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## Letter from Dorothy Barry to John Muir, 1904 Jul 27.

Dorothy Barry

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New Zealand, you would  
 be happy among your big  
 trees again. I shall always  
 look back on the days we  
 spent with you in New Zealand  
 as some of the most pleasant  
 & delightful, & keep the  
 book as a souvenir of one  
 of our charming fellow-travellers  
 whom we hope to meet again.  
 With kindest remembrances from  
 my mother & Father  
 Believe me  
 yours sincerely  
 Dorothy Barbery-

1407

Blisworth  
 R. S. O  
 Northamptonshire

July 27<sup>th</sup>

My dear Mr. Muir,

I do not know how  
 to thank you for sending me  
 your beautiful book, it is so  
 good of you to have thought of  
 me, & I shall always value it.  
 We were so sorry not to  
 meet you again, we thought  
 perhaps you would cross us

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[2] from Auckland.  
the same boat, to Sydney  
as we did, but some day we  
hope to have the pleasure of  
seeing you again. After  
reading your book I long to  
rush off & see the beautiful  
big trees in California -

We came home by  
Canada going from Vancouver  
to Quebec on the C. P. R.  
it is beautiful scenery

[3]  
but in places it is  
terrible how the trees  
have been burnt, it does  
seem so wicked to wilfully  
destroy what God has  
so beautifully made.  
I wonder which way you  
returned & if you went  
to Japan as you thought  
of doing. How did you  
like the Kauri forests  
up in the north of