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New Delhi

25<sup>th</sup> Feb.

My dear Devikaji

What a wonderful  
surprize it was to receive that  
charming bag from you - it kept  
me guessing till I saw the card,  
it is awfully sweet of you to have  
thought of me and taken all that  
trouble for which I thank you a lot.  
I received your letter the other day  
which gave me <sup>your</sup> address in Kalimpong  
and hence the delay in acknowledging

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the lovely gift. I must tell you that the packing was exceptionally good on which I specially remarked and it reached in perfect condition and I must mention that I used it the same afternoon!

So you are up in the mountains now; I can imagine how lovely it must be there and an ideal place for Roesich to paint in - I wish we could pay you a visit! So you are going direct down South from there and missing out Rulu this year in which case you won't be coming to Delhi for some time.

Delhi is at its best now with the

gardens in full bloom and real  
spring feeling but unfortunately it  
doesn't last like this for very long  
and will soon be warming up.

The activities here seem to go on  
all the same as there is always  
something or the other on.

With our best regards and  
good wishes to you both.

Yours v. sincerely  
Toshi Chopra.