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Albany Diocesan Branch

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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 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.*



PRAYER FOR THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

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 to us of Thy beloved Son, that we may pray fervently, labour diligently and give liberally to make Him known to all nations as their God and Saviour; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.



PRAYER FOR THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

"Pray ye, therefore, the Lord of the harvest, that He will send forth labourers into His harvest."

O Lord, our Heavenly Father, we pray Thee to send forth more labourers 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 has 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.*



PRAYER FOR DIRECTION

Direct us, O Lord, in all our doings with Thy most gracious favor, and further us with Thy continual help; that in all our works begun, continued, and ended in Thee, we may glorify Thy holy Name, and finally, by Thy mercy, obtain everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

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FOREWORD

In the following pages will be found the record of what has been accomplished by the more than ninety Auxiliary Branches and contributing Guilds in our Diocese during the year 1928. It is a story which is not only gratifying as a past achievement but full of hope for the future. Our pledges have all been met, the amount and value of the box work has greatly increased, an advance in the educational work has been made, and the number of corporate communions has more than doubled. The Church Periodical Club has made progress in all its activities, and the Committee on Altar Furnishings has continued its useful work. Our Auxiliary page in the Albany Churchman has been prepared largely by our Corresponding Secretary in addition to her other important labors. We rejoiced last October to take to the great United Thank Offering Service at the Triennial in Washington not only the \$15,000 which we had aimed to raise, but over \$1,000 more.

The year was remarkable for other reasons. In April our Annual Meeting at Albany was honored by the presence of Bishop Murray, Presiding Bishop of our Church, who both preached at the opening service and spoke at the Banquet. At that time, with deepest regret, our Auxiliary acquiesced, at her own request, in the retirement of Mrs. F. Herbert Grey as President. During the ten years past in which Mrs. Grey has rendered such loyal service, for seven years as Recording Secretary and for three years as Presiding Officer—she has endeared herself to us all and has maintained a standard of able, consecrated work most valuable to the Auxiliary. In October we sent five delegates to the Triennial at Washington, who since then have been trying to bring to the Auxiliary at home the inspiration gathered there as they came in closer touch with the life of our Church as a whole and learned at first hand of its accomplishments and of its plans and hopes for the future. Some of these plans it is now our duty to put into practice in our own Diocese.

In closing, I would remind you of one note which was struck at the General Convention and at the Triennial in no uncertain manner. It was that, while we support and encourage in every way the work of those who go out as missionaries to distant fields, we must not fail by our own lives and conversation and by every means which we possess to bear witness for Christ among our neighbors at home. That we may in the year now opening give of our best in His true and joyful service is the hope of

Your President,

SARAH B. TIBBITS.

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING

The Annual Meeting of The Albany Diocesan Branch of The Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council of the Church was held in All Saints' Cathedral, Albany, April 18th and 19th.

The meeting opened with a service in the Cathedral Wednesday evening. A most inspiring sermon was preached by the Most Rev. John Gardner Murray, D. D., Presiding Bishop of the Church. He stressed the point that we were not a federation but members of a corporate body, and urged unity and cooperation. He also emphasized the importance of generous material support to make it possible to meet our spiritual obligations.

Bishop Murray celebrated the Holy Communion at 9:30 Thursday morning, assisted by Bishop Nelson and Bishop Oldham. The United Thank Offering was presented at this time.

The business session opened at a quarter of eleven, the President, Mrs. Grey, presiding. Dean Carver gave a brief speech of welcome, and made the preliminary announcements. Mrs. Grey then called for the minutes of the Semi-Annual Meeting, which were read and approved.

The Treasurer reported a balance on hand April 1st of \$287.15. She made an earnest plea that all branches send in their Branch Fees promptly. Twenty-nine Auxiliaries had paid their fees. She also made a plea for the new Provincial Scholarship in Porto Rico, for which \$25 has been pledged. The Treasurer's report was accepted.

Mrs. Conover announced that the United Thank Offering to date was \$12,012.27, and urged that the full \$15,000 be paid by October 11th, as no money would be credited after that date.

The reports of the Corresponding Secretary, Box Secretary, Extension Secretary, Chairman of the Altar Furnishings Committee, and Director of the Church Periodical Club were read and accepted.

Mrs. Grey, the retiring President, then read her report, showing splendid progress in all branches of the work, and warmly congratulated the officers and chairmen on the success of their efforts.

In response to the roll call, it was found that fifty-three parishes were represented, with four hundred and fourteen delegates present. Bishop Nelson conducted noon-day prayers. Immediately following this he called for the report of the nominating committee, which was presented by Mrs. George Stedman: For President, Miss Sarah B. Tibbits; First Vice President, Mrs. John S. Conover; Treasurer, Mrs. Jacob L. Lochner. This ticket was unanimously elected.

The meeting adjourned at 12:30 for luncheon at the Ten Eyck Hotel. At the luncheon Mrs. Grey presided graciously and presented as our chief speaker our beloved Presiding Bishop, who gave a delightful address. Brief addresses were given also by Bishop Nelson and Bishop Oldham. Mrs. Grey thanked all the members of the Auxiliary for their support during her administration and asked that the same loyal support be granted her successor, Miss Tibbits. Miss Townsend then called for a rising vote of thanks and appreciation to the All Saints' Auxiliary for their generous hospitality. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

HELEN B. McELROY,
Recording Secretary.

MINUTES OF THE SEMI-ANNUAL MEETING

The Semi-Annual Meeting of the Albany Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council of the Church was held in Bethesda Church, Saratoga Springs, November 7th and 8th.

The meeting opened with a service in the church on Wednesday evening, the Rector, the Rev. Irving G. Rouillard, in charge. The preacher was the Rev. Elmer N. Schmuck, D. D., who gave a stirring and scholarly address on our responsibility to the heathen countries. He said that our responsibility had greatly increased since the radio and airplane had brought these countries to our very doors. After the service the whole congregation, numbering about two hundred, were invited to the rectory as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rouillard. A delightful social hour followed.

The morning session opened with the Holy Communion service at half-past nine, which was celebrated by the Rector, assisted by Dr. Schmuck. The United Thank Offering was presented at this time.

The business session was called to order by the President, Miss Sarah B. Tibbits, at 10:15. She opened the meeting with prayer. The minutes of the Annual Meeting were read and accepted. The Treasurer's report showed a balance on hand of \$229.57. The Treasurer, Mrs. Lochner, made a plea for the payment of all pledges, and urged as many as possible to send in their pledges without specifying any particular scholarship, so that the money might be applied where most needed.

Mrs. Conover reported that the United Thank Offering pledge for the Triennial had been over-subscribed. A check for \$16,036.60 was given at that time, leaving a balance of \$659.43 to be applied on the next pledge. Mrs. Conover suggested that \$20,000 was not too much to pledge for the next Triennial in 1931. Reports of the Corresponding Secretary, Box Secretary, Altar Furnishings Committee, and Church Periodical Club were read and accepted. Then followed the reports of the three Managers of the Archdeaconry of Troy, Miss Hanaman, Mrs. Robbins and Mrs. Rugg. These interesting reports were accepted.

The President then called for the reports of the delegates to the Triennial in Washington, Mrs. Findlay, Mrs. Oldham, Miss Hanaman and Miss Tibbits. These reports were vivid and comprehensive and gave a clear and interesting account of the sessions of the Convention. Miss Tibbits announced that at Washington Mrs. Conover had been made a member of the Gifts Committee, and Mrs. Conover gave a word picture of the United Thank Offering Service, and explained in detail the objects to which the money was apportioned.

Rev. Mr. Rouillard announced that the offering at the evening service was \$25.47, and at the morning service, \$77.82. In response to the roll call it was found that 286 delegates were present, representing thirty-six parishes. Noon-day prayers followed.

The President then introduced the Rev. S. H. Littell, of the District of Hankow, China, who gave a very encouraging picture of the Christian Church in China today. This was followed by an address by the Rev. Dr. Elmer N. Schmuck, dealing largely with our obligation to meet the quota assigned by the National Council. The meeting then adjourned for luncheon in the parish house.

A very delicious luncheon was served by the members of Bethesda Auxiliary, and at its close Mrs. Livingston proposed a rising vote of thanks for their generous hospitality. Miss Tibbits then called on the Treasurer to read the amounts still unpaid on our pledges. There being no further business, the meeting adjourned.

HELEN B. McELROY,
Recording Secretary.

ROTATION OF SEMI-ANNUAL MEETINGS

It has been decided by the Executive Committee that the rotation of the Semi-Annual Meetings throughout the several Archdeaonries shall be as follows:

Second Division—Archdeaonry of Albany, 1929.
 Second Division—Archdeaonry of Ogdensburg.
 First Division—Archdeaonry of Albany.
 First Division—Archdeaonry of Troy.
 Second Division—Archdeaonry of the Susquehanna.
 First Division—Archdeaonry of Albany.
 Third Division—Archdeaonry of Troy.
 First Division—Archdeaonry of Ogdensburg.
 First Division—Archdeaonry of the Susquehanna.
 Archdeaonry of the Mohawk.
 Second Division—Archdeaonry of Troy.

THE DIOCESAN CORPORATE COMMUNION

January 6th, the Feast of the Epiphany, has been selected by the President and Executive Board as a most fitting time for the Diocesan Corporate Communion, and it is hoped that all the Branches in the Diocese will unite in this special service.

In Memoriam

"Numbered with Thy Saints in glory everlasting"

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Hudson Falls—Zion

President, Mrs. W. R. Kimmey, 69 Oak St.
 Secretary, Mrs. Thomas Taylor, 54 Oak St.
 Treasurer, Mrs. Pearl Kingsley Hill, 64 Main St.

Raymertown—St. Paul's

President, Miss M. A. Backman, P. O., R. D. 2, Troy
 Secretary, Mrs. Laura Pietro, P. O., R. D. 2, Troy
 Treasurer, Mrs. Albert J. Curtis, P. O., R. D. 2, Troy

Troy—Ascension

President, Mrs. Mabel R. Frazier, 1711 Highland Ave.
 Secretary, Mrs. G. G. Grossman, 89 Oakwood Ave.
 Treasurer, Mrs. John Lee, 54 Brunswick Ave.

Troy—Holy Cross

President, Miss Bertha E. Huntley, 196 Eighth St.
 Secretary, Mrs. W. B. Mound, 413 Grand St.
 Treasurer, Mrs. E. W. Babcock, 142 Eighth St.

Troy—Holy Cross (Section B)

President, Miss Effie B. Hogben, 41 Myrtle Ave.
 Secretary, Miss Mary C. Ronan, 76 College Ave.
 Treasurer, Miss Florence Van Arnum, 61 Burdett Ave.

Troy—St. John's

President, Mrs. Herbert S. Ide, 31 Maple Ave.
 Secretary, Mrs. W. Leland Thompson, 24 First St.
 Treasurer, Mrs. H. J. Speck, 277 Pawling Ave.

Troy—St. Luke's

President, Mrs. Irvin Kelley, 58 Thompson St.
 Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Thos. Vines, 18 Hopkins St.

Troy—St. Paul's

President, Miss Mary B. Warren, 71 Second St.
 Secretary, Mrs. C. M. Connolly, 854 Spring Ave.
 Treasurer, Miss Jane E. Peck, 1718 Fifth Ave.

Troy—Trinity

President, Mrs. F. B. Twining, 865 Second Ave.
 Secretary, Mrs. G. F. McIntosh, 223 Fifth Ave.
 Treasurer, Mrs. A. L. Van Decar, 301 Fifth Ave.

Whitehall—Trinity

President Miss Mary E. Bascom, 139 Main St.
 Secretary, Miss Ruth D. Hopson, 10 Church St.
 Treasurer, Mrs. Ernest Dawson, 55 William St.

Second Division—Saratoga County

Manager, Mrs. Carl W. Robbins, Round Lake

Ballston Spa—Christ

President, Mrs. William G. Baxter, 28 Remsen St.
 Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. G. I. Yost, 3 Ballston Ave.

Burnt Hills—Calvary (Guild)

President, Mrs. Mary A. Gilmore
 Secretary, Mrs. A. Mabel Jackson
 Treasurer, Mrs. Ruth Fairman

Charlton—St. Paul's

President, Mrs. Henry Swanker, P. O., R. D. 1, Ballston Lake
 Secretary, Miss Mary E. Callaghan, P. O., R. D. 1, Ballston Lake
 Treasurer, Mrs. Wm. H. Valentine, P. O., R. D. 1, Ballston Lake

Clifton Park—St. George's

President, Mrs. Francis Hatlee, P. O., R. D. 2, Mechanicville
 Secretary, Mrs. E. Maude Butler, P. O., R. D. 2, Mechanicville
 Treasurer, Mrs. William Martin, P. O., R. D. 2, Mechanicville

East Line—St. John's

President, Mrs. G. W. Relyea, P. O., R. D. 2, Ballston Lake
 Secretary, Mrs. Harold L. Carpenter, P. O., R. D. 2, Ballston Spa
 Treasurer, Mrs. Fred Denton, P. O., R. D. 2, Ballston Spa

Mechanicville—St. Luke's

President, Mrs. Ernest Austin, 41 Underwood Ave.
 Secretary, Mrs. D. C. Huntington, St. Luke's Rectory
 Treasurer, Miss Bessie Leonard, 17 South Main St.

Round Lake—All Saints'

President, Miss Esther M. Clute
 Secretary, Mrs. L. P. McKean
 Treasurer, Mrs. Carl W. Robbins

Saratoga Springs—Bethesda

President, Mrs. Louise E. Kelley, 32 Fifth Ave.
 Secretary, Mrs. W. W. Herrick, 171 Lake Ave.
 Treasurer, Mrs. G. S. Burnham, 53 Walton St.

Waterford—Grace

President, Mrs. Nellie Snyder, 84 Fourth St.
 Secretary, Mrs. Madeline Robinson, 63 Middle St.
 Treasurer, Mrs. Alfred Ward, 34 First St.

**Third Division—Warren and Essex Counties, except the
 Townships of St. Armand and North Elba
 in Essex County**

Manager, Mrs. George J. Rugg,
 4 Sumner Place, Glens Falls

Elizabethtown—Good Shepherd (Guild)

President, Mrs. N. D. Barnard
 Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. H. H. Pittman

Essex—St. John's

President-Secretary, Mrs. J. M. Stafford
 Treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Cruikshank

Glens Falls—Messiah

President, Mrs. J. A. Springsted, 24 Notre Dame St.
 Secretary, Mrs. Alfred Hoyt, 30 Fulton St.
 Treasurer, Mrs. Charles Allen, 13 Division St.

Lake George—St. James' (Guild)

President, Mrs. John T. Bryant
 Secretary-Treasurer, Miss Mary C. Hubbell

FINANCIAL STATEMENT OF THE TREASURER FOR THE YEAR 1928

FUND	Bal. on hand Jan. 1, 1928	Receipts	Total Receipts	Disburse- ments	Bal. on hand Dec. 31, 1928
General Missions	\$10.00	\$3,442.46	\$3,452.46	\$3,452.46	\$0.00
Current Expenses	58.97	289.84	348.81	303.26	45.55
Foreign Life Insurance (Clergy)	0.00	61.00	61.00	50.00	11.00
Wm. C. Doane Scholarship, Alaska	0.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	0.00
Ida W. Soule Scholarship, Wyoming	7.00	44.00	51.00	40.00	11.00
Mary H. Rochester Scholarship, N. C.	0.00	125.00	125.00	125.00	0.00
Kuling School, China	0.00	32.00	32.00	27.00	5.00
Schp., St. Catherine's, P. R.	0.00	148.00	148.00	148.00	0.00
Corporate Gift:					
Church at Livramento, Brazil	0.00	163.00	163.00	150.00	13.00
St. Timothy's Hospital, Liberia	7.50	10.00	17.50	12.50	5.00
Holy Trinity Cathedral, Haiti	7.50	10.00	17.50	12.50	5.00
Church at Baguio, P. I.	0.00	163.00	163.00	150.00	13.00
Provincial Schp., Porto Rico	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	0.00
Wedding Gift, Bishop and Mrs. Colmore	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	0.00
Emily Tillotson Memorial	0.00	19.00	19.00	19.00	0.00
Hurricane Relief, Porto Rico	0.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	0.00
M. A. Steele Bed, Wuchang, China	0.00	40.00	40.00	40.00	0.00
Miss Hill, Anvik, Alaska	0.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	0.00
St. Agnes' School, Albany	0.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00
Bishop Gilman, for Women's Hostel	0.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	0.00
Bishop Rowe Foundation Fund	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	0.00
Miss Ethel M. Robinson, P. R.	0.00	10.00	10.00	10.00	0.00
Mrs. R. P. Frazier, Mission, S. Dak.	0.00	70.00	70.00	70.00	0.00
Bishop Burleson, South Dakota	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	0.00
Santo Domingo	0.00	5.00	5.00	0.00	5.00
Dr. Burke, Alaska	0.00	31.00	31.00	31.00	0.00
Rest House, Porto Rico	0.00	25.00	25.00	25.00	0.00
Reserve Fund	225.06	7.08	232.14	116.00	116.14
	\$316.03	\$5,100.38	\$5,416.41	\$5,186.72	\$229.69

Not included above: Trust Fund in National Commercial Bank and Trust Co., Albany, \$1,048.72.
 Position of Funds in Balance, Dec. 31, 1928: in Nat'l Com'l Bank and Trust Co., \$113.55; in
 National Savings Bank, Albany, \$116.14; total \$229.69.

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE T. LOCHNER, Treasurer.

All receipts, disbursements and balances have been checked and found to be correct.

Jan. 29, 1929.

J. B. REID, Auditor.

BUDGET AND PLEDGES FOR THE YEAR 1929

General Missions (applies on Quota)	\$3,300.00
Estimated Current Expenses	400.00
St. Catharine's School, Porto Rico (applies on Quota) ...	125.00
Foreign Life Insurance (for Clergy)	50.00
Wm. C. Doane Scholarship, Nenana, Alaska	200.00
Mary H. Rochester Scholarship, Raleigh, N. C.	125.00
Ida W. Soule Scholarship, Ethete, Wyoming	40.00
Kuling School, China	20.00
Corporate Gift, 1929-1931:	
Church in Santo Domingo (by Easter, 1929)	217.00
Water Supply, St. Michael's Mission, Wind River Reservation, Wyo.; Chapel at Mount Hope, Canal Zone; Boys' Dormitory, Christ Church, Arden, N. C.	217.00

REPORT OF BOX SECRETARY

From Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1928

Of eighty-seven parishes reporting Branches, seventy-one assisted in the Box Work. A detailed report of the work will be found in the Summary of Parochial Reports. Letters written (375) and received (448), totaled 823. Boxes for general missions, 188.

Value of Personal Boxes	\$1,091.05
Value of Boxes for Missions, etc.	6,870.86
Total value	\$7,961.91

Respectfully submitted,
MABEL HOOD,
Box Secretary.

**REPORT OF TREASURER OF THE
UNITED THANK OFFERING**

From Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1928

A detailed report of payments by parishes appears in the Summary of Parochial Reports. Receipts and expenditures are as follows:

Total from W. A. Branches to Dec. 31, 1928	\$5,949.14
Members at Large	6.00
Interest on Deposits	594.80
Offering, Annual Meeting, Cathedral, Albany	65.30
Offering, Semi-Annual Meeting, Saratoga	56.79
Cash in Bank, Jan. 1, 1928	10,166.17
Total to Dec. 31, 1928	\$16,838.20
Check to Triennial, Washington, Oct 11th	16,036.60
Balance on hand, Dec. 31, 1928	\$801.60

Respectfully submitted,
MARY R. CONOVER,
Treasurer.

REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

During the past year I have written 193 letters and have sent out over 400 post cards, including written communications and notices. About a hundred of the latter were for the Diocesan Treasurer. Four hundred programs of the Annual and Semi-Annual Meetings were sent to the clergy and the branches. Ninety-one questionnaires were sent to the officers for data for the Annual Report. In connection with these I would remind the officers that great care should be taken that all names and addresses are accurately and legibly given. I have attended to the publication of the Annual Report and have distributed 721 copies during the year. With these went also ninety-eight copies of "Friends, Not Foreigners." I have written or secured Auxiliary copy for ten issues of the Albany Churchman, and have attended all but one of the meetings of the Executive Board.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE CRYDENWISE,

Corresponding Secretary.

REPORT OF EXTENSION COMMITTEE AND EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

There were held in the Diocese last year thirty-six study classes. There were ninety-seven corporate communions reported, and twelve quiet days. But seven were in attendance at summer conferences.

Respectfully submitted,

RUTH HALL,

Chairman and Secretary.

REPORT OF CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

The Church Periodical Club is forwarding regularly 772 magazines from 460 donors. During the past year 3,194 magazines were otherwise distributed, and 511 books sent to institutions and individuals. Twenty-three institutions in our Diocese were assisted, and \$38.37 was sent to Miss Thomas for the General Library Fund. All these figures show a gratifying increase over any previous record and are full of promise for the future.

A box of 100 garments was sent to the Rev. G. H. Maidment, Newfoundland, which enabled him to send two boys away to school who could not otherwise have gone. This illustrates the wide scope of C. P. C. work.

Meetings for secretaries were held in the spring and fall at the Diocesan House, Albany, with good attendance and much enthusiasm. The problem still remains of keeping in close touch with those who cannot meet with us because of the long distances. To this end, we sent out 120 copies of a little printed leaflet—the Chat—through the Diocese. It was kindly received and has brought many letters of inquiry about our work. We hope to issue further numbers this year as occasion seems to warrant.

Respectfully submitted,

MILDRED A. HUBBARD,
Diocesan Director.

SUMMARY OF PAROCHIAL REPORTS

Place and Parish	Current Expense	Budget Quota	Authzd. Specials	Box Work	U. T. Offering
Albany, Cathedral	.....	\$165.00	\$20.00	\$345.15	\$140.00
Holy Innocents'	3.00	35.00	2.00	170.73	50.80
St. Andrew's	3.00	481.64	5.00	145.42	111.17
St. Paul's	10.00	75.00	75.00	43.58	135.00
St. Peter's	25.00	300.00	71.50	426.49	566.08
Amsterdam, St. Ann's	6.00	230.00	8.00	26.83	92.00
Ashland, Trinity	2.00	12.00	.....	164.74	27.27
Athens, Trinity	2.00	29.00	.....	340.27	51.21
Ballston Spa, Christ	.....	30.00	.....	150.92	50.00
Brushton, St. Peter's	2.00	.....	.....	10.77	.....
Cairo, Calvary	2.00	.....	.....	7.05	11.08
Cambridge, St. Luke's	2.00	.....	15.00	39.30	80.25
Canton, Grace	.....	.....	.....	55.23	55.04
Catskill, St. Luke's	2.00	17.14	.....	15.70	40.79
Charlton, St. Paul's	2.00	.....	13.00	18.37	5.00
Cherry Valley, Grace	2.00	2.00	2.00	165.40	.....
Clermont, St. Luke's	.....	.....	.....	9.30	.....
Clifton Park, St. George's	2.00	10.00	.....	3.10	.....
Cohoes, St. John's	2.00	35.00	.....	233.75	108.10
Cooperstown, Christ	3.00	275.00	10.00	90.00	160.65
Coxsackie, Christ	2.00	.....	.....	26.89	.....
Delhi, St. John's	.....	50.00	10.00	64.29	88.13
Duanesburg, Christ	2.00	100.00	33.00	46.61	38.05
East Line, St. John's	.....	.....	.....	20.09	.....
East Springfield, St. Paul's	1.00	7.00	.....	.....	.....
Elizabethtown, Good Shepherd	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....
Essex, St. John's	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.50
Fort Edward, St. James'	4.00	.....	.....	30.57	42.11
Fort Plain, Holy Cross	.....	.....	.....	.....	13.74
Frankfort, St. Alban's	1.00	3.00	1.00	.....	.....
Franklin, St. Paul's	.....	.....	.....	135.37	29.43
Gilbertsville, Christ	2.00	25.00	8.00	109.01	19.38
Glens Falls, Messiah	5.00	50.00	10.00	108.12	152.80
Gloversville, Trinity	.....	35.35	.....	40.95	35.30
Gouverneur, Trinity	.....	3.00	.....	104.11	19.48
Greenville, Christ	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.28
Herkimer, Christ	.....	.....	.....	63.68	25.00

SUMMARY OF PAROCHIAL REPORTS—Continued

Place and Parish	Current Expense	Budget Quota	Authzd. Specials	Box Work	U. T. Offering
Hobart, St. Peter's	.....	.....	.....	.....	2.59
Hoosick, All Saints'	4.00	6.00	.....	10.00	4.00
Hoosick Falls, St. Mark's	.....	5.00	.....	.....	33.80
Hudson, All Saints'	.....	.....	.....	41.39	16.00
Christ	2.00	41.50	66.50	401.26	152.00
Hudson Falls, Zion	3.00	47.00	10.00	114.26	105.27
Ilion, St. Augustine's	.....	50.00	.....	15.00	21.01
Johnstown, St. John's	3.00	39.00	23.00	123.98	86.00
Kinderhook, St. Paul's	.....	.....	.....	53.46	.....
Lake Delaware, St. James'	5.00	5.00	5.00	61.49	28.24
Lake Placid, St. Eustace's	.....	.....	.....	.....	54.35
Lawrenceville, St. Thomas'	.....	.....	.....	14.76	10.49
Lebanon Springs, Our Saviour	.....	.....	25.00	.....	.....
Little Falls, Emmanuel	.....	10.00	.....	297.96	89.79
Malone, St. Mark's	3.00	10.00	17.00	74.15	57.60
Massena, St. John's	.....	.....	.....	43.91	.....
Mechanicville, St. Luke's	2.00	73.00	5.00	40.73	41.00
Menands, St. Margaret's	2.00	25.00	.....	26.49	40.24
Mohawk, Grace	2.00	.....	.....	62.24	43.50
Morris, Zion	5.00	169.83	10.00	39.81	33.37
Norwood, St. Philip's	.....	.....	.....	21.90	.....
Ogdensburg, St. John's	5.00	25.00	30.00	206.73	295.40
Oneonta, St. James'	2.00	15.00	10.00	242.62	33.28
Otego, Immanuel	.....	.....	.....	64.23	7.44
Palenville, Gloria Dei	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Plattsburgh, Trinity	2.00	30.00	36.00	142.43	65.49
Potsdam, Trinity	.....	50.00	.....	86.10	114.36
Prattsville, Grace	.....	.....	.....	.....	1.00
Raymertown, St. Paul's	.....	.....	.....	.....	7.50
Rensselaer, Epiphany	.75	.....	5.00	.....	30.00
Rensselaerville, Trinity	2.00	5.00	.....	.....	13.00
Richfield Springs, St. John's	2.00	50.00	6.00	80.30	83.12
Round Lake, All Saints'	2.00	10.00	.....	51.46	77.00
Salem, St. Paul's	.....	.....	.....	.....	36.27
Saranac Lake, St. Luke's	.....	10.00	.....	.....	117.11
Saratoga Springs, Bethesda	3.00	20.00	10.00	58.92	78.71

SUMMARY OF PAROCHIAL REPORTS—Continued

Place and Parish	Current Expense	Budget Quota	Authzd. Specials	Box Work	U. T. Offering
Schenectady, Christ	2.50	.....	.....	35.35	100.05
St. George's	10.00	260.00	62.00	467.98	722.43\$
St. Paul's	.....	.....	.....	49.97	.....
Schuylerville, St. Stephen's	.....	.....	.....	.....	18.00
Sidney, St. Paul's	2.00	40.00	.....	187.07	16.80
Springfield Center, St. Mary's	2.00	.....	13.00	74.98	29.05
Stamford, Grace	.....	.....	.....	.....	12.05
Troy, Ascension	5.00	50.00	17.00	34.42	107.00
Holy Cross	5.00	50.00	.....	246.00	98.87
Holy Cross, Sec. B	2.00	15.00	.....	.....	39.00
St. John's	15.00	250.00*	100.00	409.12	264.25
St. Luke's	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Paul's	5.00	50.00	.....	.....	150.00
Trinity	10.00	.....	20.00	82.94	204.00
Tupper Lake, St. Thomas'	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Unadilla, St. Matthew's	2.00	65.00	.....	88.05	97.50
Walton, Christ	3.00	50.00	.....	42.48	33.85
Waterford, Grace	2.00	.....	10.00	222.64	43.00
West Burlington, Christ	2.00	.....	.....	36.58	5.50
Whitehall, Trinity	5.00	30.00	6.00	25.35	55.22
Various Organizations	.....	.....	.....	186.74	.....

*W. A., \$150; Daughters of St. John, \$100.

\$\$200 of this was a legacy left by Mrs. B. F. Fisher, Jr.

Miscellaneous Receipts of Treasurer

Offering at Annual Meeting, \$116.91; Interest \$48.41.

From Parishes: St. Andrew's, Albany, \$30; Cherry Valley, \$2; Gilbertsville, \$5; Hudson Falls, \$2; Lake Delaware, \$5; Morris, \$40; Plattsburgh, \$15; Epiphany, Rensselaer, \$5; St. George's, Schenectady, \$23.09; St. John's, Troy, \$161.

Box Work

Assisting in the Box Work: The Men's Club, Ballston Spa; Young Women's Guild, St. Peter's, Albany; The Evening Guild, St. George's, Schenectady; and the organizations in Holy Cross, Troy.

Concurrent with the action of the Executive Board in November, 1927, reports of boxes unassigned by the Box Secretary are not included in the foregoing report.

DIRECTIONS FOR PARISH OFFICERS

Finances

The annual Branch Fee (minimum, \$2) is due in January of each year. The parish treasurer should send this to the Diocesan Treasurer as early in the year as possible, and other moneys as soon as they are in hand.

Gifts for the United Thank Offering should be sent to the Treasurer of that fund; those for the Church Periodical Club, to the Diocesan Director of that organization; and special gifts to churches and charities not under the Department of Missions of the National Council should be sent direct to the recipients.

In remitting funds for the United Thank Offering, checks should be made out to, "United Thank Offering, Albany Diocese."

Box Work

Always mention the name of your parish, your city or town, and the date of writing, in every communication.

The Box Secretary of the Diocesan Branch receives, in August, the allotment of Box Work for the Diocese. When your branch is ready to start work write to the Diocesan Box Secretary for an assignment.

When your branch has voted to undertake the work assigned to it, notify at once, the Box Secretary, and the missionary for whom the box is to be prepared.

All rejected assignments must be returned to the Box Secretary without delay.

When boxes are shipped, write to the missionary to whom it is addressed, and also send a report to the Box Secretary on the authorized blanks.

No requests for additional **new** articles should be accepted by branches unless approved by the National or the Diocesan Box Secretary. This is to avoid duplication.

No credit can be given for boxes unless the work has been assigned by the Box Secretary.

Education

The Educational Secretary sends out each year to all branches in the Diocese two questionnaires, one during the first week in September, and another on February 1st. The replies to these are her sources of information for the reports she must make to the annual and semi-annual diocesan meetings, and to the Church Missions House at the beginning of the year. Auxiliary Presidents are urged to fill out these questionnaires fully and promptly, and thus help, and not hinder, the work as a whole.

Periodicals, Furnishings

All boxes of books, single books, and magazines, should be reported through the Church Periodical Club.

All requests and gifts for altar furnishings should be sent to the Chairman of the Committee on Altar Furnishings.

Reports, &c.

Always notify the Corresponding Secretary promptly of any change of branch officers during the year.

A yearly report of all pledges paid, work, study, and methods, should be sent to the Manager of your Archdeaconry Division.

For any desired information write to the diocesan officer having the particular matter in charge.

CONSTITUTION

Adopted April 30, 1925

ARTICLE I

Name—The name of this Organization shall be "The Albany Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council of the Church."

ARTICLE II

Object—The object of this Organization shall be to assist in carrying out the purposes and work of the National Council.

ARTICLE III

Membership—The membership of this Organization shall consist of those baptised women in the Diocese of Albany who have agreed to take part in its work.

ARTICLE IV

Officers—The officers of this Organization shall be: A President, a First and Second Vice President, a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, a Box Secretary, an Educational Secretary, a Treasurer, a Treasurer for the United Thank Offering, one Manager for each Archdeaconry or Division thereof, and a Diocesan Director for the Church Periodical Club. These officers shall constitute the Executive Board. The Executive Board shall formulate the policies, direct the active work of the Organization, have power to adopt and amend by-laws, and receive the resignation of its members.

ARTICLE V

Elections—The President, Vice Presidents, Secretaries and Treasurer shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting, for a term of three years, and shall not be eligible for re-election to the same office for more than two consecutive terms. The United Thank Offering Treasurer and Diocesan Director for the Church Periodical Club shall be appointed by the Executive Board for three years, and may be re-appointed. The Managers of the Archdeaconries, or Divisions thereof, shall be elected by the branches in said Archdeaconries or Divisions, meeting separately or collectively. This election shall be called by a member of the Executive Board, appointed by the President; the term of office shall be three years, and Managers shall be eligible for re-election.

ARTICLE VI

Vacancies—Five members of the Executive Board shall constitute a quorum. Vacancies on the board shall be filled by appointment of the President for the unexpired term.

ARTICLE VII

Amendments—This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote at any Annual or Semi-Annual Meeting, provided that notice of the proposed amendment or amendments have been given with the call to such meeting.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I

Duties of Officers

Section 1. The President shall call meetings and preside over them, and further the work in all its phases. She shall serve as Chairman of a Committee on the Devotional Life of the Branches.

Sec. 2. In the absence of the President, the First Vice President shall act in her place.

Sec. 3. In the absence of the President and First Vice President, the Second Vice President shall perform the duties of the President.

Sec. 4. The Recording Secretary shall send all notices, keep the minutes of all meetings, and shall send a summary of the minutes of every executive meeting to each member of the Executive Board not present at such meeting.

Sec. 5. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Organization, and shall be responsible for the publication and distribution of the Annual Report.

Sec. 6. The Box Secretary shall receive and distribute all information relating to the Missionary Boxes.

Sec. 7. The Educational Secretary shall organize the Parish Branches for educational work and stimulate them by every possible means, coordinating the work with the Diocesan educational plans.

Sec. 8. The Treasurer shall receive, record, disburse and keep account of all money contributed, except that for the United Thank Offering, and shall make a report at the Annual and Semi-Annual Meetings. The Executive Board shall appoint annually an auditor, who shall examine the accounts of the Treasurer before they are presented at the Annual Meeting.

Sec. 9. The Treasurer of the United Thank Offering shall be responsible for the collection and presentation of that Fund.

Sec. 10. The Diocesan Director of the Church Periodical Club shall attend to the distribution of religious and secular literature to missionaries, laymen or others, and institutions.

Sec. 11. Managers shall endeavor to stimulate the formation of new Parish Branches, to infuse greater missionary spirit throughout the Archdeaconries, and shall seek to increase intelligent interest in the missionary work of the Church. At least one general meeting shall be held during the year in each Archdeaconry.

ARTICLE II

Elections

Section 1. Election shall be by ballot, every Parish Branch being entitled to one vote.

Sec. 2. At the Annual Meeting in 1925, the President, First Vice President and Treasurer shall be elected for three years; the Second Vice President, Box Secretary and Corresponding Secretary for two years, and the Educational and Recording Secretaries for one year; and, thereafter, at each Annual Meeting, the offices which become vacant shall be filled.

ARTICLE III

Divisions of Archdeaconries

Albany—

First Division—Albany County, and that portion of Rensselaer County which lies south of the southern boundaries of the townships of Brunswick, Grafton and Petersburg.

Second Division—Greene and Columbia Counties.

Mohawk—Herkimer, Hamilton, Fulton, Montgomery and Schenectady Counties.

Ogdensburg—

First Division—St. Lawrence County.

Second Division—Franklin and Clinton Counties, with the townships of St. Armand and North Elba in Essex County.

Susquehanna—

First Division—Otsego and Schoharie Counties.

Second Division—Delaware County.

Troy—

First Division—Washington County, and that portion of Rensselaer County which lies north of the southern boundaries of the townships of Brunswick, Grafton and Petersburg.

Second Division—Saratoga County.

Third Division—Warren County, and all of Essex County, except the townships of St. Armand and North Elba.

ARTICLE IV

Meetings

Section 1. The Annual Meeting shall be held in April, the time, place of meeting, and program to be decided by the Executive Board.

The Semi-Annual Meeting shall be held in October, in the several Archdeaconries in rotation, the time, place, program, and order of rotation to be decided by the Executive Board.

Sec. 2. The Executive Board shall meet monthly from October to May, inclusive. Special meetings of the Executive Board may be called by the President, or at the request of three of its members.

ARTICLE V

Finance

A Current Expense Fund shall be provided for printing, postage, stationery, traveling expenses of speakers for the Annual and Semi-Annual Meetings, and for other legitimate expenses.

This Fund shall be made up of Branch Fees, due in January of each year. The minimum Branch Fee shall be \$2.

