

To Mum,

I am writing to you to tell you that I'm fine so you don't need to worry about me. I miss you and dad lots. I am a little bit worried and scared about my new family. I really hope they're nice parents to me.

When I was waiting on the platform, there was lots of children talking to each other. It was so crowded, I couldn't even move! Having never been on a train before, I was quite nervous about the journey.

As we left the train station, I saw steam rise from the funnel of the noisy, jolting train. The seats were very itchy and uncomfortable. Even so, the scenery was spectacular, with fields with cows and sheep scattered around it! I was amazed and happy that I got to see these wonderful things. I was excited to see the rest of the countryside.

Although I was missing home at first, the fields made me think about it less. I was excited to see new things. Startled by a loud, whistle and clattering echo, we went through a tunnel which plunged us into darkness. There were lots of new things I hadn't seen before!

Eventually, after what seemed like days, we screeched to a halt at our destination, Abberconwy Station! When we got off the train, there was a tall, kind looking man who was in charge of placing children with their new family. Standing in a long line behind lots of other children, I was in church hall and I was terrified that no one would want me. But, as I got closer to the billeting officer I could see all the other