

Attesty Feb 16th 1883



Rev. T. B. Smith
Cleric

Dear Sir.

The meeting at the
1st Anstetha ch will be on Friday
evening, and not Thursday as in
the newspapers and you.

The teachers of two of the best schools
in Alleghy have proposed to forego
their holiday on the morning of the
22nd in order to exhibit their schools
to your friends. I have accepted their
invitation. The plan is to go through the
buildings each room showing its occupants at
their usual work - then assemble in the hall and
have an address of welcome - some singing &
other exercises. Each school will arrange its
own programme substantially as above - and
each visit will probably take an hour and
a half. I have said they are to expect nothing,

and also what adults will come with
your party in order that their enter-
tainment may be provided for before
their arrival. Do you expect Miss
Fletcher to come, and will she speak
at the Friday evening meeting?

I hope that the Phil^a friends have
been successful in making arrangements
for transportation.

I have ~~not~~ spoken of having Salusty
Mony & her arranged for that time,
but it occurs to me as hardly probable
that some of our Sunday schools might
desire the Lolo Child to remain over Sunday,
and whilst I do not propose to make the
suggestion yet it might not be ~~some~~
of the way to consider this as a possible
contingency in making your arrangements.

Very truly yours
Helip S. Bonnet.

~~But if from the visitors.~~ But if you
choose, some words from you would be appropriate
and possibly a few words from one of the Indians.
After dinner there will be a meeting
in the largest Methodist Church the
programme of which will be for you to
arrange. The church will hold about
12 or 1500 adults. But as there are over
10,000 children in the Methodist schools all
of whom would want to be there, I have
advised that 2000 tickets be issued and
distributed among the schools to be given
by their teachers to the largest of the pupils.
There is no arrangement for an evening
meeting on the 22nd.

On Friday morning we will go to see some
glass works and other manufactures, and
in the evening the meeting at Ordecoles
church in Pittsburg will be held, and your
party will go home Saturday morning.
Let me know if this programme is
satisfactory - by return mail or telegraph