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**Letter from Cha[rle]s F. Lummis to John Muir, 1903 Apr 10.**

Charles F. Lummis

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## Editor's Office

Los Angeles, Cal. . . . April 10th 1903.

Dear Muir:

That is a good man! ~~But~~ make it before the long trip. I meet the President at the Grand Cañon May 6th, and will be through with him in three or four days.

If the Warner's Ranch business is already out of the way, as I hope it will be, I shall be as near free as I can ever expect, and I surely hope you won't think of risking your life and morals in the effete East, or still more hopeless monarchies, without fortifying yourself first by a day or two in this stronghold of democracy.

It is impossible for me to get North at present, for these duties are accepted and must

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be discharged; but I will be right here to  
welcome you, and there is no place where you  
would fit better than right here.

Turbese joins in love to all of you.

Always your friend,

Chas. F. Sumner

Dear Mr Sumner

I am now ~~preparing~~ <sup>writing</sup>  
away on "Glaciers" for

the Encyclopedia Americana  
which I hope to get off my  
hands in a week or two

On May 14<sup>th</sup> I go to Yosemite  
with the President. On  
the 18<sup>th</sup> I start for  
~~Boston~~ East & must  
push straight <sup>through</sup> to catch  
my steamer. But if between <sup>these</sup>