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My dear Constance

Thank you so

much for yr most sympathetic

letter on the very kind things

you said about our garden.

Alan has been a wonderful

son, & Brother, so sweet &

considerate to both old & young.

I remember so well reading

on a tombstone when we were

in France. Only those are

fit to live who are not

of said to die" —

This certainly applies to
all those brave men who

are fighting for us.

At times ones I say feels
overwhelming, I am so loved
life, his love for every
flower was just like the dear

old Dad - But one has

to pull ones self together

& realize that others have

probably not. For the four

dear old + laughers we have

got. I am so looking forward

to seeing yr family next week.

Thanking you once again

Yrs affectionately

Willie Smith