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My dearest Mother,

Thank you for the handkerchief  
and your good wishes. Your present  
was a very welcome one.

There are two items of news this  
week. —

Jem has won a scholarship to  
Westminster! The examination is  
called the Challenge and the competition  
is pretty keen. We are all very pleased.

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He will start next September, and, as a King's Scholar, he will live in College and wear a gown in school. I believe the scholarship is worth about £100 a year.

The school will be back in London when Term starts. Both of the boys will be boarding, but they are allowed to come home on Saturday evenings if they get back to school in time for Monday morning's work.

Christopher came home on Saturday for a long VE-day weekend. Mayone

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met him at Paddington & they had  
lunch together. Then they met me  
and we went to the Royal Academy.  
Then we had tea at the RAC, & went  
to the Theatre to see 'Jacobowsky & the  
Colonel'. Then to dinner at the Park  
Lane and home to bed. To-day we  
all three went down to see Sam  
at Haywards Heath — lunch in a  
nice little hotel at Linfield, then  
to Brighton, back to H.H., and then  
the three of us came home. Christopher

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goes back on Tuesday.

The other item of news is that I have been asked to give the Wright Brothers lecture in Washington in December. This is the premier lecture on American aeronautics, like the Wilbur Wright lecture here. It is a very considerable honor. All being well, May one will come with me.

My broadcast is postponed until ~~June~~ June 22<sup>nd</sup> at 7:30. All the talks were thrown out by the election

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broadcasts. I don't think that there  
will be any further postponements.

We were sorry to hear of your  
trouble with your leg. It is very  
difficult for you and I do hope  
there will be some improvement soon.

I hope Bob & Kathleen had a  
nice time at Weston. If their reaches  
you before they leave, give them our  
love.

Take care of yourself  
Your own loving son  
Carroll





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