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DIOCESE OF EASTON

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MINUTES

23D ANNUAL MEETING OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF THE DIOCESE OF EASTON.

Nov. 8th, 1916, Trinity Church, Elkton.—2.30 P. M., Quiet Hour of Meditation, Subject, Prayer, Led by the Rev. George M. Galarneau, All Hallows Parish, Snow Hill.

PARISH HOUSE, 3.30 P. M.

ADDRESS BY MISS FORBES, OF ENGLAND.

Miss Forbes, a visitor from the Mother Church of England, representing the S. P. G. at the Triennial meeting in St. Louis was our guest by invitation of the president.

Wearing the garb of a Pilgrim, she told us of "The Pilgrimage of Prayer" recently held in England. In part she said, though the awful war had made the more serious-minded keenly alive to "the shortness and uncertainty of human life," there were many in England who seemed spiritually to be in a lethargic slumber. That these might be aroused before it was too late, a number of prominent Women, wives of bishops and others, after prayerful preparation, volunteered to take part in this Pilgrimage of Prayer. In the simple garb of a Pilgrim, known only as "Pilgrim Mary or Martha," they went on foot from town to town, from house to house, kindly exhorting the people to give heed to the serious things of life; to set up again their family altars, to keep more reverently God's Holy Day so that as a nation they might come into a deeper, truer life. And they ask of us in America our prayers, that they may have grace to forgive and to love their enemies.

WEDNESDAY EVENING.

Service and sermon by the Rev. Mr. Galarneau.

THURSDAY, 7.30 A. M.

Holy Communion, celebrant, the Rector of Trinity Parish.

PARISH HOUSE, 9.30 A. M.

Roll call. Present, 8 Diocesan Officers; 30 delegates from the Woman's Branch and 9 Junior delegates, 15 Parishes represented.

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DIOCESAN OFFICERS' REPORTS.

The President reported a cordial reception of the Easton Branch into the Synod of Washington at the meeting in Richmond in Nov., 1915.

It was a great gratification to hear the generous words of approval and commendation of our bishop and of the clerical and lay members at our Diocesan Convention meeting in Salisbury in June, 1916, upon the presentation of the annual report of the work of the Woman's Auxiliary in this Diocese. Also that our Diocesan Branch has borne witness to the interest we feel in the work of the church at home and abroad by sending five delegates to the triennial meeting in St. Louis.

SUMMARY OF WOMAN'S BRANCH, 1916.

Branches, 22; members 438; total offering in money and boxes, \$2,111.93.

The associate president reported the younger women organized or work in Section B. in a few of our parishes.

The corresponding secretary requests that attention be called to the fact that the Auxiliary year is the same as the Diocesan church year, extending from April to April. A full report should be sent from each branch to Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks, Chestertown, Md., with the names of parish officers for the coming year, not later than the first of May.

The treasurer's report is published in the year book.

The United Offering for 1916 from the Woman's Branch, including interest, \$731.98. Total from Woman's Branch, \$1,862.71; Junior Auxiliary, \$222.32; Little Helpers, \$70.50, making a total of \$2,155.53.

Reports of the Educational Secretary and the correspondent of the C. P. C. will be found in the year book.

A letter of thanks from Bishop Tyler, of North Dakota, was presented by Trinity Cathedral Branch, sponsor for the bishop's box of 1916, value \$61.59. Branches contributing: Galena, Centreville, Betterton, I. U., Longwood, Pocomoke, Church Hill, Cambridge, Susquehanna, Trinity Cathedral.

JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

The Juniors report 11 branches, 157 members; offerings, \$389.00 from sections II and III; Little Helpers, section I, report 21 branches, 382 members; advanced to section II, 18; new members, 48; Memorial, 42; offerings, \$187.36.

Total Junior Work—Branches, 32; members, 539; offering, \$576.36.

The United Offering for 1916 with interest, \$79.45.
Total for three years, \$222.32.

The vice-president in charge of the Junior work, after conference with the Junior delegates, passed the following resolution, in order to simplify the Junior Work:

Resolved, That all business matters of each section pass through the hands of the vice-president in charge of that section.

The parish directors of Junior work are to report all inquiries and to send all money, excepting the United Offering, to the vice-president under whom they work.

The Junior officers for the ensuing year are: Mrs. A. H. Bayly, Cambridge, Md., vice-president in charge of section III, the older girls, Mrs. Spencer Wright, Centreville, Md., in charge of section II, 8 to 16 years; Mrs. Summerfield Tilghman, in charge of section I, from baptism to 8 years old; United Offering treasurer, Mrs. Charles H. Barnett, Cambridge, Md.

THURSDAY AFTERNOON.

Roll call and reading of parish reports by the delegates present.

NEW BUSINESS.

Election of Diocesan officers. The same officers were re-elected for the ensuing year excepting those offices made vacant by resignations.

The United Offering Treasurer of the Woman's Branch is Mrs. James Merrick, Jr., Sudlersville, Md.

NOMINATING COMMITTEES, 1917.

Christ Church, Easton, Trinity Cathedral, Queenstown, Sudlersville, St. Paul's, Berlin.

BISHOP'S BOX FOR 1917.

St. Paul's, Berlin is sponsor for the Bishop's Box to be sent to Bishop Mann, of Southern Florida. All donations for this box are to be sent to Miss Margaretta Purnell, Berlin, Md.

Offerings at inter-parochial meetings are to be given to the Central Fund and placed to the credit of the entertaining branch.

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DIOCESAN PLEDGES.

For restoring church at Anvik	\$20.00
St. Agnes School, Kyoto, Japan	50.00
Miss Linda Lusby, Mountaineers of North Carolina	50.00

JUNIOR PLEDGES.

St. Agnes School, Kyoto, Japan	30.00
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PILGRIMAGE OF PRAYER.

Resolved: Begining March 4, 1917, together with the Dioceses of Delaware and Washington, we will keep the "Pilgrimage of Prayer" as outlined on pages 825 and 904 of the "Spirit of Missions."

Resolved, That at our corporate communions we will pray for the missionaries who have gone out from our own Diocese—Miss Ella Harrington, Mrs. Thomas, of Brazil, Miss Lusby, of North Carolina, and Rev. Mr. Mitchell, of Japan.

Adjourned to meet the third Wednesday in October, 1917, at Centreville, Md.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Treasurer's Report Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of Easton, June 1916 to June 1917.

FIRST ACCOUNT.

Nannie D. Collins, Diocesan Treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary, Dioceses of Easton, in account with Central Fund.

DR.

1916.

June 1, To balance in bank	\$ 45.98
" 8, " Check from St. Paul's Branch, Trappe .....	.25
" 21, " Interparochial Meeting, Talbot	2.00
Oct. 28, " Check from N. Sassafras Branch, Cecilton	1.50
Nov. 9, " Cash from Inter Meeting, Worcester	5.30
" 9, " " " Annual Meeting, after expenses....	5.04

1917.	
Feb. 28, " Check from St. Paul's Branch, Centreville	3.00
Mar. 12, " " " St. Andrew's Branch, Sudlersville	2.10
" 30, " " " Father Martin's Branch, I. U., Kent	1.00
April 13, " " " St. Mary's Branch, Pocomoke City	1.60
" 16, " " " Trinity Cathedral Branch, Easton .....	.90
" 18, " Money Order from Wye Branch, Queenstown	1.20
" 17, " Check from St. Paul's Branch, Kent	1.10
" 20, " " " St. Luke's Branch, Church Hill	1.00
" 21, " " " St. Andrew's Branch, Princess Anne	2.00
" 25, " " " Christ Church Branch, Cambridge	4.00
" 25, " " " Trinity Branch, Elkton	1.00
" 25, " " " St. John's By The Bay Branch, Betterton .....	.50
April 26, To Check from Shrewsbury Branch, Black's P. O.	1.50
" 28, " " " Christ's Church Branch, Easton	3.90
" 28, " " " St. Paul's Branch, Berlin	2.00
" 30, " " " Susquehanna Branch, Aikins	1.00
May 11, " " " Emmanuel Branch, Chestertown	2.50
April 30, " " " Junior's 3rd, Cambridge .....	.50
" 30, " " " " Berlin .....	.50
May 11, " " " Christ Church, Easton	2.00
" 14, " " " St. Peter's Branch, Salisbury	2.00
" 18, " Cash " Interparochial Meeting, Kent	5.43
" 19, " " " " Q. A	7.94
" 19, " Check " Christ Church Branch, Stevensville	2.00

\$110.74

CR.

1916—1917.

June 8, 1916, By Check to Mrs. Summerfield Tilghman	\$ 1.28
" 19, " " " Miss J. P. Dawson, freight B. B.	1.77
Aug. 17, " " " Chestertown Transcript Publishing Co.	26.80

DIOCESE OF EASTON

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Sept. 25, 1916, By Check to Mrs. Anna Hadaway, R. S. bill.	1.25
April 16, 1917, " " " Mrs. Z. R. Collins, Sta. bill...	2.00
" 20, " " " Mrs. Elizabeth W Keas, Sta. bill.	6.02
" 28, " " " Miss Helen Troxell, Prov. dues.	5.00
May 1, " " " Mrs. Z. R. Collins, stamps....	.50
" 18, " " " Mrs. J. T. Keas, freight B. B.	1.73

	\$ 46.35
May 20, 1917, Balance in Bank.....	64.39

	\$110.74

SECOND ACCOUNT.

Nannie D. Collins, Diocesan Treasurer, in account with
Delegate Fund.

DR.

1916

June 1, balance in Savings Dept.....	\$106.10
" 8, To check from St. Paul's Branch, Trappe.....	.25
Oct. 28, " " " N. Sassafras Branch, Cecilton....	1.50
Nov. 9, " cash returned by Delegate to Triannual	15.00

1917	
Feb. 28, " check from St Paul's Branch, Centreville.....	\$3.00
Mar. 12, " " " St. Andrew's Branch, Sudlersville	2.10
" 30, " " " Father Martin Branch, I. U.....	1.00
Apr. 16, " " " Trinity Cathedral Branch, Easton.	.90
" 18, " " " Wye Branch, Queenstown.....	1.20
" 17, " " " St. Paul's Branch, Kent.....	1.20
" 26, " " " St. Lukes Branch, Church Hill....	.50
" 21, " " " St. Andrew's Br., Princess Anne.	2.00
" 25, " " " Christ's Church Branch, Cambridge	4.00
" 25, " " " Trinity Branch, Elkton.....	1.10
" 25, " " " St. John's By the Bay Br. Betterton	.50
" 26, " " " Shrewsbury Branch, Black's P. O.	1.50
" 28, " " " Christ's Church Branch, Easton...	3.90
" 28, " " " St. Paul's Branch, Berlin.....	2.00
May 11, " " " Emmanuel Branch, Chestertown...	2.50
" 14, " " " St. Peter's Branch, Salisbury... .	2.00

\$152.25

CR.

Sept. 25, 1916, By check to Mrs. J. T. Keas.....	\$106.78
June 1, 1917, By balance in Saving Dept.....	45.47

	\$152.25

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

THIRD ACCOUNT.

Nannie D. Collins, Diocesan Treasurer, in account with
Bishop's Fund.

DR.

1916

\$68.25

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1917.

May 21, By check to Bishop Wm. F. Adams.....\$68.25

FOURTH ACCOUNT.

Nannie D. Collins, Diocesan Treasurer, in account with
Church Periodical Club.

DR.

1917

Feb. 4, To Check from N	Sassafras Branch, Cecilton	.....	\$ .50
" 28, " " "	St. Paul's Branch, Centreville	.....	1.00
" 28, " " "	Wye Branch, Queenstown	.....	1.00
Mar. 12, " " "	St. Andrew's Branch, Sudlersville	.....	.50
Apr. 17, " " "	St. Paul's Branch, Kent	.....	1.00
" 25, " " "	St. John's By the Bay Branch, Betterton	.....	.50
" 28, " " "	Christ Church Branch, Easton	3.00
" 28, " " "	St. Paul's Branch, Berlin50
May 14, " " "	St. Peter's Branch, Salisbury50

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1917

Mar. 27, By check to Miss Ellen Barroll.....	\$3.00
Apr. 25, " " " " "	1.50
May 21, " " " " "	4.00
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	\$8.50

FIFTH ACCOUNT.

Nannie D. Collins, Diocesan Treasurer, in account with
Board of Missions. Counting on the apportionment.

DR.

1916.

June 7, To check from All Saints' Branch, Talbot county.	\$ 7.26
" 7, " " " Christ Church Branch, Easton.....	4.32
" 7, " " " Trinity Cathedral Branch, Easton..	4.00
" 7, " cash " Holy Trinity Branch, Oxford.....	4.00
" 7, " " " Christ Church Branch, Easton.....	.04
" 8, " check " St. Paul's Branch, Trappe.....	1.50
Sept. 1, " " " All Hallow's Branch, Snow Hill.....	5.50
" 18, " " " Wye Branch, Queenstown.....	6.10
" 29, " " " Miss M. Pernell, Income Fund.....	3.75
Oct. 28, " " " N. Sassafras Branch, Cecilton.....	5.00

1917.

Jan. 1, " " " N. Sassafras Branch, Cecilton.....	3.00
Feb. 27, " " " St. John's By The Bay Branch, Betterton.....	17.35
March 12, To check from St. Andrew's Branch, Sudlersville.	5.00
Feb. 28, " " " Wye Branch, Queenstown.....	2.25
March 30, " " " Father Martin's Branch, I. U.....	3.00
April 9, " " " " " " " " "	3.50
" 13, " " " St. Mary's Branch, Pocomoke City.	1.00
" 14, " " " St. Paul's Branch, Centreville....	28.04
" 17, " " " St. Paul's Branch, Kent.....	5.00
" 21, " " " St. Andrew's, Princess Anne.....	8.00
" 25, " " " Christ Church Branch, Cambridge	10.00
" " " " " Trinity Branch, Elkton.....	2.00
" " " " " St. John's By The Bay Branch, Betterton.....	3.10
April 21, To check from Shrewsbury Branch, Black's, des-ignated for Bishop Hare's Indian School.....	60.00
April 28, To check from Christ's Church Branch, Easton..	16.50
" " " " " St. Paul's Branch, Berlin	2.00
" " " " " Susquehanna Branch, Aikens.....	5.00
" 30 " " " " Juniors 3rd, Cambridge.....	1.00
" " " " " Berlin.....	1.00
May 11, " " " Emmanuel Branch, Chestertown..	6.00
" " " " " Juniors 3rd, Christ Church, Easton	10.00
" 14, " " " " St. Peter's Branch, Salisbury....	10.00
" 18, " " " " Christ Church Branch, Stevensville.	5.28

\$249.64

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

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1916.							
Sept.	14,	By check to Geo. Gordon King, Treas.	\$	26.62		
"	30,	" " " " "		3.75		
1917.							
Feb.	28,	By check to Geo. Gordon King, Treas.		17.35		
April	16,	" " " " "	.....		27.85		
"	26,	" " " " "	.....		60.00		
May	21,	" " " " "	.....		114.07		
							\$249.64

SIXTH ACCOUNT.

Nannie D. Collins, Diocesan Treasurer in account with Specials.

DR.

1916.							
Oct.	14,	To check from Shrewsbury Branch, Black's, for Bishop Rowe, Alaska	.....		\$50.00		
1917.							
Jan.	28,	To check from Shrewsbury Branch, Black's, for Clergy Relief Fund	.....		10.00		
April	26,	to check from Shrewsbury Branch, Black's, for Hospital at Tanana, Alaska	.....		30.00		
April	26,	to check from Shrewsbury Branch, Blacks, for Bishop Row, for doors and windows in native cabins, Alaska	.....		40.00		
April	28,	to check from Christ Church, Easton	.....		3.00		
"	25,	" " St. Johns By The Bay Branch, Betterton, for Sallie Stewart Memorial, pledged by Mrs. Hepburn	.....		18.00		
May	1,	to check from St. Andrew's Branch, Sudlersville, for industry School, El Coto	.....		3.00		
April	30,	to check from Junior's 3rd, Cambridge, for Japanese Orphanage, Holy Trinity	.....		2.50		
April	30,	to check from Junior's 3rd, Berlin, for Japanese Orphanage, Holy Trinity	.....		2.00		
May	11,	to check from Junior's 3rd, Easton, for Japanese Orphanage, Holy Trinity	.....		2.50		
May	11,	to check from Junior's 3rd, Christ Church, Easton, for Bishop Hare's School, S. D.		2.50		
							\$160.50

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1916.							
Oct.	16,	By check to Geo. Gordon King, Treas.	\$	50.00		
1917.							
Jan.	30,	By check to Edward B. Hardcastle		10.00		
Apr.	26,	" " Geo. Gordon King, Treas.		30.00		
"	"	" " " " "		40.00		
"	28,	" " " " "		15.00		
"	"	" " " " "		3.00		
May	21,	" " " " "		12.50		
							\$160.50

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SEVENTH ACCOUNT.

Nannie D. Collins, Diocesan Treasurer, in account with
Diocesan Pledge to rebuilding Anvick Church, Alaska,
\$20.00.

DR.

1917.

Feb. 4, To check from N. Sassafras Branch, Cecilton.....	\$ 1.00
" 28, " " " St. Paul's Branch, Centreville.....	1.50
" 28, " " " Wye Branch, Queenstown .....	.50
Mar. 12, " " " St. Andrew's Branch, Sudlersville...	2.00
" 30, " " " Father Martin's Branch, Kent.....	1.00
Apr. 5, " " " Emmanuel Branch, Chestertown ..	3.00
" 13, " " " St. Mary's Branch, Pocomoke City..	.50
" 16, " " " Trinity Cathedral Branch, Easton...	1.00
" 17, " " " St. Paul's Branch, Kent.....	1.00
" 20, " " " St. Luke's Branch, Church Hill.....	2.00
" 21, " " " St. Andrew's Branch, Princess Anne.	1.00
" 25, " " " Christ Church Branch, Cambridge...	5.00
" " " " Trinity Branch, Elkton.....	1.00
" 25, " " " St. John's By The Bay Br., Betterton	4.00
" 26, " " " Shrewsbury Branch, Blacks.....	1.00
" 28, " " " Christ Church Branch, Easton.....	1.00
May 14, " " " St. Peter's Branch, Salisbury.....	1.00

\$27 50

CR.

1917.

Apr. 16, By check to Geo. Gordon King, Treas	\$ 9.00
May 11, " " " " "	18.50

\$27.50

EIGHTH ACCOUNT.

Nannie D. Collins, Diocesan Treasurer, in account with Diocesan Pledge to building St. Agnes' School, Kyoto, Japan, \$50.00.

DR.

1917.

Feb. 4, To check from N. Sassafrass Branch, Cecilton	\$ 1.00
" 28, " " " St. Paul's Branch, Centreville.....	5.00
" 28, " " " Wye Branch, Queenstown	1.00
Mar. 12, " " " St. Andrew's Branch, Sudlersville..	5.00
" 30, " " " Father Martin's Branch, I. U.....	1.00
Apr. 5, " " " Emmanuel Branch, Chestertown ..	5.00
" 5, " " " St. Mary's Branch, Pocomoke City..	.50
" 16, " " " Trinity Cathedral Branch, Easton...	1.00
" 17, " " " St. Paul's Branch, Kent..	1.00
" 20, " " " St. Luke's Branch, Church Hill.....	2.00
" 21, " " " St. Andrew's Branch, Princess Anne..	1.00

Amount carried forward..... 23.50

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

		Amount brought forward.....	\$24.50
" 25,	" "	" Christ's Church Branch, Cambridge..	10.00
" 25,	" "	" Trinity Branch, Elkton.....	1.00
" 26,	" "	" Shrewsbury Branch, Black's, P. O..	2.00
" 28,	" "	" Christ Church Branch, Easton.....	2.50
" 30,	" "	" Susquehanna Branch, Aikens.....	3.00
" 28,	" "	" St. Paul's Branch, Berlin.....	4.00
May 2,	" "	" " " "	1.00
Apr. 30,	" "	" Junior's 3rd, Cambridge.....	2.50
" 30	" "	" Junior's 3rd, Berlin.....	2.00
May 14,	" "	" St. Peter's Branch, Salisbury.....	1.00
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			\$52.00
		CR.	
1917.			
Apr. 16,	By check to Geo. Gordon King, Treas	\$18.00
May 21,	" " " "		34.00
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			\$52.00

NINTH ACCOUNT.

Nannie D. Collins, Diocesan Treasurer, in account with
Diocesan Pledge to Miss Linda Lusby for work in St.
Paul's School, Edneyville, N. Carolina, \$50.00.

DR.

1917.			
Feb. 4,	To check from N. Sassafras Branch, Cecilton.	.....	\$ 1.00
" 28,	" " St. Paul's Branch, Centreville.....		5.00
" 28,	" " Wye Branch, Queenstown.....		1.00
Mar. 12,	" " St. Andrew's Branch, Sudlersville...		5.00
" 30,	" " Father Martin's Branch, I. U.....		2.00
Apr. 5,	" " Emmanuel Branch, Chestertown....		5.00
" 13,	" " St. Mary's Branch, Pocomoke City..		1.00
" 16,	" " Trinity Cathedral Branch, Easton....		1.00
" 17,	" " St. Paul's Branch, Kent.....		1.00
" 20,	" " St. Luke's Branch, Church Hill.....		2.00
" 21,	" " St. Andrew's Branch, Princess Anne		1.40
" 25,	" " Christ Church Branch, Cambridge..		10.00
" 25,	" " Trinity Branch, Elkton		2.00
" 25,	" " St. John's By The Bay Br., Betterton		1.00
" 26,	" " Shrewsbury Branch, Black's P. O...		2.00
" 28,	" " Christ Church Branch, Easton.....		3.00
" 28,	" " St. Paul's Branch, Berlin		2.00
" 30,	" " Susquehanna Branch, Aikens.....		3.00
May 14,	" " St. Peter's Branch, Salisbury.....		1.00
" 18,	Cash from Kent Inter Meeting.....		1.48
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			\$50.88

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1917.

Apr. 16, By check to George Gordon King, Treas	\$19.00
May 21, " " " " " "	31.88

	\$50.88

Report of United Offering, 1915-1916—Woman's Auxiliary.

Previously reported.....	\$1,155.75
St. Andrew's, Princess Anne	18.80
Shrewsbury.....	75.40
Trinity, Elkton.....	13.10
Trinity Cathedral, Easton.....	9.80
Emmanuel, Chestertown.....	58.05
I. U., Father Martin's Branch.....	22.15
St. John's By The Bay, Betterton.....	10.50
Christ Church, Easton.....	55.50
Christ Church, Cambridge.....	130.50
St. Paul's, Berlin.....	33.92
North Sassafras Parish	9.60
St. Peter's, Salisbury.....	27.25
North Kent Parish.....	9.64
St. Paul's, Trappe.....	26.38
St. Paul's, Centreville.....	92.63
St. Andrew's, Sudlersville.....	37.00
Wye Parish.....	16.36
St. Mary's, Pocomoke City.....	12.74
St. Luke's, Church Hill	10.00
All Hallows, Snow Hill	3.00
St. Paul's, Kent	4.06
Susquehanna Parish.....	7.03
Interest.....	23.57

	\$1,862.71
Junior Auxiliary	222.82
Little Helpers.....	70.00

	\$2,155.53

ELIZABETH WHALEY KEAS,

Diocesan Treasurer of United Offering.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

United Offering—1916-1917.

St. Mark's, Susquehanna	\$ 17.21
Shrewsbury	75.40
Trinity, Elkton	13.10
Cathedral, Easton	9.80
Emmanuel, Chestertown	54.49
Father Martin's Branch	21.45
Betterton Mission	11.25
Christ Church, Cambridge	130.50
St. Paul's, Berlin	20.57
St. Stephen's, N. Sassafras	11.10
St. Peter's, Salisbury	21.25
St. Paul's, Trappe	26.38
St. Paul's, Centreville	93.95
St. Andrew's, Sudlersville	48.52
Wye Parish	16.50
St. Mary's, Pocomoke City	11.16
St. Luke's Church Hill	15.00
All Hallow's, Snow Hill	3.00
St. Paul's, Kent	4.06
Christ Church, Easton	55.50
St. Andrew's, Princess Anne	20.00

1917 Offering in hand to June 1st \$680.19

21 Branches Contributed to United Offering.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE GEORGE MERRICK, Treasurer.

Report of Mission Study, Diocese of Easton, 1917.

	Meetings	Members	Average Attendance
Trinity Cathedral, Easton	3	4	4
St. Mark's, Aiken	9	10	6
Emmanuel, Chestertown	6	16	10
St. Andrew's, Sudlersville	6	9	5
St. Andrew's, Sudlersville, Jrs.	6	9	6
St. Paul's, Centreville	?	22	15
St. Luke's, Queenstown	8	12	7
Christ Church, Easton	6	7	5½
" " "	6	10	6
Christ Church, Cambridge	10	20	18
St. Paul's, Berlin	6	6	3½
St. Paul's, Berlin, Jrs.	6	12	8½
St. Mary's, Pocomoke	?	12	8
Holy Innocents', Claiborne	6	?	?

A. L. WHITTINGHAM, Ed. Sec.

REPORT OF C. P. C., APRIL 1916 TO 1917.

Periodicals sent regularly, 113; contributors, 50; odd magazines, 95. We have sent three barrels of literature and three large boxes of books and magazines. Our annual dues, \$5.00, were sent to Mrs. D. G. Luckett, treasurer, last April.

C. P. C. PLEDGES RECEIVED FOR 1917.

March	27	Father Martin's Branch, I. U. Parish.....	\$1.00
"	7	Princess Anne.....	.50
"	20	Trinity, Elkton.....	1.00
"	29	Check from Dio. Treas. Parishes not specified	3.00
April	9	Christ Church, Cambaidge.....	1.00
"	5	Emmanuel, Chestertown.....	1.00
"	14	Trinity Cathedral, Easton.....	.50
"	27	From Sec. II, Jr. Aux.....	1.00
		Mrs. Mary H. Wright, Re. Pres.....	.50
May	1	Sudlersville Jrs.....	1.00
"	30	From Diocesan Treas.....	.50
Oct.	20, 1916	Emmanuel, Chestertown, Jrs.....	.50
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			\$11.00
		Paid out for annual dues.....	\$5.00
		Check	1.30
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			\$ 6.30
		Balance.....	\$ 4.70

Respectfully submitted,

ELLEN BARROLL,
Correspondent C. P. C.

The Eighteenth Annual Report of the Little Helpers or Section I of the Junior Department.

MADAM PRESIDENT AND MEMBERS OF THE AUXILIARY:

It gives me great pleasure to report to you the work for the past year of your younger members. There are about 380 Little Helpers in age from the baby just baptized to the child eight years old in Section I of your Junior Department; 21 Parishes out of the 38 in the Diocese sent me reports and money for this year.

One parish, Snow Hill, withdrew from the work, the parish secretary writing me that the children had outgrown the Little Helpers, and that there were none to take their places.

Sixteen parishes had the special service when the children offered their boxes. There is four more than last year so I trust this beautiful custom is growing in the Diocese. Eighteen Little Helpers have been advanced to Section II. One has been added to our Memorial Circle, so that we now keep in remembrance 46 little ones who are safe in the gardens of Paradise. Forty-eight new members have been added to our branch; 8 branches gave \$9.30 towards our pledge of \$15 to the G. F. Mitchell Memorial Kindergarten Building Fund, Akita, Japan, the balance had to be made up from our emergency fund. I am glad to be able to tell you that this special work of enlarging our kindergarten building at Akita, Japan, undertaken at the New York Triennial for which \$1,000 was asked, has been completed and paid for, and it is of great help to our work in Akita.

The money from all the little red boxes amounts to \$178.06, with the special for Akita of \$9.30 making a total of \$187.36, \$27.64 less than we gave last year, but as Section II has been largely organized by advancing the oldest of the Little Helpers, I think that may account for it.

You know I do not consider the money given as a fair test of the work of the Little Helpers, but one branch has done so well for the last two years that I feel compelled to notice it.

St. Andrews, Sudlersville, in 1915 reported five members and gave \$7.41, averaging more than \$1 to a box, and \$1 extra for the Akita special. This year they report six mem-

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bers and give \$6.32 from the boxes, with \$2 extra for Akita.

Holy Trinity, Greensboro, comes next with only four members and an offering of \$4.12. Our box this year goes to St. Mary's, Suawanee, Tenn., and we value it at \$75.00; 8 branches contributed to it. We sent \$70.50 to the United Offering—total for the three years.

RECEIPTS.

Parish.	Parish Sec.	No.	L. H.	Off.	Special	Akita,	Japan.
Easton, Trinity Cathedral, Mrs. J. P. Dawson		16		\$ 6.56			
Elkton Trinity, Miss Ellen Barroll			9	5.00			
Cecilton, North Sassafras, Miss Cruikshank			9	4.10			
Shrewsbury, Miss Helen Comegys			13	9.03			
I. U. { Christ Church, Mrs. A. N. Stavely		6		3.12			
I. U. { St. John's By The Bay, Mrs. James Sutton		26		2.68			
Chestertown, Emmanuel, Miss May Ireland			54	32.16			
Masseys, North Kent, Miss Hannah Ware			6	3.75	\$.60		
Church Hill, St. Luke's { Mrs. T. Manly Sharpe,							
Sudlersville, St. Andrew's, Miss Edward Valliant, Jr.	22			5.00	.60		
Centreville, St. Paul's, Mrs. James Bordley	6			6.32	2.00		
Queenstown, Wye Parish, Mrs. L. Batte	35			34.65	2.50		
Greensboro, Holy Trinity, Miss Victoria Roe		4		4.12	.50		
Easton, Christ Church, Mrs. Nicholas Orem		8		3.88	.10		
Trappe, St. Paul's, Mrs. C. J. Kirby		34		5.41			
East New Market, St. Andrew's, Mrs. Chas. Wheatley				2.00			
Cambridge, Christ Church, Mrs. Henry Lloyd, Jr.	50			15.33			
Salisbury, St. Peter's, Mrs. C. R. White		30		14.00	2.00		
Princess Anne, St. Andrew's, Miss Marion Stanford	10			3.25			
Berlin, St. Paul's, Mrs. Henry Jarvis		16		3.78			
Pocomoke City, St. Mary's, Mrs. E. Adams		19		10.25			
		383		\$178.06	\$9.30		
Total 21 Parishes.							
Total					\$187.36		

DISBURSEMENTS.

APPORTIONMENT.

General Missions		\$ 51.00	
G. F. Mitchel Kindergarten, Akita, Japan		15.00	
Chinese Day Schools		10.00	
			\$76.00

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Bishop's Fund		\$ 5.00	
L. H. Cot at the Home, Easton		10.00	
			15.00

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SPECIAL.

Indians, White Rods, Utah.....	\$ 10.00
L. H. Cot, St. Agnes, Raleigh, N. C.....	3.00
A. S. Lloyd's Scholarship, Corbin, Ky.....	5.00
Little Helpers' Fund.....	1.00
For boy at St. Augustine, Raleigh, Ky.....	25.00
Church Periodacal Club.....	3.00
United Offering.....	20.00
Building Fund, Akita, Japan.....	15.00
Emergency Fund.....	14.36
	96.36
	\$187.36

Respectfully submitted,

MARY J. TILGHMAN,
3rd Vice-President in Charge of Section I.

If I have not kept you too long, I would like to make an earnest appeal to you for help, not as an auxiliary but to each one of you as an individual.

If we want to accomplish any thing we must know exactly what we want, and then we must go and get it. Now, I know very clearly what I want, they are four things.

First—A branch in each of the 38 parishes in the Diocese. There are 17 more branches that we must have before we can really be a Diocesan branch.

Second—I want every baptized child under eight years of age enrolled in the Little Helpers work.

Third—I want the Auxiliary so organized in our parishes that when our Little Helpers are old enough to be advanced to Section II there will be a Section II to receive them.

Fourth—I want some provision made for the boys. There are as many boys as girls among the Little Helpers, and it is a weak spot in our Diocese that so little provision is made for their continued work after they are eight years old.

These are my four problems, and these are what I am asking you to help me with. Please don't say "There are no children in our parish; say rather "I have not looked for them." Please don't say, "I am so busy; I would like to help you but I can't, but Mrs. So and So is here from our Parish, ask her." Mrs. So and So has her own work as much as you. Besides I am asking Mrs. So and So, but it is *you* I want to help me. This is the way I want you to talk to yourself. "I know the Little Helpers' work is especially blessed with the Master's approval, or it would not ac-

complish the wonderful work it does. I know that when I do the Master's work it must be done in His way, not mine. May not this appeal for help that Mrs. Tilghman is making be His call to me for my personal service, my opportunity to do some work for Him.

It is a blessed privilege when we say, Here am I, Lord, take me—my mind, my hands, my feet, my lips to do Thy will, working through me for thy glory, and then wait on Him, He will show us in a very wonderful way what He has for us to do. Won't you try this for me when you have gone home, and then go to your rector, and if there is no branch in your parish, talk with him and see what can be done about it, or if there is a branch go to your parish secretary, and you and she consult with your rector as to the best way to reach every baptized child in your parish, and also talk about these other problems of mine. May be your influence can help reduce that number 17 parishes where there is no auxiliary work done.

If you will honestly try this plan with me this year when we come together to our next annual meeting, I am sure you will be astonished at the result, for if we ask faithfully what He will have us do, and then do our best to do what He shows us, it is His to give the increase.

Now, I have told you my problems, and I will leave them and my Little Helpers to your prayers and your loving care, knowing that our blessed Lord, who called little children and blessed them, and who twice gave the command—"Feed my lambs"—will fit us each one into His perfect plan for the growth of His kingdom, our problems will vanish away and we will indeed be a united auxiliary, working throughout our Diocese to do the Master's will.

BOX WORK.

1917—Rox to Bishop Mann, of Southern Florida, in charge of Berlin Branch, contributed to by ten branches, values \$115.89.

1917—Eleven branches sent individual boxes, value \$779.14. Reported to Church Mission Home fifteen boxes. Will all branches wishing to send boxes send to the Cor. Sec. for names for those boxes.

S. E. BROOKS, Cor. Sec.

Officers and Total Accounts of Woman's Auxiliary Ending April 1917.

CECIL COUNTY.**SUSQUEHANNA, AIKEN.**

President, Mrs. G. F. Oliver; Vice-President, Miss M. Kirk, 2nd Vice-President, Mrs. Peyton Patterson; Secretary, Miss L. E. Whitelock; Treasurer, Miss L. E. Whitelock; United Offering Treasurer, Miss B. Whitelock, Educational Secretary, Miss A. L. Whittingham. Members, 11.

Total, \$23.01.

TRINITY, ELKTON.

President, Mrs. Wm. Schouler; Sec., Miss Ellen Barroll; Treas., —; U. Off. Treas., Mary H. Ash; Librarian C. P. C., M. H. Ash; Members, 16.

Total, \$53.92.

ST. STEPHEN'S, CECILTON.

President, Mrs. M. T. Clark, V. Pres., Mrs. H. S. Duhamel; Sec., Mrs. S. Wills Lusby; Treas., Mrs. S. Willis Lusby; U. Off. Treas., Mrs. L. W. Davis; Librarian C. P. C., Mrs. E. J. Davis. Members, 20.

Total, \$33.60.

KENT COUNTY.**CHAPEL OF THE HOLY CROSS, MILLINGTON.**

Pres., ; Sec. and Treas., Miss Victoria Powers.
No Report.

SHREWSBURY, LOCUST GROVE.

President, Mrs. M. E. W. Janvier; Sec., Mrs. S. S. Hurtt; Treas., Mrs. John Comegys. Members, 16.

Total, \$286.40.

ST. JOHN'S BY-THE-BAY, BETTERTON.

President, Mrs. Jas. M. Sutton; Sec., Mrs. Lit. Crew; Treas., Mrs. R. C. Turner; U. Off. Treas., Mrs. E. Dempsey. Members, 15.

Total, \$34.91.

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FATHER MARTIN BRANCH, CHRIST CHURCH, I. U.

President, Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks; V. Pres., Mrs. S. S. Hepburn; Sec., Mrs. A. L. Stavely; Treas., Mrs. J. B. Hossinger; U. Off. Treas., Mrs. P. A. M. Brooks.
Members, 14. Total, \$27.75.

EMMANUEL, CHESTERTOWN.

President, Mrs. A. E. Physick; Asso. Pres., Mrs. S. C. Roberts; Secretary, Miss Susan S. Roberts; Treasurer, Mrs. Thos. G. Wroth; U. Offering Treas., Mrs. W. F. Hines; Ed. Sec., Mrs. Physick; Librarian C. P. C., Mrs. Jervis Spencer.
Member, 28. Total, \$228.50.

ST. PAUL'S, FAIRLEE.

President, Mrs. W. O. Selby; Treasurer, Mrs. G. Beck; Sec., Mrs. W. G. Smyth; Treas., Mrs. Charles Skirven; U. Off. Treas., Mrs. Wm. G. Smyth.
Members, 11. Total, \$22.36.

QUEEN ANNES COUNTY.

ST. ANDREW'S, SUDLERSVILLE.

President, Mrs. Dudley Roe; Asso. Pres., Mrs. J. B. Metcalfe; Sec., Mrs. James G. Merrick, Jr.; Treas., Mrs. Austin Roberts; U. Off. Treas., Mrs. J. G. Merrick; Librarian C. P. C., Mrs. A. Roberts.
Members, 22. Total, \$144.34.

ST. LUKE'S, CHURCH HILL.

President, Mrs. John Newnam; Sec., Mrs. Levi Clough; Treas., Mrs. Anna Hall; U. Off. Treas., Mrs. Mary Weedon; Ed. Sec., Mrs. L. Clough; Librarian C. P. C., Mrs. A. McDonald.
Members, 12. Total, \$77.00.

ST. PAUL'S, CENTREVILLE.

President, Mrs. Z. R. Collins; Asso Pres., Mrs. C. S. Thomas; Sec., Mrs. T. H. Davis; Treas., Mrs. W. H. Gibson; U. Off. Treas., Mrs. M. K. Brown; Ed. Sec., Mrs. Z. R. Collins; Librarian C. P. C., Miss C. B. Jacobs.

Members, 43 Total, \$410.24.

WYE PARISH, QUEENSTOWN.

President, Mrs. S. Tilghman; Sec., Miss Lucy B. Batte; Treas., Mrs. S. E. Kirby; U. Off. Treas., Mrs. R. H. Ford; Librarian C. P. C., Mrs. Harry Roberts.
Members, 11. Total, \$78.75.

CHRIST CHURCH, STEVENSVILLE.

President, Mrs. J. R. Benton; Asso. Pres., Mrs. I. Goodhand; Sec., Mrs. E. C. Herbert; Treas., Mrs. Herbert.
Members, 10. Total, \$7.23.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

TALBOT COUNTY.

TRINITY CATHEDRAL, EASTON.

President, Miss Josie P. Dawson; Vice-Pres., Mrs. S. A. Cover; Sec., Mrs. Alex. Fountain; Treas., Mrs. Wm. H. Adkins; Ed Sec., Mrs. Alex. Fountain; Librarian C. P. C., Miss Carlotta A. Bryan.
Members, 12. Total, \$43 63

CHRIST CHURCH, EASTON.

President, Mrs. Oswald Tilghman; Asso. Pres., Miss Mary Jenkins; Sec., Mrs. T. Hughelett Henry; Treas., Miss E. B. Walker; U. Off. Treas., Mrs. Frank E. Wrightson.
Members, 39 Total, \$162 62.

CORDOVA.

President, Mrs. Sallie Hopkins; Asso. Pres., Mrs. Lena Kenard; Sec., Mrs. Mamie George; Treas., Mrs. Pearl Saulsbury.
Members, 15. Total, \$31.00.

ST. PAUL'S, TRAPPE.

President, Mrs. Wm. Collins; Asso. Pres., Mrs. Wm. Martin; Sec., Mrs. E. J. Kirby; Treas., Mrs. Martin; U. Off. Treas., Mrs. Kirby; Librarian C. P. C., Mrs. Kirby.
Members, — Total, —

DORCHESTER COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, CAMBRIDGE

President, Mrs. Edwin S. Hinks; Asso. Pres., Mrs. John Mace.; Sec., Miss Margaret H. Small; Treas., —
Members, 18 Total, \$56.00.

ST. STEPHENS, EAST NEW MARKET.

No Report

WICOMICO COUNTY.

ST. PETER'S, SALISBURY.

President, Miss Letitia Houston, Asso. Pres., Mrs. L. R. Douglas; Sec., Mrs. W. L. Gordy; Jr. Treas., Mrs. T. L. Adams; U. Off. Treas., Miss Mary Leonard; Ed. Sec., Mrs. M. V. Brewington; Librarian C. P. C., Mrs. M. V. Brewington.
Members, 16. Total, \$114.25.

SOMERSET COUNTY.

ST. ANDREW'S, PRINCESS ANNE.

President, Mrs. W. T. G. Polk; Asso., Mrs. C. M. Dashiell; Sec., Mrs. W. S. McMaster; Treas., Miss E. Woolford; U. O. Treas., Miss Woolford; Librarian C. P. C., Mrs. W. P. Dashiell.
Members, 20. Total, \$91 40.

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ST. MARY'S, POCOMOKE.

President, Mrs. Louis L. Williams; Sec., Mrs. Grace Schoolfield;
Treas., Mrs. L. L. Williams.
Members, 8. Total, \$61.94.

ST. PAUL'S, BERLIN.

President, Miss Mary G. Jones; Asso. Pres., Mrs. J. T. Keas; Sec.,
Miss M. Purnell; Treas., Miss Purnell; U. Off. Treas., Mrs. S. K. Mar-
shall; Ed. Sec., Mrs. Keas; Librarian C. P. C., Miss Purnell.
Members, 20. Total, \$72.40.

Officers and Members of the Junior Auxiliary, 1916—1917.

CECIL COUNTY.

ST. STEPHENS, NORTH SASSAFRAS.

President, M. E. Clark; U. Off. Treas., M. E. Clark.
Members, — Total, \$33.50.
Report of April, 1917, says no longer a Junior Branch.

KENT COUNTY.

SHREWSBURY.

Treas., Miss Eliz. Pennington.
Members, 14. Total, \$10.50.

CHESTERTOWN.

Pres., Harriet Welch; Sec., Gilbert Byron; Treas., Mary Simpers.
Members, 47 in Sunday School. Total, \$42.54.

QUEEN ANNES COUNTY.

SUDLERSVILLE.

President, Mrs. D. G. Roe; 1st Vice-Pres., Sara Roe; 2nd Vice-Pres.,
Bernice Phillips; Sec., Esther Gillespie; Treas., Mrs. D. G. Roe; Ed.
Sec., Winifred Wilson.
Members, 9. Total, \$36.01.

CHURCH HILL.

Secretary, Margaretta Newnam; Treas., Mildred Valliant; U. Off.
Treas., Mildred Valliant; Directresses, Mrs. Alice McDonald, Miss G.
Hall.
Members, 10. Total, \$16.65.

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CENTREVILLE.

President, M. E. Feddeaman; Vice-Pres., John Goldsborough; 2nd Vice-Pres., M. H. Wright; Sec., Katherine Coursey; Treas., Sara Wright; U Off. Treas., Juliet Price.
Members, 32.

Total, \$59.53.

TALBOT COUNTY.

TRINITY CATHEDRAL.

President, Carlotta A. Bryan; Treas., Mrs. Anna Fountain.
Members, 35.

Total, \$36.10.

CHRIST CHURCH, EASTON.

First Vice-Pres., Frances Jenkins; 3rd Vice-Pres., Mrs. Nicholas Orem; Sec., Mrs. S. H. Henry; Sec., Eleanor Davies; Treas., Ruth Hoshour; U Off. Treas., Ruth Hoshour
Members, 15.

Total, \$71.61.

WORCESTER COUNTY.

BERLIN.

President, E. R. Purnell; Treas., Mrs. Wm. Keas.
Members, 10—Sec. III.

Total, \$38.11.

Members, —Sec. II.

Total, \$10 00.

OCEAN CITY.

President, S. Mitchell; 1st Vice-Pres., Hearne Jones; 2nd Vice-Pres., Eliz. Massey; Sec., Roselle Richardson; Treas., Virginia Parker.
Members, 24; Average attendance, 15.

Total, \$3.50.

