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ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL WEEK: Although Maynard and Marion Hansen, Inga Larsen, Marion Svendsen, and Roger and Marilyn Hanson had to cancel, the spring volunteer week was a success with 34 volunteers participating. The week began with a Sunday evening aebleskiver event hosted by Amy Barlow, Nathan Krammer, and Ted and Margie Bansen in memory of Norman Bansen. On Wednesday evening there was a memorial service for Bansen in Trinity Chapel with Dr. Christopherson, Richard Jorgensen, Karen Bansen Maguire, Paul Neve, and John W. Nielsen participating. Lloyd and Ann Bansen, Dora Bansen, other family members, friends, colleagues, and former students gathered for the service and the reception hosted by Myrvin and Anne Christopherson. On Thursday afternoon many of the volunteers attended the Dana College Arbor Day event. Work, however, was also done and LOTS OF IT! 757 hours was tallied. Major projects were making a bibliographical list of duplicate books - 710 all told - to be shared with the archive at Grand View College and compiling a more detailed record of Danish Brotherhood members in conjunction with The Family History Center of The Danish Immigrant Museum in Elk Horn. Other significant work was accomplished, and I express my gratitude to everyone who worked. Now plan for the autumn event - October 4-8, 2004.

2003 IN REVIEW: 2003 marked a year of significant growth for The Archive. Fifty-one new collections were opened to what already was the largest concentration of Danish-American material in the Western Hemisphere. In addition to this 105 boxes of material were added to existing collections. One-hundred eighteen new individual or family files were opened, 583 obituaries added, and over a thousand books catalogued. Of special significance was the establishing of a three-month archival residency program. We were fortunate to have Birgit Flemming Larsen formerly from The Danish Immigration Archives in Aalborg be our resident archivist. She not only shared her expertise in 2003 but was also here in 2004 and promises to come again in 2005. Researchers, genealogists and visitors continue to come to The Archive. This year there were researchers from Canada, Denmark, and several American universities. Again in 2003 the Bodtker Grant recipient did research here. She was Tine Pallisgaard.

STUDENT RESEARCHERS; Dr. Iain Anderson of Dana's history department has introduced a research course to the curriculum. Currently seven students from California, Colorado, Nebraska and Illinois are enrolled. They are developing research techniques in a recognized archive which is something that most college students do not have opportunity to do. Topics include the role of Danish-Americans in World Wars I and II, the Oaks Indian Mission, Danish Lutherans in Utah, Danish immigration patterns, the Danish settlement in Dannebrog, Nebraska, and early Danish Lutheranism as exemplified in the life of A.M. Andersen. At the completion of the course the student papers will be added to the archive collection.

COOPERATION: As was indicated in the first paragraph there is a gratifying cooperation with both the Grand View College archive in Des Moines and The Danish Immigrant Museum in Elk Horn. Sheri Kleinwort, the Grand View archivist, was here this winter. She prepared a list of duplicate book holdings at Grand View from which we selected about 200 titles. We are now sending her a list of 710 books of which we have multiple copies.

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Undoubtedly they will add to their collection from our list. The project with the museum's Family History Center involves getting more of the Danish Brotherhood material entered in the computer so that it will be more readily available. This is a tedious but important task.

DANISH BROTHERHOOD-SISTERHOOD CONVENTION: Just prior to the archive week the Colorado-Nebraska Brotherhoods and Sisterhoods held their district convention on the Dana campus. There was a fine exchange of ideas, a good financial gift to the Archive, and the promise on the part of many to send materials - personal as well as organization - to us. This is an exciting new contact.

NEW LUR BOOKS: Lur Publications has just issued a new book, Elna: A Danish Blossom in Urban Blight, by Harold Olsen. A second book, Pauline and Panno:

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TO: Tom Nielsen, Library Director
FROM: John W. Nielsen, Archive Director

VOLUNTEERS: 2198 hours by 39 volunteers from Illinois, Iowa, Minnesota, Nebraska, South Dakota, Wisconsin and Denmark.

VISITORS: 65 visitors from California, Colorado, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Louisiana, Nebraska, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Wisconsin, Canada, Denmark, and Lesotho.

USERS: 32 archive users from California, Colorado, Kansas, Louisiana, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Carolina, North Dakota, Oregon Pennsylvania, South Dakota and Texas.

ACQUISITIONS:

1. 30 clippings from the Westby Border News - 1995-2003 (Presented by Joan Algor, Citrus Heights, California).
2. S nderby's "The Blue Flashes," "The Hawthorn" and Danish Harbours," Saxo's Amleth's Revenge, Abrahamsen and Dal's The Heart Book: The Tradition of the Danish Ballad, Blixen's On Mottoes of My Life, 2 packets of letters from friends in foreign countries, 13 packets of letters to Peter and Anne Bansen, packet of correspondence with Edward Hansen, 10 packets of material on India, 3 packets of N.C.B.'s writings and translations, packet of graduate papers, 11 packets of material on Scandinavian literature, 12 packets on California Life and Literature, 2 packets on Scanpresence, 9 packets on Dana related subjects, one packet on each of the following: West Indies, Vivian and George Nelsen, Birgitte Grimstad, various authors, travel, Ferndale, California, rescue of the Danish Jews, Denmark and Danish items, Minden, Nebraska, NCB's travel-tours, authors and poets, article by NCB on Europe travels for the Ferndale Enterprise, F.W. Thomsen and John Neihardt, Victor Borge, the Andersen family (Mrs. Anne Bansen's family), Ellis Island, Gunnar and Susan Mengers' trip to Denmark and Sweden, interview with John Mathiesen (Fortuna, CA), Nebraska authors, Hans Christian Andersen, Danish press and clippings, Dana contracts, NCB's diary for 1939-1940, his letters of 1941, material and letters from Niel Johnson, Dana Elderhostel, letters from Dana alumni, faculty and students, the Old Main fire, Paul Simon, Dana Gays and Lesbians, clippings on NCB, Bansen-Andersen family, Andersen reunion, "8000 Miles through Europe," Europe trip (1979), Danish-American concerns, NCB's talks and presentations, NCB's Distinguished Alumnus award, John Neihardt, James Kallas, Lauritz Melchior, and additional Dana material. There are packets of letters to and from Paul Nyholm, Peter Thorslev, Joseph Langland, Gunnar Mengers, Antonio da Cruz, Vincent Lesh, Cecil McLeod, Sophus Keith Winther, John W. Nielsen, Luella Nielsen and Paul and Ada Jeppesen. Four packets of pictures of NCB, Dana campus and friends, folk dancers, and actors, 2 packets of military papers, NCB's confirmation class picture, and various journals, booklets and clippings. (Presented by Norman C. Bansen Estate, Blair, Nebraska).
3. Copies of picture and obituaries for Karl Fogh Jepsen. (Presented by R.L. Bartley, Springfield, Missouri).
4. Yule (1953), Frederik den Niende, Konge af Danmark, Fiske's Betty: A Story of Courage and Love, Dansk Almanak 91930), clipping on Ellen Jensen-Dean, Soren Thorvald Sorensen's funeral folder, clipping on Peter Clausen (Presented by Bob and Erna Berthelsen, Albert Lea, Minnesota).
5. Program and ticket for production of Hamlet at Kronborg Castle (1949) Presented by Audrey Christiansen, Chicago Heights, Illinois).

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6. From the Estate of Inger Willumsen Skrystrup: 3 albums of family pictures from Denmark, wedding photo, 19 letters, documents and certificates, 12 pictures, packet of 8 pictures of Inger's 60th birthday, picture of Inger's family members, 12 packets of pictures of friends and travels, sterling napkin ring engraved "Inger," Psalmebog, chart of family members. (Presented by Borge Christensen, Tucson, Arizona.)
7. Clippings of Danish gymnasts, Rudi Mitchell, Iris Frey Doolittle, Mil~~t~~ Heinrich's Lewis and Clark Compass, Hugh Hunt, First Lutheran building, Dana's cultural fair (Presented by Sigrid Christensen, Blair, Nebraska).
8. Clipping "No Place Like Nebraska" - an article on Norman C. Bansen (Presented by Bill Christensen, Fremont, Nebraska).
9. Paul Simon material: folder, Dr. Christopherson's tribute, letter from Sheila and Martin Simon, letters from Patti Si,om. Bob Steffensen, and Norlan Hanson (Presented by Dr. and Mrs. Myrvin Christopherson, Blair, Nebraska).
10. "The History of St. Ansgar Lutheran Church" (copy), clippings on St. Ansgar of rural Ellendale, MN, including accounts of fire, copies of minutes and records of Good Hope Danish Lutheran Church - later Community Lutheran (originals at Community Lutheran, Geneva, MN), St. Ansgar cemetery accounts with translations (copy) (Presented by Community Lutheran Church, Geneva, Minnesota, and Donna Tanner).
11. Various Danians (Presented by Dana Development Office, Blair, Nebraska).
12. Packet of Paul Simon clippings, Nu Rinder Solen op... on Thomas Kingo, Slangerups Kirke - en billedbog (Presented by Dana Public Relations Office, Blair, Nebraska).
13. Kieland's Farlige hvedebrødsdag, Mosumgaard's Ad Haervejens Spor, Cavling's Major Latimer, and Straeberen, and Grumme's Kanische Kuche (Presented by The Danish Immigrant Museum Family History Center, Elk Horn, Iowa).
14. Letter about her parents' (Alvin and Mercedes Christensen) wedding day, copy of Alvin Christensen's family recollections, copy of horse run aways by Alvin Christensen, Johnsen-Christensen genealogy, original and transcription of information on Rev. H.N. Thorup found in Thorvald Hansen's School in the Woods (Presented by Iris Doksansky, Fremont, Nebraska).
15. Mortensen's Schools for Life and A Danish Boyhood, Rodholm's Det Vingede Ord Fadevor, Frederiksen's Et Juledigt, 2 copies of Atterdag songbook, Runeberg's Juleaften, Lang's Luthers Liv, and Talmages Taler (Presented by Elverhøj, Solvang, California).
16. Translation of letter from Johanne and Thorvald Sorensen, clippings on Neil Moore, Kipp Tyler, Quentin Quist, John Seburg, Myrvin and Ann Christopherson, and "Denmark Protest," obituaries for Quentin Quist, George Suverkrube, LaVonne Webster, Norman C. Bansen, Gladys Petersen Whitaker, Gladys Lauritsen, Lola Jensen, Elsie Curley, Ruth Weaver, Dorothy Kuhl1, Robert Hunt, Helen Andreasen, Dania Hundtoft, Dareld Ahrens, bulletins from First Lutheran (Presented by Ninna Engskow, Blair, Nebraska).
17. Biographical resume, summary and chapter translation of The Whipped Cream War (Presented by Peter H. Fogtdal, Copenhagen, Denmark).
18. Gethsemane's 90th Anniversary - 1913-2003 (Racine, WI), Skov Nielsen's A Guardian of the Faith, German Hymnbook (music edition) (Presented by Norman and Esther Freund, Fremont, Nebraska).
19. 1931 Danian, program for Grand Choral Concert (Dana and Blair) 1931, Danmarks Melodibog vol. 1 (Presented from Marianna Delafield of Cedar Falls, Iowa, by Frank Gabby, Blair, Nebraska).
20. Letter to Garred from Martha Jorgensen Jensen (Mrs. John M.) - 1979 (Presented by Willard Garred, Des Moines, Iowa).
21. Clippings: "Freja Børsting: Danish Intern at The Danish Immigrant Museum, "Museum Receives Check" (Presented by Michael and Jill Hennick, Coronado, California).

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22. Guest book for Rev. and Mrs. Girtz's farewell at Albert Lea (1952), packet for each of the following: J.M. Girtz, birthday letters, pictures, letters (1964), American Lutheran Church in Copenhagen, Santal Mission. Victor Borge, Dagmar Petersen, family history material (letters, documents, pictures), certificates and records. Løth's L.O. Skrefsrud: Misjonar Blandt Santalene, Santali hymn book, Axelsson's Jungelbrudens Sønn, Johansen's Bhagabon, Pederson's Fra Santalistan og Jorden Rundt, Glad's Blandt Urfolk i India, Ostad's En Norsk Laerinner Storeverk i India, Axelson's Jungelbruden, Ostad's Sett og Opplevd i India and Mine Venner i India, The New Testament in Santali, Lee's The Shepherd of Fjeldstevang, family immigration record (copy), 50 year anniversary book for First Lutheran (Luck, WI), pictorial directory of Olivet Lutheran (Inglewood, CA), William Jennings Bryan meeting (1922) with note by Girtz, membership book for Resurrection Lutheran (Redondo Beach, CA), 50 year anniversary book for Olivet Lutheran, 75th anniversary book for Bethania Lutheran (Solvang, CA), 35 pictures of Eben Ezer at Brush, CO, various dedication programs, bulletins, and brochures; invocations and talks by Girtz, wedding announcements and funeral folders, material on Lois, Joey and Albert Girtz. (Presented by Lois Halley, San Jose, California, and Albert Girtz, Salina, Kansas.)
23. Dansk Almanak (1951), Dansk Nytaar (1959, 1961), Helledi's Mindernes Magt faar Maelle, Nielsen's Bibélhistorie for Børneskolen, Ved Julelampens Skaer (1947, 1950). (Presented by Esther Grindberg, Forest Lake, MN).
24. Two boxes with 112 files on UELC pastors, box of 24 folders on Luther League and youth work, box of 25 files on UELC churches, districts, and organizations, box of 24 files on UELC, Trinity, and Dana, box of 10 packets on UELC and AELC, box containing Pauline Petersen's (Mrs. N.P.J. Nielsen) diary and S.M.T. Winther's journal, box with letters and items of Norman Bansen, the Bondo family, and Kathy Bliese, box of six packets on Edwin and Frances Jorgensen, Ejler Nielsen, Lyn Lesch, and Ruth Herman Nielsen, 8 packets on Edward Hansen's Dana years: Choir, male chorus, quartet, and drama, 2 packets on Dana, 5 Danish calendars, 9 copies of Church and Life, 19 copies of Kirke og Folk, packets on presentations or papers by Paul Jersild, Lawrence Siersbeck, Theodor I. Jensen, Edward Hansen, and A.V. Neve. (Presented by Edward Hansen, Edina Minnesota.)
25. Clippings on Paul Simon, Emmett Rogert, Wayne Mortensen, Joel Christensen, Harold Sonderup, Fred Petersen, Leonard & Marilyn Jackson, Helen McNichols, Helen Skov, Peter Fogtdal, Blair Feed Mill and Dana; Obituaries: Kenneth Eriksen, Ernest Andersen, Leslie Sorensen, Norman Bansen, Mina Warren, Robert Jensen, Jr.; Helen Andreasen, Darlene Hagedorn, Walter Kruse, Barbara Nelsen, Dania Hundtoft, Margaret Petersen, Retha Petersen, Lila Hansen; Stjernen (February, March). (Presented by Sara Hansen Walter, Blair, Nebraska).
26. Copy of Nils Erik Andersen's "Patriotic Broadside Ballad" from Mors, translated by Trine Feuerborn (Presented by Jane Jensen, Plainview, Nebraska).
27. Hansen's We Laid Foundations Here: The Early History of Grand View College Knudsen's ...And a Time to Dance, 8 issues of Church and Life/Kirke og Folk, Mortensen's 75 Years at Danebod, Hansen's Church Divided: Lutheranism among the Danish Immigrants, Hansen's Reflections: The Story of Luther Memorial, clippings on Paul Simon and on Mary and Harold Riber, 50th anniversary book for Luther Memorial Church (Des Moines), Danish Journal: Denmark-USA - 200 Years of Close Relations (Presented by Roland and Joan Jensen, Ankeny, Iowa).
28. Den Danske Pioneer (Jan-Apr. issues), "Discovering Washington County 2004" (Presented by Sharon & Timothy Jensen, Blair, Nebraska)

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29. Packet of clippings on Paul Simon, obituaries for James Rasmussen and Anna Koenig, funeral folder for Christine Jensen, clippings on H.W. Bondo and Inga Larsen, Lenten schedule (Immanuel, Harlan, IA), UELC Reunion material (2003), Our Life Journey by Ellen S. Bach (Presented by Oscar & Dody Johnson, Iowa City, Iowa).
30. Funeral folder for Lilly Sorensen, obituaries for Sherrill Hansen, Ellen Dunnell, Robert Stagmaier, Arlo Andersen, Kenneth Krogh, Oscar Petersen, Gladys Nichols (Presented by James Jorgensen, Blair, Nebraska).
31. "Mementoes" by P.R. Christensen, Myla's grandfather (Presented by Myla and Harvey Kneeland, Summit, South Dakota).
32. Article on Viggo Mortensen (Presented by Bee Krantz, Blair, Nebraska).
33. Packet of clippings and programs for St. Mary's Lutheran (Kenosha, WI), packet of clippings and materials on Lawrence Siersbeck, bulletin and farewell for Paul Rasmussen, "St. Mary's Lutheran Church" - booklet on building and memorials, 50 year jubilee book for St. Mary's (Presented by Betty Kuessow, Kenosha, Wisconsin).
34. Einar Martin Lange's confirmation certificate (1924) and junior high school certificate (1926) (Presented by Loeymae Lange, Sun City, Arizona).
35. C.H.W. Hasselriis' lecture notes for "Denmark - Land of Balance," "Denmark," and "Why July Fourth in Denmark," clipping on Hasselriis (Presented by Johannes Laursen, Riverside, California).
36. John T. Nystuen's Reminiscences: Confluence of Two Worlds (Presented by Susan Legore, Algona, Iowa).
37. Material on Oaks Indian Mission and the Vammen family (copies) (Presented by Dorcas Vammen Leighton, Columbia, Missouri).
38. Clipping: "Homer Larsen's 80th Birthday" (Presented by Deb McWhirter, Allison, Iowa).
39. Obituaries: Bollerup Jensen, A.C. Andersen, Johanna Andersen, C.A. Anderson, Karl Kristian Andreason, Mette Mikkelsen, Karl Madsen, Anna Madsen, Arnold Madsen, Harold Madsen, Chris Johnson, Mrs. Ejnar Anderson, Niels Nielsen, Emma Madsen, Viola Harboe Madsen, Kirsten Harboe, Christen Nielsen, John Nielsen, Elmer Christensen, Hans Anderson (copies), Copy of early records of Danish Lutheran Church in Buffalo, WY (Presented by Lois Madsen, Buffalo, Wyoming).
40. Clipping and picture of Ulsted school and Jens Levisen, map showing childhood homes of Jens and Marie Levisen and Ulsted school in Denmark, letter to Donald Levisen from Paul Møller and 7th grade class of Ulsted, Denmark (Presented by Helen Levisen Nelson, Albert Lea, Minnesota).
41. Obituary for Norman Bansen (Presented by Eunice Neve, Omaha, Nebraska).
42. Melom's Come to Me, 5 packets of letters from friends and family, 35 more letters from Norman Bansen, 32 from John W. Nielsen, packet of pictures from 2002 Nielsen reunion, 7 photos of John & Meta Nielsen family, packets of letters and material from fiends, Joseph Langland, humanities, Dana, Pomona mentoring, finances, literary, arts and theater, Willa Cather, travel, and citations; 4 packets of general clippings, 2 of political clippings, photo of Ada & Paul Jeppesen's marriage, University of Wyoming papers, and packet of programs, funeral folders, facsimilis, etc., (Presented by Luella Nielsen estate, Blair, Nebraska).
43. Levey and Wardle's The Finishing Touch (Laces in portraits at Frederiksborg), The Oaks Arrow (Jan.), Review & Preview on Paul Simon, letter from Oaks (Presented by John W. and Elizabeth Nielsen, Blair, Nebraska).
44. Notebook of minutes and material on the Kyushu Society, History of Immanuel Lutheran (Racine, WI), 13 packets on ALC merger (articles and clippings), Immanuel bulletin, records and letters, Ruth Holm's Wis. Dist. UELC WMS material, reports of the Wisconsin District of the UELC, material on ALC and the ALC Convention in Milwaukee, Harold and Ruth Holm personal material, clippings and pictures, Harold Holm's talks, clippings and obituaries, Ruth Holm's material as V. President of S. Wisconsin District of ALC (Presented by LeVern and Marilyn Nielsen, Racine, Wisconsin)

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45. Seven cassettes of talks by Archie Madsen (Presented by Cheryl Paulsen Nielsen, Harlan, Iowa).
46. Phil Pagel's confirmation class picture, "First Lutheran Church, Poy Sippi, Wisconsin - 1875-1975," 12 Dana pictures (Identified), obituary for Sophus Jensen Nelson (1852-1929) Presented by Phil Pagel, Blair, Nebraska, and Lorraine Jensen, Minneapolis, Minnesota).
47. Obituary and funeral folder for Eda Paulsen Pannum, "Remembrances from Family" (Presented by Harold Paulsen, Blair, Nebraska).
48. Catalog of Det Nationalhistoriske Museum paa Frederiksborg, 1020 Folke Kalendar, packet of children's postcards (gift to Allen or Lemuel), Andersen's Fairy Tales, Hans Andersen's Fairy Tales, The Bridge (1982-1998), What You See in Denmark (1924), Jul - 1926 (Danish Baptist), The Danish Island of Bornholm, Roskilde Domkirke, Hansen's Viborg Domkirke, 11 picture postcards from Denmark (1904-1913), "Fredensborg Slotshaves Anlaeg og Monumenter," "Østerlars Kirke," Hjemmenes Julebog, brochure on Horsens (Presented by Allen "Pete" Petersen, Kennewick, Washington).
49. Obituaries: Karl Jensen, Norman W. Nielsen (Presented by A.R. "Pete" and Beverly Petersen, Sioux Falls, South Dakota).
50. Program for Don & Judy Poh's retirement (Presented by Don Poh, Green Bay, Wisconsin).
51. Three boxes of books including Møllehave's H.C. Andersens Salt, Lindemann's Huset Med Det Grønne Trae, Korch's Rigtige Julehistorier, Bang's Tine, Dons' Frosten paa Ruderne, Petersen's Det Var Den Gang, Møllehave's Tusind fluer med eet smæk, Replikker og pointer, and Den livsild som forbraender, Bergsøe, Fog, et al Knud Sønderby Tingene, Hjuler's H.C. Andersen - brudstykker af hans liv, Hein's I Folkemunde, Lorenztzen's Hvid Jul, Jensen's Scandinavian Proverbs, Bojesen's Aarets Tegninger fra Politiken, Steinhe's Myggestik, Linder's Grønne bilture i Danmark, Buhmann's Musical Denmark, Scharling's Ved Nytaarstid i Nøddebo Praestgaard, Sølvhøj's Rødt paa Hvidt, Thorvaldsen's Museum Catalog, Bojesen's Dagligt Liv i Danmark, several copies of Kvindens hvem-hvad-hvor (Presented by Egil Povelsen, Decorah, Iowa, formerly Santa Rosa, California).
52. Postcard to H.C. Andersen (1954), 2 boxes of books including Jensen's Myter (2 vols.), Korch's Godtfolk, Marryat's Japhet, Børnene i Nyskoven, Den Fattige Jask, Kapergasten, Den Flyvende Hollaender, Helvedhunden, Kongens Eje, Peter Simple, Percival Keene, Janssen's Den Døde Ø, Etlar's Peder Tordenskjold, Bjørneæt, Smuglerens Søn, Herremaend, Krigsbilleder, Herverts Krønike, Asschenfeldt Hansen's Hvorledes Pouls Femøre blev til ti Kroner, Aakjaer's Jens Langkniv, Kjaergaard's Vinden Tuder om Borglum, Wentsrup's Vors Gamle Kobstaeder, and Børnenes Danske Laesebog (Presented by Hannah Powell, Middlebury, Vermont).
53. Clipping of John Christensen (Presented by Ruth Rasmussen, Omaha, Nebraska).
54. 88 books including Sadolin's Eventyr og Sagn, Andresen's Aarhus under Besaettelsen, Paludan's Jørgen Stein, Madsen's Apotekeren og Doktoren, Schultz's En Doktor Kom og Skrev, Jensen's Nornegaest and Aestetik og Udvikling, Munk's Julevers, Jørgensen's Den Røde Stjaerne, Nygaard's Livets Draet og Dødens, Drachmann's Digte 1872-1879, Munk's Liv og Glade Dage, Petersen's Nattens Pibere, Nielsen's Digte, Løkken's Sagfører Siger-slet, Jacobsen's Niels Lyhne, Klitgaard's Den Guddommelige Hverdag, Heiberg's Elverhøj, Holberg's Udvalgte Comoedier, Branner's To Minutters Stilhed, Krater's Vorherres Flyttemand, Wied's Slaegten and Livsens Ondskab, Bergstrand-Poulsen's Se, Menneskeb!, Kierkegaard's Skrifter i Udvalg, Uhre's Frømaend, Soya's Infald og Udfald, Høeg Smillia's Sense of Snow, Pedersen's Churchill-Klubben, Det i Stod Ikke Avisen (Presented by Agnethe Rattenborg, Chicago, Illinois).
55. Clipping on Don Poh (Presented by Lucille Rehder, De Pere, Wisconsin).
56. "Memorial Service for Senator Paul Simon" (Presented by the Simon family, Makanda, Illinois).

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57. Obituaries: Clarence Wayne, Charles Eastlund, Ardis Petersen Register, Reva Anderson, Kristen Pedersen, Wayne Boysen, John Christensen, Virginia Andersen, Doris Nielsen Halleschau, Marjorie Hansen, Denise Petersen, Jan Jensen, Patricia Andersen, Oliver Jensen, Lisa Smith, Doris Bonnerup Broitzman, Esther Rasmussen; Clippings: Mike Levisen & John Petersen, Hotel Albert Dining Room, Plymouth Shoe Store, L.L. Installation, ice gathering, Old Albert Lea city hall and water tower (Presented by Eleanor Schou, Albert Lea, Minnesota).
58. All issues of Grundtvig Studier between 1965 and 2003 except 1993, 2 volumes of Grundtvig's sermons: Bibelske Praedikener (1811-1825 and Sidste Praedikener (1861-1866) (Presented by Donal Sneen, Sioux Falls, South Dakota).
59. Funeral folders: Mildred Godson, Louise Hempel, Blanche Paulson, Melvin Jorgensen, Clarence Peterson, Ray Jorgensen, Nels Williamson, Annette Anderson, Sugusta Sorensen, Elsie Nipko, Vernon Jorgensen, Ernest Christensen, John Nelsen, Thomas Jorgensen, Anna Olsen, Alfred Olsen, Clifford Olsen, Levi Olsen, Timothy Hansen, Ole Olsen, Mathilda Hansen, Arnold Andersen, Anna Nohr, Hilda Brooks, Marion Anderson, Marie Jensen, Marvin Carpenter, Meta Spiegelberg, 2 Christmas cards and letters from John & Liz Nielsen, devotion booklet (Presented by Myrna Olsen Tostensen, Pine River, Wisconsin).
60. Letter and account of Lillian Heath (Mrs. Louie Nelson) Country doctor in Rawlins, WY; Wyoming Telegraph Dispatch (special edition) (Presented by Lisa Petersen Van Horn, Medford, Oregon).
61. 50 Flerstemmige Danske Folkeviser og Sange; Evangeliske Toner: Salmer og Sange (1922), Melodisamling til Hjemlandstoner (1978), Melodier til Psalmebog for Kirke og Hjem (Presented by Dagmar Vasby, Cambridge, Wisconsin).
62. 11 Sudanbladet (1996-1998), 11 Mission i Afrika (1995-1998) (Presented by Marjorie and Donald Wahlgren, Gowrie, Iowa).
63. Memorial card and picture for Ruth Krogh Ohleson (Presented by Norman Winther, Sturtevant, Wisconsin).
64. "Irving F. Jensen Co., Inc. - 1898-1998," 2 letters from Carsten Friis Jespersen (Presented by Harold and Dorothy Wright, Blair, Nebraska).
65. Complete set of UELC Year Books (1896-1960) (Presented by Our Saviour's Lutheran Church, Council Bluffs, Iowa, via Alvina Hjortsvang).
66. Ninety-two books to be acknowledged next Jottings (Presented by Johanne Swenson, Sisseton, South Dakota).

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Immigrant Lives Intertwined will appear in June. A third printing of Boats in the Night will be released in July. Elna is the account of a Danish immigrant in Perth Amboy, NJ, and Hartford, CT. After a whirlwind romance and marriage, she is abandoned by her handsome husband to rear their two children during The Great Depression. Pauline and Panno narrates their respective immigrations from Denmark and Greece to Chicago where they meet, marry, and share what little they have with others during the The Great Depression and war years. Until July 1, 2004 Elna is available for \$15.00, Pauline and Panno for \$8.00. After July 1, the price will be \$18.50 and \$9.95 respectively. Order from Lur Publications, Dana College, Blair, NE 68008. Make checks payable to Lur Publications.

2005 DES MOINES CONFERENCE: Reserve October 13-15, 2005 for the Danish-American Heritage Society sponsored conference in Des Moines, Iowa. The conference will focus on Danish art and culture with Hans Christian Andersen and Soren Kierkegaard receiving special emphasis because of their anniversaries. As in Omaha the program will have both popular and scholarly appeal. Watch for details.