

Who - the man seen for one time at  
 an odd finite distance - fishing for pickled  
 and moving slowly but for - you are uncertain  
 whether you're a peasant - like sailors with  
 their velvet dogs - they come up like something  
 fabulous & incredible. More like.

Where 1200 years of the ocean stream  
 have flown under the <sup>east</sup> ground to make them  
 of immense size. Obvious for them like  
 inadequate vapor - this is an lake country.

Flats - young & old you can come  
 land - when a whole colony of pickled in -  
 habits - when raised their cabin high above the  
 sea - but look one is seen above.

I expect of a person that he will need  
 me a more simple & sincere account  
 of the <sup>life</sup> - what he has done &  
 thought. But now I want to know  
 just on hand of other men's lives -  
 and action. I am sure such account  
 is to be found in the letters of the kind  
 of <sup>life</sup> a character <sup>and</sup> personality  
 outward <sup>and</sup> inward. I want a definite  
 of feelings <sup>and</sup> thoughts. I want to know  
 what he is doing & why the results of other  
 men's lives through with brilliant tem-  
 porary success - we may in some measure  
 justify success & being defended by  
 our time - we want a man's own  
 story which is most precious & true  
 of him - not his life's blood but his  
 that for which his life's blood circulates  
 through his body & living.

If any thing has yielded him more  
 pleasure or satisfaction - let him con-  
 muni-ate it. The more <sup>the</sup> more it is  
 how much he loves with it & what means  
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It has not been my desire to live cheaply, but  
my plan is I could at Rhinecliff, make time  
for getting a living - I made the money  
who means we already got.

The body receives & distributes the necessary  
 of life under the general heading of  
 food - clothing - shelter - fuel  
 and these, "animal heat" is the  
 expression. "animal heat" is the  
 expression of the animal life.  
 Clothing - shelter - fuel warm is  
 outwardly - The I have said that the  
 skin & the body parts, when cold  
 cold water - and warm his body by  
 putting his feet close to a fire -  
 though the rest of the body may be in  
 frost - on the other hand food re-  
 covering 'resting' is the fuel which  
 keeps up the external combustion which  
 is going on in the lungs. In cold  
 weather we use much more of the  
 fuel - in summer less.  
 It is necessary that keep warm & keep the  
 internal heat in the body - to combat cold from  
 the outside and the extremities.

The summer is a sort of *climax* type  
time of man - food - except & costs in  
food - is ~~the~~ the sea is. Then X unnecessary  
in the sun - in food - and the point  
as many of them cooked by the rays.  
Clothing and shelter are more than half  
dispensed with even in our climate -  
and food is more various & more easily ob-  
tained -

For many creatures there is only one necessary  
 thing - food - & the Bison - <sup>the richest of man</sup> - is  
 the palatable grain of the prairie.  
 And none of the lower creature require  
 more than food & shelter.

As the elevation, smartness of material  
which are called the luxuries & ~~com~~ are  
the comforts of life are not only not  
indispensable, but hindrances  
with respect to luxuries & comforts. The very best  
have been among simple ones. The