

☀ *Law Office of C.A. Lindbergh* 1892 —

C.A. Lindbergh and his brother, Frank A. Lindbergh, had law offices in many different locations in Little Falls over the years. Their first location was in the Butler Block on the corner of **1st St. E. and Broadway**. This building is now USBank, formerly First National Bank, of which C.A. was an original shareholder and a member of the board of directors.

☀ *Law Office of C.A. Lindbergh* 1907 —

The second building that C.A. and Frank Lindbergh had law offices in was the Kiewel building in downtown Little Falls. This building, which currently houses the Fitness Connection, is located at the corner of **Broadway E. and Kidder Street**.

☀ *Law Office of C.A. Lindbergh* 1916 —

C.A.'s law office was located in Martin Engstrom's hardware/department store at **109 Broadway W**. This building is gone now, but it was located in the space between the West Side Bar and the brick warehouse with the murals painted on it. Martin Engstrom was a friend and mentor to Charles Jr.

☀ *Lindbergh Block* —

105 Broadway E. was the location of the Lindbergh Block, a building that C.A. Lindbergh built in 1893. The building burnt and was rebuilt as a shoe store and now is being occupied by USBank.

☀ *C.A. Lindbergh business dealings* —

C.A. was on the board of directors of the German American National Bank, which is located on the SW corner of **Broadway E. and 1st St. E.** The building is now law offices. (Note: The German American National Bank was changed to the American National Bank upon American entrance into WWI — you can still see on the side of the building where the word "German" was cemented out.)

☀ *Lindbergh Family Homes* —

The house that C.A. and his first wife, Mary LaFond Lindbergh, lived in during their marriage is located at **608 Broadway E.** and is still standing at that location, about three blocks west of Charles A. Lindbergh Elementary School. This is a private residence and not open to the public. In the 1890's, all of the Lindberghs and Lindbergh-in-laws lived in this same area. August and Louisa Lindbergh, C.A.'s parents, and Frank, C.A.'s brother, lived at **105 7th St. E.**; Juno Lindbergh Butler, C.A.'s sister and her husband, W.A. Butler, lived at **603 Broadway E.**, this house is a private residence and still stands today; Linda Lindbergh Seal, C.A.'s sister and her husband, Joseph Seal (who, as superintendent of schools, introduced new chemistry teacher Evangeline Land to widower C.A. Lindbergh in 1900), lived at **709 1st Ave. N.E.**; and Moses and Harriet LaFond, C.A.'s father- and mother-in-law who he had originally boarded with when he first moved to Little Falls in the mid-1880's, lived at **412 2nd Ave. N.E.** Only C.A. and Juno's homes stand today.

Additional information on Lindbergh Sites in Long Prairie, Melrose and Crosby, Minnesota can be obtained at the **Little Falls Convention & Visitors Bureau at 606 S.E. 1st Street**, Little Falls, MN 56345 or by calling (800) 325-5916 or by website at littlefallsmn.com.

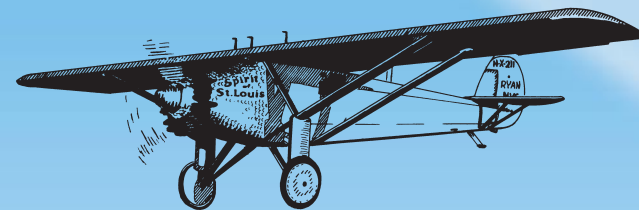
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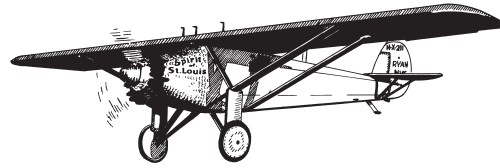


Little Falls, MN



Charles Lindbergh's Boyhood Home

Charles A. Lindbergh, Jr. was born to C.A. Lindbergh and Evangeline Lodge Land Lindbergh on February 4, 1902. He was raised on his family farm in Little Falls, MN on the western banks of the Mississippi River. His mother had come to Little Falls from Detroit, Michigan to be a chemistry teacher at the high school; his father was a lawyer and businessman in Little Falls and had recently been widowed with two young daughters. As you tour Little Falls, imagine the Lindbergh family living here between 1885 and 1920. Experience the changes and progress this family made in the city and listen to the voices of an era gone by, paving the way for one of America's most famous sons.



☀ *Charles A. Lindbergh's childhood home —*

Charles Lindbergh's childhood home is located at **1620 Lindbergh Drive S.** The famous aviator spent his boyhood summers and a few winters at this home on the Mississippi. The house is now owned and operated by the Minnesota Historical Society and is open for guided tours from Memorial Day - Labor Day, 10-5 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday and noon-5 p.m. on Sundays, and weekends in September and October. Closed Mondays, except holidays. Historical Society also operates a History Center at the site. Call (320) 616-5421 or www.mnhs.org/lindbergh

☀ *Charles A. Lindbergh State Park —*

The Charles A. Lindbergh State Park is located across the street from the Lindbergh Home and is comprised of over 400 acres, 93 of which are from the original Lindbergh farm. A home which was occupied by tenant farmers is still standing on the property, and various signs throughout the park document not only Lindbergh points of interest, but also natural and historical points as well. The park has camping facilities, hiking and skiing trails, and picnic grounds. Daily or annual park permits are required to enter the state park. Call (320) 616-2525 for more information.

☀ *Hotel site —*

The Buckman Hotel, at the corner of **1st Ave. S.E. and 1st St. E.**, was the hotel the Lindberghs stayed at while their second house was being built in 1905. The original Buckman burned down and was rebuilt on the same site. This building has been restored and is now used as senior congregate living.

☀ *Site of Evangeline Lodge Land Lindbergh's first residence in Little Falls —*

The Antlers Hotel, where C.A. and Evangeline Lodge Land, Charles' mother, were living when they met in 1900, was located on the corner of **2nd St. W. and Broadway W. 2nd St. W.** is now Lindbergh Drive and Our Lady of Lourdes Catholic Church is on the site where the Antlers stood.

☀ *Charles A. Lindbergh's high school —*

The former Little Falls High School building is located at **109 2nd Ave. N.E.** Charles briefly attended school here in 1915 and returned for his senior year in 1917. Due to the outbreak of WWI, in midwinter, the school district offered full academic credit to boys who would take the place of farm workers who had been drafted, and Charles took advantage of this offer. He graduated on June 5, 1918. (It is rumored that Charles once drove through the first floor hallway of this school on his motorcycle.) Half of this building has been torn down; the remaining structure is empty.

☀ *Lindbergh cemetery plot —*

C.A.'s first wife, Mary LaFond Lindbergh, their youngest daughter Edith and their oldest daughter Lillian Roberts are all buried together in Oakland Cemetery. This cemetery is located south of Little Falls on **4th St. S.E.** on the right (north) side of the road just past the Highway 10 overpass. The main entrance is the second entrance to the cemetery and the Lindbergh plot is just south of this main road on Lindbergh Street, between the Calhouns, the Rothwells and the Lindgrens. Mary's stone is a long, flat stone with a raised cross stretching the length of it; Edith is buried to the left of her and Lillian is buried to the right. Oakland Cemetery is open from sunrise to sunset. (320) 632-3792.