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**FIRST ANNUAL REPORT**

of the

**CHURCH SERVICE LEAGUE**

and

**TENTH ANNUAL REPORT**

of the

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of the

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The officers of the Parish branches of all Women's organizations are asked to read this Annual and inform themselves of what has been done, also to make suggestions for the improvement and advancement of our work. May we ask the Rectors to give this Annual careful consideration and also send suggestions for improvement.

It is asked of Parish Presidents and Secretaries that at least one meeting be given to the study of this Annual, especially the statistical report.

Any one having copies of the Annuals from 1904 to date will kindly communicate with the Secretary, as some copies are desired to complete file.

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## SUGGESTED SERVICE FOR USE IN AUXILIARY MEETINGS

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All Standing—Hymn (if desired.)

Leader—Peace be unto our meeting.

All Present—And upon all of our members and parish.

Leader—Our help is in the name of the Lord.

All Present—Who hath made heaven and earth.

Leader—Blessed be the name of the Lord.

All Present—Henceforth world without end.

Leader—O Lord, open Thou our lips.

All Present—And our mouth shall show forth Thy praise.

Leader—The Lord be with you.

All Present—And with Thy Spirit.

Leader—Let us pray.

Leader—O Lord, save the State.

Answer—And mercifully hear us when we call upon Thee.

Leader—Give peace in our time, O Lord.

Answer—For it is Thou, Lord only, that makest us dwell in safety.

Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be Thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, As it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, forever and ever. AMEN.

DIRECT us, O. Lord, in all our doings with Thy most gracious favour, and further us with Thy continual help; that in all our works begun, continued, and ended in Thee, we may glorify Thy Holy Name, and finally, by Thy mercy, obtain everlasting life, through Jesus Christ, Our Lord. AMEN.

O LORD JESUS CHRIST, who in the day of Thy flesh didst accept the services of faithful women, who administered unto Thee in their substance; Be pleased, we humbly ask, to bless our endeavors to aid and encourage missionaries. Put into our hearts the things we should do and say to promote Thy glory. Grant that we may never be discouraged under difficulties, but go forward with faith and hope looking unto Thee. Have pity on those who know Thee not, on those who are far from the Church of their fathers in a strange land; visit them with Thy salvation, and grant that they may be speedily brought to acknowledge Thee as their Lord and Master Christ. Hear us, and answer this our prayer, Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. AMEN.

### FOR MISSIONS.

O GOD, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send Thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off and to them that are nigh;

Grant that all men everywhere may seek after thee and find thee. Bring the nations into Thy fold, and add the heathen to thine inheritance. And we pray thee shortly to accomplish the number of thine elect, and to hasten thy kingdom; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

FOR OUR RECTOR.

O, LORD JESUS CHRIST, who hast laid upon the shoulders of men the burden of souls, and hast sent them forth throughout the world as Pastors and Stewards of Thy Mysteries to prepare and make ready Thy way, bless the labors of our Rector to whose care has been committed the interests of this Parish. Strengthen him with Thy might, encourage him with Thy abiding presence. Fill his memory with the words of Thy Law, enlighten his understanding with the illumination of the Holy Ghost, and may all the wishes and desires of his will be centered in what Thou hast commanded. Be ever with him in the performance of all the duties of his ministry; in prayer, to quicken his devotion; in praise, to brighten his love and gratitude; and in preaching to give him a readiness of thought and expression suitable to the clearness and excellency of Thy Holy Word, and to Thee with the Father, and the Holy Ghost will we give all praise both now and evermore.—AMEN.

HEAVENLY FATHER, we pray Thee to bless us and all members of the Junior Auxiliary, with wisdom, zeal and constancy, in our work for Thee. Prosper the Missions of Thy Holy Church (especially those in \_\_\_\_\_) and strengthen with the Holy Spirit all who are engaged in missionary work; through Jesus Christ, our Lord. AMEN.

FOR NOON-TIDE, DAILY.

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

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

THE grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore.—AMEN.

## Tribute to Miss Julia C. Emery

As we gather at our Annual Meeting the sense of our great loss, in the death of our dear Miss Julia Emery, our wise and efficient leader, is felt more keenly and we the members of the Woman's Auxiliary of East Carolina wish to give some expression of our sorrow and joy. Our sorrow for our loss is far surpassed by our gladness that her pure spirit has been released from the burden of the flesh before that burden became too heavy, and has entered into the joy of her Lord whom she served so faithfully.

We miss her glad welcome which she always gave to her fellow workers as she met us at Diocesan Councils or the larger gatherings of the Triennial when she never failed to recognize us, though the meetings were far apart. Her gentleness and modesty with her devout zeal was an inspiration to all workers, who delighted to follow one of her clear judgment of right things to be done. We believe that her prayers, sympathy and interest are with us and her firmness in having them done in whatever good we may under-

"The Living Church" reminds us that Miss Emery in a measure leaves three monuments to her memory. One is the Woman's Auxiliary itself. Another "A Century of Endeavor," is the history of the Missionary Society which she published last year. The third is the Emery Fund, named in honor of the three Emery Sisters, designed by the Woman's Auxiliary to be used for missionaries. We can well realize what a power such a character means when leaving behind such memorials, so in her closing words at the Jubilee last fall, let us do her bidding "to make every effort with one end in view—that each day we live, each work we do, each word we say, may give our Lord and Saviour, the Master of us all, Joy and Light."

By the Committee:—

MRS. NATHANIEL HARDING, Washington.

MARIAN F. SKINNER, Edenton.

MRS. W. WELDON HUSKE, Fayetteville.

MRS. BURGESS URQUHART, Woodville.

MRS. WILLIAM CALDER, Wilmington.

MRS. SOL CHERRY, Windsor.

## MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING.

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The Woman's Auxiliary and Church Service League of the Diocese of East Carolina met in the Parish House of St. Stephens, Goldsboro, at nine thirty o'clock on Tuesday morning, April the twenty-fifth. The meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. James G Staton.

The Chaplain, Archdeacon Drane, opened the meeting with a short devotional service.

On behalf of the women of St. Stephen's Parish, Mrs. W. O. Cone very graciously welcomed the guests. The response was made by Mrs. Wm. Latimer. The secretary then called the roll. The meeting then adjourned to attend the opening of the Council and to hear the Bishop's address.

On reassembling, the President read her report for the year 1921. She spoke particularly of the pleasure and profit derived by the delegates who attended the Sewanee Summer School.

Mrs. Richard Williams, First Vice-President and President of the Convocation of Edenton next made her report, enumerating 17 out of 37 parishes who had contributed to every object on the report. Mrs. Williams very strongly urged the sending of delegates to some one of the various summer schools and conferences for the training of leaders. She also stressed the importance of each parish having a carefully worked out program at the beginning of the year's work.

Her report was followed by that of Mrs. S. P. Adams, the second Vice-President and President of the Convocation of Wilmington. Mrs. Adams reported several small parishes in which every woman was an active member of the Auxiliary, an inspiring example of the power of a faithful few.

In the absence of Mrs. Hines, Mrs. J. N. Bynum read the Secretary's report. The reading of the Treasurer's report was interrupted by the closing of the first session of the Council, and the meeting adjourned for luncheon at Mr. George Royall's, to re-assemble at 2:30 P. M.

## AFTERNOON SESSION.

The President called the session to order at 2:30. After a short devotional service by the Chaplain, Archdeacon Drane, the business of the meeting was resumed, the completing of the Treasurer's report being first.

Mrs. Woolvin of St. John's, Wilmington, the United Thank Offering Treasurer for the Diocese, read the report the report of the United Thank Offering. Mrs. Woolvin stated that the U. T. O. objective in October, 1922, was one million dollars and that this meant a Blue Box in the hands of every woman.

The Educational Secretaries next made their reports, Miss Minnie Albertson for the Convocation of Edenton, and Mrs. Cardwell of Wilmington, for the Convocation of Wilmington. Both reported progress along the line of study and discussion classes.

Miss Rena Harding, President of the Church School Service League, reported on the work of the boys and girls of the Diocese. She urged further support in this department.

The President of the Girls' Friendly Society, Miss Dail of New Bern, emphasized particularly the value of the Holiday House at Wrightsville and urged a wider use of it.

Mrs. A. M. Waddell, Field Secretary, then spoke briefly of her work and said among other things, that her itinerary could not be published and that she could be more useful to the Diocese if the Parishes would make known their need of her and set a definite time for her visit.

In the absence of the Box Secretary, Mrs. Sidney McMullen, the Secretary read a list of the boxes sent during the year.

As Correspondent of the Church Periodical Club, Mrs. Waddell reviewed briefly the purpose of the Club and outlined the working of that organization. She also spoke of the needs of St. Paul's Library, Tokyo, and urged the support of the women of the Church.

Mrs. T. C. Darst, Secretary of the Guild of St. Barnabas, reported encouragingly of the progress of this Church activity, spoke of its aims and possibilities and advocated the formation of Chapters wherever possible.

The report of Mrs. Nathaniel Harding, President of the Daughters of the King, was read, in her absence, by the Secretary. She reported only one active Chapter in the entire Diocese.

The President then introduced the speaker of the afternoon, Miss Venetia Cox, who is home on furlough from her work in Hankow, China. Miss Cox aroused much interest in the Church schools in China, an interest which later expressed itself tangibly in a contribution from the Woman's Auxiliary and Church Service League toward the purchase of a victrola to aid her in her work.

At the conclusion of Miss Cox's talk, Miss Steva Dodson was asked to tell of her work in China also. Miss Dodson, after 32 years work among the women of China, was in a position to speak most forcefully of the blessings of Christianity to them.

At the close of these two most interesting talks, the President named three committees, the first consisting of Mrs. N. H. Harding, Mrs. W. W. Huske, Miss Marion Skinner, Mrs. Sol Cherry, Mrs. Burgess Urquhart and Mrs. Wm. Calder to prepare a resolution on Miss Emery's death. The second, to express a message of sympathy to Miss Susan Collier was made up of Mrs. Harney, Mrs. Lay and Mrs. Duffy.

Mrs. Huffines, Mrs. Shackleford and Mrs. Jeffreys were named on the Courtesy Committee.

Two short conferences followed, one of the Church Periodical Club lead by Mrs. Waddell and the other on the Girl's Friendly Society, lead by Miss Cantwell.

A second roll call showed 30 present from the Convocation of Edenton and 41 from the Convocation of Wilmington, a total of 71.

The President then reviewed briefly the use of Diocesan funds of the Woman's Auxiliary and Church Service League and suggested that the delegates to the Portland Convention be given authority to make a pledge on behalf of the Diocese should occasion arise. After prayers by the Chaplain the meeting adjourned.

## WEDNESDAY MORNING SESSION.

The meeting was opened with a short devotional service by Archdeacon Drane at the close of which he spoke to the meeting on his work in Alaska, and acknowledged gratefully the support given him by the women of East Carolina.

Archdeacon Drane's address was followed by an informal talk by Dr. Sturgis of New York on needs and conditions in the Mission fields as seen by him on his recent tour. Questions on the box were asked and answered and so much interest aroused that the meeting voted to make a contribution of \$200.00 out of the general treasury to be used for Easter School, Baguio, as they see fit.

A rising vote of thanks was then extended to Dr. Sturgis for his message.

In the absence of Mrs. Sidney McMullen, Secretary for the box work in the Diocese, Mrs. Poisson presided at a short conference. Mrs. Poisson said it was very necessary for a box secretary to be appointed in every parish and for the name of this officer to be reported promptly to the convocation Box Secretary. She advocated the organization of a surgical dressing department in parishes where there were enough to carry on the work, her idea being for each Church to be responsible for the work for one day in the week.

At this point the Bishop entered and said the noonday prayers for Missions. In his annual address which followed, he told of the great good accomplished through the Bishop's fund and made an inspiring appeal for the support of the women in upholding the old high standards of social life. He then named the delegates to the Triennial Convention to be held in Portland, Oregon, on Sept. 5, 1922.

From the Woman's Auxiliary: Mrs. James Grist Staton, Mrs. James F. Woolvin, Mrs. S. P. Adams, Mrs. Guy A. Cardwell, Mrs. C. W. Melick. Alternates: Mrs. A. M. Waddell, Mrs. B. R. Husk, Mrs. S. M. Boatwright, Mrs. Sidney McMullen, Mrs. Owen Guion.

From the Church Service League: Miss Rena Harding, Mrs. George B. Elliott. Alternates: Mrs. Roy Hampton, Miss Carrie Myers.

The matter of the vote for women was dismissed as embodied in Resolution 46 of the Lambeth Conference, namely:

"That women should be admitted to those Councils of the Church to which laymen are admitted and on equal terms." A vote was taken and the resolution was not endorsed.

After a general discussion on the effectiveness of the Church Service League, the meeting adjourned for luncheon.

#### AFTERNOON SESSION.

The meeting was opened by the devotional service and then turned over to Miss Rena Harding who conducted a most interesting conference on the Church School Service League. She mentioned some of the things which mar the joy of the recipients of the Christmas boxes and urged more care and thoughtfulness in the selection and preparation of gifts. Two splendid papers were read dealing with the place of gift making and gift giving in the religious training of a child.

At the conclusion of this conference, Miss Dail spoke briefly of Miss Eula Disosway who is preparing herself for medical missionary work. Miss Dail asked for the interest and prayers of the women of the diocese in behalf of Miss Disosway.

Then followed the reports of committees, that on Miss Emery's death being read by Miss Marion Skinner, the resolutions of sympathy to Miss Collier read by Mrs. Harney. The report of the Committee on Courtesy was read by Mrs. Huffines which was followed by a rising vote of thanks to Goldsboro.

On motion of Mrs. Waddell, it was carried that \$60.00 be taken from the general treasury and used for the support of one Near East orphan for one year.

Archdeacon Drane then brought a message conveying the thanks of the Council for the work done by the women during the past year.

The minutes of the first three sessions were then read and approved.

A rising vote of thanks was tendered Mrs. Bynum for her service as acting secretary.

The meeting closed with prayers by Archdeacon Drane.

MRS. JOSEPH N. BYNUM,  
Acting Secretary.

## THE PRESIDENT'S REPORT.

It is a pleasure and privilege to meet again, after nine years, with the good women of St. Stephen's, Goldsboro. When I came to you in 1913, it was my first Annual Meeting as your diocesan president, so we meet today as old and tried friends.

One of your leaders, Miss Sue Collier, was among my first friends in Church work in East Carolina. At my first meeting, she was the presiding officer and conducted much of the work which is now carried on by a dozen of us! We marvel at what she accomplished, but ever ready to give of her time and self, she has always been an example of what an auxiliary officer should be and what the best type has always been. She is one of three women who influenced me to work in the diocese and I wish to take this opportunity to publicly thank her for her many acts of kindness and encouragement through the years.

The first work for 1921 done by your president was the sending of many letters relative to the work for the year. You know this work, assessments, is given me by the Bishop, after which I divide it between the two convocations, and your convocational presidents divide it up among the parishes.

In April came our delightful and helpful meeting in St. Paul's, Edenton. The outstanding recommendation from your president was regarding a campaign to build or equip parish houses. Something has been accomplished in this direction, and we are glad to learn of more plans for the immediate future.

As a member of the Bishop and Executive Council it was your president's privilege to meet with that body at Clinton in May and again in November at Wilmington.

In August came the Sewanee Summer Training School for Church workers. Too much cannot be said about those two delightful and inspiring weeks in the mountains of Tennessee. Although we had rain for one-half our stay, no one minded it in the least nor missed a single class or outing on that account. The classes were helpful and we made careful notes which it would be a pleasure to pass on to others. Dr. Boynton led a class on the Teacher, Mr. Jonnard on School Management and Mr. Reese on the Young People's Service League, and Miss Cooper on Story Telling, the courses selected by your president.

Mr. Gordon Reese's work was rather unusual and a beautiful combination for developing the whole man. The class work was much the same as given at any Summer school. The recreations made the lovely combinations. One Saturday evening's outing is worthy of mention. Feeling too old to hike off to a mountain top with a crowd of young people, one readily consented to join a party going to a fraternity hall for the evening. Walking along the

distance seemed rather great for the objective, but the end proved to be Green's View. The rain had left enough mist to give the mountains an appearance of the sea shore, but the clouds would lift enough to reveal the heights. While the marshmallows were being toasted, stories were told by the young people and songs enlivened the hour. From the purely social we were led up to the more serious side and given a climax story by Dr. Louis Tucker as a preparation for the Early Communion of the next morning. A talk and prayers by Mr. Reese, then all walking silently back to our rooms. It was thrilling and inspiring and a very happy and healthy preparation. Who shall say but it was the wisest kind after a week of class work?

The Conference voted against the 46th Resolution of the Lambeth Conference.

Mrs. Clark as Dean of the Department of Missions gave many interesting afternoons. Your President was the chairman of the committee on the Auxiliary resolution.

During the Provincial meeting at Savannah in November we had the privilege of worshipping in Christ Church, which may be called the Mother of the Sunday School, as the oldest one was begun there in 1736 and served by John Wesley. It continues active.

Dr. William G. Sturgis made a helpful address on the Nation Wide Campaign, showing us many needs in different fields. He is with us at this Council and will address you. After hearing him, can't we women co-operate with the men and make East Carolina again secure the banner for contributions to the Nation Wide Campaign?

Our business was conducted smoothly and quickly. The officers of the Provincial Church Service League were re-elected to serve until 1923. This means that Mrs. Waddell is the Provincial Correspondent for the Church Periodical Club and your president, the Auxiliary representative and treasurer.

Our own Bishop made an inspiring address and led the prayers at one session.

Miss Lindley's address on leadership was so helpful. She warned us against discouragement and shirking responsibilities, urging us to serve when called, to use our talents, not to hide them.

In November it was a rare privilege to be present at a meeting of the Church Service League of St. James, Wilmington. This fine old parish has a very active league and the meeting was interesting with reports from all organizations.

Miss Rena Harding presented the call of the Church School Service League to St. James, and judging from the interest shown, we may expect to hear wonderful things accomplished, by our largest parish, for the young people.

Have you read Miss Julia C. Emery's book, *A Century of En-*

deavor? Ask your branch to buy a copy and pass it from member to member until all have read it thoroughly. The knowledge it contains makes it worthy of our attention, and the fact that it is written by our beloved Miss Emery demands that we read it as a memorial and appreciation of her life and work for the Auxiliary. Miss Emery was ever a friend to us in East Carolina as she was to all diocesan branches of the Auxiliary. She was a pleasant visitor to many of our Annual Meetings. This is the first one held since her passing to Paradise, so a committee will be named at this meeting to draw up a resolution of our love and respect. Truly we have lost a very dear friend. May we show our love for her by following the example which she set and working always for the spread of the Master's Kingdom on earth. May we have her same spirit of deep charity towards all and in this day when many old fashioned rules seem laid aside may we be more loving to each other and less critical and fault finding, but carry on God's work as He would have us do it, unselfishly, giving of ourselves freely and fully.

Before we go to Portland we must finish the Mary Hart Memorial. The amount is not great, but we can contribute something. You recall that Miss Hart founded the Little Helpers.

Alaska needs our magazines and asks that we send them promptly, packed flatly and write our names the same way each time on every package. Archdeacon Drane is with us as our Chaplain and will tell us of his work there and give us a personal word of just how appreciated the magazines are in the North, with the long winters, not so much dreaded for their cold as for their loneliness.

The Seaman's Church Institute sends us appeals to help them in the work for the sailors.

St. Luke's Hospital, Tokyo, needs a Nurses' Training School. Leaflets telling of this need are here for delegates to take home. A committee will be named at this meeting to keep this work before you from now until Portland. May I urge that all help to secure a creditable offering to announce at our Triennial? Contributions may be made at any time before January 1, 1923. This can be considered one of the calls from Headquarters for which we reserved the right to plead.

The answers to the recent questionnaire show that we do not agree with Resolution 46 of the Lambeth Conference. Also that we do wish our diocesan officers appointed by our Bishop, not elected. For the many lovely things said about the present staff I wish to thank you both personally and in the names of my fellow officers. We are glad to serve you and thank you most heartily for your kindness and loyal support and co-operation.

In October on St. Luke's Day it was my privilege to worship with the good women of Maryland in a service at Emmanuel Church,

Baltimore, commemorating the fiftieth anniversary of the Institution of the Woman's Auxiliary. The service was beautiful and uplifting and compared so favorably with our wonderful Triennial United Thank Offering service, where hundreds of women gather to return thanks to God.

Bishop Murray expressed on that program what we all feel about the Woman's Auxiliary, so I pass it on to you.

"The action of the General Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in Emmanuel Church, Baltimore, in 1871, authorized the women of the Church to organize a body auxiliary to the Board of Missions, constituted one of the most important epochs not only in the history of that particular branch of the Holy Catholic Church but also in the life of the world-wide Christianity itself.

It was the spirit of God, moving upon the face of dark and troubled water, saying, "Let there be light."

It was the establishment of a new order in the plan of the world's Christianization.

This wonderful movement and its results is incontrovertible evidence that the organization was born of God, that the Divine blessing has attended it through the years of its wonderful growth and that its present strength is due to the pious exercise of powers derived from a Source Divine.

It has been a bulwark of strength in itself and has served as an inspiration to the Church everywhere for the successful accomplishment of her mission, and especially so in time of trial and discouragement.

Nowhere has it done more for universal Christianity than in its work in the Diocese of Maryland, where it was born, and no bishop anywhere owes it more for all it counts in a bishop's life than does the bishop of that diocese.

"I thank God upon every remembrance" of the Woman's Auxiliary and pray for it the continuance of Divine favor in its individual, no less than its collective, capacity and membership."

Any organization which merits such high praise and has accomplished so much in fifty years, should not be lightly or unadvisedly merged into another.

Respectfully submitted,  
FANNIE CHASE STATON.

**REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY AND CHURCH SERVICE LEAGUE TO COUNCIL.**

Rt. Rev. Father in God:—

With gratitude we report our work progressing and advancing along those lines which cannot be counted in figures nor money, while the monetary part of our work has been most satisfactory.

Our honor roll shows Aurora, Creswell, Edenton, Elizabeth City, Farmville, Greenville, Hertford, Lake Landing, Plymouth, Roper, Washington, Williamston, Winterville, Winton, Windsor, and Yeatesville in the Convocation of Edenton; and Clinton, Faison, Fayetteville, Kinston, Lumberton, All Saints—New Bern, Snow Hill, Southport, Vanceboro, Ascension, Good Shepherd, St. James, and St. John's, Wilmington, in the Convocation of Wilmington.

The Spirit of Missions and the Mission Herald are gaining more Readers, but have not yet been given the places we desire for them in our hearts and homes.

The educational work under our earnest secretaries is making a steady advance, while we are becoming more strict in our requirements to merit praise. There were, last year, twenty-five classes or groups studying. The subjects include: The Bible, the Survey, Neighbors, Church History, The Episcopal Church and its Message for Men of Today, Our Church and Our Country, The New World, His Star in the East, Voices from Everywhere, The Emergency in China, and our Southern Highlanders, also liberal readings from the Spirit of Missions and the weekly Church papers.

Several Institutes have been held. Miss Mabel Lee Cooper, representing the Province of Sewanee, Miss M. P. Ford of South Carolina, our own educational secretaries. Miss Albertson and Mrs. Cardwell, being the leaders.

The study of Dr. Weigle's book, The Teacher, promises to bear fruit for many years to come.

Wilmington having many parishes has been most fortunate in group discussions and study classes with creditable attendance.

Elizabeth City still continues its Church Study Club from October to June, using text books, the Church papers and the Atlantic Monthly and the National Geographical magazine to give zest and outside information of a broad nature.

While the Girl's Friendly Society is organized with only seven branches, it has a membership of two hundred and forty, an increase of one hundred since last year.

The girls have done very good work in many fields, and contributed liberally to social service. Many brides have been made happy with thoughtful showers, while the social life has been enlivened with dramatics. Bible study has been kept up regularly. The influence of the Holiday House at Wrightsville Beach is ex-

tending each year. Last summer seventy guests were entertained during July and August, the house being rented in September. This property is valued at thirty-five hundred dollars and is free from debt, and made one hundred and fifty-six dollars and forty-six cents last year. We offer it to the Bishop and Clergy during eight months of the year, and hope they may use it at least some May or October when the days are delightful at the Beach. The president, Miss Rosa Dail with Miss Mary Lucy Cantwell, representing the secretary, attended the National Council at Hartford, Connecticut, in October, gaining enthusiasm and returning home with the determinations to make the Girl's Friendly in East Carolina a telling factor.

The Guild of St. Barnabas for Nurses is organized in the See City and has several members at large.

The Field Secretary has visited twenty-one parishes, some more than once, making fifty talks, including five in other dioceses. She assisted in the organization of the Guild of St. Barnabas for Nurses in Wilmington and in forming a unit of the Church Service League in our sister diocese of North Carolina.

The Church Periodical Club has eight parish librarians with one hundred and thirty contributors sending two hundred and forty periodicals to recipients in all parts of the world. Seventy-six boxes have gone to orphanages and institutions, while two hundred and eighty Christmas and Easter cards, and one hundred and eighty-eight odd magazines and sheets of music have gladdened many hearts. Three diocesan institutions, have been aided and to one eleven sets of Child Nurture pictures were sent.

St. Paul's Library is still the great outstanding object to which we must contribute in order to measure up to the task entrusted to us by the General Church, and to help that great Church Institution to attain the position in the Empire of Japan to which its work entitles it. So far we in East Carolina have contributed but little, yet we have until August to make good.

The Province of Sewanee hopes to give a piano to the DuBose Memorial Church Training School through the Church Periodical Club and our Correspondent, Mrs. A. M. Waddell, will be so glad to receive contributions—or the piano!

Our Box Work or Supply Department is doing its work beautifully. Many boxes have been sent to Nebraska, South Dakota, Tennessee, Wisconsin, Virginia, and South Carolina. The Thompson Orphanage has been remembered and the Russian Relief has not been forgotten. The Supply Rooms are well stocked for emergency calls and the women have responded most cheerfully to appeals. After last year we can safely declare the new plan has justified its trial and will prove of inestimable value.

The usual two convocational meetings were held during the fall. Creswell, in November, entertained the Convocation of Edenton,

and gave inspiration to all delegates by having a full program including our field secretary, president of the Church School Service League and the educational secretary, Miss Albertson. Archdeacon Drane, who is a native of the Convocation and proudly claimed by its members, renewed our interest in his adopted home, Alaska. The Rev. J. N. Bynum interested us in social service.

Maxton entertained the Convocation of Wilmington in November, also. Mrs. Adams had been very recently appointed to her office as president of the woman's work in that convocation, but she filled the position worthy of high praise. Addresses from our educational secretary, Mrs. Cardwell, the United Thank Offering Treasurer and the president of the Church School Service League and our field secretary were helpful and inspiring. Mrs. Gillow, a visitor from Washington, D. C., talked of the work among the mountain folk and constructive training of children.

The report of the Church School Service League and Junior Auxiliary for last year is larger than that of the year before, although it is very incomplete. Many parishes sent in no report whatever and some of those sent in were not accurately made, due to change of leaders, loss of records and so forth, so that it is almost impossible to find out what some parishes have done. The reports are encouraging, however, for they show the enlarged activities. The boys and girls have helped in the Five Fields in various ways, giving their time and money, helping many schools, hospitals and orphanages and have given to Russian, Chinese, Near East and European Relief Funds. Their Christmas boxes were sent to Arizona, North Dakota, Thompson Orphanage, and the Seamen's Institute, New York. Their Birthday Offering, made last Whitsunday, amounted to \$138.78. Reports were received from fourteen Church School Service Leagues and four Junior Auxiliaries.

The president of the Church School Service League has been able to visit a number of the parishes in the diocese, speaking to Church School teachers and leaders of week day activities, Church School pupils and to congregations at the morning and evening services. Everywhere she has been so cordially welcomed, thus making her work a great pleasure. The only discouraging phase of the work is the lack of leaders. In many places we find children eager for a chance to share in the work and this opportunity is not given them. Can't we awaken the Church in East Carolina to her responsibility and furnish leaders so that the youth of the Church may be trained for service?

While the work of the president of the Church School Service League has not yet completed a year of service, her appointment has been fully justified. Her salary is one of the best investments which the women have made and we trust that the Bishop and

Executive Council will agree that the part paid by that body is equally well spent.

The United Thank Offering continues to grow and is more than at a corresponding time in the last triennium. We have been asked along with the whole body of women, to double what we gave in 1919, in order that our entire offering may reach the million dollar mark at Portland in September.

We are bravely trying to place a blue box in the hands of every woman in East Carolina. To arouse greater interest visits have been paid, pageants held and Corporate Communions and prayers remembered.

In 1919 we had two life offerings Miss Florence Huband who graduated last June as deaconess and has worked under Deaconess Carter this past winter: Miss Lula Discosway, who is still in training at Johns Hopkins.

Last year we had our largest representation at the Sewanee Summer Training School for Church Workers; our field secretary, the president of the Church School Service League, the chairman of the St. James, Wilmington, Church Service League, Miss Dora Bonner of Washington and our president.

At the St. Mary's Conference we had our field secretary, also Misses Norsworthy, Mary Woolvin, Isabel Swann, Mary Herbst, Mesdames Fixter, Nora Hewlett, W. T. Hines and Maude Partrick.

The Provincial meeting at Savannah in October had in attendance our president, field secretary and the president of the Church School League, our United Thank Offering Treasurer and our president. Mrs. Waddell was re-elected to represent the Church Periodical Club and Mrs. Staton the Auxiliary and be treasurer of the Provincial Church Service League, until 1923.

The Bishop and Executive Council had one representative in January, Mrs. MacMillan; two in May, Mrs. Williams and Mrs. Staton; and two in November, Mrs. MacMillan and Mrs. Staton. Our field secretary was twice welcomed as a visitor by the Council.

We are endeavoring to obtain the correct number of women on the parish rolls and can show some improvement in these statistics. We now report 2,226 women enrolled, 1,386 being members of some organization, but must report 338 as non-members. The figures are too uncertain to make comparisons, but we are glad those who are not members of any organization are decreasing a little. Our financial report shows:

All Parochial work.....	\$ 5,272.44
Missions and other work.....	4,917.38
United Thank Offering.....	1,351.23
Boxes .....	2,400.57
Juniors and Church School Service League....	3,166.91
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Total .....	\$17,108.53

This is a gain of \$2,781.83 over last year. Every assessment of money made our organization was paid in full, many over paid.

A recent questionnaire reveals the fact that our women do not wish Resolution 46 of the Lambeth Conference passed, nor do they now wish to have election of diocesan officers.

Again we wish to thank the Bishop and Rectors for their co-operation and courtesy and to pledge our loyal support and hearty co-operation to the Bishop and Executive Council and Rectors and to assure thees friends that we stand ready to help spread the Master's Kingdom on earth. Respectfully submitted,

FANNIE CHASE STATION,  
President Woman's Auxiliary Chairman Church Service League.

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REPORT OF FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT  
CONVOCATION OF EDENTON.

Madam President and Ladies of East Carolina.

Through the manifold blessings of an allwise Providence I have been granted the high privilege of serving another year as President of the Convocation of Edenton, while I feel that this service has not been so complete, as to entirely accord with my desires, yet I can truthfully say that every duty has been to me a genuine pleasure, and in submitting my Annual Report it carries with it deep gratitude for the appreciation with which my work has been received, and for the loyal support and the many courtesies that have been extended to me by all my co-workers. In reviewing the work of the year I find that activities all along the line have strengthened and advanced. The women as a whole, have been very much interested and have gone forward, and we have every reason to be grateful for the work of the women in our Convocation, for all the Branches have heartily co-operated in the great work given us to do and shown their loyalty in serving whenever called upon, but we of course realize, that there are many and great tasks yet, to be accomplished. The first meeting I attended of the Bishop and Executive Council was held in Clinton, in May. I received very valuable information which has been to me a great help. You all know during the summer months most of the Branches, do not hold regular meetings, but the Diocesan Officers still receive and write many letters relating to her work.

I began my Fall work by sending letters to all the Branches informing them of the Convocation of Edenton, to be held at Creswell in November, urging them to send delegates and insisted that all delegates should take part, that would count for something rowth while. The meeting was a success, a good attendance of

Clergy and Laity. The warmth of the reception by the kind people of Creswell could not have been exceeded.

The meeting of the Auxiliary and Parochial Societies were splendid, full of interest and loyalty in the work of their Master. Arch Deacon Frederick B. Drane of Alaska, our Field Secretary, President of the Church School Service League, our Educational Secretary and Rev. W. R. Noe, Executive Secretary of the Diocese were present and made interesting addresses, Rev. J. N. Bynum, Chairman of Department of Christian Social Service, presented to the Convocation a set of striking resolutions for the betterment of our Social life and a resolution was passed, "That we, as a body go on record as pledging ourselves as far as we are able to support these resolutions." We heartily commend the appeal for higher moral standards, to the thought and consideration of every Church woman. Reports and papers read were encouraging and helpful, showing methods of work and progress. The beautiful church at Creswell is a great credit to the congregation, and shows what a small parish can do, composed of loyal men and women.

We had planned to have two days succeeding the Convocation, a Normal Institute conducted by Miss Boyer, Assistant Educational Secretary, of the Church Missions House, New York. But found as she could not come this would have to be postponed until January, 1922. As I have advanced in knowledge of the work I have been brought to realize more and more the need of trained Leadership in the Church's Mission. In emphasizing this need I wish to suggest and strongly recommend that each Parish make a great effort to send one or more delegates to some of the Summer Conferences that information may be gained and such instruction acquired as to render the work more effective in deepening the spiritual life and activities of each member enlisted in the great army of soldiers bearing the banner of our Savior King. I have written the usual letters, sent out the Assessments and Report Blanks. In most cases have received prompt replies, but there are still some Branches from which I have never heard at all during the two years, that I have been doing the work. There are at present thirty-seven (37) active Societies in the Convocation. In looking over and summing up the reports all are good. I feel that each one deserves special mention for their faithful work. Most all have greatly increased their subscriptions to the "Mission Herald", and "Spirit of Missions." A large number of Study and Reading classes have been conducted, which is very gratifying. But some being unusually fine, their work should be more fully emphasized. The Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary and Parochial Society of the Church of the Holy Cross, Aurora, St. David's, Creswell, St. Paul's Edenton, Christ Church Elizabeth City, St. Paul's Greenville, Holy Trinity Hertford, St. George Lake Landing, Grace Church Plymouth, St. Lukes'

Roper, St. Luke's Winterville, St. John's Winton, St. Thomas' Windsor, St. Mary's Gatesville, St. Peter's Washington, Emmanuel Church Farmville. The Church of the Advent, Williamston, St. Mathews' Yeatesville, and St. James' Belhaven, have contributed to every object on the report. St. James Ayden, St. John's Grifton, St. Martin's Hamilton, Grace Church Woodville, have contributed to every object on the report but one, which is a fine record, and I feel that this omission is due to an oversight, Christ Church Branch of the Auxiliary, Elizabeth City, still has the largest number of members, in any one Society in our Convocation its membership being sixty-three (63); St. Peter's Branch Woman's Auxiliary, Washington, and St. Paul's Branch Auxiliary, Edenton, coming next, St. Paul's Parochial Society, Greenville, again has the credit of raising this year the largest amount of money, \$1,356.32. They are planning to build a new Church and Parish House.

I specially want to emphasize the good work done by the Auxiliaries of St. John's, Winton; Grace Church, Woodville; St. Mathew's, Yeatesville. The number of their members are 5, 7, 9, respectively with an average attendance of half the number. The total value of their work has been from \$36.75, to \$168.00. This should be an inspiration to us all. Winterville must be awarded the recognition of having the largest number in attendance at the meetings. They report three women on the Parish Roll, three members of the Auxiliary, an average attendance of three. They have done excellent work. I hope the request to observe a day of Intercession during Advent, and the suggested program for the Emery Celebration, and other requests, have been complied with. I have sent letters and leaflets, and tried in every way to keep in touch with the Branches and their work. I would suggest for next years' work.

1st. That every Parish make an especial effort to have one person attend a summer Conference, if possible, Sewanee.

2nd. That each member of the Societies will attend the meetings regularly.

3rd. That every Branch have a well prepared program for the year and that each person work diligently and pray earnestly for the success of the N. W. Campaign.

4th. In closing, I insist on all my co-laborers to take courage, to stand steadfast in the faith, be earnest in your purpose and ever given to frequent and private prayer to the kind Father that you may be sustained, and strengthened, by "His Mighty Hand". and outstretched arm, "in going forward to do the great work whereunto you have been called, ever keeping in view the brightness of the promised crown that when all our earthly work is finished, we shall receive at God's right hand a perfect peace that shall be eternal.

Respectfully submitted,

BESSIE J. WILLIAMS.

REPORT OF SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT  
CONVOCATION OF WILMINGTON.

Madam President, Officers and Women of East Carolina:

My appointment by Bishop Darst in November as President of the Convocation of Wilmington is so recent that I find myself your newest and most inexperienced officer. In taking up this work I feel deeply the responsibilities that go with the office, but hope, with willingness to serve and to learn, that I may be able to help keep the work up to the standard which your former officer set.

Soon after my appointment by the Bishop I wrote either to the President or Secretary of every organization in the Convocation of Wilmington, notifying them of my appointment. Notices were also sent out to all societies urging them to send delegates to Maxton to attend the Convocation which met there November 15th and 16th. I attended this meeting and while here were not as many delegates as we had hoped for, I feel those present were much helped by the addresses made by our Field Secretary, our United Thank Offering Treasurer and our Educational Secretary. In the afternoon Miss Rena Harding gave a most interesting talk concerning the Church School Service League. Mr. Noe also spoke on "Stewardship and Missions". Bishop Darst made a most appealing talk, which went to the hearts of all. Mrs. Gillow, a visitor from Washington, D. C., spoke of work among the mountain people and constructive training of children.

In December the annual report blanks were sent out I also sent notices to all organizations asking them to unite with members of the Church Service League in observing a day of Intercession and Meditation.

In the Convocation of Wilmington there are 32 Societies; 31 have sent in reports, leaving only one not reporting. 28 have paid their assessments in full. Many reports record a large number enrolled, but average attendance is small. Some of the smaller parishes have done splendid work, showing what the faithful few can do where there is interest and the willingness to work. Snow Hill with 8 members, Faison 6, Lumberton 6, and Red Springs 8, and Maxton 7, have all paid their assessments and also contributed to many other things. Vanceboro, Clinton, All Saints Chapel (New Bern) and the Church of the Ascension (Wilmington) while having little larger membership, have also paid their assessments and answered their calls. A number of parishes do not report study classes. In the interest to report work done this important record is omitted. There are four parishes in the Convocation of Wilmington that have the Church Service League. St. Mary's (Kinston) has merged all her societies into the Church Service League. Through Mrs. Waddell, a woman's auxiliary was organized at Hope

Mills late in the fall. From letters received, her visits have greatly stimulated the work in the smaller parishes. I find that very few parishes have a secretary for the Spirit of Missions and the Mission Herald. All the societies in St. John's, St. Paul's and St. James', Wilmington; St. John's, Fayetteville, and the Church Service League, Kinston, have done splendid work. The Auxiliary of Christ Church, New Bern, and the Auxiliary of St. Stephen's Church, Goldsboro, have also sent in good reports.

In closing this, my first report, I want to congratulate the societies that have worked so faithfully to meet all their obligations, and also to thank those in the Convocation of Wilmington from whom I received letters of encouragement shortly after my appointment. They were greatly appreciated. Let us pray earnestly that our work for the coming year may go forward and that the excellent reports of some of our societies may serve to encourage others to follow their example so that next year we may see an increase in membership and know that all meetings have been carefully and prayerfully planned.

Let us remember our Lord's command to serve Him, with all our heart, with all our soul and with all our mind.

Respectfully submitted,  
LILA M. ADAMS.

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#### REPORT OF DIOCESAN TREASURER UNITED THANK OFFERING.

Madam President and Women of East Carolina:

The Peace Thank Offering of the women of the Church will be presented in Portland in September. Has every woman in East Carolina had a share in the prayers and gifts that go to make up this, our wonderful United Thank Offering? If not, is it because some of us have failed in our duty to a less privileged sister, not giving her the opportunity to unite with us in a common act of prayer and sacrifice?

We must believe and make others believe, that the greatest privilege that can come to a woman, is to share in the only offering in the world that is given by self-denying women.

We must not forget what Dr. (now Bishop) Burleson told us in Kinston, that this Offering was absolutely the only money that the Board of Missions had in hand before work was planned and this is still true.

In Detroit the resolution was adopted that we would make our 1922 Offering \$1,000,000.00. Miss Lindley says that in order to do that, each diocese must double the 1919 Offering.

Our Offering in East Carolina is larger than ever before for a corresponding length of time, but it has not doubled itself by any means.

We accepted Mr. Franklin's offer and have sent to him \$4,035.94, which amount will be returned to us with interest gained before General Convention meets. During the short time that is left, let us use all diligence and zeal to bring this work to the knowledge and understanding of every Churchwoman in our diocese, that we may send to Portland such a gift to God as only sacrifice and devotion can make.

In October, 1919, two life offerings were presented from East Carolina. It is my privilege and pleasure to tell you that Miss Florence Huband completed her course last June and has worked under Deaconess Carter this winter. Miss Lula Disosway is still studying at Johns Hopkins.

When we met in Goldsboro in 1913, Mrs. Mary C. James offered the following resolution which we adopted: That each Branch of the Auxiliary arrange with its Rector for a Celebration of the Holy Communion on the same day and as nearly as possible the same hour, that the U. T. O. is presented in the General Convention. "She being dead yet speaketh."

Our Offering today, is what she has made it. What we know about the Offering is due to her teaching and her example, for she gave herself and she pleaded with us to do likewise. Can we not try conscientiously to do these things which she has asked us to do and which this body has accepted for us? Some of the women are doing well. I wish I had the time to tell you of our family of U. T. O. Treasurers. I should like for you to know them as well as I do. How promptly some have sent their U. T. O. twice each year, with the list of contributors, have had their Corporate Communion (or their meeting where there was no Rector)—had the U. T. O. Pageant and in every way, have tried to do what I have passed on to them as it has come to me, from the New York Office.

We took for our slogan during this Triennium "A blue box in the hands of every woman." Let us conscientiously and patiently try to do this. The U. T. O., represents at once an opportunity and a challenge to every discriminating woman who is a Christian. Opportunity, since, through it, she may give practical expression of her gratitude for the gift of her womanhood: challenge, since, by it, she may declare definitely her faith in the Christ as the Savior of women.

Your attention is called to the following resolutions concerning U. T. O., submitted by the Committee on Cooperation and adopted by the Executive Committee of the Church Service League in December, 1920.

1. That every Churchwoman take part in the U. T. O.

2. That each year every parish unit of the C. S. L., invite a U. T. O. speaker to address a general meeting of the unit.

3. That the foregoing resolutions be sent to the heads of all component national organizations with the request that they be placed in the hands of all parish officers. Also, that all three recommendations be sent to the chairman of all diocesan Councils of the C. S. L. with the request that they reach all women not connected with any national organization.

Offering presented in Detroit.....	\$468,060.41
Interest to December 31, 1921.....	33,504.91
 Total .....	 \$501,565.32

From this was deducted four gifts of \$5,000.00 each for buildings.

Amount spent for salaries.....	\$277,405.98
Amount spent for pensions.....	10,020.00
Amount spent for training.....	3,941.00
Amount spent for travel.....	24,939.33
Amount spent for outfits.....	1,750.00
 Total .....	 \$318,056.31

Balance on hand January 1, 1922.....	163,509.01
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We have sixty-six (66) workers at home, one hundred and four (104) abroad, fourteen (14) on the retired or disabled list, and five (5) workers in training. Eighteen (18) were appointed during 1921.

They have made their sacrifices for the Gospel, it is time now, that we should be making ours. Our past Offerings have taught us the value of small gifts which come from hundreds of givers who give in a systematic way. This is a field which is capable of greatly increased fruitfulness, but which needs to be worked up. Experience proves that the best way to do this is to have first, a treasurer for U. T. O. and under her women who are willing to help her to tell the other women of their privilege and opportunity to share in it. To observe the regular day (March 25) set apart for our Corporate Communion. To send U. T. O. twice a year to the Diocesan Treasurer of the United Thank Offering. To pray without ceasing and to give as God has prospered us.

Not what we gain, but what we give  
Measures the worth of the life we live.

Respectfully submitted,

JULIA K. WOOLVIN.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

## Receipts.

Balance on hand January 1, 1921.....	\$ 668.70
Bishop's Fund, Edenton .....	472.71
Woman's Auxiliary .....	2,807.20
Guilds and Parochial Societies.....	1,333.17
Mary James Auxiliary.....	91.74
Young Woman's Auxiliary.....	195.00
Little Helpers .....	114.40
Interest on Saving's Account.....	81.88
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Total receipts .....	\$ 5,764.80

## Disbursements.

Bishop Darst—The Bishop's Fund.....	\$ 472.71
Bishop Darst, special gifts.....	175.00
Mrs. A. M. Waddell.....	600.00
Miss Rena Harding.....	500.00
The Emery Fund—Anniversary Offering \$544.59.....	987.59
St. Luke's Hospital, Tokyo.....	500.00
Miss Lula Disosway's Training.....	258.84
Aid for Theological Students.....	171.95
Traveling Expenses to Delegates.....	114.30
Sewanee Delegates .....	200.00
National Executive Board Pledge, Class A.....	20.00
Provincial Pledge, Auxiliary .....	50.00
Provincial Pledge, Church Service League.....	25.00
Convocation Fund .....	21.50
Mrs. Wade's Expenses to Edenton.....	25.00
Printing of Annuals .....	90.00
Special Objects .....	703.09
Stationery .....	9.23
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Total Disbursements .....	\$ 4,924.21
Balance in Treasury January 1, 1922.....	840.59

Respectfully submitted,

HANNAH J. ROBERTS.

**REPORT OF EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF  
EDENTON—1921.**

In comparing the reports on Mission Study for the Convocation of Edenton during the past three years, I find a steady, though rather painful, gradual advance in the number of classes, but a decided increase in the number of members enrolled, as well as the interest manifested.

I think I can safely say, that the outlook for Mission study seems brighter at present than at any time since the war.

We can appreciate the difficulties of the smaller parishes where often it is impossible to get the women together over country roads, even in seasons less rainy than this. Several of the country parishes, however, though they were unable to hold regular classes or even reading circles, did a good deal of reading at Guild and Auxiliary meetings, from the Mission Herald, the Spirit of Missions and the Church papers.

The classes reported are all doing good work, and some are worthy of special mention.

Please let me say in parenthesis, that I am perfectly well aware that we are supposed to speak of "Discussion Groups" now, rather than study classes. It sounds much less alarming, and helps us to get away from the notion that we have to go to school again and sit in classes. To be sure, Dr. Jeffreys, in his wonderful book, "How Can We Know The Way," seems not to have the slightest prejudice against the term "Mission Study Class." He appears to think very well indeed, not only of the name, but of the thing. He even speaks of our Savior's chosen Twelve as His Normal Class, a very fitting name indeed, for were they not in training to "Go and teach all nations?"

However, the name matters little, if only we do not quite eliminate the idea of study, as well as the name, for we cannot have a very interesting Discussion Group unless we are in some degree familiar with the subject under discussion.

But to resume my report: For two years, the Greenville Study class has sent me a copy of their very interesting program for each meeting of the season, daintily gotten up in booklet form, and bearing the marks of thought and care, that promised well for results. I note with interest that this year Greenville has planned to have a different leader for each meeting. Hertford tried the same experiment last year very successfully. Might not this be one way for other classes to solve the difficult question of leaders?

I am very happy to mention the good work done in Farmville. As I understand it, our Farmville women are a full fledged Church Service League in themselves, with every woman enlisted in Guild, Auxiliary and Study Class. The wide range of reading they have

done in connection with the study of the Survey, is especially worthy of remark. Our Church women in Plymouth have had the good fortune to be led by their Rector in the study of the Church's task a privilege which judging from their report, they knew well how to appreciate.

In Elizabeth City, the Church Study Club held its meetings twice a month, from October, 1920, to June, 1921, except in Lent, when it met weekly. The Club entered upon its third year in October, 1921, with an increase in membership and to all seeming unabated interest. They have been taking two year's course in the Survey, with a range of collateral reading which counts all as fish that comes into its net, whether the Mission Study text books for some years back, The Mission Herald or the Church papers, the current Magazines notably, The Atlantic Monthly and the Geographical Magazine, and the daily newspapers.

During Lent and for sometime after, our Rector Mr. Hill led a large class of men and women in "The Episcopal Church and its Message for Men of Today" and that the message went home, as was evidenced by the faithful attendance and deep interest of its members.

The Parishes reporting Study Classes are as follows: Ayden, 1; Belhaven, 1; Edenton, 1; Elizabeth City, 2; Farmville, 1; Greenville, 1; Hertford, 1; Middletown, 1. (Reading Circle); Plymouth, 1; Williamston, 1; Windsor, 1; Winterville, 1; Yeatesville, 1, making in all, Fourteen Study Classes and one Reading Circle.

As to the subjects studied, most of the parishes have used the Survey, which calls for a good deal of supplementary reading. In this connection the following are among the books used:

Our Church and Our Country Neighbors; "Voices From Everywhere"; The New Worlds; "His Star in the West"; "The Emergency in China"; "Our Southern Highlanders," and others.

The Church papers, including our own Mission Herald, and The Spirit of Missions have been generally used.

St. John was caught up in spirit outside of time and space, when he heard the great voices saying "The Kingdoms of the Worlds are become the Kingdoms of our God and His Christ." He spoke out of a world lying in heathen darkness, and setting itself against the knowledge of God, and we, in an age when some faint rays from the Light of Light have touched the farthest shores, can hasten the day when in full radiance the Sun of Righteousness shall arise in all earth's stricken peoples, with healings in His wings.

Respectfully submitted,

MINNIE ALBERTSON.

P. S. Though I know it is out of order, I don't believe I can wait a year to speak for the Convocation of Edenton or Elizabeth City of the Normal Institute conducted by Miss Boyer, Assistant Educa-

tional Secretary from Auxiliary Headquarters, in February of this year.

Nine Parishes were represented, and the deepest interest was manifested in every session of the class. Miss Boyer's delightful personality won all our hearts, and her enthusiasm and perfect mastery of her subjects, made her a most inspiring leader, and I think she could hardly have found a more appreciative class, or a more responsive one.

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#### REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY, CONVOCATION OF WILMINGTON.

Madam President, and Women of East Carolina:

It is always impossible to tabulate the results of the work done along educational lines, and it is almost as hard to get at the bare facts of discussion groups and Bible classes formed, or program meetings held, yet there can be felt by the least impressionable, a mighty current of new and vigorous activity, undoubtedly due to an increased growth in knowledge, an expansion of interests, and a deepening of spiritual understanding.

Several institutes have been held in this Convocation during the past year. The first by Miss Cooper during the winter of 1921, under the direction of the Board of Religious Education, another by Miss Foard of Charleston upon the invitation of Dr. Milton. Miss Cooper's talks were primarily for teachers and workers in the Church School, while Miss Foard's efforts were for the encouragement of the work in discussion groups and for assistance to leaders and those most interested in the study of the survey.

A third series of meetings occurred during the months of October and November. They were intended to be of practical help to Sunday School teachers beginning the use of the Christian Nurture Series. These classes met once a week and teachers of six Parishes attended. The first half hour was devoted to a study of the principles and methods of teaching, led by your educational secretary, Dr. Weigle's book, *The Teacher*, the text. After separating into groups, the second half hour was devoted to a discussion of these principles as applied to the course taught by that group. The groups were led by rectors of the various Parishes, and by teachers. Several demonstration lessons were given the general group.

The true teacher is always eager to learn and we felt that in this small way there was begun the work of more and better training for teachers of the Sunday School.

In the Convocation of Wilmington there are now five Parochial organizations of the Church Service League; these are, St. John's,

Fayetteville; St. Stephen's, Goldsboro; St. Mary's, Kinston; St. James', Wilmington; and St. John's, Wilmington. Probably the most active is that of St. James', Wilmington. This executive body has promoted the work of the church among the women of the Parish in all five fields. In the educational department the committee have reported uniting the various organizations in program meetings and providing leaders of the discussion groups. This committee also directed two beautiful pageants. The first, The Mission of the Church, was beautiful and instructive. The Light of the World, the second, was sublimely impressive. It was given three times in three Parishes, and was witnessed by many hundreds of people of all denominations. It truly reached the souls of the worshippers, and was equally devotional and educational.

I attended that most delightful annual meeting in Edenton last May and put in a word for continued efforts in the way of Religious Education. At this meeting I tendered my resignation as Educational Secretary but was requested by the Bishop to hold over another year. In November I attended the Convocational meeting in Maxton, and again was given an opportunity to explain the plan for the study of the Survey in discussion groups.

For the Lenten groups this year I have been advising the use of that small but comprehensive book, The Task of the Church. The final result of earnest discussions of the programs set forth therein can but lead to an increased desire for a hearty cooperation in the establishment of the Kingdom of God.

I have written fewer letters during the past year than usual as previous results have proven them almost valueless. Duplicate reports are requested by the Convocational president and my information is gotten largely from these reports, though they are by no means perfect. If the organizations and their officers realize how necessary a complete report is, I am sure they would make them more explicit, and get the exact information from the books of their secretaries and their treasurers instead of relying upon frail and faulty memories.

The summary of reporting organizations along the lines of Religious Education is as follows:

Sixteen groups reporting.

Total membership, 327.

Average attendance, 144.

Subjects of discussion: The Survey, six classes; Neighbors, one class; Bible, one class; Church History, one class; Reading from Church papers and magazines, two classes.

Five organizations reported doing no work along Educational lines.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. GUY ADAMS CARDWELL.

## REPORT OF FIELD SECRETARY.

Madam Chairman and Ladies:

For the year 1921 I have the pleasure of reporting the following work.

I have visited twenty-one (21) parishes, some of them more than once and made fifty (50) talks, five (5) of which were in other Dioceses. I attended both Fall and Spring Convocations, the Diocesan Council at Edenton, the Institute held in Wilmington by Miss Mabel Lee Cooper, and the classes on Group Discussion method conducted by Miss Foard, which were held in Wilmington last Fall.

I attended St. Mary's Conference, the Summer Training School for Church Workers in Sewanee, and was a delegate to the Synod in Savannah. While there I was invited to speak to the Church School of Christ Church.

I was privileged to assist in organizing a branch of St. Barnabas Guild for nurses in Wilmington, and in forming a Parish Unit of the Church Service League in the Diocese of North Carolina.

By invitation I attended a meeting of the Department of Religious Education of the Bishop and Council in Kinston.

My traveling expenses amounted to \$304.01 for the year.

Respectfully submitted,

GABRIELLE deR. WADDELL,  
Field Secretary.

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REPORT OF DIOCESAN CORRESPONDENT CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB.

Madam Chairman and Ladies:

Reports sent in by the eight (8) Librarians in the Diocese show continued activity.

One hundred and thirty (130) contributors sent two hundred and forty (240) periodicals to recipients whose addresses cover many quarters of the globe.

Seventy-six (76) boxes have gone to Orphanages and Institutions, two hundred and eighty (280) Christmas and Easter cards to the same—as well as to shut-ins, and music and odd magazines to the number of one hundred and eighty-eight (188).

Three Diocesan institutions have been aided, and to one eleven (11) sets of Child Nurture pictures were sent.

St. Paul's Library, Tokyo, is still the great outstanding object to which we must contribute in order to measure up to the task entrusted to us by the General Church, and to help that great

Church institution to attain the position in the Empire of Japan to which its work entitles it.

The Church Periodical Club is still nearly \$9,000.00 short of the required amount of \$15,000.00 which must be raised by August, 1922. Up to January, 1922, when this report was made, our Diocese had contributed only \$39.50, but it may be some encouragement to know that since then that sum has grown to \$100.50.

The Church Periodical Club in the Fourth Province would like to give a piano to the DuBose Memorial Church Training School, and your Correspondent will be glad to receive contributions for this Fund.

Respectfully submitted,  
GABRIELLE deR. WADDELL, Cor. 27.

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REPORT OF THE BOX-WORK DONE BY THE DIOCESE OF  
EAST CAROLINA FOR THE YEAR 1921, OUTSIDE  
OF THE DIOCESE.

Work Done for the Church Mission House Outside the Diocese.  
Convocation of Edenton—

Parish Branches.	Boxes shipped.	Stock room.	Total.
Aurora—Holy Cross.....	\$ 20.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 35.00
Ayden—St. James.....	15.00	10.00	25.00
Columbia—St. Andrew .....	20.00	5.00	25.00
Creswell—St. David.....	25.00	5.00	30.00
Edenton—St. Paul's .....	105.50	....	103.00
Elizabeth City—Christ .....	55.00	21.20	76.20
Farmville—Emmanuel .....	....	10.00	10.00
Gatesville—St. Mary's .....	10.00	5.00	15.00
Greenville—St. Paul's .....	41.50	15.00	56.50
Grifton—St. John's.....	15.00	5.00	20.00
Hamilton—St. Martin's .....	....	3.00	3.00
Murfreesboro .....	7.50	....	—
Hertford—Holy Trinity.....	25.00	10.00	35.00
Lake Landing—St. George.....	15.00	5.00	20.00
Plymouth—Grace .....	25.00	10.00	35.00
Roper—St. Luke .....	15.00	5.00	20.00
Roxobel—St. Mark .....	....	....	—
Stockman .....	20.00	....	—
Sunbury—St. Peters .....	....	5.00	5.00
Williamston—Advent .....	63.00	....	63.00
Washington—St. Peters .....	70.00	35.00	105.00
Windsor—St. Thomas .....	25.00	5.00	30.00
Winton—St. John's .....	7.50	3.00	10.50

Parish Branches.	Boxes shipped.	Stock room.	Total.
Winterville—St. Luke .....	7.50	3.00	10.50
Woodville—Grace .....	7.50	2.50	10.00
Yeatesville—St. Matthew .....	7.50	2.50	10.00
Zion Parish .....	7.50	2.50	10.00
 Total .....	 \$ 609.50	 \$ 182.70	 \$ 792.20

## Convocation of Wilmington—

Parish Branches.	Boxes Shipped.	Stock room.	Total.
Beaufort—St. Paul's .....	\$ .....	\$ .....	\$ .....
Clinton—St. Paul's .....	....	10.00	10.00
Faison—St. Gbariel .....	....	2.40	2.40
Fayetteville—St. John .....	25.00	....	25.00
Goldsboro—St. Stephens .....	25.00	15.00	40.00
Jasper—St. Thomas .....	....	....	....
Kinston—St. Mary's .....	50.00	15.00	65.00
Lumberton—Trinity .....	9.29	5.00	14.29
Maxton—St. Matthew .....	....	5.00	5.00
New Bern—Christ .....	145.00	....	145.00
Seven Springs—Holy Innocent.....	....	10.00	10.00
Snow Hill—St. Barnabas .....	....	5.00	5.00
Southport—St. Phillips .....	....	8.00	8.00
Vanceboro—St. Paul's .....	....	....	....
Wilmington—Good Shepherd .....	25.00	10.00	35.00
Wilmington—Ascension .....	10.00	....	10.00
Wilmington—St. James .....	275.00	....	275.00
Wilmington—St. John's .....	120.00	....	190.00
Wilmington—St. Paul's .....	60.00	15.00	75.00
Wrightsville—Lebanon Guild .....	....	....	....
 Total .....	 \$ 744.29	 \$ 100.40	 \$ 844.69

## BOX No. 1.

Rev. C. E. Huntington, Burlington, Wis.	
Box shipped by Mrs. L. S. Poisson, Wilmington, N. C.	
April, 1921, value \$250.00.	
St. James, Wilmington .....	\$ 125.00
St. John's, Wilmington .....	25.00
St. John's, Fayetteville .....	25.00
St. Paul's, Edenton .....	25.00
Christ Church, New Bern .....	50.00
 Total .....	 \$ 250.00

## BOX No. 2.

Rev. Samuel Hardman, Red Cloud, Neb.  
 Box shipped by Mrs. L. S. Boyd, Wilmington, N. C.  
 November, 1921, Value \$365.00.

St. James, Wilmington .....	\$ 150.00
St. John's, Wilmington .....	95.00
St. Paul's, Wilmington .....	60.00
Good Shepherd, Wilmington .....	25.00
Ascension, Wilmington .....	10.00
St. Stephen's, Goldsboro .....	25.00
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Total .....	\$ 365.00

## BOX No. 3.

Rev. J. S. Meredith, Norfolk, Va.  
 Box shipped by Miss Margaret Bryan, New Bern, N. C.  
 November, 1921, value \$145.00.

Christ Church, New Bern .....	\$ 95.00
St. Mary's, Kinston .....	50.00
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Total .....	\$ 145.00

## BOX No. 4.

Rev. John Black Fox, Manduson, S. D.  
 Box shipped by Mrs. H. G. Wood, Edenton, N. C.  
 November, 1921, Value \$250.00

Aurora, Holy Cross .....	\$ 20.00
Ayden, St. James .....	15.00
Creswell, St. David .....	25.00
Columbia, St. Andrew .....	20.00
Edenton, St. Paul's .....	80.50
Grifton, St. John's .....	15.00
Gatesville, St. Mary's .....	10.00
Lake Landing, St. George .....	15.00
Woodville, Grace .....	7.50
Yeatesville, St. Matthew .....	7.50
Zion Parish .....	7.50
Winton .....	7.50
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Total .....	\$ 230.50
Stock room—Sweater, and sheets, \$20.00.	

## BOX No. 5.

Rev. J. B. Walker, Sumter, S. C.

Box shipped by Mrs. T. S. Harney, Elizabeth City, N. C.

November, 1921, Value \$175.00.

Belhaven .....	\$ 15.00
Elizabeth City .....	55.00
Murfreesboro .....	7.50
Hertford .....	25.00
Plymouth .....	25.00
Roper .....	15.00
Windsor .....	25.00
Winterville .....	7.50
 Total .....	 \$ 175.00

## BOX No. 6.

Rev. A. C. Kellefee, Monterey, Tenn.

Box shipped by Mrs. Martin, Washington, N. C.

November, 1921. Value \$175.00.

Washington, St. Peter's.....	\$ 70.00
Greenville, St. Paul's .....	41.50
Williamston, Advent .....	63.50
 Total .....	 \$ 175.00

MRS. SIDNEY McMULLEN,  
Box Secretary.

## REPORT OF GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY OF EAST CAROLINA.

The Girls' Friendly Society of East Carolina has had a hard struggle through many discouraging conditions the last few years, not only as a Diocesan Organization but as individual Branches.

But our dear Bishop's appreciation of its value and power, and the tenacity of a few devoted associates have championed it into a new life. It has stood the test and is now on a firm, happy basis with seven (7) Branches and a membership of 248, including Associates Candidates, probationers and admitted members, an increase of 100 in 1921.

It makes us very happy to report that the Good Shepherd Branch, Wilmington, in which Mrs. Thomas Noe did such splendid work has been reorganized. The broad scope of its influence, not only holding under its protecting influence our own girls, but any who might be drawn to us, in such a sisterhood, founded upon purity of life primarily, should certainly have the sympathetic co-operation of every true churchman, particularly the clergy.

When I consider the lives that have been touched in the New Bern Branch, the splendid loyalty of so many of our girls and their willingness to serve, I realize the wasted opportunities in the parishes where it has not been established. The training through service in the various fields to which the Church is now calling all its organizations, has long been an established feature in the G. F. S.

Its social features appeal to all and we have some very lovely parties and showers planned and carried out by the girls. The various temperaments are appealed to by its varied programs of play, class work, Bible and Mission Study, reading, dramatics, etc.

Our Holiday House at Wrightsville Beach is a marvelous influence when conducted according to our ideals. The apparent influence of its last season was a revelation to many. Such returns in appreciation, enthusiasm, loyalty and love, for a slight expenditure of genuine interest, sympathy and care, can hardly be imagined if not experienced.

The little Chapel in the House with its morning and evening services and occasional early celebration of Holy Communion seem to produce almost a visible radiance of peace and joy which hovers over and is carried away with those who come even for a short time.

Our enthusiasm is unbounded and we hope for more general interest, better equipment and a broader influence for it.

The Holiday House valued at \$3500.00 is entirely paid for. We entertained only seventy (70) last season, having several unfavorable conditions to combat. We can entertain thirty at a time under a strain. We would like to average from fifteen to twenty a week for the two months July and August, we are open. It took in from board, lodging and other sources \$521.00, total expenses being \$364.24. It was rented out last September. We like to rent it for June and September. It is our desire that the Bishop and Clergy make use of it any of the other eight months if they care to.

The total income of the Branches in 1921 was \$275.72. We gave to Missions \$27.50, to Social Service \$133.66—near East, China Relief and Starving Children of Europe; visited County Home and Hospitals.

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#### GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY REPORT FOR 1921.

Number of Members, Probationers, Candidates and Married Branch  
Helpers confirmed during the year 4.

Number members admitted by the Service during the year, 21.

Number of Associates admitted by the Service during the year, 3.

Number of Branches holding Councils, 2.

Number of Active Branches which have reported, 7.

Branches organized and re-organized in 1921.  
 Reorganized Good Shepherd, Wilmington, N. C.  
 Myrtle Grove (near Wilmington), R. F. D. No. 2, organized.

	No. Persons.	Amount of dues.
Working Associates .....	39	\$ 13.65
Honorary Associates .....	15	7.50
Members .....	48	9.60
Probationers .....	30	—
Probationers .....	50	—
Candidates .....	90	—
Married Brother Helpers.....	6	1.20
Deductions for Branches organized in 1921 .....	—	3.50
Net amount of dues paid.....	—	28.45
Total income of the Branches.....	—	275.72
Amount received from the Holiday House—		
From Board and Lodging.....		\$ 372.00
From all other sources.....		149.00
Total expenses of the Holiday House—\$56.24 plus \$312.00—\$364.24.		
Purchase of property, etc, \$200.00—Paid December, 1920, but not reported.		
For Missions—\$27.50.		
Not under the Church Money, \$133.66—Near East, China Relief, and Starving Children of Europe.		
For Parochial purposes, \$5.00.		
For Central G. F. S. purposes, \$5.00.		
Diocesan President, Miss Rosa Dail, New Bern, N. C., 25 Nat. Ave.		
Secretary, Miss Blanche Morton, 623 Dock St., Wilmington, N. C.		
Diocesan Head for Extension, Miss Mary Lucas Cantwell, 8 South 6th Street, Wilmington, N. C.		
Diocesan Head for Holiday House, Miss Marguerite Walker, 10 1-2 South 5th St., Wilmington, N. C.		
Diocesan Head for Literarurs, Miss Bessie Burkheimer, 223 S. Fifth St., Wilmington, N. C.		
Diocesan Head for Missions, Miss Mary Roberts, Pollock St., New Bern, N. C.		
Diocesan Head for Social Service, Miss Margueritte Walker.		

#### HOLIDAY HOUSE.

Location, Wrightsville Beach.  
 Owned by Girls' Friendly Society  
 Accommodates 30.  
 Opens July.  
 Closes September 1.  
 Value \$3500.  
 Number of guests received during the year, 70.

**REPORT OF SECRETARY OF GUILD OF ST. BARNABAS, FOR NURSES.**

"There is no work for women more noble and ennobling than the work of a Christian nurse. Of course, there are many trials and temptations to such work."

In these sentences is contained the reason for the establishment of the Guild of St. Barnabas. The object of the Guild is two-fold:—

1. Religious:—To assist its members in realizing the dignity of their calling and in maintaining a high standard of Christian life and work in connection therewith.

2. Social:—To provide for nurses some of the comforts and influences resulting from more intimate intercourse with each other and with associate members.

These are our aims. To attain these objects, it is most important and helpful that there should be mutual love and sympathy, mutual confidence and companionship and association with others outside the profession, who are willing to lend their sympathy and aid.

Realizing the need of such an organization in Wilmington, owing to the large number of registered and pupil nurses in the City, a branch of the Guild of St. Barnabas was organized on February 10th, 1921. We now have a membership of forty-nine and our branch is doing most helpful work.

The members are from nearly every denomination, except the Roman Catholic. We meet once every month and each meeting opens with the devotional service provided for in the Guild Manual. The service is taken mostly from our own Book of Common Prayer, and the girls join most heartily in the responses and in repeating the Creed.

After the business is dispensed with, we always have a social feature, generally serving some light refreshments.

We have made an especial effort to do something for the pupil nurses and have given them a lawn party on the Hospital grounds, and had a most successful Valentine party for them this year. Of course, this is done always by the Associates.

Our meetings are well attended generally, and the girls seem interested.

It is a source of gratification to report that one of our Charter members, Miss Lossie deRosset Cotchett, volunteered for work in the Mission field and is now stationed at St. John's in the Wilderness, Alakalleset, Alaska, where she is doing splendid work. A most interesting letter from her recently, will be published in the Mission Herald.

"The name of St. Barnabas is chosen for the Guild because he followed the footsteps of his Master, and those who minister to the sick and suffering are rightly reckoned as the companions of the "Son of Consolation". The Guild Prayer daily asks for the same

spirit of consoalton, "that by gentieness and love, in faithfulness and patience, we may serve God's afflicted children."

In closing, may I urge the organization of a Guild of St. Barnabas for nurses in every town where there is a sufficient number of registered and pupil nurses, in order to bring the greatly needed personal and spiritual touch into the life of each graduate and under graduate nurse. Respectfully submitted,

LAURISTON HARDIN DARST,  
Secretary Guild of St. Barnabas for Nurses.

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#### REPORT OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE KING.

Madam Chairman:

It is with regret that I am not able to report more active work in the Diocese, from the Daughters of the King. The Bishop appointed me a year ago to serve on the Church Service League, as representative of the Daughters of the King. Since that time I haven't had the strength or opportunity to do the work that should have been done, for the growth and extension of the order. There is only one active chapter in the Diocese, the Annie C. Bragaw Memorial Chapter, St. Peter's Parish, Washington. This Chapter was organized in 1896 and has always done active and efficient work. At one time there were seven active Chapters in the Diocese, but changing of Rectors, moving of Daughters and the organization of other societies have reduced the number to one. Mrs. Felix G. Ewing of Cedar Hill, Nashville, Tennessee, is president of the Province of Sewanee and Mrs. John W. Harrison, of Atlanta, Georgia, Provincial Secretary and Treasurer. Mrs. Ewing has been most active and helpful in writing inspiring letters and sending bulletins to all parishes in this Diocese as well as in the entire Province, besides having the work of the order published in the Church papers. I do not wish to keep the office, when not able to do the work necessary for the growth of the order, and hope that the Bishop will soon find a faithful daughter who will with God's blessing be able to awaken an interest in this spiritual work and organize many new chapters of consecrated women ready to serve our Master and His Church. Respectfully submitted,

MRS. NATHANIEL HARDING, President.

## REPORT OF THE CHURCH SCHOOL SERVICE LEAGUE—1921

Madam President and Women of East Carolina:

The reports for 1921 show that we have in the Diocese 14 branches of the Church School Service League with a membership of 744 and 4 branches of the Junior Auxiliary with 50 members. Their activities include work and gifts in the five fields of service. In the parish they have bought much of their lesson material and equipment have cared for and repaired Church property, decorated Church, sung in choir, visited sick, given trees and gifts at Christmas, had missionary teas for mothers, and the Church School Service League of Windsor is now publishing a parish paper monthly. The community work includes the sending of fruit and baskets to sick and needy, Christmas stockings, trees, entertainments and the singing of carols, Red Cross work, and in one place school books were bought for children unable to buy them. In the Diocese they have contributed to the Bishop's Fund, Church School Service League Expense Fund and have sent both money and boxes to the Thompson Orphanage. In the Nation and world they have sent toys and games as well as money to many schools and hospitals and they have contributed liberally to the Russian, Chinese, Near East, and European Child Relief Funds. The Christmas Boxes were sent to an Indian Hospital in Arizona, a Mission in North Dakota and to the Seamen's Institute in New York.

Including box valuations the total of the work amounts to \$3166.91. Of this \$138.78 is the Birthday Thank Offering made last Whitsunday and which is to be presented in Portland for Bishop Rowe's work in Alaska. Every Church Sunday School in the Diocese is urged to make this offering on Whitsunday this year as only 13 schools had a part in it in 1921.

Cycle number one of the C. S. S. L. or the Little Helpers Department does not show any increase for 1921 but 1922 promises better things. At the Triennial meeting in Detroit a Minute on the life of Miss Mary E. Hart of Rochester, New York, the founder of the Little Helpers, was read and the following resolution was passed.

Resolved: That we heartily approve and adopt as our own the words of appreciation and affection in the minute on Miss Mary E. Hart's life and work, and that the Mary E. Hart Memorial be made in the form of a gift of \$5,000 for the school for Navajo Indians at Farmington, New Mexico.

Western New York has given a large amount of the \$5,000 but about \$1,000 is still needed and as Miss Lindley writes, "we simply can't go to Portland with that small memorial incomplete."

Surely East Carolina will have a part in this memorial to one who is known as

"The dear apostle to the child,  
The joyous leader of the little ones."

During the year I have attended the Council in Edenton, both Convocations, the Synod in Savannah and the Sewanee Summer School for Church Workers. What a help it would be if many parishes would send delegates to Sewanee for the training and inspiration which is given there. During the last four months of the year I was able to visit a number of the parishes and Sunday Schools, speaking to teachers, leaders of week day activities, pupils and to the congregations at the morning and evening services both in the interest of better Sunday Schools and the Church School Service League.

It has given me much pleasure to meet so many of the people in their home parishes and I sincerely appreciate the hospitality and help given me by the clergy and laity throughout the Diocese. With their continued cooperation we feel that much can be accomplished in teaching the boys and girls that they have a part in the work of the Church and that through Prayer, Study, Work, and Gifts this may be carried on and the doing of it will bring to them that happy feeling of fellowship with each other and with their Master whose work they are doing. Respectfully submitted,

RENA HOYT HARDING.

FINANCIAL REPORT CHURCH SCHOOL SERVICE LEAGUE AND JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

Ayden—St. James .....	\$ 179.61
Beaufort—St. Paul's .....	10.00
Belhaven—St. James .....	45.25
Edenton—St. Paul's .....	145.85
Elizabeth City—Christ Church .....	99.09
Farmville—Emmanuel .....	20.00
Goldsboro—St. Stephens .....	77.80
Greenville—St. Paul's .....	211.87
Hertford—Holy Trinity .....	197.66
New Bern—All Saints .....	2.00
New Bern—Christ Church .....	15.60
Roper—St. Luke's .....	55.26
Washington—St. Peter's .....	952.18
Williamston—Church of the Advent .....	263.12
Wilmington—Good Shepherd .....	6.00
Wilmington—St. James .....	489.45
Wilmington—St. John's .....	83.75
Wilmington—St. Paul's .....	52.52

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Windsor—St. Thomas .....	135.68
Winterville—St. Luke's .....	70.57
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	\$3111.51
Little Helpers .....	55.40
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Total .....	\$3166.91

LITTLE HELPERS.

Receipts.

Christ Church, Elizabeth City .....	\$ 22.00
St. James, Ayden .....	2.79
St. Paul's, Greenville .....	13.42
Holy Trinity, Hertford .....	4.21
St. Mary's, Kinston .....	6.32
St. Paul's, Wilmington .....	.57
St. Paul's, Edenton .....	4.16
Vanceboro .....	1.93
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Total receipts .....	\$ 55.40

Disbursements.

Central Expense Fund .....	\$ 5.00
St. Luke's Hospital, Tokyo .....	5.00
Gaylord Mitchell Memorial .....	5.00
Little Helpers School, Shanghai .....	5.00
Hart Day School, Hankow .....	5.00
Mission Font .....	1.00
Mary E. Hart Memorial .....	2.50
St. Agnes Hospital, Kyoto .....	5.00
St. Agnes, Hospital, Raleigh, N. C. ....	5.00
Thompson Orphanage .....	4.90
Christ School, Arden, N. C. ....	5.00
Valle Crucis .....	5.00
C. S. S. L. Expense Fund .....	2.00
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Total .....	\$ 55.40

REPORT OF THE EMERY FUND COMMITTEE.

Sum assessed 1920-1921 .....	\$1000.00
Amounts contributed 1920-1921 .....	1505.30

MARY PRUDEN, Convocation of Edenton.

LUCY L. ANDERSON, Convocation of Wilmington.

## REPORT OF COURTESY COMMITTEE.

Whereas, we are enjoying the gracious hospitality of St. Stephen's Parish, we the undersigned, in behalf of the visitors and delegates from the Woman's Auxiliary and Church Service League, desire to express, to the Rector and Members of the Parish, on sincere thanks and grateful appreciation for the many courtesies and kindnesses extended to us during our stay in Goldsboro. The untiring efforts, not only our church people, but those friends of other churches also, who have opened their homes to us and have tried in every possible way to make us comfortable and happy have been most successful. We will carry home with us the pleasantest of memories of our stay here and it is with real regret that we find our visit to you drawing to a close.

MRS. WALLACE HUFFINES,  
MRS. J. L. SHACKELFORD,  
MRS. C. A. JEFFRESS.

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# STATISTICAL REPORT

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WOMAN'S AUXILIARY STATISTICAL TABLE.

PARISH BRANCH.

Convocation of Edenton.	PARISH BRANCH.				No. women on Parish Roll.				Number of Members.				No. not in any organization.				Study Classes.				Parochial Work.				Missions and other work.				United Thank Offering.				Total Money.				Number Boxes.				Value of Boxes.				Total all work																																																																																																																																																																																																																																
	40	30	10	..	\$	171.03	\$	52.82	\$	51.00	\$	274.85	2	\$	53.70	\$	328.55	16	13	3	1	27.70	26.55	11.27	65.52	2	21.76	87.28	52	26	32	..	92.09	49.00	24.00	165.09	2	18.57	183.66	9	..	..	..	14.50	..	14.50	..	..	14.50	26	..	5	..	339.39	38.40	7.50	385.29	2	14.71	400.00	90	44	..	1	..	230.83	194.46	425.29	3	139.44	564.73	28	..	..	..	38.80	5.00	..	43.80	..	..	43.80	..	..	288.20	3.00	..	291.20	..	..	291.20	130	63	..	1	7.11	181.70	38.85	227.61	3	134.33	361.94	23	..	..	..	87.48	5.00	..	92.48	..	..	92.48	35	..	..	..	74.62	45.00	..	119.62	..	..	119.62	Farmville, Emmanuel	31	25	3	1	927.42	51.60	..	979.02	1	25.00	1004.02	Gatesville, St. Mary's	15	11	4	..	..	27.00	13.50	40.50	2	13.00	53.50	Greenville, St. Paul's Woman's Auxiliary	90	41	10	1	..	141.85	25.26	167.11	2	56.50	223.61	Farmville, St. Paul's Parochial Society	..	49	..	1	1312.97	25.85	..	1338.82	1	25.00	1363.82	Grifton, St. John	36	10	23	..	..	25.60	9.65	35.25	1	2.15	37.40	Hamilton, St. Martin's	20	14	6	..	..	76.40	9.00	85.00	1	3.52	88.92	Hertford, Holy Trinity, Woman's Auxiliary	50	23	20	1	9.50	115.45	50.00	174.95	3	77.75	252.70	Middletown, St. George's	55	31	14	..	..	8.00	103.60	20.36	131.96	3	32.15	164.11	Plymouth, Grace Church	32	18	10	1	148.20	61.65	6.64	216.49	2	23.88	240.37	Roper, St. Luke's	32	16	12	..	..	5.00	42.00	25.00	72.00	2	18.50	90.50	Roxobel, St. Mark's	10	10	..	..	..	24.00	5.65	29.65	..	..	29.65											
Aurora, Holy Cross	40	30	10	..	\$	171.03	\$	52.82	\$	51.00	\$	274.85	2	\$	53.70	\$	328.55	16	13	3	1	27.70	26.55	11.27	65.52	2	21.76	87.28	Belhaven, St. James	52	26	32	..	92.09	49.00	24.00	165.09	2	18.57	183.66	Chocowinity	9	..	..	..	14.50	..	14.50	..	..	14.50	Creswell, St. David	26	..	5	..	339.39	38.40	7.50	385.29	2	14.71	400.00	Edenton, St. Paul's Woman's Auxiliary	90	44	..	1	..	230.83	194.46	425.29	3	139.44	564.73	Edenton, St Paul's Dime Society	..	28	..	..	38.80	5.00	..	43.80	..	..	43.80	Edenton, St. Paul's St. Mary's Guild	..	..	..	..	288.20	3.00	..	291.20	..	..	291.20	Elizabeth City, Christ Church Woman's Auxiliary	130	63	..	1	7.11	181.70	38.85	227.61	3	134.33	361.94	Elizabeth City, Christ Church Ladies' Guild	..	23	..	..	87.48	5.00	..	92.48	..	..	92.48	Elizabeth City, Christ Ch. St. Catherine's Guild	..	35	..	..	74.62	45.00	..	119.62	..	..	119.62	Farmville, Emmanuel	31	25	3	1	927.42	51.60	..	979.02	1	25.00	1004.02	Gatesville, St. Mary's	15	11	4	..	..	27.00	13.50	40.50	2	13.00	53.50	Greenville, St. Paul's Woman's Auxiliary	90	41	10	1	..	141.85	25.26	167.11	2	56.50	223.61	Farmville, St. Paul's Parochial Society	..	49	..	1	1312.97	25.85	..	1338.82	1	25.00	1363.82	Grifton, St. John	36	10	23	..	..	25.60	9.65	35.25	1	2.15	37.40	Hamilton, St. Martin's	20	14	6	..	..	76.40	9.00	85.00	1	3.52	88.92	Hertford, Holy Trinity, Woman's Auxiliary	50	23	20	1	9.50	115.45	50.00	174.95	3	77.75	252.70	Middletown, St. George's	55	31	14	..	..	8.00	103.60	20.36	131.96	3	32.15	164.11	Plymouth, Grace Church	32	18	10	1	148.20	61.65	6.64	216.49	2	23.88	240.37	Roper, St. Luke's	32	16	12	..	..	5.00	42.00	25.00	72.00	2	18.50	90.50	Roxobel, St. Mark's	10	10	..	..	..	24.00	5.65	29.65	..	..	29.65

Washington, St. Peter's Woman's Auxiliary....	220	57	100	1	.....	195.11	79.29	174.46	2	105.83	380.23
" Daughters of the King and Parochial Soc....	29	.....	.....	.....	.....	56.00	.....	56.00	1	36.45	92.45
Williamston, Church of the Advent.....	50	34	.....	1	320.00	120.50	63.66	504.16	1	50.00	554.16
Windsor, St. Thomas.....	35	23	10	.....	.....	44.50	58.37	102.87	3	64.39	167.26
Winterville, St. Luke's.....	3	3	.....	1	.....	45.80	12.50	58.30	2	9.35	67.65
Winton, St. John's.....	12	5	7	1	.....	23.00	8.00	31.00	1	5.75	36.75
Woodville, Grace .....	12	9	.....	.....	.....	80.20	46.15	126.35	2	10.70	137.05
Yeatesville, St. Matthew's.....	19	7	.....	1	4.00	145.67	13.10	162.27	2	4.75	167.52
Total .....	1076	689	269	13	3861.51	2058.58	773.16	6692.25	46	947.18	7639.43

**Convocation of Wilmington.**

Beaufort, St. Paul's .....	50	36	.....	.....	\$.....	\$ 11.00	\$ 5.00	\$ 16.00	.....	\$.....	\$ 16.00
Clinton, St. Paul's .....	34	17	6	.....	203.85	25.00	.....	228.85	1	.....	228.85
Faison, St. Gabriel .....	9	18	.....	.....	3.65	20.00	.....	23.65	2	22.40	46.05
Fayetteville, St. John's Woman's Auxiliary.....	160	35	.....	1	.....	181.08	149.53	330.61	1	5.00	335.61
Fayetteville, St. John's Young Woman's Auxiliary.....	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	95.00	.....	95.00	1	75.00	160.00
Goldsboro, St. Stephen's Woman's Auxiliary.....	80	24	.....	1	.....	87.00	32.31	119.31	3	31.50	150.81
Goldsboro, St. Stephen's Guild.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	6.00	.....	6.00	1	.....	6.00
Lumberton, Trinity .....	8	6	.....	.....	.....	19.00	.....	19.00	.....	.....	19.00
Kinston, St. Mary's Church Service League.....	130	40	.....	1	165.24	195.81	9.50	370.55	3	153.50	524.05
Maxton, St. Matthews .....	9	8	.....	1	86.35	20.00	8.30	114.65	1	25.00	137.65
New Bern, All Saints Woman's Auxiliary.....	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	25.00	9.78	34.78	.....	.....	34.78
New Bern, Christ Church Woman's Auxiliary.....	197	46	.....	1	.....	154.47	52.85	207.32	2	116.15	323.47
Red Springs, St. Stephens.....	.....	6	.....	1	5.70	129.00	.....	134.70	.....	.....	134.70
Seven Springs, Holy Innocents.....	.....	16	.....	.....	.....	11.50	.....	11.50	.....	.....	11.50
Snow Hill, St. Barnabas.....	.....	8	.....	.....	28.25	28.00	6.00	62.25	2	70.00	132.25
Southport, St. Philip's.....	.....	24	12	.....	.....	30.00	.....	30.00	1	6.48	36.48
Vanceboro, St. Paul's .....	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	31.00	.....	31.00	.....	.....	31.00
Wilmington, Church of the Ascension.....	.....	18	.....	.....	64.78	15.00	3.29	83.07	1	2.70	85.77
Wilmington, Good Shepherd Woman's Auxiliary.....	20	.....	.....	20.00	.....	41.00	42.26	103.26	2	29.80	133.06
Wilmington, St. James' Woman's Auxiliary.....	334	54	.....	.....	.....	397.50	.....	397.50	3	67.90	465.40
Wilmington, St. James' Young Woman's Auxiliary.....	45	.....	.....	.....	.....	191.00	.....	191.00	2	47.10	238.10
Wilmington, St. James, S. Agnes Guild.....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	305.85	.....	305.85	.....	.....	305.85
Wilmington, St. James, St. Cecelia's Guild.....	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	225.00	.....	225.00	.....	.....	225.00

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY STATISTICAL TABLE.—Continued.

PARISH BRANCH.

	No. of Women on Parish Roll	Number of Members.	No. not in any organization.	Study Classes.	Work, Parochial	Missions and other work.	United Thank Offering.	Total money.	Number Boxes.	Value of Boxes.	Total all work.
Wilmington, St. James' St. Mary's Guild.....	53	.....	.....	.....	105.00	.....	105.00	..	636.43	741.43	
Wilmington, St. John's Woman's Auxiliary.....	165	41	65	2	28.00	131.00	193.00	352.00	5	43.25	395.25
Wilmington, St. John's St. Ann's Guild.....	29	.....	1	.....	334.22	71.00	.....	405.22	1	37.40	442.62
Wilmington, St. John's Mary James Auxiliary.....	21	.....	1	.....	15.91	64.00	.....	79.91	1	.....	79.91
Wilmington, St. John's Parish Guild.....	25	.....	1	.....	239.20	65.00	.....	304.20	1	23.78	327.98
Wilmington, St. Paul's Woman's Auxiliary.....	20	.....	.....	.....	100.00	66.25	166.25	1	60.00	226.25	
Wilmington, St. Paul's Parish Guild.....	31	.....	.....	.....	185.78	63.00	.....	248.78	..	.....	248.78
Wrightsville, Lebanon .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30.00	16.59	.....	46.59	..	.....	46.59
<b>Total .....</b>	<b>1200</b>	<b>765</b>	<b>71</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>1410.93</b>	<b>2859.80</b>	<b>578.07</b>	<b>4848.80</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>1453.39</b>	<b>6292.19</b>
<b>Grand Total.....</b>	<b>2276</b>	<b>1454</b>	<b>340</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>5272.44</b>	<b>4917.38</b>	<b>1351.23</b>	<b>11541.05</b>	<b>..</b>	<b>2400.57</b>	<b>13941.62</b>
<b>Juniors and Church School Service League.....</b>										<b>3166.91</b>	
											<b>\$17108.53</b>

LIST OF DELEGATES AND VISITORS WHO ATTENDED THE  
ANNUAL MEETING OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY AND  
CHURCH SERVICE LEAGUE IN ST. STEPHEN'S  
PARISH, GOLDSBORO, N. C., APRIL 25, 1922

Mrs. S. P. Adams	Mrs. C. W. Melick
Miss Minnie Albertson	Mrs. William A. Mace
Mrs. E. C. Beaman	Miss Elsie McGowan
Mrs. J. N. Bynum	Mrs. O. L. McCulien
Mrs. J. I. Brown	Mrs. Henry J. MacMillan
Mrs. R. M. Barden	Miss Carlotta Mewborn
Mrs. B. T. Cox	Mrs. E. L. McCormack
Mrs. J. D. Cox	Miss Hriet Nixon
Miss Venetia Cox	Mrs. W. R. Noe
Miss Mary Lucas Cantwell	Miss Mary T. Oliver
Mrs. Guy A. Cardwell	Miss Annie Kay Parker
Mrs. Heyward Clark	Mrs. Louise J. Poisson
Mrs. J. V. Cowper	Mrs. H. H. Phelps
Mrs. Thomas C. Darst	Watson K. Partick
Miss Rosa A. Dail	Mrs. O. G. Rucker
Mrs. Francis S. Daffy	Mrs. John L. Saunders
Miss Stera L. Dodson	Mrs. Harry M. Stubbs
Mrs. T. Bonner Dixon	Mrs. J. L. Shackleford
Mrs. D. V. Dixon	Mrs. Tom Swindell
Mrs. C. S. Dixon, Sr.	Mrs. Thos. C. Skinner
Mrs. R. J. Disosway	Mrs. Chas. L. Skurren
Mrs. John G. Dawson	Miss Marian F. Skinner
Mrs. James T. Exum	Mrs. T. E. Sprunt
Mrs. A. W. Fualkener	Mrs. W. J. Slaughter
Mrs. Julian Gibbs	Mrs. S. C. Sitterson
Mrs. Lizzie Griffin	Mrs. James Grist Staton
Mrs. Owen H. Gerion	Miss Alice Tankard
Mrs. Chas. S. Hewitt	Mrs. Helen Turnage
Mrs. N. L. Hewlett	Miss Della Taylor
Mrs. J. E. F. Hicks	Mrs. W. I. Thompson
Mrs. W. Weldon Huske	Miss Mavis J. Thigpen
Mrs. Wallace Huffines	Mrs. Hamilton Underwood
Nesfield Holmes	Mrs. J. E. Warren
Mrs. T. S. Harney	Miss Mary E. Woolvin
Mrs. Walter F. Harding	Mrs. Richard Williams
Miss Rena Harding	Mrs. James F. Woolvin
Mrs. Oscar Hardy	Mrs. Chas. B. Woodley
Miss Bessie Ireland	Mrs. Mary L. Worthington
Mrs. A. R. Jarvis	Adelaide Watson
Mrs. Robert W. Johnston	Mrs. R. E. Wall
Mrs. Z. M. L. Jeffreys	Miss Mayme Whitfield
Mrs. C. A. Jeffress	Mrs. J. A. Williams
Mrs. William Latimer	Miss Jennie Whitfield
Mrs. G. W. Lay	Mrs. L. N. Williams.
Mrs. Jas. A. Love	

**CONSTITUTION.**

The East Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Presiding Bishop and Council.

**Article I—Name.**

The name of this Association shall be the East Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Presiding Bishop and Council.

**Article II—Object.**

The object of this Association shall be to carry out within the Diocese of East Carolina the purposes and work of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Presiding Bishop and Council.

**Article III—Membership.**

All women and girls by virtue of their baptism are considered possible members of the Woman's Auxiliary. All those, who in this Diocese, by their prayers, work or offerings, aid the Missions of the Church may become by enrollment, actual members of the East Carolina Branch.

**Article IV—Officers.**

The officers of this Association shall be a President, two Vice-Presidents, Secretary, Treasurer, Treasurer for the United Thank Offering, two Educational Secretaries, Box Secretary, Field Secretary, Secretary of the Spirit of Missions; all of whom shall constitute the Executive Board.

**Article V—Amendment.**

This Constitution, having been approved by the Bishop, may be amended with his approval by the Association at its Annual Meeting, two-thirds of the Representatives present concurring, notice of the proposed amendments having been given one month previous to that Annual Meeting.

**BY-LAWS.****Article I—Duties and Powers of Officers.**

Section 1. President. The President shall preside at all meetings of this Association and of the Executive Board. She shall conduct the correspondence with the General Secretary, the Bishop, and do whatever in her judgment is best to advance the work of this Association.

Section 2. Vice-Presidents. The Vice-Presidents shall be Presidents in the Convocation of Edenton and Convocation of Wilmington. They shall endeavor to promote the formation of Parish Branches and to help strengthen those already existing. They shall

have entire charge of the work in their Convocations, preside at Convocational meetings, and conduct the correspondence with the President. They may arrange special meetings in their convocations to arouse keener zeal and effort.

The Senior Vice-President shall preside at Annual Meetings and meetings of the Executive Board in the absence of the President.

Section 3. Secretary. The Secretary shall: (1) Issue notice of meetings, (2) Keep the minutes of the Association and of the Executive Board. (3) Prepare and edit the annual report, and shall perform such other duties as may be assigned to her by the Association or the Executive Board.

Section 4. Treasurer. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all moneys, with the exception of the United Thank Offering.

Section 5. Treasurer United Thank Offering. The Treasurer for the United Thank Offering shall collect all contributions for the United Thank Offering twice a year. She shall have appointed in each parish or mission a Treasurer who shall endeavor to secure an offering from every woman.

Section 6. Educational Secretaries. Each Educational Secretary shall have charge of that particular work in her respective Convocation and shall endeavor to have a study class in each parish or mission. She shall arrange institutes and co-operate with the Convocational President.

Section 7. Box Secretary. The Box Secretary shall have charge of all Box Work, receive allotments from headquarters and assign allotments to Parishes and Missions and appoint Convocational Box Work Chairman.

Section 8. Field Secretary. The Field Secretary shall visit all Parishes and Missions to encourage and strengthen the work already organized.

Section 9. Secretary Spirit of Missions. The Secretary of the Spirit of Missions shall endeavor to have that magazine placed in every home in the Diocese, also in Public Libraries and Clubs, and do all in her power to make the magazine known and read.

Section 10. Executive Board. The Executive Board shall be entrusted with the general business of the Association and shall exercise all other powers which are not herein expressly provided; after consultation with the Bishop, shall fill vacancies occurring on the resignation or death of officers. Three members of the Executive Board shall constitute a quorum.

Section 11. The officers shall be entitled to vote at all meetings of the Association.

#### Article II—Parish Dues.

Each Parish Branch shall send annually to the Treasurer, for the current expenses of the Association and other obligations, the

amount asked for by the Convocational President for Central Expense Fund.

#### Article III—Fiscal Year.

The fiscal year of the Association shall be from January first to December thirty-first.

#### Article IV—Meetings.

Section 1. There shall be one meeting a year of this Association, at the time and place of the Diocesan Council.

Section 2. Each Parish Branch shall be entitled to one delegate, who shall attend all sessions and prepare a report which she shall read to her branch upon her return home.

Section 3. The Secretary shall call special meetings on request of the Bishop or President or five members of the Executive Board.

Section 4. At the Annual Meeting twenty-five delegates shall constitute a quorum.

Section 5. A meeting of the Executive Board shall precede the Annual Meeting of the Association.

#### Article V.—Nominations and Elections.

Section 1. There shall be appointed Tri-ennially by the Bishop and President a Nominating Committee of three members, each Convocation being represented, which shall nominate one candidate for each office of the Association.

Section 2. All officers shall be elected by ballot of two-thirds vote at the meeting following the Triennial, and shall hold office for three years or until the election of their successors.

#### Article VI—Reports.

Each officer must make a report of her year's work, copies of which must be sent by January 30th, to the President and to the Secretary.

#### Article VII—Amendments.

By-Laws may be adopted, amended or repealed at any Annual Meeting by a two-third majority vote, notice of proposed changes having been given one month previous to that Annual Meeting.

#### Article VIII.

Roberts Rules of Order shall govern all meetings.

**BY-LAWS OF THE EAST CAROLINA DIOCESAN COUNCIL OF  
THE CHURCH SERVICE LEAGUE.**

**PREAMBLE:**

Whereas, at the Triennial Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, held in Detroit, Michigan, October 7th-21st, 1919, a recommendation was adopted whereby all existing national organizations in which women work in the Church were invited to join, on an equal basis, in forming a Church Service League which should federate the work of the Societies for the purpose of appealing to all the women of the Church to help in carrying forward the whole work of the Church, and

Whereas, These organizations have all joined in forming a National Council which is to conduct the business of the League and prepare for its future development with the understanding that corresponding Councils shall be formed in Dioceses and Parishes, and

Whereas, since 1908 the women of East Carolina have worked under a similar organization, recognizing all societies as equal and encouraging all women to work for the Church as a whole.

Be it therefore Resolved: That the following are the By-Laws accepted by the East Carolina Diocesan Council of the Church Service League at the Annual Meeting held in St. Paul's, Edenton, April 5th and 6th, 1921.

**BY-LAWS.**

**I—Name.**

The name of this organization shall be the East Carolina Diocesan Council of the Church Service League.

**II—Object.**

The purpose of the Diocesan Council shall be: First,—to federate for mutual understanding and co-ordination of effort all societies in the Diocese in which women work; Second, to form a Diocesan Church Service League which shall give such publicity to work already undertaken and develop such new opportunities for service as shall arouse the interest, enlist the sympathy and secure the response of every woman in the Church.

**III—Organization.**

First. The Diocesan Council shall conduct the business of the Diocesan Service League and promote its development.

Second. The Council shall stand ready to encourage and to assist, when desired, in the formation of Parish Units of the Diocesan Ser-

vice League, which shall be so organized as to carry out the purpose of the League. (See paragraph No. 2.)

Third. The Council shall accept as a Unit of the Church Service League the Parochial organization which co-ordinates all societies in the Parish in which women work, and which undertakes each year some definite service in each of the five fields: Parish, Community, Diocese, Nation and World.

#### IV—Membership.

The Council shall consist of the following representatives:

1. Three from the Woman's Auxiliary, one each from the following named societies: Girls' Friendly Society, the Order of the Daughters of the King, The Church Periodical Club, the Guild of St. Barnabas for Nurses. There shall also be one representative each from such other societies as shall be recognized hereafter by the Council.

2. There shall also be five members at large elected annually by the Council.

#### V—Officers.

The officers of the Council shall be as follows: President, ex-officio Chairman, two Vice-Chairmen, a Secretary, and a Treasurer.

#### VI—Duties of Officers.

The Chairman shall preside at all meetings. She shall appoint committees, which are not otherwise provided, and shall be a member ex-officio of all committees.

The Secretary shall keep records of all proceedings of the Council, shall give notice of all meetings, and shall conduct all correspondence.

The Treasurer shall hold all moneys, pay all bills, and render an account at the Annual Meeting.

#### VII—Standing Committee.

There shall be three standing committees nominated by the Chairman and elected by the Council:

- 1st. Publicity.
- 2nd. Service.
- 3rd. Education.

#### VIII—Meetings.

The annual meeting of the Council shall be held at the time and place of the Annual Diocesan Council.

Special meetings may be held at the call of the Bishop or of the Chairman, or upon a written request signed by three members of the Council.

#### IX—Quorum.

Five members shall constitute a quorum of the Council.

**X—Amendments.**

These By-Laws may be amended at any meeting of the Council by a vote of two-thirds' of the members present, provided proposed amendment shall have been submitted in writing to each member of the Council at least one month prior to the meeting of Council.

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**CONSTITUTION USED FROM 1908 to 1921.**

Article 1. The name of this Society shall be "The Woman's Auxiliary to the board of Missions and Parochial Society of the Diocese of East Carolina.

Art. II. The object of this Society is, by means of united and systematic effort, to arouse greater interest in all Church work, and especially to diffuse Missionary intelligence; to increase Missionary activity among the women of the Diocese; to unite previously existing Societies and to encourage the formation of Societies where there are none.

Art. III. The Church itself is a Missionary Society, and every person by baptism becomes a member of this Society. Any unbaptized person in this Diocese may become a member of this Society but cannot hold office.

Art. IV. The officers of this Society shall be a President, two Vice-Presidents, Secretary, Treasurer and such other officers as may be needed; all of whom shall be appointed by the Bishop, and shall constitute the Board of Managers. The Board of Managers shall meet from time to time at the call of the President.

Art. V. The President shall give notice of all meetings, call meetings to order and preside over them. She shall conduct the correspondence of the Society with Missionaries, with the Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions and do whatever in her judgment is best to advance the work of the Society.

Art. VI. The Senior Vice-President shall preside over the meeting during the absence of the President. Each Vice-President shall be the President of the Society in her Convocation. Any officer invited to visit a Branch, said Branch shall pay her traveling expenses. If any officer goes into a Parish or Mission to establish a new Branch or to awaken interest in an old one her expenses shall be paid by the Convocation or Parish which she visits.

Art. VII. The duty of the Secretary is to prepare the Annual Report for circulation in the Diocese, keep record of all meetings, and prepare an abstract of the minutes to be read at the Annual Meeting.

Art. VIII. The duty of the Treasurer is to take charge of all

money sent to her and to disburse same, as directed by the Parish or Mission sending it or by the Board of Managers. She shall present a report at the Annual Meeting of all money that has passed through her hands during the preceding year.

Art. IX. All Parochial Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Department and Little Helpers, Girls' Friendly Society, together with all Woman's Parochial organizations shall be entitled to one representative at the annual meeting. When an Auxiliary and Parochial Society are combined they may have two delegates. Diocesan officers of this organization are ex-officio representatives.

Amendment I. Only Junior leaders, Little Helpers leaders, or Juniors over sixteen shall be entitled to go as delegates; exception being made when the leader cannot go and has a younger Junior member capable of being a help to her by going, in which case she has the same privilege as the other delegate.

Amendment II. Every delegate is required and expected to attend every meeting of this Organization and to make a report of same to the Society sending her.

Art. X. The Annual Meeting shall be held at the time and place where the Annual Council of the Diocese is held, and a general meeting may be held at such other time and place as may be designated by the Bishop of the Diocese and the President of the Society.

Art. XI. This Society shall be divided into two Convocations according to the territory comprised in the two Convocations of the Diocese. Each section shall meet at least once a year in connection with the regular meetings of its Convocation.

Art. XII. This Constitution may be altered by a two-thirds vote of those present at the annual meeting.







