

MEMORIAL

TO

HENRY N. SWANSTROM

(May 12, 1890 ▪ January 4, 1938)

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**Hennepin County Bar Association
Minneapolis, Minnesota
February 5, 1938**

**MEMORIAL TO
HENRY N. SWANSTROM**

**READ AT THE
HENNEPIN COUNTY BAR ASSOCIATION MEMORIAL
HELD ON SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 5, 1938.**

Henry N. Swanstrom was born at Lake Park, Minnesota, in the year 1886 (sic) of Swedish parentage. He completed his grade school education at Lake Park and graduated from high school at Detroit Lakes in 1904.

That same year he matriculated at the University of Minnesota, graduating from that institution in 1908. That same year he established a real estate business in Minneapolis and was conducting the same while securing a legal education at the Minnesota College of Law preparatory to his admission to the Bar in 1918.

In 1933 he moved with his family to Seattle, Washington, where he resumed his real estate business, but ill health forced him to retire. His passing occurred at Bellingham, Washington, on January 4th, 1938, having reached the age of fifty-one years. He leaves surviving, his widow, Ethellyn, two daughters, Carol and Jean, a sister and three brothers.

The name of Henry Swanstrom is unfamiliar to the majority of the members of the Bench and Bar, for the reason that the years he lived in Minneapolis, his time and efforts were confined largely to his real estate business, which he so successfully operated, but his business associates and the members of his Law Class, of which I was one, were proud to

know Henry Swanstrom and to be numbered among his friends.

Combined with a genial disposition and friendly attitude Mr. Swanstrom was possessed of a character that lent credit to the profession of law, and it is with profound regret that we record his passing.

While Henry Swanstrom has departed from this life, there still remains in the hearts and minds of his friends and associates kindly memories of a wholesome and trustworthy, friend and gentleman.

Prepared by A. L. Dretchko.

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Addendum

According to Aancerstry.com, Henry Swanstrom was born on May 12, 1890. He was admitted to the Minnesota bar on June 11, 1918.

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