



## Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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Cannon Falls, Minn., *11 Feb* ..... 190 2

*A W Latham,  
Minnapoissi Minn.*

Sir: As I was my own  
new member, and not knowing of the premiums  
if not to late for correction, I should like  
a copy of "Gruen's Vegetable Gardening," and  
\$ London raspberry plants.  
I please sending. I paid about 10 days ago.  
Respectfully

*W F Deline  
Cannon Falls Minn.*

✓ 1.00  
Olivia Minn

March 10<sup>th</sup> 1902

A. W. Latham

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir

find enclosed \$1.00 membership fee  
this is a new member which I  
induced to join

(new member) W. H. Cheney  
he selects Premium 5 & 6 Olivia  
Minn.

I have promised him Greens Amateur Fruit  
grower you may send it direct to him

I select premium 9 & 12

yours truly

Henry Quisenberry



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Feb., 10, 1902.

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

Dear Sir:-

We have your circular regarding the Memorial fund in memory of our esteemed Horticulturist, Peter N. Gideon; we take pleasure in handing you our check herewith for \$2.00 to be applied to this fund. Mr Gideon was a man whom all Horticulturists love and respected, and I take pleasure in making this contribution to his memory.

Encl.

Yours truly,



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January 7, 1902.

Mr. E. W. Lathan,  
207 Kasota Building,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your favor of the 3rd, we would say that we take pleasure in placing the "Minnesota Horticulturist" on the exchange list of "Country Life in America".

We shall be very glad to have you send copies of your magazine regularly to "Country Life in America", Ithaca, New York, so that it may reach the editor.

We would also be glad if you will make free use of the literary notes which we send out from time to time, mentioning the leading features of the magazine.

Would it not be possible for us to obtain from you a list of the members of your Society, that we might send a sample copy of "Country Life in America" to each individual? A number of horticultural societies in the various States have been good enough to send us their lists for this purpose, and since "Country Life in America" is exactly the sort of thing in which your members are interested, we shall be very glad indeed to send the magazine to them.

Yours very truly,

DOUBLEDAY, PAGE & CO.

*E. W. P.*

*Sent report  
2/1/02*

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# Nevada State University.

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A. W. Gatham

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir -

We are sending you today missing numbers of bulletins and reports. Will endeavor to see that you receive them hereafter as issued. Will you kindly send a copy of your annual report (cloth bound)?

Very truly

H. H. Dexter

E. H. S. DARTT,

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Content with their condition,  
These are those who wisely made  
Their homes in Dartt's Addition.

Owatonna, Minn., Jan 18<sup>th</sup> 1902

A W Lathorn:

Dear Sir

I want to enter the Peter  
Apple for the \$1,000 premium  
offered by our Society I have it  
growing in my farm orchard  
which I suppose gives me a right  
to enter please give directions how  
enter send form of application

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E H S Dartt

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Owatonna, Minn., Jan 2<sup>d</sup> 1902

A W G:

I have rec<sup>d</sup> my communication  
as corrected and I cannot see that  
anything essential is left out  
you must make due allowance for  
the infirmities of age Imagination  
often cuts quite a figure with weak  
minded people I am weak in mind  
and body and a general collapse  
cannot be far away

Truly Yours  
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Owatonna, Minn., Dec 28<sup>d</sup> 1901

A. W. Latham

Dear Sir:

Your letter of 22<sup>d</sup> Has been reced  
you have kindly told me how much  
of my article on The <sup>Peter</sup> Gudoon apple is satis-  
factory to you I am very sorry that you find  
it necessary to continue the smothering out  
business and I request that that you return  
My paper on the Peter apple and that you do  
not publish any part of it I will make my  
report <sup>more</sup> voluminous than common enough  
so probably to wite out the history of the Peter  
Apple apple I think of printing a goodly number  
of copies then if you find anything in it that  
dont dont take much room and that pleases  
you you can put it in <sup>your paper</sup> for the benefit of those  
members who do not get a copy from me  
I am disposed to be very very accomodating  
to the wise men who worked so hard to secure  
seale legislation for Min yours truly.

E. H. S. Dartt

Dec 24<sup>th</sup>

A W G I rec<sup>d</sup> of your letter yesterday morning answered at once but did not get a chance to mail my liter on I have since been thinking. I acknowledge your right to refuse anything unpalatable and I know the truth is not to be spoken at all times especially about dead men to pretend that Mr Gideon was so good a Christian that he would not sell his apples for money when that is just what he did is in my opinion obtaining glory for him under false pretences. He is justly entitled to glory enough so that you <sup>need</sup> not work off a fraud on the public as you seem to be trying to do you know as well as any one that Mr Gideon was not a model of perfection. He wrote me the most villainous letter that I ever saw. It was aimed chiefly at the Horticultural Society. He said in substance that the members had a keen relish for a bowl of their own dung and piss. I saw <sup>at</sup> Gideon treated ~~to~~ liberally and well but if you lavish so much praise on him what will you say about Eliot when he dies who is justly deserving of 100 times more more praise than Gideon. Then I would like to have you economise in such a way that you will have a truthful good word left for me and that the few truthful good words will not be entirely overshadowed by what is said for the other fellows.

Please erase from my article the objectionable words and return it. I will see how it reads and will send it back to you if it suits me.

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Owatonna, Minn., \_\_\_\_\_ 190\_\_\_\_\_

A W. L. I send you an - article on  
the Peter Apple which I want printed  
all of it If there is any thing you dont  
like please send it right back

I intend to make out a tree-  
station report in time to go in with the  
other reports I dont feel abit ugly but  
you know the only way I hav of hitting you  
will be by writing and I realize that <sup>my</sup> point  
is sort of worn off I am not so sharp a Dartt as  
I used to be

I wonder if you ever see G. B. Dartt he is my  
cousins son is in Real estate business on Hennepin  
not far from ~~to~~ you He is a nice fellow and  
good looking like all the Dartts better call on  
him and say how do you do for me

I guess I've got two subscribers for you recently

Yours dull as usual

E. H. S. Dartt

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Owatonna, Minn., Nov 16<sup>th</sup> 1901

A W L

Dear Sir,

You ask me to take part in discussion at  
your approaching meeting Impossible  
I am barely able to crawl around with two  
canes. Have not been away from Owatonna  
since I attended your meeting and have no  
idea that I will ever leave this place <sup>unless</sup> as some  
believe I have to leave to take my place in un-  
known realms I suggest that you copy my  
recent article on orcharding and read it  
at the meeting under that heading Dont  
attempt to read it without copying you will  
need to copy it to get it ready for the printer  
I have written a short article on Public Parks  
which I shall be pleased to have you read to  
introduce the subject I will also send a paper  
showing park views and photos if you  
want them I will also send my Pioneer and  
if at the banquet they dont get Dartt enough  
without you may read that Yours truly E H S Dartt

<sup>real</sup>  
If any old gentleman or lady would like  
to have one of my Pioneers I shall be glad to  
them a copy.

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Dear Sir:-

Yours of the 15th inst received and contents noted.  
As I am a very busy man I cannot agree to prepare the paper de-  
sired.

Yours truly,

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