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Swenson, Nels (1862 - 1963)

Nels Swenson Records, 1959

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BIOGRAPHY

Born near Holmes City, Minn. Orphaned at age six, worked as a field hand on the Adams Farm (also known as Fairview Farm), Mooreton, N.D., worked briefly for the railroad, later repaired and maintained farm equipment. Wed Volle Olsen in 1927; she died in 1956. Retired to Fargo, N.D.

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