

WEEKLY REPORT

I. V. S. P. SERVICE AT MESCHUDE
WEEK FROM 9. 9. 46 to 15. 9. 46.

Copies to: Youth Dept.
Education Branch, C. C. G.,
BINDE, J. A. O. R.
and 5 to Basil (or only 1 if no typewriter available)

1) NUMBERS:	British	German	other (state nationality)	Number staying on from last week
Men	<u>1</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>✓</u>	Men <u>12</u>
Women	<u>1</u>	<u>4</u>	<u>✓</u>	Women <u>4</u>

2) AGES: Men — Highest 60 Lowest 17 Women — Highest 31 Lowest 17

3) DRAWN FROM:
(list the places from which the volunteers this week have come)

e. G. Hamburg, Bohngar, Cologne, & c.
BREMKE, GOTTINGEN, HAMBURG
ISERLOHN, GEZEKE REFUGEE CAMP,
COLOGNE.

4) POLITICAL AND RELIGIOUS OPINIONS COVERED:
e. g. Cath, Prot, S. P. D., Unk., C. U. U., Agnostic, ex-Naz (confessed)

PROTESTANTS IN MAJORITY, ALL INTERESTED IN LOCAL ELECTIONS AND MUST HAVE ATTENDED EVENING ELECTION MEETINGS OF EACH PARTY. THE CHRISTIANITY OF THE C. U. U. IS QUESTIONED. MOST HAVE SOCIALIST TENDENCIES, BUT CANNOT GIVE S. P. D. FULL SUPPORT OWING TO ITS MARKET BASIS. SOME SYMPATHY FOR THE L. D. P.

5) WORK DONE: DIGGING & REMOVAL OF SOIL FROM NEW RIVER BED (ONE DAY) PREPARING GROUND FOR ERECTION OF LARGE WOODEN BUILDING AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR ONE TO BE DEMOLISHED.

6) QUALITY AND EXTENT OF DISCUSSIONS: (inc. spontaneous discussions during work)
E. G. whether constructive or not; main subjects; extent of interest in such things as IVSP, & c.

DISCUSSIONS AT WORK CHIEFLY ABOUT PARTY POLITICS & PHILOSOPHICAL PROBLEMS. ORGANISED DISCUSSION IN ENGLISH ON THE POSSIBILITY OF EDUCATING PEOPLE TO AN APPRECIATION OF ART.

7) ANY OUTSTANDING PEOPLE:
(reasons for their prominence)

No.

8) POSSIBLE LEADERS:
(give whether IVSP or Youth leaders or both experience e. g. pre-war Scouts present occupation; and other details)

No.

9) ANY SPECIAL DIFFICULTIES: ✓

10) OTHER SPECIAL POINTS: ✓

11) NAME AND ADDRESS OF THIS WEEK'S ELECTED REPRESENTATIVE:
(elected to attend winter conference of I. V. S. P.)

HILGER ERBRN, DUSSELDORF - OBERKASSEL, LUEG PLATZ, 3.

signed R. C. Radhan leader
date 15. 9. 46.