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Prof Dawson

Kind Friend

Many thanks for  
your kindness in  
securing me a home  
for my stay in Montreal  
during association  
week - I expect to be  
present but had not  
yet written to the  
reception comm - I  
have two journalistic  
friends who have  
expressed a desire  
to be present also and  
to become members

Mrs Laura Starr of  
the Cleveland Leader  
and Mr R. H. Lord  
of London (Special  
English Correspondant).

If they are likely  
to experience any  
difficulty in securing  
quarters could I make  
a still further de-  
mand upon your  
influence? — Would  
it be possible for  
them to find accom-  
modations near or  
with-me?

I expect to  
leave for Cambridge  
next Monday —

Again thanking  
you and hoping  
you will pardon  
my freedom

I remain

Gratefully  
Yours

Erminie Smith