

CHINOOK

Chinook, Alta.

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Dear Mother

We are having a cold spell here now for a change. I don't know just exactly how cold it is but it must have been about thirty below last night. There is a little snow on the ground now but not enough to drift or make sleighing. I wonder if you are having cold weather in Oskelin? Is there good skating in Oskelin? Is there snow? We have a skating rink in Chinook but I have no skates & cannot afford to spend what money I have in that way anyway.

We had a very nice time at New Year's. We were invited out to Dave Stewart's for dinner & we had everything to eat, from chicken to ice cream. That is the first ice cream I have had for about a year & a half. The whole Stewart family were there, eight grown people & four babies & it seemed very homelike. I hope you had a pleasant New Year's. Were you in Chicago then?

We haven't sold but one load of our wheat & don't want to sell any more until the price goes up. We are trying to hold off paying bills now until we can get a decent price for the grain. It surely ought to go up soon. We got thirty-seven cents a bushel for the one load of wheat. We should get nearer sixty. We have about two hundred & seventy bushels of wheat & one hundred & sixty five of flax. Flax is selling for eighty-five cents but ought to be at least a dollar & a half.

I haven't been to town for a week so have no new news to tell you.

Lots of love to you & Mary
Selden.

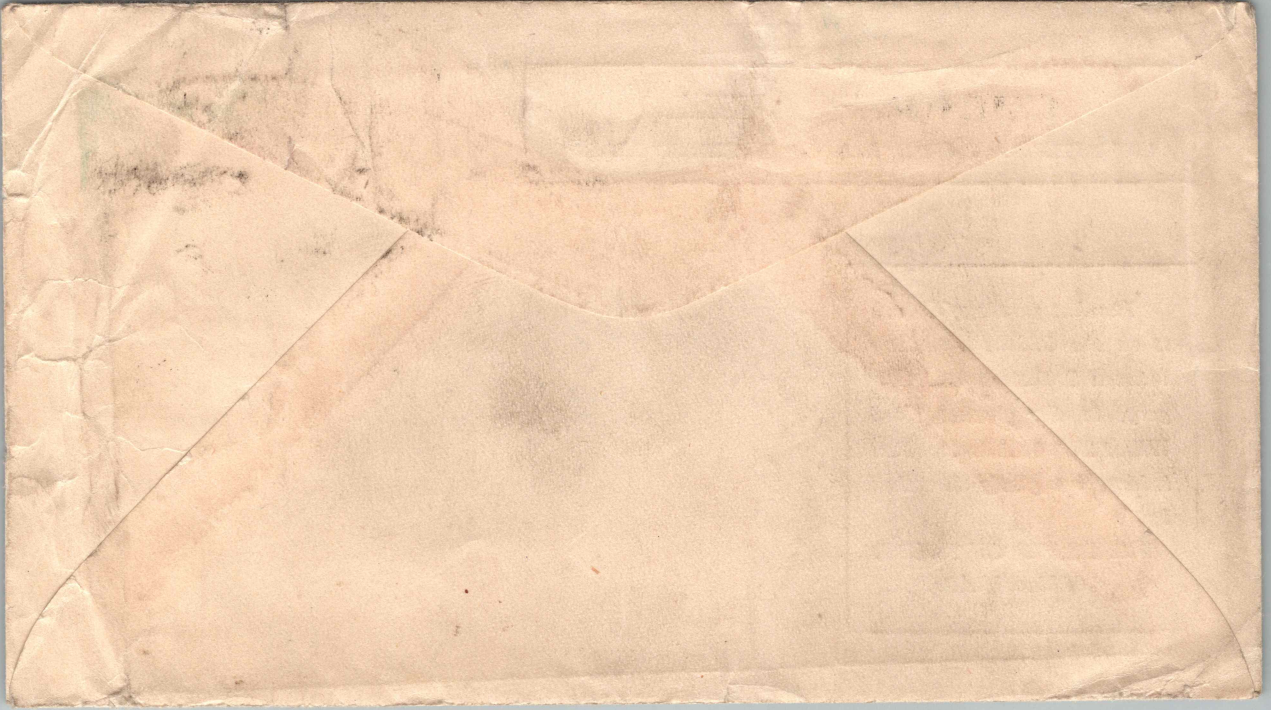
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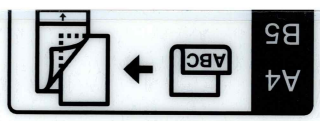
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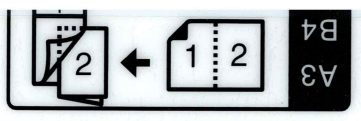
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