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## FINANCIAL REPORT <br> for the period January 1 to December 31, 1961

## 1. Income in 1961

The three income sources are: a) dues paid by member nations
b) UNESCO contribution
c) interest on bank accounts.
a) in 1961 dues were paid at the

Chase Manhattan Bank: Austria, Japan, USA, Pakistan, (1958, 1959, 1960, 1961), Finland, totalling \$ $1,564.80$
Crédit Suisse: Hungary (1960) Italy, Rumania (1960), Cuba (1958, 1959, 1960), Israel ( $1 / 2$ 1959, 1960, 1961), USSR, Spain, India, Brazil (1960), Australia, Germany (1960), Portugal, Bulgaria, Switzerland, Great Britain, Sweden, Mexico (1960, 1961), Argentina, Denmark, Brazil (1961, 1962), Hungary, Netherlands, Rumania, Poland (1962),
totalling Swiss Francs $20,555.60$ which at the rate of ex-
change of $\$ 1 .-=$ Swiss Francs 4.30 equal $\$ 4,780.37$
Degroof et Cie.: Belgium (1959, 1960, 1961)
Belg. Fr. 29,364.-
equal \$ $\mathbf{5 8 7 . 2 8}$
Société Générale: France (1961)
French Francs 1,607.18
equal \$ 326.-
$\$ 7,258.45$
Total income from membership in 1961
At the end of December 1961, the dues of the following nations were still outstanding:

1960: China-Taiwan
1961: Canada, China-Taiwan, Germany, Iceland
b) UNESCO contribution through ICSU for 1961 was as follows: Allocation for 1961
c) Interest on bank accounts:

Crédit Suisse
Degroof et Cie

| $\$$ | 196.17 |
| ---: | ---: |
| $\$$ | 16.88 |
| $\$$ | 213.05 |

The approximate total income received in 1961 is:
a) membership dues
b) UNESCO contribution
c) interest on bank accounts

| $\$$ | $7,258.45$ |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| $\$$ | $5,500 .-$ |  |
| $\$$ | 213.05 | $\$ 12,971.50$ |

## 2. Expenditures in 1961

The following expenses were met in 1961 under the different categories of the IMU budget:
(1)

Ia) Secretarial help IMU office
b) Secretarial help President
c) Secretarial help ICiMI
II) Office expenses
III) Travel Expenses
IV) President's and Secretary's Expenses
V) ICSU Contribution (1961 and 1962)
VI) IMU News
VII) Accountant's Fee
IX) Contingencies

| $\$$ | $1,794.36$ |
| ---: | ---: |
| $\$$ | $300 .-$ |
| $-\$$ | $150 .-$ |
| $\$$ | 337.93 |
| $\$$ | $1,593.33$ |
| $\$$ | 198.18 |
| $\$$ | 298.64 |
| $\$$ | $300 .-$ |
| $\$$ | 69.77 |
| $\$$ | $1,798.42$ |
| Total | $\$ 6,840.63$ |

Actual Expenditures in 1961 compared with the amounts authorized by the Third General Assembly for that year:

| Items |  | Authorized Actual Expenditures |  | Balance <br> \$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | \$ | \$ |  |
| Ia) | Secretarial help IMU Office | 1,800.- | 1,794.36 | 5.64 |
| b) | Secretarial help President | 300. | 300.- |  |
| c) | Secretarial help ICMI | 300. | 150.- | $\begin{aligned} & 150- \\ & 262.07 \end{aligned}$ |
| II) | Office Expenses | 600.- | 337.93 1.593 .33 | $\begin{aligned} & 262.07 \\ & 206.67 \end{aligned}$ |
| III) | Travel Expenses | 1,800.- | 1,593.33 | 1.82 |
| IV) | President's and Secretary's Expenses | 200.- | 198.18 298.64 | 1.82 -178.64 |
| V) |  | 120.- | 300.- | -178.64 |
| VI) | Publ. and Diss. of IMU News | 300.- | 69.77 | 30.23 |
| VII) | Accountant's Fee | 100.- | 1,798.42 | $\begin{array}{r}30.23 \\ -948.42 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |
|  |  | 6,370.- | 6,840.63 | $-470.63$ |

(2)

Scientific Activities IMU
$\begin{array}{lrr}\text { Lecturership programme } & \$ & 300 .- \\ \text { ICMI Seminar Bologna } & \$ & 472.05 \\ \text { Consultative Committee Congress } 1962 & \$ & 1,127.24 \\ & \text { Total } & \$ 8 \\ & 1,899.29\end{array}$
These expenses have to be booked under contingencies above; compared with the budget authorized by the Third General Assembly the negative balance in 1961 thus amounts to $\$ 470.63+\$ 1,899.29=\$ 2,369.92$; this balance however is almost exactly covered by the savings made in 1959 and 1960.
(3)

Expenditures against UNESCO Contribution
a) Symposium Prague

ICMI Seminar Lausanne
ICMI Seminar Bologna
g) Lecturerships

|  | $\$$ |
| ---: | ---: |
| $\$$ | $3,000 .-$ |
| $\$$ | $700 .-$ |
| $\$$ | $400 .-$ |
| Total | $\$, 400 .-$ |
|  | $5,500 .-$ |

Total Expenses in 1961
IMU (1)
IMU (2)
ICSU-UNESCO

|  |  |
| ---: | ---: |
| Total |  |
|  | $\begin{array}{c}\$ \\ \$, 840.63 \\ \$ \\ \$ \\ \$, 899.29\end{array}$ |
|  | $14,500.239 .92$ |

\$ 12,971.50
\$ 14,239.92
\$ 1,268.42

## 3. Financial Statement

for the period January 1 to December 31, 1961
Actual Currencies Carried Dollars Swiss French Belgian Francs Francs Francs

Opening Statement:
Net Assets and Liabilities

| on December 31, 1960 | $3,589.83$ | $67,705.11$ | $5,739.90$ | $73,188 .-$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| - Assets | 456.40 | $5,051 .-$ | .- | $19,608$. |
| + Liabilities | - | - | - | - |

Bank balance and cash on hand $\begin{array}{lllll}\text { on December } 31,1960 & 3,133.43 & 62,654.11 & 5,739.90 & 53,580 .-\end{array}$

## Receipts:

a) Dues and Contributions:

| Dues | $1,565.20$ | $20,555.60$ | $1,607.18$ | $29,364 .-$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| UNESCO Contribution | $2,500 .-$ | 843.54 | $150,000 .-$ |  |
| Interest on bank accounts |  |  | $844 .-$ |  |



## Closing Statement:

| Bank balance and cash on hand on December 31, 1960 + Receipts | $\begin{aligned} & 3,133.43 \\ & 4,262.51 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 62,654.11 \\ & 27,786.49 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 5,739,90 \\ & 1,607.18 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 53,580 . \\ 180,208 . \end{array}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| - Expenditures | 7,394.94 | 90,440.70 | 7,331.08 | 233,788:- |
|  | 6,709.59 | 32,643.90 | 7,331.08 | 9,941.- |
|  | 685.35 | 57,796.80 | 二. | 223,847.- |
| Bank balance and cash on hand on December 31, 1961 + Assets | $\begin{array}{r} 685.35 \\ 65.20 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 57,796.80 \\ 5,560.80 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 一.- | 223,847. |
|  | 750.55 | 63,357.60 | -.- | 23,847. |
| —Liabilities <br> Net Assets and Liabilities | -- | -.- | -.- |  |
|  | 750.55 | 63,357.60 | .- | 3,847. |

The undersigned Auditor of the International Mathematical Union has checked the preceding accounts and found them correct to the best of his information.
$\left.\begin{array}{lc}\text { Prof. P. Nolfi, Director } & \text { Prof. B. Eckmann } \\ \text { Retirement System of the } \\ \text { City of Zurich } & \text { Secretary of the }\end{array}\right]$ International Mathematical Union

## Fourth General Assembly of the International Mathematical Union

The Fourth General Assembly of the International Mathematical Union met at Saltsjöbaden (Sweden) on August 11-13, 1962, under the presidency of Professor R. Nevanlinna. There were 76 participants, representing 31 countries. A recond of the meetings is being printed separately, and mailed to all the National Adhering Organizations of the Union.

The following Executive Committee was elected for the period January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1966:

President:
Vice-Presidents:

Secretary:
Members:

Retiring President: Professor R. Nevanlinna.

Professor G. de Rham
Professor H. Cartan
Professor K. Kuratowski
Professor K. Chandrasekharan
Professor J. C. Burkill
Professor F. Hirzebruch
Professor M. A. Lavrentiev
Professor D. Montgomery
Professor B. Segre

The following 10 members-at-large were elected to the International Commission on Mathematical Instruction (ICMI), for the period January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1966:

President:
Members:

Professor A. Lichnérowicz
Professor Y. Akizuki
Professor H. Behnke
Professor S. Bundgaard
Professor G. Choquet
Professor H. Freudenthal
Professor O. Frostman
Professor R. L. Jeffery
Professor A. Kolmogorov
Professor E. Moise.

The following International Commission on the Exchange of Mathematicians was elected for the period January 1, 1963 to December 31, 1966:

Chairman:
Professor B. Eckmann
Members:
Professor L. Garding
Professor S. Iyanaga
Professor E. Marczewski
Professor E. J. McShane
Professor I. N. Vekua.
One of the important decisions taken by the General Assembly was to increase the unit of subscription for membership by 50 per cent. Thie increase comes into force from January 1, 1963. The new unit will be equivalent to 97.80 US dollars. According to the decision of the General Assembly, the resulting increase in revenue will be set apart exclusively for the scientific activities of the Union, its Commissions and Committees, and will not be used for purely administrative purposes.

## International Congress of Mathematicians, 1962

The International Congress of Mathematicians, 1962, met in Stockholm from August 14 to 22, 1962, under the patronage of His Majesty the King of Sweden. There were about 2400 Members, and 1000 Associate Members. The opening function began at $10.00 \mathrm{a} . \mathrm{m}$. on 15 August 1962 in the Concert Hall of Stockholm, in the presence of His Majesty the King of Sweden, with an address of welcome by Professor O. Frostman, Chairman of the Organizing Committee of the Congress. It was declared formally open by Professor R. Nevanlinna, President of IMU. The Fields Medals were then presented to Professor Lars Hörmander and Professor John Milnor by His Majesty the King.

The scientific programme consisted of about 16 invited one-hour lectures and 60 half-hour lectures, besides several hundred short communications. On the whole, a very high level of presentation was maintained. The closing function of the Congress was held in the Concert Hall at 2.00 p. m. on 22 August 1962, when Professor Nevanlinna made an announcement on the Fourth General Assembly of the Union. Professor M. A. Lavrentiev presented an invitation, on behalf of the U. S. S. R. Academy of Sciences, to hold the next International Congress of Mathematicians in the Soviet Union, in 1966. The invitation was accepted with acclamation. On behalf of the members of the Congress, Professor S. Eilenberg expressed thanks to the hosts, and requested the Organizing Committee to address a message of gratitude to His Majesty the King for his gracious patronage.

## International Commission on the Exchange of Mathematicians

Applications are invited from the National Committees for LMU Lecturers during the years 1963 and 1964. Under this programme, the Union provides financial support to the National Committee of a member country to invite some distinguished mathematicians from outside the country to give a series of lectures.

Applications under this programme should be addressed to the Chairmanelect of the Commission, Professor B. Eckmann, Ecole Polytechnique Fédérale, Zurich 6, Switzerland, so as to reach him not later than February $1,1963$.

Prof. K. Chandrasekharan, Secretary International Mathematical Union.

End of the Bulletin of the International Mathematical Union.

