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## Letter from [John Muir] to Benjamin I[de] Wheeler, 1903 Mar 19.

John Muir

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Martinez, March 19,  
1903

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Faithfully Yes  
Mr Benjamin J. Wheeler  
University of California  
Berkeley Cal.

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