

**STATE OF MINNESOTA**

**DISTRICT COURT**

**COUNTY OF HENNEPIN**

**FOURTH JUDICIAL DISTRICT**

**Memorial**

**on**

**Charles Adolph Eck**

**December 6, 1882 – April 24, 1937**

**Charles Adolph Eck was born in Wara, Vasterjotland, Sweden, on December 6th 1882, where he lived with his parents for the first eight years of his life, after which time, in 1890, they came to the United States, settling in Mineville in New York, at which place he lived for a period of nearly two years, when he came with his parents to Minneapolis, and here he spent the remainder of his life.**

**Here is where he obtained his early training: These were the days when Minneapolis was making lumber, and sawmills were all along the Mississippi River, out to Forty fifth Avenue North, and here the father of Charles Adolph Eck obtained work to support his family of several children, of whom Charles was the youngest. Here Charles Eck attended the public schools and finished his early education.**

**Then he entered the printing trade, at which trade he worked for a period of about six years and then went into**

**partnership with his brother Earl in the grocery business and continued in that business for about two years.**

**In 1914 he obtained a position in the offices of Frank and Louis Hubachek, as a clerk, and about the same time matriculated as a student in the Minneapolis College of Law, from which institution he graduated in June 1918 and was admitted to the bar June 11th 1918.**

**That same year he left the employment of the Hubacheks' and became a deputy clerk of the Municipal Court of Minneapolis and worked in that office for about two years, and then engaged in the practice of law in the year 1920; he became ill in the summer of 1922 and was never really well up to the time of his death. He entered Glen Lake Sanitarium in October 1936 and passed this life at that place on April 24th 1937; he was buried from the Enger Funeral Home April 28th 1937 and interment in Crystal Lake Cemetery**

**In September 1919 he married Marie Benzen, who survived him; there were no children of that marriage.**

**His religious belief was according to the Lutheran Church, in which church he was confirmed, and he died a member of that body.**

**Respectfully submitted,**

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