



Century and Sesquicentennial Farm Applications

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Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM DAN & BETH ARENDT

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE DAN AND BETH BEFORT ARENDT

ADDRESS 43266 Co Rd 83 MAZEPPA MN 55956
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code 507 272-5829

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 30 TOWNSHIP CHESTER COUNTY WABASHA

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 1100

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1866

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 1988

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

NE 1/4 SECTION 30 TOWNSHIP 110N RANGE 14 W

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>WILLIAM BEFORT</u> | <u>1866 - 1910</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>JOHN BEFORT</u> | <u>1910 - 1968</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>WILLIAM R BEFORT</u> | <u>1968 - 1973</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>LLOYD BEFORT</u> | <u>1973 - 2003</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>DAN & BETH ARENDT</u> | <u>2003 - present</u> | |

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Check those that apply: **Please do not send originals or copies of 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.

Beth Arendt
(signature of present owner)

2-13-2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased HUGH WILSON

How many acres were in the original parcel _____

What was the cost of the land per 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

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

When was the present home built 1972

What were the farm's major crops or products CORN, SOYBEANS, BEEF CATTLE

Additional comments:

Mail application to:

Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation

Sesquicentennial Farms

PO Box 64370

St Paul, MN 55164



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MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM NORRIS & Eileen Bjorngaard

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Eileen Bjorngaard

ADDRESS 14710 CTY 12 Blvd Zumbrota MN 55992
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 732-7039

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE 47529 130th Ave Wago

SECTION 7 TOWNSHIP Roscoe COUNTY Goodhue

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 76.33

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1870

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN 1970

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) sect-07 Twp 109

Range 016 Doc #601888 E 1/2 of SE 1/4 sect.

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner David Mathews | 1857 | None |
| Next owner Petter NilseN | 1870 - 2020 | great great grandparents |
| Next owner Peder Bjorngaard | NAME change of PETTER NILSON TO | NAME change from NilseN |
| Next owner Olaf Bjorngaard | 1917 | |
| Next owner Peder Bjorngaard NORRIS Bjorngaard | 1934 | |

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

Eileen Bjorngaard
(signature of present owner)

2-27-2020
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased Peder & Selma Bjorgaard

How many acres were in the original parcel 3 PART of a homestead

What was the cost of the land per acre \$1000 - a mortgage

Where was the first family owner born NORWAY

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 1920

What were the farm's major crops or products OATS-CORN-MILK-CHICKENS-Pigs-SHEEP

Additional comments: _____

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Clarence Borgerding

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Same

ADDRESS 28256 Co Rd 157 Freeport MN 56331
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (320) 836 2805

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 3 TOWNSHIP Oak COUNTY Stearns

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 261.7

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1870

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 1986

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) W $\frac{1}{2}$ of NW $\frac{1}{4}$ of

Section Three, Township 125 North of Range 32 West

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Henry and Caroline Borgerding</u> | <u>Till 1870</u> | <u>No relation</u> |
| Next owner <u>Bernard Borgerding</u> | <u>1870 - 1887</u> | <u>Father of Frank</u> |
| Next owner <u>Frank Borgerding</u> | <u>1887 - 1941</u> | <u>Father of Alphonse</u> |
| Next owner <u>Alphonse Borgerding</u> | <u>1941 - 1972</u> | <u>Father of Clarence</u> |
| Next owner <u>Clarence Borgerding</u> | <u>1972 - present</u> | |

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☒ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

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Clarence Borgerding
(signature of present owner)

February 24, 2020
(date)

Mail application to:

Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164

Additional comments: _____



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Joe & Janet Christen

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Joe & Janet Christen

ADDRESS 33001 city rd 10 Albany MN 56307
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (320) 249-1022

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 30 TOWNSHIP Albany COUNTY Stearns

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 268.54

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1869

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 6-3-77

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) 120.00A SESE4 AND GOVT Lot 16
Tract SESE; GOV LT 16 Section 30 Township 125 Range 031 40.00A GOV Lot 16 tract GOV LT 9 Section 30
Township 30 township 125 Range 031 80.00A N2SE4 tract N2SE Section 30 township 125 Range 031
21-125-31 28.54A P/O NE4NW4 SE4NW4 Lying NLY of city Rd 10 Less Part DAF: Com NE COR-SW
PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP ALG E LN 1036.26'; to CL city Rd 10-5400 W A16 CL 2078.4' TO
POB-cont 5400 W A16 CL 380'-1480' W 460'-1510' E 512'-S 300' E 380' to CL & TERM & LESS E 442' of N557 of

| NAME of township | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|------------------------------|----------------------------|
| 125 Range 031 | | |
| First owner Joseph Menaker | 1869 ? | Father to Mary Christen |
| Next owner Frederick & Mary Christen | ? to 1897 | Father to George R. |
| Next owner George R. Christen | 1897 to 1944 | Father to Carl Christen |
| Next owner Carl George Christen | 1944 to 1977 | Father to Jim Christen |
| Next owner Jim & Carol Christen | 1977 to 1994 | Father to Joe Christen |
| Joe & Janet Christen | 1994 to present time | |

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- () Abstract of Title () Land Patent () Court File in Registration Proceedings
() Original Deed () County Land Record () Other property tax statements

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

Joe Christen
(signature of present owner)

2-18-2020
(date)

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**

Additional comments: number one

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Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Edward J. Cleary & Kathleen E. Cleary

NAME(S) TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE " "

ADDRESS 1415 Edgcombe Road St. Paul MN 55116
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (651) 690-9210

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE 16065 230th St. SE Hastings

SECTION 6 & 7 TOWNSHIP 113 COUNTY Goodhue

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 320

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Occupied late 1857
Purchased Nov. 26, 1859

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 1977

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) West half of SE quarter and
and West half of NE quarter and East half of NW quarter of Section 7, East half of SW quarter of
all in Township 113 north of Range 16 west of the fifth principal meridian, Section 6;
Goodhue County

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Jeremiah O'Keefe</u> | <u>from 1859 to 1898</u> | <u>Husband</u> |
| Next owner <u>Mary O'Keefe</u> | <u>from 1898 to 1904</u> | <u>Mother</u> |
| Next owner <u>Mary O'Keefe et al</u> | <u>from 1904 to 1936</u> | <u>Mother and Aunt</u> |
| Next owner <u>Emma O'Keefe/Cleary</u> | <u>from 1936 to 1956</u> | <u>Mother</u> |
| Next owner <u>Edward E. Cleary</u> | <u>from 1956 to 1991</u> | <u>Father</u> |

Edward J. Cleary & Kathleen E. Cleary from 1991 to present

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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.

Edward J. Cleary
Kathleen E. Cleary
(signature of present owner)

November 28, 2019
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased Bailey Hower and Mary Hower

How many acres were in the original parcel 160

What was the cost of the land per acre \$325

Where was the first family owner born County Cork, Ireland

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 1883

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

Additional comments: _____

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Mail application to:
Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164

Century Farm Application From 1977

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Century Farm Owner Edward E. Cleary
(this name will appear on certificate)

Address 1921 Montreal Avenue, Saint Paul, Minnesota 55116

Address of farm, if different from above 230th Street East, Hastings, Minnesota

Sections Six & Seven Township 113 County Goodhue

Number of acres in the farm at present 320 (3)

Occupied late 1857

Date of original purchase by member of your family Purchased Nov. 26, 1859 (1)

Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, tax statement) West half of southeast quarter and east half of southwest quarter of Section Six; West half of northeast quarter and east half of northwest quarter of Section Seven, all in township one hundred thirteen (113) north, of range sixteen (16) west of the fifth principal meridian, Goodhue County, Minnesota.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS FAMILY OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP | BLOOD RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|----------------------|----------------------------------|
| Jeremiah O'Keefe owner in 1877 or before | from 1859 to 1898 | Husband and father |
| Mary O'Keefe et al next owner | from 1898 to 1904 | Mother (2) |
| Mary E. O'Keefe et al next owner | from 1904 to 1936 | Sister and aunt |
| Emma M. Cleary et al next owner | from 1936 to 1956 | Mother |
| Edward E. Cleary next owner | from 1956 to present | |
| next owner | from to | |
| next owner | from to | |
| next owner | | |

The above evidence of continuous family ownership of this farm since 1877 is taken from one or more of the following records. DO NOT SEND IN RECORDS, just indicate by check marks those which apply.

Abstract of Title (✓)
Land Patent ()
Original Deed ()
County Land Record ()

Court file in Registration

Proceedings ()

Other (please explain) _____

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

Edward E. Cleary
(Witness sign here)

Edward E. Cleary
(Signature of present owner)

Date April 12, 1977

Please return to: Century Farms
Minnesota State Fair
St. Paul, MN 55108

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? Bailey Howes and Mary Howes

How many acres were in the original parcel? 160

What was the cost of land per acre? \$3.75

Where was the first owner born? County Cork, Ireland

Where did he live prior to moving onto the farm? Ann Arbor, Michigan

Was this a homestead? Yes

Did the first owner farm the land? Yes

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

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

When was the present home built? 1883

What are the farm's major crops or products? Corn, soybeans, wheat, peas.

Related information (please attach additional sheets if necessary)



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Charles L. Dietzel

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

ADDRESS 153 Co. Rd. 153 Cologne MN 55322
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (952) 466-5588

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 15 TOWNSHIP Benton COUNTY Carver

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 250

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1864

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN _____

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

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

Sarah Torrey to Levi Griffith & Eliza Griffith to Monica Dietzel

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Monika Dietzel</u> | <u>Oct. 6 1864</u> | <u>Her husband was in the war</u> |
| Next owner <u>Charles Dietzel Jr</u> | <u>Sept 30, 1889</u> | <u>son</u> |
| Next owner <u>Charles Dietzel Sr & Monika</u> | <u>June 18, 1898</u> | <u>son</u> |
| Next owner <u>Charles J Dietzel wife Clara</u> | <u>April 26, 1917</u> | <u>son</u> |
| Next owner <u>Charles L. Dietzel</u> | <u>1969</u> | <u>son Present owner</u> |

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- () Abstract of Title () Land Patent () Court File in Registration Proceedings
(x) Original Deed warranty deed () County Land Record () Other _____

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

Charles L. Dietzel
(signature of present owner)

Feb. 28, 2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased From my mother Clara Dietzel Father Fred

How many acres were in the original parcel 100

What was the cost of the land per 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

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing old workshop

When was the present home built 1931 I sleep in the bedroom I was born in!

What were the farm's major crops or products corn oats & hay milked lot of cows

Additional comments: in 1978 we bought the neighbor farm also

it also was a Dietzel farm purchased from J.C. Harne

aug 27 1858 to Charles Dietzel Husband of Monika Dietzel

for a sum of 200.00 a total of 160 acres Charles & Monika

were my Great grandparents they sold that to Fred Dietzel & son

and he built a big barn still standing today in the year 1897

Barn is 54 wide and 108' long the Hay loft is 42 feet high!

Mail application to:

Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation

Sesquicentennial Farms

PO Box 64370

St Paul, MN 55164

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER Charles L. Dietzel
(this name will appear on certificate)
ADDRESS 12825 Co. R. 153 Cologne Minnesota 55322
city state zip code
PHONE NUMBER (612) 466-5588
area code
ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____
SECTION _____ TOWNSHIP Benton COUNTY Carver
NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 100 ✓
DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1864 ✓
LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF THE LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement) ✓
deed, abstract and court house records

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS FAMILY OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP (from) (to) | BLOOD RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|--------------------------------------|--|
| first owner <u>Monika Dietzel</u> | <u>6-10-1864</u> <u>Sept 28-1889</u> | <u>wife</u> |
| next owner <u>Charles Dietzel</u> | <u>1889</u> <u>6-18-1898</u> | <u>father</u> |
| next owner <u>Charles Dietzel (son)</u> | <u>1898</u> <u>3-22-1917</u> | <u>father</u> |
| next owner <u>Charles J Dietzel</u> | <u>1917</u> <u>died in 1949</u> | <u>mother Charles Dietzel</u> |
| next owner <u>Charles L Dietzel</u> | <u>1969</u> <u>still owner</u> | |

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(☒) Original Deed

(☒) Court file in Registration Proceedings
(☒) County Land Record
() Other _____

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

Charles L. Dietzel
(signature of present owner)

DATE July 2, 1986

Please Return To:

CENTURY FARMS
MINNESOTA STATE FAIR
ST. PAUL, MN 55108



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM GERALD B. EASTMAN

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE GERALD B. EASTMAN

ADDRESS 3828 LILLIE CT. S.W. ROCHESTER, MINN. 55902
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 289-3210

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE 64119 STATE HWY 56, 55927 DODGE CENTER, MINN

SECTION 4 TOWNSHIP ASHLAND COUNTY DODGE

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 104.78

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1863

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? YES IF SO, WHEN 1987

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) N 1/2 NE 1/4 & SW 1/4 NE 1/4
SECTION - 04 TWP - 106 RANGE 017

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>ONIAS HALL</u> | <u>1863 TO 1900</u> | <u>FATHER OF JULIETTE</u> |
| Next owner <u>JULIETTE H. EASTMAN</u> | <u>1900 TO 1935</u> | <u>MOTHER OF HALL</u> |
| Next owner <u>HALL S. EASTMAN</u> | <u>1935 TO 1984</u> | <u>FATHER OF GERALD</u> |
| Next owner <u>GERALD B. EASTMAN</u> | <u>1984 PRESENT</u> | |
| Next owner | | |

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☒ Abstract of Title ☐ Land Patent ☐ Court File in Registration Proceedings
☐ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☒ Other HISTORY OF WINONA, CLUSTED, DODGE COUNTIES.

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

GERALD B. EASTMAN
(signature of present owner)

FEB. 19, 2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased EBEN J. DORMAN & SUSAN C. DORMAN

How many acres were in the original parcel 120. IN 1884 HE HAD 240 ACRES.

What was the cost of the land per acre # 6.25 IN 1863

Where was the first family owner born JEFFERSON COUNTY, NEW YORK. B. 1819 D. 1900

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

If so, please list ONIAS OWNED AND OPERATED A SAW MILL FOR MANY YEARS.

Was this a homestead NO

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing HOUSE & GRANARY.

When was the present home built 1869

What were the farm's major crops or products EARLY 1863-1960'S OATS, WHEAT, CORN, HAY.
LATE 1960'S - CORN, SOY BEANS.

Additional comments: _____

ONIAS WAS ONE OF DODGE CENTER'S EARLY PROPRIETORS.

HE HELPED WITH THE SURVEY OF DODGE CENTER PLAT. HE WAS

ALSO ONE OF THE FOUNDERS OF RIVERSIDE CEMETERY AT

DODGE CENTER.

Mail application to:
Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164

Property PROPERTY
OF THE
of the RIVERSIDE CEMETERY ASSN
Riverside Cemetery Association

Organized Oct. 24 & 25 1871.

at OCT 24, 1871

Dodge Centre - Minnesota

Book of Record
for
Use of Secretaries

SEE PAGE 3 - ONIAS HALL - TRUSTEE

1872

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Trustee makes a note

the remaining \$5. and executed a deed conveying ^{three and thirty sixths} (34/60) acres of land to the Association; Whereupon, the Trustees made to said Humphrey, a joint note of hand for the amt. of Forty-nine and Eighty-four One Hundredths Dollars (\$49.84) that being the amt. due him. Dec. 14th 1872.

Deed, legal

The question arose as to the legality of deed being made over to the corporate name of the Association, instead of to the trustee of the same.

Resolution

Resolved, that while the latter may not be illegal, the former plan could not be otherwise and should be adopted. Approved.

Warranty DeedDeed executed

John A. Humphrey and wife to the Riverside Cemetery Association. Executed this 16th day of Nov. A.D. 1872.

Registered

Registered in County Office May 4th 1872.

Question

Question, also came up, as to whether any acknowledgment taken by a member of the Association, would invalidate the transfer or not. Decided that it would not.

Acknowledgment

On motion, the Secretary, W. A. Vickery, (a Justice of the Peace) was instructed so to do. Adjournment made *Spew die*.

W. A. Vickery Sec'y.

Trustee MeetingHodge Centre - June 8th 1872.Trustee Meeting

Trustees met pursuant to Call of the President.

Fencing

Motion made to build a good substantial post and board fence on the north and east sides of the Cemetery - to be of 6 inch pine dimension boards 16 ft. long and white oak posts 8 ft. long. Carried.

WARRANT DEED.

Daniel Stivers
Trustee of Riverside Cemetery Filed for record 26th May A.D. 1874, at 3 o'clock P.M.

This Indenture, Made this 22^d day of January in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy four between Daniel Stivers and Sophie W. Stivers his wife of the County of Dodge and State of Minnesota part of the first part, and Edw. H. Phillips, J. W. Brown, J. A. Dillon, H. H. Deback, Olin Hall as trustees of Riverside Cemetery Association of the County of Dodge and State of Minnesota parties of the second part,

WITNESSETH, That the said parties of the first part, for and in consideration of the sum of Eighty five and 50/100 (\$85.50) Dollars, to them in hand paid by the said party of the second part, the receipt whereof is hereby acknowledged, has granted, bargained, sold, released, conveyed and confirmed, and do by these presents grant, bargain, sell, release, convey and confirm, unto the said parties of the second part, their heirs and assigns, FOREVER, all that tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the County of Dodge, in the State of Minnesota, known and described as follows, to wit:

Commencing at a point 46 rods and six links north of the south west corner of Section 27, on the line between sections 27 and 28 thence north to the north west corner of the S.W. 1/4, one fourth of the south west quarter of said section 27 thence running east 12 rods thence south fifteen and 2/3 (15 2/3) rods thence a south westerly course 20 rods and seven links to place of beginning containing one acre and seven eighths (1 7/8) of an acre of land be the same more or less all in Section 27 Township no one hundred and seven (107) north Range seventeen west.

To Have and to Hold the Same, Together with all and singular the hereditaments and appurtenances thereto belonging, or in anywise appertaining, unto the said parties of the second part, their heirs and assigns FOREVER. And the said Daniel Stivers and Sophie W. Stivers wife, parties of the first part do hereby, for their heirs, executors and administrators, and each and every of them, covenant and agree to and with the said parties of the second part their heirs and assigns, in the manner and form following, that is to say: That they at the time of the making and delivery of these presents, the true, lawful and rightful owner of the said premises hereby conveyed, and had therein a good, sure, perfect and indefeasible estate in fee simple. And that they had full right, power and authority to grant, bargain, sell, remise, release, convey and confirm the said premises unto the said parties of the second part, their heirs and assigns, in manner and form aforesaid. And that the said premises are free and clear from all incumbrances whatever, and that the said parties of the second part, their heirs and assigns, shall quietly enjoy and possess the said premises: And that they will WARRANT AND DEFEND the title to the same against all lawful claims.

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

Signed, Sealed and Delivered in presence of

O. H. Phillips
George W. Brown et al

Daniel Stivers
Sophie Stivers

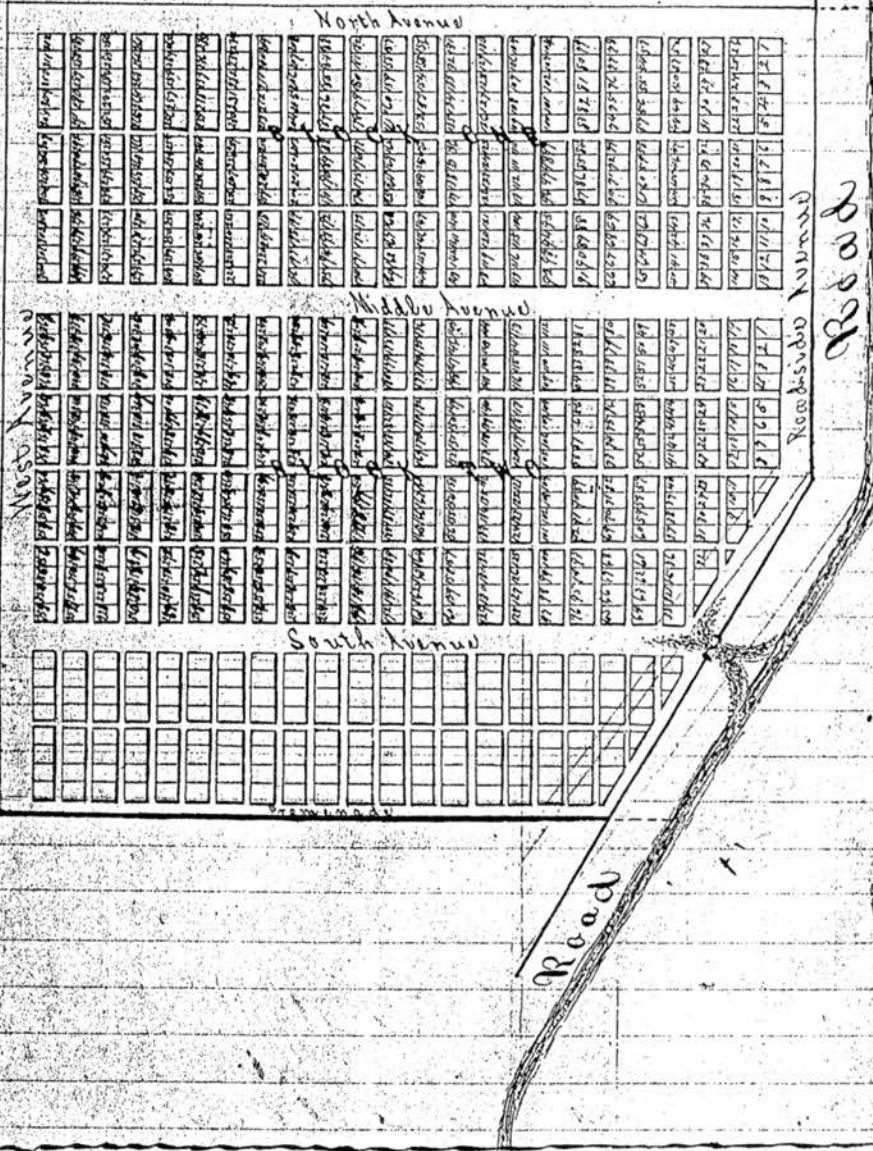
State of Minnesota, County of Dodge, ss.

BE IT REMEMBERED, That on this twenty seventh day of March A. D. 1874, before the undersigned personally came Daniel Stivers his wife in me well known to be the identical person described in, and who executed the foregoing Deed, and they in due form of law, acknowledged that they executed the same freely and voluntarily for the uses and purposes therein expressed.

O. H. Phillips
Justice of Peace

Plat of Riverside Cemetery

3.6 1/4 Rods to middle of Highway



Report of Treasurer For Year of 1872.

| | |
|-----------------------|---------|
| John Fulton Dr. | |
| To Received | |
| Amos Spaul | \$ 5.00 |
| W. A. Vickery | 5.00 |
| C. D. Tuttle | 5.00 |
| W. R. MacIsaac | 5.00 |
| John Fulton | 5.00 |
| By Cash John Humphrey | 5.25 |



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Mary Erickson, Timothy Erickson, Debra Johnson, Mark Erickson

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Duane L. Erickson Family Farm

ADDRESS 11798 Nels Erickson Lane Pelican Rapids MN 56572
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (218) 532-2723

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 23-24-25-26 TOWNSHIP Cormorant COUNTY Becker

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 290

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY June 1870

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 4-26-1982

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

NW 1/4 of 25 - Cormorant Township 43 Range 138

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Nels Erickson</u> | <u>1870 → 1920</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Erick Erickson</u> | <u>1920 → 1954</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Duane Erickson</u> | <u>1954 → 2016</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Duane Erickson Family</u> | <u>2016 → (2020)</u> | <u>Wife & children</u> |
| Next owner | | |

The above evidence of continuous family ownership is taken from one or more of the following records.
Check those that apply: **Please do not send originals or copies of 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.

Mary Erickson
(signature of present owner)

2-17-2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased It was homesteaded

How many acres were in the original parcel 160

What was the cost of the land per acre none

Where was the first family owner born Venjan, Sweden

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

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 - barn

When was the present home built 1970

What were the farm's major crops or products soy beans, hay, corn, oat, beef

Additional comments: Improvements - Barn 1917
Machine Sheds - 1950, 1970
Hay sheds - 1950, 1980

(Great Grandson) Timothy Erickson (~~son~~ ^{great}) continues to farm and have beef cattle.

Mary Erickson continues to live on farm.

Mail application to:

Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Mary Frandrup
NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Clifford and Mary Frandrup
ADDRESS 26597 Rochester Blvd Randolph MN 55065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)
PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 263-2305
ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE -
SECTION 26 + 27 TOWNSHIP Hampton COUNTY Dakota
NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 356
DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY July 23, 1866
HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? No IF SO, WHEN _____
LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) see attached

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner Columbus + Brigitta Freiermuth | July 23, 1866 to April 19, 1919 | Parents of George |
| Next owner George + Margaret Freiermuth | April 19, 1919 to June 24, 1932 | Parents of George P. |
| Next owner George P. Freiermuth | June 24, 1932 to July 24, 1967 | Uncle of Clifford |
| Next owner Clifford + Mary Frandrup | July 24, 1967 to present | |
| 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.

Mary T. Frandrup
(signature of present owner)

1-27-20
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased _____

How many acres were in the original parcel 24 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre _____

Where was the first family owner born Gros Rederching, France

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 1968

What were the farm's major crops or products corn, soybeans, wheat, oats, peas, alfalfa, apples, cows, pigs

Additional comments: _____

Based on newspaper clippings and stories passed on, the farm was the site of

one of Dakota County's most notorious moonshine operations during Prohibition.

George and Margaret Freiermuth and some of their children were involved in the

operation including their two infamous daughters Susie and Florence Freiermuth.

This widely circulated photo was taken after federal agents had just raided the

farm. Agents allowed Susie and Florence to proudly pose for this picture in

front of the distilling equipment and with their unloaded artillery! George

Freiermuth (b1858, d1932) is referred to in many newspaper clippings as

the "Moonshine King of Dakota County"!



Mail application to:
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Sesquicentennial Farms
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St Paul, MN 55164

Section 27 tax parcels

17-02700-77-011

PT OF N $\frac{1}{2}$ OF SE $\frac{1}{4}$ COM NE COR S ON E LINE
202.29 FT TO BEG S 83D08M25S W 208.84 FT S
13D07M14S W 237.45 FT S 19D51M33S E 88.22
FT N 87D42M25S E 133.77 FT S 21D54M12S E
160.49 FT S 85D19M35S E TO E LINE N ON E
LINE TO BEG

17-02700-77-012

PT OF S $\frac{1}{2}$ OF NE $\frac{1}{4}$ LYING SW'LY OF HWY EX E
200 FT OF S 300 FT & SE $\frac{1}{4}$ EX PT COM NE COR
S ON E LINE 202.29 FT TO BEG S 83D08M25S W
208.84 FT S 13D07M14S W 237.45 FT S
19D51M33S E 88.22 FT N 87D42M25S E 133.77 FT
S 21D54M12S E 160.49 FT S 85D19M35S E TO E
LINE N ON E LINE TO BEG EX COM AT SW COR
E 120 RODS N 36 RODS SW TO BEG SUBJ TO
FNAP EASEMENT DOC #2706116

17-02700-02-016

PT OF S $\frac{1}{2}$ OF NE $\frac{1}{4}$ LYING NE'LY OF HWY EX
BEG NE COR S ON E LINE 466.42 FT N
40D18M30S W 610.05 FT TO N LINE E ON N LINE
392.13 FT TO BEG

Section 26 tax parcels

17-02600-50-013

PT OF SW $\frac{1}{4}$ LYING E'LY OF HWY SUBJ TO FNAP
EASEMENT OVER 95 ACRES DOC #2706116

17-02600-50-012

PT OF SW $\frac{1}{4}$ LYING W'LY OF HWY EX COM NW
COR S ON W LINE 202.69 FT TO BEG N
83D8M25S E 139.07 FT TO SW'LY R/W SE'LY ON
R/W 494.35 FT S 75D06M46S W 288.34 FT N
85D19M35S W TO W LINE N ON W LINE TO BEG

17-02600-50-011

PT OF SW $\frac{1}{4}$ COM NW COR S ON W LINE 202.69
FT TO BEG N 83D8M25S E 139.07 FT TO SW'LY
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LINE TO BEG



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM

Fredrick Halverson

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

ADDRESS

(street)

(city)

(state)

(zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code ()

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

SECTION 35 + 26 TOWNSHIP Leon COUNTY Goodhue

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 282

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1861

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN 6-9-2000

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) SE 1/4 + 0.5 SE 1/4 of SW 1/4

of sec 26 Township 111 North Range 17W Goodhue Co MN
R150 N12.5 NE 1/4 of NW 1/4 of sec 35 Township 111 N
PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP Range 17W Goodhue Co MN

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---|-------------------------------|
| First owner FRANKLIN F. DIMICK | 1861-1861-11-28-1898 7-1885-7-6-1897 | Father |
| Next owner Charles F. Dimick | 11-28-1898-3-18-1920 | Father |
| Next owner Jessie M. Dimick-Halverson | 3-18-1920-4-1-1976 | Mother |
| Next owner Jessie Halverson trust | 1976-12-1-1996 | Mother |
| Next owner Frederick Halverson | 1996-10-24-2002 | Father |

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

Frederick Halverson
(signature of present owner)2-22-2020
(date)

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM JHF INC / Leigh and Jennifer Hantho

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE HANTHO FAMILY

ADDRESS 1230 SAMUEL SPENCER PARKWAY DAVIDSON, N.C. 28036
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 770-8270

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE 3025 320TH St. Appleton, MN 56208

SECTION 15416 TOWNSHIP HANTHO COUNTY Lac Qui Parle

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 223

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1869 (homestead)

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN 1980

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec 16

N 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec 15 N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec 15 less Lake project S 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec 15 less Lake project

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Ole HANTHO</u> | <u>1869-1913</u> | <u>Husband</u> |
| Next owner <u>Aagot HANTHO</u> | <u>1913-1926</u> | <u>Mother</u> |
| Next owner <u>Ole/Aagot Hantho Estate</u> | <u>1926-1939</u> | <u>Aunts & Uncles</u> |
| Next owner <u>Bernice & Murlyn HANTHO</u> | <u>1939-1979</u> | <u>Mother & Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Leigh & Jennifer Hantho</u> | <u>1979 - Present</u> | |

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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]
(signature of present owner)

February 31, 2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased Homestead

How many acres were in the original parcel approximately 180 - the lake project creating LEP lake took many acres.

What was the cost of the land per acre -N/A

Where was the first family owner born Norway

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

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 circa 1872

What were the farm's major crops or products wheat, corn, barley, oats

Additional comments: The main part of the original house is standing and in use, as is the original rock cellar. The home was remodeled / addition in 1963. The original second story of home was removed but first floor original house was updated. The original house had its first indoor plumbing added in 1952.

The farm's first building was a wooden granary. It is still standing and in use as a workshop. I reedid the siding and shingles in 2018. We believe the granary was built in 1870, but do not have any formal documentation.

The NW 1/2 acre of the Sec 16 land is where the original Hantho School stood (log cabin structure). The "new" Hantho School was built 1/2 mile west and then the 1/2 acre reverted back to the Homestead.

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT CENTURY FARM OWNER

^{HANTHO}
Leigh Hantho Ann Borstad ✓
(this name will appear on certificate)

ADDRESS

Hippleton Minn 56208

PHONE NUMBER

(612)
area code

752-4594
CITY

STATE

ZIP CODE

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

Same

SECTION 14-15-16

TOWNSHIP

HANTHO

COUNTY

LACQUI PARLE

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT

226

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY

HomeStead 1869

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

N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec 16

N 1/2 NW 1/4 Sec 15 N 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec 15 less lake project

S 1/2 NE 1/4 Sec 15 less lake project

PROOF OF 100 YEARS CONTINUOUS FAMILY OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP | BLOOD RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|------------------------------------|--------------------|----------------------------------|
| first owner | FROM 1869 | |
| <u>Ole Hantho</u> | TO 1913 | <u>HUSBAND</u> ✓ |
| next owner | 1913 | |
| <u>Agot Hantho</u> | 1926 | <u>MOTHER</u> |
| next owner | 1926 | |
| <u>Hantho Estate</u> | 1939 | <u>Aunts, Uncle & FATHER</u> |
| next owner | 1939 | |
| <u>MURLYN & Bernice Hantho</u> | 1979 | <u>MOTHER</u> |
| next owner | 1979 | <u>FATHER</u> |
| <u>Leigh Hantho</u> | | |
| <u>ANN HANTHO BORSTAD</u> | | |

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Abstract of Title ☒

Court file in Registration Proceedings ()

Land Patent ()

County Land Record ()

Original Deed ☒

OTHER _____

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

Leigh Hantho Ann Hantho Borstad
(signature of present owner)

PLEASE RETURN TO:

DATE

July 14 - 1980

CENTURY FARMS
MINNESOTA STATE FAIR
ST. PAUL MN 55108

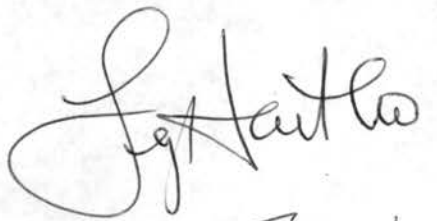
January 31, 2020

To: Farm Bureau/Sesquicentennial Farms
From: Leigh Hantho

Thank you for your Century and Sesquicentennial Farm program. It was interesting to go through several of the pages regarding Lac Qui Parle County.

Jennifer and I spend our summers at the farm since our retirement last year. We continue to upgrade the buildings and maintain the conservation easements that we used for land nearest the lake (Lac Qui Parle Lake). The balance of the land is being farmed in corn and soybeans.

Please feel free to call me at 612-770-8270 or email me at leighhantho@gmail.com if you have any questions. We will be in Minnesota most of May - September this year.


Thanks



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Clara M. Hartmann, Hartmann Family Limited Partnership

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Hartmann Family Farm

ADDRESS 22755 Texas Ave. Lakeville MN. 55044
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (952) 461-3314

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 5 TOWNSHIP New Market COUNTY Scott

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 141

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY March 24 1868

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN July 1995

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) sect-05 Twp-113, Range-021

5-113-21, 1/2, 1/4, NE 1/4, SW 1/4, N 1/2, SE 1/4 (EX 9A) (EX 10A)

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Anton Hartmann + wife</u> | <u>1868-1882</u> | <u>Father of Anthony</u> |
| Next owner <u>Anthony Hartmann</u> | <u>1882-1926</u> | <u>children</u> |
| Next owner <u>Hartmann children Estate</u> | <u>1926-1935</u> | <u>Son of Anthony</u> |
| Next owner <u>Linus A Hartmann, Wife</u> | <u>1935-1970</u> | <u>Father of Floyd</u> |
| Next owner <u>Floyd A Hartmann + wife Clara M.</u> | <u>1970-2005</u> | <u>Spouse + Parents of children</u> |

Clara M. Hartmann, Hartmann FLP. 2005-present

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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.

Clara M. Hartmann
(signature of present owner)

2/15/2020
(date)

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 _____

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 No

When was the present home built 1898

What were the farm's major crops or products Dairy, Poultry, Corn, Soybeans, small grains

Additional comments:

Mail application to:

Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation

Sesquicentennial Farms

PO Box 64370

St Paul, MN 55164



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Bonnie J. Hoskins
NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Bonnie J. Hoskins - Hoskins Family Living Trust
ADDRESS 17024 County Road 48 Kimball MN 55353
(street) (city) (state) (zip)
PHONE NUMBER area code (320) 382-4260
ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____
SECTION 20 TOWNSHIP Maine Prairie COUNTY Stearns
NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 159
DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY homestead 1865
HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? YES IF SO, WHEN 1965
LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) 159.00 A.
NE 1/4 less E 1 Rod SECTION 20 T 122 R 29
PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>ELI Hoskins</u> | <u>1865 - 1917</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>His ESTATE</u> <u>to children</u> | <u>1917 - 1947</u> | <u>FATHER, Aunts, Uncles</u> |
| Next owner <u>Leo C. Hoskins</u> | <u>1947 - 1989</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>Lee C. Hoskins</u> | <u>1989 - 2014</u> | <u>husband - FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>Lewis</u> <u>Bonnie J. Hoskins & Son</u> | <u>2014 -</u> | |

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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.

Bonnie J. Hoskins
(signature of present owner)

02/12/2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased homestead

How many acres were in the original parcel 160

What was the cost of the land per acre _____

Where was the first family owner born Vermillion County Illinois

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 geodesic dome built by family 1982-2008

What were the farm's major crops or products corn, grain, hay, soybeans

Additional comments: Eli cleared the land of several acres
of trees using a horse with chains and dynamite

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM ELIZABETH A. JACOBSON

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE WILLARD & ELIZABETH JACOBSON

ADDRESS 40863 110TH ST. EVANSVILLE MN 56326
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (818) 747-2506 - 952-221-7037 (CELL)

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 30 TOWNSHIP LEAF MOUNTAIN COUNTY OTTERTAIL

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 194 (1869) ac

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1870

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 1969

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

W 1/2 SE 1/4 E 1/2 SW 1/4 LOT 4

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP 30-131-39

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>JOHN JACOBSON</u> | <u>1870 - 1936</u> | <u>FATHER OF WILLIAM</u> |
| Next owner <u>WILLIAM JACOBSON</u> | <u>1936 - 1975</u> | <u>FATHER OF WILLARD</u> |
| Next owner <u>WILLARD JACOBSON</u> | <u>1975 - 2003</u> | <u>HUSBAND OF ELIZABETH</u> |
| Next owner <u>ELIZABETH JACOBSON</u> | <u>2003 - PRESENT</u> | |
| Next owner | | |

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- () Abstract of Title () Land Patent () Court File in Registration Proceedings
() Original Deed () County Land Record (X) Other EARLY 1870 TAX STATEMENT

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

Elizabeth A. Jacobson
(signature of present owner)

2-26-2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased WILLIAM JACOBSON

How many acres were in the original parcel 160

What was the cost of the land per acre HOMESTEAD

Where was the first family owner born HATTJALLOE NORWAY

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 - MANY

When was the present home built 1907

What were the farm's major crops or products GRAIN - LIVESTOCK

Additional comments: THE FAMILY OF 8 (JACOB LARSEN VALI)

Left Norway and came to Quebec. They went
forward to Decorah Ia to work for supplies as
laborers. The father & 3 children died from
Typhoid fever from the ship down in Iowa.

The mother Ragnild & 3 sons embarked for the
Red River Valley of ND. Due to the time of year
(Fall) they decided to winter at this location
together for the grass & provisions for themselves
& the ox. Come springtime they decided they had
traveled enough & decided to call this place HOME.

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Ann M. Wagner, Erin Jonason & Chase Jonason

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE same as above

ADDRESS 916 4th St PO Box 251 Nicollet MN 56074
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 381-3788

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE 37312 425th Ave, St. Peter MN 56082

SECTION 24 TOWNSHIP 111 COUNTY Nicollet

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1865

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? YES IF SO, WHEN 1976

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) S 1/2 of NE 1/4 and
S 1/2 of NW 1/4 Section 24, Township 111, Range 28 West.
Nicollet County, Minnesota

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|--|
| First owner <u>Peter Lundquist</u> | <u>1865-1888</u> | <u>Husband (to Elsa)</u> |
| Next owner <u>Elsa Lundquist</u> | <u>1888-1891</u> | <u>Mother</u> |
| Next owner <u>Annette Lundquist Tanquist</u> | <u>1891-1932</u> | <u>Mother</u> |
| Next owner <u>Frances Tanquist Jonason</u> | <u>1932-1982</u> | <u>Mother</u> |
| Next owner <u>C. Glendon Jonason, Marjorie A. Jonason, Bernice R. Murray, Erwood V. Jonason</u> | <u>1982-2017</u> | <u>Mother / Aunt & uncles</u> <u>see back</u> |

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☐ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

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Ann M. Wagner
(signature of present owner)

1/7/2020
(date)

2017-present

Owners

Ann M. Wagner (daughter of Bernice Murray)
Erin Jonason Chapin
Chase Jonason } (grandchildren
of Bernice
Murray)

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From whom was the farm purchased Homesteaded

How many acres were in the original parcel 160

What was the cost of the land per acre _____

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 No

When was the present home built 1932

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

Additional comments: Frances Jonason was previously recognized
at the Minnesota State Fair in 1958 as a
Centennial farm owner.

* In 1932, Annette Tanquist transferred ownership to
Frances Tanquist Jonason and her four children
for \$1.00 and love and affection.

* According to the history book - Norwayland - Where the Big
Woods meets the Prairie - Annette Lundquist Tanquist was born 1858 on
this farm

* Also Ann Murray Wagner grew up on this
farm from '63 - '81

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM ^{Rees} Howard Jones - ^{Kay} Linda Fleming - ^{Sue} Nancy Clark.

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Jones family farm

ADDRESS 23497-494 Lane LAKE CRYSTAL MN 56055
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 947-3110

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Same

SECTION 26 TOWNSHIP Cambria COUNTY Blue Earth

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 139

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY June 1855

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN 9/21/76

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) SW 1/4, Section 26,
109, 29 - Range 029, Township 109.

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|--|-----------------------------------|
| First owner <u>John E Davis</u> | <u>JUNE July</u> <u>1855 - 1881</u> | |
| Next owner <u>William R Lewis</u> | <u>July Dec</u> <u>1881 - 1912</u> | <u>Daughter + Son in Law</u> |
| Next owner <u>William M Lewis</u> | <u>JUNE AUG</u> <u>1912 - 1952</u> | <u>Son + Daughter in Law</u> |
| Next owner <u>Sara L Jones - Morris M Lewis</u> | <u>1952 - 1987</u> | <u>Daughter + Son</u> |
| Next owner <u>Rees Jones</u> | <u>1987 - 2002</u> | <u>Sara's Husband</u> <u>over</u> |

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☒ Original Deed ☒ County Land Record ☒ Other Century farm Application
1976

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Howard Rees Jones
(signature of present owner)

2/18/2020
(date)

Linda K Fleming
Nancy Sue Clark

| | | |
|--|----------------|------------------------|
| next owner | From | |
| Nancy Sue Clark, Linda Kay Fleming, Howard Rees Jones | 2002 - Present | Sara + Rees's children |
| | | |

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From whom was the farm purchased John E Davis

How many acres were in the original parcel 160

What was the cost of the land per acre \$14.00 Per Acre

Where was the first family owner born Nefyn, Pembrakeshire, Wales (1795)

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 1975

What were the farm's major crops or products Corn - Soy Beans

Additional comments: our Great, Great Grandfather, John E Davis was
the first white family settled in Cambria Township.

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM KEVIN KOSEL

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

ADDRESS 34294 CO. RD. 4 ST. JOSEPH MN 56374
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (320) 253-3330

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 24 TOWNSHIP ST. WENDEL COUNTY STEARNS

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 103

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1865

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? NO IF SO, WHEN _____

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

SW4NW4 & NW4SW4 LESS 7.35A SO OF CRD 4 & LESS W 215.28'

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

THEREOF SECTION 24 TOWNSHIP 125
RANGE 029

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>ANTON & HELENA SCHWEGEL</u> | <u>1865 - 1883</u> | <u>PARENTS OF MARY</u> |
| Next owner <u>ANDREW & MARY KOSEL</u> | <u>1883 - 1935</u> | <u>PARENTS OF PETE</u> |
| Next owner <u>PETE & AGNES KOSEL</u> | <u>1935 - 1978</u> | <u>PARENTS OF KEVIN</u> |
| Next owner <u>KEVIN & PEGGY KOSEL</u> | <u>1978 - PRESENT</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.

Kevin P. Kosel
(signature of present owner)

2-22-2020
(date)

From whom was the farm purchased _____

How many acres were in the original parcel _____

What was the cost of the land per acre _____

Where was the first family owner born AUSTRIA

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 1910

What were the farm's major crops or products DAIRY FARM

Additional comments: _____

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MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2019

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Daniel & Betty Lange

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Same

ADDRESS 9515 Co Rd 19 Loretto MN 55357
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (763) 498-8507

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 07 TOWNSHIP 119 COUNTY 23

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 73

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1866

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN 1986

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

07-119-23 31 0001

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Michael + Henriette Lange</u> | <u>1866 - 1902</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Emil + Amelia Lange</u> | <u>1902 - 1940</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Ralph + Evelyn Lange</u> | <u>1940 - 1974</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Daniel + Betty Lange</u> | <u>1974 - Present</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner | | |

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☐ Original Deed ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

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Betty Lange
(signature of present owner)

3/7/19
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased Charles Strehler

How many acres were in the original parcel 160

What was the cost of the land per acre —

Where was the first family owner born Burschville

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 - Barn + shed

When was the present home built 1958

What were the farm's major crops or products Corn, grain, hay

Additional comments: Originally it was 160 acres; barn on
1 - 80 acres parcel and the home was on the other
80 acres. They would walk 1/4 mi to do chores.
When the farm was divided between 2 brothers,
they each had a building on their land.

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Doratheia Lee Sutter trust
NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Sutter - Lee Farm Cheryl Forrest POA
ADDRESS 42125 State Highway 13 Waseca MN 56093
(street) (city) (state) (zip)
PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 201 - 8783
ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____
SECTION 7 & 8 TOWNSHIP Blooming Grove COUNTY Waseca
NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 176
DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY May 18, 1870
HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN 2006
LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) S half of NE
Quarter of the SW quarter of Section 8
PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP + more acres over time

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|--|--|
| First owner (A.K.) <u>Aleck K. Lee</u> | <u>May 18, 1870</u> <u>Sept. 4, 1913</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Wife Hulda</u> <u>Knutte Olien Lee</u> | <u>Sept. 4, 1913 (died 1951)</u> <u>Feb. 4, 1953</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Wife Doratheia</u> <u>Alvin N. Lee</u> | <u>1951 - 1953</u> <u>recorded Feb 4, 1953</u> | <u>husband</u> |
| Next owner <u>Doratheia Lee</u> | <u>1953 - 54 (widow)</u> | <u>wife</u> |
| Next owner <u>Doratheia & Raymond Sutter</u> <u>Doratheia Lee Sutter</u> | <u>1954 - 2010</u> <u>(Raymond died)</u> <u>2010 - present</u> | <u>wife of Raymond Sutter</u> <u>mother of Cheryl Forrest</u> <u>(Lee)</u> |

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

Doratheia Lee Sutter
Cheryl Forrest POA 2/1/2020
(signature of present owner) (date)
daughter of Alvin Lee & Doratheia Lee
& step daughter of Raymond
& Doratheia Lee Sutter

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From whom was the farm purchased Knute Engebretson

How many acres were in the original parcel 20 acres eventually 292 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre _____

Where was the first family owner born Vinje, Norway (May 16, 1839)

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

If so, please list "worked in various places in WI & MN until 1868 (Child's History of Waseca County)"

Was this a homestead yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing Foundation rocks remain in the town

When was the present home built 1888

What were the farm's major crops or products corn, wheat, oats, alfalfa, Soybeans

Additional comments: _____

A.K. came to America in 1861 with his father (Knudt Lee) & three sisters. They settled in Wisconsin & later moved to Meriden, MN. A.K.'s mother died in Vinje, Norway in 1843. A.K. Lee is buried at North Waseca Lutheran Church & has a nice headstone on the south side of the church. His father is also buried there. His son, Knute, & grandson, Alvin, are also buried at North Waseca on the North side of the church. My husband & I (Cheryl Lee Forrest) are active members of this church today. And we live on the Sutter-Lee Family farm

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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Casey Madson

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Madson Home Farm

ADDRESS 28326 690th Ave Hartland MN 56042
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 383 6559

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 33 TOWNSHIP Hartland COUNTY Freeborn

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 202

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1868

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 1976

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

Description:

Sect-33 Twp-104 Range-022 160.00 AC
SW 1/4 33 104 22 160.00

Description:

Sect-33 Twp-104 Range-022 42.98 AC
SE 1/4 NW 1/4 & COM 600 FT N OF CTR SEC 33 ON N & S LN TH
805 FT NELY TO N LN SW 1/4 NE 1/4 PT BEING 360 FT E OF
NW COR SD 1/4 TH 360 FT W TH S 720 FT TO POB 42.98 ACRES

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Mads & Anne (Andersdatter) Madson</u> | <u>1868</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Johannes & Anne (Hanson) Madson</u> | <u>1868</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Joseph & Marie (Thofson) Madson</u> | <u>1917</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Milo & Ardis (Sensen) Madson</u> | <u>1966</u> | <u>Grandfather</u> |
| Next owner <u>Casey & Stacie (Ausen) Madson</u> | <u>2018</u> | |

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Casey Madson
(signature of present owner)

2-12-20
(date)

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From whom was the farm purchased Gulbrand Oleson

How many acres were in the original parcel _____

What was the cost of the land per acre _____

Where was the first family owner born Lundberg, Hurdahl, County Akerhus, Norway

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 No

When was the present home built 1969

What were the farm's major crops or products Dairy, Hogs, Corn, Oats, Peas, Alfalfa

Additional comments: All owners are buried at the West Freeborn Lutheran Church in Hartland Township. Johannes Enlistet with his brother Mads

In the Union Army Company E. Mads Madson's Grandson
Freemond Madson Served in WWI Company K 23rd Infantry 2nd Division
was killed by shellfire 25 years old, The Albert Lea VFW Post 447 Namesake.
Joseph Madson Donated his Tractor (Grey) for the scrap iron
drive during WWII. Milo Madson was Drafted in the
Korean War. Casey Enlistet in the Army National
Guard and Served in Iraq. In 2010 4 Wind Turbines
were built on this farm for Electricity. Freeborn County
History Book States Among First Settlers of Hartland Township 1858
the Motson Family Consisting of Mr. & Mrs Motson & five Boys
Ole, Erick, Mot, John & Andrew who settled about George McColley's Place.

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About 1 mile North
from this farm.

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|----------------------|------|
| MORREIN, K. Edwin | 1858 |
| MORREIN, La Ruen E. | 1858 |
| MORREIN, Morres M. | 1858 |
| OLSON, Ole Melankton | 1858 |
| SEVERSON, Edwin A. | 1858 |
| WINJUM, Clarence O. | 1858 |

YEAR RECOGNIZED - 1976

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|----|---------------------------------------|------|---------------|----|
| 3 | AMUNDSON, Roger D. | 1856 | Newry | 3 |
| 4 | ANDERSON, Alfred & Guida | 1866 | Freeman | 21 |
| 5 | ANDERSON, Harry R. | 1857 | Hayward | 23 |
| 6 | BAKKEN, Howard & Evelyn | 1860 | Manchester | 17 |
| 7 | BEACH, Lee R. & Eloise H. | 1860 | Manchester | 18 |
| 8 | BJERKE, Byron & Elaine | 1874 | Bancroft | 34 |
| 9 | BUCHANAN, Mr. & Mrs. Bruce | 1863 | Shellrock | 33 |
| 10 | BUCHANAN, Mr. & Mrs. Gary | 1868 | Shellrock | 28 |
| 11 | BUCHANAN, Mr. & Mrs. Wilbur | 1856 | Shellrock | 33 |
| 12 | CHRISTENSEN, Marvin E. & Tracy | 1857 | Freeborn | 28 |
| 13 | CHRISTIAN, Mrs. Elmer | 1875 | Freeman | 33 |
| 14 | DAVIDSON, Lillian & Sarah Benhard | 1866 | Mansfield | 35 |
| 15 | DONOVAN, John B. | 1871 | Hartland | 27 |
| 16 | DOPPELHAMMER, Floyd & Gertrud | 1873 | Nunda | 8 |
| 17 | EASTON, Harlan | 1862 | Newry | 12 |
| 18 | EMERSON, John & Margaret | 1873 | Mansfield | 22 |
| 19 | ENDERSON, Roger A. / Ernest / Shirley | 1861 | Riceland | 20 |
| 20 | FINK, Mrs. Dora | 1874 | Pickerel Lake | 32 |
| 21 | FLASKERUD, Lloyd & Rosemary | 1871 | Freeman | 21 |
| 22 | GORDON, George | 1856 | Shellrock | 28 |
| 23 | HANSEN, James R. | 1867 | Freeborn | 27 |
| 24 | HERRON, Joseph E. & Evelyn | 1869 | Newry | 9 |
| 25 | HOBAN, Marion & Marcella | 1856 | Moscow | 34 |
| 26 | JERDEE, Ronald | 1858 | Riceland | 28 |
| 27 | JOHNSRUD, Donald P. & Joanne | 1874 | Bancroft | 13 |
| 28 | KVAM, Mr. & Mrs. David | 1869 | Freeman | 35 |
| 29 | LARSON, Mr. & Mrs. David | 1857 | Nunda | 9 |
| 30 | LEBECK, Edwin | 1858 | Manchester | 15 |
| 31 | LOOMIS, Leo A. & Ann | 1871 | Bancroft | 8 |
| 32 | MADSON, Milo | 1868 | Hartland | 33 |
| 33 | MARPE, Mr. & Mrs. Louis G. | 1876 | Nunda | 16 |
| 34 | MORREIM, Carlyle | 1856 | Manchester | 10 |
| 35 | MORREIM, Duane C. & Janice | 1856 | Manchester | 12 |
| 36 | MORREIM, LaRuen & Phyllis | 1856 | Manchester | 13 |
| 37 | OLSON, Ole Marlowe | 1855 | Manchester | 1 |
| 38 | PETERSON, James & Victor H. | 1856 | Carlston | 9 |
| 39 | PETERSON, Manford I. | 1871 | Riceland | 8 |
| 40 | ROBERTS, Wallace & Anges | 1870 | Pickerel Lake | 26 |
| 41 | RUBLE, Glenn & Maureen | 1856 | Pickerel Lake | 12 |
| 42 | SCHERB, Eldon & Lucas | 1868 | Nunda | 4 |



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM GENE & MARY LOU (NEPPER) MATZKE
NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE GENE & MARY LOU NEPPER MATZKE
ADDRESS 5022 TONGEN AVE NW, ROCHESTER, MN 55901
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507)-282-3469

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE 12261 Cty Road 31, ALTURA, MN 55910
SECTION 17 TOWNSHIP MOUNT VERNON COUNTY WINONA

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 125

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1862

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? YES IF SO, WHEN 1996

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

SECT 17, TWP-108, RANGE-009

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>HENRY NEPPER</u> | <u>1862-1901</u> | <u>Father of Nickolas</u> |
| Next owner <u>NICKOLAS NEPPER</u> | <u>1901-1953</u> | <u>FATHER OF GEORGE</u> |
| Next owner <u>GEORGE NEPPER</u> | <u>1953-1976</u> | <u>FATHER OF MARY LOU</u> |
| Next owner <u>MARY LOU (NEPPER) MATZKE</u> | <u>1976-PRESENT</u> | |
| Next owner | | |

The above evidence of continuous family ownership is taken from one or more of the following records.

Check those that apply: **Please do not send originals or copies of records.**

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

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

Mary Lou (Nepper) Matzke February 28, 2020
(signature of present owner) (date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased ANDREW J. McRAY

How many acres were in the original parcel 140

What was the cost of the land per acre _____

Where was the first family owner born Belgium

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 _____

What were the farm's major crops or products corn & soybeans

Additional comments: _____

We have enjoyed our life
on the farm. Our daughter
and her husband built a log home
on one acre and live there permanently.

MARY LOU NEPPER MATZKE

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**

Minnesota State Fair
CENTURY FARM APPLICATION

DEADLINE: July 1

REC'D 4/30/96
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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Gene + Mary Lou (Nepper) Matzke

NAME AS YOU WISH IT TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Gene + Mary Lou (Nepper) Matzke

ADDRESS 5022 Tongen Av. N.W. Rochester Mn. 55901
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 282-3469

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE Minneapolis, Mn. 55910

SECTION 17 TOWNSHIP Mount Vernon COUNTY Winona

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 73.2 ✓

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1862 ✓

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? no IF SO, WHEN? _____

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

Sect-17 TWP-108 Range-009

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| Name | Years of Ownership From - To | Relationship to next owner |
|--|---------------------------------|----------------------------|
| First Owner | | |
| Next Owner First Henry Nepper | 1862 - 1901 | Father of Nickolas |
| Next Owner Nickolas Nepper | 1901 - 1953 | Father of George |
| Next Owner George Nepper | 1953 - 1976 | Father of Mary Lou |
| Next Owner Mary Lou (Nepper) Matzke | 1976 - present | |

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Check those that apply:

- (X) Abstract of Title () Court File in Registration Proceedings
() Land Patent () County land Record
(X) Original Deed () Other: _____

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

Mary Lou (Peggy) Matke
(signature of present owner)

Apr 30, 1996
(date)

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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FROM WHOM WAS THE FARM PURCHASED? Andrew J. McKay

HOW MANY ACRES WERE IN THE ORIGINAL PARCEL? 140

WHAT WAS THE COST OF LAND PER ACRE? _____

WHERE WAS THE FIRST FAMILY OWNER BORN? Belgium

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, OR ANY PORTION OF IT, OR OTHER ORIGINAL BUILDING STILL STANDING OR IN USE? yes, several out buildings

WHEN WAS THE PRESENT HOME BUILT? it is not the original

WHAT WERE THE FARM'S MAJOR CROPS OR PRODUCTS? Corn

ADDITIONAL COMMENTS: Presently we rent out the house + land

but we have a building which we call "the bunkhouse"
where we have a wood burning stove, table/chairs, bed
etc. We have family picnics, snowmobile parties,
holidays and all our good times on the farm.

Mail Application To: Century Farms, Minnesota State Fair, 1265 Snelling Ave N., St. Paul MN
55108-3099



Deadline: March 1, 2019

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2019

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Jimmy Pat McCarthy

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE W

ADDRESS 1275 DEERWOOD DR EAGAN MINN 55123
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (651) 454 1157

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 22 TOWNSHIP 27 COUNTY RANGE 23

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 55

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1855

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? YES IF SO, WHEN 1980

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) Section 22
Township 27 Range 23

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>JOHN MCCARTHY</u> | <u>1855 - 1905</u> | <u>GRAND FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>JAMES</u> | <u>1905 - 1939</u> | <u>GRAND FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>MICHAEL</u> | <u>1939 1966</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>JAMES TOMAS PAT</u> | <u>1966 2002</u> | <u>BROS</u> |
| Next owner <u>PAT</u> | <u>2002 - 2019</u> | |

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Check those that apply: **Please do not send originals or copies of 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.

Pat McCarthy
(signature of present owner)

5 19 19
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased GEN-SIBLEY USA

How many acres were in the original parcel 160

What was the cost of the land per acre 1.25

Where was the first family owner born IRELAND

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming YES AND DIVER IN CHICAGO

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 NO

When was the present home built 1860

What were the farm's major crops or products DEN GRIN LIVESTOCK

Additional comments: _____

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**

of Location July 25, 1855. Receipt
No. 392. Located upon the NE $\frac{1}{4}$ of Section
22, Township 27, Range 23. Contents 160
acres. Book of Land Office Entries, on page
22.

United States of America,
to
John McCarty.

Patent, dated Mar. 10, 1856. Recorded Apr.
7, 1860 in Book "I" of Deeds, page 584.
Grants, the lands described at No. 2.

John McCarty,
to
James McCarty.

W. Deed, dated Sept. 1, 1855. Recorded Sept.
3, 1855 in Book "A" of Deeds, page 229.
Conveys, W $\frac{1}{2}$ of NE $\frac{1}{4}$, of Section 22 in Township
27, Range 23, containing 80 acres.
Acknowledgment does not show marital
status of first party.

John McCarthy, (a bachelor),
a son of James McCarthy, late
of Dakota County, Minnesota,
deceased,
to
James McCarthy Jr., a son
of said James McCarthy, deceased.

Q.C. Deed, dated Aug. 28, 1905. Recorded Aug.
31, 1905 in Book 121 of Deeds, page 117.
Conveys, all his right, title and interest
in and to the lands described at No. 4.



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Glen McNamara
NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Glen McNamara
ADDRESS 14140 160th St E Hastings MN 55033
(street) (city) (state) (zip)
PHONE NUMBER area code (651) 437-2478
ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____
SECTION 1 TOWNSHIP Marshall COUNTY Dakota
NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 235
DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Aug. 9, 1862
HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 2006
LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) Section 1, Twp 114
RANGE 111 114 11

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner | | |
| Next owner | SEE ATTACHED OWNERSHIP SHEET | |
| Next owner | | |
| Next owner | | |
| 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.

Glen McNamara
(signature of present owner)

2-5-2020
(date)

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner JOHN KELLY | 1855-1862 | NONE |
| Next owner DOWNS MCNULTRE SR | 1862-1900 | HUSBAND OF MARY |
| Next owner MARY MCNULTRE | 1900-1902 | WIFE OF DOWNS SR |
| Next owner DOWNS MCNULTRE SR | 1902-1963 | SON OF DOWNS SR |
| Next owner EDWARD MCNULTRE | 1963-1966 | SON OF DOWNS JR |
| Next owner PHYLLIS MCNULTRE | 1966-1969 | DAUGHTER OF DOWNS JR |
| Next owner GLEN MCNULTRE | 1969-PRESENT | WIFE OF DOWNS SR |
| Next owner | | |
| Next owner | | |

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

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 (Signature of present owner)

2-5-2020
 (date)



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Andrew & Eunice Molitor

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Andrew & Eunice Molitor

ADDRESS 22942 County Road 140, Cold Spring, MN 56320
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code 320 685-8023

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 20, 19 & 17 TOWNSHIP 123 COUNTY STEARNS

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 220

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1860

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN 1978

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) 20-123-29 80.004
W&NW4 Section 20, Township 123, Range 029
[See Attachment for Section 19 & Section 17]

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Michael Molitor</u> | <u>1860 - Nov. 15, 1917</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>John Molitor</u> | <u>Nov. 15, 1917 - May 26, 1966</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Andrew Molitor</u> | <u>May 26, 1966 - Present</u> | |
| Next owner | | |
| 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.

Andrew Molitor

(signature of present owner)

FEB 23, 2020

(date)

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND:

Parcel 1

20-123-29 80.00A W2NW4 Section 20 Township 123 Range 029

Legal Description: 20-123-29 80.00A W2NW4 Section 20
Township 123 Range 029

Parcel 2

80.31 A. FR. .35 A. OF NE4NE4 SE4 NE4 & SE4 SW4 LESS 1A & W33' SW4SE4 LESS S 49.5' OLD #
28.16997.000 Section 19 Township 123 Range 029

Legal Description: 80.31 A. FR. .35 A. OF NE4NE4 SE4 NE4 &
SE4 SW4 LESS 1A & W 33' SW4SE4 LESS S 49.5' OLD #
28.16997.000 Section 19 Township 123 Range 029

Parcel 3

60.93 A. S2SW4 SEC 17 LESS 3.18 A N'LY OF RD & FR .15A. OF SE4SE4 E'LY OF RD IN SEC 18 LESS HWY 23
R/W OLD # 28.16975.000 Section 17 Township 123 Range 029

Legal Description: 60.93 A. S2SW4 SEC 17 LESS 3.18 A N'LY OF
RD & FR .15 A. OF SE4SE4 E'LY OF RD IN SEC 18 LESS HWY 23
R/W OLD # 28.16975.000 Section 17 Township 123 Range 029

Molitor Family Immigration to America

Michael Molitor, a pioneer, was born in Prussia, Germany, May 17, 1838, son of Martin Molitor and Mary (Hammerding) Molitor. In 1856, Martin and Mary with their five children set sail to America. Michael was 18 years old at the time. They spent 56 days at sea before arriving in New York, in the United States of America. From there, they at once headed by oxen to Lockport, Illinois where they lived for four years before heading to St Paul and homesteading in Rockville, Minnesota (Stearns County) in 1860.

The family set out to improve the homestead of 120 acres. They build a log cabin 16' x 20' and a log barn thatched with straw. Thus, began their new life in a rural area that reminded them of their homeland. In fact, many settlers wrote back to their families in Germany declaring that they had discovered the "New Germany." As a result, many more German families immigrated to America and settled in the Stearns County area making it largely dominated by German Catholics. German was the dominant language spoken in the area until the mid 1900's.

The father (Martin) died in 1882 and the mother 1891. Michael Molitor continued to live on the homestead which has subsequently been owned and managed by multiple Molitor generations. The land, which was originally broken with aid of a pair of oxen is now well developed and highly improved. Today the farm consists of 240 acres. A modern home with commodious out buildings has replaced the crude log cabin originally erected. The present house was built in 1915 after a devastating fire destroyed the family home.

Michael Molitor was instrumental in setting up a one-room schoolhouse that educated the local farm children. The school, known as District #168 and later re-assigned to #2049, operated from 1893 – 1967 and educated three generations of Molitor children. Michael initially taught at the school and in later years many of the teachers kept room and board at the homestead farm where his son John Molitor then lived.

Crops and products on the farm ranged from tobacco in the early years to corn, alfalfa, and peas, to specialty crops today. Cattle raised on the farm ranged from hogs, chickens and a few cows to later a state and national recognized dairy herd.

The Molitor homestead farm was the first farm in Stearns County to be designated a "Century Farm" in 1978.

Ownership history:

- | | |
|---|-----------------------------|
| • Michael Molitor & Elizabeth (Neidhardt) | 1860 – Nov 15, 1917 |
| >Farmed along w/ his parents Martin Molitor & Mary (Hammerding) | |
| • John Molitor & Margaret (Ahles) | Nov 15, 1917 – May 26, 1966 |
| • Andrew Molitor & Eunice (Bidinger) | 1966 – Present |



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM ALLARD S. and Joyce E. MOORHOUSE

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE A.S. and J.E. MOORHOUSE

ADDRESS 2763 310th Street Cannon Falls Minnesota 55009
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 263-4757

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 15-16-22 TOWNSHIP Stanton COUNTY Goodhue

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 253.94 acres

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1869

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN don't recall.

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) Sec. 15-112-18;
22-112-18; 16-112-18; 22-112-18 (4 parcels)

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Richard F. Moorhouse</u> | <u>1869 - 1900</u> | <u>Grandfather</u> |
| Next owner <u>Emelie A. Moorhouse</u> | <u>1900 - 1955</u> | <u>Grandmother</u> |
| Next owner <u>Allard S. Moorhouse</u> | <u>1956 - current</u> | <u>owner/self</u> |
| Next owner <u>A.S. and J.E. Moorhouse</u> | <u>1990 - current</u> | <u>husband + wife</u> |
| Next owner | | |

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

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

Allard S. Moorhouse
(signature of present owner) Joyce E. Moorhouse

2-20-2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased Albion L. Clifford

How many acres were in the original parcel \$ 36.8 + 20 + 160 + 76.2 = 293 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre \$50 plus lots under Lake Bylessby taken by Dam 1910.

Where was the first family owner born Canada

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming yes, Grandfather was a

If so, please list Richard F. Moorhouse built barns in the area. Carpenter.

Was this a homestead No

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing orig. house, garage, old shop, smoke house

When was the present home built 1985

What were the farm's major crops or products milk, eggs, pork, fowl, horses, hay, wheat, corn and oats

Additional comments: Richard Moorhouse farmed with teams of horses.

His first wife was Letitia Dack; they raise four children. His second wife was Emilie Amelia Lemke and she raise the first four and had ~~eight~~ ^{nine children} ~~more~~ of her own. Richard died in 1900. Son George A. Moorhouse and wife Verna Miller farmed the farm with Emilie Moorhouse and raised their four children on the family farms. In 1955 the farm went into estate and Grandson Allard Sheldon Moorhouse purchased the farm; married Joyce E. Pagel and they raise their four children on the "Pleasant Valley Farm" as Al's mother named it! Al's daughter Marie owns the original farm house; raising her four girls there. Al built a retirement home on the original 40 acre piece on Lake Bylessby; where we enjoy country life and all the wild life by the Cannon River, w/ 6 generations of the preserve family history.

"The ~~Small~~ and Joyce Cookbook."

Mail application to:

Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation

Sesquicentennial Farms

PO Box 64370

St Paul, MN 55164

Moorhouse Family. To in 2018 we published Throckmorse Family Farm 2-21-20 jem



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Alexander Nelson

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Nelson Family

ADDRESS 1000 150th ave NW Spicer MN 56288
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (320) 292-6678

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE 1502 150th ave NW Spicer, MN 56288

SECTION 22 TOWNSHIP Lake Andrew COUNTY Kandiyohi

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 415 +/-

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY September 20th, 1867

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 1976

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) SW 1/4 Section 22;
SW 1/4 SE 1/4 Section 22; E 1/2 NE 1/4 Section 28; NW 1/4 Section 27; N 1/2 NE 1/4 Section 27
All Lake Andrew Twp

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|----------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Helge Thorson</u> | <u>1874-1876</u> | <u>Mother</u> |
| Next owner <u>Lewis Nelson</u> | <u>1876-1930</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>K. H. Nelson</u> | <u>1930-1943</u> | <u>Husband</u> |
| Next owner <u>Ida C. Nelson</u> | <u>1943-1955</u> | <u>Mother</u> |
| Next owner <u>Reynold Nelson</u> | <u>1955-2006</u> | <u>Father - Continued P.2</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.

(signature of present owner)

2/13/2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased USA to Railroad to Nelson

How many acres were in the original parcel 31

What was the cost of the land per acre 7

Where was the first family owner born Norway

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 Farm House + outbuildings

When was the present home built 1874 with additions in 1911

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

Additional comments:

Next Owner: Stephen C. Nelson 2006-2019 Father

Next Owner: Alexander D. Nelson 2019 -

High water table and flowing wells were an attraction to homestead this farm (i.e. easy access to water)

Mail application to:

Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164



Deadline: March 1, 2019

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2019

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Diane Papenfuss

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Diane Papenfuss

ADDRESS 31316 County Road 12 Winona MN 55987
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 454-8345

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE 31268 County Road 12, Winona, MN

SECTION 27 TOWNSHIP Wilson COUNTY Winona

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 63

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1869

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN 1981

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) sect. 27 Twp-106 Range-007,

63 acres in N 1/2, being 15 acres in SW 1/4 NE 1/4 & E 50 acres of NW 1/4 excluding 2.2 acres
(Belter)

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>John Edwin Balch</u> | <u>1869 - 1924</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>John Edward Balch</u> | <u>1924 - 1957</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>John Everett Balch</u> | <u>1957 - 1991</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Elaine A. Balch Papenfuss</u> | <u>1991 - 2003</u> | <u>Mother</u> |
| Next owner <u>Diane Papenfuss</u> | <u>2003 - present</u> | |

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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.

Diane Papenfuss
(signature of present owner)

4/25/19
(date)

Mail application to:

Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164



MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

Deadline: March 1, 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM GLENN & GLADYS PETTIT

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE G. & G. PETTIT FARM

ADDRESS 41642-200TH ST DELAVAN MN 56023
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 854-3467

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE SAME

SECTION 26 & 35 TOWNSHIP DELAVAN COUNTY FARIBAUT

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 105

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY JAN 23 1869

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? YES IF SO, WHEN _____

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) "A" SECTION 26
TOWNSHIP 104 PARTIAL "B" SECTION 35 NORTH OF MILWAUKEE RAILROAD

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner MICHAEL SPRINGER | JAN 23 1869 | FATHER |
| Next owner HERMAN SPRINGER | OCT 28 1874 | SON |
| Next owner JANE SPRINGER | JAN 5 1904 | WIFE & DAUGHTERS |
| Next owner LITTLE MRS + MR BEPETTIT | SEPT 1903 | DAUGHTER & HUSBAN BEN |
| Next owner EVAN LEONARD PETTIT | JULY 1980 | SONS OF BEN PETTIT |
| GLENN & GLADYS PETTIT | JULY 2 1993 | SON OF LEONARD PETTIT |

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Glenn L. Pettit
(signature of present owner)

2-11-20
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased UNITED STATES

How many acres were in the original parcel ~~120~~ 120 A

What was the cost of the land per acre \$800 ⁰⁰ ÷ 160 = \$500 PER ACRE

Where was the first family owner born GERMANY 1822

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

If so, please list _____

Was this a homestead REAL PROPERTY - HOMESTEAD ^{W 1/2 OF NE 1/4 OF}
SECTION 35 TOWNSHIP 27

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

When was the present home built 1896 + BARN + HOUSE

What were the farm's major crops or products OATS WHEAT CORN FLAX DAIRY
HOLDS

Additional comments: THE 120 ACRES HAD 11 ACRES
ADDED TO IT. BOUGHT FROM CHICAGO,
MILWAUKEE, and ST. PAUL RAILWAY NORTH
SIDE OF E TO W TRACK ^{MAY} 1886-8-1888

Mail application to:

Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164

Delavan, Mn.
Jan. 28 2020

Dear Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation.

I would like to request an application for our farms 150 years family ownership recognition. It was 150 years 1999 last year. I noticed an article In The Faribault County Register County Register paper so I am responding to that article.

I spent the summer of 1948 with my Grama & Uncle when I was 11 years old doing chores, making hay. Shocking oats & flax. also driving tractors on Harvesting group.

I would like to have the form sent to our farm place at,

Glenn & Gladys Pettit farm
41642 200th st
Delavan, Mn. 56023



Mr Glenn L Pettit
41642 200th St
Delavan, MN 56023

Sincerly Yours

Glenn L. Pettit



MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

Deadline: March 1, 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM ROBERT RADINTZ FAMILY and PAUL RADINTZ FAMILY
NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE AS ABOVE

ADDRESS 17480-101st AVEN. MAPLE GROVE, MN 55311
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (763) 420-3899

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE 16050 101st AVEN, MAPLE GROVE, MN 55311

SECTION 5 TOWNSHIP MAPLE GROVE COUNTY HENNEPIN

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 68

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1865

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? YES IF SO, WHEN 1989

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) THE SOUTH HALF OF
THE SOUTHEAST QUARTER OF SECTION 5 IN TOWNSHIP 119 OF RANGE 22

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>FERDINAND RADINTZ</u> | <u>1865 - 1900</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>FREDERICK RADINTZ</u> | <u>1900 - 1908</u> | <u>BROTHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>HENRY RADINTZ</u> | <u>1908 - 1938</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>ALFRED RADINTZ</u> | <u>1938 - 1998</u> | <u>UNCLE</u> |
| Next owner <u>ROBERT & PAUL RADINTZ</u> | <u>1998 - PRESENT</u> | |

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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.

Robert Radintz - Paul Radintz
(signature of present owner)

2/3/2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased DANIEL AND ABIGAIL CHASE

How many acres were in the original parcel 160

What was the cost of the land per acre

Where was the first family owner born PRUSSIA

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 DAIRY, CORN, SOYBEANS, HAY

Additional comments: _____

Mail application to:

Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation

Sesquicentennial Farms

PO Box 64370

St Paul, MN 55164



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION – 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Gloria & Harvey Radtke

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Gloria & Harvey Radtke

ADDRESS 14426 370th St. Rothsay MN 56579
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (218) 867-2715

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 23 TOWNSHIP Trondhjem COUNTY Otter Tail

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 153.05

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY March 7, 2008

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 1987

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) Fractional Northwest quarter (NW $\frac{1}{4}$) of Section twenty-three (23) in Township 135 North, Range 44 containing One Hundred fifty three and $\frac{5}{100}$ (153.05) ACRES

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Gunder Olsen-Sjolie (Shirley)</u> | <u>1870 - 1916</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>Martin & Emilie Shirley</u> | <u>1916 - 1954</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>Gilman & Helen Shirley</u> | <u>1954 - 2008</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>Gloria & Harvey RADTKE</u> | <u>2008 - Present</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner | | |

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☒ Original Deeds ☐ County Land Record ☐ Other _____

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

Gloria H. Radtke
(signature of present owner)

February 19, 2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased Homesteaded in May, 1870

How many acres were in the original parcel 153.05

What was the cost of the land per acre _____

Where was the first family owner born Solar, Norway

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, log house has been restored

When was the present home built 2008

What were the farm's major crops or products Wheat, OATS, CORN

Additional comments: Gunder & Maren Sjolie (Shirley) settled in Trondhjem Twp, Otter Tail County in 1870, along with three other pioneer families, after first spending 3 years in Southeastern MN & NE Iowa.

Gunder, Maren & baby girl lived in a dugout until the log house was built.

Photos of the log house are included as well as aerial photo of the present day farm site. The log house is next to our home.

Gunder filed Application for Homestead on June 27, 1870.

He died 2 months shy of age 90 - the oldest pioneer of Trondhjem Twp.

Obituary from the Fergus Falls Newspaper is included. The Sjolie's came in company with 3 other families who no doubt helped each other build their log homes.

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**

Gunder Olsen Sjolie (Shirley) obituary: Fergus Falls Journal

LIVED ON FARM IN TRONDHJEM SIXTY YEARS

Gunder Sjolie Oldest Living Pioneer of Township Died Thursday Morning

Rothsay, October 3, 1930

Gunder Sjolie, the oldest living pioneer of the town of Trondhjem, passed away at his home Thursday morning, October 2 of old age infirmities aged 90. He had been confined to bed since January and had been blind for the last 14 years. His son, Martin Shirley and family moved in with his father fourteen years ago and have tenderly cared for him in his declining years.

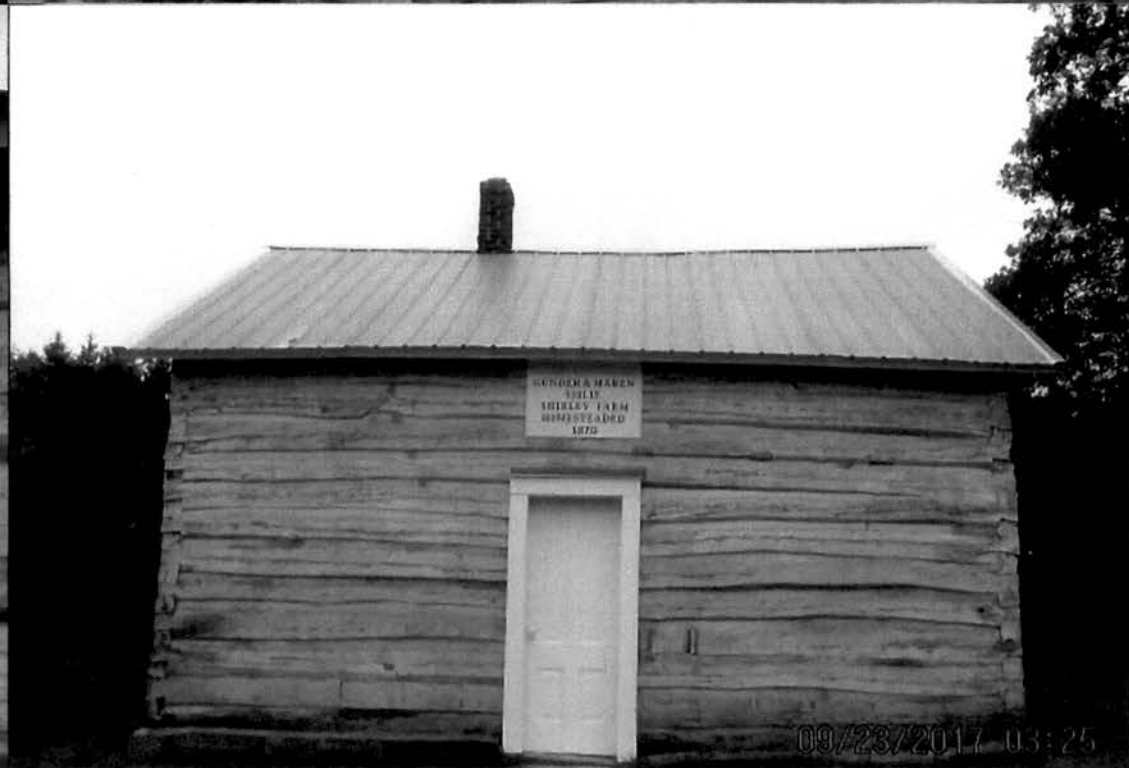
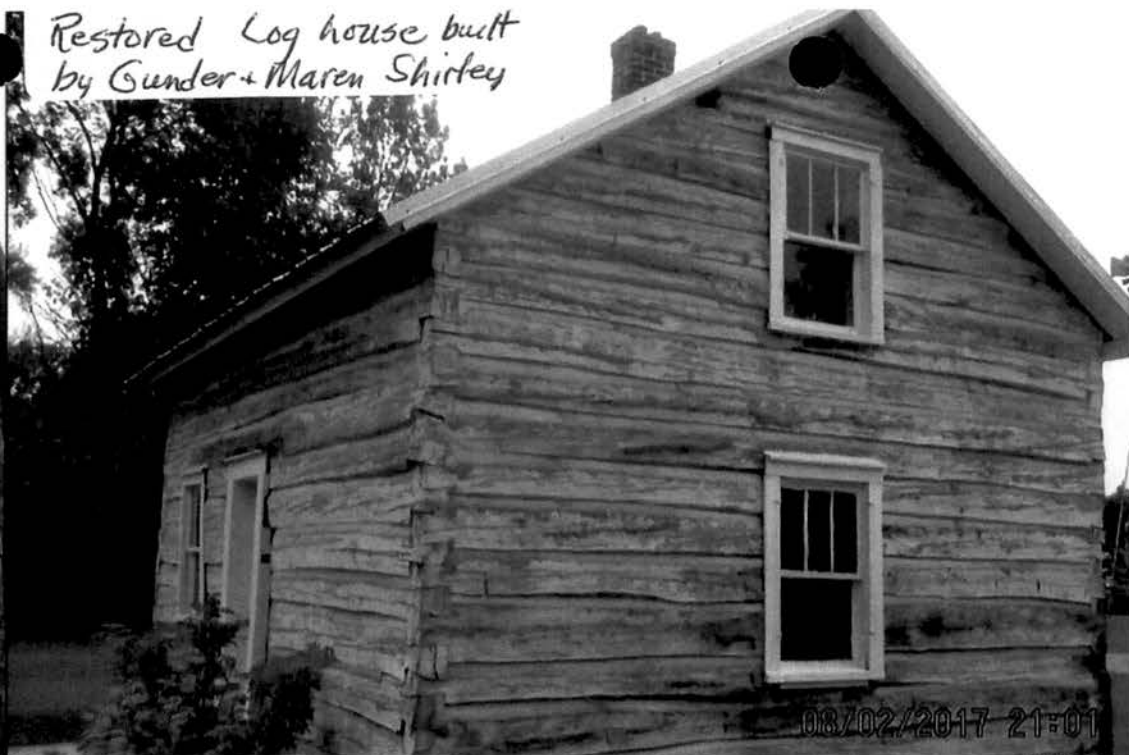
He was born in Solar, Norway, November 26, 1840. He was married at Brandval, Norway on May 24, 1865 to Maren Amundsdatter Hanestadmoen, and with his wife and one child came to America in 1867. They spent one year in Decorah, Iowa, and two years in Fillmore County. They, in company with three other pioneer families, Mr. & Mrs. Anton Melby, Mr. & Mrs. Gunerius Haarstad, and Mr. & Mrs. Simon Haarstad, came to Otter Tail County in May, 1870, settling on homesteads in the town of Trondhjem. Children and grandchildren remain as residents of the vicinity in which their parents settled. His death occurred on the farm on which he settled over sixty years ago.

They found one settler and family, Mr. & Mrs. Knud Pederson here when they came. He has been devoted to home life and built up a fine home and became prosperous. His wife died in 1914. He is survived by four sons and five daughters: Gust and Carl of Robinson, ND; Olaf of Lake Williams, ND; Martin at home; Mrs. Carrie Sannes and Mrs. Martha Bailey of Moorhead; Mrs. Minnie Tuttle of Fargo; Mrs. Tina Selmanson of Makoti, ND; and Mrs. Emma Olson of Plaza, ND. He was preceded in death by sons, the first Martin and Albert. The funeral will be held Wednesday, October 8, at 1 P.M. at the home, and 2 P.M. in South Immanuel Lutheran Church. Rev. Bjornson will officiate.

X Gunder Olsen Sjölie (Shirley) Log Home
Homestead - 1870 - Trondhjem Twp.
Otter Tail Co.



Restored Log house built
by Gunder + Maren Shirley



Deadline: March 2

MINNESOTA STATE FAIR • CENTURY FARM APPLICATION - 2019

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

Main Contact Name(s): RICHARD RYAN
 Main Contact Phone Number: 651-258-4177
 (area code) (phone number) (email address)
 Main Contact Address: 14343 352 street Goodhue MINN 55027
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Present Owner of the Farm: RICHARD RYANName(s), or Family Name, or Farm Name: RICHARD RYAN FAMILY

Certificate wording: "Let it be known that this farm yes has been in continuous agricultural operation since 1862 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: 14343 352nd St. Goodhue MINN 55027
 (street) (city) (state) (zip)

Farm Section: 9 Farm Township: Bell Creek Farm County: GoodhueNumber of acres in the farm now: 241Year of original purchase by a member of your family: 1862Has the farm previously been registered as a Century Farm? no If so, when?

Legal Description of Land (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc.): Southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 4, North half of the northwest quarter and west half of the southeast quarter of Section 9. All in township 111 in Goodhue Co.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF FAMILY OWNERSHIP

| Name | Years of Ownership | Relationship to Original Owner |
|---|--------------------|--------------------------------|
| Original Family Owner <u>Michael Gorman</u> 1863 | 38 | |
| Next Owner <u>James Gorman & Ellen McHugh</u> 1901 | 3 | son and daughter |
| Next Owner <u>Thomas Gorman</u> 1904 | 28 | son |
| Next Owner <u>Arnold Gorman</u> 1932 | 2 | grandson |
| Next Owner <u>Julia and W.C. Ryan</u> 1934 | 24 | grand daughter |
| <u>Richard and Helen Ryan</u> 1958 | 61 | great grandson |

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

Richard Ryan

(signature of present owner)

1-7-2020

(date)

(over)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased? John Wilton purchased from

the United States in 1860

How many acres were in the original parcel? 200

What was the cost of the land per acre at time of original purchase? \$ 7.00

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? yes

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

When was the present home built? 1947

What were the farm's major crops or products? corn, beans, alfalfa hay

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



PLEASE CONTACT ME
WITH ANY QUESTIONS AND/OR
CONCERNS INSTEAD OF MY
FATHER DUANE. I FILLED
OUT INFORMATION AND
CURRENTLY RENT FARM FROM
MY FATHER. DAD HAS A
HARD TIME HEARING.

THANK YOU.

STEVE SCHULTZ
42109 315TH AVE
ST. PETER MN 56082
507-931-4499 HOME
507-327-9885 CELL

Schultz
42109 315th Ave
Saint Peter, MN 56082-4193



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM DUANE A. SCHULTZ

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE DUANE A. SCHULTZ

ADDRESS 42235 315TH AVE ST. PETER MN 56082
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 931-4665

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 13 TOWNSHIP KASOTA NORTH COUNTY LESUEUR

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 435

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY JULY 20, 1870

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? YES IF SO, WHEN 1976

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) S 1/2 of NW 1/4, N 1/2 of SW 1/4, S 1/2 of NE 1/4, S 20 ACRES of N 1/2 of NE 1/4, S 1/2 of N 1/2 of NW 1/4

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner WILLIAM SCHULTZ | 1870 TO 1882 | FATHER |
| Next owner HERMAN SCHULTZ | 1882 TO 1934 | HUSBAND |
| Next owner META SCHULTZ | 1934 TO 1964 | MOTHER |
| Next owner ALBERT SCHULTZ | 1964 TO 1967 | FATHER |
| Next owner DUANE SCHULTZ | 1967 TO | |

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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.

Duane A. Schultz
(signature of present owner)

2-21-20
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased PRATT LAND COMPANY

How many acres were in the original parcel 100

What was the cost of the land per acre \$20

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 1972

What were the farm's major crops or products CATTLE, CORN, SOYBEANS

Additional comments: WILLIAM SCHULTZ CAME FROM GERMANY, SPENT
1 1/2 YEARS IN NEW YORK STATE, THEN MOVED TO ELL CREEK, ILL FOR
ABOUT 6 YEARS. THEN WENT TO ST. LOUIS, CAME UP RIVER BY
STEAM-BOAT WITH HIS FARMING EQUIPMENT AND 4 HORSES TO
ST. PAUL. (PARTY INCLUDED WILLIAM AND WIFE ALBERTINE, CHILDREN
ANNA, HERMAN AND TERESA.) WILLIAM'S MOTHER DIED ON THE
BOAT COMING FROM GERMANY. WILLIAM'S BROTHER JOHN SCHULTZ
WAS A HARNESS MAKER IN ST. PAUL.

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**



Deadline: March 1, 2019

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Howard Staggenmeyer

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Howard Staggenmeyer

ADDRESS 8792 county 2 Etzen Mn. 55931
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 495 3296

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 34 TOWNSHIP Winebago COUNTY Houston

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1868

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN 1980

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) Section 34 Twp 101
Range 005 160.00 Ac SW 1/4 B 367 p.8 Doc 277753

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Henrick Meyer</u> | <u>June 2, 1868 - Jan. 30, 1896</u> | <u>great grand Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Alvina Meyer</u> | <u>Jan. 30, 1896 - Nov 9 1945</u> | <u>great grand mother</u> |
| Next owner <u>Henry Staggenmeyer</u> | <u>Nov 9 1945 - Nov 16 1967</u> | <u>grand Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Louis H Staggenmeyer</u> | <u>Nov 16 1967 - Mar. 7 1973</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Howard Staggenmeyer</u> | <u>Mar 7 1973</u> | |

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

Howard Staggenmeyer
(signature of present owner)

5-28-2019
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased Father

How many acres were in the original parcel 160

What was the cost of the land per 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

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing Yes. Part of House

When was the present home built _____

What were the farm's major crops or products Corn oats Hay Hogs Dairy Beef

Additional comments: _____

Mail application to:
Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
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PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM MARK M & CHARLOTTE M TEASER TRUST

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE KIERAN M & STEVEN M TEASER TRUSTEES

ADDRESS 111 MARQUETTE AVE * 910 MPLS MN 55401
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (612) 597-9258

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 29 TOWNSHIP WESTFORD COUNTY MARTIN

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 200

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1865

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? YES IF SO, WHEN 1976

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

SECT 29 Twp 104 RANGE 030 W 1/2 SE 1/4 E 1/2 SW 1/4

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>JAMES MURPHY</u> | <u>1865 TO 1883</u> | <u>FATHER</u> |
| Next owner <u>JOHN MURPHY</u> | <u>1883 - 1888</u> | <u>SON</u> |
| Next owner <u>MARY MURPHY HINES</u> | <u>1888 - 1936</u> | <u>DAUGHTER</u> |
| Next owner <u>LILLIAN HINES TEASER</u> | <u>1936 - 1964</u> | <u>DAUGHTER</u> |
| Next owner <u>MARK & CHARLOTTE TEASER</u> | <u>1964 / TRUST 2001</u> | <u>SON / SONS</u> |

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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.

St. Tom
(signature of present owner)

2-13-20
(date)

RETURN TO: MN. STATE FAIR
CENTURY FARMS
ST. PAUL, MN 55108

CENTURY FARM APPLICATION

Name of Centennial Farm owner Mark Teaser
Name(s) to appear on certificate Mark and Charlotte Teaser
Address R.R.#1 Truman, Minn. 56088
Address of farm, if different from above _____

Section #29 Township Hestford County Martin
Number of acres in the farm at present 200
Date of original purchase by member of your family May 1865
Legal description of the land (from deed, abstract, tax statement)
SW 1/4 Section 29 Hestford Twp.

PROOF OF 100 YEARS OF CONTINUOUS FAMILY OWNERSHIP

| NAME | DATES (YEARS) OF OWNERSHIP | BLOOD RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| <u>James Murphy</u> (owner in 1876 or B4) | from <u>1865</u> to <u>1883</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| <u>John Murphy</u> next owner | from <u>1883</u> to <u>1888</u> | <u>Son</u> |
| <u>Mary Murphy Hines</u> next owner | from <u>1888</u> to <u>1936</u> | <u>Daughter</u> |
| <u>William Hines Teaser</u> next owner | from <u>1936</u> to <u>1964</u> | <u>Daughter</u> |
| <u>Mark & Charlotte Teaser</u> next owner | from <u>1964</u> to <u>present</u> | <u>Son</u> |
| next owner | from _____ to _____ | |
| next owner | from _____ to _____ | |
| next owner | from _____ to _____ | |

The above evidence of continuous family ownership of this farm since 1876 is taken from one or more of the following records. DO NOT SEND IN RECORDS, just indicate by check marks those which apply.

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|---|--------------------------------------|
| Abstract of Title <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Court file in Registration |
| Land Patent <input type="checkbox"/> | Proceedings <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Original Deed <input type="checkbox"/> | Other (please explain _____) |
| County Land Record <input type="checkbox"/> | |

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

George A. Bowler
(Witness sign here)

Mark Teaser
(Signature of present owner)

Date _____

See reverse side for additional information.



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM David + Dawn Thompson
NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE David + Dawn Thompson
ADDRESS 28447 Co. Rd. 16 Starbuck MN 56381
(street) (city) (state) (zip)
PHONE NUMBER area code (320) 239-2983 Cell 320-808-3957 Best Number
ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____
SECTION 13 TOWNSHIP Blue Mounds COUNTY Pope
NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 1070
DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Homestead 1868
HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 1976
LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement etc) W 1/2 NE 1/4 N 1/2 S 1/2
13 124 39 360.0 E 1/2 NW 1/4 + E 1/2 W 1/2 NW 1/2

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---|--|-------------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Engelbert Thompson</u> | <u>1868 to 1880</u> <u>Abstract 2-15-76 to 11-20-80</u> | <u>father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Eric Thompson</u> | <u>1880 to 1933</u> | <u>father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Heirs of Eric Thompson</u> | <u>1933 to Feb 12 1942</u> | |
| Next owner <u>Olaf Thompson</u> | <u>Feb 1942 to 1950</u> | <u>Olaf is Husband of Clara</u> |
| Next owner <u>Clara Thompson</u> | <u>1950 to July 10 1974</u> | <u>Clara is Mother of Ellsworth</u> |

Ellsworth Thompson 1974 Ellsworth is father of David
The above evidence of continuous family ownership is taken from one or more of the following records.

Check those that apply: **Please do not send originals or copies of records.**

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

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

David Thompson
(signature of present owner)

2-22-20
(date)

David + Dawn Thompson 1980 to Present

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased Original Homestead

How many acres were in the original parcel 120

What was the cost of the land per acre _____

Where was the first family owner born Norway

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 2010

What were the farm's major crops or products Corn, wheat, oats, hay - dairy cattle, beef cows

Additional comments: _____

See enclosed page

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**

Extensive research has not found documented ownership from 1868 to 1876. Pope County Museum information has clearly documented the Thompson Homestead as 1868. The Thompson family was the 2nd family to settle in Blue Mounds township and named the township after the area they came from just west of Madison, Wisconsin in 1868.

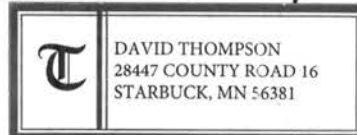
The first family in the township was the Signalness family coming in 1867. At the Pope County courthouse we could not find any documented ownership for that family prior to 1878.

We were told at the courthouse that early settlers often got something called a "receivers receipt" prior to getting the actual homestead documentation.

I have enclosed extensive documentation from Pope County Museum dating the Thompson family on the farm in Section 13 Blue Mounds to 1868 (152 years).

Let me know if this qualifies for the Sesquicentennial designation, or what addition information I should attempt to find.

Thanks, Dave Thompson



cell phone 320-808-3957

e-mail dave.thompson@chci.net.net

Please acknowledge receipt of my application.

Hendrik Holtan, born August 16, 1861; Berntine Marianne Holtan, February 16, 1864; Bine Albertine Holtan, born March 5, 1866; Johanne Holtan, born September 19, 1867; Bernhard Holtan, born March 20, 1870; Emma Jensine Holtan, born July 10, 1872; Odin Joachim Holtan, born October 29, 1874; Adolph Svere Holtan, born December, 23, 1876; William Holtan, born April 25, 1880; and Gustav Bendix Holtan, born June 22, 1882.

ERICK E. THOMPSON, the subject of this sketch is a prominent and highly esteemed farmer residing on section 13, Blue Mounds township. He is a native of Norway, born in Bergen Stift, January 9, 1855, and is a son of Ingebret and Olena O. Olson, who are also natives of that kingdom. They came to this country in 1861, and located in Dane county, Wisconsin. In 1868 they came to Pope county, Minnesota, and settled in Blue Mounds township, on the farm where our subject now lives.

Erick E. Thompson, whose name heads this article, grew to manhood beneath the roof of the home of his parents. He was brought up to hard work, and received no schooling after he was thirteen years of age. He is, however, a good business man and a man of the greatest honor and integrity. He has held the following offices—treasurer of his township, treasurer of school district, and has filled those offices with credit to himself and to his township.

Our subject was married July 2, 1879, to Miss Mary Olson, a native of Norway. She came to this country with her parents when she was seven years of age, and they settled in Dane county, Wisconsin. She was educated in Wisconsin and is one of five children.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson have been blessed

with the following children—Emil, Anna, Olena, Amma and Mabel, two of whom are dead. Our subject has a fine farm of 440 acres, with good improvements. In political matters he is a staunch republican.

PETER O. ROE, is a well known and successful business man of Brooten, Stearns county, where he has lived since February, 1887, engaged in farming and buying wheat for Osborn & McMillan, of Minneapolis. He was born in Columbia county, Wisconsin, March 16, 1855, and was raised and educated in Wisconsin and Minnesota. He received an excellent and practical education, taking a course at the Lutheran College at Decorah, Iowa. Up to the time he was twenty-four years of age, however, he remained at home most of the time. Upon arriving at that age he began life for himself, and has since been very successful. He has the finest buildings in Brooten village, and is recognized as one of the most capable business men in Stearns county.

In political matters Mr. Roe is a republican, and takes an active interest in all public affairs and every enterprise calculated to benefit the locality in which he lives.

On the 22d of May, 1884, Mr. Roe was married to Miss Helen P. Enerson, a native of Goodhue county, Minnesota, and a daughter of Peter Enerson. She was raised in McLeod county, Minnesota, where her father is still living. In the family of her parents there were the following children—John, Henry, Enert, Ole, Carrie, Helen, Anna, Mary and Tilda. By their marriage Mr. and Mrs. Roe have become the parents of one boy, named Otto Peter, born February 17, 1885.

The family are exemplary members of the Lutheran Church.

Erick Thompson is my great grandfather

Thomas Thompson is the son of
Ingebrit Thompson my great-great grandfather
& brother of Eric Thompson my great grandfather

that place for the next five years, and in 1866 he came to the United States. After landing in Quebec, Canada, he went to La Crosse, Wisconsin, where he remained on a farm for one year. In the spring of 1868, he moved to Fillmore county, Minnesota, and, after living there one year, went to Freeborn county, Minnesota. He remained there for a period of three years, when he moved to Pope county, Minnesota, and settled on his present claim. His parents are still residing in Freeborn county, Minnesota.

Our subject was married, December 29, 1866, to Miss Martha Simonsdatter, a native of Norway. They have been blessed with the following children—Samuel, Karl, Bertie, Julius and Martin—all of whom are single and living at home with their parents. The subject of this sketch is a man of the strictest honor and integrity, and is highly esteemed by all who know him. He has held the offices of assessor, supervisor, school director, etc. He and his family are exemplary members of the Lutheran Church, of which organization he is a trustee.

In political matters Mr. Monson affiliates with the republican party. He is in comfortable circumstances financially, and has a farm of 200 acres, with 145 acres under cultivation. He carries on farming and stock-raising extensively, and is regarded as one of the most successful and substantial farmers in the southern portion of the county.

THOMAS E. THOMPSON, the subject of the present sketch, is classed among the prosperous and well-to-do citizens of Pope county. He is a resident of section 6, Blue Mound township, where he has an extensive farm of 240 acres, with comfortable building improvements. He was born in Bergen Stift, Norway, July 14, 1845, and is a son of Ingebrit and Oleva (Oleson) Thomp-

son, who were also natives of that kingdom. They came to the United States in 1862, and after landing in Quebec, Canada, they came to Dane county, Wisconsin, where they remained for six years, and then came to Pope county, settling on section 13, Blue Mound township. Our subject received his education in Norway and Wisconsin, and from the time of his parents' settling in Wisconsin he made his own way in the world.

Mr. Thompson was married to Miss Mary Brevig, April 2, 1873. She is a native of Norway, and is the daughter of Lars Brevig. Our subject and wife are members of the Evangelical Lutheran Church, of which he has been a trustee for six years, also deacon for one year. He takes an active interest in all public matters, and has held the following offices: Township clerk, school clerk, supervisor and assessor. He has usually been a delegate to the republican county conventions, and is an active worker in all official and public matters.

By their marriage they have been blessed with one child, Edwin, born May 21, 1878. Mr. Thompson was the second settler in his township, and was the one who got up the petition to organize it, naming it from his old township in Wisconsin. He now is in very comfortable circumstances, and has a neat house nestled in a dense grove of trees of his own planting.

SWEN ANDERSON, the subject of the present article, is a thrifty and esteemed citizen of Langhei township, residing on section 12. He was born in Norway, at Aurdal, April 30, 1863, and is a son of Andrew and Maret (Swenson) Engebretson, who were married in their native land, Norway, and came to the United States in 1866. They landed in Quebec, Canada, and then settled in La Crosse, Wisconsin, where they

1868



ERICK E. THOMPSON, the subject of this sketch is a prominent and highly esteemed farmer residing on section 13, Blue Mounds township. He is a native of Norway, born in Bergen Stift, January 9, 1855, and is a son of Ingebret and Olena O. Olson, who are also natives of that kingdom. They came to this country in 1861, and located in Dane county, Wisconsin. In 1868 they came to Pope county, Minnesota, and settled in Blue Mounds township, on the farm where our subject now lives.

Erick E. Thompson, whose name heads this article, grew to manhood beneath the roof of the home of his parents. He was brought up to hard work, and received no schooling after he was thirteen years of age. He is, however, a good business man and a man of the greatest honor and integrity. He has held the following offices—treasurer of his township, treasurer of school district, and has filled those offices with credit to himself and to his township.

Our subject was married July 2, 1879, to Miss ^{Mary Olson} Mary Olson, a native of Norway. She came to this country with her parents when she was seven years of age, and they settled in Dane county, Wisconsin. She was educated in Wisconsin and is one of five children.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson have been blessed with the following children—Emil, Anna, Olena, Anna and Mabel, two of whom are dead. Our subject has a fine farm of 440 acres, with good improvements. In political matters he is a staunch republican.

Pope & Stevens Co. Antebesographier
1888

From Pope County
Museum Glenwood, Minn



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION – 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM LOWELL E. TOLLEFSON

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE LOWELL E. TOLLEFSON

ADDRESS 18901 Game Rd Preston MN 55965
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 745-3643

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION ¹⁵14, 17, 22, 23 TOWNSHIP Preston COUNTY Fillmore

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 400

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY Feb 1, 1858
April, 1867

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 1958

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) Sect 15 Twp 102 Range 010,
Sect 14 Twp 102 Range 101, Sect 17 Twp 102, Sect 23 Twp 102, Sect 23, Twp 102,

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

Sect 23, twp 102

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>Anders Tollefson Lunde</u> | <u>1858- 1900</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>John Theodore Tollefson Lunde</u> | <u>1900- 1928</u> | <u>Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Laurence L. Tollefson</u> | <u>1928-1968</u> | <u>Son Father</u> |
| Next owner <u>Lowell E. Tollefson</u> | <u>1968 -</u> | |
| Next owner | | |

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Check those that apply: **Please do not send originals or copies of 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.

Lowell E. Tollefson
(signature of present owner)

2-19, 2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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

From whom was the farm purchased Homestead - 185

How many acres were in the original parcel 120

What was the cost of the land per acre _____

Where was the first family owner born Norway

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 1908

What were the farm's major crops or products hay oats corn wheat dairy

Additional comments: original farm Sect. 22 & 23. The rest was added
from about 1950 and on.

Settled here in 1853. Homestead in 1858

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM George W Warrant
NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE George Wellington Warrant
ADDRESS 34116 480th St Kasota MN 56050
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code 507 931-2453

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 9 & 16 TOWNSHIP Kasota COUNTY Le Sueur

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 360

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY March 13, 1867

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 1997

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) NE 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section
16-109-26, Le Sueur County & SE 1/4 of NE 1/4, Section 9-109-26, Le Sueur
County

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>George Warrant</u> | <u>3-13-1867 to 8-18-1913</u> | <u>father</u> |
| Next owner <u>John W. Warrant</u> | <u>8-18-1913 to 8-13-1931</u> | <u>father</u> |
| Next owner <u>George William Warrant</u> | <u>8-13-1931 to 2-23-1961</u> | <u>father</u> |
| Next owner <u>George Wellington Warrant</u> | <u>2-23-1961 to Present</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.

George W. Warrant
(signature of present owner)

Feb 29, 2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased part of acreage from State of MN

How many acres were in the original parcel 40 acres

What was the cost of the land per acre not known

Where was the first family owner born England

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

If so, please list Carpentry

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 1900

What were the farm's major crops or products wheat, oats, corn + milking Shorthorns

Additional comments: George and Mary Ann (Godboldt) Warrant

lived in a log cabin on the farm. at present
George Wellington Warrant, age 91, is still living
on the farm and is involved with the activities
of the farm

Mail application to:

**Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164**

Property ID#: R20.029.0500

Taxpayer:

TAXPAYER ID: 21640
 MARK M & CHARLOTTE M TEASER
 REVOCABLE TRUSTS
 2216 SPRUCE DR
 BRAINERD MN 56401-4538

C 30
S 8837

Description:

Sect-29 Twp-104 Range-030 155.36 AC
 W1/2 SE1/4 & E1/2 SW1/4 (EX. 4.64 AC) 155.36 AC

Property Classification:

AG NHSTD

AG NHSTD

Sent in March 2018

Step
2

PROPOSED TAX

Proposed Tax: \$ 6,660.00

Sent in November 2018

Step
3

PROPERTY TAX STATEMENT

First-half Taxes: \$3,347.00
 Second-half Taxes: \$3,347.00
 Total Taxes Due in 2019: \$6,694.00

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REFUNDS?

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

| Taxes Payable Year: | | 2018 | 2019 |
|--|--|------------------------------------|-------------|
| 1. | Use this amount on Form M1PR to see if you are eligible for a property tax refund. File by August 15. If this box is checked, you owe delinquent taxes and are not eligible. | | \$ 0.00 |
| 2. | Use these amounts on Form M1PR to see if you are eligible for a special refund. | \$ 0.00 | |
| Property Tax and Credits | | | |
| 3. | Property taxes before credits. | \$ 6,747.91 | \$ 6,762.35 |
| 4. | Credits that reduce your property tax | | |
| | A. Agricultural and rural land Credits | 67.91 | 68.35 |
| | B. Disaster Credits | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 5. | Property taxes after credits | 6,680.00 | 6,694.00 |
| Property Tax by Jurisdiction | | | |
| 6. | County MARTIN COUNTY | \$ 4,906.16 | \$ 4,893.17 |
| 7. | City or Town WESTFORD | 978.93 | 943.80 |
| 8. | State General Tax | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 9. | School District 0458 | 338.37 | 342.93 |
| | A. Voter approved levies | 407.75 | 466.05 |
| | B. Other local levies | 21.10 | 21.34 |
| 10. | Special Taxing Districts | 27.69 | 26.71 |
| | A. COUNTY WIDE | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| | B. MULTI CO HRA | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| | C. | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| | D. | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 11. | Non-school voter approved referenda levies | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 12. | Total property tax before special assessments | \$ 6,680.00 | \$ 6,694.00 |
| Special Assessments on Your Property | | | |
| 13. | Special assessments | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 14. YOUR TOTAL PROPERTY TAX AND SPECIAL ASSESSMENTS | | \$ 6,680.00 | \$ 6,694.00 |
| | | FIRST HALF DUE MAY 15 | \$ 3,347.00 |
| | | SECOND HALF DUE NOVEMBER 15 | \$ 3,347.00 |

PAYABLE 2019 2nd HALF PAYMENT STUB

TO AVOID PENALTY PAY ON OR BEFORE: NOVEMBER 15

Property ID#: R20.029.0500

ID# 21640
 TAX BILL# 5547

MARK M & CHARLOTTE M TEASER
 REVOCABLE TRUSTS
 2216 SPRUCE DR
 BRAINERD MN 56401-4538

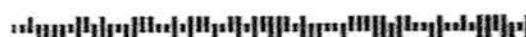
SECOND 1/2 TAX AMOUNT DUE: \$ 3,347.00

PENALTY:

TOTAL:

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE & MAIL TO:

Martin County Auditor/Treasurer
 201 Lake Ave. Ste 201
 Fairmont, MN 56031-1852



DETACH HERE AND RETURN THIS STUB
 WITH YOUR SECOND HALF PAYMENT
 DO NOT STAMP

No Receipt Sent Unless Requested. Your detached check is your receipt. This Receipt is void if check is not honored.

AG NHSTD

RE TAX

PAYABLE 2019 1st HALF PAYMENT STUB

PLEASE READ THE BACK OF THIS STATEMENT FOR IMPORTANT INFORMATION.



MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

Deadline: March 1, 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Debra Weinand

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Deb Weinand

ADDRESS 22945 Cord 10 Rogers Mn 55374
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code 952 237-6426

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 17 TOWNSHIP 119 COUNTY Hennepin

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 79

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1872 64

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? Yes IF SO, WHEN 1990

LEGAL DESCRIPTION OF LAND (from deed, abstract, tax statement, etc) The West 1/3 of N. West 1/4 of Section 17 Township 119 North Range 23, West of 5th Principal Meridian

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|------------------------------|---|
| First owner <u>Mathias & Margaret Weinand</u> | <u>1861 - 1872</u> | <u>Unable to establish relationship</u> |
| Next owner <u>Peter & Mary Weinand</u> | <u>1872 - 1906</u> | <u>G.G. Grandfather</u> |
| Next owner <u>Peter & Anna Weinand</u> | <u>1906 - 1939</u> | <u>G. Grandfather</u> |
| Next owner <u>Arthur & Esther Weinand</u> | <u>1939 - 1979</u> | <u>Grand father - mother</u> |
| Next owner <u>Esther Weinand</u> | <u>1979 - 1983</u> | <u>Grandmother</u> |

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Check those that apply: Please do not send originals or copies of records.

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

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

Deb Weinand
(signature of present owner)

3-1-2020
(date)



Deadline: March 1, 2020

MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM _____

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE _____

ADDRESS _____
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code () _____

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION _____ TOWNSHIP _____ COUNTY _____

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT _____

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY _____

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? _____ IF SO, WHEN _____

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

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner | | |
| Next owner Willard Vivian Weinand | 1983 - 1990 | Parents |
| Next owner Stephen's Debra Weinand | 1990 - 2020 | |
| Next owner Debra Weinand | 2010 - present | |
| 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.

Debra Weinand
(signature of present owner)

3-1-2020
(date)

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 total cost listed on deed is \$750

Where was the first family owner born Germany

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming 1877 Peter was

If so, please list elected Rep for 27th District

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 1990

What were the farm's major crops or products Dairy cattle, corn alfalfa, oats

Additional comments: _____

Granted to Mn Territory from U.S. for purpose of aiding in construction of RR in 1857.

It was deeded to Mathias Wernand in 1864.

In 1894 11 Rod x 4 feet E & W 1/4 Sec 17 township 119 N. Range 23 was given for school site. In 1967 the North Henn. Pioneer Society purchased the school for \$1000.00

from 2010 to present the farm land has been rented out, rotating between corn & soybeans

Mail application to:
Minnesota Farm Bureau Federation
Sesquicentennial Farms
PO Box 64370
St Paul, MN 55164



MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

Deadline: March 1, 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM Stanley and Linda Whitney

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE Stanley and Linda Whitney

ADDRESS 449164 250th St Mapleton MN 56065
(street) (city) (state) (zip)

PHONE NUMBER area code (507) 524-3037

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE _____

SECTION 5 TOWNSHIP Lura COUNTY Faribault

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT 160 Additional acres have been added over the years.

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY 1870

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM? yes IF SO, WHEN 1976

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

NE quarter section 5 - Lura township - Faribault Co

PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner | | |
| Next owner | | |
| Next owner | | |
| Next owner | | |
| Next owner | | |

see additional page for details.

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

Stanley B. Whitney
(signature of present owner)
Linda K. Whitney

2-20-2020
(date)

ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

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From whom was the farm purchased Homestead

How many acres were in the original parcel 160

What was the cost of the land per acre —

Where was the first family owner born Freeman, Maine (Franklin Co.)

Did he/she engage in any trades or occupations other than farming Farmed in Maine

If so, please list in Sept 1862 was discharged from the service, married in 1864 in Faribault Co, MN & started to prove up claim, which was finished in 1870

Was this a homestead yes

Is the original home, any portion of it, or any other original buildings still standing No, Farm site moved from NW to NE corner of the quarter sect.

When was the present home built 1925

What were the farm's major crops or products wheat, oats, hay, corn & beans
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Additional comments: Six generations have lived on the farm since homesteaded

Jessie B Whitney

Sidney G Whitney

Ira E. Whitney

Donald S. Whitney

Stanley B. Whitney

Mark, Gary & Matthew Whitney (sons of Stanley)

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Faribault Co.

Stanley and Linda Whitney

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|---|---------------------------------|--|
| First owner Tessie B Whitney ^{160A} | 1870 to 1883 | Father of Charles & Sidney |
| Next owner Charles Whitney ^{60A} | 1883 to 1929 | |
| Next owner Sidney Whitney ^{60A} | | |
| Next owner Charles & Sidney ^{undivided 40A} | 1883 to 1929 | Charles sold his undivided half of 40 to his brother Sidney |
| Next owner (Charles $\frac{1}{2}$ of 40A) Sidney Whitney | 1929 to 1956 | |
| Next owner | | Charles sold his 60A to his daughter, Winnesred |
| Next owner Winnesred Garber ^{60A} | 1940 to 1946 | Sold to brother Richard & son of Charles |
| Next owner Richard Whitney ^{60A} | 1956 to 1971 | Sold to cousin, Stanley Whitney |
| Next owner Stanley Whitney ^{60A} | 1971 to Present | |
| Next owner | | Sidney sold to son & daughter original 60 & divided 40 |
| Next owner Ira & Blanch Whitney ^{100A total} | 1956 to 1967 | Ira passed & land went to Blanch, his wife |
| Next owner Blanch Whitney ^{100A} | 1967 to 1978 | Sold to grandson & his wife |
| Stanley & Linda Whitney ^{100A} | 1978 to present | |

Sidney's ^{60A}
 Charles ⁶⁰
 undivided ^{40A} ⁴⁰

 160A

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MINNESOTA FARM BUREAU
SESQUICENTENNIAL FARM APPLICATION - 2020

Deadline: March 1, 2020

PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT CLEARLY

PRESENT OWNER OF FARM

RUTH C. ZEIDLER

NAME TO APPEAR ON CERTIFICATE

RUTH ZEIDLER

ADDRESS

15430 - 47th Ave No

PLYMOUTH, MN

55446

(street)

(city)

(state)

(zip)

PHONE NUMBER

area code (763) 291-6063

ADDRESS OF FARM IF DIFFERENT FROM ABOVE

2789 MORRISON AVE. NW

ANNANDALE, MN

SECTION

24

TOWNSHIP

French Lake

COUNTY

WRIGHT

55302

NUMBER OF ACRES IN THE FARM AT PRESENT

119

DATE OF ORIGINAL PURCHASE BY A MEMBER OF YOUR FAMILY

Homestead - prior to 1868

HAS FARM BEEN PREVIOUSLY REGISTERED AS A CENTURY FARM?

NO

IF SO, WHEN -

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

TWO PARCELS

ID # 209-000-242100 - SECT 24 - TWP 120 - RANGE 028
ID # 209-000-241300 - SECT 24 - TWP 120 - RANGE 028
PROOF OF 150 YEARS OWNERSHIP

| NAME | YEARS OF OWNERSHIP FROM - TO | RELATIONSHIP TO NEXT OWNER |
|--|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|
| First owner <u>DANIEL McDONALD</u> | <u>1859 - 1900</u> | |
| Next owner <u>JOSEPH McDONALD SR</u> | <u>1900 - 1943</u> | <u>SON</u> |
| Next owner <u>JOSEPH McDONALD JR</u> | <u>1943 - 1989</u> | <u>GRANDSON</u> |
| Next owner <u>ELSIE M^c DONALD</u> | <u>1989 - 1995</u> | <u>GRANDDAUGHTER - in-law</u> |
| Next owner <u>RUTH (M^c DONALD) ZEIDLER</u> | <u>1995 - present</u> | <u>GRANDGRANDDAUGHTER</u> |

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Robert H. Zeidler

(signature of present owner)

DEC. 18, 2019

(date)

SON / POA for Ruth Zeidler

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Where was the first family owner born DANIEL McDONALD - 1833 - SCOTLAND

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

If so, please list MILITARY - CIVIL WAR VETERAN

Was this a homestead Yes - PRIOR TO 1868

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, ALFALFA AND WHEAT

Additional comments:

DANIEL McDONALD AND HIS BROTHER ANDREW, EMIGRATED
FROM SCOTLAND THROUGH NOVA SCOTIA, SETTLED IN FRENCH
LAKE IN 1859

DANIEL McDONALD DIED IN 1900

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