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Letter from D[avid] Landsbonah to John Muir, 1887 Dec 16.

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[Faint, mostly illegible handwritten text, possibly bleed-through from the reverse side of the page. Some words like "I have" and "I would" are faintly visible.]

[Vertical handwritten text, possibly a name or address, written along the right edge of the left page.]

Kilmarnock 16th Dec
1884.

Dear W. Meier

When I had the pleasure of writing you my attention was directed by you to a most magnificent fig tree, & you at the same time mentioned that ^{as a} shade-tree the fig is superior. Would the trees that grow in California. Would it be too much to ask if you would be so kind as supply me with the measurements of ^{the tree} ~~the tree~~ fig. - ~~to~~ growth

Dear Mr. Brown

I have a few lines

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 of the trunk (if possible) at the height
 of five feet from the ground.
 I think it is if it be suitable to
 give the fish there; the diameter
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