

6 May

Dear Mama & Papa

Eva & ~~Sam~~<sup>are</sup> going to the Muffats  
to night & my new close are  
getting made. The garden is getting  
on splendidly & the hyacinths  
are out. I always go to bed now  
before eight & get up at five.  
George Baynes has come home but  
I have not seen him yet.  
I was trying to get a bat the  
other day ~~to~~ but they were  
all too dear they were a  
dollar & a half for the cheap-  
ist whereas in England they  
are only a half a dollar &  
& if you could get me one I  
would pay you when you  
came home. If you let George  
choose it he might get a bet-  
ter one knowing more about  
it. It must have a straight  
grain & cord round the han-  
dle & it is better when it  
has the handle spliced on  
to the bat. You might bring  
it out with you or send  
it out if you have a chance  
for I would like it as

soon as possible. I must have  
my breakfast now & go to  
school so good bye for  
the present.

Your efficient  
son

R. Dawson.

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