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BIOGRAPHY

Born near Edgar, Wisc., son of Anton J. and Louise (Gartmann) Schmirler. Ordained in 1942 in Fargo, N.D. by Bishop Aloysius J. Muench. He served Catholic parishes at Rugby, Blumenfeld, Page, Munich, Enderlin, and Wild Rice, N.D. Author of history books concerning Vesleyville and Page, N.D. Died at Vesleyville.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

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