



Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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*A W Latham Secy,
207 Kasota Bldg.
Minneapolis,
Minn.*

Cornell University, College of Agriculture and Agricultural Experiment Station.

Ithaca, N. Y., 2/12 1901.

Dear Sir:—

Reports sent as requested
and will send future bulletins
and reports. Reports back of '96"
out of print. Would be glad to
receive your publications.

✓ Sent R. 00 Yours

E. A. Butler
clerk



PIPESTONE, MINN., Oct 28th 1901

Mr. A. W. Latham
207 Kasota Block

550

Minneapolis: Minn.

Dear Sir, please find enclosed
25¢ 2 Postage for one member
ship from Lath and the Block
entitled Trees Fruits and Flowers
of Minnesota for the year 1900
at One of Pough. To

Mr. A. E. Manson, Pipestone, Minn.

Yours, Resp. t.

P. C. Christensen

Farmers + Minn.

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Mr A. W. Latham
207 Kasota Block
City

Pillsbury Hall

Oct 15 - 1900

U. of M

Minneapolis

Mr A. W. Latham

Dear Friend

10-10- I have today sent Mr. Janssen to you of
Reports from 1881 - 99 ^{incl 91-92-93-98} I have not received 1900 ^{man}
Hope I won't get very many, as the accommodation
get's worse rather than better.

I am well Hope you are the same

Respectfully E. A. Cuzner

~~Mr. J. H. ...~~
Eagle Lake Minn.
Oct. 28 - 1901

A. H. Latham

Minneapolis,

Dear Sir: Yours recd.

As my trees have
just commenced to bear
I dont care to send
fruit until next
season when the apples
will be more perfect
and I can see how
long they will hang ^{on} and
keep. will send scions
any time wanted,

wish the trees could
be seen will name
them true Minnesota

please answer
Yours Respt-

George Chapman

Eagle Lake
Minn.

THOS. E. CASHMAN, President and Manager.

M. R. CASHMAN, Secretary.

W. H. HART, Treasurer.

Capital Stock \$50,000.

Clinton Falls Nursery Co.,

INCORPORATED.

Growers of Hardy Nursery Stock.

REFERENCE: National Farmers Bank,
Owatonna, Minn.

OFFICE AND GROUNDS,
One-half Mile West of Postoffice.

GOOD AGENTS WANTED.

Owatonna, Minn. Sept. 28, 1901. 190

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

Friend Latham:-

Your favor at hand asking me to prepare a paper for our next Horticulture Meeting, entitled, "Laying out a Ten Acre Small Fruit Farm". This is nearly the same as I gave last year, but will do the best I can with it.

Very respectfully yours,

Thos. E. Cashman

The University of Minnesota
Minneapolis

June 14, 1901

Mr. A. W. Latham

Dear Sir & Friend

I have the two packages of reports for 1899 all ready & they will be sent over the first time the team can be spared there could be any of 1900 sent over as yet. you will be surprised to know that I am going to be away for five or six weeks I am going out to Vancouver island ^{leaving D. C. 6:40 P.M. June 15} with a party gotten up by Prof Mac Millan

Hope you will take care of the town

Believe me

Respectfully

Yours
E. A. Cuzner

PLAIN VIEW NURSERY,



R. W. CHAPMAN, Proprietor.

Located on West Main St.

✓ 2⁰⁰

Plain View, Minn., June 19th 1901
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A. W. Latham, Secretary

Minneapolis, Minn

Dear Sir

Enclosed Please Find \$2.00
For which - Send Minnesota Horticulturist
To the Following address -

George Farrar -

Elgin

Minn

Scott - Lamont -

Garretts

Wabasha -

Minn

yours Respectfully

R. W. Chapman

District Court of Minnesota,
Eleventh Judicial District.

J. D. ENSIGN,
WM. A. CANT,
HOMER B. DIBELL. } JUDGES.

DULUTH, MINN., June 23, 1901.

A. W. Lathrop Esq.

Secy. Minn. State Horticultural Society
St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir,

Herewith find one dollar for which send me
the monthly publication of your society, and the cloth bound
report on to which I understand this payment entitles
me.

If you happen to know, please advise me whether
the sprayer, holding three or four gallons, which is being
sold by the Jewell Nursery Co., is among the best that can
be had. If it is not, please advise me what is the best
instrumentality of this kind, which is procurable and
where it can be gotten and at what price. The area
I have to care for is small, which is an element to be
considered in determining what agencies are to be used
and what it is worth while to pay.

Thanking you in advance I am

Yours truly

Wm. A. Cant,

Cant

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Owatonna, Minn. July 23, 1901. 1901

A. W. Latham, Esq.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Friend Latham:--

Enclosed please find stamps amounting to 50¢, the membership fee of
C. A. Schmidt of Owatonna Minn. Send his membership card and other
literature to Bertha, Minn. where he is now at the present time.

Very respectfully,

Clinton Falls Nursery Co.,

Per Thos. E. Cashman Pres.

PUBLIC LIBRARY.

JAMES K. HOSMER,

LIBRARIAN.

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.,

Aug 5

1901

Mr A. W. Latham :-

Dear Sir :-

As you will see by the enclosed letter, I have written to Mrs Underwood asking her advice about space at the State Fair. She refers me to you. I want some space for the State Library Commission, I want to smock books, and I want space for some book cases, and several hundred

books. Of course they pack compactly,
and will not take much floor space.

I called to see you today, but failed
to find you. Could you appoint a
time with me?

Yours truly

Ernest A. Countryman

Minnesota State Public Library Commission.

Margaret J. Evans, Northfield, Chairman.
Gratia A. Countryman, Minneapolis, Secretary.
Cyrus Northrop, Minneapolis.
Warren Upham, St. Paul.
John W. Olsen, St. Paul.

Clara F. Baldwin, Librarian,
Office, 514 Masonic Temple.

Minneapolis, Aug 22 - 1901

Mr A. W. Latham:

Dear Sir:

I talked with you about room
in the Horticultural Building for a book case.
I cannot get space in the Woman's Building
as we talked. So will you count on my being
there where we spoke of in your Building.

Yours truly,

Gratia Countryman

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Owatonna, Minn. Sept. 10, 1901

Mr. A. W. Latham, Esq.

Minneapolis, Minn.

Friend Latham:-

Please send us five hundred (500) folders as soon as possible and oblige,

Respectfully yours,

Clinton Falls Nursery Co.,

Per Thos. E. Cashman Pr.

Sent 9.11.01

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Mr. Latham
209 Kasota Bldg.
Minneapolis

Mr Latham
your letter just received. I haven't very good
grafts this year, and I shouldn't have time to
get any except what I raise myself, and
don't think I would have more than 6
varieties, and they not very good. I am very
busy picking plums & grafting and take
them into market myself and consequen-
tly don't think I will have any time for
either exhibition. But - if ~~it~~ the 25-bac
of for the Pan American don't crowd among
varieties that I have it is possible I could
get them. But - you don't say when you
have to have them H. L. Crane

Washburn Minn July 22 '91

A. W. Toatham

Dear Friend

The apple crop will not be large this year. Very few Hibernals, Wealthys, some Lomas Nothas. Yellow sweets. Whitneys heavy some seedling crops are loaded. Also quite a good many apples on trees bought of Richardson. Fair crop of Plums. Marpaton Standard few dessert but will have quite a show of plums. Grapes will be a fine crop, if nothing injures them. This hot weather is scorching some apples but will not do much mischief. Will bring down every thing in fourth line for the State Fair.

Yours Truly
John P. Cummins.

Puffers Minn July 23 1901
To H W Latham
Sec Minn State Hort Society
Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir in answer to yours
about exhibiting fruit at the
coming State Fair, if everything
goes favorable I will want
about the same space as last
season for plums, & quite a bit
more space for apples, fruit
will be hard to select this
year as the apples are badly
spattered & irregular from spring
frosts, hail storms etc
& plums nearly as bad
Yours Truly
Dewain Cook

Peppers Minn Aug 20¹⁹⁰¹

A W Latham
Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir

I have been trying
to gather fruit for exhibition
at the State Fair but I
am having such poor success
that I have concluded not
to exhibit. fruit is undrained
I hope the late apples will
be better if so I will
try & get a collection for
our winter meeting

Yours Truly
Dewar Cook

Constitution

Of the Farmers Horticultural and General Improvement Club of Constance Minn.

Article 1. The name of this club shall be the
Farmers Horticultural and General Improvement
Club of Constance Minnesota

Art 2. Its object - The purpose of this club
is to get up an interest ⁱⁿ forestry, fruit and
vegetable growing. And its work shall be to advance
the knowledge in forestry horticulture and
general farming. It shall use its influence
for the improvement of the home, the public
school ground, and the public high way,
and for the protection of our native forests

Art 3. Membership - Any person may become
a member, who is willing to work for the
improvement of the neighborhood, and help
pay the necessary expenses of the club.

Constitution
of the Farmers Horticultural
and General Improvement
club of Constance, Minn.

Officers

President J. P. Ness.

Vice president

Andrew Simonson.

Secretary. Fred. Johnson.

Treasurer. L. G. Williams

Librarian John Simonson.

P. O. address of officers
Constance.
Anoka Co. Minn.

Art. 4. Officers- Its officers shall consist of a president, vice president, secretary, treasurer and a librarian. They shall be elected by ballot, and hold their office for one year. They shall have general charge of the affairs of the club, and shall report in detail at each annual meeting. They shall direct the program of the meetings and they shall procure any free literature from the Dept of agriculture Minnesota farmers institute and the experiment stations, as they think necessary to promote the purpose of the club. And any expense in postage and stationery made necessary by sending for such book and bulletins shall be paid by the club. And all such books and reading matter shall constitute a part of the library of the club.

Art 5. Meetings- The club shall meet in connection with the school and state traveling

library. (every friday evening in winter. and every other saturday evening in summer) and shall render a short program at every meeting. such program to consist of reading and disscision of such mater as will advance the purpose of the club.

The annual meeting shall be held the second saturday in December for the election of officers. hearing of reports. and other bussines that may properly come before the meeting

Art. 6. This constitution may be amended by giving notice in writing. at a regular meeting of the club. said notice shall contain the proposed change. and it shall be voted on at the next regular meeting. and the amendment shall become law by a two thirds majority. of those present and voting on the same. Provided however. that no amendement shall be presented and voted on that alters the purpose and object of the club as set fort in article 2 of this constitution.

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Mr. A. W. Latham
Secy Minn Horticultural Soc
Kasota Bldg
City

Can you use a first class
general view of the horticultural
exhibit. The photo
reached us too late but
cost us \$100. It is 8x10
by Shepherd. It is fine.

Yours

The Agriculturist Co.
P. V. Collins Mar.

1761 Thomas Place

Mr. G. W. Latham

My dear Sir,

Yours of
the 22nd inst. request-
ing a photograph of my
late husband, is received.

The biographical sketch
from the Journal is
substantially correct.
If a errors I will correct.

He was wounded at
the battle of Cross Lanes.

His account leaves the
impression that he was
promoted to be Capt. of
Co. C. 51st Mass Co. 12. He
studied at Columbia
College Law School but
graduated from the
Albany Law School.

There are but slight
errors but I venture
to correct them at your
suggestion.

We are pleased
that you hold Mr Cross
in such high esteem

and thank you most
sincerely for your sym-
pathy with us in our
irreparable loss.

I am most-
respectfully
Clara Norton Cross

Sept-14th
"

Photos ret'd 9.23.01

✓ 2.00
Sleepy Eye, Minn.
R. F. D. 3. Sept. 26, 1901.

Mr. A. W. Latham,

207 Kasota Block

Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir, Enclosed please
find \$2.00 in Express Order for
subscription to The Minnesota
Horticulturist for the years
1901 and 1902 from date of
first subscription.

Yours Truly,

Hans A. Clausen.

Please change address to above.

✓ 100

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Waseca May 28 1901

Mr A W Latham
Dear Sir

Please find I enclosed \$6 Order
for one Dollar for which
send the Horticulturist
one year commencing Jan 1901
to the address of
E. C. Ranney Waseca Minn
also last years Bound Volume
of Horticulturist

You may send me A mature
fruit knowing if I am entitled
to it

Yours &c
S. S. Comee

A Complete Line of Hardy Nursery
Stock for the Northwest.

Grounds Located Four Miles South
of Fairmont, Minnesota.

✓ 50
AMBER LAKE NURSERIES.

P. C. CHRISTENSEN, Proprietor.

FAIRMONT, MINNESOTA, May 28th 1901

A W Latham

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir please find enclosed
30 cent postage stamps for one
New Member. John Egan
Fairmont. please add Pipestone
Minn and Bocker to Pipestone.

Yours very truly
P. C. Christensen

INCORPORATED	
THOS. E. CASHMAN, Pres. and General Mgr.	Clinton Falls Nursery Co.,
Good Agents Wanted.	Capital Stock \$50,000
REFERENCE: National Farmers Bank.	Growers of Hardy Nursery Stock.
	M. R. CASHMAN, Sec'y. W. H. HART, Treas.
	Write for Particulars.
	OFFICE AND GROUNDS: One-half Mile West of P. O.

Owatonna, Minn., May 31, 1901. 190

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

Friend Latham:-

Please send me by return mail or express, (10) ten copies of the May Horticulturist. If there is any expense attached please send bill.

Wishing you success, I am,

Yours very respectfully,

Thos. E. Cashman

*Such
6.1.01*

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M. R. CASHMAN, Secretary.

W. H. HART, Treasurer.

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Owatonna, Minn. June 4, 1901. 190

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

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find stamps amounting to 50¢, membership fee for L. A. Hedstrom, of Evansville, Minn. Send him all the 1901 magazines.

Very respectfully,

Thos. E. Cashman

P.V. COLLINS,
Manager

McGraw-Hill Co. Printing Co.



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THE AGRICULTURIST COMPANY.

Minneapolis, Minn. April 2-1901

Mr A. W. Latham
City

Dear Friend - Can you recall
the words or have you any report
of the remarks made by
Mr Harris at the banquet
last December? I remember
it was a sort of farewell
as if he had a premonition
that that would be his last
meeting. I wish we now
had a full report of his speech.
Please answer promptly and

Oblige
Yours truly
P. V. Collins

Did the Hort Soc. attend funeral?
Send us a word of tribute
anyhow, as secretary of Hort
Soc. or as friend.

Minnesota State Public Library Commission.

Margaret J. Evans, Northfield, Chairman.
Gratia A. Countryman, Minneapolis, Secretary.
Cyrus Northrop, Minneapolis.
Warren Upham, St. Paul.
John W. Olsen, St. Paul.

Clara F. Baldwin, Librarian.
Office, 514 Masonic Temple.

Minneapolis, March 20-1901

Mr. A. W. Latham
Dear Sir:-

We would be very glad to have the
50 copies of your reports for the traveling libraries.
I am sure they would be useful, and we would
like to be distributing agents for just such material.

If you wish our expressman can call at the
Kasota Block and get them, or you can
send them to our office address, as above.

Ord. sent
to H. H. 1901.

Our librarian is away this week, and the
office will not be open till Monday next.

Yours sincerely

Gatia Countryman

The University of Minnesota
Minneapolis

April 2 - 1901

A. W. Latham

Dear Sir & Friend

Yours of March 30 at hand there
is 175 Cloth bound report for
1899 & I now have 2 of 1879
after sending the one to St. Paul

Respectfully yours

E. A. Cushman

Time Sent

M.

Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific Railway.

TELEGRAPH DEPARTMENT.

Time Rec'd

M.

This blank to be used only in Telegraph Service. All messages should be written in ink. Messages filed for transmission when TRAIN MAIL would have served the purpose, must be referred to Supt. of Telegraph (after being sent) attached to Form 63. Messages should be worded as briefly as consistent with their perfect understanding.

Approved: H. A. PARKER, Vice Pres't and Gen'l Manager.

A. R. SWIFT, Supt. of Telegraph.

Hortocallunist

Moloda Feb 25 1901
Moloda

Believe I am sewing
one dollar for some 3 or 4 years
back - here it is

H. A. Clow

CLINTON FALLS NURSERY.

THOS. E. CASHMAN, Prop.,
Owatonna, Minn.

General Line of Hardy Nursery Stock.



OFFICE AND GROUNDS ONE-HALF MILE WEST
OF POSTOFFICE.

REFERENCE:
National Farmers Bank.

Owatonna, Minn., Mar 26 1901

T. W. Salthum, Esq.
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:—

Enclosed please find \$5.00
to pay for the following
memberships:

- J. W. Suchanek Owatonna Minn
- Henry Menwieser Bogus Minn
- J. H. Demondat North Redwood "
- Thomas Crocoran Seafirth "

Please send me \$5.00
folders I am all out.
with best wishes

Yours Reply
Thos. E. Cashman

Sub 29.01

Clinton Falls Nursery.

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OWATONNA, MINN.

General Line of Hardy Nursery Stock.

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WEST OF POSTOFFICE.

REFERENCE:
NATIONAL FARMERS BANK.

Owatonna, Minn., *Mar 1* 190*1*

4.50

A. W. Latham Esq.
Minneapolis Minn
Friend Latham

Enclosed please
find one new name for
the Horticulturist-Society-
who is J. Stur Riper, Cologne
Min

Very Respectfully
Thos. E. Cashman

A. W. LATHAM,
Secy. Hort. Socy,
St. Paul, Minn.
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REFERENCE:
NATIONAL FARMERS BANK.

Owatonna, Minn.,

Feb 28 1901

W. Latham Esq

Minneapolis Minn

Friend Latham:

Enclosed please
find amt. D Six ⁷⁵ (6.75)
to pay for ad in the
Horticulturist for the fall
of this year.

Very Respectfully

Thos E Cashman

Hardy Trees, Vines, and Shrubs
FOR
Northern Planters.

The Best is Our Specialty.
WRITE FOR PRICES.
They Will Please You.

West Concord Nursery,

F. J. Cowles, Proprietor.

West Concord, Minn., Feb 22 1904

Mr A. W. Latham

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir: Enclosed find P.O. order for \$7.50
to pay for ad. in Horticulturist - and your Member
Premium

✓ Mr M. L. Garver	Cheney Minn.	\$2.50	.50
✓ Mr Wm Weaver	West Concord ...	\$2.50	.50
✓ " H. B. Quimby	Fairpoint ..	\$2.50	1.00
✓ " A. Charleson	Kenyon	2x3 or 6x12	1.00

I send \$1.00 a piece for two member which entitles
me to a cloth copy of "Green's Vegetable Gardening"

If it will be any more convenient for you, you
can send all the premiums direct to me
as they all come here for nursery stock
hoping to receive the book soon I am

Yours truly
F. J. Cowles.

Clinton Falls Nursery.

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REFERENCE:
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Owatonna, Minn.,

Feb 18 1901

O W Lathum Esq
J. M. ———— & ————

Friend Lathum

Enclosed please find
add and .75 in stamps to pay
for 1 new issue. also find names
for the Horticulture Society and
the fees

- ✓ John Abel, Jr Buffalo Minn
- ✓ J. H. Richards " "
- ✓ A. L. Davis " "
- ✓ John Wanous Pratt "
- ✓ Elias Hahn Owatonna "

I would like to have an add
in the Horticulturist the year
around.

Very Respectfully
Thos. E. Cashman

General Line of Hardy Nursery Stock.



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WEST OF POSTOFFICE.

REFERENCE:
NATIONAL FARMERS BANK.

Owatonna, Minn.,

Feb 21 1901

W W Lathum Esq

Minneapolis Minn

Friend Lathum

Your favor at hand
and will say in reply that I
want my ad to run in
the Horticulturist indefinitely
I consider it the best
possible advertising

the season I sent you
but \$75. was on account of
you stating that you did
not know for sure that
I could have the space
for more than one issue
let me know and I
will advance 1 year for
or more if necessary
Very Resply Thos. E. Cashman

COUNTY AUITOR,

Cottonwood County.

Window, Minn. Feb 16th 1901

A W Latham Sec Minn State Hort Soc,
Dear Sir.

I herewith send you one Dollar
for membership for John Brown in
our Hort Soc, please send him the report
for 1900 to Window Minn
Yours Truly, Dewain Cook

P.S. I wish you would also send me
the report to Jeffers for 1900, as I have not
yet got it neither have I received the magazines
for Jan or Feb. 1901 yet.

I paid in my dollar at the meeting and my
name was placed on the list.

I was also made Honary member of the
S Dak Society which would also entitle me
to one Year D C

Windsor Mission

Feb 13th 1901

A. W. Latham - Secretary of State
Horticultural Society, Minneapolis
Minnesota :- Dear Sir :- Yours of
the 11th at hand. I am called
up-on, dear Sir, to inform you of
the death of "your fellow worker"

Charles Chadderden. (And our dear
husband.) His death occurred on
the 24th of October 1900, his death
came suddenly, not having been
ill at all. Of course he was interested
always in the line of Horticulture
and would, no doubt, have continued
a member... but he is gone from us.
into a land where all is fair and
lovely. We trust in his God

We were interested in what was of
interest to him, but it will be impos-
sible for us to make use of the literature
of your Society. So kindly ask a dis-
continuance of same.

Mrs Charles Chaderton
Windom Minn

Clinton Falls Nursery.

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Owatonna, Minn., Feb 13 1901

A. W. Latham Esq
Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find
\$2.00 to pay for your memberships

✓ Ed Rucker

Delhi Minn

✓ W. Kovar, Steele Center, Minn

✓ Frank. Messner, River Point ..

✓ August Mollenhauer, Steele Center ..

Very Respectly

Thos. E. Cashman

P.V. COLLINS.
Manager.

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Minneapolis, Minn. Feb. 13, 1901.

Mr. Fred Perry,
Stillwater, Minn.

Circular letter

Dear Sir:-

We spend a good deal of money every year in our horticultural department of the Northwestern Agriculturist. We employ Hon. A. K. Bush as our horticultural editor. We devote more space in the paper to horticultural subjects, than any other farm paper in Minnesota or in the Northwest. We believe we are doing more to build up horticultural interests in the Northwest, than any other paper. It would be a satisfaction, therefore, if we had occasionally a little patronage in our columns, from the Minnesota nurserymen. Is it an unreasonable expectation, or are nurserymen of Minnesota so constituted that they enjoy having their chestnuts pulled out of the fire by Minnesota publishers, without even so much as a "thank you"?

Now, this is the first time in our history, we have ever written a letter to the Minnesota nurserymen in this tone, and we are not going to write any others; but we feel under obligations to co-operate with those who co-operate with us. And if outside nurserymen recognize the value of advertising in the Northwestern Agriculturist, and inviting the patronage of 56,000 families in this territory, do you know of any reason why we shouldn't co-operate with them? You realize of course, that we stand ready to receive your advertising; and if it pays outside nurserymen to advertise in Minnesota, why in the world will it not pay you, when you are located right here in the territory, and are able to supply northern-grown stock to your neighbors and other farmers living in other parts of your own state?

Remember that if we fail to prove 56,000 circulation for every issue, all advertising becomes free.

We send you a sample copy of the paper in this mail.

Thanking you for all favors,

we remain,

yours truly,

The Agriculturist Co.

Mgr.

Friend Latham

We are sending this to all on the list you gave us. Are it we right? Why are Minnesota nurserymen so unenterprising? P.V. Collins

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to join the Society when they
find that our add is not
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Please let me know what
the rates are and if you can
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by return

Very Respectfully
Thos. E. Cashman