



Green Lake County Sheriff's Internship Capstone

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“Green Lake County has only existed since 1858 but its settlement started much earlier. Originally under the judicial jurisdiction of Brown County, the territory was established as Marquette County in 1836 and fully organized in 1848 with the county seat at Marquette. Green Lake County was separated from Marquette County by an Act of Legislation in 1858 with the county seat at Berlin. In 1862, the citizens voted to move the county seat to Dartford, (now known as Green Lake). In 1863 the first courthouse was built in Dartford at the present site. In 1866 dissension between the factions moved the county seat to Princeton with a early morning raid on the records. In the same year, the Supreme Court ordered the county seat back to Dartford. Later attempts were made to detach the western towns from Fond du Lac County to Green Lake County and make Ripon the county seat. Those efforts failed. Green Lake County now consisted of the City of Berlin, the Town of Berlin, Town of Brooklyn, City of Green Lake, Town of Green Lake, Town of Kingston, Village of Kingston, Town of Mackford, Town of Manchester, City of Markesan, Town of Marquette, Village of Marquette, City of Princeton, Town of Princeton, Town of St. Marie, and Town of Seneca.”

(Green Lake County History. Green Lake County, WI. (n.d.).

<https://www.greenlakecountywi.gov/general/green-lake-county-history/>

Capt. James A. Biggert

1868-1870 Served as Sheriff of Green Lake County

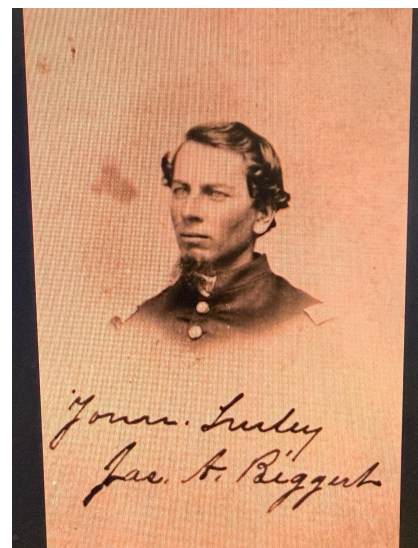
Born In Hamilton, Ontario, Canada 1838-04-19

Died 1903-10-6 Green Lake County Wisconsin

Oakwood Cemetery, Berlin, Wisconsin

Married to: Jane Megran Biggert (1841-1884) 10 Children

Further Information: “Capt. Biggert is a Republican in politics, and has held various official positions of honor and trust. In 1868 he was elected Sheriff of Green Lake County, and served two years. He was School Commissioner eight years, and prior to the war was School Superintendent of the town of Seneca, also Chairman of the Board of Supervisors of that town. He served six years as Deputy United States Marshal, and



has held the office of Justice of the Peace of Berlin since 1882. He was one of the charter members of John H. Williams Post, No. 4, G. A. R., which was organized Sept. 8, 1866, and which is the oldest Post having a continuous existence in the State. He has served as Commander three terms, and is the present incumbent. He is also a member of Berlin Lodge, No. 38, A. F. & A. M.”

Citation: Marie, J. (2013, December 28). *Capt James A. Biggert (1838-1903) - find a grave...*
Find a Grave. https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/122317234/james_a-biggert

Frederich William Cooke

Served as sheriff from (1870-1876)

Born 1829-03-05

Died 1890- 07-28

Princeton City Cemetery, Princeton, Wisconsin

Married to: Jessie Jane Hargrave Cooke (1831-1914)

2 Children:

Walter Cooke (1852-1913), Mary Cooke (1853-1863)

SGT. David M. Green

Served as Sheriff from (1877-1878)

Born: 1825-09-25

Died: 1894-05-05

Princeton City Cemetery Princeton, Green Lake County, Wisconsin

Married to: Emily A Green (1835-1862) Mary Green (1832-1904)

Children- Edgar M. Green (1859-1879)

Further Information: Quartermaster Sergeant, Company L, 18th Pennsylvania. Enlisted on November 11, 1862. Discharged by General Order No. 77 A.G.O. on July 21, 1865 from U.S. General Hospital in Cumberland, Maryland.

GREEN, D. M. (n.d.). *findagrave memorial*. Findagrave.

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/73941708/david-m-green>

Samuel James Ellis Sr

Served as sheriff from (1878-1882)

Born: 1823 New York, USA

Died: 1900-10-10

Oakwood Cemetery, Berlin, Wisconsin

Married to: Aseneth Ellis (1828-1923)

Children: Elmina Ellis (1846-1902), Samuel Ellis Jr (1847-1912), Alfred Ellis (1851-1893), Ella (1858-1938), George Ellis (1861-1938).



E.C. Miller

Served as Sheriff from (1882-1885)

Note: There was no information that tracks back to E.C. Miller out of Berlin. Further research will need to be done in the future.

Edgar C Smith

Served as Sheriff from (1885-1886)

Born: 1852

Died: 1913

Markesan Memorial Cemetery

Markesan, Green Lake County, Wisconsin

Married to: Marian Wilson Smith (1854-1924) Married in 1876



Children: Edna Marian Smith (1878-1948)

Delos Morris

Served as Sheriff from (1887-1888)

Born: Aug 1851

Died: Feb 1920

Oakwood Cemetery Berlin, Wisconsin

Green Lake County, Wisconsin

Francis Shaw Merrill Sr

Served as Sheriff from (1888-1890)

Born: Feb 1842

Died: Feb 1911

Buried: Princeton City Cemetery, Princeton, Wisconsin

Married: Ellen Griffith Merrill (1846-1942)

Children: Anna Merrill (1865-1892) Luries Merrill (1868-1960) Lena Merrill Ross (1870-1955)

George Henry Merrill (1872-1974) Benjamin F. Merrill (1874-1879) Ora Merrill (1881-1968)

Frank A. Merrill Jr (1884-1932)

Further Information and Military Service

Private

Company I

16th Wisconsin Infantry

Union Army

Civil War

Francis Shaw "Frank" merrill sr. (1842-1911) - find a grave memorial. (n.d.).

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/128721115/francis-shaw-merrill>

Martin Warnke Jr

Served as Sheriff from (1890-1892)

Born: July 1853

Died: Apr 1913

Buried: Oakwood Cemetery, Berlin, Wisconsin, Green Lake County, Wisconsin

Married: Mathilda Elizabeth Warnke (1861-1958)

Children: Mathilda Elizabeth Warnke Schaust (1883-1953)

Lewis M. Bazelry

Served as Sheriff from (1892-1893)

Born: Nov 1846

Died: Jul 1893

Buried: Lakeview Cemetery, Green Lake, Wisconsin, Green Lake County, Wisconsin

Married: Aroline A. Cahoon Bazeley (1853-1933)

Children: Marian Bazelry (1881-1925)

Further Information: Lewis had been chairman of his own town of Green Lake for several successive terms. In 1886 he ran for sheriff on the Democratic ticket and came within 32 votes of being elected in a county that was then Republican by 300 majority. At the fall election of 1892 Lew was elected sheriff of Green Lake county by an overwhelming majority.

Bazeley, L. M. (n.d.). *findagrave memorials* . findagrave.

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/47594895/lewis-m-bazeley>

Charles Henry Russell

Served as Sheriff (1894-1897)

Born: Nov 1840 Vermont, USA

Died: Jan 1912

Buried: Oakwood Cemetery, Berlin, Wisconsin

Married: Ellen M. Russell 1846-1927

Children: Frank H Russell (1869-1924) Will Clayton Russell (1870-1930)

Further Information and Military Experience : Civil War Veteran

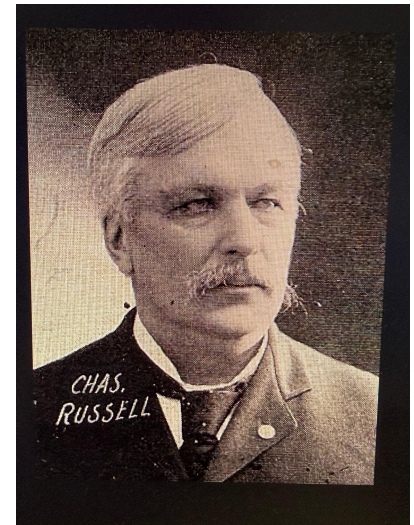
- Enlisted and mustered-in on September 1, 1861, into Company E, 1st Regiment, Wisconsin Cavalry (Union). Enlistment Rank: Sergeant.

The regiment was organized at Rippon and Kenosha, Wis., September 1, 1861, to February 2, 1862. Mustered-in on March 10, 1862. Left State for St. Louis, Mo., March 17, 1862, and duty at Benton Barracks, Mo., till April 28. Moved to Camp Girardeau, Mo., April 28, 1862.

Battles, Skirmishes, and Engagements: Scout and patrol duty in Southeast Missouri till October 1862. Battle of Cape Girardeau, Missouri (Apr 26, 1863); Prisoner of War on April 29, 1863; Imprisoned at Bloomfield, Missouri.

Battles, Skirmishes, and Engagements: Atlanta Campaign; Prisoner of War on May 9, 1864; Taken prisoner at Varnell's Station, Georgia, then confined at Andersonville, Georgia. Note: Testified at war trial of Henry Wirz, Commandant of Andersonville Prison. Promoted to First Lieutenant on February 25, 1865 (Declined); Mustered-out on February 27, 1865. Charles and his two younger sons were owners of a leather shop located in Berlin, Wisconsin. Charles returned back from the war, in hopes of creating a business that would carry his name all throughout Wisconsin. His legacy still continues to this day and will continue for many more years to come.

Heritage shoemaker W.C. Russell Moccasin Co. hand stitches history, Studios, P. C. of I., & Leatherworks, P. courtesy of K. (2022, September 30). *Well worn*. Insight on Business.



https://www.insightonbusiness.com/features/coverstory/well-worn/article_f0b81c28-3aca-11ed-a199-fb9b168ab462.html

Russell, C. H. (n.d.). *findagrave memorial* . findagrave.

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/122087997/charles-henry-russell>

Ramsey J. Evans

Served as Sheriff (1897-1898)

Born: Jul 1849

Died: Feb 1827

Buried: Markesean Memorial Cemetery, Markesan, Wisconsin

Children: Thomas John Evans (1876-1951)

Cassius E. Eaton

Served as Sheriff (1899-1901)

Born: 1865

Died: 1928

Buried: Brooklyn, Green Lake County, Wisconsin

Married: Margaret Eaton (1865-1941)

Children: Donald McClelland Eaton 1899-1934, Kenneth C. Eaton (1903-1992)

Walter H. Ogilvie

Served as Sheriff (1901-1902)

Born: 1862 Minnesota USA

Died: April 1947

Buried: Oakwood Cemetery, Berlin, Wisconsin

Married: Eda G. Rombough (1862-1921)

Children: Effie Haskell (1889-1970), Bessie Ogilvie (1891-1906), Raymond Fletcher Ogilvie (1893-1940) Hazel Ogilvie (1895-1970)

Alex McDonald

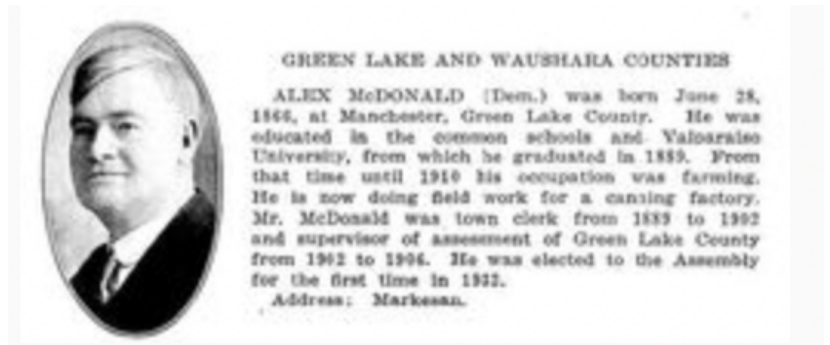
Served as Sheriff (1903-1904)

Born: 28 Jun 1863

Died: 20 Apr 1936

Buried: Saint Mary's Cemetery

Married: Metta Maude McDonald
(1873-1900) Jennie Agnes Coad
McDonald (1871-1959)



Further Information: FORMER WISCONSIN ASSEMBLYMAN DIES

Alex McDonald Heart Disease Victim at Markesan

MARKESAN, Wis.-(AP)-Alex McDonald, Democratic assemblyman from Green Lake and Waushara counties from 1932 to 1934 died late yesterday after a three weeks' illness with heart disease. He will be 70 years old next June 28.

Born in Manchester, Green Lake County, McDonald attended public schools and graduated from Valparaiso University in 1889. From 1889 to 1902 he served as town clerk and from 1902 to 1906 as supervisor of assessments for Green Lake County. He was employed on farms as field man for the Markesan canning factory.

McDonald, A. (n.d.). *findagrave memorials* . findagrave.

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/12196630/alexander-mcdonald>

Louis Alvin “Lute” Merrill

Served as Sheriff (1905-1906)

Born: 17 Sep 1868

Died: 13 Oct 1960

Buried: Princeton City Cemetery, Princeton, Wisconsin

Married: Vashti L. Countryman Merrill (1867-1946)

Children: Curl Elmo Merrill (1890-1983) Lynn L Merrill (1897-1968) Marvel Vesta Merrill (1903-1988)

Fred Willis Thrall

Served as Sheriff (1907-1908)

Born: 1855

Died: 1940

Buried: Bluffton Cemetery Brooklyn, Green Lake County, Wisconsin

Married: Marian E. Palmer (1857- 1888) Lillian May Willis Thrall (1868-1946)

Children: Guy W. Thrall (1893-1974) Ray Lester Thrall (1896-1978) Goldie Mae Thrall (1899-1974) Orrin F. Thrall (1902-1972) Ora Rose Thrall (1905-1996) Fred W Thrall (1909-1965)

Cassius E. Eaton

Served as Sheriff (1909 -1910)

Born: 1865

Died: 1928

Buried: Brooklyn, Green Lake County, Wisconsin,

Married: Margaret Eaton (1865-1941)

Children: Donald McClelland Eaton 1899-1934, Kenneth C. Eaton (1903-1992)

A.J. Wise

Served as Sheriff (1911- 1912)

Note: There was very limited information regarding Mr. Wise (Sheriff out of Berlin, Wisconsin).

Further information will be researched at a later time.

Howard L. Alling

Served as Sheriff (1913-1914)

Born: Nov 1871

Died: Nov 1943

Buried: Dartford Cemetery, Green Lake County, Wisconsin

Married: Agnes M. Davis Alling (1867-1946)

Children: Max Alling (1897-1953), Floy Alling Robinson (1912-1981)

David C. Williams

Served as Sheriff (1915-1916)

Born: 1876 Wisconsin USA

Died: 1936

Buried: Dartford Cemetery, Green Lake County, Wisconsin

Married: Emma Williams (1881-1973)

Children: Blanche Antonen (1902-1992) Beatrice Williams (1903-2000) Lyal Williams (1905-2001) Charlotte Williams (1907-1994) Wayne Goerge Williams (1910- 1995)

George Smazinski

Served as Sheriff (1916-1917)

Born: Apr 1881

Died: 1956

Buried: Saint Stanislaus Cemetery, Wisconsin

Married: Eleanor Smazinski (1888-1936), Marceline Pauline Smazinski (1916-2009)

Children: Gervase Smazinski (1910-1999,) Marceline Smazinski (1916-2009)

Herman Fredrick Wentland

Served as Sheriff (1917-1918)

Born: 2 Sep

Died: 17 Dec 1992

Buried: Manchester Cemetery, Manchester, Wisconsin

Married: Ruby A. Wentland

Children: Lillian Anna Wentland (1916-2005), Ella Mae Wentland (1927-2016)

Herman Friederich Wilke

Served as Sheriff(1919-1920)

Born: 15 Jul 1861

Died: 2 Apr 1939

Buried: Dartford Cemetery Green Lake, Wisconsin

Married: Wilhelmine Fredericka L. Beaudler Wilke (1865-1907)

Children: Amos Herman Wilke (1894-1970), Samuel Richard Wilke (1895- 1983), Lydia L Wilke Beaudler (1897-1956), Gertrude M Wilke Kollman (1907-1988)

Cassius E. Eaton

Served as Sheriff (1921 -1925)

Born: 1865

Died: 1928

Buried: Brooklyn, Green Lake County, Wisconsin

Married: Margaret Eaton (1865-1941)

Children: Donald McClelland Eaton 1899-1934, Kenneth C. Eaton (1903-1992)

Halbert Wilson Brooks

Served as Sheriff (1925-1926)

Born: Dec 1885

Died: March 1963

Buried: Dartford Cemetery, Green Lake Wisconsin

Married: Irene Elizabeth Brooks (1887-1968)

Children: Helen Brooks Sander (1914- 2011)

“Republican. Merchant; athletic coach; Green Lake County Sheriff, 1925-26; elected Wisconsin state assembly from Green Lake and Waushara counties, 1948. Interment at Dartford Cemetery, Green Lake, Wisconsin

A former Wisconsin lawmaker and Green Lake County sheriff, Halbert W. Brooks, 7, died at 8 p.m. Sunday at Riverdale Manor Home of the Retired, Markesan.

Mr. Brooks, son of John R. and Leticia Higbie Brooks, was born in Green Lake on Dec. 9, 1885. He married Irene Gilkey on April 16, 1906.

He received his education in Green Lake Schools, Ripon Academy, and Ripon College and was a retired general merchant. Mr. Brooks was a member of Green Lake Masonic Lodge for over 50 years, a State Legislator for two terms, a former sheriff, and a member of the county board of supervisors. He had also been mayor of the Village of Green Lake and was president of the State Checker Association for 30 years.”

Brooks , H. W. (n.d.). *Findagrave memorial* . findagrave.

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/18752563/halbert-wilson-brooks>

Walter Adolph Smith

Served as Sheriff (1927-1932)

Born: Mar 1900

Died: Dec 1983

Buried: Dartford cemetery, Green Lake, WI

Married: Clara A Smith

Jon F. Kasurski

Served as Sheriff (1933-1934)

Born: 7 May 1889

Died: 2 Nov 1961

Buried: Saint John the Baptist Catholic Cemetery, Fond Du Lac, Wisconsin

Married: Pelagia Peggy Jackowski Kasierski

Leo Theodore Bartol

Served as Sheriff (1935-1940)

Born: May 1899

Died: Mar 1981

Buried: Dartford Cemetery, Green Lake Wisconsin

Married: Vera D. Burns Bartol

Children: Harold Leo Bartol (1921-1964), Bernice H. Bartol (1922-1991), David Author Bartol (1926-1945)

Alfred Christensen

Served as Sheriff (1941-1943)

Born: 1891

Died: 1970 Green Lake Terrace, Green Lake County

Buried: West Lawn Memorial Park Mount Pleasant, Racine County, Wisconsin

Married: Hazel A. Voge Christensen

Further Information: Born Feb. 19, 1891, at Racine, he was the son of Jens and Karen Clausen Christensen. He was educated at Racine, was a retired caretaker of homes on Green Lake's lakeshore and had served as Green Lake County sheriff from 1941 to 1944.

Christensen, A. M. (n.d.). Findagrave.

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/101887021/alfred-morris-christensen>

Hazel Christensen

Served as Sheriff (1944-1946)

Took over as sheriff for her husband Alfred Christensen, reasons were unknown. Alfred endorsed his wife as sheriff for Green Lake County.

Bio info was very limited for Hazel Christensen, further information might become available in future, but as of now, this is all the information I could find.

Alfred Morris Christensen

Served as Sheriff (1946-1947)

Born: 1891

Died: 1970 Green Lake Terrace, Green Lake County

Buried: West Lawn Memorial Park Mount Pleasant, Racine County, Wi

Married: Hazel A. Voge Christensen

Further information: Born Feb. 19, 1891, at Racine, he was the son of Jens and Karen Clausen Christensen. He was educated at Racine, was a retired caretaker of homes on Green Lake's lakeshore and had served as Green Lake County sheriff from 1941 to 1944. He was a member of the Green Lake Masonic Lodge and of the American Legion. He served in World War I. He married Hazel Voge Nov. 5, 1919.



Christensen, A. M. (n.d.). Findagrave.

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/101887021/alfred-morris-christensen>

Joseph Alonzo Walker

Served as Sheriff (1947-1949)

Born: June 1904

Died: Apr 1978

Buried: Kingston Cemetery, Kingston Wisconsin

Married: Katherine Ruth Oskins (1915-2017)

Children: Joanne Ruth Walker (1934-2010) Robert Earl Walker (1937-2009)



Ruth Walker

Served as Sheriff (1950-1951)

Born: Jun 1915

Died: Dec 2017

Buried: In Memoriam Cemetery Wallingford, New Haven County, Connecticut.

Married: **Joseph Alonzo Walker** Husband (1904-1978)

Children: Joanne Ruth Walker (1934-2010) Robert Earl Walker (1937-2009)

Daughter of Joseph Walker

Joseph Alonzo Walker

Served as Sheriff (1951-1954)

Born: June 1904

Died: Apr 1978

Buried: Kingston Cemetery, Kingston, Wisconsin

Married: Katherine Ruth Oskins (1915-2017)

Children: Joanne Ruth Walker (1934-2010) Robert Earl Walker (1937-2009)



Leo Theodore Bartol

Served as Sheriff (1955-1956)

Born: May 1899

Died: Mar 1981

Buried: Dartford Cemetery, Dartford, Wisconsin

Married: Vera D. Burns Bartol

Children: Harold Leo Bartol (1921-1964), Bernice H. Bartol (1922-1991), David Author Bartol (1926-1945)

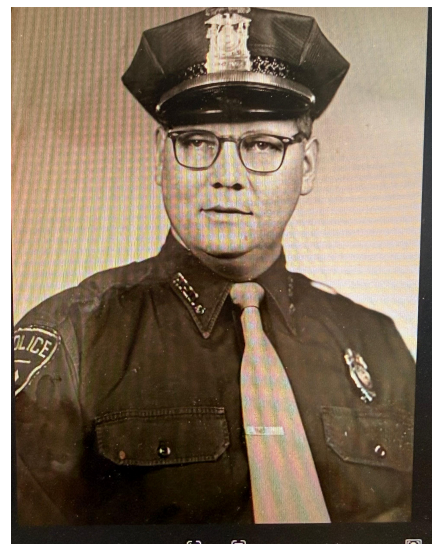
Frank Edward Lieske

Served as Sheriff (1957-1960)

Born: Feb 1930

Died: Jun 1989

Buried: Markesan Memorial Cemetery, Markesan, Green Lake County, Wisconsin



Veteran Korea

Ethel J. Lieske

Served as Sheriff (1961-1962)

Born:1929

Note: There was very limited information regarding Ethel and her time as Sheriff. Further research could be added at a later date.

Attempt to find more information was not successful, but available for further research.

Death date was not found for Ethel, nor was burial location for ethel.



Frank Edward Lieske

Served as Sheriff (1963-1965)

Born: Feb 1930

Died: Jun 1989

Buried: Markesan Memorial Cemetery, Markesan, Green Lake County, Wisconsin

Military Service: Veteran Korea



Lieske, F. E. (n.d.). *Findagrave memorials* . Findagrave.

<https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/153259481/frank-edward-lieske>

Raymond J. Winecki

Served as Sheriff (1965-1977)

Fact: Irene, wife of Raymond, served as his undersheriff, bailiff, escorted female prisoners and mental patients

Wife: Irene Winecki

Children: Kathy Kautz

(Information was provided by Kathy Kautz, daughter of Mr. Winecki)



Herman C. Rasmussen

Served as Sheriff (1977-1986)

Born-October 1, 1926

Died-April 28, 1991 in Wauchula, Florida

Married-Lucille Mehn Rasmussen

Children- Clair Rasmussen Philip Rasmussen Kay Rasmussen Eilert

Married-Katherine Sommerfeldt Rasmussen, 1976

Child Kenneth Sommerfeld



City of Green Lake, patrolman

Green Lake County Sheriff's Deputy, 1961

“He worked his way through the ranks and ran for Green Lake County Sheriff in 1977. Upon winning that race he continued as sheriff until retirement in 1986.

He oversaw the completion of a new county jail complex adjacent to the historic Green Lake County Courthouse.

Upon retirement he split time in Florida and in Green Lake.” (Rasmussen Family provided information regarding Herman, 2026).

Donald Bruendl

Served as Sheriff (1987-1992)

Born: 1930

Died: 2018

“Don was born September 10, 1930, in Port Washington, WI, the son of Joseph and Marcella (Buchholz) Bruendl. He graduated from Port Washington High School in 1948. Don then enlisted in the United States Army. He took his basic training with the 101st Airborne, Army Ordinance School in Baltimore, Maryland. From January 1949 until September 1952, he served his country as a Master Sergeant with the 127th Infantry with the occupation forces in Germany during the Korean War. When he returned, Don worked as Unit Administrator with the Hq 127th Infantry National Guard in Ripon for the next three years.



On October 15, 1955, Don married Joan Henning in Ripon. Then he served as Vice President and salesperson for Van Metres, Inc., auto dealership in Ripon until 1964, when he became owner and operator of Bruendl Pontiac Buick, Inc. until 1972.

Don served Green Lake County in numerous ways. He worked as a special deputy with the Sheriff's Department and for 10 years part-time with the DNR local warden. He was a member

of the Riot Squad and a radio operator and Jailer, investigator for the county, Tri-County drug enforcement, and Undersheriff. Don was elected sheriff in 1987, a position from which he retired in 1992.”

Butzin Marchant Funeral Home. (2023, March 24). *Donald Bruendl obituary January 22, 2018*.

<https://www.butzinmarchant.com/obituaries/donald-bruendl>

Lance Bucholtz

Served as Sheriff (1993-2000)

Served as Undersheriff in 1991

Served as sheriff for 8 years

Born: 1954

Died: 2018

Lance worked for Green Lake County dispatch and the City of Markesan Police Department. He became Undersheriff in Green Lake County under Don Bruendl in 1991 and was elected Sheriff for eight years. He retired from law enforcement in 2005 after 26 years of service. After retirement, Lance was employed as a security officer for ten years at Berlin Memorial Hospital. In 2007, Lance was Past Master of Berlin Masonic Lodge #38 and became an ordained minister for Pathways of Light in 2009. His loves were many - music, reading, discussing politics and the family farm, with his flock of sheep and German Shepherds. Lance was most proud that his son, Adam, represents the 6th generation to farm the family homestead.



Legacy.com, & Legacy. (2018, November 14). *Lance Buchholtz Obituary (1954 - 2018) - Poy Sippi, Wi - Oshkosh Northwestern*. Legacy.com.

<https://www.legacy.com/us/obituaries/thenorthwestern/name/lance-buchholtz-obituary?id=13484>

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Michael M. Handel

Served as Sheriff (2001-2006)



“Mike Handel, was born Oct 1950, Son of Merlin and Betty Handel, raised in Hustisford, Wi, second oldest of six children

Graduated high school in 1969

Joined the US Navy aboard the Aircraft carrier USS Independence, left active duty in 1973, but was still a part of Active Navy Reserve worked as a patrol officer in Berlin, Wisconsin in 1979 until Sheriff Herman Rasmussen offered him a Deputy Sheriff. Married to Jane Safranski, son of Tony which Mike adopted, Erin daughter of Mike and Jane. Promoted to detective, worked very closely prior to becoming sheriff with Sheriff Bucholtz. Implemented Union Management meetings to discuss issues and or concerns within the Sheriffs Office”. (Handel, 2026).

Mark A. Podoll

Served as Sheriff (2007- Current

“Mark A. Podoll has been Sheriff of Green Lake County since January of 2007. He was born and raised in Green Lake County and has committed his professional efforts to the benefit of all citizens. Sheriff Podoll is a 1980 Graduate of Berlin High School, a 1982 Graduate of Fox Valley Technical College, and has over 30 years of Law Enforcement experience from a City, Village, and County perspective. Sheriff Podoll is a graduate of the National Sheriff’s Institute and is a member of the Badger Sheriffs’ and National Sheriffs’ Associations, and also serves on several committees at the state level which shape the future of law enforcement and emergency services in the State of Wisconsin”.

Sheriff. Green Lake County, WI. (2026, January 7).

<https://www.greenlakecountywi.gov/departments/sheriff/>

