

# Woman's Auxiliary

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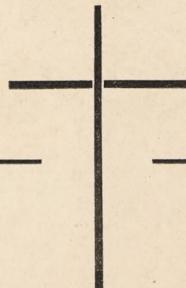
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## Special Prayers of the Woman's Auxiliary

### Auxiliary Motto:

"That we may do all such good works as Thou hast prepared for us to walk in."

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### Noonday Prayer for Missions:

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

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### The Prayer for the Woman's Auxiliary:

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

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### The Prayer for the United Thank Offering:

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.

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### A Prayer for Guidance:

O God, ever present with us, to whose wisdom our problems must seem so simple and so easy, help us to stay our minds on Thee, that we may see clearly, think straight and act according to Thy will. Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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Columbia District, which includes:

Columbia, Macon, Moberly, Jefferson City, Kirksville, Mexico and Fulton.

#### Southern Convocation.

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James.

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## Report of Parishes Through the Recording

### Parish Branches in Diocese:

	Parish
Cape Girardeau, Christ Church	\$ 654.00
Columbia, Calvary	311.64
De Soto, Trinity	86.25
Ferguson, St. Stephen's	672.50
Hannibal, Trinity	921.30
Jefferson City, Calvary	440.06
Kirkwood, Grace	659.87
Louisiana, Calvary	
Macon, St. James	1.38
Monroe City, St. Jude's	84.00
Overland, St. Paul's	254.25
Palmyra, St. Paul's	110.00
Poplar Bluff, Holy Cross	116.00
St. James, Trinity	189.35
Valley Park, St. Luke's Mission	147.65
Webster Groves, Emmanuel	
 Totals.	 \$4,648.25

### Parish Branches in St. Louis:

All Saints	\$ 188.95
Ascension	133.75
Cathedral, Branch I.	
St. Elizabeth's Guild, Branch No. II.	86.70
St. Margaret's Guild, Branch No. III.	185.00
Grace, Holy Cross	534.00
Holy Apostle	24.34
Holy Communion	10.00
Holy Communion, Anna Wise Branch	147.00
Holy Innocents	54.75
Mount Calvary	54.00
Prince of Peace	295.00
Redeemer	125.00
St. Alban's	289.82
St. Augustine's	457.00
St. John's	319.23
St. Michael and St. George's	100.00
St. Paul's, Carondelet	156.00
St. Peter's	
St. Stephen's	177.76
 Totals	 \$3,338.30

## Secretary of Woman's Auxiliary, 1932

Community	Diocese	Nation	World	Totals
\$.....	\$ 38.00	\$ 2.00	\$ 26.44	\$ 720.44
101.47	34.50	11.23	46.77	505.61
2.00	.....	7.30	.....	95.55
72.27	58.00	8.38	19.72	830.87
58.70	22.50	27.79	52.00	1,082.29
87.75	.....	.....	.....	527.81
105.00	452.25	188.26	.....	1,405.38
1.00	4.00	10.60	.....	15.60
.....	44.17	2.79	40.00	88.34
16.35	6.00	2.82	5.75	114.92
29.75	53.55	14.42	22.20	374.17
.....	20.66	25.51	.....	156.17
15.00	15.00	15.10	.....	161.10
10.00	.....	3.60	.....	202.95
8.50	55.80	.....	13.58	225.53
18.50	231.00	49.50	302.69	601.69
<b>\$526.29</b>	<b>\$1,035.43</b>	<b>\$369.30</b>	<b>\$529.15</b>	<b>\$7,108.42</b>
\$ 52.35	\$ 292.30	\$ 15.50	\$ 20.30	\$ 569.40
1,263.81	426.95	206.52	291.41	2,322.44
22.50	1,037.05	295.38	772.84	2,127.77
12.00	41.65	9.00	.....	62.65
20.00	52.00	23.00	22.00	203.70
23.80	30.00	36.00	36.81	311.61
50.54	121.55	71.00	140.70	917.79
66.10	154.05	35.40	336.39	616.28
10.60	39.15	81.00	44.85	185.60
.....	21.69	.....	.....	168.69
5.00	50.00	.....	.....	109.75
48.20	26.50	11.80	15.50	156.00
247.00	230.06	55.71	269.25	1,097.02
5.00	89.00	.....	3.00	222.00
32.50	30.00	7.50	16.00	375.82
172.00	177.50	146.50	106.48	1,059.48
243.43	808.00	380.39	581.00	2,332.05
8.00	24.45	17.50	12.00	161.95
145.58	170.00	167.11	197.50	836.19
6.00	3.00	45.00	.....	54.00
56.00	12.00	10.20	45.00	300.96
<b>\$2,490.41</b>	<b>\$3,836.90</b>	<b>\$1,614.51</b>	<b>\$2,911.03</b>	<b>\$14,191.15</b>
Grand Total.....	.....	.....	.....	<b>\$21,299.57</b>

**THE FIFTY-SECOND ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of Missouri**

**Report of the Treasurer**

January 22, 1932 to January 23, 1933

To the Rt. Rev. F. F. Johnson and the Rt. Rev. William Scarlett, Bishops of Missouri, and Officers and Members of the Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of Missouri:

**RECEIPTS**

**Administration**

Officers and Representatives' Dues .....	\$ 82.00
Offerings .....	107.90
5% of Pledges .....	234.37
Travel Fund .....	214.50
Educational Fund .....	125.00
Sale of Cook Books .....	65.20
Interest on Bank Account .....	.98
Contributions for Auto Upkeep .....	120.00
Gifts for General Expenses .....	4.00
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	\$953.95

**Community**

Social Service .....	1,031.00
St. Stephen's House .....	647.00
Mrs. Garrie W. Simmons' Memorial .....	75.00
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	1,753.00

**Diocese**

Bishop Scarlett's Field Work .....	2,049.00
Diocesan Missions .....	840.35
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	2,889.35

**Nation**

General Missions .....	840.34
Supply Department .....	667.00
Synod Pledge .....	200.00
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	1,707.34

**World**

Carroll M. Davis Scholarship .....	50.00
Specials .....	10.25
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	60.25

**Endowment Fund**

Interest on Bonds .....	98.46
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Total .....	7,462.35
Bank Balance, January 22, 1932 .....	839.36

\$ 8,301.71

## DISBURSEMENTS

### Administration

Printing and Postage .....	\$ 215.53
Education .....	96.73
Travel .....	311.00
Auto Purchase .....	150.90
Auto Expense .....	202.51
Miscellaneous .....	3.50
Auditor .....	50.00
Dues to Organizations .....	101.00
Returned checks and check tax .....	57.57
	<b>\$ 1,188.74</b>

### Community

Social Service .....	921.25
St. Stephen's .....	689.00
Valley Park .....	75.00
Holy Cross .....	75.00
City Missions .....	25.00
Transfer Account .....	50.00
Mrs. Garrie W. Simmons' Memorial .....	75.00
	<b>1,910.25</b>

### Diocese

Bishop Scarlett's Field Work .....	2,049.00
Diocesan Missions .....	836.35
	<b>2,885.35</b>

### Nation

General Missions .....	836.34
Supply Department .....	546.24
Synod Pledge .....	200.00
	<b>1,582.58</b>

### World

Carroll M. Davis Scholarship .....	50.00
Specials .....	10.00
	<b>60.00</b>

Total .....	7,626.92
Bank Balance, January 23, 1933 .....	674.79
	<b>\$8,301.71</b>

*Respectfully submitted,*

(Mrs. Roy A.) CLARA A. CAMPBELL, Treasurer.

## Audit

These accounts are to be audited by a certified public accountant.

*Respectfully submitted,*

MRS. IRVIN MATTICK, *Auditor.*

## Report of the President of the Woman's Auxiliary

To the Bishops of Missouri and the Members of the Ninety-Fourth Diocesan Convention, we present the report of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese for the year 1932.

While the year 1932 has been one of great anxiety and real suffering all over the world, it has certainly been a testing time for both Church and State, and perhaps there has never been such an opportunity to prove to the world what the Christian Church can and should stand for.

The truths of life and of religion can only be demonstrated when experience itself with its relentless laws of action and reaction, brings home to us with peculiar emphasis the realization that the breaking of ethical and moral laws must inevitably bring about a state of confusion and chaos.

In spite of misfortune and misery there is always something thrilling about a challenge and it is only as individuals and organizations meet that challenge that they can measure up to the real values of life.

As an Auxiliary we have met our financial obligations up to the time when our people were able to make good the pledges they had made, and we hope and trust that it will be only a short while until all our checks will be once again more than "Scraps of Paper."

The outstanding feature of our Auxiliary this past year was the visit from our National Executive Secretary, Miss Grace Lindley. Her presence in our midst was an inspiration and stimulus to us all. She especially urged a willingness to adventure with Christ and that we be not afraid of new truths, new problems, and new endeavors. We were also privileged to have as our guests at the Synod, the President of our Province who is also a representative on the National Auxiliary Board, Mrs. Benjamin S. Brown from Kansas City; our Provincial Vice-President, Mrs. Gooch from Texas; and our Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Dwyer from Oklahoma. Also Miss Dorothy Fischer, the Executive Secretary of the Young People's Service League, in this Province, was here attending the Synod and is always a most welcome guest in this Diocese.

Our Diocese was honored by having Mrs. George selected as the Provincial Educational Secretary. While we appreciate this honor, we feel that the Province is greatly to be congratulated in having Mrs. George assume this added responsibility because she is still our Diocesan Educational Secretary.

She is also a member of the Interracial Committee of the Community Council.

Another most gratifying thing has happened to our Diocese in the appointment of Mrs. Harold E. Woodward as Vice-President of the Girls' Friendly for the Province—and really means acting as President in the Province and as a member of the National Board.

Here again we feel that the Province is most fortunate.

The Synod was of value to the Auxiliary in this Diocese and we hope to every woman in the Province.

Women from almost every one of our city parishes under the Chairmanship of Mrs. Harold Woodward, assumed last Fall definite responsibilities in connection with the sewing being done by the Red Cross for those in need in this community.

They have assisted in distributing clothes through the Clothing Bureau of the Citizens' Relief Committee. And have helped the Provident Association in their clerical work, motor corps service, and with the visiting.

The Social Service Department of the Auxiliary, under the direction of the Diocesan Social Service Secretary, Mrs. Sidney Maestre, has started an Employment Agency in the Bishop Tuttle Memorial, for the benefit of those in our Churches who are suffering from the lack of employment.

This Department is also cooperating in a plan to secure groups of volunteers who will take over the work in specified relief organizations or assume charge of relief work done in certain districts under the Provident Association. These volunteers will receive instruction from trained workers or teachers before undertaking their responsibilities.

In connection with this plan for training volunteers it may be interesting to note that Mrs. Hugh Weed, the President of the Girls' Friendly Society, became so expert as a volunteer visitor that a number of Provident Association cases have been turned over to her and she is giving Canon George a half day each week to help him in his City Missions visiting. Owing to a reduced budget Canon George was obliged to give up his regular Social Service worker, so you can imagine what it means to him to have this capable and trained volunteer service.

So much for our Community work.

Members of the Auxiliary have taken part in Round Table discussions in regard to World Peace and our Devotional Secretary, Mrs. Rufus Putney was in charge of the Episcopal group. Later she was put on a committee of four to make up the Findings from the State Round Table and these Findings were sent to the National Committee.

A member of the Board, Mrs. Irvin Mattick, represents the Auxiliary in the St. Louis Council Promoting Peace, and the Auxiliary also takes an interest in questions relating to Universal Disarmament and International Relations.

The Auxiliary cooperates with the Woman's Missionary Federation by having representatives on their Board and we join them in celebrating the World's Day of Prayer. We also have representatives on the Y.W.C.A. Board. All this being an effort towards accomplishing spiritual unity, or at least a better understanding and sympathy between ourselves and other religious denominations.

In our Church work the Auxiliary has stood back of the Every Member Canvass, assisting when called upon to render active service.

Our Young People's groups and societies have been sponsored by older Auxiliary women and in fact in everything connected with both the parishes and the Diocese the Auxiliary has stood ready to lend a helping hand.

A group of our women went as delegates to a Conference in Kansas City last spring which was called to discuss questions of leadership with, and to receive instruction from the National Executive Officers.

Many new ideas and much benefit was derived from this Conference.

Realizing that our Parish Auxiliaries in the Diocese outside of St. Louis, could not attend in large numbers our Diocesan meetings, it has been the policy of the Board to carry the Diocesan programs to these groups and from four to six Board members have taken part in meetings in Columbia, Hannibal, Cape Girardeau, Poplar Bluff, Rolla and Jefferson City. The Board offered to go other places but arrangements could not always be made for such meetings.

For some time we have been thinking of the Mission of the Church as including more than just the Missions of the Church and all Auxiliary women are being urged to read the report of the Commission appointed by the Lay-

men's Foreign Missions Inquiry to "study missions in the Far East and to make recommendations concerning their future."

This report is both courageous and far reaching. It will mean rethinking and replanning, in many instances, but surely the one thing we should long and labor for is to know the truth and in knowing the truth to be made free. Is it not because we have been afraid sometimes to face facts which if accepted, might necessitate readjustment in the life of our Church as well as in our own lives, that we have preferred to accept traditions as truths—thus preventing our reception of even larger truths?

Too much cannot be said concerning the splendid work being carried on by members of the Board in their various departments.

Time does not permit a detailed account and we refer you to the Diocesan Journal or the Auxiliary Year Book for the printed reports.

There will be no record however, of the practical and most helpful service rendered to St. Luke's Hospital by a group of women who meet at the hospital every Thursday and make surgical dressings, bandages, etc. Mrs. Harold J. Littledale, one of our Board members has charge of this work.

Nor will you find any mention of the fact that Mrs. Edward S. Sieber, our First Vice-President, and Mrs. Nelson B. Gatch, one of our Representatives on the Board, arranged for the hospitality both in homes and hotels for our guests to the Synod.

The Third Vice-President, who is also the President of the Northern Convocation, has completed her term of office and we are grateful to Mrs. Treat for what she has accomplished in the Hannibal District.

We have accepted with great regret the resignation of Mrs. J. W. Clai-borne, our Fourth Vice-President and President of the Southern Convocation.

Mrs. Claiborne has left Cape Girardeau to make her home elsewhere.

Mrs. Walter Fischel, the Second Vice-President, has been one of the most valuable members on the Board, and has resigned much against the wishes of the other members.

Mrs. Peckham, one of our Board, has rendered us great service in the way she has represented us on the Board of the Woman's Missionary Federation.

To our retiring Corresponding Secretary, we all owe a vote of thanks for her faithful and efficient work, and I wish especially to add my thanks and appreciation for what she has done for and meant to me personally.

We are grateful to our Bishops and to our Clergy for their interest and cooperation in our work and also for their attendance at our meetings, and we wish to thank those members of the Press who have generously given us publicity.

As we write of the few things accomplished, we have the picture before us of many things left undone. May every Auxiliary woman go into the New Year with the spirit of adventure in her soul and the courage of faith in her heart and may we all realize that, as Mr. Miller has expressed it for us, "The teaching Church is the Learning Church and the Learning Church has the opportunity of being the Leading Church in the whole realm of modern and social life," and was not Daniel Webster right when he said, "The greatest thought that can come into my mind is my individual responsibility to God"?

Respectfully submitted,

(Mrs. John F.) SARAH H. SHEPLEY, *President.*

## Report of Supply Secretary Supply Department 1932

### Spring Box

Holy Cross Mission, Batesville, Va. ....	\$ 816.36
Pine Ridge Indian Mission, S.D. (Store room) ....	28.00
Mrs. T. K. Wade, Check for emergency work ....	50.00
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	\$894.36

### Advent Box

Rev. Nevill Joyner, Pine Ridge Mission, S.D. ....	181.70
Rev. E. R. Allman, Twin Falls, Idaho ....	214.40
Miss Sada Tomlinson, Anking, China ....	5.00
Miss Venetia Cox, Wuchang, China ....	5.00
Miss Jean Jones, Anvik, Alaska (Xmas box) ....	5.49
Deaconess Gibson, Richmond, Va. (Xmas box) ....	5.20
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Total ....	\$366.79
Altar Guild ....	50.00
Work in Diocese ....	19.65
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Total value of work ....	\$1,330.80

Respectfully submitted,  
(Mrs. Frank A.) NELLIE H. FLINT.

January 26, 1933.

## Report of the Altar Section

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The Altar Section is that part of the Woman's Auxiliary work which takes care of the appeals that come to the Central office in New York, from Missionaries and Missions, asking for vestments and simple altar requirements.

Our Guild here, is a group of women who supply a few of these appeals sent us from New York which we call our allotment and, in addition, meet some of the needs in our own Diocese.

The last few years the Supply Department has financed this work.

### WORK SENT IN 1932.

For allotment—1 Cassock, 3 Surplices, 5 Stoles, valued at.....	\$140.00
Diocese of Missouri—3 Surplices, 1 Stole, 2 Sets of Bookmarks,	
1 Burse and Veil and Altar Linens, valued at .....	125.00
Total .....	\$265.00

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### FINANCIAL REPORT.

Balance from 1931 .....	\$ 68.90
Received from Supply Dept. .....	100.00
Total .....	\$168.90
Expenses for Materials .....	88.05
Balance December 31, 1932 .....	\$ 80.85

Respectfully submitted,  
ANNIE S. COUSLAND, *Chairman.*

## United Thank Offering, Treasurer's Report Year 1932

### RECEIPTS.

Balance January, 1932 .....	\$ 731.03
Receipts from 28 Parishes and Missions .....	<u>3,091.82</u>
Total .....	\$3,822.85

### DISBURSEMENTS.

Printing and Leaflets .....	32.30
Deposit with National Council .....	<u>3,450.00</u>
Total .....	3,482.30
Balance on hand .....	\$340.55

Respectfully submitted,  
(Mrs. Clark) JONNA L. SMITH.

### Annual Report of Secretary of Church Periodical Club

Current Periodicals Sent Regularly .....	62
Number of Donors .....	44
Prayerbook and Hymnals .....	46
Books .....	634
Tracts and Lessons .....	24
Odd Magazines .....	16,053
Christmas and Easter Cards .....	365
Picture Cards and Calendars .....	149
Miscellaneous 3 pairs spectacles .....	231
Number of Institutions Aided .....	12

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Money Collected and Balance .....	\$98.20
Money Expended .....	<u>77.60</u>
Balance on hand December 31, 1932 .....	\$20.60

Respectfully submitted,  
(Mrs. Edwin) MARY S. STRASSBURGER.

## Report of Secretary of the Social Service Department Year 1932

The expenditures for the year 1932 are as follows:

Mr. George .....	\$550.00
Sister Miriam .....	200.00
Camp Huldina .....	68.00
Holy Cross .....	50.00
St. Luke's .....	25.00
 Total.....	 \$893.00

We have a small balance on hand for which we are very grateful, and for which we have many places.

You may be interested to know that the Social Service Department of the Woman's Auxiliary has expended in all through the churches, and including the above figures, \$2,311.93. This includes pledges to the Social Service Department, and baskets, garments and sundries furnished to individuals, Deaconess Brainerd, Grace Holy Cross, the Blind, Tuberculosis Society, Salvation Army, Episcopal Home, Citizens' Committee, Osage, Provident Association, Red Cross, Holy Communion, Old Folks Home, Bethesda, Meramec Hills, and the Work House.

I feel that the Churches and their Social Service Groups are to be congratulated on the amount of time, work and money expended, and the diversification of services rendered, which I have already mentioned.

In addition to this, our Adjustment-Employment Bureau, which opened on November 7th, with headquarters at Bishop Tuttle Memorial, has filed 313 applications, and has procured 73 jobs, temporary and permanent. We have been on duty daily from 10 a.m. till 2 p.m. from Monday through Friday. Beginning February 1st, we shall be there the same hours on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday only, as we find that the latter part of the week there is little to do.

The Provident Association is very much in need of volunteer work. With their case-load increasing from 2,096 in January, 1931 to 11,733, or about five fold in January, 1933, the volunteers have decreased from 300 in January, 1931 to 91 in January, 1933, about two-thirds of the 1931 number. Their needs are of three kinds. Clerical, automobile, which is very necessary, and case-work, or visitors' aid. Professor Bruno, head of the Sociology Department of Washington University will give a course of lectures to volunteers, beginning February 3rd at 10:30 a.m., at the Cabanne Branch Library, for six consecutive Fridays. I do sincerely hope that our Episcopal women will continue their splendid co-operation, and that we may furnish at least 25 women who may serve in one capacity or another. You can either get in touch with Miss Geisel at the Provident Association, or with your Social Service Chairman.

I thank you for the excellent work you have done, and I am sure we shall step even farther forward in our help to others in 1933.

Respectfully submitted,  
MRS. SIDNEY MAESTRE, Chairman.

## Report of Educational Secretary

Last January the Educational Secretaries unanimously decided to have a monthly meeting. Before the January meeting, six of the secretaries were asked to read Dr. Angus Dun's paper on "Religious Thinking Today." One of the group was asked to give a resumé of the paper at the meeting and a discussion followed, led by those who had read the paper. At another meeting the subject of International Relations was treated in the same way. During the Fall months of 1932 Program making and methods of presentation were discussed and the subject of the American Indian was presented in book reviews, current articles and speeches.

The object of these meetings has been to stimulate interest in the subjects presented and to discuss ways of approach.

Another feature of these Conferences of the Educational Secretaries has been the development of a Diocesan Bookshelf or Library. Current copies of the Spirit of Missions and various Church papers have been on the tables, with such books as Bowie's "On Being Alive"; Sutor's "Open Doors in Religious Education"; Knox's "He Whom A Dream Hath Possessed"; Bishop Whipple's "Lights and Shadows of a Long Episcopate"; Gilkey's "Managing One's Self"; Dimmét's "What We Live By"; "Aggrey of Africa"; "The Life of Kagawa"; Washburn's "Men of Conviction"; "As It Looks to Young China"; "Sons and the Young Revolutionist" by Pearl Buck. These books have been in constant use.

A Bookshelf has been established in two parishes and one is about to be started in another parish.

Text books for the year are "Facing the Future in Indian Missions" and "Living Issues in China."

Last March I was one of eighteen from this Diocese to attend a Conference held in Kansas City for the women of the Southwest Province. Miss Lindley, Miss Marston, Miss Beardsley and Mrs. Wade each talked on their respective subjects and afterwards led discussions. The Conference being an experiment, the last round table discussion dealt with the advisability of holding future Conferences.

I have talked on Religious Education to the following groups: Ascension; St. Peter's (2); Emmanuel (2); Trinity Church, Hannibal; Christ Church, Cape Girardeau (2); St. Paul's, Overland; Calvary, Columbia (2); Redeemer; Trinity; Grace Church, Jefferson City; Holy Cross, Poplar Bluff; Holy Communion and St. Augustine's.

Many thanks are given to Mrs. Putney and Mrs. Roberts who carried on the Educational work for two months during an illness in my family.

I have talked to groups of young people and have been asked to conduct a course in Training for Leadership for a group of young people. The members of this group are to be chosen from the various parishes.

I have attended the monthly meetings of the Department of Religious Education and am deriving much help for my work from being a member of the Race Relations Committee of the Community Council.

Thanks are due to Mrs. Putney, Mrs. F. F. Johnson and Mrs. Roberts for their assistance in planning and conducting the Conference for Diocesan Educational Secretaries, held daily during the meeting of the Synod, October 18, 19 and 20. Copies of the Findings of these conferences were made and distributed.

Your Secretary was placed in charge of the Educational work of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Province of the Southwest.

The outstanding feature of the past year has been the increased interest and enthusiasm shown by the Educational Secretaries in carrying out the objective formulated at the Synod; namely, "To lead all members of the groups to assume their responsibility as Christians for all people to grow in the knowledge of our Lord and of His teachings."

Respectfully submitted,  
(Mrs. James H.) CARRIE M. GEORGE,  
*Educational Secretary.*

### Report of the Devotional Secretary

The devotional work of the Woman's Auxiliary cannot be reported in figures, nor really in words at all.

Devotion to our Lord Jesus Christ is the cause and inspiration of all our work; but so often in the busy rush of activities, we find ourselves losing sight of our Master and Guide, forgetting whose work we are trying to do and why.

So this department stands as a continued reminder to ourselves, that the Church's supreme task is to make men *know* God, and that all the organizations of the Church share in that task.

Our work as devotional secretaries is to do what we can in our several parish auxiliaries to promote spiritual growth, and we begin our efforts with ourselves, knowing that only as we, ourselves, consciously realize God's purpose and direction in our own lives, can He use us to help others realize it in theirs.

To that end our group of representatives from each parish meet once a month to study and discuss phases of spiritual growth. This year we are using "The School of Jesus" by Shafto for the basis of our study.

Fifteen parishes report Bible or Personal Religion Classes. Some are held by the Rectors on day of Auxiliary or Service League meetings; in others, during Lent or other given period.

We deeply appreciate the time and effort given us by our clergy, and are sure that the seed sown in these classes will bear fruit in higher thinking, finer living, and more loyal consecrated service.

Seven parishes report Communion Services before each meeting of the Auxiliary.

Three parishes have a short service of intercessions before meetings.

Last year one parish had an appointed hour when the women, in their several homes, unite in spirit before God's throne to ask His help and blessing for the parish, the Rector, and those ill and in trouble. This year a second parish is doing the same.

One parish has a special and beautiful service the first meeting of every month led by the Rector, but the theme, hymns etc., selected by the Devotional Secretary. In all branches of the Auxiliary either the Rector or the Devotional Secretary opens the meetings with prayers.

Sometimes five or ten minutes are allowed so that a stimulating meditation may be read.

I wouldn't feel that I were reporting fully the Devotional work being done without mentioning the work of Mrs. Walter Franklin. She is an unusually beautiful spirit, with an overwhelming desire to make God really felt—a real power in individual lives, as He undoubtedly is in hers.

She has held a small weekly class in personal religion and gives hours of time to individuals who seek her.

Three Diocesan Quiet Days were held. The Lenten Quiet Day was conducted by Bishop Cross on February 24th.

During the Synod on October 19th, Bishop Scarlett held a most beautiful and inspiring Quiet time for the women; and on October 20th, Miss Lindley held an hour of meditation and prayer and sent all who heard her away with new resolutions for a finer and higher type of living and service.

A woman's service of meditation and intercession was held before the Every Member Canvass on the morning of November 25th, (stressing the theme "Seek ye first the Kingdom of God), led by the diocesan devotional secretary.

The devotional secretary has spoken on devotional topics at eight meetings and taken a small part in the World Day of Prayer.

One person asked for something to help a friend in her bereavement. Such requests make the office of devotional secretary a real opportunity for helping others.

Many helpful books have been circulated, and to have a circulating library of stimulating devotional books in every parish, even if a very small one, is one of our chief endeavors.

Seventeen parishes have appointed devotional secretaries.

Our motto this year is to try, as St. Stephen did, to make out of a small office, a large opportunity for serving God.

Respectfully submitted,  
(Mrs. Rufus D. S.) ETHEL C. PUTNEY.

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### Report of the Episcopal Home for Children

In the year 1932 a final decision was reached as to the plan of caring for the children in the Episcopal Home during the two-year period that the present building must be occupied. According to the Court decision, the present property cannot be disposed of for two years; so that it was necessary to decide how the building could be used to the best advantage with the least expense. Various methods of caring for the children were studied. Some suggested having a home in a suburban community where greater freedom and play space were available for the children; others suggested having cottages in various sections of the city with six to eight children in each cottage. After a great deal of discussion, and on the advice of several leaders in children's work, the following plan was adopted as an experiment during the next two years: the present Home is to be used as a temporary home for ten children, which is the number required by law to maintain a home of this character. Children will be brought here and remain until they can be studied and plans made for them. They will then be placed in carefully selected foster homes where they will be visited frequently and closely supervised. It is felt that the children need very much the affection and individual attention which they can receive in a private family but which is impossible to give in a home where there are a large number of youngsters.

During the summer the building was remodeled, all of it being closed off except one wing which is now very home-like, and comfortably accommodates ten children with the workers. In July, the services of Miss Coronal Thomas,

who was formerly Director of the Home-Finding Department of the Children's Aid Society, were secured; and the placing of the children got into full swing. Miss Thomas' report will be included later.

A number of activities besides the actual care of the children have been carried on in the Home during the year. Each month one Church in the Diocese holds a tea at the Home in order that the Churches may become better acquainted with our work with the children. They have been very pleasant and profitable occasions to those who have attended.

Last spring the Committee on Institutions and Agencies, which is composed of representatives from the various social and charitable organizations of the City, held its monthly meeting at the Home; and during the fall an open house was held to which the social workers in various children's organizations were invited. The latter meeting was held in order to acquaint the agencies of the City with the present plan as it is being carried out in the Home.

In February of 1932 the Clericus luncheon was held at the Home. It was well attended and the clergy seemed very much interested in the plans being developed for the care of the children.

Since October we have had two students from St. Louis University working at the Home. They are taking a social work course in the University and are receiving their practical experience with us.

In order to keep the Churches in closer touch with our work a monthly news letter is sent out with the request that it be read in the adult organizations of each Church. The news letter was named by one of the children, and is called "Our Pilgrim's Progress."

During the past year we have sustained two serious losses in the death of Mrs. Wallace Delafield, who for so long was a member of our Board and deeply interested in our work; and Miss Julia Upshaw, for many years our Treasurer and devoted director and mother of our older boys in Brittain Hall. These faithful women, beloved and respected by all of us, gave themselves unstintedly to the welfare of our children; and their counsel and ministrations will be sorely missed, not only by the Board and staff of our Home, but by all of our little ones.

In honor of Miss Upshaw we have established a Memorial Fund with an initial sum of Two Hundred Dollars, to which we hope other gifts or bequests will be added, the money to be fittingly used for the aid of our boys whose interests were so dear to her heart.

The report of Miss Thomas follows:

During 1932 applications were made for 24 children to be admitted to the Home. Only one was accepted. Four of them were from out of the State, and the remainder were referred to other agencies, or were cared for in other ways. During the year eight children who were in the Home were returned to relatives; and one older girl was transferred to another agency. We are now caring for thirty-two children. There are seven girls and two boys in the Home. We have ten boys and nine girls in foster homes where we pay board for them. Three of the older girls are in private families assisting with the housework while attending Junior or Senior High School. We assist them with their clothing. One of the older boys has a free home on a farm where he helps with the work in return for his room and board. Another boy in the City is working and contributes to his own support. In two instances financial assistance has been given to relatives for the care of the child when they were unable to manage without this help.

While it is too early to make any definite statement as to the real progress the children have made in their foster homes, there are several tendencies which we notice rather clearly. The physical condition of these children is excellent; in most instances their school work has improved remarkably; they are entering into community activities and making friends in the neighborhoods to an extent that they have never done before; and they are happy and contented as members of a family—just like other children in the community. They are beginning to get away from the feeling that they are orphans, and as such, are a bit queer or inferior to other youngsters.

As part of our program of foster home care, a definite educational program for foster mothers has been started. Monthly meetings are held during which the foster mothers raise questions about the care of the children whom they have in their homes. At each meeting a person who has made a special study of children's problems speaks on some subject which the foster mothers have requested. Books and pamphlets are distributed in order to give these mothers as much assistance as possible with the youngsters.

Respectfully submitted,  
MRS. CHARLTON MESSICK, President.

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### Report of the Girls' Friendly Society

In speaking to the Woman's Auxiliary we feel we are speaking to the Big Sister of the Girls' Friendly Society. Without your encouragement and support we cannot grow into the women's work of the Church; and so we are glad to tell you what the girls and younger women are doing—wanting you to feel their training is for Christian living and for Christ's Church.

Knowing that the Girls' Friendly Society is the only National organization for girls in the Church, we feel it looms large in opportunity both for the girl and for the church. Only in early association and training is the loyalty to Christ's way and to the Church's life caught. The National Council has been far-sighted in its choice of programs and educational directors and the emphases of the modern Girls' Friendly are on the girl and her growth. So, following the policies of the National, we strive in our branches to have the girls formulate their own programs, make their own decisions, develop their own leaders. They do work in the five fields of service: they follow the mission study offered by the Woman's Auxiliary and they enjoy doing a small allotment for the spring box. They have, too, their own yearly money project for missions. This year it is for the House of the Merciful Saviour in Wu Chang. Perhaps their most enthusiastic activities are in social service lines. This year they have made scrap books, dressed dolls, collected magazines, and one branch has collected ear phones for the patients at Koch Hospital. They have given baskets for Thanksgiving and Christmas; and a wonderful Christmas supper was served to seventy-five needy people by one branch. One labor of love was teaching a deaf woman to play bridge.

In their own parishes they have taught in the Sunday School, served on the A'tar Guild, waited on table, made gifts of money to the Parish budget or to their Parish House, or to some special memorial fund. And in their social activities whether party, play or lecture they often include all who are interested from the Parish and so contribute to the social life of the Parish.

I think we feel that nowhere have they shown their growing spirit more than in their worship life. At the Corporate Communion on All Saints Day had you been in a number of Parishes you would have seen groups of from five to sixteen at the rail together, and their two annual Vesper Services, one for the candidates or little girls and one for the older girls are perhaps the best attended of all our joint meetings. For we are not parochial but diocesan and not diocesan but national. We have groups entertaining each other and we have several large Diocesan projects where the girls from all the branches meet on the picnic grounds or at supper or tea. Every year we send one or two girls and leaders to conferences. This year a member from Trinity was sent to Columbia and a leader of a younger group was sent to Gambier, Ohio. Every third year one girl and one associate attend the National Council meeting. Our conference with Miss Cooper at the Synod meeting this fall was of inestimable value to us and our girls serving as pages deepened their ties to the Church.

And you of this great missionary society will be specially interested to know that in three cases within the year, younger groups have been started by, and are being directed by girls from the older groups. They are passing on what they love so well—their membership in the Girls' Friendly Society.

Respectfully submitted,  
(Mrs. Hugh H. C.) FAITH P. WEED.

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### Report of the Program Committee

The Spring Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Missouri was held in the Bishop Tuttle Memorial on Friday, May 20th, 1932, with Mrs. John F. Shepley in the chair. Bishop Johnson gave us a word of greeting and the Rev. Karl Morgan Block was the noonday speaker. There were reports from the Secretary and the Treasurer and from the Educational, Supply and Thank Offering Secretaries.

At the meeting on October 28, 1932 the address was made by the Very Rev. Sidney E. Sweet. Reports were given by several secretaries of departments.

On Thursday, January 26, 1933, the Annual Meeting was held with Mrs. Shepley presiding. All the Secretaries and the Chairmen of the Revisions Committee gave reports. The Rev. Hulbert A. Woolfall made the address. Mrs. Edward S. Sieber, the First Vice-President, took the chair for the closing business of the meeting and the new officers, especially our beloved Mrs. Shepley, were elected and installed with real enthusiasm. Bishop Johnson made a brief address.

Respectfully submitted,  
(Mrs. Walter) VIRGINIA ELLIOT FISCHEL.

## Constitution

### ARTICLE I—NAME.

This organization shall be called "The Missouri Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council."

### ARTICLE II—OBJECT.

Its object is to increase the interest and unite the efforts of all women in the Diocese in the Church's Mission in the Parish, in the Community, in the Diocese, in the Nation and in the World.

### ARTICLE III—MEMBERSHIP.

Its membership shall consist of all baptized women who pray for, work for, or give to the Church in the Five Fields of Service.

### ARTICLE IV—AMENDMENTS.

This Constitution may be altered or amended at any annual meeting by a two-thirds vote of the members of the Board of Managers present; due notice having been given to each member.

## By-Laws

### BY-LAW I—OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The Officers shall be a President, First Vice-President, Second Vice-President, Third Vice-President, Fourth Vice-President, Recording Secretary, Corresponding Secretary, Treasurer, Auditor, Educational Secretary, Supply Secretary, Social Service Secretary, and United Thank Offering Treasurer.

SECTION 2. There shall be an Executive Board composed of the officers, special secretaries and treasurers, and three members at large.

SECTION 3. The Board of Managers shall consist of the Executive Board and the Parish Representatives; twenty-five members constituting a quorum.

Annual dues of \$1.00 for each member of the Board of Managers shall be paid to the Auxiliary Diocesan Treasurer before the first of February.

SECTION 4. Honorary offices with the right of vote may be created by a two-thirds vote of the Board of Managers.

### BY-LAW II—DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The President shall preside at all meetings; appoint committees; be a member ex-officio of said committees and fulfill all such duties as pertain to her office. By virtue of her office she shall be a Delegate to the Triennial. She shall make a written report of the year's work to the Diocesan Convention, which if so ordered by the convention may be published in the Journal. She shall appoint the Special Secretaries and Treasurers.

SECTION 2. The Social Service Secretary shall be responsible for all Social Service Work undertaken by the Auxiliary.

SECTION 3. The First Vice-President shall fulfill the duties of the President in the latter's absence. She shall be responsible for all courtesies to special visitors at meetings.

SECTION 4. The Second Vice-President shall be responsible for such work as may be assigned her by the President.

SECTION 5. The Third and Fourth Vice-Presidents shall be responsible for Auxiliary work in the Northern and Southern Convocations.

SECTION 6. The Recording Secretary shall take the minutes of the meetings and shall prepare an annual report of work done by the Missouri Branch. She shall forward said report to the Executive Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary.

SECTION 7. The Corresponding Secretary shall send all notices and carry on all necessary correspondence.

SECTION 8. The Treasurer, under direction of the Board of Managers or the Executive Board, shall receive and disburse all money, presenting a report of same at each quarterly meeting.

SECTION 9. The Auditor shall examine the accounts of the Treasurers, namely: The Woman's Auxiliary, The United Thank Offering, The Auxiliary "Special" and the Endowment and Memorial Gifts and present vouchers for same.

SECTION 10. The Educational Secretary shall be responsible for the conducting of Bible and Mission Study Classes, following suggested subjects sent out by the General Educational Secretary. She shall disseminate missionary material and information; and co-operate with all agencies in the Diocese for religious education.

SECTION 11. The Supply Secretary shall be in charge of the supply work of the Diocese, apportioning the Parish quotas. She shall make her report to the General Secretary of the Supply Department.

SECTION 12. The United Thank Offering Treasurer shall stimulate interest in this phase of auxiliary work. She shall have charge of all money collected for this purpose and shall make a report at all meetings. She or her alternate shall present the offering at the Triennial.

SECTION 13. The Executive Board shall have authority necessary to conduct all business between meetings. It shall pass on the report of the Finance Committee and make recommendations to the Board of Managers. It shall direct the policy of the Auxiliary.

### BY-LAW III—REPRESENTATIVES.

SECTION 1.(A) Each Parish is entitled to four representatives, one of whom shall be the President and one the Corresponding Secretary, or the Treasurer, of the Parish Branch.

(B) Any additional Branch in a Parish is entitled to two representatives.

SECTION 2. The Representatives shall attend the Diocesan Meetings and respond to the General pledges for their branches.

SECTION 3. The method of choosing representatives shall be left to each Parish Branch.

#### BY-LAW IV—ELECTION OF OFFICERS.

SECTION 1. The Officers shall be elected by ballot at the Annual Meeting for a term of three years.

No member shall serve on the Board in any capacity for more than two consecutive terms.

SECTION 2. The Executive Board shall constitute a nominating committee to prepare a ticket to be voted upon at the Annual Meeting.

SECTION 3. The President shall appoint four members to serve as tellers on the day of election, these persons having been previously notified.

SECTION 4. The Executive Board may fill a vacancy in any elective office by temporary appointment and the person thus appointed shall hold office until the next regular meeting of the Board of Managers, at which meeting the vacancy shall be filled by election and the person thus elected shall hold office until the next Annual Meeting.

SECTION 5. At each Annual Meeting there shall be elected by ballot one member at large to serve on the Executive Board for a term of three years.

SECTION 6. Delegates and alternates to the Triennial Convention shall be elected at the annual meeting preceding the General Convention.

#### BY-LAW V—COMMITTEES.

SECTION 1. There shall be a Finance Committee composed of the President, Treasurer, Supply Secretary, Social Service Secretary and one other member of the Executive Board.

SECTION 2. This committee shall prepare the budget for the year's work and shall make plans for financial projects not otherwise assigned.

SECTION 3. There shall be a Year Book Committee composed of six members of which the Recording Secretary shall be the Chairman. The other members shall be the President, the Corresponding Secretary, the Treasurer, the Auditor, and the Chairman of the Supply Committee. This Committee shall publish a Year Book which shall be distributed and a copy forwarded to the Secretary of the National Board of the Woman's Auxiliary.

#### BY-LAW VI—ENDOWMENT AND MEMORIAL GIFTS.

SECTION 1. There shall be an Endowment Fund. Only the interest from this Fund may be used for Auxiliary work, the principal must remain intact. The Endowment Fund shall be in charge of a Board of Trustees composed of the Endowment and Memorial Gifts Committee. Any individual or branch giving one hundred dollars to the Endowment Fund may name the gift.

SECTION 2. There shall be an Endowment and Memorial Gifts Committee composed of the Diocesan President, the Treasurer and three other members, which members shall be elected at the Annual Meeting for three years. This committee shall have full charge of receiving, investing and expending the interest of these funds. Anyone wishing to present a Memorial gift shall do so through this committee.

## BY-LAW VII—PERMANENT COMMITTEE.

SECTION 1. A permanent Advisory Committee shall consist of the past presidents of the Woman's Auxiliary. Each member shall serve for one year as Chairman of this Committee in the same order she served the Woman's Auxiliary as Diocesan President. This Committee shall serve in an advisory capacity when called upon by the Executive Board.

## BY-LAW VIII—MEETINGS.

SECTION 1. There shall be three meetings each year, one of which, the Annual Meeting shall be held immediately preceding or immediately following the Diocesan Convention. These meetings, which are held in the Bishop Tuttle Memorial, are open to all. There shall also be one meeting of the Board of Managers during the year.

SECTION 2. At the three meetings specified in Section 1, members of the Board of Managers only are eligible to cast a vote.

SECTION 3. At the Annual Meeting the vote on all measures shall be cast only by representatives who have served during the year.

SECTION 4. Upon the request of four Parishes, the vote on any question may be called for by parishes and in case of a division, the individual roll call may be demanded.

SECTION 5. Special meetings may be called by the President.

SECTION 6. The Executive Board shall hold their meetings from October to June inclusive.

## BY-LAW IX—AMENDMENTS.

These By-Laws may be altered or amended at any regular meeting by a two-thirds vote of the members of the Board of Managers present—due notice having been given each member.

## STANDING RULE.

In recognition of the services of a retiring diocesan president a useful gift suitably inscribed as presented by the Woman's Auxiliary may be made to some mission or hospital, church school or similar institution in which the retiring president was interested; subject to the approval of the Bishop of the diocese in which the gift is to be made. The presentation is to be made at the first quarterly meeting following her completed term of office. This gift shall not exceed fifty dollars.



