



Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS ONLY

A W Latham
207 Kasota Bldg
Minneapolis Minn.

Millville Minn. 1-17-12

Friend Latham we will
need more books sent
to Jordan so we can use
them Friday 1-19 -

will be at home Sat eve
& will send in report then
Very truly
I. H. Andrews

MINNESOTA--EXHIBIT
COMMITTEE.

Saint Paul, Jan. 15th, 1912

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

Dear Sir:☉

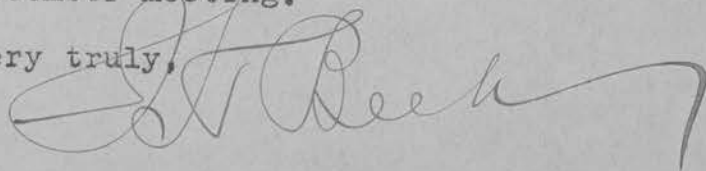
We are sending herewith the following bills☉

F. I. Harris,	\$45.00✓
Carl G. Steller,	35.00✓
Jas. F. Harrison,	12.00✓
Thos. Redpath,	45.00✓
A. B. Lyman,	3.50✓
Fred Zuercher,	9.00✓

149.50

for fruits and services in connection with the Horticultural Exhibit at the Land Show. You will note that some of these bills have the O. K. of Mr. Thos. Redpath, who was in charge of the Exhibit, others are simply bills sent in the Collective Exhibit sent from Minneapolis direct to the Land Show. Mr. Redpath will probably know and approve the bills in that case. Our understanding was that the fruit would be disposed of and the proceeds turned over to the Horticultural Society, which we presume was done. These bills are being sent as per our conversation over the phone this afternoon between yourself and Mr. Glotfelter of this committee and was agreeable to the understanding of the resolution passed of the Horticultural Society at the time that Dean Wood, Professor Bull and Mr. Glotfelter appeared before the Society at the December meeting.

Yours very truly,



BALTIMORE PACKING COMPANY,

Fish and Oysters.

205-207-209-211 FIFTH STREET, NORTH

MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.

Jan. 10, 1912.

Mr. A. W. Latham, Sec'y.,

207 Kesota Bldg.,

C I T Y.

Dear Sir:

Answering your letter of Dec. 11th.

We are enclosing a statement and duplicate bills. You will notice that we have made an allowance of \$10.00.

We trust this will be satisfactory.

Yours very truly,

BALTIMORE PACKING COMPANY.

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Paynesville, Minn. 1 - 9 1912

Mr. C. W. Latham

Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Mr. Latham yours of the 6th at hand.
We can use 500 society folders at least,
and perhaps more later.

Please print the name and address of
our nursery as per the offer in yours of the 6th.
We are going to work for new members
along line suggested by you, thanks for
the thought, it sounds good to us.

most truly yours

Frank Brown & Son

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DEPT. MANUAL TRAINING
R. W. LA DU

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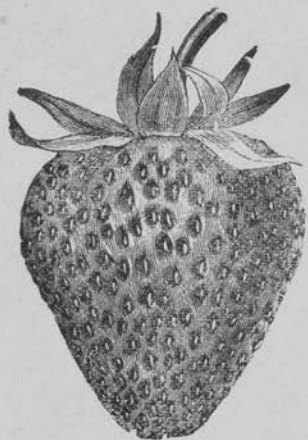
Mr. A. W. Lathum,
Secy Minn. State Hort. Society,
Minneapolis

HINCKLEY, MINN.,

Dec 29th 1911.

Dear Sir - Mr Christensen of this place has just sent in my membership fee for the Society - but I am writing you to say further that I will do all in my power to get all young and old farmers and town people interested in the State Horticultural Society - and that our school will co-operate with you in any work you may wish us to do. I will be especially glad to have as complete a note as you can send of your reports for placing on our reference shelves they may be sent by express at our expense - They will I know be used as much as the Institute Reports and the Exp. Sta. Bulletins. With best wishes of the New Year I am

Yours truly
L. M. Bloomfield



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✓ A. Sallstram Winthrop Minn
✓ H. Rueter Echo Minn

Excelsior, Minn.

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I will Be in Tuesday to settle up I paid 25¢ Telifoning
60¢ Express

Yours Truly

A. Brackett

25
60
85

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AMES, IOWA, December 19, 1911.

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

Dear Mr. Latham:-

I have your favor of the 11th inst., enclosing draft for my expenses while in Minnesota at the Horticultural meeting. I assure you I appreciate the kind words which were said regarding my part in that meeting and it would give me much pleasure to meet with you again if this can be arranged without conflicting with the dates of some of our Iowa Horticultural meetings which I must attend.

SAB:S

Cordially yours,

S. A. Beach

Mankato, Minn. Nov. 27, 1911.

A. W. Latham, Minneapolis.

Dear Sir.

In Oct. 1910 the strength of vision on my right eye began to weaken. The malady grew worse and a year ago I was no more able to read the newspaper.

Am some able to write a little, but not for a space of fifteen minutes as my eye become dim (dropping tears) Cataract my trouble.

(The Trial Station ought procure one of my young seedling Sweet Apple trees, and plant it next spring in a place where it could remain. In the following Spring get scions of the parent tree and graft this scions on the seedling, as it is not as good as the parent tree, but by grafting it will be O.K, maybe better than the parent tree. Out of 9 seedling only

Two (2) I found to be as good as the parent tree, and they do not require grafting.

I have furnished scions of my apple tree and Pear tree to the following nurseries: four years ago to the Jeffers Es; three years ago to Waterville; two years ago to New Elm; this Fall to Strand's Nursery Taylors Falls. From Jeffers Es. I never heard what success he had neither from the one at Waterville. These men are mindless.

In case my Seedl. Apple is appreciated by the proper judges or committed and mention made in the Horticulturist and if my name shall be given in print my name being a french name the accented é should be used when setting up the skin. The printer can get an

accented french é in the Type Foundry.

If such mention is made in the Horticult. You would do to me a favor by sending the one Leaf containing the mention. My daughter will read it to me.

As to the real worth and value of my Seedl. Apple tree I must say: quite a good many Nursery-owners claim they only possess the hardiest trees. These men adhere to close to this motto:

Quisquis amat ranam,
ranam putat esse Dianam.

The translation must not be literal, only two or three words can be used literal. The real meaning is a good one and fits to the dogma of some Nursery owner.

4.

If you can not procure the real meaning from a Prof. of the Latin Language or perhaps from His Excellency "Geo. Eberhard" inform me and I will satisfy your desire.

Please excuse the irregularity of writing, I do not plainly see the lines.

yours respectfully
John M. Broomé.

416 Byron.

P.S. The letter É in my name must sound as the é in led, met, pet.

Shawsheen Pottery Shop

~~University~~1115 - E. 61st St Chicago

Mr. A. W. Latham

Dear friend

I have put that Christmas greeting, I was speaking to you about, in shapes and if you will kindly take one of your Badge Books & check about 100 names that you think would like them I will be very much obliged to you

I will enjoy sending these reminders to those who you think would appreciate them, but I don't care to spoil good paper & waste postage on those who would care nothing for them.

U. S. Address me at
Champaign Ills
Care C. W. Foster

Very truly yours

W. Burnap

- ✓ A. W. Aamodt, Agricultural College,
St. Anthony Park, Minn.
- ✓ Geo. A. Briggs, Traverse, Minn.
- ✓ W. K. Bates, Stockton, Minn.
- ✓ Rev. C. D. Blaker, 12 Old Colony bldg,
Minneapolis, Minn.
- ✓ Mrs. Butterfield, Long Lake, Minn.
- ✓ Mrs. Chatfield, Osceola, Wis.
- ✓ L. E. Day, Clinton Falls, Minn.
- ✓ Fred Dittmer, Augusta, Wis.
- ✓ P. J. Doll, Nicollet Island, Minneapolis,
- ✓ N. H. Emmons, 1736 James av So., Mpls.
- ✓ Gustav Goetz, 1709 W. 7th st, St. Paul.
- ✓ J. A. Holmberg, 1241 Edgerton st, St. Paul
- ✓ T. W. Ingersoll, Buffalo, Minn.
- ✓ Rev. Francis Jager, St. Bonifacius, Minn.
- ✓ J. B. Jardine, Wayzata, Minn., R. # 3.
- ✓ Nels Jacobson, Wayzata, Minn.
- ✓ Dr. F. E. Jorris, 404 Lindley block, Mpls.
- ✓ Mary Jerabek, Excelsior, Minn.
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- ✓ J. F. Kreatz, Wayzata, Minn.
- ✓ Scott LaMont, Park Rapids, Minn.
- ✓ Dr. L. D. Leonard, Donaldson bldg, Mpls.
- ✓ J. T. Lemay, Mendota, Minn.
- ✓ F. McCullough, Maple Plain, Minn.
- ✓ J. W. Murray, Excelsior, Minn.
- ✓ E. E. Merrill, Mendota, Minn.
- ✓ Mrs. F. A. Merrill, Mendota, Minn.
- ✓ Sil Mitzke, So. St. Paul, Minn.
- ✓ Mrs. M. M. McCabe, Richfield Sta., Mpls.
- ✓ Ed. Moeser, St. Louis Park, Minn.
- ✓ M. Nicols, St. Paul.
- ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
- ✓ C. A. Palmer, 1477 Ashland av, St. Paul
- ✓ L. C. Pilcher, 1024 Miss. st, St. Paul.
- ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
- ✓ A. W. Rankin, State University, Mpls.
- ✓ L. V. Rodecker, Gladstone, Minn.
- ✓ R. R. Randall, Warsaw, Wis.
- ~~XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX~~
- ✓ W. R. Stockton, Champlin, Minn.
- ✓ Wm. Sorens, Bay City, Wis.
- ✓ F. C. Smith, Plum City, Wis.
- ✓ A. L. Stelter, Rosemount, Minn.
- ✓ Mrs. F. W. Stevers, 1712 E. Lake st, Mpls.
- ✓ C. G. Thompson, 1680 Capitol av, St Paul.
- ✓ Fred Witte, Hopkins, Minn., R. F. D.

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1477 Ashland Ave.,
Dec. 15, 1911.

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

Dear Sir:-

I enclose list of 42 names of those who have paid dues for the coming year with check for \$10.50 to cover same.

Yours very truly,

C. A. Palmer,
Treasurer.

ADDITIONAL:

- ✓ Wm. Thorne, 214 Dakota st, W. St. Paul.
- ✓ John M. Seiler, Excelsior, Minn., R. 3.
- ✓ J. E. Barott, Tamarack, Minn.
- ✓ J. C. Estee, Marshall, Minn.
- ✓ E. L. Hofmann, Janesville, Minn.

I make my check for \$11.75
to cover both lists.

C. A. Palmer.

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LUCAN MINN. Dec/3 1911

A W Latham

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Friend

On your letters to day and contents stated you will know that what I say in regard to heat killing is so and when I advise planting deep and mulching I tell them it is to protect the tender roots it is not to discourage Tree Planters but to let them know the truth

Now I have not had a word from Mr Wilson in regard to what he thinks of it I have put the facts straight to him and if he looks at it as you do I will cut out my apple tree tolls entirely and as long as I am on the Institute will not mention apple trees at all. ~~He~~ will not talk on any thing I am backed up from telling the truth for the sake of a few Newsey men who only want to fleece the

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LUCAN MINN. _____ 191

Propose ~~and~~ for Price and also to sell
descent stock

I have other subjects that I can talk on
for the bal of this year than I will
be ~~only~~ a free and will then make
it that for at least one business firm
you may send a set of books to
Margan I think I will have enough for
here we are having large meetings
and the best of it is that the 2nd and
3rd day are the large

Yours Truly

A Brackett

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Like Home

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Fred Spoerhase, Prop.

Winthrop, Minn., Dec 10th 191

A W Latham

Minneapolis Minn

Dear Friend

I have been informed
that my friend Mr. Woodward
is in a distressed situation in
regard to me would you please
send me a copy of same
and what was done with it

And Oblige
Yours Truly

A Brackett

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Albert Lea, Minn.,

No memo
Dec 2th 191*6*

A. W. Latham

Secretary Minn State Horticultural Society

Dear Sir

*I have sent to day 20⁰⁰ in membership for
P. Clausen and Christ Bethelsen please debit
as we plan to attend annual meeting*

Yours truly

Christ Bethelsen

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Fred Spoerhase, Prop.

Winthrop, Minn., Dec 9 1911

Mr A W Sather
Dear Friend

We are having good
harvest and good attendance
In fact the Best meeting
we ever had but an account
of the Drought I hardly think
I will be able to take as
many members as I did last
year you may send an other
lot of Barks to Luceau
I see Mr Underwood
Does not like it because
I warned the the Planters
to Plant trees deeper and to
mulch trees to protect them from
root killing I omittly think
that it is very essential

Hotel Seiter

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Fred Spoerhase, Prop.

Winthrop, Minn., _____ 1911

that they should know
that there is danger on
that account if it was not
so the Jewell Mussy Co
and the Otter Museum would
not try to save seed from
harm apple
and Mr Underwood acknowledged
that we did not have any
hardy boats

I think got an hi. ear means
I refused to the government
yearly Bank as to Boat and
now I mean mention boat and
on the Institute Platform
and would not have done so
at the meeting if he had
not jumped on me your truly
of Brackett

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AMES, IOWA, Dec. 9, 1911

Secy A. W. Latham,

Dear Sir:-
Complying with your request I am inclosing receipted bill for hotel expenses in Minneapolis while attending the Horticultural meeting. I wish to thank you again for the considerate attention shown to me personally and as a delegate from the Iowa Horticultural Society. The officers of the Minnesota Horticultural Society and particularly its secretary, are entitled to hearty commendation for the efficient management of the Society's affairs which is placing it in the foremost rank among Horticultural associations.

Very truly yours
S. A. Beach

J. M. UNDERWOOD, President

JOHN NORDINE, Supt. Propagation

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Dec. 1st, 1911.

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

Dear Sir:

We are shipping the evergreen rope by express to-day.

We understand that the apples sent to Cold storage for exhibition at the Horticultural Meeting were to be delivered to the Unitarian Church by your orders. I will be at the church about 11:00 A.M. Monday to arrange our exhibit.

Yours truly,

H. U. Beebe.

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AMES, IOWA,

Nov. 16, 1911.

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

My dear Sir:

The reply to your favor of the 9th inst. has been unavoidably delayed. I shall endeavor to cover the ground as indicated by you both in the topic which appears on the program and in the discussion of plant breeding and plant introduction.

Sincerely yours,

S. A. Beach

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AMES, IOWA. Nov. 9, 1911.

Sec. A. W. Latham,
State Horticultural Society,
207 Kasota Bldg, Minneapolis.

My dear Sir:

I have your favor of the 8th inst. stating that you have assigned me the topic of Orchard Management for an exercise on Thursday afternoon of your State Horticultural meeting. This topic is acceptable to me. On my arrival in Minneapolis, I shall hope to get some further suggestions from you as to the most satisfactory way of handling it.

Sincerely yours,

S. A. Beach

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THIS SIDE OF CARD IS FOR ADDRESS ONLY

A. W. Latham
207- Kasota Block
Minneapolis
Minn

Pomona Cal. 10-28-11

Dear Sir

Yours about the Charis &

Simpson letter recd
& left home in 1910
about the time he says they
dated their Voucher. I did not
see it or hear of it but think
it must have been paid.

Being your pardon &
Thanking you for the
trouble I am

Cordially yours

O. F. Brand

SKI-HI FRUIT FARM

A. K. BASSETT, Prop.

Phone 159 A.

Baraboo, Wis., (R. D. 4.) _____ 191

Mr. A. W. Latham
Minneapolis, Minn.

Dear Sir:-

Kindly send me a file of reports of the
Minn. Society by freight. I have a copy of the
1910 report.

Very truly yours

A. K. Bassett.

Dr. Burnap's Hospital

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W. L. BURNAP, B.S.M.D.

NURSES
MISS THEA ELEFSON
JOSEPHINE STANGER

Pelican Rapids, Minn., *Oct 27* 1911

Friend Latham,

Yours received, If you have no better material submitte to build your program, you may put me down for "True & true planting" and I will try to make good, Please send me a copy as soon as out if I am upon it so I may prepare the paper I am antucipating

great pleasure being with you

Very truly yours

W. A. Burnap

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AMES, IOWA. Oct. 14, 1911.

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

My dear Sir:

I have your favor of October 3. The reply has been unavoidably delayed, in part by reason of absence from town. I have a letter from Mr. Clarence Wedge in which he states that in his opinion the Minnesota plant breeders would like to know something of the work which we are doing here along this line with pears and peaches. If you so desire, I can give some account of our plant introduction and plant breeding work, giving special attention to the pear and the peach, or I can take up questions along the lines of orchard spraying, orchard soil management, the desirability of topworking apples upon hardy stocks, and the matter of handling late summer and early fall apples in cold storage.

It will be agreeable to me to undertake to conduct an exercise for twenty minutes to a half hour on each day December 7 and 8, as suggested in your letter. If you desire to have me treat some other subjects than those indicated above, or if you wish me to give particular attention to any one of these subjects, kindly let me know what your wishes are, and I will endeavor to shape my preparation so as to comply with them.

I have never had the privilege of attending any of the meetings of your State Horticultural Society and am looking forward to a

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delightful and profitable time at your meeting.

Sincerely yours,

S. A. Beach

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TELEPHONES } TRI-STATE CENTER 57, 58
 } N. W. MAIN 590, 591

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MINNEAPOLIS, MINN.,

Nov. 4th 1911.

Mr. A. W. Latham,
Secy. - 207-Kasota Bldg.
City.

BUSHEL BOXES OF APPLES

Dear Sir:-

Answering your inquiry of the 3rd, regarding the number of bushel boxes of apples in storage, you figure on having about one hundred.

Of course, there are many other boxes of different sizes.

Yours truly,

BALTIMORE PACKING COMPANY

LBK-S

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AMES, IOWA. August 2, 1911.

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

My dear Sir:

I find your favor of the 26th ult. awaiting my return from an absence in Southwestern Iowa. I appreciate the courtesy of your invitation to meet with the Minnesota State Horticultural Society the first week in December and address the meeting at some of its sessions. On account of my college duties and a meeting of the Southwest Iowa Horticultural Society which will be in session at the same date that the Minnesota Society meets, it will not be possible for me to be with you for four days, as you suggest. I could doubtless arrange to be with you two days, preferably either the first two or last two, of your meeting. Whether or not I might come as a representative of the Iowa State Society is a matter that would need to be determined by Secretary Wesley Greene and President Langham.

Yours very truly,

S. A. Beach

SAB:FT

Myrtle Ave Oct 29 - 1911

A W Lathams

Dear Sir

As regards the
Doney I don't at all play it myself
and my own original story is of a
personal I know one ^{John} told ^{me} ^{that} ^{he} ^{was} ^{one} ^{year} ^{ago} ^{perhaps}
to St Paul when he was ^{one} ^{year} ^{ago} perhaps
we had better drop it - if you think ^{best}.
Yours truly
J W Bunnell

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Baraboo, Wis., (R. D. 4) 10-30 1917

Mr A. W. Latham

Dear Sir,

Inclosed please find check for
Ten dollars (#10) for life membership for
myself,

Yours Truly
A. K. Bassett.

2400 bn

Point Pleasant

"A Place to Rest"

Madison Lake, Minn. ^X Oct 28 1911

A. W. Latham Esq
Mpls

My Dear Mr Latham:

I have your very kind and
considerate letter. Thank you
for writing it.

I am not good enough for
horticulturist to venture to
instruct the public, and more
especially the State Horticultu-
ral Society. Later on when
I know more, I may say
something. Just now I am very
busy getting ready for winter. I
have about 12,000 trees to take care
of and protect from 12,000 rabbits
and mice.

The advice which you gave

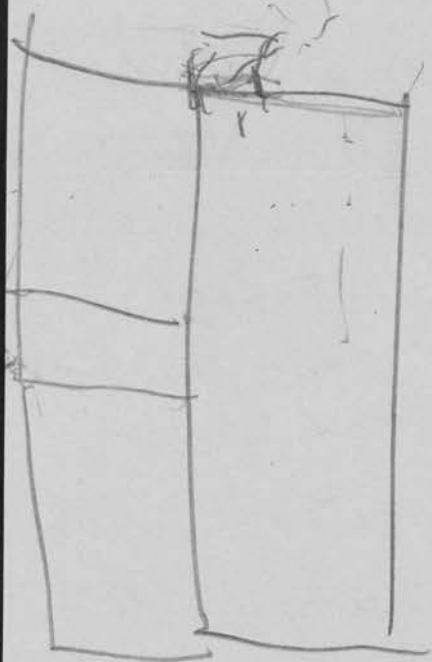
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a year ago, to water orchard
was I think good. Our trees
are going into winter in ^{good}
shape except for "wet feet"
on level ground, or low ground.
and I don't anticipate any
trouble from that source with no
more rain than has already fallen,
but should it rain more and
freeze up wet, there will be a
lot of trees in this locality killed -
"Two years ago I planted 700 pounds
of fish (from the carp series - they
were mostly spoiled carp & garfish)
at the roots of my young trees ^{and}
have this fall planted a lot more
It seems to be good."
Yours &c J. M. Barclay



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207 Kasota Block,
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Dear Mr. Latham:

Your letter of the 11th received in due time. I have been thinking the matter over and concluded that I will fill the bill for you to my best ability, if you are satisfied I am capable of doing it. The subject "Spraying" has a good many phases, some of them I have not touched on in my practical experience, such as power spraying (gasoline engine). If you could give me some ideas along the lines that I have not had practical experience in, we may be able to arrange a sub-division of the subject that would take up that which is of most value to the orchardist of to-day. I would also need assistance in recognizing many of the members of the Society present who would be able to answer questions that I am not familiar with. The subject is a very interesting one to me and I have studied every phase of it known to me and applied to our orchards. There are some new phases of it coming into light that I would like the experience of others, and know that a discussion of this kind is very beneficial to all.

Be assured that if you find someone better capable of filling this place than I, that I shall be very glad to have you select same, for I realize that it is a place that should have the best mind available to bring out all the information possible.

Yours respectfully,

H. U. Beebe.

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W. LATHAM,

Minn. State Hort. Sec'y,

107 Kasota Block,

Minneapolis, Minn.

Madelia Oct 14th 1911

I shall not be able to make a
creditable exhibit at the women
meeting my apples are under
size from the drought

J. B. Bicker



Office of Town Clerk

Fairbiew Township, Rolette County

LOUIS BEAUDOIN, CLERK

ST. JOHN, N. D., October 18 1911

A. W. Latham, Sec.

Dear Mr. Latham; -

Please find enclosed "Report" as per your request, I filled it to the best of my Knowledge.

Should you wish for some more question answered, I will be more than please to do it if I feel that I am, specially, of some help to our Society, no matter how small the services.

I noted in one of your Magazine, received last Summer, That you were looking for some one sending you some pictures of Horticultural subjets that sets me a thinking of a picture Contest that I intend to start in the finest days of next Summer, we have here numerous young folks that are looking for some landscape sketches, to take the pictures of, and with a good reward paid out of Fruits or Ornamental, or flowering Plants I can secure a good crowd of contestants.

Can I send you all of these picture, for you to select the best and decide which will be the winner, and have the winner's picture printed in your Magazine?

It may be that you can contribute in the way of plant Premium to be given the winner,

This is only an "Idea", I am only suggesting, if this is not adopted, everything will be droped and we will be just as good

Friends,

Louis Beaudoin

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PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

Independence, Iowa,

Oct-18-1911

A. W. Latham.

Minneapolis Minn.

Dear Sir,

W. A. Burnap of Clear Lake Iowa has been appointed by me to represent our society as delegate to your coming Annual meeting. At present he is

at Pelican Rapids Minn. He has been compelled to undergo another operation, but is regaining his strength rapidly.

He writes me that he will undoubtedly be able to attend your meeting.

Yours truly
G. D. Black.



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H. J. Baldwin,
Northfield, Minn.

Dear Friend.-

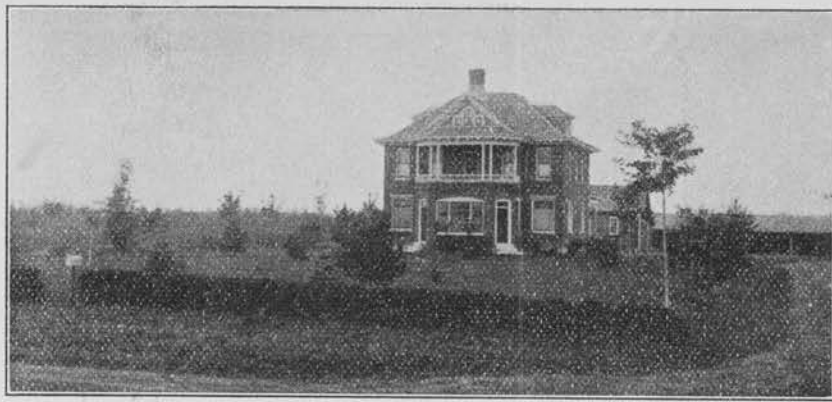
Will you please serve the society at the coming annual meeting by conducting a half-hour question and answer exercise at the opening of some session of the meeting on this subject: "The Vegetable Garden". You are of course familiar with our practice in these exercises. You will not be expected to make a lengthy talk on the subject, just a few opening remarks to start the exercise and then invite questions, which you can answer yourself or refer to some one else in the audience to answer. It may be there will be a lot of questions come into the office which I can turn over to you for use at that time, and perhaps it would be well for you to prepare a few questions yourself and have them on hand in case they should be needed to fill out the period. I hope that you will feel like doing the society this service, which I am sure will result in much profit to us all.

Hoping for an early and favorable response,

Yours fraternally,

A. W. Latham Sec'y.

*Yes I will try &
help out yours
H. J. Baldwin.*



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A. W. Latham Esq
Dear Sir

Yours of the first
duely received in reply will say that
I probably could occupy a few minutes at
the winter meeting on the subject of Tap
Working. I have a number of names of
people who have expressed themselves as want-
ing to become members of our society
can they join now & get one or two months
extra & get 1912 magazines also? or rather become
members for 1912? by paying \$1.00 now? I have
quite a number of fine specimens of apples that
I would like to show at our winter meeting, may
I send you a box & can you have it put in
cold storage & see that it has a fair show at the
meeting & you may have the fruit for
your expense & trouble after the show is over.
If so please state how I shall label them & pack,
Wishing to hear from you soon I remain
Yours Respectfully J. F. Benjamin

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DEPARTMENT OF
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F. W. BRODRICK, B.S.A., PROFESSOR

WINNIPEG Oct. 6, 1911.

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

Dear Sir:-

Your favor of the 2nd. inst has been received.

I appreciate very much the invitation extended to our Society and hope that we shall be able to comply with your request. I am writing to Dr. Speechly, and in my letter to him I shall mention the matter to which you refer. I sincerely hope that you may have a most successful meeting and will look forward to having your representative with us at our meeting in February.

Yours fraternally,

F. W. Brodrick

Prof. of Hort. & Forestry.



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Mr A. W. Latham

~~Had~~ Kasota Building

Minneapolis
Minn

Dear Sir

It is time to hear from those
State Fair People about Our
Bill of last year. What response
did you get to your letter of
last week to them. We cannot let
this matter get cold.

Yours truly
O. F. Brand
Faribault
10/5/11



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Minneapolis

My dear Mr. Latham

The Rose Society would certainly miss not meeting with the Horticultural Society in December. So far we have done little toward a programme as I meant to speak to you about it first. We hope Mrs. Sawyer will write a paper on perennials but haven't heard from her yet.

You will no doubt have some good ideas on the subject as you always do & we will try to get our matter in shape as soon as possible.

I expect to go out this week, starting Wednesday evening but shall be gone only two & a half weeks nevertheless if anything comes up for us to decide you can telephone

Mrs. Gould who will attend to anything you may want
of our Society.

Very cordially yours

Cornelia M. Boardman

Monday
October 2nd
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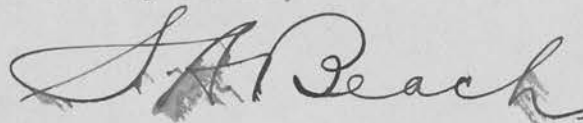
AMES, IOWA, Sept. 30, 1911.

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

My dear Sir:

I have on file your communication of August 4 in which you state that a little later you will take up with Secretary Greene the matter of my attendance at your winter meeting. If you have any suggestions to make as to topics you wish to have me discuss, I should be pleased to hear from you soon. I should also like to know what dates you wish me to fill. I shall look forward with pleasure to seeing you at your annual meeting.

Sincerely yours,



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else and we want the money now
yours truly

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A. W. LATHAM,

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

207 Kasota Block,

Minneapolis, Minn

Murray Hill, Sept 1 1911

Mr A. W. Latham

Dear Sir:-

Our Carl
Steuer has the care of
our orchard this year &
has selected from it
for the State Fair &
for the winter meeting,
but will call his
attention to your letter
as soon as he returns
from the city.

Yours Truly,
Wesley Beach.
(Per m. B.)

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furnished to you last year.

Please remit
yours truly

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OFFICE OF

W. K. BATES
TOWN CLERK OF
HILLSDALE, WINONA COUNTY
MINNESOTA

Stockton, Minn., Aug 9th 1911

Friend Latham, I send
you by mail today a sample
of my Bates Plum.

The season has been poor to
repen plums here. We had
a Hail storm early that cut the
trees & fruit badly. The plums
are not so large as usual
& are 2 weeks earlier to repen
Aug 16 is usual time of this
Plum to repen. This year Aug 2^d
For quality we think it the best
as visitors seem to prefer it
I think it a cross of the Surprise
(the mother) & the Cotterell Plum as
I picked the seed at Mr Lords
at Minn City. from a Surprise
limb grafted on the Cotterell
Tree.

W. K. BATES
TOWN CLERK OF
HILLSDALE, WINONA COUNTY
MINNESOTA

Stockton, Minn., _____ 191

Mr Johnke tells me that it is
a larger fruit at his place
than I usually get at Stockton
It usual runs 1 to 1 5/8 in diameter
and is somewhat red in color
than they seem this year.
And they bear on top wooded limbs
on Rolling Stone & young seedlings for
next year after grafting & the bud
is & will stand more degrees of
cold in spring when in blossom
than any of my other varieties & I have
several of the best birds in fruit.
This plum will ship good as I have
sent small shipments to Minneapolis
to try it. You might show them to Mr Elliott.
Hoping they may reach you safely &
Remain Dear Yours, W. K. Bates.

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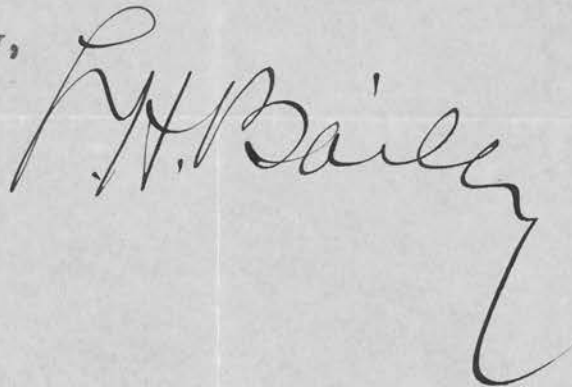
August 9, 1911.

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

Dear Mr. Latham :

It will be quite impossible for me to meet with your people early in December. I am planning a trip into the Northwest States in October and November and could not go back again so soon. I should like very much to meet your people.

Yours very truly,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "L. H. Bailey". The signature is written in dark ink and is positioned to the right of the typed name "Yours very truly,".