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HORTICULTURAL STATE MEETING

Messrs. Selvig and Rodegebe
Make Report For Our
Readers.

Meeting held in the West Hotel, Minneapolis, December 4, 5, 6 and 7. A few notes taken at the State meeting by local representatives may be of interest to the members of the County Horticultural Society and others.

The display of fruits, vegetables and plants were placed to appear to good advantage. They proved very interesting, especially for study of varieties and to show possibilities.

Patriotic decorations were splendidly arranged and certainly appreciated.

Several branch organizations met in connection with the regular State Horticultural Society and part of the general sessions were turned over to these branch organizations, as: The Minnesota Vegetable Growers' Society, Minnesota Garden Flower Society, etc.

An electric machine in the hall turned out paper collars or dirt bands ready for use to prevent cut worms. Harris Mfg. Co., Sleepy Eye, Minn., will be glad to send information.

Get Minnesota Bulletin No. 153 for Vegetable Diseases.

Diseases are caused and spread by little parasite. They spread and do best, when moisture and temperature are just right.

Clean soil, rotation of crops, disease free seeds, disease resistant plants, good drainage, clean cultivation, and spraying with Bordeaux mixture are some of the means of controlling diseases.

In growing potatoes it is important to get a good strain of seed. Treat seed with corrosive sublimate 4 oz. to 30 gal. water 1-2 hours. Spray with Bordeaux (5-5-50) mixture.

De Sota, Wolf and Wayant plums were mentioned by one old grower as the best plums for Minnesota.

One grower near St. Paul finds Emerald Gem and Osage melons the best for him to grow. He finds it pays to put a liberal supply of fresh manure under each hill.

A market gardener near Minneapolis finds the best method of getting early potatoes for market is to sprout the seed potatoes until the sprouts are as long as his thumb nail. He starts the sprouts in special crates in the window and waits until the soil gets warm.

Tomatoes should be set at a slant. Start all one way, then if there are signs of frost lay the plants down and cover with dirt until the danger of frost has passed.

The best way of preventing damage by cut worms is by putting paper collars or bands around the plants when setting them.

When one has a good strain of tomatoes it is a good plan to save the seeds. Often better plants and fruit can be secured this way than by buying seeds or plants.

Manure is the best fertilizer we have, but commercial fertilizers may be used to good advantage especially phosphoric acid for fruiting plants.

Proper windbreaks help orchards to withstand severe weather. One member says white willows make excellent windbreaks. He says the white willow makes good fence posts when peeled, cured and treated to prevent decay.

Another man says to plant windbreaks on N. & W. of buildings or orchards. Put in 20 rows and plant them close together and then they will do pretty well if cultivation is neglected after a year or two. Keep the windbreak at least 400 feet from buildings.

Low funds, according to Prof. R. S. Herriek, Hort. Specialist of Ames, Ia., that it pays and pays well to spray well. It costs 22c less per tree to spray 19 year old trees with a power outfit than with a barrel and a hand pump outfit.

Prof. J. C. Whitten, Horticulturalist, Columbia, Mo., says that he has found by a number of years of experimenting that trees may be prevented from winter injury by spraying a good coat of lime all over them until they are white. Good spraying, cultivating and fertilizing helps to prevent winter injury.

State winners in garden and canning club work for boys and girls under State Leader T. A. Erickson gave a very interesting program. One member of the society, by way of showing his appreciation for this work donated a hundred dollars to help the cause next year.

A wonderful patriotic address was delivered by Dr. Burton, President of the University of Minnesota.

Food conservation occupied a prominent part on the program Thursday afternoon. Prof. A. D. Wilson and several other leading persons who have charge of the food situation in Minnesota appeared on the program.

It is planned to hold a meeting of the Kandiyohi County Horticultural Society some time in February. At that time the members at the State meeting will make their report. Prof. R. S. Mackintosh, Hort. Specialist of the University Farm, who is now President of the State Horticultural Society, has promised to be present to address the meeting. He will probably speak on gardening and answer questions regarding horticulture that may be brought up. The committee to investigate a power spray outfit will report at this meeting. A definite date

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C. C. SELVIG,
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REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS

Town of Lake Lillian.

Dec. 10—O. M. Kiser and wife to F. E. Sylvester, lot "C," sec. 33, \$1.00.

Town of Roseland.

Dec. 12—Ole Blomquist and wife to Union Townsite Co., N1-2 of N1-2 of N1-2 of SE1-4, sec. 14, \$2,000.

Town of Willmar.

Dec. 10—Albert J. Johnson to Lars Urdahl, 7-8 a. of SE1-4 of SE1-4, sec. 5, \$40.

Dec. 10—Lars Urdahl to School District No. 48, 7-8 a. of SE1-4 of SE1-4, sec. 5, \$40.

Dec. 15—Henning Oscar Forsberg to John Forsberg, lot 18 of N1-2 of NE1-4 sec. 22, \$500.

Town of Green Lake.

Dec. 12—Probate Court to Mary Tierney et al, W1-2 of SE1-4, sec. 26.

Town of Irving.

Dec. 13—Ernest F. Lundberg and wife to John Peterson, S1-2 of SW1-4, ex. E. 10 a. of SE1-4 of SW1-4, sec. 9, \$1.00.

Town of Burbank.

Dec. 13—Probate Court to Martha H. Gould, SE1-4 of SW1-4, SW1-4 of SE1-4, sec. 15.

Town of Colfax.

Dec. 10—John A. Nelson, Guardian, to Harry T. Nelson, W1-2 of SE1-4, E1-2 of SW1-4, E1-2 of NW1-4, NE1-4, sec. 5, \$14,000.

Dec. 12—Probate Court to M. T. Johnson et al, und. 1-3 of the following: NW1-4 of SE1-4, E1-2 of SW1-4, sec. 10, N1-2 of NE1-4, sec. 15, SW1-4 of NE1-4, SE1-4 of NW1-4 of NE1-4, sec. 28.

Town of Norway Lake.

Dec. 12—Edward Johnson to Amanda Erickson, NW1-4, sec. 17, \$1,000.

—Village of Hawick.

Dec. 14—William E. Schultz, Adm. to Carl Forness, lots 4 and 5, block "A," Welch's Add., \$75.

City of Willmar.

Dec. 10—Axel Johnson to Lena Rose S1-2 of lots 11 and 12, block 4, Paulson & Sande's Add., \$400.

Dec. 11—John Jacobson and son

band and Tina Hand to Carl J. Olson, lot 4, block 5, Hanson's Add., \$1,870.

Dec. 12—Olof A. Ferring to Albert Burkhardt, lot 10, block 8, Ferring's Second Add., \$1.00.

Dec. 13—L. O. Thorpe and A. A. Anderson to Samuel N. Bonham, lots 3 and 4, block 4, lots 5, 6 and 7, block 3, lots 1 to 7 inc., block 6, all in Nursery Add., \$2,500.

Dec. 14—William E. Somerville and wife to Knute E. Berg, part of lot 2, block 1, Thorpe & Lien's Add., \$205.

Dec. 15—Ole H. Eckdahl and wife to P. E. Parson, Lewis A. Eckdahl and Harry L. Eckdahl, S. 14-1-2 feet of lot 5, N. 35-1-2 feet of lot 6, block 44, \$1,500.

Dec. 15—Ole H. Eckdahl and wife to P. E. Parson and Lewis A. Eckdahl, N. 10-1-2 feet of S1-2 of lot 5, block 44, \$315.

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DREAMLAND.

Thursday's program of pictures will include Franklyn Farnum in "Anything Once," a five reel comedy drama in which this popular artist has a most congenial part and makes the most of it. Patrons will enjoy it. A late issue of the Animated Weekly and a one reel comedy will fill out the program.

Friday brings Viola Dana in a five-reel Metro feature and Mr. and Mrs. Drew in one of their inimitable comedies.

The Fox program for Saturday is "The Blue Streak," with Wm. Nigh and Violet Palmer in the star parts. One of the sensational two reel Fox comedies will fill out the program.

Monday (Christmas eve) will bring a particularly appropriate picture under the title "Sadie Goes to Heaven"—an Essanay five-reel feature. One of the popular athletic series pictures will also be shown.

The feature picture selected for Christmas is "The Wild Girl," with Eva Tanguay as the star—a picture that is claimed to be of exceptional merit. There will also be pictures of particular interest to children.

Two of the most notable picture productions of the year will come to Dreamland early in January, viz: "The Bar Sinister," and "The Whip." The first named is in eight reels, with the same cast of actors used in "The Bar Sinister." The picture recently had a week's showing at the Strand in Minneapolis at phenomenal business.

"The Whip" is from the play that had a three years' run in London and two years in New York. Both are States right features.

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