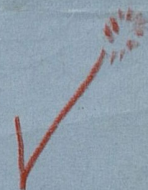


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10th February.

My dear Devika & Suzostav,

I am sorry I missed you in India. Alas my visit was too short and hurried. I had hoped to catch you in Calcutta but heard that both of you were coming for Suzostav's award after I had left. Many congratulations, Suzostav. First Devika — then you.

After leaving India I have visited Rangoon, Bangkok, Kuala Lumpur and Singapore. What a contrast to our country. Singapore is really the affluent East, all cash and no soul, unlike India all soul and no cash, or are we slowly becoming no cash, no soul? Let us see what the elections bring about. A majority by Mr Gandhi seems the only salvation.

In a few minutes I leave for Djakarta. The last time I was there was 1946. It must be transformed. After that I go to Canberra, then Fiji and so back to Montreal, where I should arrive on the 5th March. I travel around too much but so, what the heck!! One is only old once.

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Mme. Devika Prani Pooni
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It is nice to look of you and I hope to meet you about this time
next year.

Affectionately

M. Prani

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Mr. Choudhury telephoned you
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