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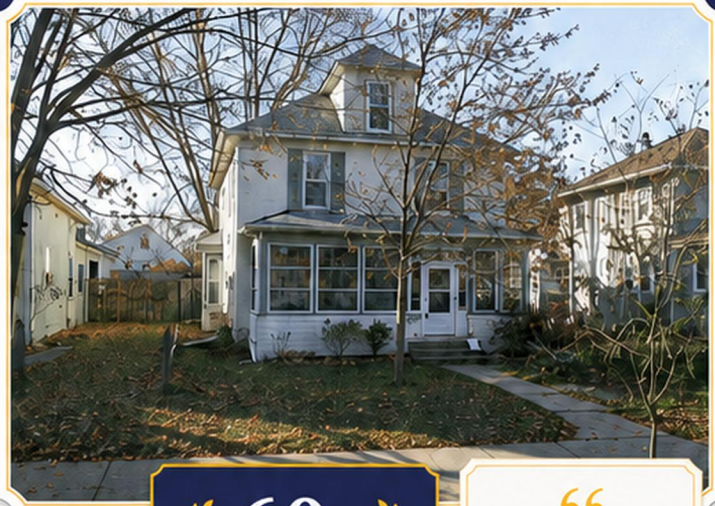
DISCOVER THE STORIES BEHIND HOMES

## — HOMEOWNER TIMELINE —

# 4534 Blaisdell Avenue

*Minneapolis, Minnesota*

Surviving city directory and census records trace the story of this home from 1903 to 1963.



**60+**  
YEARS  
OF RESIDENT HISTORY

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*Every home  
has a story.  
We find it.*

**1903–1910**

### Clyde H. & Mildred Hardacker

Earliest recorded residents. Clyde worked in the electrical and mechanical trades and later advertised electric automobile repairing. Mildred worked as a stenographer.

**1911**

### The Lewis Household

Carl H. Lewis, a reporter for The Bradstreet Co., and Silas M. Lewis, a salesman, were recorded here. Mildred Hardacker also briefly remained at the address.

**1912–1914**

### The Curtis Family

Frank H. Curtis lived here with George, Mabel, and Susie Curtis. Frank worked in sales and as a clerk. Mabel was a clerk; Susie was a proofreader. Raymond E. Davis also lived here.

**1915–1916**

### Marcus & Jessie Ball

Marcus was listed as a laborer. Jessie worked as a stenographer for real-estate title and abstract companies.

**1917–1919**

### Milo & Mary Bancroft

Milo worked as a cashier for Cedar Lake Ice Co. The 1920 census also lists Mary and their niece Ella M. Brooks.

**1920–1950**

### The Allen Family

Multiple generations of the Samuel and Mary Allen family called the house home for three decades, including Josephine and Carrie Allen, Stanley Moore, Harry, Samuel, James, Rose, Robert, and later Edward Blewett.

**1953–1955**

### The Knaeble Household

Robert H. and Lorraine A. Knaeble were recorded at the home. Robert was a clerk for Bemis Bag in 1953 and an accountant by 1955. Other residents included Clifford Odden, Leo J. Giesen, and Ole Anderson.

**1956–1963**

### George & Adeline Rust

George worked in waterproofing, including with Dry Basements Inc. In 1958 the business itself was also recorded at this address. George W. Rust Jr. also lived here.

**Sources:** Minneapolis city directories and census records •  
Resident history currently traced 1903–1963



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