



Minnesota State
Horticultural Society Letters
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Adrian, Minnesota,

Oct. 17, 1898

A. W. Latham,

Secy Minn. State Hort. Socy.

207 Karola Bldg, Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir,

Enclosed please

find a few notes on the subject
assigned, Preparation for Orchard Planting.
I regret that I shall not be able
to be in attendance.

Yours Frat,
E. Cooper.

Barry Post office Oct. the 26th 1898

To A W Latham Esq

Dear Sir

I sent you a Post office order with a
Dollar for my Subscription for 98
Some 5 or six Weeks ago and I never
received an answer nor I have not
received the Board Report for 97
yet I told also in the note
to stop my Monthly when the
year is up as I told out and dont
know when I may pull up yet
John Mc Cool Barry Big Stone
County Minnesota

Pillsbury Hall. U. of M.
Oct. 28. 98

A. W. Salham

Dear Friend

I have to day received
from Harrison & Smith

285 Cloth Bound reports
& 260 Paper " "

hoping you are well and that this
bright weather may continue for a few
weeks

I remain your

respectfully,

E. A. Cazier



Send to the Secretary for folder describing the Society and its work and copy of its Magazine.

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PUBLISHES A MONTHLY MAGAZINE,
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"The Minnesota Horticulturist."
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State Horticultural Society.

President, J. M. UNDERWOOD, Lake City.

Office (and Library) of

A. W. LATHAM, Secretary,

207 KASOTA BLOCK.

Minneapolis, Minn., Nov. 9, 1898.

DEAR FELLOW MEMBER OF THE MINNESOTA STATE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY:

The roll of members for the year just closing is now being made up to go into the annual report, and will be in the hands of the printers by the 15th inst. As you have permitted your name to remain on our list and have been receiving our magazine during the year, I presume you will wish to have your name appear on this roll.

There is yet time, if you will remit the annual fee, \$1.00, promptly. Upon receipt of this you will be sent a cloth bound volume of our report for 1897, a book of over 500 pages. It may be convenient for you to remit at the same time an additional dollar for the year 1899, which is close at hand.

We are very desirous to retain our full membership, and trust that the association may have been found of sufficient advantage to you to continue with us. A strong horticultural society is a great power for good in the community, and ours, as you may be aware, is the largest organization of its kind in the United States.

Hoping to hear from you promptly,

Yours truly,

A. W. Latham, Sec'y.

As I advised you at time of subscribing for Elbeind Bay that it was my renewal in another name - so it is - I do not know that it makes any difference to me if my name appears in above mentioned Catalogue or not - I shall hereafter not aim to get the premiums - but shall continue subscription in my own name - I prize much your publications
Trusting I'll hear

F. J. COWLES,

— PROPRIETOR —

WEST CONCORD FRUIT FARM AND NURSERY.

West Concord, Minn., Nov 9 1898

Mr A. W. Latham

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir,

What are your advertisement rates in the Horticulturist would like to advertise in it next year I expect to attend the next meeting is it to be held at Minneapolis Could you inform me where I can get wooden tree protectors and are they all right to use

Awaiting your reply, & am,

Yours truly
Fred Cowles,

aw

1411-4th St No.
Minneapolis Minn.

Nov 15th 1898

Mr. A. W. Latham

Dear Sir

In reply to
your letter of Nov 4th I enclose
my paper written for the Annual
meeting. I expect to be
present to read it; at least
I shall try to be there.

You will please retain this
copy until I call for it
and be sure not to lose it as
I have no other copy and do
not have time to write it again

Yours in haste

Chas. D. Clark

Western Passenger Association.

OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN.

77 JACKSON STREET.
(GREAT NORTHERN BUILDING.)

B. D. CALDWELL,
CHAIRMAN.

T. THOMPSON,
SECRETARY

Chicago, November 18, 1898.

Mr A W Latham, Secretary,
Minnesota State Horticultural Society,
207 Kasota Block, Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sirs:-

We are in receipt of your postal card of the 17th inst. and as requested inclose herewith application blank, which we understand you desire to fill in for the purpose of applying for reduced rates for the Annual Meeting of the Minnesota State Horticultural Society to be held in Minneapolis, Minn., December 6-9, 1898.

We also inclose sample certificate, which should be returned with the application blank, signed personally in ink by the party who will sign certificates for your meeting, if reduction is announced on the certificate plan.

On receipt of these blanks properly filled in we will be in a position to give the matter prompt attention in accordance with our rules.

Respectfully,

B. D. Caldwell

Chairman.

EGS-H

Incls.

*Ans
11.19.98*

POSTAL CARD - ONE CENT.

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA.

THIS SIDE IS FOR THE ADDRESS ONLY.



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

Eureka, Oct 28 - 1898

A. W. Graham

Dear Postals rec'd.

Since the first reached me, I have been "racking my brain" for ideas, on the subject assigned. But they don't come. I have been sorry not to contribute, something before when asked, But what little I could say of interest, seemed so insignificant before such an assembly as the State. See the enclosure. If you could change any subject I might write suggestions.

Wm E. B. Crocker
Sugg. est. 1898

Western Passenger Association.

OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN.

77 JACKSON STREET.
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B. D. CALDWELL,
CHAIRMAN.
T. THOMPSON,
SECRETARY.

Subject
Chicago, November 21, 1898.

Mr A W Latham, Secretary,
Minnesota State Horticultural Society,,
207 Kasota Block, Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:

Your application for reduced rates for the Annual Meeting of the Minnesota State Horticultural Society to be held in Minneapolis, Minn., December 6-9, 1898, received.

We will take pleasure in announcing rate of fare and one-third for the round trip on certificate plan for this occasion from points in Minnesota on the condition that there shall be in attendance by rail 100 or more holding certificates of the standard form, showing the purchase of tickets at regular rates (no certificates to be counted or honored which show the purchase of tickets at fifty cents or less).

Under our rules, certificates will be honored which show the purchase of going tickets not earlier than three days prior to the date announced as the opening date of the meeting, and during the first three days thereof, and if presented for return tickets not later than three days after the date announced as the closing date of the meeting (Sunday not to be accounted as a day in any case).

This rate is tendered subject to the condition that your organization will defray the expense of a joint Agent of this Association who will be in attendance at your meeting in order to execute and vise certificates of attendance, and whose duty it shall be to return personally to each of your delegates his certificate, which, under the rules of this Association, is required for delegate meetings held at large commercial centers such as Minneapolis where there is a possibility of misuse of tickets on the part of persons other than delegates to the meeting for which reduced rates are arranged. It will, therefore, be necessary, if you desire to take advantage of the reduced rates above tendered, for you to arrange to have our joint Agent in attendance at your meeting on a sufficient number of days to enable him to do this.

The charge for such services at Minneapolis, under our rules, is \$11.00 for the first day, and \$6.00 for each succeeding day for which the attendance of Agent is necessary. At the time of your last meeting, a Local Secretary of this Association was located in Minneapolis, and it was one of his duties to act in the capacity of Joint Agent for all meetings held in that city, - the expense of his services being but \$3.50 per day. As this office has since been abandoned, we are obliged to send a joint Agent from Chicago and the charge for his services has necessarily been increased, in view of sleeping-car fare, hotel bills, etc., to \$11.00 for the first day, and \$6.00 for each succeeding day.

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We will arrange to make the rate effective upon receipt of amount from you based upon the above estimate and in accordance with the number of days you consider it necessary to have the Joint Agent present to execute certificates of attendance and to personally return to your delegates their certificates in order to satisfy himself that they have regularly been in attendance at your meeting. If you will advise us promptly on what date or dates you will desire him to be present, giving the address of the building or hall in which your meeting will be held, and will send check to cover, we will make all necessary arrangements at once.

We note that you request reduction from points in Wisconsin, Iowa and South Dakota, in addition to Minnesota, and beg to say that, under our rules, reduced rates granted for State meetings are confined to points in the state in which the meeting is held, and we are not therefore in a position to comply with your request in this respect.

Your prompt attention will oblige,

Respectfully,

*J. H. Caldwell*²

Chairman.

EGS-C

*Sent \$11.00
11.25.95*

Western Passenger Association.

OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN.

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(GREAT NORTHERN BUILDING.)

B. D. CALDWELL,
CHAIRMAN.

T. THOMPSON,
SECRETARY.

Chicago, November 25, 1898.

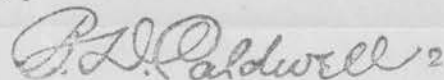
Mr A W Latham, Secretary,
Minnesota State Horticultural Society,
207 Kasota Block, Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Referring to our letter of the 21st inst. tendering reduced rates for the Annual Meeting of the Minnesota State Horticultural Society to be held in Minneapolis, Minn., December 6-9, 1898:

Kindly advise by return mail whether you desire to take advantage of the arrangement offered, in which case trust you will favor us promptly with necessary remittance to cover the services of our Joint Agent at your meeting on such day or days as his services may be required for the purpose of executing and returning to your delegates their certificates.

Respectfully,



EGS-H

Chairman.

Western Passenger Association.

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CHAIRMAN.

T. THOMPSON,
SECRETARY.

Chicago, November 28, 1898.

Mr A W Latham, Sec'y,

Minnesota State Horticultural Society,

207 Kasota Block, Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of your letter of the 25th instant, inclosing check for \$11.00 to cover the services of our joint Agent on one day at the Annual Meeting of the Minnesota State Horticultural Society to be held in Minneapolis, Minn., December 6-9, 1898, and hand you herewith our receipt No.2141 to cover.

We have announced rate of fare and one-third for the round trip on certificate plan for your meeting from points in Minnesota; certificates to be signed by yourself, as per sample sent us with your application, and inclose herewith advice giving full particulars relative to this arrangement.

In accordance with your request, we will have our joint Agent in attendance at your meeting in the rooms of the County Commissioners in the Court House, Minneapolis, on Friday, December 9, for the purpose of executing and returning to your delegates their certificates.

Respectfully,

B. D. Caldwell

Chairman. *S*

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Mr. A. W. Latham

Secy Minn. State Hort. Socy
207 Kasota Block
Minneapolis
Minn.

Mos A. W. Latham
Surreka Nov 29th 1898

the storm, but in yours rec'd & ans'd, before
was returned & I shut a no letter box, so was,
ing to P. O. "air ask" suggestions on what "lay thought
was to suggest a few ways, by which I thought the med-
in go. might be more helpful to those men in
hastid^{ly} like defining certain terms, often - &
suggestions - trying certain experiments that
I have heard were efficient & easy - one getting
rid of curricula, without expense - &c.

I've wanted things explained for years, terms
commonly used, but not understood by
me & perhaps not by others. If you've made
out your program & left me out not hearing
from me again, it is just as well. If you desire
to see this, please give it to 1825-4th Ave
Care of P. O. Brewer. Minneapolis, Minn. I hope
to City this week, & hope to attend the meeting. Respectfully,
Mrs O. B. Brewer

Entitled Encouragement
to Minna Ant
Grower.

If you have
this copy please
send it to me.

Enclosed you will
not for the same.

Yours truly

A. C. Campbell

Lorrabee Iowa

P.S. would you furnish
a photo of the cut
on Pag 338 of the Amel
you sent me of the
'Pearl Gooseberry'?

A.C.C.

The Cataract.

J. H. Snyder.

Sioux Falls, South Dakota. Oct 9th 1898

Mr. A. W. Latham

Dear Sir

I enclose my
cheque for \$5⁰⁰ to pay balance due
on my life membership in the
Horticultural Society.

Please send me the life membership
ticket to my address at
1411-4th St No. Minneapolis
and oblige

Yours truly
Chas. D. Clark

5⁰⁰
Postpaid