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Julius Kindler was born in Baden, Germany, March 12, 1848. He received common and military schooling in Germany and came to America in 1866. Settled in St. Cloud and learned harness and leather trade from Peter Hansen. Mr. Hansen was a veteran harness maker of United States Government service during the Civil War.

In 1869 he married Katherine Rausch of St. Martin. They were married at St. Martin. Miss Rausch was a native of Germany also, and came to America when she was four years old. The same year Mr. Kindler established a business of his own on the same site where the present one stands. He operated this business successfully and erected the present building in 1886 and managed the establishment until his death in 1899.

To this union there was born three sons, John, Joeseeph and Charles. John and Joseph succeeded their father until Joeseeph's death in 1911, then John operated the business and employed Charles as an apprentice.

Interviewed: John Kindler
Date: May 6, 1936
By: Dean Nelson

FROM THE RECORDS IN THE STEARNS COUNTY COURT HOUSE
FOR THE JULIUS KINDLER BIOGRAPHY

MARRIAGE RECORD BOOK D. PAGE 294

Julius Kindler and Catherine Rausch

Married at St. Martin, October 6, 1872

By: Rev. Joseph M. Vell O. S. B.

Witnesses: Jacob Rader and Mary Rausch

DEATH RECORD BOOK 1899 A 9 PAGE 169 LINE 1

Julius Kindler Died October 5, 1899

Age 51 years

Son of Julius and Mary Kindler of Germany

KINDLER, JULIUS

Second interview to affirm or correct information in biography as compared to information as listed in the legal records in the Stearns County Court House.

CORRECTION:

The marriage of Julius Kindler and Katherine Rausch on October 6, 1872 is correct as stated in the legal records.

Reinterviewed: John Kindler
Date: November 4, 1937
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