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HISTORY

Plains Folk was published by the North Dakota Institute for Studies in 1988 as part of the North Dakota Centennial Heritage Series, documenting the history of the various ethnic groups in North Dakota. The book's editors were William C. Sherman and Playford V. Thorson. Other authors included Warren A. Henke, Timothy J. Kloberdanz, Theodore B. Pedeliski, and Robert P. Wilkins.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

The End Notes contains footnote citations for each of the chapters in *Plains Folk*. The one exception is the chapter devoted to Scandinavians written by Playford Thorson, for which there are no known

footnotes. At the end of each chapter is a ‘Bibliographic Essay’ listing books and articles likely used by the author in writing the chapter. The copy of the published *Plains Folk* in this collection has the corresponding number of each footnote labeled in pen on the appropriate page. In the contents listing below the number of citations for each chapter is given in parentheses.

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