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KARSBURG, AUGUST

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August Karsburg was born in Hanover, Germany, May 2, 1854. All of August's schooling was received in Germany, and as a young man worked in a brewery there. At the age of twenty-nine years August came to America. He located in La Crosse, Wisconsin, where he was employed in a brewery for two years. He then went to Harmony, Minnesota and there he farmed until 1900. He moved to Kimball, Minnesota. In 1918 August retired, and moved to Saint Cloud, Minnesota.

On June 1, 1886, August was married at Harmony, Minnesota, to Bertha Reichter, also of Harmony. Bertha is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Michael Reichter, who came to America from Germany. Bertha was born and raised in Harmony. To August and Bertha (Reichter) Karsburg were born seven children, five living and two dead. William and Anna are dead. Adolph, born April 13, 1887, now lives in Adams, Minnesota, where he is a barber. Herman, born January 24, 1890, is married and lives in Saint Cloud. Martha, born February 10, 1900, is married to William Koepp, of Sauk Rapids, Minnesota. Ann, born July 6, 1897 is at home. Walter, born July 30, 1911 is a baker in Rochester, Minnesota.

August Karsburg died in Saint Cloud on June 2, 1919.

Interviewed: Mrs. Bertha Karsburg
Date: July 6, 1936
By: Walter Jernberg

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FROM THE RECORDS IN THE STEARNS COUNTY COURT HOUSE
FOR THE AUGUST KARSBURG BIOGRAPHY

DEATH RECORD BOOK K. PAGE 15 LINE 473

August Karsburg Died June 14, 1918

Born May 5, 1854 in Germany

Son of Godfred Karsburg and Henrietta Garsky

Age 64 years 1 month and 9 days

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

AFFIRMED:

Birth of August Karsburg May 2, 1854, is correct as stated in the biography.

CORRECTION:

Death of August Karsburg, June 14, 1918, is correct as stated in the legal records.

Reinterviewed: Herman Karsburg
Date: November 26, 1937
By: Walter Jernberg