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**Letter from Mother [Ann Gilrye Muir] to John Muir, 1870 Feb 26.**

Ann Gilrye Muir

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Yosemite Feb 15<sup>th</sup>

Dear Brother Daniel M. D.  
Yours of Jan 30<sup>th</sup> arrived today  
& I have an unexpected chance  
of sending you a line over the snow.

I am very sorry that you have  
been so slow to tell me that you would  
need money. I was out on the plains  
a few weeks ago & could have sent  
you a hundred dollars & you would  
have been welcome to it - as ever  
you was to a glass of water when  
thirsty but here I am in the mtns  
without money & cannot get any.

I should think that I am might  
spare you some, I sent him  
\$350. a few months ago.

I can give you some next  
fall & at any other time when I  
have it. You need never be out of  
money while I have any.

Do not be in too big a hurry to

graduate. You & all the other  
Young Doctors of the day are half  
crazy in your haste after the little  
required quantum of knowledge required  
to graduate as you call it.

I also rec'd another letter from  
you a few days ago. Which I  
will answer at length another time  
I am now in great haste.

Always consider any money  
that may be in my pocket - as  
your own hereafter. John Price

I am at the Saw mill again  
until he all summer

I will not be home soon