

Woman's Auxiliary
to the...
Board of Missions



Albany Diocesan Branch

**Twenty-fifth Annual Report
for the Year Ending
May 1, 1908**

MID-DAY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS

"And I, if I be lifted up, will draw all men unto me."

Blessed Saviour, Who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth Thy loving arms; grant that all mankind may look upon Thee and be saved; through Thy mercies and merits, Who liveth and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

*"That we may do all such good works as Thou hast prepared
for us to walk in."*



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ALBANY DIOCESAN BRANCH

TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT

1908

Owing to changes in the Executive Board, and illness among its members, the Annual Report for the year ending May 1, 1908, has been greatly delayed.

The Annual Report for the year ending May 1, 1909, will be ready, if possible, for distribution at the Annual Meeting in May. This can be made a possibility only through the co-operation of the Branches throughout the Diocese, and by their interest and immediate action when, (in April), the blanks are received from the Corresponding Secretary. Fill out these blanks *fully*, correct any errors that may appear in the 1908 Report, and return the reports to the Corresponding Secretary at once.

DIRECTIONS FOR PARISH SECRETARIES

1. The Corresponding Secretary of the Diocesan Branch, has on hand, letters which state the needs of missionaries in our own Diocese. Also from missionaries, hospitals and schools, in the Mission fields. When your branch is ready to begin work, write to the Secretary for such letters.

2. When your branch has "accepted" a letter—that is—has undertaken the work for which that letter calls—let the Corresponding Secretary know at once, the name and address enclosed in such letter, and the name and location of your parish.

3. It is of the utmost importance that immediately after a decision, you should return the rejected letters to the Corresponding Secretary, so that she can without delay, send them to other parishes.

4. Parish Secretaries must also write at once, to the missionary whose letter has been accepted, stating when and from whom he may expect a box.

5. Secretaries will please send a letter to the missionary, as soon as the box has been dispatched, stating date of shipment; also a letter to the Corresponding Secretary, with a statement of the value of the box. The address of the sender inside the box, is always advisable.

6. Upon application the Recording Secretary will send copies of the special Auxiliary service, approved by the Bishop.

7. A list of the officers of each parish branch, should be sent to the Recording Secretary of the Diocesan branch, not later than April 15th, for publication in the Annual Report. (A type-written list would be considered by the Secretary, a special favor.)

Address of Recording Secretary,

MRS. E. W. BABCOCK,

142 EIGHTH STREET, TROY, N. Y.

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Mrs. MONTGOMERY ROCHESTER, Secretary and Treasurer,
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In Memoriam

Rev. George Q. A. Rose

President of Trinity Branch, Ashland, for three years.

Died June 24, 1907.

Miss Mary A. Knap

Corresponding Secretary of S. John's Branch, Ogdensburg, from its foundation until her death.

Died July 4, 1907.

Mrs. Lewis W. Mansfield

Vice-President of S. John's Branch, Cohoes, from 1889 to 1901, and an active member of the Branch, from its organization in 1885, until her death.

Died November 19, 1907.

Mrs. John Eldrett

Vice-President of S. John's Branch, Johnstown, from 1903 to 1905, and faithful member of the Branch from its inception.

Died November 27, 1907.

Mrs. Eugene Littell

President of Christ Church Branch, Gloversville, and active member of the Branch, from its foundation.

Died Easter Day, April 19, 1908.

Mrs. Harriet W. Leonard

President of S. John's Branch, Massena, and a zealous member of the Branch for nine years.

Died May 9, 1908.

TO THE WOMEN OF THE AUXILIARY

My Dear Friends :—

It is with feelings of devout thankfulness to Almighty God that I send you a word of greeting at this time; that He has, in His mercy, been pleased to carry us safely through the many discouragements and disasters which, at one time, seemed to over-power us.

I know, full well, that nothing in this life can go on, indefinitely, without change. Sometimes, our sense of duty seems to demand that we should lay down our work, for others to take up and carry on. I appreciate, fully, the difficulty of making such decisions, while at the same time I deeply regret that they are necessary.

Our Diocesan Branch has suffered from many such changes of late ; which have been almost more than it could bear : but, while the work must always suffer when valued workers retire from active service,—on the other hand it opens the way for fresh efforts on the part of those who succeed them. *We* may suffer, but must not allow the *work* to suffer.

I know that I can rely on the women of the Diocese to be loyal and faithful in fighting the good fight; and I ask their prayers that we may all be filled with a deeper spirit for love and self-sacrifice during the coming year.

Faithfully yours,

HENRIETTA PELL-CLARKE,

Deaconess.

PARISH BRANCHES.

ARCHDEACONRY OF ALBANY

FIRST DIVISION.

TOWNS.	Parishes.	Parish Officers.
Albany	Cathedral of All Saints...	President, Mrs. Thomas Ward. Secretary, Miss C. K. Rathbone, 148 Chestnut Street.
	Holy Innocents'...	President, Mrs. John Hourigan. Secretary, Miss Elizabeth Hubbell, 77 Ten Broeck Street.
	S. Paul's	President, Mrs. George W. Stedman. Secretary, Miss Pauline Wilson, 4 First Street.
	S. Peter's.....	President, Mrs. Clarence Griswold. Secretary, Miss M. L. McMickin, 193 Lancaster Street.
Amsterdam	S. Ann's	President, Mrs. H. C. McElwain. Secretary, Mrs. M. A. Trapnell, 62 Church Street.
Cohoes.....	S. John's.....	President, Miss Knapp. Secretary, Mrs. Le Roy Vermilyea, 298 Saratoga Street.
Fonda	Zion	President, Mrs. Gershom Banker. Secretary, Mrs. W. Hammond.
Gloversville..... .	Christ Church...	President, Mrs. Rubsamen. Secretary, Mrs. Warner Walrath, 102 Third Avenue.
Johnstown..... . .	S. John's	President, Mrs. Esther Shults. Secretary, Mrs. William Northorn, 21 Wells Street.
Rensselaerville.	Trinity	President, Mrs. Mulford Jenkins. Secretary, Mrs. S. C. Thompson.
Watervliet..... . .	Trinity	President, Miss A. Fraser. Secretary, Mrs. Andrew Meneely, 1523 First Avenue.

In this division there are eleven branches, and it is with delight that I am able to present a report from all of them.

ALBANY—ALL SAINTS' :

Regular monthly meetings have been held with an average attendance of thirty, at which addresses have been made, or papers read. With the aid of St. Martha's Guild three boxes have been sent.

ALBANY—HOLY INNOCENTS :

This branch reports regular monthly meetings with good attendance and an increase of five new members. Two boxes were sent. Deaconess Pell-Clarke addressed one meeting, subject being "Woman's Auxiliary and its Work."

ALBANY—S. PETER'S :

This branch reports a very successful year's work. At each monthly meeting the missionary intelligence committee provided a speaker, usually a missionary, while at the weekly sewing meetings held in Lent, papers were prepared and read on China by members of the society. Eight boxes were sent out. Also an increased amount of money given.

ALBANY—S. PAUL'S :

This branch has held monthly meetings and during Lent, instead of usual weekly sewing meetings, Deaconess Pell-Clarke gave talks on "Missions." Six boxes were sent out.

AMSTERDAM—S. ANN'S :

This branch is flourishing and doing good earnest work. The meetings are held at the home of the president, and a large amount of work is accomplished each afternoon, followed by light refreshments. In March a Missionary Tea was given, admittance to which being anything that could be used in their work—calico, gingham, muslin, thread, etc.

COHOES—S. JOHN'S :

This branch is composed of about fifty women. Meetings for sewing were held at the homes of the members, when tea and wafers were served. During the year, addresses were delivered by Rev. M. McLouglin and Deaconess Drant. The annual missionary meeting, when the United Offering boxes are opened, is a feature of this branch, the attendance being over one hundred.

FONDA—ZION :

This branch is composed of twelve members and notwithstanding serious illness in the families of several of the members, there has been an increase of interest and three new members have gone in to take the places of those incapacitated by ill health and failing strength.

GLOVERSVILLE—CHRIST CHURCH :

This branch is in great sorrow, their president Mrs. Eugene Littell, having died on Easter Sunday. Their meetings have been well attended and more interest shown. During Lent, weekly meetings were held, at which the Rector conducted Lenten services. In December, Deaconess Pell-Clarke gave an interesting talk on "Missions."

JOHNSTOWN—S. JOHN'S :

This branch reports twenty-five members and about the usual amount of work done.

RENSSELAERVILLE—TRINITY :

This branch reports ten members, and no particular work done for some time past, as some of the members are very old, and some invalids. Monthly meetings are held at the homes of the members, at which the time is spent in missionary reading.

WATERVLIET—TRINITY :

This branch reports twenty members and work only during Lent. One box was sent.

JENNIE B. KING,
Manager.

PARISHES.	Boxes.		Money.
	No.	Value.	
Albany :			
Cathedral of All Saints'	3	\$144 15	\$215 78
Holy Innocents	2	140 62	16 00
S. Paul's	6	121 70	210 00
S. Peter's	8	728 24	431 65
Amsterdam :			
S. Ann's	3	96 00	26 00
Cohoes :			
S. John's	7	367 00	32 00
Fonda :			
Zion			7 00
Gloversville :			
Christ Church	1	25 00	10 00
Johnstown :			
S. John's	2	90 00	21 00
Rensselaerville :			
Trinity :			
Watervliet :			
Trinity	2	18 50	6 00
	34	\$1,731 21	\$975 43

ARCHDEACONRY OF ALBANY.

SECOND DIVISION.

TOWNS.	Parishes.	Parish Officers.
Ashland	Trinity	President, Secretary, Miss Delia Prout.
Athens	Trinity	President, Mrs. Frank Beardsley. Secretary, Mrs. George Whitbeck.
Catskill	S. Luke's	President, Mrs. Charles Willard. Secretary, Miss Matilda Jackson.
Duanesburg	Christ Church	President, Mrs. Albert Ruff. Secretary, Miss F. E. Marsh, Esperance
Frankfort	S. Alban's	President, Mrs. Masterson. Secretary, Mrs. C. B. Cleland.
Greenville	Christ Church	President, Mrs. E. A. Gallatian. Secretary, Mrs. C. B. McCabe.
Ilion	S. Augustine's	President, Mrs. Madison Getman. Secretary, Mrs. Wm. H. Vincent, 81 North Street.
Herkimer	Christ Church	President, Mrs. E. A. Brown. Secretary Mrs. W. H. Barry.
Hudson	Christ Church	President, Miss M. H. Seymour. Secretary, Mrs. O. H. Bradley, 813 Warren Street.
Kinderhook	S. Paul's	President, Mrs. William B. Van Alstyne. Secretary, Miss Elizabeth Wynkoop.
Lebanon Springs	Church of Our Saviour	President, Mrs. C. J. Richmond. Secretary, Miss Olive R. Hand.
Little Falls	Emmanuel	President, Miss Julia Bradley. Secretary, Miss C. L. H. Rawdon.
Palenville	Gloria Dei	President, Mrs. F. Lamouree. Secretary, Mrs. G. S. Holcomb.
Schenectady	Christ	President, Mrs. Oliver. Secretary, President, Mrs. John K. Paige. Secretary, Mrs. Hinsdill Parsons, 21 Front Street.
	S. George's	

The second division of the Archdeaconry of Albany reports fifteen active branches. Two of the oldest Parishes in the state have been obliged to give up their branches owing to deaths and removals of leading workers, and losses and changes of Rectors. These, with cases of serious illness, have also interfered with the activity of some other Parish branches. But upon the whole, quite the usual amount of work seems to have been done.

Christ Church, Hudson, still holds its first place, in numbers, work and study.

S. Paul's, Kinderhook, is rather a small and scattered Parish, but keeps up its attendance and work bravely.

Catskill, S. Luke's Church, though with some discouragements, has done its usual work, and testifies to its Missionary readings, as incentives to effort and interest.

The Parish at Lebanon Springs has been successfully led through troublous times, by the care and skill of Rev. Mr. Marvin, and settled under a new Rector. The ladies have done some outside work, besides making Church repairs.

St. Augustine's, Ilion, has been sorely tried in giving up its faithful and beloved Rector of many years; who after repeated trials has been obliged, on account of his health, to give up his work. They are prepared however, to welcome their new Rector in a cordial and confident spirit.

Gloria Dei, Palenville, small, but faithful and energetic, though missing their long time leader, has sent a box to Mrs. Buford's colored people, and to a leper colony.

Athens, reports subscriptions to "Spirit of Missions."

S. George's, Schenectady, has sent several boxes, and has organized a branch of the Junior Auxiliary, which has been preparing Christmas gifts for Alaska.

MARY E. VAN NOSTRAND,

Manager.

PARISHES.	Boxes.		Money.
	No.	Value.	
Ashland :			
Trinity			\$ 4 00
Athens :			
Trinity	1	\$ 25 00	5 00
Catskill :			
S. Luke's	1	40 00
Duanesburgh :			
Christ Church
Frankfort :			
S. Alban's			2 00
Greenville :			
Christ Church			1 00
Herkimer :			
Christ Church
Hudson :			
Christ Church	4	296 00	93 00
Ilion :			
S. Augustine's	2	60 00	50 00
Kinderhook :			
S. Paul's	2	58 76	16 50
Lebanon Springs :			
Church of Our Saviour			3 30
Little Falls :			
Emmanuel	2	145 63	5 00
Palenville :			
Gloria Dei	3	39 30	10 00
Schenectady :			
Christ Church			10 00
S. George's	2	282 55	50 00
	17	\$947 29	\$249 80

ARCHDEACONRY OF OGDENSBURG.

TOWNS.	Parishes.	Parish Officers.
Brushton	S. Peter's	President, Mrs. William Orton. Secretary, Mrs. H. C. Brush.
Chateaugay.....	S. Paul's	President, Mrs. Charles L. Bentley. Secretary, Mrs. Geo. W. Fraser.
Lake Placid.	S. Eustace and S. Hubert's	President, Mrs. Edwin Kennedy. Secretary, Mrs. Edmund Wall, Saranac Lake.
Gouverneur.....	Trinity	President, Mrs. W. R. Jones. Secretary, Miss Grace H. Corbin.
Malone	S. Mark's	President, Mrs. Harry B. Leonard. Secretary, Mrs. W. O. Warner.
Massena	S. John's	President, Mrs. D. B. Patterson. Secretary, Mrs. S. S. Danforth.
Norwood	S. Philip's	President, Mrs. E. E. Woodruff. Secretary,
Ogdensburg	S. John's	President, Miss Mary E. Mathewson. Secretary, Mrs. E. Wagner, 81 Greene Street.
Potsdam.....	Trinity	President, Mrs. F. S. Earle. Secretary, Mrs. F. E. Everett, 181 Market Street.

BRUSHTON :

Reports having made no pledges, and that their Lenten work would be for the United Offering.

CHATEAUGAY :

Makes report for \$12.00 sent to Diocesan Missions. What money they have earned since has gone towards the running expenses of the Mission.

LAKE PLACID :

Reports \$29.50 sent to the Treasurer, and that meetings in Lent were well attended and a box of clothing sent away.

GOUVERNEUR ;

Sent a box, and held successful meetings in Lent.

MALONE :

No report.

MASSENA :

A very active and earnest Auxiliary. Instead of working for a Missionary box, they did the family sewing for a one time President of the Massena Branch, who was at death's door. The members felt that one who in the past had done so much for the Branch, should know, while able to appreciate it, of their love and esteem. The President of this Branch is rejoiced now that the women of the Parish have succeeded in paying their pledge of \$500.00 on the Rectory, they will be able to do more for Missions.

NORWOOD :

No report. It is hoped that this Branch may be heard from in our next report, as it has been a very enthusiastic and earnest Branch.

GOUVERNEUR :

Sent a box and held meetings in Lent.

OGDENSBURG :

During the Winter the Auxiliary Mission Study Class took for its subject, China and the Church's work. Six largely attended meetings were held. Working meetings were held during Advent and Lent, with the usual large number of interested workers. Twelve meetings in all.

POTSDAM :

Has held regular monthly meetings, literary and social, which were well attended. Two very interesting addresses were given, one by Bishop Brewer, of Montana, the other by Miss Annie Clarkson, Diocesan Treasurer of the Diocese of New York. During the Lenten season, working meetings were held, and great interest shown by the large attendance at every meeting.

SARAH M. BABCOCK,
Manager.

PARISHES.	Boxes.		Money.
	No.	Value.	
Brushton:			
S. Peter's			
Chateaugay:			
S. Paul's			
Lake Placid:			
S. Eustace and S. Hubert's	1	\$ 30 00	
Gouverneur:			
Trinity	1	37 00	\$ 3 00
Malone:			
Trinity			
Massena:			
S. John's			2 00
Norwood:			
S. Philip's			
Ogdensburg:			
S. John's		119 80	
Potsdam:			
Trinity	5	191 18	45 00
	7	\$377 98	\$50 00

ARCHDEACONRY OF THE SUSQUEHANNA.

FIRST DIVISION.

TOWNS.	Parishes.	Parish Officers.
Cherry Valley.. .. .	Grace.....	President, Mrs. S. M. O'Connor. Secretary, Miss E. W. Wilkin.
Cooperstown	Christ Church	President, Mrs. Clarence Cook. Secretary, Miss F. V. Sill.
East Springfield.....	S. Paul's	President, Mrs. G. Hyde Clarke. Secretary, Mrs. Joseph Peaslee.
Gilbertsville.....	Christ Church	President, Mrs. W. F. Ward. Secretary, Miss E. J. Hughes.
Morris	Zion	President, Rev. George Sterling. Secretary, Mrs. R. R. Ripley.
Springfield Centre ...	S. Mary's.....	President, Mrs. A. Ryerson. Secretary, Mrs. R. Ough.
Oneonta	S. James'.....	President, Mrs. C. P. Peck. Secretary, Miss Emma Matteson.
Richfield Springs ..	S. John's	President, Miss E. C. Nystrom. Secretary, Miss St. John.

The same parishes, as last year, have been working with the Auxiliary, and in the same ways. Some have prepared and sent barrels of clothing for the Mission Field. Some parishes have taken up the work of "S. Christopher's League," and through that, have worked for the Institutions of the Diocese and have done less for the Auxiliary. The work varies little, year by year. The branches are too far apart to be often visited.

CHERRY VALLEY — GRACE:

I have not heard from this Branch.

COOPERSTOWN — CHRIST CHURCH:

This branch has reported about as usual.

EAST SPRINGFIELD — S. PAUL'S:

SPRINGFIELD CENTRE — S. MARY'S:

These branches have been working as usual.

GILBERTSVILLE — CHRIST CHURCH:

This branch sent clothing, and contributed to the pledges.

MORRIS — ZION:

This branch does good work, has had speakers, and keeps up its Mission Study Class.

ONEONTA — S. JAMES':

Has a Junior Branch. The Woman's Auxiliary is not so successful. The Rector is much interested in Missions, and will some day arouse an interest.

RICHFIELD SPRINGS:

No report.

E. J. HUGHES

Manager.

PARISHES.	Boxes.		Money.
	No.	Value.	
Cherry Valley:			
Grace			\$ 8 00
Cooperstown:			
Christ Church	3	\$ 86 14	45 00
East Springfield:			
S. Paul's			7 00
Gilbertsville:			
Christ Church	2	44 00	12 00
Morris:			
Zion	1	40 00	21 00
Springfield Centre:			
S. Mary's	1	30 00	220 00
Oneonta:			
S. Mary's			
Richfield Springs:			
S. John's	3	105 16	
	10	\$305 30	\$313 00

ARCHDEACONRY OF THE SUSQUEHANNA.

SECOND DIVISION.

TOWNS.	Parishes.	Parish Officers.
Delhi	S. John's	President, Mrs. Jennie Knapp. Secretary, Mrs. C. O. Penfield.
Franklin	S. Paul's	President, Mrs. L. H. Hurd. Secretary, Mrs. F. E. Narajon.
Hobart	S. Peter's	President, Mrs. Robert McNaught. Secretary, Mrs. W. J. Kniskern.
Sidney	S. Paul's	President, Mrs. D. M. Bowers. Secretary, Mrs. R. Cartwright.
Stamford	Grace	President, Mrs. O. Hallock. Secretary, Miss Nellie Tingley.
Walton	Christ Church	President, Mrs. Grant Wilson. Secretary, Mrs. M. S. Hale.

DELHI—S. JOHN'S:

The splendid interest here in the work of the Woman's Auxiliary is steadily increasing. We have had 21 meetings—eight of which were missionary teas, which this year have been held regularly on the first Thursday of each month and devoted particularly to systematic study of mission work in China. The members have written excellent papers, which have proved very helpful to all, and with many more interested in the work the offerings have been proportionately larger. Two boxes have been sent to missionaries. In Easter week a missionary tea was given, and the money raised was devoted to a memorial gift from S. John's, Delhi, the old home of Bishop Griswold, to the Cathedral at Salina, Kan.

FRANKLIN—S. PAUL'S:

As soon as the year's work is finished in this Parish, the women at once begin on another box, to be sent when most needed. Interest in the work is increasing, and we hope it will in no way flag in the future.

HOBART—S. PETER'S:

Although the work in the Parish has been at a standstill during the winter, we hope that under the new Rector the work may be renewed and the interest increased.

SIDNEY—S. PAUL'S:

I am most happy to say that since the women of this Branch attended the semi-annual meeting at Walton, they have been inspired to more active work for Missions, and have more thoroughly understood what the "Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions" means. Although the membership is small, the women are enthusiastic and earnest. Thirteen meetings have been held during the year, and two boxes of clothing prepared.

WALTON—CHRIST CHURCH :

This branch has held twenty-three meetings during the year. The Rector suggested a smaller number of meetings. The monthly meetings have been entirely of a missionary character. Papers have been prepared and read upon the women workers in the Field who are supported by the United Offering. The whole spirit of the work, and the gradual increase of interest are most encouraging. Boxes have been prepared and money sent. The semi-annual meeting of the Diocesan Branch was held in Walton, in November last, with Bishop McKim, of Japan, as speaker.

HARRIET LOCKWOOD,

Manager.

PARISHES.	Boxes.		Money.
	No.	Value.	
Delhi:			
S. John's	2	\$74 00	\$80 50
Franklin:			
S. Paul's	1	35 00	3 00
Hobart:			
S. Peter's			
Sidney:			
S. Paul's	1	40 00	5 00
Stamford:			
Grace			
Walton:			
Christ Church	2	56 55	73 31
	6	\$205 55	\$161 81

ARCHDEACONRY OF TROY.

FIRST DIVISION.

TOWNS.	Parishes.	Parish Officers.
Cambridge.....	S. Luke's	President, Mrs. William S. Barnaby. Secretary, Mrs. J. F. Niver.
Fort Edward.....	S. James'.....	President, Mrs. F. McNaughton. Secretary, Mrs. Levi H. Wing.
Granville.....	Trinity.	President, Mrs. J. W. Gray. Secretary, Mrs. F. S. Sheldon.
Hoosac.....	All Saints'.....	President, Mrs. Walter Smith. Secretary, Mrs. Frank Pierce.
Hoosick Falls	S. Mark's.....	President, Secretary, Mrs. C. W. Eddy.
Rensselaer	Epiphany	President, Mrs. George Hart. Secretary, Mrs. Thomas White.
Salem	S. Paul's.....	President, Miss M. C. Sheldon. Secretary, Miss Florence Audubon.
Sandy Hill	Zion.....	President, Mrs. F. M. Weeks. Secretary, Miss Mary A. Beach, 251 Main Street.
Troy.....	Ascension	President, Mrs. W. H. Bridges. Secretary, Mrs. M. J. Kaye, 110 Maple Ave.
	Holy Cross.	President, Miss Bertha E. Huntley. Secretary, Miss Mary A. Lewis, 68 Ninth Street.
	S. John's	President, Mrs. Charles Tillinghast. Secretary, Miss E. W. Fraser, 20 14th St., Watervliet.
	S. Paul's	President, Rev. E. A. Enos, D. D. Secretary, Mrs. E. F. Knauff, 49 Third St.

CAMBRIDGE—S. LUKE'S:

Six monthly meetings and three special meetings have been held, and they have made money by sewing and selling the articles made.

GRANVILLE—TRINITY:

Regular monthly meetings during the year, with Missionary readings. The first of the year a Birthday Box was adopted to gather funds for the United Offering.

HOOSAC—ALL SAINTS':

The Secretary reports that they have 20 members and are in a prosperous condition. They have made aprons and rag rugs for sale, and have a monthly Missionary meeting.

HOOSICK FALLS—S. MARK'S:

The Secretary reports no work from this Branch, but it seems to the Manager that they have the highest kind of a report to make, as their Rector, Rev. Leopold Kroll, has offered to go to the Mission Field, and has gone to Honolulu to work for Bishop Restarick. The Branch may be proud to have given so much.

SALEM—S. PAUL'S:

This Branch has had a very successful winter, beginning work in January with 21 members. Meetings have been well attended, and are held at the members' houses. An interesting paper was read by a member on: "Education in the Missions in Foreign Lands."

SANDY HILL—ZION:

The work in this Branch has been much the same as last year, with monthly meetings, at which the Rector has read from the "Spirit of Missions."

TROY—ASCENSION:

The Secretary reports a very interesting and successful winter, with six Missionary Teas, at one of which Miss Knapp gave them a talk on the work of the Auxiliary from the beginning. They have also read Bishop Talbot's book, and the "Spirit of Missions." Rag rugs have been made and sold, the proceeds filling their boxes. Several new members have been added.

TROY—S. JOHN'S:

A Junior Branch has been started at St. John's, and is in a flourishing condition. The usual good boxes have been sent out from all the Parish Societies, working through the Auxiliary.

TROY—S. PAUL'S:

This Branch has worked as usual, and at one of their Lent meetings Miss Knapp spoke to them on Auxiliary work. A Junior Branch has also been started, Miss Stetson addressing one of the meetings.

TROY—HOLY CROSS:

Last October a Special Service was held on the day that the United Offering was presented in Richmond. The Offering was sent directly to Richmond, to be added to the great Offering there. Four new members have joined this year, making thirty in all. Our weekly meetings in Lent were opened with a short Service of Intercession for our Missions and Missionaries, and on April 10th a "Quiet Afternoon" was held in the Church, the meditations being given by Dr. Tibbits of Hoosac. We have read at our meetings, besides the regular Missionary information, "Some American Churchmen," and articles on the "Church," by Dr. Mortimer. Our aim is to give the members an intelligent interest in the work they are doing.

I have arranged two general meetings this year, one at St. Paul's Parish House, addressed by Deaconess Drant, of San Francisco; and one for all Junior Branches within reach, at Holy Cross, Troy. At the Junior meeting Rev. Mr. Newell, of Mechanicville, and Miss Stetson, of Albany, made

addresses, and each Branch made a short historical report of its work. Great interest was shown, and these Junior meetings will be held twice a year, at least, after this. The Devotional Service conducted by Dr. Tibbits was also for all Branches within reach of Troy, and was a great inspiration to all who could attend.

FANNIE S. BABCOCK,

Manager.

PARISHES.	Boxes.		Money.
	No.	Value.	
Cambridge :			
S. Luke's			\$18 00
Fort Edward :			
S. James'	1	\$27 00	13 50
Granville :			
Trinity			9 00
Greenwich :			
S. Paul's			
Hoosac :			
All Saints'	1	5 00	10 00
Hoosick Falls :			
S. Mark's			15 00
Rensselaer :			
Epiphany	2	25 00	11 00
Salem :			
S. Paul's	1	90 00	6 00
Sandy Hill :			
Zion	2	53 00	11 00
Troy :			
Ascension	2	105 24	32 00
Holy Cross	6	108 00	40 00
S. John's	5	421 45	169 00
S. Paul's	4	173 25	87 11
	24	\$1007 94	\$421 61

ARCHDEACONRY OF TROY.

SECOND DIVISION.

TOWNS.	Parishes.	Parish Officers.
Ballston Spa.....	Christ Church.....	President, Mrs. H. J. Medbury. Secretary, Miss Mary R. Moore.
Burnt Hills.....	Calvary.....	President, Mrs. M. J. Moore. Secretary, Mrs. Persis S. Cotton.
Charlton.....	S. Paul's.....	President, Mrs. W. Chalmers. Secretary, Miss Mary E. Callaghan.
Mechanicville.....	S. Luke's.....	President, Mrs. Heywood. Secretary, Mrs. Adams, 7 Adams St.
East Line.....	S. John's.....	President, Mrs. William Skidmore. Secretary, Mrs. Howland Fish.
Round Lake.....	All Saints'.....	President, Mrs. P. C. Curtis. Secretary, Mrs. E. H. Van Deusen.
Saratoga Springs...	Bethesda.....	President, Miss K. Yewens. Secretary, Mrs. Simpkins.
Schuylerville.....	S. Stephens'.....	President, Mrs. E. Jay Cooke. Secretary, Mrs. Frank Gow.
Schaghticoke and Valley Falls.....	Trinity.....	President, Mrs. C. A. Sproat. Secretary, Mrs. R. Pekins.
Stillwater.....	S. John's.....	President, Mrs. J. W. Sharer. Secretary, Mrs. John Bradley.
Waterford.....	Grace.....	President, Mrs. Orlando Chase. Secretary, Mrs. C. E. Welch.

PARISHES.	Boxes.		Money.
	No.	Value.	
Ballston Spa : Christ Church	2	\$155 00	\$ 1 00
Burnt Hills : Calvary	1	15 00	10 00
Charlton : S. Paul's	1	9 00	15 00
Mechanicville : S. Luke's	2	22 00	12 00
East Line : S. John's	1	30 00	2 00
Round Lake : All Saints'			
Saratoga Springs : Bethesda	6	111 75	
Schuylerville : S. Stephen's			8 00
Schaghticoke : Trinity			
Stillwater : S. John's			
Waterford : Grace			27 00
Valley Falls : Trinity			15 00
	13	\$342 75	\$90 00

ARCHDEACONRY OF TROY.

THIRD DIVISION.

TOWNS.	Parishes.	Parish Officers.
Ausable Forks.....	S. James'	President, Mrs. Henry Rogers. Secretary, Mrs. L. A. Clements.
Champlain	S. John's	President, Miss Frances A. Finley. Secretary, Miss Frances A. Finley.
Essex	S. John's	President, Mrs. E. Fairbanks.
Willsboro'.....	S. Mary's.....	Secretary, Mrs. H. B. Whitney.
Falls.....	Church of the Messiah....	President, Mrs. J. A. Holden. Secretary, Mrs. J. E. Parry, 88 Warren Street.
Plattsburgh.....	Trinity	President, Mrs. J. Ovette Smith. Secretary, Miss Anna Gilliland, 32 Broad Street.
Schroon Lake.	S. Andrews'	President, Secretary, Mrs. Samuel Russell.
Ticonderoga.....	Church of the Cross	President, Secretary, Mrs. G. B. Bascom.
Whitehall.....	Trinity.....	President, Miss Mary Brown. Secretary, Miss Ruth Hopson.
Port Henry	Christ Church	President, Secretary,

AUSABLE FORKS—S. JAMES':

This Branch has been unable to keep on this year, with its work, on account of illness all around; but hopes to do better next year.

CHAMPLAIN—S. JOHN'S :

This Branch has kept up its regular meetings, with readings from the "Spirit of Missions."

ESSEX—S. JOHN'S :

WILLSBORO'—S. MARY'S :

The meetings during Lent were well attended. Readings from "Mission Work in Foreign Fields" have been given. Voluntary assistance has been given from the ladies outside the Parish.

GLENS FALLS—CHURCH OF THE MESSIAH :

This prosperous Branch followed, during the year, a plan of Mission Study laid out by the Board of Missions. The general subject "Conversion of the World."

PLATTSBURGH—TRINITY :

Meetings well attended during Lent; a great amount of work was done. The numbers are small, but for the Lent box 281 garments were cut and made.

SCHROON LAKE—S. ANDREWS' :

TICONDEROGA—CHURCH OF THE CROSS :

WHITEHALL—TRINITY :

No reports from these Branches this year, but the Manager hopes to hear from all before May.

MRS. HOBART B. WHITNEY,

Manager.

PARISHES.	Boxes.		Money.
	No.	Value.	
Au Sable Forks :			
Trinity			
Champlain :			
S. John's			
Essex :			
S. John's	2	40 00	
Glens Falls :			
Church of the Messiah	3	130 00	
Plattsburgh:			
Trinity	2	85 35	1 50
Schroon Lake :			
S. Andrew's			
Ticonderoga :			
Church of the Cross			
Whitehall :			
Trinity			
Port Henry :			
Christ Church			1 00
	7	\$255 35	\$2 50

SUMMARY OF MONEY AND BOXES GIVEN BY THE ALBANY DIOCESAN BRANCH OF THE
WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS FROM MAY 1, 1907, TO MAY 1, 1908.

ARCHDEACONRIES.	Boxes.	Value.	Money.	United Offering.	Total.
Albany, First Division.....	34	\$1,731 21	\$975 43	\$353 43	\$3,060 07
Albany, Second Division.....	17	947 29	249 80	117 04	1,314 13
Ogdensburgh.....	7	377 98	50 00	75 25	503 23
Susquehanna, First Division.....	10	305 30	313 00	87 00	705 30
Susquehanna, Second Division.....	6	205 55	161 81	72 28	439 64
Troy, First Division.....	24	1,007 94	421 61	200 93	1,630 48
Troy, Second Division.....	13	342 75	90 00	38 54	471 29
Troy, Third Division.....	7	255 35	2 50	43 91	301 76
	118	\$5,173 37	\$2,264 15	\$988 38	\$8,425 90

LIFE MEMBERS.

ALBANY — GRACE.

In memory of Mrs. C. E. Sauer.

ALBANY — S. PAUL'S.

* Miss Helen E. Lacy.

COHOES — S. JOHN'S.

Miss Susan Thorn Knapp.

TROY — S. PAUL'S.

Mrs. John I. Thompson.

* Mrs. E. M. Stebbins.

SUSTAINING MEMBERS.

ALBANY — ALL SAINTS' CATHEDRAL.

Mrs. Melvil Dewey.

Mrs. Samuel B. Ward.

Mrs. Mather.

Mrs. G. G. Carter.

* Mrs. Andrew Hamilton.

S. PETER'S.

Mrs. Robert C. Pruyn.

Miss Talcott.

COHOES — S. JOHN'S.

Miss Susan T. Knapp.

SPRINGFIELD CENTRE — S. MARY'S.

Mrs. Pell-Clarke.

TROY — HOLY CROSS.

Mrs. Babcock.

TROY — CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.

Mrs. J. K. Gardner.

TROY — S. PAUL'S.

Mrs. George B. Warren.

Mrs. John I. Thompson.

Mrs. Hobart W. Thompson.

TROY — S. JOHN'S.

Mrs. Charles Nash.

Miss E. N. Fraser.

WATERVLIET — TRINITY.

Miss A. Fraser.

* Deceased.

MINUTES OF THE TWENTY-FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING.

The 25th annual meeting of the Albany Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions was held in S. Paul's Parish, Troy, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 12th and 13th, 1908.

Tuesday evening, May 12th, at 8.00 P. M. In S. Paul's Church. Missionary Service. Speaker, the Rev. S. N. Ussher, of New York.

Following the Missionary Service, there was a special meeting of the Managers of the Archdeaconries in the Parish House.

Wednesday morning, May 13th, in S. Paul's Church.

Celebration of the Holy Communion, the Rev. Dr. Enos being celebrant, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Smith.

10.30 A. M. Business meeting in Harmony Hall.

The President, Deaconess Pell-Clarke, in the chair. The roll call showed 38 Parishes represented by 325 delegates, 68 Juniors and 4 Clergy. The minutes of the semi-annual meeting were read and approved. Report of the corresponding secretary, Miss Knapp, accepted. Report of the treasurer, Mrs. Rochester, accepted and placed on file. Report of the Junior secretary, Miss Stetson, accepted.

12.00 M.

Noonday prayers for Missions, offered by the Rev. E. J. Cooke, of Schuylerville.

Report of the Church record, Auxiliary department, Miss Stole, adopted.

Under miscellaneous business:

Mrs. Paine, of Delhi, told of their Branch's method of raising money by collecting old papers and selling a carload of these to a firm in Buffalo.

Mrs. Millen offered a resolution from S. Peter's Branch, Albany, that the price paid for Annual Reports, if possible, should be reduced.

Mrs. Paige extended an invitation from Mrs. Sterling, in behalf of the Branch at Morris, to hold the semi-annual meeting in that place. This invitation was left for the executive committee to decide.

Miss Stetson read a resolution made at the semi-annual meeting in regard to the selection of Mission Fields for which our pledges may be made. The majority of letters received suggested leaving this in the hands of the executive committee.

Mrs. Thompson announced that Miss Knapp would write a History of the Auxiliary, and would endeavor to have the book ready for the semi-annual meeting.

The President, Deaconess Pell-Clarke, addressed the delegates in a most interesting and earnest manner.

Mrs. Lockwood asked if the service prepared by the Bishop was used by the various branches. A delegate from Bethesda Branch, Saratoga, asked if any of the delegates would tell of methods of raising money. Mrs. Paige, of S. George's, Schenectady; Miss Fraser, of S. John's, Troy, and Mrs. Rochester replied in answer to this question.

Miss Harris read a letter from Miss Emery.

1.00 P. M.

Luncheon.

2.00 P. M.

Address by Miss Florence G. Langdon, of Fairbanks, Alaska. Following this speaker, Miss Lindley, chairman of the Junior department of the Diocese of New York, gave a special address to the Juniors. There were a large number of Juniors present, most of them having come after lunch. It is hoped that another year there will be a still larger number present, as special arrangements will be made for them.

Mrs. Babcock offered a rising vote of thanks for the generous hospitality of S. Paul's Branch. Carried.

Benediction. Adjournment.

GRACE McLEOD THOMPSON,

Recording Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING.

Semi-Annual meeting of the Albany Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, held at Christ Church, Walton, on Tuesday and Wednesday, Nov. 5 and 6. 1907.

On Tuesday evening at 6 o'clock supper was served in the Parish House to about 50 persons. At 8 o'clock the Missionary Service was held in Christ Church, Rev. Mr. Pember, of Walton, and Rev. Mr. Grout, of Delhi, reading the service. The address was delivered by the Rt. Rev. John McKim, D. D., Bishop of Tokyo.

After the service an informal reception was held in the Parish House. Mrs. Rochester spoke upon the United Offering. The resolution of the last Triennial Council upon the United Offering was read, and many boxes were distributed.

On Wednesday morning, Nov. 6th, there was a celebration of the Holy Communion at 9 o'clock, with the Rector as celebrant. At 10 o'clock the business meeting was called to order by Mrs. Lockwood, Manager of the Second Division of the Archdeaconry of the Susquehanna, who, in the absence of the President and Vice Presidents, took the chair. After prayers by Rev. Mr. Grout, Mrs. Lockwood announced the resignation of Mrs. S. B. Ward, who has been President of the Auxiliary for six years; and also stated that the Bishop of the Diocese had appointed Deaconess Pell-Clarke to succeed her.

The roll call showed 41 persons present, as follows:

Auxiliary Delegates:

S. Peter's, Albany.....	1
S. John's, Cohoes.....	2
S. Augustine's, Ilion.....	2
Christ Church, Gilbertsville.....	1
S. Paul's, Sidney.....	12
S. John's, Delhi.....	4
Christ Church, Walton.....	8

Juniors:

Christ Church, Walton.....	2
S. John's, Delhi.....	1
S. Paul's, Sidney.....	3

Total attendance of delegates..... 36

Five Clergymen were present:

Rev. Mr. Pember, Walton; Rev. Mr. Grout, Delhi; Rev. Mr. Woodridge, Gilbertsville; Rev. Mr. Birdsall, Cooperstown; Rev. Mr. Balsley, Sidney.....	5
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Total attendance..... 41

In the absence of the Recording Secretary, the Corresponding Secretary read the minutes of the 24th annual meeting, held at Cohoes, May 15th. After an amendment, the minutes were adopted.

The Corresponding Secretary reported 29 boxes being prepared by as many Branches. The Secretary read a paper from the Missions House, giving an explanation of the way in which boxes are offered to the Missionaries.

The Treasurer reported bills paid, and read the deficiency in each pledge. Report adopted.

No report from the Secretary of the Junior Auxiliary.

The United Offering Treasurer, Mrs. Rochester, reported the Diocesan United Offering for the last three years as \$3,314.14; of which the Juniors gave \$238.38. The Treasurer further reported that she already had upon deposit \$36.53, towards the United Offering of 1910. Report accepted.

Although no reports were asked from the Managers, Miss Hughes was asked to give a report of the Auxiliary in her department—the First Division of the Archdeaconry of the Susquehanna. Miss Hughes reported added interest in the work, and several successful Mission Study classes.

Miss Sarah North, of Walton, for many years the faithful Manager of the Second Division of the Archdeaconry of the Susquehanna, was invited to speak, and assured the Auxiliary of her continued interest in all its work.

The Secretary of the Sidney Branch reported interest and progress.

Mrs. North, President of the Walton Branch, reported that the women were already holding meetings, and filling a box.

Mrs. Grout, of Delhi, reported study classes successfully carried on for three years.

Mrs. Rulison, of Ilion, brought greeting from her Branch, and reported the prosperity of the Branch, and the success of its study classes.

Mrs. Rochester was asked to give a history of the Babies' Branch.

Miss Knapp, upon request, told how the United Offering is collected in S. John's, Cohoes.

In answer to an inquiry by Miss Hughes, Mrs. Rochester said she would like the United Offering collected twice a year, so that the money might be drawing interest; and she requested the Parish treasurers to have the money in her hands by April 25th and September 15th.

Rev. Mr. Pember presented a message of regret from the Bishop-Coadjutor.

Rev. Mr. Grout, responding to a request from the acting president, gave an account of his visit to the General Convention in Richmond.

Rev. Mr. Pember spoke upon the importance of prayer, and explained the religious or spiritual side of our work, and the three-fold aim of the Auxiliary—"Prayer, Study and Work."

After a discussion upon objects for pledges, and the statement being made that the Secretary had been authorized to write the Branches, asking for an expression of opinion in regard to the choice of pledges, the following resolution was adopted:

Moved and seconded, that, after the choice of the Parish Branches in regard to future pledges is received by the Executive Board, a list of pledges be prepared and submitted to the Bishop for his approval, and these be presented to the Parish Branches, and be voted upon by the Parish delegates at the annual meeting in May.

Mrs. Rochester made a motion, seconded by Miss Knapp, that a vote of thanks be tendered the Rector and people of Christ Church, Walton, for their gracious and bountiful hospitality. Carried by a rising vote.

After noonday prayers for missions by Rev. Mr. Pember, the Rev. Ralph Birdsall, of Cooperstown, was asked to speak upon the Cooperstown Orphanage.

Rev. Mr. Birdsall extended to the Auxiliary a cordial invitation to hold the annual meeting at Cooperstown in May.

Mrs. Rochester explained the idea of S. Christopher's League, and asked that all contributions for the Orphan House of the Holy Savior, Cooperstown, the Child's Hospital, and S. Margaret's Home, Albany, be sent through the treasurer of S. Christopher's League, which was organized to assist Diocesan institutions.

Adjournment.

S. T. KNAPP,

Recording Secretary Pro Tem.

REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY.

Number of Parish branches reporting work.....	60
Number of Parish branches reporting no work.....	7
Number of Parish branches making no report	17
Total number of branches	86
Number of letters received.....	580
Number of letters written.....	879
Number of Diocesan Missionary boxes	24
Number of Domestic Missionary boxes	92
Number of Foreign Missionary boxes	2
Total number of boxes.....	118
Total valuation of boxes	<u>\$5,173 37</u>

SUSAN THORN KNAPP,

Corresponding Secretary.

JUNIOR BRANCHES OF DIOCESE OF ALBANY.

ARCHDEACONRY OF ALBANY.

FIRST DIVISION.

TOWNS.	Parishes.	Directors.
Albany	S. Peter's	Mrs. Montgomery Rochester, 435 State St.
Albany	S. Paul's	Miss Pauline Wilson, 4 First Street.
Amsterdam	S. Ann's	Mrs. E. T. Carroll, 8 Mohawk Place.
Gloversville	Christ Church	Miss Ruth Robinson, 18 West Center St.
Cohoes	S. John's	Mrs. William Davis, 177 Main Street.
Rensselaerville	Trinity	Mrs. S. C. Thompson.

SECOND DIVISION.

Athens	Trinity	Miss Margaret Beardsley.
Palenville	Gloria Dei	Miss Eva Trumpbour.
Schenectady	S. George's	Mrs. J. S. Conover, 18 Union Street.

ARCHDEACONRY OF OGDENSBURG.

Lake Placid	S. Eustace and S. Hubert's	Mrs. E. A. Wall, Saranac Lake.
Ogdensburg	S. John's	Mrs. W. A. Withmer, 134 Ford Street.

ARCHDEACONRY OF THE SUSQUEHANNA.

FIRST DIVISION.

Springfield Centre	S. Mary's	Deaconess, Pell-Clarke.
Cherry Valley	Grace	Miss R. G. Wilkin.
East Springfield	S. Paul's	Mrs. John Prout.
Oneonta	S. James	Mrs. E. S. Barkdull.
Morris	Zion	Miss Sterling.

SECOND DIVISION.

Delhi	S. John's	Miss Irene Wilkin.
Walton	Christ Church	Miss Mildred Hanford.

ARCHDEACONRY OF TROY.

FIRST DIVISION.

Hoosac	All Saints'	Mrs. A. F. Cipperly.
Salem	S. Paul's	Mrs. S. Borden-Smith.
Fort Edward	S. James	Miss Leona Durkee.
Troy	Ascension	Mrs. Robert Ransley, 198 Pawling Ave.
Troy	S. Paul's	
Troy	Holy Cross	Miss Mary A. Lewis, 68 Ninth Street.
Troy	S. John's	Miss M. C. Preston.
Rensselaer	Epiphany	Mrs. Thomas White.
Granville	Trinity	Mrs. J. W. Gray.

SECOND DIVISION.

Waterford	Grace	Miss Mary Cannell.
Mechanicville	S. Luke's	Miss Melissa Patrick.

THIRD DIVISION.

Warrensburg	Church of the Holy Cross	Mrs. F. W. Purdy.
Glens Falls	Church of the Messiah	Mrs. W. H. Robbins, 40 Maple Street.
South Glens Falls	Church of the Good Shepherd	
Essex	S. John's	Miss Carla Davis.
Champlain	S. John's	Mrs. H. H. Knapp.
		Miss F. A. Finley.

MAY STETSON,

Secretary.

JUNIOR AUXILIARY REPORT FROM MAY 1, 1907, TO MAY 1, 1908.

Boxes sent during the year:

7 boxes to White Earth, Minnesota.	
1 box to Miss Hudson, North Carolina.	
4 boxes to Rev. W. N. Hardin, Gastonia, N. C.	
12 joint boxes sent by 25 branches—value	\$291 54
14 boxes sent by individual Parishes—value	295 75
Total value of boxes.....	<u>\$587 29</u>

Branches co-operating in the joint Christmas boxes	25
Number of branches sending other boxes.....	6
Branches sending no report.....	3
Branches added during the year.....	8
Number of branches in the Diocese.....	34

Expenses during the year:

Stamps and stationery.....	\$ 8 75
Cartage and freight on Christmas boxes	13 75
Expressage on box to the South.....	3 23
Total expense	<u>\$25 73</u>

Number of letters written	184
Number of postals written	18

MAY STETSON,

Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY DEPARTMENT IN THE CHURCH RECORD.

In writing the articles for the Record, the same plan has been pursued in this past year as in the year before. When there has been any news from headquarters of interest to the Auxiliary branches as a whole, such as accounts of proceedings at an annual or semi-annual meeting, the formation of the Comfort Club, or any communications from Diocesan officers relative to the work in hand, all the space needed has been given first to these matters, in the hope that the department in the Record, might be of some practical assistance both to the branches and the hard-worked officers. It would be a great help in trying to realize this aim if the different branches would write freely to the department about any questions that might need clearing up, even if it should be only a question of red tape, for what troubles our branch might very probably trouble others, and an explanation might thus help more than the original inquirer.

When the space has not been needed for notices of this kind it has been devoted to a consideration of the special Mission posts for which the help of our branches has been asked, either in pledges or boxes, including S. Mary's Hall, Shanghai, Miss Thackara's work at the Fort Defiance Hospital, Miss Carter's work in Alaska, the Pine Ridge Indian Mission, and several different Missions among the poor whites in the South.

There is but one ideal for both these classes of articles, simply to make the Auxiliary work more intelligent and more interesting to the members, and in striving after this, any expression of opinion or suggestions about the department are at all times not only welcome, but most valuable, and if the department is to be really in touch with the branches, indispensable.

LEILA V. STOTT.

REPORT OF THE DEPARTMENT OF THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB.

During the past year there have been sent regularly from this Diocese 503 magazines, either daily, weekly or each month; 31 parcels, barrels and boxes of literature, and some music, have been sent, and \$29.00 received. This represents the work of 17 librarians. The correspondent has given two talks to the members of the Auxiliary at All Saints' Cathedral and S. Paul's Church, Albany.

MARY MILLER,

Diocesan Correspondent.

REPORT OF TREASURER FOR YEAR ENDING MAY 1, 1908.

RECEIPTS.

ARCHDEACONRY OF ALBANY — FIRST DIVISION.

Cathedral of All Saints, Albany.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$50 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	50 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	10 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	5 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	5 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving.....	5 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Hunter.....	10 00	
For Chinese Hospital, San Francisco.....	14 78	
For general work of the Church.....	25 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	20 00	
For four members of "Comfort Club".....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	20 00	
		\$215 78

Church of the Holy Innocents, Albany.

For salary Bishop Graves.....	\$3 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	2 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	1 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	1 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	1 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	2 00	
For general work of the Church.....	4 00	
For current expenses.....	2 00	
		\$16 00

S. Paul's Church, Albany.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$20 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	20 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska (C. M. H.).....	25 00	
<i>Special</i> for library Boone School, Wuchang.....	50 00	
<i>Special</i> for Good Samaritan Hospital, Alaska.....	50 00	
<i>Special</i> J. Livingston Reese Room, S. Peter's Hospital, Montana.....	25 00	
For Church Periodical Club.....	5 00	
For general work of the Church.....	2 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	10 00	
For current expenses.....	3 00	
		\$210 00

S. Peter's Church, Albany.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$35 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	35 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	13 00	
For salary Miss McKim (Miss Rockwell, \$2.50).....	14 50	
For salary Miss Graves (Miss Rockwell, \$2.50).....	14 50	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	13 00	
For Bishop Doane scholarship, South Dakota.....	60 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop McKim.....	45 15	
<i>Special</i> for Chinese Hospital, San Francisco.....	10 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Neve.....	10 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving (Mrs. R. C. P., \$10)....	20 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Hunter.....	5 00	
For general work of the Church (Mrs. R. C. P., \$35)....	120 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	15 00	
For current expenses.....	20 00	
For six members "Comfort Club".....	1 50	
		\$431 65

S. Ann's Church, Amsterdam.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$8 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	8 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	2 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	2 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	2 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	2 00	
For current expenses.....	2 00	
		\$26 00

S. John's Church, Cohoes.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$10 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	10 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	5 00	
For current expenses.....	2 00	
For Chinese Hospital, San Francisco (Girls' Friendly)	5 00	
		\$32 00

Zion Church, Fonda.

<i>Special</i> for Miss McKim.....	\$3 00	
<i>Special</i> for Miss Graves.....	3 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$7 00

Christ Church, Gloversville.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$3 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	3 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	3 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$10 00

S. John's Church, Johnstown.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$5 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	7 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	2 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	2 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	2 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Hunter.....	1 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$21 00

Trinity Church, Watervliet.

<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving (Miss A. Fraser).....	\$3 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Hunter (Miss A. Fraser).....	2 00	
For current expenses (Miss A. Fraser).....	1 00	
		\$6 00

ARCHDEACONRY OF ALBANY — SECOND DIVISION.

Trinity Church, Ashland.

For current expenses.....	\$1 00	
For general work.....	3 00	
		\$4 00

Trinity Church, Athens.

For salary Bishop Graves.....	\$2 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving.....	1 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$5 00

S. Alban's Church, Frankfort.

For Diocesan Missionary.....	\$1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$2 00

Christ Church, Greenville.

For current expenses.....	\$1 00	\$1 00
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Christ Church, Hudson.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$6 50	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	2 50	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	5 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	2 50	
For salary Miss Graves.....	2 50	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	10 00	
For Rev. C. C. Pierce.....	1 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop McKim (also \$5 given direct).....	20 50	

<i>Special</i> for Bishop Griswold.....	\$25 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	12 00	
For current expenses.....	4 00	
For six members "Comfort Club".....	1 50	
		<hr/> \$93 00

S. Augustine's Church, Ilion.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$10 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	10 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	5 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	7 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	7 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	5 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	4 00	
For current expenses.....	2 00	
		<hr/> \$50 00

S. Paul's Church, Kinderhook

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$2 50	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	2 50	
For salary Miss McKim.....	2 75	
For salary Miss Graves.....	2 75	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	5 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$16 50

Church of Our Saviour, Lebanon Springs.

For Diocesan Missionary.....	\$2 30	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$3 30

Emmanuel Church, Little Falls.

For S. John's in the Wilderness, Alaska.....		\$5 00
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Gloria Dei, Palenville.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$3 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	3 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	3 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$10 00

Christ Church, Schenectady.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$2 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	2 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop McKim.....	2 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kendrick.....	2 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$10 00

S. George's Church, Schenectady.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$5 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	10 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	5 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	5 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	5 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	5 00	
For S. John's in the Wilderness, Alaska.....	5 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	5 00	
For current expenses.....	5 00	
		\$50 00

ARCHDEACONRY OF OGDENSBURGH.

Trinity Church, Gouverneur.

For Diocesan Missionary.....	\$1 00	
For Diocesan Missionary, S. Cecelia's Guild.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$3 00

S. John's Church Massena

For salary Miss Graves.....	\$1 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	1 00	
		\$2 00

Trinity Church, Potsdam.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$25 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	10 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving.....	2 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Hunter.....	2 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	3 00	
For current expenses.....	3 00	
		\$45 00

ARCHDEACONRY OF THE SUSQUEHANNA — FIRST DIVISION,

Grace Church, Cherry Valley.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$1 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	1 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving.....	2 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Hunter.....	1 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	2 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$8 00

Christ Church, Cooperstown.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$5 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	5 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	5 00	

For salary Miss Graves.....	\$5 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	5 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	5 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	10 00	
For current expenses.....	5 00	
		<hr/> \$45 00

S. Paul's Church, East Springfield.

For salary Bishop Graves.....	\$3 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving.....	1 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. A. B. Hunter.....	1 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$7 00

Christ Church, Gilbertsville.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$5 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	5 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$12 00

Zion Church, Morris.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$5 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	5 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	3 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	3 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	3 00	
For current expenses.....	2 00	
		<hr/> \$21 00

S. Mary's Church, Springfield Centre.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$5 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	5 00	
For S. John's in the Wilderness, Alaska.....	205 00	
For current expenses.....	5 00	
		<hr/> \$220 00

They also report as sent direct:

<i>Special</i> to Clergyman in Diocese.....	\$100 00
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ARCHDEACONRY OF THE SUSQUEHANNA — SECOND DIVISION.

S. John's Church, Delhi.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$10 00
For salary Bishop Graves.....	10 00
For salary Miss Thackara.....	3 00
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving.....	3 00
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Griswold.....	45 00

For Diocesan Missionary.....	\$3 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
For twenty-two members of "Comfort Club".....	5 50	
	<hr/>	\$80 50

S. Paul's Church, Franklin.

For current expenses.....	\$1 00	
For eight members of "Comfort Club".....	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$3 00

S. Paul's Church, Sidney.

For salary Miss Graves.....	\$1 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	1 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	2 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$5 00

Christ Church, Walton.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$10 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	10 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	10 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	5 00	
For general work.....	10 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Hunter.....	5 00	
For current expenses.....	2 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop McKim (semi-annual meeting)....	15 31	
For twenty-four members "Comfort Club".....	6 00	
	<hr/>	\$73 31

ARCHDEACONRY OF TROY—FIRST DIVISION.

S. Luke's Church, Cambridge.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$5 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	5 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	1 50	
For salary Miss Graves.....	1 50	
For current expenses.....	5 00	
	<hr/>	\$18 00

S. James' Church, Fort Edward.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$3 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	3 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	1 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	1 50	
For salary Miss Graves.....	1 50	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 50	
For current expenses.....	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$13 50

Trinity Church, Granville.

For salary Bishop Graves.....	\$2 00	
For general work.....	5 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$9 00

All Saints' Church, Hoosac.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$2 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	2 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	2 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	2 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$10 00

S. Mark's Church, Hoosick Falls.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$3 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	5 00	
Special for Bishop Kinsolving.....	2 00	
Special for Rev. Mr. Hunter.....	2 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	2 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$15 00

Church of the Epiphany, Rensselaer.

For current expenses.....	\$1 00	
For general work.....	10 00	
		<hr/> \$11 00

S. Paul's Church, Salem.

For salary Miss Graves.....	\$1 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	1 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	1 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	2 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$6 00

Zion Church, Sandy Hill.

For general work.....	\$10 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$11 00

Church of the Ascension, Troy.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$10 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	10 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	3 50	
For salary Miss Graves.....	3 50	
Special for Bishop Kinsolving.....	2 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	2 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$32 00

Church of the Holy Cross, Troy.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$2 50	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	2 50	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	10 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	5 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	5 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	10 00	
For current expenses.....	5 00	
		<hr/> \$40 00

S. John's Church, Troy.

For salary Bishop Restarick—"Sunday School".....	\$20 00	
For salary Bishop Graves—"Infant Class".....	25 00	
Special for Bishop Spalding—"Daughters of S. John"	30 00	
Special for Miss Thackara—"Mothers".....	12 00	
Special for Bishop Kinsolving—"Minister's Aid".....	5 00	
For Church Periodical Club—"Mann Bequest".....	25 00	
For Chinese Hospital, San Francisco—Miss Smith's Class.....	2 00	
For current expenses—Branch fees.....	12 00	
Individual members.....	23 00	
Sustaining members—Mrs. Nash, Mrs. Orr and Miss Fraser.....	15 00	
		<hr/> \$169 00

Also reported \$5.00 sent Rev. Mr. Wentworth, Lexington Diocese.

S. Paul's Church, Troy.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$10 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	10 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	5 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	5 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	5 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	5 00	
For Chinese Hospital (general meeting).....	13 11	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	5 00	
For current expenses.....	5 00	
Sustaining member—Mrs. Warren for Rev. Mr. Van Allen.....	5 00	
For eight members "Comfort Club".....	2 00	
		<hr/> \$70 11

S. Paul's Church, Troy.

Married Branch Helpers, G. F. S.:

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$3 00
For salary Bishop Graves.....	3 00
For salary Miss Thackara.....	2 00

For salary Miss McKim.....	\$2 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	2 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	3 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$17 00

ARCHDEACONRY OF TROY — SECOND DIVISION.

Christ Church, Ballston Spa.

For current expenses.....	\$1 00	\$1 00
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Calvary Church, Burnt Hills.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$2 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	2 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	1 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	1 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	1 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	2 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$10 00

S. Paul's Church, Charlton.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$2 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	2 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	1 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	1 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	1 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
For general work.....	6 00	
		<hr/> \$15 00

S. John's Church, East Line.

For current expenses.....	\$1 00	
For general work.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$2 00

S. Luke's Church, Mechanicville.

For current expenses.....	\$1 00	
For general work.....	11 00	
		<hr/> \$12 00

S. Stephen's Church, Schuylerville.

For Diocesan Missionary.....	\$1 50	
For current expenses.....	1 50	
For general work.....	5 00	
		<hr/> \$8 00

Valley Falls.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$2 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	2 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	2 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	2 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	2 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	3 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$15 00

Grace Church, Waterford.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$2 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	2 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	3 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	2 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	2 00	
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	2 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. C. E. Rice, Circle City, Alaska.....	10 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	2 00	
For current expenses.....	2 00	
		<hr/> \$27 00

Trinity Church, Plattsburgh.

For Diocesan Missionary.....	\$ 50	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		<hr/> \$1 50

Christ Church, Port Henry

For current expenses.....	\$1 00	\$1 00
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		<hr/> \$2,264 15
Balance on hand, May, 1907 (of this \$25 for Church Periodical Club).....		160 48
Received during year ending May, 1908:		
From Woman's Auxiliary.....	\$2,264 15	
From Junior Auxiliary.....	207 50	
From Babies' Branch.....	8 10	
Interest on Storage House Fund.....	25 03	\$2,504 78
		<hr/> \$2,665 26
Disbursements for year ending May, 1908.....		2,454 50
		<hr/> \$210 76
Balance.....		
Of this \$30 for Church Periodical Club.		

Respectfully submitted,
 MARY H. ROCHESTER,
Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.

A. T. PALMER,
 WM. L. WIDDEMER.

Permanent fund..... \$171 61

MARY H. ROCHESTER,

Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.

A. T. PALMER,

WM. L. WIDDEMER.

Received from Corresponding Secretary..... \$29 65

MARY H. ROCHESTER,

Treasurer.

DISBURSEMENTS.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$300 50
For salary Bishop Graves.....	304 50
For salary Miss Thackara.....	100 00
For salary Miss Graves.....	100 00
For salary Miss McKim.....	100 00
For S. John's in the Wilderness, Alaska.....	215 00
For Tanana Mission, Alaska.....	100 00
For Bishop Doane, scholarship, South Dakota.....	60 00
For Bishop Kinsolving, Brazil.....	50 00
<i>Special</i> for Library, Boone School, Wuchang.....	50 00
<i>Special</i> to enlarge Good Samaritan Hospital, Alaska.....	50 00
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Griswold.....	85 00
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Spalding.....	30 00
For J. Livingston Reese Room, S. Peter's Hospital, Mont.....	25 00
For Rev. J. N. Marvin.....	150 00
For Church Periodical Club.....	25 00
<i>Special</i> for Rev. A. B. Hunter.....	40 00
For Chinese Hospital, San Francisco.....	63 89
For Chinese Hospital, Children's Ward.....	8 10
<i>Special</i> for Miss Thackara.....	16 00
<i>Special</i> for Miss McKim.....	18 00
<i>Special</i> for Miss Graves.....	18 00
<i>Special</i> for Bishop McKim.....	77 46
For Rev. Mr. Neve, Ivy Depot.....	10 00
For Rev. C. E. Rice, Circle City, Alaska.....	10 00
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kendrick.....	2 00
For traveling expenses, Rev. Allen W. Cooke.....	12 30
For traveling expenses, Rev. Mr. Eastman.....	10 00
For traveling expenses, Bishop McKim.....	12 00
For traveling expenses, Deaconess Drant.....	7 00
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Van Allen.....	5 00
The Troy Press Company :	
Programmes and slips for meeting.....	\$5 00
Stamped envelopes.....	2 90
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	7 90

Henry Stowell & Son, postals (Mrs. Thompson)	\$3 25
Weed-Parsons Company :	
Annual reports and mailing	113 35
June—300 notices for annual meeting	\$7 00
June—125 slips to Secretaries	1 25
June—100 order of services	2 00
June—150 envelopes, (Mrs. Thompson)	4 00
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Nov.—200 envelopes, (Mrs. Thompson)	14 25
Feb.—Stationery, (Miss Stetson)	1 50
May—400 notices annual meeting	2 75
May—stamped envelopes (Mrs. Thompson)	8 00
For expressage and postage on United Offering boxes..	4 25
For receipt and blank book and postage (Mrs. Rochester).....	6 50
For postage (Miss Stetson).....	4 50
For general work.....	6 00
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	227 50
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	\$2,454 50

Respectfully submitted,
 MARY H. ROCHESTER,
Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.
 A. T. PALMER,
 WM. L. WIDDEMER.

Bill of Corresponding Secretary for the year, from May 1, 1907, to May 1, 1908	29 65
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	\$2,484 15

MARY H. ROCHESTER,
Treasurer.

JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

S. Paul's Church, Albany.

For current expenses	\$2 00	\$2 00
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S. Peter's Church, Albany.

For salary Bishop Graves.....	\$1 00	
For salary Miss McKim.....	2 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	2 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving.....	1 00	
For general work.....	2 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$10 00

S. Ann's Church, Amsterdam.

For salary Bishop Graves.....	\$3 00	
<i>Special</i> for Miss McKim.....	3 00	
<i>Special</i> for Miss Graves.....	3 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving.....	1 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Hunter.....	1 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	3 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$15 00

Trinity Church, Athens.

For salary Miss McKim.....	\$1 00	
For salary Miss Graves	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$3 00

Grace Church, Cherry Valley.

For salary Bishop Graves.....	\$2 00	
<i>Special</i> for Miss McKim.....	3 00	
<i>Special</i> for Miss Graves.....	3 00	
For Chinese Hospital, San Francisco.....	3 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	2 00	
For current expenses.....	2 00	
	<hr/>	\$15 00

S. John's Church, Cohoes.

<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Hunter	\$1 00	
For Chinese Hospital, San Francisco.....	1 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 00	
For current expenses	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$4 00

S. John's Church, Delhi.

<i>Special</i> for Bishop Griswold.....	\$15 00	
<i>Special</i> for Miss McKim.....	5 00	
<i>Special</i> for Miss Graves.....	5 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Hunter.....	3 00	
For Chinese Hospital, San Francisco.....	10 00	
For general work.....	8 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	3 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$50 00

S. Paul's Church, East Springfield.

For current expenses.....		\$1 00
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Christ Church, Gilbertsville.

For salary Miss Thackara.....	\$ 50	
For salary Miss McKim.....	50	
For salary Miss Graves.....	50	
For current expenses.....	50	
		\$2 00

Trinity Church, Granville.

For salary Miss McKim.....	\$ 75	
For salary Miss Graves.....	75	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$2 50

Church of the Messiah, South Glens Falls.

For current expenses.....	\$1 00	\$1 00
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All Saints Church, Hoosac.

For salary Bishop Graves.....	\$1 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving.....	1 00	
<i>Special</i> for Rev. Mr. Hunter.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$4 00

S. James' Church, Oneonta.

For Diocesan Missionary.....	\$5 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$6 00

Church of the Epiphany, Rensselaer.

For current expenses.....		\$1 00
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Church of the Ascension, Troy.

For salary Bishop Graves.....	\$2 00	
<i>Special</i> for Miss McKim.....	4 00	
<i>Special</i> for Miss Graves.....	4 00	
For Diocesan Missionary.....	1 00	
For current expenses.....	2 00	
		\$13 00

Church of the Holy Cross, Troy.

For salary Bishop Restarick.....	\$8 00	
For salary Bishop Graves.....	8 00	
For salary Miss Thackara.....	7 50	
For salary Miss McKim.....	10 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	10 00	
<i>Special</i> for Bishop Kinsolving.....	1 00	
For general work.....	3 50	
For current expenses.....	2 00	
		\$50 00

S. John's Church, Johnstown.

For current expenses.....	1 00	
For general work.....	2 00	
		\$3 00

S. John's Church, Troy.

For salary Miss McKim.....	\$1 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	1 00	
For Chinese Hospital, San Francisco.....	5 00	
<i>Special</i> for Miss Thackara.....	4 00	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$12 00

Christ Church, Walton.

For salary Miss McKim	\$5 00	
For salary Miss Graves.....	5 00	
		\$10 00

Church of the Holy Cross, Warrensburgh.

For current expenses.....		\$1 00
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Grace Church, Waterford.

For salary Miss McKim.....	\$ 50	
For salary Miss Graves.....	50	
For current expenses.....	1 00	
		\$2 00

\$207 50

MARY H. ROCHESTER,

Treasurer.

BABIES' BRANCH.

Church of the Holy Cross, Troy.

For Children's Ward in Chinese Hospital, San Francisco	\$8 10
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MARY H. ROCHESTER,

Treasurer.

UNITED OFFERING—MAY TO OCTOBER 1.

INCLUDED IN OFFERING PRESENTED IN RICHMOND.

Cathedral of All Saints, Albany.....	\$ 2 00
Church of the Holy Innocents, Albany.....	13 00
S. Paul's Church, Albany.....	31 00
S. Peter's Church, Albany.....	24 14
Trinity Church, Ashland.....	2 00
Trinity Church, Athens.....	8 00
S. John's Church, Ausable Forks.....	7 00
Christ Church, Ballston.....	15 00
S. John's Church, Champlain.....	25 35
Grace Church, Cherry Valley.....	20 00
S. John's Church, Cohoes.....	130 51
Christ Church, Cooperstown.....	15 50
S. John's Church, Delhi.....	15 38
S. John's Church, Essex.....	3 90
Felsenheim Chapel.....	5 40
Zion Church, Fonda.....	2 50
S. Alban's Church, Frankfort.....	3 00
Christ Church, Gilbertsville.....	9 25
S. Peter's Church, Hobart.....	2 00
All Saints' Church, Hoosac.....	2 00
S. Mark's Church, Hoosick Falls.....	9 40
Christ Church, Hudson.....	27 00
S. Augustine's Church, Ilion.....	13 75
S. John's Church, Johnstown.....	2 00
S. Paul's Church, Kinderhook.....	9 35
S. Eustace Church, Lake Placid.....	29 50
Emmanuel Church, Little Falls.....	5 00
S. Luke's Church, Mechanicville.....	5 00
Zion Church, Morris.....	20 00
S. John's Church, Ogdensburgh.....	25 00
Church of Our Saviour, Lebanon Springs.....	3 00
Gloria Dei, Palenville.....	3 00
Trinity Church, Plattsburgh.....	7 66
Trinity Church, Potsdam.....	15 75
Emmanuel Church, Rensselaer.....	5 00
S. John's Church, Richfield Springs.....	7 00
All Saints' Church, Round Lake.....	1 00
S. Paul's Church, Salem.....	14 00
Bethesda Church, Saratoga.....	5 00
Trinity Church, Schaghticoke.....	1 00
S. George's Church, Schenectady.....	3 73
S. Mary's Church, Springfield Center.....	10 00
Grace Church, Stamford.....	17 18

Ascension Church, Troy.....	\$28 61
Holy Cross Church, Troy.....	47 34
Christ Church, Walton.....	9 75
Trinity Church, Watervliet.....	5 00

\$ 666 95

Junior Auxiliary:	
Trinity Church, Athens.....	\$ 2 00
S. John's Church, Cohoes.....	10 60
S. John's Church, Johnstown.....	5 50
Ascension Church, Troy.....	3 00
Holy Cross Church, Troy.....	15 60
S. John's Church, Troy.....	3 00

\$39 70

\$ 706 65

MARY H. ROCHESTER,

Treasurer.

ON DEPOSIT FOR THE UNITED OFFERING
FOR OCTOBER 1910.

Cathedral of All Saints, Albany	\$20 00
Church of the Holy Innocents, Albany	12 00
S. Peter's Church, Albany	105 95
S. Ann's Church, Amsterdam	5 33
Christ Church, Ballston	6 17
S. John's Church, Delhi	8 54
Christ Church, Gilbertsville	5 25
Trinity Church, Granville	56
S. James' Church, Fort Edward	1 50
Christ Church, Hudson	23 00
S. Paul's Church, Kinderhook	6 56
S. Augustine's Church, Ilion	4 25
S. John's Church, Messena	5 00
S. Paul's Church, Salem	17 55
Zion Church, Sandy Hill	10 00
S. Stephen's Church, Schuylerville	1 07
S. Paul's Church, Sidney	5 40
S. John's Church, Troy	29 50
S. Paul's Church, Troy	28 83
S. Paul's Church, Troy (Married Branch G. F. S.)	6 64
Christ Church, Walton (Semi-annual meeting)	4 85
Grace Church, Waterford	4 30
Christ Church, Walton	9 18
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	\$321 43

UNITED OFFERING FOR OCTOBER, 1910.

JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

S. Peter's Church, Albany	\$2 37
S. Ann's Church, Amsterdam	5 00
All Saints' Church, Hoosac	3 00
Trinity Church, Granville	1 00
S. James' Church, Oneonta	2 23
Church of the Epiphany, Rensselaer	4 00
S. Paul's Church, Salem	4 00
Church of the Holy Cross, Warrensburg	1 60
Church of the Ascension, Troy	5 00
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	\$28 20

Woman's Auxiliary.....	\$321 43
Junior Auxiliary.....	28 20
Interest April 1st	1 07
On deposit	<u>\$350 70</u>

MARY H. ROCHESTER,

Treasurer.

Examined and found correct.

A. T. PALMER,

WM. L. WIDDEMER

CONSTITUTION.

ARTICLE I.

The name of this society is "The Albany Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions."

ARTICLE II.

The object of this society is, by means of mutual and systematic effort, to diffuse missionary intelligence, to increase missionary activity among the women of the diocese, and to encourage the formation of new branches. In furtherance of this there may be maintained:

- (a) A department in the periodical newspaper of the diocese to be devoted to the interests of the Woman's Auxiliary.
- (b) A branch of the church periodical club for the distribution to missionaries of religious and secular literature.
- (c) Such other work as from time to time may be deemed expedient for the further development of the society.

ARTICLE III.

Any woman who is a member of a parish branch becomes thereby a member of the Diocesan branch.

The officers of each parish branch shall send to the treasurer all pledges and money given for other than parish or local purposes. They shall make to the corresponding secretary, before May 1st of each year, a report of the number and value of their missionary boxes.

ARTICLE IV.

The officers of this society shall be a president, five vice-presidents, a recording secretary, a corresponding secretary, a secretary for the junior department and a treasurer, and a treasurer for the United Offering.

These officers shall be appointed by the Bishop at each annual meeting and shall serve one year. In addition there shall be one or more managers for each archdeaconry, chosen by the Archdeacon and approved by the Bishop. These officers, together with the chairmen of standing committees, shall constitute the executive committee.

1. The president, or in her absence, one of the vice-presidents, shall call and preside over all meetings.

2. The recording secretary shall send all notices, keep the minutes of all meetings and shall send a copy of the minutes of every executive meeting to each manager not present at such meeting. She shall be responsible for the issuing and distributing of the annual report.

3. The corresponding secretary shall assist in preparing the annual report and conduct the correspondence of the society with parish branches, with missionaries, with the managers and with the general secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

4. The secretary of the Junior Auxiliary shall conduct all the business of her department and shall make a report at the annual and semi-annual meetings. She shall make an annual report of missionary boxes to the corresponding secretary and of all money to the treasurer.

5. The treasurer shall have the custody of all money received by the Diocesan Branch, and shall collect, by correspondence if necessary, all sums payable to the same; shall keep a full and accurate record of all receipts and disbursements, with date, purpose and amount, and shall make a full report of the same at each regular meeting. She shall pay out money only as directed by the Diocesan Branch or Executive Committee, except such sums as may be received for a definite purpose and which may be disposed of without formal directions. All money received for purposes outside the diocese shall be forwarded through the general secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

The Treasurer of United Offering shall be responsible for the collection and disbursement of that fund.

The Bishop shall appoint annually an auditor, who shall examine the accounts of the treasurer before they are presented at the annual meeting.

ARTICLE V.

Managers shall endeavor to stimulate the formation of new parish branches, to infuse greater missionary spirit throughout their archdeaconries, and shall seek to increase intelligent interest in the missionary work of the church.

At the annual and semi-annual meetings an opportunity will be afforded the managers to meet the members of the branches of their respective archdeaconries.

At least one general meeting should be held during the year in each archdeaconry.

Each manager shall present a written report of her work for the year at the annual meeting of the Diocesan Branch.

ARTICLE VI.

The annual meeting shall be held in May, the time and place of meeting to be decided by the Executive Committee.

At this meeting the annual reports shall be presented and the officers appointed. A semi-annual meeting shall be held in the fall of each year, the date and place of meeting to be decided upon by the Executive Committee.

Special meetings may be called by the president at the request of five of the executive committee.

Notice of all meetings shall be sent to each diocesan officer and the secretary of each parish branch.

A quorum for the transaction of business shall consist of the members present at any meeting regularly called.

ARTICLE VII.

This constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote at any regular meeting, provided that notice of the proposed amendment has been given with the call for this meeting.

