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& of perhaps neglecting present duties. Trusting in God's help I will endeavour to fulfill them as well as I can & will leave the rest to His care. —

As I believe that all the privileges & blessings I have enjoyed up to the present moment are His gift, I also believe that my future lies in His hand & that all I can & should do, is to do that well, which is my present duty.

I am thankful to have found, in you dear Sir, a friend who does not only show an interest in my earthly welfare, but also wishes to encourage & help me onward in the path that alone can lead to true happiness.

As yet I have not begun to teach, this being the last week of the present term, Dr Wood wishes me to wait till next Monday.

Meanwhile I am busy making myself familiar with the apparatus, arranging it & having it cleaned, a thing very necessary, as it seems to have been very much neglected.

For the beginning I shall have about 40 scholars in elementary physics, 18 in mechanical drawing & only one in mechanical engineering.

I have not yet found a boarding house, for the present I am staying at Dr Bruce's, who very kindly invited me to his house.

So far everybody has been