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NOONDAY PRAYER FOR MISSIONS.

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

O Lord, Jesus Christ, who in the days of Thy Flesh didst accept the services of faithful women who ministered unto Thee of their substance; be pleased, we humbly ask to bless our endeavors to aid and encourage missionaries. Put into our hearts the things we should do and say to promote Thy glory. Grant that we may never be discouraged under difficulties, but go forward in faith and hope, looking unto Thee. Hear us, and answer this our prayer, for Thine own Name's sake. Amen,

O God, who hast made of one blood all nations of men for to dwell on the face of the whole earth, and didst send Thy blessed Son to preach peace to them that are far off, and to them that are nigh; grant that all men everywhere may seek after Thee and find Thee. Bring the nations into Thy fold and add the heathen to Thine inheritance. And we pray Thee shortly to accomplish the number of Thine elect and to hasten Thy kingdom, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

INTERCESSORY DAYS.

The eve of the feasts of:

ST. ANDREW—Diocesan Missions. At the disposal of Bishop Cheshire.

THE EPIPHANY—Foreign. As designated by the Branch.

THE ANNUNCIATION—Domestic. At the disposal of the Bishop of Asheville, unless otherwise designated.

THE TRANSFIGURATION—Thompson Orphanage.

Diocesan Officers:

President

Mrs. John Wilkes, Charlotte.

Vice-President

Miss Mattie Bailey, Raleigh.

Secretary

Miss Kate Cheshire, Tarborough.

Treasurer

Mrs. Dorian Blair, Greensboro.

Convocational Secretaries

Convocation of Raleigh,

Mrs. R. H. Lewis, Raleigh,

Mrs. R. W. Winston, Durham.

Convocation of Charlotte,

Mrs. John Van Landingham, Charlotte,

Mrs. J. T. Bennett, Wadesboro.

SECRETARY UNITED OFFERING

Miss A. E. Smith, Scotland Neck.

Correspondent C. P. C.

Miss Rebecca Cameron, Hillsboro.

Junior Department

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH,

Mrs. E. G. Rawlings, Wilson.

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE,

Mrs. M. A. Bland, Charlotte.

Babies' Branch

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH,

Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Louisburg.

SECRETARY CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE,

Mrs. Walter J. Smith, Charlotte.

CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS.

ART. I. The name of this society shall be The North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

ART. II. The object of this society is threefold—viz:—Prayer for Missions, Study of Missions and Work for Missions.

ART. III. The officers of this society shall be as follows, a President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, four Convocational Secretaries; two Secretaries and Treasurers for the Juniors and two for the Babies' Branch; Secretaries for the United Offering, and C. P. C.

ART. IV. All the women of the Church are, by baptism, entitled to be members of the Woman's Auxiliary, and this active membership shall be recognized by annual contributions to the Central Fund.

ART. V. There shall be an annual meeting of this society; time and place to be decided by the executive board.

ART. VI. The Diocesan officers constitute the executive board and, under the Bishop, direct the work of this Branch of the Auxiliary.

ART. VII. This Constitution may be altered by a two-thirds vote of any Annual Meeting.

BY LAWS.

1. It shall be the duty of the President to call meetings, preside over them, and have general oversight of the whole work.

2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to act in the absence of the President.

3. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to conduct the correspondence of the society; to prepare for the Bishop and the Diocesan Convention an Annual Report of the work of the Auxiliary and to have printed for circulation a report of the work and of the Annual Meeting.

4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to receive all moneys and disburse the same.

5. It shall be the duty of the Convocational Secretaries to keep in touch with the existing branches and to form new ones.

6. It shall be the duty of the Secretaries and Treasurers of the Junior Auxiliary and of the Babies' Branch to have the oversight of the work in their Branch; to receive all moneys and pay out the same by May 1st; and to send an annual report to the Secretary.

7. It shall be the duty of the Secretary for the United Offering to arouse interest in the fund by correspondence and the circulation of literature.

8. All moneys shall be paid quarterly to the Treasurer; the last payments to be made not later than the first day of May.

REPORT

of the Diocesan Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Bishop at the Convention held in Tarborough, May 16th and 17th, 1907.

Rt. Rev. Father in God:

In reviewing the work of the Woman's Auxiliary for the past year I find that little change has taken place in us externally. We have had a healthy, natural growth; in interest, in offerings and in numbers;—I trust there has been spiritual growth as well.

For the first time since I have been in office there has been no change in the list of Diocesan Officers; and this body, from longer experience, and better knowledge of each other and of their required duties, has done better work. The semi-annual meetings of the Officers and members of the Auxiliary during the sessions of the Convocations have also added to our interest and efficiency; and I would suggest that these meetings be held each fall when there is no Triennial Meeting of the United Auxiliary.

I regret to report the loss, by death, of several valuable parochial officers; but the influence of their life and works is still with us to help us.

I have visited during the past year; the Woman's Auxiliaries of Tarborough; Lawrence; St. Mary's, Edgecombe; Rocky Mount; Eufield; Christ Church, Church of the Good Shepherd, St. Mary's and St. Savior's, Raleigh; Mayodan; Madison; Stoneville; Duke; St. Matthew's, Hillsboro and St. Athanasius, Burlington. The Juniors Auxiliaries of Tarborough; Christ Church, St. Mary's and St. Saviors', Raleigh; Mayodan and Hillsboro.

I have also visited several factory towns; and have endeavored to interest all the branches in our Diocese in the good work which is being done by our Church and her Missionaries among these people. In Duke I organized a branch of the Woman's Auxiliary; and in Mayodan, where I had organized the women a year ago, a branch of Juniors, composed of more than forty factory children.

The work done by the Junior Department this year has been especially encouraging; the old branches have grown and new branches have been formed.

Not quite so many branches have reported a Mission Study Class as did last year; but our women do not forget the Intercessory Days which are very generally observed.

Twenty five years ago a Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was organized in this Diocese, at a meeting of the Convention held in this parish. It was composed of six branches, only FOUR of which are in the present Diocese of North Carolina. Their members amounted to 119; their offering \$261.60. Today we have have 123

branches, including the Junior Department; 2132 members, and our offerings amount to \$4,434.42.

This may sound encouraging; and yet I pray that we may not be satisfied until every Parish and Mission Station has a missionary society; and we are doing not WELL—nor better than we did last year—but the best that is in us.

REPORT OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

Central Fund	\$ 76.43		
United Offering	373.15	Number of Branches	50
Diocesan Missions	510.00		
Domestic Missions	887.00		
Foreign Missions	187.47	Number of Members	953
Apportionment	141.70		
Church Periodical Club	31.22		
Clergy Retiring Fund	147.55	Increase in Money	\$11.84
Specials	211.00		
Collected at Annual Meeting for C. R. F. S.	17.07	Decrease in Value of Miss. Boxes	\$41.69
Collected at Con. of Raleigh	25.60		
Value of Missionary Boxes	887.00	Increase in Members	34
Total	\$3,445.19		

REPORT OF JUNIOR BRANCH.

Central Fund	\$ 13.28		
United Offering	17.39	Number of Branches	34
Diocesan Missions	114.49		
Domestic Missions	234.63	Number of Members	746
Foreign Missions	75.88		
Apportionment	25.45	Increase in Branches	3
Clergy Retiring Fund	12.00		
Church Periodical Club	6.00	Increase in Members	33
Specials	112.55		
Value of Boxes	145.96	Increase in Offering	\$120.04
Total	\$757.63		

REPORT OF BABIES' BRANCH.

Central Fund	\$ 5.46	Number of Branches	39
United Offering	9.00	Number of Members	433
United Work of Babies	3.00		
Apportionment	8.68	Number of Branches in Woman's Auxiliary and Junior Department	123
Diocesan Missions	10.00		
Domestic Missions	98.46	Number of Members	2182
General Missions	10.00		
Bishop Atkinson's Cot.	36.00	Offering	\$4,434.42
Japan	10.00	Total Increase in Offering	\$62.03
China	10.00	Total Increase in Members	128
Clergy Retiring Fund	31.00		
Total	\$231.60		

Besides these regular offerings we have placed on God's Altar this morning a gift;—I know not how much; it may be small; I trust it is great. But whether great or small it is given to Him as a Thank Offering;—that He has caused His light to shine upon us; and that we are allowed to carry that light to those who sit in darkness.

May our offering be precious in His sight!

Respectfully submitted,

KATE CHESHIRE, Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

DIOCESAN—	Bishop Cheshire's Disposal	\$ 278.88
	Roanoke Rapids	75.10
	Duke.....	5.00
	St. Mary's, Edgecombe County	6.00
	Coolemee	6.00
	Mayodan	74.50
	Charlotte Missions	19.00
DOMESTIC—	Thompson Orphanage	408.59
	Bishop Horner's Disposal	170.54
	Bishop Grey—Southern Florida.....	35.27
	St. Agnes' Hospital, St. Augustine's School	22.50
	Alaska	56.25
	St. Paul's School, Beaufort	62.00
FOREIGN—	Miss Babcock's Salary, Japan.....	67.25
	Bishop Cheshire Scholarship, Japan.....	51.25
	Lindsay Patton Scholarship—Bp. McKim's disposal	23.50
	Woman's Building, Soochow	33.50
	Foreign Missions.....	39.82
Apportionment—(General Missions).....		140.70
Church Periodical Club		28.95
Clergy Retiring Fund Society		162.37
Specials.....		143.65
	Total	\$1910.62

UNITED OFFERING.

Balance 1905-1906	\$ 506.77
Woman's Auxiliary 1906-1907.....	373.33
Interest on amount	24.11
Total	\$ 904.21

CENTRAL FUND.

Receipts.	Disbursements.
Balance 1906.....\$ 98.70	Rev. B. Ancell's expenses \$ 8.40
Woman's Auxiliary	Printing
	55.50
Total	Miss Cheshire—Postage.. 14.00
\$190.03	Mrs. Blair—Postage..... 4.38
83.46	Mrs. Blair—Books..... 1.18
Balance.....\$106.57	Total
	\$ 83.46

(over)

SENT DIRECT.

Emmanuel, Stoneville, to Mayodan	\$.35
St. John's, Battleboro, to Mayodan	2.50
St. Timothy, Wilson, to Mayodan	5.00
Heavenly Rest, Middleburg, to Mayodan	2.50
St. Paul's, Monroe, to Thompson Orphanage	4.10
St. Philip's, Durham, to Thompson Orphanage	38.50
Christ Church, Raleigh, to Thompson Orphanage	1.75
St. Mary's School, to Thompson Orphanage	5.00
Emmanuel, Warrenton, to Thompson Orphanage	10.00
Church Saviour, Jackson, to Roanoke Rapids	10.00
St. Alban's, Littleton, to Roanoke Rapids	2.70
Calvary, Tarboro, to St. Mary's, Edgecombe	36.57
Good Shepherd, Raleigh, "Special"	25.00
St. Mary's School, Raleigh, Shanghai	5.00
St. Mary's School, Raleigh, St. Paul's, Beaufort	5.00
Good Shepherd, Ridgeway, to Shanghai	5.50
St. Alban's, Littleton, to C. P. C.	2.02
St. John's, Battleboro, to Thompson Orphanage	11.00
St. Mark's, Halifax, to C. R. F. S.	3.00
Church Saviour, Jackson, "Special"	1.00
Total	\$ 176.49

SPECIALS.

Convocation Missions	\$ 4.00
Jurisdiction of Mexico	5.00
China	1.50
Bishop Rowe, Alaska	6.00
Laura Lemly Scholarship, Balsam, N. C.	10.00
Emily Farish Holt Scholarship, Shanghai, China	50.00
Batts' Cove, N. C.	5.00
St. James', Iredell County	5.00
Chapel at Spray, N. C.	2.00
Domestic Missions	25.00
St. Saviour's, Raleigh	5.00
Rev. Mr. Hilliard's work	5.00
Chinese Famine Sufferers	2.50
Bishop Ingle's work (Hankow), China	5.00
St. Elizabeth's Hospital, Shanghai, China	1.15
Ascension Mission, Advance, N. C.	2.00
Japan	1.00
Albert Smedes Scholarship, Shanghai	5.00
Hospital at Manilla (where Miss Hicks is)	2.50
St. John's, Shanghai	1.00
Total	\$ 143.65

ADELINE CLEVELAND BLAIR,
Treasurer.

MINUTES OF OFFICERS' MEETING.

The Diocesan Officers' of the North Carolina Branch of the Womans Auxiliary held a business meeting in Calvary Chapel, Tarboro N. C., May 16th, 1907, at 11:30

The following officers were present:

Mrs. John Wilkes, President.
 Miss Kate Cheshire, Secretary.
 Mrs. Dorian Blair, Treasurer.
 Mrs. R. H. Lewis,
 Mrs. R. W. Winston,
 Mrs. John T. Bennett,
 Miss Addie Smith,
 Mrs. E. G. Rawlings,
 Mrs. W. J. Smith,
 Mrs. Frank Spruill.

Miss Emery's request that we consider the advisability of limiting representation of Diocesan officers at our Triennial Meetings was duly considered and the followieg resolution adopted.

Resolved:—That four delegates with four alternates from each Diocese be sent to the Triennial Meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Miss Cheshire was requested to prepare certificates for credentials to be used by delegates attending the Triennial Meeting in Richmond, Va., October, 1907.

Miss Cheshire was also asked to have leaflets for United Intercessory services printed, these to be sent upon request of Parochial Secretaries. Meeting adjourned.

KATE S. BENNETT,
 Recording Secretary.

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MINUTES.

At 3:30 Thursday afternoon, May 16th, 1907, The Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of North Carolina assembled in Calvary Chapel, Tarboro, N. C. Bishop Cheshire opened the meeting with prayer, followed by the singing of Hymn 249. Very briefly the Bishop spoke words of welcome and encouragement to this gathering and Mrs. John Wilkes, President of the Auxiliary called us to order. Most graceful and hearty was the welcome extended us by Mrs. Charles Parks, President of the Calvary Branch, Tarboro. Mrs. Wilkes responded for the Auxiliary. Our hearts were full of thankfulness as we listened to Mrs. Wilkes' address and her sketch of the twenty-five years growth of the Auxiliary in this Diocese. Miss Cheshire, Diocesan Secretary, voiced the sentiments of every woman

present when she spoke loving words of appreciation of Mrs. Wilkes' devoted service to the Auxiliary for the past quarter of a century. A rising vote further expressed our satisfaction with our honored President.

Mrs. Dorian H. Blair, Treasurer, read her report. Mrs. Blair urged all Parish Branches to send money direct to her, thereby saving trouble and confusion.

Mrs. R. H. Lewis, gave us a concise account of work done for the past year in the District of Wake.

Mrs. R. W. Winston, of Durham, her co-laborer in the Raleigh Convocation gave us ideas for future improvement as well as facts of work accomplished.

Much to the regret of the Auxiliary Mrs. John Van Landingham, of Charlotte, was detained at home by sickness in her family.

Mrs. John T. Bennett reported for the District of Guilford, Convocation of Charlotte, her work being confined to writing the various Branches in this District and endeavoring to stimulate interest in our Jubilee Offering and in Mission Study. The death of three parochial officers was mentioned and much deplored, viz:

Mrs. Thos. R. Sharpe for many years President of Leaksville Branch Woman's Auxiliary.

Mrs. Robt. E. Gibson President All Saints' Woman's Auxiliary, Concord, N. C.

Mrs. M. E. MacCauley the faithful Secretary of St. Paul's Woman's Auxiliary, Monroe, N. C.

Miss Addie Smith of Scotland Neck, our able Secretary for the United Offering made a report showing the Diocesan Branches are unusually interested in our next Triennial Offering to be made in Richmond, Va., October, 1907.

The United Offering is nearing the \$1000.00 mark with one more collection to be taken.

Owing to continued ill health our faithful Secretary of the Church Periodical Club, Miss Rebecca Cameron, was unable to be present. Miss Cheshire read her report.

Miss Cameron resigned her office, but this resignation was not accepted.

Miss Jarvis of Connecticut was then introduced to the Auxiliary.

A letter from Miss Emery, read by Mrs. Wilkes, asked that the North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary observe St. Matthew's Day, September 21st, 1907, as a day of special intercession for our mission work.

A most gratifying letter from Miss Emery on the subject of the Apportionment for North Carolina was read by Miss Cheshire.

Apportioned \$320.00, the North Carolina Branch has given \$413.67.

Roll Call by the Diocesan Secretary followed. The number

of Diocesan officers and the unusually good attendance of delegates showed how deeply our hearts have been aroused by the "Silver Jubilee Offering".

As the Parishes were called many of their representatives gave us hints for future use and enthusiastic words speaking increased interest in every form of mission work.

Miss Addie Smith made a plea for the work of our Church in Duke, N. C. It is desired to place our efforts in this new mill town on a practical basis.

Rev. J. J. Chapman of Kanazawa, Japan, to whom we had listened with so much interest in Calvary Church Wednesday night gave us a ten minute talk about his work in Kanazawa. This missionary with one native helper occupied a thickly populated field as large as the State of North Carolina.

His account of the embroidery school in Kanazawa and the exhibition of his stoles fashioned and embroidered by Japanese women was most interesting to us all.

At 6:00 o'clock the meeting adjourned and the delegates and visitors assembled at the residence of Mr. S. S. Nash where a reception was given by Calvary Parish to the members of Convention and the Woman's Auxiliary.

Friday morning at 10:30 the Woman's Auxiliary and many in the Junior ranks gathered in Calvary Church to attend our long anticipated Jubilee Service. It was a Jubilee indeed. From the first ringing notes of Hymn 580 till the two hundred or more communicants had received the soul-strengthening food of the communion administered by our Bishop assisted by faithful Priests, there was devout attention to the service. Particularly happy was the magnificent tribute paid by Rev. Harris Mallinckrodt to the work and love of Woman all over the world.

Mr. Mallinckrodt chose for his text 13th, 14th and 15th verses of the forty-fifth Psalm.

The silver offering was collected by the four Deacons—Crosby, Brown, Blackwelder and Trott and received by Rev. Alfred Berkeley during the singing of Hymn 478. This offering amounted to \$755.00.

This service held in the Church of such lovely proportions and hallowed memories, enhanced by beautiful music will be a life long delight to those who were fortunate enough to participate in it.

Immediately after service Rev. Thaddeus Cheatham of Wilson read the report of our Diocesan Secretary to the Bishop and the Convention called to order for that purpose.

From our happy Jubilee Service the Auxiliary met in Calvary Chapel and was called to order by Mrs. R. W. Winston.

Roll Call during the meetings showed one hundred and three delegates present besides many visitors.

Minutes of Diocesan officers meeting were read and approved.

The discussion of leaflets to be used at the Intercessory services was taken up.

The Auxiliary decided to use the same form of service as heretofore and the Diocesan Secretary was requested to have 1,000 of these leaflets printed for distribution to the various Parochial Branches.

A telegram of greeting from the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of East Carolina was read.

The resolution concerning the advisability of restricting the attendance of Diocesan Officers at Triennial Meetings was fully discussed, the members present agreeing with the Diocesan Officers in the following resolution.

Resolved:—That four delegates—with four alternates—from each Diocese be sent to the Triennial Meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Mrs. DeLaCroix of Oxford was asked to give us some particulars of the work of Miss Ellen Hicks, of Oxford, who is the only woman from the Diocese of North Carolina at work in a far distant field. Miss Hicks is a trained nurse of experience and has been at work under Bishop Brent in the Philippines. She is temporarily in the United States. It was moved, seconded and carried that Miss Hicks' work in Manila be added to our next pledge list.

Meeting adjourned.

At 3:30 p. m., May 18th, one of the most interesting of our sessions was held.

This meeting was attended by representatives from various Branches of the Junior Auxiliary as well as by the Seniors.

Mrs. S. D. Rawlings, Secretary of the Junior Auxiliary in the Convocation of Raleigh, gave us an account of magnificent work done by the Juniors.

She noted one new Branch, Holy Innocents, Henderson.

St. Mary's School is in the lead.

Miss Cheshire read us a letter from Mrs. M. A. Bland Secretary Junior Auxiliary in Charlotte Convocation.

Mrs. Bland reported 3 new Branches formed and bright hopes for future gifts and study among the Juniors.

Miss Cheshire with her cordial, tactful manner welcomed the Juniors, their mothers, aunts and leaders. The Tarboro Juniors attended and their report showed them to be a compact, well organized body.

An interesting account of the work done by the Babies' Branch in the Convocation of Raleigh was read by their Secretary Mrs. Frank Spruill.

Mrs. W. J. Smith to whose heartfelt and untiring efforts much of the success of the Babies' Branch in this Diocese is due read her report as Secretary of this department in the Charlotte Convocation.

As the Silver Offering had not reached the \$1000.00 mark a

collection amounting to \$18.64 was taken up and Miss Cheshire received further pledges from individuals and parish branches. The greatest enthusiasm prevailed and our offering speedily climbed to \$921.00. Later payments showed us to have given more than 1000 silver dollars to be used for some Diocesan work not yet decided on.

Artistic and beautiful silk bags in which the offerings from various Branches were laid on the altar were exhibited.

A collection for Miss Hicks' work was taken up and amounted to \$17.30

Miss Jarvis of Connecticut made a most interesting address on the mission work of our Church in various fields.

Her talk was given mainly to the Juniors but older heads found pleasant information in it. Miss Jarvis is a fluent, graceful speaker and exemplified the Chinese expression of Christian workers, those with "the light in their faces". She answered several questions asked her by Junior Directors then gave us a graphic account of the work of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton in the Philippines, among the Igorotes.

With a rising vote of thanks to the Tarboro ladies who did so much to make this never-to-be-forgotten Annual Meeting a success the Auxiliary adjourned to meet next year in Raleigh.

Respectfully submitted,

KATE S. BENNETT,
Recording Secretary.

After the regular business session an adjourned meeting of the Junior Auxiliary was held and Rev. Alfred Berkeley gave an informal talk on the life and experiences of a missionary in a factory town.

From 6:00 o'clock to 7:00 Mrs. Stamps Howard delightfully entertained the members of the Auxiliary, their visitors and friends.

At 8:00 o'clock on Friday evening was held the last great service of our Jubilee Meeting. Bishop Cheshire gave an interesting sketch of the work of the Auxiliary in his Diocese; and strong missionary addresses were made by the Rev. Mr. Cheatham on General Missions; Rev. Mr. Barber on Foreign Missions, and Rev. Mr. Berkeley on Missions to the Children. An additional offering of \$35.85 was made for the Silver Jubilee Fund.

LIST OF PARISH BRANCHES AND OFFICERS.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE.

Battleboro—*St. John's*
Mrs. H. B. Marriott, President; Miss Mary Philips, Secretary and Treasurer.

Enfield—*Church of the Advent*
Mrs. H. S. Harrison, President; Mrs. Frank Pippen, Vice-President; Mrs. Gregory, Secretary and Treasurer.

Edgecombe—*St. Mary's*

Halifax—*St. Mark's*
Mrs. T. W. Fenner, President; Mrs. George Gilliam, Secretary and Treasurer.

Jackson—*Church of the Savior*
Miss L. H. Whitfield, President; Miss S. E. Peebles, Vice President; Miss Harriet Bowen, Secretary and Treasurer.

Lawrence—*Grace Chapel*
Mrs. A. D. Knight, President; Mrs. Williams, Vice-President; Mrs. Cary Lawrence, Secretary and Treasurer.

Roanoke Rapids—
Mrs. H. C. Cooper, President; Mrs. J. L. Patterson, Vice-President; Mrs. W. S. Saunders, Secretary and Treasurer.

Rocky Mount—*Good Shepherd*
Mrs. B. H. Bunn, President; Mrs. D. W. Thorpe, Vice-President; Mrs. E. G. Muse, Secretary and Treasurer.

Scotland Neck—*Trinity*
Miss A. E. Smith, President; Mrs. J. H. Smith, Vice-President; Mrs. Rebe Shields, Secretary; Miss N. E. Smith, Treasurer.

Tarborough—*Calvary*
Mrs. Charles Parks, President; Miss A. C. Parker, Secretary; Mrs. R. I. Farrar, Treasurer.

Thelma—*St. Luke's*
Miss Ida Pugh, Secretary and Treasurer.

Weldon—*Grace*
Mrs. Eva Davis, President; Mrs. T. C. Harrison, Vice-President; Mrs. E. G. Taylor, Secretary; Mrs. C. L. Clark, Treasurer.

Wilson—St. Timothy's

Mrs. H. G. Connor, President; Mrs. J. C. Hales, Vice-President; Mrs. Minnie H. Murray, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE.

Chapel Hill—Chapel of The Cross

Mrs. J. C. Graves, President; Mrs. R. W. Prince, Secretary and Treasurer.

Durham—St. Philip's

Mrs. R. W. Winston, President; Mrs. Saunders, Vice-President; Mrs. R. L. Thompson, Secretary; Mrs. W. A. Graham, Treasurer.

Henderson—Holy Innocents

Mrs. W. W. Parker, President; Miss Amy Butler, Secretary; Mrs. A. S. Davis, Treasurer.

Hillsboro—St. Matthew's

Miss Henrietta Collins, President; Mrs. Wm. Hayes, Vice-President; Miss Rebecca Cameron, Secretary; Miss Lily Hamilton, Treasurer.

Oxford—St. Stephen's

Mrs. N. M. Ferebee, President; Miss M. E. Horner, Vice-President; Mrs. J. C. Horner, Secretary; Mrs. Louis DeLaCroix, Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF WAKE.

Duke—

Mrs. Richard Johnston, President; Mrs. T. Ralph, Secretary and Treasurer.

Littletown—St. Alban's

Miss Ruby Vinson, President; Mrs. J. Pippen, Vice-President; Miss Lucy Capehart, Secretary and Treasurer.

Louisburg—St. Paul's

Mrs. John London, President; Mrs. F. S. Spruill, Secretary; Mrs. Wm. H. Ruffin, Treasurer.

Middleburg—Church of the Heavenly Rest

Mrs. Herbert Church, President; Mrs. Fannie A. Carroll, Secretary, Miss Kate Plummer, Treasurer.

Pittsboro—St. Bartholomew's

Mrs. S. J. Haughton, President; Mrs. Wm. London, Secretary and Treasurer.

Raleigh—Christ Church

Mrs. Parker, President; Mrs. F. H. Bushbee, Vice-President; Miss Annie L. Devereux, Secretary; Mrs. K. P. Battle, Jr., Treasurer.

Raleigh—Good Shepherd

Mrs. I. McK. Pittenger, President; Miss Mattie H. Bailey, Vice-President; Mrs. Jas. E. Shepherd, Secretary; Mrs. J. B. Cheshire, Treasurer.

Raleigh—St. Mary's

Miss Eleanor W. Thomas, President; Miss J. B. Sutton, Vice-President; Miss Kate McKimmon, Secretary; Miss A. B. Smith, Treasurer.

*Raleigh—St. Savior's**Ridgeway—Good Shepherd*

Miss Lucy Edwards, Secretary and Treasurer.

Southern Pines—Emmanuel

Mrs. G. H. Locey, President; Mrs. Chatfield, Secretary; Mrs. Florence E. Beck, Treasurer.

Warrenton—Emmanuel

Mrs. Wm. White, President; Mrs. H. L. Falkener, Secretary; Miss Nannie White, Treasurer.

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.**DISTRICT OF GUILFORD.***Germantown—*

Miss Mollie Hill, Secretary and Treasurer.

Winston—St. Paul's

Mrs. J. C. Buxton, President; Mrs. Pride Jones, Vice-President; Mrs. Clement Manly, Secretary and Treasurer.

Burlington—St. Athanasius

Mrs. Finley Williamson, President; Mrs. Gant, Vice-President; Mrs. Erwin Holt, Secretary and Treasurer.

Greensboro—St. Andrew's

Mrs. Dorian Blair, President; Mrs. N. A. Stedman, Vice-President; Mrs. Joseph Dean, Secretary; Mrs. Maria Pope, Treasurer.

Greensboro—St. Barnabas

Mrs. D. A. Staples, President; Mrs. S. G. Taylor, Vice-President; Mrs. A. L. Joyner, Secretary; Mrs. K. A. McDuffie, Treasurer.

High Point—St. Mary's

Mrs. W. L. Mellichampe, President; Mrs. Galt, Vice-President; Mrs. Tidman, Secretary and Treasurer.

Leaksville—Epiphany

Mrs. W. S. Martin, Secretary and Treasurer.

Madison—St. John's

Mrs. J. M. Gallaway, President; Mrs. Pratt, Vice-President; Mrs. John Roach, Secretary and Treasurer.

Mayodan—Church of the Messiah

Mrs. Wm. C. Ruffin, President; Mrs. John Ault, Secretary and Treasurer.

Stoneville—Emmanuel

Miss Annie L. Smith, President; Miss L. M. Stephens, Secretary and Treasurer.

Walnut Cove—Christ Church

Mrs. Blackburn, Vice-President; Miss Maggie Adams, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG.

Bristow—St. Mark's

Mrs. E. M. McCoy, President; Miss Esther McCoy, Secretary and Treasurer.

Charlotte—St. Peter's

Mrs. Harris Mallinckrodt, President; Mrs. W. R. Tallieferro, Vice-President; Mrs. W. J. Smith, Secretary; Miss Laura Orr, Treasurer.

Dilworth—Holy Comforter

Mrs. J. F. Yorke, Vice-President; Mrs. S. A. Van Every, Secretary; Miss Mildred Bispham, Treasurer.

Monroe—St. Paul's

Mrs. J. M. Fairley, President; Mrs. J. D. Parker, Secretary and Treasurer.

Wadesboro—Calvary

Mrs. J. T. Bennett, President; Mrs. T. A. Marshall, Secretary and Treasurer.

DISTRICT OF ROWAN.

Advance—Ascension Mission

Miss Ruth Hairston, Secretary, Miss Agnes Hairston, Treasurer.

Concord—All Saints'

Mrs. M. L. Brown, Vice-President; Mrs. James Gibson, Secretary; Mrs. Gowan Dusenbury, Treasurer.

Cooleemee—Good Shepherd

Mrs. J. H. L. Rice, President; Mrs. J. D. Jones, Vice-President; Miss Ola Brown, Secretary and Treasurer.

Lexington—Grace

Mrs. G. W. Montcastle, President; Mrs. Joel Hill, Secretary and Treasurer.

Salisbury—St. Luke's

Mrs. F. J. Murdock, President; Mrs. Isenhour, Vice-President; Mrs. Mary O. Linton, Secretary; Miss Mary Evans, Treasurer.

**CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH
DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE**

Increase in Members 16
Increase in Offerings \$131.57

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE

Total 175 \$13 90 \$ 81 14 \$ 49 51 \$ 3 81 \$17 00 \$ 3 00 \$ 3 00 \$ 3 00 \$11 00 \$ 1 00 \$ 1 00 \$ 150 60 \$10 25 \$ 74 50 \$ 2 58 \$14 77 \$10 00 \$ 9 00 \$23 00 \$ 9 50 \$12 00 \$ 8 00 \$ 8 00 \$ 8 00 \$ 90 00 \$ 28 80 \$ 7 50 \$ 48 00 \$ 17 00 \$ 618 76 5 \$ 151 00 \$ 769 76

DISTRICT OF WAKE.

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE DISTRICT OF CHILFORD

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD

Total 171 \$ 9 53 \$ 70 26 \$ 35 50 \$ 4 85 \$ 8 \$ 8 \$ 15 35 \$ 66 \$ 66 \$ 71 25 \$ 11 23 \$ 20 00 \$ 3 93 \$ 4 00 \$ 3 00 \$ 11 75 \$ 12 00 \$ 7 00 \$ 1 50 \$ 1 00 \$ 8 25 \$ 2 15 \$ 21 50 \$ 7 35 \$ 19 30 \$ 75 50 \$ 416 20 \$ 4 \$ 116 60 \$ 582 80

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG

DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN, D.C.		18 8 1 80 \$		\$ 45 00		\$ 5 50		\$ 5 00		\$ 1 00		\$ 3 00		\$ 2 45		\$ 4 00		\$ 5 00		\$ 1 15		\$ 10 00		\$ 2 50		\$ 50 00		\$ 126 60		\$ 24 10		\$ 8 10		\$ 43 25		\$ 39 75		\$ 83 00			
Bristow		65		6 50		45 00		5 00		15 00		1 00		3 00		2 45		4 00		5 00		1 15		10 00		2 50		50 00		126 60		24 10		8 10		43 25		39 75		\$ 128 60	
Charlotte, St. Peter's		16		1 60		5 00		12 00		4 10		4 50		2 00		1 00		1 00		5 00		4 00		4 00		48 25		1		2 00		\$ 17 11		\$ 17 11							
Charlotte, Dilworth		14		2 50		1 50		5 50		12 00		4 50		2 00		1 00		1 00		5 00		4 00		4 00		48 25		2		39 75		\$ 83 00									
Monroe		17		1 70		5 50		5 00		1 55																								\$ 33 10							
Wadesboro																																\$ 25 00									

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CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH **SUMMARY TABLE**

1. *What is the primary purpose of the study?*

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

District of Guilford	171	\$ 9 53	\$ 70 26	\$ 35 50	\$ 4 85	\$ 5	\$ 15 35	\$ 71 25	\$ 11 23	\$ 20 00	\$ 3 93	\$ 4 00	\$ 3 00	\$ 11 75	\$ 12 00	\$ 7 00	\$ 1 50	\$ 1 00	\$ 8 25	\$ 2 15	\$ 21 50	\$ 7 35	\$ 19 30	\$ 75 50	\$ 416 20	4	\$ 116 60	\$ 532 80
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Communion Alms and Collection for Clergy Retiring Fund Society
Collected at Convocation of Raieigh for Mayodan -
Collected at Convocation of Raleigh for Roanoke Rapids -

\$3445 19

In Memoriam

Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord.

MRS. THOS. R. SHARPE,
President of the Woman's Auxiliary, Leaksville.

MRS. FOUGHT,
President of the Woman's Auxiliary, Walnut Cove.

MRS. M. E. McCUALEY,
Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary, Monroe.

MRS. R. E. GIBSON,
President of the Woman's Auxiliary, Concord.

MRS. T. C. GUTHRIE,
President of the Woman's Auxiliary, Dilworth.

THE BABIES' BRANCH

OF THE

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

OF

NORTH CAROLINA

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH

TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT

APRIL, 1907.

Little Baby Helpers
Greet us here again,
Each with baby pennies
In its tiny hand.

Sending out glad tidings
Over seas and lands,
Sending forth their pennies
From their baby hands.

Sending to the regions
Of the frozen North;
Sending to the Islands
Of the torrid South.

Helping other babies,
Helping aged men,
Helping weary mothers,
Helping heart and hand.

Help from Baby Helpers
To those of aid in need
Is winged with a blessing—
Is help Divine, indeed!

When in day of Judgment
The Heavens are unrolled,
Every penny given
Will be harp of gold.

Suffer little children,
Said the Christ of old,
Suffer little children
To enter in the fold.

Theirs the crown of glory!
Theirs the smile of joy!
Theirs the sweetest story!
Baby girl and boy!

STATISTICAL REPORT

Parishes	25
Baby Helpers	301
Baby Pennies	15,668

The pennies were employed as follows:

Thompson Orphanage	\$ 50.00
Clergymen's Retiring Fund	25.00
Bishop Atkinson Cot (Holy Trinity, Tokio, Japan)	20.00
General Missions	10.00
Silver Jubilee Offering	10.00
Valle Crucis	10.00
Missions in Raleigh Convocation	5.00
Mayodan	5.00
Bishop Rowe, Alaska	5.00
Woman's Building, Soochow	5.00
United Offering	5.00
Memorial Kindergarten, Akita, Japan	5.00
Apportionment	1.68
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	\$156.68

“God bless all the missionaries all over the world, and all the little helpers, for Jesus sake. Amen!”

“And Jesus called a little child unto Him and set him in the midst of them, and said,

“Verily I say unto you, except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven.

“Whosoever, therefore, shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

“And whoso shall receive one such little child in My name, receiveth Me.”

REPORT OF

MRS. F. S. SPRUILL, SECRETARY AND TREASURER,

LOUISBURG, N. C.

PARISH	DIRECTOR	Babies.	AMT.
Battleboro	Mrs. H. B. Marriott	6	\$ 3.20
Chapel Hill	Mrs. W. D. Toy	5	2.59
Duke	Miss Carrie Herndon	6	2.00
Durham	Miss Gertrude Winston	27	7.00
Enfield	Miss Mabel Curtis	4	2.92
Henderson.	Miss Claudia Hunter	12	7.30
Hillsboro	Mrs. Paxson Watters	13	9.50
Kittrell	Miss Cora Hunt	2	1.00
Lawrence	Mrs. Willie Knight	3	1.15
Littleton	Miss Carrie H. Moore	18	5.00
Louisburg..	Mrs. F. S. Spruill	28	15.48
Middleburg	Mrs. H. M. Church	6	2.50
Oxford	Miss Maud Parham	16	10.05
Pittsboro	Mrs. William L. London	5	5.00
Raleigh (Christ).	Miss Mary P. Ashe	22	9.11
Raleigh (Good Shepherd)	Miss Patsy Carroll	40	11.59
Ridgeway...	Mrs. J. D. Scott	3	1.55
Rocky Mount	Mrs. Geo. L. Wimberly, Jr.	12	10.00
Scotland Neck.	Miss Mary W. Smith	8	5.15
Stovall	Mrs. C. L. Lewis	3	5.04
Selma..	Mrs. Robert Ashworth	4	2.50
Tarboro.	Miss Annie Gray Nash	38	19.60
Weldon	Mrs. T. C. Harrison	9	6.00
Wilson.	Miss Kate Connor	9	2.75
Williamsboro	Mrs. N. D. Boyd	2	1.00
Special Offering..			7.70
	TOTAL	301	\$156.68

"SUFFER THE LITTLE CHILDREN TO COME UNTO ME AND FORBID

THEM NOT; FOR OF SUCH IS THE KINGDOM OF GOD."

REPORT OF UNITED OFFERING.

As Secretary of the United Offering I extend the cordial thanks of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Women of the Diocese, to whose noble efforts we are indebted for the sum which the Treasurer reports \$904.21, and with the prospect of another offering in September, there should be a goodly sum carried to Richmond in October. I distinctly recall the feeling of timidity which came over some of us when the idea of a United Offering was first broached—For it was to be over and above the regular work of the Auxiliary. In 1886 the little sum of \$82.00 was carried home in a handkerchief. Then came the request for \$56,000.00 to endow the Bishopric of Alaska. It was promptly met, and with each triennial, the mark has steadily grown higher, until it reached the \$150,000.00 in 1906. The Diocese of North Carolina sent \$1,000.00 as her share in that. What will be our portion in this our Silver Jubilee Year? The use which is made of this money is far reaching in its results. There are 52 women workers who are dependent on the United Offering for their support. There are 15 of this number sent to the State of North Carolina, 6 to our Diocese, 6 to Asheville, and 3 to East Carolina.

I would like to call your attention to one fact, that it is partly due to this Diocese that we have a United Offering in a United Church. Only two Southern Bishops attended the General Convention which met in Philadelphia in 1865. Bishop Lay, Missionary Bishop of Arkansas, Bishop Atkinson of North Carolina. The Diocesan Convention had elected your former beloved rector, Rev. Jos. B. Cheshire the clerical delegate, and Mr. R. H. Smith of Scotland Neck the lay delegate. In the Memorial Sermon on Bishop Atkinson which Bishop Lay delivered before the Convention of North Carolina, May 18th, 1881, he says, "To the tact, the gentleness, the manly outspokenness of Bishop Atkinson the church is indebted for the honorable result of this venture." A lay delegate from Tennessee told a lady (not being aware that she had ever known him) that the conservative conduct of Mr. Richard H. Smith in the House of Lay Delegates, was equally effective. People urged Dr. Cheshire not to go, for fear of some harm happening to him in those troublous times. But they spoke to the wrong man. If there ever was a soldier of Christ ready to fight under the Banner of the Cross, he was one. This place, this occasion, stir up feelings of loyalty and reverence for him which must have utterance. Trinity Church, Scotland Neck, claims a share in the tribute paid to him by loving hearts.

Reported at Annual Meeting 1906,	\$506.77
Interest	24.11
Collected 1906-1907	373.33
Total	\$904.21

ADELAIDE E. SMITH, Secretary United Offering.

SIXTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CHURCH
PERIODICAL CLUB.

1906-1907.		
Christ Church, Raleigh	- - -	\$9.00
St. Andrew's, Greensboro	- - -	6.00
St. Matthew's, Hillsboro	- - -	3.00
St. Philip's, Durham	- - -	2.00
Holy Innocents, Henderson	- - -	1.00
Emmanuel, Stoneville	- - -	.15
Trinity, Scotland Neck	- - -	2.60
St. Barnabas, Greensboro	- - -	1.20
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	- - -	2.50
St. Stephen's, Oxford	- - -	1.50
Total	- - -	\$28.95

LIST OF PARISH BRANCHES OF THE C. P. C. AND THEIR LIBRARIANS:

- No. 1. St. Matthew's Parish, Hillsboro—Miss Helen L. Webb.
- No. 2. Christ Church, Raleigh—Miss Emma Karrer.
- No. 3. Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh—Miss Annie C. Hill.
- No. 4. Holy Innocents, Henderson—Mrs. Maurice O'Neal.
- No. 5. Epiphany, Leaksville—Mrs. W. S. Martin.
- No. 6. Rockingham Mission—No Librarian.
- No. 7. St. Paul's, Monroe—Mrs. S. S. Wolfe.
- No. 8. St. Paul's, Winston-Salem—No Librarian.
- No. 9. St. Philip's, Durham—Mrs. J. B. Hunter.
- No. 10. Trinity, Scotland Neck—Miss Addie E. Smith.
- No. 11. Grace Church, Warrenton—No Librarian.
- No. 12. Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill—Miss Nellie B. Barbee.
- No. 13. St. Andrew's, Greensboro—Mrs. J. R. Donnell.
- No. 14. St. Stephen's, Oxford—Miss Biggs.
- No. 15. St. Barnabas, Greensboro—Mrs. Chas. M. Stedman.
- No. 16. All Saints, Concord—Mrs. James Gibson.
- No. 17. St. Mary's School, Raleigh—Miss Kate McKimmon.
- No. 18. Emmanuel Mission, Southern Pines—No Librarian.
- No. 19. St. Peter's Church, Charlotte—Mrs. M. A. Bland.
- No. 20. St. Albans, Littleton—Miss Lucy Goode Capehart.
- No. 21. St. Timothy's, Wilson—No Librarian.
- No. 22. St. Luke's, Salisbury—No Librarian.
- No. 23. Calvary, Wadesboro—Mrs. Eugene Little.
- No. 24. St. Paul's, Louisburg—Mrs. F. S. Spruill.
- No. 25. Cooleemee Mission—Miss Ruth W. Hairston.
- No. 26. High Point—Mrs. E. P. Parker.

JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

Honored President, Secretary and The Women of the Auxiliary:

I submit for your consideration, the report of the Junior Auxiliary of the Convocation of Raleigh, for May 1906-1907.

Members	438
Branches	20
Branches Organized	1
Branches not Reporting	2
Branches not Active	3

The gifts of the Juniors were designated for the following general objects and have been disbursed accordingly:

Central	\$ 9.52
United Offering	10.55
Diocesan Missions	68.77
Domestic Missions	81.00
Foreign Missions	62.75
Clergy Retiring Fund	12.00
Thompson Orphanage	85.39
Apportionment	22.04
Church Periodical Club	6.00
Diocesan Specials	112.55
	<u>\$470.57</u>
Boxes 11 (valued)	84.31
	<u>\$554.88</u>

This year St. Mary's School again leads the Juniors:

Members 125 Gifts \$175.39

The Good Shepherd branch at Rocky Mount fills the second place:

Members 16 Gifts \$112.82

		Members	Gifts
St. Matthew's	Hillsboro	11	\$ 73.20
St. Philip's	Durham	20	38.50
St. Timothy's	Wilson	18	29.30
Calvary	Tarboro	20	29.00
Trinity S. S.	Scotland Neck	40	28.29
Good Shepherd	Raleigh	20	21.00
St. Paul's	Louisburg	6	9.75
Grace	Weldon	7	9.24
Christ Church S. S.	Raleigh	102	7.97
Our Saviour	Jackson	6	7.12
Good Shepherd	Ridgeway	6	6.60
Holy Innocents	Henderson	12	5.00
Emmanuel Missions	Southern Pine	15	4.65

TO THE JUNIORS OF THE CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

MY DEAR JUNIORS:

The pledge (\$40.00) to the Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo, Japan, for the tuition of Yoshio has been paid. \$26.25 by ten branches of this Convocation. The Secretary of the Convocation of Charlotte reported Four (\$4.00) from two branches. The deficit (\$9.75) has been drawn from the Central Fund and forwarded as a gift from you.

The Central Fund has been further depleted by eight dollars (\$8.00) paid Treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary for printing Journal and Two Dollars (\$2.00) for incidentals.

There remains in bank	\$33.47
The United Offering, up-to-date, is	43.09
Interest	3.79
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	\$46.87

Will you not join with the Convocation of Charlotte and strive to place on the Alms Basin at the Triennial Meeting at Richmond, one hundred shining gold dollars, a gift from the Juniors of the Diocese of North Carolina, worthy of Him who has made childhood the days of pleasantness and peace?

Sincerely yours,
SALLY D. RAWLINGS.

LIST OF OFFICERS JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH.

St. Philip's—Durham
 Director, Mrs. W. L. Wall. Secretary, Gladys Toillefero.
 Treasurer, Mary Louise Manning.

St. Mark's—Halifax
 Director, Mrs. W. E. Fenner.

St. Matthew's—Hillsboro
 Director, Mrs. Paxson Walters.

Church of Our Saviour—Jackson
 Director, Miss L. N. Whitfield. Secretary, Miss Annie Calvert.

St. Paul's—Louisburg
 Director, Miss Mary K. London.

St. Stephen's—Oxford
 Mary Lippet Chapter—Pittsboro

Christ Church S. S.—Raleigh
 Director, Col. F. A. Olds. Treasurer, Miss Mabel Massey.

St. Saviour's Chapel—
 Director, Miss Annie Root.

Church of the Good Shepherd—
 Directors, Misses Pittenger and Sarah Cheshire. Treasurer,
 Miss Bertha Holmon.

St. Mary's School—
 Director, Miss Kate McKimmon.

Church of the Good Shepherd—Ridgeway
 Director, Mrs. Jas. D. Scott. Secretary, Miss Annie Collins.

Church of the Good Shepherd—Rocky Mount
 Director, Mrs. R. B. Owens. Secretary, Mrs. Clarence Morton.
 Treasurer, Miss Maud Bunn.

Trinity Church—Scotland Neck
 Director, Mrs. G. S. White.

Emmanuel Mission—Southern Pines
 Director, Rev. H. T. Gregory.

Holy Innocents—Henderson
 President, Miss Lula Shannon. Secretary, Miss Florence
 Butler. Treasurer, Miss Lucile Brody.

Calvary Church—Tarboro
 Director, Miss Sallie D. Pender. Secretary, Miss Mary
 Bourne. Treasurer, Miss Sally Pender.

Gilbert Higgs Chapter—Warrenton

Grace Church—Weldon

St. Timothy's—Wilson
 Director, Mrs. Jesse B. Williams. Secretary and Treasurer,
 Miss Helen B. Rawlings.

TO THE JUNIORS OF THE CONVOOATION OF CHARLOTTE:

It is with unfeigned pleasure that I review the work of the Juniors in this Convocation in the past year. The report is most gratifying, the more so that the keynote is more and better work next year. In a few cases the work has fallen short of last year's, but in each case with good reason.

I wish to urge Directors, Officers and Juniors to study, work, pray, give, keep the interest alive, interest others both in and out of their own parish. Every parish however small or weak should have a Junior Branch. Let us put our shoulder to the wheel and strive to have every son and daughter of the Church taught their duty towards the Church's Missionary work, and impress upon them that it should be their pleasure as well as duty to do their part towards fulfilling our Saviour's command "Go ye and preach the Gospel to every creature."

Your gifts for 1906-1907 have been distributed as follows:

Cash

Central Fund	-	-	\$ 3.76
United Offering	-	-	6.89
Diocesan Missions	-	-	45.72
Thompson Orphanage	-	-	19.96
Domestic Missions	-	-	45.28
Foreign Missions	-	-	13.13
General Missions	-	-	341
			\$138.15

Boxes

Diocesan (6) value	-	-	\$56.65
Domestic (1) value	-	-	5.00
			\$61.65

Total - - - \$199.80

Branches reporting this year 12. Branches reporting last year 9.

Total in cash and boxes this year	-	-	\$199.80
Total in cash and boxes last year	-	-	112.77
Total increase this year	-	-	\$ 87.03

In the coming year let us take these for our watch words, prayer, study, work, naturally gifts will follow.

Yours faithfully,

MARGARET C. BLAND.

JUNIOR AUXILIARY, CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE.

PARISH BRANCHES.

Charlotte—(Dilworth) Holy Comforter
 Director, Miss Mildred Bispham

Charlotte—(Thompson Opphanage) St. Mary's the Virgin
 President and Treasurer, Rev. W. J. Smith. Vice-President,
 Miss Kate Capehart. Secretary, Miss Anuie Love
 Jones.

Charlotte—St. Peter's
 Director, Mrs. H. C. Jones. Secretary, Miss Mary Morgan
 Myers. Treasurer, Miss Marguerite C. Sprungs.

Coolemee—Good Shepherd
 Director, Mrs. Henry Rice.

Greensboro—St. Andrew's
 Director, Mrs. W. H. Ballard. President, Miss Frances
 Key. Secretary, Miss Anna Williams. Treasurer, Miss
 Sallie Boyd.

Greensboro—St. Barnabas

Lexington—Grace Church
 Director, Mrs. Joel Hill. President, Lloyd R. Hunt. Sec-
 retary, Elmer Berrier. Treasurer, Miss Frank Robbins.

Mayodan—Church of the Messiah
 Director, Miss Emma Karrer.

Mecklenburg County—St. Mark's
 Director, Miss Fannie L. Whitley.

Mocksville—St. Philip's
 Director, Mrs. Adolphus Griffin.

Monroe—St. Paul's
 President, Miss Katie Fairley. Secretary, Miss Beatrice
 Dillon. Treasurer, Miss Caroline Parker.

Salisbury—St. Luke's
 Director, Mr. T. F. Young.

Salisbury—St. Hilda's
 Director, Mrs. W. H. Stewart.

Statesville—Trinity
 President, Mrs. C. H. Armfield. Secretary, Mrs. J. S.
 Ramsey.

Wadesboro—Calvary
 Director and Treasurer, Mrs. J. T. Bennett. President,
 R. D. Profit. Vice-President, Miss May Murray. Secre-
 tary, Miss Effie Shepherd Leak.

Winston—St. Paul's
 Mrs. Walter Leak.

Convocation of Raleigh.

JUNIOR REPORT.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Specials	Diocesan Missions	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	Clergy Retiring Fund	Thompson Orphanage	Apportionment	St. Augustine	Church Periodical Club	Total	No. Boxes	Value	Total	
Durham	20	\$ 6		\$ 2 00	\$ 1 00	\$ 25 00	\$ 6					\$ 28 00	1	\$ 10 50	\$ 38 50		
Halifax																	
Hillsboro	11	1 00			38 55	3 00	2 00	5 00	2 00	14 65	2 00	73 20			73 20		
Jackson	6		12	50		1 00	1 00	1 00		3 00		7 12		1	9 75	9 75	
Louisburg																	
Oxford																	
Henderson	12						1 00	4 00					5 00			5 00	
Pittsboro																	
Christ Church, Raleigh	102						5 97		2 00				7 97			7 97	
St. Savior's, Raleigh	12																
St. Mary's, Raleigh	125	3 25	6 00			32 97	30 00	33 00		35 00	7 30	6 00	153 52	5	21 87	175 39	
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	20					8 00	2 50	5 00	1 50				12 00	1	9 00	21 00	
Ridgeway	8						2 00		2 00		2 60			6 60			6 60
Rocky Mount	20	80			50 00	11 83	10 00	10 00	10 00				92 63	2	20 19	112 82	
Scotland Neck	40	1 80	2 00				2 00	2 00		19 49		1 00	28 29			28 29	
Southern Pines	15	75							2 25		1 65			4 65			4 65
Tarborough	20	1 00	1 50			6 50	2 00	2 00		3 00			16 00	1	13 00	29 00	
Warrenton													9 24			9 24	
Weldon	7												29 30			29 30	
Wilson	18	80	50	19 00	1 00			2 00		6 00	9 24						
Total		442	\$ 9 52	\$ 10 50	\$ 112 55	\$ 68 77	\$ 81 00	\$ 62 75	\$ 12 00	\$ 85 39	\$ 22 04	\$ 3 00	\$ 6 00	\$ 473 52	11	\$ 84 31	\$ 557 83

Convocation of Charlotte.

REPORT OF THE JUNIOR BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Diocesan Missions	Thompson Orphanage	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	Apportion- ment	Total	Boxes	Value of Boxes	Total
Charlotte, Dilworth, Holy Comforter		\$ 1 01	\$ 2 00	\$ 5 00	\$ 34 27	2 51	1 08	1 41	\$ 8 01	1	\$ 4 00	\$ 4 00
Charlotte, T. O. St. Mary the Virgin	72			1 00		34 27				39 27	1	8 01
Charlotte, St. Peter's S. S.	65					1				1	30 00	69 27
Coolemee, Good Shepherd	8									1	3 00	4 00
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	12									48 05		48 05
Greensboro, St. Barnabas												1 34
Lexington, Grace Church, S. S.	15		1 34			5 00	5 00			10 00	2	15 00
Mayodan, Church of the Messiah	44					71					71	
Mecklenburg County, St. Mark's	10	50				1 50				2 00		2 00
Mocksville, St. Philip's	1		55							55		55
Monroe, St. Paul's												
Salisbury, St. Luke's	50	90	2 00	5 72		1 50	2 00	1 00	13 12			13 12
Statesville, Trinity												
Wadesboro, Calvary	27	1 35	1 00	4 00	2 75	2 00	2 00	1 00	14 10	2	9 65	23 75
Total	304	\$ 3 76	\$ 6 89	\$ 45 72	\$ 19 96	\$ 45 28	\$ 13 13	\$ 3 41	\$ 138 15	7	\$ 61 65	\$ 199 80

United Offering 1905-1906	-	-	-	\$2 92
United Offering 1906-1907	-	-	-	6 89
Total	-	-	-	\$9 81

Gifts in money 1906-1907	-	-	\$138 45
Gifts in money 1905-1906	-	-	\$ 72 01
Increase in gifts of money	-	-	\$66 44
Value of boxes 1906-1907	-	-	\$61 65
Value of boxes 1905-1906	-	-	\$40 76
Increase in value of boxes	-	-	20 89
Total Increase	-	-	\$87 33

Respectfully Submitted,
 MARGARET C. BLAND,
 Secretary Junior Auxiliary, Convocation of Charlotte.

**SUMMARY REPORT OF THE JUNIOR BRANCH
OF THE
WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.**

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	Specials	Diocesan Missions	Domestic Missions	Foreign Missions	Clergy Retirement Fund	Thompson Orphanage	Apportionment	St. Augustine	Church Periodical Club	Total	No. of boxes	Value	Total
Convocation of Raleigh	442	\$ 9 52	\$10 50	\$ 112 55	\$ 68 77	\$ 81 00	\$62 75	\$12 00	\$ 85 39	\$22 04	\$ 3 00	\$ 6 00	\$ 473 52	11	\$ 84 31	\$ 557 83
Convocation of Charlotte	304	3 76	6 89	45 72	45 28	13 13			19 96	3 41			188 15	7	61 65	199 80
Total	746	\$13 28	\$17 39	\$ 112 55	\$ 114 49	\$ 126 28	\$75 88	\$12 00	\$ 105 35	\$25 45	\$ 3 00	\$ 6 00	\$ 611 67	18	\$ 145 96	\$ 757 63

Number of branches—Convocation of Raleigh 20
 Number of branches—Convocation of Charlotte 14

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Increase in members - - - - - 33
 Increase in offerings - - - - - \$120 04
 Increase in branches - - - - - 3

THE BABIES' BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY
OF NORTH CAROLINA
CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH

TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT 1907.

Little Baby Helpers
Greet us here again,
Each with baby pennies
In its tiny hand.

Sending out glad tidings
Over seas and lands,
Sending forth their pennies
From their baby hands.

Sending to the regions
Of the frozen North,
Sending to the Islands
Of the torrid South.

Helping other babies,
Helping aged men,
Helping weary mothers,
Helping heart and hand.

Help from Baby Helpers
To those of aid in need
Is winged with a blessing—
Is help Divine, indeed!

When in day of Judgment
The Heavens are unrolled,
Every penny given
Will be harp of gold.

Suffer little children,
Said the Christ of old,
Suffer little children
To enter in the fold.

Theirs the crown of glory!
Theirs the smile of joy!
Theirs the sweetest story?
Baby girl and boy!

STATISTICAL REPORT.

Parishes	-	-	-	25
Baby Helpers	-	-	-	301
Baby Pennies	-	-	-	15,668

The pennies were employed as follows:

Thompson Orphanage	-	-	\$ 50.00
Clergymen's Retiring Fund	-	-	25.00
Bishop Atkinson Cot. (Holy Trinity, Tokio, Japan)	-	-	20.00
General Missions	-	-	10.00
Silver Jubilee Offering	-	-	10.00
Valle Crucis	-	-	10.00
Missions in Raleigh Convocation	-	-	5.00
Mayodan	-	-	5.00
Bishop Rowe, Alaska	-	-	5.00
Woman's Building, Soochow	-	-	5.00
United Offering	-	-	5.00
Memorial Kindergarten, Akita, Japan	-	-	5.00
Apportionment	-	-	1.68
			<u>\$156.68</u>

"God bless all the missionaries all over the world, and all the little helpers, for Jesus sake. Amen!"

"And Jesus called a little child unto Him and set him in the midst of them, and said,

"Verily I say unto you, except ye be converted, and become as little children, ye shall not enter into the kingdom of heaven.

"Whosoever, therefore, shall humble himself as this little child, the same is greatest in the kingdom of heaven.

"And whoso shall receive one such little child in My name, receiveth Me."

REPORT OF

MRS. F. S. SPRUILL, SECRETARY AND TREASURER,
LOUISBURG, N. C.

PARISH	DIRECTOR	Babies	AMT.
Battleboro	Mrs. H. B. Marriott	6	\$ 3.20
Chapel Hill	Mrs. W. D. Toy	5	2.50
Duke	Miss Carrie Herndon	6	2.00
Durham	Miss Gertrude Winston	27	7.00
Enfield	Miss Mabel Curtis	4	2.92
Henderson	Miss Claudia Hunter	12	7.30
Hillsboro	Mrs. Paxson Watters	13	9.50
Kittrell	Miss Cora Hunt	2	1.00
Lawrence	Mrs. Willie Knight	3	1.15
Littleton	Miss Carrie H. Moore	18	5.00
Louisburg	Mrs. F. S. Spruill	28	15.48
Middleburg	Mrs. H. M. Church	6	2.50
Oxford	Miss Maud Parham	16	10.05
Pittsboro	Mrs. William L. London	5	5.00
Raleigh (Christ)	Miss Mary P. Ashe	22	9.11
Raleigh (Good Shepherd)	Miss Patsy Carroll	40	11.59
Ridgeway	Mrs. J. D. Scott	3	1.55
Rocky Mount	Mrs. Geo. L. Wimberly, Jr.	12	10.00
Scotland Neck	Miss Mary W. Smith	8	5.15
Stovall	Mrs. C. L. Lewis	3	5.04
Selma	Mrs. Robert Ashworth	4	2.50
Tarboro	Miss Annie Gray Nash	38	19.60
Weldon	Mrs. T. C. Harrison	9	6.00
Wilson	Miss Kate Connor	9	2.75
Williamsboro	Mrs. N. D. Boyd	2	1.00
Special Offering			7.70
	Total	301	\$156.58

“Suffer the little children to come unto Me and forbid them
not; for of such is the Kingdom of God.”

ALICE WINSTON SPRUILL,

Secretary Convocation of Raleigh.

TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE BABIES' BRANCH
CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE

1907

MY DEAR LITTLE HELPERS:

This year when your Seniors are celebrating the Silver Jubilee, it is a great pleasure to report, that although your numbers are only three more than last year and your branches not quite so many, yet your offerings are a little more. You have been able to do a little more to spread the Gospel—the Glad Tidings. Our branch at Mocksville, of only one member, has been transferred to the Juniors.

Your gifts have gone to Japan to teach and train one orphan girl, to China to carry comfort to a sick child, to the Thompson Orphanage to help the Superintendent care for his seventy little ones. And here, too, the memorial gifts have this year gone to help care for the youngest child at the Orphanage—a wee little girl hardly three years old.

A part of your pennies have found their way to the mountains, to Bishop Horner's school at Valle Crucis, and a part to St. Augustine's School. We have not forgotten our retired Clergy, but a small gift goes to bring some help to these faithful ones who have given their lives for others and are now forced to "rest from their labors."

This year a special appeal was sent to the many branches in the Church, asking help to rebuild the Akita Kindergarten in Tokyo, a Kindergarten supported by the babies as a memorial to their leader, Gaylord Hart Mitchell, which was destroyed by fire last summer. Five dollars was given for this from three friends, one being the little girl enrolled as the first member of the North Carolina Babies' Branch.

The United Offering, the United work of the Babies, and the Central Fund have received their share, leaving just one bright silver dollar to add to the Silver Offering. For the Babies must have some share in this Thanksgiving service, and in 1932 when we come together to celebrate our Golden Anniversary, may the ranks of the Woman's Auxiliary be filled with those, who as babies learned to bring their treasures to Him who said, "The silver is mine and the gold is mine" and may they all be His "In that day when He shall make up His Jewels."

MRS. W. S. SMITH,

Charlotte, N. C., April 1907.

Affectionately,

A. T. SMITH

MEMORIAL CIRCLE.

1. Sue Somerville Walker	5. Edwin Lacy Clark
2. Elizabeth Shelton Maxwell	6. William Nicholson
3. Jane Nicholson	7. Adelaide Watson Barber
4. William Overman	8. Mary Wadsworth McCoy

RECEIPTS.

PARISH	SECRETARY	Members	AMT.
Burlington	Mrs. F. L. Williamson	6	\$ 4.07
Charlotte	Miss Emma J. Hall	58	29.27
Dilworth	Mrs. M. B. Davis	8	2.57
Greensboro, St. Andrew's	Mrs. W. H. Wetmore	5	1.63
Greensboro, St. Barnabas	Mrs. A. R. Perkins	11	3.98
Leaksville	Mrs. W. S. Martin	6	5.34
Mayodan	Mrs. W. C. Ruffin	3	3.00
Mecklenburg, St. Mark's	Mrs. E. M. McCoy	2	.75
Milton	Mrs. Lewis Walker	1	5.00
Monroe	Miss K. Fairley	1	.50
Rockingham	Mrs. Fairley	2	.48
Salisbury	Miss M. W. Boyden	26	18.23
Winston	Mrs. H. A. Crute	3	1.10
St. Peter's Infant Class			
Charlotte (Special)	Mrs. C. L. Hunter		5.00
3 Friends Special for			
Akita Kindergarten			5.00
	Total	132	\$ 85.92

DISBURSEMENTS.

Bishop Atkinson Cot., Holy Trinity Orphanage, Tokyo	\$16.00
Deaconess Henderson Soo Chow, China, (for sick child)	5.00
Rebuilding Akita Kindergarten	5.00
Valle Crucis	10.00
St. Agustine's School, Raleigh	3.00
Thompson Orphanage	10.00
For the youngest child at the Thompson Orphanage (Memorial Gifts)	10.46
Clergymen's Retiring Fund	6.00
United Offering	4.00
United Work of the Babies	3.00
Silver Offering	1.00
Apportionment	7.00
Central Fund	5.46
	\$85.92

SUMMARY OF BABIES' BRANCH

	Members	Central Fund	United Offering	United Work of Babies	Apportionment	Missions in the Convocation of Raleigh	Mayodan	Valle Crucis	St. Augustine	Bishop Rowe	Thompson Orphanage	General Missions	Bishop Atkinson's Cot.	Akita, Japan	Soo Chow, China	Clergy Retiring Fund	Total
Convocation of Raleigh	301	\$ 5 46	\$ 9 00	\$ 3 00	\$ 8 68	\$ 5 00	\$ 5 00	\$10 00	\$ 5 00	\$10 00	\$50 00	\$10 00	\$20 00	\$ 5 00	\$ 5 00	\$ 146 68	
Convocation of Charlotte	132	5 47	4 00	3 00	7 00	5 00	5 00	10 00	3 00	20 46	20 46	16 00	5 00	5 00	6 00	84 92	
Total	433	\$ 5 46	\$ 9 00	\$ 3 00	\$ 8 68	\$ 5 00	\$ 5 00	\$20 00	\$ 3 00	\$70 46	\$10 00	\$36 00	\$10 00	\$10 00	\$31 00	\$ 231 60	
Increase in Members												-	-	-	-	63	
Increase in Offerings												-	-	-	-	\$10 96	

Silver Jubilee

President's Address and Report of Twenty-five Years of Auxiliary Work

FRIENDS, MEMBERS OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY:

I am glad to be permitted to meet you again,—especially glad to meet you in Tarboro, the place where the North Carolina Branch was organized, and where we now meet to celebrate our 25th anniversary.

My address today will give you a short history of this Branch, its growth and its work. I am sure you will all feel grateful to our Heavenly Father for what He has enabled us to do for His service, and I ask you all to pray fervently that we may do more in the future in token of our gratitude.

In 1871, the General Convention of the Episcopal Church, in session at Baltimore, Md., established the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions as the authorized agency for Woman's Missionary work. All mission societies were directed to be merged in it—and all Woman's work was requested to report to the Convention through it. It is the only association for Woman's work that reports directly to the General Convention.

In October 1881, I asked Bishop Lyman if it would not be useful to establish a branch of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of North Carolina. He accepted the suggestion, and directed me to begin the work at once. Following his direction, I wrote to Miss Emery, Secretary, at the Church Mission Rooms, and in accordance with her instructions, I wrote to every Clergyman and to many women in the Diocese, which then comprised the whole State. The idea was well received, but establishment of branches was slow.

At the Diocesan Convention in Tarboro May, 1882, six branches reported and were organized as the North Carolina Woman's Auxiliary. I was elected Diocesan Secretary on the Bishop's appointment.

The six branches which formed the nucleus of our Auxiliary, were Trinity, Asheville; first organized as a Missionary Society in 1873.

St. Paul's Branch, Edenton; which dated from 1873.

The Branch in St. John's, Fayetteville; which had existed for a long time as a Parish Aid Society.

St. Peter's, Charlotte.

St. Matthew's, Hillsboro.

St. James', Lenoir.

This was our beginning in May, 1882, with about 100 members.

In May 1883, in Charlotte, the first annual report showed \$666.44 as the financial value of the year's work. At this meeting ten branches reported.

In this year, East Carolina was set off as a separate Diocese, and soon organized its own Auxiliary, but the number of Branches in our own Diocese grew steadily.

In 1890 the Junior Department of the Auxiliary was established, with Miss Mary E. Horner as its head; and in May, 1891, five Junior Branches reported \$272.65 as the sum of their work and boxes. In 1906 there were 34 Branches with 713 members, and the sum of \$778.00 reported as the year's work of the Juniors. We may well be proud of them

In 1895, the Missionary Jurisdiction of Asheville was set off, but the Auxiliary seemed to increase by sub-division, as the total sum of the work of the North Carolina Branch in the next year was more than any previous year, \$1,913.64.

In 1895 also, the Babies Branch was organized, and the Blessed Babies have been helping the cause finely. Their Directors must tell their history.

In 1896, I was obliged to resign the office of Secretary and Treasurer, and the Bishop appointed Miss Horner as Diocesan Secretary.

It was also then deemed advisable to appoint more officers, the duties having out grown one head, so the Bishop announced this list:

Miss Mary E. Horner, Diocesan Secretary.

Mrs. John Wilkes, Honorary Secretary.

Mrs. Montford McGehee, Raleigh, Sec'y of the Convocation of Raleigh.

Mrs. T. N. Hill, Halifax, Secretary of the Convocation of Tarboro.

Mrs. John Van Landingham, Charlotte, Secretary of the Convocation of Charlotte.

Miss Agnes Hairston, Davie County, Secretary of the Convocation of Salisbury.

Mrs. H. H. S. Handy, Secretary for the Junior Auxiliary.

Mrs. W. J. Smith, Scotland Neck, Directress of the Babies Branch.

The Auxiliary grew and increased under these new heads. Changes were made from time to time, as deaths occurred or officers

moved away, but always the sums reported amounted higher, with increase in Branches and in membership.

In 1904, Miss Horner was compelled by ill health to resign her office, and in accordance with the earnest and insistent requests of the Auxiliary, the Bishop appointed Miss Kate Cheshire as her successor as Diocesan Secretary. Mrs. W. H. S. Burgwyn was made President. The following year, in Charlotte 1905, Mrs. Burgwyn resigned, and the Bishop then appointed me as President of the North Carolina Branch. I value this title very highly, because I know it represents the love of the Auxiliary women, as well as my Bishop's regard. But I only consented to hold the office on condition that the Secretaries were to do the work and let me be simply a figure head. I am too old for such work, and besides have much to do in the Church Hospitals in Charlotte.

But it is delightful to meet the Auxiliary women, and I cherish their regard and esteem as most precious. If I can't do much more, I can at any rate cheer you on.

Surely God has been good to us and has helped us in His service. And I trust our Jubilee Offering tomorrow will show our faith and our gratitude.

I have prepared a table which I am sure will interest you. This is the work of 25 years.

Foreign Missions	\$ 4,036.93
General Missions	901.46
Domestic Missions	4,644.16
Diocesan Missions	7,385.73
Thompson Orphanage	3,995.88
Central Fund	1,067.70
United Offering since 1893	3,581.95
Apportionment since 1903	607.45
Specials	2,071.55
Church Periodical Club since 1900	152.57
Clergy Retiring Fund since 1904	634.73
Boxes, 561, valued at	13,347.87
	\$42,427.98

For the Juniors 17 years of work, they report:

Branches	35
Members.....	746
General Missions.....	\$ 411.93
Foreign Missions	1,457.94
Domestic Missions	1,266.16
Thompson Orphanage	1,408.67
Diocesan Missions.....	2,728.12
Clergy Retiring Fund	28.40
Church Periodical Club.....	33.90
Specials	620.10
Central Fund	239.34
Apportionment	112.66
Boxes, 260, value	1,769.30
United Offering	491.16
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	\$10,567.68

The Junior Department is to be congratulated on this report. May their Motto ever be—Upward and Onward—and may each year show us more of our young people engaged in Missionary work.

The total amount of the work and gifts of the three Branches of the Auxiliary is, for the Woman's Auxiliary, \$42,328.08
 Junior Department, 10,567.68
 Babies Branch, 1,522.81

Let us pray that our next 25 years' report may at least double this. The need of Missionary effort grows greater daily. Let us see to it that our interest, our gifts and our prayers grow in proportion. We must not relax our efforts, nor indulge in hopes that some one else will give and labor and pray. The work to be performed is OURS, with God's grace and favor to strengthen us.

May God's blessing rest upon the North Carolina Auxiliary, and on each of its members. And may He grant us to meet again —here or hereafter.

Respectfully,
 JANE R. WILKES,
 President N. C. Branch Woman's Auxiliary.

May 17th, 1907.

Silver Jubilee Offering.

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

Battleboro	\$ 12 00	St Mary's, Raleigh	\$ 16 30
Enfield	10 25	Rocky Mount	10 00
St. Mary's, Edgecombe	3 60	Scotland Neck	1 40
Halifax	6 20	Tarborough	10 10
Jackson	6 00	Weldon	1 50
Lawrence	20 00	Wilson	7 50
Rocky Mount	23 95	St. Peter's, Charlotte	10 00
Scotland Neck	15 50	St. Mary the Virgin, Charlotte	6 25
Tarborough	91 00	St. Andrew's, Greensboro	10 00
Thelma	2 75	Lexington	2 65
Weldon	10 00	St. Mark's, Mecklenburg	1 00
Wilson	8 60	Monroe	2 00
Chapel Hill	6 60	Mayodan	5 00
Durham	45 00	St. Luke's, Salisbury	2 25
Henderson	20 20	Wadesboro	3 00
Hillsboro	50 00		
Oxford	20 00		
Duke	6 00		
Littleton	5 40		
Louisburg	6 25		
Middleburg	2 35		
Pittsboro	5 75		
Christ Church, Raleigh	54 50		
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	42 00		
St. Mary's, Raleigh	4 25		
Ridgeway	2 00		
Southern Pines	5 00		
Warrenton	15 45		
Burlington	25 00		
St. Andrew's, Greensboro	18 40		
St. Barnabas', Greensboro	7 50		
High Point	3 00		
Leaksville	7 50		
Madison	4 15		
Mayodan	6 00		
Stoneville	75		
Winston	30 00		
Bristol	4 45		
St. Peter's, Charlotte	35 00		
Dilworth	3 00		
Monroe	2 00		
Wadesboro	15 25		
Concord	5 00		
Cooleemee	3 10		
Lexington	3 50		
Salisbury	5 00		

JUNIORS

Durham	2 00	Cheshire	5 00
Hillsboro	15 00	Mrs. Kingsbury	1 00
Henderson	1 50	Miss Bailey	2 00
Jackson	60	Mrs. Phillips	1 00
Good Shepherd, Raleigh	4 75	Collected at Church	87 57

\$1,014.29

BABIES

Convocation of Raleigh	10 00
Convocation of Charlotte	1 00
Tarboro Babies	5 20

INDIVIDUALS

Mrs. Cotter	15 00
Mr. W. A. Erwin	10 00
Mrs. D. Y. Cooper	10 00
Mrs. Erwin Holt	5 00
Mrs. R. H. Lewis	5 00
Mrs. Gant	5 00
Miss Kate Cheshire	5 00
Mrs. Hill Burgwyn	5 00
Mrs. W. S. Clark	5 00
Miss Bessie Jones	2 00
Mrs. R. W. Winston	5 00
Miss Annie Nash	1 00
Mrs. Farrar	2 50
Mrs. Curtis	2 00
Miss Sue Curtis	5 00
Mrs. T. A. Marshall	2 50
Mrs. Shannon	1 00
Mrs. J. Smith	1 00
Mrs. Shaw	1 00
Mrs. Parks	20 00
Mr. Trott	1 00
Mr. Barber	1 00
Mr. Jacocks	1 00
Collected at Depot	3 52
A Friend through Miss Cheshire	5 00
Mrs. Kingsbury	1 00
Miss Bailey	2 00
Mrs. Phillips	1 00
Collected at Church	87 57

