Beeton Station, Quebec February 9, 1934 Honourable R. B. Bennett Ottawa

Dear Sir

Please forgive me for asking you for help. Since I have not been able to get anything from the council after several requests I thought of contacting you, maybe you won't say no. I worked for you a few years ago and I will work again in the future. I have been sick for the past 5 years, 4 years ago, I spent 6 months in the hospital and since then I've always done what I could to give my family what they need today I can't do anything at all. I need to go back to the hospital right away, the doctor told me that I can't live much longer without care. I have 6 young children, I'm 42 years old I don't have money, we don't have any more food, no clothing all we are — think about it my dear Mr. R.B. Bennett a cold winter like we're having. The children complain because they're hungry and cold I can't give them what they ask for to tell the truth it's very sad —

I hope my letter will be considered and to receive a reply soon

Respectfully

Arsene Gaudet