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My dear father,

Indian mail is not yet to hand this week. You shall be able to realize what blessing a regular mail delivery really is.

The weather continues as fitful as ever; however it goes on recording lower and lower temperatures at times. We had some rains on Friday. Saturday was a very warm day, the morning temperature going up to 63° . But the evening was quite cold. It must have been 28° . On Sunday morning we had ice particles sticking to our window panes. The day was quite cold, and I had an experience of what cold really is when I went out at four o'clock in the evening for a walk. The day goes on getting smaller and smaller, and we have night now by 4 P.M. Today is again a very fine day. The morning temperature generally ranges somewhere near 40° .

My room-mate Mr. Mozundar has

bought a Kodak camera, and we enjoy at times being photographed. Here I send a picture of us three. Mr. Myrander is sitting; Mr. Boss is standing; so do I. I think you shall be able to mark the improvements in my general appearance.

My weight last Tuesday was 105.5 lbs. it means that I have been keeping steady at the figure for the last two weeks. You shall be glad to know that I have added raisins to my morning breakfast. They are quite cheap 10 cents a lb. I have made it a point now to take some fruit every week, and this week I am having oranges. Banana of course finds place daily in my breakfast.

We had the "Thanks giving day" on Thursday. It is quite a national holiday with this people. The first settlers met with severe hardships, the first year of their settlement 1620 A.D. But with better crops next summer, they had an

easier time, and hence they dedicated a day to Lord Almighty for thanksgiving, the first of its kind in 1621 A.D. The tradition has been followed, and the Americans celebrate it with an enthusiasm. Turkey forms the chief dish in a Thanksgiving day dinner; the color yellow is in prominence; yellow flowers find place on tables, and lights are draped yellow. This is in accordance with the first Thanksgiving day observances.

So, at last, I have finished D11, the first term drawing last week, and this week I begin with D12, the second term drawing. In spite of ~~and~~ my best efforts, I think D11 will bring me no more than "P". In other subjects I fare quite well.

In Descriptive Geometry we had two quizzes - the first gave me 2; the second 4, and today I had the third which will also bring 4, quite. French quizzes of course give me 4. In Physics the first quiz brought me 10 marks; we have another this Thursday. We have two quizzes every week

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decided at the end of the term of year
by addition of all the marks I received.
I think I am faring quite well with
it. I enjoy laboratory work and
hardly find any difficulty with it.
Even in Drawing I think I am im-
-proving; but the improvement is
not likely to bear me any material
fruit. However every improvement is
desirable.

I think by the time this letter
reaches, you will be quite busy with
the arrangements of Parkland session
of Bahianer Political Conference.

Please convey my regards to
members of the family;

Very truly,
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