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BIOGRAPHY

Born in Bohemia. Employed as bookkeeper at Adams Farm (Fairview Farm), married Rosa Hofner 1905 and moved to Fargo. Worked as grain buyer, bank employee at Mooreton State Bank, and various laborer jobs in later life. Died in Fargo.

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