

Linsford February 22, 1967

Dear relative Ruth,

Thank you very much for
your letter last Christmas. I under-
stand that you are under great
stress for same heart-failure
and now would like to know if
any of your uncles or aunts ~~are~~
on your mother's side have the
same heart-failure.
I shall try to answer your
question as much as I know
about these things

Petter Schellström (born 1869,
died 1935) his daughter Eva told
me that he had heart-failure
~~and died after a but when '16~~
died very sudden.

Alarik Schellström (born 1871, died
1945) got heart-failure when
he was in his thirties. He died
heavy work and died very
sudden.

Emma Schellström, married Karlsson
(1877-1942) died in cancer

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Alma Schenström, married Lidberg,
also died in Cancer. Born 1878,
dead 1951.

Johan Schenström (born 1883, dead 1938)
also ~~died~~ had heart failure.
Died suddenly during work. His
eldest son Kjell died in child-
hood. All his other children (9)
are alright. His wife Johanna
is still alive.

Magnus Schenström (1886-1928).
He died, only 42 years old, after
a train-accident on ~~the~~ his way
to his Late Father Christofer's
place, where the distribution
of the inheritance should take
place.

Olga Schenström, married Johanson.
She was the youngest of the
sisters and brothers. She became
my wife (I used to say that
she was the most precious
result of my employment at
Rusksele). Meningitis in connection
with high blood pressure ended
her life in 1941. She was born
1888. 25 years have passed
since then.

I have now tried to write as much as I know about your mother's sisters and brothers in Sweden. It might not be very encouraging to read for someone not feeling healthy. But as your doctor seem to be interested to know, I wanted to write as much as I know.

We must remember that our lives are in God's hand.

Now I should mention something about the relatives still alive. Some of them we met during our visit at Wilhelmine 1965. We stayed at Elsa Danielsson, Aunt Emma's youngest daughter, and her husband. She has started a bakery. They have a son and a daughter. Both are married, so now Emma is a grandmother. The son is a teacher, so is his wife. The daughter now live close to Umeå (I think). At Storuman we also met many of Johan's children. Also mother Johanna was there. In Lycksele lives Olga Holmgren, Aunt Emma's second daughter. Hedda, the eldest daughter lives at Ruskesele, where

Also uncle Marius son Gustav
lives. We didn't meet him, as
he was out moose-hunting.
At Wilhelmina we met uncle
Petter's children Bengt and Sverre
and also Ruth living in Strömstad
At Storlien we met uncle Johan's
son Otto Jönsson. We met
around 30 relatives driving out
trip to north Sweden

I will also tell you some-
thing about my own family
here. First, my daughter is living
with me. She just turned 30.
Ruth her sister has been five
in Stockholm for a long period
she is married to Wilco and
have 2 children, Sigvard and
Marie. Even, my eldest child
has some problem with his
balance and speech. He sits
most of the time in wheel-chair
he and Sverre, his wife have
got 2 children, Berit and
Karin

This was a little of
everything. I hope that you
will recover. I send this letter
with many greetings to you and your
family

Yours sincerely
Uncle Johan