

Forestville, N.Y.  
Sept. 22

My Dear Deane:

Twenty-four hours ago I was at my old home way down in Southwestern Michigan. To-day I spoke to one of the finest audiences I have ever met. The church was full, even to standing room, and people were turned away. The whole town is decorated in honor of the institute, and the exhibition of grapes is superb. I have to speak to these audiences. Nothing inspires me so

much as the upturned  
faces of a Crowd.  
There is a flow of life  
and cordiality in it-  
which exhilarates. I have  
sent a message to my  
foreman to come with  
camera and several  
dozen plates and we will  
photograph the varieties  
of grapes. Lake Erie  
lies below us to the  
west, and the pleas-  
ant slopes are ribbed  
with grapes. It is  
a beautiful Country,  
and to one of an im-  
aginative turn of  
mind it combines  
the inspirations of  
pictures and poems.  
Goodbye.

J. H. Bailey



*with Sept- 22 letter*

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New York State Agricultural Society

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HORTICULTURAL • INSTITUTE

AT

FORESTVILLE, N. Y.

September 22d and 23d, 1892

IN A

LARGE TENT.

Headquarters: Harrison House.

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## PROGRAMME.

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### THURSDAY, 10.30 A. M.

Horticultural Work in the National Department of Agriculture.

GEO. T. POWELL, Director.

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### THURSDAY, 2 P. M.

#### Question Box.

Some American Grape History,

Prof. L. H. BAILEY, Cornell University, Ithaca.

The Successful Fruit Grower of the Future,

S. D. WILLARD, Geneva.

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### THURSDAY, 7 P. M.

#### Question Box.

How Wood Engravings are Made,

Mrs. ANNA B. COMSTOCK, Ithaca.

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### FRIDAY, 10 A. M.

Some Things Essential in Grape Culture,

GEO. C. SNOW, Penn Yan.

Recent Results in Fighting Some Fruit Insects,

Prof. J. H. COMSTOCK, Cornell University, Ithaca.

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### FRIDAY, 1.30 P. M.

Exhibition of Spraying Vineyard,

L. I. YOUNG, Fredonia.

#### Question Box.

From the Kitchen Door to the Golden Gate,

Mrs. M. H. FAIRCHILD, Silver Creek.



Reduced rates on railroads and at hotels will be obtained for those in attendance.

A Question Box will be used at the opening of each session, and all are requested to contribute.

Vocal, Orchestral and Band music expected.

Fine Exhibition of Fruit and Vegetables will be held in an adjoining tent, managed by the Chautauqua Horticultural Society.

Over 1,000 plates of Grapes in 100 varieties are expected.

All are cordially invited to attend and take part.

The presence of ladies is especially desired.



Bailey, L. H. 1892. "Bailey, Liberty Hyde Sep. 22, 1892." *Walter Deane correspondence*

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