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TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

NORTH CAROLINA BRANCH

OF THE

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

TO THE

BOARD OF MISSIONS

APRIL 1st, 1893, to APRIL 1st, 1894.

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NORTH CAROLINA BRANCH
OF THE
Woman's Auxiliary to Board* of Missions.

MINUTES OF MEETING.

Winston, N. C., May 18th, 1894.

On Friday, May 18th, at 4 p. m , the members of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary were called together in the Sunday School room of St. Paul's church

Miss M. E. Horner, the only Diocesan Officer present, presided. prayer was said by the Rev. Mr George, Rector of St. Paul's.

Miss Horner said a few words of welcome to the Daughters of the King who were present, thanked the members of the Auxiliary for their presence and explained the absence of the Diocesan Secretary. She then requested Mrs. Boggs, the President of the Winston Branch, to read the following resolutions of sympathy for Mrs. Wilkes, which were adopted by a rising vote and ordered entered in the minutes:

"Whereas, we have learned of the recent bereavement of our Diocesan Secretary in the death of her son.

"Therefore, be it resolved, that we hereby express our deep sympathy with her and her father in this their great sorrow, and pray our Heavenly Father, who hath permitted this trial and who doth not willingly afflict any of his children, that they may have His Spirit and grace given them to say 'Thy will be done.'

"Resolved, that these resolutions be put on the minutes of the meeting.

"Resolved, that a copy of these resolutions be sent to Mrs. Wilkes as a loving token that her sorrow is ours also."

Mrs. Boggs acted as Secretary, and Miss Hall of Charlotte, represented the Diocesan Secretary.

Miss Hall called the roll, and it was found the following branches were represented:

Oxford (2), Winston (5), Elkin (1), Asheville (1), Raleigh, Good Shepherd (3), St. Augustine's (1), Henderson (1), Salisbury (2), Charlotte (1) with two Juniors representing Asheville and Greensboro.

Quite a limited number of branches were represented, but the presence of the Daughters of the King, and many visitors lent a charm to the meeting, and almost crowded the room. Particularly did we congratulate ourselves on our good fortune in having Miss Emery with us. The Bishop and several priests favored the meeting also with their presence.

Miss Hall then read the minutes of the meeting of 1893, the annual report of the Diocesan Secretary, and Miss Cameron's report of the Church Periodical Club. Miss Horner read a report of work done by the Junior Auxiliary, offering a resolution for uniting the work of the Juniors to support a Missionary in Western N. C.

Miss Emery, General Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary was then introduced, and addressed the meeting. She dwelt on the ways and means that could be used to create an interest in missions, first to interest ourselves, then others, which could only be done by a comprehensive knowledge of the work done by the Board of Mission and its Auxiliary; extending a hearty welcome to all who would call at the new Church Missions House, opened in New York on New Year's day, with an assurance that any desired information in regard to missions could be obtained there. Again she urged the importance of the United Offering for the convention of 1895, suggesting that the North Carolina branches take it for their *united work* for the year. She also set forth the importance of aiding in the Salary Fund for the support of women who are doing work in the Foreign and Domestic fields, giving many interesting and forcible illustrations of women who had given themselves a living sacrifice for the service of the church.

Bishop Cheshire then addressed the Auxiliary in a few well

chosen remarks, manifested a keen appreciation of the work of the women, encouraged and animated them to still greater efforts in a noble work, nobly done.

A resolution was offered and carried, to the effect that a gift be made the Bishop, by the women of the Diocese, as a tribute of respect and affection. A committee consisting of Mrs. Wilkes, Diocesan Secretary; Miss Horner, Secretary of Junior Department; and Mrs. Ingle of Henderson, was appointed to receive all contributions and make a selection of an appropriate token.

Addresses had been promised by Rev. Mr. Rathbun and Rev. Mr. Ingle, but a severe storm came up and adjourned the meeting.

EMMA J. HALL,
Secretary.

ADDRESS OF DIOCESAN SECRETARY.

CHARLOTTE, MAY 14, 1894.

DEAR FRIENDS:

It is with keen regret that I feel obliged to relinquish the meeting with you this year. But I am sure your assembling will be profitable and pleasant, and I will be with you in spirit.

The Auxiliary has done remarkably well this past year considering the depression in all business. We have this year 25 Parish branches, and 17 Juniors; and the general report is as follows:

Foreign Missions	\$150 23
Domestic Missions	51.06
Diocesan Missions	* 521 22
United Offering	15.74
26 Boxes	608.84
Central Fund	39.25
Total	<hr/> \$1,386.34
Junior Department:	
Foreign Missions	\$ 51.00
Domestic Missions	21.29
Diocesan Missions	340.12

United Offering	1.49	
9 Boxes	88.50	
Local Charity	89.18	
Central Fund	1.90	
		<hr/> 593.48

Total for both Departments \$1979.82

In the report I have included \$89.18 reported by 3 Juniors for "Local Charities." While parish work is not considered as *Missionary*, yet it may encourage the Juniors to have their local work included in our diocesan report. Of course it does not go to the General Auxiliary report.

I have received \$17.23 for the United Offering for the General Auxiliary Meeting October, 1895, and have invested it at 8 per cent. All sums coming to me for this purpose will be added to the amount. I earnestly beg that each parish branch, and every churchwoman, will become interested in gathering up the mites for this general offering, in which churchwomen from all over the world will join in October, 1895. Let our gifts and our prayers go together, that Christ's Kingdom may come on earth as it is in Heaven

To the Thompson Orphanage has been given 13

boxes, value	\$279.35
And by the Juniors 6 boxes, value	65.50

Total boxes	\$344.85
Also cash from Woman's Auxiliary	\$ 44.50
Cash from Juniors	234.00

Total cash \$278.50

Total to Thompson Orphanage \$623.35

The Oneida Mission Hospital has received from the Juniors \$11.50, and is now, I believe, completed. May I present in its stead the names of two Church Hospitals in Charlotte owned by the Diocese of North Carolina, and greatly needing help — St. Peter's Hospital, and the Good Samaritan Hospital for colored people? Both organized, at work, and unincumbered, but always needing help.

Of our former diocesan objects, Cashier's Valley has received \$15.00 from 3 branches, and the baby in orphanage at Shanghai from 3 branches \$17.25.

The Central Fund balance last May was	\$ 4.36
Received from Woman's Auxiliary	39.25
From Junior Department	1.90

Total	\$45.51
Expenses Printing Report June 1893	\$25.00
Postage on Reports Mite Boxes, &c , &c.	3.89
Stationery	3.00
Secretary's postage, 238 letters and cards between April 1st, 1893, and April 1st, 1894	4.69
	<u>\$36.58</u>
Balance Central Fund	\$ 8.93

I have no suggestions to make about work. I trust Miss Emery will be with you and advise you as to the most needed objects for the year to come. And I hope we will all accept her recommendations and loyally carry them out. And whatever we may undertake, let us "do all in the name of the Lord Jesus."

Affectionately yours,

JANE R. WILKES.

Diocesan Secretary, N. C. Branch Woman's Auxiliary.

Asheville—Trinity.

President—MRS. J. G. MARTIN.

Vice-President—MRS. W. D. HOUGHTELING.

Secretary—MRS. R. FRONEBERGER.

Treasurer—MRS. S. R. KEPLER.

Members 60.

Foreign Missions—

Jarvis Buxton Scholarship, China	\$40.00
All Saint's, Scholarship, China	25.00
Half Amount for General Missions	5.66
	<u>\$70.66</u>

Domestic Missions—

Half Amount for General Missions	5.66
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Diocesan Missions—

Episcopal Fund to Diocesan Treasurer	60.00	
To Rev. George Bell	40 00	
To Rev. W. F. Rice	40.00	
To Trinity Chapel, Asheville	5.00	
Tuition of 2 daughters of Missionary	150.00	
	<hr/>	\$295.00
Central Fund		6 00
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		\$377.32

Brinkleyville, N. C.

1 Member.

To Ravenscroft Mission Church, Williamsboro, N. C. . .	\$1.00	
To Foreign Missions	50	
Domestic Missions	50	
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Bowman's Bluff—Gethsemane Church.

Secretary—MRS. RICHARD WAINWRIGHT.

Members 2.

To Thompson Orphanage 1 box	\$6.00	
Central Fund	20	
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Chapel Hill—Chapel of the Cross.

Secretary—MRS. L. B. MAC NIDER

Members 10.

Thompson Orphanage	\$5.00	
Domestic Missions	2 00	
Central Fund	1.00	
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Charlotte—St. Peter's.

President—MRS. MARY HARRISON.

Vice-President—MRS. JOS. B. CHESHIRE.

Secretary and Treasurer—MISS EMMA HALL.

Members 31.

1 Box to St. Paul's Mission, Lincolnton Co., N. C . . .	
Diocesan Missions	\$15 00
St. John's School, Logan, Utah. Domestic	20.00
Insurance for Foreign Missionaries	22.00
Central Fund	3 10
Thank Offering Collection, Mrs. Twing	6 33
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	\$66.43

Durham St. Philip's.

President—REV. STEWART McQUEEN.

Vice-President—MRS. M. T. SAUNDERS.

Secretary—MRS. W. L. WALL.

Treasurer—MRS. W. A. GUTHRIE.

Members 15.

1 Box to Milton, N. C.	\$15.00
Central Fund	1.60
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	\$16.60

Elkin.

President—MRS. A. B. GALLOWAY.

Vice-President—MISS MARY GWYN.

Members 5.

Diocesan Missions—

To Good Samaritan Hospital, Charlotte, N. C. . . .	\$ 7.00
To St. Paul's Church, Wilksboro, N. C., for repairs . .	5.00
1 Box to Thompson Orphanage, Christmas	28.00
Central Fund	50
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	\$40.50

Greensboro—St. Barnabas.

President—MRS. H. TILDEN.

Secretary and Treasurer—MRS. W. D. BOGERT.

Members 19.

Foreign Missions	\$5.00
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Hillsboro—St. Matthews.

President—MRS. D. H. HAMILTON.
 Vice-President—MRS. E. A. ROSEMOND.
 Secretary—MISS LIZZIE JONES.
 Treasurer—MISS LILY HAMILTON.

Members 27.

1 Box to New York City	\$30.00
1 Box to Thompson Orphanage Charlotte, N. C.	4 00
Insurance Fund, Foreign	4 00
To Cashier's Valley, N. C.	3.00
Central Fund	2.50
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	\$43.50

Henderson—Holy Incocents.

President—REV. J. E. INGLE.
 Vice-President—MRS. WM. BUCHAN,
 Secretary—MRS. JAS. O'NEIL.
 Treasurer—MRS. E. STEPHENS.

Members 28.

1 Box to Fayetteville, Ark.	\$25.00
2 Barrels clothing and bedding to Thompson Orphanage	30.00
Central Fund	2 20
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	\$57.20

Leaksville—Epiphany.

President—MRS. T. R. SHARP.
 Vice-President—MRS. OSCAR WALKER.
 Secretary and Treasurer—MRS. W. S. MARTIN.

Members 10.

Foreign Missions	\$ 3 50
Domestic Missions	2 50
Diocesan Missions	50
Thompson Orphanage	8.00
Package to St. Peter's Hospital, Charlotte, N C	3 50
Central Fund	1 00
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	\$19 00

Lincolnton—St. Luke's.

President—MRS. CURTIS.

Secretary and Treasurer—MISS S. B. HOKE.

Members 5.

1 Box to St. John's School Logan, Utah	\$22.50
For United Offering	7.00
Central Fund	50
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	\$30.00

Louisburg—St. Paul's.

Secretary and Treasurer—MISS M. M. HAWKINS.

Members 7.

Foreign Missions	\$ 2.00
Domestic Missions	2.00
Thompson Orphanage	10.00
United Offering	5.00
Central Fund	1.00
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	\$20.00

Lucia—White Haven.

President—MRS. L. E. JOHNSTON.

Members 4.

Package to Thompson Orphanage	\$1.00
Foreign Missions	3 60
Central Fund	40
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	\$5 00

Oxford—St. Stephen's.

President—MRS. W. C. REED.

Vice-President—MRS. R. B. GILLIAM.

Secretary—MISS. M. E. HORNER.

Treasurer—MRS. THOS. WHITE.

Members 20.

1 Box to Thompson Orphanage	\$26 00
Foreign Missions—	
Baby in Orphanage, Shanghai, China	6.25
Half of sum for General Missions	4 35½
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	\$10.60½

Domestic Missions—

Half of sum for General Missions	4.35½
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Diocesan Missions—

Cashier's Valley Mission	2.00
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Suit for son of a Missionary	20.00
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Clergy Retiring Fund for N. C. Missionary	12.00
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Thompson Orphanage	7.50
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Central Fund	1.50
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	<u>\$82.96</u>
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Raleigh—Christ Church.

President—MRS. K. P. BATTLE, Jr.

Secretary—MISS OLIVIA COWPER.

Treasurer—MISS MAGGIE POTTER.

Members 38.

Domestic Missions—

Parcel to Pipestown, Oregon	\$2.10
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Parcel to Auburn, Me.	1 00
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Parcel to Astoria, Oregon	75
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Diocesan Missions—

1 Box to Asheville, N. C.	\$ 50.53
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1 Box to Franklin, N. C.	66.35
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Cash to Diocesan Missions	10.00
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Cash to Bryson City Church, N. C.	5.00
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Central Fund	3.80
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Raleigh—Good Shepherd.

President—MRS. E. W. McVEA.

Vice-President—MRS. C. G. LATTA.

Secretary and Treasurer—MRS. S. P. CHILD.

Members 53.

Foreign Missions	\$ 5.00
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Domestic Missions	9.75
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Diocesan Missions	67.00
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Thank Offering Fund, for new Missionary workers	5.00
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1 Christmas Box to St. Stephen's Mission, Lincoln . .	
Co , N. C	77.76
2 Boxes to Thompson Orphanage	70.00
Central Fund	5.30
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	\$239.81

Raleigh—St. Augustine's.

President—MRS. H. B. DELANY.

Members —

For M Harrison Scholarship in St Augustine's School .	\$5.85
For United Offering	3.74
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	\$9.59

Salisbury—St. Luke's.

The Bishop Lyman Chapter Daughters of the King, organized as an Auxiliary branch, March. 1894. No report.

Scotland Neck Trinity.

President—MISS A. E. SMITH.

Vice-President—MRS. T. W. FENNER.

Secretary and Treasurer—MRS. W. J. SMITH.

Members 23.

To Cleveland, Ark., for Sunday School books	\$ 1.02
To Church at Lawrence. Edgecombe Co , N. C.	1.25
1 Box Thompson Orphanage	19.35
Central Fund	2.30
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	\$23.92

Statesville—Trinity.

2 Members

Foreign and Domestic Missions	\$ 80
To Good Samaritan Hospital, Charlotte, N. C.	6.00
Central Fund	20
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	\$7.00

Tarboro—Calvary.

President—MRS. W. H. SHAW.
 Secretary—MRS. H. S. BASS.
 Treasurer—MRS. J. W. COTTEN.

Members 20.

Foreign Missions, to Baby in Orphanage, Shanghai, . . .	
China	\$10 00
Diocesan Mission—	
Thompson Orphanage	10 00
Cashier's Valley, N. C.	10.00
1 Box to Wilmington, N. C.	20 00
1 Box to Thompson Orphanage	25.00
Surplice made for deacon	5.00
Central Fund	2.00
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	\$82.00

Warrenton—Emmanuel.

President—MRS. W. H. POLK.

Members 20.

Diocesan Missions	\$12.57
1 Box to Thompson Orphanage	50.00
Central Fund	2.00
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	\$64.57

Waynesville—Grace Church in the Mountains.

President—MRS. WALLER.
 Vice-President—MRS. MILLER.
 Secretary—MRS. DYKERS.
 Treasurer—MISS SKINNER.

Members 10.

Indian Missions	\$ 1.75
Foreign Missions	50
Permanent Episcopal Fund, Diocesan	8.55
Central Fund	40
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	\$11.20

Winston—St. Paul's.

Secretary and Treasurer—MRS. BOGGS.

Members 5.

To Thompson Orphanage	\$ 5.00
Foreign and Domestic Missions each \$1.13	2.26
1 Box to Thompson Orphanage	20.00
Central Fund	50
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	\$27.76

JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

Asheville—Faithful Endeavor Society.

President—MISS F. L. PATTON.

Vice-President—MISS JENNIE BINGHAM.

Secretary—MISS GRACE JONES.

Treasurer—MISS LUCY STEELE.

Members 36.

All Saints Scholarship, China	\$ 5 00
Oneida Indian Mission Hospital	1.00
St. Clement's Mission, N. C.	10.00
Micadale Mission, N. C.	10.00
Reed's Mission N. C.	10.00
Chunn's Cove Mission, N. C.	30.00
Parish work and local charities	75.18
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	\$141.18

Asheville—Ministering Children's League.

President—MISS S. E. HATCH.

Secretary—MISS N. ACHESON.

Treasurer—MISS B. PORTNER.

Members 34.

Storm Sufferers, South Carolina	\$ 5.00
All Saint's Scholarship, China	5 00
Oneida Indian Mission Hospital	1.00
Thompson Orphanage	60.00
Permanent Episcopal Fund, Diocesan	10.00
Local Charities	7.00
Contribution to box	10 00
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	\$98.00

Hillsboro—St. Matthew's Junior Auxiliary.

Directress—MISS MARY C. JONES.

Members —

1 Box to Thompson Orphanage	\$8 00
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High Point—St. Mary's Guild.

Directress—MISS ADALINE C. CLEVELAND.

Members —

Thompson Orphanage	\$ 50
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Henderson—Holy Innocents'—Junior Auxiliary.

President—MRS. J. E. INGLE.

Vice-President—MISS P. L. JONES,

Secretary and Treasurer—MISS E. O'NEIL.

Members 15.

1 Package to Thompson Orphanage	\$2 00
To Oneida Mission Hospital	1.00
Central Fund	50
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	\$3.50

Louisburg—Sunday School Class.

Directress—MRS. F. S. SPRUILL.

Diocesan Missions	\$1.13
Domestic Missions	2.79
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	\$3.92

Oxford—St. Stephen's—Junior Auxiliary.

President—MISS F. SKINNER.

Vice-President—MISS L. BIGGS.

Secretary—MISS W. SKINNER.

Treasurer—MISS F. BROIDEN.

Directress—MISS M. E. HORNER.

Members 21

Baby in Orphanage, Shanghai, China	\$ 1.00
Oneida Mission Hospital	2.00
Clergy Retiring Fund	12.00
Central Fund	50
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	\$15.50

Raleigh—St. Mary's School.

President—MISS A. L. DEVEREUX.

Secretary and Treasurer—MISS K. MCKIMMON.

Members 75.

3 Boxes to Thompson Orphanage	\$30.50
Parcel to Franklin, N. C.	2.00
Aldert Smedley's Scholarship, China	40.00
Oneida Mission Hospital	1.50
Church Periodical Club	2 00
Thompson Orphanage	5 00
Diocesan Missions	9.10
Poor of Raleigh	7.00
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	\$97.10

Raleigh—Christ Church—St. Agnes Guild.

President—MISS JANIE E. WARD.

Secretary—MRS. N. T. COBB.

Members 146.

1 Box to Thompson Orphanage	\$ 25 00
Cash to Thompson Orphanage	166.50
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	\$191.50

Raleigh—St. Augustine's School—Girls' Friendly Guild.

Directress—MRS. A. B. HUNTER.

Secretary—MISS O. A. THOMPSON.

Members 14.

For sewing school in Alaska, to Rev. John Chapman . . .	\$5.00
United Offering	1 49
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	\$6.49

Scotland Neck—Junior Auxiliary.

President—MISS S. H.

Vice-President—MISS M. W. SMITH.

Secretary—MISS A. POWELL.

Treasurer—MISS L. SMITH.

Directress—MRS. W. J. SMITH.

Members 13.

Box for Christmas Tree, Lincolnton Co., to Rev. W. R. Wetmore	\$3.00
Oneida Mission Hospital	1.00
Central Fund	25
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	\$4.25

Tarboro—Ministering Children's League.

President—MISS A. H. SHAW.
 Secretary—MISS H. LEWIS.
 Treasurer—MISS M. HOWARD.
 Members 18.

1 Box to Morganton	\$10.00
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Warrenton—Junior Auxiliary.

President—MISS C. W. GAYLE.
 Secretary and Treasurer—MISS M. K. WHITE.
 Members 36.

1 Box to Lincolnton	\$10.00
Oneida Mission Hospital	2.00
Diocesan Missions	50
Central Fund	50
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	\$13 00

Waynesville—Missionary Gleaners.

President—MRS. R. N. TATE.
 Secretary—MISS R. T. MILLS.
 Treasurer—MISS B. BURKE.
 Members 6.

Diocesan Missions	\$1.39
Oneida Mission Hospital	2.00
Central Fund	15
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	\$3.54

Winston—Sunday School Class.

2 Little girls to Thompson Orphanage	\$2.00
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RULES

For the Organization of the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary.

1.—This organization shall be called the NORTH CAROLINA BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

2.—Its objects are, by means of union and systematic effort, to diffuse missionary intelligence; to increase missionary activity among the women of the Diocese; to unite previously existing societies; and to encourage the formation of societies where there are none.

3.—All parish societies, and all individuals desiring it, will be considered members of this Association.

4.—The officers of this Association shall be a Diocesan Secretary, and an Assistant Secretary in each Convocation, to be appointed by the Bishop.

5.—The Diocesan Secretary shall call meetings and preside over them; shall correspond with the General Secretary and the Missionaries and find out where help is needed, and of what kind; shall inform the parish Secretaries, and arrange about their work, so that a general oversight of the work may be kept by one person. She shall prepare an annual report for circulation in the Diocese; shall receive and forward all money offerings and shall keep account of all money and articles contributed for missionary purposes by the parish branches or by individuals, and shall embody a full account of this work in the annual report.

6.—The Assistant Secretaries shall try to increase missionary spirit in their respective convocations, by arousing the women to greater efforts in raising money for the cause; and by diffusing intelligence concerning the missionary work of the Church. They are to search out the scattered families and individuals belonging to the Church, and try to interest them in missionary work. And to correspond with the parish Secretaries and the

Diocesan Secretary in regard to missionary work. The Assistant Secretaries are authorized to hold meetings in their own Convocation, whenever they consider it desirable.

7.—The Secretaries of the parish branches shall correspond with the Diocesan Secretary, transmit the information received from her to their respective parish branches, and shall report to her by April 1st, in each year, an account of work done by their parish.

8.—Each parish shall send one or more delegates to the annual meeting if possible.

9.—There shall be a meeting of this Association each year, during the Diocesan Convention.

10.—Five persons shall constitute a quorum at all meetings.

11.—To provide for the expenses of the Diocesan officers in postage, stationery and printing, or other matters, a contribution of 10 cents a year shall be asked from each member of the Woman's Auxiliary in North Carolina, to be collected by each parish Secretary and forwarded to the Diocesan Secretary by the 1st of April.



NAMES OF PARISHES.	Number Of Members.	Central Fund.	United Offering.	MISSIONS.			Boxes	Value.	Total
				Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.			
Asheville—Trinity	60	\$ 6 00		\$ 70 66	\$ 5 66	\$295 00			\$ 377 32
Brinkleyville	1			50	50	1 00			2 00
Bowman's Bluff—Gethsemane	2	20					1 Thompson Orphanage	\$ 6 00	6 20
Chapel Hill—Chapel of the Cross	10	1 00			2 00	5 00			8 00
Charlotte—St. Peter's	31	3 10		28 33	20 00		1 Diocesan	15 00	66 43
Durham—St. Philip's	15	1 60					1 Diocesan	15 00	16 60
Elkin	5	50				12 00	1 Thompson Orphanage	28 00	40 50
Greensboro—St. Barnabas	19	1 25		5 00					6 25
Hillsboro—St. Matthews	27	2 50		4 00		3 00	{ 1 Domestic	30 00	43 50
							{ 1 Thompson Orphanage	4 00	
							{ 1 Domestic	25 00	
Henderson—Holy Innocents'	28	2 20					{ 2 Bbls. Tho. Orphanage	30 00	57 20
Leaksville—Epiphany	10	1 00		3 50	2 50	8 50	1 Diocesan	3 50	19 00
Lincolnton—St. Luke's	5	50	\$ 7 00				1 Domestic	22 50	30 00
Louisburg—St. Paul's	7	1 00	5 00	2 00	2 00	10 00			20 00
Lucia—White Haven	4	40		3 60			1 Package Thompson Orp.	1 00	5 00
Oxford—St. Stephen's	20	1 50		10 61	4 35	40 50	1 Thompson Orphanage	26 00	82 96
Raleigh—Christ Church	38	3 80				15 00	{ 2 Diocesan	116 88	139 53
							{ 3 Packages Domestic	3 85	
							{ 1 Diocesan	77 76	
Raleigh—Good Shepherd	53	5 30		10 00	9 75	67 00	{ 2 Thompson Orphanage	70 00	239 81
Raleigh—St. Augustine's			3 74			5 85			9 59
Salisbury—St. Luke's				Recently organized.	No report.				
Scotland Neck—Trinity	23	2 30			1 02	1 25	1 Thompson Orphanage	19 35	23 92
Statesville—Trinity	2	20		40	40	6 00			7 00
Tarboro—Calvary	20	2 00		10 00		25 00	{ 1 Domestic	20 00	82 00
							{ 1 Thompson Orphanage	25 00	
Warrenton—Emmanuel	20	2 00				12 57	1 Thompson Orphanage	50 00	64 57
Waynesville—Grace	10	40		50	1 75	8 55			11 20
Winston—St. Paul's	5	50		1 13	1 13	5 00	1 Thompson Orphanage	20 00	27 76
25 Branches.	415	\$39 25	\$15 74	\$150 23	\$51 06	\$521 22	26 Boxes.	\$608 84	\$1386 34

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

NAMES OF PARISHES.	Number of Members	Central Fund	MISSIONS.			Local Charities	United Offering.	Boxes.	Value.	Total.
			Foreign.	Domestic.	Diocesan.					
Asheville—Faithful Endeavor Society	36	...	\$ 5 00	\$ 1 00	\$ 60 00	\$75 18	...	...	...	\$141 17
Asheville—Ministering Children's League	34	...	5 00	1 00	80 00	7 00	...	...	...	93 00
Hillsboro—Junior Auxiliary . . . . .	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 box Th. Oph.	\$ 8 00	8 00
High Point—St. Mary's Guild . . . . .	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	50
Henderson—Junior Auxiliary	15	\$ 50	...	1 00	...	...	...	1 pkg. Th. Oph.	2 00	3 50
Louisburg—Sunday School Class . . . . .	...	...	...	2 79	1 13	...	...	...	...	3 90
Oxford—Junior Auxiliary	21	50	1 00	2 00	12 00	...	...	...	...	15 50
Raleigh—St. Mary's School	75	...	40 00	3 50	16 10	7 00	...	3 bxs. Th. Oph.	30 50	97 10
Raleigh—St. Agnes' Guild	146	...	...	...	166 50	...	...	1 box Th. Oph.	25 00	191 50
Raleigh—St. Augustine's School	14	...	...	5 00	...	...	\$ 1 49	...	...	6 49
Scotland Neck—Junior Auxiliary	13	25	...	1 00	...	...	...	1 box Diocesan	3 00	4 25
Tarboro—Ministering Children's League	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 box Diocesan	10 00	10 00
Warrenton—Junior Auxiliary	36	50	...	2 00	50	...	...	1 box Diocesan	10 00	13 00
Waynesville—Missionary Gleaners	6	15	...	2 00	1 39	...	...	...	...	3 54
Winston—Junior Auxiliary	2	...	...	...	2 00	...	...	...	...	2 00
15 Junior Branches.	416	\$1 90	\$51 00	\$21 29	\$340 12	\$89 18	\$ 1 49	9 boxes	\$88 50	\$593 48

Ridgeway—Junior Auxiliary. }
 Rocky Mount—Junior Auxiliary. } Recently Organized—no report.

JANE R. WILKES, Diocesan Secretary.

MARY E. HORNER, Assistant Secretary for Junior Department.

REPORT OF CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB.

HILLSBOROUGH, NORTH CAROLINA, 30th of March, 1894.

There are 9 parishes connected with the work. we have 14 librarians, 79 contributors, and 100 periodicals and 35 Sunday School papers are sent out regularly for the current year.

I have written since May 1st, 1893, 130 letters and 22 postal cards, and have sent out 24 copies of the second annual report of the C. P. C.

I received \$3.00 for postage and paid out \$3.06. Since the work began in the December of 1890, our diocese has given 4 Bibles, 6 Books, 675 Sunday School Cards, 183 Christmas Cards, 66 Easter Cards, 97 Catechisms, 31 Tracts, 330 Christmas Carols, 286 Easter Carols, 7 Hymnals, 3 Bible-pictures and 2,110 odd numbers of magazines and papers.

I have written what we have given, but time would fail me to tell all that has been received in our diocese from the C. P. C. Upwards of 300 periodicals and 128 Sunday School papers come to North Carolina regularly; 600 books have been given us, 183 Prayer-books, 167 Hymnals, 24 Bibles, 1,400 Christmas Cards, 180 Pictures, 10,000 odd numbers of periodicals, and many, many other things. And I never ask for anything for either clergy or laity—and my requests have been many—that I do not receive more than I ask for. I wish, oh how I wish, that we ourselves would take up this beautiful work in the same eager, earnest spirit, and give as liberally as we receive. In every home there is something in the shape of books, magazines and papers that could be given to others. One story comes from a prison missionary that is heartrending. In a prison where no work is given to the wretched criminals, one woman went raving mad for the want of something to read!—something that would take her thoughts away from her own misery: and he says even the scraps of newspaper that get into the cells by chance are hoarded as if they were some rare and precious thing! The country is full of houses where there is not a book

to be found, nor a picture to break the dull monotony of whitewashed walls. And yet to us all comes down clear as a bugle call through the rolling tide of eighteen centuries: "Gather up the fragments that nothing be lost;" "She hath done what she could;" and "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these My brethren, ye have done it unto Me."

Oh! can we not win those blessed words to ourselves by a little effort, a little kindly thought, yea, if need be, a little self-denial? for there is a word wide enough to touch us all: "If thou hast much, give plenteously. *if thou hast little, do thy diligence gladly to give of that little*, for so thou gatherest a good reward against the day of adversity."

It only means a few minutes of trouble, and a few cents of postage once a week or once a month, to send magazines and papers to others; but oh, it means so much of new interest, new thought, new hope—a new life—to those who receive them.

And now, as last year, I beg you all to unite with me in a daily prayer that a branch of the Church Periodical Club may be established in every parish in our diocese, and the work be carried on with the earnestness and loving charity that will make it a means of grace both for the givers and receivers of its benefits.

REBECCA CAMERON.

NORTH CAROLINA BRANCH OF CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB.

Correspondent, Miss Rebecca Cameron, Hillsboro, N. C.

Parish Librarians.

- No. 1, St. Matthew's, Hillsboro, Miss Helen L. Webb.
- No. 2, Christ, Raleigh, Miss M. M. Potter, 121 W. Morgan St.
- No. 3, St. Luke, Lincolnton, Mrs. M. A. Curtis.
- No. 4, St. Bartholomew, Pittsboro, Miss Hortense Haughton
- No. 5, Epiphany, Leaksville, Mrs. W. S. Martin.
- No. 6, S. Joseph's Chapel, Polk Co., Mrs. Robert Thruston, Ruthfordton.
- No. 7, Vacant.
- No. 8, St. Paul's, Winston, Mrs. Vernon M. Long

- No. 9, Trinity, Asheville, Miss Rose F. Chapman, 139 S. Main Street.
No. 10, Trinity, Scotland Neck, Miss Addie E. Smith.
No. 11, ——— Mrs. S. L. Patterson, Yadkin Valley.
No. 12, ——— Mrs. Collet Leventhorpe, Patterson.
No. 13, ——— Mrs. Rufus Lenoir, Yadkin Valley.
No. 14, St. Stephen's, Oxford, Miss Fanny B. Skinner.
No. 15, Church of the Ascension, Hickory, Mrs. O. W. Royster.
No. 16, ——— Concord, Mrs. James Gibson.
No. 17, St. Mary's, Raleigh, Miss Bessie Patterson.



