

"Heaven" Finch St-

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East Malvern  
21 - March 1898

My dear Spencer

I have a request to prefer  
on behalf of my daughter May  
which please do not therefore  
consider yourself bound to agree to.

You know that she has for some  
months been at and we her  
"Fond Fare" but which is now  
so far completed that she will be  
able to set it off at Easter to  
Dr. Tyler.

Since was so good as to read  
it over critically for her and

if you would be so very kind  
as to do the same and to give  
your opinion and advice  
it would greatly oblige us.

A little friendly criticism is  
very valuable to a young author  
and might very kindly help her  
to avoid a criticism of a different  
kind when the work makes its  
appearance in print.

If you kind consent the  
manuscript will be taken care  
of here to your house in order  
that no time might be lost. Time  
is of course an element of the  
whole for she will have to make  
a fair copy of the whole before Easter  
at which time we are all going

down to the Fingland Lakes for a holiday and  
my daughter hopes to have the "Foreside" open mind  
there.

Yours faithfully

Arthur