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"Bring them hither to me."



The Woman's Auxiliary asks the prayers of the Church on the Festival of the Transfiguration of Christ, the Auxiliary's "Altar Day."

"The following may be used by the clergy in the Diocese at the services on the Festival of the Transfiguration:

PRAYER FOR THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY IN THE DIOCESE:

O Almighty Father, who didst vouchsafe to Thy chosen ones on the mount the comforting vision of the glory that shall be revealed, to strengthen and cheer them in their Apostolic work, we beseech Thee to be with Thy servants the members of the Woman's Auxiliary in this Diocese, in all their efforts for the spread of the Kingdom of Thy dear Son. Grant that to many hearts may go the call of opportunity to serve Thee in this work, in the bearing of others' burdens and the fulfillment of the law of Christ. In what they think and do, enable them to hear the voice of Thy Son to guide and strengthen them. And in all the means of grace in Thy Church, and more especially in the Holy Communion at Thy Altars, help them to see Him who is invisible, that in their aims, and difficulties, and trials they may have the abiding faith that all things are possible to them that believe. We ask this for the merits of Him who came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, Thy Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. Amen.

WILLIAM F. NICHOLS."



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Report of the Sixteenth Annual Meeting.

S. LUKE'S CHURCH, SAN FRANCISCO, MAY 8, 1896.

At 10 A. M. the officers held a meeting to transact routine business. The roll call showed fifteen parishes represented. Pledges were made to central expenses and to the Bishop's Auxiliary Fund. Representatives from city parishes were named for the ensuing year. The programme for the afternoon meeting was read and discussed.

The service at 11 o'clock was uplifting—the large number of worshipers and the music of the vested choir adding inspiration to the holy words. It was our privilege to hear a most stirring sermon from Bishop Johnson, of Los Angeles. Surely every one must have awakened to a new sense of responsibility in regard to domestic missions, as the bishop described the possibilities of the work—the extent and resources of the country—the need of the work—the influx of foreigners forgetful of religion, and exposed to new temptations. Then, indeed, we felt that domestic missions are our best service to our country as well as a duty to God.

At the close of the service, the congregation remained to hear the proposed constitution read.

After enjoying the bountiful hospitality of the ladies of S. Luke's at luncheon the business meeting was called to order at 1:45, Bishop Nichols in the chair. The roll was called, twenty-two parishes responding. Then came the consideration of the proposed constitution. It was adopted article by article and then as a whole by a unanimous vote.

The bishop's charge to the Auxiliary dwelt on the division of the branch, which should give us better opportunity for developing the territory within each new organization, and called for a larger membership from the Churchwomen of San Francisco.

The Bishop of Los Angeles was obliged to leave before we could ask him to speak to us more intimately, and our own bishop, after his address, called the Rev. Mr. Moreland to the chair, and bidding us Godspeed hastened away to an appointment. We had the unusual pleasure of welcoming visitors from the Northern Jurisdiction and the East. Miss Jarvis, chairman of the Advisory Committee on the Junior Auxiliary, was happily present to address the meeting.

Miss Jarvis, whose position as secretary of the Junior department of the Connecticut Auxiliary has brought her in closer relations to our branch, took up characteristic features of the work in the two dioceses in contrast or comparison; showed how we could learn from each other, and then bade us join hands over the great continent she had traversed in coming to us, that the home field here and between us might be blessed. The Rev. Mr. Cowie then spoke on Missions Classes. The key note of the address was struck in the statement that as in the past we had had periods of philosophy, of romance or sentiment, so now in this age of scientific enquiry we must apply modern thought to the advancement of the missionary cause, and by study and enquiry better it through and through. The annual report of secretary, secretary of the Junior Department, secretary of the Babies' Branch, and treasurer, which had been deferred to give the earlier hours to the speakers, followed, and then the report of the Church Periodical Club.

Resolutions in appreciation of S. Luke's overflowing welcome were passed. We had sung, "Blest be the tie that binds," for the last time as an undivided branch, and the doxology and benediction closed this, the last and largest and best meeting of the old Auxiliary.

M. A. HAWLEY, Secretary of the Meeting.

Sixteenth Annual Report.

To-day I have the unique privilege of presenting to two bishops the record of one work, and in welcoming the Bishop of Los Angeles to this, the other half of his Auxiliary, we claim him as our own; and for one short day defy ecclesiastical canons, scorn precedent and set up two bishops in equal authority over one territory, the loyal hearts of the yet undivided branch—hearts which no division of this diocese can sunder.

Our year began with a roll of ninety separate societies, six of which make no report as yet. While our tables will show 112 organizations, more or less closely affiliated with us to-day, and eighteen more responding to special calls, the increase is largely in the Junior Department, due to our secretary's unremitting labors, and in the addition of new branches within parishes already working with us.

We add the Auxiliary, All Saints, Riverside, reorganized after a lapse of several years; the new branches in the mission of S. Luke's, Monrovia, and S. Luke's, Los Gatos; the branch in Christ's Church, Alameda, which after a period of merely nominal association, was fully organized by the new rector; and five new Junior Auxiliaries.

With slight modifications, our remaining branches work as heretofore. In some of them, notably S. John's, Oakland, parish missionary meetings have been held with great success. But realizing the multiplicity of demands on our members, in most cases busy parish workers as well, we have made the general monthly meetings in San Francisco, and the quarterlies in Los Angeles and Alameda county, gathering places for the neighboring branches. Including the annual and the adjourned annual, twenty-four of these general meetings have been held within the year,—five in Los Angeles, five in Alameda county and four in San Francisco,—the regular monthly meetings and special gatherings. Addresses made at them have been reported in our organ, the *Pacific Churchman*, and here we will note only those marking special events.

As usual, the first meetings of the year in the northern convocation were addressed by out-going Alaska missionaries.

The Rev. Mr. Provost and Mrs. Provost were with us at the quarterly meeting in S. Paul's, Oakland, on the afternoon of Ascension Day; and on the 3rd of June in Trinity Chapel, San Francisco, the ladies of Trinity introduced their guests at an informal tea after a very interesting meeting.

At the semi-annual in S. Luke's on the 5th of November, a full church listened to the bishop's story of the general convention and its results. On the same day in S. Paul's, Los Angeles, the general meeting of city and neighborhood branches heard all about the triennial from the returning delegates.

Bishop Rowe was given his welcome to the Pacific coast at the February quarterly in Epiphany, Los Angeles; and on S. Matthias Day in Trinity Chapel, we, in San Francisco, had the great joy of meeting him and his party, and of offering, as a society, our prayers for the Bishop of Los Angeles, consecrated that day. Bishop Nichols was with us and many of the clergy, and after the service and addresses, the ladies of Trinity invited everybody to the guild rooms where formality was quickly banished in the cordial reception given our Alaska neighbors. A visit to S. John's branch, Oakland, three days later, introduced Bishop Rowe to our Alameda county workers.

The Bishop of Los Angeles met the women of his Auxiliary in the guild hall of S. Paul's, Los Angeles, on the 8th of April, and after an address full of the inspiration of leadership, arranged to hold the primary meeting of the new branch

on the day preceding the first annual convention of the Diocese of Los Angeles, May 25th.

The Feast of the Transfiguration, our Altar day, was observed at the Church of the Advent by a large congregation of Auxiliary women and the Daughters of the King. The bishop celebrated the holy communion, and in his address showed the helpfulness of these days of inspiration.

Again we have had two Quiet Days, one in S. John's, Los Angeles, on December 14th, conducted by the Bishop of California, and the other in S. Stephen's, San Francisco, February 14th, conducted by the rector, the Rev. E. J. Lion.

This closes a record of fifteen Quiet Days in the last ten years—days that mark off as on a rosary the devotions that have linked the work together in a precious chain of prayer and service.

Within the year two officers have gone to their rest—Mrs. A. V. Wakeman, vice-president from Grace church, after a long life in many fields of usefulness; and Mrs. L. C. Sanford, secretary of the branch in Selma, in whose presence we had ever felt that the hope of the Auxiliary lies not so much in meetings and speeches or even in work, as in just such noble womanhood as looked out from her fair face, and lived its mission in every word and deed of her bright young life. As in the Church's early days, we call their names to remembrance and before the altar say, "With them remember us, O Lord."

In compliance with a request from the persons concerned, we take this opportunity to make the following statement: Captain Hinde of Coronado, desiring to make the new church of S. Peter's, Coronado, a complete memorial of his daughter, has, with the consent of the contributors, paid for the appointments of the church, the value of previous gifts to the building itself. The value of the gift of stone by a member of S. Paul's Auxiliary, San Diego, reported by us in 1894, should therefore be considered as so transferred.

In the movements of the general society, this branch has had but little active share. We were not represented officially at the triennial meeting and our tables show a small proportion of gifts to objects outside the diocese. The reasons for the latter fact are too well known to need mention here. But we are growing out; the interest in China and Alaska deepens, and when we shall be two branches we will have a new, mutual interest in domestic missions.

Topics of general interest have been constantly discussed in the columns of the *Pacific Churchman*. By distributing leaflets we have kept the wider work before our people, and the United Offering mite chests are reminders of the work beyond. Our share of the United Offering of 1895 was very largely the gathering of small sums by persons of moderate means—a constant teaching of the "mighty cent" principle, for we know of only two gifts to it as large as \$25, and yet we were able to send, with what was collected during the previous two years, \$604.44.

Our officers have worked assiduously for the United Offering of 1898, and we can report 203 mite chests placed in fourteen parishes. We ask all our members to make it their special business in vacation to interest others in the next United Offering.

The record of the past year as you will read it in the tables, represents a period in our history full of doubts and difficulties; parish burdens and home burdens have been heavier, the cry of the poor at our doors has been louder than ever before. But in many branches where parish debts pressed hardest the women have given with both hands, and not forgetting the poor, have brought the spikenard too, that they might share the costlier sacrifice; with the result, wholly unexpected, and unsuspected until the very last footings were made—a good

increase on last year's totals, with cash so nearly equal to the value of gifts in kind, that we may yet expect delayed payments to make it fully half our gifts to the mission cause.

But we find, as do the boards of missions, that officers may not relax vigilance in gaining for the regular funds, and we beg our churchwomen as a whole to interest themselves in the Bishop's Auxiliary Fund, the one general diocesan fund that we try to raise.

We ask every churchwoman in the diocese of California to take a set of envelopes for this, if she is not now interested in making up her parish pledge, and to put something in once every month, as we desire this fund to be a source of relief to the bishop in some of the many emergencies that arise, as well as to provide support for such women as he may place in his mission field.

Subscriptions to the Altar Fund have not been general and the treasurer offers to keep the account open until her report goes to press, that, if possible, the dues for August, 1895, may be applied to two altars, one in each diocese.

But we have had new reasons for thankfulness and for hopefulness. In July, 1895, by a bequest of Mrs. Caroline L. Johnston of San Rafael, we received \$1000, less the collateral inheritance tax of \$50.

Mrs. Johnston was one of our first members and this generous provision is but the carrying on of her constant interest to helpfulness beyond her lifetime. It is sweet to connect our gratitude for this first legacy with memories of the giver, so fine an example of holy living, as of christian dying, and we commend her thoughtfulness to others of us who may feel that this Auxiliary can be trusted to do a larger work.

Of the \$950, \$150 has been in use as a working capital for the more economical purchase of supplies, and \$100 retained as an emergency fund, to be borrowed from and returned to, on occasion; the remainder is in a savings bank. On the organization of the Los Angeles branch, distribution will be made.

Every lively member of this Auxiliary must feel that what is most needed for the missionary cause is a more intelligent knowledge of missions in all departments; and now we can report successful classes for the study of missions under the direction of the bishop, at the Diocesan House, San Francisco, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Cowie on the first Wednesday in every month; in Oakland, conducted by Miss E. S. Wade on the second Wednesday; and in Pasadena, conducted by Dr. Anita Tyng. A class is held in S. Paul's, San Diego, and Dr. Tyng is arranging for classes in S. Paul's Guild Hall, Los Angeles, on the second and third Fridays of the month. Held at these centers, opportunity to study about missions is given to women and girls in the neighborhood, with an economy of effort and time.

Under the able conductors assigned to us, we have advantages excelling anything we could of ourselves command. We look to these classes for the enlargement of our work. We would make them normal classes to which a parochial branch may send a student, who in her turn may become teacher, and at one meeting of her branch every month, or on one Sunday in the Sunday school, repeat the lesson with such additions and modifications as the case demands.

For this plan we earnestly beg the interest of the clergy, believing that if we might have these special students giving out what they get and bringing back to the class what they gain themselves, we should not only see better work and more money for missions, but we should know better whom to send out as missionaries, what training is needed for the special fields, and thus the whole work at home and abroad would gain, as does all other work of intelligent beings, by a special knowledge of its specific needs. The missions class is the latest move of the undivided branch. We believe it is the best move. Let us move on!

To-day we reach the first turning point in our history. The society organized in 1880 was then confined to the city of San Francisco, with members in the neighborhood. As years passed, members were added in many places, branches formed, previously existing societies organized their missionary work in unison with us, Junior Auxiliaries and Sunday schools fell in line, the Babies' Branch was enrolled; and now at our division, the Los Angeles branch begins independent existence with thirty-three separate organizations in twenty parishes or missions—seventy-seven branches in thirty-five parishes or missions remaining in the old organization.

But turning points give glimpses of the past. For one brief moment we must speak of the things that have been. We remember the early days—the first churchwomen who came to the Pacific coast, the first auxiliaries, a noble band! Some of them are here to-day. Their faces shine in benediction on the increase God has given us. We call to mind our holy dead, most fondly him whose body sleeps in Ioua, our dear, great Bishop Kip. And if there is some sadness that his old diocese is now dismembered, let us recall his prophecy “Oh, how I envy the Bishop of the Angels,” and believe that in paradise he sees with joy the fruit of his labors—the division which is multiplication, carrying on now in three bishoprics the work of his planting.

And what is there in our past we may send as a blessing to the future? With happy augury we close the record of the undivided branch on our sixteenth anniversary. The number of perfection has been twice told in our twice eight blessed years! Applying its mystical meaning in a fashion dear to us, I, your secretary, who touch almost the beginning of your work, say, that in all these busy years among all these busy women, there has been perfect peace.

Thousands of letters, hundreds of meetings, conferences, consultations without number, puzzles that baffle us still, misunderstandings within, wrong judgments without, how many opportunities for trouble, how many temptations to anger!

But amid all the shame of many failures, all the regrets for thwarted plans, the weariness, the faintings often, the self-accusations, and the “provokingness” of others, that we in retrospect recall, there are no memories of quarrels or dissensions. And the dowry of the old Auxiliary to the new Auxiliaries that now begin their course apart is the blessed memory of holy peace; not your virtue or mine, but the grace we have prayed for so often,—the gift of the Church of God, even the peace of God, which passeth all understanding.

But the cry is—Go Forward! We cannot part without a common outlook on the future. What do we need most in the new old work before us?

First of all, greater interest on the part of the clergy. To our bishop we have gone in every need, his guidance and his wonderful patience have been the chief source of our success: the Bishop of Los Angeles takes his auxiliary into like keeping and its future is so far assured. But we want no less of every clergyman in the church. Look at our printed tables, and when the items crowd under a heading, there is a rector who cares for his Auxiliary.

We often hear that the church cannot “get on” without the Auxiliary. We know that the Auxiliary cannot prosper without the support and oversight of the clergy. If you do not always approve of our methods Reverend Sirs, tell us so candidly, counsel us, guide us, care for us.

Secondly, more widely diffused, more exact knowledge of missions and the missionary work of the church. How many of us in this great congregation know even the names of our foreign missionary bishops, although most of us would be sorry to hesitate in naming our ambassadors to foreign courts!

Thirdly, a greater, more yearning love for the lonely women in the out of the way places, and more patient interest in the small beginnings. And always, a deeper personal consecration that will make the mission cause our own cause and find in our own hearts a response to the cry, "Come over and help us," or failing this, seek out and sustain in their hopes the candidates for missionary work among our own people.

Applicants from this coast, promising in all ways, now ask for training that will fit them for the mission fields. Shall we ask the East to support them in their training or shall we tell them the door is shut. Given a reasonable support we might test in association with workers here their general qualification, and then, until we have our own Pacific coast training house, give them a year's training in the deaconess houses already established.

And now it is farewell!

But how shall I say it and to what shall I liken this parting? Let us turn to our title for the simile that best expresses it. We see on some plant of our care, a vigorous branch shooting upward and outward, blossoming, fruiting, bristling with twigs that divide its duty of giving and taking. We look again, the branch has divided, and now there are two, the same fiber though they grow apart, always the same sap; but more twiglets, more leaves, more blossoms and fruit!

Thus may it be with us, two branches reaching upward to one source of energy, our roots one, one world to bless, parting only that we may give more widely of our protecting love.

And so it is not *farewell*, but *goodbye*,—God be with us both, and of his perfect love give us a perfect work to do!

SUSAN S. LAWVER, Secretary.

Second Annual Report of the Junior Department.

We are growing in spite of hard times and the apathy of the many! All of our parishes are not yet on our rolls, not because missions are objected to, but because there is so much to do at home.

We are trying to show that the more children are interested in missions the more they will wish to do "at home."

We are growing, difficult as it is to find women to direct branches of this, the Children's Missionary Society of the Church! But one by one they offer, and if any others wish to share the blessed work they are referred to the constitution which will show how broad are the rules.

We wish to see every Sunday school in the diocese a branch of the Junior Auxiliary, realizing as its first missionary obligation a sharing in the Lenten offering, and during Advent taking our Advent mite boxes for Diocesan Missions. This is all that is required of a branch. Other appeals are made with the understanding that gifts to them are voluntary.

Bishop Whipple has said, "I shall be told that our laymen are weary with the constant appeals from every quarter. But think how much darker the world would be if there were no appeals."

Advent mite chests were placed this year for the first time. Out of fifty-three Sunday-schools approached, twenty responded with \$128.68, and four of these were in little missions.

In the United Offering our department has been asked to help—and when the children have had it fully explained they have joined in it heartily.

Many of our Sunday-schools have a United Offering box, some place in it all the pennies found in their collections, others give, by vote, a certain sum to it, others give each year as many cents as they have scholars, others give a dollar a year, and in some schools boxes have been taken by individual scholars.

This year a lonely woman of Wood River, Neb., asked if some one would help her raise \$3 a month to maintain services at her station, she lacking that much to pay the expenses of the missionary. The Juniors of twelve dioceses offered to pay each \$3, and that lonely woman succeeded in bringing Christ not only to herself but to all in the vicinity. Bishop Graves wrote us that she could raise only \$5, but that it cost the missionary \$8 to get there and back once a month.

Later, Bishop Talbot asked if we could help him with his clergy fund, as the hard times made it almost impossible to pay his faithful clergymen. The Sunday-schools were asked, as many as could, to give \$1, and \$11.60 was raised. The thanks received for these two small sums from the two bishops were pathetic. They were so grateful for any help.

The objects in the diocese you all know of and nearly every Sunday-school and society does something for some of them. But are we doing all we can for Christ? Look over the list of church institutions, no one of which is endowed or independent yet, and see if you cannot help some one of them a little. Have you told your Sunday-school about them? Do you have a missionary Sunday each month, and interest your scholars in the work of the church. Children must be told over and over again or they will forget, and new children are entering the schools every week and they must be told. There are only four Sunday-schools in the diocese that support an orphan in either of our Orphanages, and there is nothing that children enjoy so much as to own an orphan, and work to raise the money to support their orphan, the girls having a week day Auxiliary to sew for said orphan; \$2.50 a month or \$30 a year is easily raised, and a great help to either Orphanage.

Boys should be specially interested in the Boys' Orphanage, and might do so much for it; also in the Seaman's Institute, especially the one at Port Costa, which is in so out of the way a place, we have to watch it closely to keep it alive,

Only interest the children and you will be surprised at what they will accomplish. Children have money for all sorts of luxuries, and it is for us to direct some of it into missionary channels. Thirty-three Sunday-schools and thirteen other societies have given this year \$805.70 and sent boxes valued at \$415.86, making a total of \$1221.56 given and earned by only a small per cent of the children. Can we not persuade all Sunday-schools to fall in line?

"Let your light so shine before men that they may see your good works," and help the missions of our church to "glorify their Father which is in heaven."

F. ELIZABETH BISHOP, Secretary.

Second Annual Report of the Babies Branch.

Last year, when the first report was given of the Babies' Branch, we had 116 members. Three of these we have lost by removal from the diocese, but have added many more so that there are now 226. From these we must transfer ninety-one to the diocese of Los Angeles, leaving for the California diocese 135. May God's blessing rest upon the new branch so well begun, and though we are not together I am sure the interest will be just as strong in one another. I have received money from 145 members, leaving many yet to be heard from, even

if we leave out those who have joined within a short time. From the 145 members has been received \$114.50 and \$3.30 in membership fees, making \$117.96

From July to September the membership fees amounted to \$2.50, which we gave to the united offering in October, 1895; also the contents from the boxes of the three children who left the branch and the contents of a box sent in late, making altogether \$5.30.

It seems necessary to ask the parents or guardians to feel a little more responsibility when making their babies members of the Branch, and to realize that there is more to it than merely giving the child's name and paying the first five cents.

We are all anxious that our children shall have ambitions in life and why not encourage holy ambitions. The Babies' Branch, I think, is a good beginning if we go at it in the right way, but it rests with us, the parents, and if we do our part, our little ones will be pretty sure to grow strong and vigorous for the Church, making their own lives and the lives of those about them sweet and holy.

I pray you remember the Babies' Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary that it may be the foundation of making many a strong churchman and churchwoman.

CLARA Q. NICHOLS, Secretary.

Report of the Church Periodical Club.

The annual report of the Church Periodical Club for 1895, will, we feel confident, gladden the hearts of those interested in the work.

There has been a marked increase throughout the work during the past year. We have sent currently 132 numbers, over 900 books, 200 pieces of music, 340 pictures and 12,928 miscellaneous publications.

In the Southern convocation where we have only two librarians, free reading rooms have been established in Temecula and Covina. In both of these places the people were eager to provide the space and to care for the publications.

Offers of files of magazines, etc., have been received, but these can only be accepted in those cases where the expense of expressage or freight is defrayed, as the club, financially, is unable to handle a large amount of matter. But for this lack of necessary money we should be able to do much more than at present.

We would again call your attention to our need of contributors willing to send the current numbers of the periodicals, postage prepaid, and we trust this appeal shall not be made in vain.

Our special thanks are due the Church Periodical Club librarian of S. Luke's our most earnest and active worker, and we have also most interested and efficient librarians in San Rafael, Berkeley, Oakland and Los Angeles.

We are especially indebted to the Bohemian Club, The Town and Country Club, also the Pacific Union for large contributions of reading matter. All of this large mass we should be unable to dispose of but for the kindness of Wells, Fargo & Co., in expressing our parcels free of charge at Easter and Christmas. But as has been stated, the correspondent is sadly hampered in the work by lack of funds, and is often unable to assist the missions applying to her for catechisms, hymnals, etc. It is for this purpose, as well as to send a clergyman occasionally a desired theological work, that we ask for yearly subscriptions from twenty-five cents to a dollar. All desiring to subscribe or wishing to send these current periodicals, postpaid, will please notify the correspondent, whose name and address may always be found in the *Pacific Churchman*.

JESSIE NEWLANDS, Correspondent.

Treasurer's Report.

RECEIPTS.				Boxes.	Cash.	Total.
Alameda, Christ Church, Woman's Auxiliary	\$	35	00	\$	29 80	\$ 64 80
" " " Daughters of the King.		7	00			7 00
" " " S. Agnes' Guild		21	00			21 00
" " " Altar Guild		30	00		1 00	31 00
" " " Sunday School Jr. Aux.					10 90	10 90
Bates, The Willing Workers		20	00			20 00
Bakersfield, S. Paul's, Woman's Auxiliary		24	00			24 00
" " " Junior		33	10		13 25	46 35
Berkeley, S. Mark's, Woman's Auxiliary		52	50		121 27	173 77
" " " Helping Hand, Junior Aux.					22 00	22 00
Coronado, S. Peter's Mission, Woman's Auxiliary		30	00		4 25	34 25
Covina, Holy Trinity Mission		42	00		11 25	53 25
Fowler, S. Michael's Mission, the Guild					5 30	5 30
Fresno, S. James', S. James' Guild		20	00		1 00	21 00
" " " Sunday School Junior Aux.		6	00		50 00	56 00
Fresno Flats, Christ Mission, Jr. Aux. Mountain Gleaners		60	45		1 00	61 45
Haywards, Trinity Mission		15	00		3 25	18 25
" " " Sunday School Jr. Aux.					3 35	3 35
Hueneme, Trinity Mission, Trinity Guild					10 00	10 00
Los Angeles, Christ Church, Woman's Auxiliary					13 85	13 85
" " S. John's Church, Altar Guild		25	65		12 00	37 65
" " " Woman's Guild		15	75		27 00	42 75
" " " S. Faith's					2 00	2 00
" " S. Paul's, Woman's Auxiliary		150	50		346 10	496 60
" " " Mission Helpers		40	11		30 80	70 91
" " " Sunday School					7 50	7 50
" " " Katherine McFarland Branch						
Junior Auxiliary		50	55		7 30	57 85
East Los Angeles, Epiphany, Woman's Auxiliary		12	00		1 00	13 00
Lompoc, S. Mary's					1 00	1 00
Los Gatos, S. Luke's, S. Luke's Guild		7	00		4 45	11 45
Martinez, Grace, Ladies' Guild		45	00		6 90	51 90
" " " Junior Auxiliary, Sunday School		24	70		7 60	32 30
Monrovia, S. Luke's					1 00	1 00
" " " With Duarte and Sierra Madre...					3 01	3 01
National City, S. Matthew's Mission					6 72	6 72
Oakland, S. Andrew's, Woman's Auxiliary					5 00	5 00
" " S. John's, Missionary Chapter		297	55		158 45	456 00
" " " S. Alban's Chapter, Junior Aux.		30	00			30 00
" " " Sunday School Junior Aux.		30	00		130 47	160 47
" " " S. Agnes' Chapter, Jr. Aux.		9	05		4 80	13 85
" " " Seamens		5	00		3 30	8 30
" " Trinity, S. Agnes' Chapter					40	40
" " " Sunday School					5 00	5 00
" " " Sisters of Bethany		3	00		12 00	15 00
" " " Trinity Guild		5	20			5 20
" " S. Paul's, Woman's Auxiliary		33	00		178 00	211 00
" " " Sunday School		23	75		10 66	34 41
Orange, Trinity Mission					2 85	2 85
Pacific Grove, S. Mary's-by-the-Sea, S. Mary's Guild..		13	00		15 55	28 55
" " " Sunday School		11	00		10	11 10
Pasadena, All Saints, Woman's Auxiliary		110	00		56 35	166 35
" " " Sunday School Junior Aux.					35 00	35 00
Pomona, S. Paul's, Woman's Auxiliary		76	75		16 25	93 00
" " " Junior Auxiliary		25	50		3 93	29 43
Redlands, Trinity, Woman's Auxiliary		89	50			89 50
Riverside, All Saints'		50	00		6 00	56 00

Ross, San Anselmo Chapel		24 00	24 00
San Diego, S. Paul's, Woman's Auxiliary	101 26	286 95	388 21
" " S. Mary's Chapter Jr. Aux.	30 30	2 25	32 55
" " S. Mark's, S. Mark's Guild	10 50	2 25	12 75
San Francisco, The Advent, Woman's Auxiliary	42 50	101 65	144 15
" " Sunday School		8 90	8 90
" " Junior Auxiliary	2 00		2 00
" " Good Samaritan Mission		18 95	18 95
" " Sunday School Jr. Aux.		9 35	9 35
" " Grace		50 00	50 00
" " Chancel Society	80 00		80 00
" " Ministering Women and Children	72 60	31 00	103 60
" " A. Agatha's Guild	52 75		52 75
" " The Presidio, S. Cornelius Chapel		4 10	4 10
" " " Sunday School		3 80	3 80
" " S. James' Mission, Junior Aux.	14 95	6 58	21 53
" " " Sunday School		1 00	1 00
" " S. Luke's, Missionary Society	305 30	213 95	519 25
" " " Sunday School Jr. Aux.		169 45	169 45
" " S. John's, Missionary Committee	1 50	54 35	55 85
" " " Holy Innocents' Chapel		1 00	1 00
" " " and Chapels' Sunday Schools		23 35	23 35
" " S. Paul's, Missionary Chapter	27 75	29 02	56 77
" " " Daughters of the King	16 20		16 20
" " " Sunday School		4 05	4 05
" " S. Peter's, Woman's Auxiliary	24 50	14 65	39 15
" " S. Stephen's, Missionary Committee	23 00	59 82	82 82
" " Trinity, Missionary Society	7 00	230 05	237 05
" " " S. Felicia's Guild	318 70		318 70
" " " S. Mary's Guild	12 00	41 00	53 00
" " " S. Ursula's Chapt. D. of the K.	70 00		70 00
" " " Trinity Guild	104 00	24 40	128 40
" " " Sunday School		17 05	17 05
" " The Be's	15 40	10 60	26 00
" " The Mizpah Club		8 80	8 80
" " The Golden Circle King's Daughters	37 00		37 00
" " The Willing " " " "	65 00	1 00	66 00
" " Ocean View	1 50		1 50
" " " Sunday School		90	90
San Gabriel, Our Saviour	74 35	28 79	103 14
San Mateo, S. Matthew's, Polar Needles Jr. Aux.	3 00		3 00
" " " Sunday School		8 67	8 67
San Rafael, S. Paul's, Woman's Auxiliary	164 20	40 90	205 10
" " " Sunday School Junior Aux.		9 45	9 45
Santa Ana, The Messiah, Woman's Auxiliary		2 00	2 00
" " " Junior Auxiliary		2 00	2 00
Santa Barbara, Trinity, Woman's Auxiliary		102 32	102 32
" " " Sunday School Jr. Aux.		28 09	28 09
Santa Cruz, Calvary, The Guilds	22 00	4 65	26 65
" " " Sunday School Junior Aux.		22 15	22 15
Santa Monica, S. Augustine's Mission Junior Aux.		62	62
Sausalito, Christ Church		39 79	39 70
Selma, S. Luke's, S. Luke's Guild	15 00	1 00	16 00
Sonora, S. James', Woman's Auxiliary		22 65	22 65
" " " Sunday School		3 00	3 00
Stockton, S. John's, S. John's Guild	81 40	15 00	96 40
" " " Sunday School Junior Aux.		8 00	8 00
Walnut Creek, S. Paul's	8 00	1 65	9 65
" " " Sunday School		3 00	3 00
Duarte, All Saints		1 00	1 00
East Oakland, The Advent, Sunday School		25	25
" " S. Stephen's		3 00	3 00
Palo Alto, All Saints		1 80	1 80
Mill Valley, Our Saviour		1 00	1 00
" " " Sunday School		1 05	1 05
Lafayette, Mission		70	70

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List of Boxes and Money Contributions.

		TOTALS.
Alameda, Christ Church—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Box to a Missionary's child.....	\$25 00	
" Armitage Home.....	10 00	\$ 35 00
Cash to Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	10 85	
" United Offering, 1895.....	10 60	
" Wyoming and Idaho Clergy Fund.....	1 00	
" Membership in Diocesan Branch.....	1 00	
" Profit on Calendars sold.....	6 35	29 80
Alameda, Christ Church—Daughters of the King.		
Box to Alaska Missions.....	7 00	7 00
Alameda, Christ Church—S. Agnes' Guild.		
Box to Armitage Home.....	14 00	
" Bishop Armitage Orphanage (by Aux. to Guild).....	7 00	21 00
Alameda, Christ Church—Altar Guild.		
Two dossals to Altar Department.....	20 00	
Box to Armitage Home.....	10 00	30 00
Cash to Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	1 00
Alameda, Christ Church—Sunday School.		
Cash by Advent Chests to Diocesan Missions.....	8 30	
" to Wyoming and Idaho Clergy Fund.....	2 60	10 90
Bakersfield, S. Paul's—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Box to Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	8 80	
" Armitage Home.....	7 00	
" Church Institution.....	8 20	24 00
Bakersfield—Junior Auxiliary.		
Box to S. Luke's Hospital.....	13 00	
" Church Institution.....	13 35	
" Maria Kip Orphanage.....	4 50	
" Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	2 25	33 10
Cash to Lenten Offering.....	10 05	
" Advent Chests to Diocesan Missions.....	3 20	13 25
Bates—The Willing Workers.		
Box to Alaska Missions.....	20 00	20 00
Berkeley, S. Mark's—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Cassock and Gown to Church Divinity School.....	19 60	
Surplice to Mission, Mokelumne Hill.....	7 00	
A Diocesan Box.....	1 00	
Box to Yava Supai Indians, Arizona.....	15 00	
Box to Alaska Mission.....	10 00	52 50
Cash to Central Expenses.....	12 00	
" S. Mary's Lompoc.....	2 10	
" Good Samaritan Mission, San Francisco ..	4 20	
" Old Ladies' Home.....	25 00	
" Purchase Organ for San Ardo.....	7 90	
" United Offering, 1895.....	2 67	
" General Board for China.....	13 00	
" Freight on Alaska Goods.....	8 00	
" Freight on "Northern Light" to Alaska.....	20 00	
" Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	13 85	
" United Offering, 1898.....	4 00	
Profit on sale of Calendars.....	8 55	121 27

Berkeley—The Helping Hand, Junior Auxiliary.		
Cash to Old Ladies' Home.....	22 00	22 00
Coronado, S. Peter's Mission—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Box to a Diocesan Missionary.....	30 00	30 00
Cash to Altar Fund, 1894.....	1 00	
" Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
Profit on sale of Calendars.....	2 25	4 25
Covina, Holy Trinity Mission—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Box to Helping Hand Mission—Los Angeles.....	40 00	
" Maria Kip Orphanage.....	2 00	42 00
Cash to Helping Hand Mission.....	75	
" Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
" Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	4 50	
" Central Expenses.....	4 50	
" Alaska Box.....	50	11 25
Fowler, S. Michael's Mission—The Guild.		
Cash to Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
" Central Expenses.....	2 00	
" Profit on sale of Calendars.....	2 30	5 30
Fresno, S. James—S. James' Guild.		
Box to Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	20 00	20 00
Cash to Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	1 00
Fresno, S. James—Sunday School, Junior Aux.		
Box to Maria Kip Orphanage.....	6 00	6 00
Cash to General Board, Lenten Offering.....	50 00	50 00
Fresno Flats, Christ Mission—Mountain Gleaners, Junior Auxiliary.		
Boxes to Bishop Armitage Orphanage, previous year, report delayed.....	14 30	
Box to Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	15 70	
" Maria Kip Orphanage.....	10 75	
" Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	19 70	60 45
Cash by Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions...	1 00	1 00
Haywards, Trinity Mission—Trinity Guild.		
Package to Alaska.....	1 00	
Box to Maria Kip Orphanage.....	14 00	15 00
Cash to United Offering, 1895.....	1 00	
Profit on sale of Calendars.....	2 25	3 25
Haywards, Sunday School—Junior Auxiliary.		
Cash by Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions...	3 35	3 35
Hueneme, Trinity Mission—Trinity Guild.		
Cash to Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	9 00	
" Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	10 00
Lompoc, S. Mary's Mission—S. Mary's Guild.		
Cash to Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	1 00
Los Angeles, Christ Church—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Cash to United Offering, 1895.....	4 10	
" Altar Fund, 1895.....	3 00	
" Building Fund Maria Kip Orphanage.....	4 25	
" A Diocesan Missionary.....	2 50	13 85
Los Angeles, S. John's—Altar Guild.		
Box to a Clergyman.....	25 65	25 65
Cash to a Clergyman.....	10 00	
" Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
" Central Expenses.....	1 00	12 00

Los Angeles, S. John's—Woman's Guild.

Box to a Clergyman	9 50	
Box to Alaska	6 25	15 75
Cash to a Clergyman	25 00	
“ Altar Fund, 1895	1 00	
“ Central Expenses	1 00	27 00

Los Angeles, S. John's—S. Faith's Guild.

Cash to Altar Fund, 1895	1 00	
“ Central Expenses	1 00	2 00

Los Angeles, S. Paul's—Woman's Auxiliary.

Box to a Diocesan Missionary	68 90	
“ Ascension Mission Boyle Heights	4 00	
“ Diocesan Missionary	77 60	150 50
Cash to Mission Helping Hand, Los Angeles	244 05	
“ United Offering, 1895	54 70	
“ Church at Murietta	10 00	
“ Central Expenses	15 00	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars	16 35	
“ Altar Fund 1893-'94-'95, (by the Guild)	6 00	346 10

Los Angeles, S. Paul's—Mission Helpers.

Christmas box to S. Peter's, S. S. San Pedro	8 11	
Work done for Helping Hand Mission	32 00	40 11
Cash to rent of Helping Hand Mission	30 80	30 80

Los Angeles—Katherine McFarland Br. Jun. Aux.

Box to Helping Hand Mission	9 00	
Christmas Tree to Helping Hand Mission	25 00	
Box to Good Samaritan Hospital	9 00	
Easter box to Rev. J. S. McGowan's Sunday Schools	7 55	50 55
Cash to Birthday Bed, Good Samaritan Hospital	5 30	
“ Helping Hand Mission	2 00	7 30

Los Angeles, S. Paul's—Sunday School.

Cash to United Offering, 1895	7 50	7 50
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E. Los Angeles, The Epiphany—Woman's Aux.

Carpet to Church Divinity School	12 00	12 00
Cash to Altar Fund, 1895	1 00	1 00

Los Gatos, S. Luke's—S. Luke's Guild.

Surplice to Church Divinity School	7 00	7 00
Cash to purchase Cards and Eggs for a S. S.	2 50	
Profit on sale of Calendars	1 95	4 45

Martinez, Grace—Ladies' Guild.

Box to Alaska Mission	45 00	45 00
Cash to United Offering, 1895	5 00	
“ Profit on sale Calendars	90	6 90
“ Altar Fund, 1895	1 00	

Martinez, Sunday School—Junior Auxiliary.

Box to Alaska Mission	20 20	
“ Maria Kip Orphanage	4 50	24 70
Cash to Maria Kip Orphanage Building Fund	3 30	
“ United Offering, 1895	2 80	
“ Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions ..	1 50	7 60

Monrovia, S. Luke's—S. Luke's Guild.

Cash to Altar Fund	1 00	
“ United Offering, 1895, with Duarte and Sierra Madre	3 01	4 01

National City—S. Mathew's Mission.

Cash to United Offering, 1895	6 72	6 72
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Oakland, S. Andrews—

Cash to Central Expenses	5 00	5 00
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Oakland, S. John's—Missionary Chapter.

Box to Alaska, June, 1895.....	15 50	
“ A Diocesan Missionary.....	65 05	
Cash to a Diocesan Missionary	8 00	
Hymnals to Vacaville Mission, N. California.....	9 00	
Piano to Seamen's Institute, Port Costa.....	200 00	297 55
Cash to Central Expenses.....	5 00	
“ Ventura Debt direct to Mr. Parker.....	7 00	
“ “ through Treasurer.....	3 00	
“ Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	3 00	
“ S. Mathew's Mission, Lorin.....	10 00	
“ Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
“ Seamen's Institute, Port Costa	20 15	
“ Memorial Window, The Messiah, Santa Ana	5 00	
“ United Offering, 1894.....	10 75	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars.....	29 03	
“ “ “ “ by Miss Bishop..	64 52	158 45

Oakland, S. John's—S. Alban's Chapter Jun. Aux.

Altar Hangings to Mission, Mokelumne Hill.....	25 00	
To Altar Cloth, Good Samaritan Mission.....	5 00	30 00

Oakland, S. John's—Sunday School Junior Aux.

Box at Christmas to Maria Kip Orphanage.....	30 00	30 00
Cash to Bishop Nichols for Missions.....	5 00	
“ Lenten Offering to Board of Missions.....	32 38	
“ Bank Account begun for an Orphan.....	2 50	
“ Maria Kip Orphanage Building Fund.	50	
“ Wood River Mission, The Platte.....	1 10	
“ Wyoming and Idaho Clergy Fund.....	1 00	
“ Freight on “Northern Light”.....	2 73	
“ United Offering, 1895.....	4 35	
“ Support Orphan in Bishop Armitage Orph.....	30 00	
“ “ Maria Kip Orphanage.....	30 00	
“ Expenses Junior Department (Poll Tax)....	1 50	
“ Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions...	19 41	130 47

Oakland, S. John's—S. Agnes' Chapter Jun. Aux.

Box to Maria Kip Orphanage.....	3 70	
“ Missionary	70	
“ Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	4 65	9 05
Cash to Good Samaritan Mission, San Francisco....	4 80	4 80

Oakland, S. John's—Seamen's Chapter Jun. Aux.

Books and Magazines to Seamen's Inst., Pt. Costa...	5 00	5 00
Cash to the same.....	3 30	3 30

Oakland, S. Paul's—Missionary Chapter.

Box to Alaska Mission, 1895	7 00	
Boxes to Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	9 50	
Box to Maria Kip Orphanage.....	5 50	
Box for general distribution.....	11 00	33 00
Cash to Mission Good Samaritan, Oakland.....	30 00	
“ Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
“ Central Expenses	50 00	
“ Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	25 00	
“ Purchase Clerical Suits.....	50 00	
“ Old Ladies' Home.....	10 00	
“ United Offering, 1895.....	7 50	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars.....	3 75	
“ Wyoming and Idaho Clergy Fund.....	75	178 00

Oakland, S. Paul's—Sunday School.

Box to Good Samaritan Mission, Oakland.....	20 00
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Box to Alaska Mission, 1895.....	3 75	23 75
Cash to Wood River Mission, The Platte	50	
“ Maria Kip Orphanage Building Fund	1 00	
“ Wyoming and Idaho Cl. rgy Fund.....	1 00	
“ Expenses Junior Department.....	1 16	
“ Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions....	7 00	10 66
Oakland, Trinity—Sisters of Bethany.		
Box to Alaska Mission, 1895.....	3 00	3 00
Cash to purchase Christmas Boxes Diocesan Missions	5 00	
“ Purchase goods for Yava Supai Indians.....	2 00	
“ “ Easter Boxes.....	5 00	12 00
Oakland, Trinity—Trinity Guild.		
Box to Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	3 20	
To Altar Department.	2 00	5 20
Oakland, Trinity—S. Agnes' Chapter.		
Cash to Wood River Mission, The Platte.....	40	40
Oakland, Trinity—Sunday School.		
Cash by Advent Chests to Diocesan Missions.....	5 00	5 00
Orange, Trinity Mission—		
Cash Profit on sale of Calendars.....	2 85	2 85
Pacific Grove, S. Mary's-by-the-Sea—S. Mary's Guild.		
Box to Alaska, 1896.....	5 00	
“ Maria Kip Orphanage.....	8 00	13 00
Cash to Central Expenses, April, 1895.....	1 00	
“ Current year.....	12 00	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars.....	2 55	15 55
Pacific Grove, S. Mary's-by-the-Sea—Sun. School.		
Box to Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	11 00	11 00
Cash to Membership Cards, Junior Department.....	10	10
Pasadena, All Saints—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Box to a Diocesan Missionary.....	60 00	
“ “ “	50 00	110 00
Cash to a “ “	25 00	
“ Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
“ A Diocesan Missionary.....	20 00	
“ Central Expenses.....	6 00	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars	4 35	56 35
Pasadena, Sunday School—Junior Auxiliary.		
Lenten Offering to Board of Missions.....	35 00	35 00
Pomona, S. Paul's—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Box to Alaska Mission.....	8 00	
“ Helping Hand Mission, Los Angeles.....	42 75	
“ Box to Alaska Mission.....	26 00	76 75
Cash to Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	5 50	
“ Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
“ United Offering, 1895.....	5 25	
“ Central Expenses.....	4 00	
“ Alaska Freight.....	1 00	16 75
Pomona, S. Paul's—Junior Auxiliary.		
Box to Helping Hand Mission, Los Angeles.....	25 50	25 50
Cash to United Offering, 1895.....	3 93	3 93
Redlands, Trinity—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Box to a Diocesan Missionary.....	9 00	
“ Maria Kip Orphanage.....	22 00	
“ Diocesan Missionary.....	6 00	

Box to Diocesan Missionary.....	38 00	
" Good Samaritan Hospital, Los Angeles.....	14 50	89 50
Riverside, All Saints—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Box to a Diocesan Missionary.....	50 00	50 00
Cash to Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
" Purchase Clerical Suit.....	5 00	6 00
Ross, San Anselmo Chapel—		
Cash to purchase goods for Vestments.....	10 00	
" Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	4 00	
" Easter Boxes.....	10 00	24 00
San Diego, S. Paul's—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Box to a Diocesan Missionary.....	2 00	
" " ".....	36 16	
" " ".....	44 10	
" Alaska Missions, 1896.....	3 00	
" Bostonia Mission.....	2 50	
Sunday School Papers to Mission, San Diego.....	12 50	
Book Marks to a Mission.....	1 00	101 26
Cash to Board of Missions (2c a week).....	9 50	
" United Offering, 1895.....	96 30	
" Building Fund S. James', S. San Diego.....	31 40	
" Missions San Diego County.....	64 00	
" Board of Missions, General.....	3 20	
" Board of Missions, Diocese of Los Angeles.....	5 55	
" Easter Box Purchases.....	15 00	
" Alaska.....	10 00	
" Altar Fund, by Altar Chapter.....	1 00	
" Altar Fund, by Junior Chapter.....	1 00	
" Central Expenses.....	15 00	
" Bostonia Mission.....	20 00	
" Profit on sale of Calendars.....	15 00	286 95
San Diego, S. Paul's—S. Mary's Chap. Jun. Aux.		
Box to Child in Maria Kip Orphanage.....	13 30	
" Alaska Missions.....	1 50	
" San Diego County Missions.....	15 50	30 30
Cash to Expenses Junior Department.....	90	
" Profit on sale of Calendars.....	1 35	2 25
San Diego, S. Mark's—S. Mark's Guild.		
Box to a Diocesan Missionary.....	10 50	10 50
Cash to Central Expenses.....	1 00	
" United Offering, 1895.....	1 25	2 25
San Francisco, Church of the Advent—Auxiliary.		
Box to a Diocesan Missionary.....	27 00	
" Alaska Mission, 1894.....	13 00	
Bible to Mission at Lafayette.....	2 50	42 50
Cash to Alaska Mission, 1895.....	12 55	
" Board of Missions for Orphanage in Japan.....	25 00	
" Board of Missions for Bp. Talbot's Cath'l S.S.....	11 00	
" Membership, Diocesan Branch.....	5 00	
" Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
" Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	5 00	
" Central Expenses.....	35 00	
" Profit on sale of Calendars.....	60	
" United Offering, 1895.....	1 50	
" Purchase for Easter Boxes.....	5 00	101 65
San Francisco, Church of the Advent—S. School.		
Cash by Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions...	7 90	
" to Wyoming and Idaho Clergy Fund.....	1 00	8 90
San Francisco, Church of the Advent—Jun. Aux.		
Box to two Missions.....	2 00	2 00

San Francisco, Good Samaritan Mission—Auxiliary.					
Cash to United Offering, 1895.....	5	50			
" Altar Fund, 1896.....	1	00			
" Profit on sale of Calendars.....	8	45			
" Membership Diocesan Branch....	4	00		18	95
 San Francisco, Good Samaritan S. S.—Jun. Aux.					
Cash to United Offering, 1895.....	2	75			
" Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions...	6	60		9	35
 San Francisco—Grace Church.					
Cash to Membership, Diocesan Branch.....	9	00			
" Central Expenses, deficit.....	10	00			
" Central Expenses Current Year.....	30	00			
" Altar Fund, 1895.....	1	00		50	00
 San Francisco, Grace Church—Chancel Society.					
Altar Cloths to Altar Department.....	80	00		80	00
 San Francisco, Grace—Ministering Wom. and Chil.					
Box to Maria Kip Orphanage.....	18	85			
" Old Ladies' Home.....	28	50			
Package to Christmas Missionary Box.....	4	75			
Altar Linen to Church Divinity School.....	2	00			
Box to a Mission.....	2	00			
" Bishop Armitage Orphanage	6	75			
" Alaska Missions.....	9	75		72	60
Cash to S. James' Mission, San Francisco.....	30	00			
" United Offering, 1895.....	1	00		31	00
 San Francisco, Grace—S. Agatha's Guild.					
Box to Maria Kip Orphanage.....	46	20			
Package to Old Ladies' Home.....	50				
" Easter Box.....	6	05		52	75
 S. Francisco, The Presidio—S. Cornelius Chapel.					
Cash to Membership Diocesan Society.....	1	00			
" United Offering, 1895.....	3	10		4	10
 San Francisco, The Presidio—Sunday School.					
Cash by Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions...	3	80		3	80
 San Francisco, S. James' Mission—Jun. Aux.					
Box to a Diocesan Missionary.....	14	95		14	95
 San Francisco, S. James' Mission—Woman's Auxiliary.					
Cash to Altar Fund, 1895.....	1	00			
" United Offering, 1895.....	2	33			
" Profit on sale of Calendars.....	3	25		6	58
 San Francisco, S. James' Mission—Sunday School.					
Cash to Wyoming and Idaho Clergy Fund.....	1	00		1	00
 San Francisco, S. Luke's—Missionary Society.					
Box to a Diocesan Missionary	100	00			
" Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	50	00			
" " ".....	28	00			
" A Churchwoman.....	37	00			
" Lonely Woman through C. P. C.....	5	00			
" " ".....	5	00			
" Armitage Home.....	1	50			
" Missionary's Family.....	22	80			
" Fire Sufferers in Good Samaritan Mission...	50	00			
Bibles to a Diocesan Sunday School.....	6	00		305	30
Cash to Altar Fund, 1895.....	1	00			

"	Altar Fund by Ascension Day Collection....	3 55	
"	Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	40 00	
"	S. Luke's Hospital.....	9 35	
"	A Divinity Student.....	61 00	
"	United Offering, 1895.....	7 25	
"	" " 1898, Coll. Feast of the Anunciation.....	11 00	
"	Central Expenses.....	60 00	
"	Memberships in Diocesan Branch.....	7 00	
"	Profit on sale of Calendars.....	4 80	
"	C. P. C. for Extension of its Work.....	9 00	213 95
San Francisco, S. Luke's—Sunday School Jr. Aux.			
Cash to	Bishop Armitage Orphanage, Manger Service	3 25	
"	Maria Kip Orphanage, Manger Service.....	3 25	
"	Membership in Junior Auxiliary.....	05	
"	United Offering, 1895.....	11 40	
"	Wood River Mission, The Platte.....	1 00	
"	Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	30 00	
"	Maria Kip Orphanage.....	30 00	
"	Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions...	17 50	
"	Lenten Pyramids and Easter Festival Col- lection to Rev. S. C. Partridge, China.....	50 00	
"	Mission, Mokelumne Hill.....	6 50	
"	Wyoming and Idaho Clergy Fund.....	2 00	
"	A Mission in Mexico.....	5 00	
"	Old Ladies' Home.....	8 00	
"	Good Samaritan Mission, San Francisco.....	1 50	169 45
San Francisco, S. John's—Missionary Committee.			
Candy to	a Diocesan Christmas Festival.....	1 50	1 50
Cash to	Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	8 75	
"	Purchase Goods for Yava Supai.....	1 00	
"	Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
"	Purchase for a Diocesan Box.....	3 50	
"	Central Expenses.....	18 00	
"	United Offering, 1895.....	4 90	
"	Memberships in Diocesan Branch.....	10 00	
"	Profit on sale of Calendars.....	1 20	
"	Purchase Parish Register, Domestic Mission	1 00	54 35
San Francisco, S. John's—Holy Innocents Chapel.			
Cash to	Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	1 00
San Francisco—Sunday Schools, S. John's, with Holy Innocents' and Good Samaritan Chapels			
Cash to	Old Ladies' Home.....	23 35	23 35
San Francisco, S. Paul's—Missionary Chapter.			
Box to	Diocesan Missionary.....	12 50	
Surplice to	Diocesan Missionary.....	7 00	
Work and Materials	Red Altar Cloth to Good Samari- tan Mission.....	6 25	
Hymnal to	San Ardo Mission.....	2 00	27 75
Cash to	Central Expenses.....	6 50	
"	Memberships Diocesan Branch.....	5 00	
"	United Offering, 1895.....	17 52	29 02
San Francisco, St. Paul's—Daughters of the King.			
Box for	General Distribution.....	16 20	16 20
San Francisco, S. Paul's—Sunday School.			
Cash to	United Offering, 1895.....	3 05	
"	Maria Kip Orphanage Building Fund.....	1 00	4 05

San Francisco, S. Peter's—Woman's Auxiliary.

Fair Linen to Church Divinity School.....	18 00	
Making Cassock for Hollister Mission.....	6 50	24 50
Cash to Central Expenses.....	4 50	
“ Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	25	
“ United Offering, 1895, to Miss Emery.....	3 75	
“ “ “ through Treasurer...	3 15	
“ Memberships in Diocesan Branch.....	3 00	14 65

San Francisco, S. Stephen's—Missionary Com.

Surplice to Hollister Mission.....	7 00	
Package to Yava Supai Indians.....	4 34	
Material to Altar Cloth Soldiers' Home.....	1 10	
Material for Cassock to S. Mathew's Mission, Lorin...	7 50	
Box to a Missionary's Family.....	3 06	23 00
Cash to Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
“ Central Expenses.....	30 00	
“ Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	6 50	
“ Memberships in Diocesan Branch.....	2 00	
“ United Offering, 1895.....	9 61	
“ “ “ 1898.....	1 76	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars.....	8 95	59 82

San Francisco, Trinity—Missionary Society.

Box to Alaska Mission, 1896.....	7 00	7 00
Cash to a Diocesan Missionary.....	50 00	
“ Purchase Goods for Vestments to Juneau....	10 50	
“ Central Expenses.....	48 00	
“ S. Luke's Hospital.....	60 00	
“ Memberships Diocesan Branch.....	30 00	
“ United Offering, 1895.....	24 55	230 05

San Francisco, Trinity—S. Felicia's Guild.

Twelve Boxes to Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	288 70	
Carpet to Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	30 00	318 70

San Francisco, Trinity—S. Mary's Guild.

White Stole to a Domestic Missionary.....	12 00	12 00
Cash to S. Luke's Hospital.....	24 00	
“ Central Expenses.....	12 00	
“ Altar Fund, 1895.....	5 00	41 00

San Francisco, Trinity—S. Ursula's Chap., D. of K.

Boxes to S. Ursula's Room Maria Kip Orphanage...	70 00	70 00
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San Francisco, Trinity—Trinity Guild.

Boxes to Maria Kip Orphanage.....	60 00	
“ Good Samaritan Mission.....	30 00	
“ A Church Institution.....	2 50	
Making Cassock and Surplice for Juneau, Alaska...	11 50	104 00
Cash to Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	24 40	24 40

San Francisco, Trinity—Sunday School.

Cash to United Offering, 1895.....	4 00	
“ Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions...	13 05	17 05

San Francisco, The Bes.

Carpet to Church Divinity School.....	10 40	
Christmas Box to Diocesan Mission.....	5 00	15 40
Cash to Seamen's Institute, Port Costa.....	10 00	
“ Purchase Goods for Yava Supai.....	60	10 60

San Francisco—Mizpah Club.

Cash to Purchases for a Missionary Box.....	8 80	8 80
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San Francisco—Golden Circle, King's Daughters.		
Bible to Mokelumne Hill Mission.....	7 00	
Communion Sets to Dunsmuir, Nor. Cal., Marshfield, Oregon, Mokelumne Hill, Cal.....	30 00	37 00
San Francisco—Willing Circle, King's Daughters.		
Altar Linen to Bishop Wells, Olympia.....	35 00	
“ S. Joseph's Chapel, So. Bethlehem, Pa.....	30 00	65 00
Cash to Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	1 00
San Francisco—Ocean View.		
Box to Yava Supai Indians.....	1 50	1 50
San Francisco, Ocean View—Sunday School.		
Cash to United Offering, 1895.....	90	90
San Gabriel, Church of Our Saviour—Auxiliary.		
Box to a Diocesan Missionary.....	62 35	
Work for Good Samaritan Hospital.....	12 00	74 35
Cash to Purchase Goods for a Diocesan Missionary..	3 50	
“ Debt, S. Paul's Ventura.....	10 00	
“ Central Expenses.....	3 00	
“ Altar Fund.....	1 00	
“ United Offering, 1895.....	9 64	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars.....	1 65	28 79
San Mateo, S. Matthew's—"The Polar Needles" Junior Auxiliary.		
Package to Point Hope Mission, Alaska.....	3 00	3 00
San Mateo, S. Matthew's—Sunday School.		
Cash by Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions...	8 67	8 67
San Rafael, S. Paul's—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Boxes to City Mission.....	38 50	
Christmas Box to a Diocesan Missionary.....	39 70	
House Linen to Armitage Home.....	18 50	
Boxes to Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	24 50	
Box to Alaska Mission.....	33 00	
Chalice Veil to.....	6 00	
Making Surplice to.....	4 00	164 20
Cash to Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	13 00	
“ Altar Fund, 1895.....	1 00	
“ United Offering, 1895.....	50	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars.....	2 40	
“ Central Expenses.....	24 00	40 90
San Rafael, S. Paul's—Sunday School, Junior Aux.		
Cash by Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions...	9 25	
“ Membership cards Junior Department.....	20	9 45
Santa Barbara, Trinity—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Cash to Debt, S. Paul's Ventura.....	2 00	
“ Purchase Candy and Cards for Sunday Schools, San Simeon, Fresno Flats and Lorin Missions.....	5 00	
“ Purchase Goods Yava Supai Indians.....	5 00	
“ United Offering, 1895.....	22 06	
“ Montecito Mission.....	37 51	
“ Alaska Boxes.....	6 50	
“ Altar Fund.....	1 00	
“ Purchase Easter Box.....	4 00	
“ Profit on Calendar Sales.....	3 30	
“ Central Expenses.....	5 00	
“ United Offering, 1898, 1 cent a day, by a Member of the Parish.....	10 95	102 32

Santa Barbara, Trinity—Sunday School, Jr. Aux.		
Cash to United Offering, 1895.....	1 00	
“ Lenten Offering, 1896.....	20 01	
“ Alaska Mission.....	7 08	28 09
Santa Ana, The Messiah—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Cash to Altar Fund, 1894 and 1895.....	2 00	2 00
Santa Ana, The Messiah—Junior Auxiliary.		
Cash to Altar Fund, 1894 and 1895.....	2 00	2 00
Santa Cruz, Calvary—The Guild.		
Package to Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	12 00	
“ Maria Kip Orphanage.....	5 00	
“ A Church Institution.....	5 00	22 00
Cash to Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	3 00	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars.....	1 65	4 65
Santa Cruz, Calvary—Sunday School, Jun. Aux.		
Cash by Lenten Offering to Board of Missions.....	18 20	
“ Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions.....	3 95	22 15
Santa Monica, S. Augustine's Mission—Jr. Aux.		
Cash to Membership Cards.....	62	62
Sausalito, Christ Church—		
Cash to Purchase Goods for Yava Supai.....	5 00	
“ United Offering, 1895, by a Member.....	10 00	
“ Central Expenses, April, 1895.....	1 00	
“ Central Expenses Current Year.....	12 00	
“ Central Expenses May and June, 1896.....	2 00	
“ Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	7 60	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars.....	2 10	39 70
Selma, S. Luke's—S. Luke's Guild.		
Box to Maria Kip Orphanage.....	2 50	
“ Alaska Mission.....	12 50	15 00
Cash to Altar Fund, 1896.....	1 00	1 00
Sonora, S. James'—Woman's Auxiliary.		
Cash to Bishop's Auxiliary Fund ..	10 80	
“ Central Expenses.....	5 00	
“ Altar Fund.....	1 00	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars.....	5 85	22 65
Sonora, S. James—Sunday School.		
Cash by Advent Mite Chests to Diocesan Missions. .	3 00	3 00
Stockton, S. John's—S. John's Guild.		
Box to a Diocesan Missionary.....	38 45	
“ “ “.....	2 00	
“ Bishop Armitage Orphanage.....	38 45	
“ Church Institution.....	2 50	81 40
Cash to Central Expenses, May, 1894–May, 1896.....	12 00	
“ Profit on sale of Calendars.....	3 00	15 00
Stockton, S. John's—S. John's S. S. Jun. Aux.		
Cash by Profit on sale of Calendars.....	8 00	8 00
Walnut Creek, S. Paul's—		
Package to Alaska Missions.....	8 00	8 00
Cash to Profit on sale of Calendars	1 65	1 65
Walnut Creek, S. Paul's—Sunday School		
Cash to United Offering, 1895.....	3 00	3 00

Diocesan Branch.

Knitted Goods to Alaska, 1895, (by Old Ladies' Home)	15 00	
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missions.....	60 00	
Linen to Altar Department.....	1 50	
Pictures to Port Costa Seamen's Institute and to Alaska Missions.....	5 00	
Goods to an Indian Mission.....	20 00	
" Alaska Mission, 1895.....	10 00	
" " " 1896.....	25 00	
Boxes to Diocesan Missions.....	125 00	
Wristlets to Alaska Missions by Ladies of Trinity, San Jose.....	1 60	263 10
Cash to a Diocesan Missionary.....	2 50	
" Unattached Memberships in Diocesan Society	6 00	
" United Offering, 1895.....	6 82	
" " " Dividends, Savings B'k	3 80	
" Profit on sale of Calendars to Dio. Mission..	24 90	
" Purchases for Yava Supai Indians.....	1 25	
" Bishop's Auxiliary Fund by Collections....	42 90	
" " " " by a Friend of Sister Helen.....	32 50	
" Bishop's Auxiliary Fund by Collection at Quarterly Los Angeles Meeting, S. Paul's Church (not reported last year).....	8 85	
" Diocesan Expenses.....	129 13	
" Alaska Missions.....	55 40	
" A Special.....	3 00	
" Diocesan Board of Missions.....	5 00	
" Widows' and Orphans' Fund, California....	5 00	
" Good Samaritan Mission, San Francisco.....	65 00	
" Building Fund E. Oakland Mission.....	9 00	
" Purchase organ for San Ardo Mission.....	4 60	
" Building Fund Ocean View Mission, on de- posit.....	6 35	
" Missionary's Daughter.....	9 70	
" Seamen's Institute, Port Costa.....	16 90	
" Board of Missions, Los Angeles.....	21 75	
" Debt on S. Paul's Ventura.....	16 00	
" Japanese Mission, San Francisco.....	4 10	
" Altar Fund by Collection.....	9 60	
" " " All Saints, Duarte.....	1 00	
" " " S. Mary's The Virgin, San F.	1 00	
" " " Holy Innocents Chap. M. K. O	1 00	
" " " Our Saviour, Mill Valley.....	1 00	
" " " Ascension, Sierre Madre.....	1 00	
" " " S. John Baptist, So. Riverside	1 00	
" United Offering, 1895, by All Saints, Palo Alto	1 80	
" " " " S. Mary's The Vir. S. F	1 50	
Profit on sales of Calendars.....	70	
Cash by Lafayette Mission.....	3 00	
" E. Oakland, S. Stephen's.....	1 50	
" Gilroy, S. Stephen's.....	15	
" Lorin, S. Matthew's.....	8 70	
" San Jose, Trinity.....	1 20	
" San Mateo, S. Matthews.....	3 00	
" Santa Clara, Holy Saviour.....		
Through Junior Department to Wyoming and Idaho Clergy Fund.....	25	
Cash by Church of the Advent, E. Oakland.....	1 00	
" S. Mary the Virgin Sunday School, San Fran.		
To Diocesan Missions, through Advent Mite Chests.		
Cash by Our Saviour Sunday School, Mill Valley...	1 05	
" S. Paul's Sunday School, Salinas.....	2 50	
" S. Stephen's Sunday School, San Luis Obispo	2 60	524 80

Babies' Branch.

Cash to Alaska Missions.....	25 00	
" Colored Missions.....	25 00	
" Foreign Missions.....	25 00	
" Bishop's Auxiliary Fund.....	25 00	
" Gaylord Hart Mitchell Memorial Bell ...	5 00	
" United Offering, 1895, a special.....	3 95	
" " " 1898, "	1 35	
" " " 1898.....	3 30	
" Mite Boxes Expenses, etc., Dio. of Cal.....	3 80	
" " " " Los Angeles..	3 45	
" Balance on Hand	2 41	123 26
		<u>\$7,502 24</u>

SUMMARY.

Total Value of Boxes.....	\$3,646 37
Total Cash Contributions.....	3,855 87
Grand Total.....	<u>\$7,502 24</u>

Constitution.

I. This Society is the "CALIFORNIA BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS."

II. The object of this Society is to diffuse missionary intelligence; to increase missionary activity among the women of the Diocese; to promote the study of missions, and to encourage prayer for missions.

III. All Parish Societies that so desire, may become branches of this Auxiliary by appointing a Secretary and notifying the President of their intention to work in unison with the Society. The Secretaries of Parish Societies are required to correspond with the Diocesan officers, who alone correspond with the Secretaries of the Board of Missions, and transmit to them all moneys.

IV. All baptized women are considered members of the Auxiliary, and may become enrolled members of this Diocesan Branch by paying one dollar annually to the Treasurer. But terms of membership in any Parish Branch shall be fixed by that Society.

V. A President, a First Vice-President, a Vice-President over such divisions of the Diocese as the Bishop may counsel, a Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, a Secretary of the Junior Department who shall act as Treasurer for that Department, a Secretary of the Babies' Branch, and a Directress of the Altar Department, and an officer over any other department that may be formed, shall be appointed by the Bishop.

VI. The ex-Presidents and a representative from every San Francisco Parish affiliated with the Auxiliary—the latter to be appointed by the Rectors of their several Churches, and as far as possible chosen from the officers of the Parish Branch—shall form an Advisory Committee for the City of San Francisco.

VII. The President shall perform such duties as usually pertain to the office.

VIII. The First Vice-President shall act for the President in her absence.

IX. The duty of the other Vice-Presidents shall be to preside in the absence of the President at general meetings held in their several charges, and to co-operate with the Secretary in the general supervision of the work of the Society in the section to which they respectively belong.

X. The Secretary shall conduct the Society's correspondence, organize and visit Parish Branches, have general oversight of the work, and make an annual report.

XI. The Recording Secretary shall take minutes at Diocesan meetings, and record the same; and shall keep a correct list of membership in the Diocesan Branch.

XII. The Treasurer shall keep an account of all moneys received and expended, and make a report at the annual meeting.

XIII. The Secretary of the Junior Department, the Secretary of the Babies' Branch and the Directress of the Altar Department shall superintend their several departments in consultation with the other Diocesan officers.

XIV. It shall be the duty of the Advisory Committee and of the Secretaries of Parish Branches within reach of San Francisco to attend regularly, in person or by deputy, the monthly meetings, and be prepared to act for their branches on all matters that have been submitted to them.

XV. The annual meeting shall be held at the time of the Diocesan Convention, and the semi-annual meeting in the autumn, on such dates and in such churches as the President may appoint.

XVI. A monthly Diocesan missionary meeting, preceded by an officers meeting, shall be held on the first Monday of every month, at the churches of San Francisco in rotation.

In other places stated general meetings may be arranged by the consent of the President.

XVII. At the Diocesan meetings there shall be cast but one vote from each church represented when the business in consideration is of general import, but on other business any member present may vote.

This Constitution may be amended by a two-thirds majority, at a meeting called for the purpose.

By-Laws.

Every Parochial Branch shall make an annual pledge to central expenses, the amount to be voluntary, which, with the collections at the annual meeting, shall form a fund out of which shall be paid by the Treasurer all Diocesan expenses.

New Branches in Missions may report as Auxiliary work, such church furnishings and Sunday School supplies as they may provide for their own Missions during the first two years of the Branch's organization.

Junior Department.

"JESUS called a little child unto Him."

Prayer.

SUFFER me, O blessed Jesus, to come daily nearer to Thee in Thy Kingdom, the Church. Help me to know and keep my baptismal vows. Make me loving, pure, obedient and truthful. Give me each day something to do for Thee and Thy Church; who art with the Father and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. Amen.

Constitution.

This Society is the California Branch of the Junior Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

Its object is to interest young people in missions.

To instruct them in missions.

To systematize and make more efficient their gifts to missions.

All Sunday-schools and other societies of young people, now giving to or working for missions, may join the Society without change in local organization, name or work.

New societies will receive from diocesan or local officers help in perfecting and adapting organization.

Individuals are made members by paying five cents, for which each will receive a membership card, with name and date of entrance; and by promising to use daily the prayer printed thereon.

Moneys received for them to be sent by local officers to the Secretary, and applied to the expenses of this department.

This society expects of all Sunday-schools in union with it, as their first obligation, a regular giving to the Lenten Offering of the general Board of Missions, and to the Advent Offering for Diocesan Missions.

It is recommended, that the last Sunday in the month be made Missionary Sunday, in the Sunday schools, with missionary prayers, hymns and instruction.

All work proposed by the Woman's Auxiliary will have the sanction of the bishop of the diocese.

All work undertaken by local branches must have the full knowledge and hearty approval of the priest in charge of the Parish or Mission.

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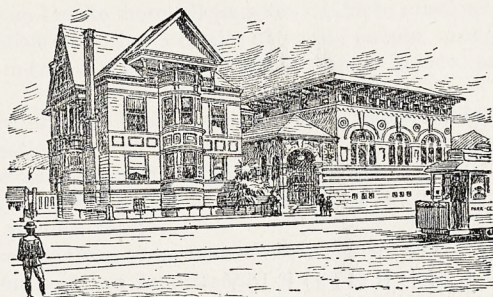
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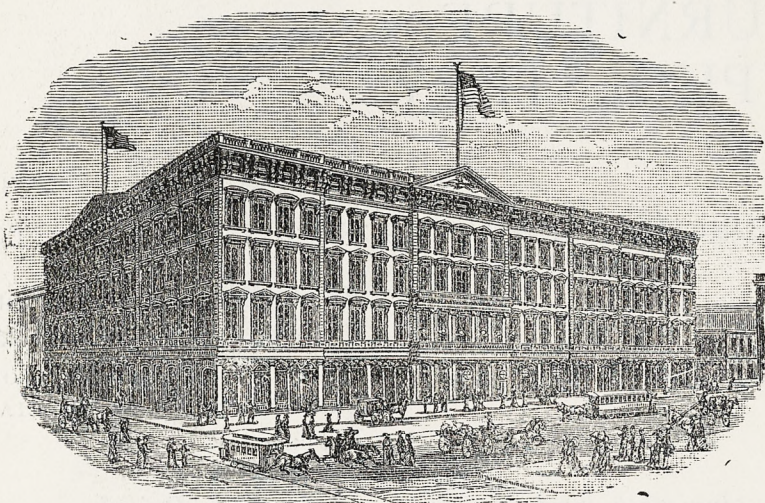
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