

# Villefranche

Douglas dear:

The flat beats your misfortune  
any meaning — the sooner the better.

31. Bid Tsarevitch. Leave the station: follow station  
boulevard to the right: come to a black iron bridge: turn  
under it. Turn left, your street. The street-tram  
takes you any way.

Ascend the boulevard, till you pass the Russian  
church — a bunch of colored hemispheres in various lengths.  
house on your left, at a corner: one in construction  
beside it: brand new: big striped curtain billows out  
over door. No concierge: press bell to 1<sup>st</sup> floor:  
wriggle bell 'Ode Chirokoff Hobet'.

Have a frightful favour to ask.

Did a slight faint this morning — beat. Can't get  
off at Cannes or up from ring. Here is the chit for it,  
a cash. Could you one day do it for me?  
I really did pass out with the beat & had to  
take a later train. It is a good ring & my heart  
would break to lose it. Note enclosed to the man.  
No great haste about it either, but

in the name of all the rabbits do this if you  
can.

your  
Davy.

And if you feel you can send it up.  
Send it - or give it to a friend to leave at  
me. Or keep it till we meet - which isn't likely  
to be long.

But I love that map awfully - it is  
difficult to write - head gear. Save it & get it to  
me somehow, Douglas dear -

