

THE AMERICAN TURNERBUND



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OF THE

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE
COMMITTEE

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MESSAGE OF THE PRESIDENT

The appearance of our Annual Report has been delayed because of the work connected with the Turnfest. The Turnfest is now a glorious memory, but so glorious a memory that it deserves first mention in any account of our recent activities. The attendance, old *Festbummler* assure us, was five times as great as at previous Turnfests. Better than that was the revival of the old Turner spirit, shown in courage and optimism, in good cheer and earnest endeavor. This Turnfest made the name of the American Turnerbund so favorably known all over the United States, that our Societies ought to take advantage of the situation now to secure new members, and the Districts similarly should make systematic efforts to enlist or organize new Societies.

The visit of the German Turners was an auspicious incident fraught with the happiest results. When on their way homeward they were taken to the city of Washington and to the White House, President Coolidge in a cordial address voiced the hope that they had been received with courtesy wherever they went. That hope is history. Our guests, starting from New York, visited Buffalo, Cleveland, Chicago, St. Louis, Cincinnati, Baltimore, and Philadelphia, where they gave an exhibition at the Sesqui-Centennial stadium. They were lionized everywhere, both by the people and in the press. Vast throngs greeted them—in Chicago over fifty thousand. They were feted to such an extent that perhaps it interfered with their capturing as many points at Louisville as they might have made under careful training. We are willing, now that the Turnfest is over, to concede their magnificent mettle and to admit that they have few rivals on this side. It was their coming, together with the splendid and thorough work of the Louisville Turners in organizing the Fest, that made it such a triumph.

Dr. Oskar Berger, the President of the German Turners, proved himself a gentleman and a scholar worthy of the fame that had gone before him. In the line of great men beginning with Jahn and coming down through Goetz, Dr. Berger is last but not least. When he left our shores he addressed to the American Turners a warm letter of thanks, closing with an invitation to us to attend the next German Turnfest, which takes place at Cologne, in July, 1928. The National Executive Committee has accepted that invitation, and expects to make arrangements for a ship that will carry all American Turners across who wish to join this hegira.

Aside from the Turnfest we again have encouraging progress to report. Last year our gain in membership was 803, about twice the gain of the previous year. The total membership on April 1, 1926, was 32,715. The increase in the value of the property owned by our Societies also shows encouraging growth; it now amounts to \$8,612,296, being \$956,225 more than last year. New Turner Halls are still being built, old ones remodeled and enlarged; parks and summer camps are multiplying in all Districts. Our people have realized that the Turnverein is an extension of the home and an annex to the school—that money invested in the Turner Hall is an asset, not an extravagance.

With regard to the Jahn Educational Fund, which a year ago amounted to \$16,000, there is some progress to report, as over \$30,000 is now in hand or in sight. Campaigns for the Jahn Fund have been hampered by the extra-

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ordinary expenses incurred by nearly all Societies in connection with the Turnfest. That is over now, and all Societies should make a special effort to reach the quota before our next Convention, which takes place at Cleveland in 1927. This Fund, the purpose of which is to support and extend our mental training work, is the most important constructive step taken in many years. Not every Turner can give \$5,000, as Theodore Ahrens did in launching the Fund, but if every one does what he can it will be easy to complete the Fund.

Of course, the Fund will reach its goal, but there are reasons why it should be pushed to completion right now. It is not beyond our power; in fact, bigger drives are put over quickly by smaller and weaker organizations every month. What we need is the enthusiasm of sacrifice, faith in ourselves, pride in our Turner cause; then we would speedily get the Jahn Fund campaign out of the way, and could turn our attention to something else. Yes, something else! We should have an Instructors' Pension Fund (Turnlehrer-Pensionen), so that men who have given their lives to our cause will not need to dread old age any more than the teachers in our public schools. If there is any one Turner who thinks we ought to do this, and can afford to start this Pension Fund with \$5,000, as Turner Ahrens started the Jahn Fund, just let the National Executive Committee know that you covet this honor. Nothing would give your President greater pleasure than to announce such a gift to our next convention.

We have many things now, besides the Turnfest, growth in members and wealth, and the Jahn Fund, to stir our pride. It is gratifying to report that the revision of our Fundamental Principles, approved unanimously by the last Convention, was adopted by an overwhelming vote in the referendum of the Societies. With this new declaration of principles our American Turnerbund will stand in the forefront of all the organizations that are striving for a better world and a nobler race, for fundamental democracy and equal justice. "As progressive as a plow and as conservative as a farm," is a phrase that has been used to describe the document, and we need not be afraid to place it side by side with the great landmarks of American idealism.

In accordance with this spirit of liberty and progress embodied in our Fundamental Principles, our Societies and members have been active at various points and in various ways to stem the tide of intolerance and fanaticism which lately has tended to make life in our fair land unpleasant. While the monumental folly of Prohibition has not yet been expunged from American statute-books, its absurdity has been demonstrated to the vast majority of our people, and it is but a question of time until this medieval tyranny shall be abolished. Attempts to fix a Scotch Sabbath upon the American people are also meeting with determined opposition, while the bigoted campaign to muzzle teachers in colleges and universities seems to have been halted even in the hookworm zone of the South. All this is encouraging to friends of liberty and progress, among whom we hope that we stand and will continue to bear our part in the unceasing warfare, which is the only sort of war worthy of being waged by civilized men.

Turners, we are moving forward. Tomorrow is ours if we press on with calm courage and sane optimism. The sun doesn't shout, it just shines. If we spread more light and make less noise, we'll turn the darkness into day. That's the sort of Turners we should strive to be.

GEORGE SEIBEL
National President

The Declaration of Trust approved by the last convention of the American Turnerbund at Elkhart Lake, Wis., for the Jahn Educational Fund, amended in conformity with some suggestions there made, has been legally recorded, as follows:

This declaration of trust executed this 13th day of July, A.D. 1925, by George Seibel, Hermann Groth, Ernest Herklotz, William Voelker, and Henry J. Thier, all of the County of Allegheny, State of Pennsylvania, witnesseth:

Whereas the American Turnerbund has advocated and promulgated a campaign for contributions to an educational endowment to be called the "Jahn Educational Fund of the American Turnerbund," and

Whereas a number of subscriptions and gifts to said educational endowment have already been made and paid over to the subscribers of this declaration of trust,

Now, therefore, we, the subscribers hereto and our successors, hereby declare that we and our successors shall and will hold all the funds heretofore received and all funds or other property hereafter received by us in trust for the following uses and purposes, and upon the following terms and conditions, to wit:

1. The subscribers hereto and their successors shall be known as the "Trustees of the Jahn Educational Fund of the American Turnerbund."

2. The said trustees shall from the membership of the American Turnerbund select an advisory committee of five members, with whom said trustees shall consult and advise as to the proper method of administering the Jahn Educational Fund. Upon the death, resignation, or incapacity to act, of any member of said advisory committee, said trustees shall immediately select a successor.

3. Upon the death, resignation, or inability to act, of any of said trustees, the remaining trustees shall appoint a successor from the members of the above advisory committee.

4. Said trustees and their successors shall from time to time receive all contributions and gifts for the said Jahn Educational Fund, as well as take and receive any property, real or personal, which may be donated, given, devised, or bequeathed to them for the purpose of this trust. Said trustees shall from time to time manage and control all the property of said trust, invest the same in first mortgages or other good securities, with full power to sell or dispose of the same and reinvest the proceeds from the sale thereof from time to time. Said trustees shall have like power to sell or dispose of any real estate that may become vested in them as such trustees, and invest the proceeds from the sale thereof in such securities or such other land as the said trustees shall deem to the best advantage of said trust. Until such time as the value of all the property of said trust shall amount to the sum of One Million Dollars, one-third of the net income of the property of said trust shall from time to time be added to the principal of the trust funds; the balance, or two-thirds of the net income thereof, shall from time to time be expended by said trustees for the purposes of said trust. When the value of all the property of said trust shall amount to the sum of One Million Dollars, or more, the entire net income of

the property of said trust shall from time to time be expended by said trustees for the purposes of said trust.

5. The purposes for which the said trust is founded are:

(a) To encourage and aid the training of teachers of mental culture and gymnastic classes in the American Turnerbund and its affiliated societies, and for the management of debates, lectures, and forums in said Turner societies;

(b) To establish circulating libraries in said societies for the purpose of disseminating and popularizing the Turner philosophy; as well as the circulation of the works of writers who represent modern liberal thought in science, ethics, economics, religion, psychology, biology, and sociology;

(c) To provide books and periodicals for the dormitories of the Normal College of the American Turnerbund at Indianapolis, Indiana, or its successors, or any other school, college, or institution sponsored or supported, either wholly or in part, by the American Turnerbund;

(d) To award prizes and medals for literary productions in various fields setting forth the Turner philosophy;

(e) To award prizes to Turner societies reporting the largest proportionate gains in membership;

(f) To award prizes to individuals active in the organization of new Turner societies, or to Districts whose missionary activities result in the formation of new societies;

(g) The publication of a weekly journal in the English language to disseminate the Turner philosophy, such journal to be issued when conditions will insure creditable literary standards and financial stability from the initial number;

(h) Such other undertakings as in the opinion of said trustees shall tend to create or stimulate a greater interest in the American Turnerbund and Turner societies everywhere, and to educate its members in the true principles of Turnerism.

6. The said trustees shall have full power to employ such persons as may from time to time be necessary for the proper conduct and management of the affairs of said trust, and to fix their compensation. The said trustees and members of the advisory committee, however, shall serve without remuneration.

7. Said trustees shall from time to time have power to make such rules and regulations as are necessary for the proper management of the said trust and the conduct of its various activities.

8. Said trustees shall meet at least quarterly each year, and three of said trustees shall be considered a quorum for the transaction of all business of said trustees.

In witness whereof the parties have hereunto set their hands and seals this 13th day of July, 1925.

GEORGE SEIBEL
HERMANN GROTH
ERNEST HERKLOTZ
WM. VOELKER
HENRY J. THIER

Filed in the Recorder's Office of Allegheny County, Pa.

Here, now you have the definite program of the Jahn Fund, and two points should be borne in mind:

First, the Jahn Fund exists. It is not a plan, a hope, a vision, or a dream. It is a fact, and it is here. Already over \$30,000 are in hand or in sight.

Secondly, it depends upon the action of each individual and each Society how soon the first goal of \$100,000 will be reached. If it is to be reached before the next Convention, in Cleveland, in 1927, you should act now.

Drives of all kinds are always going on to raise money for churches, colleges, asylums, and what not. They hire professional go-getters to hold you up. Usually 25 percent goes to the collector. Our Jahn Fund is different. It's our own. It's purely voluntary. All the money goes into the Fund.

Members of Turner Societies are requested to increase the Jahn Fund by legacies and gifts. Turner Societies are invited to make contributions to the Jahn Fund from time to time, by collections or by turning over to it the proceeds of some entertainment. The suggestion has been made that one day every year be designated as Jahn Day and devoted to increasing the Fund. Jahn's Birthday is August 11. If you have not done anything yet, make out your check then, payable to Jahn Educational Fund, and mail it to the American Turnerbund, 308 Craig Street, Pittsburgh, Pa.

We have made gratifying progress during 1925. We wish to do even better during 1926. The National Executive Committee asks your assistance to assure a great forward movement of our mighty Turner army, 33,000 strong, toward a healthier race and a better world. Physical education in America is the outgrowth of the Turners' labors and sacrifices during nearly a century. Public health is the nation's most valuable asset, and the Turners have had a very great share in securing this priceless heritage to our people.

HERE'S A HINT FOR EVERYBODY!

As the Jahn Educational Fund is a permanent endowment, intended to grow to ever greater proportions as the years pass, there will be many Turners, no doubt, desiring to make provision in their wills to perpetuate the principles of Turnerism through this Fund. For the guidance of such Turners the following form is given to write into their wills as a codicil:

*I give and bequeath to the Trustees of the Jahn
Educational Fund of the American Turnerbund
the sum of*

Dollars

THE OLDEST TURNER SOCIETIES

The following Societies have been in existence for fifty years or more, and have received the Turnerbund's diploma for fifty-year membership:

<i>Society</i>	<i>Founded</i>
Cincinnati Turngemeinde, Ohio.....	1848
Boston Turnverein, Mass.....	1849
Philadelphia Turngemeinde, Pa.....	1849
Allegheny Turnverein, Pittsburgh, Pa.....	1850
Louisville Turngemeinde, Ky.....	1850
Newark Turnverein, N. J.....	1850
New York Turnverein, N. Y.....	1850
St. Louis Turnverein, Mo.....	1850
Sozialer Turnverein, Indianapolis, Ind.....	1851
New Orleans Turnverein, La.....	1851
Peoria Turnverein, Ill.....	1851
Chicago Turngemeinde, Ill.....	1852
Davenport Turngemeinde, Iowa.....	1852
New Haven Turnverein, Conn.....	1852
Newport Turngemeinde, Ky.....	1852
Rochester Turnverein, N. Y.....	1852
San Francisco Turnverein, Cal.....	1852
Brooklyn E. D. Turnverein, N. Y.....	1853
Buffalo Turnverein, N. Y.....	1853
Dayton Turngemeinde, Ohio.....	1853
Sozialer Turnverein, Detroit, Mich.....	1853
Milwaukee Turnverein, Wis.....	1853
Wheeling Turnverein, W. Va.....	1853
Burlington Turngemeinde, Iowa.....	1853
Hudson City Turnverein, N. J.....	1854
Paterson Turnverein, N. J.....	1854
Sacramento Turnverein, Calif.....	1854
Sheboygan Turnverein, Wis.....	1854
Syracuse Turnverein, N. Y.....	1854
Utica Turnverein, N. Y.....	1854
Covington Turngemeinde, Ky.....	1855
Madison Turnverein, Wis.....	1855
Peru Turngemeinde, Ill.....	1855
St. Joseph Turnverein, Mo.....	1855
Springfield Turnverein, Mass.....	1855
New Ulm Turnverein, Minn.....	1856
Carlstadt Turnverein, N. J.....	1857
Hoboken Turnverein, N. J.....	1857
Leavenworth Turnverein, Kans.....	1857
Rock Island Turnverein, Ill.....	1857
Rockville Turnverein, Conn.....	1857
St. Anthony Turnverein, Minneapolis, Minn.....	1857
Bloomington Turnverein, Ill.....	1858
Sozialer Turnverein, Kansas City, Mo.....	1858

<i>Society</i>	<i>Founded</i>
Washington Turnverein, Mo.....	1859
Wilmington Turngemeinde, Del.....	1859
South Bend Turnverein, Ind.....	1861
Aurora Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.....	1864
Centralia Turnverein, Ill.....	1864
Green Bay Turnverein, Wis.....	1865
Lawrence Turnverein, Mass.....	1866
Johnstown Turnverein, Pa.....	1866
Lawrence Turnverein, Kans.....	1866
Concordia-Germania Turnverein, Moline, Ill.....	1866
Denver Turnverein, Colo.....	1866
Meriden Turnverein, Conn.....	1866
Chattanooga Turnverein, Tenn.....	1866
Highland Turnverein, Ill.....	1866
Clinton Turnverein, Mass.....	1867
New Holstein Turnverein, Wis.....	1867
Vorwaerts Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.....	1867
Vorwaerts Turnverein, Baltimore, Md.....	1867
New Brunswick Turnverein, N. J.....	1867
Sozialer Turnverein, Cleveland, Ohio.....	1867
Birmingham Turnverein, Pittsburgh, Pa.....	1868
South Side Turnverein, Milwaukee, Wis.....	1868
Mayville Turnverein, Wis.....	1868
North St. Louis Turnverein, St. Louis, Mo.....	1870
Manchester Turnverein, N. H.....	1870
Deutscher Turnverein, Grand Rapids, Mich.....	1870
Central Turnverein, Pittsburgh, Pa.....	1871
Beaver Falls Turnverein, Pa.....	1871
Northwest Davenport Turnverein, Iowa.....	1871
Holyoke Turnverein, Mass.....	1871
Sozialer Turnverein, Portland, Ore.....	1871
Germania Turnverein, Los Angeles, Calif.....	1871
Vorwaerts Turnverein, Elizabeth, N. J.....	1871
Union Hill Turnverein, N. J.....	1872
Steubenville Turnverein, Ohio.....	1874
Marysville Turnverein, Kans.....	1874
Long Island City Turnverein, N. Y.....	1875
St. Louis Concordia Turnverein, Mo.....	1875

ADDED TO THE HONOR ROLL

Diplomas for fifty years' membership in the American Turnerbund were awarded to the following Turners during the year 1925-1926:

Louis Schierstedt	Chicago Turngemeinde, Chicago, Ill.
Gustave Schmidt	Lawrence Turnverein, Lawrence, Mass.
Friedrich Matthes	Lawrence Turnverein, Lawrence, Mass.
Carl Lippold	Lawrence Turnverein, Lawrence, Mass.
August A. Klein, M.D.	Boston Turnverein, Boston, Mass.
Louis Grotz	Philadelphia Turngemeinde, Philadelphia, Pa.
Joseph Keller	Philadelphia Turngemeinde, Philadelphia, Pa.
Bruno Paulus	Philadelphia Turngemeinde, Philadelphia, Pa.
Frank X. Walliser	Philadelphia Turngemeinde, Philadelphia, Pa.
George Wagner	Philadelphia Turngemeinde, Philadelphia, Pa.
Frederick Beck	Philadelphia Turngemeinde, Philadelphia, Pa.
Emil Zothe	Philadelphia Turngemeinde, Philadelphia, Pa.
John F. Bredow	Davenport Turngemeinde, Davenport, Iowa
Charles W. Ranzow	Davenport Turngemeinde, Davenport, Iowa
Fred Hueser	St. Louis Turnverein, St. Louis, Mo.
Adelmo Schroeder	Germania Turnverein, Los Angeles, Calif.
Leo Rassieur	St. Louis Turnverein, St. Louis, Mo.
Gustav Prochnow	Mayville Turnverein, Mayville, Wis.
Franz Brunke	Mayville Turnverein, Mayville, Wis.
Charles Koch	New York Turnverein, New York, N. Y.
Carl G. Rathmann	Concordia Turnverein, St. Louis, Mo.
Newport Gymnastic Ass'n	Newport, Ky.
F. W. Mueller	South Bend Turnverein, South Bend, Ind.
Louis Nickel, Jr.	South Bend Turnverein, South Bend, Ind.
John N. Reass	South Bend Turnverein, South Bend, Ind.
George Schultheis	Johnstown Turnverein, Johnstown, Pa.
William J. Weinsheimer	Chicago Turngemeinde, Chicago, Ill.
Frank Luenzmann	Turnverein Milwaukee, Milwaukee, Wis.
H. W. Schwarting	Turnverein Milwaukee, Milwaukee, Wis.
Frank Trenkamp	Turnverein Milwaukee, Milwaukee, Wis.
George W. Gernandt	Rochester Turnverein, Rochester, N. Y.
E. C. Linck	North St. Louis Turnverein, St. Louis, Mo.
Chas. O. Weber	North St. Louis Turnverein, St. Louis, Mo.
John Veers	New Holstein Turnverein, New Holstein, Wis.
Henry Schmidt	New Holstein Turnverein, New Holstein, Wis.
Henry Hauck	Chicago Turngemeinde, Chicago, Ill.

REPORT ON MENTAL TRAINING

The Committee on Mental Training of the American Turnerbund, from reports submitted by the societies, computed the awards made at the Louisville Turnfest. Only eighteen societies reported on mental work, of which three attained a percentage eligible for prizes.

	Points	Percent
McKeesport Turnverein, McKeesport, Pa.....	201	100
Concordia Turnverein, St. Louis, Mo.....	169	84
Newport Gymnastic Assn., Newport, Ky.....	164	82
Schiller Gymnastic Society, St. Louis, Mo.....	114	57
Lincoln Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.....	89	44
Sozialer Turnverein, Detroit, Mich.....	81	40
Sozialer Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.....	68	34
Sheboygan Gymnastic Society, Sheboygan, Wis.....	55	27
Philadelphia Turngemeinde, Philadelphia, Pa.....	49	24
Sozialer Turnverein, Cleveland, Ohio.....	46	23
Vorwaerts Turnverein, Holyoke, Mass.....	40	20
Allentown Turnverein, Pittsburgh, Pa.....	38	19
Carlstadt Turnverein, Carlstadt, N. J.....	30	15
Clinton Turnverein, Clinton, Mass.....	28	14
Homestead Turnverein, Homestead, Pa.....	12	6
South Side Turner Assn., Pittsburgh, Pa.....	11	5
Passaic Turnverein, Passaic, N. J.....	11	5
Turnverein Mayville, Mayville, Wis.....	11	5

Last year only 11 societies reported, and those 11 reported fewer activities. Many societies known to have been very active have sent in no reports, and so could not be considered in awarding the prizes.

It is sincerely to be regretted that our larger societies, those where Mental Training has been cultivated on a large scale, have omitted to send in their reports. We feel it incumbent upon ourselves to express our regrets that this was not done. They should take it upon themselves to send in regularly their reports covering this field of activity, so that a more general and comprehensive effort can be made, in stimulating mental training among the societies constituting the American Turnerbund. Their example would encourage others.

Our National President, George Seibel, is at all times at the disposal of the Turner Societies, and has been actively engaged during the past year in giving lectures before many societies of the Turnerbund. Your committee on Mental Training is ever ready to advise and assist Societies in arranging debates, lectures, readings, dramatic performances, etc.

PROF. J. F. L. RASCHEN,
WILLIAM VOELKER,
CARL ERDLIN,
RICHARD TURNT, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY

Statistical Resume

Again we can report a fair gain in members for the year ending January 1, 1926. Although the gain is not as large as had been anticipated, we may be well satisfied with results obtained; especially as the gains made in our various classes are very gratifying, and show that the old Turner spirit is breaking forth anew.

Our Turnerbund now consists of 22 Districts, with 173 Societies, four more than in the previous year.

The following Societies either disbanded or withdrew from the Turnerbund during the year 1925:

Deutscher Turnverein, Lynn, New England District.
Rockville Turner Society, Connecticut District.
Turnverein Jahn, Ohio District.

The following Societies were accepted in the Bund:

Troy Turnverein, New England District.
Tower Grove Gymnastic Society, St. Louis District.
Taftville Maennerchor Turn-Sektion, Connecticut District.
Derby Turner Society, Connecticut District.
New Britain Turner Society, Connecticut District.
Turn-Sektion Allentown Liederkranz, Philadelphia District.
Turnabteilung Anaheim Concordia, Southern California District.

The membership of the American Turnerbund and its various classes shows as follows in comparison with the previous year:

	1926	1925	Increase	Decrease
1. Members	32,715	31,912	803	.....
2. Men's Classes (Actives)	5,227	4,587	640	.....
3. Senior Men's Classes	2,129	1,910	219	.....
4. Women's Classes	8,356	8,588	.....	232
5. Junior Classes	2,300	2,201	99	.....
6. Boys' Classes	5,974	5,991	.....	17
7. Girls' Classes	7,638	6,857	781	.....
8. Fencing Classes	184	237	.....	53
9. Instructors	146	.....	.....	.....
10. Ladies' Auxiliary	6,665	6,605	60	.....
11. Singing Sections	1,400	1,268	132	.....
12. Dramatic Sections	714	481	233	.....

The question: Has the Society an instructor? this year had been changed to read: How many instructors? We therefore cannot report either increase or decrease.

144 Societies own their own halls, six more than last year.

	1926	1925	Increase
Value of properties	\$8,612,296	\$7,656,071	\$956,225
Volumes in libraries	44,955	44,844	111

21 Societies have Junior Societies with 803 members.

472 Members died during the year.

180 have been members 50 years or more.

- 40 Societies have Sick Benefit Branches.
- 18 Societies reported Sinking Funds, amounting to \$41,327.85.
- 203 Meetings for mental training were held during the year.
- 164 Lectures are reported.
- 127 Debates are reported.
- 133 Dramatic performances were given.
- 110 Concerts by Singing Sections were given.
- 150 Societies report physical education in public schools.
- 28 Societies publish a journal.
- 137 Societies are subscribers to the "Turnzeitung."

The following table shows the increase or decrease of membership in the various Districts:

District	1926	1925	Increase	Decrease
1. New York	1,735	1,751	.....	16
2. Indiana	1,540	1,540	.....	.....
3. St. Louis	3,812	3,569	243	.....
4. New England	2,267	2,161	106	.....
5. Wisconsin	1,343	1,321	22	.....
6. Illinois	2,728	2,871	.....	143
7. Philadelphia	2,593	2,685	.....	92
8. New Jersey	2,110	2,091	19	.....
9. Pittsburgh	3,869	3,804	65	.....
10. Kansas-Missouri	298	323	.....	25
11. Minnesota	371	398	.....	27
12. Upper Mississippi	2,419	2,530	.....	111
13. Rocky Mountain	452	450	2	.....
14. New Orleans	90	90	.....	.....
15. Pacific	536	480	56	.....
16. Connecticut	616	578	38	.....
17. Lake Erie	2,222	1,764	458	.....
18. Western New York	1,736	1,552	184	.....
19. Ohio	698	719	.....	21
20. South Central	60	70	.....	10
21. North Pacific	510	493	17	.....
22. Southern California	710	672	38	.....
	32,715	31,912	1,248	445

Net gain: 803

With Turner Greetings,

WM. VOELKER,
Secretary.

Class Leaders' Course in Philadelphia

In the Philadelphia District G. H. Heinemann conducted the course, and the examination was held under supervision of Fritz Krimmel, of New York, representing the Executive Committee. The following participants passed the examination and received diplomas: Ernest Wagner, Henry Kohler, Albert Heintze, J. Conaway Stokes Jr., Carl Hesch, Adolph Pemsel Jr., Charles Hertler, Martin Hesch, John Rammacher, Hermann Helfer, Marian Simpson, Virginia Toy, Charlotte Wolf, Emma Weber, Helen E. Bowers, Katherine Kucklick, Sadie Swenson, Dorothy Deardon, Clara Anderer, and Peggy Gill.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

From April 1, 1925, to March 31, 1926

April 1, 1925, Cash on hand.....\$ 6,684.85

Receipts

Per Capita Tax:

New York District.....	\$ 649.50
Indiana District	568.50
St. Louis District	1,018.19
New England District	1,080.50
Wisconsin District	660.50
Illinois District	1,435.50
Philadelphia District	1,342.50
New Jersey District	1,045.50
Pittsburgh District	1,944.00
Kansas-Missouri District	161.00
Minnesota District	199.00
Upper Mississippi District	1,312.00
Rocky Mountain District	212.00
Pacific District	240.00
Connecticut District	269.00
Lake Erie District	882.00
Western New York District.....	772.00
Ohio District	570.85
South Central District	30.00
Northern Pacific District	255.00
Southern California District	336.00

\$14,978.54

Special Tax:

Jeannette T. V.	\$ 32.50
Lindenwood T. V.	15.00
Vorwaerts, Holyoke	60.00
Mt. Vernon T. V.	50.00
Buffalo T. V.	74.50
New Ulm T. V.	55.00
Bloomingtondale T. V.	59.00
Jeannette T. V.	32.50
Washington, Mo., T. V.	16.00
Deutscher Arbeiter T. V.	202.00
Bahnfrei Milwaukee T. V.	68.00
Newark T. V.	100.00
Rochester T. V.	60.00
New Haven T. V.	15.00
Washington, Mo., T. V.	25.50
Passaic T. V.	212.50
Columbia, Brooklyn, T. V.	12.00

\$ 1,089.50

Error, Vorwaerts, Brooklyn, 1925.....	40.00	1,049.50
Initiations	18.00	
Interest	468.24	

Supplies:

Diplomas	\$ 302.99
Folders	242.25
Platform and Statutes	\$16.00
Error, Vorwaerts, Brooklyn	40.00
History American Turnerbund.....	78.45
Electros	7.40
Pennants	40.75
Books	6.00

\$ 733.84

\$23,932.97

Expenditures

Normal College A. T. B.....	\$ 6,000.00
Class Leaders Courses	64.45
Traveling Expenses	415.09
Postage	303.04
Telegrams	9.19
Printing	1,345.19
Turnzeitung	1,040.00
Salaries	810.00
Medals and Badges	\$141.57
	13.75

Students' Year Book 1925-1926.....	425.00
Technical Committee	936.51
Miscellaneous	389.40
Application Blanks	\$ 43.08
	9.60

33.48

Pamphlets	154.50
	82.25
	72.25

Emblems	182.66
	114.50

68.16

Jahn Educational Fund	493.00
Elkhart Lake Convention	738.81
Louisville Turnfest	263.46
Membership Cards	246.07
	132.16

113.91

Monograms A. T.	2,262.33
Monongahela City Bonds	5,200.42

\$21,111.51

\$ 2,821.46

March 31, 1926, Balance.....

Resources

Unpaid Capita Tax:

New York District	\$ 225.00
Indiana District	989.00
St. Louis District	1,865.88
Pittsburgh District	88.00
Kansas-Missouri District	198.00
Upper Mississippi District	1,265.00
Rocky Mountain District	248.00
New Orleans District	45.00
Ohio District	108.00

\$ 5,031.88

Unpaid Special Tax

\$ 8,872.50

Bond Investments

\$15,446.42

Supplies in Stock

Histories	\$ 333.03
Platform and Statutes	242.28
Pamphlets	170.35
Applications	10.42
Emblems (Buttons)	339.93
Electros	40.25
Diplomas	763.41
Posters	230.09
Cloth Pennants	2,231.55

\$ 4,361.31

Due For Supplies

Platform and Statutes	\$ 3.12
Diplomas	43.84

Posters	3.00
Emblems (Buttons)	5.00
Cloth Pennants	50.00
Pamphlets	13.00
Membership Cards	44.00
	\$ 161.96

HENRY J. THIER,
Treasurer

Balance Sheet of Jahn Educational Fund

Subscriptions (Deferred Payments)	\$ 6,813.00
Bond investments	5,124.34
Cash in Savings Account in W. S. & D. B.	8,982.20
Cash on hand	5.00
	\$20,924.54
Total Subscriptions	\$20,495.64
Surplus (Interest and Commissions)	428.90
	\$20,924.54

HENRY J. THIER,
Sec'y & Treas.

ADDRESS OF GEORGE SEIBEL

President of the American Turnerbund

*At the Lincoln Homestead, Hodgenville, Kentucky, June 14, 1926.
Opening the 33d National Turnfest*

Great friend of man, we have come to the place where you were born, to lay this wreath of laurel and of oak upon the threshold of your humble cabin. The oak is for your sturdy humanity, the laurel for your immortal renown. The great ones of earth were not born in palaces and swathed in silk; brought forth in rude cottage or bare attic, they climbed the ladder of labor to the peaks of glory. We, the Turners of 1926, honor you as did the Turners of 1860, who cast their ballots for you and stood guard around you when you were inaugurated as President. We are here today to assure you of our loyalty to those principles vindicated by the sword of Washington, promulgated by the pen of Jefferson, consecrated by your blood. Whenever freedom is assailed, whenever humanity is betrayed, the memory of your devotion will kindle our courage and revive our hope. When the pygmies of accidental power have been forgotten, your valiant name will shine with undimmed luster in the starry scroll of time. This Republic is your monument. Our hearts are your temples, our lives shall be the incense at your shrine. Though our words today be dissipated in the heedless air, our thoughts and deeds through all the years shall render true homage to you, in whom the love of humanity and the dream of liberty moulded the greatest of all Americans, Abraham Lincoln.

THE TURNERS' NORMAL COLLEGE

The Normal College of the American Turnerbund, now conducting the nineteenth course since its removal to Indianapolis, has progressed in many ways during the past year.

Extensive improvements were again made during the year at Camp Brosius, Elkhart Lake, Wis., where the summer sessions are being conducted, and where a four weeks' course in camping, etc., is given the regular class at the close of each school-year. The hotel operated in connection with the camp has found favor with members and friends of the Turnerbund, and was well attended during the season. It is hoped to make Elkhart Lake the Turner Chautauqua.

The Board of Trustees of the Normal College consists of the following: President, Franklin Vonnegut; Secretary, George Vonnegut; Treasurer, Carl H. Lieber; Theo. Stempfel; A. E. Kindervater, St. Louis; W. A. Stecher, Philadelphia; Henry Suder, Milwaukee; Dr. Carl Ziegler, Cincinnati; Emil Rath, President of the College and Dean of the Department of Theory and Practice of Physical Education; Dr. H. O. Pantzer, Dean of the Department of Anatomy, Physiology and Hygiene; W. L. Richardson, Dean of the Department of Letters and General Science.

The faculty, consisting of thirty-four instructors, includes members of the teaching staff of the Indiana University School of Medicine, Butler College, and the Indianapolis high schools. The following courses are offered:

A four-year course leading to the degree of Bachelor of Physical Education (B.P.E.) and to certification as Teacher of Physical Training for Colleges and Universities.

Graduate courses leading to the degree of Master of Physical Education (M.P.E.).

A three-year course leading to certification as Teacher of Physical Education for High Schools.

A two-year course leading to certification as Teacher of Physical Training for Elementary and Junior High Schools.

An elementary one-year course, open to male non-matriculates who have attained a high degree of proficiency in gymnastics (gymnasts of the second or third grade) and meet such additional requirements as may be prescribed, including a satisfactory knowledge of German. Students who complete this course receive a certificate attesting that they are qualified to teach physical education in schools maintained by societies of the American Turnerbund.

Summer courses, comprising special courses in the theory and practice of physical education and in related subjects. These courses are open to persons qualified to pursue profitably the work chosen by them. Credit and certificates will be given for work satisfactorily completed.

Complete information about these courses is given in the catalogue of the Normal College and in the special summer session program, sent on request.

Beginning with the year 1919-20 the Board of Trustees of the Normal College has offered seven scholarships to members of the American Turnerbund (one for each of the circuits), consisting of free tuition for the two-year course. Full information about these scholarships will be sent on request.

The 27th convention of the Turnerbund decided to offer similar scholarships to 22 members (one for each of the districts), without the high school education required for those mentioned above, consisting of free tuition for the elementary one-year course. Complete information will be sent on request.

Report of the Treasurer of the Normal College

For the School Term from July 1, 1924, to June 30, 1925

* The Normal College fiscal year closes on June 30; hence a complete report can be given only for the year 1924-1925.

Receipts	
Tuition Fees	\$21,206.25
American Turnerbund	6,000.00
Interest	706.87
Special Turnerbund Membership Fee.....	10.00
	<u>\$27,923.12</u>

Expenditures	
Stationery and Printing	\$ 1,580.14
Advertising	103.10
Salaries of Instructors and Employees.....	18,685.71
Rent, etc.	2,550.14
Postage and Expressage	273.22
Interest Expense	15.37
Miscellaneous Expenses	2,886.47
	<u>\$26,094.16</u>
Surplus	\$ 1,828.96

Balance Sheet

For July 1, 1925, with comparative figures for the previous year

Assets	July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	Increase
Cash on Hand	\$ 1,589.99	\$ 6,975.64	\$ 5,385.65
Invested Funds	13,000.00	13,000.00	
Notes Receivable	2,082.65	1,549.10	533.55
Accounts Receivable (Students)	1,828.14	5,090.28	3,262.14
Other Accounts Receivable	1,319.32	422.29	897.03
Office Equipment	661.93	736.28	74.35
Library	1,910.88	2,011.50	100.62
School Equipment	5,475.60	5,682.75	207.15
Gymnasium Equipment	6,642.84	7,138.41	495.57
Dormitory Equipment	7,140.73	7,140.73	
Camp Brosius (Property)	27,889.09	38,652.88	10,763.79
Camp Brosius (Equipment)	4,709.14	6,151.18	1,442.04
Unused Stationery	150.00	150.00	
Purchases for Students	350.00	350.00	
	<u>\$74,750.31</u>	<u>\$95,051.04</u>	<u>\$20,300.73</u>
Liabilities	July 1, 1924	July 1, 1925	Increase
Mortgage (Camp Brosius)	\$ 4,000.00	\$ 8,500.00	\$ 4,500.00
Current Balance (Camp Brosius)	1,826.14		1,826.14
Deferred Revenue, American Turnerbund	1,500.00	1,500.00	
Deferred June Camp Expenses.....	1,300.00	1,300.00	
Special Fund	100.00	100.00	
Scholarship Fund	50.00		50.00
Endowment Fund	4,950.00	4,950.00	
Camp Brosius Subscription Fund.....	7,027.00	9,497.00	2,470.00
Capital	16,571.72	16,571.72	
Surplus	18,357.28	25,963.79	7,606.51
Reserve for Depreciation	9,000.00	9,000.00	
Reserve for Uncollectible Accounts.....	280.63	280.63	
Reserve for Dormitory Depreciation.....	4,196.32	4,696.32	500.00
Reserve for Camp Brosius Depreciation.....	8,391.22	12,691.58	4,300.36
	<u>\$74,750.31</u>	<u>\$95,051.04</u>	<u>\$20,300.73</u>

Decreases in last column are in blackface type.

STUDENTS 1925-1926

The following students are attending the Normal College during the year 1925-1926. The letters shown in each line indicate: M—Matriculated; N—Non-matriculated; E—Elementary One-Year Course; I—First Year Course; II—Second Year Course; III—Third Year Course; IV—Fourth Year Course; S—Special Course.

ADLER, EVELYN	MII	Buffalo, N. Y.
AMOS, LaFERN	MII	Peru, Ind.
ANDERSON, FLORENCE	MII	Buffalo, N. Y.
AUERNHEIMER, AUGUST	MIV	Seattle, Wash.
BAHR, FERDINAND	NE	Sheboygan, Wis.
BARNITT, VINETTA	MIII	Chicago, Ill.
BEALE, NELSON	MII	Buffalo, N. Y.
BEDNARCYK, THEOPHIL	NSII	Clinton, Mass.
BIFANO, MARY	MII	Johnstown, Pa.
BLACKWELL, SARA	MII	Evansville, Ind.
BLUMER, SAMUEL	MIII	Hartford, Conn.
BOEHMER, LESLIE	MI	St. Louis, Mo.
BRALLIER, FRANCES	MII	Altoona, Pa.
BRAUN, FRED	MIII	Indianapolis, Ind.
BROWN, MARY B.	MSI	Chicago, Ill.
CHRIST, ALMA	MI	Evansville, Ind.
CLARK, HOWARD	MI	Buffalo, N. Y.
COURTNER, MARGARET	MI	Oklahoma City, Okla.
DALTON, JOHN	MII	Cincinnati, Ohio
DARNALL, MARY ALICE	MI	Cayuga, Ind.
DIPPOLD, HARRY	NSIII	Clinton, Mass.
DOUP, IRENE	MI	Columbus, Ind.
DUERR, JOHN	MI	Buffalo, N. Y.
DUQUIN, RALPH	MI	Buffalo, N. Y.
EBERHARDT, WALTER	NE	Lawrence, Mass.
ECK, CHARLOTTE	MI	Miamisburg, Ohio
EDWARDS, MARGARET	MII	St. Louis, Mo.
ELLIS, EMMA	MII	Buffalo, N. Y.
FITZGERALD, WINONA	MII	Louisville, Ky.
FLACHSLAND, NORMA	MI	Syracuse, N. Y.
FRAHM, KATHRYN	MII	Clinton, Iowa
FREEVOL, ERMA	MI	Chicago, Ill.
FREUCK, HERMAN	MII	Chicago, Ill.
GABLE, MARTHA	MIII	Philadelphia, Pa.
GARNER, JOHN	MI	Buffalo, N. Y.
GENTRUP, RUTH	MI	N. Madison, Ind.
GILCHRIST, RENA MAE	MIII	Greensburg, Ind.
GLIDEWELL, KENNETH	MII	Greensburg, Ind.
GREENBERG, ROSE	MI	Shelbyville, Ind.
GREGG, DAVID	MII	Cincinnati, Ohio
GREINER, MARGARET	MII	Chicago, Ill.
GREINER, META	MII	Chicago, Ill.
HAASE, GERHARDT	NSII	Fitchburg, Mass.
HANDSCHU, LAWRENCE	MI	Chicago, Ill.
HAUENSTEIN, JULIA	MII	New Ulm, Minn.
HEIDEN, ESTHER	MI	Milwaukee, Wis.
HEIS, RUDOLPH	MII	Philadelphia, Pa.
HENTE, WALTER	MII	Saginaw, Mich.
HERMANN, ARTHUR	NSIII	Milwaukee, Wis.
HERTZEL, RUTH	MI	Buffalo, N. Y.
HILLE, EDWARD	MI	Philadelphia, Pa.
HOYLER, ELSA	MII	Buffalo, N. Y.
HUBBARD, WILLIAM	MI	Buffalo, N. Y.
ISELIN, IRMA	MIII	Indianapolis, Ind.
JACQUIN, GEORGE	MIII	Syracuse, N. Y.

JORDAN, GERTRUDE	MII	St. Paul, Minn.
KARLE, LOUISE	MI	Indianapolis, Ind.
KLEIN, JOHN	NSII	Los Angeles, Calif.
KNEISER, ARIA	MII	Buffalo, N. Y.
LaDURON, ADELE	MI	Muncie, Ind.
LeGRAND, JANE	MIII	North Vernon, Ind.
LEMMON, ELIZABETH	MIII	Shelbyville, Ind.
LOBRAICO, MARGHERITA	MII	Chicago, Ill.
LOCKWOOD, PRISCILLA	MI	Indianapolis, Ind.
MARSHALL, SARA	MI	Indianapolis, Ind.
McCOLGAN, WILLIAM	MI	Buffalo, N. Y.
MEISSNER, WILLIAM	MI	New York, N. Y.
MILLER, DOROTHY	MII	St. Louis, Mo.
MILLER, MAYBELLE	MII	Gaston, Ind.
MOATZ, GEORGE	MI	Emaus, Pa.
MOORE, FRANCIS	MIII	Middletown, Conn.
MUMENTHALER, EDWARD	MI	Buffalo, N. Y.
MUTO, JOHN	MII	Buffalo, N. Y.
NICOLAS, EUGENIE	MI	Buffalo, N. Y.
NILSON, HERBERT	MI	Chicago, Ill.
OLMSTED, BLOSSOME	MI	Chicago, Ill.
OTTE, BERTHA	MI	Indianapolis, Ind.
OVERMAN, CLARENCE	MII	Shelbyville, Ind.
PADDEN, DOROTHY	MIII	Chicago, Ill.
PASSANT, NELLIE	MI	Philadelphia, Pa.
PLETZ, EMIL	NSII	N. Braddock, Pa.
RENWICK, GEORGIA	MII	Canandaigua, N. Y.
RICK, CHARLES	MII	Saginaw, Mich.
ROTHWEILER, CHAS.	MI	Seattle, Wash.
RUECKHARDT, HAZEL	MI	Chicago, Ill.
SANFORD, MARY	MI	Lebanon, Ind.
SCHAEFFER, MILDRED	MI	Chicago, Ill.
SCHERBAUM, WALTER	MII	Philadelphia, Pa.
SCHNEIDER, HENRY	MI	Philadelphia, Pa.
SCHNITZER, MINA	MI	Buffalo, N. Y.
SCHULZ, DOROTHEA	MI	Chicago, Ill.
SCHWEITZER, JOSEPH	MII	Philadelphia, Pa.
SENKEWITZ, ERNST	NSII	N. Braddock, Pa.
SHAFFER, EDNA	MI	Buffalo, N. Y.
SHEAR, ALBERTA	MII	Buffalo, N. Y.
SIMON, CLARA	MI	Baltimore, Md.
SNYDER, IRENE	MII	Fort Wayne, Ind.
SPILLMAN, LUCILLE	MII	St. Louis, Mo.
SPITZER, CARL A.	MIV	Fitchburg, Mass.
STAHL, CHARLES	NSII	Pittsburgh, Pa.
STAIBER, OSCAR	MI	Johnstown, Pa.
STANSBURY, GLADYS	MI	Portland, Ore.
STONER, ELIZABETH	MII	Greencastle, Ind.
STOCKER, JOHN	MIII	Sacramento, Calif.
SUEDMEYER, HERBERT	MII	Buffalo, N. Y.
SWINEHART, LUCY	MII	St. Louis, Mo.
TERRILL, RICHARD	MI	Lawrenceburg, Ind.
THAYER, HENRY	MII	Buffalo, N. Y.
THORUP, ERMA	MI	Chicago, Ill.
TODD, ETHEL	MII	Cincinnati, Ohio
ULBRICHT, VERA	MIII	St. Louis, Mo.
WAGNER, EMELINE	MII	Richmond, Ind.
WAGNER, MILDRED	MII	Chicago, Ill.
WEINSHEIMER, GLADYS	MII	Evansville, Ind.
WOLF, CATHERINE	MI	Peoria, Ill.
WOLFF, LYDIA	MI	Chicago, Ill.
WOLTZ, EMILIE	MII	Buffalo, N. Y.
WOOD, HELEN	MII	S. Norwood, Ohio
YOUNG, HELEN	MI	Eaton, Ohio

SCHOOLS AND LIBRARIES

Turner Societies can build up a German school very easily if they offer the room to some teacher who will organize a class, charge a moderate tuition fee, and pay the Society 30 or 40 per cent as rental. Look about you for a teacher—and try it.

Discuss your Society's Library. What books are in it? Are they properly catalogued? Are they ever used? If not, why not? Get busy and do that. Every Turnverein should have its Library or Reading Room. If no separate room is available, a table with magazines and journals should be placed in one of the rooms used for social assembly.

The publications should be such as will lead readers to think for themselves. It is well known that a large proportion of the American press is controlled by special interests which try to suppress news and prevent discussion that may attack their privileges. The Turner, to fulfill his duties as a citizen, should seek to get just such news and hear just such opinions, to offset the propaganda fed to us all the time by press, pulpit, and even radio. For this purpose a list of publications is appended, which deserve commendation, because they are apparently independent and liberal, giving unpopular opinions a chance to be heard, not merely bunk and propaganda.

Those who wish to become better acquainted with the Turner principles of liberty and progress should (if they understand German) read the "Turnzeitung" every week. It costs only \$3.00 a year. Address:

AMERIKANISCHE TURNZEITUNG
TURNER PUBLISHING CO.
NEW ULM, MINN.

Those who do not understand German, should take some other liberal and progressive publication. The following are recommended:

- "The Nation." Weekly—\$5.00 a year.
20 Vesey Street, New York, N. Y.
- "The New Republic." Weekly—\$5.00 a year.
421 W. 21st Street, New York, N. Y.
- "The World Tomorrow." Monthly—\$1.00 a year.
396 Broadway, New York, N. Y.
- "The Atlantic Monthly." Monthly—\$4.00 a year.
8 Arlington Street, Boston, Mass.
- "The Living Age." Weekly—\$5.00 a year.
8 Arlington Street, Boston, Mass.
- "The American Mercury." Monthly—\$5.00 a year.
730 Fifth Avenue, New York, N. Y.
- "The Century Magazine." Monthly—\$5.00 a year.
353 Fourth Avenue, New York, N. Y.
- "The Forum." Monthly—\$4.00 a year.
247 Park Avenue, New York, N. Y.
- "The Progressive." Semi-Monthly—\$3.00 a year.
140 Cedar Street, New York, N. Y.

PLAN FOR A MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

By ALBERT KRAUSE, Buffalo

Every Turnverein should set aside one month of each year as a recruiting season for new members. Other organizations do this. Some of those whom we consider our rivals admit that 25 percent of their members drop out every year, and these losses must be replaced. Turner Societies should select their members with more care, and annual losses will not be so large, but some systematic plan should be adopted to insure growth in the right direction.

Just at the present moment the fine prestige achieved by the Turnerbund through its 33d National Turnfest makes a membership campaign especially hopeful. The German Turners who have visited so many cities have contributed to rousing high enthusiasm. The restrictions put upon personal liberty by aggregations of intolerant bigots have stirred the pulse of red-blooded men, who will be glad to join a liberal and progressive association which opposes such fanaticism and reaction. The time is exceedingly favorable for us to go out and get new members.

In a campaign for members Turner Societies should avoid the unquestioned errors committed in past campaigns of similar character.

For this reason the control and management of the campaign should be thoroughly organized, so that each individual taking part knows exactly what to do and how to do it.

Secondly, we know from past experience that the average member brought into a Society by a campaign does not last over two years, which makes the turnover excessively large. We do know that those members who have a number of personal friends in the Society, with whom they are in the habit of congregating, are the ones that stick year in and year out.

We also know that we cannot expect the enthusiasm required in the efforts of such a campaign to be permanent, for that reason the campaign should not be too long.

We also know that the average of the actual workers will have neither the experience nor the judgment necessary to guide them successfully in such an effort. And we know that within certain limits the larger the number of active members properly instructed, controlled, and guided, the larger and better will be the results.

For these reasons the campaign should be in charge of a committee of three to five men of high executive ability and of such character that the candidates' applications can be promptly accepted without waiting for the usual monthly meeting of the Board of Directors, so that every candidate will be brought to the Society as soon as possible and interviewed to ascertain his qualifications, and, if found satisfactory, to obtain the names and addresses of his personal friends and acquaintances, for use as prospects.

Another duty of these five people will be to have charge of twenty-five others, each one to have direct contact with five other men, each one of which will be the chairman of an active working committee of five, so that the total workers will be at least one hundred and twenty-five. Before the campaign starts these hundred and twenty-five should be thoroughly instructed in the aims and objects of the Society and the character of the people desirable, of the

methods to be used in approaching them, and the form of reports to be made. The campaign should not last over forty or at the most sixty days, and should cease when a definite goal has been reached.

A preliminary list of names of prospects can be secured by giving each present member a blank to fill out with five names and addresses of people whom he considers desirable.

The Buffalo Turnverein, before opening its drive, circulated the following blank:

OUR COMING MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

The Buffalo Turnverein is planning a Membership Campaign to increase our membership to Eight Hundred. The new building plans provide a fine gymnasium and club house for that number—and membership will be limited. We want the best quality of human beings and of American citizenship. YOU can help by filling in the blank below with the names of men who would make worthy and valuable members of your Turnverein. We want names of men who are broadminded, who believe in equal liberty and opportunity for all, who believe in education as the basis of democracy, who believe that a sound body will create a sound mind.

Give us the names of five such men. Fill out the blank and hand it to the President or the Secretary.

Name.....	Address.....
Name.....	Address.....
Name.....	Address.....
Name.....	Address.....
Name.....	Address.....

The response to this gave us a very good list to start our campaign, which promises to be completely successful. The time is ripe for a great advance of the Turners, and every society should act at once and be in step.

NOW IS THE ACCEPTED TIME!

THOUGHTS FROM THINKERS

From Thoreau.

If you have built castles in the air, your work need not be lost; that is where they should be. Now put the foundations under them.

However mean your life is, meet it and live it; do not shun it and call it hard names. It is not so bad as you are.

Some would find fault with the morning-red, if they ever got up early enough . . . The fault-finder will find faults even in Paradise.

From Anatole France.

The future is shaped out of the past. Whatever one can do to live contentedly, without impatience and without fretting, will help one to live some future day in peace and joy. Be gentle and learn how to suffer. When one suffers patiently, one suffers less.

There are splendid souls in whom the love of splendid things is natural and inborn.

One is uneasy about what one cannot understand.

From Emerson.

A thrill passes through all men at the reception of new truth, or at the performance of a great action, which comes out of the heart of nature.

We have a debt to every great heart, to every fine genius; to those who have put life and fortune on the cast of an act of justice; to those who have added new sciences; to those who have refined life by elegant pursuits. 'Tis the fine souls who serve us, and not what is called fine society.

To be honest—to earn a little and to spend a little less, to make upon the whole a family happier for his presence; to renounce when that shall be necessary and not to be embittered; to keep a few friends, but these without capitulation—above all, on the same grim conditions, to keep friends with himself—here is a task for all that a man has of fortitude and delicacy.—*Stevenson.*

Not how much you make, but to what purpose do you spend.—*Ruskin.*

From Benjamin Franklin.

There is much difference between imitating a good man, and counterfeiting him.

Search others for their virtues, thyself for thy vices.

Keep conscience clear, then never fear.

From Joubert.

Words become luminous when the poet's finger touches them with its phosphorus.

Children need models more than critics.

Education ought to be tender and severe, not cold and soft.

When bringing up a child, think of its old age.

The guidance of our mind is more important than its progress.

Before using a beautiful word be sure you have a place for it.

Doing nothing for others is the undoing of one's self.—*Horace Mann.*

The wealth of a man is the number of things he loves and blesses, which he is loved and blessed by.—*Thomas Carlyle.*

What do we live for if not to make the world less difficult for each other?
—*George Eliot.*

Wanted!

The last convention of the American Turnerbund at Elkhart Lake authorized the National Executive Committee to collect books for a permanent Archive of Turner History, also any relics for a Turner Museum. If you have anything of this sort, let the National Executive Committee know.

NATIONAL EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

(Bundesvorort)

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The Standing Committees

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(Correspondence for the Committee on Physical Training should be sent to the secretary, William A. Stecher, Board of Education, 17th and Pine Streets, Philadelphia, Pa.)

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Weege, Frank	3526 Lowell Ave.	Chicago, Ill.	Chicago T. G.
Weismueller, Jos.	310 E. Broadway....	Louisville, Ky.	Louisville T. G.
Weisse, E.	346-350 Totowa Av.	Paterson, N. J.	Paterson T. V.
Werner, Paul	87 Christie Ave.	Clifton, N. J.	Passaic T. V.
Wild, Alfred	11542 Lafayette Av.	Chicago, Ill.	Eiche T. V.
Woerner, Emil	R. F. D. 3	Somerville, N. J.	Union Hill T. V. & Greenville T. V.
Wonnenberger, Max ..	91 E. Eighth St....	Clifton, N. J.	Newark T. V. and Carlstadt T. V.
Wuehmann, Chas.	2158 Bertran Ave...	Chicago, Ill.	Lincoln T. V.
Wuest, Christ	196 Manahan St.	Brooklyn, N. Y.	New York T. V.
Wurth, Henry	863 Albany St.	Schenectady, N. Y.	Schenectady T. V.
Zitta, Fred	9th & St. Clair Av.	Sheboygan, Wis.	Sheboygan Gym. S.
Zwarg, Leopold	5919 N. Park Ave...	Philadelphia, Pa.	Columbia T. V.

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
New York District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 New York Turnverein	440	120	54	150	12	144	160
2 Bloomingdale Turnverein, N. Y.....	50	14	.....	11	.....	14	11
3 Central Turnverein, N. Y.....	74	18	.....	35	4	24	40
4 Deutsch-Amerikanischer Turnverein, N.Y....	110	35	20	85	10	68	110
5 Vorwaerts Turnverein, Brooklyn, N. Y. *..	302	50	20	150	24	73	118
6 Columbia Turnverein, Brooklyn, N. Y.....	12	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7 Turnverein of Brooklyn E. D.....	450	95	16	236	33	173	152
8 Mt. Vernon Turnverein, N. Y.....	195	31	10	65	18	70	65
9 Long Island Turnverein, N. Y.....	102	20	.....	30	9	73	97
Total, January 1, 1926.....	1735	395	120	762	110	639	753
Total, January 1, 1925.....	1751	395	119	695	118	587	660
Increase .....	.....	.....	1	67	.....	52	93
Decrease	16	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....

* Sinking Fund \$1,500

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Indiana District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Louisville Turngemeinde	621	65	59	205	56	82	103
2 Indianapolis Turnverein	216	24	21	73	22	71	97
3 Danville Social Turnverein, Ill.....	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4 South Bend Turnverein, Ill.....	136	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5 Indianapolis South Side Turnverein, Ind...	98	25	10	25	35	33	90
6 Fort Wayne Turnverein, Ind.	200	40	.....	35	12	48	28
7 Evansville Central Turnverein, Ind.....	235	11	30	59	8	58	74
Total, January 1, 1926.....	1540	165	120	397	133	292	392
Total, January 1, 1925.....	1540	184	89	436	103	341	364
Increase			31		30		28
Decrease		19		39		49	

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	Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	25	1	55	25	23	2000	\$ 350,000	\$ 15,000	\$ 365,000	\$ 225,000	7
2	....	1	.....	.....	.....	550	26,000	3,816	29,816	9,041	.....
3	....	1	40	.....	.....	.....	28,000	4,000	32,000	14,000	1
4	....	1	30	.....	.....	175	28,000	5,000	33,000	25,000	.....
5	....	1	49	30	.....	200	.....	5,000	5,000	5,000	4
6	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	500	500	.....
7	....	1	38	28	.....	.....	73,473	7,888	81,361	42,427	13
8	....	1	28	25	.....	.....	46,000	6,982	52,982	15,822	2
9	....	1	.....	25	.....	.....	75,000	2,000	77,000	69,000	3
	25	8	240	133	23	2925	\$ 626,473	\$ 50,186	\$ 676,659	\$ 405,790	30
	32	8	241	155	21	4400	563,472	58,169	621,641	363,705	.....
	....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	63,001	.....	55,018	42,085	.....
	7	.....	1	22	.....	1475	.....	7,983	.....	.....	.....

	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1		1	204	.....	40	450	\$ 150,000	\$ 4,000	\$ 154,000	\$ 154,000	7
2		2	105	.....	30	565	.....	53,100	53,100	53,100	3
3			20	.....	.....	.....	10,000	100	10,100	10,100	1
4			50	25	.....	670	40,000	2,000	42,000	42,000	6
5		1	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6		2	24	.....	.....	100	22,000	2,000	24,000	22,000	3
7		1	.....	.....	.....	.....	47,500	2,500	50,000	32,000	4
.....		7	443	25	70	1785	\$ 269,500	\$ 63,700	\$ 333,200	\$ 313,200	24
2		5	531	25	50	1885	260,000	64,400	324,400	302,400	
.....		2			20		9,500		8,800	10,800	
2			88			100		700			

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
St. Louis District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 St. Louis Turnverein	245	77	29	95	21	24	32
2 Concordia Turnverein, St. Louis.....	674	177	95	338	112	245	266
3 North St. Louis Turnverein.....	520	66	84	235	40	151	161
4 Swiss National Turner Society, St. Louis..	24	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5 Rock Springs Gymnastic Soc., St. Louis..	200	20	43	63	6	38	42
6 Southwest Gymnastic Society, St. Louis....	265	45	20	84	16	73	73
7 Schiller Turners, St. Louis County, Mo.....	150	55	27	80	20	50	40
8 Lindenwood Gymnastic Society, St. Louis..	40	10	8	15	.....	.....	.....
9 Columbia Gym. Assn., Columbia, Ill.	150	16	.....	29	.....	45	76
10 Belleville Turnverein, Ill.	903	60	62	212	51	182	206
11 Mt. Olive Gymnastic Society, Ill.....	81	12	.....	.....	10	24	26
12 Highland Gymnastic Society, Ill.	126	42	.....	38	48	66	130
13 Washington Turnverein, Mo.	84	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
14 Tower Grove Gymnastic Society, Mo.	350	40	50	179	25	113	135
Total, January 1, 1926.....	3812	620	418	1368	349	1011	1187
Total, January 1, 1925.....	3569	581	393	1387	324	971	1152
Increase	243	39	25		25	40	35
Decrease				19			

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Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	1	40	.....	.....	3000	\$ 42,000	\$ 4,500	\$ 46,500	\$ 33,500	8
2	1	75	.....	25	2200	60,000	3,500	63,500	63,500	5
3	1	76	.....	.....	2350	42,000	3,000	45,000	41,000	6
4 ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50,000	1,200	51,200	51,200	1
5	1	3	.....	.....	.....	30,000	500	30,500	18,800	.....
6	1	40	.....	.....	120	16,000	600	16,600	11,100	3
7	1	1	.....	50	30	25,000	1,000	26,000	24,100	2
8 ....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	3,500	800	4,300	3,300	.....
9	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	25,000	1,200	26,200	19,725	.....
10	1	.....	.....	35	.....	150,000	15,500	165,500	73,000	4
11 ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,220	1,650	9,870	7,470	.....
12	1	56	.....	.....	.....	5,000	1,500	6,500	6,500	.....
13 ....	.....	.....	.....	26	.....	6,000	3,430	9,430	9,430	1
14	1	65	.....	.....	.....	150,000	10,000	160,000	95,000	4
....	10	381	.....	136	7700	\$ 612,720	\$ 48,380	\$ 661,100	\$ 457,625	34
....	11	439	32	99	7451	436,720	25,480	462,200	339,125	
....				37	249	176,000	22,900	198,900	118,500	
....	1	58	32							

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
New England District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Boston Turnverein, Mass.	275	15	.....	12	.....	.....	.....
2 Lawrence Turnverein, Mass.	320	19	.....	40	12	84	113
3 Clinton Turnverein, Mass.	192	34	.....	25	32	68	130
4 Springfield Turnverein, Mass. *	216	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5 Fitchburg Deutscher Fortbildungs-Verein	92	22	.....	12	.....	24	30
6 Holyoke Vorwaerts Turnverein, Mass.	126	16	18	18	.....	36	40
7 Malden Turnverein, Mass.	60	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
8 Roxbury Deutscher Arbeiter-Turnverein..	215	28	.....	24	15	.....	16
9 Deutsche Turnerschaft, Providence, R. I..	80	22	.....	24	.....	18	26
10 Adams Vorwaerts Turnverein, Mass.....	147	33	.....	.....	18	.....	33
11 Boston Schwaben-Verein Turnsektion.....	15	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
12 Manchester Turnverein, N. H.	145	12	.....	.....	20	25	30
13 Schenectady Turnverein, N. Y. †	300	58	.....	103	17	55	73
14 Germania Turnverein, Pittsfield, Mass.....	54	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15 Troy Turnverein, N. Y.....	30	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	14
Total, January 1, 1926.....	2267	312	18	258	114	310	505
Total, January 1, 1925.....	2161	321	9	281	125	358	420
Increase	106		9				85
Decrease		9		23	11	48	

* Soccer Ball Team. † Sinking Fund \$3000.

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Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1		40	30	10	3000	\$ 40,000	\$ 6,000	\$ 46,000	\$ 18,000	6
2		1	70	28	22	52,000	13,500	65,500	53,500	9
3		1	76	24	12	465	31,000	4,100	35,100	.....
4		1	65	38	12	200	90,000	10,000	100,000	8
5		1	.....	.....	.....	40,000	2,600	42,600	37,600	2
6			107	.....	20	214	25,000	4,500	29,500	2
7			60	24	.....	6	6,500	3,500	10,000	1
8		1	68	40	18	12	25,000	4,500	29,500	5
9		1	70	.....	.....	40	12,000	500	12,500	.....
10		1	48	25	10	24	14,000	1,950	15,950	4
11		1	.....	.....	.....	.....	26,000	1,000	27,000	.....
12			94	.....	.....	610	20,000	900	20,900	2
13		1	53	50	23	420	56,000	7,000	63,000	1
14			12	.....	.....	.....	8,000	.....	8,000	.....
15								600	600	1
.....	9	763	259	127	5207	\$ 445,500	\$ 60,650	\$ 506,150	\$ 384,680	41
66	7	737	198	87	5346	379,500	56,380	435,880	344,450	
.....	2	26	61	40		66,000	4,270	70,270	40,230	
66					139					

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
Wisconsin District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Milwaukee Turnverein, Wis. *	405	61	30	46	24	52	306
2 South Side Milwaukee Gymnastic Assn....	147	57	29	79	11	48	63
3 New Holstein Turnverein, Wis.....	85	10	.....	.....	.....	70	90
4 Mayville Turnverein, Wis.	84	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	.....
5 Madison Turnverein, Wis.	156	18	18	68	10	.....	.....
6 Menominee Turnverein, Mich. †	60	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7 Sheboygan Gymnastic Society, Wis. ‡	229	76	37	134	20	93	136
8 Milwaukee Bahn-Frei Turnverein, Wis.....	177	47	36	102	15	77	128
Total, January 1, 1926.....	1343	329	150	429	80	354	723
Total, January 1, 1925.....	1321	304	166	494	100	432	588
Increase	22	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	135
Decrease			16	65	20	78	

* Sinking Fund \$550. † Sinking Fund \$300. ‡ Sinking Fund \$15,000.

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	Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	18	1	140	25	.....	2000	\$ 75,000	\$ 8,250	\$ 83,250	\$ 72,900	3
2	....	1	45	.....	12	360	.....	950	950	950	5
3	....	1	15	.....	.....	.....	8,500	1,000	9,500	6,200	1
4	....	.....	47	.....	.....	.....	20,000	3,000	23,000	23,000	.....
5	....	1	62	.....	.....	390	25,000	21,000	46,000	43,400	2
6	....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	10,000	1,800	11,800	11,800	1
7	4	3	30	16	32	18	25,000	3,000	28,000	28,000	2
8	....	1	35	.....	.....	201	.....	5,000	5,000	5,000	.....
	22	8	374	53	44	2969	\$ 163,500	\$ 44,000	\$ 207,500	\$ 191,250	14
	18	6	365	54	32	2971	151,000	42,550	193,550	178,180	
	4	2	9		12		12,500	1,450	13,950	13,070	
				1		2					

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
Illinois District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Chicago Turngemeinde, Ill.	517	107	51	176	57	63	61
2 Eiche Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.	160	34	18	31	30	48	39
3 Freiheit Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.	14						
4 Grand Crossing Turner Society, Ill.	146	30	22	34	8	10	
5 Lincoln Turnverein, Chicago, Ill. *	580	210	52	350	95	139	159
6 Schweizer Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.	196	30	12	28	16		
7 Sozialer Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.	355	77	30	110	37	105	106
8 Teutonia Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.	10						
9 Aurora Turnverein, Ill.	55						
10 Vorwaerts Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.	210	50	20	55	23	40	26
11 Columbia Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.	9						
12 Harlem Turnverein, Forest Park, Ill.	8						
13 South Chicago Turnverein, Ill.	21						
14 Germania Turnverein, Waukegan, Ill.	20	6					
15 Peru Turngemeinde, Ill. †	102	19		22	15	57	86
16 Bloomington Turnverein, Ill.	35	35					
17 Peoria Turnverein, Ill.	30						
18 Central Turnverein, Chicago, Ill.	75	30		51	12		
19 Frisch Auf Turnverein, Aurora, Ill.	185	11	13	15	4	24	22
Total, January 1, 1926.....	2728	639	218	872	297	486	499
Total, January 1, 1925.....	2871	532	175	902	280	584	548
Increase		107	43		17		
Decrease	143			30		98	49

* Girls' Junior Society, 40 Members. † 1925 Report.

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Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1 28	4	126	18		1104	\$ 164,581	\$ 21,659	\$ 186,240	\$ 179,155	5
2 6	1	30	30	8	500	18,200	1,300	19,500	16,500	6
3							350	350	350	
4	1	15			200	22,000	1,000	23,000	16,748	1
5 20	4	96	14	20	605	425,000	12,000	437,000	227,000	7
6	2					1,100	1,450	2,550	2,550	3
7 6	2	45		10	850	48,000	12,000	60,000	53,000	4
8							300	300	300	
9							500	500	500	5
10 25	2	54				65,000	10,000	75,000	71,000	
11										
12					3		200	200	200	
13							100	100	100	
14					150	20,000	1,000	21,000	15,000	1
15	1	7			73	50,000	3,100	53,100	45,600	
16		41					12,500	12,500	12,500	
17		35				10,100	100	10,200	10,200	1
18	1				120		1,000	1,000	1,000	3
19	1	60	20	12		83,398	7,938	91,336	26,850	1
85	19	509	82	50	3605	\$ 907,379	\$ 86,497	\$ 993,876	\$ 678,553	37
39	12	574	77	25	3305	880,650	110,888	991,538	660,896	
46	7		5	25	300	26,729		2,338	17,657	
		65					24,391			

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
Philadelphia District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Philadelphia Turngemeinde	1477	207	66	280	131	152	142
2 Wilmington Turngemeinde, Del.	92	19	35				
3 Columbia Turnverein, Philadelphia, Pa.	130	16	20		16	65	40
4 Germania Turnverein, Baltimore, Md.	182	15	42	18	14	38	31
5 Germania Turnverein, Philadelphia, Pa.	80				16	17	30
6 Riverside Turngemeinde, N. J.	59						
7 West Philadelphia T. V. and Schulverein *	275		15				
8 Vorwaerts Turnverein, Baltimore, Md.	250	40	10	27		25	3
9 Kensington Labor L. T. S., Philadelphia....	20	20		12		30	30
10 Allentown Liederkrantz Turnsektion, Pa....	28	28				36	
Total, January 1, 1926.....	2593	345	188	337	177	363	276
Total, January 1, 1925.....	2685	237	161	415	218	357	309
Increase		108	27			6	
Decrease	92			78	41		33

* Sinking Fund \$777.85. All classes closed account building new hall.

New Jersey District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Newark Turnverein, N. J.	421	34		31			
2 Paterson Turnverein, N. J.	114	16			14		
3 Hudson City Turnverein, N. J.	35						
4 Hoboken Turnverein, N. J.	60	26			17	24	20
5 Vorwaerts Turnverein, Elizabeth, N. J.	500	58		94	48	118	126
6 Union Hill Turnverein, N. J.	160	80	12	58	12	35	10
7 Greenville Turnverein, Jersey City, N. J.	120	6	10	10	8	21	13
8 New Brunswick Turnverein, N. J.	115	14					16
9 Carlstadt Turnverein, N. J.	100	12		12	8	40	40
10 Passaic Turnverein, N. J. *	425	56	50	42	18	65	90
11 Trenton Turnerbund, N. J.	60	15	5	8			
Total, January 1, 1926.....	2110	317	77	255	125	303	315
Total, January 1, 1925.....	2091	292	52	271	109	249	215
Increase		19	25		16	54	100
Decrease							

* Sinking Fund \$6600.

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Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	2	220	30		325	\$ 371,453	\$ 96,673	\$ 468,126	\$ 131,750	14
2	1	12			223	30,000	1,500	31,500	29,000	
3	1					12,000	3,000	15,000	13,500	6
4	1	49		14	356	76,000	5,000	81,000	81,000	3
5	1				100	8,000	1,500	9,500	9,500	3
6		30				13,154	1,000	14,154	14,154	1
7	1	14			200	60,000	1,500	61,500	31,500	2
8	1	15	16		650	65,000	2,000	67,000	44,500	15
9	1									
10	1		49	20			400	400	400	
....	10	340	95	34	1854	\$ 635,607	\$ 112,573	\$ 748,180	\$ 355,304	44
48	9	315	55		2295	608,794	93,597	702,391	341,980	
....	1	25	40	34		26,813	18,976	45,789	13,324	
48					441					

8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	1	35			200	\$ 63,425	\$ 11,720	\$ 75,145	\$ 44,709	5
2	2	20			200	14,000	2,500	16,500	12,000	1
3						8,000	100	8,100	8,100	
4	2	2			300	14,000	2,900	16,900	13,450	1
5	1	80			260	50,000	5,000	55,000	55,000	8
6	1	21			65	55,000	5,000	60,000	8,000	3
7	1					18,000	1,500	19,500	18,200	1
8		50				10,800	700	11,500	8,500	3
9	2			15		20,000	2,000	22,000	21,000	2
10	1	56				47,000	13,000	60,000	56,000	5
11	1			10			500	500	300	1
....	12	264		25	1025	\$ 300,225	\$ 44,920	\$ 345,145	\$ 245,259	30
....	7	277		19	922	284,825	45,420	330,245	285,571	
....	5			6	103	15,400		14,900		
....		13					500		40,312	

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
Pittsburgh District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Allegheny Turnverein, Pittsburgh, Pa.....	194	12	.....	14	.....	12	24
2 Johnstown Turnverein, Pa.	240	21	.....	61	17	40	73
3 Central Athletic Assn., Pittsburgh, Pa.....	162	15	2	72	.....	.....	.....
4 Beaver Falls Turnverein, Pa. *	240	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5 Steubenville Turnverein, Ohio	71	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6 McKeesport Turn & Gesang-Verein, Pa.....	435	54	16	59	17	72	68
7 South Side Turnverein, Pittsburgh, Pa. †	250	16	7	16	24	40	61
8 East Liverpool Turnverein, Ohio	40	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
9 Allentown Turnverein, Pa.	200	30	.....	20	20	52	73
10 Birmingham Turnverein, Pittsburgh, Pa.....	105	22	.....	28	12	20	52
11 Jeannette Turnverein, Pa.	150	6	.....	.....	6	33	25
12 Eintracht Turnverein, Homestead, Pa.....	380	.....	.....	15	19	26	53
13 Mt. Oliver Turnverein, Pittsburgh, Pa.....	50	.....	.....	.....	24	22	24
14 Troy Hill Turnverein, Pittsburgh, Pa.....	48	48	.....	9	14	15	45
15 Monaca Turnverein, Pa.	216	25	.....	16	18	28	48
16 Braddock Central Turn & G. V., Pa. ‡	176	16	.....	6	25	10	.....
17 Monongahela Turn & Gesang-Verein, Pa....	150	18	.....	20	22	47	124
18 East Pittsburgh Turnverein, Pa.	190	20	.....	23	25	55	67
19 Rochester Turnverein, Pa.	100	15	.....	.....	.....	20	.....
20 Charleroi Turnverein, Pa.	300	32	.....	20	.....	39	32
21 Monessen Turnverein, Pa. §	119	22	10	18	12	18	26
22 Beethoven S.&T. Society, Wheeling, W.Va.	53	17	.....	.....	2	12	.....
Total, January 1, 1926.....	3869	403	35	397	257	561	795
Total, January 1, 1925.....	3804	244	65	383	204	443	623
Increase	65	159	.....	14	53	118	172
Decrease			30				

* Sinking Fund \$500. † Sinking Fund \$3000. § Sinking Fund \$1000.
‡ 1925 Report.

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	Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1		1	.....	.....	.....	30	\$ 44,000	\$ 1,500	\$ 45,500	\$ 22,000	6
2		1	85	.....	.....	75	70,000	15,410	85,410	85,410	1
3		1	35	.....	.....	.....	250,000	2,321	252,321	122,321	4
4							30,000	2,500	32,500	32,500	5
5							12,000	500	12,500	12,500	1
6		1	120	20	40	85	117,000	22,000	139,000	121,000	8
7		1	.....	16	.....	200	65,000	16,000	81,000	81,000	5
8		1	.....	12	.....	.....	16,000	2,000	18,000	15,000	.....
9		1	12	18	.....	.....	85,000	10,000	95,000	75,000	2
10		1	4	.....	.....	500	75,000	5,000	80,000	67,500	.....
11							25,000	2,000	27,000	27,000	3
12		1	.....	6	.....	.....	40,000	5,000	45,000	42,000	7
13		1	.....	.....	.....	.....	9,500	1,500	11,000	8,700	4
14		2	.....	.....	.....	178	5,600	1,100	6,700	5,700	.....
15		1	.....	.....	.....	350	22,750	5,000	27,750	27,750	1
16		1	12	.....	.....	150	20,700	5,000	25,700	15,700	.....
17		1	.....	.....	.....	.....	20,000	5,000	25,000	25,000	.....
18		1	25	.....	20	20	40,000	5,000	45,000	33,500	5
19		1	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,000	1,200	16,200	16,200	.....
20		1	.....	.....	.....	100	40,000	10,000	50,000	50,000	4
21		1	.....	.....	.....	.....	50,000	5,000	55,000	40,000	2
22		1	.....	23	6	.....	800	200	1,000	1,000	.....
		20	293	95	66	1688	\$1,053,350	\$ 123,231	\$1,176,581	\$ 926,781	58
		18	323	62	56	1292	777,550	203,609	981,159	878,859	
		2		33	10	396	275,800		195,422	47,922	
			30					80,378			

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
Kansas-Missouri District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 St. Joseph Gymnastic Society, Mo.....	92	18	.....	28	.....	.....	.....
2 Kansas City Socialer Turnverein, Mo.....	150	50	20	20	.....	15	15
3 Bern Turnverein, Kans.	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4 Lawrence Turnverein, Kans.	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, January 1, 1926.....	298	68	20	48	.....	15	15
Total, January 1, 1925.....	323	73	15	47	.....	12	15
Increase .....	.....	.....	5	1	.....	3	.....
Decrease	25	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Minnesota District							
1 New Ulm Turnverein, Minn. *	119	38	18	30	42	118	218
2 St. Anthony Turnverein, Minn.	90	27	12	27	.....	23	32
3 St. Paul Turnverein, Minn.	162	48	13	180	38	67	191
Total, January 1, 1926.....	371	113	43	237	80	208	441
Total, January 1, 1925.....	398	111	56	393	93	179	362
Increase		2				29	79
Decrease	27		13	156	13		

Sinking Fund \$600.

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	Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1			15	.....	.....	450	\$ 45,000	\$ 3,000	\$ 48,000	\$ 42,500	1
2		1	40	.....	.....	400	90,000	6,600	96,600	96,600	5
3							2,000	50	2,050	2,050	.....
4						140	6,000	500	6,500	6,500	2
.....		1	55	.....	.....	990	\$ 143,000	\$ 10,150	\$ 153,150	\$ 147,650	8
.....			52	.....	.....	1050	143,000	10,600	153,600	148,100	.....
.....		1	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....						60	.....	450	450	450	.....

	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	14	1	105	.....	.....	2000	\$ 45,000	\$ 3,000	\$ 48,000	\$ 48,000	2
2	.....	1	52	.....	.....	130	24,000	2,000	26,000	24,450	1
3	.....	1	56	.....	.....	320	30,000	2,000	32,000	32,000	2
.....	14	3	213			2450	\$ 99,000	\$ 7,000	\$ 106,000	\$ 104,450	5
.....		3	208			2445	99,000	7,000	106,000	104,500	
14			5			5					
.....										\$ 50	

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
Upper Mississippi District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Davenport Turngemeinde, Iowa	506	38	30	132	12	100	72
2 Northwest Davenport Turnverein, Iowa	408	31	18	54	24	104	105
3 Clinton Turnverein, Iowa	226	18	29	151	17	33	45
4 Holstein Turnverein, Iowa	140	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
5 East Davenport Turnverein, Iowa	155	12	19	21	12	19	7
6 Eldridge Turnverein, Iowa	62	62	.....	19	15	18	18
7 Burlington Turngemeinde, Iowa	500	18	18	7	36	15	16
8 Rock Island Turngemeinde, Ill.	27	.....	6	.....	.....	.....	.....
9 Concordia-Germania T. V., Moline, Ill....	375	22	24	73	10	37	44
10 Keystone Turnverein, Iowa	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, January 1, 1926.....	2419	226	144	457	126	326	307
Total, January 1, 1925.....	2530	168	69	405	126	306	231
Increase .....	.....	58	75	52	.....	20	76
Decrease	111	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Rocky Mountain District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Leadville Turnverein, Colo.	62	32	.....	36	28	42	.....
2 Denver Turnverein, Colo. *	350	65	.....	220	.....	39	42
3 Socialer Turnverein, Denver, Colo. †	40	8	.....	16	.....	20	35
Total, January 1, 1926.....	452	105	.....	272	28	101	77
Total, January 1, 1925.....	450	107		268	38	113	119
Increase	2			4			
Decrease		2			10	12	42

* 1925 Report. † 1924 Report.

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Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	1	198	20	24	3000	\$ 175,000	\$ 12,500	\$ 187,500	\$ 142,500	11
2	1	214	21	.....	.....	30,000	7,500	37,500	37,500	5
3	1	67	.....	.....	.....	150,000	2,733	152,733	75,733	4
4 ....	.....	44	10	10	.....	22,500	2,500	25,000	22,500	.....
5	1	100	.....	.....	.....	10,000	200	10,200	8,800	.....
6	1	55	.....	11	.....	.....	200	200	200	.....
7	1	49	28	.....	.....	43,000	6,500	49,500	41,500	14
8 ....	.....	27	.....	.....	.....	20,000	100	20,100	20,100	.....
9	2	170	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3
10 ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,900	200	4,100	2,900	.....
.....	8	924	101	45	3000	\$ 454,400	\$ 32,433	\$ 486,833	\$ 351,733	37
.....	7	733	116	44	3300	486,000	33,929	519,929	374,229	.....
.....	1	191	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	15	.....	300	31,600	1,496	33,096	22,496	.....

8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	1	.....	.....	.....	92	\$ 2,500	\$ 800	\$ 3,300	\$ 3,300	.....
2	1	225	30	.....	900	60,000	5,000	65,000	41,000	.....
3	1						500	500	500	
.....	3	225	30		992	\$ 62,500	\$ 6,300	\$ 68,800	\$ 44,800	
.....	3	225	30		1020	62,500	6,300	68,800	44,800	
.....										
.....					28					

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
New Orleans District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 New Orleans Turnverein	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, January 1, 1926	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, January 1, 1925	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Increase .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Decrease .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pacific District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Sacramento Turnverein, Calif.	155	31	23	50	8	21	12
2 Oakland Turnverein, Calif.	77	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
3 San Francisco Spartan Club, Calif.	69	42	.....	27	16	.....	.....
4 San Francisco Gymnastic Club, Calif.	160	50	35	100	8	110	120
5 San Francisco Turn Abt. Deutscher Ver...	60	40	.....	20	.....	.....	.....
6 San Francisco Mission Turnverein, Calif...	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, January 1, 1926.....	536	163	58	197	32	131	132
Total, January 1, 1925.....	480	143	47	166	30	136	122
Increase	56	20	11	31	2		10
Decrease						5	

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	Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	.....	.....	30	24	.....	150	\$ 4,000	\$ 1,710	\$ 5,710	\$ 5,710	1
.....	.....	.....	30	24	.....	150	\$ 4,000	\$ 1,710	\$ 5,710	\$ 5,710	1
.....	.....	.....	20	20	.....	.....	4,000	1,700	5,700	5,700	.....
.....	.....	.....	10	4	.....	150	.....	10	10	10	.....
.....											
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	4	1	75	34	.....	25	\$ 56,030	\$ 148,760	\$ 204,790	\$ 204,790	3
2	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	50	36,000	500	36,500	24,500	1
3	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	1,000	1,000	1,000	.....
4	.....	1	65	.....	.....	1000	110,000	8,000	118,000	62,000	5
5	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	552	552	552	.....
6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	4	4	140	74	.....	1275	\$ 202,030	\$ 158,812	\$ 360,842	\$ 292,842	9
16	3	105	55			1350	182,000	126,089	308,089	242,089	
.....	1	35	19				20,030	32,723	52,753	50,753	
12						75					

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
Connecticut District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 New Haven Turnverein, Conn.	15						
2 Meriden Turnverein, Conn.	125	16		30			
3 Hartford Turnerbund, Conn.	120	25					20
4 Vorwaerts Turnverein	45	10	5	20			
5 Holyoke Turnverein, Mass. *	188	33		46	8	28	26
6 Taftville Maennerchor Turnsektion, Conn.	20	10					17
7 Derby Turnverein, Conn.	55	6				2	
8 New Britain Turnverein, Conn.	48		12				
Total, January 1, 1926.....	616	100	17	96	8	30	63
Total, January 1, 1925.....	578	58	20	72	7	30	39
Increase	38	42		24	1		24
Decrease			3				

Sinking Fund \$4,000.

Lake Erie District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Cleveland Socialer Turnverein, Ohio.....	460	63	53	123	35	123	217
2 Cleveland Germania Vorwaerts T. V., Ohio	275	57	57	184	22	48	64
3 Detroit Socialer Turnverein, Mich.	1200	130	24	120	12	24	24
4 Akron Turnverein, Ohio	217	23	27	32	18	38	36
5 Grand Rapids Turnverein, Mich.	70						
Total, January 1, 1926.....	2222	273	161	459	87	233	341
Total, January 1, 1925.....	1764	287	129	519	99	304	331
Increase	458		32				10
Decrease		14		60	12	71	

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Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1						\$ 500	\$ 500	\$ 500		
2	1	33	24			18,623	2,683	21,306	18,806	4
3	1	50			130	35,000	5,000	40,000	32,500	
4	1	30			100	10,000	500	10,500	6,500	
5	1	128			1200	53,000	7,500	60,500	50,500	4
6	1						700	700	700	
7	1						500	500	500	2
8					250	10,100	200	10,300	10,300	1
	6	241	24		1680	\$ 126,723	\$ 17,583	\$ 144,306	\$ 120,306	11
	3	226	24		640	141,632	16,633	158,265	137,772	
	3	15			1040		950			
						14,909		13,959	17,466	

	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	....	1	70	50	30	300	\$ 78,150	\$ 6,500	\$ 84,650	\$ 84,650	11
2	14	1	120	25	.....	265	75,000	3,700	78,700	76,200	4
3	....	1	52	45	12	325	150,000	2,500	152,500	152,500	10
4	....	1	57	.....	.....	100	34,309	3,000	37,309	33,809	2
5	....	.....	15	18	.....	185	12,000	2,000	14,000	12,000	1
	14	4	314	138	42	1175	\$ 349,459	\$ 17,700	\$ 367,159	\$ 359,159	28
	8	4	292	145	23	579	272,174	29,991	302,165	261,704	
	6		22		19	596	77,285		64,994	97,455	
	...			7				12,291			

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
Western New York District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Rochester Turnverein, N. Y.....	156	20	18	53	.....	27	20
2 Syracuse Turnverein, N. Y.....	854	70	31	142	42	91	137
3 Utica Turnverein, N. Y.....	88	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
4 Auburn Turnverein, N. Y.....	235	8	.....	.....	16	8	.....
5 Buffalo Turnverein, N. Y.....	403	62	40	238	39	91	89
Total, January 1, 1926.....	1736	195	89	433	97	217	246
Total, January 1, 1925.....	1552	174	122	425	106	212	246
Increase	184	21	.....	8	.....	5	.....
Decrease .....	.....	.....	33	.....	9	.....	.....

Ohio District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Cincinnati Turngemeinde, Ohio	166	40	12	62	54	12	16
2 Dayton Turnverein, Ohio	151	44	10	106	28	37	66
3 Covington Turngemeinde, Ky.	185	16	12	14	.....	.....	.....
4 Newport Gymnastic Society, Ky.	118	31	55	109	61	68	74
5 Norwood Turnverein, Ohio	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6 Columbus Germania Turnverein	35	18	.....	8	.....	.....	.....
7 Northwest Gymnastic Society, Cincinnati..	35	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, January 1, 1926.....	698	155	89	299	143	117	156
Total, January 1, 1925.....	719	127	61	288	53	101	148
Increase		28	28	11	90	16	8
Decrease	21						

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	Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	...	1	57	.....	.....	300	\$ 40,000	\$ 2,000	\$ 42,000	\$ 40,500	5
2	...	1	190	.....	.....	290	130,000	20,000	150,000	150,000	13
3	...		11	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,000	5,000	5,000	.....
4	...						9,500	1,200	10,700	10,700	4
5	...	1	180	.....	.....	700	29,180	9,995	39,175	25,447	8
		3	438	.....	.....	1290	\$ 208,680	\$ 38,195	\$ 246,875	\$ 231,647	30
		3	409	.....	.....	1278	169,180	37,840	207,020	190,624	.....
			29	.....	.....	12	39,500	355	39,855	41,023	.....
											

	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1		1	38	.....	.....	.....	\$ 70,000	\$ 500	\$ 70,500	\$ 55,500	3
2		1	75	.....	15	200	20,000	3,500	23,500	20,000	2
3		1	57	.....	.....	.....	20,000	1,500	21,500	21,500	1
4		1	55	70	15	120	31,000	4,000	35,000	15,500	.....
5		1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,500	1,500	1,500	.....
6		1	.....	20	.....	.....	1,000	100	1,100	600	3
7		1	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,000	1,250	6,250	5,050	.....
		7	225	90	30	320	\$ 147,000	\$ 12,350	\$ 159,350	\$ 119,650	9
		5	298	94	15	490	140,000	7,800	147,800	107,800	
		2			15		7,000	4,550	11,550	11,850	
			73	4		170					

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	Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
South Central District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Chattanooga Turnverein, Tenn.	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, January 1, 1926.....	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, January 1, 1925.....	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Increase .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Decrease	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

North Pacific District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Seattle Gymnastic Society, Wash.	150	45	20	96	15	40	36
2 Sozialer Turnverein, Portland, Ore.	360	85	71	400	16	156	297
Total, January 1, 1926.....	510	130	91	496	31	196	333
Total, January 1, 1925.....	493	123	103	498	30	203	295
Increase	17	7	.....	.....	1	.....	38
Decrease .....	.....	.....	12	2	.....	7	.....

Southern California District	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1 Germania Turnverein, Los Angeles, Calif..	588	146	73	282	26	81	82
2 Concordia Turnverein, San Diego, Calif..	110	16	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
3 Turnabteilung Anaheim Concordia	12	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total, January 1, 1926.....	710	174	73	287	26	81	82
Total, January 1, 1925.....	672	126	59	243	38	73	70
Increase	38	48	14	44		8	12
Decrease					12		

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	Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1						175	\$ 25,000	\$ 1,000	\$ 26,000	\$ 26,000	6
						175	\$ 25,000	\$ 1,000	\$ 26,000	\$ 26,000	6
						180	25,000	1,000	26,000	26,000	.....
						5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	2	1	32	.....	.....	800	\$ 22,087	\$ 1,000	\$ 23,087	\$ 23,087	2
2	....	1	33	60	.....	150	190,000	5,000	195,000	115,000	3
	2	2	65	60	.....	950	\$ 212,087	\$ 6,000	\$ 218,087	\$ 138,087	5
	....	2	69	42	.....	800	220,000	9,000	229,000	139,000	.....
	2	.....	.....	18	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	7,913	3,000	10,913	913	.....

	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
1	18	1	128	72	.....	1500	\$ 535,000	\$ 35,000	\$ 570,000	\$ 335,000	8
2	....	1	60	20	10	250	21,688	3,105	24,793	24,793	2
3	....	.....	.....	25	12	.....	25,000	1,000	26,000	11,000	1
	18	2	188	117	22	1750	\$ 581,688	\$ 39,105	\$ 620,793	\$ 370,793	11
	8	2	166	84	10	1845	370,000	10,000	380,000	377,900	
	10		22	33	12		211,688	29,105	240,793		
						95				7,107	

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RECAPITULATION		Number of Members January 1, 1926	Men's Classes (Actives)	Senior Men's Classes (Business Men)	Women's Classes	Junior Classes (Youths)	Boys' Classes	Girls' Classes
Total by Districts		1	2	3	4	5	6	7
1	New York	1735	395	120	762	110	639	753
2	Indiana	1540	165	120	397	133	292	392
3	St. Louis	3812	620	418	1368	349	1011	1187
4	New England	2267	312	18	258	114	310	505
5	Wisconsin	1343	329	150	429	80	354	723
6	Illinois	2728	639	218	872	297	486	499
7	Philadelphia	2593	345	188	337	177	363	276
8	New Jersey	2110	317	77	255	125	303	315
9	Pittsburgh	3869	403	35	397	257	561	795
10	Kansas-Missouri	298	68	20	48	.....	15	15
11	Minnesota	371	113	43	237	80	208	441
12	Upper Mississippi	2419	226	144	457	126	326	307
13	Rocky Mountain	452	105	.....	272	28	101	77
14	New Orleans	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15	Pacific	536	163	58	197	32	131	132
16	Connecticut	616	100	17	96	8	30	63
17	Lake Erie	2222	273	161	459	87	233	341
18	Western New York	1736	195	89	433	97	217	246
19	Ohio	698	155	89	299	143	117	156
20	South Central	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
21	North Pacific	510	130	91	496	31	196	333
22	Southern California	710	174	73	287	26	81	82
Total, January 1, 1926.....		32715	5227	2129	8356	2300	5974	7638
Total, January 1, 1925.....		31912	4587	1910	8588	2201	5991	6857
Increase		803	640	219		99		781
Decrease					232		17	

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	Fencing Section	Instructors	Women's Auxiliary	Singing Section	Dramatic Section	Volumes in library	Value of building and grounds	Value of apparatus, furniture, library, and other property	Total value of property	Net value, deducting all liabilities	Members deceased during past year	No. Societies in District
	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
1	25	8	240	133	23	2925	\$ 626,473	\$ 50,186	\$ 676,659	\$ 405,790	30	9
2	.....	7	443	25	70	1785	269,500	63,700	333,200	313,200	24	7
3	.....	10	381	.....	136	7700	612,720	48,380	661,100	457,625	34	14
4	.....	9	763	259	127	5207	445,500	60,650	506,150	384,680	41	15
5	22	8	374	53	44	2969	163,500	44,000	207,500	191,250	14	8
6	85	19	509	82	50	3605	907,379	86,497	993,876	678,553	37	19
7	.....	10	340	95	34	1854	635,607	112,573	748,180	355,304	44	10
8	.....	12	264	.....	25	1025	300,225	44,920	345,145	245,259	30	11
9	.....	20	293	95	66	1688	1,053,350	123,231	1,176,581	926,781	58	22
10	.....	1	55	.....	.....	990	143,000	10,150	153,150	147,650	8	4
11	14	3	213	.....	.....	2450	99,000	7,000	106,000	104,450	5	3
12	.....	8	924	101	45	3000	454,400	32,433	486,833	351,733	37	10
13	.....	3	225	30	.....	992	62,500	6,300	68,800	44,800	.....	3
14	.....	.....	30	24	.....	150	4,000	1,710	5,710	5,710	1	1
15	4	4	140	74	.....	1275	202,030	158,812	360,842	292,842	9	6
16	.....	6	241	24	.....	1680	126,723	17,583	144,306	120,306	11	8
17	14	4	314	138	42	1175	349,459	17,700	367,159	359,159	28	5
18	.....	3	438	.....	.....	1290	208,680	38,195	246,875	231,647	30	5
19	.....	7	225	90	30	320	147,000	12,350	159,350	119,650	9	7
20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	175	25,000	1,000	26,000	26,000	6	1
21	2	2	65	60	.....	950	212,087	6,000	218,087	138,087	5	2
22	18	2	188	117	22	1750	581,688	39,105	620,793	370,793	11	3
184	237	146	6665	1400	714	44955	\$7,629,821	\$982,475	\$8,612,296	\$6,271,269	472	173
.....	.....	116	6605	1268	481	44844	6,657,697	998,374	7,656,071	5,892,684	.....	.....
.....	.....	30	60	132	233	111	972,124	.....	956,225	378,585	.....	.....
53	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,899	.....	.....	.....	.....

AMERICAN TURNERBUND PRICE-LIST OF SUPPLIES

The articles in this list may be procured from the National Executive Committee. All orders, from No. 1 to 13, inclusive, should be sent to Wm. Voelker, Secretary, 1812 Evans Street, McKeesport, Pa. State whether ENGLISH or GERMAN is wanted.

1. Fundamental Principles and Statutes of the American Turnerbund (English or German). $4\frac{1}{2} \times 6$ inches; 32 pages. \$4.00 a hundred.

2. Brief History of the American Turnerbund. By Henry Metzner. Translated by Theo. Stempfel, Jr. 6×9 inches; 56 pages. English only. 25 cents a copy.

3. Work of the Turner Societies. By Ernst A. Weier. $5\frac{1}{2} \times 8$ inches; 32 pages. \$2.50 a hundred.

4. "Turn with the Turners." Pamphlet advertising the work of Turner Societies. Illustrated. $4\frac{1}{2} \times 6$ inches; 16 pages. \$3.00 a hundred, plus postage.

5. Applications for Membership. Four-page leaflets with attractive front page and synopsis of the Principles of the American Turnerbund. $3\frac{1}{2} \times 6\frac{1}{4}$ inches. 80 cents a hundred.

(The old form of Application Blanks, printed in both languages, will be furnished free on request.)

6. Hangers for opening and schedule of hours of Turning Schools. Four-page leaflet. \$1.50 a hundred.

7. Emblems—gold, silver or bronze, either with pin back or screw button back. $\frac{1}{8}$ -inch in diameter. These may be had round or with apron (latter for engraving a few letters). These emblems can be used for prizes at class competitions, field days, etc. Gold, 75 cents each; silver, 60 cents each; bronze, 25 cents each.

8. Electrotypes of the Official Seal of the American Turnerbund, with Discus Thrower and Motto, may be had in several sizes; $\frac{3}{4}$ -inch, 1-inch, $1\frac{1}{4}$ -inch, $1\frac{1}{2}$ -inch, 2-inch, and $2\frac{1}{4}$ -inch. 75 cents each.

9. Various Diplomas, very artistic in design, are in stock. Diploma "A" is to be used for district tournaments. Diploma "B" is for society affairs. Both "A" and "B" may be had in English or German, and both may be had with the necessary printing or with heading only; these are 15 cents apiece. Diploma "C" is for children's classes; English or German, at 8 cents apiece. Diploma "D" is for 25 years' membership, and may be had in English or German, at 25 cents apiece; this diploma can also be had without printing except the heading, to be used for 30 or 40 years' membership, etc. Diplomas for 50 years' membership, very artistically engrossed, are issued by the National Executive Committee, upon application, free of charge.

10. The New Official Cloth Pennant, for National, District, or Society affairs, can be had at 50 cents apiece. This new pennant is made of the very best imported German material; it is guaranteed not to fade or shrink, a decided improvement over the felt pennant used in former years.

11. A very artistically designed poster, 14×22 inches, has been added to the list of supplies. This poster can be used for any and all District or Society affairs; there is plenty of room for any kind of printed matter; it will be furnished for \$6.00 a hundred.

12. The 1926 Address Book of the American Turnerbund, containing the names and addresses of the National Executive Committee members, its various standing committees, the names and addresses of the district secretaries, and of all the societies in the Turnerbund, is ready for distribution. This booklet will be furnished at \$2.00 a hundred.

13. A Life of Friedrich Ludwig Jahn, only in German, by Fr. Guntram Schultheiss, clothbound, can be furnished for \$1.50. A book about the Turners in the German Revolution of 1848-49, also in German only, by Fritz Eckardt, bound in boards, can be furnished for 75 cents.

