

Tribal Research & Training Centre
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Dt. West Singhbhum, Bihar

19 March, 1998

Dear Barbara Verardo,

Greetings.

Thanks very much for your letter of 25th February. Jerry had written to me earlier about your plan to research among the Hos. I am happy to hear about your interest in the tribals of this area. There is lot for us to learn not only about them, but from them.

You are welcome to use the libraries of our research centre and also the house library. For other mission records you have to contact the different parishes in the area. Since your interest is in inter-tribal and tribe-caste relations among the Mundaric tribes, I think it may be better that your field work should be in an area where the Hos interact with other Munda tribes such as Mundas, Santals or Bhumijis. You could discuss about it with Mike Yorke.

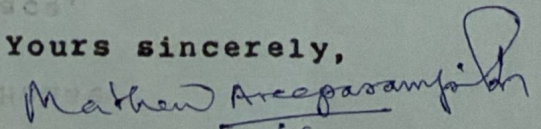
As regards the local map it is difficult to get it in Chaibasa. The best map is by Survey of India. The number of the sheet containing West Singhbhum is 73F, East Singhbhum 73J. These sheets are further divided into 16 detailed sheets with numbers 73F1, 73F2, etc. You may get them from the following places:-

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| 1. Officer-in-charge,
Map Record & Issue Office,
Survey of India,
Dehra Dun - 248 001 | 2. Officer-in-charge,
Map Sales Office,
Survey of India,
Janpath Barrack 'A', 1st Floor
New Delhi - 110 001 |
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Regarding the history of the Jesuit Mission in the district a new book is coming out next month published by the Jamshedpur Jesuit Society. You may get it from
Fr. Charlie Pereira, S.J.
Provincial, Jamshedpur Jesuits,
Loyola School, P.B. 153,
Jamshedpur - 831 001.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely,


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