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Lambert's Farm,  
Selside  
Horton in Ribblesdale  
Settle

15.3.40

Dear Mrs Davies,

I got your postcard a week last Friday. Bill gets three eggs off his hen at the barn. Chris Shepherd was reading a book this morning. Morphets have two baby lambs. I am coming home at Easter for a week. I am writing this letter at school in the morning. I had fried bread for my breakfast this morning. One of Bill's hens died in the cages. I found a pot egg in some rock in a pasture. I have to have two teeth filled when I come home at Easter. I was doing sums this on Monday morning. This morning we went out to drill. I found a blackbird's nest in a tree. I caught a sheep for Bill. One of Bill's chickens laid an egg in the chicken hut. I have stopped milking my cow at the old barn. I feed Charles' chickens for him. Nancy and Mrs Lambert are making a rug for the house. Our cat at Bradford died. I was playing with Jimmy Morphet last night at the beck head.

Love from Philip

SELSIDE

Letter from Philip still at  
Selside school to Miss Davies who had  
returned home to Bradford.