

Longmont, Colorado, July 14, 1949

Mr. Paul Friggens, Associate Editor
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1341 First Avenue
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Dear Paul:

I am glad to know that your Editor-in-chief, Wheeler McMillen, is coming to Colorado, and we are especially interested in his expressed interest in seeing some of the sugar beet country. I am sending a copy of this letter to our Great Western Editor, T. H. Ferril, and to Manager P. B. Smith of the Beet Sugar Development Foundation in the hope that we might all of us get together on some day while Mr. McMillen is here during his ten-day visit, August 5-14, for a trip through at least some of the sugar beet growing areas in northern Colorado.

I would be very happy to go further than that, taking in also western Nebraska if you would care to spend more than one day on such a trip. We will be able to visit some of our experimental work, including variety tests, and we might stop at Ft. Collins for a visit with the men there, including Mr. J. O. Gaskill and Mr. G. W. Deming, who represent the U.S.D.A. in sugar beet work.

If you are making up an itinerary for Mr. McMillen's visit here, perhaps you would let us know what day or days would be most likely to fit in with your plans, and I will be glad to see if these other men can join us for that tour.

Very truly yours,



Director of Experiment Station

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cc: Mr. T. H. Ferril _____
Mr. P. B. Smith