# Como Neighborhood History Project: House History

District 10 Como Community Council

Neighborhood Relations Committee: Project Lead Laura Oyen 12-2022

## **Project Vision:**

To explore the history of Como D10 neighborhoods and learn how our past shapes our future.

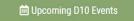
- Collect oral histories, documented memories, researched stories of the people, places and institutions of this community and share these stories through the "Know Your Como" platform.
- Create walking tours for each sub district to highlight the many places, institutions and people who shape our community to this day.
- Hold informed community conversations regarding our history and its impact on our community.
- Acknowledge our past and recognize the significance with public art and historical signage.



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#### DISTRICT 10 COMO COMMUNITY COUNCIL







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c.org/events/ Anyone who follows what we do over at Neighborhood



SEPTEMBER 20, 2022 D10 BOARD MEETING

The D10 Board typically meets on the second Tuesday of every month at 7:15pm. All D10 Como Park meetings are open to the public and have space for community members to bring topics for



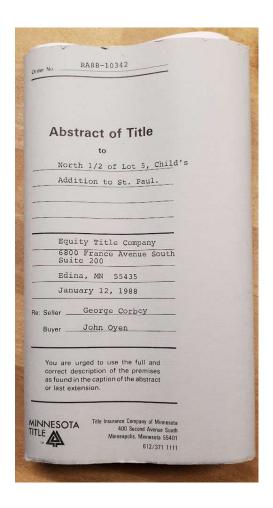
SEPTEMBER 20, 2022 LAND USE COMMITTEE MEETING

The Land Use Committee typically meets on the third Tuesday of every month at 6pm. All D10 Como Park meetings are open to the public and have space for community members to bring topics for discussion. This meeting will take place hybrid at the Como Streeters Station (1224 Levington Pkwy) and

# House History Resources:

- Personal Home Documents
- Ramsey County Recorders Office Property Abstract
  - Property Records: On-Line Ramsey County
- Building Permits: Ramsey County Historical Society (RCHS) Landmark Center
- Maps: On-Line
  - U of MN Borchert Map Library, MNHS, RCHS, SPPS –George Latimer Central
- State Historic Preservation Office SHPO -
- City and Telephone Directories
  - Minnesota Historical Society (MNHS), RCHS, St. Paul Public Library (SPPS) George Latimer Central Library – Downtown St. Paul
  - On-Line: www.Ancestry.com Saint Paul Public Library Browse Titles (nmtvault.com)
- Newspapers and Photographs: On-Line MNHS
- Probate Court Records Wills: MNHS
- US Department of the Interior: Bureau of Land Management Land Patents
- Other Resources

## Personal Home Documents:



1. Original Entry Entered Feb 12 1850 William R. Marshall South & of SW4, Sec 22, Town 29, Range 23. 2. The United States Issued Oct 5 1852 William R. Marshall Filed June 22 1854 "G" Deeds 589 Sa of SW1 Sec 22, T 29, R 23. 3. William R. Marshall Warranty Deed Dated Nov 13 1850 Michael Ryan Filed Nov 14 1859 "W" Deeds 398 Sa of SW1. Sec 22. T 29, R 23. 4. Abby L. Marshall Affidavit Dated Dec 9 1886 Filed Dec 10 1886 "Q" Misc 516 The Public That she was married to William R. Marshall in March, 1854. 5. Michael Ryan Warranty Deed Dated Dec 1 1859 Priscilla S. Sibley Filed Dec 10 1859 WW Deeds 489 St of SW1 Sec 22, T 29, R 23. 6. Michael Ryan Warranty Deed Dated Dec 1 1859 Priscilla S. Sibley Filed Jan 22 1887 172 Deeds 72  $S_{2}$  of  $SW_{4}^{1}$ , Sec 22, T 29, R 23. (Re-record of #5). 7. Edward G. Libby Affidavit Dated Oct 22 1885 The Public Filed Nov 18 1885 "0" Misc 570 That Michael Ryan was unmarried and had no wife living on Dec 1 18 Eugene A. Hendrickson Affidavit Dated June 23 1887 The Public Filed July 18 1887 "U" Misc 612 That he knew Priscilla S. Libby for more than twenty years prior Nov 24 1884, that during all said time she has been in possession St of SW1, Sec 22, T 29, R 23 and maintained her home on said premises.

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## Access to Recorded Documents

Jobs

Access to land records maintained by the County Recorder and Registrar of Titles Office is available online through RecordEASE. Access is also available at our Property Records Resource Center.

Online access to recorded documents (RecordEASE)

Property Records Resource Center

The Property Records Resource Center assists professionals and members of the public with questions on Ramsey County real estate records. Access to workstations is available.

#### Location and hours

The Resource Center is located in the Plato Building.

The hours are 8 a.m. - 4:15 p.m.

For availability and appointments, call the Recorder's Office.

For help with laws and legal research, the <u>Ramsey County Law Library</u> is a public library open to all. It is located in the Ramsey Country courthouse in downtown Saint Paul and maintains a collection of print and online legal resources, including self-help materials.

#### Contact Us

Recorder's Office

651-266-2050 Contact form

**Department Information** 

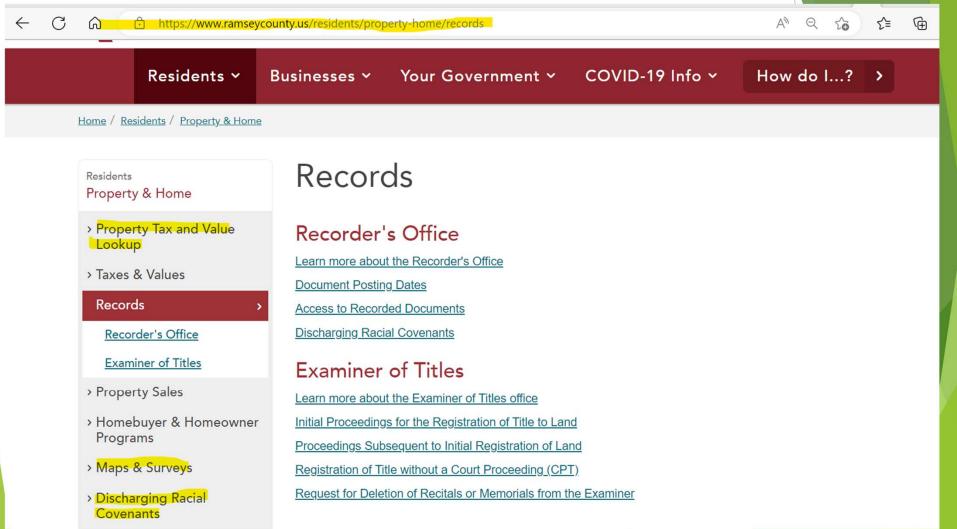
# How do I remove a racial covenant from my property record?

In June 2022 the Ramsey County Board of Commissioners <u>passed a</u> <u>resolution</u> to join the <u>Just Deeds</u> coalition in an effort to highlight the importance of discharging and releasing historical racial covenants on property records. The action aligns with the county's plan to build a foundation for more inclusive communities and eliminate future disparities within the county.

The county is recording the resolution in the tract index for all properties to provide notice that discriminatory covenants are unenforceable, against public policy and of no legal effect. Residents are encouraged to record an affidavit formerly discharging any racial covenants on their property. Residents are exempt from paying the filing fee for removing racial covenants.



# **Property Records: On-Line Ramsey County**



# Ramsey Cty Property Link

- Use Map to look up "Property Value"
- Scroll down the screen to see: Year Built and House Style
- See Aerial Photographs



**3 Residential Structure Description** 

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Family Rooms
Total Bedrooms

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#### Title: Lake Park Baptist Church, 1220 Pascal (?), St. Paul.

Collections Online | Photographs | MR2.9 SP5.1 p189 (Locator Number SV)

Dates: Content: 1931

Places: Lake Park Baptist Church, 1220 N Pascal Street, Saint Paul, Ramsey County,

Minnesota, United States

Details: http://collections.mnhs.org/cms/display?irn=10712462

Minneapolis spokesman. Pub. Date February 16, 1945

#### In Brotherhood Day Observance

"Brotherhood Day" will be ob-Al- served in St. Paul on Sunday with 30. the exchange of pulpits between ood two Negro and two white ministers. Rev. J. D. Hoy, pastor of the rch Peoples Highland Park Congregational Church, will preach at the Camphor Memorial Methodist be Church, 585 Fuller Avenue, at 11 a. m. on the subject "The Coming Age of Brotherhood." Rev. T. R. 12 Nelson, pastor of the Camphor Church, will preach at the same hour in the People's Church on the subject "A Modern Apostle of Brotherhood." The members of the Youth Fellowship of the Camphor Church will be the guests of the Plymouth Fellowship of the People's Church at 6:30 p. m.

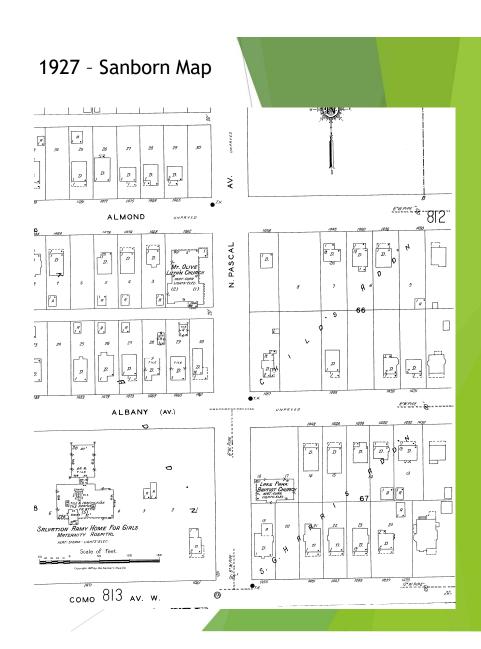
Rev. C. B. Wheeler, pastor of the Mt. Olivet Baptist Church, Mackubin and Central, will exchange pulpits with the Rev. R. S. McBirnie, of the Lake Park Baptist Church at the 11 a. m. services.

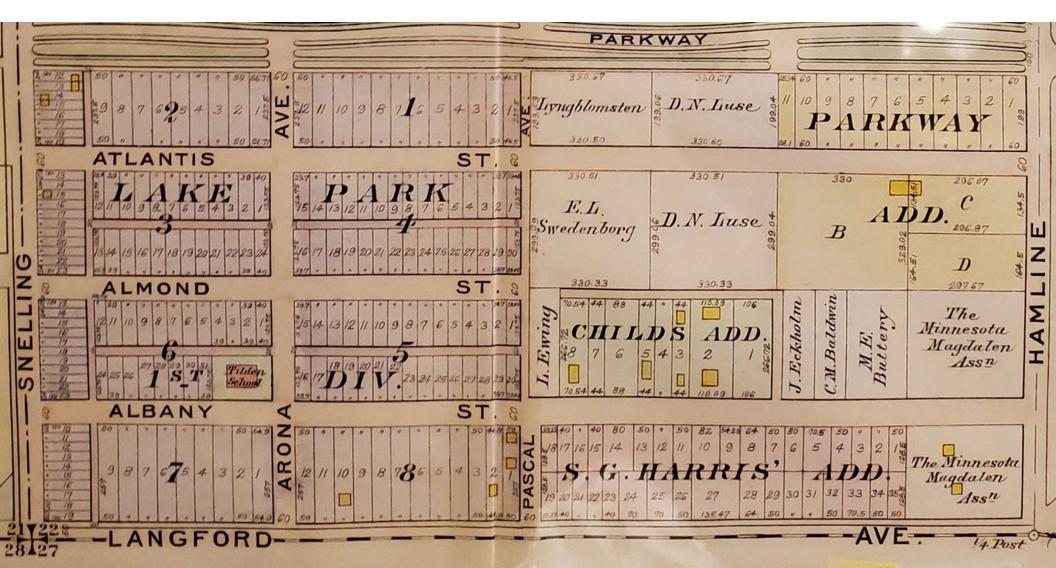
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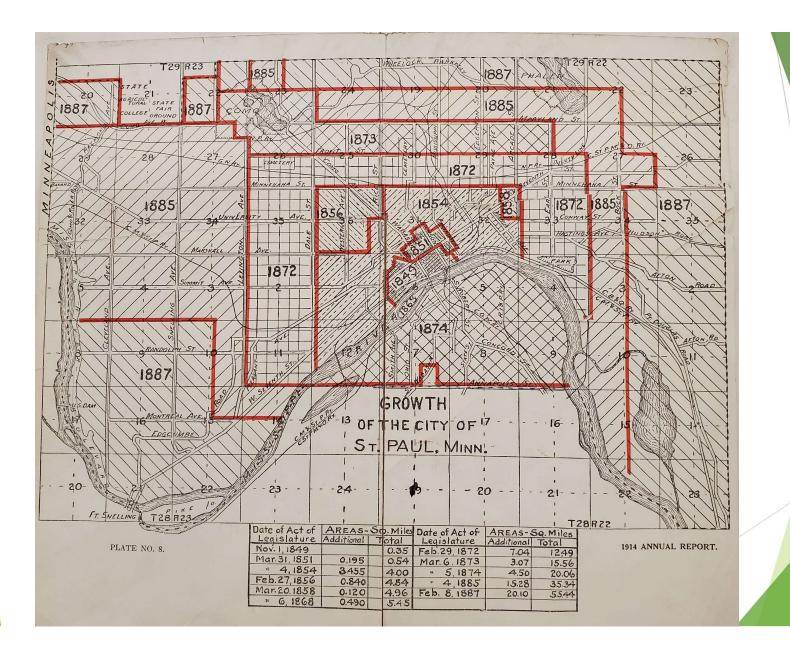
# **Maps: On-Line**

- Additional Maps on Ramsey County Property Website: Maps & Surveys
- John R. Borchert Map Library | University of Minnesota Libraries (umn.edu)
  - County plat maps and atlases | University of Minnesota Libraries (umn.edu)
  - Aerial photography and remote sensed imagery
     University of Minnesota Libraries (umn.edu)
  - ► <u>UMedia (umn.edu)</u> Special Collections
- Sanborn Maps, Available Online | Library of Congress (loc.gov)
- ▶ 1903 Sanborn Maps | Historic Saint Paul





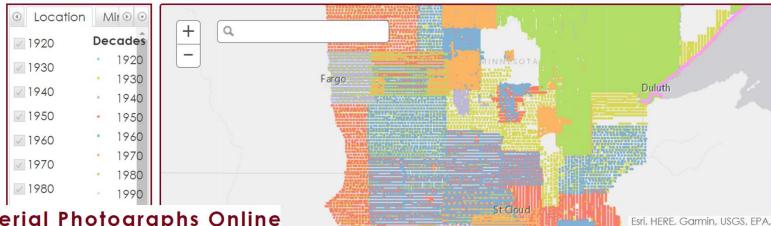
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## Minnesota Historical Aerial Photographs Online

from the John R. Borchert Map Library



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<u>Minnesota State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO) /</u> Minnesota State Historic Preservation Office (mn.gov)

### Surveyed Properties in District 10

#### Identification & Evaluation

Identification and evaluating historic properties helps you make informed preservation decisions.

#### National Register Listings in Minnesota

More than 1,750 Minnesota listings, encompassing over 6,000 properties from all counties in the state, can be found on the National Register of Historic Places (NRHP), the nation's official list of properties deemed worthy of preservation.

#### Tax Incentives

Learn about tax incentives that reward private investment in the rehabilitation of historic properties.

#### Environmental Review

Learn more about the federal and state laws that protect historic and archaeological properties, as well as the project review process in Minnesota.

## Statewide Preservation Plan 2022-2032

The Minnesota Statewide Historic Preservation Plan 2022-2032 is the culmination of a three-year statewide collaborative process of gathering insights and learning from the public, stakeholders, and many partners, and is available for download.

#### Local Preservation

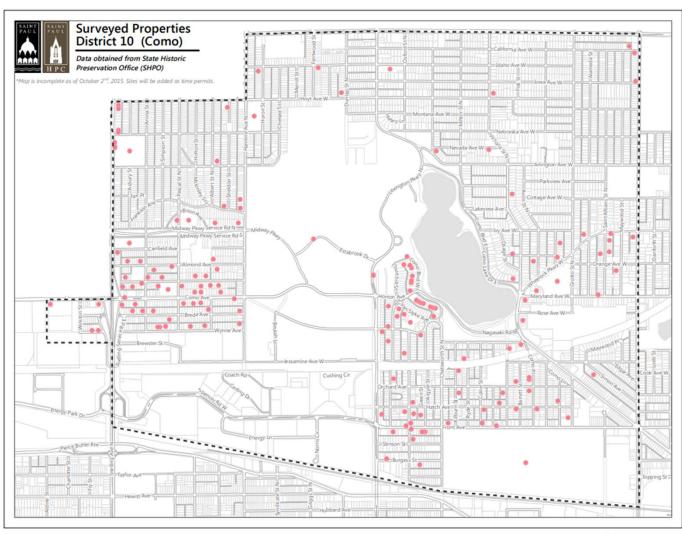
Federal, state, tribal, and local partnerships work to protect historic properties.

#### About Us

Learn more about the State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO), find contact information, and more.

## Recent National Register Listings

A list of the latest National Register listings in Minnesota



Surveyed Properties in District 10

District 10 Como Community Plan: An Addendum to the Saint Paul Comprehensive Plan

Adopted by the Saint Paul City Council February 3, 2016

# Historic Sites Survey Ramsey County Historical Society Saint Paul Heritage Preservation Commission

RA-SPC-0003

	Location: 1520-1522 W. Albany Avenue	
2.	District/village: 10	3. Common name: Como Dental Clinic
4.	Historic name:	5. Original use:commercial/apartments
6.	Present Use: Dental clinic/apartments	7. Access: Yes No X Limited
8.	Period of construction: 1912 9. Styl	le: Commercial
10.	# of bays: 3 11. # of stories: 2 12. Roof	style: flat
13.	Roof covering: Not visible 14. Dorm	mer style & #: none
15.	Chimney style, material, location & #: 1 is	nterior brick
16.	Type of fenestration: Rectangular 1/1 double 1	hung
17.	Type of foundation: Not visible	
18.	Structural system/main exterior wall covering  aluminum asbestos X Brick: X stretche  Stone:random rubblecoursed rubble  Type of stone/brick or other bonding patte Concrete blockCast concrete X Stucco Class/metalOther:	r bond American bond header bond random ashlar coursed ashlar rn: Pressed red, yellow, brown brick
19.	Other significant details: Building's three entrances are grouped toget doors have large single pane windows in them is brick, but 2/3 of sides and entire back i architraved.	Brick lintels and sills Corner forest
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#### 47. Historical background:

This building consists of a ca. 1932 facade on an older commercial building of frame construction. The building permit indicates that the building was constructed in 1912 by owner Mrs. C.O. Sandstrom for use as a store. Permits for additions were issued in 1913 and 1932. The present owner believes that this building once housed a horse barn and fire station, however this has not been substantiated.

- 48. Level of significance: X Local State National
- 49. Statement of significance:

This building is the only commercial building on the block.



# Surveyed Properties District 10 (Como)

Data obtained from State Historic Preservation Office (SHPO)

\*Map is incomplete as of October 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2015. Sites will be added as time permits.

RA-SPC-5163	residence	1497 Wynne Ave. W.
RA-SPC-8114	Hagstrom Dormitory (Building No. 7)	1475 N Arona Ave
RA-SPC-8387	commercial building (Nelson's Cheese & Deli)	1562 Como Ave
RA-SPC-0023	Como Dental Clinic	1520-1522 Albany Ave. W
RA-SPC-0053	Mt. Olive Lutheran Church	1464 Almond Ave. W
RA-SPC-0407	house	1087 Burgess St. W
RA-SPC-0711	house	1352-1354 Como Ave. W
RA-SPC-0712	Peter Pearson House	1282 Como Ave. W

# **City and Telephone Directories**

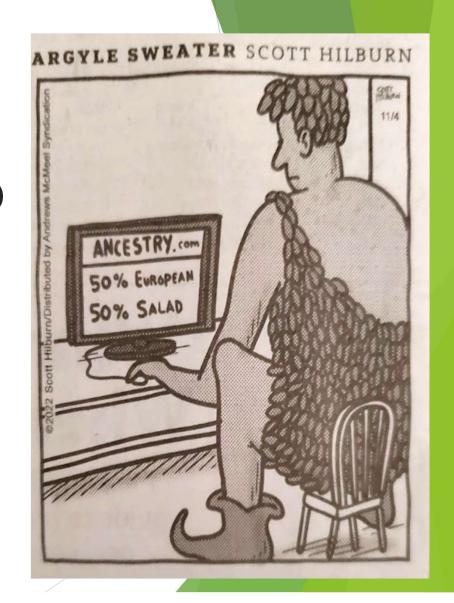
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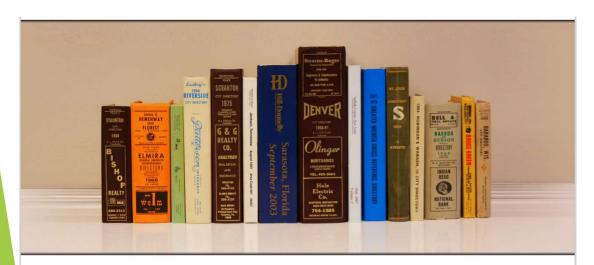


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# **City Directories**

## DIRECTORY (1939) POLK'S ST. PAUL

Directory of Householders, Occupants of Office Buildings and Business Places,

Including a Complete

STREET AND AVENUE GUIDE

1939

Copyright, 1939, by R. L. POLK & CO.

The streets are arranged in alphabetical order.

intersecting streets are shown at the numbers where they intersect on each of the House numbers are compiled in numerical order, both sides of street, embracing cd and even numbers, included in one list representative of the entire street,

following the street numbers are shown the names of the resident occupant or pulsess concern. Places of business are indicated by the nature of the business being

The symbol & following a householder's name indicates that we have received in-formation that the house is owned by some member of the family. As this is based in information received during the canvass, and as the publisher cannot guarantee the correctness of the information furnished nor the complete absence of mistakes, responsibility for errors can be assumed, nor can the publisher give further infor-mation as to the value of the property or the encumbrances, if any, on it.

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1537 Weight E P H @ florist

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1780 Keller John J @ mkt gdnr

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St Paul Salvation Army Rescue Home for Fallen Women—669 Jackson. Matron, Adjutant True Earle: Industrial Home, 2-10 E 3d, Mngr, E N Sawyer.

ST PAUL SANITORIUM—138 E 6th. Eugene Hubbell, M D, Mngr. (See adv under Sanitariums.)

St Thomas Hospital—N S Laurel av, 1 w of Cleveland av, conducted by Sisters of St Joseph. Women's Christian Home—(Controlled by Minnesota Magdalen Society), Hamlin av n e cor Albany North, Organized in 1871. Pres, Mrs. F W Luley; 1st Vice Pres, Mrs H L Parsons; 2d Vice Pres, Mrs John Rogers; Treas, Mrs E M Van Duzee; Sec, Mrs Fred Schott; Matron, Mrs L R Sheldon. Number of Inmates, 11.

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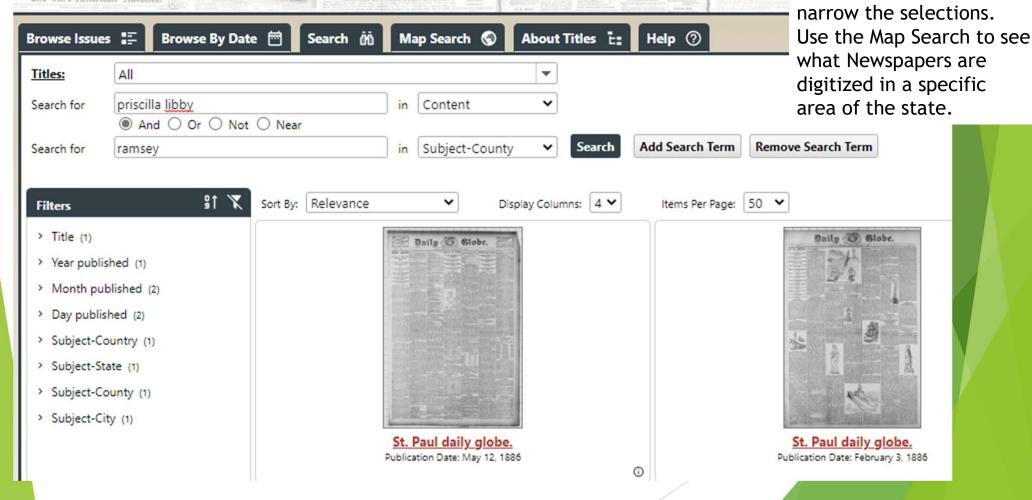
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yesterday. The prisoner is one Charles C. Chilcott, who has rejoiced in the titlo of '•Chief of the National Secret Detective Service."

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him a note for \$40. This he raised to \$140.

You can use tools in the Digital Newspaper to get a copy of the text.

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St. Paul daily globe. Pub. Date May 12, 1886

## CRIMINAL NOTES. Record of a Dull Day in the District

Court.

Charles Chilcott, the private detective, indicted on a charge of having forged the name of Mrs. Priscilla Libby to a check for some \$240, pleaded not guilty yesterday morning. The case was set for June 23, and his ball

le fixed at \$500.

The assault case against Homzek, Tarasar and Miller, in which W. Sczsko was the plaintiff, was ended yesterday morning, when Homzek and Tarasar were discharged and Miller found guilty of assault in the third de-

gree. He paid a fine of \$25.

Charles Betcher was summoned to appear as a juror Monday morning, but as up to Tuesday morning he had not put in appearance Judge Young issued a warrant for his arrest, which was served at noon, and Charles paid \$1.20 for contempt of court.

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St. Paul daily globe. Pub. Date February 3, 1886

#### CHILCOTT'S PECULATIONS.

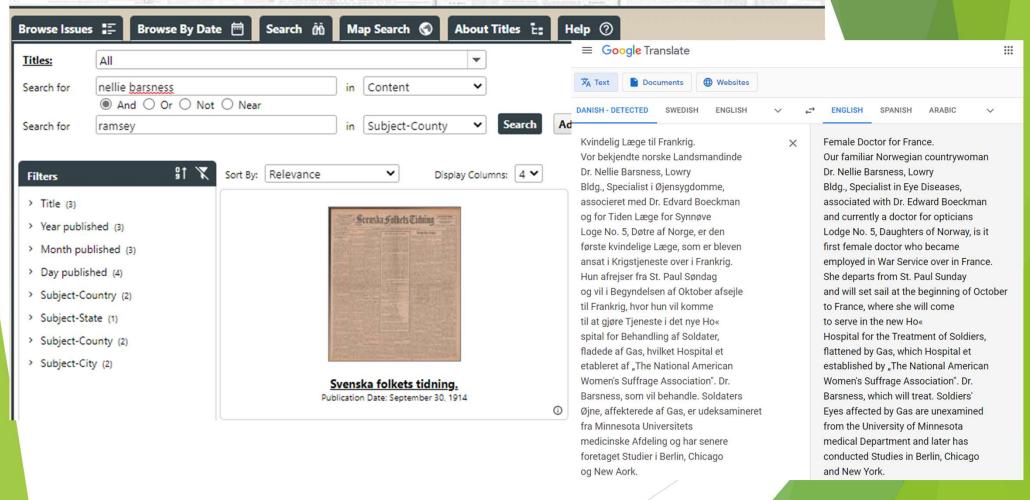
#### Another Detective Gone Wrong-Wholesage Forgery Business.

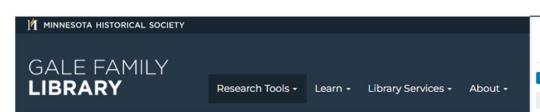
The integrity of private detective agencies has received a severe blow lately by the arrests of two of the principal private detectives—one for blackmalling, and one for forgery. The latter arrest occurred yesteriay. The prisoner is one Charles C. Chilcott, who has rejoiced in the title of "Chief of the National Secret Detective Service."

It transpires that four forged checks, aggregating the snug sum of \$326, have been cashed at the Commercial bank on the East Side, the respective checks having been drawn on that institution, and they all bore the name of Priscilla Libby, who lives near Hamline university. They were dated the 7th, 9th, 25th and 28th of January respectively. The crookedness was discovered by Mrs. Libby on Monday night, when her bank book at the Commercial was shown her and the circumstances explained by the cashier. Early yesterday morning steps were taken to catch the crook. All the banks were notified of the circumstances and soon after Chilcutt presented a check for \$100, which he left on deposit. The teller requested him to call in later, as the cashier desired an interview. He called and was arrested by Omeca Arrest first precinct station he confessed his guilt. Libby, with whom he had once lived, to give him a note for \$40. This he raised to \$140. By depositing the sum he obtained a bank credit and had no difficulty in getting the forged checks cashed. The prisoner's wife, to whom he has only been married a few weeks, called soon after the arrest. She was emphatic in protesting her belief in her husband's innocence, and claims that it is a job put up by Mrs. Libby's daughter to get Chileutt into trouble on account of jealousy. Mrs. C. claims that Miss Libby is enamored of Mr. C., etc.

The prisoner will be arraigned this afternoon.







The Library is open for both advance and walk-in appointments. Staff are also assisting researchers via phone, distance services, and email.

Face masks are encouraged at MNHS historic sites and museums. Details.

## **Research Tools**

The Gale Family Library provides resources and tools for distance and on-site research.



#### Library and archives catalog

The MNHS library and archives catalog searches books, archival collections, maps, newspapers, and much more.



#### Collections Online

Search for photographs, three dimensional and archaeological objects, artwork, oral histories, moving images, maps, and more. A single search can display items across many of our collections.



#### Minnesota People records search

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## Court Records : Probate Courts

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#### **Organization of Probate Court Records**



The main responsibility of the probate courts was to oversee the orderly disposition of a decedent's real and personal property after his/her death.

Additional responsibilities varied from county to county but usually included:

 Determination of an individual's sanity or mental capacity, prior to the

individual's commitment to a state hospital or the appointment of a guardian

- Appointment of a guardian for minor children who had been orphaned, abandoned, or whose parental rights had been terminated
- Including commitment of children to the State Public School in Owatonna; and the adjudication of juveniles accused of criminal offenses, before the establishment of specific juvenile courts in the county.

#### Types of Probate Court Records

#### Case Files:

- · Contain copies of each document filed in a probate action.
- In an estate action, the case file normally contains documents requesting an
  appointment of an administrator; filing and proving of the will, authorizing the payment of
  valid claims on the decedent's estate; inventorying the assets and liabilities of the
  estate; and determining the appropriate disposition of the assets to heirs or legatees.

#### Will Books:

- Contain a verbatim transcript of each will approved entered into the court record.
- Contain only the last will approved by the court. They will not contain earlier versions of wills that were later superceded.
  - The original will is normally part of the probate case file.
- The will recorded in the will book will not contain original signatures of its creator or witnesses.

Will books are normally **arranged chronologically** according to the date in which the will was entered into the court record, usually shortly after the death of the individual. Researchers should be aware that the date the will was made might have been many years before the will was entered into the court record. Many will books are indexed in on Family Search.com in the online index to Minnesota Will Books (1849 - 1985).

#### Final Decrees of Distribution of Estates:

- Contain a transcription of the final decree distributing the assets of a decedent
  - Original final decree normally is filed in the case file
- Will normally list which heir or legatee received what portion of the decedent's real or personal property.
  - Researchers should note that this document does not necessarily include a listing of what happened to all the property of the deceased.
- Will show how much cash each heir received if the estate administrator converted many
  of the estate's assets into cash during the probate process

Final decrees are usually arranged within each volume in rough **chronological order** according to the date that the final decree was issued. Final decrees also may be arranged in several different series depending on the nature of the estate case and the type of decree. Frequently, some final decree records also were included in miscellaneous order books. For certain time periods, final decrees may be separated by testate (decedent died with a valid will) or intestate (decedent died without a valid will) case type.



#### The Official Federal Land Records Site

Welcome to the Bureau of Land Management(BLM), General Land Office (GLO) Records Automation web site. We provide live access to Federal land conveyance records for the Public Land States, including image access to more than five million Federal land title records issued between 1788 and the present. We also have images of survey plats and field notes, land status records, and control document index records. Due to organization of documents in the GLO collection, this site *does not* currently contain every Federal title record issued for the Public Land States.

Subscribe to General Land Office Record of the Week here.



#### Land Patents

Federal Land Patents offer researchers a source of information on the initial transfer of land titles from the Federal government to individuals. In addition to verifying title transfer, this information will allow the researcher to associate an individual (Patentee, Assignee, Warrantee, Widow, or Heir) with a specific location (Legal Land Description) and time (Issue Date). We have a variety of Land Patents on our site, including Cash Entry, Homestead and Military Warrant patents.



#### Survey Plats and Field Notes

Survey plats are part of the official record of a cadastral survey. Surveying is the art and science of measuring the land to locate the limits of an owner's interest thereon. A cadastral survey is a survey which creates, marks, defines, retraces or re-establishes the boundaries and subdivisions of Federal Lands of the United States. The survey plat is the graphic drawing of the boundaries involved with a particular survey project, and contains the official acreage to be used in the legal description.



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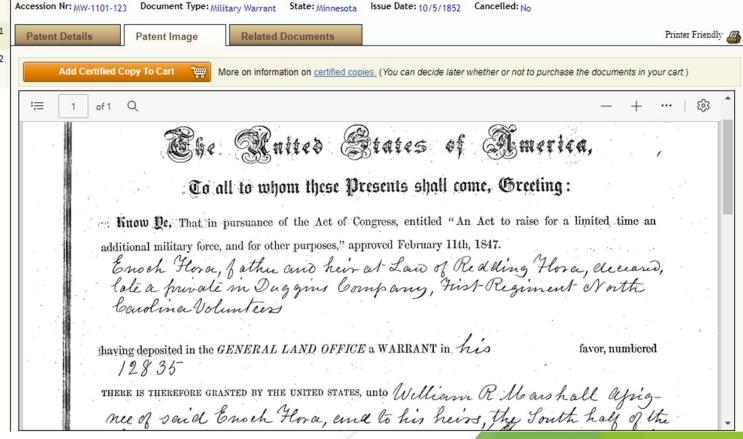
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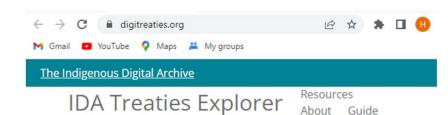
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## Military Warrant

From 1788 to 1855 the United States granted military bounty land warrants as a reward for military service. These patents were issued in various denominations and based upon the rank and length of service. They were often assigned to heirs or other individuals.





## Welcome to the IDA Treaties Explorer

While treaties between Indigenous peoples and the United States affect virtually every area in the USA, there is as yet no official list of all the treaties. The US National Archives holds 374 of the treaties, where they are known as the Ratified Indian Treaties. Here you can view them for the first time with key historic works that provide context to the agreements made and the histories of our shared lands.

# 374 Ratified Indian Treaties visible for the first time

Thanks to an anonymous donation, the US National Archives conserved and digitized the Ratified Indian treaties in its holdings. Here you can see the original documents spanning more than a hundred years.

#### See Treaties



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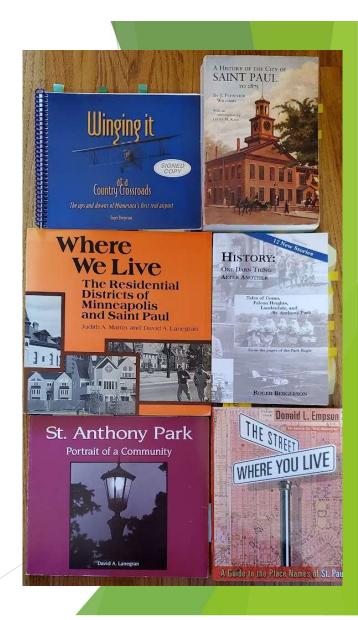
Ratified Indian Treaty 224: Sioux of Mississippi - Washington, DC, September 29, 1837

National Archives Catalogue: 148026698 Registered Indian Treaty Number: 224



## Other Resources:

- ▶ The Street Where You Live By Donald L. Empson
- Where We Live: The Residential Districts of Minneapolis and Saint Paul - By Judith A. Martin and David A. Lanegran
- St. Anthony Park: Portrait of a Community By David A Lanegran
- ► History: One Darn Thing After Another Tales of Como, Falcon Heights, Lauderdale and St. Anthony Park - By Roger Bergerson
- ▶ A History of the City of Saint Paul to 1875 By J. Fletcher Williams
- Winging it at a Country Crossroads The ups and downs of Minnesota's first real airport - By Roger Bergerson
- Historic Saint Paul On-line
- https://www.lyfmap.com/ Where you can save memories and history at the map locations where they happened.



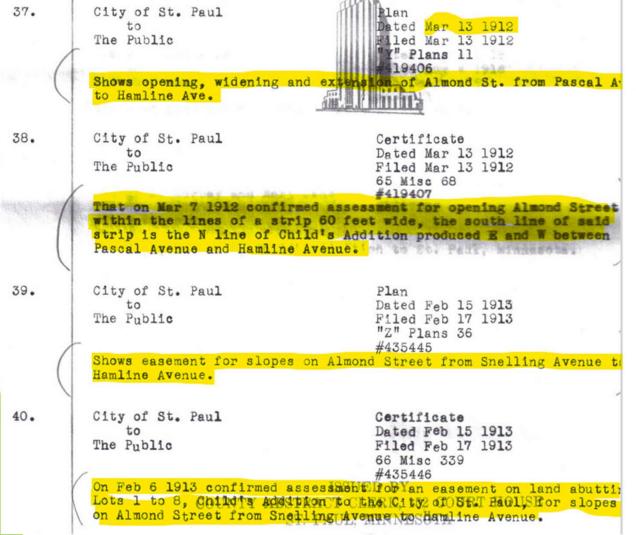
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# **Questions?**

# Project Background...

- September 2021, as an offshoot of discussions the Neighborhood Relations Committee was having regarding racial equity, a small group of community members met to discuss a possible educational art installation regarding racial covenants to be located near the Frankson Mansion at Midway Parkway and Hamline.
- October 2021, connections were made with St. Kate's Professors Rachel Niewert and Christine West in conjunction with St. Kate's "Welcoming the Dear Neighbor?" (WTDN) and the Mapping Prejudice Project. St. Kate's focus is working with communities to explore how housing and economic inequality developed over time in St. Paul and Ramsey County.
- Spring 2022 Planning work continued with a presentation of the project to the Neighborhood Relations Committee on 4/5/2022 and Project approved by the District 10 Board 4/19/2022.



This section of the property abstract let us know the dates that Almond Avenue was "opened".

In looking at the map on the previous page you can see that part of the street looks more like an alley vs a full length street.

There can be other items from "City of St. Paul to The Public" listed in abstracts.



One way to use signage to honor, document and preserve the history of an house. The Lee House: A Right to Establish a Home.

MN Statewide Historic Preservation Plan 2022-2032. Page 46-47

Figure 27: Arthur and Edith Lee House, Minneapolis. Photo by Michael Koop

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