

Merle Texas
3/31/05-

Miss Esther Pennington
Simpson, Tex
Dear little girl

Your letter
of recent date recd &
read with untold
pleasure. This leaves
me enjoying the best
of life as far as health
is concerned,

Many thanks
for your remembrance
of me. also the nice
little verse you sent.
the fact that it was penned
by you makes it beyond

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Value to me.

I am glad
you intend coming
down. I am quite
anxious to see you.

By the way,
you speaking of that
fellow & you buggy
riding almost makes
me jealous.

I liked Grimes
County splendid. it
is a fine place for
young people.
I agree with
you

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in regard to, Nanies,
marrying first. you
have lots of time yet,
Alice and
Ratie both live in
Crimmes County
now. old man
Taylor Danford and
Sara Danford is
living at the old
Madon place in Wash
County, I want to
go over & see them
soon. I'll ring off
for this time. write
soon W. J. Badham