

"Haressease,"

Arington P.O.,

Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

My dear mama:—

Stuart has probably

told you how very uncertain

every day has been for cousin

Carrie, so we were not surprised

when she quietly left us last

evening. It has been so lovely

for her to have cousin Lydia

here. She said that they learned

to know each other better
than ever before. Stuart has
been a great comfort to her.
She felt his leaving very
much.

The funeral will be a
private one on Friday. She
wished everything very quiet.

Cousin Lydia is so sweet,
she has been so gentle and
devoted in her care. We hope
she can stay with us.

I will close this now

and write another letter

later,

Lovingly,

Edith Louisa Hubbard