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Modesto, May 10 '80

Dear Auntie,

We were blessed
on the afternoon of the 5th,
(last Wednesday), with a fine
daughter, weighing $8\frac{1}{2}$ pounds.
She has black hair, black
eyes, and is said to resemble
me. I think she will look
like Belle. She is fat, plump
and awful healthy.

'What a pretty baby' is the
universal exclamation among
her many admirers.

May is doing
unmarkedly well, though she

Keeps her bed yet and will
for three weeks yet, to come

We hope that your health
is improving and expect to see you
up this way this summer.

It seemed funny to hear of Louis
marriage; it was such a surprise,
we sent our congratulations through
Ma but you may present them again
We wish them a long & happy life.

You must come, one and all
and see the baby, as soon as you
get able, she will grow plump
& lovely until you see her,

Write soon and let us know
how you are getting along, we
are always anxious to hear,

Yours very affectionately

Lon