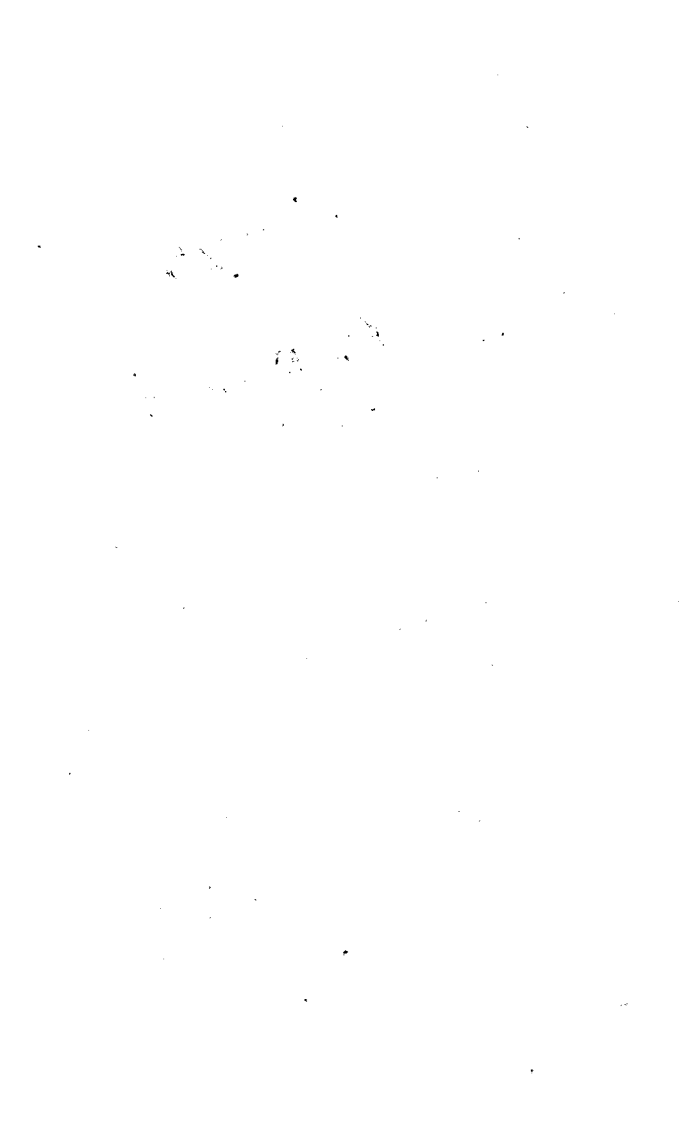


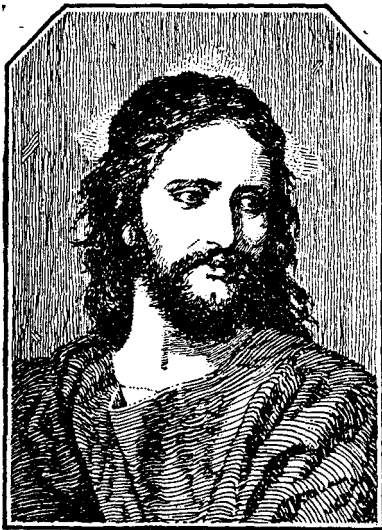
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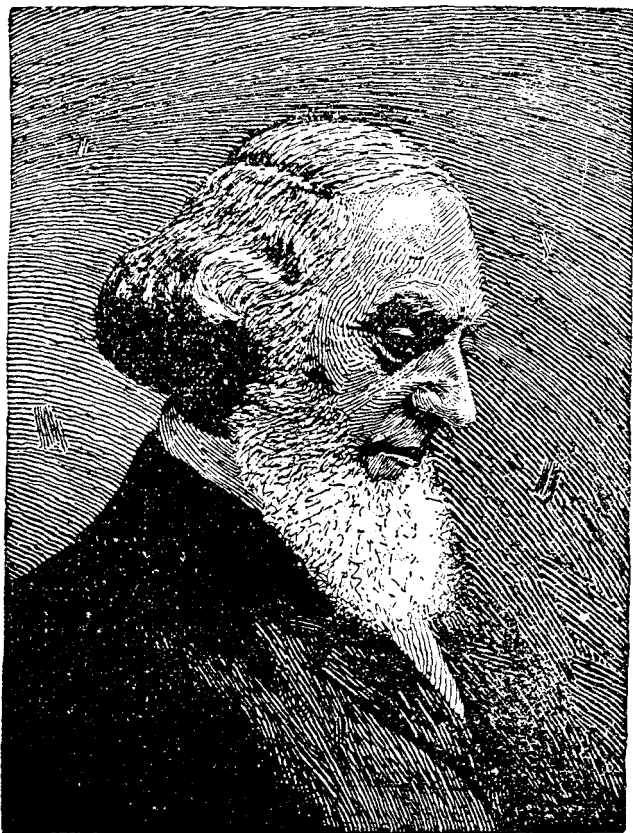
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To Us the Scriptures Clearly Teach

THAT the church is “the temple of the living God”, peculiarly “his workmanship”; that its construction has been in progress throughout the Gospel Age—even since Christ became the world’s Redeemer and the Chief Corner Stone of his temple, through which, when finished, God’s blessing shall come “to all people”, and they find access to him.—1 Corinthians 3: 16, 17; Ephesians 2: 20-22; Genesis 28: 14; Galatians 3: 29.

That meantime the chiseling, shaping, and polishing of consecrated believers in Christ’s atonement for sin progresses; and when the last of these “living stones”, “elect and precious,” shall have been made ready, the great Master Workman will bring all together in the first resurrection; and the temple shall be filled with his glory, and be the meeting place between God and men throughout the Millennium.—Revelation 15: 5-8.

That the basis of hope, for the church and the world, lies in the fact that “Jesus Christ, by the grace of God, tasted death for *every* man,” “a ransom for all,” and will be “the true light which lighteth *every man that cometh into the world*”, “in due time.”—Hebrews 2: 9: John 1: 9; 1 Timothy 2: 5, 6.

That the hope of the church is that she may be like her Lord, “see him as he is,” be ‘partaker of the divine nature’, and share his glory as his joint-heir.—1 John 3: 2; John 17: 24; Romans 8: 17; 2 Peter 1: 4.

That the present mission of the church is the perfecting of the saints for the future work of service; to develop in herself every grace; to be God's witness to the world; and to prepare to be kings and priests in the next age.—Ephesians 4:12; Matthew 24:14; Revelation 1:6; 20:6.

That the hope of the world lies in the blessings of knowledge and opportunity to be brought to *all* by Christ's Millennial kingdom, the restitution of all that was lost in Adam, to all the willing and obedient, at the hands of their Redeemer and his glorified church, when all the willfully wicked will be *destroyed*.—Acts 3:19, 23; Isaiah 35.

International Bible Students Association

The International Bible Students Association is a body of consecrated Christian people organized according to the Holy Scriptures and with duly ordained ministers or servants. It is organized for the study of the Bible, the preaching of the gospel, and for the worship of God and the Lord Jesus.

The organization is made up of many bodies of Christian people located in various towns and cities of the United States and Canada, Great Britain, Continental Europe, and other parts of the world. Each ecclesia or class of Bible Students has its own separate organization and elects at regular intervals its servants or ministers, who are called elders or deacons. These ecclesias have regular worship on Sundays, consisting of preaching and Bible study, and also Bible studies on various evenings during the week.

The International Bible Students Association was founded by Charles Taze Russell of Allegheny, Pennsylvania, in the year 1869. He was elected by the

congregation in that city at that time as its pastor; and thereafter was elected pastor of a large number of congregations in the United States and Europe, and until his death was known as Pastor Russell. He was duly ordained as a minister of the gospel.

About the year 1870 Pastor Russell began a special study of the prophecies of the Bible relative to the second coming of the Lord and the establishment of his kingdom. The result of his studies was the publication of a small book entitled "The Object and Manner of Our Lord's Return".

In the year 1879 Pastor Russell began the publication of **THE WATCH TOWER AND HERALD OF CHRIST'S PRESENCE**, the subtitle expressing his confidence in the fact of the presence of the Lord. **THE WATCH TOWER** has been issued regularly, twice each month, since the beginning of its publication.

In 1886 he wrote and published "The Divine Plan of the Ages", otherwise known as the first volume of **STUDIES IN THE SCRIPTURES**, in which is given a Scriptural outline of God's great program for the redemption and blessing of the human race. Following this he wrote and published five other volumes of the series of **STUDIES IN THE SCRIPTURES**, viz.:

"The Divine Plan of the Ages"

"The Time is at Hand"

"Thy Kingdom Come"

"The Battle of Armageddon"

"The Atonement Between God and Man"

"The New Creation"

Shortly following his death "The Finished Mystery", being the seventh volume of the said series of **STUDIES IN THE SCRIPTURES**, was published by the Association. He traveled widely throughout the world, organizing

bodies of Christian people into ecclesias or churches; and these, ordaining their ministers in the Scriptural manner, increased from time to time.

Pastor Russell died in the year 1916. At that time he was the duly elected and acting pastor of about 1400 ecclesias.

The name International Bible Students Association is a generic term referring to the entire religious Association and its membership. A corporation was formed and organized under that name and title in the year 1914 under the laws of Great Britain, for the purpose of holding property and carrying on the business part of its work in Great Britain and other parts of Europe. The Association existed, however, long prior thereto, as above stated, as an unincorporated organization.

In 1884 the work of said Society was organized in Pennsylvania under the name and the title of the Watch Tower Bible & Tract Society, for the purpose of holding title to property, publication of books, etc., and generally to conduct the business affairs of the International Bible Students Association as stated above. The general offices of the Association were then in Allegheny, Pennsylvania.

In the year 1909 the headquarters of the said International Bible Students Association were moved to Brooklyn, New York. The Watch Tower Bible & Tract Society, being a corporation organized under a special statute of Pennsylvania, could not be moved to New York; hence another corporation was formed under the membership corporation law of the State of New York under the name and title of the Peoples Pulpit Association, for the purpose of conducting the business affairs of the said International Bible Students Association in and for the State of New York.

The object and purpose of the International Bible Students Association has always been and is now to preach to the people the Holy Scriptures and to give what its members conceive to be a true interpretation of the Bible, pointing out God's way provided for the granting of everlasting life and blessings to the obedient ones of the human race. It is not in any wise political, nor does it interfere or participate in political matters, but strictly follows the admonition of the apostles and the Lord Jesus in adhering to the teaching of God's Word.

The various classes or ecclesias of the International Bible Students Association use as textbooks the seven volumes of **STUDIES IN THE SCRIPTURES**, **THE WATCH TOWER**, and other like publications written by Pastor Russell, besides various translations of the Bible, standard concordances, and other helps.

The executive offices of said Association are located at 124 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, New York; while the operating offices are located at 18 Concord Street, Brooklyn.

The officers of the International Bible Students Association are the following:

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The Association also maintains a home and school of instruction for those preparing to be ministers or teachers of the Divine Word, which home and school is maintained at 122-124 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, New York. At said address three times each day there is a period of consideration and discussion of Bible questions, and each evening there are regular Bible classes taught by resident ministers or teachers.

The Association sends out from its headquarters at Brooklyn a large number of duly ordained ministers who are empowered to perform marriage ceremonies, without restriction, baptize, bury the dead, administer the Lord's supper, etc., and who visit the various classes in the United States and Canada, who hold Bible

studies and deliver public discourses and sermons to those who are interested in Bible Study. These ministers are maintained by the Association and devote all their time to preaching the gospel and teaching Bible classes under the management and supervision of the International Bible Students Association. Each week preaching services are held in a number of places in Greater New York, attended and served by some of these ministers, and also in towns and cities within a day's travel from New York; while others of these ministers travel from town to town throughout the United States holding daily meetings and preaching services with classes, ecclesias or church organizations and delivering free lectures to the public.

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| Tiffin, Ohio | 42 | Springfield, Ohio | 37 |
| Aalborg, Denmark | 41 | Wilhelmsburg, Germany | 37 |
| Barrow, England | 41 | Bellingham, Wash. | 36 |
| Beaumont, Texas | 41 | Bevent, Wis. (Polish) | 36 |
| Buffalo, N. Y. (German) | 41 | Bradford, England | 36 |
| Cedar Rapids, Iowa | 41 | Calmar, Alta., Can. | 36 |
| Derby, England | 41 | Clydach, Wales | 36 |
| Easton, Pa. | 41 | Evansville, Ind. | 36 |
| Ilva-Mare, Roumania | 41 | Lowell, Mass. | 36 |
| Mattoon, Ill. | 41 | Lwow, Poland | 36 |
| Sin-le-Noble, France | 41 | Marietta, Ohio | 36 |
| Bicalat, Roumania | 40 | Nelson, Ohio | 36 |
| Bila Cerkva, Czecho-Slovakia | | New Castle, Pa. | 36 |
| (Ukrainian) | 40 | Philadelphia, Pa. (Colored).... | 36 |
| Erebi, Roumania | 40 | Pueblo, Colo. | 36 |
| Cleveland, Ohio (Hungarian) .. | 40 | Stockton, Calif. | 36 |
| Dartford, England | 40 | Waltham, Mass. | 36 |
| Elizabeth, N. Y. | 40 | Darlington, England | 35 |
| Meuselwitz, Germany | 40 | Darmstadt, Germany | 35 |
| Middlesbrough, England | 40 | Friedeberg, Germany | 35 |
| Mobile, Ala. | 40 | Inwald, Poland | 35 |
| Oldenburg, Germany | 40 | Lausanne, Switzerland, | 35 |
| Quincy, Mass. | 40 | Mansfield, Ohio | 35 |
| Sovarad, Roumania | 40 | Niagara Falls, Ont., Can. | 35 |
| Stockport, England | 40 | Nimigea-Ungureasca, | |
| Voitenel, Bucovina, Roumania | 40 | Roumania | 35 |
| West Brunswick, England | 40 | Pawtucket, R. I. | 35 |
| Ashton under Lyne, England.... | 39 | Regina, Sask., Can. | 35 |
| Bay City, Mich. | 39 | Siemanowice, Poland | 35 |
| Bergen, Norway | 39 | Springfield, Ill. | 35 |
| Chicago, Ill. (Colored) | 39 | Turda, Roumania | 35 |
| Gary, Ind. (Polish) | 39 | Bichio, Roumania | 34 |
| Hawthorne, Calif. | 39 | Bolton, England | 34 |
| Henningsdorf, Germany | 39 | Bory, Poland | 34 |
| Lancaster, England | 39 | Brandon, Man., Can. | 34 |
| New Bedford, Mass. | 39 | Brighton, England | 34 |
| Zanesville, Ohio | 39 | Galt, Ont., Can. | 34 |
| Aldamm, Germany | 38 | Durban, Natal | 34 |
| Barnoldswick, England | 38 | Mansfield, England | 34 |
| Boise, Idaho | 38 | Marion, Ohio | 34 |
| Bramley, England | 38 | Peterborough, England | 34 |

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| Petroseni, Roumania | 34 | Burlington, Wash. | 30 |
| Sanioana, Roumania | 34 | Butler, Pa. | 30 |
| Sulzback, Saar Basin | 34 | Crooksville, Ohio | 30 |
| Wausau, Wis. | 34 | Detroit, Mich. (Ukrainian) | 30 |
| Wooster, Ohio | 34 | Geneva, Switzerland | 30 |
| Accrington, England | 33 | Knoxville, Tenn. | 30 |
| Akron, Ohio (Polish) | 33 | Little Rock, Ark. | 30 |
| Augusta, Ga. | 33 | Monessen, Pa. | 30 |
| Barberton, Ohio (Hungarian) | 33 | Neunkirchen, Saar Basin | 30 |
| Benton Harbor, Mich. | 33 | New York, N. Y. (Ukrainian) | 30 |
| Berthoud et Wasen, Switzerland | 33 | Oeni-Dejului, Roumania | 30 |
| Bloomfield, N. J. | 33 | Portland, Maine | 30 |
| Brazil, Ind. | 33 | Arendal, Norway | 29 |
| Camden, N. J. | 33 | Bitterfeld, Germany | 29 |
| Frauenfeld, Switzerland | 33 | Blackpool, England | 29 |
| Kingston, N. Y. | 33 | Chester, Pa. | 29 |
| Moline, Ill. | 33 | Cleveland, Ohio (Lithuanian) | 29 |
| New Albany, Ind. | 33 | Esbjerg, Denmark | 29 |
| Port Limon, Costa Rica | 33 | Freepport, Ill. | 29 |
| Stafa, Switzerland | 33 | Greenfield, Mass. | 29 |
| Valea-Marea, Roumania | 33 | Hamilton, Scotland | 29 |
| Waterbury, Conn. | 33 | New Brunswick, N. J. | 29 |
| Wilkes-Barre, Pa. | 33 | Poole, England | 29 |
| Wismar, Germany | 33 | Port Clinton, Ohio | 29 |
| Youngstown, O. (Greek) | 33 | Rochdale, England | 29 |
| Aberdeen, Scotland | 32 | Rostock, Germany | 29 |
| Brockton, Mass. | 32 | Schonbeck, Germany | 29 |
| Curtis, Wis. | 32 | Sibiu, Romania | 29 |
| Duluth, Minn. (Polish) | 32 | South Bend, Ind. | 29 |
| Elkhart, Ind. | 32 | Stockton on Tees, England | 29 |
| Kircaldy, Scotland | 32 | Stratford, Ont., Can. | 29 |
| Pittsfield, Mass. | 32 | Tonawanda, N. Y. | 29 |
| Phoenix, Ariz. | 32 | Bath, England | 28 |
| Wadenswil, Switzerland | 32 | Bedford, Ind. | 28 |
| Yeovil, England | 32 | Cincinnati, Ohio (Colored) | 28 |
| Auburn, Ind. | 31 | Colne, England | 28 |
| Chaguanas, Trinidad, B. W. I. | 31 | Cucerdea-Romana, Roumania | 28 |
| Cleveland, O. (Ukrainian) | 31 | Dowlais, Wales | 28 |
| Colombo, Ceylon | 31 | Einfeld (Holstein), Germany | 28 |
| Danville, Ill. | 31 | Erie, Pa. (Polish) | 28 |
| Dewsbury, England | 31 | Fall River, Mass. | 28 |
| Eastwood, England | 31 | Fort Smith, Ark. | 28 |
| Freetown, Sierre Leone, | | Huntington, W. Va. | 28 |
| B. W. A. | 31 | Jac, Roumania | 28 |
| Glace Bay, N. S., Can. | 31 | Joplin, Mo. | 28 |
| Iola, Kans. | 31 | Kenosha, Wis. (Polish) | 28 |
| McKeesport, Pa. | 31 | Kettering, England | 28 |
| Newburgh, N. Y. | 31 | Lawrence, Mass. | 28 |
| Paso Robles, Calif. | 31 | Lorain, Ohio (Polish) | 28 |
| Pullman, Ill. (Polish) | 31 | Moose Jaw, Sask., Can. | 28 |
| Rotherham, England | 31 | Morgantown, W. Va. | 28 |
| Seguin, Texas (Spanish) | 31 | Muncie, Ind. | 28 |
| South Shields, England | 31 | Nashville, Tenn. | 28 |
| Targu Mures, Roumania | 31 | Perth Amboy, N. J. (Polish) | 28 |
| Zurzach, Switzerland | 31 | Piqua, Ohio | 28 |
| Arkansas City, Kans. | 30 | Poughkeepsie, N. Y. | 28 |
| Athens, Greece | 30 | San Antonio, Texas (Spanish) | 28 |
| Barberton, Ohio | 30 | Warwick, England | 28 |
| Bulach, Switzerland | 30 | West Brownsville, Pa. (Hungarian) | 28 |

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| Wetzikon, Switzerland | 28 | Santa Barbara, Calif. | 26 |
| Wildeggen-Lenzburg, Switzerland | 28 | Southampton, England | 26 |
| Ypsilanti, Mich. | 28 | Spennymoor, England | 26 |
| Zion, Ill. | 28 | Spring Valley, Ill. (Lithuanian) | 26 |
| Akron, O., (Ukrainian) | 27 | Viborg-Sparkjaer, Denmark | 26 |
| Belvidere, Ill. | 27 | Wesel, Germany | 26 |
| Birmingham, Ala. (Colored) | 27 | Wilkes-Barre, Pa. (Polish) | 26 |
| Bucuresti, Roumania | 27 | Aarhus, Denmark | 25 |
| Coatbridge, Scotland | 27 | Anaheim, Calif. | 25 |
| Colorado Springs, Colo. | 27 | Arnett, Okla. | 25 |
| Covington, Ky. | 27 | Chattanooga, Tenn. (Colored) | 25 |
| Domaczewo, Poland | 27 | Cheltenham, England | 25 |
| Elgin, Ill. | 27 | Feldru, Roumania | 25 |
| Elwood, Ind. | 27 | Halifax, England | 25 |
| Fort William & Port Arthur Ont., Can. | 27 | Leduc, Alta., Can. | 25 |
| Gunifeld, Germany | 27 | Llanelly, Wales | 25 |
| Harrisburg, Pa. | 27 | Moir, England | 25 |
| Heesen, Germany | 27 | Muskegon, Mich. | 25 |
| Herbert, Sask., Can. | 27 | Penarth, Wales | 25 |
| Junction City, Wis. (Polish) | 27 | Pleasant Home, Man., Can. (Ukrainian) | 25 |
| Kamsack, Sask., Can. | 27 | Rugby, England | 25 |
| Lievin, France | 27 | Solothurn, Switzerland | 25 |
| Lulea-Gammelstad, Sweden | 27 | Svartoestaden, Sweden | 25 |
| Muraseni, Roumania | 27 | Utica, N. Y. (Polish) | 25 |
| Newark, Ohio | 27 | Vicovul de sus (Bucovina) Roumania | 25 |
| Opelika, Ala. | 27 | West Selkirk, Man., Can. (Ukrainian) | 25 |
| Port Chester, N. Y. | 27 | Abersychan, Wales | 24 |
| Segmon, Sweden | 27 | Appleton, Wis. | 24 |
| South Bend, Ind. (Polish) | 27 | Arad, Roumania | 24 |
| Trondhjem, Norway | 27 | Ashton, Ill. | 24 |
| Union, Trinidad, B. W. I. | 27 | Biusa, Roumania | 24 |
| Watford, England | 27 | Bryan, Ohio | 24 |
| Widnes, England | 27 | Chelmsford, England | 24 |
| Windsor, Ont., Can. | 27 | Drammen, Norway | 24 |
| Aberdeen, Wash. | 26 | Eutin, Germany | 24 |
| Albany, N. Y. | 26 | Falmouth, Ja., B. W. I. | 24 |
| Altona, Man., Can. | 26 | Gilbert Plains, Man., Can. | 24 |
| Atlantic City, N. Y. (Colored) | 26 | Goldeni, Roumania | 24 |
| Bedford, England | 26 | Harburg, Germany | 24 |
| Beeston, England | 26 | Kozy, Poland | 24 |
| Blaby, England | 26 | Lynchburg, Va. | 24 |
| Chase Terrace, England | 26 | Milford, N. H. | 24 |
| Cocosd, Roumania | 26 | Modesto, Calif. | 24 |
| Dunedin, New Zealand | 26 | Orlando, Fla. | 24 |
| Duquesne, Pa. (Hungarian) | 26 | Parsons, Kans. | 24 |
| Farrell, Pa. | 26 | Poptelec, Roumania | 24 |
| Goshen, Ind. | 26 | Saginaw, Mich. (Polish) | 24 |
| Great Falls, Mont. | 26 | Salt Lake City, Utah | 24 |
| Hammond, Ind. | 26 | San Antonio, Texas (Colored) | 24 |
| Hegewisch, Ill. (Polish) | 26 | Southport, England | 24 |
| Langnau, Switzerland | 26 | Stirling, Ont., Can. | 24 |
| Manatee, Fla. | 26 | Ueliki Lucki, Czecho-Slovakia (Ukrainian) | 24 |
| Ottawa, Ont., Can. | 26 | Yankton, S. Dak. | 24 |
| Pittsburgh, Pa. (Colored) | 26 | Arbon, Switzerland | 23 |
| Pottsville, Pa. | 26 | Ashton in Makerfield, England | 23 |
| Rasnov, Roumania | 26 | | |
| Sangre Grande, Trinidad, B. W. I. | 26 | | |

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| Black Rock, N. Y. (Polish)..... | 23 | Lund, Sweden | 21 |
| Brugg, Switzerland | 23 | Margate, England | 21 |
| Ceanui-Mare, Roumania | 23 | Mount Vernon, N. Y. | 21 |
| Cliffondale, Mass. | 23 | New Orleans, La. | 21 |
| Falun, Sweden | 23 | New Philadelphia, Ohio | 21 |
| Friedrichstadt, Germany | 23 | Northampton, England | 21 |
| Guelph, Ont., Can. | 23 | Philadelphia, Pa. (Ukrainian) 21 | |
| Hutchinson, Kans. | 23 | Pittsburg, Kans. | 21 |
| Kensington, Conn. (Italian)..... | 23 | Saracsan, Roumania | 21 |
| Monrovia, Calif. | 23 | Shawnee, Ohio | 21 |
| New Britain, Conn. | 23 | Sioux City, Iowa | 21 |
| Oelsnitz, Germany | 23 | Sumal, Roumania | 21 |
| Oil City, Pa. | 23 | Sunbury, Pa. | 21 |
| Philadelphia, Pa. (Italian) | 23 | Tamworth, England | 21 |
| Rockford, Ill. (Lithuanian)..... | 23 | Tucson, Ariz. (Spanish) | 21 |
| St. George's, Grenada, | | Wolgast, Germany | 21 |
| B. W. I. | 23 | Ashtabula, Ohio | 20 |
| Tibro, Sweden | 23 | Atlantic City, N. J. | 20 |
| Wakefield, England | 23 | Baxter Springs, Kans. | 20 |
| Warren, Pa. | 23 | Bellevue, Ohio | 20 |
| Belzec, Poland | 22 | Chatham, Ont., Can. | 20 |
| Beverley, England | 22 | Colwyn Bay, Wales | 20 |
| Bridgeport, Conn. (Hungar'n) 22 | | East Palestine, Ohio | 20 |
| Chickasha, Okla. | 22 | Emmett, Idaho | 20 |
| Christ Church, New Zealand. 22 | | Eskilstuna, Sweden | 20 |
| Essvik, Sweden | 22 | Fargo, N. Dak. | 20 |
| Gavle, Sweden | 22 | Framingham, Mass. | 20 |
| Hjo, Sweden | 22 | Gary, Ind. (Lithuanian) | 20 |
| Independence, Mo. | 22 | Hastings, England | 20 |
| Itzehoe, Germany | 22 | Hayne, N. C. | 20 |
| Lunderskov, Denmark | 22 | Katy, Poland | 20 |
| Matzingen, Switzerland | 22 | Kentville, N. S., Can. | 20 |
| Meadville, Pa. | 22 | Kittanning, Pa. | 20 |
| Norristown, Pa. | 22 | Lake Mills, Iowa | 20 |
| Owen Sound, Ont., Can. | 22 | Lethbridge, Alta, Can. | 20 |
| Penticton, B. C., Can. | 22 | Lonaconing, Md. | 20 |
| Pottstown, Pa. | 22 | Long Branch, N. J. | 20 |
| Roanoke, Va. | 22 | Matsqui, B. C., Can. | 20 |
| Rus, Roumania | 22 | Milova, Roumania | 20 |
| Salem, Oregon | 22 | Newport News, Va. | 20 |
| St. Catharines, Ont., Can. | 22 | North Troy, N. Y. | 20 |
| Sunderland, England | 22 | Odense, Denmark | 20 |
| Valliant, Okla. | 22 | Petredul de mijloc, Roumania 20 | |
| Vancouver, Wash. | 22 | Prince Albert, Sask., Can. | 20 |
| Voklingen, Saar Basin, | 22 | Reutlingen, Germany | 20 |
| Whitley Bay, England | 22 | Runcorn, England | 20 |
| Abilene, Kans. | 21 | Sacadat, Roumania | 20 |
| Anna, Ill. | 21 | Safenwil, Switzerland | 20 |
| Bayonne, N. J. (Polish) | 21 | San Bernardino, Calif. | 20 |
| Beaver Falls, Pa. (German)..... | 21 | Searchmont, Ont., Can. | 20 |
| Beamsville, Ont., Can. | 21 | ShIPLEY, England | 20 |
| Clarksville, W. Va. | 21 | Stanley, Wis. (Polish) | 20 |
| Dover, Ohio | 21 | Sturgis, Sask., Can. | 20 |
| Falkirk, Scotland | 21 | Sturgis, Sask., Can. | |
| Grand Rapids, Mich. (Polish) 21 | | (Ukrainian). | 20 |
| Haverhill, Mass. | 21 | Ticud, Roumania | 20 |
| Houston, Texas (Colored) | 21 | Truro, N. S., Can. | 20 |
| Hurez, Roumania | 21 | Waco, Texas | 20 |
| Joliet, Ill. (Polish) | 21 | Wallingford, Conn. (Polish) 20 | |
| Kokomo, Ind. | 21 | Webb City, Mo. | 20 |

Annual Report for 1924

WHILE neither the law of the land nor the charter of the SOCIETY requires an annual report to be made, it is the privilege of the President of the SOCIETY to make such report to other brethren on the earth concerning the work done during the year. No one on earth has done anything great in the name of the Lord, but the work that the Lord has accomplished through his people is marvelous in our eyes. Particularly is this true when we take into consideration that only a handful of people has been engaged in the work. Some who have failed to use their talents have had the same removed and given to others. The work has gone grandly on, to the glory of the King. All glory and honor is due the heavenly Father and our Lord Jesus; and when we take a retrospective view of what has been accomplished during the past year we mark increased evidences that the kingdom of the Lord is being established.

ORGANIZATION

Proper organization is absolutely essential to success in any work. Especially is this true concerning the kingdom work. The Scriptures plainly show that all of the work done that is approved by the Lord must be done orderly. He is not a God of confusion, but

a God of order. Every one in the Lord's organization is expected to work as opportunity is afforded. He is not to be slothful in business, but fervent in spirit in the Lord's service. Jesus declared: "My Father worketh hitherto, and I work." (John 5:17) All who are pleasing to the Lord, therefore, must work, as he gives them opportunity. To the end that his work on earth might be accomplished in harmony with the Lord's will, effort has been made to organize and conduct the same on the plan of efficiency. Of course it is never so efficient but that improvement can be made.

The main office of the SOCIETY, from which the work generally is directed, is situated at 124 Columbia Heights, Brooklyn, New York. The operative offices of the American activities are at 18 Concord Street, Brooklyn, with a number of branch offices under their respective managers situated in various parts of the earth.

It is the duty of the executive office at Brooklyn to handle all the official correspondence from all the branch offices, and to have general supervision over the finances and to direct the expending of the same in the various countries of earth, and to keep in close touch with the work in America as well as the foreign branches, as well as to exercise a general supervisory control over the same. There is a close sympathetic relationship between the home office and the branch offices, and the Lord is directing it all. It is rather difficult for one to have in mind the scope of the work by a mere casual consideration of what is being done. The suggestion is made that while considering the facts set forth in this report the reader take a map of the world and refer to it in connection with the reports from the various countries. In giving this report we will set it forth

under the heading of the name of the respective branch offices. Some of these offices manage the work of several languages in several countries, as will be observed.

BROOKLYN

From the Brooklyn office the SOCIETY'S work within the United States is conducted in the English language; and in addition thereto departments in foreign tongues are maintained, and the work is directed under one general manager.

For several months in advance the work is mapped out, and endeavor is made for each department to move exactly on time and in harmony, so as to enable the greatest results to be obtained for the effort put forth. In the performance of our part in announcing the kingdom, the work consists chiefly in bringing to the people a knowledge of the Lord's plan. To accomplish this, books and literature must be produced and placed in their hands at the lowest possible cost.

During the year it was found that the space for manufacturing our books and printing other literature was inadequate. To facilitate the work we took over the entire floor space of the building occupied, and now occupy the basement, in which are installed the large printing presses, and six floors above that, one of which is used for the office.

The production of the printing plant at 18 Concord Street during the year was at follows:

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| Volumes of bound books and booklets | 3,582,295 |
| THE WATCH TOWER, number of copies printed..... | 1,092,000 |
| THE GOLDEN AGE, number of copies printed | 1,816,900 |
| "Proclamation" (Los Angeles, 1923) | 13,478,400 |
| Handbills printed for classes | 1,970,300 |
| Handbills in foreign languages | 698,000 |

In addition to the presses employed at 18 Concord Street by the SOCIETY, we installed printing presses at the following points: St. Louis, Chicago, and Oakland, California. These have printed handbills for the classes since being installed, as follows:

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| St. Louis | 992,000 |
| Chicago | 553,000 |
| Oakland | 300,000 |

The production shows a decided increase over that of 1923. The total amount of pieces of literature, books, booklets, tracts, etc., printed during the year from Brooklyn was 24,482,895.

DISPOSITION OF BOOKS

The publications produced in bound volumes and sent out from this office to classes, colporteurs and branches, including STUDIES IN THE SCRIPTURES, SCENARIOS, "The Harp of God," etc., during the year, total 985,811 volumes, in the English language alone. Booklets produced and shipped out during the same period, 1,294,685; WATCH TOWER Reprints, 2,223 sets. Added to this is "The Way to Paradise", 40,781 volumes. This does not include, of course, the "Indictments" printed immediately following the end of the fiscal year, which will appear in the next report.

The "Proclamations" from the Los Angeles Convention were printed and distributed throughout the earth to the total of about fifty million copies in various languages.

FOREIGN LANGUAGES

In addition to the English work carried on at the Brooklyn headquarters is that conducted in the following foreign languages: Arabic, Armenian, French, Ger-

man, Greek, Hungarian, Italian, Lithuanian, Polish, Russian, and Ukrainian. In addition to the languages last above mentioned, this office prints books and literature in the following languages: Bohemian, Croatian, Hawaiian, Japanese, Lettish, Roumanian, Spanish, and Yiddish.

CONVENTIONS

During the fiscal year fifteen well-advertised conventions of English-speaking people were held in the United States. The general convention was held at Columbus, Ohio, which has heretofore been reported in *THE WATCH TOWER*. These conventions have served as a great stimulus to the brethren everywhere and in binding closer together the hearts of those who are engaged in the service of the Lord.

WORLD-WIDE WITNESS

The SOCIETY during the year has pursued the policy of setting certain dates for world-wide witnessing, on which dates the classes in every part of the earth, in all languages, were asked to arrange for public meetings. This has been done with splendid success, and has had much to do with getting a knowledge of the divine plan into the minds of the people. The fact that the brethren at the same time all over the earth are speaking on the same subject is encouraging to them, and gives a wider advertisement of the kingdom message. The Lord's blessing has been upon this; and we believe it to be the Lord's will that we continue in the same way of acting on the same day in regard to the same matter.

For each one of these public meetings the sub-title at least has been, "Millions Now Living Will Never Die." This has become a sort of "trade mark" of the

Bible Students; and all over the earth the people know that the Bible Students are the ones who proclaim this message.

PILGRIM SERVICE

The Pilgrim brethren have faithfully pursued their work, looking after the interests of the kingdom committed to their hands. The Pilgrim work in the United States, directed from the Brooklyn office, has been participated in during the year by 102 English-speaking brethren. The general attendance at the regularly advertised public meetings has increased during the year. There have not been quite so many meetings held as during the year before, but this has been offset by the number of lectures broadcast by radio: In addition to the public witness, the Pilgrims have made regular visits to the classes to encourage them and to build them up on their most holy faith. A detailed statement of the Pilgrim work follows:

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| Number of visits made | 6,246 |
| Number of public meetings | 4,783 |
| Total attendance at public meetings | 629,100 |
| Number of class meetings | 7,239 |
| Total attendance at class meetings | 565,745 |
| Total number of miles traveled | 726,730 |

Foreign and Colored Departments

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| Number of Pilgrims in service during year | 48 |
| Number of visits made | 2,419 |
| Number of public meetings | 1,456 |
| Total attendance at public meetings | 117,928 |
| Number of class meetings | 2,662 |
| Total attendance at class meetings | 107,059 |
| Total number of miles traveled | 252,862 |

PUBLIC WITNESS

The public witness in the United States has been well maintained throughout the year. The classes everywhere have done nobly in this regard. At great expense to themselves they have procured halls, extensively advertised meetings, and thus proclaimed the message of the kingdom. On the reverse side of many of the handbills has been printed a brief tract which, in itself, has been a large witness.

In view of the fact that the classes spend so much money for the local witness, their contributions to the SOCIETY'S main office were necessarily reduced.

CORRESPONDENCE

During the year letters and cards to the number of 199,218 have been received, and 277,259 dispatched.

RADIO

It is with much pleasure that we can now announce that the SOCIETY owns and maintains a radio broadcasting station, situated on Staten Island, New York, and designated by the Government as Station WBBR, our name for it being "Watchtower". This station has been in operation since February 24, 1924.

It has been suggested by some of the brethren that it is exceedingly interesting to note that the first time the public discourse "Millions Now Living Will Never Die" was delivered was at Los Angeles, California, February 24, 1918. Six years later, to a day, February 24, 1924, the "Watchtower" radio station put on its initial program. We feel that the Lord's hand is clearly in this matter.

Reports that come frequently from far away distances show that many are hearing the message of truth. We have good reports from Maine and Canadian

points on the northeast, and from Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, Missouri, on the northwest and west, and clear to the southern border of the United States, the station having been heard on the Pacific coast. Quite a large number of books has been placed by reason of the station.

It is impossible to tell how many hear, but it is certain that within a radius of one hundred miles of the station there were a year ago, according to report, 500,000 receiving sets. This number must be greatly increased by this time. The possibility of the size of the audience of a radio station is tremendous. It is hoped that by permission of the Government we can soon use greater power and greatly improve the efficiency of this radio station.

Another station is now in course of construction at Chicago, and we hope soon to have it in operation. The Lord will see to it that the message of the kingdom goes to the people in his own good way and in his own due time. We believe that the radio is the most economical and effective way of spreading the message of truth that has yet been used. It is suggested that even though the numbers engaging in the service may greatly decrease, the Lord will use the radio to spread the message just the same. We should learn this lesson that nothing can interfere with the message of the kingdom; and that if one neglects his privileges to give the witness in the way the Lord has granted him the opportunity, he may expect that opportunity to be removed and the Lord to use some other way to put the message out.

The SOCIETY has urged upon the brethren activity in the service, knowing that this is not for the benefit of the Lord, but for the benefit of the brethren themselves.

The privilege of engaging in the service cannot be over-estimated. We hope the brethren everywhere will be stimulated to increased activity to their own joy.

It is noted that only those who are actively engaged in the service according to opportunity are really rejoicing in the Lord. It is a fulfilment of the Lord's Word: "The joy of the Lord is your strength."—Nehemiah 8:10.

If the Lord sees fit to build other radio stations for the spreading of the truth, he will provide the money in his own good way. It will be our privilege to participate in building these stations and spreading the message as he opens the door of opportunity.

LONDON, ENGLAND

From the London office the work is carried on throughout England, Scotland, Ireland, and Wales. The results for the fiscal year are gratifying indeed.

With pleasure we quote from the local manager's report, as follows:

"I have the honor to give you the British Branch report of the activities in this part of the field. The report is good in that it is the best we have been able to send from London. Last year's figures are increased in respect to sales to the extent of more than 100,000 books; and what is satisfactory and encouraging is that the increase is nearly all in the larger books, the STUDIES, and 'The Harp of God'. The larger sale of the STUDIES is made possible by reason of the lowering of the price to the public, which in turn is made possible by the fact that you supply these at a much lower cost than we could produce them here. The brethren have been much heartened as they have been enabled to place so many sets of eight volumes in the hands of the people. The newer, smaller booklets, 'World Distress' and 'A Desirable Government', have been very acceptable to the workers as also to the public. The sales still keep up, and we are confidently looking for a great increase during the coming year."

CANADA

The Canadian branch of the SOCIETY is situated at Toronto. The territory embraced within the management of this office includes all the provinces of Canada and Newfoundland. There is also directed from this office, in addition to the work in the English language, the French, German, Polish, and Ukrainian activities among the people of each province speaking the respective languages mentioned.

Throughout this territory during the year there were 370 more public meetings held than in the previous year; and the increased attendance was 20,781. During the year 1,547 public meetings were held, with a total attendance of 166,119. Class meetings numbered 1,868, with a total attendance of 84,920. Seven Pilgrim brethren were regularly engaged in the service throughout Canada during the year. In addition to this there were nine auxiliary Pilgrims, to say nothing about the class elders who served other meetings. These traveling brethren covered 161,780 miles.

The total number of books and other pieces of literature sold during the year was 271,709. The classes generally throughout the territory are in good spiritual condition and actively engaging in promulgating the message of the kingdom. During the year there has been an increased number of colporteurs in the field, the total being 53 actively engaged in this blessed service. These have had many hardships, but have faced their difficulties heroically and done their work with glad hearts. At times they have been reviled and persecuted, refused lodgings, found it necessary to sleep in the open; but they have met these experiences with glad hearts.

The increased work has necessarily increased the duties and obligations of the office force, but these have joyfully

worked overtime, both in the office and in the printing department to meet the demands for the truth. Our printing equipment established at Toronto during the past year has been a great aid in preparing the message.

The report from far-away Newfoundland shows a good spiritual condition of the brethren there, most of whom are fisher folk, who are actively engaged in spreading the message of the kingdom.

Withal the Lord has greatly blessed the work in Canada during the fiscal year, for which we are grateful to him.

ZURICH, SWITZERLAND

The office at Zurich, Switzerland, is known as the Central European Office. The general management of the work is conducted from there relating to the following countries: Switzerland, France, Belgium, Holland, Germany, Czecho-Slovakia, Austria, and Italy; also the Polish work in Northern France. Because of the diversified languages, each one of the countries makes regular monthly reports and more frequent specific reports to the Central European Office, which is a general clearing house, and makes regular monthly reports to the home office at Brooklyn. This enables the machinery of the work to go more smoothly.

INCREASED EQUIPMENT

Switzerland is so well located for the handling of work in Central Europe, and the demand for literature is so great, that it seemed pleasing to the Lord that the equipment for the work be greatly enlarged. Consequently the SOCIETY purchased a lot of ground immediately across the street from that on which is situated the SOCIETY'S house and printing press in Bern; and

there is now in course of construction a four-story building with full basement, 95 by 50 feet, with a tunnel under the street connecting the two buildings, and a tunnel connecting the new main building with a smaller building on the same lot. In the basement of these buildings is being installed other machinery for the printing of literature. In addition to other presses of the SOCIETY there is a large two-color rotary press; and a new two-color rotary press is about completed and ready for installation; and these two presses alone, running at full capacity, turn out an average of 16,000 copies of THE GOLDEN AGE per hour.

There are now more than fifty brethren engaged in the work at the Bern office; and as soon as the new quarters are complete, it is the purpose to increase the number to upwards of a hundred. This new building is being erected by brethren, while the money for the material is furnished by the SOCIETY. It will be a splendidly equipped plant when completed, and will furnish a tremendous amount of free literature and books for all Central Europe, particularly the countries just named. The construction of this plant and the furnishings are under the immediate supervision of the Central European Office.

BERN, SWITZERLAND

From Bern, Switzerland, is directed the French work among the French-speaking people of Switzerland, France, and Belgium; also the Polish work in France. The printing plant is under the direct management of the Bern office, and here are printed and manufactured the STUDIES IN THE SCRIPTURES and other books and booklets of the SOCIETY published in the French and German languages; and in addition thereto books are

published in Italian, Greek, Polish, and a number of other languages.

The printing for the Central European Office and the countries under the supervision of that office is done at this plant, except a portion of the printing done in Germany at Magdeburg. The brethren in America can get some idea of the scope of the work done from the Bern office when we understand that the work there to-day is greater than the work in Brooklyn ten years ago.

At the Bern printing plant is published and distributed *THE GOLDEN AGE* in French, to which there are now approximately 45,000 subscribers. Also the publication of *THE GOLDEN AGE* in the Polish language has been just begun. A large number of Polish people reside in Northern France, and there has been a tremendous interest in the truth there during the year. Public meetings held by Pilgrim brethren have been well attended and a great amount of literature taken.

AMSTERDAM, HOLLAND

The SOCIETY'S branch office at Amsterdam is under the management of a local manager, and also under the supervision of the Central European Office. The Dutch have never taken particularly to the truth until within the last two years. The President of the SOCIETY addressed a large public meeting at Amsterdam in the early spring, in which great interest was shown; and during the year 5,984 books have been placed in the hands of the people, besides 1,055,000 copies of free tracts and other literature. Fourteen public meetings have been held, and 155 class meetings. Two colporteurs were regularly engaged in the work and one regular Pilgrim, who traveled 12,400 miles during the year, visiting the interested and organizing classes.

MAGDEBURG, GERMANY

At Magdeburg is the headquarters of the German work, under a local manager, and this in turn under the direction of the Central European Office. There has been a tremendous increase in the work in Germany during the past twelve months. The year 1923 showed a great increase, but 1924 shows even a greater. It was at the end of the year 1923 that the Magdeburg office was established. Since then the property has been improved, a large basement prepared for the printing presses; and in addition to the presses, binding machinery and other machines, the SOCIETY has purchased and is installing a large rotary press, which will turn out a great deal of literature, in the form of magazines, pamphlets and books.

From a report by the local manager for Germany we quote the following:

"The work in Germany progresses wonderfully. The sale of literature, particularly 'The Harp of God', is astonishing. Editions of 100,000 books are too small. We have distributed so many copies of 'The Harp' that we could keep a press continually at work on printing that book and nothing else. At present we are printing on our great press a million copies of 'The Desirable Government' booklet.

"Subscribers to THE GOLDEN AGE at present number 175,000, and the list is constantly increasing. We are now provided with an automobile, which aids us greatly in the work."

The trouble among the German people increases the demand for something to comfort their hearts; and they find nothing that brings this comfort aside from the good tidings of great joy of the kingdom message. Our brethren there continue in zeal peculiar unto the house of the Lord, and the great King of kings is blessing them in their hearts and in their efforts to serve him and to advertise his kingdom.

VIENNA, AUSTRIA

At Vienna, Austria, is the SOCIETY'S local office under the local manager and the supervision of the Central European Office. Notwithstanding the public opposition in Austria, the truth has made great strides, especially in the distribution of free literature, the public witness and the Pilgrim service. When it is remembered that the truth was taken to Austria only a short time ago, the results are exceedingly gratifying.

In addition to the brethren in charge of the office at Vienna, three Pilgrims from Germany have visited Austria during the year. The brethren in Austria are rejoicing as they see the old powers crumbling and the kingdom of our Lord majestically going forward.

MOST, CZECHO-SLOVAKIA

The Czecho-Slovakian work, though young in years, is showing a healthy growth. The housing problem was so difficult that it became necessary to purchase a house for the office and for the residence of the brother in charge and those who assist him in the work.

During the year there have been placed in the hands of the people of the bound books and the booklets 16,542 volumes; free tracts distributed, 205,000 copies; public discourses delivered, 28, attended by approximately 61,000; class meetings, 702, with a total attendance of 20,000. There have been six brethren engaged in the regular colporteur service and two in the regular Pilgrim service. Letters received, 1,381; dispatched, 975.

PINEROLO, ITALY

For a long time it was difficult to make any progress in Italy. It is now with joy we report that the work is moving well in that country. There are four colpor-

teurs regularly in the field all the time, and they are doing well. The Italian brother in charge of the local office at Pinerolo is a very zealous worker, and the Lord is blessing his efforts.

OREBRO, SWEDEN

The work throughout Sweden is managed from this office. The report for the fiscal year is gratifying indeed. From the manager's report we quote:

"Although this field is in some respects hard, we are of good courage and are more determined than ever, by the Lord's grace, to continue to work in the present fulfilment of his prophecy as recorded in Matthew 24:14. We know of no organization or body of men in the world now preaching the gospel of the kingdom except the Watch Tower Bible & Tract Society."

HELSINGFORS, FINLAND

The work in Finland is under the supervision of this office. From the report of the manager we quote:

"As you see from the summary of the work done, the work has prospered in Finland, and we can only praise the dear Lord for all his marvelous goodness to us."

CHRISTIANIA, NORWAY

The work for Norway is conducted from this point. From the report of the local manager we quote:

"The work is greater this year than it was last. Some of the friends have permitted their hands to slacken, but many other new ones have come in and the work has increased."

WARSAW, POLAND

The work in Poland during the first part of the year was greatly hampered; but after a visit by a special representative of the SOCIETY to Warsaw during the summer the work took on a new impetus. Later, another brother was sent there from Northern France to aid

in the work ; and now the Polish work is greatly on the increase. Conditions are growing better for the prosecution of the work, and the brethren are manifesting a greater zeal and determination than ever before. In addition to this, the work is better organized.

COPENHAGEN, DENMARK

From Copenhagen is directed the work of Denmark. We quote from the report of the manager :

“There is a tremendous amount of prejudice against our message and work. The clergy continue the warring against us. Some years ago our work was termed a general plague or scourge by these opponents ; and by this time we have reason to believe that they feel it so, even more keenly. Notwithstanding the opposition, the results of last year’s work are greater than at any time in the past. There are more classes in the country, and more profess consecration. The work is increasing.”

Two have been regularly engaged in the Pilgrim service, while others have done extension work. Seven have been regularly in the colporteur service, with five auxiliary colporteurs. In addition to this, many groups of friends from the classes are doing work.

CLUJ, ROUMANIA

From this office is directed the SOCIETY’S work in Roumania, Hungary, Bulgaria, Jugoslavia, and Albania. There has been great opposition here by the governmental authorities, and yet the Lord has continued to bless his work.

It became impossible for the SOCIETY to find a suitable place to house the workers ; consequently the necessity arose to build a house and office. This has been done during the year. The office and working part is completed, but not yet the residence portion. This has

cost considerable money; but clearly the Lord's hand has been in the matter, and he has blessed it.

The SOCIETY has here a very good printing and book-binding establishment, which enables us to produce the books for the countries above named at the lowest possible cost. This must be done, because the people are so poor that they cannot afford to pay very much for books.

The brethren engaged in the work from this office are chiefly Roumanians and Hungarians. The Hungarian work and Roumanian work are linked together in this report. The increase in both is quite marked.

The SOCIETY'S printing plant at Cluj during the year has manufactured 226,075 volumes of books, and 129,952 books have been distributed. In addition, copies of THE WATCH TOWER and GOLDEN AGE to the number of more than 175,000 in each of the two languages have been distributed.

The people in the greater portion of this country are very poor, particularly in Jugoslavia and Albania. Notwithstanding the great difficulties, the brethren are zealously pushing on, carrying the truth throughout the Balkan states.

The public witness is given under great difficulty. Nevertheless, 262 public meetings were held, with a total attendance of 31,504. There have been forty-seven local conventions, with an attendance of 11,521.

ATHENS, GREECE

From this point is conducted the work in the Greek languages in territory embracing Greece, the Isle of Crete, and Northern Egypt. The work has greatly increased in Greece during the past year. Two Pilgrim brethren are regularly in the field; but they have been laboring under difficulties, being required to procure

their own halls and to get permission of the police before being admitted to speak.

The SOCIETY has recently sent three Greek brethren to Northern Egypt to work among the Greeks there; also a special representative of the SOCIETY is now on his way to Greece, to engage in the work there with the other brethren. This is because of increased interest.

BEIRUT, SYRIA

The SOCIETY has recently opened an office at Beirut, from which the work in Asia Minor, particularly Syria, Turkey, Georgia, and Armenia, will be directed. A lively interest is springing up in that country, particularly among the Armenians. Armenian brethren are engaged in establishing classes for the interested. Classes are now established at Beirut, Hammana, Salima, also in Aleppo, Constantinople, and Philippopolis.

In addition to the local work in the countries named, there are Armenians interested in other parts who are assisting in carrying on the work in Bulgaria, in Cairo (Egypt), Salonica (Greece), the Island of Cyprus, Abyssinia, Cuba, Buenos Aires (Argentina), and Persia. Even a few Armenians in China have manifested their keen interest in the truth. The work among the Armenians bids fair to increase greatly.

In this connection we might say that the Armenian work in the United States has shown a marked increase during the year. Eight classes have been organized for service, and much interest has been manifested.

RAMALLAH, PALESTINE

The work in Palestine has not greatly increased during the year, although there has been some slight increase. The witness, however, is being given there.

CAPE TOWN, SOUTH AFRICA

From this office the local manager looks after the SOCIETY'S work in the following countries: Cape of Good Hope, Natal, Zululand, Amatongaland, Orange Free State, Transvaal, Basutoland, Swaziland, Bechuanaland, South West Africa, Rhodesia, Portuguese East Africa, and Madagascar. During the latter part of the fiscal year the work from this office has been reorganized and a great impetus has been added to it. The increased interest among the Dutch-speaking and English-speaking people is gratifying; and above this, the natives in the various countries are showing a tremendous interest in the truth.

The SOCIETY has recently shipped a printing press, with all necessary types and equipment, which will shortly be installed at Cape Town for the printing of literature for quick distribution. This will greatly facilitate the work there. The brethren are united and joyfully pressing on in proclaiming the message of the kingdom of heaven at hand.

FREETOWN, BRITISH WEST AFRICA

This local office manages the work of the SOCIETY in the countries of Sierra Leone, Liberia, Gold Coast, and Nigeria, British possessions of West Africa. The brethren there during the year have been greatly blessed by the Lord.

KOTTAYAM, INDIA

From Kottayam is directed the work throughout all India. The truth is published from this office in six different dialects, and thereby we are enabled to reach a large number of people. The work in India during the year has shown a steady increase. As the peoples

of India suffer, they desire to know more about the truth. The dear friends in India during the year have shown a great zeal and, working under handicap, have done well. They show a continued enthusiasm and earnestness for the work. The public meetings have increased. The attendance has increased; and the disposition of literature has likewise increased.

SEOUL, KOREA

The work of Korea is directed from here in the Korean language, besides the printing of some of the literature in Chinese and Japanese. We have "The Harp of God" and the "Millions" book already printed in the Korean language, as well as some other literature. The work here, however, has not progressed so well as we had hoped. It is rather difficult to interest the Orientals in the truth. A few faithful brethren, however, are working and industriously pushing forward.

MANILA, PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

During the year the SOCIETY has opened a branch office at Manila, in the Philippine Islands. The work is just beginning there, and at this time there is not a great deal to report. Brother William Tinney, who went out from Canada to start the work, has gone over China, Japan, and Korea, and has opened an office in the Philippine Islands. After a survey of the field he reported some interest in China and Japan and a little interest in the Philippine Islands. We have hopes that this will develop into a great witness.

JAPAN

The Japanese work has not yet taken any particular impetus. However, there are several friends on the

Pacific coast who are deeply interested in the truth, and others are manifesting interest. This work is directed more particularly from Los Angeles by a Japanese brother who is now entering the Pilgrim service among the Japanese.

The work in the Orient up to this time has not been great; but it seems that the witness must be given there, and an effort is being made to do so; and it is hoped that during the year we shall be able to do more than has been done.

KINGSTON, JAMAICA

The work in the island of Jamaica, of the British West Indies, is directed from Kingston, and has made healthy progress during the year. In addition to the local management, Brother J. C. Rainbow has made a tour of Jamaica, Costa Rica, Cuba, Panama, Canal Zone, British and Dutch Guiana. He reports more than 1300 fully consecrated in that land, with an ever increasing interest. The interest manifested warrants the SOCIETY in sending Brother Rainbow over the same territory, which requires a full year and which he is now beginning to work a second time.

PORT LIMON, COSTA RICA

The SOCIETY maintains a local office in Costa Rica at Port Limon, from which the work is directed, under the supervision of the Brooklyn office, by a local manager there. There has been as thorough a witness in Costa Rica during the year as possible by those engaged in the work. Brother Rainbow and local brethren have held a number of public meetings, at which much interest has been shown.

PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD

Port of Spain, on the Island of Trinidad, north of Venezuela, South America, is another local office of the SOCIETY from which the work is carried on. There has been a decidedly healthy increased interest in the truth and witness to the kingdom on the island during the year.

The SOCIETY maintains also a local organization at Georgetown, Demerara, British Guiana; and class organizations in Dutch Guiana.

RIO DE JANEIRO, BRAZIL

The SOCIETY maintains an office at this point, from which the work in Brazil particularly is directed. As the truth spreads the persecutors increase. This has ever been so. It will be found that those most active in the Lord's service will be the chief targets of the adversary. The dark land of South America is no exception.

The report from this office covers a period of only five months. During that time meetings have been held with a total attendance of 3,800. In addition to that a debate between Brother Dienst and a Catholic priest was attended by 700 people. Free tracts to the number of 47,000 were distributed. Nine brethren symbolized their consecration. One regular colporteur has been in the field, with others spending a portion of their time in that service.

The Spanish work in the United States and Mexico is conducted from the Brooklyn office with the assistance of Brother Montero, at Los Angeles, California, where THE WATCH TOWER is published in the Spanish language. There has been a healthy increase of interest among the Spanish-speaking people during the past year in these countries.

BUENOS AIRES, ARGENTINA

It is with profound gratitude and thankfulness to the Lord that announcement is here made of the increased interest in the truth in South America. Brother George Young has now been in South America for upwards of two years. The SOCIETY has established a headquarters and office at Buenos Aires; and from this point is conducted the work in Argentina, Chile, Uruguay, Paraguay, Patagonia, and Bolivia. It has been the privilege of this dear brother to carry the message of truth to Punta Aronas, in the Straits of Magellan, the most southern city on the earth. The message is also being carried from this office to the Falkland Island and to Venezuela.

Brother Muniz, from Spain, has been sent to South America to aid Brother Young.

MELBOURNE, AUSTRALIA

From Melbourne, Australia, the work of Australia and New Zealand is carried on under a local manager. Sufficient time has not elapsed since the close of the fiscal year to receive a report for the whole year from that office. Monthly reports, however, show that the work in Australia and New Zealand during the year has progressed, and the brethren have manifested a great deal of zeal in spreading the message of the kingdom. There has been a decided increase in the output of literature, and the classes are in a healthy spiritual condition. We hope in a subsequent issue of THE WATCH TOWER to give a more extended report.

LOGANSFORT, INDIANA

From this office the SOCIETY carries on a work in the interest of the blind. While necessarily this is small,

yet we hope much good is accomplished by placing literature in institutions for the blind throughout the United States, and some in other countries, and enabling such, by means of the Braille system of reading, to get a knowledge of the truth who have no natural eyes with which to read.

COLORED BRANCH

The Lord has wonderfully blessed the work among the colored brethren during the year, proving that it was pleasing to him to have a separate department for the colored people of the United States. The manager of the colored work, together with his associates, has zealously pressed on; and the Lord's blessing upon them has been very marked.

CONCLUSION

It does not seem expedient to give here an extended report of the work done from the Brooklyn office in the various languages. **THE WATCH TOWER** is published at Brooklyn in the following languages: Arabic, Armenian, Greek, Italian, Lithuanian, Polish, Russian, and Ukrainian.