

Rycroft, Alberta,
November 11, 1937.

Dear ~~John~~ Mr. Yaremchuksky:-

Thanks ever so much for your letter - we received some time ago.

Most of us have colds here. - The weather is getting colder all the time, looks like old man winter will be here soon. We're busy doing everything, mostly preparing for winter.

There's a broadcasting station in Grande Prairie now operated under 1200 kilocycles. It sure comes in plain here at home. You better listen in and hear some of the north ^{Peace River} news. We're building a garage for our tractor now and dad fell off it with a plank and hurt his leg. Geo Roska made a new chicken-coop. Mary left her husband (Mike Wakaluk) and is staying at Roska's now with her children. Your neighbor Archie Wherrel got married with Lena Baychuck.

Dan Baychuck went to Fort Saskatchewan to serve a nine-month term for stealing wheat from Slim Grimms. He stole 2 boxes.

You better come home back to Rycroft and see how it is all different than what it used to be. Maybe if you'd come back you wouldn't be able to recognize it. Your horses ~~are~~ sure look nice now (MacNish is Cynoka) better

shape and a different color. ~~The~~ (MacMusk) is lighter gray with white spots. That black young horse (Rzigzuk) ^{Dick} sure is a nice horse. (mak erk ~~u~~baika) make ^ubinb ^ubinb ^ubinb ^ubinb make erk ku stak no kazybadu. ^{very} And that young horse (Bill his named guess) is ~~isn't~~ big but Kotek uses him for a saddle horse. It's too bad that there is no-body to kiss (MacMusk). Don't you feel lonesome for Rycroft and your horses some times? ~~I guess~~ No doubt you do. When do you expect to come to Rycroft again? The farmers here are sure scratching their heads as the price of the wheat keep going down. There are some that had wheat in the elevators since last spring, ~~now~~ they took some advance and kept it till now and they are sold out as it dropped so low. Kind of tough luck but they've only themselves to blame, because the price was sure high enough but I guess they weren't satisfied with over a dollar so now they lost quite a bit. These farmers were your neighbors of Red Wakaluk and ~~and~~ so a few others. Andruska was going to go for a trip this fall again but he lost a lot of money on grain so now he's waiting for prices to go up then maybe he'll go for a trip. Money seems to be scarce with everyone as their crops didn't yield much this year as they used to long ago.

Well Mr. Yarembowsky I cant find anything else to write so I guess I better close..

Your old Friend
Jackowsky.

Good-Bye Yarembowsky and dont forget to answer this letter. Maybe you think I'm crazy to write such a letter but I couldnt think of anything to write so had to write something.

John Yaremko.