

Boonsey Letter
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Dear H.

Many happy returns of the
day for Campbell & myself. I arrived
here two days ago & yesterday the
letters I first sent you from Pominoychi
were returned to C. with curiosity & Mrs
C. being away. I want some of the
things therein begged for except some
Koolyab tobacco which perhaps Eli Peckham
will get for him & a light load of
Musa Paper. - Langrish, Sebabe, is a good
faithful worker & will soon find a compe-
- arison to John's man. - Then the books
& the cigars are all I want & a little
parcel of note-books which Queller will
send you - I wrote you last by
the Hamilton & the letter went 3 days
ago - I was then on my way here where
I found Campbell waiting for me long.

surprise for my reputation were all
fake ones & desired to be so I suppose
to facilitate my sending away the
Havildars

He rained hard & always so that I
have little to say of the route.

The Rajah is here such a small little
object - the presentation &c is a perfect
summary, conducted with propriety
enough but a perfectly ludicrous show of
poverty & pride.

The Dewan is a thorough paced liar
at all well conducted men - also his
intercourse with us except on politics.

A yellow striped *Mucro* here do you
know it. He has been all over

Thibet & gives the impression much
willingly - is a Sikhani & jolly rogue -
we get on capitally for he is always civil
& respectful: though I would not trust
him 2 days running for the latter qualities

Politics have prospered. C. visits
on a proper account - & the only one equal
& fit is the Hon. App. Dewan, a dead
enemy of the P.S. I. & a man of some
liberal & enlightened ideas. He also insists
on my visiting Larba & Larhony next
year - March-April - The D. is thoroughly
frighted, or rather, I should say benighted
we are off at once for Mainan chow
The best route will be the route you see from
Munipahar, I shall then go along the
shore about dinner. Sent for the
Surveyor. Then on to Perningchi &
so on to Juyi. I shall like to get some
geology this way.

I like St Lepros better the more I
travel amongst them.

Please send to Perningchi.

Be you affectionate

J. B. Hooker

P.S. I send you a fine Gall.