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Chicago, Illinois

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Augusta Street and Menard Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

Sunday, June 13, 1920

10:15 a. m.



Children's Day Exercises

by

Confirmation Class

7:15 p. m.



PASTOR G. E. GORDON

Program

10:15 a. m.

1. Members of Class take their seats while Choir sings.
2. Song No. 1.....Congregation
3. Responsive Scripture Reading—Luke 15: 1-10.

Pastor—Then drew near unto Him all the publicans and sinners for to hear Him.

Congregation—And the Pharisees and Scribes murmured, saying, This man receiveth sinners, and eateth with them.

Pastor—And He spoke this parable unto them, saying.

Cong.—What man of you, having an hundred Sheep, if he lose one of them, doth not leave the ninety and nine in the wilderness, and go after that which is lost, until he find it.

Pastor—And when he hath found it, he layeth it on his shoulders, rejoicing.

Cong.—And when he cometh home, he calleth together his friends and neighbours, saying unto them, Rejoice with me; for I have found my sheep which was lost.

Pastor—I say unto you, that likewise joy shall be in heaven over one sinner that repenteth, more than over ninety and nine just persons, which need no repentance.

Cong.—Either what woman having ten pieces of silver, if she lose one piece, doth not light a candle, and sweep the house, and seek diligently till she find it?

Pastor—And when she hath found it, she calleth her friends and her neighbours saying, Rejoice with me; for I have found the piece which I had lost.

Cong.—Likewise, I say unto you, there is joy in the presence of the angels of God over one sinner that repenteth.

4. Invocation.

Song by Class.

I can hear my Savior calling.
I can hear my Savior calling.
I can hear my Savior calling.

"Take thy cross and follow, follow me."

Chorus—Where He leads me I will follow,
Where He leads me I will follow,
Where He leads me I will follow,
I'll go with Him, with Him all the way.

5. Organ InterludeMiss Alice Berg

6. Scripture ReadingClass

7. Song, No. 7.....Congregation

8. Announcements and offering.

9. "Holy, Holy, Holy".....Choir

10. Baptismal Rite.

Song by Class.

I am so glad that our Father in heaven
Tells of his love in the Book He has given.
Wonderful things in the Bible I see;
This is the dearest, that Jesus loves me.

Chorus—I am so glad that Jesus loves me,
Jesus loves me, Jesus loves me;
I am so glad that Jesus loves me,
Jesus loves even me.

11. SongChoir

12. Short addressPastor

13. Solo.....Miss Grace Shogren

14. Examination of Class. Bible History.

Song by Class.

Brightly beams our Father's mercy,
From the light house ever more,
But to us He gives the keeping,
Of the Lights along the shore.

Chorus—Let the lower lights be burning
Send a gleam across the wave!
Som poor fainting, struggling seaman
You may rescue, You may save.

15. Examination of Class. "Catechism."

Song by Class.

I need Thee every hour, most gracious Lord;
No tender voice like Thine can peace afford.

Chorus—I need Thee, O I need Thee,
Every hour I need Thee!
O bless me now, my Savior,
I come to Thee.

16. The eight Beatitudes..... } Class
The Apostles Creed..... }

17. Solo.....Mrs. Joe. Shogren

18. Awarding of Diplomas.

19. SoloMr. Edw. Oakes

20. Presentation of Bibles.

21. "Guds ord och löfte skall bestå" (449
Psalmboken, 3 vers).

22. Decision by Class:

"I take god the Father to be my chiefest
good and highest end.

I take God the Son to be my Prince and
Savior.

I take God the Holy Ghost to be my
Teacher, Sanctifier, Guide and Com-
forter.

I take the word of God to be my rule
in all my actions and the people of
God to be my people in all conditions.

And this I do sincerely, freely, and for
ever.

23. Prayer.

24. SongChoir

25. Doxology.

26. Song.

27. Benediction.

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1. Organ Prelude.....Miss Alice Berg
2. SongSunday School
3. Bible ReadingPaul Steele
4. PrayerVictor Witting
5. WelcomeHarry Johnson
6. SongClass
7. Reception of Members.
8. SongPrimary Class
9. SpeechWalter Thor
Subject: "The Word of God."
10. SongSunday School
11. SpeechGarfield Shogren
Subject: "The meekest man above all
men, upon the face of the earth."
12. Recitation—"Comforting Thoughts"....
.....Alice Anderson
13. Bariton Solo—"The Beautiful Land on
High"Mr. H. M. Burgeson
14. Recitation—"Some Day".....Ellen Clemenson
15. Piano SoloMarion Burman
16. SpeechArthur Gustafson
Subject: "The apostle Paul."
17. SongClass
18. SpeechErnest Thorén
Subject: "Wesley and the great Awaken-
ing."
19. Cornet SoloBirger Dahl
20. Recitation—"Pass it Along", Bertha Bloom
21. SpeechBirger Dahl
Subject:
22. Declamation—"Wanted", Mildred Anderson
23. "Commencements Thoughts".....
.....Fred Anderson
24. Song—"Den heliga staden".....
.....H. M. Burgeson
25. Recitation—"Gods Greatness".....
.....Florence Grundin
26. Closing remarks and Prayer.....
.....S. School Supt. Mr. Carl Gezelius

Confirmation Class

Nineteen hundred and twenty

- Alice Anderson
Mildred Anderson
Bertha Bloom
Marion Burman
Ella Clemenson
Florence Grundin
Fred Anderson
Birger Dahl
Arthur Gustafson
Harry Johnson
Garfield Shogren
Paul Steel
Ernest Thoren
Walter Thor
Victor Witting



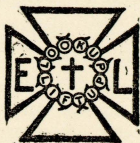
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"Win-My-Chum" ≡Week Again≡

November 11-18, 1917



**By
General Secretary Sheridan**

"Win-My-Chum" Week Again; Nov. 11-18

My Dear Epworthians:

This year's campaign will be different. Heretofore the campaign has been aimed wholly at the unconverted. This year while those outside the Church will not be neglected, the emphasis will be on inactive young people within the Church. These young folks are Church members but are not working at the job of a Christian. To get them into the League and definitely harnessed up to some piece of Christian service will be the primary purpose of this year's "Win-My-Chum" campaign. My! how I wish a "Win-My-Chum" campaign had come along during my first four years in Church—inactive, unsatisfactory years.

Of course it will not do to address these dormant Church members as non-Christians. They would resent that, and our chance to help would be gone. But we can present the varied forms—the widely differing types—of service which the League holds out, as urgently and attractively as we know how. And if we win them to these forms of service we shall have won them for the League and for a real Christian life.

BE CAREFUL IN PLANNING YOUR PROGRAM

More than one "Win-My-Chum" service has been ruined by one of the following blunders:

(a) A speaker who was unfamiliar with League work, and the "Win-My-Chum" idea.

(b) A speaker who worked off an old speech not related to the work in hand, instead of sticking to the subject for the evening.

(c) The address was too long. Tell your invited speakers that twenty minutes is the limit, and fifteen minutes is better.

(d) Too formal a musical program with dress parade songs instead of music that appeals to the heart.

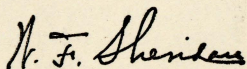
(e) Failure to leave sufficient time for the decision and consecration service.

(f) Too little prayer beforehand.

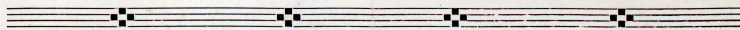
For further information, as to Gospel Teams, preliminary visitation of your constituency roll, use of visitation, attendance pledge cards, etc., write the Central Office.

In the meantime, pray daily for the "Win-My-Chum" Campaign.

Cordially yours,



N. B.—It is of the utmost importance that the foregoing message should be read by *every invited speaker* at these "Win-My-Chum" services. Unity of plan and climax of movement will be impossible without it.



PROGRAM

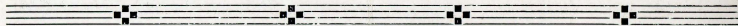
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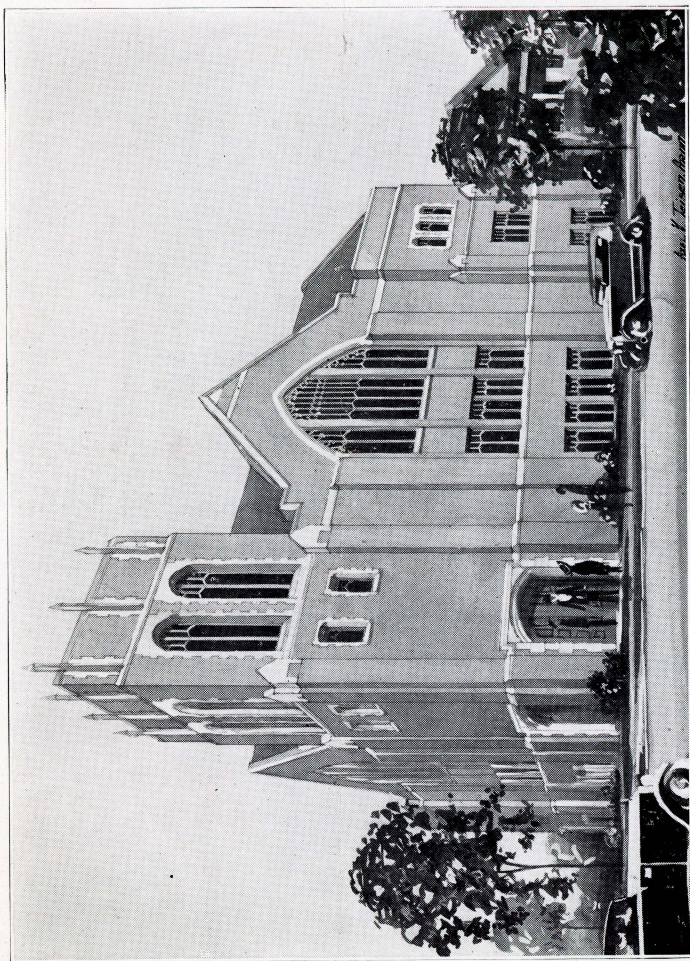
The Laying of the Corner Stone

OF THE

Austin Swedish Methodist Episcopal Church

Sunday, June 22, 1924, 3:30 P. M.





Program

In charge of Rev. W. C. Bloomquist, D. S. and
Rev. T. J. Westerberg

1. Song.....Arion Male Chorus
2. Scripture Reading.....Rev. Knut Hanson
3. Invocation.....Rev. C. J. Nelson
4. Song.....Arion Male Chorus
5. Address.....Dr. M. N. English
6. Song.....Arion Male Chorus
7. Address.....Dr. F. A. Lundberg
8. Financial Statements
9. Laying of the Corner Stone
10. Song.....Arion Male Chorus
11. Prayer.....N. W. Bard
12. Benediction.....Rev. P. M. Alfvin

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Clark St. car to Devon—1 block West and 1 block South.
Northwestern "L" to Granville—Walk 7 blocks West and
2 blocks North.

Spend a little time at the Literature Table

PROGRAM CHICAGO SWEDISH DISTRICT



ANNUAL CONVENTION

Saturday, April 24, 1920

at the

First Swedish M. E. Church

Highland Ave. & Paulina St.

SERVICE

9:30 A. M. — Devotional

Rev. C. J. ERICSON

10:00 A. M. — Roll Call

Organization

District Cabinet Officers' Reports

11:00 A. M. — *Paper* — High Lights and Shadows of
Second Dep't. Work

ANNA PETERSON, Evanston

Paper — The Neglected Side of the
Fourth Dep't.

MINNIE ANDERSON, Salem

Nominating committee meets at the end of this session.

12:00 Noon — *Lunch*

SERVICE

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2:00 P. M. — Jr. League Demonstration with address
by Mrs. Robert Brumlay

(This period under direction of Miss Florence Lindstrand)

3:15 P. M. — Unfinished Business

Dist. Secretary's & Treasurer's Report

Election of Officers

4:15 P. M. — Address — The Citizenship Program of
the E. L.

Dr. JESSE S. DANCEY, Pastor Oakland M. E. Church

5:00 P. M. — *Supper*

Chapter Songs and Yells Stunts

(This period under direction of Oscar Gustafson)

7:30 P. M. — Song and Praise Service

8:00 P. M. — Address — Life's Greatest Investment

Dr. VICTOR W. THRALL, Pastor First M. E. Church

Installation of Officers — Benediction

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ADDRESS CALENDAR

AND

YEAR BOOK

The Conference Year
1922 - 1923

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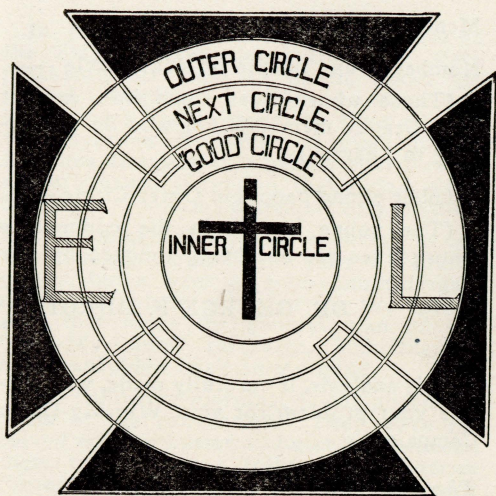
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FOR

The Win-My-Chum Campaign



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Central Swedish Conference



THIRTY-SECOND ANNUAL
SESSION
AUGUST TWENTY-SIXTH - THIRTIETH
1925



Austin Swedish Methodist Church
Augusta Street and Menard Avenue
Chicago, Illinois

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VÄCKELSEMÖTEN.



SWEDISH M. E. BOOK CONCERN,
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The Plan

The Winter Institute gives every one interested in Epworth League work a chance for excellent training. What the Lake Geneva and Des Plaines Institutes mean to us in the Fall, the Winter Institute offers us at this time. We have a splendid faculty, folks who are experienced teachers. Here is an opportunity that the Leaguers of Western District cannot afford to miss!

The Dean—Dr. Louis F. W. Lesemann

PLACE—Park Center M. E. Church, Sacramento Blvd. and Adams St.

To reach the church, take Madison Street car to Sacramento Blvd., walk two blocks South; or Van Buren Street car to Sacramento Blvd., walk two blocks North; or Kedzie Avenue car to Jackson Blvd., walk two blocks East and one block North; or Garfield Park Elevated to Sacramento Blvd. Station, walk three blocks North; or Northwestern Railroad to Kedzie Avenue Station, and use Kedzie Surface Line as above directed.

FEES—The enrollment fee will be 75c.

TIME—7:15 to 9:30 every Tuesday night, from January 23rd to February 27th.

REGISTRAR—Mr. Joseph Thor, 624 North Humphrey Ave., Oak Park. Write and tell him you are going to be there.

The church will be open for the convenience of students at 6 o'clock.

The West Side

Winter Institute

under the auspices of

Chicago Western District

and the

West Side Swedish Sub District

Epworth Leagues

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Under the direction of

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SIX TUESDAY NIGHTS

January 23 to February 27, 1923

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At the Park Center M. E. Church,
Sacramento Blvd. and Adams St.,
Chicago

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It's Worth the While

Program and Faculty

7:15-8:00

General Hour—

Bible Study—The Epistle to the Philippians,
Dr. Louis F. W. Lesemann, President of
the Chicago Training School.

First Departmental Hour

8:00-8:45

Mission Study—

"India on the March," Miss Gladys Vogt,
Second Vice President, Chicago Western
District.

Teaching Methods to Be Used in the Sunday School Class—

Mr. Warren T. Powell, of the Young Peo-
ple's Department of the Board of Sunday
Schools.

Old Testament Class—

Rev. A. W. Carlson, Pastor Maywood First
Church.

Class for Executive Officers—

Mr. Homer E. Chantry, Manager, Central
Office of the Epworth League.

Second Departmental Hour

8:45-9:30

First Department Methods—

Rev. L. S. Norris, Pastor, Congress Park
M. E. Church

Second Department Methods—

To be supplied.

Third Department Methods—

Miss Estella Manley, Deaconess.

Fourth Department Methods—

Rev. Churley A. Bloomquist, Pastor, North
Austin M. E. Church.

Junior League Methods—

Miss Eva Hammerberg, Junior League
Superintendent Chicago Swedish District.

Chicago Swedish



**DISTRICT
CONVENTION**

Held at

**Chesterton
Indiana**

**June 3 & 4
1922**

Annual Convention

Chicago Swedish District
Epworth League

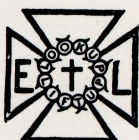
At the
SWEDISH METHODIST CHURCH

CHESTERTON, IND.

June 3rd - 4th,
1922

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SATURDAY, JUNE 3rd

ON ARRIVAL — Registration of delegates and visitors.

4:00 P. M.—OPENING SESSION

Devotions

Led by Mr. Henry Carlson

Roll Call—Organization

Business—Election

Mr. Alfred Olson, chairman

6:00 P. M.—Supper

7:30 P. M.—Hike to Campfire

8:00 P. M.—Campfire service

Led by Mr. Douglas Anderson

SUNDAY, JUNE 4th

5:45 A. M.—Bugle call

6:30 A. M.—Hike to the woods

7:00 A. M.—Setting up exercises

Leader Mr. Victor Johnson

7:15 A. M.—Morning watch service

Led by Mr. Joseph Thor

8:15 A. M.—Breakfast

9:00 A. M.—Hike back to church

9:30 A. M.—Rest

10:30 A. M.—Morning worship

Sermon

Rev. W. C. Bloomquist

Communion

12:00 M.—Dinner

3:00 P. M.—Institute talk

Miss Nellie Day

Address—"The Challenge of the Day"

Dr. R. J. Wade

Installation of new cabinet officers

5:30 P. M.—Supper

7:35 P. M.—Train leaves for Chicago

Song leader Oscar Gustafson, Evanston

Pianists Mabel Benson, Hyde Park

Milford Castrodale, Western Springs

Special Singing

Girls Quintette, Austin

Boys Quartette, Irving Park

Soloist, Ethel Carlson, Hobart

NOTE—The program is laid out according to Central Time.

1922

FOURTH ANNUAL BANQUET

GIVEN BY
THE OGDEN PARK EPWORTH LEAGUE



THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 27, 1922



OGDEN PARK M. E. CHURCH
68TH AND LOOMIS STREETS.

RECEPTION - 6:15 TO 7:00 P. M.
BANQUET - 7:00 P. M.

MENU

SOUP
 FRUIT COCKTAIL
 CHICKEN FRICASSE
 MASHED POTATOES
 PEAS
 PINEAPPLE SALAD
 AND
 COFFEE
 ICE CREAM
 CAKE

PROGRAMME

TOASTMASTER
 INVOCATION
 VIOLIN SOLO
 ACCOMPANIST
 READING
 VOCAL SOLO
 CORNET SOLO
 ACCOMPANIST
 ADDRESS
 VOCAL SOLO
 THREE MINUTE TALKS
 LADIES' QUARTETTE

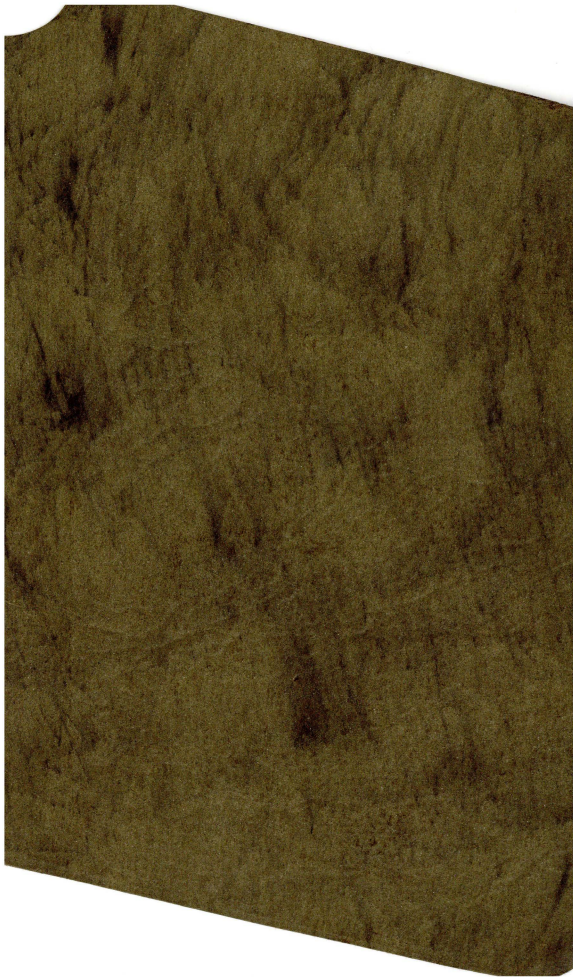
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For Jeanette Thor

Primary Course of Study

Gary Memorial Methodist Episcopal

Sunday School

1. Beatitudes, Matt. 5:3-12
2. Twenty-Third Psalm ✓
3. Books of the Old Testament
4. Books of the New Testament
5. John 3:16 ✓
6. The Lord's Prayer, Matt. 6:9-13 ✓
7. Names of the Twelve Disciples ✓
8. Mark 10:14. ✓
9. Golden Rule, Matt. 7:12
10. Two Great Commandments, Matt. 22:37-39 ✓
11. Temperance Pledge ✓
12. Proverbs 8:17
13. Colossians 3:20
14. Proverbs 20:1
15. Proverbs 20:11
16. First Psalm
17. The Christmas Story, Luke 2:8-20
18. The Easter Story, Mark 16:1-7
19. Isaiah 1:18
20. Mark 16:15
21. James 1:17
22. I Corinthians 16:2
23. Verses about God's word
24. John 6:37

{ Psalms 119:105
Hebrews 4:12
Isaiah 40:8

Names of the Twelve Disciples

These are the twelve disciples' names:

Peter, Andrew, John and James,

Two pairs of brothers who fished by the sea,

When Jesus said to them, "Follow me!"

Then James the Less, and Jude were called, too,

Philip also, and Bartholomew;

Matthew, and Thomas who doubted the word,

Simon, and Judas who sold the Lord.

Temperance Pledge

God gave me this good body,

To grow both strong and tall,

Tobacco helps to spoil it, and so does alcohol;

Into my mouth they shall not go,

When tempted I will answer "No!"

And every day I'll watch and pray,

"Lord keep me pure and strong alway."

PRIMARY COURSE OF STUDY

The Lord's Prayer.

Our Father, ^{who} art in heaven, Hallowed be thy name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done in earth, as it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our ^{debts} debts, as we forgive our ^{debtors} debtors. And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever. AMEN. Matt. vi. 9-13.

Two Great Commandments.

Jesus said unto him, Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind. This is the first and great commandment.

And the second is like unto it, Thou shalt love thy neighbor as thyself. On these two commandments hang all the law and the prophets. Matt. xxii:37-40.

VERSES ABOUT GOD'S WORD.

1. The entrance of Thy words giveth light; it giveth understanding unto the simple. Psal. 119:130.

2. Thy word is a lamp unto my feet, and a light unto my path. Psal. 119:105.

3. Thy word have I hid in mine heart, that I might not sin against thee. Psal. 119:11.

4. The word of God is quick, and powerful, and sharper than any two-edged sword. Heb. 4:12.

5. The grass withereth, the flower fadeth: but the word of our God shall stand forever. Isa. 40:8.

6. Be ye doers of the word, and not hearers only. James 1:22.

The Twenty-third Psalm.

The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want.

He maketh me to lie down in green pastures: he leadeth me beside the still waters.

He restoreth my soul: he leadeth me in the paths of righteousness for His name's sake.

Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil: for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff they comfort me.

✕ "The Golden Rule."

Whatsoever ye would that men should do to you, do ye even so to them.
Matt. 7:12.

Invitation Verses.

✕1. Jesus said: "Suffer the little children to come unto me, and forbid them not: for of such is the kingdom of God. Mark 10:14.

2. "Come unto me, all ye that labor and are heavy laden, and I will give you rest." Matt. 11:28.

✕3. "Him that cometh to me I will in no wise cast out." John 6:37.

4. This is a faithful saying, and worthy of all acceptation, that Christ Jesus came into the world to save sinners. 1 Tim. 1:15.

✕ The Resurrection Story.

And when the sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the mother of James, and Salome, had bought sweet spices, that they might come and anoint Him. And very early in the morning the first day of the week, they came unto the sepulchre at the rising of the sun. And they said among themselves, Who shall roll us away the stone from the door of the sepulchre? And when they looked, they saw that the stone was rolled away: for it was very great.

And entering into the sepulchre, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, clothed in a long white garment; and they were affrighted. And he saith unto them, Be not affrighted: Ye seek Jesus of Nazareth, which was crucified: He is risen; He is not here; behold the place where they laid Him. But go your way, tell His disciples and Peter that He goeth before you into Galilee: there shall ye see Him, as He said unto you. Mark 16:1-7.

Doxology.

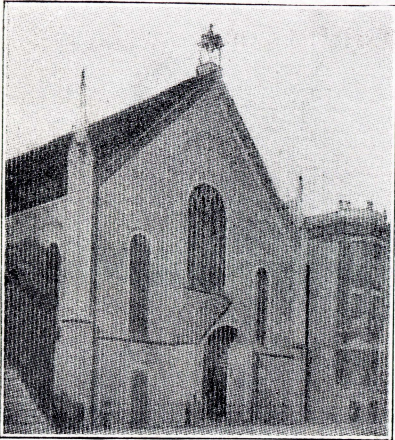
"Praise God from whom all blessings flow:

Praise Him, all creatures here below;

Praise him above, ye heavenly host,

Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost."

The Second Swedish
M. E. Church
CHICAGO



Old Church
Home

618-622 North May Street

Present Church
Home



Irving Park Blvd. and Avers Ave.

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A. C. RENDTLER, Local Preacher

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John P. Carlson

CLASS LEADERS

John Nyberg	P. O. Soderstrom	Lars Thornblade
Maria Tingstrom		Hanna Nelson
	Hulda Olson	
Sunday School Supt. A. A. Fredrickson		Epw. League Pres. Richard Carlson

Pres. Ladies Aid Society, Mrs. C. A. Carlson
Women's Foreign Miss. Soc., Mrs. David Nelson
Women's Home Miss. Soc., Mrs. G. L. Nordquist
Communion Stwd. Mrs. Sarah M. Thorson

THE HISTORY OF THE SECOND SWEDISH METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH, CHICAGO, ILLINOIS, 1871-1921.

By J. L. Alstrin.

From the year 1852 to the great fire in October, 1871, there was only one Swedish Methodist Church in Chicago. It was called Illinois Street Church. The lot on Oak and Orleans Streets was bought in 1870, and a chapel was built thereon in the summer of 1872.

The Illinois Street Church was destroyed in the fire, and then the lot was exchanged for the lots on May Street, on which was a frame house that served as a parsonage. The congregation worshiped first in the Norwegian Methodist Church and later in the German Methodist Church, on the West Side. Plans were made for a new Church on May Street. The basement was ready for dedication November 1st, 1872.

The Pastors, A. J. Anderson, E. Shogren and Alfred Anderson served both congregations. The Quarterly Conferences as well as the Leader-meetings were held together. The services were largely attended, souls were saved, and the children of God rejoiced—shouts of jubilee were heard at every meeting.

The first Quarterly Conference of the Second Church was held the 9th of November, 1875. The following members were present: Rev. E. Shogren,

G. Wetterlund, J. O. Shillestad, W. Olson, O. Nelson, Frederick Nelson, C. Holmberg, A. Alfson, Akerholm, A. Wilson, Ake Person, Rev. John R. Andrews, P. O. Soderstrom and J. L. Alstrin.

The 25th of January, 1876, a meeting was held in the Second Church for the purpose of discussing the idea of building a church on the South Side. Five Brethren from the North Side, five from the West Side and the Brethren from the South Side were present. Rev. Shogren, A. Wilson and Bernard Swenson had charge of the prayer service. The Second Church had therefore a part in beginning the Third Swedish Methodist Church. At the said meeting Rev. Shogren asked for permission to spend a few months in San Francisco. His preaching in that city met with great success. The Church was served in his absence by Dr. Wm. Henschen and Dr. N. O. Westergreen, and great blessings crowned their ministry.

Rev. D. S. Sorlin came in July, 1876, from the Bethelship in New York City and took charge of the May Street Church. In the division of the Illinois Street Church the Second Church received 234 members. Since that time till now has this Church rendered a blessed service which will be fully known only in the last day. The highest aim of both Pastors and members has been the spiritual work of the church. Rev. Sorlin with his great gift of song and holy enthusiasm drew large crowds. Around the altar, raised by him in the basement of the Church, many souls found peace and cleansing through faith in Christ Jesus. Brother Sorlin remained two years. Since that

time has each Pastor served three years with the exception of K. H. Elmstrom and J. O. Nelson who each served two terms and Rev. H. W. Willing, who remained 8 years and H. L. Lindquist 4 years.

Rev. John Wigren was appointed as Pastor in 1878 and in that year the auditorium was built. He worked hard regarding this enterprise, and was District Superintendent for a large District at the same time. Good progress was made also in spiritual matters and the membership grew in numbers. This Church entertained the Annual Conference in 1880, with Harris as the presiding Bishop.

The following year came Rev. C. G. Nelson. Perhaps the greatest revivals in the history of this Church were those of that period. The young people were in a special manner under the influence of the Holy Spirit. Dr. Nelson took part in services in Humboldt Park. The finances of the Church were also a success. At that time the envelope system was adopted which has been used ever since. It is probable that ours is the first and only Church that has uninterruptedly used this system.

Rev. K. H. Elmstrom became the Pastor of May Street Church in 1884. His eloquence brought large audiences, and many souls found Christ as their Savior. The Humboldt Park Church and the Emanuel Church were organized during his pastorates. Once more this Church entertained the Annual Conference in 1887 with Bishop Fowler in charge.

The enthusiastic Bible-expositor Rev. J. O. Nelson then served three years. The congregation was greatly lifted by his ministry and many were saved.

In 1890 K. H. Elmstrom was again appointed as pastor of Second Church. During this time great improvements were made relative to church property. A large three-story house was built, the first floor being used as a parsonage. The old house in the rear of the Church was also improved. A loan was taken, but no subscription; the rent from the flats was used to pay the debt. Pastor Elmstrom was given a vacation to make a trip to Sweden in order to bring his youngest daughter to this country. Dr. C. G. Wallenius had charge of the Church in Brother Elmstrom's absence, and served also as the Superintendent of the Sunday School.

The kind-hearted Rev. John Bendix came in the year of 1893, and he also did a good work for which he is greatly beloved, and many souls were saved and added to the Church.

Rev. Wm. Swenson was sent to take up the work in this Church in 1896. He succeeded by his enthusiasm to win the young people to greater activities. The debt was reduced to a great extent. Brother Swenson suffered a big loss while serving this charge in that his dear wife died. In poor health himself he was gladly given a chance to visit Sweden; he returned strong and vigorous.

Three years later came Rev. J. O. Nelson as pastor of this Church. Again he served with success the usual time.

Rev. K. Hanson succeeded him in 1902, and with his great gift under the leadership of the Holy Spirit he gave the Church a good instruction in Biblical truth and added to the membership of saved souls.

Rev. Olof Johnson was appointed pastor in 1905.

He had three happy years in this Church and saw salvation of souls. He and his beloved wife are held in love and esteem by the congregation.

During a number of years the Swedish-speaking population kept moving from the West Side; many of our members had to take one or more street cars to attend the services, and in spite of love and faithfulness on the part of Pastors and Members it became necessary to look for another field of labor. While Olof Johnson served this charge Class meetings were held in Irving Park. He preached there every week.

The friendly Rev. H. W. Willing, who in 1908 succeeded him, continued this work while plans were laid for a change of location. Tent meetings in Irving Park were held; many attended, and a decision was made that the services should continue in this part of the city. A church building was rented for use on Sunday afternoons and evenings and one week-night. The 7th of August the first service was held in this little Church; and the 2nd Sunday in January, 1911 a Sunday School was organized with 15 scholars, Brother Gezelius being the Superintendent.

An important meeting was held in the old May Street Church the 22nd of March, 1911, when it was decided to sell the old church property and to secure a new church in Irving Park. C. A. Carlson, C. B. Thorson and J. L. Alstrin were appointed for the task. They succeeded in selling the Parsonage for 7,200 dollars in cash. The church building is not as yet sold. A suitable lot was purchased in Irving Park for 2,400 dollars. Ap-

proved by the Quarterly Conference work on the new church was started. A. Lund had charge of the foundation, brick and iron work; C. B. Thorson the wood-work; Nelson Bros. the plumbing and furnace work; and J. L. Alstrin the painting. Other work was done by equally competent men. All contractors were the lowest bidders, and did good, faithful work.

The ground was broken for the new Church Thursday, the 10th of November, and the cornerstone was laid in the afternoon of December the 14th, 1911.

The work continued till the basement was finished when the severe cold of the winter caused the work to cease till springtime, and no damage was done. The Church was ready for dedication the 12th of August, 1912. That was a big day. Among those who took part in the services of that day were the District Superintendent Rev. Alfred Anderson, Rev. W. Willing, K. H. Elmstrom, Dr. James Rowe, and A. N. Sorlin.

The property is valued, including the lot, at 14,000 dollars. A large subscription was taken that day.

Pastor Willing was called upon to close the work on May street and to continue it in Irving Park. The last meeting in the Old Church was held on June 9th, 1912. We had the privilege to have him for 8 years, and a very good work was done by him. His kindness endeared him to us all.

He made a thorough canvass of the new field and found a large number of Swedish families not connected with any church. This fact made it seem all

the more clear that it was the will of God that the Second Church should move out in this part of our great city.

In the successor of Brother Willing the Church had in Rev. H. L. Lindquist an experienced and a tried preacher. He gave us sound gospel sermons and spared not his strength for the welfare of the Church. He organized the Boy Scouts and was Captain of same. This kept boys in Church and we have now a number of young men attending the Church. He had great sorrow while serving this Church. The daughter, after a lingering illness, was called by death. Mrs. Lindquist endured much suffering, but she exercised great patience under it all. May the blessings of God rest upon them and may they still be a blessing to others.

Rev. Nels W. Bard came to us in 1920 and it is hoped that he may remain with us many years. God has graciously blessed Second Church during the past year. Souls have been saved. New members added to the Church. This beautiful house of God has been decorated. A choir sings His praises, and a lively interest is in evidence in all of the departments of this dear Church.

In recording some of the work of the Church our aim is to give God the glory. Due to the fact that some of the Members moved to other parts of the city a chance was given to hold services in some of these localities; and thus May street Church has helped to start the churches in Fifth Avenue, Humboldt Park, Emanuel, Melrose Park and finally the move of the Church itself to Irving Park. The Lord has wonderfully blessed the work of these churches,

Many souls have been converted, received training in the Christian service, and have given God praise and glory in these congregations.

Several young men have gone into the ministry from these churches. The present Pastor of Second Church was sent by Emanuel Church to the Seminary in Evanston to be prepared for the work of the ministry.

And this old Church has sent out at least two preachers, A. G. Johnson and Theodore Peterson. On the church-roll is seen also the names of E. Davidson, Nels Eagle, Arvid Sorlin and O. Froberg, all of whom have labored in the ministry.

And women have gone out from Second Church as preacher-wives and as deaconesses.

The different branches of the Church have labored faithfully for the upbuilding of the Kingdom of God. The Ladies' Aid has been with us from the beginning. First they came together as a sewing society, making useful articles to be given away or sold. Later they met monthly in the homes of the members, payed dues and used the hour for a social and spiritual uplift. They have a committee to visit the sick and aged folk, a work that has been richly blessed. Large sums of money have been given to the Church by this society which is still doing a very good work. Long live this noble branch of our dear Church!

In all the years this Church has been blest with splendid gifts of song and music. Our directors have been able to hold the singers together. These

leaders have come from two families: Shillestad and Thorson, that served for many years, and too much can not be said in favor of them for their sacrifice and the help they have given. Gustav Thorson served as songleader and organist without remuneration, and that for many years. His brother, Sidney Thorson, took up the work after Gustav Thorson was called to heaven, and he served in the same way as his beloved brother. Mrs. J. P. Miller and others served as directors for a season, at present Gottfred Berg being in charge, all doing splendid work.

The work among the young people has likewise prospered. The Epworth League and the Junior League have flourished. The present condition of the young people in our Church gives us reason for thanksgiving, and we say: praise God for the young life of our Church! The spiritual life, and the cultivation of the same is foremost in the activities of the Epworth League.

The most important branch of the Church is undoubtedly the Sunday School. The precious seed sown in the hearts of the many children and other scholars in our Sunday School during these many years has given a harvest which only heaven can tell. May the Lord in His mercy keep and bless every one!

We have had very good superintendents and teachers in our School all these years. The Brethren Shillestad and Gezeliuss have served together as superintendents not less than 30 years. Others who have served in that office are: Dr. C. G. Wallenius, Otto Peterson, C. A. Carlson, John Peterson, A. Alfson,

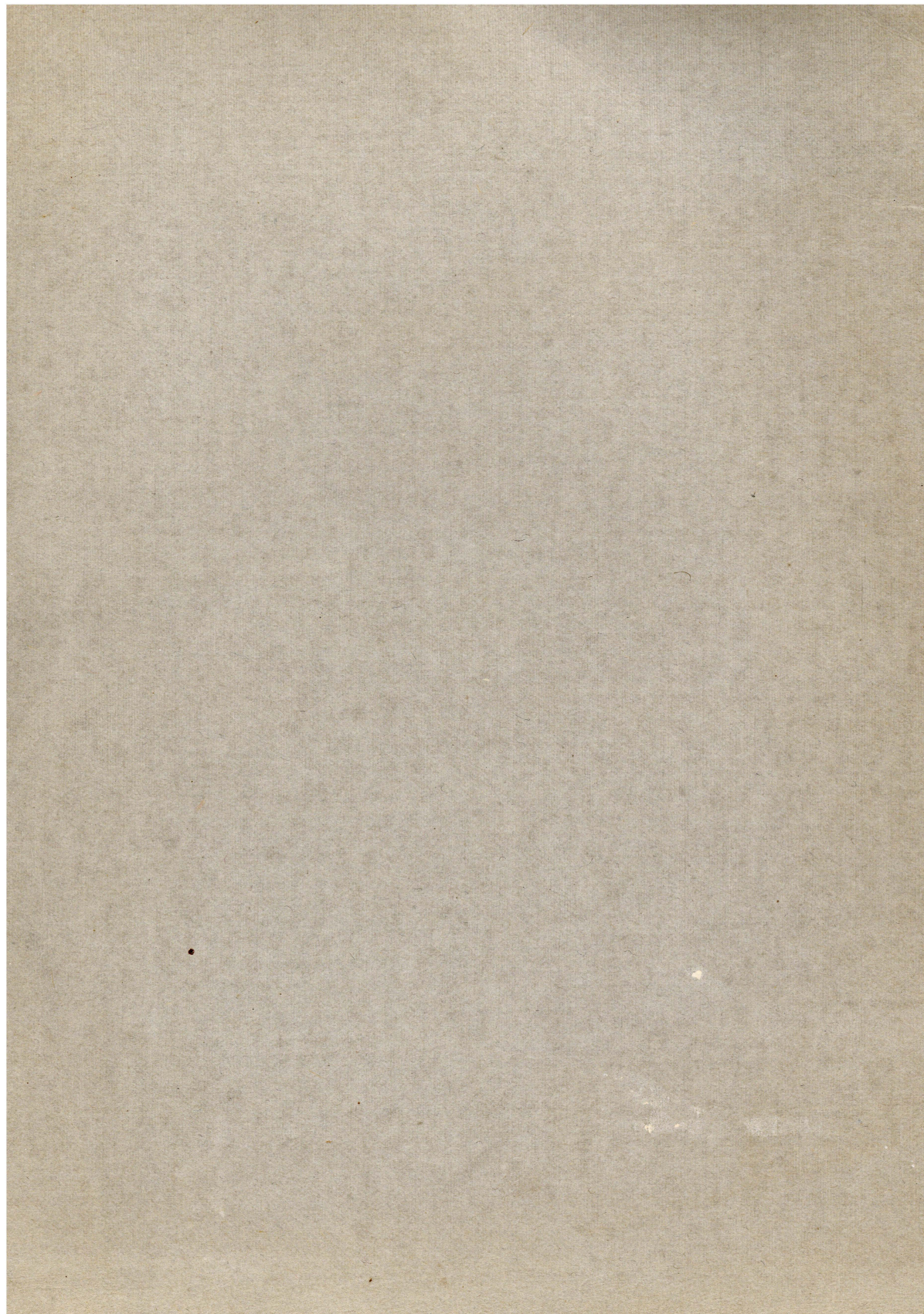
Enock Haga, Charles Thorson, Alfred Erickson and A. A. Fredrickson, who serves in that capacity at the present time. It is his sixth year.

Surely, the most important and most blessed work is to win the children and the young people for Jesus our Saviour before the enemy can destroy them. May we all do our best to bring them to Christ!

We have as a people very much for which to thank God. He has helped us so far, and He will help us in the future. May we prove faithful to His cause, and also to the branch of His Church of which we are members. God has blessed the Swedish Methodist Church from the very beginning till now. And this Church is a testimony to the fact that both in this Country and in Sweden a warm spiritual people may be used by God to awaken Christians of other denominations to a deeper spiritual experience. We have always had good spiritual leaders and God has blessed their work and we wish God's best blessing on each and every one and their families.

May we as a Church not go to sleep but rather let us be watching and praying; go from strength unto strength, from faith unto faith, led by the Spirit of God. May we be living epistles read and known for a holy life wherever we may go. And when our work on earth is finished may we be welcomed to enter in through the gates of the temple, not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

There we shall sing the praise of God and His Christ with all the believers throughout all the endless eternities.



Block No. 72

Certificate No. 34

SWEDISH M. E. CHURCH

Michigan City, Indiana

AMALGAMATED BRICK STOCK

This is to certify that

Mr. Jos. C. Thor

of City Oak Park, Ill

is the owner of this certificate and has paid 10 cents for same.





CHICAGO
DISTRICT
SWEDISH
EPWORTH
LEAGUE

Annual
Convention
May 29-30
1917

Western Springs, Illinois
"Follow the Flag"

25. C. Thor

FELLOWSHIP CARD.

May 15

1907

Epworth League No. 1 of Western Springs
affectionately commends Miss Hilma Ekdahl
the bearer, to the fellowship of the Epworth League connected with the
Swedish M. E. Church Church, of
Austin, Chicago, Ill., or to the fellowship of
any Chapter to which this certificate may be presented.

Yelene Carlson

SECRETARY.

FELLOWSHIP CARD.

May 15

1907

Epworth League No. of Western Springs, Ill.

affectionately commends Carl Ekdahl

the bearer, to the fellowship of the Epworth League connected with the

Swedish M. E. Church Church, of

Austin, Chicago, Ill., or to the fellowship of

any Chapter to which this certificate may be presented.

Yvonne Carlson

SECRETARY.

FELLOWSHIP CARD.

May 15 1907

Epworth League No. of Western Springs
affectionately commends Miss Anna Ekblad
the bearer, to the fellowship of the Epworth League connected with the
Swedish M. E. Church Church, of
Austin, Chicago, Ill., or to the fellowship of
any Chapter to which this certificate may be presented.

Yette Carlson SECRETARY.

*You are cordially invited to a Reception to be
tendered Bishop and Mrs. Thomas Nicholson, and
Dr. and Mrs. William S. Bovard by the Chicago
District of the Central Swedish Conference. in the
Dining Hall of the new Bethany Home, 5003 North
Paulina Street, Chicago, Ill., on June 30, 1920.*

Reception at 6:30.

Dinner 7:15.

Plate \$1:35.

W. C. Bloomquist

C. G. Wallenius

C. J. Andreen

Committee

SWEDISH



Tuesday Evening
April 9, 1918
7 o'clock

Billy Sunday
Tabernacle

Door 23



one view of our Boarding School
where Nathaniel lives.

ANNUAL REPORT

to the Corresponding Secretary for the year ending May, 1920

Name of Church

Name of Chapter

Name of Pastor

Address

Annual election is held in the month of

OFFICERS FOR NEW LEAGUE YEAR

President

Address

First Vice-President

Address

Second Vice-President

Address

Third Vice-President

Address

Fourth Vice-President

Address

Secretary

Address

Financial Secretary

Address

Treasurer

Address

Junior League Supt.

Address

DELEGATES TO ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION

Delegate, member of nomination committee:

Name

Address

Other Delegates (give names and addresses):

1.

2.

3.

4.

5.

6.

7.

8.

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10.

MEMBERSHIP

Active 47 Associate ✓ Total 47
 Total reported to last convention 51
 An increase of ✓ or decrease of 4
 New members—By transfer 52 Others 1 Total 3
 Members left—By transfer 5 Own request 17 ~~Dropped or scratched~~ 1 Total 7

MEETINGS HELD DURING YEAR

Regular devotional 50 Average attendance 24
 Literary and social 4 Mission 16 Temperance 2
 Cabinet business 3 League business 12 Average attendance 35
 Taken part in ✓ meetings arranged by District Cabinet

MISSION AND MERCY AND HELP DEPARTMENTS

Hospital visits 6 Sick visits in homes 27 Bouquets 8
 Number visits to Chicago Avenue Mission ✓ Donation \$
 Number visits to Bethany Home 2 Donation \$ 3.00
 Number visits to Susanna Wesley Home ✓ Donation \$
 Donations to other needy and work \$ 26.00
 Clothes, groceries, etc. 5.00

Given to Foreign Missions \$ 68.00 To local church \$ 25.00

Number members in Mission Study Class 15 Morning Watch ✓
 Christian Stewardship Class 12 Bible Study Class ✓
 Number subscribers to Epworth-Klockan ✓
 When do you hold your devotional meetings Sunday evening 6:30
 When do you hold your business meetings 3rd Monday of month.
 Do you have literary or social meetings at the time of and in place of devotional meetings no

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance \$ 16.80 or Deficit \$ last year.
 Receipts during year \$ 325.51 Expenditures \$ 211.51
 Balance \$ 113.99 or Deficit \$ this year.

JUNIOR LEAGUE REPORT

Number members Average attendance
 Number meetings held Time of meeting

Address:

SECRETARY

COME TO OUR BIG

Epworth League

 **RALLY** 

Sunday Evening, Oct. 3, 1920

7:30 Sharp

Austin Swedish M. E. Church

Cor. Menard Ave. and Augusta St.

**BE SURE
TO HEAR**

Dr. E. C. Dewey

Subject: Epworth League Program for 1921

Soloist: Miss Hazel Williams, Contralto
and other good singing

Epworth League Chorus

Other Lively Song and Music

Bring Your Friends Along

EPWORTH LEAGUE BLANKSLOCAL CHAPTER REPORTS**Report of the Treasurer of the Epworth League**

Chapter No. 22186 to the Monthly Business Meeting,
held at in Church, Dec. 18. 1918.

Amount in Treasury at last Report, 3.47

Received during the Month—

- a. From Membership Dues, 2.60
b. From Entertainments, From Lt Jönson 8.00
c. From other sources, _____
Total, 8.14.07

Amount paid out during the Month (in the following items)—

2 Percent given to the Bethany Home 2.00
Given to Mrs. Chas. Masberg 5.00
For cards and envelopes for the Soldier 4.04
Total, 11.04
Balance in Treasury, 8.903.

Number in Arrears in Payment of Dues, _____ Amount of Arrearage, _____

Have all obligations been paid? _____

Work done for promotion of Christian Stewardship in co-operation with the Second
Department, _____

Remarks: _____

Signed, Carola Vallström.
Treasurer

EPWORTH LEAGUE BLANKS.LOCAL CHAPTER REPORTS.**I. Department of Spiritual Work.****Report of First Vice-President of the Epworth League,**Chapter No. Star 22186 to the Monthly Business Meeting,held at June. 29. 1917Devotional Meetings held during the Month, 3 Average Attendance, 25Leaders for the Month, A. Olson 6/3 17No Meeting 6/10 00J. Thors 6/17 22C. E. Dahl 6/24 37Religious Condition of the Chapter, The older people being more aggressiveNumber of Fellow Workers, four Increase, _____

Results of Personal Work, _____

Number pursuing Systematic Bible Study, _____ No Meetings, _____ Av. Attendance, _____

Number pursuing _____ Study, _____ No. Meetings, _____ Av. Attendance, _____

No. Comrades of Morning Watch, _____ Increase, _____ Open Air Meetings, _____

Remarks: The attendance has been fairgood meeting during June.My only appeal is for moreprayer loving people.Signed, A. P. Olson

First Vice-President

Oak Park, Ill. Feb.14, 1918.

Dear Applicant:-

Regarding your application for membership in the Swedish M.E.Sick Benefit Association, am sending this reminder for you to be examined by your doctor and have certificate ready for me by Sunday Feb. 17.

The meeting of the association will be next Monday eve.at which meeting I will take up your application.

Yours truly,

Oscar B. Soderholm

THE NAVY CLUB
For U. S. and Allied Sailors and Marines
509 FIFTH AVENUE
NEW YORK

October 16th, 1917.

Dear friend Joe:

I take this occasion to extend my hearty thanks to the Sunday School for the beautiful little Testament you forwarded me some time ago.

I assure you I value it very highly as I do the organization from which it comes.

There have been few times indeed during the busy summer when I have felt lonesome and some of those lonesome feelings have been for the little Sunday School on the corner where I had so many pleasant times and where I acquired knowledge of a life worth living.

I realize I am still far from perfect, but there are a few high ideals in my life and these were largely created and developed there - for which I am very grateful and long for the time when I can see you all once more.

My school days in New York will be over in another ten days and I will then take my place on one of the ships of the Atlantic fleet, which I believe will play a great part in bringing this awful war to a speedy and successful conclusion.

Sincerely yours, Fred A. Lawson

OSCAR B. SODERHOLM,
644 N. HUMPHREY AVE.
OAK PARK, ILLINOIS

Sep 1 1918.

Mr. Joseph Thor.

Dear Epworth Leaguer: Will you prepare yourself to speak at the next E.L. meeting Sep 18. at our home on topic "What I would do if I were editor of the Starman"? Pointers and helpful criticism is what I want.

Time limited to five minutes as there are others who speak on same topic.

Your Co-worker
Oscar B Soderholm

St Charles. Ill

Aug-12-1913

Dear Joseph.

My mother said for me to write and tell you to come out here if you wish to if your folks would let you. It would be company for Martin to have you out here with him. He helps Mr. Swans bring the milk to town each day. He was here today and wanted me to be sure and write and tell you to come.

St Charles will have a big day next Thursday. Aug 19. Try and come for that picnic.

we were to have our Sunday
School picnic today, but had
to postpone on account
of rain. We have certainly
had lots of rain this summer.
It's just time for mail man
to call so will close my
short letter for this time. I
hope to see you soon.
Would like to see you all
out here in future.

In haste

Edna

You and your son
of the
Adriel Bible Class

are requested to attend a parental gathering
at the church

Wednesday evening, March 28
1917

Adriel Bible Class

C. F. Nelson, Teacher and President

Alfred Olson, Vice-President

Paul Carlson, Secretary

Arthur Gezelius, Treasurer

Gunnar Dahl

Carl Ekdahl

Clarence Froberg

William Grabow

Howard Nordmark

Gustave Grundin

William Olson

Herbert Gustafson

Joseph Peterson

Gerald Gustafson

Nels Ringstrom

John McManus

Carl Thor

Roy Nelson

Joseph Thor

David Thor

Frank Thoren

2408 Onington Ave,
Frankton, Nov. 23, 1920.

Dear Rev. Gordon:-

I am sending you under separate cover two enlargements of pictures taken at Belleau Woods Cemetery, France, which I wish to present to the Epworth League of your church and hope they will be able to make use of them by framing and hanging them in the league room. I will soon have the folders ready to present to the parents and will send them on to them or would you suggest to hold them awhile and send them for Christmas?

I was wondering if you cared to have me give my lecture on Sweden (also England & France)

at your church or the league room.
I will come for \$25⁰⁰ and the league
or church can then charge as
much as they please and
make money on it. Let me
know and we can then seek to
arrange a date. All my Fridays
are taken up until Christmas
and a few other nights also but
I think we could arrange it.

Greet your league from me
Best greetings to yourself from

Henry S. Rylin

EPWORTH LEAGUE BLANKSLOCAL CHAPTER REPORTS**Report of the Treasurer of the Epworth League**

Chapter No. 22186 to the Monthly Business Meeting,
held at in Church April 23 19 19

Amount in Treasury at last Report, 14.18

Received during the Month—

a. From Membership Dues, 2.60
b. From Entertainments, _____
c. From other sources, 14.02
Total, 8 30.80

Amount paid out during the Month (in the following items)—

Given to Garfield Anderson
Mission 8 14.00

Total, _____

Balance in Treasury, 8 16.80

Number in Arrears in Payment of Dues, _____ Amount of Arrearage, _____

Have all obligations been paid? _____

Work done for promotion of Christian Stewardship in co-operation with the Second
Department, _____

Remarks: _____

Signed, Corola Waller
Treasurer

EPWORTH LEAGUE BLANKSLOCAL CHAPTER REPORTS**Report of the Treasurer of the Epworth League**

Chapter No. 22186 to the Monthly Business Meeting,
 held at Mrs. Otto Snerson, Dec. 26, 1917

Amount in Treasury at last Report, 4.62

Received during the Month—

a. From Membership Dues, 3.30
 b. From Entertainments, for days & dges. 108.70
 c. From other sources, 40.58
 Total, \$ 157.19

Amount paid out during the Month (in the following items)—

Giving to some family for Christmas 41.15
Paid for fire insurance at home Dr. Pugh. 8.00
Paid to Pat & Gordon, ad for flowers. 1.82
 Total, 50.97
 • Balance in Treasury, \$ 106.22

Number in Arrears in Payment of Dues, _____ Amount of Arrearage, _____

Have all obligations been paid? _____

Work done for promotion of Christian Stewardship in co-operation with the Second
 Department, _____

Remarks: _____

Signed, Carola Wallstrom
 Treasurer

EPWORTH LEAGUE BLANKSLOCAL CHAPTER REPORTS**Report of the Treasurer of the Epworth League**

Chapter No. 22186 to the Monthly Business Meeting,
held at Mr. Axel Nelson, Jan 30, 1918.

Amount in Treasury at last Report, \$ 106.22

Received during the Month—

a. From Membership Dues, 6.70

b. From Entertainments, _____

c. From other sources, .10

Total, \$ 113.02.

Amount paid out during the Month (in the following items)—

A present given to Josephine Peterson.

1.60

Total, \$ 1.60

Balance in Treasury, 111.42.

Number in Arrears in Payment of Dues, _____ Amount of Arrearage, _____

Have all obligations been paid? _____

Work done for promotion of Christian Stewardship in co-operation with the Second
Department, _____

Remarks: _____

Signed, Carola Wallstrom
Treasurer

CHICAGO SWEDISH DISTRICT EPWORTH LEAGUE

ANNUAL REPORT

to the Corresponding Secretary for the year ending May, 1917

Name of Church *Austin Swedish M. C.*

Name of Chapter *Star*

Name of Pastor *Prof. F. A. Sundberg*

Address

Annual election is held in the month of *April*

OFFICERS FOR NEW LEAGUE YEAR

President *Axel Nelson*

Address *5848 W. Chicago Ave. - City.*

First Vice-President *Alfred Olson*

Address *843 N. Lombard Ave - Oak Park, Ill.*

Second Vice-President *O. B. Soderholm*

Address *644 N. Humphrey Ave - Oak Park, Ill.*

Third Vice-President *Mrs. Chas. Westberg*

Address *5806 W. Rice St. - Chicago*

Fourth Vice-President *Eva Hamnerberg*

Address *827 N. Hayes Ave - Oak Park, Ill.*

Secretary *Jos. C. Thor*

Address *624 N. Humphrey Ave - Oak Park, Ill.*

Financial Secretary *Litto*

Address

Treasurer *Carolla Wallstrom*

Address *150 Home Ave - Oak Park.*

Junior League Supt.

Address

DELEGATES TO ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION

Delegate, member of nomination committee:

Name *Axel Nelson* Address *5848 Chicago Ave.*

Other Delegates (give names and addresses):

1. *Axel Nelson* - *5848 Chicago Ave. City.*
2. *Joseph Thor* - *624 N. Humphrey Ave. O. P.*
3. *Eva Hamnerberg* - *827 N. Hayes Ave. O. P.*
4. *Grace Shogren* - *1000 N. Lockwood Ave. City.*
5. *Josephine Peterson* - *1036 N. Austin Ave. City.*
6. *Alfred Olson* - *843 Lombard Ave. O. P.*
7. *Paul Carlson* - *1024 N. Lovel Ave. City.*
8. *Olga Seastrand* - *5945 Walton St. City.*
9. *Arthur Gezelius* - *5837 Augusta St. City.*
10. *Carolla Wallstrom* - *150 Home Ave. O. P.*

EPWORTH LEAGUE BLANKSLOCAL CHAPTER REPORTS**Report of the Treasurer of the Epworth League**

Chapter No. 22186. to the Monthly Business Meeting,
held at Min Grace Shogren. Nov. 28 1918

Amount in Treasury at last Report, 96.52

Received during the Month—

a. From Membership Dues, 4.00
b. From Entertainments, 21.85
c. From other sources, 4.00
Total, \$ 126.47

Amount paid out during the Month (in the following items)—

Paid to Trustees \$ 100.00
Collection for the Lussan 21.85
Wesley Homes 21.85
Total, _____
Balance in Treasury, \$ 4.62

Number in Arrears in Payment of Dues, _____ Amount of Arrearage, _____

Have all obligations been paid? _____

Work done for promotion of Christian Stewardship in co-operation with the Second Department, _____

Remarks: _____

Signed, Carola Wallstrom.
Treasurer

Mail to Miss Esther Nygren, Hobart

Report from the Upworth League of the
Austin Swedish M.E. Church

regarding Delegates to convention at Hobart, Ind., June 6-7.

No. of delegates elected 6

approximate no. visitors on Saturday 25
(not including delegates)

Names of delegates requesting lodging for Friday night:

Josephine Peterson

Lillie Berg

Oscar Solberholm

Caralla Wallstrom

Ruth Gordon

Paul Nelson

For Saturday night:

Joe C Thor

CHICAGO SWEDISH DISTRICT EPWORTH LEAGUE

ANNUAL REPORT

to the Corresponding Secretary for the year ending May, 191

Name of Church

Anglin Sw. M. E.

Name of Chapter

Star

Name of Pastor

Dr. H. P. Gordon

Address

Annual election is held in the month of

OFFICERS FOR NEW LEAGUE YEAR

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Address

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Address

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Address

DELEGATES TO ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION

Delegate, member of nomination committee:

Name

Josephine Petersen

Address

Other Delegates (give names and addresses):

1.

Eva Hamnerberg

2.

Mrs. Carl W. Ladberg

3.

Grace Shogren

4.

Mrs. Otto Swanson

5.

6.

7.

8.

9.

10.

MEMBERSHIP

Active 50 Associate 2 Total 52
 Total reported to last convention 47
 An increase of 5 or decrease of _____
 New members—By transfer 3 Others 4 Total 7
 Members left—By transfer _____ Own request 2 Dropped or scratched _____ Total 2

MEETINGS HELD DURING YEAR

Regular devotional 30 Average attendance 28
 Literary and social 5 Mission 9 Temperance X
 Cabinet business 6 League business 12 Average attendance 30
 Taken part in 0 meetings arranged by District Cabinet

MISSION AND MERCY AND HELP DEPARTMENTS

Hospital visits 2 Sick visits in homes 25 Bouquets 4
 Number visits to Chicago Avenue Mission X Donation \$ X
 Number visits to Bethany Home 1 Donation \$ 23.10
 Number visits to Susanna Wesley Home 1 Donation \$ 21.85
 Donations to other needy and work \$ 120.83
 Clothes, groceries, etc. _____

Given to Foreign Missions \$ X To local church \$ 150.00

Number members in Mission Study Class X Morning Watch X
 Christian Stewardship Class 10 Bible Study Class X

Number subscribers to Epworth-Klockan _____
 When do you hold your devotional meetings 6:30 P.M. Sunday
 When do you hold your business meetings Last Wed of Month.
 Do you have literary or social meetings at the time of and in place of devotional meetings _____

TREASURER'S REPORT

Balance \$ 98.48 or Deficit \$ _____ last year.
 Receipts during year \$ 490.69 Expenditures \$ 369.81
 Balance \$ 120.28 or Deficit \$ _____ this year.

JUNIOR LEAGUE REPORT

Number members _____ Average attendance _____
 Number meetings held _____ Time of meeting _____

Address:

J. O. Thor

SECRETARY

ANNUAL CONVENTION

of the

Epworth Leagues

of

Chicago District, Central Swedish Conference

to be held

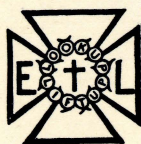
Saturday and Sunday, June 8th and 9th, 1918

at the

Hyde Park Swedish Methodist Episcopal Church

Dorchester Avenue, near 55th Street,

Chicago, Illinois



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SATURDAY, JUNE 8

Key-Note: "Sacrifice"

9:30 A. M.	Devotional Service	Miss May Wilson
10:00 A. M.	Organization, roll call, reports, business	
11:15 A. M.	Address: "The Sacrificial Challenge to Methodism"	Rev. Henry M. Swan
12:00 Noon	Luncheon	
2:00 P. M.	Junior League Demonstration, with address by.....Mrs. LaMar Sheridan Warrick (This period under direction of Miss Hulda Mossberg)	
3:30 P. M.	Reports, unfinished business	
4:15 P. M.	Address: "Sacrificial Efficiency, The Goal of the Big Drive".....Mrs. Warrick	
5:15 P. M.	Beach Party and Camp Fire (Devotional Service led by	Miss Esther A. Westring Graduate Missionary)
7:30 P. M.	Patriotic Rally: Address, "Khaki-clad Sacrifice: Its Summons to Us".....Rev. J. P. Seaberg	

SUNDAY, JUNE 9

3:30 P. M.	Address, "Our Duty to Our Church, Our Nation, and the Kingdom of God".....Rev. J. S. Ladd Thomas
	Installation of New Cabinet.

Note: The Epworth League of the Hyde Park Church will serve a light lunch at 5:30 P. M. to those wishing it.

BE SURE TO SPEND AT LEAST A FEW MINUTES AND A FEW CENTS AT THE LITERATURE TABLE



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Central Swedish Conference

Chicago, Illinois

Sept. 18, 1914.

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Dear Fellow-Worker:-

The reports at our annual Convention last May indicated that the work of the second department has been sadly neglected in most of our Leagues, and a recommendation was made that efforts be made to awaken enthusiasm and create interest.

In accordance therewith, a district missionary rally has been arranged for the First Sunday in October, the 4th, in the First Church, Oak and Orleans Sts. The speaker of the afternoon will be Dr. Harvey Reeves Calkins, and the soloist, Miss Anna Sandberg.

Note the hour - 3:30, late enough to permit those coming from a distance to arrive on time without necessitating undue haste. We will try to close before 5 o'clock.

Note the place - First Church, the most centrally located Swedish Methodist Church in Chicago, with good transportation facilities.

Note the speaker - Dr. Calkins was for years a missionary in India, and is now Stewardship Secretary of the Methodist Church, an inspiring and interesting speaker.

Refreshments will be served to those who desire to attend the evening service, or go direct to their own churches - a nominal fee will be charged.

Second Vice President, this is your opportunity. Work up a large attendance from your League, and we believe you will find it easier to secure co-operation later on, because of a broadened missionary vision as the result of Dr. Calkin's talk. This rally has been arranged for your benefit, to help you arouse interest in your local League.

Be sure to come yourself. I am anxious to see you, as I have some plans for the fall which I cantalk about easier than write.

Yours for Missionary Enthusiasm

May Wilson

RESOLUTION OF THE AUSTIN SWEDISH M.E. CHURCH CHOIR.

Whereas, this eleventh day of February, nineteen hundred and seventeen, We, the Choir of the Austin Sw. M.E. Church, by this resolution, extend our hearty appreciation for the support and encouragement received from our late Pastor Mellin and his family.

A lover of song and music, a friend to singers, were two of his qualities that in themselves were a great factor to which we owe the establishment of our choir. His interested attitude and many words of encouragement continued from his coming until his decease.

His death not only left his place vacant, but necessitated the temporary vacancy of the places, in our choir, occupied by Mrs. Mellin, Linnea, and Seved. It is our sincere desire that these places may soon regain their former occupants.

May his memory, in the future, establish that ideal, set by him in life, to uphold our pledge and sing to the glory of God.

President.

Secretary.

Committee.

Joe's Copy

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The Swedish National Sanatorium

FOR TUBERCULOSIS

Denver, Colorado

April 21, 1919.

Epworth League of Swed. M. E. Church,
Austin, Chicago, Ill.
Dear Friends and Co-Workers:

With peace between the warring nations practically restored, and the trend of industrial and home activities towards normal conditions, it gives us greater opportunity to consider the needs of our own institutions. Of course, we know as well as you that every American has frequently been called upon to do their bit to help our nation in supporting and sustaining our soldiers who have been willing to give their lives for the cause of liberty. Quite a few of our soldiers who at the call of colors, left home and all that was dear to them, contracted tuberculosis in the trenches or training-camps, and we have been more than glad to care for a number of these deserving young men. As an aftermath of the influenza epidemic which swept the world with such deadly force, many of our civilian population as well as soldiers have been stricken with tuberculosis, and these unusual conditions make our need of help this year more pressing than ever.

It is a well-known fact that the "White Plague" never ceases its deadly warfare, picking out its victims from rich or poor, young or old, but you no doubt know that it reaps its largest harvest from the ranks of our young people, over FIFTY PER CENT of our patients being under thirty years of age. These young folks, like you, are as keenly interested in life and actuated by the same desire to live useful and happy lives. Consider the situation these young men and women are forced to face, when they learn from a physician that they have contracted the much-feared tuberculosis - the verdict that completely shatters all their cherished hopes and plans - and what a great fund of patience and courage they need to meet this unexpected and disappointing condition in their lives.

We are sure you value your own blessing of health and in gratitude to Him from whence cometh every good gift, will do what you can for our afflicted brothers and sisters. The result of our appeal to the Young People's Societies last year did not reach the high mark of previous years, no doubt due to the repeated calls for help from war organizations, and because our young men were in Uncle Sam's service. Now that many have returned and resumed their work in the Societies, we look forward to a generous response. Assuring you that any donation, large or small, given by your Society to our good cause, will be deeply appreciated and gratefully received, we remain

Most cordially,

THE SWEDISH NATIONAL SANATORIUM,

C. G. Nelson

Chaplain and General Superintendent,

Kustaf Nywall

Assistant Superintendent.

PROGRAM

CHICAGO DISTRICT SWEDISH M. E. SUNDAY SCHOOL INSTITUTE

Saturday - - November 10, 1917

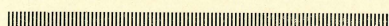
Sunday Afternoon, November 11, 1917

at the

ROSELAND SWED. M. E. CHURCH

Cor. 113th St. and Indiana Ave.

MR. C. GEZELIUS, President



SATURDAY

10:00 A. M.—Special Preachers Session

—Devotional

—Address—The World Program and
Our Sunday Schools
Mrs. Helen Patten Hanson

12:00—Lunch

2:00 P. M.—Devotional

—Organization

—Address—Methods and Materials for
Training in Service
Mrs. Helen Patten Hanson

—Address—Adults in the Sunday School
Dr. Wm. S. Bovard

Addresses to be followed by discussions—questions answered

5:00 P. M.—Lunch

—Teacher Training Plans
Dr. L. F. W. Lesemann

7:00 P. M.—Song Service

—Reports

7:30 P. M.—Address—The Sunday School and
Evangelism.

Dr. Wm. S. Bovard

SUNDAY AFTERNOON

3:30 P. M.—Address—The Sunday School
Dr. C. G. Wallenius

Meals served at 35c per plate

Take Illinois Central R.R. to Pullman or take S. S. Elevated to Dorchester Ave., then take Illinois Central R.R. balance of way to Pullman or take Elevated to Cottage Grove Ave., then Michigan Ave. surface car to 113th St. From Illinois Central at Pullman walk west. From street car at 113th St. and Michigan Ave. walk east.

Chicago, Feb. 9, 1921.

Mr. Jas. Thor.

Dear Cabinet Members:

The communication regarding the enclosed circular was received yesterday and find it too late to decide as a league, what action to make, but believe that such instruction classes as herein prescribed, will prove beneficial and helpful, and would unhesitatingly recommend same and suggest that we, as a cabinet, take upon ourselves the responsibility to represent our League and arrange to attend as often as possible, and bring home the good tidings.

I will not send in our list of delegates and would suggest that upon arriving at the Institute, you register and pay and will later reimburse you. The League, I am sure, will be grateful for this. "Eleventh Hour," Action, and will vouch for their Co-Operation.

Let's all go and show the Conference that we mean business.

Very sincerely,

A. P. Olson

"A GOOD SOLDIER OF JESUS CHRIST"-2 Tim. 2:3.

The Loyal Sunday School Army of America

L.S. + S.A.
FOR GOD AND THE RIGHT



THIS DIPLOMA

OF MERIT

is awarded to Walter Thor,
of Austin Swedish M. C. Sunday School for Faithful Attendance
Lesson Study and Contributions during the year ending December, 25th, 1921

Jos. C. Thor,

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C. G. Gerschler

Superintendent

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This is to Certify that Grace Shogren having conformed to the standards of the Epworth League as defined below, is entitled to this Certificate with the proper seals attached.

REQUIREMENTS: To entitle the holder to a certificate the student is expected to have taken the necessary number of periods, as follows: in 1919, at least five forty-minute periods in four different subjects; in 1920, at least five forty-minute periods in five different subjects; and unless modified in 1921, the same number will be required as in 1920. Upon the completion of the required number of periods annually, a seal shall be affixed to this certificate for each subject. When at least fourteen seals shall have been secured, upon the presentation of this certificate to the Central Office, an Institute Diploma shall be awarded.



*Bible Study

District Officers' Class

Social Service

Foreign Missions



Recreation and Culture

Christian Citizenship

Junior League Methods

Evangelism

Rural Work

Methodism

Advanced Junior League Methods

Music

Life Workers' Class

Rural Community Service

Fourth Department

Home Missions



*General Methods



Sunday School Methods

Harlow B. Holt

DEAN, OR SECRETARY OF INSTITUTE

Epworth League Institute

Date 8/25/21

*REQUIRED

Chas. E. Guthrie

GENERAL SECRETARY



Institute Certificate



This is to Certify that Joseph C. Thor whose home address is
624 N. Humphrey Ave. Oak Park having conformed to the standards of the Epworth League as
defined below, is entitled to this Certificate with the proper seals attached.

REQUIREMENTS: To entitle the student to a Certificate he is expected to take at least four classes of five forty-minute periods each. Upon the completion of the required number of periods annually, a seal shall be affixed to this certificate for each subject. When at least fifteen seals shall have been secured, upon the presentation of this certificate to the Central Office, an Institute diploma shall be awarded.

*The subjects required for a diploma shall be three units in Bible Study and three units in Epworth League Methods, at least one of which must be General Methods.

G Morning Watch

G *Bible Study

Evangelism

Life Work

Junior League Work

Mission Study, General

Mission Study, Foreign

Mission Study, Home

Stewardship

Community Service

Christian Citizenship

G Hymnology

Pageantry

Methodism

Local Interests

Forum

Church School Methods

*Epworth League Methods

General Methods

G Departmental Methods

Intermediate Methods

Advanced Junior Methods

District Officers Methods

Lake Geneva
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Harland C. Logan
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Blaine E. Kirkpatrick

Date

July 23-1927

Secretary, The Department of the Epworth League
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Chicago, Illinois June 29th, 1917

An Open Letter to Our Lads in Khaki:-

The Annual Convention of the Epworth League of the Chicago Swedish District meeting at Western Springs, May 29th and 30th sends heartiest greetings to you. A special feature of the Convention was a roll call of our enlisted boys, in which your name was included.

We want you to know that wherever you may be, in training camp, or hospital service, or in the trenches, our thoughts and prayers are with you.

You have left much behind you - home, friends, and all the little comforts and customs which are precious now because they are gone - but we earnestly hope you have not left religion behind. Religion you know is not simply a matter of churches and creeds. It is an affair of the heart - a transforming friendship with Jesus Christ. You will need his friendship as you go into strange places, among strange people.

You have before you a Great Adventure. You are looking forward with mingled feelings, to long watches and hard fought battles. We want to remind you that the hardest battles will be within, and if you have not taken the Great Friend with you, you will have to fight them alone. The long watches, too, will be longer without his presence.

"Finally, my brethren, be strong in the Lord, and in the power of His might. Put on the whole armour of God, that ye may be able to stand against the wiles of the devil." Also read Ephesians 6:12-18.

Yours, in His Name,

May Wilson,
District President.

Chas. J. Westring,
Dist. Cor. Secy.

Adel Nelson
President

Lo. C. Thor
Secretary.

Parker Memorial High School.

Rev. C. E. Simpson, B. D.,

Principal.

\$18 supports a famine orphan.
\$20 supports a pupil in school.
\$40 supports a pastor-teacher.
\$60 supports an ordained preacher.
\$90 supports a member of Conference.
\$150 builds a village chapel.
\$300 builds a "circuit centre."
\$400 endows a scholarship.

Moradabad, India. Apr. 27th, 1943

Dear Brother Wessberg and Ep. Leaguers,

Enclosed is a letter from Nathaniel, the boy you are supporting here. He is quite well now and is getting on alright. He is reading in the 6th class. We are having the yearly examinations at this time, and he is working hard to pass. That is one time when all the boys work hard. I wish they would work as hard all the year. We would then have a wonderfully bright lot of boys, but since this is not so we are no better and no worse than boys in general. They are going home for their summer vacation in about two weeks, which they are looking forward to with great delight.

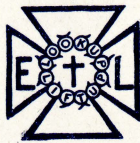
Personally we are all well at present. Our children have just had chicken pox, which has kept them from going to school up till now. We are sending them off by the first of May however. They go to a school in a hill station, so we will be separated from them till the end of the year. This is the first year that we have sent them off, so it is just a little hard on us all till we get used to it. It is a good school however and they will like it when they get up there.

I am sending a copy of the plans of the new high school which we are in the process of erecting. We laid the corner stone of the same on the 12th of this month. Bishop Warne and a number of Missionaries from out stations were here. It was a great day in the history of the school. We are planning to have the building ready if possible by Jan. next. Our Conference meets here next Jan., and we want to dedicate the new school at that time. The war is however causing quite a delay as every thing is very high and difficult to get. We will do the best we can however and trust The Lord to work it out in some way. Mrs. Simpson and myself send our best regards to you all. Some of you we knew personally, and we thank you all for your kind co-operation in this great work.

Very sincerely yours,

C. E. Simpson

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Dear Secretary

Enclosed are annual report blanks. One copy is for your records, the other with all questions answered, return to me not later than May first. Be sure to give list of officers for the coming year, and delegates for the convention to be held at Hyde Park June 8th and 9th.

The annual tax of three cents per member is now due, and request that same be remitted without delay.

The Delegate Tax, owing to High Cost of Living, will be \$1.25 per delegate and should be in our hands before convention.

Please note my new address. Thanking you for a prompt response, I am

Yours truly
Chas. J. Westring,
Cor. Sec.

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EDGAR BLAKE
CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

December 27, 1917.

Dear Brother:-

You will be much pleased to hear that Captain Moffett, Commandant at the U. S. Great Lakes Naval Training Station, has consented to send us a band of seventy-five pieces for the Patriotic Rally of our Chicago Sunday Schools at Medinah Temple, January 17th. Other features of this meeting are indicated on the posters sent you some days ago. We hope you may have a great delegation present, with a service flag, from your Sunday School that evening.

RESERVATIONS: As to reserved seats for this Rally, please mail so as to reach us not later than Wednesday, January 2nd a statement as to the number you need. We can not promise reservations requested after that date. Base your request on the actual list of persons who have promised to attend the Rally rather than on a general estimate of "about the number we can use". Such regulations relative to reserved seats are imperative, because of the unusual interest in this meeting and the probability of a record breaking attendance. **DO NOT FAIL** to take up this matter with your school on Sunday the 30th, and **MAKE RESERVATIONS AT ONCE** in accordance with the above suggestions. I enclose a stage ticket for your own use.

SERVICE FLAG: If you have not sent us a report of the number of your Sunday School members now in military or naval service, do so at once as we must begin work on the large service flag for all Chicago Methodism early next week. If you have no service flag for your School we shall be glad to order one for you in accordance with the suggestions in our recent letter.

Very truly yours,

L. O. Hartman

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555 NORTH PARKSIDE AVENUE
TELEPHONE AUSTIN 1378

Chicago, Illinois,
December 27th, 1917.

Dear Sunday School Worker:-

Boy Delinquency or Boyhood Conservation;
which will it be for Austin during the remainder of the War?

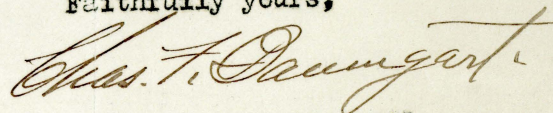
The Boys' Workers Association of Chicago is offering a course in Boys' Leadership to men who wish to become more efficient in leading Boys' Sunday School Classes, Boys' Clubs, Boy Scout Troops and general Boys' Activities in the community.

Mr. Arthur A. Guild of the Juvenile Protective Association will meet a group of Austin Sunday School Workers at the Y.M.C.A., 555 North Parkside Avenue, Saturday evening, January 5th at 7:30 o'clock. He will explain the purpose of this leadership course and will show the great demands that are coming to the Boys' Workers of the City for efficient trained leadership.

The hundreds of Austin young men who have been called to the Colors have left behind them very important pieces of work to be done. The question which is confronting us, is, are we equipped, able and ready to fill their places? The enclosed circular will explain in detail the plans for this course. May I urge you to attend this meeting and by so doing help us to so face the local problem of Boys' Leadership? The Austin Sunday School Executives' Council heartily endorses this training course and asks your co-operation and interest.

Looking foward to seeing you at this
meeting, I am

Faithfully yours,



President of the Council.

C.F.B./AEJ

HOBART SWEDISH EPWORTH LEAGUE

HOBART — INDIANA

May 7, 1919.

My dear Secretary:-

As you no doubt already know our Epworth League here in Hobart will entertain the annual District convention June 6-7. In preparation for this we are sending out this letter of information. The programs to be issued by the District Cabinet will be out next week and will contain R. R. schedule. Hobart is on the Pennsylvania R. R. 33 miles from the Union Depot, Chicago, and it takes about 1 1/2 hours to get here. It is also reached by South Shore Electric line to Gary and street car from Gary to Hobart.

For those who will use the train we give the following advice regarding tickets. Single fare one way is about \$1.10. You can save half of this by the following plan. Group together and buy 25-ride tickets from Chicago or Englewood to Gary and 10-ride tickets from Gary to Hobart. The 25-ride ticket can be bought in Chicago; the 10-ride only in Gary or Hobart. The train does not stop long enough at Gary to get off and buy one, so we will buy them for you and send them to you if the price, \$1.10, be sent us for each 10-ride ticket wanted. The 25-ride costs about \$10.00, so you see the trip can be made for about \$1.00 (Rd trip) by grouping. Do not wait until the last days to arrange for this, but do it as soon as possible.

To get in time for services (opening of sessions) plan to take the 1:00 train from Chicago (1:19 from Englewood) on Friday afternoon, and the 6:45 train on Saturday morning. The latter is a slow train but the only one before the session starts at 9 a.m. It arrives 8:30. The 1:00 train arrives 2:27. — A train leaves evenings at 10:40, in good time after services.

We are prepared to take care of delegates over the Friday night and also the few if any, who will stay over Saturday night. As mentioned above, the train leaves 10:40, so no doubt most will leave after the Saturday night service. We need to know how many to prepare room for, so please fill out the enclosed blank and return as soon as possible. Some one will meet the trains and show you the way to the churches and homes. We say "churches" for only the Friday afternoon service will be held in our own church, all others in the American M. E. Church.

Assuring you of a hearty welcome to Hobart, we remain,

Yours Fellow-Leaguers,
Hobart Sw. Epw. League
by Esther Nygren
Clara Carlson
Committee

H. B. Taylor,
Pres.

Oct. 13, 1917

EFFICIENCY CHART

May 1st, 1917 to Sept. 30, 1917.

1. Is attendance at Devotional Meetings
40% of your membership? Yes 20 points
 2. How many members are enrolled
in Mission Study Class? One 10 points
 3. How many of your cabinet have
enrolled as Christian Stewards? Two 20 points
 4. Has your chapter arranged for visits to:
 - a. Bethany Home Yes 3 points
 - b. Susanna Wesley Home Yes 3 points
 - c. Brotherhood Home Yes 3 points
 5. a. Has your Chapter distributed 1 or
more bouquets per month? Yes 3 points
b. Has your Chapter made 4 or more
sick calls per month? Yes 3 points
 6. Were more than 10 signatures secured for
Dry Chicago Pledge? Yes 5 points
 7. Has your Chapter held one social event in
this period? Yes 5 points
 8. a. Has your Chapter held one Business
Meeting per month? Yes 5 points
b. Are the dues of 75% of your membership
paid up to date? Yes 5 points
 9. Is your Chapter in correspondence
with any soldier or sailor? Yes 5 points
 10. Attendance of members and friends at
Sub-convention will be awarded 1 to 10
points figured on membership reported
to the last Annual Convention. _____ 10 points
- 100 points

Is. C. Thor Secretary
Austin "Stor" Chapter

At the Western Springs Convention a new plan for awarding Sub-District Banners was ordered prepared. The above is that plan. Answer each question in full and return to me between Oct. 1st and 15th. Question No. 10 will be filled in by Dist. Sec. at the Sub-convention, date of which will be announced in ample time for you to have a full delegation. It is important that this chart be fully answered in detail as the banner for your sub-district will be awarded to the chapter having highest degree of efficiency.

Chas. J. Westring, Cor. Sec'y.
2432 No. Mozart Street.

All members of Epworth League, and their parents, are invited to attend a Surprise Birthday Party, to be given in honor of Axel Nelson, at his home, Wednesday Evening, May, 8, 1918.

You are urgently requested to donate a fair sum, with which we hope to buy a floor lamp, as a gift, showing our entire appreciation for his splendid services as our President.

Mrs. Wessberg. *4.25 - Paid.*
C.F. Nelson. *25 - Paid.*
G. Shogren. *50¢ Paid.*
C. Engdahl. *50. Paid.*
E. Wessberg. *4.25 - Paid.*
Lillie Berg. *25 paid.*
Mrs. C.F. Nelson. *2.25 Paid.*
Otto Swanson. *25*
Mrs. O. Swanson. *25 -*
E. Ringstrom. *25 Paid*
Ellen Erickson. *4.25 Paid.*
L. Shogren. *25 Paid.*
Alice Berg. *25 + Paid.*
Mrs. C. Engdahl. *50 Paid*

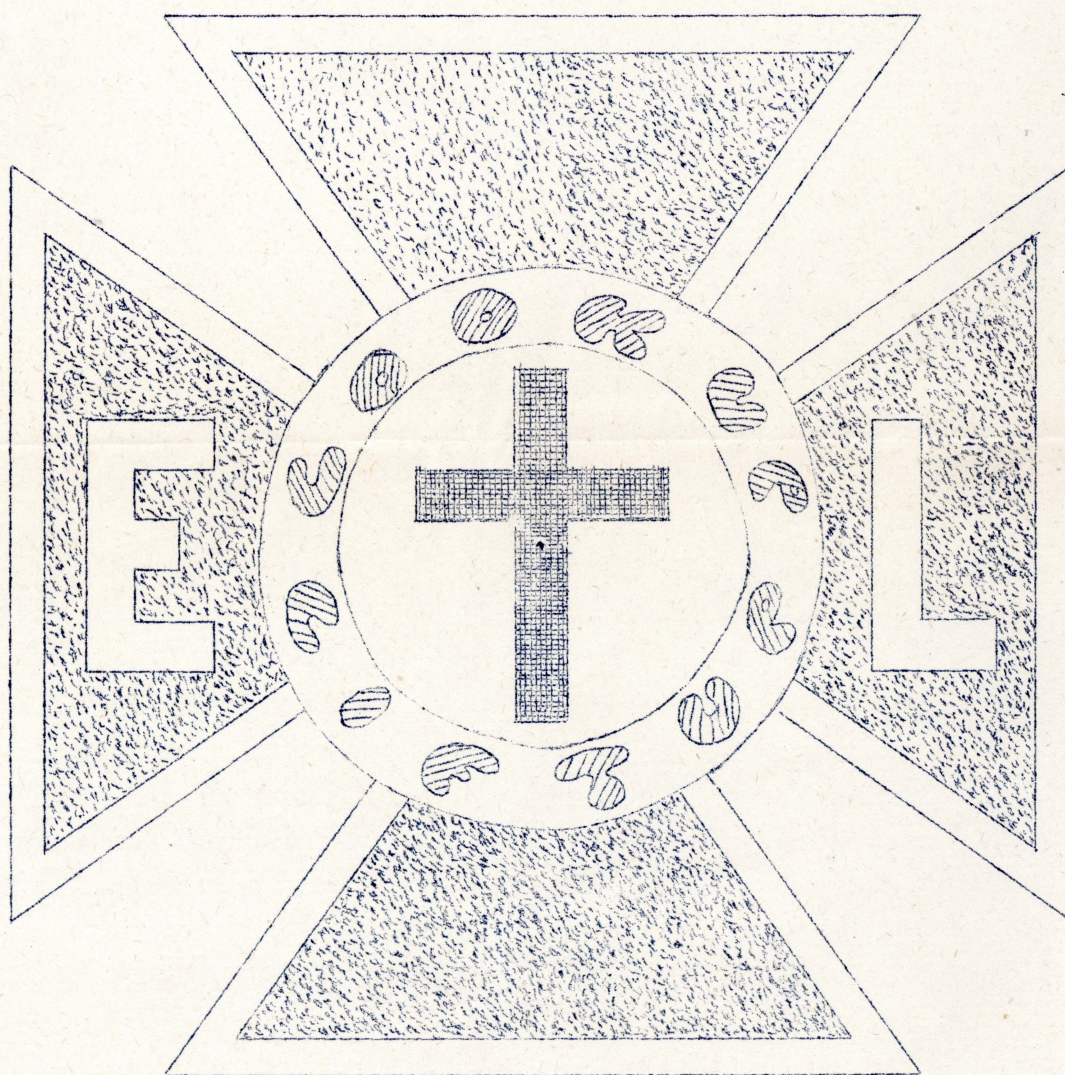
Epworth League Cabinet.

Meet at Church at 7:45 O'Clock sharp.

Lillie Berg

- CUBBER -
MICHIGAN CITY SWEDISH M.E. CHURCH
YORK ST. AND BARKER AVE. - H. G. NYLIN, PASTOR

MAY 1921



EPWORTH LEAGUE NUMBER

ANNUAL DISTRICT CONVENTION

- MAY 28, 29, 30 -

NEW EPWORTH LEAGUE CABINET

President	Kenneth Moody
1st Vice-Pres.	Herbert Holtgren
2nd Vice-Pres.	Elna Johnson
3rd Vice-Pres.	Fred Peterson
4th Vice-Pres.	Alice Moody
Secretary	Bertha Lindquist
Treasurer	Lawrence Johnson
Repr. Y. P. Union	Herbert Holtgren
Pianists	Amanda Miller, Lillian Johnson, Elna Johnson

Delegates to the Convention

Herbert Holtgren, Fred Peterson, Frances Johnson

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PROGRAM FOR THE ANNUAL CONVENTION

TO BE HELD IN OUR OWN CHURCH MAY 28, 29, 30th.

Saturday Afternoon May 28

Delegates and visitors arrive over South Shore at 3:04. They go direct to the church for a business session from 3:30 to 5:00. Supper until 7:00. At the evening service Miss Day from the Central Office E. L. will present the League Institute work. This meeting will close at 9:00 so that the delegates can find their lodging places and get a good night's sleep, for the morrow and the day after will require it.

Sunday May 29

No Sunday School session. The morning service will commence at 10:00. Rev. W. C. Bloomquist, our Dist. Supt. will preach in English and the Lord's Supper will be celebrated.

Dinner from 12 to 2.

In the afternoon there will be a song and music service under the direction of the District Fourth Vice-President.

Supper from 5 to 7.

After a song and praise service a MISSIONARY PAGEANT, "India's Mass Movement", will be presented by about 30 young people under the leadership of Dr. Osborne from India. This is the pageant presented so successfully last Labor Day at our annual preachers' conference at Rockford, Illinois. You can not afford to miss it.

Monday May 30-Decoration Day

Hike along the beach starting at about 6 AM, with a Morning Watch service, and Breakfast on some dune or in the park.

Business session from 10 to 12. Lunch 12 to 2. Recreation from 2 to 4. Final session about 4:30 when new District Cabinet is installed

Corresponding Secretary's Report 1916 - 1917 (Continued)

Chapters	MERCY & HELP and MISSION DEPARTMENTS											TREASURERS' REPORTS				JUNIOR LEAGUE				
	Visits		Bouquets	Brother- hood Home		Bethany Home		Susanna Wesley Home		Other Work	Foreign Missions	Local Church	Bal- ance	Re- ceipts	Dis- burs.	Bal- ance	Members	No. of Meetings	Av. Attd.	Time of Meeting
	Hospital	House		Visits	Donations	Visits	Donations	Visits	Donations											
Austin	10	50	5	1	10.00	1	12.50			36.00	18.00	150.00	47.53	372.58	321.13	98.98				
Bethany	10	84	60	2	30.00	1	14.25				51.90	225.00	183.69	664.76	802.87	45.58	35	50	25	3:00
Chesterton	6	35										54.85	12.54	69.85	54.85	27.54	20	8	10	3:00
Donovan		2	3									9.00	2.41	42.18	23.61	20.98				
Englewood		4	4	1	10.00	1	5.00	1					30.90	52.81	32.19	51.52				
Evanston	92	27	40	1	16.00					12.50	30.00	200.00	8.00	350.08	301.15	56.93				
First	30	99	50	1		1	10.00	1	10.00	32.04	115.00	12.50	31.30	402.11	403.19	30.22				
Forest Glen					10.00							86.40	16.39	91.16	96.40	11.15				
Highwood	4	46	34									5.00	.23	113.78	108.30	5.71				
Hobart		6	3		5.00							238.25	11.08	286.20	272.50	24.78				
Humboldt Park	20	60	4	1	10.00							25.00	9.74	186.69	80.42	116.01				
Hyde Park	68	29	23	2	15.00			1			19.85		59.65	247.47	241.86	65.26				
Moving Park	Inactive													3.35		3.35				
Lake View		5	8			1	17.35			14.15		25.00	42.31	567.91	542.74	67.48				
McKinley Park		40	10	1								150.00	8.94	237.46	240.99	5.41				
Melrose Park	4	6	8			1	8.00			7.25		25.00	5.04	119.95	122.61	2.38				
Mich. City		14								5.00		58.00	9.67	83.71	89.17	4.21				
Moreland	56	103	7	1	3.00	1	5.00				20.00	165.00	137.29	119.30	223.98	32.61	34	18	20	2:00
Racine	35	50								7.00		53.00	6.44	88.87	94.14	1.17				
Roseland	8	80	12	1	10.00	1	20.00			39.00	80.00	14.68	96.93	195.12	224.34	67.71				
Salem	1	30	15	3		1						180.00	42.60	187.30	189.20	40.70	47	21	23	2:30
So. Chicago	3	9	8									115.62	20.58	124.37	138.99	5.96				
Union Ave.		3	3	2	10.00							95.00	33.74	311.42	290.69	54.47	103	35	50	2:15
Waukegan	10	25	6									100.00	10.11	100.00	100.00	10.11	30	8	20	3:00
Western Springs	1	19	15									25.00	1.96	48.11	44.78	5.29				
Totals	358	826	388	17	129.00	9	92.10	3	10.00	152.94	334.75	2012.30	829.07	5066.54	5040.10	855.51	269	140	148	
Last Year	318	1025	271	18	87.40	6	58.75	3	75.00	234.00	235.75	886.50	845.74	3876.83	3097.00	825.57	239		85	

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Chapters

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Chapters	MEMBERSHIP																											
	Active	Associate	Total	Total Last Year	Increase	Decrease	New Memb.			Memb. Left			Devotional	Avg. Attd.	Literary & Social	Mission	Temperance	Capt. Business	League Business	Avg. Attd.	Visit by D. C.	Mission Study	Morning Watch	Christian Stewardship	Bible Study	Ep. Kl. Subscribers	Devot.	Business
							Transfer	Others	Total	Transfer	Own Request	Dropped																
	50	2	52	47	5		3	4	7		2	30	28	5	9	0	6	12		0	0	0	0	10	0		630	
Austin	46	1	47	48	1	2	5	11	7	5	12	39	20	5	10	1	4	10	45	X					7	6:30	Last Friday	
Bethany	96		96	101		5	2	5	7	2	10	12	35	35		11	4	10						10		5:00	3rd Friday	
Bhesterton	33		33	27	6		6	6					25	15	12			12	30							?		
Donovan	28		28	27	1		1	1					20	20	3		1	4	8				15		6:30	1st Tuesday		
Eaglewood	40		40	40									42	20	8		2	9	20	X						7:00	1st Tuesday	
Evansston	83		83	87		4		10	10	14		14	48	60	6		5	12	25	X					50	6:30	Last Monday	
Forest	58	2	60	65		5		2	2	1		6	7	35	10	3	2	3	8	12			11		40	7:00	1st Friday	
Forest Glen	35		35	32	3			5	5	2			52	30	12		2	12	50	X					10	6:30	1st Monday	
Highwood	28		28	32		4		2	2	1		5	6	36	20	4	12	1	5	13					9	7:30	1st Saturday	
Hobart	26		26	24	2			2	2				40	20	17			12	20						10	6:30	2nd Saturday	
Humboldt Pk.	58		58	50	8			10	10	2		2			2		1	11	28	X					3		2nd Monday	
Hyde Park	74		74	77		3		4	4			7	7	50	30	9	3		11	30	X					6:00	1st Saturday	
Living Park	33	4	37	20	17			17	17	Inactive																		
Lake View	61		61	69		8		1	1	1	8		9	33	35	9	10		8	20						6:30	1st Wednesday	
McKinley Park	40		40	42		2						2	2	40	15	10		2	10	18	X				6	7:00	Last Wed.	
Marose Park	35		35	32	3			3	3				36	15	11		1	11	30	X					11	7:00	1st Friday	
Mich. City	22	1	23	22	1			1	1				52	18	4			13	20								7:00	2nd Friday
Mareland	24	4	28	27	1			5	5			4	4	30	20	5	8	2	11	15			4		1	6:45	1st Wednesday	
Racine	26		26	28		2						2	2	28	15	5		1	7	15						5	7:45	2nd Tuesday
Roseland	69		69	66	3			5	5	2		2	31	30	11	10		5	11	15	X					6:45	1st Saturday	
Salem	38	4	42	53		11		6	6		17	17	21	20		12		3	12	25	20				10	7:00	3rd Friday	
So. Chicago	38	6	44	47		3		5	5	1	7	8	40	20	11			2	12	25	X				14	6:30	1st Friday	
Union Ave.	66	5	71	79		8	2	10	12	2	5	13	20		11			1	10	50					20		1st Wednesday	
Waukegan	35		35	41		6				6		6	45	20	10	2	2	4	9	18					15	6:45	1st Friday	
Western Springs	23		23	31		8		2	2	7	3	10	30	17	9	1		1	8	18	X					7:00	2nd Friday	
Totals	1115	27	1142	1167	45	70	7	110	117	5	62	75	142	809	177	81	3	45	238		11	20		15	15	220		
Last Year	1166	28	1194	1201	92	99	9	161	170	14	51	112	177	888	154	72	4	51	210		11	11		11	25	381		

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Chapters	Members in				Subscribers Epw. Kl., Approx.	Time of Meeting		Treasurers' Reports			Junior League			Remarks			
	Mission Study	Morning Watch	Christian Stewardship	Bible Study		Devct.	Business	Last Year Balance	This Year		Members	Avg. Attd.	No. Meetings		Time of Meetings		
									Receipts	Disburs.						Balance	
Austin					10	6:30	Last Fri.	10.90	238.68	202.05	47.53						
Bethany					25	30	5:00	3rd Tues.	131.89	769.80	718.00	183.69	40	30	12	Sund.	\$5.00 and Swed. Seminary \$6.50.
Chesterton					7		6:45	2nd Thur.	50.38	70.74	108.58	12.54					
Donovan					7		7:30	Last Fri.	8.25	27.45	33.29	2.41					
Elim					25		6:30	1st Wed.		395.39	353.08	42.31					Clothes, groceries, etc., \$8.50.
Emmanuel	No report				2				5.41		5.41						
Englewood					13		7:00	1st Fri.	5.43	61.32	35.85	30.90					
Evanston					40		6:30	Last Mon.	19.98	167.47	173.45	8.00					Local Donations.
Fifth Avenue					14		6:30	2nd Wed.	16.45	33.20	45.95	3.70					\$2.00 and clothes.
First Church 11	11				38		5:00	1st Fri.	1.53	205.63	175.86	31.30					\$99.00.
Forest Glen					5		6:30	1st Mon.	131.65	66.00	181.26	16.39					
Harvey	No report				2												
Highwood					15		7:30	1st Sat.	1.23	130.00	131.00	.23					3 boxes clothes for Chgo. Ave. Mission
Hobart					13		7:00	2nd Sat.	29.27	48.91	67.10	11.08					Linen shower for Susanna Home.
Humboldt Pk.					11		7:00	1st Tues.	41.80	154.53	186.59	9.74					
Hyde Park					15		6:00	1st Sat.	17.46	180.28	138.09	59.65					
Irving Park					5		?	?		3.00	3.00		18	13	15	Sat.	E. L. inactive during year.
McKinley Pk.					9		7:00	Last Wed.	43.25	188.97	223.28	8.94				3 PM	
Melrose Pk.					11		7:00	1st Fri.	24.00	95.02	113.98	5.04					
Mich. City					8		7:00	2nd Fri.	5.67	39.17	35.17	9.67					
Moreland					7		6:30	1st Wed.	53.86	186.19	102.76	137.29	46	35	20	Sun.	
Racine					10		6:45	2nd Tues.	17.90	72.35	83.22	6.44				2 PM	\$10.00 and 2 baskets.
Roseland					11		6:45	1st Sat.	41.78	168.77	120.82	89.73					8 baskets food.
Salem					10	W8:00		3rd Fri.	156.94	38.02	152.36	42.60					
So. Chicago					20		6:30	1st Fri.	12.81	84.87	77.10	20.58					
Union Ave.					23		6:30	1st Wed.	2.86	280.48	249.60	33.74	135	80	38	Sund.	\$9.12. Bible Study class just formed.
Waukegan					13		6:45	?		140.00	129.89	10.11				2:15	Clothes, and Groc. at Christmas.
Western Springs					7		7:00	2nd Sat.	15.04	30.59	43.57	1.96					3 baskets fruit.
Total	11	11	25	381					845.74	3876.83	3897.00	825.57	239		85		

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MEMBERSHIP MEETINGS HELD MERCY & HELP and MISSION DEPARTMENTS

Chapters	MEMBERSHIP										MEETINGS HELD										MERCY & HELP and MISSION DEPARTMENTS													
	Active	Associate	Total	Total Last Year	Increase	Decrease	New Memb.			Memb. Left			Devotional	Avg. Attd.	Literary & Social	Mission	Temperance	Capt. Business League	Business	Avg. Attd. L.B.	Visit by D.C.	Visits		Chgo. Av. Bouquets	Missions		Bethany Home		Susanna Home		Given to other work	Foreign Missions	Local Church	
							Transfer	Others	Total	Transfer	Own Request	Dropped										Total	Hospital		House	Visits	Donations	Visits	Donations	Visits				Donations
Austin	48		48	51	3	3	3	9	12	2	3	10	15	38	20	2	9	2	7	40	*	3	35	9	5	6.50	1	11.50	1		60.00	18.00		
Bethany	101		101	134	3	2	6	8				11	11	35	40	4	11	2	10	35	*	24	60	36	1	2.00	1	12.00			56.00	22.50	60.00	
Chesterton	27		27	31	4		1	1			2	3	5	6	20	7			7	30												20.00		
Donovan	27		27	31	4							4	4	36	20	1			6	10														
Elim	69	2	71	50	21		34	34			2	11	13	24	40	8	3	3	9	20		2	28	?	2	2.25								
Emanuel				20		20						20	20					No report																
Englewood	34	6	40	40										26	15	11			11	30		1	13	4						2.00				
Evanston	87		87	93	6		9	9	1	14		15	15	52	25	5		3	12	15	*	36	66	35	1	1.40					30.00	100.00		
Fifth Ave.	22	2	24	31	7				2	5		7	7	48	20	1			6	15	*	4	39	8						1.00		7.50		
First Church	64	1	65	75	10		5	5		2	13	15	15	52	20	3	10	2	4	11	16	*	48	201	56	2	5.50	1	10.00	1	10.50	39.00	12.00	25.00
Forest Glen	32		32	32			3	3			3	3	3	52	45	12		3	12	60		10	5	1	1.25					10.00	15.00	152.00		
Harvey																		No Report																
Highwood	32		32	34	2		1	1	1	2		3	34	18	4	12	1	6	15	*	6	20	16						2.00		10.50	35.00		
Hobart	24		24	22	2		3	3			1	1	1	50	15	12			30			4	1			3.00						20.00		
Humboldt Pk.	50		50	47	3		6	6	3			3	30	7	12	1	3	11	30	*	36									10.00	10.00	20.00		
Hyde Park	77		77	77			2	2	1		1	2	51	20	8	1	1	8	20	*	49	60	18	1	7.25				10.00	5.00	5.00	20.00		
Irving Park	20		20	18	2		2	2									1	1	6	*														
McKinley Pk.	42		42	60		18					18	18	40	20	4		2	8	20	*		32	10	1	2.00	1	8.25					50.00		
Melrose Park	32		32	38	6		2	2	1	7		8	40	18	12	3	1	12	30	*	10	38	15						5.00		7.75	54.50		
Mich. City	22	1	23	20	3		3	3						52	17				12	18		4	2									28.00		
Racine	25	3	28	30	2					2		2	30	15	7				8	15	*	45	90	5						5.00		50.00		
Moreland	27		27	31	4		1	1		5		5	27	25	9	6	2	11	20	*	42	108	24	1	1.00	1	4.00		10.00			6.00		
Roseland	66		66	64	2		5	5		2	1	3	35	30	12		7	9	15	*	3	98	4	1	46.50			1	17.50	40.00	80.00			
Salem	50	3	53	36	17		17	17					21	20	1	1	2	9	22	*	1	2	3	1	6.75	1	5.00		5.00			122.50		
So. Chicago	37	10	47	48	1		9	9		2	8	10	46	30	10		1		40	*	4	3	5											
Union Avenue	79		79	88	9	1	1	2	3		8	11	21	18	6	2	8	10	40	*	62	1	1	5.00		5.00		5.00	2.00	10.00		100.00		
Waukegan	41		41	41			41	41					22	32	5	2	1	4	4	20		4	2	3										
Western Spgs.	31		31	30	1		3	1	4		3	3	30	18	10		1	10	20		25	11							4.00		16.00			
Total	1166	28	1194	1201	92	99	9	161	170	14	51	112	177	888	154	72	4	51	210	11	318	1025	271	16	87.40	6	58.75	3	75.00	234.00	235.75	886.50		

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