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## Letter from Robert Ridgway to John Muir, 1899 Aug 23.

Robert Ridgway

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Brookland, D.C.

August 23, 1899.

Dear Mr. Muir:

Since my return home I have been so busy with various urgent matters that I have not yet had time to print and mount all of the tree views (Wabash Valley) which I am going to send you, and, owing to repairs in the building where my office is located I have not been able to get at the pamphlets on trees that I mentioned to you. I shall not forget them, however, and will get them all off to you soon as possible.

Robert H. Wherry

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Your paper on Sequoia gigantea was received yesterday. I thank you very much for it, and shall read it with great pleasure, and, I am sure, profit also.

For the last week I have been wishing one of your glaciers was located somewhere in this vicinity! It has been hot as Popplek (90° to 96° in shade) with atmosphere saturated with humidity. This is the first really wet summer in about 11 years, and has rained at least twice a week all summer - heavy rains, too; more than

3.  
6 inches of rain in July and 4 inches for first half of August.

Hoping you are well, I am,  
with best regards

Sincerely yours

Robert Ridgway.

Mr. John Muir  
Martinez  
California.

Please remember me to Mr. Keeble should  
you see him. - R.M.