

# US-DAKOTA WAR OF 1862 FARIBAULT COUNTY

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## **EVENTS: battles, deaths, injuries.**

### **pre-conflict:**

The county was formed in 1855. It was named for Jean Baptiste Faribault.  
The county history by J.A. Kiester mentions concern over the Spirit Lake Massacre pf 1857.  
A stockade was built at Blue Earth to proect settlers.

Faribault County men served in several different units to fight the US Dakota War. See military below.

September 26, 1862: see **Camp Release; the state breathes a sigh of relief.**

## **(Some) HISTORIC PEOPLE CONNECTED TO CONFLICT**

### **MILITARY UNITS THAT SERVED IN THE US DAKOTA WAR**

2nd MN Volunteer Cavalry, Co. H and Co. K; 5th MN, Co. C and Co. F; 9th MN, Co. D.  
Brackett's Battalion, Minnesota Cavalry, Company B.  
[https://www.familysearch.org/learn/wiki/en/Faribault\\_County,\\_Minnesota](https://www.familysearch.org/learn/wiki/en/Faribault_County,_Minnesota)

## **RESOURCES See Resource section: Book titles and Codes, Journal titles and Codes**

### **Books**

DW  
DWUSArmy  
The History of Faribault County, Minnsota, J.A. Kiester.  
<http://archive.org/details/historyoffaribau00kies>

### **Articles**

### **Photos**

### **Paintings, sketches, & murals:**

## **MONUMENTS & HISTORIC SITES**

## **CEMETERIES WITH GRAVESTONES OF PARTICIPANTS**

FARIBAULT COUNTY HISTORICAL SOCIETY  
405 E. Sixth Street  
Blue Earth, MN 56013  
507-526-5421 no website or email address listed.

## **WEBSITES**