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Lincoln, Kansas, May 27th 1884,

Dear Aunt;

I received yours of the 19th last night and hasten to reply. — I assure you it would afford me great pleasure to visit you this year, I fear I am to be disappointed. My business is growing on my hands to such a rate that I can hardly find time to eat & sleep. — My two schemes embrace a vast area of territory. This Assoc takes the 12 States, at Dalton Ga the Southern, My Live Stocks look one in Iowa & one in Ga. — making me in effect the Secy & Mgr of four companies. — After I get them in full working trim I will have more time & more money. — At the present time business piles up on us. — In this Office we are now ten days behind, and I see no possible chance to get away even for a few days only on business. — Mary & I have not met since she returned. This A. M. I wrote her to ask her & Aunt — Mandana Wyatt who is with her to come to Lincoln as I cannot get away. — I expect them the last of this week, you can depend upon it if I can possibly find