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GENERAL MERCHANDISE, FERTILIZERS & ORANGES,

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My dear darling wife

No news to write of and am anxiously awaiting a letter from you from Jacksonville - I do hope dear baby is better and I think he must be, for he was certainly improving when he left here - if you and baby are well I shall be happy - I do love the little fellow more each day and my wife is the dearest of all to me.

Things being very warm and everything is so much greener - It has rained so that I have not been out here yet but shall go this PM if I can. Trade is dull and I expect I shall

get pretty tired of staying in town. It may be that I shall go out to the house and stay awhile for a change - I don't like it in town at all & could not be induced to live here. We have a pleasant little home as we could wish and I am much attached to it if it was not for the "ifs"

I had a letter from Louie Small yesterday. He says Lillie is improving a little.

Remember me to all & write often. Did you & Christine get through to Savannah on the train

From Young Kurbens  
Henry

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