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Dear Dr. Chandrasekhar,

It was good of you to give me all the information in your March 27th. letter. I was quite shocked to see that I did not enclose the \$10.00 check for postage costs of your splendid address. As it is difficult to cash a check would you like a post office draft of \$10.00 to defer the expenses of postage. I could easily have that done if you think it will be helpful.

I understand via the grapevine news that the ardent Roman Catholic Hierarchy are deluging the W.H.O. in protest of having sent Dr. Stone to India. I sincerely trust that the people of India and those in high positions will not be coerced or intimidated by the Hierarchy's threats. Their protests are the regular routine expressed by their dogma to protest not only to Birth Control, but to prohibit education to Protestantism generally, but when their opponents take a stand and a firm stand for what they believe, the Catholic protests blow off like smoke.

Perhaps with your splendid background and thorough study of the subject of population you would be good enough to send me, or to Mrs. Watumull, subjects that you think would be helpful at the Indian Conference. We are

so far away from India here that it would be so much better if you and others familiar with the subject would work out with Lady Rama Rau the program as you feel it to be essential or helpful, and we could, from your subjects, select the persons in this country, as well as in England, that could either send papers, if they cannot go in person to take part in the program in Bombay.

Raising money has been rather slow. The Foundations that formerly have given for regular routine work on a national scale find it more difficult to sponsor International contributions, but we are hopeful and of course many of our delegates want to go, even if they have to go on their own and pay their own expenses. But the scientific men who have small salaries cannot afford to do that, so we are hoping to get some foundations to back up sending two or three or four from this country.

It was good to hear from you and now I do recall that of course we have met. I am glad that you had the friendship and the guidance of Professor Fairchild. I am pleased to recall meeting with Madam Kalmadani. In fact I realize that we have met often, now that you call my attention to these occasions.

There was a good deal of work done in India in my nine months stay, but with the wars and troubled times of your country, it is remarkable that there was any memory of anyone or anything during those early years.

Again my kindest regards and thanks for sending your address to those that I requested.

Most Cordially

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