

Denver, Colorado, September 10, 1928.

RE: BEET HARVESTER

Mr. Rudolf Beyer, Treasurer,
The National Seed Company,
120 Broadway,
New York, N. Y.

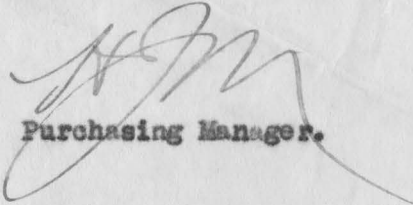
Dear Sir:

We are interested to know just what is being done in Germany at the present time in regard to the use of mechanical beet harvesters and if it not asking too much we are wondering if you could obtain from your principals information as to just what harvester is being used there now and with what success.

Thanking you in advance for whatever information you may be able to furnish us, we are

Very truly yours,

Henry J. Miller.
HJM:Z.


Purchasing Manager.

cc: Mr. N. R. McCreery, District Manager.
Mr. C. V. Maddux, Labor Commissioner.

June 29, 1928

Mr. Earl Moore, Agricultural Manager,
The American Beet Sugar Co.,
Mason City, Ia.

Dear *Mr Moore*

I want to make as full inquiry as I can about experiences had in harvesting beets mechanically and will especially appreciate any such information that you may be in position to furnish. Be assured that we stand ready to reciprocate on request.

Several years ago, the Greyhound Harvester made in Ohio was tested here. We found that as it operated, it practically destroyed the feeding value of the tops and also delivered an excessive number of clods into the pile of topped beets and for those two reasons, it was not considered suitable for our requirements.

In particular, I want to inquire about a topper concerning which we have had correspondence with The Horton Manufacturing Company at Minneapolis. I am thinking that you or your Chaska Agricultural Superintendent may have personal knowledge of the efficiency of this machine.

Thanking you in advance for any favors you can confer in this connection, I remain

Very truly yours,

C. V. Maddux

Labor Commissioner.

September 22, 1928

Mr. O. O. Price,
Lead (Box 598)
Colorado

Dear Sir:

Your letter of September 9, to Mr. Morrison has been referred to me, and I wish to advise that we are indirectly interested in beet harvesting machinery and would be glad to see your model if you would bring it in; however I will be away all next week so you had better write and arrange a definite date to show the machine.

If you should bring the machine in and find the writer out, it could be shown to our Mr. Maddux.

Yours very truly

Cec. W. Rienks
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GEO. W. RIENKS
Supervising Engineer

cc - Mr. Maddux 