John Muir Detective Reading

Directions: After reading the article “John Muir: Father of the National Parks,” answer the questions below. Also, highlight or underline the details in the article that helped you answer the questions.

1) What is a naturalist? _____________________________________________________________

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2) John Muir was born in Scotland. Did he attend college there, too? ________________

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3) What happened that made John change his mind about working in a factory?

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4) Describe the walk he took. _____________________________________________________

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5) Why did John decide to write a book about Yosemite?

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6) Describe another important contribution John Muir made in the United States. 

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