

July 28, 1921.

Mr. Robert S. Wellman,
Hornitos, Mariposa Co.,
California.

Dear Sir:

I have just been working up the material concerning the Grizzly bear in the Yosemite country, and have read with much pleasure and interest your very excellent letter of April, 1918, concerning the Grizzly killed by yourself and Mr. Jim Duncan near Buck Camp.

I find that Mr. John Muir also refers to a Mr. Duncan in some of his writings as a particularly famous hunter of bears. Could you tell me whether your friend was the same man, and if so give me, at your liesure, as much as you could conveniently write concerning his experiences as a bear hunter?

Any material which you might be able to send me along this line would certainly find use here at the Museum in much the same way that your account of the Grizzly has been used.

Very truly yours,

Gray J. Storer

Field Naturalist.

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