

Endnotes for Emma Kennett: A Rogers Park Working Mother (1891-1985)

- ¹ United States Census, 1910, Chicago Ward 27, Enumeration District 1207, sheet 3A, lines 14-19.
- ² United States Census, 1910, Chicago Ward 21, Enumeration District 0931, sheet 3, lines 38 & 40.
- ³ Social Item: Wedding Announcement, *Chicago Inter-Ocean*, June 30, 1913, page 4.
- ⁴ World War I Draft Registration, James Covington Kennett, filed September 12, 1918, Chicago Local Board 55.
- ⁵ United States Census, 1920, Chicago Ward 25, Enumeration District 1467, sheet 2A, lines 45-49.
- ⁶ Classified Ad Real Estate For Sale, "Stop and Think," *Chicago Tribune*, January 16, 1921, page 83.
- ⁷ Classified Ad Real Estate for Sale, "We will build ..." *Chicago Tribune*, June 11, 1922, page 149.
- ⁸ Cook County Death Index Record, FHL Film #1378970, John Anton Anderson, died September 23, 1922.
- ⁹ "Woman Builder Wins Fortune in Three Years," *Chicago Tribune*, June 26, 1927, page 11.
- ¹⁰ For example, the 1927 Tribune article makes no mention of Rousseau, while the 1954 profile of Rousseau cited below clearly states he was a partner in the business.
- ¹¹ "Negro Leaves Southern Home, Becomes Top-Notch Building Contractor," *Chicago Tribune*, November 7, 1954, part 3, page 13, NW edition and other regional sections
- ¹² "Real Estate Wanted. To Improve. Save \$2,500," *Chicago Tribune*, April 20, 1924, page 125.
- ¹³ A Kennett Construction ad offering a building at 6509 N. Artesian for sale directed inquiries to "owner at 6444 N. Artesian." *Chicago Tribune*, March 30, 1924, page 108.
- ¹⁴ "Real Estate for Sale. Apartments – North Side," *Chicago Tribune*, February 26, 1928, page 123.
- ¹⁵ "Makes Ordinary Flats Look Like Private Homes," *Chicago Tribune*, February 26, 1928, page B2.
- ¹⁶ US Federal Reserve @ <https://www.federalreservehistory.org/essays/stock-market-crash-of-1929>.
- ¹⁷ "Negro Leaves Southern Home, Becomes Top-Notch Building Contractor," previously cited.
- ¹⁸ "Lady Builder Testifies: Unable to Pay Bank, Woman Tells Judge," *Chicago Daily News*, February 8, 1932, page 3.
- ¹⁹ "Cash Ready, But Where are the Bondholders? Mrs. E.C. Kennett Lacks List After Bank Closes" *Chicago Tribune*, June 30, 1932, page 24.
- ²⁰ Hunt Chicago Builder's Body in Gold Mine," *Chicago Tribune*, August 20, 1935, page 3.
- ²¹ "Youth Confesses Mine Murder of Chicagoan," *Chicago Daily Times*, August 22, 1935, page 3.
- ²² "Hang 3 Killers," *The Chicago Daily Times*, May 22, 1934, page 5.
- ²³ Illinois Bell Chicago Telephone Directory White Pages, listing for Emma Kennett, 6341 N Sheridan Rd.
- ²⁴ United States Census, 1940, Chicago Ward 48, Enumeration District 103-3069, sheet 12A, lines 32-40.
- ²⁵ *Landmark Designation Report, Sheridan Road Mansions*, Exhibit A, page 7. City of Chicago, Commission on Chicago Landmarks. April 4, 2013.
- ²⁶ "Edward Shepard Dies; Chicagoan Since 1865," August 22, 1922, page 19.
- ²⁷ Death Notice: Karen Marie Jones, nee Anderson: *Chicago Tribune*, April 19, 1937, page 24.
- ²⁸ "Six NU Students Injured in Crash," *Daily Northwestern*, January 10, 1939, page 1, continuation on page 2.
- ²⁹ "Students' Car in Fatal Crash," *Chicago Tribune*, January 9, 1939, page 3.
- ³⁰ "Kennett Reported Improved," *Daily Northwestern*, January 11, 1939, page 1, continuation on page 2.
- ³¹ World War II Draft Registration, Maynard William Kennett, filed October 16, 1940, Chicago Local Board 76.
- ³² "Hero's Mother is Presented D.S.C.," *Chicago Sun*, July 27, 1946, page 5, also *Chicago Daily Times*, page 4.
- ³³ Find-A-Grave.com Memorial ID# 210259268, James Covington Kennett Sr. (October 28, 1881-July 1, 1935).
- ³⁴ See a list of her known projects in Lake Forest: https://www.landmarks.org/women_built_type/emma-kennett/
- ³⁵ United States Census, 1950, Vernon Township, Lake County, IL, H.D. District 49-136, page 2, Maynard Kennett.
- ³⁶ Death Notice, "Harold E. Penner," *Chicago Tribune*, page 23, April 25, 1964.
- ³⁷ "Hotel Bought for \$530,000," *The Los Angeles Times*, August 4, 1961, page 26.
- ³⁸ "They Were There," *Chicago Tribune*, page 22, July 2, 1952.
- ³⁹ Find-A-Grave.com Memorial ID# 88052232, Emma C. Kennett (February 9, 1891-June 13, 1985).