

Sam Morton
Manager Chicago 1888

too the country.
not Sam Morton, formerly manager and
in center fielder of the Toledo base ball
ws. club and well-known here as secretary
too of the Northwestern base ball league,
I is with the Chicago team. Their man-
of ager, E. J. Brabrook also an old base
to ball expert, arrives on Monday to com-
ch plete arrangements. Below are the
his names of the Chicago men and their

Fort Wayne Gazette March 22, 1885

Mr. Sam. G. Morton and wife, of Min-
neapolis, were visitors in Marengo Tues-
day. Mr. Morton is one of the base ball
magnates of the Northwest, and is besides
a retail and wholesale dealer in sporting
goods at Minneapolis.

Marengo Republican-News (Illinois) January 10, 1890

CHANGED MANAGERS.

Sam Morton to Succeed F. A. Cotharin at the T. C. A. C.

F. A. Cotharin yesterday resigned as manager of the Twin City Athletic club, Minneapolis, and it is likely that the board of directors will Monday appoint Sam G. Morton, the ex-base ball manager, to succeed him. The plan of conducting the club is to be changed somewhat and athletic sports are to be boomed more vigorously than ever. Mr. Morton has been actively identified with field and indoor sports, and is personally very popular, so it is likely he will prove the right man for the place. It is also probable that the board of directors will be enlarged, and other steps taken to awaken the general interest of the members. The club house, at 520 Hennepin avenue, is one of the best furnished and equipped establishments of its kind in the country, with a splendid gymnasium. It has been quite prosperous thus far, and there is no reason why it should not continue to be.

St. Paul Globe February 1, 1891

SAM G. MORTON,

The Manager for the Minneapolis Team of 1889.

Sam G. Morton, manager of the Minneapolis team, will undoubtedly make a success of base ball at the Flour City this year if it is a possibility—if expe-



rience and keen judgment are the qualifications necessary. Mr. Morton is and has been a base ball manager both as a matter of love and business for years. He has been the leading light of the Western association since its organization, and has conducted a base ball bureau at Chicago for years. He has been intimately associated with A. G. Spalding for a long time, and those who know the two say the success of the Chicago team has been due in a measure to Morton's ability to pick out good material. His location in Minneapolis as Spalding's agent is an indication that A. G. has his eye fixed on the time when the Twin Cities will enter the National league, and Morton has squatted, as it were, to pre-empt the franchise. He has already done one thing that is a correct move in the direction of making base ball pay in Minneapolis, and that is to secure grounds in a central location. The new park will be just in the rear of the West hotel, and the plans for the building are now in the hands of an architect. Personally Mr. Morton is decidedly agreeable, although he is said to have a disagreeable way of calling attention to the fact when his men don't play ball to suit him. Physically he is a stalwart six-footer, with a frame which indicates athletic training. He is twenty-eight years old.

St. Paul Globe January 20, 1889 28 years old = 1889-28 = 1860 born

...ve and his gallant men and a big thing for the great state they represent.
SAM MORTON WAS THERE.
One of the most interested spectators was Sam G. Morton, so well known in Minneapolis, where he was formerly owner of the baseball club, a sporting goods store on Nicollet avenue and proprietor of the old Twin City Athletic club. Although he has lived in San Francisco for four or five years he has not lost his interest in Minnesota, and he was as pleased as anyone at the triumph of the Minnesota men, for it certainly was a triumph. Morton is confining himself to running horses just at present, being one of the judges at the Oakland track. He appears to be prospering, and has a great standing among horse racing men here. The Oakland track is not going just at present, but Morton tells me that it is three times as fine a place as there is in Minnesota.
One satisfactory result of the drill was

Star Tribune June 24, 1898

Word has been received here that Sam G. Morton's speedy 2-year-old colt Jerome, that raced here in the "baby races," died in Kansas City a few days ago. The colt contracted catarrhal fever while en route to Kansas City from Ascot park. His death is quite a loss to Morton, as the horse gave promise of becoming a good money maker for his owner.

Los Angeles Evening Express April 25, 1904

Samuel Morton, of Idyllwild, was killed when hit by the machine of Stanley Fox, a Culver City business man. Interested in horse racing, Morton, a man well along in years, had removed to Idyllwild, near Culver City, to be there when the races commence tomorrow. He was fatally injured when hit by the Fox machine on Washington boulevard, in Culver City.

Santa Ana Register December 24, 1923

Died December 23, 1923

Spouse: Alla G Osterhout

Father: Abner Cheny Morton

Mother: Susan McClosky

Children: Howard Samuel


Birth: Nov 1859 USA

Name: Samuel Morton
Age: 8/12
Birth Year: abt 1859
Gender: Male
Birth Place: Wisconsin
Home in 1860: Isabelle, Pierce, Wisconsin
Post Office: Bay City
Dwelling Number: 338
Family Number: 337

Household Members:	Name	Age
	Abner Morton	45
	Susan Morton	42
	James Morton	17
	Sarah Morton	16
	Sophia Morton	14
	Caroline Morton	12
	Julius Morton	8
	Samuel Morton	8/12

Married June 16, 1883

Fact Details

 16 Jun 1883

 McHenry County, Illinois

Spouse



Alla G Osterhout
1864-

Name: Saml G Morton
Age: 40
Birth Date: Nov 1859
Birthplace: Michigan
Home in 1900: San Francisco, San Francisco, California
Ward of City: 40
Street: Avery Street
House Number: 8
Sheet Number: 8
Number of Dwelling in Order of Visitation: 117
Family Number: 161

Race: White
Gender: Male
Relation to Head of House: Head
Marital status: Married
Spouse's name: Alla B Morton
Marriage Year: 1881
Father's Birthplace: Michigan
Mother's Birthplace: Michigan
Occupation: Bookmaker at the Booker Rover

Household Members:	Name	Age
	Saml G Morton	40
	Alla B Morton	35
	Glenn Morton	12
	Howard Morton	10
	Anna Osterhout	59