

## **Century Farm Applications**

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Union Grove	- Range 121			
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1.	From whom was the farm purchased? homestead
2.	How many acres were in the original parcel? 80 acres
3.	What was the cost of land per acre? free for 5 years living m it
4.	Where was the first owner born? Marway
5.	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Morway
6.	Was this a homestead?
7.	Did the first owner farm the land? Yes
8.	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?
9.	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use?
0.	When was the present home built? <u>Oct. 1975</u>
1.	What are the farm's major crops or products? Corn, Leans, oat, when
2.	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:  Paperielle Press, Paynesuelle Mn 5836 2
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CENTURY FARMS ST.PAUL, MN 55108

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CENTURY FARM APPLI	CATION	8R
Name of Centennial	Farm owner	Ivan J Anderson
Name(s) to appear	on certificate _	Ivan J. Anderson
	Address	Paynesville, Minn. 56362
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1	. From whom was the farm purchased? Grand atters estate
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11	. What are the farm's major crops or products? Corn - beans
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ST. PAUL, MN 55108

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7. Did the first owner farm the land? Med

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9. Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use?

8. Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?

10. When was the present home built?

11. What are the farm's major crops or products? Coun alfalfa

12. Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:

Related information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)

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RETURN TO:	Karen A. Humphrey Minnesota State Fair St. Paul, Mn. 55108

thank you for your immediate attention.

CENTURY FARM APPL	ICATION	
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ST. PAUL, MN \$51,08 CENTURY FARM APPLICATION Homer C. Barrick Name of Centennial Farm owner Homer C. Barrick Name(s) to appear on certificate Route 1 Hutchinson, Minn. 55350 Address Address of farm, if different from above \_\_\_\_\_\_ Darwin, Minn. \_\_\_ Township Ellsworth Meeker Section 32 County Number of acres in the farm at present 98 Date of original purchase by member of your family July 1, 1861 Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, tax statement) SE% of NE% and Lot 1, Section 32, Township 118 N, Range 30 W., PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF CONTINUOUS FAMILY OWNERSHIP DATES (YEARS) OF BLOOD RELATIONSHIP TO NAME OWNERSHIP NEXT OWNER Vincent P. Kennedy from 7/1/1861 Sept. 20, 1877 Father (owner in 1876 or B4) from Sept 20 to 1877 Dec. 16, 1936 Julia A. Kennedy Grandmother next owner Dec. 16,1936 from to Homer C. Barrick present next owner from to next owner from to next owner from to next owner to next owner The above evidence of continous family ownership of this farm since 1876 is taken from one or more of the following records. DO NOT SEND IN RECORDS, just indicate by check marks those which apply. Abstract of Title (xx) Court file in Registration Land Patent Proceedings Original Deed Other (please explain County Land Record . I HEREBY CERTIFY that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief: (Witness sign fore) lomes C. Barr (Signature of present owner)

7/2/76

Date

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1.	From whom was the farm purchased? U.S. Govt.
	How many acres were in the original parcel? 98 acres
100	What was the cost of land per acre?  Where was the first owner born?  Pennsylvania
	Where was the first owner born? Pennsylvania  Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Indiana
6.	Was this a homestead? Yes
7.	Did the first owner farm the land? No
	Did ne engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?  Dr Kennedy was a physician and surgeon in Litchfield, Minn.,
	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use? The cellar is there.
	Some of the flowers planted by Julia Kennedy are still there, & bloom.
).	When was the present home built?
•	What are the farm's major crops or products? Corn
	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation: Hutchinson Leader, Hutchinson, Minn. 55350

Related information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)

"Little Crow" and two of his Braves held Julia Kennedy Barrick in cellar(which is still on farm as a practical joke until they saw Julia's husband, Nimrod Barrick coming through the woods to his home. In talking to my grandfather, Nimrod Barrick, he said "Little Crow" was a practical joker.

This farm is still occupied by a great-grandaughter of Julia Barrick.

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Name of Centennial	Farm owner	Nimrod Barrick III	Dio
Name(s) to appear		Nimrod Barrick III	
name (8) to appear	on certificate		
	Address	Route 1, Box 132	- Darwin, Minn. 55324
Address of farm, i	f different from	above	
Section 32 & 33	Township Ells	worth C	ounty Meeker
Number of acres in	the farm at pres	sent 166 acres	*
Date of original p	urchase by member	r of your family	July 1, 1861
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#### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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1	. From whom was the farm purchased? U.S.Govt.
2	. How many acres were in the original parcel? 485 acres
3	. What was the cost of land per acre?
4	. Where was the first owner born? Butley Co., Renne 1 100 1400
. 5	. Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? HunCastle, And.
6	. Was this a nomestead?
7	. Did the first owner farm the land? yeu
8	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?  Vincent P. Kennedy was a Medical Doctor. He was the area doctor after Dr. Ripley died.
9	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other criginal buildings, still standing or in use? Still standing but not in use.
	ared Larrier Lil. 22/27/27 Turnam and American
10	When was the present home built? 1949
11	. What are the farm's major crops or products? Corn,oats, soybeans, hay.
12	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:  The Independent Review, Litchfield, Minn. 55355

Related information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)

June 50, 1970

RETURN TO: MN. STATE FAIR CENTURY FARMS ST.PAUL, MN 55108 BLOOD RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION Name of Centennial Farm owner George Name(s) to appear on certificate \_ 7/17\_9 Mys Grove Address Address of farm, if different from above \_\_ Township Danielson County Meetrey Number of acres in the farm at present 197 Acres Date of original purchase by member of your family 1876 Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, tax statement) 4 and SW 4 of 7. % of Section of Jamaskin 118 Warth PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF CONTINUOUS FAMILY OWNERSHIP DATES (YEARS) OF NAME OWNERSHIP from 1876 to 1903 or BA from next owner from / 903 to 1946 LSON next owner from to next owner from /946to 1926 George next owner from to next owner from to next owner The above evidence of continous family ownership of this farm since 1876 is taken from one or more of the following records. DO NOT SEND IN RECORDS, just indicate by check marks those which apply. Abstract of Title Court file in Registration Land Patent Proceedings Original Deed Other (please explain County Land Record I HEREBY CERTIFY that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief: (Witness sign were) present owner) Date June 10,

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1.	From whom was the farm purchased? William Highe
2.	How many acres were in the original parcel? 120 deres
3.	What was the cost of land per acre?
	Where was the first owner born? Denmark
5.	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Grove City, Minn
6.	Was this a homestead?
7.	Did the first owner farm the land? Yes
	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?
9.	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use?
0.	When was the present home built? 1914
1.	What are the farm's major crops or products? Corn Soybeans wheat
2.	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:  Independent Review Litalfield Mar. 55355
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of Grove City prior to purchasing this land so I doubt it would be a home

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		MINNESOTA	
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Number of acres in			
Date of original pu	irchase by member o	of your family 1868	
Legal description o	of the land (from o	deed, abstract, tax statement)	4
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Date August 3,	1976		
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1.	From whom was the farm purchased? IT WAS A HOMESTEAD
2.	How many acres were in the original parcel? 80
3.	What was the cost of land per acre?
4.	Where was the first owner born? NORWAY
5.	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? NORWAY
6.	Was this a homestead? YES
7.	Did the first owner farm the land? YES
8.	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?
	NO
	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use? HOME WAS IN A DUG OUT THE FIRST YEAR. ALOG HOUSE WAS BOILT THE SEROND YEAR. A FRAME HOUSE WAS BOILT IN THE 1870 BR 1880'S. THUS IS STILL IN USE.
10.	When was the present home built?
11.	What are the farm's major crops or products? COW, GATS, WHEAT
12.	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:
Re:	lated information: (please feel free to use additional sheets Olo Oleson or Olion originally came to this place in 1866 - as hunderstand the dugant was made in 187 when the mother and father moved in into two little girls, another child was born in the dugout that December.

## CENTURY FARM APPLICATION

Name of Centennial	Farm owner Mari	ilyn A. Hafstad	
Name(s) to appear	on certificate Lilli	ian A. Nelson, Marilyn Hafst	ad, Carolyn
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il to - Lillian A. Nels	on Address 619 E	ast 2nd. St. Litchfield, Min	in 55355
Address of farm, i	f different from ab	ove Route 1, Atwater, Minn	56209
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Date of original p	urchase by member o	f your family June 1, 187	4
Legal description	of the land (from de	eed, abstract, tax statem	ment)
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PROOF OF 100 YEARS	OF CONTINUOUS FAMIL	YOWNERSHIP	
			Charles II.
NAME	DATES (YEARS) OF OWNERSHIP	BLOOD RELATI NEXT OWNER	ONSHIP TO
Karen K. Madsen	from 1874 to 1879	Mother	Company of
(owner in 1876 or B4)	2000 1 2000		- N - MAN
Emelius Nelson next owner	from 1879 to 1928	Father	
Arthur H. Nelson	from 1928 to 1972	Husband & Father	
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Lillian A. Nelson	from 1972 to 1976	Mother	
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1.	From whom was the farm purchased? United States of America
2.	How many acres were in the original parcel? 80
3.	What was the cost of land per acre?do not know
4.	Where was the first owner born? Luland, Denmark
5.	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Waseca County
6.	Was this a homestead? Yes
7.	Did the first owner farm the land? Yes
8.	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?
9.	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use?  Part of the house is original.
.0.	When was the present home built? Added to the original at different times
1.	What are the farm's major crops or products? Corn, beans, wheat, oats.
2.	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:
	Litchfield Independent Review, Litchfield, Minn. 55355

Related information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)

The Niels Madsen family came to America in 1865. I have a Citizenship Certificate dated March 25, 1867, for Nies Madsen, from Wilton in Waseca County. They came to Danielson Township, Section 8 in 1867. But the first record of land ownership, is the Homestead Certificate signed by U.S. Grant, dated June 1, 1874 to Karen Madsen (wife of Niels Madsen), also the abstract dated the same.

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CENTURY FARM APPLIC	ATION		de/
Name of Centennial	Farm owner He	ndrickson Br	s.
Name(s) to appear o	n certificate	rester ng Ornille	Hendrickson
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Address of farm, if	different from at	oove	( 562)
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2.	How many acres were in the original parcel?
3.	What was the cost of land per acre?
4.	Where was the first owner born? Marway
	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Norway
6.	Was this a homestead? Yes
7.	Did the first owner farm the land?
	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?
9.	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use? One Small Starehouse
	is still in use.
.0.	When was the present home built? $1948$
1.	What are the farm's major crops or products? Corn Sug Bean Alfolfa
.2.	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:
	Saynesville Gress my Letchfield Independent

Information you may be able to add to this form, while not essential

Related information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)

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Date July 23, 1976

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	How many acres were in the original parcel?
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	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm?
	Was this a homestead?
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Belle Algo I'm sure can fill in more information for local history, but desclue to lateness of this information in my sichness con unable to finds and more at the time .

Paynessille, mm. July 2 3, 1976 Dear Sir: I realize the deadline for these app lications were I was 30, I had my blanks, but landed in hispital for 2 weeks with prublemd, so an only now, feeling like making out the papers, after g elling our old lails a papers out of sofe deposit boy. If 5'm to late 5'el understool. my dushand hal a strake bys. ago a loss his speech a use of his right hand and rision is So) arred so Can't aline. Due Hall this all the Auseness has to be done them me. in fact that it darders the old Indian trail followed

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· Danded degg lives was built that some year 1897 This story was written by our sister - in . law Jella Hegg she was write of Slaye degg brusher of Dened Higg. Hoyd Digg passed away just one year ago & sella Alego is living at the Immans Home in Titchfreed, mim. Think this writing answers must of the questions on back of the application form. you may contact Bella Glegg at & morand Arme, Sitchfeld, In im. 5-35-3-

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Names to appear on 1976 Certificate Rubben Lund

ADDRESS Show City, Frimm

FIRST YEAR OF OPERATION BY THE FAMILY 1857

PLEASE RETURN THIS BY AUGUST 17, so we may fill out the certificate for you to have ready on September 4. The sign the FARMER Magazine is giving you will be mailed after the State Fair.

PLEASE MAIL THE ENCLOSED APPLICATION BLANK SEPERATELY or bring it with you to the Fair. The information on this sheet is most important for fairtime.

RETURN TO:

Karen A. Humphrey Minnesota State Fair St. Paul, Mn. 55108

thank you for your immediate attention.

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Date 6/29/76

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Name of Centennial	Farm owner F	ank F.	+ Mar	y Ann	Marshall
Name(s) to appear of	on certificate	Frank F.	+ Mai	y Ann	Marshall
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Address of farm, if				to Asir A	
Section <u>33</u>	_ Township 2	man De	one	County 2	neelser
Number of acres in	the farm at pr	resent		15.8	
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### ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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1.	From whom was the farm purchased? Thomas Kinnidy
2.	How many acres were in the original parcel? 160 Acres
3.	What was the cost of land per acre? 14.50 N 3 N ho N 3
	Where was the first owner born? Brimfield, Mass.
	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Prior Lake, Minn
6.	Was this a homestead? N.e.
7.	Did the first owner farm the land? V+5
	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?
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9.	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use? $No$
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10.	When was the present home built? 1974
11.	What are the farm's major crops or products? Hogs, Covn, Soybeans
	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:
	Litchfield Independent Beview
	Litchfield, Minnesota 55355
Re	lated information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)

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I HEREBY CERTIFY that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief:

(Witness sign here)

(Signature of present owner)

Date June 29, 1976

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1.	From whom was the farm purchased? Jacker
	How many acres were in the original parcel? 80 acres
	What was the cost of land per acre? #8000
4.	Where was the first owner born? Norwsy
5.	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Misconsin
6.	Was this a homestead?
7.	Did the first owner farm the land? yes
	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?
9.	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use?
ίΟ.	When was the present home built?
11.	What are the farm's major crops or products?
12.	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:  the Littlfield Independent Review

Related information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)

RETURN TO: MN. STATE FAIR CENTURY FARMS

ST. PAUL, MN 55108 CENTURY FARM APPLICATION Name of Centennial Farm owner NORBERT AND ROSELI Name(s) to appear on certificate NORBERT AND RO Address Address of farm, if different from above Section 15 Township HYDE PARK County WABASHA. Number of acres in the farm at present 250Date of original purchase by member of your family (Miguel 10, 1859 Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, tax statement) We of NE's NE's of NE's, No of SWa. all in section 15, Twp 109, Range 13. PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF CONTINUOUS FAMILY OWNERSHIP DATES (YEARS) OF BLOOD RELATIONSHIP TO NAME OWNERSHIP NEXT OWNER EDMUND RILEY from/859 to 1876 (owner in 1876 or B4) from/876 to/911 JOHN RILEY next owner from/921 to 1913 RILEY EDWARD next owner WILLIAMG. RILEY from/923 to 1938 next owner from/938 to ORBERT C. RILEY JON EDWARD ARE next owner MING, JOINTLY. from to next owner from next owner The above evidence of continous family ownership of this farm since 1876 is taken from one or more of the following records. DO NOT SEND IN RECORDS, just indicate by check marks those which apply. Abstract of Title ( Court file in Registration Land Patent Proceedings Original Deed Other (please explain County Land Record I HEREBY CERTIFY that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief: Guner of Sec . State Bank a (Witness sign here) dwner)

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1. From whom was the farm purchased? James & Merson (SOLDIER) WHO WAS GIVEN THE LAND BY THE FEDERAL GOVERNMENT.  2. How many acres were in the original parcel? 80
3. What was the cost of land per acre? 2.50 peal acre
4. Where was the first owner born? Edmund - County Oork Incland
5. Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm?
6. Was this a homestead? Yes.
7. Did the first owner farm the land? Yes
8. Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?  **Motor: The state of the sta
9. Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use?
no.
10. When was the present home built? Early 1800 plus additions 1899
11. What are the farm's major crops or products? Corn, octs, hay - Cettle
12. Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:
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or Lake City Graphic or Plainview news.
Related information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)
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1.	From whom was the farm purchased? patert from U.S.
2.	How many acres were in the original parcel? 80
3.	What was the cost of land per acre?
4.	Where was the first owner born? New York
5.	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? \(\limits\).
6.	Was this a homestead? (Les)
	Did the first owner farm the land?
8.	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?
9.	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use?
0.	When was the present home built? 1951
	What are the farm's major crops or products? Com bland, vals
2.	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:  Stellfield Independent & Itch field, Mm. 55355 Review

Related information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)

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## CENTURY FARM APPLICATION

Name of Centennial	Farm ownerAr	cthur and Marie West
Name(s) to appear of		West and Gon't Montana KV
	Address	Box 101 - Darwin, Minn.
Address of farm, if	f different from a	above
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Section 10	Township	118 County Mee Kep
Number of acres in	the farm at prese	ent
Date of original pu	irchase by member	of your family 1876
Legal description o	of the land (from	deed, abstract, tax statement)
. Stay SI	W/4 Section	10, Township 118 North
D		Range 30 West
PROOF OF 100 YEARS		MILY OWNERSHIP
NAME JOHN MARTENS	OWNERSHIP	NEXT OWNER
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next owner Martens	from 1916 to 1947	, , , ,
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Date <u>6-22-1</u>	16 Mecki	
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1.	From whom was the farm purchased?
2.	How many acres were in the original parcel?
	What was the cost of land per acre? Romesteaded
	Where was the first owner born? Yermany
	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm?
6.	Was this a homestead? Yes
	Did the first owner farm the land? yes
8.	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? ${\mathcal N}_{\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!\!$
	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use?
10.	When was the present home built? 1906
11.	What are the farm's major crops or products? grain - dairy and beef cattle
12.	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:  Independent Review - Litelyield, Min. 55355

Related information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)
John Mertens died at the age of only 39 of a ruptured appendix. His son rode to Litchfield for a veterinarian for help (no Dr. available) but he died before he could be helped. He was the first man (person) to be interred in the Elloworth cemetery. It was not unusual to see many indeans in the area at that time.

He planted 6 maple trees along the driveway (at that time) of the building site...of which one still stands.

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CENTURY FARM APPLIC		SC	/ ST.PAUL, MN 55108
Name of Centennial	Farm owner	Burton P	ThoRp
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concerning	the t	farm	and th	e area	arour	nd it.			

1.	From whom was the farm purchased? HomesTeaded
2.	How many acres were in the original parcel? 80 acres
3.	What was the cost of land per acre?
4.	Where was the first owner born? Norway
5.	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Redwing, Minn.
	Was this a homestead? <u>Ves</u>
	Did the first owner farm the land? <u>Ves</u>
	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? $Iai'lok$
9.	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use? Grangry
10.	When was the present home built?
11.	What are the farm's major crops or products? Corn, Beans, Wheat.
	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:
	The Litchfield Independent Review Litch Field, Minn. 5535
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	We are Sure That our son, Richard, will
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	will be the 4th generation to own it.

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	What was the cost of land per acre? \$37.1934 \$110.1949
4.	Where was the first owner born? <u>Jurnary</u>
	Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Murmany
6.	Was this a homestead? 40 acres homestead remainder purchase from the gout, at 2.50 PER ACRE  Did the first owner farm the land?
7.	Did the first owner farm the land?
8.	Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?
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9.	Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use?
	When was the present home built?about 1894
11.	What are the farm's major crops or products? Carn beans dairying
12.	Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:
	Sitchfield Independent
Re.	lated information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)

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ADDRESS_	Sh. 3. Selekfield, 11 fin
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	CENTURY FARM APPLIC			
	Name of Centennial	Farm owner Le	o Vossed	
			Leo Vossen	
			Watkins Minn. 55389	
	Address of farm, if			
	Section 10	Township 121, Fo	inest Prairie County Meeker	
	Number of acres in	the farm at prese	nt 16.0-80 Acres	
	Date of original po	urchase by member	of your family June 10, 1874	
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Land Values
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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION " # 41,094 06 - Est. Market Value To day Estimated
to Century Farm certification, will be most valuable to future his- torians. The questions below are offered only as a guide, so please
feel free to add any other data, especially family or pioneer stories concerning the farm and the area around it.
1. From whom was the farm purchased? Homestead
2. How many acres were in the original parcel? 80 Acres
3. What was the cost of land per acre? \$\frac{\pi}{8.56} \frac{\textit{Pen Acres}}{\text{Acres}}
4. Where was the first owner born? Holland
5. Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm?
6. Was this a homestead? Ves
7. Did the first owner farm the land? 145
8. Did he engage in any trades or occupations other than farming?
9. Is the original home, or any portion of it or other original buildings, still standing or in use? Log Hog Bara IS Where
John R Vossen Was Born In. (My Fathen)
O. When was the present home built? 1912
1. What are the farm's major crops or products? Corn + djo 4 Hogs
2. Local newspaper to be notified of Century Farm designation:  The Patro The Patriot (Watkin, Minn) 55389
Related information: (please feel free to use additional sheets of paper)
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