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DEHRI BRIDGE

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Shahabad

Bengal

12th Jan 98

My dear Pippa,

I fear there is
nought to say this week ex-
cept that I didnt get a
letter last mail, also photos
and 3 in 1 have not yet
turned up. I got a letter
from Fauthe thanking for
the photos in which she said
that tossing up was not nec-
essary.

The days are beginning to
get longer but it is still

beautifully cold, the clothes worn being thick brown tr. ws. rs and bicycling coat & waistcoat.

Stone has been here and has gone off to inspect the line surveyed to Daltongunge. He is expected back on Saturday and is then going on to Moghalcerai with Palmer. Hum.

Palmer is also away inspecting. Hum hum

So is Aslett Hum hum hum
Nicholl was going, but

had to stop to cut off a leg.

Hum

The Kirkmans are going to Cawnpore next week

Birdie is going with them

Bus.

I have written a letter to Ellie which I hope she will receive.

Tell Dorothy that I have got up to page 387 of Johnson and she may expect a letter when it is finished.

I think that is all except that the Audit are

trying to cut my pay.
If they succeed I will
inform you.

Oh love dear love be true
My heart is still thine own
When the bridge is built
Away we'll wilt
From Dehri on the Sone.

your loving brother
Ralph Watney

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