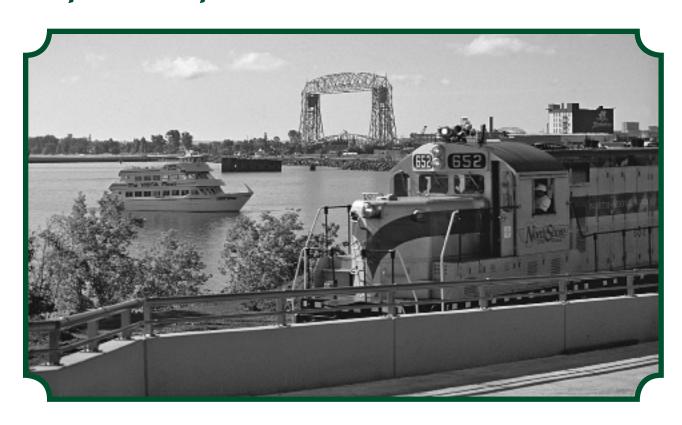
2014 CONVENTION

Make plans to experience Duluth, Minnesota next June!



our 2014 AHCA National Convention will be held in beautiful Duluth, Minnesota. It boasts a great city atmosphere but has the feel that you are not too far from the country. The North Central Region is giving it their all to bring you a convention to remember with a great mix of educational on-farm events, tourist opportunities abound and a line up for the juniors that will keep them talking about their trip for the rest of the summer!

Duluth has been called a crown jewel of Min-

nesota's many precious getaway spots. A favorite source for the wild outdoors, inspiration and down-to-earth goodness on the shores of Lake Superior. For all its natural glory, unique culture and history, Duluth is yours to discover and interpret on your own terms. Like picking rocks along Lake Superior's ancient shores or exploring trails that span every part of the city's expansive outdoor wonderland. Like tasting

your way through restaurants and pubs and shopping the variety of stores, whether they're found along the charming brick-paved walks or as hidden gems off the beaten path. Duluth is a city built on an international harbor where 1,000-foot ships glide into this romantic port under the majestic Aerial Lift Bridge. From museums and train rides to boat tours to ballgames, there's never a shortage of attractions to explore. And with every imaginable kind of music, the arts scene lights up the town, by day and night. All of this is within walking distance,



if not within eyesight of the convention headquarters, The Inn on Lake Superior.

Just a 30 minute drive outside the city you will find a number of great state parks with breath taking views and wonderful water falls. Hiking trails are endless and accommodate the young and old alike. We hope that you take time to make this a true vacation and spend time before and after the actual convention dates to enjoy the region and visit some of the foundation Highland farms we have in the area along with

> some of the newer folds that may show you a different view of raising our breed. But don't take my word for it, talk to any one of the North Central Highland Cattle Association members for more information.

Make your plans today for the 2014 AHCA National Convention June 12-14 in Duluth, Minnesota!