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## WATCH FOR COMPLETE DETAILS

**SVITHIOD VETERAN'S CLUB**

The last meeting of the year will be held on Sunday, December 6th at Verdandi Hall, 5015 N. Clark Street, first floor at 2:30 P.M. sharp. We will first hold our meeting and then have initiation of new members.

After the meeting we will have a Card and Game Party and then a fine Christmas Dinner, complete with Lutfish, will be served. A good time is in store for all who attend. Ladies are heartily welcomed. Try to secure a candidate for this meeting.

Please bring some prizes for our free drawing!

We hope to see all of you Veteran members on Sunday, December 6th.  
Axel Jacobson

**STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT AND CIRCULATION**

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I certify that the statements made by me above are correct and complete.

(signed) Harold Wennersten

**TWENTY YEARS AGO**



These are the Officers and Board of Directors that served our Order in 1950. Standing, from the left: Richard Rosberg, Manhem No. 2; Herbert J. Carlson, Englewood No. 39; Allan Fredrickson, Verdandi No. 3; Carl Hjalmar Johnson, Svea No. 14; Edward E. Steele, John Morton No. 74; Hjalmar A. B. Jonsson, Verdandi No. 3 (deceased); Fred Nelson, Svithiod No. 1 (deceased). Seated, from the left: Martin Bengtson, Frithiof No. 5, Treasurer (deceased); Robert Paulson, Irving Park No. 20, Junior Past Grand Master; Herbert J. Nelson, Orion No. 64, Grand Master, and Otto Hanson, Linden Park No. 15, Secretary. Your editor wonders how they all got around that small board table.

These verses were written over 50 years ago by the late Martin Bengtson (Frithiod Lodge). They were a tribute to his wife's uncle, Jesse Cook, who was a Civil War Veteran.

The Veterans Parade  
Civil War, 1861, 62, 63, 64, 65.

Get me my old knapsack, Mary, and my uniform of gray.  
Get my battered helmet, Mary, for I'll need them all today,  
Get my Canteen and my leggins, reach me down my rusty gun  
For I'm going out parading, with the boys of sixty-one.

Never mind them blood-stains, Mary, Never mind that ragged hole.  
They were left there by a bullet that was seeking for my soul.  
Just brush off them cobwebs, Mary, get that bonnie flag of blue-  
For I'm going out parading with the boys of sixty-two.

These old clothes don't fit me, Mary, as they did when I was young,  
Don't you recollect how neatly, to my manly form they clung?  
Never mind that sleeve, that's empty, let it dangle loose and free-  
For I'm going out parading with the boys of sixty-three.

Pull my sword-belt tighter, Mary, Fix that strap below my chin,  
I've grown old and treadbare, Mary, like my uniform and thin,  
But I reckon I'll pass muster, as I did in days of yore-  
For I'm going out parading with the boys of sixty-four.

Now I'm ready, Kiss me, Mary, kiss your old sweetheart good bye,  
Brush away them wayward teardrops; Lord I didn't think that you would cry.  
I ain't going forth to battle, cheer up, Mary, sakes alive-  
I'm just going out parading with the boys of sixty-five.

Submitted by me

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