

MONTHLY ARCHIVE REPORT - May/June 1997

TO: Ruth Rasmussen, Library Director

FROM: Sharon Jensen

PREPARED: John W. Nielsen *J.W.N.*

VOLUNTEERS: 667 hours by 26 volunteers from Colorado, Iowa, Nebraska, Minnesota, New York, Oregon and Denmark

VISITORS: 52 visitors from California, Colorado, Iowa, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Ohio, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Washington, Wyoming and Denmark

USERS: 15 archive users from Kentucky, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, Oregon, South Dakota, Wisconsin, Wyoming and Denmark

ACQUISITIONS:

1. Family histories of Peter and Kathrine Petersen of South Dakota and Albert Lea, Minnesota and of Hans Peter and Gunhild Berthelsen of Chicago and Albert Lea, Minnesota. (Presented by Bob and Erna Berthelsen, Albert Lea, Minnesota).
2. Court records of lawsuit involving DELCA and Kristen Anker. (Presented by Edward Hansen, Edina, Minnesota).
3. 5 letters from the Japan Mission and 14 personal letters from J.M.T. Winther. (Presented by Bertha Andersen, Elk Horn, Iowa).
4. 3 Good Shepherd Home Messengers, 15 Dana Reviews, 1921 Hermes. 1931 Dana choir program, 8 Ansgar Lutherans, March 1959 Alumnus. Glaedrlig Jul poster, clipping on James Kallas. (Presented by Dagmar Gall, Blair, Nebraska).
5. 1947 Dana calendar and a play in Danish written and presented by the young people of Bethania Lutheran, Boston, Massachusetts. (Presented by Inga Larsen, Cedar Falls, Iowa).
6. Copies of 3 journals kept by Pauline Petersen Nielsen, 1907-1910. (Presented by Joanne Tange, Cedar Falls, Iowa).
7. 62 books, Danish and on Danish subjects. (Presented by McDongel, Chicago, Illinois).
8. 4 notebooks of Lutheran mission work in Columbia, South America from 1936-1976. (Presented by Hildur Morck, Camrose, Alberta, Canada).
9. Dana centennial plate and 75th anniversary medal. (Presented by Ann George, Blair, Nebraska).
10. 3 pictures of Argo cemetery. (Presented by Charles Lang, Uehling, Nebraska).
11. Copy of Edward Hansen's "Musings While Moving" from Kirke og Folk. (Presented by Norman C. Bansen, Blair, Nebraska).
12. Letter and two pictures of the N.L. Bundgaard family of Northfield, Minnesota. (Presented by Norma Bickel, Northfield, Minnesota).
13. 9 letters from Anton and Frederikke Schultz (1900-1910), two letters from Carol Christensen, letter from Norman Brondum,

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- copy of Danish article on Farwell church used in Odense exhibit (with translation by Ninna), clipping of the opening of "Danes on the Prairie" exhibit in Odense, This Is My House (account of the building of First Lutheran, Blair.) (Presented by Ninna Engskow, Blair, Nebraska).
14. Packet of materials from ELCA Nebraska synod convention, 1997. (Presented by Florence Hansen, Omaha, Nebraska).
 15. 2 copies of Stjernen (May, June), clippings on Queen Margrethe II and on UDELIC fellowship, several obituaries. (Presented by Sara Hansen-Walter).
 16. 57 page report on Bruun genealogy and 2 letters. (Presented by Bonnie Hittle, Winfield, Kansas).
 17. Letter from Ruth Miller about Immanuel Lutheran, Haxelwood, Minnesota. (Presented by Geraldine Jasan, Northfield, Minnesota).
 18. 3 letters from J.M.T. Winther, picture and funeral folder for Grandma Hansen (Mrs. Morten) of Albert Lea, clipping of Grandma Hansen's 100th birthday, A History of the Nebraska District of the UELC (1897-1960), May 1920 Hermes, program for the closing convention of the UELC (April 1960), A History of the Iowa District of the UELC (1897-1957), report of the Illinois District convention (1957), The Word Goes Forth (Summary of UELC missions by Ninna Engskow), My Danish West Indies by Norman C. Bansen, Trinity Tidings (March 1940) Albert Lea, Minnesota, 7 copies of The Ansgar Lutheran (1960s), 6 copies of the Reporter for 1936 UDELIC convention in Blair, Danish Lutheran Publishing House envelope, 8 copies of the Lutheran Friend, Wolbach, Nebraska (1932), Atlantic Leaguer (1948), booklet on Cedar Falls Lutheran Home (1956-1981, 6 annual reports from Immanuel Lutheran, Harlan, Iowa, anniversary booklet for Immanuel Lutheran, Harlan (1914-1964), Dana choir devotion schedule (1947), Dana Homecoming program (1946), The Reaper (1946), 10 copies of The Raven (published by Trinity Luther League, Albert Lea, 1942-1944), 3 copies of The Sower (1942, 1947, 1948), picture of the ladies aid of Trinity Lutheran, Albert Lea, Minnesota, (Presented by Oscar and Dolores Johnson, Cedar Falls, Iowa).
 19. The Inner Mission Movement in Denmark by Stinus Loft, Danske i Amerika (vol 1) by P.S. Vig, Danmark og Det Danske Folk by Evald Kristensen, 18 copies of The Bridge, obituary (funeral folder) for Anna Jensen Allen (Mrs. Loft). (Presented by Clifford Loft, Blair, Nebraska).
 20. 1930 picture of Dana/Trinity faculty and student body, photocopy pictures of Emaus Lutheran, Falmouth, Maine, altar of Bethania, Boston, interior of chancel and a wedding reception at Bethania, Boston, Dana women students (1929-1930), Atlantic District UDELIC Convention, and participants on 1929 Denmark trip, 27 pages of translation of Bethania records (1899-1932), Lutheran Herald (1958), Ansgar Lutheran (1957). (Presented by Ruth Rasmussen Nelson, St. Cloud, Minnesota).
 21. 8 pictures of archive volunteers. (Presented by Thomas S. Nielsen, Blair, Nebraska).
 22. Picture of Danish young peoples residence in Minneapolis, funeral folders and obituaries for Otto Stave and Arthur Simonsen, clipping on First Lutheran, Blair, quilters. (Presented by John W. Nielsen, Blair, Nebraska).
 23. copy of article and clipping on Jens Jensen. (Presented by Ruth Nielsen, Omaha, Nebraska).

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24. 2 metal filing boxes and 1 cardboard box of records and proceedings of Vennelyst Park, Omaha (Presented by a friend of Dana in Omaha, Nebraska).
25. Magazine of the Midlands containing articles on Dorothy Skaardal and John Mark Nielsen. (Presented by Phyllis Phalen, Omaha, Nebraska).
26. Brochure from the Danish Immigrant Museum, Elk Horn, Iowa. (Presented by Ruth Rasmussen).
27. Packet of 7 letters from Theo. Beck, T.I.Jensen, M.C.HAGedorn and Aage Beck (1912-1985), packet of 10 clippings, Toxvaerd-Hjortsvang family records, Olsen family heritage paper, Bondo family records, 2 notebooks of autobiographical and family material by Theo. Beck, 4 letters from Toxvaerd family members (1884), letter to Aage Beck, letter of 1918 on Axel Beck's military service in France, W.W.I, 4 letters (1919-1986), Beck-Jensen family material to 1827, clipping on Peter, Niels and Hans Schmidt. (Presented by Elaine Rennerfeldt, Blair, Nebraska).
28. I Det Fremmede by Anders Jorgensen, 97 letters from Denmark, 109 letters from Ruth Jorgensen from 1927-, 83 letters from the Sorensen children, 109 letters from Agnes and Viggo Madsen, 285 letters from relatives and friends, 594 letters from Lilly Sorensen to Agnes Madsen, letter to Anton Schults (1886), 4 packets of pamphlets and memorabilia, packet of 4 poems. (Presented by Lilly and Severin Sorensen, Nebraska City, Nebraska).
29. 8 colored photographs (11 x 14) of Villa Virginia, the Simon Korshoj residence taken by Harold Wright. (Presented by Harold and Dorothy Wright, Blair, Nebraska).
30. 44 page MS. "My Days at Elk Horn and Dana Colleges," 17 p MS. "My Days at E.H.C. 1910-1911," 24 pp MS. "My Days at E.H.C. 1912-1913," 102 pp Ms. "My Days at Dana 1913-1914," 31 pp "My Second Year at Dana as a College Freshman, 1914-1915," 37 pp "My Second Year of College at Dana," all by Paulus Falck, 33 page history, "The Early History of Our Savior's Danish Evangelical Lutheran Congregation of Cordova, Nebraska - Its Early Pastors and Some of Its Pioneer Members" by Paulus Falck, 90 pp "My Days at Dana as a Member of the Faculty 1919-1923" by Paulus Falck, 4 pictures of Dana basketball team of 1920 and the student body and one of Rev. C.H.Jensen, President of Luther College, Racine, Wisconsin, 10 Danish books, 3 ledgers of Rev. Knud Larsen's family accounts 1904-1939, Knud Larsen's Soldaterbog 1903-1904, Knud Larsen's diploma from Midland Lutheran College, 1936 map of Denmark, 3 books, packet of Knud Larsen family memorabilia, material on Danish Lutheran churches of Cushing, Wisconsin, Laurel, Nebraska, and Cordova, Nebraska, bulletin on Alvin Petersen, and Dansk Almanak 1950. (Presented by Knud Larsen, Lincoln, Nebraska).