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<p><b>Quest. 12. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?</b></p>	<p><b>Quest. 23. Who are the Superannuated Preachers?</b></p>	<p>Lacenter, to be supplied. Los Angeles (Cal.), P. E. Petersen.</p>
<p>(a) As Local Deacons. None.</p>	<p>M. Hansen.</p>	<p>Oakland (Cal.), E. J. Lundegaard.</p>
<p>(b) Under Missionary Rule. None.</p>	<p><b>Quest. 24. Who are the Triers of Appeals?</b> Carl Erickson, Nels L. Hansen, Martinus Nelson, Joseph Olsen, Peter N. Melby—5.</p>	<p>Portland (Ore.), to be supplied.</p>
<p><b>Quest. 13. Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?</b> This was strictly done, as the name of each Preacher was called in open Conference.</p>	<p><b>Quest. 25. What is the Statistical Report for this year?</b> (See tabulated statement.)</p>	<p>Puget Sound Mission, to be supplied.</p>
<p><b>Quest. 14. Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?</b> None.</p>	<p><b>Quest. 26. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?</b></p>	<p>San Francisco (Cal.), P. N. Melby.</p>
<p><b>Quest. 15. Who have Died?</b> None.</p>	<p><b>\$1,153.</b></p>	<p>San Pedro and San Diego (Cal.), to be supplied.</p>
<p><b>Quest. 16. Who have been Located at their own Request?</b> None.</p>	<p><b>Quest. 27. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?</b></p>	<p>Seattle, F. A. Scarvie.</p>
<p><b>Quest. 17. Who have been Located?</b> None.</p>	<p><b>\$210.</b></p>	<p>Silverton (Ore.), to be supplied.</p>
<p><b>Quest. 18. Who have Withdrawn?</b> None.</p>	<p><b>Quest. 28. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?</b></p>	<p>Tacoma, Joseph Olsen.</p>
<p><b>Quest. 19. Who have been Permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?</b> None.</p>	<p><b>\$240.</b> which has been applied under order of the Conference.</p>	<p>Yuquima Bay Mission (Ore.), to be supplied.</p>
<p><b>Quest. 20. Who have been Expelled?</b> None.</p>	<p><b>Quest. 29. Where are the Preachers Stationed?</b></p>	<p>ROCKY MOUNTAIN DIST. N. L. HANSEN, P. E.</p>
<p><b>Quest. 21. What other Personal Notation should be made?</b> None.</p>	<p>[These appointments are all in the State of Washington, except as otherwise indicated.]</p>	<p>(P. O., 101 West Copper Street, Butte, Mont.)</p>
<p><b>Quest. 22. Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?</b> O. O. Heggen, C. N. Heckner—2.</p>	<p>PACIFIC COAST DISTRICT. C. L. HANSEN, P. E. (P. O., Ballard, Wash.)</p>	<p>Butte and Anaconda (Mont.), N. L. Hansen.</p>

NORWEGIAN AND DANISH CONFERENCE,

Held in Duluth, Minn., Aug. 25-29, 1904.

BISHOP McDOWELL, *Presiding.* R. F. WILHELMSSEN, *Secretary.*

Post office of Secretary, Racine, Wis.

<p><b>Quest. 1. Who have been Received by Transfer, and from what Conferences?</b> O. M. Lokke, from Norway.</p>	<p><b>Quest. 4. Who have been Received on Trial?</b> (a) In Studies of First Year. Hans S. Haver, Carl J. Rynning, Carl W. Hansen, Edward Erickson, John M. Beckstrom—5.</p>	<p>(b) In Studies of Second Year. Hans O. Jacobsen, Melvin L. Olsen, Robert P. Petersen—3.</p>
<p><b>Quest. 2. Who have been Re-admitted?</b> None.</p>	<p>(b) In Studies of Third Year. None.</p>	<p>(c) In Studies of Third Year. None.</p>
<p><b>Quest. 3. Who have been Received on Credentials, and from what Churches?</b> None.</p>	<p><b>Quest. 5. Who have been Continued on Trial?</b> (a) In Studies of First Year. None.</p>	<p>(d) In Studies of Fourth Year. None.</p> <p><b>Quest. 6. Who have been Discontinued?</b> None.</p>

**Quest. 7. Who have been Admitted into Full Membership?**

(a) Elected and Ordained Deacons this year.  
None.

(b) Elected and Ordained Deacons previously.  
Oscar J. Bagne.

**Quest. 8. What Members are in Studies of Third Year?**

(a) Admitted into Full Membership this year.  
Oscar J. Bagne.

(b) Admitted into Full Membership previously.  
None.

**Quest. 9. What Members are in Studies of Fourth Year?**

Fritz M. Trelstad, Peter M. Petersen—2.

**Quest. 10. What Members have Completed the Conference Course of Study?**

(a) Elected and Ordained Elders this year.  
None.

(b) Elected and Ordained Elders previously.  
None.

**Quest. 11. What others have been Elected and Ordained Deacons?**

(a) As Local Preachers.  
John F. Petersen, Carl W. Hansen, Melvin L. Olson, John M. Beckstrom—4.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.  
None.

**Quest. 12. What others have been Elected and Ordained Elders?**

(a) As Local Deacons.  
None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.  
None.

**Quest. 13. Was the Character of each Preacher Examined?**

This was strictly done, as the name of each Preacher was called in open Conference.

**Quest. 14. Who have been Transferred, and to what Conferences?**

M. O. Block, to New York East.

**Quest. 15. Who have Died?**  
O. A. Wiersen.

**Quest. 16. Who have been Located at their own Request?**

None.

**Quest. 17. Who have been Located?**  
None.

**Quest. 18. Who have Withdrawn?**

M. C. Stensen.

**Quest. 19. Who have been Permitted to Withdraw under Charges or Complaints?**  
None.

**Quest. 20. Who have been Expelled?**  
None.

**Quest. 21. What other Personal Notation should be made?**

The orders of O. S. Roland, a deacon from the Free Methodist Church, were recognized. Rasmus Wilhelmson adds F. to his initials, becoming R. F.

**Quest. 22. Who are the Supernumerary Preachers?**

A. W. Rosness, Martinus Hillerud—2.

**Quest. 23. Who are the Superannuated Preachers?**

Englebret Arveson, Christopher Christofsen, Peter Jensen, O. T. Lowen, B. E. Olin, James Petersen, Christian Treider, A. O. Ulland, Cornelius Jensen, Arne Johnson—10.

**Quest. 24. Who are the Triers of Appeals?**

L. C. Knudson, J. A. Jacobsen, Andrew Erickson, C. F. Eltzholtz, Gustav Abrahamsen, T. M. Hauge, J. P. Andersen—7.

**Quest. 25. What is the Statistical Report for this year?**  
(See tabulated statement.)

**Quest. 26. What is the Aggregate of the Benevolent Collections ordered by the General Conference, as reported by the Conference Treasurer?**

\$6,268.

**Quest. 27. What are the Claims on the Conference Fund?**

\$2,350.

**Quest. 28. What has been Received on these Claims, and how has it been Applied?**

\$1,218,

which has been applied under order of the Conference.

**Quest. 29. Where are the Preachers Stationed?**

[These appointments are all in the State of Minnesota, except as otherwise indicated.]

#### CHICAGO DISTRICT.

L. A. Larsen, P. E.  
(P. O., 228 North Talman Ave., Chicago, Ill.)

Calumet and Ishpeming (Mich.), Paul Haugen.

Cambridge and Whitewater (Wis.), C. H. Josephsen.

Chicago (Ill.): Bethania, Andrew Hagensen.

Emmaus, M. L. Kjelstad.  
First Church, J. C. Tollefsen.  
Immanuel, O. L. Hansen.  
Kedzie Avenue, Ole Jacobsen.  
Maplewood Avenue, Frederick Ring.

Moreland, Gustav Mathisen.  
Parkside and Cottage Grove Avenue, Edward Erickson.

Dwight (Ill.), H. S. Haver.  
Evanston (Ill.), C. J. Johnson.  
Greenbay (Wis.), to be supplied.

Kenosha (Wis.), to be supplied.  
Leland, Lee, and Sandwich (Ill.), to be supplied.

Ludington (Mich.), to be supplied.

Manistee (Mich.), Ole Nelsen.  
Marquette (Wis.), to be supplied.

Milwaukee (Wis.), J. P. Andersen.

Muskegon (Mich.), to be supplied.

Neenah and Oshkosh (Wis.), C. A. Andersen.

Norway and Stavanger (Ill.), C. W. Hansen.

Racine (Wis.): Bethania and Northcape, R. F. Wilhelmson.

Trinity, L. C. Knudsen.

Sheboygan and Manitowoc (Wis.), to be supplied.

Stoughton (Wis.), P. M. Petersen.

Waupaca (Wis.), C. J. Remmug.

#### MINNEAPOLIS DISTRICT.

JAMES SANAKER, P. E.  
(P. O., 1521 Ninth Street, South, Minneapolis, Minn.)

Belvidere, Eidswoold, and Palmer, to be supplied.

Brighton, Norseland, and Storden, J. J. Korsmo.

Canby, Hendricks, and Toronto (S. Dak.), N. L. Thorness.

Deerpark (Wis.), J. A. Jacobsen.

Denver (Colo.), J. O. Hall.

Eau Claire, Colfax, and Owen (Wis.), O. M. Lokke.

Forest City (Ia.), Eliot, Hansen.

Fremont and Kennard (Neb.) to be supplied.

Hutchinson and Lake Lillian, to be supplied.

La Crosse (Wis.), B. E. Carlsen.

Lakemills and Glenville, Gustav Abrahamsen.

Martell, Viking, and Hartland (Wis.), to be supplied.

Milan and Watson, to be supplied.

Minneapolis: First Church, O. H. Wilson.

Missouri Valley, Strand, and Sioux City (Ia.), E. T. Schollert.

Newburg, Choice, and Locust (Ia.), H. O. Jacobson.

Nordness and Waukon (Ia.), to be supplied.

North Minneapolis and Diamond Bluff, Aste Knudsen.

Omaha (Neb.), Henry Daniel-  
sen.  
Rutland and Des Moines (Ia.),  
*R. P. Petersen.*  
South Stillwater (Wis.), to be  
supplied.  
St. Paul, Christian Olsen.  
Viborg and Bethel (S. Dak.),  
C. G. Gundersen.  
Westby, Richland, and Asbury  
(Wis.), to be supplied.

RED RIVER VALLEY DIST.

H. C. MUNSON, P. E.  
(P. O., 125 West Twenty-eighth  
Ave, Duluth, Minn.)  
Ashland (Wis.), *M. L. Olsen.*  
Clifford and Lake Park, to be  
supplied.  
Crookston and Beltramo, Elias  
Gjerding.

Devils Lake and Crary (N.  
Dak.), to be supplied.  
Duluth: First Church and West  
Duluth, H. K. Madsen.  
Elbow Lake, to be supplied.  
Fergus Falls and Tordenskjold,  
Knud Winberg.  
Grand Forks and Grafton (N.  
Dak.), John Lorentz.  
Grantsburg (Wis.), *O. J. Bague.*  
Halstad, Andrew Erickson.  
Hamlin and Romness (N. Dak.),  
T. M. Hauge.  
Hayward (Wis.), to be supplied.  
Hillsboro and Blanchard (N.  
Dak.), H. G. Smeland.  
Rugby and Souris (N. Dak.),  
*J. M. Beckstrom.*  
Stephen and Warren, N. C.  
Hansen.  
Superior (Wis.), *F. L. Trelstad.*  
Thief River Falls, Alexander  
Andreassen.

Valley City, J. J. Petersen, one  
to be supplied.  
Virginia and Iron Range, to be  
supplied.  
Washburn (Wis.), to be sup-  
plied.  
N. E. Simonsen, Principal of  
Norwegian and Danish Theo-  
logical School—member of  
Evanston Quarterly Conf.  
C. F. Eltzholtz, Editor of *Den  
Christlige Talsmand*—mem-  
ber of Parkside and Cot-  
tage Grove Avenue, Chicago,  
Quarterly Conference.  
H. P. Bergh, Book Agent—  
member of First Church, Chi-  
cago, Quarterly Conference.  
**Quest. 30. Where shall the  
next Conference be held?**  
In Minneapolis, Minn.

CENTRAL SWEDISH CONFERENCE,

Held near Donovan, Ill., Sept. 22-25, 1904.

BISHOP NEELY, *Presiding.*

WILLIAM SWENSON, *Secretary.*

Post office of Secretary, 538 Thirty-third Street, Chicago, Ill.

**Quest. 1. Who have been Re-  
ceived by Transfer, and from  
what Conferences?**

None.

**Quest. 2. Who have been Re-  
admitted?**

None.

**Quest. 3. Who have been Re-  
ceived on Credentials, and  
from what Churches?**

None.

**Quest. 4. Who have been Re-  
ceived on Trial?**

(a) In Studies of First Year.  
Gustaf Erickson, A. J. Strand-  
dell—2.

(b) In Studies of Third Year.  
None.

**Quest. 5. Who have been Con-  
tinued on Trial?**

(a) In Studies of First Year.  
None.

(b) In Studies of Second Year.  
Edwin S. Dahl, Charles E.  
Simpson—2.

(c) In Studies of Third Year.  
None.

(d) In Studies of Fourth Year.  
None.

**Quest. 6. Who have been Dis-  
continued?**

None.

**Quest. 7. Who have been Ad-  
mitted into Full Member-  
ship?**

(a) Elected and Ordained Dea-  
cons this year.  
None.

(b) Elected and Ordained Dea-  
cons previously.  
None.

**Quest. 8. What Members are  
in Studies of Third Year?**

(a) Admitted into Full Mem-  
bership this year.  
None.

(b) Admitted into Full Mem-  
bership previously.  
None.

**Quest. 9. What Members are  
in Studies of Fourth Year?**  
None.

**Quest. 10. What Members  
have Completed the Confer-  
ence Course of Study?**

(a) Elected and Ordained Eld-  
ers this year.  
Otto W. Westling.

(b) Elected and Ordained Eld-  
ers previously.  
None.

**Quest. 11. What others have  
been Elected and Ordained  
Deacons?**

(a) As Local Preachers.  
Charles E. Simpson, Gustaf

Erickson, Andrew Hermanson  
—3.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.  
None.

(c) Under Seminary Rule.  
A. J. Strandell.

**Quest. 12. What others have  
been Elected and Ordained  
Elders?**

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None.

(b) Under Missionary Rule.  
None.

**Quest. 13. Was the Character  
of each Preacher Examined?**

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name of each Preacher was  
called in open Conference.

**Quest. 14. Who have been  
Transferred, and to what  
Conferences?**

C. O. Sherman, to Western  
Swedish; C. E. Simpson, to  
North India—2.

**Quest. 15. Who have Died?**  
None.

**Quest. 16. Who have been  
Located at their own Re-  
quest?**

None.

**Quest. 17. Who have been  
Located?**

None.

**Quest. 18. Who have With-  
drawn?**

None. Original from