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526. 24th St San Francisco  
Aug 26<sup>th</sup> 1888

Dear Muir

We hear you have  
got back from Puget Sound &  
no doubt with a good supply of  
glacial scratches and picturesque  
impressions - not however I hope  
as Dr Hagen the ethnologist said  
of his trip in Montana. viz: "that  
he brought back the marks of  
every rock in Montana on his back-  
side!" Will you must come to  
report or give us a chance to  
hear you talk somewhere. You  
heard I suppose the sad news  
from Chic. Mrs Bidwell's case  
pronounced "Consumption"  
and she advised to leave Chic for

Dr Peabody

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@ more bracing climate. It is  
sad, and the soul is heart-broken.  
Such a happy home broken up I  
shall never want to see it again  
only as I remember it in the past


Well you will be down to town  
often and the new Devonia establishment  
is not far from our quarters

We conclude however to return  
East next month about 21<sup>st</sup>  
and so must - make the best of  
our remaining stay.

Somebody with plenty of money has  
consented to publish some of Dr Kellogg's  
tree sketches, will commence with  
the Oaks; Mr Greene is to edit  
it and will commence at once

I hope it will be something creditable  
to the dear old fellows memory.

Ready matter "in statu quo" the  
chief scientific work - black-balling?  
There is to be a grand base ball  
game at next meeting 1<sup>st</sup> Monday

in Sept Dr. Johnson takes the  
1<sup>st</sup> toss - who will it be?  
I hope you managed to get a  
"leg of mutton" with or without the  
boat - did you not miss Mrs  
McKinney's outfit? !

What did you see in the  
way of Ceanthus &c &c  
I suppose you have had some  
stories to concoct for Anne Wanda?  
Did Miss Annie reach home  
safely?

You see there is much  
to answer and you had better  
commence at once

Mr P joins in regards to  
yourself & family

Yours Truly  
C.C. Parry