



1951 STATISTICAL SUPPLEMENT

Reaping the Harvest

By A. F. TARR

WE are happy to present the accompanying statistical report for the Northern European Division. It is for the year ending December 31, 1951, which was the first year of the Division's operations in its newly-organized form.

Figures so often seem inadequate to tell the full story of progress, and especially is this so in soul-winning endeavour. Every baptism recorded represents a struggle that has been waged, perhaps for long months or even years, against opposing forces of evil. It represents some soul's unflinching determination to do what is right in the face of tremendous odds. And our report presents 3,435 baptisms, such persons as having been victorious in just such an experience. Moreover, among the 41,460 now enrolled on our church books are many whom the enemy has sorely tried, and whose undaunted faithfulness seems to merit more than a mere figure in a statistical report.

Underlining the financial columns also are attitudes of unselfishness, of self-denial, and of deep love for this message that could be recounted from thousands of homes, and that seem totally incapable of being measured by figures, however great.

Of paramount interest are the baptisms and net increases in church membership. On this page we summarize these in respect of each union.

We emphasize these figures because they constitute the kernel of our report. By these we measure the progress we make. But the progress of the past is but an earnest, we believe, of much greater things

to come. With a zeal born of the urgency of the times our evangelists must launch out into unprecedented achievements for God, harnessing all available manpower within the church in their endeavours. Our colporteurs must tirelessly strive for greater sales of our religious books, combining with their sales the promotion of the Bible Correspondence School lessons. Our doctors and nurses must constantly be seeking fresh opportunities of influencing spiritually those who come to them for physical healing. Our teachers must be winning their pupils to Christ and guiding them into channels of effective service for Him. Our entire church membership, the youth and older ones alike, must be dedicating themselves daily in a supreme endeavour to witness for this message in every contact that their associations permit.

Only by such a programme can the ripening harvest about us be reaped, and our church membership be acquitting themselves as those who await their Lord's return.

SOME COMMENTS ON THE FIGURES

By G. A. Lindsay

AS we present herewith a complete annual report of the various activities in the Northern European Division for the year 1951, I wish to call to your attention certain features in the statistics referring to the tithes and mission offerings and their comparison with the figures for 1950.

Statistics are, as a rule, considered by most people to be dull and uninteresting reading matter and as dry as the hills of Gilboa. Many feel that figures belong only to business people and administrators. We would agree that this might be true com-

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Membership Report for the Year 1951

	Baptisms for 1951	Net Increase for 1951	Church Member- ship Dec. 31, 1951
British Union	307	131	6,797
East Nordic Union	465	178	8,339
Ethiopian Union	91	91	745
Netherlands Union	92	23	2,173
Polish Union	*181	*180	*3,038
West African Union	2,156	1,864	11,698
West Nordic Union	296	79	8,310
Iceland Conference	28	36	360
Total	3,616	2,582	41,460

* 1950 figures

Missionary Volunteer Report for the Year 1951

	British Union	East Nordic Union	Ethiopian Union Mission	Netherlands Union	Polish Union (1950 Figures)	West Nordic Union	West African Union Mission	Iceland Mission	Total 1951	Total 1950	+ Increase Decrease
SOCIETY ORGANIZATION											
Number of Societies	81	22	6	28	52	95	168	4	456	461	5-
Membership	1000	701	533	472	1163	1804	7223	110	13006	12294	712+
Average No. Reporting	272	185	450	200	—	—	2527	—	3634	3569	65+
Per Cent Reporting	27	26	84	43	—	—	35	—	30	29	1+
Number Baptized	37	18	57	5	—	—	218	6	341	2443	2102-
DEVOTION AND EDUCATION											
Number Observing											
Morning Watch	240	176	175	245	—	801	1119	18	2774	2759	15+
Bible Year or Character											
Classics Certificates Issued	137	16	121	—	—	228	22	9	533	1212	679-
Reading Course											
Certificates Issued	180	—	191	—	—	239	122	11	743	1607	864-
M.V. CLASSES											
M.V. Honours Issued ...	166	33	404	—	—	—	241	64	908	730	178+
Persons Invested (Friends, Companions, Guides)...	52	97	111	61	—	129	941	8	1399	2310	911-
Master Guides Invested	18	17	—	—	—	27	32	13	107	138	31-
EVANGELISTIC ACTIVITIES											
Bible Readings or											
Gospel Meetings	471	1929	360	96	—	3214	18114	56	24240	30138	5898-
Missionary Contacts	1262	8594	317	20	—	7956	10004	48	28210	28916	706-
Literature Distributed ...	114240	21067	626	7337	—	75142	9774	979	229165	188600	40565+
WELFARE ACTIVITIES											
Clothing Given Away ...	—	1245	55	—	—	—	38	122	1460	—	1460+
Persons Helped	4395	376	366	—	—	518	2325	5	7985	67335	59350-
Treatments Given	—	—	48	—	—	70	227	32	377	—	377+

Report of the Educational Institutions for the Year 1951

NAME	ADDRESS	No. of Buildings	No. of Acres	Capacity	Grades		Grades 13-16	Teachers	Other Employees	Grades Done	Library No. of Vols.	Laboratory	Manual Training Facilities	Stud. Grad. Grade 12	Graduated Grade 14	Graduated Grade 16	Students Entered Work
					Grades 1-8	Grades 9-12											
Bekwai Training School	Box 45, Bekwai, Gold Coast, West Africa	21	35	350	120	85	61	13	12	—	600	Yes	Yes	22	—	—	22
Danish Mission School	Vejlefjord, Daugaard, Denmark	16	90	100	23	56	7	8	8	1-14	1500	Yes	Yes	16	10	4	2
Ethiopian Union Training School	P.O. Box 145, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	15	30	160	160	65	—	8	5	1-10	800	Yes	No	—	—	—	3
Finland Mission School	Toivonlinna, Piikkio, Finland	25	112	170	—	104	—	8	9	8-10	1650	Yes	Yes	24	—	—	12
Iceland Mission School	Box 262, Reykjavik, Iceland	2	—	60	—	19	—	2	3	—	—	No	No	—	—	—	—
Liberian Mission School	Konola, Monrovia, Liberia, W. Africa	5	80	100	62	10	—	5	1	1-10	—	No	No	5	—	—	1
Netherlands Missionary School	Amersfoortsestraatweg 18, Huis ter Heide, Netherlands	13	88	75	—	12	8	6	5	9-15	—	Yes	No	4	3	1	—
Newbold Missionary College	Bracknell, Berks., England	7	70	100	—	33	64	9	5	9-15	4000	Yes	No	26	—	26	—
Nigerian Training College	Ihie, (via Nbwaso) Nigeria, W. Africa	18	104	80	175	—	—	18	9	1-8	3000	No	No	43	—	—	43
Onsrud Mission School	Algarheim, Norway	7	200	90	7	27	35	15	7	7-14	2500	Yes	Yes	11	5	6	—
Swedish Mission School	Ekebyholm, Rimbo, Sweden	13	1400	150	—	50	12	9	12	9-14	3000	Yes	Yes	15	10	5	—
Total 1951		142	2209	1435	547	461	187	101	76		17050			166	28	42	2
Total 1950		137	3181	1510	439	382	208	85	69		17240			112	51	34	11

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	£	882 5 6	—	18 16 2	12 0 6	—
South England	£	49716 17 4	5 2½	27127 19 8	5408 9 6	2146 4 6
North England	£	24194 6 1	4 7¼	17144 16 4	2832 19 10	785 2 0
Welsh Mission	£	5385 6 6	4 5½	4177 12 3	744 8 2	247 11 4
Scottish Mission	£	4245 9 5	5 0½	3256 14 9	505 7 2	165 3 11
North Ireland Mission ...	£	1892 16 10	4 6¼	1723 2 1	245 3 3	72 2 0
Eire Mission	£	962 14 6	10 10½	186 15 11	119 19 3	15 17 9
Total 1951	£	87279 16 2	5 0½	53635 17 2	9868 7 8	3432 1 6
Total 1951	\$	248747.45	0.72	152862.20	28124.89	9781.42
Total 1950	\$	237550.37	0.70	150347.26	26182.58	9289.86
EAST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE						
East Nordic Union	S. Kr.	—	—	—	—	—
North Swedish	S. Kr.	348316.98	3.61	175504.76	35672.36	13178.60
South Swedish	S. Kr.	314487.08	3.83	171997.49	31845.45	12120.86
Finland Swedish	F. Mk.	4249831.00	142.38	1500407.00	422002.00	176886.00
West Finland	F. Mk.	14130354.00	127.46	4035224.00	1293625.00	306057.00
East Finland	F. Mk.	12760995.00	121.37	4024864.00	1267622.00	250781.00
Total 1951	S. Kr.	1441333.55	3.40	586514.60	142099.00	43642.60
Total 1951	\$	288266.71	0.68	117302.92	28419.80	8728.52
Total 1950	\$	236257.79	0.57	105149.05	24209.52	7504.89
ETHIOPIAN UNION MISSION						
Ethiopian Union	Eth. \$	34914.77	1.03	*8794.09	5272.56	1135.56
Total 1951						
*(11 months only) ...	\$	14315.06	0.42	*3605.58	2161.75	465.58
Total 1950	\$	12437.84	0.49	6386.08	2549.20	650.06
NETHERLAND UNION CONFERENCE						
North Netherland	Fl.	116401.69	1.91	32272.61	6918.56	1608.01
South Netherland	Fl.	112019.88	2.20	30239.20	6845.09	1313.46
Total 1951	Fl.	228421.57	2.04	62511.81	13763.65	2921.47
Total 1951	\$	61673.83	0.55	16878.18	3716.18	788.80
Total 1950	\$	57004.83	0.52	14589.42	3133.97	567.35
POLISH UNION CONFERENCE						
NO REPORT			NO REPORT			
WEST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE						
West Nordic Union	N. Kr.	18355.19	—	—	—	—
East Danish	D. Kr.	468426.96	4.63	173816.58	45981.93	17005.00
West Danish	D. Kr.	326918.87	3.71	171108.65	42843.13	13839.53
East Norway	N. Kr.	552468.67	4.20	221153.60	52929.60	16122.73
West Norway	N. Kr.	245921.17	3.78	115918.06	23892.26	8555.13
North Norway	N. Kr.	137286.87	3.24	67849.53	16906.00	5263.67
Total 1951	N. Kr.	1749377.73	4.09	749846.42	182552.92	60786.06
Total 1951	\$	262406.66	0.61	112476.97	27382.94	9117.91
Total 1950	\$	244516.76	0.58	110954.45	27223.86	8833.30
WEST AFRICAN UNION MISSION						
West African Union ...	£	15513 9 6	0 7¼	9854 6 4	3024 12 4	850 15 5
Total 1951	\$	44213.40	0.09	28084.80	8620.15	2424.70
Total 1950	\$	38095.00	0.09	23177.33	7833.20	1355.98
ICELAND MISSION						
Iceland Mission	I. Kr.	286750.90	17.02	158209.44	31018.88	5936.00
Total 1951	\$	17921.93	1.06	9888.09	1938.68	371.00
Total 1950	\$	16043.23	0.97	10728.02	2160.00	434.95
Grand Totals for 1951	\$	913481.00	0.49	441098.74	100364.39	31677.93
Grand Totals for 1950	\$	841905.82	0.48	421331.61	93292.33	28636.39

EUROPEAN DIVISION FOR THE YEAR 1951

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 Tithes	Total Contributions for Home Missionary Work	Total Contributions for Local Church Work	
145 19 5	16982 15 4	1403 10 4	1 4 2	5 11 6	—	—	—	—	
24 13 11	12603 0 10	494 10 0	329 15 7	528 6 0	2 10 1/2	54.6	181 6 7	4422 18 8	
—	2755 11 6	89 18 5	147 9 8	192 7 11	3 3 1/2	70.9	53 11 3	3593 2 10	
—	2227 2 3	158 12 8	49 19 8	281 16 3	3 5 1/2	77.6	18 18 5	533 7 0	
—	1279 13 3	88 8 6	46 7 4	125 5 0	3 10 1/2	76.7	4 16 7	535 14 10	
8 10	—	29 0 0	21 5 0	14 7 1	4 1 1/2	91.0	5 6 2	198 8 9	
—	—	—	12 13 6	5 5 0	2 1 1/2	19.4	—	132 12 6	
171 2 2	35848 3 2	2263 19 11	608 14 11	1152 18 9	3 1 1/2	61.4	263 19 0	9416 4 7	
487.66	102167.25	6452.39	1734.92	3285.88	0.44	61.4	752.26	26836.25	
535.71	99042.98	4247.72	1818.51	8542.02	0.44	63.3	324.76	23709.35	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
27.75	106529.31	16172.97	3055.31	622.61	1.82	50.4	27925.43	23107.73	
8.55	106238.90	15859.51	2226.31	3161.61	2.10	54.7	20102.55	16685.53	
2775.00	596614.00	217896.00	73498.00	9736.00	50.27	35.3	1031463.00	51830.00	
—	1684019.00	588095.00	151035.00	8543.00	36.40	28.5	754838.00	—	
—	1406652.00	604469.00	473535.00	17005.00	38.28	31.5	1223383.00	194000.00	
105.70	304950.30	67293.95	22733.25	4666.40	1.38	40.7	123270.10	45939.05	
21.14	60990.06	13458.79	4546.65	933.28	0.28	40.7	24654.02	9187.81	
21.63	56963.03	10935.95	3699.51	1489.16	0.25	44.5	13483.04	6292.61	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
107.61	667.82	1383.10	30.00	—	0.28	25.2	—	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
44.12	273.81	567.07	12.30	—	0.11	25.2	—	—	
32.58	34.85	2997.21	—	77.49	0.25	51.3	—	42.60	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	13474.13	7489.11	2292.67	490.13	0.53	27.7	410.23	15707.83	
—	11659.84	7652.18	2096.41	672.22	0.59	27.0	350.59	7597.72	
—	25133.97	15141.29	4389.08	1162.35	0.56	27.3	760.82	23305.55	
—	6786.18	4088.15	1185.05	313.82	0.15	27.3	205.42	6292.49	
—	5382.55	4002.44	1174.61	328.50	0.13	25.6	100.29	6655.34	
NO REPORT					NO REPORT				
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	79996.06	24948.33	4576.13	425.00	1.72	37.1	7397.70	3664.80	
—	86519.52	23922.60	3773.54	10.00	1.94	52.3	1584.70	18806.20	
—	124743.00	22817.80	4266.47	—	1.68	40.0	33790.20	25000.00	
—	69693.73	11810.14	1850.80	20.00	1.78	47.1	4119.40	23985.00	
—	38340.06	5882.20	1389.60	—	1.60	49.4	3115.10	4090.50	
—	399292.37	89381.07	15856.54	455.00	1.75	42.9	50007.10	75546.50	
—	59893.86	13407.16	2378.48	68.25	0.26	42.9	7501.07	11331.98	
63.03	57395.99	13797.86	3218.35	148.87	0.26	45.3	19373.49	7056.96	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	5237 18 9	653 4 11	87 2 4	12 7	0.4 1/2	63.5	5237 18 9	—	
—	14928.13	1861.75	248.28	1.79	0.05	63.5	14928.12	—	
—	11980.88	1665.18	250.73	91.36	0.05	60.8	11980.88	—	
—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	
—	95281.92	24189.76	937.28	300.00	9.39	55.2	33164.94	19960.98	
—	5955.12	1511.86	58.58	18.75	0.59	55.2	2072.81	1247.56	
—	6974.16	661.83	413.57	47.30	0.65	32.7	1335.85	646.41	
552.92	250994.41	41347.17	10164.26	4621.77	0.24	48.2	50113.70	54896.09	
652.95	237774.44	38308.19	10575.28	10724.70	0.24	50.0	46598.31	44403.27	

PUBLISHING DEPARTMENT OF THE NORTHERN EUROPEAN DIVISION

Report of Colporteur Work for the Year 1951

NAME OF CONFERENCE OR MISSION	BOOK SALES INCLUDING HELPS				SALES OF MAGAZINES				Total Value Orders In Dollars	Total Value Books and Magazines Delivered In Dollars	Deliveries 1950 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	Total Value of Orders					
BRITISH UNION CONFERENCE												
South England ...	48	57339	£ 9353 10 6	—	—	£ 10945 9 0	20298 19 6	\$ 57852.08	51866.92	—		
North England ...	38	37778	£ 13712 5 5	—	—	£ 6627 19 2	20340 4 7	\$ 57969.66	49470.76	—		
Welsh Mission	7	9928	£ 3561 6 2	—	—	£ 1994 13 7	5555 19 9	\$ 15834.56	13786.64	—		
Scottish Mission ...	13	17678	£ 2932 12 8	—	—	£ 3227 3 6	6159 16 2	\$ 17555.45	15887.41	—		
Northern Ireland and Eire Mission	11	11302	£ 3249 8 3	—	—	£ 1110 7 4	4359 15 7	\$ 12425.37	12979.81	—		
Total	117	134025	£ 32809 3 0	—	—	£ 23905 12 7	56714 15 7	\$ 161637.12	143991.54	129128.50		
EAST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE												
North Swedish ...	12	15441	Skr. 165379	2537	—	Skr. 34203	199582	\$ 39916.36	34198.60	—		
South Swedish ...	19	21248	Skr. 185807	4033	—	Skr. 49748	235555	\$ 47110.95	40371.20	—		
Finland-Swedish ...	4	7639	Fmk. 3565001	66	—	Fmk. 29170	3594171	\$ 17970.80	16991.86	—		
West Finland	42	60317	Fmk. 22194262	21939	—	Fmk. 10266495	32460757	\$ 162303.73	151748.86	—		
East Finland	30	47826	Fmk. 14098206	18074	—	Fmk. 8989679	23087885	\$ 115439.37	107890.68	—		
Total	107	152471	\$ 269524.40	46649	—	\$ 113216.80	382741.20	\$ 382741.20	351201.20	259232.12		
ETHIOPIAN UNION MISSION												
			NO REPORT				NO REPORT			NO REPORT		
NETHERLAND UNION CONFERENCE												
North Netherland	12	16735	Fl. 34624.00	—	59870	Fl. 20595.00	55219.00	\$ 14909.13	14909.13	—		
South Netherland	12	14527	Fl. 29596.00	—	33591	Fl. 12552.00	42148.00	\$ 11379.96	11379.96	—		
Total	24	31262	Fl. 64220.00	—	93461	Fl. 33147.00	97367.00	\$ 26289.09	26289.09	30893.40		
POLISH UNION CONFERENCE												
Total				NO REPORT				NO REPORT			NO REPORT	
											\$10064.14	
WEST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE												
East Denmark	12	12353	Dkr. 51232.40	5312	7199	Dkr. 74703.80	125936.20	\$ 18890.42	17411.01	—		
West Denmark	15	23096	Dkr. 104920.16	6051	4805	Dkr. 75601.20	180521.36	\$ 27078.20	25169.96	—		
East Norway	18	28654	Nkr. 354112.08	12576	3460	Nkr. 154506.80	508618.88	\$ 76292.82	64450.62	—		
West Norway	9	12975	Nkr. 151214.65	9715	4577	Nkr. 121126.25	272340.90	\$ 40851.12	35692.64	—		
North Norway	6	8688	Nkr. 69220.00	4127	1262	Nkr. 50538.50	119758.50	\$ 17963.76	15158.91	—		
Total	60	85765	\$ 109604.85	37781	21303	\$ 71471.47	181076.32	\$ 181076.32	157883.14	152222.46		
WEST AFRICAN UNION MISSION												
East Nigeria	6	12181	£ 3056 4 11	—	6	£ 1 5 6	3057 10 5	\$ 8713.93	3470.78	—		
Gold Coast	16	21107	£ 9058 3 3	—	2220	£ 174 13 11	9232 17 2	\$ 26313.64	16445.95	—		
Ivory Coast	—	—	NO WORK			—	NO WORK		NO WORK			
Liberia	1	327	£ 233 12 4	—	—	£ 16 19 2	250 11 6	\$ 714.13	385.64	—		
North Nigeria	—	—	NO WORK			—	NO WORK		NO WORK			
Sierra Leone	1	210	£ 47 10 0	—	—	£ —	47 10 0	\$ 135.37	19.38	—		
West Nigeria	2	1732	£ 854 1 2	—	—	£ 10 10 1	864 11 3	\$ 2464.00	423.96	—		
Total	26	35557	£ 13249 11 8	—	2226	£ 203 8 8	13453 0 4	\$ 38341.07	20745.71	12125.20		
ICELAND MISSION												
Iceland Mission ...	5	1434	Ikr. 40063.00	—	—	Ikr. —	40063.00	\$ 2503.93	2503.93	5835.17		
Grand Totals, 1951	339	440514	\$ 530239.96	84430	116990	\$ 262348.77	792588.73	\$ 792588.73	702614.61	—		
Grand Totals, 1950	330	429494	\$ 443479.25	—	—	\$ 219566.59	663045.84	\$ 663045.84	599500.99	599500.99		

Report of the Publishing Houses for the Year 1951

NAME	ADDRESS	Book Sales	Periodical Sales	Total Value Literature Sold	Buildings	Employees	Periodicals	Languages
Advent Press	P.O. Box 19, Ibadan, Nigeria, West Africa	\$ 2091.40	—	\$ 2091.40	3	16	3	3
Book and Bible House	S.D.A. Mission, P.O. Box 480, Kumasi, Gold Coast, W. Africa	\$ 17372.99	—	\$ 17372.99	—	3	4	2
Copenhagen Publishing House	Suomisvej 5, Copenhagen, Denmark	\$ 29040.50	\$ 39355.41	\$ 68395.91	1	8	7	1
Finland Publishing House	Annegatan 7, Helsinki, Finland	\$ 215907.00	\$ 106646.00	\$ 322553.00	—	16	6	2
Iceland Publishing House	P.O. Box 262, Reykjavik, Iceland	\$ 3345.31	—	\$ 3345.31	—	—	2	1
Netherland Publishing House	van Weede van Dijkveldstraat 77, The Hague, Holland	\$ 12585.86	\$ 10035.48	\$ 22621.34	1	5	7	1
Norwegian Publishing House	Akersgt. 74, Oslo, Norway Stanborough Park, Watford, England	\$ 85179.71	\$ 76357.21	\$ 161536.92	1	32	7	1
Stanborough Press Ltd.	Tunnelgatan 25, Stockholm, Sweden	\$ 136821.39	\$ 53711.40	\$ 190532.79	1	48	4	1
Stockholm Publishing House		\$ 76386.00	\$ 45864.00	\$ 122250.00	1	13	9	1
	Total 1951	\$ 578730.16	\$ 331969.50	\$ 910699.66	8	141	49	13
	Total 1950	\$ 491928.44	\$ 294884.64	\$ 786813.08	5	125	39	8

Report of the Sanitariums for the Year 1951

NAME	ADDRESS	No. of Buildings	No. of Acres	Capacity	Persons Treated	Charity Work	Physicians	Nurses	Other Employees	Total Employees
Gimbie Hospital	Gimbie, Wollega, Ethiopia	8	4	50	15452	\$ 300	1	2	20	23
Heile Selassie No.1 Hospital	Debra Tabor, Begemder, Ethiopia	1	—	26	5736	\$ 820	1	2	8	11
Hopeanemi Sanitarium	Nummela, Finland	4	7	20	354	\$ 280	1	1	8	10
Hultafors Sanitarium	Hultafors, Sweden	13	250	130	1817	\$ 3930	2	26	75	103
Ile-Ife Mission Hospital	Ile-Ife, Nigeria, West Africa	18	98	90	48000	\$ 1000	2	24	46	72
Nyhyttan Sanitarium	Jarnboas, Sweden	8	585	63	1193	\$ 3938	1	10	50	60
Skodsborg Sanitarium	Skodsborg, Denmark	25	12	257	4192	\$ 15967	6	32	244	282
Skogli Sanitarium	Lillehammer, Norway	4	20	50	563	\$ 350	1	6	23	30
Stanboroughs Hydro	Stanborough Park, Watford, England	2	30	57	1497	\$ 2613	2	21	30	53
Zauditu Memorial Hospital	P.O. Box 145, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	16	2	85	53920	\$ 15580	2	6	98	106
	Total 1951	99	1008	828	132724	\$ 44778	19	130	602	750
	Total 1950	89	908	883	90341	\$ 46603	18	128	594	740

Report of the Treatment Rooms for the Year 1951

NAME	ADDRESS	Capacity	Persons Treated	Charity Work	Physicians	Nurses	Other Employees	Total Employees
Copenhagen Clinic	St. Kongensgade 36-38, Copenhagen, Denmark	200	34508	\$ 300	—	12	10	22
Ekebyholm Summer Sanitarium	Rimbo, Sweden	75	263	\$ 100	1	6	55	62
Helsingfors Hydro-Electric Institute	Annegatan 7, Helsinki, Finland	70	9663	\$ 187	1	3	2	6
Oslo Health Home	Akersgt. 74, Oslo, Norway	260	60290	\$ 417	—	19	33	52
Ranelagh Health Institute	47 Ranelagh Road, Dublin, Eire	10	760	\$ 142	—	2	1	3
Stockholm Hydro-Electric Institute	Humlegardsgatan 18, Stockholm, Sweden	90	16503	\$ 318	—	11	3	14
Toivonlinna Summer Sanitarium	Piikkio, Finland	85	354	\$ —	—	6	33	39
	Total 1951	790	122341	\$ 1464	2	59	137	198
	Total 1950	675	124735	\$ 976	1	47	101	149

Home Missionary Report for the Year 1951

	British Union	East Nordic Union	Ethiopian Union Mission	Netherland Union	Polish Union (1950 Figures)	West Nordic Union	West African Union Mission	Iceland Mission	Total 1951	Total 1950	Increase
Church Membership ...	6772	8390	722	2186	3032	8306	10377	360	40145	35365	4780
Number Reporting ...	1675	1155	234	406	—	967	2850	10	7297	6604	693
Per Cent Reporting ...	25	14	32	18	—	11	27	4	18	18.6	-6
MISSIONARY ACTIVITIES											
Bible Readings	6103	10615	527	3221	—	15865	20714	858	57903	52987	4916
Missionary Visits	22899	64612	901	228	—	25400	11243	355	125638	93899	31739
No. taken to Services	—	—	—	—	—	583	756	—	1339	7208	-5869
People Helped	25699	6782	356	1440	—	3494	11004	115	48890	60214	-11324
Treatments Given	4163	317	41	—	—	—	701	—	5222	4460	762
Clothing Given Away	6848	14655	114	1269	—	13406	1330	455	38072	43402	-5325
Literature Distributed	801780	313233	1680	75683	—	329902	19080	20794	1562152	1471760	90392
Souls Won	307	465	91	49	—	296	2156	28	3392	2953	439

Some Comments on the Figures

(Concluded from page 1.)

cerning certain statistics prepared by governmental bureaux and departmental or business concerns. But it is most certainly not true regarding our denominational statistical reports which are issued from time to time by our various organizations, from the General Conference down to the smallest church group or Sabbath-school. For these statistics, whether they deal with membership, number of organizations and workers, or with tithes and mission offerings, or institutional activities, represent not merely the results of human efforts, but the united efforts of the human and the divine.

Take, for instance, the figures which represent the tithes and offerings, and meditate upon the various facts they reveal. They speak of loving and cheerful sacrifice on the part of men and women whose hearts have been touched by love for the One who Himself loved and gave the greatest gift of all—His only-begotten Son as a ransom for the world.

Looking at these statistics in this light, brethren and sisters, these figures become alive, and testify to faithfulness and integrity on the part of the membership of God's remnant church, and instead of these figures being dry and boring, they come to us with refreshing as the "dew of Hermon."

We wish to call your attention to the statistical columns, which have to do with the tithes and offerings and we shall make just a few observations on the grand totals. For the sake of having a monetary standard which we are all more or less acquainted with, seeing that we use so many different currencies in the Division, the

comparative figures under each union as well as in the grand totals, are given in dollars. While we shall mention here only the grand totals, we invite you also to study your own Union figures as well.

First, we notice that the total tithe for 1951 amounts to \$913,481.00, which is an increase of \$71,575.12. One of the unions has not reported; however, if we could have had the figures also from there, the tithe would have amounted to about \$1,000,000.00. It is really marvellous what the Advent people in this Division have accomplished in this respect.

Then when we note the total mission offerings for the year, we see that no less than \$441,098.74 was contributed, including the results of the Ingathering campaign. This represents an increase of nearly \$20,000.00 for the year 1951 over the previous year.

Of this increase we notice further that approximately \$10,000.00 is registered with the total Sabbath-school offerings. The Ingathering campaign brought an increase of about \$13,000.00 and the Week of Prayer and Sacrifice offering exceeded last year's attainment by \$3,038.98. This result is especially heartening, inasmuch as 1951 was the first year that the Week of Prayer offering and that of the Week of Sacrifice, were combined, and many had thought that for that reason we might receive less. There was a noticeable decrease in the Miscellaneous offerings, but they do fluctuate from year to year for very obvious reasons and this gave us no cause for concern.

We have every reason to be truly grateful to God for all His blessings to His people, thus enabling them to give liberally to the cause. But lest we settle down complacently, feeling that we hold a good record in giving, doing better from year to

year, let me refer to one weak point in the statistical report we present. We notice in the column referring to percentage of offerings to the tithe, that this has dropped from 50 per cent to 48.2 per cent. Somehow we have not given quite as much in mission offerings in 1951 as we did in 1950, when we consider our tithed income.

In closing we wish to express to all our people in the Division our sincere appreciation and thanks for the loyal support of the work at home and in the mission fields that has been rendered in 1951.

"Honour the Lord with thy substance, and with the first-fruits of all thine increase." Prov. 3:9.

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