

Edgewood.

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Miss Esther Pennington

My Dear Please I will try and
rite you a few lines to let you
know that I ant dead yet this
leaves all well and hope the few
lines will reach you the same
Esther the wind here do blow
hard here and has ben for two weeks
and still a blowen and we ant near
dun pickin cotton yet and it want
upin so we can git dun the hill
cotton upin but the bodern want
upin at tall and Papa and Dink has
ben worken at the cane mill tha made
up 600 galons yan out to ben hear
and hope we drink drce and eat
riban cane it sure did go nice. Esther

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I guess you are proud to git out of
Leon Co but hated to leave Fred
but I hope you will like your
new home and have a nice time
up there for you know that wasen
~~my pleasure~~ in Leon Co for young
folkes for I didn't see much when I
were down there. Orther we get
a letter from Walter about a week
ago he is at Chgo Tex Sherake Co.
and has dur rented him a place
for a nather year but Mr Sanford
haden rented when he rate I can't
think of any thing want riter
youse short letter. I will try
to do betes nex time so rite
soon and let me know how
you like your new home give
my love to all and leap a shear
for you self so good night to
all from a true Aunt Effie Statham