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“That They All May Be One”

By Frederick Griggs

“IN unity there is strength,” and a “three fold cord” is not quickly broken. The advance of the cause of truth is dependent in great measure upon the unity of the church. In His prayer for His followers, the Master laid special emphasis upon the value of a united body. The earnest request “that they all may be one” is made four times. At the time this petition was made there were many and great differences between the disciples. A strong desire seems to have been cherished for supremacy and position, each desiring a chief place in the kingdom that they supposed Christ was about to establish on the earth. In this prayer for His followers, Christ gave one reason for His longing that they all might be one. It was “that the world may know that Thou hast sent Me.” This prayer was not alone for the disciples who were His immediate companions. It was “for them also which shall believe on Me through their word.” It was for us. We should be mindful of the fact that Christ prayed thus definitely for each of us. We are not to consider this prayer as a general one, but an individual one—for me. Its answer in our lives brings peace and happiness that passes understanding. Not only that, but it gives to the world the knowledge that God sent His Son to save it. It is clearly implied in the prayer that unless there is unity, oneness among the believers, the world will not know that God sent His Son to give eternal life to all who claim it. The word *love* is perhaps the most comprehensive word that can be found to express the meaning, cause, and work of God’s plan of salvation. By nature we love ourselves above others, but by a conversion of nature we love others above ourselves. Hereby “perceive we the love of God, because He laid down His life for us; and we ought to lay down our lives for the brethren.” There are many examples given in the Bible of the power of harmony and unity. Said Jonathan’s armor bearer to him, “Do all that is in thine heart: turn thee; be-

hold, I am with thee according to thy heart.” And these two young men, united in spirit, defeated the Philistine garrison and set on foot a mighty victory for the armies of Israel. It was when “they were all with one accord in one place” that the disciples “were all filled with the Holy Ghost” and went forth to proclaim Christ Jesus with such power that “the multitude came together” and “were all amazed and marveled.” Three thousand souls were added to the church that day because it was possible for the Holy Spirit to manifest Himself through a united body of followers. God could and did use three hundred men whose hearts were united with Gideon to bring defeat to the great Midianite host; but He could not use, and did not use, the thirty-two thousand who, because of a lack of zeal that would have made them all one, were returned to their homes. At different times in his writings the apostle Paul used the figure of the human body to illustrate a strong church. It is when there is “no schism in the body,” when the members “have the same care one for another,” and when one member suffers “all the members suffer with it,” that the church of God is in a healthy condition and able to do a mighty work for Him. There is only one way by which the church can be thus united. This is clearly set forth by the Apostle John in his first epistle: “If we walk in the light as He is in the light, we have fellowship one with another.” The religion of Jesus Christ does not destroy our individuality but it tempers it into a beautiful, harmonious coordination with others of like precious faith. It would not seem an exaggeration to say that to no company of Christian workers has God ever given a greater task than He has given to us in leading in the proclamation of His last call of mercy to a quarter of the people of the earth—to China. This work can only be done by those whose hearts are united. A united church is a powerful church.

Populations -- China Division

CENTRAL CHINA UNION		114,135,843
Honan	32,844,462	
Hunan	30,017,581	
Hupeh	26,739,800	
Kiangsi	24,534,000	
EAST CHINA UNION		75,472,742
Anhwei	20,715,466	
Chekiang	20,627,653	
Kiangsu	34,129,683	
MANCHURIAN UNION		26,323,793
Heilungkiang	3,469,187	
Kirin	7,642,901	
Kwangtung leased	1,054,074	
Liaoning	14,157,681	
NORTH CHINA UNION		85,134,047
Chahar	1,997,015	
Hopei	28,415,442	
Jehol	4,168,000	
Mongolia	1,800,000	
Shan-1	12,238,155	
Shantung	36,502,636	
Suiyuan	22,799	
NORTHWEST CHINA MISSION		26,147,023
Cbingshi	700,000	
Kansu	9,750,645	
Ningsia	1,342,425	
Shensi	11,802,451	
Sinkiang	2,551,502	
SOUTH CHINA UNION		72,096,265
Fukien	25,235,184	
Hongkong	1,250,000	
Kwangsi	12,258,335	
Kwangtung	33,178,078	
Macao	174,668	
WEST CHINA UNION		91,473,054
Kweichow	6,993,874	
Sikang	1,400,000	
Szechwan	72,190,000	
Tibet	1,050,000	
Yunnan	9,839,180	
Total Population for China Division		490,782,767
Total Population of World		1,906,000,000
Percentage of World's Population in the China Division		25 1/2 %

TITHE --- China Division --- Yr. 1936

中華總會一九三六年什一捐收入統計

Name of Union Mission	Church Members Dec. 31, 1936	Church Members Dec. 31, 1935	Total Tithes Native 1936	For Goals Foreign & Native 1936
聯合會名				
Central China	2,014	2,067	\$ 5,087.07	\$ 3.25
East China	4,484	4,219	13,494.20	3.20
Manchuria	1,616	1,441	6,777.43	4.70
North China	2,007	1,827	4,547.20	2.49
Northwest China	781	745	2,468.00	3.31
South China	3,676	3,466	12,084.16	3.49
West China	2,128	1,886	3,378.66	1.79
Totals Tr. 1936	16,706		57,954.65	3.68
Totals Tr. 1935	15,651	15,651	50,427.89	3.47
Totals Tr. 1934	14,546		50,498.17	3.77
Totals Tr. 1933	13,381		51,794.48	4.34
Totals Tr. 1932	11,932		62,665.40	5.74
Totals Tr. 1931	10,917		81,040.15	8.55
Totals Tr. 1930	9,476		67,699.03	7.62
Totals Tr. 1929	8,351		55,547.52	7.58
Totals Tr. 1928	7,322		48,900.49	7.12
Totals Tr. 1927	6,869		44,504.93	6.21
Totals Tr. 1926	7,157		39,737.24	6.03
Totals Tr. 1925	6,592		36,351.28	6.87
Totals Tr. 1924	5,300		27,877.10	5.81
Totals Tr. 1923	4,799		24,197.43	5.38
Totals Tr. 1922	4,498		21,918.82	5.12
Totals Tr. 1921	4,277		21,471.20	5.78
Totals Tr. 1920	3,710		14,122.95	4.33
Totals Tr. 1919	3,255		11,976.78	

All monetary values in U.S. Gold at two and a half for one
以上銀數，概以美金一元作法幣二元五角計

Educational Work in China -- Summary

基督復臨安息日會在華教育事業統計

年份 Year	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936
幼級小學 (一至六年級) No. of Elementary Schools, Grades 1-6	106	115	132	165	156	166
中學學校 No. of Intermediate Schools	17	17	19	21	18	20
中學以上學校 No. of Training Schools	3	3	3	4	4	4
總計 Totals	126	135	154	190	178	190
男西國教員 No. of Foreign Teachers, Men	17	17	21	16	20	18
女西國教員 No. of Foreign Teachers, Women	23	20	25	24	31	25
總計 Totals	40	37	46	40	51	43
男華人數員 No. Native Teachers, Men	171	186	191	227	221	252
女華人數員 No. Native Teachers, Women	56	47	55	78	75	80
總計 Totals	227	233	246	305	296	332
中西教員總數 Grand Total of Teachers Foreign & Native	267	270	292	345	347	375
學生人數 (一至六年級) No. of Students, Grades 1-6	3,521	3,293	4,287	4,529	4,624	4,635
學生人數 (七至十二年級) No. of Students, Grades 7-12	1,181	1,449	974	1,014	1,399	1,570
學生人數 (特別班及大學) No. of Students, Special and College	435	435	520	618	492	730
總計 Totals	5,137	5,177	5,781	6,351	6,515	6,935

The Development of a Native Ministry in China

中華歷年華人牧師增加統計

年份 Year	Central China 中	East China 東	Manchuria 滿洲	North China 北	Northwest China 西北	South China 南	West China 西	Div. Hqrs. 總會	Foreign Missions 外國傳道會	Native Missions 華傳道會	Foreign Pastors 外國牧師	Native Pastors 華人牧師
1909						1				1	12	
1912						2				2	14	
1917	4	2				3				9	26	
1919	6	2				4				12	28	
1920	5	2	1			4		1		13	29	
1921	6	3	1			5	1	1		17	26	
1922	6	3	1			6	1	1		18	31	
1923	6	3	1			7	1	1		19	38	
1924	5	3	1			6	1	1		17	38	
1925	7	7	3			6	2	2		27	46	
1926	7	8	3			6	2	1		27	44	
1927	7	8	3			8	2	1		29	45	
1928	7	5	1	3	1	14	4	1		36	44	
1929	12	5	2	3	1	16	4	1		44	51	
1930	12	4	1	3	1	15	4	1		41	50	
1931	11	10	1	5	1	15	7	2		52	58	
1932	11	9	2	5	1	13	7	3		51	55	
1933	13	12	3	6	2	11	7	3		57	57	
1934	14	12	3	5	2	16	6	3		61	56	
1935	15	13	4	7	2	16	6	4		67	62	
1936	16	14	4	7	3	16	6	3		69	60	

(註) 除未項外，各數皆指華人牧師
NOTE: --- All columns excepting last represent ordained native ministers

Language Table -- China Division

中華總會之語言文字表

At the close of 1936 the work of the Seventh-day Adventist denomination was being carried on in the China Division in thirty-six languages and distinct dialects, as follows:

截至一九三六年底止本總會辦理工作所用之文字及特殊方言計三十六種，全開列如下：

12 languages in which S.D.A. literature has been published in the China field

在本總會區域內刊印本會書報所用之文字計有十二種

24 additional languages in which oral work is carried on, with no denominational literature aside from the Bible in whole or in part

尚有二四種語言未有本會書報(譯本或錄本之聖經外)

- Amyese (Hokkien) 廈門(福建)
- Beh-Miao 白苗語
- Cantonese 廣東話
- English 英語
- Hwa-Miao 華苗語
- Korean 韓國語
- Mandarin 國語
- Mongolian 蒙古語
- Russian 俄語
- Shanghai 上海話
- Tibetan 西藏語
- Wenli 文理

- Chin-Miao 青苗語
- Chuan-Miao 川苗語
- Chuchow 衢州語
- Foochowese 福州語
- Fukien (border) 福建邊境語
- Giarung (Chiajung) 嘉戎語
- Giong-Fing 廣東話
- Hakka 客家話
- Hainanese 海南話
- Heh-Miao 黑苗語
- Hinghwa 興化話
- I'cha (Nosu) 彝語
- Ih Pien 彝語
- Loi 彝語
- Ming-chieh 明切話
- Ningpo 寧波話
- Swatowese (Tie Chiu) 汕頭話
- Ta-Hwa-Miao 大花苗語
- Taichow 台州話
- Ta Yung 大伊語
- Tai (Chung-chia) 中彝語
- Wenchowese 溫州話
- Yao 瑶語
- Yenping (Fukien) 延平話

Total, 12 總計 十二種

Total 24 總計 二四種

Also (by colportage) German, French, Italian, Portuguese, Japanese, Arabic

尚有派書報員所用之德、法、意、葡、日及亞拉伯語均不在內。

Cantonese Mission—1936

(Synopsis of report given by J. P. Anderson at the annual meeting of the South China Union, March 17-23, 1937)

It is needless to say much about the territory of this mission, as it is not only the oldest in our union, but also in the China Division. Included in it are the large cities of Hong-kong, Canton, and Macao.

During 1936 two evangelistic efforts were held and fifty-two persons baptized. Revival meetings were held in one of the stations. We have a total of forty-eight *hsien*. Among these we have established work in eleven, leaving thirty-seven yet to be entered, in some of which we have isolated church members. Our faithful colporteurs have entered all *hsien*s in our mission. Surely some day the seed sown will do its appointed work and bear fruit.

This year has seen the rebuilding of the Nam Kwan church, which we expect to dedicate sometime during this meeting. In this building we have quarters for four families, rooms for a primary school, offices for our departmental secretaries, rooms for a dispensary-clinic, a commodious tract society office, and a church seating three hundred and six people. It brings great joy to the church members to have this place of worship. Truly we are entering into the fruits of other men's labors.

Realizing that our success lies in the gathering in of souls for the Master, we have set our hearts on the carrying forward of a strong evangelistic campaign for 1937. It is expected, the Lord willing, that we shall open up work in six new *hsien* this year, besides holding revival meetings in each of the older stations.

The past few years the book work has been greatly handicapped for lack of some one to devote his whole time to its leadership. This has now been remedied; we have two, one for the three large cities and one for the outlying districts. A new plan of taking *Signs* subscriptions will be tried out. In our next report we hope to be able to tell just what success we have had.

Heartfelt appreciation is here-with expressed for the cooperation and good fellowship that we enjoy among the workers and members in the mission. We aim to make the year 1937 the banner year in consecration and in unstinted labor for God.

Cheering Word from the Sian Church

BY SHAO DJEN SIU

The Lord has blessed the efforts made this year in the Sian church. The cooperation of church members and workers has resulted in advancement, both in increase in offerings and in souls won to the truth.

The Sian trouble happened when we were about to hold the first Week of Prayer meeting. Though some could not come, we held the meeting day by day as planned. It snowed very hard on December 19, but there was quite a large attendance and the annual offering amounted to \$37.90. This was four times as much as has usually been raised.

The tithe showed some increase also. For the last half of 1936

it amounted to \$7.08, but the last three months showed more than \$2) every month. During January, 1937, the offerings amounted to \$40.50, including \$22.50 tithe from the members. After one preaching service in a local church in which I emphasized the importance of the tithing system, one brother promised to pay \$20 of tithe at the end of May.

We held an evangelistic effort in the winter, when nearly 100 persons handed in their names signifying their desire to learn more about present truth. Unfortunately about that time the Sian trouble broke and all these persons scattered. However, there are two families ready for baptism in the near future.

Will you not remember the work in Sian in your prayers.

Church Membership Chart--Six Years, China Division Mission, 1931-1936

The figures given in this table indicate progress year by year, and also during the entire six-year period, of the China Division.

中華總會六年來一九三一至一九三六教友人數一覽表

Name of Union Missions 聯合會名稱	Church Membership 教友人數									Workers --- All Classes 職員人數																		
	Total Church Members 教友總數						Total Baptisms 受浸人數			Total Net Gains in church Membership 淨贏			Total No. of Native Workers of all classes, including self-supporting institutional employees, nurses, colporteurs, etc. 本地職員總數 (自養職員各機關職員護士教員等)				Total No. of Foreign Workers Yr. by Yr. (including wives of workers) 歷年西國職員總數 (職員之夫人在內)				Total No. Workers, all classes both Native & Foreign 中西職員總數							
	一九三六年底		一九三五年底		一九三四年底		一九三三年底		一九三二年底	一九三一年底	1 yr. -- 1936	6 yrs. -- 1931-36	1 yr. -- 1936	6 yrs. -- 1931-36	一九三六年底	一九三五年底	一九三四年底	一九三三年底	一九三二年底	一九三一年底	一九三六年	一九三五年	一九三四年	一九三三年	一九三二年	一九三一年	Dec. 31, 1936	Dec. 31, 1931
	Dec. 31, 1936	Dec. 31, 1935	Dec. 31, 1934	Dec. 31, 1933	Dec. 31, 1932	Dec. 31, 1931	1 yr. -- 1936	6 yrs. -- 1931-36	1 yr. -- 1936	6 yrs. -- 1931-36	End of Yr. 1936	End of Yr. 1935	End of Yr. 1934	End of Yr. 1933	End of Yr. 1932	End of Yr. 1931	Year 1936	Year 1935	Year 1934	Year 1933	Year 1932	Year 1931	Dec. 31, 1936	Dec. 31, 1931				
Div. Offices & Div. Inst.										228	246	242	242	241	103	71	70	65	64	67	70	299	173					
General China 華中	2,014	2,067	2,076	2,155	2,066	1,960	188	1,356	--53	175	106	184	196	193	170	*172	28	28	26	28	30	33	134	*205				
East China 華東	4,484	4,219	3,797	3,490	3,015	2,913	505	3,123	265	1,901	265	265	215	190	178	198	20	20	18	20	21	21	285	219				
Manchuria 滿洲	1,616	1,441	1,336	1,218	1,191	1,097	414	1,392	175	773	150	108	115	106	61	49	20	20	20	16	20	13	170	62				
North China 華北	2,007	1,827	1,630	1,543	1,086	874	288	1,604	180	1,312	154	129	145	211	110	87	18	18	19	19	18	19	172	106				
Northwest China 西北	781	745	661	559	298	159	66	658	36	659	52	46	62	41	40	16	14	14	12	10	6	4	66	20				
South China 華南	3,676	3,466	3,209	3,009	2,892	2,739	373	1,670	210	1,033	303	302	271	245	259	241	33	31	35	36	36	38	336	279				
West China 華西	2,128	1,886	1,837	1,607	1,384	1,175	356	1,807	242	1,377	145	115	104	81	92	104	20	18	20	20	17	17	165	121				
Totals for entire China Division 一九三六年中華總會總數	16,706						2,170	11,610	1,055	7,230	1,403						224						1,627					
Total, Yr. 1935-一九三五年總數	15,651	15,651					1,960	11,105	1,105	6,995	1,395	1,395					219											
Total, Yr. 1934-一九三四年總數	14,546		14,546				2,111	11,165	1,165	7,030	1,350	1,350					215											
Total, Yr. 1933-一九三三年總數	13,381			13,381			2,037	11,449	1,449	7,109	1,209	1,209		1,209						213								
Total, Yr. 1932-一九三二年總數	11,932				11,932		1,905	11,905	1,905	7,000	1,151	1,151			1,151					215								
Total, Yr. 1931-一九三一年總數	10,917					10,917	1,801	11,441	1,441	6,970	970	970			970						215			1,185				
Total, Yr. 1930-一九三〇年總數	9,476						1,557	11,125	1,125	** 982	982	982									207							
Total, Yr. 1929-一九二九年總數	8,351						1,273	11,029	1,029	959	959	959									207							
Total, Yr. 1928-一九二八年總數	7,322						1,195	11,453	1,453	835	835	835									214							
Total, Yr. 1927-一九二七年總數	6,869						676	11,288	1,288	681	681	681									214							
Total, Yr. 1926-一九二六年總數	7,157						878	11,565	1,565	809	809	809									185							
Total, Yr. 1925-一九二五年總數	6,592						1,187	11,292	1,292	841	841	841									193							
Total, Yr. 1924-一九二四年總數	5,300						736	11,501	1,501	688	688	688									159							
Total, Yr. 1923-一九二三年總數	4,799						534	11,301	1,301	637	637	637									173							
Total, Yr. 1922-一九二二年總數	4,498						546	11,221	1,221	567	567	567									180							
Total, Yr. 1921-一九二一年總數	4,277						770	11,567	1,567	512	512	512									170							
Total, Yr. 1920-一九二〇年總數	3,710						563	11,455	1,455	512	512	512									182							

* Deducting Shensi (Northwest)
** Less 12 in Far Eastern service, leaves a net 166 for Division.

Report of the China Division Sabbath School Department
for Year Ending December 31, 1936

- All monies in U. S. Gold,
at two and a half for one

中華總會安息日學部報告

(截至一九三六年底止...款目概以美金一元合法幣二元五角計)

Union Mission 聯合會名稱	Number of Schools 安息日學校數目	Average Membership 平均學員人數	Average Attendance 平均出席人數	Birthday Offering 生日捐	Investment Fund Offering 生利捐	12 Sabbaths Offerings 十二安息日學捐	13th Sabbath Offering 第十三安息日學捐	Total Offerings to Missions 捐款總數
Central China 華中	96	3,316	3,169	\$ 62.37	\$ 50.82	\$1,445.39	\$ 261.74	\$ 1,820.32
East China 華東	255	8,123	7,203	229.47	1,125.55	3,710.37	593.92	5,659.31
Manchuria 滿洲	52	2,076	1,665	50.69	58.83	1,274.06	202.00	1,645.58
North China 華北	66	1,730	1,658	35.40	64.81	934.06	129.08	1,163.35
Northwest China 華北	40	897	1,064	20.02	38.62	637.00	94.22	789.86
South China 華南	132	4,341	3,717	149.59	283.27	2,142.04	401.99	2,976.89
West China 華西	118	2,420	2,728	19.45	22.51	1,258.52	197.76	1,498.24
TOTALS, 1936 一九三六年總計	759	22,903	21,204	\$566.99	\$1,644.41	\$11,401.44	\$1,940.71	\$ 15,553.55
" 1935-一九三五年總計	723	22,235	20,643	494.21	1,335.25	11,757.00	1,930.67	15,517.13
" 1934-一九三四 "	668	20,462	18,910	455.41	1,080.55	11,464.66	1,927.68	14,928.30
" 1933-一九三三 "	601	18,893	17,177	439.04	1,330.60	13,322.35	2,052.14	17,144.13
" 1932-一九三二 "	553	17,115	15,202	498.21	1,634.24	13,932.62	2,475.81	18,540.88
" 1931-一九三一 "	539	16,026	14,233	558.31	1,949.76	16,088.12	3,217.33	21,813.52
" 1930-一九三〇 "	429	13,864	12,083	422.69	991.05	12,787.38	2,152.06	16,353.18
" 1929-一九二九 "	398	12,745	10,541	411.79	675.41	10,729.14	2,245.09	14,061.43

Medical Department -- China Division -- Summaries, 1936
一九三六年中華總會醫藥部統計報告

Name of Institutions 院名	Buildings 房屋	Acres 佔地畝數	Capacity 能容病人	Patients Treated 診數	Physicians 醫生	Graduate Nurses 畢業護士	Nurses in Training 著道生	Other Workers 其他職員	Total Workers 職員總數
Canton Sanitarium & Hospital, Tungshan, Kwangtung 廣州森本衛生院	2	4	85	3,124	2	11	27	29	69
Chiao Tou Sanitarium & Hospital, Chiaotoutseng, Kiangsu 江蘇橋頭鎮醫院	2	2	50	6,102	1	4		2	7
Fui On Hospital-Dispensary, Waichow, Kwangtung 廣東惠州惠安醫院	4	1 1/2	45	4,214	1	4	6	10	21
Little Eden Hospital-Dispensary, Fatshan, Kwangtung 廣東佛山小樂園醫院	4	1/2	14	350	1	2		1	4
Nanning Hospital-Dispensary, Nanning, Kwangsi 廣西南寧醫院	4	1/2	35	4,005	1		19	12	32
North China Sanitarium & Hospital, Kalgan, Chahar 華北衛生森本院	9	2 1/2	50	1,593	1	6		12	19
Northwest China Sanitarium & Hospital, Lanchow, Kansu 西北森本衛生院	4	10	30	2,197	1	4		11	16
Shanghai Sanitarium & Hospital, Clinic, Box 1281, Shanghai 上海華英衛生院及分院	23	11	256	52,093	7	38	98	96	239
Shenyang Sanitarium & Hospital, Clinic, Peiling, Mukden 海陽衛生醫院及分院	5	8 1/2	80	4,200	3	7	26	16	52
Suchow Dispensary, Kiuchuen, Kansu 甘肅省州醫局				2,000		1		2	3
Tibetan Hospital-Dispensary, Tatsienlu, Sikang 打箭爐醫院	2		15	7,746	1	2		1	4
Yencheng Sanitarium & Hospital, Yencheng, Honan 河南郟城衛生院	10	5	60	8,200	2	7	26	25	60
TOTALS 總數	69	45 1/2	720	95,824	21	86	202	217	526

Home Missionary Department--China Division--Annual Report, Year 1936

中華總會一九三六年家庭佈道團報告

聯合會名稱 Name of Union Mission	一九三四年教友人數 Church Membership Yr. 1934	平均揭發開教者年之數 Avg. No. of Persons Reporting by yr. during the year	每季開教者年之數 Avg. % Reporting Numbers per Qr.	因團員個人工作而加教友數 No. Added to Church by Personal Work	獎人查經 Bible Readings	為傳道訪人 Missionary Visits	領人赴安東日學堂或別的聚會 Persons taken to S. S. and other Services	顧助貧民 Persons Given Needed Help	服病病人 No. Treatments Given	分送衣服 Articles of Clothing Given	分送書報或山冊子 Tracts, Periodicals, and Books Given	書信佈道 No. Missionary Letters Written	為本地佈道工作捐款 (法幣) Offerings for Local Missionary Work (Mex.)
中央中國 Central China	2,076	2,504	120.6%	179	98,249	126,514	17,366	15,958	12,968	3,369	210,669	4,492	\$113.81
東中國 East China	3,797	2,586	68.9%	365	140,372	128,823	51,284	61,709	50,062	5,335	261,437	8,572	178.08
滿洲 Manchuria	1,336	595	44.5%	23	23,688	24,266	3,649	3,855	3,364	761	52,001	1,079	338.39
北中國 North China	1,620	1,970	121.5%	149	42,031	40,369	8,778	15,480	10,603	2,118	109,238	3,673	27.16
西北中國 Northwest China	661	551	83.3%	49	15,074	14,264	11,267	9,791	4,847	515	60,123	1,587	37.11
南中國 South China	3,209	1,119	34.8%	42	33,617	36,890	14,163	15,932	12,332	3,003	218,153	2,105	584.44
西中國 West China	1,837	481	26.1%	40	12,380	16,002	6,742	7,468	4,749	1,475	41,424	604	19.83
總會統計 Division Totals	14,546	9,806	68.9%	847	365,411	387,128	113,249	130,193	98,925	16,526	952,045	22,112	1,296.51

* The figures of church membership as of Dec. 31, 1934 are taken as a basis for this comparative report. This is in harmony with the General Conference Home Missionary Department statistical method. --E.L.L.
* 以上比較報告表，係大總會家庭佈道部統計法規定，係一九三四年十二月卅一日時之教友數目為根據。

West China Union Mission of S. D. A. --- Annual Summaries

Showing Development in the West China Union Year by Year.

All monies in U. S. Gold, at two and a half for one.

基督復臨安息日會華西聯合會歷年進步一覽表
(一切款項，皆以美金計算，每元作銀幣二元五角)

Year	教會總數 No. of Churches	受洗教友 Baptized Church Members	全年受洗人數 Total Baptisms during year	全年淨收入 Total NET GAIN during year	牧師人數 Ordained Ministers	教員人數 Licensed Ministers	傳道人數 Licensed Missionaries	書報費 Colporteurs	總數 Total Laborers Foreign & Native	總收入 Total Net Gain for the yr. from both Foreign & Native	學員人數 No. of Sabbath School Members	小學學生人數 No. of Church Schools	小學學生人數 Total Enrollment of Church Schools	金類總數 Total of Book and Periodical Sales for yr. (U.S. Gold)	
1914	1	10							8	\$ 167.64	30	2	57	1,171.53	
1915	1	12	4		1	2			11	211.72	47	2	60	1,340.00	
1916	1	26	15	14		7			19	284.78	135	7	119	2,419.89	
1917														169	2,042.84
1918	1	41	4	8	1	4	5	29	41.724	417.24	5	2	118	1,034.58	
1919	2	64	26	30	1	4	8	24	586.30	586.30	6	2	136	1,201.36	
1920	2	75	14	4	1	4	7	24	549.42	549.42	8	2	136	1,080.19	
1921	2	78	4	4	3	6	10	34	933.98	933.98	8	3	142	1,789.62	
1922	2	69	3	-9	4	4	11	30	1,028.46	1,028.46	7	4	152	2,042.84	
1923	2	84	22	15	4	4	11	26	1,160.11	1,160.11	6	4	169	2,419.89	
1924	2	90	10	6	5	5	12	36	972.89	972.89	7	4	176	2,419.89	
1925	2	126	37	39	6	6	13	32	1,510.14	1,510.14	11	4	183	2,419.89	
1926	4	185	70	56	5	5	17	39	1,718.28	1,718.28	17	4	198	2,419.89	
1927	4	287	111	102	9	9	24	46	2,062.90	2,062.90	21	5	205	2,419.89	
1928	11	430	140	143	9	4	34	82	2,823.80	2,823.80	28	10	212	2,419.89	
1929	13	566	169	136	11	7	36	89	3,264.97	3,264.97	44	12	220	2,419.89	
1930	15	751	213	185	11	14	46	106	3,557.91	3,557.91	50	15	228	2,419.89	
1931	26	1,175	454	424	13	14	53	121	4,782.68	4,782.68	77	16	236	2,419.89	
1932	29	1,384	311	209	12	13	48	113	4,079.66	4,079.66	73	15	248	2,419.89	
1933	27	1,607	216	223	12	23	41	101	3,758.54	3,758.54	66	17	258	2,419.89	
1934	24	1,837	277	230	11	19	50	124	3,177.51	3,177.51	92	17	272	2,419.89	
1935	23	1,886	177	49	11	18	66	133	3,012.97	3,012.97	104	18	282	2,419.89	
1936	27	2,128	336	242	11	20	84	19	3,378.66	3,378.66	118	20	292	2,419.89	

* 本年統計報告，已混在各部工作報告中，無從匯集。

Statement of Mission Offerings Received from Union and Local Missions of the China Division of S. D. A. - 25-cts.-a-week-Fund - December 31, 1936

基督復臨安息日會中華總會捐款收入一覽表
每安息兩角五分捐款一截止一九三六年十二月底止 均已匯幣計英

Values in Mex.

Table with columns: Name of Mission, Time Covered by Report, Annual, Harvest Ingathering, Sabbath School, Week of Sacrifice, 'Big Week', Mid-Summer Offering, Misc. For Missions, Amount Received, Membership Dec. 31, 1936, Due on Goal To Date, Over, Short, Per Week For Member To Date of Report. Rows include Central China, East China, Manchurian, North China, Northeast, South China, and Test of China.

Our statement Mission Offerings for the year 1936 is now made up. The standing of each local and union mission is represented. The "over" and "short" columns indicate the position of each local mission, and we would like to encourage every church member to study these figures and if you are in a mission short of its goal, we especially appeal to you as individual members to do your best to put your mission over its goal.

上為一九三六年各聯合會以及區會之報告，請讀者特別注意者地之成績，以便自省，如有不達目的之處，望以後格外努力，盡個人之責任，務使超過目的而後已。

STATISTICAL REPORT OF the CHINA DIVISION MISSION, YEAR Ending December 31, 1936

中華總會一九三六年全年統計表

All values in U.S. Gold on the basis of 2 1/2 for 1. 以美洋為本位

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15							
Number of Missions	NAME OF MISSION	Number of Mission Stations	Number of Mission Outstations	Number of Organized Churches	Baptized Members	Baptized During Quarter	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Licensed Missionaries	Evile Woman (incl. column 10)	Book and Periodical Carriers	Other Workers (not elsewhere listed)	Total Evangelists	Medical Workers (including those licensed)							
教會數	教會名稱	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會	十中區傳道會							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15							
	Div. Offices & Div. Inst.	5	71	23	2014	188	13	3	3	10	55	29	1	1	186	9	3	13	25		
	Central China	5	71	23	2014	188	13	3	3	10	55	29	1	1	186	9	3	13	25		
	East China	9	217	122	4484	505	8	14	2	27	10	106	2	40	26	13	12	210			
	Manchuria	6	52	25	1616	414	5	4	3	9	12	28	1	9	1	31	2	12	82	6	37
	North China	7	36	17	2007	288	5	7	4	5	9	38	1	10	1	42	11	9	116	2	10
	Northwest China	6	22	19	781	66	5	3	2	6	7	27	2	2	8	2	3	46	3	5	
	South China	8	122	59	3676	373	10	16	4	40	19	71	1	19	1	32	22	13	155	6	88
	West China	7	76	27	2128	336	5	6	5	15	10	74	8	19	1	32	22	13	155	6	88
	TOTALS	48	596	292	16706	2170	60	69	25	127	139	400	7	97	4	173	259	86	777	37	175
16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23														
Total Laborers	Foreign	Native	Foreign	Native	Total Tithe Receipts	Total Offerings	Total Contributions														
工人總數	外國	本地	外國	本地	外國	本地	外國														
	71	228	8087.07	8087.07	8087.07	588.89	222.98	2046.31	96	3316											
	28	106	3157.09	6717.93	6717.93	787.94	1155.88	7553.98	1468.02	255	8123										
	20	265	2858.04	10636.16	13494.20	473.08	555.04	348.58	574.03	52	2076										
	20	150	2013.38	4764.05	6777.43	1025.18	74.43	2871.77	70.06	66	1730										
	18	154	1917.20	2630.00	4547.20	342.09	155.24	1314.75	7.23	40	897										
	14	52	1408.19	1059.81	2468.00	1435.22	289.33	4731.60	29.95	132	4341										
	33	303	4061.40	8022.76	12084.16	759.74	37.23	2337.94	13.03	118	2420										
	20	145	1691.52	1687.14	3378.66																
	224	1403	25193.89	32360.76	57554.65	5412.14	2490.13	21204.93	2162.32	759	22903										
24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36									
Average Attendance	S.S. Offerings	Thirteenth Sabbath Offering	Total S.S. Offerings	Amount of Tithe	Total Retail Value	Number of Church Buildings	Estimated Value	Approximate	Number of Church	Enrollment of	Total No.										
平均與會人數	共奉十二次	共奉十三次	共奉十二次	共奉十三次	共奉十二次	共奉十三次	共奉十二次	共奉十三次	共奉十二次	共奉十三次	共奉十二次	共奉十三次									
	3169	1558.58	261.74	1820.32	762.84	6559.59	41	43925.60	5300	27	623	30									
	7203	5065.39	593.92	5659.31	1025.12	12851.93	66	56666.00	7014	36	1082	42									
	1665	1383.58	262.00	1645.58		18055.23	23	19208.00	2570	13	482	20									
	1658	1034.27	129.08	1163.35	530.26	12554.89	6	18770.82	970	14	245	17									
	1064	695.64	94.22	789.86		3143.32	8	4000.00	800	11	223	14									
	3717	2574.90	401.99	2976.89		11930.34	40	32885.20	6537	36	1101	48									
	2728	1300.48	197.76	1498.24	338.74	5016.07	25	18140.00	2700	27	605	29									
	21204	13612.84	1940.71	15553.55	2656.96	78040.95	209	193595.62	25891	166	4635	204									
37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48	49	50	51	52						
Number of Literate	Number of Literate	Number of Literate	Total Enrollment	Men	Women	Number of Foreign Teachers	Number of Native Teachers	Estimated Value	Expense of	Number of Young	Membership	Y. P. S. for	Y. P. S. for	Y. P. S. for	Y. P. S. for						
教會識字數	中學識字數	中學識字數	總共	男	女	西國	中國	共	共	共	共	共	共	共	共						
	3	597	4	730	1601	12	12	53	3	80	26000.00	22423.10	30	951	8.00						
	3	288			911	1	5	31	13	50	16683.20		57	1971	187.92						
	3	137			1219	1	1	36	12	50	10400.00	2053.77	23	784	1.05						
	4	115			597			25	6	31	5128.40	7776.58	34	678	18.06						
	2	99			344	1	1	9	15	26	19520.00	1510.33	14	403							
	2	24			247			18	2	20	7200.00	2163.28	32	1210	49.06						
	4	226			1327	2	5	49	24	80	11920.00	8776.00	17	391	147.61						
	1	84			689	1	1	31	5	38	11360.00	1857.18			7.30						
	20	1570	4	730	6935	18	25	252	80	375	108211.60	46560.24	207	6388	246.65						
															189.00	38.14					

SOUTH CHINA UNION 華南聯合會																					
Cantonese Mission 廣州	12	866	52	52	550	316	242	3	13	13	9	4	38	42	4,368.72						26.00
Hainan Mission 海南	3	85	29	13		85		1	4	4	1		10	10	175.36	2.43	7	121			78.35
Hakka Mission 客家	8	750	63		751	--1	555	4	2	16	4	2	45	47	665.88	.89	22	516			267.06
Kwangsi Mission 廣西	6	428	36	35	241	185	102	3	5	11	5	6	47	53	656.40	1.67	21	329			377.30
N. Fukien Mission 閩北	15	615	96	60	425	190	255	4	9	9	1	2	41	43	905.24	1.63	27	1,056			267.43
S. Fukien Mission 閩南	10	492	44	40	349	143	235	5	4	6	8	4	40	44	1,249.96	2.77	15	780			285.83
Swtow Mission 汕頭	5	440	53	10	325	115	261	2	5	13	3		30	30	581.56	1.35	19	664			317.18
TOTAL FOR SOUTH CHINA 共計	59	3,676	373	210	2,643	1,033	1,652	26	44	90	33	33	303	336	12,084.16	3.49	132	4,341			2,976.89
WEST CHINA UNION 華西聯合會																					
E. Kweichow Mission 貴東	4	155	29	33	79	76		1	2	8	4		19	19	169.21	1.39	11	237			91.69
E. Szechwan Mission 川東	11	556	52	37	253	270	53	2	5	13	4	2	38	40	607.09	1.16	24	694			456.13
Sikang Mission 西康	1	16		4	6	30		1	1	6	4		7	11	111.44	9.28	3	40			215.22
W. Kweichow Mission 貴西	5	628	81	--4	260	368		1	3	19			31	31	281.69	.45	54	764			159.15
W. Szechwan Mission 川西	3	203	25	27	95	108	22	2	1	9	8	2	17	19	213.26	1.21	10	182			129.36
Yunnan Mission 雲南	3	570	149	145	25	545		2	4	20	2	6	22	28	304.45	.72	16	503			446.69
TOTAL FOR WEST CHINA 共計	27	2,128	336	242	751	1,377	75	11	20	84	19	20	145	165	3,378.66	1.79	118	2,420			1,498.24
DIVISION TOTALS YR. 1936 總會統計		292	16,706	2,170	1,055	7,230		129	152	539	177	224	1,403	1,627	\$57,554.65	\$3.68	759	22,903			\$15,553.55
" " " 1935 一九三五	266	15,651	1,960	1,105				129	144	477	194	219	1,395	1,614	50,427.89	3.47	723	22,235			15,517.13
" " " 1934 一九三四	243	14,546	2,111	1,165				117	117	477	182	215	1,350	1,565	50,498.17	3.77	668	20,462			14,928.28
" " " 1933 一九三三	227	13,321	2,037	1,449				114	129	438	158	213	1,209	1,422	51,794.48	4.34	601	18,893			17,144.13
" " " 1932 一九三二	200	11,932	1,905	1,015				107	130	419	161	215	1,151	1,366	62,665.40	5.74	553	17,115			18,540.88
" " " 1931 一九三一	186	10,917	1,801	1,441				109	143	407	120	215	970	1,185	81,040.15	8.55	539	16,026			21,813.52
" " " 1930 一九三〇	156	9,476	1,557	1,125	9,476			91	127	434	133	219	982	1,201	63,699.08	7.62	429	13,864			16,353.18
" " " 1929 一九二九	143	8,351	1,273	1,029				95	130	390	136	207	959	1,166	55,547.52	7.58	398	12,745			14,061.43
" " " 1928 一九二八	139	7,322	1,195	453				80	122	399	124	220	835	1,055	48,900.49	7.12	356	10,979			12,182.70
" " " 1927 一九二七	135	6,869	636	--283				74	140	371	69	214	681	895	44,504.93	6.21	302	8,680			10,165.33
" " " 1926 一九二六	134	7,157	878	565				71	126	365	108	185	809	994	39,737.24	6.03	294	10,732			10,313.34
" " " 1925 一九二五	111	6,592	1,137	1,292				73	144	307	105	193	841	1,034	36,351.28	6.00	281	11,513			8,862.08
" " " 1924 一九二四	97	5,300	736	501				55	115	244	87	159	688	847	27,877.10	5.81	243	9,291			6,798.77
" " " 1923 一九二三	92	4,799	534	301				57	102	214	93	173	657	810	24,197.43	6.52	233	8,035			6,697.44
" " " 1920 一九二〇	83	3,710	563	455			3,710	41	109	212	54	182	512	694	14,122.95	4.33	237	6,322			4,449.34

* In provincial missions indicated by single stars, there are "Guh" and "flags" in addition to the regular "hsien" districts. We are not attempting to list the number of "Guh" and of "flags" in missions thus marked; nor are we including in our totals any "districts," "Guh," or "flags" for Mongolia and Tibet.

** The Russian work in the Sungari Mission is conducted in all the provinces of Manchuria, and the "hsiens" are not named, inasmuch they have already been given under Fengtien, Kirin, and Pinkingang.

Territorial readjustments, connected with the formation of the North Kiangsu Mission during the second quarter of 1931 out of the Anhwei and the Kiangsu Missions, at which time, from these two Missions, 141 members were transferred to the newly formed organization, vitally affect the gains and losses of Anhwei and Kiangsu Mission, and should be taken into the account when making comparisons.

** The actual gain is 429, inasmuch as at the time of the setting apart of North Kiangsu as a separate organization, 141 members were released to them by the Anhwei and the Kiangsu Missions.

* 有單顆星之區者，除通常之縣外，尚有旗及區之劃分，但在上列之表並未將各省會之旗與區之數目計算在內，即總數之中亦未含有旗及區之數目。

** 松花江區內之俄人工作，在東北各省均有辦理，惟縣數則未列出，蓋已分別於奉天、吉林及滿江各區會之下矣。

一九三一年之東聯會時，皖東及江蘇兩省之區，各劃一部份組為北區會，當時有教友一百四十一人，亦由該二省會移入新區會，影響江蘇皖東兩省之教友數目頗巨，望閱者注意。

** 實際盈數為四二九，蓋因蘇北區會組織之初，有教友一四一名，乃江蘇白皖兩省劃入者。

Statistical Summary -- Including Provincial Missions -- Year Ending Dec. 31, 1936

The China Division of the General Conference of Seventh-day Adventists

With Columns Showing Status Dec. 31, 1930, and Gains in the Baptized Church Membership during Six Years; also the Church Membership as for Dec. 31, 1920. All monies in U.S. Gold, at two and a half for one

基督復臨安息日會中華總會一九三六年全年統計報告

(包括各省(區)會統計,一九三〇年底各項統計及近六年來之教友淨贏數,又一九二〇年底之教友數目,一切款項概以美金計算,每元合法幣貳元五角)

Name of Union Missions Provincial Missions and Division Institutions	之教會數目 No. of Churches Dec. 31, 1936	之教友數目 Baptized Membership Dec. 31, 1936	受洗人數 Number of Baptisms during Yr. 1936	有者減少 一九三六年 Net Gain Yr. 1936 Minus sign -- Loss	教友人數 一九三〇年底 Baptized Membership Dec. 31, 1930	淨贏數 一九二〇年底 Net Gain 6-yr. period 1931-1936	教友數目 一九二〇年底 Baptized Membership Dec. 31, 1920 (16 yrs. ago)	之教友數目 一九三〇年底 Ordained Ministers Dec. 31, 1936	之教友數目 一九三〇年底 Licensed Ministers Dec. 31, 1936	之教友數目 一九三〇年底 Licensed Missionaries Dec. 31, 1936	書報員人數 Colporteurs	西國職員人數 Total Foreign Laborers Dec. 31, 1936	中國職員人數 Total Native Laborers Dec. 31, 1936	一九三六年 Total Laborers Dec. 31, 1936 Foreign & Native	總數(美金) 之什一捐 Total Tithes Received during Yr. 1936 (Gold)	一九三六年 位教友平均收 一九三六年 位教友平均收	一九三六年 位教友平均收	安日學員人數 Sabbath School Membership Dec. 31, 1936	捐教友數 (美金)	每省(區)會 Total No. of "Missions" (Counties) in every provincial Mission	已領土式 No. of "Missions" already Permanently occupied by S.D.A. Missionaries Dec. 31, 1936
DIVISION OFFICES 總會辦事處							8	2	22	2	26	9	35								
SIGNS PUB. HOUSE 時報館								3	8		2	75	77								
SHANGHAI SANITARIUM & CLINIC 上海英租界醫院							1	1	26	18	99	117									
CHINA TRAINING INSTITUTE 中華訓練學校							6	5	18	14	25	39									
FAR EASTERN ACADEMY 遠東學院								1	7		8	4	12								
HOME STUDY INSTITUTE 東方函授學校							1	1	3		3	16	19								
TOTALS, DIVISION OFFICES & DIVISION INSTITUTES 總會辦事處及各機關							16	13	84	2	71	228	299	\$ 8,087.07							
CENTRAL CHINA UNION 華中聯合會							5	3	7		12	4	16	3,157.09							
Hunan Mission 湖南	10	1,100	123	100	801	299	421	8	3	8	4	5	22	1,445.64	\$1.45	35	1,768	\$ 630.65	113	20	
Hunan Mission 湖北	6	444	53	7	424	20	358	5	10	4	2	18	40	796.28	1.82	30	684	316.29	77	19	
Hupeh Mission 湖北	4	284	7	--124	428	--144	233	3	4	10	2	5	26	952.48	2.34	14	525	631.51	72	14	
Kiangsi Mission 江西	3	186	5	--36	186		45	3	2	9	4	4	16	365.44	1.65	17	339	241.87	79	13	
TOTAL FOR CENTRAL CHINA 共計	23	2,014	188	--53	1,839	175	1,065	25	17	44	14	28	106	6,717.93	3.25	96	3,316	1,820.32	341	66	
EAST CHINA UNION 華東聯合會							3	2	6	1	6	7	13	3,274.49							
Anhui Mission 安徽	20	750	84	49	453	297	199	4	9	26	5	55	60	871.49	1.24	39	1,124	410.40	65	24	
Kiangsu Mission 江蘇	14	1,004	105	108	859	2145	321	5	10	7	3	47	50	5,931.44	6.62	29	1,448	3,902.56	39	15	
N. Kiangsu Mission 蘇北	23	570	65	--54	570		1	1	22	3		42	42	2,022.89	3.24	40	1,552	647.78	29	13	
N. Chekiang Mission 浙北	24	854	75	43	435	419	3	2	19	6	2	41	43	523.94	1.65	38	981	281.39	40	15	
S. Chekiang Mission 浙南	41	1,306	176	119	836	470	124	6	10	33	4	4	73	869.95	.73	109	3,018	417.18	24	24	
TOTAL FOR EAST CHINA 共計	122	4,434	505	265	2,983	1,901	644	22	29	116	26	20	265	13,494.20	3.20	255	8,123	5,659.31	197	91	
MANCHURIAN UNION 滿洲聯合會							3	2	9	2	14	47	61	2,592.96							
Finkiang Mission 滿江	7	288	89	68	18	270	1	2	8	6		20	20	581.07	2.64	11	312	192.50	46	11	
Kando Mission 滿高	2	261	34	24		261	2	2	2	4		21	21	335.56	1.42	14	725	181.32	4	3	
Kirin Mission 吉林	1	111	33	--24	134	--23	33		4	5	4	2	15	401.72	2.98	5	145	190.81	38	5	
Pengtien Mission 奉天	12	676	231	158	266	410	77	1	2	12	16	2	38	40	1,533.38	2.96	15	691	768.56	56	10
Sungari Mission 松花江	3	280	27	--51	425	--145	25	2		4		2	9	11	1,332.74	4.03	7	243	312.39	33	7
TOTAL FOR MANCHURIA 共計	25	1,616	414	175	843	773	135	9	12	40	32	20	150	6,777.43	4.70		2,076	1,645.58	144	36	
NORTH CHINA UNION 華北聯合會							2	3	6	1	11	18	29	1,917.20							

Northwest China Union Mission of S. D. A. --- Annual Summaries

Showing Development in the Northwest China Union Year by Year

All amounts in U. S. Gold.

of two and a half for the

基督復臨安息日會西北聯會歷年進步一覽表

(一切款項概以美金計算,每元作銀幣一元五角)

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Central China Union Mission of S. D. A. --- Annual Summaries

Showing Development in the Central China Union Year by Year

All amounts in U. S. Gold.

of two and a half for the

基督復臨安息日會中聯會歷年進步一覽表

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Manchurian Union Mission of S. D. A. --- Annual Summaries

Showing Development in the Manchurian Union Year by Year

All amounts in U. S. Gold.

At two cents a half per one.

基督復臨安息日會滿洲聯合會歷年進歩一覽表

(一切款項概以美金計算,在元作銀幣二元五角)

年份	1916	1917	1918	1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936			
教會總數	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1		
受洗教友	6	17	35	24	85	87	127	175	202	202	202	202	202	202	202	202	202	202	202	202	202	202	202	
本年受洗教友	9	26	40	42	60	70	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	66	
全年進數	11	18	18	18	14	14	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	18	
牧師人數	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
執事人數	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	
傳道員人數	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
書報員人數	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	
中職員	5	9	15	18	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	23	
全年進款	124	200	393	412	692	705	1,099	1,142	1,285	1,399	1,482	1,595	1,688	1,805	1,921	2,038	2,155	2,272	2,389	2,506	2,623	2,740	2,857	
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禮拜堂	1	2	5	6	7	9	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10
會友	7	23	53	85	98	123	182	295	391	498	593	698	793	888	983	1,078	1,173	1,268	1,363	1,458	1,553	1,648	1,743	1,838
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Table with columns for Year (1910-1936), No. of Churches, Baptized Church Members, Total Baptisms during Year, Statistical records, Ordained Ministers, Licensed Ministers, Licensed Missionaries, Colporteurs, Total Laborers, Foreign & Native, Total Sabbath School Membership, Total Sabbath Schools, Total Contributions to Missions during Year (Gold), No. of Church Schools, Total Enrollment of Church Schools, Total RETAIL VALUE of Books and Periodicals Sold for Tr. (U.S. Gold).

South China Union Mission of S. D. A. --- Annual Summaries

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基督復臨安息日會華南聯合會歷年進步一覽表 (一切款項皆以美金計算) 聯合會歷年進步一覽表

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The Development, Year by Year, of the S. D. A. Denomination in the China Division

安息日會在中國歷年工作發展一覽表

(一切款項皆以美金計算,每元作法幣二元五角)

All monies in U. S. Gold, at two and a half for one

Year	No. of Churches	Baptized Church Members	Total Baptisms during year	Total NET GAIN during year	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Licensed Missionaries	Colporteurs	Total Laborers Foreign & Native	Total Receipts Tithe Receipts for the Year for both Foreign & Native	Total Offerings for Missions exclusive of the foregoing (gold)	No. of Sabbath Schools	Total Sabbath School Membership	Total Sabbath School Contributions during Yr. (Gold)	Total Weekly Value of Periodical Sales for Yr. (Gold)
年份	教會總數	受洗教友人數	本年受洗人數	教友淨贏數	牧師人數	教師人數	傳道士人數	書報員人數	中西職員人數	全年什一	全年傳道捐項總數(美金)	安息日學總數	安息日學學員人數	安息日學各項捐款總數(美金)	全年書報總金額(美金)
1901	1				1		3		4	300.00		1	16	20.00	
1902	1				4		9		14	500.00		2	60	16.00	
1903	1	6			5		10		19	600.00		3	100	30.00	150
1904	1	20		14	8		14		49	990.00		6	280	60.00	145
1905	2	30		8	7	2	28	13	79	966.85		9	214	114.55	138
1906	2	38		8	8	2	30	30	64	1,252.00		8	150	160.00	170
1907	4	78		2	13	3	32	30	79	1,500.00		13	320	110.78	200
1908	5	128		58	8	4	23	30	64	1,252.00		8	150	160.00	170
1909	5	130		2	13	3	32	30	79	1,500.00		13	320	110.78	200
1910	8	231		101	15	10	80	26	121	2,606.75		20	464	100.12	242
1911	12	436		205	10	10	78	37	137	2,115.25	168.38	46	1,092	238.40	333
1912	14	700		264	13	7	86	65	193	2,500.00	369.42	35	1,200	300.00	470
1913	29	811	272	111	17	43	86	65	211	3,303.14	943.39	77	2,023	417.23	2,644.32
1914	42	1,355	404	544	15	54	75	89	325	3,184.40	1,364.40	87	2,604	921.21	3,067.99
1915	43	1,610	471	255	17	92	42	99	353	4,535.99	1,550.80	90	3,411	1,132.79	5,860.35
1916	66	2,155	558	545	19	141	43	74	412	7,603.40	1,600.61	126	4,271	2,562.50	10,789.73
1917	61	2,283	381	133	25	73	39	76	401	4,842.42	1,097.95	137	4,636	898.91	12,537.64
1918	70	2,862	598	574	31	69	102	85	490	9,208.01	1,398.03	151	5,020	2,956.80	16,236.10
1919	80	3,255	597	393	39	103	160	65	624	11,976.78	5,136.50	178	4,994	4,292.87	21,290.49
1920	83	3,710	563	455	41	109	212	54	694	14,122.95	5,248.77	237	6,322	4,419.34	22,108
1921	96	4,277	770	567	43	121	217	62	750	21,471.20	7,116.46	214	7,306	6,049.17	27,542.87
1922	106	4,498	546	221	49	118	230	77	847	21,918.82	9,145.61	231	7,937	6,045.66	29,536.90
1923	92	4,799	534	301	57	102	214	93	810	24,197.43	10,293.27	233	8,035	6,697.44	29,569.71
1924	97	5,300	736	501	55	115	244	87	847	27,877.10	9,125.24	243	9,291	6,798.77	34,461.63
1925	111	6,592	1,187	1,292	73	144	307	105	1,034	36,351.28	13,451.47	281	11,513	8,862.08	62,940.19
1926	134	7,157	878	565	71	126	365	108	994	39,737.24	16,266.29	294	10,732	10,313.34	71,202.91
1927	135	8,869	636	-288	74	140	371	69	895	44,504.93	14,982.09	302	8,680	10,165.33	70,080
1928	139	7,322	1,195	453	80	122	399	124	1,055	48,900.49	20,440.37	356	10,979	12,182.70	80,515.54
1929	143	8,351	1,273	1,029	95	130	390	136	1,166	55,547.52	22,759.93	398	12,745	14,061.43	93,714.02
1930	156	9,476	1,557	1,125	91	127	434	133	1,201	63,699.08	29,977.60	429	13,864	16,353.18	103,326
1931	186	10,917	1,801	1,441	109	143	407	120	1,185	81,040.15	31,711.12	539	16,026	21,813.52	108,767.25
1932	200	11,932	1,905	1,015	107	130	419	161	1,366	62,665.40	23,453.22	553	17,115	18,540.88	115,329
1933	227	13,381	2,037	1,449	114	129	438	153	1,422	51,794.48	23,920.84	601	18,893	17,114.13	124,287
1934	247	14,546	2,111	1,165	117	117	477	182	1,565	50,493.17	20,295.66	668	20,462	14,928.28	145,529
1935	266	15,651	1,960	1,105	129	144	477	194	1,614	50,427.89	20,213.44	723	22,235	15,517.13	156,424
1936	292	16,706	2,170	1,055	129	152	539	177	1,627	57,554.65	21,212.34	759	22,903	15,553.55	166,040.95

Two Pennies of Tithe

BY YEUNG SHUE FAI

THE people of Tai Chin Wong have a hard time earning their living. Most of them are living in poverty, but our church members here are in no wise poor in love and faith. This is manifest in their faithfulness in tithe-paying.

Only eighteen years of age, small in stature and strength, Wong Muk Sang has to walk seven miles to the market and carry wood or charcoal to be sold in the neighboring villages. He grows a little garden of potatoes at home, but selling of wood and the like is his chief business. Imagine his patience in carrying a hundred cattles (about 133 lbs.) of stuff on his shoulders back and forth, a distance of seven miles to sell it for only eighty cents and make a profit of twenty cents. Nevertheless this faithful brother brings his tithe of

two cents to the church after each deal. Hard and strenuous are his labors and small his remuneration, yet he pays his tithe faithfully, usually two pennies at a time, and sometimes three or five. Once he paid a dime. Although the tithe is small, yet when it comes to the end of the month we often find that he has paid about two dollars.

We read in Mark 12:41-44 the experience of the poor widow who cast in the Lord's treasury two mites. The story teaches us that it is not the amount one gives that causes the praise of Jesus, for God counts love for Him as far better than gifts; but that the money offered by the poor, however small it may be, if given with love and faith, is just as acceptable to God as the large amounts given by the rich. Secondly, it teaches us that there is opportunity for the poor to show their gratitude to God by giving of their substance, and that they will be blessed in so doing.

The Kiangsu Mission

A Summarized Report of the work for 1936

Baptisms	105
Church Membership	1,004
New Churches Organized	2
Tithes, Native Members	\$10,471.04
Tithes, Native Workers	1,360.69
Tithes, Colporteurs	280.91
Tithes, Russian Church	1,272.49
Foreign Members	1,443.47
Sabbath Schools	29
Sabbath School Membership	1,448
Branch Schools	11
All Offerings of Sabbath Schools	\$9,639.00
Literature Sales	\$18,987.03
Tract Society Profit	500.00
Big Week	\$1,791.21
Church Schools	6
Church School Enrolment	200
Church School Tuitions	\$550.60
(Not including East Shanghai church school, and Russian school.)	

Literature Sales in the China Division---1935 1936

(All Offerings in Mex.)
 中華總會一九三五年至一九三六年書報事業概況 (款目概以銀洋計)

Name of Union 聯合會名稱	Population 人	1935 Total Literature Sales 一九三五年書報銷數	1936 Total Literature Sales 一九三六年書報銷數	Gain 1936 over 1935 (or x loss) 一九三六年較一九三五年多銷(或為少銷)	1936 Per cent gain 一九三六年增銷百分數	1936 Aver. No. Colporteurs 一九三六年平均售書員數	1936 Aver. Sales per colporteur 一九三六年平均售書員銷數	Membership Dec. 31, 1935 一九三五年年底教友總數	Aver. 1936 Sales per mem. 一九三六年平均教友銷售
Central China 華中	116,453,019	\$19,707.70	\$16,398.98	x 3,308.72	x 16%	23	\$713.00	2,067	\$ 7.93
East China 華東	77,073,623	33,325.99	32,129.82	x 1,196.17	x 3.6	25	1,285.12	4,219	7.62
Manchuria 滿洲	30,983,735	32,265.79	45,138.07	12,872.28	40%	40	1,128.42	1,441	31.32
North China 華北	98,772,728	28,462.71	31,387.24	2,924.53	13%	49	640.56	1,827	17.18
Northwest China 西北	25,208,457	6,895.33	7,858.31	962.98	14%	12	654.86	745	10.55
South China 華南	52,095,467	29,150.36	29,825.84	675.48	3%	33	903.81	3,466	8.61
West China 華西	93,429,360	9,593.90	12,540.17	2,946.27	30%	15	836.01	1,886	6.65
Miscellaneous 其他		17,066.55	19,823.95	2,757.40	16%				
DIVISION TOTAL 總計	494,016,407	176,468.33	195,102.38	18,634.05	15%	197	990.37	15,651	12.47

Literature Sales in the China Division---1935, 1936

(All monies in U. S. Gold, at two and a half for one)
 中華總會一九三五年及三六年書報事業概況
 (款目概以美金一元合法幣二元五角計)

Name of Union 聯合會名稱	Population 人	1935 Total Literature Sales 一九三五年書報銷數	1936 Total Literature Sales 一九三六年書報銷數	Gain 1936 over 1935 (or x loss) 一九三六年較一九三五年多銷(或為少銷)	1936 Per cent gain 一九三六年增銷百分數	1936 Aver. No. Colporteurs 一九三六年平均售書員數	1936 Aver. Sales per colporteur 一九三六年平均售書員銷數	Membership Dec. 31, 1935 一九三五年年底教友總數	Aver. 1936 Sales per mem. 一九三六年平均教友銷售
Central China 華中	116,453,019	\$ 7,883.08	\$ 6,559.59	x\$ 1,323.49	x 16%	23	\$ 285.20	2,067	\$ 3.17
East China 華東	77,073,623	13,330.40	12,851.93	x 478.47	x 3.6%	25	518.06	4,219	3.05
Manchuria 滿洲	30,983,735	12,906.32	18,055.23	5,148.91	40%	40	451.37	1,441	12.53
North China 華北	98,772,728	11,385.08	12,554.89	1,169.81	13%	49	256.22	1,827	6.87
Northwest China 西北	25,208,457	2,758.14	3,143.32	385.18	14%	12	261.94	745	4.22
South China 華南	52,095,467	11,660.14	11,930.34	270.20	3%	33	361.52	3,466	3.44
West China 華西	93,429,360	3,837.56	5,016.97	1,178.51	30%	15	334.40	1,886	2.66
Miscellaneous 其他		6,826.18	7,929.58	1,103.40	16%				
DIVISION TOTAL 總計	494,016,407	70,586.90	78,040.95	7,454.05	15%	197	369.15	15,651	4.99

Division Total Sales For Year 1935 \$70,586.90 For Year 1936 \$78,040.95
 Gain, 1936 as compared with 1935 sales . . . \$7,454.05
 Largest Sales, Manchuria \$18,055.23 Largest sales per colporteur, East China \$518.06
 Largest Average Sales per member, Manchuria \$12.53

The number of colporteurs is given on the basis of the yearly average, whereas in the general statistical tables appearing on other pages of this report, the number of colporteurs usually represents those in actual service at the close of the year.

總會銷數一九三五年 \$70,586.90 一九三六年 \$78,040.95 一九三六年較一九三五年增加 \$7,454.05
 每位售書員平均銷數最大者為華東 \$518.06 銷數總計最大者為滿洲 \$18,055.23 教友平均銷數最大者為滿洲 \$12.53
 售書員人數就全年而有平均而得 至於前年統計表上所列之售書員人數, 則係年底日, 任任之書報自實數

Hsiens Entered by China Division Colporteurs--Yrs. 1935-36

(Comparative Report)

書報員所入之縣份比較表
(一九三五年至一九三六年度)

Name of Union and Provincial Missions	No. of Hsiens in Mission	No. Ent'd by S.D.A. Colps. in Year 1935	Per cent of Hsiens Ent'd in Year 1935	No. Ent'd by S.D.A. Colps. in Year 1936	Per cent of Hsiens Ent'd in Year 1936
Central China Union					
Honan	114	109	96%	101	89%
Hunan	77	43	56%	68	88%
Hupeh	68	62	90%	75	51%
Kiangsi	78	51	65%	46	60%
Total, Central China	337	265	78%	249	74%
East China Union					
Anhui	65	58	92%	23	35%
Kiangsu	38	38	100%	37	98%
N. Kiangsu	28	22	80%	14	50%
N. Chekiang	40	40	100%	29	73%
S. Chekiang	24	24	100%	22	92%
Total, East China	195	182	94%	125	64%
Manchurian Union					
Pinkiang	46	46	100%	36	80%
Kando	4	4	100%	4	100%
Kirin	38	16	42%	26	70%
Fengtien	56	46	82%	48	86%
Sungari	-	-	-	-	-
Total, Manchuria	144	112	77%	114	80%
North China Union					
Cha-Sui	50	32	64%	31	62%
Hopei	127	92	72%	107	84%
Jehol	20	16	80%	25	125%
Mongolia	-	-	-	-	-
Shensi	90	41	46%	46	51%
Shantung	108	104	96%	82	76%
Total, North China	395	285	72%	291	74%
Northwest China Union					
Chinghai	14	4	29%	9	64%
Kansu	66	24	37%	23	35%
Ninghsia	33	30	90%	10	30%
Shensi	73	33	45%	40	55%
Sinkiang	52	-	-	-	-
Total, Northwest China	245	91	37%	82	33%
South China Union					
Cantoness	48	53	108%	37	77%
Hainan	18	-	-	15	83%
Hakka	21	19	90%	18	86%
Kwangsi	97	71	73%	95	98%
N. Fukien	33	22	60%	17	52%
S. Fukien	24	18	75%	21	90%
Swatow	12	11	92%	12	100%
Total, South China	253	194	77%	215	85%
West China Union					
East Kweichow	49	22	50%	25	51%
East Szechwan	61	48	79%	39	64%
Sikang	34	-	-	-	-
West Kweichow	35	12	40%	9	26%
West Szechwan	57	38	67%	36	63%
Yunnan	99	25	25%	36	36%
Total, West China	335	145	43%	145	43%
TOTAL FOR CHINA DIVISION	1,904	1,274	67%	1,241	65%

only 10 students, but later the number increased to 40. Brother Chung certainly exerted a good influence. We regret that in the winter, in answer to the request of the Cantonese Mission, he was transferred; but we hope he will return later.

Our islanders are a poor people, simple in living, with small purchasing power. It is hard, therefore, for them to buy any publications. But our colporteurs are willing to work, and they have gone over their goal of \$1,000 by 80 dollars. Surely the Lord has been with us and has blessed us.

Remember us in your prayers that we may prosper and succeed in our responsibilities.

Our New Theological Seminary

BY G. A. ROBERTS

IN the Lord's design, His work on this earth has been carried forward in the past and is to be carried forward in the future by men of His choosing. This work is to be a united work. It is to carry the same spirit, the same message and the same blessed hope wherever it is presented in any part of this world. All the workers are to speak the language of Canaan, even though all may not express the one message in exactly the same terms.

It is very important indeed that we as a people not only study and re-study the fundamentals of our message, but that we more wisely and deeply and intensively study the word of God in the light of history, in the light of world-wide current events, in the light of the prophecies of the Bible and also in the light of the spiritual guidance that is given us in the Spirit of prophecy.

That we may most advantageously relate ourselves as a denomination to our expanding privileges, increasing dangers and blessed future prospects, there has been established in Washington, D. C., a Seventh-day Adventist Theological Seminary. This seminary is to serve the world field. It is primarily intended that workers from the various ranks shall do graduate work in this school. It opens a wide vista of endeavor to foreign missionaries and other workers who may find it possible to spend a quarter or more, while on furlough or leave of absence from their work, as students in this seminary.

Hainan Mission - 1936

(Synopsis of report given by T. S. Woo at the annual meeting, South China Union, March 17-23, 1937)

AS WE review the work of 1936, we can but feel grateful to God for His many blessings and His protection over our work. Our responsibility is to preach the everlasting gospel. We hope quickly to cover all our territory and gather a people prepared for Christ's coming.

The Hainan Mission is the baby mission of the union. It is difficult to promote here all the plans of our work, but we will promote until we are successful. We have held three efforts in three stations and have baptized 29 people, making 85 members for the mission. Three churches were organized.

Before Hainan became a mission a school was started. Brother Chung Wai Po, the teacher, worked hard and had good results. He began with

Offerings for Missions, China Division, 1936

U. S. Gold, at two and a half for one

Note.—For all years preceding 1932 the rate has been at two for one hence many seeming discrepancies and losses which if figured as hitherto would appear correctly in this Table as gains.

中華總會一九三六年捐項收入統計表
(美金一元合法幣二元五角)

(注意) 一九三二年前美金一元合法幣二元計算故往年之總數似較舊表為少,然按舊表計算,則五年之數較舊表為多。

Name of Union Mission	Baptized Membership		Total Offerings Yr. 1936 for Missions exclusive of Harvest Ingathering	Per Capita Yr. 1936 for Missions exclusive of Harvest Ingathering	Total Offerings Yr. 1936 for Missions including Harvest Ingathering	Per Capita Yr. 1936 for Missions including Harvest Ingathering	Grand Total Tithes & Offerings for Year
	Total Members Dec. 31 1936	Total Members Dec. 31 1935					
Div. Offices & Div. Inst.							\$ 8,027.07
Central China	2,014	2,067	\$2,417.21	\$1.17	\$ 4,461.52	\$ 2.16	11,181.45
East China	4,484	4,219	6,635.17	1.57	14,189.15	3.35	27,683.35
Manchuria	1,616	1,441	2,119.71	1.47	2,468.29	1.71	9,245.72
North China	2,207	1,327	2,189.15	1.20	5,060.92	2.77	9,603.12
Northwest China	781	745	1,131.95	1.52	2,446.70	3.28	4,914.70
South China	3,676	3,466	4,461.17	1.29	9,192.77	2.65	21,276.93
West China	2,128	1,886	2,257.98	1.20	4,595.92	2.44	7,974.58
Totals Yr. 1936	16,706		21,212.34	1.36	42,417.27	2.71	99,971.92
Totals Yr. 1935	15,651	15,651	20,213.44	1.39	42,811.23	2.94	93,279.12
Totals Yr. 1934	14,546		20,295.66	1.51	41,792.77	3.12	92,290.94
Totals Yr. 1933	13,321		23,920.84	2.00	46,444.60	3.89	98,239.08
Totals Yr. 1932	11,932		28,453.22	2.78	45,588.24	4.57	109,253.64
Totals Yr. 1931	10,917		31,711.12	3.34	49,141.18	5.18	130,181.33
Totals Yr. 1930	9,476		29,977.60	3.99	50,453.83	6.57	114,152.91
Totals Yr. 1929	8,351		22,759.93	3.11	67,935.85	9.27	123,423.37
Totals Yr. 1928	7,322		20,440.37	2.97	56,244.14	8.13	105,144.63
Totals Yr. 1927	6,369		14,982.09	2.09	21,655.59	3.03	66,160.52
Totals Yr. 1926	7,157		15,266.39	2.47	23,894.46	3.62	63,631.70
Totals Yr. 1925	6,592		13,451.47	2.55	16,339.68	3.08	52,690.96

during the two years. The membership increased from 479 to 764. The amount of all offerings showed an increase of \$308.27 each year.

The enrolment of the training institute, operated in our offices, has increased from 17 to 46. Though the number is not large, as we see our capacity we would know it has reached its limit. There are two rooms for the boys, accommodating 26 two boys occupying each bed. We have to put three pupils in one seat in the class room; yet there were more than 20 who wanted to come but whom we could not accommodate. Our greatest need is a good-sized school room.

We set a gain of 150 church members as our goal for 1937. One hundred Dah Hwa Miao and Han Miao are ready for baptism, we understand. Another place reports about seventy more who are ready. With the blessing of the Lord, we believe we shall reach our goal. Remember the work in this distant field in your prayers.

Tibetan Mission—1936

(Synopsis of report given by F. W. Johnson, at the West China Union meeting, Feb. 14-18, 1937)

IT might be well to review briefly the history of our mission. On August 2, 1919, Dr. Andrews, with his family, arrived in Tatsienlu, and learned that kind friends had found a suitable house for them to live in. Dr. Andrews' family, lived upstairs while downstairs a small room was prepared for dispensary work. Dr. Andrews was fortunate in securing the services of a very good teacher, and two years after he arrived in Tatsienlu he had translated and made ready for the press the Tibetan Law Chart. Other literature was in the process of translation, and somewhat later a printing press became part of the establishment and tracts were printed. In the meantime land had been bought, and the first foreign house and part of the present dispensary was built. Dr. Andrews worked all hours of the day and night to relieve the suffering, teaching the humble, learning the language, and printing literature that would be instrumental in bringing souls to the knowledge of the truth. Men marvel when they see what he accomplished, and the influence he left among those to whom he ministered. Before Dr. Andrews left

Statistical Gleanings

The following figures have recently been published, showing the membership of these respective church bodies:

The United Anglican Church has about 35,000 communicants in China.

Ten Lutheran bodies merged together as the Lutheran Church of China, has approximately 24,000 communicants in this field.

The three British Methodist bodies have joined forces with a membership of about 21,000 believers.

The Church of Christ in China made up of fourteen former organizations number 125,000 communicants.

The China Inland Mission has about 90,000 communicants.

The total membership of Protestant bodies in China is said to be possibly near the half million mark.

The Roman Catholic Church in China claims 2,600,000 communicants and has about 350,000 boys and girls and young people under instruction in its schools.

Report of the West Kweichow Mission for 1935, 1936

BY CHANG DJENG CHIANG

"HE hath made His wonderful works to be remembered." Ps. 111:4.

The years 1935 and 1936 were passed amidst troubles; for the Reds did destructive work in our territory. But the Lord's work has been advancing and not one of our church members lost his life. Surely "Thou hast been a shelter for me, and a strong tower from the enemy." Ps. 61:3.

During 1935, 51 members were added to the church, and during 1936, 81, bringing our church membership up to 628. There was a net gain of 121 during the two-year period, eight new *hsien* were opened. This makes a total of 19 *hsien* entered. We believe that within the next three years we shall have work in all the 31 *hsien* of our territory, and hope to see our church membership reach 1,000.

There are 54 Sabbath schools in this mission, 23 of which were added

this field to return to the U. S. in 1931, he had the privilege of baptizing two Tibetans, the result of long years of labor, and the first fruits from Tibet.

Dr. James is now carrying on the work that Dr. Andrews laid down. During the year of 1936 he saw on the average 32 patients a day for his clinic days, a total of 7,746 patients for the year. He had 94 patients in the hospital, did 164 operations, all with a staff of four, including himself. We need more equipment and more help, but until we can secure these Dr. James is going ahead and doing the best that can be done.

Many changes in personnel in the mission have made it hard to plan for definite evangelistic advance. Some progress has been made, however, in the last few years, and plans are laid for further definite advance.

There is one other part of our field that I should like to call attention to at this time. This is the Sichang district. For years calls for some one to go to that part of western Szechwan have come to the union. This, except for the cities along the main highway, has long been known as "Unknown China." The population is largely Nosu. We opened a station last year in Fulin the biggest market at the northern section of this great district. The interest is good there, and we hope that before long a goodly number will definitely take their stand for the truth.

We express our appreciation to the young people of the China Division who have made it possible by sacrifice to send tracts and other literature into Lhasa. Definite plans have been made to see this plan carried out. Before another year closes we hope to greet the messenger of the Lord who has carried this literature in and set the banner of Immanuel in this great stronghold of Satan. We need your prayers that this plan may be carried out to the glory of God.

Canton Training Institute 1936

(Synopsis of report given by Leung Heng San, principal, at the annual meeting of the South China Union, March 17-23, 1937)

BY the mercy of God, we are able to give a short report of the school year, 1936-37, of the Canton Training Institute. We have been the recipients of untold blessings from above, and for these we are grateful to Him who has led us until now. The enrolment this year numbers 148 students, the highest record in all the past eight years. More than half of these are academy students. Young people from the homes of our church members make up more than seventy per cent. of the number. These students are the most valuable property of our South China Union Mission.

During the past eight years over 500 young people have attended this institute of training. Three-fifths of these were children of our own church members. Eighty-two persons are calculated to have been baptized during the past eight years as a result of the work of the institute.

Our S.Y.S. food factory is now under the management of Mr. Howard Hoover, who has specialized in this line of work, and is giving evidence that he is well qualified to run the business.

Our library, which is made up of 3,550 books, means very much to all the students in reading and self-improvement.

Professor Rebok took charge of our Week of Prayer, and the spiritual life of the students was revived and consecrations renewed. At the close of these meetings forty persons expressed their desire to be followers of Christ. A baptismal class was organized for them, and we trust that many will be added to our church membership as a result.

It is our prayer that our work shall all be done to the glory of His name.

Canton Sanitarium and Hospital Business Dept. — 1936

(Synopsis of report given by Miss Tillie E. Barr, manager of the Canton Sanitarium and Hospital, at the annual meeting of the South China Union March 17-23, 1937)

It is with grateful hearts that we present to you today a report of our operations for the year 1936, showing a gain for the year of more than seventeen thousand dollars. We believe this to be the result of the blessings of the Lord and the co-operation of our entire sanitarium family. Each person, from the medical superintendent to the most humble workman, has an important part to bear in helping to maintain the high standard necessary in an institution of this kind, and each contributes to the success or failure of the whole as he bears his share of the burdens. We are profoundly thankful for the very loyal group of workers that have been brought together in the Canton Sanitarium and Hospital.

During 1934 slightly over three thousand dollars was added to the value of our equipment, which is rather a small amount for a new and growing enterprise of this kind. Our accounts payable were reduced by about ten thousand dollars, aside from the nearly seventeen thousand dollars that came to the building fund by donations and in various ways.

In February of last year we began some improvements to our grounds; and while we have not been able to accomplish as much as we should like in this line, I believe this company of delegates will appreciate the fact that some progress has been made.

The heating problem has been solved by the purchase of small gasoline stoves that can be carried from room to room as the need arises, and these have rendered efficient service during the cold weather.

We look forward to an improved record for 1937. The present prospects are good. We desire to express our grateful thanks for our Heavenly Father's care during the past twelve months, and His manifest blessings in the working of the institution.

Notice

Atlantic Union College, South Lancaster, Massachusetts, desires to complete certain files of our denominational periodicals. Are there any members of the China Division who

would care to donate or sell their collections of the *China Division Reporter*, or any other periodicals, pamphlets and books that Seventh-day Adventists have ever published? Write to the librarian, E. Malcolm House, South Lancaster, Massachusetts.

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Statistical Report for the China Division — 1936

THIS issue of the REPORTER is largely given to the publishing of statistical figures covering the year 1936. A study of the tables and data found herein will reveal the status of the work so far as figures are available as at the close of the year 1936. We invite your careful study of these records.

GAINS IN CHURCH MEMBERSHIP

Baptisms during the year were 2,170, which is the highest figure thus far recorded for our work in China in one year's time. However, due to considerable losses in a number of local fields, the net gain in membership is only 1,055. This net gain is less than for several years previous. The present membership now stands at 16,706.

A church membership chart showing baptisms, church membership gains and losses, also the number of workers is given on page 4, and a summary report, including local missions is found on pages 10 and 11. A comparative picture of the results obtained can thus be seen as the records made during the last six years are studied.

SABBATH SCHOOL DEPARTMENT

The report for this department appears on page 6. The present average membership stands at 22,903, a slight gain over the preceding year. This membership is in excess of the church membership by 6,197. The average attendance bears about the same relationship to the average membership as for the preceding year. The Sabbath school donations, \$15,553.55 U. S. currency, are slightly in excess of the former year's figure.

HOME MISSIONARY DEPARTMENT

The Home Missionary Department shows encouraging gains in almost all items. The detailed report appears on page 7.

PUBLISHING DEPARTMENT

The report of literature sales for 1935-36 is found on page 16 in both local and U. S. currency. Some gains over 1935 are seen in most unions, resulting in an increase of \$18,634.05 Mexican for the division and bringing the sales figure for the division to just a little less than \$200,000 local currency.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT

The table listing sanitariums, hospitals, dispensaries, etc., is found on page 6. A brief summary of the institutions in operation and the work and workers is recorded here. Some of these institutions have made marked progress in expanse of work and in financial returns during the past year.

EDUCATIONAL AND YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

A summary of the workers engaged in service in behalf of the youth in our training institutes is found on page 2, and the work accomplished by the youth is set forth on page 5.

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

Some gain over 1935 is seen in respect to the total tithe paid by the church, and a small per capita gain is also recorded. However, our study of the per capita results obtained as compared with years previous to 1935 cannot give ground for satisfaction (page 2). Our total offerings are larger than for 1935 and 1934, but our per capita figure for the year is slightly less. Comparing the results obtained with the last three year's figures, we can but be perplexed at the evident general decrease (page 18).

WORKERS

The membership chart gives our total working force as 1,627 workers. This total includes 129 ordained ministers, 152 licensed ministers, 539 licensed missionaries, 375 teachers, 177 colporteurs, the remainder being nurses, office helpers, press and other workers.

PEOPLES AND LANGUAGES

On page 2 is a table showing the population of the various provinces and unions, and the total for the China Division. The languages and dialects at present being used in the proclamation of this message are shown on page 3.

The Saviour's command to go and make disciples of all nations includes China. The immensity of her population, size of her territory, comparative low state of literacy, diversity of languages, lack of a former Christian background, together with the shortness of time makes the task from a human viewpoint impossible.

But we rejoice that there are no limitations with God. What to man appears impossible, is possible with God. He can save by many or by few. We have divine leadership. God has provided enabling acts; all the resources of heaven are available for the accomplishment of the task. He has a "thousand ways." The sincere worker who depends upon God is supported by "all power in heaven and in earth" and the promise, "I am with you always even unto the end of the world." So while from human mathematics the proportion of believers to non-believers seems small, we remember those heartening works: "Fear not, for they that be with us, are more than they that be with them."

Divine agencies are surely preparing the way for a great forward advance. No tables or charts can record or picture the work of the unseen heavenly ministration, but by faith our eyes are opened to behold "horses and chariots of fire round about" the sincere faithful worker for God. May we often remind ourselves of the multitude of these ministering spirits who are at work in great power preparing the ripening harvest.

While our eyes behold the greatness of the task, let our faith grasp the reality of the conflict, hear the call of our almighty Leader to advance, and with perfect trust in Him and the infinite resources of Heaven made available, let us go forward with burning hearts, increased faith, and quickened pace, cooperating fully with God, that His mighty power may be manifest to the largest possible degree in taking away the "captives of the mighty" and in delivering the "prey of the terrible."
— S. L. Frost

"How hopelessly misleading are statistics of the visible church if we confound it with the invisible for which statistics are not available."