October 26th. 1928

Dear Sirs :-

We last wrote Sep.26th. and have no word from you since.

All the apples are off the trees. And we expect to finish Packing about Nov. 2nd.

There have been shipped II,100 boxes of Jonathan and there are a few more packed to go. Besides the packed Jons. we have shipped seven cars of Bulk apples orchard run. Another bulk car goes to-morrow , and we expect to ship another two or three. A lot of small and poorly colored Jons have been left on the trees. The Market dont want Jonathan at any price. It now looks as if the Bulk fruit will bring as much as the Packs. Most of the packs have gone to Great Britain.

There have been shipped 6715 boxes of Wagners with a few more to go. The Wagner pool is likely to be fairly good.

1162 boxes of Spitzenberg have been shipped but there are more to be packed.

About a thousand Newtown have maved out and there are about two thousand on hand , these will go at once. We are still packing them.

Some of the Delicious have been packed but still on the house.

The Rome Beuty a and the balance of the Spitz and Delicious and Newtowns are still to be packed. The Salome will be stored in The Winfield House the Same as last year.

We are in the danger zone of frost, however the weather has been and still is fine. There has been only very light frost on one or two nights,and the praries are still having mild weather, so there is little likelyhood of us being caught. Another year if we have as big a crop we should install another graderso as to speed up the operation.

While our last estimate has not been chekedp up, we think that it will not be far out. The Nonsuch are not likely to be shipped.

If the Shippers dont go crazy and try to clean up too quickly we may still get a price for our crop. The Board of Control has lost control, but up to date there has been no open breaking of prices. There is a little hope of more than breaking even.

Jours truly,

To J.E.McAllister
R.S.Dormer

When the rush is over will write more in detail.