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Letter from Emilie T. Y. Parkhurst to [Jeanne C. Carr], 1891 Dec 5.

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SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 5 1891

Dearest of friends:

Can you not write for me a biographical sketch of John Muir such as you outlined when I was visiting you:—one taken from his letters largely? I would like to publish it before the Century publishes the one by my father if possible.

I have written to the Cosmopolitan and they promise an early appearance of your article; but that may mean some months yet. If we could afford the fifty dollars I would withdraw it from there & publish it in ours; but we cannot just yet. We can pay you about \$25 for the Muir article. Will you do it?

I am so grieved to learn that you have been ill, but trust that you are better again. Did you ever mail me the doctor's book? I never received it; but as you

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wrote saying it would be sent by the same
mail, I felt afraid of its possible miscarriage.
I will have a copy of the Holiday magazine
to send you in a few days.

Have the winter excursionists begun to
pour in yet?

Take good care of yourself and God bless
you.

Lovingly your friend
Evelie T. Y. Parkhurst.

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