Heard Frich St.
Park Malvern
21st March 1898

My dear Spencer,

I have a request to make on behalf of my daughter May, which please do not refuse. Encircle yourself around her.

You know that she has some minutes been at work on her "Tuck ever" but whether her so far completed that she will be able to send it off at Easter or not.

P.S. Was so good as to read it over critically for her and
if you were to very much ask 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 pleasantly help her to avoid a criticism of a different kind when the work makes its appearance in print.

Your kind counsel the manuscript will be better done and more his home in order that he may make less. These are some elements of the whole for the rest have much a fair copy if possible help further at which time we are all very
Dear Mr. Smith and family, for a holiday and my daughter hopes have the "Fred the Fly" keep mind them.

Yours faithfully,

Arthur