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Martinez, Aug. 2, 1912

Dear Mr Johnson:

Your letters of July 6th, 23rd & 26th reached me only a day or two ago because I was away on a trip to the Grant Forest of the Kaweah & Yosemite. I'm glad you are going to cool Canada after Owen's long dangerous illness.

I had duplicate type written copies of my S. American & African notes made before leaving Los Angeles and I find that without a lot of good photographs suitable magazine articles cannot be got out of them at least in a reasonable time. Therefore I'm sorry to say don't count on. I have three good photos of the Victoria Falls & a few rather poor ones of the Baobab. Of the Amazon I have none worth anything as illustrations. I have written to friends in Para & Manaus to try

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to obtain river & forest views
for me at any cost Also
to Buenos Aires & Victoria for
Argentina & Chile Views. Am
promised a lot, but when I'll
get them or what like
they will be now can know
Possibly views of Rio may be
obtained in New York;

As to the Freeman report
here is all I have as yet
seen of it.

Your reply to the
call is Capital.

Good luck to you on your
Canada rest trip. Dont
worry about those hot
continents

Ever faithfully Yours
John Muir