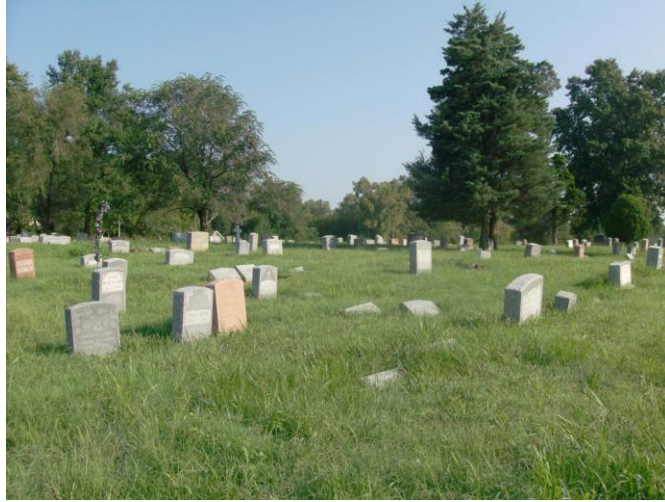


Greenwood Cemetery, 6571 St. Louis Ave, Hillsdale, 1874 NR



Greenwood Cemetery was organized in 1874 to serve the needs of the growing black population of post-civil war St. Louis and St. Louis County. It was the first commercial non-sectarian cemetery for African Americans in the St Louis metropolitan area. More than 50,000 Africans Americans are buried within Greenwood's 31.85 acres. They include Harriet Scott, Charlton Tandy, and Stagger Lee.