. S. Topno)

A.P. Mishra
(A.P. Mishra)

For Associated Home Builders.
T.T.C. Fudi/Ranchi.

Office

Copy to :-

1) Pastor, Seeberg,
Director, Gossner Mission.
2) Rev. N. Bhuiya, Adhaksh, Khunti.
3) Rev. Dr. P. Singh, Pr. Adhaksh (Acting)
GEL Church, Ranchi.

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ENGINEERS & BUILDING CONTRACTORS

C/o T. T. C. FUDI, P. O. FUDI, DIST. RANCHI.

Ref. No. .....

Date ~~31 January~~ 14-2-1974

Rev. J. Topno,
South East Anchal
G.E.L. Church, Kadma Khunti
P.O. Khunti, Ranchi

Sub: Final settlement of accounts for construction of school building Govindpur and Church Building with Pasters quarters at Bokaro

Dear sir:

Permit us to remind you of our letter dated 23rd November 1973 regarding the above account.

We feel sure that the letter has been received by you but somehow it has escaped your notice. As the settlement of account is long overdue, we shall highly appreciate your taking prompt action in this regard. The outstanding amount is Rs. 8944.90.

For your ready reference, we attach herewith a statement of accounts.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

P. S. Topno

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For Associated Home Builders
T.T.C. Fudi, Karra

Encl:

P.T.O.

Copies to :

1. Paster M. Suberg
   Director, Gossner Mission, Ranchi

2. Rev. N. Bhuiya, Adhyaksh
   South East Anchal Kadma, Khunti

3. Rev. Dr. P. Singh, Acting Pramukh Adhyaksh
   G.E.L. Church, Ranchi

Statement of Accounts

1. For cohstruction of 4 Room School Building, Govindpur

	Foreign money available	Rs. 32,000.00	
	Money so far received against this construction, as per your records which we agreed to accept on 30.3.1973	Rs. 29,390.00	
	Balance of foreign money available		Rs. 2,610.00
(a)	Extra-ordinary cost of transport of bricks from Khunti to Govindpur as per your direction	Rs. 2,000.00	
(b)	Extra cost of colour washing as per your verbal orders	Rs. 2,100.00	
	Amount received against this	Nil	
	Balance amount receivable		Rs. 2,100.00
	Grand total amount reivable		Rs. 4,710.00

2. Construction of Church Building with Pasters Quarter at Bokaro

	Foreign money available	Rs. 49,000.00	
	Amount received against this construction in cash	Rs. 44,310.00	
	By adjustment for joinery	Rs. 2,500.00	
		Rs. 46,810.00	
(a)	Balance amount of foreign money receivable		2,190.00
(b)	Extra cost due to abnormal rise of market price of labour and materials	Rs. 2,044.90	
	Amount received	Nil	
	Balance amount receivable		2,044.90
	Grand total amount		4,234.90

SUMMARY

Foreign money against Govindpur A/c		Rs. 2,610.00
" " " Bokaro A/c		Rs. 2,190.00
	Total	4,800.00
Local money receivable against Govindpur A/c	2100.00	
" " " Bokaro A/c	2044.90	4,144.90
	Grand total	Rs. 8,944.90

Statement of Accounts

1. For substitution of A Room School Building, Gaviohmar

Foreign money available	Rs. 32,000.00	
Money so far received against this construction, as per your records which we agreed to accept on 30.3.1973	Rs. 29,320.00	
Balance of foreign money available		Rs. 2,680.00
(a) Extra-ordinary cost of transport of bricks from Ennil to Gaviohmar as per your direction	Rs. 2,000.00	
(b) Extra cost of colour washing as per your verbal orders	Rs. 2,120.00	
Amount received against this	Nil	
Balance amount receivable		Rs. 2,120.00
Grand total amount receivable		Rs. 4,720.00

2. Construction of Run-on Building with Factors Quarter at Bolaro

Foreign money available	Rs. 49,000.00	
Amount received against this construction in cash	Rs. 44,810.00	
By adjustment for joinery	Rs. 2,800.00	
	Rs. 46,610.00	
(a) Balance amount of foreign money receivable		2,190.00
(b) Extra cost due to abnormal rise of market price of labour and materials	Rs. 2,044.80	
Amount received	Nil	
Balance amount receivable		2,044.80
Grand total amount		4,234.80

S U M M A R Y

Foreign money against Gaviohmar A/c		Rs. 2,680.00
" " " Bolaro A/c		Rs. 2,190.00
	Total	4,870.00
Local money receivable against Gaviohmar A/c	2100.00	
" " " Bolaro A/c	2044.80	
	Total	4,144.80
	Grand total	Rs. 9,014.80

ASSOCIATED HOME BUILDERS

ENGINEERS & BUILDING CONTRACTORS

C/o T. T. C. FUDI, P. O. FUDI, DIST. RANCHI.

Ref. No .....

Date 14 February 1974

Rev. N. Bhuinya, Adhyaksha,
South East Anchal
G.E.L. Church, Kadma, Khunti
Ranchi

Dear sir:

As you all know that during the Adhyakshaship of Rev. J. Topno, we had constructed a school building at Govindpur and a Church building with paster's quarter at Bokaro for the South East Anchal. But you know that the final settlement of accounts are still kept pending. We hope, you have received a copy of our letter to Rev. J. Topno and you are fully aware of the facts and figures. So long we had not requested the Anchal Authorities for any action, as we sincerely hoped that the accounts would be mutually settled with Rev. J. Topno alone. But now it has become a long outstanding due and the Ass ociation is sustaining a great loss due to blockage of the working capital.

We therefore earnestly request you to kindly arrange for payment of the dues at the earliest.

Thanking you, we remain,

Yours faithfully,

P. S. Topno

A.P. Mishra

For Associated Home Builders
c/o T.T.C. Fudi/Ranchi

Copy to:

Paster M. Seeberg,
Director, Gossner Mission Berlin
Camp: Ranchi

Ludwigsburg, 10.2.74

Lieber Herr Seeberg!

Anbei die 3 von mir unterschriebenen Blanko-Schecks, die ich über Berlin bekam. Ich hoffe, sie kommen noch rechtzeitig vor Ihrer Abreise aus Indien an und tragen dann bei, die Lösung einiger Schwierigkeiten, von denen ich hörte, zu erleichtern.

Ich schreibe Sie nicht per Einschreiben, da das in Indien schwierig geht.

Viele Grüße, auch an Fr. Bhengra,

Ihr Helmut Hesel

1. Februar 1974
sz

Herrn
Dipl.-Ing. H. H e r t e l
c/o "Dienste in Übersee"

7 S t u t t g a r t 0
Gerokstr. 17

Einschreiben !

Sehr geehrter Herr Hertel!

In der Anlage übersende ich Ihnen drei Blanko-Scheckformulare Nr. 335501 - 335503 der United Bank of India, die uns Herr Bhengra mit der Bitte um Unterschrift unter dem 24.d.M. übersandte. Nach Unterzeichnung senden Sie dann bitte die Schecks per Einschreiben an Herrn Pastor Seeberg - er ist soeben nach Ranchi abgeflogen - c/o GEL Church, Ranchi.

Mit herzlichem Dank für Ihre Bemühungen und freundlichen Grüssen

(Sekretärin)

Anlage

Sri. S. Bhengra, Ranchi.

Rev. M. Seeberg,
Director, Gossner Mission,
Berlin.

January 24, 1974.

Dear Director,

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Now I have the cheques. I am sending five blank cheques to you. Kindly arrange for Mr. Hertel's signature. Send all those cheques back to me. The date and amount will be filled in lateron according to your advice. You please write how much amount should be drawn out through these five cheques.

You will realise what a position I have been put in now-a-days. I could get very little amount during last two months for payment. The money you left for widows has been distributed among them. Whatever money other than that you left came to me amounted not more than Rs. 6000/-. That also has been exhausted. Today, I have got nothing in my hand. I have heard you were kind enough to send some money to TTC account. Also, I hear, Dr. Von. Stiglitz left some money to Dr. Singh. But, it has not yet been materialised for payment. I don't know why.

Everyday some one comes to me and request/demands for money- some time an old pastor for his pension, sometime any KSS staff-and so on. They come to nobody but me. I remain helpless. Send them back consoling that everything will be alright within few days. So, my request of last -letter was a sincere one.

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Lastly, as the year ended, it is necessary that Accounts of 1973 be closed. In my last letter I told you before that first appropriation has been done and second is awaited. If you like it, kindly advise me to appropriate the Accounts according to what we have discussed along with Dr. Singh. As you have promised to make up the deficit I think therewill be no harm to close the Account with the second appropriation. Once it is done, the BEL and Education Department can be seperated. For them seperate Bank Accounts can be opened. I have suggested to Dr. Singh, Acting Pramukh to open a seperate Account for BEL. You also please write to him about it. And, kindly advise me definitly how I shall close the Account. The Acting Pramukh also will not say a thing unless you suggest.

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With all best possible regards,

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S. Bhengra 24/1

Enc:- Blank Cheques five (33550-33554.

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Enc:- Blank Cheques five (33000/33333).

This Slip should be returned to us after signing by both.

As a safeguard against fraud this acknowledgement form duly signed should be returned to the Bank before issuing any Cheque from this Book.

The undersigned acknowledges the receipt from UNITED BANK OF INDIA

.....Branch, one cheque book containing 10 forms numbered

From 335501 to 335510

(1) Signature

335501-03
an dm. Hotel.

(2) Signature S. Bhingra

Address .....

Dated..... 19.....

THE
GOSSNER EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH IN CHOTANAGPUR & ASSAM
SOUTH - EAST ANCHAL

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Rev. C. B. AIND, Up-Adhyaksh
Shri H. SOY, Secretary
Shri B. TOPNO, Treasurer

Office: G. E. L. Church, Kadma,
P. O. KHUNTI
(RANCHI)

Ref.....18/74.....

Date.....25th..January..1974

To
The Director,
Gossner Mission, Berlin.

Dear Brother,

I have to let you know that we have received the money Rs.15,149.51 paise (D.M.5000) which has been remitted from you in S.E.Anchal's account. Thank you very much for your sympathy. Now the money is in the bank. When it will be necessary we shall withdraw this money to construct the Church at Basia and to repair the church of Takarma.

In this letter again I want to let you know that G.E.L.Church Congregation of Pogloya, Takarma Ilaka has already completed the construction work of the new church building. They have decided to dedicate this new Church which has been constrcucted with their own subscription and kind donation of Rs.15,00=.00 from you. They want to dedicate on 17-2-1974. You are also invited from Pogloya people to take part in this dedication work.

Still now the situation of the G.E.L.Church at Ranchi is not good. We the Adhyakshas are in great defficulties to solve this present situation.

Almighty God may help us to solve the situation.
With brotherly greeting and Yishusahay.

Sincerely Yours,
in Christ.

N. Bhuinya

Adhyaksh,
G.E.L.Church, S.E.Anchal,
Kadma, Khunti.