



Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

4TH DISTRICT
 AVERY K. BUSH
 DOVER

Thirty-Second Session.

Dover Minn 10/11 1901

A. N. Latham Esq
 Minneapolis Minn & Dear Friend

With regard
 to the check of 40¢ which you sent to
 me for overcharges on books by Ex. Co.
 I gave the same to Mr. J. B. Ferry
 who mailed it to Supt. O. C. Gregg.
 I presume Mr. Gregg may have overlooked
 it, the amount being so small.
 I will call his attention to the matter.
 I am glad to know the seedling apple
 which will be unusually good at our
 winter meeting. I have called attention
 to our proposition of increasing premiums
 on seedlings in the next Dept of the
 Northwestern Agriculturist. I trust others
 will push or pull and help us —
 Very truly yours
 A. K. Bush

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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Thirty-Second Session.

Dover Min 9/28 1901

A. W. Latham Esq
Mpls. Minn

Dear Friend

Pardon me

for not answering your letter of 25th inst I overlooked it. I think the premiums you suggest just right if our Port Society can afford it I know it will be well invested. I trust you have advised with other members regarding the matter. I am rather too enthusiastic on selling apples, I presume, hence, do not want to dictate but suggest these generous premiums with best wishes, I am —

Your friend
A. K. Bush

Mr. Latham -

Dear Sir. It will be better for me to send you this note than not; then you will understand better how we are situated. I live in Murray Co., but my P.O. address is Pipestone Co., We are new at fruit-raising. It has been very hard to make it grow. Either the land was too new or we did not get the right kind. My wife is really the horticulturist as I have so much else on the farm to do; my time is limited. Her health has been quite poor for the past two years. This year we had no raspberries, no apples, or a very few crab. Our apple trees with the exception of three trees have been growing three years. Last spring we set out quite a number of different kinds of apple and plum trees with small fruit

and a few shrubs: This was a very trying
summer: We had frost when trees and
bushes were in blossom. The plum trees
that are bearing are wild. they had a very small
crop. The weather was very hot and we had little
or no rain for some time: When it did rain
it was too late for berries: but did other growing
crops lots of good for which we are very thank-
full. Our settlement is almost entirely foreign:
scarcely any of them raise a garden and fruit is
not raised: then a good deal of the land is worked
by renters; so it is doubtful if I will be able to
secure ever one member for the society: I should
have one before but have been very busy and have
had sickness in our house. I would like to come
to the annual meeting but cannot tell yet. We will
have no fruit to bring or ~~some~~ seed as we did not
raise it. We think this a very hard place to grow
fruit. I will not take more of your valuable
time so close. Your friend

O. E. Buss.

Oct 27th 1901

A. W. Sathau

Dear Sir:

In regard of yours
of Sept 14th, will say that I will
try and come to the meeting
and in regard of the paper
entitled the Hot bed and its
uses in vegetable gardening,
I shall try and give the
Society best I know. I have
of course only had a limited experience
my self, as I have only been in
the business 4 or 5 years, but if you
think my experience will benefit
the members of the society, I shall
gladly give, what I have. Will this
Paper also include preparing of the
Hot bed. kindly let me know
respectfully

Paul Burkstaff,

Stillwater,

Minnesota.

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Southern Minnesota
Horticultural Society.

President J. C. Hawkins, Austin, Minn.



OFFICE OF
Mrs. C. E. Brainerd, Secretary.

Albert Lea, Minn., June 10 1901

Sec. Latham.

Enclosed find draft for the sum of eight dollars and sixty-seven cents (8.67). membership fee of the South. Minn. Hort. Soc. to State Soc.

I should like very much to attend the picnic but can hardly afford it.

Yours.

Mrs. C. E. Brainerd

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State of Minnesota

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Thirty-Second Session.

Gibson Minn. 5/28 1901

A. W. Latham Esq.,
 Minneapolis Minn. } Dr. Friend

Enclosed

find the circular with some workings
 which, in my opinion, would give added
 information valuable to our Society -
 I could not visit in your city Monday
 as I expected to do, and meet the
 appointment at this place - I reached
 St Paul at 7⁴⁵ A.M. but was obliged to
 leave on the 8³⁰ A.M. train, the only
 one running the day - to Gibson -
 I do not think it will not be possible
 for me to attend the Summer Meeting
 hence, could not present resolutions you
 request - The Express charges on the 3 packages
 of books was 1⁰⁵ as each was billed on
 an individual account. The charge should
 have been only 4⁵⁰ - The blunder was made
 by agent in your city. Can you correct the same?
 Very Truly Yours
 EVERY K. BUSH

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- J. H. NICHOLS.
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State of Minnesota

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Thirty-Second Session.

Brown Valley, 6/10 1901

A. N. Latham Esq. }
 Minneapolis Minn. } Dr. Friend

I enclose please add to our list =

- | | | | |
|----------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------|
| ✓ B. B. Phillips | Echo | Minn. | The names |
| ✓ W. J. Acan | Dawson | " | |
| ✓ J. E. Strand | Boyd | | |
| ✓ J. J. Jackson | Madison | " | |
| ✓ M. H. Dutton | Brown Valley | " | |
| ✓ A. E. Allen | " | " | |
| ✓ A. B. Andree | " | " | |
| ✓ Mrs. J. D. Eastman | " | " | |
| ✓ Mrs. G. Wilson | " | " | |
| ✓ W. J. Potts | " | " | |
| Send Dr. Potts | Forcity | to Mr. Potts | |
| by mail. he had | fruit | Grimmy. | |

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No 2

Thirty-Second Session.

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The attendance at our Institute has been rather light except at this place where ~~we~~ we had a raising meeting with about 500 people in the hall - on account of the light crop last year people are short for money which ~~is~~ is a reason for the few memberships secured. We call special attention, at each meeting, to the Neost Society and its work, publications etc, also solicit the names of people interested in trees, birds etc, to join us - I also distribute the folders at each meeting - I am obliged to you for the kind invitation to spend a Sunday at your home but cannot on this circuit send 5 sets of Books to Brooker, Stearns co. when we will be Wednesday - I am a little slow in sending for them - With best wishes & regards

A. K. Bush

WAIT'S HOTEL

T. K. McCORMICK, Prop.



REFURNISHED

Steam Heat

Electric Light

Electric Bells

Bloomington, Illinois,

April 13

1901

Mr A. W. Latham
207 Kasota Building.

Dear Sir

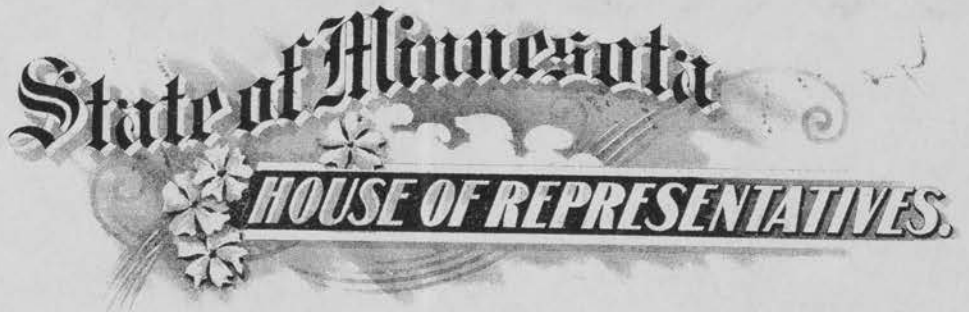
For about two months I have been lecturing through this section of Illinois. I have given this apple they raise here, considerable thought. And you will be interested in what I say when come home, of this country generally. I will give you the best assurance that I can interest every nursery man in Minnesota, although I am not selling fruit trees. I might say something at our June meeting. I will return in a month.

Yours in haste

Alfred H. Brayton.

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Thirty-Second Session.

Jenney, 6/16 1901

A. W. Latham Esq.
Minneapolis Minn

Dear Friend

Enclosed

find list of new Memberships -

- Neattie Nyberger Lintonville Minn
- Aug. H. Lederberg Barrett "
- Lewis O. Foss, Wendell "
- Andrew Nilson Jenney "
- D. L. McJaggant Campbell "
- Geo. Mc Kee Jenney "
- Mr. Davidson Campbell "

Send report to Mr. Davidson.

I am entirely out of books, and it
is now too late to have more forwarded.

With best wishes I am

Very truly yours

A. K. Bush

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Thirty-Second Session.

✓ 16 00
Dover Minn 6/28 1901

A. N. Latham Esq
Minneapolis Minn Dear Friend

Please add
the name of W. K. Williams, Esq
Elbon Lake
~~England~~ Minn. to our list of
Members - Send books to him

Endorsal find check for \$16 00
Hon. J. F. Jacobson and Hon. Louis O. Fox,
our Members of the Legislature and valuable
friends to our Society. We shall need them
to help us in future sessions when they will
be worth more than the membership fee -
I did not take this money - that
places them under slight obligation to us -
I have used my judgement in these
matters which I hope will be read.
as given in the best interests of our
State Horticultural Society -

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

No 2

Thirty-Second Session.

C. M. L.

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With regard to the courteous recall at
the Official Meeting of the Ex. Board of
our Heart Society - I can assure you
and other members of the Board that I
am very grateful for the position of
honor that they have seen fit to place
with me - I could hope to fill the
position made vacant by the death
of our respected friend, G. D. Harris, but
will strive at all times to do the best
I am able to promote the best interests
of our Society - The title of an "Hon. Life
Member" makes me feel more dignified &
"steck up" than ever - I can thank you
personally for the honors which I feel
certain were suggested by yourself -
With best wishes for the largest and best
Heart Society in the U. S. - I am
your friend
A. K. Bush

THE WESTERN HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

SECRETARY:
MELVIN BARTLETT,
P.O. Box 1258

WINNIPEG,

July 30

1901

A W Latham Esq

Secy Minnesota Hort Socy
St Paul, Minn

Dear Sir,

I am sending you a few copies of a circular just issued advertising the convention we are holding on the 1st August., and shall be obliged if you can hand them to any of your members who may intend visiting Winnipeg's Exhibition. There will be several additions to the list of speakers given in the circular, and consequently addresses will be short (hot-weather style). The intention is to make it a friendly re-union rather than a formal Convention.

If you are attending the W'peg Exhibition (where you will find many St Paul people) it will be a great

THE WESTERN HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

SECRETARY:
MELVIN BARTLETT,
P.O. Box 1258

WINNIPEG, 190

pleasure to me and the other
officers of the Society to see you
at our Convention.

Yours truly

Melvin Bartlett
Secretary.

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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Thirty-Second Session.

Dover July 28

1901

A. M. Latham Esq.

Minneapolis Minn. { Dear Friend

I have the
program for the next Annual Meeting.
I wish to compliment you for the most
excellent material and subjects ^{matter} it
contains. I have no changes to suggest
for I could not improve to
your acquaintance with our members
is such that you can assign the
subjects to parties who attend regularly
and are competent from experience,
natural ability &c. to instruct and entertain
the meeting. We are perfectly safe in leaving
the matter wholly in your hands.
With best wishes in the undertaking, I am

Your Friend

A. K. Bush

724-12¹ - N. W.
Washington, D. C. 8/1/01

Mr. A. W. Latham

Secy Minn State Halls Dept
Minneapolis Minn
Dear Sir

Your favor of the 20th
ult came duly to hand and
would have received immediate
attention had I not been under
the weather and I am still
unable to write a letter for your
publication in testimony of Peter
M. Gideon, but I will do so
just as soon as I can.

I am sorry to be limited to
so small a space

Sincerely yours

G. B. Brackets

Promont, Va.
Eureka, Wis.

A. S. Lathams, Soc.
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir,

Will you
be so kind as to state in a
future number of The Horticultu-
rist where the Lombard
plum that is spoken of so highly
in Iowa originated, if you
think it would be hardy in Minn
and if it is a cleave or cling stone

We would ask of your read-
ers the proper manner to make
a myrtle mound for beauty
and permanence, and their is more
than one variety and the best?

Yours Respectfully
H. G. Bredt



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including membership in the Society.
Send to the Secretary for circular describing the Society
and its work and copy of its Magazine.

State Horticultural Society.

PRESIDENT, W. W. RENDERGAST, HUTCHINSON.

OFFICE (AND LIBRARY) OF

A. W. LATHAM, Secretary,

207 KASOTA BLDG.,

Minneapolis, Minn., July 8, 1901. 190

Mr. O. F. Brand, Faribault, Minn.

Dear Friend:

It is getting pretty near time now when it becomes necessary for us to know approximately how much support we are likely to have in filling with fruit the extensive quarters that horticulture is to occupy in the new building at the state fair. How much will you be able to do to help us in this as compared with your exhibit last year? Have you more varieties in bearing, or will the specimens be larger and of finer appearance? There is not so much fruit on the trees this season, and what does ripen we hope will be unusually fine. Please let me know very soon about what we may expect from you.

I enclose a few tags you can use in sending fruit to cold storage, and more will be furnished as called for. And don't forget to send in some specimens for the winter meeting also.

Yours fraternally,

A. W. Latham, Secy.

8/6 - The Outlook does not promise well for us to go to the Expense and great labor of making an Exhibit this year. We may show a few things. Hail, Drouth & how interfered too much. B.

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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Thirty-Second Session.

Dover, Minn. 9/22/1901

A. N. Latham Esq
 Minneapolis Minn

Dear Friend

With regard to the premium list for Annual Meeting: I believe we should be more generous in giving premiums for feeding fruit. We can afford to pay ^{\$50(3)} ~~100~~ ⁷⁰ to growers of worthy seedling apple for the N.W. Mill by a home grown seedling of Minnesota leads in this matter of a generous premium other states will follow. With such a proposition out we can work the state for additional aid and get it. This may be a matter for the Ex. Board to determine, but in my opinion we should put up at least \$100 for feeding each Annual Meeting - Am I wild in the statement?

Yours Very Truly

A. K. Bush



Southern Minnesota
Horticultural Society.

President J. C. Hawkins, Austin, Minn.

OFFICE OF
Mrs. C. E. Brainerd, Secretary.

Albert Lea, Minn., May 5 1900

A. W. Latham.

The names of
C. Morgan and J. F. Morgan
of Forestville, Minn., are new
members of our Society,
and are entitled to the Magazine.
O. W. Moore, of Spring Valley
Minn., one of our Vice. Pres.
asked me to tell you to send
him 3 vol. of Hort reports
for 1900 and 2 vol. for
1899. He will deliver them
to members who has not
received one. Please attend
to this at your earliest
convenience.

5.6.00 Mrs. Chas. Brainerd



Received of

Minneapolis, Minn. Sept 30 1901

A W Latham

Four and $\frac{00}{100}$ ——— Dollars

for load to far grounds

\$400

Boyd Transfer Co
11

U.S. Bond.

Edwin W. Williams, Stationer, Minneapolis, Minn.

M. A. BRATTLAND.

—
LAWYER.

—
ADA, MINNESOTA.

May 7th, 1901.

A.W.Latham, Secretary,

207 Kasota Block.,

Minneapolis, Minn.

✓ 1⁰⁰/₁₀₀

Dear Sir:- I hand you herewith M.O. for \$1. in payment of membership in the Society by J.C.Norby, Ada, Minn. He desires as premiums Plum Seedlings or any two others such as are still in season and can be planted.

For securing member I would ask for a copy of "Amateur Fruit Growing".

Yours truly,

M. A. Brattland

St Charles Minn April 28th 1901

Friend W Latham

your card of the 26th

is at hand I am glad that the prospects
are so good for a fine crop.

As to what I consider I think
for the next Annual meeting I think
that a variety of subjects is good
and entertaining like those of the
Annual meeting

Yours very truly
C L Blair

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State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Dover, Minn.

Thirty-Second Session.

May 23

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A. W. Lothman Esq.
Minneapolis Minn. My Friend
You just
said I have been very busy with my
planting and other work preparing to
going out with the Institute. Hence, had
not noticed the account of Prof.
Lugger's death. Being in the prime of
his usefulness the loss of this valuable
man is great to the Horticultural as
well as Agricultural interests of the N. W.
My personal acquaintance with him is
limited, hence, I do not feel qualified to
write an obituary. Our Society will miss
his timely suggestions and ever ready and
willing help. The loss of such men as
he and Father Kearns, Stevens, are
irreplaceable to our Horticultural Society.

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Thirty-Second Session.

A.M.L.

Nov

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I will do my part in reaching that
"1000 mark" on our subscription list.
With a united effort there is no
reason why it should not be reached in 1901.
How many of the old members are willing
to pledge themselves to secure one or
more new subscribers during the next six months?
I know of several who can well afford to
give a membership to some deserving
friends. How many of our good people are
willing to help others who have not been prospered
and blessed with an abundance of wealth or
who have been unfortunate?

I shall go with the Institute next Monday and
may visit you on the way. I had about 10
sets of books to the best place, Gibleon, Sibley &
I will use them, with others. — Sub 25.00
Yours sincerely
A. K. Bush

Canton S.D.

May 24-1901

Mr W. Latham
Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir:

Please find
inclosed money Order for One
Dollar for subscription to Horticulture,
Send to the following address
And Oblige, Geo. Feldman
Canton S.D.

If I am entitled to any
premium for this subscription you
may send me a copy of Amateur fruit
growing

Yours Respect.

J. H. Brenner



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President J. C. Hawkins, Austin, Minn.

OFFICE OF
Mrs. C. E. Brainerd, Secretary.

Albert Lea, Minn., June 5 1901

See Gatham

✓ Please enter the name
of O. M. Peterson, Birford N.
Dak., on the list of our South.
Minn. Hort. So.

Mr. Wedge sent in his name,
and said nothing about a bond
report, but as I have none left
perhaps you better send him
one.

Yours.

Mrs. C. E. Brainerd

Dr. J. J. J. 17¢

St Charles Minn April 24th 1901

Mr A W Latham

Sec. of Hort Society Dear Sir

We believe that the apple trees
have come through the winter
all right so far as the top is concerned
the trees are alive clear to the terminal
buds but it will be some time
later before we can tell for certain
about the root freezing as we had
but very little snow in the
early part of the winter as there
was a great deal of moisture in
the soil we think that fruit trees
here have come through all right
your truly C. Le Blaire



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Thirty-Second Session.

4TH DISTRICT
AVERY K. BUSH
DOVER

St. Paul 4/6 1901

A. N. Latham Esq
 Minneapolis Minn Dr. Friend
 with regard to
 the ^{bill} changing the State Printing to
 which you called my attention
 the proposed change simply includes
 the publications of the State
 Historical Society - and does not
 change the old law in any other
 respect. I think there is but
 little hope of the Horticultural
 Society getting any additional
 appropriation this session.
 The committee on Appropriations are
 killing many bills -
 The Forest Board Bill which I
 introduced passed the House.
 With best wishes I am
 Yours Truly
 A. K. Bush

✓ 2/20

Hutchinson Minn 3-26-1901

A W Latham, Secretary,
207 Kasota Block
Dupke, Minn.

Dear Sir:- Please find two dollars
(\$2.00) enclosed to pay the membership
fee of Mrs Louisa Cooke (old member)
and John Gregor (New member)
for the year 1901. Please send me "Amat-
eurs Fruit-Growing" as a premium.

Send these premiums for all members:

R. G. Benjamin	6 ^{No}	7 ^{No}	Second choice	2 ^{No}	3
J. F. Benjamin	2	3	"	"	4 " 5
Mrs Anna McKenzie	6	7	"	"	4 " 5
Mrs Louisa Cooke	4	5			
John Gregor	4	5			

My brother J. F. claims that he has
only received the "Horticulturist" for
January if you have any extra No's
for February and March kindly send him
one of each and oblige. R. G. Benjamin

Charles City, Iowa, 3/17th 1901

Mr A. W. Latham

Dear Sir
Some time in February I sent you a
new Member with subscription price the
Mans name was A. J. Wilde of Sexton Ia
and as you have not notified me as to
whether you received the same or not wish
you would give this matter your early attention
as I am entitled to one of Green Amateurs
fruit growers and another matter I wish
to speak of is that I have only recd
one copy of the Horticulturist that was
the January number Feb. and Mar. I have
never recd please give this your early
attention and Oblige Yours Truly

C. M. Laskin

Charles City
Iowa

Sub 7,4.01

St Charles Minn June 7th 1900

Mr W Latham

Secretary of State
Horticultural Society

Dear Sir I send you by
mail a Photograph of my ^{new} pear
orchard set in 1896 the trees
look healthy and are from
one and a half to two and a half
inches through and from 10 to 12
feet high between 400 and 500
of them were in bloom this
Spring I also send you a
Photo of my old Peaches
orchard in blossom
we have now a free Rural mail
Delivery Daily Please send the
Horticultural Magazine to
St Charles Minn
I am
Wrote him 900
7.14.00

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our ^{the} trees nearly blossomed
full but the heat or something
has blighted them somewhat
I think that there is quite
enough fruit left for a fair ^{crop}
if it matures, I think that there
will not be but few ^{leaves}
in this vicinity.

Yours Truly
C. L. Blouin



NEW STATE CAPITOL IN COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION.

State of Minnesota

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

4TH DISTRICT
AVERY K. BUSH
DOVER

Thirty-Second Session.

St Paul 3/2

1901

A. M. Latham Esq.
Minneapolis Minn & Friend

Enclosed I

send Manual of 1901.

I have not cashed the \$2 check
you sent me and am not sure
what I did with it. Possibly I shall
need a duplicate.

The demands on the Star funds
are so heavy this term I hesitate
to ask for any appropriation as we
were so well served 2 years ago.
I will ask Mr. Jacobson &
others what our chances would be.
In haste
Bush

MINNESOTA STATE ARCHIVES
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A. W. Latham

Dear Sir

Father died the 10th of Dec
1900, am surprised you did not
hear of it.

I do not wish to become
a member this year.

Yours Sincerely
R. W. Buttermore

and only wish to be sure
that your organization
or the Women's Auxiliary
would consider the ^{in the}
in case the League ^{should} ~~would~~
^{decide to} relinquish its claim or
~~do~~ wish to compromise.
I thought of this plan:
To establish the work as a
state organization with
~~the~~ a local committee here
in Minneapolis which
could work with the
Improv. League or inde-
pendently as the League
preferred. I think, though,
if the Horticultural Society

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Mr. Latham,

Your letter just-
received. Please consider
me a member and I
will pay the fee when I
see you.

Do you think that
if the Improvement League
should give up the flower
work there is ^{any} way in which
it could become a part
of the State Hort. Society?

either as ~~an~~ an auxiliary
or as a part of the women's
auxiliary? I am not sure
that ~~the~~ League will
abandon it - but I shall
know Tuesday if I can
possibly leave home to
attend the February meeting
and before that time I
should like very much
much to prepare some
recommendation for the
League that would place
the work in ~~on~~ a firmer
foundation and give it
a more permanent
value.

If it is possible I
shall try and see you
Saturday morning at
your office - I ask you
first - before consulting
Miss White because I can-
~~not~~ not make any move
without the consent of the League

Could ^{and would} adopt: I - the League
would give up all claims.
It seems to me to belong
with the Horticultural
Society and that the
two lines of work would
be mutually helpful, if
the flower work was re-
organized. There could
be a nominal member-
ship fee for the children
the state fair exhibits,
the Agricultural college
excursions and the
placing of model gardens
in the school yards, the

detruction of notions
made by school children
and various other plans
could then be carried
on under the super-
vision of the Horticul-
tural Society, and it is
all educational which
would bring it right-
in line with the object-
of the State Horticultural
Society. If you cannot
spare time this time Saturday
will you please telephone
as it is very difficult for
me to leave home at all
and greatly oblige
Feb. 31 71 2:1
M. M. Garrison

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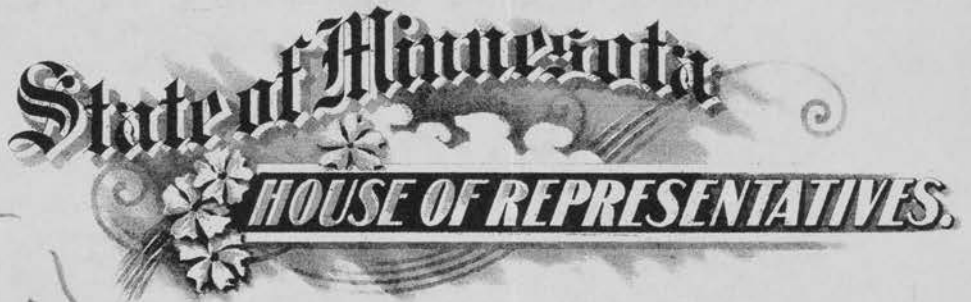
A. W. Latham Esq.
 Minneapolis Minn. Dear Friend

The list of
 seed growers in Minn. is real.
 Thanks for the same -
 If we can add \$500 to the final
 omnibus bill for the Lent's Society
 I shall do all I can to get that
 amount but do not think it best
 or advisable to introduce a bill for
 the amount just now. However I
 shall be guided by the wishes of
 our Society -
 I shall be glad to see you at the
 Capitol any time -
 With best wishes. I am
 your friend
 A. K. Bush

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St. Paul, July 9 1901

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7.11.01*
A. W. Latham Esq
Minneapolis Minn Dr. Forward

I would like a list of the owners of Murray stock. Stocks etc. for personal use. If you can make two copies when you are at it. I am glad to hear you supply Mr. Collins. Let me hear from you if anything new of interest occurs. With best wishes - I am
Yours friend A. K. Bush

This is a list of the members for 1900
Send them the magazine to these addresses.

Send J. C. Hawkins 16 bound volumes.
He will deliver them in Austin.

Send me about ~~8~~ or 10 bound volumes
I will deliver them in Albert Lea.

Send to -

J. C. Upton - Cresco Ia - one by mail

Jan Jensen - Rose Creek - Minn. "

Frank L. Severson - Stewartville Minn. one by mail

O. W. Moore - Spring Valley - send about five he
will deliver them.

We expect more members and will need
more than the actual count of bound
volumes.

Mrs. Chas Brained Sec.

Send reports

Mr. Latham

Dear Sir,

This is a
also the financial report. Have
tomorrow.

Mrs. Chas. Braintree

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Kingston, R. I., Feb. 8, 1901.

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

Dear Sir:-

Your circular letter of Feb. 1st is at hand. I take pleasure in placing your Society upon our mailing list so that you will receive our publications regularly in the future. We have no cloth bound copies of our annual reports. We have, however, reserved for libraries a few complete sets of our publications. If you desire me to send you a complete set for your library I will do so. Kindly send us your publications in exchange.

Yours very truly,

✓ Sent Rep 1900

A. A. Brigham



Southern Minnesota
Horticultural Society.

President J. C. Hawkins, Austin, Minn.

OFFICE OF
Mrs. C. E. Brainerd, Secretary.

Albert Lea, Minn., Feb 9 1900

Sec. Latham.

Sir: You will
please place ✓ D. K. Michener, - Etna
Minn. and ✓ S. F. Leonard of
Washington, Minn on our
list as members of the
South. Minn. Hort. Soc. They
have rec'd bound book.
Please send them ~~the amount~~
from Jan 1901.

Yours,
Mrs. Charles Brainerd.