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Martinez Dec. 13, 1844

My dear Mr Johnson

I have just received the
Alaska M.S. + will try to
make the change as you suggest
adding description of the M. Glacier
But I would like to get a copy
of what I have already written
on the Main Glacier so as to
avoid repetition.

I'm very sorry to see that
the villainous Committee Bill
has been favorably reported
by the Land Committee & that
even Hoke Smith thinks
favorably of it. I've just
been arranging for an expression
of opinion of the Sierra Club
on the bill to be sent

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The Secretary. The bill is founded on a lie - that a large part of the park is farm & mine land. With the exception of a strip on the western border there are no mines & no farms. Should this unrighteous bill pass the entire park may as well be abandoned to the thieves.

I send herewith a copy of the report of the Superintendent of the Sequoia Park which is good. Also a letter from McAllister - & a few clippings

Ever Yours Truly
John Muir