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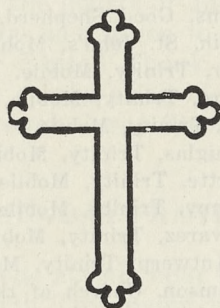
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1930-31

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## **THE PRAYER OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OFFERING**

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, bless we pray Thee, our work for the extension of Thy Kingdom, and make us so thankful for the precious gift of Thy beloved Son, that we may pray fervently, labor diligently, and give liberally to make Him known to all nations as their Saviour and their King; through the same Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

## **THE PRAYER FOR THE UNITED THANK OFFERING**

O Lord, our Heavenly Father, we pray Thee to send forth more laborers into Thy harvest, and to grant them Thy special grace for every need. Guard and guide the workers in the field, and draw us into closer fellowship with them. Dispose the hearts of all women everywhere to give gladly as Thou hast given to them. Accept from grateful hearts, our United Thank Offering of prayer and gifts and joyful service; and bless it to the coming of Thy Kingdom through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

## **A MID-DAY PRAYER**

Blessed Saviour, Who at this hour didst 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 Ghost ever one God, world without end. Amen.



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WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF DIOCESE  
OF ALABAMA**

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**Alpine, Trinity**

Rev. Joseph Harvey, Rector

Name of Branch: Trinity.

President: Mrs. H. H. Cook.

Vice-President: Mrs. Wm. F. Kellough.

Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. C. C. Cook.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. E. C. Kellough.

Number of Members: 13

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**Andalusia, St. Mary's Branch**

Rev. T. G. Mundy, Rector

Name of Branch: St. Mary's.

President: Mrs. George Jones.

Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. Dudley L. O'Neal.

Number of Members: 8.

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**Anniston, Grace**

Rev. J. M. Stoney, Rector

Name of Branch: Grace Church Auxiliary.

President: Mrs. R. H. Stickney, 1409 Quintard Ave.

Vice-President: Mrs. Julia Thompson, 827 East 7th St.

Secretary: Mrs. Louise J. Kelly, 1311 Woodstock Ave.

Treasurer: Mrs. J. J. Willett, 1325 Woodstock Ave.

Supply Department: Mrs. A. L. Muse, 509 Goodwin St.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. A. H. Shepperd, 501 East 6th St.

Correspondent Church Periodical Club: Mrs. F. O. Tyler, 721 Oak St.

Number of Members: 28.

Number of Communicants: 72.

**Business Woman's Branch**

President: Miss Hettie Goldsworthy, 1500 Leighton Ave.

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**Anniston, St. Michael and All Angels**

Rev. C. W. Freeland, Rector

Name of Branch:

President: Mrs. R. C. Young.

Vice-President: Mrs. I. C. Moorefield.

Secretary: Mrs. Irvine Shawfield.

Treasurer: Miss Hattie Williams.

Supply Department: Mrs. O. H. Parker.



Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. O. V. Canova.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. E. G. Roberts.

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**Athens, St Timothy**

Rev. Peter M. Dennis, Rector

Name of Branch: St. Timothy's Mission.  
President: Mrs. Sue Billingsley, 100 Bryan St.  
Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. C. J. Hayden, Bryan St.  
Number of Members: 9.  
Number of Communicants: 14.

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**Atmore, Trinity Church**

Rev. E. V. W. Edwards, Rector

President: Mrs. Guy Sharpless.  
Number of Members: 7.

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**Auburn, Holy Innocents**

Rev. Wm. Byrd Lee, Rector

Name of Branch: Auburn Branch.  
President: Mrs. S. L. Toomer.  
Secretary: Mrs. S. L. Toomer.  
Treasurer: Miss Kate Lane.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. F. Biggin.  
Number of Members: 14.  
Number of Communicants: 26.

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**Bay Minette, Immanuel Mission**

Rev. E. V. W. Edwards, Rector

Name of Branch: Immanuel.  
President: Mrs. M. A. Locke.  
Vice-President: Mrs. W. H. Fletcher.  
Secretary: Mrs. T. W. Gilmer.  
Treasurer: Mrs. T. W. Gilmer.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. T. W. Gilmer.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Frank Stone.  
Number of Members: 5.  
Number of Communicants: 7.

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**Bessemer, Trinity**

Rev. G. W. Ribble, Rector

Name of Branch: Branch "A."  
President: Mrs. Georgia Tuck, 2217 Dartmouth Ave.  
Vice-President: Mrs. Andrew Mitchell, 3rd Ave., between 13th  
and 14th Streets.  
Secretary: Mrs. J. H. Houppert, 1521 6th Avenue N.



Treasurer: Mrs. G. W. Ribble, 2014 Berkley Ave.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. W. L. Rush, 1700 2nd Ave. N.  
Supply Department: Mrs. E. Bumford, 2107 Clarendon Ave.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. B. B. Hill, 1531 4th Ave.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. L. D. McCollum, 1726 Exeter Ave.  
Number of Members: 16.  
Number Communicants: 60.

Name of Branch: Branch "B", Bessemer.  
President: Mrs. J. C. Wilson, Princess Springs.  
Vice-President: Mrs. Jesse Stallings, 1605 Granville Ave.  
Secretary: Mrs. John Dinkins, 219 S. 15th St.  
Treasurer: Mrs. J. Little, 17th St.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. J. Horn, 1426 Clarendon Ave.; Mrs.  
W. B. Harris, 2200 Clarendon Ave.  
Supply Department: Mrs. Gilbert Meadows, 2223 Dartmouth Ave.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. J. Harris, 2210 Clarendon Ave.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. H. Pendleton, 2217 Dartmouth Ave.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. L. H. Etheridge, 1510 2nd Ave.  
Business Woman's Branch  
President: Miss Helen Davis, 1707 Fourth Ave.

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**Berlin, St. Paul's**

U. T. O. Group.

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**Birmingham, Church of the Advent**

Dr. Charles Clingman, Rector

Name of Branch: Woman's Auxiliary Guild.  
President: Mrs. Norvell Cullom, 3319 Cliff Road.  
Vice-President: Mrs. James P. Blattie, First Vice-President, 3332  
Cliff Road; Mrs. R. C. Johnston, Second Vice-President,  
2300 23rd Avenue, South.  
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Treasurer: Mrs. Frazer Banks, 410 9th Court, West.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. H. A. Davies, 2463 Fairway Drive.  
Supply Department: Mrs. Charles Clingman, 3333 Cliff Road.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. K. W. Constantine, 2820 Berwick Road.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Miss Ella Charles, 2015 6th Ave., N.  
Business Woman's Auxiliary  
President: Miss Louise Chenoweth, Care Board of Education, 2015  
7th Ave., N.

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**Birmingham, East Lake, Good Shepherd**

Rev. Carl Henschell, Rector

Name of Branch: Woman's Auxiliary.



President: Mrs. A. A. Feltus, 7130 Division Ave.  
Vice-President: Mrs. Geo. B. Hearen, 8330 6th Ave., N.  
Secretary: Mrs. E. T. Smith, 7611 5th Ave., N.  
Treasurer: Mrs. John Urmey, 7428 1st Ave., N.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. J. P. Linthicum, 7528 2nd Ave., N.  
Number of Members: 8.  
Number of Communicants: 22.

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**Birmingham, Grace Church, Woodlawn**

Mrs. H. R. Cook.

No report.

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**Birmingham, All Saints, Homewood**

Rev. J. L. Jenkins, Rector

Name of Branch: Woman's Auxiliary.

President: Mrs. M. J. Smith, 113 E. Poincianna Drive.

Vice-President: Mrs. C. McWhorter, 211 Woodland Ave.

Secretary: Mrs. H. L. Alexander, 10 Alden Lane.

Treasurer: Mrs. C. A. Barinowsky, 810 College Drive.

Educational Secretary: Mrs. Gignilliat, 665 Idlewild Circle.

Supply Department: Mrs. J. T. Mayes, Jr., 508 Forest Drive.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. White, 1013 Irving St., Homewood.

Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. W. E. Hearon, Colonial Hills

Numbers of Members: 40.

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**Birmingham, St. Andrews**

Rev. V. C. McMaster, Rector

Name of Branch: Woman's Auxiliary.

President: Mrs. Langston McCalley, 3101 Salisbury Road.

Vice-President: Mrs. V. B. Goddard, 826 10th Ave., S.

Secretary: Mrs. H. M. Dozier, 2705 Highland Ave.

Treasurer: Mrs. E. H. Dawson, 924 10th Ave., S.

Educational Secretary: Mrs. J. L. McConnell, 2141 14th Ave., S.

Supply Department: Mrs. V. B. Goddard, 826 10th Ave., S.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Harry Lawhorn, 1320 17th St., So.

Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. H. D. Wood, 1217 19th St., So.

Number of Members:

Business Woman's Branch

Miss Mary le Bevans, 1601 14th Ave., So.

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**Birmingham, St. Mark's Mission**

Rev. C. W. Brooks, Rector

Name of Branch: St. Mark's Woman's Auxiliary.

President: Mrs. C. W. Brooks, 306 S. 18th St.

Treasurer: Mrs. F. D. Bradford, 606 1st St., No.



Number of Members: 12.

Number of Communicants: 62.

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**Birmingham, St. Mary's**

Rev. R. Bland Mitchell, Rector

Name of Branch: Woman's Auxiliary.

President: Mrs. J. C. Halstead, 102 Redfern St.

Vice-President: Mrs. J. P. Woodson, 1876 16th Ave., S.

Secretary: Mrs. W. E. Willett, 4337 10th Ave., S.

Treasurer: Mrs. T. A. Murphree, 4312 Cliff Road.

Supply Department: Mrs. Jesse F. Yeates, 1054 S. 32nd St.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. J. P. Woodson, 1876 16th Ave., S.

Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. J. H. Zehmer, 2809 13th Ave., So.

Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. J. A. Zehmer, 2809 13th Ave.  
So.

Number of Members: About 200.

Number of Communicants: About 250.

Business Woman's Branch

Miss Elsie McIntyre, First National Bank.

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**Birmingham, Trinity Mission, West End**

Rev. V. G. Lowery, Rector

Name of Branch: Trinity Auxiliary Guild.

President: Mrs. W. L. Simmons, 424 Burke St., W. E.

Vice-President: Mrs. Charles L. Sullivant, 602 Fulton Ave.

Secretary: Mrs. T. B. Gullege, 620 Cotton Ave.

Treasurer: Mrs. H. P. Everett, 314 S. 6th St.

Educational Secretary: Mrs. W. L. Simmons.

Supply Department: Mrs. T. M. Wallace, 418 McMillan Ave.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. H. G. Schoenherr, 25 N. 16th Place,  
N. W., Birmingham.

Number of Members: 30.

Number of Communicants: 38.

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**Boligee, St. Mark's**

Rev. Ralph J. Kendall, Rector

President: Mrs. J. McKee Gould.

Vice-President: Mrs. D. H. Trice.

Secretary: Mrs. Joe Bethany.

Treasurer: Mrs. S. D. Bayer.

Educational Secretary: Miss Ezrene Bouchelle.

Supply Department: Miss Bessie Bouchelle.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. S. L. Thetford.

Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Joe Bethany.

Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. D. H. Trice.



Number of Members: 13.  
Number of Communicants: 16.

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**Bon Secour, St. Peter's**

Rev. Mr. Thompson, Rector

President: Mrs. J. W. Carver, Foley Rural Route, Bon Secour.  
Secretary and Treasurer: Mrs. C. W. Clarke, Foley.  
U. T. O. Treasurer: Mrs. W. B. Miller, Bon Secour.  
Secretary Supply Department: Mrs. C. A. Swift, Bon Secour.

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**Carlowville, St. Paul's**

Rev. Justice Jones, Minter, Ala.

President: Mrs. C. C. Lide, Minter, Ala.  
Vice-President: Mrs. S. B. Alison, Minter, Ala.  
Secretary-Treasurer: Miss May H. Kyser, Minter, Ala.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. L. H. Smith, Minter, Ala.  
Supply Department: Mrs. B. K. Alison, Minter, Ala.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Miss Maggie Alison, Minter, Ala.  
Correspondent C. P. C.: Mrs. B. L. Youngblood, Minter, Ala.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Miss May H. Kyser, Minter, Ala.  
Number of Members: 24.  
Number of Communicants: 30.

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**Camden, St. Mary's Mission**

Mrs. Mary Beck.

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**Carbon Hill**

U. T. O.: Mrs. Kate Patterson.

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**Clayton, Grace Mission, Eufaula Branch**

No Rector

Name of Branch: Grace.  
President: Miss Mary Clayton.  
Secretary: Mrs. W. C. Beatty.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. B. T. Roberts.  
Number of Members: 4.  
Number of Communicants: 6.

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**Daphne, St. Paul's**

Rev. W. A. Thompson

President: Mrs. R. Van Iderstine.  
Vice-President: Mrs. R. J. Scott.  
Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. D. R. Murphy.



**Decatur: St. John's**

Rev. Peter M. Dennis, Rector

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Vice-President: Mrs. F. F. Tidwell, 246 Jackson St.  
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Treasurer: Mrs. F. R. Hodges, 332 Sherman St.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. L. A. Bloodworth, 415 Johnston St.  
Supply Department: Mrs. M. C. Bullard, 326 Grant St.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Miss Mary Shepherd, 802 Sherman St.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. P. M. Dennis.  
Number of Members: 30.  
Number of Communicants: 61.

**Business Woman's Branch**

Mrs. Peter M. Dennis, 212 Gordon Drive, W., Decatur, Ala.

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**Demopolis, Trinity**

No Rector

Name of Branch: Eugenia Lyon.  
President: Mrs. A. R. Smith.  
Secretary: Miss Eleanor Whitfield.  
Treasurer: Miss Eleanor Whitfield.  
Educational Secretary: Miss Nellie Keyes.  
Supply Department: Mrs. L. K. Simmons.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. C. B. Whitfield.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Miss K. Harrison.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Miss Nellie Keyes.  
Number of Members: 51.  
Number of Communicants: 60.

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**Dothan, Church of the Nativity**

President: Mrs. J. B. Hackney, 102 N. Oates St.  
Vice-President: Mrs. Keyton.  
U. T. O.: Mrs. K. Sapp.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. D. S. Lewis.  
Cor. Church Home: Mrs. O. N. Bird.

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**Ensley, St. John's**

Rector: Rev. V. G. Lowery

Matilda DuBose Branch: St. John's, Ensley.  
President: Mrs. A. D. Slye, 2300 Avenue J.  
Vice-President: Mrs. L. L. Brothers, 2309, Ave. F.  
Secretary: Mrs. C. M. Heermans, 2324 16th Court, Ensley.  
Treasurer: Mrs. J. R. Boggs, 3204 Avenue E., Ensley.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. J. A. Calhoun, 1701 27th St.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Heermans.



**Business Woman's Branch**

Mrs. Mary M. Davis, Care Old Miner School, 1916 Pike Ave., Ensley.

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**Eufaula, St. James Mission**

President: Mrs. J. W. Marshall.  
Vice-President: Mrs. J. W. Johnston.  
Secretary: Mrs. Anthony Belote.  
Treasurer: Mrs. Victor Milton.  
Supply: Mrs. George Dent.  
U. T. O.: Miss Lula Walker.

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**Eutaw, St. Stephen's**

Rev. Ralph J. Kendall, Rector

President: Mrs. D. K. Trotter.  
Vice-President: Mrs. R. R. Banks.  
Secretary: Mrs. Reginald Barnes.  
Treasurer: Mrs. Horace Massingill.  
Educational Secretary: Miss Mary Dunlap.  
Supply Department: Mrs. W. C. Banks.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. J. B. Byrd.  
Number of Members: 20.

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**Evergreen, St. Mary's Mission**

Mrs. Kate McCreary.

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**Fairfield, Christ Church Mission**

President: Mrs. I. M. Garvlee, 672 Ridgeway Road.  
Vice-President: Mrs. McNaron, Arcadia Terrace.  
Secretary: Mrs. Dean Ellithorpe, Hillside Drive.  
Treasurer: Mrs. O. R. Trope, 925 43rd St.  
Custodian: Mrs. R. J. Wilson, 4113 Parkway.

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**Fairhope, St. James' Mission**

Rev. W. A. Thompson

President of Guild: Mrs. McConnell.

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**Faunsdale, St. Michael's**

President: Mrs. H. H. McKee.  
Treasurer: Mrs. I. C. Cameron.

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**Florence, Trinity**

Name of Branch: Trinity Woman's Auxiliary.  
President: Mrs. Richard Smith, 753 Nellie Ave.  
Vice-President: Miss Jennie Jackson, North Pine.



Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. John Ford, 221 West, Mobile St.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. W. L. Foy, North Seminary St.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Robert Martin, North Court St.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Miss Jennie Jackson, Pine St.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. Richard Smith.  
Number of Members: 12.  
Number of Communicants: 74.

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**Foley**

Rev. W. A. Thompson

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**Gadsden, Holy Comforter**

Rev. J. M. Murray, Rector

Name of Branch: Senior.  
President: Mrs. M. C. Allgood, 1034 Third St.  
Vice-President: Mrs. H. J. S. Savage, Walnut St.  
Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. M. C. Shannon, S. Ninth St.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. C. M. Murray, 9th and Chestnut.  
Supply Department: Mrs. Carl Lay, 1136 Chestnut St.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Alex Graves, Haralson Ave.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Frank Cobbs.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. C. M. Murray.  
Number of Members: 24.  
Number of Communicants: 70.

**Jennie Goldman Branch**

President: Mrs. Fred Agricola, Tuckahoe Heights.  
Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. Frank Hamilton, Turrentine Ave.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. McCoy Wadsworth, So. 10th St.  
Number of Members: 12.  
Number of Communicants: 60.

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**Glenville, St. Stephen's Mission**

Mrs. Frank Elmore, Elmoreland.

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**Greensboro, St. Paul's**

Rev. J. W. Heyes, Rector

Name of Branch: Mary E. Avery.  
President: Mrs. L. B. Sledge.  
Vice-President: Mrs. W. W. Poellenitz.  
Secretary: Mrs. J. W. Heyes.  
Treasurer: Mrs. A. I. Selden.  
Educational Secretary: Miss Anne Hobson.  
Supply Department: Mrs. Alphonse Stollenwerck.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Jack Browne, Newbern, Ala.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Belle Huggins, Newbern, Ala.



Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. Charles Wheeler, Greensboro.  
Number of Members: 44.  
Number of Communicants: 75.

**B Branch**

President: Mrs. Winston R. Withers.  
Secretary: Mrs. J. B. Stickney, Jr.  
Treasurer: Mrs. J. B. Stickney, Jr.  
Number of Members: 20.

**Business Women's Branch**

President: Mrs. R. A. Langworthy.

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**Greenville, St. Thomas**

President: Mrs. Will Pierce.  
Secretary-Treasurer: Miss Lil Thomas.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Will Pierce.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Will Pierce.  
Number of Members: 16.

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**Guntersville, Epiphany Mission**

Rev. C. Morton Murray, Rector

Name of Branch: Epiphany Branch.  
President: Mrs. Bessie R. Samuel.  
Vice-President: Mrs. Jennie R. Chandler.  
Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. Porter Glover.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. J. R. Chandler  
Number of Members: 9.

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**Huntsville, Nativity**

Rev. Cary Gamble, Rector

Name of Branch: Madge Dox.  
President: Mrs. M. M. Duncan, Franklin St.  
Secretary: Mrs. Cary Gamble, Franklin St.  
Treasurer, Miss Nellie Campbell, Eustis St.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Miss Nellie Campbell, Eustis St.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Harry Adams, 350 Fourth St.  
Number of Members: 18.  
Number of Communicants: 125.

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**Irvington, St. Paul's**

Mrs. Florence Silcocks.

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**Jacksonville, St. Luke's**

No Rector

Name of Branch: Woman's Auxiliary.  
President: Mrs. A. D. Edwards.  
Vice-President: Mrs. Wm. Irby.



Secretary: Mrs. Rutledge Daugette.  
Treasurer: Mrs. C. W. Daugette.  
Educational Secretary: Miss Fannie Warlick.  
Supply Department: Mrs. M. A. Stevenson.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Miss Ethel Randolph.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Henry Edwards, Jr.  
Chariman, Spirit of Missions: Miss Eloise Stevenson.  
Honorary Life President: Mrs. H. L. Stevenson.  
Number of Members: 27.  
Number of Communicants: 27.

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**Letohatchie, St. Elizabeth Mission**  
Part of Lowndes County Unit.

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**Lowndesboro, St. Paul's Mission**  
Part of Lowndes County Unit.

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**Lowndes County of Woman's Auxiliary**  
Rev. Justus Jones, Minter, Rector  
President: Mrs. A. B. Hall, Benton  
Vice-President: Mrs. C. M. Graves.  
Secretary: Mrs. C. Rahn, Hayneville.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. E. S. McCurdy, Lowndesboro.  
Supply Department: Mrs. W. C. Cochran, Lowndesboro.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Dorian Hall, Benton.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Pickett Robinson, Lowndesboro.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. H. C. deBardelaben, Lowndesboro.  
Number of Members: 12.

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**Marion, St. Wilfrid's**  
Dr. S. H. Livingston, Rector  
Name of Branch: St. Wilfrid's Guild.  
President: Mrs. J. Gilbert, Balfour St.  
Vice-President: Mrs. L. H. Baer.  
Secretary: Mrs. John Block.  
Treasurer: Mrs. E. D. Shivers, Sr.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. L. H. Baer.  
Supply Department: Miss Annie Smith.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. E. D. Shivers, Sr.  
Number of Members: 17.  
Number of Communicants: 34.

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**Magnolia Springs, St. Paul's**  
Rev. W. A. Thompson  
President: Mrs. T. R. Stratham.



Secretary: Mrs. F. Cole.  
Treasurer—Mrs. W. W. Harding.  
Supply: Mrs. Charles Lenoir.  
U. T. O.: Miss Grace Thomas.  
Number of Members: 14.

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#### **Mobile, All Saints**

Rev. Thomas R. Bridges, Rector  
Name of Branch: All Saints Church Program Unit.  
President: Mrs. L. C. Irvine, 1911 Old Shell Road.  
Vice-President: Mrs. Donald C. Ogden, 11 Cherokee.  
Secretary: Mrs. D. T. McCall, 1901 Government St.  
Treasurer: Mrs. H. R. Pate, 65 N. Monterey St.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. Ida Jolley, 1212 Government St.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Frank Spencer, 1456 Dauphin Way.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. Edwin Worley, 57 S. Catherine St.  
Number of Members: 20.

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#### **Mobile, Christ Church**

Rev. R. A. Kirchoffer, Rector  
Name of Branch: Woman's Auxiliary.  
President—Mrs. Joseph McPhillips, 115 St. Joseph St.  
Vice-President: Miss Virginia Thomas, 800 Government St.  
Secretary: Mrs. Steele Black, 75 Silverwood.  
Treasurer: Mrs. D. Perrin Bestor, 1666 Government St.  
U. T. O. Custodian: Mrs. Clarke Irvine, 55 S. Julia St.  
C. P. C. Secretary: Mrs. M. B. Slaughter, 1558 Monterey Place.  
Number of Members: 54.  
Number of Communicants: 240.

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#### **Business Woman's Branch**

Mrs. A. Bailey, 200 S. Georgia Ave.

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#### **Mobile, Good Shepherd**

Rev. Edmonds Bennett, Rector  
President: Mrs. Helen Petty, 1305 Basil St.  
Vice-President: Mrs. Annie Irby, Ann and Clay Streets.  
Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. Eliza Thompson, 504 Weinacker Ave.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Eliza Thompson, 504 Weinacker Ave.  
Number of Members: 10.

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#### **Mobile, St. John's**

Rev. G. C. Tucker, Rector  
Name of Branch: St. John's Auxiliary.  
President: (Life) Mrs. H. S. Austin, 104 N. Ann St.

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Vice-President: Mrs. Lulu Brown, 41 Fernway.  
Secretary: Mrs. Charles Peterson, 711 Savannah St.  
Treasurer: Mrs. M. Godard, 305 S. Washington Ave.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. G. C. Tucker, 207 South Dearborn St.  
Supply Department: Mrs. W. J. Barnett, 311 Chatham St.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. C. J. Johnson, 22 McPhillips Place.  
Business Woman's Branch  
Mrs. A. Bailey, 200 S. Georgia St.

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Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. John Murphy, 1959 Spring Hill Ave.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. Paul Tate, 110 S. Dearborn St.  
Number of Active Members: 25.  
Number of Communicants: 500.

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#### Mobile, Trinity

Rev. H. F. Schroeter, Rector

Name of Branch: Woman's Auxiliary.  
Life President: Mrs. Wm. Orton, 254 State St.  
President: Mrs. R. W. Goldsby, 452 Government St.  
Vice-President: Mrs. J. T. Burke, 255 Dexter Ave.  
Secretary: Mrs. A. A. Davidson, 156 Crenshaw St.  
Treasurer: Mrs. Wm. Orton, 254 State St.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. H. F. Schroeter, 105 Houston St.  
Supply Department: Mrs. Alex Hancock, 1316 Chamberlain Ave.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. E. S. Kiencke, 110 S. Cedar St.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Miss Ellen Friend, 157 St. Anthony.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. Walter DeMiller, 355 Monroe St.

Number of Members: 160.

Trinity Business Woman's Auxiliary

Miss Josie P. Savage, 409 First National Bank Building.

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#### Montevallo, St. Andrew's

No Rector

President: Mrs. Loraine Peter.  
Vice-President: Mrs. E. H. Wills.  
Secretary-Treasurer: Miss Annie Kemp.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Wills.  
Number of Members: 12.  
Number of Communicants: 15.

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#### Montgomery, Church of the Ascension

Rev. P. N. McDonald, Rector

Name of Branch: Woman's Auxiliary.  
President: Mrs. T. W. Smith, 116 Clanton Ave.



Vice-President: Mrs. W. B. Nelson, 534 Cloverdale Road.  
Secretary: Mrs. W. M. Ellingsworth, 311 Finley Ave.  
Treasurer: Mrs. Peerce N. McDonald, 20 Gilmer Ave.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. Algernon Blair, 215 Felder Ave.  
Supply Department: Mrs. E. E. Cobbs, Clitheral Ave.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. J. B. Hobdy, 211 Sayre St.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Hartwell Douglass, 1216 S. Perry St.  
Number of Members: 24.  
Number of Communicants: 165.

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**Montgomery, Good Shepherd**

Rev. C. W. Brooks in charge (Birmingham)

President: Mrs. J. V. Davenport, 307 Union St.  
Secretary: Mrs. Nan N. Taylor, 617 Alabama St.  
Treasurer: Mrs. M. H. Griffin, 808 S. Jackson St.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. J. V. Davenport.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Nan N. Taylor.

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**Montgomery, Holy Comforter**

Rev. E. M. Parkman, Rector

Name of Branch: League for Service.  
President: Mrs. E. M. Parkman, 96 Mobile St.  
Vice-President: Mrs. J. Brevard Jones, 419 Cloverdale Road.  
Secretary: Miss Bessie Thorington, 52 Goldthwaite St.  
Treasurer: Mrs. Archibald Douglas, 728 S. Lawrence St.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. J. B. Jones, 419 Cloverdale Road.  
Supply Department: Miss Bessie Thorington, 52 Goldthwaite St.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. F. C. Stevenson, 531 S. Perry St.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Oscar McDade, 269 Woodward Ave.  
Number of Members: 25.  
Number of Communicants: 50.

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**Montgomery, St. John's**

Rev. Richard Wilkinson, Rector

Name of Branch: St. John's Auxiliary.  
President: Mrs. C. C. Evans, 38 Clitheral Ave.  
Secretary: Mrs. J. C. Wood, 311 St. Charles Ave.  
Treasurer: Mrs. H. H. Keynton, McDonough St.  
Supply Department: Mrs. C. C. Evans, 38 Clitheral Ave.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Frank Hurley, 1000 Felder Ave.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Frank Thigpen, 18 South St.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. J. T. Darling, 205 Summit St.  
Number of Members: 69.  
Number of Communicants: 425.



Business Woman's Branch  
Miss Beulah Harrington, Montgomery Fair.

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Monroeville, St. John's  
Rev. E. V. Edwards, Rector (Atmore)  
Name of Branch: St. John's Auxiliary.  
President: Mrs. E. T. Clapp.  
Vice-President: Mrs. Doyle McCall.  
Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. J. D. Ratcliffe.  
Number of Members: 7.  
Number of Communicants: 12.

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Point Clear—Miss Sue King

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Robertsdale, St. John's Auxiliary  
Name of Branch: St. John's Auxiliary.  
President: Mrs. G. W. Wiley.  
First Vice-President: Mrs. C. F. Taylor.  
Second Vice-President: Mrs. Thomas A. Banning.  
Secretary: Mrs. O. E. Anderson.  
Treasurer: Miss E. M. Swift.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. F. M. Howard.  
Supply Department: Mrs. C. W. Clark, Mrs. Wm. Northcott.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. A. H. Chadwick.  
Number of Members: 16.  
Number of Communicants: 20.

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Scottsboro, St. Luke's Mission  
Rev. Cary Gamble, Rector (Huntsville)  
Name of Branch: Woman's Auxiliary.  
President: Mrs. J. A. Robinson, Scottsboro.  
Vice-President: Mrs. Virginia Brown.  
Secretary: Mrs. A. D. Kirby.  
Treasurer: Mrs. John Snodgrass.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. John Snodgrass.  
Number of Members: 15.  
Number of Communicants: 20.

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Selma, St. Paul's  
Rev. E. W. Gamble, Rector  
Name of Branch: St. Paul's Auxiliary.  
President: Mrs. W. J. Reynolds, 613 Alabama St.  
Vice-President: Mrs. J. A. Fuller, 518 Lamar Ave.  
Secretary: Mrs. J. N. Furniss, 602 Lauderdale St.  
Treasurer: Mrs. Henry Frauelick, 226 Franklin St.



Educational Secretary: Mrs. Harry Smith, 510 Tremont St.  
Supply Department: Mrs. Ernest Lamar, 327 Church St.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Seawell Jones, 707 Selma St.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Miss Mabry, 629 Fremont St.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. E. H. York, 47 Lamar Ave.  
Number of Members: 30.

Business Woman's Branch  
Miss Frances Hamilton, 602 Selma, Ave., Selma.

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**Sheffield, Grace Church**

Rev. J. C. Alleyn

Sheffield: Grace Church.

President: Mrs. J. A. Wilson.

Vice-President: Mrs. Jno. P. Long.

Educational Secretary: Miss Elsie Crosby.

Custodian, U. T. O. and Secretary, C. P. C.: Miss Mary Carson  
Hopkins.

Number of Members: 18.

Number of Communicants: 38.

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**Spring Hill, St. Paul's**

Rev. J. Hodge Alves, Rector

Name of Branch: St. Paul's Auxiliary.

President: Mrs. N. E. Stallworth, Spring Hill, Ala.

Vice-President: Mrs. E. H. Bixler.

Secretary: Mrs. A. C. Tonsneire.

Treasurer: Miss Frances T. Bond.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Miss Mabel Field.

Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. A. M. Jones.

Number of Members: 24.

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**Sylacauga: St. Andrew's**

Rev. J. H. Harvey, Rector

Name of Branch: St. Andrew's Auxiliary.

President: Mrs. J. E. Jordan.

Vice-President: Mrs. J. M. Rainey.

Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. C. N. Richards.

Educational Secretary: Mrs. H. L. Castleman.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Miss Barrett.

Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. H. L. Castleman.

Number of Members: 6.

Number of Communicants: 8.

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**Talladega, St. Peter's**

Rev. J. H. Harvey, Rector

Name of Branch: Nellie Johnson Auxiliary.



President: Mrs. L. C. Groce, South St.  
Vice-President: Miss Lillie Bingham.  
Secretary: Mrs. Brewer Dixon.  
Treasurer: Mrs. Brewer Dixon.  
Educational Secretary: Miss Lillie Bingham.  
Supply Department: Mrs. Dolly Wagnon.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Chambers.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. A. W. Gay.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. Groce.  
Number of Members: 27.  
Number of Communicants: 38.

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**Toulminville, St. Mark's Mission**

Mrs. Toulmin Gaines, Via Mobile, R. F. D., Toulminville, Ala.

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**Troy, St. Mark's**  
Rev. T. G. Mundy

President: Mrs. T. G. Mundy.  
Vice-President: Mrs. R. H. Capers.  
Secretary: Mrs. W. H. Minchener.  
Treasurer: Mrs. T. V. Ballard.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. R. H. Capers.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. T. V. Ballard.  
Number of Members: 15.  
Number of Communicants: 23.

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**Tuscaloosa, Chirst Church**

Rev. T. H. Evans, Rector

Name of Branch: Ellen Peter-Bryce Auxiliary.  
President: Mrs. Charles H. Blacklock, 312 17th Ave.  
Vice-President: Mrs. Battle Searcy, 1806 Broad St.  
Secretary: Mrs. William Persons, University.  
Treasurer: Mrs. John D. McQueen, 1810 Fourth St.  
Educational Secretary: Mrs. W. F. Fitts, Dearing Place.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Penick, 2006 Broad St.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Alston Fitts.  
Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Miss Mazie Hogan, Searcy Apt.  
Number of Members: 35.  
Number of Communicants: 175.

**"B" Branch**

President: Mrs. D. S. Lancaster, 34 Audubon St.  
Vice-President: Mrs. M. T. Jemison, 8 Audubon St.  
Secretary: Mrs. C. M. Maxwell, The Highlands.  
Treasurer: Mrs. Maxwell Moody, Druid Drive.  
Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Carl Elebash, Broad St.  
Correspondent, C. P. C.: Mrs. Frank Fitts, Pinehurst.



**Tuscumbia, St. John's**

No Rector

Name of Branch: St. John's Auxiliary.

President: Mrs. Harry L. Bruce.

Vice-President: Mrs. Owen Julian.

Secretary: Miss Bessie Pride.

Treasurer: Mrs. Tom Carson.

Educational Secretary: Miss Bessie Pride.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. Callie Aydelette.

Number of Members: 9.

Number of Communicants: 20.

**Tuskegee, Advent**

Rev. Wm. B. Lee, Rector

Name of Branch: Jennie M. Howard, Auxiliary.

President: Mrs. R. H. Powell.

Vice-President: Mrs. E. C. Meredith, Jr.

Secretary: Mrs. D. M. McMillan.

Treasurer: Mrs. J. H. Drakeford.

Educational Secretary: Mrs. W. B. Hurst.

Supply Department: Mrs. W. B. Hurst.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. C. M. Forman.

Chairman, Spirit of Missions: Mrs. E. W. Thompson.

Number of Members: 7.

Number of Communicants: 11.

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**Uniontown, Church of the Holy Cross**

Rev. J. W. Heyes, Rector

President: Mrs. J. F. Glass.

Vice-President: Mrs. W. H. Tayloe.

Secretary-Treasurer: Mrs. G. D. Stollenwerck.

**Union Springs: Trinity Mission**

Rev. G. T. Mundy, Rector (Troy)

Name of Branch: Trinity Auxiliary.

President: Mrs. B. L. Perry.

Vice-President: Mrs. T. J. Dean.

Secretary: Mrs. B. L. Perry.

Treasurer: Miss Annie Hobdy.

Custodian, U. T. O.: Mrs. T. J. Dean.

Number of Members: 7.

Number of Communicants: 8.

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Mrs. J. K. Legare.

\* *Tuskegee Institute Col. Branch*  
*Rev. Wm B. Lee. Rector.*

✓ *Pres. Mrs. R. R. Taylor.*  
*" Sec. " A. D. Simington Veterans Hospital*  
*Tuskegee Institute*



**West Blocton**

Rev. C. Henckell

President: Mrs. L. E. Peacock.

Secretary: Miss Elizabeth York.

Treasurer: Miss Maud Douthitt.

U. T. O. Custodian: Mrs. J. S. Tucker, Moffat, Ala.

**Whistler, St. Paul's**

Rev. J. Hodge Alves, Rector (Spring Hill)

Name of Branch: St. Paul's Guild.

President: Miss Lula A. Peterson.

Secretary: Miss Jeanette Peterson.

Treasurer: Mrs. Annie Rane.

Educational Secretary: Miss L. A. Peterson.

Custodian. U. T. O.: Mrs. Annie Rane.

Number of Members: 15.

Number of Communicants: 20.

**Woodward**

Mrs. D. E. Wilson.

**ORGANIZED BUSINESS WOMEN UNITS IN THE  
DIOCESE OF ALABAMA**

Anniston, Grace: Miss Hettye Goldsworthy, 1520 Leighton Ave.

Bessemer, Trinity "B" Branch: Mrs. Helen Davis, 1707 4th Ave.

Birmingham, Advent: Miss Louise Chenoweth, care Board of Education, 2015 7th Ave. No.

Birmingham, St. Mary's: Miss Elsie McIntire, First Nat. Bank.

Birmingham, St. Andrew's: Mrs. Mary C. Bevans, 1601 14th Ave. So.

Ensley, St. John's: Mrs. Mary M. Davis, care Old Miner School, 1916 Pike Ave., Ensley.

Greensboro: President, Mrs. R. A. Longworthy.

Decatur, St. John's: Mrs. Peter M. Dennis, 212 Gordon Drive, W. Decatur, Ala.

Montgomery, St. John's: Miss Beulah Harrington, care Montgomery Fair.

Selma, St. Paul's: Miss Frances Hamilton, 602 Selma Ave.

Mobile, Christ Church: Mrs. A. Baily, 200 So. Georgia Ave.

Mobile, Trinity: Miss Josie P. Savage, 409 First Nat. Bank Bldg.



**MINUTES OF FORTY-THIRD ANNUAL CONVENTION  
WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF THE PROTESTANT  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH, DIOCESE OF  
ALABAMA**

Anniston, Ala., Nov. 3-6, 1931.

The Forty-third Annual Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church, Alabama Branch, was called to order at 4:00 o'clock, Tuesday afternoon, November 3, in the Parish House of Grace Church, Anniston, by Mrs. Albert F. Wilson, of St. John's, Montgomery, the President of the Alabama Branch. The Reverend Mr. Stoney, Rector of Grace Church, offered brief prayers for God's blessing on the Auxiliary. The President's Foreword of greeting struck the key-note of the meeting to follow. Welcome to the hospitable city of Anniston was voiced by Mrs. R. H. Stickney in the name of Grace Church and by Mrs. R. C. Young in the name of St. Michael and All Angels'. Mrs. Charles Blacklock of Christ Church, Anniston, in response spoke of the joy that all Church visitors felt in coming to Anniston where the spirit of the Church was manifested in its beautiful Church buildings, where we might feel the gentle influence of the beloved former President, Mrs. McMillian, and where there was such a beautiful natural setting for the work of the Church. The Reverend Mr. Stoney, Rector of Grace Church, Mrs. McMillian, the beloved Second President of the Auxiliary, and Miss Grace Lindley, our distinguished guest, the Executive Secretary of the National Board of the Woman's Auxiliary, were presented to the Auxiliary, who was received by the Auxiliary standing. Then there were also presented, Miss Augusta Martin, of the House of Happiness, Mrs. Beckwith, and members of the Executive Board.

Greetings to the Woman's Auxiliary were read from Mrs. Elsie M. Barnett, Diocesan Secretary of the Daughters of the King.

The President announced the following Convention Committees:



Credentials: Miss Louise Freeland and Miss Annie Hobdy.

Time and Place of 1932 Annual Meeting: Mrs. W. B. Edmundson, Miss Louise Blacklock, Mrs. A. A. Couric, Mrs. Kathleen Little.

Courtesy Resolution: Mrs. A. J. Selden, Mrs. Rutledge, Mrs. William Fitts.

Resolutions: Miss Maud Kimball, Mrs. Charles Blacklock.

Findings: Mrs. S. F. Toomer, Mrs. H. F. Schroeter, Mrs. Cary Gamble.

The report of the Scholarship Beneficiary for the Sewanee Summer Training School, Mrs. J. C. Long, was read. The beautiful report was received and ordered filed.

The report of the Scholarship Beneficiary for the Madison Rural Conference was given by Miss Augusta Martin, who spoke appreciatively of the inspiration and sense of fellowship that had come to her through attendance on the conference.

Mrs. Totten and Mrs. Brevard Jones who had attended the Sewanee Training School, when called on by the Chair, spoke of the joys and benefits of Sewanee.

Mrs. A. L. Nourse, one of the delegates to the Triennial at Denver gave briefly some of her impressions of that great gathering.

Mrs. C. M. Beckwith, another delegate to the Triennial, who had been especially appointed to represent Miss Annie Hobdy, Alabama Custodian of the United Thank Offering at the Triennial, was then called on for her report. Preceding her report she paid a most gracious and poetic tribute to Miss Lindley, our distinguished guest. Mrs. Beckwith's report of the Presentation of the United Thank Offering was vivid and rich in suggestion.

Following her report, the Auxiliary adjourned its business session for the day.

#### **November 3rd, 8:00 P. M.**

The Auxiliary attended Evening Prayer at Grace Church, the Reverend Mr. Stoney, Reverend Mr. Jenkins, and the Reverend Mr. Evans being in the chancel. The



Rev. Mr. Evans preached on the Great Commission. He gave a most spiritual and inspiring message, calling on all Christians, to go not only into all geographical parts of the world, but into every department of life,—business, society, education, home life, and public affairs, to make the kingdoms of the world the Kingdom of God.

#### November 4, Wednesday

At 9:00 A. M., Wednesday morning the Auxiliary opened its day with the annual Corporate Communion in Grace Church. Bishop McDowell was the celebrant, assisted by Reverend Mr. Stoney, Reverend Mr. Jenkins and Reverend Mr. Heyes. The beloved Bishop of the Diocese at this time in sermon of the morning presented his annual charge to Woman's Auxiliary. Taking as his text, "Lay not up for yourselves treasures on earth where moth and rust doth corrupt and thieves break through and steal, but lay up for yourselves treasures in Heaven where neither moth nor rust doth corrupt nor thieves break through and steal,"—he pointed out that we had found that banks to be valuable must circulate treasure rather than hoarding it. He spoke of the great treasure that followers of Christ possessed to meet every emergency of life. He charged the Woman's Auxiliary to be sub-treasuries of the Lord, circulating through parish, community, and Diocese that heavenly treasure which is ours. Particularly he urged that members and branches of the Woman's Auxiliary should put into circulation, the gold of courage because of our sure Faith; the silver coin of understanding based on study; the small change of immediate help for immediate needs. The names of members of the Woman's Auxiliary, who during the year had been called from their earthly labors was, according to custom, read at this service and the roll bearing their names was laid on the altar with prayers of commemoration.

At 11:00 A. M., the Diocesan Branch met for business in the Parish House of Grace Church, the President, Mrs. Albert Wilson, presiding. The meeting opened with the hymn, "Fling Out the Banner," and the Auxiliary Prayer. The minutes of the previous day were read and ap-



proved. The presence of Bishop McDowell was noted by the President who requested that he should give additional advice to the Auxiliary. He spoke of the unique character of the age in which we were living and spoke of certain peculiar opportunities which might be used by the Woman's Auxiliary at this time, such as,

1. Enlisting other women. When suggestion of retreat in arms is made, the Auxiliary members to make a counter suggestion of increased effort, because of the peculiar need of the time.

2. Demonstration by the method of life of the Auxiliary Woman that the Church has what the world needs; that the Church furnishes a larger atmosphere than the secular world.

3. That in view of the great needs of the Diocesan Missionary work and of the Church Home, which will need \$3,000.00 added to its budget to cover the deficit due to decreased income from local and Diocesan sources, the Woman's Auxiliary should take more seriously our individual responsibility to sacrifice and encourage others to make sacrifices to support this work.

4. Opportunity to accept leadership in the Educational Program preliminary to the Teaching Mission on the Great Commission and in the visitation that should be a part of it.

5. Assisting in the proposed United Program for the Observance of Lent.

The Bishop was asked whether it was his wish that the Woman's Auxiliary should continue effort for the Advance Work. He expressed himself as desiring that the Auxiliary should continue its work though the Diocese as a whole was not committed to the whole program of Advance Work which they had been asked to accept.

On motion of Mrs. J. B. Jones, the Auxiliary expressed its acceptance of the program outlined by the Bishop and a loyal endeavor to follow his leadership.

The Credential Committee reported as follows:

Present November 4th:

Delegates .....	37
Visitors .....	20
Clergy .....	6



Messages of greeting were read from Mrs. A. R. Smith, Treasurer, who was unavoidably absent, and from Mrs. Paul Tait, of Mobile.

The hour of 12:00 having arrived, the Reverend Mr. Harvey offered the Noon-day Prayers.

The President's Address was then given, the Vice-President, Miss Kimball, presiding. At the conclusion of her address, it was moved, seconded and voted that this address be accepted with a vote of thanks and that it be placed on file. (Report A.)

Miss Kimball, as Vice-President, was called on for her report as chairman of the special committee of Convocational Chairmen on the new plan for entertaining the annual meeting. Miss Kimball offered her report with the recommendation that it be adopted. Mrs. Erle Pettus seconded this recommendation. Discussion followed in which Mrs. Cary Gamble, Mrs. Pettus, and Mr. Heyes took part. The recommendation was unanimously adopted and was ordered filed. (Report B.)

Recess was then taken for luncheon.

1:00 P. M. A delicious luncheon was served in the Parish House of Grace Church by the Woman's Auxiliary of St. Michael and All Angels. The room was made beautiful with a glowing wealth of autumn leaves, with roses and chrysanthemums and there was a radiant sense of gracious hospitality that will be long remembered. A joyous feature of the luncheon was having with the Auxiliary, Mrs. S. T. McMillian, our beloved President from 1904-1906. As a token of the appreciation of her work for the Auxiliary in its formative years and of her continued interest in it, the Executive Board presented her with a little house plant, the spokesman being Mrs. J. B. Jones. Mrs. McMillian responded in a charming speech of acceptance wishing for the Auxiliary that it would go on from Strength to Strength.

2:00 P. M. The afternoon session was called to order in the Parish House of Grace Church at 2:00 P. M. The Vice-President, Miss Kimball, reported as Chairman of the Memorial Gifts. She spoke first of the presentation of the memorial gifts of 1930 at the Centennial Convention of the Diocese in Mobile in January, when the Bish-



op had accepted the gift with the Memorial Roll calling this fund the initial gift of the Centennial Endowment. She then tendered her report for this year showing that a total of \$71.00 had been sent her as memorials this year. She recommended that this year's gifts be added to the Endowment Fund. Mrs. Schroeter seconded the motion. There was discussion in which Mrs. Gamble and Mrs. Blacklock participated. The recommendation was unanimously adopted. The report was accepted and filed. (Report C.)

The report of the Recording Secretary and Editor was given by Mrs. Brevard Jones. On motion of Miss Kimball the reports were accepted with a vote of thanks. (Report D.)

The report of the United Thank Offering Custodian, Miss Annie Hobdy, was read, accepted, and ordered filed. This excellent report showed that the Alabama Branch had given this Triennium in Blue Boxes, \$14,376.68. Miss Hobdy made the motion: That Mr. Franklin's suggestion that U. T. O. be forwarded every six months to New York to be invested by Mr. Franklin and that certificates of the amount together with the interest be presented by the Diocesan Custodian at the time of the Triennial United Thank Offering, be accepted by the Alabama Branch. The motion was seconded by Mrs. Totten. Discussion followed in which Miss Kimball, Mrs. Edmundson, Mrs. Beckwith and other took part. Miss Kimball offered an amendment to the motion that action on this motion be postponed until the next annual meeting, and that the Convocational Conferences should discuss this question at their spring meetings. The motion to postpone consideration was unanimously voted. The report of the U. T. O. Custodian was accepted and filed. (Report F.)

The report of Mrs. Carl Lay, Box Supply Secretary, was read, accepted with thanks and ordered filed. (Report G.)

A memorable feature of the afternoon session was the address of Mrs. Bland Mitchell of Church of St. Mary's Birmingham, on her Impressions of the Triennial. Her theme was the Findings. She not only gave in a clear, incisive and analytical way the substance of the five ad-



dressess presented to the Woman's Auxiliary in Denver, but in each case followed these addresses by the Findings (abbreviated) which had been arrived at in Denver.

At this time, the Auxiliary were privileged to hear two of Annison's musicians, Mrs. J. J. Willett and Mrs. Dean Dunwoody sing, "The King of Love".

Miss Ella Charls, another delegate to the Triennial, reported the phases of the Triennial as related to Christian Social Service.

Miss Charls, as Chairman for Christian Social Service for the Diocesan Auxiliary, reported on the work proposed for new Department of Social Service, of the Social conditions existing in the state of which the Church people were unaware. Her plan of work as she outlined it included a questionnaire to be worked out by a small group during this winter, this questionnaire to be the basis of work to be done later by a small group in each parish. In the meanwhile the small local groups were to keep busy with immediate relief and the employment of leisure time. The theme that Miss Charls suggested for the Questionnaire was the Social problem lying behind Illiteracy. The plan as outlined was accepted by a unanimous vote. Miss Kimball moved the appointment of the Committee requested by Miss Charls. This motion was seconded by Miss Blackwell and was unanimously adopted.

Miss Martin read her report of the House of Happiness with its interesting chronicles of the helpful hands held out to boys and girls and men and women in the Happiness Community through the agency of our Church. Especially notable among the events recorded was the opening of the Arts and Crafts work under the direction of Miss Nettie Barnwell and the institution of the Faith Fund under the custody of Mrs. Cary Gamble to help finance the work. (Report I.) The report of the Woman's Auxiliary Treasurer for the House of Happiness, Miss Bessie Bouchelle, was read, accepted, and ordered filed. (Report J.) The question of the Christmas Tree Gifts for the House of Happiness was discussed in relation to the smaller sums coming in from the branches to meet our regular pledge to Miss Martin. The question



was referred to the Committee on Resolutions to bring in a recommendation later.

The next report was that of Mrs. Macy. In Mrs. Macy's absence, it was read by the Secretary, was accepted and ordered filed. On motion of Mrs. Gamble, it was voted that a letter of appreciation and sympathy be sent to Mrs. Macy. (Report K.)

The Auxiliary then adjourned to meet for a business session at 9:00 on Thursday morning.

#### **Wednesday Evening, November 4th**

The Auxiliary attended Evening Service at the beautiful and historic Church of St. Michael and All Angels at 7:30. The Reverend Mr. Freeland, Rector, officiated. After the lesson, Miss Grace Lindley, Executive Secretary of the National Board of the Woman's Auxiliary, made the address of the evening. Her subject was the New Plans and New Purposes of the Woman's Auxiliary. Using as her theme a text from the last chapter of Revelations, "Behold, I make all things new" she showed how the Holy Spirit was the source through which the world sad, weary, and tumultuous today might be made new or renewed. She pointed out that Christ could make all things new only through persons—the persons being his followers, and we as followers are therefore especially concerned in this new life. From the Denver convention and its experiences, she showed how the Woman's Auxiliary was to use new ways of thinking. Yesterday's solution does not always apply to today's problem; so we must take time to think through today's problem. Such thinking was done in Denver after the five main addresses were presented. For the Auxiliary women who could not attend the Triennial these addresses and the findings based on them may be procured from the Church Missions House, and are valuable as containing the plans made at Denver, but these plans can become ours only as we think through them and act on them. She spoke of the "new praying" or the new spiritual discovery that many people believe will be a leading characteristic of the age stretching before us. If so these discoveries must be made by individuals, adventuring in the realm of prayer. She illustrated her address



by telling some of the heroic and self sacrificing ways that Christians she had known in other lands were meeting the challenge of the Christian faith.

Following the Evening Service, the Auxiliary withdrew to the Parish House of St. Michael and All Angels to enjoy a pageant, "The Spirit of the United Thank Offering," directed by Mrs. E. G. Roberts. In its beauty and simplicity, the pageant told most delightfully the story of the United Thank Offering from the time that a church woman receives her blue box to the time on the mission field that the gifts placed in it result in telling the Gospel story, giving medical attention, education, or some other essential to a group of God's children who have not had the opportunity to learn of his love. The characters were all well chosen and well presented and the setting was most effective.

#### Thursday, November 5th

At 9:00 o'clock in the morning, Mrs. Albert Wilson called the Auxiliary Meeting to order for the business session of the last day of the Annual meeting. The minutes were read and approved. The President spoke a few words of commendation of the report of the Triennial made by Mrs. Bland Mitchell the previous day and recommended that the Triennial Findings which she had reported be made a basis of much study and thought during the Triennium.

The report of the Church Missions of Help, Mrs. Tutwiler, Chairman, in her absence, was read by Mrs. Woodson. The report was received and ordered filed. (Report M.)

The report of the Chairman of the Isolated, Mrs. E. L. James, who was unavoidably absent, was read by the Secretary, received, and ordered filed. (Report N.)

The Auxiliary were then privileged to hear an address by Mrs. William Marsh, Dean of Rural Women for the Diocese of Tennessee. She spoke first of her impressions of the Triennial as affecting the Rural Work of the Church. She then gave enlightening views of the methods used in Tennessee to stimulate the Rural Church. Four chief objectives were enumerated: Strengthening the work of the Archdeacon and four ru-



ral clergy; Finding the Isolated; Observance of Rural Life Sunday; and Circulation of the Spirit of Missions and other Church literature among the isolated.

At the close of Mrs. Marsh's very instructive and inspiring address, the President expressed the thanks and great appreciation felt by the Auxiliary for these fruitful suggestions from Mrs. Marsh.

Deaconess Whitford's report as head of the Church Home was read by the Secretary. It was received and filed. (Report O.)

The following reports were read, and ordered filed.

The report of the Bishop Wilmer Scholarship Fund. (Report H.)

The report of the Custodian of the Advance Work Fund. (Report L.)

The report of the Educational Secretary. (Report P.)

Mrs. Marsh was again called on for a brief address, this time her theme being the work of the Auxiliary in Tennessee in promoting the Teaching Mission on the Great Commission.

Greetings were presented from Mrs. D. E. Wilson, former President who was not able to attend the meeting.

It was moved by Miss Kimball that other reports of officers or chairmen who were not present, should be filed, without reading. It was so voted.

Reports of the Convocations were called for.

Mrs. Edmundson, Chairman of the Huntsville Convocation, reported organization of two branches, St. Timothy, Athens, and Business Women, Decatur. She also offered an invitation for the Auxiliary to meet in 1932 at St. John's Church, Decatur. She presented a resolution that a fund should be set aside to pay the expenses of the President to the convocational meetings so that all might have the advantage of her inspirational presence at these meetings. The invitation for the 1932 meeting was seconded by Mrs. Dennis. The invitation was accepted by a unanimous vote.

The resolution concerning the President's travel expenses to Convocational meetings was moved by Mrs. Edmundson, seconded by Mrs. Poland. Discussion followed in which Miss Kimball, Mrs. Schroeter and others



took part. On motion of Mrs. Jones, seconded by Miss Kimball, this matter was referred to the Finance Committee.

The Committee on Changes to be made in the Constitution, Miss Kimball, Chairman, was then called on for a report. The report was read, and discussed. The report was received and ordered filed, the changes suggested however, being merely proposed and not to be voted on at this meeting, but in 1932. (Report V.)

The report of the Church Periodical Club was read by the Secretary, the C. P. C. Correspondent, Mrs. Crenshaw, being absent. An interesting discussion of the work was brought out by the fact that the Secretary called attention to the greater number of books and magazines reported by branches on their branch questionnaires than had been reported to the Church Periodical Club Correspondent. (Report U.)

At 12:00 o'clock, Noon-day Prayers for Missions were offered by Reverend Mr. Heyes.

Unfinished business was then called for. Question was asked by the Chair what should be done with the Corporate Communion Offering of the preceding day. Mrs. Baldwin suggested that it be given to the Church Home. Miss Kimball suggested that it should be given to the Faith Fund of the House of Happiness. Miss Martin was asked how much remained of the Faith Fund. She reported \$81.25 as being still in the fund. The preference for giving this to the Church Home was determined by a rising vote of fourteen to ten in favor of the Church Home.

Mrs. Pettus, Chairman of the Birmingham Convocation, was called on for a report. She offered the suggestion originating with Mrs. Ebaugh that a library for the Auxiliary consisting of books, pageants, etcetera, which had been used by the Auxiliary be assembled and be made available for all branches, a list of such material to be furnished to all branches. She spoke of the very delightful day that the Birmingham Convocation had spent last Spring in Homewood. She also announced the new branch formed at Alpine.

The report of the Findings Committee was made by



the chairman, Mrs. S. L. Toomer. The report was received and filed. (Report W.)

The Auxiliary stood in recognition of appreciation of Miss Lindley's inspirational presence with us and of the value to us of her service with the National Board. The very helpful suggestions of our Tennessee visitor, Mrs. Marsh, were also recognized with a standing vote of thanks.

Miss Kimball called attention to the fact that Mrs. Marsh had brought to the Auxiliary in Alabama the greetings of our representative on the National Board, Mrs. Wheeler, and moved that we send to Mrs. Wheeler through Mrs. Marsh, our cordial and appreciative greetings.

The report of the Courtesy Committee was read by Mrs. Selden, Chairman, was received and by unanimous vote the resolutions of thanks were adopted and were ordered filed. The business meeting of the Auxiliary was then declared adjourned. (Report X.)

After the completion of business, the Auxiliary retired to the Church to take part in a Meditation led by Miss Lindley. With this note of earnest re-dedication to the joyous fellowship of labor for Christ and His Kingdom, the Auxiliary adjourned its forty-third annual meeting.

#### PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE (REPORT A)

##### Greeting—First Day of Annual Meeting

Dear Fellow Workers:

When Bishop Lloyd was introduced at the Triennial, at the time of the Missionary Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, Miss Matthews, the presiding officer, said, "All of our Bishops are our Fathers in God, but Bishop Lloyd alone has the distinction of being our God-Father. When as Chairman of the Board of Missions in 1871 he called us into being as an Auxiliary to the Mission of the Church and again in 1919 as Auxiliary to the whole program of the Church, he confirmed us in every Department of Service." Bishop Lloyd said in reply, "The Woman's Auxiliary has most nearly kept the Church for the things it was intended." With this conception of the work of the Woman's Auxiliary in mind, as plans for this meeting developed, it has been a matter of re-



joining to feel that officers, chairmen, parish branches have all united to meet the challenge of the times, and that in the midst of confusion, disturbances, and change we have, with some measure of success, continued our aims for the spreading of Christ's Kingdom on earth. So with profound gratitude to God, for His manifold blessing I greet you and welcome you to the Forty-third Annual meeting, proudly proclaiming for you that in this year of our Lord, nineteen and thirty-one the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Alabama has gone forward to know Christ, and to make Him known and from my heart arises that ancient prayer,—

“Lord, temper with Tranquility  
Our manifold activities  
That we may do our work for Thee  
With very great simplicity.”

and I also pray that the Abiding Spirit may guide us here in convention assembled into fuller knowledge and greater vision to do His will. Bishop Lloyd also said that the problems of the Church arise from doing things wrong; so may we search out through this meeting those things we ought both to perceive and know, and have grace and power faithfully to perform the same and may we return to our homes reconsecrated, refreshed, and enriched, and stimulated to larger purpose, and greater fellowship,—in His dear name who suffered all for us.

#### BUSINESS ADDRESS—SECOND DAY

Yesterday, I bade you welcome to the Forty-third Annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary. I repeat that greeting today, especially to those who have arrived since our formal opening.

For the fourth time I have this great privilege, and I thank you for all you have contributed in cheer and encouragement to make the joy of this service.

Yesterday we congratulated ourselves on our well doing, and gave thanks for our opportunities of service. Today, as we review the year's work and hear reports of officers and you become conscious of our deficiencies you may feel the attitude of yesterday inopportune and dangerous,—for we cannot deny our failures in meeting our quotas and our financial objectives. I quite agree with the gloomy Dean Inge when he said in his inimitable way, “I do not want you to confound reasoned hopefulness with optimism. An optimist is a barometer stuck at ‘Fair’, whatever the weather may be,” and he adds, “For the man or woman who says, ‘I am always an optimist’ is a very inviting kind of fool.” We do not want to be foolish in either claiming we have done our best or in ceasing to strive more and more to accomplish our



aim, "To know Christ and to make Him known to all nations and all peoples."

But I am daring in the face of nearly \$1500.00 shrinkage in comparison with other years to bid you to "reasoned hopefulness," for in the opposite column to our failures we may place four new branches, an increased membership and a very evident increasing interest in missionary and adult education, and I hope and believe that this has been attended by a more devotional spirit attested by reports of more frequent corporate communion, quiet days, and quiet hours. These things cannot be measured nor counted, but I hope you will agree with me they justify a reasoned hopefulness for our future. Let us "awake" and stretch every nerve and press with vigor" on to draw and share with others our glorious privileges.

To review my year's work.

Since our last annual meeting in Tuscaloosa, in addition to attending three of our five Spring Conferences, in Selma, Huntsville, and Tuskegee, I have attended, with much profit, as your representative, the provincial meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary in November, held at the time of the Provincial Synod in Jackson, Miss.; the 100th Anniversary Council of the Church in Alabama, held in January, in Mobile; the Alabama Interracial Commission which met in Birmingham in March; an Interdenomination Interracial meeting held under the Presbyterian Woman's Auxiliary of Women's Synod of Tuscaloosa in April; in May, the Rural Conference of Diocese of Alabama in Carlowville; the Adult Summer School and Conference at Sewanee in August; the Y. P. S. L. Camp at Battles' Wharf in June and their Annual Convention at Grandview, Montgomery, in October; and last but not least the Fiftieth General Convention of the Church and the Triennial Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary in Denver, in September.

From this have been evolved suggestions for our work which I now offer you in connection with the Triennium 1931-1934 only now unfolding before us. The chief findings of the Provincial Meeting in Jackson were on the Advance Work, Rural Work, and Inter-racial Betterment. Dioceses were asked to accept their Advance Work Projects and Auxiliaries were asked to assist them; but when the Diocese failed, Auxiliaries were asked to supplement them and, if possible, assume the responsibility of the Advance Work Projects. We have been able to make but little impression upon the \$10,000.00 needed for our Advance Work Project though we did try to assist our Diocese, and a small quota has been placed upon our Auxiliary Goal again this year. The advice given in Jackson was to advance, but to advance upon our knees. The advance work is one of our problems and I ask you,



how shall we solve it? In **Rural Work** we need a scholarship for sending both clergy and women workers to the Rural Conferences and schools of Madison and Vanderbilt. We should have better representation at the Regional Rural Conference to be held in Vicksburg this year. We must have Diocesan delegates at our provincial meeting at Kanuga, N. C., next summer. I ask you to provide for this.

The suggestion for **Inter-racial** work from Presbyterian Synod is that we join with social service workers of other denominations to assist in establishing in negro communities, well-conducted Bible classes with white teachers and a community project to employ care-takers for pre-school age and primary Negro children while their mothers are employed in service in our homes, that we encourage special negro clinics to suppress and control diseases which are increasingly dominant in our negro population; that we learn to spell Negro with a capital N and that we avoid any substitute for that word; that in courts and schools we use our influence to give them mercy and justice and in all ways give them as a race an opportunity to develop their highest capability. I ask you to cooperate with these plans in your separate communities. It will be the joint work of Presbyterians, Methodist and Baptists and Episcopalians and presents another opportunity for Christian unity.

At the Council in January, we gave the remainder of our Corporate Gift to the Diocese to be used for the Advance Work Project. We gave our Memorial Fund to the Endowment Fund of the Diocese. In accepting this gift, the Bishop spoke of it as the Initial Gift of the Centennial Fund of the Diocese. It will be your privilege to decide at this meeting on the disposition of the Memorial Fund of this year. I hesitate to make a recommendation. The crying needs of the Church Home and the necessity for providing more adequately for our little children may bring a suggestion to you for the better endowment of the Home and a more dependable provision for the children. It has been my desire to see established scholarships for the use of boys and girls coming out of the Home at tender and unprotected ages and needing further guidance and care and education to render them useful citizens. There are certain dates that I hope may become fixed in your minds and prayers for this Triennium. I ask you to plan for the World Day of Prayer, the first Friday of Lent, and for Rural Sunday, the fifth Sunday ~~in Lent~~. Again, we are asked to emphasize the Good Friday offering for use in Jerusalem, Syria, and Armenia. Talk to your rector about it. Remember also the Church Periodical Sunday, May first. No suggestions from the Triennial meeting in Denver are more poignant

*after Easter*



or fraught with greater import than Christian Education for parenthood. This question belongs in our homes, our schools, and undoubtedly is a function of our Church; so it should be a part of our new program, to be encouraged, practiced, and perfected. The Woman's Auxiliary out of a rich experience as daughters, mothers, and grand-mothers should have much to offer and should quietly assume their part of the responsibility.

Another suggestion for immediate action is to make our Church and ourselves useful in turning the idleness of unemployment into the employment of leisure; to help make profitable use of otherwise idle hours by providing cultural or manual training classes or other occupational work as may seem desirable and establishing them in our parish houses; by finding leaders and teachers and the necessary environment for the development of this idea. The idea being not to increase the resources of the unemployed, but to give spiritual tone to our communities and fellowship to the lonely and down-cast by the creative use of unemployed time.

One last suggestion of importance came with emphasis from the Triennial. It is that we should renew our efforts to draw the younger women into our work, not merely as members, but as leaders in "Their Father's Business." To give them big work to do and to make their membership such as will bring forth their largest effort and create a sense of their importance to the Church and value to us as our leaders in this new age. I offer these as suggestions to the Findings Committee with the following resolutions for the Constitution.

That all officers of the Woman's Auxiliary should be progressively elective except Committee Chairmen, these to remain appointive.

That all delegates to conventions and meetings be elected.

That Constitution be re-stated to meet changes already made.

Much has been said of these troublous times. Commissioner Wickersham spoke feelingly of "this period of our discontent" and Lord Bishop Furst of St. Albans' closing words in his magnificent opening address at the General Convention, said, "Christ is still the only hope for a broken, distracted, and dis-illusioned world." It was in a time of equal confusion in Apostolic days when, amidst internal commotion and unmoral developments, St. Paul wrote the Epistle to the Corinthians reproaching, directing, and sorrowing over their short-comings and their sins of omission and commission. In the midst of these, he stopped short and wrote that literary gem, the thirteenth chapter, a spiritual gem, a spiritual beacon, and upheld those blessed stars of Hope, Faith, and Love to lighten and emblazon their tangled pathway. The symbolism is of equal value to us today. Let us take them as shining lights



to lead us to new consecration, new inspiration, new strength to carry out the challenge of building a Christian Nation.

A little girl who dreaded a surgical treatment was told by her physician to watch a silver coin and tell him when he finished what she saw in it. To his surprise, she kept her eyes on the coin and did not protest or flinch. On questioning she said with gravity, "I saw what was on the money and I knew you did too." Puzzled, he asked again what she saw and she answered with a winsome smile, "Why all around the circle it says, 'In God We Trust.'"

So may we steadfastly take courage and, with the trust that proclaims us co-workers and laborers together with Christ, our Savior, may we use the power granted to His followers that we shall indeed help to make the Kingdoms of this world the Kingdoms of our Savior!

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PLAN FOR CONVOCATIONAL ENTERTAINMENT (REPORT B)

As there was some discussion on the meaning of "rotation" at the time of the adoption of the motion inaugurating the above, the committee first passed upon that.

The term "rotation" in the motion shall be construed to mean in alphabetical order.

##### Plan for Operation in Group Entertainment

The presidents of the several branches and guilds in the Convocation and the Convocational Chairman, shall constitute an Executive Board.

From this Board the following chairmen shall be selected:

General Chairman, to be the president of the branch whose church houses the Convention.

Chairman of Hospitality.

Chairman of Finance.

Chairman of Publicity.

Chairman of Transportation or Automobiles.

Chairman of Entertainment.

The chairmen of Finance and Publicity shall be Presidents not residing in the Convention city.

The chairman of Finance shall have for a committee a member from each branch or guild in the Convocation. All expenses of the meeting shall be handled by her or by a treasurer appointed by her.

The chairman of Hospitality will be expected to secure hostesses from the various cities and towns in the Convocation, who-



will entertain delegates at the local hotel of the Convention city as well as securing local hostesses.

The chairman of Publicity shall use the entire press of the Convocation as a means of presenting the program of the Convention to the public, both before and at the time of meeting.

The following plan is suggested for financing the entertainment of the Convention.

The Executive Board shall approximate the expense attending the entertaining of the Annual Convention, by budgeting the:

Cost of luncheons (probable number attending can be secured from registration of former meetings, in the year book.)

Cost of printing, stationery, badges, etc.

Cost of entertainment, i. e., refreshments served, etc.

The amount so decided upon shall be secured by a donation from each branch or guild in the Convocation, either upon a per capita basis, or by stated sums designated as from each small branch or from each large branch.

The securing of these finances is to be in the hands of the chairman of Finance and her committee.

It is hoped that the plan of group entertainment will enable some of the smaller branches in the smaller towns to feel that they may entertain the Annual Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary and obtain the inspiration given by so doing.

It is finally suggested by this committee that any branch from a large parish in a large city, who wishes to entertain the Annual Convention independently, shall be allowed to do so, but that such entertainment shall be credited to the Convocation in which that city is located.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. ERLE PETTUS,

Chairman Birmingham Convocation.

MRS. W. B. EDMUNDSON,

Chairman Huntsville Convocation.

MRS. J. PLATT ROBERTS,

Chairman Mobile Convocation.

MRS. E. C. MEREDITH,

Chairman Montgomery Convocation.

MRS. W. H. TAYLOE,

Chairman Selma Convocation.

MISS MAUD E. KIMBALL,

Chairman Committee.



# REPORT OF CHAIRMAN OF MEMORIAL GIFTS (REPORT C)

After the annual meeting in October, 1930, many gifts for the Memorial Fund were presented as follows:

From Mrs. Carl Lay.....	\$ 3.00
Memory Mary E. Avery, Greensboro.	
Memory of Augusta Hobson Tunstall, St. Paul's, Greensboro .....	5.00
From her daughters.	
From St. John's Auxiliary, Montgomery.....	2.00
Memory unnamed women of the Auxiliary.	
From Mrs. Rohnsire, Lowndes County.....	1.00
Memory Mrs. C. D. Whitman.	
From Woman's Auxiliary, St. Paul's, Selma.....	1.00
Memory their departed members.	
From Mrs. J. B. Jones.....	5.00
Memory of Carrie Williamson, Holy Comforter, Montgomery.	
From Mrs. Lucy C. Rudolph.....	2.50
Memory of her niece, Carrie Williamson, Holy Comforter, Montgomery.	
From Miss Lucharles C. Wilson.....	2.50
Memory of her cousin, Carrie Williamson, Holy Comforter, Montgomery.	
From Church of Our Savior, West Blocton.....	5.00
Memory of members passed on.	
From Miss Virginia E. Thomas.....	5.00
Memory of her mother, Mrs. J. G. Thomas, Christ Church, Mobile.	
From Church of the Holy Comforter, Gadsden.....	50.00
GIFTS AS FOLLOWS:	
Mrs. H. J. Savage.....	5.00
Memory Mrs. Elizabeth Savage Pressley.	
Mrs. J. O. Powell.....	2.50
Memory Colonel and Mrs. Geo. N. Tharin.	
Mrs. F. A. Cobbs.....	5.00
Memory Mr. F. A. Cobbs.	
Mrs. John T. Cathey.....	10.00
Memory Mrs. C. E. Coleman.	
Mrs. Addie C. Alexander.	
Frank Lee Cathey, Jr.	
Mrs. T. S. Kyle.....	5.00
Memory Mrs. Susan Murphy.	
Conrad Kyle.	
Mrs. E. T. Schuler.....	10.00



Memory Harrison Eustace Schuler.	
John Hamilton Schuler.	
Mrs. W. S. Dill .....	1.00
Memory William Summers Dill.	
Woman's Auxiliary, Holy Comforter, Gadsden .....	7.00
Memory Mr. and Mrs. Bond.	
Mrs. Jennie Goldman.	
Mrs. Horace Dunlap.	
Mrs. Myrtle Davis.	
Mrs. Van Horn.	
Mrs. Rich.	
Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Alexander.	
Mrs. C. C. Denio.	
From Mrs. Carl Lay .....	5.00
Memory Mrs. Sarah Forney Caldwell.	
Carl Lay, Jr.	
From Mrs. D. E. Wilson .....	10.00
Memory of her cousin, Mrs. Frank Stollenwerck, St. John's, Montgomery.	
Mrs. Olean McReynolds .....	1.00
Memory of her aunt, Miss Ernestine Hogan.	
This sum of \$93.00 was added to the \$189.33 reported in October at Tuscaloosa, and made the sum of \$282.33 the gift to the Endowment Fund from the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese.	
The names in memoriam were written upon a hand decorated parchment scroll and tied with a ribbon of Auxiliary purple.	
This roll and the check were presented to Bishop McDowell for the Endowment Fund on January 16, 1931, in Christ Church, Mobile, at the Centennial Council meeting.	
In accepting the gift the Bishop announced it as the first gift to the Endowment Fund. He accepted the Memorial Roll with an appropriate word, and later held a short prayer service before the altar, holding the roll and giving thanks for the labor and example of those whose names were inscribed thereon.	
The gifts since January are:	
From Mrs. James Nich Vaughan, Montgomery .....	\$ 1.00
Memory of Frank H. Beaufort, Trinity, Mobile.	
From Mrs. Owen's Circle, Trinity Church, Mobile .....	10.00
Memory of Mrs. Emily Farrar.	
From Miss Marie Upton .....	5.00
Memory of her father, Rev. G. R. Upton, St. Thomas' Church, Greenville, and her mother Isabelle S. Upton, St. Thomas' Greenville.	
From Mrs. A. T. Kendrick, Jr. ....	10.00



Memory of her father and mother, Rev. G. R. Upton and Isabella S. Upton, of St. Thomas, Greenville.	
From Mrs. G. A. Crenshaw.....	10.00
Memory of her father and mother, Rev. G. R. Upton and Isabella S. Upton.	
From Miss Bessie Bouchelle.....	10.00
Memory of her mother, Mrs. Sarah Gould Bouchelle 72 years member of St. Mark's Church, Boligee.	
From Miss Ezrene Bouchelle.....	10.00
Memory of her mother, Mrs. Sarah Gould Bouchelle.	
From St. Mark's Auxiliary, Boligee.....	8.30
Memory of Mrs. Delia Thornton Gould.	
Mrs. Chotard Gould Perry.	
Mrs. Sarah Gould Bouchelle.	
Mr. Guy P. Brugh.	
From Woman's Auxiliary, Trinity, Florence .....	2.75
Memory of members departed.	

Demopolis Woman's Auxiliary, members on roll last year 4.25

The total gifts from January are \$71.30. Of this amount \$25.00 came designated for the Endowment Fund of the Diocese. The chairman is happy the Auxiliary Board chose to donate the entire sum given in loving memory to this fund, founded for the extension of the church in Alabama.

Respectfully submitted,

MAUD E. KIMBALL,

Chairman Memorial Gifts.

#### RECORDING SECRETARY (REPORT D1)

As Recording Secretary, it is my pleasure to serve the Woman's Auxiliary in making record of their action in Convention, in Board Meetings, and in summarizing the service of the individual branches. Herewith, I submit the tabulated summary of the accomplishments of the Branches as submitted in June. Figures are not the strong point of your Secretary, but because of the realization of the consecrated effort back of the reports submitted by the Branches, it has been a real privilege to study these reports and and to make as accurate as possible a compilation of the results. The full tabulated statement has been prepared for the annual report which will be found as usual in the published record, but here is submitted the brief summary:

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE M. DIMMICK JONES,

Recording Secretary.

Mrs. J. B. Jones.



**FINANCIAL SUMMARY FROM BRANCH REPORTS  
WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE NATIONAL COUNCIL,  
DIOCESE OF ALABAMA (REPORT D2)**

**SUMMARY OF BRANCH REPORTS**

July 1930 to July 1931

Number branches listed .....	82
Number reporting (By gift, letter, or communication) .....	75
Branches not reporting .....	7
Branches filling questionnaires .....	56
Members enrolled—estimated .....	2200
Isolated members .....	22
Total membership .....	2222

**ACTIVITIES REPORTED**

Branch meetings .....	901
Aggregate average attendance .....	675
Program meetings .....	437
Bible class sessions (in seven branches) .....	274
Mission class sessions (in 29 branches) .....	248
Book shelves and reading chains .....	4
Subscribers to Spirit of Missions (25 branches) .....	148
Subscriptions to other religious papers .....	117
Quiet days and hours .....	20
Corporate Communion .....	114
Attending convocational meetings .....	240
Attending other religious conferences or training schools .....	45
Young People sent to camp or conference .....	1
Observing Prayer Partnership Plan .....	21
Magazines regularly sent C. P. C. ....	271
Miscellaneous books and papers sent (C. P. C.) .....	11240

**FINANCIAL STATEMENT**

Gifts Reported by Branches and Officers

To Parishes .....	\$ 7,890.67
To Communities .....	6,914.38
To Diocese—	
Church Home (money) .....	\$ 347.19
Church Home (box supply) .....	1,340.52
House of Happiness (money) .....	1,208.25
House of Happiness (boxes) .....	599.36
Bishop Wilmer Scholarship .....	188.55
Mrs. Macy's Indian Mission .....	349.88
Annalee Fitts Library .....	35.50
Seaman's Institute .....	360.22
Diocesan Dues .....	464.75
Bishop's Purse .....	46.60



Memorial Fund .....	146.36	
Mission to Blind or Deaf .....	60.00	
Miscellaneous to Diocese .....	53.75	
Total to Diocese .....	\$ 5,201.03	\$ 5,201.03
To Nation—		
Box Supply .....	\$ 695.05	
Provincial Education .....	7.00	
Miscellaneous to Nation .....	141.70	
Total to Nation .....	\$ 843.75	\$ 843.75
To World—		
Quota for Mr. Morris (Japan) .....	\$ 1,125.12	
United Thank Offering .....	5,028.76	
Church Periodical Club .....	58.68	
Advance Work .....	611.73	
Total to World .....	\$ 7,000.19	\$ 7,000.19
Grand Total .....		\$ 27,858.45
Old line auxiliary work, Diocese, Nation, and World .....		\$ 13,044.97
COMPARISON FOR PAST THREE YEARS		
1929	1930	1931
\$14,681.92	\$14,804.39	\$13,044.97
Compiled by Recording Secretary		

#### TREASURER'S REPORT (REPORT E)

July 1st, 1931

Balance forward in Current Account .....	\$ 246.47
Balance forward in Savings Account Rectory Monte- vallo .....	170.36
Balance forward Rest House for Clergymen .....	5.50
Balance forward Work for Blind .....	4.85
Balance forward Annalee Fitts Memorial Library .....	35.50
Balance forward Bishop's Purse .....	71.60
	\$ 534.28

#### RECEIPTS

Religious Education .....	\$ 2.00
Rev. Kenneth Morris, Salary .....	1,125.12
Diocesan Dues .....	464.75
Annalee Fitts Memorial Library .....	399.31
Bishop's Purse .....	46.60
Bishop Wilmer Scholarship Fund .....	20.50



Corporate Gift .....	23.50	
Provincial Gift .....	7.00	
Work for Blind .....	5.00	
Advance Work .....	35.00	
Mrs. Macy's Fund .....	15.00	
Interest on Savings Account .....	3.96	
Endowment Fund .....	5.00	\$ 2,152.74
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		\$ 2,687.02

#### DISBURSEMENTS

Mr. Morris' Salary .....	\$1,124.12
Seminary Book Store for Bishop Wilmer's Training School .....	13.50
Bishop McDowell, Bishop's Purse .....	76.60
Mrs. Loaring Clark, Work for Blind .....	7.85
Miss Maud Kimball, Endowment Fund .....	5.00
Miss Elsie McIntyre, Bishop Wilmer's Schol- arship Fund .....	20.50
Mrs. Battle Searcey, Corporate Gift .....	23.50
Mrs. Battle Searcey, Advance Work .....	35.00
Mrs. R. C. Macey, for her work .....	15.00
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	\$1,321.07

#### EXPENSES

Wilson Printing Co. ....	\$ 75.62	
Mrs. J. B. Jones, Montgomery .....	1.48	
Mrs. C. H. Beale, Montgomery .....	1.50	
Mrs. Maude Kimball, Endowment Fund .....	5.00	
Miss Aimee Reed, Provincial Dues .....	25.00	
Miss Grace Lindley, Traveling expense to Council .....	25.00	
The Paragon Press, envelopes .....	14.00	
Miss Annie Hobdy, U. T. O. Custodian .....	5.00	
Miss Annie Hobdy, U. T. O. Custodian .....	5.00	
The Paragon Press, stationery .....	10.00	
Miss Augusta Martin, House of Happiness .....	50.00	
Mrs. Brevard Jones, envelopes .....	2.50	
The Paragon Press, Printing Minutes of 42nd Meeting .....	150.35	
Miss Alice Gregg, Sewanee Conference Fd. ....	5.00	
Miss Alma S. Hammond, Woman's Schol- arship .....	7.50	
Postage for Officers .....	7.50	
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	\$ 390.45	\$ 1,711.52



		\$ 975.50
Balance forward in Savings Acct. ....	\$ 174.32	
Annalee Fitts Memorial Library .....	421.31	
Religious Education .....	2.00	
Bishop's Purse .....	41.60	
Work for Blind .....	2.00	
Rest House for Clergymen .....	5.50	
Rev. Kenneth Morris .....	1.00	
Provincial Gift .....	7.00	654.73
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		\$ 320.77

State of Alabama, County of Marengo:

I, Mrs. A. R. Smith, Treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Alabama, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

MRS. A. R. SMITH,

Treasurer.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 12th day of October, 1931.

DORA M. LAIRD,

Notary Public.

#### TREASURER'S SUPPLEMENTAL REPORT

October 10th, 1931

Amount in Bank .....	\$ 975.50	
Greensboro, "B" Branch, Add 1930-31 .....	5.00	
Mobile, St. Mark's, Add 1930-31 .....	2.00	
Uniontown, Holy Cross, Add 1930-31 .....	5.00	
Tuscumbia, St. John's Guild .....	2.50	\$ 990.00

Annalee Fitts Memorial Library:

Montgomery, St. John's .....	\$ 1.50	
Amount reported .....	421.31	422.81

Rev. Kenneth Morris:

League of the Isolated .....	\$ 10.00	
Montgomery, St. John's .....	50.00	
Amount reported .....	1.00	61.00

Religious Education:

Montgomery, St. John's .....	\$ 1.00	
Amount reported .....	2.00	3.00

Work for the Blind:

Uniontown, Holy Cross .....	\$ 2.00	
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Amount reported .....	2.00	4.00
Seamen's Institute:		
Uniontown, Holy Cross .....		5.00
Provincial Gift:		
Amount reported .....		7.00
Rest House for Clergymen:		
Amount reported .....		5.50
Advance Work:		
Sheffield, Grace Church.....		10.00
Bishop's Purse:		
Amount reported .....		41.60
Total in these funds.....		\$ 559.91
Total in Bank for General Expense .....		\$ 430.09
Remittances between July 1st and October 10th, 1931:		
Mrs. J. C. Long, Sewanee Scholarship (General Expense) .....	\$ 45.00	
Bishop's Purse, Bishop McDowell.....	41.60	
Rev. J. M. Stoney, K. Morris.....	52.00	
Aimee Reed, Provincial Gift .....	7.00	
Aimee Reed, Religious Education .....	3.00	
Aimee Reed, General Expense .....	40.00	
Mrs. Ida H. Jolly, Chairman of Com.....	20.48	
Postage .....	1.00	
		\$ 210.08

**UNITED THANK OFFERING REPORT FOR FALL, 1931  
(REPORT F)**

Andalusia—St. Mary .....	\$ 5.00
Anniston—Grace .....	
Anniston—St. Michael .....	25.63
Athens—St. Timothy .....	10.00
Auburn—Holy Innocents .....	20.25
Bay Minette—Immanuel Mission .....	2.00
Besemer—Trinity "A" .....	25.51
Bessemer—B. Branch .....	5.53
Birmingham—Advent .....	114.50
Birmingham—Homewood .....	17.01



Birmingham—St. Andrews .....	39.69
Birmingham—East Lake .....	4.25
Birmingham—Grace, Woodlawn .....	
Birmingham—St. Marks .....	6.00
Birmingham—St. Marys .....	146.70
Birmingham—Trinity, West End .....	9.25
Boligee—St. Marks .....	131.70
Bon Secour—St. Peters .....	6.30
Carbon Hill .....	1.50
Camden—St. Marys .....	
Carlowville—St. Pauls .....	64.16
Clayton—Grace .....	3.00
Daphne—St. Pauls .....	5.20
Demopolis—Trinity .....	43.38
Decatur—St. Johns .....	14.38
Dothan—Nativity .....	
Ensley—St. Johns .....	15.58
Eufaula—St. James .....	10.55
Eutaw—St. Stephens .....	31.00
Evergreen—St. Marys .....	
Fairfield—Christ Church .....	4.35
Faunsdale—St. Michael .....	8.75
Florence—Trinity .....	35.30
Gadsden—Holy Comforter "A" .....	40.40
Gadsden—Jennie Golden .....	
Greenville—St. Thomas .....	29.27
Greensboro—Mary Avery Branch .....	24.75
Greensboro—St. Pauls "B" .....	9.25
Guntersville—Epiphany .....	1.21
Huntsville—Nativity .....	40.10
Irvington—St. Pauls .....	
Isolated .....	4.00
Jacksonville—St. Luke .....	8.50
Magnolia Springs .....	.51
Marion—St. Wilfred .....	5.90
Mobile—All Saints .....	
Mobile—Christ Church .....	81.00
Mobile—Good Shepherd .....	1.37
Mobile—St. John's .....	32.00
Mobile—Oakdale, Grace .....	6.55
Mobile—Trinity .....	34.00
Montevallo—St. Andrews .....	
Montgomery—Ascension .....	23.00
Montgomery—Holy Comforter .....	16.35
Montgomery—Good Shepherd .....	5.00



Montgomery—St. Johns .....	32.14
Opelika—Emanuel .....	
Robertsdale—St. Johns .....	13.26
Scottsboro—St. Lukes .....	11.25
Selma—St. Pauls .....	66.66
Sheffield .....	6.74
Spring Hill—St. Pauls .....	31.22
Sylacauga—St. Andrews .....	1.88
Talladega—Nellie Johnson Branch .....	21.00
Prattville—Emanuel .....	
Tuscaloosa—Ellen Peter-Bryce .....	50.00
Tuscaloosa—"B" Branch .....	43.50
Tuscumbia—St. Johns .....	16.05
Toulminville—St. Marks .....	32.50
Troy St. Marks .....	28.55
Tuskegee—Advent .....	11.37
Union Springs—Trinity .....	11.23
Union Town—Holy Comforter .....	33.85
West Blocton—Church of Our Saviour .....	9.79
Whistler .....	
Lowndes County Unit .....	29.00
Interest .....	100.01

\$ 1,719.63

Brought forward, July 1, 1931.....\$ 12,657.05

Fall Offering, 1931 ..... 1,719.63

Triennial Offering, 1931 .....\$ 14,376.68

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE HOBDY, Custodian.

# REPORT OF BOX SUPPLY WORK FOR 1930-1931 (REPORT G)

Two personal boxes sent by three branches .....	\$ 425.50
Two Christmas gifts .....	10.00
39 boxes sent to St. Peters in the Mountain, Calloway, Virginia .....	473.02
Total of 43 boxes .....	\$ 908.52

Eleven branches not heard from.

## Comparison

1927-1928.

2 personal, 2 Christmas boxes.

51 boxes to mission in Virginia.



55 boxes valued at \$1,336.98.  
5 Auxiliaries did not report.

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1928-1929.

2 personal, 2 Christmas boxes.  
43 boxes to mission in Virginia.

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47 boxes at \$1,431.39.  
15 Branches did not report.

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1929-1930.

2 personal boxes and 2 Christmas boxes.  
38 boxes to missions in Minnesota.  
43 boxes valued at \$918.67.  
9 Branches did not report.

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1930-1931.

2 personal, 2 Christmas boxes.  
39 boxes to missions in Virginia.

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43 boxes at \$908.52.  
11 Branches did not report.

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1931-1932.

64 allotments sent out.

MRS. CARL LAY, Chairman,  
1136 Chestnut St., Gadsden, Ala.

### REPORT OF W. A. TREASURER FOR THE HOUSE OF HAPPINESS FUND (REPORT I)

From October 27, 1930—October 27, 1931

Forty-five Branches of the Auxiliary have contributed to the House of Happiness Fund during the past year. The receipts have been good until the last few months. Since July, our receipts have been growing smaller each month. As our bank account at this time amounts to only \$40.61, we shall be unable to meet our full pledge to Miss Martin on November 1st.

I wish to urge all of the Branches that have made a pledge to the House of Happiness Fund to send their payments just as soon as they are due so that we can meet our pledge to Miss Martin the first of each month.

The funds received and disbursed by me from October 27, 1930, to October 27, 1931, are as follows:



Balance on hand as reported October 27, 1930.....	\$	155.88
Total receipts to October 27, 1931.....		1,109.73
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Total.....	\$	1,265.61
Disbursements by checks to Miss Martin.....		1,225.00
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Total balance .....	\$	40.61

Respectfully submitted,  
**BESSIE BOUCHELLE,**  
W. A. Treasurer for the House of Happiness.

**STATEMENT BISHOP WILMER SCHOLARSHIP FUND  
(REPORT H)**

As of August 28, 1931

**RECEIPTS**

Cash on deposit with Trust Department The First National Bank of Birmingham, as of October 6, 1930....	\$	136.79
Received to date by donations.....		188.55
Received to date in interest of investments .....		437.85
Proceeds of investments which have been liquidated...		850.00
Rents on Sandy Gear property.....		45.25
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	\$	1,658.44

**DISBURSEMENTS**

Paid to The First National Bank of Birmingham fee as agent for year ended Jan. 31, 1931.....	\$	44.16
Investments added to account since last statement .....		676.30
Income distributed .....		300.00
Expenses in connection with Sandy Gear property.....		21.58
Cash on deposit with Trust Department, The First National Bank at Birmingham as at August 28, 1931....		616.40
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	\$	1,658.44

**Recapitulation of Assets of Bishop Wilmer Scholarship Fund  
As of August 28, 1931**

Installments held by The First National Bank of Birmingham as Trustee, per schedule on file with Custodian .....	\$	7,726.30
Real Estate formerly securing Sandy Gear \$500.00 loan, acquired by foreclosure, deed dated June 2, 1930.....		500.00
Cash on hand August 28, 1931.....		616.40
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Total value of Trust.....	\$	8,842.70

ELSIE McD. McINTYRE,  
Custodian.



# SCHOLARSHIP REPORT (Continued)

## Donations Included in Report of August 28, 1931

Good Shepherd Mission, East Lake, Birmingham .....	\$ 5.00
Trinity Mission, West End, Birmingham .....	10.00
Church of the Ascension, Montgomery .....	5.00
St. John's Church, Ensley .....	5.00
St. Paul's Church, Carlowville .....	10.00
Trinity Parish, Florence .....	4.50
St. Mark's Church, Boligee .....	3.55
Eugenia Lyons Branch, Trinity Church, Demopolis .....	2.50
Trinity Church, Mobile .....	10.00
Grace Church, Anniston .....	15.00
St. Mary's Church, Birmingham .....	25.00
Church League for Service, Church of the Holy Com- forter, Montgomery .....	10.00
Church of the Holy Comforter, Gadsden .....	5.00
Church of the Nativity, Huntsville .....	10.00
Nellie Johnson Branch, St. Peter's Church, Talladega .....	10.00
St. Paul's Church, Spring Hill, Mobile .....	5.00
Christ Church, Mobile .....	10.00
Trinity Church, Union Springs .....	5.00
St. Paul's Church, Selma .....	12.50
St. Michael's and All Angels, Anniston .....	10.00
St. Luke's Church, Jacksonville .....	5.50
St. Paul's Church, Greensboro .....	5.00
St. John's Church, Montgomery .....	5.00

\$ 188.55

## REPORT OF ADVANCE WORK OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF THE DIOCESE OF ALABAMA (REPORT L)

### (Kenneth Morris Building Fund)

#### RECEIPTS

\$105.00 .....	Church of the Advent, Birmingham, Ala.
1.00 .....	St. Michael and All Angel's, Anniston, Ala.
50.00 .....	St. Mary's, Birmingham, Ala.
5.00 .....	All Saints, Homewood, Birmingham, Ala.
11.50 .....	Carlowville, Ala.
5.00 .....	Trinity Church, Demopolis, Ala.
10.00 .....	St. John's Church, Ensley, Ala.
32.75 .....	St. Stephen's Church, Eutaw, Ala.
2.00 .....	St. James' Mission, Fair Hope, Ala.
16.25 .....	Trinity Church, Florence, Ala.
44.00 .....	St. Paul's Church, Greensboro, Ala.
10.00 .....	Church of the Nativity, Huntsville, Ala.



19.38.....St. Luke's Church, Jacksonville, Ala.  
 9.00.....Lowndesboro Mission.  
 10.00.....All Saint's Church, Mobile, Ala.  
 30.00.....Christ's Church, Mobile, Ala.  
 5.00.....Trinity Church, Mobile, Ala.  
 100.00.....Church of the Ascension, Montgomery, Ala.  
 35.00.....Church of the Holy Comforter, Montgomery, Ala.  
 20.00.....St. John's Church, Montgomery, Ala.  
 10.00.....St. Paul's Church, Spring Hill, Ala.  
 1.85.....St. Andrew's Church, Sylacauga, Ala.  
 30.00.....Ellen Peter Bryce Branch, Christ Church, Tuscaloosa, Ala.  
 5.00.....St. Peter's Church, Talladega, Ala.  
 30.00....."B" Branch, Christ Church, Tuscaloosa, Ala.  
 7.00.....Trinity Mission, Union Springs, Ala.  
 5.00.....Mrs. D. E. Wilson.  
 1.00.....M. A. Lock.  
 2.00.....Misses Hogan.

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\$611.73.....TOTAL AMOUNT RECEIVED.

\$611.73.....TOTAL AMOUNT DISBURSED.

(Sent by New York Exchange to J. M. Stoney to be sent by him with the Bishop's permission to Kenneth Morris.)

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\$000.00.....CASH ON HAND.

In addition to this through other channels:

Mrs. E. A. Penick, Sr., gave.....	\$100.00
Mr. Evans .....	25.00
Mrs. W. F. Fitts, Sr. ....	145.00

MRS. BATTLE SEARCY,

August 21st, 1931.

Treasurer.

### REPORT OF HOUSE OF HAPPINESS (REPORT J)

October, 1930—October, 1931

Although the past twelve months has been considered a year of great depression, The House of Happiness has been prosperous, healthy and happy.

**Prosperous:** Because our maintenance fund from the Woman's Auxiliary has not been decreased, while salaries and incomes on every hand have been cut.

We did not rent the farm, but took one of our neighbor boys, who wanted to work with us to make some money to go to Berry school. In a short time he became tired of the regulated life, and the work.



One Sunday night after song service he left a note saying he would not return.

We were not surprised nor discouraged; with the help of the small boys, and what outside work we could obtain the farming went forward. In a few weeks another big boy, bigger than the one who left, came walking over the mountains. Not only the Alabama mountains but across Georgia down from South Carolina. He said, "I have heard of the House of Happiness, and would like to stay." This young man had worked his way one year at Clemson, but was unable to return. He expects to specialize in dairying at University of Wisconsin next year, where we will obtain a scholarship through our friend, Dr. Colbert.

We did not lose sight of our boy who quit the farm. Through the efforts of a friend he was placed in the Berry Schools, in September. One of the greatest conveniences and indications of prosperity is: our lights. Through the accumulation of undesigned gifts for a period of five years, the largest was from the congregation of Rev. Raymond de Ovies, we purchased a Kohler-Kahler plant. Our middle sized boy wired the dwelling and community houses and installed the plant. He is now taking Electrical Engineering at Auburn.

If we could obtain sewer pipe, with this engine, water could be put in the house, which would give comfort to all, and greatly facilitate the labor of the workers. In fact this is our next greatest need.

The community children come in droves Saturday afternoon to get a bath; to draw a sufficient amount of water and empty the tub for so many is a stupendous task.

After organizing our Woman's Arts and Crafts Club, the worker realized it would be impossible for her to carry on this phase of the work efficiently. A letter was written to Miss Boswell, offering to divide the one salary if she would come and take charge of this phase of the work.

Miss Barnwell came. The worker divided her salary the first month, in the meantime writing to friends to establish a fund, to be known as the Faith Fund. Our beloved President was the first to contribute. Mrs. Cary Gamble was appointed Custodian of this fund. Through her efforts and interest it is growing gradually.

**Healthy:** No serious illness has come nigh us or our dwelling. We had several cases of scarlet fever in the valley. It is most difficult to handle a contagion, as our people flock to the home where there is sickness, particularly if they think there is any possibility of a "setting up." Several clients have been brought to our temporary infirmary. The most recent case is that of a young



girl threatened with pneumonia, who was a protege of the House of Happiness the first year we lived on the church property in the shack. She was placed in the State Training School for Girls where she remained four years. When she returned, work was secured for her in the hosiery mill at Scottsboro. She has returned to work after her recovery.

**Happy.** We find our happiness in service.

Together with the home-making, housekeeping and all forms, types and phases of house work. We teach the public school to supplement our income. The worker taught the lay-by school. There were 94 children enrolled; 69 were in the primary department and 32 were beginners.

The House of Happiness furnishes most of the books and clothing for the school, and lunch for at least 22. Just last term we arranged for a school bus to take our High School pupils to Scottsboro.

In our social service work some of our duties are too numerous, sordid and shocking to relate. The worker, often in emergency cases, when a doctor cannot be obtained, performs many minor operations, using various instruments.

Sometimes it is necessary to take them into court on non-support charges. Often I ask for a suspended sentence on probation. It usually works. Sometimes I put them in and sometimes I take them out. Recently I visited the Pardon Board in the interest of two clients. I am most cautious in these cases.

Tuesdays and Fridays are our recreation nights. All the countryside gather to play games and sing songs. Sunday is one of our busiest days. We have two church schools, our Service League and Song Service. Twice each month we go into Scottsboro to services, making five on those days. We have had 12 baptized and 8 confirmed. One man who was confirmed recently, is taking a leading part in our Even Song Service, and is having a splendid influence in the community.

Although our number confirmed is small, comparatively speaking, the influence of the church is being felt far and near.

AUGUSTA MARTIN.

# HOUSE OF HAPPINESS ANNUAL REPORT TO THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

October 1, 1930 to October 1, 1931

October 1, 1930—

Balance on hand:

Running Expenses .....	\$	3.82
Cabin Building Fund .....		68.16
	\$	71.98



Receipts:

Running Expenses—	
W. A. Treasurer, checks.....	\$ 1,200.00
Donations, sales of timber, etc.....	185.88

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\$ 1,385.88

Cabin Building Fund—

Sale timber .....	\$ 10.20
Donations .....	25.00
Interest .....	.45

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\$ 35.65

Faith Fund—

Check from Running Expenses to Assistant's Salary .....	\$ 75.00
Augusta B. Martin (pers.).....	50.00
School Check (A. B. Martin).....	82.50
Donations, \$121.23; sales, \$40.70 .....	161.93

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\$ 369.43

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\$ 1,862.94

Disbursements:

Running Expenses—

October 1 to January 1, 1931.....	\$ 412.77
January 1, to April 1, 1931.....	283.97
April 1 to July 1.....	324.53
July 1 to October 1.....	362.06

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\$ 1,383.33

Cabin Building Fund—

Materials .....	89.25
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Faith Fund—

April 15 to October 1:	
Salary N. C. Barnwell.....	\$ 275.00
Cash for sundries .....	7.50

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\$ 282.50

Total disbursements .....	\$ 1,755.08
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Balances—

Running Expenses .....	\$ 6.37
Cabin Building Fund .....	14.56
Faith Fund .....	86.93



	\$	107.86
	\$	1,862.94
<b>Arts and Crafts Department House of Happiness, October 1, 1931</b>		
Receipts:		
Sales of hooked rugs .....	\$	18.00
Counterpanes .....		7.50
Pillow tops .....		12.60
Log cabins .....		.60
Turnip seed .....		.50
Lettering .....		.75
Apron .....		.75
	\$	40.70
Value articles on hand:		
Quilt .....	\$	7.50
Hooked rugs .....		21.00
Aprons .....		1.50
Tufted spreads .....		26.00
Patchwork pillows .....		3.25
Pieced pillows .....		9.00
Tufted pillows .....		3.00
	\$	71.25
Materials on hand, value .....		10.00
	\$	81.25
Total .....	\$	121.95
Disbursements:		
Material—crepe .....	\$	1.50
Bedspread material .....		8.17
For pillows and quilts .....		5.25
Dyes .....		.75
Cotton .....		1.00
Thread .....		.50
To workers for goods sold .....		25.50
	\$	42.67
Donated—		
Tags from Hosiery Mill, value .....	\$	5.00
Burlap sacks, value .....		2.00
Scraps, value .....		6.00
	\$	13.00



Total expense of material.....	\$	55.67
Profit .....		66.28
Total .....	\$	121.95

**REPORT OF MRS. R. C. MACY, U. T. O. WORKER (REPORT K)**  
**October 1, 1930 to October 1, 1931**

**RECEIPTS:**

Diocesan .....	\$	173.50	
Indian sale .....		13.85	
Church School offerings .....		20.34	
Outside of Diocese .....		602.00	
Payment of loan .....	30.00	\$	839.69

**EXPENDITURES**

October 1, 1930. Deficit.....	\$	80.30	
(Due Mrs. Macy)			
Sundries .....	765.32		845.62

Deficit—Due Mrs. Macy Oct. 1, 1931.....	\$	5.93
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The proceeds of Indian sale was from sale of garments both Diocesan and National.

Church School offerings were from Rural white and Indian schools. Rural white school has not been held since Dr. Macy's death.

Payment of loan was of a loan made previous to October 1, 1930, to a teacher who was preparing for one of the schools.

Expenditures, Sundries include Drugs, Medical and Surgical attention and equipment, provisions, special diet, church literature, stationery and stamps, telephone messages, telegrams, supplies and equipment for schools, sewing class and mothers' meetings supplies, out and indoor sports at schools, labor, school books, part of expense of changing headquarters following Dr. Macy's death, and emergency work, considerable of which is from funds outside the Diocese given for special and discretionary use.

Many boxes came from the National Supply Department and a goodly number from the Diocesan W. A., all of which were duly acknowledged.

MRS. R. C. MACY,  
Per Mrs. C. W. Clarke.

**REPORT OF THE CHURCH MISSION OF HELP (REPORT M)**  
**From November 1930 to November 1931**

The Alabama Branch of the Church Mission of Help, which was started in Birmingham in June, 1930, has grown steadily, as the



work of this Branch of the Church's service has become known in the community and Diocese. Although any type of social work is a slow process, and often discouraging, the Church Mission of Help feels that it has had a gratifying number of "successes" in the past year, among their girls.

The following are a few illustrations of the types of cases that come to the attention of the C. M. of H. and how they were worked out.

1. A fifteen year old girl, from a poverty-stricken home, where a widowed mother struggled to make ends meet, and where a paralytic son who had to be waited on hand and foot, took up most of her time. The mother's intense desire to see her daughter get an education, which the mother herself had been denied, in her childhood, and the mother's despair when the girl began to fail in her schoolwork, and show signs of delinquency; these were the highlights of a case, that came to the C. M. H. a few months ago. The mother was aided to better understand her modern daughter, and to deal with her problems more patiently and intelligently. The daughter was provided with clothing like the "other girls," and was encouraged to be more interested in her school work. The cooperation of her teachers was secured. Result, the daughter is making progress in school, and the signs of delinquency have disappeared.

2. An unmarried mother, desirous of keeping her baby, and in desperation because there was no economic plan whereby she could work and support herself and child, and because her family had turned against her, and refused to even visit her. The C. M. H. was able, after four months work, to reconcile the family, and with the families' help, a relative in another State came forward and offered mother and child a home with her; where the mother and baby are happy and safe at the present time.

3. Special training and a chance for rehabilitation for a blind girl secured through the efforts of the C. M. H.

4. A girl presenting serious behavior problems, and already showing signs of becoming a mental case, is now happy in a Boarding School, through the means of a generous scholarship; her behavior problems have gone, and, with treatment along the lines of mental hygiene (in which the help of a Psychiatrist was enlisted), she is making progress, in overcoming her unhealthy mental attitude.

And so we go. Each girl who comes to the Church Mission of Help presents a different problem, which must be studied, and met, with individual and patient treatment.

Briefly, from the statistical side of the C. M. H., from November 1930 to November 1931, the worker has made 68 talks before



Auxiliaries, clubs, classes and various groups, 2060 telephone calls, 898 letters, 812 office interviews, 1142 staff visits. There have been 42 new cases and an active case load each month, varying from 31 to 44 cases a month. Volunteers served 205 times, in giving motor service, volunteer case-work, help with clothing and various other services.

#### REPORT OF LEAGUE FOR ISOLATED CHURCH PEOPLE (REPORT N)

Your Chairman for the Isolated respectfully reports that she has sent out five hundred and three letters and twenty-two cards. Gifts from seventeen of the Isolated Church people of the Diocese have totaled \$152.60. From this amount the following gifts have been made:

Church Home .....	\$ 5.00
Clothing girl at Church Home.....	47.96
Cash to Miss Martin.....	19.50
Box to Miss Martin .....	10.14
Cash to Mrs. Macy.....	2.50
Gift to Blind .....	2.00
Reverend Kenneth Morris for salary.....	25.00
United Thank Offering .....	35.50
Community .....	4.00

\$152.50

MRS. E. L. JAMES,  
Chairman.

Lowndesboro, Ala.

#### REPORT OF HOME DEPARTMENT

June 15, 1930 to July 1, 1931

Cash on hand June 15, 1930 .....	\$ .12
Cash received from Rev. V. C. McMaster.....	25.00
Cash received from H. D. Offering .....	4.98
Cash received for Daily Bible Readings, .95; cash, .12 .....	1.07
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	\$31.17
Postage on 12 H. D. Quarterlies sent.....	\$ 3.60
Postage on 115 Leaflets.....	1.72½
Multigraphing letters .....	3.92
Paid Jacobs for 120 Quarterlies.....	14.40
Postage on letters, books, etc.....	6.78
Cash on hand July 1st, 1931.....	.74½
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Sent 120 Quarterlies.....	\$31.17
Sent 115 Leaflets.....	



## REPORT OF CHURCH HOME (REPORT O)

October 31, 1931

Dear Friends:

Once again I am having the privilege of sending to you my greetings and deep appreciation of the splendid things you have done for us at the Church Home. What would we do without your help and interest.

We are having a pretty hard struggle at the Home right now, but I am sure our Heavenly Father will take care of our needs. We are trying to care for His little neglected ones, so I am sure He will help us.

We have fifty-eight children now. All of them well and happy, except for a few colds.

Almost all of our older boys and girls have been sent to relatives or other homes found for them. This makes our behavior problem much better, because small children are much easier to control.

This year we had two graduate from Murphy High School. A boy and girl. They stood well in school and will be a credit to us in later years. This year we will have two girls to graduate. We have nine girls going to High School this term.

This year we have been fortunate in having Mr. Walter Alves to take charge of our boys. They have developed wonderfully under his care. Our boys have been somewhat of a problem to us, but now they are getting on fine.

We have three young ladies on the staff that are doing fine work with the children. Miss Mildred Sewell is the assistant in the small girls building. Miss Susan Alves and Miss Mary Redd have charge of the boys cottage. These young ladies are also taking classes in the Wilmer Training School.

Wish all of you could make us a visit some time.

Sister Mary sends her thanks for the coupons that she has received from the Auxiliaries. She has about 20,000 now.

Below is a brief report of things that have been sent to the Home since October, 1930. This does not include boxes sent by Auxiliaries that are clothing children, nor the checks sent by them for the child's shoes, etc.

### October 1930—October 1931

Number of Auxiliaries clothing a child .....	40
Boxes miscellaneous clothes, preserves, etc. ....	29
Checks received .....	\$215.50

Fruit Dispatch Co., Mobile, Ala., two bunches of bananas every week. These bananas are delivered to us every wee through the kindness of Mrs. Ruffin Wright and others who assist her.

Faithfully yours,

DEACONESS WHITFORD

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## REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY (REPORT P)

During the past year, according to the reports received, there has been no spiritual want among the members of the Woman's Auxiliary, who have enriched their own lives and that of others by religious education.

Religious education is the bringing of religious experience, such as faith, worship, effort and fellowship to bear upon the situation in daily life. We are engaged in religious education, when we teach the simple truths of the Bible to our neighbor.

In response to my request for educational reports, carefully prepared replies came promptly, showing a spirit of cooperation by branch officers. Study groups are reported with a number of subjects selected, in addition to the program of the National Council, which many branches have followed. The study of missions in our own field and in other lands resulted in widely distributed service for those in the field. Rectors' Bible classes, interparochial schools and leadership Training Schools have been held.

Use was made of speakers specially retained in various fields of mission work, and meetings of United Missionary Societies indicate a desire for unity and fellowship. Programs have been supplied to many branches, upon request. Study books with a spiritual message have been placed at the Y. W. C. A. for use by Girl Reserve leaders, and National Council publications on religious education have been distributed.

Conferences have been held with our Diocesan President, branch presidents, a chairman of education, a convocation, chairman, and invitations have been accepted to talk at Business Women's Clubs to discuss the work of the educational secretary.

During the year I have attended a Convocational meeting, an Executive Board meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary in this Diocese, a Religious Educational Conference of the Province of Seewanee, held in Seewanee before the opening of the Summer Training School, which I also attended. Our Program of Service was highly recommended by educational leaders of the Woman's Auxiliary in other Dioceses in this Province. For the coming year I wish to recommend for every branch a well balanced program of worship, study, service and gifts, which will keep the inner flame of spiritual life burning.

OCTAVIA NELSON LONG,  
Educational Secretary.

## PRAYER PARTNERSHIP PLAN (REPORT R)

I am submitting a report of the Prayer Partnership Plan from its beginning in Alabama to the present time—in these years I have served as chairman in this Diocese.



ALABAMA

Mrs C. T. Randall,  
2016 Quinlan Ave.,  
Birmingham, Ala.

North Carolina: - Mrs. Frances Worrall  
Shanghai - Miss Ruby J. Davis  
Alabama - Mrs. R. C. Macéy *Retired*

*Notified Dec. 31, 1931 Jan. 1, 1932*



Original document located in The Archives of the Episcopal Church.



The list of missionaries we have adopted is as follows:

Bishop and Mrs. Barnwell, Missionary Bishop of Idaho, Residence, Boise.

Mrs. Macy (Dr.), Indian work through U. T. O.; assisted by Mr. Macy, Bon Secour, Ala. Both deceased.

Miss Augusta Martin, House of Happiness, Scottsboro, Ala.

Rev. and Mrs. Kenneth Morris, Kyoto, Japan.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank Persons, La Gloria, Camegney, Cuba.

Rev. and Mrs. F. A. Taylor, Mayaguez, Porto Rico.

Bishop and Mrs. Eugene Cecil Seaman, Missionary Bishop, North Texas, 1516 Tyler St., Amarillo, Texas.

Mrs. (Deaconess) Dalton Whitford, Church Home, Route 1, Box 180, Crichton, Ala.

Mr. Arthur Verne Wiggins, St. John's Industrial School, Cape Mount, Liberia, W. Africa.

Miss Ruby Davis, St. Elizabeth's Hospital, 69 Lemond Road, Shanghai, China.

Mrs. Frances Morrall, St. Agnes Hospital, Raleigh, N. C.

Miss Margaret Roberts, Hankow, China.

Miss Caroline Duffield, Trained Nurse at St. Luke's Hospital, Manila, Philippines.

The churches that have adopted Prayer Partners are: The Advent; Business Girls Auxiliary, the Advent; St. Andrew's; St. Mary's; Business Women's Club, St. Mary's Church; East Lake Mission of the Good Shepherd; Woodlawn, Grace Church; Mrs. Simmons, Trinity W. End; Homewood, All Saints, Birmingham churches.

Bessemer, Trinity Church; Camden, St. Mary's; Atmore, Trinity Mission; Athens, St. Timothy's Mission; Demopolis, Trinity Church; Evergreen, St. Mary's Mission; Clayton, Grace Mission; Bon Secour, St. Peter's Mission; Fair Hope, St. James; Gadsden, Holy Comforter; Lowndesboro, St. Paul's Mission; Montgomery, St. John's; Mobile, St. John's; Tuscumbia, St. John's Mission; Troy, St. Mark's; West Blocton, Mission of Our Savior; Tullahoma, St. Mark's; Eufaula, St. James Mission; Mobile, All Saints; Jacksonville, St. Luke's; Spring Hill, St. Paul's; Talladega, St. Peter's; Guntersville, Epiphany Mission; Guntersville, Trinity Church; Anniston, St. Michael and All Angels; Carlowville, St. Paul's; Florence, Trinity; Greenville, St. Thomas; Tuscaloosa, B. Branch, Christ Church; Tuscaloosa, Ellen Peter-Bryce Branch, Christ Church; Tuskegee, Advent Mission; Greensboro, St. Paul's, Mary Avery Branch; Mobile, Good Shepherd; Auburn, Church of the Holy Innocents; Montgomery, Church of the Good Shepherd; Mobile, Mrs. R. G. Witte.



It is not the policy of the Prayer Partnership Plan to have a duplication of Partners; but, in many desire to reach as many churches as possible, I have allowed it. Also, as a part of the Auxiliary program, the "Plant" was intended for our women in the Mission Field, and we have included men, too.

As you will note from the list of names given above, these missionaries are, with possibly one or two exceptions, our very own, either by birth or service in the Diocese of Alabama. So, I hope we may be excused for not adhering to the letter of the Plan; if, any degree, we have grown in Spiritual Values.

We have on our Prayer Partnership list seventeen names; and more than forty churches and Branches, that have adopted one or more.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. C. T. RANDALL,

Chairman.

#### HUNTSVILLE CONVOCATION (REPORT Q1)

The annual meeting of the Huntsville Convocation of the Woman's Auxiliary was held in Trinity Parish, Florence, with the largest attendance of any meeting of the Convocation, one hundred and seventy-five present.

The Convocation opened with the Corporate Communion. Rev. Cary Gamble, Rector of Huntsville, was the celebrant, assisted by Rev. Peter M. Dennis, Rector of Decatur.

The business session was presided over by Mrs. W. B. Edmundson of Decatur, Convocation Chairman.

Many splendid addresses were heard, dealing with the vital problems facing the Auxiliary.

The Rev. V. C. McMaster, Rector of St. Andrews, Birmingham, gave a fine address on Religious Education.

Rev. Theodore Evans, Rector of Christ's Church, Tuscaloosa, in his address, made the individual realize that on each rested the future of our Auxiliary. He was followed by Prof. S. F. Hocking, who brought the Missionary enterprise in a very vivid way to the women of the Auxiliary.

A most delightful hour was spent at luncheon when the members of the Branches were given an opportunity to meet one another, in an informal gathering. The ladies of Trinity Parish did every thing possible to make this part a real "get together."

Two new Branches were reported, one at St. John's Decatur, and the other at St. Timothy's, Athens.

Mrs. Edmundson introduced Mrs. Albert F. Wilson, Diocesan President, and Mrs. Wilson brought a hopeful and encouraging message to the Convention.



The Chairman, Mrs. Edmundson, called upon the Rev. Mr. Dennis, Rector of St. John's Decatur, to say something about his Mission (St. Peter's) at Decatur. Mr. Dennis gave some very interesting incidents regarding the Mission and also said that the establishment of an auxiliary Library would in his opinion help the work of the Auxiliary and Missions. Mrs. L. A. Hobart, president of the Auxiliary in Decatur, invited the Convocation to meet in 1932 in St. John's church.

The Chairman, Mrs. Edmundson, made a motion that was adopted, that in view of the great value to the Convocations in their annual meetings to have the Diocesan President, present, that the State Auxiliary provide funds for such visits.

After prayer the meeting adjourned.

MRS. W. B. EDMUNDSON, Chairman.

#### BIRMINGHAM CONVOCATION (REPORT Q2)

On March 18th, Homewood, All Saints, graciously entertained the Woman's Auxiliary of the Birmingham Convocation. After celebration of the Holy Communion at 10:30 by the newly ordained rector, Mr. Jenkins, assisted by Mr. Neff of the Advent, Mrs. Earle Pettus, chairman, introduced Mrs. John Ebaugh, who cordially bespoke the word of welcome.

Roll call showed most of the branches represented, the registration chairman, Mrs. Lanston McCally, afterwards reporting one hundred and twenty-one present, with thirty-two officers. To the great regret of all present, our president, Mrs. Albert Wilson, was prevented being with us.

The first report was by Mrs. Ebaugh, educational secretary, who offered her services to the branches as to suggestions as to programs and a lending library.

Mrs. Pettus read a most beautiful letter from Mrs. Wilson. Offering for the day was suggested by her to be added to the U. T. O., which was done. Mrs. Wilson made a plea for the Advance Work of \$10,000, and asked that Mrs. Battle Searcy be made treasurer for this.

Mrs. Gus Pope, of the Advent, told of the splendid work done the past year by the Business Girls' Branches, one thing being the placing of Hymnals in the Bryce Hospital in Tuscaloosa.

The branch reports were an interesting interchange of ideas as to how the program for the year had been carried out.

Miss Helen Averett spoke on the Gift of Life, and asked help for Miss Augusta Martin.

After a delicious luncheon at one o'clock, Mrs. Grey read an interesting history of All Saints, Homewood. A great future is predicted for them.



Miss Norseworthy was the speaker of the day, and in the absence of Mrs. Herbert Tutwiler, diocesan chairman of the Church Mission of Help, Mrs. Pettus introduced Miss Norseworthy, who is in charge of the first unit of the work, in the Birmingham district. Miss Norseworthy emphasized the fact that each child has to be studied individually, and gave several interesting examples of specific case work.

After a most enjoyable and helpful meeting, the Convocation adjourned.

#### **MONTGOMERY DISTRICT CONVOCATION (REPORT Q3)** **Church of the Holy Innocents, Auburn, Alabama**

The Fourteenth Annual Spring Conference was begun at 10:30 A. M. on Thursday, March 26, 1931, by the celebration of the Holy Communion. The Rector of the Church of the Holy Innocents, the Reverend Mr. William Byrd Lee, Jr., assisted by the Reverend T. G. Mundy of Troy, were the celebrants.

Mrs. Albert Wilson, President of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Alabama, inducted Mrs. E. C. Meredith, President of the Tuskegee Auxiliary, as District Chairman. Mrs. Meredith presided over the meeting.

Mrs. S. L. Toomer, in behalf of the Auburn and Opelika Auxiliaries, expressed a most cordial welcome to each delegate and visitor present. This was responded to in a very gracious manner by Mrs. W. L. Stevens of Tuskegee.

The rest of the morning session was devoted to inspiration and instructive addresses by members of the Auxiliary.

Mrs. Joseph Brevard Jones, of Montgomery, gave a splendid talk on "Adult Religious Education," stressing the needs for religious study by adults.

A pause in the program was made for Noon Day Prayer, the Litany for Missions, led by the Reverend E. M. Parkman, Rector of the Church of the Holy Comforter in Montgomery.

Mrs. T. R. Mundy read a paper on the Church Home, the House of Happiness. This paper was prepared by Mrs. Virginia Lee Bennett, who was unable to be present. It portrayed in a very vivid way the work of this Institution. Mrs. Albert Wilson answered several questions, further explaining this work.

An outline of the Advance Work of the Auxiliary was given by Mrs. Albert Wilson, President of the Woman's Auxiliary. Mrs. Wilson sketched some of the work accomplished in the past.

She then explained the plans for the new advance work, which is to be a corporate work for the whole Church—the erection of the Church of the Resurrection at Kyoto. The Alabama Diocese



has been asked for a gift of \$10,000 to be used for this purpose. Mrs. Wilson, in a very splendid way, emphasized the value of this great work, and made a special plea to the women of the Auxiliary to work with the Church in raising their part of this gift.

Upon motion of Mrs. W. L. Stevens, which was seconded by Miss Annie L. Hobdy, and approved by the Convocation, the following telegram was sent to Mr. Kenneth Morris, as he was leaving for Foreign Missionary work:

"Mr. Kenneth Morris,  
Steamship Grant,  
San Francisco, Cal.

The Montgomery District in convention assembled, sends love and greetings. Bon voyage.

MRS. ALBERT WILSON,  
MRS. E. C. MEREDITH, District Chairman."

At 1:00 o'clock the Convocation recessed, at which time a most delicious luncheon was served in the Parish House.

The afternoon session opened with the Auxiliary Hymn, "Lord, Speak to Me." This was followed by an organ solo, "Lago," from the "New World Symphony" by Dvorak, which was beautifully rendered by Mrs. Earl Hazel.

Miss Annie L. Hobdy, of Union Springs, made a talk on the United Thank Offering. She outlined, in a very interesting way, the wonderful work which had been done, and made an urgent appeal to the women to continue and enlarge this work. The thought was brought out that the number of blue boxes should be increased, instead of trying to increase the amounts in the blue boxes now kept; that is, make the United Thank Offering representative of the whole Church rather than just a part of it.

Upon motion of Mrs. Joseph Brevard Jones, approved by the Convocation, the offering received at the morning service, amounting to \$12.00, was given to the United Thank Offering.

Miss Laucharles Wilson, Reporter for the Auxiliary, requested that all members send news items to her whenever possible for the press. Miss Wilson is doing a very valuable piece of work in her news articles each week. She requested that suggestions also be sent to her for articles to be printed each week.

The following Parishes responded to roll call:

Auburn—Holy Innocents.

Montgomery—Church of the Holy Comforter.

Montgomery—St. John's.

Opelika—Emmanuel.

Troy—St. Mark's.



Tusekegee—Church of the Advent.

Tuskegee—Institute Branch (colored).

Union Springs—Trinity.

A report was made of the work of each of the branches represented. The parish at Benton, Lowndes County Unit, was not represented, but their report, which has been mailed in, was read. All of these reports portrayed the splendid work which has been accomplished during the year.

Mrs. Albert Wilson gave a cordial welcome to the new Auxiliary represented, the Tuskegee Institute Branch.

A letter was read from Mrs. Stallworth, President of the Spring Hill Auxiliary, asking for Octagon soap coupons to be sent to Sister Mary at the Church Home, to be used in buying an electric refrigerator. This suggestion was approved by the Convocation.

Reports of the Committees appointed in the morning session were made as follows:

Question Box:

Questions were read by Mrs. B. J. Baldwin, which were answered from the floor:

#### Resolutions on Hospitality

The following resolution was read by Mrs. Carl Lee Wilson and approved:

"Whereas, the Montgomery Convocation of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council, Diocese of Alabama, is indebted to the Branches of the Woman's Auxiliaries in Auburn and Opelika, for a most delightful and profitable day spent in their midst at the Church of the Holy Innocents, Auburn, a day filled with social fellowship and spiritual uplift,

Be it resolved, therefore, that the Montgomery Convocation hereby tender sincere thanks and appreciation for this gracious hospitality, evidenced by their warm welcome, a most delicious luncheon, and the sense and spirit of fellowship in service in the extending of Christ's Kingdom through His Church.

Respectfully submitted,

LUCHARLLE WILSON,

MRS. H. J. ROSENSTIHL,

Committee."

#### Place of Meeting

Mrs. Mundy reported that the next meeting would be held at the Church of the Holy Comforter in Montgomery.

The meeting was closed with beautiful and impressive prayers



by the Reverend E. M. Parkman for the safe sojourn of Mr. Kenneth Morris and his family.

Respectfully submitted,

M. D. JETER,

Acting Secretary.

Church of the Holy Innocents,

Auburn, Alabama.

March 26, 1931.

#### REPORT OF SELMA CONVOCATION (REPORT Q4)

Madam President and Members of the Conference:

In the Selma Convocation of the Woman's Auxiliary there are fourteen branches. The branch at Livingston was gained this year.

The Spring Conference was held in Selma, April 28th, in St. Paul's Parish House. Eleven Branches were represented, and around sixty delegates were in attendance and reports were read from different Branches.

Five of the Clergy were present.

The United Thank Offering was the theme of the meeting, and an interesting program was given. An outstanding feature of the occasion was a paper read by Mrs. J. W. Heyes, on the subject, "What the U. T. O. Means To Me." An interesting paper on "What a Loyal Blue Box Custodian May Accomplish," was given by Mrs. P. E. Youngblood. Prayers were offered for the success of the work.

Our Secretary of Religious Education, Mrs. J. C. Long, gave an interesting account of her work.

Our President, whose presence is always an inspiration, was most instructive and helpful in her talk.

Mrs. Val Taylor told us about the Churches' Periodical Club, and Miss May Kyser spoke of her visit to Sewanee. Mrs. E. L. James, Chairman of the League of the Isolated, was present, also Mrs. DeBardelaben who has been active in the work.

It was decided to send the Communion Alms to Miss Augusta Martin for use in her work.

A circular letter was sent out to twenty members. Around fifty letters in all have been written by your chairman.

An invitation has been received from St. Wilfrid's Branch in Marion for the Conference to be held there next Spring.

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs. W. H.) LILY L. TAYLOE,

Chairman, Selma Convocation of W. A.



## MOBILE CONVOCATION (REPORT Q5)

April 8th, 1931

The Spring Conference of the Woman's Auxiliary assembled in Trinity Church, Atmore, on Wednesday, April the eighth. A Corporate Communion was held at ten o'clock, the Rev. Mr. Edwards celebrant, assisted by Rev. Mr. Brown of Daphne. Immediately after the service Mrs. Platt Roberts of Spring Hill, Convocation Chairman, called the business session to order opening with a hymn followed by prayer. The assembly stood for a moment in silent prayer in memory of Dr. R. C. Macy. Committees on Credentials, Resolutions, Hospitality and Place of Meeting were appointed. Mrs. Bayard Swift, President, extended a cordial welcome to the delegates and visitors, followed by Mrs. J. W. Rutherford, who spoke for the Monroeville Branch which was joint hostess with Atmore. Mrs. John O. Gill made the response.

The minutes of the 1930 Conference were read and approved.

The chairman introduced the speaker of the day, Mrs. Charles R. Henderson of Troy, who was no stranger to the women of the Auxiliary, for her fine service in the past, her fervor, and her consecration, all, have made her known throughout the Diocese. Mrs. Henderson asked that each one pledge herself to a renewal of service and launched forth into her subject, "Religious Education and Evangelism." The present need of the world is "a return to the things of the spirit away from materialism and love of pleasure." Mrs. Roberts expressed appreciation to Mrs. Henderson for her fine address, and the morning session adjourned with a noonday prayer by the Reverend Gardiner C. Tucker.

Luncheon was served by the hostess Branches and promptly at 1:00 o'clock the chairman called the afternoon session to order, and opened with a hymn. Reports from Committee Chairmen were heard. Miss Mary V. Bonner, Chairman of Hospitality, expressed appreciation for the courtesies and delightful entertainment of Atmore and Monroeville: Mrs. Schroeter, Chairman of Place of Meeting, extended Christ Church's invitation which was accepted. The Credential Committee reported ninety-four registrations: Mrs. L. C. Irvine, Chairman of the Resolutions Committee, offered two, which were unanimously adopted, as follows:

"Resolved, that the Conference express by a rising vote its heartfelt thanks to Mrs. Charles R. Henderson for her inspiring address on 'Christian Education and Personal Evangelism'."

"Resolved, that the Conference record its deep sense of loss in the death of Dr. R. C. Macy and its high appreciation of his Christian life and of his noble work in many fields of service and that we extend our heartfelt sympathy to Mrs. Macy in her bereavement."



Greetings from Mrs. Albert Wilson, State President, were read and she stated the following as objectives for the Auxiliary: By August the twenty-fourth all Blue Boxes should be in the hands of the state treasurer; to build a church for Rev. Kenneth Morris at a cost of \$10,000 as the definite projects and advance work of the Auxiliary; to procure prayer leaflets and use them in preparation for the Triennial.

Mrs. Long, Educational Secretary, sent greetings and asked the Auxiliaries to study "The Way of Renewal." She also requested the Branches to complete a historical review of their respective Parishes.

Mrs. C. E. Ellis, social service worker of the Convocation, was absent. The Rev. Mr. Witt reported that the Seaman's Church Institute had increased its capacity one-third by additions and repairs. He thanked the members for the comfort kits. Mrs. Austing gave a fine report of the Daughters of the King, who are sustaining a missionary in China and training another young woman for foreign service. A splendid tribute was paid the Church Home by Mrs. Virginia Lee Bennett, a social welfare worker of the state; in fact, her investigation showed the Home to be superior to any like institution in Alabama. Miss Whitford, the superintendent, supplemented this report with an account of the Bishop Wilmer Training School.

Branch reports, next in order, were limited to three minutes and included only exceptional achievements and programs of interest. Financial reports were limited to a statement of the sum total of all work accomplished during the fiscal year. Atmore, Monroeville, Robertsedale, Fairhope, Daphne, Montrose, Point Clear, Oakdale, Spring Hill, All Saints, St. John's, Trinity, Bay Minette, and Christ Church were represented and their reports showed constructive work.

Mrs. Irvine of All Saints read the report of the Girls' Friendly Society arranged by Mrs. Sextus Smith. Mrs. Gill reviewed the year's accomplishment of the Young People's Service League and announced that the Summer Camp would open June 10th.

Miss Maude Kimball, state vice-president, and chairman of Memorial Gifts has made fine progress during her first year, having received \$283.33 in gifts with one hundred and fifty names on the roll.

Rev. Mr. Edwards announced that the offering amounted to \$22.50. This was given to Mrs. Macy by a unanimous vote.

Dr. Plummer closed the Conference with a beautiful and deserved tribute to the memory of Dr. R. C. Macy, seeking of a consecrated and unselfish life, full of prayer, simple faith, hope and



courage. Dr. Plummer gave thanks for the privilege of friendship with one who was truly a saint.

Dr. Bridges pronounced the benediction after a successful Conference.

CAROLINE McCALL,  
Secretary.

#### RECRUITING COMMITTEE (REPORT S)

Dear Members of the Auxiliary:

A letter has come from the Rev. A. B. Parson asking for our cooperation in securing recruits for the Mission Field. Let us take this matter seriously and do what we can about this great need. Now is the time for us to interest people in the Mission Fields. Usually outgoing Missionaries sail during the summer in order to arrive in the country of their choice in time to enter the various language schools or take up their new duties in the Fall. This is our opportunity to put some one in touch with what may prove to be their life work.

The urgent call at present is for evangelistic workers in China and Japan. People often ask, "just what does an evangelistic worker do?" In the foreign field, the 'evangelistic worker' is one who is engaged in specifically spiritual and religious tasks in promoting the spread of the Gospel. Such workers make their contribution by teaching or organizing Church Schools, working among non-Christians to present the claims of Christ.

The great need is for young women, to supplement the service of ordained men, especially in the Christian approach to native women and children. Young women who see the clear light of God's revelation in Jesus, to give their lives to carry this most precious of all life's possessions to people far away who have not yet heard of Christ. Can we not make this an object of prayerful searching to discover in our own parish at least one such young woman? She must be youthful, with a thorough education (preferably college), and of innate refinement and of course the personality that would make her an inspiring leader and firm friend of women and children of other races.

This matter is most urgent as is evidenced by the fact that Bishop Graves of Shanghai is appealing to us for ten evangelistic workers for this district alone. Others are needed for service under Bishop Huntington and Bishop Roots, and in Japan under our three bishops there, as well as in other countries.

#### THIS IS OUR MOST URGENT NEED.

If there are no young women prepared to go at once, there may be those who would like such work if they had the training. As a step in training, there is an opportunity for real service this



summer for some of our college girls or for older women to supply for the regular workers while they are taking their much needed vacations. I feel sure there are those who would be interested in spending from two to six weeks at the House of Happiness (our Mountain Mission) or at the Church Home for Orphans. This is a splendid opportunity to receive practical training and at the same time to render a real service.

May we in Alabama do all in our power to send the "Good News" all over the world. We have an obligation; that of seeing that the Mission Service of the Church is presented to every young person we know. Let us not be guilty of keeping some one out of their life work by our carelessness in failing to present the matter to them.

With the hope that we may remember this great need in our prayers and in our contact with young people, I am,

Sincerely,

HELEN MARIE AVERETT,  
Chairman Recruiting Committee.

#### FINANCIAL REPORT OF CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB (REPORT U)

October 28, 1931

Amount brought forward March 1, 1931 .....	\$ 25.20
Dues 1931 .....	32.00
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Cash in Bank .....	\$ 57.00
October 28, 1931.	
Number of Current Periodicals sent regularly.....	36
Number of Magazines given locally.....	1909
Number of Easter Cards sent.....	224
Number of Hymnals given .....	25

MRS. G. A. CRENSHAW,  
Chairman.

#### THE COMMITTEE ON FINDINGS SUBMITS THE FOLLOWING REPORT (REPORT W)

##### RESOLVED:

1. That we take back the message of Mr. Evans on the "Teaching Mission of the Great Commission" and thru educational programs, prayer, and openness of mind we endeavor to strengthen and deepen our own spirituality.
2. That the women of the Diocese lend their full co-operation to their rectors in promoting a better observance of Lent.



3. That we concentrate all efforts toward a better support of the Church Home by striving to meet parochial quotas and by helping to clothe the children at the Home.
4. That we look forward NOW to the time when we may better aid the boys and girls leaving the Home in getting better established.
5. That we realize our responsibility to Mr. Morriss and his work in Japan.
6. That the women of the Church seek to bring about Christian Education for the sacred duties and responsibilities of parenthood.
7. That the leisure time of the unemployed may be put to some profitable use and that our Parish Houses may be used as community centres.
8. That we seek to interest the younger women in the work of the Woman's Auxiliary.
9. That we urge that the "Faith Fund" of the House of Happiness be augmented by each Branch of the Auxiliary, and that the Christmas Tree for the House of Happiness be sponsored by all Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary.
10. That we offer a rising vote of thanks to Mrs. J. B. Jones for her work in the Alabama Churchman.
11. That we recommend that we sign the petition on disarmament now in circulation to be forwarded to Geneva.
12. That in our new plans, we endeavor to find adequate ways of thinking thru our problems toward a better solution of these problems of family life, property, economic conditions, interracial and international relations as they exist today.
13. That we may be adventurers in the realm of prayer, that we may know God, and in His Son we may find a solution to life's problems.

Committee:

MRS. S. L. TOOMER, Auburn.

MRS. H. F. SCHROETER, Mobile.

MRS. CARY GAMBLE, Huntsville.

#### REPORT OF COURTESY COMMITTEE (REPORT X)

The Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary at Anniston was one of the most delightful and inspirational in the history of the Auxiliary. We do not print here a record of its events for these have been reported to Branches by their delegates; but the report of the Courtesy Committee following, speaks the appreciation of the Auxiliary for the entire setting of the meetings.



It is my privilege to move that the Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Alabama extends to the people of Grace Church and St. Michael and All Angels its heartfelt thanks for the gracious hospitality which these two Parishes have so generously bestowed on us. It has been a great joy to be your guests. Your homes have been our homes.

To many of us of the Black Belt the cedar beams of Grace Church exude a familiar perfume. We thank you for inviting us to sit under these beams which some of our fathers saw as they once waved in the breezes of our native Black Belt. We thank you for showing us the beauty and endurance of our native timber in this your Grace Church. May God make us equally as beautiful and enduring in the building of His Kingdom.

We thank you for the opportunity of worship within the majestic pines of St. Michael and All Angels. In our hearts is the yearning to drink in its parable of stability in a fickle restless world and their help in stabilizing life.

We therefore, sincerely thank you for things we have learned of the Programme, the love we have felt, and the challenge that this meeting has flung to us for renewed effort.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. A. I. SELDEN,

MRS. W. F. FITTS,

MRS. RALEIGH DAUGETTE.

#### REPORT OF DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 29th, 1931.

To the Officers and Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of Alabama:

Another milestone passed, and once again in response to the cordial invitation of your President, we, the Daughters of the King, of Alabama, rejoice in the opportunity of taking a part in your meeting, and expressing to your our commendation of the wonderful work you have done in the Master's vineyard.

Since our last message to you, your worthy President has come into our ranks and wears an as outward sign the little cross which symbolizes the pledge of Prayer and Service, and to bear the cross aggressively "For His Sake."

All chapters have been actively engaged in helping to alleviate suffering and to bring women to Christ.

Numerically, our gain is slight, but we believe that depression and bereavement have increased our Faith, and that spiritually we have grown closer and feel more fully the Presence and Power of His abiding Love.



Two of our Daughters have fought the good fight and entered into the joys of their Lord.

Our prayers are with you. May the guidance and presence of the Holy Spirit be felt in your meeting, and may God's richest blessing descend upon you.

Faithfully Yours, "For His Sake,"

ELSIE M. BARNETT,

Diocesan Secretary.

#### REPORT OF GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Greetings to the Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of Alabama and report of Girl's Friendly Society of All Saints, Mobile.

This Branch endeavors to live up to the G. F. S. motto, "Bear ye one another's burdens" and to a sentence of their prayer to "live not for ourselves but for others, as members of one family in Christ," by their community welfare work and by their gifts and entertainments for the Church Home and the Benevolent Home, especially at Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter.

The members responded generously to the call for canned goods to be used by the City Welfare Department in supplying the unemployed with food. A fund is set aside to provide milk to pupils in schools where two of our members teach. Flowers are sent and visits made to members and their mothers who are ill.

The National Corporate Communion is celebrated on the first Sunday in November; meetings are held weekly, on Thursday evening in the G. F. S. Club room in the Parish House, with supper and varied programs. These are business, devotional, educational and recreation.

Respectfully submitted,

MISS CLARA MAYHALL, Chairman.

MRS. S. H. SMITH, Branch President.



# FINANCIAL OBJECTIVES, 1931-32

## DIOCESE OF ALABAMA

### WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO NATIONAL COUNCIL

Diocesan Objectives:	Asked	Date
FOR THE WORLD:		
United Thank Offering .....	Free-will	Spring, Mar. 25
United Thank Offering .....		Fall, Aug. 24.
Rev. Kenneth Morris' Salary		
(Accredited to Parish Quota).....	1,850.00	Dec.
Miscellaneous Advance Work .....	500.00	Feb.
Total .....	1,850.00	
FOR THE NATION:		
Supply Dept. Box (not stated).....		Jan.
Church Periodical Club, Gifts .....	100.00	May
Postage and Magazines per branch...	1.00	
Provincial Gift for Religious Educa		
tion, etc., and Deaf Missionary.....	50.00	June
Total .....	150.00	
FOR THE DIOCESE:		
Seaman's Institute, 300 Kits or .....	200.00	Summer, July, Aug.
House of Happiness Maintenance .....	1,200.00	Monthly
Shower for House of Happiness .....	Free-will	Nov.
Money for House of Happiness .....	Free-will	
Escambia County, Indian Work .....	300.00	
Box for Indians .....		Dec.
Church Home Box for Child. valued .....	1,500.00	Spring and Fall
Bishop Wilmer Scholarship Fund .....	100.00	Nov.
Annalee Fitts Memorial Library .....	150.00	April
Gifts for Blind .....	50.00	Dec.
Bishop's Purse .....	200.00	May
Memorial Fund .....	Free-will	Oct.
Church Home Gift .....	300.00	Dec.
Total values .....	3,510.00	
FOR PARISH:		
FOR COMMUNITY:		
DIOCESAN DUES TO COVER		
EXPENSES:	525.00	Jan. by Classes
Printing and Stationery .....	(275.00)	
Postage .....	( 50.00)	
Dues to Provincial Auxiliary .....	( 30.00)	
Dues to National Executive Board .....	( 20.00)	
Annual Convention Expenses .....	( 50.00)	
Discretionary Fund .....	(100.00)	
Total .....		



## CONSTITUTION

1. This organization shall be called the Alabama Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council.
2. Its object is to stimulate all women of the Church to work in all Departments of the National Council and in the Five Fields of Service, namely Parish, Community, Diocese, Nation and World, according to a program rightly balancing the work.
3. All Parishes and Mission Stations that so desire may become Branches of this Auxiliary, by first obtaining the consent of the Retcor in charge, appointing a Secretary and notifying the President of the Diocesan Branch of their intention to work in unison with the Auxiliary.
4. Diocesan Officers shall be President, Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Custodian, United Thank Offering Secretary, Educational Secretary, Secretary Supply Department, Custodian Bishop Wilmer Scholarship Fund, Church Home Correspondent, Correspondent Church Periodical Club, Woman's Auxiliary Treasurer for House of Happiness, Editor Woman's Auxiliary Page of the Alabama Churchman.
5. The President, Vice-President, Treasurer and Educational Secretary, shall be elected by the Diocesan Auxiliary in Convention assembled, to serve a term of three years, and shall be eligible to re-election for a second term of three years. The newly elected President shall appoint all other officers.
6. The President shall preside at all Annual and Executive meetings, have general supervision of the work throughout the Diocese and appoint Chairmen of Standing Committees. She shall appoint a chairman for each Convocation of the Diocese whose duty it shall be to stimulate the interest of the Convocation in the work of the Woman's Auxiliary; to call and preside over a Conference of the Convocation in the Spring of each year; and by virtue of her office to be a member of the Executive Board.
7. The Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Auxiliary, write the Minutes of Annual and called meetings and make ready the Annual Reports for the printer.
8. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all money sent to her by Branches for Missionary work, except that intended for other departments of the Auxiliary, and shall report same at annual meetings.
9. Should a vacancy occur in the President's office, the Bishop shall appoint her successor, all other vacancies to be filled by the President.
10. A Nominating Committee of three to five shall be appointed by the President one year before the expiration of her term of



office, to present a ticket of new officers at the annual meeting to be voted on by the Convention.

11. The officers of the Auxiliary shall constitute an Executive Board, which shall meet twice a year, subject to the call of the President.

12. The annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary shall be held in October, the date to be decided by the Executive Board.

13. At annual meetings each Branch shall be entitled to two representatives.

14. Seven Branches shall constitute a quorum.

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

#### REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CHANGES IN THE CONSTITUTION

Amendments Proposed:

Section 4. Amend Section 4 by striking out words, "Church Home Correspondent."

Section 5. Amend Section 5 by inserting the words, "Recording Secretary, Custodian United Thank Offering," after the word, "Treasurer," in this section.

Section 6. Amend Section 6 by striking out all of this section following words, "Chairmen of Standing Committee."

Section 7. Insert word, "Recording" before Secretary and strike out "Conduct correspondence of Auxiliary."

Insert to read as Section 9.

"A chairman for each Convocation, who shall have been nominated by a committee nominated at the preceding meeting shall be elected by the Convocation at the spring conference preceding the election of Diocesan officers, to serve three years, her term of office to be co-existent with that of the incoming President. It shall be the duty of the Convocational Chairman to stimulate the interest of the Convocation in the work of the Woman's Auxiliary; to call and preside over a Conference of the Convocation in the Spring of each year; and by virtue of her office to be a member of the Executive Board."

Section 9 through 15 to be amended to read Numbers 10 through 16.

MAUDE E. KIMBALL, Chairman.  
CAROLINE BLACKLOCK,  
ELLELEE C. PETTUS.

The Committee also suggested that delegates to the 1932 Annual meeting bring names of possible nominees for officers and deposit in closed box, secretly, if desired. This box to be placed in the hands of the Nominating Committee, appointed at that meeting.



## MISSIONARY GIFTS

Town or City, Parish, Branch	Local Gifts		Gifts to Diocese										Gifts to Nation				Gifts to World								Grand Total				
	Parish	Community	Church Home Money	Church Home Supplies Box	House of Happiness Money	House of Happiness Box Supply	Bishop Wilmer Scholarship	Mrs. Macy's Work	Annalee Fitts Library	Seamen's Institute	Diocesan Dues	Bishop's Purse	Mission to Blind or Deaf	Memorial Fund	Miscellaneous to Diocese	Total to Diocese	Box Supply	Provincial Education	Miscellaneous to Nation	Total to Nation	Quota for Rev. K. Morris	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club Money	Postage	Advance Work	Miscellaneous	Total for World		
Andalusia, St. Marys'					2.50											2.50						8.00					8.00	10.50	
Anniston, Grace Church	90.15	264.65		32.06	5.30		15.00		1.00		15.00					68.36	7.51			7.51	25.00	185.92				10.50	221.42	652.09	
Anniston, St. Michael and All Angels	153.34	42.54	2.50	28.16	10.00	6.00	10.00	30.93	1.00	18.63	10.00	1.00				118.22		2.00		2.00	25.00	68.25		1.00		37.50	131.75	447.85	
Athens, St. Timothy, Rebecca Sanders' Br'ch						2.50		2.50								5.00						5.00					5.00	10.00	
Atmore, Trinity					7.52											7.52						8.25					8.25	15.77	
Auburn, Holy Innocents	84.55	3.50	8.00		10.00	7.00		15.00								46.00	4.87			4.87	5.00	51.75					56.75	195.67	
Bay Minette, Immanuel Mission	7.80	33.50		27.33		3.59		1.00					1.00			34.42					2.50	4.85					7.35	83.07	
Bessemer, Trinity, Branch A.	295.60			9.48	25.50						2.50					37.48					10.00	90.56				1.45	102.01	435.09	
Bessemer, Trinity, Branch B.	125.00	48.65	5.85			7.33		3.00								16.18						6.80					6.80	196.63	
Berlin, St. Paul, U. T. O. Group	1,720.00	4,088.12		44.38	120.00	35.40		65.00			75.00					339.78	267.40		5.00		100.00	553.89			105.00	15.00	773.89	7,194.39	
Birmingham, Ch. of the Advent, Aux. Guild																													
Birmingham, Ch. of the Advent, Bus. Girls	13.00	27.60	4.00			4.60	5.00		3.00		2.00					18.60					6.00	13.61				3.00	22.61	81.81	
Birmingham, Good Shepherd, East Lake																													
Birmingham, Grace Church, Woodlawn	116.48	48.78		40.00	5.00	12.00					5.00	5.00		16.21		83.21				3.00	8.20	12.20	1.50		5.00		26.90	2,783.71	
Birmingham, All Saints, Homewood	506.57	270.90	36.29	15.00	35.00	15.00				16.00	30.00					147.29	19.00		2.50		21.50	37.50	141.04	2.00		15.00	195.54	1,141.80	
Birmingham, St. Andrews																													
Birmingham, St. Andrews, Bus. Women's																3.00						5.00					5.00	168.00	
Birmingham, St. Mark's Mission	110.00	50.00																											
Birmingham, St. Mary's	1,555.75	320.24	70.00		130.00	10.00	25.00	15.00		25.00	75.00	10.00	38.00			398.00	31.91		30.00		61.91	100.00	269.04		50.00	5.00	424.04	2,759.94	
Birmingham, St. Mary's, Bus. Women's Br.																													
Birmingham, Trinity Mission, W. E.	250.50	93.30	5.00	20.50	12.00	35.00	10.00	5.00		7.25	5.00	5.00				104.75				14.38	6.00	27.13				14.70	47.83	510.76	
Boligee, St. Mark's				69.93	73.73	6.87	3.55	7.50	3.48	17.00	5.00			8.30		195.36	4.26				4.26	6.00	383.60	2.00			391.60	591.22	
Bon Secour, St. Peter's																													
Carlowville, St. Paul's	23.35		9.00	66.62	27.00	15.87	10.00	19.50		5.50	5.00		3.00			161.49	7.25		18.40		25.65	25.00	157.60	2.00	11.50	10.00	206.10	12.25	
Camden, St. Mary's Mission																													
Carbon Hill																													
Clayton, Grace Mission						12.85									11.50	24.35			3.00			1.50					1.50	34.35	
Daphne, St. Paul's																						7.00					7.00	6.00	
Decatur, St. John's		51.00	26.50	10.00	3.00	20.00		6.00			7.50					67.00	15.00				25.00	33.00					58.00	191.00	
Demopolis, Trinity	363.03	35.04		67.84	14.00	32.55	2.50	6.00		10.00	10.00	2.00			5.00	149.89	24.00				10.00	107.57	19.92		5.00		142.49	714.45	
Dothan, Church of Nativity					12.50											12.50												12.50	12.50
Ensley, St. John's		700.00		30.00	4.00		5.00	2.00	1.00	5.00	5.00	2.00				54.00	11.00					20.00	1.00			9.00	30.00	795.00	
Ensley, Business Woman's League																2.00												2.00	2.00
Eufaula, St. James					12.00											17.00					10.00	14.60					24.60	41.60	
Eufaula, St. Stephens	178.06	13.50	13.00		5.00	6.10					10.00			1.85		35.95					28.60	61.05	2.00		32.75		124.40	351.91	
Evergreen, St. Mary's, U. T. O.																						14.00				14.00	14.00	14.00	
Fairfield, Christ Church																						10.00				10.00	10.00	10.00	
Fairhope, St. James					12.00						1.50					13.50					5.00	19.57			2.00		26.57	40.07	
Faunsdale, St. Michael	90.75			31.10		5.00										36.10						26.60					26.60	153.45	
Florence, Trinity		135.00		52.55	60.00	17.75	4.50	6.10	2.00	11.00	2.50	3.60	1.00	2.00	1.00	164.00	12.00	1.50	4.50		15.00	71.88	1.00		16.25		104.13	421.13	
Foley																													
Gadsden, Holy Comforter, Senior Branch	181.00	125.00		40.00	30.00	10.00	5.00	5.00	2.50	18.00	7.50					168.00	15.00				12.00	79.45				15.00	106.45	595.45	
Gadsden, Holy Comforter, Jennie Goldman		11.79			10.00	9.79		5.00		1.85						29.64	9.90					15.40		.32			15.72	67.05	
Glenview, St. Stephen's																													
Greensboro, St. Paul's, Mary Avery Branch	186.58	15.40		69.00	25.00	8.60	5.00	5.00	3.00	20.00	12.00	5.00		15.00	17.00	184.60	16.00				30.00	87.15	2.00		44.00		163.15	565.73	
Greensboro, St. Paul's, B. Branch	11.89	5.00		35.00						5.00						40.00						11.39					11.39	68.28	
Greenville, St. Thomas		22.85	15.00	26.00	15.00	23.75		17.00	3.00		3.00					102.75	6.26				10.00	41.50	3.00			1.00	55.50	187.36	
Guntersville, Epiphany Mission	8.90					3.00										3.00						7.27					7.27	19.17	
Huntsville, Nativity, Madge Dox Branch	15.00		10.00		24.00	6.55	10.00	5.00		7.00	5.00					69.55	7.40				25.00	78.46			10.00	1.00	114.46	206.41	
Irrington, St. Paul's																						2.00					2.00	2.00	
Jacksonville, St. Luke's	13.00	10.35	6.50	20.80												55.80	1.50		20.00		3.00	20.55				9.00	51.93	152.58	
Letohatchie							19.00	5.50			4.00					7.00					10.00	64.12		.25	9.00		83.37	165.27	
Lowndes County Unit				22.90	12.00	10.00	5.00	6.00		13.00	5.00			8.00		81.90						16.74					3.03	394.14	
Marion, St. Wilfred	275.00	50.00		5.00	10.00	12.40		15.00								42.40						3.03					3.03	3.03	
Magnolia Springs, St. Paul's																													
Mobile, All Saints		34.58	3.00	30.00	24.00	14.00		5.00	2.00	6.00	10.00					94.00	10.00		12.42		60.00	117.11			10.00		187.11	315.69	
Mobile, Christ Church	25.00	6.00			30.00	16.86	10.00	20.00	6.00		15.00					97.86					40.32	201.00		2.00		30.00	273.32	424.60	
Mobile, Good Shepherd																10.00												10.00	
Mobile, St. John's	287.50	37.65	36.00	25.00	6.00	7.16		3.00		5.00	10.00	2.50	10.00	15.00		166.79	30.80	2.50	20.00		30.00	40.00		2.00			115.26	562.57	
Mobile, Trinity	158.75	81.88		42.79	24.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	2.50	30.00	10.00					92.13					50.00	107.00					162.00	602.72	
Montevallo, St. Andrew's				15.00												25.00						13.00					13.00	33.00	
Montgomery, Church of the Ascension	1.30	15.00	30.00	24.52	20.00	20.00	5.00		5.00	10.00				2.00		116.52	49.03				25.00	70.15	2.00	1.80	100.00		198.95	380.80	
Montgomery, Good Shepherd	3.75																					11.93					11.93	15.68	
Montgomery, Church of the Holy Comforter	106.00			55.00	12.00																								



### BRANCH ACTIVITIES

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## MISSIONARY SPEAKERS

- a. Rev. Mr. Lowery.  
b. Miss Nrosworthy.  
c. Miss Simmons.  
d. Dr. Crossfield.  
e. Rev. Kenneth Morris.  
f. Mrs. Kenneth Morris.  
i. Mrs. Frank Persons.  
j. Rev. Mr. Witt.  
k. I. R. S. Hocking.  
l. Rv. R. Bland Mitchell.  
m. Mrs. Albert Wilson.  
n. B. L. Ancell.  
o. Capt. Eris Harris.

### TEXT BOOKS USED

- a. History of Auxiliaries.
- b. Episcopal Church.
- c. India on the March.
- d. India Looks to Her Future.
- e. Spirit of Missions.
- f. Jesus Among Men.
- g. The Great Conjecture.
- h. Prayer Book Reasons. Why?
- i. Our Expanding Church.

## PRAYER PARTNERS

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- a. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morris.
  - b. Miss Augusta Martin.
  - c. Mrs. Dalton Whitford.
  - d. Rev. and Mrs. Frank Persons.
  - e. Rt. Rev. E. C. Seaman.
  - f. Mrs. Macey.
  - g. Deaconess Whitford.
  - h. Miss Jacobs.
  - i. Miss Ruby Davis.
  - j. Bishop M. S. Barnwell.
  - k. Reverend Saylor.
  - l. Watkins Leigh Ribble.















