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Letter from T. A. Northcut to B. R. Colson

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For this writer I would not expect to make more than one to three acres of wheat if everything should prove favorable, but I would want a good sized farm I think. Am not able just now to buy or all I have is invested here in farm and timber and coal lands.
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I will appreciate anything you may be able to do in my behalf.

If it don't warm up considerably I will have to start South next week. I would be glad if I can rent a room with two beds reasonable for the day for my family, while I look around some. I like rooms where the children can have a yard to play in if it could be convenient.

Don't go to any extra trouble anyway I rather think I will have to go further South but thought by coming early next fall all might do well at your place. Yours in The faith,

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