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Fifty-sixth Annual Report
of
The Connecticut Branch
of the
Woman's Auxiliary
To the National Council
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Protestant Episcopal Church of America



Annual Meeting
Trinity Parish House, New Haven
January 8th, 1937

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CALENDAR 1937-1938**Diocesan Meetings**

Fall Meeting, November 5th, 1937; Christ Church Cathedral, Hartford.

Annual Meeting, January 7th, 1938; Trinity Parish House, New Haven.

Diocesan Board Meetings

May 4th, 1937; 28 Garden St., Hartford

November 4th, 1937; 28 Garden St., Hartford

January 6th, 1938; Trinity Parish House, New Haven

Archdeaconry Meetings

Fairfield, April 27th, 1937; Trinity Church, Southport

New London, April 30th, 1937; St. James', New London

Hartford, May 5th, 1937; Christ Church Cathedral, Hartford

New Haven, May 7th, 1937; St. Michael's, Naugatuck

Litchfield, May 13th, 1937; Christ Church, Sharon

Middlesex, May 28th, 1937; Emmanuel, Killingworth

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

It is a pleasure to meet you all again at this fifty-sixth Annual Meeting.

During the past year your President has attended the Annual Meeting and the fall meeting of the Auxiliary, all regular Arch-deaconry meetings, and two special meetings, three Board meetings, and a number of Committee meetings. She has also attended the Provincial meeting at Portsmouth, N. H., the Summer Conference at Pomfret, on the Woman's Auxiliary Day, where she had the pleasure of meeting the girls who are enabled to attend the Conference through our scholarships—a fine set of young people. Besides these activities she has visited several parishes and written many letters.

Aside from the regular work of the Auxiliary, which goes on steadily, we have as a whole, through the parishes, given \$300 toward the Provincial project, and \$150 for scholarships for girls, recommended by Miss Sanford at St. Mary's, Valhalla, N. Y.

The response to the emergency appeal of the Church was most gratifying. You have already heard the figures—about \$2500 in round numbers having been raised. We have helped for the second year to finance the Connecticut Churchman by a gift of \$100.

The Communion alms at our fall meeting, and at the Arch-deaconry meetings, have helped to supply the lack of a Diocesan Altar Guild by supplying necessary linen and other needs for missions in the Diocese, thus making it possible for them to have a more dignified and reverent celebration of the Sacrament.

A new year is before us with its challenge and opportunity. I would remind you that this is our last opportunity to give to the United Thank Offering to be presented next October in Cincinnati. Connecticut has done well, but we still have the opportunity by special effort to interest more women in this Thank Offering of all the women of the Church. With returning prosperity let us show our thankfulness by a frequent and generous remembrance of the "little blue box," with its silent reminder of the daily blessings so freely given us.

The Provincial project is still before us—viz: the rural work in Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont. This includes the Mountain Mission-by-mail and the reaching of isolated families untouched by any church. We are asking you today to give or pledge what you can to help these people who are geographically our near neighbors.

So much work is done through the archdeaconries that it is fitting to give their reports at this time.

Mrs. Haff's Report for Fairfield Archdeaconry

The activities of the Fairfield Archdeaconry for the past year have been unusually intensive in their concentration on the mission field. This direction of the thoughts of our Auxiliary women to the work of our church in other localities outside of our parishes has stirred up our branches in all the lines of work. The success can be measured by the ever-increasing numbers of women attending all meetings, and by the fact that two more parish branches have asked to be reorganized. Of our thirty-eight parishes and six missions, it is a pleasure to report that thirty-two are now fully co-operating with the Diocese in all departments.

Our activities commenced last January in the two educational meetings, one at either end of the Archdeaconry. The first was held at St. John's Church, Bridgeport, on January 16th. We were favored by having Mrs. Alfred M. Chapman of New York, as leader. The second meeting was held at Christ Church, Greenwich, on February 11th, with Miss Laura F. Boyer, former Educational Secretary of Westchester, as leader. At both meetings the subject was "Latin America and the Work of Our Church There." Our own able Educational Secretary, Mrs. Richard M. Coit, presided at both meetings, and added a few words of recommendation for programs. It was a pleasure to note that twice the usual number of women were present, and many more parish branches made plans for study. In this particular we wish to mention Christ Church, Westport, with its study group, under the direction of Mrs. Charlotte Collender, to which are cordially invited the neighboring parishes.

The Annual Meeting for the Archdeaconry was held at the Church of the Holy Trinity, Westport. The presence of Captain B. Frank Mountford, National Director of the Church Army in the U. S. A., together with some of the Army Sisters, made it a distinctive and notable occasion. Captain Mountford preached the sermon at the Corporate Communion Service. At the Missionary conference in the afternoon the speakers were our own Bishop Budlong, Mrs. Beverly Ober, member of the Executive Board of the Women's Auxiliary, and the Rev. Frederick W. Golden-Howes, former Dean of Christ Church Cathedral, Mexico City.

This fall, our activities commenced with three section meetings, at which Bishop Roberts of South Dakota was the speaker. The first meeting was held on November 9th at St. Luke's, Darien. The second was held on November 12th at St. Thomas', Bethel, and the last on November 13th at St. Paul's, Bridgeport. All were unusually well attended, but the third meeting in Bridge-

port broke all records for attendance at a Section Meeting. These meetings were opened with an officers' conference, and the hostess auxiliary served a delightful tea at its conclusion. The original Box Quartette from the New Haven Archdeaconry favored us with Mr. Brewer's play at the Bridgeport Meeting.

In addition to these meetings two special events were held during the year. Last January Miss Mann gave a tea at her home for her White Envelope treasurers, and in October Mrs. Kenneth R. Forbes gave one for the United Thank Offering treasurers at St. Andrew's rectory.

No report from Fairfield Archdeaconry would be complete without some mention of the devoted work of its Departmental officers. We were privileged for six years to have had only one change of officer, but last spring brought three changes. Miss Winifred Mann, our former treasurer, returned to the Philippines to teach in the Moro Settlement School. As the Archdeaconry has adopted her as our Prayer Partner, we feel we have not lost her to our work. It was, however, a severe wrench to lose Mrs. Everett T. Wells, our faithful Supply Secretary, who served twelve years in office, and whose inspiring methods made the Supply Department's work the outstanding achievement of the Archdeaconry. To all these officers the highest praise is due for their service to the Auxiliary at all times. It is very evident, even to the most casual observer, that the work under their guidance has increased, and our new leaders are planning to progress further the invigorating work for which our Woman's Auxiliary exists—the Missionary Work of the Church.

Mrs. Conland's Report for Hartford Archdeaconry

The emphasis has again been on the Mission of the Church and the meeting of Parish Quotas, that that mission might be carried out as expressed in the budget.

A luncheon was held at which nearly every parish in the Archdeaconry was represented, and resulted in the raising of \$1053 towards the Emergency Fund.

A well attended annual meeting, held at the Cathedral, was addressed by Miss Loomis and Miss Pardee in the morning, and by Mr. Tasman in the afternoon.

Our fall meeting, with Mrs. Shannon as speaker, was held at St. Monica's Church.

The number of parishes giving to the Library Fund has increased.

I think a slight trend away from parochialism has started. That will continue to be our goal for the coming year.

Miss Davies' Report for Litchfield Archdeaconry

The Chairman has very little to report this year. School business prevented her attending the January meetings, but she has been able to attend the others.

A very successful Annual Meeting was held at Trinity Church, Thomaston, at which three Bishops were present: Bishop Budlong, our own Bishop; Bishop Colmore of Porto Rico, and Bishop Hulse of Cuba. There was a large and enthusiastic attendance.

In September an Educational meeting was held at Wykeham Rise, which was well attended. Miss Loomis and Mrs. Shannon addressed the meeting; Mrs. Shannon explained her new folder for the year. Father Kelly of St. Michael's, Litchfield, held a devotional service in the School Chapel, followed by tea and a social hour.

Some speaking engagements were cancelled by the flood, no subsequent dates being available. Efforts are still being made to develop Religious Education through plays and pageants. A prize has been offered for a list of Missionary Intercessions, and we hope for a good response.

The coming of three returned missionary families into the Archdeaconry has brought a noticeable increase of interest and enthusiasm which will give new life to the work.

Mrs. Starr's Report for Middlesex Archdeaconry

The Middlesex Archdeaconry held its annual meeting at Grace Church, Saybrook, with Mr. Eric M. Tasman and Miss Mary Louise Pardee of the National Council Board as guest speakers. All parishes were represented. A fall meeting of all parish officers was held at Holy Advent, Clinton, with the recently appointed rector, his wife, and the women of the church. Ten branches have had Educational programs. Two branches did excellent flood relief work. The gauze work for the Middlesex Hospital has been enlarged by six branches of the Woman's Auxiliary. Seven young people were sent to the Pomfret Conference by the women, men, and the Auxiliaries. Twenty-five dollars was raised in September for Edna Baker, the negro girl of New Haven who attends school at the Bishop Tuttle School, Raleigh, N. C. All active branches assisted with the National deficit through their respective churches or directly to the National Council.

Mrs. Fowler's Report for New Haven Archdeaconry

New Haven Archdeaconry, Mrs. Fowler, Chairman, reports over 50 per cent of our parish groups participating in the Educational program. The devoted service of many leaders has contributed to this achievement, and all who studied the work of our church in Latin America are praying together for the extension of the Kingdom of God. Our hearts are grateful to Mrs Burke Rivers for her contribution of time, service, and self in preparing her outline for leaders, "The Negro on Two Continents," and in leading normal classes. We are also indebted to the Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Edwards for their willingness to help with Study classes, and we rejoice that in a few parishes new leaders have been developed.

Mrs. Beers reports all pledges met, and thanks the parish treasurers for prompt and generous response to her letters and to the Missionary crisis.

When Mrs. Clifton H. Brewer, our devoted United Thank Offering treasurer for several terms, retired, she gave us a wonderful gift in the form of a play called "The Box Quartette," which has been presented by Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Sexton, Mrs. Utter, and Mrs. Rivers, in several meetings, and is now available from the Church Missions Publishing Company. Our new treasurer, Miss Florence Redfield, is carrying on with zeal, urging the United Thank Offering as an ideal expression of personal gratitude.

Mrs. Sargent is grateful for the whole-hearted response to her presentation of the needs of missionaries, reporting only one personal box waiting to be filled.

The Church Periodical Club grows slowly. Mrs. Bayard reports several subscriptions to the Connecticut Churchman, the Sp. of Missions, and one to the Living Church. From St. Peter's, Milford, have been sent to Bishop Tuttle Training School, two hundred books, an Encyclopedia Britannica, an unabridged dictionary, a large Bible, and many magazines; to Schermerhorn over one thousand magazines; to Missions Sister Elsie Isaacs many pictures and a large calendar. Other parishes, too, have sent magazines to Schermerhorn House.

The Quiet Day for Prayer was generally observed. We especially commend the plan used at Christ Church, New Haven, where neighboring groups were invited to join. Immanuel, Ansonia, has invited several nearby parishes to join with them when speakers of note have been present.

Representatives from our Archdeaconry attended Summer Conferences at Pomfret and Wellesley; and also the Retreat at the Girls' Friendly Society House in Canaan.

Miss Mabel Forbes has written to our new Prayer Partner, Miss Deborah Bacon, who is nurse at Hudson Stuck Hospital, Ft. Yukon, Alaska, but has had no reply at this writing.

Communications regarding Auxiliary matters may be sent to our Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Harold F. Sperry, 2151 Chapel St., New Haven, during the next two months, while your chairman is to be at Christ School, Arden, North Carolina.

Our Annual Meeting will be held on Friday, May 7th, 1937, in St. Michael's, Naugatuck.

Miss Dickinson's Report for New London Archdeaconry

The work of New London Archdeaconry the past year was planned with the view to increasing interest in Auxiliary work in all the parishes and, while some progress has been made in this direction, there is still a great deal to be done to reach our goal of an active Branch in every parish and more women engaged in Auxiliary work in all the parishes.

Two group meetings were held last spring, one with St. Paul's Branch, Windham, with Mrs. Sheafe, our Church Periodical Club Secretary, and Mrs. Williams, our Educational Secretary, as speakers, and with an attendance of 58; and the other meeting with the Branch of Trinity Church, Norwich, with Mrs. Tucker, Vice-Chairman, and Mrs. Williams, Educational Secretary, as speakers, with an attendance of 52. The annual meeting was held at Danielson with the Branch of St. Alban's Church, with fifteen parishes represented and an attendance of 112, including fourteen rectors. The speakers at the annual meeting were Bishop Budlong, Miss Pardee, Miss Loomis, and Mrs. Williams. Considering the distance which separate the parishes in this Archdeaconry, the attendance at all these meetings was remarkably good and a great deal of interest was shown in them.

While most of the parish branches answer letters and send the information requested, there are some who do not respond, and this makes it impossible to give a complete report of the work being carried on.

A joint meeting of the Executive Board and the presidents and vice-presidents of the parish branches was held on October 15th, at the home of Mrs. Walter J. Tucker, with eight parishes represented. Plans for the year's work were discussed and it was decided to hold a series of group meetings in the early spring

when weather conditions make it seem feasible. A tentative constitution and by-laws were adopted, subject to final approval by the Archdeaconry at the Annual Meeting next spring.

At this joint meeting a letter of suggestions for increasing interest in Auxiliary work in the parishes was given out, and a copy sent to all parishes not represented at the meeting. The theme of this letter is the desirability of making greater effort to make all women of the Church mission-conscious, and also to increase interest in all Church work through programs of education and information. It is our belief if more women can be made mission-conscious, they will eventually become mission-minded and active participants in Auxiliary work.

The annual meeting will be held on April 30th, with St. James' Branch, New London, with Miss Margaret I. Marston, Educational Secretary, as speaker.

All the members of the Executive Board are co-operating whole-heartedly in all our efforts, and there is most encouraging evidence of increased interest and enthusiasm in the parish branches, and we look forward to the coming year in hopeful anticipation to seeing more women enrolled in our parish branches and greater activity in Auxiliary work all along the line.

Without these splendid Archdeaconry Chairmen, it would be impossible to carry on the work, and I thank them for their fine co-operation and splendid work.

Before our next Annual Meeting the General Convention and our Triennial will have met in Cincinnati. In order to bring the message and the enthusiasm of this great gathering to every church woman, we are planning to hold a chain of small group meetings all over the Diocese with one or two speakers from the delegates appointed to represent you, and who can in this way reach every parish, bringing to you as much of the spirit of the meetings as it is possible to give by proxy.

My best wishes to you all in your work this coming year.

JENNIE LOOMIS,
President

REPORT OF THE RECORDING SECRETARY

With the coming of a new year one takes stock of the old, its successes and failures, its things accomplished, its things left undone. So might be evaluated one's official duties in the Woman's Auxiliary. It is my intention, however, to record only the things accomplished.

As customary, approximately 500 notices have been planned, printed, and mailed to all Clergy, every Parish President, or representative woman, all Archdeaconry Officers, and Diocesan Board members. Planning of the program has been done with the President, the arrangement for printing and mailing the Secretary has done alone. Three times in the year regular meeting notices have gone to thirty-five of the Board of Managers.

All Board and Diocesan Annual Meetings have been carefully recorded.

Throughout the year from time to time blanks for data of Parish branches have been sent to the presidents, and the card catalogue revised according to information received. This is a continuous process, and a difficult task in that absolute accuracy is unattainable. Only as each branch notifies the Diocesan Secretary of any change whatsoever can it be realized.

Incidental tasks, including considerable letter writing, have been of wide range. So much for the required duties of the office.

In the spring a list of all parish presidents, with their addresses, was prepared for Miss Grace Lindley of National Headquarters, in order that she might send to them pamphlets about the missionary crisis.

For the first time in an extended period of service it was necessary for me to be absent from a Board meeting, the one in May. But I have attended the other two, the Annual Meetings, and several Archdeaconry gatherings. It was my great privilege and pleasure to go to the Provincial meeting in Portsmouth, and to serve as Connecticut's representative on the committee to nominate officers of the Province and delegates to the Synod, which met in Boston in September. In January, with the President, I attended, in the same city, a special meeting devoted to the Provincial Project.

From the sessions of the Board, where much has been considered and done, the following actions are noteworthy of your attention:

A Scholarship of \$265 was completed, which enabled Edna Baker of St. Luke's, New Haven, to go to the Bishop Tuttle School in Raleigh, North Carolina, where she is doing commendable work.

Approval was given to a request from Bishop Mosher of the Philippines that \$1038.61 given by the Connecticut Woman's Auxiliary in 1927 for a new building for the House of the Holy Child, be transferred to a mission residence in Bontoe.

A gift of \$50 was voted to the Cathedral Chapter as a share in the expenses of the Annual Meeting.

Ahead in 1937 lies opportunity. May the records of the year show still greater achievement of individual and organization.

LOUISE H. NOBLE,
Recording Secretary

REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

The duties of the Corresponding Secretary are entirely routine in character. The various types of blanks and receipts have been distributed to the Archdeaconry Officers to be used by them in reporting parish work to the Diocesan Board of Management.

Five thousand sets of white envelopes were ordered and given out to the six Archdeaconry Secretaries for distribution in the parishes. The file of Annual Reports of the Woman's Auxiliary, which has been placed for safe keeping in the vault at Christ Church Cathedral, has been completed to date.

Preparation of material for the Fifty-fifth Annual Report of the Woman's Auxiliary was cared for, and 3600 reports printed and mailed in early February.

There is always a reserve supply of these reports, which will be mailed promptly on request.

Your Corresponding Secretary has attended all meetings of the Board of Management and of the Auxiliary during the year, and also the Provincial meeting in Portsmouth in October.

EMILY P. INGALLS
Corresponding Secretary

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

Balance January 1, 1936

General Endowment Fund	\$7,910.14
Reserve Account	1,423.74
Convention Fund	709.36
Cash on hand, Woman's Auxiliary Pledge	320.50
Cash on hand	204.28 \$10,568.02

Receipts

Budget: From White Envelopes	6,819.44
Specials: Woman's Auxiliary Pledge, 1936 ..	\$1,950.25
Woman's Auxiliary Pledge, 1937	464.50
Missionary Crisis Fund	2,215.00
Communion Alms	302.54
Offering, November Meeting	182.63
Special Project, Prov. of New England	177.50
Church Mission of Help	153.00
Scholarship, Edna Baker	128.50
Yantic, Grace	100.00
Fairfield Archdeaconry Offering	35.00
Miscellaneous	20.00 5,728.92
Interest from Trust Funds: Harriet E. Tyler	
Lucretia Terry	363.19
Sarah E. Davis	13.66
Mary I. B. Russell	455.16
Elizabeth H. Hubbard	3.66
Harriet T. Giraud53
Frances G. Peck	28.36
Susan C. Gower	7.30
Josephine Waldo Bingham	42.96
General Endowment Fund	239.07 1,363.26
Int. Archdeaconry Tr. Funds: Litchfield Arch.	
New Haven Archdeaconry	2.80
Int. Savings Bank Deposits: Reserve Acct. ..	
Convention Fund	108.99 111.79
For Fairfield Archdeaconry	38.34
Refund	19.35 57.69
	1.00
	4.00
	<hr/> \$14,086.10
	<hr/> \$24,654.12

Disbursements

For Missions		\$4,300.00
For Scholarships, Daughters of the Clergy	\$850.00	
For supplementary work of:		
Supply Department	500.00	
Comfort Club	450.00	
Church Missions Publishing Co.	100.00	
For Foreign Missionaries Insurance Fund	100.00	
For Kuling School, Anking, China	100.00	
		\$2,100.00
For Administrative Costs:		
Printing Annual Reports, 1935	\$363.78	
Printing White Envelopes, 1937	142.50	
Printing, Miscellaneous	169.74	
		676.02
Expenses U. T. O. Treasurer	\$42.00	
Expenses Church Periodical Sec'y	42.65	
Expenses Diocesan Board	310.71	
		395.36
Assessments: Provincial	\$25.00	
National	35.00	
		60.00
		1,131.38
For Specials:		
Diocesan Quota for Missions (Pledge)	\$2,270.75	
Diocesan Quota, Missions (Yantic, Grace)	100.00	
Missionary Crisis Fund	2,215.00	
Altar Furnishings in Diocese (Communion Alms)	302.54	
Scholarship, Edna Baker, Bishop Tuttle School, N. C.	265.00	
Special Project, Prov. of New England	150.00	
Church Mission of Help	153.00	
Rt. Rev. W. Blair Roberts of So. Dakota	100.00	
Connecticut Churchman	100.00	
Rt. Rev. H. R. Carson of Haiti	35.00	
Ft. Valley High & Industrial School, Ga.	15.00	
Miss Gladys Ross, China	5.00	
		\$5,711.29

For Scholarships, Summer Conferences	\$295.00
For Christ Church Cathedral	50.00
For Expenses speakers	50.77
For Fairfield Archdeaconry Treasurer	1.00
For Litchfield Archdeaconry Treasurer	2.80
For New Haven Archdeaconry Treasurer	108.99
	508.56
	\$13,751.23

Balance December 31, 1936

General Endowment Fund	\$8,149.21
Reserve Account	1,079.86
Convention Fund	978.71
Cash on hand, Woman's Auxiliary Pledge	464.50
Cash on hand	230.61
	\$10,902.89
	\$24,654.12

EDNA H. FORSYTH,
Treasurer

Examined by me, and found to be correct:

ARTHUR W. DEYO, Auditor

January 2, 1937.

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RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

1. That the Woman's Auxiliary Pledge be given to the Diocesan Quota for Missions.
2. That the offerings at Corporate Communions of the Diocese and Archdeaconries be given to the Bishop of the Diocese to be used for Altar Furnishings within the Diocese.
3. That the balance at the end of the year be added to the Reserve Fund.

BUDGET FOR 1937

For Missions (credited to Diocesan Quota)	\$4,300.00
For supplementing work of:	
Comfort Club	\$500.00
Supply Department	500.00
Church Missions Publishing Co.	100.00

For Scholarships, Daughters of Clergy	1,100.00
For Foreign Missionaries Insurance Fund	1,000.00
For Kuling School, Anking, China	100.00
For Kuling School, Anking, China	100.00
For Administrative Costs:	
Printing Annual Reports, Envelopes, etc.	\$700.00
Expenses:	
United Thank Offering	50.00
Church Periodical Club	50.00
Diocesan Officers	300.00

Convention Fund	\$1,100.00
	250.00
Assessments:	
Provincial	\$25.00
National	35.00

	60.00

	\$8,010.00
From White Envelopes	\$6,900.00
*From Invested Funds	1,110.00

	\$8,010.00

*Covers Administrative Costs

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**Delegates and Alternates to the Triennial
at Cincinnati, October 1937**

Delegates: MISS LOOMIS, MRS. FORSYTH, MISS NETTLETON,
MISS NOBLE, MRS. STARR.

Alternates: MRS. CONLAND, MRS. FOWLER, MRS. INGALLS,
MRS. SHEAFE, MRS. SHANNON.

UNITED THANK OFFERING

This year, before submitting the financial report, I want to call your attention to two or more salient points.

1. There is only one more offering to be received before the time again arrives to present the total offerings of the Women of the Church at the meeting of the General Convention next October. When we say offering from the Women of the Church, I realize more than ever how few of our women here in Connecticut use the Blue Box, or know its story. I have been shocked at the number of women that have apparently never even heard of the United Thank Offering, or how it is collected, or what the little blue box has to do with it. I fear we who do know about it have all been slackers. I would like to suggest that we make a real honest effort to educate the women in our parishes. One way would be for the United Thank Offering Parish Treasurers to ask permission to speak before every woman's organization in her parish, and take her blue boxes with her and give them out to every member there. This would cover at least the organizations in her church, and be a fine start on reaching every woman in the parish, to make it 100 per cent covered with blue boxes. It means work, of course, but that is the case with everything we do successfully. This year when you receive the printed report you will find listed in the tables at the back of the book the number of boxes reported to me from your parish, and also the amount of the offering. I wonder if you will not feel as I do, that it is not an offering from the women of Connecticut. It is a misnomer to call it so. The number of those sharing in this offering is pitifully small compared to the total number of women in this diocese.

2. The National Executive Board has been working on plans whereby United Thank Offering workers, when they are retired, may receive a pension. I think we all want this done at once, but it can only be an accomplished fact if we substantially increase our United Thank Offerings.

3. Our buildings in the mission fields have suffered during the depression, due to the lack of funds for upkeep, and the time has come when they too must be repaired.

Remember that the Ascension Day offering is the last one to be made before the General Convention, and please use every effort possible to make it large—collect every box—try to get more women to use the box—and by our united efforts we can make our total offerings from the oldest Diocese one of which we can be proud to present in Cincinnati next October.

The financial report follows:

Balance in Birmingham National Bank,	
January 2, 1936	\$4,905.72
Received in Offerings from January 2, 1936	
to December 31, 1936	8,590.91
Interest on account in Birmingham National	
Bank	70.81

	\$13,567.44
Sent Dr. Franklin, April 11, 1936	\$4,000.00
October 8, 1936 4,000.00	_____
	\$8,000.00
Balance as of December 31, 1936, in Birming-	
ham National Bank	5,567.44

	\$13,567.44
During the Triennium Dr. Franklin received	
a total of	\$14,000.00
Bank balance in Birmingham National Bank,	
including interest	5,567.44

Total toward 1937 Offering	\$19,567.44

Offerings by Archdeaconries—Jan. 2, 1936 to Dec. 31, 1936

Fairfield (627 boxes)	\$2,548.58
Hartford (574 boxes)	1,538.44
Litchfield (553 boxes)	1,324.46
Middlesex (87 boxes)	332.70
New Haven (797 boxes)	2,333.34
New London (137 boxes)	504.39
Total boxes, 2775	

	\$8,581.91
Contribution from unknown parish	9.00

	\$8,590.91

KATHARINE ARNOLD NETTLETON,

Diocesan Treasurer

Examined by me and found to be correct
this third day of January, 1937:

DOROTHY ROBERTS

REPORT OF THE SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

During 1936 we have sent personal boxes to twenty missionaries for the use of their families and themselves, Christmas gift boxes to nineteen women missionaries, and clothing and supplies to four missions, two hospitals, and one school. These are, Holy Cross Mission, Frederiksted, St. Croix, V. L.; Rosebud Indian Mission, S. D.; St. Augustine's, Kingston, N. C. (a negro mission); St. Mark's Mission, Dante, Va.; Christ Church Industrial School, Forrest City, Ark.; Grace Hospital, Morganton, N. C.; and St. Agnes' Hospital, Raleigh, N. C. Mahan School Dispensary, Yang-chow, China, asked for \$50 in place of a box, and this was sent. Besides these, a few boxes have gone to two missions and two schools on our new allotment, and three to the Seamen's Church Institute.

With the \$500 allowed in the budget to supplement supply work, I bought the boys overalls and the dispensary supplies for five places; helped with three personal boxes; bought suits for four Indian Catechists, and made up \$10 that was lacking for the dispensary in China. On our new allotment we are asked for \$300 for a hospital in China, and I have taken \$100 toward that amount from this fund. Like the novice in keeping a cash account, I can say: "Received \$500, spent it all!"

The total value of boxes sent was \$8,644.23, of which amount \$167.61 came from the Girls' Friendly Society.

Last year I quoted from a letter of thanks received from one of the mission stations. This year I want to tell you what a clergyman thought of his personal box, which had been carefully prepared. He wrote: "We greatly appreciate this wonderful help. Everything in the box was just lovely. I think it was one of the nicest boxes that we ever received."

DOROTHY W. GOODWIN,
Supply Secretary

THE COMFORT CLUB

For the enlightenment of any who have never heard of the Comfort Club, or to whom it may be merely a name, it seems wise to explain that it was organized about forty-six years ago as a department of "home missions," and that it exists for the benefit of the clergy of the Diocese whose salaries are too small for the proper support of their families and suitable education of their children.

Gifts of clothing and household linens sent to these clergymen are considered as supplemental to their salaries; and while this material aid should not be underestimated, the convenience of having things ready to wear, or to use, without the necessity of buying or making them, constitutes an important phase of their helpfulness.

It is self-evident that the annual allotment of \$500 from the Woman's Auxiliary is of utmost assistance and importance; but that sum represents less than one-half of what is needed each year to successfully carry on the work. If this amount could be augmented by gifts from even a few individuals and societies in addition to the comparatively small number who now make a practice of sending a yearly contribution, much more could be accomplished towards helping those benefited to maintain the standard of living which is expected of them, and to which they are entitled by virtue of their position.

That 1937 will obligingly grant us a bonus, or declare an extra dividend in our favor seems highly improbable; but it is earnestly urged that all who read this report give the matter their thoughtful consideration, and as many as can do so are asked to send direct to me, or through the Archdeaconry treasurers, contributions large or small, according to their ability, always having in mind the fact that such gifts must not mean less liberal offerings in the white envelopes, or less generous support of parish and diocesan obligations and activities.

Cash contributions of \$193.00 and boxes with a total reported valuation of \$142.39 were received from nineteen parishes during the year. Every effort was made to furnish as great a degree of "comfort" as possible with our limited income, and needs that seemed most urgent or most essential were provided for. In this connection part of a paragraph from a previous report is here repeated and strongly emphasized: "To the various organizations who usually purchase, rather than make whatever they send, it is suggested that the money appropriated for the purpose be sent to the Comfort Club treasurer, who is able to buy many things at wholesale, and can therefore make a certain sum 'go further' than would otherwise be possible."

"The Comfort Club has been such a blessing to us for many years," writes the recipient of a small check recently sent in lieu of a box; and similar expressions of gratitude have come from others who have been aided. Such acknowledgment is extremely gratifying, and is, I am sure, ample reward for any expenditure of time, energy or money in the cause of missions, whether Diocesan or otherwise.

The correct address for boxes is:

**The Comfort Club,
Diocesan House, 28 Garden Street,
Hartford, Connecticut**

There should be enclosed in each shipment, or sent by mail under separate cover, a list of contents, stating itemized value of new articles only, with the name and address of the sender clearly indicated. All correspondence should be addressed to the Secretary:

MRS. EDWARD B. BRYANT,
30 FARMINGTON AVENUE
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

Report of the Comfort Club Treasurer

Receipts

Balance January 9, 1936	\$231.94
Hartford Archdeaconry	\$45.00
Litchfield Archdeaconry	63.00
Middlesex Archdeaconry	10.00
New Haven Archdeaconry	30.00
New London Archdeaconry	45.00
Sundry receipts	12.70

Diocesan Treasurer of Woman's Auxiliary	\$205.70
	450.00

	\$887.64

Disbursements

Payments to beneficiaries	\$154.50
Clothing and household linens	488.36
Transportation of boxes	8.30
Janitor	30.00
Miscellaneous	5.73
Activity charge05

Balance, Phoenix State Bank & Trust Company January 7, 1937	\$686.94

	\$200.70

MAIDA L. BRYANT, Treasurer

REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

The year 1936 was a very busy one in the work of the Educational Department of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Last January the Woman's Auxiliary broadcast was prepared and 250 copies distributed at the Annual Meeting; also an itinerary was planned and carried out for Mrs. Habersham in the Diocese.

In April a meeting of Educational secretaries of the various Archdeaconries was held to discuss problems and plans for the work. Again Wellesley Conference gave me great help and inspiration to carry on, and it was also my privilege to have charge of the program for the Woman's Auxiliary day at the Conference. It may be interesting to you to know that there were three educational secretaries from our Diocese in attendance at Wellesley Conference, besides a chairman and Miss Pardee. This year Connecticut had the largest number present outside of Massachusetts, and we are now reaping the results.

During the summer months I spent a great deal of time preparing a folder for the coming year's work, and 2500 were printed and distributed not only in our own Diocese, but in many others. A Speakers' Bureau has been maintained and very widely used.

I have helped to plan many parish programs, loaned plays and study books, attended and assisted at all Archdeaconry Educational meetings, attended Diocesan and Board Meetings, and the Provincial Conference. I have also spoken at many parish meetings.

It has been a great source of satisfaction to notice the increased interest in Quiet Days and Days of Prayer.

Through the courtesy and help of the Church Missions Publishing Company, the interesting and helpful play entitled "A Box Quartette," by the Reverend Clifton H. Brewer, has been printed, at the low cost of ten cents. This play might well be used in connection with the Exhibition of the Boxes which are being sent from the parishes into the field. We are recommending that all members of the parish be invited to see the contents of the boxes before they are sent out.

Again may I express my appreciation for the excellent work being done by Archdeaconry Educational Secretaries.

1937 is before us, and with it comes the Triennial. May I ask you to prepare yourselves in every possible way to take an intelligent interest in this great meeting. There are two forces fighting throughout the world today—Religion and Irreligion. We know that Christianity is our priceless treasure. Let us see to it that we use every possible opportunity to be pupils of the greatest of all teachers of Religious Education—our Lord and Master.

CONSTANCE A. SHANNON

REPORT OF THE PRAYER PARTNERSHIP

An advance step in the Prayer Partnership has arisen spontaneously. Three years ago in a burst of enthusiasm the New Haven Archdeaconry adopted Miss Tiffet as their Prayer Partner. Then the Hartford Archdeaconry adopted Miss Barbour of Japan as their Prayer Partner, and now the Fairfield Archdeaconry has chosen Miss Winifred Mannas theirs.

It is a comforting thought that the Prayer Partnership has been a strong factor in keeping up the morale of our missionaries. The missionaries are thankful for the continued interest shown by their home partners, remembering all the facts in the case, the demand on their time and on their purses, for postage is costly, they like the plan and the response to it is wonderful. Connecticut women believe in prayer and in the expansion of Christ's kingdom. We are more than holding our own. It is a thrilling moment in the program of the local Auxiliary when the leader reads the prayer for their missionary partner. It is not easy for a quiet churchwoman to do this, but the blessing comes. Both the missionary and the home partners are strengthened. Let us continue the good work. Let us really know our missionaries, their work, their consecration, their troubles, their limitations, and also their successes, and do all we can to cheer and encourage them.

The Prayer Partnership is a very simple thing, but it strikes at the very heart of our missionary work. Blessed is the missionary whose home partners are faithful to her.

ANNA L. BIDDLE

EDUCATION OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE CLERGY

For the year 1936-1937 we have six girls on our Scholarship List. One is doing excellent work at William and Mary College, Virginia. Two sisters, juniors at the New Jersey College for Women, are achieving honors and additional scholarships. Another is continuing her studies at St. Faith's Training School, New York. One high school girl, who is of particular interest to us, is showing marked improvement. And we have been only too glad to assist in meeting payments for studies already completed by a girl who gave up her college career to fit herself sooner for earning her livelihood.

As one girl writes: "Your check certainly gives me a hopeful and helpful start for the New Year."

EDNA H. FORSYTH

THE DIOCESAN LENDING LIBRARY

The work of this Library—which belongs to everyone who wishes to use it—is entirely free, is so much of necessity the same old story year after year, that it is difficult to know just what will be of interest to report in the time and space allotted to it. However, all who are especially interested in the work of the library are most thankful to be able to say that the books are still to be found (which Dean Colladay arranged for them to be) in which is probably the most convenient spot in the entire Diocese for such a library—the south-east porch of the Cathedral.

Many visit it some weeks—and there are, always, the faithful few. However, we are hoping for more, and we feel sure they would come did they realize the help and pleasure to be gotten from the reading of the books it can furnish. However, a fund is much needed for the purpose of securing new books, especially as our Woman's Auxiliary Secretary, Mrs. Thomas Shannon, 45 Jackson St., Ansonia, has issued such fine outlines with suggested books to be used in connection with the prescribed study course.

During this past year a number of calls came for books not in the library. Any help towards the purchase of such books, and for the replacing of much-worn copies, will be most gratefully received and acknowledged.

Thanks to Miss Mary L. Randall's and Miss Mabel Schumacher's fine work, there is to be found in the library an up-to-date indexed file of every book on the shelves. And by following the few printed rules to be found there any book can be taken out, at will, and at a moment's notice.

Each Sunday before and after the eleven o'clock service, and at the same time on Wednesdays, one or more of the library helpers will be there to give any needed assistance. These helpers are Miss M. L. Randall, Mrs. Smart, Miss Elizabeth Howard, Miss Kitty Welles, and Miss Daisy Porter. The Cathedral verger, Mr. Thomas Joesbury, is always most cheerfully interested to give any needed service.

Space for reports, etc., is always most generously given in "The Evangel," for the work of the library.

EDITH BEACH, Librarian

CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

I am happy to be able to report a successful year for the Church Periodical Club. I have attended all Diocesan and five Archdeaconry meetings, the Provincial meeting in Portsmouth, N. H., and have spoken at six parish and group meetings. Various special needs have been met. Miss Cowles of the jail Library Association asked for religious reading for the inmates of the six jails which she visits. I gave her eight copies of the New Testament and 100 or more Forward Movement leaflets. As a rule, inmates of jails are indifferent to forward religious reading, but they welcome these small leaflets, which can be slipped into the pocket. This is a good use to make of back numbers which are no longer needed in the parishes. Jig-saw puzzles have been sent at regular intervals to an invalid clergyman who can neither walk, read, nor speak, but who spends long hours contentedly working puzzles. When a year's file of the better class magazines, such as the Geographic or Harpers, is offered, I usually assign it to the Seamen's Church Institute of New York. Such magazines are placed in the reading room at the Institute or on vessels sailing from the port of New York. In response to my request for used Christmas cards, large numbers have been sent. I myself have altered some 2500 cards and sent them to missions, schools, and hospitals in all parts of the country. I must emphasize the importance of very careful altering. Unless the branches have time and patience to do the work with the utmost care, I hope they will send the cards direct to me. Reports have come from headquarters of cards so unskillfully altered as to be very disappointing to those who receive them. Three Victrolas, with fifty records apiece, have been placed in three C. C. C. camps of Connecticut.

From the addresses sent out during the year, I have chosen the following to show the scope of our work:

A subscription to Horticulture goes to the Patterson School in North Carolina, an agricultural school for mountain boys; Readers Digest to an Archdeacon in Cuba; Yale Alumni Weekly to a clergyman in Illinois, a Yale graduate; Living Church to a clergyman in Liberia; Churchman to a Japanese clergyman in Osaka; New Yorker to a woman secretary in St. Luke's Hospital, Tokio; American Boy to a boy on a farm in Michigan; Home Arts to an Indian woman in South Dakota; Readers Digest to a Veterans' Hospital in Wyoming.

Figures are as follows: 795 magazines are being sent regularly by 393 persons; 58 Bibles and prayer books have been sent out; 1,906 books, both religious and secular, 914 leaflets, 35,357 miscellaneous magazines, 30,236 Christmas and Easter cards, 3,945 pictures, 312 sheets of music, 1,015 games and puzzles, 6 magazines and 17 books sent regularly by five donors; 45 institutions in the Diocese have been aided; \$60.00 has been given to the Library Fund; 6 new branches have been organized and one has disbanded. The six Archdeaconry Secretaries are all doing good work and real progress may be expected in 1937.

MARY S. SHEAFE,

Diocesan Director

CHURCH MISSIONS PUBLISHING COMPANY

Repeated gifts often dull the edge of gratitude, but each donation from the Woman's Auxiliary intensifies the gratitude of this Company; and so it is of the gift of \$100 during the year 1936. This has enabled us to print "The Negro Churchman's Upward Climb," one of the most valuable contributions for the Mission Study Classes, in the subjects, "Africa," and "The Mission of the Church to the American Negro," appointed by the National Council.

During the past year the Company has donated 250 copies of the Spanish translation of Bishop Wilson's "What Every Churchman Ought to Know" to Archdeacon Townsend of Camagüey, Cuba, and has given him \$100 to publish a Spanish translation of Dr. Maclear's "First Communion," edited by Dr. Samuel Hart, and revised by Dean Colladay.

We have also made a donation of \$25 toward the expense of publishing the revised translation of the Prayer Book into the Dakota tongue, made by the Reverend Paul H. Barbour; \$25 to the Federation of Italian Priests toward the printing of a special Service Book for the Italian clergy of the Church; and £6-19s.-9d. to the New Guinea Fund for the work of the Melanesian Mission of the Church of England.

In the "Soldier and Servant Series" we have published: "Commissary Blair," of Virginia, by the Rev. Edgar Legare Pennington.

"A New Sir Launcelot" (the Rev. Launcelot B. Minor of Virginia, missionary to Cape Pelmas) by Julia C. Emery, reprint.

"From Bantu Jungle to Church College," by Miss Lucy C. Sturgis and Miss Grace Hutchinson, reprint: with additional chapter by the Rev. John H. Edwards.

"The Negro Churchman's Upward Climb," reprint, with additional chapters by the Rev. John H. Edwards. [First published as "The Churchman's Supplement to 'The Upward Path,'" under the direction of the Rev. William E. Gardner.]

"Samuel Adjai Crowther," First Bishop of the Niger, with "Cietta," double number, reprint.

"Pioneers of the Universities' Mission in East Africa," reprint.

And we have in hand "Clement Hall of North Carolina," and "Arthur Brown of New Hampshire," by Mr. Pennington.

We have published in the "Story and Pageant Series":

"When the King of Peace Came," a Christmas play by the Rev. Charles R. Findlay.

"Africa," a republication of "Ethiopia," by H. K. W. Kumm [Kumm], Ph. D., F. R. G. S., with an excerpt from "Liberia Today," issued, 1936, by the National Council.

"A Box Quartette," a short playlet of the Auxiliary Blue Box, by the Rev. Clifton H. Brewer, Ph. D.

"Story of a Hospital," by Dr. Mary V. Glenton, reprint, with an appendix by Mercie Wheeler Edwards, R. N.

"The Church's Work in Western Equatorial Africa," reprint.

We still have in hand the unpublished MSS. mentioned in last year's report.

MARY E. BEACH

THE NOVEMBER MEETING

More than seven hundred persons gathered at Christ Church Cathedral, Hartford, for the fifty-sixth Annual Meeting of the Connecticut Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary on Friday, November 6th, 1936.

At 10:15 A. M. the meeting opened with a full choral celebration of the Holy Communion. The Right Reverend Frederick G. Budlong, Bishop of the Diocese, officiated, assisted by the visiting bishops, the Right Reverend Philip Cook, Bishop of Delaware, and President of the National Council, and the Right Reverend W. Blair Roberts, Missionary Bishop of South Dakota, together with the Cathedral Clergy. The Epistle was read by Canon Plumb, and the Gospel by Bishop Cook, who preached the sermon. Choosing three words, the speaker showed how they complete the whole circle of faith in God, since they cover the past, present, and future. They were Ebenezer, "God hath helped us," Immanuel, "God with us," and Jehovah Jireh, "God will see, or prevail." The God who has brought us thus far will help us, for He is kind and merciful, but very exacting, and His will must be done. All that God demands is loyalty. This can be expressed by meeting the challenge of the Church today, not with indifference, but with activity in terms of gifts and service. "Nothing," said Bishop Cook, "can stultify a parish so quickly as the attitude where nothing goes out. Faith and giving if dammed up become a stagnant pool." He further stated that the Church is depending on the Woman's Auxiliary to make clear this thought. It has a wonderful message to convey as well as opportunity to make known what fundamentally belongs to the Kingdom of God.

Before the presentation of the regular Communion Alms, which totalled \$184.62, the United Thank Offering Treasurers came forward to the chancel rail to place the gifts of their respective parishes in a special alms basin. Though it was announced that the loose offering in the former would go to the United Thank Offering, this could not be, as that money is already designated for the Bishop's use for altar hangings throughout the Diocese.

The customary box lunch and social hour in the Parish House from twelve to one o'clock, during which the Cathedral Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary proved efficient and gracious hostesses, was followed by Roll Call in the Church. As nearly as could be determined, 737 women, 76 clergy, and one lay reader—a total of

814—filled the pews in readiness for the afternoon's program. The Woman's Auxiliary Pledge for Connecticut's Quota for Missions was taken at the same time, and was announced later as amounting to \$2,019.50.

At 1:45 P. M. the Missionary Service was opened with prayers offered by Bishop Budlong, who afterward urged that the Auxiliary set the example of an earnest endeavor, of not being satisfied with things as they are, but going "forward," carrying through those works which are so worth while. When we are given capacity we should use it, and the Bishop told how the Auxiliary can assist him in the year's work in the Diocese by sustaining the Church Mission of Help, and widening the reach of the Connecticut Churchman. He introduced Bishop Roberts, who declared that "there is great need of a more militant spirit," and then told of the work in his mission field. When any of his Sioux Indians are confirmed they are given a copy of the Niobrara cross, which carries three words meaning "that they might have life." That is the object of the Church—to so function that men may have life and more abundant life. When one makes her thank offering she is "putting life into the Blue Boxes," and Bishop Roberts pictured the need for more women workers, and the accomplishments of the Woman's Auxiliary in supplying buildings. The Indians, too, have a thank offering which holds a vital place in their Christian life, and into which they pour much of the little they obtain at great sacrifice. Bishop Roberts closed his talk with the singing of a hymn, Indian in tune, in the Sioux language.

He was followed by Mr. Lewis B. Franklin, Vice-President and Treasurer of the National Council, who took his listeners from the domestic to the foreign mission field, to show what work the Woman's Auxiliary is making possible there, through its workers or buildings. An old Chinese city was visited where it was said by Robert Morrison, "If we shall within one hundred years win a thousand souls to Christ it will be a miracle," and where eight hundred and fifty have been won to Christ in thirty-five years. Here Dr. Ritchie carries on in the hospital at Zan Zo. In the Philippines there is the hospital at Sagada, where the Church is at work among a hostile and war-like group. Yet twelve thousand are Christians today, and one knows it from the inner light shining in their faces. In Japan there is the School for Bible Women at Sendai, where the efforts of one of its workers among the mountain people had made forty-seven Christians in one year, and where in a leper colony Miss Cornwall-Leigh, 82

one year, and where in a leper colony Miss Cornwall-Leigh, eighty-two years of age, but still active, continues her labor of love.

Dr. Franklin concluded by saying that it is this winning work that lags with us here at home. The hopeful, yet tragic side, is that not even now do enough women know about the Blue Box of the United Thank Offering and its use. Therein lies opportunity.

The benediction, pronounced by Bishop Roberts, brought to a close a day filled with spiritual richness.

The offering at this service of \$182.63, went to the work of the National Council, after \$100 was given to Bishop Roberts.

LOUISE H. NOBLE,

Recording Secretary

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING, 1937

The fifty-sixth Annual Business Meeting of the Connecticut Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was held at Trinity Church Parish House, New Haven, on Friday, January 8th, 1937.

Miss Loomis, the President, presided, and called the meeting to order at 10:01 A. M. An opening hymn followed prayers offered by the Reverend Thomas Barrett, curate of the hostess church. Proceeding at once to business, Miss Loomis deferred her annual report, and called for those of the Recording and Corresponding Secretaries, both presented by the Recording Secretary. These were accepted by vote. The Treasurer's report next, read by Mrs. Forsyth, was accepted through acceptance of the Auditor's report. A yearly report presented by the United Thank Offering Treasurer, was accepted through the accompanying Auditor's report.

Departmental reports were made by the respective Secretaries as follows: Supply, read by the Secretary in Mrs. Goodwin's absence; Comfort Club, read by Mrs. Bryant; and Educational, also read by the Secretary. All were accepted by vote.

Miss Pardee, Vice-President, was then asked to take the chair, as the President submitted her annual report, showing much activity and steady advancement in Auxiliary work. It embodied comprehensive reports of the Archdeaconry Chairmen. It was voted, seconded, and carried that this report be accepted.

Reports of affiliated organizations were made as follows: Mrs. Sheafe for the Church Periodical Club; the Church Missions Publishing Company, Diocesan Lending Library, Prayer Partnership and Church Mission of Help by the Secretary. It was voted to accept these reports in a group.

The Treasurer reported on Scholarships for Daughters of the Clergy. This, too, was accepted by vote.

Mrs. Forsyth presented the Budget for 1937, of \$8,010—\$6,900 to be asked in the White Envelopes. Its adoption was voted. Three recommendations of the Finance Committee were also made. These were considered separately and so adopted by vote.

It was necessary at this meeting to elect a Nominating Committee to prepare a slate of officers to be presented to the next Annual Business Meeting. Miss Loomis called for nominations

from the floor, stating that there is one representative from each Archdeaconry and a member-at-large, who is Chairman. Nominations were:

Member-at-large: Mrs. W. F. Williams, Calvary Church, Stonington.

Fairfield: Mrs. Kenneth R. Forbes, St. Andrew's Church, Stamford.

Hartford: Mrs. Mark Brewster, St. James' Church, Farmington.

Litchfield: No nomination ready. Appointment held over by consent of meeting. Nominee to be elected at Archdeaconry Annual Meeting.

Middlesex: Miss Julia Brazos, Holy Trinity Church, Middletown.

New Haven: Mrs. Harold Sperry, St. Paul's Church, New Haven.

New London: Miss Louise Robinson, Christ Church, Norwich.

There being no further nominations, Miss Nettleton's motion that the slate be accepted as read was seconded and carried.

Miss Pardee announced the Delegates and Alternates to the Triennial Meeting in Cincinnati.

Roll Call interrupted for Noon-day Prayers, offered by Reverend Mr. Barrett, was responded to by 24 clergy, 137 delegates, and 124 parish members, a total of approximately 285.

The current Provincial Project, explained by the President, is the raising of \$1,500 in two years—\$750 a year—for rural work in the three northern Dioceses, such as furtherance of the Mountain Mission by Mail, so clearly pictured by Miss Van Dorn last year, and the training of girls of promise as workers in those fields. Connecticut's share is \$250. An opportunity to give or pledge from the floor by parishes or individuals netted more than \$267.

Miss Mary Louise Pardee, Provincial Representative on the National Executive Board, brought the morning session to a close with her report on that group's thinking, plans, and hopes for the future, especially in regard to the United Thank Offering. She

outlined committee formations and functions, and stated that the theme of the Triennial meeting is to be "The Mission of the Church."

The afternoon session also opened with a hymn at 2:00 P. M. Bishop Budlong brought his customary greetings and reported his hope for a Diocesan Altar Guild, by which the Communion Alms may be administered. He urged use of the Forward Movement material, support of the National Budget, and work for the furtherance of peace.

Miss Margaret Marston, Educational Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary, brought to the meeting some of her very interesting experiences in a missionary tour of the world, where she met all but about eight of the missionaries in the field. She described the type of extension work being done in various Oriental countries, particularly among the women.

The minutes of this meeting were read and accepted.

LOUISE H. NOBLE,

Recording Secretary

ARCHDEACONRY TABLES

The Archdeaconry Table has been made out to show the offerings each parish has given to the Budget, to Specials that have been given through the Auxiliary Treasurer, to the United Thank Offering, to the Comfort Club, and the total cash offerings. It shows the value of boxes given to the Comfort Club, to the Supply Department and the total box values; also the Grand Totals.

The advantage of this plan is that the whole record of each parish can be seen at a glance, instead of having to look in three different reports to find it. "Specials" indirectly reported are not included as none of the money passed through the Auxiliary Treasurer's hands.

FAIRFIELD ARCHDEACONRY

Towns and Parishes	No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total
*Bethel, St. Thomas'	28	\$34.60	\$15.00						\$7.31	\$49.60	\$7.31	\$56.91
† Bridgeport, Calvary	45	34.45	10.00	51	\$75.18			\$1.00	17.12	119.63	18.12	137.75
†* " Christ Church	30	28.27	141.25	80	132.00			5.00	29.36	301.52	34.36	335.88
†* " St. Andrew's (B. R.)			5.00		76.56				2.46		2.46	2.46
†* " St. George's			135.00		252.64	\$1.00			5.00	10.93	81.56	15.93
†* " St. John's	22	72.87						\$7.00	5.00	250.31	468.51	255.31
†* " St. John's Jr. Branch			15.00					25.00	5.00	52.55	40.00	57.55
†* " St. Luke's					5.00						5.00	5.00
* " St. Mark's	12	5.00	5.00		7.00					17.00		17.00
†* " St. Paul's	45	45.93	23.00	36	52.03				5.00	34.41	120.96	39.41
†* " Trinity	35	63.10	50.00		40.00				5.00	68.27	153.10	73.27
*Danbury, St. James'			50.00		25.00					40.00	75.00	40.00
†*Darien, St. Luke's	20	25.02	50.00		23.05	3.00			5.00	55.83	101.07	60.83
*Easton, Christ Church												
†*Fairfield, St. Paul's	50	75.00	46.00		325.00				45.51	446.00	45.51	491.51
*Greenwich, Christ Church	125	225.00	235.00	145	306.00				1494.87	766.00	1494.87	2260.87
*Huntington, St. Paul's	5	5.00	10.00		2.00				25.67	17.00	25.67	42.67
Long Hill, Grace Church												
Monroe, St. Peter's										7.86	7.86	7.86
†*New Canaan, St. Mark's	35	251.81	20.00		157.93	1.00				64.10	430.74	64.10
New Canaan, St. Mark's Jr. Br.			20.00						5.00	25.80	20.00	30.80
†*Newtown, Trinity	30	38.75	42.00	33	117.00					28.35	197.75	28.35
												226.10

† Nichols, Trinity		12.00	17	29.00			5.00	24.41	41.00	29.41	70.41		
Norwalk, Christ Church		11.00		44.75			5.00	17.96	55.76	22.96	78.71		
* " Grace Church	7	12.00		10.00				15.00	22.00	15.00	37.00		
† " St. Paul's	8	2.70		34.50				5.43	37.20	5.43	42.63		
† Old Greenwich, St. Saviour's	14	19.60	5.00	1.50				11.28	26.10	11.28	37.38		
†*Redding, Christ Church	21	4.00	20.00	16.59				12.59	40.59	12.59	53.18		
†*Ridgefield, St. Stephen's	25	15.85	25.00	25.21	2.00		5.00	28.70	68.06	33.70	101.76		
†*Riverside, St. Paul's	24	61.74	10.00	25	70.90		5.00	40.53	142.64	45.53	188.17		
*Sandy Hook, St. John's			2.50	21	26.75			5.41	29.25	5.41	34.66		
†*Shelton, Good Shepherd	20	41.68	15.00	10	17.29		5.00	45.16	78.97	50.16	129.13		
†*South Norwalk, Trinity	32	37.42	13.00		39.40		5.00	33.83	89.82	38.83	128.65		
*Southport, Trinity	35	49.60	61.00	57	97.20	3.00		27.27	210.80	27.27	238.07		
*Stamford, Emmanuel, Springdale	20	17.45	25.00		56.50			23.59	98.95	23.59	122.54		
†* " St. Andrew's	15	17.10	24.00	38	68.50		10.00	5.00	42.62	119.60	47.62		
†* " St. John's	66	179.75	87.50	60	226.20	1.00			207.09	494.45	207.09		
* " St. Luke's	28	17.10	12.50	31	25.50				18.48	55.10	18.48		
†*Stratford, Christ Church	60	60.00	33.00	23	69.00		28.40	5.00	60.96	162.00	94.36		
Tashua, Christ Church	4	6.00			3.40		6.00		10.56	6.00	16.56		
Weston, Emmanuel										3.40	3.40		
Westport, Christ Church	16	40.05	13.00		90.00				31.16	143.05	31.16		
*Westport, Holy Trinity	27	61.15	18.75					12.50	144.12	79.90	156.62		
Wilton, St. Matthew's	15	17.40	10.00					5.00	38.50	27.40	43.50		
Fairfield Archdeaconry					111.00					111.00	111.00		
Total	918	\$1565.39	\$1381.50	627	\$2548.58	11.00	\$44.91	\$47.00	\$98.50	\$3105.36	\$5553.47	\$3248.77	\$8802.24
							Boxes	Cash	Boxes				

*Represented at November Meeting

†Represented at January Meeting

HARTFORD ARCHDEACONY

Towns and Parishes	No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total	
Bloomfield, St. Andrew's -----													
†*Bristol, Trinity -----	35	\$27.81	\$12.65	25	\$18.00			\$5.00	\$22.04	\$58.46	\$27.04	\$85.50	
Broad Brook, Grace Church -----	5	4.60		15	7.25				8.54	11.85	8.54	20.39	
Collinsville, Trinity -----					3.65					3.65		3.65	
East Berlin, St. Gabriel's -----	8	2.45	5.00	15	12.35				10.20	19.80	10.20	30.00	
*East Hartford, St. John's -----	20	27.65	7.00		4.00				15.08	38.65	15.08	53.73	
†*Farmington, St. James' -----	18	39.10	60.00	12	33.37	\$3.00			45.49	135.47	45.49	180.96	
† Forestville, St. John's -----	5	10.00	10.00							20.00		20.00	
Glastonbury, St. James' -----	15	9.25			3.00							37.42	
†*Hartford, Christ Church Cathedral	80	208.00	52.00	150	203.55	3.00	\$3.50		5.00	104.25	466.55	109.25	575.80
†* " Good Shepherd -----	23	93.96	168.75		115.31	3.00			5.00	82.22	381.02	82.22	463.24
* " Grace Church -----	15	12.40		20	34.56	3.00				17.11	49.96	17.11	67.07
* " St. Andrew's -----	12	14.40	12.50	12	7.50						34.40		34.40
* " St. James' -----	22	17.85	7.50	22	16.00					11.78	41.35	11.78	53.13
* " St. John's -----	53	282.20	616.00		261.29	3.00	\$25.00			298.78	1187.49	298.78	1486.27
†* " St. Monica's -----	12	13.00	5.00	9	15.03					13.34	33.03	13.34	46.37
* " St. Monica's Jr. Group -----					3.15						3.15		3.15
* " St. Paul's Italian Miss. -----			5.00								5.00		5.00
†* " Trinity -----	60	173.96	100.00		275.00	3.00	15.00			213.36	566.96	213.36	780.32

Hazardville, St. Mary's -----	12	12.00	5.00	5	4.85				2.00	10.06	21.85	12.06	33.91	
*Manchester, St. Mary's -----	75	58.09	25.00	60	32.65	3.00			5.00	24.24	118.74	29.24	147.98	
†*New Britain, St. Mark's -----	25	63.78	121.00	130	172.00	3.00	5.00		10.00	53.16	364.78	63.16	427.94	
†*Newington, Grace Church -----	8	12.65	10.00	2	4.00						26.65		26.65	
†*Plainville, Church of Our Saviour -----	19	23.25	15.00	5	6.26						17.84	44.51	17.84	
*Rockville, St. John's -----	5	5.00	23.00	4	14.19						5.24	42.19	5.24	
†*South Glastonbury, St. Luke's -----	35	54.53	15.60	15	31.49						28.74	101.62	28.74	
†*Southington, St. Paul's -----	10	9.80	15.00	16	40.50						20.90	65.30	20.90	
*Stafford Springs, Grace Church -----	16	38.30	10.00		14.88						6.65	63.18	6.65	
Suffield, Calvary -----												3.00	3.00	
Tariffville, Trinity -----			3.00									56.25	56.25	
*Thompsonville, St. Andrew's -----	13	18.00	22.50	12	12.75	3.00						32.50	32.50	
Unionville, Christ Church -----	6	15.50	5.00	5	12.00							41.00	72.77	
Warehouse Point, St. John's -----	40	51.77	5.00	10	16.00							31.50	42.08	
†*West Hartford, St. James' -----	15	24.43	10.00	5	7.65							180.12	116.30	
†*Wethersfield, Trinity -----	36	38.66	15.00	8	59.64	3.00						273.12	180.12	
†*Windsor, Grace Church -----	25	75.55	95.00	17	99.57	3.00							37.06	
Windsor Locks, St. Paul's -----	5	6.80											6.80	
Hartford Archdeaconry -----			71.28										6.80	
Total -----	728	\$1444.74	\$1527.78	574	\$1538.44	36.00	\$45.00	\$3.50		\$47.00	\$1310.37	\$4591.96	\$1360.87	\$5952.83
							Cash	Boxes						
										Boxes				

*Represented at November Meeting

†Represented at January Meeting

LITCHFIELD ARCHDEACONRY

Towns and Parishes		No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total
*Bantam, St. Paul's	10	\$10.00	\$10.00	12						\$22.34	\$20.00	\$22.34	\$42.34
Bethlehem, Christ Church	9	6.50				\$1.00				7.55	7.40	7.55	14.95
†*Bridgewater, St. Mark's	20	31.75	5.00	22	17.81					16.29	54.56	16.29	70.85
†*Brookfield, St. Paul's	20	23.29	5.00	50	16.25					16.82	44.54	16.82	61.36
*Canaan, Christ Church	16	30.95	25.00	34	33.81					20.52	89.76	20.52	110.28
Kent, St. Andrew's			10.00							16.74	10.00	16.74	26.74
*Lime Rock, Trinity	10	38.10		10	22.40					15.81	60.50	15.81	76.31
*Litchfield, St. Michael's	22	91.65		20	177.22		\$63.00			168.56	331.87	168.56	500.43
Marble Dale, St. Andrew's					17.50					17.86	17.50	17.86	35.36
*New Milford, St. John's	30	31.56	25.00	40	60.83					26.22	117.39	26.22	143.61
Northfield, Trinity										5.84		5.84	5.84
Oakville, All Saints'													
Pine Meadow, St. John's													
Plymouth, St. Peter's	11	16.25	5.00	15	22.22					20.02	43.47	20.02	63.49
†*Roxbury, Christ Church	25	39.01	20.00	25	21.12					15.41	80.13	15.41	95.54
†*Salisbury, St. John's	15	17.90	35.00	50	223.00					46.93	279.15	51.93	331.08
*Sharon, Christ Church	25	53.48	30.00	35	308.18					80.03	391.66	80.03	471.69
*Terryville, St. Mark's	16	16.81	5.00	7	9.35					7.37	31.16	7.37	38.53
*Thomaston, Trinity	6	26.05	10.00	30	5.00					5.00	27.55	41.05	32.55
*Torrington, Trinity	36	40.47		60	70.00						18.66	110.47	18.66
†*Washington, St. John's	14	89.70	65.00	30	104.64	\$4.00					45.00	263.34	45.00
†*Watertown, Christ Church	14	27.76	15.00	70	178.48					5.00	49.56	221.24	54.56
*Winsted, St. James'	35	20.50		35	16.00						15.86	36.50	275.80
Woodbury, St. Paul's	8	16.00	35.00	8	19.65			\$18.10			18.19	70.65	52.36
Litchfield Archdeaconry			\$37.00									37.00	106.94
Total	342	\$627.63	\$337.00	553	\$1324.46	\$4.00	\$63.00	\$18.10	\$3.25	\$15.00	\$679.13	\$2359.34	\$712.23
							Cash	Boxes					\$3071.57

*Represented at November Meeting

† Represented at January Meeting

‡ Plus \$41.10—Offering Annual Meeting

MIDDLESEX ARCHDEACONY

Towns and Parishes	No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total
Chester, St. Luke's Mission												
*Clinton, Holy Advent	12	\$11.34	\$10.00	8	\$6.40				\$27.75	\$27.74	\$27.75	\$55.49
† Durham, Epiphany	15	5.00	21.00	8	6.00				11.95	32.00	11.95	43.95
†*East Haddam, St. Stephen's	12	32.35	25.00	10	15.76	\$5.00		\$2.00	22.20	78.11	24.20	102.31
East Hampton, St. John's Mission	11	7.60	12.50	7	4.00				10.70	24.10	10.70	34.80
*Essex, St. John's	12	19.40		10	17.00			5.00	17.32	36.40	22.32	58.72
Hadlyme, Grace Mission				1						2.00		2.00
Ivoryton, All Saints'					2.00							
Killingworth Emmanuel												
Maromas, St. Andrew's												
*Middle Haddam, Christ Church	15	24.10	81.75		61.32	5.00			12.82	172.17	12.82	184.99
†*Middletown, Christ Church			5.00	12	18.37				15.32	23.37	15.32	38.69
†*Middletown, Holy Trinity	58	171.83	82.00	15	82.64				371.97	336.47	371.97	708.44
Ponsett, St. James'												
Portland, St. John Baptist Miss.	12	15.60	5.00		6.43				9.58	27.03	9.58	36.61
†*Portland, Trinity	31	55.70	20.00	10	69.71				22.92	145.41	22.92	168.33
Saybrook, Grace Church	10	10.00	10.00	6	13.07				6.04	33.07	6.04	39.11
Westbrook, St. Paul's												
Middlesex Archdeaconry			136.00		30.00					166.00		166.00
Total	188	\$352.92	\$408.25	87	\$332.70	\$10.00 Cash	.	\$7.00 Boxes	528.57	\$1103.87	\$535.57	\$1639.44

*Represented at November Meeting

†Represented at January Meeting

NEW HAVEN ARCHDEACONRY

Towns and Parishes	No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total
†*Ansonia, Christ Church	95	\$161.63	\$45.00	65	\$107.46			\$5.00	\$46.94	\$314.09	\$51.94	\$366.03
†*Ansonia, Immanuel	25	17.50	20.00	40	30.85				27.85	68.35	27.85	96.20
Bethany, Christ Church												
†*Branford, Trinity	46	65.08	55.00	38	106.06			5.00	30.88	226.14	35.88	262.02
†*Cheshire, St. Peter's	49	56.30	28.00		30.30				22.47	114.60	22.47	137.07
†*Derby, St. James'	20	35.60	30.00		48.70				45.09	114.30	45.09	159.39
Devon, St. Andrew's Mission	19	21.80	15.00		6.00				9.19	42.80	9.19	51.99
†*East Haven, Christ Church	24	16.90	7.00	21	18.00					41.90		41.90
†*Guilford, Christ Church	25	36.35	27.00	20	30.57			5.00	20.00	93.92	25.00	118.92
†*Hamden, Grace Church	25	16.07	11.00		8.51				28.29	35.58	28.29	63.87
†*Meriden, All Saints'	85	60.61	29.00		29.25				88.88	118.86	88.88	207.74
†*Meriden, St. Andrew's	119	128.77	40.00	50	66.92	\$6.00	\$10.00		15.00	67.57	251.69	82.57
†*Milford, St. Peter's	52	68.28	13.00	30	25.00					50.00	106.28	50.00
*Naugatuck, St. Michael's	72	132.00	68.50	42	96.20			\$5.00	10.00	74.49	301.70	84.49
† New Haven, All Saints'	14	10.84	7.00	20	23.59					5.00	41.43	5.00
" " All Saints, Jr. Br.									7.40		7.40	46.43
" " Ascension												7.40
†* " " Christ Church	25	53.16	40.00	53	130.00				37.18	223.16	37.18	260.34
†* " " Epiphany	52	10.50	38.00	27	10.50			5.00	31.25	59.00	36.25	95.25
†* " " St. Andrew's					7.50	32	25.60		21.15	33.10	21.15	54.25
†* " " St. James' (F. H.)	17	16.20	14.00	15	15.86					46.06		46.06
" " St. James Apostle	18	26.00	22.00	25	62.25			5.00	37.41	110.25	42.41	152.66

†*New Haven, St. John's	35	100.00	95.00	15	158.02		\$10.00			64.24	353.02	74.24	427.26
†* " " St. Luke's	20	4.75	11.35	25	13.50						29.60		29.60
†* " " St. Paul's	130	255.65	88.00		388.60	3.00	20.00		10.00	15.00	61.77	765.25	76.77
" " St. Paul's Jr. Branch			10.00								69.09	497.36	69.09
†* " " St. Thomas'	32	252.91	50.00		194.45					5.00	555.11	723.01	566.45
†* " " Trinity	61	233.95	245.00	50	244.06							560.11	1283.12
†*North Branford, Zion	7	5.90			2.67							8.57	
†*Northford, St. Andrew's	11	11.24	8.00		6.50							25.74	
*North Guilford, St. John's	4	4.80										4.80	
† North Haven, St. John's	11	12.84	5.00		1.00						6.03	18.84	6.03
Oxford, St. Peter's	7	5.40										5.40	
Quaker Farms, Christ Church	5	1.60										1.60	
†*Seymour, Trinity	45	78.05	70.00		27.40						24.06	175.45	24.06
†*Wallingford, St. Paul's	35	58.58	31.00	30	72.76						42.50	162.34	42.50
†*Waterbury, All Soul's	20	24.90	10.00	41	59.34					5.00	26.30	94.24	31.30
* " St. John's	41	215.00	40.00	15	187.00						153.36	442.00	153.36
† " Christ Chapel	12	7.65	15.00									22.65	
† " Trinity	60	68.70	25.00	56	38.45							27.98	132.15
*Waterville, St. Paul's	28	35.83	5.00	17	29.45								70.28
*West Haven, Christ Church	75	61.59	5.00	70	38.52							109.55	105.11
*Yalesville, St. John's	6	4.57	2.00										6.57
New Haven Archdeaconry			112.92								10.00		112.92
Total	1427	\$2377.50	\$1345.27	797	\$2333.34	\$9.00	\$30.00	\$31.00	\$15.00	\$85.00	\$1791.03	\$6110.11	\$1907.03
							Cash	Boxes	Cash	Boxes			\$8017.14

*Represented at November Meeting

†Represented at January Meeting

NEW LONDON ARCHDEACONY

Towns and Parishes	No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total
*Brooklyn, Trinity	6	\$13.10	\$5.00	10	\$15.75				\$13.22	\$33.85	\$13.22	\$47.07
Colchester, Calvary	3	6.50			15.00					21.50		21.50
*Dan'lson, St. Alban's	40	57.71	20.00	16	35.00							124.51
*Groton, Seabury Memorial	15	15.50	5.00	17	11.78							34.93
*Hebron, St. Peter's	5	6.10	.50		6.00							30.63
*Mystic, St. Mark's	20	19.00	7.50	6	12.50							61.09
+*New London, St. James'	35	43.84	25.00		62.87							362.65
Niantic, St. John's	15	2.00	5.00	8						7.00		7.00
*Norwich, Christ Church	35	48.10	29.00		100.00							235.18
*" St. Andrew's	16	19.76			1.50					11.18	21.26	32.44
*" Trinity	30	54.62	40.00	25	52.83					5.00	33.41	147.45
Plainfield, St. Paul's Mission												38.41
*Pomfret, Christ Church	22	60.00	5.00		76.44	\$10.00				35.00	151.44	35.00
Poquetanuck, St. James'	4	5.00								8.50	5.00	8.50
Putnam, St. Philip's			5.00							15.59	5.00	20.59
*Stonington, Calvary	14	48.05	25.00	28	62.58		22.75	32.10		5.00	59.81	158.38
*Willimantic, St. Paul's	7	6.94	5.00		6.24						22.92	18.18
*Windham, St. Paul's	9	13.87	20.00	12	19.90		12.25	10.13		5.00	18.08	66.02
*Yantic, Grace Church	22	31.17	105.00	15	26.00						12.21	162.17
New London Archdeaconry			14.87									14.87
Total	298	\$451.26	\$311.87	137	\$504.39		\$45.00	\$44.88		\$23.70	\$562.16	\$1312.52
						Cash	Boxes	Cash	Boxes			\$630.74
												\$1943.26

*Represented at November Meeting

+Represented at January Meeting

SUMMARY OF MONEY AND BOXES GIVEN THROUGH THE CONNECTICUT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY
 TO THE NATIONAL COUNCIL, FROM JANUARY 1, 1936 TO JANUARY 1, 1937,
 INCLUDING THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

Archdeaconries	No. of Contribu- tors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply De- partment Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total		
	918	\$1565.39	\$1381.50	627	\$2548.58	\$11.00	\$44.91	\$47.00	\$98.50	\$3105.36	\$5553.47	\$3248.77	\$8802.24	
Fairfield -----	918	\$1565.39	\$1381.50	627	\$2548.58	\$11.00	\$44.91	\$47.00	\$98.50	\$3105.36	\$5553.47	\$3248.77	\$8802.24	
Hartford -----	728	1444.74	1527.78	574	1538.44	36.00	\$45.00	3.50	47.00	1310.37	4591.96	1360.87	5952.83	
Litchfield -----	342	627.63	337.00	553	1324.46	4.00	63.00	18.10	3.25	15.00	679.13	2359.34	712.23	3071.57
Middlesex -----	188	352.92	408.25	88	332.70		10.00		7.00	528.57	1103.87	535.57	1639.44	
New Haven -----	1427	2377.50	1345.27	797	2333.34	9.00	30.00	31.00	15.00	85.00	1791.03	6110.11	1907.03	8017.14
New London -----	298	451.26	311.87	137	504.39		45.00	44.88		23.70	562.16	1312.52	630.74	1943.26
From Diocese -----			417.25									417.25		417.25
Other Income -----			1537.74				12.70				*500.00	1550.44		1550.44
											500.00	500.00		
											†167.61	167.61		
Totals -----	3901	\$6819.44	\$7266.66	2776	\$8581.91	\$60.00	205.70	\$142.39	\$65.25	\$276.20	\$8644.23	\$22998.96	\$ 9062.82	\$32061.78

*Supply Fund

†G. F. S.

PARISH PRESIDENTS

(Listed in the files of the Diocesan Secretary according to latest information furnished by the parishes)

Fairfield Archdeaconry

Bethel—St. Thomas'—Mrs. Thomas M. Godwin, 26 Greenwood Ave., Bethel
 Bridgeport (Black Rock)—St. Andrew's—
 Mrs. Mary M. Farwell, 2870 Fairfield Ave., Bridgeport
 " Calvary—Mrs. W. Barton Judd, 329 Amsterdam Ave., Bridgeport
 " Christ Church—
 Mrs. Alfred B. Beers, Jr., 753 Fairfield Ave., Bridgeport
 " Church of the Nativity—
 Miss L. McCarty, 816 North Ave., Bridgeport
 " St. George's—
 Mrs. William Wheeler, 110 Unquowa Hill, Bridgeport
 " St. John's—
 Mrs. Paul R. Griffith, 24 Brooklwan Trerace, Bridgeport
 " St. John's Junior Branch—
 Miss Esther Edwards, 276 Park Ave., Bridgeport
 " St. Luke's—
 Mrs. William H. Jepson, 510 Wilmot Ave., Bridgeport
 " St. Mark's—
 Mrs. Henrietta Gordon, 2 Beardsley Lane, Bridgeport
 " St. Michael's—
 Mrs. Joseph Caserta, Care of St. Michael's, Bridgeport
 " St. Paul's—Mrs. George W. Dane, 35 Rose St., Bridgeport
 " Trinity—Mrs. John Wolfe, 130 Harral Ave., Bridgeport
 Danbury—St. James'—Mrs. John C. Downs, 39 Fairview Ave., Danbury
 Darien—St. Luke's—Mrs. William M. Meredith, Cedar Gate, Darien
 Easton—Christ Church—
 Miss Laura A. Dowd, Greenfield Hill, R. F. D. 10, Fairfield
 Fairfield—St. Paul's—Mrs. Mathew Clarke, 16 Unquowa Road, Fairfield
 Greenwich—Christ Church—
 Mrs. Reginald Roome, 135 Park Ave., Greenwich
 Huntington—St. Paul's—Miss Lavinia M. Beard, P. O. Box 174, Shelton
 Long Hill—Grace Church—
 Mrs. H. E. Walker, Box 217, Route No. 4, Bridgeport
 Monroe—St. Peter's—Mrs. Edwards S. Beardsley, R. F. D. No. 2, Stepney
 New Canaan—St. Mark's—Mrs. S. C. Shapleigh, Box 212, New Canaan
 New Canaan—St. Mark's Junior Branch—
 Mrs. John E. Hersam, 37 Hoyt St., New Canaan
 Newtown—Trinity—Mrs. Frederick F. Johnson, Lower Main St., Newtown
 Nichols—Trinity—Mrs. Silas Westcott, 1354 Huntington Turnpike, Nichols
 Norwalk—Christ Church—Mrs. F. M. Wheeler, 17 Edlie Ave., East Norwalk

Norwalk—Grace Church—Mrs. Frank Brundage, Bettswood Road, Norwalk
 Norwalk—St. Paul's—Mrs. John Lapham, Wilson's Point, Norwalk
 Old Greenwich—St. Saviour's—
 Mrs. Theodore A. Liebler, Lockwood Point, Riverside
 Redding—Christ Church—Mrs. Jesse Sanford, Redding Ridge
 Ridgefield—St. Stephen's—
 Mrs. Robert N. Brace, 28 West Wilton Road, Ridgefield
 Riverside—St. Paul's—Mrs. F. A. Wilde, Sunset Road, Old Greenwich
 Sandy Hook—St. John's—
 Mrs. W. John Murphy, The Glen, R. F. D. No. 2, Sandy Hook
 Shelton—Good Shepherd—
 (*Treas.*) Mrs. Fred P. Brownson, 17 Myrtle St., Shelton
 South Norwalk—Trinity—
 Mrs. C. H. R. Godfrey, 6 Taylor Ave., South Norwalk
 Southport—Trinity—
 Mrs. William D. Powell, Green's Farms Road, Green's Farms
 Stamford (Springdale)—Emmanuel—
 Mrs. Courtland V. Zarr, R. F. D. No. 2, Stamford
 Stamford—St. Andrew's—
 Mrs. Kenneth R. Forbes, 27 Washington Ave., Stamford
 Stamford—St. John's—Mrs. Gerald Cunningham, 628 Main St., Stamford
 Stamford—St. Luke's Chapel—Mrs. Frank Woodhall, Birch Road, Darien
 Stratford—Christ Church—
 Mrs. Herbert W. Jepson, 472 Housatonic Ave., Stratford
 Tashua—Christ Church—Mrs. John W. Treadwell, R. F. D. No. 4, Bridgeport
 Weston—Emmanuel—Mrs. George Sherwood, Weston
 Westport—Christ Church—Mrs. William J. Wood, 57 Wright St., Westport
 Westport—Holy Trinity—Mrs. George Buchanan, Wilton Road, Westport
 Wilton—St. Matthew's—Mrs. F. Clerc Ogden, Wilton

Hartford Archdeaconry

Bloomfield—St. Andrew's (with Tariffville)
 Broad Brook—Grace Church—
 (*U. T. O. Treasurer*) Mrs. Clarence Bartlett, Broad Brook
 Bristol—Trinity—Mrs. Charles B. Green, 58 Walnut St., Bristol
 Collinsville—Trinity—Mrs. H. T. Reynolds, Collinsville
 East Berlin—St. Gabriel's—Mrs. Charles Cannon, East Berlin
 East Hartford—St. John's—
 Mrs. C. L. Mansur, 11 Sherman Ave., East Hartford
 Farmington—St. James'—Mrs. G. N. Van der Venter, Farmington
 Forestville—St. John's—Mrs. William Elliott, Lincoln St., Forestville
 Glastonbury—St. James'—Mrs. E. J. Cook, 434 Main St., Glastonbury
 Hartford—Christ Church Cathedral—
 Miss Martha B. Hollister, 638 Park Road, West Hartford
 " Good Shepherd—
 Miss Mary F. Lord, 267 Washington St., Hartford

Hartford—Grace Church—

Mrs. Henry Tracy, 41 Westfield Road, West Hartford

” St. Andrew’s—

Miss Mary W. Merritt, 100 Bloomfield Ave., Hartford

” St. James’—Mrs. Charles Buchanan, 439 Franklin Ave., Hartford

” St. John’s—Mrs. Paul A. Larned, 1 Lilley Road, West Hartford

” St. Monica’s—Mrs. Elizabeth Davis, 116 Capen St., Hartford

” St. Monica’s Jr. Branch—

Miss Dorothy Davis, 185 Capen St., Hartford

” St. Paul’s—Mrs. Paolo Vasquez, 69 Grove St., Hartford

” Trinity—Mrs. Paul S. Van Wyck, 131 Kent St., Hartford

Hazardville—St. Mary’s—Mrs. Arthur Tracy, Box 143, Hazardville

Manchester—St. Mary’s—Mrs. Charles Wade, 73 School St., Manchester

New Britain—St. Mark’s—Miss Anna Kellogg, R. F. D. No. 2, New Britain

Newington—Grace Church—

(*White Envelopes*) Miss Jennie E. Chidley, R. F. D. No. 2, New Britain

Plainville—Church of Our Saviour—

Mrs. Emerson S. Pratt, 57 Forestville Ave., Plainville

Rockville—St. John’s—Mrs. William A. Kuhnly, 49 Talcott Ave., Rockville

South Glastonbury—St. Luke’s—Mrs. Henry H. Hunt, South Glastonbury

Southington—St. Paul’s—

(*U. T. O. and White Envelopes*) Mrs. Hiram Andrews, Milldale
Stafford Springs—Grace Church—

Mrs. George D. Wilcox, 15 Highland Terrace, Stafford Springs

Tariffville—Trinity—Mrs. Philip Bush, North Bloomfield

Thompsonville—St. Andrew’s—Mrs. A. C. Eddy, 6 South St., Thompsonville

Unionville—Christ Church—

(*White Envelopes*) Mrs. Ada C. T. Woodford, Unionville

Warehouse Point—St. John’s—Mrs. Albert Jepson, Windsor Locks

West Hartford—St. James’—

Mrs. R. C. Tuffin, 51 Argyle Ave., West Hartford

Wethersfield—Trinity—

Mrs. William H. Sterzing, 76 Church St., Wethersfield

Windsor—Grace Church—Mrs. George H. Maude, Sycamore St., Windsor

Windsor Locks—St. Paul’s—

(*White Envelopes*) Mrs. Henry Cutler, Windsor Locks

Litchfield Archdeaconry

Bantam—St. Paul’s—Mrs. F. B. Hotchkiss, Bantam

Bethlehem—Christ Church—Mrs. Mary E. Flynn, Bethlehem

Bridgewater—St. Mark’s—Mrs. E. R. Wooster, Bridgewater

Brookfield—St. Paul’s—Mrs. C. B. Carpenter, Brookfield Center

Canaan—Christ Church—Mrs. K. Miller, Canaan

Kent—St. Andrew’s—Miss Fannie Edwards, Kent

Lime Rock—Trinity—Miss Julia Goodwin, Falls Village

Litchfield—St. Michael’s—Mrs. William J. Brewster

Marble Dale—St. Andrew's—None

New Milford—St. John's—

Mrs. Merritt W. Hill, 17 South Main St., New Milford

Oakville—All Saints'—Mrs. Raymon Beach, Coulter St., Oakville

Pine Meadow—St. John's—None

Plymouth—St. Peter's—Mrs. Mary Wadham, Plymouth

Roxbury—Christ Church—Mrs. W. D. Humphrey, Roxbury

Salisbury—St. John's—Mrs. S. J. Hutton, Salisbury

Sharon—Christ Church—Mrs. George V. A. Kirby, Sharon

Terryville—St. Mark's—Mrs. F. L. Mathis, 45 Prospect St., Terryville

Thomaston—Trinity—Mrs. George Buchanan, Box 314, Thomaston

Torrington—Trinity—Mrs. E. F. Knapp, 310 Migeon Ave., Torrington

Washington—St. John's—Mrs. Howard Snow, Washington

Watertown—Christ Church—

Mrs. William A. Bartlett, Hemingway Park Road, Watertown

Winsted—St. James'—Miss Vidala Jenkins, 40 Hillside Ave., Winsted

Woodbury—St. Paul's—Miss Edith Benham, Woodbury

Middlesex Archdeaconry

Chester—St. Luke's Mission—Mrs. Harold Hunt, Chester

Clinton—Holy Advent—Mrs. John Ashcroft, Clinton

Durham—Epiphany—Mrs. George B. Gilbert, R. F. D. No. 2, Middletown

East Haddam—St. Stephen's—Mrs. Thomas Willetts, R. F. D. East Haddam

East Hampton—St. John's—Mrs. Wyman Hill, East Hampton

Essex—St. John's—Mrs. L. V. Scholes, Essex

Hadlyme—Grace Chapel—Mrs. E. Beckwith, Hadlyme

Ivoryton—All Saints'—Mrs. Robert E. Johnson, Ivoryton

Emmanuel—Killingworth—Mrs. Joseph Bulk, R. F. D., Durham

Maromas—St. Andrew's—Mrs. J. Pokorney, R. F. D. No. 3, Middletown

Middle Haddam—Christ Church—Mrs. George Lawson, Middle Haddam

Middletown—Christ Church—

Mrs. Anna F. Chisholm, 409 Ridge Road, Middletown

Middletown—Holy Trinity—

Mrs. James B. Hasselman, 126 Broad St., Middletown

Ponsett—St. James'—Mrs. Clinton Hubbard, Higganum

Portland—St. John Baptist—Mrs. George E. Stocking, Portland

Portland—Trinity—Mrs. E. LeRoy Brainerd, Portland

Saybrook—Grace Church—Mrs. G. B. Smith, Saybrook

Westbrook—St. Paul's—Mrs. James G. Holbrook, Westbrook

New Haven Archdeaconry

Ansonia—Christ Church—Mrs. R. H. Tucker, 92 Beaver St., Ansonia

Ansonia—Immanuel—Mrs. Arthur C. Anderson, 234 Wakelee Ave., Ansonia

Bethany—Christ Church—Mrs. Addie Downs, R. F. D. No. 2, Bethany

Branford—Trinity—Mrs. F. S. Jourdan, 102 West Main St., Branford

Cheshire—St. Peter's—Mrs. F. Wolf, West Cheshire
 Derby—St. James'—Mrs. Russell Pollard, 190 New Haven Ave., Derby
 Devon—St. Andrew's—Mrs. B. F. Poole, 19 Andrews' Ave., Milford
 East Haven—Christ Church—
 Mrs. Richard L. Watson, 476 Thompson Ave., East Haven
 Guilford—Christ Church—
 (*White Envelopes*) Mrs. Mary Norton Leete, Guilford
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 Meriden—All Saints'—Mrs. W. J. Hyland, 3 Butler Court, Meriden
 Meriden—St. Andrew's—Mrs. Thomas R. Cumberlidge, 66 Vine St., Meriden
 Milford—St. Andrew's—Mrs. Edward Seerey, New Haven Ave., Woodmont
 Naugatuck—St. Michael's—Mrs. H. L. Everest, Lane's End, Naugatuck
 New Haven—All Saints'—Mrs. F. C. Williams, 31 Lamberton St., New Haven
 " " Church of the Ascension—None
 " " Christ Church—Mrs. C. C. Kennedy, 86 Broadway, New Haven
 " " Epiphany—
 Mrs. George Streit, 289 Quinnipiac Ave., New Haven
 " " St. Andrew's—Mrs. Fred Ebel, 34 Ford St., New Haven
 " " St. James'—Miss Evelyn Potter, 2038 State St., New Haven
 " " St. James the Apostle—
 Mrs. Jeanettie Sprague, 266 West Rock Ave., New Haven
 " " St. John's—
 Mrs. James D. Trask, 420 Humphrey St., New Haven
 " " St. Luke's—Miss Josie D. Phillips, 18 Garden St., New Haven
 " " St. Paul's—Parochial Society—
 Mrs. George A. Steele, 104 Filbert St., Spring Glen, New Haven
 " " St. Paul's—St. Elizabeth's Guild—
 Miss Iva Thomas, 279 Howard Ave., New Haven
 " " St. Thomas'—Mrs. L. A. Mansfield, 648 Orange St., New Haven
 " " Trinity—Mrs. Richard S. Lull, 200 Livingston St., New Haven
 North Branford—Zion—Mrs. Francis J. Smith, North Branford
 Northford—St. Andrews'—Mrs. A. A. Anderson, R. F. D. 3, Wallingford
 North Guilford—St. John's—
 (*White Envelopes*) Mrs. LeRoy Oldack, Sr., Orange
 North Haven—St. John's—Guild—
 Mrs. Horace Brockett, Peck St., North Haven
 North Haven—St. John's—Evening Auxiliary—
 Mrs. Winford Smith, North Haven
 Oxford—St. Peter's—Mrs. G. W. James, R. F. D. No. 1, Seymour
 Quaker Farms—Christ Church—Mrs. Robert Hawkins, R. F. D., Southbury
 Seymour—Trinity—Mrs. J. B. Honey, 9 Grand St., Seymour
 Wallingford—St. Paul's—
 Mrs. C. H. Tibbits, 245 North Main St., Wallingford
 Waterbury—All Souls'—
 Mrs. Archer Rowbottom, 317 Boyden St., Waterbury
 " Christ Chapel—
 Mrs. S. A. Budde, 2030 East Main St., Waterbury

Waterbury—St. John's—Mrs. Frank N. Treat, 72 Wilson St., Waterbury
 " Trinity—Mrs. Robert Hulsart, 9 Thomas St., Waterbury
 " St. Paul's—Mrs. Homer C. Senior, 195 Boyden St., Waterville
 West Haven—Christ Church—Mrs. Mary J. Head, 371 Elm St., West Haven
 Yalesville—St. John's—Mrs. Frank J. Smith, Hanover St., Yalesville

New London Archdeaconry

Brooklyn—Trinity—Mrs. Sidney W. Bard, Brooklyn
 Colchester—Calvary—Mrs. Albert Van Cleve, South Main St., Colchester
 Danielson—St. Alban's—Mrs. Mary E. Stanton, Box 223, Danielson
 Groton—Seabury Memorial—
 Mrs. Frank T. Arms, 51 Glenwood Ave., New London
 Hebron—St. Peter's—(*Treas.*) Mrs. T. D. Martin, Hebron
 Mystic—St. Mark's—Miss M. Josephine Dickinson, 62 East Main St., Mystic
 New London—St. James'—
 Miss Mary E. Scroggie, 45 Fremont St., New London
 Niantic—St. John's—Mrs. E. E. Hilliar, Niantic.
 Norwich—Christ Church—Miss Louise Robinson, 59 Sachem St., Norwich
 Norwich—St. Andrew's—Mrs. Edwin J. Norris, 33 Eleventh St., Norwich
 Norwich—Trinity—Mrs. C. C. MacGregory, 26 Linden Parkway, Norwich
 Plainfield—St. Paul's—None
 Pomfret—Christ Church—Miss Elizabeth P. Andrews, Pomfret
 Poquetanuck—St. James'—None
 Putnam—St. Philip's—None
 Stonington—Calvary—Mrs. William F. Williams, Stonington
 Willimantic—St. Paul's—Mrs. Leander Anthony, 7 Turner St., Willimantic
 Windham—St. Paul's—
 Comfort Club Secretary, Miss Sarah Johnson, Windham
 Yantic—Grace Church—Mrs. Stanley Shultz, 300 Washington St., Norwich

**LIST OF MISSIONARIES IN THE FOREIGN FIELD FROM
THE DIOCESE OF CONNECTICUT**

Name and address when appointed	Field Address
English, Deaconess H. H. Torrington, Conn.	All Saints' Church St. Thomas, V. I.
Fenn, Rev. W. R. Oakville, Conn.	Anchorage, Alaska
Huntington, Rt. Rev. D. T., D. D. Trinity Church Hartford, Conn.	American Church Mission Lion Hill, Wuhu, China
Mann, Miss Winifred Trinity Church, New Haven, Conn.	Zamboamgo, P. I.
Mattocks, Rev. H. New Haven, Conn.	St. Stephen's Mission Manila, P. I.
Olsson, Rev. J. E. Naugatuck, Conn.	Shasi, China
Rose, Rev. Lawrence Andover, Conn.	St. Paul's University Ikebukuro, Tokyo, Japan
Ross, Miss Gladys M. Christ Church Bridgeport, Conn.	St. Elizabeth's Hospital Shanghai, China
*Tiffit, Miss Lillian Trinity Church Seymour, Conn.	Fort Yukon, Alaska
Walker, Mr. M. P. Trinity Church Hartford, Conn.	Shanghai, China

*Indefinite leave of absence

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS

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

THE PRAYER FOR THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

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

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

(D) GOD, who hast sent Thy beloved Son to be unto us the way, the truth and the life, grant that we, looking unto Him may set forward the teaching power of Thy Church, to the nurture of Thy children, the increase of Thy Kingdom and the glory of Thy Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A PRAYER OF DEDICATION

(D) GOD, our Father, we dedicate ourselves anew to Thee and Thy service. Put into the heart of each of us such a love of Thee that we may truly love our neighbors as ourselves—a love that leaps the boundaries of race or color or creed or kind, that knows no distinction of class, that reaches out a saving hand even unto the least of these our brethren. Fill our lives with the single motive of service, and use us Lord, use us as Thou wilt, and when and where; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FOR OUR PRAYER PARTNER

(D) LORD Jesus Christ, Who has sent Thy messengers into all the world to proclaim the good tidings of salvation, Grant that with pure heart and holy life, with loving zeal and steadfast faith, our missionary may witness in Thy name: that so through her Thy will may be done and Thy Kingdom come. We ask it for Thy Blessed Name's sake. Amen.

A PRAYER FOR SERVICE

TEACH US, good Lord, to serve Thee as Thou deservest; to give and not to count the cost; to fight and not to heed the wounds; to toil and not to seek for rest; to labour and not to ask for any reward, save that of knowing that we do Thy will. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FOR GOD'S CONTINUOUS SUPPORT

DLORD, support us all the day long of this troublous life, until the shadows lengthen, and the evening comes, and the busy world is hushed, and the fever of life is over, and our work is done. Then, in Thy mercy, grant us a safe lodging, and a holy rest, and peace at the last, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A PRAYER FOR THE PARISH

DLORD Jesus Christ, Who hast promised Thy presence and power to all who obey Thy command to tell the nations of Thy love, bless we pray Thee our efforts to strengthen and extend the work of our parish. To all who shall take any part in our plans give wisdom and zeal. Bind our people in a closer fellowship. If any have grown careless, help us lead them back to Thy House that their love for Thee may be renewed. Teach us to pray, labor and give more faithfully for the extension of Thy Kingdom among men. Of Thy mercy we ask this, O Blessed Saviour of the world, Who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, ever, one God, world without end. Amen.

MID-DAY PRAYER

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

MID-DAY PRAYER

ALMIGHTY Saviour, who at mid-day didst call Thy servant Saint Paul to be an apostle to the Gentiles; We beseech Thee, illumine the world with the radiance of Thy glory, that all nations may come and worship Thee, who art with the Father and the Holy Ghost one God, world without end. Amen.

CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB PRAYERS

(H)LORD Jesus Christ, Who art the Light of the World, pour out, we beseech Thee, upon all Thy servants Thy Holy Spirit of Wisdom and understanding that they may know the hope of Thy calling, the riches of Thine inheritance in the saints, and the greatness of Thy power to us who believe. More especially we pray Thee to direct and prosper the Church Periodical Club that in all its prayer and labor it may be enabled to make the light of Thy glory shine forth in the dark places of the earth. And do Theu of Thy mercy and grace establish Thy Church in the truth of Thy Gospel who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Spirit ever One God, world without end. Amen.

BLESS, O Lord, we pray Thee, the Church Periodical Club, that it may be an instrument of service in Thy hands. Grant to its officers wisdom and patience, to its members perseverance and the spirit of sharing that asks no return. Bring many more to take part in its activities. Bless our gifts and those who receive them, to the enriching of individual lives and to the growth of Thy Kingdom, throughout the world, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

CLOSING PRAYER

(H)GOD, OUR Father, have regard to our prayers, answer them according to Thy will, and make us the channels of Thine infinite love and helpfulness, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

FORM OF A DEVISE OR BEQUEST TO THE SOCIETY

I give, devise and bequeath to the Connecticut Branch of the

Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church, Incorporated, the sum

of _____ Dollars

to be applied for the purposes of said Society.

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Fall Meeting, November 5th, 1937; Christ Church Cathedral, Hartford.

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May 4th, 1937; 28 Garden St., Hartford

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Fairfield, April 27th, 1937; Trinity Church, Southport

New London, April 30th, 1937; St. James', New London

Hartford, May 5th, 1937; Christ Church Cathedral, Hartford

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PRESIDENT'S REPORT

It is a pleasure to meet you all again at this fifty-sixth Annual Meeting.

During the past year your President has attended the Annual Meeting and the fall meeting of the Auxiliary, all regular Archdeaconry meetings, and two special meetings, three Board meetings, and a number of Committee meetings. She has also attended the Provincial meeting at Portsmouth, N. H., the Summer Conference at Pomfret, on the Woman's Auxiliary Day, where she had the pleasure of meeting the girls who are enabled to attend the Conference through our scholarships—a fine set of young people. Besides these activities she has visited several parishes and written many letters.

Aside from the regular work of the Auxiliary, which goes on steadily, we have as a whole, through the parishes, given \$300 toward the Provincial project, and \$150 for scholarships for girls, recommended by Miss Sanford at St. Mary's, Valhalla, N. Y.

The response to the emergency appeal of the Church was most gratifying. You have already heard the figures—about \$2500 in round numbers having been raised. We have helped for the second year to finance the Connecticut Churchman by a gift of \$100.

The Communion alms at our fall meeting, and at the Archdeaconry meetings, have helped to supply the lack of a Diocesan Altar Guild by supplying necessary linen and other needs for missions in the Diocese, thus making it possible for them to have a more dignified and reverent celebration of the Sacrament.

A new year is before us with its challenge and opportunity. I would remind you that this is our last opportunity to give to the United Thank Offering to be presented next October in Cincinnati. Connecticut has done well, but we still have the opportunity by special effort to interest more women in this Thank Offering of all the women of the Church. With returning prosperity let us show our thankfulness by a frequent and generous remembrance of the "little blue box," with its silent reminder of the daily blessings so freely given us.

The Provincial project is still before us—viz: the rural work in Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont. This includes the Mountain Mission-by-mail and the reaching of isolated families untouched by any church. We are asking you today to give or pledge what you can to help these people who are geographically our near neighbors.

So much work is done through the archdeaconries that it is fitting to give their reports at this time.

Mrs. Haff's Report for Fairfield Archdeaconry

The activities of the Fairfield Archdeaconry for the past year have been unusually intensive in their concentration on the mission field. This direction of the thoughts of our Auxiliary women to the work of our church in other localities outside of our parishes has stirred up our branches in all the lines of work. The success can be measured by the ever-increasing numbers of women attending all meetings, and by the fact that two more parish branches have asked to be reorganized. Of our thirty-eight parishes and six missions, it is a pleasure to report that thirty-two are now fully co-operating with the Diocese in all departments.

Our activities commenced last January in the two educational meetings, one at either end of the Archdeaconry. The first was held at St. John's Church, Bridgeport, on January 16th. We were favored by having Mrs. Alfred M. Chapman of New York, as leader. The second meeting was held at Christ Church, Greenwich, on February 11th, with Miss Laura F. Boyer, former Educational Secretary of Westchester, as leader. At both meetings the subject was "Latin America and the Work of Our Church There." Our own able Educational Secretary, Mrs. Richard M. Coit, presided at both meetings, and added a few words of recommendation for programs. It was a pleasure to note that twice the usual number of women were present, and many more parish branches made plans for study. In this particular we wish to mention Christ Church, Westport, with its study group, under the direction of Mrs. Charlotte Collender, to which are cordially invited the neighboring parishes.

The Annual Meeting for the Archdeaconry was held at the Church of the Holy Trinity, Westport. The presence of Captain B. Frank Mountford, National Director of the Church Army in the U. S. A., together with some of the Army Sisters, made it a distinctive and notable occasion. Captain Mountford preached the sermon at the Corporate Communion Service. At the Missionary conference in the afternoon the speakers were our own Bishop Budlong, Mrs. Beverly Ober, member of the Executive Board of the Women's Auxiliary, and the Rev. Frederick W. Golden-Howes, former Dean of Christ Church Cathedral, Mexico City.

This fall, our activities commenced with three section meetings, at which Bishop Roberts of South Dakota was the speaker. The first meeting was held on November 9th at St. Luke's, Darien. The second was held on November 12th at St. Thomas', Bethel, and the last on November 13th at St. Paul's, Bridgeport. All were unusually well attended, but the third meeting in Bridge-

port broke all records for attendance at a Section Meeting. These meetings were opened with an officers' conference, and the hostess auxiliary served a delightful tea at its conclusion. The original Box Quartette from the New Haven Archdeaconry favored us with Mr. Brewer's play at the Bridgeport Meeting.

In addition to these meetings two special events were held during the year. Last January Miss Mann gave a tea at her home for her White Envelope treasurers, and in October Mrs. Kenneth R. Forbes gave one for the United Thank Offering treasurers at St. Andrew's rectory.

No report from Fairfield Archdeaconry would be complete without some mention of the devoted work of its Departmental officers. We were privileged for six years to have had only one change of officer, but last spring brought three changes. Miss Winifred Mann, our former treasurer, returned to the Philippines to teach in the Moro Settlement School. As the Archdeaconry has adopted her as our Prayer Partner, we feel we have not lost her to our work. It was, however, a severe wrench to lose Mrs. Everett T. Wells, our faithful Supply Secretary, who served twelve years in office, and whose inspiring methods made the Supply Department's work the outstanding achievement of the Archdeaconry. To all these officers the highest praise is due for their service to the Auxiliary at all times. It is very evident, even to the most casual observer, that the work under their guidance has increased, and our new leaders are planning to progress further the invigorating work for which our Woman's Auxiliary exists—the Missionary Work of the Church.

Mrs. Conland's Report for Hartford Archdeaconry

The emphasis has again been on the Mission of the Church and the meeting of Parish Quotas, that that mission might be carried out as expressed in the budget.

A luncheon was held at which nearly every parish in the Archdeaconry was represented, and resulted in the raising of \$1053 towards the Emergency Fund.

A well attended annual meeting, held at the Cathedral, was addressed by Miss Loomis and Miss Pardee in the morning, and by Mr. Tasman in the afternoon.

Our fall meeting, with Mrs. Shannon as speaker, was held at St. Monica's Church.

The number of parishes giving to the Library Fund has increased.

I think a slight trend away from parochialism has started. That will continue to be our goal for the coming year.

Miss Davies' Report for Litchfield Archdeaconry

The Chairman has very little to report this year. School business prevented her attending the January meetings, but she has been able to attend the others.

A very successful Annual Meeting was held at Trinity Church, Thomaston, at which three Bishops were present: Bishop Budlong, our own Bishop; Bishop Colmore of Porto Rico, and Bishop Hulse of Cuba. There was a large and enthusiastic attendance.

In September an Educational meeting was held at Wykeham Rise, which was well attended. Miss Loomis and Mrs. Shannon addressed the meeting; Mrs. Shannon explained her new folder for the year. Father Kelly of St. Michael's, Litchfield, held a devotional service in the School Chapel, followed by tea and a social hour.

Some speaking engagements were cancelled by the flood, no subsequent dates being available. Efforts are still being made to develop Religious Education through plays and pageants. A prize has been offered for a list of Missionary Intercessions, and we hope for a good response.

The coming of three returned missionary families into the Archdeaconry has brought a noticeable increase of interest and enthusiasm which will give new life to the work.

Mrs. Starr's Report for Middlesex Archdeaconry

The Middlesex Archdeaconry held its annual meeting at Grace Church, Saybrook, with Mr. Eric M. Tasman and Miss Mary Louise Pardee of the National Council Board as guest speakers. All parishes were represented. A fall meeting of all parish officers was held at Holy Advent, Clinton, with the recently appointed rector, his wife, and the women of the church. Ten branches have had Educational programs. Two branches did excellent flood relief work. The gauze work for the Middlesex Hospital has been enlarged by six branches of the Woman's Auxiliary. Seven young people were sent to the Pomfret Conference by the women, men, and the Auxiliaries. Twenty-five dollars was raised in September for Edna Baker, the negro girl of New Haven who attends school at the Bishop Tuttle School, Raleigh, N. C. All active branches assisted with the National deficit through their respective churches or directly to the National Council.

Mrs. Fowler's Report for New Haven Archdeaconry

New Haven Archdeaconry, Mrs. Fowler, Chairman, reports over 50 per cent of our parish groups participating in the Educational program. The devoted service of many leaders has contributed to this achievement, and all who studied the work of our church in Latin America are praying together for the extension of the Kingdom of God. Our hearts are grateful to Mrs Burke Rivers for her contribution of time, service, and self in preparing her outline for leaders, "The Negro on Two Continents," and in leading normal classes. We are also indebted to the Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Edwards for their willingness to help with Study classes, and we rejoice that in a few parishes new leaders have been developed.

Mrs. Beers reports all pledges met, and thanks the parish treasurers for prompt and generous response to her letters and to the Missionary crisis.

When Mrs. Clifton H. Brewer, our devoted United Thank Offering treasurer for several terms, retired, she gave us a wonderful gift in the form of a play called "The Box Quartette," which has been presented by Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Sexton, Mrs. Utter, and Mrs. Rivers, in several meetings, and is now available from the Church Missions Publishing Company. Our new treasurer, Miss Florence Redfield, is carrying on with zeal, urging the United Thank Offering as an ideal expression of personal gratitude.

Mrs. Sargent is grateful for the whole-hearted response to her presentation of the needs of missionaries, reporting only one personal box waiting to be filled.

The Church Periodical Club grows slowly. Mrs. Bayard reports several subscriptions to the Connecticut Churchman, the Sp. of Missions, and one to the Living Church. From St. Peter's, Milford, have been sent to Bishop Tuttle Training School, two hundred books, an Encyclopedia Britannica, an unabridged dictionary, a large Bible, and many magazines; to Schermerhorn over one thousand magazines; to Missions Sister Elsie Isaacs many pictures and a large calendar. Other parishes, too, have sent magazines to Schermerhorn House.

The Quiet Day for Prayer was generally observed. We especially commend the plan used at Christ Church, New Haven, where neighboring groups were invited to join. Immanuel, Ansonia, has invited several nearby parishes to join with them when speakers of note have been present.

Representatives from our Archdeaconry attended Summer Conferences at Pomfret and Wellesley; and also the Retreat at the Girls' Friendly Society House in Canaan.

Miss Mabel Forbes has written to our new Prayer Partner, Miss Deborah Bacon, who is nurse at Hudson Stuck Hospital, Ft. Yukon, Alaska, but has had no reply at this writing.

Communications regarding Auxiliary matters may be sent to our Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Harold F. Sperry, 2151 Chapel St., New Haven, during the next two months, while your chairman is to be at Christ School, Arden, North Carolina.

Our Annual Meeting will be held on Friday, May 7th, 1937, in St. Michael's, Naugatuck.

Miss Dickinson's Report for New London Archdeaconry

The work of New London Archdeaconry the past year was planned with the view to increasing interest in Auxiliary work in all the parishes and, while some progress has been made in this direction, there is still a great deal to be done to reach our goal of an active Branch in every parish and more women engaged in Auxiliary work in all the parishes.

Two group meetings were held last spring, one with St. Paul's Branch, Windham, with Mrs. Sheafe, our Church Periodical Club Secretary, and Mrs. Williams, our Educational Secretary, as speakers, and with an attendance of 58; and the other meeting with the Branch of Trinity Church, Norwich, with Mrs. Tucker, Vice-Chairman, and Mrs. Williams, Educational Secretary, as speakers, with an attendance of 52. The annual meeting was held at Danielson with the Branch of St. Alban's Church, with fifteen parishes represented and an attendance of 112, including fourteen rectors. The speakers at the annual meeting were Bishop Budlong, Miss Pardee, Miss Loomis, and Mrs. Williams. Considering the distance which separate the parishes in this Archdeaconry, the attendance at all these meetings was remarkably good and a great deal of interest was shown in them.

While most of the parish branches answer letters and send the information requested, there are some who do not respond, and this makes it impossible to give a complete report of the work being carried on.

A joint meeting of the Executive Board and the presidents and vice-presidents of the parish branches was held on October 15th, at the home of Mrs. Walter J. Tucker, with eight parishes represented. Plans for the year's work were discussed and it was decided to hold a series of group meetings in the early spring

when weather conditions make it seem feasible. A tentative constitution and by-laws were adopted, subject to final approval by the Archdeaconry at the Annual Meeting next spring.

At this joint meeting a letter of suggestions for increasing interest in Auxiliary work in the parishes was given out, and a copy sent to all parishes not represented at the meeting. The theme of this letter is the desirability of making greater effort to make all women of the Church mission-conscious, and also to increase interest in all Church work through programs of education and information. It is our belief if more women can be made mission-conscious, they will eventually become mission-minded and active participants in Auxiliary work.

The annual meeting will be held on April 30th, with St. James' Branch, New London, with Miss Margaret I. Marston, Educational Secretary, as speaker.

All the members of the Executive Board are co-operating whole-heartedly in all our efforts, and there is most encouraging evidence of increased interest and enthusiasm in the parish branches, and we look forward to the coming year in hopeful anticipation to seeing more women enrolled in our parish branches and greater activity in Auxiliary work all along the line.

Without these splendid Archdeaconry Chairmen, it would be impossible to carry on the work, and I thank them for their fine co-operation and splendid work.

Before our next Annual Meeting the General Convention and our Triennial will have met in Cincinnati. In order to bring the message and the enthusiasm of this great gathering to every church woman, we are planning to hold a chain of small group meetings all over the Diocese with one or two speakers from the delegates appointed to represent you, and who can in this way reach every parish, bringing to you as much of the spirit of the meetings as it is possible to give by proxy.

My best wishes to you all in your work this coming year.

JENNIE LOOMIS,
President

REPORT OF THE RECORDING SECRETARY

With the coming of a new year one takes stock of the old, its successes and failures, its things accomplished, its things left undone. So might be evaluated one's official duties in the Woman's Auxiliary. It is my intention, however, to record only the things accomplished.

As customary, approximately 500 notices have been planned, printed, and mailed to all Clergy, every Parish President, or representative woman, all Archdeaconry Officers, and Diocesan Board members. Planning of the program has been done with the President, the arrangement for printing and mailing the Secretary has done alone. Three times in the year regular meeting notices have gone to thirty-five of the Board of Managers.

All Board and Diocesan Annual Meetings have been carefully recorded.

Throughout the year from time to time blanks for data of Parish branches have been sent to the presidents, and the card catalogue revised according to information received. This is a continuous process, and a difficult task in that absolute accuracy is unattainable. Only as each branch notifies the Diocesan Secretary of any change whatsoever can it be realized.

Incidental tasks, including considerable letter writing, have been of wide range. So much for the required duties of the office.

In the spring a list of all parish presidents, with their addresses, was prepared for Miss Grace Lindley of National Headquarters, in order that she might send to them pamphlets about the missionary crisis.

For the first time in an extended period of service it was necessary for me to be absent from a Board meeting, the one in May. But I have attended the other two, the Annual Meetings, and several Archdeaconry gatherings. It was my great privilege and pleasure to go to the Provincial meeting in Portsmouth, and to serve as Connecticut's representative on the committee to nominate officers of the Province and delegates to the Synod, which met in Boston in September. In January, with the President, I attended, in the same city, a special meeting devoted to the Provincial Project.

From the sessions of the Board, where much has been considered and done, the following actions are noteworthy of your attention :

A Scholarship of \$265 was completed, which enabled Edna Baker of St. Luke's, New Haven, to go to the Bishop Tuttle School in Raleigh, North Carolina, where she is doing commendable work.

Approval was given to a request from Bishop Mosher of the Philippines that \$1038.61 given by the Connecticut Woman's Auxiliary in 1927 for a new building for the House of the Holy Child, be transferred to a mission residence in Bontoc.

A gift of \$50 was voted to the Cathedral Chapter as a share in the expenses of the Annual Meeting.

Ahead in 1937 lies opportunity. May the records of the year show still greater achievement of individual and organization.

LOUISE H. NOBLE,
Recording Secretary

REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

The duties of the Corresponding Secretary are entirely routine in character. The various types of blanks and receipts have been distributed to the Archdeaconry Officers to be used by them in reporting parish work to the Diocesan Board of Management.

Five thousand sets of white envelopes were ordered and given out to the six Archdeaconry Secretaries for distribution in the parishes. The file of Annual Reports of the Woman's Auxiliary, which has been placed for safe keeping in the vault at Christ Church Cathedral, has been completed to date.

Preparation of material for the Fifty-fifth Annual Report of the Woman's Auxiliary was cared for, and 3600 reports printed and mailed in early February.

There is always a reserve supply of these reports, which will be mailed promptly on request.

Your Corresponding Secretary has attended all meetings of the Board of Management and of the Auxiliary during the year, and also the Provincial meeting in Portsmouth in October.

EMILY P. INGALLS
Corresponding Secretary

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

Balance January 1, 1936

General Endowment Fund	\$7,910.14
Reserve Account	1,423.74
Convention Fund	709.36
Cash on hand, Woman's Auxiliary Pledge	320.50
Cash on hand	204.28
	\$10,568.02

Receipts

Budget: From White Envelopes	6,819.44
Specials: Woman's Auxiliary Pledge, 1936 ..	\$1,950.25
Woman's Auxiliary Pledge, 1937	464.50
Missionary Crisis Fund	2,215.00
Communion Alms	302.54
Offering, November Meeting	182.63
Special Project, Prov. of New England	177.50
Church Mission of Help	153.00
Scholarship, Edna Baker	128.50
Yantic, Grace	100.00
Fairfield Archdeaconry Offering	35.00
Miscellaneous	20.00
Interest from Trust Funds: Harriet E. Tyler	5,728.92
Lucretia Terry	209.37
Sarah E. Davis	363.19
Mary I. B. Russell	13.66
Elizabeth H. Hubbard	455.16
Harriet T. Giraud	3.66
Frances G. Peck53
Susan C. Gower	28.36
Josephine Waldo Bingham	7.30
General Endowment Fund	42.96
Int. Archdeaconry Tr. Funds: Litchfield Arch.	239.07
New Haven Archdeaconry	1,363.26
2.80	
Int. Savings Bank Deposits: Reserve Acct.	108.99
Convention Fund	111.79
For Fairfield Archdeaconry	38.34
Refund	19.35
	57.69
	1.00
	4.00
	<hr/> \$14,086.10
	<hr/> \$24,654.12

Disbursements

For Missions	\$4,300.00
For Scholarships, Daughters of the Clergy	\$850.00
For supplementary work of:	
Supply Department	500.00
Comfort Club	450.00
Church Missions Publishing Co.	100.00
For Foreign Missionaries Insurance Fund	100.00
For Kuling School, Anking, China	100.00

	\$2,100.00
For Administrative Costs:	
Printing Annual Reports, 1935	\$363.78
Printing White Envelopes, 1937 ..	142.50
Printing, Miscellaneous	169.74

	676.02
Expenses U. T. O. Treasurer	\$42.00
Expenses Church Periodical Sec'y ..	42.65
Expenses Diocesan Board	310.71

	395.36
Assessments: Provincial	\$25.00
National	35.00

	60.00 1,131.38
For Specials:	
Diocesan Quota for Missions (Pledge)	\$2,270.75
Diocesan Quota, Missions (Yantic, Grace)	100.00
Missionary Crisis Fund	2,215.00
Altar Furnishings in Diocese (Communion Alms)	302.54
Scholarship, Edna Baker, Bishop Tuttle School, N. C.	265.00
Special Project, Prov. of New England	150.00
Church Mission of Help	153.00
Rt. Rev. W. Blair Roberts of So. Dakota	100.00
Connecticut Churchman	100.00
Rt. Rev. H. R. Carson of Haiti	35.00
Ft. Valley High & Industrial School, Ga.	15.00
Miss Gladys Ross, China	5.00

	\$5,711.29

For Scholarships, Summer Conferences	\$295.00
For Christ Church Cathedral	50.00
For Expenses speakers	50.77
For Fairfield Archdeaconry Treasurer	1.00
For Litchfield Archdeaconry Treasurer	2.80
For New Haven Archdeaconry Treasurer	108.99
	508.56
	\$13,751.23

Balance December 31, 1936

General Endowment Fund	\$8,149.21
Reserve Account	1,079.86
Convention Fund	978.71
Cash on hand, Woman's Auxiliary Pledge	464.50
Cash on hand	230.61
	\$10,902.89
	\$24,654.12

EDNA H. FORSYTH,
Treasurer

Examined by me, and found to be correct:

ARTHUR W. DEYO, Auditor

January 2, 1937.

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RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE

1. That the Woman's Auxiliary Pledge be given to the Diocesan Quota for Missions.
2. That the offerings at Corporate Communions of the Diocese and Archdeaconries be given to the Bishop of the Diocese to be used for Altar Furnishings within the Diocese.
3. That the balance at the end of the year be added to the Reserve Fund.

BUDGET FOR 1937

For Missions (credited to Diocesan Quota)	\$4,300.00
For supplementing work of:	
Comfort Club	\$500.00
Supply Department	500.00
Church Missions Publishing Co.	100.00

1,100.00	
For Scholarships, Daughters of Clergy	1,000.00
For Foreign Missionaries Insurance Fund	100.00
For Kuling School, Anking, China	100.00
For Administrative Costs:	
Printing Annual Reports, Envelopes, etc.	\$700.00
Expenses:	
United Thank Offering	50.00
Church Periodical Club	50.00
Diocesan Officers	300.00

\$1,100.00	
Convention Fund	250.00
Assessments:	
Provincial	\$25.00
National	35.00

	60.00

	\$8,010.00
From White Envelopes	\$6,900.00
*From Invested Funds	1,110.00

	\$8,010.00

*Covers Administrative Costs

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**Delegates and Alternates to the Triennial
at Cincinnati, October 1937**

Delegates: MISS LOOMIS, MRS. FORSYTH, MISS NETTLETON,
MISS NOBLE, MRS. STARR.

Alternates: MRS. CONLAND, MRS. FOWLER, MRS. INGALLS,
MRS. SHEAFE, MRS. SHANNON.

UNITED THANK OFFERING

This year, before submitting the financial report, I want to call your attention to two or more salient points.

1. There is only one more offering to be received before the time again arrives to present the total offerings of the Women of the Church at the meeting of the General Convention next October. When we say offering from the Women of the Church, I realize more than ever how few of our women here in Connecticut use the Blue Box, or know its story. I have been shocked at the number of women that have apparently never even heard of the United Thank Offering, or how it is collected, or what the little blue box has to do with it. I fear we who do know about it have all been slackers. I would like to suggest that we make a real honest effort to educate the women in our parishes. One way would be for the United Thank Offering Parish Treasurers to ask permission to speak before every woman's organization in her parish, and take her blue boxes with her and give them out to every member there. This would cover at least the organizations in her church, and be a fine start on reaching every woman in the parish, to make it 100 per cent covered with blue boxes. It means work, of course, but that is the case with everything we do successfully. This year when you receive the printed report you will find listed in the tables at the back of the book the number of boxes reported to me from your parish, and also the amount of the offering. I wonder if you will not feel as I do, that it is not an offering from the women of Connecticut. It is a misnomer to call it so. The number of those sharing in this offering is pitifully small compared to the total number of women in this diocese.

2. The National Executive Board has been working on plans whereby United Thank Offering workers, when they are retired, may receive a pension. I think we all want this done at once, but it can only be an accomplished fact if we substantially increase our United Thank Offerings.

3. Our buildings in the mission fields have suffered during the depression, due to the lack of funds for upkeep, and the time has come when they too must be repaired.

Remember that the Ascension Day offering is the last one to be made before the General Convention, and please use every effort possible to make it large—collect every box—try to get more women to use the box—and by our united efforts we can make our total offerings from the oldest Diocese one of which we can be proud to present in Cincinnati next October.

The financial report follows:

Balance in Birmingham National Bank, January 2, 1936	\$4,905.72
Received in Offerings from January 2, 1936 to December 31, 1936	8,590.91
Interest on account in Birmingham National Bank	70.81
	————— \$13,567.44
Sent Dr. Franklin, April 11, 1936 \$4,000.00 October 8, 1936 4,000.00	————— \$8,000.00
Balance as of December 31, 1936, in Birming- ham National Bank	5,567.44
	————— \$13,567.44
During the Triennium Dr. Franklin received a total of	\$14,000.00
Bank balance in Birmingham National Bank, including interest	5,567.44
Total toward 1937 Offering	————— \$19,567.44

Offerings by Archdeaconries—Jan. 2, 1936 to Dec. 31, 1936

Fairfield (627 boxes)	\$2,548.58
Hartford (574 boxes)	1,538.44
Litchfield (553 boxes)	1,324.46
Middlesex (87 boxes	332.70
New Haven (797 boxes)	2,333.84
New London (137 boxes)	504.39
Total boxes, 2775	—————
	\$8,581.91
Contribution from unknown parish	9.00
	—————
	\$8,590.91

KATHARINE ARNOLD NETTLETON,

Diocesan Treasurer

Examined by me and found to be correct
this third day of January, 1937:

DOROTHY ROBERTS

REPORT OF THE SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

During 1936 we have sent personal boxes to twenty missionaries for the use of their families and themselves, Christmas gift boxes to nineteen women missionaries, and clothing and supplies to four missions, two hospitals, and one school. These are, Holy Cross Mission, Frederiksted, St. Croix, V. L.; Rosebud Indian Mission, S. D.; St. Augustine's, Kingston, N. C. (a negro mission); St. Mark's Mission, Dante, Va.; Christ Church Industrial School, Forrest City, Ark.; Grace Hospital, Morganton, N. C.; and St. Agnes' Hospital, Raleigh, N. C. Mahan School Dispensary, Yang-chow, China, asked for \$50 in place of a box, and this was sent. Besides these, a few boxes have gone to two missions and two schools on our new allotment, and three to the Seamen's Church Institute.

With the \$500 allowed in the budget to supplement supply work, I bought the boys overalls and the dispensary supplies for five places; helped with three personal boxes; bought suits for four Indian Catechists, and made up \$10 that was lacking for the dispensary in China. On our new allotment we are asked for \$300 for a hospital in China, and I have taken \$100 toward that amount from this fund. Like the novice in keeping a cash account, I can say: "Received \$500, spent it all!"

The total value of boxes sent was \$8,644.23, of which amount \$167.61 came from the Girls' Friendly Society.

Last year I quoted from a letter of thanks received from one of the mission stations. This year I want to tell you what a clergyman thought of his personal box, which had been carefully prepared. He wrote: "We greatly appreciate this wonderful help. Everything in the box was just lovely. I think it was one of the nicest boxes that we ever received."

DOROTHY W. GOODWIN,
Supply Secretary

THE COMFORT CLUB

For the enlightenment of any who have never heard of the Comfort Club, or to whom it may be merely a name, it seems wise to explain that it was organized about forty-six years ago as a department of "home missions," and that it exists for the benefit of the clergy of the Diocese whose salaries are too small for the proper support of their families and suitable education of their children.

Gifts of clothing and household linens sent to these clergymen are considered as supplemental to their salaries; and while this material aid should not be underestimated, the convenience of having things ready to wear, or to use, without the necessity of buying or making them, constitutes an important phase of their helpfulness.

It is self-evident that the annual allotment of \$500 from the Woman's Auxiliary is of utmost assistance and importance; but that sum represents less than one-half of what is needed each year to successfully carry on the work. If this amount could be augmented by gifts from even a few individuals and societies in addition to the comparatively small number who now make a practice of sending a yearly contribution, much more could be accomplished towards helping those benefited to maintain the standard of living which is expected of them, and to which they are entitled by virtue of their position.

That 1937 will obligingly grant us a bonus, or declare an extra dividend in our favor seems highly improbable; but it is earnestly urged that all who read this report give the matter their thoughtful consideration, and as many as can do so are asked to send direct to me, or through the Archdeaconry treasurers, contributions large or small, according to their ability, always having in mind the fact that such gifts must not mean less liberal offerings in the white envelopes, or less generous support of parish and diocesan obligations and activities.

Cash contributions of \$193.00 and boxes with a total reported valuation of \$142.39 were received from nineteen parishes during the year. Every effort was made to furnish as great a degree of "comfort" as possible with our limited income, and needs that seemed most urgent or most essential were provided for. In this connection part of a paragraph from a previous report is here repeated and strongly emphasized: "To the various organizations who usually purchase, rather than make whatever they send, it is suggested that the money appropriated for the purpose be sent to the Comfort Club treasurer, who is able to buy many things at wholesale, and can therefore make a certain sum 'go further' than would otherwise be possible."

"The Comfort Club has been such a blessing to us for many years," writes the recipient of a small check recently sent in lieu of a box; and similar expressions of gratitude have come from others who have been aided. Such acknowledgment is extremely gratifying, and is, I am sure, ample reward for any expenditure of time, energy or money in the cause of missions, whether Diocesan or otherwise.

The correct address for boxes is:

**The Comfort Club,
Diocesan House, 28 Garden Street,
Hartford, Connecticut**

There should be enclosed in each shipment, or sent by mail under separate cover, a list of contents, stating itemized value of new articles only, with the name and address of the sender clearly indicated. All correspondence should be addressed to the Secretary:

MRS. EDWARD B. BRYANT,
30 FARMINGTON AVENUE
HARTFORD, CONNECTICUT

Report of the Comfort Club Treasurer

Receipts

Balance January 9, 1936	\$231.94
Hartford Archdeaconry	\$45.00
Litchfield Archdeaconry	63.00
Middlesex Archdeaconry	10.00
New Haven Archdeaconry	30.00
New London Archdeaconry	45.00
Sundry receipts	12.70

	\$205.70
Diocesan Treasurer of Woman's Auxiliary	450.00

	\$887.64

Disbursements

Payments to beneficiaries	\$154.50
Clothing and household linens	488.36
Transportation of boxes	8.30
Janitor	30.00
Miscellaneous	5.73
Activity charge05

	\$686.94
Balance, Phoenix State Bank & Trust Company January 7, 1937	\$200.70

MAIDA L. BRYANT, Treasurer

REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL DEPARTMENT

The year 1936 was a very busy one in the work of the Educational Department of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Last January the Woman's Auxiliary broadcast was prepared and 250 copies distributed at the Annual Meeting; also an itinerary was planned and carried out for Mrs. Habersham in the Diocese.

In April a meeting of Educational secretaries of the various Archdeaconries was held to discuss problems and plans for the work. Again Wellesley Conference gave me great help and inspiration to carry on, and it was also my privilege to have charge of the program for the Woman's Auxiliary day at the Conference. It may be interesting to you to know that there were three educational secretaries from our Diocese in attendance at Wellesley Conference, besides a chairman and Miss Pardee. This year Connecticut had the largest number present outside of Massachusetts, and we are now reaping the results.

During the summer months I spent a great deal of time preparing a folder for the coming year's work, and 2500 were printed and distributed not only in our own Diocese, but in many others. A Speakers' Bureau has been maintained and very widely used.

I have helped to plan many parish programs, loaned plays and study books, attended and assisted at all Archdeaconry Educational meetings, attended Diocesan and Board Meetings, and the Provincial Conference. I have also spoken at many parish meetings.

It has been a great source of satisfaction to notice the increased interest in Quiet Days and Days of Prayer.

Through the courtesy and help of the Church Missions Publishing Company, the interesting and helpful play entitled "A Box Quartette," by the Reverend Clifton H. Brewer, has been printed, at the low cost of ten cents. This play might well be used in connection with the Exhibition of the Boxes which are being sent from the parishes into the field. We are recommending that all members of the parish be invited to see the contents of the boxes before they are sent out.

Again may I express my appreciation for the excellent work being done by Archdeaconry Educational Secretaries.

1937 is before us, and with it comes the Triennial. May I ask you to prepare yourselves in every possible way to take an intelligent interest in this great meeting. There are two forces fighting throughout the world today—Religion and Irreligion. We know that Christianity is our priceless treasure. Let us see to it that we use every possible opportunity to be pupils of the greatest of all teachers of Religious Education—our Lord and Master.

CONSTANCE A. SHANNON

REPORT OF THE PRAYER PARTNERSHIP

An advance step in the Prayer Partnership has arisen spontaneously. Three years ago in a burst of enthusiasm the New Haven Archdeaconry adopted Miss Tiffet as their Prayer Partner. Then the Hartford Archdeaconry adopted Miss Barbour of Japan as their Prayer Partner, and now the Fairfield Archdeaconry has chosen Miss Winifred Mannas theirs.

It is a comforting thought that the Prayer Partnership has been a strong factor in keeping up the morale of our missionaries. The missionaries are thankful for the continued interest shown by their home partners, remembering all the facts in the case, the demand on their time and on their purses, for postage is costly, they like the plan and the response to it is wonderful. Connecticut women believe in prayer and in the expansion of Christ's kingdom. We are more than holding our own. It is a thrilling moment in the program of the local Auxiliary when the leader reads the prayer for their missionary partner. It is not easy for a quiet churchwoman to do this, but the blessing comes. Both the missionary and the home partners are strengthened. Let us continue the good work. Let us really know our missionaries, their work, their consecration, their troubles, their limitations, and also their successes, and do all we can to cheer and encourage them.

The Prayer Partnership is a very simple thing, but it strikes at the very heart of our missionary work. Blessed is the missionary whose home partners are faithful to her.

ANNA L. BIDDLE

EDUCATION OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE CLERGY

For the year 1936-1937 we have six girls on our Scholarship List. One is doing excellent work at William and Mary College, Virginia. Two sisters, juniors at the New Jersey College for Women, are achieving honors and additional scholarships. Another is continuing her studies at St. Faith's Training School, New York. One high school girl, who is of particular interest to us, is showing marked improvement. And we have been only too glad to assist in meeting payments for studies already completed by a girl who gave up her college career to fit herself sooner for earning her livelihood.

As one girl writes: "Your check certainly gives me a hopeful and helpful start for the New Year."

EDNA H. FORSYTH

THE DIOCESAN LENDING LIBRARY

The work of this Library—which belongs to everyone who wishes to use it—is entirely free, is so much of necessity the same old story year after year, that it is difficult to know just what will be of interest to report in the time and space allotted to it. However, all who are especially interested in the work of the library are most thankful to be able to say that the books are still to be found (which Dean Colladay arranged for them to be) in which is probably the most convenient spot in the entire Diocese for such a library—the south-east porch of the Cathedral.

Many visit it some weeks—and there are, always, the faithful few. However, we are hoping for more, and we feel sure they would come did they realize the help and pleasure to be gotten from the reading of the books it can furnish. However, a fund is much needed for the purpose of securing new books, especially as our Woman's Auxiliary Secretary, Mrs. Thomas Shannon, 45 Jackson St., Ansonia, has issued such fine outlines with suggested books to be used in connection with the prescribed study course.

During this past year a number of calls came for books not in the library. Any help towards the purchase of such books, and for the replacing of much-worn copies, will be most gratefully received and acknowledged.

Thanks to Miss Mary L. Randall's and Miss Mabel Schumacher's fine work, there is to be found in the library an up-to-date indexed file of every book on the shelves. And by following the few printed rules to be found there any book can be taken out, at will, and at a moment's notice.

Each Sunday before and after the eleven o'clock service, and at the same time on Wednesdays, one or more of the library helpers will be there to give any needed assistance. These helpers are Miss M. L. Randall, Mrs. Smart, Miss Elizabeth Howard, Miss Kitty Welles, and Miss Daisy Porter. The Cathedral verger, Mr. Thomas Joesbury, is always most cheerfully interested to give any needed service.

Space for reports, etc., is always most generously given in "The Evangel," for the work of the library.

EDITH BEACH, Librarian

CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

I am happy to be able to report a successful year for the Church Periodical Club. I have attended all Diocesan and five Archdeaconry meetings, the Provincial meeting in Portsmouth, N. H., and have spoken at six parish and group meetings. Various special needs have been met. Miss Cowles of the jail Library Association asked for religious reading for the inmates of the six jails which she visits. I gave her eight copies of the New Testament and 100 or more Forward Movement leaflets. As a rule, inmates of jails are indifferent to forward religious reading, but they welcome these small leaflets, which can be slipped into the pocket. This is a good use to make of back numbers which are no longer needed in the parishes. Jig-saw puzzles have been sent at regular intervals to an invalid clergyman who can neither walk, read, nor speak, but who spends long hours contentedly working puzzles. When a year's file of the better class magazines, such as the Geographic or Harpers, is offered, I usually assign it to the Seamen's Church Institute of New York. Such magazines are placed in the reading room at the Institute or on vessels sailing from the port of New York. In response to my request for used Christmas cards, large numbers have been sent. I myself have altered some 2500 cards and sent them to missions, schools, and hospitals in all parts of the country. I must emphasize the importance of very careful altering. Unless the branches have time and patience to do the work with the utmost care, I hope they will send the cards direct to me. Reports have come from headquarters of cards so unskillfully altered as to be very disappointing to those who receive them. Three Victrolas, with fifty records apiece, have been placed in three C. C. C. camps of Connecticut.

From the addresses sent out during the year, I have chosen the following to show the scope of our work:

A subscription to Horticulture goes to the Patterson School in North Carolina, an agricultural school for mountain boys; Readers Digest to an Archdeacon in Cuba; Yale Alumni Weekly to a clergyman in Illinois, a Yale graduate; Living Church to a clergyman in Liberia; Churchman to a Japanese clergyman in Osaka; New Yorker to a woman secretary in St. Luke's Hospital, Tokio; American Boy to a boy on a farm in Michigan; Home Arts to an Indian woman in South Dakota; Readers Digest to a Veterans' Hospital in Wyoming.

Figures are as follows: 795 magazines are being sent regularly by 393 persons; 58 Bibles and prayer books have been sent out; 1,906 books, both religious and secular, 914 leaflets, 35,357 miscellaneous magazines, 30,236 Christmas and Easter cards, 3,945 pictures, 312 sheets of music, 1,015 games and puzzles, 6 magazines and 17 books sent regularly by five donors; 45 institutions in the Diocese have been aided; \$60.00 has been given to the Library Fund; 6 new branches have been organized and one has disbanded. The six Archdeaconry Secretaries are all doing good work and real progress may be expected in 1937.

MARY S. SHEAFE,

Diocesan Director

CHURCH MISSIONS PUBLISHING COMPANY

Repeated gifts often dull the edge of gratitude, but each donation from the Woman's Auxiliary intensifies the gratitude of this Company; and so it is of the gift of \$100 during the year 1936. This has enabled us to print "The Negro Churchman's Upward Climb," one of the most valuable contributions for the Mission Study Classes, in the subjects, "Africa," and "The Mission of the Church to the American Negro," appointed by the National Council.

During the past year the Company has donated 250 copies of the Spanish translation of Bishop Wilson's "What Every Churchman Ought to Know" to Archdeacon Townsend of Camagüey, Cuba, and has given him \$100 to publish a Spanish translation of Dr. Maclear's "First Communion," edited by Dr. Samuel Hart, and revised by Dean Colladay.

We have also made a donation of \$25 toward the expense of publishing the revised translation of the Prayer Book into the Dakota tongue, made by the Reverend Paul H. Barbour; \$25 to the Federation of Italian Priests toward the printing of a special Service Book for the Italian clergy of the Church; and £6-19s.-9d. to the New Guinea Fund for the work of the Melanesian Mission of the Church of England.

In the "Soldier and Servant Series" we have published:
"Commissary Blair," of Virginia, by the Rev. Edgar Legare Pennington.

"A New Sir Launcelot" (the Rev. Launcelot B. Minor of Virginia, missionary to Cape Pelmas) by Julia C. Emery, reprint.

"From Bantu Jungle to Church College," by Miss Lucy C. Sturgis and Miss Grace Hutchinson, reprint: with additional chapter by the Rev. John H. Edwards.

"The Negro Churchman's Upward Climb," reprint, with additional chapters by the Rev. John H. Edwards. [First published as "The Churchman's Supplement to 'The Upward Path,'" under the direction of the Rev. William E. Gardner.]

"Samuel Adjai Crowther," First Bishop of the Niger, with "Cietta," double number, reprint.

"Pioneers of the Universities' Mission in East Africa," reprint.

And we have in hand "Clement Hall of North Carolina," and "Arthur Brown of New Hampshire," by Mr. Pennington.

We have published in the "Story and Pageant Series":

"When the King of Peace Came," a Christmas play by the Rev. Charles R. Findlay.

"Africa," a republication of "Ethiopia," by H. K. W. Kumm [Kumm], Ph. D., F. R. G. S., with an excerpt from "Liberia Today," issued, 1936, by the National Council.

"A Box Quartette," a short playlet of the Auxiliary Blue Box, by the Rev. Clifton H. Brewer, Ph. D.

"Story of a Hospital," by Dr. Mary V. Glenton, reprint, with an appendix by Mercie Wheeler Edwards, R. N.

"The Church's Work in Western Equatorial Africa," reprint.

We still have in hand the unpublished MSS. mentioned in last year's report.

MARY E. BEACH

THE NOVEMBER MEETING

More than seven hundred persons gathered at Christ Church Cathedral, Hartford, for the fifty-sixth Annual Meeting of the Connecticut Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary on Friday, November 6th, 1936.

At 10:15 A. M. the meeting opened with a full choral celebration of the Holy Communion. The Right Reverend Frederick G. Budlong, Bishop of the Diocese, officiated, assisted by the visiting bishops, the Right Reverend Philip Cook, Bishop of Delaware, and President of the National Council, and the Right Reverend W. Blair Roberts, Missionary Bishop of South Dakota, together with the Cathedral Clergy. The Epistle was read by Canon Plumb, and the Gospel by Bishop Cook, who preached the sermon. Choosing three words, the speaker showed how they complete the whole circle of faith in God, since they cover the past, present, and future. They were Ebenezer, "God hath helped us," Emmanuel, "God with us," and Jehovah Jireh, "God will see, or prevail." The God who has brought us thus far will help us, for He is kind and merciful, but very exacting, and His will must be done. All that God demands is loyalty. This can be expressed by meeting the challenge of the Church today, not with indifference, but with activity in terms of gifts and service. "Nothing," said Bishop Cook, "can stultify a parish so quickly as the attitude where nothing goes out. Faith and giving if dammed up become a stagnant pool." He further stated that the Church is depending on the Woman's Auxiliary to make clear this thought. It has a wonderful message to convey as well as opportunity to make known what fundamentally belongs to the Kingdom of God.

Before the presentation of the regular Communion Alms, which totalled \$184.62, the United Thank Offering Treasurers came forward to the chancel rail to place the gifts of their respective parishes in a special alms basin. Though it was announced that the loose offering in the former would go to the United Thank Offering, this could not be, as that money is already designated for the Bishop's use for altar hangings throughout the Diocese.

The customary box lunch and social hour in the Parish House from twelve to one o'clock, during which the Cathedral Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary proved efficient and gracious hostesses, was followed by Roll Call in the Church. As nearly as could be determined, 737 women, 76 clergy, and one lay reader—a total of

814—filled the pews in readiness for the afternoon's program. The Woman's Auxiliary Pledge for Connecticut's Quota for Missions was taken at the same time, and was announced later as amounting to \$2,019.50.

At 1:45 P. M. the Missionary Service was opened with prayers offered by Bishop Budlong, who afterward urged that the Auxiliary set the example of an earnest endeavor, of not being satisfied with things as they are, but going "forward," carrying through those works which are so worth while. When we are given capacity we should use it, and the Bishop told how the Auxiliary can assist him in the year's work in the Diocese by sustaining the Church Mission of Help, and widening the reach of the Connecticut Churchman. He introduced Bishop Roberts, who declared that "there is great need of a more militant spirit," and then told of the work in his mission field. When any of his Sioux Indians are confirmed they are given a copy of the Niobrara cross, which carries three words meaning "that they might have life." That is the object of the Church—to so function that men may have life and more abundant life. When one makes her thank offering she is "putting life into the Blue Boxes," and Bishop Roberts pictured the need for more women workers, and the accomplishments of the Woman's Auxiliary in supplying buildings. The Indians, too, have a thank offering which holds a vital place in their Christian life, and into which they pour much of the little they obtain at great sacrifice. Bishop Roberts closed his talk with the singing of a hymn, Indian in tune, in the Sioux language.

He was followed by Mr. Lewis B. Franklin, Vice-President and Treasurer of the National Council, who took his listeners from the domestic to the foreign mission field, to show what work the Woman's Auxiliary is making possible there, through its workers or buildings. An old Chinese city was visited where it was said by Robert Morrison, "If we shall within one hundred years win a thousand souls to Christ it will be a miracle," and where eight hundred and fifty have been won to Christ in thirty-five years. Here Dr. Ritchie carries on in the hospital at Zan Zo. In the Philippines there is the hospital at Sagada, where the Church is at work among a hostile and war-like group. Yet twelve thousand are Christians today, and one knows it from the inner light shining in their faces. In Japan there is the School for Bible Women at Sendai, where the efforts of one of its workers among the mountain people had made forty-seven Christians in one year, and where in a leper colony Miss Cornwall-Leigh, 82

one year, and where in a leper colony Miss Cornwall-Leigh, eighty-two years of age, but still active, continues her labor of love.

Dr. Franklin concluded by saying that it is this winning work that lags with us here at home. The hopeful, yet tragic side, is that not even now do enough women know about the Blue Box of the United Thank Offering and its use. Therein lies opportunity.

The benediction, pronounced by Bishop Roberts, brought to a close a day filled with spiritual richness.

The offering at this service of \$182.63, went to the work of the National Council, after \$100 was given to Bishop Roberts.

LOUISE H. NOBLE,

Recording Secretary

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING, 1937

The fifty-sixth Annual Business Meeting of the Connecticut Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was held at Trinity Church Parish House, New Haven, on Friday, January 8th, 1937.

Miss Loomis, the President, presided, and called the meeting to order at 10:01 A. M. An opening hymn followed prayers offered by the Reverend Thomas Barrett, curate of the hostess church. Proceeding at once to business, Miss Loomis deferred her annual report, and called for those of the Recording and Corresponding Secretaries, both presented by the Recording Secretary. These were accepted by vote. The Treasurer's report next, read by Mrs. Forsyth, was accepted through acceptance of the Auditor's report. A yearly report presented by the United Thank Offering Treasurer, was accepted through the accompanying Auditor's report.

Departmental reports were made by the respective Secretaries as follows: Supply, read by the Secretary in Mrs. Goodwin's absence; Comfort Club, read by Mrs. Bryant; and Educational, also read by the Secretary. All were accepted by vote.

Miss Pardee, Vice-President, was then asked to take the chair, as the President submitted her annual report, showing much activity and steady advancement in Auxiliary work. It embodied comprehensive reports of the Archdeaconry Chairmen. It was voted, seconded, and carried that this report be accepted.

Reports of affiliated organizations were made as follows: Mrs. Sheafe for the Church Periodical Club; the Church Missions Publishing Company, Diocesan Lending Library, Prayer Partnership and Church Mission of Help by the Secretary. It was voted to accept these reports in a group.

The Treasurer reported on Scholarships for Daughters of the Clergy. This, too, was accepted by vote.

Mrs. Forsyth presented the Budget for 1937, of \$8,010—\$6,900 to be asked in the White Envelopes. Its adoption was voted. Three recommendations of the Finance Committee were also made. These were considered separately and so adopted by vote.

It was necessary at this meeting to elect a Nominating Committee to prepare a slate of officers to be presented to the next Annual Business Meeting. Miss Loomis called for nominations

from the floor, stating that there is one representative from each Archdeaconry and a member-at-large, who is Chairman. Nominations were:

Member-at-large: Mrs. W. F. Williams, Calvary Church, Stonington.

Fairfield: Mrs. Kenneth R. Forbes, St. Andrew's Church, Stamford.

Hartford: Mrs. Mark Brewster, St. James' Church, Farmington.

Litchfield: No nomination ready. Appointment held over by consent of meeting. Nominee to be elected at Archdeaconry Annual Meeting.

Middlesex: Miss Julia Brazos, Holy Trinity Church, Middletown.

New Haven: Mrs. Harold Sperry, St. Paul's Church, New Haven.

New London: Miss Louise Robinson, Christ Church, Norwich.

There being no further nominations, Miss Nettleton's motion that the slate be accepted as read was seconded and carried.

Miss Pardee announced the Delegates and Alternates to the Triennial Meeting in Cincinnati.

Roll Call interrupted for Noon-day Prayers, offered by Reverend Mr. Barrett, was responded to by 24 clergy, 137 delegates, and 124 parish members, a total of approximately 285.

The current Provincial Project, explained by the President, is the raising of \$1,500 in two years—\$750 a year—for rural work in the three northern Dioceses, such as furtherance of the Mountain Mission by Mail, so clearly pictured by Miss Van Dorn last year, and the training of girls of promise as workers in those fields. Connecticut's share is \$250. An opportunity to give or pledge from the floor by parishes or individuals netted more than \$267.

Miss Mary Louise Pardee, Provincial Representative on the National Executive Board, brought the morning session to a close with her report on that group's thinking, plans, and hopes for the future, especially in regard to the United Thank Offering. She

outlined committee formations and functions, and stated that the theme of the Triennial meeting is to be "The Mission of the Church."

The afternoon session also opened with a hymn at 2:00 P. M. Bishop Budlong brought his customary greetings and reported his hope for a Diocesan Altar Guild, by which the Communion Alms may be administered. He urged use of the Forward Movement material, support of the National Budget, and work for the furtherance of peace.

Miss Margaret Marston, Educational Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary, brought to the meeting some of her very interesting experiences in a missionary tour of the world, where she met all but about eight of the missionaries in the field. She described the type of extension work being done in various Oriental countries, particularly among the women.

The minutes of this meeting were read and accepted.

LOUISE H. NOBLE,

Recording Secretary

ARCHDEACONY TABLES

The Archdeaconry Table has been made out to show the offerings each parish has given to the Budget, to Specials that have been given through the Auxiliary Treasurer, to the United Thank Offering, to the Comfort Club, and the total cash offerings. It shows the value of boxes given to the Comfort Club, to the Supply Department and the total box values; also the Grand Totals.

The advantage of this plan is that the whole record of each parish can be seen at a glance, instead of having to look in three different reports to find it. "Specials" indirectly reported are not included as none of the money passed through the Auxiliary Treasurer's hands.

FAIRFIELD ARCHDEACONRY

Towns and Parishes	No. of Contributors [#]	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total
*Bethel, St. Thomas'	28	\$34.60	\$15.00						\$7.31	\$49.60	\$7.31	\$56.91
† Bridgeport, Calvary	45	34.45	10.00	51	\$75.18			\$1.00	17.12	119.63	18.12	137.75
†* " Christ Church	30	28.27	141.25	80	132.00			5.00	29.36	301.52	34.36	335.88
†* " St. Andrew's (B. R.)			5.00		76.56				2.46		2.46	
†* " St. George's			135.00		252.64	\$1.00						
†* " St. John's	22	72.87						\$7.00	5.00	250.31	468.51	255.31
†* " St. John's Jr. Branch			15.00		5.00			25.00	5.00	52.55	40.00	57.55
†* " St. Luke's			5.00		7.00					5.00		5.00
†* " St. Mark's	12	5.00								17.00		17.00
†* " St. Paul's	45	45.93	23.00	36	52.03				5.00	34.41	120.96	39.41
†* " Trinity	35	63.10			40.00				5.00	68.27	153.10	73.27
*Danbury, St. James'			50.00		25.00					40.00	75.00	40.00
†*Darien, St. Luke's	20	25.02	50.00		23.05	3.00			5.00	55.83	101.07	60.83
*Easton, Christ Church												
†*Fairfield, St. Paul's	50	75.00	46.00		325.00				45.51	446.00	45.51	491.51
*Greenwich, Christ Church	125	225.00	235.00	145	306.00				1494.87	766.00	1494.87	2260.87
*Huntington, St. Paul's	5	5.00	10.00		2.00				25.67	17.00	25.67	42.67
Long Hill, Grace Church										7.86		7.86
Monroe, St. Peter's										64.10	430.74	64.10
†*New Canaan, St. Mark's	35	251.81	20.00		157.93	1.00			5.00	25.80	20.00	30.80
New Canaan, St. Mark's Jr. Br.			20.00							28.35	197.75	28.35
†*Newtown, Trinity	30	38.75	42.00	33	117.00							226.10

† Nichols, Trinity		12.00	17	29.00			5.00	24.41	41.00	29.41	70.41		
Norwalk, Christ Church		11.00		44.75			5.00	17.96	55.76	22.96	78.71		
* " Grace Church	7	12.00		10.00				15.00	22.00	15.00	37.00		
† " St. Paul's	8	2.70		34.50				5.43	37.20	5.43	42.63		
† Old Greenwich, St. Saviour's	14	19.60	5.00	1.50				11.28	26.10	11.28	37.38		
†* Redding, Christ Church	21	4.00	20.00	16.59				12.59	40.59	12.59	53.18		
†* Ridgefield, St. Stephen's	25	15.85	25.00	25.21	2.00		5.00	28.70	68.06	33.70	101.76		
†* Riverside, St. Paul's	24	61.74	10.00	25	70.90		5.00	40.53	142.64	45.53	188.17		
* Sandy Hook, St. John's			2.50	21	26.75			5.41	29.25	5.41	34.66		
†* Shelton, Good Shepherd	20	41.68	15.00	10	17.29		5.00	45.16	78.97	50.16	129.13		
†* South Norwalk, Trinity	32	37.42	13.00		39.40		5.00	33.83	89.82	38.83	128.65		
* Southport, Trinity	35	49.60	61.00	57	97.20	3.00		27.27	210.80	27.27	238.07		
* Stamford, Emmanuel, Springdale	20	17.45	25.00		56.50			23.59	98.95	23.59	122.54		
†* " St. Andrew's	15	17.10	24.00	38	68.50		10.00	42.62	119.60	47.62	167.22		
†* " St. John's	66	179.75	87.50	60	226.20	1.00		207.09	494.45	207.09	701.54		
* " St. Luke's	28	17.10	12.50	31	25.50			18.48	55.10	18.48	73.58		
†* Stratford, Christ Church	60	60.00	33.00	23	69.00		28.40	5.00	60.96	162.00	94.36		
Tashua, Christ Church	4	6.00			3.40		6.00		10.56	6.00	16.56		
Weston, Emmanuel										3.40	3.40		
Westport, Christ Church	16	40.05	13.00		90.00				31.16	143.05	31.16		
* Westport, Holy Trinity	27	61.15	18.75					12.50	144.12	79.90	156.62		
Wilton, St. Matthew's	15	17.40	10.00					5.00	38.50	27.40	43.50		
Fairfield Archdeaconry			111.00							111.00	111.00		
Total	918	\$1565.39	\$1381.50	627	\$2548.58	11.00	\$44.91	\$47.00	\$98.50	\$3105.36	\$5553.47	\$3248.77	\$8802.24
							Boxes	Cash	Boxes				

*Represented at November Meeting

†Represented at January Meeting

HARTFORD ARCHDEACONRY

Towns and Parishes	No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply De- partment Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total
Bloomfield, St. Andrew's -----												
†*Bristol, Trinity -----	35	\$27.81	\$12.65	25	\$18.00			\$5.00	\$22.04	\$58.46	\$27.04	\$85.50
Broad Brook, Grace Church -----	51	4.60		15	7.25				8.54	11.85	8.54	20.39
Collinsville, Trinity -----	8	2.45	5.00	15	3.65					3.65		3.65
East Berlin, St. Gabriel's -----	20	27.65	7.00		4.00					10.20	19.80	10.20
*East Hartford, St. John's -----	18	39.10	60.00	12	33.37	\$3.00				15.08	38.65	15.08
†*Farmington, St. James' -----	5	10.00	10.00							45.49	135.47	45.49
† Forestville, St. John's -----											20.00	20.00
Glastonbury, St. James' -----	15	9.25			3.00							37.42
†*Hartford, Christ Church Cathedral -----	80	208.00	52.00	150	203.55	3.00				104.25	466.55	109.25
†* " Good Shepherd -----	23	93.96	168.75		115.31	3.00				82.22	381.02	82.22
* " Grace Church -----	15	12.40		20	34.56	3.00				17.11	49.96	17.11
" St. Andrew's -----	12	14.40	12.50	12	7.50						34.40	34.40
* " St. James' -----	22	17.85	7.50	22	16.00					11.78	41.35	11.78
* " St. John's -----	53	282.20	616.00		261.29	3.00	\$25.00			298.78	1187.49	298.78
* " St. Monica's -----	12	13.00	5.00	9	15.03					13.34	33.03	13.34
* " St. Monica's Jr. Group -----					3.15						3.15	3.15
* " St. Paul's Italian Miss. -----			5.00								5.00	5.00
†* " Trinity -----	60	173.96	100.00		275.00	3.00	15.00			213.36	566.96	213.36
												780.32

Hazardville, St. Mary's	12	12.00	5.00	5	4.85				2.00	10.06	21.85	12.06	33.91
*Manchester, St. Mary's	75	58.09	25.00	60	32.65	3.00			5.00	24.24	118.74	29.24	147.98
†*New Britain, St. Mark's	25	63.78	121.00	130	172.00	3.00	5.00		10.00	53.16	364.78	63.16	427.94
†*Newington, Grace Church	8	12.65	10.00	2	4.00						26.65		26.65
†*Plainville, Church of Our Saviour	19	23.25	15.00	5	6.26						17.84	44.51	17.84
*Rockville, St. John's	5	5.00	23.00	4	14.19						5.24	42.19	5.24
†*South Glastonbury, St. Luke's	35	54.53	15.60	15	31.49						28.74	101.62	28.74
†*Southington, St. Paul's	10	9.80	15.00	16	40.50						20.90	65.30	20.90
*Stafford Springs, Grace Church	16	38.30	10.00		14.88						6.65	63.18	6.65
Suffield, Calvary													
Tariffville, Trinity			3.00								3.00		3.00
*Thompsonville, St. Andrew's	13	18.00	22.50	12	12.75	3.00					56.25		56.25
Unionville, Christ Church	6	15.50	5.00	5	12.00						32.50		32.50
Warehouse Point, St. John's	40	51.77	5.00	10	16.00						41.00	72.77	41.00
†*West Hartford, St. James'	15	24.43	10.00	5	7.65						31.50	42.08	31.50
†*Wethersfield, Trinity	36	38.66	15.00	8	59.64	3.00					180.12	116.30	180.12
†*Windsor, Grace Church	25	75.55	95.00	17	99.57	3.00					5.00	32.06	273.12
Windsor Locks, St. Paul's	5	6.80										6.80	
Hartford Archdeaconry			71.28								10.00	71.28	10.00
Total	728	\$1444.74	\$1527.78	574	\$1538.44	36.00	\$45.00	\$3.50		\$47.00	\$1310.37	\$4591.96	\$1360.87
							Cash	Boxes			Boxes		
													\$5952.83

*Represented at November Meeting

†Represented at January Meeting

LITCHFIELD ARCHDEACONRY

Towns and Parishes	No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total		
*Bantam, St. Paul's	10	\$10.00	\$10.00	12					\$22.34	\$20.00	\$22.34	\$42.34		
Bethlehem, Christ Church	9	6.50			\$1.00				7.55	7.40	7.55	14.95		
†Bridgewater, St. Mark's	20	31.75	5.00	22	17.81				16.29	54.56	16.29	70.85		
†Brookfield, St. Paul's	20	23.29	5.00	50	16.25				16.82	44.54	16.82	61.36		
*Canaan, Christ Church	16	30.95	25.00	34	33.81				20.52	89.76	20.52	110.28		
Kent, St. Andrew's			10.00						16.74	10.00	16.74	26.74		
*Lime Rock, Trinity	10	38.10		10	22.40				15.81	60.50	15.81	76.31		
*Litchfield, St. Michael's	22	91.65		20	177.22	\$63.00			168.56	331.87	168.56	500.43		
Marble Dale, St. Andrew's					17.50				17.86	17.50	17.86	35.36		
*New Milford, St. John's	30	31.56	25.00	40	60.83				26.22	117.39	26.22	143.61		
Northfield, Trinity									5.84		5.84	5.84		
Oakville, All Saints'														
Pine Meadow, St. John's														
Plymouth, St. Peter's	11	16.25	5.00	15	22.22				20.02	43.47	20.02	63.49		
†Roxbury, Christ Church	25	39.01	20.00	25	21.12				15.41	80.13	15.41	95.54		
†Salisbury, St. John's	15	17.90	35.00	50	223.00				46.93	279.15	51.93	331.08		
Sharon, Christ Church	25	53.48	30.00	35	308.18				80.03	391.66	80.03	471.69		
*Terryville, St. Mark's	16	16.81	5.00	7	9.35				7.37	31.16	7.37	38.53		
*Thomaston, Trinity	6	26.05	10.00	30	5.00				5.00	27.55	41.05	32.55		
*Torrington, Trinity	36	40.47		60	70.00				18.66	110.47	18.66	129.13		
†Washington, St. John's	14	89.70	65.00	30	104.64	\$4.00			45.00	263.34	45.00	308.34		
†Watertown, Christ Church	14	27.76	15.00	70	178.48				5.00	49.56	221.24	54.56		
*Winsted, St. James'	35	20.50		35	16.00				15.86	36.50	15.86	52.36		
Woodbury, St. Paul's	8	16.00	35.00	8	19.65		\$18.10		18.19	70.65	36.29	106.94		
Litchfield Archdeaconry			\$37.00							37.00		37.00		
Total	342	\$627.63	\$337.00	553	\$1324.46	\$4.00	\$63.00	\$18.10	\$3.25	\$15.00	\$679.13	\$2359.34	\$712.23	\$3071.57

*Represented at November Meeting

Represented at January Meeting

†Plus \$41.10—Offering Annual Meeting

MIDDLESEX ARCHDEACONRY

Towns and Parishes	No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total
Chester, St. Luke's Mission												
*Clinton, Holy Advent	12	\$11.34	\$10.00	8	\$6.40				\$27.75	\$27.74	\$27.75	\$55.49
† Durham, Epiphany	15	5.00	21.00	8	6.00				11.95	32.00	11.95	43.95
†* East Haddam, St. Stephen's	12	32.35	25.00	10	15.76	\$5.00		\$2.00	22.20	78.11	24.20	102.31
East Hampton, St. John's Mission	11	7.60	12.50	7	4.00				10.70	24.10	10.70	34.80
*Essex, St. John's	12	19.40		10	17.00			5.00	17.32	36.40	22.32	58.72
Hadlyme, Grace Mission				1								
Ivoryton, All Saints'					2.00					2.00		2.00
Killingworth, Emmanuel												
Maromas, St. Andrew's												
*Middle Haddam, Christ Church	15	24.10	81.75		61.32	5.00			12.82	172.17	12.82	184.99
†*Middletown, Christ Church				12	18.37				15.32	23.37	15.32	38.69
†*Middletown, Holy Trinity	58	171.83	82.00	15	82.64				371.97	336.47	371.97	708.44
Ponsett, St. James'												
Portland, St. John Baptist Miss.	12	15.60	5.00		6.43				9.58	27.03	9.58	36.61
†*Portland, Trinity	31	55.70	20.00	10	69.71				22.92	145.41	22.92	168.33
Saybrook, Grace Church	10	10.00	10.00	6	13.07				6.04	33.07	6.04	39.11
Westbrook, St. Paul's												
Middlesex Archdeaconry					30.00					166.00		166.00
Total	188	\$352.92	\$408.25	87	\$332.70	\$10.00		\$7.00	528.57	\$1103.87	\$535.57	\$1639.44
						Cash		Boxes				

*Represented at November Meeting

†Represented at January Meeting

NEW HAVEN ARCHDEACONRY

Towns and Parishes	No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total	
†*Ansonia, Christ Church	95	\$161.63	\$45.00	65	\$107.46			\$5.00	\$46.94	\$314.09	\$51.94	\$366.03	
†*Ansonia, Immanuel	25	17.50	20.00	40	30.85				27.85	68.35	27.85	96.20	
Bethany, Christ Church													
†*Branford, Trinity	46	65.08	55.00	38	106.06			5.00	30.88	226.14	35.88	262.02	
†*Cheshire, St. Peter's	49	56.30	28.00		30.30				22.47	114.60	22.47	137.07	
†*Derby, St. James'	20	35.60	30.00		48.70				45.09	114.30	45.09	159.39	
Devon, St. Andrew's Mission	19	21.80	15.00		6.00				9.19	42.80	9.19	51.99	
†*East Haven, Christ Church	24	16.90	7.00	21	18.00					41.90		41.90	
†*Guilford, Christ Church	25	36.35	27.00	20	30.57			5.00	20.00	93.92	25.00	118.92	
†*Hamden, Grace Church	25	16.07	11.00		8.51				28.29	35.58	28.29	63.87	
†*Meriden, All Saints'	85	60.61	29.00		29.25				88.88	118.86	88.88	207.74	
†*Meriden, St. Andrew's	119	128.77	40.00	50	66.92	\$6.00	\$10.00	15.00	67.57	251.69	82.57	334.26	
†*Milford, St. Peter's	52	68.28	13.00	30	25.00				50.00	106.28	50.00	156.28	
*Naugatuck, St. Michael's	72	132.00	68.50	42	96.20			\$5.00	10.00	74.49	301.70	84.49	386.19
† New Haven, All Saints'	14	10.84	7.00	20	23.59					5.00	41.43	5.00	46.43
" " All Saints' Jr. Br.									7.40		7.40	7.40	
" " Ascension													
†* " " Christ Church	25	53.16	40.00	53	130.00				37.18	223.16	37.18	260.34	
†* " " Epiphany	52	10.50	38.00	27	10.50			5.00	31.25	59.00	36.25	95.25	
†* " " St. Andrew's					7.50	32	25.60		21.15	33.10	21.15	54.25	
†* " " St. James' (F. H.)	17	16.20	14.00	15	15.86					46.06		46.06	
" " St. James Apostle	18	26.00	22.00	25	62.25			5.00	37.41	110.25	42.41	152.66	

†*New Haven, St. John's	35	100.00	95.00	15	158.02		\$10.00		64.24	353.02	74.24	427.26
†* " " St. Luke's	20	4.75	11.35	25	13.50					29.60		29.60
†* " " St. Paul's	130	255.65	88.00		388.60	3.00	20.00		10.00	15.00	765.25	76.77
" " St. Paul's Jr. Branch			10.00									10.00
†* " " St. Thomas'	32	252.91	50.00		194.45					69.09	497.36	69.09
†* " " Trinity	61	233.95	245.00	50	244.06				5.00	555.11	723.01	560.11
†*North Branford, Zion	7	5.90			2.67						8.57	
†*Northford, St. Andrew's	11	11.24	8.00		6.50						25.74	
*North Guilford, St. John's	4	4.80									4.80	
† North Haven, St. John's	11	12.84	5.00		1.00						6.03	18.84
Oxford, St. Peter's	7	5.40									5.40	
Quaker Farms, Christ Church	5	1.60									1.60	
†*Seymour, Trinity	45	78.05	70.00		27.40						24.06	175.45
†*Wallingford, St. Paul's	35	58.58	31.00	30	72.76						42.50	162.34
†*Waterbury, All Soul's	20	24.90	10.00	41	59.34				5.00		26.30	94.24
" St. John's	41	215.00	40.00	15	187.00						153.36	442.00
† " Christ Chapel	12	7.65	15.00									22.65
†* " Trinity	60	68.70	25.00	56	38.45						27.98	132.15
*Waterville, St. Paul's	28	35.83	5.00	17	29.45							70.28
*West Haven, Christ Church	75	61.59	5.00	70	38.52		21.00				109.55	105.11
*Yalesville, St. John's	6	4.57	2.00									6.57
New Haven Archdeaconry			112.92						10.00		112.92	10.00
Total	1427	\$2377.50	\$1345.27	797	\$2333.34	\$9.00	\$30.00	\$31.00	\$15.00	\$85.00	\$1791.03	\$6110.11
								Cash	Boxes	Cash	Boxes	
												\$1907.03
												\$8017.14

*Represented at November Meeting

†Represented at January Meeting

NEW LONDON ARCHDEACONRY

Towns and Parishes	No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total
*Brooklyn, Trinity	6	\$13.10	\$5.00	10	\$15.75				\$13.22	\$33.85	\$13.22	\$47.07
Colchester, Calvary	3	6.50			15.00					21.50		21.50
*Danielson, St. Alban's	40	57.71	20.00	16	35.00				\$5.00	6.80	112.71	11.80
*Groton, Seabury Memorial	15	15.50	5.00	17	11.78					32.28	2.65	34.93
*Hebron, St. Peter's	5	6.10	.50		6.00				3.70	14.33	12.60	18.03
*Mystic, St. Mark's	20	19.00	7.50	6	12.50					22.09	39.00	61.09
*New London, St. James'	35	43.84	25.00		62.87					230.94	131.71	230.94
Niantic, St. John's	15	2.00	5.00	8						7.00		7.00
*Norwich, Christ Church	35	48.10	29.00		100.00					58.08	177.10	58.08
*" St. Andrew's	16	19.76			1.50					11.18	21.26	11.18
*" Trinity	30	54.62	40.00	25	52.83				5.00	33.41	147.45	38.41
Plainfield, St. Paul's Mission										35.00	151.44	35.00
*Pomfret, Christ Church	22	60.00	5.00		76.44	\$10.00				8.50	5.00	8.50
Poquetanuck, St. James'	4	5.00								15.59	5.00	13.50
Putnam, St. Philip's			5.00								15.59	20.59
*Stonington, Calvary	14	48.05	25.00	28	62.58	22.75	32.10		5.00	59.81	158.38	96.91
*Willimantic, St. Paul's	7	6.94	5.00		6.24					22.92	18.18	22.92
*Windham, St. Paul's	9	13.87	20.00	12	19.90	12.25	10.13		5.00	18.08	66.02	33.16
*Yantic, Grace Church	22	31.17	105.00	15	26.00					12.21	162.17	12.21
New London Archdeaconry			14.87								14.87	14.87
Total	298	\$451.26	\$311.87	137	\$504.39	\$45.00	\$44.88		Cash	\$23.70	\$562.16	\$1312.52
						Cash	Boxes		Cash	Boxes	\$630.74	\$1943.26

*Represented at November Meeting

†Represented at January Meeting

SUMMARY OF MONEY AND BOXES GIVEN THROUGH THE CONNECTICUT WOMAN'S AUXILIARY
 TO THE NATIONAL COUNCIL, FROM JANUARY 1, 1936 TO JANUARY 1, 1937,
 INCLUDING THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

Archdeaconries	No. of Contributors	Budget	Specials	No. of Blue Boxes	United Thank Offering	Church Periodical Club	Comfort Club	Church Mission of Help	Supply Department Boxes Value	Total Offerings	Total Value of Boxes	Grand Total
Fairfield	918	\$1565.39	\$1381.50	627	\$2548.58	\$11.00	\$44.91	\$47.00	\$98.50	\$3105.36	\$5553.47	\$3248.77
Hartford	728	1444.74	1527.78	574	1538.44	36.00	\$45.00	3.50	47.00	1310.37	4591.96	1360.87
Litchfield	342	627.63	337.00	553	1324.46	4.00	63.00	18.10	3.25	15.00	679.13	2359.34
Middlesex	188	352.92	408.25	88	332.70		10.00		7.00	528.57	1103.87	535.57
New Haven	1427	2377.50	1345.27	797	2333.34	9.00	30.00	31.00	15.00	1791.03	6110.11	1907.03
New London	298	451.26	311.87	137	504.39		45.00	44.88	23.70	562.16	1312.52	630.74
From Diocese			417.25								417.25	417.25
Other Income			1537.74				12.70				1550.44	1550.44
									*500.00		500.00	500.00
									†167.61		167.61	167.61
Totals	3901	\$6819.44	\$7266.66	2776	\$8581.91	\$60.00	205.70	\$142.39	\$65.25	\$276.20	\$8644.23	\$22998.96
							Cash	Boxes	Cash	Boxes		\$ 9062.82
												\$32061.78

*Supply Fund

†G. F. S.

PARISH PRESIDENTS

(Listed in the files of the Diocesan Secretary according to latest information furnished by the parishes)

Fairfield Archdeaconry

Bethel—St. Thomas'—Mrs. Thomas M. Godwin, 26 Greenwood Ave., Bethel
 Bridgeport (Black Rock)—St. Andrew's—
 Mrs. Mary M. Farwell, 2870 Fairfield Ave., Bridgeport
 " Calvary—Mrs. W. Barton Judd, 329 Amsterdam Ave., Bridgeport
 " Christ Church—
 Mrs. Alfred B. Beers, Jr., 753 Fairfield Ave., Bridgeport
 " Church of the Nativity—
 Miss L. McCarty, 816 North Ave., Bridgeport
 " St. George's—
 Mrs. William Wheeler, 110 Unquowa Hill, Bridgeport
 " St. John's—
 Mrs. Paul R. Griffith, 24 Brooklwan Trerace, Bridgeport
 " St. John's Junior Branch—
 Miss Esther Edwards, 276 Park Ave., Bridgeport
 " St. Luke's—
 Mrs. William H. Jepson, 510 Wilmot Ave., Bridgeport
 " St. Mark's—
 Mrs. Henrietta Gordon, 2 Beardsley Lane, Bridgeport
 " St. Michael's—
 Mrs. Joseph Caserta, Care of St. Michael's, Bridgeport
 " St. Paul's—Mrs. George W. Dane, 35 Rose St., Bridgeport
 " Trinity—Mrs. John Wolfe, 130 Harral Ave., Bridgeport
 Danbury—St. James'—Mrs. John C. Downs, 39 Fairview Ave., Danbury
 Darien—St. Luke's—Mrs. William M. Meredith, Cedar Gate, Darien
 Easton—Christ Church—
 Miss Laura A. Dowd, Greenfield Hill, R. F. D. 10, Fairfield
 Fairfield—St. Paul's—Mrs. Mathew Clarke, 16 Unquowa Road, Fairfield
 Greenwich—Christ Church—
 Mrs. Reginald Roome, 135 Park Ave., Greenwich
 Huntington—St. Paul's—Miss Lavinia M. Beard, P. O. Box 174, Shelton
 Long Hill—Grace Church—
 Mrs. H. E. Walker, Box 217, Route No. 4, Bridgeport
 Monroe—St. Peter's—Mrs. Edwards S. Beardsley, R. F. D. No. 2, Stepney
 New Canaan—St. Mark's—Mrs. S. C. Shapleigh, Box 212, New Canaan
 New Canaan—St. Mark's Junior Branch—
 Mrs. John E. Hersam, 37 Hoyt St., New Canaan
 Newtown—Trinity—Mrs. Frederick F. Johnson, Lower Main St., Newtown
 Nichols—Trinity—Mrs. Silas Westcott, 1354 Huntington Turnpike, Nichols
 Norwalk—Christ Church—Mrs. F. M. Wheeler, 17 Edlie Ave., East Norwalk

Norwalk—Grace Church—Mrs. Frank Brundage, Bettswood Road, Norwalk
 Norwalk—St. Paul's—Mrs. John Lapham, Wilson's Point, Norwalk
 Old Greenwich—St. Saviour's—
 Mrs. Theodore A. Liebler, Lockwood Point, Riverside
 Redding—Christ Church—Mrs. Jesse Sanford, Redding Ridge
 Ridgefield—St. Stephen's—
 Mrs. Robert N. Brace, 28 West Wilton Road, Ridgefield
 Riverside—St. Paul's—Mrs. F. A. Wilde, Sunset Road, Old Greenwich
 Sandy Hook—St. John's—
 Mrs. W. John Murphy, The Glen, R. F. D. No. 2, Sandy Hook
 Shelton—Good Shepherd—
 (*Treas.*) Mrs. Fred P. Brownson, 17 Myrtle St., Shelton
 South Norwalk—Trinity—
 Mrs. C. H. R. Godfrey, 6 Taylor Ave., South Norwalk
 Southport—Trinity—
 Mrs. William D. Powell, Green's Farms Road, Green's Farms
 Stamford (Springdale)—Emmanuel—
 Mrs. Courtland V. Zarr, R. F. D. No. 2, Stamford
 Stamford—St. Andrew's—
 Mrs. Kenneth R. Forbes, 27 Washington Ave., Stamford
 Stamford—St. John's—Mrs. Gerald Cunningham, 628 Main St., Stamford
 Stamford—St. Luke's Chapel—Mrs. Frank Woodhall, Birch Road, Darien
 Stratford—Christ Church—
 Mrs. Herbert W. Jepson, 472 Housatonic Ave., Stratford
 Tashua—Christ Church—Mrs. John W. Treadwell, R. F. D. No. 4, Bridgeport
 Weston—Emmanuel—Mrs. George Sherwood, Weston
 Westport—Christ Church—Mrs. William J. Wood, 57 Wright St., Westport
 Westport—Holy Trinity—Mrs. George Buchanan, Wilton Road, Westport
 Wilton—St. Matthew's—Mrs. F. Clerc Ogden, Wilton

Hartford Archdeaconry

Bloomfield—St. Andrew's (with Tariffville)
 Broad Brook—Grace Church—
 (*U. T. O. Treasurer*) Mrs. Clarence Bartlett, Broad Brook
 Bristol—Trinity—Mrs. Charles B. Green, 58 Walnut St., Bristol
 Collinsville—Trinity—Mrs. H. T. Reynolds, Collinsville
 East Berlin—St. Gabriel's—Mrs. Charles Cannon, East Berlin
 East Hartford—St. John's—
 Mrs. C. L. Mansur, 11 Sherman Ave., East Hartford
 Farmington—St. James'—Mrs. G. N. Van der Venter, Farmington
 Forestville—St. John's—Mrs. William Elliott, Lincoln St., Forestville
 Glastonbury—St. James'—Mrs. E. J. Cook, 434 Main St., Glastonbury
 Hartford—Christ Church Cathedral—
 Miss Martha B. Hollister, 638 Park Road, West Hartford
 " Good Shepherd—
 Miss Mary F. Lord, 267 Washington St., Hartford

Hartford—Grace Church—

Mrs. Henry Tracy, 41 Westfield Road, West Hartford

” St. Andrew’s—

Miss Mary W. Merritt, 100 Bloomfield Ave., Hartford

” St. James’—Mrs. Charles Buchanan, 439 Franklin Ave., Hartford

” St. John’s—Mrs. Paul A. Larned, 1 Lilley Road, West Hartford

” St. Monica’s—Mrs. Elizabeth Davis, 116 Capen St., Hartford

” St. Monica’s Jr. Branch—

Miss Dorothy Davis, 185 Capen St., Hartford

” St. Paul’s—Mrs. Paolo Vasquez, 69 Grove St., Hartford

” Trinity—Mrs. Paul S. Van Wyck, 131 Kent St., Hartford

Hazardville—St. Mary’s—Mrs. Arthur Tracy, Box 143, Hazardville

Manchester—St. Mary’s—Mrs. Charles Wade, 73 School St., Manchester

New Britain—St. Mark’s—Miss Anna Kellogg, R. F. D. No. 2, New Britain

Newington—Grace Church—

(*White Envelopes*) Miss Jennie E. Chidley, R. F. D. No. 2, New Britain

Plainville—Church of Our Saviour—

Mrs. Emerson S. Pratt, 57 Forestville Ave., Plainville

Rockville—St. John’s—Mrs. William A. Kuhnly, 49 Talcott Ave., Rockville

South Glastonbury—St. Luke’s—Mrs. Henry H. Hunt, South Glastonbury

Southington—St. Paul’s—

(*U. T. O. and White Envelopes*) Mrs. Hiram Andrews, Milldale

Stafford Springs—Grace Church—

Mrs. George D. Wilcox, 15 Highland Terrace, Stafford Springs

Tariffville—Trinity—Mrs. Philip Bush, North Bloomfield

Thompsonville—St. Andrew’s—Mrs. A. C. Eddy, 6 South St., Thompsonville

Unionville—Christ Church—

(*White Envelopes*) Mrs. Ada C. T. Woodford, Unionville

Warehouse Point—St. John’s—Mrs. Albert Jepson, Windsor Locks

West Hartford—St. James’—

Mrs. R. C. Tuffin, 51 Argyle Ave., West Hartford

Wethersfield—Trinity—

Mrs. William H. Sterzing, 76 Church St., Wethersfield

Windsor—Grace Church—Mrs. George H. Maude, Sycamore St., Windsor

Windsor Locks—St. Paul’s—

(*White Envelopes*) Mrs. Henry Cutler, Windsor Locks

Litchfield Archdeaconry

Bantam—St. Paul’s—Mrs. F. B. Hotchkiss, Bantam

Bethlehem—Christ Church—Mrs. Mary E. Flynn, Bethlehem

Bridgewater—St. Mark’s—Mrs. E. R. Wooster, Bridgewater

Brookfield—St. Paul’s—Mrs. C. B. Carpenter, Brookfield Center

Canaan—Christ Church—Mrs. K. Miller, Canaan

Kent—St. Andrew’s—Miss Fannie Edwards, Kent

Lime Rock—Trinity—Miss Julia Goodwin, Falls Village

Litchfield—St. Michael’s—Mrs. William J. Brewster

Marble Dale—St. Andrew's—None
 New Milford—St. John's—
 Mrs. Merritt W. Hill, 17 South Main St., New Milford
 Oakville—All Saints'—Mrs. Raymon Beach, Coulter St., Oakville
 Pine Meadow—St. John's—None
 Plymouth—St. Peter's—Mrs. Mary Wadham, Plymouth
 Roxbury—Christ Church—Mrs. W. D. Humphrey, Roxbury
 Salisbury—St. John's—Mrs. S. J. Hutton, Salisbury
 Sharon—Christ Church—Mrs. George V. A. Kirby, Sharon
 Terryville—St. Mark's—Mrs. F. L. Mathis, 45 Prospect St., Terryville
 Thomaston—Trinity—Mrs. George Buchanan, Box 314, Thomaston
 Torrington—Trinity—Mrs. E. F. Knapp, 310 Migeon Ave., Torrington
 Washington—St. John's—Mrs. Howard Snow, Washington
 Watertown—Christ Church—
 Mrs. William A. Bartlett, Hemingway Park Road, Watertown
 Winsted—St. James'—Miss Vidala Jenkins, 40 Hillside Ave., Winsted
 Woodbury—St. Paul's—Miss Edith Benham, Woodbury

Middlesex Archdeaconry

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 Clinton—Holy Advent—Mrs. John Ashcroft, Clinton
 Durham—Epiphany—Mrs. George B. Gilbert, R. F. D. No. 2, Middletown
 East Haddam—St. Stephen's—Mrs. Thomas Willetts, R. F. D. East Haddam
 East Hampton—St. John's—Mrs. Wyman Hill, East Hampton
 Essex—St. John's—Mrs. L. V. Scholes, Essex
 Hadlyme—Grace Chapel—Mrs. E. Beckwith, Hadlyme
 Ivoryton—All Saints'—Mrs. Robert E. Johnson, Ivoryton
 Emmanuel—Killingworth—Mrs. Joseph Bulk, R. F. D., Durham
 Maromas—St. Andrew's—Mrs. J. Pokorney, R. F. D. No. 3, Middletown
 Middle Haddam—Christ Church—Mrs. George Lawson, Middle Haddam
 Middletown—Christ Church—
 Mrs. Anna F. Chisholm, 409 Ridge Road, Middletown
 Middletown—Holy Trinity—
 Mrs. James B. Hasselman, 126 Broad St., Middletown
 Ponsett—St. James'—Mrs. Clinton Hubbard, Higganum
 Portland—St. John Baptist—Mrs. George E. Stocking, Portland
 Portland—Trinity—Mrs. E. LeRoy Brainerd, Portland
 Saybrook—Grace Church—Mrs. G. B. Smith, Saybrook
 Westbrook—St. Paul's—Mrs. James G. Holbrook, Westbrook

New Haven Archdeaconry

Ansonia—Christ Church—Mrs. R. H. Tucker, 92 Beaver St., Ansonia
 Ansonia—Immanuel—Mrs. Arthur C. Anderson, 234 Wakelee Ave., Ansonia
 Bethany—Christ Church—Mrs. Addie Downs, R. F. D. No. 2, Bethany
 Branford—Trinity—Mrs. F. S. Jourdan, 102 West Main St., Branford

Cheshire—St. Peter's—Mrs. F. Wolf, West Cheshire

Derby—St. James'—Mrs. Russell Pollard, 190 New Haven Ave., Derby

Devon—St. Andrew's—Mrs. B. F. Poole, 19 Andrews' Ave., Milford

East Haven—Christ Church—
 Mrs. Richard L. Watson, 476 Thompson Ave., East Haven

Guilford—Christ Church—
 (*White Envelopes*) Mrs. Mary Norton Leete, Guilford

Hamden—Grace Church—Mrs. R. C. Finley, 2276 Whitney Ave., Hamden

Meriden—All Saints'—Mrs. W. J. Hyland, 3 Butler Court, Meriden

Meriden—St. Andrew's—Mrs. Thomas R. Cumberlidge, 66 Vine St., Meriden

Milford—St. Andrew's—Mrs. Edward Seerey, New Haven Ave., Woodmont

Naugatuck—St. Michael's—Mrs. H. L. Everest, Lane's End, Naugatuck

New Haven—All Saints'—Mrs. F. C. Williams, 31 Lamberton St., New Haven

 " " Church of the Ascension—None

 " " Christ Church—Mrs. C. C. Kennedy, 86 Broadway, New Haven

 " " Epiphany—
 Mrs. George Streit, 289 Quinnipiac Ave., New Haven

 " " St. Andrew's—Mrs. Fred Ebel, 34 Ford St., New Haven

 " " St. James'—Miss Evelyn Potter, 2038 State St., New Haven

 " " St. James the Apostle—
 Mrs. Jeanettie Sprague, 266 West Rock Ave., New Haven

 " " St. John's—
 Mrs. James D. Trask, 420 Humphrey St., New Haven

 " " St. Luke's—Miss Josie D. Phillips, 18 Garden St., New Haven

 " " St. Paul's—Parochial Society—
 Mrs. George A. Steele, 104 Filbert St., Spring Glen, New Haven

 " " St. Paul's—St. Elizabeth's Guild—
 Miss Iva Thomas, 279 Howard Ave., New Haven

 " " St. Thomas'—Mrs. L. A. Mansfield, 648 Orange St., New Haven

 " " Trinity—Mrs. Richard S. Lull, 200 Livingston St., New Haven

North Branford—Zion—Mrs. Francis J. Smith, North Branford

Northford—St. Andrews'—Mrs. A. A. Anderson, R. F. D. 3, Wallingford

North Guilford—St. John's—
 (*White Envelopes*) Mrs. LeRoy Oldack, Sr., Orange

North Haven—St. John's—Guild—
 Mrs. Horace Brockett, Peck St., North Haven

North Haven—St. John's—Evening Auxiliary—
 Mrs. Winford Smith, North Haven

Oxford—St. Peter's—Mrs. G. W. James, R. F. D. No. 1, Seymour

Quaker Farms—Christ Church—Mrs. Robert Hawkins, R. F. D., Southbury

Seymour—Trinity—Mrs. J. B. Honey, 9 Grand St., Seymour

Wallingford—St. Paul's—
 Mrs. C. H. Tibbits, 245 North Main St., Wallingford

Waterbury—All Souls'—
 Mrs. Archer Rowbottom, 317 Boyden St., Waterbury

 " " Christ Chapel—
 Mrs. S. A. Budde, 2030 East Main St., Waterbury

Waterbury—St. John's—Mrs. Frank N. Treat, 72 Wilson St., Waterbury
 " Trinity—Mrs. Robert Hulsart, 9 Thomas St., Waterbury
 " St. Paul's—Mrs. Homer C. Senior, 195 Boyden St., Waterville
 West Haven—Christ Church—Mrs. Mary J. Head, 371 Elm St., West Haven
 Yalesville—St. John's—Mrs. Frank J. Smith, Hanover St., Yalesville

New London Archdeaconry

Brooklyn—Trinity—Mrs. Sidney W. Bard, Brooklyn
 Colchester—Calvary—Mrs. Albert Van Cleve, South Main St., Colchester
 Danielson—St. Alban's—Mrs. Mary E. Stanton, Box 223, Danielson
 Groton—Seabury Memorial—
 Mrs. Frank T. Arms, 51 Glenwood Ave., New London
 Hebron—St. Peter's—(*Treas.*) Mrs. T. D. Martin, Hebron
 Mystic—St. Mark's—Miss M. Josephine Dickinson, 62 East Main St., Mystic
 New London—St. James'—
 Miss Mary E. Scroggie, 45 Fremont St., New London
 Niantic—St. John's—Mrs. E. E. Hilliar, Niantic.
 Norwich—Christ Church—Miss Louise Robinson, 59 Sachem St., Norwich
 Norwich—St. Andrew's—Mrs. Edwin J. Norris, 33 Eleventh St., Norwich
 Norwich—Trinity—Mrs. C. C. MacGregory, 26 Linden Parkway, Norwich
 Plainfield—St. Paul's—None
 Pomfret—Christ Church—Miss Elizabeth P. Andrews, Pomfret
 Poquetanuck—St. James'—None
 Putnam—St. Philip's—None
 Stonington—Calvary—Mrs. William F. Williams, Stonington
 Willimantic—St. Paul's—Mrs. Leander Anthony, 7 Turner St., Willimantic
 Windham—St. Paul's—
 Comfort Club Secretary, Miss Sarah Johnson, Windham
 Yantic—Grace Church—Mrs. Stanley Shultz, 300 Washington St., Norwich

**LIST OF MISSIONARIES IN THE FOREIGN FIELD FROM
THE DIOCESE OF CONNECTICUT**

Name and address when appointed	Field Address
English, Deaconess H. H. Torrington, Conn.	All Saints' Church St. Thomas, V. I.
Fenn, Rev. W. R. Oakville, Conn.	Anchorage, Alaska
Huntington, Rt. Rev. D. T., D. D. Trinity Church Hartford, Conn.	American Church Mission Lion Hill, Wuhu, China
Mann, Miss Winifred Trinity Church, New Haven, Conn.	Zamboamgo, P. I.
Mattocks, Rev. H. New Haven, Conn.	St. Stephen's Mission Manila, P. I.
Olsson, Rev. J. E. Naugatuck, Conn.	Shasi, China
Rose, Rev. Lawrence Andover, Conn.	St. Paul's University Ikebukuro, Tokyo, Japan
Ross, Miss Gladys M. Christ Church Bridgeport, Conn.	St. Elizabeth's Hospital Shanghai, China
*Tifft, Miss Lillian Trinity Church Seymour, Conn.	Fort Yukon, Alaska
Walker, Mr. M. P. Trinity Church Hartford, Conn.	Shanghai, China

*Indefinite leave of absence

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS

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

THE PRAYER FOR THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

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

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

(D) GOD, who hast sent Thy beloved Son to be unto us the way, the truth and the life, grant that we, looking unto Him may set forward the teaching power of Thy Church, to the nurture of Thy children, the increase of Thy Kingdom and the glory of Thy Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A PRAYER OF DEDICATION

(D) GOD, our Father, we dedicate ourselves anew to Thee and Thy service. Put into the heart of each of us such a love of Thee that we may truly love our neighbors as ourselves—a love that leaps the boundaries of race or color or creed or kind, that knows no distinction of class, that reaches out a saving hand even unto the least of these our brethren. Fill our lives with the single motive of service, and use us Lord, use us as Thou wilt, and when and where; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FOR OUR PRAYER PARTNER

(D) LORD Jesus Christ, Who has sent Thy messengers into all the world to proclaim the good tidings of salvation, Grant that with pure heart and holy life, with loving zeal and steadfast faith, our missionary may witness in Thy name: that so through her Thy will may be done and Thy Kingdom come. We ask it for Thy Blessed Name's sake. Amen.

A PRAYER FOR SERVICE

DEACH US, good Lord, to serve Thee as Thou deservest; to give and not to count the cost; to fight and not to heed the wounds; to toil and not to seek for rest; to labour and not to ask for any reward, save that of knowing that we do Thy will. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FOR GOD'S CONTINUOUS SUPPORT

DEAR LORD, support us all the day long of this troublous life, until the shadows lengthen, and the evening comes, and the busy world is hushed, and the fever of life is over, and our work is done. Then, in Thy mercy, grant us a safe lodging, and a holy rest, and peace at the last, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

A PRAYER FOR THE PARISH

DEAR LORD Jesus Christ, Who hast promised Thy presence and power to all who obey Thy command to tell the nations of Thy love, bless we pray Thee our efforts to strengthen and extend the work of our parish. To all who shall take any part in our plans give wisdom and zeal. Bind our people in a closer fellowship. If any have grown careless, help us lead them back to Thy House that their love for Thee may be renewed. Teach us to pray, labor and give more faithfully for the extension of Thy Kingdom among men. Of Thy mercy we ask this, O Blessed Saviour of the world, Who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, ever, one God, world without end. Amen.

MID-DAY PRAYER

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

MID-DAY PRAYER

ALMIGHTY Saviour, who at mid-day didst call Thy servant Saint Paul to be an apostle to the Gentiles; We beseech Thee, illumine the world with the radiance of Thy glory, that all nations may come and worship Thee, who art with the Father and the Holy Ghost one God, world without end. Amen.

CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB PRAYERS

(P)LORD Jesus Christ, Who art the Light of the World, pour out, we beseech Thee, upon all Thy servants Thy Holy Spirit of Wisdom and understanding that they may know the hope of Thy calling, the riches of Thine inheritance in the saints, and the greatness of Thy power to us who believe. More especially we pray Thee to direct and prosper the Church Periodical Club that in all its prayer and labor it may be enabled to make the light of Thy glory shine forth in the dark places of the earth. And do Thou of Thy mercy and grace establish Thy Church in the truth of Thy Gospel who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Spirit ever One God, world without end. Amen.

BLESS, O Lord, we pray Thee, the Church Periodical Club, that it may be an instrument of service in Thy hands. Grant to its officers wisdom and patience, to its members perseverance and the spirit of sharing that asks no return. Bring many more to take part in its activities. Bless our gifts and those who receive them, to the enriching of individual lives and to the growth of Thy Kingdom, throughout the world, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

CLOSING PRAYER

(P)GOD, OUR Father, have regard to our prayers, answer them according to Thy will, and make us the channels of Thine infinite love and helpfulness, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

FORM OF A DEVISE OR BEQUEST TO THE SOCIETY

I give, devise and bequeath to the Connecticut Branch of the

Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Church, Incorporated, the sum

of _____ Dollars

to be applied for the purposes of said Society.

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