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## Letter from Representative Burdick to Mrs. Albert N. Winge Regarding Non-Payment of Land Rentals to County, January 24, 1951

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January 24, 1951

Mrs. Albert N. Winge  
Van Hook, North Dakota

Dear Mrs. Winge:

This will acknowledge your letter of January 18, with reference to the rent money from land for the Garrison Dam project which has not been turned over to the counties, thus causing a precarious situation in regard to your schools.

I took this matter up with the Department of Interior and they told me you could get information from the regional bureau at Billings, Montana, as the Garrison Dam area is under their jurisdiction locally. If you will write to them at the following address, they should be able to clarify the matter for you and give you the information you seek:

Bureau of Reclamation  
Region 6  
P. O. Box 2130  
Billings, Montana

As to the drafting of essential farm workers, I am opposed to this, as it is just as necessary to produce food as it is to go into battle.

I note that your son Ralph will be in the party of Farmers Union people, who will meet here in my office next Tuesday. I shall be glad to talk with him about the Garrison Dam situation, as you outline it.

For your information as to the stand I am taking on some of the vital questions of the day, I am enclosing copies of one of my Statements, a news release and a talk I made on the floor of the House.

If I can be of assistance at any time, please do not hesitate to write me, for I'm always glad to help you people "back home."

Mrs. Albert W. Winge

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The more letters I get from you folks out there, the easier it is to do a good job of representing your interests down here.

Very truly yours,

Usher L. Burdick, m.c.