

"Long acres"

Robertsdale

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My dear Mr Ayres,

I don't for one moment
think I had forgotten you,
& the wonderful special
honors that have justly
been conferred upon you.
I have only been "hiding
a wee" for the rush & bluster
to settle, & give you time to
rest & think & be ready
for the words of genuine
cheer from an old friend.
My faith in you as a
leader has never for