

FORTY-FIFTH ANNUAL REPORT

MICHIGAN BRANCH

OF THE

Woman's Auxiliary

TO THE

NATIONAL COUNCIL

1923



ORGANIZED IN
ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, DETROIT
APRIL 22, 1880

*"A Year-Book is a record of Memory and a
suggestion of Privilege and incentive to Duty."*

—The Rt. Rev. Daniel Sylvester Tuttle, LL.D.
Sometime Presiding Bishop
Protestant Episcopal Church

MEETINGS

Regular meetings are held from September to May on the last Monday of each month at 2:00 p. m., with the exception of December.

Quiet Day during Lent.

Forty-sixth Annual Meeting, May 4 and 5, 1925.

The Ninety-second Annual Convention of the Diocese of Michigan will be held (D. V.) May 13 and 14, 1925, in St. Paul's Cathedral, Detroit.

Please write to the Supply Secretary for missionary letters regarding boxes to be sent.

Please write at once to the missionary stating when he may expect a box and from whom. As soon as a box is sent please notify the Chairman of the Box Committee, giving its estimated money value.



REQUESTS TO SECRETARIES

Please send the full names and addresses of all parish officers to the Corresponding Secretary and notify her at once of any change of officers.

Please see that all notices of meetings sent out by the Secretary are printed in Church Bulletins or read by your Rector at the Church Services.

The fiscal year of The Protestant Episcopal Church ends December 31st of each year.

Please pay the pledges for the General Expense Fund, the Foreign pledge, the Domestic and all remaining pledges before December 31st.

The fulfillment of these requests will greatly aid the Diocesan Officers in their work.

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The Prayer
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Adopted September, 1922



ALMIGHTY GOD, our heavenly Father, bless, we pray thee, our work for the extension of thy kingdom, and make us so thankful for the precious gift to us of thy beloved Son, that we may pray fervently, labour diligently, and give liberally to make him known to all nations as their Saviour and their King: through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Officers and Executive Committee
of the
Michigan Branch, Woman's Auxiliary



PRESIDENT

MRS. WILLIAM T. BARBOUR - - 2931 East Jefferson Ave., Detroit ✓

VICE-PRESIDENTS

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MRS. SAMUEL S. MARQUIS - - - - 31 King Ave., Detroit ✓

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RECORDING SECRETARY

MISS WINNEFRED G. GRANGER - 60 Lawrence Ave., Detroit. ✓

CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

MRS. WALTER H. FORTUNE - - 1515 McClellan Ave., Detroit

DIOCESAN TREASURER

MRS. JAMES AUSTIN - - 142 Richton Ave., Highland Park ✓

DOMESTIC TREASURER

MRS. JAMES BENEDICT - - - 221 Erskine St., Detroit —

FOREIGN TREASURER

MRS. THOMAS C. STIRLING - - - 933 Longfellow Ave., Detroit ✓

TREASURER OF THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

MRS. R. McCLELLAND BRADY - - - 1064 Iroquois Ave., Detroit

CORRESPONDENT OF THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

MISS DELIA WARRINER - - - - 1064 Iroquois Ave., Detroit

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

The officers with the Correspondent of the Church Periodical Club and
the Director of the Church School Service League form
the Executive Committee.

AUDITORS

MR. DUDLEY W. SMITH

MR. FREDERICK B. STEVENS

MR. D. PEYTON SULLIVAN

MR. WALTER H. FORTUNE

DIRECTOR OF THE CHURCH SCHOOL SERVICE LEAGUE

MISS EDITH MAURICE - - - - 7850 Van Dyke Place, Detroit

CONSTITUTION



ARTICLE I.—NAME

This Association shall be called the Michigan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council.

ARTICLE II.—OBJECTS.

The objects of this Association are to unite the branches in a common interest; to promote the cause of Missions and Church Extension, Religious Education and Christian Social Service; to collect funds for these various purposes; to encourage the formation of new branches. Work must be done, each year, in the five fields of service, the Parish, the Community, the Diocese, the Nation and the World.

ARTICLE III.—MEMBERS.

All baptized women of the Diocese who desire to be members will be so regarded.

ARTICLE IV.—OFFICERS.

The officers of this Association shall be a President, three Vice-Presidents, one to be chosen from each Archdeaconry, a Recording Secretary a Corresponding Secretary, a Diocesan Treasurer, a Domestic Treasurer, a Foreign Treasurer, a Treasurer of the United Thank Offering and the Correspondent of the Church Periodical Club, who with the Director of the Church School Service League and the Head of the Little Helpers shall form the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE V.—FISCAL YEAR.

The fiscal year of the Association shall be from December 31st to December 31st.

ARTICLE VI.—MEETINGS.

The annual meeting shall be held on the first Monday and Tuesday in May.

Other meetings shall be held at the discretion of the Executive Committee.

ARTICLE VII.—QUORUM

At Executive Committee meetings five members and at Association meetings twenty members shall constitute a quorum.

ARTICLE VIII.—AMENDMENTS.

This constitution may be amended at any annual meeting of the Association by a two-thirds vote of all members present; the proposed amendment having been submitted in writing at a previous meeting.

By-Laws may be adopted, amended or repealed at any regular meeting or annual meeting by a two-thirds majority vote.

Approved:

CHARLES D. WILLIAMS, Bishop of Michigan.

Detroit, May 1, 1920.

· BY-LAWS



ELECTIONS, APPOINTMENTS.

SECTION 1. The officers, including the Auditors, shall be elected at each annual meeting. At the meeting preceding the annual meeting an informal ballot shall be given to a nominating committee appointed by the President at said meeting. This informal ballot may be cast by every member of the Association.

SECTION 2. In case of the absence, resignation or death of an Executive Officer, her place shall be filled by action of the Executive Committee, such action to stand until the next annual meeting.

SECTION 3. Each regularly organized branch shall appoint two delegates to every meeting of the Association, that each branch may be represented, but all the members shall have an equal vote on all questions except the Annual Elections, when the APPOINTED DELEGATES ALONE shall vote.

PLEDGES

SECTION 1. At the annual meeting each branch shall signify in writing the amount it will give during the following year, to be paid through the Treasurers of the Woman's Auxiliary.

SECTION 2. As it seems only reasonable that each branch shall contribute something towards the general expenses of the Society, all branches shall contribute as liberally as possible, the MINIMUM AMOUNT for any branch being ONE DOLLAR a year.

DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The President shall preside at all meetings and shall have general supervision of the work of the Auxiliary, and in her absence the Vice-Presidents shall preside in the order of their succession.

SECTION 2. The Recording Secretary shall keep the minutes of all meetings.

SECTION 3. The Corresponding Secretary shall give notice of all meetings, both of the Association and of the Executive Committee, and shall conduct the general correspondence of the Society.

SECTION 4. The Foreign, Domestic and Diocesan Treasurers, the Treasurer of the United Thank Offering and the Correspondent of the Church Periodical Club shall receive the funds and manage the affairs of her own department. She shall conduct the correspondence incident to her own work and shall procure and disseminate missionary intelligence relating to her own department.

COMMITTEES

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

SECTION 1. All matters relating to the general welfare of the Society shall be referred to the Executive Committee. It shall appoint Standing Committees which shall co-operate with it.

SECTION 2. Seven Standing Committees shall be appointed by the Executive Committee each year after the annual meeting.

A Committee on Mission and Church Extension, a Committee on Religious Education, a Committee on Christian Social Service, a Committee on the Box Work and Bureau of Supplies, a Program and Publicity Committee a Finance Committee and a Hospitality Committee.

The Committee on Missions and Church Extension shall promote missionary intelligence and missionary activity among the women of the Diocese and shall superintend the work of arranging for meetings in different parts of the Diocese in the interest of forming new branches and strengthening the old ones.

The Committee on Religious Education shall arrange for Mission Study Classes throughout the Diocese and give all information regarding the work.

The Committee on Christian Social Service shall co-operate in the work of Christian Americanization, Hospital, Institutional and any other form of Christian Social Service.

The Committee on the Box Work shall supply lists of boxes obtained from the Church Missions House to parishes wishing them; shall have charge of the preparation of any general Diocese Box and present the combined annual box report of all the parishes. This Committee shall maintain a Bureau of supplies.

The Program and Publicity Committee shall make a plan for the meetings of the Association during the year, provide speakers subject to the advice of the Executive Committee, be prepared to advise parish branches who may desire to have assistance in arranging their yearly programs and do all necessary publicity work.

The Finance Committee shall have charge of the raising of all special funds, unless some special committee has been appointed, and shall be charged with any other similar work requested by the Executive Committee.

The Hospitality Committee shall arrange for the entertainment of speakers and delegates attending the various meetings.

ANNUAL REPORTS.

Each officer shall present a written annual report, also providing a copy for the use of the Recording Secretary.

All accounts shall be audited before the annual meeting.

ORDER OF BUSINESS

1. Opening prayers.
2. Call to Order—Roll Call.
3. Reading Minutes.
4. Reading of Recommendations of Executive Committee.
5. Report of the Corresponding Secretary.
6. Report of the General Treasurer.
7. Report of the Diocesan Treasurer.
8. Report of the Domestic Treasurer.
9. Report of the Foreign Treasurer.
10. Report of the United Thank Offering Treasurer.
11. Report of the Church Periodical Club.
12. Report of Vice-Presidents.
13. Reports of Standing Committees.
14. Reports of Special Committees.
15. Offering.
16. Report of the Church School Service League.

17. Report of Episcopal Young People's Association in the Diocese of Michigan.
18. Report of Little Helpers.
19. Communications from the President.
20. Miscellaneous Business.
21. Program for the Day.
22. Closing Exercise and Adjournment.

When a speaker is provided, reports shall be omitted as far as possible.

The order of business for the annual meeting shall be the same except that the annual reports of the Recording Secretary and Auditors shall be included.



BRANCH OFFICERS AND DELEGATES

PLEDGES FROM BRANCHES

- Adrian—Christ Church: President, Mrs. C. E. Winnie, 204 S. Scott St.; Vice-President, Mrs. E. C. Andrews, 906 College Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. F. P. Dodge, 464 S. Main St.; Treasurer, Mrs. George N. Jones, 355 E. Church St. Total Pledge \$30.00.
- Algonac—St. Andrew's Church: President, Mrs. Mary E. Dennis; Vice-President, Mrs. Ida Hagadon; Secretary Mrs. Nellie Endelman; Treasurer, Mrs. Mata B. Zaetsch; Delegates, Mrs. Mary Hagadon, Mrs. Alice Lempke. Total Pledge \$25.00.
- Alpena—Trinity: President, Mrs. Allan M. Fletcher, 100 Dunbar St.; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Woolsey W. Hunt, 120 E. Dunbar St. Total Pledge \$11.00.
- Ann Arbor—St. Andrew's Church: President, Mrs. Christine Breed, 1020 W. Huron St.; Vice-President, Mrs. C. B. Coe, 809 E. Kingsley St.; Secretary, Mrs. Wayne Smith, 822 Oakland Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. L. L. Coates, 214 S. Ingalls St. Delegates, Mrs. George Watson, 827 Brookwood, Mrs. Mary Webb, 309 N. Division. Total Pledge \$70.00.
- Bay City—Grace Church: President, Mrs. Edward Gifford, 214 S. Catherine; Vice-President, Mrs. Jennie Brinkman, 503 E. Ohio; Secretary, Mrs. Mark Ramsey, 312½ S. Catherine; Treasurer, Mrs. L. Harris, 202 S. Dean. Delegates, Mrs. Jennie Brinkman, Mrs. E. Gifford, 214 S. Catherine. Total Pledge \$20.00.
- Bay City—Trinity Church: President, Mrs. Jos. Leighton, 250 Madison Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. Wm. Gallagher, 1305 Fifth Ave.; Secretary Mrs. W. J. Shaw, 1916 Fifth Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. J. S. Williams, 2119 Fifth Ave. Delegates, Mrs. Jos. Leighton, 250 Madison Ave., Mrs. H. M. Causeand, 909 Center Ave. Total Pledge \$125.00.
- Birmingham—St. James' Church: President, Mrs. Frank J. Miller, 201 Merrill; Vice-President, Mrs. Walter G. Morley, Lone Pine Rd.; Secretary, Miss May Thompson, 108 Oakland Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. F. W. Boynton, 201 Poppleton Ave. Delegates, Mrs. Emma Hupp, Mrs. George W. Strelinger. Total Pledge \$50.00.
- Cheboygan—St. James' Church: President, Mrs. W. R. Stringham; Vice-President, Mrs. Clyde Adams; Secretary, Mrs. M. W. King; Treasurer, Miss Margaret M. Stringham. Delegates, Mrs. W. R. Stringham, Mrs. Clyde Adams. Total Pledge \$25.00.
- Clinton—St. John's Church: President Mrs. W. D. Van Tuyle, Clinton; Secretary, Mrs. Fred Van De Mark, Clinton; Treasurer, Mrs. Herbert Lindsley, Clinton.

- Detroit—Christ Church: President, Miss Edith Barton, 8100 East Jefferson Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. Mark B. Stevens, 549 Seyburn Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. Harry Quimby, 1403 Baldwin Ave.; Treasurer, Miss Elizabeth Stridiron, 2170 East Jefferson Ave. Delegates, Mrs. R. McClelland Brady, 1064 Iroquois Ave., Miss Edith Barton, 8100 East Jefferson Ave. Total Pledge \$710.00.
- Detroit—Church of the Ascension: President, Mrs. Wilson H. Simmons, 1421 Morrell St.; Vice-President, Mrs. H. R. Conley, 7129 Lexington Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. John Andrews, 1255 Waterman Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. A. D. Valliquette, 2730 Clairmount Ave. Delegates, Mrs. C. E. Heal, 1032 Rademacher Ave., Mrs. A. L. Simmons, 1203 Campbell Ave. Total Pledge \$30.00.
- Detroit—Church of the Epiphany: President, Mrs. J. B. Thomas, 2234 Pennsylvania Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. F. W. Baislack, 2535 Bewick Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. A. E. VanVolkenburg, 9346 St. Paul Street; Treasurer, Miss Linnie Francombe, 2257 Cadillac Ave. Delegates, Mrs. J. B. Thomas, 2234 Pennsylvania Ave., Miss Linnie Francombe, 2257 Cadillac Ave. Total Pledge \$125.00.
- Detroit—Church of the Messiah: President, Mrs. Henry P. Cope, 1006 Berkshire Rd., Grosse Point Park; Vice-President, Mrs. Charles Milburn, 2556 Montclair Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. C. H. Wheeler, 1074 Sheridan Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. Frank V. Klotz, 1051 Sheridan Ave. Delegates, Mrs. Charles Milburn, 2556 Montclair Ave., Mrs. Frank V. Klotz, 1051 Sheridan Ave. Total \$125.00.
- Detroit—Church of Our Savior: President, Mrs. S. M. Gable, 6059 Cooper Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. Harry Midworth, 10203 Harper Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. F. Taylor, 5852 Rohns Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. Seth Hunt, 6050 Cooper. Total Pledge \$15.00.
- Detroit—Emmanuel Mission: President, Mrs. Colin Allerton, 80 E. Dakota Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. Michael Joy, 54 Drixdale Ave. East; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Lila Hudson, 197 Golden Gate Ave.
- Detroit—Grace Church: President, Mrs. William S. Duncan, 9106 Martindale Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. W. Whittemore, 1700 Hazelwood Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. M. Wesson Dickinson, 686 Atkinson Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. Harry Wood, 2102 West Grand Ave. Total Pledge \$70.00.
- Detroit—St. Albans: President, Mrs. Wm. E. Feagan, 41 Elmhurst Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. T. O. Leonard, Jr., 28 Tennyson Ave. Delegates, Mrs. S. Reece Smith, 902 Court, Mrs. Thos. W. Morchaur, 170 Elmhurst Ave. Total Pledge \$100.00.
- Detroit—St. Andrew's Memorial Church: President, Mrs. C. A. MacGregor, 703 Putnam Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. W. J. Irvine, 2123 Fullerton Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. J. L. Hepburn, 1153 Warren West; Treasurer, Mrs. H. J. Rayner, 5121 Vermont Ave. Delegates, Mrs. Arthur Macauley, 894 Burlingame Ave., Mrs. Harry T. Uridge, 672 Putnam Ave. Total Pledge \$100.00.
- Detroit—St. Barnabas: President, Mrs. Arthur Buchanan, 509 Fifteenth St.; Vice-President, Mrs. Paul Zeigler, 2224 W. Forest Ave.; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. J. C. Whinham, 5429 Stanton Ave. Delegates Mrs. J. C. Whinham, Mrs. Paul Zeigler.
- Detroit—St. Columba: President, Mrs. Alvin H. Georges, 418 Coplin Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. J. Pennington, 2510 Phillip Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. W. H. Smart, 386 Navahoe Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. Thos. Hoyt, 425 Chalmers Ave. Delegates, Mrs. W. H. Smart, 386 Navahoe Ave., Mrs. W. P. Osborn, 1165 Marlborough Ave. Total Pledge \$60.00.

Detroit—St. John's Church: President, Mrs. Oscar E. Furst, 3708 Pingree Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. C. K. Van Dyck, 1099 Van Dyke; Secretary, Mrs. A. Douglas Jamieson, 910 Taylor Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. Edward L. Warner, 816 Putnam Ave. Delegates, Mrs. O. E. Furst, Mrs. E. L. Warner. Total \$550.00.

Detroit—St. John's Young Woman's Auxiliary: President, Mrs. Austin Russel, 2216 Fullerton St.; Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Nell Gibson, 3280 Montgomery Ave. Director, Miss Mary Neil, 57 Melbourne Ave. Total Pledge \$50.00.

Detroit—St. Joseph's Church: President, Mrs. W. T. Stiling, 217 King Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. J. N. Simmons, 325 E. Euclid Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. J. S. Grantham, 8220 John R. St.; Treasurer, Mrs. W. B. Taylor, 659 Taylor Ave. Delegates, Mrs. Fraser, 129 Blaine Ave., Mrs. J. S. Grantham, 8220 John R. St. Total Pledge \$132.00.

Detroit—St. Joseph's Young Woman's Auxiliary: President, Miss Harriet Burgess, 1450 Atkinson Ave.; Vice-President, Miss Lillian Davies, 82 Clairmount Ave.; Secretary, Miss Frances Bury, 150 Seward Ave.; Treasurer, Miss Dorothy Tykstra, 2324 Boston Blvd. Total Pledge \$25.00.

Detroit—St. Mary's Church: President, Mrs. J. Herron, 5786 Holcomb Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. H. Johnston; Secretary, Mrs. F. E. Britton, 4475 Sheridan Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. F. H. Johnston, 5325 Garland Ave. Delegates, Mrs. Edwards, 4525 Seyburn Ave., Mrs. F. H. Johnston, 5325 Garland Ave. Total Pledge \$90.00.

Detroit—St. Mathew's Church: President, Mrs. Eva Loomis, 429 E. Canfield Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. Ida Taylor, 2116 St. Antoine St.; Secretary, Mrs. Charlotte Sebastian, 7714 E. Canfield Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. Carrie Langsten, 5053 Roosevelt Ave. Delegates, Mrs. Mollie Jones, 2019 St. Antoine St., Mrs. Anna La She, 1547 Sherman St. Total Pledge \$69.50.

Detroit—St. Matthias Church: President, Mrs. Andrew S. Gill, 2012 West Grand Blvd.; Vice-President, Mrs. Herve Hutchinson, 1662 West Grand Blvd.; Secretary, Mrs. T. P. Archer, 3019 Pingree Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. Sidney T. Erwin, 8439 Dexter Blvd. Delegates, Mrs. C. S. Layton, 5245 Ivanhoe, Mrs. C. F. D. Mason, 1994 West Grand Blvd. Total Pledge \$110.00.

Detroit—St. Paul's Cathedral: President, Mrs. John Dodds, 887 Pallister Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. Charles D. Williams, 241 Eliot St.; Secretary, Mrs. Walter Chaffee, 899 Virginia Park; Treasurer, Mrs. Henry Nicol, 280 Cadillac Ave. Delegates, Mrs. John Dodds, 887 Pallister Ave., Mrs. Henry Nicol, 2180 Cadillac Ave. Total Pledge \$601.00.

Detroit—St. Peter's Church: President, Mrs. John Davey Jr., 12194 Northlawn Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. Andrews, 4653 Seebaldt; Secretary, Mrs. Wm. Smythe, 2302 12th Street; Treasurer, Mrs. J. Brehmer, 58 Martin Place. Delegates, Mrs. J. G. McPherson, 1079 12th St., Mrs. Joseph Quirk, 2305 12th Street. Total Pledge \$100.00.

Detroit—St. Philip and St. Stephen's Church: President, Mrs. J. M. Haines, 3011 Baldwin Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. R. Johnson, 2520 Seybourne Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. B. F. Brown, 5426 Holcomb Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. J. A. Van Vliet, 3732 Meldrum Ave. Delegates, Mrs. Miles, 2142 Hendricks Ave., Mrs. Robert Johnson, 2611 Chalmers Avenue. Total Pledge \$120.00.

Detroit—St. Thomas' Church: President, Mrs. J. W. Ashlee, 412 W. Grand Blvd.; Vice-President, Mrs. Mary James, 1429 Campbell Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. Henry J. Stewart, Astor Apts., W. Gd. Blvd.; Treasurer, Mrs. Geo. Gauthier, 2927 Virginia Park. Delegates, Mrs. Henry J. Stewart, Astor Apts., 2800 W. Grand Blvd., Mrs. Geo. Gauthier, 2927 Virginia Park.. Total Pledge \$50.00.

Detroit—Trinity Church: President, Mrs. W. W. Wilson, 1605 Atkinson Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. M. T. Wright, 4931 Maplewood Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. Rose E. Irving, 2730 Burlingame Ave.; Treasurer, Miss Belle C. Gray, 683 Ferry Ave. West. Delegates, Mrs. Frank Wadham, 3639 National Ave., Miss Belle Gray, 683 Ferry Ave. West. Total Pledge \$130.00.

Flint—Christ Church: President, Mrs. E. H. Conner, 333 Helen St.; Vice-President, Mrs. Wm. Lohrer, 620 Stevenson; Secretary, Mrs. W. Munn, 800 Elizabeth St.; Treasurer, Mrs. M. T. Cochran, 721 Mason St. Delegates, Mrs. H. S. LeDuc, 220 W. Newall St., Mrs. Walter Haley, 1521 St. Total Pledge \$22.00.

Flint—St. Paul's Church: President, Mrs. J. B. Pengelly, 510 Thompson St.; Vice-President, Mrs. I. S. Cooper, 217 Crapo St.; Secretary, Mrs. L. C. Steers, 2529 Milbourne Ave.; Treasurer, Miss Julia Decker, 402 W. Second St. Delegates, Total Pledge \$135.00.

Grosse Isle—St. James Church: President, Mrs. Wm. W. Warren, Grosse Isle; Vice-President, Mrs. Robert Alexander, Grosse Isle; Secretary, Mrs. Yellott Hardcastle, Grosse Ile; Treasurer, Mrs. Egbert Davis, Grosse Isle. Total Pledge \$50.00.

Hudson—Trinity Church: President, Mrs. E. G. Pfenninger, 526 Tiffin St.; Vice-President, Mrs. W. N. Derbyshire, 113 Lafayette St.; Secretary, Mrs. Robt. Vandercook, 307½ Main St.; Treasurer, Mrs. Ione Smart, 312 S. Church St. Delegates, Mrs. Ione Smart, 312 S. Church St., Mrs. W. N. Derbyshire, 113 Lafayette St. Total Pledge \$11.00.

Jackson—St. Paul's Church: President, Mrs. T. E. Wolfenden, 213 Steward Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. Annie Pett, 205 S. Grinnell St.; Secretary, Miss Donna Ruth Camp, 510 W. Franklin St.; Treasurer, Mrs. G. B. Gunnison, 1037 First St. Delegates, Mrs. J. W. Hewson, 807 Second St., Miss Donna Ruth Camp, 510 W. Franklin St. Total Pledge \$150.00.

Midland—St. John's Church: President, Mrs. E. H. Lyon, 500 E. Larkin; Vice-President, Mrs. A. L. White, 509 E. Ellsworth; Secretary, Mrs. Vera Griswold, 516 Midland Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. Philip Rich, 120 Sayre. Delegates, Mrs. F. Griswold, 516 Midland Ave.; Mrs. A. C. White, 509 E. Ellsworth. Total Pledge, \$20.00.

Mt. Clemens—Grace Church: President, Mrs. Chas. E. Doll, 168 Market St.; Vice-President, Mrs. Albert Marlatte, Scott Blvd.; Secretary and Treasurer, Miss Geneva Weeks, 157 S. Gratiot Ave. Delegates, Mrs. Arthur T. Brennan, 220 N. Gratiot; Mrs. Chas. Doll, 168 Market St. Total Pledge, \$31.00.

Owosso—Christ Church: President, Mrs. A. L. Arnold, 203 N. Cedar St.; Vice-President, Mrs. Geo. McClellan, 4386 Main St.; Secretary, Mrs. F. M. Crowe, No. 6, Owosso; Treasurer, Mrs. Niles Wiggins, 415 N. Park St. Delegate, Mrs. Niles Wiggins, 415 Park St. Total Pledge, \$40.00.

- Pontiac—All Saints' Church: President, Mrs. Edward Allshouse, 128 Edison St.; Vice-President, Mrs. Eaton, 189 Perry St.; Secretary, Mrs. D. C. Kelly, 233 Judson St.; Treasurer, Miss Mary E. Brown, 75 Mathews St. Delegates, Mrs. Allshouse, Mrs. Kelly. Total Pledge, \$78.00.
- Port Huron—Grace Church: President, Mrs. A. W. Selkirk, 1111 Lincoln Ave.; Vice-President, Mrs. Myrtle Stacey, 826 Pine St.; Secretary, Mrs. Allie Annas, 1017 Pine Street; Treasurer, Mrs. Geo. Chambers, 303 Fourteenth St. Total Pledge, \$212.00.
- Port Huron—St. Paul's Church: President, Mrs. John Powell, 1411 White St.; Vice-President, Mrs. Herbert Hollis, 2437 Cherry St.; Secretary, Mrs. Richard Poulton, 2412 Gratiot Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. Jos. Beatty, 2710 Stone St. Delegates. Total Pledge, \$20.00.
- Royal Oak—St. John's Church: President, Mrs. Muriel A. Hilts, c/o General Delivery; Secretary, Mrs. Telford, Parent Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. Barkley, 319 Lincoln Ave. Delegates, Mrs. Hayes, Parent Ave.; Miss Mary Cram, Ten-Mile Rd. Total Pledge, \$35.00.
- Saginaw—Calvary Memorial Church: President, Mrs. Geo. Murray, 1827 N. Bond Street; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Jos. R. Appelbe, 1102 W. Genessee St. Total Pledge, \$20.00.
- Saginaw—St. John's Church: President, Mrs. John S. Ferguson, 125 S. Andre Street; Vice-President, Mrs. Emil Montanus, 119 N. Michigan Ave.; Secretary, Mrs. E. E. Swett, 764 Brockway Street; Treasurer, Mrs. A. O. Richter, 1720 Court Street. Delegates, Mrs. John S. Ferguson, 125 S. Andre Street; Mrs. Emil Montanus, 119 N. Michigan Ave. Total Pledge, \$100.00.
- Saginaw—St. Paul's Church: President, Mrs. Walter Tippey, 516 Cedar St.; Vice-President, Miss Jane Mershon, 431 N. Franklin; Secretary, Mrs. Herman Eymer, 600 Emerson St.; Treasurer, Mrs. George Steet, 231 S. Ninth St. Total Pledge, \$54.00.
- St. Johns—St. John's Church: President, Mrs. C. S. Scofield, 201 Oakland St. S.; Vice-President, Mrs. Dora Steel, 302 McConnell St. E.; Secretary, Mrs. F. M. Spaulding, 410 Wight St.; Treasurer, Mrs. G. G. Steel, 507 Walker St. E. Total Pledge \$15.50.
- Tecumseh—St. Peter's Church: President, Miss Louise Phelps, 116 Shawnee St.; Vice-President, Mrs. J. J. Preston, 115 Mill St.; Secretary, Mrs. Laura Temple, 115 Shawnee St. W.; Treasurer, Mrs. Mary E. Ives, 206 Maiden Lane. Delegates, Miss Louis Phelps, 116 Shawnee St. W.; Mrs. J. J. Preston, 115 Mill St. Total Pledge, \$25.00.
- Trenton—St. Thomas' Church: President, Mrs. Walter F. Sanders; Vice-President, Mrs. Austin Church; Secretary, Mrs. Ethel St. Onge; Treasurer, Mrs. David Cowper. Delegates, Miss Grace and Miss Ann Alvord, Mrs. A. McIlhinney. Total Pledge, \$25.00.
- Wayne—St. John's Mission: President, Mrs. Mae Moore; Vice-President, Mrs. Helen Ellis; Secretary, Mrs. Sadie Enot; Treasurer, Miss Emma Johns. Total Pledge, \$8.00.
- Wyandotte—St. Stephen's Church: President, Mrs. Anna Gibson, 72 Chestnut St.; Vice-President, Mrs. A. Schuffert, Perry Apt.; Secretary, Mrs. J. A. Gibson, 315 Biddle Ave.; Treasurer, Mrs. Geo. Steiler, 78 Vine St. Delegates, Mrs. Heck, 315 N. Biddle; Mrs. W. Stark, 66 Cedar St. Total Pledge, \$19.00.
- Ypsilanti—St. Luke's Church: President, Mrs. Jas. F. Deimling, 219 Normal St.; Vice-President, Mrs. C. W. Thomas, 701 Forest Ave., E.; Secretary, Mrs. Grant Baker, 2708 Congress St.; Treasurer, Miss Alice Gilbert, 314 Forest Ave. W. Total Pledge, \$100.00.

ADDRESS OF THE PRESIDENT

It is a great privilege and pleasure to have an opportunity to thank those of you who at our last annual meeting elected me President of the Michigan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. Through the wonderfully clear vision of our former president, Mrs. Frederick B. Stevens, the work of the auxiliary has been so well organized that it has been possible to carry on without her guidance, always with the feeling that she has been ready to give advice when called upon. To all the members of the executive committee, for their ever ready help and counsel, particularly our recording secretary, Miss Winnefred Granger, without whose advice, and much has been asked, the work would have been almost impossible. I wish to extend my warmest thanks. To each chairman of the several committees, who has so splendidly done her part towards the carrying on of the work, is due and given my heartiest appreciation.

Probably each parish during the year has suffered the loss of some of its valued members, but we as co-workers in the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of Michigan, have sustained two great losses, that of our great leader, Bishop Charles D. Williams, who was ever ready to give us of his time and help, and of Mrs. Edward H. Parker, our United Thank Offering Treasurer, who will be so greatly missed by us all.

To the future of the Auxiliary in Michigan, we look for great things. With the plans laid out by Mrs. Grylls, who has so graciously accepted the chairmanship of the important committee on Missions and Church Extension, we hope for many new branches and strengthened weak ones. Do not hesitate to call on this committee for they are anxious for work. We must grow, for without growth no organization is doing its best. Would it were possible for more women to have the advantage of a summer conference and could enter such a class as a few of us were privileged to be in last summer at Hillsdale. I speak of the Mission Study Class led by our Educational Secretary, Miss Elizabeth Thomas and I am sure that all of you who possibly can will find, that attendance at Hillsdale this next summer, will give you the greatest spiritual and educational help for your work next winter.

Let us look forward to the time when the Diocese of Michigan shall have:

A Woman's Auxiliary in every parish and mission.

Every woman in every parish and mission, a working, praying and contributing member of the Woman's Auxiliary.

A Blue Box in every home.

Last and far from least, study classes sometime during the year.

These are not selfish hopes for the Woman's Auxiliary, for recently in a church paper, one of our Bishops is quoted as saying, "If I were asked how a parish, however small or poor, would be most likely to flourish, I would say: Let it begin to exert itself in the great work of the propagation of the Faith. However meager its resources let it arouse that little, such as it is and zealous for souls, let it strive by fervent prayer for ministering and by methodical contributions to relieve the poverty of the missions; these very efforts will react upon the parish by unifying and enlarging it."

I cannot close without speaking of the happiness we all feel in the coming to Michigan of Bishop and Mrs. Page. Having themselves been so recently in missionary work in the far West, their interest in our particular organization cannot help but be great, as indeed they have already shown us.

May we show our appreciation of their coming, by giving our heartiest support to any plans the Bishop may have for us.

May 5, 1924.

MARGARET CHITTENDEN BARBOUR,
President.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE RECORDING SECRETARY

During the year 1923 the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of Michigan held eight monthly meetings, seven meeting of the Executive Committee, the annual meeting for 1922, a special meeting to hear Deaconess Bedell tell of her work in Alaska, a Memorial Meeting for Bishop Williams, held in place of the Lenten Quiet Morning, which the Bishop himself was to have conducted and an Advent Service of Prayer.

There was an average attendance of one hundred at the monthly meetings. The largest number present at a single meeting was two hundred and thirty-five at the annual meeting held in May and the smallest number in attendance was at the September meeting held in Christ Church, Flint.

The last annual meeting of the Auxiliary, being that for 1922 was held in St. Paul's Cathedral, Detroit, on Monday and Tuesday, May 7 and 8, 1923. As usual the session on Monday afternoon was given over to the annual reports of the officers and chairmen of committees. At the close of the meeting an informal reception was held for all interested.

A Corporate Communion was held on Tuesday morning in the Cathedral at nine o'clock. Dean Rogers was the Celebrant, assisted by the Rev. Benham Ewing also of the Cathedral staff.

At the close of this service the adjourned session of the Forty-fourth Annual meeting was held in the Cathedral House.

Archdeacon Ziegler of New Mexico spoke most interestingly of his work in that missionary diocese and Archdeacons Ramsay and Widdifield of our diocese told of the work done in their respective fields.

Election of Officers for 1923-1924 followed.

At Mrs. Frederic B. Stevens' own request her name was not presented for re-election as President of the Diocesan Auxiliary.

It is greatly owing to Mrs. Stevens' interested supervision over all departments of work in the Woman's Auxiliary that the work of this Association has been so successfully carried on.

A tribute to Mrs. Stevens was read by Mrs. Robert Frazer and a Scholarship called the Anne E. Shipman Stevens Scholarship was founded. By Mrs. Stevens' own choice this scholarship is to go for the present to the Piney Mountain School near Wytheville, Virginia.

The Woman's Auxiliary was most fortunate in electing as its Presiding Officer, Mrs. William T. Barbour of St. Paul's Cathedral, Detroit.

After luncheon the Auxiliary again convened at two o'clock and listened to addresses on Christian Fellowship in the Five Fields of Service, the Parish, the Diocese, the Community, the Nation and the World, given by Mrs. C. E. Edinger of East Tawas, Mr. Wayland Stears, Miss Clara Wolbert, Mrs. H. J. Nochol and Mrs. H. J. Maxwell Grylls.

The speakers at the monthly meetings were the Rev. Allan McAvoy, the Rev. Robert W. Woodroffe, Mr. Charles O. Ford, the Rev. Andrew Gill, the Rev. W. F. Jerome of the Travelling Missionary Van, Mrs. James Austin, Mrs. Frank Osburn, Mrs. Thomas Stirling and Miss Mary Elizabeth Wood of Wuchang, China.

A very successful Mission Study Institute was held in St. Paul's Cathedral on the last Friday, Saturday and Sunday in January. The general subjects studied were the Negro Question and Americanization or Work among the Foreign Born. The Rev. Charles T. Bridgeman came from New York to lead the class on Americanization.

The Mason Memorial Fund created in memory of Mrs. Charlotte F. Moeller Mason, sometime President of the Diocesan Auxiliary, was finished in 1923. This fund reached the sum of \$1,270.80. The Cathedral Branch of the Auxiliary, of which Mrs. Mason was President for a number of years chose that \$1,000.00 of this amount should be invested and the income go to help the work at Christ Church School at Arden, North Carolina, and the remaining amount, \$270.80, should be sent to Deaconess Bedell for her school at St. Stephen's Village, Alaska.

A total amount of \$4,129.43 was given this year to the United Thank Offering, this amount being about 67 per cent more than was given during the corresponding time in the last Triennium.

By action of the Auxiliary at the annual meeting this offering will be presented in memory of Bishop Williams at the United Thank Offering Service at the Triennial Convention in 1925 at New Orleans.

A great loss came to the Auxiliary, when the fourth Bishop of Michigan, the Rt. Rev. Charles D. Williams, D. D., died on the evening of Ash Wednesday, February 14, 1923.

Bishop Williams was always ready to help the Auxiliary in every way possible and his annual addresses to us and the wonderful talk which he gave at his last appearance before the Auxiliary at the Mission Study Institute, in January, will always be remembered as well as his triumphant life lived so much for others. May he be granted joy and refreshment in Paradise,

"Where loyal hearts and true
Stand ever in the light
Of God's most holy sight."

May 5, 1924

Respectfully submitted,

WINNEFRED GRIFFITHS GRANGER,
Recording Secretary

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

Letters written	141
Letters received	77
Monthly meeting notices mailed.....	854
Executive Committee meeting notices mailed.....	15
Programs mailed	100
Forms for pledges and officers' lists mailed.....	174
Annual Institute notices mailed.....	450
Special notices of Memorial Service to Bishop Williams.....	10
Total.....	1821

AGNES L. WILLIAMSON,

Corresponding Secretary,

May 8, 1923—January 28, 1924.

By Maryann E. Shuell Fortune.

May 5, 1924.

The Corresponding Secretary sends to the Northern and Southern Archdeaconaries sufficient number of copies of the Year Book required to supply each branch with one copy. The branches of the Detroit Archdeaconry receive their copy at the meetings.

Acting upon a recommendation made by the Executive Committee it was decided that on account of increasingly high printing rates, ten cents was to be paid for all extra copies.

REPORT OF GENERAL TREASURER

GENERAL EXPENSE FUND

RECEIPTS

Balance on hand, January 1, 1823.....	\$171.97
From Little Helpers:	
For printing annual report in Auxiliary Year Book for 1922.....	12.00
From Mrs. Frederic B. Stevens:	
Toward printing Year Books for 1922 (half the cost).....	\$176.25
For flowers placed on altar at Memorial Service for Bishop Williams	4.00
Easter lily sent in name of the Auxiliary to the family of Bishop Williams, Easter, 1923.....	3.00
Wreath sent in name of the Auxiliary to funeral of Bishop Tuttle, in St. Louis.....	10.00
Telegram of sympathy from the Auxiliary sent to family of Bishop Tuttle	1.50
Printing of ballots for election of officers at annual meeting, 1923	4.25
For flowers placed on altar at the corporate communion annual meeting, 1923	4.00
For flowers sent in name of Auxiliary to funeral of Bishop Mott Williams	5.00
For Memorial Book of Bishop Williams made by Miss Bertha Lloyd	20.00
	<hr/> 228.00
From four branches of the Auxiliary toward flowers sent to fun- eral of Bishop Williams.....	12.00
Sale of Year Books.....	7.80
Toward expenses of Miss Boyer, Leader of Mission Study Class at Institute in January, 1924, paid in advance by four branches of the Auxiliary	9.00
Offering, Advent Service of Prayer.....	5.35
Pledges	237.50
Transferred Extension Fund to General Expense Fund.....	251.21
Transferred Woman's Auxiliary Special Fund to General Expense Fund	402.52
	<hr/> \$1,337.35

DISBURSEMENTS.

Handford Jesse Printing Company:	
Printing Year Books for 1922.....	\$351.25
Printing for Mission Study Institute.....	18.00
Printing ballots for election of officers at annual meeting.....	4.25
Printing programs for 1923-24.....	7.50
Howe Printing Company, special stationery.....	12.50
Churchman Publishing Company, New York, for printing Memorial to Bishop Williams in one issue of the New York Churchman.....	23.08
Morhouse Publishing Company, Milwaukee, Wis., for printing Memorial to Bishop Williams in one issue of the Living Church.....	14.01
Gregory, Meyer & Thom, account book for General Treasurer.....	2.50
Corresponding Secretary, Miss Agnes Williamson, for postage, stationery and printing notices.....	16.20
General Treasurer, Miss Winnefred Granger, for postage.....	1.50
Miss Bertha Lloyd, for making book for Memorial to Bishop Williams	20.00

Fetters Flowers:	
Flowers sent to funeral of Bishop Williams.....	19.25
Flowers placed on altar at funeral of Bishop Williams.....	4.00
Easter lily sent to the family of Bishop Williams, Easter, 1922..	3.00
Flowers	2.00
Wreath for funeral of Bishop Tuttle.....	10.00
Telegram sent to family of Bishop Tuttle.....	1.50
John Breitmeyer's Sons, Florists, for flowers.....	9.00
First National Bank, Detroit, rent of space in safety deposit room	6.00
Lewis B. Franklin, Treasurer, New York, for expense fund of	
National Woman's Auxiliary.....	25.00
Francis Mackay, Organist, St. Paul's Cathedral, for services at	
Memorial Service to Bishop Williams.....	5.00
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	\$555.54
Balance on hand December 31, 1922.....	781.81

EXTENSION FUND

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand January 1, 1922.....	\$128.40
From Mrs. Frederic B. Stevens:	
Ror building fund of St. Matthew's Church.....	25.00
For Charlotte M. Mason Memorial Fund.....	10.00
For Bishop Rowe Foundation Fund.....	10.00
From Mrs. William H. Spicer, Supply Secretary: Toward the \$50	
borrowed from this fund for Miss Sundholm, St. Mary's	
School, South Dakota	15.00
From Mrs. William Craig:	
For the Anne E. Shipman Stevens Scholarship.....	20.00
From Mrs. William T. Barbour:	
For offering of Woman's Auxiliary at the Semi-Centennial	
Service, Trinity Church, Mackinac Island.....	5.00
Offerings monthly meetings	127.20
Offerings Corporate Communion	30.35
Offering, Special Memorial Service for Bishop Williams.....	25.25
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	\$396.20

DISBURSEMENTS.

Rev. Everard Daniels, Rector St. Matthew's Church, for building	
fund of St. Matthew's Church.....	\$ 25.00
Paid to Woman's Auxiliary Special Fund, offering at Memorial	
Service to Bishop Williams.....	25.25
Mrs. Theodore Fletcher, St. Paul's Cathedral, for Charlotte M.	
Mason Memorial Fund	10.00
Mrs. R. McClelland Brady, Domestic Treasurer:	
For Anne E. Shipman Stevens Scholarship.....	20.00
For Bishop Rowe Foundation.....	10.00
Rev. Percy Robinson, Mackinac Island, for Semi-Centennial Offer-	
ing of Trinity Church, Mackinac Island.....	5.00
Mrs. Charles E. Edinger, East Tawas, travelling expenses to Detroit	
and return, to speak at annual meeting.....	19.74
Miss Mary Elizabeth Wood, Wuchang, China, travelling expenses	
from New York	30.00
Transferred Extension Fund to General Expense Fund.....	251.21
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	\$396.20

No balance. Fund finished.

ELIZABETH FISKE LOCKE STEVENS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand January 1, 1923.....	\$ 15.84
From Mrs. Frederic B. Stevens, for furniture for Room of Diocesan Library	31.50
Pledges	5.00
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	\$ 52.54

DISBURSEMENTS.

Charles P. Larned, Treasurer Cathedral Club, for furniture for Room of Diocesan Library.....	\$ 31.50
The W. C. Windisch Company, for binding Spirit of Missions 1922	4.75
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	\$ 36.25
Balance on hand December 31, 1923.....	16.09

TRIENNIAL FUND

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand January 1, 1923.....	\$ 6.00
Pledges	81.50
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	\$ 87.50

No Disbursements.

PROVINCIAL CARRY-ON FUND

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand January 1, 1923.....	\$ 7.30
Pledges	32.50
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	\$ 39.80

DISBURSEMENTS.

Miss Evelyn Mershon, Saginaw, Treasurer Diocesan House of Churchwomen, for Provincial House of Churchwomen.....	\$ 29.80
No balance. Fund finished.	

SPECIAL FUNDS

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY SPECIAL FUND

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand January 1, 1923.....	\$365.74
Offering at Memorial Service for Bishop Williams, Transferred from Extension Fund	25.25
Interest on deposit in bank.....	11.53
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	\$402.52

DISBURSEMENTS.

Transferred Special Fund to General Expense Fund.....	\$402.52
No balance. Fund finished.	

RUFUS W. CLARK MEMORIAL FUND

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand January 1, 1923.....	\$ 96.93
Interest on investment of fund.....	64.25
Interest on deposit in bank.....	2.62
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	\$163.80

DISBURSEMENTS.

Mrs. William T. Barbour, Foreign Treasurer, for Bishop Overs of Liberia	\$ 50.00
Mrs. Thomas Stirling, Foreign Treasurer, for Bishop Overs of Liberia	50.00
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Balance on hand December 31, 1923.....	\$ 63.80

SUMMARY: BALANCES IN ALL FUNDS

General Expense Fund.....	\$781.81
Elizabeth Fiske Locke Stevens Memorial Library.....	16.09
Triennial Fund	87.50
Rufus W. Clark Memorial Fund.....	63.80
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Total on hand.....	\$947.20

Respectfully submitted,
WINNEFRED GRIFFITHS, GRANGER,
General Treasurer.

May 5th, 1924.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

With much satisfaction I have examined the foregoing account and find same to be correct in every particular.

DUDLEY W. SMITH,
Auditor.

REPORT OF DIOCESAN TREASURER

BISHOP'S FUND

RECEIPTS.

From Parish Pledges.....	\$ 653.32
Interest December 1, 1923.....	2.43
Total, December 31, 1923.....	\$ 655.65

No Disbursements.

FIELD SECRETARY'S FUND

RECEIPTS.

Balance on deposit December 31, 1922.....	\$1,453.68
From parish pledges	300.00
Interest December 1, 1923.....	44.27
Total, December 31, 1923.....	\$1,797.95

No Disbursements.

WILLIAM S. SAYRES MEMORIAL FUND

RECEIPTS

Interest on Investment of \$2,250.00 made by Trustees of the Diocese of Michigan, from December 31, 1922.....	\$ 304.00
Interest, December 31, 1923.....	133.15
Total December 31, 1923.....	\$ 437.15

Respectfully submitted,

MARION M. AUSTIN,
Diocesan Treasurer.

May 5th, 1924.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I have examined the account of the Diocesan Treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary and find same to be correct.

DUDLEY W. SMITH,
Auditor.

May 5th, 1924.

REPORT OF DOMESTIC TREASURER

RECEIPTS

For Alaska	\$ 295.50
For St. Paul's School, Lawrenceville.....	122.50
For St. Augustine's School, Raleigh.....	111.50
For the Philippines	126.00
For the Deaf Mutes	53.50
For General Missions	1,404.50
For Mountain Whites	100.50
For Indians	25.50

Specials and Personals:

For Frances Adams Memorial, Hospital of Good Shepherd, Fort Defiance, Arizona.....	\$ 85.50
For Deaconess Routledge, Philippines:	
Personal for Deaconess Routledge, from Mrs. Walter Fortune, Trinity Church, Detroit.....	10.00
For Bishop Touret of Idaho, from St. Paul's Cathedral, Detroit	25.00
For St. Barnabas Mission, Ivanhoe, Va:	
Christ Church, Detroit.....	40.00
St. Paul's Cathedral, Detroit.....	120.00
For Bishop Rowe Foundation Fund:	
St. Joseph's Church, Detroit.....	25.00
Personal: Mrs. F. B. Stevens, St. John's, Detroit.....	10.00
For Bishop Wise of Kansas:	
Epiphany Church, Detroit	5.00
For St. Andrew's School, Sewanee, Tenn.:	
Christ Church, Detroit.....	25.00
St. Andrew's Church, Ann Arbor.....	10.00
For Miss Cady's Work, Hospital of the Good Shepherd, Fort Defiance, Arizona:	
Christ Church, Detroit	50.00
For Bishop Atwood, Arizona, Hospital Work:	
St. Paul's Cathedral, Detroit.....	25.00
For Deaconess Bedell, Alaska:	
St. Paul's Cathedral, Detroit.....	50.00
For Kate Ward Minor Memorial:	
Personal: Mrs. F. B. Stevens, St. John's, Detroit.....	10.00
Personal: Mrs. William Craig, St. John's, Detroit.....	5.00
For Two subscriptions, "Our Mountain Work".....	1.00
For Anne E. Shipman Stevens Scholarship, Piney Mountain School, St. Barnabas Mission, Ivanhoe, Va.:	
Personal: Mrs. F. B. Stevens, St. John's, Detroit.....	25.00
Personal: Mrs. William Craig, St. John's, Detroit.....	20.00
For Mrs. Charlotte F. Mason, Memorial Fund.....	1,287.08
For Lewis H. Paddock, Treasurer:	
Interest, Charlotte E. Mason Memorial Fund.....	10.00
	<hr/> 1,887.08

Total\$4,126.58

DISBURSEMENTS.

Under Appropriations:

Alaska	\$ 295.50
St. Paul's School, Lawrenceville	122.50
St. Augustine's School, Raleigh	126.50
Philippines	126.00
Deaf Mutes	53.50
General Missions	1,404.50
Mountain Whites	100.50
Indians	25.50
	<hr/> 2,254.50

Specials and Personals:

Frances Adams Memorial, Hospital of the Good Shepherd, Fort Defiance, Arizona	\$ 85.50
Deaconess Routledge, Philippines	58.50
Bishop Touret, Idaho	25.00
St. Barnabas Mission, Ivanhoe, Va.	160.00
Bishop Rowe Foundation Fund	35.00
Bishop Wise, Kansas	5.00
St. Andrew's School, Sewanee, Tenn.	35.00
Hospital of Good Shepherd, Fort Defiance, Arizona	75.00
Deaconess Bedell, Alaska	50.00
Two subscriptions, "Our Mountain Work"	1.00
Anna E. Shipman Stevens Scholarship, Piney Mountain School, Ivanhoe, Va.	45.00
Charlotte F. Mason Memorial, Christ School, Arden, North Carolina	1,000.00
Charlotte F. Mason Memorial, Stephen's Village, Alaska	287.08
Interest Charlotte F. Mason Memorial Fund	10.00
	<hr/> 1,872.08
Total	<hr/> \$4,126.58

Respectfully submitted,

BELLE HOLLAND BRADY,
Domestic Treasurer.

May 5th, 1924.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

I have examined the account of the Domestic Treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary and find same to be correct.

DUDLEY W. SMITH,
Auditor.

May 5th, 1924.

REPORT OF FOREIGN TREASURER

RECEIPTS

Under Appropriations:

For Miss Bull's salary, Osaka, Japan.....	\$ 256.00
For Harris Memorial Scholarship, St. John's College, Shanghai, China	85.50
For Jos. H. Johnson Scholarship, St. Andrew's School, Mexico	74.00
For work in Liberia, Africa.....	169.00
For miscellaneous Foreign Work.....	34.00
For Jane Stewart Scholarship, St. Mary's Hall, Shanghai, China	40.00
For Jos. N. Blanchard Memorial Scholarship, Cape Mount, Africa	40.00

Specials:

For Insurance Fund	72.50
For Charlotte Mason Littell Memorial, Hankow, China	106.50
Near East Relief	51.00
St. Agnes School, Kyoto, Japan.....	10.00
For Bishop Graves, Shanghai.....	15.00
Mrs. Ancell, Yangchow, China.....	30.00
Rev. Ancell, Yangchow, China.....	10.00
For St. Agnes School, Ankin.....	30.00
For Bishop Overs, Liberia, for the education of young men for the ministry.....	100.00
For Ogii Orphanage, Tokio.....	10.00
For Emergency Relief Fund for Japanese Church.....	664.58
	<hr/> \$1,798.08

DISBURSEMENTS.

For Miss Bull's salary.....	\$ 256.00
For Harris Memorial Scholarship.....	85.50
For Jos. H. Johnson Scholarship.....	84.00
For Liberia Africa	169.00
For Miscellaneous Foreign Work.....	34.00
For Jane Stewart Scholarship.....	40.00
For Jos. N. Blanchard Memorial.....	40.00
For Insurance Fund	72.50
For Charlotte Mason Littell Memorial.....	106.50
For Near East Relief.....	51.00
For St. Agnes School Kyoto.....	10.00
For Bishop Graves Shanghai.....	15.00
For Mrs. Ancell	30.00
For Rev. Ancell	10.00
For St. Agnes School, Ankin.....	30.00
For Bishop Overs	100.00
For Ogii Orphanage	10.00
For Japanese Emergency Fund.....	664.58
	<hr/> \$1,798.08

Respectfully submitted,
MABEL DUNLAP STIRLING,
Foreign Treasurer.

May 5th, 1924.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

The preceding account audited April 21, 1924, and found correct.

DUDLEY W. SMITH,
For Audit Committee.

May 5th, 1924.

REPORT OF UNITED THANK OFFERING TREASURER

January 1, 1923, cash on hand.....	\$ 84.11
Received from Parish and Mission Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, Guilds, etc.....	\$4,010.64
Interest on bonds and bank deposit.....	34.68
	\$4,129.43
Investment in bonds with accrued interest.....	\$1,011.48
Cash in bank.....	2,217.95

Total amount on hand December 31, 1924..... \$4,129.43

478 Little Blue Boxes and 2031 leaflets have been distributed.
98 letters have been written.
54 contributions have been acknowledged.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Above report examined and found correct.

DUDLEY W. SMITH,
Auditor.

April 25th, 1924.

Mrs. Edward H. Parker, the United Thank Offering Treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of Michigan, died on February 10, 1924.

The above annual report has been compiled from her monthly reports for 1923.

WINNEFRED GRIFFITHS GRANGER,
Acting United Thank Offering Treasurer.

May 5th, 1924.

Pray ye therefore the Lord of the harvest, that he will send forth laborers into his harvest.—S. Matt. 9:38.

PRAYER FOR THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

Adopted October, 1919.

O Lord, our heavenly Father, we pray thee to send forth more laborers into thy harvest, and to grant them thy special grace for every need. Guard and guide the workers in the field, and draw us into closer fellowship with them. Dispose the hearts of all women everywhere to give gladly as thou hast given to them. Accept, from grateful hearts, our United Thank Offering of prayer and gifts and joyful service; and bless it to the coming of thy Kingdom through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

RESOLUTIONS OF THE UNITED THANK OFFERING OF 1925

Adopted September, 1922.

Resolved: That the United Thank Offering of 1925 be given to the National Council for the work of women in the mission field whose appointment has been approved by the Executive Board of the Woman's Auxiliary, including the training, sending and support of women workers and the care of such workers when sick or disabled; Provided, that one-tenth of the Offering be set aside and added to the permanent trust fund to be invested and administered by the National Council, the income to be applied to the support of retired United Thank Offering workers; also Provided, that the sum of not less than \$25,000.00 be devoted to the erection, completion, or renewal of a building or buildings approved by the National Council on the recommendation of the Executive Secretary of the Department of Missions and the Executive Board of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Resolved: That to our united gifts shall be added our united and earnest prayers that God will put it into the hearts of many faithful women to give of themselves or of their substance to the work of the Master in the Mission Field.

Resolved: That the box in which the United Thank Offering of the women of the Church is gathered be called and spoken of as "The Little Blue Box"; that this title be changed in literature, plays, etc., which now mention it as a "Mite Box."

Resolved: That instructions on "The Little Blue Box" regarding the opening of the boxes be changed to read as follows: "This box should be opened each Spring and Fall and the contents sent, through the Parish Custodian or Treasurer, to the Diocesan Officer for the United Thank Offering."

MISSIONARY BOX REPORT

Lenten Work

Three boxes were sent, one to each of the following Missions:

All Saints' Mission, Bontoc, Philippine Islands.

University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Va.

St. Michael's Mission, Ethete, Wyoming.

St. Paul's Cathedral undertook the entire Philippine box.....	\$ 322.30
St. Joseph's Church, Detroit.....	\$ 415.70
Trinity Church, Detroit, St. Michael's.....	39.00
St. John's Royal Oak.....	22.70
	<hr/> 477.40

To the University of Virginia, the following branches contributed:

Christ Church, Detroit.....	166.49
St. Phillip's and St. Steven's, Detroit.....	144.82
St. Mary's, Detroit	115.77
St. John's, Detroit	89.31
St. Andrew's, Detroit	79.71
Church of The Messiah, Detroit.....	68.48
Epiphany, Detroit	45.30
St. Thomas, Detroit	36.70
Church of Our Saviour, Detroit.....	32.33
Grace Church, Detroit.....	26.19
St. Peter's, Detroit	15.52
Trinity, Detroit	19.15
Ascension, Detroit	14.25
St. Columba, Detroit.....	10.62
St. Alban's, Highland Park.....	21.60
Calvary, Hillman, Mich.....	6.00
Calvary, Saginaw, Mich.....	14.11
St. John's, Saginaw, Mich.....	61.23
Trinity, West Branch, Mich.....	5.94
St. Paul's, West Branch, Mich.....	20.09
St. Paul's, Bad Axe, Mich.....	14.64
Trinity, Bay City, Mich.....	60.13
Grace, Bay City, Mich.....	12.44
Trinity, Alpena, Mich.....	18.00
St. John's, Midland, Mich.....	11.03
St. Paul's, Gladwin, Mich.....	3.67
St. Paul's, Flint, Mich.....	27.59
Standish, Mich.....	3.10
St. Andrew's, Rose City, Mich.....	1.89
St. James', Cheboygan, Mich.....	21.45
St. John's, St. John, Mich.....	29.90

Christ, Flint, Mich.....	34.26
St. Paul's, Jackson, Mich.....	30.93
All Saints', Pontiac, Mich.....	103.28
St. Luke's, Ypsilanti, Mich.....	50.00
St. James', Birmingham, Mich.....	10.90
St. Peter's, Tecumseh, Mich.....	6.62
Southern Owosso, Mich.....	7.32
Christ Church, Adrian, Mich.....	7.75
St. John's, Clinton, Mich.....	3.77
St. Steven's, Wyandotte, Mich.....	51.01
Grace Church, Mt. Clemens, Mich.....	8.25
St. Andrew's, Ann Arbor, Mich.....	57.03
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	\$1,568.60
	322.30
	477.40

Total amount of Lenten Box Work.....\$2,368.30

Personal Boxes

Christ Church, Detroit, Mich.:	
To Rev. S. T. Hedeland, Moorhead, Minn.....	\$ 471.66
St. Paul's Cathedral, Detroit, Mich.:	
To Rev. Joseph N. Carter, Wilmington, N. C.....	338.88
St. Joseph's Church, Detroit, Mich.:	
To Rev. James MacLaughlin, Green River, Wy.....	159.07
St. John's Church, Detroit, Mich.:	
To Rev. Homer R. Harrington, Casselton, N. D.....	124.75
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To the Rev. Howard Allegood, Gatesville, N. C.:	
St. Paul's, Lansing, Mich.....	\$ 46.90
Christ Church, Adrian, Mich.....	29.95
St. Paul's, Jackson, Mich.....	18.14
St. Peter's, Tecumseh, Mich.....	10.70
Christ Church, Flint, Mich.....	17.86
St. John's, Royal Oak, Mich.....	16.80
Christ Church, Owosso, Mich.....	15.19
St. John's, St. John, Mich.....	8.19
St. Andrew's, Ann Arbor, Mich.....	28.36
St. Luke's, Ypsilanti, Mich.....	45.50
St. Paul's, Flint, Mich.....	4.00
Grace, Mt. Clemens, Mich.....	3.28
St. James', Birmingham, Mich.....	7.74
All Saints', Pontiac, Mich.....	5.00

\$ 257.59

This box was filled through the efforts of Mrs. Daniel Quirk,
Ypsilanti, Mich., Supply Secretary for the Northern Archdeaconry.

To Rev. Joseph H. Smyth, Trinity Church, Berlin, Wis.:	
Junior, Gladstone, Mich.....	\$ 3.00
Calvary, Saginaw, Mich.....	13.83
Trinity, Alpena, Mich.....	23.00
Trinity, Bay City, Mich.....	40.00
St. Paul's, Saginaw, Mich.....	10.00
St. John's, Midland, Mich.....	6.65
St. James', Cheboygan, Mich.....	6.95

\$ 103.43

This box was filled through the efforts of Miss Mershon, Saginaw, Mich., Supply Secretary for the Northern Archdeaconry.

St. Alban's Church, Highland, Mich.:

To Mr. James, Coyote Mission, S. D., 1 Catechist Suit and two Union Suits\$ 33.05

Church of The Messiah, Detroit, Mich.:

To Rev. John Promise, Dupree, S. D., entire outfit with suit..\$ 86.50

To complete unfinished box to Rev. John Promise.....\$ 76.51

For suit and 2 union suits to Mr. Melvin Lodge..... 34.16

110.67

The following branches contributed:

St. Peter's, Detroit.....\$ 10.00

Grace, Detroit 5.00

Trinity, Detroit 10.00

St. Phillip's and St. Stephen's, Detroit..... 20.00

St. Columba, Detroit..... 5.00

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St. Barnabas, Detroit 5.00

St. James', Grosse Ile..... 10.00

St. Paul's Guild, Gladwin..... 5.00

Trinity Guild, Mackinac 5.00

St. James' Parish, Birmingham..... 16.55

St. Paul's, Saginaw 15.00

Miss Mershon, Northern Archdeaconry, money from

Northern Archdeaconry after filling boxes..... 20.00

Mrs. Gallogly, Detroit 5.00

Mrs. Spicer, balance Supply Department, 1922..... 29.26

160.81

Balance on hand\$ 50.14

Total Personal boxes.....\$1,685.69

Specials:

To Miss Mary A. Traylor, Java, Va.:

Church of Our Savior, Detroit, Mich.....\$ 5.00

To Miss S. March, Lockport, N. Y.:

St. Thomas', Church, Detroit, Mich..... 5.00

To Miss Everett T. Jones, Moapa, Nevada:

Church of the Ascension, Detroit, Mich..... 5.00

To Miss M. K. Montero, Anking, China:

St. Paul's Cathedral, Detroit, Mich..... 5.00

To Miss Catherine S. Jackson, Cape Palmes, Liberia:

St. Andrew's Memorial, Detroit, Mich..... 5.00

Deaconess E. Riebe, Iching, China:

St. Matthais', Detroit, Mich..... 5.00

To Miss Mary J. Smith, Yanchow, China.....\$ 5.00

To Miss Elsie Robert, Boise, Idaho..... 5.00

Church of the Epiphany, Detroit, Mich..... 10.00

To DuBose Memorial School:

St. Peter's, Tecumseh, Mich..... 15.00

Total Specials\$ 55.00

To Miss Doris Powell, St. Augustine School, Raleigh, N. C.:

St. Matthew's sent a Christmas Box.

TOTAL BOX WORK FROM JANARY 1st to DECEMBER 1st, 1923

Lenten Boxes	\$2,368.30
Personal Boxes	1,685.69
Specials	55.00
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	\$4,108.99

Respectfully submitted,

CARRIE M. JENKS,
Supply Secretary.

REPORT OF THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

In reviewing the work of the Church Periodical Club for the year 1923 we find increased interest and much progress along most lines. However, we would like to emphasize the importance of sending current numbers of magazines regularly to some given address. Magazines sent regularly are of much more value than back numbers sent in bulk.

In making this report it is only possible to mention the most important gifts sent out.

The Church Periodical Club has always worked in the five fields of service.

For the Parish each Librarian has contributed something. We endeavor in every way possible to co-operate with the various organizations in the Diocese and give assistance wherever it is needed.

Through the Missionary Department we have given religious books to the Library at Howell Sanitarium and to the Missionary Van, also Bibles and Prayer Books to several missions.

For the Social Service Department we have given hundreds of magazines, books, cards and games; have been able to procure a number of special books asked for by the women in the House of Correction. We have sent magazines direct from the publishers to the Girls' Friendly Lodge and to Williams House and have also given the latter a Membership in the American Social Hygiene Association through which membership Williams House receives all the literature sent out by this association.

For the Nation some of the gifts which stand out most prominently are three Seamen's Libraries, Children's Books for schools for the Mountaineers of the South, among these being some for St. Margaret's, Tappahannock, Virginia, one hundred new hymnals for Port Hope, Alaska, and a set of the Book of Knowledge to the school at Manati, Porto Rico.

For the World, books have been sent to Boone Library, Wuchang, China, prayer books and hymnals to Tabacnnee, Grand Bassa, Liberia, and innumerable work of fiction to St. Luke's International Hospital, Tokio, Japan.

At Christmas one hundred new books were sent by individuals to missionaries and shut-ins.

After the terrible earthquake in Japan it was a source of great rejoicing to learn that the books in the Library of St. Paul's University in Tokio which had been given through the Church Periodical Club had been saved.

As stated in my report last year, from the General Convention 1922 to 1925 the special work of the Church Periodical Club in Michigan is to help furnish medical books for St. Luke's International Hospital, Tokio, Japan. At that time the need was great but as can readily be appreciated since the earthquake the need is much greater. The quota for this Diocese is three hundred dollars. Of this amount fifty dollars has been given.

Continued interest in our Church Calendars has been shown, which this year had a picture of the Missionary Van on it.

During the year four meetings of Librarians have been held. These meetings do much to stimulate an interest in the work and may I take this opportunity to thank each and every librarian for her loyal and fine co-operation.

We wish to thank all, who have in any way contributed to this work. We would especially thank the Rev. Stephen W. Frisbie who so generously gave many books from his valuable library. These books have been sent to all parts of the world.

FINANCIAL REPORT

RECEIPTS

Balance, January 1, 1923.....	\$ 201.80
From Woman's Auxiliary.....	140.00
Sale of Calendars and Cards.....	411.00
For St. Luke's Medical Library, Tokio, Japan.....	15.00
Church School Service League.....	2.00
	\$ 769.80

DISBURSEMENTS.

Purchase of books.....	\$ 101.50
Deaconess Bedell	25.00
Archdeacon Widdifield	15.00
Archdeacon Ramsay	15.00
Calendars and Cards	200.00
Leper work in Japan.....	5.00
Printing	29.00
Subscription to Magazine.....	19.50
Parcel Post	30.00
Freight, express and sundries.....	28.00
	\$ 468.50

Balance, December 31, 1923..... 301.30

Respectfully submitted,

DELIA WARRINER,
Diocesan Correspondent.

May 5th, 1924.

AUDITOR'S REPORT

Items checked with disbursement vouchers. Entries and expenditures found to be correct.

FREDERIC B. STEVENS,
Auditor.

May 5th, 1924.

REPORTS OF VICE-PRESIDENTS

DETROIT ARCHDEACONRY

No report was handed in for the Detroit Archdeaconry owing to the illness of the Vice-President, Mrs. Samuel S. Marquis. Mrs. Marquis was appointed to fill this office on the resignation of Mrs. Heatley Green.

SOUTHERN ARCHDEACONRY

During the year 1923 numerous letters have been written to the various branches in this Archdeaconry. Year books and programs have been sent to every branch.

I have attended two very interesting meetings in Ypsilanti and found the Auxiliary there very active.

At St. Andrew's, Ann Arbor, the Auxiliary has sent two very good boxes this year and has had a study class under the able leadership of Dr. Orma Butler.

I have had few reports from the other branches but the interest shown seems very encouraging and makes us hope for better results in the future.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE CONDON,

Vice-President Southern Archdeaconry.

May 5, 1924.

REPORT OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE NORTHERN ARCHDEACONRY

A report of the work done in the Northern Archdeaconry for the first part of 1923 was made at the annual meeting, May 7th, 1923. As this report is supposed to cover the work of the year from January 1923 to January 1924, it will of necessity contain some repetitions of the report given last May.

The first work of the new Vice-President of the Northern Archdeaconry was the distribution of copies of the Forty-third Annual Report of the Michigan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the presidents of the several branches, each copy being accompanied by a letter, something on the order of a questionnaire. Many cordial and enlightening letters were received in response.

On March 15th, 1923, a Quiet Hour for the women of the Northern Archdeaconry was held in Calvary Memorial Church, Saginaw, conducted by the Rev. Kerwood Alexander, then rector of Christ Church, Flint.

On May 1st a conference was held with the rector of Trinity Church, Alpena, looking forward to the re-establishment of an active branch of the Auxiliary in that parish.

November 14th, on invitation, a visit was made to the Woman's Auxiliary at St. John's Church, Midland.

November 27th, we attended a meeting of the Auxiliary of St. Paul's Church, Saginaw. This organization has used for the basis of its program this year the revised edition of the Woman's Auxiliary Handbook and "The Church Periodical Club" was the subject for that day.

During the year 1923, fifty-three letters have been written and fifty letters received. Thirty-three copies of the 43rd Annual Report of the Woman's Auxiliary and forty-two of the 44th Annual Report, distributed.

A generous and ready response has been received by the Supply Secretary for the box work, in most cases, and splendid boxes were sent both at Christmas and Easter. In this connection the Supply Secretary has asked me to give honorable mention to the following parishes and

missions: St. James', Cheboygan; St. Paul's, Gladwin; St. Paul's, Bad Axe; Grace, Standish; Trinity, West Branch; Trinity, Alpena; Grace, Bay City; Trinity, Bay City; St. John's Saginaw; St. Paul's Saginaw; Calvary, Saginaw; St. John's, Midland, and Trinity, Caro.

In the smaller groups of Churchwomen, while there is no organized Auxiliary, we find in some places the United Thank Offering being kept up, and not a little interest in Mission Study Work is being shown.

Respectfully submitted,

HATTIE S. APPELBE,

Vice-President Northern Archdeaconry.

REPORT OF THE ELIZABETH FISKE LOCKE STEVENS MEMORIAL LIBRARY

The Library is indebted to Miss Winnefred G. Granger for the Spirit of Missions for 1923. It now has a complete file of this magazine for more than thirty years.

"A Valid Christianity" and "The Gospel of Goodfellowship," both by the Rt. Rev. Charles D. Williams, D. D., have been added to the Library. "The Life of Henry Martyn," by Constance E. Padurik, has been given by Mrs. George Beck.

This Library is in St. John's Parish Building and is for the use of all persons interested.

Respectfully submitted,

DELIA WARRINER,

Librarian.

May 5, 1923.

REPORT OF EXTENSION COMMITTEE

This Committee has not been active this year. Today we will report our hopes, ambition and plans and next annual meeting expect to show some results.

We will use the Archdeacons in dividing the Diocese. Each will have a map of her territory and our aim will be: "An Auxiliary in Every Parish and Mission." After communicating with each parish by letter or visit, or both, the maps will be marked with a red, white or blue star to indicate—

RED—Red-blooded activity.

WHITE—Anaemic indifference.

BLUE—Failure.

The Chairman will visit each Committee Woman periodically to examine her map, and next year we will bring these maps to the Annual Meeting to show our progress.

We expect assistance from the Rectors and Archdeacons, and best of all from a woman whose heart and soul are in the welfare of our great Church and who is so well informed on all education and extension methods—Miss Elizabeth Thomas.

Miss Thomas is to make a tour of the Diocese in the late summer for the Educational Department, and by sharing her expenses the Auxiliary will have her assistance—and to you, too, we look for help. We need each delegate to go back to her Parish resolved that a red star shall represent her branch—which will mean a larger membership, pledges faithfully met, and a delegate at the next annual meeting; and especially we need your prayers, for this is God's work and must not fail.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY GRYLLE,

Chairman.

REPORT OF EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE

During the year from January 1923 to January 1924, the work of the Educational Committee covered a very wide scope—influencing perhaps, either directly or indirectly, most of the other departments of the Womans Auxiliary. Program were arranged, and, in many cases, carried out, by this Committee.

The January Institute of 1923 was arranged for, and, with its well-attended business and devotional meetings and its interesting and instructive speakers, proved to be a most stimulating and inspiring series of gatherings. Classes were held for the instruction of leaders of the Mission Study Classes held during the following Lent. The text-book used was, "Wanted—Leaders," a study of Negro Development, by Bishop Bratton, and twenty-seven classes and two Bible classes were held in the twenty-six churches of the city and Diocese.

From July 5th to 12th the Episcopal Summer Conference was held at Hillsdale. This was a seven-day summer school of the best type, with some of the best instructors and lecturers of the country in attendance. Classes were held in various subjects of interest in the Church's work, devotional meetings were held, and plenty of time and opportunity was given for recreation too. The Conference was attended by 330 people, all of whom were better educated people and better Episcopalians for having been there.

One of the classes which created great interest and produced marked visible results, was the class, or series of classes, on the subject of Mission Study, its instructions proving most valuable to the leaders who were preparing for the Mission Study Classes of Lent, 1924.

In the autumn of 1923, the Educational Committee arranged for the program of the January Institute of 1924. We were again fortunate in securing good speakers and leaders for the various sessions, and arranging the program which was later carried out.

Respectfully submitted,

EMMA SISMAN,

Secretary Education Committee.

May 5, 1924.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

The outlook for Educational Work in the Diocese of Michigan becomes brighter each year. A more unified program of study, a better understanding of common ideals, a greater devotion to the central cause—the spread of the Kingdom and devotion to Our Lord—marks all adult study.

The report of the Educational Secretary must be forward-looking, as well as cover the actual accomplishment of the past. This last, the Secretary of the Educational Committee has done.

An increase of leadership is one of the distinctive marks of our work. A large and sudden increase in classes is the second. A constant call is coming from the G. F. S., from Guilds, as well as W. A. groups. That we shall be ready for groups of men and women is a very present task.

That our leaders may not be overwhelmed with too much work; that new leaders bear constantly in mind that a wider and more varied work may be done; that new and richer elements and experience may enter into our work—to these things we must give careful thought.

Hillsdale offers the best opportunity for development of leaders and understanding of the importance of our task. Other duties and cares are eliminated for ten days, a fellowship which gives us some taste of that Kingdom Our Lord came to bring creates lasting friendships, the Church's

call to service is clearly heard, the world's need reaches receptive hearts. The care with which leaders of the Conference are chosen, the effort of a year of work by many people in careful preparation for those ten days, accounts in part for their effectiveness.

We have the privilege of having with us Miss Laura F. Boyer of the National Church. She will have two classes—one for training leaders in the discussion method; one in the course on China to be used next year. Miss Boyer was with us for the January Institute and was a source of inspiration and information to the more than hundred women she reached at that time.

Other leaders of the Conference are Bishop Page, who will have the devotional period and a class for the clergy. Dean Lutkin, who will have charge of the music of the Conference and a class on music. Dr. Caley of Philadelphia, who will have a course on the Church and every evening will have pictures and a lecture on Church History.

Mrs. J. H. McDonald will be Dean of Women, the Rev. Mr. Woodroffe of St. John's will be Dean of Men; the Rev. Mr. Lewis of Ann Arbor is in charge of the young people's program. Miss Mabel Lee Cooper will have three courses for Church School teachers. Mrs. G. P. T. Sargent of Grand Rapids will have a class in leadership. Miss Maurice will be in charge of two classes for C. S. S. L. leaders.

The Hillsdale Conference will extend from July 7th to 17th. The cost will range from \$21.50 to \$23.00 according to the location of the rooms. The Conference is held at Hillsdale College by courtesy of the College authorities and the location is ideal from a recreational as well as an educational standpoint.

Successful and far-reaching as has been our Institute held at St. Paul's Cathedral January 25th to 27th; splendid and inspiring as was the service in connection with the Girls' Friendly Society; delightful as were the tea arrangements, the January Institute must now develop into a far-reaching enterprise which will answer the needs of all our women, snail look forward to groups of men and women and young people.

We are only beginning to touch the field of adult study. The Round Table Fellowship for men and women held at St. John's Parish House during Lent, which reached nine hundred persons; Bible Classes held in many of our parishes during Lent, in place of Mission Study Classes in some instances, in addition to Mission Study Classes in many; three Normal Schools reaching five hundred more adults, are only a beginning of what can be done in this field. We have 25,000 communicants in the Diocese; we should have at least 25,000 people eager to learn to know our Lord better—to learn a better way to extend His Church; to demonstrate to others a better way of life.

Our future Educational Work must have in mind this large group, must have in mind an adequate leadership, a unified program. The New Day involves a new vision, the new vision a new preparation. Let us meet our great task in a great way.

ELIZABETH THOMAS,
Educational Secretary.

REPORT OF PROGRAM COMMITTEE FOR YEAR 1923-1924

The program committee of this year was composed of representatives from twelve parishes—two of these being St. Andrew's, Ann Arbor and St. Luke's, Ypsilanti. The distinguishing characteristics of this committee has been that it not only evolved the program but accepted the responsibility of its fulfillment through all the various details of correspondence by letter, telephone and telegram. This marks a decided progress over previous years.

That the program has varied somewhat from the printed form is due to the human equation which always keeps the program committee in a state of trepidation. We regret that some of our speakers could not be with us as arranged but are very appreciative of those who came unexpectedly and added so much to the interest of the meetings.

The first three meetings were in charge of Mrs. Frank Weber who arranged with the various treasurers to tell the story of our pledges which to many were lacking in human interest because not understood.

After the opening of the year's work which began as usual with the annual Corporate Communion on St. Matthew's Day, in John's Church, the first regular meeting was held September 24th, in Christ Church, Flint. The unfortunate delay of the Detroit delegation en route shortened the program which was confined entirely to a most satisfactory talk by the Rev. William F. Jerome who in his characteristic way told of the progress of his "Church on Wheels."

At the October 29th meeting in St. Alban's Church, the Domestic Treasurer, Mrs. R. McClelland Brady, delegated her talk to Mrs. Frank Osborn, the former Domestic Treasurer, who gave a most interesting explanation of the domestic pledges. At this meeting also was read Mrs. James Austin's paper on Diocesan Pledges for which there had not been time at the previous meeting. It was planned that the United Offering Treasurer should have an opportunity at each meeting to tell of the work of the United Offering in the various mission fields but unfortunately this was not possible because of the absence from the city of the treasurer, Mrs. Edward H. Parker.

At the November 26th meeting in the Church of the Epiphany, the Foreign Treasurer, Mrs. Thomas C. Stirling read so comprehensive and illuminating an account of the Foreign pledges that there was an unanimous request that her paper should be made available to all the parishes. This was accomplished by printing it in the February, 1924, issue of the Michigan Churchman.

At this meeting we had also the unexpected pleasure of having with us Miss Mary Elizabeth Wood who came under the auspices of the Church Periodical Club. She gave a most original and witty message from the Boone University Library of Wuchang, China.

An extremely helpful Advent Service of Prayer was conducted for us on December 3rd at St. Joseph's Church by the Rev. Berton S. Levering, rector of St. Luke's Church, Ypsilanti. He made a plea for a broader and more generous attitude of mind toward our fellow church-workers.

The next two meetings were considered the educational section of the program and were in charge of Miss Grace Fuller of Ypsilanti.

Since Japan was the subject of our mission study this year, it was indeed fortunate that we could have for our January speaker, a worker direct from Japan and one of such wonderful inspirational presence as Deaconess Elizabeth G. Newbold of Aomori. She was mentioned more fully in our January report. This meeting at the new parish house of the Church of the Messiah had in fact an abundance of good speakers since besides Deaconess Newbold, we had with us the Rev. Edward L. Souder of Wuchang, China, who gave a most appealing picture of the needs of China and last but not least we had Bishop Page who gave his first greeting to the Auxiliary.

Our February 25th meeting as first planned met with disaster all along the line. First, our meeting place, the new St. Barnabas Church, was burned. Then a more pressing engagement prevented the Rev. Henry Lewis of St. Andrew's Church, Ann Arbor, from speaking to us and finally a death in the family of Mr. Irwin C. Johnson made it necessary for him to send a substitute, Mr. Charles Cameron of the Detroit News.

However, the very lovely hospitality of the Cathedral and the very interesting talk of Mr. Cameron alleviated the first woes of the situation.

The Quiet Morning of March 10th was conducted by Bishop Page in the Cathedral, Dean Rogers being the Celebrant at the Communion Service.

The last section of the program was in charge of Mrs. A. G. Pittelkow of the Church of the Epiphany. At the March 30th meeting in Christ Church, we were most fortunate in having speak to us Dr. John T. Wood, Executive Secretary of the Department of Missions, who came fresh from the scene of the Japanese disaster and gave us a hint of what was to be expected of us in the way of financial help.

At the April 21st meeting in Trinity Church, as a splendid sequel to Dr. Wood, came Bishop Reifsnider, the recently elected Suffragan Bishop of Tokio. He left no doubt in our minds as to our responsibility to Japan not only as a Christian duty but as an expedient for the future welfare of Christianity. For unless Japan becomes Christian the whole Orient with all that it means to future civilization will be lost to Christianity.

The Rev. Franklin J. Clark, secretary of the National Council, who gave way to Bishop Reifsnider at the April meeting, in turn took the place of Dr. William C. Sturgis as principal speaker for the Annual Meeting, his subject being, "The United States as a Mission Field." This meeting was held in St. John's Parish House.

The places of meeting for the year were arranged by Mrs. J. M. Haines of St. Philip's and St. Stephen's Church.

The Publicity Chairman has obtained more space than usual this year in the Michigan Churchman for which we are indebted to the editor. Also notices of our meetings have been placed in the daily and weekly papers.

In closing, the chairmen wish to thank the President and all the officers who have so courteously co-operated in the development of the program.

Respectfully submitted,

CLARA ROBINSON WILLIAMS,
Chairman of Program Committee.

MARYANN S. FORTUNE,
Publicity Chairman.

May 5, 1924.

RECOMMENDATIONS

At the annual meeting held on May 7 and 8, 1923, the following recommendations were adopted:

I.

"The Executive Committee recommends to the Diocesan Auxiliary that the United Thank Offering for 1925 be presented in memory of the Rt. Rev. Charles David Williams, D. D., Fourth Bishop of Michigan, at the Triennial Convention to be held in New Orleans, Louisiana, in September, 1925.

II.

"The Executive Committee recommends to the Diocesan Auxiliary that a Scholarship be founded in tribute to Mrs. Frederic B. Stevens, President of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of Michigan for fifteen years.

This Scholarship to be known as the "Anne E. Shipman Stevens Scholarship."

(Gifts and pledges for this Scholarship are to go for the present to the Piney Mountain School near Wytheville, Virginia.)

SPECIAL OFFERING OF \$75.00 FOR 1925

At the Triennial Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary held in Portland, Oregon, September, 1922, it was voted that a special fund be raised during the next three years. "At least \$65,000 for the purpose of establishing in the City of New York a house to be used by Missionaries on furlough who may wish to study during their months at home and for Missionaries in training who desire to take special courses in subjects which the schools and colleges in New York offer."

In addition, \$10,000 to be raised for the establishment of a training school for colored deaconesses and Church workers at St. Augustine's School, Raleigh, N. C.

After the death of Bishop Tuttle, the Presiding Bishop of the Church, in April, 1923, announcement was made by the National Executive Board of the Woman's Auxiliary that this fund would be called The Bishop Tuttle Memorial Fund.

All contributions for this fund in the Diocese of Michigan should be sent to Mrs. Lucian Moore, 715 Van Dyke Ave., Detroit.

CHAIRMEN OF COMMITTEES

Missions and Church Extension: Mrs. H. J. M. Grylls, 1005 Parker Ave., Detroit.

Religious Education: Miss Elizabeth Thomas, Diocesan House, 63 Hancock Ave. E., Detroit.

Christian and Social Service—Mrs. E. R. Breitenbecker, 92 California Ave., Highland Park.

Box Work Supply Secretary: To be appointed.

Program and Publicity: Mrs. Don D. Williams, 4343 Commonwealth Ave., Detroit; Mrs. Walter H. Fortune, 1515 McClellan Ave., Detroit.

Finance: Mrs. Lucian S. Moore, 715 Van Dyke Ave., Detroit.

MEMORIAL LIST

The committee in charge of the Year Book regret that the original Memorial List for 1923 has been lost.

Owing to the resignation and illness of Miss Lillian Armstrong who has always compiled this list it has been found impossible to duplicate the list for this Year Book.

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. ELEANOR CARROLL LYSTER PARKER

February 10, 1924.

In the passing from our midst of our United Thank Offering Treasurer (1922-1923), Mrs. Edward H. Parker, the Michigan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council suffers a distinct and heartfelt loss, both as a society and as individuals.

Eleanor Carroll Lyster Parker assumed this office when her close and life-long friend, Miss Jessie Hendrie was taken from her work to her eternal reward, accepting as a definite call the request of the Auxiliary to fill Miss Hendrie's place—a hard task for even those who were in intimate touch with work of the United Thank Offering, but especially difficult for one who had not before held office in this organization. Mrs. Parker brought to her work all her wonderful abilities: her interest, her unfailing sympathy, her knowledge of executive affairs, her diligent atten-

tion to minute details of her work, her sincere religious interest and most attractive personality, gaining not only respect and admiration, but a love from her co-workers, that will, like her memory, never pass away.

In the two years she served in this office, her unflagging interest and persistence have so increased the recollection of our duty and privilege in giving to the United Thank Offering, that the sum today is sixty per cent more than at the corresponding time in the last Triennium, with more than a year to complete our Triennial gift.

May we not all unite in a special effort to continue this increase so that we may send an offering to New Orleans in 1925 that may show our respect for her memory and our desire that her labor may not have been in vain in the Lord.

PRAYER

O, Lord God, grant to each and all of us to be so true to our high calling here on earth that when we each in her appointed time shall be summoned to join the great company of departed souls, we may pass hence in peace and without fear, looking humbly for that fuller light which shall break upon us when the morning is come upon the unseen shore.

Grant this O Lord for his sake Who is one life and in Whose presence is fulness of joy, Jesus Christ our Lord.

BESSIE G. OSBORN.

VIRGINIA FERGUSON SMITH.

March 31, 1924.

REPORT OF THE LITTLE HELPERS

Once more it is time for the annual report of The Little Helpers. It is with happiness yet tempered with sincere sorrow that I have prepared this, my last report of The Little Helpers in the Diocese of Michigan.

As I look back over the years that have passed since I received from our Bishop, the Rt. Rev. Thomas Frederick Davies my appointment as Head of The Little Helpers of this Diocese in October, 1893, I realize my many sins of omission as well as commission, which I keenly regret and yet am deeply grateful to God and to Auxiliary's unwavering loyalty to this great work and to me personally, that I have had the privilege of having a share in the work among Christ's Little Ones.

The Little Helpers have been a sacred and blessed trust to me. A joy in life's happy hours and a solace and strength when life's sorrows have passed hard.

The idea of The Little Helpers was brought to Michigan by Mrs. Richard Macauley, President of the Junior Auxiliary. She had heard of it but knew very little about it. After I had received my appointment, I wrote Miss Mary E. Hart of Rochester, New York, who was the founder of The Little Helpers. She wrote me of her work and ideas and said the work was so new we would have to work out the idea each in our own diocese. With love for the Master and loyalty to Miss Hart I have tried to work out a plan for The Little Helpers of Michigan.

Miss Hart and I soon found that to get the best results, the Leaders or Secretaries must come, not from the Junior Auxiliary but from the Woman's Auxiliary. This work does not give large results at first. It is the day of small beginnings. We must plant and water but it is God who giveth the increase. The leader must enter into the patience of the Lord. It is hard to be patient when we are young. Youth wants results at once. After many conversations with dear, faithful and sensible Miss Frances Adams, President of the Woman's Auxiliary, she and I had a conference with Bishop Davies and he decided that The Little

Helpers should become a Department of the Woman's Auxiliary. Miss Adams announced the result of the conference to the Woman's Auxiliary and the Auxiliary has mothered The Little Helpers ever since.

The Executive Committee of the Woman's Auxiliary was formed during the Presidency of the enthusiastic and far-seeing Mrs. Charlotte Mason, who invited the Head of the Little Helpers to become a member of that committee and that brought The Little Helpers into closer communion with the Auxiliary. No better friend could our Little Helpers have than our beloved Mrs. Robert Frazer, who during her office as President of the Auxiliary and ever since has been a staunch and loyal friend. During the fifteen years that our always gracious and very efficient President, Mrs. Frederic B. Stevens, presided The Little Helpers felt secure in her love and confidence and in our present honored and charming Presiding Officer, Mrs. William Tefft Barbour, we know that it will be well with us.

Back of these generous and very able presidents have been the members of the Woman's Auxiliary. What your love and loyalty has been to us, God only knows. Your words of encouragement and commendation, your generous gifts of money and sympathy have been a tower of strength through all the years, an inspiration and impetus to greater and better work. We thank God for these rare friend because their minds are so rich with life's experiences, their hearts so rich with it.

My thoughts turn to those dear friends of former days, who took such loving interest in The Little Helpers. They have fallen asleep. May they rest in the joys of Paradise, where sorrow, grief and pain have vanished away. Where the light of His countenance visits and shines continually. "Christ has risen. We too shall rise. Alleluia."

To those dear leaders of The Little Helpers, my beloved fellow laborers, what have they not been to me as I have come to know them and lean upon them. As George Eliot says, "There are natures in which if they love us we are conscious of having a sort of baptism and consecration. They bind us over to rectitude and purity by their pure belief about us." Among my truest friends today are many of these women whom I met as Little Helpers leaders. One has been with me for twenty-five years, another fifteen, some ten and others less but all true and tried. Such faithful and devoted co-workers and not only who are with me now, but many who have been, who at present are working in other parts of the Master's Vineyard. These leaders have planted seeds of the love of God in the hearts of The Little Helpers. They have prayed for them and left the results in God's hand. Who knows what the harvest will be, but they who have planted know that their labors will not be in vain in the Lord.

Each leader treasures up in her heart many beautiful incidents that have come to her in her work among Christ's little ones.

Now the time of parting is at hand and my prayer for all of us is "Lord we pray Thee that Thou wilt open our eyes to behold the Heaven that lies about us, wherein they walk, who being born to the new life serve Thee with clearer vision and greater joy through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen."

The Little Helpers themselves: What rare joy and true happiness it has been to be with them, to be the friend of so many little children, to know that many of them are praying for you and that you had a share in planting the seeds for the extension of Christ's Kingdom in their little hearts. Could anything be sweeter or nobler. O Father: May I not have been disobedient to the Heavenly vision. Receive this work as it is and make it what Thou wouldst have it to be.

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN FRANCES ARMSTRONG,

Head of The Little Helpers.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE LITTLE HELPERS

RECEIPTS

Adrian—Christ Church, Mrs. E. J. Reed.....	\$	
Detroit—Church of the Ascension, Mrs. McMichael.....		
Christ Church, Mrs. Kenneth Moore.....		52.66
Christ Church, Mrs. Norman Jones.....		44.00
Epiphany, Mrs. Frank Joy.....		21.24
Trinity, Mrs. Albert Manglesdorf.....		152.17
St. John's, Miss Mary Leonard.....		34.58
St. John's, Memorial S. G. A.....		15.00
St. Joseph's, Miss Mabel Girling.....		10.00
St. Joseph's, Memorial C. L. Stevens.....		5.00
St. Joseph's, Mrs. M. Burrowes.....		20.59
St. Matthew's, Mrs. R. E. Westfall.....		7.00
St. Columba's, Mrs. William Osburn.....		20.00
St. Phillip's and St. Stephen's, Mrs. Wilkinson.....		10.39
Mt. Clemens—Grace Church, Mrs. A. T. Breman.....		7.15
Pontiac—All Saints', Mrs. D. C. Kelly.....		8.01
Trenton—St. Thomas', Mrs. E. B. Yost.....		8.50
Wyandotte—St. Stephen's, Mrs. A. E. McClenahan.....		41.73
Wyandotte—St. Stephen's, Mrs. Lyman Johnson.....		10.00
Interest.....		13.54
On hand.....		69.42
Gift, May 5, 1924.....		20.00
	\$	570.86

DISBURSEMENTS.

Little Helpers' Day School, Shanghai, China.....	\$	5.00
A. C. Hart Day School, Wuchang, China.....		5.00
Little Helpers' Bed, St. James' Hospital, Anking, China.....		5.00
Charlotte Mason Littell Memorial, Hankow, China.....		5.00
Bishop Graves, Shaighai, China, for little children.....		10.00
Bishop Huntington, Anking, China, for little children.....		10.00
Bishop McKim, for kindergarten work, Tokio, Japan.....		50.00
Widely Loving Society, Osaka, Japan.....		20.00
The Japanese Emergency Fund.....		20.00
General Missions.....		40.00
House of The Holy Child, Manila, The Philippines.....		10.00
Deaconess Margaret Routledge, Philippine Islands.....		20.00
Miss Carter, Nixon, Nevada (for East Wind, Indian).....		5.00
Miss Carter, Nixon, Nevada, Indian work in Nevada among little children.....		20.00
Little Helpers' Bed, St. Agnes Hospital, Raleigh, N. C.....		5.00
Endowment for St. Agnes Hospital, Raleigh, N. C.....		25.00
Bishop Rowe, Alaska.....		25.00
Bishop Overs, Liberia.....		25.00
St. Mary's School, Rosebud, South Dakota.....		5.00
St. Andrew's School, Sewanee, Tenn.....		5.00
The Japan Emergency Fund.....		20.00
Bishop Williams Memorial Fund.....		100.00
United Thank Offering.....		30.00
Bishop Page.....		20.00
Memorial for Mrs. Charlotte Mason.....		15.00
Frances Adams Memorial, Fort Defiance, Arizona.....		20.00
The Anne E. Shipman Stevens Scholarship for Piney Mountain School, Wytheville, Va.....		20.00
Bishop Kusolving, Brazil.....		25.00

Church Periodical Club	10.00
Printing Annual Report in Woman's Auxiliary Year Book.....	12.00
Expenses	5.00
Amount on hand.....	3.86

\$ 570.86

Respectfully submitted,

LILLIAN FRANCES ARMSTRONG,
Head of The Little Helpers.

AN APPRECIATION

SARA COOPER JOHNSON

June 3rd, 1924.

To my beloved friend and co-worker, Sara Cooper Johnson, who for twenty-five years was associated in the work of The Little Helpers.

On June 3rd, 1924, at mid-day Sara Cooper Johnson heard the "Well done thou good and faithful servant, enter thou into the joy of the Lord." Death came to her suddenly but kindly and she passed from the shadows of earth into the glorious light of Paradise.

Twenty-five years ago Mrs. Lyman P. Johnson called on the writer. She said, "I heard you talk on the work of The Little Helpers a few years ago. I was not married at the time but thought that if I married and God should give me children I would want them to be members of The Little Helpers. Today I have a little daughter and I want her to be a Little Helper."

Mrs. Johnson asked me if I would speak to the Woman's Auxiliary at St. Stephen's Church, Wyandotte, the following week. I did so and at that meeting Mrs. Johnson was appointed the Leader of the Little Helpers at St. Stephen's Church.

For sixteen years she had entire charge of the work. Her health failed and Mrs. A. S. McClenahan came to her assistance and took charge of The Little Helpers until she became better. When Mrs. Johnson recovered her health, she insisted that Mrs. McClenahan remain in charge and she would assist her. For twenty-five years Mrs. Johnson was a great help and inspiration. Always dependable, quiet, unassuming and very sympathetic, but very able and efficient.

Her interest in the needs of God's children whether they were at home or in Japan or Africa was the same, they must have help. She gave generously of her time, her means and herself. Never holding back, she was a true steward of her Lord. Worship, service, home and recreation all had their appointed places and her happy face revealed the satisfaction of a well-balanced life.

Mrs. Johnson's devotion, interest and loyal service to the Church can never be adequately expressed or overestimated. It was all in all to her. Its interests, troubles and problems were her's. She was ever trying to help in any way she could. We thank God for the inspiration and encouragement of this pure, sweet life, full of love, trust and duty unto the end.

Sara Cooper Johnson, God called thee in thy gracious womanhood and in the last great day it shall be written in shining letters on thy name, "In as much as ye have done it unto the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto Me!"

LILLIAN FRANCES ARMSTRONG.

REPORT OF THE CHURCH SCHOOL SERVICE LEAGUE

The program for the year—Study on the Five Fields—was much in the spirit, which we have attempted to develop in our Diocese in work with the boys and girls—the spirit of reality.

Prof. Artman of Chicago University stated in a recent conference that the truest and best education is shared experience; that we must go after Bible Stories as a quest; that life itself is a quest and that we must in our Religious Educational work enrich the lines of the quest.

I think we have accomplished just that through our monthly conferences of the C. S. S. L. We have enriched the lines of the quest. The effect on our boys and girls generally has been a greater interest in service, a better connection in their minds with school and home and community; a truer citizenship both in the State and in the Kingdom.

Mrs. Yendall's organization of the Christmas Box Work, firing us with her own enthusiasm, giving us necessary data and sources of information, has made our work far more intelligent, far more educational.

The Community field, in spite of the fact that Mrs. MacGuffey has been unable to serve, has never been so attractively presented or plans so effectively carried back to our children as this year. Mrs. Piper's and Miss Tobler's attractive play at the November meeting gave us ideas which could be carried out in any field, and the Christmas season was enriched for us all through the Christmas Carols we sang together at the December meeting. No description of or plans for carol singing could have meant as much to our boys and girls as the actual participation under Mrs. Piper's direction.

At the January meeting, Mrs. Gill, Secretary of the field of the parish, demonstrated her field by bringing to the meeting the Junior Vestry of St. Matthias' Church, who gave a model meeting showing how this vestry takes care of the activities and votes the money of both Church School and C. S. S. L.

The new feature this year in the Mission Study Institute was the demonstration classes made up of children in each of the four age divisions and led by most competent leaders.

Division I. Ages 4-7.

Japan Picture Stories.

Led by Miss Grace Conover.

Division II. Ages 8-11.

The Honorable Japanese Fair.

Led by Mrs. Robert Livingstone.

Division III. Ages 12-15.

The Hon. Little Miss Love (Deaconess Newbold's book).

Led by Mrs. Charles K. Lamb.

Division IV. Ages 15-18.

Japan on the Upward Trail,

Led by Miss Alice Alexander.

These meetings began with the Detroit Normal and continued Wednesday and Thursday.

An attractive feature of the Institute was the puppet show on Japan, given by the children of St. Andrew's Church. Tea was served by Mrs. Buck, her assistants and the high school girls from St. Paul's Cathedral, who were members of Miss Alexander's class.

The March meeting was devoted to the co-operative groups of the C. S. S. L., the Girls' Friendly Candidates, the Order of Sir Galahad, the Boy Scouts.

All of these groups are endeavoring to see the child first and his development into the Kingdom, and the organization is but a means to this end.

The April meeting took up the field of the Diocese, this field being in charge of Mrs. Thomas Weber. One of the attractive features was a baseball game with the bat the shape of the State of Michigan; to answer correctly the question on the bat awarded you the ball. It will be interesting for the Woman's Auxiliary to play this game, as some of the leaders were put to it for the correct answers.

The Rev. Mr. Jerome spoke to us on the van, for which the boys and girls are working.

All of these meetings preceded the block or division of work to be undertaken by the boys and girls.

Each year a blank is sent out to each director of the C. S. S. L., or Superintendent of the Church School, or rector of the parish or mission, in order that all the activities of service of the boys and girls of the parish may be recorded. This year these blanks were returned by thirty-seven parishes. They represented 1986 boys and girls at work in some, and in most cases all, of the five fields of service.

This service amounted to.....	\$10,753.90
With the Lenten Offering.....	4,030.26

\$14,785.16

That our boys and girls shall not forget any part of the mission of the church, whether in their home parish or the farthest mission; that the leaders shall never forget that the development of the boy and girl as Christian citizens of our Lord's Kingdom is the prime motive of all our work must be kept constantly in mind. When the whole church learns to put the child in the midst, and truly know that he must learn by doing, then will the whole task of the church be more fully accomplished.

When the Junior Vestry of St. Matthias' or St. John's Church becomes the Senior Vestry, will they not be educated in some obligations which our parishes fail to see at present?

We are producing a fully educated group of church men and church women.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH THOMAS,
Acting Director.

EPISCOPAL YOUNG PEOPLE'S ASSOCIATION
DIOCESE OF MICHIGAN

Organized, St. Paul's Cathedral, January 21, 1915.

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REPORT OF THE
EPISCOPAL YOUNG PEOPLE'S ASSOCIATION
DIOCESE OF MICHIGAN

Foremost among the aims toward which the past year's work has been directed is that of strengthening the branches, a need felt by Bishop Williams to be claiming direct attention and about which council was given in what proved to be the last conference with him on Young People's work.

The Association's representative leaders have valiantly put themselves to the test and in the spirit of free heartedness have readily responded when they were asked to "Come and tell us how it can be done!"

The greatness of the Young People's Movement in its bearing on the Kingdom of God is dawning in the minds of the members and in recognizing the importance of a working knowledge of the foundation principles, Fellowship, Service, Study, Prayer, Co-operation in all suggestions made and ways planned for the furthering of such knowledge has been consistently given.

The classes in E. Y. P. A. Administration at the Detroit Normal and in the General Scope of the work at the Saginaw Valley Normal were among the opportunities offered for training.

Prompt action was taken in electing two delegates to the Student Volunteer Conference which is held every four years, when the claims as to the educational value of this great Movement was brought before

the Council; the Conference was held in Indianapolis between Christmas and New Years.

The Hillsdale Conference continues to loom big in the minds of the Young People and the popular question "Are you going?" is being asked.

The early fall week-end conference at Camp Frisbie holds great promise as an annual event. It was in the interests of Camp Frisbie that the Association gave \$175.00 to build one of the camp's huts.

Does this organization create a sense of responsibility and do its members feel themselves responsible for the Forward Movement of the Church?

The reports of the achievements of parish societies contain records of providing means for many things to be done. Pledges of from four to five hundred dollars have been paid to parish treasurers for repairs on and redecorating of chapels and church houses.

Building Fund and Extension work both that of Church and Church School. Members of one society paid for and personally gave of their service in installing the plumbing for their Church.

Christmas at Williams House, Christmas gifts, the tree and dinner, was a happy event to plan and provide for by all the branches. Several of the groups are sending delegates to the Hillsdale Conference. A full gymnasium outfit was supplied by one society, etc.

Though only directly, we believe the subject of vocational guidance enters somewhat into the nature of the work. Through the opportunities constantly presenting themselves for varied forms of Christian Service and personal religious experiences gained, Young People meet the challenge of the unvoiced question, "What is this world and what is my place in it?"

A Mission, March 19, 20 and 21 was conducted in St. John's Church by the Rt. Rev. Theodore I. Reese, D.D., Bishop Coadjutor of Southern Ohio, with an average attendance of two hundred young people. The first two nights was that of a conference with a question box, the closing night was a reconsecration service in the church led by Bishop Reese and preceded by an address, the subject of which was Loyalty.

Bishop Page, in his address at this service, urged the young men to be thinking of the Christian ministry as a vocation in life and young women to be considering the needs and opportunities of the mission field at home and abroad. At the close of the address the banner of the Episcopal Young People's Association presented the night of the ninth anniversary meeting, January 21, in St. Paul's Cathedral and bearing the name of eleven young people who have gone forth into various mission fields, was consecrated by Bishop Page, the names mentioned with special prayers for these young volunteers, Frances C. Sullivan, Margaret J. Schaad, Philip B. Sullivan, Louise J. Duncan, John Coe, Harold S. Gray, John Schaad, Bertha Meyers, serving in China; Earnest A. Cook, Alaska; Franklin L. Gibson, in the ministry, Montana; and Dorothy D. Williams, St. Andrew's Priory School, Honolulu.

Bishop Page, in conducting the annual Corporate Communion Service in St. Paul's Cathedral, Palm Sunday, made a brief address with meditation on this season to the large body of young people present.

In seeking to see life as our young people see it and giving them greater confidence in their living, our aim has always been to provide every means for training and developing efficient Christians, who are to be self-directing, possess initiative and who will go forth with the courage of their convictions in the determination to have the world what Our Lord would have it to be.

Respectfully submitted,

JULIA M. FISH,
Executive Secretary.

EPISCOPAL YOUNG PEOPLE'S ASSOCIATION

TREASURER'S REPORT

May 1, 1923, to May 1, 1924.

Cash on hand May 1st, 1923.....\$ 606.26

RECEIPTS

Moonlight	\$ 731.80
Dues	51.10
Bunk House	93.00
Hand Books	9.00
Programs	1.30
Kenyon Play	32.00
Williams House Christmas Fund Dance.....	99.89
Muncie Refund	100.00
Camp Frisbie Outing	10.91
Refund Bay City Trip.....	2.00
Refund Chicago Conference.....	25.00
St. Paul's Dinner.....	144.00
Truck Ride	10.54
Music	1.50
	<hr/> 1,312.04

\$1,918.30

DISBURSEMENTS

Moonlight	\$ 388.10
Post Cards and Printing.....	157.59
Postage	22.21
Flowers	4.00
Muncie Trip	10.00
Bunk House	175.00
Belle Isle Outing	9.50
Camp Frisbie	9.87
St. Paul's Dinner Deficit.....	10.60
Bay City Trip	15.00
Chicago Conference	100.00
Williams House Christmas.....	136.20
Indianapolis Conference	50.00
E. Simmons, Miscellaneous Expense.....	1.35
Programs 1923 and 1924.....	120.00
St. Paul's Annual Banquet.....	137.50
Hand Books	150.00
Broken Sleighs, Birmingham.....	6.37
St. John's Supper Deficit.....	19.00
E. Y. P. A. Pins.....	19.69
	<hr/> 1,631.98

Balance cash on hand, May 1st, 1924.....\$ 286.32

Respectfully submitted,

CHESTER E. ELLIOTT,
Treasurer.

FORM OF MONEY BEQUEST

I give and bequeath to Detroit Trust Company, of Detroit, Michigan, in trust, with full power to dispose of same, or any part thereof, for the religious, educational, charitable or benevolent uses of the Michigan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church, the sums of.....dollars.

FORM OF REAL ESTATE DEVISE

I give and bequeath to Detroit Trust Company, of Detroit, Michigan, in trust, with full power to dispose of same, or any part thereof, for the religious, educational, charitable or benevolent uses of the Michigan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church, all that certain piece or parcel of land, situated in the.....of.....
County of.....and State of.....
known and described as follows, viz.:.....
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