

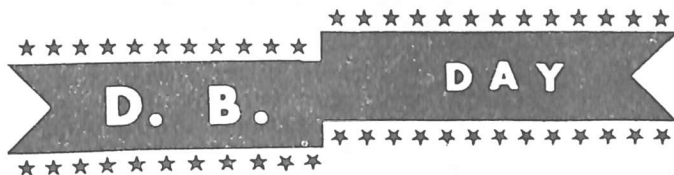
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DB EXCURSION TO DENMARK

Now it is definitely time to decide whether or not one should join the Excursion to Denmark. It is much later than you think — only three months to go.

A large number of requests for passage have been received during the month of February and it can now be reported that the charter flight on June 12 is fully booked and only limited space is available on the group flights and on the ship excursion in the new M. S. KUNGSHOLM.

All choice tourist class space in the new M. S. KUNGSHOLM on June 6 is now under deposit and only a very limited number of double cabins are available at this time.

The charter flight leaving from New York on June 12 was sold out in the middle of February and there are now a number of Brotherhood members listed for cancellations. There is no doubt that there will be some cancellations when final payment is requested and there is, consequently, an excellent chance to be accommodated through a cancellation.

There are still seats available on the group flight from New York on June 13 with return from Copenhagen on July 11, for which the roundtrip fare is \$360.

A couple of seats are also available on the six week group flight from Chicago on June 13 with return from Copenhagen on July 25, for which the fare is \$430.

We have during the past 12 months stressed the importance of making hotel reservations in Copenhagen at a very early date and we have now reached the time where most hotels report "sold out."

Most of the rooms which we reserved, are now occupied and only about six rooms are available at the time this issue is being printed.

The hotels and the rates are as follows: Royal Hotel, twin bedded room with bath and breakfast and dinner at \$35 daily for two. Hotel Mercur, twin bedded room with bath at \$17.10 daily. Hotel 3 Falke, double room with shower at \$14.10 daily. Finally we are holding a couple of rooms at the Hotel Kansas, an older and smaller hotel, and a double room without private bath costs \$10.50 daily. All rates include service charges.

If members of the Excursion are interested in securing a room at one of the above mentioned hotels, we urge you to contact the tour manager immediately, the hotels will retake unsold rooms by March 15.

All tour members, who have paid a deposit on ship or air reservations, have now been circularized and they have received details as to passport and smallpox vaccination requirements.

The baggage allowance for ship passengers is 25 cubic

feet or 270 pounds per person, which equals two average-sized trunks.

Passengers on the charter flight are allowed 50 pounds per person and excess baggage cannot be accepted.

Passengers on the group flights are allowed 44 pounds each from Chicago to Copenhagen and from New York to Copenhagen.

Most tour members were asked last month if a tour from Denmark to Paris would be of interest. Only 12 members were definitely interested and such a tour cannot materialize with less than about 25 to 30 participants. If more members would be interested in a tour on the continent, they are kindly requested to notify the tour manager and every effort will be made to arrange for a tour.

For the tour members who want to explore the continent on their own and travel by rail, we have the "Eurailpass." This Eurailpass is strictly limited to permanent residents of North and South America and since it is only sold on these two continents, it is essential to buy your ticket before you leave home.

Eurailpass is good for unlimited first class travel by rail in 13 countries and the cost is as follows: Pass good for 21 days, \$99; 1 month, \$130; 2 months, \$175; and 3 months, \$205. Children between 4 and 10 pay half price. A descriptive color brochure is available from the tour manager upon request.

The very popular "Fairy Tale Tour" in Denmark is described in another folder, also including short tours in Sweden and Norway. All travel literature will be sent free to anyone interested.

If you have not made reservations for the Excursion as yet, and if you are still undecided as to whether or not you can make the trip, we suggest that you mail the coupon today and pay the required deposit. If you for any reason find that you cannot travel, the full deposit will be cheerfully refunded.

On the other hand, if you postpone making plans for another month, believing that there is still ample time, you may miss the boat or the plane. Join the 1966 Danish Brotherhood Excursion for a thrill of your lifetime and make plans today without delay.

Reservation Request Form

Forward to Mr. Palle Juul-Larsen, 5245 North Clark Street, Chicago, Ill. 60640.

I am interested in joining the Danish Brotherhood Excursion in the NEW KUNGSHOLM from New York on June 6, 1966. I am planning to return by ship approximately in _____

I am interested in joining the Danish Brotherhood Excursion by air. _____

Number of people in my party _____

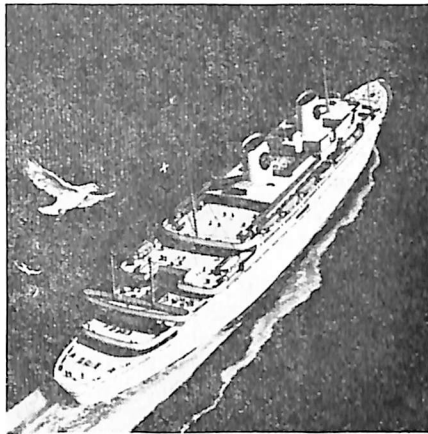
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JUNE 21.....	GRIPSHOLM	JULY 5
JULY 16.....	GRIPSHOLM	JULY 28
*†AUGUST 8.....	GRIPSHOLM	AUGUST 24
†AUGUST 27.....	NEW KUNGS HOLM	SEPTEMBER 13
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List of Secretaries

NOTE: In the list of local lodge Secretaries published herein, the information is given in this order: Number and location of the lodge, the Secretary's name and address, the meeting day of the lodge. Where no city is mentioned in the secretary's address, it is the same as the city in which the lodge is located. The postal zone number or the zip code is given in parenthesis.

CALIFORNIA

- 39 Oakland, Calif., Noel J. Chrisman, 1290 Hopkins St., Apt. 29, Berkeley, Calif. (94702). First and Third Friday.
- 49 San Francisco, Calif., Willy Johnson, 720 Jones St., Apt. 48. Every Wednesday.
- 67 Fresno, Calif., Laurice De Laurant, 1505 No. Lafayette (5). Second and Fourth Thursday.
- 95 Ferndale, Calif., Donald Sanborn, Box 751. Fourth Tuesday.
- 126 Los Angeles, Calif., Erik Roug, 1900 W. Artesia Blvd., Torrance, Calif. Each Thursday.
- 143 Petaluma, Calif., John Hansen, 34 Myrtle Court. Second and Fourth Friday.
- 184 Hayward, Calif., Anker B. Christensen, 4140 Thorton Ave., Fremont, Calif. Third Thursday.
- 230 Arcata, Calif., Peter Iversen, 1807 Harrison Ave., Eureka, Calif. Third Tuesday.
- 255 Selma, Calif., Florence Standish, 3948 Arden Drive So., Fresno, Calif. Second and Fourth Wednesday.
- 299 Solvang, Calif., Nels Nelson, 368 Odense, Buellton. Second Wednesday.
- 306 San Diego, Calif., Robert O. Jensen, 473 Omaha Ct., El Cajon, Calif. (92020). First Wednesday.
- 319 Bakersfield, Calif., Alfred C. Nielsen, 2629 Pine. Second Saturday.
- 322 Santa Barbara, Calif., Ed Aasted, 2331 State St. Second and Fourth Friday.
- 323 Alhambra, Calif., Richard Rowse, 9846 E. Lemon Ave., Arcadia, Calif. Second Saturday.
- 329 Long Beach, Calif., C. W. Hansen, 25403 President Ave., Harbor City, Calif., (90710). Second Saturday.
- 332 Ripon, Calif., Vernon Olsen, 2128 Scenic Drive, Modesto, Calif., First and Third Friday.
- 336 Escondido, Calif., Mrs. Lillian Suda, 850 Daisy St., (92025). Second Monday.
- 337 Fremont, Calif., Mrs. Shirley Young, 3737 Almont Ave., Apt. E, (94338). Third Wednesday.
- 338 San Bernardino, Mrs. Sandra Mathiesen, 34658 Ave. D, Yucaipa, Calif. First Tuesday.

COLORADO

- 43 Denver, Colo., Svend Sonderup, 4225 E. 7th Ave., (80220). First and Third Friday.
- 254 Brush, Colo., Aksel Sorensen, 211 Custer St. Second Wednesday.
- 261 Fowler, Colo., Victor V. Hansen, R. R. 1. Last Thursday before full moon.

CONNECTICUT

- 32 New Haven, Conn., Howard W. Jorgensen, 71 Goebel Road, Hamden, Conn. Second Wednesday.
- 37 Bridgeport, Conn., Erik Garde, 26 Brooklawn Place (06604). Second Tuesday.
- 41 Derby, Conn., Christian Andersen, 6 Edgewood Ave., Shelton, Conn. Second Monday.
- 50 Byram, Conn., Harry Helwig, 38 Aquila Rd., Stamford, Conn., Second Saturday.
- 103 Waterbury, Conn., Robert Humiston, 30 General Patton Dr., Naugatuck, Conn. Second Saturday.
- 314 Hartford, Conn., Frank H. Petersen, 37 Edgemere Ave., West Hartford, Conn. (06110). First and Third Wednesday.

FLORIDA

- 321 West Palm Beach, Fla., Guno Karlberg, 321 S. Dixie, (33401). Second Saturday.

IDAHO

- 264 Pocatello, Idaho., Ejnar K. Jensen, Rt. 2, Box 201, (83202). First Saturday.

ILLINOIS

- 5 Moline, Ill., Harry Nielsen, 28811 17th St. First Thursday.
- 17 Chicago, Ill., Soren Henningsen, 2108 74th Ct., Elmwood Park, (60635). First Friday.
- 34 Dwight, Ill., Steve S. Riccolo, 211 W. Waupansie St., (60420). Second Wednesday.
- 35 Chicago, Ill., Carl B. Meyer, 11326 Union Ave., (60628). First and Third Friday.
- 64 Rockford, Ill., L. Pedersen, 2234 13th Ave. (61107). Third Tuesday.
- 92 St. Charles, Ill., Einar Danielsen, 404 N. 5th Ave., (60174). Second and Fourth Friday.
- 107 Chicago, Ill., Ray Miller, 12036 S. State (60628). Second Wednesday.
- 182 Waukegan, Ill., George Lindhardt, 412 Fulton Ave., (60085). Second Saturday and Fourth Friday.
- 234 Woodstock, Ill., John Bonsoe, 505 W. Grant, Marengo, Ill. First Monday.
- 239 Lake Forest, Ill., Kai Thorup, 286 Noble Ave., (60045). Third Friday.
- 298 Chicago, Ill., James Petersen, 1436 Olive Ave., (60626). First Friday.

INDIANA

- 228 Indianapolis, Ind., Chris Moller, R. R. No. 17, Box 394. No scheduled meeting.
- 245 South Bend, Ind., Donald Lynch, 51537 N. Myrtle Ave. Second Tuesday.

IOWA

- 3 Davenport, Iowa, Jack Wood, R. R. No. 2, Milan, Ill. Second Thursday.
- 7 Cedar Falls, Iowa, August Jensen, 1301 Hawthorne Dr., (50613). When called.
- 10 Council Bluffs, Iowa, E. A. Grunberg, 2315 S. 11th St. Second Tuesday.
- 11 Clinton, Iowa, Anton M. Christiansen, 1517 S. Bluff Blvd. Fourth Thursday.
- 15 Des Moines, Iowa, August Rasmussen, 4127 No. Union (50316). Second Wednesday.
- 62 Sioux City, Iowa, Chas. W. Boulden, 3226 4th Ave., (51101). Third Tuesday.
- 77 Turin, Iowa, Russell Pearson, Onawa, Iowa. First Sunday Afternoon.
- 128 Avoca, Iowa, L. Chris Hansen, R. F. D. When called.
- 134 Ringsted, Iowa, George W. Johnson. First Thursday.
- 144 Dike, Iowa, A. B. Thode, Rt. 3, Cedar Falls, Iowa, (50613). Second Monday.
- 147 Newell, Iowa, Elmer Jensen. Third Thursday.
- 150 Rorbeck, Iowa, A. P. Michelsen, 305 E. 3rd St., Atlantic, Iowa. When called.
- 157 Audubon, Iowa, Tony Mumgaard. None.
- 175 Jacksonville, Iowa. Thor Nelsen, Jr., Box 184, Kimballton, Iowa. Call.
- 212 Waterloo, Iowa, Kristian Hansen, 2008 Oak Ave., Cedar Falls, Iowa, (50613). Second Friday every other month.
- 215 Battle Creek, Iowa, N. L. Andersen, (51006). First Friday.
- 217 Humbolt, Iowa, Michael Pedersen, 1201 8th Ave. No. First Tuesday.
- 219 Clear Lake, Iowa, Thorvald Sorensen, Rock Falls, Iowa (50467). Second and Fourth Saturday.
- 221 Latimer, Iowa, Walter E. Pedersen, Coulter, Iowa. Second Thursday.
- 326 West Branch, Iowa, Alfred L. Krogh, 1502 Sheridan Ave., Iowa City, Iowa (52240). Each Saturday.
- 327 Harlan, Iowa, Niels Morck, 1912 S. 6th St., (51537). When called.

KANSAS

- 173 Kansas City, Kansas, Henry Schweder, 60 S. Fremont St. Call.

MAINE

- 112 Portland, Maine, Harold O. Nielsen, 83 Mosher Rd., South Windham, Me. First Wednesday.

MICHIGAN

- 30 Muskegon, Mich., Lawrence Ritter, 1378 Lake Shore Dr. Second and Fourth Thursday.
- 51 Ludington, Mich., Leonard C. Case, 306 No. Emily St. Second and Fourth Thursday.
- 59 Menominee, Mich., Hans J. Rouss, 1901 10th St. First and Third Thursday.
- 70 Greenville, Mich., Oluf Feldt, 120 E. Grove St., (48838). Second and Fourth Friday.
- 106 Trufant, Mich., Gary L. Nielsen. Last Saturday.
- 163 Edmore, Mich., Grover Nielsen. Second Friday.
- 181 Sidney, Mich., Frank Petersen, (48885). First Thursday.
- 210 Grand Rapids, Mich., Frederick Greenwood, 816 Coit Ave., N. E., (49503). Second Friday.
- 227 Detroit, Mich., Jorgen Mau, 1513 Poplar Ave., Royal Oak, Mich. (48073). Second and Fourth Wednesday.
- 238 Juhl, Mich., Aage Sorensen, Rt. 2, Sandusky, Mich. First Wednesday.

MINNESOTA

- 45 Minneapolis, Minn., Jens B. Hoj, 1846 Jeffers Ave., St. Paul, Minn. (55101). Second and Fourth Friday.
- 65 Duluth, Minn., Roland M. Hansen, 4132 Regent St., (55804). First Wednesday.
- 73 Alden, Minn., Jacob Mickelsen, Box 214 (56009). When called.
- 75 Albert Lea, Minn., John W. Larsen, 1302 Hawthorne Ave., (56007). First Saturday.
- 85 Rochester, Minn., Chris Lund, 309 9th St., N. W. Second Friday.
- 96 Jackson, Minn., Kenneth Rasmussen, R. R., (56143). First Saturday.
- 111 Austin, Minn., Carl Shutt, 710 8th Ave., S. W. Second and Fourth Saturday.
- 121 Tyler, Minn., Carl Theo. Hansen, (56178). First Thursday.
- 160 Underwood, Minn., Nels Chr. Johanson, (56586). Whenever called.
- 263 Askov, Minn., Arol Hansen, (55704). First and Third Wednesday.

MISSOURI

- 56 Kansas City, Mo., Otto M. Larsen, 328 N. 13th, Kansas City, Kansas, (66102). Third Saturday.

MONTANA

- 273 Dillon, Mont., Paul M. Hansen, 535 S. Rife. First Saturday.
- 283 Dagmar, Mont., James H. Johnson, Antelope, Mont. Third Wednesday.

- 308 McCabe, Mont., C. W. Nelsen, Box 636, Poplar, Mont., (59255). When called.

NEBRASKA

- 1 Omaha, Nebr., Chris Larsen, 4855 Blondo St., (68104). First and Third Tuesday.
- 16 Minden, Nebr., Jack Craig, Box 268, (68959). Second Wednesday.
- 26 Fremont, Nebr., D. L. Hansen, R. R. No. 1, Ames, Nebr. First Wednesday.
- 57 Lexington, Nebr., Henry M. Nielsen, Cozad, Nebr. Third Wednesday, every other month.
- 84 Lincoln, Nebr., Mrs. Narka E. McMunn, 2225 Sumner St. (68502). Second Saturday.
- 110 Winside, Nebr., Warren Jacobsen, First Monday.
- 117 Plainview, Nebr., Harold Johnson, (68769). Third Tuesday.
- 125 Weeping Water, Nebr., Laurence Johnson, Rt. 1, Box 51, (68463). Second Tuesday.
- 153 Dannevirke, Nebr., Arvid Rasmussen, Dannebrog, Nebr. Second Friday.
- 161 Ruskin, Nebr., Kenneth C. Pedersen, Hardy, Nebr. Second Sunday.
- 169 Hubbard, Nebr., John Nelsen, Homer, Nebr., Last Friday.
- 177 Cordova, Nebr., Otto Petersen, Exeter, Nebr., (68351). Third Monday.
- 195 Omaha, Nebr., Chris Jensen, 5732 N. 78th St., (68134). First and Third Friday.
- 206 Blair, Nebr., Chris Bendorf. First Friday.
- 211 Grand Island, Nebr., Harold Hansen, 312 E. Nebraska Ave. First Tuesday.
- 213 Ord, Nebr., Elliot Clements. First Tuesday.
- 214 West Point, Nebr., F. W. Sorensen, 628 S. Colfax St. Second Sunday.
- 262 Cozad, Nebr., T. C. Jensen, 302 E. 14th. First Sunday.
- 288 Cotesfield, Nebr., Corwin Springer, Elba, Nebr. Third Wednesday.

NEW JERSEY

- 46 Perth Amboy, N. J., Edwin Johnson, 830 Jerome Ave., Elizabeth Hillside, N. J. (07205). Second Wednesday.
- 90 Port Reading, N. J., George R. Hansen, 66 Overbrook Ave., Nixon, N. J. First Saturday.
- 116 Newark, N. J., Paul N. Ifversen, 31 Windsor Place, Nutley, N. J. First Friday.
- 241 Sayreville, N. J., Iver Oasen, 24 Colfax St., South River, N. J., (08882). Third Friday.

NEW YORK

- 71 Penn Yan, N. Y., Laurids Pedersen, RD 2, Stanley, N. Y. (14561). Third Saturday.

- 164 New York, N. Y., Robert Petersen, 43-13 205th St. Bayside, Queens, N. Y. Second Friday.

- 171 Jamestown, N. Y., John Nelson, 1 Hudson Pl. Second Thursday.
- 183 Troy, N. Y., Nels Nielsen, 32 Hart St., Cohoes, N. Y. First and Third Thursday.
- 190 Schenectady, N. Y., George Christiansen, 1033 Tollgate Lane (12303) First and Third Wednesday.
- 205 Brooklyn, N. Y., William Svendsen, 150-07 41st Ave., Flushing, N. Y., (11354). Second Wednesday.
- 240 Rochester, N. Y., Paul O. Peters, 109 Titus Ave., (14617). Second Saturday.
- 248 New York, N. Y., Svend Petersen, 40-33 162nd St., Flushing, N. Y. Third Thursday.
- 257 New York, N. Y., Arthur Schmidt, 1560 Grand Concourse, Bronx, N. Y. (10457). Third Friday.
- 300 Oneonta, N. Y., Ivan N. Kollgaard, RD No. 2, (13820). Second Saturday.
- 315 Buffalo, N. Y., Elis Nielsen, 99 Putnam Ave., (14213). When called.
- 325 Nassau County, N. Y., William B. Steffensen, 7 Nantucket Rd., Merrick, N. Y. Second Friday.
- 334 Geneva, N. Y., Richard Rogers, 142 High St. First Friday.

NORTH DAKOTA

- 149 Luverne, N. D., Charles Wamberg, R. R. 2. First Thursday.
- 251 Devils Lake, N. D., Hans E. Jensen, 719 6th Ave. None.
- 260 Williston, N. D., Walter Jensen, R. R. No. 2. Third Sunday.
- 279 Hunter, N. D., Lars C. Hansen, Erie, N. D. First Saturday.

OHIO

- 170 Rocky River, Ohio, Harold Andersen, 1427 Graber Drive, Lakewood, Ohio (44107). Second Friday.
- 225 Canton, Ohio, William Dews, Rt. 2, Box 67, Carrollton, Ohio, (44615). First Friday.
- 233 Toledo, Ohio, Soren Pedersen, 5058 Courville Rd., (43613). When called.
- 281 Cincinnati, Ohio, William Schmidt, 2954 Wardal Ave., (45211). When called.
- 301 Akron, Ohio, Ejnar Madsen, 1602 Fairfax Rd. First Saturday.

OREGON

- 167 Portland, Ore., Gustav G. Haraldsen, 2043 S. E. 29th Ave., (97214). First Wednesday.
- 194 McMinnville, Ore., Mrs. Sigrid Jensen, 1206 E. 10th Ave. Second Saturday.
- 268 Junction City, Ore., Walter Petersen, 401 Dane Lane (97448). First Tuesday.

PENNSYLVANIA

- 172 Philadelphia, Pa., Gunnar Froelich, 4924 Rubicam St., (19144). Second Friday.
- 202 Warren, Pa., Henry S. Petersen, 1820 Market St., Ext. Rd. First and Third Wednesday.
- 242 Erie, Pa., Edward Jonasen, 1530 Glendale Ave. Second and Fourth Friday.

RHODE ISLAND

- 102 Providence, R. I., Carl W. Sorensen, 421 Pontiac Ave., Cranston, R. I. (02910). Second Friday.

SOUTH DAKOTA

- 109 White, S. D., Senius Jensen, 820 2nd St., Brookings, S. D. When called.
- 139 Viborg, S. D., Raymond C. Jespersen, Rt. No. 2. First and Third Thursday.
- 141 Irene, S. D., Soren S. Thomsen, 409 Locust St., Yankton, S. D. First Wednesday.
- 249 Pierre, S. D., George Lindberg, 501 E. Missouri Ave. Whenever possible.
- 259 Colman, S. D., M. C. Nelson. When called.

UTAH

- 78 Salt Lake City, Utah, Borge Krogh, 345 E. Broadway, (84111). Second Tuesday.

- 267 Brigham City, Utah, Axel Olsen, 429 Shupe Dr., Ogden Utah. Whenever possible.
- 278 Salt Lake City, Utah, Knud Rasmussen, 1106 Concord. Fourth Friday.

VERMONT

- 294 Barre, Vt., John J. Burke, R. F. D. No. 2, Beckley Hill, (05641). Second Saturday.

WASHINGTON

- 29 Seattle, Wash., Paul C. Hansen, 5626 48th Ave., S.W., (98116). Second and last Wednesday.
- 33 Tacoma, Wash., C. Fred Christensen, 936 Pacific Ave., (98402). First Thursday.
- 42 Spokane, Wash., Ingvard Eskeberg, S. 3316 Division. First Saturday.
- 113 Enumclaw, Wash., Chris Petersen, 1057 McKinley (98022). Second Saturday.
- 152 Wilbur, Wash., Aksel Petersen. Second Saturday.
- 155 Bellingham, Wash., Mrs. Carol Larsen, Rt. 1, Ferndale, Wash. Second Saturday.

WISCONSIN

- 2 Neenah, Wis., Elbert Thompson, Box 141, (54957). Fourth Saturday.
- 4 Racine, Wis., Knud Hoffmeyer, 3620 Washington Ave. Second and Fourth Wednesday.

- 9 Oshkosh, Wis., Andrew Andersen, 1014 Elmwood Ave., (54901). None.
- 12 Green Bay, Wis., Hans M. Hansen, Box 34, Denmark, Wis. Second Tuesday each quarter.
- 14 Kenosha, Wis., Robert Ibsen, 6504 29th Ave. First & Third Tuesday.
- 36 Milwaukee, Wis., Carvel Westerland, 2209 S. 68th St., (53219). Second and Fourth Tuesday.
- 89 Superior, Wis., Chris Paulsen, 2405 Banks Ave. Third Monday.
- 154 Withee, Wis., Andrew Smith, Sr., Rt. 1, Owen, Wis. When called.
- 185 Madison, Wis., Aksel Petersen, 1321 Reetz Rd., (53703). When called.
- 186 Luck, Wis., Roy W. Petersen, Box 233. Fourth Wednesday.

WYOMING

- 38 Laramie, Wyo., Chris Andersen, 504 Pine St. (82070). First Tuesday Afternoon.
- 148 Cheyenne, Wyo., Carl Christensen, 3418 McComb Ave. Third Wednesday.

CANADA

- 328 Vancouver, B. C., Canada, Erik Gloet, 1527 W. 71st Ave., (14). First Wednesday.

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- 318 Copenhagen, Denmark, John A. Sonnergaard, Ostergaards Alle 25, Copenhagen Valby. First and Third Tuesday.

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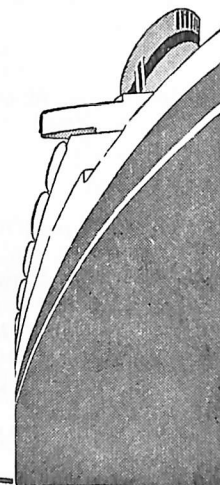
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PACIFIC NORTHWEST DB NEWS

By NORBERT E. GROVE, Box 279, Puyallup, Wash. 98371

It will surprise all of us how quickly the time will fly between now and the next important event of our Danish year, our district convention, which will be held in Seattle on May 13, 14 and 15.

Also, if your lodge has not yet submitted your delegate names and remittance of 25¢ per member, kindly do so at once. Raffle tickets are selling like "hot cakes."

Seattle's DB 29 celebrated "Fastelavnstfest og Tøndeslagning" at Washington Hall February 19 with a costume masquerade. Sam Frederiksen invites you to call him at EM 3-0845 if you would desire participation in the national bowling contest at Broadway Bowl on March 26, followed by a party with live music. Queen City Danes will stage their 78th Brotherhood anniversary party with 25-year membership awards including recipients Axel Nielsen and Elmer Andersen on April 13. Brother Hans Nissen was laid to rest January 15. Latest members initiated include Brothers Hermann Bischofberger, Lauits Andersen and Harry Carlson.

Mark your calendar for the annual lodge picnic on July 24 and change the Christmas party to December 11.

Spokane's DB 42 installed their 1966 officers February 5 in the names of President John Bech, Past President Martinus Nielsen, Vice President Emil Larsen, Secretary Ingvar Eskeberg, Treasurer Fred Holm, Conductor Howard Jensen, Inner Guard Chris Hansen, Outer Guard Carl Rosenzweig and Trustees Jens Borup, Iver Hansen and Edith Gage.

Brother Kristian L. Wales was married last month at Twin Falls, Idaho. Brother John E. Jacobsen is at the Good Samaritan home in Green Acres. Belated congratulations to Brothers John Nord and John Jacobsen on their 50-year membership awards. Confined in the Inland Empire City, is one of Dagmar DB 283's members, Brother Henry Groskurth, age 97, with the loss of a leg.

Junction City's DB 268 has as their 1966 officers President Fred Petersen, Past President Brooks Mikkelsen, Vice President Kristian Sand, Secretary Walter Petersen, Treasurer Art Jager, Conductor John Bodtker, Inner Guard Ben Jensen, Outer Guard Einer Christensen and Trustees Walter Jensen, Sigurd Nielsen and Andy Bodtker. Delegates to the district conclave are Brothers Einer Christensen, Kristian Sand, Brooks Mikkelsen and Fred Petersen. One of J. C.'s old timers, Brother Sam Fries, whose age is 90, is on the sick list.

McMinnville's DB 194 hosted about 75 at a "frikkedelle" dinner February 12 at which event Portland Danes were well represented as well as several from Washington state.

New officers include President Peter Rasmussen (elected for the 19th time), Past President Marvin Christensen, Vice President Fred Hansen, Secretary Sigrid Jensen, Treasurer Thorvald Jensen, Conductor Jens Jensen, Inner Guard Ellen Rasmussen, Outer Guard Minnie Jensen and Trustees Walter Hansen and Holger Rasmussen.

Portland's DB 167 Hans Jensen is district bowling chairman and wants to remind you of the area bowling tournament at the Fairlanes, 1401 South Gold, Centralia, on March 13, followed by a dinner at St. Helen's Hotel in Chehalis. Rose City Danes celebrated St. Valentine's birthday with a party February 19.

Enumclaw's DB 113 termed their February meeting "Joy Night" and entertained 20 Danish couples from the

Seattle lodge, including District President Martin and Mary Rasmussen.

Tacoma's DB 33 had their last stated meeting in the home of Secretary-Treasurer C. Fred Christensen and it was not adjourned until midnight.

President Henning O. Lindberg and Vice President Martin Rasmussen were elected as delegates in May. Brothers Arne Nielsen and Maurice Milgard are the latest new members.

Vancouver B. C.'s DB 328 Brother Henning Pedersen celebrated his 25th wedding anniversary February 23.

The Canadian Danes are under the leadership of President Poul Eriksen, Secretary Erik Gloet, Treasurer Henry Pedersson, Trustee John Sorensen, Conductor Ole Sigvardsen and Inner Guard Osvold Nielsen.

News From Sunny Florida

Most of the country has been suffering from extreme weather and even Florida suffered the ignominy of freezing temperatures, but the air is balmy again and at our last meeting, we had a good attendance including several winter visitors. Besides having coffee we also had a bingo party with our ladies donating the prizes and having just as much fun winning them back again. A good time was had by all.

When we sit down to our coffee table again we expect to pay honor to our good Brother George V. Petersen and his charming wife, Viola, in observance of their coming golden wedding day. George, who comes from Farum near Copenhagen, married Viola on March 26, 1916, and four days later they sailed for U.S.A., which seems a very good way to start a honeymoon. I'll bet George wasn't even seasick, maybe a little lovesick.

The young couple settled in Providence, R. I., and George started an upholstery shop which prospered until 1958 when they retired to Winter Park, Fla.

They have two children and four grandchildren and when they leave for the summer to visit relatives and friends up north, George always gets time to attend conventions and visit other lodges. George and Viola

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GOING TO DENMARK?

Space is still available on a Charter or Group Flight from the Pacific Northwest. These will tie in with the Danish Brotherhood Excursion to Denmark in June.

For particulars and reservations, see Pacific Northwest News in the February issue of the Danish Brotherhood Magazine, or write to:

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NEWS FROM THE PROMOTIONAL DEPARTMENT
by KAJ GRONBORG HANSEN



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BROTHERS

Lodge	Location	New Member	Sponsor
1	Omaha	Carl Lindball	Axel Skelbeck
1	Omaha	Charles Lockwood	Kaj Hansen
1	Omaha	Jens Johansen	Ruth Hansen
14	Kenosha	Harold Nielsen	E. L. Henricksen
14	Kenosha	Robert Bastrup	E. L. Henricksen
15	Des Moines	Martinius Maigaard	A. Rasmussen
17	Chicago	Andrew Jensen	Peter Christensen
17	Chicago	Martin Larsen	John Seiling
17	Chicago	Robert Smeya	John Seiling
29	Seattle	Laurits Andersen	Per Hansen
29	Seattle	Harry Carlson	Sofus Norby
29	Seattle	Herman Bischofberger	P. Hansen
30	Muskegon	Carl Wm. Hansen	C. W. Hansen
36	Milwaukee	Martin Luther	Carval Westerlund
39	Oakland	Jan Hjorth	Sidney Nelsen
39	Oakland	Richard Friesen	Fred Jensen
39	Oakland	Peter Nielsen	Sid Nielsen
43	Denver	Ib Jorgensen	Svend Sonderup
43	Denver	Henry Durkop	Svend Sonderup
49	San Francisco	Hans Dreyer	Anders Pedersen
126	Los Angeles	Peer Hansen	Paul Andersen
126	Los Angeles	Philip Madsen	Paul Andersen
126	Los Angeles	Borge Bevald	Eric Roug
126	Los Angeles	Ole Blennov	Kurt Møller
126	Los Angeles	Poul Lauridsen	Kurt Møller
126	Los Angeles	Robert Bovee	Lars Westerskov
126	Los Angeles	Hans Rasmussen	Harold Mathiasen
144	Dike	David Hegtvedt	Gary Andersen
144	Dike	Clinton Follette	Gary Andersen
144	Dike	Robert Troy	Gary Andersen
144	Dike	David Abels	Gary Andersen
144	Dike	Dennis Krueger	Gary Andersen
144	Dike	Ronald Meyer	Gary Andersen
161	Ruskin	Clifford Grove	Ova Schultz
161	Ruskin	Cecil Miller	Ova Schultz
161	Ruskin	Gayle Gunn	Kenneth Pedersen
195	Omaha	James Christensen	O. Westergaard
195	Omaha	F. Dale Johanson	Edward Krause

- 278 ..Salt Lk. City—Richard Kelson.....Svend Emmer
- 278 ..Salt Lk. City—Christian Madsen.....Svend Emmer
- 321 ..Wt Palm Bch—Christian Nielsen.....Paul Jensen
- 322 ..S'ta Barbara—Hannibal Nielsen... Arne Johansen
- 322 ..S'ta Barbara—Carl Arnold.....Robert Barngrover
- 328 Vancouver—Erik Liljedahl.....Paul Eriksen
- 328 Vancouver—Alfred Allin..... Erik Gloet

SISTERS

- 1 Omaha—Inger Lockwood.....Kaj Hansen
- 1 Omaha—Rosa Skelbeck..... Svend Skelbeck
- 161 Ruskin—Arlyne Gunn.....Kenneth Pedersen
- 161 Ruskin—Ella Grove.....Ova Schultz
- 161 Ruskin—Mae Grove.....Ova Schultz
- 161 Ruskin—Fern Miller.....Ova Schultz
- 194 .. McMinnville—Dorothy Rasmussen..P. Rasmussen

JUNIORS

- 14 Kenosha—Ronald Jensen.....Roger Sorensen
- 116 Newark—James Moore.....George Godthaab
- 116 Newark—William Moore, Jr. ..Geo. Godthaab
- 126 ..Los Angeles—Jesper Kiaer.....Paul Andersen
- 126 ..Los Angeles—Michael Kiaer.....Paul Andersen
- 126 ..Los Angeles—Peter Kiaer.....Paul Andersen
- 126 ..Los Angeles—Susanne Nielsen.....Paul Andersen
- 126 ..Los Angeles—Pamela Dalgart.... Paul Andersen
- 126 ..Los Angeles—Gloria Baker.....Paul Andersen
- 126 ..Los Angeles—Sylvia Baker.....Paul Andersen
- 177 Cordova—David Thomsen..Dorothy Jorgensen
- 319 ... Bakersfield—Teddy Pedersen.....Alfred Nielsen

D. B. DAY

As announced in this issue, Saturday, April 2 has been proclaimed "D. B. Day." All Brotherhood members are asked to cooperate with their local lodge's promotional or new membership committee.

Whether your lodge is small or large, this is the opportunity for you to serve the Danish Brotherhood. Support your lodge in this event by accepting committee assignments and inviting all prospective members to your lodge's festivities.

Make "D. B. Day" a success in your community.

HONOR ROLL LISTINGS

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERS

Lodge	Location	Sponsor	New Members
126	Los Angeles, Calif.,	Paul D. Andersen	9
144	Dike, Iowa,	Gary Andersen	6
161	Ruskin, Nebr.,	Ova L. Schultz	5

LODGES

1	Omaha, Nebraska	5
126	Los Angeles, California	14
144	Dike, Iowa	6
161	Ruskin, Nebraska	7

SUGGESTED D.B.DAY ACTIVITIES

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| 1. RECOGNITION BANQUET for LODGE OFFICERS | 7. AEBLESKIVER FEST |
| 2. DANISH FILM FESTIVAL | 8. FOUNDERS BANQUET |
| 3. MASQUERADE PARTY - giving prize to
best Danish costume | 9. TIVOLI NIGHT - with booths for games
of skill and chance |
| 4. SMØRRBRØD-MAKING CONTEST | 10. DANISH SONG FEST |
| 5. FAMILY NIGHT - giving prize to family
with most members present | 11. PROGRESSIVE DINNER PARTY - suitable
for small-town Lodges |
| 6. DINNER DANCE | 12. ANDESPIL |

ANY of the above activities can be held in conjunction with a Danish Fellowship Rally. If you choose a New Membership Canvas during the daytime, D.B.DAY in your community can be climaxed by any one of these activities.

Once your Lodge has chosen the social evening activity for your Lodge and has appointed the Chairman and Committees to be responsible for this phase of D.B.DAY...U.S.A., you can proceed to plan either a NEW MEMBERSHIP CANVAS or a DANISH FELLOWSHIP RALLY!

NEW MEMBERSHIP CANVAS

A New Membership Canvas is a fine way to tell ALL prospective members in your community of your Danish Brotherhood Lodge! On D.B.DAY...U.S.A., reach as many prospective members as possible!

Conducting a New Membership Canvas in your community will be richly rewarding! HERE'S HOW....

1. APPOINT a good capable Chairman who will direct the activities of your Canvas.
2. ENLIST and ENCOURAGE ALL members to work with the Chairman in this effort
3. COMPILE a prospective members list at this meeting by distributing prospect lists. Do not adjourn your meeting before all members have completed their lists. Be SURE to suggest that they list not only names of eligible acquaintances, but also eligible members of their families. If your Lodge does not admit ladies, remember...they can Join Lodge #600! Before adjourning, return completed prospect lists to the Chairman.
4. PREPARE and send out invitations to all prospective members for the social event YOUR Lodge is sponsoring. Also mention that they will be contacted on April 2nd and extended an invitation to join the Danish Brotherhood.
5. ARRANGE plans for a BREAKFAST KICK-OFF meeting on Saturday morning, April 2nd. At this meeting distribute prospect lists to all members participating and divide them into teams of two. Each team will be responsible to visit and extend an invitation for membership to the prospective members on their list. Provide each team with an ample supply of application blanks and introductory brochures. Just prior to the close of the KICK-OFF meeting, the Chairman should give a short, enthusiastic talk covering all aspects of membership. During their visits, teams should remind prospective members of the D.B.DAY evening activities!
6. COMPLETE your New Membership Canvas by having your Lodge Secretary complete and forward the secured applications to the Home Office. To make certain that your Lodge gets credit for ALL applications secured in connection with this event, use the REPORT FORM provided.
7. ENJOY the evening's festivities planned by your Lodge being CONFIDENT that YOU have participated in and contributed to...

D. B. D A Y . . . U. S. A.





DANISH FELLOWSHIP RALLY

A *Danish Fellowship Rally* can easily be combined with any of the previously suggested social activities. It is a fine way of introducing prospective members to the friendly atmosphere of your Lodge and the benefits of membership in the Danish Brotherhood in America!

YOUR *Danish Fellowship Rally* will be a SUCCESS if you follow these suggestions...

1. APPOINT a good, capable Chairman who will supervise the Fellowship Rally Committees.

2. USE provided prospect lists to prepare a list of prospective members to be invited to your Rally.

3. APPOINT a Hospitality Committee to make up a guest list and invite ALL prospective members. This Committee should greet the guests as they arrive and provide them with "GUEST" tags to identify them as such to regular members.

4. APPOINT an Entertainment Committee to plan and carry out all phases of the evening's program. This Committee is also responsible for choice of location, decorations, and refreshments.

5. APPOINT a Publicity Committee to be responsible for publicity of D.B. DAY in your community through newspapers, T.V., radio, and other means available to them. This Committee should also work with the Secretary to send special invitations to ALL Lodge members. If the chosen activity requires sale of tickets, make Lodge Officers responsible for their sale. It is suggested that invited guests be admitted free of charge.

6. SELECT a member of your Lodge to act as the Speaker for the evening. He should be prepared to speak enthusiastically and briefly on the subject, "BENEFITS of MEMBERSHIP", explaining each class of membership carefully.

7. DISTRIBUTE membership applications and introductory brochures to ALL guests. Allow ample time for guests to complete membership applications and be prepared to answer questions as necessary. Make members of your Lodge available to aid in the completing of membership applications.

8. COLLECT all signed applications and submit them to your Secretary for completion and forwarding to the Home Office. To make certain that your Lodge gets credit for all applications secured in connection with this event, use REPORT FORM provided.

9. RESUME evening's social activities and ENJOY yourselves being satisfied that YOU have contributed to the success of...

"D. B. DAY...U. S. A.!"

DISPLAY YOUR PRIDE IN D.B. MEMBERSHIP!

TAKE PART IN D. B. DAY... U. S. A.!



NEWS FROM THE EASTERN LODGES

By VIGGO NIELSEN, 34 Walnut Street, Summit, N. J. 07901

Lodge No. 46, Perth Amboy, N. J. Sorry Brothers, it slipped my mind last month. This lodge has changed their meeting night and meet in the same place, "Dana Hall," but on the third Wednesday each month.

The lodge is celebrating its 75th anniversary with a banquet and dance, Saturday, May 14, to be held in Kenny Acres in Woodbridge. Brother Pet Christensen is chairman for the committee.

Lodge No. 102, Providence, R. I. Only the hardy regulars showed up at the last meeting, the weather taking the blame. Never-the-less, some important discussions took place, including promotional and social plans for the coming year.

Received a nice letter from Brother Harbo Jensen of Needham, Mass., in which he states that he had been hospitalized with two operations. We were sorry to hear this, but are glad he is now on the road to recovery. Brother Harbo and family plan to visit England and the Scandinavian countries some time soon. We all wish them "bon voyage" and a safe return.

Birthday greetings for the month of March go to Brothers Fred Mortensen (3-7), Henry R. Nelson (3-27), Jens G. Sorensen (3-17) and Adolf H. Nielsen (3-19).

CARL W. SORENSEN, Sec.

Lodge No. 116, Newark, N. J. Belated but sincere wishes are in order for Brother and Mrs. N. C. Jensen who celebrated their golden anniversary February 27. We all wish you a happy anniversary and may you have many more happy years together. Brother N. C., as we all know him, joined Lodge 116 in February 1922. His wife is a member of the Sisterhood and also has two sons and two grandsons who are members in 116.

Also belated but west wishes go to Brother and Mrs. John Hansen who became parents of a boy.

We welcome Brother William J. Moore into our ranks and we sincerely hope Brother Bill will enjoy his membership for years to come. Brother Bill was initiated into the lodge at our February meeting. Also joining our ranks as juvenile members were his two sons, William, Jr., and James.

The officers of the lodge held a meeting at President Peat Williams' home and among things discussed were a speaker in April to show slides and speak of his trip to the South Sea Islands. A dance is being planned for May and a picnic will be held Saturday, June 18 at Brother Peat Williams' place in Holmdel, N. J.

Lodge No. 172, Philadelphia, Pa. Go. Go. Go. is the standing word for this lodge; we sure hope they can double their goal of 1965. We wish the new President Flemming Henrichsen lots of luck, he has men behind him who are eager to see the lodge go ahead and with many young brothers active and attending meetings this lodge can look forward to a banner year.

is now at home and much improved. We wish him a speedy recovery.

Two pieces of Samsonite luggage which were raffled off by the Promotional committee of the lodge were won by Brother Carl Torp of lodge No. 116, Newark. The drawing took place at the January installation of officers and Brother Carl was present, visiting from Newark together with several other Brothers.

Lodge No. 190, Schenectady, N. Y. This lodge will celebrate its 62nd anniversary Saturday, March 26. It will be held at the hall on Albany Street. The Brothers of the lodge will all be notified in the March issue of H. C. Orsted News regarding details of the affair, but

for Brothers from neighboring lodges you are all welcome and it is sure to be a nice affair.

Lodge No. 205, Brooklyn, N. Y. Due to the strike by the transit workers of New York City the January meeting of this lodge had to be canceled, but at the regular meeting February 9th, several visitors from other lodges were present to witness the installation of the officers for 1966.

The installation was performed in an excellent manner by the secretary of the GCEL, Brother Elmer Jensen, member of Lodge No. 257, New York, assisted by Brother Nick Olsen of Lodge No. 248.

Lodge No. 242, Erie, Pa. Our next GCEL convention city. The annual codfish dinner will be held Sunday, March 20, for those who love fish but hate to cook it. Here is an opportunity to forget about cooking and eat at the Danish Club House.

The 60th anniversary of the lodge will be celebrated with a dinner and dance Saturday, June 4; more about this in the next issue. Convention time will soon be here again. Erie Lodge, who is our host to the GCEL convention over Labor day weekend, realize this and a committee has been appointed and are ready to go to work and we all know that when Erie is host, they'll go all out to please and make the convention an unforgettable event.

Lodge No. 257, New York, N. Y. Visiting Brothers are always welcome in this lodge and they never go home dry or hungry, the feedbag is always put out following each meeting and a game of cards if you enjoy that can easily be part of the evening.

Congratulations are in order as the lodge on March 22 celebrates their 59th anniversary.

Lodge No. 325, Long Island, N. Y. As always, attending meetings and the socials in this lodge is a joy. If you are interested in playing chess or would like to enter a chess tournament contact Sophus Christensen. The lodge meets every second Tuesday each month.

Official Notice

The next scheduled meeting of the Supreme Board of Officers will begin at the Home Office, 908 W.O.W. Building, Omaha, Nebraska, on Monday, March 28, 1966, at 9 a. m.

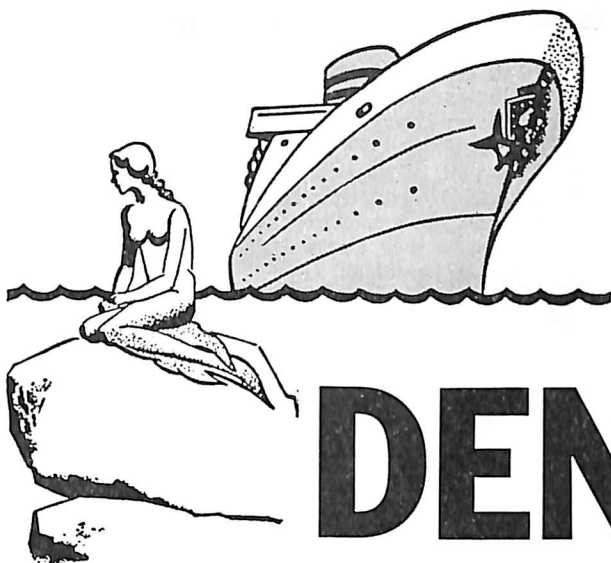
All matters to come before this meeting should preferably be at the Home Office not later than Friday, March 25, 1966.

AXEL SKELBECK,
Secretary-Treasurer.

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CALIFORNIA NEWS

By HAROLD MATHIASEN, 7201 La Cienega Blvd., Los Angeles, Calif. 90045

Installation of new lodge officers up and down the coast for General Committee President Ed Aasted ended February 12 in Bakersfield. He was accompanied on the entire tour by Niels and Anna Christensen, along with Mrs. Aasted, Supreme Trustee for the Sisterhood, as well as an officer of the General Committee.

This all started with his own lodge, Santa Barbara January 7: This joint affair with the Sisters was well attended by 115 persons who enjoyed a champagne party and dinner preceding the installations. Dancing followed and a very enjoyable evening was had by all.

The following reports on installations were sent in by our good Brother A. B. Christensen, and I am truly grateful for these complete reports.

Hayward, January 14 — Despite the absence of the top brass of the General Committee, except for the unannounced appearance of Secretary-Treasurer Al Tunsen, this installation turned out to be one of the most pleasant evenings ever experienced in Hayward.

However, Lodge 184 had chosen a Brother held high in esteem in DB circles and a highly valued member of 184, John Sorensen, trustee of the General Committee, to seat its officers. He and General Committee President Sister Ethel Tunsen performed their duties excellently, assisted by Brother Peter Brix and Sister Shirley Young, both past presidents of the local lodges.

Ferndale, January 15 — The impressive installation ceremony was performed by President Ed Aasted and Mrs. Albert Tunsen. They were assisted by Mr. Tunsen and Mrs. Donald Sanborn who acted as conductors. Mrs. Niels Sovndal played the piano.

Festivities on Saturday evening started with a 7 p. m. dinner at the Victorian Village Inn. At the close of the evening, coffee, cake, pastry and cookies were served.

Fremont, January 19 — The newly elected officers were installed by President Ed Aasted, ably assisted by Willy Christensen; with Al Tunsen and Mel Oredsen lending moral support from the sidelines.

Also present were Mr. and Mrs. N. Nielsen of Escondido 336, also known as "The Order of the Garter," who will transfer into No. 337 at the next meeting.

Oakland, January 21 — Lodge No. 39, together with the Sisters of No. 24, installation "always a gala event," was no exception to the rule this year. It started with dinner at the Holiday Inn, just a 15 minute drive from the Danish hall.

Ed Aasted and Ethel Tunsen were assisted by Inner Guard Willy Christensen and Sister Outer Guard Jannette Jensen; and had the unique experience of installing father and daughter as presidents of the two lodges, Fred Jensen of No. 39 and Joyce Frisen of No. 24.

I am not sure how long Fred Jensen's father, Jacob, has held the office as guard for No. 39, but having attended No. 39 installations for the past 35 years, I do not recall anyone else being escorted to that chair, Jacob Jensen is at this time the only living member who conceived the idea of our General Committee and helped to organize it at a meeting in Hayward in 1921. The General Committee is proud of this Brother, and has made him an honorary member.

San Francisco, January 26 — As we have attended most of these affairs for the past 40 years, Hilda and I hopped in the old Ford and drove the 40 miles to be with the "Gold Diggers." It all began with a buffet,

set up by Brother Ernest Meyer. It was a flock of well-fed Danes that listened to short talks by Brother- and Sisterhood Brass as they were called upon by Brother Carl Sorensen. The speakers included Ethel Tunsen, Ed Aasted, Al Tunsen, Mel Oredsen and many others.

Again Ethel Tunsen and Ed Aasted went to work, assisted by a local Sister and Brother Mel Oredsen. Willy Christensen was excused this time as he was to be installed as president.

The highlight of the evening was the introduction of Brother Christian Kraul, who joined No. 49, October 17, 1900 at the age of 22 years. His father was one of the organizers of No. 49.

We were also happy to listen to Rudolph Olsen, former secretary of the General Committee, who has recuperated from his sickness of two years ago, and of course Niels Christensen from Santa Barbara.

A. B. CHRISTENSEN.

In the company of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Miller, Lillian and I made the trip from Los Angeles to Escondido January 29, for their installation of officers. This was the first time that we had been able to get away from L.A. since our own joint affair with Alhambra January 8, and turned out to be our last as the flu-bug caught both of us and prevented us from attending San Diego and Bakersfield as planned.

I had the pleasure of being appointed acting conductor of Lodge 336 for the purpose of presenting the installing officer, Ed Aasted and his conductor, Peder Norby. The evening began with cocktails and then the installation where Ed had the pleasure of re-installing Richard Suda as president.

Then followed a delicious dinner. Peder Norby acted as toastmaster. The big surprise of the evening was when Dick Suda on behalf of No. 336 presented the "Order of the Garter" to Ed Aasted, and then proceeded to present the same honor to Harold Mathiasen (that's me), Kurt Møller, Jim Jorgensen from Ripon, Niels Christensen from Santa Barbara, and Paul Nielsen, Peder Norby, Hans Jensen, Fred Jensen, Bill Jensen and Alfred Westergaard, all from San Diego.

San Diego held their installations at the Bronze room in La Mesa on February 5. The evening's festivities began with cocktails, followed by dinner and installation of officers. Dancing followed the installations. Supreme Trustee Al Tunsen was present, as well as Niels Christensen from Santa Barbara.

P.S.—A. B. Christensen had the honor of being installed secretary of Hayward for the 25th time; and Charlie Petersen was installed as treasurer of Los Angeles No. 126 for the 35th time.

SUNNY FLORIDA — (Cont. from page 7)

will be aboard the KUNGSOLM on June 6, and we all wish them bon voyage and a nice time in Denmark where they will celebrate the 50 years of married life with family and friends.

George joined Lodge 102 in 1917 and has been a very active member in the Danish Brotherhood, and still is. He has been delegate five times for national conventions, held most offices in his own lodge, spent two years as president of GCEL, seven years as secretary, and correspondent for the Eastern Lodges for 20 years.

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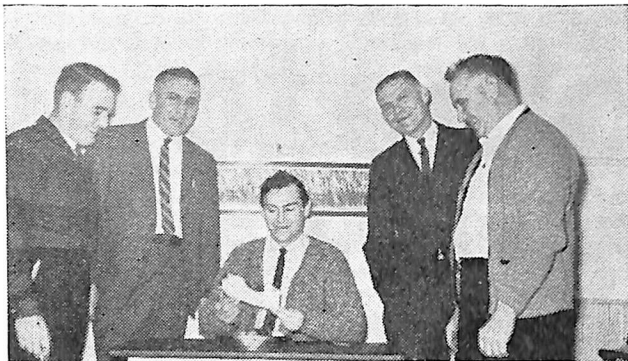


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MICHIGAN-OHIO DISTRICT NEWS

By MANUS NORTON, 204 E. Washington St., Greenville, Michigan



Trufant Lodge No. 106 had a most enjoyable party the last Saturday of the month. After two years of hard work and fund raising projects they paid off their mortgage which was owed to the bank.

In the above picture Lodge Treasurer Manus Norton lights a match to their paid-up note. In the picture, all smiling their approval are President Del Edison, Trustee Carl Nielsen, Norton, Past President Robert Jensen and Vice President Jack Stout.

This proves what can be accomplished within a lodge when all members get together and share an objective for a common goal.

Greenville Lodge No. 70 will sponsor a new kind of party at their February meeting. Each Brother is to bring a friend along as a guest for the evening in hopes of interesting him in becoming a member of the lodge. This would be a splendid way of bringing in new members.

With the population of Greenville being predominantly Danish, it should not be a difficult task to find a friend to accompany you. We will watch the results of this

meeting and if all goes well perhaps other lodges will want to follow this pattern.

Ludington Lodge No. 51 is busy making plans for the District convention which they will host May 7 and 8. We understand Ludington has so much snow that the Brothers have not dug the hall out yet.

We hope they will find it by convention time, but if not, I'm sure the Ludington Brothers will provide us all with snowshoes.

Sidney Lodge No. 181 must be holding "secret meetings." We never hear anything about them!

SECTION 19, PARAGRAPH 3(b)—Payment authorized in the laws of the society under one or more of the laws following sections: Section 17 par. 4 (and/or) Section 18 par. 1; Section 19 par. 10; Section 26 par. 1; Section 26 par. 2; Section 19 par. 3(b) is hereby published.

JANUARY, 1966 — Viggo Mikkelsen: Salary, \$125.00 less federal taxes, \$7.35; net, \$117.65. For attending 84th anniversary banquet, Lodge No. 4, Racine, Wis.: transportation \$59.20, per diem \$50. Axel Skelbeck: Salary, \$966.33 less federal taxes \$186.29; net, \$780.04. General office expense, \$50.00.

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