



Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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A W Latham
Minneapolis
Minn

Of Lynch Minn
Sep 15

Dear Sir

The Bag of apples
was for the Minnesota Horticultural
Society, the Winter Fair,
~~sent the State Fair~~ I think
~~the Postal~~ if you stated
~~it to that~~ effect
Chas L Merrill



Spring Valley Dec 22. 02
A. W. Leatham

Dear Fellow member
Enclosed you will find Report of the meeting
of the N. E. Iowa Hort. Society

We had a very interesting meeting and a very
pleasant and profitable time. Your Delegate
was shown every courtesy that the occasion
called for. I hope that this Report will be
satisfactory. I could have made it longer but
I think it is about long enough. It relates to
the most interesting part of the meeting

Very truly yours

O. S. Moore

Springs Valley Nov 26. 02

Friend Latham

As regards your request in my commenting on the Paper, The Commercial Orchard in mind, by C. L. Blair we'll say, that if I am able to be present (will do so provided you can send me a copy of said Paper by return mail that I may have the opportunity of making a few considerate Notes from the same.

Notes taken hurriedly from a paper as read is not a very good guide especially as I am no off hand speaker

yours truly

O. W. Moore

Sent
11.28.02

7-1650.

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OF THE
UNITED STATES.

METHODS and RESULTS.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
CENSUS OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, D. C.,

Dec. 6 - 1902.

*Hon. A. W. Latham Secy.
State Horticultural Society
St. Paul, Minn.*

Dear Sir:

I am very desirous of obtaining for use in the Census Office a full set of Reports issued since 1898 by your ~~organization~~ ^{Society}. If you will kindly supply this Office with all such Reports as you can furnish without charge and will place our Library on your mailing list to receive future issues, the favor will be greatly appreciated and the Reports will be of material aid to us in our work. In forwarding the documents, please use the enclosed labels, which will bring them through the mails without postage charges.

Yours respectfully,

W. C. Merriam

Director.

*Submitted
12.13.02*

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GERMANTOWN, PHILA. 12/11, 1902.

In reply to your card of the 8th just received,
we do not care to continue our advertisement in your
columns for 1903.

Yours very truly,

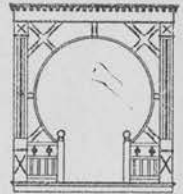
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Champlin, Minn. Oct. 9, 1902. 190

A. W. Latham, Esq.,
Mpls., Minn.,

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of to-day regarding a paper to be read at the annual meeting is just at hand. I had forgotten the matter completely, but now recollected that we had some conversation regarding it. Perhaps the fact that I have been ill part of the summer and extremely busy the rest may account for my short memory. I do not recall if you stated how lengthy a paper you would wish? I should like to know this point. I shall if possible be present at the meeting, but if not will send the paper in time. If I am in the city soon, as I likely shall be, I will call at your office.

Wishing you continued success in your work, I am

Fraternally yours,

F. L. Marsh.

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Kalamazoo, Mich., Feb. 17, 1902. ✓

A. W. Latham, Sec'y.,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:

Referring to your call for a subscription to the Memorial Fund
would say that we will be glad to contribute \$10.00 toward that cause,
but wish you would call upon us about the first of May for the pay.

Yours very truly,

Central Michigan Nursery,

By

Chas. A. Maxson

TREAS. & GEN'L MGR.



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MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

November 5, 1902.

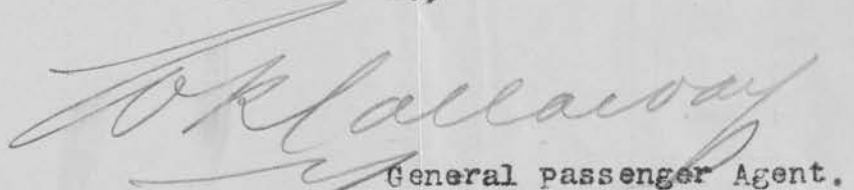
Mr. A. W. Latham,
Sec'y, Minn. State H. Society,
207 Kasota Bldg.,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Answering yours of October 27th requesting reduced rates
for annual meeting of Minnesota State Horticultural Society:-

Beg to advise that we will grant ~~extra~~ the same rate as
authorized by Western Passenger Association on same conditions.

Yours truly,


General passenger Agent.

W-T

FRANK MESENBURG,
GARDENER AND FLORIST.

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ST. CLOUD, MINN., Nov. 1. 1902

Mr. A. W. Latham

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir Yours of Oct. 29. at hand, wish to say that you have been misinformed about my leaving St. Cloud. I have been starting up a business of my own and am still building on my greenhouse, and as long as you left my paper out of the program, so you will do me a favor by excusing me for this time, am almost to busy to do anything besides my regular work, I will be down for the next winters meeting any way.

Yours fraternally
Frank Mesenburg

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ANNUAL MEETING TO BE HELD
AT ALBERT LEA, MINN., JAN. 1903.Spring Valley ~~Austin~~, Minn., Nov. 4 1902A. W. Latham St. Anthony Park
Dear Friend

Yours of the 1st inst just recd
In answer will say that I am pretty hard
pressed for time this month. But if the
State Society will pay my R.R. Fare I
will go and represent the Society to
the best of my ability. I will not promise
as good a report as Peck gave us last
year but will try to say something of
the doings of the meeting. Thanking
you for the appointment I remain
yours very truly

O. W. Moore

P. S. When I wrote the above I was thinking
that the Iowa meeting came this month
but I see that it is dated for December
I think that I can arrange my affairs so
as to go as you desire O. W. Moore

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Kalamazoo, Mich

10/30
Oct. 30, 1902.

Dictated By C. A. M.
C. A. K. -- F. N.

A. W. Latham,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I am in receipt of your favor of the 27th inst., and am pleased to enclose herewith our check for \$10.00, in payment of our subscription to the Gideon Memorial Fund. I sincerely trust that you have been successful in securing sufficient funds for the erection of a monument that will be a fitting testimonial.

Very truly yours,

Per. C. A. Maxson.

ENC. C.

GEO. C. MOORE,
GARDENER AND FLORIST.

✓ 1.00

Detroit, Minn., April 22nd 1902

A. W. Latham
Minneapolis
Minnesota

Dear Sir:

Please send The Minnesota Horticulturist for one year to
Elmer G. Cox, Detroit Minnesota.

Enclose please find a P. O. money
order for \$1.00 to pay for same as you
offer a premium for new members.

I wish you would send me a
copy of Green's Amateur Fruit Growing

and oblige
Yours Truly
Geo. C. Moore

Detroit

Minnesota

Marshall Minor

April 23 1902.

Sir:

I sent #15 to Mr
Eddy (Prop.) for trees but
have not received them
yet. I thought it was
time they were shipped so
concluded to write to you

Your truly

Wm F. McLaughlin

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APPLE

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✓ | 80

Adrian, Minnesota,

May 20, 1902

Mr. A. W. Latham, Sec.

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear sir:

Enclosed herewith I hand you postoffice Money order for \$1.00 to pay for one year's subscription to the Minnesota Horticulturist, which please send, with the Year Book, and premium "Amateur Fruit Grower" to the address given below.

Yours truly,

Fred Mohl

L. W. Johnson,

Lismore, Nobles Co., Minn.

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ADDRESS { 'Phone, Minneapolis.
 { Telegraph, Minneapolis.
 { Freight, Minn. Transfer.

July 24, 1902.

Mr. A. W. Latham,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Mr. H. J. Baldwin of Northfield, Minn., called here yesterday.

He seems to be an energetic market gardener and would like to become a member of the Horticultural Society providing the society would do more for market gardening. I told him that it depended all on the members what action they would take in the matter, and he said that he would respond to an invitation to take part at the next meeting. You might invite him to and I think that he would prepare a good and interesting paper.

I hope you have had a good time in old Massachusetts.

very truly yours,

R. S. Mackintosh

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Aug. 8. 1902.

Dear Friend Latham.

I have a little favor to ask of you, and that is, (if you think you can) to write to Dir. J. L. Hills, Burlington, Vt. something about me.

I am trying for the vacancy in horticulture caused by Prof. Waugh going to Massachusetts. This may be a big step, but if successful I hope that I can make the landing. You have seen me at the Fair etc enough to know not all the bad features I hope.

Am very glad that you had such a good time in the east.

Visited the strawberry show at the Mass. Hort. Society. Hope to call on you soon.

Yours truly,
 R. S. Mackintosh

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A. W. Latham Esq., Secretary,

ARGYLE, MINN. July 15th 1902.

St. Paul, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of the 1st inst. was received some time ago, but I have been so busy lately that I have not had time to take the photos of one or two of my trees that you desired. I may get to it tomorrow, in which event I will forward you the Photo the following day.

I enclose a list of the apple and plum trees now in bearing in my garden, and you may make such use of it as you deem best.

Yours very truly,

H. L. Melgaard

P.S.
My brother is away on his vacation,

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Dreshertown, Montgomery Co., Pa., August 15-1902.

Mr. A. W. Latham,

Dear Sir:-

Will you please direct the Minnesota Horticulturist to our office here at Dreshertown in the future. We have opened an office here for the carrying on of our wholesale business, making the Germantown office entirely retail. Please send us copy of the latest issue, so that we can see the character of our ad. We will possibly wish to change it for the next issue.

Very truly yours,

Thomas Meehan & Sons, Inc.

THOMAS B. MEEHAN,

Secy. & Treas.

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GERMANTOWN, PHILA. Sept. 4th, 1902.

Mr. A. W. Lathan, Secy.,

Dear Sir:

Your card of the 23d is at hand, and in reply we are quite
willing to make ^{the} a deposit desired to secure the loan of the cut. Enclosed
find \$3.50 and we shall be glad to receive the cut at your earliest
convenience. The loan is much appreciated.

A short time ago, we found it desirable to cut down our list of
exchanges, as it grew much too large. Of course we like to have such good
publications as yours on the list, but we had to sacrifice somewhere. We
have again placed it on file and hope we will be able to make some use
of it that will make the exchange somewhat profitable to us. The work
has always been and expensive one, as you will readily recognize, and we have
to go cautiously in matters of this kind, though we feel disposed to be
just as generously as we can.

W.

Yours very truly,

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GERMANTOWN, PHILA., August 12, 1902.

Prof. Green,

Dear Sir:

May I ask the favor of the use of the cut shown on the enclosed sheet. If not possible to secure the cut itself originally used, we shall be glad to bear the expense of a duplicate.

Thanking you in advance for the granting of this favor, I remain,

Yours very truly,

S. Mendelson Meehan

W.

\$3.50
asked for.

Lakeville Minn 8-28-02

A W Latham, Secy
Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir

I sent you a letter about some
apples to your office but thinking that
you would not get it i send you
this my apples will get to the fair
from the cold Storage co and if you
will take care of them they are yours
after the fair this is a copy of
my entry card sent

E W Randall Hamline
Division A Class C1 Apples for Amateurs
Malinda
Duchess
Patten's Greening
Peerless
Wealthy

Yours very truly
S. D. Miller

Lakeville Minn 8-28-02 -

As W Latham Esq
Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir

Inclosed please find a receipt for apples sent to the Storage co for the fair i do wish you will attend to the rest of it and the Apples is yours after the fair and it is a few more now in the Box and nessery and the are for you i think i will be at the fair Tuesday and i will then bring a fresh supply

This is a copy of my entry card sent E W Randall

Division C Class C1 Apples for Amateurs

Malinda

Duchess

Pattens Greening

Peerless

Wealthy

I will bring you some apples
Tuesday for your smiles

S.D. Miller

Yours very truly
S.D. Miller

Lakeville Minn August 18th 1902

A W Latham

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir

Your of recent date at hand and contents noted - I have not received any tags to be used in sending fruit to cold storage co

I will send you for exhibit at the State fair the following apples Malinda Patten's Greening. Peerless and Wealthy and Duchess I will send the above apples to cold storage co in time to get to the fair with the others if I send direct to the fair I will have to pay express charges to two companies how much money will I have to send the Secy for entry them four kind of apples please let me know if you have time

Yours Truly
S O Miller

Lakeville formerly
of Eidsvold



Minnesota

State Horticultural Society.

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"Mc"

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 16, 1902. 190

Dear Friend: I want to ask you to prepare the substance of your talk on "Budding and Its Relation to the Improvement of Fruits," so that I may get it by Oct. 1; and I am showing you a special mark of confidence also, which I hope you will appreciate, in sending you the discussion following your talk, so that you may fix it up to conform to your recollection and the paper you may prepare. I hope you may be able to accommodate me in this, and I shall appreciate very much your kindness in doing so.

Yours cordially,

A. W. Latham

Oct. 2 - Herewith I enclose the material. I had it ready on time but was delayed in getting it from the stenographer. Can you make a cut from picture sent under separate cover? - Will send you the other cut soon

Yours truly,
Wackulors