

London NW2
May 6/35 England

Dear Mother,

Have just been listening to
the Kings speech & unacquainted I
could see you listening to your own
wireless. London has been terribly
excited for days. We know of it
chiefly through the wireless & news
papers though even out here the
sheets are very gay & there is

an arch at the top of our street.
It's been the most perfect day, like
an early June day at home - really
King's weather. Just been listening
to Rudy and Kipling who evidently
think we should stop talking
of peace & get ready for war.
Europe still seems to have hydrophobia.
but it would be too dreadful to
think of another war -

I am getting stronger every day.
Go up on the roof & sit in the
sun now. Almost as good as a
country house. We can see for miles -
over city roofs.

Suppose you are watching for
P.'s return now. What a lot he will
have to tell you. It will take
all summer. I ~~hope~~ you have been
"going out" with another young man
Just like you but I hope you have

the best of your opportunities. Those
brown eyes of yours are still danger-
ous.

The jubilee programme is still
going on but I'm off to bed.

~~Sending some papers~~

Best love.

W.

Will prefer to bring Kate & the
the few of the women's movement
on some college party. She might want
to stay a few days at Gresham Hall

MB Williams to her mother, 6 May 1935

Transcription / Additional Information

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M.

[Upside down:]

Tell Rufus to bring letters of introduction from the pres. of the Women's Univ. Club or any college prof. She might want to stay a few days at Crosby Hall.