

I will close this already rather  
lengthy epistle; more especially,  
as I am to go on watch in  
a short time now. I will  
send this on my arrival in  
Norfolk, and will expect and  
hope to see an answer for me  
on my arrival in Key West.

That is if you think this worth  
an answer. Kind greetings  
to your mother and Miss Fannie,  
and all the rest of your fam-  
ily. And for yourself, accept the  
kindest regards of  
Your sincere friend,  
Harry G. Monahan

My address will be  
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