

Wednesday June 14

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My own dear

I have just this moment had your letter with your address in it. I am so glad. I have written you one letter already today, but I must quickly send you another so that you shall not have to wait a minute longer than I can help. I don't know what letters you will have had when you get this. I am in London staying with Bridget. This afternoon I have taken baby to tea with Aunt Patty. Baby was just a bit shy, she gets fits of it now and then. I had supper with Rosula last night in her own little room. I enjoyed it a lot. I read her a lot of your letters, she wanted to know about you very much. I am going out to dinner with Bridget & Stephen tonight. I'm afraid it's going to be smart and shall feel a bit shy.

I hope I shant sit next to any one  
who is very difficult to talk to.  
I have not seen Mary Anne yet but I  
am going to on Friday I think.

Diana is coming to Westbrook soon  
for a fortnight and Mary Anne is  
coming down for two week ends and  
Owen for one. I hope Isula will  
come for the same one as Owen because  
I dont feel at all sure how Owen and  
Father will get on and I dont want it  
to be an awful faost.

I had your last letter written on  
your way to this new place last  
night. Oh it is so nice getting  
them & it makes me so happy that  
you are happy. I am horribly anxious  
about the war, as you are. I think  
people mostly think Vladimir will go  
now. I hate it. The French have fought  
so wonderfully for it.

I am going to to Mary and Ralph on  
Tue Monday, I expect till Thursday.  
That will be nice I shall find out  
all I can about you but I shall

keep whatever I may know entirely  
to myself.

I asked you in a letter two or three  
days back, which you may not get,  
if you ever received a kind of cheque  
for I think £250 of your Aunt's  
legacy. If it has got lost & you have  
not received it I think you ought  
to write to the executors or lawyers  
or who ever it is that manages her  
affairs.

I am afraid you will get this after  
your birthday, but many happy returns  
of the day. I am sending you those  
tussor silk socks. But I can't  
send them off tonight I have not  
time.

I will send your address home to  
Brakenhead. as soon as I have time  
but I don't think I can till  
tomorrow morning.

I wonder what your new place is

like, I shall be very thrilled to hear.

Good night dear one I must not spend  
more time to night writing.

your very very loving

Ruth.

