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Letter from Mother [Ann Gilrye Muir] to John Muir, 1891 May 1.

Ann Gilrye Muir

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Portage May 1st 1891

Dear John

Your birthday
letter long delayed
I hope will now
reach you with all
the blessings and comfort
and love to you and
your family that our
loving Saviour is willing
to grant

The dreadfull Grippe
has been upon me for
three weeks - but I am
now able to sit up for
three or four hours in
the afternoon and hope
to get well

Sarah took the Grippe too but is now getting better she has a good friend from the country taking care of her and to help Grace with her work.

Both David and Elsie have been very kind often sleeping with us until twelve at night.

I hope Mary & John & family are all well now.

I do not like to send you this tale of complaints but will hope to send you tidings before long of much happiness.

Aunt Muri hearts upon me and does all she can for my comfort although she is not very well herself.

I do send sincere love to all and will hope for a letter before long.

Affectionately
Mother