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## Letter from Anna Galloway Eastman to John Muir, 1906 Dec 31.

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P.S.

A box has just come to my address - aunt Ellie seems to be in the secret and says it is from Wanda and the contents are for Mother except the gloves, which are for me - but alas they are too small for my great hands for I wear 7  $\frac{3}{4}$ .

Many thanks to Wanda and a happy and prosperous New Year to her and Tom. So glad aunt Maggie is even a little better.  
Anna E.

Pacific Grove, California,  
Dec 31, 1906.

Dear uncle John:

A happy New Year to you and Helen and many thanks to you for your generous gift at Christmas time. Indeed we were fairly snowed under this year, - presents, letters with kindest wishes, post cards from Atlantic to Pacific and from New Orleans to Vancouver, B.C. I can do nothing save to say thank you to all the dear people who so lovingly thought of me and mine. Helen touched the very spot when she sent candy - I think most children are fond of



sandy and mine are especially so. Many thanks.

The children are happy because of a two weeks vacation. Kenneth has been getting me some wood and he and uncle David have been doing some famous fishing. We have not had our vacation picnic yet for I have been having a little gripe and so could not go with them and it would not be a picnic unless Mamma went unless perhaps Miss Thayer was here to go with them.

I hope by this aunt Maggie is some better. We think of her every day and hope for good news when a letter comes.

Again wishing you and yours a happy New Year, I am  
Affectionately, your niece,  
Anna Galloway Eastman.