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Dec. 29, 1910.

Mr. William E. Colby,
Sierra Club, Mills Building,
San Francisco.

My dear Colby:-

Mr. W. C. Hodge, Assistant State Forester,
Sacramento, was in to see me a few days ago and wants to
get into closer touch with the Sierra Club. Hodge is a fine
fellow and with Stirling began the Forest work on this coast
some ten years or so ago. I think you might suggest to Badé
that he ^{get him to} send ~~him~~ some notes on forest matters in this State.
Possibly he has already done this.

You might also tell Badé that I am thinking
of writing a short paper sometime on "The Mountains of the
Sky and the Cascades of Cloudland". Some months ago Mr. Muir
got after me to do this, saying that some of his keenest
pleasure in the mountains came from the beauty of the cloud-
scapes and that he has always regretted not knowing more of
the clouds. From his descriptions, he has seen some wonderful
sky pictures and I have no doubt many Sierrans have shared ^{his} *in part*
the joy of watching the crags of cloudland. What do you think
of it?

Wishing you and yours all the happiness of the
season.

Sincerely

Alexander G. McArthur
Professor

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