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Letter from John Muir to Daniel H. Muir, 1867 Aug 9

John Muir

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Uncle John is fixing his plants to class
 he has gathered a great many around here
 he has some very pretty specimens
 Merrill has been gathering flowers
 as well as Uncle John he has some pretty
 ones too. Mr. Green was here to register
 I go to school and study arithmetic
 Geography Reading and spelling
 I have to write every afternoon at
 school. I will have to close as I have
 nothing more to say at present in this
 at present Your little niece
 Ann B. Galloway

At David Galloway
 Dear brother I am
 I am very busy shopping
 among the friends of love
 of home I mean to
 write you soon I have
 to walk to Portugal tonight
 we mean to be home
 to Ind. in a few weeks
 we may possibly see
 you on our way home
 how far are you from
 Mack City
 Please write me at
 Madison Wis I will
 be there a few days or
 weeks
 Do not be disappointed
 if we should not come
 my health is not
 extra good
 I am finding a great
 many flowers
 I hope you are doing well

together with all your
Kiss on Dick's forehead
I give in return
Yours very cordially
John

Port Hope August 6th 1847

Dear Uncle Daniel
Mother has received
the letter that you wrote last she thought
it was so funny that she let Uncle
John and Pa read it she did not
know any thing about the people that you
wrote about so that she had to ask Uncle
John of the best way thing about them
Pa is cutting wheat today it is the first
of his own he has hired an Van Buren to
help him Uncle John and Merrill
going away to night there was no
school to day because the teacher was
sick Uncle John and Merrill was over
the Observatory this time the last
time they were over they went over to
wolf hill and got some birch bark
I think it is very strange I will send
you a piece of it so that you can see it
Merrill wrote a letter to one of his
friends in Indianapolis on it

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observatory
Merrill
friends