

The Rainbow Rancho Ltd.

Okanagan Centre, B.C. May 29th 1929.

Dear Sirs :-

I have just finished making up reports for mailing. There is considerable detail information included in them. It is difficult to cover all angles of the operations so if there is any other information you would like to have please let me know.

When we think that all returns and rebates are in we will make out another statement of them.

The Spring has been cold and dry and is still very dry. There has been no rain ~~this Spring~~ and the Water situation is very serious. Up to date we have had very little irrigation but as yet the trees do not show signs of distress. There is a danger of the holders of earlier water records having our water stopped, but I am trying to protect us against this.

Early in the Spring we spent a lot of time in cultivation and the orchards have been in better shape in this regard than ever before. As soon as it was seen that water might be short we started in to break up all the cover crop. For the rest of the year we will continue to clean cultivate.

The trees had good blossom on every thing but Jonathan and Wagner, even these promise a fair crop. With water we should have nearly as much fruit as last year, and more fruit of the better ~~better~~ varieties. Better Markets are expected and I was rather looking forward to making a killing.

The only Capital expenditure that has been made is \$550.00 for a new Spray out fit. The old machine was turned in on a big two cylinder engine one. I do not foresee any other expense for this year. Next year we should have some steel flume and a new heavy disc and a sub soiler. I am borrowing these machines to get by for the present.

If you did not get a photograph of the addition to the packing house let me know and I will send one.

Yours truly,

James Goldie

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