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Handwriting Example 41

Here the younger sister in the U.S is giving the older sister, still in Sweden, advice on what to bring and what to leave at home.

Unfortunately the first page of the letter is missing.

The letter was written in 1910 by Martha (Märta) Karlsson (b. 1 Sep. 1890 in Vrigstad, [F]) to her older sister Emmy (b. 22 Oct. 1888 in Vrigstad). Emmy left her home on 17 Sep. 1910, with a ticket for Racine, WI.

Martha had left Sweden on 4 Aug. 1906 to travel to Racine, WI, where she had her maternal uncles Gustaf and Justus, and her maternal aunt Amanda Carolina. (See SAG 2014:3, p. 18).

Martha stayed in America, married, had two sons, and then died of the flu in 1926.

Emmy returned to Sweden in 1916, married Josef Emanuel Rylander, and died 30 June 1972 in Vrigstad.

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