



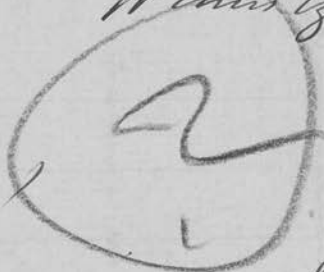
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Winnitza 2/11/90



Dear Sir,

Look over your journal, that I got occasionally, I am very pleased with it and would be very glad to receive it accurately. Do I beg you to send me it of beginning from 1st January 1900 and also copy of your Annual Report for 1898, and 1899. From time to time I can write you something about our fruitgrowing if only it ^{will} ~~may~~ be interesting for your members.

Yours truly

W. Niemetz

Adress Winnitza Podolia
Russia
Waclaw Niemetz

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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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A. W. Latham
207 Kasota Bldg
Minneapolis Minn

Sumner Aug 31 20

Dear Sir I send today to
Refrigerator Co 2 boxes apples
1 for Fair one for Hor. S. West
I sent one for Fair a week ago
but by mistake was by freight -
can you look after them
somewhat at Fairgrounds
Serious sickness keeps me close
at home yours C. E. Alden

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Mr C. W. Latham

Minneapolis

Friend Latham

I write to you to get you to help me out about some two boxes apples & plums I shipped to State Fair, I just shipped them to Refrigerator Co, and that is all I did do. I wish you would look after them if not too much trouble to you, they are not entered or anything, if too late to be of use at Fair please have them returned to cold storage Co, for winter meeting of Society? I leave it entirely to you to do as you think best. I cannot get away from home on account of my daughter's serious illness, I have not been in bed but once in two weeks, sorry to put you to trouble on my account, but I am "stuck" Yours G. E. Older

The agent here shipped my first box
about a week ago by freight; I told him
by Ex and thought it cheap when I
had the transportation but did not notice
the mistake.

✓ 5 ⁶⁰

Stwater Minn.

Aug. 6, 1900,

Minn. State Hort. Soc.

Minneapolis Minn.

Secretary, A. W. Satham

Balance of my life Membership
Fee which was due Dec 30 1899
has not been remitted to you
partly on account ~~me~~ being
absent from home for some
time and I am very sorry
it was not remitted punctually.
I now inclose check for the
Amt. hoping it has caused
any inconvenience I therefore
remain Your Grateful
A. A. Nelson Jr.
Stwater

Minn.



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LIVERNE, MINN., *April 16* 1900.

Mr. C. W. Latham

*Amos pole
Main*

Friend Latham

*Your card of 13th came to hand,
" In regard to the fruit-prospect, I
think it is first rate, every thing
seems to be loaded with fruit-buds,
and if no bad frosts, or blighting winds or
~~over~~ anything else "happens" we
will have a fruit-crop." ~~is raining~~
hard today,*

*I will have to attend the meeting of
the Society more, before I should like
to presume to make "suggestions" to
its officers.*

*Yours truly
Lawrence, Apr 16 1900.*

G. E. Older

*Please find enclosed \$1.00 for membership
fee of M. C. Tanbert - Lawrence Minn
please send him Form Card & books,*

The names of the members I have sent to you
are as follows does it correspond to your books
and have you sent the books to all of them

I gave books to these four and sent the names
and money to Mr Bush.

G. M. Heald
O. S. Peperdick

John Jones

J. H. Baker

all of Sumner

This I have sent direct to you

E. L. Loom life mem steen Minn

S. S. Harris Pipestone Minn Supt Ind School

S. S. Crossman Sumner

W. O. Prestar

R. D. Hinkley

M. C. Taubert

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Fergus Falls, Minn., Febr. 10 - 1900.

Mr. A. W. Latham,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of membership ticket for 1900, also the Horticulturist for January and February, but no annual report is received as yet. If it has been sent please advise, if not please send it at your earliest convenience.

Allow me to make a suggestion. In the February issue of the Horticulturist the delegate to the South Dakota ann. meeting, Mr. C. E. Alder, mentions in his report two papers read at said meeting, one entitled "The Russian Wild Olive as a Hedge Plant," by J. L. McCreca, and another "Ornamental Hedges," by Mr. C. W. Gurney. There is hardly a matter within the scope of horticulture, which is of greater importance particularly to this section of the state than good windbreaks and hedges and if the wild olive is a good tree for that purpose, it ought to be known and the Horticulturist could do no better service to our prairie farmers than to print the above papers and the remarks made by other members in full.

Yours truly
Hans Nelson



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LIVERNE, MINN., ap 18 1902.

Friend Latham

Yours of 17 at hand
Yes, I promised Greens
fruit-grown to all of them.

Supposed it was part of the deal
as Mr Bush so announced it at
Farmers Institute.

Some of the parties J. H. Baker especially
say they have not yet rec'd their
membership card, I told him I would
write to you.

Yes I am pretty busy just now
but can afford to be,

Yours
G. E. Older

I sent the names to Mr Bush, he should
have the credit of them,



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LIVERNE, MINN.,

May 10

1908

Mr A. W. Lathrop
Minneapolis

Friend Lathrop

Enclosed please find
check for \$2.00 for Membership
in the Society of the following.
Please send them Greens Fruit Review
and every thing else in sight; they
will study them.

Math Anderson

Lake Benton

Rasmus Black

Min

Lake Benton

Lincoln co,

Min

Yours G. E. Older

They came down to look over my nursery;
they think of starting one, up there.

State of New Hampshire,
Board of Agriculture,
State Library.

Concord, May 19, 1900.

A. W. Latham,
207 Kasota Block,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Will send you by express a few copies of the report of the Board of Agriculture and will be pleased to receive copies of your report in return. We regret that we cannot send you a larger number, but send all that we have in stock.

Yours truly,

W. J. Bachelier
Secretary.

*Sent 95.99.97.96
6.23.1900*

Lincoln, Jan 22 1900

Friend Natham -

I send you a sort of report -
out of which I hope you can glean
something. The Travers are
such that in going I had to
go by Ellsworth ^{mainly} and Canton S.D.
Coming back I stayed one night -
at Davis near the big orchard.

Thanking you and the other
members of Executive board
for the pleasant time I
enjoyed I remain
Yours C. E. Elder



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Liverne Minn.

Luverne, Minn., *Jan 3^d 1890*

Mr A. W. Latham

Minneapolis

Friend Latham,

I rec'd your card a few days ago and appreciate its contents, Thanks, I had thought so but was not certain about the "ad" please use this letter head as arranged for the "ad" in Magazine, be sure to have the name and location prominent, Thanking you for some ads for other favors I remain

Yours G. E. Older

I expect to send you a few new members this season.

Where does this add go.

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Dear Latham.

*In the interest of brevity, concision
&c I have condensed the copy you sent me,
and cut out considerable matter that seems
to me irrelevant, as matters of record. I hope
my treatment of the paper will meet your approval.
I am going to Madison. Do you want me to pose
as a delegate from our Society?*

*Very truly
S. M. Owen*

Mud Sasham.

You will have to
do with this if any thing.
I am too busy to do more,
You can change it if you see fit.
I was in Madison 2 evenings
and one day; and part of the day I
had to be at the Export Sta. So I cannot
give any thing like an adequate report
of the meeting.

Owen



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Luverne, Minn. March 9 1900

Mr A. W. Latham
Minneapolis
Minn

Friend Latham,

Your favour of 6th inst. just recd,
as I was going to write to you,
The Farmers Institute has come and
gone after a short two days session,
Mr Kish had to go to Worthington
at noon on second day after advising
those wanting trees to get them of their
Hamm nursery man Mr Older - among
other nice things ^{he} said Mr Older is a
progressive man and a member of our
State Agr. Soc. as he ^{is} had to go away
he would leave the books with Mr Older
and he would take subscriptions to member-
ship in the society. I took 4 names and
sent the money to him as soon as the session
closed, I have two more sets of Books and
names of 3 others who will pay in a few days.

also one life member who paid the 1st
payment of \$5.00 the bal in one year,

Mr E. C. Loose Steam Rock Co Minn.
Please send him his membership Card.
with anything else you think he ought to
have. I believe you had better send
me about a half dozen sets of Books and
two Extra copies of "Greens Fruit grower",
one for Mr C. E. Ferguson whose name I
sent to you, He was a new member but got
no S. F. S. and when the others at Farmers
Institute got it he thought he ought
to have it too, and I cant see why he
shouldnt. I enclose you the \$5.00 for
Loose membership fee. I will try and get
the other names on the Photo, I think
I can soon, I will write you about the
Institute in day or two, cannot some
arrangement be made whereby I can
do the Society some good and get my
mileage to the meetings,
Yours truly C. E. Alden

March 11th 1900.

Ms. A. W. Latham Sec.

Dear Sir:-

Can you give information and answer questions through the "Horticulturist" like inquiries below? -

What is the best way to destroy the "Snow Tree Cricket" and the Currant and Gooseberry worm and the Strawberry worm or curlup? -

Where is the best place to get good fruit trees and shrubberies that is true to name? -

Can you recommend some Nursery? -

Does the M. S. H. S. intend to start a nursery that will eventually supply the demand in this state? -

Is the Caterpillar (*Plataphyllum Concauum*) the same insect as the "Snow Tree Cricket"?

The Snow Tree Cricket has been very destructive to my Raspberry bushes and Gooseberries and other shrubberies the last two years. I did not at first know what it was but at last I found it but did not know the name. Prof. Green in his "Amateur Fruit Growing" gives the name of it but not the remedy for destroying it. I used Kerrosin Emulsion last year for the insect mentioned above but the result was not entirely satisfactory. I think there is some better way to destroy these insects.

Hoping to find some stuff to checkmate the little fellows this season I am yours respectfully

M. Olsson

Address: M. Olsson Vegdehøi, Minn.



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Luverne, Minn., March 13 1890

Mr A W Latham
Minneapolis
Minn

Friend Latham—

Enclosed please find P.O. order for \$2.00
for membership State Hor. Society for
D. S. Harris Supt Indian school

Pipestone Minn
and S. S. Crossman
Luverne Minn

please send them books & membership cards,
and oblige— Your favor with suggestion
is all right— but I should not like to
try to depose, or get the position away
from Old Gentleman Richardson if he
should want it.

Yours truly G E Older
please send Mr Harris the monthlies of
this year beginning Jan, although I believe
you do this anyway

Ref. B. 17. 50
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Luverne, Minn., March 20 1890

Mr A W Latham
Minneapolis
Minn

Friend Latham,

Enclosed please find names of fees in Rhata, it will explain itself. Mr S. H. Whiting of Jackson furnished it for me.

If the vice presidency of this district comes this way I think it will have to come through "tips" from the State Sec,

I have a few more names "in tow"

Yours truly G. E. Older



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LIVERNE, MINN., March 31 1900

Mr A. W. Latham
Minneapolis
Main

Dear Sir,
Please find enclosed draft
for \$2.00 for membership in Society
of the following,

- W. C. Preston
 - ✓ R. D. Hinkley
- Liverne Minn
Liverne Minn

Mr G. M. Heald

Atis Pependick

J. H. Baker

John Jones, the names of whom I sent
to Mr Bush after he went to the next
town have not as yet - Received their
membership cards.

Yours very truly G. E. Older

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A. W. Lothom, Secretary

Minneapolis - Minn

207 Kasota Block

Bank
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A. M. Wilson 4/9 1900

A. M. Wilson Sec

Dear Sir, if you have any surplus
left for distribution - as mentioned in the
last Minnesota Horticulturist, when
you receive this card, I should be
pleased to receive a package.

Yours truly

E. N. Nelson

Express office Winton, Minn



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Luverne, Minn., Jan 8 1890

Mr A W Latham
Minneapolis
Minn

Friend Latham

Your card Recd last night asking what space I was to have for "ad" in magazine. I really don't know, one of the best places I guess at a small price, I think you said the price would be three or four dollars, so you must decide, only, don't stand in your own light,

I find nothing that bears on any railway societies except article three of the constitution published in last Annual, but that seems to cover the ground, yours truly
G. E. Older



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Luverne, Minn., Dec 28 1899

Mr A. W. Latham
Minneapolis

Friend Latham,

Yours of late date inclosing
communication from H. W. Hinds of Parker,
I will confer with Prof Hansen and
will do what I can to bring it about.

You gave me credentials to S. D.
meeting while at the last session in
Minneapolis, Thanks, does our
society pay the expense of their delegates,
I understand I am to make a report of
the meeting.

Yours truly G. E. Older

Freelburg

Decbr 1. 1899

A W Lathan

Dear Sir

I have sent you
some appeals to
Exhibit at the
meeting and
also the pictures
of my Orange Tree

with Mr Morris
can give you the
history of it and the
five year old
orchard with
contain the family

Dear Sir

I have put in
a few extra
appeals for cutting

varieties Ben Davis
Peters the Jeppes
and Jonathan
the Springdale Woods
Wier the Babbitt
the Shapfield
the ~~of~~ Ashland
and many others

When you get through
with the pictures
I should like to
have them back

and oblige me
yours very respectfully
Wm Oxford

Wrightstown Dec. 16. 1899

Friend, A. W. Latham, see

Dear Sir inclosed find
\$ 5.00 for subscriptions
To Horticultural society
you see i send four
New members.

Please send any express
Matter to Hewitt as

Wadena is to far away
My ¹⁸⁹⁸ Report was sent to
Wadena and made me
24 miles extra travel.

If i am intitled to
All Three Books, send
To Wrightstown if by mail

If by express to Hewitt,
I want Prof S. B. Green's Amateur,
Fruit Growing, if no other
And Vegetable Gardening next
Choice. Please send me all
Information you can as I
Want to get more to join
If I have not got it plain
Enough so this is any
Mistake please write me
And I will get it fixed.
About what time will the
1899. Report be sent out,
I think this is a fine
Thing for the people to
Learn lots about Fruit. (over)

growing. 4 of my raspberries
died last spring the 3. king
and 1. Nemaha. if you have
any ^{premium} of no 11-12. to spare
in spring i would like to
try some of them. or any thing
that is very hardy as this
is prity far north. but we
shall raise fruit yet. i have
20 apples trees. 72 raspberries, 1000
strawberries. 17 currants' gooseberries
all look nice.

Yours very Truly

W. F. Naylor

Wrightstown Minn

P.S. i shall send in new
names any time i can
get them. W. F. N

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St. Paul, Minn. Dec 2 - 1899.

Mr. W. W. Latham. Presy. W. State Hort. Society
My Dear Sir.

In looking over the correspondence I find a letter from you dated Oct 10-99 requesting me to read a paper on the art of trimming shade & ornamental trees. I think that a response was not made at the time by me, but I enclose a paper on the subject as requested and as I am not able to be present at the meeting on the 5 & 6 of Dec. I would ask you to kindly read the paper before the Society, as it seems to me important to have it discussed and criticised.

I will be out of the city but expect to be back on the 7. and will likely call while the session meeting is yet in session.

Yours very truly
Fred Nussbaumer.

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Minneapolis Minn. ~~Oct~~ Nov 1 99

Mrs. Lathrop. I send you herewith some matter that you may use. I fear it is too long, and am not proud of the MSS. but I have no time to rewrite it. I think the lesson suggested is one worth to be given at this time. But use it or not, or endorse it if you please, "any thing goes" with me, you know. I don't understand when you want to use my professed paper for the annual meeting at the agricultural school; if before the meeting I would not deem it best, besides I may not have it ready before but if after, that is a matter that its merits better decide.

Yours ever
S. M. Owen

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Secretary State Horticultural Society,

Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir:- Replying to yours of the 14th in regard to the loan of the plate used by us on page 760 of June 17, 1899, we do not make a practice of loaning these cuts as we use them unblocked and they are not suitable to print in other papers unless we go to the expense of having them remade as there are no margins for blocking left on in the manner in which we use them. We can however make an electrotpe from the cut and if you desire an electro we will make you one which we guarantee will print as nicely as the halftone, for which we should have to charge you \$1.25 f.o.b. Springfield. If this is satisfactory to you, send order to our Springfield office and it will be made and forwarded.at once:

Yours truly,

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