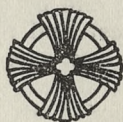


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A PRAYER FOR THE DIOCESE OF ALABAMA.

O, Lord, without whom our labor is but lost, and with whom thy little ones go forth as the mighty; we humbly beseech thee to prosper all works in thy church undertaken according to thy Holy Will; especially, the work of the Woman's Auxiliary and its United Offering; and grant thy laborers a pure intention, patient, faith, sufficient success upon earth and the blessedness of serving thee in Heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

NOONDAY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS

"And I, if I be lifted up, will draw all men unto me." Blessed Savior, who, at this hour, did'st hang upon the cross, stretching forth thy loving arms, grant that all mankind may look unto Thee and be saved; through thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Holy Ghost ever one God, world without end. Amen.

Stir up, we beseech thee, O Lord, the wills of Thy faithful people, that they plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works may, by Thee, be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

OFFICERS

President

Mrs. Charles Henderson-----Troy, Ala. —

Honorary Vice President

Mrs. Ellen Peter Bryce-----Tuscaloosa, Ala. —

Vice President

Mrs. Watkins Vaughn-----Selma, Ala.

Secretary

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Miss Annie Hobdy-----Union Springs, Ala.—

Secretary Union Branch

Miss Annalee Fitts-----Tuscaloosa, Ala.

Secretary Baby Branch

Mrs. J. K. Lagare-----Watsonia, Ala. —

Correspondent C. P. C.

Mrs. Stewart McQueen, 96 Mobile St.--Montgomery, Ala.—

Educational Secretary

Mrs. Albert Wilson, Madison Ave-----Montgomery, Ala. —

Custodian Bishop Wilmer Scholarship

Miss Elizabeth Noble-----Anniston, Ala.—

Chairman of Convocation Conference.

Birmingham, Miss Janet Heriot, 101 Lucy Ave, Graymount
Birmingham, Ala.

Huntsville -----

Mobile, Mrs. W. J. Jolly, 988 Government St., Mobile, Ala. —

Montgomery, Mrs. W. A. Gayle. —

Selma, Mrs. Victor Atkins.

HINTS TO PAROCHIAL OFFICERS

Impress upon the women of your Parish, that they are, by virtue of their baptism, members of the Woman's Auxiliary and each is expected to do her part. We urge all communicants to subscribe for the "Diocesan News" published by Rev. W. K. Weller, Talladega, Ala.

Kindly send all money for Apportionment and Dues to Mrs. Paul Smith 625 S. Lawrence St. Montgomery, Ala.,

At the Selma Convention Dues for Parish Branches were made 25c per capita, instead of 10c, as heretofore. PLEASE NOTE—Let money be sent for apportionment to Mrs. Smith, not to Geo. Gordon King, New York.

All money for United offering should be sent to Miss Annie Hobdy, Union Springs, Ala.

A full report, with your President and Treasurer, number of members, all work done in your Branch from Oct. 1, to Oct. 1st, be sent to Mrs. Richard Wilkinson, 1226 Perry St., Montgomery, Ala., Diocesan Secretary.

All money for C. P. C. sent to Mrs. Stewart McQueen, 96 Mobile St., Montgomery, Alabama.

All money for Junior Work sent to Miss Annalee Fitts, Tuscaloosa, Ala.

All money for Bishop Wilmer Scholarship fund, goes to Miss Elizabeth Noble, Anniston, Ala.

Donations for Little Helpers, sent to Mrs. W. K. Lagare, Watsonia, Ala.

Don't fail to keep a careful and accurate account of all that each Branch does. Diocesan Treasurer wants to keep her books as reference for others.

Dear Friends:-

Owing to the fact that much more material is contained in our Annual Report than heretofore, I shall have just a few words to say. Another year has passed and such an history making epoch, as the past four years has never been known. Our hearts are full of thanksgiving that peace once more reigns; and now, that the war is over, let us turn our hearts with extreme earnestness into the channel of God's work.

Those who attended the convention in Selma, Nov. 19 & 20, were impressed with the sweet spirit of love which prevailed, as well as with the deep interest in work, manifested by all present.

Reports of officers showed increase in finances and in labor. This is good. Let's make it better. Let us grow

during 1919, so that we shall not recognize ourselves. This can only be accomplished by continually "keeping at it," then when the harvest is gathered next October, the yield will be abundant.

It is with genuine sorrow that I am forced to record the resignation of Mrs. Attila Norman, Diocesan Secretary. Mrs. Norman's going is a loss to our entire state. Her capability, consecration and earnestness made her almost indispensable to the Auxiliary. I think I bespeak feelings of all our women when I say, we shall keenly miss her, and say, "God bless and keep Thee wherever thoc goest." Mrs. Richard Wilkinson, wife of Rev. Richard Wilkinson, Rector of St. John's Montg. has consented to act as Secretary, and certainly our organization is peculiarly fortunate in having one to succeed Mrs. Norman whose efficiency is recognized by all with whom she is thrown and who is able and will retain the high standard of work begun. The official family of the Auxiliary welcomes Mrs. Wilkinson into its midst.

It is regretted that Mrs. Beckwith who knows the Junior work as few do, has resigned this position. Mrs. Beckwith has given faithful service in this department for many years and we deeply deplore the fact that she feels she must give this work into other hands. Miss Annalee Fitts of Tuscaloosa, has accepted the Secretaryship of the Juniors and with her splendid plans for the year, it is evident that she will be the means of doing great things for the young people. We extend to Miss Fitts a warm welcome.

Will each Branch kindly note the change of dues from 10c to 25c, per capita and will each Treasurer please see that the difference in amount be forwarded at once to Mrs. Smith, Diocesan Treasurer. At present, funds are needed for the printing of reports.

I ask that every one notice in Purple Book "Hints to Parochial Officers." If these instructions are regarded, the work of the Treas., will be greatly aided. Let us throw our hearts into the work, for the coming year, so that at our annual meeting in the Fall, we may see greater results than ever before.

Faithfully,

Laura M. Henderson,
President Woman's Auxiliary

MINUTES

The Thirtieth Annual Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions in the Diocese of Alabama met at Selma, Alabama, November 19, 1918. The Convention appointed for October 30, 31, with Demopolis as hostess was postponed on account of the influenza epidemic, and in view of the general health situation it was impossible to hold the postponed meeting at Demopolis, and St. Paul's Selma offered her hospitality to the Convention for November 19, 20. So the Auxiliary is doubly indebted to the Selma Convocation and already before the opening of the Convention for business, is rich with an invitation from Demopolis for next year.

At eleven o'clock, the Rector, Rev. E. W. Gamble, conducted for the Auxiliary an opening service of praise and prayer.

With an introductory word by Mrs. Charles Henderson, Diocesan President, explaining certain changes in the deferred programme, the address of welcome was given by Mrs. E. W. Gamble, who gave to the Convention an open-note of victory, thanksgiving and reconsecration.

She spoke of the Auxiliary work as "the Church's biggest work in each parish" because it is the unselfish work of the women of the whole Church.

The President followed Mrs. Gamble with a happy anecdote, illustrative of the impetus given to the work by the address of welcome, and further explained and reemphasized the altered programme, explaining that the Convention is to be formally opened at the evening service, while the morning and afternoon have been filled with preparatory interests, discussions and conferences.

At 11:40 the Conference of the Executive Board was held in the Vestry room while branch delegates had a friendly conference in the church.

At twelve o'clock, the Rector of St. Paul's led in the noonday prayer.

Delegates and officers, thirty one in number, ready to report at this opening service, registered, and immediately thereafter we adjourned for a most delightful luncheon at the home of Mrs. Victor Atkins. Somebody truly said they "hadn't seen such a party since before the war."

By the time of the afternoon assembly at the church, four more delegates and two clergymen had reported.

After the singing of a hymn, Rev. Mr. Gamble led us in a

devotional Missionary Litany and after another hymn, the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Albert Wilson, Educational Secretary of the Diocese, who conducted the Educational Department of the Convention with charts. In the beginning, she emphasized the oneness of the Mission the world over, and then introduced the topic recommended by the Educational Secretary of the Board, "Our Church and Our Country," or "The Call of a World Task."

She made clear our great problems with the native-born, the aliens, our isolated American in the mountains, and our negroes. A most interesting, informing and startling period of this lesson was given to a study of charts, especially made for the Alabama Diocesan Auxiliary Educational Department at the Church Missions House, 281 Fourth Ave. New York, showing conditions in the Fourth Province.

Mrs. Wilson left us with a vivid picture of the World task, and, pray God, with renewed resolution to be about our work as soldiers and servants with a message to carry. She spoke of this our day as the decisive hour in the history of Missions and the high opportunity in the world crisis. She ended with a high note of "the victory that overcometh the world." A most helpful quarter of an hour was given to questions and Mrs. Wilson's clear and enthusiastic answer, with valuable suggestions from the floor.

After some announcements by the President and a rousing call to more effort, Mr. Gamble of St. Paul's, gave the Convention an illuminating analysis of those appalling Charts of the Fourth Province. "We are," said he, "too well satisfied with the beauty and dignity of our Church. We stand for education yet we don't learn the great truths we need to know. We are uniformed and therefore we have not touched the border of giving, or praying, or working. His emphasis was on the fact, "Ye shall not see my face except your brother be with you."

Rev. Mr. Lowery of St. Mark's, Troy, gave some statistics about Mission Study classes, (and the lack of them) His bold theme was, "State the facts. Face the truth."

"We say, 'Our Father,'" said he, "and forget that there are other members of the family." "God says, 'Ye have robbed Me, and we say, 'Wherein have we robbed Thee?'" And the speaker drove home the truth of God's answer and the greatness of opportunity He still offers us. An arraignment and a challenge indeed.

The President, stirred, by his zeal, urged the theme further.

The roll call was then asked for by the Chair. Interesting verbal reports were given from many parishes and the Roll of three Convocations, Mobile, Montgomery and Selma, was called.

The Quiet Hour being due, further business was postponed until another session.

Rev. Dr. Wilkinson conducted the quiet hour, his text being, "Come ye apart with Me into a desert place and rest awhile." His central thought was that all we can give must be gained, in privacy, with God. He closed with the Transfiguration collect, "that we, being delivered from the disquietude of this world, may behold the King in His beauty."

At seven forty-five in the evening of November nineteenth, 1918, the Thirtieth Annual Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of Alabama formally opened, in St. Paul's Church, Mrs. Charles Henderson presiding, Mrs. Attila Norman, recording.

Following the processional with full choir, and opening prayers of evening service, Mrs. Harwell Smith of Montgomery responded to the lovely address of welcome made by Mrs. E. W. Gamble, at the opening session of the morning's Conference. Mrs. Smith dwelt on the genuine character of latter day hospitality when epidemics and servant troubles put it to the test. She paid loving tribute to the steadfastness and courage of the Churchwoman in the small town and to the qualities of leadership developed among them.

The President then made her Annual address. Her keynote was Joy in serving, and the dignity of our work, and there was a strong note of thanksgiving for the armistice with the Peace that is dawning. A letter from the Bishop of the Diocese was then read by Rev. V. G. Lowery.

The Chair said a few words of the Bishop as Head of the Auxiliary in his Diocese and of the wisdom and timeliness of his letter. It was moved and seconded that this Convention send to the Bishop a message of thanks and response to his Letter. The motion carried unanimously and the Secretary was instructed to send the message. Rev. Dr. Wilkinson then gave us a glowing sermon on "Humanity's Kinship, the Ground of our Obligation."

"Christianity," is a life of human interest. Its tasks is helping one another, because if our religion be real it is in very deed a gospel of human brotherhood, led by an Elder

Brother, Who is very God and very Man." This is the substance of Dr. Wilkinson's message.

After announcements, hymns and the benediction, the Convention stood adjourned to Wednesday, November 20th at 9:15 A. M.

The Holy Communion was given to the Auxiliary at 7:30, Wednesday morning, November 20, Rev. Dr. Wilkinson and Rev. V. G. Lowery, celebrants.

The Convention opened for business at 9:30 Wednesday morning, Mrs. Henderson, President, in the chair, Mrs. Norman, Secretary, recording, thirty-two delegates and officers were present, besides two tiny and very welcome Juniors.

After the reading of the minutes, the Honorary Vice President, Mrs. Bryce, responded to the President's request for a word of greeting. The Treasurer's Report was called for and given by Mrs. Stollenwerck, acting for the Diocesan Treasurer, Mrs. Paul Smith.

In addition, Mrs. Stollenwerck gave a clear and clarifying statement of the duties of the several treasurers to whom parish branch officers are to report. Some discussion of the main features of the report followed, together with a statement by the Chair about the duties of a specially appointed Treasurer for the offering to St. Agnes, Kyoto a temporary office whose work is completed.

A number of delegates were heard on the question of the time that should be covered by reports, especially financial reports. Moved by Mrs. W. A. Gayle that books should be closed the first day of October. Motion seconded. Discussion followed, with a helpful word from Rev. V. G. Lowery, clarifying certain points. The motion carried and it was so ordered.

A supplementary summary of the Treasurer's report was given by Mrs. Stollenwerck which showed encouraging increase in the giving to the Apportionment, which will appear with the Treasurer's report in the Journal.

The United Offering report was given by the United Offering Treasurer, Miss Annie Hobdy, with valuable charts to illustrate and impress her interesting facts and encouraging figures about this personal Thankoffering of the Churchwomen of the Diocese. She urged the opening of the blue boxes in March and September and made the reason plain. "Remember to read the directions on the blue boxes themselves," she said. She offered a chart plan of much value to the Chairmen of Convocations. The stars

that show new parishes and missions giving to the United Offering adorned the charts and gladdened the Auxiliary, not less than the mounting figures. Miss Hobdy called attention, with enthusiasm, to the new United Offering Prayer. The training of the Juniors and of all young people, "the hope of the flock," was indicated and urged.

A very enthusiastic Diocesan Auxiliary would like to send Miss Hobdy over the Diocese with her charts. This report shows an increase of 41 per cent in the giving, as well as fine increase in the points and people reached.

Mrs. Gamble moved that interest on the offering be used to send Miss Hobdy over the State to explain and illustrate her work. Motion seconded. Discussion followed. Mrs. Robinson offered as substitute a motion that members of the Convention give \$1.00 per capita to send Miss Hobdy on her mission.

Mrs. W. A. Gayle rising to a point of information asked if the United Offering Treasurer's traveling expenses might not be paid from the Diocesan fund. Other suggestions followed. The motion was lost. Mrs. Gayle moved that Miss Hobdy's expenses in developing the United Offering be paid out of the general Diocesan Auxiliary Treasury. Motion carried.

Mrs. Maxwell moved that our Diocesan dues be increased to fifteen cents per capita per annum. An amendment was offered that dues be raised to twenty-five cents. Amendment accepted and motion carried.

The Chair told of the much-regretted absence of the Vice President and Box Secretary, Mrs. Watkins Vaughn, and the report of the Box Secretary was read by Mrs. Victor Atkins.

The Absence of the Secretary of the Little Helpers, Mrs. Legare, is regretted by the Convention. Her report was read by Mrs. George of Demopolis. Mrs. George moved that the Convention send Mrs. Legare a message of regret and thanks. Unanimously carried and the Secretary so instructed.

The Convention, on motion of Mrs. Wilson, stood silent for a moment, reverently remembering Miss Mary S. Hart, the originator of the Little Helpers, who has lately entered into the joy of her Lord.

Mrs. McQueen gave the report of the Church Periodical Club, a report calculated to "stir up our faithful minds by way of remembrance." Mrs. McQueen expressed her

sense of the need of asking the Bishop to appoint her successor.

The Chair explained that it was not within our power to hold her since the appointment must be made by the Bishop. A rising vote of thanks was lovingly given to Mrs. McQueen for her long and ardent service.

The report of the Educational Secretary followed, brief but full of information and hope, and this evoked supplementary reports of Mission Study work done in the Diocese.

The Advent Call was then presented by Mrs. Attila Norman, Leader of the Call in the Diocese.

The Chair explained further its practical working and its value as "unleashing the spiritual electricity" of the women of the Church. Questions and answers followed and opened the subject further.

Mrs. Hale Tarrant of the Church of the Advent special guest of the Convention, then told of the Christian Nurture educational plan for the Sunday School, or Church School, a most illuminating lecture and demonstration with charts and photographs,—a lecture made the more impressive by the fact that Mrs. Hale Tarrant most successfully "practices what she preaches" in the splendid Church School of the Advent. The address was but the more effective for the sacred interruption of the noonday prayer. After the eager discussion that followed, the Chair reminded the Members of the Convention of the duty of subscribing to the Diocesan News and pledges to do this were made.

The subject of delegates to the Triennial then came up.

On motion of Mrs. Stollenwerck the report of the Juniors was made the order of the day immediately after lunch.

The Chair announced Mrs. Beckwith's resignation as Secretary of the Juniors and the appointment of Miss Annalee Fitts as Junior Secretary was declared.

Further discussion of the Diocesan News followed, with emphasis on the duty of Branch Secretaries to send items of news to the Educational Secretary for the Auxiliary Department.

At twelve-thirty the Convention recessed to enjoy the truly beautiful hospitality of Mrs. Lamar's home at luncheon.

At one-thirty business was taken up, after the opening prayer, thirty-three delegates and officers being present.

The report of Mrs. Beckwith, Secretary of the Juniors, was read by Mrs. Harry Smith. Its practical suggestions were attentively heard and the encouraging report gladly received.

Moved, by Mrs. W. A. Gayle, and seconded, that the Convention send Mrs. Beckwith a note of thanks for her work as Secretary of the Juniors Unanimously carried and the Secretary was so instructed.

Reports of Convocations were given by Convocational Chairmen.

Mrs. Victor Atkins, Chairman of the Selma Convocation told of their work, begun as a Pilgrimage of Prayer and blessed in that beginning.

The Chair spoke of the Convocational Conferences as a tower of strength.

Mrs. W. A. Gayle, Chairman for the Montgomery Convocation, reported faithful and valuable work, with special reference to the Spring Conference held in Montgomery and the visit of Dr. Wood of the Board of Missions and with a special tribute of gratitude to Rev. V. G. Lowery and to Rev. Dr. McQueen for their untiring help. This Chairman means to "Bombard the parishes and missions from headquarters and to arouse every Churchwoman in her convocation." She emphasized the personal duty of every Auxiliary woman to every other woman,—“neighborly missionary effort.”

The Birmingham Convocation had a written report from Miss Heriot Chairman, and a word from Mrs. Norman.

Mrs. Jolly, Chairman, gave a lovely report of the Mobile Convocational Conference, with “prayer-filled little conferences” to lead up to it, and to make all the work then and following blessed by the Holy Spirit Himself.

Each report was full of useful suggestions.

The Convention then called for the reading of the Treasurer's report of the Juniors,—a very encouraging report of vigorously growing work.

Mrs. Stollenwerck gave a brief report of the Provincial Synod which met in Charleston last October. Mrs. Stollenwerck made clear the three special missionary duties of the Fourth province,—work for the Negroes the Indians and in the Mountains. A plea for Bishop Horner's work was the closing note of her appeal.

Mrs. Gayle spoke of the wish of the negro Auxiliary of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Montgomery, for representation in the Convention. It was moved and second-

ed that through the Secretary they be instructed that they are already fully entitled to representation and a vote in the Convention and it was so ordered.

The Chair made a plea for pledges of the Parish Branches to Bishop Horner's mountain school work in the Asheville District. Twelve delegations stood to indicate their intention to help with this work.

The Chair put forward a plea for pledges for the Negro Work under Dr. Robert Patton and for the St. Augustine school work. Mrs. Stollenwerck moved that the offerings made during the Convention be sent to Bishop Horner's work. Unanimously carried.

The report of the Custodian of the Bishop Wilmer Scholarship fund was read by Mrs. Joseph Brevard Jones reported from her committee on the completion of the Bishop Wilmer Scholarship Fund, telling of her plan that a thank offering from the Church Children confirmed by Bishop Wilmer be given and that it be given in the form of liberty bonds and thrift stamps.

Certain points about the availability of that fund were brought up and answered by reading for the minutes the action in that matter taken last year.

Miss Kate Harrison of Demopolis offered the Convention a most lovely invitation for the next year which was happily accepted.

Discussion of the date for the Convention of 1919 followed, because of its being the Triennial year. It was ruled that the date should be set by the Executive Board.

A report from the Gadsden Auxiliary was called for and briefly but hearteningly given.

Huntsville was called on and pledged new zeal and interest in the organization of the Huntsville Convocation.

Mrs. Ellen Peter Bryce led in a memorial period for those who have entered into the joy of their Lord since our last meeting and a moment of prayer made us realize the communion of saints.

The resolutions of the Hospitality Committee were read by Mrs. Brevard Jones, and made part of the record. On motion they were unanimously adopted and ordered printed in the Diocesan News.

A rising vote of thanks was given to Miss Hobdy, United Offering Treasurer, for her work during the year.

The Secretary was instructed by the Convention to send a note of thanks to Mrs. Watkins Vaughn, Vice President

and Box Secretary, and to tell her of our regret for her absence for the son's illness that made it necessary.

In the closing moments a word of good news came from Camden.

The minutes were read and after correction were approved. And the Thirtieth Annual Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Alabama stood adjourned. Attest:

Henderson Daingerfield Norman,
Secretary.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON COURTESY RESOLUTIONS

These two golden days in Selma have been so full of happiness that this committee deems it a real privilege to be the voice that expresses the appreciation of this body for the many courtesies shown to us. The hospitality of Selma has always been one of the things of which all Alabama is proud,—but on this occasion there has been a gracious charm about our welcome, a sweetness about our entertainment that has endeared Selma even more to us. Indeed, we owe to the entire Selma Branch of the Auxiliary a heartfelt vote of thanks that we are able to have any convention at all this year,—for only two weeks notice, when prevalent illness and bereavement made it impossible for Demopolis to entertain us as she had arranged to do, the noble women of St. Paul's volunteered to be our hostesses. So we offer a resolution of a vote of heartfelt thanks.

To the St. Paul's Branch as a whole for making a convention possible for us this year.

To the dear women who have opened their homes for the entertainment of the delegates.

To Mrs. Gamble for her gracious words of welcome and for the suggestion that we should never refuse a call to service from the presiding officer unless for serious cause.

To Rev. Mr. Gambel for his thoughtful care in arranging for our services in the church.

To Mrs. Lamar and Mrs. Atkinson and the ladies assisting them for the beautiful mid-day luncheons on the two days of our stay.

To Mrs. W. A. Gayle for her services at the organ during our meetings. To the Rev. Mr. Lowery for his helpful presence at our business meetings and his assistance at devotional exercises.

To Rev. Dr. Wilkinson for his inspiring sermon at the Evening meeting and for conducting a very helpful and strengthening Quiet Hour Service.

To our dear presiding officers for her unfailing graciousness at all sessions and to all the officers for the successful conduct of the Auxiliary and for their self-forgetful services in our behalf.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Brevard Jones
Mrs. Harry Smith,
Miss Annalee Fitts.

TREASURER'S REPORT

From November 1917—1918

ALBANY, (NEW DECATUR), ST JOHN'S

Secretary, Miss Mary B. Shepherd.
 Apportionment -10.00; United Offerings \$10.00; Dues
 \$1.00 ----- \$ 21 00
 (Sent G. G. King.)

ANNISTON—GRACE CHURCH

President, Mrs. Louis Kidd; Secretary, Mrs. J. K. Edmond-
 son; Treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Cook.
 Apportionment \$15.00; Dues \$3.30; United Offerings \$40.00 58 30
 Bishop Wilmer Scholarship \$5.00; C. P. C. \$1.00----- 6 00
 St. Lukes Hospital \$5.00; School at Shanghai \$2.50; Prayer
 Books \$2.50----- 10 00
 Box of stockings for Church Home \$27.89; Fruit for each
 soldier \$5.00 ----- 32 89
 Box of Clothing to Simean Va. \$92.61; Expense of delegate
 to Demopolis \$15.00;----- 107 61
 Contributions: Bed clothing, baby buggy and two beds-- 25 00
 Total ----- \$239.80

ALPINE—TRINITY

United Offerings ----- \$ 4 00
 ANNISTON, ST. MICHAEL AND ALL ANGELS
 President, Miss Mary Noble; Secretary and Treasurer, Miss
 Elizabeth Noble. No. members 12.
 Apportionment sent G. G. King \$45.75; Dues \$1.20; United
 Offerings \$17.21 ----- 64 16
 Bishop Wilmer Scholarship \$5.00; Sallie Stuart Memorial
 St. Agnes Kyoto \$15.00 ----- 20 00
 One day's income \$10.60; War Relief Rund (Italy) Living
 church \$10.00----- 20 60
 Rev. Mr. Dranes work in Alaska \$5.00; Archdeacon Stucks
 \$5.00 ----- 10 00
 Rev. D. Watson work in Paris \$5.00, Little Helpers \$5.00-- 10 00
 Box to High School, Asheville \$92.20; St. Mary's on the
 Mountain \$2.00; C. P. C. \$1.00----- 95 20
 Total ----- \$219.96

ATHENS—ST. TIMOTHY

President Mrs. C. C. Lucas.
 United Offering (sent G. G. King)----- \$ 7 50
 BAY MINETTE—IMMANUEL MISSION
 President Mrs. Frank Stone; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs.
 T. W. Gilmer.
 Apportionment \$6;65; Dues .50----- 7 15

BIRMINGHAM—ADVENT

President, Mrs. Gus A. Pope; Vice President, Mrs. P. Rivers

Carter; Secretary, Mrs. Atilla Norman; Treasurer, Miss Gehers.	
Apportionment \$55.00; United Offering \$71.54; Dues \$3.00; C P. C \$1.00	130 54
Sallie Stuart Memorial, St. Agnes School Kyoto \$10.00; Lecturer \$3.00	13 00
Total	\$143.54

BIRMINGHAM—ST ANDREWS

President Mrs. J. Ross Snyder; Treasurer Mrs. Horace Shaw. No. members 30.	
Apportionment \$31.00; United Offering \$18.64; Little Helpers \$1.66	\$ 51 30
Shoes for W. W. Allen and family a missionary	20 00
S. Agnes School \$5.00; Communion offering from Pilgrimage of Prayer sent to St. Agnes \$1.45; Expenses of box for Mr. Allen \$3.16	9 61
Donation to Mr. Tatum \$3.00; Expense of lunch at Spring Conference \$3.00	6 00
Total	\$87.21

BIRMINGHAM—ST. MARY'S-ON-THE-HIGHLAND

President Mrs. Sterling Lanier; Treasurer Mrs. J. K Kirkpatrick.	
Dues \$2.00; St. Agnes School Kyoto \$8.50; C. P. C. \$1.00	\$ 11 50
Support of a bed at St. James Adkin (to G. G. King)	50 00
Additional for St. Agnes School Kyoto \$10.00; United Offering \$11.00;	21 00
One days income (to G. G. King) \$4.00	14 00
Total	\$ 96.50

BOLIGEE—ST MARKS

President Mrs. E. F. Bouchelle.	
United Offering \$16.35; One Days Income \$5.00	\$ 21 35
To Rev. McVeigh Harrison St. Andrews, Tenn \$6.00	6 00
Sent to Church Home Mobile \$25.00; St. Agnes \$3.45	28 45
Total	\$ 55 80

CARBON HILL—ST JAMES

President, Secretary and Treasurer K. B. Patterson	
Apportionment \$5.00; Dues .10; St. Anges School \$1.00	\$ 6 10
DEMOPOLIS—EUGENIA LOAN MEMORIAL	
President Miss Kate Harrison; Vice President Mrs. A. R. Smith; Secretary Mrs. Rane McMillen; Treasurer Miss Estelle Breitling. No members 27.	
Apportionment (sent G. G. King) \$25.00; Dues \$2.50; United Offerings \$68.65	95 15
Clothing to Church Home \$25.25; St. Agnes School \$7.50	32 75
Bishop Wilmer Scholarship \$5.00, C. P. C. \$1.00; Postage 44	6 44
St. James Church New Mexico \$2.00	2 00
Total	\$137.34

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

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EUTAW—ST. STEPHENS

President Mrs. P. B. Minor; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. A. N. Grubbs.

Apportionment \$10.00; to G. G. King \$2.50; Dues \$1.70-----	\$ 14 20
United Offering \$6.80; Bishop Wilmer \$5.00; C P. C. \$1.00--	12980
Total -----	\$ 27.00

EVERGREEN—ST MARY'S

President Mrs. J. K. Day; Secretary and Treasurer Miss Augusta Farnham.

Apportionment \$12.00 -----	\$ 12 00
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FLORENCE—TRINITY

President Mrs. R. M. Mastin; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. C. E. Jordan-----	71 60
Apportionment \$14.00; Dues \$1.50; United Offerings \$56.10	71 60
Sent French Orphans \$36.50; St. Agnes School Kyoto \$6.70 -----	43 20
Subscription to Spirit of Mission \$1.00; Christmas Stock-ings for poor \$10.00 -----	11 00
Total -----	\$125.80

GREENSBORO—ST. PAUL'S

President Mrs Inge Selden; Secretary and Treasurer Miss Mary E. Avery.

Apportionment \$24.00; United Offering \$23.40; Dues 75c--	\$ 48 15
Sallie Stuart Memorial St. Anes School Kyoto \$5.00; Valle Crimes Mission N. C. \$5.00-----	10 00
St. Luke's, Tokio, \$2.05; Deaf and Dumb Mission \$4.00----	6 05
To Rev J. Zina Alaska (Lenard) \$1.50; Rev Hunter Lewis New Mexico \$2.50-----	4 00
Box to Rev J .H. Fillinghart and wife \$52.55; Bishop Wilmer \$1.50 -----	54 05
Bishop Wilmer Portrait Fund \$1.00; C. P. C. \$1.00-----	2 00
Total -----	\$124.25

GREENVILLE—ST. THOMAS

President Miss Marie Upton; Vice President Miss Ella McCombs; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. C. C. Henderson. No members 16.

Apportionment \$10.00; United Offering \$15.00; C. P. C. \$1.00 -----	\$ 26 00
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GUNTERSVILLE—EPIPHANY MISSION

President Bessie K. Samuel; Secretary and Treasurer Maryette Luck Farrow. No. members 5.

Apportionment \$5.00; United Offering \$4.45-----	\$ 9 45
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GADSDEN—HOLY COMFORTER.

President Mrs. W P. Hoose; Vice President Mrs. H. M. Davis; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Geo. H. Rich. No. members 8.

Dues -----	80
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HUNTSVILLE—THE NATIVITY

President Mrs. John Bolling; Vice President Mrs. John Hay; Secretary Mrs. E. L. Randall; Treasurer Miss Nettie Campbell. No of members 20
 United Offering \$24.86; Dues \$2.00; C. P. C. \$1.00----- 27 86
 Box for French Orphans \$125.00 ----- 125 00
 Box for St. Mary's School Mission South Dakota----- 40 00
 Total ----- \$192.86

MOBILE—ST. JOHNS

President Mrs. Lizzie Haas; Secretary Miss Francis Bond, Treasurer Mrs. M. M. Marsh.
 Apportionment \$30.00; Dues \$5.00; United Offering \$17.95--\$ 52.95
 Church Home \$50.00; Sallie Stuart Memorial St. Agnes Kyoto \$4.00 ----- 54 00
 Box to St. Mary's on the Mountain \$25.00; C. P. C. \$1.00----- 26 00
 Total ----- \$132.95

MOBILE—TRINITY

President Mrs. Orton; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. St. John Wilson. No. members 10.
 Apportionment through Parish Treasurer \$25.00; Dues \$1.00
 United Offerings \$15.51----- \$ 41-51
 Box to St. Mary's Sewanee \$80.00; Express on box \$3.40;
 Bishop Wilmer \$1.00 ----- 84 40
 Sallie Stuart Memorial St. Agnes School Kyoto \$12.25----- 12 25

MOBILE—CHRIST CHURCH

Total ----- \$138.16
 President, Miss V. L. Dunlap; Secretary, Mrs. N. H. Boykin; Treasurer, Mrs. George Vaughn.
 Apportionment \$50.00; Dues \$5.00; United Offerings \$81.59 ----- \$136 59
 Bishop Wilmer Scholarship \$5.00; Box for St. Rapnal Mission \$27.50 ----- 32 50
 Interdenominational Missions \$1.00; C. P. C. \$1.00; Special \$5.00 ----- 5 00
 Total ----- \$176.09

MOBILE—CHRIST CHURCH., EMMA JONES BRANCH

President Miss Elise Fry; Vice President Mrs. S C. Peary; Recording Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. E. G. Gibson
 Apportionment \$25.00; Dues \$1.00; United Offerings \$32.39 --\$ 58 39
 Corresponding Secretary, Miss Lawson.
 Sallie Stuart Memorial St. Agnes School Kyoto \$5.00; C. P. C. \$1.00 ----- 6 00
 St. Mary's \$2.00; Christmas Box \$10.00; Church Home \$6.00 ----- 18 00
 Restoring Jerusalem \$5.00; Leper Work \$3.00; General Expenses \$4.00 ----- 12 00
 Mission Globe Arizona \$1.00 ----- 1 00
 Total ----- \$ 95.39

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

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MOBILE—CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD

President, Mrs. C. H. Wilkinson; Secretary, Mrs. A. D. Livingston.

Apportionment	\$4.00; Dues \$1.00; United Offerings	
\$4.00	-----	\$ 9 00
St. Marks School	\$5.50	5.50
St. Mark's School	\$5.50	5 50
Total	-----	\$ 14.50

MOBILE—ALL SAINTS

President Mrs. W. J. Jolley; Secretary Mrs. W. H. Allens; Treasurer Mrs. Henry Chamberlain.

Apportionment	\$30.00; Dues \$2.50; C. P. C. \$2.00	34 50
United Offering	\$64.00; One day income \$10.00	74 00
Sallie Stuart Memorial St. Agnes Kyoto	\$4.00; Leper Fund \$2.50	6 50
Rev. Cameron McRae	\$25.00; To Miss Thakara, Fort. De-finance \$5.00	30 00
To Miss Davis, Virginia	\$5.00; Good Shepherd \$5.00	10 00
Box to St. Mary's	\$15.00; Quilt Army and Navy \$5.00	20 00
Spirit Missions Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A.	\$2.00	2 00
Incidental	\$2.00; Interdenominational \$1.00	4 00
Total	-----	\$171.00

MONTGOMERY—HOL YCOMFORTER

President, Mrs. F. C. Stevenson; Treasurer, Mrs. R. H. Overton.

Apportionment	\$15.00; United Offering \$12.00; C. P. C. \$1.00	\$ 28 00
Sallie Steward Memorial St Agnes Kyoto	\$1.50; Box to Mo-bile Orphanage \$25.00	26 50
Box of clothes to Pecodan Mission N. C.	\$60.00	60 00
Box of sheets to Orphanage Mobile	\$20.00	20 00
Total	-----	\$134.50

MONTGOMERY—CHRIST CHURCH

President Mrs. G. A. Willis.

Apportionment	\$10.00	\$ 10 00
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MOUNTAIN CREEK MISSION

President-Treasurer Mrs. Horace Stringfellow.

United Offering	\$5.00; Dues .50	5 50
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MONTGOMERY—ST JOHNS.

President Mrs. W. C. Pope; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. H. H. Keynton. No. members 37

Apportionment	\$75.00; Dues \$3.70; United Offerings \$60.39	\$139 09
Sallie Stuart Memorial St. Agnes School Kyoto	\$10.00	10 00
Mountain Mission School N. C., Bishop Horner	\$100.00	100 00
Mission Good Shepherd, Lexington, Ky.,	\$5.00; Christ Church School, Arden N. C. \$10.00	15 00
Mr. Robert G. Tatum, Lecturer	\$15.00	15 00
Total	-----	\$279.09

MONTGOMERY—ASCENSION

President Mrs. W. A. Gayle; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. David W. W. Fuller.	
Apportionment \$10.00; Dues \$2.40; United Offerings \$7.00--	19 40
Mobile Orphanage Christmas \$9.60; Auxiliary hand books \$1.00 -----	10 60
Mobile Easter box \$6.95; C. P. C. \$1.00; Sallie Stuart Memorial St. Agnes Kyoto \$2.00 -----	2 25
Dinner \$12.00; Box sent to Virginia Mountains \$75.00----	87 00
Total -----	\$126.95

ORRVILLE—ST. LUKE'S MISSION

President Mrs. E. M. Marshall; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. W. H. Dudley. No. members 5.	
Apportionment \$10.00; Bishop Wilmer \$5.00-----	\$ 15 00
Little Helpers \$5.00; St. Andrew's School, Tenn., \$1.00----	\$ 15 00
Mountain Mission School, Bishop Horner \$2.00; C. P. C. \$1.00 -----	3 00
Total -----	\$ 24.00

OAKDALE—GRACE CHURCH

President, Mrs. Broecker; Vice President, Mrs. McFaden; Secretary, Mrs. Duck; Treasurer, Mrs. Color. No. members 14.	
Apportionment \$10.00 -----	\$ 10 00

SELMA—ST. PAULS.

President, Mrs. Joseph Knight; Vice President, Mrs. J. A. Fuller; Sec. Mrs. A. G. Strockmeyer; Treasurer Mrs. Earnest Lamar.	
Apportionment \$50.00; United Offering \$32.35; Dues \$3.30 -----	\$ 85.65
St. Luke's Tokio \$5.00; One days income \$35.00-----	40 00
Armenian Christians \$10.00; St. Mark's School, Birmingham \$10.00 -----	20 00
Sallie Stuart Memorial, St. Agnes Kyoto \$4.00; Bishop Wilmer Scholarship \$10.00-----	14 00
St. Raphael Mission, Monterey, Tenn., \$5.00; Church Fund, Lexington, Ky., \$5.00 -----	10 00
French Orphans \$50.00; Minister's Widows \$50.00 -----	100 00
Total -----	\$269.65

TALLADEGA—ST. PETER'S

President Mrs. R. H. Woodward; Secretary and Treasurer Mrs. C. K. Weller. Members 12.	
Apportionment \$5.00; United Offering \$8.15-----	\$ 13 15
Sallie Stuart Memorial St. Agnes School Kyoto-----	2 50
Box of new clothing sent to France through Red Cross--	120 00
Box of second hand clothing sent to Belgium through the Red Cross -----	170 00
Total -----	\$305.65

TOULMINVILLE—ST. MARK'S

President Mrs. Hugh Rolston; Secretary and Treasurer
Mrs. C. P. Toulmin. Members 10.

Apportionment \$5.00; Dues ----- \$ 6 00

TROY—ST. MARKS

President Mrs. Carl Mott; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs.
T. V. Ballard

United Offering \$24.19; Dues \$35.50; Miss Wetmore, N. C.
\$5.00 ----- \$ 32.69

Sallie Stuart Memorial \$3.00 ----- 3 00

Total ----- \$ 35 69

TUSCALOOSA—CHRIST CHURCH "B" BRANCH

President, Mrs. H. B. Searcy; Vice President, Mrs. L. J.
Snow; Secretary Mrs. J. A. Andrews; Treasurer Mrs.
W. R. Sanders

Apportionment \$40.00; United Offering \$26.69; Flowers
\$3.75 ----- \$ 70 44

Box for Church Home (Thanksgiving) \$14.89; Church
Home Easter \$5.00 ----- 19 89

Box Church Home \$25.00; Box to Eureka, Utah., (Xmas)
\$12.50 ----- 37 50

Bishop Wilmer Scholarship \$5.00; St. Agnes Kyoto \$5.00 -- 10 00

Thanksgiving check \$5.00 ----- 5 00

Total ----- \$142.85

TUSCALOOSA—CHRIST CHURCH

President, Mrs. Ellen Peter Bryce; Secretary, Mrs. Henry
Searcy; Treasurer, Mrs. E. M. Cochrane.

Apportionment \$45.00; Dues \$3.10; United Offering,
\$31.68 ----- \$ 79 78

Bishop Wilmer Scholarship \$5.00; Insurance \$5.00; C. P. C.
\$1.00 ----- 56 00

Total ----- \$135.78

TUSCUMBIA—ST. JOHN'S

President and Treasurer, Miss Orleans McReynolds. No.
members 6.

United Offerings \$22.60 ----- \$ 22 60

UNION SPRINGS—TRINITY

President Mrs. W. L. Anderson; Secretary and Treasurer
Miss Janey Hobdy. No. members 10.

Apportionment \$2.50; (Diocesan Treasurer) (Parish Treas-
urer \$32.00) ----- \$ 34 50

United Offering \$20.70; St. Agnes School, Kioto \$3.50 ----- 24 20

Dues ----- 1 00

Total ----- \$ 59 70

WHISTLER—ST. PAUL'S

President Miss Lula Peterson; Secretary Miss M. Peterson
Treasurer Mrs. Tudor Farmer. No. members 20.

Apportionment \$5.00; Dues \$2.00; United Offering \$7.44 14 44

REPORT OF TREASURER

From May 1917 through Nov. 1917.

EXPENSES—Printing Reports \$40.00; Stationary and stamps \$9.00; ----- \$ 49.00

CASH RECEIPTS

Apportionment Woman's Auxiliary	\$136 22
Dues from Woman's Auxiliary \$9.10 balance May 1917	
\$67.73	76 83
United Offering (Miss Annie Hobdy Treas)	396 11
Bishop Wilmer Scholarship (Miss Noble Treas)	86 83
St. Lukes' Tokio	1 00
St. Mary's Shanghai	1 00
Alaska Scholarship	1 50
Secretary's Expenses	75
Missionary Life Insurance	12 50
	<hr/> \$712 74

DISBURSEMENTS

Apportionment Woman's Auxiliary	\$136 22
Expenses \$49.00; Balance in Bank from dues \$27.83	76 83
United Offering (Miss Annie Hobdy Treas.)	396 11
Bishop Wilmer Scholarship (Miss Noble Treas)	86 83
St. Lukes Tokio	1 00
St. Mary's Shanghi	1 00
Alaska Scholarship	1 50
Secretary's Expenses	75
Missionary Life Insurance	12 50
Total	<hr/> \$712 74

REPORT OF TREASURER

From November 1917—1918

CASH RECEIPTS

Printing Report \$17.00; Traveling Expenses Miss Patterson \$10.00; Traveling expenses Dr. R. Wilkinson \$2.25	\$ 29 25
Traveling expenses Mrs. Hale Tarrant \$6.36; Stationary and stamps \$9.75	16 11
Total	<hr/> \$ 45 36
Apportionment Woman's Auxiliary	\$648 91
Dues Woman's Auxiliary \$50.00, balance Nov. 1917 \$27.83—	
\$45.28—\$3.87 interest	82 20
United Offering (sent Miss Hobdy Treas.)	6 80
Bishop Wilmer Scholarship (sent Miss Noble)	92 61
Sallie Stuart Memorial St. Agnes School	25 00
C. P. C. (sent Mrs Stuart McQueen)	5 00
Mountain Mission School, Bishop Horner	40 13
St. Lukes Tokio	7 03
Valle Cruces, N. C.	5 00
St. Mark's School, Birmingham, Alabama	5 50
Life Insurance Foreign Missionary	50 00
Leper Work	3 00
Syrian Christians in Jerusalem	5 00
Church Home Work	3 00
Total	<hr/> \$979 26

DISBURSEMENTS

Apportionment Woman's Auxiliary	\$648 91
Expenses \$45.36; Balance in Bank from dues \$36.84.....	82 20
United Offering (sent Miss Hobdy, Treas.....)	6 80
Bishop Wilmer Scholarship (Miss Noble).....	92 61
Sallie Stuart Memorial St. Agnes School.....	25 00
C. P. C. (sent Mr. Stuart McQueen).....	5 00
Mountain Mission School, Bishop Horner	40 13
St. Lukes Tokio	7 05
Valle Cruses, N. C.	5 00
St. Marks School, Birmingham, Ala.....	5 50
Life Insurance Foreign Missionary.....	50 00
Leper Work	3 00
Syrian Christian in Jerusalem.....	5 00
Church Home Work	3 00
Total	\$979 20

SUMMARY

November 1917—1918

Cash Receipts	\$ 979 00
Sent through Parish Treasurer for Apportionment.....	187 75
Sent through Parish Treas. for Junior Apportionment.....	56 46
Sent direct to G. G. King for Junior Apportionment.....	49 00
Report direct to G. G. King for Little Helpers Apm't.....	30 00
United Offering	1088 55
Bishop Wilmer Scholarship	278 19
Sallie Stuart Memorial, St. Agnes School, Kyoto, sent direct	170 00
Mountain Mission School, N. C., Bishop Horner (sent direct)	100 00
C. P. C.	18 00
Sent direct to Church Home	90 60
Sent direct for Foreign Missions	89 00
Sent direct for Home Missions	14 50
One Days Income	74 60
Specials	228 25
Boxes sent by Woman's Auxiliary.....	1179 20
Boxes sent by Junior Auxiliary	120 00
French Orphange	86 50
Total	\$4 850 40

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Paul Smith, Treas.

Reports of United Offering W. A. Diocese of Alabama, Mobile
Convocation

May 1 to November 1, 1917

Parishes.	
Mobile—All Saints	\$33 09
Mobile E. J.—Christ.....	13 15
Mobile—Christ	15 38
Mobile—St. John	5 25
Mobile—Trinity	9 30
Spring Hill—St. Paul's	1 00

\$88 35

Parishes

\$ 82 31

SELMA CONVOCATION

Parishes—

Parish	
Gainesville—St. Alban's	\$ 2 50
Boligee—St. Marks	23 81
Demopolis—Trinity	6 00
Greensboro—St. Pauls	10 00
Selma—St. Pauls	
Eutaw—St. Stephens'	
Carlowville—St. Pauls	
Faundsdales—St. Michaels	
Forkland—St. James	
Marion—St. Wilfreds	
Uniontown—Holy Cross	
Livingston—St. James	
Organized Missions	
Orrville—St. Luke	5 00
Burnsville—Christ	
Camden—St. Mary's	
Prairieville—St. Andrews'	
Tilden—Grace	
Unorganized Missions—	
Berlin—St. Pauls	
Newbern	
Tyler—St. Peters	

\$ 47 31

BIRMINGHAM CONVOCATION

Parishes—

Anniston—Grace Church	\$12 45
Anniston—St. Michael and All Angels	7 50
Birmingham—Advent	24 52
Birmingham—St. Andrews	13 41
Birmingham—St. Mary's	11 00
Talledega—St. Peters	9 04
Tuscaloosa—Christ Church	26 06
Tuscaloosa—Christ Church (Sec. B.)	4 00
Woodlawn—Grace	4 05
Bessemer—Trinity	
Ensley—St. Johns	
Gadsden—Holy Comforter	
Jacksonville—St. Luke's	
Montevallo—St. Andrews	
Organized Missions—	
Alpine—Trinity	4 00
Avondale—Christ Church	
Birmingham—St. Mark's	
Birmingham—Trinity W. E.	
Maylene—St. Mary's	
Pell City—All Saints	
Piedmont—Christ Church	
Unorganized Missions	
Carbon Hill	
Wood Ward—Good Shepherd	8 49
Blotton	
East Lake	

Guntersville -----	
	\$124 52

HUNTSVILLE CONVOCATION

Parishes—	
Albany—St. John -----	11 27
Florence—Trinity -----	6 00
Huntsville—Nativity -----	11 10
Decatur—St. Paul's -----	
Sheffield—Grace -----	
Organized Missions—	
Tuscumbia—St. Johns -----	7 00
Bridgeport—Christ -----	
Unorganized Missions—	
Athens—St. Timothy -----	4 65
Gurley -----	
Gladstone -----	
Scottsboro—St. Luke -----	
	\$ 40 02

REPORT OF UNITED OFFERING W. A. DIOCESE OF ALA.
MOBILE CONVOCATION

November 1, 1917 to November 1, 1918

Parishes—	
Mobile—All Saints -----	\$ 64 72
Mobile (E. J.)—Christ -----	37 02
Mobile—Christ -----	81 59
Mobile—St. John's -----	31 62
Mobile—Trinity -----	15 50
Spring Hill—St. Pauls -----	2 00
Organized Missions—	
Whistler—St. Paul's -----	7 44
Mobile—Good Shepherd -----	4 00
Atmore—Heavenly Rest -----	
Bay Minette—Emmanuel -----	
Bon Secour—St. Peter's -----	
Cedar Hill—St. James' -----	
Citronelle—St. Thomas' -----	
Delchamps—St. Mary's -----	
Grand Bay—Holy Trinity -----	
Loxley -----	
Oakdale—Grace Chapel -----	
Oak Grove—St. Andrews' -----	
Perdue Hill—St. James -----	
Toulminville—St. Mark's -----	
Unorganized Missions—	
Barnwell—St. Mark's -----	
Daphne -----	
Fair Hope -----	
Magnolia Springs—St. Paul's -----	
Montrose -----	
Point Clear -----	
Roberts Dale—St. Mary's -----	
	\$243 90

MONTGOMERY CONVOCATION

Parishes—	
Greenville—St. Thomas	\$ 10 00
Montgomery—Ascension	7 00
Montgomery—St. John's	60 39
Montgomery—Holy Comforter	12 00
Auburn—Holy Innocent	3 00
Eufaula—St. James	7 57
Opelika—Emmanuel	27 35
	24 19
Organized Mission—	20 45
Evergreen—St. Mary's	
Montgomery—Christ	
Troy—St. Mark's	
Union Springs—Trinity	
Dothan—Nativity	
Geneva—Christ	
Hayneville—St. Andrews	
Lowndesboro—St. Paul	2 00
Montgomery—Good Shepherd	6 45
Prattville—St. Marks	
Unorganized—	
Mountain Creek	14 50
Benton	
Clayton—Grace	4 00
Letohatchie	4 00
Mt. Meigs—Grace	
Tuskegee—Advent	

\$202 90

SELMA CONVOCATION

Parishes—	
Gainesville—St. Albans	
Boligee—St. Mark's	\$ 13 85
Demopolis—Trinity	44 84
Selma—St. Pauls	37 35
Greensboro—St. Pauls	23 40
Eutaw—St. Stephens	6 80
Carlowville—St. Pauls	
Faunsdale—St. Michaels	
Forkland—St. James	
Marion—St. Wilfrid's	
Uniontown—Holy Cross	
Livingston—St. James	
Organized Missions —	
Orrville—St. Luke	\$ 17 00
Burnsville—Christ	2 50
Camdem—St. Mary's	
Prairieville—St. Andrews	
Tilden—Grace	
Unorganized Mission—	
Berlin—St. Paul's	
Newbern	
Tyler—St. Peters	

\$145 74

BIRMINGHAM CONVOCATION

Anniston—Grace	\$ 40 00
Anniston—St. Michael and All Angels	17 21
Birmingham—Advent	47 03
Birmingham—St. Andrews	18 76
Birmingham—St. Mary's	24 85
Talladega—St. Peters	8 15
Tuscaloosa—Christ	31 68
Tuscaloosa—Christ (Sec. B).....	26.69
Woodlawn—Grace	16 12
Bessemer—Trinity	
Ensley—St. John's	
Gadsden—Holy Comforter	
Jacksonville—St. Lukes	
Montevallo—St. Andrews	
Organized Missions—	
Alpine—Trinity	\$ 4 25
Avondale—Christ Church	
Birmingham—St. Mary's	
Birmingham—Trinity	
Maylene—St. Mary's	
Pell City—All Saints	
Piedmont—Christ	
Unorganized Missions —	
Carbon Hill	90
Woodward—Good Shepherd	27 00
Blocton	
East Lake	5 59
Guntersville	
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	\$276 83

HUNTSVILLE CONVOCATION

Parishes	
Albany—St. John's	\$10 00
Florence—Trinity	28.05
Huntsville—Nativity	24 86
Decatur—St. Paul's	
Sheffield—Grace	
Organized Missions —	
Tuscumbia—St. Johns	22 60
Bridgeport—Christ	
Unorganized—	
Athens—St. Timothy	6 00
Gurley	
Gladstone	
Scottsboro—St. Luke	
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	\$ 91 50

SUMMARY

May 1, to Nov. 1, 1917	Nov. 1, 1917 to Nov. 1, 1918	
Woman's Auxiliary	\$382 51	\$960 88
Juniors		82 64
Little Helpers	10 50	10 00
Young Ladies		6 83
Offering	3 10	
Interest		35 60
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	\$396 11	\$1095 35
Total		\$1491 46
Amount turned over by Mrs. Seelye, May, 1917		365 94
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		\$1857 40

Amount in Bank Nov. 20th 1918.

Respectfully submitted,
Annie L. Hobdy,
W. A. Treas.

REPORT OF EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

The Report of this department is very short. Fewer inquiries have been made of this department, fewer letters have been written by your Secretary and fewer have been answered by you, than in any previous year. Shortage of fuel, unprecedented weather and necessary war work are largely responsible for this. In our thankfulness for victorious peace let us make this a banner year in all departments of Auxiliary Work, especially in Mission study as we are told that the key to the World's peace is in the hands of the Missionaries. So may we prepare ourselves to do our part in the mission of the church "looking forward to the promise of the new heavens and new earth wherein dwelleth righteousness."

The following study classes have been reported:

Church of the Holy Comforter—Montgomery—Mrs. J. B. Jones leader. Subject: Gospel of the Kingdom.

St. Andrews—Birmingham—Mrs. Riley leader. Subject: Mission of the Bible.

St. Paul's, Selma—Reading Course, Mrs. Harry Smith, leader. Subject: Simon Peter Rock.

Church of the Ascension—Montgomery—Mrs. Wm. Gayle, leader.

Christ Church—Mobile—Miss Dunlap leader: Subject: The New World and Prayer.

Trinity—Union Springs—Miss Hobdy leader. Subject: Simon Peter Rock.

Grace Church—Anniston. Mission in our own country.

Church of Advent—Birmingham. Subject: Gospel of the Kingdom.

Christ Church—Montgomery. Reading Class The Gospel of the Kingdom.

Total number of classes 9.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Albert F. Wilson,
Educational Secretary.

REPORT OF THE BISHOP WILMER SCHOLARSHIP FUND

For Year Ending Nov 19th, 1918

Received from Diocesan Treasurer.....	\$ 82 61
Received from Anniston Grace Church	10 00
Received from Mrs. Susan Chaddock.....	1 00
Received from St. Michael and All Angels.....	5 00
Received from Demopolis, Virginia Lyon Memorial.....	5 00
Received from Eutaw St. Stephens.....	5 00
Received from Little Helpers, Mrs. Legare.....	20 00
Received from Mobile Christ Church.....	5 00
Received from Orrville, Mrs. Marshall.....	10 00
Received from Selma, St. Paul's.....	52 00
Received from Greensboro, St. Paul's.....	1 50
Received from Tuscaloosa, Christ Church.....	10 00
Received from note of Chastin, pd up.....	300 00
Received from Interest.....	126 76
Cash on hand Oct. 30 1917.....	36 93
TOTAL	\$670 80

ASSETS

Note of S. W. Richardson	\$400 00
Note of Wm. A. Davis, Jr.....	300 00
Note of Hubert Dent	500 00
First Liberty Loan	50 00
Third Liberty Loan.....	500 00
Fourth Liberty Loan.....	100 00
War Savings Stamps \$67 43, Cash \$3 37.....	70 80
	\$1920 80

REPORT OF THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

From May, 1917, to January, 1919.

No. of Librarians reporting eight.

No. 3. Trinity Church, Demopolis, Mrs. James F. Hayden, Librarian. Current Periodicals sent regularly 8. Contributors of Periodicals 7. Picture cards and calendars 3. Postage and stationery \$2.60.

4. St. John's Montgomery. Mrs B F Evans, Librarian. Current periodicals sent regularly 4. Several packages of magazines.

No. 8. The Holy Comforter, Montgomery, Current periodicals sent regularly 5. Contributors of periodicals 5. Odd magazines and papers 100. Books 50. Postage \$1.00

No 11. St Mary's, Birmingham. Mrs. C. M. Rudolph, Librarian Current periodicals sent regularly 7. Contributors of periodicals 7. Books 30. Donation \$1.50.

No. 17. The Nativity, Huntsville. Mrs.W. B. Robinson, Librarian. Current periodicals sent regularly 25. Contributors of periodicals 25. Odd Magazines and papers 300. Boxes 2. Donations \$2.00.

No. 18. St. John's, Mobile. Mrs. E. L. Daves, Librarian Odd Magazines and papers 546. Bound books 89.

No. 21 (a) Christ Church, Mobile. Miss Daisy Brown, Librarian. Current periodicals sent regularly 2. Bound books 40. Odd periodicals and papers, 1590.

brarian. Current periodicals sent regularly 4. Contributors of No. 22. St. John's, Tuscumbia. Miss Orlean McReynolds Li-
periodicals 2. Odd magazines and papers 12. Christmas and pic-
ture cards 418. Postage and Stationery \$1.50. Books 1.

Individual contributions: Mrs. William Pierce \$1.00, Mrs. E. M. Marshall \$5.00. Expenses of correspondent for postage and stationery \$10.00.

The following parochial branches of the Woman's Auxiliary have each contributed \$1.00 to the C. P. C..

Eugenia Lyon branch, Demopolis, The Ascension, Holy Comforter and St. John's, Montgomery. All Saints, St. John's, Christ Church, and "Emma Jones" branch of Christ Church, Mobile, The Advent and St. Mary's Birmingham, The Nativity, Huntsville, St. Paul's Greensboro, St. Stephens Eutaw, Grace Church and St. Michael and All Angels, Anniston, Christ Church, Tuscaloosa, St. John's Tuscumbia.

The yearly report of the Church Periodical Club has always closed in May, but the Secretary writes that the time is now changed to January to keep in time with the year the church Missions House. Therefore, this report gives the work of the Club for the last eighteen months. There are fourteen Librarians on the list and but eight reporting. It is with regret we note the resignation of Mrs. B. F. Evans, St. John's Montgomery and Mrs. E. J. Davis of St. John's, Mobile. Mrs. William Pierce of St. Thomas, Greenville, has again become Librarian for that Parish. We are glad to welcome her back on the list, as formerly she filled that office most faithfully for thirteen years.

The Club has moved its headquarters from the Missions House to No 2 W. 47th St., New York, and invites its friends to visit it in its new home. Now, we must believe that our Church people throughout the Diocese give away much more literature than the meagre figures of this report show. It would, I am sure, encourage the Librarians if they had some record of this distribution. The C. P. C. is a church organization, and should be upheld by her communicants.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. Stewart McQueen,
Correspondent 54 Diocese of Alabama.

JUNIOR EDUCATIONAL REPORT

Oct. 1917 to Oct. 1918

To the Officers and Members of the Woman's Auxiliary,
Selma, Alabama.

This is my seventh or eight report to you of the work in the Junior Department. It is hard to know just what to tell you about this work. Miss Fitts will give you an account so far as material results go and I do not think that for the past year we have fallen behind the work of previous years. These results are however, so meager when we consider the efforts made, and the resources; opportunities and possibilities of our Church children for this their work; certainly we should look for more encouragement in the future.

I wrote a letter last June to all Leaders in the Junior Department. With one or two exceptions, no response was made to me.

Some time in June or July Miss Cobbs (now Mrs. Poellnitz) wrote to all the Clergy of the Diocese, asking for the names of some one in his parish or mission who would undertake to give United Offering boxes to the older girls (section 3.) Not all of the Clergy responded to this letter. A few names were sent, and to these persons Miss Cobbs wrote; with the result that only one parish responded, and that from Mobile. This Offering was sent to Miss Hobdy, United Offering Treasurer, by Miss Cobbs. Miss Hobdy will tell you the amount and the parish from which it came. I have not the record at hand. This amount should be credited to the United Offering of the Junior Department. So much for the work Miss Cobbs was appointed to do at our last annual meeting; and I can testify that she put her whole heart into it.

On October the first, I wrote a letter to all of the Clergy. (Poor, persecuted Clergy! If they could only realize the great joy they could give to us, officers of the Auxiliary, to say nothing of the great benefit they themselves would derive by at least a postal card, to let us know that our letters have been received 'what wonders we could perform'. Being part of the Clergy I speak knowingly and feelingly. Eight replies came to this letter, and an Offering from two parishes, Talladega and Eufaula.

I desire, at this time to make the same appeal I have formerly made to the women of the Auxiliary; and ask them to appoint some one in their respective parishes, subject to the approval of the Rector, who is privileged to look after the Junior Department either through the Sunday School, or through a regularly organized branch of the Juniors. The work of the children is perfectly simple and clearly defined, as is seen in the printed Letter just read in your hearing. We really feel that if there were more done for the Junior Department, there would be more workers in the Woman's Department. "A little child shall lead them"

We have learned by our experience with the little ones in the Red Cross that children will work, if we will take the trouble to lead them; and surely now, as never before, we will need Missionaries to maintain Christ's Kingdom on earth.

Respectfully submitted,
Mrs. C. M Beckwith,
Director of the Junior Department

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY FROM OCTOBER, 1917, TO OCTOBER, 1918.

ANNISTON—GRACE CHURCH.

Leader—Miss Helen Doering.

Apportionment -----	\$ 10 00
United Offering -----	22 90
Xmas box, to South Dakota, valued at -----	10 00
Special—Box of clothing sent to Bon Secour, Ala.	

Total ----- \$ 42 90

ALBANY—ST. JOHN'S.

Apportionment -----	\$ 9 00
United Offering -----	1 50

Total ----- \$ 10 50

TRINITY CHURCH—DEMOPOLIS.

Leader—Mrs. L. W. George.

Apportionment -----	\$ 5 00
United Offering -----	4 75
Paid to Bishop Wilmer Scholarship -----	2 00
Total -----	\$ 11 75

BIRMINGHAM—ST. MARY'S.

Leader—Mrs. K. R. Whittichen.

Apportionment -----	\$ 25 00
Box sent to South Dakota, valued at -----	65 00
Special to --St Mary's Sunday School-----	5 00
Total -----	\$ 95 00

EUTAW—ST. STEPHENS'.

The Sunday School paid \$36 on the apportionment.

GREENVILLE—ST. THOMAS.

Leader—Mrs. G. A. Crenshaw.

Apportionment -----	\$ 5 40
Box sent to Orphans' Home, valued at -----	6 00
Total -----	\$ 11 40

HUNTSVILLE—CHURCH OF NATIVITY.

United Offering from the Sunday School ----- \$ 2 00

LOXLEY—ST. ALBANS.

Leader—Miss Bertha Henry.

Apportionment -----	\$ 0 76
Special to Tenn. Mission -----	1 00
Total -----	\$ 1 76

MOBILE—TRINITY CHURCH.

Leader—Miss Vincent.

Apportionment -----	\$ 20 00
United Offering -----	5 00
Box sent to Alaska, valued at -----	25 00
Special—Two quilts for a French Hospital.	

Total ----- \$ 50 00

MONTGOMERY—CHRIST CHURCH.

Leader—Mrs. C. M. Beckwith.

Apportionment -----	5 30
United Offering -----	25 00
Box sent to Yankton Mission, valued at -----	12 00

Total ----- \$ 42 30

UNION SPRINGS—TRINITY.

Leader—Miss Jennie Hobby.

United Offering -----	\$ 4 50
Box sent to South Dakota, valued at -----	2 00
Total -----	\$ 6 50

SUMMARY.

Apportionment sent through Jr. Aux. Treas.-----	\$ 56 46
Apportionment reported sent direct to Mr. G G. King----	49 00
United Offering -----	66 93

Value of boxes sent -----	120 00
United Offering from Young Ladies ----- (through work of Miss Augusta Cobbs.)	6 83
Total -----	\$309 22
MRS. C. M. BECKWITH, Junior Secretary.	

CONSTITUTION.

1. This organization shall be called the Alabama Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

2. Its object is to unite all the parishes and mission stations in the Diocese in all branches of mission work and by systematic and united effort to increase missionary activity among the women of the Diocese.

3. All parishes and mission stations that so desire may become branches of this Auxiliary, by first obtaining the consent of the Rector in charge, appointing a Secretary and notifying the President of the Diocesan Branch of their intention to work in unison with the Auxiliary.

4. The officers shall be a President, appointed by the Bishop for a term of four years; a First Vice-President, Second Vice-President, Secretary and Treasurer, Educational Secretary, Secretary of the Junior Branch and Secretary of the Little Helpers appointed by the President.

5. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at the annual meeting and to have a general knowledge of the work in progress. The Vice-President shall preside in her absence.

6. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to conduct the correspondence of the Auxiliary, keep an account of the work done as reported by the Parish Secretaries, and report this annually to the General Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary.

The Secretary shall also send notices of all meetings and keep a record of the same.

7. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all moneys sent to her by any Branch for missionary work and for the expenses of the Auxiliary, and shall present a report at the annual meeting.

8. The annual meeting shall be held at the time of the Diocesan Council, or such other time as the Bishop shall suggest, for the purpose of hearing the reports of the Diocesan and Parish Secretaries, electing delegates to the general meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary and transacting all other business that may come before it.

9. Each Parish Branch shall make an annual pledge according to its ability for the current expenses and work of the Diocesan Branch.

10. At the annual meeting each Branch represented shall be entitled to but one vote in business of general import.

11. Seven Branches shall constitute a quorum.

12. Any article of this Constitution may be changed by a two-thirds vote of the Branches present at any Diocesan meeting. Due notice of same to be given at one meeting and acted upon the following year.

Fort Worth, Texas.

Madam President and Ladies of the Auxiliary:

Though absent in Fort Worth, Texas, I am with you in thought and send my heart's affections and greeting.

The end of a most trying year is fast drawing near—one that has tried our energies in the performance of stern duty—one that has tried our souls as never before and one that hence forward will be celebrated the world over as the year in which was accomplished the physical liberty of the world—a date that ranks with that of the world's creation, and its salvation at the birth of Christ!

The deep shadows through which we have so recently passed must be forgotten and our efforts be redoubled to secure the benefits and blessings of a brilliant future in the cause of Christ.

The Little Helpers of Alabama must close up their ranks and be ready for the next offensive—another campaign. Mobile marches on with steady stride. Eufaula as ever stands true. The Holy Comforter, Montgomery, the faithful. Huntsville has suffered but has not fallen or forgotten us, not to mention the many who have individually held up our hands, by their faithful assistance and support. The Advent, Birmingham, forwarded a wonderful report of "Specials" last year, which reached us too late for publication. They are working earnestly and I hope their leader will tell you of it personally.

The Holy Cross, Uniontown, is added to our roll and sent, through Miss Lindley, \$2.50 directly to Odate, and we feel confident Mrs. Wm. H. Tayloe will keep up the good work.

While responding to the many demands of war and rallying around our national flag, we must not forget or neglect Christ's banner. We are the standard bearers of the Little Helpers. Let us therefore go out in search of volunteers for the little army, recruiting from all walks of life, and the results will be in the full measure of our effort.

"Lord, speak to me, that I may speak in living echoes of Thy tone
As Thou hast sought, so let me seek, Thy erring children lost
and lone.

Oh, lead me Lord, that I may lead the wandering and wavering
feet,

Oh, feed me Lord, that I may feed thy hungering ones with man-
ner sweet,

Oh, strengthen me that while I stand firm on the rock and
strong in Thee

I may stretch out a loving hand to wrestlers with the troubled
sea—

Oh, teach me Lord, that I may teach the precious things Thou
dost impart

And wing my words that they may reach the hidden depths of
many a heart.

Oh, use me Lord, use even me, just as Thou wilt and when and
where,

Until Thy blessed face I see, Thy rest, thy joy, Thy glory share.

Respectfully submitted,

AMELIA G. LEGARE.

LITTLE HELPERS OF ALABAMA—MAY TO OCTOBER, 1917.

Anniston, St. Michael and All Angels, Miss Noble	\$ 1 00
Birmingham, St. Andrews', Mrs. J. A. Yates	1 66
Forkland, St. John's	2 00
Orrville, St. John's, Mrs. E. M. Marshall	5 00
Huntsville, Nativity, Mrs. James H. Bride	2 12
Talladega, Mrs. T. P. Williams	1 83
Selma, St. Paul's, Mrs. A. P. Jones	5 50

Total ----- \$ 19 11

DISBURSEMENTS.

Bishop Wilmer Scholarship, Miss Noble	\$ 3 12
United Offering, Miss Hobdy	10 50
Apportionment, Miss Grace Lindley	5 49

Total ----- \$119 11

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. J. K. LEGARE.

LITTLE HELPERS—1918.

Anniston, St. Michael and All Angels, Miss Elizabeth Noble	\$ 5 00
Birmingham, Advent, Mrs. Hale Tarrant	7 00
Birmingham, St. Andrews', Miss Adele M. Shaw	3 00
Birmingham, St. Mary's, Miss Virginia Hausen	2 20
Boligee, St. Mark's, Mrs. McKee Gould	2 60
Demopolis, Trinity	2 04
Eufaula, St. James', Miss Eliza Merrill	6 00
Gadsden, Holy Comforter, Mrs. John T. Cathey	-----
Greenville, St. Thomas', Mrs. G. A. Crenshaw	-----
Huntsville, Nativity, Mrs. James H. Pride	-----
Mobile, All Saints', Mrs. T. C. Booth	7 00
Mobile, Christ Church, Miss Marguerite Lawson	5 00
Mobile, St. John's, Mrs. Charles Tucker	-----
Montgomery, Holy Comforter, Miss Mary McQueen	5 00
Montgomery, Ascension, Mrs. Juliette Dennis	-----
Montevallo, St. Andrews', Mrs. James Williams	-----
Orrville, St. John's, Mrs. E. M. Marshall	5 00
Selma, St. Paul's, Mrs. A. P. Jones	6 50
Talladega, St. Peter's, Mrs. T. P. Williams	-----
Uniontown, Holy Cross, Mrs. Wm. H. Tayloe	2 50

SUMMARY.

United Offering (paid)	\$ 10 00
Bishop Wilmer Memorial Scholarship (paid)	20 00
Special Odate Kindergarten (paid)	2 50
Apportionment (paid)	30 00
Font (paid)	10 00

Respectfully submitted,
AMELIA G. LEGARE.

Sent check to Miss Grace Lindley for \$40.00, Nov. 5, 1918.

LEVENIA H. GEORGE.

Amount on hand Nov. 19, 1918	\$ 5 04
Given to me by Mrs. A. P. Jones, Nov. 21	6 50

LEVENIA GEORGE.

IN MEMORIAM.

MISS MARY GREEN, The Ascension, Montgomery.

MRS. EMILY HUGHES, The Holy Comforter, Montgomery.

MRS. ROSALIE CHAPMAN, The Nativity, Huntsville.

MRS. JULIA KIENKE DeMILLER, Trinity, Mobile.

"For all the saints who from their labours rest,
Who Thee by faith before the world confessed,
Thy Name, O Jesus, be forever blest.
Hallelujah."

So when the strife is fierce, the warfare long,
Steals on the ear the distant triumph song,
And hearts are brave again and arms are strong.
Hallelujah."
