

<p>Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>, 1898</p>	<p>Well House, Bletchley</p>	<p>My Dear Sadie &amp; Cy, I cannot tell you how dreadfully grieved I am at your news just received to think our darling boy should be taken away from us. The Mater and Lena are at Southsea as no doubt you know and they will be, like me, overwhelmed at your sad news. I hope and trust you will both try and bear up under this great loss you have sustained. I can't say it is all for the best for my heart aches too much as yet to be able to think it. My darling Sadie, I hope you will be brave and try and bear up – I know how hard it must be to lose our little darling so soon after dear Dad. It seems to me that life is all full of pain and sorrow for us now, but we must bear it all as best we can. I can't write more now, but you know all I would say if I was only near you. Be sure and kiss the little angel for me, my little baby boy. From your heart-broken sister Lou</p> <p>[Black-bordered envelope enclosed addressed to: Mrs. C. Wallis, Cliff View, Dukes Road, Portswood, Southampton</p> <p>Postmarked Bletchley, 11.30 a.m. Sept. 13<sup>th</sup>]</p>
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