

CERTIFICATE OF JUDGES OF ELECTION.

We, the undersigned Judges of the Special Election held at the Village of Nerstrand, in the County of Rice and State of Minnesota, on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 1913, between the hours of 10 A.M. and 4 P.M. of said day, pursuant to notice thereof duly given, do hereby certify that we have duly canvassed the ballots cast at said election on the proposition of whether the territory described in the notice and petition for same, shall be separated and detached from the Village of Nerstrand, we find and hereby certify that there were 59 votes cast upon said proposition, of which 40 votes were cast, "For Detaching," and 19 votes were cast, "Against detaching," and we therefore find that the proposition was carried. The territory described in said petition and Notice and that was voted to be detached as per proposition therefor submitted and carried at such Special Election, all lying and being in the Incorporated Village of Nerstrand, in the County of Rice and State of Minnesota, is described as follows,-

The south west quarter of the north west quarter and the west half of the south west quarter, in section eleven, of Township one hundred and ten north, of range nineteen west, containing one hundred and twenty acres and owned and belonging to Ingebor Bonde.

The north west quarter of the north west quarter of section fourteen, of town and range aforesaid, containing forty acres, and owned and belonging to Oscar Bonde.

The south west quarter of the north west quarter of section fourteen, town and range aforesaid, containing forty acres and owned and belonging to Edward Wolf.

The east one half of the south east quarter, and the south east quarter of the north east quarter, and the south one half of the south west quarter of the south east quarter, all in section ten, town and range aforesaid, containing one hundred and forty acres, and owned and belonging to John S. Vesledal.

The south west quarter of the north east quarter and the north west quarter of the south east quarter, and the north one half of the south west quarter of the south east quarter and the north one half of the north east quarter of the south west quarter and the east fifteen acres of the south one half of the south east quarter of the north west quarter, all in section ten, in Township one hundred ten north, of range nineteen west, containing one hundred thirty five acres and owned and belonging to Ole T. and Mary Hougen.

The north one half of the south east quarter of the north west quarter, and the south three fourths of the east one half of the south west quarter, of section ten in Town and Range aforesaid, containing eighty acres and owned and belonging to Austin J. Heggedalen, sometimes written Osten J. Heggedalen.

The following described land, to wit: Beginning at the south west corner of the south east quarter of the north west quarter of section ten, town and range aforesaid, running thence north forty rods, thence east twenty rods, thence south forty rods, thence west twenty rods, to point of beginning, containing five acres and owned and belonging to William E. Roth.

The following described land, to wit: Commencing at the north east corner of section fifteen, of Township one hundred and ten north, of range nineteen west, running thence west sixteen rods, thence south twenty rods, thence east sixteen rods, thence north twenty rods to point of beginning, containing two acres, and owned and belonging to Markus Simonson.

Also the east one half of the north east quarter of section fifteen town and range aforesaid, excepting two acres out of the north east corner thereof, owned by Markus Simonson, and described as follows: Commencing at the north east corner of section fifteen, town and range aforesaid, running thence west sixteen rods, thence south twenty rods, thence east sixteen rods, thence north twenty rods to point of beginning. Also the following land, as follows, commencing on the northeast corner of the west one half of the north east quarter of said section fifteen, running thence west eight rods, thence south one hundred and sixty rods, thence east eight rods, thence north one hundred and sixty rods to place of beginning, containing eighty six acres, and owned and belonging to Henry Glor.

Also the west one half of the north east quarter, except the east eight rods of same, and the south east quarter of the north west quarter and the east five acres of the south fifteen acres of the north east quarter of the north west quarter, and the following, commencing at a point twenty six and one half rods west from the south east corner of the north east quarter of the north west quarter of section fifteen town and range aforesaid, running thence west fifty three and one half rods, thence north thirty rods, thence east fifty three and one half rods, thence south thirty rods to place of beginning, containing one hundred and twenty seven acres, and owned and belonging to Henry Lips and Emelia, their said land being in section 15 of Township one hundred and ten north of range nineteen as aforesaid.

Also the following land, to wit: the north five acres of the south one half of the north east quarter of the north west quarter, of said section fifteen, and range and town aforesaid, containing five acres, and owned and belonging to Henry W. Wille.

Also the following, the north half of the north east quarter of the north west quarter of section fifteen, of Township one hundred and ten north of range nineteen west, containing twenty acres and owned and belonging to Haagen Lysne.

All of the land described being in Township one hundred and ten north, of range nineteen west, and all of the land described aggregating eight hundred acres, and being originally a part of the Township of Wheeling, in Rice County, Minnesota.

Witness our hands at Verstrand, Minnesota  
this 26<sup>th</sup> day of February 1913.

*John Lechelt*  
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*Henry W. Grote*  
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Judges of Election.

State of Minnesota  
County of Rice.      SS.  
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We, *John Lechelt*  
and *Henry W. Grote*, Judges of the Special Election, held at Verstrand, Rice County, Minnesota, on the 25<sup>th</sup> day of February 1913, being first duly sworn, on oath, according to law, say each for himself, that the statements made in the certificate of election hereto attached and to which they have fixed their signatures, are true. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 26<sup>th</sup> day of February 1913.

*H. A. Ginneth*  
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Notary Public, Rice County,  
Minnesota.

*My Commission expires Aug. 22 - 1913*

*John Lechelt*  
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*Henry W. Grote*  
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NOTICE.

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SPECIAL VILLAGE ELECTION.

Whereas, A petition, of which the attached is a copy, and which is hereby made and constitutes a part of this Notice, has been duly filed with, the Village Recorder of the Village of Nerstrand, in the County of Rice and State of Minnesota, in form and manner as provided by the laws of the State of Minnesota, and

WHEREAS, The Village Council of said Village has been duly notified by the Village Recorder of the filing of said Petition, and

WHEREAS, It becomes incumbent upon the Village Council of the Village of Nerstrand, aforesaid, to submit to the Electors of said Village the question of the separation and detachment from the Incorporated Village of Nerstrand, aforesaid, of the unplatted lands and territory set forth and described in said petition, at a Special Election of said Village, called for that purpose and to appoint a time and place of holding such special election in said Village of Nerstrand,

THEREFORE, the qualified ELECTORS of the Village of Nerstrand, in the County of Rice and State of Minnesota, ARE HEREBY NOTIFIED, that a SPECIAL ELECTION of said Village of Nerstrand, Rice County, Minnesota, be and the same is hereby CALLED and will be HELD on *Tuesday* the *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *Feb.*, 1913, at *City Hall*, between the hours of *10* o'clock in the forenoon and *4* o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, for the PURPOSE OF SUBMITTING TO THE ELECTORS OF SAID VILLAGE THE QUESTION OF THE SEPARATION AND DETACHMENT OF THE UNPLATTED LANDS AND TERRITORY DESCRIBED IN SAID PETITION, FROM THE INCORPORATED VILLAGE OF NERSTRAND AFORESAID, and wherein the electors of said Village will vote upon the PROPOSITION,

SHALL THE UNPLATTED LANDS AND TERRITORY SET FORTH AND DESCRIBED IN THE PETITION FOR THE DETACHING AND SEPARATION OF UNPLATTED LANDS FROM THE VILLAGE OF NERSTRAND, FILED WITH THE VILLAGE RECORDER OF SAID VILLAGE, AND INCORPORATED IN THE NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION, DULY POSTED, BE DETACHED AND SEPARATED FROM THE INCORPORATED VILLAGE OF NERSTRAND, RICE COUNTY, MINNESOTA?

The polls will be open at the regular polling place in said Village on the *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *Feb.*, 1913, from *10* o'clock A.M. until *8* o'clock P.M. of the same day.  
Dated at Nerstrand, Minnesota  
February *13<sup>th</sup>* 1913.

*[Signature]*  
Village Recorder.

Copy

Petition for the separation and detaching of certain unplatted Lands and territory from the Incorporated Village of Nerstrand, in the County of Rice and State of Minnesota.

TO THE PRESIDENT AND VILLAGE COUNCIL OF THE VILLAGE OF NERSTRAND?  
RICE COUNTY?MINNESOTA.

GREETING:-

We, the undersigned residents and owners of unplatted land in the Village of Nerstrand, in the County of Rice and State of Minnesota, hereby and herein PETITION your Honorable Body, to detach and separate from and take out of the incorporated Village of Nerstrand, as aforesaid, as provided by the laws of the State of Minnesota, the unplatted lands and territory in said Village hereinafter particularly described, all owned by your petitioners herein as hereafter herein specified.

The land which is herein proposed to be detached, separated and taken from and out of the incorporated Village aforesaid is all unplatted agricultural land, is located in the corporate limits of the Village of Nerstrand, in the County of Rice and State of Minnesota and is particularly described as follows, to wit:

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Also the following, the <sup>north</sup> ~~south~~ half of the north east quarter of the north west quarter of section fifteen, of Township one hundred and ten north of range nineteen west, containing twenty acres and owned and belonging to Haagen Lysne.

All of the land described in this petition being in Township one hundred and ten north, of range nineteen west, and all ~~of~~ of the land described herein aggregating eight hundred acres.

It is the desire of your petitioners herein that said land if detached and separated as herein set forth, be returned to and become a part of the Township of Wheeling, said county and State from which it was originally taken.

NOW THEREFORE, Your Petitioners pray your Honorable body, to take such steps and adopt such measures as are provided by the laws of this State upon the filing of this petition, and pursuant to such laws and this petition we, your petitioners herein, have affixed our signatures, at Nerstrand, Minnesota, this 29th. day of January 1913.

Ingebor Bonde  
Oscar Bonde  
Edward Wolf  
John S. Vesledal  
Ole T. Hougan  
Mary Hougan  
Austin J. Heggedalen  
Osten J. Heggedalen

William E. Roth  
Markus Simonson  
Henry Glor  
Henry Lips  
Emelia Lips  
Henry W. Wille  
Haagen Lysne.