

New Jersey Branch
Woman's Auxiliary

Twenty-seventh Annual Report



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Suggestions to Parish Secretaries

Parochial Branches desiring Missionary letters should write to the Diocesan Vice-President of the branch of Missions for which they wish to work. In no case should parish secretaries write to the General Secretary for letters, as it complicates the annual reports and is unjust to the Diocesan officers who are supplied with letters.

Having selected a letter, return the others immediately, with full information as to the letter you have accepted, also the name of your parish and town. As a courtesy it is well to write at once to the writer of the accepted letter, stating your intention to work for him, thus giving him and his family the pleasure of knowing they are being remembered.

As soon as a box is sent, secretaries should report it, with its value, to the Vice-President in charge of that branch of work.

Names of parish secretaries should be sent to the Diocesan Secretary, as soon as they are elected.

All offerings for the United Offering, the Ten Cent Assessment Fund and the Systematic Missionary Fund should be sent to the Diocesan Treasurer.

All gifts of money for Missionaries, Hospitals, Schools or Missions should be sent to the Vice-President representing the branch of work for which the offering is intended or, if sent direct to the Missions House, New York or elsewhere, report the amount and object of your gift immediately to that officer, thus making sure of its appearance in the annual report.

Annual Pledges

Scarborough Scholarship, Mexico	- - -	\$ 80 00
Clarkson	“ “	80 00
Bowne	“ “	80 00
Kimura San	Japan	125 00
Salary of Matron, Rescue Mission,	- - -	300 00
“ Lace Teacher	- - -	300 00

TWENTY-SEVENTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

NEW JERSEY BRANCH

OF THE

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

TO THE

BOARD OF MISSIONS

AND

Diocesan Report

1902

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MRS. CHARLES M. STEWARD, Burlington

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Upper Division.

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Address

Parish Secretaries

Upper Division.

Asbury Park	Trinity Church	Miss H. B. Driggs, 307 First Ave.
Bound Brook	St. Paul's Church	Miss S. B. La Monte
" "	" "	Miss Augusta T. Tappan, Junior Aux.
Cranford	Trinity Church	Mrs. J. K. Dohoman
Dunellen	Holy Innocents' Church	Mrs. S. O. Sutton
"	" "	Miss Emma L. Nelson, Junior Aux.
Elizabeth	St. John's Church	Mrs. E. G. Putnam, 219 S. Broad St.
"	" "	Miss Marg't Olmstead, Jr. Aux. 434 Jeff. Av.
"	Trinity Church	Mrs. E. S. French, Morris Ave.
"	" "	Miss McAllister, Junior Aux., Hazzard Pl.
"	Christ Church	Miss K. G. Melville, 125 Westfield Ave.
"	" "	Mrs. Fred Davis, Jr. Aux., W. Grand St.
"	Grace Church	Mrs. J. B. Adams, 1108 Hampton Place
"	" "	Miss Orphea Stewart, Junior Auxiliary
"	Elizabeth Branch	Mrs. F. M. McAllister, 1255 Clinton Pl.
Fair Haven	Chap'l of the Holy Comm'n	Mrs. Lewis O. Chandler
Freehold	St. Peter's Church	Mrs. Charles Ellis
Lambertville	St. Andrew's Church	Miss E. T. B. Runk
"	" "	Miss E. T. B. Runk, Junior Auxiliary
Lakewood	All Saints' Memorial	Miss Randall, Penn Cottage
"	" "	Miss Cornelia B. Schwartz, Junior Aux.
Linden	Grace Church	
Little Silver	St. John's Church	Mrs. John H. Lippincott
Long Branch	St. James' Church	Mrs. H. C. Buckingham
Metuchen	St. Luke's Church	Miss Harriet Nutty
"	" "	Miss Anna Wilmont, Junior Auxiliary
Middletown	Christ Church	Miss Louise Hartshorne
Monmouth Junc.		Mrs. Augusta McCarty, Junior Auxiliary
Navesink	All Saints' Church	Mrs. David Westervelt
"	" "	Mrs. J. C. Lord, Junior Auxiliary
Netherwood	St. Stephen's Church	Mrs. S. S. Guion, 834 Carlton Ave.
New Brunswick	St. John's Church	Mrs. John Carpender
"	" "	Miss Catherine N. Carpender, Junior Aux.
"	Christ Church	Miss L. H. Swift
"	" "	Miss Mary Ferguson, Junior Auxiliary
North Plainfield	Church of the Holy Cross	Mrs. Dupee, Rockview Ave.
Perth Amboy	St. Peter's Church	Mrs. J. Thorne Golding, 182 High Street
"	" "	Mrs. J. Thorne Golding, Junior Auxiliary
Piscataway	St. James' Church	Miss N. Marten, Box 446, New Brunswick
Plainfield	Grace Church	Mrs. Van Alstyne, 950 Park Ave.
"	" "	Mrs. S. K. Monroe, Junior Auxiliary
"	Church of the Heavenly Rest	
Point Pleasant	St. Mary's Church	Mrs. T. C. Curtis, Junior Auxiliary

Upper Division--Continued.

Princeton . . .	Trinity Church . . .	Miss Adelia B. Leigh
" . . .	" " . . .	Miss Woodward, Junior Auxiliary
Rahway . . .	St. Paul's Church . . .	Mrs. George Moore, Main St.
" . . .	" " . . .	Mrs. Brearley, Junior Auxiliary
Red Bank . . .	Trinity Church . . .	Mrs. Theo. Sickles
" . . .	" " . . .	Mrs. Theo. Sickles, Junior Auxiliary
Roselle . . .	St. Luke's Church . . .	Mrs. G. A. Rawlins
Rumson Neck . . .	St. George's Church . . .	Mrs. H. Striker <i>Wm. A. Street, Seabright</i>
Scotch Plains . . .	All Saints' Church . . .	Miss Kyte
Sewaren . . .	St. John's Church . . .	Mrs. Robert G. Clarkson
Shrewsbury . . .	Christ Church . . .	Mrs. Anna V. Jennings
Somerville . . .	St. John's Church . . .	Mrs. J. H. Wilson
South Amboy . . .	Christ Church . . .	Mrs. Muirhied
" . . .	" " . . .	Miss Mariana Barnes, Junior Auxiliary
Trenton . . .	St. Michael's Church . . .	Miss Mary H. De Cou
" . . .	Trinity Church . . .	Mrs. G. W. Wood, 110 N. Stockton St.
" . . .	" " . . .	Miss A.R. Rickey, 215 N. Broad St., Jr. Aux.
" . . .	St. Paul's Church . . .	Mrs. J. McAlpin Harding
" . . .	Christ Church . . .	Miss Van Syckel, 125 Greenwood Ave.
" . . .	" " . . .	Miss E.D. Scudder, 138 W. State St., Jr. Aux.
Westfield . . .	St. Paul's Church . . .	Mrs. H. K. Frothingham, Dudley Ave.
Woodbridge . . .	Trinity Church . . .	Miss Jane Arrowsmith

Lower Division.

Atlantic City . . .	Church of the Ascension . . .	Mrs. J. P. Wilson, 17 S. Boston Ave.
" . . .	" " " . . .	Miss Anne Kohl, Junior Auxiliary
Beverly . . .	St. Stephen's Church . . .	Mrs. Alban Spooner
" . . .	" " " . . .	Mrs. C. E. Betticher, Junior Auxiliary
Bridgeton . . .	St. Andrew's Church . . .	
Burlington . . .	St. Mary's Church . . .	Mrs. S. B. Coughlin
" . . .	" " . . .	Mrs. Charles M. Steward, Junior Aux.
Burlington County Missions		Mrs. P. W. Stryker, Riverside
Camden . . .	St. Paul's Church . . .	Miss S. M. Carpenter, 38 W. Second St.
" . . .	" " . . .	Miss A. N. Daughten, Jr. Aux., 39 Penn St.
" . . .	St. John's Church . . .	Mrs. Wm. C. Albertson, 730 Berkeley St.
" . . .	Church of Our Saviour . . .	Mrs. M. E. Baxter, Ferry Ave., Fillmore St.
" . . .	St. Stephen's Church . . .	Mrs. W. H. Wiltsie, 721 Pearl St.
Chew's Landing	St. John's Church . . .	Miss E. Montgomery
Clarksboro . . .	St. Peter's Church . . .	Miss Alice Brown
Crosswicks . . .	Grace Church . . .	Mrs. John Braislin
" . . .	" " . . .	Miss Eveline B. Norcross, Junior Auxiliary
Delair . . .	Holy Trinity Church . . .	Mrs. Madville Bissout
Florence . . .	St. Stephen's Church . . .	Miss Mary A. L. Neilson
Gloucester . . .	Church of the Ascension . . .	Mrs. J. Chase Stinson
Haddonfield . . .	Grace Church . . .	Mrs. Mercier
Hammonton . . .	St. Mark's Church . . .	

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Lower Division—Continued.

Medford . . .	St. Peter's Church . . .	Mrs. Helen M. Duff
" . . .	" " . . .	Miss H. D. Brittain, Junior Auxiliary
Moorestown . .	Trinity Church . . .	Mrs. W. W. Hooten
" . . .	" " . . .	Miss E. P. Hooten, Junior Auxiliary
Mount Holly . .	S. Andrew's Church . . .	Miss Mary V. Campion, 28 Broad St.
" . . .	" " . . .	Mrs. Wm. B. Abbey, Junior Auxiliary
Merchantville . .	Grace Church . . .	Mrs. R. G. Moses
" . . .	" " . . .	Miss L. K. Antruir, Junior Auxiliary
Palmyra . . .	Christ Church . . .	Miss Lottie Carson
Pemberton . . .	Grace Church . . .	Miss Elizabeth S. Morris
Riverton . . .	Christ Church . . .	Miss Elsie W. Edwards
" . . .	" " . . .	Miss Anna W. James, Junior Auxiliary
Rancocas . . .	St. Peter's Church . . .	Mrs. S. E. Betticher
Salem . . .	St. John's Church . . .	Mrs. Anna D. Sinnickson
" . . .	" " . . .	Miss M. Emma Biddle, Junior Auxiliary
Swedesboro . .	Trinity Church . . .	Mrs. Charles D. Lippincott
Vincentown . .	" " . . .	Mrs. S. J. Woolman
Vineland . . .	" " . . .	Mrs. H. M. Johnson
" . . .	" " . . .	Mrs. Wm. H. Jarvis, Junior Auxiliary
Waterford . . .	Christ Church . . .	Mrs. Charles Moody
Woodbury . . .	" " . . .	Miss Lydia G. Pierson

Mrs. ANNIE BREWER *Mary R. Wora, 110* *Railway* *U. S. Stockton St.*

Secretary and Treasurer of the Babies' Branch
Mrs. W. S. JONES 114 W. State Street, Trenton

Secretary's Report

The twenty-seventh annual meeting of the New Jersey Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions was held in St. Mary's Church, Burlington, Thursday, April 24th, at 10.30 a. m. In the celebration of the Holy Communion the Bishop was assisted by the Rev. Mr. Olmsted, rector of St. Mary's Church and the Rev. Mr. Rodrick, rector of St. Paul's Church, Camden. The Rev. Mr. Olmsted extended a most cordial welcome to the Auxiliary in behalf of his parish and especially of Miss Kelley, whose guests at luncheon the delegates were to be. The Bishop, after a few encouraging words about the work in general, introduced the Rev. Mr. Rodrick, who paid a glowing tribute to the late Mrs. Shubrick, followed by an address on the Church's Mission Work in Brazil, explaining the origin of the American Missionary

Society, and how the work in Brazil came to be started by that Body.

At twelve o'clock the business meeting was organized, Mrs. Clark presiding. Over one hundred and fifty delegates responded to the roll call. The minutes of the previous annual meeting, also those of the last two executive meetings were read and approved. Tellers were appointed by the President to collect and count the ballots, after which the meeting adjourned for luncheon. For the first time since its organization the New Jersey Branch was the guest, at luncheon, of an individual. Miss Kelley, a member of St. Mary's Church, and our librarian of the Lower Division, had invited the members of the Auxiliary to come to Burlington as her guests and those present enjoyed a most bountiful hospitality, dispensed by a gracious and cordial hostess. The vote of thanks proposed by the Bishop was warmly responded to.

At 1.30 the afternoon session of the business meeting was opened.

The report of the tellers appointed to count the ballots was presented and read by the President; the ticket offered by the nominating committee was unanimously elected.

The President reported the proceedings of an executive meeting held at noon, at which it was suggested to amend Article V. of the Constitution so as to provide for a vice-president of the Babies' Branch. A motion was offered by Miss Tweedy, seconded by Mrs. Abbey, that such a change be made. The President put the question before the meeting and the motion as adopted by the executive committee was unanimously carried.

A proposition to hold, on May 13th, at the Mission House, Trenton, a Conference of Diocesan Officers with the Secretaries and members of Parochial branches, was approved.

The Treasurer's report was read and accepted, also those of the several Vice-Presidents as follows:

Domestic Missions	.....	.....	\$3260 50
Foreign	"	.....	1098 95
Indian	"	.....	1309 34
Freedman	"	.....	899 50
Mexican	"	.....	263 50
Diocesan	"	.....	757 59

The Junior Auxiliary reported two new branches organized and gifts of money \$285.55; value of boxes sent \$452.00; adding to this \$66.43 given by the Babies' Branch, makes a total of \$803.98, all included in the above figures.

The Systematic Missionary Fund, \$29.00, was unanimously given to the Board of Missions.

Miss Carter made a short address on her work among the Indian women and exhibited the gold medal awarded to her lace exhibit at the Paris Exposition.

The meeting accepted, with much regret, the resignation of Mrs. Betticher as Vice-President of Indian Missions, and, by a rising vote, expressed its appreciation of Mrs. Betticher's three years of faithful and efficient service, and regret that she felt it necessary to give up the work.

The Bishop spoke of the great loss the New Jersey Branch had sustained in the death of Mrs. Shubrick and proposed a resolution of sympathy from the meeting to her husband. It was unanimously carried and the Secretary was requested to convey the same to Mr. Shubrick.

The nominating committee appointed by the President to serve for the ensuing year, Miss Melville, Mrs. Hooten, Miss Carpenter and Mrs. Rutgers.

Respectfully submitted,

HATTIE P. TAGGART,

Secretary.

New Jersey Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary
Treasurer's Report

1901-1902

Contingent Fund

Receipts

Cash on hand, April 25th, 1901	.....	\$33 51
Received from Offertory, Annual Meeting	.....	17 12
" " Offertories, Upper Division Meetings	.....	53 27
" " Lower " "	.....	25 30
Total	.....	<u>\$129 20</u>

Disbursements

Paid for Printing Annual Reports	\$45 00
" " Postage, Printing and Stationery	15 12
" " Traveling Expenses of Speakers	8 00
	Total
Balance on hand	\$68 12
	61 08
	\$129 20

Systematic Missionary Fund

Receipts

Received from Elizabeth, St. John's Church	\$2 00
" " " Trinity Church	4 00
" " " Christ Church	2 50
" " New Brunswick, St. John's Church	2 00
" " " Christ Church	3 00
" " Plainfield, Grace Church	2 00
" " Roselle, St. Luke's Church	2 00
" " Shrewsbury, Christ Church	2 00
" " Somerville, St. John's Church	2 00
" " Trenton, St. Michael's Church	2 00
" " Sewaren, St. John's Church	2 00
" " Westfield, St. Paul's Church	2 00
" " Woodbridge, Trinity Church	2 00
Total	\$29 50

Disbursements

Paid for General Missions \$29 50

TEN CENT ASSESSMENT FUND

Receipts

Allentown, Christ Church	\$0 50
Asbury Park, Trinity Church	4 65
Atlantic City, Church of the Ascension	2 00
Beverly, St. Stephen's Church	4 00
Burlington Co. Missions	2 50
" St. Mary's Church	2 50
Bound Brook, St. Paul's Church	4 00
Camden, St. Paul's Church	6 10
" St. John's Church	4 00
Crosswick's, Grace Church	1 00
Cranford, Trinity Church	2 50
Delair, Holy Trinity Church	1 10
Elizabeth, St. John's Church	7 00
" Trinity Church	6 75
" Christ Church	5 00
Elizabeth, Grace Church	4 70
Florence, St. Stephen's Church	2 50
Haddonfield, Grace Church	1 20
Lakewood, All Saints' Church	3 50
Lambertville, St. Andrew's Church	2 00
Little Silver, St. John's Church	2 00
Metuchen, St. Luke's Church	3 00
Merchantville, Grace Church	2 60
Middletown, Christ Church	1 10
Mt. Holly, St. Andrew's Church	6 00
Medford, St. Peter's Church	1 80
Moorestown, Trinity Church	3 30

TEN CENT ASSESSMENT FUND—Continued

Navesink, All Saints' Church	\$ 2 40
North Plainfield, Church of Holy Cross	2 60
New Brunswick, Christ Church	5 00
" St. John's Church	2 50
Perth Amboy, St. Peter's Church	2 50
Plainfield, Grace Church	5 00
Princeton, Trinity Church	2 00
Rahway, St. Paul's Church	2 90
Red Bank, Trinity Church	2 00
Riverton, Christ Church	4 30
Roselle, St. Luke's Church	1 00
Scotch Plains, All Saints' Church	1 25
Salem, St. John's Church	5 00
Sewaren, St. John's Church	2 50
Shrewsbury, Christ Church	2 00
Somerville, St. John's Church	3 90
Trenton, St. Paul's Church	3 00
" St. Michael's Church	5 00
" Christ Church	4 45
" Trinity Church	3 00
Vineland, Trinity Church	1 00
Vincentown, Trinity Church	2 00
Woodbury, Christ Church	4 35
Westfield, St. Paul's Church	2 00
Woodbridge, Trinity Church	2 00
Total	\$160 85

Disbursements

Paid for Miss Carter's work	\$ 87 00
" General Missions	20 50
" Mexican Missions	20 00
" Associate Mission House, Trenton	20 00
" Church Missions Publishing House	10 00
Total	\$157 50
Balance on hand	3 35
	\$160 85

United Offering of 1901

	MAY TO OCT. 1901	3 YEARS OFFERING
Asbury Park, Trinity Church	\$ 26 79	\$ 75 17
Atlantic City, Church of the Ascension		6 40
Bound Brook, St. Paul's Church	30 00	30 00
Beverly, St. Stephen's Church	30 65	90 05
Burlington, St. Mary's Church	21 71	74 92
" St. Barnabas' Church		1 49
Camden, St. Paul's Church	2 00	132 80
Chew's Landing, St. John's Church	14 00	14 00
Elizabeth, St. John's Church	77 00	94 87
" " Church, Junior Auxiliary	5 00	
" Trinity Church	35 70	62 99
" Christ Church	76 72	163 72
" Grace Church		7 44
" Branch, Miss Tomes		4 60
Florence, St. Stephen's Church	4 50	20 92
Haddonfield, Grace Church	8 00	33 00
" " Church, Junior Auxiliary	25 00	

United Offering (Continued)

	MAY TO OCT. 1901	3 YEARS OFFERING
Hammonton, St. Mark's Church	3 00	3 00
Lakewood, All Saints' Memorial		133 47
Metuchen, St. Luke's Church	10 85	10 85
Moorestown, Trinity Church	18 00	34 06
Mount Holly, St. Andrew's Church	10 32	10 32
" " Trinity Church		29 05
Merchantville, Grace Church	26 80	26 80
Navesink, All Saints' Church	21 00	21 00
Netherwood, St. Stephen's Church		22 07
New Brunswick, Christ Church	61 30	165 92
" " St. John the Evangelist	46 75	86 25
North Plainfield, Church of the Holy Cross	9 87	9 87
Perth Amboy, St. Peter's Church	8 00	41 64
Plainfield, Grace Church	70 41	96 72
Princeton, Trinity Church	40 00	40 00
Rahway, St. Paul's Church	10 00	10 00
Rd Bank, Trinity Church	18 00	18 00
Riverton, Christ Church	50 38	72 29
Salem, St. John's Church	129 55	135 55
Sewaren, St. John's Church	8 25	16 25
Shrewsbury, Christ Church	8 00	8 00
Somerville, St. John's Church		27 35
Trenton, St. Michael's Church	10 00	20 00
" " St. Paul's Church	3 00	7 50
" " Christ Church	15 00	15 00
Vineland, Trinity Church		7 00
Vincentown, " "		5 00
Westfield, St. Paul's Church		10 00
Mrs. E. C. Johnston	25 00	25 00
Through Miss Emery	58 07	58 07
Total	\$1018 62	<u>\$1978 21</u>

United Offering of 1904

Atlantic City, Church of the Ascension	\$ 3 00
Burlington, St. Mary's Church	17 05
" " St. Barnabas' Church	75
Camden, St. Paul's Church	38 50
Elizabeth, Trinity Church	1 24
" " Grace Church	6 14
Trenton, St. Michael's Church	5 00
Total	<u>\$71 68</u>

Summary

Money and Boxes sent from different departments	\$7860 35
Offerteries at Meetings	95 67
Ten Cent Assessment Fund	160 85
Systematic Missionary Fund	29 50
United Offering from May, 1901 to October, 1901	1018 62
" " of 1904	71 68
Total	<u>\$9236 67</u>

Respectfully submitted,

ISABEL TWEEDY,
Treasurer.

President's Address

Our Fall Division meetings were held in November on account of the General Convention at San Francisco. The Upper Division met in Grace Church, Plainfield, where we were beautifully entertained by the ladies of that city.

The return of our delegates from the convention made the meeting full of interest.

The Lower Division met in St. John's, Camden. There also those who had enjoyed the Woman's Auxiliary meetings, the church services, particularly the United Offering and the inspiration which it afforded, told us of their enjoyment of the General Convention and all the benefits received from their trip.

The sadness caused by the death of Mrs. Twing; the funeral so truly in the midst of the whole Auxiliary, Bishops and delegates, as told by Mrs. Neilson, was most affecting.

For the first time we were obliged to have these meetings without our Bishop.

In February the parochial branch of St. John the Evangelist, New Brunswick, entertained the Upper Division and the Lower Division meeting was held at Riverton.

Both of these meetings showed the enthusiasm derived from the Western trip, and much work had been undertaken on account of that influence. The sad loss to our Branch of our dear friend Mrs. Shubrick, whose death occurred at Riverton, will ever be remembered and her last words, as in answer to the subject of more spirituality in our gifts to the cause of Missions were: "God will show us a way."

The work of Missions in our New Jersey Branch, if not financially greater than last year, has shown more decided zeal in all that has been reported. Two years ago there was held in New York City the most remarkable conference upon Missions ever heard in our Western world. The gathering together of the delegates was a wonderful sight. This gathering was to welcome Missionaries of all christian denominations from many lands,

who had gone to distant countries to tell of the news of the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ, and now come to tell of some results of their work. It was truly historic, and we listened with bated breath to the words of those veterans as they spoke of what God had wrought.

During the past year our whole country has been stirred by the later volunteer movement of the students, who represented fifty denominations from all parts of our continent and showing the rapid growth of Missionary spirit in many hearts.

At the close of their conference, when one hundred and fifty young men and women rose to signify their determination to dedicate their lives to the Foreign Fields, God's Spirit hovered over the vast assembly.

Bishop Thoburn, of India, told these consecrated ones that they must show forth in their lives Christ, as that was their special commission for the work.

May we not take for our motto his words, and show daily "More of Christ," and "less of self." Surely the blessings of such conferences have brought to us a new baptism of the Spirit of Missions, and from our midst may some go forth who will devote their lives to the service of their Master.

A few words now about our future work. We know that all the Rectors have received their appointment of dues expected by the Board of Missions. Our Bishop has written that their answers were very encouraging to him. We also, in the Woman's Auxiliary, have had every Mission in our Diocese and each parish enumerated. Every gift of the last year has been shown to us and our work mentioned as satisfactory. The gift to the school in Shanghai has been appreciated and the memorial of \$15,000 has been accomplished. Indeed it only took two months to make up this amount in all the Dioceses of our Church. So all must thank God and take courage for future efforts.

Through the kindness and courtesy of our Bishop a new place for general conferences of our workers has been made possible. While our Division meetings are of great benefit as showing us the work we ought to do,

while the various speakers stimulate our efforts, the officers of our Branch feel that we need the constant co-operation of all the parochial secretaries and their constituents. We need to come together, to see each other face to face, and to understand the minutia of our work. There is little time for discussion at the larger meetings, and it has been proposed that we meet in a more central place, with less outlay and expense.

On the second Tuesday in the month, which is Board of Missions day for our Bishop, he has made us welcome to his room in the Associate Missions House. There for an afternoon conference, from two to four o'clock, we may be able to discuss our work and seek direction and help about it. We shall come nearer to each other, and nearer to the Diocesan center; we may be able to find new channels of work and interest for the future.

We may not have many at a time but the officers will try to be present at these meetings and glad to tell of the needs of each Branch of work. Also there will be no entertainment to take up our time and distract our thoughts from work. We hope to inaugurate the new plan upon the second Tuesday in May, and as the Convention will meet in Trenton on that day, more may be with us to arrange for the work of the summer and decide how best to raise our share of this apportionment to relieve the Board of their deficit.

Faithfully yours,

S. H. CLARK,
President.

Parish Report

ASBURY PARK—TRINITY CHURCH.

Box to a Catechist in South Dakota	\$.61 00
Domestic Missions	10 00
Foreign " Twing Memorial	5 00
Freedmen "	5 00
Mexican "	5 00
" from a Member	50
Diocesan " Associate work	5 00
	<u>\$91 50</u>

ATLANTIC CITY—CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.

Box to Mrs. Clark, Clarkston, Va.	\$.20 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	3 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
	<u>\$28 00</u>

BEVERLY—ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH.

Box to a Catechist in South Dakota	\$.75 00
Box to a School in Wyoming	9 70
Salary of Lace Teacher	5 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
Kimura San	4 00
Domestic Missions	5 00
Foreign " Twing Memorial	10 00
Mexican "	5 00
Mexican " through Mrs. Craig	16 00
Diocesan "	5 00
" St. Stephen's Guild	5 00
	<u>\$144 70</u>

BOUND BROOK—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Box to Rev. Mr. Wetmore, for School at Arden, N. C.	\$.20 00
Box to a Catechist in South Dakota	24 50
Salary of Lace Teacher	5 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
Kimura San	5 00
Bishop Payne Divinity School	1 00
Mexican Missions	5 00
	<u>\$65 50</u>

BURLINGTON—ST. MARY'S CHURCH.

Box to a Clergyman in West Virginia	\$.84 69
Box to a School, Shoshone Agency, Wyo.	16 32
Salary of Lace Teacher	4 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	6 00
Kimura San, from a Member	1 00
Bishop Odenheimer Scholarship	5 00
Good Samaritan Hospital, Charlotte, N. C.	4 00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial	26 00
Mexican "	5 00
Diocesan "	2 00
	<u>\$154 01</u>

BURLINGTON CO. MISSIONS.

Salary of Lace Teacher	\$.2 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	2 00
Kimura San	3 00
	<u>\$7 00</u>

CAMDEN—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Salary of Lace Teacher	\$3 00
" " " a S. S. Class	1 00
	<u>\$4 00</u>

CAMDEN—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Box to a Clergyman in Nebraska	\$ 76 11
" the Rev. Mr. Wetmore's work, N. C.	8 00
" School at Shoshone Agency, Wyo.	24 40
" for Archdeacon Joyner's work	125 40
Salary of Lace Teacher	33 00
Kimura San	5 00
To Rev. Mr. Wetmore, for School Benches	10 00
To Rev. Mr. Wetmore	1 00
St. Lydia's Guild to Mrs. Chester, New Bern, North Carolina	3 00
To Brazil	40 25
To Dr. Woodward's Hospital, Nanking, China	1 00
Chinese Bible Woman	16 00
Dr. Garrison Scholarship	25 75
Postage on Periodicals	9 42
Foreign Missions, General	10 00
" " from Miss S. M. Carpenter	10 00
" " Twing Memorial	18 00
" " Cape Mount, Africa	10 00
Freedmen " Archdeacon Joyner's work	10 00
" " Rev. Mr. Cassell's work, Brunswick, Ga.	1 00
Mexican Missions, General	25 00
" " Hooker Orphanage	21 00
Diocesan " Bishop's Trust Fund	20 00
	<u>\$503 33</u>

CRANFORD—TRINITY CHURCH.

Box to Miss Mills, Ashland, Nebraska	\$35 00
" daughter of a Clergyman in Texas	40 00
" St. Luke's Hospital, Denver, Colo.	7 34
" Catechist, South Dakota	3 39
To Houston Street Mission, New York	5 00
For an Orphan, Mr. Osuga's Orphanage, Japan	10 00
To St. James' Church, Fort Karet, Texas	5 00
General Missions	2 00
Foreign " Twing Memorial	5 00
Mexican "	5 00
Diocesan " Bishop's Trust Fund	5 00
" " St. Bernard's, Gladstone	5 00
	<u>\$127 73</u>

CROSSWICKS—GRACE CHURCH.

To Church at Dorothy	\$2 00	\$2 00
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DUNELLEN—CHURCH OF THE HOLY INNOCENTS.

Box to a Catechist in South Dakota	\$5 00	\$5 00
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ELIZABETH—ELIZABETH BRANCH.

Easter Gift to Rev. T. C. Wetmore's School, Arden, S. C., from two Members	\$ 5 00
Box to St. Bernard's Mission, Gladstone	66 16

Kimura San, from a Member	\$ 10 00
Diocesan Missions, from a Member	115 00
Freedmen Missions	10 00
	<u>\$206 16</u>

ELIZABETH—CHRIST CHURCH.

Box to a Clergyman in Texas	\$205 00
" St. Bernard's School, Gladstone	48 40
Salary of Lace Teacher	10 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
St. Agnes Hospital, Raleigh, N. C.	5 00
Kimura San	5 00
General Missions	50 00
Foreign " Twing Memorial, from	
Miss Melville	5 00
Mexican Missions	5 00
" " not reported in 1901	5 00
Diocesan " Bishop's Trust Fund	10 00
" Associate work	5 00
	<u>\$358 40</u>

ELIZABETH—GRACE CHURCH.

Box to St. Bernard's School, Gladstone	\$10 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	2 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	2 00
Kimura San	5 00
Diocesan Missions	5 00
	<u>\$24 00</u>

ELIZABETH—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Box to a Clergyman in Virginia	\$248 57
Salary of Lace Teacher	5 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
Kimura San	5 00
" " from a Member	20 00
Foreign Aid Com. to Hospital, Tokyo, Japan	10 00
" " for Margaret Brewster	
Scholarship	24 00
Foreign Aid Com. for Miss Higgins' work,	
Cape Palmas, Africa	25 00
Foreign Aid Com. to Orphan Asylum, Cape	
Palmas, Africa	50 00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial, Foreign	
Aid Com.	5 25
Foreign Missions, Twing Mem., Mrs. S. A. Clark	5 25
Freedmen Missions, Mrs. S. A. Clark	10 00
Mexican " Bowne Scholarship	10 00
" " Clarkson Scholarship,	
from a Member	10 00
	<u>\$433 07</u>

ELIZABETH—TRINITY CHURCH.

Box to Rev. Mr. Wetmore's School, Arden, N. C.	\$33 25
" a Catechist in South Dakota	10 00
" a Clergyman in Georgia	15 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	10 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
Kimura San	10 00
T. R. White 3d, for Olga Randolph White	
Scholarship, China	25 00

T. R. White and Olga Randolph White for Foreign Missions	\$100 00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial	29 25
Mexican " Clarkson Scholarship from a Member	5 00
Mexican Missions	15 00
Diocesan "	10 00
	<u>\$267 50</u>

FAIRVIEW—TRINITY CHURCH.

Box for the Rev. Mr. Wetmore's work, N. C.	\$10 00
" School, Shoshone Agency, Wyoming	10 00
	<u>\$20 00</u>

FLORENCE—ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH.

Box to a School, Shoshone Agency, Wyoming	\$13 60
Cotta for a Lay Reader in Oklahoma	5 00
For Bishop Payne Divinity School	5 00
Chinese Bible Woman	2 00
Kimura San	2 00
Bishop Odenheimer Scholarship from a Mem- ber of St. Ann's Guild	2 00
Salary of Matron, Rescue Mission, from a Member of St. Ann's Guild	5 00
Indian Missions	5 00
Foreign " two Members, Twing Memorial	1 00
Mexican " a member for Hooker School	5 00
	<u>\$45 60</u>

FREEHOLD—ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

Foreign Missions, from Mrs. D. McLean Forman	\$5 20
	<u>\$5 20</u>

HADDONFIELD—GRACE CHURCH.

Box to the Rev. Mr. Wetmore's work, N. C.	\$12 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	3 00
	<u>\$15 00</u>

LAKEWOOD—ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.

Box to a Missionary in North Dakota	\$281 20
" an Indian Mission	111 10
Cassock for a Clergyman	13 50
Salary of Lace Teacher	10 00
Diocesan Missions	25 00
	<u>\$440 80</u>

LAMBERTVILLE—ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

Box to Bishop Hare	\$15 00
" St. Mary's Home, Baltimore, Md.	17 50
" Deaconess H. Annie Pen	40 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	5 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission, Systematic giving	5 00
Mexican Missions, Systematic giving	5 00
Diocesan " Associate work	15 00
Olga Randolph White Scholarship, China	25 00
	<u>\$127 50</u>

MERCHANTVILLE—GRACE CHURCH.

Box to a Mission in Maryland	\$10 00
" Archdeacon Joyner's work	8 00
" a School, Shoshone Agency, Wyo.	25 75

Salary of Lace Teacher	\$ 5 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	3 00
Kimura San	1 00
General Missions	19 65
Mexican "	3 00
	<u>\$75 40</u>

METUCHEN—ST. LUKE'S CHURCH.

Box to Christ Church Home, South Amboy	\$12 00
Bbl. apples to Missions House, Trenton	4 00
Bbl. fruit " " "	5 00
	<u>\$21 00</u>

MIDDLETOWN—CHRIST CHURCH.

Box to St. Bernard's School, Gladstone	\$9 50
Salary of Lace Teacher	2 50
" Matron, Rescue Mission	1 00
Domestic Missions	3 00
Diocesan "	1 50
Kimura San	1 00
	<u>\$18 50</u>

MOORESTOWN—TRINITY CHURCH.

Box to St. Paul's School, Lawrenceville, Va.	\$37 00
A Scholarship under Archdeacon Joyner	5 00
Bishop Payne Divinity School	3 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	5 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	4 50
Kimura San	5 00
Bishop Odenheimer Scholarship	2 00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial, Mrs. and Miss Hooten	5 00
Diocesan Missions, Bishop's Trust Fund	20 00
	<u>\$86 50</u>

MOUNT HOLLY—ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH.

Box to a Clergyman in Virginia	\$120 50
" Mission at Clarkton, Virginia	65 00
" Church Home in Tennessee	5 00
" School in Wyoming	17 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	10 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
Kimura San	10 00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial	5 00
Mexican "	10 00
" Clarkson Scholarship, 1901, not reported before	13 00
Mexican Missions, Clarkson Scholarship, from a Member	2 00
Mexican Missions, Easter Offering, from a Member	5 00
Diocesan Missions	10 00
	<u>\$277 50</u>

NAVESINK—ALL SAINTS' CHURCH.

Box to School of St. Mary the Virgin, Nashville, Tenn.	\$98 00
Mexican Missions, from a Member	2 00
	<u>\$100 00</u>

NEW BRUNSWICK—CHRIST CHURCH.

Box to a Clergyman in Montana	\$187	71
" Cape Palmas, Clothing	24	00
" of Books to Grace Church, Chillicothe Mission	25	00
Suit for Catechist from Mrs. Stevens	16	50
Salary of Lace Teacher	12	00
" Miss Mason, China, G. F. S.	10	00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	3	00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial	4	50
" " Miss Higgins' work	22	00
Mexican " Bowne Scholarship	5	00
		\$309 71

NEW BRUNSWICK—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Box to Good Shepherd Mission, Morganton, N.C.	\$115	80
" Children of a Clergyman in N. C.	58	00
Salary of Lace Teacher	5	00
" Miss Mason, China, G. F. S.	10	00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5	50
Kimura San	3	00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial	8	00
Mexican " Bowne Scholarship	5	00
Diocesan "	8	00
		\$218 30

NORTH PLAINFIELD—CHURCH OF THE HOLY CROSS.

Box to a Clergyman in South Dakota	\$277	00
" Missions for poor Whites, Spencer, N.C.	41	53
" Catechist in South Dakota	38	50
" Fire Sufferers, Jacksonville, Fla.	100	00
Cash to " " " "	31	20
" Bishop Bowne's work in Arkansas	25	00
Mexican Missions	5	00
Diocesan "	10	00
" " Bishop's Trust Fund	8	50
		\$536 73

PERTH AMBOY—ST. PETER'S CHURCH.

Box to Good Samaritan Hospital, Charlotte, N.C.	\$25	22
" School of St. Mary the Virgin, Nashville, Tenn.	18	55
Box to Christ Church Home, South Amboy	7	50
" " " " Easter, from G.F.S.	6	00
Salary of Miss Mason, China, from G. F. S.	1	00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	2	00
Kimura San	4	00
		\$64 27
PISCATAWAY—ST. JAMES' CHURCH.		
Foreign Missions, Africa	\$11	00
		\$11 00

PLAINFIELD—GRACE CHURCH.

Box to a Clergyman in Colorado	\$143	12
" Sunday School, Staunton, Va.	52	70
" St. Luke's Hospital, Denver, Colo.	37	22
" " Augustine's School, Raleigh, G.F.S.	3	20
" Missions House, Trenton	30	42
Donation to box for Indian Catechist from Miss Tweedy	2	70

To a Clergyman in Colorado	\$5 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	5 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
Kimura San	5 00
To St. Paul's School, Lawrenceville, Va., Miss Florence Tweedy	10 00
To St. Augustine's School, Raleigh, N. C., Miss Mary Tweedy	10 00
To Archdeacon Joyner's work, Miss Isabel Tweedy	10 00
Agnes Rodman Scholarship, St. Mary's, S. D.	60 00
Foreign Missions, Systematic giving	30 00
" Twing Mem., Mrs. Tiffany	5 00
" " " Miss Tweedy	5 00
" " " Miss M. Tweedy	5 00
Freedmen " Systematic giving	25 00
" " from Members of Auxiliary	15 00
Mexican " Systematic giving	20 00
" " Clarkson Scholarship from a Member	5 00
Lillie B. Ferry Schlp., Africa, from Mrs. Ferry	25 00
	<u>\$514 36</u>

PRINCETON—TRINITY CHURCH.

Box to Catechist in South Dakota	\$50 00
For Bishop Rowe's work in Alaska	5 00
" Archdeacon Joyner's work	10 00
To St. Augustine's School, Raleigh, N. C.	12 00
Salary of Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
To Church at Monmouth Junction	10 00
Louise C. Tuthill Scholarship, China	40 00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial	5 00
Diocesan " Associate work	25 00
	<u>\$162 00</u>

RAHWAY—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Domestic Missions	\$11 00
Foreign "	10 00
" " Orphanage, Tokyo, Japan	20 00
" " Orphan in India	15 00
" " Twing Memorial	2 00
Mexican "	10 00
To Trinity Church Mission, Norfolk, Neb.	2 00
Chair for a Colored Cripple	12 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	5 00
	<u>\$87 00</u>

RED BANK—TRINITY CHURCH.

Box to Missions House, Columbia, S. C.	\$25 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	5 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
Kimura San	5 00
	<u>\$40 00</u>

RIVERSIDE—MEMORIAL CHAPEL.

Christmas box to the Rev. Mr. Wetmore's work	\$50 00
Box to School, Shoshone Agency, Wyoming	15 00

RIVERTON—CHRIST CHURCH.

Box to a Clergyman in Iowa	\$139 38
" Oneida Indians	18 90
" Good Samaritan Hospital, Charlotte, N.C.	22 50
Cash to " " " "	2 50
To Bishop Payne Divinity School	10 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	5 00
Bishop Odenheimer Scholarship	23 00
Chinese Bible Woman	2 00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial	2 00
Mexican " "	5 00
Diocesan " Bishop's Trust Fund	20 00
	<u>\$250 28</u>

SALEM—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Box for two Sons of a Clergyman	\$36 00
" to Mission at Dorothy	15 00
" So. Carolina from Miss Starr's S. S.	
Class of Boys	15 00
Box to St. Augustine's School, Raleigh, N. C.	10 00
To Bishop Payne Divinity School	3 00
Bishop Odenheimer Scholarship	5 00
Mexican Missions, Clarkson Scholarship	3 00
Diocesan " "	10 00
	<u>\$97 00</u>

SEWAREN—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Box to Archdeacon Spurr's work, W. Virginia	\$20 00
" for Miss Carter's work	15 00
" to St. Augustine's, Raleigh, N. C.	20 00
" Supplies to Flower Mission, New York	10 00
To Archdeacon Spurr	2 00
To the Rev. Mr. Daggett, a rug for Parish room	10 00
To the Rev. Mr. Wetmore, North Carolina	20 00
St. Augustine's School from Mrs. R. G. Clarkson	4 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	10 00
Foreign Missions, Twing Mem., Mrs. Clarkson	2 00
Diocesan " "	10 00
	<u>\$123 00</u>

SHREWSBURY—CHRIST CHURCH.

Box to the Home of the Merciful Saviour, Phil.	\$30 00
Cash " " " " "	
from Mrs. W. B. Brewster	5 00
Kimura San	5 00
Mexican Missions	2 00
Diocesan " Associate work	6 00
	<u>\$48 00</u>

SHEDAKERS—CHAPEL OF THE REDEEMER.

Box for the Rev. Mr. Wetmore's work, N. C.	\$15 00
Box to School, Shoshone Agency, Wyoming	5 50
	<u>\$20 50</u>

SOMERVILLE—ST. JOHN'S CHURCH.

Box to a Clergyman in Minnesota	\$194 09
" Missionary in South Dakota	55 00

Salary of Lace Teacher	\$10 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
Kimura San	5 00
To St. Agnes' Hospital, Raleigh, N. C.	5 00
General Missions	20 00
Mexican "	10 00
Diocesan " Bishop's Trust Fund	5 00 \$309 09

SOUTH AMBOY—CHRIST CHURCH.

Box to School of St. Mary the Virgin, Nashville, Tenn.	\$18 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	3 00
" Miss Mason, China, G. F. S.	2 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	3 00
Mexican Missions	3 00
Diocesan "	3 00
" " Associate work	15 00 \$47 00

TRENTON—CHRIST CHURCH.

Box for two daughters of a clergyman in Virginia	\$40 00
Toward a Suit for a Catechist from Miss Van Syckle	10 00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial, from Mrs. Scarborough	5 00 \$55 00

TRENTON—ST. MICHAEL'S CHURCH.

Box to a Clergyman in Virginia	\$75 00
" " North Carolina	15 00
To the Rev. H. M. Traggitt, S. D.	5 00
Salary of Lace Teacher	3 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	2 00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial	3 00 \$103 00

TRENTON—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Salary of Lace Teacher	\$5 00
" Matron, Rescue Mission	5 00
Diocesan Missions, Bishop's Trust Fund	5 00 \$15 00

VINCENTOWN—TRINITY CHURCH.

Box to a Lace Teacher	\$29 66 \$29 66
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VINELAND—TRINITY CHURCH.

Box to Christ School, Arden, N. C.	\$22 00
" School, Shoshone Agency, Wyoming	15 64 \$37 64

WESTFIELD—ST. PAUL'S CHURCH.

Diocesan Missions, Associate work	\$12 00
St. Bernard's School, Gladstone	20 00 \$32 00

WOODBURY—CHRIST CHURCH.

To St. Matthias' School, Asheville, N. C., Systematic Offering for Maps	\$5 00
Foreign Missions, Twing Memorial	2 50
Mexican "	6 00 \$13 50

MISCELLANEOUS.

Ten Cent Assessment to Indian Missions . . .	\$87 00
" " " General " . . .	20 50
" " " Mexican " . . .	20 00
" " " Associate " House	20 25
" " " Church Missions Publishing House	10 00
Babies' Branch to Freedmen Missions	16 63
" " " Foreign " . . .	16 60
" " " Indian " . . .	16 60
" " " Diocesan " . . .	16 60
Diocesan Missions, from a Friend	25 00
Mrs. Ezra Bowen for Archdeacon Joyner	5 00
Mrs. Thos. R. White for St. Augustine's School	5 00
Mrs. Taggart for Salary of Matron	1 00
" " " Clarkson Mem. Scholarship	2 00
" " " box to Little Widows, India	12 00
Mrs. Ellis, Burlington, for Mexican Missions	5 00
Johnson & Johnson, New Brunswick, Hospital Supplies for Africa	10 00
Mrs. Odenheimer for Mexican Missions	<u>1 00</u> \$290 18

Junior Report

The Annual Conference of Junior Branch Officers and representatives of affiliated, G. F. S. Branches strikes the keynote of special aim for the following Winter.

The Conference met on the 26th of October in the Associate Mission House, Trenton. A lofty and spiritual ideal was set forth in an address by Mrs. E. C. Grice and the discussion for practical application was heartily entered into by the many members present. For the spiritualizing of missionary effort within the Junior Branches, the first week in Advent was decided upon as an appropriate period for devotional services for special intercession, to be held by each branch, conducted by its rector. This was generally observed, as far as can be ascertained.

A harmony in deed as well as in intention was urged, particularly loyalty to the Board. Zealous support of the Missionary Day for Sunday schools, the lenten offering and the joint offering within the branches for General Missions.

Endorsement was given to the united Christmas box for the Poncas, Santees and Yanktons of South Dakota, and that this was supported was testified by the sending of 1500 splendid gifts. Bountiful generosity and thoughtful care in preparation indicated the spirit of true giving.

Several reports from branches have appended to statement of money given, "*earned by members*." This we welcome as a sign of personal interest and insight on the part of the Junior members to the extent of giving of one's self, not what one can spare, but what one can sacrifice.

Two new branches have been added, making a total of 28. The frequent applications for Missionary literature, maps, etc., have been gladly responded to. In proportion to breadth of intelligence in church extension, so must the inner life of the Junior member be quickened to its sense of responsibility and privilege in intercession. Would that the Junior Department might extend this influence in every parish in the diocese.

Box Report

Boxes aggregating \$452.00 were sent by the following Branches:

- Atlantic City, Church of the Ascension.
- Beverly, St. Stephen's Church.
- Bound Brook, St Paul's Church.
- Burlington, St. Mary's Church.
- Camden, St. Paul's Church.
- Dunellen, Church of the Holy Innocents.
- Elizabeth, Christ Chur. h.
- “ St. John's Church.
- “ Trinity Church.

Freehold, St. Peter's Church.
Haddonfield, Grace Church.
Lakewood, All Saints' Church.
Lambertville, St. Andrew's Church.
Merchantville, Grace Church.
Mount Holly, St. Andrew's Church.
Monmouth Junction.
Navesink, All Saints' Church.
New Brunswick, Christ Church.
" " St. John's Church.
Plainfield, Grace Church.
Red Bank, Trinity Church.
Riverton, Christ Church.
Trenton, Trinity Church.

Report of Money Given

Cash to the amount of \$285.55 was contributed by the following Branches:

Atlantic City, Church of the Ascension.
Beverly, St. Stephen's Church.
Camden, St. Paul's Church.
Elizabeth, Christ Church.
" St. John's Church.
" Trinity Church.
Haddonfield, Grace Church.
Lakewood, All Saints' Church.
Moorestown, Trinity Church.
Monmouth Junction.
Navesink, All Saints' Church.
New Brunswick, Christ Church.
" " St. John's Church.
Plainfield, Grace Church.
Rahway, St. Paul's Church.
Red Bank, Trinity Church.
Trenton, Trinity Church.
Vineland, Trinity Church.

Disbursements

General Missions,	-	-	-	-	\$61 76
Domestic	"	-	-	-	49 00
Foreign	"	-	-	-	43 50
Indian	"	-	-	-	50 00
Freedmen	"	-	-	-	42 00
Mexican	"	-	-	-	50
Diocesan	"	-	-	-	38 79
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HARRIET P. TOWNSEND,
Vice-President.

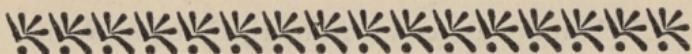
Report of the Lending Library

Several new volumes have been added to the Missionary Lending Library during the past year, some of which will be found very interesting. Bishop Whipple's "Lights and Shadows of a Long Episcopate," presented to the Library by a former friend, will delight all who knew of his noble work among the Indians.

There have not been so many requests made for books and leaflets as in some former years but enough to show that the Lending Library still does a good work.

Catalogue

Life of Bishop Hannington.	Life of Bishop Patteson.
" Bishop Crowther.	" The Rev. John Paton.
" James Calvert.	" Robert Morrison.
" Dr. Breck.	" David Livingston.
" Charles Mackay.	" Sister Dora.
" Dorothea L. Dix.	
Work among the Colored People. (Joyner.)	
Greece, Mexico and Hayti. (Spencer.)	
The Beginnings of the Church in California. (Nichols.)	
Destchewa, The Young Arapahoe. (Roberts.)	
Biography of Momolu Massaguoi.	
Opitchi Bimisay. (Miss Carter.)	
The S. P. G. in the American Colonies. Parts 1 and 2.	
Value of Foreign Missions. (Liggins.)	
Modern Heroes of the Mission Field.	
Memoranna, The Nautchnee.	
Tropical Africa. (Drummond.)	
Indian and Malaysia.	
Indian Missions, Part 1. (Gesner.)	
" " " 2. "	
" " " 3. "	
" " " 4. (Cook.)	
Western Missions. (Gesner.)	
Japan. (Perot.)	
China. (Partridge and others.)	
Africa, A Compilation from Various Sources.	
Alaska. (Chapman.)	
Diocesan Missions. (Peck.)	
Church Schools in the West. (Gesner.)	
Aunt Sally. (Mrs. Buford.)	
Angelique. (Miss Ives.)	
A Visit to St. Augustine's School. (Miss Natt.)	
In the Everglades. (By the Bishop of South Florida.)	
Stories from the Mission Field.	
Orphan Asylum at Lynchburg.	
Sketches of Mission Work Among the Sioux.	
Woman in the Mission Field.	
The Heroic in Missions.	
The University Missions in Central Africa.	
Lights and Shadows of a Long Episcopate. (Bishop Whipple.)	
Village Life in China. (Smith.)	
Recollections of a Missionary in the Great West. (Cyrus T. Brady.)	
The Martyred Missionaries in China.	



THE JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

WOMEN'S AUXILIARY
TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS
IN THE
DIOCESE OF NEW JERSEY.



THE Junior Department of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions in the Diocese of New Jersey, as authorized by the General Convention of 1889, was organized February 15, 1894.

The object of this Junior Department is to make all children and young people realize their responsibility as members by baptism of the Missionary Society, which is the Church.

1. To endeavor to bring all Societies of young people or children working for the Missions of the Church into unity or touch with one another.

2. To be a medium for disseminating missionary information, and for the training of the young to be interested in and to work for Missions.

The Junior Department recognizing the varied conditions in parishes offers the following methods :

1. The Junior Auxiliary, a Society organized to interest and to train children and young people to prayer, study, and work for Missions.

2. The Babies' Branch, organized to emphasize the fact that every child at baptism becomes a member of the Missionary Society, the Church ; providing systematic prayer and means of giving for children too young for the Junior Auxiliary.

3. Associated Sunday Schools, Sunday Schools organized to systematically study the Missions of the Church.

4. Affiliated Girls Friendly Societies. Girls Friendly Societies associated with the Junior Department for the purpose of taking part in the authorized work of Missions at some time during the year.

(a.) The Junior Auxiliary may be composed of either boys or girls, or both, with proper officers appointed. It must hold regular meetings for work, study, and devotion for Missions. It is requested to join in the annual box of Christmas gifts and in the Junior offering for General Missions for which is provided a mite box. The annual dues to the Junior Department are five (5) cents per member, payable April 1st.

(b.) A Babies' Branch has a Parish Secretary who gives to and collects from the mothers of the members, the regular mite-box, requesting that the child be trained to offer a penny every Sunday with the prayer for the Missionaries and their work. If the child be too young, the mother is asked to repeat it for him.

(c.) Associated Sunday Schools. The benefits secured to a Sunday School from Association with the authorized Missionary organization for young people are: the bringing together the children of the Church into a unity of spirit and work.

The extended idea of the Church as a whole.

The employment of the methods, literature and information placed at their disposal by the Junior Department.

The obligations consequent upon this Association are:

That the Sunday Schools join in the Lenten Offering as provided for by the Board of Missions.

The observance of the Missionary Day appointed by the Board of Missions.

The adoption of a systematic study of Missions, and the appointment of regular times for such purpose.

The appointment of an officer to correspond with the Junior Department.

The dues, one dollar (\$1.00) to be paid yearly, April 1st.

The Sunday School is invited to join in the annual box of Christmas gifts.

Affiliated Girls Friendly Societies. Girls Friendly Societies thus associated with Junior Department are enabled to extend their effort of doing for others through the authorized channel of Missionary work for young people. A Missionary department may be formed within the existing organization, an officer appointed to correspond with the Junior Department. It is expected to learn about Missions of the Church at the time it is doing its Missionary work. It is invited to join in the annual box of Christmas gifts.

No dues are expected.

Missionary Information. The Junior Department is prepared and desires to furnish on request literature, maps, methods of study and data upon all Missions of the Church to all its associated organizations.

Conference. Conference of Junior Workers is held annually in the fourth week of October to which are expected to come delegates from all associated organizations. This meeting is for the purpose of exchange of thought and method, for mutual encouragement and renewal of spirit, all furthering the unity of purpose.

Officers of the Junior Department :

President, MRS. S. A. CLARK,

(The President of Woman's Auxiliary, ex-officio.)

Vice-President, MISS HARRIET TOWNSEND,

432 Westminster Avenue, Elizabeth.

Secretary-Treasurer, MRS. BREARLEY, Rahway.

Papers

Church Mission News.

Spirit of Missions.

Missionary Leaflets.

Maps

China.
Alaska.

Japan.
Indian Country.

Africa.

MRS. F. S. CONOVER,
Diocesan Librarian.

Report of Librarians

The Librarian of the Upper Division reports seventy-five periodicals sent regularly from fifteen parishes, besides packages of Christmas and Easter cards. About one hundred and twenty-five books were sent to a Sunday School Library, ninety of these were given by Christ Church, New Brunswick, all were in good condition, some new. A copy of the "Churchman" is sent to a Foreign Missionary and the Librarian would be glad of donations toward paying this subscription. Many encouraging letters are received from the recipients of reading matter; of special interest is a grateful letter from a missionary whose invalid son eagerly watches for the "Review of Reviews" which has been regularly mailed to him for several years.

The Librarian of the Lower Division reports about seventy-eight church publications and twenty-two secular magazines, making a total of one hundred sent regularly. There have also been sent books, church calendars, Christmas and Easter cards and about one thousand sheets of sermon paper to a clergyman in the south, who expressed a wish for it.

Respectfully submitted,

LUCIA CATLIN,
DEBORAH A. KELLEY, } *Librarian.*

Diocesan Constitution

I.—NAME.

The name of this Society shall be, "THE NEW JERSEY BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS."

II.—OBJECT.

The object of this Society is to interest all women in the general missionary work, of the church, to communicate missionary intelligence, and to secure increased contributions and prayers for the spread of the gospel of Christ.

III.—OFFICERS.

The officers of this Society shall be a president, vice-presidents, secretary, treasurer, division corresponding secretaries and librarians, to be elected at the annual meeting and serve for one year. The election of officers shall be by ballot; nominations to be made by a nominating committee appointed at the previous annual meeting and sent to each parish secretary two months before an annual meeting.

IV.—EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

The executive board shall be composed of the president, vice-presidents, secretary and treasurer, and corresponding secretaries. The board shall meet twice or more each year, these meetings to be arranged by the president.

The Right Rev. Bishop of the Diocese shall be a member *ex officio* of the executive board.

V.—DUTIES OF OFFICERS.

The president shall preside at all meetings and perform such duties as usually appertain to that office. The president and vice-presidents shall have charge and oversight of the several branches of mission work respectively—one for Domestic, one for Indian, one for Freedmen, one for Foreign, one for Mexican, one for Diocesan Missions, one for the Junior Auxiliary Work and one for the Babies' Branch. There shall be one vice-president whose duty it shall be to take charge of a Missionary Lending Library, to consist of books, maps, reports and all other literature that may be helpful to the women missionary workers in the diocese; said library to be for the use of all members of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of New Jersey.

The secretary shall call the roll at the annual meeting, and prepare and read the minutes, performing all duties belonging to the office; and the treasurer shall take charge of all moneys appropriated to the incidental expenses of the Society.

The corresponding secretaries shall send to the rectors, vice-presidents and parochial secretaries, notices of each Division meeting, keep the minutes of said meetings, make an annual report of the same, and diffuse among the parishes intelligence concerning the missionary work of the church.

The collections at Division meetings shall be used for the contingent fund of the Auxiliary and sent to the diocesan treasurer.

Librarians shall communicate with all the parochial secretaries about such literature as may be contributed for missionary work, and keep an account of all given and where sent, reporting the same at the annual meeting.

VI.—REPRESENTATION.

Any parish may become a member of this Society by appointing a secretary and notifying the president. The secretary of the parochial branch is expected to correspond with the diocesan officers, and they *alone* correspond with the secretaries in New York, and transmit to them all moneys.

A membership fee of ten cents shall be paid annually by all members towards a general missionary fund. Each parish shall send to the annual meeting two or more delegates.

VII.—MEETINGS.

The annual meeting shall be held the last Wednesday of April. On the second and fourth weeks in October and February, there shall be meetings respectively in the Upper and Lower Divisions to enable the vice-presidents to present their several branches of work. Any other meetings which may be deemed advisable can be held at times proposed by the parish or corresponding secretaries and concurred in by the president.

VIII.

The constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote at any annual meeting. Any proposed alteration in the Constitution must be submitted to the executive board in writing before bringing it before the Auxiliary.

