

but did not get a train till 11 o'clock
 as our luggage was not up in time
 to catch the ten o'clock, so we got
 into Edin at 8 o'clock & went to the
 Rose. Jennie is here from St Andrew
 today. A sad thing happened on
 Monday one of their men's wives
 washed & worked about as usual
 & half an hour after going to bed
 she was dead that same night
 (she leaves 4 young children) & they were
 at her funeral when we came home.
 I have taken my ticket to leave
 Liverpool on the 24th August by
 the Umbria (Cunard Line) so if
 that is too long send a reply
 right back & I can get an earlier
 boat. I wish I knew how you are

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Dear Harry.

We arrived all safe yesterday after-
 noon & took them by surprise. Aggie &
 Bosie were out they were looking
 out at the window & Aggie & Bosie
 knew us but mother did not know me
 father did, then we surprised the
 other two. We got a nice man at the
 custom house & he only opened the
 tin box, so you can tell Will the
 music got all safe over. Every thing was
 all right except that a bag of buck-
 wheat had a collision with a
 skate & is all over but it would
 harm them. We got off the boat
 about 8 o'clock in the morning