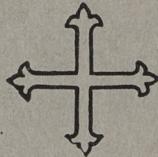


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"Where there is no vision, the people perish."

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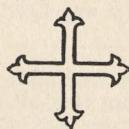
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## Prayers for Use in Auxiliary Meetings

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I believe in God the Father Almighty, Maker of heaven and earth: And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: Who was conceived by the Holy Ghost, Born of the Virgin Mary: Suffered under Pontius Pilate, Was crucified, dead and buried: He descended into hell; The third day he rose again from the dead: He ascended into heaven, And sitteth on the right hand of God the Father Almighty: From thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Ghost: The holy Catholic Church; The Communion of Saints: The Forgiveness of sins: The Resurrection of the body: And the Life everlasting. Amen.

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Our Father, who art in heaven, Hallowed be thy Name. Thy kingdom come. Thy will be done on earth, As it is in heaven. Give us this day our daily bread. And forgive us our trespasses, As we forgive those who trespass against us. And lead us not into temptation; But deliver us from evil: For thine is the kingdom, and the power, and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.

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Direct us, O Lord, in all our doings with Thy most gracious favour, and further us with Thy continued help that in our works begun, continued and ended in Thee, we may glorify Thy Holy Name, and finally by Thy mercy obtain everlasting life, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

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O God, for as much as without thee we are not able to please thee; Mercifully grant that thy Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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Blessed Saviour, who at this hour didst hang upon the Cross, stretching forth thy loving arms; Grant that all mankind may look unto thee, and be saved; through thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, ever One God, world without end. Amen.

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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 God and Saviour. We ask this for His dear sake. Amen.

O Lord, our Heavenly Father, we pray Thee to send forth more labourers 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.

Almighty and Everlasting God, Who has promised through Thy Son, Jesus Christ, to be with Thy Church to the end of the world, we humbly beseech Thee to prosper this undertaking of Thy people for the good of Thy Church and for the advancement of Thy Kingdom. Strengthen us, we beseech Thee, O Lord, with the Holy Ghost, the Comforter, and daily increase in us Thy manifold gifts of grace. Enlarge our faith, enlighten our understanding, and fill us with a hearty desire to do Thy Will. Especially we beseech Thee to give wisdom to those who are called to lead us, and to all Thy people a ready will to work together with love and zeal. And grant that all that we do may be so ordered by Thy governance that Thy blessing may rest upon our endeavors, to the glory of Thy Holy Name, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

Accept, most Holy Spirit, our united thanksgiving and prayers, and bestow upon us Thy servants who have bound ourselves together in this fellowship the gifts we ask of Thee. Grant that, assisted by each other's prayers, we may receive from Thee and reveal to the world something of the deep, unselfish love first taught the world by Him, the greatness of Whose love and sacrifice has won and saved us all. We ask it for His sake. Amen.

Lord, support us all the day long of this troublous life, until the shadows lengthen, and the evening come, and this busy world is hushed, and the fever of life is over, and our work is done; and then, in Thy mercy, grant to us a safe lodging, and a holy rest, and peace at the last, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen.

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, and the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Ghost, be with us all evermore. Amen.

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## President's Report

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In place of the usual "President's Report," which is always more or less a summary of the reports of the other officers. I am going to try to give a synopsis of the new Church and Auxiliary Programs. After much pre-Convention argument and speculation, Canon 58 did pass, with scarcely any adverse discussion, and, instead of three separate Committees or Boards, as heretofore, the Church now functions as a whole, under the guidance of a National Council composed of 24 members, with Bishop Gailor of Tennessee as its Chairman. Automatically, then, the Woman's Auxiliary becomes no longer an Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, but Auxiliary to the National Council, and as the National Council controls the work of Missions, Religious Education and Social Service, so the Woman's Auxiliary must automatically enlarge the scope of its work to include Religious Education and Social Service. We are also, for the first time, to have women sitting on the Missionary Committee of the National Council.

Foreseeing that radical changes were to come, at the General Convention in St. Louis, 1916, Miss Lindley appointed three Committees to plan, during the succeeding three years, for the enlargement and growth of our work.

These Committees were

1. Committee on the United Offering.
2. Committee on Co-operation.
3. Conference Committee.

All three sent out exhaustive questionnaires, compared and compiled them, and arrived at various conclusions which they drafted in the form of Resolutions, and at the first Business Session of the Woman's Auxiliary in Detroit, the Chairman of each Committee read her report, and, item by item, recommended that it should be adopted. I shall give you the most important of these Recommendations which have now become laws or rules by which we are to be guided.

The United Offering.

1. The United Offering of 1919 was \$466,000. In accordance with a resolution passed in 1916, this sum is to be used for the training, send-

ing and support of women workers in the Missionary Field, except the sum of \$20,000, which is to be spent for buildings as follows:—

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- d. School Building at Guantanomo, Cuba.

2. The United Offering of 1922 shall be given to the Department of Missions to be used for training, sending and support of women workers in the Mission Field, with the exception of one-tenth, which shall be set apart for the use of disabled workers, and the sum of \$10,000, which shall be used for Buildings.

3. Hereafter the United Offering shall be called the United Thank Offering, and considered the gift of *all* American Church Women, and not merely of those identified with the Auxiliary.

4. United Offering Missionaries are to receive a minimum salary of \$1,000.00 or of board and lodging and \$600.00.

5. As 1921 will complete the first fifty years of the life of the Woman's Auxiliary, there is to be a Jubilee Gift given in October, 1921, to be called "The Emery Fund"—a trust Fund, the interest of which is to be used for the benefit of Women Missionaries on furlough, at the discretion of the Executive Board.

The Conference Committee recommended—

- a. That an Executive Secretary of the Auxiliary be elected at this Triennial to serve three years. In accordance with this recommendation, Miss Grace C. Lindley was so elected.
- b. There shall be an Executive Board of sixteen women to assist the Executive Secretary in the business of the Auxiliary. This Board was created and Miss Eva Corey, President of the Massachusetts Branch, has since been elected chairman.
- c. The Woman's Auxiliary shall invite all other Woman's Societies in the American Church having National Organizations to join with them in forming a federation, to be known as the Church Service League. To conduct the business of the League and to prepare for future developments, a National Council shall be formed, consisting of three representatives from each society and nine others elected by the National Council. The six Organizations which compose the League are the Woman's Auxiliary, the Girls' Friendly Society, the Daughters of the King, the Guild of St. Barnabas, the Church Mission of Help and the Church Periodical Club.

The Church Service League is for the purpose of appealing, as never before, to all the women of the Church for their united service in carrying forward the whole work of the Church. Diocesan and Parochial Councils on the analogy of the National Council are to be formed as

soon as possible. In this Diocese several Parochial Branches of the Church Service League are already in the process of forming and we hope to have the plan carried out in every Parish. The idea is to have the Rector form a Committee consisting of the head of every woman's organization in the Parish. This Committee should meet once a month and plan together the Parish Program, including social, educational, financial and spiritual lines of work. Every woman in the Parish should be asked to join one of these societies and put to work at some congenial task. The Executive Committee has approved the so-called "Fifteen Point Program," whereby each organization in the Parish does at least one thing each year in the three branches of Service, Church Extension, Social Service and Religious Education, in each of the five Fields; the Parish, the Community, the Diocese, the Nation, the World. The Diocesan Executive Board is anxious to help in all these new plans of the Church, and has to that end equipped itself with—

- a. A Field Secretary, who is to visit every Auxiliary Branch in the Diocese, between now and next October, helping them to solve their problems.—Mrs. Arthur W. Goldsmith.
- b. A Field Secretary of the United Offering, who will go about the Diocese arousing interest in that great Enterprise—Mrs. W. R. Terry, who did splendid work in this same capacity last year.
- c. A Social Service Secretary—Mrs. W. P. Glad, whom we hope can lead us into this new field of effort; she has had some helpful experience in this line.
- d. A splendid and representative Educational Committee, of which Mrs. G. W. Cadwallader is chairman.

The subject for the year's educational work is a timely and a vital one—Christian Americanization. Let us not study "Neighbors" as a mild, mental or religious dissipation, but as a stern duty and with the deep-rooted conviction that it is the business of the women of the Church, to understand as far as may be the conditions of our time amongst our less fortunate sisters, immigrants, or natives, and then to do something to ameliorate these conditions.

Our Box Work is to be reorganized on Red Cross lines wherever practicable. All of our hospitals in China and Japan are in need of surgical dressings.

The Rev. F. B. Drane, Nenana, Alaska, will take any number of knitted garments up to August 1st. Send by parcel post.

Finally, with all these splendid new plans to be put into action, I ask your co-operation in all your Parish Branches in awakening the women of the Church in this Diocese to a sense of their duty, their opportunity and their privilege.

MRS. H. C. THEOPOLD,  
President.

## Report of the Recording Secretary

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Another year has rolled by, and again the work of the Minnesota Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions is to be reviewed. It has been a year full of business and interest, if the very voluminous minutes of the Secretary are a criterion. There were four meetings of the Executive Board, and the three regular meetings of the Auxiliary—the Midwinter meeting in January, 1919, held in Holy Trinity Parish, Minneapolis, when representatives from 22 parishes responded to roll call on a bitter cold day; the semi-annual meeting held in Faribault, May 28th, when we were guests of the Cathedral Parish, on one of the most beautiful days that Minnesota gives us the last of May. Very many motored down from the Twin Cities and the parishes in the vicinity, and twenty-two parishes were represented. The annual meeting, very largely attended, was held at St. Clement's Church, St. Paul, on November 6th, with a conference of officers held Friday a. m. November 7th, in Gethsemane Parish House, Minneapolis. Thirty-three parishes were represented, and it was especially gratifying to have many members from the parishes outside Minneapolis and St. Paul.

The "Advent Call" claimed our service and prayers in November and December, 1918. Was it the effect of the work done then, that we are all filled with the spirit of the Nation Wide Campaign in November and December, 1919? And will the lesson imbibed now, with the service given, and the prayers offered, result in an awakened Church for the years to come? That is our faith, our hope and our prayer in undertaking the great work of the Nation Wide Campaign.

It was great encouragement to all at the Midwinter meeting to hear of the very definite work that was done for the Advent Call and of the hearty response of the workers. Then what great inspiration was given us at the annual meeting, when the Nation Wide Campaign plan was presented to us in those stirring addresses by Dr. Z. B. T. Phillips of St. Louis, by Dr. L. G. Wood of the Central Committee, by Dr. Freeman of St. Mark's, and by our own Bishop McElwain. It was a wonderful day! Other speakers have been Rev. Geo. Remison, formerly a worker in the mission field of Alaska under our Bishop Rowe. He told us of the growth of the Church in that north country and of the severe obstacles to be overcome, and told of those who walked 200 miles to attend the Communion service and of the wonderful faithfulness of all the workers, especially of the women, "faithful even unto death." When Bishop Rowe went there, he had two mission stations only; now there are 30 priests and an able corps of workers.

Father Souder of China came to us at Faribault, and gave us a deeply spiritual talk upon the work in general in China. We have now our first Chinese Bishop; he was consecrated in a church built with the offerings of Chinese children. They have their Woman's Auxiliary and their Junior Auxiliary, but need more workers—women workers—to get near the Chinese woman.

Miss Flugel, one of our 107 women workers, supported by United Offering, who is at St. Elizabeth's School, Wakpala, South Dakota, told of the school and its life, and the work among the Indians there—our *first Americans!* She was most interesting, so quiet, so modest, so full of humor, with a great love of nature and humanity. The Indian children are now talking of "my country"—the first open exhibition of patriotism to America as *their* country. Her stories of the Indian life and people were filled with humor and pathos, especially the one of the old Indian woman, whose home caught on fire. She asked her son, a stalwart Indian, to help put it out. He refused. So she melted snow, and carried the water onto the roof, and poured it on the fire. It was not enough, so she threw snow in it until the fire was out. Then she went into her cold house and sat up all night watching that it did not break out again. Then in the morning she trudged seven miles through the snow to the school, to bring her *thank offering* because her house did not burn—her thank offering of one silver dollar tied up in a rag of an old handkerchief.

She told of the needs of the school. Among other things, there are only six chairs—not easy chairs are these, but even if all could sit at one time, it would help; but these six chairs are in a state of disrepair and "standing room only" will be the condition soon, unless new ones are provided.

At the Annual Meeting reports of the Triennial were given by the delegates. The full delegation of five represented our Minnesota Auxiliary at Detroit, and four alternates were also there. Mrs. Baxter told us of the wonderful healing mission held by Mr. James Hixon, that very modest, unassuming man from England. Mrs. McClure told of the beautiful service held on a rainy cold morning, when the United Offering was presented and over 1000 women partook of the Communion. Mrs. Clements told of Cardinal Mercier's visit to the House of Deputies, and Mrs. Theopold of the changes that have come to the Auxiliary—how we are not auxiliary to anything just now, since the Board of Missions is legislated out of existence. But even so, we are an *organization* now, with a national board of directors of 16 members, composed of one member from each province, and eight members from the Church at large—and a national executive secretary, Miss Grace Lindley. We are also a member of the Church League of Service, a league composed of seven organizations, the Girls Friendly Society, the Daughters of the King, the Woman's Auxiliary, the Guild of St. Barnabas Nurses, the Church Mission of Help, the Church Periodical Club and the Patriotic League governed by a board consisting of three members from each organization—a federation of all the organizations of women in the Church.

There will be a general expense fund, made up of sums provided by the different branches, who are rated according to the class they enter. Class A gives \$25; Class B, \$15; Class C, \$10; etc. Minnesota has chosen to enter class A. And our Minnesota Branch voted to adopt this same plan of classification to raise money for a Traveling Secretary, who is to visit the different parishes in the interest of the Auxiliary. \$270 was raised for the expenses of the Secretary. Pledges were made for \$35.00 for chairs for St. Elizabeth's School and \$40.00 for heavy furniture in the residence for women workers working in China, and blankets were promised to St. Andrew's School, a school for mountain boys in Tennessee.

Bishop Rowe sent this message to the Auxiliary:

"Tell the women who have been knitting, not to stop, but to send me all the socks, wristlets and sweaters they can. We need them up here."

He also needs \$170 and any one wishing to help can find out where to send the money through Mrs. Prince. At the meeting, on Friday, November 7th, it was voted to send \$50.00 of the undesignated domestic one-sixth of the Red Mile Box offering to Bishop Rowe.

Our treasurer, Mrs. Prince, reported that \$1,508 had been given for the Bishop's car and \$1,579.76 received for the Red Mite Box offering for fourteen months. The U. O. Treasurer, Mrs. Bass, reported \$5,155.50 as the amount of Minnesota Victory offering, an increase of \$1,000 over the amount given at the last Triennial.

The Church Periodical Club has always affiliated with the Auxiliary in Minnesota, and we are very proud of the privilege of mothering the work. For under Miss Densmore's leadership, the Club has done fine work and won special mention in the year book of the National Periodical Club, for the very definite work done for the chaplains, knowledge of that work coming from the chaplains themselves, who wrote to the New York office, and not from our reports. The War Department also recognized its worth and awarded our Secretary, Miss Densmore, the War Cross—to our glory too!

Gilbert Hall, our University House for girls, should be reported as part of the work of Auxiliary this year, because it has been under the direction of Auxiliary members. A guild was formed last spring, and the management of the house assumed. It has been repaired, remodelled and put in splendid running order and twenty-four girls who are attending the University are enjoying a fine home atmosphere in their boarding home. It is still in debt for some of the repairs, but it is hoped a large number of memberships will be taken in the guild, and help reduce the debt, beside special gifts from individuals.

There have been a number of resignations, and a number of new offices created. Mrs. Terry resigned the Presidency of Little Helpers, as her home was to be out of the state. But she is back now and is to be the traveling secretary for the United Thank Offering. Mrs. W. P. Glad was appointed to the Presidency of Little Helpers, and resigned to take the office of Social Service Secretary, and Miss May Fisher has been appointed President of Little Helpers. Miss Yardley resigned the Presidency of Junior Auxiliary to become Traveling Secretary of the S. S. and has been appointed Secretary of the committee on Religious Education also. Miss Sleppy, in addition to her work as Correspondent for the "Church Record," was made Traveling Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary. She found she could not take this additional work, and Mrs. A. W. Goldsmith, of St. Paul, has been appointed to take her place. An Educational Committee has been appointed, with Mrs. George Cadwallader as its chairman. One new branch has been formed at Lake Crystal, Minn.

At the annual meeting, the Vice-President, Treasurer, Corresponding Secretary and Recording Secretary, Junior Auxiliary President, President Little Helpers and the Church Periodical Secretary were all re-elected for another year of service.

This Resolution was offered at the annual meeting:

*Resolved:* That we women of the Episcopal Church in Minnesota in convention assembled urge upon our U. S. Senators the earnest entreaty that everything possible be done to relieve the appalling suffering in Armenia.

Altogether, this year has been one full of tremendous interest, with Opportunity pressing upon us, and asking that we unitedly put forth our *very best* efforts for His Sake and in His honor.

LOUISE M. GAYLORD,  
Recording Secretary.

## Treasurer's Report

From Nov. 1, 1918, to January 1, 1920.

### RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand November 1, 1918.....	\$1925.65
Offering Mid-Winter meeting .....	25.10
Offering Semi-annual meeting.....	26.75
Offering Annual meeting 1919.....	30.25
Gift from Mrs. Clarke.....	50.00
Additional for Automobile fund.....	26.65
Advent Call pledges paid.....	47.00
Gift for Wuchang Hospital.....	5.00
Gift for St. Agnes School.....	10.00
Gift for chairs for St. Elizabeth's.....	35.00
Gift for furniture, Woman's House, Anking.....	40.00
Annual Dues 1918 and 1919.....	87.00
Red Mite Box money 1918 and 1919.....	1519.70
For Carrie H. Norris Memorial.....	12.00
Bishop Rowe clothing fund.....	28.00
From sale of Literature, annual meeting.....	7.25
Refund from Mrs. Terry, travel allowance.....	5.05
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	\$3880.40

### DISBURSEMENTS.

To Mr. Haupt Treas. Diocesan 2/3 Red Mite Box 1918.....	\$1000.00
To Mr. Haupt Treas. Diocesan share Red Mite Box 1919.....	1000.00
To Mr. George G. King General Missions 1/3 Red Mite Box 1918	500.00
To Mr. Lewis B. Franklin for General Missions 1/3 Red Mite	
Box 1919 .....	519.70
Printing Year Book.....	83.50
Express on same.....	4.27
Stationery, printing and postage.....	52.59
Gift to St. Agnes School.....	100.00
Gift for furniture Woman's House, Anking.....	40.00
Gift for chairs St. Elizabeth's, Wakpala, S. D.....	35.00
For Wuchang Hospital.....	5.00
For Carrie H. Norris Memorial, Akita.....	111.00
To Bishop McElwain, balance for automobile.....	69.70
To Miss Flugel for travel expense, semi-annual meeting.....	49.18
Advent Call expense.....	25.47
For United Offering.....	25.10
Part payment for clothing sent to Bishop Rowe.....	85.00
For Literature (through Mrs. Oliney) sold at meetings.....	11.79
Balance on hand, January 1, 1920.....	163.10
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	\$3880.40

## Report of Annual Dues and Red Mite Box Money

### Faribault Deanery.

	Annual Dues	Red Mite Box
Austin .....	\$2.00	\$ 17.52
Dundas .....	2.00	27.94
Faribault .....	2.00	35.00
Janesville (18).....	2.00	.....
(19).....	2.00	10.00
Northfield .....	2.00	4.50
Owatonna .....	2.00	24.00
Waseca .....		19.70

### Mankato Deanery.

Fairmont .....	2.00	12.00
Mankato .....	2.00	25.19
St. Peter .....	2.00	16.27
Lake Crystal .....		3.25
Windom .....	1.00	.....

### Minneapolis Deanery.

Minneapolis,		
All Saint's .....	2.00	52.00
Gethsemane .....	2.00	156.07
Holy Trinity .....	2.00	102.55
St. John's (Linden Hills).....	2.00	23.25
St. Luke's .....	2.00	10.00
St. Mark's .....	2.00	128.15
St. Paul's .....	2.00	66.33
St. Paul's Young Women's Br.....	2.00	.....
Bishop Thurston Br.....	2.00	.....
St. Thomas' .....	2.00	28.34
St. Andrew's .....		1.00
St. Matthew's .....	2.00	32.10

### St. Paul Deanery.

Hastings .....	2.00	30.42
Saint Paul,		
Ascension .....	2.00	11.80
Christ .....	2.00	22.55
Epiphany .....	2.00	4.00
Messiah .....	2.00	58.35
St Clement's .....	2.00	166.00
St. James' .....	2.00	.....
St. John the Evangelist.....	2.00	210.00
St. Matthew's .....	2.00	12.00
St. Mark's (Highwood).....	2.00	5.95
St. Mary's .....	2.00	15.65
St. Paul's on the Hill.....	2.00	6.93
St. Peter's .....	2.00	23.20
St. Philip's .....	2.00	10.50
Stillwater .....	2.00	25.11
White Bear Lake.....	2.00	22.61

**Willmar Deanery.**

Annual Dues Red Mite Box

Benson ..... 2.00 .....

**Winona Deanery.**

Bella Creek .....	2.00	4.00
Lake City .....	2.00	21.00
Red Wing .....	2.00	30.00
Rochester .....	2.00	10.00
Winona .....	2.00	23.10

Loose money in Offering.....	11.37
Total .....	\$87.00

Diocesan share.....	\$1000.00
General Missions.....	519.70

From November 1, 1918 to January 1, 1920.

JESSIE R. PRINCE,  
Treasurer.**United Offering Report for 1919****RECEIPTS.**

Collections .....	\$5,186.52
Balance in Bank November 1, 1916.....	1.39
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	\$5,187.91

**DISBURSEMENTS.**

Printing Reports 1916, printing Envelopes, and Postage for 3 years .....	\$ 26.45
United Offering sent to Detroit.....	5,150.00
Balance in Bank November 1, 1919.....	11.46
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Paid at Detroit from Red Wing.....	\$5,187.91
Total United Offiering from Minnesota for 1919.....	\$ 5.00
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	\$5,155.00

Respectfully submitted

LYDIA H. BASS, Treasurer,  
422 Laurel Ave., St. Paul, Minn.

Nov. 6, 1919.

*Recommendations of United Offering Committee at the  
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3. Hereafter the United Offering shall be called the United Thank Offering.

4. A certain sum shall be set aside from the U. O. to print literature for Blind Missionaries.

5. The Woman's Auxiliary shall have a National Field Secretary for the U. O.

6. The 1st Sunday in Epiphany shall be the United Offering Corporate Communion Sunday.

7. The Woman's Auxiliary shall petition the General Convention to petition Congress to enact suitable Child Labor Laws.

8. Salaries of U. O. Workers shall be raised to \$1,000.00 except where board and lodging are provided, then it may be \$600.00.

9.

EMERY FUND.

"Jubilee" Gift in 1921. Trust Funds to be completed Oct. 1921. Interest to be used for benefit of Women Missionaries on furlough at discretion of Ex. Board.

## Corresponding Secretary's Report

Madam President and Women of the Auxiliary:

In arranging our year to correspond to the Church year, as has seemed best, and as some of the Auxiliaries are also doing, any boxes or money reported sent after Jan. 1, 1919, do not appear in this report, but will be carefully noted and will go into next year's report. This includes many fine boxes planned this last Lent and sent in the spring. There were several branches outside of the Twin Cities that sent such very good boxes to the Rev. Goodteacher in Dakota and elsewhere.

All of our Branches of the Auxiliary have been so willing and helpful in filling our Missionary letters this last year that it has been a great pleasure to serve them. Not only have we had splendid boxes from four or five of the larger Branches, worth from one hundred up to six hundred dollars, but there have been very few of our small Branches that have not helped in some way, even Belle Creek, with only four members.

It was the help of the smaller Branches combined that sent the Rev. G. J. Zinn of Alaska a fine fur-lined overcoat, warm underwear, etc., and many household necessaries. In a letter from the Rev. Zinn received late in the winter he expressed his deep appreciation and delight over what was sent him personally.

The following is a general report of boxes and money sent:

From May 21, 1918, date of last report, to Jan. 1, 1919, the Auxiliary has sent to clergymen and their families 31 boxes—1 in the diocese valued at \$600.00, 7 outside of the diocese value \$1,274.53—a total of \$1,874.53.

For mission schools and stations 7 boxes in the diocese, value \$203.41, 16 boxes outside, value \$467.31—a total of \$710.72.

Total value of all boxes \$2,545.25.

The Auxiliary has sent in money, exclusive of U. O. and Red Mite Box, in the diocese \$138.00; for general use outside, \$348.36; and has given \$96.00 for general benevolences, making a total of \$582.36—the total of money and value of boxes being \$3,127.61.

Respectfully submitted,  
EVALINE P. MCCLURE,  
Corresponding Secretary.

This report differs from that published in the Diocesan Journal in that some boxes were not reported until too late to go in.

E. P. McC.

**TABULATED REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY**  
 Covering Mission Boxes and Money Sent for Mission Work from October, 1918, to October, 1919

PARISH BRANCHES	President or Parish Correspondent 1918-19	Annual Dues 1918-19	Red Mite Box Offering 1918-19	MISSIONARY BOXES			Money Sent Direct to Mission Field			Money Sent Through the Church Missions			
				Dom. Dis.			Domestic	Diocesan	Foreign	Domestic	Diocesan	General	Foreign
				Amt.	Amt.	No. No.	Amt	Amt.	Amt.	Amt	Amt	Amt	Amt
<b>1. Deanery of Faribault—</b>													
Austin.....	Mrs. C. F. Lewis.....	\$ 2.00	\$ 17.52			\$.....	\$ 35.00	\$ 6.00	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....	\$.....
Dundas.....	Mrs. L. Peake .....	2.00	27.94										
Faribault.....	Mrs. E. K. Clements.....	2.00	35.00	1	1	115.16			5.00				5.00
Janesville.....	Mrs. Zella Goodrich .....	* 4.00	10.00										
Northfield.....	Mrs. H. L. Cruttenden.....	2.00	4.50										
Owatonna.....	Mrs. A. B. Hart.....	2.00	24.00					2.00	23.00				
Waseca.....	Mrs. D. J. Dodge .....		19.70										
Waterville.....	Mrs. P. C. Bailey .....												
<b>2. Deanery of Mankato—</b>													
Fairmont.....	Mrs. A. E. Fillmore.....	2.00	12.00		1	10.00			13.00				
Mankato.....	Mrs. C. H. Nerbovig .....	2.00	25.19		1	50.00			14.00		7.00		
Sleepy Eye .....	Mrs. Rex Bingham.....												
St. Peter.....	Mrs. Albert Chappell.....	2.00	16.27	1		53.25							
Lake Crystal.....			3.25										
Windom.....			1.00										
Wells.....	Mrs. Geo. A. Barnes .....												
<b>3. Deanery of Minneapolis—</b>													
Excelsior.....	Mrs. W. Webster .....												
Minneapolis.....													
All Saints.....	Mrs. Lee W. Lockwood.....	2.00	52.00	3	2	152.72	7.00	167.50		2.00		16.25	5.00
Christ Church.....	Mrs. G. W. Terry.....												
Gethsemane.....	Mrs. E. S. Gaylord.....	2.00	156.07	1		167.06	3.31	5.00	5.00				5.00
Holy Trinity.....	Mrs. C. A. Davis .....	2.00	102.55										
St. John's (Linden Hills).....	Mrs. A. F. Burdoin .....	2.00	23.25	2	1	34.15			4.00				
St. Luke's.....	Miss Florence Hubbard .....	2.00	10.00	2	2	106.45	5.00	6.00					
St. Mark's.....	Mrs. S. L. Fraser.....	2.00	128.15	1	1	855.98		129.00	10.00				25.00
St. Matthew's.....	Mrs. G. Coults.....	2.00	32.10		2	50.00			1.00				
St. Paul's.....	Mrs. A. McLaughlin.....	2.00	66.33	1	1	319.37	65.00	30.00				10.00	31.86
Young Women's Branch of St. Paul's.....	Mrs. G. W. Price .....	2.00			1	15.00	30.00						
Bishop Thurston Branch of St. Paul's.....	Miss Gertrude Gillman .....	2.00											
St. Thomas.....	Mrs. J. A. Newcomb .....	2.00	28.34										
St. Andrew's.....	Mrs. Robt. Earenfight .....		1.00										

**4. Deanery of St. Paul—**

Hastings.....	Mrs. H. C. Stevens.....	2.00	30.42	2	2	133.40	18.00	15.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Stillwater.....	Mrs. W. G. Branson .....	2.00	25.11	1	.....	50.00	.....	.....	.....	40.00	.....	20.00	.....	.....
White Bear.....	Mrs. E. C. Biller .....	2.00	22.61	.....	1	40.00	.....	3.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Mark's (Highwood).....	Mrs. J. H. Hintermister.....	2.00	5.95	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Paul—														
St. Paul's.....	Mrs. Basil Jenkyns.....	2.00	6.93	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Ascension.....	Mrs. D. Hildebrand.....	2.00	11.80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Christ Church.....	Mrs. F. B. Bass.....	2.00	22.55	3	1	313.45	1.00	67.00	.....	.....	6.00	.....	.....	.....
Epiphany.....	Mrs. J. A. Blaylock.....	2.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Messiah.....	Mrs. G. G. Staehle.....	2.00	58.35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Andrew's (So. St. Paul)	Mrs. A. D. Kennedy.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Clement's.....	Mrs. A. W. Goldsmith .....	2.00	166.00	1	.....	225.00	.....	10.00	110.00	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....
St. James.....	Mrs. F. C. Howe .....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. John the Evangelist .....	Mrs. S. D. Flagg .....	2.00	210.00	3	1	540.62	.....	43.00	5 00	.....	.....	10.00	.....	.....
St. Matthew's.....	Mrs. H. S. Martin .....	2.00	12.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Mary's.....	Mrs. G. A. McDougall .....	2.00	25.14	2	1	175.00	.....	5.00	.....	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....
St. Peter's .....	Mrs. Frank Gadbois .....	2.00	23.20	.....	1	9.70	7.50	10.00	.....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Phillip's.....	Mrs. Chas. Saunders.....	2.00	10.50	1	.....	3.60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

**5. Deanery of Willmar—**

Benson.....	Mrs. S. A. Hudson.....	2.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Birch Coulee.....	Miss Susan Salsbury.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Litchfield .....	Mrs. Henry Strobeck.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Willmar.....	Mrs. J. W. Kent.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

**6. Deanery of Winona—**

Belle Creek .....	Mrs. C. B. Schwieger.....	2.00	4.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	10.00	.....	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....
Lake City.....	Mrs. C. H. Plummer .....	2.00	21.00	1	.....	7.25	10.00	5.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Red Wing.....	Mrs. S. E. Noble .....	2.00	30.00	2	.....	72.70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25.00	.....	.....
Rochester.....	Mrs. J. P. Anderson .....	2.00	10.00	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Winona.....	Mrs. H. Gillette .....	2.00	23.10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Loose money in offering.....

11.37

<b>TOTALS.....</b>	<b>87.00</b>	<b>1529.19</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>3499.86</b>	<b>183.81</b>	<b>571.50</b>	<b>130.00</b>	<b>58.00</b>	<b>21.00</b>	<b>48.11</b>	<b>105.00</b>		
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\*Dues for 1918-19.

## Annual Report of the Junior Auxiliary

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Since my last report we have had another all-day meeting, which was held in May, at Gethsemane Church, Minneapolis. This has proved itself to be worth all the extra trouble for the children come into much closer touch with one another, and during the lunch hour, become quite well acquainted with each other.

The gifts this year have been sent to the colored children at St. Philip's school, San Antonio, Texas, and to the mountaineers at Morganton, N. C. They were truly splendid gifts, and show that the Directresses have not allowed the high cost of living to affect their giving for Missions.

New Branches have been started at Hastings and Northfield, due to Mrs. Terry's enthusiasm. One at St. Matthew's, St. Anthony Park, because one of the former Junior girls felt that her Sunday-school class must have means of expressing, during the week, that which they had learned on Sunday. And, then to my great joy, a branch has been started at St. Ansgarius Church, Minneapolis. A young University student, who is an enthusiastic member of the Church, and is filled with the Missionary spirit, felt that she must share her joy with others, and so gathered together twenty girls, and started a Junior Auxiliary herself.

"The New Junior Plan," which was looked upon as something extremely revolutionary, when it was first proposed, is now working itself out and no longer seems to be an impossible undertaking. After seeing it in operation at Detroit, where five schools had it fully developed, we discovered that it was nothing more nor less than the Church School praying and working for, and studying about the five fields of Christian Service, the Parish, Community, Diocese, Nation and the World.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH L. YARDLEY,  
Junior President.

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## Report of the Honorary President

Dear Madam President:

The title of Honorary President of the Juniors is rather an airy nothing, but since it entitles me to a seat on the Executive committee I have always felt that it involved a responsibility for the work of the Woman's Auxiliary.

May I therefore report to you that this year I complete my fifteenth year as Editor of the W. A. column in the "Record," a work which has been purely a labor of love, without compensation and which has lasted throughout the editorship of five men.

May I also report that during the past year, I have made addresses in behalf of the United Offering, Advent Call and Red Mite Box offering at the following parishes: All Saints', St. Paul's and Holy Trinity, Minneapolis; St. Matthew's, St. Anthony Park, the St. Paul Deanery meeting, St. Mary's, and twice to the Daughters of the King, St. Mary's, Merriam Park; St. Clement's, St. Paul, twice at the Church of the Messiah, Ascension, St. Peter's, twice at St. Philip's, and to the Little Helpers of St. John the Evangelist, St. Paul, a total of fifteen addresses.

Respectfully submitted,

KATHRENE S. SLEPPY.

## The Little Helpers

### PRAYER.

God bless ALL the Missionaries all over the World, and all "THE LITTLE HELPERS," for Jesus Christ's sake. Amen.

The Little Helpers' Society is embodied in Six Rules:

First—That every child by baptism becomes a member of the missionary society, and the missionary society is the Church.

Second—The first day of each week is the time to lay apart for the Lord, as the Apostles did, forming this habit in the child life.

Third—The Little Helper must pray for missionaries as well as give to their work. We may "plant and water, but it is God who giveth the increase."

Fourth—This cannot be a Parish society—it is to teach something broader. The child is not a member of the Parish, but the whole body of Christ, the Church.

Fifth—The gifts from the box are to be divided between the Foreign, Domestic and Diocesan work.

Sixth—Should God call the little ones to Paradise they have not ceased to be members of the Church; so, neither need their work cease. Those who love them can still keep boxes and each Sunday put in a gift, and ask God's blessing on His little ones who believe in Him, binding together the Church militant and expectant.

### TEXT.

*"Little Children, Love One Another."*

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The Annual Meeting of the Directresses of the Little Helpers was held in May, 1919, at the home of the Diocesan Secretary, Mrs. Wm. P. Glad, 4237 Lyndale Ave., So. Minneapolis.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by the Rt. Rev. Frank L. McElwain, Bishop of the Diocese, after which several important subjects were introduced and discussed, of which the most important was the Secretary's suggestion that the Annual Meeting in 1920 be made an all day session. An invitation was extended and accepted for the meeting to be held at St. Matthew's Church, St. Anthony Park.

It was moved and seconded that a Secretary Pro Tem should be appointed by the Diocesan Secretary at each Annual Meeting.

The suggestion of having a Directress and Assistant Directress in the larger Parishes was brought to discussion and found necessary.

Report of Mite Box offerings and disbursements followed.

The meeting closed with prayers by Bishop McElwain, followed by a pleasant social hour.

Rev. S. D. Tyner of St. Luke's Church, Minneapolis, spent the afternoon with us.

Respectfully submitted,  
EMILY MAY FISHER,  
Secretary Pro Tem.

## SEVENTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT—1919

PARISHES.	SECRETARIES.	No.	Offering
Austin—Christ Church.....	Mrs. L. S. Barr, 301 W. Winona St.....	42	\$ 11.15
Birch Coulee—St. Cornelia.....	Miss S. E. Salisbury, Morton, Minn.....	99	43.60
Belle Creek—St. Paul's.....			
Hastings.....	Mrs. Clinton Little.....	8	.....
Lake Benton—St. John's.....	Miss Alice Lavisson.....	6	2.00
Marshall ....	Miss Mabel Paige.....	10	.....
Mankato—St. John's.....	Mrs. E. M. Zuel, 520 Walnut St.....	18	3.59
Tracy .....	Mrs. P. Coleman.....	8	1.00
Northfield.....	Mrs. A. L. Keith.....	15	2.15
Janesville.....	Miss Zella Goodrich.....		
Lamberton.....	Miss Edna Gooler.....	4	1.50
Rush City—Grace.....	Mrs. C. E. Gray.....	7	3.21
White Bear Lake—St. John's in the Wilderness.....	Mrs. F. F. Farrar.....	28	5.53
Owatonna—St. Paul's.....	Miss Sarah Racey, 502 E. Main St.....	16	4.00
Carrie Norris Branch.....		3	2.31
Minneapolis—			
All Saints.....	Mrs. L. F. Wing, 3208 Blaisdell Ave.....		
Grace Church.....	Miss I. J. Beard, 3138 2nd Ave. So.....		
Holy Trinity.....	Mrs. L. C. Graham, 812 7th St. S. E.....	15	5.00
St. Andrews.....	Miss Clara Turner, Robbinsdale.....		
St. John the Baptist.....	Mrs. D. F. Thompson, 3400 Blaisdell Ave.....		
St. Marks.....	Mrs. David West .....	55	11.00
St. Lukes.....	Miss F. Hubert, 1322 Lowry Ave. N. E.....		
St. Matthews.....	Miss L. Baxter, 3445 Penn Ave. No.....		
St. Stephens.....	Mrs. T. D. Bryan, 3612 Elliot Ave.....		
St. Thomas.....			
Wells Memorial.....			
St. Paul—			
Christ Church.....	Miss Eleanor Lightner, Summit Ave.....		4.00
Messiah.....	Miss B. Hankinson, 438 W. Central.....	19	1.50
St. Clements.....	Miss May Fisher, 852 Laurel Ave.....	104	30.09
St. John the Evangelist.....	Mrs. W. W. Brown, 703 Linwood Pl.....	90	14.52
St. Marks.....			
St. Marys.....	Miss Alice Helson, 1924 Iglehart.....	53	25.00
St. Matthews.....	Mrs. W. Greenwood, 2176 Scudder Ave.....	35	3.25
St. Pauls on the Hill.....	Miss Laura Sturtevant, 1783 Grand Ave.....		
St. Peters.....	Miss A. Millard, 248 Bates Ave.....	10	5.00
St. Phillips.....	Mrs. F. McCracken.....	23	2.02
	Total.....	668	\$181.42

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## Distribution of Offering, 1919

### GENERAL.

For Expenses—1919-1920.....	\$35.00
United Offering .....	10.00
	\$45.00

### FOREIGN.

Bishop Edsall Memorial Scholarship, Liberia.....	\$25.00
China, Shanghai, "Little Helpers Day School".....	10.00
China, Wuchang, Angelica Church Hart Day School .....	10.00
Japan, Akita Kindergarten in Memory of Gaylord Hart Mitchell .....	7.50
Japan Kindergarten at Odata.....	10.00
	\$62.50

### SPECIAL.

For Some Kindergarten.....	15.00
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### DOMESTIC.

Grace Harmon Edsall Memorial, Birch Coulee.....	\$35.00
Raleigh, N. C., Little Helpers Cot, St. Agnes Hos- pital .....	5.00
Missionary Font Fund.....	2.00
Indian Children of Utah.....	5.00
	\$47.00

### DIOCESAN.

Little Helpers Crib Sheltering Arms.....	10.00
	\$179.50

Splendid reports have come in from the out-of-town parishes, and I have turned my attention to the building up of the Minneapolis branches of Little Helpers with the following results: St. Mark's is once more an active branch, under the leadership of Mrs. Thompson, and St. Paul's has a very efficient leader in Mrs. Addy. Mrs. Graham has resigned and Miss Edith Munns is to have charge of Holy Trinity beginning in 1920. Other parishes beginning their activities in 1920 are St. John's, Linden Hills, St. Andrew's Wells Memorial, and Gethsemane.

St. Luke's, Mpls., under Mrs. David West sent two boxes of fresh fruit to St. Elizabeth's, Wakpala, So. Dak., at Thanksgiving time, and Christ Church, Austin, under the leadership of Mrs. L. S. Barr has joined St. Luke's and boxes of Christmas gifts and goodies will go to Birch Coulee.

I do hope that every parish in this Diocese will catch this beautiful Missionary spirit, so that Lent will find them working for others so that their Easter offerings may be truly "Holy offerings, rich and rare."

RHODA SNELL GLAD.

## Report of Church Periodical Club

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The year just past has been, perhaps the most important one in the thirty years history of the Church Periodical Club, as immediately after war was declared the club determined to extend aid to all Army and Navy Chaplains. At the meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary last spring, a strong plea was made for the Chaplains' Welfare work and so many Parishes responded in a wonderful way. \* \* \* \* \*

Chaplain Brown was sent 250 Christmas cards which reached him to distribute with the stockings on Christmas morning, and much material was sent to Bishop Remington.

One Parish sent 750 new Easter cards for the Parish War Commission office.

Indeed there was such a stream of magazines, books, puzzles, games and cards for the overseas Chaplains marked "Diocese of Minnesota Church Periodical Club" that it truly made a decided impression.

In the year book of the club published in New York, is this sentence, "The Dioceses of Rhode Island, Minnesota, Ohio and Pennsylvania deserve special mention for their definite work for the Chaplains," which knowledge came not from our reports but from what the chaplains wrote to the New York office.

As Bishop Perry said in writing from the War commission office in Paris the Church Periodical Club of Minnesota was certainly on the job. When the large reconstruction Hospital was located at Ft. Snelling, we wanted to continue on the job. Thru the generosity of friends who donated money the club was able to distribute hundreds of new magazines fresh from the news stands picked out as the kind men like.

As you probably know the soldiers there are mostly what are called orthopedic cases, and they do appreciate any thing bright, new or novel. The bed-side bags made a great hit, I wish you all could have seen the shiny smile of one fellow as I tied the bag on his bed. He said, "Buddy wants one too."

Fort Snelling is supplied with these now, but there is an Army Hospital for Tubercular Soldiers where they are needed, also any recreational material. The Address is U. S. Army Hospital, (Recreation Office) Fort Bayard, New Mexico.

In the northern part of this state a missionary, named Rev. Mr. Wilson has charge of several stations. Three or four years ago when they were going to have a Bazaar to raise money to build a chapel at Moose Lake, the club sent fancy articles. In the chapel at each side of the door were

bookcases to hold a little library of books sent by the club. At the time of the forest fire Mr. Wilson wrote that there was nothing left of the chapel but part of the foundation and the steps. Rebuilding was begun this spring and last Wednesday Bishop Morrison visited Moose Lake to consecrate the new Chapel and on the altar were altar hangings and altar linen sent by the Church Periodical club, Diocese of Minnesota.

At Missions, S. D. is an Indian School for girls founded by Bishop Hare. The club has sent Miss Bridges in charge bundles of pieces for fancy work, sheet music, books, pictures, and cards, receiving letters of acknowledgement from Miss Bridges and the Indian girls. Sometimes it seems that the C. P. C. of our club stands for Churches Personal Contact, because thru it we come into intimate touch with lonely missionaries in far-away fields.

The sending of magazines individually still goes on and many clergymen who are not able to subscribe are being supplied with church papers regularly sent on, and isolated workers in the mission fields month by month get magazines which are entertaining and are a glimpse of the outside world.

The correspondent has written more than one hundred letters in the past year, and paid the postage on much material which has been sent her for distribution.

There are no new branches to report but we need a real live worker in each Parish to push this important work of Social service. For we want to make the Church Periodical Club a dependable factor in the Diocese of Minnesota.

June 1919.

MARGARET DENSMORE,  
Secretary.

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The war work of the Church Periodical Club is not really over and it is recommended that Magazines, scrap books and puzzles be sent to the following addresses:

U. S. A. Gen. Hospital, Whipple Barracks, Arizona.

U. S. A. Gen. Hospital, Fort Bayard, New Mexico.

These are tubercular Hospitals for returned soldiers. They are greatly in need of recreational material, and they write that gifts of that kind would be much appreciated. Any one having made the bed-side bags please send them to Whipple Barracks where the boys are "simply crazy" over them.

In this state Sunday School material or general reading matter would be acceptable to Rev. T. J. E. Wilson or Archdeacon Bachurst.

At the Cass Lake State Tubercular Hospital they are always glad of boxes of reading matter.

The Sheltering Arms can use many more children's magazines.

In every Parish there is material going to waste which would be of immense value in some mission station. Talk with your Parish Librarian or correspond with Margaret Densmore, Diocesan Librarian about it and get addresses for sending it on.

Oct. 1919.

## PERIODICALS RECEIVED

April, 1918, to January, 1919

NAMES OF PARISHES		Current Periodicals		Contributors to same		Bibles		Prayer Books		Books		Odd Magazines and Papers		Christmas and Easter Cards		Picture Cards		Carols and Music		Puzzles, Games and Miscellaneous		Box Contents not noted		Institutions aided		Expenses	
The Cathedral Faribault.....		48	18			...		...		...		3					78		1				\$2.81				
St. Mary's Hall Faribault.....		6	26			...		50		...									1	2							
Christ Church Red Wing.....		3	4			...		62	650	1545	173	60	884					...	6	16.31							
St. Peter's St. Paul.....		1	1			...		...		10	50						1		1								
St. John, the Evan. St. Paul.....		15	9			...		...		...			27			32		2									
St. Clement's* St. Paul.....						...		...		...						48		4									
St. John's Lake Benton...		5	2	1		7	3	25								4											
All Saint's Minneapolis ...						...	110	39	534	405			164								7.51						
St. Paul's Minneapolis....						...		...											2								
St. John's Linden Hills....						...		60	78	150				46				1									
St. Mary's* Merriam Park						...	500																				
Gethsemane* Minneapolis....						...	42		100	50																	
St. Mark's* Minneapolis....						...																					

\*Bibles, scrap books and magazines were sent by these Parishes but the number was not reported.

MARGARET DENSMORE,  
Diocesan Correspondent.



