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FREUDENREICH, SARAH (HICKMAN)

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Sarah Hickman was born in Cape May county, New Jersey in 1847. She was the daughter of Peter S. and Deborah (Ingersoll) Hickman. She was the third child of a family of ten children.

In 1862, she went with her parents to Nininger, Minnesota where they lived for a short time. On September 18, 1862, they moved to Sauk Centre where they took refuge in the stockade because of the Indian uprisings.

Sarah Hickman taught Indian school at Long Prairie when Bad Boy was chief there. She was presented with many valuable curiosities by the Indians in token of their friendship.

In 1881 or 1882, Sarah Hickman married George Freudenreich in Sauk Centre. Not long after their marriage they went to Switzerland which was George Freudenreich's native land.

In 1886, their only child, Eugenie, was born.

In 1893, Sarah (Hickman) Freudenreich returned to the United States accompanied by her child. She had spent eleven years in continental Europe, visiting nearly all the capitols at length and residing continuously for years in Switzerland and southern Russia, as her husband was located for many years at Odessa, on the Black Sea. She had a thorough knowledge of French and German.

Sarah (Hickman) Freudenreich died in Sauk Centre on March 12, 1897. She is buried in Greenwood Cemetery.

Interviewed: Mrs. Ivy (Parker) Burgess (a niece)  
Date: February 4, 1936  
By: Melba Peterson

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FROM THE RECORDS IN THE STEARNS COUNTY COURT HOUSE

FOR THE SARAH (HICKMAN) FREUDENREICH BIOGRAPHY

MARRIAGE RECORD BOOK C. PAGE 259

George A. Freudenreich and Sarah Hickman

Married at Sauk Centre November 30, 1868

By: Rev. George Stewart

Witnesses: E. Barnum and B. R. Palmer



FREUDENREICH, SARAH (HICKMAN)

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 George and Sarah (Hickman) Freudenreich, November 30, 1868, is correct as stated in the legal record.

Re-interviewed: Mrs. V. L. Burgess  
Date: September 28, 1937  
By: Melba Peterson