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**Joshua A. Edquist and Family Collection, 1881-1987.**

**GACA Collection 302**

**The Joshua A. Edquist and Family Collection, 1881-1987. GACA Collection 302. 2 Hollinger boxes and 2 flat boxes.**

**ABSTRACT:**

The Joshua Edquist and Family collection contains several articles he composed as well as a great deal of assorted correspondence. Additionally, it includes miscellaneous church records, programs, and numerous photographs related to the Edquist family. Edquist served in the Biology, History, and Geography departments of Gustavus Adolphus College from 1889 to 1930. He also was on the college's administrative staff as the Registrar from 1892-95, 1897- 98, and 1907-21. He married Anna K. Pehrson, a fellow faculty member, on 14 October 1899. The arrangement of the first box in this collection is to some degree in keeping with the collection inventory that was found with the manuscripts.

**SCOPE AND CONTENT:**

This collection is divided into two series: Joshua Edquist and the Edquist Family.

**Joshua Edquist, 1881-1981:** These materials include Edquist's compositions, correspondence, records, and obituaries.

**Edquist Family, 1882-1987:** This series is comprised mainly of photographs and documents of his extended family.

**RESTRICTIONS:**

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**COLLECTION CITATION:**

The Joshua A. Edquist and Family Collection, 1881-1987. GACA Collection 302. Gustavus Adolphus College Archives, St. Peter, Minnesota.

**PROCESSED BY:**

Libby Larson, student worker, processed this collection and developed the finding aid during December 2011.

**RELATED COLLECTIONS IN THE ARCHIVES:**

Edquist, Anna M. Place Cards, Report Cards, Concert Programs, and Correspondence, 1889-1893, 1895, and 1922. CAMC Collection 49.

**SUBJECT HEADINGS:**

Edquist, Joshua, 1862-1930.

Gustavus Adolphus College -- Faculty.

Gustavus Adolphus College -- Dept. of Biology.

Gustavus Adolphus College -- Dept. of History.

Gustavus Adolphus College -- Dept. of Geography.

Gustavus Adolphus College -- Registrar.

<b>GACA Collection 302</b>	<b>Box</b>	<b>Folder</b>
<b>Joshua Edquist, 1881-1981</b>		
Academic and Athletic Programs at other Institutions, 1905-1912	1	18
America Association for the Advancement of Science, 1910-1911	1	21
American Waterfalls, undated	1	2
The Antiquity of Man, undated	1	1
Badger Stereopticon and Projection Apparatus Co, 1907-1912	1	16
Books and Their Use, undated	1	3
Condolences from Gustavus Groups, April 11, 1930	2	1
Correspondence and Letters of Recommendation, 1887-1913	1	12
The Days of Youth, January 8, 1884	1	4
Descriptive List and Index of Physical Geography and Physiography Slides, undated	1	27
Dissection Kit, undated	4	--
Edquist Student Diary, 1881	2	2
Faculty Salaries at other Institutions, 1920	1	19
Incoming Correspondence concerning Edquist Master's Degree and Thesis, 1890-1892	1	11
Incoming Correspondence Concerning Lyceums, November 1906-July 1907 and December 1910	1	13
Information for Church Records, ca. 1920	1	25
Laboratory Periods in other Institutions, September 1906-June 1912	1	17
Letters Concerning JA Edquist	2	4
Lyric Reunion Concert, 1907-1926	1	15
Material Concerning a Concert, December 1906-July 1907	1	14
Miscellaneous Correspondence, 1905-1912	1	23
Miscellaneous Correspondence Concerning Employment, 1910-1913	1	22
Miscellaneous Material, 1924-1981	2	5
Några Tankar över minnet, undated	1	9
Notebooks (2): Miscellaneous Notes, undated	1	10
Obituaries, 1930	2	6
Origin and Growth of Public Schools: Education in the United States, undated	1	7
Pledge Slips- Swedish Lutheran Board of Education, 1904,1928	1	24
President's Message- Mock Senate and House of Representatives, undated	1	8
Program för 4 de Juli, undated	1	26
Some Facts about Alcoholic Drinks, undated	1	5
State of Minnesota Blister Rust Department, 1919	1	20
The Theory of Evolution, undated	1	6
<b>Edquist Family, 1882-1987</b>		
Autograph Books of Charlie Pehrson and Anna M. Pehrson, 1886 and 1888	3	1
John Pehrson's Singing Book from Lund University, Sweden, 1849	2	3
Photograph Album from students of Liberty School, Christmas 1888	4	--

Photograph Album, "Memory from pupils", 1886	3	--
Photographs, Individuals, 1882 and undated	2	7
Photographs related to JA Edquist and Family, 1889-1987	2	8
Photographs related to JA Edquist and Family, undated	2	9
Photographs related to JA Edquist and Family, undated with names	2	10
Photographs related to JA Edquist and Family, undated with names	2	11
Photographs related to JA Edquist and Family, undated with names	2	12
Photographs related to JA Edquist and Family, undated with names	2	13
Postcards, 1906-1961	2	14
Teacher's Contracts of Anna Edquist, 1929-1968	1	28
Victorian Greeting Cards, undated	2	15