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Madison Wis. May 10. 68.

Mr Merrill Moore.

Dear Sir.

I am very uneasy
over the interruption of my corres-
pondence with John Muir - Some-
time in the fall I received a line
from him at Cedar Keys, Florida,
telling me that he was sick there
and asking me to write to an
address which he gave me. I
immediately complied, and be-
fore my letter could have rea-
ched him received a second
asking me to direct to New
Orleans where he was intending
to go. To the latter place I
sent a long letter filled with
everything which I thought
would interest him - and since

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They have only heard through
Henry Butler, and he does
not know when to direct a
letter in reply.

Your see my letter is of
an old date. I began it
and then tried to get word
from some of Muir's relatives
in this state. No answer
having come to my enquiries
in that quarter, I must
trouble you for any infor-
mation you possess, in
the hope that it will be
more recent. I enclose
a word to Muir which

I will ask you to direct
for me in case you know
when a letter would reach
him.

We remember your visit
to us with pleasure. I wish
you could come again, I
feel a kind of kinship to
all young men who love
the plants. My boys send
their kindest remembrance
to you - and I am
Yours friend, truly,
Sam C. Carr.