

ADDRESS REPLY TO
"UNITED STATES ATTORNEY"
AND REFER TO
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Department of Justice

United States Attorney's Office
New York

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Rec'd 11-13 1917
Referred to Mr. [unclear]
Ans'd 1917

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Hon. John W. Preston,
United States Attorney,
San Francisco, Cal.

S i r :

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter of October 31, 1917, with reference to certain papers found in the house occupied by Chakraberty and SeKunna.

I am sending you herewith the papers mentioned in your letter, as follows:

- ✓ 1. Letter written in Bengali by Bhupendra Nath Dutt.
- ✓ 2. Letter from Mrs. Brisbane to Chakraberty, written from 63 West 68th St.
- ✓ 3. Envelope with address of Paul Obricht.
- ✓ 4. Envelope addressed to Mr. Paul Obricht, on which is some German writing.
- ✓ 5. Three small photographs of Chakraberty on one strip, upon which is written a word that appears to be "Wessenbronk".
- ✓ 6. Letter apparently written by Khan to Chakraberty, dated July 1, 1912. (This is apparently the letter you think is from Ajit Singh.)
- ✓ 7. Several telegrams from Har Dyal to Chakraberty.
8. Will of Chakraberty.

Receipt acknowledged
A.M.
11-12-17

Hon John W Preston 14947 -2-

✓ In addition to the above-mentioned papers, I am forwarding to you a check drawn by SeKunna to the order of Mrs. von Spal for \$50. I think this check represents money which was advanced by Mrs. von Spal to one of the Indian revolutionaries in Paris after he had escaped from the English, and that the same was given to Mrs. von Spal through SeKunna.

✓ I am also sending you herewith a letter dated February 5, 1917, written to Dr. Chakraberty by A. C. Chakraberty.

✓ Likewise, a note from SeKunna to Chakraberty in the sum of \$1400, the same being undated.

✓ I likewise send you a photograph of a Hindoo which I believe to be the photograph of M. P. T. Seharya.

✓ Also, a slip of paper upon which appears an address.

✓ I also send you two photographs of Hindoos, together with a group picture. I do not know if they will be of any use to you; but I am sending them so that you may have them at the trial.

✓ I also send you an affidavit made by William C. Webber with reference to Har Dyal.

✓ I also send you a certificate of identity of Karm Chandra.

I think these are the only papers of importance in my possession which were found in the house of Chakraberty.

Respectfully,

Francis G. Coffey
U. S. Attorney.

(18 enclosures)

San Francisco, Cal., Nov 5, 1917.

Offley,
Bureau of Investigation,
NewYorkCity, NewYork.

Chakravarty authorizes you take from his house
364 W. 120th Street all papers and cancelled checks bearing on
Hindu case and forward same here. Will you have Adams attend to
matter as we shall call him on other matters.

Preston,

UnitedStates Attorney.

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perpetuities and dropsical eloping cylindere on vaelhose dynamized
and idiotical same intestine. Will you have capons attend to matter
as we shall call him on other matters.

Preston,

UnitedStates Attorney.

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Government rates.

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US ATTY SANFRANCISCO CALIF

CHAKRABERTY WIRES SEKUNNA ILL IN NEWORLEANS BUT IMPROVING

THEY EXPECT ARRIVE SANFRANCISCO NOVEMBER TWELFTH

CAFFEY

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 Referred to Mr. Adams
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FRANK C. JORDAN
SECRETARY OF STATE
FRANK H. CORY
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State of California
DEPARTMENT OF STATE
SACRAMENTO

Rec'd. 11-10 1917
Referred to Mr. [Signature]
Ans'd. 1917

November 9-1917

Mr John W Preston
United States Attorney
San Francisco Cal

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your "AAA-HF" of yesterday.
I fail to find any record whatever of the AMERICAN
ASIATIC OIL COMPANY in our files.

Very truly yours

Frank C Jordan

Secretary of State

By

Wm. T. Games
Register Clerk

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Following telegram, subject to the terms
 of hereof, which are hereby agreed to

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., NOV., 11, 1917.

United States Attorney,

Jacksonville, Florida.

Description Mangu Rem five feet three one thirty five or
 forty pounds spectacles twenty five years speaks little English
 hair one quarter gray small/moustache quite fair complexion
 black eyes do not think party you have is/man if you are in doubt
 remove him here where matter can be settled Harnam Singh under
 arrest in India man you have can not be right party.

Preston, United States Attorney.

Charge U. S. Attorney,
 Government Bato.

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TELEGRAM



CLASS OF SERVICE DESIRED	
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Night Letter	

Patrons should mark an X opposite the class of service desired: OTHERWISE THE TELEGRAM WILL BE TRANSMITTED AS A FAST DAY MESSAGE.

NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT

GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

Receiver's No.
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Send the following telegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

SAN FRANCISCO, CAL., NOV., 22, 1917.

United States Attorney.

Jacksonville, Florida.

Description Manu Ram five foot three one thirty five or
 forty pounds spectacles twenty five years speaks little English
 half one quarter grey small/moustache quite fair complexion
 black eyes do not think party you have is/man if you are in doubt
 remove him where where matter can be settled Harman Singh under
 arrest in India men you have can not be right party.

Proctor, United States Attorney.

Charge U. S. Attorney.
 Government Rate.

Nov. 10th 17

Went to the store

Jacksonville Florida

Stearns from Morgan
Rams give just three
one thirty four or forty pounds
sheepskins twenty four years
sheepskin little English skin
one quarter of a small
black ramskin quite
fair complexion black eyes
do not think party you
have is the man. If you
are in doubt I would

him here where matter
~~Prophet J. S. Smith.~~

~~Wm. Smith & Co. Posters~~

~~Shanty~~

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Smith would arrive in
India. Then you have
cannot be subject party
Private J. S. Smith

Office Post Office
Change
Night Shanty

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NEWCOMB CARLTON, PRESIDENT GEORGE W. E. ATKINS, FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT

Receiver's
Check
Time Filed

Send the following telegram, subject to the terms on back hereof, which are hereby agreed to

San Francisco Cal. Nov 10 1917

United States Attorney
Jacksonville, Florida

Description Munchl Ram five foot three one thirty five or forty pounds spectacles twenty-five years speaks little English hair one quarter gray small black moustacho quite fair complexion black eyes Do not think party you have is man. If you are in dou/bt remove him here where matter can be settled. Hernan Singh under arrest in India and man you have cannot be right party.
Preston U.S.Atty.

Official Govt rates charge

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ANDREWS
Chief, Executive
And...

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Department of Justice, AHP:MFH
Bureau of Investigation,
Washington.

November 1, 1917.

John W. Preston, Esq.,
United States Attorney,
San Francisco, Cal.

Rec'd. 11-7 1917
Referred to Mr. Adams
Ans'd. 12-10-17

Dear Sir:-

You will probably be interested in the following cablegram, which was sent from the Swiss Government to the Swiss Legation here in Washington:

"Referred from Berne to Legation Suisse, Washn: 'Ours from up to 7 of the 3rd of Sept. according to information a new lawsuit would be brought against the German Consul General Bopp and Vice Consul Shack interned at Fort McDowell for pretended violation of the neutrality of America. The imperial office asks for confirmation and eventually points raised against these two functionaries if caution can keep away imprisonment the fine should be drawn on German funds. Telegraph reply. Number thirty one.' Signed Politique Internement."

Very truly yours,

A. B. Bilaski

Chief.

COPY TO SAN FRANCISCO.