



Century Farm Applications

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER MARILYN (DANIELSON) BRENNER & JOHN W. BRENNER
NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

ELMER O. DANIELSON FARM

ADDRESS 1472 WOODS LINE DR. CHIPPEWA FALLS WISCONSIN 54729
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (715) 726-1860

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE RT.#2, RENVILLE, MINNESOTA 56284

SECTION 1 TOWNSHIP 114 COUNTY RENVILLE
36 115

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 140 ACRES ✓

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY APRIL 20, 1893 ✓

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) NE 1/4
OF NE 1/4 SEC.1, TWP 114 RGE 37 & E 1/2 OF SE 1/4 (Exc.Lot 1) SEC. 36 TWP 115 RGE 37

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
<i>first owner</i> LEWIS & MINNIE DANIELSON	1893--1931	FATHER & MOTHER OF:- JOSEPHINE, THORE, LUELLA, & ELMER
<i>next owner</i> LEWIS Danielson JOSEPHINE, THORE, LUELLA, & ELMER	1893--1948 1931--1948	FATHER BROTHER & SISTERS OF ELMER
<i>next owner</i> ELMER DANIELSON	1931--1983	HUSBAND OF ALEEN FATHER OF MARILYN
<i>next owner</i> ALEEN DANIELSON MARILYN DANIELSON BRENNER	1983--1984 1983--1985	MOTHER OF MARILYN WIFE OF JOHN W. BRENNER
<i>next owner</i> MARILYN DANIELSON BRENNER JOHN W. BRENNER	1985--PRESENT	

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(X) Abstract of Title (X) Court file in Registration Proceedings
() Land Patent () County Land Record
() Original Deed () Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Marilyn Danielson Brenner
John W. Brenner
(signature of present owner)

JUNE 21, 1993
(date)

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ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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St. Paul, MN 55108-3099
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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Roger + Bonnie Hanson

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

HARLEY HANSON - Roger + Bonnie HANSON

ADDRESS 1696 CARL ST. ST. PAUL MN 55113
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 644-0238

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE FAIRFAX MN 55113

SECTION 32 TOWNSHIP 112-32 CAIRO COUNTY RENVILLE

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 120

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 11-1-1892

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

SEC - 32 - TWP - 112 RANGE 32 W 3/4 of SW-4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>HENRY HANSON</u>	<u>11-1-1892 - 7-20-46</u>	<u>FATHER OF HARLEY</u>
next owner <u>HARLEY + ELLA HANSON</u>	<u>7-20-46 - 7-8-88</u>	<u>FATHER of Roger</u>
next owner <u>Roger + Bonnie HANSON</u>	<u>7-8-88 Present</u>	
next owner		
next owner		

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Roger Hanson Bonnie Hanson
(signature of present owner)

7-14-93
(date)

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER ARCHIE & ELMORA RICE

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

ARCHIE and ELMORA RICE

ADDRESS RT 1, BOX 135 HECTOR MINNESOTA 55342
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 848-6494

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 26 TOWNSHIP 115 COUNTY RENVILLE

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 80 ✓

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1891 ✓

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

SECTION 26 Twp 115 (MELVILLE) RANGE 33

E 2 of SW 4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner KNUTE CHRISTENSEN	1891 - 1907	FATHER OF ALTON CHRISTENSEN
next owner ALTON CHRISTENSEN & WIFE MARTHA	1907 - 1971	ALTON CHRISTENSEN - FATHER ELMORA CHRISTENSEN LWELLA CHRISTENSEN
next owner MARTHA CHRISTENSEN ELMORA CHRISTENSEN - RICE LWELLA CHRISTENSEN - HELEN	1971 - 1984	
next owner ELMORA CHRISTENSEN - RICE LWELLA CHRISTENSEN - HELEN	1984 - 1986	
next owner ELMORA RICE ARCHIE RICE	1986 - PRESENT	

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Elmora Rice - Archie Rice
(signature of present owner)

June 24, 1993
(date)

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ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: EDIBLE BEANS

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Wesley and Dorothy Rieke

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Wesley and Dorothy Rieke

ADDRESS RR 1 Box 150 Fairfax. MN 55332-9754
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 426-7560

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 26 TOWNSHIP Cairo COUNTY Renville

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1889

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

W $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ (80 acres bought in 1889) .40 acres added in 1895

another 40 acres added in 1906

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Victor Daniel Rieke	1889 - 1943	father
next owner Clarence and Mildred Rieke	1943 - 1972	father
next owner Wesley and Dorothy Rieke	1972 - present	father
next owner		
next owner		

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Wesley Rieke

(signature of present owner)

6/1/93

(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? _____

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL?_____

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE?_____

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN?_____

DID HE FARM THE LAND? _____

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING?

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? _____

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE?_____

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT?_____

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS?_____

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER DONNA Mecklenburg, Wilma Johnson, Stephen Schneider
NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Schneider Farms

ADDRESS Box 36 Norwood MN 55368
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 467-3506

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE RT 1 Renville, MN 56284

SECTION 25 TOWNSHIP ERIKSON COUNTY RENVILLE

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY FEB 25, 1893

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

S.W. 1/4 Section 25 Township 116 Range 37

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>August Schneider</u>	<u>1893-1907</u>	<u>Father</u>
next owner <u>William Schneider</u>	<u>1907-1939</u>	<u>FATHER</u>
next owner <u>Arthur Schneider</u>	<u>1939-1974</u>	<u>FATHER</u>
next owner <u>DONNA Mecklenburg</u> <u>WILMA Johnson</u> <u>Stephen Schneider</u>	<u>1974- Present</u>	
next owner		

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() Land Patent () County Land Record
(☒) Original Deed () Other _____

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Stephen Schneider
(signature of present owner)

June 7, 1993
(date)

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St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Eugene T. & Marlene E. Ytterboe

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Eugene T. & Marlene E. Ytterboe

ADDRESS 111 Sunset Dr. St James MN. 56081-1303
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 375-5757

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE R#1 Bird Island MN. 55310

SECTION 8 TOWNSHIP Palmyra 114 COUNTY Renville Co

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 120 ✓

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Feb 1, 1888 ✓

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

~~NOTED ON 8/20/89~~
S 1/2 OF SE 1/4 & NE 1/4 OF SE 1/4 OF Sec 8 Twp 114 R3033

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Thyke Ytterboe</u>	<u>Feb 1 1888-1902</u>	<u>Husband of Gundild</u>
next owner <u>Gundild Ytterboe</u> <u>Thyke Ytterboe</u>	<u>1902 - 1952</u>	<u>Mother & Father of Gundild & Agnes</u>
next owner <u>Gundild Ytterboe</u> <u>Agnes Ytterboe</u>	<u>1952- 1954</u>	<u>Sisters of Theodore Sisters in Law of Marie</u>
next owner <u>Theodore Ytterboe</u> <u>Marie Ytterboe</u>	<u>1954 - 1967</u>	<u>Father & Mother of Eugene & Father & Mother in Law of Marlene</u>
next owner <u>Marlene Ytterboe</u> <u>Eugene Ytterboe</u>	<u>1967 Present</u>	

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() Land Patent () County Land Record
(X) Original Deed () Other _____

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Eugene T. Ytterboe / Marlene E. Ytterboe Feb 5, 1993
(signature of present owner) (date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? State of minn Apr 1867 to H. Egnerson then to my grand father - Thyke Ytterboe & Gunhild Ytterboe who were parents of 10 children.

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 120 Acres

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? 1867 - \$200 total. 1888 - total of \$140 - we think

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Norway - (Telemark)

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING?

Was Co. Commissioner and one of founders of Palmyra Norwegian Evangelical Church.

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? No.

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? No

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? about 1900

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn - Soybeans

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: In 1902 1 acre of the farm (North) was surveyed and Plotted as a lot to be known as "School house site District #46". This building was 26' x 36' and used as a country school until 1951 or 1952. Consolidation of the school resulted in students to be sent to Bird Island Public School. The land and school building went back to the farm. The school house was moved to the farm building site and remodeled inside as a granery. It presently is used to store grain.

A sales man once asked thyke Ytterboe how many children he had. He said "4 and a half dozen." (10). 3 of thyke's sons enlisted in W.W.I. one was killed in France in battle. Eugene Ytterboe is grandson of thyke Ytterboe.

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER

ALVIN J. CHLAN

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

ALVIN J. CHLAN

ADDRESS

7630 LEROY AVENUE

(street)

NEW PRAGUE, MN

(city)

(state)

56071

(zip)

PHONE NUMBER

area code (507) 744-2177

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

7520 LEROY AVENUE, NEW PRAGUE

SECTION

30

TOWNSHIP

12-22 (WISCONSIN)

COUNTY

RICE

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT

98.11

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY

1880

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

SEE ATTACHED

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner FRANK CHLAN FRANK KUNG, AKA FRANK CHLAN	2-20-1880 TO 1-14-1897	GREAT GRAND FATHER
next owner FRANK CHLAN JR.	1-14-1897 TO 12-37-1939	GRAND FATHER
next owner LOUIS L. CHLAN	12-37-1939 TO 5-27-1988	UNCLE
next owner ELBAND M. CHLAN	5-27-1988 TO 11-26-1990 5-7-1990	AUNT
next owner ALVIN J. CHLAN	11-26-1990 TO PRESENT	PRESENT OWNER

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(X) Abstract of Title

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() Land Patent

() County Land Record

() Original Deed

() Other

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Alvin J. Chlan

(signature of present owner)

4-5-93

(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? ANDREW THOMPSON - THOMAS THOMPSON

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 160 ACRES

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$ 20 PER ACRE

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? CZECHOSLOVAKIA

DID HE FARM THE LAND? YES

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? NO

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? YES

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? yes - LOG BARN STILL IN USE

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1913

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? ALFALFA, OATS, CORN, WHEAT,

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: SOYBEANS

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PLEASE RETURN BY JULY 15

Individual Personal Representative
to Individual (s)

No delinquent taxes; certificate of real estate value received; and transfer entered

on November 29, 19 90

Domine Nelson

County Auditor

by DM Deputy

COUNTY RECORDER
OFFICE OF RICE CO., MINN.

351582

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE WITHIN INSTRUMENT WAS
FILED IN THIS OFFICE FOR RECORD ON THE 29
DAY OF Nov A. D. 19 90, AT 10:54
O'CLOCK AM IS, AND WAS DULY RECORDED IN
BOOK 358 OF Deeds PAGE 121
Ralph Brown COUNTY RECORDER
M. Juman DEPUTY

STATE DEED TAX DUE HEREON:\$ 277.20

Date: NOVEMBER 26, 19 90

(reserved for recording data)

FOR VALUABLE CONSIDERATION, Alvin J. Chlan

, Grantor,

as Personal Representative of the Estate of Eleanor M. Chlan

Decedent, single ☒, married ☐ at the time of death, hereby conveys to Alvin J. Chlan

, Grantee(s), real property in Rice

County, Minnesota, described as follows:

South Half (S½) of Northwest Quarter (NW¼) and West Two (2) Acres of North Half (N½) of Northeast Quarter (NE¼), all in Section Thirty (30), Township One Hundred Twelve (112), North, of Range Twenty Two (22) West, containing 78.11 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof.

AND ALSO

The North Half (N½) of the Southwest Quarter (SW¼) of Northeast Quarter (NE¼) of Section Thirty (30), Township One Hundred Twelve (112) North, Range Twenty-two (22) West.

(if more space is needed, continue on back)

together with all hereditaments and appurtenances belonging thereto.

FOR COUNTY DEED TAX

277.20

NO. 3104 DATE 11-29-90

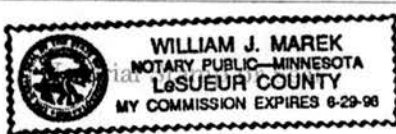
STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF LE SUEUR

ss.

Alvin J. Chlan
Alvin J. Chlan

The foregoing instrument was acknowledged before me this 26th day of NOVEMBER, 19 90,
by Alvin J. Chlan, as Personal Representative of the Estate of
Eleanor M. Chlan, Decedent.



William J. Marek
Notary Public

, SPOUSE OF DECEDENT, CONSENTS TO THIS DEED.

Name of Spouse

STATE OF MINNESOTA

COUNTY OF

ss.

Signature of Spouse

Additional Comments;

I would like to mention **that** the house on this farm is still being used. It was built new in 1913. However the original house is not here since 1913 This was when my Grandpa built a new house on this farm.

The log barn on this farm is one of the most remarkable things. As far as I know it is the only one of a few that is left in the country. It is standing nicely yet. I believe it is the largest one, ~~also~~ as it is 123 feet long and about 22 feet wide. It is truly something to see. It wonders me how it can still be standing after all these years as the wood has never been painted and it is still good. ~~this~~ building was built in the early 1800's. I still use it to store some hay, straw, and some smaller machinery. Up to 1988 this barn was still used for chickens as one part was used for chickens. Another part separate from this was used for dairy cows and the last part was used to store my Grandpas horses. He was well known around this area for his good work horses. He used to raise horses and sell them to other people throughout the state and some even went to neighboring states.

I thought this would be interesting to some people. Thank you for your time.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER ALVIN J. CHLAN

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

ALVIN J. CHLAN AND ALICE CHLAN, HUSBAND AND WIFE

ADDRESS 7630 LEROY AVENUE NEW PRAGUE, MN 56071
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 744-2177

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE SAME AS ABOVE

SECTION 30 TOWNSHIP 112-22 (WHEATLAND) COUNTY RICE

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 100 ACRES ✓

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1880 ✓

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

SEE ATTACHED

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>FRANK CHLAN</u> <u>FRANK KUNG AKA FRANK CHLAN</u>	<u>2-20-1880 TO 9-13-1883</u>	<u>GREAT GRANDFATHER</u>
next owner <u>CHLAN</u> <u>THOMAS KUNG AKA CHLAN</u>	<u>9-13-1883 TO 3-3-1896</u>	<u>GREAT UNCLE</u>
next owner <u>ALICE CHLAN</u> <u>MARY - AGNES</u> <u>LOUISE AKA WIGGANS CHLAN</u> <u>THOMAS CHLAN</u>	<u>3-3-1896 TO 5-4-1907</u>	<u>GREAT AUNT AND</u> <u>HAD 3 SONS & 2 DAUGHTERS</u>
next owner <u>FRANK J. CHLAN</u>	<u>5-4-1907 TO 12-7-1933</u>	<u>GRAND FATHER</u>
next owner <u>JOSEPH F. CHLAN</u>	<u>12-7-1933 TO 3-20-1974</u>	<u>FATHER</u>

ALVIN J. CHLAN 3-20-1974 TO PRESENT CURRENT OWNER

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Alvin J. Chlan

(signature of present owner)

4-5-93

(date)

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HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 160 ACRES

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? * 20 PER ACRE

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? CZECHOSLOVAKIA

DID HE FARM THE LAND? YES

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? NO

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? ORIGINAL ^{CHANG} HOUSE WAS NOT ON THIS LAND

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? .

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? PORTION BUILT PRIOR TO 1880

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? WHEAT, OATS, CORN, SOY BEANS,

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: ALFALFA

HOUSE EXTENSIVELY REMODELED IN 1940'S & EARLY 1950'S

Alice
Alvin, ~~Alison~~
& Timothy
Chlan

PUT THESE NAMES
ON CERTIFICATE

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No. 65

JOSEPH F. CHLAN,
A SINGLE PERSON

TO WARRANTY DEED

ALVIN J. CHLAN

DATED MARCH 20, 1974

FILED MARCH 21, 1974 AT 1:00 P.M.

RECORDED IN BOOK 266 OF DEEDS PAGES
3-4.

\$1.00 FOR: THE E $\frac{1}{2}$ OF THE SW $\frac{1}{4}$ AND THE
W $\frac{1}{2}$ OF SW $\frac{1}{4}$ OF THE SE $\frac{1}{4}$, SEC 30, TWP 112,
RGE 22, RICE COUNTY, MINNESOTA.

\$ 110.00, STATE DEED TAX PAID.

ACKNOWLEDGED MARCH 20, 1974 BY JOSEPH
F. CHLAN, A SINGLE PERSON, BEFORE
HARRY CHRISTIAN, NOTARY PUBLIC,
LESUEUR COUNTY, MINNESOTA. NOTARIAL
SEAL.

2 Signs
1 cert.

This farm I lived on a
in the 1800's. We live
built on this farm whe
In the early 1900's t
In between now the lo
house is cooler in the
We were told by severa
house. Thank you for your time,

. The house here was built
the first house that was
all logs in the walls.
and plaster in the inside.
on yet too. It seems like our
on't even use an air conditioner.
e was at one time a log

Yours Truly
Alvin J. Chlan

Mead ERASABLE

25% cotton fibre content

This farm I lived on all the years and still live here now. The house here was built in the 1800's. We live in it presently. I believe it was the first house that was built on this farm when it was homesteaded. There are still logs in the walls. In the early 1900's there was siding put on the outside and plaster in the inside. In between now the logs still are and are in good condition yet too. It seems like our house is cooler in the summer than our friends. In fact we don't even use an air conditioner. We were told by several people that it's because our house was at one time a log house. Thank you for your time!

Yours Truly
Alvin J. Chlan

Meed ERASABLE

25% cotton fibre content

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER GERALD AND MARY CLELAND

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

GERALD AND MARY CLELAND

ADDRESS 8313 Chester Ave. NORTHFIELD MN. 55057
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 652-2275

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 34 TOWNSHIP WEBSTER COUNTY Rice

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 80

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Nov. 8, 1888

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

the SW 1/4 OF the NE 1/4 AND the NW 1/4 OF the SE 1/4 OF
Sec. 34 Twp 112 N Rge 21 W

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner		
<u>G.M. AND LUCY TAYLOR</u>	<u>1888 - 1929</u>	<u>PARENTS</u>
next owner		
<u>IRVING TAYLOR</u>	<u>1929 - 1942</u>	<u>HUSBAND</u>
next owner		
<u>MYRTLE TAYLOR</u>	<u>1942 - 1957</u>	<u>AUNT</u>
next owner		
<u>ANDREW CLELAND</u>	<u>1957 - 1992</u>	<u>FATHER</u>
next owner		
<u>GERALD + MARY CLELAND</u>	<u>1992 -</u>	

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Gerald Cleland
(signature of present owner)

4-26-93
(date)

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Lloyd R Kispert

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Same

ADDRESS 1281 420 st Nerstrand MN 55053
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 789-5376

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Same

SECTION _____ TOWNSHIP _____ COUNTY Rice

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 157

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1892 ✓

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) The

EAST half (E 1/2) of the Southwest quarter (SW 1/4) of Section Eight (8) in Township

ONE hundred ten (110) North, of range eighteen (18) west of the FIFTH principal Meridian,
in the County of Goodhue and State of Minnesota

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Signed Twig <u>Phillip J. Jevig</u>	<u>Dec 1 1892 - Dec 1 1892</u>	<u>FATHER IN LAW of John E</u>
next owner <u>John E. Kispert</u>	<u>Dec 1 - 1892 - MAY 22 - 1957</u>	<u>SON IN LAW of Phillip Jevig</u>
next owner <u>John P.M. Kispert</u>	<u>MAY 22 - 1957 - July 6 - 1977</u>	<u>FATHER - of John P.M.</u>
next owner <u>Lloyd R. Kispert</u>	<u>July 6 - 1977 - Present</u>	<u>SON of John P.M.</u>
next owner		

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Lloyd Kispert
(signature of present owner)

4-1-93
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? John C. Lachalt

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? ~~40~~ 80

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$75

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany

DID HE FARM THE LAND? ~~Yes~~ yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? No

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? No

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? ~~Yes~~ No But house was here in

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1892

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Dairy

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: John E. Kispert did custom Threshing with a steamer & lost his shirt

John P.M. Kispert now 94 has lived here all his life
Good singer, drove tractor til he was 87 when he had
a stroke

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Bertha Kolsrud Thompson

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Bertha Thompson

ADDRESS RR #2 Box 135 Hills MN 56138-9723
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 962-3391

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Same

SECTION 16 TOWNSHIP Martin COUNTY Rock

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 200

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Nov 5, 1884

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

E 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Section 16, Twshp 101, Range 46
W 1/2 of SE 1/4 " " " "
SE 40 acres of SE 1/4 of " " " "

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner	School section	
State of MN	June 1, 1878 - June 3, 1884	
next owner		
G. Anderson		
Arund Haarererson		
next owner		
Lars O. Kolsrud	Nov 5, 1884 - April 28, 1922	Father of Nels
next owner		
Nels Kolsrud	April 28, 1922 - Sept. 1970	Father of Bertha
next owner		
Bertha Kolsrud Thompson	Sept 1970 - present	

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Bertha Thompson
(signature of present owner)

May 14, 1993
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? _____

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? _____

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? _____

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Norway

DID HE FARM THE LAND? _____

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? _____

no

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? no Section 16 was school section

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? _____

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1912

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? corn and soybeans

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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Abstract of Title to the South West Quarter of

Section

No.	GRANTORS	GRANTEES	INSTRUMENT	Consideration	DATE OF INSTRUMENT			WHEN FILED			WHERE RECORDED			
					Month	Day	Year	Month	Day	Year	HOURS A. M. P. M.			Book
1.	State of Minnesota	S. Anderson	State of Minnesota Certificate	\$960.00	June	1	1878	June	13	1879	2:45	Mid A.	375	South
2.	S. Anderson	Eric Anderson	Assignment of State of Minnesota Certificate		June	13	1879	June	13	1879	2:45	A.	377	South
3.	Eric Anderson & husband	Lars O. Kolsrud & Amund Haaverson	"	\$884.00	June	3	1884	June	3	1884	3:15	B	319	South
4.	Amund Haaverson & wife	Lars O. Kolsrud	L. O. Deed	\$900.00	Nov.	5	1884	Nov.	6	1884	8:00	Deeds S.	565	East 1/4
5.	Lars O. Kolsrud & wife	Amund Haaverson	"	\$900.00	Nov.	5	1884	Nov.	6	1884	8:10	"	566	West 1/4
6.	Amund Haaverson & wife	Sioux City & Northern Railroad Co.	Right of Way Deed	\$350.00	Aug.	17	1884	April	18	1894	10:10	Signs R.	249	A strip of land
7.	Lars O. Kolsrud & wife	Sioux City & Northern Railroad Co.	"	\$60.00	Aug.	19	1884	April	18	1894	10:15	"	251	A strip of land
8.	State of Minnesota	Lars O. Kolsrud	Patent		May	27	1894	June	23	1894	1:15	Deeds S.	351	East 1/4
9.	State of Minnesota	Amund Haaverson	Patent		May	3	1894	June	28	1894	2:40	"	352	West 1/4
10.	Lars O. Kolsrud & wife	Hills Building & Loan Association	Mortgage	\$7000.00	July	24	1901	Aug.	5	1901	5:50	11	83	East 1/4
11.	Hills Building & Loan Association by J. K. Knight, President and J. N. Jacobson, Secretary. Corporate seal affixed.	Lars O. Kolsrud and wife	Satisfaction	Full Payment	July	30	1903	July	30	1903	2:15	Mtgs 26	113	Satisfied
12.	Lars O. Kolsrud wife - Mary	H. O. Enger	Mortgage	\$5000.00	March	3	1913	Mar.	12	1913	11:00	Mtgs 29	419	East 1/4 of
13.	H. O. Enger	Lars O. Kolsrud and wife	Satisfaction	Full Payment	Mar	24	1920	June	27	1922	4:35	281	443	Satisfied
14.	Lars O. Kolsrud wife - Mary	Nels Kolsrud	Mar. Deed	\$100	April	28	1922	Dec.	28	1922	2:25	17	61	East 1/4 of
15.	Nels Kolsrud wife - Luga	Lars O. Kolsrud	Mortgage	10,440.	Dec.	23	1922	Dec.	28	1922	2:50	Mtgs 304	73	E. 1/4 of S. 1/4
16.	Lars O. Kolsrud	Nels Kolsrud and wife	Satisfaction	Full Payment	Nov.	14	1931	Nov.	23	1931	9:05	43	125	Satisfied
17.	Nels Kolsrud wife - Luga	Lars O. Kolsrud	Second Mortgage	\$15,000	Dec.	9	1924	Dec.	11	1924	1:30	36	279	E. 1/4 of S. 1/4
18.	Lars O. Kolsrud	Nels Kolsrud and wife	Satisfaction	Full Payment	Oct.	14	1925	Oct.	15	1925	9:10	38	15	Satisfied

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER LESTER A. WIESE

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Lester A. Wiese

ADDRESS RR. 1 Box 41 Magnolia minn. 56158
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 967-2415

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Ellsworth minn 56129

SECTION 23 TOWNSHIP Kanaranzi ^{Range 44 West 5th P.M.} 101 COUNTY Rock

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160 ✓

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Sept. 25, 1891 ✓

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

5 1/2 of 5 1/2 Section 23 101-44

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
<u>PETER WIESE</u> first owner		
<u>PETER WIESE</u>	<u>1891-1897</u>	<u>Husband</u>
<u>Christine Wiese</u> next owner	<u>1897-1901</u>	<u>Mother</u>
<u>Emiel Wiese</u> next owner	<u>1901-1936</u>	<u>Father</u>
<u>Herbert O. Wiese</u> next owner	<u>1936-1986</u>	<u>Husband</u>
<u>Amelia Wiese</u> next owner	<u>1986-1992</u>	<u>Nephew</u>

LESTER Wiese 1992-Present

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Lester Wiese
(signature of present owner)

June 8, 1993
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Henry J. Ulrich

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 160

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$18.00 per Acre Total 2880.00

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany

DID HE FARM THE LAND? No

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? Owner & Operator of a Saloon in Mt. Joy, Near Waukegan, Scott County, Iowa

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? No

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL

BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? Still Standing, in good Repair, Used by present Tenant

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? About 1892, the year of my Grandparents marriage

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn, Soybeans, Alfalfa hay, Some oats.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

Not only is the house still standing and in good repair but the Barn, hoghouse, Cattle shed, Machine shed etc. are all being used as a General Grain and livestock active farm which is being rented by the Gene Rosenberg family and they do a decent sized dairy operation as well.

As you notice the farm is divided differently than most and I was told it used to be a complete half section but it was divided at one time so that each quarter would get some of the better laying land (the west end) and some of the poorer land (the East end which laid near the Kanasaw River.)

An interesting sidelight told to me by my Grandfather Emil Wiese was that as a boy, or young man, in his father's Peter's back that he served or waited upon Buffalo Bill of Pioneer fame.

My Grandparents Emil & Emma Wiese raised a total of 11 children on this farm from 1892 until 1910. All were born on the farm including one set of twins, five girls and 6 boys. After they retired in 1926 when Son Herbert took over the farm they

moved to Luverne to a very reserved retirement, living to the good age of

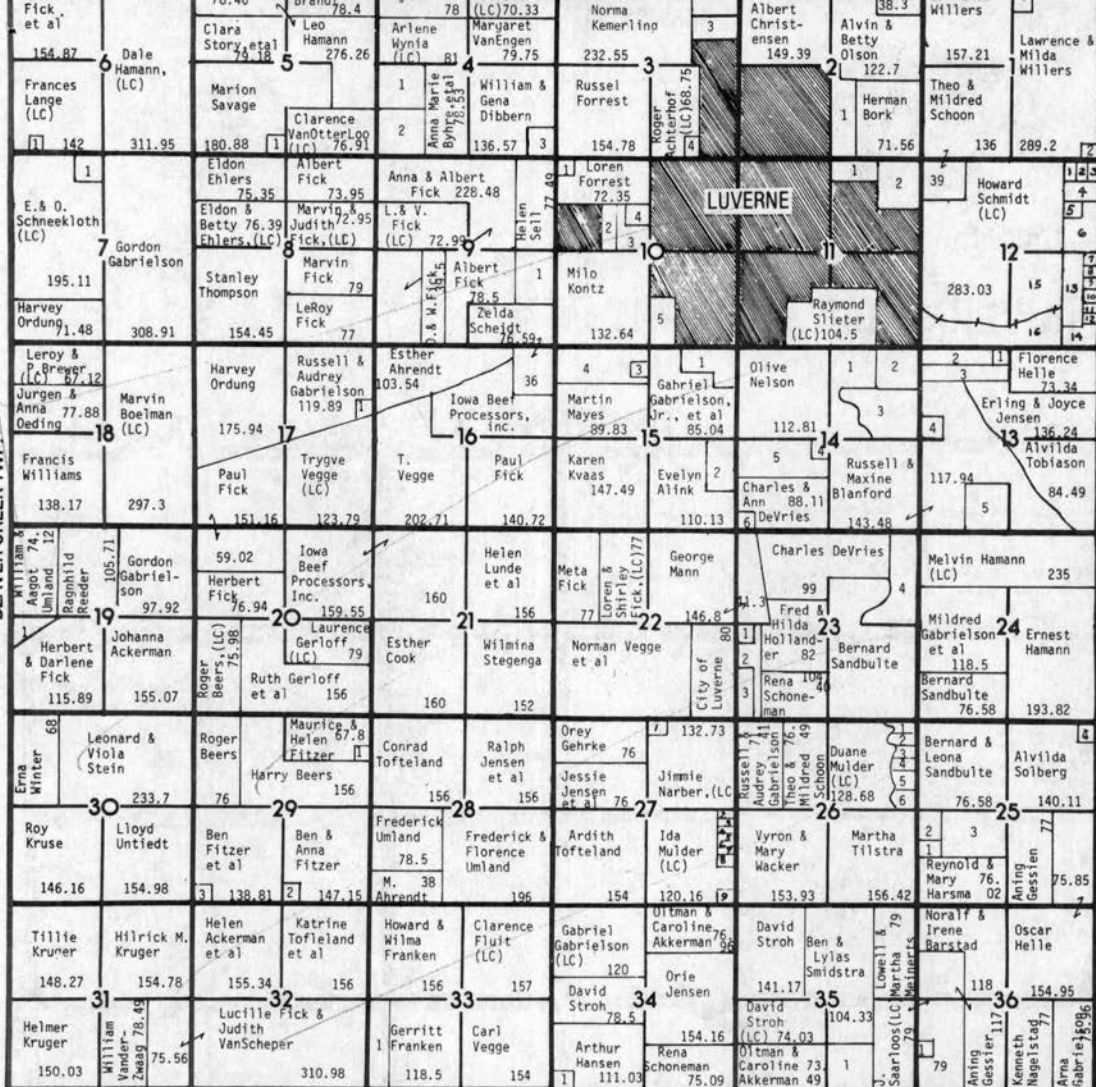
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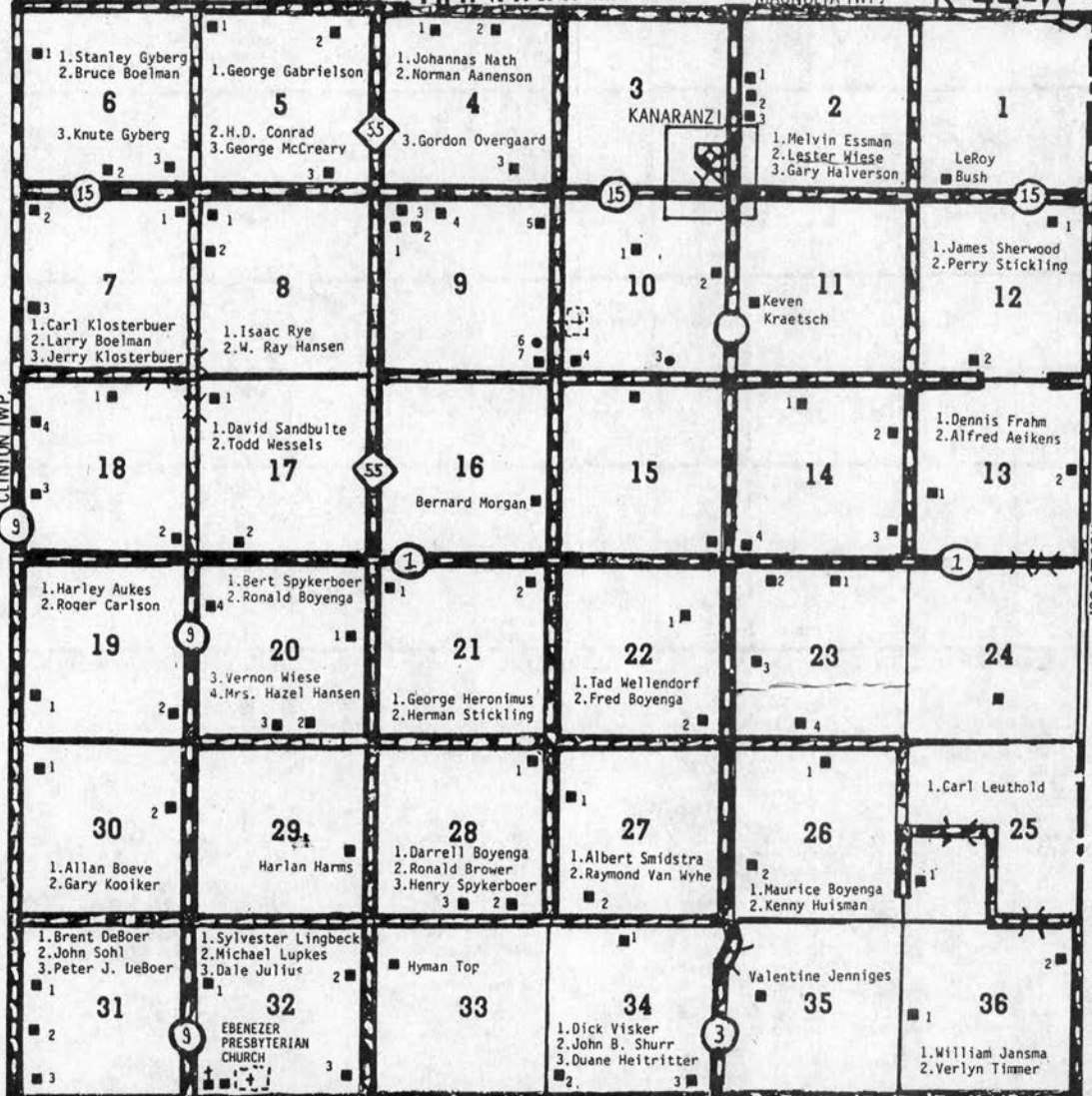
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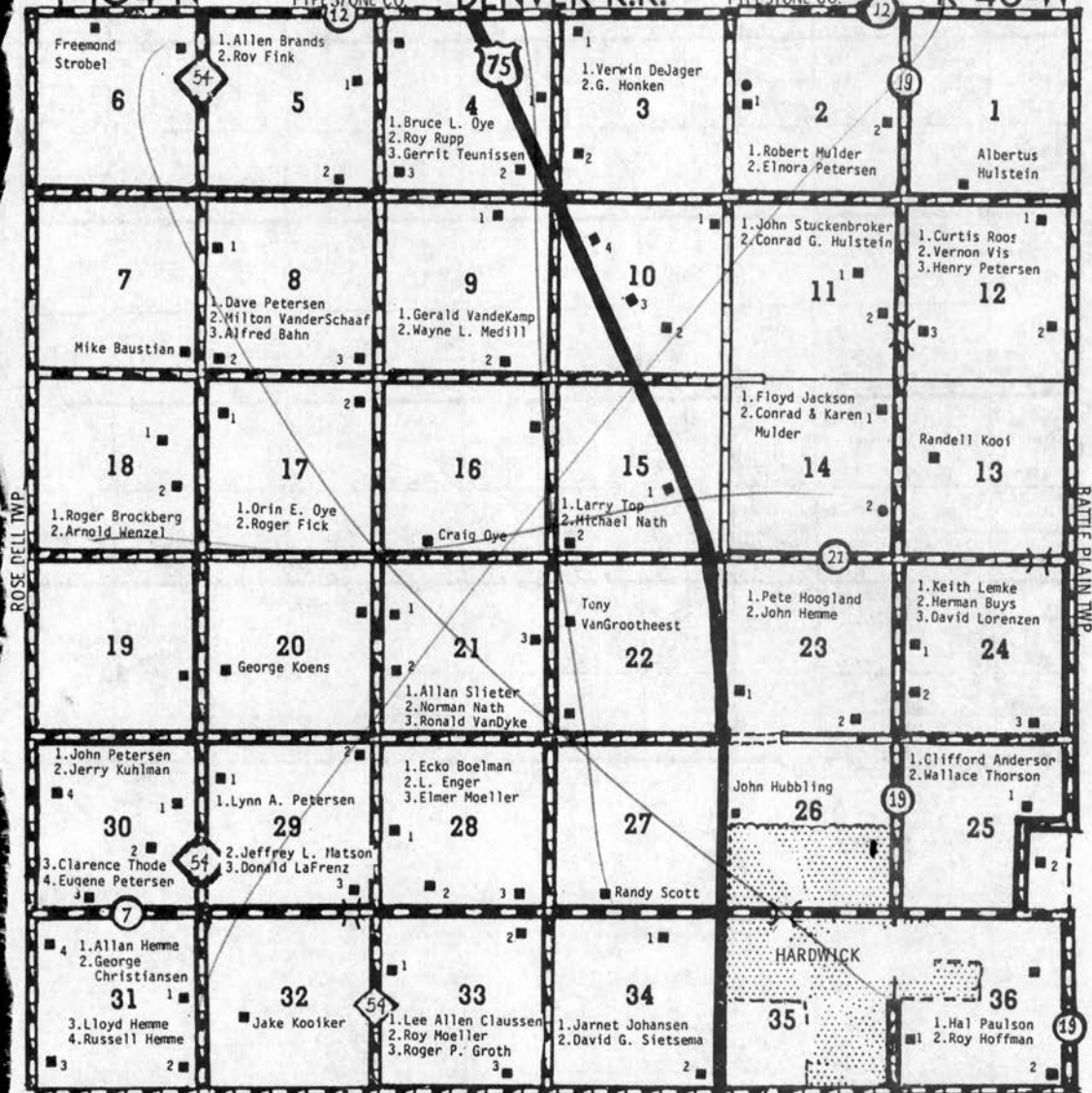
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Irene & Stanley Gyberg 73.94	Mabel Gyberg 151.14	George & Ann Gabrielson 77 Gabrielson 95.62 Engvald 58.58	Josephine Conrad 95.62	Oscar & Lorraine Overgaard (LC) 149.84	Lucile Keay et al 153.36	Mary Brooks	Hattie Wiese et al 150.99	Carrie Meyer 153	Mary Brooks (TR)
Eilert & Luella Williamson 154.6	Knute Gyberg 156	O. (LC) 39.5 Overgaard (LC) 75.86	Lois Tofteland (LC) 154.79	Ray Wheatley et al 154.6	Gordon & Mabel Overgaard 155.1	John & Gloria Pagnan 154.69	Lester A. Wiese 151.56	Donald Wiese 154.94	Leroy Bush 154.71
Jennie Boelman 75.5	Carl & Marg Klosterboer (LC) 75.93	Clara Wacker 74.97	Ilida Tofteland et al 75.5	Oscar & Lorraine Overgaard 154.84	Gurine Meyer et al 156	Cecelia Zoellner et al 154.85	Alan Johnson 154.16	Mary Brooks 1935 (TR)	James Sherrywood 75.94
Cornelia Boelman 81.5	Henrietta Klosterboer et al	Lavonne Hanson 79	Ragna Rudjord et al 78.48	Abraham & Anna Oydna 156.96	Kim & Kathleen Kimmel (LC) 156	James Leuthold (LC) 154	Meta Matthiesen et al 155	Floyd & Mary Kraetsch (LC) 155.30	Leona & Jerome Matthieson 156.4
Jerry Klosterboer (LC) 158.14	John Wacker 78	Edith Wacker 68	Aagot Umund 78.48	Oscar Overgaard 76.49	Betty Jean Leuthold (LC) 77	Don & Vera Larson 156	Larry & Roberta Matress (LC) 156	Severt & M. VanBerkel (LC) 151.47	Meta Matthiesen et al 79
Elmer Drost 158.69	Lawrence & Einar Hansen et al 156	Mathilda Winter 158.67	Walter Tofteland 76.49	Clara & Irene Lenz 154.98	Phyllis Heronimus 79	Philip Lamb 156	Loren Meyer 155.71	Herman & Jolinn Kramer (LC) 154.92	Dennis & Connie Frahm (LC) 158
Frances Drost 61.75	Viola Klosterbuer 156	Onna Klosterbuer 79	Bert Spykerboer 154.98	Mildred Klosterbuer 154.98	Bernard Morgan 156	Philip Lamb 156	Loren Meyer 155.71	Herman & Jolinn Kramer (LC) 154.92	Dennis & Connie Frahm (LC) 158
Gary Drost 78.43	Harley D. Aukes 19	Hazel Hanson 155.04	Bert Spykerboer 156	George Heronimus 312	Herman Sticking 156	Farmers State Bank of Kanaranzi 163.9	Calvin Boyenga 153.49	Stanley Wessels (LC) 157.03	Nick DeGroot (LC) 308.02
Ella Meester et al 148.29	Loren Wiese 56.02	Vernon Wiese 98.75	Ronald & Anita Boyenga (LC) 79	David Boyenga (LC) 158	Evelyn Sticking 156	Ernest Boyenga 116.5	Fred Boyenga 194.48	Clifford Schilling (LC) Herbert Wiese 155	Pauline Rogers 316
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Betty Luethje 159.12	Harold & Marion Soehl 155.11	Harlan & Shirley Harms 156	Henry Spykerboer 158	Henry Spykerboer 158	Raymond Vankyhe, (LC) 311.21	Grace & Helen Meyer et al 156.24	Grace & Helen Meyer et al 156.24	Arthur Leuthold et al (LC) 155	Edna Reiter 79
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Peter & Jane DeBoer 77.43	Fred Kuper 74.65								

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Gary & Jean Halverson,
81 A
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1. Trygve Tobiason, 4.26 A
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1. Wilfred Winter & Edith Boysen, 12 A
SMALL LOT OWNERS
Isak Rye, 1 A
SECTION 12
1. Wayne Domeyer, 5 A
SECTION 13
1. D. & C. Frahm, (LC) 44A

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1. Bryon Peters, 6.84 A
SECTION 27
1. Bert Smidstra, 36.16 A
2. Albertha Smidstra, (LC) 40.84 A
SECTION 29
1. Ronald Boyenga, 38.38 A
SECTION 31
1. Herbert Buus, 4.65 A
SECTION 33
1. Dale & Douglas Kuper,

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Burdell D. Willers

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

Burdell D. Willers

ADDRESS RR1 Box 90A Beaver Creek Minn 56116
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 673-2491

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE SAME

SECTION 33 TOWNSHIP Beaver Creek COUNTY Rock

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Nov. 26, 1889

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

NE 1/4 - Sec 33 Twp 102 N. Range 46 W. of 5th P.M.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
<u>Bought Nov. 26-1889</u> first owner	<u>1889-1927</u> <u>Fr. Joseph Willers</u>	<u>Father</u>
<u>Nov. 27-1927</u> next owner	<u>1927-1964</u> <u>Alex J. Willers</u>	<u>Father</u>
<u>Aug. 10-1964</u> next owner	<u>1964-Present</u> <u>Burdell D. Willers</u>	<u>Present owner</u>
<u>to</u> next owner		
<u>Present time</u> next owner		
	<u>SORRY FOR</u>	<u>MIX-UP ON LINES</u>

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Burdell D. Willers

(signature of present owner)

7-9-93

(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? John Manz Nov 26-1889
HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 160#
WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$2,700 Total 160 A.
WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany
DID HE FARM THE LAND? Yes
DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? No
WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? No
IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? No
WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1968
WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? CORN- soybeans
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER

JULIA C. JOHNSON

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

MRS. OSCAR H. (JULIA) JOHNSON

ADDRESS STAR ROUTE 5 ROSEAU MN 56751
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (218) 463-1632

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

SECTION 11 TOWNSHIP ROSS (162) COUNTY ROSEAU

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 480

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY JULY 6, 1893

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

SOUTH EAST QUARTER OF SECTION 11 IN TOWNSHIP 162 OF RANGE 41
WEST OF THE 5TH MERIDIAN IN MINNESOTA CONTAINING 162 ACRES.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner ANDREW F. JOHNSON	1893 - 1931	FATHER OF OSCAR
next owner OSCAR H. JOHNSON	1931 - 1980	HUSBAND TO JULIA
next owner JULIA C. JOHNSON	1980 - PRESENT	
next owner HARVEY / DARVIN JOHNSON		
next owner		

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(X) Abstract of Title (X) Court file in Registration Proceedings
(X) Land Patent (X) County Land Record
(X) Original Deed () Other

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Loren Craig Johnson for Julia C. Johnson
(signature of present owner)

1/10/93
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? U.S. LAND OFFICE IN CROOKSTON, MN

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 160 ACRES

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$14 FOR 160 ACRES

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? SILLERUD, VARMLAND, SWEDEN

DID HE FARM THE LAND? YES

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? NO

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? YES

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? YES -- HOUSE, BARN, SHED, GRANERY
16x16 16x20 10x10 10x14

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? ABOUT 1900

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? BARLEY/WHEAT/SUNFLOWERS

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

THE FARM IS BEING FARMED BY JULIA'S TWO SONS, HARVEY & ~~DAVID~~ DARVIN. A ~~DAUGHTER~~ DAUGHTER LIVES WITH JULIA. ALREADY SOME 4TH GENERATION FAMILY MEMBERS ARE CHOOSING TO LIVE ON THE LAND -- THE HOMESTEAD DEFINATELY HAS A SENTIMENTAL VALUE TO ALL FAMILY MEMBERS BECAUSE IT IS STILL "HOME" EVEN WHEN YOU'RE LIVING MILES AWAY --

P.S. IT IS ASSUMED ANDREW BUILT A SMALL LOG HOUSE FIRST IN 1893. HE MUST HAVE HAD TO DO LABOR AWAY FROM THE FARM AS HE MET HIS FUTURE WIFE WHILE WORKING FOR A HOTEL OWNER A FEW COUNTIES AWAY. WHEN THEY MARRIED IN NOV. 1895 -- THEY CAME TO ROSS TOWNSHIP. ~~HE~~ FOUR SONS & THREE DAUGHTERS WERE BORN TO THIS UNION ON THE HOMESTEAD.

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Dear Century Farms:

Recently I sent in an application for the Century Farm recognition for my Grandmother's farm. They sent her a letter informing a plaque would be sent to her in August. Since we are having a family farm centennial reunion in July, we called to see if we could get it earlier for all the relatives to see. My aunt called and said that it would have to be requested on the application course had already be sent in.

How can we get this done or is this request good enough to file another application

Could you please be so kind to letter and inform us as to what we should do next and how in time for the reunion?

The application was sent in for the farm owned by JULIA JOHNSON and homesteaded by ANDREW F. JOHNSON on July 6, 1893 in Ross Township, Roseau County, Minnesota.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Loren Johnson

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Dear Century Farms:

Recently I sent in an application for the Century Farm recognition for my Grandmother's farm. They sent her a letter informing a plaque would be sent to her in August. Since we are having a family farm centennial reunion in July, we called to see if we could get the plaque a little earlier for all the relatives to see. My aunt called and asked this and the person said that it would have to be requested on the application form--which of course had already be sent in.

How can we get this done for our reunion? Must we file another application form or is this request good enough.

Could you please be so kind as to answer this letter and inform us as to what we should do next and how we can get the plaque in time for the reunion? The application was sent in January and pertained to the farm owned by JULIA JOHNSON and homesteaded by ANDREW F. JOHNSON on July 6, 1893 in Ross Township, Roseau County, Minnesota.

Thank you for your assistance.

Sincerely,

Loren Johnson

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Marvin Sticha

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

Marvin and LuAnn Sticha

ADDRESS 27801 Zachary Ave ELKO MN 55020
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 652-2287

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Same

SECTION 36 TOWNSHIP Cedar Lake COUNTY Scott

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 70

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1877

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

Section 36 Township 113 Range 22 West 70 W 1/2
SW 1/4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Anton Sticha</u>	<u>1877 - 1880</u>	<u>Joseph</u> <u>Father of Anton</u>
next owner <u>Joseph Sticha</u>	<u>1880 - 1913</u>	<u>Charles</u> <u>Father of Joseph</u>
next owner <u>Charles Sticha</u>	<u>1913 - 1949</u>	<u>Father of Joseph</u>
next owner <u>Joseph Sticha</u>	<u>1949 - 1978</u>	<u>Father of Marvin</u>
next owner <u>Marvin Sticha</u>	<u>1978 - Present</u>	

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Marvin Sticha
(signature of present owner)

6-25-93
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? James Blake

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 80

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? 675.00 for 80 acres

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Czech

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? ?

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? Yes

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? Old chicken house - not sure.

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1944

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn, soybeans, hay, milk.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER William J. Wagner

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Same

ADDRESS 50 - Todd St. Box 74 New Market MN. 55054
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 461-2431

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE 112.44

SECTION 28-29-20-21 TOWNSHIP New Market COUNTY Scott

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 112.44

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1863

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

(29 113 21 20 E 1/4 NE 1/4 NE 1/4) 28 113 21 NW 1/4 NW 1/4 SEC 21 113-21 SW 1/4 SW 1/4
TOWNSHIP 113 RANGE 21 SCOTT COUNTY MN. - SEC 20 113 21 SE 1/4 SE 1/4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Thomas Knutson</u>	<u>Apr. 1, 1859-1863</u>	<u>Homesteader (None)</u>
next owner <u>Peter Wagner</u>	<u>7-4-1863-3-1-1910</u>	<u>Matt's Father</u>
next owner <u>Matt Wagner</u>	<u>3-1-1910-1-3-1956</u>	<u>Father of William</u>
next owner <u>William Wagner</u>	<u>1-3-96 to present</u>	
next owner		

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William J. Wagner
(signature of present owner)

July 12 1993
(date)

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ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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SHERBURNE COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY
CENTURY HOME - CENTURY FARM APPLICATION

PRESENT CENTURY HOME - FARM OWNER Angela Goenner
NAMES AS YOU WISH THEM TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Angela Goenner
NAME OF ORIGINAL HOME - FARM OWNER Joseph Goenner
(this name will appear on sign)
ADDRESS 4576 77th STR Clear Lake MN 55319
(street) (city) (state) (zip)
SECTION 3 and 4 TOWNSHIP Clear Lake COUNTY SHERBURNE
NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE HOME - FARM AT PRESENT 605
DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Feb 23 - 1882

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) The South East Quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the South East Quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Number Four (4), the South West Quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the South West Quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) and the Westerly Eleven (11) acres of the South East Quarter ($\frac{1}{4}$) of the said South West Quarter of Section No Three (3) all in Township North Thirty-four (34) North of Range Number Thirty (30), Sherburne County, Minnesota.

NAME OF APPLICANT Angela Goenner
ADDRESS OF APPLICANT 4576 - 77th STR Clear Lake MN
Phone Number: 612-743-2566

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

NAME	YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO	BLOOD RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER
<u>JOSEPH GOENNER</u> First Owner	<u>1882 - 1931</u>	<u>Husband</u>
<u>MARY GOENNER</u> Next Owner	<u>1931 - 1947</u>	<u>Mother</u>
<u>ERNEST GOENNER</u> Next Owner	<u>1947 - 1991</u>	<u>Husband</u>
<u>Angela Goenner</u> Next Owner	<u>1991 - Present Time</u>	

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Signature: Angela Goenner Date: 7/8/92 (OVER)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE HOME - FARM PURCHASED? Anton Imholte

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 91 acres

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$4.50

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Cincinnati, Ohio

DID HE FARM THE LAND? Yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? No

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? No

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? Yes

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1946

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? CORN, soybeans, Hay

oats, potatoes, Beef cattle

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

* Notes from Conversation w Angela Goerner @10/193 -

A 1/2 way house on the military road, located on ^{5-acre} property in Section , was which
Joseph Goerner traded another portion of land for in 1900, was moved and
attached to the original Goerner house . The 1/2 way house was attached prior
to Ernest's birth. A portion of the original Goerner house and attached
1/2 way house are still present on Goerner farm.

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Sherburne County Historical Society
13122 First Street
Becker, MN 55308
261-4550 253-6623 441-1880 263-6699

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May 6, 1994

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Attention: Ken Giannini

Dear Mr. Giannini:

Enclosed is the Century Farm application for the Goenner Farm in Sherburne County. The farm was enrolled in the Historical Society's Century Farm Program in July 1993.

Should we receive more applications before the July 1 deadline, we will consider holding a presentation ceremony at the County Fair. Thanks for your assistance and please call if you have questions.

Sincerely,



Kurt K. Kragness
Executive Director

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Enc.

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Lester + Helen Hyttsten

NAMES AS YOU WISH THEM TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Lester + Helen Hyttsten

NAME OF ORIGINAL FARM OWNER ANDREW A. HYTTSEN

(this name will appear on sign)

ADDRESS 9989 145 Ave. Becker MINN. 55308
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 261 4782

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 20 TOWNSHIP Becker COUNTY Sherburne

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 274.87

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1892

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Section 20 Township 34 Range 28

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner		FATHER
<u>Andrew A. Hyttsten</u> next owner	<u>1892</u> - <u>1932</u>	<u>Grand parents</u>
<u>Wela M. Hyttsten</u> next owner	<u>1932</u> - <u>1957</u>	<u>Father</u>
<u>Lester Hyttsten</u> next owner	<u>1957</u> -	<u>Son</u>
next owner		

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Lester Hyttsten
(signature of present owner)

June 7, 1973
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? HENRY and MAGGIE ALEXANDER

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 80

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$7.50

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? HUSA JENTLAND SWEDEN

DID HE FARM THE LAND? YES

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? NO

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? NO

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? NO

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1960

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? NO

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: NO

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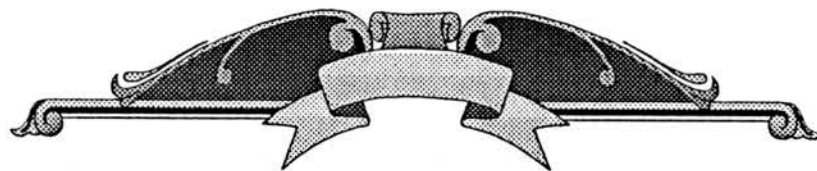
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In April of 1960 Lester and Helen started building a house to replace the old Hyttsten house. This was completed the following Christmas. Helen started working for the U.S. Postal Service in January 1970.

They have three children, David born December 18, 1951, Joyce born April 26, 1955 and Della born March 29, 1960. David married Dianne Adams June 5, 1975 and has a photography studio (Davids Photography) in Monticello. They have three children, Daniel 17, Naomi 14 and John 8. Joyce married Ken Herbranson November 18, 1978 and sews custom drapes, they live in Battle Lake. They have three girls, Anna 11, Carrie 9, and Molly 4. Della married Calvin Anderson November 17, 1984 and is a homemaker and part time secretary. They live in Paynesville. They have two children, Mark 2-1/2 and Matthew 2 months.

Esther had a fatal heart attack on March 23, 1981, just one month before her 87th birthday. Lester is semi-retired and has lived on the home farm for 73 years. The farm has been in the Hyttsten name for 102 years.

Bulletin courtesy of
Sherburne County Historical Society

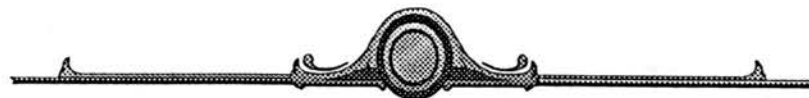


Sherburne County Historical Society

Century Farm Dedication

Hyttsten Farm

Dedication Day
August 27, 1994
12:00 Noon



HISTORY OF HYTTSTEN'S FARM

Andrew J. Hyttsten was born March 18, 1849 in Husa Jentland Sweden. Anna Maria Johansdotter was born September 3, 1851. They were married June 30, 1878 and had five children when they emigrated to the United States in 1891. Their children were: John 13, Andrew 11, Nels 8, Henry 5-1/2 and Mary 3. Linda was born four years later in Becker.

Andrew had heard of mining in Pennsylvania and had hoped of getting work there. He had worked in copper mines in Sweden but to his disappointment the Pennsylvania mines were coal, so they continued on to Minnesota. Andrew and his family located on a 120 acre farm four miles northeast of Becker, currently the Lester Hyttsten farm.

John, their oldest son went on to school until he heard of the homestead rights in northern Minnesota. At that time he settled in Little Fork, Minnesota. He was a lay preacher and would walk many miles to have prayer meetings with the lumberjacks. Henry and Andrew worked for the Great Northern Railroad in North Dakota. Mary and Linda were elementary school teachers in the Becker area. Nels stayed and farmed with his father.

On October 7, 1922 Andrew J. was stricken with

paralysis and passed away. On February 23, 1924 Anna Marie died.

Nels married a neighbor girl, Esther Johnson on August 30, 1918. They had three sons, Lester born December 22, 1920, Mark born February 5, 1924 and a son who died at birth in 1930. They had hard times in the 30's when the depression came. Suffering from drouth, wind, sandstorms, and poor crops they left for Oregon with hopes of finding work. There were also hard times there so they returned to Becker. This farm consisted of dairy, poultry, hogs and of course horses to do their work. Nels worked out on the road to earn money. He was paid partly with wheat so he could feed his stock.

Lester and Mark went to Germantown school for elementary and Becker for high school. After school Lester continued to farm with his father.

Lester married Helen Henry January 20, 1951. At this time Nels bought a house and moved it into Becker. He drove out to the farm each day to help with the farm chores until he became ill and died a short time later on March 1, 1957. In 1952 Lester bought the Thomas Anderson estate and in 1964 he bought the Robert Haberman farm as it joined the Hyttsten farm.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Catherine Bessel

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

Catherine Bessel

ADDRESS Rt 2 Box 191 Le Sueur MN 56058
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 248 3317

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Same

SECTION 23 TOWNSHIP Henderson COUNTY Sibley

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 128.33

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Oct 5, 1882

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

NW 1/4 of SE 1/4 + SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 - 80 acres

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Claus Bessel	Oct 5 - 1882 - 1917	Father
next owner Henry Bessel	to Nov 21, 1917 to 1959	Son
next owner Catherine Bessel	Henry Died 4-2-59 willed to wife	Wife of Henry
next owner		
next owner		

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Catherine Bessel July 8, 1993
(signature of present owner) (date)

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ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER James Young

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

James Everett Young

ADDRESS RR 1 Box 190 Winthrop Minnesota 55396
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 237-2181

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE N/A

SECTION 23 TOWNSHIP Alfsborg COUNTY Sibley

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1892

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$; SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$; SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$

23-112N-29W

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
<i>first owner</i> Per Nelson Per Nelson	1892 1927 1897 1927	Father of Hulda Young " " " "
<i>next owner</i> Hannah Nelson & Hulda J. Young	1927 1952	<i>Grandmother of Paul Young</i> Wife of Oscar Young Mother of Paul Young
<i>next owner</i> Oscar A. & Paul Young	1952 1966	Father
<i>next owner</i> Paul Young	1966 1980	Father
<i>next owner</i> James E. & Carol L. Young	1980 Present	

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James Young
(signature of present owner)

7-18-93
(date)

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER John + Darlene Fuchs

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

John + Darlene FuchsADDRESS 32671 Co. Rd. 32 Paynesville Mn. 56362
(street) (city) (state) (zip)PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 243-3268

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 11 TOWNSHIP Lake Henry COUNTY StearnsNUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 205 ✓DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1892 ✓

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

Section 11 twp 123 range 33 E 2NW4 + NW4NW4 + W2NE4
+ W1/8SE4NE4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Quirin Fuchs</u>	<u>1892 - 1910</u>	<u>Father of John</u>
next owner <u>John B. Fuchs</u>	<u>1910 - 19⁵³</u>	<u>Father of Lester</u>
next owner <u>Lester W. Fuchs</u>	<u>1953 - 1981</u>	<u>Father of John</u>
next owner <u>John L. Fuchs</u>	<u>1981 - present</u>	

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John L. Fuchs
(signature of present owner)

11-21-92
(date)

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Raymond and Kathleen Jonas Jr.
NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Raymond and Kathleen
Jonas Jr.

ADDRESS 29865 Co. Rd. 10 Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 845-4289

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE same

SECTION 18 TOWNSHIP Farming COUNTY Stearns

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 126

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Aug. 23, 1893

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

Low Lots 3, 4, 5, and 6 all in Sec. 18 T. 124, R. 31

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner John Jonas	1893 to 1935	Grandfather Father of Norbert
next owner Norbert Jonas	1935 to 1960	Brother Brother of Katherine
next owner Katherine Jonas	1960 to 1966	Sister Sister of Katherine
next owner Raymond Jonas	1966 to present	Nephew Nephew of Katherine
next owner		

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(X) Abstract of Title () Court file in Registration Proceedings
() Land Patent () County Land Record
() Original Deed () Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Raymond J. Jonas Jr.
(signature of present owner)

July 11, 1993
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Peter and Catherine Schmitt

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 160

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$22

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? no

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? no

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? Smoke House - Log

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1971

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? corn & alfalfa

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Katherine Jonas was born on this farm July 15, 1894. She lived all her life on this farm. She died July 22, 1987 in the same house she was born in.

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PLEASE RETURN BY JULY 15

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER William Lieser

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE ~~William Lieser~~

Bill & Bev Lieser

ADDRESS 36795 240th St Belgrade Mn 56312
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 243-4467

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 18 TOWNSHIP Lake Henry COUNTY Stearns

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1990

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

Sec 18 Twp 123 Range 33

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner MICHAEL LIESER	1890 - 1893	FATHER of MATHIAS
next owner MATHIAS LIESER	1893 - 1938	Son of MATHIAS
next owner MATHEW LIESER	1938 - 1940	Son of MATHIAS
next owner EDWARD LIESER	1940 - 1970	BROTHER of MATHEW
next owner LUVERNE LIESER	1970 - 1975	Nephew of EDWARD

WILLIAM LIESER 1975 - Present Son of LUVERNE

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() Land Patent () County Land Record
() Original Deed () Other _____

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Bill Lieser
(signature of present owner)

1-30-73
(date)

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER JEROME, GAYLA ORBECK

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

JEROME E. & GAYLA R. ORBECK

ADDRESS 29603 SAUK VALLEY ROAD PAYNESVILLE MN. 56362
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 548 3428

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE SAME

SECTION 32 TOWNSHIP ST. MARTIN COUNTY STEARNS

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 236 ✓

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY DEC 1882 ✓

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

W 1/2 OF S.E. 1/4 SEC 32 TOWNSHIP 124 RANGE 32

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner JOHN SCHULTE ORBECK	DEC 1882	GREAT GRANDFATHER
MARIA SCHULTE ORBECK	FEB 25 1911	GREAT GRANDMOTHER
next owner SON & DAUGHTERS OF MARIA SCHULTE ORBECK	MARCH 22 1932	DAUGHTER OF MARIA SCHULTE ORBECK
next owner BERNARD ORBECK	DEC 1 1933	SON OF MARIA SCHULTE ORBECK
next owner JOHN B ORBECK ANITA ORBECK	SEPT 15 1950	NEPHEW OF BERNARD ORBECK
next owner JEROME ORBECK GAYLA ORBECK	JAN 15 1988	SON OF JOHN & ANITA ORBECK ✓

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() Land Patent () County Land Record
() Original Deed () Other _____

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Jerome Orbeck
(signature of present owner)

JUNE 17, 93
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? JOHN + ANITA ORBECK

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 80

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? _____

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? GERMANY

DID HE FARM THE LAND? YES

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? _____

NO
WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? 1861

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? SMALL HOG BARN MAYBE

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1990

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? CORN, OATS, SOYBEANS

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: ALFALFA

THE ADDITIONAL 160 ACRES WERE
PURCHASED BY BERNARD ORBECK IN
1918 AUG 1

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER

Denis and Emily
Schneider

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

Denis and Emily Schneider

ADDRESS

35123 Co. Rd 13 Melrose MN 56352
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER

area code (612) 256-7193

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

SECTION

16

TOWNSHIP

Grove

COUNTY

Stearns

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT

140

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY

1893

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

E 1/2 SE 1/4 SW 1/4, and S 1/2 of the SE 1/4 and 1/4 SE 1/4
Sec. 16 Twp. 125 Range 33

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Henry Schneider</u>	<u>1893 to 1929</u>	<u>Father of George</u>
next owner <u>George Schneider</u>	<u>1929 to 1963</u>	<u>Father of Denis</u>
next owner <u>Denis Schneider</u>	<u>1963 to Present</u>	
next owner		
next owner		

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(X) Abstract of Title

() Court file in Registration Proceedings

() Land Patent

() County Land Record

() Original Deed

() Other

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Denis Schneider

(signature of present owner)

July 12, 1993

(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Peter Zens
HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 140
WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$30.00
WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany
DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes
DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? No

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? yes
IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? No
WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1909
WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn, Oats, Alfalfa
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Lawrence A. Balzer

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Lawrence & Annette Balzer

ADDRESS R.R.#2 Box 205 Blooming Prairie Mn. 55917
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 583-7336

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE same

SECTION 28 TOWNSHIP Aurora COUNTY Steele

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160 acres

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Sept. 15, 1892

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

S.W. 14 Sec. 28 township 106

Range 19

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Edward Balzer</u>	<u>Sept. 15, 1892</u> - <u>June 1928</u>	<u>Father of Joseph Sr.</u>
next owner <u>Joseph E. Balzer Sr.</u>	<u>June 6, 1928</u> - <u>1945</u>	<u>Father of Joseph Jr.</u>
next owner <u>Joseph E. Balzer Jr.</u>	<u>1945</u> - <u>1978</u>	<u>Uncle of Lawrence A. Balzer</u>
next owner <u>Lawrence A. Balzer</u>	<u>1978</u> - <u>present</u>	
next owner		

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() Land Patent () County Land Record
(X) Original Deed () Other _____

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Lawrence A. Balzer
(signature of present owner)

July 12, 1993
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? United States^{to} - Henry Swift

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 80 acres

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? 13.60 per acre

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING?

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? yes

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? yes

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1957

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn, hay, oats

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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PLEASE RETURN BY JULY 15

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER ALVIN AND MARILYN CLAUSENNAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE ALVIN AND
MARILYN CLAUSENADDRESS RR2 Box 305 Blooming Prairie, MN. 55917
(street) (city) (state) (zip)PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 583-7833

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 17 TOWNSHIP Bloo. Pra. COUNTY SteeleNUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 140DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1893

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

N 1/2 of NW 1/4 SW 1/4 of NE 1/4
W 1/2 of NW 1/4 of SE 1/4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner		
<u>Jens DITLEVSON</u>	<u>1893-1928</u>	<u>Father of Arthur</u>
next owner		
<u>ARTHUR DITLEVSON</u>	<u>1928 - 1957</u>	<u>Daughter of</u>
next owner		
<u>ALVIN CLAUSEN</u>	<u>1957-present</u>	<u>Arthur</u>
next owner		
<u>MARILYN (DITLEVSON) CLAUSEN</u>		
next owner		

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() Land Patent (X) County Land Record
(X) Original Deed () Other _____

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Alvin & Marilyn Clausen
(signature of present owner)

6-5-1989
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? _____

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL?_____

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? _____

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? _____

DID HE FARM THE LAND? _____

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING?_____

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? _____

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? _____

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT?_____

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? _____

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

PLEASE RETURN BY JULY 15, 1989 TO:

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Dean P. Hartle & Helen I. Hartle
NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Hartle Farms

ADDRESS Co. 19 — East Rose St. Owatonna MN 550609416
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 451-3191

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE RR 4, Box 14

SECTION 8 TOWNSHIP Havana COUNTY Steele

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 145.49

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1869

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

Enclosed

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Henry H. Hartle	1874 - 1879	Father.
next owner Jemima Hartle	1879 - 1880	Wife
next owner William Hartle	1879 - 1935	Son
next owner John A. Hartle & Herbert J. Hartle	1935 - 1955	Nephews
next owner Herbert & Helen Hartle	1955 - 1980	Same
<u>Dean Hartle & Helen Hartle</u>	<u>1980 - present</u>	<u>wife & son</u>

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(☐) Land Patent (☐) County Land Record
(☐) Original Deed (☐) Other _____

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Dean P. Hartle

(signature of present owner)

July 12, 1993

(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Lewis & Elving Stony

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 80

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$13/acre

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? near Birmingham England

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING?_____

No

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? No

No

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? House

House

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? _____

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn & Vegetable crops.

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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PLEASE RETURN BY JULY 15

Helen (Now Dean & Helen)

ABSTRACT OF TITLE.

To the following Real Estate in Steele County, State of Minnesota

1. The West Half of the Southwest Quarter ($W\frac{1}{2}$ of $SW\frac{1}{4}$) and the Southwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter ($SW\frac{1}{4}$ of $NW\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Eight (8), and The Northwest Quarter of the Northwest Quarter ($NW\frac{1}{4}$ of $NW\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Seventeen (17) All in Township One Hundred Seven (107), North of Range Nineteen (19) West.

Kind of Inst. Auditors Abst.

Date June 20-1856

Filed 1

At 1 M.

Consideration. \$

RECORDED

Book

Page

On File-Not Recorded

Scaled *** No. of Witnesses ***

ACKNOWLEDGED

Date None

Who

Before

Where

Scaled

No. 2.

United States

TO

Lawrence Bishop

$S\frac{1}{2}$ of $NW\frac{1}{4}$ and $N\frac{1}{2}$ of $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8 Twp. 107, Range 19.

Taken from Book termed Abstract of Locations on Public Lands.

Kind of Inst. Auditors Abst.

Date Oct. 23-1856

Filed 1

At 1 M.

Consideration. \$

RECORDED

Book

Page

On File-Not Recorded

Scaled *** No. of Witnesses ***

ACKNOWLEDGED

Date None

Who

Before

Where

Scaled

No. 3.

United States

TO

Archibald Mc Caslin

$SW\frac{1}{4}$ of $SW\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8 Twp. 107, Range 19.

Taken from Book termed Abstract of Locations on Public Lands.

Kind of Inst. Auditors Abst.

Date Oct. 23-1856

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At 1 M.

Consideration. \$

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Book

Page

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Scaled *** No. of Witnesses ***

ACKNOWLEDGED

Date None

Who

Before

Where

Scaled

No. 4.

United States

TO

Archibald Mc Caslin

$NW\frac{1}{4}$ of $NW\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17, Twp. 107-Range 19.

Taken from Book termed Abstract of Locations on Public Lands.

Kind of Inst. Patent.
Date July 15-1859
Filed Mar 3-1883
At 2 P. M.
Consideration, \$ ***
RECORDED
Book W Page 481
Scaled ** No. of Witnesses **
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date None
Who None
Before None
Where None
Sealed None

No. 5.
United States
To
Archibald Mc Caslin

(Other Lands) and
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8-107-19
Patent founded upon Warrant
No. 81257, and signed by the
President James Buchanan By
J.A.B. Leonard Sec'y. - J.N.
Granger Recorder of the General
Land Office (Seal)

Kind of Inst. Patent (Copy)
Date May 3-1859
Filed Mar 19-1924
At 4 P. M.
Consideration, \$ ***
RECORDED
Book 32 Page 59
Scaled ** No. of Witnesses **
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date None
Who None
Before None
Where None
Sealed None

No. 6.
United States
To
Lawrence Bishop

S $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
Sec. 8-107-19
Founded upon Preemption Cert.
No. 2798 and signed By the
President James Buchanan, By
T.J. Albright Sectary - J.N.
Granger Recorder of General
Land Office (Seal) Copy certi-
fied to on Jan 28-1924 by
M.P. LeRoy, Recorder, General
Land Office, Washington, D.C.

Kind of Inst. W. Deed.
Date May 12-1859
Filed Sept 2-1859
At 5 P. M.
Consideration, \$ 600.00
RECORDED
Book E Page 81
Scaled Yes No. of Witnesses 1
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Aug 11-1859
Who Myron L. Bishop
Before Francis H. Dawes
Justice of Peace
Where Hampshire Co.
Mass.
Sealed ****

No. 7.
Myron L. Bishop
To
Lyman E. Dawes

S $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
Sec. 8-107-19 In the body of
the Deed the grantor appears
as Myron Lawrence Bishop
On Aug 12-1859 Samuel Wells,
Clerk of Judicial Court of
Hampshire County, certifies to
the authority & signature of
Francis H. Dawes. (Seal)

Kind of Inst. W. Deed
Date Aug 15-1859
Filed Sept 2-1859
At 5 P. M.
Consideration, \$ 800.00
RECORDED
Book E Page 82
Scaled Yes No. of Witnesses 1
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Aug 18-1859
Who Grantor
Before Francis H. Dawes
Justice of the Peace
Where Hampshire Co.
Mass.
Sealed ****

No. 8.
Lyman E. Dawes
To
Bradley & Brother

S $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
Sec. 8-107-19
On Aug 19-1859 the signature
& authority of Francis H.
Dawes certified to by Samuel
Wells, Clerk of Judicial Court,
County of Hampshire, County,
(Seal) Mass.

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Kind of Inst. Q.C. Deed
Date Sept 4-1869
Filed Sept 6-1869
At 9 A. M.
Consideration, \$ 1.00
RECORDED
Book L Page 542
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Sept 6-1869
Who Grantors
Before Robert Adair
Justice of the Peace
Where Steele County,
Minnesota
Sealed ****

No. 17.
S.C. Babcock and Sarah
Babcock his wife
To
L. M. Lee

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
Sec. 8-107-19
R.S. 50 $\frac{1}{2}$

Kind of Inst. Q.C. Deed
Date Oct 16-1868
Filed Sept 6-1869
At 9 A. M.
Consideration, \$ 1.00, Etc
RECORDED
Book M Page 133
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 1
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Oct 16-1868
Who Grantor
Before William G. Bassett
Justice of the Peace
Where Hampshire Co.,
Mass.
Sealed ****

No. 18.
Horace Mathews
To
James M. Lee and Seth
C. Babcock

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
Sec. 8-107-19 R.S. 50 $\frac{1}{2}$
Especially intending hereby
to discharge a certain mortgage
to me executed by said Lee and
Babcock and recorded in Book
E of mortgages on page 241-242.
(of William G. Bassett)
On Oct 23-1868 signature &
authority certified to by
Wm. P. Streckeland, Clerk of
Supreme Judicial Court, Hamp-
shire County, Mass. (Seal)
R.S. .05 $\frac{1}{2}$

Kind of Inst. W. Deed
Date Nov 9-1874
Filed Nov 12-1874
At 11 A. M.
Consideration, \$ 1050.00
RECORDED
Book R Page 321
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Nov 9-1874
Who Lewis & Elvira
Story
Before M.A. Dailey
Notary Public
Where Steele County,
Minnesota
Sealed Yes

No. 19.
Lewis Story and Elvira
Story his wife
To
Henry Hartle

of NW $\frac{1}{4}$
E $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and E $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$
of Sec. 8-107-19
Subject to a mortgage given
to I.S. Love June 17-1894 for
\$ 336.00 which is to be paid
by the party of the second part
In the body of the Deed the
grantors appear as Lewis Story
& Elvira his wife.

Kind of Inst. Order of Assignment.
Date Apr 7-1879
Filed Apr 11-1879
At 2 P. M.
Consideration, \$ ***
RECORDED
Book X Page 152-153
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses **
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date None
Who
Before
Where
Sealed

No. 20.
Archibald McCaslin, Decea-
sed by Probate Court,
Steele County, Minnesota
To
Jane Mc Caslin, widow

(NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17 & SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$
of Sec. 8-107-19 (& Other Land)
Life lease on above to Jane
Mc Caslin, after her decease
Und. 1/4 to each Elizabeth
Hicock, John Mc Caslin and
Catharine Houston, Archie
Mc Caslin. Said deceased died
testate. Order signed and
copy certified to by L. Hazen,
Judge of Probate, Steele Co.
Minn. (Seal)
(No Will on Record)

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<p>Kind of Inst. <u>Order of Assignment.</u> Date <u>Apr. 30-1879</u> Filed <u>May 27-1879</u> At <u>3 P.</u> M. Consideration, \$ <u>***</u> RECORDED Book <u>X</u> Page <u>169-170</u> Scaled <u>Yes</u> No. of Witnesses <u>**</u> ACKNOWLEDGED Date <u>None</u> Who Before Where Sealed</p>	<p>No. <u>21</u> Henry Humphry Hartle, Deceased by Probate Court, Steele County, Minnesota To Jemima Hartle, widow William Henry Hartle, Mary Ann Hartle, John Hartle, Elizabeth Hartle, Jemima Hartle, Emily Hartle, George Hartle, Sarah Hartle and Harry James Hartle. (Harry)</p>	<p>(Other Lands) and SW$\frac{1}{4}$ of NW$\frac{1}{4}$ and NW$\frac{1}{4}$ of SW$\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8- 107-19. To Jemima Hartle, widow life lease or until she remarries on the above lands. After her decease or remarriage to each of the nine heirs. Copy signed and certified to By L. Hazen, Judge of Probate, Steele County, Minnesota. (Seal)</p>
<p>Kind of Inst. <u>Cert. of Proof of Will.</u> Date <u>Apr. 15-1878</u> Filed <u>Mar. 20-1880</u> At <u>10 A.</u> M. Consideration, \$ <u>***</u> RECORDED Book <u>X</u> Page <u>429-430</u> Scaled <u>Yes</u> No. of Witnesses <u>2</u> ACKNOWLEDGED Date Who <u>None</u> Before Where Sealed</p>	<p>No. <u>22</u> Henry Humphry Hartle, Deceased by Probate Court Steele County, Minnesota To Jemima Hartle, et al (BY L. Hazen, Judge of Probate (Said court in said estate</p>	<p>To Jemima Hartle all of real & personal property for rest of her natural life unless she remarries, after her decease to share & share alike to William Henry Hartle, Mary Ann Hartle, John Hartle, Elizabeth Hartle, Jemima Hartle, Emily Hartle, George Hartle, Sarah Hartle and Harry James Hartle. Certificate of Proof of Will signed & Copy of Will & Cert. of Proof of Will Certified to By L. Hazen, Judge of Probate, Steele County, Minn. (Seal) established above as valid Will.</p>
<p>Kind of Inst. <u>Probate Assignment.</u> Date <u>Apr. 30-1879</u> Filed <u>Mar. 20-1880</u> At <u>10 A.</u> M. Consideration, \$ <u>***</u> RECORDED Book <u>X</u> Page <u>430-431</u> Scaled <u>Yes</u> No. of Witnesses <u>**</u> ACKNOWLEDGED Date Who <u>None</u> Before Where Sealed</p>	<p>No. <u>23</u> Henry Humphry Hartle, Deceased by Probate Court, Steele County, Minnesota To Jemima Hartle, et al</p>	<p>(Other Lands) and SW$\frac{1}{4}$ of NW$\frac{1}{4}$ and NW$\frac{1}{4}$ of SW$\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8-107-19 TO Jemima Hartle all of the above for her natural life or until she remarries, after her decease and 1/9 each to Will- iam Henry Hartle, Mary Ann Hartle, John Hartle, Elizabeth Hartle, Jemima Hartle, Emily Hartle, George Hartle, Sarah Hartle, and Harry James Hartle. Order signed and copy certified to By L. Hazen, Judge of Probate, Steele County, Minnesota. (Seal)</p>
<p>Kind of Inst. <u>W. Deed</u> Date <u>Mar 17-1887</u> Filed <u>Mar 17-1887</u> At <u>3 P.</u> M. Consideration, \$ <u>1200</u> RECORDED Book <u>34</u> Page <u>247</u> Scaled <u>Yes</u> No. of Witnesses <u>2</u> ACKNOWLEDGED Date <u>Mar 19-1887</u> Who <u>Jane Mc Caslin</u> Before <u>G.E. Sloan</u> <u>Register of Deeds</u> Where <u>Steele County,</u> <u>Minnesota</u> Sealed <u>Yes</u></p>	<p>No. <u>24</u> Mrs. Jane Mc Caslin a widow To Frank D. Moravec</p>	<p><u>17</u> NW$\frac{1}{4}$ of NW$\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 8 & SW$\frac{1}{4}$ of SW$\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8-107-19</p>

Kind of Inst. Q.C. Deed
Date Nov 10-1887
Filed Nov 29-1887
At 11 A. M.
Consideration, \$ 100.00

RECORDED
Book 36 Page 552
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2

ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Nov 10-1887
Who Grantor

Before W.A. Sperry
Notary Public
Where Steele County,
Minnesota

Scaled Yes

Kind of Inst. Q.C. Deed
Date Feb 9-1891
Filed Feb 16-1891
At 5 P. M.
Consideration, \$ 500.00

RECORDED
Book 39 Page 27
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2

ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Feb 9-1891
Who Grantors

Before G.E. Sloan
Register of Deeds
Where Steele County,
Minnesota

Scaled Yes

Kind of Inst. Q.C. Deed
Date Sept 24-1891
Filed Oct 24-1891
At 2 P. M.
Consideration, \$ 500.00

RECORDED
Book 39 Page 54
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2

ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Oct 2-1891
Who Grantors

Before W. Haywood
Notary Public
Where Dickinson County
Iowa

Scaled Yes

Kind of Inst. Q.C. Deed
Date Sept 8-1893
Filed Sept 9-1893
At 11 A. M.
Consideration, \$ 500.00

RECORDED
Book 39 Page 129
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2

ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Sept 8-1893
Who Grantor

Before G.E. Sloan
Register of Deeds
Where Steele County,
Minnesota

Scaled Yes

No. 25.
John Hartle a single
man

To
William H. Hartle

No. 26.
Elizabeth Davis and
William T. Davis her
husband

To
William H. Hartle

No. 27.
Jemina Evans and Oliver
Evans her husband

To
Mary A. Hartle

No. 28.
George Hartle, a single
man

To
Wm. H. Hartle

(Other Lands) and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$
and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8-107-19.

(Other Land) and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$
and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8-107-19

(Other Land) and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$
and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8-107-19.

(Other Land) and SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8-107-19

Kind of Inst. W. Deed
Date Mar 29-1898
Filed Mar 30-1898
At 9 A. M.
Consideration, \$ 4500.
RECORDED
Book 47 Page 305
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Mar 29-1898
Who Grantors
Before Lewis L. Wheelock
Notary Public
Where Steele Co.
Minn.
Sealed Yes

No. 29.
Frank D. Moravec and
Mary Moravec his wife

To
William H. Hartle

NW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 47 and
SW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 8-107-19

Kind of Inst. Q.C. Deed
Date Nov 13-1897
Filed June 30-1898
At 3:30 P. M.
Consideration, \$ 500.00
RECORDED
Book 48 Page 57
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Nov 13-1897
Who Grantor
Before H. Schmidt
Notary Public
Where Steele Co.
Minn.
Sealed Yes

No. 30.
Harry J. Hartle a single
man

To
W.H. Hartle

(Other Land) and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4
and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 8-107-
19.

Kind of Inst. Q.C. Deed
Date Feb 12-1898
Filed June 30-1898
At 3:30 P. M.
Consideration, \$ 1500.00
RECORDED
Book 48 Page 58
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Feb 12-1898
Who Grantors
Before Lewis L. Wheelock
Notary Public
Where Steele Co.
Minn.
Sealed Yes

No. 31.
Mary A. Hartle single
and Sarah Hartle single,

To
William H. Hartle

(Other Land) and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4
and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 of Sec. 8-107-19

Kind of Inst. Q.C. Deed
Date Jan 10-1922
Filed Nov 22-1923
At 4 P. M.
Consideration, \$ 500.00
RECORDED
Book 75 Page 259
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Jan 14-1923
Who Grantor
Before C.D. Bruce
Notary Public
Where Valley County,
Montana
Sealed Yes

No. 32.
George Hartle a single-
man

To
William H. Hartle

(Other Land) and SW 1/4 of NW 1/4
and NW 1/4 of SW 1/4 Sec. 8-107-19

R.S. 50

Filed June 25-1878
At 3 P. M.
Consideration, \$ Fully Paid
RECORDED
Book L Page 620
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date June 4-1878
Who Israel S. Love
Before R. Tattershall
Notary Public
Where Rock County,
Wisconsin
Scaled Yes

No. 45.
I. S. Love
To
Lewis Story and Elvira
Story

Discharge of mortgage noted
at No. 44

Kind of Inst. Mortgage
Date May 10-1879
Filed May 24-1879
At 3 P. M.
Consideration, \$ 50.00
RECORDED
Book 0 Page 11
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date May 10-1879
Who Jane Mc Caslin
Before H. E. Johnson
Notary Public
Where Steele County,
Minnesota
Scaled Yes

No. 46.
Mrs Jane Mc Caslin
To
Esther E. Adair

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8 and
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17 - all
107-19
Due 1 yr from date, interest
at 10 % per annum until fully
paid.
In the body of the mortgage
the grantor appears as Jane
Mc Caslin.

Kind of Inst. Discharge
Date Apr 2-1880
Filed Apr 2-1880
At *** M.
Consideration, \$ Fully Paid
RECORDED
Book 0 Page 11
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 1
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date None
Who
Before
Where
Scaled

No. 47.
Esther E. Adair
To
Mrs. Jane Mc Caslin

Discharge of mortgage noted
at No. 46
Discharge on margin of records
in presence of E.A. Tyler,
Register of Deeds.

Kind of Inst. Mortgage
Date May 7-1886
Filed May 27-1886
At 11 A. M.
Consideration, \$ 305.00
RECORDED
Book S Page 284
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date May 21-1886
Who Jemima and Oliver
Evans

No. 48.
Jemima Evans and Oliver
Evans her husband
To
W.H. & John Hartle

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ all
of Sec. 8 and twp. 107- R. 19
Due on or before June 1-1894
with interest at 8 % per annum.

Kind of Inst. Discharge
Date Oct 20-1891
Filed Oct 20-1891
At ~~###~~ M.
Consideration, \$ Fully Paid
RECORDED
Book S Page 284
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 1
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date
Who None
Before
Where
Sealed

No. 49.
W. H. Hartle and John
Hartle
To
Jemima Evans and Oliver
Evans, her husband
✓

Discharge of mortgage noted
at No. 48.
Discharge on margin of records
in presence of G.E. Sloan,
Register of Deeds.

Kind of Inst. Mortgage
Date Mar 17-1887
Filed Mar 19-1887
At 3 P. M.
Consideration, \$ 550.
RECORDED
Book T Page 360
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Mar 19-1887
Who Grantor
Before G. E. Sloan
Register of Deeds
Where Steele County,
Minnesota
Sealed Yes

No. 50.
Frank D. Moravec, a
single man
To
Jane Mc Caslin

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8 and NW $\frac{1}{4}$
of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17 all in 107-
19. Due as follows:
\$ 100. on Mar 17-1889, \$ 100
due Mar 17-1890, \$ 100 due
Mar 17-1891, \$ 100. due Mar 17-
1892, \$ 150. due Mar 17-1893,
with interest at 7 % from date
until fully paid.

Kind of Inst. Discharge
Date Mar 6-1893
Filed Mar 6-1893
At ~~###~~ M.
Consideration, \$ Fully Paid
RECORDED
Book T Page 360
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 1
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date
Who None
Before
Where
Sealed

No. 51.
Jane Mc Caslin
To
Frank Moravec

Discharge of mortgage noted
at No. 50. Discharge on margin
of records in presence of G.E.
Sloan, Register of Deeds.

Kind of Inst. Mortgage
Date Apr 29-1898
Filed Apr 29-1898
At 11:30 A. M.
Consideration, \$ 1500.00
RECORDED
Book 27 Page 575
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Apr 29-1898
Who Grantor
Before H. Schmidt
Notary Public
Where Steele Co.
Minn.
Sealed Yes

No. 52.
W. H. Hartle, single
To
R. A. Marshall

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 8 and
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17 all 107-
19.

No due date or interest mention-
ed.

Kind of Inst. Discharge
Date May 5-1900
Filed May 5-1900
At ### M.
Consideration, \$ Fully Paid
RECORDED
Book 27 Page 575
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 1
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date None
Who
Before
Where
Sealed

Kind of Inst. Mortgage
Date Apr 27-1925
Filed Apr 28-1925
At 9 A. M.
Consideration, \$ 4,500.00
RECORDED
Book 59 Page 243
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Apr 27-1925
Who Grantor
Before Paul H. Evans
Notary Public
Where Steele County,
Minn.
Sealed Yes

Kind of Inst. Discharge
Date Apr 27-1928
Filed Apr 27-1928
At 11:15 A. M.
Consideration, \$ Fully Paid
RECORDED
Book 65 Page 8
Sealed CORP. No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Apr 27-1928
Who Paul H. Evans, Pres.
O.M. Hegnes, Cashier
Before Laura I. Taylor
Notary Public
Where Steele County,
Minn.
Sealed Yes

Kind of Inst. Mortgage
Date Sept 1-1925
Filed Sept 5-1925
At 2:45 P.M.
Consideration, \$ 5000.00
RECORDED
Book 58 Page 3
Sealed Yes No. of Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Sept 1-1925
Who Grantor
Before Oscar W. Peterson
Notary Public
Where Steele County,
Minn.
Sealed Yes

No. 53.
R. A. Marshall
TO
W. H. Hartle
✓

No. 54.
William H. Hartle, a
single man,
TO
Security State Bank of
Owatonna.
✓

No. 55.
Security State Bank of
Owatonna By Paul H. Evans
Its President - O.M. Hegnes
Its Cashier
TO
William H. Hartle, a single
man

No. 56.
William H. Hartle a
single man
TO
J. H. Healey

Discharge of mortgage noted
at No. 52, Discharge on
margin of records in presence
of P. Prahm, Register of Deeds

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and W $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
Sec. 8 and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 1
17, all 107-19. Due 5 yrs
from date, with privilege re-
served to pay \$ 100.00 or any
multiple thereof on any interes-
t payment date.

Discharge of mortgage noted
at No. 54

SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ and W $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
Sec. 8 and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec.
17- All 107-19. Interest at
5 % payable semi-annually.
Subject to a mortgage of
\$ 4500.00 to the Security State
Bank of Owatonna.

Kind of Inst. L. or Admin.
Date Oct. 19-1932
Filed Oct. 4-1935
At 11 A. M.
Consideration. \$ ***

RECORDED
Book 71 Page 324
Sealed Court No. of Witnesses ***
ACKNOWLEDGED

Date
Who none
Before
Where

Sealed
Kind of Inst. Lic. to Sell.
Date June 18-1935
Filed Oct. 4-1935
At 11 A. M.
Consideration. \$ ***

RECORDED
Book 72 Page 137
Sealed Court No. of Witnesses ***
ACKNOWLEDGED

Date
Who none
Before
Where

Sealed
Kind of Inst. Conf. of Sale
Date Oct. 4-1935
Filed Oct. 4-1935
At 11 A. M.
Consideration. \$ 9600.00

RECORDED
Book 88 Page 347
Sealed Court No. of Witnesses
ACKNOWLEDGED

Date
Who none
Before
Where

Kind of Inst. Administrator
Date Oct. 4-1935
Filed Oct. 4-1935
At 11 A. M.
Consideration. \$ 9600.00

RECORDED
Book 88 Page 348
Sealed yes No. of Witnesses two
ACKNOWLEDGED

Date Oct. 4-1935
Who John Hartle, as Administrator
Before Samuel Lord Notary Public
Where Steele County, Minn.

Sealed yes

No. 57.

William H. Hartle, also known as W.H. Hartle, Decedent, by Probate Court, Steele County, Minnesota,

To

John Hartle, Administrator

Order of said court appointing John Hartle, Administrator of said estate-

Letter signed and copy certified to by Bernard McGovern, Judge of Probate, Steele County, Minnesota (seal).

No. 58.

William H. Hartle, also known as W.H. Hartle, Decedent, by Probate Court, Steele County, Minnesota,

To

John Hartle, Administrator

Same lands as in caption- subject to mtg noted at #56.

Order for License to Sell Lands at Public Auction in said Estate-

Order for License signed and copy certified to by Bernard McGovern, Judge of Probate, Steele County, Minn. (seal).

No. 59.

William H. Hartle, also known as W.H. Hartle, and Wm. H. Hartle, Decedent, by Probate Court, Steele County, Minnesota,

To

John Hartle, Administrator

Order of Confirmation of Sale of Land Under License at Public Auction in said estate-

same lands as in caption
Said sum payable as follows*
\$5000. by the assumption of mortgage noted at #56, and the balance of \$4600. in cash, less \$100. for the purpose of quieting title--

Order of Confirmation signed and copy certified to by Bernard McGovern, Judge of Probate, Steele County, Minn. (seal).

R.S. of \$5.00 paid

s Deed

No. 60.

John Hartle, as Administrator of the Estate of William H. Hartle, also known as W.H. Hartle, and Wm. H. Hartle, Deceased,

To

John A. Hartle and

Herbert J. Hartle

See Probate Letters at entry No. 57.

same lands as in caption subject to mtg noted at #56.

Kind of Inst. NOTICE OF SALE
Date Oct. 16-1935
Filed Oct. 16-1935
At 4 P. M.
Consideration: \$ ***

RECORDED
Book 86 Page 422-423
Scaled *** No. of Witnesses ***
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date
Who none
Before
Where
Sealed

No. 61.
John A. Hartle and Herbert
J. Hartle, Plaintiffs,
-vs--*
Lawrence Bishop et al,
Defendants.

Action in District Court,
Fifth Judicial District, State
of Minnesota, Steele County to
quiet title to:

same lands as in caption.

See copy attached to abst.

Kind of Inst. Judgment
Date Dec. 2-1935
Filed Dec. 3-1935
At 1:30 P. M.
Consideration: \$ ***

RECORDED
Book 88 Page 356
Scaled *** No. of Witnesses ***
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date
Who none
Before
Where
Sealed

No. 62.
John A. Hartle and Herbert
J. Hartle, Plaintiffs,
--vs--XXX
Lawrence Bishop et al,
Defendants

Judgment in District Court,
Fifth Judicial District, State
of Minnesota, Steele County in
action to quiet title to:

Same lands as in caption.

See certified copy attached
to abstract.

Kind of Inst. Easement
Date July 30-1937
Filed Dec. 31-1937
At 5 P. M.
Consideration: \$ ***

RECORDED
Book 100 Page 337
Scaled YES No. of Witnesses TWO
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date July 30-1937
Who John A. & Herbert J.
Hartle and Ruth M., Helen
Hartle, their wives
Before
A.L. Larson, Notary Public
Where Freeborn County,
Minnesota.
Sealed YES

Kind of Inst. Easement
Date July 30-1937
Filed Dec. 31-1937
At 5 P. M.
Consideration: \$ ***

RECORDED
Book 100 Page 340
Scaled YES No. of Witnesses TWO
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date July 30-1937
Who John A. & Herbert J.
Hartle and Ruth M. &
Helen Hartle,
Before
A.L. Larson, Notary Public
Where Freeborn County,
Minnesota
Sealed YES

No. 63.
John A. Hartle-Ruth M.
Hartle-Herbert J. Hartle-
Helen Hartle,
To
Steele Waseca Cooperative
Electric.

W $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
Sec. 8-Twp. 107-R. 19.
Conveyance of Easement for
right of way including anchors
etc.
Free from encumbrance except
"John A. Hartle et al to Security
Bank & Trust Co. Owatonna
\$5000, (covers other land &
above) Rec. May 6, 1936, Book
68, page 387".
In the body of the easement
the grantors appear as John A.
& Herbert J. Hartle & Ruth M.
& Helen Hartle, their wives.

No. 64.
John A. Hartle-Mrs. Ruth
M. Hartle-Herbert J. Hartle-
Helen Hartle-
To
Steele Waseca Cooperative
Electric.

NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 17-Twp. 107-
R. 19.
Conveyance of Easement for
right of way including anchors
etc.
Free from encumbrance except;
"John A. & Herbert J. Hartle
to Security Bank & Trust Co.,
\$5000, Rec. May 6, 1936 Book 68
page 387 (covers other land &
above)"
In the body of the easement
the grantors appear as John A.
& Herbert J. Hartle, Ruth M.
& Helen Hartle (their wives).

Date June 20-1936
Filed June 27-1936
At 11 A. M.
Consideration, \$ fully paid
RECORDED
Book 69 Page 415
Scaled *** Witnesses two
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date June 20-1936
Who Grantor
Before Myrtle Leslie
Notary Public
Where Los Angeles County,
Calif.
Scaled yes R. S. \$ ***

J.H. Healey, Notary Public
65. North and Minnie Kitch

in book 58 page 3, being
entry number 458.

TO

William H. Hartle, single

Kind of Inst. Mortgage
Date May 4-1936
Filed May 6-1936
At 10:30 A. M.
Consideration, \$ 5000.00
RECORDED
Book 68 Page 387
Scaled *** Witnesses two
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date May 4-1936
Who Grantors
Before A.A. Endres,
Notary Public
Where Steele County,
Minn.
Scaled yes R. S. \$ ***

No. 66.

John A. Hartle and Ruth
M. Hartle, his wife, and
Herbert J. Hartle and
Helen I. Hartle, his wife,

TO

the Security Bank and
Trust Company of Owatonna.

Same lands as in caption
due and payable five years
from date hereof, with the
privilege to pay \$100. or
any multiple thereof on any
interest payment date-
with interest thereon at the
rate of five per cent per
annum--

Kind of Inst. Discharge
Date May 4-1940
Filed May 9-1940
At 1:30 P. M.
Consideration, \$ Fully Paid
RECORDED
Book 71 Page 261
Scaled Corp. Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date May 4-1940
Who Paul H. Evans, Pres.
A.A. Endres, Cashier
Before Robert K. Evans
Notary Public
Where Steele County
Minn.
Scaled Yes R. S. \$ ***

No. 67.

Security Bank & Trust
Company of Owatonna
By Paul H. Evans, Its
President; A. A. Endres
Its Cashier.

TO

John A. Hartle and
Ruth Hartle, his wife and
Herbert J. Hartle and
Helen I. Hartle, his wife.

Discharge of Mortgage noted
at No. 66.

Right of Way Easement
Kind of Inst. Right of Way Easement
Date Jan. 10-1940
Filed July 23-1940
At 4 P. M.
Consideration, \$ ***
RECORDED
Book 100 Page 586
Scaled *** Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Jan. 10-1940
Who Wm. Kitch and
Minnie Kitch
Before L.P. Zimmerman
Notary Public
Where Waseca County
Minn.
Scaled Yes R. S. \$ ***

No. 68.

Wm. Kitch and
Mrs. Wm. Kitch,
husband and wife

TO

Steele Waseca Cooperative
Electric

mission or distribution line or system, and to cut and
trim trees and shrubbery to the extent necessary to keep
them clear of said electric line or system and to cut
down from time to time all dead, weak, leaning or danger-
ous trees that are tall enough to strike the wires in
falling. Continued on next sheet.

The right to enter upon the
lands of the undersigned,
described as follows:

Sec. 17 Havana 39.50 acres in
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 7 acres in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17-107-19.

and to place, construct,
operate, repair, maintain,
relocate and replace thereon
and in or upon all streets,
roads or highways abutting
said lands an electric trans-

mission or distribution line or system, and to cut and
trim trees and shrubbery to the extent necessary to keep
them clear of said electric line or system and to cut
down from time to time all dead, weak, leaning or danger-
ous trees that are tall enough to strike the wires in
falling.

Date June 20-1936
Filed June 27-1936
At 11 A. M.
Consideration, \$ fully paid
RECORDED
Book 69 Page 415
Scaled *** Witnesses two
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date June 20-1936
Who Grantor
Before Myrtle Leslie
Notary Public
Where Los Angeles County,
Calif.
Scaled yes R. S. \$ ***

J.H. Healey of the County of Los Angeles and Minnie Kitch
TO
William H. Hartle, single

in book 58 page 3, being entry number #58.

Kind of Inst. Mortgage
Date May 4-1936
Filed May 6-1936
At 10:30 A. M.
Consideration, \$ 5000.00
RECORDED
Book 68 Page 387
Scaled *** Witnesses two
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date May 4-1936
Who Grantors
Before A.A. Endres,
Notary Public
Where Steele County,
Minn.
Scaled yes R. S. \$ ***

No. 66.
John A. Hartle and Ruth M. Hartle, his wife, and Herbert J. Hartle and Helen I. Hartle, his wife,
TO
the Security Bank and Trust Company of Owatonna.

Same lands as in caption due and payable five years from date hereof, with the privilege to pay \$100. or any multiple thereof on any interest payment date--with interest thereon at the rate of five per cent per annum--

Kind of Inst. Discharge
Date May 4-1940
Filed May 9-1940
At 1:30 P. M.
Consideration, \$ Fully Paid
RECORDED
Book 71 Page 261
Scaled Corp. Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date May 4-1940
Who Paul H. Evans, Pres.
A.A. Endres, Cashier
Before Robert K. Evans
Notary Public
Where Steele County
Minn.
Scaled Yes R. S. \$ ***

No. 67.
Security Bank & Trust Company of Owatonna
By Paul H. Evans, Its President; A. A. Endres Its Cashier.
TO
John A. Hartle and Ruth Hartle, his wife and Herbert J. Hartle and Helen I. Hartle, his wife.

Discharge of Mortgage noted at No. 66.

Right of Way Easement
Kind of Inst. Right of Way Easement
Date Jan. 10-1940
Filed July 23-1940
At 4 P. M.
Consideration, \$ ***
RECORDED
Book 100 Page 586
Scaled *** Witnesses 2
ACKNOWLEDGED
Date Jan. 10-1940
Who Wm. Kitch and
Minnie Kitch
Before L.P. Zimmerman
Notary Public
Where Waseca County
Minn.
Scaled Yes R. S. \$ ***

No. 68.
Wm. Kitch and Mrs. Wm. Kitch, husband and wife
TO
Steele Waseca Cooperative Electric

mission or distribution line or system, and to cut and trim trees and shrubbery to the extent necessary to keep them clear of said electric line or system and to cut down from time to time all dead, weak, leaning or dangerous trees that are tall enough to strike the wires in falling. Continued on next sheet.

The right to enter upon the lands of the undersigned, described as follows:
Sec. 17 Havana 39.50 acres in SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ 7 acres in NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 17-107-19.
and to place, construct, operate, repair, maintain, relocate and replace thereon and in or upon all streets, roads or highways abutting said lands an electric transmission or distribution line or system, and to cut and trim trees and shrubbery to the extent necessary to keep them clear of said electric line or system and to cut down from time to time all dead, weak, leaning or dangerous trees that are tall enough to strike the wires in falling.

Filed _____
 At _____ M.
 Consideration, \$ _____
 RECORDED
 Book _____ Page _____
 Sealed _____ Witnesses _____
 ACKNOWLEDGED
 Date _____
 Who _____
 Before _____
 Where _____
 Sealed _____ R. S. \$ _____

In the body of the Easement the grantors appear as:
 Wm. Kitch and Minnie Kitch, husband and wife.

Kind of Inst. W. Deed
 Date Jan. 26-1955
 Filed Dec. 27-1956
 At 11 A. M.
 Consideration, \$ 1.00 etc.
 RECORDED
 Book 128 Page 287
 Sealed *** Witnesses 2
 ACKNOWLEDGED
 Date Jan. 26-1955
 Who Grantors
 Before Sarah E. Risch
Notary Public
 Where Steele County
Minn.
 Sealed Yes R. S. \$ ***

No. 69.

John A. Hartle and
 Ruth M. Hartle,
 husband and wife;
 Herbert J. Hartle and
 Helen I. Hartle,
 husband and wife

W $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
 Section 8 and NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of
 Section 17, all in 107-19.

TO

Herbert J. Hartle

Kind of Inst. Severance Agreement
 Date Oct. 5-1961
 Filed Oct. 10-1961
 At 8:30 A. M.
 Consideration, \$ ***
 RECORDED
 Book 97 Page 192-193
 Sealed *** Witnesses 2
 ACKNOWLEDGED
 Date Oct. 5-1961
 Who Herbert J. and Helen
Hartle, husband and wife
 Before Irene Huber
Notary Public
 Where Steele County
Minnesota
 Sealed Yes R. S. \$ ***

No. 70.

Herbert J. Hartle,
 Borrower; Helen Hartle,
 Borrowers Spouse;
 Herbert J. Hartle,
 Owner or Lienholder

Whereas borrower has applied
 to the Commodity Credit
 Corporation for a loan or for
 the guarantee of a loan for
 the purpose purchasing and
 erecting or constructing the
 following storage structure
 to-wit:

One Steele Silver Shield Silo
 with Motor unloader, Capacity
 (Bushels or Tons) 6220

Located on the following
 described land: W $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$
 Sec. 8-107-19.

Said storage structure shall
 remain severed from said real
 estate.

TO

Commodity Credit
 Corporation.

Kind of Inst. Mortgage
 Date Apr. 26-1965
 Filed Apr. 30-1965
 At 8:05 A. M.
 Consideration, \$ 77,000.00
 RECORDED
 Book 88 Page 190-191
 Sealed Yes Witnesses 2
 ACKNOWLEDGED
 Date Apr. 29-1965
 Who Mortgagors
 Before G.E. Frederickson
Notary Public
 Where Steele County
Minn.
 Sealed Yes R. S. \$ ***

No. 71.

Herbert J. Hartle and
 Helen I. Hartle,
 husband and wife;
 Dean P. Hartle and
 Marsha J. Hartle,
 husband and wife

(Other Lands) and S $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$
 also SW $\frac{1}{4}$, all in Section 8
 and N $\frac{1}{2}$ of N $\frac{1}{2}$ of Section 17,
 all in 107-19

Subject to easements of
 record.

\$77,000.00 with interest
 thereon from the date of this
 mortgage, at the rate of 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ %
 per annum according to the
 terms and conditions of a
 certain promissory note, which
 provides for installment
 payments over an amortization
 period, the final installment
 being payable on March 15, 1999.

TO

The Federal Land Bank
 of Saint Paul

Filed _____
 At _____ M.
 Consideration, \$ _____
 Book _____ Page _____
 RECORDED
 Sealed _____ Witnesses _____
 ACKNOWLEDGED
 Date _____
 Who _____
 Before _____
 Where _____
 Sealed _____ R. S. \$ _____

area includes said road easement.

AND
 EXCEPT: All that part of the NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17-107-19, described by: Commencing at the NW corner thereof; thence South 0° East, assumed bearing, 153 feet along the west line thereof to the True Point of Beginning; thence North 90° East 461 feet; thence South 53° East 141 feet; thence South 89° East 328 feet; thence South 0° East 316 feet; thence South 48° 31' West 168.24 feet; thence North 90° West 50 feet; thence North 0° East 90 feet; thence North 90° West 426 feet; thence South 0° East 60 feet; thence North 90° West 299.50 feet to the West line thereof; thence North 0° East 488 feet to said True Point of Beginning; containing 8.70 acres, more or less; subject to a public highway easement over the west 49.50 feet of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$. All of the above being in Township 107 North,

Kind of Inst. _____
 Date _____
 Filed _____ M.
 At _____
 Consideration, \$ _____
 Book _____ Page _____
 RECORDED
 Sealed _____ Witnesses _____
 ACKNOWLEDGED
 Date _____
 Who _____
 Before _____
 Where _____
 Sealed _____ R. S. \$ _____

Range 19 West.

Not, therefore, it is ordered, adjudged, and decreed by the Court as follows:
 That decedent's last will duly executed on January 13, 1977 is hereby formally probated.
 That the title to the real property described herein, is hereby assigned to and vested in the following named persons in the following proportions:
 To: Helen I. Hartle, wife and to Dean P. Hartle, son, to each an undivided one-half interest.
 That the lien of inheritance taxes, if any, on the above described property is hereby waived.

Signed: Charles E. Cashman, Judge of County Court,
 Steele County, Minnesota. (Seal)

Kind of Inst. _____
 Date _____
 Filed _____ M.
 At _____
 Consideration, \$ _____
 Book _____ Page _____
 RECORDED
 Sealed _____ Witnesses _____
 ACKNOWLEDGED
 Date _____
 Who _____
 Before _____
 Where _____
 Sealed _____ R. S. \$ _____

Copy certified to by Gail R. Lipelt, Clerk of Court,
 Steele County, Minnesota
 By: Audrey Schultz, Deputy Clerk. (Seal)

Kind of Inst. _____
 Date _____
 Filed _____ M.
 At _____
 Consideration, \$ _____
 Book _____ Page _____
 RECORDED
 Sealed _____ Witnesses _____
 ACKNOWLEDGED
 Date _____
 Who _____
 Before _____
 Where _____
 Sealed _____ R. S. \$ _____

No.

Kind of Inst. **MORTGAGE**
Date **Aug. 31-1978**
Filed **Sept. 1-1978**
At **2:30 P.** M.
Consideration, \$ **30,000.00**

RECORDED
Book **121** Page **218**
Sented ******* Witnesses *******

ACKNOWLEDGED
Date **Aug. 31-1978**
Who **Mortgagors**

Before **E.N. Skone**
Notary Public
Where **Crow Wing County**
Minnesota
Sented **Yes** R. S. \$ *******

Larry Wells and
Leslie A. Wells,
husband and wife

TO

The First National
Bank of Deerwood,
Minnesota 56444

thence North 0 degrees East
of Beginning;
Subject to a public road easement along the West 49.50
feet thereof; containing 1.65 acres, more or less, said

Section 17, T17N, R17E, S17
by:
Com. at the NW corner of said
NW $\frac{1}{4}$, thence South 0 degrees
East, assumed bearing, 641
feet along the West line of
said NW $\frac{1}{4}$ to the True Point
of Beginning, thence North 90
degrees East 299.50 feet,
thence South 0 degrees East
240 feet, thence North 90
degrees West 299.50 feet to
the West line of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$,
thence North 0 degrees East 240 feet to said True Point

Kind of Inst. _____
Date _____
Filed _____
At _____ M.
Consideration, \$ _____

RECORDED
Book _____ Page _____
Sented _____ Witnesses _____

ACKNOWLEDGED
Date _____
Who _____

Before _____

Where _____

Sented _____ R. S. \$ _____

~~area~~
area includes said road easement.

\$30,000.00 which indebtedness is evidenced by Borrower's
note dated August 31, 1978, providing for monthly
installments of principal and interest, with the
balance of the indebtedness, if not sooner paid, due
and payable on or before September 1, 1998.

Kind of Inst. **Order etc.**
Date **May 1-1981**
Filed **May 6-1981**
At **4:45 P.** M.
Consideration, \$ *******

RECORDED
Book **169** Page **89**
Sented **Court** Witnesses *******

ACKNOWLEDGED
Date _____
Who **None**

Before _____

Where _____

Sented _____ R. S. \$ _____

No. 100.

Herbert J. Hartle,
Deceased, County Court,
Probate Division, Steele
County, Minnesota

TO

Helen E. Hartle and
Dean P. Hartle

Order of Complete Settlement
of the Estate and Decree of
Distribution.

Said decedent died testate on
April 23, 1980 at Havana
Township, Steele County, Minn.

The W $\frac{1}{2}$ of SW $\frac{1}{4}$ and SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$
of Section 8,
EXCEPT: All that part of the
SW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 8-107-19 des-
cribed by: Com. at the NW
corner of said SW $\frac{1}{4}$; thence S
0° East, assumed bearing, 617.27
feet along the west line of said SW $\frac{1}{4}$ to a point on the
center line of C.S.A.H. No. 19 being the True Point of
Beginning; thence South 8 $\frac{1}{2}$ ° 13' East 451 feet along the
centerline of C.S.A.H. No. 19; thence South 0° East 400.15'

Kind of Inst. _____
Date _____
Filed _____
At _____ M.
Consideration, \$ _____

RECORDED
Book _____ Page _____
Sented _____ Witnesses _____

ACKNOWLEDGED
Date _____
Who _____

Before _____

Where _____

Sented _____ R. S. \$ _____

~~area~~
feet; thence North 85° 5' West 450.36 feet to the west
line of said SW $\frac{1}{4}$; thence North 0° East 407 feet to said
True Point of Beginning; subject to a highway easement
49.50 feet in width along the south side of said C.S.A.H.
No. 19 centerline; and subject to a highway easement along
the west line of said SW $\frac{1}{4}$; containing 4.16 acres, more or
less, said area includes said highway easements.

AND

The NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17, EXCEPT: All that part of th
NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section 17-107-19, described by: Commencing at
the NW corner of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$; thence South 0° East, assumed
bearing, 641 feet along the west line of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$ to the
True Point of beginning; thence North 90° East 299.50
feet; thence South 0° East 240 feet; thence North 90°
West 299.50 feet to the west line of said NW $\frac{1}{4}$; thence
North 0° East 240 feet to said True Point of Beginning;
Subject to a public road easement along the west 49.50

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STEELE COUNTY STATEMENT OF
PAYABLE IN:
PROPERTY OWNER(S):

REAL ESTATE
1992

STEVEN J. ROHLIK
STEELE COUNTY TREASURER
BOX 487 • OWATONNA, MN 55060
507-451-8040

HA-046-3 4774
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PROPERTY DESCRIPTION - FOR TAX PURPOSES ONLY
(THE LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF YOUR PROPERTY MAY DIFFER)

17-107-19

29.65 ACRES

NW1/4 OF NW1/4 EX 1.65A TO WILSON
EX 8.70 A TO KECK

PROPERTY CLASS

NEW IMPROVEMENTS

MARKET VALUE

HARTLE, HELEN I & DEAN P
RR 4

OWATONNA MN 55060

PARCEL# 07-017-44-00-00

1991		1992	
AG HSTD		AG HSTD	
N/A			
26,500		27,700	
12. SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS		AMOUNT	
INT.		PRIN.	
1991		1992	
		62.00	
58.00			
840.26		932.79	
324.22		369.83	
252.04		272.96	
264.00		290.00	
82.00		96.00	
22.00		24.00	
160.00		170.00	
264.00		290.00	
264.00		290.00	
MAY 15, 1992		145.00	
NOV 16, 1992		145.00	

YOUR PROPERTY TAX AND HOW IT IS REDUCED BY THE STATE

- Use this amount on Form M-1PR to see if you're eligible for a property tax refund
File by August 15. If box is checked, you owe delinquent taxes and are not eligible
- Use this amount for the special property tax refund on schedule 1 of Form M-1PR
- Your property tax before reduction by state-paid aids and credits
- Aid paid by the state of Minnesota to reduce your property tax
- Credits paid by the state of Minnesota to reduce your property tax
A. Homestead and agricultural credit
B. Other credits
- Your property tax after reduction by state-paid aids and credits
- County 33.686
- City or town 8.135
- School district 7.61 59.650
- Special taxing districts A.
B.
- Total property tax before special assessments 101.471
- Special assessments added to this property tax bill
- Your total property tax and special assessments

PAY THIS AMOUNT NO LATER THAN

MAY 15, 1992

PAY THIS AMOUNT NO LATER THAN

NOV 16, 1992

You may be eligible for one or even two refunds to reduce your property tax. Read the back of this statement to find out how to apply.

PAYABLE IN:

1992

STEVEN J. ROHLIK

TAXPAYERS COPY RETURN STUB WITH PAYMENT

PROPERTY OWNER(S):

STEELE COUNTY TREASURER
BOX 487 • OWATONNA, MN 55060
507-451-8040

07008310100 2 101-1.00

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PROPERTY DESCRIPTION - FOR TAX PURPOSES ONLY
(THE LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF YOUR PROPERTY MAY DIFFER)

8-107-19

40.00 ACRES

SW1/4 OF NW1/4

PROPERTY CLASS

NEW IMPROVEMENTS

MARKET VALUE

HARTLE, HELEN I & DEAN P
RR 4

OWATONNA

MN 55060

PARCEL# 07-008-43-00-00

1991		1992	
AG HSTD		AG HSTD	
N/A			
34,900		36,400	
12. SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS		AMOUNT	
INT.		PRIN.	
1991		1992	
		84.00	
		76.00	
1,106.56		1,222.94	
426.73		485.73	
331.83		359.21	
348.00		378.00	
108.00		126.00	
30.00		30.00	
210.00		222.00	
348.00		378.00	
348.00		378.00	
PAY THIS AMOUNT NO LATER THAN		MAY 15, 1992	
		139.00	
PAY THIS AMOUNT NO LATER THAN		NOV 16, 1992	
		139.00	

1. Use this amount on Form M-1PR to see if you're eligible for a property tax refund
File by August 15. If box is checked, you owe delinquent taxes and are not eligible

2. Use this amount for the special property tax refund on schedule 1 of Form M-1PR

YOUR PROPERTY TAX AND HOW IT IS REDUCED BY THE STATE

3. Your property tax before reduction by state-paid aids and credits

4. Aid paid by the state of Minnesota to reduce your property tax

5. Credits paid by the state of Minnesota to reduce your property tax

A. Homestead and agricultural credit

B. Other credits

6. Your property tax after reduction by state-paid aids and credits

WHERE YOUR PROPERTY TAX DOLLARS GO RATES

7. County 33.686

8. City or town 8.135

9. School district 7.61 59.650

10. Special taxing districts A.

B.

11. Total property tax before special assessments 101.471

12. Special assessments added to this property tax bill

13. Your total property tax and special assessments

PAY THIS AMOUNT NO LATER THAN

MAY 15, 1992

139.00

PAY THIS AMOUNT NO LATER THAN

NOV 16, 1992

139.00

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STEELE COUNTY STATEMENT OF

PAYABLE IN:

REAL ESTATE

1992

STEVEN J. ROHLIK

STEELE COUNTY TREASURER
BOX 487 • OWATONNA, MN 55060
507-451-8040

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PROPERTY OWNER(S):

07008310100 1 101-1.00

648

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION - FOR TAX PURPOSES ONLY
(THE LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF YOUR PROPERTY MAY DIFFER)

8-107-19

75.84 ACRES

PARCEL# 07-008-33-00-00

W1/2 OF SW1/4 EX 4.16 A. TO 7084-1

PROPERTY CLASS

NEW IMPROVEMENTS

MARKET VALUE

HARTLE, HELEN I & DEAN P
RR 4

OWATONNA

MN 55060

1991		1992	
AG HSTD		AG HSTD	
N/A			
68,400		71,500	
12. SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS		AMOUNT	
INT.		PRIN.	
1991		1992	
		536.00	
		566.00	
2,042.86		2,291.31	
716.38		843.84	
742.48		791.47	
584.00		656.00	
182.00		218.00	
50.00		52.00	
352.00		386.00	
584.00		656.00	
584.00		656.00	
PAY THIS AMOUNT NO LATER THAN		MAY 15, 1992	
		328.00	
PAY THIS AMOUNT NO LATER THAN		NOV 16, 1992	
		328.00	

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Joe R. Stransky

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Joe R. Stransky

ADDRESS RR 4 Owatonna Mn. 55060
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 451-1181

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 26 TOWNSHIP Owatonna COUNTY Steele

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 120

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Sept. 1890

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

SE 1/4 NW 1/4, S 1/2 NE 1/4 Section 26 T. 107 N. - R. 20 W.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Joseph F + Rosa Stransky I	Sept. 24, 1890 - 1913	Same Joseph F husband of Rosa + later Mary
next owner Joseph F + Mary Stransky II	1913 to 1946	Father of Joseph II
next owner Joseph F + Eleanor Stransky II	1946 to 1977	Father of Joseph R.
next owner Joseph R. + Evelyn Stransky III	1977 to 1993	
next owner		

The above evidence of continuous family ownership is taken from one or more of the following records. Indicate by check marks those that apply.

(*) Abstract of Title () Court file in Registration Proceedings
() Land Patent () County Land Record
() Original Deed () Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Joe R. Stransky
(signature of present owner)

May 5, 1993
(date)

SEE NOT ON BACK

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

Any information you can add to this form will be most valuable to future historians. The questions below are only a guide. Feel free to add other data, especially family or pioneer stories concerning the farm and the area around it. This is not a requirement for Century Farm certification.

FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Wencel Belina

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 120

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$12.00

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? CZECHOSLOVAKIA

DID HE FARM THE LAND? Yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? _____

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? Yes

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? _____

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? _____

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Dairying, Corn + Beans

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

Will you please mail the Certificate to us, parents of Joe R., as we will have it framed + give it to him, later

*Mrs. Joe F. Stransky, Sr.
Owatonna, Mn.*

*R.R. 4 Box 288
55060*

*Century Farm
Recognition*

Century Farms

Minnesota State Fair

St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

PLEASE RETURN BY JULY 15

7/27/92
OK

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER

Avis R. Brandt

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

Mrs. Ray H. Brandt
and Sons.

ADDRESS

530 East Fifth

(street)

Morris

(city)

MN.

(state)

56267

(zip)

PHONE NUMBER

area code (612)

589-3304

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

Route - Box

SECTION

14 & 15

TOWNSHIP

Framnas

COUNTY

Stevens

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT

232

more or less

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY

1892

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

Section 14 - Twp 125 Range 41

Section 15 - Twp 125 Range 41

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Peter C. Brandt</u>	<u>April 18, 1892</u> <u>to 1940</u>	<u>Father</u>
next owner <u>Henry P. Brandt</u>	<u>1940 to 1959.</u>	<u>Father</u>
next owner <u>Ray H. Brandt</u>	<u>1959 to 1985</u>	<u>Father</u>
next owner <u>Avis Brandt</u>	<u>1985 to Date</u>	<u>Daughter-in-Law</u>
next owner		

The above evidence of continuous family ownership is taken from one or more of the following records. Indicate by check marks those that apply.

() Abstract of Title

(☒) Court file in Registration Proceedings

() Land Patent

(☒) County Land Record

(☒) Original Deed

() Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Avis Brandt
(signature of present owner)

07/25/92
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Thomas Austinson
HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 170⁸⁴/₁₀₀
WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$ 19.00
WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Unknown - "
DID HE FARM THE LAND? "
DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? Unknown

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? Yes
IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? No

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1918
WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn- Beans- wheat

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

Thomas Austinson - Homestead June 1, 1875
Thomas Austinson to Austin Thompson 1880
Austin Thompson to Ole C. Hanson 1891
Ole C. Hanson to Peter Brandt 1892

Beautiful setting with many trees. At one time Scandia Lake was a popular place for picnics, and outings. The lake 'dried up' during the dry thirties and my husband said, "it was thought to be spring fed."

A neat round barn was built in 1906. I tried to get assistance in restoring it, but there wasn't money available at that time. My son demolished it in 1990 because it was becoming a danger for children.

I was also told there are Indian mounds in the woods. My sons have found Indian hammers.

PLEASE RETURN BY JULY 15, 1988 TO:

Century Farms
Minnesota State Fair
St. Paul, MN 55108

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER PHILIP M. HALBE

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

PHILIP AND LEONA HALBE

ADDRESS 326 S. COLUMBIA AV. MORRIS MN 56267
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 589-2295

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE RR1 MORRIS MN

SECTION 30 TOWNSHIP FRANKES COUNTY STEVENS

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 118.16 + 78.15 = 196.31 - 40 = 156.31

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY MAR. 29, 1890

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

E 1/2 OF THE NW 1/4 AND THE LOT NUMBERED ONE OF SECTION 30 IN TOWNSHIP ONE
HUNDRED AND TWENTY FIVE NORTH OF RANGE 41 WEST OF THE FIFTH MERIDIAN
IN MINNESOTA

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner THEODORE BRUNS	1890 - 1927	HUSBAND OF WIFE MINNIE AND FATHER OF DAU. MARIE
next owner MINNIE BRUNS	1927 - 1936	MOTHER OF MARIE
next owner AND MARIE BRUNS HALBE	1927 - 1936	DAUGHTER OF MINNIE
next owner MARIE BRUNS HALBE	1936 - 1957	MOTHER OF PHILIP
next owner PHILIP HALBE	1957 - PRESENT	FATHER OF MICHAEL.

SON MICHAEL NOW LIVES ON THE FARM SINCE 1985 WHEN WE MOVED TO MORRIS.

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|-----------------------|--|
| () Abstract of Title | (X) Court file in Registration Proceedings |
| () Land Patent | () County Land Record |
| (X) Original Deed | () Other |

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Philip M Halbe

(signature of present owner)

7-9-93

(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? United States - Homesteaded

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 118.16

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? Homesteaded

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? no unless you call the dairy a separate occupation

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? yes

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL

BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? yes - house was made into a granary.

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? Summer of 1908.

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? small grains, corn

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: alfalfa & soybeans

1890 - Mar 29 - Theodore Brunstrec'd Homestead site for 118.16 acres in sec 30 Original House and 3 barn farm bldgs were surrounded by a tree claim

1894 - Sept 18 - Theodore Brunst bgt 78.15 acres in sec 19 (from the St. Paul, Mpls, Manitoba Railway Co for \$547.05) which joined the original acreage. ^{acres} farm from N to S cutting it in half

1894 - To 1908 a large dairy and horse barn was built across the river and all the former bldgs were moved to the new and present site. The original house was made into a granary.

1908 - A new large square 5 bedroom home was built on the new farm site

Late 1930's to mid 40's a Holstein Dairy herd was started and called the College View Dairy farm because the West Central Agricultural College could be seen at the eastern edge of Morris. Philip drove a small panel truck and delivered the bottled milk and cream to their customers. Mid 40's Dairy herd changed over to Purebred Angus Beef cattle. - help was hard to get in the 40's due to the war.

1939 - Electricity came to the farm - no more kerosene lanterns + gas engines

1957 - Philip took over the farm from his mother (less 37.76 acres to his son) to pump water on

1965 - New well system added and a large farrowing barn. ^{plus 2.4 acres to the state} hand pumping.

1969 - The big house was finally modern

1974 - Machinery shed + shop built.

These are the important high lights of our farm. There are many more detailed data that are interesting facts to be told.

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Dear Sirs:-

I really goofed the Proof of Ownership. I hope you can read my explanation as you see I'm not a very good printer

Orig. owner - 1890-1927. Theodore Beune
When he died the farm was left in both his wife & daughter's names. So when Minnie died there was no change in the Title.

When I filled out the Number of Acres in the farm at present I forgot Marie had given 37.6 A to another son for a housing project along H. 28 in 57 and in 63 we sold 2.4 A to the State for Acreage Reserve. So the amount of acres deeded to Philip in 1957 was 196.31 less 40 so the total farm acres are 156.31

Thank You

Leona Halbe

If the form I've filled out does not meet your approval due to mistakes blotted out, please send me another form and I will recopy it.

326 S. Columbia Ave
Marion, Mo. 64667

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Fred C. & Gladys A. Huebner

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

Fred C. ~~Huebner~~ & Gladys A. Huebner

ADDRESS RR1 Box 163 Donnelly MN 56235
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 246-3446

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 30 TOWNSHIP Rendsville COUNTY Stevens

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 152.10 ✓

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1881 ✓

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

Sec. 30 Twp. 126 Range 42 30 126 42
152.10 NW 1/4 NE 1/4 & Lot 344

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
E. Brandt T. Krogen first owner		
Gulbrand T. Krogen	1881-1917	Uncle of Ole Krogen
next owner		
Ole & Thea S. Krogen	1917-1934	Uncle of Gunda Krogen Huebner
next owner		
Fred H. & Gunda Krogen Huebner	1934-1976	Mother of Fred C. Huebner
next owner		
Fred C & Gladys Huebner	1976 - present	
next owner		

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(✓) Land Patent (✓) County Land Record
(✓) Original Deed () Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Fred C. Huebner Gladys A. Huebner
(signature of present owner)

7-14-93
(date)

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ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Herbert G. Jacobson

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

Herbert and Alice Jacobson

ADDRESS 706-W-5th St Morris Mn 56267
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 589-1637

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Chokio Mn 56221

SECTION 36 TOWNSHIP Baker COUNTY Stevens

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 154 acres

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Sept 30 - 1892

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

S.E 1/4 Sec 36 124 - north of Range
No. 44 west of Baker township

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
Jacob Jacobson first owner		
Jacob Jacobson next owner	1892 - 1924	Father of George
George Jacobson next owner	1924 - 1940	Joseph H. Jacobson et al.
Joseph H. Jacobson et al. next owner	1940 - 1951	Herbert & Reuben Jacobson
Reuben Jacobson next owner	1951 - 1953	Herbert Jacobson
Herbert Jacobson	1953 - Present	

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() Original Deed () Other _____

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Herbert G. Jacobson
(signature of present owner)

Jan 12 - 1993
(date)

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER CLAYTON J. Dale

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

Clayton ~~SEDA~~ and Gwen Dale

ADDRESS 511 17th st. N. Benson Mn. 56215
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 8433388

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE A1 Danvers, Mn. 56231

SECTION 15 TOWNSHIP Westbank COUNTY Swift

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160 acres

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY MARCH 1893

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

NE 1/4 Sec 15 Twp 120 RANGE 41 Swift County Minnesota

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner JOHN M. DALE	1893 - 1934	FATHER of Peter
next owner PETER A. DALE	1934 - 1975	FATHER of Clayton
next owner CLAYTON J. DALE	1975 - PRESENT	
next owner		
next owner		

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Land Patent | <input type="checkbox"/> County Land Record |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Original Deed | <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Clayton J. Dale
(signature of present owner)

5-17-93
(date)

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Thomas Lerve
NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Thomas M. Lerve

ADDRESS RR 2 Box 50B Benson Mn 56215
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 843-4386

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 28 TOWNSHIP Swenoda COUNTY Swift

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1878

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

NW 1/4 of Sec. 28 Twp 120 Rge 40

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Andrew + Cecilia Svaleson	1878 - 1892	father of Rosia
next owner Sivert + Rosia Larson	1892 - 1936	mother of Mabel
next owner Thosten + Mabel Lerve	1936 - 1970	mother of Thomas
next owner Thomas + Juanita Lerve	1970 -	
next owner		

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() Land Patent () County Land Record
(☒) Original Deed () Other _____

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Thomas M Lerve
(signature of present owner)

July 11, 1993
(date)

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DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? _____

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER

Mabel Jerve

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

Mabel Adna Jerve

ADDRESS

R² Box 50

(street)

Benson

(city)

Mn

(state)

56215

(zip)

PHONE NUMBER

area code (612)

843-3046

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

SECTION

28

TOWNSHIP

Swenoda

COUNTY

Swift

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY

about 1869

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

NW 1/4 of Sec. 28

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Andrew + Cecilia Svaleson	1869 -	father of Rosa
next owner Severt + Rosa Larson		father of Mabel
next owner Theosten + Mabel Jerve		father of Thomas
next owner Thomas + Juanita Jerve		
next owner		

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() Court file in Registration Proceedings

() Land Patent

() County Land Record

() Original Deed

() Other

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Mabel Jerve

(signature of present owner)

5/14/1993

(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? _____

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? _____

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? _____

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Stavanger, Norway

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? _____

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? yes

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? yes

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? started in 1890's

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn + beans

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

Andrew and Sesila Svalson emigrated from Norway. They homesteaded ~~on the~~ in 1869 on the NW 1/4 of Sec. 28. They lived in a 2 room dirt cellar. The walls were just high enough above ground so they could have a few small windows for light. The roof was heavy timbers laid across the top and slough grass and layers of prairie sod, clay and more slough grass, built up in many layers so it would not leak. There is a depression in the ground yet showing where the dirt cellar had been. Two trees still stand that formed the living fence from the dirt cellar to the barn so they could string ropes around the trees to make their way to the barn in snow storms. Before they had a ~~big~~ mill in Big Bend - Hagon Andrew Svalson would ~~walk~~ walk 3 days to Bird Island for a 50 lb bag of flour.

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER

Fred Katz

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

Fred A. Katz

ADDRESS

RR #1

(street)

Bertha

(city)

Mn

(state)

56437

(zip)

PHONE NUMBER

area code (218)924-4391

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

SECTION

TOWNSHIP

COUNTY

TODD

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT

80

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY

1892

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

Section 23 Twp-132 Range 35
SE 1/4 NE 1/4 & NE 1/4 SE 1/4
80 acres

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from 1892 to 1923	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner	<u>Gust Katz</u> <u>1892 to 1923</u>	<u>Father</u>
next owner	<u>Fred Katz</u> <u>1923 - 1993</u>	<u>son</u>
next owner		
next owner		
next owner		

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() Original Deed () Other _____

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Fred A. Katz

(signature of present owner)

December 9, 1992

(date)

FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? _____

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE?_____

DID HE FARM THE LAND?_____

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING?

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? _____

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE?

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT?_____

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? _____

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

Fred A.
Kotz

Todd



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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Roy Francis Lee

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

Roy & Joan (Rapp) Lee

ADDRESS Rt 2 Box 125 Long Prairie Minnesota 56347
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 732-2670

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Same

SECTION 29 TOWNSHIP Reynolds COUNTY Todd

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 159 acres

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY March 25, 1893

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 EX E 300 Ft of N 145.2 FT the S 1/2 of NW 1/4 and

NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Section 29, township 129, N of Range 34w

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Arnt Erikson	1893 - 1955	Father of Elsie
next owner Elsie (Erickson) Lee	1955 - 1976	Mother of Roy
next owner Roy Francis Lee	1976 - Present	
next owner		
next owner		

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() Original Deed (X) Other Land Office - St. Cloud, MN

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Roy F. Lee
(signature of present owner)

6-29-93
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Homesteaded (owned by the railroad)

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 120 acres

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? —

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Hovin, Horg Parish, Sor Trondelag, NORWAY

DID HE FARM THE LAND? Yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? No

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? Yes

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? Yes

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1911

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Oats, corn & hay

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Only after Senator Knute Nelson talked with President Theodore Roosevelt, was Arnt able to get his homestead certificate. It was a long, hard struggle. Uneven number sections were for the railroads to develop and even numbered sections were for homesteading. Arnt Erikson's section was 29. Arnt could speak very little english. Because of that, Arnt went to Alexandria to have attorney Knute Nelson to help him. Knute came from Voss, Norway, at age six in 1849. He was accused of being a railroad attorney who fought for the rights of "his people," particularly farmers. There was alot of correspondence with the Great Northeren Railroad. Some of the letters we still have. Arnt established residence on the homestead March 25, 1893 and the homestead certificate with President Theodore Roosevelt's name on it was January 31, 1903. Grandfather had also bought an additional 40 acres just north of him for \$275., June 29, 1898. (\$6.88 an acre.) He wanted it for the tamarac to use for building. It is interesting on all the papers received from the land office, Arnt signed his name with the Norwegian spelling of Erikson. On papers typed, where they spelt it with a 'c' - Erickson - the 'c' has been struck out. I'm not sure when he took the spelling and name of Andrew Erickson.

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER PAUL H. PISCHKE ^{+ LOIS}

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

PAUL H. + LOIS PISCHKE

ADDRESS R 2 Box 56 SAUK CENTRE MN 56378
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 352-3150

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 15 + 11 TOWNSHIP 127 COUNTY TODD

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY AUG. 2, 1893

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

120 ACRES RANGE 35 N2 NE4 B; NE4 NW4

40 ACRES RANGE 35 SW4 SW4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner PAUL PISCHKE	AUG. 2, 1893 to DEC. 22, 1942	Father of JOE
next owner JOE + IDA PISCHKE	DEC. 22, 1942 to 1962	Father of PAUL
next owner ^{+ LOIS} PAUL H. PISCHKE	1962 to PRESENT	
next owner		
next owner		

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☐ Original Deed ☐ Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Paul H. Pischke
(signature of present owner)

June 7, 1993
(date)

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ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Verne and Janice Smith

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

Verne & Janice Smith

ADDRESS RR1 Box 202 Motley Mn 56466
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (218) 894-2786

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Same

SECTION 4 TOWNSHIP Fawn Lake COUNTY Todd

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 394

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Aug. 3, 1892

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

NE 1/4 of sec. 4-132-32, subject to right of way of Northern Pacific Railroad, as now located, over & across said land.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Annie Smith</u>	<u>8-3-1892 - 1913</u>	<u>mother of Henry</u>
next owner <u>Henry W. Smith</u>	<u>1913 - 1937</u>	<u>Father of Clifford</u>
next owner <u>Clifford G. Smith</u>	<u>1937 - 1988</u>	<u>Father of Verne</u>
next owner <u>Verne A. & Janice Smith</u>	<u>1988 - present</u>	
next owner		

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Verne A. Smith
(signature of present owner)

Feb. 1st, 1993
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Orrin & Carrie Kipp

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 35.50 acres

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$22.54 per acre = total paid \$800

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes.

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? _____

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? _____

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? _____

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? _____

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Beef Cattle

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Annie & Michael Smith came here from Germany and started buying land to live on and farm. They continued to purchase land thru their life time to form the farm we are now farming. They homesteaded and worked the land and passed it on to their family and it has continually been in the family. Verne is 48 yrs and Janice 45 yrs. and we have 2 sons, ages 25 & 23 and hopefully pray that one or both will continue the farm operation someday.

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Rodney and Bertha Westergren

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

Rodney and Bertha Westergren

ADDRESS Rt. 1 Box 16 Bertha Minnesota 56437
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (218) 924-4335

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Same

SECTION 16 TOWNSHIP Bertha COUNTY Todd

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 80 acres (plus 80 adjoining acres)

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY May 4, 1892

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

S 1/2 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 16, Twp. 132, Range 35

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner		
C. G Swenson	1892 - 1911	Father of Hilda
next owner Charles E. Swenson, 1911-1912 Alma A. Anderson, Hilda C. Westergren, Clara C. Hokanson, & Annie M. Anderson		Self and brother and sisters from father's estate
next owner		
Frans W. Westergren and Hilda C. Westergren	1912 - 1962	Parents of Rodney
next owner		
Rodney Westergren and Bertha Westergren	1962 - to present	
next owner		

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(X) Abstract of Title () Court file in Registration Proceedings
() Land Patent () County Land Record
() Original Deed () Other _____

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Rodney Westergren
Bertha Westergren
(signature of present owner)

7-12-93
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? The St. Paul, Minneapolis and Manitoba Railway Co.

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 80

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$8.00

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Sweden

DID HE FARM THE LAND? Yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING?

Carpenter/cabinet maker

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? We think so because they lived there from 1887.

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? Yes, but not in use.

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1962 on the adjoining 80 acres.

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? corn, barley, hay

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS:

The Swensons came to Bertha and settled on the farm in Sec. 16 in 1887. They built a small shanty and lived in it that first winter. They also started a home of hand-hewed logs. These logs were the bottom story and the house was finished with sawn lumber as time went on. We believe that the land was homesteaded or leased from the railroad, but we don't know for sure as they lived there for five years before purchasing the property. The house still stands but is in very poor condition and not habitable.

In the beginning the land totaled 160 acres. In 1892 it was divided; my grandfather C.H. Swenson bought the 80 acres that we now own and his son Charles E. Swenson bought the other 80 acres NW $\frac{1}{2}$ -NW $\frac{1}{4}$. It was in the family for many years but now is out of the family.

Rodney Westergren

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June 14, 1993

Dear Sirs;

My grandfather's farm has been in the family for 100 years. I would like very much to have it recognized as a Century farm.

My grandfather came from Norway as a young man. He homesteaded in Reynolds Township, Todd County. My grandfather sold the farm to his daughter & later she sold it to her son.

Grandfather worked very hard clearing the land and building the farmstead. The house he built in 1912 was of the trees he cleared. My cousin still lives in the beautiful, two story house.

I have the papers from the land office in St. Cloud, telling of how each year he improved the homestead. It's a fascinating account of an American Dream come true!

Anxious to hear from you!

Louella E. Smith
116 - 2nd Ave SE
Dilworth, MN 56529

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Allelu Farms Inc

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Allelu Farms Inc.,
Duane & Reynold Kohrs

ADDRESS RI Box 31A Lake City Mn 55041
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 345-4319

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 20 TOWNSHIP Mt. Pleasant COUNTY Wabasha

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 240

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1892

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

NW 1/4 of Section 20 Township 111 Range 13
(only the E 1/2 of NW 1/4 was the original farm site purchased in 1892)

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner John /Katie Kohrs	1892 - 1938	father/mother
next owner Albert Kohrs	1938 - 1958	father
next owner Reynold Kohrs	1958 - 1980	father
next owner (Duane Kohrs) Allelu Farms Inc	1980 - Present	
next owner		

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() Land Patent () County Land Record
(☒) Original Deed () Other _____

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Duane Kohrs Allelu Farms Inc.
(signature of present owner)

6-2-93
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Charles & Susan Roberts

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 80

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$25.00

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? no

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? no

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? no

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1968

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? dairy

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: This farm was homesteaded in 1858

by Joseph Cross - the farm was 2 halves, 80 acres each

John Kohrs bought E 1/2 in 1892 from Roberts,

and W 1/2 from Henry Siems in 1909

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Charles N. Condes

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

Charles N. and Annette Condes

ADDRESS RR1 Box 144 Lake City Mn. 55041
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 345-2756

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 18-19 TOWNSHIP Mt. Pleasant COUNTY Wabasha

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY July 5, 1892

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

The N $\frac{1}{2}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and the SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of SE $\frac{1}{4}$ of
Sec. 18; and the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Sec. 19, all
in 111-13.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Peter Condes</u>	<u>July 5, 1892</u> <u>Aug 26, 1912</u>	father brother
next owner <u>John + Caroline Condes</u>	<u>Aug 26, 1912</u>	mother + father
next owner <u>Harry Condes</u>	<u>May 24, 1958</u>	Uncle of Charles
next owner <u>Charles N. Condes</u>	<u>May 16, 1974</u>	
next owner		

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Charles N. Condes
(signature of present owner)

July 5 - 1993
(date)

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Dean + Julie Suilmann

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

Dean + Julie Suilmann

ADDRESS R. 2 Box 35 Wabasha MN 55981
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 565-3300

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 35 TOWNSHIP Pepin COUNTY Wabasha

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 180

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1877

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

E 1/2 NE 1/4, SE 1/4 SE 1/4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Herman Passe Sr	1877 - 1932	Grandson son of Herman
next owner Joe Suilmann Jr	1932 - 1953	Granddaughter of Herman ^{1st} Cousin of Joe
next owner Annabelle + Lloyd Suilmann	1953 - 1991	Son of Annabelle Lloyd +
next owner Dean Suilmann	1991 - Present	
next owner		

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() Land Patent () County Land Record
(X) Original Deed () Other _____

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Dean Suilmann
(signature of present owner)

7-15-93
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? _____

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? _____

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? _____

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany

DID HE FARM THE LAND? Yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? NO

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? Yes

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? NO

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1920

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Hay Corn oats

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

This is the first farm in Wabasha County to be

Strip farmed and terraced in 1937 by the CCC's.

It is still farmed this way.

The ASCS was formed later in the County.

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER HARLIN MAANINGA

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

HARLIN AND JUDY MAANINGA

ADDRESS Route 2 Box 10 MENAHGA MINNESOTA 56464
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (218) 564-4714

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Route 4 MENAHGA, MN. 56464

SECTION 20 & 19 TOWNSHIP SHELL RIVER COUNTY WADENA

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 320

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1891

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

NW 1/4 AND THE NORTH 2/3 OF GOVT. LOT 2, OF SECTION 20 AND THE
SW 1/4 OF THE SE 1/4 OF SECTION 19, Twp 138 RANGE 34

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>LARS Pulju</u>	<u>1891-1943</u>	<u>GRAND FATHER OF EVERT</u>
next owner <u>EVERT MAANINGA</u>	<u>1943-1976</u>	<u>FATHER OF HARLIN</u>
next owner <u>HARLIN MAANINGA</u>	<u>1976-PRESENT</u>	
next owner		
next owner		

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Harlin Evert Maaninga
(signature of present owner)

AUG. 3, 1993
(date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? EVERT MAANINGA
HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 1,521 ACRES / 320 WHEN F. PURCHASED IT.
WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$100.00 PER ACRE
WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? FINLAND
DID HE FARM THE LAND? YES
DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? NO

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? YES
IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? YES
WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? MOVED ON THE PROPERTY IN 1939
WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? HAY AND SMALL CROPS
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: LARS SERVED AS TREASURER OF THE FARMERS CO-OP SAMPO MARCH 8, 1912 - MARCH 9, 1917. HE ALSO SERVED ON THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS FOR THE MENAHGA COOP CREAMERY IN 1923. HE AND HIS WIFE MARIA HAD ONE DAUGHTER WHO MARRIED OIAF MAANINGA. OIAF AND ALMA HAD 19 CHILDREN. ONLY 9 LIVED TO BE ADULTS. EVERT REMEMBERED MAKING A WOODEN BOX FOR ONE OF HIS LITTLE BROTHERS WHO DIED.

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER FAWN CREEK FARMS
NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE FAWN CREEK FARMS

ADDRESS Rt 2 Box 308 STAPLES MN 56479
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (218) 894-1667

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE SAME

SECTION 34 TOWNSHIP THOMAS TOWN COUNTY WADENA

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1893

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

NW 1/4 SEC 34 T134N R33W

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner FRED TILS + WIFE	1893 - 1917	FATHER OF WILLIAM
next owner WILLIAM TILS + WIFE	1917 - 1945	HUSBAND OF EVA
next owner EVA TILS	1945 - 1971 1971	MOTHER OF KATHRYN
next owner GORDON + KATHRYN BERG	1971 - 1980	PARENTS OF BRUCE + KENNETH
next owner BRUCE + KENNETH BERG	1980 - PRESENT	

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() Land Patent () County Land Record
() Original Deed (X) Other COURT HOUSE AND FAMILY RECORDS

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Kenneth Berg Bruce Berg
(signature of present owner)

(date)

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Mrs Myrtle Brunette
NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Myrtle Brunette

ADDRESS 17977 St Croix Jr. Rd. Marine Mn 55047
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 433 2812

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 1st 5 Sec 6 TOWNSHIP Marine COUNTY Washington
TP 51-R 9E 19

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 20 acres

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Oct 28-1871

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

Franklin Brunette now deceased owned and
operated over 200 acres from 1925 to 1972

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Agnes Brunette</u>	<u>1867 - 1916</u>	
next owner <u>Frank Brunette</u>	<u>1916 - 1926</u>	<u>Husband of Mary</u>
next owner <u>Mary Brunette</u>	<u>1926 - 1938</u>	<u>Wife of Frank</u>
next owner <u>Franklin Brunette</u>	<u>1938 - 1992</u>	<u>Son of Mary & Frank</u>
next owner <u>Myrtle Brunette</u>	<u>1992 -</u>	<u>Wife of Franklin</u>

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Myrtle Brunette
(signature of present owner)

July 7 1993
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Unknown
HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? Unknown
WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? Unknown
WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Marine Co St Croix
DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes
DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? I served as a milkman for Marine in the 30's
WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? yes
IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? Farm Buildings
WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1937
WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Many
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: My husband now deceased farmed over 200 acres until his retirement in 1972. He was the 3rd generation on this farm. He missed the opportunity to register the farm the last time they had the Century farms. Now at present I have 20 acres left and continue to live on the Brunette farm. The original home burned in 1936 and was rebuilt in 1937.

Sincerely
Myrtle Brunette

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Elvin A. Sulheim & Marie S. Alm

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

Elvin A. Sulheim and Marie S. Alm

ADDRESS Rt 1 - Box 188 Butterfield MINN. 56120
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 956-2641

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 06 TOWNSHIP Odin - 105 COUNTY Watonwan

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 218.89

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1873

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

sect 06 - Twp - 105 - Range - 033
E 1/2 of S.W. 1/4, S 1/2 of S.E. 1/4 & Lot 3

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner		
next owner		
next owner		
next owner		
next owner		

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Elvin A. Sulheim
(signature of present owner)

8-20-92
(date)

Name	years of Ownership from to	Blood relation to next owner,	ok
Engelbit Stenerson and Wife Mary	1873-1915		
Name changed to Engelbit Sulheim & Wife Mary in 1899			
Name changed to Engelbit Sulheim & Wife Mary 1904		Father	
Stener A. Sulheim	1915-1933	Husband	
Mathea Sulheim	1933-1951	Mother	
John Sulheim, Margaret Wier Anna Mathiasen Torges Sulheim Elvin Sulheim - Marie & Alm	1960 1990	Brother and Sisters	
Elvin Sulheim Marie & Alm	1990		
<u>August 20-1992</u> <u>Elvin A. Sulheim</u>			

This form was received just a couple
of days ago so may be too late to process
in time for this.

Elin Sullivan

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Anthony G. Heim

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

Anthony Gerald Heim

ADDRESS Route 2, Box 168 St. Charles, MN 55972
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 932-5664

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Same

SECTION 27 TOWNSHIP 107 COUNTY Winona

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 80 acres

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Sept. 12, 1865

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

Sect-27 TWP-107 Range-010

80 acres E 1/2 NE 1/4 Section 27 T 107 R 10

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Anthony Heim</u>	<u>1865 - 1905</u>	<u>Father of Edward J.</u>
next owner <u>Edward J. Heim</u>	<u>1905 - 1952</u>	<u>Father Anthony E.</u>
next owner <u>Anthony E. Heim</u>	<u>1952 - 1993</u>	<u>Father of Anthony G.</u>
next owner <u>Anthony G. Heim</u>	<u>Present owner</u>	
next owner		

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() Land Patent () County Land Record
() Original Deed () Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Anthony G. Heim
(signature of present owner)

May 31, 1993
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? John H. Foster
HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? Quater section
WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? Unknown
WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Eden, Erie county NW in 1833
DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes
DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? yes
Member of local school board & board of supervisors in Elletts township. In 1876-1878 member of lower house of state legislature - elected from 7th district, City of Winona
WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? Original owner Mr. Foster received from Pres. Buchanan
IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL Original with wash 100 cabin
BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? Original home built by Anthony Hein
WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? about 1875 still stands
WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn, cattle, hay
ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

This farm along with other farms was
called Lyndale Farms when Edward John Hein owned it.

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Father of first family owner

Bernard Heim was born in Alsace, then a part of France, now a part of Germany, in 1802. When he was about thirty years of

age he came to America and settled at Eden, in Erie county, near Buffalo, N. Y. There he married Odelia Burke, also a native of Alsace. He died about 1850. In 1860 she came to Minnesota and took up her home with her son, Anthony Heim, then living in Elba township. She died there December 21, 1886, at the age of eighty-four years and six months. In the family were two sons and two daughters. Anthony lives in Winona. Mary, Joseph and Adelia are deceased.

Anthony Heim, one of the substantial residents of the county now living in retirement in Winona, was born in Eden, Erie county, N. Y., May 5, 1833, son of Bernard and Odelia (Burke) Heim, who were born in Alsace, then in France, now in Germany, and came to America some eight or nine decades ago. Anthony assisted his father in various ways, and attended school for a short period. In April, 1857, he came to Winona county, and in company with Ferdinand Kramer, bought 140 acres of land in sections eleven and fourteen, Elba township. In time, through his mother, he acquired the title to this land. Gradually he increased his holdings, until at one time he owned over 1,200 acres in Winona county, and about 200 acres in Dodge county. After a while he erected a large dwelling on section twenty-seven, Elba township, in which he resided for many years. In 1900 he retired and moved to Winona, where he now lives in comfort at 115 East Fifth street. A Democrat in politics, Mr. Heim has had an active part in public affairs. Although his own school advantages were limited, he took an interest in education, and did good work as a member of the school board of his district. For many years he was a member of the board of supervisors in Elba township, and for a considerable period served as chairman of that board. In 1875 he was a member of the lower house of the state legislature, elected from the seventh district, the county of Winona at that time being divided into the seventh and eighth districts. It is worthy of note that at that time, the seventh district was overwhelmingly Republican, while Mr. Heim was elected on the Democratic ticket. Mr. Heim is a good citizen in every respect. He attends the Roman Catholic church and belongs to the Society of St. Joseph.

The subject of this sketch was married in May, 1857, to Crescentia Hafner, born in Baden, Germany, January 25, 1836. This union has been blessed with six children: Odelia, born February 22, 1863; Louisa, July 20, 1865; Mary A., September 25, 1867; Carolina, March 31, 1870; Louis A., November 5, 1873, and John Edward, February 15, 1877. Carolina is dead.

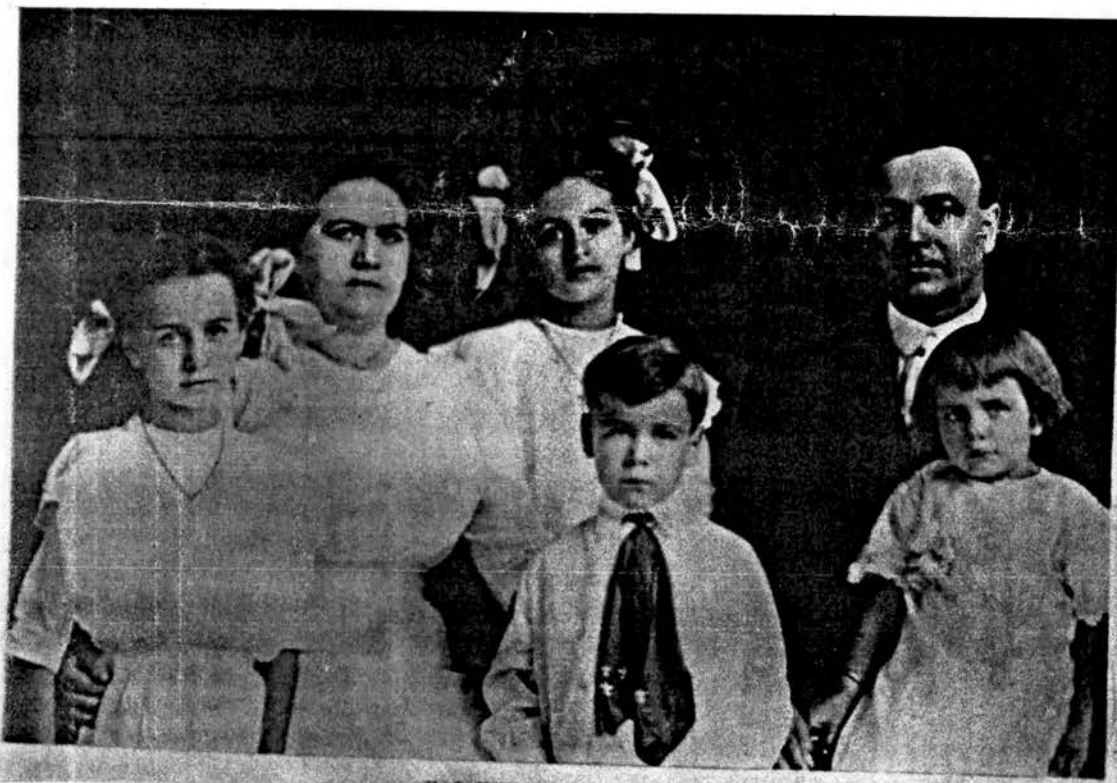
Reversed to Edward John

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Edward J. Heim, county commissioner of Winona county, proprietor of Lyndale Farms, and eminent citizen, was born on the farm which he still owns February 15, 1877, son of Anthony and Crescentia (Hafner) Heim, and grandson of Bernard and Odelia (Burke) Heim. He was reared on the old homestead and took a two years' course at St. John's University at St. Joseph, Minn., and one year at St. Thomas' College at St. Paul, Minn. For the past fifteen years he has paid particular attention to the breeding, raising and improving of full-blooded Aberdeen-Angus cattle, Percheron horses, Shropshire sheep and Poland China hogs. He has made this an avocation as well as a vocation, and aside from the financial results he received from shipping many carloads to Chicago each year, he also takes a genuine satisfaction in the results he has accomplished, as well as a scientific interest in his work. The Heim farm consists of 710 acres in sections 22, 26 and 27, Elba township, and the old Walnut Grove Farm of 176 acres in sections 11 and 14. This Walnut Grove tract takes in the 160 acres which Anthony Heim secured when he first came here, and on it is standing the old original home, in the shape of a log cabin, 18x22 feet. In this old house the family lived in pioneer times for several years. The holdings of Edward J. Heim, consisting of something like 900 acres, have been christened the Lyndale Farms, and are known far and wide. Edward J. Heim has won his unusual success in life by shrewdness and untiring effort. He has found time in a busy life to take an interest in the welfare and comfort of others, and to devote considerable attention to public affairs. He served for many years in school and town office. His county office dates from January 1, 1913. Aside from his farm holdings, Mr. Heim has interests in the Farmers' Elevator at St. Charles and in the Farmers' Elevator at Utica, as well as in the Altura State Bank of Altura, this county. Fraternally, he is associated with the Knights of Columbus at Winona. Edward J. Heim was married September 30, 1901, to Sophia Mayer, born at Buffalo, N. Y., June 30, 1882, daughter of John and Mary Mayer. Mr. and Mrs. Heim have four children: Lillian, born June 21, 1902; Grace, born June 3, 1905; Anthony, born January 29, 1906, and Dorothy, born May 12, 1910.

Louis A. Heim, a progressive young farmer of Winona county, and one of the leading citizens of Elba township, was born in the town where he still resides November 5, 1873, son of Anthony and Crescentia (Hafner) Heim, and grandson of Bernard and Odelia (Burke) Heim. He was reared on the old homestead, received a good education in the district school, attended Darlings.

Father of present owner Anthony G Heim



← Edward J.
Heim
Father of
Anthony E.

Anthony E
Father of present
owner
Anthony G



Anthony Heim
Original Family
Owner of farm
Father of
Edward J.

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER

John Kiese

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

John and Harold and Fern Kiese

ADDRESS *R. 2 Box 76* *Lewiston* *Mn.* *55952*
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code *(507)* *523-2328* + *3504*

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE *Same*

SECTION *10* TOWNSHIP *Utica* COUNTY *Winona*

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT *160 + 20 ac. wood L.* ✓

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY *1874* ✓

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

SE 1/4 of Section 10, Township 106 North Range 9

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

all recorded in Winona Co. Court House

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <i>Gottfried Kiese</i>	<i>Pur. 1874 - 1891</i>	<i>Father to Son Charles</i>
next owner <i>Charles Kiese</i>	<i>1891 - 1927</i>	<i>Father to Son Henry</i>
next owner <i>Henry Kiese</i>	<i>1927 - 1949</i>	<i>Father to Son Harold</i>
next owner <i>Harold Kiese</i>	<i>1949 - 1993</i>	<i>Father to Son John</i>
next owner <i>John Kiese</i>	<i>1993</i>	

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(X) Abstract of Title () Court file in Registration Proceedings
() Land Patent (X) County Land Record
(X) Original Deed () Other

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

John Kiese
(signature of present owner)

6/7/93
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Ernst Schoen 5-11-1874

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 160 + 20 woodland

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$7000.00

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany

DID HE FARM THE LAND? Yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING?

He had a milking herd - milking Shorthorns - popular in Germany

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? no

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? ~~yes~~ no

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1905

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Dairy

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Oldest building still in use is a
Granary built sometime in the late 1800's. The
Barn was built in 1900 when Henry Kiese was
5 yrs old. The House was built 5 yrs. later 1905 all
these buildings are in good shape

A Silo 22x60 was being constructed in June of 1974
with the name (Kiese since 1874) printed on it
when a severe hail storm wiped out all our
crops - that was the reason we did not
register the Kiese Century farm at that time.
John the present owner was 6 yrs old at the
100 yrs. Harold + Fern have 10 children of which
John is the youngest. All 5 generations were
and are members of St. Johns Lutheran Church
of Leveiston Mn. The last 4 gen. have attended
St. Johns Lutheran School and were confirmed in
St. Johns Lutheran Church and Baptized in same.

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Rick + Michele Speltz

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

Rick + Michele Speltz

ADDRESS Box 37 Lawiston MN 55952
(street) 70 and St. So. (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 523-2706

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Rt 1 Box 298 Altura MN

SECTION 6 TOWNSHIP 106 N COUNTY Winona

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 240 acres

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1870

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

E 1/2 of NW 1/4, W 1/2 of NE 1/4, S 1/2 of SW 1/4 of NW 1/4 of Sec. 6,
Township 106 N. Range 9 West of 5th principal Meridian
and NW 1/4 of SE 1/4, E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of SW 1/4, Sect 6, township 106 N.,
PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP: N., Range 9 West of 5th Meridian

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
<u>Civil War -</u> first owner <u>Veterans -</u> <u>Martin Wollin</u>	<u>May 10, 1870 -</u> <u>U. Grant 1896</u>	<u>Father</u>
next owner <u>Frank Wollin</u>	<u>1890 -</u> <u>1906</u>	<u>Father</u>
next owner <u>Otto Wollin</u>	<u>1906 -</u> <u>1960</u>	<u>Father</u>
next owner <u>Hilbert Wollin</u>	<u>1960 - 1992</u>	<u>Great Uncle to Michele</u>
next owner <u>Rick + Michele Speltz</u>	<u>1992 to DATE</u>	

Hilbert Wollin
Never married
or had children

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☒ Original Deed () Other _____

I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Michele Speltz
(signature of present owner)

3/1/93
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Hilbert Wollin

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 80

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? 240 acres for \$150,000

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Germany

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? no

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? yes

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? a small portion of main house

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? added on to over the years

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? apples / corn

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Horse Livestock - cattle, Hogs, chickens

This farm was purchased from Hilbert Wollin in 1992 by his Grand-niece and ~~my~~ husband. My Uncle Hilbert was never married and our family was like there kids. (Hilbert lived there with two sisters until 86 - Ellen move to St. Charles Nursing Home). In Oct of 1991 Hilbert + Almas move to a New Home in Lewiston. They Rented the farm House and land til sold in April of 92 to us. We rented the land for the first year and then in spring of 1993 we fenced in the whole farm and planted grass seed. We are rotational grazing the farm. In Jan of 93 we licensed the home as a foster home for DD + MH. Some day we will build a new home on the farm.

In Summer of 92 we put in a new water system and put it under pressure. - Summer/Fall 93 we are logging off the land, and using some of the wood for wood floors in our home + new ~~etc~~ cupboards at the Farm.

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Betty Nordling

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

Betty Martinson Nordling

ADDRESS 4416 Benjamin ST NE Columbia Hgts, Mn 55421
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 788-3049

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE 7th St NW Coats Mn 55321

SECTION 31 TOWNSHIP French Lake COUNTY Wright

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 109.

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Nov 1, 1886

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

Sect 31 twp 120 Rang 28 Sec SE 1/4 of NW 1/4

ex the pt of E 8 rds th/of LYG S of existing rd +
N 1/20 F NW 1/4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner <u>Martinson</u> <u>Julius Mortenson</u>	<u>Nov 1, 1886</u>	<u>Husband of Olngeborg</u> <u>Grandfather</u>
next owner <u>Olngeborg Mortenson</u>	<u>Jan 29, 1924</u>	<u>Mother of John Arvid</u>
next owner <u>John Arvid Mortenson</u>	<u>Dec 27, 1949</u>	<u>Brother of Axel</u>
next owner <u>Axel Mortenson</u> <u>Martinson</u>	<u>May 13, 1960</u>	<u>Husband of Thilda</u>
next owner <u>Thilda Mortenson</u> <u>Martinson</u>	<u>July 22, 1975</u>	<u>Mother of Betty</u>
Present owner <u>Betty Nordling</u>	<u>May 1979</u>	<u>- Present</u>

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I hereby certify that the information listed above is correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Betty Y. Nordling
(signature of present owner)

7/2/93
(date)

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ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER

Payson Partridge

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

Payson & Eleanor Partridge

ADDRESS 13674 90th St. NW So. Haven MN 55382
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 274-85460

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

SECTION 14 & 23 TOWNSHIP South Side COUNTY Wright

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 184

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Oct 29 1883

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

(sect 14) 5 1/2 of SW 1/4 EX Township 121 Range 28 / N 1/2 NW & SW NW Top 121 &
Range 28 / Lt 2 & NE 1/4 of SW 1/4 N of R 4 & W 1/2 of NW 1/4 & NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 EX
TWP 121 Range 28 (sect 23)

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Florous B. Partridge	1883-1893	Father of Husband
next owner Anna B. Partridge	1893-1935	Mother of Walter
next owner Walter E. Partridge	1935-1967	Father of Payson
next owner Payson L. Partridge	1967-Present	
next owner		

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(X) Original Deed () Other

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Payson L. Partridge

(signature of present owner)

5/9/93

(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Edward Bartlet

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 40

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? \$10

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Trumbull County Ohio July 14 1852

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? Mail Carrier Fair Haven Post Office, store clerk Fair Haven Minn

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? yes

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? yes

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1922

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn, Beans, Hay

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Florous came to the area with his Father T.C. Partridge and Family in the spring of 1856 and with a party of other men from Ohio founded the town of Fair Haven in Stearns County Minnesota. Florous worked as the mail carrier between Fair Haven Post Office and St. Cloud. He also worked as a store clerk at Grinols & Cooper from March 1870 until he purchased his present ~~same~~ Farm.

Walter & Cecil, the two sons of Florous took over the Farm when their Father died and formed Partridge Bros.

Walter built the present house in 1922 and had his mother live upstairs in a separate apartment. When Walter's son ~~the~~ married, he moved into the upstairs apartment.

Pagson, Walter's son purchased the Farm in 1967 and took over the house. Walter & his wife built a home in Annandale, Minnesota.

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER DONALD THIEMANN

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

DONALD and ANGIE THIEMANN

ADDRESS 11322 HART AVE. S.W. HOWARD LAKE MN 55349
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 485-4171

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE SAME

SECTION 36 TOWNSHIP VICTOR COUNTY WRIGHT

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 120 ✓

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1891 ✓

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) The West 1/2 of the North West quarter and the North West quarter of the South West quarter of section (36).

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Joseph Thiemann	1891 - 1949	Father of Louis
next owner Louis Thiemann	1949 - 1952	Husband of Anna
next owner Anna Thiemann	1952 - 1974	Mother of Donald
next owner Donald Thiemann	1974 - Present	
next owner		

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() Land Patent () County Land Record
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Donald Thiemann

(signature of present owner)

7-15-93

(date)

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ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

PLEASE RETURN BY JULY 15
As soon As Possible!

OK

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Allan W. and Joyce Christensen
 NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Same as above.

ADDRESS 11061 Russell Ave S., Bloomington, MN 55431
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 881-1466

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Clarkfield, MN, 56223

SECTION 12 TOWNSHIP 114 (Swede Prairie) COUNTY Yellow Medicine

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 158.97

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Grand father - 1892 (year)
myself Mar. 7, 1980

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) _____

Sect. - 12, Twp - 114 Rang - 42" 158.97 Acres
SE 1/4 less 1.03 Acres sold to county.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS OWNERSHIP:

Name	Years of Ownership from - to	Blood Relationship to next Owner
first owner Christian Christensen	5-3-1892 - 6-7-1933 (Patent)	Father
next owner Bennie Christensen et al	6-2-1933 - 11-17-1989	Uncle
next owner Allan W. Christensen	3-7-1980 11-17-1989 - present	
next owner		
next owner		

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| () Land Patent | (X) County Land Record |
| () Original Deed | () Other _____ |

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Allan W. Christensen
 (signature of present owner)

Nov. 14, 1992
 (date)

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? _____

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 160 acres

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? _____

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Denmark

DID HE FARM THE LAND? Yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? _____

no

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? Yes

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL

BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? Original barn still stands

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? About 1909

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Wheat, Corn, soybeans

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: _____

The patent deed was registered in the Yellow Medicine Court house on 5-3-1897. In order for that to occur he had to have worked the land for 5 years. My grandparents were married on July 23, 1892. and lived no where else except this homestead. My grandfather had planted a tree claim prior to that having come from Denmark in 1884. Although he may have been preparing the land earlier, I can establish only the 1892 date because of the patent registered in 1897.

Alton H. Christensen

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PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER

Roy Iverson

(this name will appear on certificate)

ADDRESS

RR # 1

Box 125

Echo

MN

56237

CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

PHONE NUMBER

(507)

925-4374

area code

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

SECTION

26

TOWNSHIP

114

Sioux Agency

COUNTY

38

Yellow Medicine

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT

160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY

July 6, 1893

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement)

Warranty Deed

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS FAMILY OWNERSHIP

NAME	YEARS OF OWNERSHIP	BLOOD RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER
<u>first owner:</u> <u>George B. Wright (U. S. Patent)</u>	FROM Aug. 5, 1869 TO	
<u>next owner:</u> <u>Gustavus A. Austin - 5/6ths int.</u>		
<u>next owner:</u> <u>Wright heirs & Austin heirs deeded to</u> <u>HENRY M. IVERSON</u>	JULY 6, 1893	Grandfather
<u>next owner:</u> <u>Ingval H. Iverson</u>	SEPTEMBER 1, 1944	Father
<u>next owner:</u> <u>1/2 Acre tract sold to Roy Iverson</u> <u>Roy Iverson got SW 1/4 in Final Decree of</u>	Dec. 29, 1961 July 22, 1969	Son

Distribution in Estate of Ingval Iverson, Dec.

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Abstract of Title ☒

Court file in Registration Proceedings ☐

Land Patent ☐

County Land Record ☒

Original Deed ☐

OTHER

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE INFORMATION LISTED ABOVE IS CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

Roy Iverson
(signature of present owner)

DATE

06-18-93

PLEASE RETURN TO:

CENTURY FARMS
MINNESOTA STATE FAIR
ST. PAUL MN 55108

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? _____

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? ~~15~~ 240

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? Don't Know

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Norway

WHERE DID HE LIVE PRIOR TO MOVING ONTO THE FARM? Don't Know

DID HE FARM THE LAND? yes

DID HE ENGAGE IN ANY TRADES OR OCCUPATIONS OTHER THAN FARMING? He bought
houses in town and sold them.

WAS THIS A HOMESTEAD? yes

IS THE ORIGINAL HOME, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDINGS STILL
STANDING OR IN USE? No Some

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? 1906 and has been remodeled

WHAT ARE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn and Soy beans

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: