

Twenty-fourth Annual Report
of the Woman's Auxiliary
to the Board of Missions
Diocese of Indianapolis

May, Nineteen Hundred and Eight



Presidents of parish branches are asked to consider this annual report at one of their early autumn meetings.

St. Matthew's Day, September 21, the anniversary of the Bishop's Consecration, is commended to all Auxiliaries as a day of special consecration.

The Annual Meeting is held in May at the time of the Diocesan Council.

The Semi-Annual Meeting is held in the autumn at a place selected by the Bishop.

Each well-organized branch is expected to pay the following: Dues to Diocesan Auxiliary, two dollars per annum; a pledge—any amount—for the missionary recommended by the Bishop; a pledge—any amount—to general Missions, to be applied on the Diocesan Apportionment Fund.



HE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY was created by the Board of Missions during the session of the General Convention, October 1871, in the city of Baltimore, and approved by the Board of Missions at the General Convention of 1880, to assist it in meeting its regular appropriations and to aid all missionary work of the Church in any direction and in any way that may be recommended by the Board or endorsed by the several Bishops.

The Indianapolis Branch was organized in 1884. The Junior Department was authorized by the General Board in 1889. The Babies' Branch was incorporated into the Indianapolis Branch in 1902.

The Twenty-fourth Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary was held at St. John's Church, LaFayette, May 6, 1908.

Prayers for Missions.

Lord of all power and might, who rulest in heaven and in earth, and canst turn the hearts of men after the counsel of Thine own will; we humbly pray Thee to awaken in all the members of our Missionary Society such a deep sense of their duty to maintain and set forward the work of missions, that by their faith and zeal Thy Holy Name may be glorified, and the bounds of Thy Kingdom enlarged; through Jesus Christ our only Saviour and Redeemer. Amen.

O Lord Jesus Christ, who in the days of Thy flesh didst accept the service of faithful women who ministered unto Thee of their substance; be pleased, we humbly ask, to bless our endeavors to aid and encourage missionaries. Put into our hearts the things we should do and say to promote Thy glory. Grant that we may never be discouraged under difficulties, but go forward in faith and hope, looking unto Thee. Have pity on those who know Thee not, and visit them with Thy salvation. Christ, hear us, and answer this our prayer, for Thine own Name's sake. Amen.

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of the
Indianapolis Branch Woman's Auxiliary
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Board of Missions.

May, 1908.

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Summary of Auxiliary Events.

May, 1907—May, 1908.

September 19, 1907—Union meeting of Indianapolis Auxiliaries at St. Paul's Church, Indianapolis, held in honor of the Bishop's consecration, September 21 coming on Sunday.

November 20—Miss Lindley, of New York, visited Lafayette, Terre Haute, Muncie, Richmond, New Albany and Indianapolis, giving instructions in conducting classes for the study of missions.

November 24—Meeting in Terre Haute, St. Stephen's Parish, at which Miss Lindley addressed the Juniors and the women, and at which several Diocesan officers were present.

January 6—Epiphany meetings held in nearly all of the branches.

Lent—Weekly meetings held by the seven Auxiliaries of Indianapolis in Christ Church Parish House. These meetings were addressed by Deaconess Drant on her work among the Chinese; also by speakers on the subjects: "The Church Among the Mountaineers;" "The Negroes;" "The Indians;" "The Uplift of China," and "The Diocese of Indianapolis."

Annual meeting at St. John's Parish House, LaFayette, on May 6.

Report of Corresponding Secretary.

BEDFORD—ST. JOHN'S.

President, Mrs. George E. Lary.

Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. C. H. Knight, 2130 S. I St.	
Number of members	7
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	5.00
To St. John's Church	5.00
To Arizona and New Mexico	5.00
To boxes, domestic	54.30
 Total.....	\$ 71.30

BLOOMINGTON—TRINITY.

President, Mrs. E. R. Fletcher, 114 E. 4th St.

Secretary, Mrs. John H. Heady, 822 Atwater Ave.

Treasurer, Mrs. J. B. Wilson, 410 N. Walnut St.

Number of members	15
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	10.00
To box, domestic	10.00
 Total.....	\$ 22.00

COLUMBUS—ST. PAUL'S.

President, Mrs. H. H. Bassett, 622 Franklin St.

Secretary, Mrs. James Cochrane, Seventh St.

Treasurer, Miss Mary Gottschalk, Chestnut St.

Number of members	15
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	17.40
To Alaskan Cross Bearer50
To box, Diocesan	32.00
 Total.....	\$ 63.90

CONNERSVILLE—TRINITY.

President, Mrs. A. L. Ackerman, 1012 Central Ave.

Secretary, Miss M. A. Enyart, 817 Western Ave.

Treasurer, Mrs. Louise Pepper, 1002 Central Ave.

Number of members	15
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
 Total.....	\$ 2.00

EVANSVILLE—ST. PAUL'S.

President, Mrs. A. G. Torian, 1053 Upper Second.
 Secretary, Mrs. M. L. Atwood, 213 Delmar Ave., Howell.
 Treasurer, Mrs. A. J. Barclay, 1620 Upper Second.

Number of members	45
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Diocesan Missions	35.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	65.00
To Missionary apportionment	190.00
To General Missions	10.00
To box, domestic	76.70
 Total.....	 \$378.70

INDIANAPOLIS—GRACE PRO-CATHEDRAL.

President, Miss Caroline H. Howland, 1221 N. Pennsylvania St.
 Secretary, Mrs. Albert Hale, 515 E. Fifteenth St.
 Treasurer, Mrs. M. A. Hutton, 2316 Central Ave.

Number of members	30
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	60.00
To Foreign Missionary work	30.00
 Total.....	 \$ 92.00

INDIANAPOLIS—CHRIST CHURCH.

President, Miss Emily L. Upfold, 2238 N. Meridian St.
 Secretary, Mrs. Clarence B. Lester, The Lexington.
 Treasurer, Miss Mary Engle.

Number of members	50
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	75.00
To Church Periodical Club	1.00
To General Missions	25.00
To boxes, domestic	141.50
 Total.....	 \$244.50

INDIANAPOLIS—ST. DAVID'S.

President, Mrs. F. A. Hetherington, 1913 N. Alabama.
 Secretary, Mrs. F. M. Staley, 2014 N. Capitol Ave.
 Treasurer, Mrs. A. S. Ayres, 1940 Talbott Ave.

Number of members	20
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00

To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	20.00
To Diocesan Missionary Work	7.17
To Church Periodical Club	1.00
To boxes, domestic	85.00
 Total.....	\$115.17

INDIANAPOLIS—ST. GEORGE'S.

President, Mrs. B. Hickman, 820 Marion Ave.

Secretary, Miss D. Mitchell, 908 S. West St.

Treasurer, Mrs. Susan Hindman, 1314 Silver Ave.

Number of Members	20
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary.....	10.00
To deaf mutes	5.00
 Total.....	\$ 17.00

INDIANAPOLIS—HOLY INNOCENTS'.

President, Mrs. E. C. Bradley, 513 Cedar St.

Secretary, Mrs. J. C. Egger, 830 Woodlawn Ave.

Treasurer, Mrs. F. A. Lorenz, 1515 Prospect St.

Number of members	14
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	10.00
To box, domestic	4.00
 Total.....	\$ 16.00

INDIANAPOLIS—ST. PAUL'S.

President, Mrs. S. E. Perkins, 1011 N. Pennsylvania St.

Secretary, Mrs. E. G. Peck, The Blacherne, 54.

Treasurer, Mrs. J. V. Stanberry, 2003 N. Delaware St.

Number of members	25
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Auxiliary expenses	5.37
To Church Periodical Club	1.00
To Spirit of Missions	1.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	93.75
To box, domestic	22.00
 Total.....	\$125.12

INDIANAPOLIS—ST. PHILIP'S.

President, Mrs. William Davis, 618 N. West St.

Secretary, Mrs. C. Turner, 533 W. Thirteenth St.

Number of members	20
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missoinary	6.56
Total.....	\$ 8.56

JEFFERSONVILLE—ST. PAUL'S.

President, Miss Lila Jewett, 422 E. Chestnut St.

Secretary, Miss Lewis Girdler, 111 E. Riverside.

Number of members	25
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	25.00
Total.....	\$ 27.00

LAFAYETTE—ST. JOHN'S.

President, Mrs. T. A. Stuart, Earlhurst.

Secretary, Miss A. M. Jenners, 118 S. Nineteenth St.

Treasurer, Mrs. A. G. Carnahan, Brown St.

Number of members	16
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	20.00
To box, domestic	18.25
Total.....	\$ 40.25

MADISON—CHRIST CHURCH.

President, Mrs. George Abey, N. Mulberry St.

Secretary, Mrs. Louis Barnes, 620 N. Jefferson St.

Treasurer, Miss Marie Garber, W. Second St.

Number of members	11
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	7.00
To General Missions	5.00
Total.....	\$ 14.00

MUNCIE—GRACE CHURCH.

President, Mrs. John Ryan, 202 S. Monroe St.

Secretary, Mrs. C. W. Turner, 307 E. Charles St.

Treasurer, Mrs. J. Heinsohn, Kirby House.

Number of members	25
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00

To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	36.00
To box, domestic	8.00
Total.....	\$ 46.00

NEW ALBANY—ST. PAUL'S.

President, Miss C. M. Bowman, 324 E. Third.

Secretary, Mrs. B. S. Bull, 1006 E. Spring St.

Treasurer, Mrs. E. M. Johnson, 1625 E. Spring St.

Number of members	26
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Ellis Island work	5.00
To deaf mute work	10.00
To Auxiliary expenses	2.84
To organ fund (St. Paul's)	15.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	25.00
Total.....	\$ 59.84

RICHMOND—ST. PAUL'S.

President, Mrs. Z. Test, 120 S. Fourteenth St.

Secretary, Mrs. G. B. Dougan, 1322 Main St.

Treasurer, Mrs. W. L. Starr, 205 N. Tenth St.

Number of members	12
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	20.00
To box, domestic	45.00
Total.....	\$ 67.00

TERRE HAUTE—ST. STEPHEN'S.

President, Mrs. G. W. Bement, 629 Ohio St.

Secretary, Miss O. A. P. Watson, 671 Eagle St.

Treasurer, Miss M. J. Watson, 671 Eagle St.

Number of members	52
To dues, Diocesan	\$ 2.00
To Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary	115.00
To St. Paul's Mission	103.80
To domestic missionary work	25.00
To foreign missionary work	25.00
To box, domestic	55.00
Total.....	\$325.80

Specials.

To Deaconess Drant, for work among the Chinese in California	\$ 35.00
To Miss Grace Lindley, Mission Study Classes.....	42.00
Altar vases for Bedford and Bloomington and Font Ewer for Lawrenceburg	50.00
Offering at Diocesan Council, 1907, for General Missions..	20.00
Epiphany offering, 1908, for General Missions:.....	8.00
 Total.....	 \$169.20

Summary.

Number of branches	19
Number of members	443
Money in Diocese	\$ 844.89
Money out of Diocese	339.50
Missionary boxes	18
Value of boxes	551.75
Specials	169.20
United offering, 1907-1908	423.02
 Total.....	 \$2,328.36

A. N. HAWLEY,
Corresponding Secretary.

Report of Babies' Branch=Epiphany, 1908.

Bedford	\$ 3.10
Columbus	1.05
Indianapolis—Christ Church	20.00
Indianapolis—St. Paul's	4.33
Indianapolis—Pro-Cathedral	3.00
Jeffersonville	10.85
Richmond	4.35
La Fayette	1.03
 Total.....	 \$47.71
DISBURSEMENTS.	
Apportionment fund, Utah, Indianapolis	\$25.00
Deaconess Drant, for St. Luke's Hospital	5.00
Miscellaneous in Diocese	16.68
Special to kindergarten, Akita, Japan.....	1.03
Total.....	\$47.71

LILA JEWETT,
Vice-President Babies' Branch.

United Offering Report.

The United Offering of 1907 for the Diocese of Indianapolis—\$732.00—was the largest yet made. The following sums have been received toward the United Offering of 1910:

Connersville	\$ 3.70
Bedford	3.00
Indianapolis—Christ Church	4.00
Indianapolis—Pro-Cathedral	10.05
Indianapolis—St. Paul's	6.00
Madison	4.19
Terre Haute—St. Stephen's	12.35
 Total.....	 \$43.29

The Treasurer recommends the annual opening of mite boxes, as the sums are then deposited and the interest paid on them is considerable.

It is the wish of the Diocesan Board of the Auxiliary, that each branch shall have a treasurer of the U. O., whose duty it shall be to distribute boxes, collect from them annually and remit to the Diocesan Treasurer.

VIRGINIA ROBERTSON,
Treasurer United Offering.

Treasurer's Report.

May 15, 1907—May 6, 1908.

Contingent fund	\$ 46.56	\$ 87.34	\$ 76.52	\$ 57.38
Church Chronicle fund	89.21	244.32	253.31	80.22
Women's Auxiliary Diocesan				
Missionary	125.56	605.75	600.00	130.31
General Missions		118.00	118.00
Junior Auxiliary	38.47	40.00	78.47
Baby's Branch		37.35	37.35
Special		32.00	32.00

Respectfully submitted,

S. E. H. PERKINS,
Treasurer.

Report of the Junior Auxiliary.

1907—1908.

Number of branches	8
Number of members reported	116
Christmas Boxes Sent to St. Mary's in the Mountain, Sewanee, Tenn.:	
One from Indianapolis, Christ Church, valued at.....\$12.00	
One from Indianapolis, Holy Innocents', valued at..... 8.00	
One from Indianapolis, St. George's, valued at..... 4.00	
One from Indianapolis, Pro-Cathedral, valued at..... 8.00	
One from Lafayette, St. John's valued at..... 25.00	
One from Terre Haute, St. Stephen's, valued at..... 15.00	
—Box to Children's Home, Lafayette.—	
One from Lafayette, St. John's, valued at.....\$ 5.00	
—Box to St. Mary's in the Mountains.—	
One from Lafayette, St. John's, valued at.....\$12.00	
Total value of boxes.....\$89.00	
—General Missions in China.—	
From Indianapolis, Christ Church	\$ 2.00
From Indianapolis, Holy Innocents'	8.00
From Terre Haute, St. Stephen's	10.00
From Lafayette, St. John's	5.00
Total.....\$25.00	
—Special for China for Rev. H. H. Littell, Education of Chinese Boy.—	
From Richmond, St. Paul's	\$ 20.00

—Special for St. Mary's in the Mountain, Sewanee, Tenn.—	
From Lafayette, St. John's	\$ 10.00
—Special for Archdeacon Wentworth, Lexington, Ky.—	
From Indianapolis, Holy Innocents'	\$ 1.00
—For the Woman's Auxiliary Diocesan Missionary.—	
From Lafayette, St. John's	\$ 5.00
From Terre Haute, St. Stephen's	10.00
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	\$ 15.00
—United Offering.—	
Indianapolis, Christ Church	\$ 25.00
Lafayette, St. John's	5.82
Columbus, St. Paul's	1.00
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Total money given	\$102.82
Total boxes	89.00
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Total	\$191.82

KATE S. FRANCIS,
Vice-President Juniors.

