

IOWA BRANCH  
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*to the*  
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FORTY-THIRD ANNUAL SESSION  
of the  
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## **MOTTO:**

“The Love of Christ constraineth Us.”

## **PRAYERS**

### **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, labour diligently, and give liberally to Him known to all nations as their Saviour and their King; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

### **NOON-DAY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS**

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, one God, world without end. Amen.

### **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.

## DIOCESAN INSTITUTIONS

- St. Monica's Home—c/o Deaconess Afleck, Des Moines.  
St. Luke's Hospital—c/o Miss Craig-Anderson, Davenport.  
St. Katherine's School—c/o Sister Superior, Davenport.
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## DIOCESAN OFFICERS — 1930

- Honorary President and Devotional Secretary—Mrs. H. S. Longley, 4200 Grand Ave., Des Moines.  
President—Mrs. Jessie A. Jones, 304 Rocksylvania Ave., Iowa Falls.  
Vice President and Publicity Chairman—Mrs. L. W. Wheeler, 1021 7th Ave. N., Fort Dodge.  
Secretary—Mrs. F. R. Lacy, 1640 Main St., Dubuque.  
Treasurer—Mrs. Lester T. Jackson, 2336 Linden Drive, Cedar Rapids.  
United Thank Offering Custodian—Mrs. V. H. Morgan, 905 S. 6th St., Newton.  
Educational Secretary—Mrs. John Flockhart, 1428 Locust St., Dubuque.  
Christian Social Service Chairman—Mrs. Ernest B. Mounsey, 610 E. Fourth St., Waterloo.  
Isolated Chairman—Miss Alice Bailey, 500 W. Ferguson St., Charles City.  
Church Periodical Club—Mrs. R. A. Nicholson, 409 E. Second St., Newton.  
Supply Secretary—Mrs. A. N. Brown, 210 Ridgewood Ave., Davenport.  
Representative Province of the North-West—Mrs. J. E. Kinney, 737 Corona St., Denver, Colo.
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## DEANERY CHAIRMEN

- Dubuque Deanery ..... Mrs. Charles P. Drew, Marshalltown  
Des Moines Deanery ..... Mrs. Alice McCauley, 203 N. Helen St., Sioux City  
Muscatine Deanery ..... Mrs. G. E. Throde, 1618 River St., Burlington
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(For District and Parish Offices See Back of Book)

## THE MINUTES

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### IOWA BRANCH BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE NATIONAL COUNCIL MONDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1930

The meeting opened at 9:30 A. M. in Trinity Cathedral Parish House, Davenport, with Mrs. Jessie Jones, the president, in the chair.

Prayers were read by Bishop Longley followed by a few words of welcome from the Bishop in which he stressed personal evangelism and the paying in full of quotas.

Roll call showed 51 delegates present, others coming in later.

The President appointed the following committees:—Credentials: Mrs. McLaughlin of Newton, Miss Allen of Des Moines, and Miss Hennigbaum of Davenport. Resolutions: Mrs. C. W. Richards of Dubuque, Mrs. P. C. Shuart of Independence, and Mrs. W. S. D. Lamont of Keokuk. Nominating: Mrs. J. E. Flockhart of Dubuque, Mrs. H. C. Boissier of Cedar Falls, and Mrs. Reed of Des Moines.

The report of the secretary was read and accepted.

The president's annual address was read and accepted with applause.

The president reported on the Corporate Gift saying that Iowa went over the top by Epiphany as did all other Dioceses on the first \$50,000 and that the next \$50,000 of the gift goes to the Advance Work of the National Council and is to be completed before the General Convention of 1931. She also urged that every Branch pay their Corporate Gift pledge as soon as possible.

The report of the treasurer, Mrs. W. M. Cunningham, was read by Mrs. C. L. Ellsworth of Dubuque, the treasurer being absent. The report was ordered accepted and filed.

The pledges were then taken for 1930 from those Branches present.

The report of the Educational Secretary, Mrs. J. E. Flockhart, was read and accepted. This was followed by a short conference on Religious Education conducted by Mrs. Flockhart.

At the request of the president, Mrs. Flockhart also conducted a short conference on Publicity.

A telegram of good wishes was read from the Vice President, Mrs. Wheeler.

The report of the Supply Secretary, Mrs. A. W. Brown, was read by Miss Hennigbaum, the secretary being absent. In her report, the supply secretary especially asked that every Branch appoint a Supply Secretary to work with her. The report was received and ordered filed.

The report of the Church Periodical Correspondent, Mrs. Nicholson, was read by the secretary, Mrs. Nicholson being absent.

The Church Periodical Correspondent again reminded us in her report that we are to receive credit for magazines passed locally—such as to our own library, schools, etc.

Mrs. H. S. Longley, Sr., acting for a committee consisting of herself, Mrs. Wheeler of Ft. Dodge, and Mrs. Hutchins of Burlington, next read a most interesting history of the Woman's Auxiliary in Iowa. The report covered the years from 1913 up to date with the exception of 1914.

Moved by Mrs. Richards of Dubuque, seconded by Mrs. Smith of Clinton that this history be printed in the Journal of the Woman's Apxiliary. Carried.

The report of the Devotional Secretary, Mrs. H. S. Longley, Sr., was read and accepted. In her report, the Devotional Secretary emphasized the following points: That each Branch appoint a Devotional Secretary who is to be responsible for the devotional work of the organization, that each Branch develop better devotional programs at meetings using especially the 17th chapter of St. John at the first meeting of the Branch after the Convention, each Branch to develop Days of Intercession, Quiet Days during Lent and Advent, Prayer Groups, the use of Daily Bible Readings, subscriptions to the Prayer Leaflet, the use of the Sanctuary of Missions in the Spirit of Missions, and the reading of books on prayer. The secretary closed her report with the reading of the noonday prayers.

The offering was next taken for the expenses of the Convention.

During the offering, the president again emphasized the new Diocesan officers: The devotional secretary, Mrs. H. S. Longley, Sr. of Des Moines; the publicity chairman, Mrs. L. W. Wheeler of Ft. Dodge; the secretary for Christian Social Service, Mrs. E. B. Mounsey of Waterloo; and the secretary for the isolated, Miss Alice Bailey of Charles City.

The reports of the various District Meetings were made from the floor.

The amount of the offering—\$16.95—was announced by the president.

The report of the chairman for Christian Social Service, Mrs. E. B. Mounsey was next given. Mrs. Mounsey especially asked that we use the short meditations on the Lord's Prayer by Dean Lathrop.

The report of the U. T. O. was given by Mrs. V. H. Morgan, the treasurer. A total of \$1969.49 was reported for 1929.

The meeting adjourned for lunch.

The meeting re-convened at 2:30 P. M. in the parish house and was opened by prayers read by Father Whitehead of Mason City.

The minutes of the morning session were read and approved.

The Credentials Committee reported a total of 62 present (at the morning session).

The nominating committee reported one nominee for the office of treasurer to fill the unexpired term of the former treasurer. Their choice was Mrs. Leter Jackson of Cedar Rapids.

The president called for nominations from the floor and the name of Mrs. J. F. Kerfoot of Des Moines was presented.

The president appointed Mrs. Boissier and Mrs. Reed as tellers of the election.

Ballots were then taken and Mrs. Jackson received 23 votes, Mrs. Kerfoot 15. The constitution calling for a majority election, Mrs. Jackson was declared the new treasurer for the year 1930.

The following delegates were elected to the Provincial Synod of the Northwest to be held at Miles City, Montana, in the fall of 1930: Mrs. John Flockhart, Mrs. Jessie A. Jones, Mrs. Annis, Mrs. H. G. Prince, Mrs. E. B. Mounsey, Mrs. Griffith,—Alternate Delegates: Mrs. Philbrook, Mrs. W. S. D. Lamont, Mrs. C. O. Lamson, Mrs. J. W. Marsh, Mrs. J. L. Powers.

The president then introduced the Convention speaker, Mrs. E. C. Biller of St. Cloud, Minn., who gave a most inspiring talk on the Church's Program asking us to stress especially the human side of

the program. "The Church's Program," she said, "has failed through a lack of faith and a lack of prayer, back of which lies a lack of knowledge of what the Program is and does. The word 'missions' no longer means the convention of the heathen but the whole program of the Church in all its phases. Our Church stands first in the amount of money we spend on ourselves but we stand 11th in the amount we give for other work."

"In the Negro work of the Church, we find one out of every ten persons in America is a Negro today. That makes the problem a national one."

"In 1928, the United States government spent one million dollars enforcing the Prohibition law among the mountain whites. The Church spent \$4200 on the mountain whites in the same time."

"The foreign-born have a tremendous influence on the lives of the people of America because they have entire control of the theatrical situation in America."

"And so," she said, "the problem becomes not one of dollars and cents but of everyday living and back of the problem lies the question of personal education. If we, as individuals, offer no apology for our work, we will accomplish so much more."

"The average Advance Work of the Church is to be done through the Corporate Gift during the balance of this Triennium. Let us make this work a heart to heart problem. Let us learn the real problem of each worker in the field. And let us keep the dollar sign from hiding the real story. Let us pray for our missionary work at every meeting and make a consecrated effort to pass out information at every meeting of organizations. Let us remember that statistics prove that where the Churches are empty the jails are full. It is a plea for people to be public, professing Christians."

She closed her address by quoting Bishop Cook's address at the General Convention in which he said, "We give, not of ourselves, but of our surplus, not only of money but of our interest, our time, and our prayer."

The offering for the afternoon was then taken and amounted to \$13.23.

The report of St. Monica's Home was then given by Mrs. Devon, following which the Rev. J. D. Griffith, chaplain for the Home, made a plea for Diocesan support of St. Monica's.

The report of St. Katherine's School was given by Sister Esther.

The report of St. Luke's Hospital was given by Miss Craig-Anderson. She mentioned especially the fact that St. Luke's was now affiliated with Machael-Reese Hospital in Chicago.

The Rev. Father Roberts of the Church of St. Mary the Virgin, Keokuk and St. Simon the Cyrenian, Des Moines next addressed the meeting, asking for the continued support of the Auxiliary, inasmuch as plans were under way for the erection of a chapel in Des Moines next fall.

The president spoke for Miss Averill of the Girls' Friendly Society saying that the Girls' Friendly was now a training ground for the Women's Auxiliary.

There was no report for the Daughters of the King.

Miss Alice Bailey reported for the Isolated saying that any Church person who lived where there was no Church was considered a member of the isolated group and asking that Church people visit such members. She also suggested the establishment of a Rest Room in every Church where such isolated might be welcome when in the

city. She asked that the names of all isolated be sent to her from every group in the diocese.

Mrs. LeRoy S. Burroughs reported the following missionaries in the field: Elizabeth Ruby, St. Andrew's Priory, Honolulu; Rev. Merritt Williams, Fort Yukon, Alaska; Arthur Verne Wiggins, Cape Mount, Liberia (teaching in Agricultural School); Wen Ming Ling, Fuchow, China (teacher in Church School there, formerly student at Ames); Rachel Sewell, St. Margaret's School, Tokyo, Japan (now acting head of St. Monica's Home).

The report of the Resolutions committee was read by Mrs. Shuart and the following resolutions were presented: "Whereas, since the last meeting, the Woman's Auxiliary has lost members to the Church in Paradise, we wish to place on record our appreciation of their faithful service and Godly example. We sorrow in this temporary separation from Mrs. Alice Sino of Grace Church, Lyons; Mrs. Lucy Gilbert, Christ Church, Burlington; and Mrs. Nellie Cunningham of Grace Church, Cedar Rapids.

"And, whereas, in the providence of God, the Auxiliary has sustained a very great loss in the passing of our beloved leader and Father in God, Theodore Nevin Morrison, Bishop and Doctor.

"Therefore, be it resolved, that we hold them in loving and grateful memory.

"Rest Eternal, grant to them, O Lord, and let light perpetual shine upon them."

"Be it further resolved: That the Woman's Auxiliary hereby express deep appreciation to the members of Trinity Cathedral Parish for their many kindnesses during this Convention.

Signed

(MRS. C. W.) LORA RICHARDS.

(MRS. P. C.) OLIVE KAY SHUART.

Committee on Resolutions.

The Committee also moved that the Secretary be instructed to send a telegram to Mrs. W. M. Cunningham, the former treasurer, expressing our appreciation for her many years of service to the organization and our regret at her absence from this Convention and at her resignation.

It was moved by Mrs. V. H. Morgan, seconded and carried that the report of the Resolutions Committee be accepted and acted upon at once.

The minutes were then read and approved.

Mrs. Biller rose to her feet and then asked that she be allowed to present a Communion Set to the Rev. Fr. Roberts as he had asked for such help.

The president announced that the report on Missions which was to have been given by Mrs. Longley would appear in the April Issue of the Iowa Churchman.

With closing prayers the meeting adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs. F. R.) Jessie H. Lacy.

Secretary.

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## REPORT OF PRESIDENT

The report of your president for this 43rd Annual Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council brings to mind the

quotation that "the soul of education is repetition." This is my fifth report. There is nothing new to bring to your attention, but if you can see the value of being told about the work of the Auxiliary then this repetition is justified.

In order to do corporate work we must have an organization through which to function. The Woman's Auxiliary is the general woman's organization of the National Church. It functions under the direction of an Executive Board of about 21 members. Eight of these are elected by the eight Provincial Synods. Eight are members at large elected by the Executive Board and five are the heads of the departments of the Auxiliary at Headquarters.

The head of this Executive Board, Miss Grace Lindley, Executive Secretary, meets with and represents us in the National Council, which as you know, is the governing body of the Church, between sessions of the General Convention. That gives us national expression before the governing body of the Church. The Woman's Auxiliary helps on Missionary work throughout the world, and each of the departments of the Auxiliary both directly and through corresponding Diocesan Woman's Auxiliary departments works in this Diocese, and in our own Parish and Community. Thus we carry on in the five fields of Service—Parish, Community, Diocese, National and World. What an inspiring thought to be part of an organization that makes our own work so useful and effective everywhere—at home and abroad. And doubly, triply effective because when united with all of the other Branches of the organization our own little or big efforts become great enough to be a power.

We will begin with the first department and go on through each department of the Woman's Auxiliary.

**First** is Religious Education which we are asked to consider of the most importance of any and to put it first in our endeavors. Rightly so, for who can be interested who is not informed! We have as our Diocesan Secretary of this department Mrs. Flockhart, who is not only capable but willing and anxious to co-operate with each Branch in furthering the work in her department. There is no excuse for failure to understand the work and if each Branch has a working program, as suggested, a new interest will be manifest all along the line.

**Second**, the department of Church Extension, which I have placed second in the Auxiliary arrangement of departments since every one recognizes that the Woman's Auxiliary stands for church extension—Missions—and all of the departments that function in a Missionary capacity. No one has acted as Diocesan Chairman. We work as a Committee of the Whole in Church extension.

**Third**, the department of Christian Social Service. Under the urgent request from Headquarters, we are developing the work of this department in this Diocese. I have appointed Mrs. Ernest Mounsey, Waterloo, as Diocesan Chairman. Mrs. Mounsey is an enthusiastic, conscientious leader. Please co-operate with her by appointing a chairman of Christian Social Service in each Branch and help the work along. The Rev. H. W. Foreman at the Provincial Synod last fall created such enthusiasm for his department of Rural Work that we have asked Miss Alice Bailey to act as chairman in developing, particularly, the work among the Isolated in this Diocese. You will find Miss Bailey actively at work doing all that can be done for this department. The remaining three departments of the National Coun-

cil—Publicity—Finance—Field—will be presented to you today and questions on those departments will be in order that you may have a better understanding of them. We have asked our first vice-president, Mrs. Wheeler of Fort Dodge, to act as chairman of Publicity as Mrs. Soper, the former chairman, has moved from the state.

In addition to the six departments just outlined there are other equally important functions carried only by the Auxiliary. One of these is the United Thank Offering. Our U. T. O. Custodian is very favorably known to all of you. No department of the Auxiliary is better appreciated or has more distinction than the United Thank Offering which has been ably administered by our Diocesan Custodian, Mrs. V. H. Morgan. Another important function is the Supply Box work. Mrs. A. W. Brown, Supply Secretary, has handled a difficult work admirably. We are indebted to her for her self giving service under many distracting duties. The Box Supply brings comfort wherever it is sent and the Missionaries look forward to its cheer and encouragement. The Church Periodical Club is still another function of our work. Mrs. Nicholson, Diocesan Director of C. P. C. still works under a handicap in the Postal Service rates, but she carries on ably, as she knows that the work brings joy to everyone receiving its ministrations. Another function is the Corporate Gift and the Pledges all of which pass through the books of our Diocesan Treasurer, Mrs. Cunningham, whom we will miss hearing this convention, as she is again absent in California. This is her fifteenth year of capable, willing service. I think she will report that all of the pledges have been paid for 1929. The Corporate Gift went over the top at Epiphany, the time appointed by General Convention for the first half—\$50,000.00—to be paid. Our Diocesan share was \$166.67, or  $\frac{1}{3}$  of the \$500.00 pledged by this Diocese for the Triennium.

Our beloved Honorary President, Mrs. Longley, is acting as Devotional Secretary. She is fitted to make this department most helpful in information and inspiration if you will but co-operate with her. Mrs. LeRoy Burroughs, chairman of Missionary Recruits, is developing new work for the Woman's Auxiliary in this Diocese. She is endeavoring to help us all fulfill the last utterance or command of Jesus upon earth—the charter of the Church—"You shall be witnesses unto me, in Jerusalem, Judea, Samaria and unto the uttermost parts of the earth." Our study book this year—"Roads to the City of God"—is a record of the Jerusalem Conference which met to bring about unity among all Christians in carrying out His great purpose for us. "God grant that each of us may help carry the message of the Jerusalem Conference to the people who live around us, until all men everywhere know and love our Lord and Saviour, Jesus Christ."

We have just touched briefly upon the working force in the numerous departments and functions of the Woman's Auxiliary, namely: Religious Education, Church Extension, Christian Social Service, Publicity, Field and Finance, United Thank Offering, Box Supply, Church Periodical Club, Pledges, Corporate Gift, Devotional Secretary, Chairman Missionary Recruits and Chairman of Isolated. What a dynamic force that might be in this Diocese if the Branches and their leaders would become enthusiastic, radiant Christians co-operating under the Power of His Holy Spirit in all of these activities.

The objectives asked of us at the last General Convention in Washington were personal evangelism and the paying of our parish

quotas. They go hand in hand. If we are being led by the Master we will see that this quota is paid. Let us stress these two objectives in our Auxiliary this year.

In my annual report to the Executive Board at Headquarters—"281"—are recorded 50 Branches in this Diocese of 67 Parishes and Missions; in our Woman's Auxiliary Journal we report the Girl's Friendly and the Daughter's of the King, who work under our Diocesan Supply Secretary. Only a part of the Prayer Leaflets subscribed for were reported. The Prayer Leaflet is increasingly working its way into the hearts of many who wish to make intelligent intercessions—to pray for the whole work of the Church with understanding. Our special Missionary work in this Diocese is a scholarship in St. Katherine's School (thanks to Mrs. Watzek); sewing for St. Luke's Hospital, Davenport, and St. Monica's Home; the Bishop's Fund; Bishop Perry Memorial; St. Mary's Virgin, Keokuk, and the Bishop's Emergency Fund.

The special Missionary work we are helping outside of the Diocese is: Alaskan Scholarship, Foreign Mission Insurance, Church's Program, Corporate Gift, United Thank Offering, Box Supply work and this year we gave to St. Luke's Hospital, Tokyo, \$991.30.

The uniting of the Deanery and District Meetings, wherever possible, has seemed for the best as it has resulted in larger numbers and representation and the Church Services of the Deanery have worked for greater interest.

This year your president can report an increase in interest all along the line. Many are sitting up and taking notice and some are sufficiently interested to ask questions. Would that all were like unto you, here, who have come as delegates to this convention. Most of the Branches have followed the new thinking, which is unity in the world at large and the church must get in line, for our modern means of communication have unlimited distances and boundaries and united us in international purposes.

The ideal Auxiliary is all of the women of the parish working for the whole Church in a Guild-Auxiliary or, better yet, as the Branch in Council Bluffs, which has united under the name of Auxiliary, with its different departments functioning every week and a meeting once a month of all of the women. In Newton they have united under the name of Auxiliary-Guild. Last May at Le Mars a new Branch was organized which shows increasing interest as time goes on.

You were represented at the Provincial Synod of the Northwest at Ottumwa by four delegates: Mrs. Longley, Mrs. Cunningham, Mrs. Mounsey and your president. The Provincial Synod of the Sixth Province carried a motion that every Auxiliary Branch observe All Saints Day as a day of Intercession. We, in this Diocese, have two Corporate Communions at the presentation of the United Thank Offering the first Sunday in May and the first Sunday in November. If all of the Branches observe these motions we would have 100 Corporate Communions and 50 Branches praying in one Day of Intercessions on All Saints Day. Your Branch Devotional Secretary, if you would but have one, could develop an attractive and inspiring day of Intercessions for each Branch. Many Branches have a chairman of Publicity whose duty it is to procure subscriptions to the "Spirit of Missions" and other Church papers. Some Branches have failed to appoint one. The new chairman of Christian Social Service can best be helped by having a chairman in each Branch appointed.

If any communicant is active in the Community Social Service work she would make a good chairman.

Your President's activities, outside of the regular routine work of the office, have been as follows: Edited the Woman's Auxiliary page in the Iowa Church; addressed the joint meeting of the four Auxiliaries in Des Moines; was the speaker at the Council Bluffs District Meeting which was well attended and an inspiring meeting, as the president, Mrs. Schoentgen has a live all-women-of-the-parish Auxiliary; was the speaker for the large Sioux City District Meeting where all of the Branches and several other towns were represented in the attendance; and organized an Auxiliary at Le Mars; later one at Anamosa; was the speaker at a united Dubuque Deanery and four Districts Meeting at Independence, reporting the Provincial Synod for the Deanery meeting of the clergy; was the speaker at Iowa City's opening meeting in the fall; presided at the joint meeting of the Diocesan Board, Deanery and District chairmen in Des Moines; attended the Provincial Synod at Ottumwa as a delegate; in 1929 wrote 481 letters.

In closing, these suggestions seem urgent: Do please, review the Woman's Auxiliary Journal at the first meeting after receiving it. Look for it and keep it for reference. Fill out the Parish blanks sent to you, by the Diocesan Secretary at the close of the fiscal year, with names and addresses of all of your officers. Appoint a chairman of Religious Education, U. T. O. Custodian, Christian Social Service Chairman, C. P. C. Chairman of Publicity, and Devotional Secretary. Pay your pledges as early as possible. Co-operate with all of the Diocesan officers, who are voluntary workers in His Kingdom. Let us be radiant, happy Christians this year.

"At first we obey the call, 'Come unto me.' Then as we follow, His grace and comfort, His pardon and peace, become a part of our life. It is the infinite mercy and love of God which surrounds us. He walks with us. His truth sustains us. His promises satisfy us. The thought of Him 'with sweetness fills the breast'."

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE A. JONES.

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## REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

FROM JANUARY 1, 1929 TO JANUARY 1, 1930

Your Educational Secretary is thankful to be able to report progress in the Educational work during this past year. Four years ago, when I assumed this office, it was difficult for me to find a Branch desiring help or information on the Educational work. Whatever was done in the way of such work depended largely on the vision of the Branch president, plus a certain responsibility borne in the minds of the members that "mission study must be done." It seems now to be no longer a case of "must." It has come to be a privilege which every active member thoroughly enjoys.

During the past year my mail has contained an almost ceaseless demand for suggestions, for programs, for program helps, for topics, for books, for free literature, for information, etc., and the Branch not asking for these various things has come to be the unusual Branch rather than the one asking, as formerly.

Last year saw a very decided growth in the number of Branches purchasing the study book for the year. In 1928 I received orders for 63 books from all of the Branches. In 1929 this number increased to 107—or almost double the amount—and not all of the Branches purchased through me. Many other books have been used also—the Bible, the Prayerbook, the General Church Program, Church Histories, etc.—but the bulk of the study work has been on the book suggested and, the fact that it was so generally used, marks a step forward in co-operation between the Branches and the National Council. It also shows an increase in the number of individuals who realize and appreciate the value, to their own personal education, of studying the material as suggested by the National Council.

Apart from actual study classes most Branches have done educational work through program meetings, and several have had bible classes or missionary plays and, in a growing number, parish libraries, or bookshelves, are springing up. A very general source of Educational work is in the use of Current Church Events at every meeting and this plan too has been quite generally adopted.

May I again call to your attention the splendid Educational work being done at St. Luke's, Cedar Falls. Also, in St. Thomas', Algona and in St. Paul's, Marshalltown. And one of the best programs for the Guild-Auxiliary combination that I have seen comes from St. Luke's, Des Moines.

During 1929 your Educational Secretary has attended the Diocesan Convention, addressed two District meetings, addressed two parish Branches, attended the Gearhart Summer School at Gearhart, Oregon, and was present at the Provincial Synod but called home by the illness and death of her Mother.

I again served as the representative of the National Council at the Christian Student Conference in Hollister, Mo., and I also served as the Educational Secretary for the Woman's Auxiliary in the Province.

I have sent out four circular letters and one circular report, filled order for 107 books, mailed out six sets of free literature, drawn up programs for eight parish Branches, written articles regularly for the Iowa Churchman, published a Suggested Program of Study and mailed the same to every Branch, and I have written 719 personal letters and post cards.

One of the greatest needs of our Iowa Branches is for trained leadership. The most inexpensive and thorough training which the Church affords today is at the Summer Conferences. Every Branch ought to endeavor to send one representative to a Conference this year with the definite understanding that such a person will assume the leadership of the study class on her return. The cost of such a Conference is very small and a wise investment for every alert auxiliary.

May I close by saying that your copy of the Suggested Program of Study will reach you in the early fall. This will give you the basis of our study work for the year and should be supplemented with your own Branch Program or Year-book. Such a program will create interest and awaken responsibility, and lay a foundation for systematic progress as well.

Let us pray earnestly that Christ will enlarge our vision for His Kingdom so that no task will be too small for us, and that we will gladly "walk in lowly paths of service free" in order to do His will.

*Respectfully submitted—  
(Mrs. J. E.) Eunice Evelyn Flockhart.*

## CHRISTIAN SOCIAL SERVICE REPORT AT CONVENTION

MRS. E. B. MOUNSEY

Of the 40 Branches who received questionnaires in 1929, 20 replied. Some were doing some phase of Christian Social Service work, others not any. Some seemingly didn't know what it was all about, so in my last circular letter to the Branches I enclosed a very definite outline of work that would apparently fit into any Auxiliary whether large or small.

This outline contained suggestions for Christian Social Service work in the Parish, Community and Diocese. In the Parish we should have the study of Christian Social Service as part of the Auxiliary program. For part of that study I'd suggest the little pamphlet "Short Meditations on the Lord's Prayer" by Dean Lathrop.

Then there is a course in the "Church School Christian Nurture Series called "The Christian and the Community." This is a senior class text book but could well be adapted for Auxiliary study.

The Christian Social Service Department of the National Council suggests observing the third Sunday after Epiphany as Christian Social Service Sunday, with corporate communion and special prayers.

Included in parish work is the taking care of the needy and shut-ins.

For Christian Social Service Work in the Community we have the jail, poor house, orphanage, county homes and the destitute of the city. It is well to work through the local Social Welfare League to prevent over-lapping of work. I would suggest having one of their workers talk to your Auxiliary Guild and she will be able to tell you how your different groups can best render their services.

Christian Social Service Work in the Diocese includes work for St. Monica's Training School for Girls and St. Luke's Hospital. By writing to these institutions you will obtain a list of things they greatly need.

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## REPORT OF ISOLATED WORK IN IOWA

FEBRUARY 7, 1930

When your Auxiliary President asked me to take up this work, the one thing I thought of was HOW TO BEGIN?

Writing to Headquarters in New York, I was told—First, to make an Ecclesiastical map of the Diocese, marking the locations of the isolated. Next, to get a mailing list from Diocesan headquarters. I received a list of 367 names. Startled, I wrote Mrs. Jones at once. Also surprised, Mrs. Jones said, "Send out that first letter, but don't do anything more till after Convention." So I must make this report on account of what we hope to do.

The first—introductory, informative letter was the third thing N. H. advised. I included every item of interest I could think of, had the letter mimeographed and sent it out Jan. 15th.

I have had 67 replies from those 367 letters. They will have another chance though when the others are started on their work. People get used to being without Church (some do) as a man loses his hunger after fasting several days. After Convention I shall send out enrollment blanks to those who have written and they may enroll for S. S.; or Confirmation Instruction; or adult study on "Church

"History," "Church Symbols and Customs," "History of the Prayer-Book." Over a dozen suggestions for study are listed. They may enroll for books from the loaning library, for just the cost of postage.

The S. S. lessons and Confirmation Instructions, will be by POST. Also the study classes.

In the East, this work has been developed wonderfully already. It's possibilities are boundless.

If a "Rural G. F. S." why not "Rural Auxiliaries?" Where several families are living in the same town, or near each other, why shouldn't they meet together for their S. S. lessons or study work?—Thus—a nucleus for a parish? Isn't that how they usually begin?

How can the Auxiliary help?

As the work grows Departments will be necessary, with Chairmen for each. Where can these be found? Will members of the Auxiliary volunteer for work? Then when necessity arrives, time will not be lost.

Some are familiar with S. S. work, and understand it's methods. Others are informed upon "History of the Church," "Symbols and Customs," "History of the Prayer-Book," ets., etc., and their knowledge would be invaluable.

So very many of the answer I've received are from English people. Away from the Church—they are unhappy, really miserable. "Nothing takes it's place." "We want it." They are all delighted that the Church has started this work.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY ALICE BAILEY,

Chairman.

## REPORT OF DIOCESAN TREASURER

Jan. 1st, 1929 to Jan. 1st, 1930

	Cr.	Dr.	Balance
Church's Program .....	\$ 985.00	\$ 985.00	\$
Bishop's Fund .....	100.00	100.00	
St. Mary's Colored Church, Keokuk .....	100.00	100.00	
Bishop Perry Memorial Room .....	40.00	40.00	
Current Expense .....	264.00	206.41	57.59
Foreign Mission Insurance .....	50.00	50.00	
Alaskan Scholarship, Tartella Hall .....	210.00	200.00	10.00
Educational Fund .....	242.58	143.87	98.71
Bishop's Emergency Fund .....	72.00	72.00	
Corporate Gift .....	397.50	397.50	
Ames Church Fund .....	15.30	15.30	
St. Luke's International Hos., Tokyo .....	89.50	89.50	
St. Monica's Home, Des Moines .....	19.70	19.70	
Iowa University Student .....	10.00	10.00	
Bethany School, Liberia .....	10.00	10.00	
	\$2,605.58	\$2,439.28	\$ 166.30
		166.30	
	\$2,605.58	\$2,605.58	

RECEIVED FROM PARISH BRANCHES  
Jan. 1, 1929—Jan. 1, 1930

Ames	\$ 40.00
Burlington	151.00
Cedar Falls	15.00
Cedar Rapids—Grace	30.00
Cedar Rapids—St. John's	66.00
Council Bluffs	165.00
Davenport—Trinity Cathedral	309.50
Des Moines—St. Andrew's	20.00
Des Moines—St. Luke's	82.00
Des Moines—St. Mark's	50.00
Des Moines—St. Paul's	230.00
Dubuque	148.00
Emmetsburg	18.00
Estherville	23.50
Fort Dodge	59.00
Fort Madison	25.00
Independence	45.00
Iowa City	45.00
Iowa Falls	31.00
Keokuk	150.00
Marshalltown	58.00
Mason City	50.00
Muscatine	72.00
Newton	25.00
Oskaloosa	11.00
Ottumwa	110.00
Sioux City—St. Paul's	60.00
Sioux City—St. Thomas	35.00
Waterloo—Christ	55.00
Waterloo—St. Mark's	40.00
Waverly	5.00
Miscellaneous	88.95
	\$2,452.95
Balance in Treasury Jan. 1	152.63
	\$2,605.58

CURRENT EXPENSE FUND

Received from Branches	\$264.00
Disbursed—	
Journals	\$ 99.00
Stationary	9.00
Executive Board N. Y.	5.00
Provincial Synod Dues	5.00
President's Expense Account	65.53
Secretary's Expense Account	8.00
Treasurer's Expense Account	11.56
C. P. C. Secretary's Expense Account	1.70
Box Secretary	2.62
Balance in Fund	57.59
	\$264.00
MRS. W. M. CUNNINGHAM,	\$264.00
Diocesan Treasurer.	

## PARISH REPORTS

JANUARY 1, 1929 TO DECEMBER 31, 1929

	Women in Parish	Women Auxiliary	Parish	Community	Diocese	Nation	World
Ames .....	54	20	\$	\$	\$	1	\$ 28.50
Burlington .....		61			7.00		
Cedar Falls .....	40	25		1.00	15.50	1	
Cedar Rapids (St. John's) .....	90	25					
Clinton .....	150	12					
Creston .....	25	24					
Davenport .....	12	9					90.00
Des Moines (St. Luke's) .....	150	48	9.00		44.00		
Des Moines (St. Paul's) .....	250	15		8.50	12.50		264.00
Des Moines (St. Mark's) .....	59	59					
Denison .....	9	9					
Dubuque .....	162	31					10.00
Emmetsburg .....	32	20					4.01
Ft. Dodge (Afternoon) .....	109	8			59.00		
Ft. Dodge (Evening) .....	109	14			15.00		5.00
Ft. Madison .....	72	6			10.00		5.00
Harlan .....	45	45					
Independence .....	51	14			5.00		
Iowa City .....	64	30					
Iowa Falls .....	35	28					
Keokuk .....	120	22			15.00	32	
Marshalltown .....	130	34	6.25		65.00		10.00
Muscatine .....	130	28			19.00		
Newton .....	38	33			5.00		7.00
Sioux City (St. Paul's) .....							
Sioux City (St. Thomas') .....	300	29			20.00		
Sioux City (Calv. Chapel) .....	33	17	5.00	5.00			
Waterloo (Christ) .....	150	75			1.00	1	3.00
Waterloo (St. Mark's) .....	52	8	4.50		31.72		
Waverly .....	30	20	5.93				
Oskaloosa .....	60	25		3.50			
<b>TOTALS .....</b>	<b>2,561</b>	<b>794</b>	<b>\$ 30.68</b>	<b>\$ 18.00</b>	<b>\$324.72</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>\$427.31</b>

## PLEDGES FOR 1930

	Church Program	Bishop's Fund	St. Mary's, Keokuk	Bishop Perry Memorial	Current Expense	Foreign Missions Ins.	Alaskan Scholarship	Educational Fund	Bishop's Emergency	Total	Advance Work
Ames	\$ 10.00	1	1	1	3	\$ 1.00	2	\$ 1.00		20.00	\$ 1.00
Burlington	67.50	5	6	2	18	3.50	15	13.00	5	135.00	5.00
Cedar Falls	8.00	1	1	1	2	1.00	1	1.00		16.00	3.00
Cedar Rapids (Grace)	20.00	1		1	6	1.00	6	3.00	2	40.00	5.00
Cedar Rapids (St. John's)	30.00	2	2	1	9	2.00	6	4.00	4	60.00	6.00
Charles City				1	2	1.00		1.00		5.00	
Clinton (Grace)	37.50	6	4	1	15	2.50		8.00		75.00	5.00
Clinton (St. John's)	20.00	2		1	6	2.00	4	3.00	2	40.00	5.00
Council Bluffs	63.00	6	8		16	2.00	14	8.00	8	125.00	35.00
Davenport (Trinity)	93.00	10	17	3	23	4.00	20	13.00	2	185.00	20.00
Des Moines (St. Andrews')	10.00	1			4		1	3.00	1	20.00	2.00
Des Moines (St. Luke's)	40.00	3	1	1	11	2.00	10	7.00	5	80.00	8.00
Des Moines (St. Mark's)	2.50	2		1	5	1.00	5	5.50	2	45.00	5.00
Des Moines (St. Paul's)	100.00	18	16	4	20	5.00	18	10.00	9	200.00	25.00
Dubuque	50.00	5	7	3	10	1.00	14	5.00	5	100.00	10.00
Ehmetzburg	20.00	2	3	1	5	1.00	3	3.00	2	40.00	4.00
Estherville	5.00			1	2			1.00		9.00	1.00
Ft. Dodge	27.00	2	3	1	7		2	3.00	1	20.00	5.00
Ft. Madison	10.00	1				3		2	3.00	1	20.00
Independence	20.00	2	3	1	5	2.00	3	3.00	1	40.00	5.00
Iowa City	20.00	3	2	1	5	2.00	2	3.00	2	40.00	5.00
Iowa Falls	13.00	2	2		3		3	2.00	1	26.00	5.00
Keokuk	30.00	3	4	2	7	2.00	7	5.00		60.00	10.00
Marshalltown	30.00	3	2	2	10	2.00	4	4.00	3	60.00	10.00
Mason City	20.00	2	3	1	3	2.00	3	4.00	2	40.00	10.00
Muscatine	15.00	2	1	1	4	1.00	4	3.00		31.00	5.00
Newton	10.00	1	1	1	2	1.00	3	1.00		20.00	5.00
Oskaloosa	3.00		1	1	1	1.00	3	1.00		11.00	3.00
Ottumwa	25.00	2	1	1	6	1.00	10	3.00	1	50.00	5.00
Sioux City (St. Paul's)	18.00	1	1	1	4	1.00	5	3.00	1	35.00	5.00
Sioux City (St. Thomas')	50.00	7	6	2	11	2.00	12	4.00	6	100.00	10.00
Waterloo (Christ)	25.00	1	3	2	6	2.00	5	4.00	2	50.00	5.00
Waterloo (St. Mark's)	18.00	2	1		5	1.00	4	2.00	2	35.00	5.00
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>\$937.50</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>236</b>	<b>\$ 50.00</b>	<b>195</b>	<b>\$139.50</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>\$1,873.00</b>	<b>\$239.00</b>

**REPORT OF ALL MONEY GIVEN AND WORK DONE**

**Except**

**UNITED THANK OFFERING, PLEDGES**

**AND BOX QUOTA**

**193.....**

**Women in Parish .....**

**Women in Auxiliary .....**

**For Parish .....**

**For Community .....**

**For Diocese .....**

**For Nation .....**

**For World .....**

**FORM OF PARISH REPORT TO BE USED AFTER 1930**

# Iowa Branch of the Womans Auxiliary

—To—

## The National Council

Parish ..... City .....

Year Beginning January 1, 1930, ending December 31, 1930

Officers for 193.....

President .....

Address .....

Secretary .....

Address .....

Treasurer .....

Address .....

United Thank Offering Custodian .....

Address .....

Religious Education, Chairman .....

Address .....

Christian Social Service, Chairman .....

Address .....

Box Supply, Chairman .....

Address .....

Church Periodical Club, Correspondent .....

Address .....

Devotional, Chairman .....

Address .....

OVER

## UNITED THANK OFFERING

### REPORT OF THE DIOCESAN CUSTODIAN

TO CLOSE OF BUSINESS FEBRUARY 1, 1930

#### Receipts

Cash on Hand, January 15, 1929	\$ 100.36
Cash from Parish Custodians	1,969.49
Interest	14.96
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$2,084.81</b>

#### Disbursements

Printing and Postage	\$ 10.97
Expenses to Convention and Board Meetings	21.50
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$ 32.47</b>
Balance on Hand, February 1, 1930	<b>\$2,052.34</b>

#### COLLECTIONS FROM PARISH CUSTODIANS

SINCE JANUARY 15, 1929

Algona	\$ 4.00
Ames	23.40
Boone	5.00
Burlington	113.32
Cedar Falls	18.10
Cedar Rapids, (Grace)	57.18
Cedar Rapids, (St. John's)	130.30
Chariton	
Charles City	
Clinton	26.31
Council Bluffs	36.41
Creston	11.79
Davenport	177.96
Des Moines, (St. Andrew's)	13.00
Des Moines, (St. Luke's)	59.33
Des Moines, (St. Mark's)	23.15
Des Moines, (St. Paul's)	301.68
Dubuque	96.32
Emmetsburg	26.13
Estherville	6.05
Fort Dodge (Afternoon and Evening Sections)	44.52
Fort Madison	11.04
Harlan	5.00
Independence	25.77
Iowa City	80.00
Iowa Falls	16.50
Keokuk	46.60
Keokuk, (St. Mary's the Virgin)	2.85
Lyons	17.81
Marshalltown	72.84
Mason City	27.50
Montrose	20.80

Muscatine .....	26.05
Newton .....	56.37
Oskaloosa .....	43.85
Ottumwa .....	53.61
Sac City .....	8.00
Sioux City, (St. Paul's) .....	20.45
Sioux City, (St. Thomas') .....	80.37
Sioux City, (Morningside) .....	12.40
Waterloo, (St. Mark's) .....	57.25
Waterloo, (Christ's) .....	85.88
Waverly .....	9.25
Vail .....	8.58
Girls' Friendly .....	7.00

Total ..... \$1,969.49

43 Parishes have made offerings. I have sent boxes and leaflets to one new auxiliary, have sent 349 Blue Boxes, one hundred eighty-six letters and one hundred fifty postcards. I have attended two board meetings and made one visit to Davenport.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. V. H. MORGAN,  
United Thank Offering Custodian.

## REPORT OF THE SUPPLY SECRETARY

### IOWA BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE NATIONAL COUNCIL

#### Value of the Boxes Shipped in 1929

Algona—\$35.45 new, \$16.50 old .....	\$ 52.10
Ames .....	15.00
Burlington .....	42.05
Cedar Falls .....	23.66
Cedar Rapids, (St. John's) .....	14.26
Clinton—\$21.15 and \$47.07—2 boxes .....	69.22
Council Bluffs .....	89.07
Davenport .....	150.00
Denison .....	6.00
Des Moines, (St. Luke's) .....	18.60
Des Moines, (St. Paul's) .....	100.00
Fort Dodge—\$29.70 new, \$7.15 old .....	36.85
Iowa City .....	56.90
Iowa Falls .....	12.56
Independence .....	24.52
Marshalltown .....	5.00
Mason City—\$16.87 new, \$25.80 old .....	42.67
Muscatine—\$13.70 new, \$16.50 old .....	30.20
Newton .....	6.75
Oskaloosa .....	34.86
Sac City .....	7.92
Sioux City, (St. Thomas') .....	37.12
Waterloo, (Christ) .....	42.15

Waverly .....	10.88
Waterloo, (St. Mark's) .....	55.40
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Daughters of the King, St. Lukes Church, Des Moines.....	\$984.56
Girls' Friendly .....	71.74
	56.29
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	\$1,112.59

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. A. W. BROWN,  
Supply Secretary for Iowa.

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### GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

Council Bluffs .....	\$ 17.00
Lyons .....	6.23
Mt. Pleasant .....	8.46
Muscatine .....	9.15
Sioux City, (St. Thomas) .....	15.45
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	\$ 56.29

MISS LETTICE KENNEDY.

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### DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

Inasmuch Chapter—St. Luke's—Des Moines.....	\$71.74
MRS. J. L. WALLINGFORD.	

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### WHERE THE BOXES WERE SENT IN 1929

Personals—

Ven. Milo Goodall, Rice Lake, Wisconsin.  
Rev. James Henry King, Forrest City, Ark.  
Rev. H. P. J. Selinger, St. Albans Mission, McCook, Neb.  
Rev. Frank Wankazoo, Naytahwaush, Minn.  
Miss Mary A. Stubbs, Mission Home, Va.

Missions—

Gilfillan Mission (Mr. William Losh) Bena, Minn.  
Epiphany Mission (Deac. Lucy N. Carter) Moapa, Nev.  
Morgantown Mission (Rev. Leroy A. Jahn) Morgantown, N. C.  
Christ Church (Mrs. Georgia L. Campbell) Charlestown, West Va.

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### REPORT OF THE WORK FOR THE DIOCESAN INSTITUTIONS

#### ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL

Des Moines .....	\$70.00
Waverly .....	8.45
Sioux City, St. Thomas') .....	35.00

#### ST. MONICA'S HOME

Algona .....	Comforter
Davenport, Daughters of the King.....	\$10.00
Lyons.....	Comforter, 12 dish towels

REPORT NOT SENT THROUGH THE SUPPLY SECRETARY  
 Dubuque, a box to Eastern Oregon.....\$36.00  
 Lyons.....A box South

Please do not accept work that is not sent through the Supply  
 Secretary.

MRS. A. W. BROWN.

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**ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF CHURCH  
 PERIODICAL CLUB**

Number of Periodicals sent regularly .....	74
Number of Donors .....	46
Number of Bibles, Testaments, etc. ....	5
Number of Prayer Books and Hymnals.....	80
Number of Magazines and Papers.....	16
Number of Christmas and Easter Cards.....	1,430
Number of Picture Cards and Calendars (1 box, 80 lbs.)	
Number of Carols, Music, etc. ....	3
Local .....	23
 Total .....	1,685
Postage for the Year .....	\$2.03
Credit by Check Sept. 22, 1929 .....	.80
 Balance Due .....	\$1.23

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. R. A. NICHOLSON,  
 409 E. Sec. St. N., Newton, Ia.

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**A HISTORY OF THE IOWA BRANCH OF THE  
 WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE NATIONAL  
 COUNCIL**

FROM 1913 TO 1930

The first meeting of the Iowa Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council—then called the Iowa Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions—was held in Burlington May 15, 1888. Mrs. Samuel Watson of Iowa City was President and Mrs. Elizabeth Roch of Cedar Rapids, Secretary.

1913. There seem to be no existing records available until 1913.

Mrs. Charlotte B. Arthur president having finished five years of service. At the Diocesan meeting, Mrs. J. W. Watzek of Davenport was elected President. Mrs. Arthur followed the Presidency of Miss Susann Weare a very much beloved leader who passed to the Higher Life within this year 1913. The outstanding feature of 1913 was the "Iowa Idea" which will explain itself in the following resolution. "The Iowa Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions endorses the 'Iowa Idea' which suggests the sending of money as a substitute for the boxes formerly sent to missionaries, excepting in such cases where a missionary expresses his preference for a box, or where a Parish Branch is unable to make such substitute. The sum of money substituted shall represent the money value placed

upon the box, and shall be known as a supplementary stipend fund. Wherefore: We the Iowa Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary agree to discontinue from the time of this annual Diocesan Convention, May 26, 1913, placing a value on the boxes sent out by the Diocesan Branch." This resolution was presented at General Convention and brought forth considerable discussion, although finally lost. Miss Alice French was one of the delegates to carry this resolution to General Convention. In 1913 Miss Julia Emery and Miss Grace Lindley held a three days Institute in Des Moines for the instruction of members of the Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. In 1913 a beloved member, Sarah Swazey Morrison passed to the Life Eternal. Mrs. Morrison was Honorary President of the Auxiliary and wife of our Bishop. A great loss was sustained by her death.

1914. Records of 1914 missing.

1915. Mrs. J. W. Watzek, of Davenport, President. The outstanding visitor to the Auxiliary in 1915 was Bishop Biller of South Dakota. At the Diocesan Convention Mrs. Watzek asked that we still continue our efforts toward the completion of the Sarah Swazey Morrison Memorial.

1916. Mrs. J. W. Watzek, President. In the minutes of the Diocesan Convention of the Auxiliary was an interesting item, namely, a resolution to send twelve dollars which had been in the Tama Indian Fund for years to Miss Holmes at Santee Indian Agency in South Dakota. At this Convention \$300.00 was sent to an Indian Priest—Rev. Mr. Burt—in South Dakota, which amount was half the cost of an automobile, which Bishop Biller said Mr. Burt needed in order to continue his work successfully. Rev. Mr. Burt died before using the car—but knew of the gift. Bishop Biller also passed to the Life Eternal in 1915. During these years the dreadful World War was raging. Mrs. Watzek said there was increased interest in the work of the Auxiliary even though hearts were anxious over the war abroad and our own problems.

1917. Mrs. Watzek, President. The year 1917 was marked by the "Pilgrimage of Prayer" a movement started by Miss Julia Emery on the Atlantic Coast and going on its way to the Pacific Coast. Miss Emery resigned as Executive Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary, and was succeeded by Miss Grace Lindley.

1918. Mrs. Harry S. Longley, President. Mrs. Biller, widow of Bishop Biller, was sent to us from the Church Missions House to aid our Auxiliary with its problems. Deaconess Hargreaves who gave her life in the service of Missions at Baguio also visited the Auxiliary. During 1918 a memorial was given for Miss Marian Crandall a beloved teacher at St. Katharine's School, who was killed during service in France.

1919. Mrs. Longley, President. In 1919 an effort was put forth by the National Council to arouse people to greater interest in the extension of Christ's Kingdom known as the "Advent Call." A resolution was passed at the Diocesan meeting that the president of the Auxiliary shall be elected for three years at the annual meeting next preceding General Convention. Your President asked Miss Lindley if Iowa might memorialize General Convention to have Secretaries in the Field. It is not reported whether Iowa may have had the distinction of first suggesting Field Secretaries in the work of the Woman's Auxiliary, or whether the suggestion may have already been made. At any rate we have Field Secretaries and they bring

great help and knowledge of the Auxiliary work to the Diocesan Branches.

1920. Mrs. A. B. Grenier, President. Miss Frances Withers of the Staff at the Church Missions House visited the Auxiliary this year, explaining in full the Auxiliary work as set forth at the last General Convention. Mrs. Simon Casady recommended that the work "Thank" be inserted between the words "United" and "Offering." This was done in accordance with a resolution passed at the last General Convention. Bishop Rowe asked the Auxiliary to increase its pledge of \$100.00 to \$200.00 which was gladly done. 1920 marked another effort of the Church to interest people in the Missions of the Church, yes—in the Mission of the Church—called "The Nation Wide Campaign." Bishop Longley urged the completion of the Sara Swazey Morrison Memorial before the twenty-fifth anniversary of Bishop Morrison's consecration. An interesting motion recorded this year was one requesting that Women be allowed a seat in Diocesan Convention.

1921. Mrs. Grenier, President. In 1921 the work of the Auxiliary was extended to include Religious Education and Christian Social Service. Among those who passed to the Higher Life during 1921 was Miss Caroline Dysart of Dubuque, a faithful member and earnest worker in the Auxiliary.

1922. Mrs. Grenier, President. During 1922 Miss Julia Emery who had been Executive Secretary of the Auxiliary for many years prior to her resignation in 1917, passed to the Life Eternal. Bishop Morrison asked at the Diocesan Convention that our Journal include reports of other Women's Diocesan organizations. A resolution was so passed. Miss Ridgeway of Alaska visited some branches of the Auxiliary in 1922.

1923. Mrs. Grenier, President. A memorial to our late Presiding Bishop, Bishop Tuttle, was voted at the last General Convention in October, 1922. Iowa had a share in this memorial which is to be two houses for those in training for missionary work. One in New York and one in Raleigh, North Carolina, for colored workers. At our Diocesan Convention Bishop Longley urged the members of the Auxiliary to do at least one thing in each of the fields of service, namely, the Parish, Community, Diocese—National and World.

1923. Mrs. Grenier, President. At the last Triennial the name of the Auxiliary was changed from the name of "The Woman's Auxiliary to the Presiding Bishop and Council" to "The Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council." Miss Frances Merrill, a member of St. Luke's Church, Des Moines went into the misison field at Boone University. Mrs. Simon Casady, a faithful member of the Auxiliary, passed to the Life Eternal in 1923.

1924. Mrs. Grenier, President. This year marks the twenty-fifth anniversary to the Episcopate of Bishop Morrison. Our Woman's Auxiliary went on record as voting for the Peace Award offered by Mr Bok. "The Japanese Emergency Fund" was brought up for consideration at the annual meeting of the Auxiliary. A fund to aid the missionaries in Japan who had cabled after the earthquake, that they had lost everything but faith in God.

1925. Mrs. Grenier, President. A Diocesan Young People's Fellowship Service League was organized at the Diocesan Convention in 1925.

1926. Mrs. Louis Jones, President. Miss Pauline Flint a former

missionary to China from Iowa addressed the annual meeting. A resolution was passed that the members of the Woman's Auxiliary attend a corporate communion service the first Sunday in May, and the first Sunday in November, and present their United Thank Offering. Mrs. Taber from the Church Missions House, one of the Field Secretaries, visited branches of the Auxiliary in 1926. 1926 was marked by the organization of Districts, subdivisions of the Deaneries, in order that meetings being held in these districts, more women, who are more or less isolated in relation to the Church's work, might be reached and be brought into contact with the work of the Women of the Church. Bishop Morrison commended this work.

1927. Mrs. Jones, President. Miss Edna Beardsley, Field Secretary, visited District meetings in 1927. At the Diocesan meeting emphasis was laid on "The Message" of the Woman's Auxiliary, which was a communication sent to the National Council stating the Auxiliary would stand back of the Church's Program and offer our prayers and intercessions, for the Church's work in the world. "The Bishops' Crusade" was held in 1927 in many parishes, an evangelistic effort to arouse church people, to their duty in the extension of Christ's Kingdom.

1928. Mrs. Jones, President. Miss Boyer, Field Secretary, visited the Auxiliary in 1928. Mrs. Jones laid emphasis upon the fact that the Auxiliary is not an organization of women by themselves, but an Auxiliary to the official family of the Church, the National Council. Mrs. Elizabeth Roch, a charter member of the Auxiliary passed to her life in Paradise after celebrating her 100th birthday, 1929. The exact date of the passing to the Higher Life of Miss Lucy Gilbert, a devoted soul in the service of her Master, especially in the work of the Church in Iowa, is not known, and we wish to recall her in loving memory.

1929. Mrs. Jones, President. Two more missionaries from Iowa are in the Field. Miss Fern Fitzsimmons of Ft. Dodge, and Mr. Arthur Wiggins of Ames, 1929 brought the completion of the Sarah Swazey Morrison Memorial by J. W. Watzek, who had the honor of starting the memorial, and has given of her strength and means to bring it to a reality. It is a scholarship at St. Katharine's School for children of clergymen. We feel very grateful to Mrs. Watzek who completed the memorial while dear Bishop Morrison was with us. During these years we have had with our faithful Diocesan workers, Sister Esther of St. Katharine's School, Deaconess Wurtz and Deaconess Affleck of St. Monica's Home, and Miss Craig-Anderson of St. Luke's Hospital. In 1929, Dec. 27th, our beloved Bishop Morrison passed to the Life in Paradise. We shall miss him in our midst, a wise counselor and a loving friend, one who always inspired us to greater efforts in our work to help extend Christ's Kingdom here upon earth. May his soul rest in Peace and may he grow in the love and service of His Heavenly Father.

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## THE NINTH ANNUAL CONVENTION OF THE G. F. S.

IN DAVENPORT, IOWA, FEB. 8, 1930.

The Ninth Annual Convention of the Girls' Friendly Society in Iowa, was held in the parish house, Trinity Cathedral, Feb. 8, 1930.

Since neither the President nor Vice President were able to be present, it was moved by Miss Kennedy, that Miss Averill, National

Field Secretary for Province No. 6, presided. The motion was carried. As Bishop Longley was detained, the service was led by Mrs. Loomis.

The seven members present acted as a nominating committee. The following slate of officers was presented:

President.....Mrs. S. P. Zwemer, Sioux City, Iowa  
Vice President.....Miss Hannah Bick, Council Bluffs, Iowa  
Secretary and Treasurer.....Miss Helen Gooch, Sioux City, Iowa

#### HEADS OF DEPARTMENTS

Activities	Miss Pauline Larsen, Council Bluffs, Iowa
Finance	Mrs. Lee P. Loomis, Mason City, Iowa
Membership	Mrs. E. W. Biddinger, Rock Rapids, Iowa
Organization	Miss Helen Gooch, Sioux City, Iowa
Publicity	Miss Bessie Sorenson, Clinton, Iowa

#### CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEES

Service to Church and Mission	Miss Lettice Kennedy, Muscatine, Ia.
Social Service	Mrs. C. L. Armstrong, Waterloo, Iowa
Candidates	Miss Blanche Thorson, Mt. Pleasant, Iowa

It was recommended that we have Members At Large to recognize those interested in G. F. S. The following names were suggested:

Mrs. Leedham  
Mrs. Shepard  
Mrs. Lyons  
Mrs. Peirce  
Mrs. Gibson  
Mrs. Jones  
Mrs. Nellie Potter

It was moved and seconded that the Secretary act as publicity chairman. Motion carried. The Secretary then read the President's report. The report was accepted and placed on file.

A letter from Bishop Longley, thanking us for our co-operation, was read. A card of thanks from the family of Bishop Morrison was also read.

There were no reports from several committee heads. The outstanding report was that of Miss Lettice Kennedy, Head of Service to the Church, including Missions.

#### MISS KENNEDY'S REPORT

Greetings to the Members and Friends of the Diocesan Council of the Girls' Friendly Society, assembled in Davenport, Iowa, this 8th day of February, 1930.

In recognition of the world-wide efforts to bring about a lasting peace for all man-kind, and of the golden opportunities, under the banner of the Girls' Friendly Society in the U. S. A. to share in its consummation, may we first just have the echo of a real "Rally."

1. Sing;—3rd Verse  
"Christ for the world we sing!  
The world to Christ we bring."
2. Repeat: "Missions are the organized effort to carry out the will of our Master."
3. In unison: Matthew 28—Verses 19 and 20.  
"Go ye into all the world," etc.

United in the cause of Christ's divine commission, branch by branch—this "World Friendly League" of ours, stretches from Boston to Los Angeles, from Porto Rico to Alaska, and from Mexico to Japan.

A most stimulating and aggressive testimonial of this, is our especial Mission number—the October “G. F. S. Record.” We open it! Adventure Waits!—for those who join the Enterprise of the 1930—Mission Study—as found in the book, so splendidly outlined—“Our World at Work.” We here made a hasty review of the source, material for this study, found in the October 1929 G. F. S. Record.

This brings us to our 1928-1929 challenge, which pledge \$5,000.00 for the woman's wing of St. Mary's Hospital, Cape Palmas, Liberia. Word came last October—“Over the top—\$1,000.00. We therefore transferred our money gifts to the 1930—Special Object—which calls for \$2,500.00 to purchase a new Industrial School for St. Andrew's Mission, Mayaguez, Porto Rico. Received for this interesting work:

1. St. Paul's—Council Bluffs .....	\$ 3.00
2. St. Thomas—Sioux City .....	5.00
3. Trinity—Muscatine .....	3.00

Total ..... \$11.00

Our United Thank Offering:—

a. St. Thomas—Sioux City .....	\$ 6.00
b. Trinity—Muscatine .....	1.00

Total ..... \$ 7.00

This was sent to Mrs. V. H. Morgan, Newton, Iowa, Custodian of the U. T. C. for the Woman's Auxiliary.

Our 1929—Lenten Box Work was sent to Deaconess Carter who ministers to the Indians near Moapa, Nevada. The nearest clergyman must come from Las Vegas. The nearest doctor, who is 25 miles distant, charges \$25.00 a trip. Miss Carter is besieged by young and old for various types of relief work. I am sure your good deeds were received by open arms. The Branches sending to the Moapa Indians follow:

	Box value
1. St. Paul's—Council Bluffs .....	\$17.00
2. Grace—Lyons .....	6.23
3. St. Michael's—Mt. Pleasant .....	8.46
4. St. Thomas—Sioux City .....	15.45
5. Trinity—Muscatine .....	9.15

Total Value ..... \$56.29

Money Gifts ..... 11.00

U. T. O. ..... 7.00

Total to Missions ..... \$74.29

St. Michael's, Mt. Pleasant, also sent a Christmas box to Graniteville, South Carolina, but did not report its value.

We hope that both old and new Branches can unite in the 1930 Lenten Box Work, in behalf of a small community in the midst of a very difficult social problem—

St. Barnabas Mission  
Summerville, So. Carolina

The quota's will be sent out very soon.

Most respectfully submitted,

LETTICE R. KENNEDY,  
Chairman of Committee—on Service to the Church  
including Missions.

This report closed with the reading together of Miss Brent's 1930 Mission Letter to us.

A report on the Mission in Porto Rico was given by Miss Thor-  
son who has relatives visiting at the Mission. This gave it a personal  
touch.

The G. F. S. A. has been asked to give \$2,500.00 for an industrial  
building at Mayaguez, Porto Rico.

The Treasurer's Report was read and accepted. It is as follows:

Balance on hand Feb. 9, 1929	\$ 29.14
Deposited	\$ 68.28
	21.52
	15.75
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	\$105.55
	11.75
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	\$117.30
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	\$146.44

Checks—

Dues	\$ 51.44
Record	1.00
Supplies	25.00
Supplies	25.00
Stamps	1.00
Flowers	5.00
Traveling Expense	<hr/> 20.00

\$128.44

Balance on hand Feb. 6, 1930 ..... \$18.00

The custodian of supplies was asked for an inventory. The meet-  
ing adjourned at 12:15 for luncheon.

Following the reports, Miss Caroline B. Averill addressed the meeting. This is the first Diocese she visited and this was her first Convention. She said Iowa offers very unusual opportunities for G. F. S. work. The G. F. S. should not have an inferiority complex. On the whole, rectors have been very cordial toward G. F. S. The society needs active work by Diocesan Officers. We should co-operate with other organizations in the church.

She suggested a study of Child Labor Laws for social service work. Material may be secured from Labor Bureau at Washington.

Mrs. Biddinger of Rock Rapids is the leader in creating interest in rural branches in Iowa. We shall look forward to reports from this work.

The G. F. S. is an organization which is definitely religious and Miss Averill urged as our motto for next year: "Not for ourselves, but for others."

After Miss Averill's address, Bishop Longley came in for a few minutes. He discussed some of the needs of the society as he sees them.

"G. F. S. in Iowa needs a vigorous dose of T. N. T.. A campaign throughout the diocese for increased work in G. F. S. is needed. The society can do a splendid piece of work as a training school for auxiliary workers." Bishop Longley is heartily in favor of a summer camp.

It was unfortunate that every G. F. S. member did not have the opportunity of hearing Bishop Longley's talk. It certainly "struck home."

Election of officers followed. A motion was made and seconded that the secretary cast the ballot for the list of officers presented by the nominating committee. Motion carried. The secretary cast the ballot. It was suggested that the new president be permitted to change heads of departments if she so desires.

The election was followed by an informal discussion of ways and means, troublesome points in carrying on the work, etc.

While our reports are not as encouraging as they should be, we are starting the new year with the determination that next year they will be better.

There being no further business, there was a motion to adjourn.

Respectfully submitted,

PAULINE C. LARSEN,  
Diocesan Secretary.

## I. DAVEPORT DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Scott	Davenport, Trinity Cathedral—Christ	Muscatine
Cedar	Durant, St. Paul's	Muscatine
Clinton	Clinton, St. John's; Lyons, Grace	Muscatine
Muscatine	Muscatine, Trinity	Muscatine

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. J. L. Smith, 231½ Third Ave., Clinton.  
Religious Education—Mrs. Stanley P. Jones, 1214 Mulberry Ave., Muscatine.

## II. DUBUQUE DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Dubuque	Dubuque, St. John's; Farley, St. George's	Dubuque
Delaware	Manchester	Dubuque
Clayton	Elkader	Dubuque
Jackson	Maquoketa, St. Mark's Mission	Dubuque

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. Herbert Adams, 630 W. 11th St., Dubuque.  
Religious Education—Mrs. John Flockhart, 1428 Locust St., Dubuque.  
Publicity—Mrs. Chas. Georgen, Farley.  
Field—Mrs. H. J. Gill, 164 Nevada St., Dubuque.

## III. DECORAH DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Winneshiek	Decorah, Grace	Dubuque
Allamakee	Waukon	Dubuque
Howard	Cresco, Grace	Dubuque
Fayette	Clermont	Dubuque

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Miss Priscilla Bridge, 706 Broadway, Decorah.  
Religious Education—Mrs. H. M. Cummings, Decorah.  
Field—Mrs. Florence Thomas, Decorah.

## IV. WATERLOO DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Blackhawk	Waterloo, Christ, St. Mark's; Cedar Falls, St. Luke's	Dubuque
Grundy	Grundy Center	Dubuque
Hardin	Iowa Falls, St. Matthew's	Dubuque
Fayette	Oelwein, St. Mary's	Dubuque
Buchanan	Independence, St. James'	Dubuque
Bremer	Waverly, St. Andrew's	Dubuque
Butler	Allison	Dubuque

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Miss Maude Lingelbach, 1717 W. 3rd St., Waterloo.  
Religious Education—Mrs. A. H. Rowlins, Cedar Heights, Waterloo.  
Publicity—Mrs. J. E. Mayo, 714 Clay St., Cedar Falls.  
Field—Mrs. George Lingelbach, 1717 W. 3rd St., Waterloo.

## V. CEDAR RAPIDS DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Linn	Cedar Rapids, Grace-St. John's	Dubuque
Johnson	Iowa City, Trinity	Dubuque
Jones	Anamosa, St. Mark's	Dubuque
Iowa	Marengo, St. James'	Dubuque
Benton	Vinton	Dubuque

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. Charles Shapleigh, 2458 25 St., Cedar Rapids.  
 Religious Education—Miss Clara Schaad, 1005 2nd Ave., Cedar Rapids.  
 Christian Social Service—Mrs. Murray Grafton, 1926 A Ave., Cedar  
 Rapids.  
 Publicity—Mrs. Watson.  
 Field—Mrs. Geo. Clearman.

## IV. OSKALOOSA DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Wapello	Ottumwa, Trinity	Muscatine
Lucas	Chariton, St. Andrew's	Des Moines
Monroe	Albia, Grace	Des Moines
Appanoose	Centerville, Mystic	Des Moines
Davis	Bloomfield	Des Moines
Jefferson	Fairfield	Muscatine
Van Buren	Keosauqua	Muscatine
Mahaska	Oskaloosa, St. James'	Muscatine
Keokuk	What Cheer, St. Paul's	Muscatine
Washington	Washington	Muscatine
Wayne	Corydon	Muscatine

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. C. A. O'Rourke, 305 1st Ave. East, Oskaloosa.  
 Religious Education—Mrs. C. A. O'Rourke, 305 1st Ave. East, Oskaloosa.  
 Publicity—Mrs. Margaret Hoffman, 309 1st Ave., Ottumwa.

## VII. BURLINGTON DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Des Moines	Burlington, Christ	Muscatine
Henry	Mt. Pleasant, St. Michael's	Muscatine
Louisa	Wapello	Muscatine
Lee	Ft. Madison, St. Luke's	Muscatine
Keokuk	Keokuk, St. John's	Muscatine

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. Josephine Kolebeck, 213 Louisa St. Burlington.  
 Religious Education—Miss Dorothy Bank, 1316 Blonseau St., Keokuk.  
 Christian Social Service—Mrs. G. A. Chilgren, 412 N. St., Keokuk.  
 Publicity—Mrs. W. C. Bonney, 615 Franklin St., Keokuk.  
 Field—Mrs. F. B. Leonard, 198½ Jefferson St., Burlington.

## VIII. MARSHALLTOWN DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Marshall	Marshalltown, St. Paul's	Dubuque
Tama	Toledo and Traer	Dubuque
Poweshiek	Grinnell	Dubuque
Jasper	Newton, St. Stephen's	Muscatine

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. Abbott, 9th and Main Sts., Marshalltown.  
 Religious Education—Mrs. W. T. Miller, 1142 Main St., Marshalltown.  
 Field—Mrs. V. H. Morgan, 905 S. Sixth St., Newton.

## IX. MASON CITY DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Chickasaw	Nashua	Dubuque
Cerro Gordo	Mason City, St. John's	Dubuque
Floyd	Charles City, Grace	Dubuque
Franklin	Hampton	Dubuque
Worth	Northwood	Dubuque
Mitchell	Osage	Dubuque
Hancock	Garner	Dubuque
Winnebago	Forest City	Dubuque

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. Lee Loomis, 320 1st St. E., Mason City.  
 Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. O. A. Lueders, 15 5th St. N. W., Mason City.  
 Religious Education—Mrs. B. C. Way, 321 2nd Ave. S., Mason City.  
 Publicity—Mrs. Sanford, Mason City.  
 Field—Mrs. F. F. Farnham, 605 Milwaukee St., Charles City.

## X. EMMETSBURG DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Palo Alto	Emmetsburg, Trinity	Des Moines
Emmet	Estherville, Grace	Des Moines
Kossuth	Algona, St. Thomas'	Des Moines
Clay	Spencer, St. Stephen's	Des Moines
Dickinson	Spirit Lake	Des Moines

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. Harry Pfiffner, 2505 8th St., Emmetsburg.  
 Religious Education—Mrs. M. C. Grier, Emmetsburg.  
 Field—Mrs. James Rainey, Estherville.

## XI. FORT DODGE DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Webster	Fort Dodge, St. Mark's	Des Moines
Hamilton	Webster City	Des Moines
Wright	Eagle Grove, St. John's	Des Moines
Humboldt	Humboldt	Des Moines
Pocahontas	Pocahontas	Des Moines
Greene	Jefferson, St. Thomas	Des Moines
Carroll	Carroll, Trinity	Des Moines
Sac	Sac City, Holy Trinity	Des Moines
Buena Vista	Storm Lake	Des Moines

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. W. E. Frandsen, 1521 7th Ave. N., Fort Dodge.  
 Religious Education—Mrs. L. W. Wheeler, 1021 7th Ave. N., Fort Dodge.

## XII. DES MOINES DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Polk	Des Moines, St. Paul's, St. Luke's, St. Mark's, St.	
Andrew's		Des Moines
Guthrie	Guthrie Center	Des Moines
Story	Ames, St. John's; Nevada	Des Moines
Marion	Knoxville	Des Moines
Madison	Winterset, Trinity Mission	Des Moines
Boone	Boone, Grace	Des Moines
Dallas	Adel	Des Moines
Warren	Indianola	Des Moines
Decatur	Garden Grove, St. John's	Des Moines

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. Don Allen, 1342 39th St., Des Moines.  
 Religious Education—Miss Betsy Cooper, 649 49th St., Des Moines.  
 Christian Social Service—Mrs. Bery Cain, 1936 Des Moines St., Des Moines.  
 Publicity—Mrs. George Henry, 400 38th St., Des Moines.  
 Field—Mrs. T. W. Bailey, 1214 29th St., Des Moines.

## XIII CRESTON DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Union	Union, Creston, St. Paul's Mission	Des Moines
Adams	Corning	Des Moines
Taylor	Bedford	Des Moines
Clarke	Osceola	Des Moines
Ringgold	Mount Ayr	Des Moines
Adair	Greenfield	Des Moines

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. Chas. Mawson, 303 W. Montgomery St., Creston.  
 Religious Education—Mrs. W. H. Owens, Hotel Iowana, Creston.  
 Field—Mrs. Laura S. Johnson, 901 N. Sycamore St., Creston.

## XIV. COUNCIL BLUFFS DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Pottawattamie	Council Bluffs, St. Paul's	Des Moines
Mills	Glenwood	Des Moines
Fremont	Tabor	Des Moines
Page	Shenandoah, St. John's	Des Moines
Montgomery	Red Oak	Des Moines
Cass	Atlantic	Des Moines
Audubon	Audubon	Des Moines
Shelby	Harlan, St. Paul's	Des Moines
Harrison	Logan, Missouri Valley	Des Moines

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Mrs. E. P. Schoentgen, 201 3rd St., Council Bluffs.  
 Vice-Chairman—Mrs. Frederick Ellis, 100 Bluff St., Council Bluffs.  
 Religious Education—Mrs. Robert Wickham, 301 Grace St., Council Bluffs.  
 Publicity—Mrs. A. C. Clapp, Harlan.  
 Field—Mrs. Herman S. Larsen, Forest Drive, Council Bluffs.

## XV. SIOUX CITY DISTRICT

Counties	Places	Deaneries
Woodbury	Sioux City, St. Thomas', St. Paul's	Des Moines
Ida	Ida Grove	Des Moines
Crawford	Vail, St. John's Mission; Denison, Trinity	Des Moines
Monona	Mapleton, Trinity Memorial Mission	Des Moines
Cherokee	Cherokee	Des Moines
Plymouth	LeMars, St. George's	Des Moines
Sioux	Orange City	Des Moines
Lyon	Rock Rapids	Des Moines
O'Brien	Sheldon, Primgar	Des Moines
Osceola	Shelby	Des Moines

### DISTRICT AND DEPARTMENT CHAIRMEN

District Chairman—Miss Virginia A. Molony, 1124 Douglas St., Sioux City.  
 Religious Education—Mrs. L. E. Hubbell, Nebraska St., Sioux City.  
 Publicity—Miss Marie Haldeuried, 1509 6th St., Sioux City.  
 Field—Mrs. A. B. Grenier, 1509 6th St., Sioux City.

## PAROCHIAL BRANCH OFFICERS 1930

Albia, Grace—Pres., Mrs. Harry B. Coons, 1315 3rd Ave. E.; Secy., Mrs. Jess Wier, 15th Ave. West; Treas., Mrs. Ethel Tomlinson, 14th Ave. West.  
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 Anamosa, St. Mark's—Pres., Mrs. Alfred Snyder; Mrs. James Remley.  
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Denison, Trinity—Pres., Mrs. Wm. Laub, Jr., 502 Main St.; Secy. and Treas., Mrs. Carl Richardson, 632 N. Main St.

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Des Moines, St. Luke's—Pres., Mrs. L. B. Martin, 1415 5th St.; Secy., Mrs. Wm. T. Sherman, 3802 Forest Ave.; Treas., Mrs. W. H. Schmidt, 1303 44th St.

Des Moines, St. Mark's—Pres., Mrs. Fannie Mearchant, 1216 E. Grand Ave.; Secy. and Treas., Miss Nellie B. Kessler, 1105 E. Maple Ave.

Des Moines, St. Paul's—Pres., Miss Mae Allen, 2225 Grand Ave.; Secy., Mrs. A. J. Lieber, 702 Polk Blvd.; Treas., Mrs. John J. Morken, 722 44th St.

Des Moines, St. Simon the Cyrenian—Pres., Mrs. J. B. Morris, 955 Seventeenth St.

Dubuque, St. John's—Pres., Mrs. E. B. Lyons, 80 Fremont Ave.; Secy., Miss Edith N. Dennis, 345 W. Locust St.; Treas., Mrs. C. L. Poole, 1492 Locust St.; U. T. O. Custodian, Mrs. Herbert Adams, 620 W. 11th St.; Christian Social Service, Mrs. C. W. Richards, 1083 Grove Terrace; Supply Secy., Miss Normen, 441 Bluff St.; Publicity Chairman, Mrs. C. L. Ellsworth, 1492 Locust St.; Evening Section, Pres., Mrs. C. W. Richards; Vice Pres., Miss Marshall; Secy. and Treas., Miss Mabel Trail, 409 W. 14th St.

Eagle Grove, St. John's—Pres., Mrs. J. L. Nott.

Emmetsburg, Trinity—Pres., Mrs. S. F. Schirmer, Emmetsburg; Secy. and Treas., Mrs. Fred Parks, Emmetsburg.

Estherville—Pres., Mrs. A. G. Metzger, 612 So. 9th St.

Fort Dodge, St. Mark's—Pres., Mrs. W. E. Frandean, 1521 7th Ave. N.; Secy. and Treas., Mrs. E. A. Wilbur, 302 8th St. N.; U. T. O., Mrs. N. J. Fitzsimons, 1322 5th St.

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