



Minnesota State
Horticultural Society Letters
Received and Sent.

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Sank Rapids Oct 30th 97

Mr Latham Dear sir

My unfortunate son Escaped
from the Asylum Sept 5th in Night
Clothes. we have been searching for
him since. Have had several Lakes
and Sloughs dragged near Fergus but
found no trace of him untill
Yesterday when we came across a
woman only four miles from Fergus.
who (does not send papers) gave him his
breakfast and some clothes and food
to take with him. He telling her he was
on his way to the wheat fields of Dakota
and was robbed the night before
by some men of every thing. Now I can
do no more but have come home to
attend to things. Will write the proper
paper for the meeting you wished
and also try and send the
Money due next month as the
Expenses of hunting for my son
has been very heavy

Respectfully Yours
Lenore Stager

2090 Boodle Avenue

St. Anthony Park Minn

Oct. 26th '97.

Mr. W. A. Latham,

Dear Sir; - Your letter regarding the Sweet pea article reached me a few days ago.

I have thought the matter over seriously but only feel the more strongly that I should adhere to my first opinion - that it would be an imposition on the members of the Society for any one

who knows as little
about the subject as
I, to take up their valuable
time - so I think I must
beg to be excused until
I know more.

I am very anxious
myself to hear a good
Sweet Pea article.

Very sincerely yours

Adelaide Angell

5.14.97

Stillwater, Minn
May 13. 1897.

Mr. A. W. Latham
Secretary Horticultural
Society.

Dear Sir;

Your favor
of April 8th received
yesterday. I inclose 3 stamps
to the value of sixteen
cents for postage on
"Annual report Horticultural
Society" which you
kindly offer to send,
to relieve of charge.
Thanking you in

Behalf of our Association
I am

Yours truly

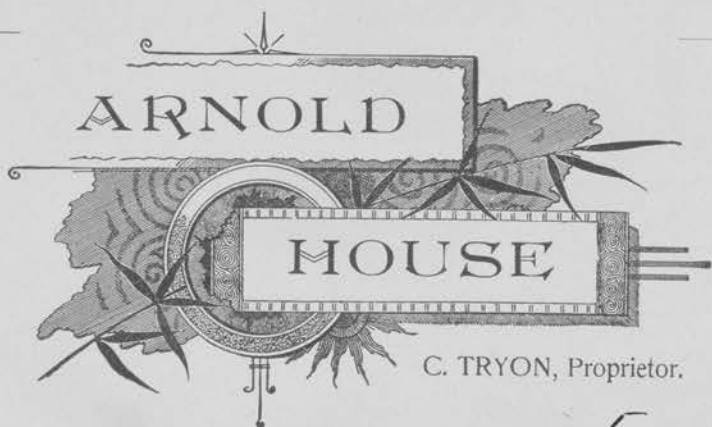
(Mrs.) Gertrude B. M^{rs.} Pherson

Librarian

Stillwater Library

Stillwater

Minn.



C. TRYON, Proprietor.

Owatonna, Minn., 5-14-1897

At Latham Secy
207 Kasota Block
Mpls Minn

Dr. Sir:— Herewith I send you another \$ for a new member.

M J Mohnney
~~Atwater~~ Benson
Minn.

Please send him 1896 report, 1897 Horticulturalists, S.B. Green's Amateur Fruit Grower membership card and plants #6-7 & 8.

100

Yours truly
James C Swenson
New Ulm
Minn.

Membership Cert. # 275.

Send to Benson, instead of Atwater
M. J. Mohnney.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS
CITY SUPERINTENDENCY

S. S. PARR.

SAINT CLOUD, MINNESOTA

May 15 1897

A. M. Gutham, Esq.
Sec. M. S. Horticultural Soc.,
Minneapolis, Minn

Dear Sir:

As per your circular of Apr. 8th, recently received, enclosed, please find \$1.00 in postage, for which send the Annual Report, of 1896. It is for the H.S. library.

Very Truly,

S. S. Parr, Supr.

5.17.97

THE CITY SCHOOLS.

FRANK A. WELD,
SUPERINTENDENT.

Stillwater, Minn., May 12, 1897. 189

Mr. A. W. Latham,

207 Kasota Block, Minneapolis.

Dear Sir,--

I have your letter of April 8.

Inclosed you will find postage stamps to the amount of 16 cents.

Please send me one copy of the report of the state horticultural society.

Very truly,

Dictated.

Frank A. Weld_{sr}

5.13.97.

State Normal School.

GEO. R. KLEEBERGER,
President.

ST. CLOUD, MINN.

May 12, 1897.

5.13.97

Mr. A. W. Latham,
Secy. Minn. State Horticultural Society,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your circular letter of 8th. inst. - This school will be very glad to receive the annual report of your society for 1896, and I take pleasure in sending you, as per your request, sixteen cents for postage.

Assuring you that we appreciate your kindness in sending us your report,

I remain, Yours truly,

Gertrude Cambell,
Librarian.

PUBLIC LIBRARY,

ST. PAUL.

ST. PAUL, MINN., May 22, 1897.

A. W. Latham
Sec. Minn. State Hort'l Soc.

Dear Sir:-

You will please find 16 cts.
enclosed, with which to pay postage on Report of your
Society. We shall be very glad to have it in this
library and thank you for remembering us.

Very respectfully

H. J. McCasie, Libr.

513. 97

St. Peter State Hospital.

SUPERINTENDENT'S OFFICE.

Dr. H. A. Tomlinson, Superintendent.

St. Peter, Minn.,

May 12, 1897.

Replying to your letter dated April 8

concerning

Annual report of the State Horticultural Society.

Mr. A. W. Latham, Secretary,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Kindly send me a copy of the Annual Report of the State Horticultural Society, for '96, for the use of our Library. I enclose the necessary postage.

Respectfully yours,

H. A. Tomlinson
Superintendent.
J. A. F.

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NEW STATE CAPITOL IN COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION.

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SPEAKER.

State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

THIRTIETH SESSION.

PHIL. C. SCHMIDT,
FIFTY-FOURTH DISTRICT.

St. Paul, Apr 17th '97 *1897*

Mr. E. C. Little,

Duluth, Minn.

Dear Sir-

Yours of the 16th inst. relating to the Omnibus Appropriation bill, from which was omitted certain appropriations for the publication of the Horticulturalist is received. The bill as reported from the committee was an Omnibus bill, making all the necessary appropriations for the state officers, state expenses and state institutions. The appropriation for this magazine was omitted. In the House an amendment was offered providing for this appropriation which was voted down and the bill passed. I voted for the amendment and there is no use talking about a reconsideration. Of course I had the alternative of voting either for the bill as it was, or of voting against all of the appropriations necessary to carry on the business of the state. This would have been ridiculous on my part. The bill has been passed and become a law.

I will say that the majority of the city members of the three large cities voted in favor of this amendment, but the rural members were the ones that opposed the appropriation for this magazine. Why, I do not know.

Yours truly,

P. C. Schmidt

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A. H. Latham

207

Kasota Block.

Minneapolis

Minn.

Albert Lea, Minn. April 14 - 97

A. H. Latham

Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir - I joined the horticultural society for the first time last winter and am entitled to three premiums. I have selected the following:

Four Elder raspberry plants

One hydrangea paniculata grandiflora

Six Hibernial apple root grafts

Respt. J. B. Share

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THE ADDRESS TO BE WRITTEN ON THIS SIDE.



Minnesota Horticultural
Minneapolis
U S A

St Boniface
1st March 1897

please send me
premiums n^o 7.445
and let me know
through your valuable
journal if
apples & crabs can be
grafted on the small
roots of large apple
and haw-thorn trees

I am grateful to the
Minnesota Horticultural
and hop to be of some
use to you in return
Yours sincerely
Mepheron
St Boniface

1.00

St Cloud Apr 10 97

A W Latham

Sir

Inclosed find one dollar
for my membership fee for
the Illinois State Horticultural
Society

yours Truly

G. W. Smittem

Box 11 St Cloud

Illinois

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A W Latham Gray
Minneapolis
207 Kasota Block
Minn

New Ulm, Minn. 3-30 '97

Dear Sir:- As I am entitled to select
3 premiums from your plant list
I select the following:

* 7 - 1 Rose

* 8 - 1 Hydrangea

* 6 - 1 Tamarix Americana or if not
on hand # 4 - 4 Elder Raspberry

Send these to my address as fol-
lows: and oblige

cut # 275.

J. G. Swenson
Lake Crystal
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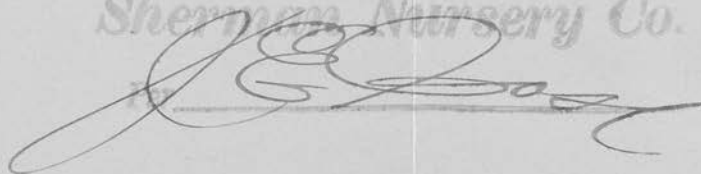
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:--

Yours of the 10 th at hand, we have a party down here in Iowa who never seems to have anything to do Winters except to Draft bills for the Legislature, but we never have known him to get anything to pass, we understand that this party has introduced some bill with regard to San Jose Scale or something of that sort and although we have written for a copy of the Bill, have not as yet received it, we do not consider that the bill stands a ghost of a show of passing, and we shall do our best to see that it does not, we have had one experience with a Bond and License law in Minnesota and do not wish for another, we can see no object of this feature of the measure except to harass and hamper trade, we sincerely hope that your people will conclude to amend the bill if it is to be pushed through.

Yours truly,

Sherman Nursery Co.



Cushing 3/15 1897
F. H. Lotham

207 Kasoto Block

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Dear Sir please send
me the Municholis
Horticulturist. To

F. H. Garrison

Cushing P. O

His

formerly of Newell
Min

F. H. Garrison

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A. W. LATHAM,

Sec'y Minn. State Hort. Soc'y,

207 Kasota Block,

Minneapolis, Minn.

✓
Red Wing Minn Mar 3 1897

Mr. A. W. Batham

Dear Sir,

Just recd your letter in regard paper
on subject of originating Red raspberries
and propagating old ones I know nothing about
originating new varieties of raspberries and very little
in regard to propagating old ones. And of course could
not write any thing.

Yours Truly,

C. A. Sargent.

ef

Red Wing March 1 1897

A. W. Latham Dear Sir
Please continue to send
me the Horticulturalist
~~enclosed~~ please find money
for one 1.00 Dollar
send me bound books
if you have any on hand
Respectfully

E Shogren

Red Wing Minn)
Box 594

100

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A. W. Latham Esq.

207 Kasota Block.

Minneapolis, Minn.

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New York, March 2^d 1897

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the desired quotations in a few days &
ask you to kindly excuse the delay due
to my removal, which set me back
in all my office work.

Yours respectfully
Gustav E. Stechert

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Gaylord, Minn., 3-1 1897

A W Latham Secy
Mpls, Minn.

Dear Sir:- Herewith find
1⁰⁰ to pay for another mem-
bership in the Minnesota
Horticultural Society. I
have promised him Prof. Green's
Amateur Fruit Grower so send
it with 1896 report, card
and Horticulturist for Jan
4th by 1897 to Franz A. Ollermann
Gaylord, Sibley Co. Minn.
Please acknowledge receipt
hereof to me, at same place
Yours truly

James C. Swenson

100

Telephone 1925-2.

Byron Sutherland,

*Of Sutherland & Van Wert,
Lawyers.*

*710 Phoenix Bldg.
Minneapolis, Minn.*

I would like
to know
the number
of the bill
introduced in
the Senate &
referred to in
your letter &
by whom
introduced

Massachusetts Feb 17th 1899
Mr. A. W. Latham Secy Min. S. & S. of

207 Carter Block
Dear Sir Min. Min.

Enclosed you will please
find 50[¢] in Stamp for which
send Amateur Fruit Growing
by J. B. Green and Oby

Yours
Chas. Stephens
as per adv in Horticulture

50
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Duluth, Minn. Feb. 27, 1897.

Minnesota Horticulturist,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Gentlemen:-

Herewith please find express order for \$1 to pay one year's subscription to the Minnesota Horticulturist.

Kindly give me the address of some parties that deals in seed potatoes, also where I can get some good crab apple trees.

Yours very truly,

Paul Sharvy,
DULUTH,
216 W. Superior St. **MINN.**

1.00

Mazomanie Wis.
Feb. 22^d 1897.

A. W. Latham. Sec.

Dear Sir:

Your Circular letter was received last evening, and I think there is some mistake. according to my book, I became a member of the Minnesota Horticultural Society in Feb. 1895. and on Feb. 10th I sent P.O. Money Order to your address for One Dollar, to pay for the year 1895 and received your receipt for same. ~~also~~ also the bound vol. of transactions for 1894. Dec 3^d 1895. I sent a P.O. Money order of One Dollar to pay for the year 1896. Dec 4th 1896. I sent a P.O. Money Order to pay for the Horticulturist for 1897. I am not so short of money that I have to ask any Publisher to send me his paper till I have paid for it in advance

Now if you did not receive any of those Money Orders, please let me know which it was, and I will try to find out where it went to, and if I have mistaken your terms please specify in what particular and you shall have your claim paid. I think I have paid to the end of the present year. I think I received the first copy of your paper from Our Hort^l Sec. Mr. Philips as a Specimen^{Copy} asking me to subscribe for it. I think so, but am not sure, let me hear from you as soon as you can look this up.

Cordially Yours

Asa N. Seymour

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,

WASHINGTON,

Feb. 8, 1897,

Hon. Knute Nelson,

U. S. Senate,

Sir;

I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt by reference from you of communication of Mr. A. W. Latham, Minneapolis, Minn., to whom a copy of the report on the Forests of North America at the Tenth Census, with portfolio of maps, has been forwarded with information that it is supplied upon your request.

Very respectfully,

Compt. Sices
First Assistant Secretary.

Hawley, Clay Co., Minn
Feb. 15th 1899

A. W. Leatham
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:—

Enclosed please
find fifty cents, for which
please send me by mail
"Amateur Fruit Growing", by
Samuel B. Green.

I saw notice of the book
in "Horticulture" by Mr.
McCrainford.

Yours truly

J. B. Stetson

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Worthington, Minn., Feb 13 1897

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find \$1.00 for to
renew my subscription to Minnesota
Horticulturist.

Yours Truly,
Chas Saxon
Worthington
Minn.

1.00

St. Paul Minn.
February 8th 97

A. W. Latham

Respy.
Dear Sir:

Enclosed please find my
check for \$1.25 for which send
me "Vegetable Gardening"
by Prof. S. B. Green
to oblige

Yours truly
Thos. Junis Smith

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OF CHARLES CITY, IOWA.

Jan'y 30, '97.

Charles City, Iowa, _____ 189

A. W. Latham,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:--

Your card of the 28 th at hand, I thank you for the trouble you
have taken with regard to White Spruce matter, would be pleased however for an
expression of your own personal opinion upon the subject.

Yours truly,

E. M. Sherman

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Minneapolis, Minn., Feb 1 1897

My dear Mr Latham,

I wish you would come up.
I want to see you about Gideons
apples. Wednesday, I expect to go up
to my son-in-law, Mr Winston, to
spend a month while he is gone
to Virginia, my wife and myself
are to keep house for him, so
if possible come up to-morrow,

Yours,
John H. Stevens

Sank Rapids, Benton Co. Minn.

February 6. 1897.

Mr. A. W. Latham

Minneapolis Minn.
Secy Minn. State Horticultural Soc.

Dear Sir.

yours of the January 22. 1897
is at hand, I am a German
and cant write very much
I cant tell you in Words ^{how} bad
I would feel should I depart
with the "Horticulturalist"
after I have bin reading it
one year, but are I am a
nervecommer here and havent
got the Money yet to buy
any Nurseries anowhow so
I was about to give up the
"Hort." untill I had the
Money to fulow here at
vices to buy and toyl
the right kind of Nurseries.
When Mrs. Stager
spe here got me to subscribe

fore the "Hort." then she
told me that I was
getting a Premium every
Year by paying in advance.

Now then I will here-
with again subscribe for the
Minn. Horticulturist for 1897
but as I sad that I was
a new-comer here and are
trying to start a fruit gar-
den on this ^{my} new Farm, please
send me the premiums if
you are aloud to

I would select
No. 2 No. 3 and No. 10

very truly

Yours

100
~~100~~ Fred Rueth

Sank Rapids
Minn.

Wm. G. Scott,
Treasurer.



City Treasurer's Office,

No.

Winnipeg, Manitoba, January 30 1897

A. W. Latham Esq
Secy Minn. State Horticultural Society
Minneapolis Minn.
Dear Sir

I enclose Express Money Order for \$1⁰⁰ in your favor to cover my membership fee for the current year. Please pardon delay in remitting as I have been so busy during the past few months that the matter escaped my memory.

Yours truly
W. G. Scott

100

Ada Prins Dec 30
1896

A. W. Latham
Minneapolis

Sir:-

Your request
of the 26th inst is at hand
and have this day sent
your request ^{to} representative
G. O. Gilbertson of my
county and requested him
to ~~you~~ use his influence
am the other members
of the legislature of this
district which is the 51st.

Yours for success

Herman F. Spring

Wola June 8th 97

Friend Latham Dear Sir
I would have answered
your circular long ago
but Luther was summoned
as a juror in the United
States court that convenes
the 12th he will see all
our Delegates and others
our Delegates are all under
obligations to him as he
is quite a politician our
Delegates will support any
reasonable measure for the
benefit of the Horticultural
society Luther is my son
you had better see him at
St Paul and make our wants
known to him
Yours Wm Somerville

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A. W. LATHAM,
Sec'y Minn. State Hort. Soc'y,
207 Kasota Block,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Friend Latham
Aurika Minn. 1/29

If Secy Philips has not sent
report for 1896 yet, please send me 95
report of His Hist Socy. I want the list
of members. Philips said he would
send copy through you. Ella
changed for the better last Sunday
night.

Cordially

A. W. Sampson.

A. W. Latham

Dear Sir

Circumstances
are such I am not prepared
to Renew Subscription
to Horticultural Society
for this year am compelled
to drop out.

Yours Respt

D. M. Scriven

Jan 30 1894

Acting Min

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Minneapolis, Minn., Dec 15 1896

My dear Sir

Yours received. I am very thankful to you and the Horticultural Society for favors received. I want to thank you too, for the fruit and flowers received from your brother, I got the other day a letter from Gideon, I want you to come up and see it. It is rather important, and may be brought with great moment to the future interests of the Horticultural Society and the fruit prospects of the State. I do not know what to think of it, I will want some stationery, both paper and envelopes,

Yours friend

John H. Stevens

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A. W. Latham
207 Kasota Blk
Minneapolis
Minn.

Enuka 12/31/96.

Friend Latham

Yes continue my ad. just
the same. Please write out an
affidavit as to your opinion in
regard to the Cherries originated by
Hudson and those rec'd from Wedge.
I will be in town Sat or Mon + will
see you. Cordially

C. W. Sampson.

Society of American Florists.

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W. K. HARRIS, Philadelphia, Pa.
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J. G. ESLER, Saddle River, N. J.



Boston, Mass., January 1st, 1896.

Mr. A. W. Latham,

207 Kasota Block,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

I have received with pleasure the annual report of the Minnesota State Horticultural Society, which I find to be a very valuable and interesting book. If you will pardon a criticism I would say that it seems rather strange to me that in the report of a State Horticultural Society one finds so little reference to trees, plants and flowers of ornamental character. Our Horticultural Society here gives ornamental horticulture a prominent position, and we would consider it a misfortune to give fruit interests or any other interests a monopoly of our attention, but social conditions in Minnesota are perhaps different. I think that you will yet see the wisdom of giving ornamental horticulture a more conspicuous place in your work than is indicated in the volume which I have recently received.

I note on page 310, under heading of Missouri Botanical Gardens a reference to the "famous Kent Gardens in London": is this not a typographical error? I would assume that this refers to the Kew Gardens. Wishing you the compliments of the season,

Yours respectfully,

Wm. J. Stewart

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New Ulm, Minn., Jan 22 1897

Mr. Katham Gray
707 Kasota Blk
Mpls, Minn.

Dr. Sir: Yours received with cards for myself + W. Dornson and books by express. I send you herewith 1⁰⁰ currency for membership of Am R. of La Framboise, West Newton - Nicollet Co. Minn.

I promised him Prof S.B. Green's book "Amateur Fruit Grower" so send it with report Horticulturalist etc, to the address above. Mr La Framboise selects the following plants Nos 1, 2 + 5 as premiums. W. Dornson and I will both waive our plants, if you will mail Mr. Dornson a copy of "Amateur Fruit Grower". He can do some work in securing members. I will send it more soon. Yours resp
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Issue membership cards to G. W. Gornson

James C. Swenson
New Ulm, Brown Co. Minn
and send books etc to separate addresses as above. I can send in a few more memberships as soon as book arrive
You might send me a few sample copies of Horticulturalist

Yours truly

Brown Co. James C. Swenson
New Ulm Minn

Frysil T. O. Cass Co. N. Dak. Jan. 8/
1897.

To the Secretary of the Minnesota Horticultural
Association. Minneapolis. Minnesota. -

Dear Sir:

I hereby forward enclosed
\$1.⁰⁰ as fee for my membership of the
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reply to your favor received some time ago
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St Paul. Have Mr Elliott down there ^{Monday night} ~~sure,~~ Come
yourself, and we can have the slate made up
with Mr Underwood as one of the directors. If we
can clean them out this time, it will settle
them for the future.

Yours Best
Gardner Stevens.

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MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.,

MANKATO, 1/19 MINN. 1897

Friend Lattam:-

Yours of the 8th just at hand, I have received several letters lately, about this same matter and I have concluded to be in St Paul Monday evening at the Merchants Hotel and stop there that night, and return here Tuesday morning. They have been doing some hard work, but I think there will be no question of the result, if we put in some good work next Monday night at.



NOTHING BUT THE ADDRESS TO BE ON THIS SIDE.

A. W. Latham, Sec. of State Hort. Soc.

207 Kasola Block,

Minneapolis, Minn.

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St. Peter, Minn., Jan. 11, 1897.

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A W Latham see M. S. G. S.

Your "special" of the 26th auld
received. I intented of going down
to Houston to have a talk with ^{Mr Briggs} him,
about the subject but bad roads
prevented my going but I ^{think} he is all
right in that line anyway

I have been to the express office at both
Rushford and Houston but could not
find that missing S. G. report for
1895. Please send me one to Rushford
if you have one to spare. also for 96
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Hoping you succeeds ⁱⁿ your good work
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DENVER. January 5, 1897.

Mr, A. W. Latham. Secretary.

Minn, State Horticultural Society.

Minneapolis. Minn,

Dear Sir;

You will kindly accept thanks of this Board, for the Twenty-Fourth Annual Report of your State Society.

The Horticultural Report for the Colorado State Board will be issued the last of next month. I shall take pleasure in sending you a copy of the same.

Wishing you success.

Yours respectfully.

Martha A. Shute.
Secretary.

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To A. W. Latham

Sec. Minn. Horticultural Soc.