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HONOLULU BRANCH

OF THE

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

TO THE

NATIONAL COUNCIL

December 31, 1936, to December 31, 1937

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*"All for Christ, Christ for all, Forward Together"*



HONOLULU, HAWAII  
1938



## The Prayer for the Woman's Auxiliary

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

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## For Noontide, 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.

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## Collects for the Use of Parish Meetings

O God, who hast prepared for those who love Thee such good things as pass man's understanding; Pour into our hearts such love toward Thee, that we, loving Thee above all things, may obtain Thy promises, which exceed all that we can desire; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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## "Inasmuch"

Send us, O God, as Thy messengers, to hearts without a home, to lives without love, to the crowds without a guide, Send us to the children whom none have blessed, to the famished whom none have fed, to the sick whom none have visited, to the fallen whom none have lifted, to the bereaved whom none have comforted. Kindle Thy flame on the altars of our hearts, that others may be warmed thereby; cause Thy light to shine in our souls, that others may see the way; keep our sympathies and insight ready, our wills keen, our hands quick to help our brothers in their need; for Christ's sake. Amen.

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Almighty, and most merciful God, we humbly beseech Thee, for the merits of Thy dear Son, to pour out Thy Holy Spirit upon all our missionaries at home and abroad, especially our prayer partners and to crown their labors with success in the gathering of souls into Thy Kingdom, to the honor and praise of Thy glorious Name, who art with the Father, Son and Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. Amen.

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O God, who has 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.

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## A Prayer for the United Thank-Offering of the Women of the Church

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

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## For the Family of Nations

Almighty God, our heavenly Father, guide, we beseech thee, the Nations of the world into the way of justice and truth, and establish among them that peace which is the fruit of righteousness, that they may become the Kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.

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## For a New World Order

O Lord Jesus Christ, who biddest Thy Church to bring all men to Thyself and to make all mankind one family in Thee, make clear to each one of us his part in the task. Fire our minds with a vision of a more perfect society here on earth in which justice and right, peace and brotherhood shall reign according to Thy will; and help us, each one, Lord, to do our part in this Forward Movement, that Thy will may be done on earth as it is in heaven, Amen.



## In Memoriam

For All The Saints Who From Their Labors Rest:

Mary Jane Yates Ackerman

Julia Aiken

Elizabeth K. Leong Ching

Minnie Churchill

Nancy Cummins

Mary Shaw Hoapili

Louise K. Hart Hopkins

Matilda Cummins Walker

O HEAVENLY FATHER, we thank Thee for all those who have walked with us, especially those dear to us, in whose lives we have seen Thy glory and beauty. May we feel that they are with Thee, and that though their earthly life is over, their service to Thee may not cease, but begin anew, through Him who is Life Eternal, Thy Son our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.



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<i>Schofield Barracks, Oahu</i>	Mrs. A. R. Bowdre.....	147 Schofield Barracks, Oahu
<i>St. John's, Kula, Maui</i>	Mrs. Minnie Fong.....	Kula, Maui
<i>St. Columba's Paauilo</i>	Mrs. George A. Benson.....	Paauilo, Hawaii



### Minutes of the Annual Meeting, 1938

The 36th annual meeting of the Honolulu Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council was held in the Tenney Memorial Auditorium on Wednesday, February 23rd, a day later than usual because of Washington's birthday falling this year on Tuesday.

It was feared that the holiday in the midst of Convocation activities might affect the attendance, but if anything it worked the other way, for the attendance on Woman's Auxiliary day and the Educational Conference on the day following was particularly good.

As usual the business meeting was preceded by Communion in the Cathedral and again the Iolani Choir helped to make the service an impressive one. The Cathedral was well filled and the Bishop, assisted by Archdeacon Willey and the Rev. G. Shannon Walker, served the many delegates and members present.

Immediately after this inspiring service all adjourned to the Tenney Memorial Auditorium. Here the stage had been beautifully decorated for the occasion, with the motto, "Fellowship in Faith and Work" printed in big red letters across the platform against a background of crotons and bright red ginger.

The meeting was called to order by the President, Mrs. W. S. Fraser and opened with hymn 464, "The Church's One Foundation." This was followed by prayers by Bishop Littell. The roll call by the Secretary showed 26 Branches present, represented by 93 delegates, one new Branch, St. Columba's of Paauilo, Hawaii, having been added to the list during 1937.

The chair announced that a quorum being present, the meeting was open for business. As is customary the reading of the minutes of 1937, printed in full in the Journal, was dispensed with. The President's address, giving a report of the many accomplishments during the past year mentioned with special appreciation the splendid work done by Mrs. H. M. von Holt and her committee in raising the full amount of \$3000.00 for the 75th Anniversary Fund. She also thanked the Branches for helping to make it possible for her to attend the General Convention held in Cincinnati, an experience which had been very wonderful to her. She called attention to the motto for the coming three years, "Fellowship in Faith and Work" done so beautifully by Mr. Sang Mark and symbolizing the larger world fellowship made possible by the Conferences at Oxford and Edinburgh which have stirred all persons who have heard reports from the delegates at these epoch-making meetings.

Mrs. Fraser called attention to the appointment in September of Miss Helen Seu as liaison officer between the young people's work and the older W. A. members and said that, "All for Christ, Christ for all, Forward together" was still the motto for the workers.

A resume of the reports of the various Branches, compiled by the Cor. Sec. Mrs. Newton Peck showed that there had been much activity and real work done by all. An encouraging feature is the greater interest in the educational work shown by the Branches in the rural districts. Dr. Staley's report on the very beautiful "Book of Remembrance," so dear to the hearts of all members, told of the dedication at the Communion service this morning of this book and the



walnut prayer desk in which it is safely locked. Six names have been added during 1937. The memorial fund which grows far too slowly, now amounts to \$153.10. Dr. Staley's report ended with a resolution that the names of the departed be recorded on the memorial page of this year's Journal. With all standing the names were read. (see page 1)

followed by prayers for the departed by Bishop Littell.

Attention was called to the Treasurer's report printed and distributed to all present—a most gratifying report showing that the sum of \$9329.18 had passed through the books during 1937.

Mrs. Kenneth Day, Treasurer, explained again about the interest amounting this year to \$152.00 which is paid by the trustees of the church to the Woman's Auxiliary to be applied on some indebtedness. Mrs. Day asked that as far as possible all contributions of any sort go through her hands so that full credit could be given in her report to the Branch members making the donations.

The President said that she thought this would be a good time to vote this year's interest money. It was moved by Mrs. Robert White that this year's interest of \$152.00 be applied to the debt on the Good Samaritan Vicarage. This was seconded and carried by unanimous vote.

Five minute talks by the delegates to General Convention followed. The first one given by Mrs. Tenney Peck on "Personalities" told of the interesting experiences she had because of the lei which she wore at all times.

Mrs. O. H. Hornung told of what was to her the high spot of the Convention and expressed the hope that at the next Triennial there might be as an official delegate one of the younger members. Mrs. William Thompson told about one of the outstanding personalities of the Convention, Bishop Azariah of India, who was always the center of interest wherever he went. In his speeches he emphasized the fact that the church had been founded to reveal the love of God for the world, not just to worship God, and that the important question for Christians was not "Are you saved" but "Are you saving others," as there is no other way for this work to be accomplished except through the followers of Christ.

Mrs. Littell spoke of the aftermath of the Convention and what it had set in motion in the way of missionary vision and the desire for unity and fellowship in faith and work. The President then introduced a visitor in the person of Rev. Hubbard Lloyd, a missionary worker who is returning to Japan after a furlough. He said among other things that the present conflict is affecting Christian workers very much, although the Christians have shown a wonderful spirit, that 90% of the people in Japan are opposed to this war, but that they are helpless to do anything about it and that Christ alone holds the solution. He said that if this war could have been avoided for two years longer there would have been a wonderful awakening of the Christian movement. Following Mr. Lloyd's brief talk the noon day prayers were read by the Rev. Noah K. Cho. Announcement was made by the chair of the "World Day of Prayer" service on Friday March 4, at 3 p.m. to be held this year in the Methodist Church, the subject to be "The Church—a World Fellowship."



Mrs. Fraser also announced the Silver Tea to be held in the Priory after the adjournment of this meeting. Mrs. Fraser then announced an intermission for luncheon to be served in Fuller Hall at the Y.W.C.A. and invited all to come. She said that delegates from other churches would be present and mentioned particularly those from the Christian Science Church, present for the first time.

### Afternoon Session

The luncheon served in Fuller Hall under the able direction of Mrs. Robbins Anderson and her committee made a very pleasant break in the business of the day, for here the delegates from sister organizations brought their greetings and a pleasant interval of visiting and good fellowship was enjoyed by the 125 persons present.

Promptly at 1:30 o'clock the meeting was again called to order and after the singing of hymn 492, Miss Helen Seu gave an interesting report of her work as liaison officer, work that is just starting, as she was appointed to this position a very short time ago. She told of the splendid conference held this year by the young people, also of the starting of a new Branch of the "Girls' Friendly Society" at St. Mary's.

A report of the new Educational Secretary, Mrs. Lawrence Judd, followed. Although Mrs. Judd was not appointed until September she has things well in hand and has plans for a very interesting year. She hopes eventually to have an Educational Secretary in each Branch to carry on the important work of study and action.

The program for the Lenten meetings promises much that is interesting and instructive, particularly the talks on "The Moslem World" which are to be given by Mrs. Donald Roberts at the diocesan Sewing Meetings held each Friday during Lent.

Mrs. Podmore's report on the United Thank Offering was one of encouragement and faith in the future. She told of the amount of \$2226.91 sent on from Honolulu to General Convention, an increase of \$433.80 over that of the previous Triennial.

As the Supply Secretary, Mrs. Robert Lange, was unable to be present, her report was read by Mrs. Kenneth Day, as was that of Mrs. Clancey, the District Altar Secretary. In her report Mrs. Clancey made an appeal for more sewers, as there is work even for those who cannot sew so well.

The report of the Church Periodical Club was also read by Mrs. Day, as Mrs. Desmond Stanley was not present. This told of the desire for more subscriptions as it costs no more to subscribe through this organization and they promise first class service. This is one of the three sources of income and is a very important one.

Mrs. Day also read the report of the "Birthday Thank Offering" as the Secretary, Mrs. Parris, teaches, so could not be present at the meeting. The Christmas Cheer report, also read by the Treasurer, told of \$517 received and distributed to 22 missions, reaching 200 children.

One of the most thrilling reports of the day was the verbal one given by Mrs. Walter Coombs on the Shingle Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Coombs said that she had been so very busy that there had



been no time to write a report, but she promised to have one ready before the Journal went to print.

Mrs. Coombs told how delighted they were when it was known that the Maui Supervisors who had to curtail so many things had made no cut in the \$400 per month allowance for the Hospital. She gave a list of the many improvements made during 1937 and told of the balance on hand of \$2087.37 and everything paid for. This balance however is all pigeon holed so it is not as big as it sounds. She said that the only Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary that takes the hospital expenses seriously is the Iolani Guild and Auxiliary which gives \$100 a year as part of its regular budget. Mrs. Coombs made an appeal for each Branch to put the Shingle Memorial Hospital on its budget for this the seventh year of its existence!

Mrs. Helmick, the chairman of the committee on the revision of the Constitution and By-laws, reported on the changes as recommended by the Executive Committee as follows: (See page 26)

After reading the entire list it was moved by Mrs. Helmick that these be adopted as read to take the place of the present Constitution and By-laws.

This was seconded and carried by unanimous vote. It was moved by Mrs. Robbins Anderson that a rising vote of thanks be given Mrs. Helmick and her committee for the many hours of work they had spent on this revision. This was seconded and carried.

Announcement was made of the expected arrival of Miss Helen Topping, the American Secretary for Dr. Kagawa, who will be here for the day on March 4 and will probably speak at the Young People's meeting to be held at three o'clock that afternoon at the Methodist Church.

The Bishop announced that the voluntary offering for the relief of Chinese Christians had amounted to date to \$1316.00. Announcement of the officers for the coming year was made by the Bishop as follows: (See page 2)

The new Vice-Presidents Mrs. Grace F. Kellerman and Mrs. Robert E. White were given a special welcome. Mrs. Kenneth Miller who has recently come to Kona from the mainland gave a most comprehensive talk of the Girls' Friendly Society, as Kona at present has the only branch of this organization in the Islands. This was followed by a stirring account of some of the features of the General Convention told as only the Rev. H. H. Corey could tell it! He was particularly impressed with the United Thank Offering meeting and brought a new thrill to the hearts of all who heard him when he described the wonderful meeting.

### Specials

Following this came appeals for the day's "Specials." First Mrs. Hemenway gave a report on the needs at St. Mary's. Next, the Rev. P. T. Fukao told about the importance of Mr. Otani's taking the scholarship that has been offered to him, and then a letter from Archdeacon Willey was read telling of the need of help with the salary of Mr. Robert Kondo. The following motion was made by Mrs. Robbins Anderson: "I move that the "Special" for this year



be composed of three items; \$400.00 for a fire escape for St. Mary's or if this is not necessary because of other arrangements, that this sum be used for repairs for St. Mary's, \$300.00 for the salary of Mr. Robert Kondo, Archdeacon Willey's assistant, \$250.00 for travelling expenses for Mr. Otani that he may take advantage of his scholarship." This was seconded and carried.

Dr. Brown then made his annual appeal for the Church Chronicle. This time the debt is \$212.00 and there are 900 persons who receive this excellent church paper, but send nothing for its support. If all of these persons sent a \$1.00 a year subscription one can easily see that there would never be any financial difficulties.

Bishop Littell told of the need for money in the Auto Fund. With the very good roads that are to be found all over the Islands there is much need for cars and gasoline to carry on the Missionary work in the rural districts, and these cost money!

With Dr. Brown at the blackboard and Miss Helen Seu acting as assistant the exciting part of the day's activities began as the pledges came in thick and fast.

The Treasurer announced that the morning's offertory amounted to \$33.76, and the afternoon \$16.60, making a total of \$50.36.

It was moved by Mrs. Kenneth Day that the usual \$15.00 be taken from the amount and sent to St. Margaret's House. This was seconded and carried. It was further moved by Mrs. Day that the balance of today's offertory, \$35.36 be used to start a fund to send a delegate to the next Triennial. This was seconded and carried by a majority vote.

The following pledges and gifts were received.

St. Mary's Mission .....	\$ 283.00
Andrew Otani .....	145.50
Robert Kondo .....	93.00
District Auto Fund .....	124.50
Chronicle .....	121.50
St. Luke's Building Fund .....	39.50
Bishop's Discretionary Fund .....	22.00
St. John's-by-the-Sea .....	69.00
Shingle Memorial Hospital .....	38.50
Lenten Sewing .....	17.00

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\$ 953.50

Offertories ..... 50.36

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Meeting then adjourned.

C. M. Wall, Sec.

### Educational Conference

The Educational Conference held in the Tenney Memorial Auditorium on Thursday, February 24th, 1938, was called to order by the diocesan Auxiliary President, Mrs. W. S. Fraser.

The devotional exercises were conducted by the new Chaplain



at Schofield Barracks, the Rev. Luther Miller, who told of the very hopeful condition of things at the big Army Post. After the devotional exercises, the meeting was turned over to Mrs. Lawrence Judd, the Educational Secretary. The first person to be introduced was Miss Ashcroft of St. Mary's Hall, Shanghai, who is here for a few days only. Miss Ashcroft told of the wonderful courage shown by all the teachers, who held their classes in spite of the destruction of the buildings. She said that little damage had been done but that looting and other disturbing things were happening all the time. But kind things too were taking place, and she preferred to tell of these kindnesses shown to the girl students by the Japanese soldiers, who told how sorry they were to have all this disturbance and unhappiness. She said that \$1.00 American money would feed a refugee two meals a day for one month, and that many of the students were giving a cent a day to help the refugees. Miss Ashcroft told how anxious she was to return to her work, to do whatever she could in this great task of reconstruction.

The Rev. Galen R. Weaver, one of the three delegates from Honolulu to the Oxford Conference, was then introduced and gave a most stirring address on the things that were brought out in this wonderful Conference, an address that will not soon be forgotten—so stirring and enthusiastic was its call to action.

After singing hymn 115, "Soldiers of Christ arise," the Rev. Hubard Lloyd made an appeal for heed and understanding for Japan in this crisis, telling again that fully 90% of the Japanese people are opposed to this conflict in China, but as the war lords are in control, nothing can be done.

Following this, Mrs. Donald Roberts of Shanghai gave a most enlightening address on the Spiritual Aspect of Missions. With the call of the Oxford Conference ringing in people's minds, she brought the word "missionary" down to its relation of person to person, and person to God, to the "still small voice" which is no less vital.

Mrs. Podmore told about the United Thank Offering plans for the coming year. The Chair announced that Mrs. Bridgewater had the programs for the World Day of Prayer service to be held this year in the Methodist Church, the first Friday in Lent.

Meeting then adjourned.

C. M. Wall, Sec'y.

### President's Report 36th Annual Meeting of the Honolulu Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary

It is with a spirit both of humility and gratitude that we make our report of the year just closed—humility, in that we have fallen so far short of the ideal as expressed in our motto for 1937 "All for Christ, Christ for all—Forward Together," and gratitude for the many blessings God has bestowed on us. Your president wishes personally to thank the Executive Committee and all those who have co-operated so splendidly with her, and who made it possible for her to attend the General Convention. The theme of the triennial meet-



ing of the Woman's Auxiliary was "Fellowship in Faith and Work." and this we are setting before us as our aim for the coming three years. Mrs. Henry Hill Pierce in her splendid report of the Oxford Conference given before the Woman's Auxiliary in Cincinnati said, "Work pre-supposes Faith and Faith must express itself in Work." Faith and Work united in an ever-increasing Fellowship will help to bring righteousness, justice and peace to the troubled world in which we live—the reign of the Prince of Peace. I commend to your special attention the four addresses given at the triennial meeting on "Fellowship in Faith and Work," beginning with "The Faith by which the Church lives" by Rev. Elmore McKee.

On behalf of the Executive Board of the Woman's Auxiliary, I welcome you all here today, delegates and visitors, representatives from other churches in the city, and I hope that the Fellowship we experience in these meetings will grow in ever-widening circles of Faith and Work. My report will be brief, as almost all our work will be covered by reports of officers and secretaries of departments. During the two months' absence of the president, Mrs. Helen Short, 2nd vice-president, was acting president, the first vice-president, Mrs. Robbins Anderson also being on the mainland. Both of these, with the third vice-president, Mrs. Pua Chang, retire from office at this time, but we know that we shall still have their interest. For the in-coming 1st vice-president, new in the work, but who assumes office with a spirit of consecration and keen interest, we bespeak your hearty cooperation. She will be assisted by the 2nd vice-president, with her valuable experience in Woman's Auxiliary work. We are fortunate in having secured an assistant treasurer to help Mrs. Dav. Having in mind a wish expressed while on a previous trip to Hawaii, that the women might get together more often, and realizing the necessity of someone to take the initiative in that and in increasing knowledge and fellowship with the Women's Auxiliary and the whole Church, of which we are but a small part, the president at the last annual meeting recommended that a vice president for each of the other islands be appointed. A committee, with Mrs. Helmick as chairman, has drafted a proposed revision of the by-laws, with this in mind, which will come up for your approval today. I commend to your attention, and recommend the study of our "Family Tree," which shows in a very graphic way the organization of our church from the Presiding Bishop and National Council to the smallest mission in the Missionary District of Honolulu. This "Family Tree" was drafted by Mrs. Coombs last year, and in its present form comes to us photographed and enlarged through the kindness of Mr. Hornung. Copies may be ordered through the Educational Sec'y for \$2.00. We welcome one new branch, St. Columba's, Pauilo, Hawaii. Our number remains the same, however, as the two branches at St. Elizabeth's have united, and taken a new lease on life.

In addition to seven regular meetings of the Executive Board, there have been four diocesan meetings (1) Corporate Communion June 29th in memory of the four former bishops, (2 & 3), Corporate Communion and presentation of the U.T.O., all of these in St. Andrew's Cathedral, (4) meeting in Tenney Memorial Hall November 19th, at which time reports of General Convention were given by the



Bishop and your president, who also spoke at smaller meetings on the same subject. The annual reception for teachers of the Church Schools was given in October, at the home of Judge and Mrs. Peters, Iolani Guild and Auxiliary being in charge of arrangements. The Quiet Day of Prayer for Peace was observed throughout the islands on November 11th. Here I would like to call to your attention to the Resolutions passed at the triennial meeting on "United Prayer for Peace" and "Peace Education." We also joined with other Christian women in the service at Central Union Church on the World Day of Prayer, the first Friday in Lent. Members of the Executive Committee were guests of the Woman's Board of Missions of the Pacific Islands at Central Union Church in June. Just recently they were guests of St. Luke's Woman's Auxiliary at a 10 o'clock Sunday service, followed by a delicious Korean lunch. The Committee was unanimous in its desire to help this fine Korean congregation, which has outgrown its church building, but decided that this year it would give only publicity, reserving financial assistance for a future date, when the building fund is further advanced, the Koreans themselves. undertaking to raise \$1000 in 1938.

At our last annual meeting it was decided that "as a special offering of thanksgiving and praise during the year of the 75th anniversary of the Episcopal Church in these Islands, the Woman's Auxiliary pay off \$3000.00 of the Cleghorn debt." Our beloved Mrs. von Holt, who was largely responsible for the plan, gladly consented to be chairman of a committee to carry it out. To her and to her fine committee and to all the generous contributors, the Woman's Auxiliary and the Board of Directors of the diocese tender their deep thanks for the completion of this 75th anniversary project. Completed, but with a sequel, for, as a result of it, the Woman's Auxiliary at its annual meeting for twelve years will vote \$150.00 towards the reduction of some other diocesan debt.

The educational work has been handicapped through the inability of the Executive Committee to secure a successor for Mrs. Coombs, who resigned at the last annual meeting. But we are happy to report that a fine committee of young women is now at work, under the leadership of Mrs. Lawrence Judd. Helen Seu has been appointed as liaison officer between the Woman's Auxiliary and the young people's groups.

The idea of what constitutes Social Work has been rather nebulous in the minds of the women of the Auxiliary. In a list of definitions recently received from Miss Lindley she defines it as "Any work you do or money you give to your diocesan institutions. Work or money given in your community for relief, Red Cross, welfare agencies, etc." On this basis a good deal of Social Work has been done by the women of the diocese.

Your president has made many visits to branches on Oahu this year, but none to the other islands. Monthly letters from the Corresponding Sec'y have kept them in touch with the Executive Board. Fellowship, however, cannot be one-sided, and we should welcome more replies to these letters, with questions and suggestions. What are you interested in? Please tell us and let us help each other. Let us be willing to re-think our Work, but let us be one in our Faith,



as expressed by the World Conference on Faith and Order at Edinburgh last August, "We are one in faith in our Lord Jesus Christ, the incarnate word of God. We are one in allegiance to Him as Head of the Church, and as King of Kings, and Lord of Lords." So shall we strive toward our aim for this triennium "Fellowship in Faith and Work," which, we hope and pray, will be another milestone toward the re-union of Christian people and the bringing of the world to our Lord Jesus Christ, in Whom alone is everlasting peace.

Respectfully submitted,

Nancy Blanchard Fraser

President, Honolulu Branch of the  
Woman's Auxiliary.

### Report of the Educational Secretary

Due to the resignation of your educational secretary at last Convocation, and the inability of the executive committee to secure a successor, there has been somewhat less contact than usual with the several branches and missions. It was not until the September meeting that your present educational secretary was appointed. She hopes now to pick up the loose ends and carry on the work so well established by her predecessor.

In spite of this break in our work, many fine reports have been received from the branches on this and the other islands.

St. Andrew's reports an afternoon course for young women during Lent with various speakers; among them Dr. W. J. Homan, formerly director of the School of Religion of the University of Hawaii. At the Lenten inter-parochial sewing meetings, Miss Ledgard, for several years with the Indians in Nevada, told of her work. At each meeting of the Friendly Friday there have usually been speakers of interest. At the regular branch meetings addresses have been given by the following: Miss Elizabeth Harris, director of the Board of Religious Education; Mrs. Norman Schenck, who with Dr. Schenck attended the Oxford Conference; Father Nelson, who described his efforts to open Daily Vacation Bible Schools in Kaimuki; Dean Ault, and many others. At St. Clement's, Dr. Disosway gave a most inspiring talk on her work as a medical missionary in Shanghai, China.

Only one out-of-town branch reports having an educational secretary; Papaaloe, Hawaii. There the Forward Movement literature has been used and a study of the Spirit of Missions made at their sewing meetings.

Good Shepherd, Wailuku, reports a talk by Mrs. Littell on "Early Days in Hawaii," the report of Convocation, and other papers of interest. Christ Church, Kealahou reports the study of "Consider Africa."

St. Elizabeth's, St. Augustine's, Kekaha, St. Peter's, and Good Samaritan report the observance of the Quiet Day of Prayer.

The study book, "The Negro in Africa and America," which was discussed at the educational conference at last Convocation, was the subject of a study group conducted after Lent by Mrs. Gordon Miller. From this group the nucleus of our present educational com-



mittee was formed. These same young women were later able to interest their husbands in forming a discussion group on Bishop Oldham's book, "Church, Community and State," a preliminary study of the issues which have since come before the Conference on Life and Work at Oxford.

As one is always more interested in people and places with which one is more or less familiar we are asking each branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to plan some very definite educational work this year. First, we hope to have someone from each branch act as a secretary with whom the diocesan secretary can communicate; then, to plan for each meeting a special even though brief program of study leading to better knowledge of and cooperation with the work of the whole church.

The present educational committee which is comprised of representatives of the missions and branches of Honolulu will endeavor to keep the outside branches closely in touch with its work. Please write to us of your needs and desires. We are hoping to enlist the interest of the young people, the college group, the Girls' Friendly Society, the Sunday School, the Board of Religious Education, the Social Service department of the Woman's Auxiliary, and to recognize any Christian work done under any circumstances by any branch or mission.

The Woman's Auxiliary has chosen as its aim for the present Triennium "Fellowship in Faith and Work." We hope to carry out this thought by using for special study the same books as are being recommended by the study groups in the other churches in the city: "The Moslem World" and "Rural Life in America." At the inter-parochial sewing meetings during Lent Mrs. Donald Roberts, of St. John's University, Shanghai, will speak to us, taking as her subject "The Moslem World—Is it a turning point in history?" We hope also to be able to furnish speakers for any branch which may wish to study this vital subject.

The committee is also enthusiastically endorsing and hoping to cooperate with the inter-church groups meeting during Lent which are literally carrying out the spirit of unity stressed at the Oxford and Edinburgh conferences.

Your committee is making a special plea for your attendance at its annual educational conference tomorrow. We have tried to prepare a meeting both interesting and instructive. Major Luther Miller, newly appointed chaplain at Schofield Barracks, will conduct the devotions. Rev. Galen Weaver, of the Church of the Crossroads, a delegate to the Oxford Conference will speak on the "Significance of the Oxford and Edinburgh conferences;" Mrs. Donald Roberts, who with her husband has been loaned to Iolani this year, will take the subject "Fellowship in Faith and Work," especially as applied to the mission field. We hope many will come prepared to ask questions and discuss these subjects.

With this conference as a beginning, we are looking forward hopefully to a year of consecrated study and cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,  
Florence H. Judd,  
Educational Secretary



### Report of the United Thank Offering Secretary

It is impossible to give an adequate report of the United Thank Offering. The far-reaching spiritual influences of this fellowship of thankfulness, as represented by the United Thank Offering itself, must spread far beyond our knowledge or comprehension. This money is—it seems to me—the outward and visible sign of the inward and spiritual grace of thankfulness. Through this sacrament we ourselves are drawn more closely together, even as we reach out in personal service to others.

Our work during the past year had, as its immediate goal, the completion of our offering for the Triennium.

Our total was \$2,226.90.

In 1934 the Offering from Honolulu was \$1793.10.

This represents real GROWTH, for reports show that individuals and branches that have not previously contributed have helped to make this increase in our offering.

One hundred and seventy-three boxes have been distributed during the past year.

Circular letters were sent out in March and August to the twenty-four United Thank Offering Secretaries of the Diocese, besides personal letters and acknowledgements.

All available literature has been distributed, especially "A Record and a Hope," and the leaflet "Go Forward."

One hundred copies of the April United Thank Offering Number of the Spirit of Missions were sold to spread the United Thank Offering news, and to increase the local offerings.

Two Diocesan Services for the United Thank Offering were held in St. Andrew's Cathedral last Fall. At the first Service our own United Thank Offering was presented at our Cathedral Altar before it was sent to be presented in General Convention. And the other inspiring Service was held that we might be present in spirit, with the whole church, as the General Offering was presented in Cincinnati. And as we go forward toward another goal, let us keep the words of Bishop Perry as a banner before us—"The United Thank Offering is a power that we place in the Hands of Christ."

Respectfully submitted,  
Nina Podmore,  
Diocesan Secretary

### Report of the Corresponding Secretary (Abridged)

ALL SAINTS', KAPAA. All Saints' has carried on its several projects this year as before—a rummage sale, a turkey shoot, the Christmas and Easter parties, the selling of magazine subscriptions and the Lenten sewing on baby layettes for the Welfare nurse. They have continued their support of their kindergarten and Mr. Kondo's salary.



CHRIST CHURCH, KEALAKEKUA. The work of the year has consisted largely in the annual work and food sale held in October, a study of the book "Consider Africa" with reports by members and a reception for the Reverend and Mrs. Kenneth Miller and their daughter Charlotte. Under the Devotional Committee the World Day of Prayer was observed, a union service in Kona was participated in, and the meetings were opened by a period of worship. This branch welcomes all Christian women of the district to its fellowship.

EPIPHANY, HONOLULU. This guild and auxiliary "tried to cooperate at all times in all the activities of the church and church school" and has conducted this year two rummage sales, two card parties, and a food sale, as well as a Lenten luncheon and a social evening for church school parents. All regular and special pledges have been covered and a donation was given for the Molokai Hospital, as well as \$35 toward payment of the church mortgage.

GOOD SAMARITAN. With a fine spirit present, progress has been made in program building through a course of Bible study, the inviting of guest speakers to meetings, and the assistance given to the building fund for the new rectory. The observance of the Quiet Day of Prayer, a rummage sale and a house-warming tea for the rectory also mark the year's work.

HOLY INNOCENTS, LAHAINA.

HOLY TRINITY, HONOLULU

GOOD SHEPHERD, WAILUKU. Though several factors have retarded progress, the guild under a new and active president and with a large financial burden removed from its shoulders looks forward to a better year ahead.

IOLANI, HONOLULU. A full year of activity for this guild in terms of outside work includes preparation of the parish supper, luncheon for one of the Lenten sewing meetings and the annual tea and reception for the new church school teachers in Honolulu. Sewing has been done for the Shingle Memorial Hospital and several needy children have been helped. Members also served as hostesses for the Lenten cottage meetings.

KAIULANI, KAHALUU, OAHU. For several reasons work in this guild has not gone forward as the members might have wished, but they have cared for the altar throughout the year, have completed payment on their pledges and hope for further activity for another year.

KAPIOLANI, MOLOKAI.

KEKAHA, KAUAI. Though this branch has not been as active as they had hoped, members shared in the observance of the Quiet Day of Prayer and are building up a fund for the purchase of an organ for the Mission. They look forward to further activity, particularly in the educational field.

PAPAALOA. The program this year has included meetings devoted to sewing and to the reading of the Spirit of Missions, and special contributions to the Molokai Hospital, the Anna Newell Memorial Fund and the Puumaille Home. Christmas boxes were made up for the Church Army and other Christmas gifts given.



ST. ANDREW'S. Of special interest this year in this extensive program is the report of over \$1000 given by guild and auxiliary members for the 75th Anniversary Fund in a total of over \$2200 given for diocesan objects. Twenty-two talks have been given covering a wide variety of subjects, and sewing has been done for the Shingle Memorial Hospital and for St. Mary's Home. There is a strong missionary spirit evident both in the financial contributions made and in the program emphasis.

ST. ANDREW'S PRIORY. The Priory branch has had during the year speakers on many subjects of educational and missionary interest. The making of 25 "Sunshine Bags," a donation to Flood Relief in Ohio and a special project including visits and a donation to the Good Samaritan Mission have been parts of their program.

ST. AUGUSTINE'S, KOHALA. The observance of the Quiet Day of Prayer in which guild members took part, the outfitting of Mary Costa at Easter time, and donations for the Indian Mission and the Shingle Memorial Hospital have marked the work of the branch. Gifts were also given for Christmas parties for Archdeacon Walker and Captain Smith.

ST. CLEMENT'S. Beside the faithful Tuesday sewing group meetings, the branch has carried on a varied and successful program in spite of the confusion of the building of the new parish house. The Open House for the new building, a benefit bridge, four rummage sales and the sending of the regular Alaska box for their prayer partner and the Thanksgiving box for St. Mary's are among the items of interest.

ST. COLUMBA'S. This new and promising branch, formed in November under the enthusiastic leadership of Mrs. Benson, looks forward to a long period of fruitful service. Plans have been made for caring for the altar flowers for the monthly communion services of the mission.

ST. ELIZABETH'S. The recently merged adult and junior auxiliaries report for the year several special projects including a donation to the Shingle Memorial Hospital, the observance of the Quiet Day of Prayer, and many hospital and home visits.

ST. JAMES.' Marked progress at several points is reported by this branch, with membership increased and a fine spirit evident. Contributions were made for repairs and improvements in both church and rectory. The annual food and work sale yielded a large profit, and for the first time there has been a U.T.O. from this branch.

ST. LUKE'S MISSION. This branch's activity during the year has been that of cooperation in the work of the Mission, especially in assisting the mission's project for the building of the new chapel.

ST. MARK'S. Although lacking a definite program this year, the branch has undertaken several rummage sales and a dinner to raise funds for the meeting of expenses, and have helped to provide new cassocks for the boys' choir.

ST. PETER'S. This large, active group has contributed \$150 for the mission quota, has given \$126 as its U.T.O. from 132 women, has observed the Quiet Day of Prayer and has done hospital



and home visiting. The hope is expressed that they can soon undertake the support of a woman missionary in China.

**ST. STEPHEN'S IN THE FIELDS.** This Auxiliary, "though small, is the strength of the mission." Fortnightly meetings are held, all pledges have been paid in full, and much social and welfare work done for the mission and in the community. Sewing for the annual Fall fair and preparation for a rummage sale have taken much time.

**SCHOFIELD.** This newer branch reports an encouraging year's work, with several guest speakers bringing interest to the meetings. Help was given Mrs. Helmick at a benefit bridge for the building fund for the St. Stephen's in the Fields Mission. The recent arrival of the Reverend Luther Miller as Episcopal chaplain has given much impetus to the program.

Respectfully submitted,  
Caroline Z. Peck

### **Report of the District Altar Guild for 1937**

The first part of the year we had a nice little group of workers. Now there are only three members. Two have gone to the mainland. Although the group is so small we have made 63 articles. We have furnished the Paaulo St. Columba's Mission and Church Army Chapel, Papaaloo, with everything they needed for Altar and Choir (as far as we know).

I am happy to report that St. Elizabeth's Auxiliary are making their own choir vestments with a little outside help.

We would be very glad to have more ladies join us on Wednesday afternoons from 2 until 4 P.M.

Respectfully submitted,  
Ada Clancey

The following articles have been made during the year.

3 cottas	12 purificators
1 red stole	2 credence covers
1 red maniple	3 red cassocks
4 alms bags	5 silk chasubles
4 Sisters' veils (linen)	1 linen embroidered chasuble
1 linen altar frontal	11 burses, silk and linen
1 purple silk frontal	11 veils, silk and linen
1 purple silk burse and veil	3 amices
1 monk's cloth frontal	1 green pulpit hanging
3 sets of panels (4 in a set)	2 girdles
2 altar cloths	3 black cassocks



### Church Periodical Club Honolulu, 1937

The Church Periodical Club is a national organization formed for the purpose of supplying reading matter to the clergy and missionaries, and utilizing to the best advantage books and magazines that have been read and that may be passed on to others to read and to enjoy.

Our income is derived from three sources: dues contributed by the various Guilds and Auxiliaries; proceeds earned by the Club through sending in individual subscriptions for magazines; and from gifts from interested donors. Let us put on record here our sincere appreciation and our thanks for such gifts, without which we would be unable to carry on the work.

The C. P. C. is accredited agent for magazine subscriptions and assures you first class service. We give all club and combination rates offered anywhere, and pay the exchange. It costs no more to order your magazines through us than to order them direct, and we guarantee that you receive every magazine you pay for. We are grateful to our present customers and we welcome new ones.

We have this year sent out 83 subscriptions.

Between 7,000 and 8,000 magazines (rough estimate) have been collected and distributed to Leahi Home, Queen's Hospital, Iolani, Priory, Seaman's Institute, Church Army, Mission Schools, and the prison. Miss Marguerite Bryant has done splendid work in collecting and distributing these magazines. St. Clement's and Epiphany also collect and distribute magazines and books.

About 50 books have been placed in schools and mission libraries.

Christmas, Easter cards, games, puzzles, etc., have been passed on as they have been given to us.

#### Financial Statement:

Balance on hand.....	\$ 55.73
Total receipts.....	214.58
Total disbursements.....	197.05
Balance on hand December 31, 1937.....	\$ 17.53

Respectfully submitted,  
Geneva Stanley, Director.

### Report of Supply Secretary, 1937

During the six Fridays in Lent we worked for St. Mary's Mission, Nixon, Nevada, a mission to the Indians. Our meetings were well attended. At one of those meetings, Miss Katherine Ledgard, who had been a nurse at this mission, gave us a talk on her work among the Indians.



The contents of the box were as follows:

6 complete layettes  
14 girls' dresses  
37 underclothes  
12 rompers  
12 baby dresses  
12 baby blankets  
A few small presents.

Value of box.....\$125.00

A Christmas gift of \$5.00 was sent to Miss Lucy Graves, Shanghai.  
We also sent to the Shingle Memorial Hospital over 25 garments.

Respectfully submitted,  
Alys M. Lange  
Supply Secretary.

### **Report of the Christmas Cheer Fund for 1937**

As Chairman I beg to report that Mrs. Derek Perry and Miss Eileen Stanley were most helpful and efficient members of the committee and it is splendid to have the younger women taking their share of the Mission work.

In response to the appeal which your committee sent out, the sum of five hundred and seventeen dollars (\$517.00) was collected and distributed to twenty two missions reaching over 2000 persons. Our heartiest thanks to all who contributed.

It was a very great pleasure to receive the joyful thanks of the recipients.

Respectfully submitted,  
Marie R. von Holt, Chairman.

### **Report of the Book of Remembrance**

During the past year the Book of Remembrance has remained in the Chapel of St. Andrew's Priory School, safely locked within the beautiful walnut prayer desk. Both of these were dedicated this morning at the Service in the Cathedral. Also, a loose-leaf book, the leather cover made and finely tooled by Sister Clara, is now to be found on the lower shelf of the desk.

This contains all the names as found written in the Book of Remembrance itself, arranged alphabetically for the convenience of those coming to the Chapel, on anniversaries of their loved ones who have passed away. Mrs. James Morgan has completed the writing in of the six names for this year.



They are:

Mary Jane Yates Ackerman  
Elizabeth K. Leong Ching  
Minnie Churchill  
Mary Shaw Hoapili  
Louise K. Hart Hopkins  
Matilda Cummins Walker

I am still engaged in the work of tracing out details of the lives of certain Christian women of old time, but the task is difficult, owing to the many changes in parishes during the past 40 years.

The Memorial Fund, destined for the training of a Mission worker, grows very slowly. It now amounts to the sum of \$153.10.

Respectfully submitted,  
M. E. Staley  
Historian and Secretary

### **Report of the Diocesan Secretary for the Birthday Thank- Offering for the Year Ending February 23, 1938**

All Birthday Thank offerings received during the past year have been deposited to the account of this fund in the Bishop National Bank, Honolulu. The entire fund up to and including August 27, 1937 was withdrawn and handed Mr. Hollander, Diocesan Treasurer of the Episcopal Church in Hawaii, who forwarded the same to Triennial Convention, a total of \$108.19. Since this date, a total of \$13.56 has been deposited in the bank.

A visit was made last summer to the community St. John's-by-the-Sea. Children of this mission were requested to collect shells to be sent to the children in St. Luke's Hospital in Shanghai, China. Owing to the present war crisis there, plans were abandoned for this project. The B. T. O. for the triennium just finished, amounting to \$22,657.47, will be used to build a children's ward in the new St. Luke's Hospital, Shanghai.

Respectfully submitted,  
Margaret Parris, Secretary.

### **Report of Girls' Friendly Society Christ Church Kealakekua, Hawaii**

The Girls' Friendly Society candidates of Christ Church, Kealakekua, Hawaii, have become a registered group since the arrival of Rev. Kenneth O. Miller, and the admission service will be held on April 24th, the 63rd anniversary of the founding of the G. F. S. The group, organized by Mrs. Hann in 1936, and carried on by the associates, Mrs. Alfred Smith, Mrs. Roy Wall, and Mrs. David Roy, met in two sections, older and younger, through 1937. Each group held 32 meetings, with an average attendance of five in the older and eight in the younger. Five members, four part-Hawaiian and one Japanese, have moved out of the district to live in Honolulu, Kohala and Hilo. The program included work, play and prayer,—sewing and cooking; hike to Captain Cook's monument; devotional



services with short prayers, hymns and Scripture reading. At Christmas, greeting cards were sent to Kona people in Puumaile Home, and a food basket to a needy family. A sale in December added \$10 to the funds. Mrs. Kenneth O. Miller is now the president.

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs. A.K.) Elizabeth L. Smith

(Note: The G.F.S. pledged \$10 towards diocesan Woman's Auxiliary projects at the annual meeting of the W.A. on Feb. 23rd, 1938.)

### **University of Hawaii Episcopal Club**

The University of Hawaii Episcopal Club is recognized as a campus organization active in religious as well as social affairs. The aim of the University group is to promote intellectual growth and to hold the interest in church affairs of the Episcopal University students.

Meetings of some sort are held throughout each semester. Discussions or socials are objectives of these meetings. The attendance at the meetings numbers from twenty-five and is exceptionally good in quality, for a fine spirit of interest and cooperation is always shown.

One important feature of the club is the House--Party Conference given for University Students by Bishop and Mrs. Littell. Always, there is much benefit received in the influences and comradeship of the group.

Election of officers is held each year at a meeting during the month of May.

Respectfully submitted,

Sarah Horswill, President

### **President's Report Y. P. F. D. C.**

This has been a very successful year for the Y.P.F. District Council. Meetings were held the first Thursday of every month and with only a few exceptions have been well attended. All Y.P.F. groups have shown enthusiasm and willingness to cooperate with the Council in every day.

At the first meeting March 2, 1937, it was decided that the constitution was badly in need of revision.

The following changes have been made:

1. Name of organization changed from Young Peoples Federation to *Young Peoples Fellowship*.
2. Meetings changed from quarterly to monthly.

In planning for the Annual Conference at Mokuleia (Sept. 4, 5, & 6) it was discovered that so few YPF groups were active or showed interest that something must be done to arouse enthusiasm. A committee composed of officers of the District Council undertook to visit churches where these groups were not active and explain the nature of the District Council and create interest in the Annual Conference.



A great deal of the interest in the conference was due to these visits. Many of the groups had drifted away from the main organization and felt that because of so few members that they were no longer a part of the YPF.

*Accomplishments for the Year 1937-1938*

1. Constitution revised.
2. Interest aroused in YPF throughout the Missionary District of Honolulu.
3. A successful Conference.....Spiritually and Financially  
The surplus money is being used to build an altar for Mokuleia.
4. Joint Monthly meetings of all YPF groups at different churches.
5. Adjustment of the YPF apportionment. (\$30 to \$15)
6. All District Council accounts put under the jurisdiction of the YPF Treasurer with consent of Bishop.
7. Sponsoring of a Marriage Institute during Lent.
8. Treasury.....at the beginning of the year 1937.....\$2.43  
now .....\$29.95

Respectfully submitted,

Charles MacClean, President

### Report of Young People's Work

With the beginning of school the young people's groups began to reorganize for the year. The Young People's Conference held over the Labor Day holidays was a success. There was a large attendance. The young people were interested and their fellowship with one another and with their Creator was of the finest as evidenced by their social hours and through the devotional services.

The people of St. Mary's Mission are greatly handicapped without the services of a resident priest. Considerable difficulty was experienced in trying to bring young people back into the church once they have fallen away. The faithful few were organized into a group called the St. Mary's Young People's group. They have taken part in the meetings of all the groups together and in February will be hosts to all the young people.

It was at Father Taft's suggestion that all the young people meet at one of the missions or parishes once a month. This has been carried out very successfully. The young people have had a chance to meet each other and to renew acquaintances which began at the Conference. These meetings have been of value in coordinating the interests and programs of the different groups.

The Committee for Young People's Work under Deaconess Swinburne had a few meetings last year. We hope to reach the boys and girls of junior high school age and the younger married people who are not in the Young People's league. A group of young girls at St. Mary's is in the process of organizing a Girls' Friendly Society.

At the Mission I have gone out visiting with the children who attend Church School building up the attendance. One day each week the kindergarten children go into the chapel for a short devotional service. They are taught simple songs and prayers and stories are related. I take charge of the church linen and all the vestments.



For Christmas we had a short play which I helped to direct. Then there are certain duties in the Home which are delegated to me.

Respectfully submitted,

Helen Seu

Liaison Officer between Woman's

Auxiliary and Young People's Groups.

### **The Robert W. Shingle, Jr., Memorial Hospital**

The Robert W. Shingle, Jr., Memorial Hospital presents the report of its sixth year of work, which has been marked by a steady growth of usefulness to the community which it serves.

During the past year, admissions to the Hospital were one out of every ten residents on the Island of Molokai.

The health clinics have been largely attended by all races. They cover a wide scope—prenatal and postnatal for mothers; diet; chest clinics; eye clinics, etc., etc. The laboratory tests and cultures numbered about 3,000 for the year.

The total number of hospital days of patients for 1937 was 5,684 and the meals served numbered 27,905.

The largest number of patients admitted in one month was 68 in August of 1937.

Much progress has been made in the re-arrangement of rooms in the Main Building to give greater service to the area involved.

The new 10 bed sun porch, addition to the office and obstetrical ward, new dining room for nurses, new laundry thoroughly equipped, with modern conveniences, bedroom and lanai added to the Nurses Home, doubling the area of the reception room and adding a porte cochere at the front of the Hospital are only a few of the improvements, which have been made during the year of 1937.

The Staff now consists of the Superintendent, Mrs. Gwendolyn Shaw with six trained nurses, four helpers, four orderlies, one laboratory technician, cook, and yardman with some extra labor during rush seasons.

The Hospital is deeply grateful to the many people and organizations who have sent gifts of all kinds; food, clothing, and books, etc.; also to a friend, who has made it possible for us to have a very necessary Isolation Ward; to others who provided a piano for the Nurses Home.

During the year, The Pantry Supply Day is observed by all Parish groups throughout the Diocese and food supplies, in bulk, are sent to the Hospital, which is a great help to the Superintendent.

We are especially indebted to Mr. and Mrs. Paul I. Fagan and to the George N. Wilcox Trust, who have provided the means for all additions and alterations with the exception of the Isolation Ward.

The Hospital closes the year without a single outstanding debt, and a small balance on hand, which is to be used in January, 1938, for building a large sump (cesspool) to care for drainage and for the enlargement of the service quarters—both vital necessities.

Respectfully submitted,

Genevra Coombs



**Thirty-Sixth Annual Report of the Treasurer of the  
Honolulu Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary for the  
Year Ending December 31, 1937**

R E C E I P T S

January 1, 1937, Cash Balance:

United Thank Offering .....	\$1,455.81	
District Expense Fund .....	42.74	
District Altar Fund .....	113.00	
Convocation Expense .....	50.73	
District Automobile .....	51.48	
Church Periodical Club .....	55.73	
Educational Fund .....	23.43	
Kamaka Mem. Schp. ....	66.08	
Lenten Work .....	17.58	
Discretionary Fund .....	13.28	
Memorial Trust Fund .....	34.85	
Malihini Scholarship .....	97.64	
District Travel Fund .....	3.25	
		\$2,025.60

GENERAL RECEIPTS

United Thank Offering .....	\$ 795.68	
Apportionment to Missions .....	620.00	
District Expense .....	265.25	
District Altar .....	34.27	
Convocation Expense .....	144.00	
District Automobile .....	308.50	
Church Periodical Club .....	158.85	
Educational Fund .....	45.75	
Kamaka Mem. Schp. ....	21.42	
		2,393.72
		\$4,419.32

SPECIALS:

Helen Seu Travel .....	\$ 100.00	
Lenten Work .....	82.00	
St. Mary's Home for Children .....	144.00	
Shingle Memorial Hospital .....	100.15	
Christmas Cheer Fund .....	517.00	
St. Margaret's House, Berkeley .....	15.00	
Discretionary .....	26.77	
Hawaiian Church Chronicle .....	165.24	
St. John's By the Sea .....	500.00	
75th Anniversary Project .....	2,941.00	
Forward Movement in Braille .....	6.00	
Good Samaritan Mission .....	16.00	
Toward Expense for Delegate to General Convocation .....	253.00	
Malihini Scholarship .....	9.97	
Memorial Trust Fund .....	18.33	
Cleghorn Debt .....	1.00	
St. Stephen's Mission .....	5.00	
Capt. Hamilton's Work .....	10.00	
		4,910.46
		9,329.78

TOTAL RECEIPTS      \$9,329.78



## DISBURSEMENTS

Apportionment to Missions .....	\$ 620.00	
District Travel Fund .....	3.25	
District Expense .....	176.98	
District Altar Fund .....	61.90	
Convocation Expense .....	142.50	
District Automobile .....	315.00	
Church Periodical Club .....	197.05	
Educational Fund .....	38.66	
Kamaka Mem. Schp. ....	87.50	\$1,642.84

## SPECIALS:

United Thank Offering .....	\$2,222.86		
Toward Expense of Delegate to Gen. Convocation .....	253.00		
Helen Seu Travel .....	100.00		
St. Mary's Children's Home .....	144.00		
Good Samaritan Mission .....	16.00		
Lenten Work .....	90.78		
Shingle Memorial Hospital .....	100.15		
Discretionary Fund .....	17.50		
Hawaiian Church Chronicle .....	165.24		
Christmas Cheer Fund .....	517.00		
St. John's By the Sea .....	500.00		
St. Margaret's House, Berkeley .....	15.00		
Forward Movement in Braille .....	6.00		
Cleghorn Debt .....	1.00		
St. Stephen's Mission .....	5.00		
Capt. Hamilton's Work .....	10.00	4,163.73	\$5,806.57

## BALANCE:

United Thank Offering .....	\$ 28.63	
District Expense .....	131.01	
District Altar Fund .....	85.37	
Convocation Expense .....	52.23	
District Automobile .....	44.98	
Church Periodical .....	17.53	
Educational Fund .....	30.52	
Lenten Work .....	8.80	
Discretionary Fund .....	22.35	
Malihini Scholarship .....	107.61	
Memorial Trust Fund .....	53.18	
75th Anniversary Project .....	2,941.00	3,523.21

## SUMMARY OF THE TREASURER'S REPORT

Cash Total Receipts (including bal. Jan. 1, 1937) \$9,329.78

Cash Disbursements as follows:

Apportionment to Missions .....	\$ 620.00	
United Thank Offering .....	2,222.86	
Domestic Missions .....	21.00	
Diocesan Missions .....	2,942.71	
Balance, December 31, 1937 .....	3,523.21	\$9,829.78

Respectfully submitted,  
Frances Hamlin Day, Treasurer.

## TRUST FUNDS:

Malihini Schp., 2 church bonds \$200.00  
 Trust Fund Mem., 1 church bond \$100.00  
 On deposit with the Treasurer of the Diocese.

Examined and found correct, January 30, 1938.

J. F. Mowat, Auditor



**BY-LAWS**  
of  
HONOLULU BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY  
to the  
NATIONAL COUNCIL OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL  
CHURCH

**ARTICLE I—NAME**

The name of this organization shall be THE HONOLULU BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE NATIONAL COUNCIL OF THE PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

**ARTICLE II—OBJECT**

The object of this Branch shall be to cooperate with the National Council in all its departments by active service in missions and church extension, religious education, field work, social service, finance and publicity.

**ARTICLE III—PERSONNEL**

The Church itself is the great missionary society, therefore all baptised women in this District who feel a deep and real sense of personal responsibility for spreading the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ may be regarded as members of this Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, but terms for membership in any parish or mission branch shall be fixed by that body.

**ARTICLE IV—BRANCH MEMBERSHIP**

Parish and Mission branches may be organized by obtaining the consent of the rector, or clergyman in charge and notifying the president of the Honolulu Branch of their desire to become a BRANCH in order to give organized service to missions.

**ARTICLE V—OFFICERS**

The officers of the Honolulu Branch shall be as follows: a president, a 1st vice president, a 2nd vice president, a 3rd vice president, a 4th vice president, a 5th vice president, a recording secretary, a corresponding secretary, a treasurer, an assistant treasurer, a directress of the Altar Department, an educational secretary, a secretary of the Church Periodical Club, a secretary of the United Thank Offering, a supply secretary, an assistant supply secretary and a Birthday Thank Offering Secretary of the Church Schools.

These appointments shall be made by the Bishop at the Annual Meeting. The appointments shall be made as follows: the president at the annual meeting following the Triennial; the 1st and 2nd vice presidents from the memberships on Oahu Island at the meeting preceding the Triennial; the 3rd vice president from the memberships on the Island of Hawaii; the 4th vice president from the memberships on the Island of Maui; and the 5th vice president from the memberships on the Island of Kauai at the annual meeting following the



Triennial. These officers shall be appointed for a period of three (3) years, and with the exception of the Treasurer, may not hold the same office for more than two (2) consecutive terms. Vacancies in office occurring during the year shall be filled by the Executive Board.

#### ARTICLE VI—DUTIES OF OFFICERS

The duties of the president shall be to call meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary and of the Executive Board and to preside over the same. It shall be her duty to correspond with the Executive Secretary of the Auxiliary and to see that all new officers are carefully instructed in their specific duties. It shall be the duty of the president, or of some person appointed by her, to visit if possible each Branch, in order to enliven and promote the interest in the work of the organization.

The duties of the vice presidents shall be; the 1st vice president shall preside at the meetings of the Branch and of the Executive Board in the absence of the President. In the event of a long absence from Honolulu of the President, or her resignation, death or physical disability, the 1st vice president shall become automatically acting president. The 2nd vice president shall assume the duties of the 1st vice president in her absence. The duties of the 3rd, 4th and 5th vice presidents shall be those the president would perform if present, and they shall keep the president informed on all matters affecting the welfare of the Branch in the territory in which she resides.

The recording secretary shall keep an accurate record of all proceedings, prepare a memorandum for the president of unfinished business for each meeting and prepare an abstract of the Minutes for the annual report.

The Corresponding secretary, under the direction of the President, shall give notices of all meetings; she will correspond with all Branches of the District, collect the reports of the several secretaries, prepare an annual report and issue and distribute the same. She shall advise the secretary and treasurer of each Branch that they make an annual report through its president to the corresponding secretary, of all work accomplished, money contributed to missions within and without the Missionary District, and the estimated value of the boxes sent.

The treasurer and her assistant shall have custody of all moneys received by the District Branch, and shall collect, if necessary, all sums payable to the same in pledges made. The Treasurer shall pay out money on the order of the president and the recording secretary, except such sums as may have been received for a definite purpose, which sums she may dispose of without formal direction. All moneys received for purposes outside of the District shall be forwarded to the treasurers empowered to receive the same. She shall make a yearly report to the District Branch of all moneys received and disbursed and the estimated value of boxes sent.

The District Altar Committee Directress, the Educational Secretary, the Secretary of the Church Periodical Club, the Secretary of the United Thank Offering and the Secretary of the Birthday Thank Offering of the Church Schools shall superintend, foster and direct,



and by correspondence and carefully kept records, develop their several departments' usefulness to their utmost ability and fullest value.

The Duties of the Supply Secretary and assistant Supply Secretary shall be to furnish each Branch with work, if desired, and to keep a record of the number and the value of the boxes. She shall also present a report at the Annual Meeting.

#### ARTICLE VII—GOVERNMENT

The officers of the District Branch and the presidents of the Parish and Mission branches, or some one appointed by them, shall constitute the Executive Board, which shall have general charge of the work and the business of the Branch under the directions of the Bishop. Representatives of five branches shall constitute a quorum for the Executive Board.

#### ARTICLE VIII—ANNUAL MEETINGS

(a) The Annual Meeting shall be held at the time of the Convocation of the Missionary District and all other meetings at such time and in such place as the president may appoint.

(b) Each Branch is entitled to seven (7) delegates to the Annual Meeting. If it is impractical to get women as delegates who live in the parish or mission, it will be permissible for each branch to appoint delegates who are residents of Honolulu. If the Branch fails to report the appointment of delegates one week before the Convocation, they shall be appointed by the president and the corresponding secretary of the Honolulu Branch.

#### ARTICLE IX—DUES

(a) Each Branch shall pay yearly to the District Expense Fund such sums as it shall be assessed therefor by the Executive Board. Such payment shall entitle it to seat its delegates and to vote at the Annual Meeting.

(b) Each Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary shall pay to the District Altar Fund at least one dollar (\$1.00) annually and the junior Auxiliary shall pay annually fifty cents.

(c) It shall be the duty of every Branch, before it discontinues a pledge which has been made for salary, or interest, and which continues year by year, to give one year's notice of its purpose to discontinue its pledge at the Annual Meeting.

(d) These By-Laws shall be read in every Branch once a year.

(e) The year of the Woman's Auxiliary shall end on December 31st of each year, the dates on which the Parish and Convocation ends, and all Auxiliary reports shall be made up to that date.

#### ARTICLE X—AMENDMENTS

These By-Laws may be altered or amended by a majority vote at each Annual Meeting, providing the proposed amendments have been submitted to the Executive Board thirty days before the meeting.



SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS FROM BRANCHES - 1937	U. T. O.	Apportion- ment	District Expense	District Altar	District Auto.	Convocation Expense	Kamaka Mem. Schp. Fund	Church Per. Club	Educational Fund	Lenten Sewing	75th Anniv. Project	St. John's By The Sea	Helen Seu Travel	Hawaiian Church Chronicle	St. Mary's Orphanage	General Conv. Travel	Christmas Cheer	Diocesan Tea	Fwd. Mvt. in Br'le	Shingle Mem. Hosp.	Gd. Smtn. Mission	E. Ch. Hoon Schp. St. M.	TOTALS
St. Andrew's	210.34	200.00	70.00	10.77	65.00	40.00	10.00	10.00	6.00	25.00	1125.00	130.00	25.00	35.00	—	116.00	25.00	1.00	6.00	68.05	10.00	—	2113.16
Iolani	12.44	50.00	13.00	1.00	21.00	20.00	3.00	5.00	4.00	5.00	25.00	55.50	—	—	—	10.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	224.94
St. Clement's	100.14	70.00	30.00	2.00	34.00	20.00	3.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	26.00	25.00	6.00	5.00	144.00	5.00	—	1.00	—	5.00	—	30.00	382.14
St. Elizabeth's	14.48	15.00	4.00	1.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	—	2.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	41.48
St. Elizabeth's, Jr.	—	15.00	2.00	.50	1.00	1.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	19.50
St. Peter's	126.00	20.00	10.00	1.00	10.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	2.00	5.00	15.00	10.00	3.00	5.00	—	10.00	—	2.00	—	5.00	—	—	227.00
St. Peter's, Jr.	—	10.00	4.00	.50	2.00	1.00	—	—	—	—	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	21.50
Holy Trinity	—	5.00	5.00	1.00	3.00	1.00	1.00	—	—	—	5.00	2.00	1.00	3.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	27.00
Epiphany	29.50	20.00	7.00	1.00	22.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	5.00	5.00	5.00	—	5.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	107.50
Holy Innocents	—	10.00	7.00	1.00	8.00	4.00	1.00	2.00	2.00	5.00	—	10.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	50.00
All Saints	10.00	20.00	8.00	1.00	16.00	7.00	1.00	2.00	2.00	—	—	5.00	5.00	5.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	82.00
Kekaha	11.96	5.00	5.00	1.00	4.50	3.00	1.00	—	—	—	2.50	2.50	—	2.50	—	5.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	43.96
Good Shepherds	39.94	25.00	15.00	1.00	7.00	8.00	2.00	3.00	5.00	5.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	118.94
Christ Church	32.75	75.00	12.00	1.00	2.00	5.00	2.00	3.00	4.00	5.00	10.00	—	5.00	—	—	10.00	—	—	—	2.50	—	—	169.25
St. James	8.26	25.00	5.00	1.00	10.00	6.00	—	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	2.00	—	—	—	—	—	2.25	—	—	71.76
St. Augustine's	18.00	26.00	8.00	1.00	8.00	5.00	1.00	1.00	—	5.00	—	—	—	—	—	10.00	—	—	—	5.00	—	—	88.00
St. Andrew's Priory	—	2.00	4.00	.50	5.00	2.00	—	—	—	—	3.00	3.00	3.00	3.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	25.50
Papaaloa	74.45	5.00	8.00	1.00	2.00	5.00	1.00	1.00	4.00	5.00	10.00	10.00	—	5.00	—	10.00	—	—	—	9.10	—	—	150.55
Kaiulani	24.87	5.00	2.00	1.00	4.00	1.00	—	1.00	—	2.50	13.00	30.00	2.00	3.00	—	3.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	82.02
St. Stephen's	—	1.00	3.00	1.00	11.00	1.00	—	1.00	—	2.50	14.50	5.00	5.00	5.00	—	—	—	—	—	3.25	—	—	53.25
St. Mark's	—	1.00	2.00	1.00	—	1.00	—	—	—	—	15.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	20.00
Good Samaritan	10.00	1.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	1.00	—	—	—	—	5.00	2.00	2.00	5.00	—	3.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	23.00
St. Luke's	—	1.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	—	—	—	—	—	2.00	—	—	1.50	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	8.50
Schofield Barracks	16.55	—	1.00	1.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18.55
St. John's, Kula	18.42	3.00	2.00	1.00	3.00	4.00	—	1.00	2.00	—	1.00	2.00	1.00	1.00	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	39.42
TOTALS	770.40	610.00	231.00	34.27	241.50	142.00	30.00	40.00	42.00	52.00	1282.00	272.00	63.00	89.00	144.00	182.00	25.00	4.00	6.00	100.15	10.00	30.00	4004.62



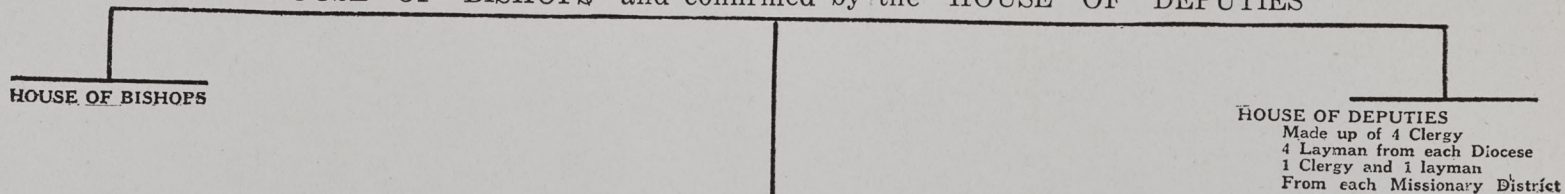




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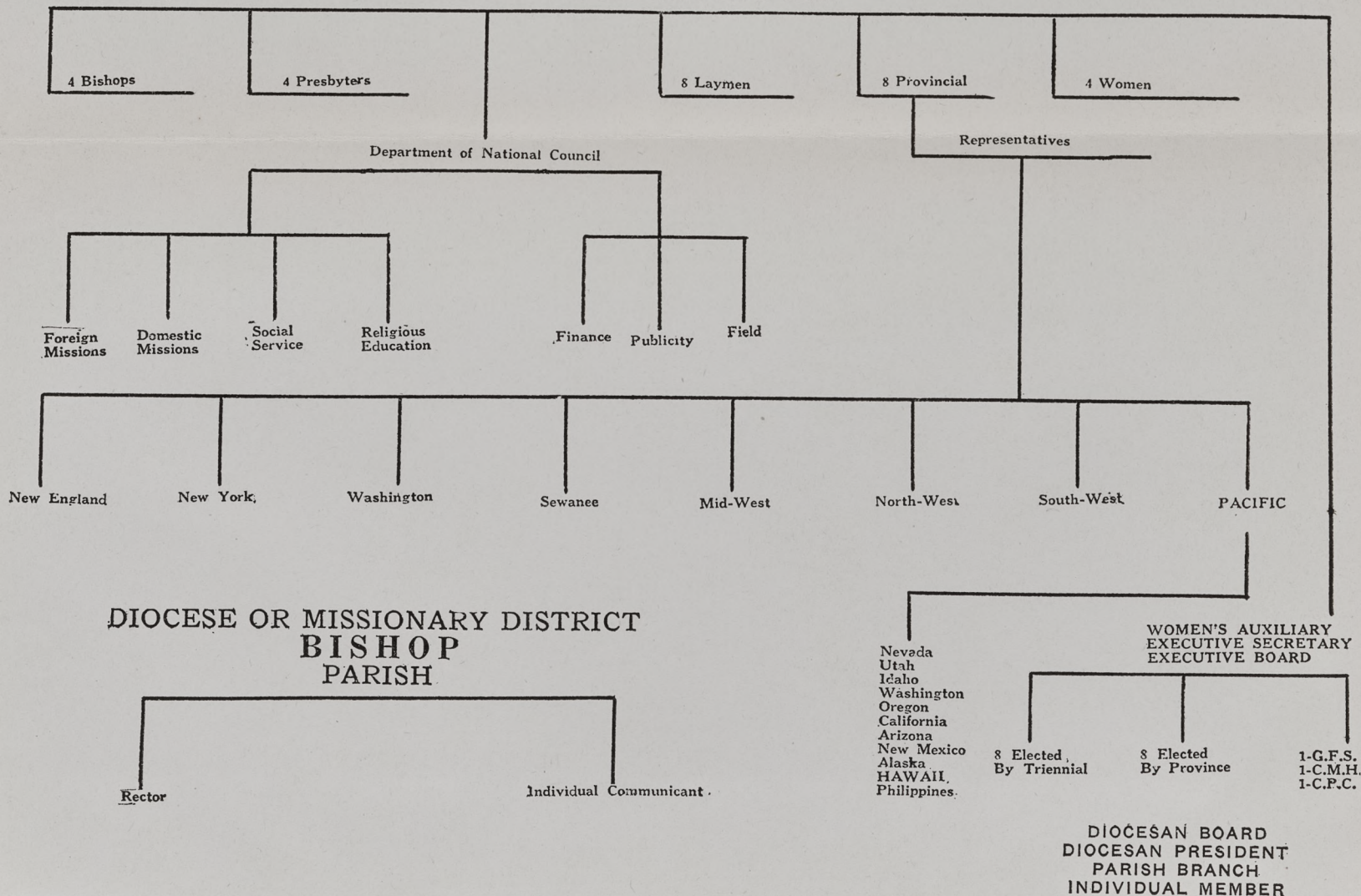
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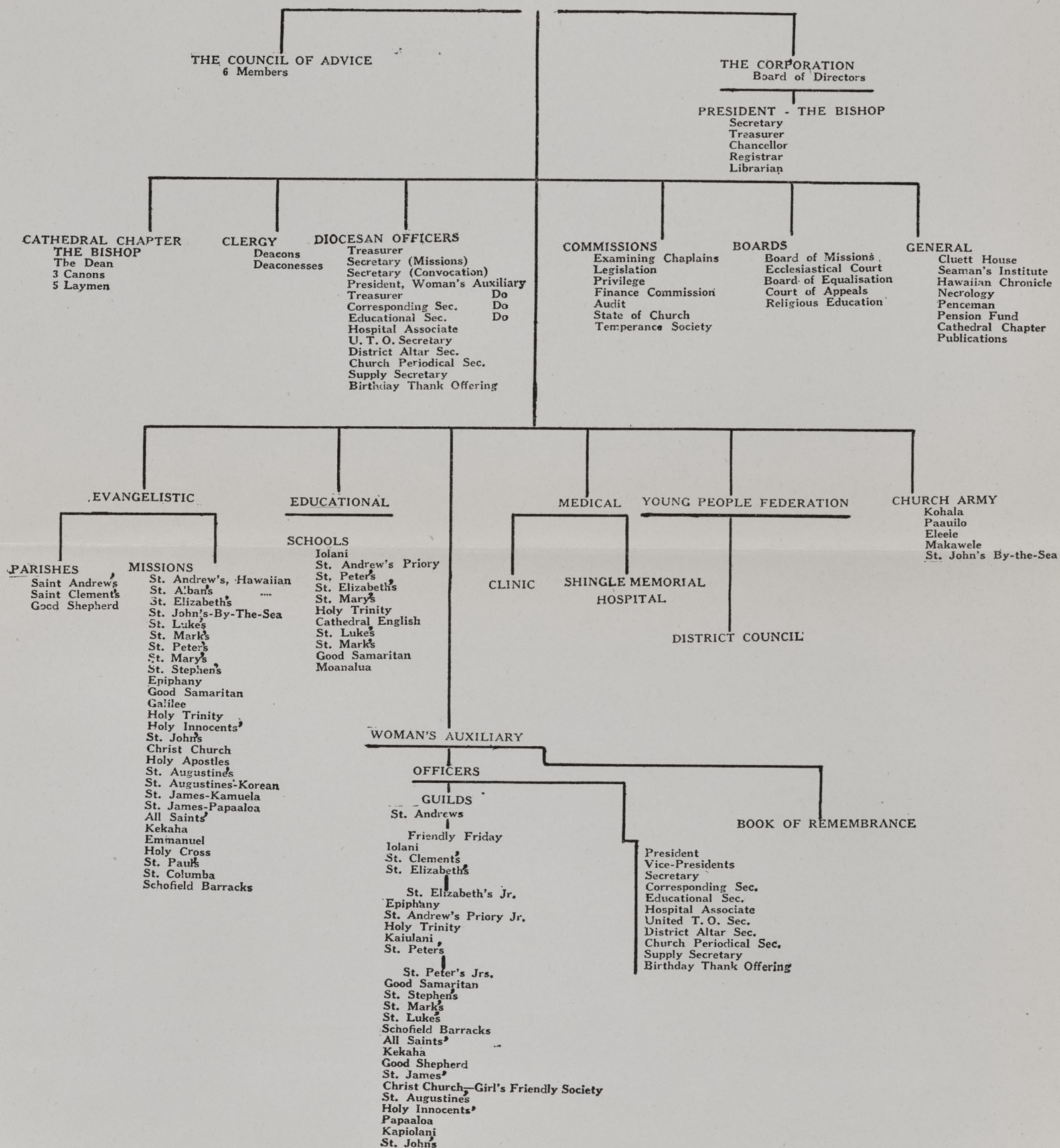


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