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FISCHER, ANTON

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Anton Fischer was born December 23, 1862, on his father's farm four miles west of St. Cloud, Minnesota. The parents of Anton being John and Magdelene(Tramp) Fischer. John Fischer was born in Germany, and Magdelene Tramp was born in Switzerland. In 1867 the parents moved to a farm four miles south of St. Cloud, here Anton received his education at the district school near the present Hess Brick Yard. Upon his completion of the fourth reader Anton left school to help his parents on their farm.

At the age of sixteen Anton came to St. Cloud, here he found employment as a carpenter working for Andrew Fritz. Anton followed the carpenter trade until 1884, when he accepted a position as quarry boss working for Robert Graham, Joseph Lauer, and Barney Kaeter. This position was held by Anton until 1902 when he decided to return to his farm south of St. Cloud which he successfully farmed until his death January 30, 1934.

Anton Fischer was married to Catherine Bruns daughter of Henry and Martha (Eliers) Bruns at St. Augusta November 10, 1890. To this union were born seven children: Henry, William, Rudolph, Gustine, Victoria, Martha and Mary.

Henry was killed in France in 1918. William lives in St. Cloud, he is a carpenter. Rudolph died in 1924. Gustine lives with her mother. Victoria is the wife of Albert Schmitt of St. Cloud. Martha now makes her home in St. Paul, Minnesota. Mary is the wife of Henry Westerhouse they live at Melrose, Minnesota.

FISCHER, ANTON

After the death of Anton Fischer, Catherine (Eliers) Fischer moved to Saint Cloud, where she constructed a new home at 1006-15th Avenue South, where she now lives.

Interviewed: Catherine(Eliers) Fischer
Date: December 29, 1936
Interviewed by: Walter Jernberg

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Anton Tramp	Age 46
Sex	Male
Occupation	Farmer
Born	Switzerland

Barbara Tramp	Age 51
Sex	Female
Occupation	_____
Born	Switzerland

Magalane Tramp	Age 20
Sex	Female
Occupation	_____
Born	Switzerland

Anton Tramp	Age 19
Sex	Male
Occupation	Farm Labor
Born	Switzerland

Barbara Tramp	Age 12
Sex	Female
Occupation	_____
Born	Switzerland

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DEATH RECORD BOOK 1897 A 7 PAGE 163 LINE 1

John Fischer Born in 1827 in Bavaria, Germany

Died January 11, 1897

Age 70 years

DEATH RECORD BOOK 1 PAGE 22 LINE 588

Anton Fischer Born December 23, 1862 in St. Cloud

Son of John Fischer and Barbara Tump

Died January 30, 1934

Age 71 years 1 month and 7 days

DEATH RECORD BOOK Q PAGE 2 LINE 4

Rudolph Fischer Born October 9, 1898 in St. Augusta

Son of Anton Fischer and Catherine Bruns

Died January 3, 1924

Age 25 years 2 months and 24 days

FISCHER, ANTON

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:

Marriage of Anton Fischer and Catherine Bruns, November 24, 1890, is correct as stated in the legal records.

AFFIRMED:

Spelling of the name, Magdelene Tramp, is correct as stated in the biography.

Reinterviewed: William Fischer
Date: January 3, 1938
By: Walter Jernberg