



Minnesota State Agricultural Society: Century Farm Applications

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Linda M. KnauerMain Contact Phone Number: (507) 254-8723
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 770 75th Street NW Rochester Minnesota 55901
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Kuehn Family TrustName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Kuehn Family Farm,Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 1052 75th Street NW Rochester Minnesota 55901
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 2 Farm Township: Cascade Farm County: OlmstedNumber of acres in the farm now: 80.42Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1898Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

- Section 02, Township 107, Range 014
80.42 acres NW 1/4 less SE 1/4 NW 1/4**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Ernst Kuehn	40	
Next Owner Paul, Marvin and Herman Kuehn	8	3 Sons
Next Owner Marvin and Herman Kuehn	15	2 sons
Next Owner Marvin and Martha Kuehn	38	son and spouse
Next Owner Kuehn Family Trust	20	Grandchildren

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Linda Knauer
(signature of present owner)02/08/2019
(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Frederick and Sopha Schulz

How many acres were in the original parcel? 177

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? 1880s and built on as the family grew to 4 boys and 5 girls

What were the farm's major crops or products? Grain, livestock, dairy

Additional comments Farm is currently occupied by grandchild, great grandchildren and great-great grandchildren

of the original family member. The second barn was built in 1908 and still is standing. The farm still produces grain, hay,

fruit, eggs and honey.

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Ernest Kuehn
original owner





Great-Great Grandson by oak tree

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Robert E + Barbara L. PikeMain Contact Phone Number: 507-634-7179 barbpike@Kmtel.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 211 8th Ave. N.W. Kasson, MN 55944
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Robert E + Barbara L. PikeName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Little Pike's PeakCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1899 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 9915 105th St. N.W. Pine Island, MN 55963
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 16 & 21 Farm Township: New Haven Farm County: OlmstedNumber of acres in the farm now: 70Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1899Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): sect-21 Twp-108 Range-015
10.00 AC E 1/4 W 20 A NW 1/4 1/4 sec; SECT-16 Twp-108 Range-015 40.00 AC NW 1/4 SW 1/4
sec 16 108 15 SECT-16 Twp-108 Range-015 20.00 AC W 1/2 SW 1/4 SW 1/4 sec 16**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Pearl + Earl Pike</u>	<u>65</u>	
Next Owner <u>Harold + Irene Pike</u> <u>10 acres</u> <u>20 acres</u> <u>40 acres</u>	<u>24</u> <u>23</u> <u>39</u>	<u>Son + daughter in law</u>
Next Owner <u>Robert + Barbara Pike</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>Grandson + Grand daughter in law</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Robert E Pike
(signature of present owner)1-28-19
(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? 10 acres Thomas + Alma Bryan, 40 acres Lloyd + Mildred Bunn

How many acres were in the original parcel? 10

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? unknown

Where was the first family owner born? unknown in Olmsted County

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? yes

If so, please list Earl was a police officer in Northfield + other areas

Was this a homestead? NO

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? NO

When was the present home built? a second house was built about 1936. It is still standing unoccupied. a mobile home was added in 1999 where son Tim Pike lives

What were the farm's major crops or products? dairy cattle + feeder cattle

Additional comments tradition has it that Earl + Pearl were to be married; however Earl apparently had too much to drink, so Pearl put her wedding dress away for a year before she would marry him. Pearl always had an open door + took in many folks who needed something to eat or a place to stay during her years on the farm

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Harold pike delivering milk in pine Island



Earl pike + Grandson Harry doing the laundry
on the farm

Harold & Irene Pike with sons Elden & Gerald beside the log House that was built on
the 20 acre portion

copy



Deadline: March 4, 2019

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Paul L + Mary PfefferMain Contact Phone Number: 218 - 758 - 2032
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Phone Number: 31344 360th St Dent, Mn. 56528
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Paul + Mary PfefferName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Pfeffer FarmsCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 31344 360th St Dent, Mn 56528
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 27 Farm Township: Star Lake Farm County: Otter TailNumber of acres in the farm now: 440Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1915Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

E 1/2 of NW 1/4 Sec 27 Twp. 135 Range 41 80 Acres**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Oscar + Nelda Kuhn + Elmer Kuhn</u>	<u>1915</u>	
Next Owner <u>Elton + Margaret Kuhn</u>	<u>1948</u>	<u>Son of Oscar + Nelda Kuhn</u>
Next Owner <u>Norbert + Elda Pfeffer</u>	<u>1953</u>	<u>Daughter of Oscar + Nelda</u>
Next Owner <u>Paul + Mary Pfeffer</u>	<u>1978</u>	<u>Grand Father + Grandmother</u>
Next Owner		<u>Grand son to Oscar + Nelda</u>

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Paul Pfeffer

(signature of present owner)

1-26-18

(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Neuman

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Illinois

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list No

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? 1935

What were the farm's major crops or products? _____

Additional comments We Raise Beef cattle corn, Beans
Oats + Hay

Please us By using East Ottertail
county Fair Perham Minnesota

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(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 61448 Co. HWY 76 Bluffton MN 56518
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: ERIC & Kim ROGGENKAMPName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: ERIC & KIM (ROGGENKAMP FARM)Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 61448 County Hwy 76 Bluffton MN 56518
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 22 Farm Township: 135 Farm County: OTTERTAILNumber of acres in the farm now: 80Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Section-22 TWP-135
RANGE-036 NE 1/4 NW 1/4 40AC and SE 1/4 NW 1/4
40AC**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Joseph B. ROGGENKAMP</u>	<u>62</u>	
Next Owner <u>LUDWIG J. ROGGENKAMP</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner <u>ERIC W ROGGENKAMP</u>	<u>1980-Current</u>	<u>GRANDSON</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Eric W Roggenkamp
(signature of present owner)2-8-19
(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? RAILROAD ORIGINALLY R/W

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? 29.00

Where was the first family owner born? HOLDORF GERMANY

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? YES

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? YES ALL-Except BARN

When was the present home built? 1919

What were the farm's major crops or products? CORN-OATS-HAY-PORK-BEEF-MILK

Additional comments Grandpa Joe farmed this farm until LUDWIG

HIS SON TOOK OVER IN 1961. LUDWIG FARMED UNTIL 1980

WHEN HE SOLD IT TO HIS SON-ERIC WHO CURRENTLY

OWNS IT. ERIC ALSO HAS A GERMAN OLD TIME POLKA BAND

"ERIC'S DANCE BAND" AND PLAYS MOST WEEKENDS FOR DANCES.

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ERIC & WIFE KIM ROBBENKAMP still farm the 80 Acres plus another 60 Acres, they bought from a neighbor, which adjoins the original 80. They have farmed this land non-stop since acquiring it. Eric has all the tillable acres (80) planted to grass hay which he harvests every year for his own use and extra to sell.

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Marsha VandermayMain Contact Phone Number: 218 639-1750 vandermay@arvig.net
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 45603 Co Hwy 67 New York Mills MN 56567
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Rodney and Marsha VandermayName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Vandermay 1917Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 45603 Co Hwy 67 New York Mills MN 56567
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 5 Farm Township: Homestead Farm County: Otter Tail (East)Number of acres in the farm now: 160Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1917Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 Section 5
T136**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Jacob & Ida Vandermay</u>	<u>29</u>	
Next Owner <u>Lawrence (Richard) & Claretta Vandermay</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Rodney & Marsha Vandermay</u>	<u>34</u>	<u>Grandson</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Rodney Vandermay Marsha Vandermay 2-26-2019
 (signature of present owner) (date)

(over)

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): William J. and Karin WagnerMain Contact Phone Number: (320) 760-9494
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 63280 Co Hwy 48 Bertha MN 56437
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: William J. and Karin WagnerName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Wagner FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 63280 County Highway 48 Bertha MN 56437
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 26 Farm Township: Woodside 132 Farm County: Otter TailNumber of acres in the farm now: 277Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): The Northeast Quarter AND the East Half of the Northwest Quarter AND the Northeast Quarter of the Southwest Quarter Section 26, Township 132, Range 36**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Oscar and Sadie Wagner</u>	<u>25</u>	
Next Owner <u>Morton and Louise Wagner</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Jerome and Judith Wagner</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>grandson</u>
Next Owner <u>William J. and Karin Wagner</u>	<u>15</u>	<u>great-grandson</u>
Next Owner		

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William J. Wagner
(signature of present owner)2-20-19
(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Gustav and Pauline Lange

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$75.00 /acre

Where was the first family owner born? Cordova, LeSeur, MN
County

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? no

If so, please list —

Was this a homestead? no

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? original house was built prior to 1919 and has been added onto

What were the farm's major crops or products? dairy cows, hogs, beef cows, oats, alfalfa, corn

Additional comments —

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Main Contact Name(s): KATHERINE WASSON CLARK
 Main Contact Phone Number: 530-304-5954 kwbarckclark@gmail.com
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)
 Main Contact Phone Number: 601 BLACKWOOD ST. SACRAMENTO, CA 95815
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Robert D. Wasson

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: WASSON FAMILY FARM

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 36884 State Hwy 210 Battle Lake MN 56515
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 4 Farm Township: 132 Clitheral Farm County: Ottertail County

Number of acres in the farm now: 450

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): E 1/2 of SW 1/4 and N 1/2 of SE 1/4

—lying west of MN State Hwy 78, section 4, 132 township, range 40

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Rutherford Charles Wasson	1919-1948	
Next Owner Myrtle Hope Elliot Wasson	1948-1950	Wife
Next Owner John Rutherford Wasson	1950-1982	Son
Next Owner Lucerne Annis Wasson	1982-2003	Daughter-in-law
Next Owner Robert Doane and Karen Halverson Wasson	2003-present	Grandson and Granddaughter-in-law

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Robert D. Wasson 15 Oct 2018
 (signature of present owner) (date) (over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? John Bakke

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$100/acre

Where was the first family owner born? Marshall, Lyon County, Minnesota

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? 1897

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy cows, pigs, chickens, small grains and corn

Additional comments Two additional farms added to original farm for a total of 450 acres: Henry Farm added

in 1943 (S 1/2 of SE 1/4 and E 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Sec 9, township 132, range 40); Halverson Farm added in 1989

(E 1/2 of NW 1/4 and N 1/2 of NE 1/2 of Sec 9, township 132, range 40).

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Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Emil and Gertrude Thune</u>	<u>66</u>	
Next Owner <u>Norris and Arlene Thune</u>	<u>44</u>	
Next Owner		
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Arlene A Thune
(signature of present owner)2-9-19
(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Emil and Gertrude Thune

How many acres were in the original parcel? 320

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$10

Where was the first family owner born? Thiet River Falls MN

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Home and Barn

When was the present home built? 1920

What were the farm's major crops or products? Wheat, Alfalfa Hay and Pasture

Additional comments The land was all wooded ~~at~~ at time of purchase in 1919. Emil grubbed all the acreage with teams of horses. It took years to develop what became a section farm.

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Abstract of Title

*To the following described Real Estate situated in
Pennington County, Minnesota*

Lot Eight (8) and Nine (9) and the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter ($NE\frac{1}{4}SE\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Eighteen (18) and Lot Six (6) of Section Nineteen (19), all in Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North, of Range Forty-two (42) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, EXCEPTING therefrom the following tract:

Commencing at a point, hereinafter called the point of beginning, which lies west upon the south line of the said Section 18 a distance of 370 ft. to the intersection of the said South line of Section 18 and the Easterly right of way line of Minnesota Trunk Highway Number 59; thence upon the said right of way line N. $40^{\circ} 19'$ West 1227.0 ft. to the point of beginning; thence from this point of beginning N. $49^{\circ} 41'$ East at an angle of 90 degrees with the said right of way line 800 ft.; thence North $40^{\circ} 19'$ West 544.5 ft. parallel to and 800 ft. northerly of the said right of way line; thence South $49^{\circ} 41'$ West 800 ft. to the said right of way line; thence South $40^{\circ} 19'$ East upon the said right of way line 544.5 ft. to the point of beginning, containing 10 acres, more or less.



Emil Thune and Gertrude
Thune, husband and wife

To

Norris Thune and Ernest
Thune

No. 23.

Contract for Deed . . .

Dated July 30, 1973. Ackn. July 30, 1975 before
David Raymond, Notary Public, Penn. Co., Minn.
Has Notarial Seal and four witnesses.

Recorded August 8, 1973 at 11:00 A. M.

Book 124 of Records, page 291.

In Consideration of the covenants agrees to convey
Lot 6 of Sec. 19, Twp. 153, Rge. 42; S $\frac{1}{2}$ of the
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 18, Twp. 153, Rge. 42 and
Lots 8 & 9 and the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of the SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 18, Twp.
153, Rge. 42, excepting therefrom the following
tract: Commencing at a point hereinafter called
the point of beginning, which lies West upon the
South line of said Section 18 a distance of 370'
to the intersection of said South line of Sec. 18
and the Easterly right of way line of Minnesota
Trunk Highway #59; thence upon said right of way
line N40 degrees 19' W 1227.0 feet to the point
of beginning; thence from this point of beginning
N. 49 degrees 41' E at an angle of 90 degrees
with the said right of way line 800 feet; thence
N 40 degrees 19' W 544.5 feet parallel to and 800
feet northerly of said right of wayline; thence S
49 degrees 41' W 800 feet to the said right of way
line; thence S 40 degrees 19' E upon the said
right of way line 544.5 feet to the point of
beginning, containing 10 acres, more or less.

Emil Thune and Gertrude
Thune, husband and wife

To

Donald Nomeland and Patricia
Nomeland, husband and wife,
as joint tenants

No. 24.

Warranty Deed.....Consideration \$1.00.

Dated July 30, 1973, Ackn. July 30, 1973 before
Norris D. Thune, Notary Public, Penn. Co., Minn.
Has Notarial Seal and two witnesses.

Recorded August 30, 1973 at 2:30 P.M.

Book 124 of Records, page 536.

Conveys all that certain tract of land lying in
and being a part of the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ and Lots 8 and 9,
Sec. 18, Twp. 153, Rge. 42 described and bounded
as follows: Commencing at a point, hereinafter

called the point of beginning, which lies west upon the south line of the said Section
18 a distance of 370 ft. to the intersection of the said South line of Sec. 18 and the
Easterly right of way line of Minnesota Trunk Highway Number 59; thence upon the said
right of way line N. 40° 19' West 1227.0 ft. to the point of beginning; thence from
this point of beginning N. 49° 41' East at an angle of 90 degrees with the said right
of way line 800 ft.; thence North 40° 19' West 544.5 ft. parallel to and 800 ft. north-
erly of the said right of way line; thence South 49° 41' West 800 ft. to the said right
of way line; thence South 40° 19' East upon the said right of way line 544.5 ft. to
the point of beginning, containing 10 acres, more or less.

STATE DEED TAX PAID HEREON \$55.00.

Emil Thune and Gertrude
Thune, husband and wife

To

Norris Thune and Ernest
Thune, not as joint tenants

No. 25.

Warranty Deed.....Consideration \$1.00.

Dated May 19, 1975, Ackn. May 19, 1975 before
Helen R. Wysoski, Notary Public, Penn. Co., Minn.
Has Notarial Seal.

Recorded June 17, 1975 at 2:30 P.M.

Book 132 of Records, page 789.

Conveys Lot 6, Sec. 19, Twp. 153, Rge. 42; S $\frac{1}{2}$ NE $\frac{1}{4}$
Sec. 18, Twp. 153, Rge. 42 and Lots 8 and 9 and
NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 18, Twp. 153, Rge. 42 excepting therefrom
that certain tract described fully at Entry No. 23
herein, containing 10 acres, more or less. This
deed is given in performance of a contract for deed
between the parties hereto dated July 30, 1973.

STATE DEED TAX PAID HEREON \$28.60.

Norris D. Thune and
Arlene A. Thune,
husband and wife

To

First Northwestern State
Bank of Thief River Falls,
a Minn. Corp.

No. 26.

Mortgage . . . Amount Secured \$70,000.00.

Dated July 3, 1975. Ackn. July 3, 1975 before
George W. Schwartz, Notary Public, Penn. Co., Minn.
Has Notarial Seal.

Recorded July 8, 1975 at 2:00 P. M.

Book 133 of Records, page 239.

Secured on Lot 8 & 9 and the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec. 18, Lot 6,
Sec. 19, all in Twp. 153, Rge. 42.

Interest and terms according to note of even date
herewith payable in equal monthly installments of
\$585.60 each commencing on August 3, 1975, and
continuing on the 3rd day of each month thereafter
until paid in full or for a period of 20 years.
Said monthly installments shall first be credited to
the payment of interest and the balance to the
reduction of principal.

Contains power of sale clause in event of default.

REGISTRATION TAX PAID HEREON \$105.00.

Ernest Thune and Alice Thune,
husband and wife

To

Norris Thune

No. 27.

Quit Claim Deed.....Consideration \$1.00.

Dated May 19, 1975, Ackn. May 19, 1975 before
Stanley D. Upham, Notary Public, Penn. Co., Mn.
Has Notarial Seal.

Recorded July 24, 1975 at 9:30 A.M.

Book 133 of Records, page 382.

Conveys Lot 6, Sec. 19, Twp. 153, Rge. 42 and Lots
8 and 9, and NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 18, Twp. 153, Rge. 42
excepting therefrom that certain tract described
fully at Entry No. 23 herein, containing 10 acres,
more or less.

STATE DEED TAX PAID HEREON \$2.20.

Certificate of Abstract of Title

STATE OF MINNESOTA }
County of Pennington } SS

Lots 8 and 9 and NE 1/4 Sec. 18 and
To Lot 6 Sec. 19 Twp. 153 Rge. 42

I, N. J. Anderson, Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, do hereby certify that the entries from No. 1 to No. 2 inclusive as set forth in the foregoing Abstract of Title to the lands herein described are full, correct and complete minutes of all recorded instruments as the same appear upon the original records, which have been carefully reviewed and compared to date, and that there is no incumbrance, lien or instrument of any kind on file or of record in my office in any manner affecting the title to the above described lands or any part thereof except as shown by the said Abstract:

Witness my hand and official seal this 11th day of August 1915 at 5.00 o'clock P. M.

Register of Deeds

Certificate of Continuation of Abstract of Title

CERTIFICATE OF CONTINUATION OF ABSTRACT

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Pennington } SS

To Lots 8, 9 & NE 1/4 Sec. 18 & Lot 6 Sec. 19 Twp. 153 Rge. 42.

I, N. J. Anderson, Register of Deeds in and for Pennington County, Minnesota, do hereby certify that entries from No. 4 to No. 6 inclusive, as set forth in the foregoing Abstract of Title to the lands herein described are full, correct and complete minutes of all recorded instruments as the same appear upon the original records, which have been carefully reviewed and compared to date, and that there is no incumbrance, lien or instrument of any kind on file or of record in my office in any manner affecting the title to the above described lands or any part thereof since the date of former certificate dated Nov. 12th 1919 at 10.00 o'clock A. M., except as shown by said abstract:

Witness my hand and seal this 4th day of December 1919, at 5.00 o'clock P. M.

By Deputy Register of Deeds.

CLERK'S JUDGMENT CERTIFICATE

STATE OF MINNESOTA, }
County of Pennington, } SS

DISTRICT COURT
Fourteenth Judicial District.

I, Adolf Eklund, Clerk of the District Court, in and for the said County and State, do hereby certify that I find no judgments of record, docketed within the past ten years, in the Judgment Docket of said County, or in the Transcribed Judgment Docket of Red Lake County, now a part of the records of Pennington County, against:

GEORGE DOLLACK and EMIL THUNE

Witness my hand and seal this 8th day of December at 10:00 A.M., A. D. 1919.

By Deputy

Clerk of the District Court, Pennington County, Minn.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, said Company has caused its name to be subscribed and its official Abstractor's Seal to be hereto affixed at Thief River Falls, in said Pennington County, Minnesota, this 10th day of July, 1973, at 9:00 A. M.

PENNINGTON COUNTY ABSTRACT COMPANY
Registered Abstractor

By Eugene Prestegaard
Eugene Prestegaard

Date Nov. 25, 1919.

14747

Abstract(s) certified to
Nov. 12, 1919

To the Loan Committee of
The Federal Land Bank of Saint Paul.

Gentlemen:

In re: Examination of enclosed Abstract(s) of title.

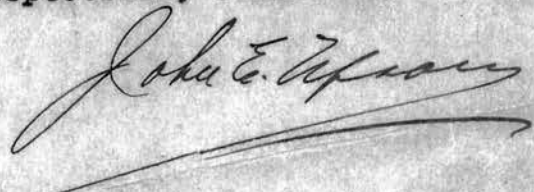
RECORD OWNER:- George Dollack,

MORTGAGORS:- Emil Thune and Gertrude Thune, his wife

REQUIREMENT:

Deed from Geroge Dollack (and wife if any) must be taken
same to run to Emil Thune and contain recital of notice of mortgage
to Federal Land Bank of St. Paul.

Respectfully submitted.



JEU'EC.

FINAL CERTIFICATE OF ABTRACTER

STATE OF MinnesotaCounty of Pennington

} ss.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That the foregoing Abstract of Title, numbered 1 to 6 inclusive, is a correct exhibit of every instrument, record or writing, including recitals if any, conveying or affecting the title to Lots 8, 9 & NE 1/4 Sec. 18 and Lot 6 Sec. 19 all in Twp. 153 Rge. 42

(Description of Land)

the land described in the Caption hereof, upon the records of Pennington County, State of Minnesota of which Emil Thune is the Record owner.

(Name)

I FURTHER CERTIFY, That I have made an examination of the following records, to-wit:

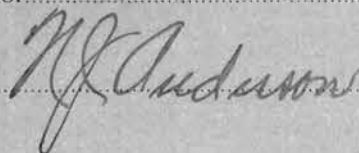
and that there are no pending suits nor liens nor notice of suits or liens against said premises not shown in said Abstract, and that all due taxes, including taxes for year 1918, are paid. All instruments herein abstracted are executed according to law, except as otherwise noted.

3 I FURTHER CERTIFY, That there are no defects in said title, either of record or otherwise, not shown in said Abstract, of which I have knowledge.

4 I FURTHER CERTIFY, That is in peaceable possession of said premises, to my personal knowledge (to the best and most reliable information I can obtain).

5 THIS CERTIFICATE is made to and for The Federal Land Bank of Saint Paul, a body corporate, of the City of St. Paul, Minnesota, as prospective mortgagee for its use in passing on the title to premises covered by this abstract.

Dated at Thief River Falls, Minn, this 4th day of December, 19 19.



Abstracter.

In witness whereof..... has.

caused this certificate to be executed by its..... and its corporate seal to be hereto affixed this 4th day of December,

(SEAL)

A. D. 19 19, at 5.00 o'clock, P. M.

By.....

Its.....

NOTICE: All instruments should be abstracted from the RECORDS, and not from the original instruments; that is to say, when an abstracter files an instrument for record, he should wait until it has been ACTUALLY recorded and then make an abstract of it from the records.

The undersigned,....., does hereby certify that the within abstract has been continued from the.....day of....., 19....., at.....o'clock.....M. to the.....day of....., 19....., at.....o'clock.....M. (numbered from.....to....., inclusive) and that the said continuation contains all the instruments of record affecting the title to the premises therein described, including taxes, mechanic's liens and judgments from the date above named.

Abstracter.

In witness whereof.....has caused this certificate to be executed by its.....and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed this.....day of.....A. D. 19....., at.....o'clock.....M.

(SEAL)

By.....
Its.....

Loan No.....
County of.....State.....
**ABSTRACT OF TITLE
FOR
FIRST MORTGAGE LOAN**

TO
**THE FEDERAL LAND BANK OF SAINT PAUL,
SAINT PAUL, MINNESOTA**

Abstract Referred to

No.....Title Examiner.....

.....day of.....19.....

Title Approved

.....day of.....19.....

Registrar.

EXAMINATIONS

by
Bank Title Examiners

- 1.....
- 2.....
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- 5.....
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- 9.....
- 10.....

This Indenture, Made this 20th day of November
 in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and nineteen between
George Dollack and
Mary Dollack, his wife,
 of the County of Sangamon and State of Illinois,
 parties of the first part and Emil Thure

of the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota party of the second part,
 Witnesseth, That the said parties of the first part, in consideration of the sum of
Three thousand fifty-two and 25/100 DOLLARS,
 to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby
 acknowledged, do hereby Grant, Bargain, Sell and Convey unto the said party of the second part,
his heirs and assigns, FOREVER, all that tract or parcel of land lying
 and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows,
 to-wit:

The Northeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$) of the Southeast Quarter (SE $\frac{1}{4}$), lots
 numbered Eight (8) and Nine (9) of Section numbered Eighteen (18), and
 Lot numbered Six (6) of Section numbered Nineteen (19), all in Township
 15 $\frac{1}{2}$ North, Range 42 West of the Fifth Principal Meridian in Minnesota,
 containing One Hundred twenty-two and 9/100 acres (122.09) more or less
 according to the Government survey thereof,



To Have and to Hold the Same, Together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances
 thereunto belonging or in anywise appertaining, to the said party of the second part his heirs
 and assigns, FOREVER. And the said

George Dollack and Mary Dollack, his wife,
their
 parties of the first part, for themselves, heirs, executors and administrators, do covenant with
 the said party of the second part his heirs and assigns, that they are well
 seized in fee of the lands and premises aforesaid, and have good right to sell and convey the same in
 manner and form aforesaid, that the same are free from all incumbrances:

and the above bargained and granted lands and premises, in the quiet and peaceable possession of the
 said party of the second part his heirs, and assigns, against all persons lawfully claiming
 or to claim the whole or any part thereof, the said parties of the first part will Warrant and Defend.

In Testimony Whereof, The said parties of the first part have hereunto set their
hands and seals the day and year first above written.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in Presence of

E. J. Buckler
H. C. Simons

George Dollack (SEAL)
Mary Dollack (SEAL)
mark (SEAL)
 (SEAL)

State of Illinois. } ss.
County of Macoupin.

On this 20th day of November 1919, before me,

a Notary Public within and for said County, personally appeared

George Dollack and Mary Dollack, his wife,

to me known to be the person described in and who executed the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that he executed the same as their free act and deed.

Engine J. Buckles

Notary Public.

My commission expires July 15, 1920, 19

23061 ✓
WARRANTY DEED

TO

OFFICE OF REGISTER OF DEEDS,

County of Pennington } ss.
I hereby certify that the within Deed
was filed in this office for record on the

4th day of Dec
A. D. 1919, at 1:00 o'clock P. M.
and was duly recorded in Book 48
of Deeds, page 342

W. Anderson
Register of Deeds.

By Deputy

Taxes for the year 1918 on the lands
described within, paid this

day of Dec 1919
John Fullingard
County Treasurer.

By Deputy.

Taxes paid and Transfer entered this
4th day of Dec

A. D. 1919
J. Fullingard
County Auditor.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED, That said parties of the first part shall pay all assesments and taxes which are, or may hereafter be assessed and levied against said premises, or any part thereof, as they shall become due, and should the parties of the first part fail to pay the taxes and assessments aforesaid when due, the party of the second part, if it so elects, may pay the same and the amount so paid shall become a part of the principal sum of this mortgage, and shall bear interest at the rate of eight per centum per annum, and this mortgage shall stand as security therefor, until paid.

And the said parties of the first part further covenant and agree that at all times during the continuance of this mortgage, and until the same shall be fully paid or released, they will keep the buildings on said premises continually insured in some responsible insurance company, satisfactory to the said party of the second part, against loss and damage by fire, and also against loss and damage by tornado or cyclone, and in such sum as shall be approved by the said party of the second part, said insurance to be payable, in case of loss, to the said party of the second part, as its interest may appear; and in case of failure of said parties of the first part to keep said buildings so insured, the said party of the second part, its successors or assigns, may at its option, effect such insurance on such buildings, and the sum or sums which may be so paid by said party of the second part, its successors or assigns, in effecting such insurance shall become a part of the principal sum of this mortgage and shall bear interest at the rate of eight per centum per annum, and this mortgage shall stand as security therefor, until paid.

But if default shall be made in the payment of said principal sum of money, or the interest, or the taxes, or in insuring said buildings as aforesaid, or any part thereof, at the time and in the manner hereinbefore specified for the payment thereof, or in any of the covenants or agreements of the said parties of the first part herein contained, including the covenants and agreements in said, The Federal Farm Loan Act aforesaid, the said party of the second part, its successors or assigns, are hereby authorized and empowered to declare the whole amount secured by this mortgage due and payable, and to sell the hereby granted premises at public auction, and to convey the same to the purchaser, in fee simple, agreeably to the Statutes in such case made and provided, and out of the moneys arising from such sale, to retain the principal sum hereby secured, the interest then accrued, all such sums as shall have been paid for insurance, taxes, assessments, or for the satisfaction of statutory liens foreclosed or paid, with interest thereon as herein provided, and all other sums which shall then be due under the terms of this mortgage, together with all statutory costs and charges for such foreclosure, and Seventy Five Dollars, attorneys' fees, and to pay the overplus, if any, to the said parties of the first part, their heirs, executors, administrators or assigns.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, The said parties of the first part have hereunto set their hands and affixed their seals, the day and year first above written.

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in the Presence of

Emil Thune (SEAL)

(SEAL)

Gertrude Thune (SEAL)

(SEAL)

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

County of Pennington

} ss.

On this 10 day of Dec A. D. 1917, before me, a

Notary Public, within and for said County and State, personally appeared

Emil Thune and Gertrude Thune, his wife

to me known to be the persons described in and who executed the foregoing instrument, and acknowledged that they executed the same as their free act and deed.

Notary Public of Pennington County, Minnesota.

My commission expires June 19 1925

Mortgage Deed

FROM

Emil Thune and wife

TO

THE FEDERAL LAND
BANK OF SAINT PAUL

Register's Office

STATE OF MINNESOTA, } ss.
County of Pennington

I hereby certify that the within mortgage

was filed in this office for Record the

day of Dec, A. D. 1917, at

1:30 o'clock P. M. and Recorded

in Book 62 of Mortgages on Page 69

Register of Deeds.

By W. J. Anderson
Deputy.

23062 ✓

Loan No.

MINNESOTA

THIS INDENTURE, Made this 25th day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand nine hundred and Nineteen, between

Emil Thune and Gertrude Thune, his wife

of the County of Pennington, and State of Minnesota, parties of the first part, and The Federal Land Bank of Saint Paul, a body corporate, of the City of St. Paul, County of Ramsey, State of Minnesota, its successors and assigns, party of the second part.

WITNESSETH: That the said parties of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of Fifteen Hundred DOLLARS to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, do by these presents, grant, bargain, sell and convey to the said party of the second part, its successors and assigns, forever, all that tract or parcel of land lying and being in the County of Pennington and State of Minnesota, described as follows, to-wit:

Lots Eight (8) and Nine (9), and the Northeast Quarter of the Southeast Quarter (NE $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Eighteen (18), and Lot Six (6) of Section Nineteen (19), all lying and being in Township One Hundred Fifty Three (153) North, Range Forty Two (42) West, containing One Hundred Twenty Two and 9/100 (122.09) Acres, more or less, according to the government survey thereof,

TO HAVE AND TO HOLD THE SAME, Together with all the hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining unto the said party of the second part, its successors and assigns, forever. And the said parties of the first part do covenant with the said party of the second part, its successors and assigns, as follows: First, that they are lawfully seized of said premises; Second, that they have good right to convey the same; Third, that the same are free from all incumbrances; Fourth, that the said party of the second part, its successors and assigns, shall quietly enjoy and possess the same; and that the said parties of the first part will WARRANT AND DEFEND the title to the same against all lawful claims.

PROVIDED, NEVERTHELESS, That if the said parties of the first part, their heirs, executors or administrators, shall well and truly pay, or cause to be paid, to the said party of the second part, its successors or assigns, at its banking office in the City of St. Paul, Minnesota, within thirty-four and one half years from date hereof, the sum of Fifteen Hundred DOLLARS, with interest, both principal and interest payable in lawful money of the United States of America, according to the terms and conditions of one principal promissory note, executed by the said

Emil Thune and Gertrude Thune,

parties of the first part, to the said party of the second part, bearing even date herewith, all with interest at the rate of five and one-half per centum per annum, and payable as hereinafter set forth, and shall well and truly keep and perform, all and singular, the covenants and agreements herein contained, on the part of the said parties of the first part to be kept and performed, and of the terms and conditions of that principal promissory note accompanying this mortgage, then this mortgage shall be void.

This mortgage is made to said party of the second part. The Federal Land Bank of Saint Paul, a body corporate, created and empowered by the Congress of the United States of America, under that Act of Congress known as The Federal Farm Loan Act, approved July 17, 1916, and is subject to all the provisions, terms and conditions of said, The Federal Farm Loan Act, together with the covenants and conditions herein contained.

The said parties of the first part shall pay, on the 25th day of May A. D. 1920, the sum of Forty Eight and 75/100 Dollars, and a like sum of Forty Eight and 75/100 Dollars, every six (6) months thereafter in each and every year following, together with the final installment which shall be in the amount of Forty Eight and 61/100 Dollars, until the said principal sum and interest shall have been fully paid, which payments, made as aforesaid, shall be applied by said party of the second part, its successors or assigns, as holder of said note, as follows:

First: To the payment of interest on said principal sum to the end of said six (6) months period, according to the amortization table printed on the back of the principal promissory note accompanying this mortgage.

Second: The balance of said installment shall be applied toward the payment and reduction of said principal sum.

If the said parties of the first part shall have failed to make payment of one of the aforesaid installments on the day it falls due, then the said defaulted payment, and each succeeding defaulted payment, shall bear simple interest at the rate of eight per centum per annum, until paid.

IT IS FURTHER AGREED, That the said parties of the first part may pay all, or any part, of the principal promissory note secured by this mortgage after five years from date thereof. That all such payments shall be made on installment due dates, and in amounts of Twenty-five Dollars or any multiple thereof.

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**

Main Contact Name(s): Mark & Barbara (Pavek) Hingos
 Main Contact Phone Number: 940 867-7514 txtedg166@gmail.com
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)
 Main Contact Address: 24143 Beroun Crossing Rd Hinckley MN 55037
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Mark & Barbara Hingos
 Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Pavek Farm ~~Pavek-Hingos~~ Heritage Farm
 Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 24143 Beroun Crossing Rd Hinckley, MN 55037
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 36 Farm Township: 040 Farm County: Pine

Number of acres in the farm now: 116

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: ~~2000~~ 2004 1895

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

Sect 36 Twp 040 Range 021

SW 1/4 of NE 1/4 + West 1/2 of SE 1/4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

per phone call 3/5/19 - jrm

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
<u>Frank Anton Pavek</u> <u>1895-1916</u>		
Original Family Owner	<u>1895-1955</u>	
<u>Adolph + Rose Pavek</u> <u>1916</u>	<u>60 yrs</u>	
Next Owner	<u>1955-2006</u>	
<u>Leonard + Donna Pavek</u>	<u>51 yrs</u>	<u>Jon</u>
Next Owner		
<u>Mark & Barbara (Pavek) Hingos</u> <u>19 yrs</u>		<u>Granddaughter</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

Please do not send originals or copies of records. Continuous family ownership is taken from one or more of the following records.

- ☒ Abstract of Title ☐ Land Patent ☐ Court File in Registration Proceedings
☒ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

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

Bzp
 (signature of present owner)

27 Feb 2019
 (date)

(over)

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.

From whom was the farm purchased? Homesteaded 1895

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? 1981

What were the farm's major crops or products? durum, corn, oats, ^{pasture} lumber for bldgs.

Additional comments _____

Feel free to attach any additional files if you have run out of space above.

Mail application to:
Minnesota State Fair
Century Farms
1265 Snelling Avenue North
St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or call: 651-288-4417



MINNESOTA STATE FAIR

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLYMain Contact Name(s): Marilyn BlankinshipMain Contact Phone Number: 520 326-2985
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 3238 E. Fairmount Tucson AZ 85716
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Marilyn Joanne Enerson BlankinshipName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Olof Enerson HomesteadInformation on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 30419 326th St SE McIntosh MN 56556
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 30 Farm Township: 149 Farm County: PolkNumber of acres in the farm now: 199.48Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 117Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when?Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Range 640 E2 NW4 and
Lots 1 & 2 NW4 NE**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Olof Enerson</u>	<u>37</u>	
Next Owner <u>Einar Enerson</u>	<u>45</u>	<u>son of Olof</u>
Next Owner <u>Karella Enerson</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>wife of Einar</u>
Next Owner <u>Marilyn Blankinship</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>Daughter of Einar & Karella</u>
Next Owner		

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- ☐ Abstract of Title ☐ Land Patent ☐ Court File in Registration Proceedings
☒ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☒ Other Tax Statement

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

Marilyn Blankinship
(signature of present owner)2-6-19
(date)

(over)

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.

From whom was the farm purchased? Homestead Certificate 6439

How many acres were in the original parcel? 159 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Sweden

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? One Log Building

When was the present home built? 1927

What were the farm's major crops or products? Grains - Hay - Cattle - Horses - Pigs - Chickens

Additional comments Land is currently used for cattle and
a Home Vegetable Garden

Current Owner was born in the house that is currently on this
property in 1933.

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Century Farms
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St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or Call: (651) 288-4400



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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019

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Main Contact Name(s): Barbara Hangsleben - Enright
 Main Contact Phone Number: 218 779 1931 barbsell@RRV.net
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)

Main Contact Phone Number: Same as above (Po Box 352)
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Enright Trust Family Irrevocable Donald Enright
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Enright (1879)
 Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1879 signifying more than
100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world. Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 41864 160th St. SW East Grand Forks, MN
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)
 Farm Section: 33 Farm Township: Sullivan Farm County: Polk 567

Number of acres in the farm now: 160
 Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1879

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? —

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): The West half
of the Southwest Quarter (W 1/2 SW 1/4) of Section 33
Township 152 North of Range forty-nine west
of the 5th Principal meridian

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Richard Enright</u>	<u>7</u>	
Next Owner <u>Thomas Enright</u>	<u>37</u>	<u>brother</u>
Next Owner <u>James Enright</u> <u>Anna</u>	<u>96</u>	<u>Nephew</u>
Next Owner <u>Donald Enright / Anna Enright</u>		<u>Great Uncle / wife of Nephew</u>
Next Owner <u>Donald Enright / Enright Trust</u>		<u>Family Irrevocable living</u>

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- ☒ Abstract of Title ☐ Land Patent ☐ Court File in Registration Proceedings
☐ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other —

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

Barbara Hangsleben 9/13/18
 (signature of present owner) (date)

* Lives and is beneficiary of Enright Family Irrevocable Trust

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Richard Enright ^{bought from}
The St. Paul, Mpls
Manitoba Railway
company
How many acres were in the original parcel? 1160
What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$ 6.00 per acre ^{\$965.00 for}
1160 acres
Where was the first family owner born? Canada
Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? dairy cattle, pigs, beef
chickens sold to public
If so, please list cream

Was this a homestead? Yes
Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes, picture
attached
When was the present home built? 1886, remodeled 1923 + 1972
What were the farm's major crops or products? Barley, wheat, Potatoes
Sugar beets
Additional comments

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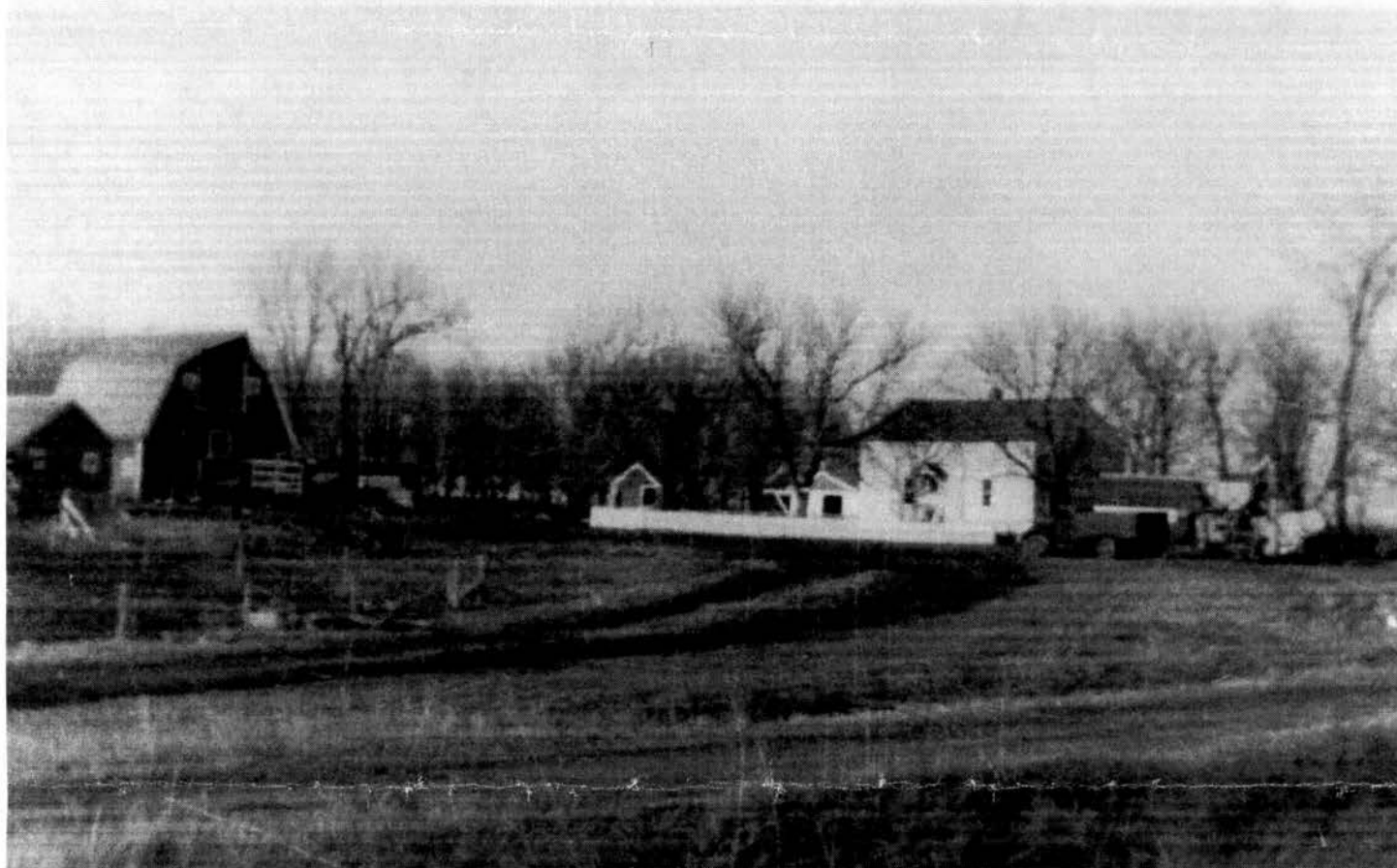




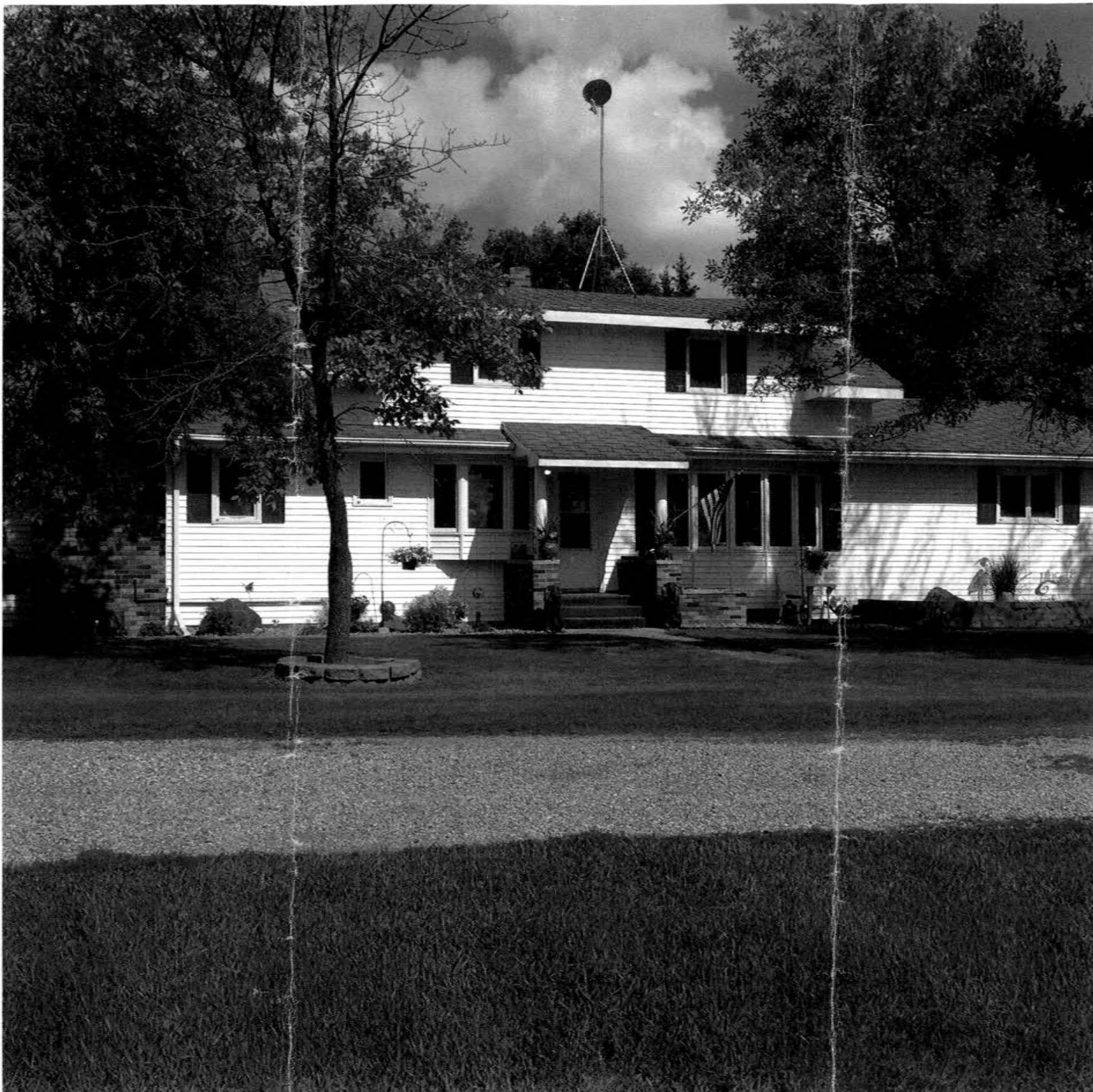
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Deadline: March 4, 2019

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Brad OwensMain Contact Phone Number: (218)289-2626 baowens@invisimax.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 12592 260th Ave NW Euclid MN 56722
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Brad & Angela OwensName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Owens Family FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 12592 260th Ave NW Euclid MN 56722
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 21 Farm Township: Brandt Farm County: PolkNumber of acres in the farm now: 160Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): The Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of Section Twenty-one (21) Township One Hundred Fifty-three (153) North of Range Forty-six (46) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, and containing 160 acres, more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof.**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Mary Owens	34	
Next Owner William & Ida Owens	11	Son & daughter-in-law
Next Owner LaVerne Owens	35	Grandson
Next Owner Brad & Angela Owens	20	Great grandson
Next Owner		

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

Brad Owens
(signature of present owner)2-27-19
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? H.J. & Mary Buell

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? small grains

Additional comments Let this be an honor to all in the Owens family that have spilled sweat, blood and tears on
this land for the last 100 years.

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Century Farms
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St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): LEON PETERSONMain Contact Phone Number: NONE
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: RR 1 Gully MN 56646
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: LEON PETERSONName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: PETERSON FARMCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1918 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: RR 1 Gully MN 56646
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 22 Farm Township: EDIN Farm County: PolkNumber of acres in the farm now: 160Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1918Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.):
SECTION 22 TOWNSHIP 149 RANGE 39 NE4**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>PETER & MARGET PETERSON</u>	<u>1918-1952</u>	
Next Owner <u>KENNETH OLUF PETERSON</u>	<u>1952-1980</u> <u>1952-1985</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner <u>LEON PETERSON</u>	<u>1980-Present</u> <u>1985-Present</u>	<u>GRANDSON</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Leon Peterson
(signature of present owner)2-13-19
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? H. A. & ALBERTINA REETZ

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? MINNESOTA

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? YES

When was the present home built? 1903 ?

What were the farm's major crops or products? Small Grains & Beans

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): CAROL BRAATENMain Contact Phone Number: 320 965-2411 dbraatens@hotmail.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 13704 380th AVE. FARWELL MN 56327
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: (DAVID & CAROL BRAATEN) FAMILY REVOCABLE LIVING TRUSTName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: DAVID AND CAROL BRAATENCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 13704 380th AVE FARWELL MN 56327
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 21 Farm Township: NORA Farm County: POPENumber of acres in the farm now: 817 acresYear of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

Section 21 Twp-126 RANGE-40SE 1/4 SE 1/4; SW 1/4**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>John BRAATEN & wife Mina</u> 1919-1954	<u>35 years</u>	<u>Grand Father</u>
Next Owner <u>Obert & Ethel BRAATEN</u> 1954-1990	<u>36 years</u>	<u>Father</u>
Next Owner <u>DAVID & Carol Braaten</u> 1990-Present	<u>Present</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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David Braaten

(signature of present owner)

2-6-19

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Henry J. and Anna Pederson

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$67 per Acre

Where was the first family owner born? Born in Nora township, Pope County

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Not that we are

If so, please list aware of -

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? We built our house in 1991

What were the farm's major crops or products? {DAIRY} ALFALFA, CORN, Soy beans
WHEAT
{until 2004}

Additional comments _____

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Deadline: March 4, 2019

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Ronald M. HendersonMain Contact Phone Number: 320-424-1838 renae.neumann76@gmail.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 19996 235th St Glenwood MN 56334
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Ronald M. HendersonName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Ronald M. Henderson FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: Glenwood MN 56334
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 27 Farm Township: Reno Farm County: PopeNumber of acres in the farm now: 116Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1912Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? n/aLegal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____
NW 1/4 SE 1/4 and E1/2 SE1/4 Section 27_ 126_38**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Nels & Hulda Anderson	5	
Next Owner Hulda Anderson	41	wife (widowed)
Next Owner Clarence Luther Anderson	32	son of Hulda & Nels Anderson
Next Owner Myron B. & Alice E. (Anderson) Henderson	1	Sister of Clarence; daughter of Nels & Hulda
Next Owner Ronald Myron Henderson	29	Son of Myron & Alice

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Ronald Myron Henderson
(signature of present owner)Jan 20 - 2019
(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? James Francis Crozier

How many acres were in the original parcel? 116 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Sweeden

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? no

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? ?

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? late 1800's

What were the farm's major crops or products? corn, small grain, cows

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Todd and Cathy AltermattMain Contact Phone Number: (507)828-5721 caltermatt11@hotmail.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 23630 Hunter Ave Wabasso MN 56293
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Todd and Cathy AltermattName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Frank Farm (Todd and Cathy (Frank) Altermatt)Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____, signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 20752 Justice Avenue Wabasso MN 56293
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 7 Farm Township: 110-Willow Lake Farm County: RedwoodNumber of acres in the farm now: 157.7Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1901Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): The Northeast Quarter (NE1/4) of
section Number Seven(7), Township Number One Hundred Ten (110) North, of Range Number Thirty-six (36) West of
the Fifth (5th) Principal Meridian, containing One Hundred Sixty (160) acres, more or less.**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Wenzel & Mary (Frank) Hammerschmidt	7-22-1901	
Next Owner Raymond J. Frank / John & Margaret (Welsch) Frank	8-15-1939	Nephew to Mary. Brother to Mary.
Next Owner Wilbur and Joan (Bernardy) Frank	5-17-1966	Nephew to Mary.
Next Owner Wilbur & Joan Frank-Quit Claim to their 14 children	1-26-2001	Nephew & Great-Niece' & Nephew's to Mary
Next Owner Todd & Cathy (Frank) Altermatt	10-15-2017	Great-Niece to Mary

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Cathy Altermatt
 (signature of present owner)

January 28, 2019
 (date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? The Winona & St. Peter Land Company

How many acres were in the original parcel? 7-22-1901 80 acres purchased. 1-9-1902 80 acres purchased.

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$900.00 per 80 acres.

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? The original home is.

When was the present home built? 1902

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn and Beans

Additional comments _____

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Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or call: 651-288-4417



MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Michael D. AndersonMain Contact Phone Number: 507-430-2336 mikdonand@yahoo.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Phone Number: 35263 1704th St Springfield MN 56087
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Donald Anderson Trust B/Clarice AndersonName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: AndersonCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm Anderson has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1910 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 17552 Magnolia Ave Springfield MN 56087
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 30 Farm Township: 110 Farm County: RedwoodNumber of acres in the farm now: 75.52Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1910Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? —Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): The West One-half of the Northwest Quarter (W 1/2 of N.W. 1/4) of Section No. Thirty (30), in Township No. One hundred and ten (110) North of Range No. Thirty five (35) West of the 5th P.M. Containing 75.52 acres of land more or less, according to the United States Government Survey thereof.**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Nov. 1 1910</u> <u>Nels Christian Anderson</u>	<u>33</u>	
Next Owner <u>1943</u> <u>Christ, Petri, Martha, Emil</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>children</u>
Next Owner, <u>Jan 44</u> <u>Yvonne, Clara, Christ</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>Daughters + Son</u>
Next Owner <u>4-16-1958</u> <u>Clara, Christ</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>Daughter + Son</u>
Next Owner <u>1968</u> <u>Clara</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>Daughter</u>
<u>Donald + Curt 12-89</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>Grandson's</u>
<u>Donald Anderson</u>		<u>Grandson's wife</u>

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Michael D. Anderson, Trustee
(signature of present owner)2-10-2019
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? John J & Josephine Harlin

How many acres were in the original parcel? 75.52

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$40.00

Where was the first family owner born? Denmark

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? no

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, Soybeans

Additional comments Just a few trees remain on original homestead site in southwest corner of farm.

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Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or Call: (651) 288-4417



MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Chad BeranekMain Contact Phone Number: 605-421-1290 ckberanek@gmail.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 17733 Impala Avenue Lamberton MN 56152
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Cletus BeranekName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Beranek FarmsCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 17733 Impala Ave Lamberton
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 25 Farm Township: Waterbury Farm County: RedwoodNumber of acres in the farm now: 150Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1912Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Sect-25 twp110 rang-37 nw 1/4**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Peter & Emma Beranek	1912-1917	
Next Owner Peter & Edward Beranek	1917-1920	sons
Next Owner Edward & Mary Beranek	1920-1951	son and wife
Next Owner Clem Beranek	1951-1973	Grandson
Next Owner Cletus Beranek	1973-present	Great Grandson

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

Cletus Beranek
(signature of present owner)2-26-2019

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Winona St. Peter Land Company

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? _____

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): BONNIE OIENMain Contact Phone Number: 218 363 2719
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 1670 MUSKIE BAY RD NE
LONGVILLE MN 56655
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: BONNIE OIEN JILL HELGESON PATRICIA JONES
JANET DOODYName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: BJORNDAHL

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: County ~~BEAVER~~ HIGHWAY 9 BELVIEW MN 56214
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 15 Farm Township: 113 Farm County: REDWOODNumber of acres in the farm now: 203.8Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1917Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): SEC 15 TWP 113 RANG 37 W 2/3 N 1/2 EXTRS**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>ARVID & MARYTIE BJORNDAHL</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>GRANDPARENTS</u>
Next Owner <u>FRANK & AISACE BJORNDAHL</u>	<u>60</u>	<u>PARENTS</u>
Next Owner <u>BONNIE OIEN JILL HELGESON</u>		<u>2016 TO PRESENT</u>
Next Owner <u>PATRICIA JONES JANET DOODY</u>		<u>DAUGHTERS</u>
Next Owner		

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Bonnie Oien
(signature of present owner)2-4-2019
(date)

(over)



Certificate Wordings:
let it be known that
this farm

BJORN DAHL

has been in continuous
Agricultural operation
since

1917

Signifying more than 100
years of Contributions
to the Community, state
Nation And world

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Dorothy M. BorthMain Contact Phone Number: 1-507-766-6043
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 65651 440th St. Fairfax MN 55332
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Dorothy M. BorthName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Borth Family farmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm Borth Family Farm has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919, signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 65651 440th St Fairfax MN 55332
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 3 Farm Township: Camp Farm County: RenvilleNumber of acres in the farm now: 194.25Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? -Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): "the undivided one half of the northeast quarter of section three township one hundred twelve range thirty three west, containing 138.37 acres more or less"**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Joseph Borth Jr</u>	<u>46</u>	
Next Owner <u>Daniel J. Borth</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>Son of Joseph</u>
Next Owner <u>Dorothy M. Borth</u>	<u>8</u>	<u>Wife of Daniel</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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☐ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☒ Other Warranty Deed Record

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Dorothy M. Borth
(signature of present owner)Feb 6, 2019
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? C.W. Heimann

How many acres were in the original parcel? 138.37

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$1420.00 total

Where was the first family owner born? Renville County

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? no

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? 1920's

What were the farm's major crops or products? corn, soy beans, wheat, oats, alfalfa

Additional comments Joseph Barth Jr purchased this land
from CW Heimann in 1919. It was acquired by his son
Daniel J. Barth in 1965 when Joseph died. In later
years Daniel purchased an additional 55 acres connected
to this land in Section 3 camp township.

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Joyce CordesMain Contact Phone Number: 507-334-6377 none
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Phone Number: 25505 Ibson Ave Faribault MN 55021
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Joyce CordesName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Joyce CordesCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 25505 Ibson Ave Faribault MN 55021
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 28 Farm Township: Richland Farm County: RiceNumber of acres in the farm now: 200Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): N $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$
Sec. 28 Twp 109 Rge 19W**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Henry Cordes</u>	<u>1919-1949</u> <u>30 yrs</u>	
Next Owner <u>George Cordes</u>	<u>1949-2004</u> <u>55</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Gertrude Cordes</u>	<u>2004-2010</u> <u>6</u>	<u>Daughter-in-law</u>
Next Owner <u>Joyce Cordes</u>	<u>2010-2019</u> <u>9</u>	<u>Grand daughter</u>
Next Owner		

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Joyce Cordes
(signature of present owner)2-18-19
(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Walter P. Harsh + Ida M Harsh
(wife)

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Don't think so.

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? no

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? no

When was the present home built? 1959 moved here in 1991

What were the farm's major crops or products? diversified farming -

Additional comments dairy (cream then milk in later years)
hogs, Eggs, and some corn, later beans.

A tornado came through in 1920 taking
the barn and a new barn and chicken house
was built in 1921 or 1922. Between my father
(George) and myself (Joyce) milk or cream was

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shipped from this barn and farm from
1947 to 2017 for a total of 70 years.

The barn and chicken house are
still being used to this day (2019).

Joyce Cordes.

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): David V. DerscheidMain Contact Phone Number: (507) 789-6654 N/A
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 26300 Goodhue Ave. Kenyon, MN 55946
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: David V. Derscheid & wifeName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Derscheid'sCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 26300 Goodhue Kenyon MN 55946
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 36 Farm Township: Richland Farm County: RiceNumber of acres in the farm now: 335Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1917Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Sec.36 Twp.109 Range 019;
Sec.36 Twp. 109 Range 019; Sec.36 Twp. 109 Range 019; Sec.36 Twp.109 Range 019; Sec.31 Twp 109
Range 018**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner George F. Derscheid	1	
Next Owner Maurice L. Derscheid	48	Son
Next Owner David V. Derscheid	53	Grandson
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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

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David V. Derscheid
(signature of present owner)

Jan 25, 2019
(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Ole Underdahl

How many acres were in the original parcel? 280 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$175.00 per acre

Where was the first family owner born? Eagle Grove, Iowa

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? yes

If so, please list MLD raised certified seed and sold seed. He worked as a Township Clerk and sold Seed Corn.

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes, house & barn

When was the present home built? 1915

What were the farm's major crops or products? Cattle, Hogs, Corn, Soybeans

Additional comments Almost all of corn, oats and hay were fed to livestock and the remainder was sold as were soybeans for cash.

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Steve & Deanna LurkenMain Contact Phone Number: 507-273-4581 dlurken@hotmail.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Phone Number: 24687 Lamb Ave. Kenyon MN 55946
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Steve & Deanna LurkenName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Lurken Family FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 24687 Lamb Ave Kenyon MN 55946
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 24 Farm Township: 109 N Farm County: RiceNumber of acres in the farm now: 160Year of original purchase by a member of your family: Oct. 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>John Dietrich Lurkens and Margaret</u>	<u>40</u>	
Next Owner <u>Henry Lurken</u>	<u>10</u>	<u>son</u>
Next Owner <u>Ronald & Marlene Lurken</u>	<u>28</u>	<u>grandson & wife</u>
Next Owner <u>Steven & Deanna Lurken</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>great-grandson & wife</u>
Next Owner		

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Steven Lurken
(signature of present owner)12.26.18
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? J.O. & Cora Starks

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$81.⁰⁰ per acre

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? 1978

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, soybeans

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Paul and Diane Boyenga (husband and wife)Main Contact Phone Number: 507-227-7602 pauldianeboy@alliancecom.net
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 1924 41st Street Ellsworth MN 56129
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Paul and Diane Boyenga (husband and wife)Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Boyenga FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm Boyenga Farm has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 1924 41st Street Ellsworth MN 56129
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 23 Farm Township: Kanaranzi Farm County: RockNumber of acres in the farm now: 160Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): The Northwest Quarter (NW1/4) of section twenty-three (23) in Township one hundred one (101) North, of Range forty-four (44) West, of the 5th P.M.**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Meinert J. Boyenga and wife Reka Boyenga	1919-1962	
Next Owner Calvin J. Boyenga and wife Beatrice B. Boyenga	1962-1992	Son
Next Owner Paul M. Boyenga and wife Diane K. Boyenga	1992-2019	Grandson
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Paul M. Boyenga Diane K. Boyenga
 (signature of present owner)

01/14/2019

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Ole L. Tostenrud and wife Mary R. Tostenrud

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$230/acre

Where was the first family owner born? Greetsiel, East Friesland, Germany, in 1878

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Yes, prior to purchasing the farm

If so, please list Meinert was a milk hauler, using horse and wagon in the early 1900s near Ackley, Iowa. He moved to Minnesota in 1910 and after purchasing the farm in 1919, farming became his full-time occupation.

Was this a homestead? no, not by the Boyenga family

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? 1902

What were the farm's major crops or products? corn, soybeans, oats, flax, hay

Additional comments Meinert Boyenga was born in 1878 in Greetsiel, East Friesland Germany. He came to America

with his parents in 1888 and lived in Cleves Iowa before moving to Minnesota in 1910. Machinery was moved by

railroad cars from Iowa to MN. The family members, livestock, horses, chickens, furniture and family dog

all also came by train to Ellsworth, MN. They rented a farm for 10 years, before purchasing this century farm in 1919.

This century farm has been in continuous agricultural production through the years by the Boyenga family

and is still presently farmed by the current owners, Paul and Diane Boyenga.

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): David & Lisa HamannMain Contact Phone Number: 567 920-7119 repairhamann@gmail.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 980 140th Ave Luverne MN 56156
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: David & Lisa HamannName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Hamann FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 980 140th Ave Luverne MN 56156
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 24 Farm Township: Luverne Farm County: RockNumber of acres in the farm now: 300Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): NW 1/4 of Section 24, Township
102 North, Range 45 West, of the 5th P.M.**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>E. H. Hamann</u> <u>Annie</u> <u>wife</u>	<u>1919-1945</u> <u>26</u>	
Next Owner <u>John Ernest Hamann, Alma</u> <u>wife</u>	<u>1945-1968</u> <u>23</u>	<u>Parents</u>
Next Owner <u>Melvin C Hamann & Phydalis Hamann</u>	<u>1968-2000</u> <u>32</u>	<u>Parents</u>
Next Owner <u>David Hamann & Lisa Hamann</u>	<u>2000-Present</u> <u>19 years</u>	<u>Parents</u>
Next Owner		

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David C Hamann

(signature of present owner)

2-3-2019

(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Clayton M Snook and Genevieve Snook

How many acres were in the original parcel? 120 Acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$30,120.00 \$251.00 Acre

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes No.

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Hog House
Chicken House

When was the present home built? 1950

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, Soybeans, Alfalfa hay.

Additional comments Hogs, Beef, Dairy, poultry, in previous years.

Currently, raise Corn + Soybeans, Hogs, Goats, Alpacas.

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Glen and Marla PaulsenMain Contact Phone Number: 507-855-2130 bowler300@sio.midco.net
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 293 100th Ave Steen MN 56173
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Glen and Marla PaulsenName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: ~~Paulsen Farm~~ Paulsen FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 293 100th Ave Steen MN 56173
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 30 Farm Township: Clinton Farm County: RockNumber of acres in the farm now: 80Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1918Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): N 1/2 of NE 1/4 of Section 30
of Clinton Township(101) of Rock County**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Otto and Kate Paulsen	13	
Next Owner Fred and Laura Paulsen	43	Son
Next Owner Melvin and JoAnn Paulsen	40	Grandson
Next Owner Glen and Marla Paulsen	4	Great-Grandson
Next Owner		

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

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(signature of present owner)

February 28, 2019

(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? _____

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? approx. \$50 per acre

Where was the first family owner born? Wisconsin

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Yes

If so, please list Minnesota State representative 1935-1939

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? Not sure

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, soybeans, oats, dairy cows, sheep, hogs

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): BRENT HAUGENMain Contact Phone Number: 218-469-2883

(area code) (phone number)

(email address)

Main Contact Phone Number: 29229 290TH AVE BADGER MN 56714

(street)

(city)

(state)

(zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: BRENT HAUGENName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: HAUGEN FARMSCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 25241 CTY RD 16 BADGER MN 56714

(street)

(city)

(state)

(zip)

Farm Section: 10 Farm Township: MOOSE Farm County: ROSEAUNumber of acres in the farm now: 2,200Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1918Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): THE SOUTHWEST
QUARTER (SW 1/4) OF SECTION TEN (10) IN TOWNSHIP ONE HUNDRED
SIXTY TWO (162) OF RANGE FORTY-TWO (42)**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>HAVAL (HARRY) HAUGEN</u>	<u>47</u>	
Next Owner <u>ELMER + JALMER HAUGEN</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>SONS</u>
Next Owner <u>ELMER + JALMER + FLOYD HAUGEN</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>SONS</u>
Next Owner <u>BRENT HAUGEN</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>GRANDSON</u>
Next Owner		

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Brent Haugen

(signature of present owner)

2-10-19

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? _____

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$ 21.25

Where was the first family owner born? GOL, NORWAY

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? YES, BARN

When was the present home built? 1947

What were the farm's major crops or products? WHEAT, OATS, FLAX + BARLEY

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Harlan and Susan StuevenMain Contact Phone Number: 507-855-2226 sstueven@gmail.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 787 21st Street Hills MN 56138
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Harlan and Susan Stueven

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: _____

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 787 21st Street Hills MN 56138
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 26 Farm Township: Martin Farm County: RockNumber of acres in the farm now: 120Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): 120 acres in the Southeast Quarter section twenty-six in township one hundred one north, of range forty-six west of the 5th P. M.**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>William & Sophia Kitchenmaster</u>	<u>purchased 1919</u>	
Next Owner <u>Eli & Alvina Kitchenmaster</u>	<u>purchased 1962</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Wilfred & Evelyn (Kitchenmaster) Stueven</u>	<u>purchased 1968</u>	<u>grand daughter</u>
Next Owner <u>Harlan & Susan Stueven</u>	<u>purchased Acreage 1990</u>	<u>great grand son</u>
Next Owner	<u>Land 2018</u>	

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

Harlan Stueven
(signature of present owner)2-13-19
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? William and Effie Rons

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$18,240⁰⁰ for 160 acres

Where was the first family owner born? William → Mecklenburg, Germany

Sophia → Emden, Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? no

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? no

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? no

When was the present home built? 1939 ^{built} right next to original home

Barn built in 1930

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, Soybeans, alfalfa, Flax,

dairy, Pork, Poultry

Additional comments _____

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Main Contact Name(s): Dale Rauvola
 Main Contact Phone Number: 218-348-2741 dalerauvola@frontier.com
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)

Main Contact Address: 6155 Hwy 29 Floodwood MN 55736
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Dale + Mary Rauvola

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: RAUVOLA FARM

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 6285 Hingelley Rd Floodwood MN 55736
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 27 Farm Township: 52 Farm County: 20 St. Louis

Number of acres in the farm now: 560

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

NE 1/4 of NE 1/4 of Section 27 - 52 - 20

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>OSCAR RAUVOLA</u>	<u>35</u>	<u>Great Great Grandfather</u>
Next Owner <u>CLARENCE RAUVOLA</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>UNCLE</u>
Next Owner <u>CLARENCE + LEONARD RAUVOLA</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>UNCLE + FATHER</u>
Next Owner <u>DALE + MARY RAUVOLA</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>SELF + WIFE</u>
Next Owner		

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☐ Other _____

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Dale Rauvola
 (signature of present owner)

3/2/19

(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? CLARENCE + LEONARD RAUVOLA

How many acres were in the original parcel? 40

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? 401⁰⁰

Where was the first family owner born? FINLAND

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? NO

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? NO

When was the present home built? 1950 added to 1969

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy Farm - 1919-1990

Additional comments Beef Farm 1990 to present

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): ROGER J. NELSONMain Contact Phone Number: 763-389-4634 marlene4nelson@gmail.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 30397 150th St PRINCETON MN 55371
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: ROGER J NELSONName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: ROGER J NELSONCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm Roger J. Nelson Farm has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 13945 305th Av PRINCETON MN 55371
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 18 Farm Township: Baldwin Farm County: SHERBURNENumber of acres in the farm now: 78.34Year of original purchase by a member of your family: APRIL 22, 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? -Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): N 1/2 of SE 1/4, S 18,
T 35, R 26 Sherburne County, with exception.**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>LARS NELSON</u>	<u>20</u>	
Next Owner <u>ANNA NELSON</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>WIFE</u>
Next Owner <u>JOHN & VIOLA NELSON</u>	<u>52</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner <u>ROGER J NELSON</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>GRANDSON</u>
Next Owner		

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Roger J Nelson
 (signature of present owner)

1-18-19
 (date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? RYNOLD KRIESEL

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? ?

Where was the first family owner born? SWEDEN

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? YES

If so, please list Worked in iron ore mines at Wrenshall, MN when he arrived from Sweden. Moved to the farm in 1919

Was this a homestead? YES

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? YES

When was the present home built? 1972

What were the farm's major crops or products? Alfalfa, Oats, Corn, Rye, Hereford Beef Cattle

Additional comments BARN was built by Grandpa Lars, he hewed the timbers with a draw knife and mixed the cement by hand. John NELSON was born upstairs in the old house on January 22, 1921
No doctor present.

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Main Contact Name(s): Jeff BertramMain Contact Phone Number: (320) 250-6999 (cell)
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 662 Spruce St Paynesville MN 56360
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Jeff BertramName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Jeff, Marlene, Jacob + Mitchell Bertram
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 27247 State Highway 4 Paynesville MN 56360
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 26 + 27 Farm Township: Spring Hill Farm County: StearnsNumber of acres in the farm now: 80Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1910Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Parcel ID#s 35.23368.0000 + 35.233366.0000; SW45W4 Section 26 Township 124 Range 033; Section 27 Township 27 Township 124 Range 033**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Peter Bertram</u>	<u>9-6-1910</u> <u>3.5 yrs</u>	<u>N/A</u>
Next Owner <u>Joseph + Katie Bertram</u>	<u>4-14-1915</u> <u>44.5 yrs</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Clarence + Viola Bertram</u>	<u>10-19-1900</u> <u>59 yrs</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Jeff + Marlene Bertram</u>	<u>12-15-2018</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner		

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Jeff Bertram
(signature of present owner)2-28-19
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? ?

How many acres were in the original parcel? 200

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? >

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No, not on

When was the present home built? this land, but yes on the

What were the farm's major crops or products? Home Farm.

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, oats, alfalfa

Additional comments This land was continuously owned by our
Bertram Family; Great Grandfather, Grandfather, Father;
and will be passed on to our sons. Five generations
of Bertram ownership!

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Main Contact Name(s): Florian and Barbara Blenker

Main Contact Phone Number: (320) 845-4464
(area code) (phone number) (email address)

Main Contact Address: 26408 County Road 30 Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Florian and Barbara Blenker

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Blenker Family Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 26408 County Road 30 Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 35, 36 Farm Township: 125 Farm County: Stearns

Number of acres in the farm now: 240.00

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1909

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____
160.00A W2SW4, SW4NW4 & NE4 SW4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Frank Blenker	1909-1935	
Next Owner Mary Blenker	1935-1952	Wife of Frank Blenker
Next Owner Andrew A. Blenker	1952-1987	Son of Frank Blenker
Next Owner Florian Blenker	1987-Present	Grandson of Frank Blenker
Next Owner		

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Barb Blenker
(signature of present owner)

2-2-19
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? _____

How many acres were in the original parcel? _____

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? _____

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Tom BuermanMain Contact Phone Number: (320) 980-2759 nbuerman@albanytel.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 30712 Clear Lake Road Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Thomas and Nancy BuermanName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Buerman Family FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 29545 233rd Avenue Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 16 Farm Township: 124 Farm County: StearnsNumber of acres in the farm now: 100.00Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1907Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____
100.00A S2NE4 & E2SE4NW4**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Theodore Buerman	1907-1949	
Next Owner Henry Buerman	1949-1963	Son of Theodore Buerman
Next Owner Walter Buerman	1963-2015	Grandson of Theodore Buerman
Next Owner Tom Buerman	2015-Present	Great-Grandson of Theodore Buerman
Next Owner		

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Walter Buerman
(signature of present owner)2-15-19
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? William Bergermann

How many acres were in the original parcel? 100.00

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? 1920

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn and soybeans.

Additional comments _____

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Main Contact Name(s): _____ Dennis Dirkes

Main Contact Phone Number: _____ (320) 845-2357
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: _____ 24643 350th Street Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: _____ Dennis Dirkes

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: _____ Dirkes Family Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: _____ 24643 350th Street Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 18, 19 Farm Township: 125 Farm County: Stearns

Number of acres in the farm now: 174.64

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1862*

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

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PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner John Dirkes, Sr.	1862*-1917	
Next Owner George Dirkes, Sr.	1917-1958	Son of John Dirkes, Sr.
Next Owner George Dirkes, Jr.	1958-1976	Grandson of John Dirkes, Sr.
Next Owner Florence Dirkes	1976-1994	Grand-Daughter-in-Law of John Dirkes, Sr.
Next Owner Dennis Dirkes	1994-Present	Great-Grandson of John Dirkes, Sr.

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Dennis F. Dirkes
(signature of present owner)

Feb 2 2019
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? _____

How many acres were in the original parcel? _____

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? _____

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Earl + Gwen GehrkeMain Contact Phone Number: 320 - 236-2341 gwengehrke@gmail.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact ^{Address} ~~Phone Number~~: 16553 33rd Ave South Haven MN 55382
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Earl + Gwen GehrkeName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Gehrke FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 16553 33rd Ave South Haven MN 55382
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 22+27 Farm Township: Fair Haven Farm County: StearnsNumber of acres in the farm now: 189.31Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Section 22 Township 122 Range
028 80.00A E2NE4 and Section 22 Township 122 Range 028 80.00A W2NE4
and Section 27 Township 122 Range 028 29.31A. NW4SE4**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>August + Bertha Gehrke</u>	<u>3</u>	
Next Owner <u>Henry + Elsa Gehrke</u>	<u>51</u>	<u>Son + daughter-in-law</u>
Next Owner <u>Alfred + Evelyn Gehrke</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>Grandson + wife</u>
Next Owner <u>Earl + Gwen Gehrke</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>Great Grandson + wife</u>
Next Owner		

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Earl Gehrke Gwen Gehrke
(signature of present owner)1/3/19
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Henry M. Rickmeyer + Emma Rickmeyer

How many acres were in the original parcel? 189.31

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? 1932

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, oats, alfalfa, wheat, rye

Additional comments _____

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(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 24094 County Road 39 Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Michael GogalaName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Gogala Family FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 24094 County Road 39 Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 32 Farm Township: 126 Farm County: StearnsNumber of acres in the farm now: 160.00Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1865*Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): 40.00S SE4SW4 and
40.00A SW4SW4 and 40.00A NW4SW4 and 40.00A NE4SW4**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Antetone Gogala, Jr.	1865*-1923	
Next Owner John Gogala	1923-1985	Son of Anetone Gogala, Jr.
Next Owner Andrew Gogala and Anthony Gogala	1985-1991	Sons of John Gogala
Next Owner Andrew Gogala	1991-1997	Son of John Gogala
Next Owner Andrew Gogala and John Gogala, Jr.	1997-2002	Sons of John Gogala

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Michael Gogala
(signature of present owner)2-2-19
(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Farm was established through the United States Homestead Act of 1862*

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160.00

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Slovenia

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Yes

If so, please list Blacksmith

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? Log Cabin (ca. 1880) and Framed Addition (ca. 1906)

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, hay, and soybeans.

Additional comments _____

Other original buildings that are still standing: barn (1875), smokehouse (1880), and blacksmith workshop (1915).

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(area code) (phone number) (email address)

(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: _____ Michael Gogala

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: _____ Gogala Family Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: _____
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: _____ Farm Township: _____ Farm County: _____

Number of acres in the farm now: _____

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: _____

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? _____ If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner		
Next Owner John Gogala, Jr and Michael Gogala	2002-2006	Son of John Gogala and Son of John Gogala,
Next Owner Michael Gogala	2006-Present	Son of John Gogala, Jr
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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() Original Deed (X) County Land Record (X) Other Stearns History Museum Records

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

Michael Gogala
(signature of present owner)

2-2-19
(date)

(over)

Dean Heitke

Heitke Farm Representative

1715 Southwood Trail

St. Cloud, MN 56301

Dear Sir or Madam,

I have enclosed the completed registration to recognize Heitke Farm as a Minnesota Century Farm. I am writing to ask a favor in hopes that we can receive the certificate and sign ahead of our annual family reunion. We are planning to celebrate as a family on July 27, but the Stearns County Fair will be held from July 31-August 4 which is after our celebration.

If possible, please mail the sign and certificate to me rather than the Stearns County Fair. Thank you for considering this special handling, it would mean a lot to have these items present at our reunion.

Thank you,

Dean Heitke

320-267-3056

dheitke@charter.net

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Dean HeitkeMain Contact Phone Number: 320-267-3056 dheitke@charter.net
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 1715 Southwood Trl St. Cloud MN 56301
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Marjorie Heitke HartmannName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: HeitkeCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 22083 273rd Av Paynesville MN 56301
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 22 Farm Township: Zion Farm County: StearnsNumber of acres in the farm now: 196Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? N/ALegal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): SE 1/4 of SE 1/4 Section 22,
W 1/2 of NE 1/4 Section 27, and that part of the N 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Section 34 lying and being north of railroad Right Of
Way all in Township 123 North Range 32 West.**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Charles and Freda Heitke	46	
Next Owner James and Marjorie Heitke	2	Son and Daughter-In-Law
Next Owner Marjorie Heitke (now Hartmann)	52	Daughter-In-Law
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Marjorie Heitke-Hartmann
(signature of present owner)1-11-2019
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Herman and Olga Arndt

How many acres were in the original parcel? 116 (the other 80 acres was previously owned)

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$51.72

Where was the first family owner born? Zion Township, Stearns County, Minnesota

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Yes

If so, please list Charles was a high school teacher prior to buying farm and then was the Zion Township Assessor and insurance salesman while farming.

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? 1898

What were the farm's major crops or products? Guernsey dairy cattle, corn, alfalfa, oats, wheat

Additional comments Charles and Freda (Gess) Heitke were both born and raised within 2 miles of this farm. They married in 1914 and moved to Elk River and Madelia, Minnesota for a few years where Charles taught school. They bought this farm in 1919 and farmed it until their son James and daughter-in-law Marjorie (Lorenz) Heitke purchased it in 1965. James passed away in 1967 and Marjorie has continued to live on the farm ever since. Marjorie married James Hartmann in 1976 and he farmed the land until his retirement in recent years and they rented the land to a local farmer. The farm land is currently a mixture of active agricultural land and Conservation Reserve Program land.

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Century Farms
1265 Snelling Avenue North
St. Paul, MN 55108-3099**

Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or Call: (651) 288-4417



MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): GARY + MARK HOFFMANNMain Contact Phone Number: (320) 493-5092 / (320) 252-4896
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Phone Number: 26274 93RD AVE ST. CLOUD MN 56301
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: GARY + MARK HOFFMANNName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: HOFFMANN FAMILY FARMCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1917 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 26274 93RD AVE ST. CLOUD MN 56301
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 35 Farm Township: 124 Farm County: STEARNSNumber of acres in the farm now: 116.95Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1917Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): 116.95 A-NZSW4 + SW4SW4 LESS 3.05 A. FOR HWYSECTION 35 TOWNSHIP 124 RANGE 029**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner GEORGE HOFFMANN	14	
Next Owner JOHN + CLARA HOFFMANN	40	SON
Next Owner JOHN + MARTHA HOFFMANN	47	GRANDSON
Next Owner GARY + MARK HOFFMANN	1	GREAT GRANDSONS
Next Owner		

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

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

Gary D. Hoffmann / Mark T. Hoffmann 2/19/2019
(signature of present owner) (date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? GEORGE + W.C. GULDE

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$ 54.375

Where was the first family owner born? MANCHOFF, AUSTRIA

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? YES

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? YES

When was the present home built? LATE 1890'S

What were the farm's major crops or products? CORN, HAY, + DAIRY CATTLE

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): JASON J. Lieser ~~Lieser~~Main Contact Phone Number: 320 293-8325 LieserJASON@BMAIL.COM
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 36921 County Road 32, Belgrade, MN. 56312
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: JASON J. AND MEGAN E. LieserName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Lieser Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 36921 County Road 32, Belgrade, MN. 56312
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 7 Farm Township: LAKE HENRY Farm County: STEARNNumber of acres in the farm now: 400Year of original purchase by a member of your family: August 1, 1910 at 9 A.M.Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

NW 1/4 of Section 7 in Township (123) Range (33) west
157.65 acres**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>NICKOLAUS Lieser</u>	<u>25</u>	
Next Owner <u>JACOB J. Lieser</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner <u>Robert A. Lieser</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>GRANDSON</u>
Next Owner <u>JASON J. Lieser</u>	<u>12</u>	<u>Great GRANDSON</u>
Next Owner		

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

Jason J. Lieser
 (signature of present owner)

1-10-19
 (date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? John WALdhera & Wife
How many acres were in the original parcel? 158.65/100
What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$39.00
Where was the first family owner born? NICKOLAUS born in 1891 township,
Stearns County
Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO
If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? NO
Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? NO
When was the present home built? 1945 1947
What were the farm's major crops or products? OATS - HAY - CORN
CHICKEN - COWS - HOGS - HORSES -
Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**

Main Contact Name(s): Dan Olmscheid
 Main Contact Phone Number: 320-292-7801 mrmrsdo@gmail.com
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)
 Main Contact Address: 28322 293rd Avenue Freeport MN 56331
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Dan Olmscheid
 Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: ~~Olmscheid Farm~~ Olmscheid Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1917 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 28322 293rd Avenue Freeport MN 56331
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 21 Farm Township: St. Martin Farm County: Stearns

Number of acres in the farm now: 200

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 9-26-1917

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when?

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): South half of the North West Quarter (S 1/2 of NW 1/4) and the North Half of the Southwest Quarter (N 1/2 of SW 1/4) all in Section 21 Township 124 Range 32

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>John Olmscheid</u>	<u>43</u>	
Next Owner <u>Gilbert Olmscheid</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Daniel Olmscheid</u>	<u>31</u>	<u>grand son</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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Dan Olmscheid
 (signature of present owner)

2-25-2019
 (date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? John Turk, Adam Turk, Joe Turk

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$90.00

Where was the first family owner born? St. Martin, Minnesota

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? 1901

What were the farm's major crops or products? beans, corn, dairy beef

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Terry and Diane OlmscheidMain Contact Phone Number: (320) 548-3490
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 28712 306th Avenue Freeport MN 56331
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Terry and Diane OlmscheidName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Olmscheid Family FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 28712 306th Avenue Freeport MN 56331
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 18, 19 Farm Township: 124 Farm County: StearnsNumber of acres in the farm now: 190.00Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1896Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Section18 & 19, 20 T124N R32W**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Anton Olmscheid	1896-1930	
Next Owner Frank Olmscheid	1930-1957	Son of Anton Olmscheid
Next Owner Stanley Olmscheid	1957-1990	Grandson of Anton Olmscheid
Next Owner Terry Olmscheid	1990-Present	Great-Grandson of Anton Olmscheid
Next Owner		

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Terry Olmscheid
(signature of present owner)2/25/2019
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? _____

How many acres were in the original parcel? _____

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Carpentry

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? ~~\$~~

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? 1999

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy and corn

Additional comments _____

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Deadline: March 4, 2019

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**

Main Contact Name(s): _____ John Sand

Main Contact Phone Number: _____ (320) 845-2618
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 23364 Viewcrest Road Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: _____ John Sand

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: _____ Sand Family Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____, signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 23364 Viewcrest Road Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 21 Farm Township: 126 Farm County: Stearns

Number of acres in the farm now: 120.00

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1908

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____
21-126-31 120.00A SW4NW4 & W2SW4**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Nick Sand <i>Husband</i>	1908-1936	
Next Owner Henry Sand <i>son</i>	1936	Son of Nick Sand
Next Owner Anna Sand <i>Wife</i>	1936-1963	Wife of Nick Sand
Next Owner Victor Sand <i>son</i>	1963-1994	Grandson <i>son</i> of Nick Sand
Next Owner John Sand <i>Grandson</i>	1994-Present	Grandson <i>Grandson</i> of Nick Sand

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John Sand
(signature of present owner)

2-22-19
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? John Hoeschen

How many acres were in the original parcel? 120.00

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Collegeville, MN

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? _____

Additional comments please make corrections, noticed.
Nick + Anna, husband-wife; Henry, son; Victor, son;
John, grandson.

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Main Contact Name(s): David and Judy Stueve

Main Contact Phone Number: (320) 845-2264
(area code) (phone number) (email address)

Main Contact Address: 40189 245th Avenue Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: David and Judy Stueve

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Crazy Acres Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 40189 245th Avenue Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 19, 20 Farm Township: 126 Farm County: Stearns

Number of acres in the farm now: 240.00

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1889

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

160.00A SE4

80.00A W2SW4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Ferdinand Stueve	1889-1926	
Next Owner Henry Stueve	1926-1953	Son of Ferdinand Stueve
Next Owner Sylvester Stueve	1953-1987	Grandson of Ferdinand Stueve
Next Owner David Stueve	1987-Present	Great-Grandson of Ferdinand Stueve
Next Owner		

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Judy Stueve
(signature of present owner)

2/17/19
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? _____ Pacific Railroad Company

How many acres were in the original parcel? _____ 240.00

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____ \$1.00

Where was the first family owner born? _____ Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? _____ 1999

What were the farm's major crops or products? _____ Beans, corn, and hay.

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Pete ThelenMain Contact Phone Number: 380-249-1675 pthelen88@gmail.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 26677 Co. Rd. 161 Richmond MN 56368
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Peter and Jill ThelenName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Theis / ThelenCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 26677 Co. Rd. 161 Richmond MN 56368
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 34 Farm Township: Farming Farm County: StearnsNumber of acres in the farm now: 61Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): 61.53 A S 1086.80'of NE 4 less N 100' of S 1086.80' of W 919' + less N 100'
of S 1086.80' of E 1056.20' as measured along N line of S 986.60'
+ less N 10' of S 986.60' of W 20' of
E 635.63' section 34 Township 124
Range 031**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Peter Theis</u>	<u>50</u>	
Next Owner <u>Jerome Theis</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Bernadine Thelen</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>daughter</u>
Next Owner <u>Peter Thelen</u>	<u>19+</u>	<u>grandson</u>
Next Owner		

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Pete Thelen
(signature of present owner)2-11-19
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Herman + Josephine Ramler

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? unknown

Where was the first family owner born? Eden Valley

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? yes

If so, please list woodsman

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? prior to 1919

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn / alfalfa

Additional comments when originally purchased in 1919, there was less than 10 acres of open land on a 160 acre farm. Peter Theis spent many years clearing land and selling wood to make a living. There was a barn and house on the farm when purchased and the house is still lived in.

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Peter TomscheMain Contact Phone Number: (320) 356-7565
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 15387 Fruit Farm Road Saint Joseph MN 56374
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Tomsche Family Farm, LLCName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Tomsche Family Farm, LLCCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 20756 Quaker Road Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 13, 14 Farm Township: 125 Farm County: StearnsNumber of acres in the farm now: 87.70Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1892Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

14-125-31 67.70A N2SE4 & SW4SE4 LESS PART COM SE COR SEC 14-S88D W ALG S LN 1418'TO POB-N4D W 1530.13'-N48D W 704.22'-N47D W 313.80'-N26D W 134.07'-N76D W 313.08'**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Joseph Tomsche	1892-1923	
Next Owner Alois Tomsche and Emil Tomsche	1923-1938	Sons of Joseph Tomsche
Next Owner Alois Tomsche	1938-1964	Son of Joseph Tomsche
Next Owner Raymond Tomsche	1964-2015	Grandson of Joseph Tomsche
Next Owner Tomsche Family Farm, LLC	2015-Present	Great-Grandchildren of Joseph Tomsche

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☒ Abstract of Title ☐ Land Patent ☐ Court File in Registration Proceedings
☐ Original Deed ☒ County Land Record ☒ Other Stearns History Museum Records

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

Pete Tomsche

(signature of present owner)

Feb-11, 2019

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Leonard Koch

How many acres were in the original parcel? 140.00

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? Alfalfa, corn, and oats.

Additional comments _____

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Mail application to:
Minnesota State Fair
Century Farms
1265 Snelling Avenue North
St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or Call: (651) 288-4417



Deadline: March 4, 2019

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): Robert and Suzanne Wittkop

Main Contact Phone Number: (320) 845-2821
(area code) (phone number) (email address)

Main Contact Address: 37252 245th Avenue Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Robert Wittkop

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Wittkop Century Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 37252 245th Avenue Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 5, 6, 8 Farm Township: 125 Farm County: Stearns

Number of acres in the farm now: 482.11

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1898

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): 40.00A NW4 NE4,
281.26A N2NW4 LESS N 1098' OF NWNW & LESS N 594' FO W 495' NENW&S2NW4 & E2SW4 & W2SE4,
and 160.85A NE4.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Henry Wittkop	1898-1940	
Next Owner Frank Wittkop	1940-1968	Son of Henry Wittkop
Next Owner Robert Wittkop	1968-Present	Grandson of Henry Wittkop
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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- () Abstract of Title () Land Patent () Court File in Registration Proceedings
() Original Deed (X) County Land Record (X) Other Stearns History Museum Records

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

Robert Wittkop
(signature of present owner)

2-2-19
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? _____ John Dirkes, Jr.

How many acres were in the original parcel? _____

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? _____ Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____ No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? _____

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? _____ Corn, dairy, hay, and soybeans.

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**

Main Contact Name(s): Joyce Zimmerman
 Main Contact Phone Number: 320 260-4844 chefjazz@usa.com
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)
 Main Contact Phone Number: 407 5 1/2 street NE MN 56375
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Ben & Alice Supan

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Supan Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm Supan Farm has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1915 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 710 Main Street East St. Stephen MN 56375
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 30 Farm Township: 126 range 28 Farm County: Stearns

Number of acres in the farm now: 70

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: ~~1875~~ 1915

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): 90.55808.0000

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Andrew & Rose Supan</u>	<u>7 years</u>	
Next Owner <u>John & Agnes Supan</u>	<u>39 years</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Ben & Alice Supan</u>	<u>57 years</u>	<u>Ben Grandson</u>
Next Owner <u>Nathan Zimmerman</u>	<u>will take over next year</u>	<u>Great Great Grandson</u>
Next Owner		

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

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

Ben & Alice Supan
 (signature of present owner)

11-31-18
 (date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? St. Paul Pacific Railway - Clarendon Parker Mc Clure

How many acres were in the original parcel? 98 acres \$25.00 entire 98 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$100.00 acre - Ben

Where was the first family owner born? Slovenia

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Tailor

If so, please list Rose homemaker (10 children) Farmer 6 children

Andrew Tailor/Farmer John - Butcher + Agnes -
Ben - Woodworker/Farmer + Alice Bankteller/Farmwife midwife
Was this a homestead? 7 children Farmwife

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Barn built in '49

Old garage built 1920
When was the present home built? 1979 Present home

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy untill 1985
Wheat - Potatoes - 1920's/1930's - Corn + Alfalfa + Beet present

Additional comments Some of the wheat produced on the farm was
used for 'Minnesota 13' - Henry Givent was the
Finest moonshine around. Brewmaster.

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Century Farms
1265 Snelling Avenue North
St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or Call: (651) 288-4417



MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Bernard H. Van ZomerenMain Contact Phone Number: 320-760-0826 bvanzome@wisper-wireless.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 1323 Maple Dr. SE Alexandria MN 56308
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Bernard H. Van ZomerenName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Van ZomerenCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: _____
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 22 Farm Township: 126 Farm County: StevensNumber of acres in the farm now: 155.37Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): SE 1/4 of Section 22 Township 126
North Range 44 except Lot B**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Fennardus Van Zomeren	23	
Next Owner S Henry Van Zomeren	47	Son
Next Owner Bernard Van Zomeren	30	Grandson
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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☐ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

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

Bernard H Van Zomeren
 (signature of present owner)

January 16, 2019

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? H W Wilhelms and Lillian Wilhelms

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$4,000 @ 6% 6/12/1919

Where was the first family owner born? Winschoten, Holland

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? yes

If so, please list blacksmith

Was this a homestead? no

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes old house

When was the present home built? 1928

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy, hogs, oats, corn, barley and wheat

Additional comments _____

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6/19/19

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): Steven & Dori ~~Gades~~ Gades

Main Contact Phone Number: 320-392-5412 spgades@yahoo.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)

Main Contact Address: 1570 70th St. NW Hancock Mn 56244
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Steven & Dori Gades

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Steven & Dori Gades

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 1570 70th St. NW Hancock Mn 56244
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 2 Farm Township: 122 Farm County: Swift

Number of acres in the farm now: 240

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

160 AC SW 1/4 of Sec. 2 TWP. 122, Rge 42
80 AC W 1/2 of the NE 1/4 Sec. 2 TWP. 122, Rge 42


PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Fred Gades</u>	<u>5</u>	<u>1919-1923</u>
Next Owner <u>Henry & Frieda Gades</u>	<u>53</u>	<u>Son 1923-1976</u>
Next Owner <u>Elmer & Arloine Gades</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Grandson 1976-1989</u>
Next Owner <u>Steven & Dori Gades</u>	<u>29</u>	<u>Great Grandson 1989-2019</u>
Next Owner		

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☒ Original Deed ☒ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

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


(signature of present owner)

2/13/19
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Patrick Gaughran

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$3600.00

Where was the first family owner born? Minnesota

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? 1995

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn & Beans

Additional comments _____

4th Generation family farm

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St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or Call: (651) 288-4400



MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Anne NalewajaMain Contact Phone Number: 218-556-9487 Anne.nalewaja@bayer.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 4139 County Highway 29 Twin Valley MN 56584
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Anne NalewajaName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Nalewaja Willow Hill FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 21936 304th Street Browerville MN 56438
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 13 Farm Township: Iona Farm County: ToddNumber of acres in the farm now: 158Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 05-31-1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

South Half of the Northwest Quarter (S1/2NW1/4) of Section Thirteen (13),Township One Hundred Thirty (130) North, Range Thirty-four (34) West of the 5th P.M.80 Acres**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Anthony (Anton) Nalewaja and Hattie Nalewaja	42	<i>Grand parents 05-31-1919</i>
Next Owner Hattie Nalewaja	7	Grand Mother 09-24-1961
Next Owner Catherine Hassing, Ignatius Nalewaja, Mathilda Nalewaj	32	Decedent's Aunts, Uncle, and father May 17, 19
Next Owner John Nalewaja	9	Father 05-31-2000
Next Owner Anne Nalewaja	10	Grand Daughter of Anthony & Hattie Nalewaja

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☒ Abstract of Title ☐ Land Patent ☐ Court File in Registration Proceedings
☐ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

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

Anne Nalewaja

(signature of present owner)

2-18-2019

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Thomas Heid and Catherine Heid May 31, 1919

How many acres were in the original parcel? 80

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$75 per acre

Where was the first family owner born? Anthony Nalewaja Delano, MN and Hattie Nalewaja

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? NO

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes, House - Not original
Original House

When was the present home built? _____

What were the farm's major crops or products? Silage, Cucumbers, Corn for picking

Additional comments The Pig Barn still standing is made out
of logs.

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Century Farms
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St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or call: 651-288-4417



No. 55

John D. Nalewaja and Donna L.
Nalewaja, husband and wife

to

Anne E. Nalewaja, a single person

Warranty Deed
Dated 2-16-2009
Consideration Valuable
Rec. Feb. 23, 2009 at 2 PM
Instrument No. 461313

The West Half of the Southwest Quarter ($W\frac{1}{2}SW\frac{1}{4}$) and the South Half of the Northwest Quarter ($S\frac{1}{2}NW\frac{1}{4}$), all in Section Thirteen (13), Township One Hundred Thirty (130), Range Thirty-four (34), Todd County, Minnesota, containing 160 acres.

This is a corrective deed to correct the first name of the Grantee from Anna to Anne Nalewaja on that Warranty Deed dated Nov. 19, 2008 and recorded as Instrument No. 460169.

Properly Signed and Acknowledged.

I am Sorry but
I am sending
Supporting documents
Since I had the
abstract out to fill
out the Application

No. 52

Ignatius Nalewaja and Frances
Nalewaja, husband and wife; Mathilda
Nalewaja, a/k/a Mathilda Nalawaja, a single
person; Alvina O'Connell, a single person
Philomene Koller and Paul Koller,
husband and wife; Hattie Nalewaja, a single
person; John D. Nalewaja and Donna L.
Nalewaja, husband and wife

Warranty Deed, Joint Tenants
Dated May 31, 2000
Consideration Valuable
Rec. June 23, 2000 at 4 PM
Instrument No. 394887

to

John D. Nalewaja and Donna L. Nalewaja,
husband and wife, as joint tenants

The S½ of the NW¼ and the W½ of the SW¼ all in Section 13, Township 130, Range 34.
Properly Signed and Acknowledged.

No. 53

Ben Oleson, Todd County Planning &
Zoning Administrator

Certified Copy of Planning & Zoning
and Subdivision Ordinances
Dated Jan. 26, 2005
Rec. Jan. 27, 2005 at 4 PM
Instrument No. 432109

to

Public

This ordinance is adopted for the purpose of:

- A. Protecting the public health, safety, comfort, convenience and general welfare.
- B. Protecting and preserving economically viable agricultural land.
- C. Promoting orderly development of the residential, commercial, industrial, recreational and public areas.
- D. Conserving the natural and scenic beauty and attractiveness of the county.
- E. Conserving and developing natural resources in the county.
- F. Providing for the compatibility of different land uses and the most appropriate use of land throughout the county.
- G. Minimizing environmental pollution.

See document of full complete rules and regulations.

Certified as to true copy, Jan. 26, 2005, /s/ Ben Oleson, Todd County Planning & Zoning Administrator.

No. 54

John D. Nalewaja and Donna L.
Nalewaja, husband and wife

Warranty Deed
Dated November 13, 2008
Consideration Valuable
Rec. Nov. 19, 2008 at 1 PM
Instrument No. 460169

to

Anna E. Nalewaja, a single person

The West Half of the Southwest Quarter (W½SW¼) and the South Half of the Northwest Quarter
(S½NW¼), all in Section Thirteen (13), Township One Hundred Thirty (130), Range Thirty-four (34),
Todd County, Minnesota, containing 160 acres.
Properly Signed and Acknowledged.

facilities.

(Complete ordinance on record and open for public inspection and copies are available from County Zoning Commission.)

The above Ordinance was revised July 14, 1980 and was recorded Jan. 26, 1981 at 9 A.M. as Document No. 293451.

No. 47

STATE OF MINNESOTA COUNTY OF TODD PROBATE COURT
COUNTY COURT-PROBATE DIVISION

In Re: Estate of
Hattie Nalewaja
Deceased
to

Public

Order of Complete Settlement of
the Estate and Decree of Distribution
Court File No. 11,368
Dated August 18, 1983
Rec. Sept. 2, 1983 at 3 P.M.
Instrument No. 304576

The petition of Ignatius Nalewaja, dated July 25, 1983, for an order of complete settlement of the estate and decree of distribution in the estate of the above named decedent having duly come on for hearing before the above named Court, the undersigned Judge having heard and considered such petition, being fully advised in the premises, makes the following findings and determinations:

1. That the petition for order of complete settlement of the estate and decree of distribution is complete.

5. That decedent died testate on February 6, 1968.

10. That decedent's will, if any, duly executed on August 6, 1960, and any codicil or codicils thereto, was probated by the order of this Court dated May 17, 1968, and should be construed to provide that under the provisions thereof, decedent devised his estate as follows:

Catherine Hassing	Daughter 1/7
Ignatius Nalewaja	Son 1/7
Mathilda Nalewaja	Daughter 1/7
Alvina O'Connell	Daughter 1/7
Philomene Koller	Daughter 1/7
Hattie Nalewaja	Daughter 1/7
John Nalewaja	Son 1/7
Leo Nalewaja	Son none

Society for the Propagation of the Faith, Inc. German Consulate

12. That the title to the hereinafter described real and personal estate has passed to and should be assigned to and vested in the following named persons who are entitled thereto as all the distributees of the decedent whose actual legal relationship to the decedent is as stated in the following proportions or parts:

Catherine Hassing 1/7 thereof
Ignatius Nalewaja 1/7 thereof

(No. 47 cont. on next page.)

No. 40

Merril Eastman

to

Public

Certified Copy of Death Certificate
Dated September 26, 1961
Rec. Oct. 2, 1961 at 11 A.M.
Instrument No. 224700

Certifies that Anthony Nalewaja died October 17, 1960.

No. 41

Hattie Nalewaja

to

Public

Affidavit of Survivorship
Ack. Date Sept. 24, 1961
Rec. Oct. 2, 1961 at 11 A.M.
Instrument No. 224700

Estate of Anthony Nalewaja, also known as Anton Nalewaja, deceased.

Hattie Nalewaja, being duly sworn, on oath says that she is the surviving joint tenant of the decedent named herein.

That Anthony Nalewaja, also known as Anton Nalewaja, died on the 17th day of October, 1960. that a duly certified copy of the record of his death as contained herein or attached hereto is made a part hereof.

That said decedent at and prior to death was the owner of an interest as joint tenant in the hereinafter described property in which the following named person is surviving joint tenant

Hattie Nalewaja, wife

That respective interests of decedent and survivor as joint tenant were created by an instrument of conveyance dated May 31, 1919 and filed for record December 19, 1919 in Book 99 of Deeds, page 99 in the following described property, to-wit:

S½ of NW¼ of Section 13, Township 130, Range 34, Todd County, Browerville,

HOMESTEAD

And other lands.

Properly signed and acknowledged.

No. 42

Commissioner of Taxation

to

Public

Certificate of No
Inheritance Tax
Dated September 26, 1961
Rec. Oct. 2, 1961 at 11 A.M.
Instrument No. 224700

Certifies that there are no inheritance taxes due the State of Minnesota on the above described transfers.

/s/Esther L. Osen, Inheritance and Gift Tax Division Seal.

John P. Lucas and
Bridget Lucas, his wife,

—To—

Browerville State Bank,
a corporation.

MORTGAGE.

Dated Dec. 3, 1914.
Consideration \$1000.00
2 seals, 2 witnesses.
Rec. Dec. 9, 1914, 2:30 P.M.,
Book "77" Mtges. page 284.

S. $\frac{1}{2}$ of N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 13, Twp. 130, Range 34.

Subject to a Mortgage of \$1000.00, one for \$500.00, one for \$500.00 now on record.

Due Nov. 1, 1915.

Acknowledged Dec. 3, 1914, by Grantors, before E. W. Schroeder,
Notary Public, Todd Co., Minn., SEAL., Coms. exp. June 29, 1918.
Registration Tax Paid \$1.50

No. 38.

John P. Lucas and
Bridget Lucas, his wife,

—To—

Thomas Heid.

WARRANTY DEED.

Dated Nov. 20, 1915.
Consideration \$5000.00
2 seals, 2 witnesses.
Rec. Nov. 23, 1915, 1:30 P.M.,
Book "86" Deeds, page 415.

S. $\frac{1}{2}$ of N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 13, Twp. 130, Range 34.

Acknowledged Nov. 20, 1915, by Grantors, before E. N. Perry,
Notary Public, Todd County, Minn., SEAL., Coms. exp. Oct. 21, 1921.
Revenue stamp \$5.00

No. 39.

Thomas Heid and Cath-
erina Heid, his wife,

—To—

Anthony Nalewaja and Hattie
Nalewaja, as Joint Tenants
and not as Tenants in Common.

WARRANTY DEED.

Dated May 31, 1919.
Consideration \$6000.00
2 seals, 2 witnesses.
Rec. Dec. 19, 1919, 4 P.M.,
Book "99" Deeds page 99.

S. $\frac{1}{2}$ of N.W. $\frac{1}{4}$ Sec. 13, Twp. 130, Range 34, containing according
to United States Government Survey 80 acres, more or less.

Acknowledged May 31, 1919, by Thomas Heid and Catherine Heid,
his wife, before Jos. A. Schmid, Notary Public, Todd County, Minnesota,
SEAL., Coms. exp. July 18, 1925.
Revenue stamp \$6.00

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**

Main Contact Name(s): MARLEN L GREER
 Main Contact Phone Number: 507 753 2838
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)
 Main Contact Address: 61493 380TH AVE ZUMBRO FALLS MN 55991
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: MARLEN L GREER

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: GREER FAMILY FARM

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1905 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 61493 380TH AVE ZUMBRO FALLS MN 55991
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 1-109-14 Farm Township: ZUMBRO Farm County: WABASHA

Number of acres in the farm now: 238.6

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: MARCH 16 1905

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): E 1/2 OF SE 1/4 AND 50 ACRES OF THE W 1/2 OF SE 1/4 ALL IN SECTION 1-109-14

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>MOSES GREER</u>	<u>MARCH 16 1905</u>	
Next Owner <u>CLARENCE GREER</u>	<u>MAY 26 1933</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner <u>EARL GREER</u>	<u>OCT 19 1981</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner <u>MARLEN GREER</u>	<u>APRIL 3 1996</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner		

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

Marlen L Greer

(signature of present owner)

1/29/2019

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? FRANCES AND JACOB STULL

How many acres were in the original parcel? 130 ACRES

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$40

Where was the first family owner born? IRELAND

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? NO

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? YES (LOG GRAINRY)

When was the present home built? 2012

What were the farm's major crops or products? HAY, CORN, SOYBEANS, OATS

Additional comments THE FARM WAS CONTINUALLY FARMED WITH JOHN DEERE TRACTORS SINCE 1933. STARTING WITH A 1933 JD-D THAT WAS TRADED FOR A NEW 1937 JD-G ON RUBBER AFTER THE ROAD WAS BLACK TOPPED IN 1936 SO MY GRANDFATHER COULDN'T CROSS THE ROAD WITH THE JD D ON STEEL WHEEL WITH LUGS. THE JD-G IS STILL ON THE FARM AND IS STILL RUN PERIODICLY. JOHN DEERE

Feel free to attach any additional files if you have run out of space above. 2 CYLINDER TRACTORS

Mail application to: ARE STILL THE MAIN FARMIN
Minnesota State Fair TRACTORS JD-R/720/736/820
Century Farms 520/A/B/G AND ALSO
1265 Snelling Avenue North A 1972 JD 4020
St. Paul, MN 55108-3099

Questions? Email: centuryfarms@mnstatefair.org or Call: (651) 288-4417



MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Brent StellingMain Contact Phone Number: 507/251-9954 stellingfarms@gmail.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 62728 305th Ave Millville MN 55957
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Jake Stelling and Henry StellingName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Stelling Farms, Inc.Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm Stelling Farms has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 62811 305th Ave Millville MN 55957
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 32 Farm Township: West Albany Farm County: WabashaNumber of acres in the farm now: 440Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): The NW 1/4 of Section 32-110-12.**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Henry W. Stelling (Olga--wife)	22	
Next Owner Gilbert V. and Almeda Stelling	67	Son
Next Owner Henry and Gary Stelling	2	Grandsons
Next Owner Henry and Jake Stelling	9	Grandson and Great grandson
Next Owner		

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

Henry Stelling, Jr.
(signature of present owner)1-9-19
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Zeriak and Maria Roth

How many acres were in the original parcel? 280

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$18,000 / \$64 per acre

Where was the first family owner born? Rib Lake, Wisconsin

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes, house and barn

When was the present home built? Home was built pre-1910 / Barn 1901

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, alfalfa, dairy, small grains

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**

Main Contact Name(s): DENNIS W white
 Main Contact Phone Number: 218 445-5675 judy.white@tchc.org
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)
 Main Contact Address: 21124 160th St. Verndale MN 56481
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: DENNIS WHITE

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: White family farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 21124 160th St. Verndale MN 56481
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: _____ Farm Township: Wing River Farm County: Wadena

Number of acres in the farm now: 79

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? -

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Sect - 36 TWP - 135

RANG - 34 76.98 AC - S 1/2 of SW 1/4 EXC. 52 A in SW 1/4 SW 1/4 EXC
S 330' of E 330' 76.98 ACRES

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Charles & Macy White</u>	1919 <u>1919-1946</u>	<u>Macy White Grandmother</u> <u>Charles White Grandfather</u>
Next Owner <u>Macy White</u>	<u>1946-1959</u>	<u>Grandmother</u>
Next Owner <u>James & Leona Baker</u>	<u>1959-1970</u>	<u>Aunt/Uncle</u>
Next Owner <u>Leona Baker</u>	<u>1970-1974</u>	<u>Aunt</u>
Next Owner <u>Dennis & Judy White</u>	<u>1974 - present</u>	

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Dennis W. & Judy A White 2-25-19
 (signature of present owner) (date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? LEONA BAKER AN Aunt

How many acres were in the original parcel? 240

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? 50.00

Where was the first family owner born? Blue Earth County

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Logging yes

If so, please list Logging as a young man

Was this a homestead? NO

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? 1923

What were the farm's major crops or products? mostly Dairy some Hogs

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**

Main Contact Name(s): Jeff + Ann Ruedy
 Main Contact Phone Number: 507 - 461-0120 amruey@gmail.com
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)

Main Contact Address: 17648 348 Ave Waseca MN 56093
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Laurence J + Ann M Ruedy

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Ruedy Family Farm
 Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here

Farm Address: 17648 348 Ave Waseca MN 56093
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 24 Farm Township: Woodville 107 Farm County: Waseca

Number of acres in the farm now: 600

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when?

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): 3 1/2 of the NE 1/4 and N 1/2 of the SE 1/4 of section 24, Township 107, Range 22

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Valentine and Louisa Ruedy</u>	<u>1919</u>	<u>great grandparents</u>
Next Owner <u>Ward and Magdalena Ruedy</u>	<u>1944</u>	<u>grand parents</u>
Next Owner <u>Laurence V and Georgena Ruedy</u>	<u>1977</u>	<u>parents</u>
Next Owner <u>Laurence J and Ann M Ruedy</u>	<u>1991</u>	<u>self</u>
Next Owner		

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

Laurence J Ruedy
 (signature of present owner)

3/4/19
 (date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Frank Domy

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$ 140 per acre - total \$22,400

Where was the first family owner born? Valentine Ruedy was born in 1863 in Bangor
Wisconsin

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? 2012

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy cows, hogs, chickens, corn
and pasture. Hay and oats

Additional comments _____

The home that Ward + Magdalena moved into when they were
married in Sep 1919 was actually 2 houses - one was
on the property and the other was moved in on skids
by horses a couple years earlier.

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Annette WenzelMain Contact Phone Number: 507 632-4230
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 115 110th Ave Ceylon MN 56121
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Wm. Wenzel Family Trust Acreage: Craig + Lesley WenzelName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Wenzel Family FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 11338 State Highway 30 New Richland MN 56072
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 24 Farm Township: Byron Farm County: WasecaNumber of acres in the farm now: 160Year of original purchase by a member of your family: March 8, 1918Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

Sect 24 Twp 105 Range 023 NW 1/4**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Frank Wenzel</u>	<u>12</u>	
Next Owner <u>Wm. Henry Wenzel</u>	<u>43</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Wm. Wayne Wenzel + Annette</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>GrandSon</u>
Next Owner <u>Wm. Wenzel Family Trust + Craig Wenzel</u>	<u>24</u>	<u>Great Grandchildren</u>
Next Owner ^{also:} <u>Kent Wenzel</u> <u>Lesley Wenzel</u> <u>Darlene Holmseth</u> (Acreage)		

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

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

Annette Wenzel, Trustee
(signature of present owner)

(date)

(over)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Joseph Bartosh

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$125⁰⁰

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? 2008

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, Beans, Oats

Additional comments _____

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Main Contact Name(s): Tim Behrends
 Main Contact Phone Number: 651 - 437-1693 Tim Behrends @ Rocketmail.com
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)
 Main Contact Address: 11340 Oakgreen Ave Hastings MN 55033
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Timothy R & Janel M Behrends

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Behrends Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm Behrends Farm has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 14503 117th St. S. Hastings MN 55033
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 33 & 34 Farm Township: 27 North Farm County: Washington

Number of acres in the farm now: 12

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Lot 1 and NW 1/4 & SE 1/4 of Sec 33; E 1/2 of NE 1/4 & SW 1/4 of Sec 33, all in Twp 27 N, of Range 20 W, and also part of Lot 6 in Sec 34 described containing 96 acres

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Otto & Elise Behrends</u>	<u>59</u>	
Next Owner <u>Richard & Margaret Behrends</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>Son & Wife</u>
Next Owner <u>Timothy R Behrends</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>Grandson</u>
Next Owner <u>Timothy R & Janel M Behrends</u>	<u>26</u>	<u>Grandson & Wife</u>
Next Owner		

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Tim Behrends
 (signature of present owner)

2/27/2019
 (date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Charles O Henry

How many acres were in the original parcel? 96

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? Mortgage at \$6622.00

Where was the first family owner born? Monticello Iowa

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? House, Paraphrase, Corn crib

When was the present home built? 1880

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn & Soybeans

Additional comments Have grown Rye, Wheat, Oats, Flax, Hay, Barley
House is presently used as Airbnb (Behrens 1880
Farmhouse on St. Croix). Ralph Henry (grandson of Homesteader
John & Lydia Henry) wrote book "St. Croix Boyhood" about growing up on
this farm. My Grandfather Otto Behrens purchased farm from Ralph Henry's

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Father Charles Henry. Mail application to:
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Main Contact Name(s): Leonard W. Borner
 Main Contact Phone Number: (651) 459-0700 borner6@gmail.com
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)
 Main Contact Address: 8601 Lamar Ave So Hastings MN 55033
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Borner Family Farm / Trust

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Borner Family Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 9101 Lamar Ave So Hastings MN 55033
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 24 also 13+14 Farm Township: Cottage Grove Farm County: Washington

Number of acres in the farm now: 247

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

(NW 1/4, NE 1/4), (N 1/2, NW 1/4) All in Section 24
Township 27, North Range 21, Containing 120 Acres (U.S. Govt Survey)

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>G. Theodore Borner</u>	<u>20</u>	
Next Owner <u>Theodore Borner Trust</u>	<u>7</u>	
Next Owner <u>Earl K Borner</u>	<u>40</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Borner Trust / Family Farm</u>	<u>33</u>	
Next Owner		

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 (signature of present owner)

2/25/19

 (date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? George H. Bahls

How many acres were in the original parcel? 120 Acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$ 140

Where was the first family owner born? Prescott, WI.

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? None, that we know

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? No

When was the present home built? 1919

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, Soybeans, Oats, Alfalfa

Additional comments Milk from Dairy Operations, 1920-2001

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Main Contact Name(s): Philip & Jeanette Miller
 Main Contact Phone Number: 507-776-3437 phlmiller@gmail.com
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)
 Main Contact Address: 78215 430th St Truman, MN 56088-4406
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Philip & Jeanette Miller

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Greiner-Tietz-Miller Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 78215 430th St Truman, MN 56088-4406
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 36 Farm Township: South Branch Farm County: Watsonwan

Number of acres in the farm now: 80

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: April 1, 1913

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): The North Half of the Northwest Quarter (N $\frac{1}{2}$ NW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section Thirty-Six (36) Township One Hundred Five (105) North Range Thirty One (31) West of the Fifth Principal Meridian, Watsonwan County, Minnesota

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Julius Greiner</u>	<u>53 yrs</u>	
Next Owner <u>Elvira Tietz</u>	<u>26 yrs</u>	<u>Daughter</u>
Next Owner <u>Jeanette Miller & Philip Miller</u>	<u>27 yrs</u>	<u>Daughter</u>
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.

Jeanette M. Miller - Philip Miller Jan 30, 2019
 (signature of present owner) (date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? _____

How many acres were in the original parcel? _____

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? _____

Where was the first family owner born? _____

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? 1992

What were the farm's major crops or products? Dairy - Corn - Beans

Additional comments _____

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Main Contact Name(s): Roger Aldinger

Main Contact Phone Number: 507-429-6391 holycow@hbc.com
(area code) (phone number) (email address)

Main Contact Address: 27741 County Road 17 Winona MN. 55987
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Allan Aldinger

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Aldinger Family Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 27795 County Road 17 Winona MN. 55987
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 35 Farm Township: Wilson Farm County: Winona

Number of acres in the farm now: 152

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when?

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.):
Section 35 Township 106 Range 7

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Michael Aldinger	24	
Next Owner Eric Aldinger	32	Son
Next Owner Allan Aldinger	44	Grandson
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.

Allan Aldinger
(signature of present owner)

2-21-19
(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? August Scharf

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$125.00

Where was the first family owner born? Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? See Below

When was the present home built? See Below

What were the farm's major crops or products? Oats, Wheat, Hay, some corn, Dairy, Hogs, Chickens

Additional comments The original buildings were run down when the farm was purchased in 1919. A new barn

was built on a different site on the property. A house that was built in 1895 was bought and moved to this location

and a grainery was also moved here. These buildings are all in use today. The original buildings are all gone.

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): Roy or Maren Kryzer (Luehmann)

Main Contact Phone Number: 507-523-2444
(area code) (phone number) (email address)

Main Contact Phone Number: 23811 County Road 25 Lewiston Mn 55952
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Roy and Maren (Luehmann) Kryzer

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Kryzer Family Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1910 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 23811 County Road 25 Lewiston MN 55952
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 11 & 14 Farm Township: 106N Farm County: Winona

Number of acres in the farm now: 1.000

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1910

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? N.A.

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): The North 1/2 of the N.E. quarter

Section 14 Twp 106N R9W and the E1/2 SE Quarter Section 11, Twp 106N, R9W (160 A)

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner August Luehmann	1910-1959	<u>owns</u>
Next Owner James and Pat Luehmann	1959-2012	Son and Daughter in Law
Next Owner Roy and Maren (Luehmann) Kryzer	2012 -Present	Son in Law and Daughter
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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

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

Maren Kryzer
(signature of present owner)

10/22/2018
(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Julius Jagow

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$90/A (15 year contract, 0% interest)

Where was the first family owner born? Winona County

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? Yes

If so, please list Steam Engine operator for the threshing crew

Was this a homestead? Not by August

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? pre-1906 for portions

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, hay, dairy, hogs

Additional comments Julius Jagow leased the farm from Herman and Robert Matzke in 1906. The lease allowed Herman and Robert to retain the North West Room of the lower story of the house. Julius had to haul out all the manure each year and to plant at least 20 acres of corn each year and to workout or pay all road taxes. The rent was \$375 per year for 5 years.

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Steven & Dawn SommerMain Contact Phone Number: 507-523-2901

(area code) (phone number)

(email address)

Main Contact Address: 28629 Co Rd 25 Lewiston Mn 55952

(street)

(city)

(state)

(zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Somerset Acres LLC Chad & Alicia SommerName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Somerset AcresCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm Somerset Acres has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1919 signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 28629 County Rd 25 Lewiston MN 55952

(street)

(city)

(state)

(zip)

Farm Section: 5 Farm Township: 105 Farm County: 8 WinonaNumber of acres in the farm now: 194Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): _____

SW 1/4 & Part of W 1/2 of the S 1/2 of the NE 1/4 all being in 5-105-8

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner Herman Ohm	1919-1925	
Next Owner August Klavitter	1925-1973	Brother-in law to Herman Ohm
Next Owner George & Arlene Sommer (Contract for Deed 1963)	1973-2010	Niece to Herman Ohm
Next Owner Steven & Dawn Sommer (Contract for Deed 1993)	2010-2017	Great Nephew to Herman Ohm
Next Owner Chad & Alicia Sommer Somerset Acres LLC	2017-Present	Great Great Nephew to Herman Ohm Great Great Niece to Herman Ohm

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Alicia Sommer Chad Sommer
(signature of present owner)1-21-19

(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? Frank & Jennie Duffy

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$143.75

Where was the first family owner born? United States

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? no

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? Yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? Yes

When was the present home built? Late 1800's

What were the farm's major crops or products? Corn, oats and Hay

Additional comments Barn had a fire in 1934 new

barn was built in 1934.

House has been remodeled three times

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): Rochell ClementMain Contact Phone Number: 612 - 221 - 3201
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 5491 Cnty Rd 8 SE St Cloud MN 56304
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: Adele LearyName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Purcell FarmCertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 9922 100th St NW Annandale MN 55302
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 33 Farm Township: 120 Farm County: WrightNumber of acres in the farm now: 80Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): W 1/2 of SW 1/4
of Sect 33 township 120 range 27**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>Arthur Joseph Purcell</u>	<u>51</u>	
Next Owner <u>Elizabeth Agnes Purcell</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>wife</u>
Next Owner <u>Adeline Helen Lafour</u>	<u>33</u>	<u>daughter</u>
Next Owner <u>Adele Marie Leary</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>grand daughter</u>
Next Owner		

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

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Adele Marie Leary
(signature of present owner)Feb. 23, 2019
(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Cecil + Marie Triplet

How many acres were in the original parcel? 120 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? 141.66 / acre

Where was the first family owner born? Waverly

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list N/A

Was this a homestead? YES

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? YES

When was the present home built? 1937

What were the farm's major crops or products? beans, corn, hay, wheat

Additional comments _____

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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Main Contact Name(s): LENORE JOHNSON

Main Contact Phone Number: 763 - 878 - 2131
(area code) (phone number)

Main Contact Address: 2223 127TH ST NW MONTICELLO MN 55362
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: LENORE JOHNSON / SUSAN & RICHARD CHWALEK

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: _____
Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 11765 BISHOP AVE NW MONTICELLO MN 55362
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 2 Farm Township: SILVER CREEK Farm County: WRIGHT

Number of acres in the farm now: 110

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1895

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): THE SOUTH HALF OF THE NW QUARTER OF SECTION 2

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>CHARLES & CARRIE JOHNSON</u>	<u>35</u>	
Next Owner <u>ELMER & FLORENCE JOHNSON</u>	<u>46</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner <u>WILLARD & LENORE JOHNSON</u>	<u>42</u>	<u>GRAND SON</u>
Next Owner <u>RICHARD & SUSAN CHWALEK</u>	<u>27</u>	<u>GREAT GRANDDAUGHTER</u>
Next Owner <u>CHWALEK</u>		

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Lenore Johnson
(signature of present owner)

10-17-18
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? UNION CENTRAL LIFE INSURANCE CO.

How many acres were in the original parcel? 120.69

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? ?

Where was the first family owner born? SWEDEN

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? _____

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? NO

When was the present home built? 1991

What were the farm's major crops or products? CORN - SOYBEANS - HAY

Additional comments PURCHASED FROM FLORENCE JOHNSON 1976

SOHD ACERAGE TO SUSAN & RICHARD CHWALEK - 1991

LENDRE STILL OWNS REMAINDER

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Main Contact Name(s): Perry + Lisa Marguerite

Main Contact Phone Number: 320 963 6412 (area code) (phone number) sheepa-2000@yahoo.com (email address)

Main Contact Address: 4085 County Road 35-W Buffalo MN 55313
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: Perry + Lisa Marguerite

Name(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: Marguerite Farm

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm _____ has been in continuous agricultural operation since _____ signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 4085 (street) _____ (city) _____ (state) _____ (zip)

Farm Section: 05 Farm Township: 119 Farm County: Wright

Number of acres in the farm now: 62

Year of original purchase by a member of your family: Nov 9, 1918

Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? No If so, when? _____

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Sect -05 Twp 119 Range 026
unplatted land Marysville Twp 32.25 Ac NE NE / Sect -05 Twp 119
Range 026 unplatted land Marysville Twp 23.18 Ac NW 1/4 of NE 1/4 Ex 208.71 ft
of E 208.71 ft of W 1/2 of NE 1/4 Bk

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>John Marguerite</u>	<u>5</u>	
Next Owner <u>Wallace + Emma Marguerite</u>	<u>64</u>	<u>Son</u>
Next Owner <u>Perry + Lisa Marguerite</u>	<u>32</u>	<u>Grandson</u>
Next Owner		
Next Owner		

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(signature of present owner)

(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased? George C + Minnie D Moss

How many acres were in the original parcel? 38 1/4

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$125

Where was the first family owner born? Minnesota

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? _____

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? yes

When was the present home built? 1864

What were the farm's major crops or products? Hay, Corn, dairy, pigs, sheep
small grains

Additional comments _____

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MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019**PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY**Main Contact Name(s): MARTIN McALPINEMain Contact Phone Number: 612-720-7979
(area code) (phone number) (email address)Main Contact Address: 354 35TH ST NE BUFFALO MINN 55313
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: MARTIN & ARDELE McALPINEName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: MARTIN McALPINECertificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm 100A has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1800's signifying more than 100 years of contributions to the community, state, nation, and world." Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.Farm Address: 354 35TH ST NE BUFFALO MINN 55313
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 18 Farm Township: BUFFALO Farm County: WRIGHTNumber of acres in the farm now: 100Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): SEC 18 Twp 120
RANGE 25 UNPLATTED LAND BUFFALO TWP**PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP**

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>WILLIE & MINNIE FREITAG</u>	<u>26 YRS.</u>	<u>GRAND PARENTS</u>
Next Owner <u>MARK & ELEANOR McALPINE</u>	<u>35 YRS.</u>	
Next Owner <u>MARTIN & ARDELE McALPINE</u>	<u>39 YRS.</u>	
Next Owner		
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Martin McAlpine & Ardele E. McAlpine 12-10-2019
 (signature of present owner) (date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? WILLIAM + VIOLEA VARNER

How many acres were in the original parcel? 101

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$107.00

Where was the first family owner born? BUFFALO, N.Y.

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? No

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? YES

When was the present home built? 1865

What were the farm's major crops or products? CORN - ALFALFA - OATS - BEANS

Additional comments _____

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CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2017

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Main Contact Name(s): KEVIN MEIERMain Contact Phone Number: 507-925-4237
(area code) (phone number)Main Contact Address: 6016 130th Ave Echo MINN 56237
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Present Owner of the Farm: KEVIN MEIERName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: KEVIN & KRIS MEIER

Information on certificate will appear exactly as you have printed here.

Farm Address: 6016 130th Ave Echo MINN 56237
(street) (city) (state) (zip)Farm Section: 16 Farm Township: ECHO Farm County: YELLOW MEDICINENumber of acres in the farm now: 160Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1919Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? NO If so, when? _____Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): SECTION 16 TWP-113
RANG-38 160 ACRES SW 1/4

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

Name	Years of Ownership	Relationship to Original Owner
Original Family Owner <u>(LOUIS MEIER)</u>	<u>39</u>	
Next Owner <u>(SELMA MEIER)</u> <u>(HARVEY MEIER)</u>	<u>39</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner <u>(ELVIRA MEIER)</u>		
Next Owner <u>KEVIN MEIER</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>SON</u>
Next Owner		

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Kevin Meier

(signature of present owner)

1-25-2019

(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? CARL MEIER & PAULLINA MEIER

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$125.00

Where was the first family owner born? MINNESOTA

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming? NO

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead? ☒ yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing? GRAINERY ONLY

When was the present home built? 1999

What were the farm's major crops or products? CORN & SOYBEANS

Additional comments _____

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