

Tenth Annual Report

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Woman's Auxiliary

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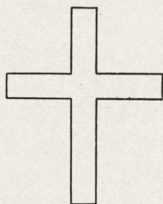
Diocese of Los Angeles

Anno Domini 1906

REPORT
OF THE
TENTH ANNUAL MEETING
OF THE
LOS ANGELES BRANCH
OF THE
WOMAN'S AUXILIARY
TO THE
BOARD OF MISSIONS
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“Bring them hither to me.”



The Woman's Auxiliary asks the prayers of the Church on the Festival of the Transfiguration of Christ (August 6th), the Auxiliary's "Altar Day."

The following resolution was unanimously adopted at the Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, St. John's Church, Los Angeles, May 24, 1898, and endorsed the following day by the Diocesan Convention, with the addition that where practicable the offerings be devoted to the General Fund of the Woman's Auxiliary, viz.:

Resolved, That we set apart the Feast of the Epiphany for an Auxiliary Day, and that, as members of the Auxiliary, we consider it not only a privilege but a duty to attend the services held on that day in the parish to which we belong; and further,

Resolved, That should the appointment of this day meet with the approbation of the clergymen of the Diocese, they be requested to offer, at the celebration of the Holy Eucharist on the Feast of the Epiphany, special prayers for the work of the Auxiliary.



Prayer

FOR THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY IN THIS DIOCESE:

O Almighty Father, Who didst vouchsafe to Thy chosen ones on the mount the comforting vision of the glory that shall be revealed, to strengthen and cheer them in their Apostolic work, we beseech Thee to be with Thy servants, the members of the Woman's Auxiliary of this Diocese, in all their efforts for the spread of the Kingdom of Thy dear Son. Grant that to many hearts may go the call of opportunity to serve Thee in this work, in the bearing of others' burdens and the fulfillment of the law of Christ. In what they think and do, enable them to hear the voice of Thy Son to guide and strengthen them. And in all the means of grace in Thy Church, and more especially in the Holy Communion at Thy Altars, help them to see Him Who is invisible, that in their aims and difficulties and trials they may have the abiding faith that all things are possible to them that believe. We ask this for the merits of Him Who came not to be ministered unto, but to minister, Thy Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

Young Woman's Auxiliary:

Pasadena—All Saints' Church.....Miss Fannie Meyer, 251 S. Orange Grove Ave.

Secretaries of Junior Auxiliary:

Anaheim—St. Michael's MissionMiss Lillah Hatfield
Covina—Holy Trinity MissionMiss Myra Burpee
Long Beach—St. Luke's MissionMiss Alice King
Los Angeles—All Saints' Mission.....Miss Olive Hogan, Marmion Way
 " Church of the Ascension...Miss Muriel Grassby, 525 Gallardo Street
 " Christ Church
 " Church of the Epiphany.....Miss Nita Fleming
 " Church of the Neighborhood, Miss H. Brookman, 1309 Ingraham St.
 " St. Andrew's.....Miss Maisie Crosby, 1104 W. Forty-fourth St.
 " St. Athanasius'Miss Elizabeth Loos, 1008 Temple St.
 " St. John's.....Miss Nora I. Kirchhoffer, 1504 W. Twenty-seventh St.
 " St. Luke's Mission.....Miss Margaret Long, R. F. D. No. 3
 " St. Matthias'.....Miss Eleanor Brown, 1767 W. Twenty-third Street
 " St. Paul'sMiss Ethel Wyatt, 1112 Westlake Avenue
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Pasadena—All Saints'Mrs. L. Blankenhorn, 346 Markham Avenue
Pomona—St. Paul's.....Miss Katherine Tanner
Redlands—St. Agnes' Branch.....Miss Mildred Harris, 453 Cajon Street
 Little Helpers' BranchMrs. J. H. Logie, 119 Fern Avenue
Riverside—All Saints'Miss Constance Jarvis, 127 Pepper Street
Santa Ana—Church of the MessiahMrs. J. Crawford, Tustin
Santa Monica—St. Augustine-by-the-SeaMiss Jennie Sanderson
Sierra Madre—Church of the Ascension.....Miss Lydia Webster
South Pasadena—St. Andrew's Mission.....Miss Helen High, Fremont Avenue
Hollywood—St. Stephen's S. S.....Mrs. J. Arthur Evans

Secretaries of Babies' Branch:

Coronado—Christ ChurchMrs. J. O. Slemmons
Duarte—All Saints' Mission.....Mrs. J. A. Maddock
Hollywood—St. Stephen's MissionMrs. R. T. Risher, 235 Whitley Avenue
Long Beach—St. Luke's Mission.....Miss Mary E. Grieve
Los Angeles—Church of the Epiphany.....Mrs. C. R. Valentine, 221 N. Avenue 23
 " St. Athanasius' Church.....Mrs. Beedon, 904 Bellevue Avenue
 " St. John's Church.....Sister Josephine
 " St. Paul's Pro-CathedralDeaconess Mytton
Monrovia—St. Luke's Mission.....Mrs. M. E. Evans, Monrovia
Ontario—Christ ChurchMiss Dorothy Pinkney, Rural Delivery
Orange—Trinity Mission.....Mrs. S. M. Dearing, P. O. box 417
Pasadena—All Saints' Church.....Mrs. G. F. Granger, 714 St. John Avenue
Pomona—St. Paul's ChurchMrs. W. H. Schureman
Redlands—Trinity ChurchMiss Blanche Dague, 28 East Vine Street
Riverside—All Saints' Church.....Mrs. R. Tyler Godfrey, Somerset Grove
Santa Ana—Church of the Messiah.....Mrs. Wollaston, 670 Ross Street
San Diego—St. Paul's Church.....Mrs. J. C. Tucker, Brooks and Second Streets
San Luis Rey—All Saints' Mission.....Mrs. M. E. Evans, Monrovia

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<i>Long Beach</i> —St. Luke's.....	Miss Alice King
<i>Los Angeles</i> —Church of the Ascension...	Miss Gertrude E. Samo, 429 S. State St.
“ Church of the Epiphany...	Mrs. Joseph Liversidge, 412½ Savoy St.
“ St. John's.....	Miss Daisy Walters, 1969 Estrella Avenue
“ St. Paul's.....	Mrs. H. Iver Thomas, 721 Park View Avenue
<i>Pasadena</i> —All Saints'.....	Miss Wotkyns, 464 Bellefontaine Avenue
<i>Pomona</i> —St. Paul's.....	Miss Katherine Tanner
<i>Redlands</i> —Trinity Church.....	Mrs. T. McF. Patton, 420 Cajon Street
<i>San Gabriel</i> —Church of Our Saviour.....	Miss A. Wilson
<i>Santa Barbara</i> —Trinity Church.....	Mrs. Walter C. Show, 1035 Chapala Street
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Minutes of the Tenth Annual Meeting.

ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL,
LOS ANGELES, May 15, 1906.

At 9 a.m. a preliminary Conference of Diocesan and Parish Branch officers was held in St. Paul's Parish Hall, presided over by the Diocesan President, Mrs. P. G. Hubert, who opened the meeting with the Auxiliary prayers, sixty officers being present.

The President urged that the delegates should carry home to their branches a full report of these meetings, and also requested that a portion of their pledges be sent to the Diocesan Treasurer as soon as practicable.

Announcement was made that fourteen bales and five boxes, one of them containing twenty-five dollars' worth of medicine, had been forwarded to Tanana, Alaska.

The Tenth Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Los Angeles opened with the celebration of the Holy Eucharist in St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral. The Right Rev. Joseph Horsfall Johnson, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese, officiated, being assisted by the Very Rev. J. J. Wilkins, D.D., and the Rev. A. G. L. Trew, D.D. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Charles H. Hibbard, D.D., rector of South Pasadena.

Immediately after the service, the Auxiliary organized for business in the Parish Hall. After the hymn, "Fling out the Banner," the Bishop spoke a few hearty words of welcome and commendation, and read a loving greeting from the House of Churchwomen in San Francisco to the women of the Diocese of Los Angeles.

At roll-call 189 women from twenty-nine branches responded.

Reports were read by the following officers and, on motion, accepted: Mrs. T. McF. Patton, Vice-President of Riverside and vicinity; Mrs. J. E. Cowles, Vice-President of the Los Angeles district. In the absence of Mrs. F. D. Ferrée, the new Vice-President of the San Diego district, her report was read by Mrs. Charles L. Barnes. Report of the Recording Secretary, Mrs. L. C. Spencer. Report of the Diocesan Treasurer, Miss Emily A. Brown, duly audited.

Deaconess Grebe, in her report of the Junior Auxiliary, stated that the Birthday Bed Fund was now over a thousand dollars. Christmas boxes had been sent to five Indian reservations, the boys taking part in the work.

Mrs. William F. Hubbard, Correspondent of the Church Periodical Club, made her sixth annual report of its work in this Diocese.

Mrs. Pallister gave a verbal report of the Church Missions Study Class, which was highly commended.

The Bishop offered the noonday prayers for missions.

The regular annual pledges were then taken.

The Chair appointed a Committee on Resolutions, consisting of Mrs. J. D. H. Browne, Mrs. J. E. Cowles, Mrs. J. H. Johnson, Mrs. T. McF. Patton and Mrs. C. L. Barnes.

An invitation to visit the Hospital of the Good Samaritan was extended to all present by the chaplain of the hospital, the Rev. Henderson Judd.

Lunch was served in the lower hall to 259 persons, including many of the clergy.

At 2 p.m. the meeting reopened with a hymn, the Bishop reading the missionary collects.

In the absence of Mrs. W. M. Friesner, Diocesan Secretary of the Babies' Branch, her report, covering ten years' work, was read by the Secretary, Mrs. Bugbee, and accepted.

Mrs. Joseph H. Johnson made a verbal report of the work of the Altar Department.

Mrs. C. J. Willett, United Offering Treasurer, reported 161 new boxes given out this year and \$548.68 received. On motion, her report was accepted.

Mrs. J. E. Cowles was called to the chair while the President read her annual address.

An extract was read from a letter written by Mrs. Laurence B. Ridgely, now in Wu Chang, asking our prayers for China, that that nation may become Christianized before becoming modernized.

The Question Box, skillfully conducted by Mrs. J. E. Cowles, proved an interesting and helpful innovation.

Mrs. Cora R. Brunson, former Diocesan President of the Minnesota Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, spoke of our threefold obligations—prayer, service and gifts.

The offering taken amounted to \$26.16, and with that of the morning service, \$27.13, making a total of \$53.29, to be applied to the General Working Fund.

Mrs. Willett offered the following amendment:

Resolved, That the By-Laws be amended by adding a section to be known as Section 9, to read:

SECTION 9. All moneys collected for the United Offering Fund shall be paid to the Diocesan Treasurer of that fund, and by her paid to the Diocesan Treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary.

This amendment to be acted upon at the next Annual Meeting.

A letter from Miss Emery was read, urging women to maintain their sense of responsibility for missions during the summer vacation, and suggesting the reading of at least one missionary book and the study of the missionary portions of the Bible.

A letter was read from Deaconess Sophie R. Miller, pertaining to her work among the Indians.

Mrs. J. D. H. Browne presented the following resolution:

WHEREAS, In the providence of God, the Diocese of San Francisco has been called upon to suffer a terrible calamity through earthquake and fire; and

WHEREAS, The House of Churchwomen is bearing its share in this calamity; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Los Angeles, in annual session assembled, extend to Bishop Nichols and to their sisters in the mother diocese their deepest and most heartfelt sympathy, praying that God may have them in His holy keeping in this time of their sore trial, and feeling assured that a great good will grow out of this apparent evil, and that the Church in San Francisco will rise strengthened and blessed from the ordeal through which it is passing. Be it further

Resolved, That the Woman's Auxiliary of Los Angeles has been much touched by the message of loving greeting extended to them by the House of Churchwomen in San Francisco at their last session and presented by Bishop Johnson.

This resolution was adopted by a rising vote.

Mrs. William F. Hubbard offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That a message of loving sympathy be sent Miss Esther Towell, First Vice-President. We sincerely regret that she, who organized the work of the Woman's Auxiliary in Southern California, is unable to attend the tenth anniversary of our Los Angeles Branch, and gratefully acknowledge the invaluable service she has rendered.

Mrs. Bugbee offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That we send to Mrs. William F. Friesner our appreciation of her faithful and loving ten years' service as Secretary of the Babies' Branch, and our sincere regret that she feels unable to longer retain that office. We also desire to express to Miss Emily A. Brown, the faithful and efficient Treasurer, our appreciation of her labor, and our sincere regret that she is obliged to resign her office.

Mrs. Johnson moved that Mrs. Ridgely's request for prayers in behalf of China be not forgotten, and that the Secretary be instructed to convey to the Rev. Mr. Ridgely and Mrs. Ridgely our loving sympathy.

Mrs. Eberhardt read a report from St. Faith's branch of Ascension Church.

The Bishop compared the Auxiliary of the present, under Mrs. Hubert's presidency, with the Auxiliary as he found it on coming to this Diocese, with Miss Towell as its moving spirit, and gave these two leaders well-merited praise. He spoke with appreciation of Mrs. Friesner's work as Secretary of the Babies' Branch, and of Miss Brown's labors as Treasurer, deeply regretting that circumstances prevented them from continuing in office.

The new officers appointed by the Bishop for the coming year are:

Mrs. F. D. Ferrée as Vice-President for the San Diego District.

Mrs. Wm. S. Porter as Vice-President for the Santa Barbara District.

Mrs. Abiel Leonard as Treasurer.

Mrs. Josephine Butler as Secretary of the Babies' Branch.

The President and other officers were reappointed.

The meeting adjourned with the Bishop's benediction.

LUCY C. SPENCER,
Recording Secretary.

Report of the Recording Secretary.

During this year the diocesan officers have held ten regular meetings, with an attendance varying from six to eleven.

On June 15th was held at Epiphany Church the first of the Woman's Auxiliary meetings of the Los Angeles district, in connection with the Convocation. Mrs. Hubert presided. Reports from each branch in the district were made. Seventeen branches were represented by delegates. Eighty women were present. Stirring addresses were made by Deaconess Grebe, Mrs. Pallister and Mrs. Willett along their own lines of work.

On July 14th the summer Quarterly was held at Long Beach, in St. Luke's Parish Hall, Mrs. Hubert presiding. Deaconess Metzler, recently from the Diocese of Kyoto, told of the industrial school at Kunazoa where girls receive a Christian education and also are taught embroidery, for which they are paid the usual wages. Deaconess Metzler's own work among the young men was to instill the principles of Christianity, while teaching them English. Miss Forrester, who had long taught in the Mary Josephine Hooker Memorial School in Mexico, traced the growth of the school from its small beginning to recent years. Bishop Johnson highly praised the work done there, stating that the efficiency of the school was largely due to the self-sacrificing life and teaching of the whole Forrester family—the late Rev. Henry Forrester, his wife and daughter. Adjutant Bailey, for years a worker under Bishop Hare in the South Dakota Indian schools and reservations, gave a graphic account of her work among those Indians. This meeting was memorable in that each of these speakers had been an active worker and spoke from personal experience. The offering was given to the Bishop's missionary work.

On November 15th the fall Quarterly was held in connection with the Convocation, in the Church of the Messiah, Santa Ana, Mrs. Hubert in the chair. Fifty-three women were present. Addresses were made by diocesan officers, who explained the scope and purpose of their different departments. The Bishop appealed for seventy-five dollars to repair Church property, and this amount was promised him.

December 13th our annual Quiet Day was held in St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, conducted by the Rev. William MacCormack, rector of All Saints' Church, Pasadena. The subject of prayer was most helpfully treated.

After the holidays the Diocesan President, Mrs. P. G. Hubert, gave a reception in her home to the clergy, the members of the Woman's Auxiliary and their friends.

On February 13th the winter Quarterly was held in St. Paul's Parish Hall, Mrs. Hubert in the chair. The Rev. Joseph MacConnell, general missionary, told of his trip to Deaconess Miller's mission at La Jolla, and also to Mesa Grande. He spoke further of the great need for missionary work at the beach resorts. Miss Wall, missionary on furlough from the Diocese of Tokyo, appeared in rich Japanese costume. She told of the Japanese women's work, their meetings and their own missions, their work for Formosa. She said the older women visit homes, giving advice and counsel, and that the younger women, who are better educated, help in teaching the young girls. She showed a picture of the beautiful church at Sendai, and urged the

great need of a mission house there for women workers. She spoke feelingly of the threatened famine and the terrible suffering which must occur should the partial rice crop fail. The day being rainy, the attendance was small and likewise the offering. Ten dollars was given to Miss Wall, who applied it to the work at Sendai. Later a special offering of fifty dollars was sent direct to Bishop McKim for the famine sufferers in his diocese.

At the time of the decennial anniversary of the Bishop our President was appointed chairman of the committee to plan and carry out the reception given by the Diocese to Bishop and Mrs. Johnson, February 22d. By a happy thought, a united gift of \$100 was made to the Decennial Fund by the diocesan officers as a body.

Our last work has been to help the sufferers in the San Francisco disaster. The branches gave liberally clothing, food and money. With the hearty approval of the Bishop, our President appealed to the branches for a special additional contribution, and \$130 was sent to Bishop Nichols to aid suffering Churchwomen, preferably those of the Woman's Auxiliary.

So each year we hear of new work and new needs, ever increasing. May we find these increased duties and privileges mean to each of us an upward step on the ladder of life, which leads to "that better country, which is an heavenly."

Respectfully submitted,

LUCY C. SPENCER,

Recording Secretary.

Report of the Young Woman's Branch.

In the past year the Young Woman's Branch of the Auxiliary of All Saints' Parish, Pasadena, has held twenty regular meetings, five special meetings and one birthday party. The President, Miss Dickinson, presided over all but three of these meetings. The membership has slowly but steadily grown, the attendance at regular meetings varying from eight to twenty-four. When Bishop Kendrick gave his address there was an attendance of sixty-four, including members and guests.

In the past year the Woman's Auxiliary has opened its doors to our organization, and the society will be officially known in the future as the "Young Woman's Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary."

Through the able leadership of Miss Dickinson, who was the originator of the idea of this society in All Saints' Parish, the amount of work accomplished has doubled in this its second year of existence.

The pledge of \$100 toward the reading-room for the Church of the Neighborhood, in Los Angeles, has been met; the nurses' fund of \$5 per month is still kept up, and eight boxes of clothing have been sent to the clothing bureau of this same church.

A bulletin board has been placed in the vestibule of All Saints' Church, which is kept filled with missionary literature.

Sufficient money was forwarded for thirty-six prayer books and hymnals for Alaska.

At the annual Christmas bazaar, the branch had a miscellaneous table, which netted \$35.30. The Christmas work consisted of mounting seventy Perry pictures, which were sent to the Good Samaritan Hospital and the Church of the Neighborhood, of Los Angeles, and the Good Shepherd Hospital, at Fort Defiance. To Miss Thackara, at Fort Defiance, there was sent before Christmas \$6 to be used in surgical work. Eight children's scrap books have been completed and will be used in the children's ward at the Good Samaritan Hospital. Missionary scrap books have now been started, which will be retained in the library of the society.

At Easter a box was made up for a diocesan missionary to the value of \$30.

During the year a birthday box has been introduced, into which every one, as her birthday is celebrated, is asked to put a penny for every year of her life. The special object toward which this shall be contributed to be decided at the annual birthday party.

At the birthday party one year ago, the branch had the pleasure of listening to talks by the Rev. Mr. MacCormack, the Rev. Mr. Marshall, Deaconess Grebe and Miss Morison. During the year Bishop Kendrick and Mrs. P. Gengembre Hubert addressed the branch.

Although the work accomplished has doubled this year, the hope is entertained that each coming year may be marked with even greater success.

Respectfully submitted,

FANNIE F. MEYER,
Secretary.

Report of the Altar Department.

RECEIPTS.

Cash received.....\$121 00

DISBURSEMENTS.

Altar, Trinity Mission, Escondido.....	\$ 75 00
Font, All Saints', Oxnard.....	25 00
Material for hangings, Grace Mission, Oceanside.....	8 00
Material for hangings, All Saints', Los Angeles.....	5 57
Printing.....	3 00
For Bishop Restarick's Altar Fund.....	2 00
Express charges.....	2 43

\$121 00

Pledges received too late for entry on the Treasurer's account of this year from Trinity Mission, Orange; St. Paul's, Pomona; St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, Altar Guild; Young Woman's Branch, and Carlsbad.

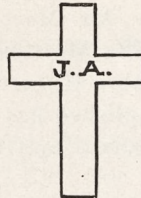
Respectfully submitted,

ISABEL G. JOHNSON,

Directress.

May 15, 1906.

Report of the Junior Auxiliary.



Motto: St. Luke ii: 49—

"Wist ye not that I must be about my Father's business."

Looking back over the Junior report of a previous year, 1901, I see the Secretary then, Miss Elliott, was constrained to say: "Our

usual work has been done this year with such increasing good results that every member has reason to be proud." Today I repeat her words, and so will you when you hear us report a grand total for the year of \$851.34, and in addition to this amount \$31.29 has been received and expended in the lantern and library fund.

We now have in the Missionary Library forty bound volumes, thirty-six of the Soldier and Servant series, forty-two Round Robin and one hundred leaflets. During the year we have loaned forty-eight books and forty leaflets, given the lantern exhibit five times and loaned it once to the Church of the Neighborhood. We would urge all the branches to make use of these things provided for them.

We have had ten meetings of the Secretary's branch, four of them being missionary meetings, when the diocesan, foreign, Indian and domestic fields of work were presented by able speakers. We would thank Bishop Johnson, the Rev. William MacCormack, the Rev. T. C. Marshall, and Miss Wall, of Japan, for their instructive talks to us on these several occasions.

Another cause for rejoicing is, the Birthday Bed Fund has reached and gone beyond the \$1000 mark.

Our Christmas exhibit was a credit to the many little ones who sent sufficient toys for six boxes, which were sent to five Indian reservations.

Eight branches responded to our Bishop's appeal for canned and fresh fruit for the hospital.

We have visited and spoken at different branches thirty times during the year.

Three branches have been reorganized and three lively new branches organized—St. Andrew's and St. Matthias', Los Angeles, with thirty and forty members respectively, and the Little Helpers, at Redlands, under the leadership of Mrs. J. H. Logie.

It is such good news that I must tell it to you—that the boys are coming in, in ever increasing numbers, at least twenty in the two new branches mentioned above.

Finally, we have felt for a long time the need of some sort of a service and admission card for use in the several branches. It gives us pleasure to say that such cards have now been printed and may be had free for the asking.

Our missionary evening at Christ Church was a grand success; fully eight hundred persons were present. The Juniors rendered the program remarkably well. Surely the Junior work in the Diocese must take on new life and energy after so striking an illustration of what they have done and can do.

Money received and disbursed in the lantern and slides fund during the year and not reported elsewhere:

RECEIPTS.

On hand as per last report.....	\$ 1 24
St. Luke's, Los Angeles.....	2 50
St. Augustine's, Santa Monica.....	2 00
St. Paul's, Woman's Auxiliary.....	3 00
St. Athanasius', Los Angeles.....	4 00
Offering at Christmas Exhibit.....	2 86
All Saints', Pasadena.....	2 00
Corona, St. John the Baptist..	1 59
Secretary's Branch Missionary Meeting.....	4 55
Sale of souvenir pictures.....	5 45
Fines from library	60
St. John's, Altar Guild.....	1 50
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DISBURSEMENTS.

Slides, \$9.05; small souvenir pictures, \$5.45	\$14 50
Printing lantern slips, 95c; repair lantern, 50c.....	1 45
Curtain for lantern, \$2.20; paper for scrap-books, \$1.65.....	3 85
Three dozen Junior Auxiliary Catechisms.....	75
Two books, "Dawn on Hills of T'Ang," and "Black and White Mission Stories".....	2 31
Printing programs for Missionary Evening.....	11 00
Expense for Missionary Evening.....	3 10
To Miss Emery, Junior Auxiliary cards.....	1 25
Expense chairs, \$1.00; telephone, 60c.....	1 60
Printing Secretary's Branch cards.....	1 25
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Respectfully submitted,

EMMA B. GREBE,

Secretary.

May 15, 1905.

Junior Entertainment.

A unique and intensely interesting Diocesan Junior Evening was held at Christ Church during Convention week. Many and varied were the exhibits: An Alaskan igloo, snow-covered and occupied by little ones in Alaskan furs and caps, who crawled in and out of the

low doorway. A Chinese pagoda, with rare and beautiful flags, curios and pictures, where Chinese attendants formed a picturesque contrast to their Alaskan neighbors. Descendants of Uncle Tom discoursed darky melodies during the evening from their typical southern cabin. Some twenty or more children from St. Luke's, Los Angeles, entered into the spirit of their characters, and with their blackened faces and slices of watermelon seemed transported from "'way down in Dixie."

Not so attractive to the ordinary passer-by, but quite as useful to perplexed Junior leaders, was the exhibit of the Secretary's branch, with its lantern and slides, its leaflets, books and curios collected from many sources by our indefatigable Secretary, Deaconess Grebe.

The Philippines, with their palm-covered hut and valuable souvenirs from these islands, next attracted our attention, faced across the room by a Torii, a Shinto shrine where tea, goldfish, incense, cherry blossoms and Japanese maidens were intermingled in delightful profusion.

Indians with scalping knives and war paint looked fiercely out from their tepee, and had it not been that they flew the Stars and Stripes, we might have felt afraid of such warlike companions.

A hospital scene showed many views of the interior of our Hospital of the Good Samaritan.

It was worth coming some distance to see the wife of the rector of St. Stephen's, Hollywood, attired as an Hawaiian princess, with a palm-leaf skirt, and garlanded with flowers fashioned in the true Hawaiian style, attended by other lesser dignitaries of her court.

Promptly at a quarter to eight o'clock a processional was played, and the white-robed children's choir of Christ Church marched and took their places in front of the platform, and the program, to which we had all been looking forward, had begun.

After a few words of explanation and welcome by Bishop Johnson, Deaconess Grebe and the Rev. Baker P. Lee, we were confronted with a girl in flowing garments, who told us of the hardships and difficulties of being a follower of the Lord in Antioch, where the disciples were first called Christians. She was followed by others appropriately dressed, representing the progress of Christianity down the centuries until the present time; when one of the Christ Church cadets appeared to tell us that although we did not have the same hindrances that those before us have had, still there was need of watchfulness now as much as ever.

St. Paul's Juniors, twenty-two strong, with banners, gave in rhyme the names of the missionary bishops, together with some of the characteristics of their work.

A clock which had adorned the platform all the evening and caused much comment was brought into use by the Juniors of St. Matthias, as, in their Dutch caps, they recited verses of Scripture for each hour, telling how short is the time for work in the Master's vineyard.

Many Junior leaders wished that the "Officer's Dream," so well given as a dream, might indeed be fulfilled, and that the members of their branch might have the honor of being the messengers for God in the dark places of the earth.

A little tot brought tears to the eyes of many as she sang "Little Black Me," a hope in the childish heart that there might indeed be a place in heaven for her in spite of her black face.

Several children of different nationalities next appeared and told in rhyme a song of missionary work in their homes far away.

A hush fell over the audience as banners of different sizes, bearing puzzling figures, were slowly carried to the platform. These, we discovered, represented the Sunday-school Lenten offering at various periods between 1878, when it was \$7,000, and the current year, when it has reached the sum of \$125,000.

A congress of the nations came to the platform, and all present joined with them in singing the grand missionary hymn "Wider and wider yet."

After a few words of praise and congratulation from our Bishop, this most successful entertainment was closed and another opportunity given to inspect the homes of the various people represented.

H. S. B.

Report of the Babies' Branch.

It may interest you all to know that twelve years ago Mrs. Nichols wrote to Los Angeles asking if a Babies' Branch could be started here in connection with theirs at San Francisco. The idea was a beautiful one, and as I told my friends about it, they too were pleased and took boxes, so that in a short time we had a small branch of twenty-five little members and at Easter an offering of \$11.99. Each year we grew and branches were started in the different parishes, until now we have a branch in nearly every church in the Diocese, or hope to in time. Our Easter offering this year of \$106.18 means a great many pennies, and as each penny represents a little prayer, the Babies'

Branch ought surely to grow and to be blessed. The offerings during the twelve years have been \$1,146.96.

LIST OF OFFERINGS ENDING MAY 1, 1906.

St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral.....	\$ 11 10
Christ Church.....	2 59
St. Athanasius' Church.....	22 28
Epiphany Church.....	6 15
St. Paul's Church, San Diego.....	1 00
Christ Church, Coronado.....	1 25
Santa Paula.....	50
Orange.....	81
Redlands.....	8 75
Long Beach.....	1 89
All Saints' Church, Pasadena (\$1.00 of this being from late box).....	34 50
Pomona.....	9 20
Ontario.....	1 66
Postage from Woman's Auxiliary.....	4 50
Total.....	\$106 18

DISBURSEMENTS.

Two hundred Mite Chests.....	\$ 7 00
Postage from Woman's Auxiliary.....	4 50
United Offering.....	2 82
Annual pledge to kindergarten at Akita, Japan, in memory of Gaylord Hart Mitchell.....	10 00
St. Luke's Hospital, Shanghai.....	10 00
Orphanage, Cape Palmas.....	10 00
St. Agnes' Hospital, Raleigh, N. C.....	10 00
Bishop Brooke's work, Oklahoma.....	10 00
Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	10 00
It has not been decided how \$12.00 remaining will be used, and since it came we have had some late boxes, so the \$9.86 from those will be kept for the coming year's expenses.....	21 86
Total.....	\$106 18

It is with a great deal of regret that I must, for several reasons, give up my work in the Babies' Branch. Bishop Johnson has kindly consented to appoint a new Secretary in my place, whom I hope you will all assist and encourage. I shall be sorry to miss the monthly meetings of the diocesan officers (although for several months I have been unable to attend). I always came away from the meetings so full of enthusiasm after hearing the kind and thoughtful suggestions for our work from our dear President, as well as strengthened by her delicious cup of tea. I shall always feel a deep interest in the work, and my most earnest prayer will be that God may bless all the missionaries all over the world, all the secretaries of the 'Babies' Branch and all the Little Helpers. *Amen.*

Respectfully submitted,

ADDIE T. FRIESNER,

May 14, 1906.

Secretary.

Report of the Treasurer of the United Offering.

During the past year I have attended sixteen meetings held in the interest of the United Offering, and 161 boxes have been given out. The offering for the year is \$548.60. While the amount raised this year of 1906 is only about \$40 or \$50 more than that of 1905, it must be remembered that two-thirds of that amount was collected between May and October by special efforts, in order to make as large an offering as possible to send to the Triennial in Boston. I make the comparison for our encouragement. The total sum in money value is important. The increased interest in the work is the true spirit of the United Thank-Offering prompting the contributions.

Respectfully submitted,

HATTIE C. WILLETT,

Treasurer.

May 15, 1906.

The Missions Study Class.

The Missions Study Class of the city for 1905-6 entered upon a systematic course of real genuine study, taking Japan as its subject, "Sunrise in the Sunrise Kingdom" as its text-book, and gaining much valuable matter from "Dux Christus." The branches of St. Paul's, St. John's, St. Luke's, Vernon, and St. Luke's, Long Beach, were represented by faithful, earnest, regular members, and I have no hesitation in saying that any one of these, if called upon at a moment's notice, would be able to give an intelligent and interesting talk upon the country, the people, its pagan religions and its early Christianity, and I am sure they will all agree that we have derived much pleasure as well as profit from our meetings. The branches at Redlands and Riverside also took up the same subject and have done good work. Pomona made our recent possessions their work, and devoted a day each to the Philippines, Hawaii, Porto Rico, Cuba, etc.

I have had helpful correspondence with the Educational Secretary in New York, and under his guidance and the experience gained,

nothing will give me greater pleasure than to visit and assist any branch in the Diocese to organize these study classes, providing they make up their minds not to be discouraged. When we bear in mind that the Protestant missionaries in Japan toiled ten years to gain six baptized converts, we surely ought to be content to "make haste slowly."

Respectfully submitted,

ELEANOR PALLISTER,
Secretary.

Report of the Church Periodical Club.

Owing to illness two of our fourteen librarians were unable to report this year, and we can not form a definite idea of the number of papers and magazines sent out, as the contents of five boxes and over fifty parcels were not noted. The following boxes were shipped during the year:

City Jail.....	1
Los Angeles County Jail.....	1
Los Angeles County Hospital.....	1
Santa Fé Hospital.....	1
Sailors, San Pedro	2
English ship, Santa Monica.....	1
English schooner, Santa Monica.....	1
Seaman's Rest, San Diego.....	1
Reading-room, Monte Vista.....	1
Section camp in mountains.....	1
Clergyman in diocese.....	1
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Many packages of current literature were also taken to hospitals, sailors, firemen, Coffee Club at Redlands, isolated people in the mountains and elsewhere, and packages of cards were sent to La Jolla and Mesa Grande Indian reservations, and literature to the Church of the Neighborhood.

As reported to the Correspondent, 101 current and secular papers and magazines are mailed by the contributors; 7 calendars, 30 pictures, 153 cards, 4,689 odd papers and magazines (mainly the latter) have been sent out during the past year. An active interest is being taken in our work by our librarians, who deserve to have their efforts warmly seconded.

Twice during the season parcels of current literature, also a few books, have been sent the Correspondent by tourists at the Raymond, Pasadena, thanks to the suggestion of the wife of our Bishop.

It should be placed on record that the Church Periodical Club of our Los Angeles branch of the Woman's Auxiliary sent out traveling libraries fifteen months earlier than the California State Library at Sacramento.

Your Correspondent can not report in full in regard to our twelve traveling libraries, as a number are awaiting shipment, but she trusts soon to make a new departure in this arm of the service. It seems fitting that the Albert Gallatin Goodall Memorial, the gift of our President, and the Robert Beach Boothe Memorial, which was the first donated and has been sent to nine places in Southern California, should be the pioneers in going outside of our Diocese.

The Elizabeth Miner Memorial has been improved by the gift of over \$5 worth of new books from her mother, and the William Gold Hubbard Memorial was re-arranged last July and more than \$20 worth of new books added.

Twelve clergymen of our Diocese and one in the missionary jurisdiction of Sacramento have each received a theological work of his own choosing. Much to the regret of your Correspondent, this fund is now nearly exhausted. The clergy have been very appreciative of these favors.

MONEYS RECEIVED BY THE CORRESPONDENT FOR TRAVELING LIBRARIES.

Balance on hand.....	\$ 6 40
Gifts from individuals.....	24 20
For damages on books.....	3 50
Total.....	\$34 10
Expended.....	25 35
Balance on hand.....	\$ 8 75
Subscription for the New York <i>Churchman</i>	\$ 3 00
Expended.....	\$ 3 00
For Church Periodical Club work from a member of the Pro-Cathedral branch.....	\$ 5 00
For Church Periodical Club work from a librarian	20 00
Total.....	\$25 00
Expended.....	3 00
Balance on hand.....	\$22 00
On hand for new subscriptions for the <i>Spirit of Missions</i>	\$ 5 00
Expended.....	4 50
Balance on hand.....	\$ 50

MONEYS GIVEN FOR CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB REPORTED
TO THE CORRESPONDENT.

All Saints', Pasadena.....	\$ 2 10
Ascension, Sierra Madre.....	2 15
Charter Oak	1 00
Trinity, Redlands.....	1 75
Trinity, Santa Barbara.....	2 80
Librarian-at-large.....	2 73
Postage from General Working Fund	6 08
Total.....	<u>\$18 61</u>

We wish our report for 1907 to be far more accurate than heretofore, and beg all who contribute to report the number of books, papers and magazines donated to their librarians, or to the Correspondent if they have no Church Periodical Club librarian in their parishes or missions.

My best wish for you, dear sisters of our Woman's Auxiliary, on this our tenth anniversary, is that yours may be that ideal happiness which has been well defined as "a great love and much service."

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE I. HUBBARD,

Correspondent.

May 15, 1906.

DETAILED STATEMENT

... OF ...

WORK AND CONTRIBUTIONS

For the Year Ending May 15, 1906.

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Anaheim, St. Michael's Mission (\$35.65)			
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary	\$ 2 00	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	18 55	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	\$ 4 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" Christmas Box .....	.....	.....	1 85
" Colegrove Mission.....	.....	.....	3 00
" Entertainment Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Alaska Freight.....	.....	.....	3 25
Junior Auxiliary (\$17.40)			
Christmas Box to Indians, San Diego Co....	6 95	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	4 00	.....	.....
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	3 95
" Good Samaritan Hospital, Hassock..	.....	.....	1 00
" Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	.....	.....	1 00
" General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	50
Altar Department (\$3.50)			
Cash to Altar Fund, Altar Guild .....	.....	.....	1 00
" Altar Fund, Woman's Auxiliary.....	.....	.....	1 00
6 Purificators to Good Samaritan Hospital...	.....	\$ 1 50	.....
United Offering (\$4.67)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	4 67
Carlsbad, St. Michael's-by-the-Sea Mission (\$4.00)			
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary.....	3 00	.....	.....
Cash to San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
Corona, St. John the Baptist Mission (\$16.50)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	15 00	.....	.....
Cash to Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" St. Paul's School, Tokyo.....	.....	.....	50
Junior Auxiliary (\$2.00)			
Cash to Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	.....	.....	1 50
" General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	50
United Offering (\$1.00)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Coronado, Christ Church (\$142.25)			
Box to Diocesan Missionary	25 00	.....	.....
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary	27 00	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	74 25	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund .....	.....	.....	2 00
" Apportionment.....	.....	.....	10 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" Alaska Freight.....	.....	.....	1 00
Altar Department (\$2.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
Babies' Branch (\$1.25)			
.....	.....	.....	1 25
United Offering (\$16.50)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	16 50
Covina, The Church of the Holy Trinity (\$52.00)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	41 00	.....	.....
Box to San Francisco Sufferers.....	3 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Christmas Box.....	.....	.....	3 00
" Colegrove Mission.....	.....	.....	1 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Entertainment Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$13.21)			
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	3 21
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	10 00	.....	.....
Altar Department (\$31.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
Embroidery on Altar Hangings for All Saints' Mission, Los Angeles.....	30 00	.....	.....
Duarte, All Saints' Mission (\$6.50)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	4 50	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
Altar Department (\$1.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
El Toro, St. George's Mission (\$0.31)			
Junior Auxiliary (\$0.31)			
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	31

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Escondido, Trinity Mission (\$14.25)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	13 75	.....	.....
Cash to Alaska Freight.....	.....	.....	50
Glendale, St. Mark's Mission (\$31.00)			
Box Canned Fruit to Good Samaritan Hosp.	5 00	.....	.....
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary.....	2 50	.....	.....
Box to Church of the Neighborhood Mission	5 00	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	14 50	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$0.26)			
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	26
Altar Department (\$2.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
United Offering (\$1.85)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	1 85
Hemet, Mission of the Good Shepherd (\$9.75)			
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary.....	1 25	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	5 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Alaska Freight.....	.....	.....	50
Altar Department (\$1.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
United Offering (\$0.25)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	25
Hollywood, St. Stephen's Mission (\$105.15)			
Box to Domestic Missionary's wife.....	10 75	.....	.....
Christmas Box to Domestic Missionary.....	24 25	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	50 65	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	3 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" Alaska Rectory.....	.....	.....	4 50
" Colegrove Mission.....	.....	.....	2 00
" L. B. Ridgely Scholarship.....	.....	.....	5 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" Alaska Freight.....	.....	.....	1 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$18.90)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	.....	.....	18 90
Altar Department (\$2.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund, Altar Guild.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Altar Fund, Woman's Auxiliary.....	.....	.....	1 00
United Offering (\$4.75)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	4 75

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Hueneme, Trinity Mission (\$1.00)			
Cash to Alaska Freight.....	1 00
Las Posas (\$4.00)			
Cash to Alaska Box	2 00
" Alaska Freight.....	2 00
Lompoc, St. Mary's Mission			
Junior Auxiliary (\$2.80)			
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	2 80
Long Beach, St. Luke's Mission (\$77.95)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	51 95	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	5 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	5 00
" Christmas Box.....	4 00
" Apportionment.....	5 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	2 00
" Entertainment Fund.....	2 00
" Alaska Freight.....	3 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$45.75)			
2 Boxes to Good Samaritan Hospital	15 00	.....	.....
2 Boxes to Tanana, Alaska.....	8 00	.....	.....
Box to Mrs. Miller's Indian work	2 00	.....	.....
Cash to Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	3 00
" Ngankin.....	1 00
" Painting Church, Colegrove.....	3 00
" Church of the Neighborhood.....	1 25
" Birthday Bed Fund.....	12 50
Altar Department (\$13.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund, Altar Guild	5 00
" Altar Fund, Woman's Auxiliary.....	3 00
" Altar Fund, St. Margaret's Guild.....	5 00
Babies' Branch (\$1.89)			
.....	1 89
United Offering (\$31.00)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	31 00
Los Angeles, All Saints' Mission (\$19.00)			
Cash to General Working Fund.....	2 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	12 00
" Christmas Box.....	3 00
" Colegrove Mission.....	1 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	1 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$8.96)			
Box to Tanana, Alaska	5 00	.....	.....
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	3 96
Altar Department (\$2.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	2 00

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Los Angeles, Ascension Mission (\$112.50)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	90 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	3 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	10 00
" Christmas Box .....	.....	.....	2 25
" Colegrove Mission.....	.....	.....	2 25
" Diocesan House .....	.....	.....	5 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$63.00)			
Box to Tanana, Alaska	55 00	.....	.....
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	5 00
" Alaska Freight.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	.....	.....	1 00
" St. Paul's, Tokyo.....	.....	.....	1 00
Altar Department (\$3.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	3 00
United Offering (\$21.00)			
Cash to United Offering Fund,.....	.....	.....	21 00
Los Angeles, Christ Church (\$84.75)			
Christmas Box to Domestic Missionary	52 25	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	29 50	.....	.....
Cash to Colegrove Mission.....	.....	.....	3 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$14.25)			
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	4 25
Box to San Diego County Indians.....	10 00	.....	.....
Altar Department (\$58.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	10 00
1 Surplice to St. John the Baptist, Corona...	.....	3 00	.....
1 Cassock to St. John the Baptist, Corona....	.....	5 00	.....
1 Dossal to Good Samaritan Hospital.....	.....	15 00	.....
25 Prayer Books to Mission at Pico Heights..	.....	12 50	.....
25 Hymnals to Mission at Pico Heights.....	.....	12 50	.....
Babies' Branch (\$2.59)			
.....	.....	.....	2 59
United Offering (\$15.56)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	15 56
Los Angeles, Church of the Angels Mission (\$9.00)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	8 00	.....	.....
Cash to San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
Altar Department (\$2.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Los Angeles, Church of the Epiphany (\$72.60)			
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary	5 10	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	30 50	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....			10 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....			8 00
" Epiphany Offering			65
" Apportionment.....			5 00
" Church of the Neighborhood Mission			6 35
" Colegrove Mission.....			3 00
" Deaconess Miller, La Jolla Reserva'n			3 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....			1 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$37.66)			
Box to Indians, San Diego County	17 50	.....	.....
Box to Alaska.....	10 60	.....	.....
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....			6 56
" Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....			1 50
" General Working Fund.....			50
" St. Paul's, Tokyo.....			1 00
Altar Department (\$1.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....			1 00
Babies' Branch (\$6.15)			
.....			6 15
United Offering (\$13.45)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....			13 45
Los Angeles, St. Athanasius' Church (\$59.60)			
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary	10 60	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	25 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....			2 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....			15 00
" Colegrove Mission.....			2 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....			2 00
" Alaska Freight.....			3 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$27.80)			
Box to Church Training & Deaconess House	4 50	.....	.....
Box to Indians, San Diego County.....	11 90	.....	.....
Cash to Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....			6 00
" St. Paul's, Tokyo.....			2 00
" Ngankin.....			1 00
" General Working Fund.....			1 00
" Birthday Bed Fund.....			1 26
" United Offering Fund.....			14
Altar Department (\$5.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund, Altar Guild.....			2 00
" Altar Fund, Woman's Auxiliary.....			2 00
" Altar Fund, Daughters of the King..			1 00
Babies' Branch (\$22.28)			
.....			22 28
United Offering (\$3.25)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....			3 25

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Los Angeles, St. John's Church (\$211.00)			
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary	\$ 34 80	\$	\$
Easter Box to Domestic Missionary	5 00	.....	.....
Box to School in Honolulu (Bp. Restarick) ..	10 00	.....	.....
Box to Church of the Neighborhood Mission	6 00	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	58 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	25 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	25 00
" Epiphany Offering .....	.....	.....	2 20
" Colegrove Mission.....	.....	.....	3 00
" Domestic Missionary's wife .....	.....	.....	2 00
" Hollywood Auxiliary.....	.....	.....	3 50
" L. B. Ridgely Scholarship, China ...	.....	.....	20 00
" George F. Bugbee Scholarship, Africa	.....	.....	2 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	3 50
" Entertainment Fund.....	.....	.....	11 00

Junior Auxiliary (\$17.02)

Box to Church of the Neighborhood Mission	2 50	.....	.....
Box to Tanana, Alaska	5 00	.....	.....
Cash to Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	.....	.....	1 00
" General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	5 52
" United Offering .....	.....	.....	2 00

Altar Department (\$118.80)

Cash to Altar Fund, Guild of the Holy Childhood .....	.....	.....	5 00
1 Silk Altar Frontal to St. Matthias' Mission	.....	25 00	.....
1 Brass Cross to .....	.....	22 85	.....
1 pair Brass Candlesticks to .....	.....	12 85	.....
1 Book Rest to .....	.....	11 35	.....
1 pair Brass Vases to .....	.....	15 00	.....
1 Fair Linen Cloth to .....	.....	6 00	.....
5 Purificators to .....	.....	1 50	.....
3 Mundatories to .....	.....	75	.....
1 Chalice Veil to .....	.....	5 00	.....
1 Linen Surplice to .....	.....	6 00	.....
1 Blackboard to .....	.....	3 00	.....
6 Purificators for Alaska	1 50
2 Palls.....	3 00

United Offering (\$29.73)

Cash to United Offering Fund.....	29 73
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	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Los Angeles, St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral (\$450.97)			
Christmas Box to Domestic Missionary.....	\$ 54 97	\$	\$
Easter Box to Domestic Missionary.....	23 90	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	43 10	.....	.....
Box to School in Honolulu (Bp. Restarick)..	20 00	.....	.....
Box to San Francisco Sufferers.....	30 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	20 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	60 00
" Apportionment.....	.....	.....	4 25
" General Missions.....	.....	.....	10 00
" Foreign Missions.....	.....	.....	10 00
" George F. Bugbee Scholarship, St. Paul's River, Africa.....	.....	.....	6 00
" Bishop Restarick, Honolulu .....	.....	.....	58 50
" Miss Thackara's Hospital Work.....	.....	.....	8 75
" Church of the Neighborhood Mission	.....	.....	13 35
" Colegrove Mission.....	.....	.....	3 00
" Junior Auxiliary.....	.....	.....	7 50
" Diocesan Missions.....	.....	.....	6 00
" Diocesan Missionaries.....	.....	.....	13 00
" Japanese Missions .....	.....	.....	15 00
" Famine Sufferers in Japan.....	.....	.....	15 00
" Epiphany Offering .....	.....	.....	2 65
" San Francisco Relief Fund .....	.....	.....	5 00
" Entertainment Fund.....	.....	.....	10 00
" Alaska Freight.. .....	.....	.....	11 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$93.60)			
Box to Indians, San Diego County.....	19 50	.....	.....
" Deaconess House, Philadelphia.....	4 50	.....	.....
" Church of the Neighborhood Mission	7 05	.....	.....
" Good Samaritan Hospital	2 00	.....	.....
" Tanana, Alaska	16 85	.....	.....
" " " Candy.....	3 00	.....	.....
Cash to Bishop Johnson Scholarship .....	.....	.....	9 00
" St. Paul's, Tokyo.....	.....	.....	50
" General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" Alaska Freight .....	.....	.....	1 00
" Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	28 20
Altar Department (\$10.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund, Woman's Auxiliary.....	.....	.....	10 00
Babies' Branch (\$11.10)			
.....	.....	.....	11 10
United Offering (\$96.43)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	96 43

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Los Angeles, St. Luke's Mission (\$51.60)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	\$ 35 10	\$	\$
Cash to General Working Fund.....	3 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	5 00
" Christmas Box	5 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	3 50

Junior Auxiliary (\$30.82)

Box to Tanana, Alaska	22 30	.....	.....
Box to Good Samaritan Hospital.....	2 50	.....	.....
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	2 02
" Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	.....	.....	2 50
" General Working Fund.....	1 00
" Ngankin.....	50

Altar Department (\$2.00)

Cash to Altar Fund.....	2 00
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United Offering (\$12.47)

Cash to United Offering Fund.....	12 47
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Los Angeles, St. Matthias' Chapel (\$47.50)

Cash to San Francisco Relief Fund.....	47 50
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Junior Auxiliary (\$6.06)

Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	4 45
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	1 61

Los Angeles, Church of the Neighborhood Mission**Junior Auxiliary (\$25.01)**

Box to Tanana, Alaska	9 00	.....	.....
" Indians, San Diego County.....	10 00	.....	.....
Cash to St. Paul's, Tokyo .....	.....	.....	50
" Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	5 51

Los Angeles, St. Andrew's Mission**Junior Auxiliary (\$6.91)**

Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	5 50	.....	.....
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	1 41

Monrovia, St. Luke's Mission (\$8.00)

Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund	7 00

Altar Department (\$1.00)

Cash to Altar Fund.....	1 00
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	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Montecito, All Saints' Mission (\$87.00)			
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary	\$ 10 00	\$	\$
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	70 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	2 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	5 00
Altar Department (\$3.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	3 00
United Offering (\$10.25)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	10 25
Nordhoff, St. Mary's Mission			
United Offering (\$3.00)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	3 00
Ocean Park, Church of the Good Shepherd (\$0.50)			
Cash to Christmas Box	50
Ontario, Christ Church (\$88.15)			
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary.....	3 50	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	50 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	2 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	5 00
" Christmas Box	3 00
" Alaska Box	11 00
" Apportionment.....	10 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	2 00
" Alaska Freight.....	75
Junior Auxiliary (\$22.33)			
Box to Alaska.....	15 00	.....	.....
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	2 73
" Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	3 00
" General Working Fund.....	50
" Ngankin	50
" Alaska Freight.....	60
Altar Department (\$33.25)			
Cash to Altar Fund, Altar Guild.....	1 00
" Altar Fund, Woman's Auxiliary.....	1 00
4 sets of Antependia to St. Matthias' Chapel, Los Angeles	30 00	.....
1 Surplice to Rev. E. W. Meany.....	1 25	.....
Babies' Branch (\$1.66)			
.....	1 66
United Offering (\$11.14)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	11 14

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Oceanside, Grace Mission (\$142.00)			
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary	\$ 15 00	\$	\$
Box to San Francisco Sufferers.....	125 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
Altar Department (\$1.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
United Offering (\$2.50)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	2 50
Orange, Trinity Mission (\$7.00)			
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" Colegrove Mission.....	.....	.....	3 00
Altar Department (\$1.00)			
" Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
Babies' Branch (\$0.81)			
.....	.....	.....	81
Oxnard, All Saints' Mission (\$4.50)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	1 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Alaska Freight.....	.....	.....	50
Altar Department (\$1.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
United Offering (\$1.00)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
Pasadena, All Saints' Church (\$322.74)			
Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary	94 32	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	131 40	.....	.....
Box for Distribution.....	40 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	5 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	25 00
" Apportionment.....	.....	.....	5 00
" Epiphany Offering .....	.....	.....	4 02
" Colegrove Mission.....	.....	.....	5 00
" Famine Sufferers in Japan .....	.....	.....	10 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	3 00

Pasadena — Continued.**Junior Auxiliary (\$96.79)**

	Valuation of Boxes.	Altar Furnishings.	Cash.
Box to Indians, San Diego County.....	\$ 13 09	\$	\$
“ San Francisco Sufferers	15 00	.....	.....
“ Tanana, Alaska.....	30 80	.....	.....
“ Good Samaritan Hospital.....	21 40	.....	.....
“ C. T. & D. H.....	4 50	.....	.....
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	5 00
“ Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	.....	.....	5 00
“ General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	1 50
“ United Offering .....	.....	.....	50

Altar Department (\$61.25)

Cash to Altar Fund, Altar Guild .....	.....	.....	5 00
“ Altar Fund, Woman's Auxiliary.....	.....	.....	10 00
“ Altar Fund, individual pledge.....	.....	.....	5 00
1 Dossal to St. Luke's, Long Beach .....	.....	5 00	.....
1 Dossal to St. Matthias' Chapel, Los Angeles .....	.....	4 00	.....
1 Silk Chalice Veil to “ “ .....	.....	8 00	.....
1 Silk Burse to “ “ .....	.....	4 00	.....
2 Linen Chalice Veils to All Saints', Oxnard .....	.....	3 00	.....
1 Corporal .....	.....	1 00	.....
1 Pall.....	.....	75	.....
2 Purificators	50
1 Chasible to Ascension, Los Angeles.....	10 00

Babies' Branch (\$34.50)

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United Offering (\$33.71)

Cash to United Offering Fund.....	33.71
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Young Woman's Branch (\$117.80)

Easter Box to Diocesan Missionary.....	30 00
Cash to Hymnals and Prayer Books, Alaska.....	1 80
“ Hospital of the Good Shepherd, Fort Defiance.....	.....	.....	6 00
“ Nurses' Fund, Church of the Neighborhood.....	.....	.....	60 00
“ Furnishing Nurses' House, Church of the Neighborhood.....	.....	.....	20 00

Pomona, St. Paul's Church (\$54.05)

Two Christmas Boxes to Diocesan Missionaries.....	12 75	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	29 30	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	5 00
“ Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	5 00
“ San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
“ Alaska Freight.....	.....	.....	1 00

Pomona — Continued.

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Junior Auxiliary (\$84.70)			
Box to Tanana, Alaska	\$ 20 00	\$	\$
Cash to Domestic Missions .....	.....	.....	3 00
" Bishop Van Buren.....	.....	.....	5 00
" Japan Sufferers.....	.....	.....	5 00
" Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	.....	.....	5 00
" Church of the Neighborhood.....	.....	.....	35 00
" General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" St. Paul's, Tokyo.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Altar Guild .....	.....	.....	2 00
" Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	6 70
Altar Department (\$2.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
Babies' Brauch (\$9.20)			
.....	.....	.....	9 20

Redlands, Trinity Church (\$146.50)

Two Boxes of Oranges and Jelly to Hospital of the Good Samaritan	7 50	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	15 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	10 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	50 00
" Apportionment.....	.....	.....	50 00
" Diocesan House.....	.....	.....	10 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	4 00
Junior Auxiliary, St. Agnes' Branch (\$60.47)			
Box to Good Samaritan Hospital.....	4 50	.....	.....
Box to Trinity Settlement	8 45	.....	.....
Four Boxes to Church of the Neighborhood..	.....	.....	.....
Cash to General Missions.....	.....	.....	16 52
" Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	.....	.....	5 00
" Diocesan Indians.....	.....	.....	20 00
" General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Trinity Settlement.....	.....	.....	5 00
Little Helpers' Branch (\$30.50)			
Box to Indians, Deaconess Miller	10 30	.....	.....
" Alaska.....	6 00	.....	.....
" Settlement.....	7 50	.....	.....
Cash to Indians, San Diego County .....	.....	.....	2 00
" Alaska, candy.....	.....	.....	1 70
" General Missions.....	.....	.....	3 00
Altar Department (\$2.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
Babies' Branch (\$8.75)			
.....	.....	.....	8 75
United Offering (\$52.00)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	52 00

Riverside, All Saints' Church (\$221.60)

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Christmas Box to Deaconess Miller, La Jolla			
Reservation	\$ 93 50	\$	\$
Box to Church of the Neighborhood Mission	24 10	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	10 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	15 00
" Christmas Box .....	.....	.....	20 00
" Alaska Box.....	.....	.....	25 00
" Deaconess Miller, La Jolla Reserva- tion .....	.....	.....	10 00
" Apportionment.....	.....	.....	15 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund .....	.....	.....	2 00
" Entertainment Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" Alaska Freight.....	.....	.....	5 00

Junior Auxiliary (\$35.25)

Box to Good Samaritan Hospital.....	10 00	.....	.....
" Indians, San Diego County.....	7 50	.....	.....
" Tanana, Alaska	5 25	.....	.....
" C. T. & D. H.....	4 50	.....	.....
Cash to Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	.....	.....	4 00
" St. Paul's, Tokyo.....	.....	.....	1 00
" General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Birthday Bed Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00

Altar Department (\$7.00)

Cash to Altar Fund, Altar Guild .....	.....	.....	2 00
" Altar Fund, Woman's Auxiliary.....	5 00

United Offering (\$32.30)

Cash to United Offering Fund.....	32 30
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San Bernardino, St. John's Church (\$71.95)

Christmas Box to Diocesan Missionary	2 75
Easter Box to Tanana.....	43 25	.....	.....
Magazines to Fairbanks, Alaska & San Pedro	4 95	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	2 50
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	5 00
" Apportionment.....	12 50
" Entertainment Fund	1 00

Altar Department (\$1.00)

Cash to Altar Fund.....	1 00
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United Offering (\$1.15)

Cash to United Offering Fund.....	1 15
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	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
San Diego, St. Paul's Church (\$385.65)			
Christmas Box to Domestic Missionary.....	\$ 40 40	\$	\$
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	94 10	.....	.....
Box to Miss Thackara's Hospital, Fort De- fiance, Arizona.....	33 15	.....	.....
Box for Distribution to Missionaries.....	175 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	15 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	15 00
" Apportionment.....	.....	.....	10 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	3 00
Altar Department (\$21.15)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
1 Cassock to St. Michael's, Carlsbad.....	.....	20 15	.....
Babies' Branch (\$1.00)			
.....	.....	.....	1 00
United Offering (\$8.35)			
Cash to United Offering, St. Paul's Church ..	.....	.....	6 35
" United Offering, St. James' Mission.	.....	.....	2 00

San Gabriel, Church of the Saviour (\$30.00)

Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00
" Christmas Box .....	.....	.....	10 00
" Alaska Box .....	.....	.....	15 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
Altar Department (\$1.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
United Offering (\$16.00)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	.....	.....	16 00

Santa Ana, Church of the Messiah (\$91.00)

Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	66 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	.....	.....	12 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	.....	.....	6 00
" Apportionment.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Colegrove Mission.....	.....	.....	3 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Entertainment Fund.....	.....	.....	1 00
" Alaska Freight.....	.....	.....	1 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$6.00)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	6 00	.....	.....
Altar Department (\$2.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	.....	.....	2 00

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Santa Barbara, Trinity Church (\$258.00)			
Two boxes to Church of the Neighborhood..	\$ 50 00	\$	\$
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	118 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....	5 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	5 00
" Christmas Box	25 00
" General Missions.....	12 50
" Foreign Missions	12 50
" Domestic Missionary's Wife.....	20 00
" Alaska Freight.....	10 00
Altar Department (\$5.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	5 00
United Offering (\$33.14)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	33 14
Santa Monica, St. Augustine-by-the-Sea (\$70.00)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	47 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund	6 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	6 00
" Apportionment.....	6 00
" Colegrove Mission.....	3 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund	1 00
" Alaska Freight	1 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$28.52)			
Box to Good Samaritan Hospital.....	2 70	.....	.....
" Tanana, Alaska	6 00	.....	.....
" Indians, San Diego County	8 00	.....	.....
Cash to Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	3 00
" United Offering	2 00
" General Working Fund.....	1 00
" Birthday Bed Fund.....	5 82
Altar Department (\$6.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....	3 00
3 Purificators to All Saints', Oxnard.....	1 00	.....
3 Purificators to St. Paul's, Ventura.....	1 00	.....
3 Purificators to Trinity Mission, Escondido	1 00	.....
United Offering (\$67.70)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....	67 70
San Pedro, St. Peter's Mission			
Junior Auxiliary (\$3.50)			
Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	3 50
Altar Department (\$6.00)			
1 Chalice to St. Matthias', Los Angeles.....	6 00	.....

	Valua- tion of Boxes.	Altar Furnish- ings.	Cash.
Santa Paula, St. Paul's Mission (\$182.80)			
Christmas Box to Deaconess Miller, La Jolla			
Reservation.....	\$ 41 30	\$	\$
Box for Distribution to Missionaries.....	28 25	.....	.....
Box for Diocesan Missionary.....	25 00	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	73 25	.....	.....
Box to San Francisco Sufferers.....	12 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....			1 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....			1 00
" Alaska Freight.....			1 00
Altar Department (\$1.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....			1 00
Babies' Branch (\$0.50)			
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Sierra Madre, Ascension Mission (\$51.60)			
Box of Preserved Fruit to Hospital of the			
Good Samaritan.....	3 60	.....	.....
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	40 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....			3 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....			3 00
" Colegrove Mission.....			1 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....			1 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$8.13)			
Box to Indians, San Diego County.....	4 00	.....	.....
Cash to Bishop Johnson Scholarship ..			1 50
" Birthday Bed Fund.....			2 63
Altar Department (\$1.00)			
Cash to Altar Fund.....			1 00
United Offering (\$13.45)			
Cash to United Offering Fund.....			13 45
South Pasadena, St. Andrew's Mission (\$64.00)			
Easter Box to Tanana, Alaska.....	54 00	.....	.....
Cash to General Working Fund.....			2 00
" Bishop's Missionary Fund.....			3 00
" Colegrove Mission.....			2 00
" San Francisco Relief Fund.....			1 00
" Alaska Freight.....			2 00
Junior Auxiliary (\$41.82)			
Box to Deaconess Miller, Indians	3 00	.....	.....
" Tanana, Alaska	33 10	.....	.....
Cash to Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....			60
" To Birthday Bed Fund.....			5 12

South Pasadena — Continued.

Altar Department (\$2.00)

	Valuation of Boxes.	Altar Furnishings.	Cash.
Cash to Altar Guild.....	\$	\$	\$ 2 00

United Offering (\$11.00)

Cash to United Offering Fund.....	11 00
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Secretary's Branch

Junior Auxiliary (\$1.25)

Cash to Birthday Bed Fund.....	1 25
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Whittier, St. Matthias' Mission (\$4.50)

Cash to General Working Fund.....	1 00
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“ Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	1 00
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“ Colegrove Mission.....	1 50
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“ San Francisco Relief Fund.....	1 00
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Altar Department (\$1.00)

Cash to Altar Fund.....	1 00
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SUMMARY.

Total Values.	Valuation of Boxes.	Cash.	Grand Total.
Woman's Auxiliary	\$2,674 49	\$1,336 37	\$4,010 86
Junior Auxiliary	540 09	311 25	851 34
Young Woman's Auxiliary	30 00	87 80	117 80
United Offering.....	548 60
Altar Department.....	289 95	121 00	410 95
Babies' Branch.....	106 18
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REPORT OF THE TREASURER

In Account with the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Los Angeles for the Year ending May 11, 1906.

GENERAL WORKING FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand, May 16, 1905.....	\$	436	78
From pledges to General Working Fund		173	65

From Offerings:

Quarterly Meeting, Long Beach, May 14, 1905.....	\$26	30	
Quarterly Meeting, St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, February 13, 1906.....	6	60—	32 90

For Church Periodicals, Club Headquarters:

St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral.....	\$1	00	
Sierra Madre.....	1	00	
Pasadena.....	1	00	
Pasadena, All Saints'.....	1	00	
Redlands.....	1	00—	5 00

Church Periodical Club, in the Diocese:

Redlands (personal).....	\$ 1	00	
San Gabriel (personal)	5	00	
Riverside.....	3	00	
San Gabriel.....	20	00	
Pasadena (personal).....	3	00	
St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral (personal).....	5	00—	37 00

General Missions:

San Bernardino.....	\$ 5	00
Los Angeles, St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral.....	4	00
Santa Monica.....	6	00

DISBURSEMENTS.

Church of the Neighborhood, T. C. Marshall	\$10	00
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Christmas Boxes	163	36
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Diocesan Missions:

Emma B. Grebe.....	\$ 6	00
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Traveling Expenses, Diocesan Missionaries.....	50	00
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Traveling Expenses, Eleanor Pallister....	3	00—	59 00
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Annual Meeting Luncheon	55	00
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Postage and Stationery	85	12
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Church Periodical Club in the Diocese.....	5	00
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Church Periodical Club, General, Alice Hubbard.....	36	00
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C. P. Club, for Headquarters, W. W. McDonough.....	5	00
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Redlands.....	30 00	
Redlands.....	20 00	
Santa Ana.....	1 00	
Los Angeles, St. John's.....	10 00	
Los Angeles, St. Paul's.....	4 25	
Ontario.....	10 00	
Santa Barbara.....	25 00	
San Bernardino, St. John's.....	12 50	
Coronado, Christ Church.....	10 00	
Riverside, All Saints'.....	15 00	
Long Beach, St. Luke's.....	5 00	
Pasadena, All Saints'.....	5 00	
Los Angeles, Epiphany.....	5 00	
Los Angeles, St. Paul's.....	8 00	
Los Angeles, Christ Church.....	15 00—	190 75

Foreign Missions:

Los Angeles, St. Paul's.....	8 00	
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Spirit of Missions:

Los Angeles, St. Paul's.....	6 00	
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Epiphany Offerings:

January 10, 1906, Redlands.....	\$5 00	
January 10, 1906, Pasadena.....	4 02	
January 12, 1906, Los Angeles, Epiphany..	65	
February 7, 1906, St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral	2 65	
February 14, 1906, Los Angeles, St. John's	2 20—	14 52

Entertainment:

May 17, 1905, Los Angeles, Ascension.....	\$ 3 00	
June 7, 1905, Los Angeles, St. John's.....	11 00	
July 12, 1905, St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral....	10 00	
December 4, 1905, Long Beach.....	2 00	
March 7, 1906, Riverside.....	2 00	
March 8, 1906, Santa Ana.....	1 00	
April 6, 1906, Anaheim, St. Michael's.....	1 00	
April 30, 1906, San Bernardino, St. John's	1 00—	31 00

Books:

Emma B. Grebe.....	\$ 3 80	
Elizabeth Wood for Boone School Library	15 00—	18 80
City Missionary Work, Thos. C. Marshall.....		3 35
Education of Clergymen's Sons.....		25 00
Clerical Suits.....		91 25
Deaconess S. R. Miller..		15 00
Repairing Church at Colegrove, Joseph H. Johnson ...		75 00
Traveling Expenses:		
Diocesan President.....	\$8 00	
Speakers at Quarterly Meeting.....	6 65—	14 65
Salary of General Missionary, check to W. C. Mushet		26 30
Printing.....		99 08
Miscellaneous.....		4 65

Diocesan House:

June 15, 1905, Auxiliary Meeting.....	\$10 00	
June 16, 1905, Redlands	10 00	
June 23, 1905, Los Angeles, Ascension	5 00	
July 1, 1905, St. John's, L. A. (personal). ..	25 00	
October 10, 1905, St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral (personal)	5 00—	55 00

Diocesan Missions:

To aid in repair of Colegrove Church—

Orange.....	\$ 3 00	
Los Angeles, Ascension.....	2 25	
Los Angeles, St. Paul's.....	3 00	
Los Angeles, Christ Church.....	3 00	
Los Angeles, Epiphany.....	3 00	
Los Angeles, All Saints'.....	1 00	
Los Angeles, St. Athanasius'.....	2 00	
Anaheim.....	3 00	
Pasadena, All Saints.....	5 00	
Santa Ana.....	3 00	
Long Beach, Junior Auxiliary.....	3 00	
Santa Monica.....	3 00	
Covina.....	1 00	
Sierra Madre.....	1 00	
South Pasadena.....	2 00	
Hollywood.....	2 00	
Whittier.....	1 50	
Los Angeles, St. Paul's, Missionary Teas.	20 00	
Pasadena, All Saints', (personal).....	15 00	
Pasadena, All Saints', (personal).....	5 00	
Los Angeles, St. John's (personal).....	15 00	
Los Angeles, St. Paul's (personal).....	15 00	
Check returned by Mrs. M. A. Bugbee ...	1 15	
Text books for Missions Class.....	4 50—	117 60

Special Offerings:

Annual Meeting, 1905, morning.....	\$38 72	
Annual Meeting, 1905, afternoon.....	40 46	

Special Offerings:

Oct. 26, 1905, Missionary Work in Japan,
Uta Hayashi.....\$15 00

Jan. 29, 1906, L. B. Ridgely, China, check
to Geo. C. Thomas..... 3 70

Feb. 21, 1906, Missions in Japan, Miss
Wall..... 10 00— 28 70

Bishop Restarick:

Jan. 4, 1906.....\$50 00 4

Jan. 29, 1906..... 20 00— 70 00

Los Angeles, St. Athanasius'.....	1 00	
Ontario, Christ Church.....	50	
Los Angeles, Epiphany.....	50	
Los Angeles, St. Luke's.....	50	
St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral.....	18 70	
Long Beach, St. Luke's.....	1 00	
Los Angeles, St. Athanasius', Jr. Aux.....	1 00	
Ontario, Christ Church, Junior Auxiliary.....	50	
Los Angeles, St. Luke's, Junior Auxiliary.....	1 00	
Anaheim, St. Michael's, Junior Auxiliary.....	50	
Redlands, St. Agnes' Guild.....	20 00	
Santa Monica, St. Augustine's.....	1 00	
Redlands.....	1 00	
Corona.....	50	
Specials.....	6 30	
Specials.....	7 50	
St. Paul's, Tokyo, Church of the Neigh- borhood.....	50	
Quiet Day.....	20 00—	161 38

Bishop Restarick:

January 3, 1906, Woman's Auxiliary, St. Paul's (personal).....	\$50 00	
Jan. 16, St. Paul's, L. A., Missionary Tea.....	3 80	
Oct. 6, 1905, St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral.....	5 00—	58 80

Christmas Boxes:

Los Angeles, All Saints'.....	\$ 3 00	
Anaheim, St. Michaels'.....	1 85	
Los Angeles, St. Luke's.....	5 00	
Quarterly Meeting, Santa Ana.....	10 00	
Santa Barbara.....	25 00	
Riverside.....	20 00	
Long Beach.....	4 00	
Los Angeles, Ascension.....	2 25	
Ontario.....	3 00	
Ocean Park.....	50	
Covina.....	3 00	
San Gabriel.....	10 00—	88 10

George C. Thomas:

General Work of Girls' School, St. Augustine, N. C.....	\$25 00	
General Missions.....	50 00	
General Missions.....	75 00	
Mission in Cuba.....	25 00	
Mission in Brazil.....	25 00	
Children's Ward Hospital.....	10 00	
Sundries.....	3 00	
Hospital, Ft. Defiance, Arizona.....	25 00	
St. Luke's Hospital, Porto Rico.....	10 00	
Education of Mountain Whites in Ken- tucky.....	10 00	
Bishop Leonard Memorial.....	25 00	
<i>Spirit of Missions</i>	4 00—	287 00

San Francisco Sufferers:

Los Angeles, Epiphany.....	\$ 1 00	
Long Beach, St. Luke's.....	2 00	
Carlsbad.....	1 00	
St. Athanasius'	2 00	
Los Angeles, All Saints'.....	1 00	
Oxnard.....	1 00	
Redlands.....	3 00	
Los Angeles, St. Matthias' Chapel	40 00	
“ St. John's (personal)	7 00	
“ St. Luke's.....	3 50	
“ St. Paul's.....	5 00	
“ St. John's.....	3 00	
Santa Ana.....	1 00	
Santa Monica.....	1 00	
Sierra Madre.....	1 00	
San Gabriel	1 00	
Covina	1 00	
Hemet.....	1 00	
Coronado.....	2 00	
Ontario.....	2 00	
Hollywood	2 00	
Garvanza.....	1 00	
Riverside.....	2 00	
Pomona.....	1 00	
San Diego.....	3 00	
South Pasadena.....	1 00	
Whittier.....	1 00	
Donation.....	9 00—	100 00

Bishop Johnson Memorial Bed—Good Samaritan

Hospital, gift from Diocesan Officers.....	100 00
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Famine Sufferers—Japan:

Pasadena, All Saints'.....	\$10 00	
St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral.....	15 00—	25 00

Treasurer's Bond.....	5 00
San Francisco Sufferers, Rt. Rev. W. J. Nichols for Woman's Auxiliary of California.....	100 00
Bishop Johnson Memorial Bed, Good Samaritan Hos- pital, Geo. C. Parsons.....	100 00
Famine Sufferers, Japan.. ..	50 00
St. Paul's School, Tokyo.....	5 00
Missionary Class Books.....	4 50

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Sundry Accounts:

Babies' Branch.....	\$102 82
United Offering.....	535 30
Birthday Bed.....	123 44
Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	388 00
Altar Fund.....	121 00
Indian Missions.....	52 42

Miscellaneous:

Easter Box, Bishop Restarick.....	\$ 2 00	
St. Paul's School, Tokyo, from St. Agnes' Guild, St. John the Baptist, Corona	50	
Postage returned.....	9 92	
Interest for 1905 from Legacy and Kellogg Memorial.....	18 80	
Check returned by Mary A. Bugbee.....	65—	31 87

Sundry Accounts:

Babies' Branch.....	93 82	
United Offering.....	535 30	
Birthday Bed	123 44	
Bishop's Missionary Fund	400 00	
Altar Fund	124 00	
Indian Missions.....	13 70	
Bishop Johnson Scholarship	53 60	
George F. Bugbee Scholarship.....	8 00	
Alaska Freight.....	145 20	
Laurence B. Ridgely Scholarship.....	5 00	

Total received.....\$3,175 41

Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	50 00	
George F. Bugbee Scholarship.....	25 00	
Alaska Freight.....	210 76	
Laurence B. Ridgely Scholarship	50 00—	1,658 74
Total disbursements.....	\$3,126 00	

Balance in State Bank and Trust Co.....49 41

\$3,175 41

BABIES' BRANCH.

May 17, 1905, Balance on hand.....	\$ 41 27	
May 11, 1906, Received to date.....	93 82	

\$ 135 09

To George C. Thomas.....	\$ 30 00	
To St. Luke's Hospital, Shanghai, China.....	10 00	
To Orphanage, Cape Palmas.....	10 00	
To Bishop Brooks' Work	10 00	
To Annual Pledge.....	10 00	
To Hospital, Raleigh	10 00	
To Orphanage, Osaka	10 00	
To United Offering.....	2 82	
To Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	10 00	
Balance	32 27	

\$ 135 09

UNITED OFFERING.

May 11, 1906, Received to date.....	\$ 535 30	Deposited in Security Savings Bank.....	\$ 269 21
		Deposited in Security Savings Bank.....	266 09
	<u>\$ 535 30</u>		<u>\$ 535 30</u>

BIRTHDAY BED FUND.

May 11, 1906, Received to date.....	\$ 123 44	Deposited in Security Savings Bank.....	\$ 84 39
		Deposited in Security Savings Bank.....	39 05
	<u>\$ 123 44</u>		<u>\$ 123 44</u>

BISHOP'S MISSIONARY FUND.

May 11, 1906, Received to date.....	\$ 400 00	To Bishop Joseph H. Johnson.....	\$ 388 00
		Balance.....	12 00
	<u>\$ 400 00</u>		<u>\$ 400 00</u>

ALTAR FUND.

May 11, 1906, Received to date.....	\$ 124 00.	Isabel G. B. Johnson.....	\$ 121 00
		Balance	3 00
	<u>\$ 124 00</u>		<u>\$ 124 00</u>

INDIAN MISSIONS.

May 11, 1906, Received to date.....	\$ 13 70	Swanfeldt Tent & Awning Co.....	\$ 10 25
Balance.....	38 72	Supplies for Deaconess Miller.....	20 25
		S. R. Miller.....	3 00
		J. W. Robinson	12 25
		Emma B. Grebe.....	6 67
	<u>\$ 52 42</u>		<u>\$ 52 42</u>

BISHOP JOHNSON SCHOLARSHIP.

May 17, 1905, Balance on hand.....	\$ 3 55	To George C. Thomas.....	\$ 50 00
May 11, 1906, Received to date.....	53 60	Balance.....	7 15
	<u>\$ 57 15</u>		<u>\$ 57 15</u>

GEORGE F. BUGBEE SCHOLARSHIP.

Girls' School, St. Paul's River, Africa:

May 11, 1906, Received to date.....	\$ 8 00	To George C. Thomas.....	\$ 25 00
Balance	17 00		
	<u>\$ 25 00</u>		<u>\$ 25 00</u>

ALASKA FREIGHT.

May 17, 1905, Balance on hand.....	\$ 32 79	To Jones' Book Store.....	\$ 24 73
May 11, 1906, Received to date.....	145 20	Mary A. Bugbee	15 12
Balance	32 77	Mary A. Bugbee	44 50
		John Emery	99 41
		Miss Langdon.....	5 00
		Margaret Hoare, Alaska.....	20 00
		Helen Jarvis.....	2 00
	<u>\$ 210 76</u>		<u>\$ 210 76</u>

LAURENCE B. RIDGELY SCHOLARSHIP.

May 11, 1906, Received to date.....	\$ 5 00	May 17, 1905, Balance.....	\$ 50 00
Balance	95 00	To George C. Thomas..	50 00
	<u>\$ 100 00</u>		<u>\$ 100 00</u>

LEGACY AND KELLOGG MEMORIAL.

May 17, 1905, Balance.....	\$ 470 00	To Balance in Security Savings Bank.....	\$ 470 00
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SUMMARY

1905.

Balance on hand May 17, 1905.....	\$ 436 78
Received to May 11, 1906.....	2,738 63
	<u>\$3,175 41</u>
Disbursements	3,151 00
	<u>\$24 41</u>

DEPOSIT FUND.

Last report.....	\$1,488 11
Received since	658 74
Interest.....	36 70
	<u>\$2,183 55</u>

CASH IN RESPECTIVE FUNDS.

Altar Fund.....	\$ 3 00
Bishop Johnson Scholarship.....	7 15
Babies' Branch.....	32 27
Bishop's Missionary Fund.....	12 00
	<u>\$54 42</u>
Less overdraft on General Working Fund.....	5 01
	<u>\$49 41</u>

EMILY A. BROWN, Treasurer.

. An additional check of \$30.00 was sent to Bishop Nichols for the Relief Fund after the accounts were closed, making \$130.00. Also pledges received from several branches too late to be entered on the Treasurer's Report or Detailed Statement.

CONSTITUTION.

I. This Society shall be called THE LOS ANGELES BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

II. The object of the Society is: By systematic and united effort, to diffuse missionary intelligence, to increase missionary activity among the women of the Diocese, to promote the study of missions, and to encourage prayer for missions.

III. The Church itself is the great Missionary Society, and every person, by baptism, becomes a member of this Society; therefore, every baptized woman in the Diocese is a member of the Woman's Auxiliary. But terms of membership in any parish branch shall be fixed by that branch.

IV. All Parish Societies that so desire may become branches of this Auxiliary, first obtaining the consent of the Rector or Clergyman-in-charge, by appointing a Secretary and notifying the President of their intention to work in unison with the Auxiliary.

V. A President, a First Vice-President, a Vice-President over such divisions of the Diocese as the Bishop may counsel, a Corresponding Secretary, a Recording Secretary, a Treasurer, a Secretary of the Junior Department, a Secretary of the Babies' Branch, a Directress of the Altar Department, a Correspondent of the Church Periodical Club, a Secretary of the Missions Classes, and an officer over any other department that may be formed, shall be appointed by the Bishop.

VI. The Annual Meeting shall be held at the time of the Diocesan Convention, and Quarterly Meetings on such dates and in such places as the President may appoint. General meetings may be arranged by the Vice-Presidents, in their respective districts.

VII. An Annual Quiet Day shall be held during the season of Advent.

BY-LAWS.

1. The duty of the President shall be to preside at the meetings of the Society, and have general charge of the work, under the direction of the Bishop. The First Vice-President shall act for the President in her absence, and assist her in the care and oversight of the work. The duty of the other Vice-Presidents shall be to preside in the absence of the President at the general meetings held in their several charges, and to co-operate with the President in the supervision of the work of the Auxiliary in the sections to which they respectively belong.
2. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary, under the direction of the President, to correspond with the General Secretary of the Auxiliary and the various branches of the Diocese, to furnish them with work, to collect their reports, and to prepare an annual report.
3. The duty of the Recording Secretary shall be to give notice of meetings, to keep a record of such meetings, and to prepare an abstract of the minutes for the annual report.
4. The Treasurer shall keep an account of all moneys received and expended, and make a report at the Annual Meeting.
5. The Secretary of the Junior Department, the Secretary of the Babies' Branch, the Directress of the Altar Department, the Correspondent of the Church Periodical Club, and the Secretary of the Missions Classes shall superintend their several departments, in consultation with the other Diocesan Officers.
6. The Secretaries of Parish Branches are required to correspond with the Diocesan Officers, who *alone correspond* with the General Secretary and the Secretaries of the Board of Missions, and transmit to them all moneys.
7. Each Parish Branch shall make an annual pledge, according to its ability, to the current expenses and work of the Diocesan Branch, and also to the Bishop's Missionary Fund for Diocesan work.
8. At the Annual Meeting each branch represented shall be entitled to but one vote on business of general import.

This Constitution and By-Laws may be amended by a motion being made at the Annual Meeting, and voted on the following year.

Address of the President.

To the Right Reverend the Bishop and Woman's Auxiliary:

Our tenth anniversary, which we celebrate today, makes this Annual Meeting one of unusual interest; and the nature of this report becomes naturally a review, retrospective to old members, and to others a page of history.

When we speak of our tenth anniversary, let no one suppose that Auxiliary work in Los Angeles and vicinity has been carried on only ten years; for he who runs may read, and by reading the yearly reports of the Diocese of California, will learn that the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions was established in 1880, and soon thereafter we find records of branches in and about Los Angeles working under the San Francisco leadership. St. Paul's, Los Angeles, Pasadena, Santa Ana and Santa Barbara are among the very first names appearing on the list of contributors, and in the first detailed report, printed in San Francisco in 1883-4, we find under Los Angeles "Miss Emma Grebe's Sunday-school class, box to Quinafelt Agency, \$8.40."

In the Eighth Annual Report, 1888, Mrs. Lawver, the Diocesan Secretary, says: "The Los Angeles branch deserves special mention, not only for its good work, but on account of the position it will assume as a focus for the larger *diocesan* work in the years soon coming. Regularly organized in May, 1887, it holds monthly meetings for the transaction of business and the diffusion of missionary intelligence. It has seven collectors besides the usual officers, and sixty regular contributors giving from ten cents to a dollar per month. The Secretary and other chief movers in this work were 'Auxiliaries' in their Eastern homes, and coming to a new diocese were glad to take up the old work. It reports: Vestments, clerical furnishings, clothing to missionaries, and cash, \$331.70."

Our own dear Miss Towell was in particular *the* especial one of these "Easterners," who established the first Auxiliary work in Los Angeles, and it is our privilege and pleasure to have her wise guidance and unabated interest continuing with us.

The Ninth Annual Report, of 1899, states: "In the Auxiliary of St. Paul's, Los Angeles, the high standard of last year's work has

been maintained. It has given in boxes and Church furnishings \$178.75; in cash, \$76.50; total, \$225.25. During Lent the branch Secretary (Miss Towell) organized the 'Little Missionaries,' a most precious band. Their simple work is planned to educate them rather than to add largely to mission receipts. Total receipts from Los Angeles, 1899, \$264.60. The Pasadena branch, though feeling the demand upon it of church building, continues its missionary labors zealously, and reports boxes, \$59.25; cash, \$45.10; total, \$104.35." It is thus early in the history of the Pasadena branch that we find the name of Miss Wotkyns as Secretary, and today she is one of our diocesan officers.

This same report continues: "To our strong branches is this year added another, which so far reaches an ideal as to here merit detailed notice. On June 13th the mission chapter of St. Paul's Guild, San Diego, which had before this done good missionary work, became a branch of our Auxiliary. Meetings are held weekly, the third of the month being made an instruction meeting, to which members contribute articles and items of interest. Dues of active members were placed at 15 cents a month and honorary members 50 cents. The varied and valuable work which it has completed with so little help from diocesan officers is shown in this result: Cash, \$118.00; boxes, \$407.10; total, \$525.10, and the juvenile branch giving to St. James' Church Sunday-school \$17.50, made a total from St. Paul's, San Diego, of \$542.60." It was during this year that the Riverside branch joined.

In 1890 Mrs. Lawver reports: "The first society to join the Junior Auxiliary was the Little Missionaries of St. Paul's branch Sunday-school, Los Angeles. They include boys as well as girls, and a *boy* treasurer guards the funds. Seventeen members, each giving a penny a week and spending an hour sewing and making picture books. They have started a birthday fund, and during this year these Juniors have given \$32.25, the total by St. Paul's, Los Angeles, being \$364.30."

In 1891 Pasadena sent its first missionary box, valued at \$90.00, and its total with cash offerings shows \$131.00. During this year many new branches from the south added their names—Escondido, Oceanside, Coronado, Ventura, Pomona, Santa Monica, Los Angeles Epiphany and Los Angeles Ascension.

In 1892, in St. Paul's, Los Angeles, one of the missionary boxes was undertaken with 90 cents in its treasury. When finished, the box was valued at \$108.00. "How is this for faith and works?" asked the Secretary.

And so the organization grew until in the report of the Sixteenth Annual Meeting, held in St. Luke's Church, San Francisco, Bishop Nichols presiding, we read: "It was our privilege to hear a most stirring sermon from Bishop Johnson. Surely every one must have awakened to a new sense in regard to domestic missions as the Bishop described the possibilities of the work, the extent and resources of the country, the need of the work, the influx of foreigners forgetful of religion and exposed to new temptations. We indeed felt that domestic missions are our best service to our country as well as a duty to God." This was *our* Bishop's first missionary sermon, and Bishop Nichols, in his charge to the Auxiliary, dwelt upon the division of the branch which should give better opportunity for developing the territory within each new organization.

In Mrs. Lawver's report on this eventful occasion we read: "Today I have the unique privilege of presenting to two bishops the record of one work, and in welcoming the Bishop of Los Angeles to this, the other half of his Auxiliary—for we claim him as our own—for one short day we defy ecclesiastical canons, scorn precedent and set up two bishops in equal authority over one territory, the loyal hearts of the yet undivided branch—hearts which no division of the diocese can sunder." At the end of that day's business the same Secretary concludes: "And now farewell. To what shall I liken this parting? We see on some plant of our care a vigorous branch shooting upward and outward, blossoming, fruiting, bristling with twigs that divide its duty of giving and taking. We look again, the branch has divided and now there are two, the same fiber though they grow apart, always the same sap, but more twiglets, more leaves, more blossoms and fruit. Thus may it be with us—two branches reaching upward to one source of energy, our roots one, one world to bless, parting only that we may give more widely of our protecting love. And so it is not farewell, but good-bye. God be with us both, and of His perfect love give us a perfect work to do." And thus we reached the parting of the ways.

On May 25, 1896, on the day preceding the First Annual Convention of the Diocese of Los Angeles, Bishop Johnson held a primary meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary and appointed the first officers. Twenty-three parish branches and ten Juniors composed the new diocesan organization, seventy-seven remaining in the northern diocese. During this meeting a telegram was received from Mrs. Lawver bearing a touching message of loving greeting from the Auxiliary in the north to the new diocesan branch.

In the report of this primary meeting, Mrs. Kellogg, the first President, said: "We are entering upon our new life as a separate diocesan

branch, a little twig as yet, but destined, we hope, to grow to a fair flowering and a goodly fruitage. Let us then prove our loyalty to our new Bishop whose soul is in the cause of missions; to the Board of Missions whose handmaids we are; to the Church in her greatest work, and to our Blessed Lord in the zeal with which we enter upon our first year's work."

In answer to which Bishop Johnson said in part: "I have already indicated my interest in this Woman's Auxiliary. Unlike diocesan and parish organizations, it has behind it the authority of the whole Church. For that reason alone, if for no other, I feel that its work demands the sympathy and aid of the bishops, and that, at the very outset of my episcopate, I ought to make my personal interest understood and felt. It is my desire that every baptized woman in this Diocese should appreciate that, by virtue of her baptism, she is a member of the Auxiliary, and that the Church, by such a broad conception of this society, has imposed upon every woman an obligation to help by prayer and labor the great cause of missions. I beg those who realize this fact to rise up to it, and I entreat women, as I also entreat the clergy, to make this fact widely and generally known."

And so we were established as a separate diocesan branch. The Bishop of Los Angeles took his Auxiliary into his own keeping, and, as predicted, "its future was assured." Under his guidance the earnest-hearted leaders began their duties, and the members of the ever-increasing branches worked faithfully, growing to fair proportions until eight years had passed, when a great meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary was held during the Seventh District Conference. There were present seven bishops and several hundred people, and the Rt. Rev. William F. Nichols, Bishop of California, making his first visit since the division of the diocese, said that as a mother felt pride in seeing her daughter grow in stature to her own height, so he rejoiced to see this young branch grown even to such a height; and later, that most efficient officer, Mrs. Lawver, who had guided our infancy and sent us forth with such tender words of God speed, graciously said that the delegation of California was very proud of the Los Angeles branch, who had grown as "a twin rather than a daughter."

And so today we round the milestone of our first decade and pause a moment to examine the "small twig," looking to see whether it has reached the dimensions so earnestly anticipated by the first President.

In actual number of branches we cannot say we have grown very much. We number only forty-five. Some of our strongest branches of a few years ago have become weaker, some of the weak ones have grown stronger. Some missions which were strong have lost the

services of a clergyman and drifted, and other encouraging instances exist where, even in the absence of clergy and services for years, the Auxiliary alone has held the people together and continued steadfast.

Our numbers have not increased as we would wish. If the call—not of an organization but of the Church—to every baptized woman has not yet brought the full response, it must be that those women who have recognized this moral responsibility have been doubly earnest, for the report of this our tenth year shows results.

The first natural claim upon us is helping the missionaries of our own diocese, and we have responded to every request, and further have insisted upon giving assistance to some who feared to burden us and had to be urged to accept our services. In addition to the Bishop's Auxiliary Fund we raised \$75.00 for his use on the Colegrove Mission, and our Juniors sent full supplies to Mrs. Miller for Christmas needs of the Indian Mission. It was our further privilege to send several Christmas boxes outside the Diocese, and one of the recipients wrote to Miss Emery saying: "We feel very grateful to you for putting our needs in such good hands."

In a letter received this week from Miss Emery, she "hopes" we will surely have our apportionment paid by August, and we have the pleasure of notifying her that our Treasurer sent the last check completing it before this meeting.

We are supplying entirely the needs of the growing mission at Tanana, Alaska, having just shipped fourteen bales of almost entirely new clothing and five boxes, one containing \$25.00 worth of medicine.

Just at the close of our year, with a treasury almost depleted, the payment of all pledges and specials just met, came the appalling news of the destruction of San Francisco by earthquake and fire. Not only messages of sympathy were sent at once from the Auxiliary, but a fund was promptly raised and a check of \$130.00 sent to Bishop Nichols to meet some special needs of our own Churchwomen who might not be assisted through any other agency.

It is a sorrow that we must part from some of our dear co-workers this year. The health of our faithful and devoted Treasurer precludes her acceptance of another term of office, and for like reasons we must lose our very dear Secretary of the Babies' Branch, whose name has been on the working list of diocesan officers during the full span of our ten years of life; and also Mrs. Knox, Vice-President, of Santa Barbara, who was likewise appointed by the Bishop at the primary meeting.

During this year a delightful Missions Study Class has been conducted under exceptionally able leadership. Our new chapels and missions are being supplied under the direction of the Altar Department.

The twenty-two branches of the Junior Department, the Babies' Branch and Church Periodical Club work call for special reports.

The amount of work being accomplished through the energy of our splendid leaders in each department is something to be thankful for, and yet we dare say scarcely a word of thanks, for the spirit in which these officers work is too far above lip praise. The development of the Young Woman's Branch, as shown by their report, is most gratifying.

Besides the contributions in kind, our Treasurer reports a cash total for the year of \$3,175.41. You see the Women, Juniors and Babies have been wide awake. And yet these gratifying results are far from satisfying. While we are in no sense disheartened, this is not the ideal aim we hold in view. I hope there are present many women who have not yet signified their active association with the Woman's Auxiliary, for it is especially to them I would bring my message today.

The members are justified in their sense of pleasure over the results of the year, but increased membership is the only real red-letter mark, and I am convinced that the only reason we have not doubled and tripled the forty-five branches reported, is that the words of our Bishop, the ruling of our Church, the command of our Blessed Lord have not yet reached the understanding of our women. We have heard these same words often, but without hearing their meaning. It is an unintentional though deplorable fact, and I beg every woman present to let this message today reach that inner understanding and recognize the "still small voice" which calls to the fulfilment of the Christ command.

In the State of California there are over ten thousand club women. Shall we be satisfied until the Woman's Auxiliary outnumber any humanly planned organization? We are living in an age when we can all do more than one thing. When it was necessary to make by hand the tallow dip to give light at night, to spin and weave the linen for our clothing, to strike a flint before a fire could be kindled, the possibilities of outside interests were necessarily limited. But now that the touch of a match ignites the gas stove, a turn of a button illuminates our homes, and sewing machines do in an hour what aforetime required days, we *have* time for more outside interests, and it is only a question of adapting our time and thoughts to live a well-rounded, useful and glad life. Club life is full of helpfulness—it develops the mind, it widens opportunity, it teaches organization, and is an undeniable advantage in the lives of very many women; but we can create evil out of that which is good, unless we combine the

varied needs of soul and spirit, and a character is warped when developed on a straight line. If we study the requirements of the Woman's Auxiliary we will find that no woman in this Diocese is too busy to be a member, and when all is said can our consciences presume to disregard the commission placed upon each one of us by our Lord Christ?

Dear members of the Auxiliary, take this thought of personal responsibility for your own. Do not fail in service to your neighbor by not telling her how much we need her. And those of you who are not yet expressed members, consider the fact that a Church life is incomplete without this membership. Let us not wait for tomorrow—all too soon it has become yesterday—only today is our own, only today can we work, only for today is strength promised. Summer is almost here, it is not meant for a season of idleness, but preparation; it is the seed-planting time for the Advent harvest. Let each day as it dawns be *the today* of our best endeavors. "We are haunted by an ideal life, and it is because we have within us the beginning and the possibility of it."

Shall we not one and all go forth from this our tenth anniversary, determined to extend the influence of the Auxiliary, with a renewed sense of personal responsibility?

LILY E. G. HUBERT.

May, 1906.

