

Feb. 15th.

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Hillbrow, Rugby.

My dearest Mama,

I am much better today and I am going to get up this afternoon. We were allowed fish yesterday for dinner & we are going to ^(dinner) today. 4 more boys have joined the us. Our dormitory has just been changed and 2 more boys have come, I am sitting up in the room now.

Feb. 16th. My temperature is a little bit higher now so I am not allowed up. I had some chicken broth for dinner to-day. Nurse says she is very glad Louis is better. Mr. Eden has been having the influenza ~~again~~ but he is much better now; though an extra master had to come in called Mr. Ash. We had him last term when Mr. Sandford took some boys to

Marlborough for the Scholarship.
Feb. 17th I am very sorry that I have not
finished this letter before. My temperature
is lower to-day, but I am not allowed up
yet. Another boy came last night. Two
other boys are going down stairs to-day
and I expect they will soon begin work
again. I am going to have chicken broth
again to-day for dinner. Has the
answer to "How are they going to travel?"
appeared in "Lit. Bits" yet? If so, have
you got the 1st prize?^{pp}

There is nothing else to say so,

Good bye

Your loving son
James.

Love to Maggs, Chris, Ellen, Little etc.

J. J.

I have this moment heard of Laure's
death, how shocking it will be for
France. It seems that she will collapse
altogether. (S)