

MONTHLY ARCHIVE REPORT - November/December 1996

TO: Ruth Rasmussen, Library Director

FROM: Sharon Jensen, Assistant

PREPARED: John W. Nielsen

VOLUNTEERS: 369 hours by volunteers from Blair, Nebraska City, and Omaha, Nebraska.

VISITORS: 6 visitors from Iowa and Nebraska.

USERS: 10 archive users from California, Iowa, Nebraska, Oregon, South Dakota and Texas, and from Canada and Denmark.

ACQUISITIONS:

1. Master list of households with Pallesen surname for Canada and the United States plus genealogy of the N. Peter Pallesen family (Presented by Peter J. M. Pallesen, Calgary, Alberta, Canada).
2. "Praeriekirke flyttes til Fyn," newspaper clipping from Odense, Denmark (Presented by Betty Larsen, Blair, Nebraska).
3. Iowa District Reports (UELC) for 1950, 1952, 1953, 1955, 1956, and 1957 (Presented by James Iversen, Ames, Iowa).
4. 3 books: Den Danske Brigade, Skoleskibet Danmark under Dannebrog og Stars and Stripes, and Danmark og Havet (Presented by Jens Thomsen, Fortuna, California).
5. Dana College Choir album (Presented by John Henry Lassen, Canon City, Colorado).
6. Minutes of the Church Council of Bethania Lutheran Church of Boston, 1902-1927 (Presented by Ruth Rasmussen Nelson, St. Cloud, Minnesota).
7. Items belonging to Helen Margaret Jacobsen, missionary to Nigeria: ALC recognition plaque, Dana Distinguished Alumna plaque, auto-graphed picture of Albert Schweitzer given to Helen Margaret, and 9 photographs (Presented by Jack Jacobsen, New Port Richey, Florida).
8. 9 books published by the Danish Lutheran Publishing House (Presented by Esther Grindberg, Forest Lake, Minnesota).
9. Further information on the Pallesen family and the family dairy operation (Presented by J. M. Pallesen, Calgary, Alberta, Canada).
10. Listing of the correspondence and manuscripts of the P.S. Vig Collection to be found in The Danes Worldwide Archive (Presented by Birgit Flemming Larsen, Aalborg, Denmark).
11. 17 Danish books and 3 periodicals (presented by David Kjelgaard, Omaha, Nebraska).
12. Family genealogical information (Presented by Joan Allgor, Citrus Heights, California).
13. Additional information on the Lars Christian Peter Jensen (Presented by Carl Siek, San Diego, California).
14. 10 photographs of Karen and Rasmus Miller, Andrew Sorensen, Ida and Jorgen Topp and family, Stine and Soren Rasmussen and family, Hans Nelson, and Karl and Peter Miller. Golden Wedding folder for

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- Catherine and Karl Miller (presented by Norma Bickel, Northfield, Minnesota).
15. Copies of Danes in Wisconsin by Frederick Hale, Hjemlandstøner (1909), and Ellen Bondo (1907), post card from N.P.J. Nielsen (1915), packet of 75 items concerning James Kallas, packet of 45 items by and concerning Paul Simon, packet of 60 items concerning Dana College and Dana professors and students, packet of 39 items concerning ALC and ELCA response to homosexuality, packet of 16 items concerning student writing and immigration history, packet of 123 clippings on Dana, and Bansen family information updating the Hans Hansen Andersen family book (Presented by Norman C. Bansen, Blair, Nebraska - Ferndale, California).
  16. Picture of J. M. Girtz and information on L. M. Andersen's death (Presented by Ninna Engskow, Blair, Nebraska).
  17. Confirmation bulletin for Immanuel, Hazelwood, and St. Peter's, Northfield, Minnesota (1924), Silver Wedding song composed for Rasmus and Ricke Miller's anniversary by P. M. Petersen, and packet of pictures concerning Karen and Rasmus Miller and their descendants (Presented by Erna Hansen, Milbank, South Dakota).
  18. Copies of Stjernen (August-December) and 3 clippings on Danish-American affairs (Presented by Sara Hansen-Walter).
  19. Anniversary booklet, Glogtha Lutheran Church 1896-1996 (Chicago), and other anniversary materials (Presented by Keith Killinger, Chicago, Illinois).
  20. Pictures from Archive room dedication (Presented by Margaret Madsen, Rhinecliff, New York).
  21. Copy of Ever Petersen family history, centennial anniversary booklet for Bethany Lutheran, Ruskin, Nebraska, and copies of 3 other related items (Presented by Eunice Neve, Omaha, Nebraska).
  22. 4 letters and a clipping (Presented by John W. Nielsen, Blair, Nebraska).
  23. Copy of Scattered Seeds with articles on Askov, Minnesota, 2 obituaries, 7 newspaper clippings, copies of two articles on Phil Pagel and on Namibian students at Dana, copies of Danish American Heritage Society letters, and 17 pictures of Logismose, the Korshoy castle; the Danish resistance monument, and the American embassy in Denmark (Presented by Luella Nielsen, Blair, Nebraska - Albert Lea, Minnesota).
  24. The Story of the Little White Church 1884-1954 (Moorhead, Iowa), obituary of Seena Hansen Nielsen, and clipping on Moorhead, Iowa cemetery (Presented by Ruth Herman Nielsen, Omaha, Nebraska).
  25. "Recollections of Immanuel Lutheran Church, Hazelwood, Minnesota" by Harold Sorensen, information on the Sorensen family and copy of their immigration passage on the Thingvalla, 9 family pictures, clipping of Martin Sorensen, and copy of Harold's baptismal certificate (Presented by Harold Sorensen, LaCrosse, Wisconsin).
  25. Letter on Madsen family history (Presented by Leona Madsen, Weslaco, Texas).
  26. History of the John Christian Jacobsen family (Presented by W. Larry Jacobsen, Ralston, Nebraska).
  27. Maya's Stories: The Life of a Missionary in Japan by Maya Winther (Presented by Lloyd Neve, Blair, Nebraska).
  28. Copy of Bornebladet and collection of missionary letters from Nigeria written by Hunter Smith (Presented by Bertha Andersen, Elk Horn, Iowa).