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## Letter from John Muir to Helen [Muir Funk], 1911 Nov 8.

John Muir

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+ Araucaria woods.  
 Then returning here &  
 find a way to far  
 off South Africa  
 thence home.  
 of my Amazon trip  
 I have already written  
 you. Had glorious  
 times among the rocks  
 & waters of Rio de  
 Janeiro Bay (as  
 glacial as those of  
 Alaska) & in the  
 Parana Araucaria  
 Brasilensis woods  
 & the fiords between  
 Santos & Rio Grande  
 do Sul.  
 Everybody kind find  
 lots of friends & am

ROYAL HOTEL  
 BUENOS AIRES

Nov. 8, 1911

Darling Helen,  
 I arrived here yesterday  
 & received your long  
 letter from Martine  
 telling the health &  
 general well being of  
 your little family  
 & of Wanda's.

Your letter with  
 others was forwarded  
 from Para. My next  
 address will be  
 Cape Town,  
 South Africa  
 c/o American Consul.

Tomorrow morning  
 I take train for Chile  
 for a view of the Andes

[3]  
not unknown to fame even  
thus far from home  
God bless You Darling  
Love to Wanda + all  
other old & young friends  
as well as relatives -  
Ever your devoted father  
John Murr