

Loma, Alberta Aug 15 '09

Dear Selden your letter was handed to me today - Our harvest will not begin for two weeks so that there would be nothing for you to do here - I am sorry for I would like to help you -

We are anticipating a very good crop this year, everything except the fall wheat will be above the average, and that will be fair, the weather has been exceptionally fine for the maturing of the grain.

I hope you boys will find a good piece of land - I suppose you are going up into what is called the "Red Deer District" that is where most of the new settlers seem to be going. I think two or three

how readers from our locality  
have gone -

Arthur has not done much  
with the pictures yet, we  
have been very busy building  
but he expects now to take  
everything and every body  
before he goes home -




We are expecting Professor  
Moore in a day or two  
he bought a quarter from  
me and is coming up to  
look after the soap -

Tell me how when you get  
settled on your farm as I  
am interested in what you  
do - I am sorry I can  
not join you now in the  
mean time -

Yours very truly  
J. B. Doolittle



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