



DRIVABLE ROUTE TO EARN A 2ND ENTRY IN THE GRAND PRIZE DRAWING.

**8. Fargo Water Plant: History marker on corner of
4th Street & 14th Avenue South**

Question: Where was this sign originally located?

9. Lindenwood Park:

164th Infantry monument

Question: The North Dakota National Guard's (NDNG) 164th Infantry became the first U.S. Army unit engaged in offensive action during the Battle of Guadalcanal in WWII. This memorial lists the names of those members of the NDNG that were mobilized into Federal service to join the fight. On what date were they mobilized?

Roger Maris monument

Question: Baseball great Roger Maris moved to Fargo when he was 10 years old. For which sports did Roger Maris win awards while a student at Shanley High School?

USS Robalo monument

Question: Following WWII, each state was assigned one of the submarines lost at sea during the war, by the U.S. Submarine Veterans of WWII, in the hope that each would create a memorial to honor the submarine and her crew. North Dakota was assigned the USS Robalo, and this monument is the result of the ND WWII Submarine Veteran's diligence in fulfilling the state's obligation in 2005. What are the names of the submarines and ND submariners who are memorialized on the four rocks surrounding the monument?



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Grand Prize Drawing Entry 1: *Walkable Route*

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Phone Number: _____

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Grand Prize Drawing Entry 2: *Drivable Route*

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Grand Prize Drawing Entry 3: *Selfie tagged to Fargo Public Library social media*

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DISCOVER THE HISTORY OF FARGO
ON THIS FAMILY-FRIENDLY ADVENTURE!



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DIRECTIONS

FOLLOW THE MAP TO THE NUMBERED LOCATIONS TO FIND
HISTORIC MARKERS, MONUMENTS AND STRUCTURES.
ANSWER THE QUESTIONS ON THE MAP'S WALKABLE ROUTE TO
EARN 1 ENTRY IN THE GRAND PRIZE DRAWING. CONTINUE ON THE
DRIVABLE ROUTE TO EARN A 2ND ENTRY. TAG THE
FARGO PUBLIC LIBRARY ON SOCIAL MEDIA
(#FARGOHISTORYHUNT) WHILE ON YOUR HUNT TO EARN A 3RD
CHANCE AT THE GRAND PRIZE!



1. Fargo Public Library—Main: Sodbuster sculpture

Question: Look closely to see unearthed artifacts in the freshly plowed soil, including pot shards and a French Canadian oxcart wheel. What do these artifacts represent?

2. NDSU Richard H. Barry Hall: Rollo statue east of the building

Question: The Rollo statue was formally received by the city of Fargo, state of ND and the U.S. government from the city of Rouen, France in 1912. Rollo, once a Viking chieftain, would become the founder and first ruler of Normandy. Which of his descendants most famously continued his royal line?

3. NP Depot: Rock plaque at the fountain on the west side

Question: Which two historic figures stopped here in 1883 and why?

4. Bank of the West: Fire monument on Main Avenue

Question: What “silver lining” was found in the disastrous Fargo fire of June 7, 1893?

5. Island Park:

Island Park Pool (Former Fargo Arena)

Question: What happened to the remaining structure that was the original Fargo Arena?

GAR Veterans statue

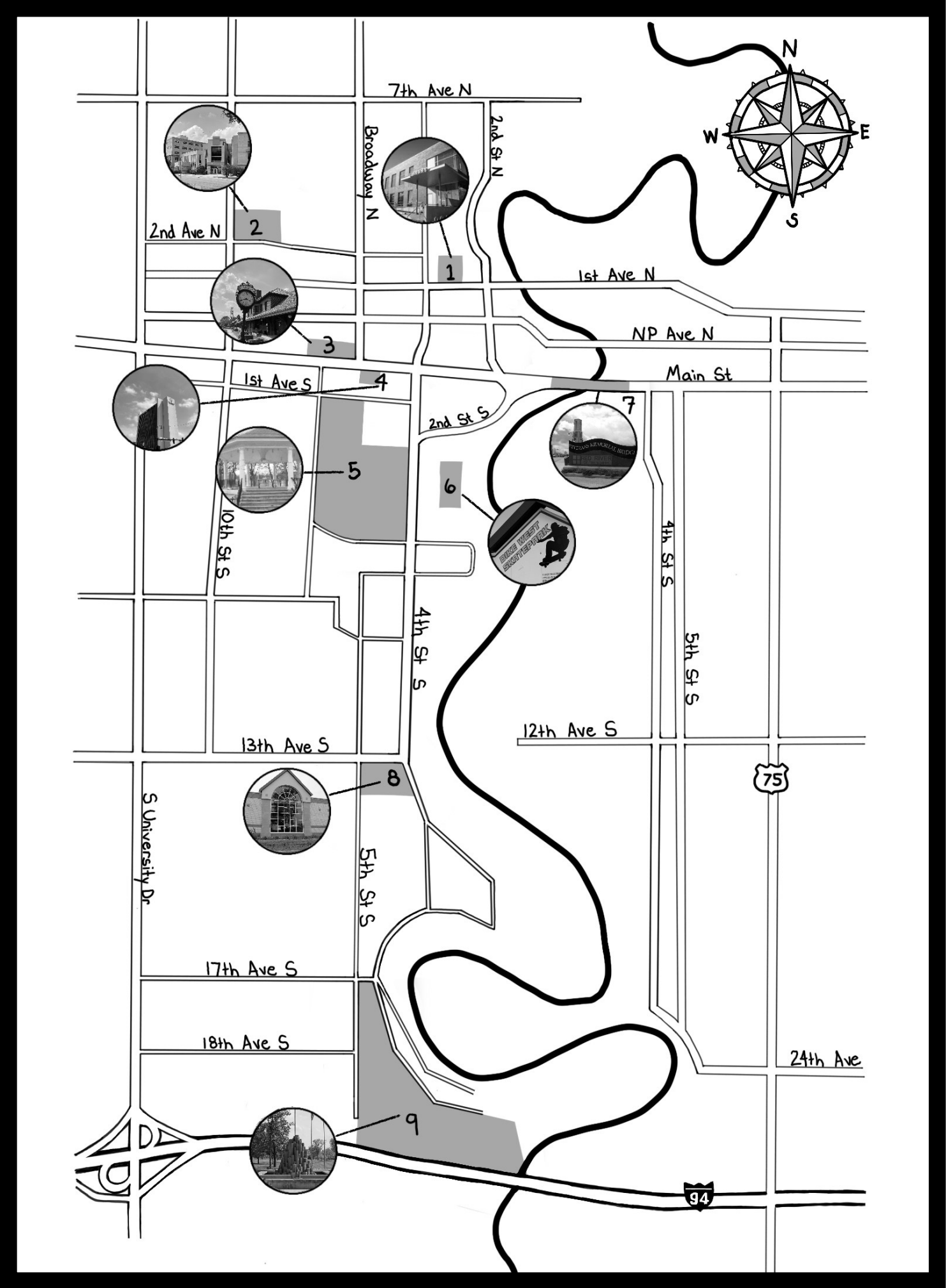
Question: This Grand Old Army of the Republic (GAR) statue honors Union veterans of the Civil War, but it also has the name of another war etched in its granite. Which war?

Tennis court complex (Former Island Park Pool)

Question: How were some of the funds for the building of the pool raised?

Henrik Wergeland statue

Question: This Norwegian poet was also a humanitarian and activist associated with Norwegian independence. His objection to a paragraph in the Norwegian Constitution helped “open the doors of Norway” to whom?



6. Fargo Skate Park/Dike West

History marker on 4th Street South

Question: An act of Congress was required to relieve flooding in the Island Park area. Why?

History marker near warming house

Question: What was located on this spot between the 1920s and 1940s?

7. Veterans Memorial Bridge:

Gasoline Horsepower marker

Question: What percentage of ND farmers owned cars in 1930?

The Next Great City marker

Question: Fargo-Moorhead became the most important what, in the region, in the late 1800s?

Red River Transportation marker

Question: Steamboats carried freight along the Red River from 1859 until the 1890s. During which months was the Red River shipping season?

WALKABLE ROUTE COMPLETE!



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