

Erick Erickson

Erick Erickson, of Cooperstown, was born in Bergen, Norway, on the 20th of June, 1853, the youngest of 3 boys and 2 girls. In 1856, his step-father, Jacob Hallen brought his family to U.S., to Dane Co., Wisc. for 2 years - then to Jackson Co where he farmed the rest of his life. Erick Erickson's eldest brother, Absalom, was in Civil war as a member of a Wisc Cavalry Co.

In 1882 Erick Erickson filed on a homestead in Nelson Co., where he lived 7 years, then he sold out and moved to Cooperstown, having an implement ~~the~~ business for 2 years, then with general merchandise added until 1906 when he started the same at Jessie NW 1/4. then traded his store for ^{farm} land, and in partnership with J. G. Thompson and Oliver Hoff started a store at Sutton, a new town.

In Jan, 1884 Mr. Erickson married Miss Miss Isabella Tve taken, born in Norway.
Children - Edwin, married Clara Hammer
Myrtle.

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