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health in general  
kind house, & in some  
call on us, we can  
in

goodness of God towards us, we would do it with trembling,  
realizing that he is laying us under so much greater obli-  
gations to devote ourselves to him, & labour for his glory.  
There are, on this Isle, more than one  
hundred thousand, who speak the Malabar language; which  
gives a wide field for us to labour here, besides there are  
several hundred thousand that speak the same language on  
the continent of India which lies almost in sight of Japan.  
The Malabar was a sprightly & teachable people - I have  
a Malabar lad, who comes to me every day to learn Geo-  
graphy & the maps of the Globes - He is a fine boy - apt to learn  
He is a Roman Catholic, but I endeavour to impress on  
his mind the truths of our holy religion - We have under  
our care about twenty native boys, who are taught  
the evidences & principles of religion - They appear very  
very anxious to learn - Our hope is that God will renew  
their hearts & prepare them to preach the religion of  
to their countrymen. The Buddhist, or Heathen  
Priests <sup>here</sup> are forsaking their religion & embrac-  
ing the Christian religion - It seems as tho'  
God was about to do some great work on  
this Island. We have encouragement to labour  
& pray for the advancement of the Redeemer's Kingdom  
You will not cease to pray for me, & for the cause in which  
I am engaged. God will assuredly carry on his own work  
on this Isle, & in the eastern world, in his own time & way,  
& happy shall we be, if we are found heartily engaged in its  
promotion - My dear Parents I feel very much at home  
here - I long to settle down in the midst of these natives, &  
be able to tell them of Christ & his salvation in their own  
language - The voyage has been blessed to my <sup>restoration</sup> ~~recovery~~ to  
health, probably my days may be prolonged on earth by  
my coming to this eastern world. But I do not feel anxious  
to know how far forward the bounds of my habitation are set  
I feel happy to leave that with God. I wd. only have my bins gilt about  
with truth & lamps burn



presently - I write this to all our family - I write in great haste & shall write again soon - Remember me with much affection & love to all my friends who enquire after me - I intend to write to Mrs. M. B. & Lady after I get water & to other friends - May the blessing of God ever attend you & may you all enjoy much of his holy presence while in this sail of tears, for the prayer of your absent son & brother - Ever long we shall never to part again if we are the real children of God. I feel satisfied & happy in the word in which I am embarked - I am dear parents - Brothers & sisters - yours affectionately in the Lord Ed. Warren

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I have just been reading letters from America written two months after we sailed - one from Mr. & Mrs. Starbuck to Mrs. Beggwell & several from the Institution at Andover - I was disappointed that I had none from some of our family - they came in the ship Stam. Gov. Gray's from Boston & we were to be advertised to bring letters & send them to the Misses by free from expense - I hope you will frequently send to Boston if you can when you sail for Andover. Direct your letters to Rev. E. H. Miss of Andover. ~~Stam~~ of Andover to enclose it in a letter to Mr. William Care, D.D. Calcutta, if the ship is to sail there; or to Mr. Saml. Smith of New London Hall, Miss of Bombay; if the vessel is to go there - or else send the letter to Mr. John Strong of Calcutta or to Mr. E. G. or to Mr. G. when an opportunity