

Thorp Springs, Tex
August 22.

My dear precious Husband

I do
about you here so very much
today, these long lonely Sunday
are almost unendurable,
not even the ringing of the
church bell to break the
stillness of the morning.

Father Bell called in
this morning to hear from
you, dear old man he
is childish about you
and Parsdale. He is very
feeble, has had a sick spell
recently. I have sent you
two packages of letters. Hope
you got them. I will
send you several this

time, the manuscript - Mr. Miller
speaks of I will not send.
It is lengthy (seven pages) I
think, very well written, though.

The boy I have here is doing
account - did very well for a
few days, but now he is to
begin to work. I have been trying
to get him to clean the yard
ever since he has been here.
I cant miss the weeds he has
cut down, did not do as much
work yesterday as Addie, he runs
around so much, I thought
if he would start to school
he would do me more good.
I cant see that it does
any good. I think I will
tell him that I cannot
keep him any longer.

I have a plan for fixing
the front rooms more con-
venient, when you can
afford it. I would move
the stair way to the side
next our room, then make
a small room and hall
of the north room, and after
while when we recon the
house here the house would
be longer, and a half story
put on top. it will never
be comfortable or convenient
until we have this done.

A card from Jaffer yesterday
written the 15th, all well
except the little children they
have the hooping cough. he
will start by the 15 or 20.
I cannot realize yet that
he is coming, you promised
me long ago, when we were
first married that you would
have him in school with
you. but I had long since
ceased to think of it.

There was a confession at
prayer meeting last Thursday.

ought Emma Walker, Brother
Frank Baulins called her
Friday morning, I am so
glad your meeting at-
was so good. I am not
afraid of you being spoiled.

We want to know when
to look for you. I still
have the toothache ~~yet~~
have had to stop writing
several times to put some
thing in it. Wish I could
have it pulled.

I must stop now and get
ready for meeting I am going
to try and take them all
this evening.

Your affectionate
Sallie.