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## Letter from Lillian Sexton to John Muir, [19]04 Mar 22.

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Los Angeles, Cal.,  
March 22, 1904

Dear Mr. Muir, -

Our little new school  
has just four class rooms  
and four smaller rooms and  
an office. The rooms are very  
large and sunny.

The view from the school  
is beautiful, for you can see  
a wide sweep of mountains,  
and as our school is nearer  
the sea than any other school  
in the city, we get the breeze  
from the Pacific Ocean before  
it has been through the dust  
and smoke of the city.

Last week we celebrated

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[2] Our first Arbor Day in Los Angeles on March 17, 1904. We also celebrated our first flag-raising in our new school. There were forty-eight visitors present. Mr. Foshay and Mr. Monro gave us suitable speeches. Other people also helped us with our program.

Most of our program was extracts from your book, "Our National Parks?"

We planted a red-wood tree and dedicated it to you, our famous naturalist of this country.

Yours truly,-

Lillian Sexton.