

July 12, 1940

Mr. John Nelson Simons
Rural Route 3
Brainerd, Minnesota

Dear Mr. John:

Well, I was beginning to wonder about you as a correspondent until I got your good letter this morning. It seems to me that when I was up there, you were writing to someone every day, and here I had to wait until nearly a week to hear from you. But it is really worth it, and I would be willing to wait a long long time to get another fine letter from you.

I hope that you and grandad and Dolph have been having some good fishing. If you did not get ahold of Fritz, I know father could make a deal with one of the Biseks because they like to fish almost as much as you do.

Will you please tell Grandad and Grandmother Simons that I got their letter today and enjoyed reading it. You will serve as my official acknowledger.

Please write me again soon because I like to hear from you.

With love,

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