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N.H.F. J. Stren  
Lamy  
Glam,  
Monday.

My Dear Mum,  
I arrived here quite safely  
after a somewhat hazardous journey. We  
got to London at about five minutes  
to eight and at that time there was  
an enormous queue for the 9-20 train to  
Corduff. However, we managed to get  
a seat in this train and not have to  
stand up. Well we were still travelling  
at 2 o'clock and we actually got  
on to Corduff station at about 3-30.  
and then after much searching we  
discovered a YMCA. and had a cup

of tea, gosh! were we thirsty? The train to Pileton was due to run at 5.20, so we left on the platform for about an hour, and then the train showed up an hour early, so we precipitately got in it and slept again until wakened by an S.P. who seemed to take a dim view of the whole affair.

It was a job to keep awake to-day though, but it was worth it, I enjoyed it ever so much, a week would have just have suited me. I'm still using the powder on the face but I think I shall report sick on Tuesday morning.

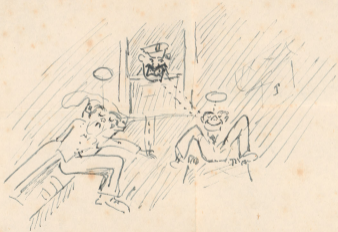
I gaged to tell you that we reached the actual camp at 6.30 just as everyone was getting up. It's pretty ghastly doing that journey and then doing a normal days work straight off, but I'm going to try and have

an early night tonight. I'm afraid this  
is a bit short but you understand  
about the early night and also I  
must do a bit of sweeping. Write  
soon please.

Lots of love  
Mm xxxxxx.

P.S. Have just got an envelope and found  
that every one of the envelopes you sent  
me has stuck down with the damp.  
Isn't it damned annoying?

Look at this after you  
have read the letter.





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*the sleep of the innocent.*

*look at this after you  
have read the letter.*