

BHULABHAI J. DESAI.

89, WARDEN ROAD,

BOMBAY. May 17, 1945.

My dear *Arachas.*

Forgive me for not having written to you earlier. I waited till I was sure that you reached Kulu. I am glad to hear that you arrived safely and that you found the family and everybody else in good health. I am sure ~~th~~ the change from Lahore to Kulu is really agreeable and you must be keeping fit again.

Bhai has returned to Bombay and our house is now in a different atmosphere from the life we had so far. He is in very good health. He told us that you had met him in Delhi and that you had a long talk with him. He spoke to Devika Rani the other day on the telephone. Though she was indisposed for sometime she is now restored to normal health. She is coming to see us in a few days time. The weather here has been fairly pleasant, ~~and taking everything into consideration~~ ~~xxx~~ Certain amount of work has not affected my holiday as such. I am looking forward next year to go to Europe. Need I tell you how much we miss your



your company and I am looking forward to seeing you again soon. It was a pleasure to come to know you and to claim your friendship and inspite of all the strives and stresses inthe world I am always hopeful that our friendship will always survive and will continue the same affection and regard. I have not heard anything more in connection with the exhibition. It must be a source of great relief to you that the war is over. Please convey our profound respects to your parents and our greetings and regards to your brother and please accept our love yourself.

With love,

Yours affectionately,

*Shira.*

S. Roerich Esq.,