



Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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REFERENCE:
FIRST NATIONAL BANK,
West Concord, Minn.

West Concord, Minn.,

Nov. 11 1909.

R. W. Latham
Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Latham: Please send the Horticulturist for 1910
to the following W. H. Crowe Praker Minn.
Elmer Seafeld Zumbota Minn. If you have extras
you might send them a few Extras this year that is
from now on send the bound volume when they are out
there one \$2.00 each I will pay when at the meeting
I will enclose \$1.00 bill now so it will be paid

Yours truly
Fred Cowles

First State Bank of Braham

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Braham, Minnesota

Braham, Minn., Nov. 19, 1909.

My dear Mr. Latham:

Yours of the 18th is recieved; in submitting same to Mrs. Crosby she says that two apples for a nickel should be the price thus making it easier for us hayseeds.

The Society is owing me mileage for making my Vice-President's report for 1907, which I have never collected, so if said Society does not furnish me what apples I want I may call on it for settlement.

But so as not to be painfully tempted by the magnificent and delicious looking fruit, ~~without~~ ^{wish} the privilege of indulging, --if you will cause to be procured a ~~barrel~~ or two of good eaters for myself and friends, and if the Society refuses to pay for them I will.

Yours very truly,

S. P. Crosby

Brigham News - Nov 17 - 1909 -

My Dear Mr Latham -

So long as you are always asking members of S. H. S. to do things - which is all right, I am going to ask you to have on hand at the Commencement of the Annual Meeting some good Eating Apples (for Eating purposes ~~than~~ there) You can do this all right - when the Exhibits are made up -

Lost - yet every time I went into the Church basement I was in actual misery that I couldnt find an apple without robbing the Exhibits which of course I wouldnt think of doing - My friend Latham if you think this is gall

or anything akin to it: I will agree
right here to contribute \$1.00 for
the purchase of picking up a
good apple ~~box~~ often as I please
during the sessions of the Society.
Besides in my candid opinion
the Society would not lose
anything & on the contrary it
would be a bad feature to
have a fair supply of eating
apples on tap at our meetings -
I know others ^{know} like these or use as myself
Yours truly

J. P. Crosby

CHARLES E. CHRISMAN

ATTORNEY AT LAW

ORTONVILLE, MINNESOTA.

Nov. 12th, 1909.

A. W. Latham Esq.,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Will you kindly write me in strictest confidence the stating and reputation of the Rose Hill Nursery of Minneapolis as to their reliability in sending out good stock. Are they on a par with the Jewel Nursery?

Very truly yours,

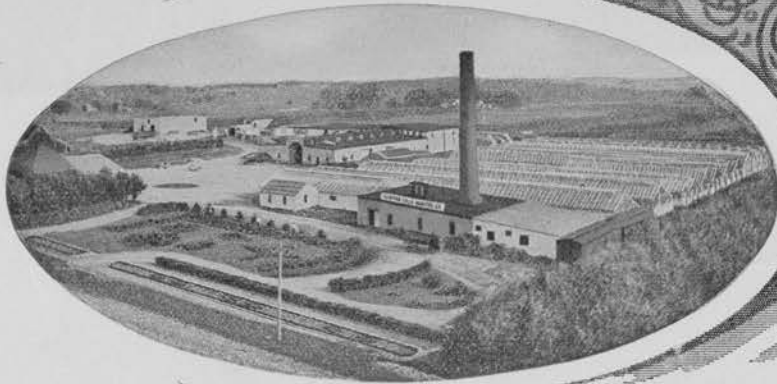
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Owatonna, Minn.

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Nov. 10, '09

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

Dear Friend:-

The proof of the programme for 1909 received. I have looked it over very carefully and consider it very fine. I have no suggestions to offer. Enclosed please find same O.K'd,

With personal regards, I am,

TEC/AM

Very truly yours,

Thos E Cashman

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Minneapolis, Minn.

Nov. 2, 1909.

Dear Friend.

Please forgive
My delay in answering yours of the 13. In
regard to the bill you sent of J. E. Reble
He was an old subscriber at East Chain & I have
been endeavoring to find your letter of March or April
in which you say that I had or paid you \$2.00
When in your office I found that you did not
have the name of August Behr. That accounted
for one dollar. I thought that my account
would be even if I kept the dollar I received
from Mr. Reble. I found that your account was
correct. I ought to have written you about it before
and then matters would have been understood.
Perhaps you can find a copy of your letter referred to.
I received notice from Sept. Wilson that Fushlake work
would begin about Dec. 1. Will we be due at the time

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of the Annual Meeting? There will not be much time afterwards before the holidays. I went out last fall Nov. 9. Perhaps we will be out only two weeks before the New Year.

I am looking forward to the coming of the Program that I may anticipate the good deal the Annual Meeting will bring.

The weather is fine today and I am trying to improve it - in fixing up my new home. I find much to do.

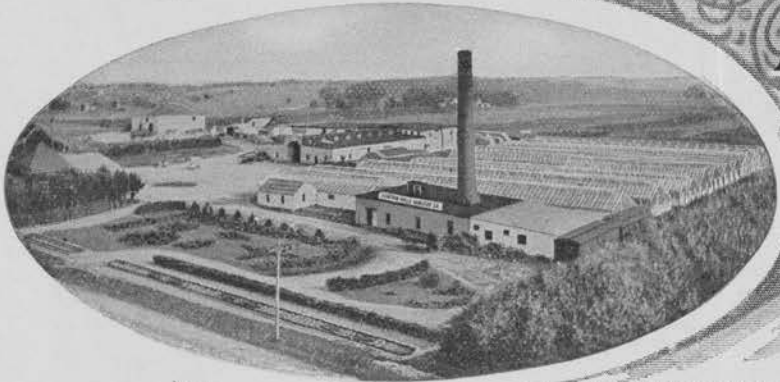
Yours Truly,

N. E. Chapman

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

Dear Friend:-

Yours of the 21st inst received. As to the premium list for this year, it occurs to me that the list offered in 1908 is about as complete as could be made up and I have no changes to suggest. The apples at the Experimental Station are beginning to ripen and I would be much pleased to have yourself, Prof. Green and Mr. Elliott make us a visit and look the place over. I think there are some varieties at the Station that should be propagated and delay is always expensive.

With personal regards, I am,
Very truly yours,

TEE/AM

Thos. E. Cashman

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Oct. 12, 1909.

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

Dear Sir:

Yours received. My son, Roy, called at your office, but perhaps too late in the afternoon. He expects to take the part assigned to him and will undoubtedly call again soon. You may address him, U. of M. Box 2146.

I was recently at Annandale, Minn. to their Industrial Fair, where I spoke on poultry and acted as one of the judges on fruit. There were one hundred and fifty-four plates of very fine fruit. Some collections had sixteen different varieties by the same exhibitor. These were mainly the fruit of young trees. Two carloads of fruit were shipped to the Dakotas, from the three towns; Buffalo, Maple Lake and Annandale.

I have just bought a new home in the suburbs of Owatonna, which we have christened, "Brookside Poultry Farm." I find much to do in preparation for winter.

Yours Fraternaly,

N. E. Chapman



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*Mr. B. W. Latham
207 Kasota Block,
Minneapolis
Minn.*

A. W. Latham

Box 2146 U. of Minn.
Mpls.

Oct. 18, 1909

Dear Sir:-

I received your letter asking me to give a bird talk at your annual meeting. I have called at your office twice but you were not in and as my work ties me up during your office hours I shall have to write. I should be glad to help you out. I have a number of slides of my own and I can use some from the U. I shall try and see you at your office in a day or two and talk it over.
Roy Chapman

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October 19, 1909

SECRETARY'S OFFICE

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

My dear Mr. Latham:-

Replying to yours of the 14th. would say that your suggestion to "notify the people of the prizes won" is undoubtedly a good one, but when the entry clerks come to post the amounts into the ledger, they did not post that, and it would take considerable time to carry it out in the ledger after it had once been posted, and as we have decided to issue the Annual Report before the first of the year, and as each one of the exhibitors will have one of these reports mailed to them, which report will contain all the information desired, we thought it would answer for this year; and another year, I will make an effort to have the Entry clerks post to the ledger on what the money was awarded. Hoping this will be satisfactory, I am

Truly yours,

C. N. Cosgrove
 Secretary.

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A. W. Latham
Minneapolis

Dear friend: - yours at hand: I will try to read a paper
on the apple tree as a street tree. I do not know of anything
that will hinder me from helping in the fruit room this
year. I hope to see a good meeting. We are all well
and hope this will find you and yours well and happy

Hastily yours
Fred Cowles

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SECRETARY'S OFFICE

Hamline, Oct. 4, 1909.

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

My dear Latham:

I wish to thank you for your complimentary words in yours of the 27th of September. I am aiming this year to get out a very complete report. I want it to be accurate. I am going to ask the board to allow me to publish it immediately after the Governor's Auditing Committee have passed upon it, which they are supposed to do December 10th. If I am allowed to do this I will have the report ready to deliver at the annual meeting in January. It would not, of course, contain the papers of the annual meeting, but the 1910 one would contain the papers of the 1910 annual meeting. By these means the entire proceedings of each year would be by itself and I think it would create less confusion and I think it would be an advantage to let the delegates at the annual meeting know the results of the prior fair in detail. What do you think of this proposition?

Very truly yours,
C. N. Cosgrove
 Sec.

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STATE HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY

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MADISON, WIS. Oct. 4th, 1909.

Mr. A. W. Latham, Sec.,

207 Kasota Bldg., Minneapolis, Minn.,

Brother Latham:-

I have your kind letter of Oct. 2nd. In reply to your question I will say that Mr. Harvey Nourse of Bayfield, Wis., has been selected as delegate to your Winter Meeting. I have just returned from Bayfield where I had a good visit with Mr. Nourse and other enthusiasts of that section. This is bound to be one of the fruit centers of Wisconsin and Mr. Nourse can give you an idea of the activity shown during the past year in the Bayfield Peninsula and can also give you some good pointers on strawberry growing and also orchard work in the far north. Mr. Nourse is not an orator, not very flashy, but a sound, commonsense man. I assure you I appreciate very much your kind invitation to attend your Winter Meeting and I am still living in hopes that some day I may be able to be with you. I hope you will find it possible to let me know a little earlier than in the past the name of your delegate as our Convention comes a month earlier than it formerly did.

Very truly yours,

Frederic Cranfield

Sec. W. S. H. S.

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ST. ANTHONY PARK, ST. PAUL, MINN., Oct. 1, 1909.

Mr. A. W. Latham,

Minneapolis.

Dear Mr. Latham:

A couple of weeks ago you wrote to me in regard to a paper under the general title of "Pollination of Orchard Fruits" for the Horticultural meeting. I think you intend this to be a review of bulletins, etc., that have been issued during the past year. I will be glad to do this for you, and I had intended to come in to see you long before this, hence the delay in answering your letter.

I have had quite a number of county fairs to judge, but have finished up with the last one, I think, yesterday at Rochester. This was the best one of the lot. It was, indeed, an exceptionally good county fair.

Yours very truly,

Le Roy Cady

Dict. L. C.

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Braham, Minnesota

Sept. 22-1909-

Bro Latham - Do you know a few or many members of the State Hort. Society who are interested in poultry? If so would you send me some of the names and addresses, as I would like to send them leaflets like the one herein enclosed & would esteem it a favor from you when you have time -

Sincerely yours
S. P. Crosby

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Sept. 22-1909

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

My dear Mr. Latham:-

I am having a copy made of the Awards in the Horticultural Department for you, and you may depend on receiving same by Saturday of this week, which I hope will be early enough to answer your purpose. Mr. Smullen was obliged to go home immediately after the close of the Fair, hence, the books were not available until his return on Monday.

With best wishes, I am,

Truly yours,

C. N. Cosgrove
 Secretary. B

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SECRETARY'S OFFICE Hamline, Sep. 15, 1909.

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

Dear Mr. Latham:

Yours of the 14th relative to complete list of awards in the Horticultural Department, at hand. Also asking that in remitting the premium money won, that we name the prizes on which it was awarded. The Board has these matters before them and will give them their earliest attention. Thanking you for calling my attention to them and congratulating you upon the great success you made of your department this year, I am,

Very truly yours,

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Sept. 11th, 1909

Mr. A. W. Latham,
 Supt. Hort. & Flori. Dept.
 State Fair grounds.

Dear sir:-

Will you kindly have Mr. Underwood look over your pay-roll and O.K. it, before issuing cards on same? Also, be sure that all your judges and employees are on said pay-roll, as well as all incidental expenses.

Truly yours,

A. M. Underwood

Secretary.

CNC-B

Parti mellem Stueflaaten og Ormeim



From the Norway
July 15th 1919
Leat. 70° N. (greatly)
You will see by this
that ^{it is} at St. that
there is no darkness
here, but I am sorry to
say it is so cloudy we
cannot see the sun
some snow on the hills
but the country is green
We go about a 100 miles
further N. Let. Some fine
of the city. Tromsø
large town for me so many
6000 people is all well
L. P. Curran

U.S. Post Office



H. H. LaMason
Sec. Min. Hort. Soc. N.Y.
Minneapolis
Minn

Kasota Building

H. H.

J. R. Campbell
Ames, Iowa; May 20th.

Mr. Latham,

Dear sir:-

I am writing a paper on the influence of the late Mr O.M.Lord upon the amelioration of the native plum, and am unable to get sufficient material, so am asking you for help. Could you please tell me as to just what varieties of plum, besides the Rollingsstone, are traceable to his work? The college files of your Hort. Society Reports, are incomplete, and so I am unable to turn to them. Thanking you for any favor you may extend, I am,

Respectfully,

J. R. Campbell

*J. S. C.
Ames Iowa.*

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F. E. CUTTING, PROPRIETOR

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BYRON, MINN., July 13, 1909.

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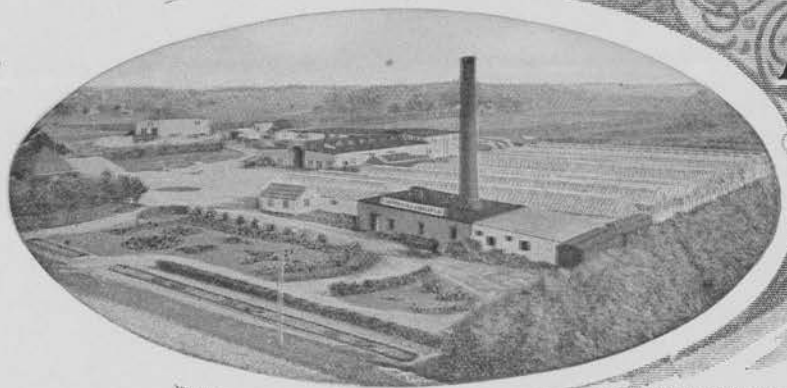
I have decided that it will not be possible for me to help at the State Fair this year. I was in hopes that I could be there but as I am secretary of the Olmsted County School Fair that will take all the time I can spare from my own work.

Respectfully yours
F. E. Cutting

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Dear Friend:-

Some one has blundered and I am afraid to look it up for fear it is myself but I have either read one of your letters wrong or your stenographer made a mistake. At any rate I got it in my head that our Meeting was to be on Monday the 28th inst and was on deck to attend same, only to find that I was on the ground a day too soon. On account of work awaiting me at home, I felt it was impossible for me to return to-day. I was away from home Friday, Saturday and Sunday and on that account did not receive yours of the 24th inst until I reached home last evening at 6:30 then too late to attend the executive meeting which I deeply regret. I hope that the Meeting was pleasant and profitable for all who attended.

With personal regards, I am,

Very truly yours,

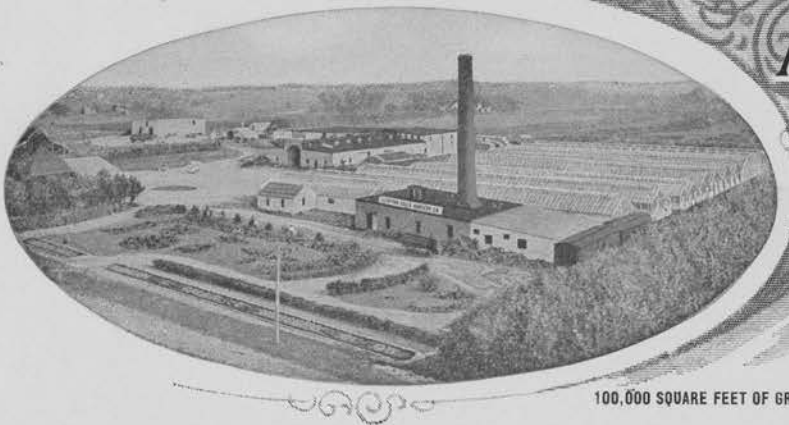
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A. W. Latham,
207 Kasota Block,
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Friend Latham:-

We could use a few more 1909 Planter's Guides if you have them to spare, say 500. If you have them send them along.

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A. W. Latham

Memphis Minn.

Friend Latham:- On my return home from Texas where I have been for a couple of weeks I find your letter of the 16th. I think that I can help you at the fair this year. I do not think I can attend the meeting in fact I no I cannot as I see it is to day. Our strawberries are just commencing to ripen so cannot leave

Yours truly
Fred Cowles

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A. W. LATHAM,

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

207 Kasota Block,

Minneapolis, Minn

Fairmount Mine

June 9 1809

Dear Friend

Please send more lists to Balaton
as all were taken at East Chain. We
had a large Sustitut at this inland
point - but much interest in Tour and
Horticulture. I am sorry Reports are
not on hand. I did not urge membership
but one ✓ J. E. Ruble R.R. 2, Fairmount -
renewed.

Yours W. E. Chapman

CHARLES E. CHRISMAN

ATTORNEY AT LAW

ORTONVILLE. MINNESOTA.

June 31st, 1909.

A. W. Latham Esq.,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed find check fifty cents for two dinner tickets
for the summer meeting June 29th. My boy and I hope to attend.

Very truly yours,

JFK
Enc.

Charles E. Chrisman

✓ 50
6.23.09

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Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

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Yours truly,
B.P.Christenson.

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June 3 1909

H. K. Latham
Minneapolis Minn

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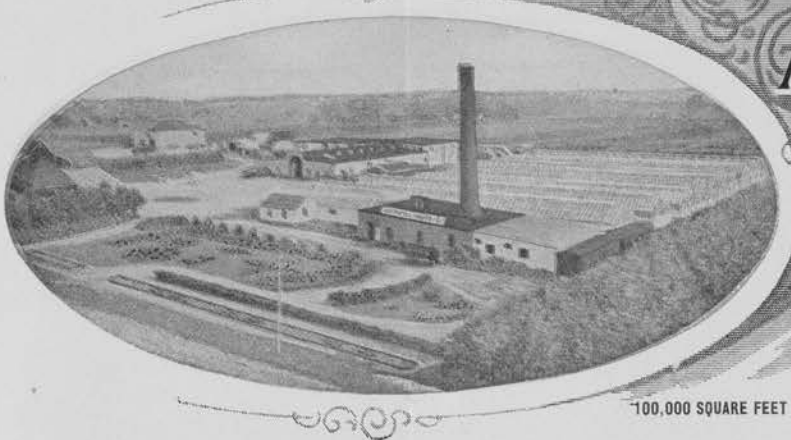
I expected to visit Minneapolis and call on you but was not able to do so. I start next Monday on a two weeks tour with the Institute. I suppose that you know the dates and places. You can send instructions and books to Fairmont and I will get them there. I shall carry a Stereopticon this spring and so will have a number of "Gaps" to look after.

yours
N. E. Chapman

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Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Friend:-

Your favor of May 24th received and note that you are considering the advisability of having a dinner provided at the College Dining Hall for such members as notify in advance at 25¢ a plate. This may work out all right but I don't think you will secure the attendance that you would on the old plan. A great many people will think that it is a money making scheme and I am afraid that ~~the~~ goodfellowship and sociability will not be promoted as heretofore under the old plan. Some of the poorer people will say that this arrangement was made that a select few may be devising a plan to make the meeting more select. I think the old way of requesting the members to come with their lunch baskets and all sit down and help eat each others' bread creates the best feeling and gives all more enjoyment. It might be well however to try your plan and see how it works out. In reviewing the premium list, I note that you are not offering a premium on any single variety of the standard sorts. It is quite likely you will find a great many people who are extensive strawberry growers who do not raise more than two or three varieties and so could not compete. I think your premium list, otherwise, is O.K. and perhaps you have a good reason for not making the strawberry list more complete.

With personal regards, I am,

Yours Very truly,

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Mr. A. W. Latham,

Arago, Minn., May 20, 1909.

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Mr. Latham:-

Here are some more names which have been added to our subscription list and should go on yours:

- ✓ J. B. Walker, Minneapolis, Minn.
- ✓ G. B. Strand, Taylor's Falls, "
- ✓ Minneapolis Public Library.
- ✓ Chas. L. Whetton, Fergus Falls, Minn.
- ✓ Chas. L. Lewis, State Capitol, St. Paul.
- ✓ Prof. Harry Snyder, Experiment Station, St. Anthony Falls.
- ✓ L. F. Hubbard, Globe Bldg, St. Paul.
- ✓ A. A. Wright, St. Cloud, Minn.
- ✓ H. C. Hornby, Cloquet, "
- ✓ M. L. Erickson, Medford, Ore.
- ✓ R. A. Kirk, Co. Farrell, Gymnasium, Kirk, St. Paul, Minn.
- ✓ Thos. N. Sherlin, Sherlin-Clark, Minneapolis, Minn.
- ✓ R. A. Vickers, Bureau of Entomology, Washington, D.C.
- ✓ Biltmore Forest School, Biltmore, N.C.
- ✓ C. A. Smith, Minneapolis, Minn.
- ✓ M. B. Carpenter, Hotel Aberdeen, St. Paul, Minn.

Enjoy them forming here with us. Better come up and have a fish.

Sincerely yours,

E. J. Chaprey.

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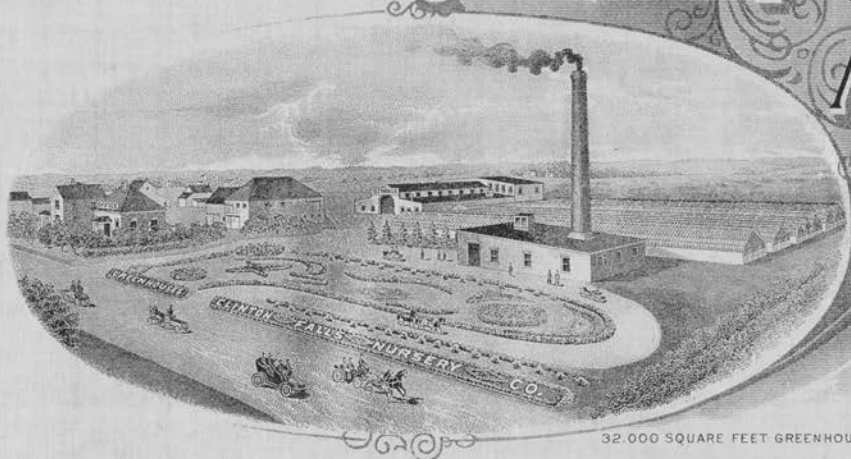
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 Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:

We have your letter and in regard to sending you a picture of a commercial orchard will say that we do not happen to have a picture just now of any orchard in this county. We are having one of our own orchard taken which we will be pleased to send you after it is finished. If you wish to wait for this, we will be glad to send it to you. I think, however, that the article will appear just as well without the picture. My connection with the Clinton Falls is that of vice president.

With kindest regards, I am,
 Very cordially yours,

MRC/AM

M. R. Cashman



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

Orvaloma May 18 '00

Dear Friend

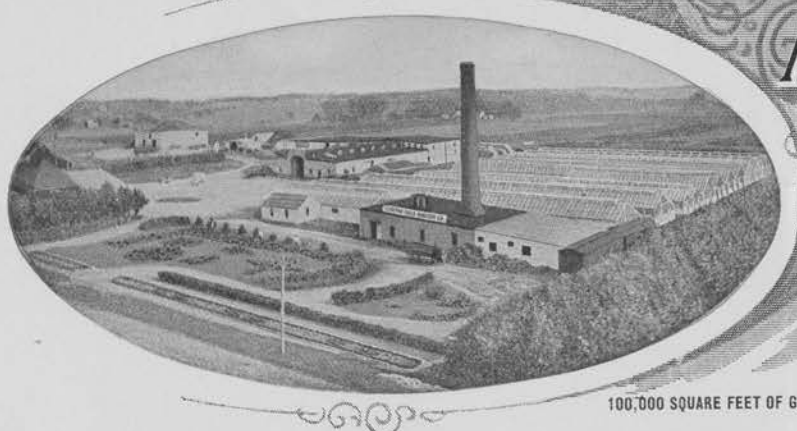
your receipt, the two dollars was
for August Behr RR 3 Tulda Minn
who I believe you had not entered
on your book, and for my own.
Will call when in the city and
we will go over the names again.

Does Art. 3 mean \$2. per year, or
does it refer to the Horticultural Society
while then to membership in local Society?
Yours N.C.G.

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

Dear Friend:- Your circular letter received some days ago and I deferred answering in hopes that I might find the time to give it some thought and attention but have been so very busy that I simply could not and am not in any better position to answer the letter now than I was when I first received it. From what I know, the programmes carried out both for the summer and annual meetings has met with the approval of all, as has also the meeting places. I am afraid that you will find me of little assistance but you have shown conclusively that you do not need our help in those matters.

Very truly yours,

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A. W. LATHAM,

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

207 Kasota Block,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Owatonna, May 6th 1909.

Dear Friend

I will be up to the cities in a few days and will call at the office and we will make a final settlement of our account. i have had the prevailing "Grip" that is troubling many.

Yours Fraternally

A. E. Chapman
Owatonna
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Mr. A. K. Latham,
Mpls. Minn.

Byron, Minn., May 15 1909

Dear Sir,

I believe there is a mistake in your statement as I began advertising in April, 1908. I believe the enclosed check pays up until Jan. 1st 1910.

Yours truly
F. E. Cutting

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May 11, 1909.

A. W. Latham
207 Kasota Blk
Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Friend;-

I shall be unable to visit you as I expected and will send the balance on the Subscription account. According to my book it is \$8.56, and you will find P.O. order for that amount enclosed. I am feeling well again and am busy. I anticipate a call from Prof. Wilson soon to attend the Summer Institutes. He told me when in the city last that he wished me to go. He said that he had decided on two of us, Forest Henry and myself. I congratulate you on the present membership of the Society, and hope that the summer institutes may bring the list to 3,000 or more. If at any time you should want a few notes from me, please command me in the matter.

Yours Fraternaly

N. E. Chapman

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

April 26, 1909.

Mr. Rathau

Minneapolis, Minn.

My dear Mr. Rathau:

Here are some more subscribers for

the Horticulturist.

- 1 ✓ Dr. C. H. Mayo, Rochester, Minn
- 2 ✓ B. F. Beardley, 408 Nat. Bldg., St Paul.
- 3 ✓ J. D. Staltzman, 417 Cedar Ave., Minneapolis.
- 4 ✓ Prof. Green.
- 5 ✓ " Haaker
- 6 ✓ F. Meyerhauser, Nat. Gen. Am. Bldg., St Paul.
- 7 ✓ C. D. O'Brien, 214 Globe Bldg., St Paul.
- 8 ✓ S. P. Crosby, Brahman, Minn.
- 9 ✓ Prof. John Stewart, Experiment Station.

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- 10 ✓ M. M. Gillman, Little Falls, Minn.
11 ✓ J. M. Underwood, Lake City, " "
12 ✓ Geo. Ripley, Duluth, Minn.
13 ✓ Mr. A. V. Hayland, St. Paul, Minn. - G. N. Ry.
14 ✓ Yale Forst School, New Haven, Conn.
15 ✓ Prof. Thos. G. Lee, Univ. of Minn., Minneapolis, Minn.

Very sincerely
E. G. Chryney.

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WATERTOWN, N. Y.,

Mar. 6, 1909.

A. W. Latham, Sec'y.,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of the 3rd inst. to hand. I find on
looking up my bound reports that I have four volumes, 1905,
1906, 1907 and 1908. You may please ship the back files by
freight as express on a heavy package of that kind would be
very heavy.

I presume you will also send me certificate of
membership if you have not already done so.

Very truly yours,



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WATERTOWN, N. Y.,

Apr. 22, 1909.

A. W. Latham, Sec'y.,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

I am in receipt of the back reports and find that there are so many missing ~~as~~ that they are hardly valuable as a reference file. It seems to me that in promising to supply files of the reports that you should give prospective life members some idea of the ones which are short. I find that I am ten short including those as recent as 1900, 1902 and 1903. I am not aware that I have any particular grievance but I feel somewhat disappointed to say the least.

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WATERTOWN, N. Y.,

Feb. 27, 1909.

A. W. Latham, Sec'y.,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

I am inclosing herewith check for \$5.00 balance
for life membership in the Society. Would be glad to receive
the file of back reports and membership certificate at your
convenience.

Very truly yours,

Madison Cooper

✓ 5.00

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4/22/09

Dear Mr. Lathrop: kindly
fix up Mr. J. Clough?
Jamestown. He had joined
but through some oversight
I slipped up in fixing up
my books.

Sincerely yours
O. Churchill

Recd 4.15.09.

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Hoople Rd

If not too late

send 2 Blue Spruce
2 white "

M. O. Brown

Jeffers Minn April 14th 1909

A W Latham Sec Minn State Hort Soc.

Dear Sir - Your letter of late date - also the plum exercise copy for correction is at hand - I get my photo-supplies at Windom - and have not been there since the Minneapolis meeting - but will go there in a few days - and get some plates - I don't know as I will be able to furnish any drawings to represent how the orchard trees should be pruned we have so much that needs being done - besides I don't feel capable of making the drawings as they should be made - but a little later I may tackle it.

(So far conditions are favorable for a crop of fruit of all kinds - I have laid in a supply of 350 lbs of Blue Stone and two barrels of lime - and intend to spray to the best of my ability)

as to the copy of the plum discussion I am very glad²
that you sent it to me to have the kinks taken out of it -
it was certainly very much twisted -
I have straightened it up - some and think that it is
suitable for publication - it expresses my opinion just
about as I would like to have it - I had tried to tell the
truth as I saw it - plum culture for commercial purposes
is at a low ebb in Minnesota - yet I believe we are just as
successful in that line as are any of the states of the upper
Mississippi or the Missouri river valley and that takes in quite
a bit of territory - even down in Indiana and Ohio there
is nothing doing in the plum line - some of the varieties exhibited
at our State Fairs - some that are in our recommended fruit list
are absolutely without value - and a damage to the planter - but the
nurserymen (some of them) will oppose the introduction of any plum no
matter how valuable - unless they have got - or can get readily

a stock of the trees to sell - they at least give themselves ³
and the worthless varieties (some of them) they sell the
benefit of the doubt.

you know that I am not in the nursery business. I have no
plum trees to sell - Japanese hybrids or any other. I am not
propagating except for my own fruiting - But I am giving cions
of some of these hybrid plums to growers ~~in~~ in the various portions
of the State - and therefore have no selfish motive when I endeavor
to have them recognized in some small way - by the Minnesota
State Horticultural Society.

it may be that I have too much assurance - but I hope - and
I believe - that this plum discussion and the publication of it will eventually
do much to hasten the time when plum growing will be profitable
in a commercial way - it has been partly the planting of worthless
plum trees that has brought plum growing in this state to its present
low ebb; Very truly yours
Dewain Cook

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ST. ANTHONY PARK, ST. PAUL, MINN., April 13, 1909.

Mr. A. W. Latham,
Minneapolis.

Dear Mr. Latham:

I have sent the sets of reports to the following
life members, as you directed: Madison Cooper, Watertown, N. Y.,
F. H. Clarke, Avoca, Minn., and W. V. Spencer, Park Rapids, Minn.;
also copies of 1901-4-5-6-7-8 to the Public Library of New York
City. I did not send copies of 1902-3, as we have only a half-
dozen or so of these, and it seemed to me that New York was better
able to get them through some of the second hand stores in the
country than perhaps we are. If this doesn't meet with your ap-
proval, I will send 1902-3 to them later. I have also sent the
first copies of the report to T. J. Catlin, as you directed. Re-
ports from 1900 to 1908, with the exception of 1902-3, have been
sent to the St. Louis Public Library.

Very truly yours,

L. Roy Cady

Enclosed please find
bill which you asked
me to send you.

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Apr. 14, '09

*Mr. A. D. Latham
Grafton, Minn.*

✓

*Dear Sir. Enclosed please
find check for \$1.00 in payment
for memberships for the following
parties:*

- ✓ M. F. Merchant, Ellendale, N. D.*
- ✓ C. C. Bordenud, Sarrington, R. I. N. D.*
- ✓ H. W. Porter, Eldridge, N. D.*
- ✓ Ernest E. Berggren, Hadspen, N. D.*

*Yours fraternally
O. Churchill*

Owatonna, Minn. April 10 ,1909.

A.W.Latham

Dear Friend

I have 162 names beside my own which I included in the account sent you. The name of Agust Behr, Fulda, you did not have on the books. Did you add that name? I gave the list as 161, but I had given the number 63 to two names.

I trust that this will make our accounts agree.

The weather is cold and unpleasant here in Owatonna today and does not look very promising for a pleasant Easter.

Yours

*A. C. Chapman
Owatonna
Minn.*

✓ Aug. Pehr Not Paid
Fulda

N. E. Chapman

162 names

166
(\$106) not paid

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1 life	5
Total	<u>\$166.</u>
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4.9. Paid	<u>3.30</u>	99.44
	96.14	<u>6.56</u>

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Dairy, Fruit and Poultry Farm.

N.E. Chapman to State Horticultural Society Dr.

To 163 annual Subscribers		\$163	00
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Total		<u>168</u>	<u>00</u>
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Paid by Voucher	96	14	
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April 7 1909.

A. W. Latham

207 Kasota Block.
Minneapolis

Dear Sir:-

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Your letter just received. I do not recall just what the matter is that I left at your office, but I presume that it is some matter that I was getting for my son. I enclose postage for you to forward it. I received a voucher in the same mail. There is one more to come and I will send it in a few days. I enclose itemized bill of expense on account of the Society. I trust that it will be alright. If so I will send the balance when the voucher comes. I had a talk with Supt. Wilson recently and he asked if I could go out for the summer Institutes and I promised to go. He wishes to emphasize Horticulture and Poultry Husbandry. We will have a better chance, I trust, to bring the subject to the attention of the people. I have the Editor of The Produce Reporter looking up Horticultural and Poultry Statistics for the state of Minn. Can you give me any figures on the Fruit produced within the state? I would like to get the facts as exact as possible. I visited Sen. Cashman recently at Senate and had lunch with him and we talked over matters horticulturally. He will do all in his power to help get the money needed for more reports. I had the privilege of sitting by his side and hearing the debate on the Cigarette Bill, and of hearing him say "Aye" on the passage of the Bill.

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West Concord, Minn.

A.W.Latham,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Friend Latham;- Enclose find check for \$1.50 Please send the Horticulturist
to F.J.Nelsen Hamburgh N.Y. In care Chas. A .Sweet Jr.

Also send him Vegetable Gardening, paper bound, I believe that this
entitles me Landscape Gardening by F.A.Waugh.

Spring does not come very fast but we have a good pile of orders when it
does come . The department at Washington sent me a number of hardy shrubs
and plants from North China . Hoping that this finds you well I am,

Yours truly,

Fred Cowles

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JOHN D. CONNOR
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Barnum, Minn.,

April 6th. 1919

A.W. Latham Esq

Mpls Minn

Dear Sir:/

Mr Chapman was here and held a Farmers Institute some few days ago and he took the names of a number of Farmers who Subscribed for the Horticulturists and suggested me as the Person that was to write you so we could form a local Society Now Sat this week We are going to Form a Farmers Club and thought that a good time to bring this matter up if you have any thing to send or

suggest I wish that It might reach me before Sat .

John D. Connor

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Respectfully Yours,

Clinton Falls Nursery Co.

CHARLES E. CHRISMAN

ATTORNEY AT LAW

ORTONVILLE, MINNESOTA.

March 30th, 1909.

A. W. Latham Esq.,
Sec. Minn. State Horticultural Society,
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

It occurs to me that it might be well for me to ask for the set of the proceedings of the society to which I am entitled as a Life Member and present the same to the Public Library here as they will no doubt be very difficult to obtain after your present supply is exhausted. You may therefore send same to me by freight at your convenience.

Very truly yours,

JFK

Charles E. Chrisman

3751 Chillon et la Dent du Midi



Buy: Switzerland Oct. 1. 1899
I expect this morning paper
at the State Fair, would look on
a considerable fruit grow here. I like
not extra. Reads many seedling and for
some varieties I expect fine. Plum mostly for
but large fine. At Guelph, market last
year. I know of. I like. To be kept
The flowers dahlias, colors I expect
are fine, some new kinds. I hope to
write by middle Oct.

CARTE POSTALE



M. A. M. Latham

Sec. Hort. Society Minneapolis

Minn. U. S. A.

Kasota Block

The Conservatory, House No. 4, Kew Gardens



London by 23rd Avenue Express July 27/1899
This morning I went into
Hampton Court and the
gardens. The first of the
great buildings, the New Gardens
which contain about 40 houses
is not more. The trees are
large, my I measured my
the grapes were superb. I went to
St. John's Church for the
card of Mr. Williamson
Professally John A. Latham



CARD
(For Address Only)



A. T. Latham
Minneapolis
Minn.

Wabota Building

W. S.

CHARLES E. CHRISMAN

ATTORNEY AT LAW

ORTONVILLE. MINNESOTA.

April 3rd, 1909.

A. W. Latham, Sec.,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Enclosed find check for fifty cents which I note by yours of September 12th, 1907 is necessary to cover drayage on the back reports of the Horticultural Society. I suppose the freight will be a quarter, if any less than seventy-five cents will prepay the express on printed matter rates kindly send that way and I will remit the difference.

Very truly yours,

Charles E. Chrisman

JFK
Enc.

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OWATONNA, MINN.,

March 27 1909.

W. M. Latham

Dear Bro.

I am sorry that I did not have time to stop in Minneapolis and see you on my return from Boonum but Supt. Wilson had arranged for me to speak at the State Institutions at Fardoult on the 24th and I had only a few moments in St Paul to make connections for Fardoult. I will call on my first visit to Minneapolis, which may be soon. I enjoyed the day at Boonum very much. It is a thriving little town and the people are interested in improving their condition. I did have the opportunity to talk Horticulture but - Mr Sweet gave me five minutes to

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present the work of the Society and I talked
as fast as I could. My experience this
winter has been of great help to me and
I shall have further opportunity to
serve the Society I hope that I can
do more efficient-service. I more fully
realize the importance of the work the
Horticultural Society is doing in developing
the fruit-industry, and also in desalifying
the homes of the State. I had a delightful
visit with Alfred Terry in his hospitable
home in Staylor. I highly prize the friend-
ship of the Horticulturists of Minn. as well
as the Poaltrymen of the State. The two
industries are among the most promising
to those who love rural life. You will please
send a local Constitution to Mr. John D. Corner
R.R. 1 at Boonville. I have arranged with

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him to look after the organization at that
Place. They are to have a Farmers Club
and I thought - they ought to have a
Horticultural Division. I spoke of beautifying
their homes that they are just making with
indigenous trees, shrubs, and flowers. They
are not far from Mr McLean's Experimental
Farm in Greenbale and the County
Fair is held in Bonnum. Mr Corner
is President of the County Horticultural Society
and has promised to do all he can for
the Horticultural Society. I also have some
suggestions to make about the work of the
Society when I shall have the opportunity
of seeing you in the office.

Yours

N. E. Chapman
395 Academy Street
Owatonna
Minn.

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A. W. LATHAM,

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

207 Kasota Block,

Minneapolis, Minn



Dear Sir

Fairfax Nov 6 1806

I received the consignment of books
at Gibton and disposed of 10. I sent the names
last night - Rev. Baetcher has promised to look
after matters horticultural in Gibton. He is an
enthusiastic Horticulturist and Poulterer
so also is Arthur Rydeem an old subscriber
and a young man of influence. I think C. E.
Emerson should be C. E. Evenson, a
V. instead of an N as second letter
in his name. I anticipate a goodly number to day
Yours D. E. Chapman

Books for dear

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March 31, 1909

H. R. Latham

Dear Sir

Your letter
with Mr Hobbs' letter enclosed received.
I find by referring to my book that other
names were reported with Mr Hobbs. How
you the following names reported at the same
time?

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|-------------------------------|----------------------|-------|
| 42. M. J. Boyon N. R.R. 2. | Good Thunder | Minn. |
| 43. A. G. Stratton N. R.R. 1. | Good Thunder | " |
| 44. R. E. Campbell N. | Good Thunder. | " |
| 45. L. R. Hobbs | | |
| 45. John C Zastrow | R.R. 2. Irona Center | " |
| 46. L. R. Hobbs - N. | R.R. 3. Lake Crystal | " |
| 47. M. J. Barney N. | Lake Crystal | " |
| 48. H. Jacobson O. | Triumph | " |
| 49. Chas Ott O. | Monterey | " |

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I have the enclosed list worked as sent—
at the same time. Please refer to my
letters and see if that one can be
found. If not it must have been lost—
in the mails. No 41 was J. G. Pace of
Blue Earth and No. 38, Nielaf, E. Larsen
of Alpha Minn.

I am coming up soon and will bring my
book and we will go over all the names
lest there may be a mistake somewhere. I
tried to report—correctly and promptly.

I hope that you may find the names
all right—yours

N. E. Chapman.

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A. W. Latham

Monday March 1, 1908

Dear Sir,

Enclosed you will please find list of subscribers secured since last list sent you. Please send Reports of 1908 to the following 94 K. K. Knudsen, R.R. 1, Lake Benton, 95, Knute Anderson, Lake Benton, also to 103 Charles Newdall, Lambertown Minn. Please send fruit list with premiums to Myron A. Norton Alden, Minn. I did not receive any extra lists - as yet. I have supplies for Festa and Springfield, but please send one doz. for Gibson and one doz for Fairfax. Mr Sweet will bring the Ship belonging to the State and I can use that for the morning time as we have few Annals to carry from place to place. Prof Wilson would me present the Officers of the Society at Tracy while there and he

he promised that I should have the opportunity of doing so hereafter, instead of Mr. Sreet. Mr. Wilson also Mr Sreet have learned that I know something about Horticulture as well as Poultry Husbandry. I began when a boy of 14 and worked in a Nursery at Waupun, Wisconsin, until I was sent out while a High School boy to make deliveries for the Nursery and give instructions to 200 farmers, sometimes, how to set out and care for our plants, shrubs, and fruit trees. Many an orchard in Wisconsin was set out under my instructions.

I have set and cared for orchards on my own farms in Iowa and Minn. I have always had a love for Horticulture and many opportunities to study in practice also by observation in many States. I am happy in representing such a Society as that in our own State.

There are now about 25 members in
the vicinity of Cooby and Mr F. E. Milford
Sec of the Commercial Club would be
pleased to have you send him the
old and new members of the Society
then and he will look after the
organization of the members locally. They
have Horticulture in the Public Schools
and I suggested to the Principal to have
some of the members like Mr Peterson, also
Peter Sevens - who are life-members and
often speak to the Class at various times.
I expect that within two years Horticulture
will be taught in every High School in Minn.
If my predictions become reality this will give
Our Society a grand opportunity, and will
result in great advancement in our
Horticulture. Will report from day to day
by postal card. Yours
N. E. Chapman

Name	Old New	R.P.	Address	State
85 D. A. Noble	O		Windom	Missn.
86 H. T. Sanger	N.		Windom	Missn.
87 Thomas S. Brown	N.		Windom	Missn.
88 L. J. Jacobus	N.		Ruthron	Missn.
89 Martin H. Humstad	O.	R.R. 2.	Balaton	"
90 D. S. Spangler	O.		Ruthron	"
91 Frank Carlisle	N.	R.R. 1	Lake Benton	"
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98 A. J. Swanson	N.		Tracy	"
99 S. O. Hackuson	N.	R.R. 1	Tracy	"
100 A. M. Moore	N.		Balaton	"
101 D. M. Taggart	N.	R.R. 4	Lamberton	"
102 B. Redding	N.		Lamberton	"
103 Chas. Newdall	N.		Lamberton	"
104 P. C. Scott	N.		Canby	"
105 Ed. G. Peterson	N.		Canby	"
106 Chas. Sultic	N.	R. R. 2	Porter	"
107 M. S. Nelson	N.		Canby	"
108 P. M. Hanson	N.		Canby	"
109 J. P. Marso	N.	R. R. 3	Canby	"
110 T. E. Millard	O.		Canby	"
111 R. Valdo Peterson	N.		Canby	"
112 Theo. Thordson	N.	R. R. 2	Canby	"
113 Public Schools	N.		Canby	"
114 Henry Mousel	N.		Canby	"

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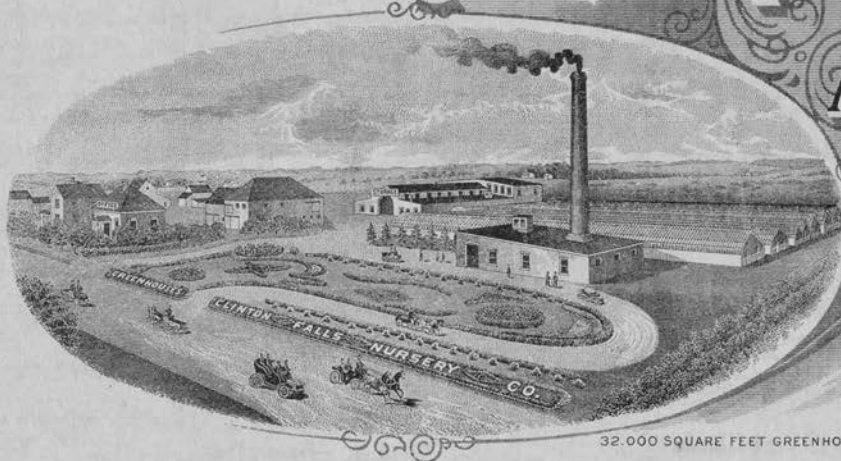
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Dear Sir:-

Please send us at once two dozen books (Green's book on forestry).
Have not received as yet year book of 1905 Horticulture which was sent
for several days ago.

Hoping that you will give the above your immediate attention, and
forward same at once, we are,

Yours very respectfully,

Clinton Falls Nursery Co.

M. E. Cashman

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