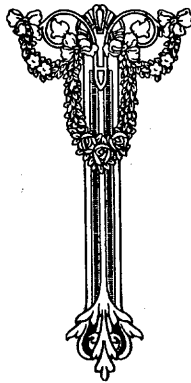


STATISTICAL REPORT

of the

Seventh-day Adventist Conferences in the United States and Canada

Third Quarter, 1938



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THIRD QUARTER, 1938

NAME OF CONFERENCE OR MISSION	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
	Number of Churches	Membership at Beginning of Quarter	Members Added During Quarter			Members Dropped During Quarter			Entire Church Membership at Close of Quarter	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers		
			By Baptism	By Pro- fession of Faith	By Letter	By Death	By Apostasy	By Letter	Missing				
1 Atlantic Union Conference												17	4
2 Greater New York Conference	32	3,946	78	9	43	14	24	38		4,000	20	3	
3 New York Conference	57	2,940	42	38	15	9	36	1	2,959	15	3		
4 N. New England Conference	51	1,638	62	4	11	6	5	13	1,691	7	2		
5 S. New England Conference	63	4,173	55	8	51	12	14	71	2	4,188	22	7	
6 Bermuda Mission	3	181	1		1	1				182	1		
Totals	206	12,878	238	21	144	48	52	158	3	13,020	82	19	
7 Canadian Union Conference												11	6
8 Alberta Conference	32	2,173	68	1	23	2	2	23		2,238	6	3	
9 British Columbia Conference	19	1,471	13		41	5	2	31	1,487	4	5		
10 Manitoba-Saskatchewan Conf.	44	2,253	19		9	3		14	2,264	7	2		
11 Maritime Conference	14	624	20	1	5		1	2	647	4			
12 Ontario-Quebec Conference	34	1,676	20		17	6	6	17	1,684	8	2		
13 Newfoundland Mission	5	310	9						319	1	1		
Totals	148	8,507	149	2	95	16	11	56	31	8,639	41	19	
14 Central Union Conference												28	9
15 Colorado Conference	67	4,470	68	23	32	17	7	91	23	4,505	19	2	
16 Kansas Conference	65	3,028	32	15	36	12	6	51	2	3,042	10	5	
17 Missouri Conference	49	2,941	17	5	15	9	8	46	2	2,913	10	3	
18 Nebraska Conference	55	3,230	51	9	57	6	31	65		3,245	8	3	
19 Wyoming Mission	13	677	5	3	33	2	10	25	6	675	3	4	
Totals	249	14,346	173	55	223	46	62	278	31	14,380	78	31	
20 Columbia Union Conference												3	2
21 Chesapeake Conference	27	1,790	78	2	23	6	20	19		1,848	7	4	
22 East Pennsylvania Conference	54	3,154	93	6	38	13	2	54	3	3,219	11	10	
23 New Jersey Conference	47	2,381	71	2	18	7	14	25		2,426	11	8	
24 Ohio Conference	80	4,668	125	8	47	11	7	69	2	4,759	17	8	
25 Potomac Conference	48	4,686	75	6	70	14	7	68	4	4,744	17	11	
26 West Pennsylvania Conference	34	1,474	26	3	11	1		24		1,489	6	6	
27 West Virginia Conference	15	731	20	2	22		4	12		759	6	4	
Totals	305	18,884	488	29	229	52	54	271	9	19,244	78	53	
28 Lake Union Conference												13	5
29 Illinois Conference	72	5,085	26	4	48	17	11	62	1	5,072	23	7	
30 Indiana Conference	74	3,898	39	11	46	16	16	69	1	3,942	12	5	
31 Michigan Conference	150	10,735	78	6	69	15	16	60		10,847	31	5	
32 Wisconsin Conference	95	4,198	57	8	25	9	5	28	4	4,242	20	8	
Totals	391	23,966	250	29	188	57	48	219	6	24,103	99	30	
33 Northern Union Conference												10	1
34 Iowa Conference	64	2,907	69	14	22	8	15	32		2,957	11	7	
35 Minnesota Conference	73	4,391	62	3	76	12	13	82	4	4,421	20	5	
36 North Dakota Conference	53	2,169	15	4	16	1	2	14		2,187	5	5	
37 South Dakota Conference	35	1,632	22	3	13	2	7	21		1,640	9	4	
Totals	225	11,099	168	24	127	23	37	149	4	11,205	55	22	
38 North Pacific Union Conference												49	6
39 Idaho Conference	27	1,564	6	2	43	2		48		1,565	7	4	
40 Montana Conference	25	1,294	44	3	23	8	5	17		1,334	6	3	
41 Oregon Conference	83	8,408	119	13	189	29	18	176	4	8,502	24	6	
42 Upper Columbia Conference	54	5,758	36	10	90	15	16	70	3	5,835	15	3	
43 Washington Conference	58	3,855	64	5	74	16	11	64	9	3,898	12	5	
44 Alaska Mission	6	176	5	1	3			2		183	1	2	
Totals	253	21,055	324	34	422	70	50	377	21	21,317	114	29	
45 Pacific Union Conference												122	17
46 Arizona Conference	17	1,180	31	1	14	1	4	24		1,197	8	4	
47 Central California Conference	73	6,800	139	8	176	15	16	133	1	6,958	25	8	
48 Nevada-Utah Conference	17	766	20	1	7			5		789	5	6	
49 Northern California Conference	60	6,622	150	9	195	9	35	218	27	6,687	22	2	
50 Southeastern California Conf.	47	6,234	34	6	192	20	14	160	11	6,261	24	13	
51 Southern California Conference	51	9,592	121	27	198	28	4	183	6	9,717	42	14	
52 Hawaiian Mission	10	775	17		6	3	10	12	5	768	8	6	
Totals	275	31,969	512	52	788	76	83	735	50	32,377	256	70	

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	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Licensed Missionaries	Book and Periodical Canvassers	Total Laborers	Total Tithes Receipts	Tithe per Capita	Total Offerings to Foreign Missions (except as noted under 20)	Total S. S. Contributions (to Foreign Missions)	Mission Offerings Per Capita	Total Contributions for Home Mission Work	Total Contributions for Local Church Work	No. of Sabbath Schools	Membership
1	11	...	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2	20	53	99	86,015.46	9.97	17,908.69	10,880.11	7.97	622.07	13,399.24	35	3,650
3	7	16	43	22,359.86	7.71	14,615.21	7,803.37	7.73	833.08	3,947.56	56	2,649
4	4	10	25	12,831.81	7.84	6,683.43	3,892.50	6.46	56.96	1,496.73	53	1,576
5	10	24	67	38,471.99	9.40	22,045.77	9,710.50	7.76	723.04	7,861.46	67	4,117
6	1	2	5	1,977.73	12.44	763.00	568.16	8.37	.....	178.67	4	196
	53	105	274	111,656.85	9.00	62,011.10	32,854.64	7.65	2,235.15	26,883.66	215	12,188
7	5	...	22	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
8	5	20	34	6,808.90	3.14	5,518.18	2,298.38	3.60	473.53	860.00	53	2,099
9	4	16	29	7,532.77	6.14	4,074.21	1,974.57	4.93	367.89	758.03	32	1,657
10	5	29	43	6,153.48	2.69	4,581.87	2,018.11	2.89	201.46	568.93	75	2,265
11	2	4	10	2,479.01	4.15	2,226.01	916.77	5.26	66.57	223.59	25	671
12	3	15	28	9,546.85	6.33	7,783.80	2,415.79	6.77	78.27	2,423.61	40	1,714
13	...	7	9	1,324.54	4.83	531.02	297.18	3.02	.....	629.29	8	373
	24	91	175	33,845.55	4.20	24,720.09	9,920.80	4.30	1,187.72	4,963.45	233	8,779
14	2	...	42	38.42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
15	5	8	38	27,184.40	6.71	11,391.83	6,988.29	4.54	1,015.08	4,114.15	74	4,740
16	1	10	28	13,987.24	4.55	7,812.18	3,477.69	3.67	850.37	3,541.24	75	2,907
17	4	15	35	14,593.80	5.12	6,420.66	4,423.08	3.80	14.20	2,341.15	54	2,433
18	2	12	36	14,687.32	4.82	6,261.20	4,299.95	3.47	193.45	1,563.51	66	2,920
19	1	3	11	2,733.07	4.79	1,520.67	885.98	4.23	56.04	436.13	26	636
	15	48	190	73,224.25	5.39	33,413.54	20,074.99	3.94	2,129.14	11,996.18	295	13,636
20	5	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
21	5	21	39	12,712.50	7.92	6,236.83	3,432.95	6.02	565.24	1,435.64	30	1,888
22	7	30	60	26,937.90	9.69	9,079.74	5,648.55	5.30	31.05	4,207.52	56	3,433
23	3	13	35	18,920.30	8.34	11,442.56	4,850.34	7.18	14.25	2,601.32	48	2,449
24	8	55	120	32,407.60	7.48	11,575.35	6,824.23	4.25	1,696.93	7,263.62	83	4,955
25	7	25	60	50,093.10	12.83	17,112.34	13,550.11	7.86	244.73	3,603.01	50	4,427
26	4	21	37	12,139.50	8.17	8,325.63	3,319.06	7.84	37.25	1,696.19	37	1,413
27	2	9	21	4,973.60	6.57	2,937.41	1,360.69	5.67	594.79	358.80	18	642
	41	174	382	158,184.50	9.23	66,709.86	38,975.93	6.17	3,084.24	21,216.10	322	19,207
28	6	...	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
29	10	23	92	37,501.08	7.32	13,911.57	10,272.71	4.72	2,157.58	6,070.16	84	5,021
30	6	40	66	21,574.71	6.09	6,833.77	5,535.96	3.49	232.18	7,441.85	74	3,790
31	16	72	124	65,689.19	6.25	16,947.12	17,773.92	3.31	1,064.02	4,567.55	170	10,425
32	2	43	77	21,446.06	5.10	7,594.72	5,593.24	3.14	1,659.56	2,123.02	110	4,568
	40	178	385	146,111.04	6.25	45,287.18	39,175.83	3.61	5,113.34	20,202.58	438	23,804
33	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
34	5	7	30	14,517.23	4.88	7,540.05	4,486.92	4.04	1,766.39	1,852.16	82	2,716
35	8	20	53	24,555.13	6.06	13,493.00	5,872.56	4.78	294.05	1,764.07	89	4,131
36	3	22	35	4,956.93	2.04	3,944.68	1,824.07	2.37	284.68	569.68	69	2,069
37	2	2	17	6,843.67	3.89	4,998.13	1,912.83	3.93	189.72	398.88	38	1,770
	18	51	148	50,872.96	4.54	29,975.86	14,096.38	3.93	2,534.84	4,584.79	278	10,686
38	15	...	70	308.49	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
39	1	20	32	7,870.58	5.31	4,199.56	2,155.87	4.29	421.42	878.03	35	1,651
40	3	15	27	8,229.07	6.49	3,562.79	1,938.05	4.34	105.05	484.39	35	1,202
41	17	29	76	45,891.21	5.94	15,613.27	12,332.09	3.62	237.33	5,920.30	100	7,800
42	10	25	53	27,654.77	5.31	8,378.58	7,063.68	3.06	619.50	2,800.08	67	5,330
43	4	18	39	23,934.16	6.58	11,020.07	5,952.30	4.67	286.86	1,987.73	62	3,975
44	1	5	9	969.80	6.14	240.24	176.63	2.64	.....	36.23	10	206
	51	112	306	114,858.08	5.90	43,514.51	29,618.62	3.75	1,670.16	12,106.76	309	20,164
45	30	...	179	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
46	5	9	26	6,418.93	5.93	2,284.60	2,020.50	3.98	5.90	394.64	17	995
47	22	15	70	53,534.27	8.50	23,591.20	13,633.74	5.91	24.78	7,667.10	82	6,622
48	2	6	19	5,399.72	7.40	3,242.90	1,400.41	6.36	34.34	774.93	22	775
49	24	12	60	56,766.90	9.31	24,303.57	15,757.88	6.57	63.47	11,685.40	83	7,011
50	17	8	62	58,057.90	10.03	25,378.80	13,259.20	6.68	162.45	8,408.38	53	5,758
51	18	32	118	98,673.00	11.33	42,908.72	21,311.89	7.37	2,249.35	9,651.80	54	9,305
52	31	10	55	6,765.90	10.39	14,297.84	1,550.36	24.24	1,155.88	10	791
	149	92	589	285,616.62	9.73	136,007.63	68,933.98	6.98	2,540.29	39,738.13	321	31,257

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	Number of Churches	Membership at Beginning of Quarter	Members Added During Quarter				Members Dropped During Quarter				Entire Church Membership at Close of Quarter	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers
			By Baptism	By Pro- fession of Faith	By Letter	By Death	By Apostasy	By Letter	Missing				
53 Southern Union Conference												36	13
54 Alabama-Mississippi Conference	54	2,567	135	17	47	6	33	75			2,852	11	6
55 Carolina Conference	56	2,427	91	4	55	6	17	48			2,506	16	4
56 Florida Conference	76	4,473	47	6	67	9	21	81	23		4,459	19	7
57 Georgia-Cumberland Conference	62	3,545	106	6	96	10	43	72	3		3,624	10	11
58 Kentucky-Tennessee Conference	50	3,508	120	15	94	10	13	62			3,652	13	8
Totals	298	16,520	499	47	359	41	127	338	26		16,893	105	49
59 Southwestern Union Conference												21	3
60 Arkansas-Louisiana Conference	44	2,372	48	1	9	1	2	27			2,400	10	7
61 Oklahoma Conference	52	3,024	36	6	45	3	8	35	5		3,060	11	6
62 Texas Conference	64	3,928	80	12	71	12	11	52	14		4,002	16	7
63 Texico Conference	31	1,856	35	6	26	2	10	33			1,878	6	6
64 Southwest Indian Mission	1	12	1					2			11	1	
Totals	192	10,692	200	25	151	18	31	149	19		10,851	65	29
RECAPITULATION													
65 General Conference												78	4
66 Atlantic Union Conference	206	12,878	238	21	144	48	52	158	3		13,020	82	19
67 Canadian Union Conference	148	8,507	149	2	95	16	11	66	31		8,639	41	19
68 Central Union Conference	249	14,846	173	55	223	46	62	278	31		14,980	78	31
69 Columbia Union Conference	305	18,884	488	29	229	52	54	271	9		19,244	78	53
70 Lake Union Conference	391	29,966	250	29	188	57	48	219	6		24,103	99	30
71 Northern Union Conference	225	11,099	168	24	127	23	37	149	4		11,205	55	22
72 North Pacific Union Conference	253	21,055	324	34	422	70	50	377	21		21,317	114	29
73 Pacific Union Conference	275	31,969	512	52	788	76	83	735	50		32,377	256	70
74 Southern Union Conference	298	16,520	499	47	359	41	127	338	26		16,893	105	49
75 Southwestern Union Conference	192	10,692	200	25	151	18	31	149	19		10,851	65	29
Totals	2,542	169,916	3,001	318	2,726	447	555	2,730	200		172,029	1,051	355

COMPARISON OF TOTALS BY YEARS

	No. of Churches	Total Mem- bership	Ordained Ministers	Lic. Min- isters	Lic. Mis- sionaries	Can- vassers	Total Laborers
Totals for the year 1913	2,006	67,268	589	249	690	805	2,364
Totals for the year 1914	2,054	72,015	555	214	644	885	2,386
Totals for the year 1915	2,113	77,735	582	197	640	839	2,339
Totals for the year 1916	2,158	79,946	582	203	652	654	2,203
Totals for the year 1917	2,216	87,222	650	294	684	788	2,488
Totals for the year 1918	2,251	91,972	687	430	720	771	2,705
Totals for the year 1919	2,254	95,645	708	434	762	883	2,881
Totals for the year 1920	2,217	95,877	708	396	719	796	2,694
Totals for the year 1921	2,235	98,715	704	338	611	699	2,482
Totals for the year 1922	2,243	101,129	749	316	545	705	2,507
Totals for the year 1923	2,226	102,797	750	319	588	755	2,577
Totals for the year 1924	2,250	106,941	818	348	590	681	2,554
Totals for the year 1925	2,239	108,302	836	332	550	717	2,600
Totals for the year 1926	2,240	110,422	848	349	572	708	2,656
Totals for the year 1927	2,222	112,276	850	367	564	744	2,737
Totals for the year 1928	2,229	113,737	869	377	543	744	2,744
Totals for the year 1929	2,249	117,771	905	366	558	710	2,761
Totals for the year 1930	2,227	120,560	935	339	536	699	2,721
Totals for the year 1931	2,253	127,787	915	306	493	737	2,719
Totals for the year 1932	2,285	135,837	981	270	415	649	2,491
Totals for the year 1933	2,345	143,777	1,000	292	439	713	2,566
Totals for the year 1934	2,375	151,216	1,026	287	446	898	2,816
Totals for the year 1935	2,423	157,507	1,046	294	469	881	2,886
Totals for the year 1936	2,480	161,271	1,043	332	489	935	2,996
Totals for the year 1937	2,508	164,490	1,033	373	473	900	3,016

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	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25
	Licensed Missionaries	Book and Periodical Canvassers	Total Laborers	Total Tithe Receipts	Tithe per Capita	Total Offer- ings to For- ign Mis- sions (ex- cept as noted under 20)	Total S. S. Contributions (to Foreign Missions)	Mission Offerings Per Capita	Total Contri- butions for Home Mis- sion Work	Total Contri- butions for Local Church Work	No. of Sab- bath Schools	Membership
53	13	64										
54	8	18	45	12,759.97	5.36	9,339.00	3,494.77	5.39	144.01	800.67	67	2,331
55	5	22	47	14,909.39	6.58	9,633.85	3,968.26	6.00		1,669.86	66	2,682
56	5	15	46	24,104.23	5.64	1,805.61	6,099.89	1.85	355.45	2,705.31	73	3,988
57	3	14	42	21,066.87	6.25	9,925.29	5,016.60	4.43	482.58	1,580.41	60	3,214
58	9	10	44	19,233.63	5.91	10,361.08	4,488.01	4.56	36.08	600.00	62	3,329
	43	79	288	92,074.09	5.92	41,064.83	23,067.53	4.12	1,018.12	7,356.25	328	15,544
59	1	27										
60	3	34	54	10,098.40	4.35	4,025.69	2,670.89	2.88	20.10	1,570.22	49	2,391
61	3	9	31	13,505.33	4.26	4,669.38	4,059.47	2.75	600.06		70	2,722
62	5	21	49	18,959.44	4.75	6,244.49	4,528.18	2.69		1,549.66	74	3,566
63	16	30	80	5,375.73	4.73	3,149.99	1,507.95	4.10		424.45	54	1,366
64	2	3		71.69	7.17	3.00	16.49	1.95			1	14
	14	80	194	48,010.59	4.51	18,072.55	12,782.98	2.90	620.16	3,544.33	248	10,059

RECAPITULATION

65	29	168		695.00		2,071.87						
66	53	105	274	111,656.85	9.00	62,011.10	32,854.64	7.65	2,235.15	26,883.66	215	12,188
67	24	91	175	33,845.55	4.20	24,720.09	9,920.80	4.30	1,187.72	4,963.45	233	8,779
68	15	48	190	78,224.25	5.39	33,413.54	20,074.99	3.94	2,129.14	11,996.18	295	13,636
69	41	174	382	158,184.50	9.23	66,709.86	38,975.93	6.17	3,084.24	21,216.10	322	19,207
70	40	178	385	146,111.04	6.25	45,287.18	39,175.83	3.61	5,113.34	20,202.58	438	23,804
71	18	51	148	50,872.96	4.54	29,975.86	14,096.38	3.93	2,534.84	4,584.79	278	10,686
72	51	112	306	114,858.08	5.90	43,514.51	29,618.62	3.75	1,670.16	12,106.76	309	20,164
73	149	92	589	235,616.62	9.73	136,007.63	68,933.98	6.98	2,540.29	39,733.13	321	31,257
74	43	79	283	92,074.09	5.92	41,064.83	23,067.53	4.12	1,018.12	7,356.25	328	15,544
75	14	80	194	48,010.59	4.51	18,072.55	12,782.98	2.90	620.16	3,544.33	248	10,059
	477	1,010	3,099	1,115,149.53	6.38	502,849.02	289,501.68	4.93	22,133.16	152,592.23	2,987	165,324

COMPARISON OF TOTALS BY YEARS

Year	Total Tithe Receipts	Tithe Per Capita	Foreign Offerings	Sab. Sch. Offerings	Home Miss. Offerings	Local Church Work Offer.	No. Sab. Schools	Mem- bership
1913	1,201,138.77	17.86	262,130.94	228,938.24	101,975.29	138,641.50	2,601	70,283
1914	1,269,962.09	17.63	320,730.57	274,942.12	100,553.59	188,523.75	2,767	76,751
1915	1,337,810.20	17.21	347,092.58	332,106.20	94,675.15	201,594.48	2,867	84,909
1916	1,623,301.46	20.41	402,930.17	366,327.41	143,703.05	247,508.48	2,870	86,530
1917	2,167,082.47	24.85	563,577.64	449,751.78	182,554.63	307,919.04	2,912	91,251
1918	2,691,307.81	29.26	1,112,807.36	556,199.99	269,227.93	318,467.36	2,937	91,274
1919	3,313,307.05	34.64	789,691.62	723,188.70	525,856.66	410,046.83	2,987	96,351
1920	3,918,515.14	40.87	1,072,143.32	1,107,820.14	252,057.79	563,945.75	2,903	97,861
1921	3,222,055.49	32.65	894,170.29	1,112,375.99	275,979.50	536,121.08	2,842	99,607
1922	3,233,510.84	31.97	1,013,693.02	1,028,893.12	150,308.88	479,719.91	2,792	101,333
1923	3,706,878.81	36.06	1,078,002.95	1,162,254.53	130,515.28	534,536.13	2,727	106,943
1924	3,883,790.18	36.32	1,089,607.07	1,249,658.53	119,521.07	601,716.99	2,773	113,440
1925	4,101,031.85	37.69	1,254,316.53	1,294,733.91	157,581.34	624,970.00	2,712	116,238
1926	4,120,459.41	37.32	1,257,612.72	1,381,753.98	128,267.53	609,951.40	2,734	119,005
1927	4,202,988.89	37.43	1,190,479.39	1,394,301.99	211,745.93	632,295.96	2,775	119,557
1928	4,265,669.40	37.50	1,222,269.45	1,457,858.12	132,006.31	739,467.30	2,724	119,491
1929	4,463,686.66	37.90	1,258,183.30	1,502,537.38	122,058.94	771,779.79	2,754	121,757
1930	4,040,190.07	33.51	1,221,381.22	1,394,800.15	79,574.06	731,374.19	2,759	124,581
1931	3,591,071.94	28.10	1,054,496.32	1,267,722.13	74,476.65	648,916.87	2,793	130,343
1932	2,892,558.54	21.31	874,181.51	1,071,048.44	53,115.43	571,746.33	2,857	134,273
1933	2,715,869.67	18.89	791,309.58	901,465.18	59,062.04	468,067.38	2,875	142,139
1934	3,313,512.39	21.91	1,002,204.77	947,332.60	76,308.31	529,589.77	2,922	146,179
1935	3,618,262.18	22.97	1,032,869.11	997,508.10	81,805.49	572,735.93	2,963	150,529
1936	4,199,463.60	26.04	1,147,373.54	1,085,506.41	103,637.21	629,542.76	2,972	152,556
1937	4,619,648.41	28.08	1,192,312.53	1,182,218.08	131,179.19	735,524.21	2,978	151,003

Statistical Report of Conferences in the United States and Canada Third Quarter, 1938

THE statistical report of Union Conferences in North America for the third quarter of 1938 is submitted herewith:

Statement as to Gains and Losses of Membership by Unions, Quarter Ending September 30, 1938

Union	Gain	Loss	Net Gain	Net Loss
Atlantic	403	261	142	....
Canadian	246	114	132	....
Central	451	417	34	....
Columbia	746	386	360	....
Lake	467	330	137	....
Northern	319	213	106	....
North Pacific	780	518	262	....
Pacific	1,352	944	408	....
Southern	905	532	373	....
Southwestern	376	217	159	....
Totals	6,045	3,932	2,113	....
	3,932		....
	2,113		2,113	

Membership, September 30, 1938 172,029
Membership, June 30, 1938 169,916

Net Gain 2,113

Total Funds, Third Quarter, 1938

Fund	Amount	Per Capita
Title	\$1,115,149.53	\$6.93
Foreign Missions	502,849.02	3.13
Sabbath School	289,501.68	1.80
Home Missions	22,133.16	.14
Local Funds	152,592.23	.95
Totals	\$2,082,225.62	\$12.95

Total Contributions

A comparison of the total contributions since 1924 will be of interest in this connection.

	Amount	Per Cap.
1924 First quarter	\$1,451,750.82	14.36
Second quarter	1,574,388.26	15.57
Third quarter	1,609,116.79	15.91
Fourth quarter	2,346,153.76	23.20
1925 First quarter	1,591,951.75	15.49
Second quarter	1,542,131.74	15.00
Third quarter	1,720,455.80	16.74
Fourth quarter	2,555,897.57	24.86
1926 First quarter	1,583,623.72	14.81
Second quarter	1,608,923.43	15.04
Third quarter	1,851,273.55	17.31
Fourth quarter	2,566,405.78	24.00
1927 First quarter	1,628,863.91	14.97
Second quarter	1,707,740.97	15.69
Third quarter	1,852,545.32	17.02
Fourth quarter	2,702,838.86	24.84
1928 First quarter	1,638,301.28	14.84
Second quarter	1,653,623.78	14.97
Third quarter	2,010,080.20	18.20
Fourth quarter	2,641,896.32	23.93
1929 First quarter	1,748,943.63	15.58
Second quarter	1,762,035.17	15.69
Third quarter	2,148,511.39	19.13
Fourth quarter	2,550,816.40	22.72
1930 First quarter	1,607,708.86	14.14
Second quarter	1,664,115.31	14.82
Third quarter	1,864,811.72	16.40
Fourth quarter	2,408,188.76	21.17
1931 First quarter	1,464,195.64	12.43
Second quarter	1,547,990.24	13.14

Third quarter	1,716,514.36	14.58
Fourth quarter	2,037,486.32	17.30
1932 First quarter	1,258,876.29	10.44
Second quarter	1,239,084.67	10.28
Third quarter	1,332,968.91	11.06
Fourth quarter	1,637,861.00	13.58
1933 First quarter	961,604.17	7.53
Second quarter	1,079,649.01	8.45
Third quarter	1,306,093.13	10.22
Fourth quarter	1,584,433.83	12.40
1934 First quarter	1,235,053.00	9.09
Second quarter	1,250,541.26	9.22
Third quarter	1,532,289.03	11.28
Fourth quarter	1,802,963.89	13.27
1935 First quarter	1,306,300.68	9.08
Second Quarter	1,352,543.40	9.41
Third Quarter	1,602,318.75	11.14
Fourth quarter	1,991,914.98	13.85
1936 First quarter	1,420,121.36	9.39
Second quarter	1,528,474.48	10.11
Third quarter	1,937,520.46	12.81
Fourth quarter	2,268,263.98	15.00
1937 First quarter	1,598,521.73	10.25
Second quarter	1,751,377.83	11.23
Third quarter	2,098,065.75	13.45
Fourth quarter	2,397,849.55	15.37
1938 First quarter	1,650,689.48	10.26
Second quarter	1,713,920.39	10.66
Third quarter	2,082,225.62	12.95

Mission Offerings

A comparison of the offerings for foreign missions during recent years is given below.

1925 First quarter	407,891.28	
Second quarter	549,446.66	
Third quarter	609,996.52	
Fourth quarter	1,090,790.97	2,658,125.43
1926 First quarter	397,512.00	
Second quarter	471,825.41	
Third quarter	744,472.34	
Fourth quarter	1,140,697.10	2,754,506.85
1927 First quarter	403,230.46	
Second quarter	468,298.61	
Third quarter	693,498.38	
Fourth quarter	1,164,745.11	2,729,772.56
1928 First quarter	410,965.30	
Second quarter	482,287.15	
Third quarter	785,776.42	
Fourth quarter	1,149,407.08	2,828,435.95
1929 First quarter	429,483.68	
Second quarter	514,015.68	
Third quarter	820,166.06	
Fourth quarter	1,112,680.53	2,876,345.95
1930 First quarter	384,902.03	
Second quarter	483,400.68	
Third quarter	744,854.24	
Fourth quarter	1,109,340.24	2,722,497.19
1931 First quarter	365,400.56	
Second quarter	462,802.03	
Third quarter	701,392.67	
Fourth quarter	913,496.30	2,443,091.56
1932 First quarter	323,669.56	
Second quarter	375,056.12	
Third quarter	542,399.74	
Fourth quarter	704,318.82	1,945,444.24

1933		
First quarter	235,973.07	
Second quarter	299,844.74	
Third quarter	500,692.82	
Fourth quarter	656,733.62	1,693,244.25
1934		
First quarter	267,274.53	
Second quarter	319,060.54	
Third quarter	604,857.99	
Fourth quarter	718,883.88	1,910,076.94
1935		
First quarter	279,439.26	
Second quarter	334,133.58	
Third quarter	595,363.48	
Fourth quarter	822,753.08	2,031,689.40
1936		
First quarter	300,954.68	
Second quarter	342,843.77	
Third quarter	717,283.90	
Fourth quarter	875,838.70	2,236,921.05
1937		
First quarter	295,787.30	
Second quarter	423,948.28	
Third quarter	767,891.00	
Fourth quarter	885,210.69	2,372,837.27
1938		
First quarter	314,909.63	
Second quarter	381,387.87	
Third quarter	792,350.70	

Sabbath School Contributions

The total Sabbath school contributions in recent years, with the amount per capita for each quarter is shown in this connection.

	Amount	Per Cap.
1927 First quarter	321,205.99	2.95
Second quarter	338,725.82	3.11
Third quarter	344,338.69	3.16
Fourth quarter	392,551.73	3.61
1928 First quarter	351,126.27	3.18
Second quarter	342,101.11	3.10
Third quarter	361,540.11	3.28
Fourth quarter	405,049.51	3.67
1929 First quarter	359,558.44	3.20
Second quarter	362,598.31	3.23
Third quarter	371,777.33	3.31
Fourth quarter	408,295.32	3.64
1930 First quarter	336,613.49	2.96
Second quarter	332,068.91	2.96
Third quarter	341,436.20	3.00
Fourth quarter	388,430.47	3.41
1931 First quarter	315,281.53	2.67
Second quarter	320,197.39	2.72
Third quarter	303,973.53	2.58
Fourth quarter	330,366.27	2.81
1932 First quarter	274,918.34	2.28
Second quarter	267,695.44	2.22
Third quarter	254,639.84	2.11
Fourth quarter	281,073.65	2.33
1933 First quarter	205,437.10	1.61
Second quarter	219,647.84	1.72
Third quarter	229,856.37	1.80
Fourth quarter	247,372.48	1.94
1934 First quarter	224,172.21	1.65
Second quarter	231,736.29	1.71
Third quarter	228,062.79	1.68
Fourth quarter	263,809.24	1.94
1935 First quarter	236,070.14	1.64
Second quarter	237,829.25	1.65
Third quarter	242,611.98	1.69
Fourth quarter	280,854.58	1.95
1936 First quarter	250,802.04	1.66
Second quarter	258,183.84	1.71
Third quarter	267,997.90	1.77
Fourth quarter	308,522.93	2.04
1937 First quarter	257,814.00	1.65
Second quarter	311,884.81	2.00
Third quarter	285,842.21	1.83
Fourth quarter	327,169.78	2.09
1938 First quarter	273,996.64	1.70
Second quarter	284,015.93	1.77
Third quarter	289,501.68	1.80

Denominational Literature

The sale of denominational literature during 1937 aggregated \$4,066,181.07. This literature, issued in 194 languages, is prepared in the form of 310 periodicals, 2,096 bound books, 1,168 pamphlets, 4,796 tracts, a total of 8,370 separate publications (containing 601,208 pages), one copy of each (books in cloth binding) being valued at \$2,397.95.

Value of One Copy of Each Publication

Year	Lang.	Value	Year	Lang.	Value
1846	..	\$.93	1916	..	680.00
1854	..	6.08	1917	94	704.50
1862	..	7.50	1918	94	758.48
1865	..	8.33	1919	96	812.53
1870	..	12.49	1920	99	877.74
1875	..	29.57	1921	100	1,000.80
1880	..	53.30	1922	114	1,153.23
1885	..	96.60	1923	114	1,244.15
1890	..	171.55	1924	114	1,301.68
1895	..	243.60	1925	128	1,417.23
1900	39	267.84	1926	131	1,523.51
1905	..	300.00	1927	132	1,594.00
1907	..	420.00	1928	141	1,700.68
1908	57	488.00	1929	141	1,746.29
1909	..	500.00	1930	146	1,814.73
1910	..	525.00	1931	152	1,885.80
1911	..	540.00	1932	157	1,951.87
1912	..	550.00	1933	161	2,004.87
1913	..	575.00	1934	169	2,087.50
1914	..	600.00	1935	171	2,146.76
1915	..	640.00	1936	194	2,283.29
			1937	194	2,397.95

Membership, by Divisions

World Statistics

(Latest returns available)

Division	Church Members	Sab. Sch. Members
Australasian	18,160	29,543
Gen. European. Sec. I	37,400	38,584
Gen. European. Sec. II	10,225	13,183
China	17,423	19,875
Far Eastern	37,525	35,924
Inter-American	32,055	50,897
North American	172,029	165,324
Northern European	35,851	60,508
South American	28,945	30,372
Southern African	29,849	58,816
Southern Asia	5,736	12,190
Southern European	30,394	41,395
U. S. S. R.	13,709	16,000
Totals	462,441	572,611

Statistics for World Field

Membership by Decades

Year	Church Members	Sab. Sch. Members
1863	3,500	.....
1873	5,875	.....
1883	17,436	13,152
1893	37,404	44,619
1903	69,072	66,811
1913	114,557	123,068
1923	221,874	249,089
1927	274,064	323,992
1928	285,293	342,434
1929	299,555	358,844
1930	314,253	382,743
1931	336,046	410,714
1932	362,101	431,118
1933	384,151	465,755
1934	404,509	491,067
1935	422,968	519,990
1936	438,139	541,489
1937	452,758	553,389

GENERAL SUMMARY

Year	Union Confer-ences	Local Confer-ences	Mis-sions	Insti-tutions	Total Denomina'l Investment
1865	..	7	1	1	\$ 38,712.53
1875	..	13	2	5	282,179.55
1885	..	28	3	11	885,382.97
1895	1	36	22	29	2,858,725.82
1905	13	80	56	126	4,799,419.51
1910	23	106	87	188	10,086,245.27
1915	26	130	109	147	14,254,615.45
1916	26	130	113	149	15,284,215.27
1917	31	135	119	156	16,873,422.54
1918	35	141	117	164	19,975,500.49
1919	44	133	141	172	25,432,582.52
1920	46	148	153	183	30,699,461.49
1921	51	139	160	204	34,196,049.15
1922	55	143	153	224	36,903,593.95
1923	54	146	150	224	40,675,238.72
1924	52	138	164	248	44,971,881.12
1925	60	139	180	266	45,648,299.24
1926	65	143	198	255	48,025,317.33
1927	64	146	211	291	49,293,887.27
1928	65	153	222	328	50,281,614.54
1929	67	155	245	375	53,314,348.60
1930	71	160	270	399	54,115,482.55
1931	71	155	278	417	54,114,844.52
1932	70	144	289	424	53,235,460.37
1933	70	146	309	441	53,979,143.72
1934	70	144	318	443	56,045,968.38
1935	69	146	320	446	57,745,120.18
1936	70	143	328	489	60,026,066.23
1937	69	145	333	498	64,271,475.01

Total funds for evangelistic work, 1863-1937.
\$253,088,999.35.

Denominational Investment, 1907-1936

Year	Amount	Per Capita
1907	\$7,281,645.29	\$ 90.01
1908	8,436,309.41	101.46
1909	9,566,722.05	108.05
1910	10,086,245.27	111.07
1911	11,204,962.35	119.99
1912	12,084,438.13	123.26
1913	12,812,783.61	111.84
1914	14,039,279.39	111.56
1915	14,254,615.45	104.14
1916	15,284,215.27	108.02
1917	16,873,422.54	109.66
1918	19,975,500.49	122.80
1919	25,432,582.52	142.69
1920	30,699,461.49	165.54
1921	34,196,049.15	172.63
1922	36,903,593.95	176.77
1923	40,675,238.72	183.33
1924	44,971,881.12	188.44
1925	45,648,299.24	181.87
1926	48,025,317.33	183.42
1927	49,293,887.27	179.86
1928	50,281,614.54	176.24
1929	53,314,348.60	177.98
1930	54,115,482.55	172.20
1931	54,114,844.52	161.03
1932	53,235,460.37	147.02
1933	53,979,143.72	140.52
1934	56,045,968.38	138.55
1935	57,745,120.18	136.52
1936	60,026,066.23	137.00
1937	64,271,475.01	141.96

Denominational Investment, 1937

Organizations	North America	Foreign	Total
From 1937 Financial Statement:			
436 Conferences	\$ 4,045,886.13	\$ 4,562,037.97	\$ 8,607,924.10
125 Associations	5,181,430.09	10,287,133.02	15,468,563.11
151 Bible Houses	286,992.67	230,317.01	517,309.68
121 Schools	6,772,271.57	2,421,949.11	9,194,220.68
53 Publishing Houses	1,969,855.15	1,846,816.85	3,816,672.00
71 Sanitariums	6,725,340.68	2,849,087.68	9,574,428.36
23 Food Companies		229,418.01	229,418.01
980 Totals	\$24,981,776.29	\$22,426,759.65	\$47,408,535.94
From the 1937 Statistical Report:			
4,124 Church Buildings	7,131,195.63	8,227,189.14	15,358,384.77
2,526 Church School Buildings	952,778.30	551,776.00	1,504,554.30
6,650 Totals	8,083,973.93	8,778,965.14	16,862,939.07
7,630 GRAND TOTALS, 1937	33,065,750.22	31,205,724.79	64,271,475.01
7,209 GRAND TOTALS, 1936	32,011,765.18	28,014,301.05	60,026,066.23
421 Increase	1,053,985.04	3,191,423.74	4,245,408.78
Per Cent Increase	3.29	11.39	7.07

Total Languages in Which Work Is Conducted, Also Countries in Which Representatives are Located—by Years

	Printed and Oral Languages	Countries*
1921	179	108
1922	194	115
1923	220	119
1924	224	119

1925	252	124
1926	256	126
1927	279	127
1928	347	135
1929	394	139
1930	417	141
1931	455	141
1932	485	141
1933	504	141
1934	539	141
1935	578	141
1936	649	141
1937	714	141

* Since 1932 including islands.