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North Ridge - Vic Co N.B.
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Dear Cousin

I received your letter several days ago but carelessly mislaid it and forgot to answer it. which I hope you will excuse as this is farmers busy time

You ask about the peach & apple crop. I would say the peach crop is very scarce with us. we have not raised any for the last ten years in consequence of a disease known as the yellows that destroyed all our trees - along the Lake Shore they raise a good many

and I hear the crop is good -
with us on the Ridge here it is
a failure. they are selling now
the Early varieties in the markets
for about 50 ds per basket
the Crarofonds when they come in
market will probably run higher
perhaps 75 ds or 1.00

Apples are a very good crop
but very few marketable apples
in this section they do are better
along the lake in the lake towns
Love to all

Your Cousin
J. K. Peterson