



a crowd to-gether, the only thing I worried about was leaving home, but I have got that over now and am looking forward to coming back again.

When I got back here this morning, the first thing I heard was that I was picked for St. James's Palace Guard on Monday. Of course I was on leave, but another chap took my place. I suspect that I will have to do his turn when it comes.

Kind to write to me yourself soon. I am long ^{very} to hear from you. By the way I think that I left my breeches and tatter brush in the pantry. I thought that I had forgotten them just after I left the house, but couldn't

Turn back for them, Will you send
them on to me, if they are there

It is not much of a razor but
it does me all right.

Give my love to the Reddicks
and heaps for yourself, and tell
Tom to write, before I go.

Your Loving Son
David

P.S. I shall order the photo-
graphs to morrow evening. I am
not going out to night. it is too
wet.