



And in the hours and hours it took
for the train to steam its way north,
the loss of the doll seemed
a link in a chain, now broken.
She and her family driven apart.
They, still in danger on Guernsey,
while she journeyed on to find
a new home with strangers.

Brian Moses

Parents in the Channel Islands had to choose between
keeping their children with them or sending them to
the British mainland. Many children faced a long sea
crossing followed by an even longer train journey to
the north of England.

Letter from Two Who Volunteered Bit and Help the Taking in Evacuees

Dear Sir,

We'd like to swap our
we don't like the o
messy and they're sme
and they swear a lot.

We thought we'd be
knew how to be polite
who didn't fight at
tell wrong from right

We thought they'd
for the food we give t
but they seem to ig
and only eat the mea

The chickens have
they're chasing them

The cat just won't
they pulled out tufts

It isn't Christian
but we just can't b

day the neighbours
come knocking on

So can we swap ou