



Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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Dear Mr. Latham:

The above is a list of members of
The Forestry Association so far this year. Please
see that they are on the list of the Hort. Society.

Very sincerely yours,

E. Schuyler

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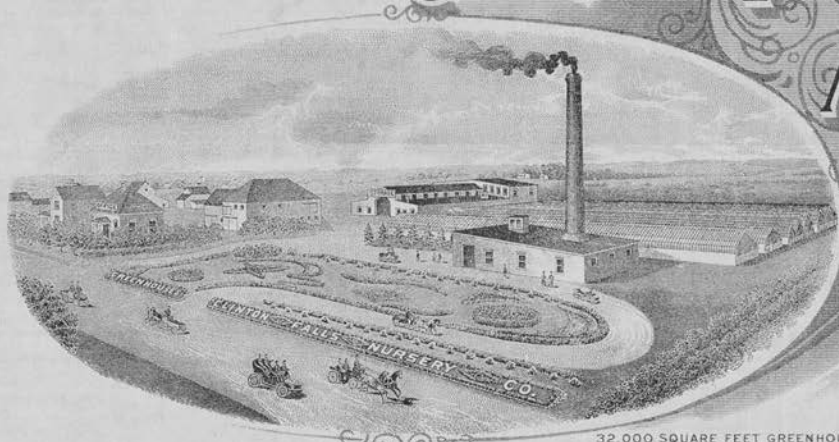
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A. W. Latham,
 207 Kasota Blk,
 Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Friend:- Some weeks ago, I sent you a letter which was forwarded me by a friend of mine, Mr. M. Guthrie of B,coming Prairie requesting information on the Horticulture and botany of Minnesota etc. I sent this letter to you and asked you, if possible, to send this party any circulars or phamplets that you might have bearing on the subject. I have just heard that Mr. Guthrie was complaining because I did not furnish him the information wanted and in fact, I had forgotten all about it myself. Please advise what you can do for me in this matter. I did not keep a copy of the enclosed letter so don't know its exact contents. I sincerely hope I am not asking too much Mr. Latham and if it is too much work for you to look up this information, just tell me where I can find it and I will get it myself.

Thanking you for past favors, I am
 Sincerely yours,

TEC/AM

Thos. E. Cashman



Publishes a Monthly Magazine entitled "The Minnesota Horticulturist." Sent free to all members of 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, SAM'L B. GREEN, St. Anthony Park.



Office (and Library) of

A. W. LATHAM, Secretary,

207 KASOTA BLDG.,

Minneapolis, Minn., 2/18/09.

John Casey,
Buffalo, Minn.
Dear Sir.-

Your favor of the 17th. inst. at hand. Perhaps you do not exactly understand the conditions of life membership. The fee is \$10. It can be paid in one amount or in two amounts of \$5. each, the second payment to be made within one year of the first payment. Upon receipt of \$5. from you we should send you a copy of the report for 1908 and the magazines regularly each month as issued, but the file of back reports, some twenty odd volumes, would not be sent until the full life fee of \$10. is paid.

Hope you may think best to unite with us in this useful work, which you would find helpful and interesting.

Yours very truly,

A. W. Latham Sec'y.



Avoca, Minn, March 20 1909.

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

Dear sir:— Your letter of March 12th at hand. Would say that I have never made application for the back reports before as I thought they would be sent without it. I have the reports for the years 1905, 1906, 1907 and 1908.

Please send file by freight.
My shipping point is Lime Creek,
Murray Co., Minn.

Please send them there.

Yours truly,

Fred H. Clarke.

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

Henry Andersson (N) RR 2 Lake Wilson
Wm Sharp (N) RR Slayton Minn
H. W. Kadolph (N) RR 3 Slayton Minn.

Please send Report and Premium
Fruit growing to E. J. Coles RR 3 Westbrook,
also Mrs A. L. Talcott RR 3 Westbrook
and L. L. Hedman RR 2 Lamberton
Receives the Forks here at Slayton N.E.C.

W. B. Miller no more books.

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

✓ Fred Robbins (X)	Dorray Minn
✓ E. J. Cohrs (X) R.R. 3.	Nestbrook "
✓ Mrs A. L. Talcott O. R.R. 3.	Nestbrook "
✓ Ole Hager (X)	Dorray Minn
✓ L. L. Hedman (X) R.R. 2.	Lamberton "
✓ A. H. Anderson (X)	Storden. "
✓ G. T. Rasche (X) R.R.	Nestbrook. "
✓ Lou J. Olson (X)	Storden. "

X, E, C.

Rochester, Minn. March 12-09

A. W. Latham,
Mpls. Minn.

Dear Sir

I have just written you
a letter containing my annual dues and dropped it
in the office. I mentioned the fact to a friend of
mine and he wanted me to send in his name
for membership so will have to write you again
you will probably get both letters at the same
time. The name and address is as follows

J. W. Flathers
Rochester

Minn.

Mr. Flathers would like the annual report for 1908
if possible and if he is entitled to the plant
premiums would like \$3.74

As I understand the folder you sent me I am
entitled to a book premium if so please send
me (Amateur Fruit Growing) Yours truly

A. W. Latham
Rochester
Minn.

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Owatonna, Minnesota

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

207 Kasota Block,

Minneapolis, Minn

William Ohland (r) Gibbon Minn
Louis Arhart (r) R.R. 1. Gibbon, Minn
Rev. H. Boettcher, (r) Gibbon Minn
Nils Peterson (r) R.R. 4. Gibbon, Minn
Mrs Henry Knipple, (r) Gibbon, Minn
C. Christofferson (r) R.R. 1. Gibbon, Minn
A. P. Carlson (r) R.R. 1. Gibbon Minn
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Oscar Hallstrom (r) R.R. 4. Gibbon Minn



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

207 Kasota Block,

Minneapolis, Minn

✓ J. S. Parsons (N) Fairfax Minn

August Sell. (N) Fairfax Minn

✓ A. T. Pickle (N) R.R. Fairfax Minn

✓ William Kiehn (N) Fairfax Minn

✓ J. C. Fullerton (O) Fairfax Minn

Please send Reports to the last three
names and premium of Amalgam Fruit
growing to the two new subscribers Pickle and Kiehn
will have plenty for Carrie Dorsey and Homer N. E. C.

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

A. M. Latham

Springfield Mass
Nov 3 1859

✓ Dear Sir, I only secured
one subscriber at this town.

K. E. M. O., Springfield Mass

I had books for them.

yours

N. E. Chapman



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

Sauabon March 3d 1909

A. W. Latham

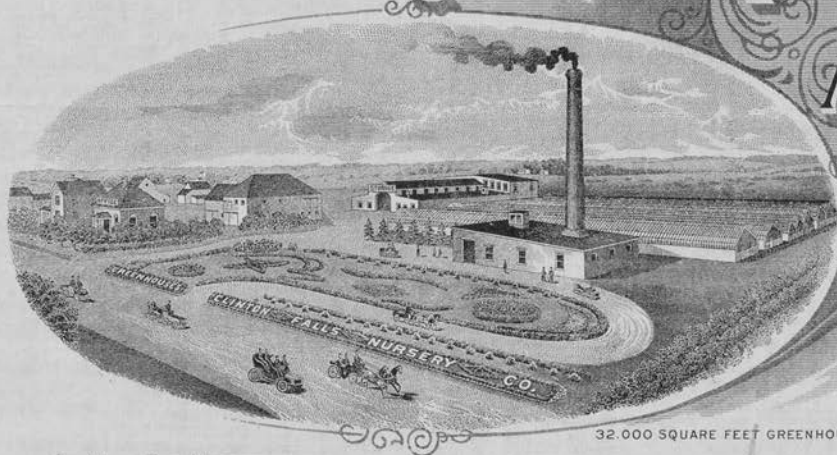
Dear Sir, Mr. Free forgot the grip in which I had Reports that were snowbound at Dorray and so I only had one of each as a sample at Vista. I took two names and you will send Reports and Amelur Form - 5000 to each. The late storm early in the season destroyed their crops and they pleaded poverty. They had money for deer however I noticed.

1. Dr. H. J. Gray R. Vista, Minn

2. A. J. Boller R. R 2, Echo, Minn
R. E. Chapman

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*sent
3.9.09*

Dear Sir:-

Please send us your Minnesota Horticulturist Book for the year of 1905 .(Year Book) Please send this by return mail, and if it is what we want will put in an order for several of them.

Yours very respectfully,

WD/MLC

Clinton Falls Nursery Co.,

M. E. Cashman

North Dakota State Horticultural Society

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2/26 09.

*Mr A. W. Chas.
207. Kasota Bldg
Mundys Minn.*

✓ 25

*Dear Sir: - Following parties have
joined the Hort. Society since my last
report.*

Melville Ketchum - ^{Milnor} ~~Janestown~~ ND

J. J. Zook, Minn. X B. H. ND.

J. Kildrenys, Petersberg ND

M. H. Fallis, Janestown, ND.

J. L. Hoover, Kensal. ND.

Enclosed please find check for \$125 to cover.

Fraternally yours

O. O. Churchill

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Minnesota State Agricultural Society

State Fair of 1909, September 6 to 11

TELEPHONES | NORTHWESTERN, MIDWAY 6
| TRI-STATE, PARK 6021

SECRETARY'S OFFICE

State Fair Grounds, Hamline, Minn. February 23-1909.

Mr. A. W. Latham, Secretary,
Minnesota State Horticultural Society,
Minneapolis, Minn.

My dear Mr. Latham:-

Yours of the 20th inst. at hand. I am pleased to know that you approve of the present management of this State Fair, and more particullary, to know that you are opposed to the Rosenwald bill; as a matter of fact, it takes the management, practically, out of the hands of the Agricultural Societies, as the County Commissioners would have 240 delegates, against 150 delegates of the Agricultural Societies.

Now, I would suggest, if it is not too much trouble, that you write your Senator, and your Representative, at once, asking them to oppose this bill, giving your reasons why; also, ahve a few of your best business-men, and prominent farmers do the same thing. These letters coming directly from home, will I am sure, have a great effect upon the action of your members of the Legislature.

Truly yours,


Secretary.

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

Tyler Minn Feb 21 '09

A. W. Latham.

I find that there are so
13 or 14 subscribers at Conby and as
~~our~~ Grip is in Fairmount - I ought to have
a shipment of books to Conby for subscribers
there if they have not already renewed
and received them. We have no grip to
carry extra reports in. Mr. Smeeth - put almost
in the state Grip when we have any left.
Yours N. E. Chapman

ROY & ...

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

Tracy, Feb 22 1909

Dear Sir,

I secured six subscribers
at Lake Benton today. I only had
3 reports - so had two reports and
one report - and premium. Must be
sent - these will send in the
list - later. Fish did not come to Lake
Benton before I left. - yours N. E. Chapman

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Mr. A. W. Latham, Secretary,

Minn. State Horticultural Society,

Minneapolis, Minnesota.

Dear Sir:-

As you have undoubtedly noticed by the papers, we are being "investigated". Among other things it has been intimated that the attendance at our Annual Meeting is very slim; that in many instances when three delegates are named, only one attends the Annual Meeting.

I wish, therefore, you would inform me by return mail, how many delegates were named to attend the Annual Meeting from your Society, and how many actually attended. Please be very careful in giving this, as it may be quite important. Also, did any attend from your County who were not delegates?

There is a movement on hand to turn the Management of this Fair over from the County Agricultural Societies, and kindred Associations to the County Commissioners of the State, - I think with the belief that if there can be 240 delegates appointed (who have no interest whatever in this institution) that it will be an easy matter to control the Annual Meeting through these delegates.

I wish you would also give me your opinion as to how you view such a change? You may have noticed the "Rosenwald" bill, by which it is proposed to make this change.

Truly yours,

C. N. Cosgrove
Secretary.

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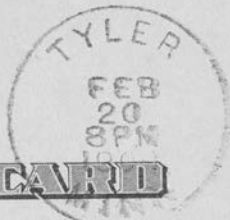
*A. W. LATHAM,
Sec'y Minn. State Hort. Soc'y,
207 Kasota Block,
Minneapolis, Minn*

Rushdon Minn

Dear Sir,

Friday 19th

Mr Sweet presented the
work of the Society the last 3
Susetates. I receive 3 subscribers
at Windom but none at Lunenburg
or Lynd. Will send in the names
after tomorrow. I order the work at Slapin
to be sent here and expect them to night.
We will have better success than I hope N.E. Co.



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

Richton Minn

Feb 20, 1909

Dear Bro,

The books come to Richton
from Stoughton but they send one
day and the other the next and
so the forwarding cost me 1.20 or $60c$
each bundle. I am writing this
near the close of the session. So for now
have subscribed as yet - We do see best -
Have plenty of books. Yours N.E. Chapman

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HILLS, MINNESOTA, July 17th 1909

A. W. Latham

Minneapolis Minn
Dear Sir,

As yet, the bound copy
of the Horticulturist for 1908 has not
found me. For lapses I have
moved so often that I forget
to advise you often enough

I enclose \$2.00 for 1909
membership for my self and
Mr M. H. Harman of Geneva, N. Y.

If he has forwarded his own
subscription for 1909 you may return
\$1.00 favor to me

Please forward the 1908 bound
copy and Jan & Feb copies of 1909.

Yours truly
P. A. Christianson

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

Windom, Minn. Feb. 16 1909

Dear Sir, Perhaps Prof. Wilson has a quar-
rel you with the particulars of last week.

The Telescope with reports has left at Dorney
and cannot be shipped to us until the
blockade is broken. I wrote you at Curmi
which perhaps you have received. Will send
to Slayton for those you sent there. That
one is sufficient for this week and next
will advise you when I want more. We
go home for a little after next week yours
L. E. C.

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

Jan'y 30th 1909

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

Dear Sir:

Please enter the name of *Mr. John Grist*

Post-office, *Rapid City, S.D.* 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. *11 and 13*

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

Signed

Mrs. A. G. Grist
Post-office *Rapid City, S.D.*

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

Will Not You Send

one or more new members in 1908, and help bring the number up to 2,500 this year?

New Members Will Receive

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

"Minnesota Horticulturist," 12 issues, 40 pages each.

Two Valuable Plant Premiums, his selection.

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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.

Don't Fail to Distribute the 1907 "Horticulturists"

and the "Society Folders" in getting new members.

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

Please Do Not Forget

That in accepting the volume, "Trees, Fruits and Flowers of Minnesota," for 1907, 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.

The 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.

Get Busy!

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

Feb. 13 / 1909

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

Dear Sir:

Please enter the name of B. Penbody

Post-office, St. Charles, 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. 192

For my premium in securing this new member please send me the following book: Greer's Amateurs Fruit Grower

Signed Stewart H. Clarkson

Post-office St. Charles

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Fertile, Minn., Feb 5 1907

Mr. A W Latham

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir

Having secured as new member to society
Peder H Taallerud Fertile Minn I enclose
Express bill 90 & Stamp 10 to cover same
Send him Report & amateur Fruit Growing
and as plant Premium No 2 & 4

The express bill is for express paid by me on
12 Reports on care of Society.

Yours Truly
C H Carlson

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Fertile, Minn., Feb 6 1909

M A W Sathou Inc

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Dear Sir

I enclose 1⁰⁰ fee for another New Market
G. A. Kyllander Flaming Minn R-1
Seed Minn Report & Amstays Fruit Growing
also Plant Premium No 7 & 6

Yours Truly
C. H. Carlson

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ST. ANTHONY PARK, ST. PAUL, MINN.,

Feb. 8, 1909.

Mr. A. W. Latham,

Kasota Block, Minneapolis.

Dear Mr. Latham:

I have packed and will send forward by freight the following books for life members:-

R. F. Chambers, Redwood Falls, Minn.

J. S. Peterson, Walnut Grove, Minn.

2 sets in 1 box to Louis Wenzel, Crookston.

1 set to F. H. Broom, Librarian University of Tennessee,
Knoxville, Tenn.

By express, copies of 1901, 5, 6 and 7, to

John Thompson, Philadelphia, Pa., for the Free
Public Library.

These were filled as fully as I could from the reports available as you directed. I have also turned over to our library here at the station reports from 1902 to 1908 inclusive., as they have not any of those reports on file.

Sincerely yours,

Le Roy Cady

Dict. L. C.



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Minnesota State Horticultural Society,

President, SAM'L B. GREEN, St. Anthony Park.

Office (and Library) of

A. W. LATHAM, Secretary,

207 KASOTA BLDG.,

Minneapolis, Minn. 1/30/09.

S. P. Cosby,
Braham, Minn.

Dear Sir.-

Your remittance of \$10. under date of Jan. 28th. at hand on account of advertisement in our monthly. As this pays for one month more than a year, and all contracts expire Jan. 1st., I am returning you herewith a check for one-twelfth of the amount, ~~\$10~~, leaving a credit of ~~\$9.17~~ payment in full for the space referred to during the current year.

Yours fraternally,

Copy

Sec'y.

North Dakota State Horticultural Society

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Mr. A. W. Latham
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir;-

Enclosed find list of new

members.

- ✓ L.A. Ueland, Edgeley, N.D.
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Fourteen members at \$.25; \$3.50 will be covered by
enclosed money order.

We had a fairly good meeting on the twenty-
second. We were very glad to have Mr. Hagen with us.

A report will be sent you later.

Yours Truly,

Churchill
Secy - Treasurer

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

January 26
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190 *9*

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

Dear Sir:

Please enter the name of *Israel Gohberg*

Post-office, *Roseau 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. *87 6*

For my premium in securing this new member please send me the following book: *Forestry & Mining*

Signed *F. J. G. G. G.*

Post-office *Roseau Minn.*

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Get Busy!

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Roseau Minn 1909

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Dear Sir:

Please enter the name of A. N. Fass

Post-office, Roseau, 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. 6-8

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

Signed F. J. Corpe

Post-office Roseau Minn

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FERTILE, MINN. JAN 29 1909

Mr A. W. Sathorn

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir

At the Farmers Institute here yesterday Mr R. A. Schuty secured 18 members to the Society but he had not received the Reports or Premium books. So he left it in my care to deliver when they arrived.

Now I received 12 Reports & 12 Amateur Fruit-Growing to day. But Mr Schuty did not say any thing about the Amateur Fruit-Growing. Whether this was also to be delivered to these members secured, and I would like to know if this books also goes as a Premium. ~~But~~ ^{you} I suppose Mr Schuty will report to you the number of members he secured here. So that you can forward the bal of the books needed. He also said charges would be prepaid but I had to pay 90¢ express charges on each Report. Let me hear from you by Return Mail

Yours Truly
C. H. Carlson

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a. w. Latham
207 Kasota Block
Minneapolis
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Plainview Minn Jan 25th 1909

Dear Sir

Please Send me 50 Golders
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yours Respectfully

R. R. Chapman

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Mr A. W. Latham

Sig & c -

Dear Sir - Yours of 26th is

before me and I have decided to accept your
proposition for ad. for one year - \$10 and
herewith inclose my check for same

Yours sincerely

S. P. Crosby

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Dear Sir:- I enclose herewith \$2.00 Membership fee
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✓ E. G. Erickson Fertile Minn R-2 Box 99

✓ David Helm ✓ " " ✓

as plant Premiums Send Each no 2 & 6 ✓ ✓

also send Each of these Amateur Fruit Growing. as in
order to get them as members I found them the
Premium allowed for Secury Members

Yours Truly
E. H. Carlson

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United States Senate,

COMMITTEE ON INDIAN AFFAIRS.

Washington, January 25th, 1909.

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

Dear sir:

Your circular of the 22nd inst. is received. Its suggestions are noted and they will receive consideration.

I am,

Very truly yours,

Moses E. Clapp

59 F. J. Peterson, O. R.R., 1. Wacoma. Wm
60 Ole Endahl, N. R.R., 4 Appleton. "
61 Faed Hennicke, N. R.R., 1. Appleton. "
62 Albert Schliep Holloway. "

W. E. Chapman

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Alexandria Minn Jan 21 1909

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

Dear Sir:

Please enter the name of *William Young*
Post-office, *Alexandria 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. *2 & 6*

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

Signed *A. G. Carnegie*

Post-office *Alexandria Minn*

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Braham, Minnesota

July 25 - 1909 -

My Dear Mr Latham -

If you still take ads
 in your Horticulturalist, will you ~~send~~ the
 enclosed Pouch - vol. for July - March - April
 May - 1909 - and send me bill for same
 any time you want - your money - If you
 have no objection you might mention ad in
 Secretary's Corner - I think some of our members
 want something in my line if they know where
 to find me -

Yours Very truly
S. P. Crosby

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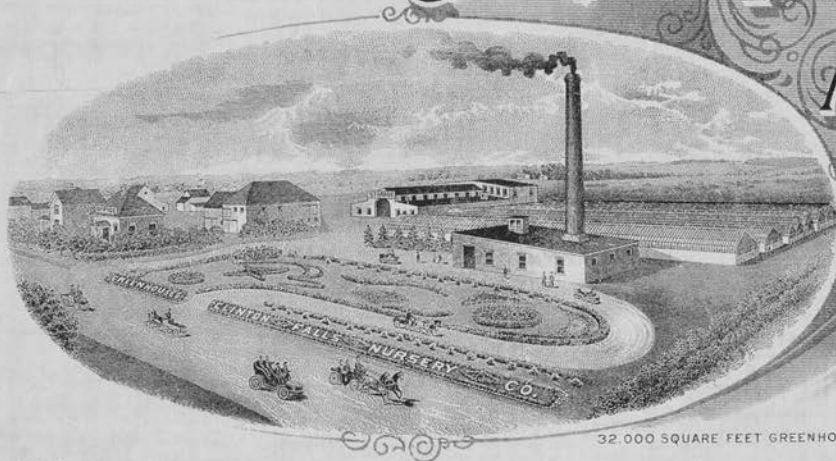
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Dear Sir:-

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Yours very truly,

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Agricultural College, N. D. Jan. 16. 1909 .

Mr. A. W. Latham

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Mr. Latham:-

I am herewith sending you a list of our members and twenty five cents for each as per our agreement. This does not include the bound report but only the magazine.

✓ W. W. Lilly	Hankinson, N. D.
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2019 members @ 25¢ \$5.00. Enclosed please

find money order for same.

Yours Truly,

O. O. Churchill
Levy

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

Two Harbors Minn. Jan 16 - 1909

A. W. Latham Esq
Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir

Have received your Postal of Jan 4 - 09
Glad to hear you have taken up the matter
of my membership with Mr. Brackett. You
understood me right, that I did not receive
the report or anything else - except a sample
copy for Sept 1907 of "The Horticulturist"
Yours Truly E. E. Cavallin

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50. Niels J. C. Larsen O R.R. 1. Alpha Minn
51. ✓ Edwin Benson N. R.R. 5. Jackson Minn
52. ✓ F. L. Marquardt N. R.R. 2. Heron Lake "
53. ✓ A. M. St John N. Lakefield Minn.
54. ✓ Anton Teigen O. R.R. 1. Jackson "
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56. ✓ Mrs E. S. Thorndyke N. Edgerton "
57. ✓ F. A. Darfee N. R.R. 1. Reading "
58. ✓ J. J. Weitzel O. Wilmot "

I delivered Reports to O. J. Wagnold Lakefield
Fred Mundt. Heron Lake, and Mrs. D. E. Runallo
of Edgerton, who reported that they had sent
their Annual dues. The Magazines of W. Leas
and H. P. Sorenson are sent to Wilmot Minn.
instead of Wilmot S. D. No such persons at Wilmot.

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I received the Express at Edgeston and as I had all I could carry on hand I shipped them by freight to Dawson where we will be for two days. I have enough on hand and at Dawson to take me around to Mayer and will pass through Minneapolis and will call for more if needed. I enclose a letter from Mr Colson at Arlington concerning premiums. I hope that I may have better success on our next trip.

Yours

N. E. Chapman.

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Minot, N. D.

Bellingham Minn

Jan 28, 1909

Dear Sir,

Your letter was received at Hollo-
day telling about your visit to the
Corps at Delano. Mr Schutz is surely
doing well. Mr Sweet speaks of the Horti-
cultural Society and gives them opportunity
to subscribe. Of course my subjects are dif-
ferent than Mr Schutz. I speak on Poultry,
Sheep ect - with a short talk on Strawberries.
I also speak on the Farnes Vegetable Garden.
I have heard Mr Schutz and seen him work
for members. Mr Sweet does not approve of
such a methods and, of course, I am subject
to him. I will do the best I can if you
still want me to take subscriptions. I have
quite a number of reports on hand and more
waiting me at Dawson. Will write you soon
N.E. Chapman

\$2.00 and \$2.50 Per Day

CHAS. H. RATTINGER, Manager

HOTEL RANSFORD

THOS. BEARE, Proprietor.

Brainerd, Minn., Nov. 21 1908

A. W. Latham
Minneapolis Minn

Dear Sir,

Your letter at hand I will be
in Minneapolis next week
attending the Normal Institute
of workers and will find time
to see you at your office if
possible. If not during the
Institute will call on you
Friday after Thanksgiving while
passing thru the city - to our
next Institute of Pillager Cass
Co. I will do what I can for
the Society.

Yours

W. E. Chapman

The Merchants Hotel,

I. B. JORGENSEN, Prop.

HUTCHINSON, MINN.,

Feb 2

1909

A. W. Latham

Dear Sir

I enclose
six more names secured at
Wood Lake and Buffalo Lake.
My belts are now gone but
I have took sufficient for
Cleveland if Mayer does
not take more than I antic-
ipate. Perhaps you had better
send a package to Cleveland
so that I will have enough
yours
N E Chapman

The Merchants Hotel,

I. B. JORGENSEN, Prop.

	Name	Address.
71	✓ E. P. Squires N.	Hanley Falls, Minn.
72	✓ H. C. F. rene N.	Wood Lake "
73	✓ W ^m Ulbrich N. RR 4.	Hector. Minn
74	✓ A. E. Vaude Heide	Hector "
75	✓ A. E. Jung	Buffalo Lake "
76	✓ H. G. Ness	Buffalo Lake "

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Dawson Minn.

Jan 27 1909.

A. M. Latham

Dear Sir,

The following members were
addept at Dawson Minn.

- | | | | |
|-----|----------------|---------|--------------|
| 63. | John Engstrand | N. RR1. | Dawson Minn. |
| 64. | A. W. Ewing | N. | Dawson Minn. |
| 65. | J. O. Hoyum | N. RR2. | Dawson Minn. |
| 66. | Wm Bersech | N. | Dawson Minn. |
| 67. | John Howland | N. RR1. | Dawson Minn. |
| 68. | Ben Hill | N. | Dawson Minn. |
| 69. | Gus. Bergman | O. RR3. | Dawson Minn. |
| 70. | Aels Stenson | N. | Dawson Minn. |

An old member Mr Skotterud has not yet received his report—but you said that you preferred to send them from the office. He is anxious to receive it. I showed your letter to Mr Smeeth and he asked me to present the work of the Society and I did so for the first time here. I called some of the members together after the meeting today and advised a meeting of the local members for mutual acquaintance and interest. I have plenty of books for the next three places. Would be pleased to have you come out to Weyer. Feb. 2. Yours N. E. Chapman

HOTEL GIBBS

CURRIE, MINN., Feb. 10 1909

A. W. Latham

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir,

We are snowbound at Currie and two of our Substitute dates will pass without holding meetings. I have plenty of Reports and premiums but out of lists. I went home last Wednesday and then stayed at Fairmount - last Sunday. I would like to have called on you but only had an hour in passing thru Minneapolis. It was difficult to awaken interest - at Mayer and at Cleveland they were "hoiled out" and money was scarce. At Alden it was ^{not} much better and at Welcome there was not a very hearty response. Mr. Sweet presented the work of the Horticultural Society as - Welcome! I have a few times when he permits me. He is the Conductor and I yield to him. Yours A. E. Chapman

HOTEL GIBBS

CURRIE, MINN.,

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✓
 P.P. Burns Jr. RR. 2. Meyer Minn.
 Andrew Robson " Alden Minn.
 B. A. Nelson " #293 Alden Minn.
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My Grip with Reports was checked
 at Dorray and as there was
 no accommodations at Dorray
 we come on to Currie. Here
 we were snowbound and will
 drive to Slayton. The Grip may
 not reach me until we get to
 Trindone next Monday. Will
 do the best I can in the mean-
 time

yours
 W. E. Chapman

P.S. Can you not send a package
 of list alone to Trindone?

(over)

W. E. C.

Saturday, Feb. 13.

A. W. Latham.

Dear Sir

We have been stormbound here
at Currie all the week and we
hope to get out today to Mindom so
as to keep our appointment at -
Mindom. It has been a peculiar
experience to be snowed in for
a whole week.

yours

A. E. Chapman

Riedle House

Harry Hubbard, Proprietor,

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LIVERY IN CONNECTION.

Carlton, Minn., Nov. 22

1909

W. Lathan

Dear Sir,

I leave the Corps after tomorrow at Bonnum but Mr Sweet-mill Colk Horticultural at Morse Lake, Hinkley, Sandstone and Petridge. I may not hear from you before I leave then Wednesday morning. I go to Fairbairn to speak to the State School. I send my expense warrants as they come to the amount collected by me for subscriptions. I have sent my expense account in and the warrants will come soon.

Yours

N.E. Chapman

Oronoma

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Traverse Minn Mar 26 '09

Dear Sir,

Received your letter here at Traverse. I found the folks at Minnesota Lake. I go next week to Bonnum and will talk Horticulture there. When I return will try to stop in Minneapolis to call on you. I go from Bonnum to talk at the State Institution at Faribault. I am writing this before the meeting at Traverse. Don't know how well I may do here, but it is a fine community.

At Sherburne there are about a dozen members and Mr. Bert Ellis would like it if you would send him a constitution and he will look after matters. I am expecting my expense voucher every day and will send it forward to you.

Yours N. E. Chapman

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1. Mrs. C.B. Wilkinson,	Old Sub. E. Main St. Owatonna, Minn.
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- 26. Fred Orllip	New Sub.		Carver, Minn.
- 27. Johnson Johnson	" "	R.R.1,	Danube, Minn.
- 28. Ernest Lindeman	F F	R.R.1	North Redwood, Minn.
- 29. Olaf Tatting	" "	R.R.2\$	Olivia, Minn.
- 30. C. Kenning,	" "	R.R.2,	Bird Island, Minn.

Above names reported Dec. 10, 1908.

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✓ 32. Ole Bloomquist	" "	R.R.1\$	Swea, Minn.
✓ 33. Chas. Bubak	" "	R.R.3\$	Olivia, Minn.
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✓ 35. L.P. Richardson	New Sub	R.R.1	Comfrey Minn.
✓ 36. C.G. Gabrielson	Old Sub.	R.R.1	Comfrey Minn.
✓ 37. Mrs. Guy Gilmore	New Sub.	R.R.1,	Comfrey Minn.
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Mr. A. W. Latham
Minneapolis Minn.

REDWOOD FALLS, MINN.,

Jan 14 1909

Dear Sir:-

In reply to your

letter ^{Jan 13th} regarding the reports I already
have - I would say I have, 1899,

1900, 1901, 1902, 1903, 1904, = 1907,

Yours fraternally

R. F. Chambers

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Mr. A. W. Sathan
Minneapolis, Minn.

REDWOOD FALLS, MINN.,

Jan. 11, 1909

Dear Sir:-

I would like to become
a "Life Member of Minnesota State Horticulture
Society" - Enclosed you will find P. O. order
for Nine Dollars - Last year I paid in advance
for the year 1909 & now hold Membership Ticket
No. 4, for year 1909. - This will make the \$18.00

The file of back reports will you ship by post
to me. If this is not satisfactory I will send
the other dollar - you made this offer to me a year ago

Respectfully,
R. F. Chambers

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Mr. A. W. Latham,
701 Kasota Bldg, Minneapolis,

St. Anthony Park, Minn., Sept. 18 1908

Dear Mr. Latham:

Please place the following on your
list for "Horticulturist":

1 John M. Maher, Devils Lake, N. D.

2 George G. Whitney, Schurmeier Wagon Co.,
Quints, Woodway and Pine, St. Paul, Minn.

I think I sent you last summer the names of
3 W. B. Walker, Minneapolis.

J. S. Lecker, Auditorium Bldg. Minneapolis

C. M. Nelson, St. Cloud, Minn.

Very truly yours,

E. G. Cheyney

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ST. ANTHONY PARK, ST. PAUL, MINN., Jan. 6, 1909.

Mr. A. W. Latham,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Mr. Latham:

I have packed, ready to ship by freight, a set of reports to go to Louis Wenzel, Crookston, Minn., and the following to go by express: M. D. Hartman, St. Paul, and U. P. Hedrick, Geneva, N. Y. Some little time ago I sent W. E. Fryer the 1906 report, as you requested.

In regard to the annual reports of 1906 and 7, you may have Harrison and Smith send them at any time now, leaving a part of them at our building and the rest at the Main Building. I have not forgotten the paper that I was to read at the winter meeting, and will send that and the illustrations for the same to you very shortly.

I enclose a list of reports stored in the attic of the Main Building and also a list of those in the Horticulture attic.

Very truly yours,

Le Roy Cady -

Dict. L. C.

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West Concord, Minn.

West Concord, Minn., Jan. 4th. 1909.

A.W. Latham,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Friend;- Yours of the 31st. is at hand .I am glad that the Photo. pleased you , These trees are fine and have been bearing for several years these that show in the photo are mostly Whitney , Wealthy , and Peerless , they all make fine street trees especially Whitney and Peerless .We have a few Hibernial on some of the back streets but they are to spreading for best results in appearance. Yes! I will be pleased to prepare a paper for the winter meeting on this subject. There has been a number of bushels of apples gathered from these trees and some had more than they could use and sold some . In my 2minute talk I mentioned these trees and it seemed to take

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West Concord, Minn.,

These trees have attracted a great deal of attention .Mr. Owens of the
Farm Stock and Home. was here a year or so ago and that so much of it that
he gave quite a write up about them in his paper . You might send me 300
folders .Hoping that we may reach the 3000 mark this year I am,

Yours truly,

Fred Cowles,

1.5.08

Jeffers Minn Jan 2nd, 1909

A W Latham
See Minn Date Hort. Society

Dear Sir - I shall have to disappoint you
again - about sending you photos - I have
none - and cannot get any in time - but I will
make it my business to take a lot of them
this coming spring and summer - and hope that
hereafter that I will be able to furnish all
that is wanted - I believe that my photograph
was published in the Horticulturist sometime
during the year 1905 - every thing OK from a Hort. standpoint
Yours Truly
Dwain Cook

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Braham, Minnesota

July 4 - 1909

Mr A. W. Latham Secy &c -

My Dear Mr Latham -

In answer to
yours of 28th, I to day send you some
views of my place here in Braham.
The one in the Braham Journal showing
Poultry House in the rear is the largest
you will see - you will use which
one of the three you think best -

The photograph with my daughter is the
best - I have in that line & inclose it -
Presume you can use it - for me alone.

Thanking you for noticing me in
this very complimentary way, and hoping
to be of further use to you & friends

I remain -

Yours very truly
& fraternally

My business you know is
an ally of Law & Banking & side issues.
Poultry & Hort. are my hobbies
J.P.C.

S. P. Crosby

OWATONNA, MINN., Jan. D., 1909.

A.W.Latham

207 Kasota Block

Minneapolis

Minn. Dear sir;-

The little book in which I kept the names of subscribers, was some how misplaced and I did not find it until this morning. I will now send in a full list of members taken while out on the trip. I did not receive the books to do any work at Bigelow, Adrian, or Butterfield. Kasota, Morgan, Milroy, and Minneota were in the path of the hailstorm of June 22, and the people did not feel able to take the books and I did not feel like insisting.

I wish that I might have done better, but you must bear with a beginner. I suppose you know that the subscriptions received from town to town are quite often used by the Corps as expense money when necessary. Our expenses amount to nearly \$3.00 per day and we often run short until remittances come from the department. Such was the case on our last trip. My vouchers have just come on the morning mail, and as soon as returns come will send you check for the amount due the Society.

Yours

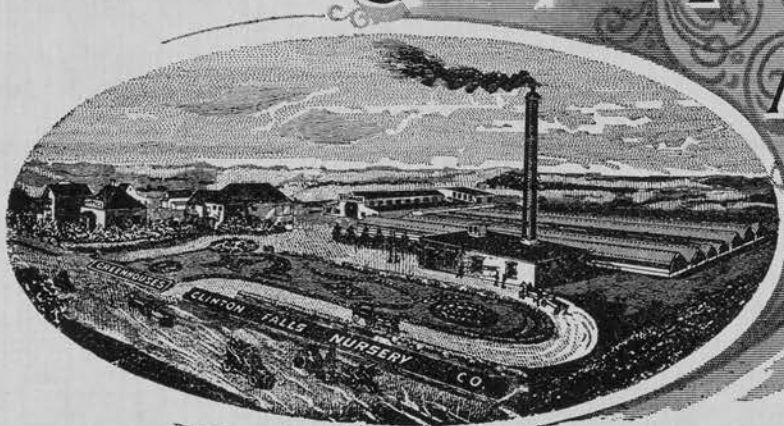
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A. W. Latham,

207 Kasota Block, Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Friend:

Your favor received and note what you say about using our photograph in the Monthly. Will say that if you have not done anything of this sort before, I think it best for you not to begin but if you have used nursery cuts from other nurseries in the state, it would be different. Exercise your own judgement in the matter and there will be no fault found by us.

Wishing you a Happy and Prosperous New Year, I am,

Sincerely yours,

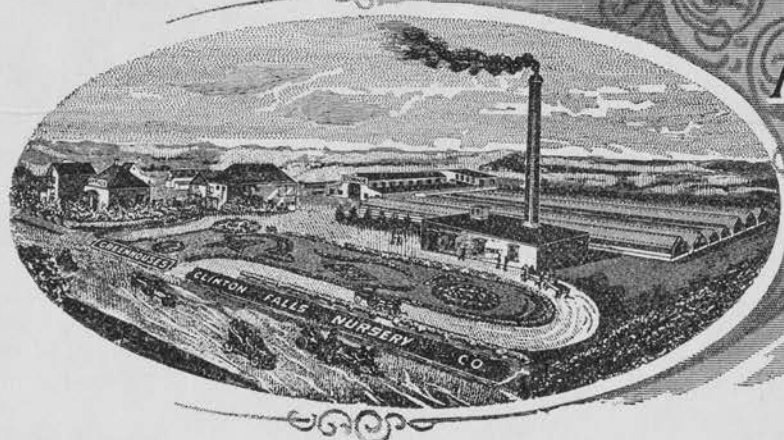
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Dear Friend:-

Your favor received and regret that we have no photographs of the experimental station other than the ones sent you some years ago. I am sending you a new photo that we have had taken of the nursery buildings this summer which you may use if you see fit. I am pleased to know that Mr. Chapman is starting out in good shape and I believe that he will make a good man.

Wishing you a Happy and a Prosperous New Year, I am,

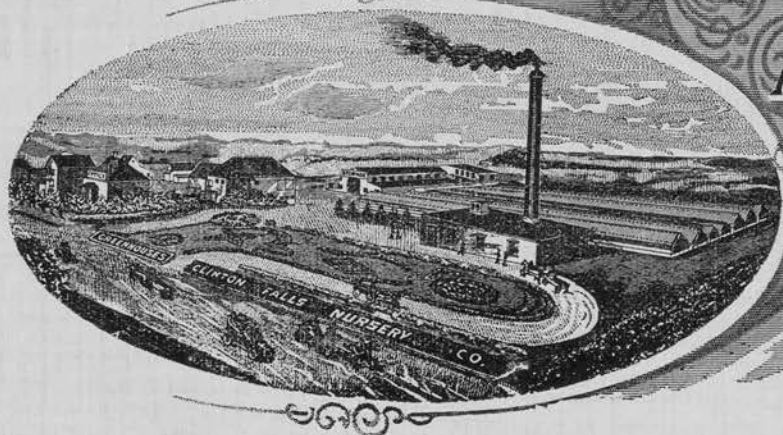
Yours very respectfully,

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M,neapolis, Minn.

Dear Friend:-

Your favor received and note what you say about sending the folders and am much obliged for same. I do not think there will be any doubt but what the legislature will take care of all necessary expense in providing for the needs of the Minn. Horticultural Society but, of course, we cannot always foretell in matters of this kind. I believe I would be willing to take the chance, if I were in your place, unless you find that the plan you have adopted by sending out cards will save enough so you will not need to provide for more.

With best wishes, I am,

Sincerely yours,

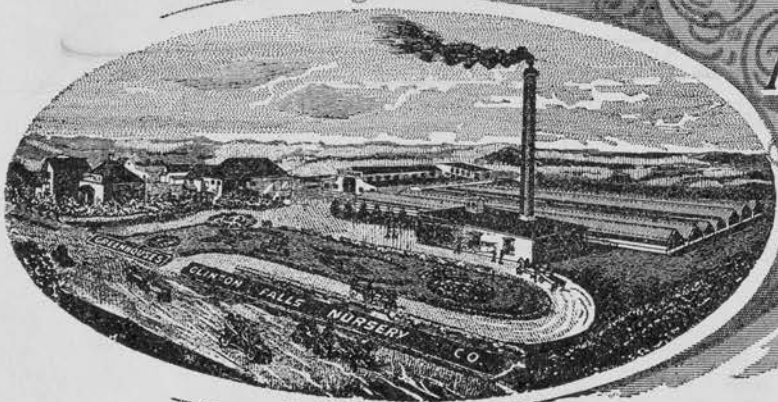
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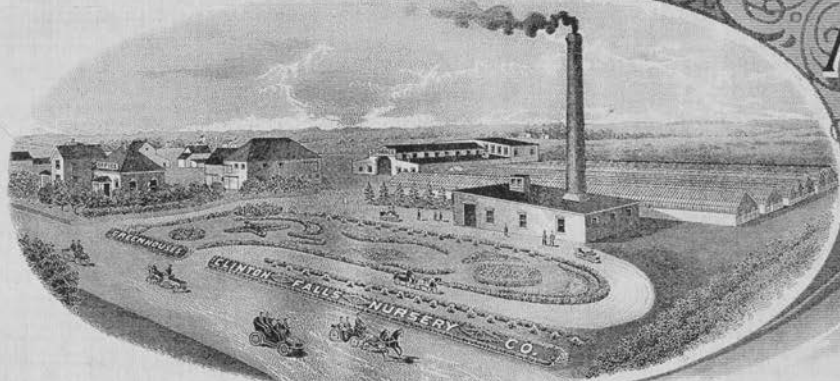
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Dear Sir:-

Enclosed please find check for \$1.00 membership fee
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Respectfully,

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BENNETTVILLE, MINN. 12-21-08

A. W. Latham

Muncie, Ind

Dear Sir

In answer to yours of
 the 19th. The only photograph
 I have is one of the house
 I don't know as it is very
 interesting to you but if you
 can use it you are welcome
 to it. It is a contrast to most
 of the pictures as it sets in
 the natural timber. So please
 send me an extra copy or two
 if you have them to spare.

Yours Truly
 A. B. Coleman

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BYRON, MINN., Dec. 23, 1908

Mr. A. H. Latham,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir,-

Replying to your favor of the 21st will say that I would like to continue my ad. in the Horticulturist for 1909.

I do not care to make any change in it at present.

I will send remittance for the 1908 ad. before long - am rather short of cash just at present.

Yours very truly,
F. E. Cutting.

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Dear Sir,

I thank you for your words of appreciation for the few subscribers secured. Through the "Hail Belt" here I can secure few subscribers as they have no money to spare. A few towns like Morgan, Milroy, and here at Minneota. I could secure none. I reached Minneota on a late train and had did not have much opportunity to meet the fruit-growers etc. As you, perhaps, will agree to save a little will send you a slate warrant which will soon come to me and I will make a final report ^{your} to the Blue Earth Institute

N. E. Chapman

Grand Central Hotel.

N. P. Peterson,

Proprietor.

Olivia, Minn. Dec 16 1908

A. W. Latham
207 Kosota Blk
Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir,

Enclosed
you will find a list of
names up to no. 30.
I had no books for no. 22
to 26 or those I have
checked. Please send
Report-and "Fruit-Growing"
to each one checked.
Please send only Reports
and Green's books to
Minnesota. I have plenty
of lists-and magazines. I
am at Milroy, Friday.
I will be at Sauborn
next Mon. Dec. 21. Will
remit Saturday. Your
N. E. Chapman

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ST. ANTHONY PARK, ST. PAUL, MINN., Dec. 17, 1908.

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

Dear Mr. Latham:-

Your letter of Dec. 15th received. The arrangement which you made for the entering of people on your roll is entirely satisfactory. You can add to your 1909 roll the Library of the Board of Agriculture and Forestry, Honolulu, Hawaii.

Yours truly,

A. S. Cheney

S. M. OWEN, PRESIDENT,
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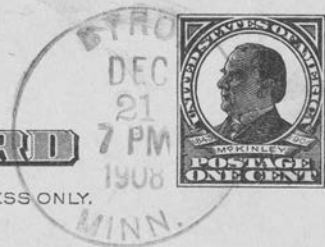
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Society folders to good advantage
in my correspondence.

Yours truly.

12.22.08 F. E. Cutting

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Dec 9, '08

H. W. Latham

Dear Sir: The
book reached me at Butterfield
but too late to do anything as
we left in a hurry to catch a train
and the book came at 2 P.M.
and we closed at 3:00 and
there was no time to make a
concession. At Kasola they were
feeling very poor because of
the hail that destroyed their
crops. I took one subscription
however. Here at Morgan I only
six as they also lost crops.

have on the list and could not
spare money for renewals. You did
not instruct me about remitting
money. I am now out of Report-
but I may find some at Franklin.
Please send a dozen to
Gaylord where we are Satur-
day. I give the Report to
renewals and Report-magazine
and Green's took to new subscri-
bers. I would like the pamphlets
for distribution at Sustelater.
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Dear Friend

I was over to Pillsbury
Hall yesterday and the best
could get was that Joe have them
carried to the Alt. the janitor
declared they have not time but
I think if Joe Hurley understood
the place you would not put
them there there is not a stone
but what some thing gets wet
the funny part of it is it rains in
in a different place every time
but if you cannot do any better I
will try and get them taken up
some how respectfully your
E. A. Cramer

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Alpha Mine
Jan 12 1909.

A. W. Latham

Dear Sir,

The books
came to Frescolet and as I
had all I could carry with
me I re-shipped them to
Lakefield. Jan. 1. I had on
hand 20 Reports, 22 "Fruit
Growing" and 1 "Fig & Olive Growing".
The dozen sent me will be
ample supply on this tour.
We only have three places
after this. The weather has
been cold and the region
we have visited was holed
out - and then flooded and

the people feel very poor.
Perhaps if I had the list
of old members in a town
I could get some renewals
that I do not get. Some
come up and tell me that
they have sent in for their
Reports. We do not have
very much time in our one
day institute. Mr Sweet
generally tells about the
Agricultural Society - as he is
Conductor of our Corps. The
Annuals are always given
out - at the same time I am
taking subscriptions and I don't
get as many as I would like.
I send you State Report for
\$60. Sixty Dollars which is a
little in advance. The list
for the next three weeks

has just come. We will be
in a better territory.

I have sent you in 48
members at one dollar each

and one life member who
paid \$5.00 as last-
payment for his membership.

I paid 64 cents for postage
sending books to subscribers.

48 plus 6 equals 53. Minus
63 cents - leaves \$52.37.

I am glad to serve the
Society as I believe it is
a duty each citizen owes his
state to develop its fruit for
the health of his family and
that of the state. I speak of
the carloads of fruit shipped
into our state.

Yours

N. E. Chapman

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Will need some
more looks at Chaska I
think, at least the phantoms
as everyone seems to want one.

Bushes was not very good at
Foylon.

Yours
H. E. Chapman