



Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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A. W. LATHAM,

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A W Fatham Aug 23/04

Sir your letter was received at Blue Earth but thought I would not answer until I came home and saw how my fruit looked &c. I find my apples are rather small this year and could not make such Exhibit as I would like. I will see if I can be fair &c. I think I will want to occupy about the same space as I did the last year, perhaps a little less, have some new fruit but not enough to fully ~~occupy~~ occupy the space of last year, you will see when it comes again.

Respectfully Yours
A W Fatham



No. 15 Kause St
St Anthony Park
Aug 14 1904,

A. H. Latham:-

207 Hazeln Bldg

Minneapolis:-

Dear Sir:-

I write
for a little information regarding
cut flowers, class 68 in premium
list. Does the fifth article
at the beginning of division B.
apply to collections of flowers
as well as fruits? In that
I find "a collection shall
^{be} consist of three or more named
varieties,"

I have marguerite curatours

mixed colors, and I have
looked in several catalogues
and I do not find any special
named varieties only some
seedsmen offer colors separate.
I also have dwarf nasturtiums
and two climbing varieties and
in all I have about twenty
colors and markings but I do
not know the special name
of each color.

I thought of entering verbenas
and asters too but I simply
have the mixed colors in
verbenas and one variety
of aster ^{"New} "Rose" in mixed color.
If I am entitled to enter any of
these flowers please let me know.
Mrs. Mary Noble.

Stillwater Minn
May 29 1904

A. W. Kathorn
Minneapolis Minn
Dear Friend

Your letter of May 17 is at hand. I will tell you frankly that my crime was an attempt at assault upon a girl under the age of 16 years. I was found guilty of ~~this~~ the same crime about 12 or 13 years ago at the time when the first one was claimed to be committed my sister & I was some 8 or 9 miles ~~away~~ on my way driving out to see some friends about 23 miles from Red Wing I was arrested the next afternoon which was a great surprise to me I do promise you that I was perfectly innocent I could not prove it I think it was a plot against me or certain party was working ~~against~~ against me & our family he is now living some place in St Paul there is not a meaner scamp in the State than he is I could tell you more but not by letter what can a man do when he has ~~no~~ no proof The same year there was a man ~~released~~ released from prison in Michigan for murder he was serving 10 years for a crime of

which he was not guilty for the man
that did do it confessed on his dying bed
after the other fellow had served 7 years out
of 10. I state this fact simply to show how
easy it is for a man that is not guilty
to be proven guilty. There is two men
that was at my last trial that know all
about it Doc McKinley & Henry Metzold
they are my friends.

Very Truly yours

Robert L. Daniels

Olivia Minn.

April 19th 1904

A. W. Latham

Dear Sir.

I am afraid that I cannot furnish you with a photograph of my Peach trees this year.

I risked too much last winter I left my large trees entirely without protection and the hard winter killed the tops I think the trees will come out all right only all of last seasons growth killed. But 40 below zero don't put an end to my experimenting in growing peaches my young trees are all right as they had a little protection I am still of the opinion even after this hard winter, that with the same
(over)

care I can grow more peaches
then grapes

I am sorry that the views I
got taken last year were spoiled
they wer taken when the trees were
at there best, but the day was
too windy.

Yours truly
Henry Dunsmore

I will let you know later
how my old trees behaves after
standing 40 befow

Stillwater Minn
May 15th 1904

Mr A. W. Latham,

Dear Sir & Friend
I received a letter from my Mother stating
that she had written to you about me being
in Prison & am sorry that I am when I am
& am greatful to you for the answer you
gave to my Mother in regards to me & my
Certificate you wish to know how long my
term is it is 10 years a long time but
I hope my term may be commuted as I
think it on fast & so does my friends.
I received the Horticulturist that I suppose
you sent all O.K. thanks for the same
You can not guess how pleased I was when
I received that letter from Mother stating
about you. Mr Latham I would like
you to correspond with my friend at home
Mr Peter Nelson he is a hardware dealer
Mr Gust ~~L~~^{Lillyblad} and do that you can
fore me I assure you I will by thankfull
~~to~~ repair & repay you & my friends all the
costs in my behalf even even to your trip
here & to Red Wing & other expeses Mr Nelson
name was sent in by me I think was last
year to the society & I hope he is still a
member ~~at~~ Doctor M^cKinstry is a friend

also Hans Nelson you have his name
on your membership list some year
with Peter Nelson I should like to have
you go down to Red Wing & see what you
can do you will never regret what
you do for me A builder by the name of
J. J. Olson I do not know where he is now
he may be in Red Wing he is building a
Depot at Northfield or Haribault he was
the last man I worked for & seems to
like me very much & I liked him his two
sons also. I should very much like to
see you WEE I will close for this time
hoping to hear from you
I remain yours truly

Robert L. Daniels
Box B. J.

Olivia Minn.

April 1st 1904

Mr Latham Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir; I have this day
sent you three photographs.

You will notice that we raise
something else besides fruit.

I had two views taken of my Peach
trees but the pictures ~~were~~ so poor as
to be of no value.

The pictures I have sent do not
show enough horticulture to be worthy
of a place in the Horticulturist.

But if you cannot use them you
can at least have a look at them
and get an idea of what we look
like on the prairie. In a few years
I will have a horticultural effect not
surpassed in this county.

Yours truly Henry Dunsmore