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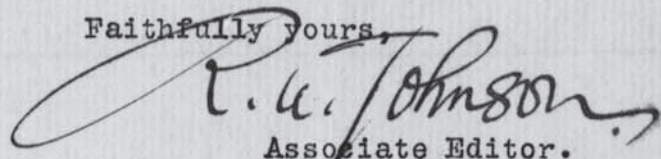
My dear Muir,

We are delighted to hear that your pen
is beginning to work.

I have not only seen Burroughs, but the Thompsons,
and am glad to hear that you are in fine condition for
either tramping or literary labor. You have in you the
making of many books, but old Time with his scythe is after
us all, so do not lose any time at your desk, and partic-
ularly bear in mind that "Autobiography of a Naturalist."

Mr. Scott, to whom I referred your suggestion
about the Jordan book, has given it attention.

Faithfully yours,


Associate Editor.

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