



# Formidable Figures

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THE statistical supplement each year brings to us an array of what can truly be called "formidable figures." However, as we peruse these pages, the figures they portray are not only informative, but are truly inspiring. Naturally, it is impossible for figures to give the complete story they are intended to portray. It is only as we endeavour to visualize the service and faith behind the figures that we can capture a true picture of the progress they represent. Therefore, as you study the reports from each department, we invite you to remember the purpose and objective of every agency which the Lord has placed within the church during these last days.

Naturally, the membership figures probably receive our first attention, for these represent the ultimate results of all our evangelistic effort. When the Northern European Division was re-organized in 1950, the baptized membership was 36,719. The present report indicates that at the close of 1957 the church membership was 53,226, giving an increase of 16,507. Each of the union conferences reports an encouraging gain in membership during the past year, with baptisms numbering 3,581, revealing that the various evangelistic agencies within the church have been blessed of the Lord.

Your attention is also particularly

called to the most encouraging figures representing the tithes and offerings brought into the treasury by a sacrificial membership. It should always be remembered that the greatest asset that the Advent cause has today, is the loyalty and faithfulness of our members within the church.

One of the most modern agencies placed within the church is that represented by the Radio and Bible Correspondence

Schools, and the figures reported from this department will undoubtedly make most inspiring reading, inasmuch as all our workers and members throughout the whole Division make some contribution to this modern form of evangelism.

As these figures are presented to our constituency throughout the Division it is with deep gratitude to God and heartfelt thanks to all who have made such formidable figures possible.

## Membership Report for the Year 1957

	Baptisms for 1957	Net Increase for 1957	Church Membership December 31, 1957
British Union .....	448	171	8252
Ethiopian Union Mission .....	402	385	1881
Finland Union .....	340	140	4823
Greenland Mission .....	—	—	3
Iceland Conference .....	5	-1	366
Netherland Union .....	113	91	2527
Polish Union .....	106	106	3256
Swedish Union .....	131	3	3913
West African Union Mission .....	1745	627	19400
West Nordic Union .....	291	41	8805
TOTAL	3581	1563	53226



## Missionary Volunteer Report for the Year 1957

	British Union	Ethiopian Union Mission	Finland Union	Iceland Conference	Netherland Union	Polish Union (1950 Figures)	Swedish Union	West African Union Mission	West Nordic Union	Total 1957	Total 1956	+ - Increase Decrease
<b>SOCIETY ORGANIZATION</b>												
Number of Societies .....	129	7	13	3	35	52	38	346	112	735	718	17+
Membership .....	2289	546	485	173	687	1163	715	8896	4013	18967	15933	3034+
Average No. Reporting .....	469	—	174	—	3	—	136	3599	—	4381	3774	607+
Per Cent Reporting .....	20	—	36	—	—	—	19	40	—	23	24	1—
Number Baptized .....	36	48	44	—	37	—	21	650	64	900	1483	583—
<b>DEVOTION AND EDUCATION</b>												
Number Observing Morning Watch .....	673	131	272	72	348	—	281	5070	1473	8320	5841	2479+
Bible Year or Character Classics Certificates Issued .....	23	75	331	34	59	—	47	523	61	1153	669	484+
Reading Course Certificates Issued .....	236	42	36	—	87	—	68	91	487	1047	832	215+
<b>MV CLASSES</b>												
MV Honours Issued .....	492	—	5	57	54	—	—	119	898	1625	1788	163—
Persons Invested (Friends, Companions, Guides) .....	178	109	57	39	109	—	73	705	330	1600	1488	112+
Master Guides Invested ...	30	5	13	9	3	—	8	13	72	153	133	20+
<b>EVANGELISTIC ACTIVITIES</b>												
Bible Readings or Gospel Meetings .....	674	—	948	68	106	—	254	11903	5000	18953	10509	8444+
Missionary Contacts .....	1807	—	6702	250	36	—	1012	17159	8342	35308	24014	11294+
Literature Distributed .....	212086	—	8226	245	35124	—	18768	14353	188124	476926	399313	77613+
<b>WELFARE ACTIVITIES</b>												
Clothing Given Away .....	185	—	280	—	645	—	37	2181	3123	6451	6156	295+
Person Helped .....	8276	—	227	—	64	—	67	17057	338	26029	17741	8288+
Treatments Given .....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	7176	25	7201	1917	5284+

## Report of the Educational Institutions for the Year 1957

NAME	ADDRESS	No. of Buildings	No. of Acres	Capacity	Grades 1—8	Grades 9—12	Grades 13—16	Teachers	Other Employees	Grades Done	Library No. of Vols.	Laboratory	Manual Training Facilities	Stud. Grad.	Grade 12	Grade 14	Grade 16	Students Entered Work
Bekwai Training School	P.O. Box 45, Bekwai, Ghana, West Africa	33	35	240	183	127	52	16	8	1-14	1975	Yes	No	60	34	25	—	20
Danish Mission School	Vejlefjord Hojskole, Daugaard, Denmark	15	99	120	18	110	12	13	4	1-14	2500	Yes	Yes	60	19	14	—	5
Ethiopian Union Training School	P.O. Box 145, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	15	110	300	490	79	—	23	11	1-12	500	Yes	Yes	—	—	—	—	—
Finland Mission School	Toivonlinnan Kristillinen Opisto, Piikkio, Finland	28	112	160	—	128	6	10	9	7-12	3425	Yes	Yes	19	5	—	—	3
Iceland Mission School	Hlidardalsskoli, Olfus, Iceland	8	25600	50	—	50	—	5	3	8-10	300	No	Yes	8	—	—	—	—
Liberian Mission School	Konola, P.O. Box 52, Monrovia, Liberia, West Africa	19	45	145	132	13	—	8	10	1-11	50	Yes	No	12	—	—	—	—
Netherlands Mission School	Huize "Oud-Zandbergen," Amersfoortseweg 18, Gem. Zeist, Netherlands	15	90	60	—	9	16	6	8	7-13	2000	Yes	No	2	2	—	—	—
Newbold Missionary College	Bracknell, Berkshire, England	12	84	250	49	23	117	12	7	1-16	8000	Yes	Yes	19	—	8	11	14
Nigerian Training College	Ihie, via N'bawsi, East Nigeria, West Africa	* 30	91	400	200	198	—	25	17	1-12	1000	Yes	Yes	32	—	—	—	32
Otun Training College	Otun-Ekiti, via Oshogbo, Nigeria, West Africa	15	29	60	—	—	61	5	2	—	500	No	Yes	28	—	—	—	18
Stanboroughs Secondary School	Stanborough Park, Watford, Herts., England	2	35	366	166	135	6	16	2	1-14	1400	Yes	Yes	17	8	3	—	1
Swedish Mission School	Ekebyholmsskolan, Rimbo, Sweden	16	1800	123	1238	118	5	9	27	9-14	3800	Yes	No	15	—	—	—	3
* 1956 figures	TOTAL 1957 .....	208	28130	2274	2476	990	275	148	108		25450			272	68	50	11	96
	TOTAL 1956 .....	163	28695	2390	1143	845	143	131	82		23390			201	49	22	6	98

# TREASURER'S REPORT OF NORTHERN E

NAME OF CONFERENCE OR MISSION	Tithe	T.the (weekly per Capita)	Total Offerings	Sabbath School Offerings 12 Sabbaths	13th Sabbath Offering	Birthday Offering	
<b>BRITISH UNION CONFERENCE</b>							
Irish Mission .....	£ 483 10 4	---	---	---	---	---	
North England Conference ...	£ 3949 8 10	6 9	2600 2 3	468 18 11	95 9 6	3 3 6	
Scottish Mission .....	£ 41645 0 11	6 6½	27431 0 9	3922 18 11	823 2 1	77 1 7	
South England Conference	£ 6543 2 11	4 10½	4550 12 2	580 1 11	175 2 5	23 1 0	
Welsh Mission .....	£ 85056 9 6	7 10½	43171 12 10	8184 5 4	2387 5 7	264 1 5	
TOTAL 1957 .....	£ 145879 15 7	7 1½	83460 14 4	13993 15 0	3740 12 0	383 8 7	
TOTAL 1957 .....	\$ 408463.39	1.00	233690.00	39182.49	10473.70	1073.60	
TOTAL 1956 .....	\$ 373626.27	0.92	224943.71	37478.16	10943.36	979.85	
<b>ETHIOPIAN UNION MISSION</b>							
Central Ethiopian Mission ...	Eth. \$ 25184.30	---	---	---	---	---	
Eritrea-Tigre Mission .....	Eth. \$ 20565.40	1.44	8846.23	3945.22	869.58	30.61	
Northeast Ethiopian Mission	Eth. \$ 2165.30	0.21	363.08	298.08	45.00	---	
Northwest Ethiopian Mission	Eth. \$ 1727.70	0.42	658.41	469.06	32.35	---	
South Ethiopian Mission ...	Eth. \$ 4566.23	0.19	2301.41	938.90	306.61	127.85	
West Ethiopian Mission .....	Eth. \$ 3023.80	0.21	1208.59	969.69	194.90	1.55	
TOTAL 1957 .....	Eth. \$ 61508.63	0.77	14153.84	7215.91	1596.10	160.01	
TOTAL 1957 .....	\$ 25218.54	0.32	5803.05	2958.53	654.38	65.60	
TOTAL 1956 .....	\$ 24374.82	0.34	5257.44	2460.51	523.45	41.53	
<b>FINLAND UNION CONFERENCE</b>							
East Finland Conference ...	Fmk. 1072500.00	---	---	---	---	---	
West Finland Conference ...	Fmk. 22091376.00	181.32	8013721.00	2734940.00	775772.00	5200.00	
TOTAL 1957 .....	Fmk. 43901169.00	182.66	15653720.00	5366246.00	1496153.00	16640.00	
TOTAL 1957 .....	\$ 131703.51	0.55	46961.16	16098.75	4488.46	49.92	
TOTAL 1956 .....	\$ 108002.57	0.45	40374.90	14757.50	2793.79	76.65	
<b>GREENLAND MISSION</b>							
TOTAL 1957 .....	Dkr. 1886.67	12.09	195.00	135.00	20.00	---	
TOTAL 1957 .....	\$ 283.00	1.81	29.25	20.25	3.00	---	
TOTAL 1956 .....	\$ 219.30	1.41	27.00	18.00	3.00	.75	
<b>ICELAND CONFERENCE</b>							
TOTAL 1957 .....	Ikr. 589133.30	30.46	302823.02	76868.08	19353.75	1842.00	
TOTAL 1957 .....	\$ 36820.83	1.90	18926.45	4804.25	1209.62	115.13	
TOTAL 1956 .....	\$ 36010.09	1.84	18713.43	4410.75	1027.61	37.51	
<b>NETHERLAND UNION CONFERENCE</b>							
North Netherland Conf. ...	Fl. 210221.45	3.23	62007.90	10158.89	6378.18	121.06	
South Netherland Conf. ...	Fl. 201640.54	3.45	65496.90	11132.38	5714.05	221.57	
TOTAL 1957 .....	Fl. 411861.99	3.33	127504.80	21291.27	12092.23	342.63	
TOTAL 1957 .....	\$ 111202.73	0.90	34426.30	9478.65	3264.89	92.50	
TOTAL 1956 .....	\$ 98388.13	0.81	29171.49	5095.86	2113.04	73.36	
<b>P O L I S H   U N I O N   C O N F E R E N C E</b>							
N O			R E P O R T			N O	R E P O R T
<b>SWEDISH UNION CONFERENCE</b>							
Finland-Swedish Conference	Skr. 7687.50	---	---	---	---	---	
North Swedish Conference	Fmk. 6950221.00	218.04	2359874.00	678529.00	201266.00	---	
South Swedish Conference	Skr. 473748.61	5.39	222251.60	45780.06	23939.01	623.00	
TOTAL 1957 .....	Skr. 1039101.50	5.10	466040.15	95162.95	43546.00	989.40	
TOTAL 1957 .....	\$ 207820.30	1.02	93208.03	19032.59	8709.20	197.88	
TOTAL 1956 .....	\$ 197652.12	0.97	93801.56	18599.51	7975.27	184.07	
<b>WEST AFRICAN UNION MISSION</b>							
East Nigerian Mission .....	£ 7406 3 4	0 4¾	4844 16 8	2239 18 6	765 2 8	4 17 5	
Ghana Mission .....	£ 11000 16 8	0 9¼	4493 9 11	1628 0 6	433 9 9	---	
Ivory Coast Mission .....	£ 769 15 0	2 5	645 17 4	207 19 4	32 19 11	---	
Liberian Mission .....	£ 1139 14 2	0 7½	965 0 5	271 4 10	326 6 7	1 4 8	
North Nigerian Mission .....	£ 877 13 4	0 10	334 15 4	230 12 6	38 19 5	2 2 3	
Sierra Leone Mission .....	£ 1779 6 8	0 11	632 14 9	300 3 0	79 18 11	1 19 6	
West Nigerian Mission .....	£ 5083 0 10	0 9½	2962 17 10	1422 6 0	291 8 0	7 17 2	
TOTAL 1957 .....	£ 28056 10 0	0 7½	14879 12 3	6300 4 8	1968 5 3	18 1 0	
TOTAL 1957 .....	\$ 78558.20	0.09	41662.92	17640.65	5511.12	50.53	
TOTAL 1956 .....	\$ 77671.30	0.09	44849.12	17029.01	5796.26	73.97	
<b>WEST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE</b>							
East Denmark Conference ...	Dkr. 715525.40	6.66	245370.16	65049.97	29163.05	2642.18	
East Norway Conference ...	Nkr. 827440.80	6.23	295636.05	72997.30	23277.49	235.25	
North Norway Conference ...	Nkr. 202615.05	4.68	90257.83	20814.15	8296.73	192.00	
West Denmark Conference	Dkr. 491330.00	4.99	248069.10	64620.22	21075.08	2015.52	
West Norway Conference ...	Nkr. 402519.54	5.47	151153.42	34711.88	11843.85	121.61	
TOTAL 1957 .....	Nkr. 2639430.79	5.79	1030486.56	258193.52	93656.20	5206.56	
TOTAL 1957 .....	\$ 395914.61	0.87	154572.98	38729.02	14048.43	780.99	
TOTAL 1956 .....	\$ 374975.39	0.83	154261.26	37483.46	13615.44	770.97	
<b>NORTHERN EUROPEAN DIVISION</b>							
British Union .....	\$ 408463.39	1.00	233690.00	39182.49	10473.70	1073.60	
Ethiopian Union Mission ...	\$ 25218.54	0.32	5803.05	2958.53	654.38	65.60	
Finland Union .....	\$ 131703.51	0.55	46961.16	16098.75	4488.46	49.92	
Greenland Mission .....	\$ 283.00	1.81	29.25	20.25	3.00	---	
Iceland Conference .....	\$ 36820.83	1.90	18926.45	4804.25	1209.62	115.13	
Netherland Union .....	\$ 111202.73	0.90	34426.30	9478.65	3264.89	92.50	
Polish Union .....	N O	R E P O R T	N O	R E P O R T	N O	R E P O R T	
Swedish Union .....	\$ 207820.30	1.02	93208.03	19032.59	8709.20	197.88	
West African Union Mission	\$ 78558.20	0.09	41662.92	17640.65	5511.12	50.53	
West Nordic Union .....	\$ 395914.61	0.87	154572.98	38729.02	14048.43	780.99	
DIVISION TOTALS, 1957	\$ 1395985.11	0.57	629280.14	144215.18	48362.80	2426.15	
DIVISION TOTALS, 1956	\$ 1290919.99	0.54	611399.91	137332.76	44791.22	2238.66	

# EUROPEAN DIVISION FOR THE YEAR 1957

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	
4 8 1 15 17 3	1890 15 1 22006 16 11 3549 12 8	106 8 0 378 15 6 140 14 9	20 18 10 153 19 3 60 12 2	10 0 4 52 9 3 21 7 3	4 5 1 4 3 3 3 5	65.8 65.9 69.5	23 10 3 1126 11 5 34 19 8	183 8 3 4950 18 11 762 1 1	
67 5 4 5 0	30157 13 11 4422 4 0	1660 7 9 124 5 9	319 10 8 38 3 10	131 2 10 9 4 4	4 0 4 0 4	50.8 69.6	1306 5 2 27 4 8	7957 14 11 1064 10 9	
87 15 8 245.79 326.15	62027 2 7 173675.96 163919.34	2410 11 9 6749.64 7536.94	593 4 9 1661.06 2165.80	224 4 0 627.76 1594.11	4 1 0.57 0.55	57.2 57.2 60.2	2518 11 2 7051.96 7727.03	14918 13 11 41772.35 40192.43	
436.03 5.00 145.05 97.00 11.35	---	3452.61 15.00 540.10 10.50	---	112.18 11.95 160.70 31.95 22.15	0.62 0.03 0.16 0.10 0.08 0.06	43.0 16.8 38.1 50.4 40.0 18.2	---	736.69 83.88 680.70 316.20 173.05 156.55	
694.43 284.72 60.80	---	4018.21 1647.46 1817.43	130.25 53.40 165.92	338.93 138.96 187.80	0.18 0.07 0.07	23.0 23.0 21.6	279.07 114.42 234.21	2147.07 880.30 560.88	
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NO REPORT					NO REPORT				
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44.00 8.80 7.57	286404.50 57280.90 53289.94	27008.25 5401.65 6201.90	9464.60 1892.92 2246.65	3420.45 684.09 5296.65	2.29 0.46 0.46	44.9 44.9 47.5	81698.80 16339.76 8915.95	49655.55 9931.11 9627.80	
8 10 0	1811 17 11 2383 14 4 404 18 1 366 3 7 60 1 6 244 18 5 1195 2 2	1 13 2 15 15 11 0 9 1 5 2 25 4 4	21 2 10 12 2 1 1 9 6 5 14 11 5 2 0	4 2 11 17 4 5 0 11 14 6	0 3 0 3 3 2 0 1 0 6 1 0 3 3 0 5 1	65.4 40.8 83.9 84.7 38.1 35.6 58.3	1053 9 0 ---	240 16 7 53 11 5 7 17 9 341 17 0	
12 13 8 35.52 76.49	6466 16 0 18107.05 20974.31	43 19 4 123.11 652.55	45 11 4 127.59 132.23	24 1 0 67.35 114.30	0 4 0.05 0.05	53.0 53.0 57.7	2173 5 9 6085.21 ---	644 2 9 1803.59 ---	
1252.65 35.00 12.00 783.75 ---	109468.23 162758.59 48779.94 129670.00 87447.50	31861.24 25587.81 6880.36 23917.44 11456.72	5932.84 6800.41 4420.92 5471.24 3898.33	3944.20 861.73 515.85 1673.53	2.28 2.22 2.08 2.52 2.05	34.3 35.7 44.5 50.5 37.6	13634.39 70742.74 3123.20 38667.34 6157.44	60000.00 10026.74 10595.59 33014.02	
2083.40 312.52 222.88	538124.26 80718.64 80734.54	99703.57 14955.53 15555.39	26523.74 3978.56 3722.42	6995.31 1049.29 2156.16	2.26 0.34 0.34	39.0 39.0 41.1	132325.11 19848.77 14348.15	113636.35 17045.45 14636.26	
245.79 284.72 ---	173675.96 18004.23 9043.07 16552.36	6749.64 1647.46 4786.40 1917.88 6010.20	1661.06 53.40 1950.67 6.00 2482.69	627.76 138.96 1582.73 1081.71 275.01	0.57 0.07 0.20 0.19 0.28	57.2 23.0 35.7 10.3 31.0	7051.96 114.42 10605.38 1378.10 1644.29	41772.35 880.30 541.92 1631.81 11028.41	
8.80 35.52 312.52	57280.90 18107.05 80718.64	NO REPORT 5401.65 123.11 14955.53	NO REPORT 1892.92 127.59 3978.56	684.09 67.35 1049.29	0.46 0.05 0.34	44.9 53.0 39.0	16339.76 6085.21 19848.77	9931.11 1803.59 17045.45	
887.35 693.89	373382.21 359750.48	41591.87 43417.30	12907.68 12631.64	5506.90 10543.96	0.26 0.25	45.1 47.4	63067.89 41178.36	84634.94 77176.23	

**PUBLISHING DEPARTMENT OF THE NORTHERN EUROPEAN DIVISION**

**Report of Colporteur Work for the Year 1957**

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 1956 In Dollars
<b>BRITISH UNION CONFERENCE</b>										
Irish Mission .....	6	11198	£ 2579 0 3	—	—	£ 2202 9 5	4781 9 8	\$ 13388.15	13470.86	14062.65
North England .....	39	40865	£ 14607 13 11	—	—	£ 10800 12 10	25408 6 9	\$ 71143.35	65443.98	72898.88
Scottish Mission .....	10	15941	£ 4516 7 3	—	—	£ 5057 15 1	9574 2 4	\$ 26807.53	24986.53	28354.41
South England .....	40	62157	£ 17684 7 6	—	—	£ 14938 11 9	32622 19 3	\$ 91344.29	81562.46	75553.74
Welsh Mission .....	10	16504	£ 5376 8 8	—	—	£ 6521 18 10	11898 7 6	\$ 33315.45	30675.08	22129.26
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>105</b>	<b>146665</b>	<b>£ 44763 17 7</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>£ 39521 7 11</b>	<b>84285 5 6</b>	<b>\$ 235998.77</b>	<b>216138.91</b>	<b>212998.94</b>
<b>ETHIOPIAN UNION MISSION NO REPORT</b>										
<b>FINLAND UNION CONFERENCE</b>										
East Finland .....	41	58423	Fmk. 29859440.00	9185	—	Fmk. 8193499.00	38052939.00	\$ 114158.82	106276.37	97888.54
West Finland .....	39	55240	Fmk. 29351892.00	7024	—	Fmk. 6507430.00	35859322.00	\$ 107577.97	103222.56	99766.91
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>113663</b>	<b>Fmk. 59211332.00</b>	<b>16209</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>Fmk. 14700929.00</b>	<b>73912261.00</b>	<b>\$ 221736.79</b>	<b>209498.93</b>	<b>197655.45</b>
<b>ICELAND CONFERENCE NO REPORT</b>										
<b>NETHERLAND UNION CONFERENCE</b>										
North Netherland ....	11	11679	Fl. 28416.00	10	22385	Fl. 11192.00	39608.00	\$ 10694.16	10668.51	12167.55
South Netherland ....	13	14846	Fl. 40661.00	3	42470	Fl. 21233.00	61894.00	\$ 16711.38	16682.76	13697.10
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>26525</b>	<b>Fl. 69077.00</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>64855</b>	<b>Fl. 32425.00</b>	<b>101502.00</b>	<b>\$ 27405.54</b>	<b>27351.27</b>	<b>25864.65</b>
<b>POLISH UNION CONFERENCE NO REPORT</b>										
<b>SWEDISH UNION CONFERENCE</b>										
Finland-Swedish .....	1	435	Skr. 72.00	466	—	Skr. 5343.00	5415.00	\$ 1083.00	1044.00	1148.60
North Swedish .....	8	14943	Skr. 221429.00	3002	—	Skr. 42850.00	264279.00	\$ 52855.80	41595.00	57249.80
South Swedish .....	7	11104	Skr. 132747.00	1327	—	Skr. 38859.00	171606.00	\$ 34321.20	28710.60	21822.80
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>26482</b>	<b>Skr. 354248.00</b>	<b>4795</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>Skr. 87052.00</b>	<b>441300.00</b>	<b>\$ 88260.00</b>	<b>71349.60</b>	<b>80221.20</b>
<b>WEST AFRICAN UNION MISSION</b>										
East Nigeria .....	15	29027	£ 12085 2 7	—	—	£ 17 3 6	12102 6 1	\$ 33886.45	17113.51	17778.91
Ghana .....	20	25602	£ 17850 16 1	—	—	£ 39 12 0	17890 8 1	\$ 50093.14	34057.24	25771.07
Ivory Coast .....	2	2271	£ 1037 19 6	—	—	£ —	1037 19 6	\$ 2906.33	2954.63	1699.47
Liberia .....	1	60	£ 38 13 9	—	—	£ —	38 13 9	\$ 108.33	97.13	—
North Nigeria .....	—	—	£ —	—	—	£ —	—	\$ —	—	—
Sierra Leone .....	—	—	£ —	—	—	£ —	—	\$ —	—	34.72
West Nigeria .....	7	12410	£ 2152 6 6	—	—	£ 5 18 6	2158 5 0	\$ 6043.10	5335.24	3616.95
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>69370</b>	<b>£ 33164 18 5</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>£ 62 14 0</b>	<b>33227 12 5</b>	<b>\$ 93037.35</b>	<b>59557.75</b>	<b>48901.12</b>
<b>WEST NORDIC UNION CONFERENCE</b>										
East Denmark .....	5	7994	Dkr. 41298.65	2633	2317	Dkr. 42441.00	83739.65	\$ 12560.95	12027.86	14726.14
East Norway .....	13	22265	Nkr. 224929.20	12845	6558	Nkr. 220939.25	445868.45	\$ 66880.27	65655.45	69688.09
North Norway .....	5	8609	Nkr. 166488.50	2650	2229	Nkr. 42583.00	209071.50	\$ 31360.73	26505.08	19971.84
West Denmark .....	10	16761	Dkr. 86528.42	2862	12736	Dkr. 57673.00	144201.42	\$ 21630.21	19878.67	16544.62
West Norway .....	10	15592	Nkr. 186451.25	8887	6557	Nkr. 150150.00	336601.25	\$ 50490.19	43458.86	41151.32
<b>TOTAL .....</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>71221</b>	<b>Nkr. 705696.02</b>	<b>29877</b>	<b>30397</b>	<b>Nkr. 513786.25</b>	<b>1219482.27</b>	<b>\$ 182922.35</b>	<b>167525.92</b>	<b>162082.01</b>
<b>GRAND TOTALS, 1957 ...</b>	<b>313</b>	<b>453926</b>	<b>\$ 591189.43</b>	<b>50894</b>	<b>95252</b>	<b>\$ 258171.37</b>	<b>849360.80</b>	<b>\$ 849360.80</b>	<b>751422.38</b>	<b>—</b>
<b>GRAND TOTALS, 1956 ...</b>	<b>321</b>	<b>450166</b>	<b>\$ 537623.41</b>	<b>57481</b>	<b>87588</b>	<b>\$ 290679.37</b>	<b>828302.78</b>	<b>\$ 828302.78</b>	<b>728798.99</b>	<b>728798.99</b>

## Report of the Publishing Houses for the Year 1957

NAME	ADDRESS	Book Sales	Periodical Sales	Total Value Literature Sold	Buildings	Employees	Periodicals	Languages
Advent Press	Box 0102, Accra, Ghana, West Africa	\$ 30837.93	\$ 1431.64	\$ 32269.57	2	23	3	5
Copenhagen Publishing House	Suomisvej 5, Copenhagen V, Denmark	\$ 28463.86	\$30576.99	\$ 59040.85	—	5	7	2
Finland Publishing House	Annankatu 7, Helsinki, Finland	\$189197.67	\$ 73732.00	\$262929.67	—	15	6	2
Iceland Publishing House	P.O. Box 262, Reykjavik, Iceland	\$ 3401.31	\$ 563.35	\$ 3964.66	—	—	2	1
Netherland Publishing House	van Weede van Dijkveldstraat 77, The Hague, Netherlands	\$ 12722.82	\$ 17088.29	\$ 29811.11	1	6	7	1
Norwegian Publishing House	Akersgaten 74, Oslo, Norway	\$ 91063.25	\$ 96490.51	\$187553.76	—	30	7	1
Stanborough Press Ltd.	Stanborough Park, Watford, Herts., England	\$278397.49	\$106845.06	\$385242.55	1	66	6	2
Swedish Publishing House	Tunnelgatan 25, Stockholm C, Sweden	\$ 80853.00	\$ 51597.00	\$132450.00	—	18	6	1
TOTAL 1957		\$714937.33	\$378324.84	\$1093262.17	4	163	44	15
TOTAL 1956		\$674152.11	\$390146.08	\$1064298.19	4	171	45	14

## Report of the Food Factories for the Year 1957

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.	5	79	76
TOTAL 1957		6	89	79
TOTAL 1956		6	75	86

## Report of Radio and Bible Correspondence Schools Including 1957

	Address of School	Local Director	Languages	Courses	Date Started	Total Applications	Total Enrollments	Total Graduates	Baptisms Reported
British Union	Stanborough Park, Watford, Herts., Eng.	C. R. Bonney	English	I to IV	April, 1947	119939	42857	15520	1594
Ethiopian Union Mission	Box 145, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	Ato Alula	Amharic & English	I	1952	6660	2779	485	59
Finland Union	Launeenkatu 18, Lahti, Finland	N. I. Heikkinen	Finnish	I and II	Nov., 1948	28874	16067	6902	787
Iceland Conference	Box 262, Reykjavik, Iceland	G. Palsson	Icelandic	I and II	Nov., 1948	14097	1845	360	33
Netherland Union	Prins Alexanderweg 1c, Huis ter Heide, Netherlands	P. Voorthuis	Dutch	I	Nov., 1946	60699*	17857*	4491*	603
Swedish Union	Elisabetsgatan 16 A 5, Helsingfors, Finland. Bergstigen 25, Stock- sund, Sweden	H. Olsson	Swedish	I	Dec., 1948	4888	2038	916	593
West African Union Mission	Box 19, Ibadan, Nigeria, West Africa.	R. W. Coon	English	I to IV	1948	97994	62522	63995	139
West Nordic Union	Suomisvej 5, Copen- hagen V, Denmark Kingsgt. 1, Oslo, Norway	Frede Nielsen G. Gudmundsen	Danish Norwegian	I to IV I and II	Feb., 1947 March, 1948	28519 80516	6334 17277	3727 5449	610 421
* Estimated						471315	179098	106517	5087

## Report of the Sanitariums for the Year 1957

NAME	ADDRESS	Capacity	Persons Treated	Charity Work	Physicians	Nurses	Other Employees	Total Employees
Aftenhvile Old People's Home	Naerum, Denmark	28	28	\$ 252.00	—	—	7	7
Ekebyholm Old People's Home	Ekebyholm, Rimbo, Sweden	40	40	—	—	7	—	7
Ekebyholm Summer Sanitarium	Rimbo, Sweden	65	165	—	1	—	40	41
Empress Zauditu Memorial Hospital	P.O. Box 316, Addis Ababa, Ethiopia	87	46082	1722.00	3	7	98	108
Gimble Hospital	Gimble, Wollega, Ethiopia	60	13990	1065.00	1	3	19	23
Haile Selassi I Hospital	Debre Tabor, Gondar, Ethiopia	26	7759	1148.00	1	1	10	12
Hopeaniemi Sanitarium	Nummela, Finland	40	629	225.00	1	7	9	15
Hultafors Sanitarium	Hultafors, Sweden	140	1906*	3969.09	2	18	102	122
Jengre Mission Hospital	Jengre, via Jos, Northern Nigeria, West Africa	36	36126	795.20	1	8	10	19
Kwahu Hospital	P.O. Box 27, Mpraeso, Ghana, West Africa	70	34560*	\$14000.00	2	9	50	61
Nyhyttan Sanitarium	Nyhyttan, Jarnboas, Sweden	62	1461	\$ 489.60	1	2	48	51
Old People's Home	Aitolahti, Finland	35	35	—	—	—	—	—
Sakshus Old People's Home	Vikhamar, Norway	34	37	\$ 900.00	—	—	—	—
S.D.A. Mission Hospital	Ile-Ife, Nigeria, West Africa	120	103156	\$1680.00	3	15	127	145
Seventh-day Adventist Rest Home	45 Cotmer Road, Oulton Broad, Nr. Lowestoft, Suffolk, England	25	25	\$ 1229.20	—	4	2	6
Skodsborg Sanitarium	Skodsborg, Denmark	256	4311	\$12000.00	5	8	272	285
Skogli Sanitarium	Lillehammer, Norway	65	20831	\$ 352.50	1	8	40	49
Stanboroughs Hydro	Watford, Herts., England	62	1505	—	—	13	23	36
Taffari Mekonen Hospital	P.O. Box 62, Dessie, Ethiopia	20	9850	\$17630.00	1	3	—	4
Toivonlinna Summer Sanitarium	Piikkio, Finland	80	73	—	1	7	2	10
"Vredenoord," Old People's Home	Prins Alexanderweg 2, Huis ter Heide, Gem. Zeist, Netherlands	65*	50*	\$ 486.00*	—	1*	9*	10*
"Zonheuvel," Children's Home	Biltscheweg 14, Bosch en Duin, Netherlands	70*	50*	\$ —	—	1*	10*	11*
TOTAL 1957		1486	282669	\$57943.59	24	122	887	1033
TOTAL 1956		1446	240518	\$39794.05	27	176	842	1045

\* 1956 figures

## Report of the Treatment Rooms for the Year 1957

NAME	ADDRESS	Capacity	Persons Treated	Charity Work	Physicians	Nurses	Other Employees	Total Employees
Helsingfors Hydro-Electric Institute	Annegatan 7, Helsingfors, Finland	50	9535	\$ 126.17	1	3	1	5
Nord-Norges Kurbad	Tromso, Norway	110	34497	225.00	—	6	15	21
Oslo Health Home	Akersgaten 74, Oslo, Norway	260	52844	405.00	1	11	38	50
Ranelagh Health Institute	47 Ranelagh Road, Dublin, Eire	20	4000	98.00	—	4	2	6
Stockholm Hydro-Electric Institute	Humlegardsgatan 18, Stockholm, Sweden	90	15535	\$ 280.50	—	11	1	12
TOTAL 1957		530	116411	\$1134.67	2	35	57	94
TOTAL 1956		590	132725	\$1656.41	2	43	55	100

## Home Missionary Report for the Year 1957

	British Union	Ethiopian Union Mission	Finland Union	Greenland Mission	Iceland Conference	Netherlands Union	Polish Union	Swedish Union	West African Union Mission	West Nordic Union	Total 1957	Total 1956	Increase Decrease
Church Membership .....	8252	1881	4823	3	366	2527	3256	3913	19400	8805	53226	51663	1563+
Average No. Reporting ...	3424	—	1007	—	—	171	—	1086	6069	1781	13538	10979	2559+
Per Cent Reporting .....	41	—	21	—	—	7	—	28	31	20	25	21	4+
<b>MISSIONARY ACTIVITIES</b>													
Bible Readings .....	6513	931	6267	—	1073	698	—	2291	21503	18602	57878	50562	7316+
Missionary Contacts .....	28955	6679	83863	—	10164	8879	—	8956	31941	28399	207836	323117	115281—
Persons Helped .....	40261	313	4124	—	1213	103	—	15383	10870	3158	75425	73401	2024+
Hours Help Work .....	48965	411	28225	—	6654	2185	—	1426	38721	42609	169196	155196	14000+
Clothing Given Away ...	17339	522	9167	—	3005	827	—	33047	3866	16596	84369	70977	13392+
Literature Distributed ...	2195073	4297	144186	—	31843	149363	—	303041	88204	531573	3447580	4385981	938401—