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21st Annual

Sangerfest

Tacoma

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TWENTY-FIRST

ANNUAL SANGERFEST

OF THE

PACIFIC COAST

NORWEGIAN SINGERS' ASSOCIATION



September 3rd, 4th, 5th, 6th, 1926

TACOMA, WASHINGTON

WELCOME

DEAR SINGERS AND FRIENDS:

As the Pacific Coast Singer Association gather for their twenty-first convention and sangerfest in Tacoma, it is indeed with the greatest pleasure the Normanna Male Chorus extend to you a most hearty welcome.

It is our sincere wish and hope to take care of all your wants and care for your well being during this convention. Thereby, if possible, assist you in fulfilling the purpose for which you came, and for which our association has gathered—to bring before our people the best there is in Scandinavian as well as American songs and music.

We also wish to extend a SPECIAL welcome to the Norway Chorus and their leader, Mr. Rudolph Muller, now back from their triumphant tour amongst our dear people of Norway. We are greatly honored by your splendid musical results, as expressed by the musical critics in the Norwegian Press wherever you went. It is indeed an honor and a pleasure to be your host at this Sangerfest.

May we also take this opportunity to extend our hearty thanks for the splendid cooperation and support shown us by our many friends and organizations: The Daughters of Norway, Sons of Norway, Ancient Order of Vikings, our Associate Members, the various church organizations, and last but not least, our Ladies Auxiliary, who, together with us, serve as your host and endeavor to make you as comfortable as possible during this Sangerfest.

May your reception in Tacoma be, if not better, equal to the best ever accorded the Pacific Coast Singers Association at any previous Sangerfest in the history of our Forbund.

M. C. SIVERTSON,
Pres. Normanna Male Chorus,
Tacoma, Washington.

TO OUR VISITING SINGERS:

Members of the Pacific Coast Norwegian Singers Association, you are gathered again, and this time for the purpose of holding your twenty-first Annual Convention and Sangerfest.

It is this occasion that brings the small and large choruses together that they might equally share in presenting the songs which have been rehearsed in the past few months, in two grand concerts.

Let us not be contented with what we have done in the past and are doing at present in this line, but rather reach out and do what we can in stimulating a greater interest in male chorus work here on the Pacific Coast, so that in the near future our number might be greatly increased and we will be gathering from every town and city to honor the composers of the music that is so dear to us.

O. C. WOLLAN
Pres. Pac. Coast Norwegian
Singers Association

FESTIVAL PROGRAM

Headquarters
NORMANNA HALL
So. 15th and K Sts.

FRIDAY EVENING September 3rd

- Registration at Headquarters.
8:30 P. M.—Reception at Normanna Hall.
Program by Soley's Orchestra; talks by M. C. Sivertson, Pres. Normanna Male Chorus; O. C. Wollan, Pres. of Sangerforbund; and M. G. Tennent, Mayor of Tacoma. Solo by Mrs. Edna Skattum.

SATURDAY September 4th

- 10:00 A. M.—Rehearsal at Armory, So. 11th and Yakima.
11:15 A. M.—Sightseeing trip from Headquarters for visiting ladies.
12:00 M.—Luncheon at Headquarters.
2:00 P. M.—Rehearsal at Armory.
3:00 P. M.—Entertainment at Headquarters for visiting ladies.
8:15 P. M.—Grand Concert at Armory.
Social hour at Headquarters after Concert.

SUNDAY

September 5th

- 3:00 P. M.—Grand Concert at Armory.
5:00 P. M.—Dinner at Headquarters.
7:00 P. M.—Business Meeting at Headquarters.
7:15 P. M.—Entertainment for Ladies and Visitors.
9:00 P. M.—Stunts.

MONDAY

September 6th

- 9:30 A. M.—Picnic at Oaks, on Lake Steilacoom.
12:00 M.—Lunch.
3:00 P. M.—Concert at the Oaks Water Stadium.
7:00 P. M.—Banquet at Winthrop Hotel, 9th and Broadway.

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PROGRAM---First Concert

SATURDAY EVENING, 8:15 O'CLOCK

"Mannjevning"Grieg

Sangerfest Orchestra
Geo. S. Johnson, *Director*

"Star Spangled Banner".....Francis Scott Key

"Ja vi elsker" (Norwegian Anthem).....R. Nordraak

Marsch, "Fram Sanger, nu Fram".....Rudolph Moller

Grand Chorus and Orchestra
Rudolph Moller, *Director*

"Violen" Johan Svendsen

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"Echoes from the North" Wick-Roberts

Sangerfest Orchestra
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"Norge, Norge," Kristian Wendelborg

"Stridsbon" O. Lindblad

"Vikingarne" (The Vikings) Frieberg

Grand Chorus and Orchestra
Solo by Herman Johnson
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"Mit hjerte og min Lyre" H. Kjerulf

"Lassie O' Mine" Walt

"Hillsa dem dær Hemma"

Elmer Ohrne
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"Vikingsonner" (Sons of Vikings) Rudolph Moller

"Over de hoje Fjelde" Oscar Borg

"Dans" raabte Felen. P. Heise

Grand Chorus
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"Yesterday and Today" Gilbert Spross

"Trees" Oscar Rasbach

"Songs of the Open" Frank La Forge

Mme. Theonora Clepp
Arville Belstad *at the Piano*

"Landkjending" Grieg

Grand Chorus, Solo by A. Halvorson
Rudolph Moller, *Director*



RUDOLPH H. MOLLER
Director in Chief and Director Norway Chorus

PROGRAM---Second Concert

SUNDAY AFTERNOON, 3:00 O'CLOCK

"Hyldningsmarsch", from "Sigurd Jorsalfar".....Grieg
Sangerfest Orchestra
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"Star Spangled Banner".....Francis Scott Key
"Ja vi elsker" (Norwegian Anthem).....R. Nordraak
"Trækfuglskare".....Rudolph Moller
Grand Chorus and Orchestra
Rudolph Moller, *Director*

"Blaabærli".....Grieg
"En Svane".....Grieg
"Jeg elsker dig".....Grieg
Mme. Theonora Clepp
Arville Belstad *at the Piano*

"Kentucky Home".....J. A. Parks
"Beautiful Saviour".....Arr. Fred. Wick
Grand Chorus, Solo by S. O. Foss
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"Bridal Procession".....Grieg
Sangerfest Orchestra
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"Den Store Hvide Flok" (The Great White Host).....Grieg
"Leif Eriksson".....Borg
Grand Chorus and Orchestra
Solo by E. Jorgensen
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"The Star".....Rodgers
"Solvet".....Lammers
"Herdegossen".....Berg
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"Paa Sangertog".....R. Moller
"Olav Trygvason".....F. A. Reissiger
"Gjæterjenten".....Oscar Borg
Grand Chorus
Solo by Harald Lee
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"Love is the Wind".....McFadyen
"Vale".....Kennedy Russell
"Song of the Robin".....Anna Case
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"Landkjending".....Grieg
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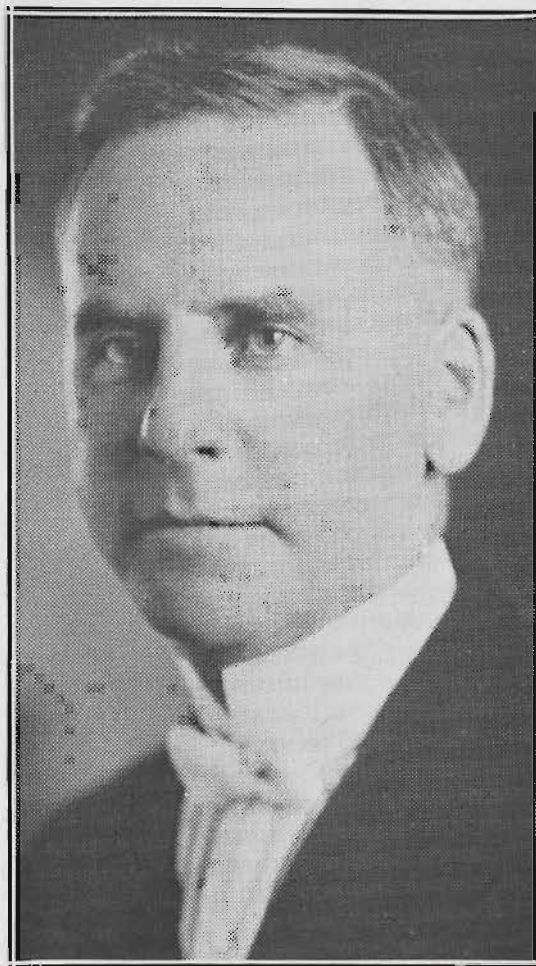
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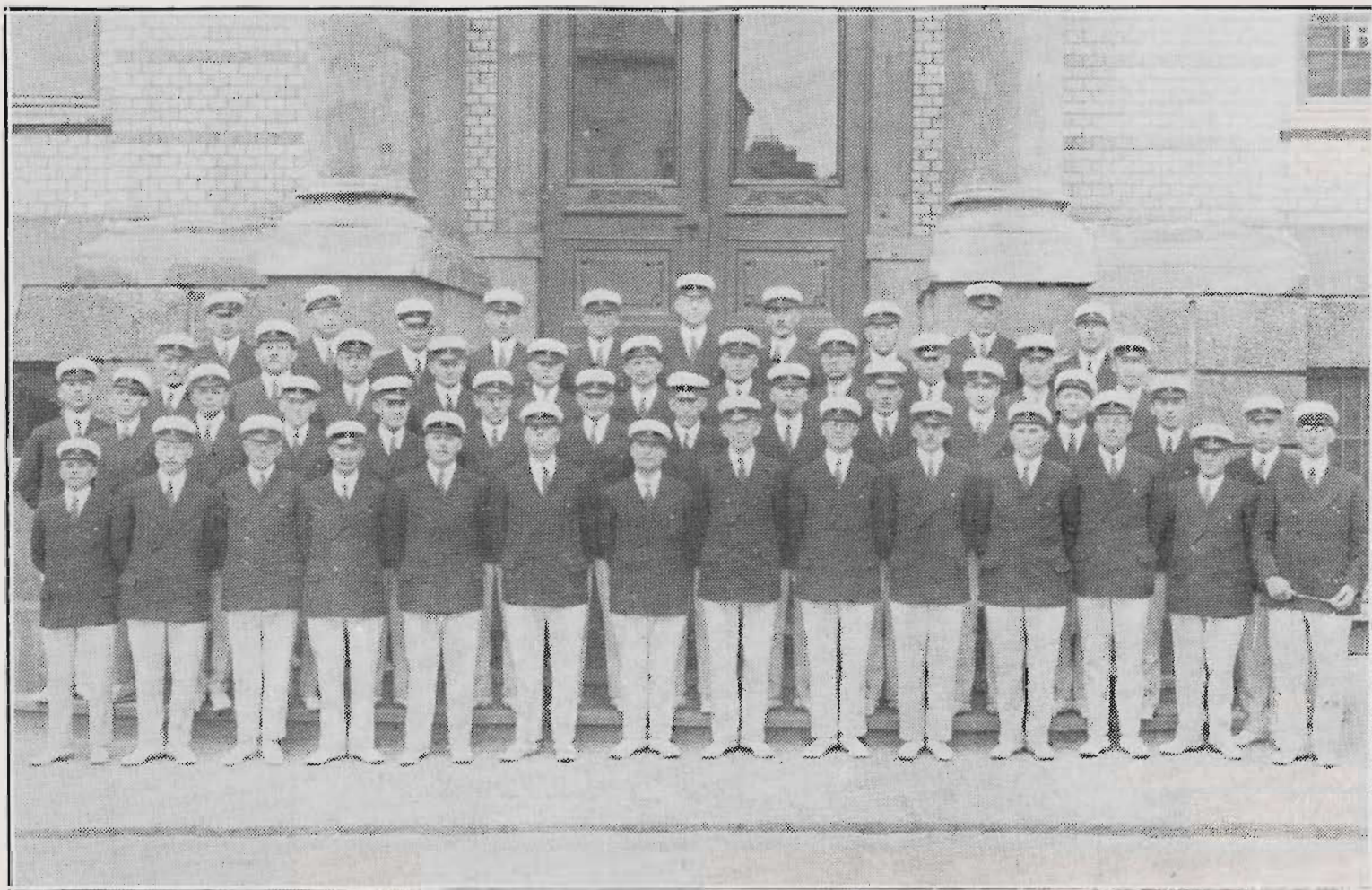
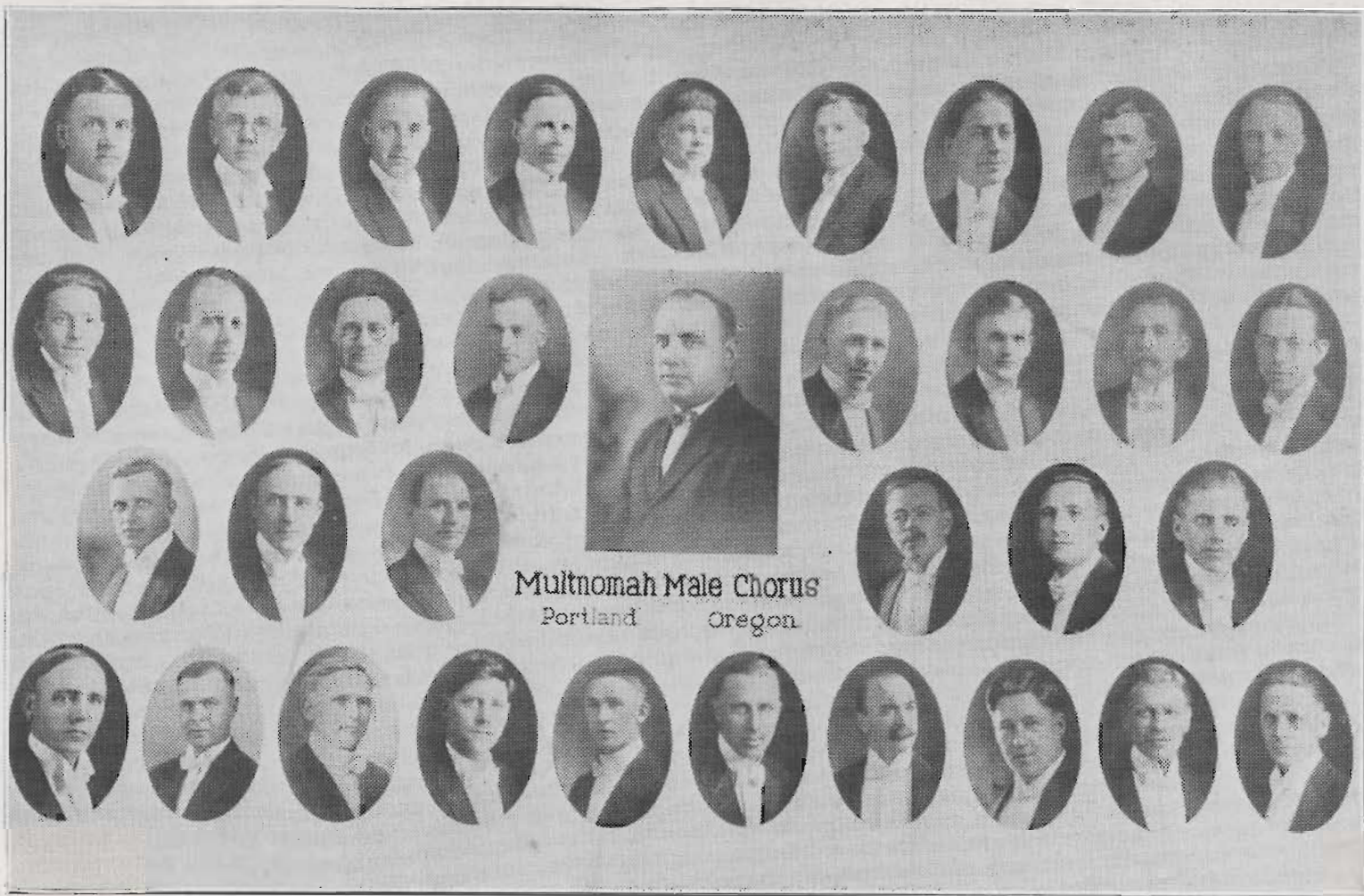
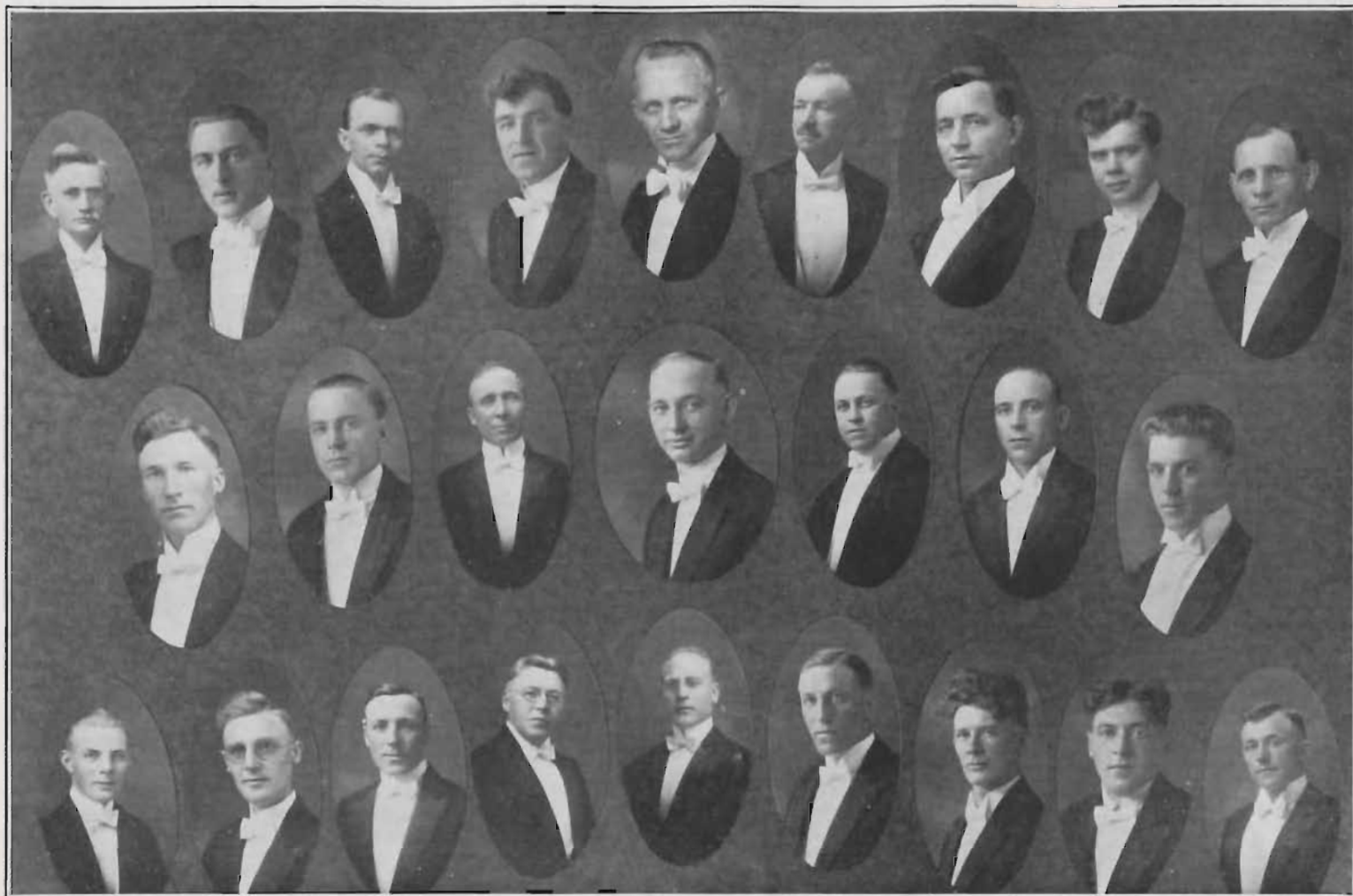


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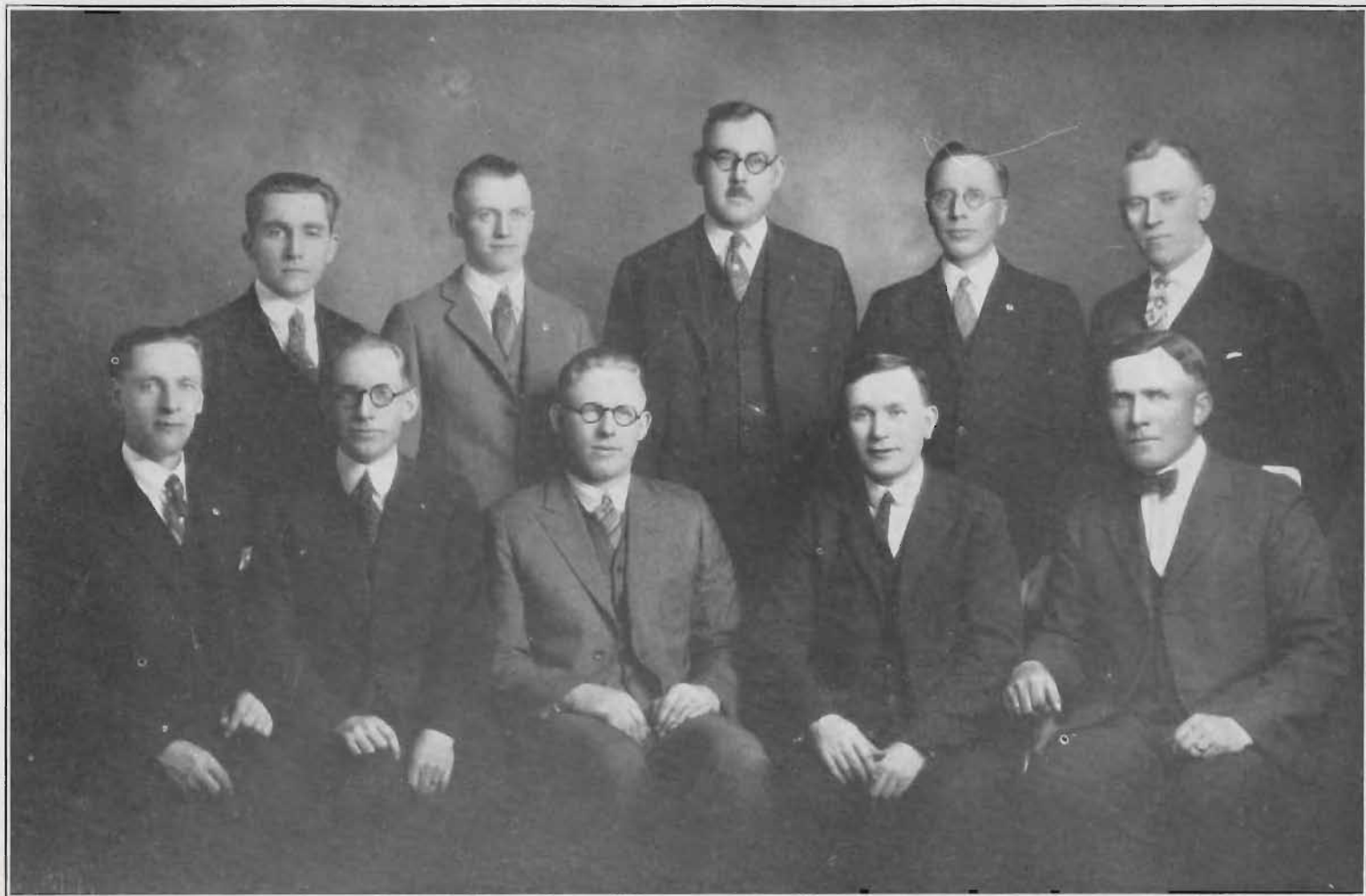
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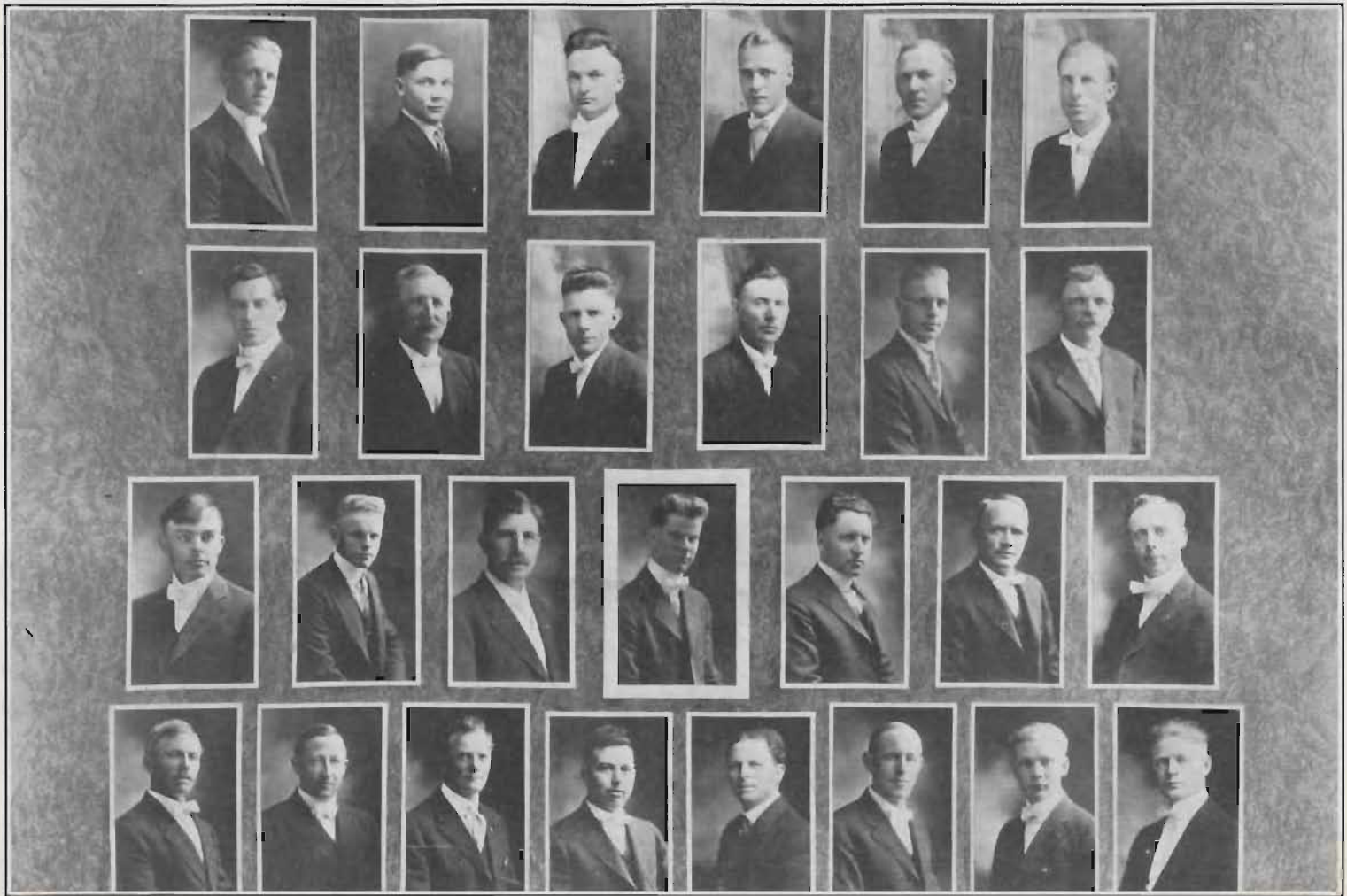
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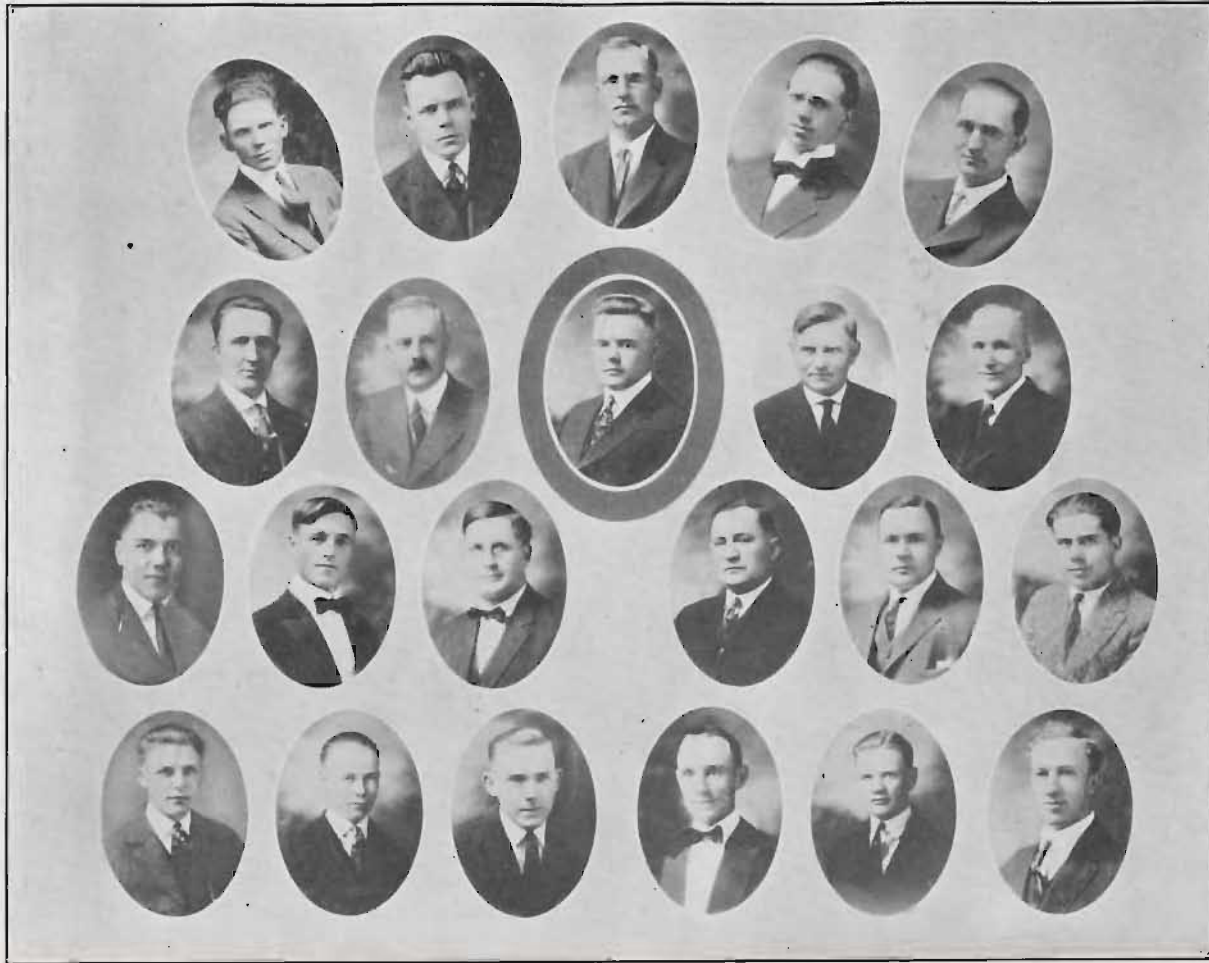
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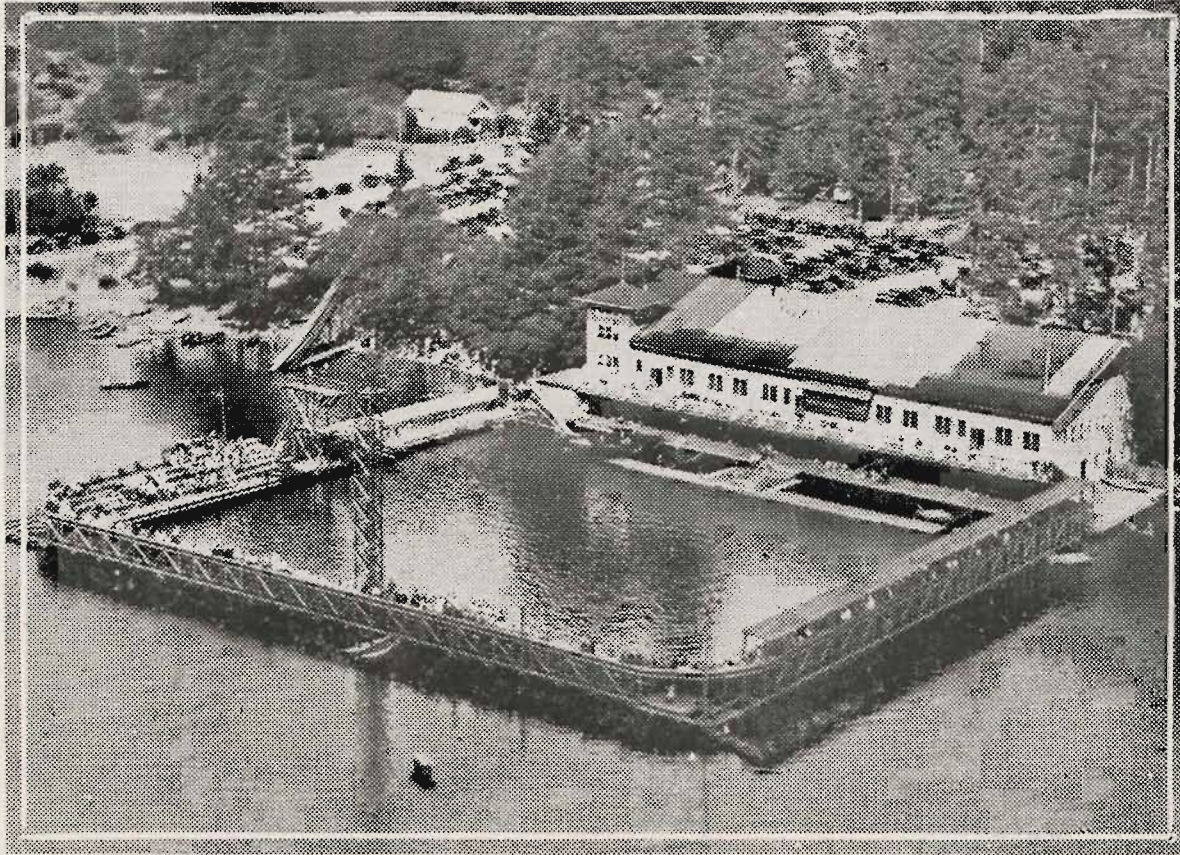
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