



## Horticultural Society: Letters Received and Sent

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# TONKA-CREST FARM

DAIRY, POULTRY, AND FRUIT

RETT E. OLMSTEAD, PROP.

EXCELSIOR, MINN., Sept. 27, 1914.

Dear Mr. Latham; -

Your very kind letter together the one from Mr. Cashman enclosed came and I appreciate your effort very much. Since talking with you I have called at the office of Mr. Wilson and talked the matter over with him and he seems quite favorably inclined. I rather think that he may make room for me on the institute work in behalf of the birds. If so I shall be glad of the opportunity for I feel that I can do some good in that line especially linking in some way the boys and girls with the institute.

Mr. Cashman enclosed a copy of his letter to you, to me. I appreciate his frank way of putting things. I think he is right in that I need exercise care in not talking too long. One may wear out a good thing by talking too long to the people about it. Last spring I gave one of my talks to the Central High School of Minneapolis speaking to the whole body of pupils-1500-and I gave it in twenty-five minutes, -showing 100 slides. I feel that as a rule I need longer time in which to do it, but I shall try to be governed by what the people want. I can crowd a lot of bird stuff into 30 minutes.

I am returning Mr. Cashman's letter to you. I will call when in the city and talk over matters with you as to what I can do to help the Society. I shall probably be in this week sometime.

Again I wish to most heartily thank you for your kindness in writing to the men and for the good word you have said. I hope if opportunity is offered me to try this out, that I shall not disappoint you and others.

Yours most cordially,

*Ret E. Olmstead*

Fred W. Nesbitt



W. Nesbitt

Cambridge, Minn., 3/26

1917

A. W. Latham Esq

Dear Sir

Herewith find enclosed \$1.00 in  
payment of annual dues please  
send me plant premiums No 8 and  
12 and oblige

F. W. Nesbitt Cambridge  
Minn

Box 172

Ampls

June 6/14

Dear Sir

Please find enclosed  
the corrected plat, and also  
an old tax statement take  
whichever prescription you  
want and throw it away.

I have not yet received  
my May Magazine on Hort.  
and am very anxious for  
it as I never before raised  
fruit trees.

Yours Respc.

W. H. Thurmman

R. 3 Box 19

Ampls.

Ampls

WE  
GROW  
OUR  
STOCK

# OSLUND'S NURSERY

N. N. Oslund, Prop.

: : Everything in the Nursery Line : :

HARDY  
TREES  
SHRUBS  
PLANTS

CAMBRIDGE, MINN., December 24 1913.

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

Dear Mr Latham:-

Referring to your letter of 22nd inst. in regards to permitting any members of the society sending in a new member to order from any Nursery in the state \$1.00 worth of nursery stock, for which the nurserymen to be paid 50% by the society. Yes Mr. Latham, I think this plan is alright. I will be glad to take care all orders of this kind that comes this way with pleasure. And put me on this list for this cause, and furthermore I will try to do my best and send in New members also this winter.

Yours very truly,

N. N. Oslund.

Eden Valley

Mind

1/17/1914

Dear Sir,

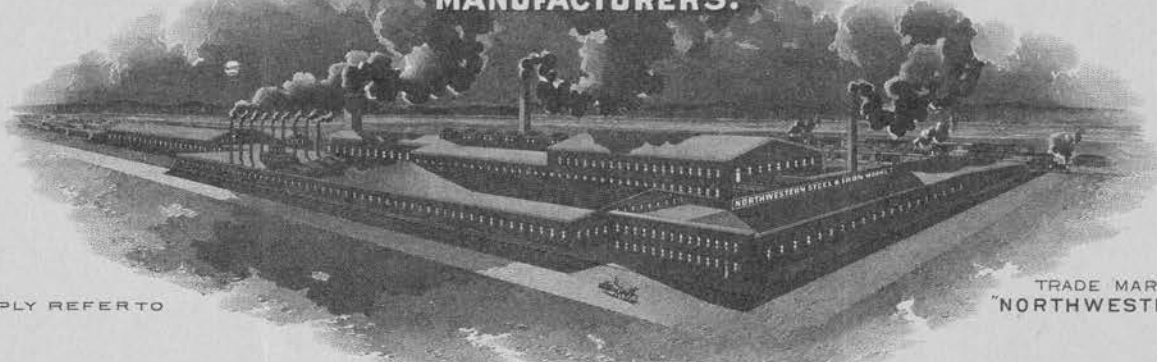
Enclosed find \$10<sup>00</sup>  
fee for life membership  
in your society. I think your  
idea is excellent. I see I  
am entitled among other  
privileges to select & have  
sent me two of the lots named  
in your circular. I shall select  
lots three & ten.

Respectfully yours,

J. O'Ballaghan

# NORTHWESTERN STEEL & IRON WORKS

MANUFACTURERS.



IN REPLY REFER TO

TRADE MARK  
"NORTHWESTERN"

**EAU CLAIRE, WIS. U.S.A.**

January 27, 1914.

Minnesota State Horticultural Society,  
Minneapolis, Minn.

-ATTENTION A. W. LATHAM-

Dear Sir:

On January 5th. we received a letter from you in which you stated that one of the Professors at the Experiment Station wanted to make some arrangements if possible with us to secure the outfit we sent you some time ago to use at your meeting.

Up to the present time we have not heard anything in regard to this matter and we would very much appreciate it if you could put us in touch with this party so we could get this matter straightened out.

Thanking you in advance for this information, we remain

Very truly yours,

NORTHWESTERN STEEL & IRON WORKS:

BY

*S. L. Nelson*

SLN:

*sent  
2.2.14*

Hutchinson, Minn.  
Feb. 5, 1914

Ms. A. W. Latham,  
Minneapolis.

Dear Sir,

I beg leave to acknowledge receipt of your letter in which you state that the Annual Report of the Horticultural Society would be forwarded to me by my prepaying postage thereon, and that this was required because I came into the membership roll of the Society through the Beekeepers Association.

The latter part of this statement is a misapprehension. I didn't come into the membership roll of the Horticultural Society through the Beekeepers Association. I have been a member of the Society with the

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past three years and have remitted my dues directly to the Secretary of the Horticultural Society. For the year 1914 however, I remitted through the Beekeepers Association.

As I understand it, a member of the Horticultural Society is entitled to the Annual Report of the Society at the end of the year for which he has paid annual dues. It would seem then, that had I dropped out of the society at the end of the year 1913 instead of continuing my membership therein through the medium of the Beekeepers Association, I would still be entitled to have forwarded to me the Annual report for 1913.

However, the thing is of no great importance and I guess I can worry along without it.

Very Sincerely yours,  
(Rev.) T. O'Brien

Albert Brakke  
Wild Rice N.D. 800

B. G. Skrivseth  
Burston N.D.

W. Estraguel  
Fargo N.D.

C. J. Washburn  
Edgely N.D.

Albert Gulmon  
Sandborn N.D. R 1

H. H. Sperling  
Ladson Mont

W. G. Botham  
Aneta N.D.

Jacob Westergaard  
Buffalo N. Dak

800  
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Jas M Witheron  
Moorehead Minn

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W H Hunter  
Fargo N.D.

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Ole Glarum  
Newark S.D.

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J W Johnson  
Fargo N.D.  
R R No 3

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Peter Eggeland  
Harvey N.D.

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Jelva Larsson  
Dwight N.D.

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Gustav Zink  
Carrington N.D.

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O M Johnson  
Aneta N.D.

S Fletcher  
Rogers N.D.

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Samuel Swainson  
Fargo N.D.

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Clark W Kelley  
Devils Lake N.D.

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J S Gartgate  
Laramore N.D.

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M. S. Lee  
Aneta N.D.

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O A Gammien  
Hankinson N.D.

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Fred James  
Leal N.D.

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Lewis Palmer  
Buchanan N.D.

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C Westergaard  
Buffalo N.D.

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Hans Krogh  
Portland N.D.

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Olof Johnson  
Cresent Lake N.D. R 2

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J. H. Whitcher  
Valley City N.D.

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Samuel Swanson  
Fargo N.D.

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G. H. Eydahl  
Spring Brook N.D.

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Olof Kampang  
Fillmore N.D.

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L. W. Leonard  
Rolette N.D.

VARIETY FRUIT FARM

MICHAEL OLESON, PROPRIETOR

Montevideo, Minn., ..... 191

Mr. A. W. Latham Secy.,  
207 Kasota Block, Mpls. Minn.

My Dear Sir:

Enclosed herewith please find filled out form for membership fee  
with one dollar to pay for same.

I intend to enter the competition for the one-acre orchard as per  
offer of our society this spring

Yours truly

Olson.

P.S. Can you give me the address of firm selling spray materials for  
Orchards