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to the
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Including Reports of the
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CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS
of the
MAINE BRANCH
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Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council

I
This organization shall be called the Maine Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council.

II
Its object is to unite all women of the parishes of this Diocese in co-operating as far as possible with plans undertaken by the National Council to extend Christ's Kingdom throughout the world.

III
The officers of this Organization shall be a President, two or more Vice Presidents, a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, an Educational Secretary, a Treasurer, a United Thank Offering Treasurer, a Supply Department Secretary, and an Advisory Board of not more than seven members. The officers and Advisory Committee shall attend to the different branches of missionary work and shall fill all vacancies that shall occur between annual meetings.

IV
This Organization shall hold an Annual Meeting at the time and place of the Annual Diocesan Convention, for the purpose of electing officers, of hearing reports, of electing delegates to the general meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary, and of transacting such other business as may properly come before it. Each parish branch may send two delegates, one of whom shall be preferably an officer. Other parochial groups in union with the diocesan branch and doing Auxiliary work may each send one delegate to the Annual and Quarterly Meetings.

V
The President shall preside at all the meetings, and have a general knowledge of all the work that is in progress.

VI
One of the Vice Presidents shall preside in the absence of the President.

VII
The Recording Secretary shall give a notice of all meetings, keep a record of the same, and prepare the annual report.

VIII
The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Society and be responsible for newspaper notices.

IX
The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all monies sent to her for the work of the Organization upon its order or at the direction of the officers, and shall prepare a report of the same for the Annual Meeting.

X
Five persons shall form a quorum at all meetings.

XI
This constitution may be altered or amended at any annual meeting by a two-thirds vote of the persons present.

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Officers for 1929-1930

HONORARY PRESIDENT, MRS. HERBERT PAYSON, 71 Bowdoin St., *Portland*.
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1ST VICE PRESIDENT, MISS MARGUERITE OGDEN, 53 Clifton St., *Woodfords Station, Portland*.
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5TH VICE PRESIDENT, MRS. THOMAS RANDALL, *Calais*.
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CORRESPONDING SECRETARY, MISS EDITH TRICKEY, 70 Thomas St., *Portland*.
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MRS. H. V. B. NASH, *Wiscasset*.
MRS. D. W. ADAMS, 53 Green St., *Augusta*.
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PUBLICITY AND SPIRIT OF MISSIONS, MISS MARY B. CHADWELL, 99 High St., *Portland*.

Parish Branch Officers

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CAMDEN — *St. Thomas'* — President, Mrs. E. N. Duffy; Secretary, Mrs. George H. Talbot.

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HOUTON — *Good Shepherd* — President, Mrs. Harriett Rhoda; Secretary, Mrs. Theo. H. Hemore, 37 Columbia St.

HULL'S COVE — *Church of Our Father* — President, Mrs. Laura White; Secretary, Miss Mary F. Brewer.

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OLD ORCHARD — *St. John's-by-the-Sea* —

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Trinity — President, Mrs. E. A. Pressey, 119 Coyle St., Woodfords Station; Secretary, Mrs. Sarah B. Thorndike, 21 Rackliff St., Woodfords Station.

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RICHMOND — *St. Mathias* — President, Mrs. Annie Allard; Secretary, Miss Jane I. Harward, 51 Pleasant St.

ROCKLAND — *St. Peter's* — President, Mrs. Arthur Wisner; Secretary, Mrs. Edna Browne, 31 Gay St.

RUMFORD — *St. Barnabas'* — President, Mrs. G. V. Bell; Secretary, Mrs. W. Lee, 213 Waldo St.

SACO — *Trinity* — President, Mrs. Daniel Cleaves, 36 Vernon St.; Secretary, Mrs. P. S. Towle, 51 Green St.

SANFORD — *St. George's* — President, Mrs. John Taylor; Secretary, Mrs. Joseph E. Firth, 8 Tebbetts Ave.

SEAL COVE — *St. Andrew's* — President, Mrs. Nathan Seuallidge, Mt. Desert; Secretary, Mrs. Clinton Gray, Seal Cove.

SOUTHWEST HARBOR — President, Mrs. George Fuller; Secretary, Mrs. Joseph Norwood.

THOMASTON — *St. John Baptist* — President, ———; Secretary, Mrs. J. Pillsbury.

WATERVILLE — *St. Mark's* — President, Mrs. Robert Gay, 10 Center St.; Secretary, Mrs. Rose Smith, 13 Sanger Ave.

WISCASSET — *St. Philip's* — President, Mrs. H. v. B. Nash; Secretary, Mrs. A. W. Kierstead.

Minutes of the Meeting

The 51st Annual Meeting of the Maine Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was held in Bar Harbor, June 27, 1929, this being the 50th anniversary of St. Saviour's Church.

Corporate Communion was made at 7.30, the Bishop being the celebrant, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Patterson, Rev. Mr. Kenyon, Rev. Mr. Davis.

The business meeting opened at 9.30 with the roll call, which showed over a hundred officers, delegates and visitors present, representing thirty branches. The reading of the minutes of the last annual meeting was omitted and they were accepted as printed. The minutes of the mid-winter were read and accepted. Reports of the Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer were read and accepted, the treasurer's report showing \$657.39 on hand. Resolutions were read on the death of Mrs. Brewster, Mrs. Hichborn and Dr. Adams. It was moved and seconded that these be accepted and spread upon the records. The President's address then followed, giving an account of the work of the past year.

The Educational Secretary reported on the work done along educational lines and spoke of a most interesting book, "Roads to the City of God." Report accepted. A letter was read from Miss Grace Denton, expressing her appreciation for the money sent to her by the Auxiliary, and Miss Chadwell urged the reading of "The Spirit of Missions." The chair appointed Miss Caroline Burgess, Mrs. Whitehorn and Mrs. Tubbs as nominating committee and as committee on resolutions of appreciation for hospitality extended to delegates and guests by St. Saviour's parish, Mrs. Burr, Mrs. Moody and Miss Moore.

The report of the Supply Secretary was read and accepted. Voted that all work for the House of the Good Shepherd will, in the future, be allotted to the various branches by the Supply Secretary and that all money for Sister Margaret Mary's use will be paid by the Auxiliary Treasurer to the Treasurer of the House of the Good Shepherd, instead of to Sister Margaret Mary direct, in order that a record of same may appear on the books. The roof has been paid for and personal contributions added to some money on hand is building a sun porch. Sister Margaret Mary expressed her thanks to the friends who made possible her trip abroad last year. The Auxiliary was short \$50 on the apportionment for the House of the Good Shepherd last year and a member of St. Mark's, Augusta, kindly made up the amount required.

Reports were read and accepted from the Altar Society and the Society of Isolated Churchwomen and Miss Ogden spoke of the Correspondent School. The United Thank Offering Treasurer reported on hand to date, \$780.87. Report accepted. Mrs. Drake

spoke of the Bishop's portrait. \$135 is still needed to complete the payment of same. Proposed amendments to the constitution and by-laws were presented by Miss Ogden and after much discussion it was voted that they should be adopted. Noon-day prayers were said by Dr. Saunderson.

Mrs. Henry Hill Pierce, Diocesan President of the Woman's Auxiliary of New York spoke on personal religion and evangelism. The Rev. Stephen Webster, who has recently returned from Liberia, spoke most interestingly of conditions there and of the needs of the people.

Mrs. Sils announced that Mrs. Holt had been appointed chairman of the recruiting committee to secure names of young people who wish to become missionaries, Mrs. Whitehorn, who was previously appointed, being unable to serve. Mrs. Flagg stated that the three years had expired for raising the Boone Library fund and that \$190 had been sent. Mrs. Adams spoke of the Corporate Gift, \$190.75 being the amount received to date.

During luncheon, Mrs. Waterbury spoke of Holiday House, the G. F. S. vacation home, and Miss Ogden on the possibility of regional meetings.

The afternoon session opened at 2.15. The nominating committee reporting as follows: Honorary President, Mrs. Herbert Payson; 6th Vice President, Mrs. James W. Sewall; Educational Secretary, Mrs. Charles Flagg. The names of Mrs. H. v. B. Nash and Mrs. D. W. Adams were added to the Advisory Committee. Mrs. Alfred Brinkler, 2nd Directress of silk embroidery of the Altar Society. All other officers were re-nominated. The Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot and all officers were declared elected.

Mrs. Burr read the resolutions on appreciation and a rising vote of thanks was given to the Rev. and Mrs. Patterson and the Parish of Bar Harbor. Mrs. Sewall was asked to say something on Rural work and she stated that the Rev. Mr. Akley is to attend a conference on this work, to be held this summer in Wisconsin.

An invitation was received and accepted to hold the fall meeting in Wiscasset. Reports were read from the Church School Service Program by Mrs. Sidney Thaxter. These were accepted. Mrs. Thaxter is to have charge of this work and spoke most enthusiastically of plans for the coming year. Reports were given and accepted by the Church Periodical Club, the Girls' Friendly Society, the Church Mission of Help and the Young People's Fellowship. A rising vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Gay for her work and to the retiring officers of the Church School Service Program. Offering for the day was \$99.21. After the benediction by the Bishop, the meeting was adjourned.

CLARA E. ROLFE, *Recording Secretary.*

Report of Corresponding Secretary

Mail sent: Notices for pledges for House of Good Shepherd, July, 1928, 42; post cards for three Board Meetings, Sept., 1928, January and May, 1929, two at home of Mrs. Sills, and one at Miss Trickey's, 92; notices for two Quarterly Meetings, with St. Thomas' Branch at Caribou, Oct., 1928, with Christ Church Branch at Gardiner, Jan., 1929, and Annual Meeting with St. Saviour's Branch at Bar Harbor, June 26-27, 1929, 367; letters, 15; post cards to Vice Presidents and Educational Secretary, concerning reports at Annual Meeting, 7. Total, 523.

Respectfully submitted,
EDITH C. TRICKEY, *Corresponding Secretary.*

Report of Recording Secretary

The Maine Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary has completed fifty years of organized service. In many ways this year has been a most eventful one. In October the triennial was held in Washington and many officers and members of the Auxiliary in Maine were present, representing nearly all departments of service.

The fall meeting was held in Caribou, Nov. 8, 1928, with over 50 officers, delegates and visitors present from 11 branches. Convention reports were given by Bishop Brewster, Mrs. Payson and Mrs. Sills. Mrs. Smith, diocesan president of the W. A. of Kyoto, spoke on the social conditions among the women in Japan. Miss Florence Sanford, Organizing Secretary from the National Office of the Church Mission of Help, told of the general work of the C. M. H. and its aims.

The mid-winter meeting was held in Gardiner, Feb. 12, 1929. The roll call showed 70 officers, delegates and visitors present, representing 12 branches. Miss Margaret I. Marston, Educational Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary was the speaker, her subject being personal religion and evangelism thru education.

Three board meetings have been held. Two with Mrs. Sills in Brunswick and one at the home of Miss Trickey in Portland.

We have lost from our board this year two of our valued members, Mrs. Benjamin Brewster, of our Advisory Committee, and Dr. Eva D. Adams, Treasurer of the Church School Service Program, whose passing to the Great Beyond we sincerely mourn.

We regret the inability of Mrs. Gay and the retiring officers of the Church School Service Program to serve longer and express to them our appreciation for the service they have rendered.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARA E. ROLFE, *Recording Secretary.*

Report of Supply Department Secretary

Madam President and Ladies:

The following is the report of the Box Supply Secretary for the year 1928 and 1929.

ADVENT 1928

LENT 1929

Hallowell — St. Matthew's	2	3.01		4.81						7.82		
Houlton — Good Shepherd	2	4.60		3.30						7.90		
Hull's Cove — Church of our Father	2		15.07			10.05				25.12		
Lewiston — Trinity	3			5.57		3.01	60.00			68.58		
Limestone	2			4.92		7.22				12.14		
Lisbon Falls — St. Matthew's	2			17.35		13.58				30.93		
Mars Hill	2		3.25			8.10				11.35		
Millinocket — St. Andrew's	2			6.84		8.03				14.87		
Newcastle — St. Andrew's	1					12.53				12.53		
Northeast Harbor	4		13.45		51.55		98.06	63.88		226.94		
Old Town — St. James'	2			5.00	8.00					13.00		
Portland — St. Luke's	6	83.00	51.16		50.00	10.00				239.06		
St. Alban's	1				35.00	9.90						
St. Paul's	2		3.06			13.42				13.42		
St. Stephen's			4.08			3.03				6.09		
St. Peter's	2			10.06		13.00				17.08		
Trinity			7.00			7.30				17.36		
Presque Isle — St. John's	1		12.84			20.50				27.50		
Rockland — St. Peter's	3			6.75						12.84		
Saco — Trinity	3		14.45							15.18		
Sanford	2	6.50								48.08		
Seal Cove	1		7.34							8.97		
Southwest Harbor	1			7.55						7.34		
Waterville	3				5.00	3.40				7.55		
Wiscasset	1						2.20			8.40		
G. F. S.	2				92.32					2.20		
Total	83	\$193.44	\$276.43	\$52.85	\$73.17	\$10.00	\$25.00	\$503.72	\$203.45	\$398.40	\$74.42	\$1810.88

Respectfully Submitted,
BEATRICE S. OAKLEY, *Box Supply Secretary.*

Treasurer's Report

RECEIPTS

From January 1, 1928, to December 31, 1928

Thank offering Exec. Board for House of Good Shepherd, Jan. 11	\$ 14.75
Collection at Waterville February 6	45.67
Collection at Portland May 25	120.00
Collection at Caribou November 8	62.60
Ashland	17.00
Auburn	13.00
Augusta	96.58
Bangor	65.00
Bar Harbor	124.65
Bath	107.00
Biddeford	11.00
Brownville Junction	38.06
Brunswick	25.00
Calais	6.00
Camden	40.00
Caribou	33.00
Dresden Mills	1.00
Falmouth Foreside	26.00
Fort Fairfield	41.00
Guilford	1.00
Gardiner	169.05
Hallowell	21.00
Houlton	5.00
Hull's Cove	14.00
Lewiston	46.00
Lisbon Falls	17.00
Northeast Harbor	67.00
Norway	2.00
Newcastle	13.00
Mars Hill	10.00
Old Orchard	2.00
Old Town	28.00
Portland, Cathedral	201.25
Portland, St. Paul's	22.00
Portland, St. Peter's	72.00
Portland, St. Stephen's	30.00
Portland, Trinity	39.75
South Portland, St. Alban's	23.00
Presque Isle	25.00
Richmond	6.50
Rockland	15.00
Rumford	8.00
Saco	11.00
Sanford	18.00
Seal Cove	14.00
Southwest Harbor	7.00
Waterville	32.25
Wiscasset	24.00
Individual Contributions	239.00

Interest on scholarship bonds	155.00
Sale of "An Historical Sketch"	17.55
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Deposited Maine Savings Bank for Scholarship Fund	\$2,242.66
Mary Floyd Neely Scholarship Fund	\$115.00
Principal held by the Trustees of Diocesan Funds	
Commonwealth Water Company, 5½%	1,000.00
Georgia Carolina Power Company, 5%	500.00
East St. Louis and Interurban Wa. Co., 5%	500.00
Williamsport Water Company, 5%	1,000.00
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	\$3,000.00

DISBURSEMENTS

From January 1, 1928, to December 31, 1928

Traveling expenses of speakers	\$ 149.63
Postage and stationery	67.71
Printing programs	7.15
Diocesan Missions	52.00
House of Good Shepherd	880.75
Church Mission of Help	81.00
Epiphany offering, Kuling School, China	115.53
Tuition for Clergyman's daughter	150.00
Annual reports	92.25
General Missions	13.00
Expense General Executive Board	15.00
Provincial delegate	10.00
Provincial assessment	10.00
Summer conferences	25.00
Expense Fiftieth Anniversary	76.60
Expense "An Historical Sketch"	24.20
Expense Book of Remembrance	30.16
Anna B. Ogden Fund	85.00
Special for Bishop Rowe of Alaska	60.00
Special for St. Paul's School, Lawrenceville, Va.	40.00
Special for work in Liberia	25.00
Special for Emily Tillotson Memorial Fund	10.00
Special for Porto Rico hurricane disaster	5.00
Special for work of Miss A. Grace Denton	60.00
Special for Bishop Rowe Foundation	60.00
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Balance January 1, 1928	\$2,144.98
Receipts December 31, 1928	\$ 736.52
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Balance December 31, 1928	\$2,242.66
Disbursements December 31, 1928	
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	\$2,979.18
	\$ 834.20
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	\$2,144.98
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	\$2,979.18

BLANCHE L. JOHNSTON, *Treasurer.*

Report of the President

Since my last report two outstanding events have marked the year: our own Golden Jubilee, the inspiration of which I trust is still spurring us on; and the Triennial Meeting of the National Woman's Auxiliary in Washington, which has given us our program for the three years 1928-1931. I am happy to tell you that four delegates and three alternates and about twenty-five other members of the Woman's Auxiliary were present in Washington. Full reports of the Triennial Meeting were given at the fall meeting in Caribou, and in the November *Northeast*. The Diocesan program has been sent out which was based on the Findings at the meeting in Washington, and becomes the order of work of the Woman's Auxiliary in every parish branch. I beg you all, particularly those of you who are officers, to study it thoroughly and try with all your hearts to carry it out. It is always hard to convey the spirit of a great gathering with all of its enthusiasm and its spiritual influence months afterwards to people who were not present; but it really was a great convention full of hope for the future of the Church. But I think really that if each branch faithfully tried to put into effect the program, the same spirit would be engendered in the Diocese of Maine.

The fall meeting was in Caribou with a splendid attendance from that part of the Diocese. Our missionary in Japan, Miss Grace Denton, comes from Caribou, and while we could not have her there, we did have the pleasure of hearing a co-worker of hers, Mrs. P. A. Smith, report on the work in that mission field. Everyone present enjoyed the Caribou meeting, and as usual was captivated by the friendliness and hospitality of our members in the Aroostook. By meeting in different parts of our very large Diocese, even at some personal inconvenience, we emphasize the Diocesan nature of our work and perhaps realize more than ever how fine it is for the delegates from our more distant branches to be so faithful in their attendance at our annual and other meetings.

The mid-winter meeting was held in Gardiner, where the policy of the one-day session, rather recently inaugurated, seemed to work well. Of course we were hurried, but then, if we met for a week we would be hurried—at least, if I were in the chair—there is always so much to say. We were privileged to have speak to us, Miss Marston, the new Educational Secretary of our national organization. She talked on personal religion and evangelism, and gave many practical and helpful suggestions for developing the spiritual life, especially in the use and study of religious books. We were deeply grateful, as always, for the inspiration of the Bishop's Quiet Hour.

There have been three Board meetings; at one of which, in Portland, Dean Glazier spoke in such a helpful way to us of the practice of personal religion and evangelism. This has been one of the two keynotes of our program; the other being rural work. As both of these are to be the chief topics of this annual meeting, I shall not dwell upon them now. As your president, I have spoken to the Woman's Auxiliary in Sanford, and to the combined branches of Auburn and Lewiston in St. Michael's Parish House at Auburn; and in Old Town, to the women of St. James' Parish and their guests, the members of the Woman's Auxiliary of St. John's, Bangor. This meeting was held at the home of Mrs. James W. Sewall, who was elected by the Board to be Sixth Vice President, taking the place of Miss Mary Louise Rowe, of Bangor, who, greatly to our regret, was obliged to resign from the Diocesan Board. To Mrs. Robert Gay, who has diligently carried out the educational work for this year, our gratitude is very real, and we are all sorry that she fee's unable to serve longer.

In the secretary's records will be found resolutions which you have passed in memory of three former members of our Board, Mrs. Benjamin Brewster, Mrs. Charles S. Hichborn, and Dr. Eva Adams. These testimonials represent something of our gratitude for their service and our love for them; but words at best, can do little to set forth our real feelings of sorrow and sympathy. We think especially of Mrs. Brewster who so often at these annual meetings opened her heart and home to all the women of the Church present at Diocesan conventions.

The Epiphany offering was given for the new buildings of St. Luke's Hospital, Tokyo, Japan. Mrs. Roger V. Snow, of Portland, was chairman in Maine for the women's gifts, and the increase in the Epiphany offering was without doubt due to her interest. The time is up for paying our pledges covering three years, to Miss Wood, for the Boone Library in Wuchang, China. We also sent a small gift of money to be used for travelling equipment, to one of our younger Maine clergy going out to be a missionary in the Philippines. Our pledges, for the most part, have been paid to the House of the Good Shepherd, and next year, I hope, we will do even better. This coming year each branch will have a chance to sew for the House of the Good Shepherd under a new arrangement made with the Supply Secretary. Sister Margaret Mary will send in her needs to the Supply Secretary who in turn will allot them to the different branches. Mrs. Delbert W. Adams, the chairman again of the Corporate Gift, will explain in detail today what are its objects this year. We did so well the last triennium that it is too bad we are getting off with a poor start on this Corporate Gift. I commend it to your special attention; and also the United Hour

Offering, which we had reason to be so proud of in Washington.

You will vote today on amendments to our Constitution and By-laws. The most important one deals with representation. It is proposed that each branch shall send not more than two delegates to Diocesan meetings, instead of three as at present, and that every other group in a parish or mission doing Woman's Auxiliary work shall have one delegate each. The reason for this is that in many parishes there are guilds besides the parish branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, doing some Woman's Auxiliary work, and it is too bad for them not to have representation at our Diocesan meetings, where through their delegates the groups can keep in more direct touch with the work of the women in the Church. When the work that women can do for the service of our Master, through the Church, has become so thrilling and is in its scope so broad, how can we as individual members be content until every woman we know has her share in it?

As I have said at the beginning, the most important thing before each of us is the development of our own spiritual life. Miss Lindley has written: "Let us put first things first; let us not worry over much about methods." If we really want to help to extend Christ's Kingdom throughout Maine and throughout the world, we shall each one of us have to prove the power of Christ in our own lives. This is the call of the world to us and before we can hope to answer we must try to be real Christians ourselves, and this is the first step in winning others for Him. I have been reading reports of Christian work from all over the world and I am almost over-powered by the emphasis placed in all of them on personal religion; and surely from this great surge of feeling, much good will come. Shall not we here in Maine join with that mighty throng?

EDITH L. K. SILLS, *President.*

Report of the Educational Secretary

Madam President, members of the Woman's Auxiliary:

Our thoughts I am sure are with Mrs. Henry Dewing, wishing her the best of everything in her new home.

When I was asked to take Mrs. Dewing's office, as Educational Secretary, surprise, little expressed my feelings. It was with the greatest humility that I have attempted to do my best.

I can report that the Educational Department of the Woman's Auxiliary is steadily on the increase. More books are being read and studied. The book "New Africa" is full of interesting information about The Church's Work in Liberia, making all eager to know more, to do more and to give more for our Mission Fields.

On October 17, 1928, I sent out forty-nine letters to the various branches, suggesting books worth-while to read. I have written forty-eight letters and post cards, including those to Miss Mary Ladd, Principal of Saint Mark's School for Girls, Concord, New Hampshire; Mr. Joseph Walker, Saint Paul's School for Boys, for their bulletins. I have corresponded with Miss T. K. Wade, Miss Laura F. Boyer, Dr. Adelaide Chase, and Miss Margaret Marston, all of New York Headquarters, 281 Fourth Avenue.

After attending the Quarterly Meeting at Gardiner, I sent out seventy-two letters dealing with the matter of "Evangelism"; again giving a list of suitable books that might be helpful on this important subject.

I received the following orders from: North East Harbor, Gardiner, Caribou, Bath, Augusta, Waterville, and Hallowell, also Miss Mary B. Chadwell. Wiscasset reported, "studying The Church's Program."

Finally, I want to thank our President, Mrs. K. M. Sills, and our Vice President, Miss Marguerite Ogden, for their coöperation during the past year.

All of which is respectfully submitted,

ROSAMOND H. GAY, *Diocesan Educational Secretary.*

May 30, 1929

Report of United Thank Offering for Triennium 1925-1928 and for year ending Dec. 31, 1928

	\$	\$
Ashland, Emmanuel	22.77	6.45
Auburn, St. Michael's	9.34	
Augusta, St. Mark's	458.25	205.24
Bangor, St. John's	162.84	41.50
Bath, Grace	202.07	96.00
Bar Harbor, St. Saviour's	117.15	82.30
Biddeford, Christ	45.68	22.26
Brunswick, St. Paul's	55.85	21.00
Calais, St. Anne's	8.00	8.00
Camden, St. Thomas'	142.75	66.35
Caribou, St. Luke's	137.48	46.47
Fort Fairfield, St. Barnabas'	103.05	34.18
Gardiner, Christ	221.51	114.44
Falmouth Foreside, St. Mary the Virgin	53.66	38.56
Guildford		
Hallowell, St. Matthew's	18.30	15.05
Lisbon Falls, St. Matthew's	44.55	12.00
Newcastle & Damariscotta, St. Andrew's	140.99	52.18
North East Harbor, St. Mary's-by-the-Sea	97.70	64.82
Norway, Christ	6.75	6.75

Old Town, St. James'	20.17	9.37
Portland, St. Luke's Cathedral	1,463.24	415.64
Portland, Trinity	205.25	70.01
Portland, St. Paul's	51.67	19.15
Portland, St. Stephen's	46.49	17.80
Portland, St. Alban's	15.50	15.50
Presque Isle, St. John's	32.36	18.10
Rumford, St. Barnabas'	12.50	12.00
Saco, Trinity	14.00	4.00
Sanford, St. George's	42.82	12.00
Seal Cove, St. Andrew's	7.06	6.95
Waterville, St. Mark's	192.27	69.00
Wiscasset, St. Philip's	109.05	34.75
Woodland, St. Luke's Mission	8.26	3.26
Moose River	5.12	
Mars Hill	25.66	13.90
Limestone, Church of the Advent	20.85	16.32
Isolated Churchwomen	28.24	20.65
Churchwomen summering in Maine (per Mrs. North)	104.07	104.07
Mrs. McLucas, East Waldoboro	1.25	
Church Service League	1.00	1.00
Interest	47.83	26.66
Interest on invested money	168.86	168.86
Amount in Bank	.02	
 Sent to Washington	5,033.26	
Added at Washington	13.50	13.50
 Total given at Washington U. T. O.	\$5,046.76	
 Total for year, Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, 1928		\$2,141.57
Amount on Dec. 31, 1927		3,170.68
 Amount on Dec. 31, 1928		\$5,312.25
Amount sent to Washington U. T. O.		5,046.76
 Amount on hand Jan. 1, 1929		\$ 265.49

ELLEN LUCAS, *Treasurer,*
United Thank Offering.

Report of Altar Society

The Season of 1928-1929 for the Maine Altar Society, Silk Embroidery Department, opened early in October with ten active members enrolled. Illness of one member and absence from the city of others, depleted the actual number of workers to an average of seven. Only by the loyalty and faithfulness of these members was it made possible to continue the work.

During the winter an article was published in the *Northeast* giving a resume of the object and workings of the Altar Society

urging all interested who could not give of their time to become associate members. With several orders ahead it became necessary to hold meetings Tuesday and Friday mornings of each week. By so doing the faithful few were enabled, at the close of the season, to make the splendid record of all work completed—having finished the following articles:

White pulpit fall and marker, green pulpit fall, burse and veil, green superfrontal pulpit and lecturn fall, white stole and markers. An unfinished red stole was completed.

Two members attended the triennial held in Washington, bringing back new ideas gleaned from exhibits shown from other states, also most of the Auxiliary board meetings were represented. In the midst of the busy meetings all paused at noon to reverently repeat the beautiful prayer for the Altar Guild.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE V. HARRIS, *Secretary.*

TREASURER'S REPORT
SILK EMBROIDERY DEPARTMENT

Balance October, 1928	\$ 31.41
Amount received, Associate dues	3.00
Amount received, Active dues	5.50
Amount received for orders	127.04
Amount received, Cash gifts	7.64
Amount received, interest	.52
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	\$175.11
	PAID OUT
For materials	\$106.10
Parish House Committee	10.00
Sundry expenses	2.19
Cash on hand	13.26
By balance in bank	43.56
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	\$175.11

Respectfully submitted,
JESSIE V. HARRIS, *Treasurer.*

LINEN WORK

Altar linen stamped for St. Mark's, Waterville, Patterns for St. Mark's, Augusta, 6 Purification, St. Philip's, Wiscasset.	
Cash on hand May, 1928	\$2.20
Received dues	.50
Postage	.20
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Linen and work	.70
	1.75
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	2.45
	2.90
	1.75
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	4.65
	PAID OUT
Linen	1.00
Postage	1.00
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Cash on hand, 1929	\$2.00
	2.00
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	\$2.65

GEORGIANA M. JOHNSON.

Report of the Society of Isolated Churchwomen

The annual report of this society for the year 1929 must be brief owing to illness and consequent inability to prepare a proper report.

The year has been a good one, past ties strengthening, a few new ones forming.

112 letters and cards have been written to members, 53 replies have been received, and various letters concerning the Society have been received and answered. Church magazines have gone regularly to thirteen families and a few books and folders were sent out but owing to illness I could not carry out my Lenten plans in regard to this matter.

One of our members has died during the year and five new names have been added to our list of active members, one of these being transferred from the inactive list.

The total number is now 45. It may be of interest to mention that of the folders prepared by the Department of Religious Education concerning the Church Correspondence School I sent out 47, some of them going to Isolated Churchwomen whose addresses I knew but with whom I have never been able to get in touch.

Four of these were answered; two of the writers said they had applied for membership in the School—as have also two families of members of our Society—and there has also come so warm a response from one stranger who received the folder that it has put another active member on the Society's list.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE C. CHILD, *Correspondent,
Society of Isolated Churchwomen.*

Church School Service Program

The national Church School Service Program has been undergoing some changes in policy during the past year. The difficulties of having the same program for each diocese and in turn for each parish have been realized. The type of organization for the service work of the church schools is now left to each diocese. It is suggested that this organization shall be a sub-division of the Diocesan Department of Religious Education, which has always been the case in this diocese.

No report blanks for 1928 were sent from headquarters, but the first of the year I asked for reports of church school activities from the parishes. Only nine reports were sent in. For 1927 twenty-three parishes reported. It is very evident that in this diocese we need the printed report blanks in order to know what work is being done by the schools. The plan of having the Lenten Offering taken in five centers through the state with reports from the children themselves of work done in the five fields of service has been of great benefit. It has helped the leaders by the exchange of ideas for work and has stimulated an interest among the children to do as well as, or better than, their neighbors. These reports in the district around Portland show that work is being done in every parish, but unless reports are sent to the Supervisor of the Church School Service Program, the parish cannot be credited for work done.

The Lenten Offering in 1929 increased over 1928. The Epiphany Offering, the Pauline Austin Osgood Fellowship, has decreased. The Advent Offering has also decreased somewhat though a few parishes have not yet reported. The Christmas Box work shows an increase in amount of work done and a great increase in interest. The Birthday Thank Offering for the three years ending in 1928 amounted to \$285.99, making our diocese the third in amount in the province. Only the two dioceses in Massachusetts exceeded Maine. The new objective is the children's ward in St. Luke's Hospital, Tokyo, Japan. We hope to have for this object still more enthusiastic response from our church schools.

In making my last report as Supervisor of the Service Program, I wish to thank my associates and the leaders in the various parishes who have coöperated in making possible the great increase in the amount and the great improvement in the quality of the work during the four years in which I have acted as Supervisor. My own work has been chiefly to record the successes of others.

Respectfully submitted,

MELLIE G. ESTES,

Supervisor, Church School Service Program.

BIRTHDAY THANK OFFERING

Receipts for 1928

May 2	Woodland	\$ 3.26
" 1	Hallowell	3.30
" 1	Rumford, St. Barnabas'	1.09
" 29	South Portland, St. Alban's	5.65
" 30	Bar Harbor, St. Saviour's	10.08
" 30	Lewiston	4.00
June 1	Saco, Trinity	2.00
May 31	Newcastle, St. Andrew's	2.50
June 5	Bangor, St. John's	12.02
" 5	Wiscasset, St. Philip's	18.35
" 4	Brunswick, St. Paul's	2.00
" 6	Portland, St. Luke's Cathedral	10.00
May 7	Millinocket	1.50
June 11	Ashland, Emmanuel	2.89
" 8	Fort Fairfield, St. Paul's	4.72
" 14	Calais, St. Anne	2.00
" 16	Portland, Trinity	7.21
" 16	Portland, St. Paul's	1.00
" 16	Ashland	4.00
June 17	Biddeford	9.00
July 23	Houlton	2.42

Summary for 3 years

1926	\$ 76.78
1927	91.52
1928	108.99
Interest credited	8.70
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	\$285.99

ELIZABETH W. JACKSON,
Secretary, Birthday Thank Offering.

TREASURER'S REPORT FOR 1928

ADVENT OFFERING

Receipts

Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Receipts from Church Schools	\$267.27
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Disbursements

Jan. 6, Advent Appeal expenses	20.36
F. W. Bliss, Presque Isle (Advent Gift)	246.91
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	\$267.27

EPIPHANY OFFERING

(Pauline Austin Osgood Scholarship)

Receipts

Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Receipts from Church Schools	\$ 70.40
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Disbursements

C. B. Clarke	70.40
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GENERAL EXPENSE

Receipts

Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, Receipts from Church Schools	\$ 28.46
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Disbursements

Feb. 9 Treas. supplies	6.30
July 23 Lewis B. Franklin, Lantern Slide Bureau (for use of Hooker School slides, May 12)	2.00
Dec. 6 Expense of mailing 1929 Advent Appeal, loaned to Advent Account until gifts received	15.22
Balance on Hand	4.94
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	\$ 28.46

DOROTHY TALBOT,

Treasurer, Church School Service Program.

LITTLE HELPER'S OFFERING

June 6, 1929

Bangor	\$30.31
Wiscasset	4.70
Portland: Trinity	2.77
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	\$37.78

MARION EMERSON,
Secretary, Little Helper's Offering.

Church Service League

Chairman, MRS. FREDERICK E. DRAKE, Bath, Maine
Secretary, MRS. HAROLD LEE BERRY, 97 State St., Portland, Me.

The following are condensed reports of the Girls' Friendly Society, Church Periodical Club, Church Mission of Help, Young People's Fellowship.

Report of the Girls' Friendly Society

The year 1928 stands out as a particularly successful and gratifying one for the Girls' Friendly Society in Maine, showing, as it does, a gain in branches, in membership, in achievements and in spirit.

At the close of the year we reported a total of 18 branches, with 2 inactive, 4 new branches having been added during the year at Calais, Millinocket, Newcastle and St. Peter's, Portland. Our membership stands at 490, a noticeable gain over 1927, and our gifts in both service and money have increased accordingly.

Three national officers have visited the diocese during the year. Miss Anna Catherine Pratt, National Field Secretary for New England, spent the month of January in visiting the Maine branches; Miss Cornelia Whittier, National Vice President for Province I was with us for our Spring Council meeting in May, and Mrs. Pfau, National Head of Finance, was the principal speaker and guest of honor at our Annual Diocesan Conference in September. From these contacts has sprung a greater realization of our share in a national organization, and of our part in its problems and successes. It is our earnest wish that this national-consciousness may continue to grow throughout the G. F. S. in this Diocese, leading, as it does, to wider fields of activity and broader vision for each branch.

The reports of the year's work from the individual branches illustrate once more how varied is the work of the G. F. S. Discussion groups, classes that range from dancing to personal religion and back again to handcraft and first-aid, speakers presenting vocational guidance, nature study or missionary work, parties, hikes, dramatics . . . all these and many more have been included in various branch programs this year. It is especially interesting to note that the branches are becoming increasingly more self-governing, that the members are learning through doing, and that the Branch Presidents and Associates are thus being relieved from attention to details and being freed for their greater task in the branch, that of personal friendship with the members. That, after all, is the great purpose, and the great joy, of being an Associate. That is the privilege which the G. F. S. extends to churchwomen everywhere, and that is the opportunity open to the churchwomen in Maine. In at least six parishes in Maine, *now*, the only drawback to immediate organization of a G. F. S. branch is the lack of active support of churchwomen. We need only that to go on to the greater accomplishments of the future, but we cannot go on without your help.

FRANCIS ARNOLD, *President.*

Report of the Church Periodical Club

Magazines are giving out, and let us see that none are stored away, and withheld from those needing them much.

Trinity, Woodfords, has an admirable plan, of bringing to the church or parish house, its hoards of reading matter, and they disappear like dew before the sun, friends taking them across country to the Rev. Robert Gay for his rural work. From Trinity, also comes a check for \$3 to be sent to Miss Thomas, our Executive Secretary, to purchase a book in Trinity Parish name. That means much, and I wish every parish would follow the same plan.

There is much need of literature in foreign tongues for the Seaman's Church Institute, in many stations. It seems C. P. C. has never been successful in getting in touch with those who have such literature to pass on.

St. John's University, Shanghai, is spoken of as the special objective for the library fund this year. Will parishes please bear this in mind, any offering, however small, will be welcome.

I note, with pleasure, that Mrs. C. F. Odell spoke at the C. P. C. meeting in February, in New York, of the help that C. P. C. had been to her in Caribou, and later in St. Peter's, Portland.

Let us continue to press forward, even though our efforts may seem small to ourselves, the results are sure to be blessed to giver and recipient.

LEONORA B. WILLIAMS, *Director C. P. C., Maine.*

Church Mission of Help

*President, Mrs. MERTON F. ROLFE, 301 Allen Ave.
Secretary, Mrs. EARLE C. RUNDLETTE, 358 Danforth St.
Treasurer, Mrs. CLAUDE QUICK, 15A Bramhall St.*

The work of the Church Mission of Help has gone forward even though handicapped by lack of funds and the services of a paid worker. In July, 1928, the National Office coöperated with the Maine Branch and helped finance an educational trip through Maine. Miss Sandford was the speaker and during the month visited Bar Harbor, N. E. Harbor, Camden, Rockland, Bangor, and Gardiner by special invitation of sister Margaret Mary. The interest aroused seemed to warrant a second trip and Miss Sandford returned in November and was asked to address the congregation at a regular Sunday service in Bangor; spoke before a crowded auditorium at the High School in Houlton and to the W. A.; at Fort Fairfield she addressed Guilds and open meetings and was one of the speakers at the fall meeting of the W. A. in Caribou. While Miss Sandford was in Portland during the summer she assisted a city worker with cases. The Society has done what it could with cases reported — one from New York and one from Connecticut — but of the fourteen local calls it was deemed inadvisable to attempt to carry on without a trained worker. Any spasmodic volunteer case-work is of little help in serious social problems.

Respectfully submitted,

CONSTANCE N. RUNDLETTE, *Secretary.*

REFERRING AND COÖPERATING AGENCIES

Portland Y. W. C. A.; Boston Y. W. C. A.; C. M. H. in other dioceses; Individuals in C. M. H. groups; House of the Good Shepherd, Gardiner; Church Home Society, Boston; New England Home for Little Wanderers; State Department Charities and Corrections; State Department of Health; State Hospital for Insane; State School for Girls; Portland Overseers of the Poor; Physicians, Private, City, County, State; Family Welfare Organizations; Temporary Home, Portland; Cumberland County Public Health Organization; School Officials; District Nursing Association; Portland Day Nursery; City Dispensary; State Reformatory for Women; Health Centers; Hospitals; Boston Children's Aid; Portland Traveller's Aid; Portland Police Department; Portland Municipal Court; Cumberland County Sheriff's Department.

Young People's Fellowships of Maine

The Young People's Fellowships of Maine hold a Corporate Communion every third Sunday in each month. This is often followed by a breakfast.

Usually a play or show or entertainment is put on in the Fall to raise money for the treasury and to get money to contribute to different causes. Trinity Church Y. P. F., Portland, put on a Vaudeville show and play, some of the money which was made was contributed toward a fund to be used to send a delegate to the Concord Conference, at Concord, New Hampshire.

St. Luke's Y. P. F., Portland, gave a play and used some of the money to pay for an organ for St. Alban's. St. Peter's Y. P. F. gave a minstrel show and gave \$70 toward church expenses. Christ's Church Y. P. F., Biddeford, put on a play to get money to contribute toward a wooden floor for the Parish Hall.

The Y. P. F. at Gardiner is a new one organized this year with about 20 active members. This is going to be a very successful Fellowship.

Several of the Fellowships give programs at the City Homes on Sunday afternoon. Also flowers, books, magazines, etc., are taken to the Homes and to the Hospitals in different cities.

St. Luke's Y. P. F., Portland, helped the Dean this year with the *Northeast* by putting on a drive and obtaining fifty new subscriptions.

Trinity Church Y. P. F., Portland, have been making clothes for an abandoned baby. They correspond with a T. B. patient at Green Mountain, Maine, and send her magazines and gifts at Christmas time, and during the year.

Each Fellowship works in four departments, namely WORSHIP, FELLOWSHIP, STUDY, and SERVICE, and in these four departments the five fields of service are brought in so as to have a well rounded program thru the year.

Meetings are held each Sunday evening at 6.00 p.m. and usually a simple lunch is served by a committee of the members.

BERNICE HOWARD, *President.*

Form of Bequest
Mary Floyd Neely Memorial Scholarship Fund

I give and bequeath to the Trustees of Diocesan Funds in the Diocese of Maine, a corporation existing under and by virtue of the laws of Maine, the sum of Dollars in trust, nevertheless, as follows:

Said Trustees to invest and reinvest said sum and to pay over the income of the same annually to the Treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary in said Diocese of Maine for the education of the daughters of clergymen in the Diocese of Maine.

In the event that said Woman's Auxiliary shall at any time cease to exist, or there shall be no Treasurer of the same, said Trustees may pay over the income of said fund to the Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Maine, for the purpose set out as aforesaid.