



WOMAN'S AUXILIARY,  
NEBRASKA.

1899.

Thirteenth Annual Report



**Thirteenth Annual Report**  
OF THE  
**Nebraska Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary**  
TO THE  
**Board of Missions.**

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Annual Meeting in Trinity Cathedral, Omaha,  
Tuesday, May 16th, 1899.

## Diocesan Officers.

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THE RT. REV. GEO. WORTHINGTON, S. T. D., L. L. D.

### HONORARY PRESIDENT.

MRS. GEO. WORTHINGTON.....Stockbridge, Mass.

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MRS. N. J. BURNHAM.....621 South 18th Street, Omaha.

### TREASURER OF UNITED OFFERING.

MRS. J. J. STUBBS.....2411 Capitol Avenue, Omaha.

## Secretary's Report.

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It is now somewhat over a year since a great sorrow threatened us, and that sorrow has to-day brought us to a point where we, never a strong Auxiliary, must give up our mainstay and strongest prop. Let us pray that the Everlasting Arms may support us and guide us to a high level, where we may not only stand alone, but may extend to others the helping hand that has always been so kindly extended to us.

During the time Mrs. Worthington has been with us, the mere statistics form a small part of the work that has been done. The subject of Missions has been brought before us by some of the Church's ablest Bishops and speakers, and this has been done at the cost of much labor and expense by our President, and perhaps the full fruits of these efforts have not yet even begun to appear.

Every advance in the work has been encouraged, and if we had been as interested and anxious about results as Mrs. Worthington, perhaps the record would have been a better one.

I am sure that our President has only words of thanks to those who have tried to help her in her difficult field, and words of encouragement for those who are weak and struggling, but anxious to grow and anxious to profit by her lessons of helpfulness and generosity.

We do not feel, Madam President, that the tie that has bound us has broken, we do not feel that it can break, for it is that Blessed \* \* "tie that binds our hearts in Jesus' love," and we trust that a warm place will ever be kept in your heart for us, and you may be sure that long, long years will pass before you are forgotten in Nebraska.

Now, dear friends in Omaha and from out in the State, we are thoroughly glad to welcome so many and hope the day will be a happy and profitable one for you, and in turn let us do everything we can to make it a happy one for our President, Mrs. Worthington.

We have held our two quarterly meetings as usual, the afternoon when Bishop Rome of Alaska, spoke, having the largest attendance of any meeting of the year, many strangers being present. He told his story well, describing his people, whites, Indians and Esquimaux, and showing how necessary it was to send the Church to them.

One new branch has been added during the year and a better knowledge of the work shown by existing branches.

The blanks have been filled out more promptly and more accurately than usual and in consequence the Annual report will be printed earlier.

Money is still sometimes sent to the Secretary, instead of the Treasurer, and for the benefit of new branches, let us repeat that all *moneys* should go to the Treasurer, excepting the United Offering, which should be sent to the Special Treasurer for that fund, Mrs. J. J. Stubbs.

All matters pertaining to *boxes* should be addressed to the Secretary.

Mistakes are sometimes made, but they are trifling, and the lessons of unselfishness are numberless in contrast.

Unselfishness is the keynote of Missionary zeal and we are learning gradually that if we do for others we must give up something for ourselves.

We are pleased to note that in so many of our branches systematic giving is more general, and as the years go on, we hope each church woman will lay by something every month for the purpose of sending out to those in sore need, the gospel of love. 'Tis not that *we* are perfect or that *we* have all the possible Church equipments, that we can afford to send so much away from home, but we have so much more than they for whom the Church is asking help, that it ought to be a pleasure to divide with them. We have the Church, with its preachers, teachers, Bibles, Prayer books, Hymnals and all sorts of beautiful and beneficent influences in every direction. We ought to be full of warm-hearted love for each other and for all people. Surely our lives here in Nebraska are cast in pleasant places. Ought not this very fact be enough to rouse us to deeds, not words, of self-denial and usefulness?

It is perhaps hard to give to others when we ourselves have only the *necessities* of life; it ought not to be hard to share with others the *comforts* of life, but it should be easy to give to others out of our *luxuries*. Yet, our pastors tell us that our poorer people show far more generosity than those who have an abundance. Let that not be said of the women of our Auxiliary; let us be known for our kind words and deeds to all around us, and our generous help in sending the Church with its beautiful teachings of faith, and comfort, and love, to all the world. Let us aim not to *get*, but to *give*, and blessed be the thought,

"the more we give, the more we shall have." This seems to be the case not only with the Christian graces, but with more material assistance, for where the people give largely for Missions, the home Church is rarely in need.

We note with pleasure that some of our branches in the smaller parishes have organized separate societies instead of working under the names of Guilds, and doing mixed parish and missionary work. This already is bringing better results where it has been tried.

Nearly everywhere we find the older ladies the ones interested in Missions to the exclusion of the young women and with but a moderate sprinkling of the middle-aged. This is not right, for all should give a mite, if not more, to the missionary work, and our children, girls and boys, should be interested in the boxes we fill and send out, and they should be taught the three great divisions of Missions, Diocesan, Domestic and Foreign, with the distinction from the several specials.

We have over forty (40) Parishes and Missions in this Diocese and but twenty-six (26) branches of the Auxiliary, while there should be one for every station, whether it is self-supporting or not. This should be so, not only for the sake of the Church's treasury, but for the sake of the people, for the sake of ourselves, for unselfishness and self-denial should be taught from the first. Be assured the Mission will grow faster, and the Parish will grow stronger for the influence of the missionary spirit. Let us close with this aim in view, to have a branch of our Auxiliary in every Mission and Parish in the Diocese.

FANNY M. POTTER,

*Secretary.*

## Reports of the Parish Branches.

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### ST. STEPHEN'S—ASHLAND.

ORGANIZED MAY, 1886.

Fee .....\$ 1 00

### JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

No report.

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### ASCENSION—AUBURN.

REV. EDWARD MURPHY.....*Rector.*  
MRS. M. C. TEARE... ..*President.*  
MRS. F. A. WELTON.....*Vice-President.*  
MRS. J. C. BONSFIELD..... *Secretary and Treasurer.*  
MRS. M. C. TEARE... .. *Treasurer of United Offering.*  
Members, 10.

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### ST. MARY'S—BLAIR.

REV. A. T. YOUNG.....*Rector.*  
MRS. A. CASTETTER.....*President.*  
MRS. E. H. CLARK.....*Vice-President.*  
MRS. F. H. CLARIDGE.....*Secretary and Treasurer.*  
Diocesan Missions.....\$10 00  
Box to Nebraska..... 5 00  
Total.....\$15 00  
Members, 22.

### CHRIST'S CHURCH—CENTRAL CITY.

ORGANIZED 1890.

REV. A. E. MARSH.....*Rector.*  
MRS. A. E. MARSH.....*President.*  
MRS. E. H. BISHOP.....*Secretary.*  
MRS. J. F. NASH.....*Treasurer.*  
MRS. A. E. MARSH.....*Treasurer of United Offering.*

Diocesan Missions.....\$ 8 00  
Box.....24 00  
Fee.....1 00  
Total.....\$33 00  
Members, 16.

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### GRACE CHURCH—COLUMBUS.

ORGANIZED 1897.

REV. C. A. WEED.....*Rector.*  
MRS. ROSE EVANS.....*President.*  
MRS. STEVENSON.....*Vice-President.*  
MRS. MAY MOSGROVE.....*Secretary and Treasurer.*

Diocesan Missions.....\$ 5 00  
Fee.....1 00  
Total.....\$ 6 00  
Members, 30.

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### ST. THOMAS'—FALLS CITY.

ORGANIZED 1894.

REV. J. C. GARDNER.....*Rector.*  
MRS. HERBERT.....*President.*  
MRS. WILHITE.....*Vice-President.*  
MISS BURCHAK.....*Secretary.*  
MRS. JUSSEN.....*Treasurer.*

Diocesan Missions.....\$ 5 00  
Members, 12.

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### TRINITY—GENEVA.

No report.

### HOLY TRINITY—LINCOLN.

ORGANIZED 1886.

REV. FRANCIS EASSON.....	<i>Rector.</i>
MRS. J. N. BAKER.....	<i>President.</i>
MRS. J. C. KIER.....	<i>Vice-President.</i>
MRS. C. T. NEAL, Lincoln, Neb.....	<i>Secretary.</i>
MRS. M. A. ABBOTT, 1212 K street.....	<i>Treasurer.</i>
MRS. J. A. AMES.....	<i>Treasurer of United Offering.</i>
Diocesan Missions.....	\$50 00
Domestic Missions.....	3 50
Foreign Missions.....	3 50
Special.....	8 05
Three boxes to Clarkson Hospital, value not given.	
Box to Virginia.....	35 00
Box to Diocese of the Platte.....	10 00
Fee.....	1 00
Total.....	\$110 55
Members, 40.	

### ST. MARY'S—NEBRASKA CITY.

ORGANIZED 1895.

REV. D. I. HOBBS.....	<i>Rector.</i>
MRS. BERTHA ZOOK.....	<i>President.</i>
MISS LAURA BLAKE.....	<i>Vice-President.</i>
MISS JEAN MORTON.....	<i>Secretary.</i>
MRS. KATE STAFFORD.....	<i>Treasurer.</i>
MRS. D. P. ROLFE AND MRS. A. LANDIS.....	<i>Directors.</i>
Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 5 00
Domestic Missions.....	2 50
Foreign Missions.....	2 50
Box to Diocese of the Platte.....	20 00
Total.....	\$30 00
Members, 15.	

### TRINITY—NORFOLK.

ORGANIZED 1899

REV. J. B. VANFLEET.....	<i>Rector.</i>
MRS. J. B. VANFLEET.....	<i>President.</i>
MRS. A. D. COLE ..	<i>Corresponding Secretary.</i>
MRS. H. S. HOLDEN.....	<i>Secretary.</i>
.....	<i>Treasurer.</i>
Members, 10.	

## ALL SAINTS'—OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1889.

REV. T. J. MACKAY.....*Rector.*  
MRS. F. W. BRYANT.....*President.*  
MRS. A. J. VIERLING.....*Vice-President.*  
MRS. ALBERT NOE, 1530 Georgia avenue....*Secretary.*  
MRS. A. F. HOLDEN.....*Treasurer.*

Diocesan Missions.....	\$50 00
Diocesan Missions, Special.....	10 00
Domestic Missions.....	10 00
Foreign Missions.....	5 00
Foreign Missions, Special.....	10 00
Box to Michigan.....	12 00
Fee.....	1 00
Total.....	\$98 00

Members, 20.

## GOOD SHEPHERD—OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1888.

REV. PERCY SILVER.....*Rector.*  
MRS. DEXTER L. THOMAS.....*President.*  
MRS. SELMA STEIN.....*Vice-President.*  
MRS. W. B. NICHOLS, 2110 Lake street.....*Secretary.*  
MISS FLORA PATTON....*Treasurer of United Offering.*

Diocesan Missions.....	\$25 00
Domestic Missions.....	2 50
Foreign Missions.....	2 50
Box to Michigan, value not given.	
Fee.....	1 00
Total.....	\$31 00

Members, 8.

### ST. ANDREW'S—OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1898.

REV. C. H. YOUNG .....	<i>Rector.</i>
MRS. GEO. H. LAVIDGE .....	<i>President.</i>
MRS. M. M. FARMER, 4109 Lafayette ave. ....	<i>Secretary.</i>
.....	<i>Treasurer.</i>
Domestic Missions .....	\$ 3 00
Foreign Missions .....	2 00
Total .....	\$ 5 00
Members, 9.	

### ST. AUGUSTINE'S—OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1898.

No report.

### ST. BARNABAS'—OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1886.

REV. JOHN WILLIAMS .....	<i>Rector.</i>
MRS. C. W. LYMAN .....	<i>President.</i>
MRS. F. MANVILLE .....	<i>Vice-President.</i>
MRS. S. A. COLLINS, 2124 Cuming street ....	<i>Secretary.</i>
MRS. C. BOLLIET .....	<i>Treasurer.</i>
MRS. E. KITTON .....	<i>Director.</i>
MRS. C. W. LYMAN .....	<i>Treasurer of United Offering.</i>
Diocesan Missions .....	\$50 00
Diocesan Missions, Special .....	5 00
Domestic Missions .....	5 00
Foreign Missions .....	5 00
Foreign Missions, Special .....	5 00
Fee .....	1 00
Total .....	\$71 00
Members, 50.	

### ST. JOHN'S—OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1886.

REV. W. S. HOWARD.....	<i>Rector.</i>
MRS. H. EVANS.....	<i>President.</i>
MRS. F. B. THOMAS.....	<i>Vice-President.</i>
MRS. M. S. SHILL, 2722 Franklin street.....	<i>Secretary.</i>
MRS. HAMLIN.....	<i>Treasurer.</i>
MRS. H. EVANS.....	<i>Treasurer of United Offering.</i>
Diocesan Missions.....	\$15 00
Foreign Missions.....	5 00
Fee .....	1 00
Total.....	\$21 00

Members, 10.

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### ST. MATTHIAS'—OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1890.

REV. DR. REILLY.....	<i>Rector.</i>
MRS. GEO. C. SMITH.....	<i>President.</i>
MRS. J. H. CORNISH.....	<i>Vice-President.</i>
MRS. W. D. WILSON, 1008 Pacific street.....	<i>Secretary.</i>
MRS. P. DRAKE.....	<i>Treasurer.</i>
MRS. BURNY AND MRS. MEIKLE.....	<i>Directors.</i>
MRS. W. D. WILSON.....	<i>Treasurer of United Offering.</i>
Diocesan Missions.....	\$30 00
Domestic Missions.....	10 00
Foreign Missions.....	10 00
Special.....	10 00
Box to South Dakota.....	50 00
Box to Nebraska.....	9 25
Fee .....	1 00
Total.....	\$120 25

Members, 20.

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### ST. PAUL'S—OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1898.

REV. CAMPBELL FAIR.....	<i>Priest-in-Charge.</i>
No report.	

## ST. PHILIP'S, THE DEACON—OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1892.

REV. JOHN ALBERT WILLIAMS.....	<i>Rector.</i>	
MRS. E. W. PRYOR.....	<i>President.</i>	
MRS. N. L. WILSON.....	<i>Vice-President.</i>	
MRS. ROBERT BRYANT, 1517 N. 26th street..	<i>Secretary.</i>	
MRS. SARAH LEWIS.....	<i>Treasurer.</i>	
MRS. E. W. PRYOR.....	<i>Treasurer of United Offering.</i>	
Diocesan Missions.....		\$25 00
Domestic Missions.....		5 00
Foreign Missions.....		2 50
Total .....		\$32 50
Members, 12.		

### JUNIOR AUXILIARY

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## TRINITY CATHEDRAL—OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1886.

VERY REV. CAMPBELL FAIR.....	<i>Rector.</i>	
MRS. PHILIP POTTER.....	<i>President.</i>	
MRS. W. W. WILLIAMS.....	<i>Vice-President.</i>	
MRS. E. P. STEARNS, 610 S. 30th street.....	<i>Secretary.</i>	
MRS. C. E. REYNOLDS.....	<i>Treasurer.</i>	
MRS. W. W. WILLIAMS.....	<i>Director.</i>	
MRS. J. J. STUBBS.....	<i>Treasurer of United Offering.</i>	
Diocesan Missions.....		\$100 00
Diocesan Missions, Special .....		92 00
Domestic Missions.....		25 00
Domestic Missions, Special.....		3 00
Foreign Missions.....		25 00
Box to Nebraska .....		3 85
Box to Montana.....		2 00
Box to Nebraska.....		10 75
Box to Michigan.....		25 00
Box to Nebraska.....		9 25
Box to South Dakota .....		46 00
Box to Nebraska.....		46 00
Box to Nebraska.....		63 00
Fee .....		1 00
Total.....		\$451 85
Members, 61.		

## CATHEDRAL JUNIORS—OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1898.

ARTHUR STILLMAN.....	<i>President.</i>	
FRANCES WESSELLS.....	<i>Vice-President.</i>	
NETTIE FREELAND, 1324 N. 26th street.....	<i>Secretary.</i>	
MRS. CAMPBELL FAIR.....	<i>Treasurer.</i>	
MISS HELEN PECK.....	<i>Director.</i>	
Diocesan Missions.....		\$ 2 44
Box to South Dakota.....		16 50
Box to Nebraska.....		6 50
Total.....		\$25 44

## ST. LUKE'S—PLATTSMOUTH.

ORGANIZED 1886.

REV. H. B. BURGESS.....	<i>Rector.</i>	
MISS ALICE EATON.....	<i>President.</i>	
MRS. EMMA WHITE .....	<i>Vice-President.</i>	
MRS. EMILY DICKSON, P. O. Box 923, Secy. and Treas.		
MRS. F. LATHAM.....	<i>Treasurer of United Offering.</i>	
Diocesan Missions.....		\$10 00
Foreign Missions.....		9 00
Total.....		\$19 00
Members, 20.		

## HOLY TRINITY—SCHUYLER.

ORGANIZED 1897.

KEV D. C. PATTEE.....	<i>Rector.</i>	
MRS. H. W. NIEMAN.....	<i>President.</i>	
MRS. H. C. WRIGHT.....	<i>Vice-President.</i>	
MRS. J. C. KAHL.....	<i>Secretary.</i>	
MRS. H. C. WRIGHT .....	<i>Treasurer.</i>	
MRS. LAMOFER AND MRS. PAYNE.....	<i>Directors.</i>	
MRS. GEO. H. THOMAS... ..	<i>Treasurer of United Offering.</i>	
Diocesan Missions.....		\$10 00
Domestic Missions. ....		10 00
Special Missions .....		14 15
Total.....		\$34 15
Members, 14.		

## ST. MARTIN'S—SOUTH OMAHA.

ORGANIZED 1890.

REV. IRVING JOHNSON.....*Rector.*  
MRS. A. V. MILLER.....*President.*  
MRS. DAVIS.....*Vice-President.*  
MRS. W. S. WITTEN, 816 N. 23d street.....*Secretary.*  
MRS. E. J. SEYKORA .....*Treasurer.*

Diocesan Missions.....	\$10 00
Diocesan Missions, Special.....	6 10
Domestic Missions.....	5 00
Domestic Missions, Special.....	6 10
Foreign Missions.....	5 00
Box to South Dakota.....	1 00
Box to Nebraska.....	2 00
Box to Nebraska.....	60
Box to Nebraska.....	60
Box to Nebraska.....	75
Total.....	\$37 15

Members, 33.

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## ST. LUKE'S—WYMORE.

ORGANIZED 1894.

No report.

## Treasurer's Report.

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Nebraska Branch Woman's Auxiliary,  
May 16, 1898, to May 16, 1899.

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### RECEIVED FOR DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

Blair, St. Mary's .....	\$ 10 00	
Central City, Christ Church .....	8 50	
Columbus, Grace Church .....	5 00	
Falls City, St. Thomas' .....	5 00	
Lincoln, Holy Trinity .....	50 00	
Nebraska City, St. Mary's .....	5 00	
Omaha, All Saints .....	50 00	
Omaha, Good Shepherd .....	25 00	
Omaha, St. Andrew's .....	3 00	
Omaha, St. Barnabas' .....	50 00	
Omaha, St. John's .....	15 00	
Omaha, St. John's Juniors .....	5 00	
Omaha, St. Matthias' .....	25 00	
Omaha, St. Philip's .....	25 00	
Omaha, Trinity Cathedral .....	100 00	
Plattsmouth, St. Luke's .....	10 00	
Schuyler, Holy Trinity .....	10 00	
South Omaha, St. Martin's .....	10 00	
Memory Miss Worthington .....	25 00	
		\$436 50
Paid Mr. C. W. Lyman .....	\$436 50	

SPECIAL DIOCESAN FOR INDIAN CHAPEL  
AT GENOA, NEBRASKA.

Omaha, All Saints.....	\$ 10 00	
Omaha, St. Barnabas'.....	5 00	
Omaha, St. Matthias'.....	20 00	
Omaha, Trinity Cathedral.....	15 00	
Omaha, Diocesan Juniors.....	5 00	
Mrs. Clarkson.....	10 00	
Mrs. Fair.....	5 00	
Mrs. Lyman.....	6 00	
Mrs. Rahm.....	5 00	
Mrs. Noe.....	5 00	
Mrs. Upton.....	5 00	
Mrs. Wolfe (balance May, 1898).....	5 00	
Mrs. Potter.....	1 00	
Mrs. Stein.....	1 00	
Mrs. Bryant.....	1 00	
Mrs. Barton.....	1 00	
Mrs. Cameron.....	1 00	
Mrs. Ringwalt.....	1 00	
Mrs. Booth.....	1 00	
Mrs. Reynolds.....	1 00	
	<hr/>	\$104 00
Paid Mr. C. W. Lyman.....	\$104 00	

Trinity Cathedral for Diocesan Clergyman.....	\$ 9 00	
Paid.....	<hr/>	\$ 9 00

MONEY FOR SPECIALS REPORTED TO TREASURER.

Trinity Cathedral (Mrs. Clarkson) for Diocesan Clergyman.....	\$ 50 00	
Mrs. Worthington, Indian Chapel Genoa, Neb....	150 00	
	<hr/>	\$200 00
Total for General and Special Diocesan.....	\$749 50	

# RECEIVED FOR DOMESTIC MISSIONS.

Lincoln, Holy Trinity.....	\$ 3 50	
Nebraska City, St. Mary's.....	2 50	
Omaha, All Saints.....	10 00	
Omaha, Good Shepherd.....	2 50	
Omaha, St. Barnabas'.....	5 00	
Omaha, St. Matthias'.....	5 00	
Omaha, St. Philip's.....	5 00	
Omaha, Trinity Cathedral.....	25 00	
South Omaha, St. Martin's.....	5 00	
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		\$ 63 50
Paid Miss J. C. Emery.....	\$ 63 50	

# FOR SPECIAL DOMESTIC, REPORTED TO TREASURER.

For Bishop Rowe in Alaska.....	\$ 50 00	
Work in Southern Ohio.....	25 00	
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		\$ 75 00
Total for General and Special Domestic.....	\$138 50	

# RECEIVED FOR FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Central City, Christ Church.....	\$ 5 00	
Lincoln, Holy Trinity.....	3 50	
Nebraska City, St. Mary's.....	2 50	
Omaha, All Saints.....	5 00	
Omaha, Good Shepherd.....	2 50	
Omaha, St. Andrew's.....	2 00	
Omaha, St. Barnabas'.....	5 00	
Omaha, St. John's.....	5 00	
Omaha, St. Matthias.....	5 00	
Omaha, Trinity Cathedral.....	25 00	
Omaha, St. Philip's.....	2 50	
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		\$ 63 00
Paid Miss J. C. Emery.....	\$ 63 00	

# SPECIAL FOREIGN, MISS CRUMMER FUND.

Omaha, All Saints.....	\$ 10 00	
Omaha, St. Barnabas'.....	5 00	
Omaha, St. Matthias'.....	5 00	
Omaha, Trinity Cathedral.....	10 00	
South Omaha, St. Martin's.....	5 00	
Mrs. Worthington .....	15 00	
		\$ 50 00
Paid .....	\$ 50 00	

## EXPENSE ACCOUNT.

Offertories, Dec. 6, 1898, Quarterly Meeting.....	\$ 2 50	
Offertories, Feb. 1, 1899, Quarterly Meeting.....	10 20	
Offertories, Feb. 2, 1899, Quiet Day.....	4 05	
Diocesan Fee, Ashland, St. Mary's.....	1 00	
Diocesan Fee, Central City, Christ Church.....	1 00	
Diocesan Fee, Columbus, Grace Church .....	1 00	
Diocesan Fee, Omaha, All Saints.....	1 00	
Diocesan Fee, Omaha, Good Shepherd.....	1 00	
Diocesan Fee, Omaha, St. Barnabas' .....	1 00	
Diocesan Fee, Omaha, St. John's .....	1 00	
Diocesan Fee, Omaha, St. Matthias'.....	1 00	
Diocesan Fee, Omaha, Trinity Cathedral .....	1 00	
Diocesan Fee, South Omaha, St. Martin's.....	1 00	
Diocesan Fee, Lincoln, Holy Trinity .....	1 00	
Balance May 17, 1898.....	51 54	
		\$ 79 29

## EXPENDITURES.

McCoy Printing Co.....	\$ 21 00	
Stamps .....	2 00	
Balance .....	56 29	
		\$ 79 29
Total Receipts.....	\$1028 25	

Respectfully submitted,

KATHRYN A. RINGWALT,  
*Treasurer.*

## Box Report.

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BLAIR—St. Mary's	
1 box to Nebraska.....	\$ 5 00
CENTRAL CITY—Christ Church	
1 box to Alabama.....	24 00
LINCOLN—Holy Trinity	
3 boxes to Clarkson Hospital, value not given	
1 box to Virginia.....	35 00
1 box to Diocese of the Platte.....	10 00
	45 00
NEBRASKA CITY—St. Mary's	
1 box to Diocese of the Platte.....	20 00
OMAHA—All Saints	
1 box to Michigan. ....	12 00
OMAHA—St. Matthias'	
1 box to South Dakota.....	50 00
1 box to Nebraska .....	9 25
	59 25
OMAHA—Trinity Cathedral	
1 box to Nebraska .....	3 85
1 box to Montana.....	2 00
1 box to Nebraska .....	10 75
1 box to Michigan.....	25 00
1 box to Nebraska ...	9 25
1 box to South Dakota....	46 00
1 box to Nebraska .....	46 00
1 box to Nebraska .....	63 00
	205 85

OMAHA—Cathedral Juniors

1 box to South Dakota.....	\$ 16 50	
1 box to Nebraska .....	6 50	
		<hr/> \$ 23 00

SOUTH OMAHA—St. Martin's

1 box to South Dakota.....	1 00	
1 box to Nebraska .....	2 00	
1 box to Nebraska .....	60	
1 box to Nebraska .....	60	
1 box to Nebraska ..	75	
		<hr/> 4 95

Box total.....	\$ 399 05
By Treasurer's Report, Cash total.....	1001 00
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Grand total .....	\$1400 05

## Directions.

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1. Please decide upon the Missionary letters enclosed, and return, as soon as possible, those you do not wish to keep to the person from whom you received them.

2. Please write *at once* to the Missionary to whom you have decided to send your box, and tell him that you have undertaken it, how complete you think it likely to be, and how soon you hope to have it ready.

To comply with these requests will very much oblige the Missionary, your own Diocesan Officers, and the Secretary of the Auxiliary.

N. B.—The names of Missionaries to whom boxes are sent should never be printed in reports, parish papers or elsewhere.

The names of Missionaries should be omitted when their letters are read at the meetings of the Auxiliary.

If any clothing that has been worn is offered for a box, write to the Missionary for whom the box is being prepared, and ask if he would like to receive it for distribution in his parish, or for other purposes. Second-hand clothing for the personal use of a clergyman should never be substituted for new. If in excellent condition it may sometimes be sent in addition to new clothing, but its disposition should always be left to the discretion of the Missionary.

It seems unnecessary to add that no article of any kind should be put into a Missionary box that is not *absolutely whole and clean*.

In sending to the families of Missionaries it is desirable to pack in boxes rather than barrels.

JULIA C. EMERY, *Secretary*.

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Among the small branches where they have perhaps only five dollars to spend on material, very acceptable boxes can be prepared for our own Clarkson Hospital.

If any branches can make up boxes of second-hand clothing, there are Missions among the Colored people in the South that would gladly receive them. A very nice work for girls' Juniors is dressing dolls for the Christmas festivals.

Lists of boxes can be procured at any time by writing to the Secretary, though enough time should be allowed to get letters from Miss Emery in New York, where the list is kept.

MRS. ALBERT NOE, *Secretary*.

# Pledges for 1899 and 1900.

	DIOCESAN	DOMESTIC	FOREIGN	SPECIAL	TOTAL
Ashland, St. Stephen's.....	\$ 5 00	\$ 2 50		\$ 2 50	\$ 10 00
Blair, St. Mary's.....	10 00				10 00
Central City, Christ Church.....	8 00			2 50	10 50
Columbus, Grace Church.....	5 00				5 00
Lincoln, Holy Trinity.....	10 00	5 00	\$ 5 00		20 00
Nebraska City, St. Mary's.....	5 00	5 00	5 00		15 00
Omaha, All Saints.....	50 00	10 00	5 00		65 00
Omaha, Good Shepherd.....	25 00	2 50		2 50	30 00
Omaha, St. Andrew's.....	3 00		2 00		5 00
Omaha, St. Barnabas'.....	50 00	5 00	5 00		60 00
Omaha, St. John's.....	15 00		5 00	5 00	25 00
Omaha, St. Matthias'.....	20 00	5 00		5 00	30 00
Omaha, St. Philip's.....	25 00	2 50	2 50	5 00	35 00
Omaha, Trinity Cathedral.....	100 00	25 00	25 00		150 00
Plattsmouth, St. Luke's.....	10 00				10 00
South Omaha, St. Martin's.....	10 00	5 00		5 00	20 00
Miss Crummer.....				1 00	1 00
TOTALS.....	\$351 00	\$ 67 50	\$ 54 50	\$ 28 50	\$501 50

## Constitution.

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### ARTICLE I.

This society shall be called the NEBRASKA BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

### ARTICLE II.

The object of this society is fourfold: 1st. To diffuse missionary intelligence. 2nd. To increase missionary activity among the women of this diocese. 3rd. To unite previously existing societies in a common interest. 4th. To encourage the formation of new societies for missionary work.

### ARTICLE III.

All baptized women of the church in the diocese of Nebraska shall be considered members of this association.

### ARTICLE IV.

The officers of this society shall be a President and four Vice-Presidents, a Secretary and a Treasurer. These officers shall be chosen by ballot at the annual meeting. In case of a vacancy in any office, the same may be filled by appointment of the Bishop, and any person so appointed shall continue in office until the next annual meeting.

### ARTICLE V.

It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings of the association, to call special meetings of the same, and to countersign all drafts on the Treasurer.

#### ARTICLE VI.

It shall be the duty of the Vice-Presidents to preside in their several districts in the absence of the President, and it shall be the duty of the three rural Vice-Presidents to superintend the work of the Auxiliary in their respective districts.

#### ARTICLE VII.

The Secretary shall give notice of all meetings and conduct the correspondence of the society with missionaries, with the secretaries of the associated branches, and with the general secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary in New York. She shall keep a record of all meetings, prepare and keep a list of the names of all associated branches with their officers, and shall report the same once a year to the Bishop of the diocese and the general secretary in New York.

#### ARTICLE VIII.

It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive and keep account of all moneys contributed to the work of the association, to pay all drafts on the funds when countersigned by the President and present an annual report of the same.

#### ARTICLE IX.

An annual meeting of this association shall be held at the time and place of the Diocesan Council. Quarterly meetings shall be held at such time and place as the president shall direct. The officers or their proxies, of each associated branch, shall constitute a delegation to the general meetings of the association.

#### ARTICLE X.

Any parish society becomes a branch of the diocesan auxiliary by paying annually one dollar, which together with the offertories at the general meetings, shall constitute a contingent fund for defraying the necessary expenses of the diocesan branch.







