

New Ulm. **HERMANN MONUMENT**, Hermann Heights Park, 1888-1897, Alfonz Pelzl, sculptor; Julius Berndt, builder. Square stone base (18' high, 42' diameter) with corner rectangular projections. Ten hollow columns in circle support dome. Interior space under dome reached by central spiral iron staircase. 32' statue (above dome) of Hermann of the Cherusci tribe, leader who unified German tribes in 9 A.D. and drove Roman legions back to Rhine River. Symbol of German immigration to U.S. *Municipal*.