

Pillars of Prosperity By L. H. CHRISTIAN

CERTAIN fundamentals of organization ought to be ever in our minds. These basic things are spiritual and divine. To think of them merely as human and legal might create fatal misconceptions and be fruitful of evil results. The Advent movement is a holy cause. It wants nothing of parties, politics, or personal ambitions. It is built on spiritual factors and forces. We would mention a few of these first elements of prosperity.

A willingness to give up good men. It is natural that organizations and institutions desire to retain their strong labourers. No field has too many. But unless one field is willing to sacrifice for another, the stronger for the weaker, the Advent cause cannot prosper. When we give up efficient men God sends us others in their places. When we send men to the missions we should give the best we have.

A just division of tithes and offerings. While money in the world is French, German, Danish, English, etc., with us there is really only one treasury and one kind of money, and that belongs to the Lord. For this reason the wealthier fields must be willing to divide their money with those that are poorer. Money is an essential element of success. Some fields are older and have a larger income. This is true of America as well as some conferences in this Division. Now every field could well use its own money, and yet we must share and share alike. This applies, too, in the matter of wages. There has been a gradual reduction of our wages everywhere, not because they were too high, but because funds are low. In this reduction the stronger fields share with the weaker.

Successful experience is the true door to larger service. Natural

gifts are important, training in school is helpful, but after all it is experience that prepares for heavier responsibilities. A conference president who is to direct the work of evangelists should himself have been a fruitful soulwinner. A Bible-teacher in our schools who is to train ministers must, if he is a preacher himself, have learned the lesson of winning many to Christ. If he did not succeed himself, how can he teach others the way? Thus in every line of work success is the stepping-stone to bigger things for God.

Confidence in leadership. Every man who leads must earnestly strive to do his best, but that alone will not insure results. The leaders need the hearty support of all the people. This applies not only to men in office, it applies to our conference papers and other literature. These should be read and followed. Every society in the world has an official organ to set forth the objectives, plans, and policies of the concern. The official paper of the Advent church throughout the world is the Review. It is filled with good things on organization, on methods of work, reports from mission fields, spiritual guidance, and personal instruction. The *Review* has served this cause many years. All members who understand English should have it. Next to the spirit of prophecy the guidance of the *Review* has been the greatest means by which God has led and kept this people.

Each man faithful in his own place. There is a tendency with a few to survey the work of their brethren. They think some other man in the institution is not doing his work well or they think another church elder is not as he should be. While watching others they neglect their own work. It is a vital principle that God expects each one to care for that work to which he has been called and to give far less attention to the mistakes of the brethren than to our own shortcomings.

God's work must keep the youthful fervour of its first love. Long sermons preached never make up for few souls saved. Dry theories are not a substitute for zeal and enthusiasm. People get weary of lengthy admonitions, but are hungry for new facts, timely information, and fresh spiritual food. The flock of Christ thrives in green pastures, not in black, burnt-over fields. Every worker in the cause of God should be "green and flourishing."

As we look over the past year and study the reports given in this paper, our hearts are filled with courage and gratitude, and the reports already in this year give us even greater joy.

What Do the Figures Tell Us?

OUR first question will naturally be, "How many souls have been won to the message in this Division during the year 1931?" In the home fields 2,048 were received into the church through baptism and vote. In the mission fields the number added was 1,179, making a total of 3,227. Oh that we could report this number as being the addition to our membership at the close of the year! But the enemy beguiled 725 of these away from the fold in the home fields and 323 of those gained in the mission field. Death has claimed 288 from the home fields and 43 from the mission field. Others have emi-

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**We are able to give only the union totals because the "year" for the mission fields represents the fourth quarter of one year and three quarters of the following year and this union was not re-organized until January, 1931.

grated from the Division and so our net gain is 1,880, or 58.2 per cent of those won by baptism and vote. The year 1929 was a record one so far as the gain in membership was concerned, but 1931 has

beaten that record by seventy-two. In 1929 our net gain was 1,808. Last year it was 1,880. Our membership at the close of 1931 stood at 27,501. Will it be 30,000 at the close of this year?

TITHES AND OFFERINGS

A first glance at the figures for tithes and offerings suggests that there has been a substantial decrease in both of these over the previous years. But we must ex-

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		Tithe	Tithe (weekly per capita)	Total Offerings (Columns 29-36)	Sabbath-School Offerings 12 Sabbaths	13th Sabbath Offerings	Weekly Offerings	Harvest Ingathering Offering	Annual Offering
		26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
Baltic Union Conference Estonian Conference	****	7,595.40 9,807.67 4,949.99 3,855.49 1,790.05	0.10 0.20 0.11 0.10 0.14	5,722.48 4,308.72 2,860.19 2,179.31 1,863.40	$1,537.01 \\1,070.60 \\689.58 \\504.42 \\360.57$	428.50 285.66 142.50 123.34 132.81		2,949.43 1,877.62 1,598.47 1,094.80 1,209.33	476.51 664.04 274.30 279.93 86.75
Totals	\$	⊿7,998.60	0.13	16,934,10	4,162.18	1,113.21		8,729.65	1,781.53
British Union Conference South England Conference	****	961.30 62,927.00 30,557.40 7,224.40 4,705.20 3,178.20	0.53 0.38 0.33 0.33 0.40	31,658.22 19,670.58 5,109.78 3,489.71 3,007.42	7,962.35 4,801.52 1,166.50 736.31 738.32	3,279.85 1,454.72 358.61 207.18 565.66		15,066.76 11,629.93 3,167.66 2,239.92 1,412.05	1.857,99 566.99 145.65 156.20 109.24
Totals	\$	109,553.50	0.45	62,935.71	15,405.00	5,866.02		33,456.32	2,836.07
Polish Union Conference Central Polish Conference	**	2,540.57 2,069,53 3,052.59 6,413.19 776.82	0.17 0.04 0.16 0.13 0.08	1,880.91 1,541.96 2,156.11 4,276.70 723.23	516.37 516.51 645.68 1.463.66 151.18	$129.42 \\109.58 \\142.49 \\256.15 \\34.74$	4.97 	878.50 702.50 998.74 2,015.32 406.51	126.65 85.44 163.29 297.53 33.08
Totals	8	14,852.70	0.10	10,578.91	3,293,40	672.38	14.28	5,001.57	705.99
Scandinavian Union Conference Danish Conference	***	$\begin{array}{c} 2,568.87\\ 48,556.90\\ 29,988.08\\ 5,609.53\\ 16,024.52\\ 15,501.85\\ 3,988.70\\ 9,183.62 \end{array}$	0.38 0.31 0.14 0.27 0.36 0.25 0.13	26,833.06 18,879.44 4,858.35 11,225.71 9,771.60 2,500.55 5,815.55	7,339.27 4,576.86 1,408.89 2,779.63 2,623.64 603.79 1,689.30	2,937.44 1,852.13 410.45 1,000.34 854.26 228.12 457.62	143.22 45.84 4.82 15.64 0.79	$\begin{array}{c} 11,220.78\\ 6,738.60\\ 2,222.16\\ 5,597.57\\ 4,836.02\\ 1,023.29\\ 2,620.60\end{array}$	3,185.07 2,541.58 463.38 676.66 677.30 395.33 549.43
Totals	8	131,422.07	0.28	79,884.26	21,021.38	7,740.36	2!0.31	34,259.02	8,488.75
Iceland-Faroes Conference 23	8	4,979.50	0.26	4,553,50	896.93	228.75		2,990.10	437.72
Totals for Unions 1931 """ 1930 1929	\$ \$ \$	288,806.37 319,163.52 312,715,94	0,26 0.30 0.31	174,886.48 194,743.50 182,715.72	44,778.89 49,345.95 45,991.93	15,620.72 18,042.01 17,240.47	224.59 455.35 1,189.51	84,436.66 97,362.34 90,270.65	14,250.06 16,316,15 13,603,60
East African Union Kenya	***	618.64 4,027.53 1 559.81 687.10 238.02	2.37 0.03 0.08 0.04 0.08	641.03 3 457,75 1.699.69 958,82 477.27	80 83 1 461.73 572.55 289.10 142.20	28.86 802.64 292.57 68.48 47 65		415.66 201.39 233.35 101.45 123.17	41.39 763.79 332.93 437.67 115.23
Totals	\$	7.131.10	0.04	7,234.56	2,546.41	1,240.20		1,075.02	1,691.01
Ethiopian Union Central Abyssinia	***	820.79 171.05 213.06	0 11 0.83 0.05	1,074 70 95.07 60.34	237.07 34.57 26.07	39.10 4.01 28.03	48.62	490.99 19.48 4.05	142.31 19.48
Totals	\$	1 204.90	0.10	1,230.11	297.71	71.14	66 15	514.52	163.98
Nigerian Union	\$	1 987.70	0 06	1 970.89	752,99	158.21		771.05	71 64
Unattached Missions Gold Coast	***	921.60 87.50 1,105.60 2,114.70	0.04 0.42 0.04 0.05	1,303 64 84.26 865.95 2,253.85	456.53 28.30 219.88 704.71	113.79 16.94 66.25 196.98		648.08 481.27	33.41
Grand Totals 1931 "1930 "1929	\$ \$ \$	12,438.40 13,651.40 12,570.20	0.05 0.06 0.07	12,689.41 11,445 94 12,007.84	4,301,82 4,748.95 4,600 48	1,666.53 1,589.79 1,702.28	66.15 33.59 62.03	1,129.35 3,489.94 2,232 86 2,219.00	1.960,04 2,148,08 2,416,82

plain that actually there has been no decrease but rather a decided increase. The apparent decrease is accounted for by the sudden drop in the value of the English and Scandinavian currencies. Had it not been for this we should have been able to report another \$28,-000 in both tithes and offerings. Because of this loss on exchange we have this year given the figures for the year for each conference in its own local currency as well as in dollars. We hope we have not given you too many figures.

Some time ago we mentioned in the ADVENT SURVEY that we had reached the Harvest Ingathering goal, the exact amount being \$105,369.39. The figure for the Big Week campaign was also given as \$10,579.90. You will notice that the figures for these two items are not the same as those given in this issue. The reason for this is that the former figures were worked out at the par rate of exchange. Inasmuch as the goal was set when the money was at a high value it was necessary to use the same rate of exchange in order to determine whether or not we had reached our goals in these two campaigns.

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Miscellaneous Offerings	Week of Sacrifice	Young People's Offerings	Big Week Mis- sions Extension Fund	Total Offerings (Columns 29-36 and Special Offerings)	Total Offerings Weekly per Capita	Percentage of Offerings to Tithe	Special Offer- ings for Foreign Fields	Total Offerings for Home Missionary Work	Total Contribu- tions for Local Church Work	Colporteur Sales	
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	284.68 383.83 143.72 167.20 66.47	45.95 26.97 11.62 9.62 6.47	503.46 483.43 329.44 264.27 114.29	6,225.94 4,792.15 3,189.63 2,443.58 1,977.69	0.08 0.10 0.07 0.06 0.15	81.9% 48.8% 64.4% 63.3% 110.5%	······ ······	147.39 94.56 41.37 1.38	930.82 2,284.98 1,118.65 654.91 136.69	9,899.51 1,185.13 4,836.27 1,997.53 1,809.61	
	1,046.90	100.63	1,694.89	18,628.99	0.03	66.5%		284.70	5,126.05	19,708.05	
788.38 10.13	2,404.71 941.54 233.36 134.48 136.65	358.18 265.75 38.00 15.62 45.50	384.73 1,344.25 733.14 187.75 103.17 159.98	384.73 32,002.47 20,403.72 5,297.53 3,592.88 3,167.40	0,28 0.25 0.24 0.25 0.40	52.4% 66.7% 73.3% 76.3% 99.6%		322.99 60.09 23.00 30.01	10.055.75 5,780.46 679.35 701.60 86.71	43,567.65 34,573.79 14,519.66 11,042,48 3,229.50	1
798.51	3,850.74	723.05	2,913.02	65,848.73	0.27	60.1%		436.09	17,303.87	106,933.08	
7.85 7.05 14.97 0.11	201.01 114.00 141.74 158.65 80.66	21,11 8,96 57,12 70,42 7,64	33.95 184.70 110.24 300.04 188.58 21.34	$\begin{array}{r} 33.95\\ 2,065.61\\ 1,652.20\\ 2,456.15\\ 4,465.28\\ 744.57\end{array}$	0.14 0.03 0.13 0.09 0.08	81.3% 79.8% 80.4% 69.6% 95.8%	······	36.00 8.67 76.95 103.64 15.55	260.61 64.60 424.47 431.34 50.04	491.64 2,864.27 835.35 3,794.75 3,408.04 961,68	1 1 1 1
29.98	696.06	165.25	838.85	11,417.76	0.08	76.8%		240.81	1,231.06	11,855.73	
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	7,741.17	423.27	4,433.42	84,317.68	0.18	65.2%		13.937.24	12,675.12	116,775.63	
			235.22	4,788.72	0.25	96.1%			164.95	7,684.04	2
828.49 322.06 3,256.33	13,334.87 10,904.70 11,163.23	1,412.20 1,994.94	10,115.40 11,451.04 10,101.78	185,001.88 206,194.54 192,817.50	0.17 0.20 0.19	64.0% 64.6% 61.0%	7.00 31.90	14,898.84 9,900.48 9,486.01	36,501.05 34,318.15 30,990.28	262,956.53 284,460.88 279,479,10	
······	74.29 228.20 268.29 62.12 49.02	······································	8.95 179.03 59.32 25.78 9.62	649.98 3,636.78 1,759.01 984.60 486.89	2.50 0.03 0.09 0.05 0.16	110.0% 91.8% 116.4% 144.2% 210.0%	·····	······································		451.66 164.09 59.16	
	681.92		282.70	7,517.26	0.04	107.8%				674.91	
	116.61		8.04 7.79	1,082.74 102.86	0.14 0.49	131.9% 60.1%				·····	
				60.34	0.01	28.3%					
	116.61		15.83	1,245.94	0.10	103.4%					
	217.00		47.52	2,018.41	0.06	102.0%				526 90	
	85.24 39.02 65.14	·····	20.70 5.76 11.75	1,324.34 90.02 877.70	0.05 0.43 0.06	143.7% 96.7% 76. 7 %	•••••	······		······	
	189.40		38.21	2,292.06	0.06	105.6%					
273.94	1,204.93 692.67 733.29		384.26 139.49 265.65	13,073.67 11,585.43 12,273.49	0.05 0.05 0.07	105.1% 84.9% 97.6%				1,201.81 2.578.80 3,491.60	

Therefore this apparent discrepancy.

We are sorry not to be able to report in detail for the Nigerian Union but the statistical year began before the reorganization of that field and we do not therefore have the figures for the local mission fields. Then again you will notice that we are still reporting the Scandinavian Union, although in actual fact that Union was divided some months ago. For the sake of comparisons it was decided not to change the statistics until the end of the year but from the first of January this year the Scandinavian Union will cease to exist and we shall report in future the East Nordic Union and the West Nordic Union.

As to what our institutions have been doing during the past year we will leave you to discover from these pages of figures. Some institutions are included which have not appeared before. For progress made we offer our humble gratitude to the Lord, together with a petition that He will still further bless the efforts of His workers that at the close of another year we shall be able to report larger gains and a bigger advance in every branch of this important work. E.M.E.

Report of the Northern European Division

			report	of the	HOILHEI	u 1/u	ropean	DIVISION
	Tithe	Tithe (weekly per capita)	Total Offerings (Columns 29-36)	Sabbath-School Offerings 12 Sabbaths	13th Sabbath Offerings	Weekly Offerings	Harvest Ingathering Öffering	Annual Offering
	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33
Baltic Union Conference Estonian Conference	E.Kr. 28,690.17 Ls. 51,124.27 Ls. 25,802.73 Ls. 20.097.43 Lt. 18,020.60	0.37 1.06 0.60 0.52 1.42	21,574.88 22,409.50 14 886.93 11,339.35 18,683.61	5,769.76 5,546.15 3,572.34 2,613.09 3.609,79	$1 \begin{array}{c} 608.58 \\ 1.478.42 \\ 737.49 \\ 638.35 \\ 1 \begin{array}{c} 327.67 \end{array}$		11,158.59 9,802.95 8,345.52 5,715.90 12,142.44	1.797 17 3,456.19 1,427.67 1,456 97 868.56
Totals	Ls. 145,947.85	0.67	88,111.20	21,561.87	5,761.34		45,577.09	9,272.46
British Union Conference South England Conference	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	7,849 11 0 4,919 1 11 1,283 3 6 883 0 4 742 2 0	1,798 12 2 1,084 12 3 263 10 0 166 6 6 166 15 7	762 14 2 338 5 9 83 7 10 48 3 7 131 10 10		3,956 5 6 3,066 0 8 835 2 0 590 10 4 372 5 3	542 15 5 165 12 8 42 11 0 45 12 7 31 18 3
Totals	£ 24,769 12 1	$2 0^{\frac{1}{2}}$	15,676 18 9	3,479 16 6	1,364 2 2		8,820 3 9	828 9 11
Polish Union Conference Central Polish Conference11 East Polish "12 Posanian "	Z1. 22,647.31 Z1. 18,448.31 Z1. 27,211.57 Z1. 57,168.76 Z1. 6,924.81	1.53 0.36 1.47 1.19 0.76	16,793.56 13,766.61 19,256.96 38,202.34 6,460.47	4,590.06 4,591.33 5,739.48 13.010.68 1,343.86	1,153.41 976.64 1,269.84 2,282.84 309.58	44.25 83.00	7,876.90 6,298.75 8,954.93 18,069.88 3,644.89	1,139.55 768.83 1,469.26 2,677.10 297.64
Totals	Z1. 132,400.76 b.Kr. 9,547.57	0.93	94,479.94	29.275.41	5,992.31	127.25	44,845.35	6 352.38
Scandinavian Union Conference Danish Conference	D.Kr. 200.321.02 N.Kr. 124,592.10 N.Kr. 23,305.81 S.Kr. 65,778.77 S.Kr. 63,633.24 F.Mk. 175,112.75 F.Mk. 403,184.40	1.40 1.01 0.61 1.13 1.48 11.07 6.12	118,264.79 83,013.08 21,514.42 48,746.66 42,587.82 118,106.45 271,538.50	30,183,26 18,959,53 5,836,31 11,376,38 10,737,91 26,429,80 73,945,65	12,247,61 7,777.12 1,723,50 4,150,03 3,543,98 10,121.85 20,304.80	589.78 190.07 20.00 64.12 3.25	50,948 56 30,813,81 10,161.40 25 289.00 21,848.40 49,444.95 126,625.90	16,749.72 13,460 44 2,454.10 3,540.64 3,543.95 22,123.75 30,747.65
Totals	S.Kr. 538,473.45	1.17	348,718.29	86,035.43	32,111.91	861.76	154.777.28	44 417.63
*Iceland-Farces Conference 23	I.Kr. 20,685.94	1.10	21,499.33	3,818,19	962.56		14,656.32	2,062.26
East African Union Mission Kenya	$\begin{array}{ccccccccc} \pounds & 131 & 15 & 10 \\ \pounds & 858 & 0 & 0 \\ \pounds & 332 & 5 & 10 \\ \pounds & 146 & 7 & 6 \\ \pounds & 50 & 14 & 2 \end{array}$	$ \begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$\begin{array}{rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr$		92 8 1 44 15 5 51 17 6 22 11 1 27 7 8	8 10 0 156 16 8 68 7 3 89 17 9 23 13 3
Totals	£ 1,519 3 4	2	1,579 4 10	557 2 2	267 14 7		238 19 9	347 4 7
Ethiopian Union Mission Central Abyssinia	£ 168 10 10 £ 35 2 6 £ £ 43 15 0	3 5 3 5 3	220 13 6 19 10 6 12 7 10	48 13 7 7 2 0 5 7 1	8 0 7 16 6 5 15 1	9 19 8 3 12 0	100 18 4 4 0 0 16 8	29 4 5 4 0 0
Totals	£ 247 8 4	5	252 11 10	61 2 8	14 12 2	13 11 8	105 13 0	33 13 5
Nigerian Union Mission 33	£ 431 17 6	3	428 6 8	164 5 1	34 14 6	••••••	158 7 3	14 15 11
Unattached Missions Gold Coast	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	$2 \frac{2}{5}$	$\begin{array}{rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr$	$ \begin{array}{rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr$	26 7 10 4 1 0 16 1 0 46 9 10		135 13 0 107 8 9 243 1 9	7 2 8 7 2 8
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*Report for five quarters.

Our China Missionaries Willing to Sacrifice

DR. H. W. MILLER, the president of the China Division, has sent us a splendid report concerning their Division Council. It demonstrates the willingness of our missionaries to make every possible personal sacrifice to carry on the Lord's work in spite of the shortage in the treasury. Dr. Miller writes:

"Our brethren have faced these

cuts with a spirit of determination to do a larger work even in spite of the lessened appropriation, though I can assure you that our superintendents and treasurers have never had a problem more difficult than that of planning how to finance the work. All through the meeting the pressure for additional workers was very keen. We considered very carefully the matter of whether we should release these calls in order to be assured of a balanced budget or whether we should balance our budget by calling upon our workers for a still greater sacrifice in the field. The feeling was very unanimous that we must have the new calls that were finally agreed upon, filled at the earliest possible date.

"In regard to furloughs, we invited a large number of our workers to wait over another year in order to effect a saving on our furlough transportation. Several responded to this invitation and are willingly waiting over."

for the Year Ended December 31, 1931 (Local Currency)

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$\begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c $	Miscellancous Offerings	Week of Sacrifice	Young People's Offerings	Big Week Mis- sions Extension Fund	Total Offerings (Columns 29-37 and Special Offerings)	Total Offerings Weekly per Capita	Percentage of Offerings to Tithe	Special Offer- ings for Foreign Fields	Total Offerings for Home Missionary Work	Total Contribu- tions for Local Church Work	Colporteur Sales	
$\begin{array}{c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c c $	34	35	36	37	38	39	40	41	42	43	44	
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		1,986.12 743.72 865.22 669.50	49.82 65.65	2,501.55 1.704.70 1,367.46	24,911.05 16,591.63 12,706 81	0.51 0.38 0.33	•••••• •••••	••••••	489.86 214.32	3,493.97 11,836.21 5,794.63 3,392.46 1,365.52	6,138.00 25,048.00 10,242.00	2 3 4
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$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$		28,858.27	1.€56.01	16,568,65	365,286.94	0.79			51,846.61	47,151.52	430,602.36	
$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$				867.33	22,366.66	1.19				778.94	32,749.18	23
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		300 10 5 142 4 8 150 11 6		28 12 11	2,850 15 11 2,378 19 3 2,520 2 6	213 213 312					246 15 9 529 10 11 715 14 6	

Only one who knows from experience what a furlough means to a missionary who has been far away from home, can appreciate the greatness of the sacrifice thus made by our faithful men and women. E. Korz.

The Door to Wider Achievement

TIMES are hard and money is scarce, but there is always room at the top. Those who now use their spare hours in definite preparation for more efficient work in their own particular field of labour, will presently be glad they spent their time and money in this way. Education, of the practical kind that leads to definite service, is always worth the sacrifice of time and convenience and the small amount of money that it costs. The Home Study Institute is receiving test papers from students ranging all the way from the eighth grade through the high school grades and through a large part of the college course. We also give many mothers instruction that enables them to take their children through the first three grades of the church school. We are glad to hear from men and women and boys and girls who desire to make something of themselves. Let us help you in your forward-looking plans. M. E. OLSEN, President Home Study Institute, Takoma Park, Washington, D.C.

May, 1932

Missionary Volunteer Report for Year Ended December 31, 1931

	Baltic Union	British Union	Polish Union	Scandinavian Union	Missions**	Totals, 1931	Totals, 1930	Increase
No. Societies Membership Average Number Reporting Average Per Cent Reporting	52 803 592 74%	81 1,608 543 34%	62 926 430 46%	73 1,922 327 17%	3 81	271 5,340 1,887 35%	246 4,837 1,849 38%	25 503 38 3% [≭]
Missionary Work Missionary Visits Bible Readings People Helped Treatments Given Periodicals Distributed Missionary Letters Written Souls Won	19,583 13,949 19,132 2,944 67,686 2,535 5	5,721 1,503 10,272 704 99,629 3,108 54	9,041 17,502 1,123 1,418 12,805 633 15	4,116 3,835 2,819 520 36,005 3,147 42	11,266 1,592 1,569 606	38,461 48,055 34,938 5,586 217,694 10,029 116	46,043 43,348 64,802 6,427 236,667 9,654 144	7,582* 4,707 29,864* 841* 18,973* 375 28*
African Fund Harvest Ingathering, etc	\$ 100.63 1,955.98	723.05 7,811.15	165.25 104.29	423.27 7.251.70		1,412.20 17,123.12	1,994.94 17,071.83	582.74* 51.29

*Decrease **Iceland (Activities under this heading include reports from East Africa).

Home Missionary Report for Year Ended December 31, 1931

	Baltic Union	British Union	Polish Union	Scandinavian Union	Missions	Totals, 1931	Totals, 1930	Increase
Church Membership Number Reporting Percentage Reporting	4,495 2,302 56%	4,743 1,269 27%	3,033 1,694 56%	9,135 1,594 17%		21,406 7,201 34%	20,399 6,959 34%	1,007 242
Missionary Activities Missionary Visits Bible Readings "People Helped	77,308 59,410 46,249 13,875 302,168 8,824 69	25,681 9,712 12,171 8,129 339,155 10,100 48	31,115 58,649 3,501 7,323 45,452 1,734 166	20,660 21,070 18,223 4,002 284,213 7,859 72	10,962 1,992 5,571 571	154,764 159,803 82,136 33,329 976,559 29,088 355	154,341 136,672 142,155 21,376 874,613 25,113 269	423 23,131 *60,019 11,953 101,946 3,975 86

*Decrease

Report of the Publishing Houses for the Year 1931

NAME	ADDRESS		Book Sales	Periodical Sales	Total Value Literature Sold	Buildings	Employees	Periodicals	Languages
1. The Advent Press	Gendia, P.O. Kisumu, Kenya E. Africa	\$	569.25	3.48	572.73	2	3		4
2. Danish Publishing House	Suomisvej 5, Copenhagen, Denmark	š	21,271,83	21,645.19	42,917.02		5	3	1
3. Estonian	Merepuistee 14a, Tallinn, Estonia	š	10,880.45	2,173.71	13,054,16		3	2	î
4. Aikain Vartija "	Annegatan 7, Helsingfors, Finland	ŝ	16.010.12	4,244.69	20,254.81		5	3	2
5. Gold Coast Depository	Box 45, Bekwai Gold Coast, W. Africa	ŝ	128.83		128.83				
6. Geislinn Publish. House	Box 262, Reykjavik, Iceland	\$	4,430.73	3,718.49	8,149.22	5	5	2	1
Latvian Publish. House	Brivibas iela, Riga, Latvia	\$	17,506.30	4,727.71	22,234.01		4	3	2
 Lithuanian Depository 	Kaunas, Tulpiu g-ve 4, Lithuania	\$	1,737.25	1,122.27	2,859.52		2	3	2
9. Nigerian U. Depository	P.O. Box 19, Ibadan, Nigeria, W. C. Af.	-\$	427.60	67.43	495.03			•	1
10. Polish Publish. House	ul. Turecka I, Warsaw, Poland	\$	6,207.99	13.206.06	19,414.05		4	2	4
11. Scandinavian Pub. Hse.	Akersgaten 74, Oslo, Norway	\$	23,998.43	24,438.53	48,436.96		18	2	4
12. Advent Publish. Assn.	S.D.A. Mission, Sierra Leone, Waterloo, West Africa	\$	94.38	•••••	94.38	•••		•••	
Stanborough Press Ltd.	Stanborough Park, Watford, Herts.	\$	83,941.54	34,934.83	118,876.37	1	43	7	2
Swedish Publish. House	Tunnelgatan 25, Stockholm, Sweden	\$	18,430.00	22,077.50	40,507.50	1	7	4	1
15. S. E. Nigerian Depository	P.O. Box 41, Aba, Nigeria, W. C. Af.	\$	333.12	4.25	337.37				1
	Totals fur 1931	\$	205,967.82	132,364.14	338,331,96	9	- 99	31	26
	Totals for 1930	\$	255,056.87	137,464.80	392,521.67	5	94	30	22
	Totals for 1929		261,950.13	132,625.96	394,576.09	6	83	25	25
	Totals for 1928		253,305.43	130,709.58	380,015.01	6	82	25	25
	Totals for 1927	\$	249,345.92	123,599.32	372,945.24	6	74	21	23

Report of Colporteur Work for the Year 1931

	Book Sales Including Helps Aver. No. of No. of No. of					Saie	s of Magazine	es and Mission	nary Pap	ers							0 1
		No. of Hours	No. of Orders	Valu	e of Books	Aver, No.of Colp.	No. of Hours	No. of Copies		Value of eriodicals	Tota	. Aver 1 Hrs. . p.wk	Souls		and Total lue of Sales	Grand Totals in Doll.	Grand Totals 1930
Baltic Union Estonian Conference Lithuanian Mission Courland Conference Livonia Conference Riga Conference	12 4 9 7	25,428 5,284 13,369 9,075 439	10.198 3,736 5,113 2,594 243	E.Kr. Lt. Ls. Ls. Ls.	33,292.04 8,117.00 20,059.00 8,201.00 1,161.00	4 2 5 2 3	6,332 1,902 7,075 2,450 3,937	13,681 16,205 14,688 8,293 13,610	E.Kr. Lt. Ls. Ls. Ls.	3,832.01 9,989.00 4,989.00 2,041.00 4,977.00	16 6 14 9 3	38.2 23.0 28.1 24.6 28.1	 3 1 1	E.Kr Lt. Ls. Ls. Ls.	. 37,124.05 18,106.00 25,048.00 10,242.00 6,138.00	\$ 9,899.74 1,810.60 4,835.51 1,977.23 1,184.97	\$ 6,832.48 1,674.90 9,058.47 5,406.55 2,159.45
Total	32	53,595	21,884	\$	15,369.33	16	21,696	66,477	\$	4,338.72	48	30.2	5	\$	19.708.05	19,708.05	25,131.85
British Union South England Conference North England Conference Welsh Mission Scottish Mission Irish Mission	37 29 9 6 4	48,959 34,795 12,559 10,169 5,632	6,902 3,608 4,767 733 587	£ £ £ £	7,235 0 10 4,996 6 7 2,617 4 9 2,027 1 9 486 12 6	···· ··· ···			£ £ £ £	$\begin{array}{cccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	37 29 9 6 4	25.4 23.1 26.8 32.6 27.1	24 	£ £	$\begin{array}{rrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrrr$	$\begin{array}{r} 43,567.65\\34,573.80\\14,519.66\\11,042.47\\3,229.50\end{array}$	46,398.24 45,159.85 9,454.21 4,322.06 5,115.15
Total	85	112,114	16,597	£	17,362 6 5			••••••	£	4,595 3 10	85	25.4	24	£	21,957 10 3	106,933.08	110,449.51
Polish Union Posen Conference	3 5 3 1 	4,697 7,706 3,596 375 513 1,943	3,001 5,329 2,487 734 109 982 1,171	Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1.	8,791.00 13,095.00 5,320.00 1,771.00 234.00 2,126.00 448.00	10 7 6 4 1 1 4	14,289 12,905 10,565 6,792 647 808 7,253	51,453 31,570 29,628 7,883 1,423 3,913 11,838	Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1.	$\begin{array}{c} 25,093.00\\ 17,336.00\\ 15,791.00\\ 4,802.00\\ 652.00\\ 2,264.00\\ 6,149.00 \end{array}$	13 12 9 5 1 1 5	27.1 33.0 30.3 27.6 12.4 25.0 35.4	4 4 7 6 	Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1. Z1.	33,884.00 30,431.00 21,111.00 6,573.00 886.00 4,390.00 8,597.00	3,794.38 3,407.72 2,364.04 736.06 99.22 491.61 962.70	3,381.50 2,453.53 2,513.83 636.70 250.44 643.84 771.44
· Total	13	18,830	13,813	Zi.	33,785.00	33	53,259	137,708	Z1.	72,087.00	46	30.1	21	Z1.	105,872.00	11,855.73	10,651 28
Scandinavian Union Danish Conference North Norweg'n Conference South " North Swedish South " Finnish "	27 8 19 8 19 32	40,280 15,629 30,169 11,172 31,382 47,924	27,622 8,918 22,785 6,482 13,311 19,468	DKr. NKr. NKr. SKr. SKr. FMk.	122,660.16 40,799,97 108,461.05 37,432,17 77,901.85 481,641,00	···· ··· ···					27 8 19 8 19 32	28.7 37.6 30.5 26.9 31.8 28.8		NKr.	108,461.05 37,432.17 77,901.85	32,973.16 10,967.73 29,156.21 10,062.41 20,941.35 12,674.77	35,074.24 43,470.27 32,963.57 17,553.09
Total	113	176,556	98,586	8	116,775.63						113	30,0		\$	116,775.63	116,775.63	129,061.17
East African Union Mission Kenya Mission Bast Tanganyika Mission Uganda Mission West Tanganyika Mission	7 1 2	7,314 649 1,819	1,646 338 65	Sh. Sh. Sh. Sh.	1,750.85 338,00 65.00	···· ··· ···	······	982 3,359 1,781	Sh. Sh. Sh. Sh.	104.00 335.90 178.10	 7 1 2	20.1 12.5 17.5		Sh. Sh. Sh. Sh.	1,854.85 673.90 243.10	451.66 164 09 59.16	378.04 529.84 522.14 471.12 86.25
Total	10	9,782	2,049	Sh.	2,153,85		•••••	6,122	Sh.	618.00	10	18.8		Sh.	2,771.85	674.91	1 987.39
Iceland-Faroes Conference Iceland Faroes	2	5,300 121	3,261 236	IKr. DKr.	22,685.14 354.90	$^{2}_{1}$	3,474 857	27,634 3,789	IKr. DKr.	9,135.50 1,949.21	4 1	42.2 18.8		IKr. DKr	31,820.64 2 303.21	7,063.37 620.67	9,167.07
Total	2	5,421	3,497	\$	5,136,18	3	4,331	31,423 ·	\$	2,547.86	5	37.5	•	\$	7,684.04	7,684.04	9,167.07
Nigerian Union Mission		•••••		£	92 19 6				£	15 4 5			•••	£	108 3 11	526.90	591.41
Ethiopian Union Mission	•••						•••••						•••				
Grand Totals for 1931	255	376,298	156,426	\$	226,596.14	52	79,286	241,730	\$	37,562.20	307	28.5	50	\$	264,158.34	264,158.34	
Grand Totals for 1930	295	425,700	161.439	\$	249,604.55	21	30,218	206,187	\$	37,435,13	316	28.9	10	\$		••••••	287,039.68
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Recapitulation for the Year

Name of Conference or Mission	No. Churches	Baptism and Vote	Apostasy	Death	Net Gain	Present Membership	Evangelistic Workers	Colporteurs	No. Sabbath- Schools	Membership	Average Attendance	Tithe	Tithe per capita	Sabhath-School Offerings	Weekly Offerings
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
N. E. Division Baltic Union 1 British	93 70 137 190 9	510 312 421 789 16	123 170 99 301 32	47 60 17 161 3	303 87 317 300 -14	4.495 4.743 3,033 9,135 348	15 51 101 74 103 7	48 85 46 113 5	117 136 225 293 11	4,786 4,706 3,619 8,222 308	3,404 3,691 2,904 6,612 255	\$ 27,998.60 \$ 109,553.50 \$ 14,852.70 \$ 131,422.07 \$ 4,979.50	0.13 0.45 0.10 0.28 0.26	5,275.39 21.271.02 3,965.78 28.761.74 1,125.68	14.28 210.31
Tls. Unions 4th Q. 1931	499	2.048	725	288	993	21,754	351	297	782	21,641	16,865	\$ 288,806.37	0.25	60,399.61	224.59
E. Afr'n Union Miss. 6 Ethiopian " 7 Nigerian " " 8 Unattached Missions 9	28 7 4 9	918 27 172 62	322 1 	30 1 6 6	627 32 168 60	3,899 261 813 774	29 10 9 8	···· ···	262 10 63 46	10,867 271 3,696 2,034	10,364 373 3,390 1,554	\$ 7 131.10 \$ 1,204.90 \$ 1,987.70 \$ 2,114.70	0.04 0 10 0.06 0.05	3,786.61 368 85 911.20 901.69	66.15
Tls. Missions vear 1931	48	1,179	323	43	887	5,747	56		381	16,868	15,681	\$ 12,438.40	0.05	5,968.35	66 15
Grand Total year 1931 1930 1930 1930 1929 1928 1928 1927	547 518 473 442 420	3,227 2,702 2,844 2,292 2,168	1,018 744 706 758 649	331 311 313 270 291	1,880 1,393 1,808 1,123 1,263	27,501 25-621 24,228 22,420 21,297	407 385 353 305 288	297 303 270 276 316	1,163 1,103 953 850 821	38,509 33,370 31,762 30,288 28,939	32,547 25 690 25,701 25,302 23 400	\$ 301,244.77 \$ 332,814.92 \$ 325,295 14 \$ 308.975.48 \$ 299,633 59	0.22 0.26 0.27 0.28 0.28	66,367.96 73 726.70 69 535.16 66,250.83 63.0419	$\begin{array}{r} 290.74\\ 48^{\circ}.94\\ 1,251.54\\ 1,316.29\\ 2,510.22\end{array}$

Report of African Work for the Year Ended September 30, 1931. (4th Qtr., 1930,

NAME OF CONFERENCE OR MISSION	Ordained Ministers	Licensed Ministers	Licensed Missionaries	Teachers	Colporteurs	Other Workers	Total	Number in Baptismal Class	Train Train	Enrolment S	Stat. Stat.	Enrolment Scool	Number of no.	Enrolment (Girls' Girls'	Enrolment S.	No. Per. giving Treatments W	No. Treat- ments given
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19
East African Union Kenya 1 West Tanganyika 2 East Tanganyika 3 Uganda 4	 	9 2 1	7 	$245 \\ 56 \\ 14 \\ 6$	7 1 2	25 8 8	293 56 33 18	911 430 277 63	1 1 1 	33 23 62	4 5 1 1	429 165 80 14	200 41 4 5	6,865 980 250 118	2 1 1	70 37 7	8 2 1 4	1,923 28,973 4,880 12,695
Totals		12	16	321	10	41	400	1,681	3	128	11	688	250	8,213	4	114	15	48.471
Ethiopian Union Central Abyssinia	1	 	 	14 2 1 4 21			$ \begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 4 \\ 22 \end{array} $	7 3 10	1	10 10	3 1 4	140 25 165	1	12 12	1 1	17 17	· 2 2 4	790 1,680 2,470
Nigerian Union 9	4			7	11	28	57	515	<u>1</u>		2	186	3	75			8	4.019
Unattached Missions Gold Coast	1	1	11 17	5 	·	 	18 27	198 169		 26	1 17	83 627	1	30 			2 2 20	1,501 854 98.)
Totals	,5	7	28	5			45	367	1	26	18	710	1	30			24	3,335
Grand Totals for the year 1931 1930 	10 3 13	19 9 13	44 37 33	354 291 382	21 13 23	69 61 82	424	1,787	5 5 6	164 144 175	35 43 33	1,749 1,701 1,270	255 308 306	8.330 11,030 11.852	5 5 5	131 125 82	61 57 73	58,292 61,971 61,033

Report of the Sanitariums for the Year 1931

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NAME	ADDRESS	No. of Buildings	No. of Acres	Capacity	Persons Treated		Charity Work	Physicians	Nurses	Other Employees	Total ^v Employees
 Hultafors Sanitorium Kendu Mission Hospital Skodsborg Badesanatorium "The Stanboroughs" Taffari Makonnen Hospital 	Hultafors, Sweden Gendia, P.O. Kisumu, Kenya E.Af. Skodsborg, Denmark Watford, Herts, England Dessie, Vollo, Abyssinia, Africa	7 5 22 3 3	$172 \\ 10 \\ 8\frac{1}{2} \\ 17 \\ 20$	125 40 340 80 20	840 7,250 1,615 806 16,000	\$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$	$\begin{array}{c} 1.250.00\\ 3,600.00\\ 24.757.17\\ 2,812.00\\ 500.00\end{array}$	1 1 7 1 1	16 2 100 27 1	52 9 143 36 4	69 12 250 64 6
	Totals for 1931 Totals for 1930 Totals for 1929 Totals for 1928 Totals for 1927	40 38 36 34 35	$\begin{array}{r} 227\frac{1}{2} \\ 227\frac{1}{2} \\ 227\frac{1}{2} \\ 227\frac{1}{2} \\ 207\frac{1}{2} \\ 207\frac{1}{2} \end{array}$	605 605 600 580 560	26,511 28,451 40,999 28,923 11,426	\$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$ \$\$	32,919.17 27,610.14 24,626.68 27,820.02 27,870.80	11 9 9 9 9	146 159 152 150 149	244 291 264 238 240	401 459 425 397 398

Ended December 31, 1931

Harvest Ingathering	Annual Offering	Miscellaneous Offering	Young People's Offerings	Week of Sacrifice	Big Week and Special Offerings	Total Offerings (including Big Week and Special)	Total Offerings per capita	Percentage of Offerings to Tithe	Total Contribu- tions for Home Missionary Work	Total Contribu- tions for Local Church Work	Colporteur Sales	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	
8,729.65 33,456.32 5,001.57 34,259.02 2,990.10	1,781.53 2,836.07 705.99 8,488.75 437.72	798.51 29.98	100.63 723.05 165.25 423.27	1,046.90 3,850.74 696.06 7,741.17	1,694.89 2,913.02 838.85 4,440.42	18,628.99 65,848.73 11,417.76 84,324.68 4,788.72	0.08 0.27 0.08 0.18 0.25	66.5% 60.1% 76.8% 65.2% 96.1%	284.70 436.09 240.81 13,937.24	5.126.05 17,303.87 1,231.06 12,675.12 164.95	$19,708.05 \\106,933.08 \\11,855.73 \\116,775.63 \\7,684.04$	1 2 3 4 5
84.436.66	14.250.05	828.49	1,412.20	13,331.87	10.122.40	185,003.88	0.17	64.0%	14,898.84	36,501.05	262,956.53	
1.075.02 514.52 771.05 1,129.35	1,691.01 163.98 71.64 33.41			681.92 116.61 217.00 189.40	282.70 15.83 47.52 38.21	7,517.26 1,245.94 2,018,41 2,292.05	0.04 0.10 0.06 0.06	107.8% 103.4% 102.0% 105.6%			674.91 526.90	6 7 8 9
3,489.94	1,960.04			1,204.93	384.26	13,073.67	0.05	105.1%			1,201.81	
87,926.60 99,595.20 92,489.65 69,756.79 67,820.13	$\begin{array}{c} 16,210.10\\ 18,464.23\\ 16,020.42\\ 18,697.39\\ 15,711.30\end{array}$	828.49 322.06 3,530.27 2,238.76 1,874.24	1,412.20 1,994.94	$\begin{array}{c} 14,539.80\\ 11,597.37\\ 11,896.52\\ 6,338.96\\ 10,815.00 \end{array}$	*10,506.65 11,590.53 '10,399.33 7,019,01 6,211.27	198,082.55 217,779.97 205,122.89 171,618.03 167,984.05	<pre>/ 0.15 0.17 0.17 0.15 0.16</pre>	65.7% 65.4% 63.0% 55.5% 56.0%	$\begin{array}{c} 14,898.84\\ 9,900.48\\ 9,486.01\\ 6,592.01\\ 8,645.40\end{array}$	36,501.05 34,318.15 30,990.28 29,504.67 30,473.35	$\begin{array}{c} 264,158.34\\ 287,039.68\\ 282,970.70\\ 271,896,89\\ 266,773.54 \end{array}$	

*Big Week, \$10,499.66. Special \$7.00

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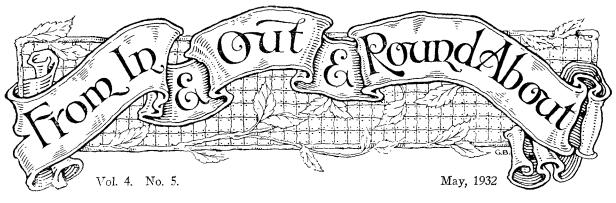
Report of Church Schools for the Year 1931

European Tithe	Native Tithe	Per Cent of Native to Total Tithe
20	21	22
$\begin{array}{c} \pounds 131 15 10 \\ \pounds 263 16 8 \\ \pounds 216 12 6 \\ \pounds 77 10 10 \\ \pounds 37 17 6 \end{array}$	594 3 4 115 13 4 68 16 8 12 16 8	69.2% 1 34.8% 2 47.0% 3 12.3% 4
£ 727 13 4	791 10 0	11.1%
£ 130 7 6 £ 32 3 4 £ £ 43 15 0	38 3 4 2 19 2	22.6% 5 8.4% 6 7 8
£ 206 5 10	41 2 6	16.6%
£ 162 13 4	269 1 2	62.3% 9
£ 95 15 10 £ 20 18 4 £ 99 11 8	104 16 8 	52.2% 10 11 62.8% 12
£ 216 5 10	273 4 2	126.3%
$\begin{array}{c ccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccccc$	1,374 17 4 1,476 19 6 1.405 19 3	51.1% 52.6% 57. <u>8%</u>

PLACE			No. Teachers Enrolment		Building	Estimated Value of Equipment	Expense of Annual Maintenance			
Bri	tish Union									
1.	West London	Stamford Brook Road London W.6.	2	3 2		\$ 120.00	\$ 1,371.46			
2.	Walthamstow	Grove Rd., London E.17	2	31		120.00	1.224.00			
2.	Plymouth	"Fleetwood," North Rd.		30		280.00	1,245.00			
4.		Watford, Herts	2	47		140.00	1,782.44			
Sc	andinavian Unio	on								
5.	Copenhagen	Suomisvej 5 Copenhagen	2	29	·····	500:00	1,350.00			
6.	Skodsborg	"Aftenhvile" Naerum	2	30		403.28	1,378.50			
7.	Aarhus	Norre Alle 30	2	38		250.00	1,400.00			
8.	Esbierg	Finlandsgade 28	ī	20		150.00	350.00			
9.	Jerslev	Bronderslev	i	12		75.00	350.00			
10.	Veilefiord	Daugaard	1	10						
11.		Menighedsskolen	1	7		300.00	300.00			
12.	Frederikshavn	"Salem "	1	16	\$ 750.00	150.00	475.00			
13.		Tunnelgaten 25	2	20	*	368.56	1.812.50			
14.	Oslo	Kingosgatan 1	2	41			1 825.00			
15.	Nesland	Sund i Logoten	1	10						
Ice	land-Faroes Co	nference								
	Iceland	Westmans Islands	:	2 7 0	650.00	44.00	33.00			
	Totals 1931 16	Schools		443	\$ 1,400.00	2,900.84	14,896.93			
	1, 1930 15			i 417	\$ 667.00	2,882.19	17,105.04			
	., 1929 14	11	26	434	\$ 2,680.96	2,683.50	17,802.04			

Report of the Treatment Rooms for the Year 1931

NAME	ADDRESS	Capacity	Capacity Persons Treated		Charity Work	Physicians	Nurses	Other Employees	Total Employees	
 Bergen Kurbadet Fysikaliska Kuranstalt (Stockholm) Haugesund Kurbad Helsingfors Fysikaliska Institute Nyhyttans Badanstalt Oslo Kurbadet 	Vestre Torvgate 11, Bergen, Norway Humlegardsgatan 18, Stockholm, Sweden Breidablikgat 97, Haugesund, Norway Annegatan 7, Helsingfors, Finland Jarnboas, Sweden Akersgaten 74, Oslo, Norway	80 90 100 50 100 200	140 600 350 542 240 47,000	****	17.18 487.75 38.87 50.00 100.00 937.50	 1 1	3 9 3 3 7 22	4 4 26 38	3 13 7 4 34 60	
	Totals for 1931 Totals for 1930 Totals for 1929 Totals for 1928 Totals for 1927	620 390 386 335 285	48.872 1,992 2,018 1,783 1,482	***	1,631.30 637.92 614.92 1,090.40 353.99	2 2 2 2 2 2	47 26 28 29 24	72 25 28 26 23	121 53 58 57 49	



New Men in the Division

By L. H. Christian

Two years ago Pastor J. H. Schilling, our field secretary, had to leave. It was a real loss to us that he could not remain. In this Division, where so many new members and younger workers join us each year, there is great need of the educational and spiritual work that belongs to a field secretary. In counsel with the General Conference the Division has now secured the service of Pastor W. T. Bartlett as our field secretary. Brother Bartlett's long experience as editor, teacher, counsellor, and mission leader both in Great Britain and Africa will make his labours in this Division most helpful. We extend to him a cordial welcome. He begins his work as field secretary on May 1st.

By this time nearly all will have heard of the change that has come in the Division secretaryship. Pastor W. E. Read, who served so faithfully for many years, has been elected president of the British Union. When Brother Read came to us ten years ago our missions in Africa were very small; now they are large and prospering. This growth is to a great extent due to his thoughtful and energetic work. While we deeply regret that he leaves, we wish him every blessing in his new important duties.

When we understood that the Division must give up Pastor Read, we asked counsel of the General Conference as to his successor. We needed another strong man as secretary, one right in his prime. We also needed a man who was well trained and who had experience both in the home field and in The General Conference Africa. has recommended to us Professor E. D. Dick, the educational and general field secretary of the Southern African Division. We are grateful to our sister Division in the South for having released Brother Dick to this field and also to him because he has accepted the call. Brother Dick was for six years principal of our large training school in Western Canada. After that he has laboured eight or nine years in Africa, carrying heavy responsibilities with much success. We extend to him a hearty welcome to the secretarial work of this Division. Beginning July 1st all mail belonging to the secretary should be sent to him at Division head-quarters.

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"IN Ezekiel's vision, God had His hand beneath the wings of the cherubim. This is to teach His servants that it is divine power that gives them success. He will work with them if they will put away iniquity, and become pure in heart and life."

Report of the Educational Institutions for the Year 1931

NAME	ADDRESS	No. of Buildings	No. of	Capacity		Grade 9-12 I	-		Uner Employees	Grades Done	Library No. of Vols.	Laboratory	Manual Tr. Fac.	0	gr.	duat gr. g 14	gr.	Stud. entered work
1. Advent Miss'n Seminary 2. Agona S.D.A. Mission School	Post Box 440 Riga, Latvia S.D.A Mission, Agona, Gold Coast, W. Africa	16 2	275 80	70 117	 89	70 	 	7 7	3	9-12 	2,288 140	Yes No	Yes Yes	8 12	8		····	 6 4
 West Tanganyika Train- ing School 	P.O. Musoma via Kisumu T.T. East Africa	5	89	30	23	•••	•••	3		····•	None	No	No	8	•···			
 Newbold College Lähetyskoula Nyhyttans Mission School 	Near Rugby, England Annegatan 7, Hels'fors, Finland Järnboas, Sweden		300 650	146 50 75	 	115 74	31 	9 4 7	8 1 3	9-16 9-12	$2,500 \\ 200 \\ 1,000$	Yes No Yes	Yes No No	11 15	 11	11 4	 	7 35
 Norway Mission School Polish Union School Danish Mission School 	Algarheim, Norway Kamienica [!] 230, na Slask Daugaard Station, Denmark	7 6	225 12	50 50	···- ···	46 40	 	5 7	$\frac{2}{3}$	9-12 9-12	340 705	Yes Yes	No Yes	6 	6 	 	 	22.
(Vejlefjord Höjskole) 10. Waterloo Training	Waterloo, Sierra Leone	12	90	100	9	70		6	4	1-12	2,500	Yes	No	10	10	••••		28
School 11. *E. Tanganyika Train-	West Africa Suji Mission, Makania	2	15	29	29			6	•••		50	No	No	1	1			1
ing School 12. Ibadan Training School	P.O. Tanga T.T. E. Africa P.O. Box 19, Ibadan, Nigeria	8 4		370 135	85			15 4		1-8	50	No No	Some Some	12	 	 		···•
	Totals for 1931 Totals for 1930 Totals for 1929 Totals for 1928 Totals for 1927	72 40 35	1,743 1,365 1,384 1,239 1,245	$1,222 \\ 923 \\ 473 \\ 430 \\ 470$	235 274 40 19	415 567 381 366 393	31 18 36	80 63 39 39 43	24 26 	·····	9,773 8,898 5,621 4,845 3,975			83 72 67 65 55	36 30 42 42 22	15 7 2 12 7		103 156 132 124 134

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