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BIOGRAPHY

Born 1841 at Grand Rapids, Mich., Civil War veteran, founder of Hankinson, N.D., and prominent in early telegraph and telephone service in North Dakota, died 1911.

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