

Flowering House  
Milton,

Marlborough

July 16<sup>th</sup>

Wills

DEAR Mama and Papa,

Thank you for  
the letter. I love you  
I am well and happy  
I like school. I am  
a big girl. I am a  
good girl. I can  
knit and sew. I  
made a hanky. I  
made a doll's  
frocks.

It is my  
birthday to-day. I  
am six years old.  
I am happy. Mrs  
Hart gave me  
a book and 3<sup>d</sup> miss  
Ballinson gave  
me chocolate. Mrs  
Benham gave me  
chocolate, sweets,  
soap, and 6<sup>d</sup> ann  
gave me three  
crackers. I have

Three pretty cards.  
Nurse gave me  
chocolates.  
We play in  
the field. I picked  
flowers. we shall  
go for a walk  
this afternoon.  
Pussy loved me.  
I like the  
photos you sent  
me. I like to see  
mama and papa.

I have the photos  
in my box.

with love,

Ruth.

x x x x x xx