

Prairie Print Makers
Lindsborg Kansas

March 6, 1933

Dear Recipient:

Congratulations! After reviewing a sample of your artwork, it has been decided to offer you membership into the organization of the **Prairie Print Makers**. You will be instated an Active member with the payment of your \$1.00 annual dues.

The goal of this society is to promote the creation and collection of prints by providing affordable artwork using printmaking techniques and selling work at traveling exhibits. It was founded on December 28, 1930 in Lindsborg, Kansas by twelve initial members. Some of the members include artists Coy Avon Seward, Alfred Heber Hutty, Herschel Logan, Lloyd C. Foltz, and John E. Costigan. Our work creates a visual testimony to the well-being of the American heartland and to the importance of beloved landmarks of home. We are working to create a greater understanding and appreciation of art in Kansas and the region and to provide art for the public.

As part of your membership, you are encouraged to submit a print that reflects the familiar theme of the Kansas landscape for the annual Gift Print Competition. The Gift Print is a work of art created by an active member from a **special edition printing** that is sent to the associate members of the organization. This year, we would like to feature a landscape made with **collagraph** or **relief** printmaking techniques.

Sincerely,



Leo A Courtney
President of the Prairie Print Makers