



THE CHALLENGE OF 1952

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IN this special supplement we are happy to share with the readers of the **NORTHERN LIGHT** some of the inspiring figures which our statisticians here in the Division office have been preparing for us. They relate to the year 1952, the second year of our present Division's existence.

Readers will rejoice with us over the increase in tithe and offerings. They will appreciate with us not only the financial help that this has given to the world-wide work, and to the conferences and missions of our own Division particularly, but also the generous, self-sacrificing spirit in the lives of the members, that has actuated these gifts. It is certain that the givers, as well as those who receive the message through their gifts, will be greatly blessed.

The total tithe for 1952 represents an increase over 1951 of \$30,566.17. It would be only right, however, to call attention to the column which shows that the per capita weekly tithe has dropped from \$.50 to \$.48. This is largely due to the fact that seventy per cent of our baptisms for 1952 have come from the West African Union, where the average income is very much less than in our home unions. As the percentage of mission field members increases in comparison with our European constituency, and until economic conditions in those fields rise to a level comparable with those in Europe this disparity may reasonably be expected. We wish, of course, that the growth of membership in our home unions might keep pace with that in the mission fields, but for the present this wish seems rather sanguine.

Another very encouraging feature is that the percentage relationship of mission offerings to tithe has risen from 47 per cent to 48.6 in 1952.

Harvest Ingathering, in most fields, is upward. The increase for the Division is \$19,833.78 We particularly commend the British Union for their notable achievement in raising \$111,378.33.

The Publishing Department reports a gain in book sales of \$90,551.11. We rejoice over the added pages of our literature,

the half year of its operation it has given more treatments than the number of persons in the city where it is located.

Of all the figures, those that make us the happiest are the baptisms. During 1952 there were 4,290. To West Africa goes the credit for the greater part of these. Three thousand and eleven, or 70 per cent of all our baptisms took place in that union. The following are the figures of the Division membership as divided among the various unions and missions:

Membership Report for the Year 1952

	Baptisms for 1952	Net Increase for 1952	Church Membership December 31, 1952
British Union	360	139	6936
East Nordic Union	292	-49	8290
Ethiopian Union Mission	118	113	858
Netherlands Union	106	52	2225
Polish Union	116	116	3150
West African Union Mission	3011	2570	14268
West Nordic Union	275	82	8392
Iceland Mission	12	6	366
Total	4290	3029	44485

that this largely represents, in the homes where our colporteurs have entered.

In our hospitals and treatment rooms there were treated a total of 247,380 patients. Of this number 135,661 were treated in our mission hospitals and clinics of West Africa and Ethiopia. The new clinic in Tromsø right up in the Arctic Circle, is deserving of special mention. In

And so we present these figures to you for your careful and prayerful study. We rejoice over the gains that so many represent, but we believe that there are even greater achievements ahead if, with an eye on God's great clock and on the needy world around us, we will throw ourselves whole-heartedly into the task that still remains to be done.

STATISTICAL REPORT OF THE NORTHERN EUROPEAN DIVISION FOR THE YEAR 1952

NAME OF CONFERENCE OR MISSION	No. of Churches	Membership of Previous Report	GAINS			Total Gain	LOSSES			Total Losses	Net Gain	Present Membership	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Missionary Credentialed	Other Workers	Average No. of Catechists	Total Workers	No. Sabbath- Schools	Sabbath-School Membership
			By Baptism	By Vote	By Letter		By Apostasy	By Death	By Letter											
NORTHERN EUROPEAN DIVISION																				
BRITISH UNION CONFERENCE																				
British Union	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13	4	10	27	—	54	—	—	
South England	50	3711	171	33	68	272	75	69	83	227	45	3756	21	16	—	22	48	107	67	3332
North England	40	2068	103	18	40	161	40	51	39	130	31	2099	18	13	—	16	38	85	60	1931
Welsh Mission	9	459	41	—	10	51	5	14	11	30	21	480	5	5	—	3	11	24	13	419
Scottish Mission	5	370	30	6	5	41	2	5	4	11	30	400	4	4	—	2	13	23	4	352
Irish Mission	3	189	15	5	10	30	8	5	5	18	12	201	3	3	—	6	7	19	5	187
Total 1952	107	6797	360	62	133	555	130	144	142	416	139	6936	64	45	10	76	117	312	149	6221
Total 1951	106	6666	307	95	204	606	122	155	198	475	131	6797	57	47	31	51	87	273	148	6115
EAST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE																				
East Nordic Union	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	14	2	—	36	—	52	—	—
North Swedish	33	1810	35	16	28	79	27	57	22	106	-27	1783	8	6	—	13	6	33	50	1625
South Swedish	27	1596	47	4	20	71	46	31	20	97	-26	1570	11	3	—	7	15	36	44	1448
Finland-Swedish	15	575	27	1	4	32	14	11	3	28	4	579	2	2	—	4	5	13	32	477
West Finland	16	2242	71	6	15	92	38	25	33	96	-4	2238	4	2	—	14	48	68	44	2212
East Finland	23	2116	112	6	21	139	81	32	22	135	4	2120	4	4	—	12	40	60	46	1980
Total 1952	114	8339	292	33	88	413	206	156	100	462	-49	8290	43	19	—	86	114	262	216	7742
Total 1951	112	8161	465	50	89	604	165	150	111	426	178	8339	39	20	7	61	102	229	204	7574
ETHIOPIAN UNION MISSION																				
Arussi	1	21	25	—	—	25	—	—	2	2	23	44	2	1	1	7	—	11	1	60
Begemder	4	356	18	—	—	18	2	1	—	3	15	371	1	—	2	10	—	13	6	577
Eritrea	2	129	25	—	—	25	—	—	—	—	25	154	3	—	—	17	—	20	2	100
Shoa	1	123	7	—	—	7	—	—	—	—	7	130	2	3	6	26	—	37	2	508
Wollega	1	116	43	—	—	43	—	—	—	—	43	159	1	—	3	12	—	16	3	175
Total 1952	9	745	118	—	—	118	2	1	2	5	113	858	9	4	12	72	—	97	14	1420
Total 1951	9	654	91	1	2	94	—	3	—	3	91	745	9	15	10	40	—	74	12	1261
NETHERLAND UNION CONFERENCE																				
North Netherland	20	1171	45	9	68	122	19	6	78	103	19	1190	4	5	—	7	14	30	20	902
South Netherland	17	1002	61	4	58	123	30	4	56	90	33	1035	4	3	—	5	13	25	17	885
Total 1952	37	2173	106	13	126	245	49	10	134	193	52	2225	8	8	—	12	27	55	37	1787
Total 1951	36	2150	92	17	88	197	71	19	84	174	23	2173	13	17	—	28	24	82	56	1550
POLISH UNION CONFERENCE																				
Total 1952	81	3034	116	—	—	116	—	—	—	—	116	3150	14	9	—	43	—	66	81	3475
Total 1951	81	2854	181	8	57	246	4	5	57	66	180	3034	14	9	—	23	20	66	—	—
WEST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE																				
West Nordic Union	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10	4	—	37	—	51	—	—
East Danish	28	1973	55	2	42	99	29	21	42	92	7	1980	8	3	—	22	10	43	34	1692
West Danish	41	1717	78	28	29	135	13	22	33	68	67	1784	8	5	—	19	16	48	61	2540
East Norway	38	2546	81	24	22	127	69	60	22	151	-24	2522	9	5	—	17	19	50	43	2001
West Norway	14	1269	36	4	16	56	4	19	14	37	19	1288	3	5	—	8	11	27	17	1074
North Norway	22	805	25	1	20	46	5	10	18	33	13	818	3	5	—	8	4	20	40	882
Total 1952	143	8310	275	59	129	463	120	132	129	381	82	8392	41	27	—	111	60	239	195	8189
Total 1951	143	8231	296	58	171	525	122	140	184	446	79	8310	40	19	17	83	58	217	182	8277
WEST AFRICAN UNION MISSION																				
West African Union	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	6	4	161	—	175	—	—
East Nigeria	30	4919	1182	1	5	1188	65	40	8	113	1075	5994	13	8	—	240	16	277	221	20203
Gold Coast	42	3775	1103	39	446	1588	211	27	431	669	919	4694	14	21	—	119	23	177	137	10427
Ivory Coast	2	100	19	—	—	19	8	—	—	8	11	111	1	1	—	5	—	7	5	247
Liberia	7	538	89	—	—	89	64	12	3	79	10	548	4	1	—	16	—	21	7	780
North Nigeria	2	161	82	—	—	82	5	2	—	7	75	236	3	4	—	9	—	16	16	642
Sierra Leone	8	520	325	14	24	363	13	13	74	100	263	783	7	3	—	28	1	39	23	1810
West Nigeria	10	1685	211	6	6	223	1	1	4	6	217	1902	7	9	—	106	1	123	32	3780
Total 1952	101	11698	3011	60	481	3552	367	95	520	982	2570	14268	53	53	4	684	41	835	441	37889
Total 1951	102	9834	2156	42	70	2268	166	75	163	404	1864	11698	41	38	4	497	52	632	441	37400
ICELAND MISSION																				
Total 1952	7	360	12	—	—	12	—	6	—	6	6	366	2	2	2	2	3	11	8	391
Total 1951	6	324	28	6	2	36	—	—	—	—	—	360	2	2	2	2	3	11	7	440
Grand Totals, 1952	599	41456	4290	227	957	5474	874	544	1027	2445	3029	44485	241	168	29	1095	362	1895	1141	67114
Grand Totals, 1951	595	38874	3616	277	683	4576	650	547	797	1994	2582	41456	215	167	71	785	346	1584	1050	62617

Missionary Volunteer Report for the Year 1952

	British Union	East Nordic Union	Ethiopian Union Mission	Netherland Union	Polish Union (1950 Figures)	West Nordic Union	West African Union Mission	Iceland Mission	Total 1952	Total 1951	+ Increase Decrease
SOCIETY ORGANIZATION											
Number of Societies	96	49	5	28	52	104	114	4	452	456	4—
Membership	1446	1145	428	380	1163	2194	3666	95	10517	13006	2489—
Average No. Reporting	213	60	15	26	—	38	1275	—	1627	3634	2007—
Per Cent Reporting	15	5	4	7	—	2	35	—	15	30	15—
Number Baptized	32	19	24	16	—	11	647	—	749	341	408+
DEVOTION AND EDUCATION											
Number Observing											
Morning Watch.....	158	25	60	44	—	906	804	—	1997	2774	777—
Bible Year or Character											
Classics Certificates Issued	30	—	244	17	—	1048	67	—	1406	533	873+
Reading Course											
Certificates Issued	241	—	58	3	—	924	12	—	1238	743	495+
MV CLASSES											
MV Honours Issued ...	115	—	244	—	—	255	172	—	786	908	122—
Persons Invested (Friends, Companions, Guides)...	111	94	271	6	—	322	695	—	1499	1399	100+
Master Guides Invested	8	28	2	—	—	42	79	—	159	107	52+
EVANGELISTIC ACTIVITIES											
Bible Readings or Gospel Meetings	499	1348	298	125	—	3629	8982	—	14881	24240	9359—
Missionary Contacts	930	10465	461	213	—	5447	3289	—	20805	28210	7405—
Literature Distributed ...	76857	31241	248	1520	—	170954	19823	—	300643	229165	71478+
WELFARE ACTIVITIES											
Clothing Given Away ...	—	1253	25	—	—	—	—	—	1278	1460	182—
Persons Helped	4365	898	248	—	—	967	14369	—	20847	7985	12862+
Treatments Given	—	—	397	—	—	—	—	—	397	377	20+

Report of the Educational Institutions for the Year 1952

NAME	ADDRESS	No. of Buildings	No. of Acres	Capacity	Grades			Teachers	Other Employees	Grades Done	Library No. of Vols.	Laboratory	Manual Training Facilities	Stud. Grad.	Graduated			Students Entered Work
					1—8	9—12	13—16								Grade 12	Grade 14	Grade 16	
Bekwai Training School	Box 45, Bekwai, Gold Coast, West Africa	21	60	450	178	176	113	21	11	1-12	1200	Yes	Yes	30	—	—	—	30
Danish Mission School	Vejlebjerg, Daugaard, Denmark	10	90	90	—	88	25	11	12	—	1810	Yes	Yes	10	7	3	—	3
Ethiopian Union Training School	P.O. Box 145, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	11	1000	150	100	—	—	5	9	1-8	150	No	Yes	15	—	—	—	12
Finland Mission School	Toivonlinna, Piikkio, Finland	27	112	150	—	91	—	10	9	7-11	1680	Yes	Yes	23	—	—	—	3
Iceland Mission School	Ölfus, Iceland	2	640	40	—	30	—	3	3	9-12	250	No	No	—	—	—	—	—
Liberian Mission School	Konola, Monrovia, Liberia, W. Africa	5	80	100	73	9	—	5	—	1-10	—	No	No	5	—	—	—	—
Netherland Missionary School	Amersfoortsstraat 18, Huis ter Heide, Netherlands	14	80	70	—	13	22	8	—	9-15	1800	Yes	No	9	1	8	—	8
Newbold Missionary College	Bracknell, Berks., England	7	70	100	16	30	60	12	5	7-15	4500	Yes	No	12	—	12	—	4
Nigerian Training College	Ihie, (via Nbwaso) Nigeria, W. Africa	23	122	600	200	25	105	17	3	1-14	2500	No	No	32	—	32	—	32
Swedish Mission School	Ekebyholm, Rimbo, Sweden	20	2073	100	—	42	8	7	8	9-14	3100	Yes	Yes	18	11	6	—	5
Total 1952			140	4327	1850	567	504	334	99	60	16990			154	19	61	—	97
Total 1951			142	2209	1435	547	461	187	101	76	17050			166	28	42	—	117

TREASURER'S REPORT OF NORTHERN

NAME OF CONFERENCE OR MISSION	Tithe	Tithe (Weekly Per Capita)	Total Offerings	Sabbath-School Offerings 12 Sabbaths	13th Sabbath Offering	Birthday Offering
BRITISH UNION CONFERENCE						
British Union	£	1304 11 8	—	22 9 6	10 9 6	—
South England	£	53147 5 6	5 6	28702 15 5	5809 3 4	2035 4 2
North England	£	26233 13 8	4 10½	18053 2 9	2882 14 7	721 17 2
Welsh Mission	£	5842 8 2	4 10½	3977 17 2	708 2 3	236 15 3
Scottish Mission	£	4694 11 7	4 10½	3156 3 10	483 1 9	170 16 8
Irish Mission	£	3043 9 2	6 2½	2010 4 0	375 2 11	90 6 6
Total 1952	£	94265 19 9	5 4	55922 12 8	10268 14 4	3254 19 9
Total 1952	\$	268658.06	0.76	159379.47	29265.84	9276.71
Total 1951	\$	248747.45	0.72	152862.20	28124.89	9781.42
EAST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE						
North Swedish	S. Kr.	366484.79	3.89	192163.76	39178.81	15926.79
South Swedish	S. Kr.	329789.26	3.97	175514.57	33436.10	15171.67
Finland Swedish	F. Mk.	4610157.00	154.19	1709830.00	455099.00	161978.00
West Finland	F. Mk.	14273850.00	122.43	4209055.00	1417404.00	349360.00
East Finland	F. Mk.	14073428.00	127.90	5018645.00	1570645.00	297612.00
Total 1952	S. Kr.	1355422.70	3.13	586428.80	141477.80	47277.45
Total 1952	\$	271084.54	0.63	117285.76	28295.56	9455.49
Total 1951	\$	288266.71	0.68	117302.92	28419.80	8728.52
ETHIOPIAN UNION MISSION						
Ethiopian Union	Eth. \$	37119.32	0.96	12702.43	6183.71	1401.34
Total 1952 (* 13 months)	\$	15218.92	0.39	* 5207.98	2535.32	574.54
Total 1951 (‡ 11 months)	\$	14315.06	0.42	‡ 3605.58	2161.75	465.58
NETHERLAND UNION CONFERENCE						
North Netherland	Fl.	116232.10	1.91	33451.61	6730.53	1566.26
South Netherland	Fl.	105609.00	2.03	31706.00	6792.10	1968.52
Total 1952	Fl.	221841.10	1.96	65157.61	13522.63	3534.78
Total 1952	\$	59897.10	0.53	17592.55	3651.12	954.40
Total 1951	\$	61673.83	0.55	16878.18	3716.18	788.80
POLISH UNION CONFERENCE						
NO REPORT			NO REPORT			
WEST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE						
West Nordic Union	N. Kr.	11900.00	—	—	—	—
East Danish	D. Kr.	497568.76	4.85	191414.66	50146.28	22205.42
West Danish	D. Kr.	373199.95	4.18	191907.82	49147.70	15791.53
East Norway	N. Kr.	599866.13	4.53	249098.28	57689.80	19715.43
West Norway	N. Kr.	291009.58	4.41	132350.39	26513.16	9611.65
North Norway	N. Kr.	152779.07	3.65	79609.29	16904.91	5888.74
Total 1952	N. Kr.	1926323.49	4.46	844380.44	200401.85	73212.77
Total 1952	\$	288948.52	0.67	126657.03	30060.28	10981.91
Total 1951	\$	262406.66	0.61	112476.97	27382.94	9117.91
WEST AFRICAN UNION MISSION						
West African Union ...	£	15800 11 8	0 6½	12447 6 1	4389 13 0	1381 3 2
Total 1952	\$	45031.66	0.07	35474.79	12510.49	3936.30
Total 1951	\$	44213.40	0.09	28084.80	8620.15	2424.70
ICELAND MISSION						
Iceland Mission	I. Kr.	308358.59	16.47	143990.53	36785.83	10811.92
Total 1952	\$	19272.41	1.03	8999.43	2299.11	675.76
Total 1951	\$	17921.93	1.06	9888.09	1938.68	371.00
Grand Totals for 1952	\$	968111.21	0.48	470597.01	108617.72	35855.11
Grand Totals for 1951	\$	937545.04	0.50	441098.74	100364.39	31677.93

EUROPEAN DIVISION FOR THE YEAR 1952

Investment Fund	Harvest Ingathering	Week of Sacrifice and Annual Offering	Big Week Missions Extension Fund	Miscellaneous Offerings	Total Offerings Weekly per Capita	Percentage of Offerings to Tithe	Total Contributions for Home Missionary Work	Total Contributions for Local Church Work	
119 0 0	18670 17 7	11 0 0	300 0 6	1 0 0	2 11 $\frac{1}{2}$	54.0	882 6 6	5807 1 0	
22 2 5	13795 12 5	1259 18 2	181 6 11	342 0 0	3 4 $\frac{1}{2}$	68.9	211 4 3	3592 12 6	
10 0	2893 1 10	374 17 4	48 2 6	16 5 6	3 4	68.1	17 18 6	729 5 1	
—	2369 13 3	78 12 5	50 16 1	1 2 0	3 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	67.0	165 10 10	800 0 6	
1 2 9	1350 17 3	59 0 11	52 2 11	—	4 1	66.0	105 0 8	114 6 5	
142 15 2	39080 2 4	1917 13 1	632 8 11	362 7 6	3 2	59.3	1382 0 9	11043 5 6	
406.84	111378.33	5465.31	1802.46	1032.78	0.45	59.3	3938.80	31473.33	
487.66	102167.25	6452.39	1734.92	3285.88	0.44	61.4	752.26	26836.25	
32.90	114887.82	16214.67	3773.67	1511.85	2.04	52.4	27716.65	19154.00	
—	108268.46	15569.78	1741.43	731.61	2.11	53.2	16592.30	24427.55	
—	799831.00	214755.00	72959.00	3008.00	57.18	37.1	456310.00	81469.00	
—	174251.00	513564.00	171794.00	3855.00	36.10	29.5	399951.00	—	
—	1789510.00	648587.00	696300.00	10000.00	45.61	35.7	131866.00	255996.00	
32.90	309794.15	59322.55	24336.20	2580.70	1.35	43.3	64071.45	50330.85	
6.58	61958.83	11864.51	4867.24	516.14	0.27	43.3	12814.29	10066.17	
21.14	60990.06	13458.79	4546.65	933.28	0.28	40.7	24654.02	9187.81	
133.96	—	4844.93	—	75.00	0.30	34.2	44.08	2088.64	
54.92	—	1986.42	—	30.75	0.12	34.2	18.07	856.34	
44.12	273.81	567.07	12.30	—	0.11	25.2	—	—	
—	14846.23	7427.98	2313.31	558.95	0.55	28.8	397.84	14207.99	
—	12103.14	8395.53	1955.86	464.53	0.61	30.0	2046.37	14345.52	
—	26949.37	15823.51	4269.17	1023.48	0.58	29.4	2444.21	28553.51	
—	7276.33	4272.35	1152.68	276.32	0.16	29.4	659.94	7709.45	
—	6786.18	4088.15	1185.05	313.82	0.15	27.3	205.42	6292.49	
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204.85	86501.63	26964.97	3948.95	175.75	1.87	38.5	3282.00	3578.00	
92.60	95288.47	28177.86	2919.12	43.90	2.15	51.4	15698.00	20022.00	
80.00	142224.64	23278.22	4420.39	1228.00	1.88	41.5	12669.00	21500.00	
37.00	81114.44	11954.54	2249.60	830.00	2.01	45.5	859.00	23987.00	
25.00	48805.64	5821.61	1902.39	200.00	1.90	52.1	6163.00	456.00	
439.45	453934.82	96197.20	15440.45	2477.65	1.95	43.8	38671.00	69543.00	
65.91	68090.21	14429.56	2316.08	371.64	0.29	43.8	5800.65	10431.45	
—	59893.86	13407.16	2378.48	68.25	0.26	42.9	7501.07	11331.98	
—	6268 2 10	320 4 10	5 3 4	82 18 11	0 5	78.8	—	—	
—	17864.19	912.69	14.74	236.38	0.06	78.8	—	—	
—	14928.13	1861.75	248.28	1.79	0.05	63.5	14928.12	—	
—	68164.76	24289.69	2863.33	—	7.69	46.7	22833.62	27200.82	
—	4260.30	1518.10	178.97	—	0.48	46.7	1427.10	1700.05	
—	5955.12	1511.86	58.58	18.75	0.59	55.2	2072.81	1247.56	
534.25	270828.19	40448.94	10332.17	2464.01	0.24	48.6	24658.85	62236.79	
552.92	250994.41	41347.17	10164.26	4621.77	0.24	47.0	50113.70	54896.09	

PUBLISHING DEPARTMENT OF THE NORTHERN EUROPEAN DIVISION

Report of Colporteur Work for the Year 1952

NAME OF CONFERENCE OR MISSION	BOOK SALES INCLUDING HELPS				SALES OF MAGAZINES								
	Average No. Colporteurs	No. of Hours	Value of Books and Helps		No. of Subscriptions	No. of Single Copies	Value of Subscriptions and Single Copies			Total Value of Orders	Total Value Orders In Dollars	Total Value Books and Magazines Delivered in Dollars	Deliveries 1951 In Dollars
BRITISH UNION CONFERENCE													
South England ...	48	58916	£ 9104	0 0	—	—	£ 12177	6 5	21281	6 5	\$ 60651.76	55704.34	51866.92
North England ...	38	37970	£ 15269	1 11	—	—	£ 5855	19 9	21125	1 8	\$ 60206.48	50308.24	49470.76
Welsh Mission	11	14478	£ 4788	2 0	—	—	£ 3057	0 11	7845	2 11	\$ 22358.66	18936.43	13786.64
Scottish Mission ...	13	18447	£ 3913	5 9	—	—	£ 3691	18 2	7605	3 11	\$ 21674.80	19379.52	15887.41
Irish Mission	7	13548	£ 3530	7 9	—	—	£ 1639	4 2	5169	11 11	\$ 14733.29	13848.31	12979.81
Total	117	143359	£ 36604	17 5	—	—	£ 26421	9 5	63026	6 10	\$ 179624.99	158176.84	143991.54
EAST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE													
North Swedish ...	8	11395	Skr. 117146	2447	—	Skr. 32756	149902.00	\$ 29980.40	25963.80	34198.60			
South Swedish ...	13	19375	Skr. 149108	2327	—	Skr. 44783	193891.00	\$ 38778.20	36376.00	40371.20			
Finland-Swedish ...	4	8137	Fmk. 3285269	82	—	Fmk. 56815	3342084.00	\$ 13653.63	13183.72	16991.86			
West Finland	48	71045	Fmk. 32326888	19062	—	Fmk. 10267968	42594856.00	\$ 173464.49	161133.39	151748.86			
East Finland	41	63222	Fmk. 22057721	19197	—	Fmk. 10736176	32793897.00	\$ 133957.08	123084.49	107890.68			
Total	114	173174	\$ 285716.20	43115	—	\$ 104117	389833.80	\$ 389833.80	359741.40	351201.20			
ETHIOPIAN UNION MISSION													
					NO REPORT					NO REPORT			NO REPORT
NETHERLAND UNION CONFERENCE													
North Netherland	14	18067	Fl. 33956.00	—	50088	Fl. 19709.00	53665.00	\$ 14489.55	14489.55	14909.13			
South Netherland	13	15328	Fl. 32029.00	—	42511	Fl. 16843.00	48872.00	\$ 13195.44	13195.44	11379.96			
Total	27	33395	Fl. 65985.00	—	92599	Fl. 36552.00	102537.00	\$ 27684.99	27684.99	26289.09			
POLISH UNION CONFERENCE													
					NO REPORT					NO REPORT			NO REPORT
* WEST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE													
East Denmark	10	13406	Dkr. 58501.50	4840	4606	Dkr. 72552.60	131054.10	\$ 19658.11	18282.68	17411.01			
West Denmark	16	22630	Dkr. 116518.59	5609	6082	Dkr. 83383.11	199901.70	\$ 29985.25	30027.31	25169.95			
East Finway	19	32978	Nkr. 367855.95	15211	2634	Nkr. 198691.40	566547.35	\$ 84982.02	86113.24	64450.62			
West Norway	10	17806	Nkr. 225430.70	9474	4556	Nkr. 127898.35	353329.05	\$ 52999.35	51077.67	35692.64			
North Norway	5	9179	Nkr. 48239.80	5113	618	Nkr. 67279.95	115519.75	\$ 17327.96	20214.71	15158.91			
Total	60	95999	\$ 122481.90	40247	18496	\$ 82470.79	204952.69	\$ 204952.69	205715.61	157883.14			
WEST AFRICAN UNION MISSION													
East Nigeria	16	26720	£ 4953	13 0	—	£ 9 6 6	4962 19 6	\$ 14144.47	7487.07	3470.78			
Gold Coast	23	27251	£ 14846	14 9	—	£ 157 13 7	15004 8 4	\$ 42762.56	27571.68	16445.95			
Ivory Coast	—	—	NO WORK	—	—	NO WORK	—	—	NO WORK	—			
Liberia	—	—	NO WORK	—	—	NO WORK	—	—	NO WORK	—			
North Nigeria	—	—	NO WORK	—	—	NO WORK	—	—	NO WORK	—			
Sierra Leone	1	1090	£ 633	8 6	—	£ 1 4	633 9 10	\$ 1805.44	928.74	19.38			
West Nigeria	1	2722	£ 768	8 6	—	£ 1 3 0	769 11 6	\$ 2193.28	844.08	423.96			
Total	41	57783	£ 21202	4 9	—	£ 168 4 5	21370 9 2	\$ 60905.75	36831.57	20745.71			
ICELAND MISSION													
Iceland Mission ...	3	1895	Ikr. 80245.00	—	—	Ikr. —	80245.00	\$ 5015.31	5015.31	2503.93			
Grand Totals, 1952	362	505605	\$ 595779.56	83362	111474	\$ 272237.97	868017.53	\$ 868017.53	793165.72	—			
Grand Totals, 1951	339	440514	\$ 530239.96	84430	116990	\$ 262348.77	792588.73	\$ 792588.73	702614.61	702614.61			

* 13 months in 1952 against 11 months in 1951.

Report of the Publishing Houses for the Year 1952

NAME	ADDRESS	Book Sales	Periodical Sales	Total Value Literature Sold	Buildings	Employees	Periodicals	Languages
Copenhagen Publishing House	Suomisvej 5, Copenhagen V, Denmark	\$ 28636.71	\$ 36883.12	\$ 65519.83	1	7	7	1
Finland Publishing House	Annegatan 7, Helsingfors, Finland	\$ 237686.00	\$ 128826.00	\$ 366512.00	—	16	6	2
Iceland Publishing House	P.O. Box 262, Reykjavik, Iceland	\$ 7132.33	\$ 333.98	\$ 7466.31	1	—	2	1
Netherland Publishing House	van Weede van Dijkveldstraat 77, The Hague, Holland	\$ 11059.90	\$ 13510.00	\$ 24569.90	1	5	6	1
Norwegian Publishing House	Akersgaten 74, Oslo, Norway	\$ 91453.88	\$ 77487.77	\$ 168941.65	1	34	6	1
Stanborough Press Ltd.	Stanborough Park, Watford, Herts., England	\$ 153826.76	\$ 56217.05	\$ 210043.81	2	50	4	1
Stockholm Publishing House	Tunnelgatan 25, Stockholm, Sweden	\$ 62203.00	\$ 38890.00	\$ 101093.00	—	14	8	1
West African Union Press	Box 0102, Accra, Gold Coast, West Africa	\$ 37050.00	\$ 2040.60	\$ 39090.60	2	20	3	5
Total 1952		\$ 629048.58	\$ 354188.52	\$ 983237.10	8	146	42	13
Total 1951		\$ 578730.16	\$ 331969.50	\$ 910699.66	8	141	49	13

Report of the Food Factories for the Year 1952

Name	Address	No. of Factories and Branches	No. of Full Time Workers	No. of Part Time Workers
Copenhagen Food Factory	Baldersgade 14, Copenhagen, N., Denmark.	1	10	3
Granose Foods Ltd.	Stanborough Park, Watford, Herts., England.	3	76	46
Total		4	86	49

Report of Radio and Bible Schools Including 1952

	Address of School	Local Director	Languages	Courses	Date Started	Total Applications	Total Enrollments	Total Graduates	Baptisms Reported
British Union	Stanborough Park, Watford, Herts.	C. R. Bonney	English	I and II	April, 1947	55811	18603	4541	784
East Nordic Union	Saimaank. 5 A 12, Lahti, Finland.	V. B. Kohtanen	Finnish	I and II	Nov., 1948	14300	6815	3314	324
	Elisabetsgatan 16 A 5, Helsinki, Finland.	R. Svenson	Swedish	I and II	Dec., 1948	3501	1348	562	34
	Bergstigen 25, Stocksund, Sweden.	A. Blomstedt	Swedish	I, II, III	Aug., 1948	15387	5074	2635	140
Iceland Mission	Box 262, Reykjavik, Iceland.	S. Hallgrimsson	Icelandic	I	Nov., 1948	3753*	1251*	370*	16*
Netherland Union	Prins Alexanderweg 1 b, Huis ter Heide, Netherland.	P. Voorthuis	Dutch	I	1947	37168*	12389*	1782*	358*
West African Union Mission	Box 19, Ibadan, Nigeria, West Africa.	E. E. Hulbert	English	I, II, III	1948	57059	35686	11993	59
West Nordic Union	Kingosgaten, Oslo, Norway.	G. Gudmundsen	Norwegian	I and II	March, 1948	40370	13457*	2711	159
	Suomisvej 5, Copenhagen, Denmark.	Frede Nielsen	Danish	I to IV	Feb., 1947	17391	5797*	2250	297
* Estimated						244740	100420	30158	2171

Report of the Sanitariums for the Year 1952

NAME	ADDRESS	No. of Buildings	No. of Acres	Capacity	Persons Treated	Charity Work	Physicians	Nurses	Other Employees	Total Employees
Ekebyholm Summer Sanitarium	Rimbo, Sweden	3	—	70	270	\$ 285.00	1	9	40	50
Gimbie Hospital	Gimbie, Wollega, Ethiopia	8	4	50	15452	\$ 300.00	1	2	20	23
Haile Selassie No. 1 Hospital	Debre Tabor, Begemder, Ethiopia	1	—	26	5015	\$ 3280.00	1	1	10	12
Hopeanemi Sanitarium	Nummela, Finland	5	7	20	37	\$ —	1	4	6	11
Hultafors Sanitarium	Hultafors, Sweden	13	250	124	1905	\$ 4938.00	2	26	81	109
Ile-Ife Mission Hospital	Ile-Ife, Nigeria, West Africa	18	96	90	57754	\$ 1500.00	2	13	80	95
Nyhytan Sanitarium	Jarnboas, Sweden	10	234	75	1328	\$ 1965.00	1	9	49	59
Skodsborg Sanitarium	Skodsborg, Denmark	25	12	257	797	\$ 17466.03	6	41	193	240
Skogli Sanitarium	Lillehammer, Norway	6	15	50	728	\$ 691.31	1	5	23	29
Stanboroughs Hydro	Stanborough Park, Watford, Herts., England	2	30	58	1459	\$ 2043.45	1	12	26	39
Toivonlinna Summer Sanitarium	Piikkio, Finland	—	—	80	339	\$ —	1	4	37	42
Zauditu Memorial Hospital	P.O. Box 145, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	12	5	85	40100	\$ 4100.00	3	7	—	10
Total 1952		103	653	985	125524	\$ 36568.79	21	133	565	719
Total 1951		99	1008	828	132724	\$ 44778.00	19	130	601	750

Report of the Treatment Rooms for the Year 1952

NAME	ADDRESS	Capacity	Persons Treated	Charity Work	Physicians	Nurses	Other Employees	Total Employees
Eritrea Mission of S.D.A.	Asmara + Adi Sjerfeto, Eritrea.	40	4800	\$ 164.00	—	—	2	2
Goba Adventist Clinic	Goba, Ballie Province, Ethiopia.	—	4976	\$ 200.00	—	—	2	2
Helsingfors Hydro-Electric Institute	Annegatan 7, Helsingfors, Finland	50	10207	\$ 195.28	1	4	—	5
Kuyera Mission	Arussi Province, Ethiopia.	—	2440	\$ 164.00	—	1	1	2
Nord-Norges Kurbad	Tromsø, Norway.	150	16008	\$ —	—	7	14	21
Oslo Health Home	Akersgaten 74, Oslo, Norway	260	59672	\$ 520.50	1	18	35	54
Ranelagh Health Institute	47 Ranelagh Road, Dublin, Eire	12	1599	—	—	2	1	3
Ras Kassa Clinic	Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.	35	5124	\$ 615.00	1	—	2	3
Stockholm Hydro-Electric Institute	Humlegardsgatan 18, Stockholm, Sweden	75	17030	\$ 335.45	—	11	3	14
Total 1952		622	121856	\$ 2194.23	3	43	60	106
Total 1951		790	122341	\$ 1464.00	2	59	137	198

Home Missionary Report for the Year 1952

	British Union	East Nordic Union	Ethiopian Union Mission	Netherland Union	Polish Union	West Nordic Union	West African Union Mission	Iceland Mission	Total 1952	Total 1951	Increase + / Decrease -
Church Membership ...	6936	8290	858	2225	3150	8392	14268	366	44485	40145	4340+
Number Reporting ...	1894	1281	—	—	—	1123	1937	—	6235	7297	1062—
Per Cent Reporting ...	27	15	—	—	—	13	14	—	14	18	4—
MISSIONARY ACTIVITIES											
Bible Readings	6213	9634	126	230	—	11165	12937	1564	41869	57903	16034—
Missionary Visits	23391	50868	110	383	—	60318	4894	341	140305	125638	14667+
No. taken to Services	1588	4546	—	682	—	989	1924	—	9729	1339	8390+
People Helped	25779	7690	12	670	—	3003	16790	565	54509	48890	5619+
Treatments Given	4024	160	1	—	—	—	990	—	5175	5222	47—
Clothing Given Away	7374	11342	18	1365	—	10148	403	607	31257	38077	6820—
Literature Distributed	1077421	293814	143	52400	—	636612	14746	16190	2091326	1562152	529174+
Souls Won	334	54	—	—	—	161	884	—	1433	3392	1959—