Chapter 7: The Meadow View School District

The first school in the Perry Norwegian settlement appears to have been in what became the Meadow View School District. Organized in 1850, the 18' x 18' log school house, 34, was located on the Torger Skartum farm, 36, and, thus, was called the Skartum School. The teacher was Sarah Wildeman.

In addition to school, religious services were held at the building. So, it was natural that when someone in the neighborhood died, they were buried in the small, adjoining cemetery (35), which was, at that pre-Lee Valley Road time, also on Torger Skartum's farm. The names of three of the adults buried here are known, but the names of the 15 or 16 children buried here have been lost. Because there were no vaccinations and other health care in those days, many children died young. Markers were put up in 1987 when Stanley Kittleson, who grew up on farm 26, and Norman Jeglum, who grew up on farm 34 and worked farm 33 as an adult, thought it was important to commemorate this cemetery in some way. In 1930, the township was going to straighten the road past this burial site. Otto Jeglum of farm 36 learned about this and told them there was a cemetery there which they should not disturb. We have Otto to thank for the preservation of this site.

The second school, 32, in what became the Meadow View School District was built on a knoll about 200 yards south of Helge Jeglum's barn on farm 33, in about 1876. It was called the Jeglum School. Helge Jeglum was Torger Skartum's nephew and had come to America in 1859 with his widowed mother, Kari Helgesdtr Skartum, who was Torger's sister. This large, early arriving, family group which eventually operated farms 2, 17, 33 and 36 and the neighboring Ansteinson-Staulen-Kittlesons at 17, 23, 24, 26 and 28 are some of the best examples in the Perry Norwegian Settlement of the fact that American pioneer communities were built by families and long term friends in association, not by lone individuals or nuclear families immigrating and living alone -- as much of our frontier mythology tries to suggest.

This second school building wasn't very large and there were as many as 50 or 60 pupils attending at times. It had double seats and desks and often three would sit at each desk. Most families had many children - as many as five in some and 12 in others. So, it didn't take many families in the district to have this large enrollment.

Not all pupils finished eighth grade because some were needed at home to help with the farm work. They were taught the basics: reading, writing, and arithmetic. They also learned how to get along with each other. Conditions were crowded, but they learned to adjust. Much credit must go to the parents who taught them respect for other people and for others' property. Helge and Bergit Jeglum must have been very tolerant people to put up with all those children in their farmyard all those years.

The last classes in the Jeglum school were held in the spring of 1901. Alma Holsten taught there the last 4 years.

The third school (14), a brick building, was much larger than the two previous ones. It was located on the next adjoining farm north, the Andrew Jeglum farm, 17. Andrew was Helge's son. Sometime after the Jeglums left farm 17, the school was renamed Meadow View.

The first classes in this third school were held in the fall of 1906 with Anna Paulson as teacher. Stanley Kittleson recalls attending Meadow View School with his brothers and sister. It was a mile walk along the road, so most of the time the Kittleson and Kellesvig children, from farms 23, 26 and 28, would walk across the fields, to school right between the barn and house of the Jeglums at farm 17. They did this especially in winter, when they could ski down the hills. At noon and recesses the children would ride their sleds and play Pump, Pump, Pull Away and Fox and Geese. In spring and fall, baseball and Handy Over in which they threw a rubber ball over the schoolhouse roof and the children on the other side caught it.

There were about 40 pupils between the ages of 7 and 14 at Meadow View in the 1920s. There was no kindergarten at that time, so children were older when they started school. Some could not speak English when they started.

The children eagerly awaited "Play Day." It was usually held at the Daleyville or Forward schools as they were centrally located. All the schools in the area would get together and have games and races such as sack races, baseball, etc., with everyone trying to win for their school.

The last classes at Meadow View were held in the spring of 1961 with Margaret (Einsonson) Lee as teacher. It was later made into living quarters. Steven and Pat Jeglum live there now.
1. **Gabriel and Gunild (Torgersdtr) Bjornson**  
Via land patent in 1855. He was Chairman of Town of Perry in 1856, 1861-62 and wrote a history of the Town of Perry in the 1870s.

**Ole and Lukris (Sanderson) Paulson**  
Known as "Drammen Valley Farm." Ole was a Civil War Volunteer. They built the house in 1891 at a cost of $1,000. Prior to this they may have lived in a home located near the creek where this farm adjoins the Lindokken place (29 in The Sandy Rock School District). The 1873 Plat map identifies a homesite in this location and Ole and Lukris’ granddaughter, Grace, recalls a possible homesite located there.  
Herman, George, Carl, Samuel, Martin, Hanna, Henry, Otto, Elizabeth

**Martin and Susan (Engen) Paulson**  
Grace, Marshall, Hope (died at 11 yrs.), Henry, Orrin, Luther, Canton

**Canton and Elsa (Disch) Paulson**  
Donna, Calvin, Jeffery, Laurie

The Paulson Family era of 94 years ended with this sale.

**Stephen and Joyce (Wellington) Ashman**  
Known as "Flora-Fauna Farm." Originally from Madison and Grant Co., WI, they located here 1964.

2. **Erick and Ragnhild (Skartum) Goli**  
Known as "Crescent Dairy Farm." Lena of Bakken Hill.

**Edward and Lena (Hill) Goli**  
Known as "Crescent Dairy Farm." Lena of Bakken Hill.

With this sale, the 70 year Goli era on this farm ended.

**Morgan and Bertha (Vamstad) Berg**  
When Morgan and Bertha operated this place, it was next door to his parents farm, 5. The two interveing places, 3 and 4, are new.  
Blanche, Lillian, Byron, Marilyn

**Frank and Maria (Wahl) Strommen**  
Luther, LaVaughn, DeLyle

**Andrew and Elise (Lien) Lien**  
Inga, Marie, Ole, Olga, Alice, Gudrun and Gunvar (twins), Ardell, Ruth, Claire

**Melvin and Hazel (Paulson) Nelson**  
Marvel, Darlene, Karen, Otis, Linda, Lauretta

**Kyle and Dorothy (Elmquist) Venden**  
Marvin, Ronald, Lois

**Milford and Ione (Hendrickson) Retrum**  
Leone, Leatrice, Merton

**Vernus and Rachel (Mason) Lofgren**  
Lavern, Hope, Cheryl

**Amos and Ella (Wahl) Syse**  
Virginia

**Gerhard and Lee (Leona Salisbury) Engen**

**Christian and Maria (Pesch) Miess**  
Charles and Berthold (twins), Theodore, Joseph

**Chris Rindy**

**Ralph Yohe and Jay Harrison**

Property owned by Muhammad Gheet of Chicago

3. **Berthold and Joan (Hole) Miess**  
Established a homesite on a parcel of Bert’s parents’ farm, 2.  
Anne, Brian

**James and Glenda (Jackson) Gaberell**  
Timothy, Carrie, Matthew

**James and Carol (Gerke-Thorstad) Gaberell**  
Built a new home in the 1980s.  
Julie, Jackie, Scott, Tony, Dale (Thorstad)

4. **Patrick and Sharon Coenen**  
Built a new home on a parcel of farm 5 in 1992.  
Michelle, Justin

5. **F.E. (Frederick) and Margrethe Goli**  
Known as Ellerton. The farm was known as "Pleasant Hill Farm." The Goli’s first homesite was southeast of the house on farm 6. Local legend holds that there was suicide at that location.  
Kjistine

**Iver and Emma (Johnson) Berg**  
In 1916, they relocated the homesite east of the house on farm 6.  
Clara, Alma, Irene, Elida, Morgan, Isaac, Tena, Ruth, Morris
Gust and Irene (Berg) Haugland
   Elaine, Jerome, Dorothy, Glennis, Grace

Morris and Loretta (Bohn) Berg

Carl and Tena (Berg) Boley
   Dorothy

Morgan and Bertha (Vamstad) Berg
   Blanche, Lillian, Byron, Marilyn

Donald and Mary (Erickson) Berg
   Nathalie, Donna, Nolan

Martin and Blanche (Berg-Strassman) Hefty
   Duane (Strassman), Larry, Jeffrey, Mitchell (Hefty)

Royce and Jaunita (Logsdon) Gilberts
   Mark, Diane, Jerry

Alan Buchanan and Jackie Dunaway

6. Erick and Inger (Jacobson) Benson
   Henry, John, Edward, Sophia, Annie
   Sophia became a Sister-Deaconess at a hospital in Chicago, Illinois.

   John and Edward Benson
   Known as the "Benson Bros. Farm."
   With their departure the Benson era of 87 years on this farm ended.

   Earl and Grace (Johnson) Rud
   Marjorie, Dean, Gary

   Ingvald and Estella (Retrum) Nelson
   Irene, Knute, Herbert, Clifford, Gerald, Helen, Violet, Rolf, Doris

   Cecil and Betty (Huber) Jorenby
   Susan, Carlton

   Jessie and Winifred (Yelink) Gilberts
   Originally from Grant Co., WI and Rockford, IL, moved here c. 1960. The house burned down in 1990.
   Royce, Kay

7. Drammen Valley Cheese Factory
   Located on farm 2, it was also known as the Berg-Goli Factory

Known Cheesemakers:
   John Dahler
   John Meyer
   Clarence and Delores Jenni
   Alfred Keller
   Leinherr
   Flick

William Berger

Martin and Blanche (Berg-Strassman) Hefty
   Converted to a private residence. Blanche was a Meadow View School District native, having grown up on farm 5.
   Duane (Strassman), Larry, Jeffery, Mitchell (Hefty)

Leo and Jean (Jeanette Williams) Weier
   Raymond, Gary

8. Haldor and Marit (Venden) Brusveen
   Berndt and Benhard (twins), Hans, Olga, Doell

The Haldor Brusveen family

Benhard and Gurina (Gordon) Brusveen
   Bernice, Helen, Halvor

Doell and Mabel (Helmet) Brusveen
   Helmer, Arlene

William and Kate (Wolford) Walrack
   Kate was the leader of the Meadow View community Kitchen Band.

David and Julie (Walrack) Harris
   Lucy, Roman, Aaron, Rachel
Clarence and Judy (Lake) Westphal
Donald, Barbara, Kenneth

Robert and Catherine (Gimse) Owens
Lawrence, Shawn

Most of the out buildings have been razed.

9. Knute and Carrie (Lindokken) Venden
Melvin, Gurina, Gunild

Melvin and Gunild (Gordon) Venden
Kyle, Morris, Verna

Melvin and Lulu (Jacobson) Venden
Son - died as an infant, Evelyn and Otis (Jacobson)

Kyle and Dorothy (Elmquist) Venden
Ronald, Marvin, Lois

Robert and Kristine Schaefer
Jeremy, Jacob, Benjamin

House was razed.

William and Terri (Ernst) Nipple
Built a new home.
Janet, Wendy, Lori, Kathy

10. York Memorial Church and Cemetery
See Chapter 13.

11. Syver and Ellen (Hanson) Syverson
Known as Syverson-Fletre Severson
Minnie, Josephine, Dora, Ida, William, Benjamin, Gilman

Benjamin and William and Carl Milestone and Elmer Flisram (both from farm 19) combined their musical talents and made recordings. In order to obtain the desired effects of the recording, the recording was made in the cistern on the Syverson farm.

Benjamin Syverson and William and Alma (Jenson) Syverson

Gerhard and Lee (Leona Salisbury) Engen

Morris and Evelyn (Freeman) Venden
Morris was a native of this school district, having been born and raised on farm 9 which adjoins the back of this one.
Marshall, Merlin

Tillman and Helen (Flint) Gilbertson
They also farmed next door at 12.
Hazel, Virginia

Wanda Baker
Has a dairy goat operation.
Leroy, Larry, Lonnie, Lori

12. Knute and Mary (Iverson) Berg
Knute died in a sand pit cave-in on this farm.

Edwin and Anna (Brager) Swenson
Ludvig, Selma, Mabel, Milo, Edna

Milo and Mae (Walrack) Swenson
Anna, Edna

Robert and Lorraine (Hastrich) Cleary
Robert, Maureen, Cathy

James and Alvina (Grandberg) McKeon
James Jr., Joseph, Marilyn, Carolyn

Tilman and Helen (Flint) Gilbertson
They also farmed next door at 11.
Hazel, Virginia

Andrew and Robin Balch

13. Kenneth and Louise (Widner) Folkedahl
Built a new home on a parcel of their old farm, 31.

14. Meadow View School
Third school to serve the district. Located on farm 17. Operated from 1906-1961, after which it was converted to a private residence.

James and Alvina (Grandberg) McKeon
James Jr., Joseph, Marilyn, Carolyn

Michael and Barbara (Westphal) Jeglum
Jonathon, Carmen, Rebecca, Devin

Steven and Patricia (Foster) Jeglum

15. Hans P. and Hjertine (Barsta) Hegdahl
Known as Hans Pederson, he located here in 1852--living first in an earthen home.
Staale, Mary, Ingaborg, Hannah, Henry, Lena, Anna

Henry Hegdahl
Known as "Birch Point Farm"

Olaus and Andrena (Christopherson) Knudtson
Caroline (Foster child)

Albie and Beatrice (Williams) Swenson
Linda, Kristine, Dwight, Ann-Louise, Laura, Stewart
Stewart has the Swenson Dairy Service in Blanchardville, Wisconsin.

Milton and Kate (Kammerud) Hendrickson
James, Virginia, Donald, Andy, Mildred and Milton (twins), Betty, Donna, Judy

Truman and Elsie (Hoel) Kittleson of Ansteinson-Staulen-Kittleson.
He was a native of the Meadow View District, having
been raised at farm 26. Truman and Elsie also lived at farm 30.

Knute, Robert

David and Debbie (Klar) Hefty
Jonathon, Matthew

Wanda Baker
Had her dairy goat operation here, she relocated to farm 11 after the barn at this farm was destroyed in a fire.

Leroy, Larry, Lonnie, Lori

Duane and Roberta Fjelstad
Tonya, Michael, Edward, Duanna, Jennifer

16. Theodore and Hannah (Landmark) Johnson
Parcel of the original farm 15.

Alvie, Tilmer

Albert and Nellie (Wallace) Schindler
Earl, Ethel, Nellie, Florence, Agnes, Katie, Lela, Esther, Irene, Sadie, Bonnie, Arthur, Bert, Clifford

Ben and Lela (Severson) Hanson
Kenneth, Fola

Harvey and Melba (Nelson) Milestone
Harvey is a native of this district, from farm 19.

Richard, Arlan

Clayton and Dorothy (Connelly) Milestone
Clayton was Harvey’s brother.

Gene, Danny, Allen, Gary, Bruce, Linda, Judy, Nancy

Christian and Maria (Pesch) Miess
They later lived at farm 2.

Charles and Berthold (twins), Theodore, Joseph

Richard Sklar

Karen Wright and Bruce Banerdt
Dairy goat operation.

17. Juul and Ingaborg (Kittleson) Knudtson
Known as Hovrud-Knudtson. Ingaborg of Ansteinson-Stauen-Kittleson. She was a native of the Meadow View School District, having been born and raised on farm 24.

Kjersti, Maria, Carolina
Arrowheads and other Indian relics were common finds by early residents of this farm.

Juul and Tonetta (Evanson) Knudtson
Went to Iowa.

(Torger) Andrew and Hilda (Johnson) Jeglum
Bernice, Sylvester, Andrew Jr.

Sanford and Ruth (Jordee) Syse
LaVaughn, Roland (Toad), Joan, Sanford Jr., Vera Lou

Byron and Dora (Brusven) Kittleson
Of Ansteinson-Stauen-Kittleson
He is a native of the Meadow View School District, having grown up on farm 26. Byron and Dora also lived for a while at 25 in this school district.

Sonja, Paul

Milton and Emma (Anderson-Brinager) Disrud
Malcolm, Robert, Grace, Darlene

Otis and Kathleen (Walrack) Ayen
Richard, Mary, Donald, Susan, Catherine, Barbara

Albie and Beatrice (Williams) Swenson
Linda, Kristine, Dwight, Ann Louise, Laura, Stewart

Stewart has the Swenson Dairy Service in Blanchardville, WI.

Steven and Patricia (Foster) Jeglum
Michael, Robin, Dawn, Nicole

Michael and Barbara (Westphal) Jeglum
Jonathon, Carmen, Rebecca, Devin

18. Flisram Cheese Factory
Located on the corner of S.H. 78 and CT H on the north side of the stream on the Flisrams’ farm, 19.

Known Cheesemakers:

John Blummer
Peter Meyer

Factory was razed.

19. Evan and Anna Flisram
Elmer, Eva, Lawrence

Carl and Lena (Anderson) Milestone
Lena of Anmarkrud-Anderson
Junice, Curtis, Harvey, Glen, Clayton

Harvey and Lydia (Doescher) Milestone

Clayton and Dorothy (Connelly) Milestone
Gene, Danny, Allen, Gary, Bruce, Linda, Judy, Nancy

Norbert and Florence (Milestone) Day
James, Noreen, Cathy

Albe and Mary (Walters) Gilbertson
Donna, Virginia

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Matt (V.W.) and Gladys Matthias Family

Joseph and Karen (Von-Allmen) Hoff
20. Thomas and Cindy Holzkopf
Built a new home on a parcel of farm 19
Caelin

The Rundhaug homestead in 1914. The log cabin on the left was Ole and Marit’s home. On the right, Sever and Hannah’s with their son Orville on the porch.

21. Ole and Marit (Johnson) Rundhaug
Known as Syverson. Rundhaug translated means "Round Hill". Marit of Ulness Johnson.
Anton, Sever, Julia
Anton, a barber in Daleville, was a violinist. He performed concerts on the Hardanger (8 string) violin.

The Sever Rundhaug family in 1915. Back row: (Lto R) Selma, Hazel, and Emma. Front: Mabel, Sever, Orville, and Hannah

Orville and Agnes (Brynjulfson) Rundhaug
Orville, like his father and uncle is also a musician.
He plays the violin in local area bands.

Housewarming at new Sever Rundhaug home

Sever and Hannah (Milestone) Rundhaug
Sever was a musician and leader of the Perry Union Band.
Mabel, Emma, Selma, Hazel, Orville, Marvel

Wedding portrait of Orville and Agnes Rundhaug, February 13, 1935
With this sale, the 134 year Rundhaug era on this farm ended.

David May and Ann Windsor
22. Erick and Sigri (Hendrickson) Helland
Known as Mikkelson. Sigri of Hendrickson-Flaten. Erick lived in a "dug-out" home prior to building a log cabin.

Mikkel, Edward, Anton, Julia, Henry, Anne, George

Henry and Sina (Sherven) Helland
This sale marked the end of the 60 year Helland era on this farm.

Henry and Marit (Breiseth) Grundahl
Henry and Marit moved here from Argyle after Milo was born.

Amos, Clarence, Milo and Mabel (twins), Helga, Ruth, Charlotte, Henry

Kittle and Dorthea Kittleson’s home

Kittle and Dorothea (Evanson) Kittleson
Melvin, Mollie, Inanda, Henry, Clara, Theolina, Hilda, Inga, Annie, Theodore, Nora

Kittleson farmstead c. 1894

Theodore and Alma (Brager) Kittleson
Arthur

Theodore and Myrtle (Friscke) Kittleson
Dorothy, Gaylord, Kathleen, Theresa, Gloria

The Ansteinson-Staulen-Kittleson era of 95 years on this farm ended with this sale.

Gilman and Ruth Marie (Norland) Goldben
Ronald, Marlene, Earl, Darvin, Nancy, Gerald, Dale

Ole and Torbjor (Burgeson-Spingen) Kittleson
Ole was a Civil War Volunteer. He also drove the team that hauled the first load of dirt for the first railroad in Dane County. The frame house, a basement barn and granary were built before 1881.

Mary, Karine, Anna, Carl, Henry, Edith, Thea, Emma
Family moved to Iowa in 1889.
Lars and Rosalie (Schmidt) Helgeland
Richard, Rodney

James and Norma (Moen) McKeon Jr.
Michael, Lisa, Brian, Timothy
Brian plays professional baseball.

Mark and Debra Percy Family

Donald and Deborah (Hosely) Mueller
Fritz, Dax

24. Kittle and Margit (Torsdtr-Lee) Ansteinson
Known as Staulen-Kittleson.
Family came to America in 1852. Their first home was a "roofed over haystack". Their second home on this farm, until 1890, was a cabin.
Ole, Ingaborg (died), Thor, Ingaborg, Kittle
In 1890, the cabin, wholly intact, was moved via "horse power" to the Bondelien (Embirck Knudtson) and Gladem farm (1 in the Forward School District) and this farm was combined with 23.
The present day Kittleson Road, remembered by locals as Kittleson Valley, is named for the Ansteinson-Staulen-Kittleson Family.

25. Indian Hill Cheese Factory
Built in 1882 on the Ansteinson-Staulen-Kittleson farm (23 and 24). Named because of numerous Indian relics found in the area by early settlers.
Known Cheesemakers:
Jack Wittwer
John and Anna Buether
Tony, Johnny, Walter, Sonja
Alfred and Gertrude Bahler
Mary, Freddie, Robert, Eddie, Doris, Janette
Walter Gruendfelder
Converted to a private residence.

Byron and Dora (Brusveen) Kittleson of Ansteinson-Staulen-Kittleson

He is a native of the Meadow View School District, having grown up next door at 26. Byron and Dora also lived for a while at 17. He always brought his milk here, even after he moved to 30 in the Tyvand School District.

Sonja, Paul

The Thor and Aaste Kittleson family about 1893. Standing: (L to R) Kittle, Caroline (Calla), Marie (Malla), Knudt. Seated: Willie, Thor, Jake, Aaste, Ole.

26. Thor and Aaste (Hovrud) Kittleson of Ansteinson-Staulen-Kittleson
Kittle, Knudt, Marie, Caroline, Ole, Albert, Jacob, William
Sons, Knudt and Ole, changed their name from Kittleson to Stolen. Ole became an attorney and Judge of Superior Court in Dane County. He is sometimes remembered for activity related to the highly publicized and controversial Annie Lemberger death in 1911. This story is detailed in Mark Lemberger's 1993 Crime of MAGNITUDE.

Kittleson homestead c. 1897. (L to R) Thor, William, and Aaste.
Thor Kittleson family reunion c. 1911

William and Stella (Helland) Kittleson
Known as "Ridge Field Stock Farm"
Truman, Stanley, Lillian, Byron, Everett


Everett and Mabel (Hefty) Kittleson
Ronald, Roger, Elizabeth

Roger and Michelle (Skaife) Kittleson
Dawn, Darren, Christian

27. Stella (Helland) Kittleson
Widow of William Kittleson, she built a second home on their old farm, 26.

28. Knudt and Lena (Kelleminger) Stolen of Anstcinson-Staulen-Kittleson
Knut was a native of the district, having been born and raised next door at 26. As noted in that entry, he changed his name to Stolen. This farm was known as "City View Farm".
Alvin, Ernest, Amos, Kermit, Willard, Luther

Olaus and Julia (Gladem) Kellemiger
Leota, William, Marion, Orville, Ardis, Orpha, Inez

Orville and Doris (Eikorst) Kellemiger
Marie, Donald

Donald and Susan (Walser) Kellemiger
Julie

Donald and Ruth (Wilson) Kellemiger
Katie, Daniel

29. Bernt and Mathea (Braen) Lund
Known as B. Ivarson
Peter, Ever, Nicholai, John, Ben, Andrew, Inger, Ella, Dena, Theodore


Gabriel and Inger (Lund) Disrud
Oscar, Mabel, Selma, Milton

David and Ella (Lund) Lanning
Simultaneously with the Gabriel Disruds, the Lannings lived in a small cabin on this farm.
Bernice

Oscar and Inga (Kittleson) Disrud
Inga of Anstcinson-Staulen-Kittleson. She was a native of the Meadow View School District, having been raised on farm 23. Her sister, Clara, also remained in the district, living next door at farm 30.
Arlene, Alta, Inez, Carol, Isabelle

The 70 year Lund era on this farm ended with Oscar and Inga.

Warren and Winona (Theobald) Thomas
Charles, Ethel Ann

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fishing and trapping along "Kittleson Creek" were among his favorite sports.
   Dena (Louise's daughter)

Robert and Carol Sakowski
   Had a horseshoeing business.

Maranger Family

Martin and Susan Klien-Kennedy
   Interested in native plant life.
   Mollie, Casey

Steven and Marianne Schlomann

Roy Blair and Susi Nehls
   Susi, a science editor, is the daughter of the late
   Joseph Hickey, Professor emeritus of the University
   of Wisconsin, an internationally acclaimed ecologist
   and one of the founders of the national Nature
   Conservancy.

Daniel and Jenny (Bilsie) Hefty
   Wendy, Kyle

32. Jeglum School
   Second school to serve the district. Located on
   Helge T. Jeglum farm (33). It operated from 1876-
   1901.

Known Teachers:
   Hilda Lee
   Thea Goli
   Ed Gonstad
   Sam Paulson (He was a native of the
   Meadow View School District, having grown
   up on Drammen Valley Farm, 1)
   Martin Paulson (Just as his brother Sam, he
   too was a native of this school district)

This school was razed.

33. Helge T. and Bergit (Ellingson) Jeglum
   Known as Toreson, Geilo and Thoreson. Helge
   came to America in 1859 with his widowed mother,
   Kari Helgesdtr Skartum, and his brothers, Kitil, Ola,
   and Ola-Ole.
   Ragnild, Carl, (Torger) Andrew, Anne,
   Edward, Gunild, Ella, Rosella, Carina, Benhard
Edward and Marie Jeglum’s wedding picture, April 3, 1906

Edward and Marie (Anderson-Brinager) Jeglum
Hazel, Myron, Norman and Norma (twins)

Norman and Victoria (Peterson) Jeglum
David, Karen

Norman and Victoria Jeglum, 1939

The 114 year Jeglum era on this farm ended with Norman and Victoria.

Walter and Mary (Laird) Hamady
Laura, Micah and Samantha (twins)

Walter and Anna (Krohn) Hamady

34. Skartum School
First school in the area located on the Torger Skartum farm, 36. Used as a church. Operated from about 1850 until 1876. Building was blown down in a windstorm in 1883.

Known teacher was Ole T. Jeglum (Ola-Ole Toreson, son of Kari Helgesdtr Skartum and nephew of Torger Skartum).

35. Early Burial Site
Used from about 1850 until 1860. Located on the Torger Skartum Farm, 36. Marked by crosses on the trees and a plaque identifying some of the names of those laid to rest in this hallowed ground. Known names are Severson, Goli, Kellesvig, Kittleson and three Remberg children.

Location identified and recorded with the Burial Sites Commission of the State Historical Society of
Wisconsin by Stanley Kittleson.

36. Torger Helgeson Skartum
Possibly a single man - family unknown. Torger’s known siblings were Aagot, Turi, Lars, Ole, Ole, Kittle, Sten (grandfather of Kristine Goli) and Kari (mother of Helge T., Kiti, Ola, Ola-Ole).

Kari Helgesdtr Skartum
Known as C. (Carrie) Helgeson on Land Plat of 1873. Widow of Thore Geilo. Came to America in 1859 with four sons: Helge, Kitil, Ola, and Ola-Ole Toreson-Thoreson-Jeglum.

Kitil T. and Guri (Torsdatter-Thompson) Jeglum
Known as K.T. Toreson, Thoreson. Guri of the Troo-llo Thompson. Kitil was a Civil War Volunteer Thore, Carl, Thea, Olaus, Helena, Juliana, Otto, Clara, Selma, Alma

Kermit
Kermit and Sylvia (Schneider) Jeglum
Herman, Steven, Judy

Kermit and Myrtle (Moen) Jeglum
The 131 year Skartum/Jeglum era on this farm ended with Kermit and Myrtle.

Brian and Cathy (Parkinson) Peterson
Peter

Kevin and Renee Honecker

York Prairie Cheese Factory in 1936

37. York Prairie Cheese Factory
Known as the Jeglum Cheese Factory.

Known Cheesemakers:

John Stucki (1887-88)
Holdiman (1889)
Rothlesberger (1890)
Fred Hoesly
John Hillbrand
Jacob Schenk
Albert Matti
Henry Huber
Emma
Simon Furrer
Aldolph Zimmerman
John Herman
Paul and Hattie Haag
Gladys, Eugene

Converted to a private residence

Thomas and Lynn (Tesch) Dobson Family

38. Nels and Isabelle Nessa
Isabel, Malina, Nels, Olina, Martha, Anna

Nels and Martha (Swiggum) Nessa
Nora
Benhard and Helga (Anderson-Brinager) Jeglum
  Curtis, Ethel, Avis, Beatrice, James, Enos, Grace, Howard, Lois, Gene

Edward and Marie (Anderson-Brinager) Jeglum
  Hazel, Myron, Norman and Norma (twins)

Enos and Doris (Hustad) Jeglum
  Enos was Chairman of the Town of Perry 1974-1977.
  James, Marilyn, Brian

Howard and Alice (Ichie) Jeglum
  Larry, Dale, Bradley, Susan

Ralph and Linda (Knudtson) Ovadal
  Greg, Janet, Joy, Thomas

Richard and Terri Rindy Family

39. Edward and Elizabeth Burreson
Known as Bierrson, Borreson, Burrisson
  Olaus, John, Berndt, Carl, Susanna, Johan, Barbara, Annie, Christine

Burreson Bros. - Olaus, John, Berndt

Maurice and Marjorie (Alfred) Cleary
  Patricia, Dennis, Terrance, Marjorie, James

Everett and Josine (Moberly) Knudtson
  Everett was leader of the "Farm Hands" band.
  Stanlee, Diana

Stanlee and Marilyn (Johnson) Knudtson
  Bonnie, Denise, Kevin, Shannon, Stacy

40. Sever and Ragnhild (Albertson) Johnson
  Hans, Lulu, Alvin, Hilda, Daisy

Sever and Andrina (Petersen) Johnson
  Knudt, Burlie, Amos, Lloyd, Ernest, Robert

Sever and Emma (Hustad-Offerdalh) Johnson

Knudt and Esther (Hefty) Johnson

Burlie and Madeline (Draeger) Johnson
  Karen, Donald, Carol

Lloyd and Leona (Paulson) Johnson
  Alton, Sylvan, Larry, Audrey, Dale

Frank and Lila (Olson) Dearth
  Ryan, Marvin, Johathan, Chris

Ralph and Margy (Armstrong-Krebs) Harris
  Marshall, Lonnie (Krebs), Jason

Paul and Shannon (Dahlberg) Ovadal
  Michael, Timothy, Samantha

41. Lena Waage
  Remembered by some as a mid-wife in the community.
  Caroline, Andrew, Jane, Clarence, Samuel, Mildred, Selma
  Homesite orginally located back upon the hill.
  House was relocated on the farm next to S.H. 39.

Robert and Mary (Brager) Johnson
  Philip, Virginia, Christine
  Barn is a former University of Wisconsin barn. It was dismantled and relocated here.

Roy and Caroline (McKeon) Ruegsegger
  Todd, Terri, Tammy, Travis, Troy

Jerry and Betty (Wire) Parkinson Family

Claude and Linda (Long) Weber
  Chad, Denise

42. Old York Church
  The church has been razed, only the cemetery remains. See Chapter 13.

43. Andrew and Serena (Bergland) Johnson
  Amanda, Palmer, Stella, Chester, Lester, Alta, Clifford, Laverna, Arlene

Martin and Marie (Gjulem) Finhart
  Arne, Ragna

Daniel and Thea (Runden) Johnson
  Delores, Ruth, Carlton, Dwayne, Ruby

Clara (Dammen) Gilbertson
  Widow of Tyler Gilbertson
  Hartford, Bonnie, Clarinda, Marvin, Tilman, Janet, Alve, Lela, Delores, Orville, Henry

Alvin and Helen (Aslakson) Phillips
  Marilyn, Linda, Janet

Robert and Barbara (Johnson) Kittleson
  Shelley, Steven
  Later occupants unknown.

44. Henry and Ellen (Rundhaug) Benson
  Henry was a Meadow View School District native, having grown on farm 6.
  Ruth, Ida, Esther, Sever, Lloyd, Edna

Sever and Agnes (Moen) Benson
  David, Carol
Peter and Hilary Wood
Peter and Hilary came from England. They run a large sheep operation.
  Christopher, Joel, Cirita, Heidi

45. Andrew and Inger (Bergi) Nyhus
    Arthur, Albert, Julia, Oscar, Amelia, Martha

Albert Nyhus

Andrew and Martha (Magnuson) Kolstad
    Dorothy

Riley and Orpha (Hanson) Walrack
    Jean, Julie

Carl and Laura (Dimler) Pederson
Carl's life long dream of woodworking became a reality at the age of 72. Much of his work was done on his home-built equipment. Building grandmother clocks was his favorite. His works are found in homes locally, nationally, and internationally.

Chris Rindy
As these interiors show, the insides of these farm houses were really quite cozy. These were taken at Burt and Thelma McKenzie's farm, 13, when Knut and Birgit Thompson lived there.