

Chinook  
the  
Coming  
Western  
City

WELL LOCATED IN THE  
HEART OF ALBERTA'S  
GREAT WHEAT BELT.

JUST THREE MONTH'S  
YOUNG

ABUNDANCE OF GOOD  
WATER AND CHEAP  
FUEL.

SETTLING QUICKLY WITH  
A LIVE, PROGRESSIVE AND  
ENERGETIC BUNCH OF  
PEOPLE.

COME AND JOIN US, OR  
ASK THE SECRETARY,  
BOARD OF TRADE, ANY  
QUESTIONS.

CHINOOK, Alta., June 16 1913

Dear Mamma:-

We're glad you are planning  
to come out for sure. If we get our  
mortgages put through without any  
hitch we will be in shape to receive  
you. If not we would have to give up  
the visit altogether. I haven't been able  
to send the \$54<sup>00</sup> to A.M. Lovelant yet  
but wrote him I would send the  
money soon.

We won't have any garden this summer  
as we did not have time to tend to it.

We have been very busy this summer  
and hope with good luck to have quite  
a bit of money next year from our crop.  
We're going in debt up to our ears in order  
to get all this work done and hope to  
pay up with a mortgage.

We've had a few strokes of bad luck this  
summer. Among other things we had to kill a  
horse that was hurt in a runaway on

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the disc borrow.

I'm afraid mosquitoes are likely to be in full swing when you come as the season is late this year.

Please let us know in plenty of time (exactly what train) when you will be coming. It may be possible for you to come clear through on the train but likely you will have to stop at Alaskan unless you wish to ride the rest of the way in a freight car. It is likely we would have to go to Alaskan for your trunks anyway. Fare on the stage (one way) from Alaskan to Chinook is \$3.50 per head provided there is any room on top of the baggage. A trunk would cost about another \$3.00. We can make the trip fully as cheaply as that.

If you can reach Mr. Williams by letter he will likely be able to help you in regard to rates etc also

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any C. P. R. or C. N. R. official  
should be able to give you information,  
you know every time you change from  
C. N. R. or C. P. R. you will have to re-  
check your baggage and likely buy a new  
ticket, you can't check your baggage  
through.

Be sure to engage tourist sleepers  
well ahead of time. The colonist cars  
are not at all preferable to cattle cars.

Willie

CHINOOK BOND