

## Timeline - 19<sup>TH</sup> Century Frontenac

When	Event
For 12,000 years	American Indians inhabit area known as <b>Waconia</b> .
1823	<i>Virginia</i> is first steamboat up Mississippi to Fort St. Anthony-later Fort Snelling.
1830	Treaty of Prairie du Chien establishes Half Breed Tract.
1837	James Wells and family arrives, establishes Indian trading post.
1849	Territory of Minnesota is established.
1850	George Bullard resides at what becomes Waconia Farm.
Summer 1852	Evert Westervelt family arrives in area.
March 1853	Goodhue County is established.
Spring 1854	Wells family moves to Faribault, Evert Westervelt takes over Trading Post.
June 1854	Grand Excursion travels through Lake Pepin.
October 1854	Israel and Lewis Garrard arrive at Lake Pepin.
1855	Evert Westervelt is named first postmaster.
1856	Saw Mill begins operation.
1857	Israel Garrard's cottage, St. Hubert's Lodge, is built.
September 1857	Village of <b>Westervelt</b> is platted.
1857	German immigrants Schlunts and Hassemers arrive from Cincinnati.
1858	Lewis Garrard becomes full time resident.
1858	German immigrants Schneiders and Katzenbergers arrive from Cincinnati.
1858	Quarry and Lime Kiln begin operation.
1858	Boarding House is completed - later called Winona Cottage.
1858	Warehouse on Frontenac Point is completed. Part of it becomes a store.
1858	Minnesota becomes the 32nd State in the Union on May 11th.
1858	German immigrants Wimmer, Weich, and Ackerman arrive from Cincinnati.
1859	Prussian 1852 immigrants Henry and John Hunecke arrive from Red Wing.
1859	Store /post office is built on Frontenac Point.
1859	Little Dacotah Cottage is completed.
1859	Austrian settlers Gottfried & Engelbert Schenach & Engelbert Berktold arrive.
September 1859	Village name is changed to <b>Frontenac</b> .
1860	Schlunt boarding house is completed.
1860	Austrian settler Emmanuel Schenach arrives.
1860	Wurtemberg immigrants Koch, Sauter, and Haller arrive.
1860	Greystone is completed.
1860	St. Hubert's Lodge is enlarged.
1861	Frontenac Hotel is completed.
1861	Brewery is established.
1861	Evert Westervelt moves into Locust Lodge.
1861	Area men leave for Civil War.

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	1862 Augustus Moore family arrives.
	1862 Sarah Bella McLean arrives and lives with son, Lewis Garrard.
	1863 Sarah McLean has Parsonage built and adds bell tower to Community Church.
	1865 Prussian Steffenhagens arrive.
	1865 Area men return from Civil War.
	1866 Israel Garrard becomes full time resident.
	1866 Haller home is built - later called Carlson house.
	1866 Mecklenburg Steffenhagens start arriving.
	1866 Jacob Schneider purchases Frontenac Hotel.
	1866 Flour Mill is established.
	1867 Kate Wood Garrard dies, Frontenac cemetery is established.
	1867 Norwegian immigrant Hans Johnson arrives.
	1867 Frontenac Point warehouse is converted to Lakeside Hotel.
	1867 Post Office is built on Wood Avenue.
August	1868 Lakeside Hotel opens.
	1868 Episcopal Church is built.
	1869 School house is built.
	1870 Joel E. Whitney photographs Frontenac area.
	1870 Norwegian immigrants Finstads and Lokens arrive.
	1870 Lewis Garrard moves to Lake City, mother Sarah McLean moves to Ohio.
	1871 Lighthouse is erected on Frontenac Point.
	1871 Dakota Park race track is established.
	1871 Store / post office is moved across Lake Avenue and building becomes Pavilion.
September	1871 Railroad service begins at the future Frontenac Station site.
	1871 Lakeside Hotel is enlarged and cottages are moved to complex.
January	1872 Frontenac Station is platted.
	1872 Schneider family moves to Frontenac Station and establishes a tavern/store.
	1872 Lorentzens, along with post office, moves to Frontenac Station.
	1874 Fire destroys Community Church.
	1874 Nathaniel Collins McLean takes up full time residence in Frontenac.
	1882 Norwegian immigrants Olsens and Gilbertsons arrive.
	1885 J. Hull Underwood photographs Frontenac area for about a decade.
	1888 Evert Westervelt dies March 7th.
	1888 German Methodist Episcopal Church is established.
	1890 Sea Wing disaster occurs.
	1891 Villa Maria Academy is completed.
	1896 Norwegian Luthern Church is established.
	1901 Israel Garrard dies September 21st.