

Baths.  
March 31, 1950

Dearest Raymond. It was very nice of you to send me the script of Night's TV programme which we should whenever my sons show me any thought or consideration I am quite disproportionately pleased - perhaps because it is so unexpected.

I am sending you, separately, a big envelope of papers etc connected with your father which were put away in a dispatch box but which I think you should have. As his elder son - & the baby he adored - they should be of interest to you. There are his medals, too, & the tin dispatch boxes which you can have when you come home. There are several papers that cannot be found: his theories about flying which were so far sighted; also the wonderful testimonial the directors of SpA Co gave him when he resigned. With this letter I'm sending the statement of his claims which he made before you were born. Though they were admitted, Robert Harris' intrigues defeated us & John's share was fixed at £600 a year - & we never had a penny more. It's not from any sense of bitterness that I've preserved Jo's statement but because I think it shows

What an upright & able man he was -

It was because of the way that he minded  
being poor & I'm thankful he knew before he was  
killed that my writing would make things possible.

I give you both the education we wanted & the money  
that contributed £100 a year towards it. ~~the money~~  
Peter has returned to Sherborne but he

must come here frequently for the specialist  
to visit him - He is very keen to see you at N. again.

Best love to you all from us both

S.

Of course you can show M. any of these  
papers you like to.