



The Old Chemistry Department,  
The University Museum,  
Oxford.

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Dear Professor Kuchman:

It was very kind of  
you to send me a New Year's Card,  
which we were very pleased to  
receive. I hope that you got  
back quite safely to India, and  
that your work is going on well.  
We are very busy with X-ray  
work, and also hardness testing



in an attempt to see whether  
hardness can be connected with  
electronic structure.

If you are in England  
again, I hope you will come  
and see us at the laboratory.

Yours sincerely,

W. Hume-Rothery