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Nineweh Tex
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Miss Orange Pennington
Kind friend.

I will write you
a few lines I do
not know whether it
will do any good or
not but I shure hope
it will.

Have you found you
a fellow out there
I heard Esthers dad
found her one out there
how is Fred and her
getting along all
O.K. I guess Fred is
talking of leaving

here I guess he will
 land out there he thinks
 a right ansart ab Esther
 but not as much as
 I think ~~ab~~ ^{you} ~~you~~ ^{you} no
 I thought a heap ab
 you when you was
 up here I was little
 bashful thir but I
 have learned better
 than that now a boy
 does not stand any
 back with the girls
 if he is bashful.

well I will halt
 bar this time as I
 dont no whether I
 will get any answer
 or not but I shure hope I
 will answer soon I ^{will}

No.

I cant hardly quit
writing I guess you know
why you are so charming
Oh our big meeting is
going to start on the
fourth Sunday in July
we are going to have
a big barbecue at
Marson Chapel the
fifth of July I shure
wish you could be
here to go with us
I know we would have
a time dont you
will you correspond with me
well I will haft
to ring off for this
time answer soon
your true friend Lee
Boich