

Letter to Bob Andresen, March 1986.

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Dear Friends Hils - Hello - Hils

I dag fikk jeg en Brev fra Norge
Today I got a letter from Norway

I guess it relates to what we've heard
or of what you mentioned by phone
It tells of all the places they are to visit
Recordings etc. I'll ship from beginning
to Mon April 14 & 15 with LeRoy Hanson
and then April 16 with Allan Kagan
April 17th Recording with the Minnesota -
Scandinavian Enscab. Ensemble & Viola Lee
and that's our day there too but not
mentioned. Next shipping April May 3rd
up to Duluth - woof up to Moose Lake
then to Duluth Record with
Thorvald & Trude Bob Andresen
Nail M. Nordson & various shots of town
Sunday Day off. Sunday May 5th to Eau Claire
May 6th Drive with Bob Andresen to
Ricard with Fiedler Leonard Trinstad
Unseen. Shots Ext/int what ever

that means

over

May 7th next at Blair with the Bloms
and Phil Martin also of Rudy Jackson
and Selma Halvorsen - (I wonder am
this one) Then going on to Decatur Ave

April 20th with Truman Sorenson
and Harold Sorenson & Gunda Sorenson

It mentions Bell Skubbaune
Archie Tegen, Helicopter Skate of
Truman and lots of others

Maybe you have this same letter?

I wonder what tunes I should
practice on, some of the Gudbrandsdalen
ones. Schottisches & Waltzes looking back

I suppose INT means intermission

I play a Waltze of Orville Rundhaug.
^{the} ~~time~~ the tune was 1st played by
Selma Halvorsen as I've heard

Rundhaug was a gentle fiddler

It was in a suite up in the Sound Post
So the Rundhaug waltze had gotten
up to the Blair area. I imagine

To all

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Well we've had lots of good weather now & then. I now can get into the wood to cut wood about got $\frac{1}{3}$ of next years supply. I have to hurry up on this as I've got some field work to do, put in oats grass seedling and 1st plow. My knee gives me problems now again so it gets harder to do the work. Well, since good news the Neighbor is paying me off the money I borrowed him for the land etc. glad to get that settled as he had 6 years left to pay on it \$12,000. Say should I take the LTD up to Hudson when I meet you? or could we get by in the Pickup. From Hudson we'll take the LTD or the Pickup. I imagine the Pickup is the most trustworthy but the Car Runs good too. We'd have more freedom in the car. I know of a person who lives in Hudson where your car or Van could be left, but I don't know where he lives

Maybe you could let me know if there is anything you friend
How about if we could meet in Hudson
at the 1 cafeteria on the main st,
on the right hand side as we drive North:

but I can find that out he is
an Uncle of my wife's Nephew

I see the price of gas is 79.9 for regular gas
It true the pickup is easy on gas but
we'd have more room ^{in the car} if my left eye lids
is getting better. - I have to use

"Johnson's Baby Lotion" I noticed a
couple weeks ago that Norland Olson died
He is the one who mentioned that he was
to play on T.V. the Whitehall Cable T.V.

I'm on a 40" with Stanley Lardahl and
30" with Evelyn Olsen & Ra'enne Lardahl
Evelyn's son Everett is paying for place
at his home - where he was born but
he is in debt quite heavy and they both
two drink - his wife too. He was recently arrested
for \$992.00 drunken driving 2nd time. I
wonder if its going to go there Evelyn
seems a bit different. I forgot to tell you
I got 15 tops from her quite a bit of my
playing & others jantins etc I get haven't went
through them. up to the tops