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BIOGRAPHY

Born at Norman County, Minn. Wed Clara Gilbertson in 1908. Worked as foreman at Robineau Farms, Kelso, N.D., Clark Dalrymple and A.R. Dalrymple farms. Began farming for himself in 1927, moved to Halstad, Minn. in 1934.
SCOPE AND CONTENT

Letters, typed summary of interview (13 leaves) with Leonard Sackett concerning his years as foreman on the Clark Dalrymple and A.R. Dalrymple farms, and obituaries. Interview includes mention of runaway horse teams, including one of his own, A.R. Dalrymple's deliberate blinding of horses, hired men drinking, raising hogs on Clark Dalrymple Farm, details of farm operations and management on the Clark and A.R. Dalrymple farms, wheat rust, wet years and small crops, dissolving of the A.R. Dalrymple Farm, cutting grain with horses and tractors.

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