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PRAYERS.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY PRAYER.

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, bless we pray Thee our work for the extension of Thy Kingdom, and make us so thankful for the precious gift of Thy beloved Son, that we may pray fervently, labor diligently, and give liberally to make Him known to all nations as their God and Saviour. We ask this for His dear sake. Amen.

UNITED THANK OFFERING PRAYER.

O Lord, our Heavenly Father, we pray Thee to send forth more laborers into Thy harvest and to grant them Thy special grace for every need. Guard and guide the workers in the field, and draw us into closer fellowship with them. Dispose the hearts of all women everywhere to give as Thou hast given to them. Accept from thankful 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.

O God, to whom all Thy children are dear, we beg Thy blessing on the women who are banded in fellowship of love and good works, to the end that Thy name may be honored, Thy Church edified, and Thy servants helped; and we beseech Thee to fill the hearts of all faithful people with love of Thee, and hunger for Thy presence here and forever; all of which we ask for the sake of Him who died and rose again for us, Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

May Thy Holy Spirit take possession of our hearts, and so sanctify our motives that we cannot will to do anything contrary to the precepts of religion, or the interests of righteousness, or the growth of holiness. And to this end give us a ready mind to receive Thy inspirations, and a fixed determination to carry them into good effect, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Remember in Thy great love, O Father, all little bands of believing folk who are striving to uplift and uphold the banner of the Cross in lonely places and distant parts of the world, and if the comfort of human sympathy doth not reach their ears, stand Thou very close to them, and breathe words of courage and hope into their fainting hearts, for Christ our Lord's sake. Amen.

[From the Bishop, April 21, 1898.]

Prayer to be used only at the organization of new branches. Set forth by the Bishop, November 14, 1901:

Almighty and Most Merciful Saviour, we hear and would obey Thy call to service, for the world is weary with many masters, and knoweth not Thy yoke which is easy and Thy burden which is light. Help us in this day of our opportunity, so soon to end, that we may serve Thee in all godly quietness and confidence, and may our hearts and hands be wholly given up to Thee who has befriended us even unto death. To Thee and to every good work in Thy Church we humbly consecrate ourselves anew, desiring nothing so much as that all men may Love Thee, who, with the Father and the Holy Ghost, are One God, world without end. Amen.

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T. L. Nilles, S. Prospect Ave. U. T. O. Treas., Mrs. O. J. Rattle, 900
N. Prospect Ave.
- *Pontiac, Grace**—Pres., Mrs. Mary Graeber, West Livingston St. Sec.-
Treas., Mrs. W. F. Bohling, 30 W. Henry St.
- Riverside, St. Paul**—Pres., Mrs. Henry Witbeck. Sec.-Treas., Mrs. J. L.
Warren. U. T. O. Treas., Miss L. Frederick.
- Rockford, Emmanuel**—Pres., Mrs. C. E. Patrick, 1722 Camp Ave. Sec.,
Mrs. Then, 1415 Auburn St. Treas., Mrs. Arthur Littlefield, 618 N.
Main St.
- Sterling, Grace**—Pres., Mrs. A. J. Kilgour. Sec.-Treas., Mrs. G. G. Grandon.
- Streator, Christ, Mary Hoadley Auxiliary**—Pres., Mrs. O. Griggs, 216 S.
Park St. Sec.-Treas., Mrs. W. L. Smith, 301 S. Sterling St. U. T. O.
Treas., Mrs. L. Cameron, 114 Ninth St.
- *Western Springs, All Saints**—Pres., Mrs. Frances Wilson. Sec., Mrs. H.
G. Bartlett. Treas., Mrs. Joseph Ridley.
- Wheaton, Trinity**—Pres., Mrs. W. H. Fischer, 113 Centre St. Sec., Mrs.
Harold Barclay, R. F. D. Treas., Mrs. Robt. J. Nicholson, 218 Ellis
Ave. U. T. O. Treas., Mrs. A. G. Newbell, 1100 Main St.
- Wilmette, St. Augustine**—Pres., Miss Laura Davy, 427 Ninth St. Sec.,
Mrs. Lester G. Wood, 707 Washington Ave. Treas., Mrs. E. W. Prid-
more, 339 Oak Circle. U. T. O. Treas., Mrs. Robert E. Kenyon, 1011
Greenwood Ave.
- Winnetka, Christ**—Pres., Mrs. E. P. Bailey, 150 Linden St. Sec., Mrs. God-
frey Atkin, 5 Indian Hill Road. Treas., Mrs. Charles Jackson, Asbury
Ave. U. T. O. Treas., Mrs. Ernest S. Ballard, 1229 Hamptondale Road.

*Officers copied from last Annual Report. No list received this year.

REQUESTS TO PARISH SECRETARIES.

Please send the names and addresses of all parish officers to the Diocesan Secretary immediately after the Annual Meeting, and notify her at once when any changes occur.

Names to be recorded on the "In Memoriam" list should be sent to the Diocesan Corresponding Secretary as soon as possible after the first of the year.

In Memoriam

"We find in our dull road their shining track."



Miss Maria Rix	Trinity Branch, Belvidere
Mrs. Amalia Waldee	Advent Branch, Chicago
Mrs. John Feast	Annunciation Branch, Chicago
Mrs. T. D. Heed	Atonement Branch, Chicago
Mrs. James Needham	Atonement Branch, Chicago
Mrs. A. D. Magill	Atonement Branch, Chicago
Mrs. Florence Reynolds	Epiphany Branch, Chicago
Mrs. Emma Harvey	Christ Church Branch, Chicago
Miss Elizabeth Caryl	Redeemer Branch, Chicago
Mrs. Caroline Cook	St. Bartholomew's Branch, Chi.
Mrs. Kesson White	St. Edmund's Branch, Chicago
Mrs. Sarah Hubbell	St. James' Branch, Chicago
Mrs. Lena Cain	St. Martin's Branch, Chicago
Mrs. Ida Smith	St. Martin's Branch, Chicago
Mrs. May E. Lyons	St. Martin's Branch, Chicago
Miss Nellie B. Gardiner	St. Martin's Branch, Chicago
Miss Sarah Smith	Redeemer Branch, Elgin
Mrs. W. T. Gurnett	Redeemer Branch, Elgin
Miss Josephine Balluff	St. Matthew's Branch, Evanston
Mrs. Evans	St. Matthew's Branch, Evanston
Mrs. Pearce	St. Matthew's Branch, Evanston
Miss Alice B. Stahl	Grace Branch, Galena
Margaret Herrington Chapman	St. Mark's Branch, Geneva
Mary Jane Dodge	St. Mark's Branch, Glen Ellyn
Mrs. P. P. Bonfield	St. Paul's Branch, Kankakee
Mrs. L. Swannell	St. Paul's Branch, Kankakee
Mrs. D. S. Phillips	St. Paul's Branch, Kankakee
Miss Jean Eaton	St. Paul's Branch, Kankakee
Mrs. Drew A. Miller	Grace Church Branch, Oak Park
Mrs. L. D. Ray	Emmanuel Branch, Rockford
Mrs. E. J. Harvey	Trinity Branch, Wheaton

PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

The year 1922 has seen progress and growth in the life of the Chicago Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. The year of the General Convention marks the end of one period and the beginning of another. The Triennial is a period in our work. For three years, our aim has been to carry out the program set forth at the Detroit Convention of 1919. This has meant the trying out of new ideas and putting into motion new machinery.

In accordance with the plans made at Detroit, the Box Department developed into the Supply Department, the Mission Study Department became the Educational Department and the Department of Social Service was added. The Church Service League was designed to be a Federation of the seven National Women's Organizations, and these were accepted as component departments of the League. In developing the work along these lines the Woman's Auxiliary financed all three departments. As a step forward, your Executive Board has recently recommended to the Bishop, and he has accepted the recommendation, that the Social Service Department become more definitely affiliated with the Department of Social Service of the Bishop and Council; that it should be more closely associated with and supported by the Church Service League, but that it retain its relation to the Woman's Auxiliary by representation on the Executive Board.

Your Board has also recommended that the Supply Department continue as a Department of the Woman's Auxiliary instead of being made a department of the Church Service League. The Supply Department is installed in a room at Diocesan Headquarters, 180 North Wabash Avenue, under the able management of Mrs. Deane and a paid assistant. Our quota for last year was filled and an even larger allotment has been assigned us this year. With the hearty co-operation of every Branch, this, too, will be accomplished.

The same recommendation is made in regard to the Educational Department. The real value of this department lies in the dissemination of information and arousing interest in the missionary task of the Church. The program of Monthly Meetings has been carried out as planned, and great credit is due to Mrs. Kirkland in carrying the responsibility of this work. From the unusually helpful quiet day at St. Barnabas' Church, conducted by the Rev. Mr. Tyner, all through the year to the very last meeting, the quite unanimous opinion has been that the monthly meetings are very much worth while.

The United Thank Offering at the Portland Convention from the Chicago Branch was \$20,000.00, the outward and visible expression of many thankful hearts. Mrs. Tilton is ever keeping before us the great privilege it is to have a part in this beautiful offering and we have a splendid start thus early towards our next offering. May it show an even larger increase

The pledges made through the pledge card for 1922 have been paid in full. The reaction to our Treasurer's monthly reports seem to be the determination, on the part of the parish branches, to work more valiantly than ever.

The sectional meetings which, this year, were echoes of the Convention, were held in different parts of the Diocese and were largely attended. They gave your delegates the opportunity to report the Convention to a large number of branches.

Five new branches have been organized this year,—one at St. Aidan's Mission; one at All Angel's, the mission for the deaf mutes; one at St. Luke's, Evanston, composed of the younger women of the parish; an evening branch at the Church of the Atonement, and an evening guild at St. Mark's, Evanston, identified itself definitely with the Woman's Auxiliary. This makes a total of 105 branches in 90 parishes and missions, for there are two branches in two parishes, three in another, and one at the Church Home for the Aged. There are in the Diocese 108 parishes and missions. Let us make our goal for 1923 a branch in every one of these.

Miss Alice Stahl and Mrs. D. S. Philips, who were identified with the Chicago Branch of the Auxiliary, from its very inception, have been called to fields of higher and fuller service. They were both members of the first Executive Board, being appointed by Bishop McLaren in 1884. Another who has been called out of this life is Mrs. Schantz of St. Mary's Mission, Morton Park. While suffering from an incurable disease, she kept alive the interest in the Auxiliary in the little band of devoted women who worked with her for many years. It is by the devotion of such women as these that the Auxiliary in this Diocese has developed from small beginnings and gone steadily forward.

As President of the Chicago Branch of the Auxiliary I have attended all but one of the monthly meetings. I have made twenty-eight visits to parish branches. I have helped "echo" the Convention at five sectional meetings and at the Mass Meeting at the Church of the Epiphany, and have attended four others. I have been present at four meetings of the Church Extension Department of the Bishop and Council, and three Church Service League meetings, and I have held fifteen conferences with individuals and groups.

At Portland, the Woman's Auxiliary pledged its full strength to the Church's program, and one of the first tasks to which we turned after the Convention was the fulfillment of this pledge in the Diocesan campaign. The Field Committee of the Diocese looked to the Woman's Auxiliary for Zone Captains and Educational Leaders and special speakers.

We also agreed to have a share in the raising of two "specials"—one a home for the training of colored women for work among the colored people, and the other a home where women can live while they are receiving special training for missionary work. It is not going to be easy to raise the \$75,000.00 required for these two houses without interfering with the United Thank Offering or the Nation Wide Campaign, especially when so many of us do not realize the necessity for them, but as Miss Winston says, "We believe that God has called the Auxiliary to undertake this big work for His Church and He has never yet asked us to do anything for Him that was beyond our power when we do it in the strength which He supplies." At present we are not thinking much about the money, but we do want to stress the value of training. There is no question about the

devotion of the women who have volunteered to represent the Church, but many of them feel they could do much more if they had been more efficiently trained for their work. We want a campaign as to the value of training and the need of these houses before we ask for people's money, for when we once enlist their interest and their prayers, the money will be forthcoming. The same methods will be used as were used in raising the Emery Fund. Our Diocese has been honored by having Mrs. George Mason chosen to be the chairman of this fund for the Fifth Province. Each parish must help her to make our Diocese raise its portion. You will hear more about this venture from her in due time.

To you, as individual members of the Auxiliary, I express my hearty appreciation for the co-operation which you have given to every undertaking of the Diocesan Branch and for the loving consideration which you have shown to me personally. I bespeak for your officers of the coming year the same loyalty and devotion.

And to my co-workers on the Executive Board, I wish to express something of the joy and privilege which it has been to be associated with you in this work for Our Master and to pay tribute to the efficient and capable way in which each one of you has fulfilled your own individual responsibility. May the year 1923 be even more blessed and happy in its results than 1922.

EVELYN M. RANDALL.

MINUTES OF THE THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL MEETING OF THE CHICAGO BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

The thirty-ninth annual meeting of the Chicago Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was held on Wednesday, February 7th, 1923, in Trinity Church, Chicago. The meeting was opened at 1:30 P. M. by a short devotional service conducted by the Rev. F. C. Grant, after which the President, Mrs. Randall, took the chair.

The minutes of the annual meeting of January 26, 1922, were read and accepted.

The roll call followed and showed an attendance of 205 from 46 branches.

A letter of New Year Greetings, from Miss Lindley, was read by the Secretary.

The following reports were presented, accepted and filed:

Treasurer's Report	Mrs. Clinch
Monthly Meetings	Mrs. Kirkland
Comfort Club	Mrs. MacArthur
United Thank Offering.....	Mrs. Tilton
Church School Service League.....	Mrs. Camp
Religious Education	Mrs. Daughaday, for Mrs. Cooke
Supply Department	Mrs. Deane
Deaconess Aid	Mrs. Daughaday
President's Report	Mrs. Randall

Announcement was made of a lecture to be given on the 8th of February, by Rev. G. H. Thomas, at St. Paul's Church, on "Our Missions in the Orient."

The President also announced that Mrs. Wetmore, who was to be the speaker at the March meeting, would not be present on account of her son's illness.

Mrs. Randall introduced Mrs. Sawyer, of Kankakee, mother of two boys at St. Alban's School, Sycamore. She spoke enthusiastically of the school, and told of a campaign for a \$100,000 Fund that St. Alban's is to undertake.

Bishop Anderson then took the chair and called for the report of the Nominating Committee. The following names were submitted for election:

President	Mrs. Edwin J. Randall
Vice-President,	Mrs. Hermon B. Butler
Vice-President, Northern District.....	Mrs. Earle Barker
Vice-President, Southern District	Mrs. H. W. Lee
Vice-President, Northwestern District	Mrs. George Mason
Vice-President, Western District.....	Mrs. Curtis B. Camp
Vice-President, Fox River Valley District....	Mrs. Edmond Raftery
Treasurer	Mrs. George O. Clinch
Recording Secretary	Mrs. Robert P. Heald
Corresponding Secretary	} Mrs. C. C. Daughaday
Chairman Deaconess Aid Committee.....	
Director Monthly Meetings	Mrs. E. A. Kirkland
Director United Thank Offering.....	Mrs. John N. Tilton
Chairman Social Service.....	Mrs. Theodore W. Robinson
Chairman Supply Department	Mrs. A. W. Hobart
Asst. Chairman Supply Department.....	Mrs. J. K. Lewis
Chairman Visiting Committee	Mrs. Murry Nelson
Secretary Educational Department.....	Mrs. Henry E. Cooke

Nominations from the floor were called for by the Chairman, but as no further nominations were made the above ticket was duly elected.

In accordance with a suggestion from the National Executive Committee, the following recommendation to separate the Social Service Department from the Woman's Auxiliary was presented by Mrs. Mason:

"We move that the Social Service Department of the Woman's Auxiliary become more definitely associated with the Social Service Department of the Bishop and Council, that it become more closely associated with and supported by the Church Service League, but that it retain the relation to the Woman's Auxiliary by representation on the Auxiliary Board."

A motion was made, seconded and carried that this recommendation be adopted.

Bishop Anderson spoke of the successful year reported by the various organizations at the Diocesan Convention. He told of two new projects on foot—the moving of the Western Theological Seminary to the campus of Northwestern University and the venture of St. Alban's School.

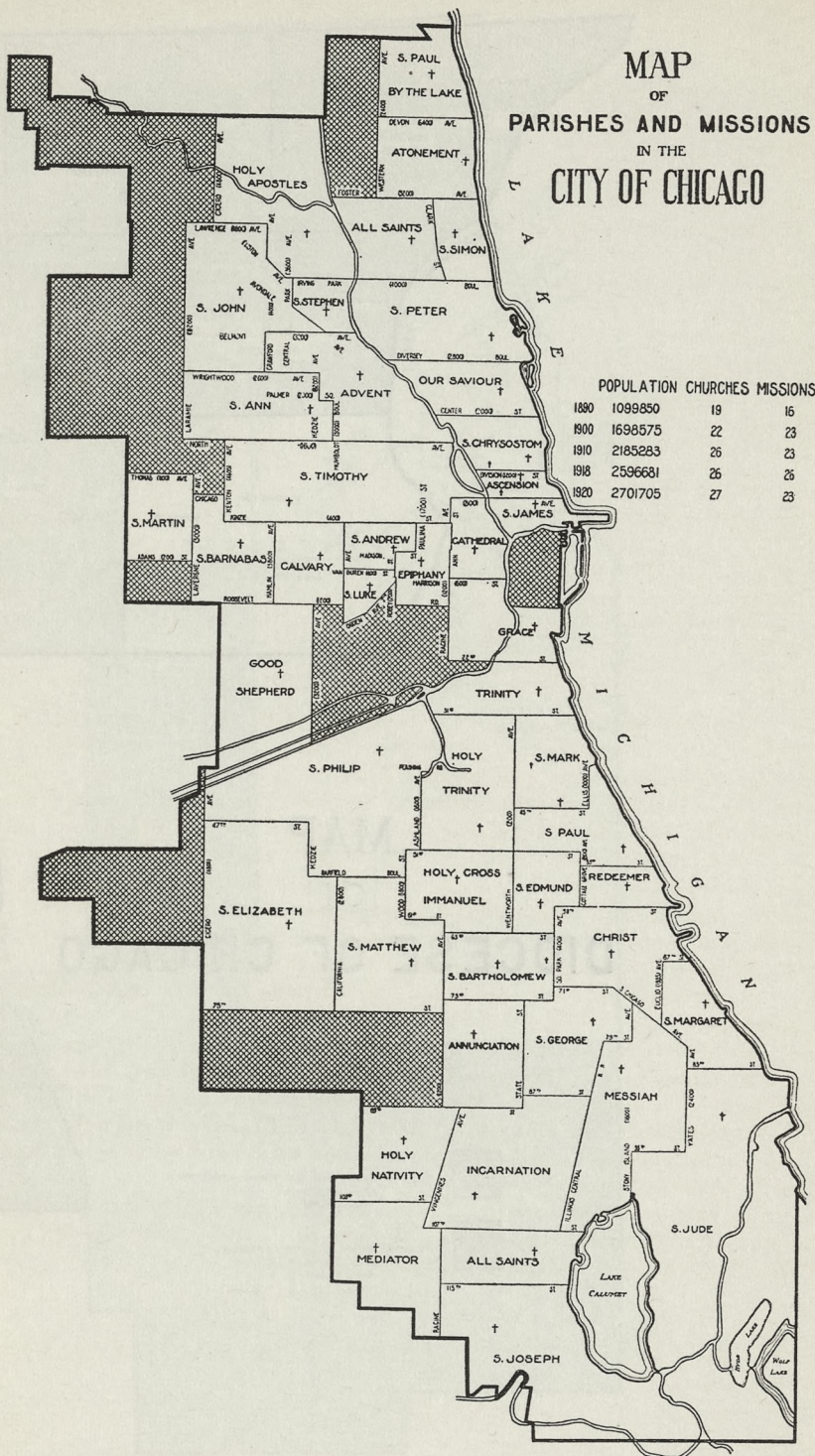
Father Hastings was in the audience and was called on to speak further of St. Alban's School.

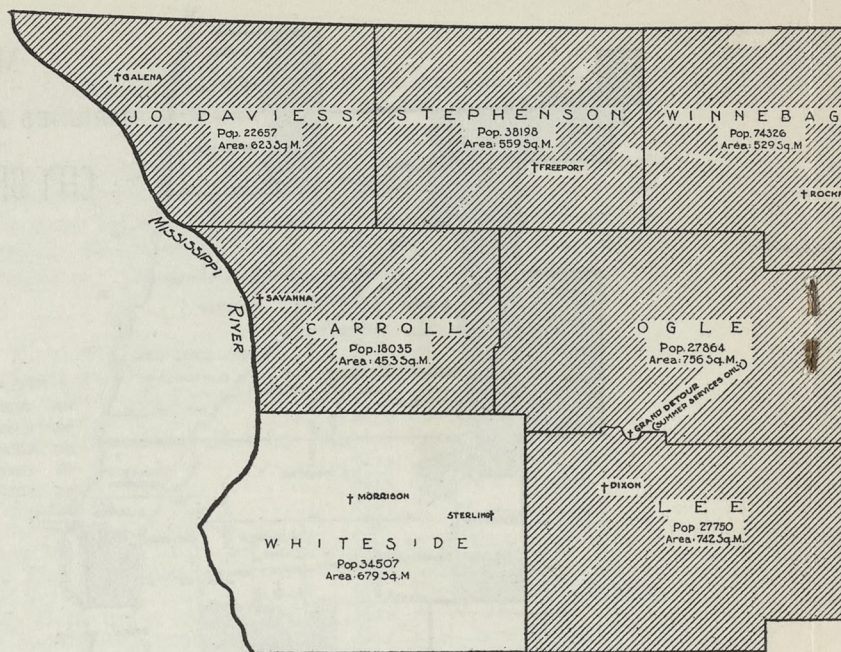
A vote of thanks to the Rector and Woman's Auxiliary of Trinity Church for their cordial hospitality was passed. After the singing of a hymn and the Bishop's benediction, the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY W. HEALD,
Secretary.

February 7, 1923.





MAP OF DIOCESE OF CHICAGO

TOTAL AREA: 15,328 Sq. M.
TOTAL POP 3,755,916



COUNTIES HAVING ONLY ONE PARISH OR MISSION.
AREA: 5,526 Sq. M.
POP: 265,282



COUNTIES HAVING NO PARISH OR MISSION.
AREA: 2,947 Sq. M.
POP: 112,540

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		Diocesan Missions	General Expense		Diocesan	Domestic			
Aurora, Trinity.....	\$ 19.00	\$ 10.00	\$ 4.00	\$ 33.00		\$ 100.00	\$ 27.00	\$ 127.00	\$ 77.12
Batavia, Calvary.....		5.00	5.00	10.00		34.03		34.03	55.75
Beverly Hills.....									6.65
Belvidere, Trinity.....						9.99		9.99	10.60
Berwyn, St. Michael and All Angels.....	8.00	14.58	3.00	25.58		75.51	15.00	90.51	26.30
Blue Island, St. Aidan.....			1.00	1.00					18.00
Chicago, Advent.....	9.00	15.00	6.00	30.00		78.06	25.00	103.06	28.25
All Angels.....			1.00	1.00		10.80		10.80	37.12
All Saints (Ravenswood).....	42.00	74.22	3.00	119.22	\$ 166.00	93.00	266.05	525.05	69.00
All Saints (Roseland).....	1.00		3.00	4.00					56.05
Annunciation.....	4.00	8.25	1.00	13.25		38.78	20.00	58.78	22.83
Ascension.....	14.00	9.96	4.00	27.96		164.59	179.00	343.59	49.10
Atonement.....	90.00	85.69	11.00	186.69	268.00	198.55	80.00	546.55	578.00
Atonement, St. Margaret Guild.....		7.26	1.00	8.26		21.23		21.23	
Calvary.....	8.00	5.00	6.00	19.00	8.25			8.25	22.50
Christ Church.....	19.00	55.48	6.00	80.48	91.55	81.26	238.23	411.04	151.00
Christ Church, Business Woman's Guild.....						10.88		10.88	
Epiphany.....	15.00	17.91	6.00	38.91	71.50	129.62	197.50	398.62	122.26
Good Shepherd.....									
Grace.....	63.00	20.94	11.00	94.94					150.84
Holy Apostles.....									
Holy Cross-Immanuel.....	12.00		11.00	23.00			21.00	21.00	10.00
Holy Nativity.....			1.00	1.00					
Holy Trinity.....	1.00	5.00	1.00	7.00			5.00	5.00	3.00
Incarnation.....	2.50	2.00	1.00	5.50			3.00	3.00	13.20
Messiah.....						22.85		22.85	17.00
Church of Our Saviour.....	17.00	5.00	3.00	25.00		51.50	45.00	96.50	64.10
Redeemer.....	110.00	50.66	3.00	163.66	591.50	262.00	150.00	1,003.50	671.25
St. Andrew.....									
St. Ann.....	16.00	3.00	2.00	21.00					21.15
St. Anna of the Church Home.....	23.45	5.00	2.00	30.45		131.58		131.58	71.20
St. Barnabas.....	13.00	5.00	2.00	20.00	20.00	66.60	65.00	151.60	105.70
St. Bartholomew.....	9.00	22.25	4.00	35.25	38.50	49.18		87.68	64.00
St. Chrysostom.....	106.00	50.00	11.00	167.00	294.37	241.25	955.10	1,490.72	149.78
St. Edmund.....	7.00	5.00	3.00	15.00	78.00	17.73	72.50	168.23	58.50
St. Elizabeth.....		18.23	1.00	19.23					15.65
St. George.....	14.00	15.00	6.00	35.00	10.00	27.68	73.00	110.68	36.30
St. James.....	112.00	147.00	11.00	270.00	56.75	168.10	709.05	933.90	490.74
St. James, Evening Guild.....	37.00	17.80	11.00	65.80	25.50	18.19	4.00	47.69	4.15
St. John (Irving Park).....			1.00	1.00					7.25
St. Joseph.....	5.00	15.82	2.00	22.82	18.00	45.00	19.25	82.25	38.43
St. Jude.....			1.00	1.00					

St. Luke.....			1.00	1.00					10.00
St. Margaret.....	58.00	35.00	12.00	105.00		22.45		22.45	55.74
St. Mark.....	27.00	27.75	9.00	63.75		172.97	125.00	297.97	59.26
St. Martin.....	67.00	309.47	3.00	379.47	46.00	143.70	4.00	193.70	148.26
St. Matthew.....		1.00	1.00	2.00		9.70		9.70	14.00
St. Paul (Kenwood).....	357.00	132.00	21.00	510.00		250.05	473.03	723.08	626.50
St. Paul by-the-Lake.....	8.00	1.00	2.00	11.00		53.62	5.00	58.62	29.00
St. Peter.....	45.00	37.30	6.00	88.30	73.41	271.71	476.35	821.47	214.00
St. Philip.....	2.00	6.00	2.00	10.00		26.17	27.00	53.17	15.55
St. Simon.....		14.38		14.38		27.74		27.74	8.37
St. Stephen.....		1.76		1.76					
St. Thomas.....	12.50	5.00	2.00	19.50					30.00
St. Timothy.....	30.00		20.00	50.00	17.59			17.59	
Trinity.....	35.00	42.49	11.00	88.49	26.00	164.93	37.50	228.43	516.97
Chicago Heights, St. Ambrose.....	5.00		1.00	6.00					
De Kalb, St. Paul.....						40.00	34.00	74.00	17.00
Dixon, St. Luke.....						60.47		60.47	70.00
Downer's Grove, St. Andrew.....	14.00	3.00	4.00	21.00			20.00	20.00	69.88
Dundee, St. James.....	6.00	2.00	2.00	10.00	28.00	18.82	1.00	47.82	7.65
Elgin, Redeemer.....	6.00	1.00	3.00	10.00		80.00	60.00	140.00	10.84
Elmhurst, Mission of Our Savior.....	4.00	5.00	2.00	11.00					17.82
El Paso, St. Andrew.....									7.00
Evanston, St. Andrew.....							10.00	10.00	6.00
St. Luke.....	112.00	550.11	26.00	688.11	270.39	262.79	1,157.00	1,690.18	523.27
St. Luke, Junior Guild and Auxiliary.....			1.00	1.00					
St. Mark.....	353.00	840.65	26.00	1,219.65	626.61	312.60	794.72	1,733.93	274.75
St. Mark, Mother's Guild.....	8.00		6.00	14.00					
St. Mark, St. Margaret's Guild and Auxiliary.....			1.00	1.00					
St. Matthew.....	5.00	154.75	1.10	160.85		50.00	5.00	55.00	103.43
Freeport, Grace.....	8.00	10.00	5.00	23.00		92.39	12.00	104.39	66.25
Galena, Grace.....	12.00	5.00	6.00	23.00		34.44		34.44	38.53
Geneva, St. Mark.....	6.00	2.00	1.00	9.00	35.00	38.00	42.10	115.10	121.40
Glencoe, St. Elizabeth.....	14.00	34.96	3.00	51.96	22.78	87.66	171.05	281.49	63.29
Glen Ellyn, St. Mark.....	12.00	2.00	3.00	17.00	144.00	294.00	75.00	513.00	62.97
Gilberts.....									
Harvey, St. Clement.....	5.00	5.00	1.00	11.00		14.59		14.59	7.61
Highland Park, Trinity.....	16.00		4.00	20.00		133.93	229.50	363.43	171.75
Hinsdale, Grace.....	22.00	55.49	11.00	88.49		70.89			143.89
Joliet, Christ.....	17.00	6.00	2.00	25.00					17.65
Kankakee, St. Paul.....	12.00	12.00	4.00	28.00		52.67	15.00	67.67	46.55
Kenilworth, Holy Comforter.....	9.00	11.00	3.00	23.00	135.00	16.00	33.00	184.00	24.28
La Grange, Emmanuel.....	17.00	195.75	15.00	227.75	60.00	332.02		392.02	182.24
Lake Forest, Holy Spirit.....	115.00	173.09	11.00	299.09	154.91	191.32	165.00	511.23	89.75
Lockport.....									8.50
Manhattan, St. Paul.....	5.00	1.00	3.00	9.00					
Maywood, Holy Communion.....	9.00	3.00	5.00	17.00		15.00		15.00	38.10
Momence, Good Shepherd.....			1.00	1.00		16.18		16.18	14.75
Morgan Park, Mediator.....	5.00	10.00	1.00	16.00	33.00	48.75		81.75	50.00
Naperville, St. John.....	15.00		1.00	16.00	40.00		15.00	55.00	23.87
New Lenox, Grace.....			2.00	2.00					

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		Diocesan Missions	General Expense		Diocesan	Domestic			
Oak Park, Grace.....	\$ 80.00	\$ 51.32	\$ 6.00	\$ 137.32	\$ 297.30	\$ 189.71	\$1,078.00	\$ 1,565.01	\$ 200.00
St. Christopher.....	5.00	5.90	2.00	12.90	99.75	80.20	46.50	226.45	27.50
Ottawa, Christ Church.....	6.00	1.00	2.00	9.00	12.00	62.60	39.00	113.60	42.63
Park Ridge, St. Mary.....	7.00	1.00	2.00	10.00					48.39
Pontiac, Grace.....									
Riverside, St. Paul.....	18.00	6.00	3.00	27.00	22.00	69.77		91.77	46.00
Rockford, Emmanuel.....	52.00	5.00	3.00	60.00					10.00
Sterling, Grace.....			1.00	1.00		27.25		27.25	40.49
Streator, Christ, Mary Hoadley Branch.....	14.00		1.00	15.00					
Western Springs, All Saints.....	11.00	8.00	1.00	20.00					
Wheaton, Trinity.....	5.00	14.03	3.00	22.03	191.00	40.00	200.90	431.90	40.00
Wilmette, St. Augustine.....	37.00	18.41	4.00	59.41	19.75	95.00	180.00	294.75	271.85
Winnetka, Christ Church.....	79.00	40.04	21.00	140.04	105.00	149.13	385.50	639.63	557.45
*G. F. S. (for materials).....		70.29		70.29					
*Meetings.....	401.15	286.70	20.91	708.76					
*Individuals.....	50.00	302.05		352.05					
*Daughters of the King.....	16.30			16.30					
*Mary E. Shields Estate.....			317.92	317.92					
*Vir. Ry. Bonds, Interest (Hoyne Bequest).....			10.00	10.00					
*Liberty Bonds, Interest (Greeley Bequest).....			48.88	48.88					
*Sale of Reports.....			2.00	2.00					
*Bank Interest.....			9.52	9.52					
	\$3,011.90	\$4,201.74	\$ 852.33	\$8,065.97	\$4,197.41	\$6,267.18	\$9,086.83	\$19,551.42	
*Western Seminary.....									5.00
*Neighborhood Meeting.....									27.68
*Miscellaneous Gifts.....									119.00
*Open Offering.....									116.25
*Melting Pot.....									144.10
*Interest.....									52.08
TOTAL FOR UNITED THANK OFFERING.....									\$ 9,077.86
Paid out at Portland.....								\$7,432.41	
Balance in Bank.....								1,645.45	
*Miscellaneous Income.....									\$ 9,077.86

**CHICAGO BRANCH WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.
TREASURER'S REPORT—1922.**

RECEIPTS.

Cash on Hand, January 1, 1922.....	\$ 769.41	
From—		
Parish Branches	6,540.26	
Individuals	352.05	
Meetings	708.76	
Daughters of the King.....	16.30	
Girls' Friendly Society.....	70.29	
Mary E. Shields Estate.....	317.92	
Vir. Ry. Bds. Int. (Hoyne Bequest).....	10.00	
Liberty Bonds Int. (Greeley Bequest).....	48.88	
Sale of Reports	2.00	
Bank Interest	9.52	
		\$8,845.39

DISBURSEMENTS.

To—	
Extra Diocesan Missions.....	\$3,106.70
Diocesan Missions	3,222.73
United Thank Offering.....	83.45
Rent, Monthly Meetings and Conferences.....	127.50
Stationery, Printing and Postage.....	266.15
Traveling Expenses (Visiting Speakers).....	105.00
Supply Department	1,520.42
Balance Forward, January 1, 1923.....	413.44

\$8,845.39

TRIAL BALANCE.

Northern Trust Company.....	\$ 413.44	
General Fund Chicago Branch.....		\$ 124.59
Social Service Department.....		112.65
Religious Education Department		8.05
Anesthetizing Machine		168.15
	\$ 413.44	\$ 413.44

We have audited the accounts of the Treasurer of the Chicago Branch Woman's Auxiliary for the year ending December 31, 1922, and certify that the above statement of Receipts and Disbursements is correct. The Cash Balance on hand at December 31, 1922, of \$413.44 is in accordance with the Bank Statement of the Northern Trust Company at that date.

ARTHUR C. YOUNG & CO.,
Certified Public Accountants.

REPORT OF MONTHLY MEETINGS 1921-1922.

Eight meetings have been held in the State-Lake Building with an average attendance of 199 from 50 parishes.

The offerings at these meetings were \$532.43.

The six parishes having the largest average attendance during the year are as follows:

The Church of the Atonement and St. Paul's.....	8
St. Barnabas and Emmanuel, LaGrange.....	7
Christ Church	6
St. Luke, Evanston	5

The United Thank Offering service was held in Christ Church, Chicago, on May 25th, with an attendance of 530. Rev. A. A. Gilman of Wuchang was the speaker. The offering at this service was \$5,965.44.

The Day of Prayer was conducted by the Rev. F. D. Tyner of Minneapolis in St. Barnabas Church on September 29th. The offering at this service was \$15.18. There were 125 present.

The Executive Committee has held nine meetings.

Respectfully submitted,

February 7, 1923.

BLANCHE F. KIRKLAND.

REPORT OF THE DEACONESS AID COMMITTEE—1922.

The Deaconess Aid Committee acknowledges most gratefully the generous donations which have been given during the past year by the parish branches and by individuals. Pledges and special gifts of money in the year 1922 were as follows:

Chicago, All Saints (Roseland).....	Woman's Auxiliary.....	\$ 1.00
Atonement	Woman's Auxiliary.....	12.00
Calvary	Individual.....	1.00
Christ	Woman's Auxiliary.....	15.00
Grace	Two Individuals.....	18.00
Holy Trinity	Woman's Auxiliary.....	1.00
Our Saviour	Woman's Auxiliary.....	12.00
Redeemer	Woman's Auxiliary.....	2.00
St. Ann	Woman's Auxiliary.....	5.00
St. Barnabas	Woman's Auxiliary.....	5.00
St. Chrysostom	Woman's Auxiliary.....	20.00
St. Edmund	Woman's Auxiliary.....	5.00
St. James	Evening Guild	3.00
St. Joseph	Woman's Auxiliary.....	1.00
St. Mark	Woman's Auxiliary.....	2.00
St. Paul (Kenwood)	Woman's Auxiliary.....	12.00
St. Paul by-the-Lake	Woman's Auxiliary.....	5.00
St. Peter	Woman's Auxiliary.....	12.00
St. Philip	Woman's Auxiliary.....	1.00
Trinity	Woman's Auxiliary.....	20.00
Berwyn, St. Michael and All Angels....	Woman's Auxiliary.....	1.00
Belvidere, Trinity	Woman's Auxiliary.....	2.00
Elgin, Redeemer	Woman's Auxiliary.....	2.00
Elmhurst, Our Saviour.....	Woman's Auxiliary.....	3.50
Evanston, St. Mark.....	Woman's Auxiliary.....	60.00
Hinsdale, Grace	Woman's Auxiliary.....	27.00
LaGrange, Emmanuel	Woman's Auxiliary.....	25.00
Park Ridge, St. Mary.....	Woman's Auxiliary.....	6.00
Winnetka, Christ	Woman's Auxiliary.....	12.00
Seven individual special gifts for Christmas.....		84.00
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		\$375.50
Total amount of pledges from 29 parishes and missions.....		\$291.50
Total amount of individual gifts for Christmas.....		84.00
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CHASE HOUSE FUND.

Chicago, St. Chrysostom.....	\$ 25.00
Winnetka, Christ	10.00
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	\$ 35.00

We have now five Deaconesses engaged in Diocesan work and they are visiting in ten institutions. The Discretionary Fund provided by the Woman's Auxiliary has proved of great value in carrying on this work, the Deaconesses using the money in the following ways:

Extras for the sick, such as fruit or ice cream. Board and room rent is occasionally provided after a patient is discharged from the hospital until the person is able to take care of himself. Extra articles of clothing for those still in institutions or in their homes. When obtainable, good second-hand clothing is used, but sometimes it is necessary to supply an article of clothing, as, for instance, in the case of a friendless woman at the Municipal Tuberculosis Sanitarium, who was going to her meals in another building and getting her feet wet each time, because she had no rubbers: these the Deaconesses supplied. Groceries are sometimes given temporarily to help out. Bibles, prayer-books, also special books of instruction, or some special magazine that has been asked for; 'phone calls, carfare, stamps, writing paper, material for fancy work to enable the person desiring it to earn a little money. Part board for a boy in Lawrence Hall. This is a boy whom Deaconess Lyon found greatly in need of attention and care and who is deserving of it. Sometimes it is necessary to help with insurance premiums for a few weeks so that a policy will not lapse, and thus relieve great anxiety and hasten convalescence. There are many other incidentals too numerous to mention.

This work done by our Deaconesses is the Church's effort to offer the friendly word and a little material help; in other words, to be the good Samaritan to those who are in need.

Deaconess Elizabeth adds, "we all know it is well worth while helping temporarily those we follow into their homes, as there are very few who do not both appreciate it and make good. To those in the institutions, many of whom will probably stay there as long as they live, we can at least give more comfort and happiness by friendly words and little gifts."

We again thank you who have made possible this friendly and comforting help and bespeak your continued interest during the coming year.

Respectfully submitted,

MARION S. DAUGHADAY.

REPORT OF THE CHURCH SERVICE LEAGUE—1922.

The Diocesan Council of the Church Service League feels that a total of twenty (20) Parish Units reporting to the Secretary this year, showing an increase of only two (2) to the number registered last year, would indicate discouragingly slow progress if it were not for the fact that many more parish groups are units in all but name, and that the principle of co-ordination is growing even though the practice of registration still goes slowly.

In November, 1922, the annual meeting of the Provincial House of Churchwomen was held at Chase House, attended by delegates from

eleven of the twelve dioceses in the Province of the Mid-West. Arrangements for hospitality to these guests were made by a committee of the Church Service League, and on both days of the conference they were provided with breakfast and luncheon by Chase House, the Church Service League bearing the expense of this entertainment. The attendance at these sessions was very gratifying and much interest shown both in the addresses and the discussions following.

On January 11th the annual meeting of the Church Service League was held in Washington Hall, with an attendance of 60 from 18 parishes. The usual business included excellent reports from the three departments of Social Service, Supply, and Religious Education, and the National Organizations, Woman's Auxiliary, Girls' Friendly Society, Daughters of the King and Church Periodical Club. Miss Foley reported for the Committee on Nursing that the Second Annual Florence Nightingale Memorial Service was held on Sunday, May 21st, the Rev. H. L. Bowen being the special preacher in the Church of the Epiphany; also that a dinner was given on November 13th at the College Club in honor of Dean Lathrop, who made a brief address to the group of nurses representing eight different organizations and training schools. These reports being concluded, Bishop Anderson, who was presiding, introduced the speaker of the day, Mrs. G. P. T. Sargent of Grand Rapids, President of the Provincial House of Churchwomen. Mrs. Sargent's brilliant and inspiring address on the purpose of the Church Service League will long be remembered by those who were in the audience that day.

Bishop Anderson closed the meeting with a heartfelt and sympathetic commendation of the reports and of Mrs. Sargent's address.

Acting upon a recommendation of the General Convention in Portland, the National Council has created a Commission of the Field Department on the Church Service League. This Commission is composed of men and women representing all national organizations of church work, and several members at large, and has stated its aim to be "to present the ideals of service to the entire Church and enlist its whole membership in the work of the Church." This Commission expects, "where desired, to advise and direct the Church Service League in Dioceses and Parishes, to act as a central bureau for information on all matters pertaining to the League, and, with the approval of the National Council, to suggest such other plans and policies as may bring into the active work of the Kingdom all the men and women of the Church."

With the federation of men's organizations, as well as women's, in one great League of Service, and with the guidance, the support and the inspiration of this Commission, the work for the Kingdom should be carried on with ever increasing efficiency until the whole strength of the Church has been brought to bear upon the whole task of the Church.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE PEABODY BUTLER,
Chairman, Church Service League.

REPORT OF EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY.

From January to October, 1922.

In February, Miss Tillotson, National Educational Secretary W. A., held an institute in Chicago. One hundred and forty-five women attended.

The Survey was used as a text-book for the year, the divisions made according to the racial groups.

Forty mission study classes were formed.

Classes were held at two summer conferences, in June and August.

Personally conducted a class on missions at Western Theological Seminary, and six mission study classes.

There is no report of literature from this department, as all the literature (missionary calendars, leaflets, etc.) are now obtained from the diocesan book shop.

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE RUSSELL SCOTT.

For November and December, 1922.

As educational director of Zone 12, planned meetings and classes on the Church's Program.

Led a class in Geneva of five sessions.

Have written fifty-four letters.

Made five visits.

Respectfully submitted,

ESTHER CLARKSON COOKE.

REPORT OF SOCIAL SERVICE COMMITTEE OF THE CHURCH SERVICE LEAGUE, DIOCESE OF CHICAGO.

To make a report for the year 1922, the chairman finds considerable difficulty on account of not being acquainted with the various parochial activities, and especially being unfamiliar with the names, to sift through a file, arranged by another chairman. While not as thorough as I should wish, I submit the following as presenting what I believe to be a fairly accurate report for the year 1922.

In February, a Social Service meeting was held at which 14 parishes were represented and 35 members present. A lecture was given on Mental Hygiene by Dr. Truett.

On May 18th, a luncheon meeting was held at the Brownleigh Club at which 63 were present and 25 parishes were represented. Mr. Horace Bridges spoke on Social Service. Mr. Hill and Mr. Lee spoke on the situation among the colored people. At this meeting was read the report on the National Conference of Social Service Workers held at Providence and sent in by Mrs. Hooper, although not able to attend in person.

On October 12th was an all day conference led by Dean Lathrop, 65 being present and 20 parishes represented. There were representatives from the Visiting Nurses' Association, the United Charities, the Juvenile Court, and the Central Council of Social Agencies, while emphasis on the necessity of registration for the coming election was brought up by Miss Kate Adams and Miss Amelia Sears.

Between the months of April and October the following were sent out by Mrs. Pollock: Fifty notices regarding public health lectures, 150

dodgers about the primaries in Cook County and 28 letters to the parishes outside the county, notices to all city and suburban parishes concerning the Urban League Rummage Sale, 50 bibliographies and 55 Social Service programs from Dean Lathrop, 50 letters for the Anti-Saloon League to encourage registration.

In October, in a conference with the Social Service Department of the Bishop and Council, the following program was submitted and approved:

1. Social Service organization in parishes.
2. Special appeals for special needs in Diocesan institutions.
3. Definite appropriations for Girls' Protectorate.
4. Co-operation with Associated Charities in every center.
5. Recreation and friendly visits for discharged women from prisons, jails and hospitals.
6. Response to calls for aid in the relief and prevention of tuberculosis and blindness.
7. European relief.
8. Colored work, with special reference to the Urban League.

Special emphasis on parochial organization is to be made this year. The amount raised for the Girls' Protectorate, while not yet quite adequate to take care of our Church girls, has, since 1919, increased from about \$17.00 to \$300.00. Until the Church Mission of Help is established, this co-operation with other churches cannot be optional with us. Co-operation with the Associated Charities is exceptionally good in a few of the churches and must be developed in all of them. Our Church is very weak thus far in its work with the colored people, but in order to work conservatively it is much safer to affiliate with the Urban League, an already well-established agency.

Reports from the various parishes indicate that there has been a point of contact between the Church and 92 charities and philanthropies. Among these in interest rank first, of course, our own Diocesan institutions. Second are the Associated Charities; next come in about equal proportion, relief for the blind, Infant Welfare, tuberculosis, the Church Federation Protectorate and all hospitals.

Desk space has been given the department in Diocesan headquarters and appointments can be made there any morning, Miss Eleanor Gould acting as Secretary three days a week. One hundred and seventy-five letters have been sent regarding registration, parochial organization and matters pertaining to individual service.

A brief report from the Daughters of the King shows \$250.00 given to the Associated Charities and \$41.00 raised at a party for Chase House.

A conference for Social Service Chairmen in the Diocese was called on November 24th at which 14 were present; the chairman was given the privilege of addressing the Round Table on December 11th.

The year 1922 shows a marked improvement on the preceding years and sufficient real growth to point the way for great effort and real achievement.

Respectfully submitted,
FRANCES S. ROBINSON,
Chairman of the Church Service League.

CHURCH SCHOOL SERVICE LEAGUE REPORT FOR 1922.

The Church School Service League records the acts of service done through the organization of the Church School and other groups of young people.

The Little Helpers is the first division of the Church School Service League. It is ably directed by Mrs. Henry M. Marshall, who reports thirty-five (35) branches of the Little Helpers, with an enrollment of about seven hundred (700) babies. \$118.85 has been collected in the Little Helpers boxes and sent to missions both near and far, carrying out the plan of activity in the five fields of service. The following are benefited by the Little Helpers:

Diocesan—House of Happiness.

Community—A font to be supplied for a needy mission.

Nation—Hospital cot for colored child in Raleigh, North Carolina.

World—Gaylord Hart Mitchell Kindergarten and Odata Kindergarten in Japan.

The Church School Service League is registered in sixty-eight (68) parishes with supervisors who are co-operating in some way with the principles of the League.

The League stresses the well-rounded plan of activity through the five fields and makes its report accordingly.

For Parish and Community work the records are necessarily local and the acts of service too numerous to be tabulated in an annual report such as this.

For Diocesan work, 1,200 gifts were distributed among the children in the following institutions:

Chase House.

Providence Day Nursery.

Lawrence Hall.

St. Mary's Home.

In addition, 400 boxes of candy were sent to the County Hospital for the Deaconesses use in the children's wards. The Advent offering from the schools was given for Diocesan work.

For the Nation and World work 4,091 gifts were sent to various mission stations and to 100 seamen of the Seamen's Institute. The approximate valuation was \$2,000.00.

The Birthday Thank Offering, which represents to the children of the Church School the same ideals as does the United Thank Offering to the women to the Church, amounted to \$230.92 for 1922. Part of this sum, \$154.20, was presented at Portland at the B. T. O. service for Bishop Rowe's New Pelican. At the next Triennial the offering will go to Bishop Overs for school work in Liberia. Mission Study and Pageantry is carried out in each school through special books and the Christian Nurture Lessons.

As evidence of the interest and generosity of both time and money, the Church Schools culminate the year's activities in the large Lenten Offering.

The "Book of Programs" prepared by Miss Withers of the General Board of Religious Education in New York is of special value to all inter-

ested in the Church School Service League. It can be procured from the Bishop Book Shop for 30 cents, and I commend it as a valuable aid.

Respectfully submitted,

EVA B. CAMP,
Director, Church School Service League.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB.

The Church Periodical Club has branches in 28 parishes in this diocese. There are at least 25 parishes where there are no branches. Two new librarians were appointed during the past year, in Wilmette and Glen Ellyn, and in five other parishes librarians were appointed to take the place of those who had resigned. All this brought new life into the work, with the result that the annual reports which have just come in show an increase of 100 contributors and 170 current periodicals sent regularly.

Other statistics are as follows:

Contributors—471.

Current Magazines—814.

Bibles—5.

Prayer Books and Hymnals—18.

Books—541.

Tracts—276.

Odd Magazines—2,550.

Christmas and Easter Cards—2,177.

Picture Cards and Calendars—1,132.

Sheet Music—146.

Pictures, Games and Miscellaneous—321.

Thirteen institutions in the diocese were benefited. They are:

Chase House.

House of Happiness.

Joliet Prison.

Lawrence Hall.

State Epileptic Colony.

St. Luke's Hospital.

Cathedral Shelter.

St. Mary's Home.

Home for Incurable.

Hospital for Soldiers.

Ottawa Tuberculosis Colony.

Great Lakes Naval Training Station.

A meeting of librarians was held last January with an attendance of 14. Another meeting in October with 10. A meeting is called for next Tuesday for election of officers and other business. Our contributions in money for the next year are asked for to supply books for the library at St. John's University, Shanghai, China.

HELEN L. MOORE,
Assisting Correspondent.

January 11, 1923.

TREASURER'S REPORT OF THE COMFORT CLUB.

From January 1, 1922, to January 1, 1923.

Receipts.

Balance on hand	\$129.31
St. Chrysostom's, Chicago	40.00
St. Mark's, Evanston	99.25
St. Mark's, Evanston—3 Hoods, 1 Scarf.....	8.00
Emmanuel, LaGrange	13.05
St. Luke's, Evanston	10.00
Christ Church, Winnetka	5.00
Our Saviour's, Chicago	7.00
Epiphany, Chicago	5.00
Redeemer, Chicago	27.00
St. James', Chicago	25.00
Suit returned, New Ulm, Minn.....	49.50
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	\$418.11

Disbursements.

1 Suit, Morrison, Ill.....	\$ 58.05
1 Suit, New Ulm, Minn.....	49.50
1 Overcoat, Morrison, Ill.....	45.00
1 Suit, Valley City, N. D.....	47.25
2 Suits, Pine Ridge, S. D.....	52.76
3 Hoods, 1 Scarf Box Secretary.....	8.00
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	\$260.56
Cash on hand.....	157.55
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	418.11

Respectfully submitted,

MARY A. PRESCOTT MacARTHUR,

Secretary-Treasurer.

ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, }
COUNTY OF COOK, } ss.

To James A. Rose, Secretary of State:

We, the undersigned, Marie M. Hopkins, Emily Pardee Street and Frances E. McDermid, citizens of the United States, propose to form a corporation under the Act of the General Assembly of the State of Illinois entitled, "An Act Concerning Corporations," approved April 18, 1872, and all acts amendatory thereof, and that for the purpose of such organization, we hereby state as follows:

I. The name of such corporation is
"The Chicago Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions."

II. The object of this corporation shall be: (a) To interest all of the congregations in the Diocese of Chicago in the different branches of missionary work, as conducted by the General and Diocesan Boards, and to the purpose of aiding said societies in carrying on the said missionary work in connection with the said Diocese and the said General Church. (b) An Auxiliary to the General Board of Missions and to the Board of Missions of the Diocese of Chicago of the Church known in law as "The Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States," and its management is to be in accordance with the constitution and canons of said Diocese of Chicago and of said Protestant Episcopal Church and not for pecuniary profit.

The corporations shall have power to receive donations, subscriptions, legacies and bequests to be used for the carrying on of the said missionary work and of the said Church in the said Diocese of Chicago and of the missionary work under the jurisdiction of the General Board of Missions of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States.

III. The Board of Managers shall have power to organize branches or recognize existing branches in every parish or mission in said Diocese under the rules as they may adopt from time to time. Any branch so organized, upon payment of the Annual Membership Fee, to be fixed from time to time by the By-Laws, shall be entitled to representation at the meetings of this Board, each Parish or Mission voting as a unit when demanded by two Parishes or Missions.

IV. (1) The officers of the Society shall be a Patron, a President, not less than five (5) Vice-Presidents, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary and a Treasurer. (2) The Bishop of the Diocese shall be the Patron ex-officio.

V. The management of The Chicago Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions shall be vested in an Executive Board of not less than nine (9) nor more than eighteen (18) Directors, of whom the Patron, the President, the Vice-President, the two Secretaries and the Treasurer shall be a part.

VI. (1) The Board of Directors shall consist of not less than nine (9) nor more than eighteen (18) members, of whom the Bishop of said Diocese of Chicago shall, ex-officio, be one. All of the elective Directors shall be elected at the annual meeting of said corporation, which shall be held on the day after the close of the Diocesan Convention, except when the day falls on a legal holiday, when the Executive Committee of the Board shall appoint another day for the election of officers. The number of said Directors may, with the approval of the Bishop from time to time, be varied, and the Directors shall be elected in accordance with the statutes of the State of Illinois, and the By-Laws of said corporation, to be hereafter adopted. The Executive Committee shall meet monthly, except during the months of July and August.

(2) The Executive Committee shall have power, as necessity may arise, to appoint annually, with the approval of the Bishop, other officers, who shall not, however, be members of the Executive Committee.

(3) The duty of the President shall be to preside at all meetings of the Association and of the officers, to arrange for the organization of branches, to visit the same and to have the general charge of the work under the direction of the Bishop.

(4) The duty of the Vice-Presidents shall be to choose one of their number to preside in the absence of the President, to co-operate with her in the general supervision of the work of the Association and to take charge of the departments of work to which they may be assigned by the Executive Committee.

(5) The duty of the Corresponding Secretary shall be to conduct the necessary correspondence required by the Auxiliary, and to prepare such reports as are needed. The duty of the Recording Secretary shall be to send out notices of all meetings, to keep a record of the same, and to assist the Corresponding Secretary in the preparation of reports.

(6) The duty of the Treasurer shall be to receive all special and general funds; to disburse the former as the donors indicate, and the latter under the direction of the Executive Committee, and to render an account of the same at the annual meeting.

(7) There shall be a committee of two appointed to audit the Treasurer's accounts each year.

VII. The following persons are hereby selected as the directors to control and manage said corporation for the first year of its corporate existence:

Marie M. Hopkins, President.
Katharine D. Arnold, Vice-President.
Vincy B. Fullerton, Vice-President.
Emily Pardee Street, Vice-President.
Eleanor M. Duncombe, Vice-President.
Jessie Peabody Butler, Vice-President.
Frances E. MacDermid, Corresponding Secretary.
Addie S. Chenoweth, Recording Secretary.
Emma J. Hoyne, Treasurer.

The said Directors shall hold office until the next annual meeting of said corporation and shall then be elected at the said annual meeting herein provided.

VIII. The Bishop of the Diocese of Chicago shall ex-officio be the Patron of the said corporation, and all of the acts of the Executive Committee and Society shall be subject to his approval.

IX. These Articles of Incorporation may be altered or amended at any annual meeting by a vote of two-thirds of the members present, subject to the approval of the Bishop, and by complying with the statutes of the State of Illinois.

X. The location is in the Diocese of Chicago, in the County of Cook, in the State of Illinois, and postoffice address of its business office is at No. 510 Masonic Temple, State Street, Chicago, Illinois.

Dated Chicago, May 11, 1906.

Signed:

MARIE M. HOPKINS,
EMILY PARDEE STREET,
FRANCES E. MACDERMID.

CHARTER.

To all to whom these presents shall come, Greeting:

Whereas, a Certificate, duly signed and acknowledged, has been filed in the office of the Secretary of State, on the 12th day of May, A. D. 1906, for the organization of—

The Chicago Branch of The Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, under and in accordance with the provisions of "An Act Concerning Corporations," approved April 18, 1872, and in force July 1, 1872, and all acts amendatory thereof, a copy of which certificate is hereto attached:

Now, therefore, I, James A. Rose, Secretary of State of the State of Illinois, by virtue of the powers and duties vested in me by law, do hereby certify that the said

The Chicago Branch of The Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, is a legally organized Corporation under the laws of this State.

In Testimony Whereof, I hereto set my hand and cause to be affixed the great Seal of State.

Done at the City of Springfield this 12th day of May, A. D. 1906, and of the Independence of the United States the one hundred and thirtieth.

JAMES A. ROSE,
Secretary of State.

(Seal)

FORM OF BEQUEST.

I give, devise and bequeath to

The Chicago Branch of The Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions,
of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Chicago, for the use
of said society

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BY-LAWS.

I. The election of officers at the annual meeting shall be by ballot, each Parish or Mission having one vote.

II. When a vacancy shall occur in the Executive Committee by death or resignation, or removal of residence from the Diocese, the members of said Committee shall have power, with the advice and consent of the Bishop previously obtained, to appoint an officer to fill the vacancy. The officer so appointed to serve until the next annual meeting.

III. Special meetings shall be called by the President, at such time and place as he may designate, for the purpose of stimulating interest in the work.

IV. It shall be the duty of every parochial branch to contribute annually a sum of money, the amount thereof to be determined by itself, to the Executive Committee of this Diocesan Branch, to be appropriated by them according to their discretion in the missionary work of the Church, which money shall constitute the General Fund of the Chicago Branch, and shall be so designated by the contributors.

V. The regular order of business at the annual meeting shall be as follows:

1. Office of devotion.
2. Calling of roll by branches.
3. Reading of minutes of last meeting.
4. Reports of officers and committees.
5. Election of officers.
6. Unfinished business.
7. Miscellaneous business and addresses.

VI. These by-laws may be amended at any annual meeting by a majority vote of the branches present.

Amendment to By-Law VI. The Annual Day of Prayer for Missions; the Annual Meeting; the Executive Committee and Monthly Meetings, heretofore held on fixed dates, will be subject to change, and for a sufficient reason may be held on dates to be determined by a majority vote of the Executive Committee, due notice of such change being given to all parochial branches.

VII. The Treasurer shall furnish bond for such amount as shall be determined by the Executive Committee, such bond to be paid for from the funds of the Woman's Auxiliary.

The Annual Meeting is held on the day after the close of the Diocesan Convention.

A meeting of the Diocesan officers is held on the first Thursday of each month.

Different branches are asked to co-operate with the President in taking charge of the noon-day meetings. Interesting papers are read and missionaries speak on the work in their jurisdiction.

It is hoped that each branch will send at least two representatives to these monthly meetings.

Manuscript