



1955 — A Year of Progress

ONCE again the time has come to present the annual statistical report of the Northern European Division.

MEMBERSHIP	
Membership	49,455
Membership Gain	1,461
Organized Churches	628
New Churches	15
TITHES AND OFFERINGS	
Tithes	\$1,192,011.13
Mission Offerings	\$558,424.02
Home Mission Offerings	\$47,399.65
Local Church Offerings ...	\$57,985.90
GRAND TOTAL	\$1,855,820.70

This grand total of \$1,855,820.70 represents a gain in tithes and offerings of \$144,789.33. This is one of the most outstanding increases, indicating the

faithfulness of our brethren, that has come to us since the re-organization of the Division.

MEDICAL INSTITUTIONS	
Hospitals	15
Treatment Rooms	8
Homes for the Aged	5
Children's Home	1
TOTAL	29

Medical and surgical aid was given during the year 1955 in these various institutions to 355,110 people, representing an increase of over 20,000 who obtained medical and physical benefits from our health institutions. One encouraging feature of this section of the report is the fact that 162 of the aged and needy among our membership are very cosily housed and warmly cared for

by competent Christian associates in their declining years.

BIBLE CORRESPONDENCE SCHOOLS

Throughout the Division these Bible Correspondence Schools number 10. Many thousands have received instruction through these schools in recent years and 74,916 persons have completed the courses of study. The encouraging total of 4,051 persons baptized emphasizes the value of this feature of our evangelistic service.

LITERATURE DISTRIBUTED

An outstanding feature of this year's report is the exceptional response made by our membership around the field in increasing the distribution of literature. A total of 8,512 churchmembers distributed 3,020,914 pieces of literature—a gain over the previous year of 1,361,571 items of literature distributed by our lay members. This represents for the current year a distribution of 350 pieces of literature by each of those reporting. What might this figure have been if the 13,316 members who reported the previous year had all contributed to this feature of service in 1955!

These various features to which attention has been called are an outstanding tribute to the loyalty of our people and the devotion of their service to the cause of God. It is our hope that under the rich blessing of God the various features of the work covered in this report may continue to gain in importance and aid in the final accomplishment of the work that will usher in the return of the Lord Jesus.

E. B. RUDGE, *Secretary*.

Membership Report for the Year 1955

	Baptisms for 1955	Net Increase for 1955	Church Membership December 31, 1955
British Union	427	278	7813
East Nordic Union	276	31	8514
Ethiopian Union Mission	147	134	1401
Greenland Mission	1	3	3
Iceland Conference	9	9	376
Netherland Union	106	56	2332
Polish Union	—	—	3150
West African Union Mission	1158	871	17154
West Nordic Union	305	79	8712
Total	2429	1461	49455

Missionary Volunteer Report for the Year 1955

	British Union	East Nordic Union	Ethiopian Union Mission	Iceland Conference	Netherland Union	Polish Union (1950 Figures)	West African Union Mission	West Nordic Union	Total 1955	Total 1954	+ Increase Decrease
SOCIETY ORGANIZATION											
Number of Societies	117	51	9	3	32	52	270	113	647	650	3—
Membership	1113	1062	470	132	433	1163	10573	3502	18448	17420	1028+
Average No. Reporting ...	266	100	49	—	2	—	3880	224	4521	5888	1367—
Per Cent Reporting	24	9	10	—	—	—	37	6	25	34	9—
Number Baptized	17	22	45	—	135	—	828	134	1181	778	403+
DEVOTION AND EDUCATION											
Number Observing											
Morning Watch	675	325	132	62	199	—	2719	1575	5687	4538	1149+
Bible Year or Character											
Classics Certs. Issued ...	12	30	122	—	103	—	184	403	854	1161	307—
Reading Course											
Certificates Issued	149	10	—	—	153	—	186	672	1170	1982	812—
MV CLASSES											
MV Honours Issued	479	290	—	—	64	—	32	1403	2268	3022	754—
Persons Invested (Friends, Companions, Guides) ...	175	331	47	15	151	—	523	450	1692	3982	2290—
Master Guides Invested ...	34	15	—	—	2	—	20	97	168	392	224—
EVANGELISTIC ACTIVITIES											
Bible Readings or Gospel											
Meetings	386	1378	941	46	84	—	24764	6701	34300	32774	1526+
Missionary Contacts	1738	6922	1017	350	27	—	23807	19135	52996	53795	799—
Literature Distributed	284276	50797	307	1000	8066	—	20291	98075	462812	264468	198344+
WELFARE ACTIVITIES											
Clothing Given Away	67	1165	266	—	—	—	1460	1326	4284	2251	2033+
Persons Helped	5018	469	994	—	—	—	17620	105	24206	14855	9351+
Treatments Given	35	—	51	—	—	—	10990	121	11197	8178	3019+

Report of the Educational Institutions for the Year 1955

NAME	ADDRESS	No. of Buildings	No. of Acres	Capacity	Grades			Teachers		Grades Done	Library No. of Vols.	Laboratory	Manual Training Facilities	Stud. Grad.	Graduated			Students Entered Work
					1—8	9—12	13—16	Other	Employees						Grade 12	Grade 14	Grade 16	
Bekwai Training School	Box 45, Bekwai, Gold Coast, West Africa	27	60	500	240	210	69	23	14	1-14	1600	Yes	No	125	18	—	—	7
Danish Mission School	Vejlefjord Hojskole, Daugaard, Denmark	14	80	110	—	88	10	11	12	9-14	2300	Yes	Yes	15	14	—	—	1
Ethiopian Union Training School	Kuyera, Arussi, Ethiopia	16	1000	168	168	32	—	5	6	1-12	150	No	Yes	10	—	—	—	5
Finland Mission School	Piikkio, Toivonlinna, Finland	27	112	120	—	105	—	11	9	7-11	2540	Yes	Yes	18	—	—	—	7
Iceland Mission School	Ölfus, Iceland	4	25600	45	—	29	—	4	4	9-12	300	No	No	7	—	—	—	—
Liberian Mission School	Konola, Monrovia, Liberia, W. Africa	8	80	120	111	5	—	6	—	1-10	—	No	No	12	—	—	—	—
Netherland Missionary School	Amersfoortseweg 18, Huis ter Heide, Netherlands	6	80	60	—	24	8	7	6	9-15	2200	Yes	No	7	1	6	—	4
Newbold Missionary College	Bracknell, Berks., England	10	84	120	34	20	87	12	8	1-16	7266	Yes	No	13	—	13	—	7
Nigerian Training College	Ihie (via Nbawso) Nigeria, W. Africa	31	125	225	168	86	90	20	6	1-14	2000	Yes	Yes	58	—	—	—	58
Swedish Mission School	Ekebyholm, Rimbo, Sweden	16	1500	160	—	103	3	8	17	9-14	3000	Yes	Yes	11	8	3	—	3
Total 1955		159	28721	1628	721	702	267	107	82		21356			276	41	22	—	92
Total 1954		163	5634	1635	701	886	105	105	64		22370			185	33	43	4	79

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	£ 545 14 0	—	—	—	—	—
Irish Mission	£ 3534 14 11	5 10½	2322 6 5	421 12 11	85 14 9	3 3 5
North England	£ 35914 1 11	5 10½	22242 3 0	3411 2 9	743 17 0	64 8 10
Scottish Mission	£ 6145 11 6	4 8½	4128 12 1	578 5 2	181 16 4	21 12 3
South England	£ 67204 18 7	6 4½	36575 17 6	7066 6 9	2113 16 3	223 13 9
Welsh Mission	£ 7489 17 0	5 4½	5159 18 0	891 17 0	251 10 5	13 12 11
Total 1955	£ 118634 17 11	6 0½	70428 17 10	12369 4 7	3376 14 9	326 11 2
Total 1955	\$ 332177.71	0.85	197200.88	34633.84	9454.85	914.37
Total 1954	\$ 303964.25	0.81	182041.33	32219.43	9173.13	825.08
EAST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE						
East Nordic Union	Skr. 3500.62	—	—	—	—	—
East Finland	Fmk. 16362138.00	136.10	6044292.00	2218671.00	371109.00	10180.00
Finland Swedish	Fmk. 5289094.00	168.12	1928905.00	507800.00	192011.00	1700.00
North Swedish	Skr. 424785.41	4.74	209933.10	44438.05	18444.51	645.10
South Swedish	Skr. 395831.31	4.75	181612.95	36330.09	15228.38	422.50
West Finland	Fmk. 1564114.00	134.19	5689190.00	1966394.00	396066.00	13881.00
Total 1955	Skr. 1570024.20	3.56	664793.75	174625.55	53156.60	1582.80
Total 1955	\$ 314004.85	0.71	132958.75	34925.11	10631.32	316.56
Total 1954	\$ 298296.75	0.68	126314.51	32870.47	10836.49	480.96
ETHIOPIAN UNION MISSION						
Ethiopian Union	Eth. \$ 56106.43	0.85	13217.03	6640.53	1236.20	24.60
Total 1955	\$ 23003.64	0.35	5418.99	2722.61	506.83	10.10
Total 1954	\$ 20099.16	0.35	4955.03	2316.39	524.85	3.84
GREENLAND MISSION						
Greenland Mission	Dkr. 2006.00	12.86	408.00	185.00	50.00	5.00
Total 1955	\$ 301.00	1.93	61.20	27.75	7.50	.75
ICELAND CONFERENCE						
Iceland Conference	Ikr. 441938.02	23.16	230270.12	61908.95	14525.15	900.00
Total 1955	\$ 27621.13	1.45	14391.86	3869.31	907.81	56.26
Total 1954	\$ 26826.25	1.42	13281.41	3597.95	865.75	91.88
NETHERLAND UNION CONFERENCE						
Netherland Union	Fl. —	—	—	—	—	—
North Netherland	Fl. 165565.78	2.69	43766.74	8762.85	3272.41	91.44
South Netherland	Fl. 159533.97	2.81	43365.42	8439.64	4336.34	204.12
Total 1955	Fl. 325099.75	2.75	87132.16	17202.49	7608.75	295.56
Total 1955	\$ 87776.93	0.74	23525.67	4644.68	2054.35	79.81
Total 1954	\$ 73986.50	0.63	19836.02	4064.65	1278.81	61.61
POLISH UNION CONFERENCE NO REPORT						
WEST AFRICAN UNION MISSION						
West African Union ...	£ —	—	—	—	—	—
East Nigerian Mission ...	£ 5718 0 0	0 3½	4046 17 7	2013 12 2	510 18 9	3 17 7
Gold Coast Mission	£ 9627 15 0	0 8½	4628 18 5	1370 18 6	442 14 11	—
Ivory Coast Mission ...	£ 298 16 8	0 11½	654 19 6	102 11 5	8 17 11	—
Liberian Mission	£ 1468 3 4	0 10½	1185 14 6	341 14 5	364 18 8	6 18 8
North Nigerian Mission	£ 572 7 6	0 7½	393 5 6	191 2 7	30 14 10	19 0
Sierra Leone Mission ...	£ 1229 10 0	0 7½	980 1 0	265 10 3	76 11 9	7 7
West Nigerian Mission	£ 3736 7 6	0 7½	2400 0 10	1016 15 5	150 8 2	4 6 0
Total 1955	£ 22651 0 0	0 6½	14289 17 4	5302 4 9	1585 5 0	16 8 10
Total 1955	\$ 63422.80	0.07	40011.63	14846.25	4438.72	46.03
Total 1954	\$ 58879.34	0.07	37995.27	13937.31	4629.48	61.44
WEST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE						
West Nordic Union	Nkr. 22994.72	—	—	—	—	—
East Denmark	Dkr. 596181.95	5.68	216436.28	57573.29	23083.21	2958.36
East Norway	Nkr. 723527.65	5.52	275445.04	67549.50	20405.53	1265.35
North Norway	Nkr. 182101.63	4.21	93043.50	19065.73	7825.83	461.00
West Denmark	Dkr. 419570.00	4.31	235336.86	57267.05	18082.50	1727.82
West Norway	Nkr. 346977.85	4.80	145438.53	31906.74	10999.69	266.00
Total 1955	Nkr. 2291353.80	5.10	965700.21	233362.31	80396.76	6678.53
Total 1955	\$ 343703.07	0.77	144855.04	35004.34	12059.51	1001.76
Total 1954	\$ 325249.50	0.73	133652.35	32598.76	11924.12	688.67
Northern European	\$ —	—	—	—	—	—
British Union	\$ 332177.71	0.85	197200.88	34633.84	9454.85	914.37
East Nordic Union	\$ 314004.85	0.71	132958.75	34925.11	10631.32	316.56
Ethiopian Union Mission	\$ 23003.64	0.35	5418.99	2722.61	506.83	10.10
Greenland Mission	\$ 301.00	1.93	61.20	27.75	7.50	.75
Iceland Conference	\$ 27621.13	1.45	14391.86	3869.31	907.81	56.26
Netherland Union	\$ 87776.93	0.74	23525.67	4644.68	2054.35	79.81
Polish Union	N O R E P O R T	—	—	—	—	—
West African Union ...	\$ 63422.80	0.07	40011.63	14846.25	4438.72	46.03
West Nordic Union	\$ 343703.07	0.77	144855.04	35004.34	12059.51	1001.76
NO REPORT						
Division Totals, 1955	\$ 1192011.13	0.51	558424.02	130673.89	40060.89	2425.64
Division Totals, 1954	\$ 1107301.75	0.49	518075.92	121604.96	39232.63	2213.48

EUROPEAN DIVISION FOR THE YEAR 1955

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
1 9 8	1700 3 3	83 3 3	26 19 2	—	4 1	69.6	86 18 3	318 5 10
17 17 0	17481 1 4	355 7 3	140 15 8	27 13 2	3 10	65.6	1117 5 2	1209 11 10
—	3192 12 4	104 19 11	49 6 1	—	3 2	67.2	96 16 1	1057 12 11
94 1 4	25336 18 10	1282 10 3	458 10 4	—	3 5½	54.4	1190 11 0	5162 12 7
10 0	3732 0 10	234 11 10	35 15 10	—	3 8½	68.9	90 14 1	727 6 5
113 18 0	51442 16 7	2060 12 6	711 7 1	27 13 2	3 7½	59.4	2582 4 7	8475 9 7
318.91	144039.92	5769.73	1991.82	77.44	0.50	59.4	7230.24	23731.34
259.03	131529.88	5486.65	1700.01	848.12	0.48	59.9	5618.57	17202.38
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
—	2532464.00	588439.00	323429.00	—	50.28	36.9	85290.00	232883.00
—	1042605.00	128832.00	55272.00	685.00	61.31	36.5	1200492.00	689908.00
50.00	126647.57	14256.58	4366.42	1084.87	2.34	49.4	19264.67	20287.06
16.00	116445.71	9260.64	3196.57	413.06	2.18	45.9	18060.32	21608.45
—	2393461.00	642824.00	276497.00	67.00	48.80	36.4	2340349.00	12864.00
66.00	362463.75	50719.10	20666.95	1513.00	1.51	42.3	109847.60	60608.60
13.20	72492.75	10143.82	4133.39	302.60	0.30	42.3	21969.52	12121.72
23.00	68565.82	10193.14	3234.05	110.58	0.29	42.3	15492.17	13281.90
292.56	—	4376.76	568.38	78.00	0.20	23.6	919.92	1613.95
119.95	—	1794.46	233.04	32.00	0.08	23.6	377.17	661.72
24.36	—	2015.57	—	70.02	0.09	24.7	444.68	760.32
—	53.00	105.00	10.00	—	2.62	20.3	—	—
—	7.95	15.75	1.50	—	0.39	20.3	—	—
—	110415.35	31462.00	11058.67	—	12.07	52.1	14386.21	28576.50
—	6900.93	1966.37	691.18	—	0.75	52.1	899.14	1786.03
—	6267.88	1680.13	777.82	—	0.70	49.5	2007.71	2743.27
—	20023.46	7148.22	3818.52	649.84	0.71	26.4	597.96	16001.60
—	17047.90	9512.46	3153.50	671.46	0.76	27.2	14668.61	18783.32
—	37071.36	16660.68	6972.02	1321.30	0.74	26.8	15266.57	34784.92
—	10009.26	4498.39	1882.44	356.74	0.20	26.8	4121.97	9391.93
—	9000.19	3588.64	1558.33	283.79	0.17	26.8	4499.62	7213.48
NO REPORT				NO REPORT				
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
37 5 8	1402 3 0	19 15 5	96 10 8	—	0 2½	70.8	1476 0 0	—
—	2679 5 10	72 5 10	26 7 8	—	0 4½	48.1	125 0 0	—
—	542 8 9	—	1 1 5	—	2 0½	219.2	—	—
—	471 8 6	14 3	—	—	0 8½	80.8	8 0 0	—
—	162 18 7	3 14 7	3 15 11	—	0 5½	68.7	7 16 2	—
—	604 16 4	15 0 10	17 14 3	—	0 6	79.7	—	—
—	1187 1 0	38 6 9	3 3 6	—	0 4½	64.2	—	—
37 5 8	7050 2 0	149 17 8	148 13 5	—	0 4	63.1	1616 16 2	—
104.39	19740.28	419.68	416.28	—	0.05	63.1	4527.06	—
12.10	18056.42	949.09	339.40	10.03	0.05	64.5	—	—
888.75	100626.96	25413.56	5892.15	—	2.06	36.3	8432.82	4828.82
60.00	154614.75	24819.62	5475.29	1255.00	2.10	38.1	17381.27	24000.00
—	57309.15	5909.01	2472.78	—	2.15	51.1	676.27	7288.20
1595.69	125974.58	25354.68	5334.54	—	2.42	56.1	27534.09	11075.00
50.00	88591.90	9809.70	3479.50	335.00	2.01	41.9	1139.21	21429.03
2594.44	527117.34	91306.57	22654.26	1590.00	2.15	42.1	55163.66	68621.05
389.16	79067.60	13695.99	3398.18	238.50	0.32	42.1	8274.55	10293.16
—	71699.66	13369.21	3335.93	36.00	0.30	41.1	9131.10	7258.50
318.91	144039.92	5769.73	1991.82	77.44	0.50	59.4	7230.24	23731.34
13.20	72492.75	10143.82	4133.39	302.60	0.30	42.3	21969.52	12121.72
119.95	—	1794.46	233.04	32.00	0.08	23.6	377.17	661.72
—	7.95	15.75	1.50	—	0.39	20.3	—	—
—	6900.93	1966.37	691.18	—	0.75	52.1	899.14	1786.03
—	10009.26	4498.39	1882.44	356.74	0.20	26.8	4121.97	9391.93
104.39	19740.28	NO REPORT		—	0.05	63.1	4527.06	—
389.16	79067.60	13695.99	3398.18	238.50	0.32	42.1	8274.55	10293.16
945.61	332258.69	38304.19	12747.83	1007.28	0.24	46.8	47399.65	57985.90
318.49	305119.85	37282.43	10945.54	1358.54	0.23	46.8	37193.85	48459.85

PUBLISHING DEPARTMENT OF THE NORTHERN EUROPEAN DIVISION

Report of Colporteur Work for the Year 1955

NAME OF CONFERENCE OR MISSION	BOOK SALES INCLUDING HELPS				SALES OF MAGAZINES				Total Value of Orders	Total Value Orders In Dollars	Total Value Books and Magazines Delivered In Dollars	Deliveries 1954 In Dollars
	Average No. Colporteurs	No. of Hours	Value of Books and Helps	No. of Subscriptions	No. of Single Copies	Value of Subscriptions and Single Copies						
BRITISH UNION CONFERENCE												
Irish Mission	9	11318	£ 3386 16 3	—	—	£ 1608 3 0	4994 19 3	\$ 13985.90	13221.79	12864.89		
North England ...	34	36386	£ 14660 13 7	—	—	£ 7442 19 4	22103 12 11	\$ 61890.21	55686.27	53612.30		
Scottish Mission ...	15	17085	£ 4489 17 11	—	—	£ 3915 14 3	8405 12 2	\$ 23535.70	21841.48	23385.76		
South England ...	49	57056	£ 10827 4 5	—	—	£ 13370 11 8	24197 16 1	\$ 67753.85	61363.27	60883.70		
Welsh Mission	12	12768	£ 4245 16 3	—	—	£ 5117 19 10	9363 16 1	\$ 26218.65	24879.17	21967.22		
Total	119	134613	£ 37610 8 5	—	—	£ 31455 8 1	69065 16 6	\$ 193384.31	176991.98	172713.87		
EAST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE												
East Finland	38	53882	Fmk. 16420015.00	20623	—	Fmk. 11705272.00	28125287.00	\$ 112501.14	102223.46	103667.93		
Finland Swedish ...	3	5294	Fmk. 1442795.00	1097	—	Fmk. 674628.00	2117423.00	\$ 8469.69	7461.26	6431.76		
North Swedish	10	16425	Skr. 151446.00	5538	—	Skr. 71409.00	222855.00	\$ 44571.00	42454.40	50369.12		
South Swedish	10	14715	Skr. 109705.00	5487	—	Skr. 71457.00	181162.00	\$ 36232.40	32365.80	30642.29		
West Finland	37	49740	Fmk. 17302454.00	16871	—	Fmk. 9509827.00	26812281.00	\$ 107248.77	98894.08	90038.51		
Total	98	140056	Skr. 964455.00	49616	—	Skr. 580660.00	1545115.00	\$ 309023.00	283399.00	281149.61		
ETHIOPIAN UNION MISSION	NO REPORT				NO REPORT				NO REPORT			
ICELAND CONFERENCE												
Iceland	3	2345	Ikr. 44471.86	—	—	Ikr. —	44471.86	\$ 2779.49	2779.49	4442.71		
NETHERLAND UNION CONFERENCE												
North Netherland	14	16618	Fl. 30647.00	2 32546	Fl. 15867.00	46514.00	\$ 12558.78	12321.18	10107.18			
South Netherland	11	13069	Fl. 36947.00	1 30474	Fl. 14525.00	51472.00	\$ 13897.44	13701.96	12583.35			
Total	25	29687	Fl. 67594.00	3 63020	Fl. 30392.00	97986.00	\$ 26456.22	26023.14	22690.53			
POLISH UNION CONFERENCE	NO REPORT				NO REPORT				NO REPORT			
WEST AFRICAN UNION MISSION												
East Nigeria	17	28913	£ 10819 6 9	—	—	£ 49 19 2	10869 5 11	\$ 30434.03	16593.66	9550.95		
Gold Coast	18	24895	£ 13395 13 8	—	—	£ 245 11 3	13641 4 11	\$ 38195.49	23829.21	29609.32		
Ivory Coast	3	4127	£ 1677 17 3	—	—	£ 61 12 7	1739 9 10	\$ 4870.58	4856.87	4351.53		
Liberia	1	838	£ 231 11 6	—	—	£ 72 5 3	303 16 9	\$ 850.74	711.74	512.26		
North Nigeria	1	12	£ —	—	—	£ 5 10 0	5 10 0	\$ 15.40	15.40	—		
Sierra Leone	1	177	£ 47 11 0	—	—	£ 14 5 10	61 16 10	\$ 173.15	86.36	—		
West Nigeria	3	6731	£ 1991 16 6	—	—	£ 16 5 0	2008 1 6	\$ 5622.61	2828.09	2295.82		
Total	44	65693	£ 28163 16 8	—	—	£ 465 9 1	28629 5 9	\$ 80162.00	48921.33	46319.88		
WEST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE												
East Denmark	7	9300	Dkr. 50292.80	2728 3991	Dkr. 43190.25	93483.05	\$ 14022.46	13501.14	17996.06			
East Norway	13	23984	Nkr. 249286.95	13130 7199	Nkr. 206369.00	455655.95	\$ 68348.39	66776.82	57977.57			
North Norway	4	5856	Nkr. 42408.30	4037 1880	Nkr. 62885.50	105293.80	\$ 15794.07	15439.87	14498.48			
West Denmark ...	14	17920	Dkr. 80632.46	4045 10190	Dkr. 69504.75	150137.21	\$ 22520.58	21586.27	25493.79			
West Norway	9	16908	Nkr. 121034.70	10594 8938	Nkr. 168961.50	289996.20	\$ 43499.43	39772.40	43773.76			
Total	47	73968	Nkr. 543655.21	34534 32198	Nkr. 550911.00	1094566.21	\$ 164184.93	157076.50	159739.66			
Grand Totals, 1955	336	446362	\$ 479637.06	84153 95218	\$ 296352.89	775989.95	\$ 775989.95	695191.44	—			
Grand Totals, 1954	345	461901	\$ 496709.70	85729 91882	\$ 278123.20	774832.90	\$ 774832.90	687056.26	687056.26			

Report of the Publishing Houses for the Year 1955

NAME	ADDRESS	Book Sales	Periodical Sales	Total Value Literature Sold	Buildings	Employees	Periodicals	Languages
Advent Press	Box 0102, Accra, Gold Coast, West Africa	\$ 35067.28	\$ 3535.86	\$ 38603.14	2	32	5	4
Copenhagen Publishing House	Suomisvej 5, Copenhagen V, Denmark	\$ 26046.35	\$ 32423.27	\$ 58469.62	—	4	6	2
Finland Publishing House	Annegatan 7, Helsingfors, Finland	\$150621.29	\$124547.23	\$275168.52	—	15	6	2
Iceland Publishing House	P.O. Box 262, Reykjavik, Iceland	\$ 2158.63	\$ 620.86	\$ 2779.49	—	1	2	1
Netherland Publishing House	van Weede van Dijkveldstraat 77, The Hague, Holland	\$ 15435.77	\$ 12060.87	\$ 27496.64	1	6	6	1
Norwegian Publishing House	Akersgaten 74, Oslo, Norway	\$ 72539.39	\$ 91491.05	\$164030.44	—	31	7	1
Stanborough Press Ltd.	Stanborough Park, Watford, Herts., England	\$238002.80	\$ 65755.20	\$303758.00	1	60	4	1
Stockholm Publishing House	Tunnelgatan 25, Stockholm, Sweden	\$ 59132.69	\$ 68011.28	\$127143.97	—	17	9	1
Total 1955		\$599004.20	\$398445.62	\$997449.82	4	166	45	13
Total 1954		\$619232.75	\$379776.29	\$999009.04	4	167	44	14

Report of the Food Factories for the Year 1955

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	9	6
Granose Foods Ltd.	Stanborough Park, Watford, Herts., England.	5	61	65
Total 1955		6	70	71
Total 1954		7	80	53

Report of Radio and Bible Correspondence Schools Including 1955

	Address of School	Local Director	Languages	Courses	Date Started	Total Applications	Total Enrollments	Total Graduates	Reported
British Union	Stanborough Park, Watford, Herts.	C. R. Bonney	English	I and II	April, 1947	95052	32782	10880	1329
East Nordic Union	Bergstigen 25, Stocksund, Sweden.	K. Utterback	Swedish	I, II	Aug., 1948	23790	7854	4070	195
	Elisabetsgatan 16 A 5, Helsinki, Finland.	Eric Roslin	Swedish	I	Dec., 1948	4492	1875	853	55
	Launeenkatu 18, Lahti, Finland.	T. Seljavaara	Finnish	I and II	Nov., 1948	22608	12043	5464	551
Ethiopian Union Mission	Box 145, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia.	H. E. Davis	Amharic & English	I	1952	6103	2333	339	46
Iceland Conference	Box 262, Reykjavik, Iceland.	G. Palsson	Icelandic	I and II	Nov., 1948	7312	1180	321	30
Netherland Union	Prins Alexanderweg 1 c, Huis ter Heide, Netherlands.	P. Voorthuis	Dutch	I	1947	51301*	15876*	3218*	877*
West African Union Mission	Box 19, Ibadan, Nigeria, W. Africa.	Roger W. Coon	English	I, II, III	1948	85701	53179	41968	101
West Nordic Union	Kingosgt. 1, Oslo, Norway.	G. Gudmundsen	Norwegian	I and II	March, 1948	67067	14529	4544	343
	Suomisvej 5, Copenhagen V, Denmark.	Frede Nielsen	Danish	I to IV	Feb., 1947	24966	5217	3259	524
* Estimated						388392	146868	74916	4051

Report of the Sanitariums for the Year 1955

NAME	ADDRESS	No. of Buildings	No. of Acres	Capacity	Persons Treated	Charity Work	Physicians	Nurses	Other Employees	Total Employees
Aftenhvile Old People's Home	Naerum, Denmark	2	1	28	28	\$ 555.00	—	—	7	7
Ekebyholm Old People's Home	Rimbo, Sweden	2	2	40	40	—	—	1	6	7
Ekebyholm Summer Guest Home	Rimbo, Sweden	5	—	75	86	—	—	1	25	26
Empress Zauditu Memorial Hospital	Box 316, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	12	4	80	44494	\$ 820.00	2	9	95	106
Gimbie Hospital	Gimbie, Wollega, Ethiopia	6	2	60	11571	\$ 2689.25	1	2	26	29
Haile Selassi I Hospital	Debre Tabor, Gondar, Ethiopia	1	—	26	7437	\$ 1328.81	1	1	12	14
Hopeaniemi Sanitarium	Nummela, Finland	4	7	20	386	\$ 204.90	1	5	7	13
Hultafors Sanitarium	Hultafors, Sweden	13	355	130	1960	\$ 5509.40	3	25	87	115
Jengre Mission Hospital	Jengre, via Jos, North Nigeria, West Africa	11	40	34	27972	\$ 627.20	1	12	9	22
Kwahu Hospital	P.O. Box 27, Mpraeso, Gold Coast, West Africa	13	26	57	29416	\$ 2800.00	2	8	44	54
Nyhyttan Sanitarium	Nyhyttan, Jarnboas, Sweden	7	580	62	1398	\$ 3087.60	1	2	57	60
Sakshus Old People's Home	Vikhamar, Norway	1	4	29	26	\$ 36.00	—	—	6	6
S.D.A. Mission Hospital	Ile-Ife, Nigeria, West Africa	20	86	120	80286	\$ 560.00	2	22	66	90
Seventh-day Adventist Rest Home	45 Cotmer Road, Oulton Broad, Nr. Lowestoft, Suffolk, England	1	1	16	16	\$ 1551.20	—	2	2	4
Skodsborg Sanitarium	Skodsborg, Denmark	25	12	257	5027	\$ 17317.65	6	36	249	291
Skogli Sanitarium	Lillehammer, Norway	5	20	65	808	\$ 459.60	1	9	33	43
Stanboroughs Hydro	Watford, Herts., England	2	30	62	1249	\$ 784.00	2	11	19	32
Taffari Mekonen Hospital	P.O. Box 62, Dessie, Ethiopia	1	10	12	3725	\$ 98.15	—	3	12	15
Toivonlinna Summer Sanitarium	Piikkio, Finland	18	—	80	428	—	1	7	42	50
"Vredenoord," Old People's Home	Prins Alexanderweg 2, Huis ter Heide, Gem. Zeist, Netherlands	1	1	48	52	\$ 756.00	—	1	8	9
"Zonheuvel," Children's Home	Biltscheweg 14, Bosch en Duin, Netherlands	1	3	75	212	\$ 270.00	—	1	11	12
Total 1955		151	1184	1376	216617	\$ 39454.76	24	158	823	1005
Total 1954		138	1111½	1307	213001	\$ 36817.51	25	155	687	867

Report of the Treatment Rooms for the Year 1955

NAME	ADDRESS	Capacity	Persons Treated	Charity Work	Physicians	Nurses	Other Employees	Total Employees
Asmara S.D.A. Clinic	Box 210, Asmara, Eritrea	25	400	\$ 20.50	—	—	1	1
Helsingfors Hydro-Electric Institute	Annegatan 7, Helsingfors, Finland	50	10408	\$ 92.64	1	3	1	5
Kuyera Mission	Box 145, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	40	6000	\$ 615.00	—	1	1	2
Nord-Norges Kurbad	Tromsø, Norway	110	40052	\$ 150.00	—	8	16	24
Oslo Health Home	Akersgaten 74, Oslo, Norway	260	57617	\$ 3330.00	1	17	35	53
Ranelagh Health Institute	47 Ranelagh Road, Dublin, Eire	20	3500	\$ 210.00	—	3	2	5
Ras Kassa Clinic	Box 316, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	20	3997	\$ 410.00	—	1	1	2
Stockholm Hydro-Electric Institute	Humlégardsgatan 18, Stockholm, Sweden	90	16519	\$ 216.65	—	10	1	11
Total 1955		615	138493	\$ 5044.79	2	43	58	103
Total 1954		645	121955	\$ 2239.69	1	41	57	99

Home Missionary Report for the Year 1955

	British Union	East Nordic Union	Ethiopian Union Mission	Greenland Mission	Iceland Conference	Netherlands Union	Polish Union	West African Union Mission	West Nordic Union	Total 1955	Total 1954	Decrease + Increase
Church Membership ...	7813	8514	1401	3	376	2332	3150	17154	8712	49455	47994	1461+
Average No. Reporting	2024	1596	56	—	50	274	—	3441	1071	8512	13316	4804—
Per Cent Reporting ...	26	19	4	—	13	12	—	20	12	17	28	11—
MISSIONARY ACTIVITIES												
Bible Readings	7054	9787	1887	—	984	351	—	25364	18576	64003	67714	3711—
Missionary Contacts ...	25810	89011	1426	—	6458	649	—	26274	31652	181280	178078	3202+
Persons Helped	31078	7547	1476	—	267	250	—	17620	2939	61177	58341	2836+
Hours Help Work ...	69942	48048	2254	—	4326	3803	—	14663	48210	191246	127814	63432+
Clothing Given Away	13346	18640	1140	—	3018	1435	—	1460	12456	51495	40857	10638+
Literature Distributed	2009332	405838	33506	—	45793	44074	—	34065	448306	3020914	1659343	1361571+