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Mrs John Muir - Martinez.

Dear old friend - This afternoon your box of delicious fruit arrived, and we send many thanks for it. What delicious peaches "The Muirs" are. I showed the golden fruit to Dr Wilson and he ate part of one - the first he would eat of anything since his morning meal. He is very feeble, and has a poor appetite of late, but it is wonderful how his strength holds out in spite of all -

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he is small and active  
 while Dr. Wilson has been an  
 invalid for years and is but  
 76 - If he can but stay as  
 he is - suffering no more than  
 he does now, will not complain  
 for we are very comfortable -

Come and see us when  
 you come this way. For we  
 shall be glad to see you  
 kind regards to all.

Yours truly E. J. Wilson  
 693 Sycamore St  
 Oakland,

Peaches and plums are  
 his favorite fruits, and I  
 think tomorrow he will  
 enjoy them. The Gaskills  
 were in this afternoon just  
 before the box came, but I  
 telephoned them <sup>that</sup> they came  
 and how too soon: and  
 they that they would  
 be around tomorrow  
 to get a taste.

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 ninth year, and yet

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