

File Valuable letters.

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My dear Miss Mason.

How I

would love to see those  
girls and you on Day  
9<sup>th</sup>! But I have two  
engagements that I  
fear I shall have to  
keep for that day, as  
I must prepare to "buckle  
down" in earnest to my

paper for "foretelling" evening  
at the Boston Bi-ennial  
in June. When I have a  
half-hour to talk on "Poets".  
and I've not dipped my  
pen in the inkstand for  
it yet! I am beginning  
to be frightened, and so  
away with your tempt-  
ations! "Get thee behind  
me" at once! I

and my love and good  
wishes always to you  
and Miss Farnell, and  
Aunt

Faithfully indeed  
May Percy Smith

241 W. 74th St.  
April 29<sup>th</sup>, 1908.