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F. Harrington's
birth -

Montreal

Saturday

29th Aug /14

My darling Sweetheart

I wish you were here to see Muriel. I only hope she does not tire herself.

She is looking splendid and the baby is a fine fat sturdy looking youngster with quite a lot of very dark hair.

I left them as I told you on Thursday evening at 9 o'clock.

Muriel went to bed at about 11 and woke up at about 3 in the morning. Co. says he assured her there could be

nothing doing and they went
asleep again till 4. Then Con
drove over and got the nurse.
I believe Muriel was on her
feet till 6 or 7 o'clock. Con
rang the doctor at about 7 and
he finally came over at 8 and
the baby arrived at twenty
minutes to nine. It is a boy
as you know and Con is very
proud & interested in exhibiting
his many peculiar excellencies.
The baby has a voice that
will make a pretty noisy household
especially with Chukie's assistance.
I don't suppose Chukie is at all
pleased.

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I saw Muriel + the baby
and then Harold Fether came +
saw them + then he + I + Con
spent the rest of the evening in
the next room.

I have eaten eggs for all
my meals today until I seem
to feel the yolks punctuating
my anatomy like the buttons
of my waistcoat only on the
opposite side of my hide. I
have to keep swallowing to keep
the last one down.

I have Hartt + Adair Coal
Company's bill for \$40⁰⁰, providing
it is paid on or before Sept 7th.
I am sticking the bill in the
corner of the blotter in the

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sitting room, so that you can
pay it as soon as I deposit
my cheque.

The news from the war seems
much brighter with 6 German
warships gone + the British
land force driving back the
German advance.

I do hope the English + Indian
troops land at Amsterdam and
drive in across the German line of
communications. It would be so
spectacular and nice if it came
off.

I propped up more of the sun
flowers tonight. The props don't look
very nice but will do for the
present. With love
Yours
Edward.