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BIRTH 14 Apr 1793 Norway,

**DEATH 29 Apr 1869 (aged 76) Racine County, Wisconsin, USA
BURIAL North Cape Lutheran Cemetery North Cape, Racine County, Wisconsin, USA.**

Beaver Creek settlement to Racine WI. A number of important men came over on the Aegir, notably the following : Mons Adland, Nels Finland, Anders Nordvig and Ole Rynning. Adland came from Samnanger, near Bergen. He settled at Beaver Creek, Iroquois Co., IL., and together with his wife was the last to abandon that marshy and malarial settlement. He then moved to Racine Co.. Wis., becoming the founder of the Yorkville Settlement. His daughter Martha became the wife of Rev. Adolph C. Preus, one of the early patriarchs of the Norwegian Synod. Adland was a brother of Knud Langeland, well known journalist. Anders Nordvig was a brother-in-law of Mons Adland. He died in the Beaver Creek Settlement. His daughter Malinda married Iver Larson Bo who emigrated from Voss, Norway, in 1844. Victor F. Lawson, editor and publisher of the "Chicago Daily News," the largest newspaper in the world, is her son, born 1850. He has been president of The Associated Press, is Father of the Postal Savings Bank in America, established Daily News Fresh Air Fund and Lincoln Park Sanitarium for sick poor children and has been active in philanthropic work.



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