



## Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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E. FRANCES HALL,  
Librarian.

Massachusetts Agricultural College.

OFFICE OF THE LIBRARIAN.

Amherst, Mass., June 15, 1905.

Hon. A. W. Latham  
Sec. Minn. State Hort. Soc.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Sir:

I have the honor to ask that the Massachusetts Agricultural College may receive for use of the students in the library "Trees, Fruits and Flowers of Minnesota embracing Transactions of the State Horticultural Society" for the years 1902, 1903, 1904

Very respectfully yours,  
E. Frances Hall,  
Librarian

Cent 6, 19.05

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CHAS. HARALSON,  
HORTICULTURAL FOREMAN

BROOKINGS, S. D. June 12, 1905.

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

Dear Friend:-

I have a letter from Mr. Seth H. Kenney, Waterville, Minnesota, in which he states that six years ago he top-grafted young Duchess trees with Malinda and now expects a hundred bushels this year. He finds Meader's winter crab better than Virginia for top-grafting. He also writes that he has a large Transcend<sup>ent</sup> crab orchard and wishes to know how to make cider from them; that it is stated they will not make cider because of being too rich; that one man advocates adding sugar or syrup and another advocates adding one-third water. Mr. Kenney does not know which is right but knows it will not make cider with the full strength of the juice. He also asks about making vinegar from Transcendant cider and making vinegar from pie plant. I thought you would like to put these questions into your question box and the top-grafting experience will be a good subject for your next winter's program; some one should visit Mr. Kenney's orchard.

Yours truly,

T.B.K.

*N. E. Hansen*

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# THE JEWELL NURSERY Co.,

LAKE CITY, MINNESOTA.



J. M. UNDERWOOD, PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER

TWIN CITY, TRI-STATE  
AND NORTHWESTERN LINES

E. R.

June 14, 1905.

A. W. Latham, Secy.  
Kasota Blk.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

✓ We enclose 50¢ in stamps for which please enroll as member  
✓ Iver Larson, Madison, Minn. R. R. #1. Please send copies of the  
Horticulturist to the above address, beginning with the June number?

Very truly yours,

The Jewell Nursery Co.,

**CONDITIONS OF SALE:**

The Jewell Nursery Company guarantees the buyer stock delivered in healthy living condition and, upon notification made before August 1st after purchase, will replace free such stock as may fail to grow. Stock reported after that date, within one year, replaced at half price. State Entomologist's certificate for freedom from pests and diseases.



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OUR SPECIALTY

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St. Paul, Minn. MAY 31 1905

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Sec. Latham,  
I have just recd. your letter  
& in answer will say that our berries  
are just starting to blossom now or part  
of them & again ask you to put the  
date as late as you possibly can as  
the growers on sandy soil have had  
the advantage the past few years on  
that account.

I have a number of varieties I can  
show if allowed to ripen but the past  
few seasons I could not pick a  
single qt. of most of the late  
varieties for your meeting.

I will enclose a list of names  
of varieties I can show & will  
be glad to have the labels prepared  
as you spoke of for it is a busy  
morning usually. Thanking you for  
your favour remain  
yours very truly  
B. T. Hoyt

(over)

List of varieties of Strawberries

- Kansas (P.)  
Senator Doolap (B.)  
Sample (P.)  
Bedderwood (B.)  
Brandywine (B.)  
Maximus (P.)  
Enormous (P.)  
Huller (B.)  
Enhance (B.)  
Crescent (P.)  
Splendid (B.)  
Aroma (B.)  
Glyde (B.)  
Bubach (P.)  
Success

This is about all I can bother with.



Excelsior June 1. - 1905

A. W. Latham, Sec,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir

Your Letter of the 27 Recd. and I send you a list of with I expect to show at the Summer Meeting. I have plowed down most of my Strawberries. my list of burrauts is.

Long Bunch. Holland. (Pomona) white grape.  
Stewart Seedling. (Versailles) (North Star)  
Victoria. Red Dutch. smittes Improved.  
Goosley  
strawberries.

Loeth. & Splended. Mc. Kinley. Cumberland.  
About June 20. would be mine voice.  
of date for the meeting. The outlook with  
me for fruit is good. Every kind except  
Pum. wich is a Dissepiment because the trees.  
where soo full of Bloom <sup>Yours Respect</sup> Gust Johnson

J. P. Johanson

List of Strawberries

Johnson Early  
August Luther  
Excelsior  
Michels Early  
Palmer  
Texas  
Bedeswood  
Clyde  
Cumberland  
Lorrett  
Tennessee prolific  
Walveston  
Crescent  
Lady Sampson  
Ridgeway  
Cherr Moore  
Wm. Belt  
Splendid  
Forsons Beauty  
Klondike  
Monitor  
Miller  
Nick Chmer  
New York  
~~up to Date~~  
up to Date  
Senator Duntage  
Flowerland

Kansas  
Here  
Downing Bride  
Granville  
Guthrie  
President  
Challenge  
Arizona Ewes Bearing  
Aroma  
Brandyvine  
Bismark  
Gandy  
Dorran  
Marshall  
Maximus  
Parker Earle  
Parker Earle imprisoned  
Rough Riders  
Bibb  
Seaford  
Gamp  
Oregon  
Midnight  
Mark Hanna  
Mrs Hanna

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# THE JEWELL NURSERY Co..

LAKE CITY, MINNESOTA.

TWIN CITY, TRI-STATE  
AND NORTHWESTERN LINES

E. R.

J. M. UNDERWOOD, PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER

June 6, 1905?

A. W. Latham,  
Kasota Bldg.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed find 50¢ in stamps for which please enroll as member  
Gideon Anderson, Franklin, Minnesota. R.R. #2. beginning with the  
June number of the Horticulturist.

Very truly yours,

Dic. Roy Underwood, Secy.

The Jewell Nursery Co.

DICTATED, BUT NOT READ  
BY MR. UNDERWOOD.

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University of Minnesota  
NORTHWEST EXPERIMENT FARM

Crookston, Minn., June 8, 1905.

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

Dear Sir:-

I enclose you a list of parties in the Red River Valley that are interested in fruit. All these men have not been successful in growing fruit, but they have all made an attempt, and some of them have been successful. I send you this list with the idea of putting them in communication with a great Society, in order that their interest ~~might~~ be further cultivated.

I find that very few of the seedlings have suffered any during the winter. I begin to think that our trees have suffered more from poor drainage and excess of alkali in the soil than from the cold weather. I am only sorry that I am unable to pay more attention to horticultural work. If our plans for the School materialize, we shall have more labor to spare that will be of benefit alike to the institution and to the students.

Respectfully,

*T. A. Hoover*  
Supt.

TAH-AT.

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J. M. UNDERWOOD, PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER

TWIN CITY, TRI-STATE  
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May 29, 1905.

A. W. Latham,  
Kasota Bldg.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed find 50¢ in stamps for which please enroll  
Eric Borg, Turner, Nebr. as a member for one year, beginning with  
the June number.

Very truly yours,

Dic. Roy Underwood, Secy.

The Jewell Nursery Co.

*Enclosed find rough copy of ad which  
you may run in June number of  
Horticulturist if not too late*

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Department of Agriculture,  
Washington, D.C.  
*Office of Assistant Secretary.*

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June 3, 1905.

J. W. Latham, Esq.,

207 Kesota Building, Minneapolis.

Dear Sir:

I am sending you receipt for the \$20 for life membership in the American Breeders' Association for the Minnesota Horticultural Society. I now rather hope to be in Minnesota the 23rd to 26th of June.

Very truly yours,



A.B.A.

Enclosure.

OFFICE OF  
FRANK I. HARRIS  
Sunny Side Fruit Farm.

*La Crescent, Minn.,* MAR 17 1905 190

Mr. A. W. Latham

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Friend:

Replying to your letter, I have just wound up my business in La Crosse and expect to remain home for a couple of months. In regard to my future plans, I have decided to seed down the farm and set out the remainder of it into orchard and employ one good man to look after things. While waiting for the trees to come into bearing I shall be obliged to engage in other business to make a living and get money to pay the man.

I am going to set out a new orchard of standard varieties on my best land formerly devoted to small fruit culture. I am going into this as a business and shall not devote much time or space to experimenting with doubtful varieties. If my orchard had been all Wealthy trees last year I could have cleared \$1000.00, and as it was I run behind more than \$500.00. An experimental orchard is all right for a man who has an independent income, but if

you want to sell apples one good variety is better than 100. If it is desired to thoroughly test the trees mentioned in your letter, I will plant them by the side of other trees of same variety and give them same care and watch and report results. Further than this I have no promises to make until the

time arrives when I can make a living growing fruit. When that time comes I shall be glad to continue the work. If you can find better places to have these experiments made I shall not feel bad about it, for I realize I have not accomplished much as yet.

Yours Very Truly

*F. I. Harris*

# The First National Bank.

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J. R. SWANN, PRESIDENT.  
H. L. HAYDEN, VICE-PRESIDENT.  
P. G. JACOBSON, CASHIER.

MADISON, MINN.

May 26, 1905.

Mr. A. W. Latham,  
207 Kasota Bldg.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

When I got the last notice from you I felt  
and  
sure that I had remitted as the amount was only \$1.00  
I would rather remit than look it up as I was satisfied  
that in the final wind-up you would do as you did if you  
had received it twice. The premiums I ordered this spring  
I have not received so I thought ,perhaps, I had omitted  
sending in my subscription. Please accept my thanks.

Yours truly,

*P. G. Jacobson* Cashier

Balaton Minn #27-1905  
Route #2

Q. W. Latham Secretary  
Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir:

Please find  
Enclosed \$1.00 for one  
new member of the  
Horticultural Society  
his address is

(T. H. Greenfield  
Route #2 Balaton Minn)

For Premium I wish  
a copy of <sup>American Fruit</sup> ~~Greenhouse~~  
growing ~~in~~ Minnesota

Yours very truly  
Garo Hjerrstad

P.

Department of Agriculture,  
Washington, D.C.  
*Office of Assistant Secretary*

May 22, 1905.

A. W. Latham, Esq.,

207 Kasota Building, Minneapolis.

Dear Friend:

Yours of May 17th is received, and I thank you for the detailed information. I have just one question: Do you not send your bound reports to your membership and encourage them to give away the magazine numbers using them to help get new members? I hardly think I shall be in Minnesota before August. It is barely possible I will be there for a few days in the latter part of June. The expectation is that the life memberships of societies will be limited to 25 years. You may remit the \$20 by check to me here. Mr. Mowry, a Minnesota boy, is here as my private secretary, and is assistant secretary of the American Breeders' Association.

Very truly yours,

A.B.A.



RED RIVER VALLEY  
Horticultural Society

Hendrum Minn. Feb 23<sup>rd</sup> 1905

A. W. Latham, Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

As I owe you a report on conditions of fruits plants and trees, have been a little late on account of having so much to do, and my health has been such that I have not felt real well to write so much, although I have to answer several letters every day, as people have pleasure in getting information like they cook and sometime I am asked questions that is impossible to give satisfactory answer as some want trees that bear at least the second year after planting that bear sweet nice fruit else they don't want any at all.

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In regarding how everything has wintered here is still hard to tell, but so far except strawberry plants have suffered the most as the fall was very dry before mulched and I have a cold wind blown off the plants has heaved out as we did not get any snow before Christmas was and the little snow we did get after that time went off about middle of February and since it has alternately thawed and froze and no rain or snow although the spell of very cold weather 1st part of February. The trees appear sound to the best Malinda planted one year is best. what concerns root killing can not yet be said anything about (over)

my way of threatening newly planted trees, I mulch quite heavy before freezing of the ground, and I commenced to put on more after the ground had frozen about 8 or 10 inches deep. in my older trees I have not mulched any this year as remains on the ground lots of mulch from former years and I do mulching any time of the year while I have time to do so, but young trees planted I do mulch early in the fall to save moisture when the season is dry. some years we will have to mulch moisture on this level land. I do less mulching, and my idea is to let air in the soil to evaporate moisture, Raspberries seem to have wintered admirably well. Some trees has set set lots of fruit buds and appear sound. I will enclose a bud of a Willard Plum to show you. How it has come through this winter Downings pride Plum has wintered well the last 4 years and this Japan Plum is now 8 years last next spring since planted it was killed down in '99 but did recover from that and this tree stands very exposed to all four winds I have some hybrids that is intirely hardy and are on there own roots. but the fruit is small, but they have good appearance in the crate. I set <sup>in</sup> last fall with our County exhibit for the state fair, but I don't know whether you did notice them. This is about all I can say this time, I have saved lots of seeds from crabs and apples as well as pumms that are put out for freezing and I think that the tree that will capture the \$1000. will come from Red River Valley.

Truly Yours Oley Lager

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TWIN CITY, TRI-STATE  
AND NORTHWESTERN LINES

EAS-ZB

May 13, 1905.

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

Dear Sir:-

We are surprised to learn that the North Dakota Horticultural Society has not yet settled its account. We commend you for pushing it and do not let up on this matter until it is fully paid. If you have a list of the officers of the Society, you better write the Treasurer. Our recollection is that his name is Bartlett. I have forgotten his address, but you could get it of Mr. Holes. Better still, get the name of each one of the officers of the Horticultural Society. Write each one of them a letter stating facts.

If that don't do the business, send a mimeograph letter to each one of the subscribers of The Horticulturist in North Dakota stating that it will be necessary to stop their subscription until the matter is settled. The result will be these subscribers will get after Waldron and he may have a little professional pride and so settle it up.

I have my idea what the trouble is. Will talk with you about it later on. The paper I read at the Horticultural Meeting can be printed in any number that is convenient. I have no choice of month.

This has certainly been a good season for our work and it closed up in splendid shape, the results of the business exceeding our most sanguine expectations, being the largest delivery in the history of our nursery. We remain,

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Memorandum Minn Feb 14<sup>th</sup> 1903-

A W Latham.

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir: Today we again have stormy weather, and I has been looking over old as well as new papers, I came across a paper that I was requested to prepare for our Horticulturists meeting at Brookston, for its reading it was out time to read it, of course it is not well prepared, but any way I feel like sending you the paper and you <sup>are</sup> at liberty to do as you please about it whether you like to take it in your dissection room and add more meat to it or take away any you may deem proper, but I want to understand this is for the Temple of the Red River Valley, and we are now <sup>over</sup> not so

few readers here now and I feel  
we should let be heard from you  
than before and those that have  
and inclination to try, God said  
be light - and there came light.  
Therefore let there be light into the  
deepest recesses and once seen  
People will say, it is simple  
enough, and it is so, because we  
must want to first, else it is a hidden  
Treasure to us. We can now see  
at the present time the value of said  
collected from best varieties are improv-  
ed in every line, and who will say  
when will it stop. it seems we can have  
what we want, but we must work  
for it, and that quick without  
fumbling in the dark. Yours truly,  
Ole. J. Hagen  
Hendrum Norman & affinn

# Pioneer Farm

JAMES HOLES,

Proprietor.

Established 1871.

Fargo, North Dakota, May 18<sup>th</sup> 1905

Mr. A. W. Zathans  
Minneapolis  
Minn.

Dear Sir

Your letter of May 12<sup>th</sup> received. I have asked my attorney to dictate a letter to Waldron and I understand he has done so. It is to be regretted that we have such a man as secretary of our Society. There is one thing sure there will be one less member of our society as I will not serve with such a man. I will do all I can to have him pay this bill will try and meet him soon and impress on his mind that he must pay at once

Very Truly Yours  
James Holes

IN SENDING IN NAME OF NEW MEMBER PLEASE FILL OUT AND USE THE FOLLOWING FORM:

*Recd 5.17.05*

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*00*

A. W. LATHAM, Sec'y Minnesota State Horticultural Society,

Dear Sir:

Please enter the name of

*Christen Jensen*

Post-office

*Waupaca Wis. RFD Route no 4*

, as a new member of the society, for which I enclose \$1.00, the annual fee. Besides the Report and Magazine, you may send him Plant Premiums Nos.....

For my premium in securing this new member please send me the following book:

*Amateur Fruit Grower (Greens)*

Signed

*Anton Jensen*

Postoffice

*McIntosh Minn*

SEND TO THE SECRETARY FOR MORE OF THESE FORMS AS NEEDED.

## Will You Send

one or more new members in 1905, and help bring the number up to 2,500 this year?

## New Members Will Get

"Trees, Fruits and Flowers of Minnesota," cloth bound, 531 pages.  
"Minnesota Horticulturist," 12 issues, 40 pages each.  
Two Plant Premiums, his selection.

## You Will Get

Valuable Horticultural Books for your library (see list of Premium books in society folder) and an increased interest in the society from helping to enlarge its field of usefulness.

## Distribute the 1904 "Horticulturists"

and the society folders in getting new members.

## Please Do Not Forget

That in accepting the volume, "Trees, Fruits and Flowers of Minnesota," for 1904 it is **with the understanding** that you are to distribute the "Minnesota Horticulturists" received the previous year. You have no need to retain them, as they will be found bound in with the volume referred to above.

This distribution is a **very important part** of the work each member can do in teaching "right horticulture" and incidentally increasing the strength of the society.

Any number of the "Society Folders" can be had of the Secretary.

April 21, 1905

A. W. Latham

Minneapolis Minn.

My dear friend:

I thank  
you for your tender  
message of sympathy  
in the greatest trial  
and bereavement that  
can come to a man.  
I should have written  
sooner but could not  
find words. In redoubled  
attention to daily professional  
duties and "sustained  
and soothed by an unfaltering  
trust" is the only succor  
from sorrow. I find it  
hard indeed to realize

that I am alone,  
my wife has joined  
my father and mother  
upon the shining  
shore,

Your friend  
N. C. Hansen

Department of Agriculture,  
Washington, D.C.  
*Office of Assistant Secretary*

A.B.A.

March 6, 1905.

Mr. A.W. Latham,

Minneapolis, Minn.

My dear Latham:

The American Breeders' Association is beginning to get on its feet. We had a splendid meeting at Champaign with two hundred active members present. The live stock men joined in the work with excellent spirit and the organization of the live stock men and plant men together in one great society seems assured. We have about 700 memberships and we are now arranging to print an annual report. We are anxious to take advantage of your unique and most successful experience in working up membership in the Minnesota Horticultural Society. Would it not pay the American Breeders' Association to print a monthly from its meetings as you print yours in a monthly report and then bind as you do for bound copies to constitute the annual report. I would be obliged to you if you would give me a detailed statement of the cost of thus printing and mailing your monthly, showing the additional cost of printing the magazine. Do you give away many of your annual reports? I would like also the details of your printing contract. But you will know what facts to give me better than I can ask in detail. I know this is making a rather general request but I would be greatly obliged for any information you can give me.

Yours truly  
W. M. Hayes

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May 12, 1905.

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

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find 50¢ in stamps for which enroll as member Henry Flyen, Dawson, Minn. R #2. Send copies from Jan. 1st 1905 to Jan. 1st 1906.

Very truly yours,

Dic. Roy Underwood, Secy.

The Jewell Nursery Co.

Dictated, but not read  
by Mr. Underwood.

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Publishes a Monthly Magazine entitled "The Minnesota Horticulturist." Subscription \$1.00 per annum, including membership in the Society. Send to Secretary for copy of the Magazine and Folder containing the "Fruit List" for Minnesota and describing the work of the Society, its publications, methods, etc.

## Minnesota State Horticultural Society,

President, CLARENCE WEDGE, Albert Lea.



Office (and Library) of

A. W. LATHAM, Secretary,

207 KASOTA BLDG.,

*Minneapolis, Minn. May 12, 1905.*

James Holes, Pres. N. D. St. Hort. Society,  
 Fargo, N. D.

Dear Sir:

I have today sent to Prof. Waldon ~~another~~ copy of the enclosed bill due from the North Dakota Horticultural Society to the Minnesota Horticultural Society, and have written him at the same time a letter, of which a copy is enclosed herewith. It is a source of much chagrin to me that this account should not have been paid promptly, as the arrangement between the two societies was made at my suggestion and for the sole purpose of helping the North Dakota society to get on its feet. A similar courtesy was extended to the South Dakota society for a number of years, until an appropriation was secured from their State Legislature.

I am aware that this matter must be very annoying to you, and I regret exceedingly being obliged to again call your attention to it. It is, ~~however~~, our purpose to enforce collection of this claim without ~~further~~ needless delay, and in doing so it will, I understand, be proper to include personally the <sup>execution</sup> officers of the society. Perhaps you may be able to bring influence to bear on Prof. Waldon to induce him to remit the amount and not have <sup>the</sup> ~~it~~ become public property. We are fully determined to collect it, however, by ~~the~~ process of law if it is necessary to secure a settlement.

Yours very respectfully,

*awL*

*Copy*

Established in Valley Spring, 1879



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GRAND FORKS, NORTH DAKOTA, 5-13th/35.

Mr. A.W.Lathem,  
Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir:- Your favor received with list I asked for and I gladly send to you the 25 cts you were out for copy as well will add \$1.00 making the check \$1.25 so you may put my name on Nursery list and member of Society of your State . I am not personally acquainted with Mr. Waldron but I expect to meet him at any future time as I expect to wake him up some as to starting a Society in N.D. I am not well pleased though from report you make to me of his integrity as a man as he cant afford to treat you in the way stated by you if he wishes to succeed ; but I will make an effort to start the work along in our state the coming Winter when I can devote more time to the plan .

Most Respt.

*E. W. Haseltine*

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Feb 6<sup>th</sup> 1905

Mrs. E. A. Smith  
Lake City  
Minn.

Dear Sir

Your letter of Jan. 31<sup>th</sup> enclosing check received in due time. Please accept my thanks. I have been prompting Prof. Waldron in regard to the payment of the bill you referred to in your letter. He promised me he would pay it Feb. 1<sup>st</sup> and I hope he has done so he and the treasurer are the ones who audit the bills I have nothing to do with it only unless they pay the bills promptly when there is money to pay them I will resign as Pres.

Very Truly yours

James Holes

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Mr. A.W.Latham,  
207 Kasota Bk. Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir:- Will you please send to me a list showing the names and post office address of the Nurserymen of Minn. It may be that I will again join the Horticultural Society of Minn. As well to do my best to start a Society in our own State this year to which you may be able to aid us much in this work .

Most Respt.

*E. W. Haseltine*



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*A. W. LATHAM,*  
*Sec'y Minn. State Hort. Soc'y,*  
*207 Kasota Block,*  
*Minneapolis. Minn.*

La Ceresent. May 4/05.

Friend Latham! Replying to your letter  
will say that no trees have arrived as  
yet. I have left space for them in my  
new orchard and will set them out according  
to directions in case they turn up.  
It seems to me rather late to send them  
out the way vegetation is advancing here.  
Yours truly  
J. D. Hunt

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J. M. UNDERWOOD, PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER

May 6, 1905.

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

Dear Sir:-

Please enroll as members the following three names:-

- ✓ Leon E. Miner----- Foley, Minn.
- ✓ R. P. Nelson ----- Maynard, Minn. R #2
- ✓ E. D. Fuller ----- Minneapolis, Minn. 3417 Longfellow Ave.S.

Enclosed find our draft for \$5.00 to cover same. Please have the magazine sent them beginning with May number and oblige.

DICTATED, BUT NOT READ  
BY MR. UNDERWOOD

Dic. Roy Underwood, Secy.

Very truly yours,  
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St. Paul, Minn. Apr. 28, 1905

A. W. Latham,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

We take pleasure in handing you under separate cover, express paid, complimentary copy of our new spring book "The Gold Mine in the Front Yard and How to Work It" by C. S. Harrison. If you will take the pains to read the book we have no doubt you will appreciate it as much as we did when we first read the manuscript. His article on paeonies is especially strong.

We are a Western publishing house and do not make a practice of publishing books at random, but we have been very careful in selecting such books as we have on our list and have been very successful with them. Out of fifteen books which we have at present on our list seven are now in use in nearly all of the leading agricultural schools of the country. The others have proved big sellers with agricultural papers and seed houses.

We wish to call your especial attention to this new book, as this is the first book on floriculture which we have ever published, and considering Mr. Harrison's standing in agricultural circles we have no doubt but that the book will have a big sale. We trust that after examination you will deem the book strong enough to find a place on your list in the near future. We shall be pleased to quote discounts on this book on request, if you are interested.

Yours truly,

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Brookston, Minn 4/28-'05.

Mr. A. W. Lockaufer,  
Minneapolis, Minn

Dear Sir. - The following persons  
joined our society at Twin Valley  
meeting

- ✓ 1. Herman Salomouson - Wren
- ✓ 2. O. P. Strand - Ada
- ✓ 3. John Houlevig, Twin Valley
- ✓ 4. Andrew Engseter, Twin Valley

4 memberships at 25¢ 1<sup>00</sup>  
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Yours truly J. A. Houlevig



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February 14, 1905.

LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE: HARTFORD DISTRICT.  
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Mr. A. W. Latham,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear sir:-

Yours of the 11th in relation to the next meeting of the American Pomological Society is received and evidently Brother Goodman is stirring up great interest in the central west, and if the Society decides to hold its coming meeting there, we shall expect you all to welcome us by a very liberal attendance.

Your kind letter, with many others, will be referred to the Executive Committee and acted upon in due time.

Yours very truly,

J. H. Hale

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EAS-ZB

Feb. 14, 1905.

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

My Dear Mr. Latham:-

Your letter received. We read with much pleasure your letter to James Holes. It was right to the point and it ought to do business.

We heard from Prof. C. B. Waldron to-day, but no mention was made of your bill. He did ask what my expenses were St. Paul as delegate to the Horticultural Society and I am going to let him have them and then turn the same over to the Minn. Hort. Society, so it may be he will turn it over to you direct included in the entire bill and may send you check for the whold amount. I hope this is so.

With best wishes, I am,

Very truly yours,

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Feb. 13, 1905. <sup>50</sup>

A. W. Latham,  
Kasota Blk.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Find herewith our draft for \$2.50 for which please enroll  
as members and credit us as follows:-

- ✓ Gustav Eix, Little Falls, Minn. Plant premiums Nos. 2 and 7
- ✓ M.E. Coe, Little Falls, Minn. R.R. #4 " " " 2 and 9
- ✓ Paul Krotoshinsky, Little Falls, Minn. R.R. #3. Plant Prem. #2 & #5
- ✓ J.C. Highhous, Little Falls, Minn. Plant Premiums # 1 & #2
- ✓ Aug. A. Berg, Murdock, Minn. " " #2 & #7

Very truly yours,

Die. Roy Underwood, Secy.

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**A. W. LATHAM,**  
*Sec'y Minn. State Hort. Soc'y,*  
**207 Kasota Block,**  
*Minneapolis, Minn*

Feb 12 - 05

Friend Latham

I don't see how you can  
make that any different  
from what I do.

I scored 70 and 60 feet  
on late sand and 75 feet on early  
and on the middle. 1<sup>st</sup> col

41 feet on single plate  
and 18<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> seconds.

It was the coldest night  
that we have had last night  
It was 55<sup>0</sup> below this morning  
the great snow that I saw  
in the original. Right J. H. Howard



THE JEWELL NURSERY CO.  
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"LAKE CITY No. 2 CALL 2."

E. R.

J. M. UNDERWOOD, PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER.

Feb. 13, 1905.

A. W. Latham Secy.  
Kasota Blk.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

I hurried the report off to you this morning and also some photographs. I did not have time to write a letter as I presumed that you would like to receive the report just as quick as possible. Perhaps I have given you more material than you wish. If so, cut it down if you desire. I find that I omitted a photograph of the fruit exhibit and I enclose the same herewith, so you can use whichever you consider best. I do not know that I can add anything to what I have given you in the report. They certainly had a mighty interesting meeting and I attended every session. The first day Pres. Loope and others repeatedly brought out the Wealthy, expatiating on its quality and value to the state. They sort of tacitly hooked it up with the Wolf River, Mc Mahon, N.W. Greening and other Wisconsin seedlings and entirely overlooked its origin. I stood this for a while and then I gave them a pretty vigorous talking to. They took it very kindly and I was amused to find that there after they were all careful to give Minnesota due credit.

The Surprise Plum was mentioned a great many times both in session and in private conversation. They all regarded it as the best of the natives yet brought out.

I have only words of praise for cordiality of my reception. They took pains to introduce me to all of their leading members and I believe I finally met nearly all the members in attendance. They are much interested in our Society and the remarkable growth we have made. Our organization is much better than theirs but they are fixing up their Constitution and are making rapid strides. They have distinctive features that would be worth while our looking into. Next time I see you I will be glad to discuss them with you. It would be almost impossible on paper and I do not know that all of them are good ideas. Like ourselves, they are experimenting but a little differently.

Any time you want a delegate to go down there, please feel free to call on me. I will be only too glad to make the trip again altho we had a pretty strenuous time getting home on account of the snow blockades. My hotel expenses there were paid by the Wisconsin people and I will make our Society no charge for railroad fare.

Very truly yours,

Dic. Roy Underwood, Secy.

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Sup. A. W. Gatham,  
Wipis, Minn

Dear Sir, - what is the outlook for having Mr. Elliott + Mr. Loring at our meeting? I do not ask about yours as the command has gone forth that you must be there.

Yours truly,

J. A. Hovestrad  
Brookston

I think Mr. Buggs will devel of all right. Time alone can tell however.

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E. R

Jan. 11, 1905.

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

Dear Sir:-

Replying to your circular letter of the 9th, we will be glad to use the folders in any way that we can and if you will us down about 2000, we will try to place them where they will do the most good.

The print of St. Louis exhibit came to hand this morning and I wish to thank you for your kindness in this matter.

*sent 1000*  
Very truly yours,

Dic. Roy Underwood, Secy.

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Dictated, but not read  
by MR. UNDERWOOD

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*2 00*

Office of

# The Jewell Nursery Co.,

Lake City, Minnesota

## REMITTANCE

Enclose please find our **LAKE CITY CHICAGO**  **EX-**  
change to cover:

YOUR STATEMENT

YOUR INVOICE

*Feb 1*

*1904 dues*

*of M. Sorenson*

*&*

*D.H. Coles*

*2 00*

*Dont know how this  
was overlooked - Pardon  
delay if its out hand*

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EAS-HW

Feb. 7, 1905.

A. W. Latham, Sec'y.,  
Kasota Block,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

We enclose the letter of Mr. Jas. Holes in reply to mine of recent date, copy of which was sent you. If Mr. Waldron has not yet paid the bill we think it would be beneficial if you would write Mr. Holes to this effect. This latter party is all right. If there isn't money in the treasury, there ought to be an accounting for the funds that have been collected. Better advise him of the fact that the Horticultural magazine will not be sent new subscribers until the old bill is paid and the new one has been paid in advance. That will bring a speedy settlement. We remain,

Yours truly,

*E. A. Smith*

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Brookings, S. D., Dec. 15, 1904.

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

Dear Friend:-

Illness in the family makes this letter necessarily brief. I can spare you 200 Rosa rugosa good mailing size. I have not a full inventory of the stuff in the cellar but have European mountain ash one year plants which are the result of propagation experiments although not necessarily new. Am in too great a hurry at this time to even dictate a long letter. The paragraphs marked on enclosed circular will indicate the main lines for spring but spring price list has not yet been issued. The items crossed out I cannot supply for spring. In haste

Cordially yours,

N. E. Hansen,

Per T. B. Kelly.

P. S. I will ask Mr. Kelly to complete this letter for me in case he finds no more price lists. Please note special novelties for spring are Siberian Sand Thorn and Niobe weeping willow introduced for the first time. No plum seedlings for spring. If the price list is enclosed you can get an idea of what I have. The sand thorns will very likely be cheaper for spring owing to the fact that I do not care to transplant smaller seedlings.

N. E. H.

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Please send expense bill  
for attending meeting  
and I shall remit  
promptly.

We had a very severe  
storm here yesterday so  
only 5 memberships were  
received. We do not look  
for any large membership  
until we get out of the  
most infested district.

Yours truly,

A. A. Haverstad

Both Mr. Alcott & yourself  
can begin to prepare yourself  
for next winters meeting with  
us. We want you both  
again.

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Mr. A. W. Sathau, Secy.  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:

The following names were added to our list at Ellulung-

- 1 J. T. Insdahl - Bigwoods
- 2 E. O. Estepson - Climax
- 3 E. O. Ostedahl - Gregg
- 4 John P. Tuff - Crookston
- 5 J. L. Hauke - Crookston
- 6 J. L. Powell - "
- 7 Oscar Wick - East Grand Forks
- 8 L. T. Scruweth - Russia
- 9 J. K. Wanderaas - Maplebay
- 10 M. J. Fort - 2415 Colfax Ave.  
Minneapolis
- 11 J. S. Nelson - Climax
- 12 J. R. Easter - Crookston

Please find enclosed check for 5.46 to pay postage and membership for the above

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A. W. Latham

4<sup>th</sup> St. & Hennepin Ave.  
207 Kasota Block

Minneapolis Minn

Hopkins Minn  
Feb 8, 1905

A. W. Lathrop  
Minneapolis Minn

Dear sir,

I will send  
in Money for a  
life membership the  
20th of Feb.

Yours truly  
Herman H. H. H. H.

Hopkins  
Box 111. Minn

...OFFICE OF...

# FERTILE LUMBER CO.,

JAS. F. HANSON, Manager.



Fertile, Minn., July 8<sup>th</sup> 1905

Mr Wa Fathum  
Mpls

Dear Sir: Inclosed find  
chk for 1<sup>00</sup> Subscription and  
membership fee.

For Ole P Onstad  
Maplebay, Minn.,

I do not remember when  
my subscription expires, but  
when it does please discontinue  
my subscription

Yours truly  
Jas F Hanson

WM. M. LIGGETT, Director.  
T. A. HOVERSTAD, Superintendent.  
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NORTHWEST EXPERIMENT FARM  
CROOKSTON, MINNESOTA.

1/19-'05.

Mr. A. W. Lotham,  
Minneapolis, Minn

Dear Sir, - Yours is received today. By all means bring Mr. Nutter along. I have many a time been anxious to have him here. I think there are a great many who would like to see him personally. Be sure to have him here.

By the way can you give me a list of your topics I mislaid the list we made out when I was in your office.  
Yours truly,

T. A. Hoverstad  
The horticultural meeting will be  
Feb. 2

Seedling apples for the Red River Valley.

W. Elliot

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EAS-HW

Feb. 2, 1905.

A. W. Latham, Sec'y,  
Kasota Block,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

I have just written Prof. Waldron regarding the bill left in my hands as delegate and presented to the North Dakota Horticultural Society for payment, calling his attention to the fact that it has not yet been paid, asking him to give the matter his prompt attention. Thought it better to keep you informed as to what we are doing to collect this bill at this end of the line so our arrangements will not conflict.

Very truly yours,

*E. A. Smith,*

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Feb. 2, 1905.

A. W. Latham,  
207 Kasota Blk.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Your esteemed favor of recent date at hand, including credentials, etc. I shall try to go down Monday night and will do my best to represent the Society in a creditable manner and will send you a report immediately upon my return as you request.

Very truly yours,

Dic. Roy Underwood, Secy.

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Brookings, S. D., Jan. 30, 1905.

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

My dear Friend:-

I have been swamped with letters and the pure seed special makes extra work for those remaining at home. The Iowa State Register was the weekly not the daily edition. I send to-day for a copy of Prof. Budd's portrait. Professor Budd was very slow in having his photographs taken so there are really very few photographs in existence. Will indeed be glad to furnish you with the biography of Professor Budd as I think the Minnesota Horticultural Report is especially fitting as a place to do this. The work of Professor Budd was essentially fundamental in its character in its relation to northwestern horticulture.

We were glad to have Mr. Teigland with us at Huron.

Yours truly,

T.B.K.

*N. E. Hansen*



NEW STATE CAPITOL IN COURSE OF CONSTRUCTION

State of Minnesota  
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.

St. Paul, Feb. 1, 1905.

O. W. Latham, Esq.,  
207 Kasota Bldg.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of the 27th ult., relative to the appointment of Mr. Williams to a position on the Forestry Board, has been received and will be filed and given due consideration at the proper time.

Yours truly,

John H. Johnson  
Governor.

RED RIVER VALLEY

Horticultural Society

Crookston, } 1905-  
Jan 31st } '207 Kasota Block

A. W. Satham Secy.

Dear Sir,

I have just received your Postal Card saying Mr. H. N. Nutter could not be here Saturday, we are disappointed. I am speaking now for the Ladies, I mentioned to the Improvement League yesterday that Mr. Nutter would be here to give them a nice talk on Ornamenting the Park and grounds of our City. The Ladies of the League were delighted. They would turn out in a large body to hear him. Can't you prevail on him to come? Only be gone from home from Friday Evening until Sunday morning. Please wire me at my expense tomorrow 1. o'clock if he can come. and much oblige.

most truly

Frank T. Hazeltine

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Jan. 31st, 1905.

A. W. Latham, Esq.,  
207 Kasota Blk.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Friend:-

Your second little sketch of the Agricultural Hall is received, for which I thank you. I want to get suggestions from all that are interested and then will try to work out something harmonious. It may be best to keep the two departments separate.

Cordially yours,

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A. W. Latham # 2.

a few remarks if it was his wish. After this importuning I was called upon in due time. A brief summary of my remarks will appear in the report herein enclosed. You can make such use of the report as you wish - print it in part or entire, or leave it all out.

I suggested to Prof. Waldron that at the close of the morning session would be a good time to increase the membership and suggested how it might be done. He thought favorable of it and said he would give the matter his attention which he failed to do. The afternoon session was omitted entirely so that the horticulturists got about two hours work. Under such conditions you can readily see that no society can ever be a success.

Meanwhile, nothing had been done about the bill left in my charge to collect. I called Waldron's attention to it again and he replied that it would be audited and check sent to you. Not satisfied with this I secured the attention of Mr. Jas Holes, who is responsible but not able to devote very much time actively to his office, but he promised me that Friday evening he would get Prof. Waldron and audit this and other bills and have the same promptly paid. I came away Saturday morning, no mention having been made of entertainment or expenses.

I would suggest that you write a personal letter to Mr. Jas. Holes, Pres., Fargo, N. Dak., and Prof. C. B. Waldron, Sec'y, Fargo, N. Dak. and call their attention to the fact that Mr. Smith, delegate of the Minnesota Horticultural Society, has reported to you regarding payment of the bill left in my charge and presented at their meeting for payment, and that as Mr. Smith was assured it would be audited and check sent at once, you wish to thank them in advance for this action upon their part, or words to this effect.

Mr. Phillips is at our place this morning and we have talked over the matter regarding the horticultural part of the program and we both agree that it was not a success, due principally to neglect of the officers in charge.

You will pardon my long letter but it is the only means I have of reporting in detail. I remain,

Sincerely yours,

*E. A. Smith*

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EAS-HW

Jan. 23, 1905.

A. W. Latham Sec'y.,  
Kasota Block,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed find my report as delegate to the North Dakota Horticultural Society. I have said all that could be stated in its favor in the report. Confidentially, I will give you an outline.

I arrived in Fargo Wednesday morning - telephoned Prof. Waldron that I was in town as a delegate of the Minnesota Horticultural Society, and that I wished to confer with him at his earliest convenience. I made an appointment for Thursday afternoon. Meanwhile I saw Jas. Holes, president of the society. I showed him your bill and he said the matter would have to be presented to Prof. Waldron to pass upon. Thursday afternoon, just at the close of the session, Waldron put in an appearance. Up to that time neither he or Mr. Holes knew when the Horticultural session was to meet or how much time they would occupy or where they would meet, although the regular program stated that it was Friday morning at half past nine and the entire day was to be devoted to horticulture.

I showed Waldron your bill at this time and found Mr. Holes, in the audience, just going. I got the two men together and they agreed to meet Friday morning at half past nine and audit this and other bills, although this was the hour at which the horticultural meeting was to be called according to the program. I suggested that the business meeting would conflict with the program. Waldron replied that the meeting would probably not be called before ten o'clock and there would be plenty of time for the business meeting.

At a quarter past nine the next morning I was at the place of meeting. Mr. Holes was there at half past nine as agreed. Waldron appeared a little later. Waldron then stated that a new organization was necessary, and in the most ineffective and unbusiness-like way that I ever saw a meeting organized or business transacted, he secured a membership of fifteen or twenty. By this time it was ten o'clock. Mr. Philips was called and gave an interesting paper on his subject.

Meanwhile, as delegate of the Minnesota Horticultural Society, I had received no recognition whatever - no offer of entertainment had been made or reference made to payment of my expenses in any way. But I was not going three hundred miles to be lost or looked at, so while Philips was speaking I climbed upon the stage, there being no stairs, and told Mr. Holes I was there as a delegate of the Minnesota Horticultural Society and it was customary for delegates to receive recognition, and that I was prepared to make

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IN SENDING IN NAME OF NEW MEMBER PLEASE FILL OUT AND USE THE FOLLOWING FORM:

Lakewood N.D. Jan 25 — 1905

A. W. LATHAM, Sec'y Minnesota State Horticultural Society, 1.00

Dear Sir:

Please enter the name of P. J. Maddock  
Post-office Northwood, as a new member of the  
society, for which I enclose \$1.00, the annual fee. Besides the Report  
and Magazine, you may send him Plant Premiums Nos. 9.

For my premium in securing this new member please send me the fol-  
lowing book: Forestry of Minnesota

Signed Geo. W. Hart.

Postoffice Lakewood. Late Cable.

SEND TO THE SECRETARY FOR MORE OF THESE FORMS AS NEEDED.

## Will You Send

one or more new members in 1905, and help bring the number up to 2,500 this year?

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"Trees, Fruits and Flowers of Minnesota," cloth bound, 531 pages.

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Two Plant Premiums, his selection.

## You Will Get

Valuable Horticultural Books for your library (see list of Premium books in society folder) and an increased interest in the society from helping to enlarge its field of usefulness.

## Distribute the 1904 "Horticulturists"

and the society folders in getting new members.

## Please Do Not Forget

That in accepting the volume, "Trees, Fruits and Flowers of Minnesota," for 1904 it is **with the understanding** that you are to distribute the "Minnesota Horticulturists" received the previous year. You have no need to retain them, as they will be found bound in with the volume referred to above.

This distribution is a **very important part** of the work each member can do in teaching "right horticulture" and incidentally increasing the strength of the society.

Any number of the "Society Folders" can be had of the Secretary.

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West Duluth Minn.

Jan. 27, 1905.

A. W. Latham,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir: In closed please find  
\$3.<sup>00</sup> in payment for three subscriptions  
- as following:

John Olson, 2629 West 4<sup>th</sup> Str. Duluth, Minn.

Premium No. 7. Three Golden Willow Cuttings.  
No. 13. Three Rosa Rugosa Seedlings.

Pet. Gulison 520 N. 56 Ave. West Duluth

Premium No. 12. Three Burning Bush.

No. 13. Three Rosa Rugosa Seedlings.

One renewed subscription to my address

Premium <sup>9108</sup> Four seedling Buckthorn Plants  
(Over)

No. 13. Three Rosa Rugosa seedlings  
and Green's Vegetable Gardening  
as a Premium for securing  
two new members.

Yours truly  
L. P. Highmark  
221 N. 63 Ave.

West Duluth Minn.

RED RIVER VALLEY  
Horticultural Society

A. W. Latham Secretary  
207, Kasota Bldg, Minneapolis,

Dear Sir,

Please pardon liberty our Committee  
have taken to place your name  
on our Program, for next week Saturday  
Feb. 4th, we earnestly hope you can be  
with us, Feb. 2d, Thursday, Poultry association  
meeting, Feb. 3d Friday, Stock and Dairy  
Farming. Can you be with us  
for the three days, Come equipped  
to take in new members for State,  
Horticultural Society. I send you by  
mail full Program in our City Paper,

Most Truly,

Frank T. Hazeltine

RED RIVER VALLEY  
Horticultural Society

A. W. Latham Secretary.

207. Kasota Bldg.

Dear Sir,

Your letter of 28th received today.  
Glad to hear Mr Wymann Elliot also  
Mr. F. H. Butcher are going to be  
with us. Sorry to hear that you  
cannot come. We are trying  
hard to wake up an interest among  
our people to have better homes,  
by ornamenting with trees shrubs and  
flowers. I saw quite a number of  
our ladies this afternoon who belong  
to our City Improvement League. We will  
try hard to have a good turn out of  
ladies Saturday 3 P.M. to hear Mr. Butcher  
on "landscape improvements".

Yours Truly,

F. T. Hazeltine

\$2000.00 to NORTHERN HORTICULTURISTS.

To augment the Minn. Hort. Soc's. \$1000.00 apple prize, and desiring to see developed two other important branches of northern fruit growing, we offer

\$1000.00 for a New Plum

\$1000.00 for a New Cherry

Following are the requirements these varieties must possess:

THE PLUM. Must equal De Soto in hardiness and prove as prolific. Must equal Shipper's Pride in size, flavor, quality and size of pit. May be either free or cling.

THE CHERRY. Must equal the Compass Cherry Plum in hardiness and prove as prolific. Must equal Early Richmond in size, flavor and quality.

T E R M S

The decision to be made by a committee consisting of the President and Secretary of the Minnesota Hort. Soc., the Horticulturist of the Minnesota Agricultural Exp. Station and a representative of the Jewell Nursery Co.

To entitle an award, the owner must not have sold or given away any trees, buds, clons or grafts of the variety. The original tree and all trees propagated therefrom, with all clons, grafts or buds are to become the property of the Jewell Nursery Company.

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"LAKE CITY No. 2 CALL 2."

E. R.

J. M. UNDERWOOD, PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER.

Jan. 17, 1905.

A. W. Latham,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

At father's suggestion I am enclosing a proposition which we have had in mind relative to offering a \$1000.00 prize for origination of a new variety of plum and for a new variety of cherry. It has always seemed to us that these, the plum particularly, is of equal importance with the apple and their culture should be fostered. Of course, as a private concern we could not take hold of a matter of this kind without acquiring ownership of the variety but we think the general stimulus given should amount to something anyway.

Now, in regard to requisite qualities of the fruits, I have endeavored not to draw the lines any closer comparatively than those put by the Society in the apple prize. However, in regard to this feature, we would very much like to have your opinion and we have also written Mr. Elliott for his views. In both the plum and cherry question as it stands to-day, we have more inherent hardiness than in our apples. With this fact in view, does it not seem just as probable, if not more so, that we should be able, by breeding, to secure the quality and size desired in a plum and cherry as to combine the various elements we are striving for in the apple.?

In a word, this is our view of the situation and not only from our standpoint as a nursery to whom the benefit of such a variety would naturally amount to something but also in the interest of the Northwest at large, we would like to add an impetus to greater effort in this direction. Kindly let me hear from you as soon as possible and oblige,

Yours truly,

Dic. Roy Underwood, Secy.

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ABU-NE

Jan. 27th, 1905.

A. W. Latham, Esq.,  
207 Kasota Blk.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Friend:-

Will you kindly make a list for me of the different varieties of Grapes that do well around Lake Minnetonka? Do you know anything about the Moore's Diamond?

Thanking you for your trouble and assuring you it will be greatly appreciated, I am,

Yours truly,

Anna B. Underwood.

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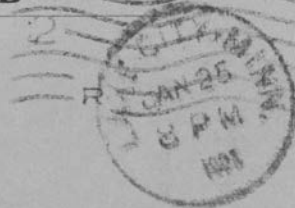
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A. W. Latham,

Kasota Bldg.,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Lake City, Minn., 1-25-05.

A. W. Latham,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

The package of folders just received.  
It certainly is a great improvement to have  
it printed in small type in the corner and  
we trust you will have them all fixed this  
way.

Yours truly,

Dic. Roy Underwood, Secy.

Dictated, but not read  
by Mr. Underwood.

*Sent 3,500.*

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Jan. 16, 1905.

A. W. Latham,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

The folders received. We are making plans to use them with our agents. Have devised a scheme which we hope will bring in a number of memberships during the coming season. There is another way which we could use them if you could print us a special edition of 3 or 4000. This would be in our mail order department, putting them in our regular correspondence as it goes out. To do this effectively, the words at the top "Please read carefully, etc." should be taken out and the following inserted.

**F R E E**

Send your membership fee(\$1.00) to us with your order and we will present you with a fine hardy ornamental shrub or hardy fruit tree. We are interested in building up this Society.

The Jewell Nursery Co.

Lake City, Minn.

We do not know if you can do this conveniently or not but if you can, we would be glad to use them. Of course, I have no idea how many subscriptions it might raise but they certainly would do some advertising for the Society whatever they might accomplish directly thru us.

Yours truly,

Jewell Nursery Co.

DICTATED, BUT NOT READ  
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Jan. 23rd, 1905

A. W. Latham, Esq.,  
207 Kasota Blk.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Friend:-

I will go up to the Cities to-morrow morning and call upon you in the hopes that Mr. Elliot can meet with us and go over the State Fair proposition. I will call you up from St. Paul and find out when we can have a session.

Cordially yours,

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Perth N. S. Jan 12 1905

Mr. A. W. Latham  
Secretary Minn. State Hort. Socy  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir: -

Enclosed find M.O. for  
\$5<sup>00</sup> half payment on  
my membership.

I like to have all back  
volumes as far as you  
have them but do not  
want you to send them  
until I notify you later  
on.

Yours truly  
L. Johannesen



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*A. W. LATHAM,*

*Sec'y Minn. State Hort. Soc'y,*

*207 Kasota Block,*

*Minneapolis, Minn.*

Fargo Jan. 5<sup>th</sup> 1905

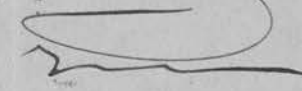
Mr. A. W. Latham  
Minneapolis  
Minn.

The Horticultural Society  
will hold their annual meeting  
Friday January 20<sup>th</sup> 1905  
at Fargo. Yours Fraternally  
James Holmes Pres.

WM. M. LIGGETT, Director.  
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Dear Sir, - I enclose you check  
for \$ 1.26 for membership and  
postage on reports to

11. O. S. Melgaard, Argyle -

12. Ole J. Hagen - Hendrum

13. P. E. Olesen - Lerley

Everything is going very  
nicely in the institute field.  
I have a bad cold so I am  
not as active as I should be.

Yours truly

T. A. Hoverstad

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Gilboa, N. Y., Jan. 18 1905

My dear Mr. Latham:—

Your friend from home recd. informing me that I was voted a Life Membership in your Society. Many thanks. I can assure you I appreciate the honor shown. I am working in N.Y. the present winter. Thought perhaps I could get home Feb. 1, but the dept. wants me to stay another month and will if everything is well at home.

Give my regards to Friend Yahrke if you see or write him.

Thanking you again for the favor shown I remain most truly yours,  
Forest Hawley

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TREES, SHRUBS  
AND PLANTS  
ADAPTED TO  
The  
NORTHWEST

# Hennepin County Nursery

WILSON S. HIGBIE, Prop.

Eden Prairie, Minn. Jan 18 1905

A. H. Latham  
Infls. Junia

✓ 50

Dear Friend:- Yours at hand with  
check of Five Dollars (~~3.00~~) enclosed  
in payment of any bill against  
the Junia Print Exhibit. Please  
accept my thanks for so  
promptly collecting & remitting  
the same.

I will enclose my check  
for \$1.50, which amount I believe  
settles the Bal. of my acct.  
with the Hort. Society.

Very Truly Yours  
W. S. Higbie

This includes this year's membership.



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*A. W. Latham*

*Minneapolis*

*Minn.*

*207 Kasota Block*

Albert Lea ✓ 19, 04

Dear Mr. Latham! - I believe that I made two mistakes in my report of the So. Minn. meeting. I said that Spring Valley is the county seat of Fillmore which it is not. The other mistake is in ~~selecting~~ to state that Mr. E. O. Benty of Wisco, Iowa was the delegate of the N. E. Iowa society and that Frank Gahube was the delegate of the State Society - That is I believe that those mistakes were made. Will you please correct.

Yours truly  
Highby

A. W. Latham.

Jan. 9 - 04  
Bankato,  
Miss.

Dear sir. I am very sorry I could not attend the Annual meeting, when I read the report of the meeting it made me homesick. Horticultural work is what I love. to live among flowers and fruits is the nearest Heaven one can get in this world.

I want to make a correction in regard to my second shipment of plums to St Louis Exposition. the card must have got ~~to~~ misplaced some way. you published them as the Bankato plum. but ~~they~~ were a plum that would be preferred a hundred times to the Bankato plum.

they were the Rockford plum. they stand at the head of all plums in Bankato. I got one dollar and

twenty cents a bushel, when other plums were a drug on the market at fifty cents a bushel. I had lots of orders for the Rockford that I could not fill. I want to mention that they came through the winter clear to the tip of the branches. they were larger and better this year than last year. Last Fall I hauled out, one year old manure, from the cow barn. I used a common road scraper, I put one scraper full at every tree, on the South West side. I believe if a man would do that every year and thoroughly cultivate the soil they will live as long as a man. Judge Bush told me they were stricken from the list a few

year ago for not being hardy.  
 I do not think that was the cause;  
 I believe it was over production,  
 with no cultivation or mulching.  
 The way my trees have bore<sup>d</sup>, with such  
 a drought as we had five years ago,  
 without cultivation or mulching  
 would certainly kill any tree.

I find I have a receipt of shipment  
 that I failed to send. is it to late?

I will send the dollar for the  
 Horticultural Magazine in Feb.

Hoping to be of some benefit in  
 the future I remain

Yours Fraternally

R. E. Hyson.

Mantrato,

Miss.

When will I get my  
 silver medal

JAMES W. WILSON, M. S. A., DIRECTOR,  
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HORTICULTURAL FOREMAN

A. W. Latham

Brookings, S. D.,

1/16/05

Dear friend: I thank you for your  
letters. Will write you personally upon my  
return from Huron. I wrote a tribute to Prof. Budd  
upon my way east; it was published in  
the <sup>June</sup> State Register Jan 9. Perhaps you could use  
a revision or modification of this for the magazine  
if so advise me. This man, the Columbus of western  
horticulture, merits a very tender and loving tribute from some  
one of his pupils. I was his first assistant, N. E. Hansen

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J. M. UNDERWOOD, PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER

EAS-HW

Jan. 3, 1905.

A. W. Latham, Sec'y.,  
Kasota Block,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

I notice by the papers that the Grain Growers convention meets at Fargo the 26th. I understood Prof. Waldron to say it was the 6th, and that the Horticultural Society was to meet at the same time.

Wouldn't it pay you to go up there and take charge of your bill against the North Dakota Horticultural Society and present it in person? We have done considerable business with Prof. Waldron and if I should take up the collection he might regard it as a personal matter which would interfere with personal business. If you wish me to take up the collection, however, I shall do the best I can, in which case I should want you to write Prof. Waldron and say that the bill has been placed in my hands, and ask him to talk it over with me and give it his favorable consideration. State also that I am authorized to collect the bill. Give me a writing to this effect.

I expect that Prof. Waldron will send me transportation, but am not counting on him to any great extent as he may over-look the matter. I remain,

Very truly yours,

*E. A. Smith*

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EAS-ZB

Jan. 16, 1905.

Mr. A. W. Lathan,  
Kasota Block,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:

As I have not received transportation and the Horticultural Convention meets at Fargo to-morrow in connection with the Grain Growers' Convention, I take it for granted that I am not to act as delegate. I have written Prof. Waldron to this effect reminding him that I have written him twice asking when the convention met and referring to transportation also.

Thanking you for your interest in this matter, I remain,

Very truly yours,

*E. A. Smith*

## CONDITIONS OF SALE:

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Hammond  
Main

Jan 14 - 05

Friend Latham

I intended to make your office a visit when I was up to the Agricultural Meeting but I did not get up till Wednesday evening and had to take an early train in order to make connections so did not get there. About the 13<sup>th</sup> meeting

I don't like to disappoint you, but there is a sale of Short horn cattle at North field on the 9 of Feb that I wish to attend as I am thinking of buying a few head. Will try and help you out some other time. send yours or some of the boys east of me

Your Reapt of A Howard

Hammond <sup>Main</sup>

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E. R.

Jan. 10, 1905.

A. W. Latham,  
Kasota Bldg.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

We have just received a letter from Pioneer Press Co. that photograph we requested you to send them was received too late to use in the Annual as they had already had a half tone made of photograph we had previously supplied them. This is in no way anyone's fault but our own and not really our own as writer did not appreciate the existence of photograph you had until January number of Horticulturist came to hand. Now, if you can do so, we very much wish you would send us this photograph as we have no copy of it and we will have many places where we can use it to advantage.

Yours truly,

DICTATED, BUT NOT READ  
BY MR. UNDERWOOD

Dis. Roy Underwood, Secy.

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Very truly yours,  
D. S. Hall.

Mr. A. W. Latham  
Mpls Minn

My dear Sir - The State Ag. Society  
Meets next week, as you know, Gordon's  
place as one of the Board will be vacant, he having  
left the State. Some friends have asked  
me to stand for that position, being one  
of your Hortic. members, I tho't possibly  
it interest you, shall be glad if you  
support. Talk it over with those most  
interested in the Society and do what  
is best. As I said shall be glad to have  
you with me

Yours D. S. Hall

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J. M. UNDERWOOD, PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER

Jan. 7, 1905.

A. W. Latham,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

We notice the picture of photograph you have in the Jan. number of St. Louis windmill. We have just contracted with Supt. Gregg for two pages in coming Farmer's Institute Annual. It strikes us it might be a good advertisement for the states as well as ourselves to run this photo on one of pages. We donot know where the negative is or where we can get an extra print unless you have them. We are afraid that plate you have in magazine is a little too large for Annual page and it would probably be necessary to get another half tone. You possibly have the retouched print from which half tone was made and if you will part with it for a few days you might send it down to the Pioneer Press Co. Mfg. Dept., Mr. E. P. Penniman, Supt. They can then have a plate made the proper size. If you send print to Mr Penniman, send it very soon as the they go to press very soon. Kindly advise by return mail what we may expect. We have written Pioneer Press people to hold until they hear from you or from us in regard to it.

Very truly yours,

Dic. Roy Underwood, Secy.

The Jewell Nursery Co.

DICTATED, BUT NOT READ  
BY MR. UNDERWOOD.

## CONDITIONS OF SALE:

Form 336-5-16-04-10,000

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Mr. A. W. Latham —

7/9/5-

Dear Friend — Have you the Manuscript — of Mrs  
 Evans' talk at the Hort. Mtg.<sup>2</sup> If so, will you let — me take  
 it to read at a woman's meeting — here in L.C. A com —  
 paratively small number will hear it — & probably none  
 of the number outside of ourselves would ever see it — in  
 the Horticulturist — I have been asked to give a talk, on the  
 Aspitivity of the form — & felt obliged to decline thru lack  
 of time to give the subject — thought — but told the Com — on  
 Program that I would write you for this article — Let — me  
 know at — once if I may count — on it — Cordially yrs — Amos B. Latham

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# The Pioneer Press Company.

CONDÉ HAMLIN, GENERAL MANAGER.

ST. PAUL, MINN. Dec. 20, 1904.

Hon. A. W. Latham,  
207 Kasota Building,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your letter of December 12th, answer to which has been delayed owing to my absence in New York, will state that the PIONEER PRESS printed an article on the agricultural awards, but at no great length, as it was printed prior to the details of the awards, which were given out by you in Minneapolis and did not come directly through the commission. This occurred prior to the meeting<sup>of</sup> the horticulturists.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads 'Condé Hamlin'. The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned above the typed name.

President Minnesota Board.



General  
Representative for  
**MR. JACOB LITT,**  
in the  
NORTHWEST.

St. Paul, Minn. Dec. 24, 1905.

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

Dear Mr. Latham:

I desire to thank you for your  
courtesy in sending me the two boxes of apples.  
Trust that at some time I will be able to re-  
ciprocate the kindness.

With best holiday wishes, I am,

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Theo. L. Hays', written over the typed name 'Very truly yours,'.

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Dear Sir I seen by Impl's Times  
that A. A. Johnson & Co was awarded  
Silver Medal for Blueberries as the  
state hold that medal or does each and  
every medal go to the shipper of the  
product. would like to hear from  
you in regard to same

Yours very Truly  
A. A. Johnson & Co

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NE

Dec. 14th, 1904.

A. W. Latham, Esq.,  
207 Kasota Blk.,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Friend:-

You spoke of there being some boxes of Wealthy in cold storage. Instead of sending any to me let Mr. Theo. L. Hays have them. Call him up by telephone. You and Elliot take the balance.

Cordially yours,

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THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE EXPOSITION

St. Paul, Minn. Feb. 13, 1905.

A. W. Latham,  
Secy. Minn. State Horticultural Society,  
Kasota Bldg., Mpls. Minn.

Dear Mr. Latham,-

Enclosed please find check for \$5.37 in settlement of a number of small vouchers, which were sent to me by Mr. Underwood. Will you please receipt the enclosed vouchers, which you will notice are in duplicate, mail same to me, care of the Grand Opera House, St. Paul and very much oblige,

Very truly yours,

*Theo. L. Hays*  
Secretary.

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Dt. Paul, Minn. Feb. 26, 1905.

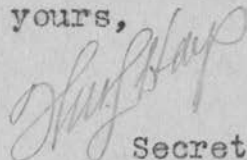
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Mr. A. W. Latham,  
c/o Horticultural Society Offices,  
Kasota Building, Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find check for \$7.52, being the amount due you from this Board. Please receipt the enclosed vouchers in duplicate, mail to me care of the Grand Opera House and oblige,

Very truly yours,



Secretary.

CONDE HAMLIN, PRESIDENT

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St. Paul, Minn. March 13, 1905.

Mr. A. W. Latham, Secy.,  
State Agricultural Society,  
Kasota Building,  
Minneapolis, Minnesota.

My dear Mr. Latham:

Will you please send me a list of the different people that were employed in the Horticultural Department at the St. Louis Fair and very much oblige,

Very truly yours,

*Theo. L. Hays*

*Ans. to 24.05*

CONDE HAMLIN, PRESIDENT

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THEO. L. HAYS, SECRETARY

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St. Paul, Minn. Mar. 2, 1905.

Mr. A. W. Latham,  
c/o Horticulture Society,  
Kasota Building,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find check for \$2.20 in settlement of the enclosed voucher which please receipt in duplicate and mail to me care of the Grand Opera House, St. Paul and oblige,

Very truly yours,

*Theo. L. Hays*

# MINNESOTA BOARD OF MANAGERS

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THE WORLD'S FAIR, ST. LOUIS

THE LOUISIANA PURCHASE EXPOSITION

St. Paul, Minn. March 15, 1905.

A. W. Latham Esq.,  
Secy. Minnesota State Hort. Society,  
207 Kasota Building,  
Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Dear Sir:- I desire to acknowledge receipt of your letter of March 14th and desire to thank you for your promptness in connection with my request. Will you please mail me at once the receipted vouchers in duplicate covering the remittance recently made you by Mr. Underwood and oblige,

Very truly yours,

*Theo. L. Hays*

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MINNESOTA BUILDING,  
WORLD'S FAIR, 1904.

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ST. LOUIS, MO.

St. Paul, Minn. March 21, 1905.

Mr. A. W. Latham, Secy.,  
Minn. State Horticultural Society,  
Kasota Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Your letter of March 17th received. I immediately took the matter up with Pres. Hamlin and found it too late to use the matter you sent.

Mr. Hamlin believes however that the subject has been covered quite satisfactorily by Mr. Mitchell in the report he prepared. Mr. Underwood went over the report some time ago and found everything satisfactory, pertaining to your department. Thanking you, however, for your trouble, I am, with best wishes,

Very truly yours,

*Theodore L. Hays*