



Faribault State School and Hospital.
Superintendent.
Correspondence.

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NOTE AND REPLY.

March?

[1898?]

Golden Gate Brown Co

Mr. Rogers Dear Sir;

I suppose you are wondering why I did not answer your letter but I only received it the 27 of Feb. as we had changed our Post office address some time ago.

The Childs mother left and took the money she was intending to send him to school with and I will go to the County seat and see if they will sign those bonds we are unable to do it now his mother has gone and took the money and as soon as I find out what the County will do I will let you know I am anxious the Child should be sent to school as he grows worse instead of better, and if we were able to send him we would not hesitate a moment to send him right away for it is time he was learning some thing if he can be taught any thing which I think he can with careful training.

How much clothing is it necessary for him to take
along with him I should like to know for I
may have to make him some new clothes
I am very thankful to you for trying to
help those that can't help their selves.

I have done the best I can by the child and
I tried hard to teach him I have had more patients
with him than his own mother had when she
was with him but I know that he would
improve faster if he had those that are more
used to training children to teach him he
seems to want to learn but has no memory
about some things, any bad word he hears he seems to remember

please let me know what he is to take along
with him and I will get it ready if I have
not already. I remain as ever yours,

Mrs C. Danielson

(Brown co) Golden Gate

Minn.

1898
Northfield Jan 13

Dr Rogers

Dear Sir I recd=
your letter of the tenth I am glad
the children can be taken will
you kindly Direct my letters
in care of Mrs Jennie
Hoffman Box 692, as I have
trouble getting my letters. I remain
yours Respectfully Francis M.
Phillips.

**** COUNTY ****
SURVEYOR'S OFFICE,
Yellow Medicine County.
JOHN NORGAARD, SURVEYOR.

Note reply

Granite Falls, Minn., Jan 19 1899

Institute of Feeble Minded.

Farmbault Minn.

Gentlemen! I got a seven year old boy as I would like to place in your Institute.

Please give me some information about the application, and about what time I could give the child in your Institute. She can talk some and understand about everything we are having in Norway.

Your Truly
John Norgaard

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IMPORTERS AND MANUFACTURERS OF FERTILIZERS,
1326 AND 1328 CARY STREET,

A. R. ELLERSON,
Managing Director.

RICHMOND, VIRGINIA. Jan 22, 1898

DR. A. C. ROGERS, Supt.,
Faribault, Minn.

My Dear Sir:-

I thank you very much for your kind letter of the 17th. It was certainly very kind and thoughtful in you to write and I assure you I appreciate it very much. My brother who is now about 18 years of age is at a school kept by Dr. Saml. J. Fort, Ellicott City, Md. where he has been for three years. Dr. Fort thinks there is no hope of effecting any radical improvement in his case, though he thinks he may be able to teach him to read and write. My brother can now write from copy. He tells his teacher what he wants to write us and she makes the copy and he follows it. He can read better than he can write.

He says he has no trouble in reading my letters to him when written on the typewriter. My brother was paralyzed when a child of about five or six years old. The paralysis was an effect of either scarlet fever or diphtheria, and for years he has very little use of his hands. Our family physician says that the brain was partially paralyzed. He has an excellent memory and is a very affectionate child. In some respects he is very bright, but he has the greatest difficulty in learning anything, either a lesson or something about the house, as for instance to black his shoes, tie his cravats &c. &c. As before stated Dr. Fort thinks that he has reached his limit and that he has taught my brother all that he can learn. If you know of any place where you think my brother could learn better than where he is now, I would appreciate it very much.

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A. R. ELLERSON,

Managing Director.

Again thanking you for your kindness and courtesy in this matter, I am,

Very sincerely,

William B. Watkins
401 E. Grace St.
Richmond, Virginia.

Stony Brook, Minn.

Jan. 27, 1898.

Hon. F. B. Colerment,

Faribault, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I have a child
nine years of age, who lost
his mind when nine months
old, as a result of the grip.
He learned to walk about a
year ago, and seems to be
learning to speak a few
words. I should like to
send him to your school
if possible, but have not the
means. I applied to our
county attorney and he
referred me to you. Will you
let me know how I can send

the child, and send me the
papers to be filled out:

yours respectfully,

C. M. Osterlund.

Pegua

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Board of Charities and Corrections.

Minneapolis, Minn., Feb. 2nd 1898

Dr. Rogers

Dear Friend

The relatives of Gustave Haack living
at 3036. Lulling av S. are very anxious
to know when he can be admitted
Very Respectfully
Thine

Phil H. McMillan

337 E 16th St Minneapolis



Mr. Rogers -

Super. State Institution for
Feeble Minded Children
Fracasault.

Thine -

Dear Sir -

I thank you for your
kind interest in our
son - as yet we have
not formed any decided
plan as to his future.
We are spending this
winter near Chicago and
have him with us - and

He is taking lessons in
Manual Training.

I have had a very
liberal offer from Dr
Brown of Bang, Meas.
and may conclude to
send him there for a
few years.

There is still a possibility
that in the course of
time, we may deed the
Minnesota property to some
private institution for his
benefit - In that case
I should be very glad
of your interest and
assistance in funding

a suitable party -

Very Respectfully yours

Selma Byers,
by the V.

Waukegan, Ill.

February third.

Twenty-eight.

West Duluth Minn Feb 3rd 1888

A. C. Rogers, M.D.
Faribault, Minn.

Dear Sir

I have a stepson who is feeble minded. He is about 17 years old, goes to school, and is advanced to be able to do problems in the simple rules of arithmetic. Is proficient in music. He however does very strange acts for which he has no reason. For instance a short time since he went into neighbors house, - with whom he is very friendly - when they were away from home, and took the pillows from a bed and burned them in a

stove, and carried away some of the ladies wearing apparel. He has taken some other ladies dresses from clothes lines in the neighborhood. We feel that he should be put under further restraint than we are able to have over him.

Judge Ayers gave me your address and advised me to write you in regard to the matter. Please send me the rules, and terms, of the Institute of Defectives for admittance to its benefits.

Respectfully yours
C S Weaver.

Box 247 West Duluth, Minn.

~~Not answered~~

From Roy Stewart Mite

No. 1.

The Superior Azusa, California.
dent of Table - February 6, 1898.
Minded School of Faribault
Minnesota, Rice County.
Dear Sir: - My Father wrote
you as much as about one year
ago trying to find out what
he could about your school.
You sent ~~you~~ him a couple
of circulars and a circular
to fill out and have the
doctor fill out. They both
did so and sent it too
you and you sent him also
a letter telling him of how
long it would be, before I
could be admitted into
the school. My father's name
is at follows on other side.

Mr. E. D. White of #3406
Pleasant ave. s. Minneapo-
lis ~~Minnesota~~ Wash. Co.

My name is his son.

Roy S. White of said
Place. I am in Azusa
Los Angeles Co. Calif.
I am with my grandpar-
ents now, working for them.
My father and step mother
are living in the same place
in Minneapolis ~~Minnesota~~
I came out here just three
3 weeks ago last night
1/17/38. I expect to remain
here for one year or more.
The reason my Father
wrote to you and tried
to get me in there is be-
cause I am in the hab-
it of abusing my self by
self abuse. And I write to
you to Please put me
on the 2

To Mr. Perkins
Agent of
The Relief
Committee
behalf of
Discouraged
Rice Growers
Shreve
Port Louis
East of the
of Texas
and Texas
Co. and
up a prescription for
me or send me certain names of
things to get in the drug store
something that will cure me
of this bad habit. I am at
the age of 21 yrs. 5 mons 12
days. If you will please do
as I ask of you I will send
you what the bill is for
your trouble. I can't stop
it of my own free will
as I have tried to and I
can't. But I have got well
enough to send you
this letter asking you for
information on it. And
I also do this thinking
that as far as I am from
you, you will send

me this rather than to see
or hear of my going to dis-
struction not only my
father but others have
talked to me about it, ^{and}
I have tried time and time
again to stop, but it
will over come me. Now
if you will please send
me information telling me
what to do for it I will
promise you that I will
take it and when I am
getting better I will write
and tell you of it, and
will also tell you when
I get better or worse. Ple-
ase answer as soon as
get this as I am anxious
of getting over it. Well as
I think here said enough
I will close Hoping to hear
from you soon. on ^{what our} this page

Note

Minneapolis Minn

2/9th 1898

Mr A C Rogers

Faribault

Dear Sir Yours of the 7th at hand and contents fully noted. In acknowledging the receipt of the same I am very happy, so say that our boy has improved so much in the past year that, have sent him to Califonia with his Grandparent who have an Orange Ranch. There he can be of help to them and also to himself. Should

anything happen to him so
that should be compelled to
place him with you or in
any other state institution
will write you.

Respectfully Yours

E. D. White -

3406 Pleasant Ave
Minneapolis

Minneapolis, Minn.,
Feb 10, 1898.

Dr. A. S. Rogers,
Faribault, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

I have received
your letter of 7th Inst. and should
be very glad to send my son
Bernhard to your school; but
circumstances make it hard
for me to raise the money
necessary, just at the present,
owing to the fact that I have
been sick for some time.

I will therefore ^{ask} whether it
is possible for you to have
a place for Bernhard at
the beginning of next school-

year. If this could be done
it would be much more
convenient for me. If you
cannot do this, I will try
to raise the money through
some means.

Very respectfully
P. Olsen,
823-21st Ave. So.
Minneapolis

P.S. - My former address was
1616-17th Ave. So.

Wm. Von Kuster,

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Litchfield, Minn., Feb 12 1898

A. C. Rogers Esq.
Faribault

Dear Sir

I answer to your letter of the 9 inst enclosing
bond, would say that we will bring our little
boy down March 7th as you instruct.
we have been sending him to school here, and he
is getting so that he will pronounce some words.
every thing else but talking he learns quite
readily. and are taught that after you have
seen him you could locate the trouble and
that perhaps some short treatment would bring
him around all right, he will probably learn
to talk under proper treatment, our doctor thought
that the trouble was with the vocal chords.
Kindly advise me what will be necessary
to bring with him, I should judge from reading
the bond that you prefer to furnish clothes,
Very Respectfully

Wm Von Kuster

Bring two good
changes in pants
as usual for school.

Combs Minn

Feb 14th 98

Minnesota School for Deaf Minneceer

Fairbault Minn

Dear Sirs Yours of the 9th received
& contents noted. I am in reply will say
that we much rather keep William now
untill November if you could be sure to
take him at that time but if not -
I will send him by the 1st of March
I would also like to know if the \$30
I am to pay as addmission pays his fare
down there or if I have to pay that extra
hoping you will answer at your earliest
opportunity

I Remain Yours Resptly
James Kanarr
Combs
Minn

Feb. 13/78

To A.C. Rogers
Belle plaine

Dear Sir

Your Letter of 9th inst Came to hand in due time I was in Skokholm yesterday Got the Certificate of Indigency filled out by the Judge of Probate I am sending you the same I expect to be on hand the 2nd or 3rd of March if I can prevail on the Boy to go if I cannot I will let you know in due time

Very Respectfully
Jm Meade

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West DULUTH, MINN., Feb 17th 1898.

Dr A C Rogers, Supt.,
Faribault, Minn.

DEAR SIR:

Yours of the 14th acknowledging the receipt of the application for the admission of Fredrick Wiggins to the School for Feeble Minded is at hand. I will say that at any time I will be able to deposit the \$40., and bond required. Is the first transportation of the applicant deducted from the \$40.? How do you expect to get the room? How long a time will it probably be before you can receive this applicant?

Respectfully yours
C S Weaver,

West Duluth,
Minn.

Minneapolis. Minn.
Feb 19th 1898.

Dr. A. C. Rogers.

Dear Sir,

I should have called on
you to day. but the little
girl was taken with a hard
cold. Wednesday. and I was
afraid to take her out.

"I shall have to rely on your
kindness, to allow us to remain
with you until time for us
to return. you will understand
the case when I see you.

I will be down on Wednesday
the 23rd. or if I am detained.
I will telegraph you. if you
can not be at Home on
that day. write me. and

if Friday will be more to
your convenience. I will be
down that day.

Very Truly.

Mrs F. A. Miller.

723. 8th Ave. So.

Minneapolis.

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FEB 189 1898

Dated _____ Minneapolis Minn 24 _____

To _____ A.C. Rogers. _____

Mrs Miller was called east very sudden took the Child with her.

F.A. Miller.

Hayward March 2nd 1898

A. C. Rogers. M.D.

Frankbault Minn

Dear Sir,

I have got these blanks for
Application for my sister to the
home for the feeble minded.

Filled out as near right and the best I can.
as mother & father are both dead.

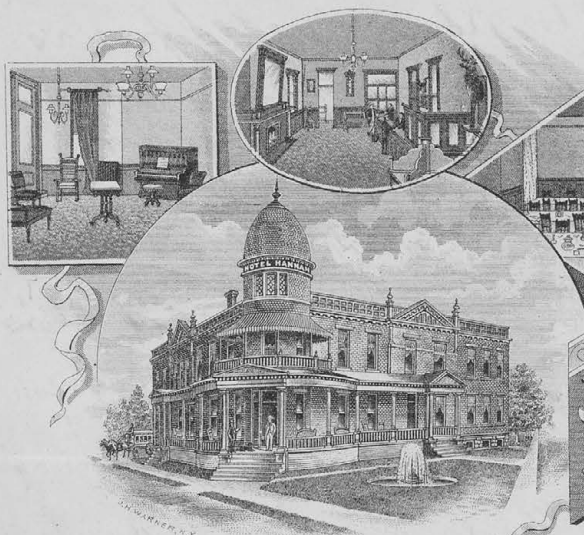
I sent her to the Insane Hospital at
Rochester three years ago. And they sent
her home last fall. They said she was only
feeble minded and they could not keep
her there. If these Blanks are all right
I wish you would make room and receive
her as soon as you can.

Yours Very respectfully,

E. A. Campbell

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F.M. MILLIKEN, MANAGER.
THEO. J. BACH.

Sebewaing, Mich. March 2nd 1898

Dr Rogers Esq.
Faubault Minn,

Dear Sir: Your valued favor just recieved
and will write you now fully this time, I feel that
I am as much of a citizen of Minn as ever
as I never have made my home here or
any where else since leaving Minnesota
my family are now staying in Port Huron this
state, they have been there three months, I
have been all over especially in this county
where I was raised visiting friends and
doing business, we are not settled nor have
we been only camping as it were, My
relatives live in this State and so we came

to visit and settle up some affairs
of my Father's Estate, ^{and} on account of
sickness ^{and} other causes we have been
detained here, But I am going to settle
down again ^{and} want to locate in Minneapolis
for good ^{and} as Eddie done so well with you
I am awful anxious he should return, as he
is growing so large, ^{and} is a great care to
his mother who has the three others to look after

If you can help me Dr. Dely
be very thankful ^{and} do what's right in the
matter, I will be in this town until the
12 or 15th please let me hear from you again
and consider me as a citizen of that
state away visiting which is the truth

Yours Resp^t

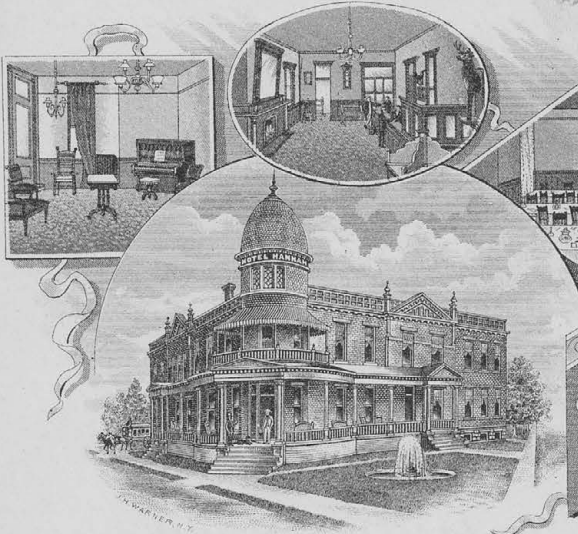
C. G. Cole

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F.M. MILLIKEN, MANAGER.
THEO. J. BACH.

Sebewaing, Mich. *Mar 3rd* 189*8*

Dr A. C. Rogers
Fairbault Minn.

Dear Sir: your valued favor of the 26th at hand ^{and} thankful to you for so prompt reply. But I consider I am as much of a citizen of Minnesota as ever as I have not located in this country since leaving Minn, but as I stated before have stayed longer than I first expected to, but have not been settled any where, My family are now in Port Huron this state I have relatives there, My wife has been there 3 months, before that we were at Cross Detroit Bad Axe and Port Austin, visiting, and I have been

busy settling up old matters this having
formerly been my home before going west
a number of years ago, I hope you can
reconsider this and see your way clear to
let me bring Eddie back as I have not
been settled since leaving Minn., and want
to get to living once more, I have been
in this town two months will leave here
about the 15th and would like to reach
Uxels about April 1st to 15th

Please let me hear from you
again and if you can see your way clear
to help me in this matter I will be very
much obliged, Thanking you for many
past favors. Love Yours Resp

C. S. Cole

DeWain
Uxels

Doner Del.

March. 7th 1898

Dr. A. C. Rogers.

Harisault. N.M.

Dear Sir.

My Husband. forwarded me
your message of the 24. I was called
here on the morning of the 21st. the
date I was to see you, and since I
came here. I have decided that I shall
not keep the child. but. should I do so
I shall bring her to see you. Thanking
you for the trouble my letters have
caused you. I beg to remain

Yours most truly.

Mrs. A. A. Miller.

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F.M. MILLIKEN, MANAGER.
THEO. J. BACH.

Sebewaing, Mich. Jul 21st 1898

Dr Rogers
Fairbault Minn,

Dear Sir: You will remember me as the
father of Eddie Cole of Minneapolis, who
was in your institution a couple of years ago.
He came to Michigan for a visit and on ac-
count sickness were unable to return
as soon as we expected to, and I am go-
ing back to N.Y. about April 1st.
Write you to see if you could possibly take
Eddie back when I get there as I will be
alone for a month or more till I can get
settled when Mrs C will join me. please let
me hear from you soon, Yours Very Resp
E. S. Cole

MAR 9 1898

LOOK UP AND REPORT

Lawville Minn

March 9 1898

Dr. A. C. Rogers

Dear Sir

Having now fulfilled the requirement of the statute by a year's residence in the state and having understood that to be the occasion requiring delay I am now writing of our intention to take advantage of the purposes of your institution for our patient, Gineford D. Lawrence is my brother of whom I wrote and I hope to introduce him to you on Monday or Tuesday next.

I conclude by reference to the map that your city is reached from this point
via

Owatonna and if we make connections we may arrive on Monday although I have not succeeded in getting positive information. I shall come with the expectation of complying with the conditions set forth in former correspondence and expect also that our patient will be found one of your least troublesome among the deficient in intellectual development.

Presuming that I have received all necessary instructions we may not wait for reply to this but in case of necessity please address me at Hadley as that is where we embark by train.

Yours truly

A. W. Lawrence

MAR 9 1898

Embarrassed

Redwood Falls Minn Mar 10th 1898

Dr. Rogers Esq
Fairbault Minn

Dear Sir,

I have a little boy past eight years old. he is deaf. Cause by scarlet fever I believe before born. his mother was confined to bed with scarlet fever. when about two months advanced. The child is bright and active in all particular beside of good nature and jolly.

He can say a good many things, such as pig. sport. dog. papa. Maamma. and the names of his Brothers & Sisters. he can also. speak quit many letters of the alphabet.

Please write me ~~as to~~ ^{the} terms in the near future. for I think it time to start him for schooling. When does your term of school Commence in the spring. please. he is german born.

Yours Truly
August H. Suebeck

C G Black 207 Mcollit Ave
Aberdeen S. D.

3/13 - 98

Ltrs for Epileptics &c.

Larabault Minn.

Have heard of your institution and as I have a son who has something, we think Epilepsy I thought I would like to learn more of the institution. Have you descriptive Catalogues Testimonials &c as most such places have? Is there any way that a young man of 23 yrs could earn anything while being treated. He is now in the grocery business and his attacks are not frequent - nor is his mind ^{impaired} so that he cannot attend to business most of the time, but we fear that if he has not attention he

may grow worse. During the
month of Feb. he was the worst-
he ever has been.

Please ans.

Very Sincerely,

C. G. Black

Verdon S. Dak March 13 1898
~~Verdon S. Dak~~

A. C. Rogers

Supretendant School for
Feeble Minded. Faribault.

Dear Sir... I wish to find out
if we can send our boy
back to school from here.
we sent him for 2 years
from Ostrander Fillmore Co
Minn.. and would like very
much to send him now. he
would learn more I think
than when there before. the name
of the boy is James William (we
usaly call him Willia) Lewis
please let me know at
your earliest convenience
yours Resp

W. Lewis
Verdon Brown Co
South Dakota

MAR 23 1898
NOTE AND REPLY.

Fairmont-
Monticello
23. 3. 98.

Dear Lu

I have a wee
girl whom I would
like to get into your
home for a little
while as she is not
quite right.

The Doctor here
says he thinks
that under your

Doctoring & Nursing she
would most-likely get-
well, any way you could
help her lots.

She is only $3\frac{1}{2}$ years old
is strong but far from
healthy, & is my only
ever girl, & her poor
father died but 4 months
ago, so I'm alone & do
the best-for her, though
it-breaks my heart to
part-with her now.

When do you think you would have
a room for her, I do so hope soon
as I dread the winter weather so
much for her. Please work & let
the doctor & Dr. & have to do &
let her in, please send me a blank
2-fill in, as I believe I have to
answer questions you have sent.

we sit from here
belonging to a friend
of mine. Hoping to hear
from you very soon

Yours sincerely

M^{rs} A. M. Clay.

Verdon S. Dak.

March 24/92

A. C. Rogers
Faribault

Dear Sir. yours of Mar 1st
at hand. I am very
sorry to see that we can't
send our boy back..
is there not some way
that I could send him..
suppose ~~the~~ Boy's Grand-
Father or Uncle living
at Ostrander should make
application for him to come
to your School would
it not be all right.. I am
not able to pay his tuition
at a private School

in regard to the bal..
to my credit if there
is no way to get the
boy back to school
please send it here to
my address..

yours Resp.

N. L. Lewis
Verdon. Brown Co.
South Dak.

New Richland May 1st 1899
Dr A.C. Rogers

Dear Sir

your favor of 28 ult received
will bring Herman Hangan
to your institution on May
10th and be prepared to comply
with requirements of said school

Yours Respectfully

Henry H. Hangan

NOTE AND REPLY.

Edgar has had an
awful quiet - might
bring him about now, in
if doctors want to be
contrary -
ack.

Golden Gate Mine

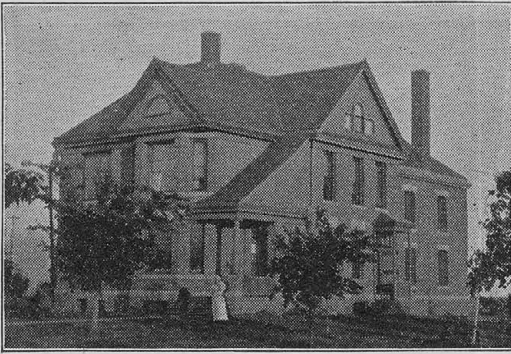
May 2nd 1898

Dr. Rogers Dear Sir:

I thank you for your prompt
reply to my poorly written letter as they had no
good pen and no blotter in where I did my writing
I was in a hurry to send it of on that train.

if you think there is any danger of Edgar taking
the Disease I will willingly keep him a while
longer for the poor boy has had sickness enough
in his short life but he has had the Measels
when he was 7 years the old and I did not
know they would take them twice the
people where he was at that time feared this
saw for fear he would be left deaf with the
measels, we will take this paper over to the
County Cemetery and see what he says
about it he said he could not go if he

could not take him this week but if he
cannot go perhaps they will let us take him
and if you will kindly let us know
when all danger is over and on what day
to bring him please let us know a week
before the date you set for our fast of ice
is in the country and the male only comes
in three times a week we dont always get
it every time it comes in very truly your
sister Mrs. L. B. Danielson



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OFFICE OF

Board of County Commissioners, PIPESTONE COUNTY.

WM. DOMS, 3rd District.

Woodstock, Minn. May 4th 1898

Sept. of Foolish minded.
Haribault Minn.

Dear Sir:- My

wife & father are both dead, and they
left me a Foolish minded girl 6 year of age
Will you please kindly let me know what the
charges are for such a child.

Now this girl is in Dakota was born there and lives
there but her father and mother are dead.

Would there be extra charges? if there how much
and when she could be put in your school
Hoping to hear from you soon

Yours Truly Wm Doms

Wm Doms

Minneapolis, 5/19/98

Dr. A. C. Rogers.

Fairbault, Minn

Dear Sir,

The necessity of securing
my thirteen year old daughter (who
is mentally deficient) to some
institution, in the hope of bettering
her condition, has been in my
mind for some time. In talking
with various people, the school of
which you are in charge has been

highly recommended. I understand
the first step is to fill out an application
blank, which blank you will kindly
send me, also any Catalogue or
printed matter relative to the school.
Trusting you will give this matter
your earliest attention.

I am

Respectfully Yours,

Mrs. Sam Daly.

Address — 501 Main St. N. E.
Minneapolis,
Minn.

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ST. PAUL, MINN., May, 27th, 1898. 189---

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School case

Dr. A.C. Rogers,
Sup't. Minn. School for the Feeble Minded,
Faribault, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Since receiving your letter, under date of October, 6th, 1897., I have heard nothing more from you, thinking probably that the application for admission of my daughter, Levina May Ludford may had been over-looked, I thought it my duty to recall it to mind. I would say for your information, that my daughter while her hearing and speech is not improved much to speak of since you saw her, yet she has taken a great liking to school and goes every after-noon with her younger sister to the VanBuren school, where the teacher gives her light exercises and teaches her to write, print, draw, etc. On account of her ambition for school, I feel especially desirous of getting her into a training school as early as possible. Trusting that I may hear from you in the near future, I remain,

Yours respectfully,

Geo Ludford
659 East 4th Street.

Royalton, Minn.

May 29 - '98 -

Dr. A. C. Rogers,

Dear Sir: -

Your letter

saying you fully expected to be at home June

3rd received - If you

find you will not be
at home on that date

will you not let us
know? - ^{give us a day when you will be} Very truly
_{at home -}

Amanda D. Sanborn

OFFICE OF
DR. A. H. DUNLOP,
McKINNON BLOCK.

Crookston, Minn., June 1st 1898

A. C. Rogers, M. D.
Lacibault, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

In answer to your letter of Apr. 25th to Mr. J. J. Woodstrom concerning his son, would say that he does not think he is able at the present time to send his son to your institution for feeble minded. but will do so as soon as he feels that he can afford to, which will be some time the first of next year.

Yours Respectfully,
Dr Dunlop.

Don't mind
and me & can
admit her
as me-
des.

St Louis Min June 20th 1898,

Dr A. C. Rogers.

Fairbault

Dear Sir.

My wife wrote
you quite recently in reference to
the child who is named in enclosed
application. We ~~are~~ said to you
before hearing from you direct.

Judge Rollins of the Supreme
Court advised us to send the
child to you - as do others, and
Hon W. H. Mott writes me that
the building for Epileptics is completed.
She is too bright and intelligent to be
housed with the majority of the inmates
of your institution. We think the sooner

She can be under your care the
better chance there will be for
a cure.

There is money enough
to pay all required expenses, &
something for her if she becomes
able to go, with out the
need for herself.

Yours
J. E. West

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~~Send blank~~
~~send no answer~~
~~etc.~~

St. Louis, Mo.

June 22nd. 1898.

Dear Sirs.

You will please

excuse my seeming intrusion
on your time.

I wish to tell you I
have a Son 14 Years old.
Who has Epilepsy & Fits.

He has warning a short
time before he is entirely

seized. Warning in form
of jerking of the muscles.

Has for 100. three days
after he has had one.

He doesn't seem him
self. But naturally he
is a very smart boy.
For his age.

He was recommended to
 you by your friend and
 neighbor Judge Greenborn
 to make application to you
 for his admittance in
 your State School at
 Fairbault. Minnesota.
 as your means are very
 slender. please let me
 know soon as possible
 what the expenses will
 be for his fare & preparation
 to go there.

If we are to furnish
 his clothing what will
 it cost a year.

We have never been able
 to keep him in School
 a month for he cant.

Stand. class. confinement.
 and for that reason.
 he cant read or write.
 he has fits once a week
 and some times twice a
 week. Our family doctor.
 R. T. Whannan. We have
 had to call too times
 lately. the first time he
 had to wait over him
 4. hours before he could
 bring him out of it.
 and he also says the
 sooner we get him under
 proper treatment the
 better for he may die
 in one or less his
 mind altogether.
 and as I am anxious

to do all in our power
to restore him to perfect
health I will request a
early reply by return
mail if possible. If he
can be admitted in your
Institution.

We remain. Very
Truly.

Mr. & Mrs. J. N. Westbury
Pine City.
Pine Co.
Bot. 46. Minn.

Look up:

New Ulm, Minn., June 27/98.

Dear Sir:

About 2 weeks I called at your School, to inquire about my sons entrance, an application for whom was filed in your office Feb. 28.

I would now like to inquire whether it is possible to send him there at once ~~to~~ the farm.

When I called, the gentleman in charge said that ~~that~~ would perhaps be possible.

Very Respectfully
Chas. Wagner
gw.

Autopsy
7/10
Sammont
Hartini Co
Heine

28.6.98.

Dr A. C. Rogers.

Dear Sir

I will bring my
swee girl to the school
on the date you said
in your letter of the 25th
the 13th July. I enclose
the blank you sent

She signed to Judge Pratt
I want to know if I may
bring her swiveling chair
She is so fond of it
& it would help to make
her less lame sick &
when she is ill she is
so fond of swiveling
it, it makes taking care
of her so much easier
Please let me know
if I may bring it also

so then my mother or brother of
clothes I have to bring. In back-

down down

A. M. May.

note

Concord June 28-98

A. C. Rogers.

Vanbunt.

Min

Dear Sir

In reply to your favor
of the 24th (which is just at hand) would
say that my brother is away from home
at present, but will be back in two or three
days. and we will attend to the matter
at once. The delay in returning the
Certificate of Indigence is unavoidable
on my part. We can have her ready
by the 12th of next month.

Yours Truly
M^{rs}. Maria S. Chase

My letter might
unless on can answer
with some answer
all

Paris the 28th 1898

Dr Rodgers
your letter and application
received a few days ago but
owing to my being sick at the
time I could not answer sooner
as I had to go to the Probate
myself will say that you have
my kindest thanks for accepting
Bessie to the school as I
feel a deep interest in her
having a home she is a very
kindhearted girl and desire is
to do all I can to help her
but I have everything to do at home
for my family I do not have
the time to do part as I wish
so I would like for you to
answer this and let me know
the best way I can send her
and if you think some one will
help to accompany her
yours sincerely

Mrs M J Squires
78, South Park St - St Paul
Maine

Lakefield. Minn.
June 29, 1898,

Dr A. C. Rogers, Esq.
I have bin to Jackson yesterday
but the judge did not sin the
blank because he was im taxed
to high, the value things bid
tax he was, (but ther is a number
ove big bogs her the run the
town and have lots it persif
tings fixed around town that
is what makes tings so high
taxed & I have three lots her only
and an old bulding the say
it is not wirt \$50 Dollars and
I have to have a place to live
i bin trying to sell are lot wce
the ~~bulding is not~~ bulding is
on the others to lots but cant
because the worst buy wil
the tax is so high here the

Say the wont have it to
pay tax on, in in clath
\$300 Dallars on notes the fuge
Sad if these notes wer a
Morgige he could sine it
but I wont to bring my
little girl any how because
I cant em a living for the
rast if I have to take care of
hir il bring hir the 11. July.
start her at 3 P m I can
gat enough borod to pay the
fair and il furnitch her all
the clothes she needs will
I have to pay any money
beicles or not I cant hardly
gat any money but in a
Dress maker and can make
hir clothes out runments so
it wont cost so mutch as
if the clotes was bought
I buy all kinds runments

because she ar cheper ples
lat me know wether il
have to have to have any
money I dont know if I can
gat any more

Respetfully

Mrs Augusta Smure,
Lakfield,
Minn.

Minneapolis 6/29/98
~~Wife~~

Dr. Rogers,

Dear Sir,

I thank you
for your prompt
reply to my application.
I wish you to hold
the vacancy for my
daughter, and next
Tuesday or Wednesday

July 5th or 6th I will
take her to you. That
is the earliest date, at
which I can attend to
the bond &c. I will
furnish her with her
own clothes at present

Very truly Yours,

Mrs Wm Daly
501 Main St N.E.

Minneapolis
Minn

Note

[1898?]
St Paul June 11 30
Dr Rogers

Dear Sir I recieved
your Notices for me
to bring my Daughter
I am going to keep
her at home I am
and am sorry I made
you the trouble and
am much Oblige
to you

Very Respectly

Mrs H Stenzel
228 Portland

116 / 1 1/2 years
possibly school case.
Look P

Winona Minn July 1. 98
Dr A. B. Rogers
Fairbault Minn
Dear Sir,

I have recently
found that there is to be
a change in our house
hold. And will you kindly
see if you can make room
for Edward Lester boy now
or as soon as possible. I
should be so much better
satisfied could I know
he was taken care of before
the new mother comes. As
he will be beyond my controul
after that time
hoping you will kindly see
to this at once.

Very truly
Mrs) Mary E. Amstrong.
(422 Wilson St.) (Grand Mother)

Will write again soon
to enquire after the welfare
of your Son.

Yours. J. R. P.

Jacob. N. Weekley.
Pine City.

June 20.

Miss.

Pine City. Minn.

July 5th 18.98.

Mr. A. G. Rogers.

Dear Sir,

Jacob Weekley of Pine
City. Will be at Waribault
the evening of the 4th

I will now write so. You
may expect him.

It is impossible for either
I or his mother to
accompany him. My wife's
health is so very poor.
So his Brother in law.

Shall accompany him
Mr. Ray. Squires. he is
a perfectly competent
to accompany and attend
him on his journey

St Peter July 198
Mr. A. C. Rogers
Gentlemen

In Answer
to your last reply will
say as my wife is very
sick and not very able
to take care of her and
as we cannot afford to keep
a nurse and if it possible
for you to take the child
you would do us a
great favor to myself and
wife as I think it will help
her if we cannot send the
child somewhere else we will

able to take care of him
Kindly Oblige us by letting
us hear from you soon
Yours Truly
J Harris.

St Paul, July 7th 1898
Supt of School for Feeble-Minded,
Faribault, Minn.

Dear Sir: Clara

Hansen will probably be brought
to your institution on Monday
next. The paper has been signed
by the judge of probate, but her
mother wished to fit her out with
what clothing she is able to get
and make for her before sending
her; and she thinks she will have
her ready by Monday.

I should say that your communica-
tion was not received for several
days after it had reached this city;

living a mile and a half from
where I get my mail, and thinking
word would be sent to the child's
parents, I had not gone for my
mail.

Hoping that the delay will
not matter I am

Yours very respectfully
Catherine Arnold

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FAIRMONT, MINN., July 7, 1898.

Dr. A. C. Rogers,
Faribault, Minn.,

Note - o.k.

Dear Sir:-

We have received your favor of the 23rd ult., enclosing bond to be signed by Mrs. Lund and sureties in the admission of her daughter, Mabel C. Lund, to your school on the 13th inst, on which day she intends to bring her daughter to your school.

Enclosed please find bond duly signed, and also enclosed find draft for \$30., as required in the bond to pay expense of clothing, postage and transportation. You will please allow Mrs. Lund the amount of transportation out of this remittance when she calls on you.

Yours truly,

Petersen & Paterson

Motley, Minn.
7/12/78

Dr. A. C. Rogers.

Fairbault Minn.

Dear Sir, — Received the blanks
some time ago but failed to fill them
out any sooner, I would like very
much if you could possibly take
him this fall, I will pay his fare
down & go with him also pay the
\$40. He is twelve years old now, I
did not know there was such a school
in Minnesota until this spring or
I would have sent him sooner.
I had him to two different Drs
and one said the roof of his mouth
was too open & that was the cause
of him not talking any plain

2,

than he does, Please write
and let me know when you
can take him,

Yours Truly
and Oblige
Address

Engene Sullivan
Mottley
Minnesota,

P. S. I have been a resident of this
Mottley Minnesota for 25 yrs

Leonard W. Thompson,
Manager.

Northwestern Department,

Security Mutual Life Association

of Binghamton, N.Y.

Minneapolis, Minn. July 27 1898

Dr. A. C. Rogers, Dr. J. K.
Sawbault, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

I have to ask, with thanks,
your favor of the 40 inst also
enclosed ledger & report.

A personal interview would be
so much more satisfactory, that
I will not try to give you
the case by correspondence,
but will with Mrs Thompson and

the child run down to Harbault
and see you the middle of
next week - Wednesday the 17th
if nothing prevents -

If you anticipate absence
on that date kindly advise

Very truly yours

L. H. Thompson

July the 23. 1898.

Dear Sir: i got your letter
on the 22 i think there is
a mistake about the school
i meant to explain in my
letter my children are all
well healthy children as
our family is broken up i
wished to send my children
where they can be cared for
and sent to school as i am
only a woman and not able
to take care of so many we
have four i have been trying
to find places here for them
he is making some trouble
about it i under stood that
I was the right school but
i guess i am mistaken i understand
there is a state school where

they take children that ^{do school} has no home and send them
and the County pays the
bill my Children are smart
Children all they need is
a home and schooling
so if that place is especially
for feeble minded children it
isnt the place for mine
if you can inform me of the
kind of a school i am looking
for please give me their
address i am sorry to
make you so much trouble
i will send there papers
maybe they will be useful
to you

Yours Respectfully

Mrs Grabella Flehner

Rutler Minn

no place for
her here

Jones. mmi

July 25th 1898

Dr. A. C. Rogers Esq.

Dear Sir,

I have my mother who is 68 years of age
she is very healthy for a person of her age but
her mind after her she is getting childish
and I would like to get a home for her as
I have to be a way from home the most of the
time and it is impossible for my wife to get along
with her. a Mrs. C. H. Tridwell from Lakefield
was speaking to me about your institution
and thought it would be a good place for her
would you be so kind as to write me as to your
charges by the year and if you have room
Respect yours.

L. W. Brown
Jones

Box 77-

mmi

October

Winona Minn. July 30th 1898

Dear Sir:

I thought I would drop you a few lines in regard to our boy who is to be admitted in your school. While up to see you last winter you promised to admit him this coming September the beginning of the fall term. So we have been anxiously awaiting a hint from you to that effect. We would very much like to have him attend school there, for he has improved so much and with the proper training and schooling we are sure he will not be hard to manage and we also would like to know for sure so we can arrange matters and will be ^{very} glad so

much obliged if you will try and
admit as you said you could
We have been looking forward to
such and have prepared some
We are willing to stand all
expenses through-out for his
benefit. Thanking you in
advance for a speedy reply

We remain yours
Truly

Yrs and Mrs. John Multhaus
Minors

Minors
606 Chestnut Street.

For K. up
status ask

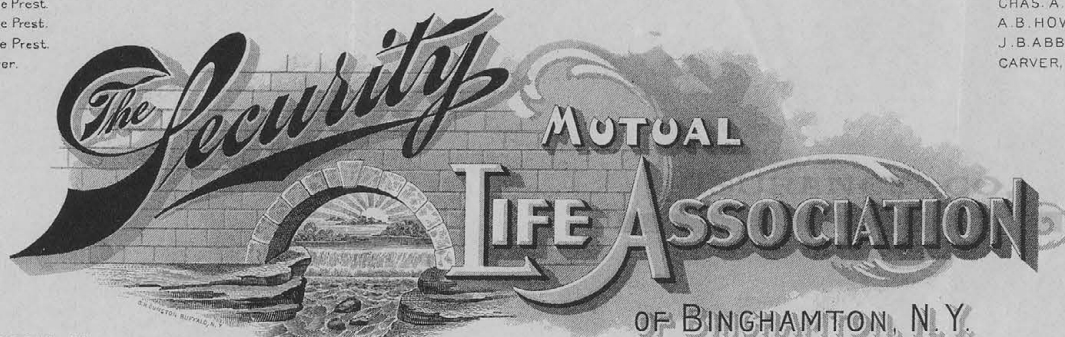
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ap. and Feb. 9th '28
9 yrs old - school case -

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OFFICES:

Suite No. 917, Guaranty Loan Building.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., July 26, 1898.

A. C. Rogers, Supt.

Minn. School for the Feeble Minded,
FARIBAULT, Minn.

My dear Sir:-

Replying to yours of the 23rd inst. we will run down to
Faribault on Friday of this week instead of Wednesday, and will drive out
to the school and meet you about 1:30.

Very truly yours,

Dictated.

West Duluth Minn Aug 3rd 1888
Dr Rodgers

Dear Sir.

Enclosed please find blanks filled out as well as possible

Is it very essential that she is vaccinated before we send her or do you attend to that. There if you accept her.

I ~~we~~ will accompany her down if sent.

Will she be allowed to use her own cloths she has with her as she is well supplied with cloths

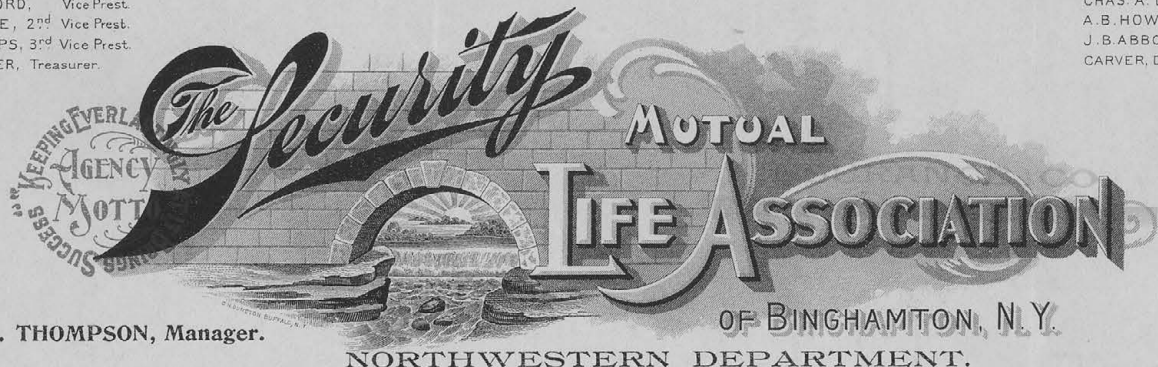
Would like to know what
time you would want
us entered.

Yours Respectfully
Wm L. P. Swangin

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MINNEAPOLIS, MINN., Aug. 4, 1898

Dr. A. C. Rogers,
FARIBAULT, Minn.

My dear Doctor:-

You will be pleased to know that we have made arrangements with Miss Baker and are going to send Dorothy to Northfield.

The indications are all that this will be the very best thing that we could possibly do for her.

Thanking you for your courteous attention when in Faribault the other day, I am,

Very truly yours,

L. K. Thompson

Woodstock Minn
Aug 5th 98

Supt School for the
Feeble minded
Fracibault
Minn

Dr Sir

I write you in regard
to my son Bertie (Albert Shields)
who attended your school in
1892 & 1894 - We did not send
him back - on account of his
health - Our Physician advising
us not to - However his health
is now such that - we have
decided to send him again if
we can - Will you kindly
^{inform us} what to do to get him reinstated
and when the school opens for
the ensuing year & oblige
Yours truly
J Amos Shields
Per J. S. D.

St. Paul, Minn. August, 9th, 1898.

Dr. A.C. Rogers,

Sup't. Minn. School for Feeble Minded.

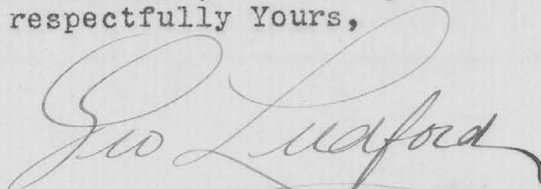
Faribault, Minn.

Dear Sir;-

This will introduce to you, my daughter Levina May Ludford, whose age will be twelve (12) years next May. Her address home is 659 East 4th Street, St. Paul, Minn. Mrs. Ludford, my wife, in charge of her, will deliver you \$30., the amount required, also you will find Bond inclosed, properly filled out. I am very sorry that I could not get down with her, but business is such at present that I cannot get away. However, I trust you will do all in your power for the little girl; in fact, I feel satisfied that you will. Of course the child has always been petted and humored, but she is smart and very sensative, and as you will find as you become acquainted with her, that her mental faculties are sound and good, and she is quick to learn. During the last term of school, she attended every after-noon with her sister, although not in her class account of her hearing, the teacher would give her some exercise work, which she would do at her seat, and in this way, she became very much attached to the school; all her habits are good, and I trust that after due examination and you become thoroughly acquainted with her, if on your opinion you think she cannot be taught to talk or her hearing cannot be helped, and you find her mental faculties as I have stated, then if in your opinion, you think she would do better in the school for the deaf, I would be please to hear from you as to the best course I should pursue, in order to get her educated and self-sustaining. I can assure you I'll be only too happy to do anything you may suggest, that will be of any benefit to her, and will visit her as often as you may deem it necessary without proving burdensome to you. There is no doubt but what she will feel lonesome for a few days, after which I think she will settle down without much trouble. I will be pleased to hear from you occasionally as to how she is getting along, and any further information you may desire, Mrs. Ludford will gladly give you the same.

Thanking you for your promptness and kindness, I remain,

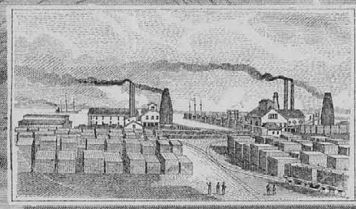
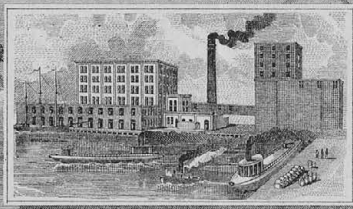
Very respectfully Yours,


659 East. 4th. St.

A. P. COOK.
SUPERINTENDENT.

Christie & Connel, Lith. & Engrs.

County of St. Louis



OFFICE OF

SUPERINTENDENT OF POOR.

214 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE,

Duluth, Minn. Aug 9th 1898

*Supt. of School for Feeble Minded,
Fairbairn Minn.*

Dear Sir:

*Mr. G. M. Wohlstrom of this city
who has a girl in above school, ~~and~~ sent you an
application for admission to the school of another of his
girls who is effected similar to the one now with
you. This application was sent in I think more than
one year ago now, and he wishes to know when
you can receive her. If you can, please let me
know when you can receive her.*

*Yours Truly
A. P. Cook*

NOTE AND REPLY

Minneapolis Minn 8-13-98
Doct Rogers
Dear

I have a son
fourteen years old - incompetent - that
I wish to place in your institution
Will you kindly send me blanks
and such information as I may
need in the matter

Mrs S B Purvis - the Rectors wife
is my neighbor and friend has
given me permission to say that
she will render me any assistance
possible in the matter - and will
write you later on my account
Mrs Purvis informs me that

I have to wait for a vacancy and
if the right thing to do would like
to have this accepted as my appli-
cation until a legal one can be
filed

The mother has recently died
and he is cared for by a young
daughter - and recent development
in the boy makes it desirable
that the change shall be made
soon as possible

Respy

W F Smith
407 S E 4th St

NOTE AND REPLY

Ortonville Miss.

Aug. 15 - 1898

Supt. of school for feeble.
Kindred Fairbank Miss.
Sir.

Will you kindly furnish
me information as to what
is required to enter a
child in your institution.

The child is a boy of
two years of age whose
parents are in very
moderate circumstances.

Please let me hear from
you on early mail.

Respectfully Yours.
(Miss) Josephine T. Bolster

Note reply
Perhaps he can
pennize me is better
while waiting.
R. C. Rogers

Minneapolis Aug 18-98

Dear Yours I left at hand
with blanks, I return one filled except
as to funds, Please say what is necessary
in that matter, My finances are in very bad
condition at present—and must arrange later,
Also say in your opinion about how long
it may be to work off the 137 cases
before my ^{turn} may come— that I make
other arrangement while waiting.

Thanks for entering up my application
Will fill the other and return as soon
as possible

Respy

W. F. Smith

How many in school?

NOTE AND REPLY.
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Tabor

Palk Co; Minn.

Aug. 24th 1898

Dr. A. C. Rogers

Dear Sir: The letter in regard to the admission of Josie Moravec was received last week. I translated it to her parents who were very glad of her admission.

Mrs. Moravec would like to know whether it will be necessary for him to go to Faribault to file the Bond, or in case his wife should go with Josie, whether she could file it.

In a month or two I expect to go to Owatonna, and if you should then have a room for Josie Moravec I might take her with me to Faribault and thus save the trouble and expense to Mrs. Moravec. In that case could the Bond be sent here for Mrs. Moravec to file?

Very sincerely

John Skerik

NOTE AND REPLY

Cumbs Minn August 26 1898

Dr A. C. Rogers

Faribault Minn

Dear Sir

As the last letter I received from you stated that you would hold a place for William until the 1st of September. I have this day got the bond filed & will be ready to take William to you the first week in September please answer & let me know if you are ready for him

Yours Respectfully

James Kannar

Cumbs Minn

(P.S.)

I will take the bond with me when I go



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Minneapolis, Minn., Aug 26 - 1898

Dr. Rogers

Fairfax, Minn.

Dear Sir,

Your Circular of
information received.

Doctor, as I am all alone in
my Business and can not get
away from the Store, only on
Sunday, ask you as an
accommodation, if I can not
come and see you at that
time; Will only take a few
minutes of your time, as I can
explain to you more fully that
way, than by writing.

Hoping to hear from you
soon and thanking you for your
kindness, Remain, Yours Respy
#1124 Henn. Ave L. Barr

will meet you in
office be in my
at 11 o'clock

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Minneapolis, Minn.,

Aug 29 189✻

Dr. C. A. Rogers
Farriskent.

Dear Doctor;

Would have come
yesterday, but owing to some
Business I had, could not
do so. Could I come some
other Sunday just as well?
You will do me a great favor,
as I wish to put my boy
under your care.

I thank you ever so much
for taking as much interest
as you do and appreciate it.

Hoping to hear from you
soon and thanking you again,

Remain,

Yours Truly,

L. Barr.

*1127 Henn. Ave.

NOTE AND REPLY

Bigelow Ullin

Sept 30 1898

Dr A. C. Rogers

Fairbault Ullin

Dear Sir: I

have a little girl 5 years
old that I wish to
correspond with you
about entering your
institution. She has
shattered nerves caused
by sickness when
an infant. She
understands but
can not talk. Can
walk but has no
control of her nerves
is not able to keep
steadily on her feet.

has very little
control of her hands
I would like to know
something of the
plans on which
your institution
is conducted and
also your terms. Will
describe the child
more fully after
hearing from
you

Very Respect-

Wm Gray
Bigelow
Ulmus

NOTE AND REPLY.
+ 4th mail acceptance

Fair Haven Sept-6-98.
A.C. Rogers.

Dear sir.

Yours of Aug 31st
duly received and as I
have a few questions to ask
will write once more. First-
Do we have to send certificate
or bond before he is taken
there. Our object in sending
him is to have him
cured and we do not wish
to shirk any responsibility
that is within the bounds
of reason. His father thinks
we will engage to supply
his needs for a year

And as he will go there
with him he thought he
could do the business with
you personally. Second. How
long will the place hold
open for him. You see it is
this way there is a lady here
that has a brother there and
she said it took them 7
months to get him in and
advised us to go about it
at once for it would take
so long to get him in and
so your ready acceptance
was something of a surprise
and I do not know as it
will be possible to get ready
so soon. He is much better
but we would not like to
lose the chance. His
father will drive down and
there might be delay from
some cause and that is
why I want to know how

long his chance will hold
open. He is at work cutting
up corn now and is
improving but of course in
a case like his it is hard
to tell how long it will last.
I would like to see you
and talk with you. It is
so hard to write ones
meaning and make it
plain enough.

Hoping to hear from
you at your earliest
convenience.

Yours respt-

Miss Jennie D Carpenter

Waseca Minn. Sept. 6 th 1898

Mr. A. C. Rogers. M. D.

Supt. School for Feeble Minded

Faribault, Minn.

NOTE AND REPLY

Dear Sir:

Allow me to inquire in regard to children in your institution. I have a child that is three years old, he cannot walk or even sit up, the doctors here call it spastic paralysis and claim his brain is affected. Please inform me as to what I would have to do in order to get him in your school and obliged.

Yours Very Truly,

Albert E. Grapp.

Alexandria Minn

Sep. 8. 1898

Dr A. C. Rogers

Dear Sir

I received your kind
reply, and also the articles
I sent for much obliged
to you for your kindness,
would there be any
chance for Mr Barnette
to get in the home
he is greatly afflicted
with the nervous trouble
and is not able to earn
his living he is dependent
on the town for support
I earn what I can by
washing and other work

that I can get to do,
he has been doctored
a great deal seems that
nothing helps him
he is to be pitied he cant
take any comfort and I
feel very sorry for him
would be very glad to
to hear from you in
regard to the matter

Yours Truly
Mrs Flora Parmer

Waseca. Minn. Sept. 12th.1898.

Mr. A. C. Rogers, M. D.

Faribault

Minn.

Dear Sir:

Your favor of the 7th at hand and note same very fully, in reply beg to say that I have filled blanks properly and return same by this mail. Allow me to thank you for your kindness and attention in this case and hope that my boy will be admitted to your institution at the earliest possible date; and if there is any thing else you would like to know in regard to this boy or family dont fail to inquire as your questions will have immediate attention.

Again thanking you for your trouble, I remain

Yours Very Truly,

Albert E. Grapp.

Subsents
to

229. East 13th St. St Paul
Sept^r 13th 1898

A. G. Rogers Esq^{re} M.D.
Faribault Minn.

Dear Sir, Judge Willenick of the Probate Court, informs me that he mentioned to you the circumstances of my wife's illness and that you told him you could take her into your institution for treatment. This would be indeed a great blessing for her and relief to me and my aged Father and Mother, the former a cripple unable to get any work to do.

I am out on the Railroad most of the time, being home only once in eight days and then only for a few hours.

If it is necessary for me to fill out any papers will you kindly send me the blanks.

Dr J. J. Rogers of "Wheaton & Rogers" of this City, who attended my wife, will give you all information regarding my wife's condition.

Yours very respectfully

Robert Phillips

G. F. HALLAS,
Notary Public,
JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

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ack*

Adrian, Minnesota, 9/13/98 189

A. C. Rogers.

Farmbush-Minn.

Dear Sir - Your dispatch of yesterday rec'd
seems to be not feeling well now and I do
not wish to start with him now. I will
bring him myself to the school about the
1st of October. Please let me know if
it will make any difference. I hope you will
keep the place for him. I will await your
answer.

Respectfully S. A. Jackson

Bethel Sep 15 1898

A. C. Rogers, M. D.

Dear sir in reply to
no 173 & 178 we are not able to pay
40 \$ advance but you said you
would take \$50 per annum &
take \$10 & its balance in five
or 10 dollars payments we can
if we understand it aright we
can give bond to secure its payment
that is we can give a note
with a good man to ~~sign~~ sign
it with us

No 102 he never sails or mends his
clothing either day or night
unless he has laid all night
& has a hard fit just about
time get up to them some times

he met's obed
is there a bus or hack from
the Depot to or near the school
& please tell me its name of a
cheap but respectfull Hotel
such as farmers stop at I
will have to come as cheaply
as possible & do not do any thing
about the place hoping to
hear from you as soon as
possible I remain yours

Respect
Mrs S. S. Dyer
Bethel

Anoka Co
Minnesota

123
School care
9 in advance
of him -
53 = 12/12

Garden City
Sep 19/1898

Dear Sir

My object in writing
is to find out if my boy
can be admitted at once
to the school a Lady
friend told me the
matron told a Lady
friend of hers that
she take them any time
if this is so I am
anxious to know for
a certainty and I will
bring him we have
been to Wandsworth
and we have had him
examined by the

phician he has been
before the County Judge
and county commissioners
you I hope have
been notified about
him before this. the
name is Ray Duffield
please let us here
from you at once
as we are anxious to have
him go to school at
once

Address

Robert J Duffield
Garden city
Blue Earth Co
Minn

Hector, Minn., Sep. 19 1898

M

A C Rogers M.D.
Fairbault Minn

Dear Doctor:

Enclosed find pa-
pers in the Nass case to-
gether with draft for
thirty dollars, the re-
quired deposit.

Mr Nass desires a little
time to make provisions
for the future sum-
mer for clothing &c. He
is a resident of Kittling Co.
and as soon as he returns
home he will send you
the required bond or get
that Co. to do so

Trusting that this will
be satisfactory for the present
I am
Yours Truly
W Smalley

Note

Orratona Minn.

Sept. 27, 1898.

Mrs. A. C. Rogers

Fairbault, Minn.

Dear Sir,

My daughter is
feeling so much better lately
that we have decided not
to put her in the school at
present.

Yours Respectfully
Helena E. Strong.
Orratona
Minn.

note note
about Mrs. Barker

[1898?]

Minneapolis Oct 16

Dear Sir

I would like to
inquire the prices at your
School and whether you
take day scholars.

Also if you take those
that are not foolish but
are delicate and cannot
go to public School.

I know a little boy 2 years
old that has been to
Kindergarten a little but
is very backward and I
don't know what is best
to do with him

Could his Mother get rooms
reasonable near the school and
send him.

Grows Truly

Mrs T. B. Lindsay

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Minneapolis, Minn. *Oct 24 1898*

Dr. A. C. Rogers,

Dear Sir:—

Mrs. Kohler
expects to take her daughter Annie to
your institution on Wednesday the
26th, according to the instruction dated
Sep. 28th— I suppose some one will meet
her at the depot. Respectfully yours.

Mrs. Parker

Bequot. Minn.

Nov. 5, 1898.

A. C. Rogers.

Fairbault Minn.

Dear Sir, - I have been waiting to hear from you about sending Erick to school. - I have not heard from you since Feb. 18. I would like if you would please let me know as soon as possible when you could take him and get him this now before he gets any older for is getting to be a heavy burden for us. Please answer at once.

Yours Respectfully
E. M. Osterlund
Bequot Minn.

NOTE AND REPLY. St. Paul Minn. Nov 7- 98

Supt School for Feeble Minded
Faribault Minn.

Dear Sir -

Will you kindly
furnish me with information
regarding the school?

I have a little girl whom I
think of entering, and would
like to learn as much as pos-
sible as to rules, regulations,
and method of conducting
the institution, so that if
there were any bar to her at-
tending the school, I might
learn of it before incurring
a needless expense of a trip
to Faribault for a personal

investigation.

An early reply I shall consider at very great favor.

Very Respectfully

(Mrs) Colina Bean

St. Paul

638 Ohio St. Minn.

epileptic baby,

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Lidgerwood, N. Dak. Nov 15 1898

Mr. Rogers.
Fairbault
Min

Dear Sir —

I am in
N. Dak. at present and want
be back to Waseca until the
1st of Dec. and would like
to know if my boy will
be admitted then. Please
give me a little information
about how to bring him and
on what conditions. Thanking
you for past favors I remain
Yours Very Truly
Albert E. Brapp.

Please write me at Lidgerwood N. Dak.
and obliged.

407 1/2 "Colomade"
St-Paul, Minn.
Nov-17th 1898.

Dr A. C. Rogers
Faribault, Minn.

Dear Sir,

Please accept my grateful appreciation of your prompt ^{and} favorable reply to Mr Boardman's intercession on behalf of my afflicted son. — Herewith I return the application forms sent me, duly filled out.

Hoping to be favored with your early instructions,

I am,

A grateful parent.

Chas H. Spicer

JOHN F. ROSENWALD,

Judge of the Probate Court,

Lac qui Parle County, Minn.

Regular Terms of Court,
 FIRST and THIRD
 MONDAYS
 OF EACH MONTH.

Look up

27-
 school case
 ignored.
 149.

[1898?]

MADISON, MINN., Nov. 23rd 189

Dr A. C. Rogers

Faribault Minn.

Dear Doctor I think I will send my little girl for a time to the Miss Laura Baker School but can you give me an idea how long before the little girl can be admitted at your school

Yours

J. F. Rosenwald

Alden Minn.

Nov 25, 1898.

I wish to gain some information concerning your Institution, can you furnish a catalogue, or write me.

I asked our local doctor, Dr. Watson if he knew of some school for my boy, he said he thought there was such a school at Laribault and that he would write and find out but I fear his press of business will prevent him from attending to it. Our boy has fits, so we cant send him to school here his memory is quite unimpaired and I think he is capable of learning a good deal. if I could find a good place where he would be taken care of and taught something, I think I could let him go, although it will be hard to part from him. his general health is good and I cant keep him in the house all the time there is a class of boys in this town who think it smart to give him tobacco and sometimes drink I have heard, you can imagine what anxiety I ~~endure~~ endure, we have nothing for him to do and he is up town idle all the time. Mrs. C. S. Johnson
Alden
Freeborn Co.
Minn.

Respectfully,

NOTE AND REPLY.



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Nov 30 - 98

Mr. Rogers

Dear Sir

Having reached
Waseca again I am prepared
to bring my son Ervin to
your hospital, and think
this is about the time you
told me to remind you
of it. We can bring him any
time you state which I
hope will be soon as he
is not improving any.
Hoping to be favored with an
early reply and thanking you
for past favors

remain
Yours Very Truly
Albert E. Grapp

407 1/2 "Colonnade"
St Paul, Minn.
Nov-30th-1898.

Dr. A. C. Rogers.
Faribault, Minn.

Dear Sir,

Please excuse my delay
in answering yours of the 23rd Inst.,
caused by the absence from the City of one
of my sons, whom I wished to sign the bond.

I have not yet been able to see the
Judge of Probate, but will have the bond
duly executed & file it with you on the 12th Prox.
when I will bring my poor boy to Faribault
& make the required deposit of \$3000. —

Tendering you my heartfelt thanks for
the relief ^{and} assurance I feel, that my afflicted
son's welfare & happiness are thus provided for.
I am, gratefully, Chas^W Spencer.

Write to Miss Baker
after explaining that we
cannot receive ~~her~~ anyone
from ~~the State~~ not side
State - see claim I will ask
Miss Baker to forward with
information why letter with
her sh

St. Cloud, N. Dak.
Dec. 7, 1898.

Mr. President,

Dear Sir:- I have a boy
soon 13 years old, who is feeble minded,
sorry we have no feeble minded
school, in our State N. Dak.

People advise us to write, and find
out if I can not get my boy in at
the Feeble minded school in Minn.

I do not expect to get my boy
willing to pay for him.

Please let me know how much
it would cost a month and year for
my boy if I can get him in, and
what you think will be the best
for me to do with him.

My boy is not very bad, do not

need to watch him, but he has a way of his own. He can't settle his mind to one thing as reading, so we can't learn him to read. When trying his thought will then be at machinery, what he loves. He will all day be working with machinery and talking about Threshing.

He loves to fire an Engine, do it perfect. To force him to do things we like, is impossible.

Kindly and promising him presents, will make him help us sometimes.

The boy been improving every year as he get older, so I think if I could get him at a place, where good care and treated right, he may get over

it and be a smart man.

If he see a Catalogue he will name every article if he had or seen it before, meeting a old friend not seen for many years will laugh and hum him.

He can't speak very plainly, but when acquainted, easy to understand him. Can not stalk but sword.

Hope you will excuse me, not knowing your name, hope some one will get the letter, and bring it to the right place.

Yours Respectfully,

John Hendrickson,
DeLamere, Sargent Co., N. Dak.

Will be glad
to postpone this
case if mother is making
this ready - will I
change if I see any
ack

[1898?]

Stellwala Mission

Dr. A. C. Rogers,
Faribault, Minn.

Dear Sir:

You said I should send
my boy the 12th of Dec.

Now he is taking treatments
from a Doctor he says he
can cure him if I attend
to it - I thought I had
better write and find out
If you will except him
when he is through with
this course of treatments.
And please let me know

what time you will.
except him Hoping to
get a satisfactory reply
Yours respectfully

Mrs John Pomeroy

Note

407 1/2 "Colomnade"
St Paul, Minn.
Dec. 10th - 1898.

Dr. A. C. Rogers.
Faribault, Minn.

Dear Sir,

I find it will be impossible
to leave here before Tuesday next, when
I will place my poor boy in your care.

Yours truly,
Charles Spence.

Hampton Iowa

Dec 30, 1898

Dr A. C. Rogers

Dear Sir

In passing
through southern Minnesota
I found a man by the
name of Gifford, he worked
for us on the farm, he is
now an invalid he has lost
the use of the lower limbs,
he has heard of the Institute
and in some way had
your address said he was
going to write to you for
admission, if he should
be admitted please do not
let Willis see him or I

know anything about him
I shall hope to be in close
touch with any ^{things} pertaining
to Will's, address Hampton
Nova care of David
Muir Sen.

Very truly
C. V. Gifford,

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Mr. A. C. Rogers
Faribault
Minn

Note

Mpls Dec 22/98

Mr. Rogers

Dear Sir -

I have been waiting patiently for an answer, the reason is this I have found a good place to work & must leave the city or lose a good home, and another thing don't know how long they will keep her at the "Home in St. Paul". So if you are going to take her with you would let me know by first mail. Then I shall know what to do. That is the only way I have of getting a living by working out; so would hate to lose a good chance. Hope the papers were all right. Trusting to hear from you.

at once - Truly Yours

Mrs. Angie Davis

2800 Stevens Ave
Minneapolis