



314 West 12th St. Sanford, Fla.  
May 6.

Dear Jesse:-

Just to let you know that Herbert is still improving. It is slow but for the past 3 weeks he has kept the gain he has made. Has been dressed a little while each day for the past 3 days & yesterday went to call on a sick neighbor who is having the same trouble he is. He hopes to go back to work part time this week but I don't know whether he is going to be able to do that or not. but sure am hoping so.

Last Sunday afternoon Larina + Ragin were here for a couple of hours. They expected to close the deal on the <sup>sale of the</sup> mill property the next morning & then on Wednesday to close the deal on a ranch they are buying about 17 miles N.W. of Gainesville. Larina was very much interested in Jaunita's coming over & was going to try to get her mind made up this week whether to write & tell Pete's girl to try to get ready to come with her. Said they had had the girl's papers. - I suppose she some one that we are to sign for Jaunita's <sup>extraneous</sup> for a long time but there was something about it that isn't clear to them. That she has all her other papers ready & their signature on this one is all that

is holding ~~to~~ the girl back. Lorina doesn't have an extra bed-room to give her but has an empty trailer now + tho' she could <sup>put</sup> Eugene out there + give the girl his room. Tho' I'd love her decision the last of the week but haven't heard from her yet. She talked quite a bit of how much she would love to have you let Lula come + be up there with her girls to go to school.

Fannie wrote me that Fern's baby arrived Apr. 24. + is a boy. Also that Agnes is getting married May 26 to a Miami boy that she met in Mobile, Ala. <sup>I think he is a catholic as she had a boy friend down there who is.</sup> He is up here at Fort Jackson, Columbia, S.C. + the wedding is to be in a chapel on the Base. Floyd + his wife are driving them <sup>Joe + Fannie</sup> down for the ceremony + Floyd's wife will be Matron of Honor.

"Mountains" Floyd Crosby called me, long distance, Tues. night to tell me he was getting married on the 3rd. + yesterday I got their announcement. It is a girl he met up there + she is from Staten Island N.Y. He said she is working there. Fort Jackson is where he is too, so maybe Agnes will be married in the same chapel that he was.

Eloahier may get to come home the last of this mo. She said "long enough to stick her head in the door + take it out again". Sure hope you are feeling good + <sup>writes</sup> when you can + tell me how Janita's plans are shaping up + what time she will be ready to come. I know we are going to have a good <sup>time</sup> together. Wish you were all