

A Guide to the William Dean Howells Collection

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University of Virginia. Library. Special Collections Dept.

Alderman Library
University of Virginia
Charlottesville, Virginia 22903
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Letters

William Dean Howells, Kittery Point, Maine, to Miss Aurelia D. Howells, Plainfield, New Jersey

Unit Date 1918 May 20

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Scope and Content

[Expressing his sympathy over the death of her father and commenting on his being a "true poet, and a man of most loveable and beautiful nature." He comments on his own age of 82 and the feeling of loneliness each time a loved one passes away.]

William Dean Howells, Intervale, New Hampshire, to Miss Aurelia D. Howells, Provincetown, Massachusetts

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[Expressing his appreciation for the copy of her father's book and praising the work, especially the "five beautiful sonnets to his brother."]