

OWNERSHIP HISTORY OF PINE SLOPE CEMETERY

October 16, 1890

Original Homestead (#1252) granted from George V. Ayres, Receiver, Rapid City, Dakota Territory to George W. Thompson for \$4.00. N1/2NW1/4, SE1/4NW1/2 of Section 22, SE1/4SW1/4 of Section 15, T8N, R2E, Dakota Territory, 160 acres.

February 9, 1891

Patent granted by Benjamin Harrison, President United States to George W. Thompson for water and mineral rights.

August 26, 1893

Sold public auction to American Investment Company for \$53.52.

February 26, 1897

American Investment Company sold property to City of Belle Fourche for \$1.00.

January 22, 1900

Plat filed with courthouse for the purpose of a cemetery.

February 7, 1912

City of Belle Fourche sold to Joseph Busch, Bishop of the Catholic Church of the Diocese of Lead, SD, 2.4 acres for \$150.00.

October ?, 1920

Joseph Busch now Bishop of Diocese of St. Cloud, MN sold 2.4 acres to the Church of St. Paul, Belle Fourche, SD for \$1.00.

May 18, 1936

Plat filed for blocks F and G, Belle Fourche Cemetery.