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OF

The Woman's Auxiliary

AND OF

Woman's Parish Work

IN THE

DIOCESE OF INDIANA,

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WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

Rt. Rev. Father and Dear Friends of the Woman's Auxiliary:

For the first time since the organization of the Indiana Branch eleven years ago your Secretary is absent from the Annual Meeting. She sends herewith loving greeting to her associates and a brief record of her work.

The year's work which began brightly and happily with promise of good results was suddenly and sadly darkened by the death of our President, our beloved Bishop, and the very cold weather following hindered gatherings at Convocations. The parish branches however, as their reports will show, have faithfully and loyally continued their meetings and work. Two parish branches have been organized: St. Paul's, Columbus, and St. Philip's Mission, North Liberty, January 28th, 1895.

The first Convocation in the autumn was that of the Central Deanery held in St. Stephen's Church, Terre Haute, Tuesday and Wednesday, September 25th and 26th. The meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary was well attended, brief addresses were made by the Bishop, Dean Hunter and Rev. F. O. Granniss of Muncie. Mrs. Nichols read a beautiful paper on the Woman's Auxiliary, and the Secretary presented some practical thoughts and suggestions of work.

October 3d, at the request of the Bishop, I went to Delphi, and at the evening service I spoke to the congregation of the Church's missions and the next afternoon met the ladies and talked to them of Woman's Auxiliary and other work for women in the Church.

The 24th and 25th of October I spent in Aurora and Lawrenceburg by request of the missionary, Rev. Mr. Lund, spoke on mission work in both churches and met the ladies to talk over practical details.

November 10th I went to Jeffersonville to attend the consecration of the new St. Paul's Church and the session of the Southern Convocation. At the Woman's meeting Tuesday afternoon I spoke of Woman's Auxiliary and its work, and in response to an appeal for clothing for the Indian boy at school at White Institute, Wabash, the son of one of our faithful Indian Priests, in South Dakota, received an offering of \$9 with which I supplied his needs, and received a grateful acknowledgement from the boy and also from the Principal of the Institute.

COLUMBUS, ST PAUL'S.—This Branch was organized January 1st, 1895, so that is is but five months old. Beginning with six members it now numbers twelve and they have sent a missionary box, valued at \$16, to Sheltering Arms Hospital, Paint Creek, West Virginia. Annual dues, \$1. Total cash and box, \$17. This is the first parish Branch to send in a contribution to the United Offering. Mrs. Myra Bassett, President; Mrs. Amy Holst, Secretary.

EVANSVILLE, ST. PAUL'S.—Sent, Christmas, a book of books valued at \$23, to Edwin Carter, Salem, Virginia. Amount raised in cash, \$100.27. Spent for books, \$23; parish purposes, \$7.27. Balance in treasure, \$70. Total, cash and box, \$100.27; number of members, 63. Mrs. A. G. Torian, President; Mrs. T. H. Burton, Secretary.

EVANSVILLE, HOLY INNOCENTS'—Number of workers, twenty-eight; amount raised, \$122.27; spent for Diocesan Missions and general parish work, \$175.43. Mrs. J. J. Giles, President; Mrs. R. A. Taite, Secretary.

FORT WAYNE, TRINITY—\$102.36 for Diocesan Missions; \$40 for scholarship in St. John's School, Logan, Utah; and \$3 for Foreign Missions. Three parcels have been sent by this Branch to its beneficiary at St. John's School, value at \$19.03; and a box, valued at \$57.82, to Mrs. Buford, Lawrenceville, Virginia. Total cash, \$145.36; boxes, \$76.85; cash and boxes, \$222.21; number of members, forty. Mrs. C. R. Dryer, Secretary.

GOSHEN, ST. JAMES'S—Amount raised during the year, \$23.60. Century Club, \$30; Diocesan Missions, \$14.54; total cash, \$43.60. One box valued at \$40, was sent by this Branch to Minnesota. Cash and box, \$83.60; numbers of members, twenty-one. Mrs. E. J. Latta, President.

INDIANAPOLIS, GRACE CATHEDRAL—Number of members, thirty-one; amount raised, \$111.80. The regular Missionary Teas have been held monthly and well attended. No boxes have been sent.

The various subdivisions have met weekly. The Diocesan Branch has given \$22 for Diocesan Missions, and collected \$30 of the Diocesan assessment. The general society has given \$21 for Diocesan Missions; the Domestic Branch has spent \$34.60, for parish purposes and the Foreign Branch has given \$6.75 for Foreign Missions. Mrs. F. M. Curtis, President; Mrs. Albert Michie, Secretary.

INDIANAPOLIS, CHRIST CHURCH.—Numbers of members, thirty-two; for Diocesan Missions, \$100; Foreign, \$15; Century Club, \$10; Domestic, \$13; total cash, \$146.66. Two missionary boxes were sent, one at Christmas and another at Easter to the Good Physician Hospital, Columbia, South Carolina, value \$145; cash and boxes, \$291.66. Mrs. George W. Sloan, President; Mrs. R. R. Hale, Secretary.

INDIANAPOLIS, HOLY INNOCENTS'.—Numbers of members, fourteen; cash raised, \$8.58; spent for Century Club, \$5; annual dues, \$1; box sent was valued at \$10. Total cash and box, \$18.58. Mrs. G. Bannon, Secretary.

INDIANAPOLIS, ST. PAUL'S.—With thirty-five members, this Branch has raised in money \$122, one third of which has been spent for General Missions. They have also sent a box valued at \$65. Total cash and box, \$187. Mrs. Elliot Perkins, President; Mrs. J. W. Jones, Secretary.

LAFAYETTE, ST. JOHN'S.—Diocesan Missions, \$50; Century Club, \$10. Annual dues to Secretary, \$2, for two years, and express \$1.85; balance in treasury, \$33.74. Total cash for the year, \$97.59. Part of this money has been raised by Missionary Teas. One package was sent by this Branch to Kansas but the value is not given in its report. Mrs. Sara C. Carnahan, Treasurer.

LOGANSFORT, TRINITY.—The interest in missionary work has been steadily increasing during the year. Diocesan Missions, \$50; a box sent to Dakota for the Indians, \$125; cash and box, \$175; number of members, twenty-five. Miss Sarah Wells, President; Jennie D. Hobbs, Secretary.

The Junior Auxiliary has finished its first year of faithful work. Number of members, thirty-two; \$45 expended for Sunday-school; \$10, Century Club. Total cash, \$55. Ethel Vaughn, President; Florence Alexander, Secretary.

MICHIGAN CITY, TRINITY.—Numbers of members, twenty-five. Box and barrel to Mr. L. Mannypenny, White Earth, Minnesota, value \$125; Cash, \$74.41; cash and boxes, \$199.41. Mrs. Florence A. Morris, Secretary.

MUNCIE, GRACE CHURCH.—Number of members, twenty-four; Foreign Missions, \$15; Diocesan, \$67.35. Total cash, \$82.35. Mrs. Carrie J. McCulloch, President; Blanche Shipley, Secretary.

TERRE HAUTE, ST. STEPHEN'S.—Diocesan Missions, \$160; Foreign, \$10; General Missions, \$20; freight on missionary boxes and incidental expenses, \$9.60; annual dues, \$1. Total cash raised, \$202.15. Box sent to Salt Lake City valued at \$75. Cash and boxes, \$277.15. Mrs. G. W. Bement, President; Miss G. A. P. Watson, Secretary

I have received the annual dues of one dollar from Christ Church, Indianapolis; St. Paul's, Indianapolis; Grace Cathedral, Indianapolis; St. Stephen's, Terre Haute; Trinity, Fort Wayne; St. John's, Lafayette; and St. Paul's, Columbus; also, one dollar from a lady in Lawrenceburgh which I added to the Expense Fund.

There are two matters to which I would draw your special attention. First the United Offering that you will endeavor that it shall be one worthy of Indiana, and the object for which it is made to endow for all time a Missionary Bishopric. Next to consider the expediency of revising our present Constitution, and committing the leadership to younger and more vigorous hands.

Praying God, the Holy Spirit, may guide direct and further your work.

Respectfully submitted,
EMILY L. UPFOLD,
Diocesan Secretary.

SUMMARY.

Woman's Auxiliary.	Cash.	Boxes.	Value.
Columbus, St. Paul's.....	\$1 00	1	\$17 00
Evansville, St. Paul's.....	77 27	1	23 00
Evansville, Holy Innocents'.....	122 27	1	
Fort Wayne, Trinity.....	145 36	3	76 85
Goshen, St. James's.....	43 60	1	40 00
Indianapolis, Grace Cathedral.....	111 80	1	
Indianapolis, Christ Church.....	146 66	2	145 00
Indianapolis, St. Paul's.....	122 00	1	65 00
Indianapolis, Holy Innocents'.....	8 58	1	10 00
Lafayette, St. John's.....	97 59	1	
Logansport, Trinity.....	50 00	1	125 00
Logansport, Trinity, (Junior).....	55 00	1	
Michigan City, Trinity.....	74 41	1	125 00
Muncie, Grace.....	82 35	1	
New Castle, St. James's.....	22 57	1	
Terre Haute, St. Stephen's.....	202 15	1	75 00
Secretary.....	9 00	1	
Offertory.....	2 30	1	
Totals.....	\$1,373 91	15	\$701 85

RECAPITULATION.

Total Cash.....	\$1,373 91
Total Value of Boxes.....	701 85
Total.....	\$2,075 76

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	Kearney State.	Nebr.	July.	
" 25 "	Rev. Amos Ross (Oliver)	s.d.	ac.	
Nov. 2.	Rev. W. J. Cleveland (Knes)	s.d.		
	Col. Ass. Mission Columbia P.C.		ac.	
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Michigan City

Miss Florence A. Morris,
209 East 5th St.

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Oct. 2. Dr. Louis Drangsholm. Min. ac. 7. 8/25-

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Columbus St. Paul's

Mrs. F. R. Koest.
715 Franklin St.

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Sheltering Arms Hospital

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Evansville. St. Paul's

Mrs. H. J. Hartman
309 Chancery St.

July 1. Mrs. E. J. Saphir.

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WOMAN'S PARISH WORK.

AURORA, ST. MARK'S.—Woman's Guild with thirteen members has raised \$222.60, and expended \$222. Miss Sadie Gay, President; Mrs. Elizabeth Johnson, Secretary.

CONNERSVILLE, TRINITY.—Trinity Guild, has a membership of fifteen ladies with a usual attendance of from eight to ten. In the past year have made \$150 in various ways, making carpet, sewing, etc., of this amount we pledged ourselves \$100 towards the rector's salary, which was paid in full; also about \$40 in helping make up the full amount of salary and other church expenses. The Guild has been active all the year in spite of discouraging surroundings, no rector since January, we work on hoping for better things. Mrs. C. Dale, President; Anna L. Ackerman, Secretary.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, ST. JOHN'S—Ladies' Guild with seven members has raised and spent \$73.50. The Guild disbanded in June, 1894, and reorganized in January so their report covers but about half a year. Mrs. H. Chumasero, President; Miss E. C. Thomson, Secretary.

EVANSVILLE, ST. PAUL'S.—Young Ladies' Guild, twenty-six members, raised \$117.18, expended for vestry \$75, Sunday-school, \$25. Catherine Finn, President.

EVANSVILLE, HOLY INNOCENTS'.—Daughters of the King, fourteen members, raised \$24.60, expended for insurance, flowers, and linen, \$19.82. Nettie Howden, President; Iva Bogley, Secretary.

Young Woman's Guild, with twenty members, has raised \$14. Mrs. Frederick I. Collins, President; Miss Jessie Martyne, Secretary.

FORT WAYNE, TRINITY.—Ladies' Association, numbers of members, twelve; amount raised, \$157.30. Helen F. Guild, President; Mamie Graves Brown, Secretary.

St. Margaret's Guild with forty-one members raised and expended for an organ \$243.90. Mrs. E. White, President; Elizabeth B. Joss, Secretary.

FRANKFORT, ST. LUKE'S.—Report of Ladies' Guild: Cash on hand June 1, 1894, \$8.55; received cash for Diocesan Missions, \$7.00; proceeds from work, \$29.30; proceeds, social entertainments, \$44.13. Total, \$88.98. Money paid out by Guild, from June 1, 1894, to June 1, 1895: Heating gas, \$20; illuminating gas, \$9.80; interest on Church debt, \$18; Diocesan Missions, \$18; minister's salary, \$8.94; incidental expenses, \$5.69; cash on hand, \$8.55. Total, \$88.98. Mrs. P. H. Bracken, Treasurer.

GARRETT, EMMANUEL.—Busy Bee Society, with forty-nine members, has raised \$27.20, and spent for hymnals and other parish purposes \$24. Mrs. Kemp, President; Mrs. Gillis, Secretary.

Young People's Guild, twenty-nine members, raised \$33; spent for parish purposes. We have suffered severely by loss of members by removal but are hopeful for the future. Mrs. Bechler, President; Miss E. M. Galoway, Secretary.

Ladies' Guild, twenty-five members, amount raised, \$92.49; spent for parish purposes. The Guild has lost during the year fourteen members by removal and death. Mrs. Mary Neun, President; Mrs. Heckrotte, Secretary and Treasurer.

INDIANAPOLIS, GRACE CATHEDRAL.—Parochial Branch of Woman's Auxiliary with seven members has raised \$96.51; spent for parish purposes \$75.56. Have now in treasury, \$20.95; which is to be paid on the debt incurred when the Guild room was built. Mrs. James Ross, President; Mrs. W. S. Budd, Secretary.

Altar Guild, five members, raised \$13; spent, \$11.89. Miss Fanny Carleton, President; Miss N. W. Babcock, Secretary.

St. Faith's Chapter of the Daughters of the King, number of members, active, eighteen, associate five; inactive, seventeen. Amount raised, \$104.65; spent for various purposes, including choir camp, \$90.27. Cora Ellis Franklin, President; Anna W. Curtis, Secretary.

St. Agnes's Guild, for little girls, has raised \$15.75; expended for Century Club and various parish purposes, \$15.20. Mrs. Welby Gillitt, President.

INDIANAPOLIS, ST. PAUL'S.—Altar Chapter St. Paul's Guild, twenty-seven members, amount raised, \$191.30; expended for altar hangings and café of altar. Laura M. Bingham, President; Deborah D. Moore, Secretary.

St. Margaret's Society, with eighteen members, has raised \$283.29; and expended it for the parish building. Mrs. H. M. Bronson, President; Mrs. Kate Geiger, Secretary.

INDIANAPOLIS, CHRIST CHURCH.—Christ Church Guild, with forty-four members, raised \$260.17; amount expended, \$219.99. All money is raised by the work of the members of the Guild without festivals, fetes or suppers and has been spent for parish needs, except \$5, to the Archdeacon and a gold medal to Knickerbacker Hall. Mrs. A. A. Cady, President; Mrs. M. F. Love, Secretary.

Christ Church Altar Guild, with seven members, has raised \$63.05; and expended for flowers and fruit for the altar for Thanksgiving and Easter and Sundays and laundering cottas, \$65.43. The Guild has but seven regular contributions. John Hilliard Ranger, President; Emily A. Ranger, Secretary.

Christ Church Chapter of Daughters of the King, twenty-seven members, raised and spent, \$61.35. Emily A. Ranger, President; Frances E. Preston, Secretary.

INDIANAPOLIS, ST. GEORGE'S.—Daughters of the King, with five members, has raised \$75.88; and expended for various parish needs, \$42.53; we meet each week; dues, 10 cents a month. Flora Kokemiller, President; Mamie Zintel, Secretary.

INDIANAPOLIS, HOLY INNOCENTS'.—Rector's Aid Society, with fifteen members, has raised \$59; and expended for parish purposes \$44.44. Mrs. G. Bannon, Treasurer.

JEFFERSONVILLE, ST. PAUL'S.—Ladies' Guild, number of members, forty; amount raised, \$468.98; expended for carpet for church and other expenses, \$344.76. Mrs. M. Z. Stannard, President; Mrs. Emily Dunham, Secretary.

KOKOMO, ST. ANDREW'S.—St. Agnes's Guild, twelve members, raised \$93.27; spent for parish purposes, \$92.29. Mrs. H. M. Cooper, President; Mrs. J. D. Kennedy, Secretary.

LOGANSFORT, TRINITY.—Trinity Guild, with thirty-nine members, has raised \$334.56; and expended the sum for frescoing the church, music and parish expenses. Hannah Simpson, President; Margaret McKeen, Secretary.

MADISON, CHRIST.—Ladies' Guild, forty members, has raised \$400; and spent for church debt, organist, etc., \$394. Mrs. John Schofield, President; Mrs. S. P. Sanxay, Secretary.

Christ Church Altar Guild, has seven members. It does not attempt to raise money but cares for the altar linen, etc., and is supported by voluntary contributions. Mrs. Belle Cowlanes, Directress.

MARION, GETHSEMANE.—Ladies' Guild, with twenty-one members, has raised \$150; and expended for parish purposes, \$125. Mary A. Cary; President; Ida B. Eckert, Secretary.

MICHIGAN CITY, TRINITY.—Ladies' Aid Society, with fifty-four members, has raised \$237.23; expended for parish needs and improvements on rectory, \$169.21. Mrs. N. W. Heermans, President; Miss A. C. Hartwell, Secretary.

MOUNT VERNON, ST. JOHN'S.—St. John's Guild, with ten members, raised \$80 20; spent for Church furnishings, \$75.25. Are now working for a font. Mrs. S. Barnett, President; Mrs. W. L. Boyce, Secretary.

MUNCIE, GRACE.—Altar Guild, twenty-nine members, amount raised \$138.39; spent for parish purposes. We have had a very successful year. Mrs. Louis Over, President; Annie E. Bailey, Secretary.

Ladies Afternoon Social, twenty-two members, amount raised \$202.43; spent \$110.25, for the parish. Clara A. Shipley, President; Mrs. James Smith, Secretary.

NEW ALBANY, ST. PAUL'S—Ladies' Church Aid, with twenty members, has raised \$100; spent for parish purposes, \$156.33; this society has in its treasury, \$464.77, to be devoted to the new church fund. Mrs. Monroe Gwinn, President; Mrs. E. A. Maginness, Secretary.

Altar Guild was organized March, 1895, and has covered the kneeling benches in the church, furnished flowers for the altar and provided numerous hangings and altar furnishings. May Cayce, Secretary.

PERU, TRINITY.—Ladies' Guild, with twenty members, raised \$526.38; spent for parish purposes, church debt and improvements \$725.29; balance on hands, \$217.91; no indebtedness on church or guild. Mrs. E. T. Gray, President; Mrs. C. S. Dunn, Secretary and Treasurer.

PLYMOUTH, ST. THOMAS'S.—The Ladies' Parish Guild, with twenty-seven members, has raised \$141; and spent a portion of it for parish purposes. A church building is the present object for which the Guild works. Ida E. Smith, President; H. Eva Blain, Secretary.

The Altar Guild, with thirty-two members, has raised \$177.61; and expended but \$6.90; leaving the remainder to be applied to the fund for a new church. Rena O. Armstrong, President; Maggie Stechman, Secretary.

RICHMOND, ST. PAUL'S.—Grace Guild, with fifty members, raised \$20. Gertrude Spencer, President; Caddy Tinney, Secretary.

St. Paul's Guild, raised \$183.27; spent for parish purposes \$175.30.

St. Mary's Guild, twenty-eight members, raised \$470.50; expended for parish purposes. Mrs. Frank M. Nixon, President; Mrs. George Williams, Secretary.

TERRE HAUTE, ST. STEPHEN'S.—Ladies' Church Aid, with twenty-four members, has raised \$154.81. Mrs. J. E. Somes, President; Mrs. L. B. Martin, Secretary.

St. Stephen's Sisterhood, with twenty-four members, has raised \$24.90. The Sisterhood is not a money making society and spends its funds chiefly to help the needy and for missions. Mrs. Sleight, President; Mrs. Fowler, Secretary.

Young Ladies' Guild, with thirty members, has raised \$143.10; spent, \$113.20. Mrs. L. S. Briggs, President; Mrs. W. H. Baker, Secretary.

WORTHINGTON, ST. MATTHEW'S.—Woman's Guild, with nineteen members, has raised \$54.10; spent for hymnals and choir purposes, \$31.60. Rev. John Brann, President; Alice B. Austin, Secretary.

Total raised by 965 workers reporting from twenty-seven parishes is \$6,514.48.

This report compares unfavorably with that of last year when 39 parishes reported more than 1,400 workers and more than \$10,000. Whether the fault lies with your temporary Secretary, whether having a stranger to deal with the parishes have been careless in reporting, or whether the hard times and the want, for half a year, of a Bishop's counsel and cheer have really driven many societies out of existence, there is no means at hand to determine.

It is earnestly hoped that during the coming year, under more favorable circumstances, there may be a marked advance in both parish and mission work over the utmost that Indiana Churchwomen have ever done.

In 1895 through the various societies and the Woman's Auxiliary they have put into the Church's treasury \$8,560.24.

Respectfully submitted,

CAROLINE H. HOWLAND,

Acting Diocesan Secretary.

