



## Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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A POUND OF  
FANCY MAPLE-WOOD  
BUTTER

Is made up of Sixteen Ounces, One each of Wisdom, Precaution, Concentration, Cleanliness, Determination, Prevention, Care, Forethought, Discrimination, Accuracy, Judgment, Commonsense, Patience, Fairness, Neatness, Honor.

**Maple-Wood  
Dairy Farm,**  
F. B. McLERAN, Prop.,  
Wrenshall, Minnesota.

Small Fruits, in Season,  
First-Class Vegetables,  
Jersey and Guernsey Cattle,  
Barred Plymouth Rock Poultry,  
Poland China Hogs,  
For Sale at Fair Prices.

Wrenshall, Minn., Jan. 14 1905

A. W. Latham, Secty.

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir: The Jan. report of the Society just reached me this morning. I have read it with much interest.

Please send me every blurb & information regarding the New Seedling content mentioned on page 34. Being away off here in our corner it is difficult for me to get Minnesota grown apples from which to take the seeds. Now to whom can I apply for such seeds? Can you possibly furnish me a few? I shall write today to Mr. Elliott & to Prof. Green for such seeds.

I understand you are a very successful Grape grower, - Will you try me if you think grapes offer any

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promise up here. To be grown only in a small way for home use.<sup>3</sup> And if so can you furnish me about a half dozen plants, and at what price.

I notice much interest is taken up in regard to the kind of a store house for apples at the farm. Having been very successful in the storing of all kinds of vegetables (also apples I have purchased) I wish to say that I would be glad to furnish an article on this question if it would be of value to you. Now I do not mean to "butt in." But am glad to do any thing I can to help. Does the Society intend to send out any stock to trial stations this season?<sup>2</sup>

With best wishes I am

Yours truly,  
F. B. McLaren

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Jan 14 - 1906

A. W. Sathou Secy.

Municipalis.

Dear Friend. I herewith present my name and request to become a member of The Plant Breeder's Auxiliary of the U. S. N. D.

Yours truly,

F. B. McLeran

Ormsby, Minn June 3, '06

A. St. Jackson  
Minnepolis  
Minn

Dear Sir: Enclosed please  
find 30 c<sup>ts</sup> for packing  
premium selected. I select

No 11 &

No 12

Send per  
express at my expense to:

Rev. A. Melinat,  
Ormsby,

Martin Co.,

Yours  
A. Melinat. Minn.

LONG DISTANCE TELEPHONE IN OFFICE  
LOCAL TELEPHONE 56

OFFICE OF

*Mitchell Nursery  
Company*

**GENERAL LINE OF HARDY  
NURSERY STOCK . . . . .**

OWATONNA, MINN., Jan. 13, 1905.

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

Friend Mr. Latham:

We are in receipt of yours of Jan. 11th. We are glad to know that you gave Mr. Rolfe a copy of "Amateur Fruit Growing." We are getting along nicely here. Will start putting up our Apple Grafts in a few days. If you ever get down this way, would be glad to have you come and see us.

Very respectfully,

*W. M. Mitchell*

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Jan. 9 - 1906 -

A. W. Latham, Secty.

Minneapolis.

Minn.

Dear Friend: Yours of recent date regarding photos. for the Fair report, reached me in due time.

I have not any photos of myself. I have selected a few views that will perhaps do to go with the report although they are not horticultural subjects. I regret that I do not have more appropriate views to send. You may use such of them as your judgment indicates, if any are suitable.

Lots of snow but not very cold.

With best wishes and kindest regards -

I am

Yours truly,

F. B. McLeran.

LYCURGUS R. MOYER,  
Chippewa County Abstract Office.

Attorney at Law.

MONTEVIDEO, - MINN.

Jan 10, 1906,

Dear Mr. Latham:- It was all right to put my name in as one of the charter members of the Plant breeders Auxiliary, although I do not think that I shall ever be a very active member. I have already undertaken rather too many duties and shall have to drop them all in time. I hope to send in my trial station report and also the report on the budded trees before long. I have the paper I read before the Forestry Association, but do not look upon it as anything that need to be published.

Sincerely yours,

*Lycurgus R. Moyer*

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Manfred, N. Dak.

Jan 2, 1906

Minnesota State Horticultural Society,

207 Kasota Block,

Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir; Inclosed find draft  
for fifty (\$50) for which send  
me a copy of ~~Forestry in Minnesota~~

Respectfully yours,

Gilbert Welles,

Sent Jan 5 '06.

Manfred,

Wells Co.,

Box 33.

N. Dak.

Our second son William S.  
has charge of the Parks in  
Essex County New Jersey under  
the Olmstead's.

We have had a most  
delightful fall so far no  
snow. We are now enjoying  
our "Indian Summer."

Sincerely yours

Lydia B. Manning

Reading Mass

Nov 22<sup>d</sup> 1905

Dear Mr Latham

It is kind in  
you to keep me in remembrance  
I receive the "Horticulturist"  
and have the Program of  
the Thirty ninth Annual meeting.

The contents are very interesting  
and must be a most instructive  
meeting. I wish I were so  
I could attend them, but I  
am far away, and I know

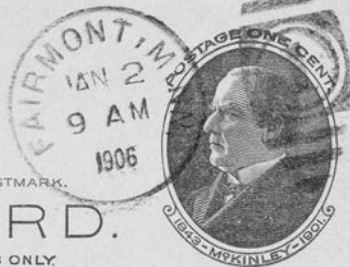
my sons would not favor  
my going at present at  
least. I hope sometime I will  
get "out west" again.

I have not been far,  
from home since husband  
left us. I have not the heart  
to go out alone yet, and  
my sons are all very busy  
men.

Our third son  
Jacob Woodward Manning  
has bought out the interest  
in the Nursery and it is

still going under the name  
of Jacob W. Manning. husband  
name being Warren, instead of  
Woodward. Our youngest  
son is Superintendent in the  
Nursery as he was for his father.

Warren H. our first born  
has a large field in landscape  
work and our fourth son  
A. Chandler is one of his superintendents.  
Chandler is my only unmarried  
son, and lives with me in  
the Homestead, when his work  
does not take him too far away.



THE SPACE ABOVE IS RESERVED FOR POSTMARK.

# POSTAL CARD.

THE SPACE BELOW IS FOR THE ADDRESS ONLY.

A. W. Latham  
207 Kasota Block  
Minneapolis Minn

McKisson's Fairmont Nurseries

FAIRMONT, MINN.

Dec 1 1905

A. W. Latham

Dear Sir:- Can  
You send me a  
few hundred of the  
soldiers to distribute

Yours Truly

Sent 500 - 1.30

McKisson's Fairmont Nurseries

L. D. McKisson

Proprietor.

150  
Miles City, Mont.

11/25-1905.

A. H. Latham - Sec.

Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir:

Yours of the 22<sup>nd</sup>  
Just rec'd. Enclosed please  
find fifty cents to pay for  
Drayage.

Please forward by Freight.

Many thanks-

Yours &c

O. H. Moorhead

ord 11.27

OFFICE OF

*Mitchell Nursery  
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OWATONNA, MINN.,

12/16/05.

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

Dear Sir:

We are in receipt of yours of recent date. We want the same space in the Horticulturist that we have had heretofore, at the price indicated in your letter.

Kindly send us one of the 1905 Horticultural leaflets as we are entirely out of them, also inform us what change, if any, was made at the recent meeting.

We enclose stamped envelope for reply.

Very respectfully,

*D. W. Mitchell*

Spring Valley Dec 19 1905  
A. W. Latham

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir. In answer to your letter of the 13<sup>th</sup> you will say that I know no reason why Mr. Underwood would not make a competent President of the Agricultural Society. If I knew the names of the Delegates of my county who are voters at the Agricultural Meeting on the 21<sup>st</sup> of Jan, I would be willing to try and see what I could do in the matter. But I am absolutely in the dark as to who these Delegates are. If you can give me any information as to names and addresses of these Delegates I would make an effort in favor of Mr. Underwood.

Yours Truly  
O. W. Moore

Maple Plain Minn

Dec 18, 05

Mr G W Latham

Dear Friend

Your orders for nursery  
stock given as premiums  
received.

It seems that some one has  
made a mistake in spelling  
the botanical name of ginseng,  
which should be (Panax,  
Quingefolium.)

Perhaps I did not make it  
plain on my paper.

We enjoyed the meetings  
and banquet very much.

Sincerely Yours  
Oreston McCully,

4  
My dear Mr. Latham —

I should  
prefer to have the  
name "Mrs. W. F. W. <sup>W</sup> Murray" <sup>51</sup>  
~~if it will not make~~ <sup>11</sup>  
any trouble to change  
it. I thank you very  
much —

Cordially

Eleanor W. Murray

Monday —

Miles City, Mont.

11/20-1905

A. H. Lathrop: Sec.  
Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir:

I rec'd a folder  
from you giving terms on  
which members are received  
in the Minnesota State  
Horticultural Society and  
enclose you Draft for five  
dollars as first Annual  
Payment of Life Membership.  
I am interested in the Nursery  
business and am anxious  
to receive those files of back  
numbers as they are exactly  
what I am in need of in  
my business. Yours &c

W. W. Moorhead  
Miles City

Box 4127

Mont.

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MANUFACTURERS & WHOLESALEERS OF  
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Piling and Long Timber a Specialty.

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ALL AGREEMENTS ARE CONTINGENT UPON STRIKES, ACCIDENTS, AND OTHER  
DELAYS UNAVOIDABLE OR BEYOND OUR CONTROL.

ADDRESS ALL BUSINESS CORRESPONDENCE TO THE COMPANY.

Willow River, Minn. Oct 30 1905

Mr Lashaw Esq  
Ice Minn Hotel at Secy  
Waples, Minn

Dear Sir

I am duly in receipt of membership  
ship ticket #1902 and the various Bulletins &  
I enclose \$2.00 for membership of  
Mr John Gluesing, Willow River, Minn,  
Mr. P. Knudsen, New Duluth, Minn.  
both commencing as of current year.  
I hope to get more men to join in the  
near future.

Yours truly  
J. D. Millard

Send all books to above

My dear Mr. Latham -

Your letter  
has remained unanswered  
because I hardly know  
what to say. I certainly do  
desire to say no to such  
a request as yours, if  
you think it would really  
do some good. As yet  
I cannot see just what  
message I could bring  
to the society. I will  
think it over some  
more. What would you



Maple Plain Wisconsin

Oct. 28, 1955

Mr & W. Latham

Dear Friend

I beg your pardon for not sending <sup>these</sup> photos sooner, under separate cover am sending you three, they are not very good do not know whether you can use them or not. have just finished planting more than 200,000 ginseng seed, and it was x tedious work. have gone to the woods, methods have changed some since I wrote.

about giving...

I will have some fruit.

at the winter meeting.

Enclosed you will find supplement  
to August number.

Sincerely Yours

Preston M. Culley.

*Sent up, 10.19.05*

# Western Passenger Association.

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OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN,  
FOURTH FLOOR RAILWAY EXCHANGE  
JACKSON BOUL'D AND MICHIGAN AVE.  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

EBEN E. MACLEOD,  
CHAIRMAN  
T. THOMPSON,  
SECRETARY.

October 17, 1905 K

Annual Meeting, Minnesota Horticultural Society, December 5-8, 1905.  
Minneapolis, Minn.

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

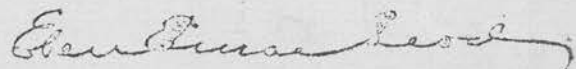
Dear Sir:-

Replying to your favor of the 14th inst. requesting reduced rates for the above occasion:

We enclose herewith application blank, which we will thank you to fill in carefully, returning same at your early convenience. Upon receipt of this blank, properly filled in, we will be in a position to give the matter prompt attention in accordance with our rules; and we will advise you as soon as possible of the action taken thereon.

The attached sample certificate should be returned with the application blank, signed personally in ink by the party who will sign certificates on behalf of your meeting, if reduction is announced on the certificate plan.

Respectfully,

  
Chairman.

Encl.

Spring Valley Nov 24. 03  
A. W. Latham

Minneapolis Minn  
Dear fellow member. Yours of the 20 inst is  
received. And in reply will say that I will  
comply with your request in opening the discussion  
following the reading of Prof. Standsterns paper  
on the growing of Seedling Plums for Definite Results

yours Fraternally

O. W. Moore

P.S. The Prof. may be pretty tall timber  
for me to tackle but we will risk it anyway

O. W. M.

THE UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA,  
CYRUS NORTHROP, LL. D., PRESIDENT.  
DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,  
W. M. LIGGETT, DEAN.  
SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE,  
D. D. MAYNE, PRINCIPAL.  
J. A. VYE, SECRETARY.

ST. ANTHONY PARK, MINN..

Nov. 23. '85-

My Dear Secy Latham: -

Your kind favor of 22nd inst is before me. I shall gladly urge the students here to attend the sessions of the Minnesota State Horticultural Society. I think you may depend on having the usual attendance from the school on Tues. morning.

Very truly yours,

D. D. Mayne

# THE NATIONAL IRRIGATION ASSOCIATION

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ADDRESS REPLY TO NEW YORK OFFICE,  
ROOM 812, 17 BATTERY PLACE

November 28, 1905.

Mr. A. W. Latham,  
Secy. Minnesota State Hor. Society,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:--

I have received your letter of the 21st instant with program of meeting, and as you have put me down for Thursday afternoon, I will be with you at that time.

I wrote Mrs. Lydia Phillips Williams asking if it would be as convenient to have me speak on Wednesday, but you need not make the change.

Yours very truly,

*George H. Maxwell*

Dict. G.H.M.

# KANARANZI NURSERIES

FRED MOHL, PROPRIETOR

ORNAMENTAL TREES

SHRUBS, PLANTS, ETC.

Adrian, Minnesota, Dec. 1st, 1905

Mr. A. W. Latham, Secy. Minn. State Hort. Society,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:

I regret exceedingly not to be able to be with you next week at the annual meeting of the Minnesota Horticultural Society. I was in hopes that this meeting would fall on a date which would not interfere with my semi-monthly trips to Colorado. I leave for Colorado next Tuesday, Dec. 5th and this trip has already been advertised and I expect to meet a number of people which makes it necessary for me to be with them. I therefore, enclose herewith a short report of the fruit conditions in this district also 13 other reports from different parts of the district for your perusal.

Yours truly,

*Fred Mohl*

Tuesday.  
Members

- |  |                 |                |
|--|-----------------|----------------|
| 1. <sup>v</sup> W. F. Akin, Farmington                         | \$ 1.00         | Old            |
| 2. <sup>v</sup> H. B. Olson, St. Louis Park, R.I.              | 1.00            | Old            |
| 3. Mrs. E. Bruce, 2732 Colfax Ave S., City.                    | 1.00            | New.           |
| 4. <sup>v</sup> Kolisch, A. H. G., St. Louis Park,             | 1.00            | Old.           |
| <del>5. <sup>v</sup> R. B. Hazard, 3122 Fremont N. City.</del> | <del>1.00</del> | <del>Old</del> |
| 6. <sup>v</sup> E. H. Smith, Lake City.                        | 1.00            | Old.           |
| 7. <sup>v</sup> J. S. Patton, Charles City Iowa.               | 1.00            | Old.           |
| 8. <sup>v</sup> Kussel H. J., R. 8 Merriam Park,               | 1.00            | Old.           |
| 9. <sup>v</sup> Frank Mosser, St. Louis Park,                  | 1.00            | Old            |
| 10. <sup>v</sup> J. Ryan, Minnetonka.                          | 1.00            | Old.           |
| 11. <sup>v</sup> J. M. McLoon, Excelsior                       | \$ 1.00         | New.           |
| 12. <sup>v</sup> Mrs. J. W. Ray, 2628 Portland Ave.            | \$ 1.00         | Old.           |
| 13. <sup>v</sup> Kennedy, E. W., Lake City.                    | \$ 1.00         | Old.           |

Wednesday.

- |  |          |      |
|--|----------|------|
| 14. <sup>v</sup> Miss Hazel Burton, Map Haven.         | \$ 1.00. | Old. |
| 15. <sup>v</sup> Mr. Eli Stone, Excelsior, Minn.       | 1.00.    | "    |
| 16. <sup>v</sup> Snowberg, John, Scandia - Mr. Lingley | 1.00     | New. |
| 17. <sup>v</sup> W. C. Webster, La Crescent            | 1.00     | O.   |
| 18. <sup>v</sup> W. H. Hanchett, Sparta, Wis.          | 1.00.    | New. |
| 19. <sup>v</sup> Julius Ewald, 212 N. 26th, City.      | 1.00     | New. |

Wednesday.

7. v	C. A. Sargent, Red Wing.	1.00	0.
8. v	A. L. Nelson, Wayzata.	1.00	0.
9. (Mrs.)	W. H. Hennicker, Seed Rec. number	25¢	)
10. v	W. E. Fryer, Mantorville.	1.00	0
11. v	74 74 Men, Boston.	1.00	0.
12. v	Andrew Anderson, Hallock R. I.	1.00	
13. v	M. A. Nelson, St Hillaire	1.00	
14. v	Chas. Gustafson, St Hillaire	1.00	
15. v	Paul A. Wahl, Thief River Falls, Min.	1.00	
16. v	Solomon Danielson, Pothoey.	1.00	
17. v	Nelson & Skogan, Bagley. ---	1.00	
18. v	O. E. Davids, Bagley	1.00	
19. v	Har Wilson, Caledonia N. D.	1.00	
20. v	Elmer Prestad, Hendrum, Min.	1.00	
21. v	R. B. Malberg, Warren, Min. <sup>ald.</sup>	1.00	
	Given by R. A. Schutz, Leroy.		

Thursday.

✓ A. A. Bost, Excelsior.	"	1.00
✓ B. P. Christenson, Hutchinson, Minn.	"	1.00.
✓ W. Moede, Buffalo Lake.	"	1.00.
✓ Walter Yahuke, Waconia.	"	1.00
✓ Wm. Kennedy, Biersey.	"	1.00.
<del>Mr. Bost.</del>	"	<del>1.00</del>
✓ A. M. Bates, Excelsior.	"	1.00
✓ O. C. Thompson, Albert Lea,	"	1.00.
✓ H. J. Peterson, Waconia	"	1.00.
✓ Everett Spear, Northfield	"	1.00
✓ E. A. Weifort, Stillwater	"	1.00

~~E. A. Weifort, Stillwater, 1.00~~

Thursday,

15 Banquet tickets	\$ 11.25
Mr. Boek. advertising	4.50
10 memberships	10.00
	<hr/>
	\$ 25.75

Friday,

Friday.

✓ Jacob Kouth - Robbinsdale, R. 2.	1.00	old.
✓ Fritz Holzappel (Look'ing up) "	1.00	old.
✓ G. F. Steller, Excelsior.	1.00	"
✓ C. P. Bull, St. Anthony Park ←	1.00.	"
✓ J. H. Bull, Mpls. Sta. 4, R. 2. <sup>Send ticket to</sup>	1.00	new.
✓ Elwin L. Peterson, Eff. Sta., St. Anthony Park	1.00	"

Ushers

✓ C. C. Hunter  
✓ W. S. Higbie  
J. Vincent Bailey } Tuesday

✓ W. R. Cashman  
J. L. Seigland  
C. J. Wheeler } Wednesday.

H. G. Westman  
Wm. Mitchell } Thursday  
J. S. Grabek }

A. B. Franklin  
Edw. Vehrung } Friday.  
G. F. Stellar }

V / 20

St Paul Min Dec 4-1905

A W Latham

Enclosed

please find membership fee  
Please mail me badge for 1905-

Yours truly

M C Brunell  
Newport News

3125 Atlantic Ave.

✓ City, N. B.

LYCURGUS R. MOYER,  
Chippewa County Abstract Office.  
Attorney at Law.  
MONTEVIDEO, - MINN.

Dec 12, 1905,

Mr. J. M. Underwood,  
Lake City, Minn.,

Dear Mr. Underwood;- Your letter of the 11th inst is received. It will not be at all possible for me to come down to Minneapolis Next week. It would seem to me better to get some one to go on the committee who is nearer to the city.

Sincerely yours,

*Lycurgus Pelkoyev*

# MINNETONKA SEED GARDENS,

FAIRVIEW STATION, LAKE MINNETONKA.

GROWERS OF  
VEGETABLE and FLOWER  
SEEDS.

BULBS and PLANTS  
FOR  
SPRING PLANTING.

Excelsior, Minn. December 9th 1905

Minnesota Horticulturist  
207 Kasota Building  
Minneapolis, Minn.

Gentlemen,-

Kindly furnish your rates for  
display advertising in the 'Minnesota Horticulturist'.

When is your first issue in January? When is it necessary to  
have copy in your hands?

Please send sample copy of your publication, and oblige,

Yours very truly,

*Minnetonka Seed Gardens.*

# Western Passenger Association. // 100

OFFICE OF THE CHAIRMAN,  
FOURTH FLOOR RAILWAY EXCHANGE  
JACKSON BOUL'D AND MICHIGAN AVE.  
CHICAGO, ILLINOIS

December 13 1905 H

EBEN E. MACLEOD,  
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T. THOMPSON,  
SECRETARY.

Annual Meeting, Minnesota State Horticultural Society, Minneapolis,  
Minn., December 5-8, 1905.

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

Dear Sir:-

Referring to our letter of October 25th, - - acknowledging receipt of remittance of \$11.00 to cover the services of our Joint Agent for the purpose of executing certificates account above named occasion and advising that if the required number of certificates were presented, we would refund the amount which you deposited with us.

In accordance with the above we enclose herewith our check No 32839 in your favor for the amount specified. Kindly sign the attached receipt, returning same to us promptly, and oblige.

Respectfully,

*Eben E. MacLeod*  
Chairman.

Encl.

Elk River, S. Dak. 1905

Dec the 2<sup>nd</sup>

A. W. Loatham

Dear Sir I  
am sending you  
½ doz of those seedling  
Apples to you I send  
the scions and two  
Apples to Prof. S. B.  
Green I am afraid  
those will be late  
but the roads are so  
bad I could not  
send them sooner. those  
Apples were taken from  
the Tree the 31<sup>st</sup> of August  
we had to pick them  
or they would be stolen  
as some of the rest was  
over

I am sending those  
by express prepaid

I would like to  
know what you  
thought of them  
yours respectfully

Mrs. J. M. Carthy  
Elkton. S. Dak

WM. SAUNDERS,  
Director.

A. MACKAY,  
Superintendent.

DOMINION OF CANADA,

Department of Agriculture,

Experimental Farm for North-West Territories,

Indian Head, Assa., ..... 8 Nov 1905

A Mr. Latham Esq

Secy Horticultural Society

Minneapolis. Minn

Dear Sir

Your care, and copy of  
the Minnesota Horticulturist are well  
for which please accept my best thanks  
for the copy as well as for the very  
free and well written articles contained  
therein, on your trip towards the North Pk.,  
and especially that part relating to the  
Egypt Farm - There is no charge in  
connection with the Photos

Yours very truly

Augustus Mackay

My dear Mr. Latham,

I am indeed  
sorry to have made you  
write another letter on  
account of my delay in  
answering. With much  
hesitation, or after  
much hesitation I have  
decided to do as you  
request and give the  
short talk also get the  
paper ready if I can.

The members of the Society  
have so many of them  
contributed to our work here  
that I feel it is really due  
them if they wish it and  
I shall do it heartily and  
make it to the point -

Very cordially yours,

Edna M. Murren

Wednesday

"Horticulture <sup>for</sup> ~~in~~ The Schools"

I should like rather better  
than the other title you  
mentioned, as some people  
might resent the idea of  
the subject being taught in  
our schools. We have to  
be very tactful, and this  
comes in under  
"Nature Study", and is  
recognized in that way.

# Western Passenger Association.

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Annual Meeting, Minnesota State Horticultural Society,  
Minneapolis, Minn., December 5-8, 1905.

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

Dear Sir:-

Referring to your application for reduced rates for the above named occasion:

Upon completion of the arrangements named herein, the lines interested have individually consented to announce rate of fare and one third on certificate plan for this occasion from points in - - - Minnesota, - - - on condition that there shall be 100 or more persons in attendance by rail holding certificates of the standard form showing the purchase of tickets at regular rates (no certificates to be counted or honored which show the purchase of tickets at fifty cents or less.)

Under our rules certificates would be honored which show the purchase of going tickets not earlier than three days prior to the date announced as the opening date of the meeting, and during the first three days thereof, and (if presented for return tickets) not later than three days after the date announced as the closing date of the meeting-Sunday not to be counted as a day in any case.

It will be necessary for your organization to defray the expense of a Joint Agent of this Association to be in attendance at your meeting on such day or days as you may consider necessary for the purpose of executing and personally returning to your delegates their certificates. It will, therefore, be necessary if you desire to take advantage of the reduced rates above tendered, for you to arrange to have our Joint Agent in attendance at your meeting on a sufficient number of days to enable him to do this.

The charge for such services, under our rules, is \$11.00 for the first day and \$6.00 for each succeeding day for which the attendance of agent is necessary.

We shall be glad to announce this arrangement upon receipt of amount from you based upon the above estimate. If you will advise us promptly on what date or dates you desire our Joint Agent to be present giving address of the building in which your meeting will be held, and will send check to cover, we will make all necessary arrangements at once.

Fee of 25 cents will be collected by our Joint Agent (from the holders of certificates) for the execution of each certificate and would suggest that you include this requirement in your notice to your delegates. If the required number of certificates is presented at your meeting, we will refund the amount which you deposit with us.

Respectfully  
*Eben E. MacLeod*  
Chairman.

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BRANDON, MAN. Oct. 16th, 1905.

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

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of yours of the 10th inst. acknowledging the balance of my membership fee in your Society, and note what you say in regard to the shipping of the reports, etc. I have inquired here of the Express Company, and I find that the rate would be \$1.75 for 50 lbs., and I should judge that these reports would not weigh more than that, consequently it will be just about as cheap for you to send them by express, as the cartage at either end on freight would make it about equal. Send them at your earliest possible convenience, as also the certificate.

Yours respectfully.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, which appears to read 'J. M. Loomis'. The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned below the typed closing of the letter.

splendid Society of ours.

But Mr. Latham I know  
that you will believe me  
entirely sincere when I  
assure you that my own  
part in the work was  
small and that any  
thing I was able to do was  
altogether due, or at least  
very largely due to the wise  
and kindly interest and  
advice and assistance of  
Prof. Green first and  
of the Principals of the  
Public Schools next, in their  
never failing response to  
any idea they deem for  
the real good of the children  
under them. My own part  
was so very small in  
comparison that I should

Saturday

My dear Mr. Latham -

I have just  
returned from a trip West  
and reply at once to your  
letter and request that  
I prepare a paper for the  
"Society." - yes I am very  
much interested in giving  
to our young people a  
real and practical interest  
in making their homes  
more attractive comfortable  
and thrifty by the  
simple and clearning  
methods taught in this

really not care to speak of it at all,  
and I think any mention of it the world  
would better come from some  
other source. And too if the idea  
appeals to you as worthy of being  
carried into the rural schools  
of the state, and that would be  
fine, I think, I shall be glad to  
give our plans and whatever  
we can, to whoever may take  
it up. But please Mr. Latham  
in order not to scandalize me  
in any further work of this kind  
do not mention my name at  
all. The "Sunday Club" is

quite sufficient if it is necessary  
to speak of it, at all. Do not  
think this an exhibition of modesty -  
Mr. Latham on my part; it is  
simply and coldly that I can do  
much more good by keeping my  
own name and myself in that  
background - any woman can.

Very cordially yours

Eleanor McMurran

Mrs W. L.

460 Ingham St  
St Paul.

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BRANDON, MAN. Oct. 7th., 190

A.W. Latham Esq.,  
Minneapolis Minn.,

Dear Sir,—

I received your last annual report all O.K. and also today the October issue of the Journal and I must say it is a bright and interesting pamphlet. I was specially interested in reading your account of your trip up through our prairie province and while I might take exception to some of your statements yet on the whole it is very fair.

I am enclosing the balance of my membership fees as I wish to get the balance of the reports and ~~at~~ as early a date as possible. We are having our own troubles up here the same as you had in Minn. but we are getting along admirably and we have the Apple problem pretty well solved by the introduction of Pyrus Baccatta, which we use entirely now for stocks, grafting any hardy scion unto this gives us a first class frost proof tree. Transcendant Crabs handled in this way give results both for the class of fruit and yield that cannot be surpassed anywhere.

Wishing you and your society the success which it merits,

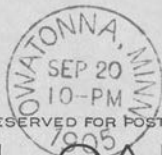
I am,

Yours respectfully,

*B.D. Wallace*  
Ass't. M'gr.

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*P.S. Am mailing under  
separate cover copy of our Catalogue,  
which will give you some idea  
of the class of stock handled in this country.*



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*A. W. LATHAM,*

*Secy. Minn. State Hort. Soc'y,  
208 Kasota Block,  
Minneapolis, Minn.*



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Oratomug, Minn  
Sept 20-05.

W. W. Latham, Minneapolis -

Dear Sir -

Will prepare paper on - Wintering  
Nursery stock delivered to the  
planter in the fall, as requested.

Very Respectfully

D. M. Mitchell.