



## Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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Jan 14<sup>th</sup> 1906

Sec Minn Hort Society

Sir Inclosed 15 cts

Please Book me for  
Premium No's 1 & 10

Respectfully

Wm L Dickerson

Richland So Dak

Life Member

# Decker Dairy Farm.

J. S. DECKER, PROP.  
Farm Adjoins City on the East

I received  
bank check  
from Mr. Elliot  
as treasurer  
of Minnesota  
State Horticultu-  
ral Society \$4.75  
J. S. D.  
for Premium  
on Deckers.  
Seedling winter  
apple

Austin, Minn.,

1 12

1906

Mr A W Latham

Dear Sir

Enclosed please find Post office  
Order for one Dollar \$1.00 to make  
James M. Lindsay a Subscriber  
to the Minnesota State Horticultural  
Society for the year 1906. Please send  
such premium as he is entitled to  
if any. Austin Po-Mower Co.

as premium book for securing  
new Subscriber. Please <sup>send</sup> me

Vegetable Gardening (240 pages)

For membership Premium

Please forward at proper time  
No 485 Four Patterns Greening  
apple root grafts and Obige

(P.S. Mr. Lindsay is a  
nursery man in Austin) J. S. Decker

Letcher So Dak  
Dec 21 - 1905

Sec. Latham  
Minneapolis Mn.

Dear Sir.

I am in receipt  
of your check \$4.75 - To cover  
my entertainment while  
in attendance upon the meeting  
of your Annual meet -  
For which I thank you.

I have written Prof Hanson  
to inform you in regard to the  
So. Dakota meet - As he was to  
try and see if he could effect  
a postponement to allow him  
to attend the Nebraska meet -  
And I have not heard from him on  
this point. The place of meeting



I presume my  
over shoes did  
not turn up?

Letcher Co. Dak.

Dec 11-1905

Mr C. E. Older

Laramie Wyo.

Dear Sir: I write you because  
I feel free to talk with you.

I had been led to understand  
that your society entertained the  
delegates from other State  
Societies and on that account  
did not prepare myself for  
that part of the expense, and  
when I came to square up to  
return I was obliged to omit  
the purchase of some articles for  
my wife, in order to buy my  
return ticket.

And as I suppose it was an

oversight on the part of the  
Credentials Committee, perhaps  
for the reason that I handed in  
no formal Credentials, and that  
you would be only too glad  
to correct your error that I  
am led to mention it -

Of course it is all right  
anyway, as the meeting was  
a very instructive one and  
I feel well repaid.

I have just received a photo  
of the members which is very  
disappointing, as there are  
but three faces in the group  
that I am sure of - If it  
had contained the faces of  
Mr Older, Cook, Moyer  
Latham, Elliott, Gardner  
Harrison, Hansen, Loring  
Phillips and some others it  
would have been invaluable  
to me -

I recognize Kellogg of Janesville  
Wis - and above him is a man  
holding a box of apples which I take  
for Prof Green. just to the right of  
him and back is John Nordin, at  
the right of the group back of the  
announcement sheet I think is Mr  
Reed - There is an old gentleman  
with long white beard about midway  
in front row whose face is  
familiar but I cannot recall  
his name - I have looked  
also for Mr. and Mrs. Under-  
wood but cannot find them.

I should be glad to see you at  
our meeting last of Jan -  
at Groton -

Respectfully

Can you furnish me cuttings of  
The Norway Popular? -

Respectfully

M. J. D. Wolf

Letcher S.D.

Dec 14. 1905

A. H. Latham Esq.  
Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir - In answer to yours  
of 13<sup>th</sup> inst. just at hand.

Will say that I did  
lose a pair of Fries # 7 1/2  
nearly new. There was  
an error made in the Check  
room and they were given  
to someone else on Thursday  
noon and the error had not  
yet been corrected on Friday  
evening - In relation to the  
the hotel bill. I did not  
keep an itemized account  
of it - But paid \$2<sup>00</sup> for

my room and took my meals  
at Restaurants They ran  
from 20¢ to 30¢ each -  
I presume 25¢ about the  
average - 11 meals -

I must say that I  
enjoyed the Lession  
immensely.

But was disappointed to  
find no time to visit the  
City and see the sights - on  
this my 1st visit to Minneapolis

I was also disappointed when  
I received the Photo Group  
to find only one or two of  
the leading horticulturists in  
it - This would have been  
a valuable souvenir had  
it contained the faces of

Say Latham Elliot, Yankee  
Underwood both Mr & Mrs  
Older, Moyer Loring  
also Hansen Harrison  
Phillips Kellogg Gardner  
Standstein &c —

We shall hope to be  
honored with a representation  
from your Society at  
our Jan - Meet at Götter  
(this state — It is convenient  
for your state —

Respy  
Wm J. D. Wolf

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

*Jan 12*

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

Dear Sir:

Please enter the name of

*James M. Lindsay*

Post-office

*Austin Minn*

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.

*3 Raspberry Plants  
8 & 9*

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

following book:

*Vegetable Gardening*

Signed

*Jaacob S. Decker*

Post-office

*Austin Minn*

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

## Will You Send

one or more new members in 1906, and help bring the number up to 2,500 this year?

## New Members Will Get

"Trees, Fruits and Flowers of Minnesota," cloth bound, 537 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 1905 "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 1905 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.

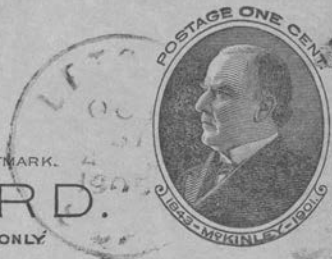
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*A. W. LATHAM,*

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

*207 Kasota Block,*

*Minneapolis, Minn.*

Dear Sir:

I am and shall be very busy but will try and comply with the wish of Prof Hansen - But to tell the truth I hardly know what to write that would be helpful to your Society; you are so far past our primitive stage.

Respectfully  
M. J. DeWolf