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EL PASO, TEXAS, E. U. A.

Jan. 24th, 1925

Dear Brother Ray:

I think I will have something interesting for you in a few days about the building. Am waiting to get proper reports on it first. Hope something will soon turn up, for we are about to the end of our row here in this place.

For the present here is another draft sent us by Moore. Please send draft on local bank--Richmond Bank I mean--for the amount.

We are doing pretty well. Instead of paying \$200 on the linotype to date I have paid \$600--that is, besides the first payment. The notes were for \$100 per month, and in two months I have taken up six of them instead of two only. It may not keep up this way, but I am hoping that it will.

Trusting to have something worth while to write you about in a few days at the outside, and wishing you the best of His blessings,

I am sincerely

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Jan. 26th, 1925

Dear Ray:

Please write Hannegan a statement that Mrs. Davis is a regularly appointed missionary. They had that not long ago from you, but they will not vary their custom one iota even if they do get quite a nice rake-off on every one they issue. They evidently have the records, but perhaps they do not--and furthermore it is their rule and we will not complain.

I have a proposition from Dr. Neal about the Hall. I have no time to write about it today as this is Atalaya Day. Tomorrow I think I will write. I certainly hope there will be some way to get this over now. I think there is. I am willing to undertake the matter, with the backing--moral backing--of the Board. But this will come up for discussion tomorrow. We are going to have to move soon.

All goes well. Lots and lots to do every minute.

Fraternally yours,

J. E. Davis

January 28, 1925

Rev. J. E. Davis,
Box 211,
El Paso, Texas

Dear Davis:-

Thank you for yours of January 24th enclosing draft for \$100.00 sent you by Brother Moye. Please find enclosed a check for this amount to take up the draft. The draft is #6 on Letter of Credit #2839.

I note with great interest what you have to say about the building. I am going to express one hope, and that is that you will not allow your great necessity for better quarters to make you accept something in connection with that building which ought not to be accepted. That is to say I do not believe we can afford to take the building, unless it can be made to really and efficiently serve our purposes. This is only a word of precaution, and it may be that the building will do exactly what you want it to do, but since you have expressed doubt about it in the past, the thought still persists in my mind.

May God lead you in all things.

Cordially yours,

R/F

January 31, 1925

Mr. J. E. Hannegan,
Southwestern Clergy Bureau,
704 Compton Bldg.,
St. Louis, Mo.

Dear Mr. Hannegan:-

Mrs. Mary E. Davis, wife of Rev. J. E. Davis, is a regularly appointed missionary of the Foreign Mission Board of the Southern Baptist Convention. Her field of labor is on the Mexican border. Her period of service is for life and her salary paid by our Board. She is entirely worthy of confidence, and I trust that you will readily grant her the privilege of a clergy permit.

Thanking you in advance for your kindness, I am,

Cordially yours,

Associate Secretary.

R/F