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Cemeteries

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[Cemetery List "People Legacy"](#) ~ [Minnesota Gravestones](#)

First Mennonite Cemetery in Watonwan County: [Interment.net](#)

[Watonwan Cemeteries "LDS Genealogy"](#)

[Riverside Cemetery, Madelia, Watonwan Co., MN](#)

[Genealogy Trails: Cemetery Listing with GPS](#)



Military Records & Resources

"What's New"

[Civil War Veteran Burial Listings](#)

Vol X

Sherman Lee Pompey

Covering Men In Regiments From Minnesota

FS Wiki:

[Minnesota in the Civil War](#)

[Another MN Site with War Data](#) "Genealogy Village"

[Minnesota Historical Society](#) ~ [Fort Snelling](#)

[Minnesota Civil War Units](#) ~ [Battlefield Maps](#)

[Civil War Burials - National Search Engine](#) ~ [Civil War Veteran Burials](#)

[Compiled Service Records: Union Soldiers](#)

Minnesota and 'The Wars'

[Colonial Wars](#) ~ [Dakota War of 1862](#) ~ [150 Years Later](#)

[1862 Indian War Claims](#) ~ [Civil & Indian Wars: 1861-1865](#)

[Spanish American War & Philippine Insurrection](#)

[G A R Membership Records](#)

Modern Wars, [WW I](#), [WW II](#), Korea [[Ralph Carlson](#)]

[WW II Honor List of Dead or Missing](#)

[WWII Honor Roll: "In The World War" 1917 ~ 1918 ~ 1919](#) [FS Book]

[Union Soldiers - Burial Locations](#)

[Union Soldiers Buried at Andersonville, 1866](#)

Here is the list for [Minnesota, Missouri, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin](#)

[Here is the List for Army Burials](#) ~ [Here is the List for Navy Burials](#)

[Minnesota, Veterans Grave Registration Reports, 1930-1975](#)

U.S. Army Generals' reports of Civil War service, 1864 - 1887 [Union Army]
Family Search, Catalog: These records are really interesting, [Please use this Link](#)

FS has Prison Burial Records and Burials in National Cemeteries in their Catalog
[Homes for Disabled Veterans: 1866-1938: Searchable Database on FS](#)

["Soldiers of the Great War" \[MN\]](#)

[Military Headstone Applications: FS](#)

[1890 Veteran's Schedule: FS Searchable Database](#)

Military Medical Records: National Archives

[Records of the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery](#)

Search: [DAR](#) ~ [GAR](#) ~ [SAR](#)



Native Americans in Watonwan County

There are 11 federally recognized American Indian Tribes in Minnesota
[A search on Archive.org site using "Indians in Minnesota" gives this result.](#)
["How to trace Native American Ancestry"](#)

[Repatriation Database: Minnesota](#)



"Crime & Punishment"

[Minnesota Public Criminal History ~ Search](#)

Prison Records: Family Search Films - [Please use this link for a Chart with film Numbers](#)
and...

Prison Records can be found in the FS Catalog, but they take a bit of tweaking to find them.

[Please use this link for Prison Records that can be found on Family Search:](#) Google Drive
Link with Folders

The links include Film Numbers Listed Below

LDS Films: 956170 Records of Yuma territorial prison, 1884-1910 [\[Search\]](#)
and

978903: [San Quentin Records](#)

[Records of the Dead in Federal Prisons - Index](#)
[978907: Folsom Prison](#)

[Family Search: Prison Record Databases:](#) Chart with Database Names and Dates

["Professional Criminals of America"](#)

By

Thomas Byrnes

Inspector of Police and Chief of Detectives: New York City

Cassell & Company, Limited

739 & 741 Broadway, New York

Copyright, 1886 By Thomas Brynes

[The Addenda and Index begin on Page 412](#)

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Odds & Ends

Book Assortment: Biography ~ Crime ~ Medical ~ Who's Who

There are download links for Archive.org & Google E Book Items

What's New - Minnesota Books

Indexes for Minnesota Books Listed Below: [Google Drive](#)

All of the Books below may be found either in the FS Catalog, Archive. org Site or Google Books ~ They are fully searchable pdf files.

"Illustrated Album of Biography
of

Southwestern Minnesota..."

Chicago:

Occidental Publishing Company: 1889

"Men of Minnesota

A Collection of the portraits of men prominent in business..."

Published By

The Minnesota Historical Company

215 Nat. Ger. Am. Bank Bldg: 1902

"Memorial Record
Of
Southwestern Minnesota, Illustrated"
Chicago, The Lewis Publishing Company: 1897

"Minnesota and Its People"
Illustrated: Vol's III & IV
Chicago: The S J Clarke Publishing company: 1924

"The United States
Biographical Dictionary
and
Portrait Gallery
of
Eminent and Self-Made Men"
Minnesota Volume
New York and Chicago
American Biographical Publishing Company: 1879

"Who's Who in Minnesota"
Centennial Edition: 1858 - 1958
Hugh L White, Publisher ~ Bernice White, Editor ~ Avis Person, Assoc. Editor

"Who's Who
Among
Minnesota Women..."
Compiled and Published
By
Mary Dillon Foster: 1914

"The Physicians and Surgeons of the United States"
Edited By:
William B Atkinson, M D: Author of "Hints in the Obstetric Procedure," etc...
Philadelphia: Charles Robson, 1878
There are three Indexes, "Alpha", "Local" & "Analytical" The two most useful are Alpha and
Local

[The Indexes are Here](#)
[The Book can be read online or downloaded.](#)

"Woman's Who's Who of America"
A Biographical Dictionary of Contemporary Women of the United States and Canada
1914-1915: John William Leonard, Editor-in-Chief
New York: The American Commonwealth Company
There is no Alpha Index, instead the Authors saw fit to make one that is titled: "Her Married
Name".

There is an Addenda - Corrections set of pages.
The Bios are listed Alphabetically.
The Addenda and 'Married Name'
[The book can be read online or downloaded](#)

"Men of America"
A Biographical Dictionary of Contemporaries
Edited By: John W Leonard
L R Hamersly & Company
One West Thirty Fourth Street, New York city: 1908
There is no TOC or Index ~ Entries are Alphabetical :
[Google Books: Read Online or Download](#)

"Men and Women of America"
A Biographical Dictionary of Contemporaries
L R Hamersly & Company
One West Thirty Fourth Street, New York city: 1910
Copyright 1909 By

L R Hamersly & Company, New York
There is no TOC or Index ~ Entries are Alphabetical
[Read Online or Download](#)

"The American Bar"
The Professional Directory of
Lawyers of the World
Sarah Livermore: Editor
Sixty-Second Annual Edition: 1980
Published by:
Reginald Bishop Forster & Associates, Inc
Minneapolis, Minnesota
[Please use this link for Index and Split Sections](#)

>>>New<<<
A new Archive Service: Archive-It
Here is a new way to search MN Digital Newspapers
[Please use this Link](#)

The Funeral Cards are included here because there is a wide variety of locations for folks
Funeral Cards, 1987-1989

Authors:
Mankato Mortuary [Mankato, Minnesota]
Film # 1651939
Microfilm of original records.

The funeral cards are divided into three alphabets, one for each year 1987-1989. The information on the cards are not always complete but could give: the name and address of the deceased and the informant, birthdate and place of deceased, death date and place, where buried, length of residence in community and prior residence, parents' names and birthplace, spouse's name and marriage date, occupation, church membership, survivors' names, funeral costs, and other information.

Image Ranges: 1987: 4 - 141 ~ 1988: 142-410 ~ 1989: 411-644

[Swedish Genealogy](#)

Did any of your Family go to Colorado?
Here is info on Colorado Divorces: State Wide
Filmed Records: Family Search ~ [Please use this Link](#)
1900 > 1939 & 1975 > 1992
Information Entered:
CO County of Divorce ~ Date & Place of Marriage
Number and Names of Minor Children, if any
Maiden Name Restored ~ Date of Decree



The File below is for Brown County, but there might be Watonwan Folks Registered...

Poor Farm Register, Brown County, 1901-1937
FS Catalog, Film # 175086, Item 2, Img Range: 391-466
There is No Index Register Headings: Top Left Side of Register
Cause of Application / Sick or Well / If Sent away, to what place / Date of Death / Where Buried / Clothing Account [Months]
Top Right Side of Register
Date of Application / Name of Poor Person / From com's Dist No / Nationality / Married or Single / Widow or Widower / Age
Where Born / How Long Resident in: State County, Town, Village / Occupation
Image 396 Begins: Jan 1904

["Reclaim the Records"](#)
The above site uses the 'Freedom of Information'
act to initiate access to records.

"Minnesota Only" Family Search Collections

[Minnesota, Brown County, Obituaries, 1855-1990](#) [Minnesota, Cottonwood County, Obituaries, 1850-1990](#) [Minnesota, Obituaries 1865-2006](#) [Minnesota Naturalization Card Index, 1930-1988](#) [Minnesota Naturalization Records and Indexes, 1872-1962](#) [Minnesota Passenger and Crew Lists, 1912-1956](#)
[Minnesota Will Records, 1849-1985](#) [Minnesota, Church Records, 1798-1991](#) [Minnesota, Grand Army of the Republic Membership Records, 1869-1940](#) [Minnesota, Military Discharge Records, ca.1917 - ca.1990](#)
[Minnesota, Veterans Grave Registration Reports, 1930-1975](#) [Minnesota, World War I Records, 1918-1941](#) [Minnesota, World War II Draft Registration Cards, 1940-1947](#)

[Minnesota State Census Records](#)

State Records for 1865 ~ 1875 ~ 1885 ~ 1895 ~ 1905

Minnesota Territorial Census: 1857

and lastly...

[Minnesota Historical Society: Vital Records](#)



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