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finalized version is available.

Abbreviations:

b = born

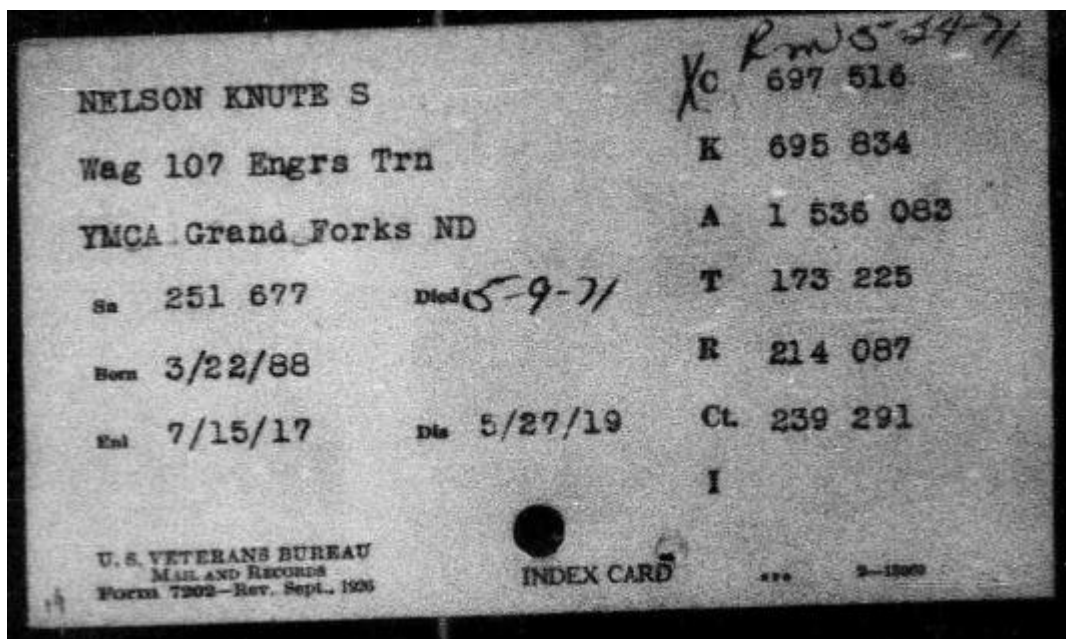
d = died

F: = Find A Grave (www.findagrave.org)

NOK = next-of-kin

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Nelson, Knute S.
1888 ND – 1971 WI



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Knute S. Nelson

in the North Dakota Military Men, 1917-1918

Detail Source

Name:	Knute S. Nelson
Birth Date:	22 Mar 1888
Military Date:	2 May 1917
Military Place:	Milwaukee, Wis
Army Number:	251,677
Enlistment Type:	Enlisted
Military Branch:	Company B, 1st Engineers, Wisconsin National Guard
Inducted or Enlistment Place:	Cudahy Wis.
Registrant:	Yes
Parents Origin:	of Norwegian-American parents
Occupation:	Painter
Comments:	enlisted in Company B, 1st Engineers, Wisconsin National Guard, at Milwaukee, Wis., on May 2, 1917; served in Company B, 1st Engineers, Wisconsin National Guard (Company E, 107th Engineers), to Oct. 26, 1917; 107th Engineers Train, to discharge. Grade: Wagoner, Dec. 22, 1917; overseas from Jan. 24, 1918, to May 17, 1919. Engagements: Offensives: Aisne-Marne; Oise-Aisne; Meuse-Argonne. Defensive Sectors: Center (Alsace); Fismes (Champagne). Discharged at Camp Custer, Mich., on May 27, 1919, as a Wagoner.

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NELSON, KNUTE S. Army number 251,677; registrant, Cudahy county, Wis.; born, Northwood, D. T., March 22, 1888, of Norwegian-American parents; occupation, painter; enlisted in Company B, 1st Engineers, Wisconsin National Guard, at Milwaukee, Wis., on May 2, 1917; served in Company B, 1st Engineers, Wisconsin National Guard (Company E, 107th Engineers), to Oct. 26, 1917; 107th Engineers Train, to discharge. Grade: Wagoner, Dec. 22, 1917; overseas from Jan. 24, 1918, to May 17, 1919. Engagements: Offensives: Aisne-Marne; Oise-Aisne; Meuse-Argonne. Defensive Sectors: Center (Alsace); Fismes (Champagne). Discharged at Camp Custer, Mich., on May 27, 1919, as a Wagoner.

U.S., Adjutant General Military Records, 1631-1976

North Dakota > 1917-1918 > Roster from the State of North Dakota Volume 3

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Knute S Nelson

in the U.S., National Homes for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, 1866-1963

Detail Source

Name:	Knute S Nelson
Admission Age:	38
Birth Date:	abt 1888
Birth Place:	North Dakota
Enlistment Date:	2 May 1917
Enlistment Place:	Milwaukee, Wisconsin
Discharge Date:	27 May 1919
Discharge Place:	Camp Custer, Michigan
Military Regiment:	107 Engr Tr 32nd Div
Admission Date:	1926
Residence Date:	1926
Residence Place:	Milwaukee, Milwaukee, Wisconsin, USA
Notes:	Northwestern Branch

28031		<i>Knute S Nelson Gurnau</i>									
MILITARY HISTORY											
Time and Place of Enlistment	Rank	Company and Regiment	Time and Place of Discharge	Cause of Discharge	Disability when admitted to the Home						
<i>May 2, 1917 Milwaukee, Wis</i>	<i>Private</i>	<i>107 Engrs Co 32nd Div</i>	<i>May 27, 1919 Camp Custer Mich</i>	<i>Convenience of Govt</i>	<i>0196 - Bronchitis, Chronic</i>						
DOMESTIC HISTORY											
Where Born	Age	Height	Complexion	Color of Eyes	Color of Hair	Build and Weight	Religion	Occupation	Residence Subsequent to Discharge	Married or Single	Name and Address of Nearest Relative
<i>No Dakota</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>5'11"</i>	<i>White</i>	<i>Blue</i>	<i>Dark</i>	<i>Yes</i>	<i>Prot</i>	<i>Painter</i>	<i>Grand Forks No Dak</i>	<i>Married</i>	<i>Wife / Rosa Nelson, 1314 1st Ave, Grand Forks, No Dak</i>
HOME HISTORY											
Date of Entry	Date of Admission, Re-Admission and Transfer	Conditions of Re-Admission	Date of Discharge and Transfer	Cause of Discharge	Date of Death	Cause of Death					
	<i>Adm. KWB Co. Dec 9/16</i>		<i>Dec. 31-1917</i>	<i>Un Par 20 P.H.R.</i>							
GENERAL REMARKS											
PAPERS.				EFFECTS.							
<i>Admission Paper Due by Col B K Cash</i>				<i>Cash</i>							
<i>Army Discharge Due</i>				<i>Member's Deposit Acct</i>							
<i>Certificate of Service</i>				<i>Liberty Loan Bonds</i>							
<i>Final Certificate 697, 516</i>				<i>War Savings Stamp</i>							
LOCATION OF GRAVE AND REMARKS				<i>Pension Money</i>							
				<i>Personal, Appraised at</i>							
				<i>Total</i>							
				<i>How Disposed of</i>							

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No. 10,040 IN THE MATTER OF
Thomas M. Welch Jr. and
Rosella M. Nelson

PROBATE COURT, WASHINGTON COUNTY, OHIO
 MARRIAGE LICENSE APPLICATION

The undersigned respectfully make their application for a Marriage License for said parties, and upon oath state.....;

That said Thomas M. Welch
 is 36 years of age on the 8th day of Oct. 1948
 his residence is Marietta, Ohio
 his place of birth is Marietta, Ohio
 his occupation is Contractor
 his father's name is Thomas M. Welch Jr.
 his mother's maiden name was Nellie Hodge
 that he was not previously married
 and that he has no wife living.

That said Rosella M. Nelson
 is 36 years of age on the 20 day of Jan. 1949
 her residence is Marietta, Washington County, Ohio
 her place of birth is Drainard, Miss.
 her occupation is none
 her father's name is Christopher Capistrant
 her mother's maiden name was Clara Ducheneau
 that she was not previously married
 and is not a widow or divorced woman, her maiden name being Rosella M. Capistrant
 that she has no husband living. Aug. 12, 1949 Port Angeles Wash.

That neither of said parties is an habitual drunkard, epileptic, imbecile, or insane, and is not under the influence of any intoxicating liquor or narcotic drug, Said parties are not nearer of kin than second cousins, and there is no legal impediment to their marriage.

It is expected that..... is to solemnize the marriage of said parties.

Sworn to before me, and signed in my presence,
 this 15 day of Feb. 1949 } Thomas M. Welch Jr.
Rosella M. Nelson
 Consent of..... Probate Judge.
Garnett Stukens Deputy Clerk

ENTRY
 Marriage License was this day granted to Thomas M. Welch Jr. and Rosella M. Nelson
J. I. Thomas, Probate Judge.

No. 10,040 MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE THE STATE OF OHIO, WASHINGTON COUNTY, ss:
 I DO HEREBY CERTIFY, That on the 15th day of February A. D. 1949, I solemnized the Marriage of
 Mr. Thomas M. Welch Jr. with Mrs. Rosella M. Nelson
 Filed and Recorded Feb 15 1949
J. I. Thomas Probate Judge. C. T. O'Neill Justice of the Peace.

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/901690201:61378>

Father:

United States of America,
TERRITORY OF DAKOTA,
COUNTY OF GRAND FORKS. } ss.

Svennung Nelson personally appeared before the subscriber, the Clerk of the District Court of Grand Forks County, Dakota Territory, being a Court of Record, and made oath that he was born in Norway on or about the year eighteen hundred and fifty-two that he emigrated to the United States and landed at the port of Detroit on or about the month of May in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-two that it is bona fide his intention to become a Citizen of the United States, and to renounce forever all allegiance and fidelity to any foreign Prince, Potentate, State or Sovereignty whatever, and particularly to the King of Norway and Sweden whereof he is a subject, and that he will support the Constitution and Government of the United States.

Subscribed and sworn to this 7th
day of March 1888
G. F. Shutt Clerk.
By Chas. Adie Deputy.

Svennung Nelson

Naturalization of father Svennung Nelson on 7 Mar 1888 in Dakota Territory -

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/215191:62035?tid=&pid=&queryId=e8b4cdd355cd8086c2588a571e39b95a&phsrc=hFB39329&phstart=successSource>

M. C. Olmsted, Ludden, farmer.
 A. Rustebokken, Niagara, farmer.
 C. H. Howard, Grand Forks, travel-
 ing man.
 Swenning Nelson, Northwood.
 C. E. Edwards, McCanna, merchant.
 Leon Durocher, Grand Forks, Tri-
 State telephone.
 L. T. Johnstone, Grand Forks,
 farmer.
 W. H. McGraw, Grand Forks, ele-
 vator man.
 J. L. McQuin, Grand Forks, electric
 contractor.

1 of the over 500 accredited delegates at the Anti-Reciprocity Convention yesterday – “Grand Forks (ND) Herald” Wednesday 5 Apr 1911 p 2

Funeral services for S. Nelson of Northwood will be held next Tuesday.

“Grand Forks (ND) Herald” Saturday 17 Jan 1920 p 5

Northwood Farmer To Be Interred Tuesday

Funeral services for Svennung Nelson, aged about 65, who died Thursday at the farm home near Northwood, will be held at the residence early Tuesday afternoon and at the Lutheran church in Northwood at 2 o'clock.

Mr. Nelson was one of the earliest settlers in the district and one of the most prominent farmers in the section. He always took a keen interest in farm problems and was one of the most active men of the community.

"Grand Forks (ND) Herald" Saturday 17 Jan 1920 p 8

Mother:

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
STATE OF NORTH DAKOTA

1. PLACE OF DEATH
County of Grand Forks
Township of Northwood
City of Northwood
No. 1932 St. Ward
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 48 yrs. 1 mos. 19 ds. How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? 48 yrs. 1 mos. 19 ds.

2. FULL NAME Sigri Nelson
(a) Residence: No. Northwood St. Ward
(Usual place of abode) (If nonresident give city or town and State)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Female 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. Single, Married, Widowed, or Divorced (write the word) Widowed
5a. If married, widowed, or divorced (or) WIFE of Arne Nelson
6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, year) Jan 19-1861
7. AGE Years 71 Months 1 Days 19 If LESS than 1 day, 2 hrs. or 30 min.
8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as spinner, sawyer, bookkeeper, etc. Housewife
9. Industry or business in which work was done, as silk mill, saw mill, bank, etc. Home
10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year) Feb. 1932 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation 48
12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Peterson (State or country) Minn
13. NAME Knut Thorsen Fjelstad
14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Arne (State or country) Norway
15. MAIDEN NAME Sigri Reine
16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Norway (State or country) Norway
17. INFORMANT Mrs. Osa Burge (Address) Northwood N.D.
18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL
Place Northwood Date 2/29, 1932
19. UNDERTAKER Charles P. Bak (Address) Northwood N.D.
20. FILED Feb 1, 1932 Thane Nelson

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH (month, day, and year) 2/16, 1932
22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from Feb. 14, 1932 to Feb 16, 1932
I last saw h. alive on 2/16, 1932, death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 2:30 p.m.
The principal cause of death and related causes of importance in order
Date of onset Feb 14
Name of operation None Date of None
What test confirmed diagnosis? None Was there an autopsy? None
23. If death was due to external causes (violence) III in also the following:
Accident, suicide, or homicide? None Date of injury None, 1932
Where did injury occur? None (Specify city or town, county, and State)
Specify whether injury occurred in industry, in home, or in public place
Manner of injury None
Nature of injury None
24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?
If so, specify None
(Signed) M. T. Lavee, M. D.
(Address) Northwood N.D.

N. B.—WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD. Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

ND death record of mother Sigri Thorvilson Fjelstad Nelson (1860-1932) -

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Siblings:

REC'D APR 12 1961

**NORTH DAKOTA
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH**

State File No. **964**
Registrar's No. **1932**

Birth No. _____

1. PLACE OF DEATH

a. COUNTY **GRAND FORKS**

b. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION **NORTHWOOD**

c. LENGTH OF STAY IN 1b **4 days**

d. NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION (If not in hospital, give street address) **DEACONESS HOSPITAL**

e. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: Residence before admission)

a. STATE **North Dakota**

b. COUNTY **GRAND FORKS**

c. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION **NORTHWOOD**

d. STREET ADDRESS **CITY RESIDENCE**

e. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐ f. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? YES ☐ NO ☒

3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print) (First) (Middle) (Last) **NELS S NELSON**

4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) **MAR 1 1961**

5. SEX **M** **6. COLOR OR RACE** **W** **7. Married** ☒ **Never Married** ☐ **8. DATE OF BIRTH** **FEB. 11, 1884**

9. AGE (In Years last birthday) **77** **If Under 1 Year** Months Days **If Under 24 Hrs.** Hours Min.

10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) **FARMING** **10b. Kind of Business or Industry** **11. BIRTHPLACE** (State or foreign country) **NORTH DAKOTA** **12. Citizen of What Country?** **USA**

13. FATHER'S NAME **SVENUNG NELSON** **13a. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME** **SIGRID TOHERVILDSO** **14. SPOUSE'S NAME** **CHRISTINE QUALTHEIM NELSON**

15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U. S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) **No** **17. INFORMANT** **Arthur S. Nelson** Address **Northwood, N.D.**

16a. SIGNATURE (Degree or title) **Mervin H. Rosenberg** **22b. ADDRESS** **NORTHWOOD, N.D.** **22c. DATE SIGNED** **1 Mar. 61**

23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) **Storage** **23b. DATE** **Mar 6 1961** **23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY** **Northwood City** **23d. LOCATION** (City, town, or county) **Northwood** (State) **N. Dak.**

24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE **D. J. Amett** **ADDRESS** **NORTHWOOD, N.D.** **25. DATE RECD. BY LOCAL REG.** **Mar 9, 1961** **26. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE**

ND death record of brother Nels S. Nelson (1884-1961) - https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/270771:61747?tid=&pid=&queryId=b69071c9f6abbba5710c0359f76b48fb&_phsrc=hFB39355&_phstart=successSource

CERTIFICATE OF DEATH.				State of North Dakota Bureau of Vital Statistics	
1 Place of Death		County <u>Grand Forks</u> State <u>N. Dak</u> Registered No. <u>1</u>			
Township <u>Lind</u>		or Village _____		or _____	
City _____ No. _____		St. _____ Ward _____			
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its name instead of street and number.)					
2 Full Name <u>Stella J. Hango</u>				1758	
(a) Residence No. _____		St. _____ Ward _____			
(Usual place of abode)		(If nonresident give city or town and State.)			
Length of residence in city or town where death occurred _____		years, _____ months, _____ days			
How long in United States, if of foreign birth _____		years, _____ months, _____ days			
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS			MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		
3 Sex <u>Female</u>	4 Color or Race <u>White</u>	5 Single, Married, Widowed, or Divorced (write the word) <u>Married.</u>	16 Date of Death (month, day, and year) <u>Oct. 17th 21</u>		
6a If Married, Widowed, or Divorced (or) WIFE of <u>Halvor Hango</u>			17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from <u>May 18, 1921</u> to <u>Oct 12, 1921</u>		
7 Date of Birth (month, day, and year) <u>Dec. 13th 88</u>			that I last saw him alive on <u>Oct 12, 1921</u>		
8 Age <u>34</u>	Years <u>10</u>	Months _____ Days _____	and that death occurred, on the date stated, at _____ M.		
9 Occupation of Deceased (a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work <u>House wife</u>					
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed (or employer) _____					
(c) Name of employer _____					
10 Birthplace (city or town) (State or country) <u>Northwood</u>					
11 Name of Father <u>Svenning Nelson</u>					
12 Birthplace of Father (city or town) (State or country) <u>Norway.</u>					
13 Maiden Name of Mother <u>Sarah Thowild</u>					
14 Birthplace of Mother (city or town) (State or country) <u>Minnesota.</u>					
15 Informant <u>N. S. Nelson</u>			18 Place of Burial, Cremation or Removal <u>Northwood N. Dak.</u>		
Address: <u>Northwood N. Dak.</u>			Date of Burial <u>10-18 1921</u>		
Filed <u>10-27 1921</u> <u>L. J. Collingman</u> Registrar			20 Undertaker <u>C. W. Kyle</u> <u>Northwood</u>		

ND death record of sister Stella Jonetta Nelson Hanson (1886-1921) -

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NELSON
 John S. Nelson, age 85 of 4939 W. 11th St., beloved husband of Mabel C. Nelson, entered into rest, Jan. 17th, father of Sheldon E. Nelson, Mrs. Yvonne Ashley and Mrs. Georgia Fuehring, Indpls., Mrs. James Labudzik, Chicago, brother of Mrs. Dora Buraas and Mrs. Susan Hanson, 8 grandchildren. Services, 11:30 a.m., Monday, CONKLE FUNERAL HOME SPEEDWAY CHAPEL, 4925 W. 16th St. Friends may call after 2 p.m., Sunday.

Obituary of brother John S. Nelson (1890-1975) "Indianapolis (IN) Star" Saturday 18 Jan 1975 p 30

**John Nelson and wife of Northwood
 are shopping in the city today.**

"Grand Forks (ND) Herald" Thursday 15 Nov 1906 p 8

REC'D FEB 11 1976

NORTH DAKOTA
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

STATE FILE NO. **75-005624**

Local Registrar's No. **17829**

TYPE, OR PRINT IN PERMANENT INK SEE HANDBOOK FOR INSTRUCTIONS

DECEASED

1. DECEASED—NAME FIRST **DORA** MIDDLE **BURAAS** LAST **BURAAS** SEX **FEMALE** 2. DATE OF DEATH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) **DEC. 23, 1975**

3. RACE WHITE, NEGRO, AMERICAN INDIAN, ETC. (SPECIFY) **WHITE** 4. AGE—LAST BIRTHDAY (YEARS) **83** 5. UNDER 1 YEAR MOS. DAYS 6. DATE OF BIRTH (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) **JUNE 1, 1892** 7. COUNTY OF DEATH **GRAND FORKS**

8. CITY OR TOWNSHIP OF DEATH **NORTHWOOD** 9. INSIDE CITY LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO) **YES** 10. HOSPITAL OR OTHER INSTITUTION—NAME (IF NOT IN EITHER, GIVE STREET AND NUMBER) **DEACONESS HOSPITAL**

11. STATE OF BIRTH (IF NOT IN U.S.A., NAME COUNTRY) **N.D.** 12. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY **USA** 13. MARRIED, NEVER MARRIED, WIDOWED, DIVORCED (SPECIFY) **WIDOWED** 14. SURVIVING SPOUSE (IF WIFE, GIVE MAIDEN NAME)

15. USUAL RESIDENCE WHERE DECEASED LIVED, IF DEATH OCCURRED IN INSTITUTION, GIVE RESIDENCE BEFORE ADMISSION. 16. USUAL OCCUPATION (GIVE KIND OF WORK DONE DURING MOST OF WORKING LIFE, EVEN IF RETIRED) **HOMEMAKER** 17. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY

18. RESIDENCE—STATE **N.D.** 19. COUNTY **GRAND FORKS** 20. CITY OR LOCATION **NORTHWOOD** 21. INSIDE CITY LIMITS (SPECIFY YES OR NO) **YES** 22. STREET AND NUMBER

PARENTS

23. FATHER—NAME FIRST **SVENING** MIDDLE **NELSON** LAST **NELSON** 24. MOTHER—MAIDEN NAME FIRST **SIGRID** MIDDLE **THORVILSON** LAST

25. INFORMANT—NAME **VINCENT BURAAS** 26. MAILING ADDRESS (STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY, STATE, ZIP) **NORTHWOOD, N.D. 58267**

27. **21a. CERTIFICATION — PHYSICIAN** Month Day Year Month Day Year
I attended the deceased from **12-15-53** to **12-23-75** and last saw him/her alive on **12-23-75**. I (did, did not) view the body after death. Death occurred at **4:30 A.M.** at the place and time and on the date stated above and to the best of my knowledge due to the causes stated.
22a. PHYSICIAN — SIGNATURE **Robert H. DeLano, M.D.**
23a. PHYSICIAN — NAME (Type or Print) **Robert H. DeLano, M.D.**
23c. MAILING ADDRESS (Physician or Coroner) **Northwood, N. Dak. 58267**
24. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (SPECIFY) **BURIAL**
25. DATE (MONTH, DAY, YEAR) **DEC. 29, 1975**
26. FUNERAL DIRECTOR — SIGNATURE **A. J. Arnett #745**

27. **21b. CERTIFICATION — CORONER**
On the basis of the examination of the body and/or the investigation, in my opinion death occurred at _____ M., on the date and due to the causes stated above. The decedent was pronounced dead on _____ at _____ M. Month Day Year
22b. CORONER — SIGNATURE
23b. CORONER — NAME (Type or Print)
23d. DATE SIGNED **2-7-76**
24. CEMETERY OR CREMATORY — NAME **NORTHWOOD** 25. LOCATION **NORTHWOOD** CITY OR TOWN **N.D.** STATE
26. FUNERAL HOME — NAME AND ADDRESS (STREET OR R.F.D. NO., CITY, STATE, ZIP) **ARNETT FUNERAL HOME, NORTHWOOD, N.D. 58267**
27. REGISTRAR — SIGNATURE **A. J. Arnett #745** 28. DATE RECEIVED BY LOCAL REGISTRAR **FEB. 10, 1976**

ND death record of sister Dora Nelson Buraas (1892-1975) -

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REC'D FEB 9 1965 NORTH DAKOTA
 CERTIFICATE OF DEATH
 STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

State File No. **216**
 Registrar's No. **9882**

1. PLACE OF DEATH
 a. COUNTY **GRAND Forks**
 b. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION **NORTHWOOD**
 c. LENGTH OF STAY IN 10 **6 1/2 hrs.**
 d. NAME OF HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION **DEACONESS Hospital**
 e. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution: residence before admission)
 a. STATE **NORTH DAKOTA** b. COUNTY **GRAND Forks**
 c. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION **RURAL - NORTHWOOD TWP.**
 d. STREET ADDRESS
 e. IS RESIDENCE INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☐ NO ☒ f. IS RESIDENCE ON A FARM? YES ☒ NO ☐

3. NAME OF DECEASED (Type or print)
 (First) **EDWIN** (Middle) (Last) **BURAAS**
 4. DATE OF DEATH (Month) (Day) (Year) **JAN 16 1965**
 5. SEX **M** 6. COLOR OR RACE **W** 7. Married ☒ Never Married ☐ Widowed ☐ Divorced ☐ 8. DATE OF BIRTH **JUNE 21, 1889**
 9. AGE (In Years last birthday) **75** If Under 1 Year: Months Days Hours Mins.
 10a. USUAL OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done during most of working life, even if retired) **FARMING** 10b. Kind of Business or Industry 11. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) **NORTH DAKOTA** 12. Citizen of What Country? **USA**
 13. FATHER'S NAME **HANS BURAAS** 13a. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME **MARTHA OSTLIE** 14. SPOUSE'S NAME **DORA NELSON BURAAS**
 15. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U. S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) **NO** 17. INFORMANT Address **Mrs. Ed Buraas Northwood, N.D.**

23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) **Burial** 23b. DATE **JAN. 20, 1965** 23c. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY **NORTHWOOD CEMETERY** 23d. LOCATION (City, town, or county) (State) **NORTHWOOD N.D.**
 24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE **A. J. Arnett** ADDRESS **NORTHWOOD, N.D.** 25. DATE RECD. BY LOCAL REG. **Feb. 3 1965** 26. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE **James E. 1965**

1958 REVISION OF STANDARD CERTIFICATE PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE
 DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH, EDUCATION, AND WELFARE
 MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING
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 Sub-registrar's signature **A. J. Arnett # 745**

ND death record of sister Dora Nelson's husband Edwin Buraas -

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STATE OF TEXAS 155-01-2 1550 CERTIFICATE OF DEATH 8796 STATE FILE NO. 87420

1. PLACE OF DEATH a. COUNTY <u>McLennan</u>		2. USUAL RESIDENCE (Where deceased lived. If institution, residence before admission) a. STATE <u>Texas</u> b. COUNTY <u>McLennan</u>	
b. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) <u>Waco</u>		c. CITY OR TOWN (If outside city limits, give precinct no.) <u>Waco</u>	
d. NAME OF (If not in hospital, give street address) HOSPITAL OR INSTITUTION <u>Hillcrest Hospital</u>		e. STREET ADDRESS (If rural, give location) <u>301 Shelby</u>	
f. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐		g. IS PLACE OF DEATH INSIDE CITY LIMITS? YES ☒ NO ☐	
3. NAME OF DECEASED a. First <u>Susan</u> b. Middle <u>Nelson</u> c. Last <u>Hanson</u>		4. DATE OF DEATH <u>November 15, 1979</u>	
5. SEX a. COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u> b. MARRIAGE STATUS Married ☐ Never Married ☐ Widowed ☒ Divorced ☐		6. DATE OF BIRTH <u>February 21, 1895</u>	
7. OCCUPATION (Give kind of work done, even if retired) <u>Manager</u>		8. BIRTHPLACE (State or foreign country) <u>Northwood, North Dakota</u>	
9. KIND OF BUSINESS OR INDUSTRY <u>Hotel & Motels</u>		10. CITIZEN OF WHAT COUNTRY? <u>U.S.A.</u>	
11. FATHER'S NAME <u>Unknown</u>		12. MOTHER'S MAIDEN NAME <u>Unknown</u>	
13. WAS DECEASED EVER IN U.S. ARMED FORCES? (Yes, no, or unknown) (If yes, give war or dates of service) <u>No</u>		14. SOCIAL SECURITY NO. <u>544-05-5502</u>	
15. CAUSE OF DEATH (Enter only one cause per line for (a), (b), and (c). PART I. DEATH WAS CAUSED BY: IMMEDIATE CAUSE (a) <u>Sepsis</u> DUE TO (b) <u>urinary bladder catheter</u> DUE TO (c) _____		INTERVAL BETWEEN ONSET AND DEATH <u>1 day</u>	
PART II. OTHER SIGNIFICANT CONDITIONS CONTRIBUTING TO DEATH BUT NOT RELATED TO THE TERMINAL DISEASE CONDITION GIVEN IN PART I (a)			
19. WAS AUTOPSY PERFORMED? YES ☐ NO ☒			
20a. ACCIDENT OR INJURY (If so, DESCRIBE HOW INJURY OCCURRED. (Enter nature of injury in Part I or Part II of item 18). <u>REC'D DEC 30 1979</u>			
20b. INJURY OCCURRED 20c. PLACE OF INJURY (e.g., on road, home, factory, street, office building, etc.) 20d. CITY, TOWN, OR LOCATION 20e. COUNTY 20f. STATE			
21. I hereby certify that I attended the deceased from <u>NOVEMBER 15, 1979</u> to <u>NOVEMBER 15, 1979</u> and last saw the deceased alive on <u>NOVEMBER 15, 1979</u> . Death occurred at <u>7:25 P</u> m. on the date stated above, and to the best of my knowledge, from the cause(s) stated.			
22a. SIGNATURE <u>J. K. Jackson M.D.</u>		22b. ADDRESS <u>1700 Providence, Waco, TX 76799</u>	
23a. BURIAL, CREMATION, REMOVAL (Specify) <u>Burial</u>		23b. DATE <u>November 17, 1979</u>	
23c. LOCATION (City, town, county) <u>Waco Texas</u>		23d. NAME OF CEMETERY OR CREMATORY <u>Oakwood Cemetery</u>	
24. FUNERAL DIRECTOR'S SIGNATURE <u>Charles R. McR...</u>		25. REGISTRAR'S SIGNATURE <u>Margaret Scott</u>	
25a. REGISTRAR'S FILE NO. <u>1131</u>		25b. DATE REC'D BY LOCAL REGISTRAR <u>NOV 27 1979</u>	

TX death record of sister Susan Nelson Hanson (1895-1979) -

https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/1060819:2272?tid=&pid=&queryId=782a60ef78f7ad8e589b3568339dd7bf&_phsrc=hFB39350&_phstart=successSource

Marriage Licenses Issued.
Marriage licenses were issued Wednesday afternoon by Judge L. K. Hassell to O. G. Thompson of Thompson, and Miss Anna Nelson of Grand Forks and to Harry Hanson of East Grand Forks and Miss Susana Nelson of Grand Forks.

Marriage license for Susanna Nelson & Harry Melvin Hanson – “Grand Forks (ND) Herald” Thursday
4 Dec 1913 p 7

Name: Knute S. Nelson

Name variations:

Military:

On Tuscania: 107th Eng. - private

Serial number: 251,677

Entered service from: Northwood, Grand Forks ND

Sailed on “Tuscania” as: Knute S. Nelson

Next-of-kin on “Tuscania”: father Svennung Nelson, Northwood ND

Returned from war on: "Haverford" May 1919

Sailed on return ship as: Knute S. Nelson

Next-of-kin on return ship & rank: father Svennung Nelson, Northwood ND (wagoner, 107th Engineer Train)

World War I draft registration (1917): as Knute Nelson - b. 22 Mar 1888 Northwood ND; res: 611 Dayton Ave., Cudahy WI. Single. Painter, Federal Rubber Co., Cudahy WI. Tall & stout.

World War II draft registration (1942): as Knute S. Nelson - b. 22 Mar 1888 Northwood ND; res: Resthaven [National Soldiers Home], Waukesha, Waukesha WI. NOK contact Veterans Administration, Minneapolis MN. Unemployed. Height: 6' – 175 lbs.

Veterans Administration Military Index:

Enlisted: 15 Jul 1917

Discharged: 27 May 1919

Address: YMCA, Grand Forks ND

Rank/unit: wagoner, 107th Engineers Train

Birth & death:

Born: 22 Mar 1888 Northwood, Grand Forks ND

Died: 9 May 1971 Milwaukee, Milwaukee WI

Find A Grave record: 24322083 – presence on Tuscania indicated in text

Burial location: Northwood, Grand Forks ND

Cemetery: Northwood

Tombstone: veteran flat: Wisconsin Wagr 107 Engineers WWI

Father: Svennung Nelson, 29 Jan 1854 Bo commune, Telemark fylke, Norway – 15 Jan 1920 Grand Forks Co. ND. Naturalized 7 Mar 1888 in Dakota Territory. Buried in Northwood Cemetery, Northwood, Grand Forks ND.
Find A Grave: 24322074

Mother: Sigrí [or found as Sigrid] Thorvilleson (on daughter Dora's ND death certificate) or Tohervildson (on son Nels's ND death certificate) Nelson, 27 Dec 1860 Peterson, Fillmore MN – 16 Feb 1932. Daughter of Knue Thorvilson Fjelstad & Sigrí Reine, both born Norway,

according to her ND death certificate. Buried in Northwood Cemetery, Northwood, Grand Forks ND.

Find A Grave: 24322071

Parents' marriage:

Spouse: Rosa --- Nelson. Listed as wife, living at 1314 Dell Ave., Grand Forks ND, when Knute is a resident of the US National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, in Milwaukee WI, 1926-1927. He lists himself as married in the 1930 & 1940 censuses.

A Knute S. Nelson married Rose Newark on 9 Aug 1922 in Hennepin Co. MN

Is this Rose Newark, 13 Dec 1895 (or 1894 on tombstone) – Jul 1963, SSN 502-09-2932, buried in Calvary Cemetery, Grand Forks, Grand Forks ND, F: 21280948?

Spouse Find A Grave:

Marriage:

<https://www.ancestry.com/discoveryui-content/view/91159667:70873> :

<u>Detail</u>	Source
Name:	Rose Newark
Marriage Date:	9 Aug 1922
Marriage Place:	Hennepin, Minnesota, USA
Spouse:	Knute S Nelson
Certificate Number:	2600104
URL:	https://moms.mn.gov/

Children:

Siblings: An additional sibling had died by the 1900 census.

- Nels S. Nelson, 11 Feb 1884 ND – 1 Mar 1961 Northwood, Grand Forks ND. Married in 1906 to Christine Qualheim (1881-1963, F: 24310477). Buried in Northwood Cemetery, Northwood, Grand Forks ND. F: 24310483
- Stella Jonetta Nelson Haugo, 13 Dec 1886 Nelson Co. ND [Feb 1887 in the 1900 census] – 12 Oct 1921 Grand Forks Co. ND. Married on 18 Dec 1905 in Grand Forks ND to Halvor Halvorsen, who became Halvor Haugo (1881-1945, F: 24322096). Buried in Northwood Cemetery, Northwood, Grand Forks ND. F: 24322104
- John S. Nelson, 11 Dec 1889 Northwood, Grand Forks ND – 17 Jan 1975 Indianapolis, Marion IN. SSN 502-09-4833. Married Mabel Christine Eiden (Eidem) in Nov 1915 in Grand Forks Co. ND. Buried in West Union Cemetery, Northwood, Grand Forks ND. F: 23893558
- Dora Nelson Buraas, 1 Jun 1892 Northwood, Grand Forks ND – 23 Dec 1975 Northwood, Grand Forks ND. Wife of Edwin Buraas (1889-1965, F: 24322107). Buried in Northwood Cemetery, Northwood, Grand Forks ND but not on Find A Grave as of 30 Mar 2022.
- Susan (Susanna) Nelson Hanson, 21 Feb 1895 Northwood, Grand Forks ND – 15 Nov 1979 Waco, McLennan TX. SSN 544-05-5502. Wife of Harry Melvin Hanson (1892 ND – 1970 CA,

SSN 543-05-2666, buried in CA, F: 218918685), whom she married 2 Dec 1913 in Grand Forks Co. ND. In the 1940 census, Harry M. Hanson (46 ND) & wife Susan M. (45 ND) lived with son Marlowe S. (25 ND) in Eugene, Lane OR. In 1935 they had lived in Hopple, Walsh ND.
 - Susan is buried in Oakwood Cemetery, Waco, McLennan TX. F: 142281742

Notes:

Pre-war:

Wartime:

Post-war:

Admitted Dec 1926, discharged Dec 1927 from US National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, Milwaukee WI.

Obituary:

Social Security number: 473-05-5713

Censuses:

1900 Northwood, Grand Forks ND

Somau Nelson [or some version of Svennung], 46 Norway, Jan 1854, parents b. Norway, emigrated 1872, in US for 28 years, naturalized, married 17 years, farmer

Sigri [indexed as Egra but misread], 37 MN, Feb 1862, parents b. Norway, gave birth to 7 children, 6 are living

Nels Christian, 16 ND, Feb 1884

Stella Johanne, 12 ND, Feb 1887

Knut, 12 ND, Mar 1888

John, 9 ND, Feb 1890

Dahra, 7 ND, Jun 1892

Susanna, 5 ND, Feb 1895

1910 Northwood, Grand Forks ND – parents & some of his siblings

Svenone Nelson, 56 Norway, parents b. Norway, in 1st marriage, married 27 years, emigrated 1871, naturalized

Sigri, 48 MN, gave birth to 7 children, 6 are living

Dora, 18 ND

Susanna, 15 ND

Johne, 20 ND

[no occupation listed for anyone]

1920 Northwood, Grand Forks ND

Sven M. Nelson, 65 Norway, parents b. Norway, emigrated 1871, naturalized 1885 [no occupation listed]

Sarah, 58 MN, parents b. Norway

Knut, 32 ND, laborer, grain farm

1930 Minneapolis, Hennepin MN - Minnesota State Soldiers Home – on line 40

Knute S. Nelson, 42 ND, married, age 35 at 1st marriage, father b. Sweden, mother b. IA, inmate, WWI veteran

1940 Minneapolis, Hennepin MN - Minnesota State Soldiers Home – same place in 1935 - on line 78

Knute S. Nelson, 52 ND, married, inmate