

Jimpson. Tex.
July ^{the} 6

Miss. Esther. Pennington.

1904

My Dear Maec you most kind.
and welkam letter came to hand
same time a go and found all
well and hope the few lines will
reach you all the same Esther
it is rain so much untill the
people cant work in thire crops
we are din Chapin letters and want
her dms flower but it rains so
much untill cant git to work.
Oh Esther marna is come to see
us she came in the 25 of June
and I sure were proud to see her
and Katie Risher. is hear to
and Walters family and Marna

and Katie R. and Jim Sydan
all spend the day with me yesterday
and had a nice time. I wish you
had been with us. Esther & house
sad news to tell your old Dory is
dead the old cow that you all
sold Walter same year like we
made but I don't know where
she did are not I can't say.
Esther mamma wants to write to
you mamma and I can't write
much so I will close my
baid viter and short letters
give my love all up the rest
of the family and say a cheer
for you self so good day
to all I remain as ever your
Aunt Effie Statham. Alto

Alto Tex July ^{the} 5th 1904
Mrs Calbert-

Dear Emma and
family being that Effie is
writing to Ester I thought I
would write you a few lines
this leaves me well and having
a nice time hoping this will find
you all well I having have nothing
new to tell you only the crops
is looking fine here but having
a bit of rain your letter came
to hand some time ago which I
am always glad to here from
you I will be more then glad
for you to make our a visit this

Sommes and I think it's time
 for you to send me that picture
 you written to me you was going
 to send me I am at Office to day
 I got here the 25 of last month
 and I reckon I will go home
 next week I cant stay so long
 from home but I am having
 a nice time here Walter family
 is well and he has a nice crop
 and all is looking well. Ann
 could not come down here with
 me. I want you to write as soon as
 I get home and then I will tell you
 all I know tell old all I wish
 he would like for him to come
 and bring my word in for me
 and has heres stayed wiring

dressies get - I have had me same
 small picture taken I will send
 you one when I get home steady
 was not finished when I left home
 well I will expect to here and
 see you soon I will meet you
 any time. Love to all and a good
 shire for your self so good
 bye ma ma. J. R.atham.