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Carlsson, Castell
I am interested in learning more about the ancestors of Johan Magnus Carlsson, b. in Norstad, Kåttilstad Parish (Ög.) 25 Aug. 1826. He was the s. of Carl Aronsson, b. in Yxefall, Kiisa Parish (Ög.) and Lena Isaksdotter, b. in Skankebo, Västra Eneby Parish (Ög.). He was a shoemaker’s apprentice at Boda in Hägerstad Parish (Ög.) before emigrating to Andover, IL. He eventually came to New Sweden, IA, where he changed his name to John Martin Castell.
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Johnson
I would like any information on Sven (Swan) Peter Johnson, b. in Kristdala Parish (Kalm.) 3 Oct. 1828. He d. in Red Oak, IA 27 Jan. 1912 and is bur. in the Evergreen Cemetery of that city. He had the following children: Peter August, b. 6 June 1856; m. in Holdrege, NE 15 Sept. 1887 to Augusta Esaison. He was my grandfather, the only one of Swan Peter Johnson’s children I have any information about. Other children of Swan Peter Johnson were — Anna, who m. an Ogden; Mathilda, who m. a Kneeburg, as well as Emma, Charles and John.
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Larson, Elgh, Elk
Looking for a person named Larson, who was the father of Olof Daniel Larson, b. into the family of Lars Daniel Elgh in Köla Parish (Värn.) 2 May 1906. Olof Daniel Larson later took the name of Elgh, which then in America was changed to Elk. The only thing we know about Larson is that he came from somewhere “up north” in Sweden.
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**Pettersson, Verell, Johansson**

I am looking for relatives of Frantz Johan Petersson, the s. of Carl Fredrik Petersson and his wife Stina Catharina Johansdotter. Frantz Johan took the name of John Verell when he arr. in the United States. He was b. in Brunshult Södergård, Skede parish (Jön.) 18 March 1842. He came to the U.S. before 1865 and is supposed to have settled in the Chicago area.

I would also like to find the relatives of Stina Catharina Johansdotter’s brother, Jonas Petter Johansson, b. in Skede Parish 21 Jan. 1828. He had studied to become a public school teacher at the teachers’ seminary in Växjö, after which he taught school in Skede. In 1865 he m. Lovisa Catharina Svensdotter, b. in the village of Laduboda in Skede 31 May 1839. The couple emigr. to the U.S. in 1865.

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**Krupp, Anderson**

I am seeking Swedish and American relatives of my grandfather, Charles Frederick Krupp (who changed his name to Anderson). He was b. in Sweden 13 Oct. 1854. He emigr. to the U.S. ca 1885. One sister may have settled in Wisconsin, Michigan or Minnesota.

Charles Frederick Krupp’s father was Andrew Krupp, b. in Germany, but who had emigr. to Sweden as a young man.

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**Zedrén**

I am anxious to get in touch with persons acquainted with the following family:

Per Zackarias Albert Zedrén, b. in Segerstad Parish (Kalm.) 16 June 1872. He was a pastor in the Lutheran Church. He was m. in Garfield, KS 15 Nov. 1905 to Hilma Mathilda Simonson, b. in Garfield 2 Aug. 1879. He d. in Minneapolis 3 Nov. 1938. He had the following children:

- Edna Elvira, b. in Springfield, MA 25 June 1912.
- Augusta Mathilda, b. in Springfield 11 April 1914; m. to Lael Stewart.
- Stefan Gottfridsson
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