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Mr. Leo Eller,
Lawrence, Kansas.

Dear Leo:-

I received your excellent and newsy letter. I have never thought that I was much of a letter writer. Fishing has been better. Dolph, Ernie and I were out yesterday and came back with five nice walleyes and one large northern. John, ~~Leo~~ Ernie and Dolph are out now.

Yesterday I had to go to the office again to pay six cents postage on a letter to Dolph. It had been sent airmail with insufficient postage. It would be most injurious for us to have mail reach our advertisers, or other customers, with postage due.

We had the hardest blow in the middle of the night, last night, that I have ever known up here. It blew down an oak tree in our back yard. A tall tree in full foliage, but I had noticed that it had a rotten spot in the trunk some six feet, or more, from its roots. Dorothea's little boys have picked quite a lot of blueberries, which grew nearby on Mr and Mrs Freeman's ground.

Dolph and Ernie plan to drive home Sunday and will take Margaret King with them to join her husband at our home. Then they will go to Texas for a visit with his mother, at Denton.

Edna's wishes must have a long reach for it has been much cooler here, since she expressed them to you. Give her and the others my kindest regards. Hope the little boy is coming along fine.

Cordially Yours,
"The Old Man"

W. C. Simons

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