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**Letter from John Muir to Charlie [A. Keeler], 1900 Oct 20.**

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Martinez, Oct. 21, 1900.

My dear Mr. Slifer:

The birch specimens from Cook Inlet came a week or two ago. The bark is a fine large piece, and the leaves and flowers, which I sent to Prof. Sargent for the Arnold Arboretum, are just what were wanted. I am very much obliged to you, and Prof. Sargent will be delighted. It is so hard to get such specimens in season from those remote places.

I congratulate you on your restoration to health, your experiences in the Northland, and on your success in making a way into the life work you have chosen.

And now, with best wishes,

Very truly yours,

John Muir

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