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Forty-seventh Annual Report

OF

The Woman's Auxiliary

TO

The National Council



Raleigh, N. C., April 9-11, 1929

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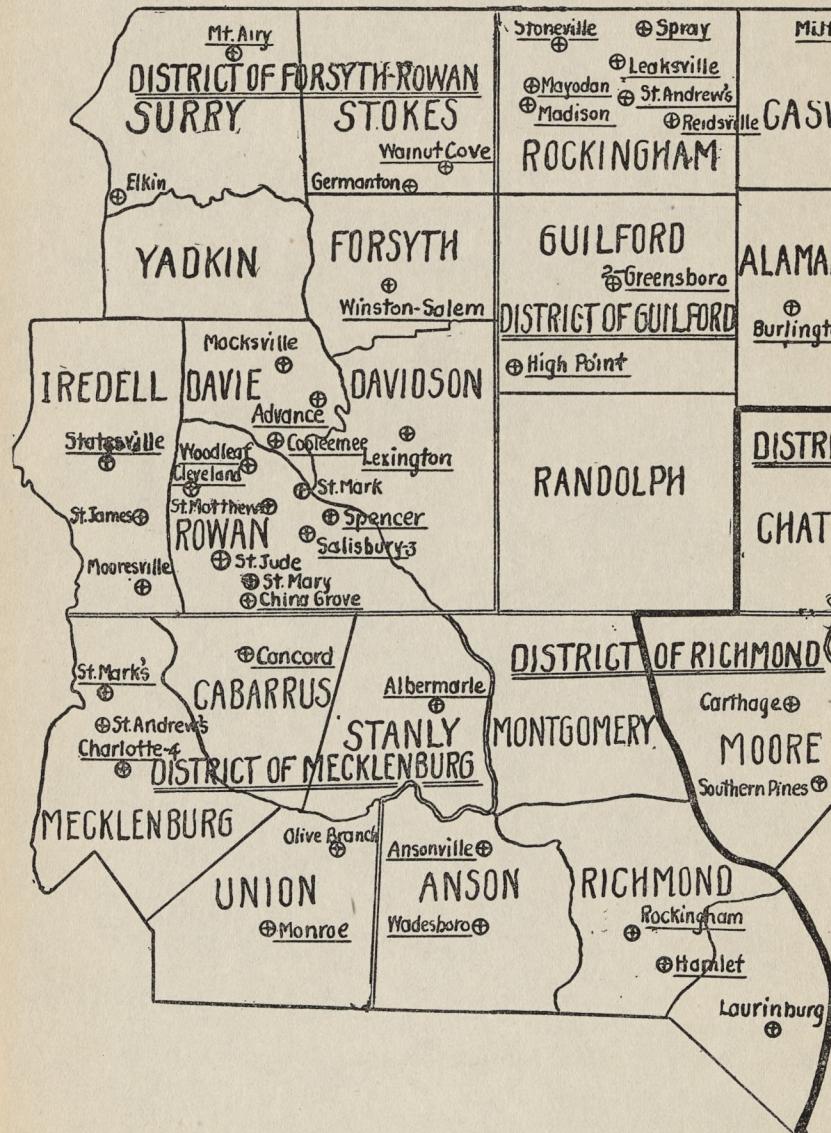
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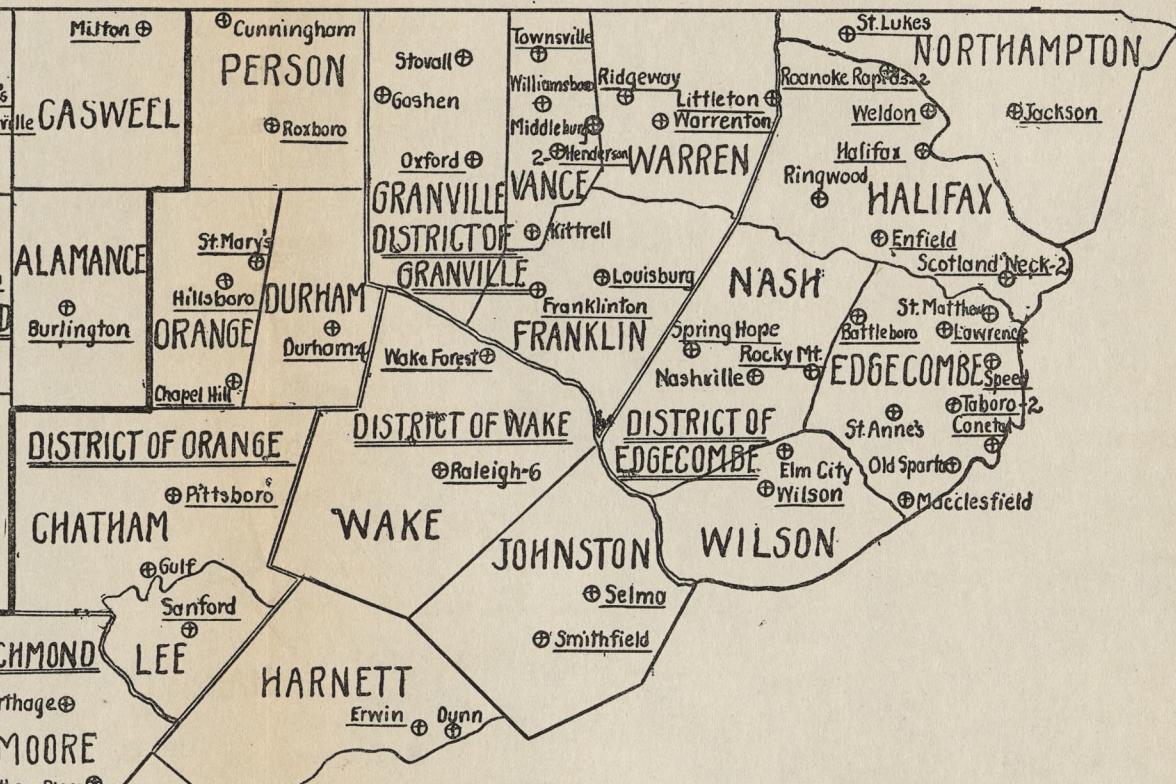
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1913—Tarboro-----	Calvary
1914—Raleigh-----	Good Shepherd
1915—Greensboro-----	Holy Trinity
1916—Henderson-----	Holy Innocents
1917—Wilson-----	St. Timothy's
1918—Chapel Hill-----	Chapel of the Cross
1919—Burlington-----	Holy Comforter
1920—Oxford-----	St. Stephen's
1921—Winston-Salem-----	St. Paul's
1922—Charlotte-----	St. Martin's
1923—Raleigh-----	Christ
1924—Charlotte-----	St. Peter's
1925—Rocky Mount-----	Good Shepherd
1926—Durham-----	St. Philip's
1927—Salisbury-----	St. Luke's
1928—Tarboro-----	Calvary
1929—Raleigh-----	Good Shepherd

The next Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held at St. Paul's, Winston-Salem, April 29-May 1, 1930.

IN MEMORIAM

MRS. LAURA J. APPLEWHITE
MRS. MAY BOYDEN BRAWLEY
MRS. MINNIE STATON DOWNING
MRS. ELEANOR HAYES ERWIN
MRS. LAURA F. GALLOWAY
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MRS. FLORENCE IRENE TOWERS
MRS. AGNES COTTEN TIMBERLAKE
MRS. AGNES RUFFIN WEBB

PRAYERS FOR USE IN AUXILIARY MEETINGS**Auxiliary Prayer**

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, bless, we pray Thee, our work for the extension of Thy Kingdom, and make us so thankful for the precious gift to us of Thy beloved Son that we may pray fervently, labor diligently, and give liberally to make Him known to all nations as their God and Saviour. We ask this for His dear sake. Amen.

For Volunteers

Our Father, if it be Thy will, put it into the heart of some young man or woman of this parish to work for the advancement of Thy Kingdom in some foreign land. Inspire us, we pray Thee, with such love and faith that we may be willing to go unto the uttermost parts of the earth in answer to Thy call. This, and all things which are for Thy glory, we ask for Christ's sake. Amen.

For Noontide, Daily

Lord of the Harvest, send forth men full of faith and of the Holy Ghost as laborers into Thy harvest; through Christ our Lord. Amen.

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 merits and mercies, Who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, ever One God, world without end. Amen.

Daily Prayer

O God, for as much as without Thee we are not able to please Thee, mercifully grant that Thy Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Lord, pardon what we have been; sanctify what we are; order what we shall be; that Thine may be the glory and ours the eternal salvation, through Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer for Rural Work

Blessed Lord Jesus, the Good Shepherd of the sheep, Whose flocks are upon a thousand hills, Who has put into our hearts the hope of a better country; bless all who search for Thy sheep in scattered places, that they may fetch them home to Thee; Who art with the Father and the Holy Spirit, ever one God, world without end. Amen.

For the United Thank Offering

O Lord, our Heavenly Father, we pray Thee to send forth more laborers into Thy harvest, and to grant them Thy special grace for every need. Guard and guide the workers in the Field, and draw us into closer fellowship with them. Dispose the hearts of all women everywhere to give gladly as Thou hast

given to them. Accept from grateful hearts our United Thank Offering of prayer and gifts and joyful service; and bless it to the coming of Thy Kingdom, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

For Use Before and At the Time of the Election of Officers

O Holy Spirit, Whose guidance and inspiration alone can enable us to fulfill the Will of God, teach us, we pray Thee, the dignity of our missionary work, and give us grace to choose as our leaders those whom Thou dost call to Thy faithful service; to those so chosen give a spirit of reverence in the exercise of their office, and to all of us a deep sense of our obligation in the discharge of every duty, to do all to the glory of God, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

For Prayer Partner

Almighty God, Who didst call holy women to be helpers and workers in Thy service: bless, we pray Thee, this Thy servant ----- whom Thou hast called to a like ministration. Bestow on her the gifts of wisdom and sound judgment, of simplicity and singleness of heart. Sustain her in all her labor of love. May she speak peace to troubled hearts and bring many souls into the joy and liberty of the Gospel. Be Thou, O Lord, her guide in doubt, her strength in weariness, and her comfort in sorrow. Inspire her with Thy gracious promise that though the sower may go forth weeping, bearing precious seed, he will come again with joy, bringing his sheaves with him. Grant this for the sake of Him Who went about doing good, Thy Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Thanksgivings

We give Thee Humble thanks, O Heavenly Father, that Thou hast vouchsafed to call us to the knowledge of Thy grace and faith in Thee; increase this knowledge and confirm this faith in us evermore. Grant that we may daily be renewed by Thy Holy Spirit, so that all sinful affections may die in us, and that all things belonging to the Spirit may live and grow in us; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Almighty God, Whose compassions fail not, and Whose loving kindness reacheth unto the world's end: We give Thee humble thanks for all the great things Thou hast done and are doing for the children of men; for the opening of heathen lands to the light of Thy truth; for making paths into the deep waters and highways in the desert; for knitting nation to nation in the bond of fellowship, and for the planting of Thy Church in all the earth. O merciful Father, in whom the whole family is named, fill full our hearts with grateful love for this Thy goodness, granting grace henceforth to serve Thee better and more perfectly to know Thee; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

MISSIONARIES FROM THE DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA**Foreign Workers**

Rev. Francis Cox, American Church Mission, Soochow, China.
Rev. Jadi Levi Martin, Honolulu.

Miss Mary Wood McKenzie, Cape Mount, Liberia, West Africa.
Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Nash, Apartado 27, Pachuca, Mexico.

Domestic Workers

Miss Bessie Blacknall, St. Mark's Mission, Nenana, Alaska.
Mrs. Henry H. Chapman, Christ Church Mission, Anvik, Alaska.

Miss Adelaide Smith, Nenana, Alaska.

Miss Mary A. Ramseur, U. T. O., Great Falls, S. C.

Miss Ellen T. Hicks, St. Luke's Hospital, Ponce, Porto Rico.

Miss Belle Graves, Valle Crucis, N. C.

Miss Lillie Hill, St. Andrew's Mission, Rockingham County,
North Carolina.

Miss Elizabeth Gordon, Spray, N. C.

Mr. John R. Edmunds, Christ School, Arden, N. C.

Miss Frances Gasele, Farmington, New Mexico.

Miss Laura Carroll, Marshall, Virginia.

Let us pray for them daily

THOSE WHO HAVE PASSED AWAY

Rev. W. Hoke Ramseur, Africa.

Miss Catherine Bourne, Porto Rico.

Miss Mary E. Horner, Valle Crucis.

AUXILIARY CALENDAR, 1929-1930**Meeting of Executive Committee**

September 10th, 1929

District Meetings, Fall 1929

Edgecombe, October 8th	Forsyth-Rowan, October 15th
Granville, October 9th	Guilford, October 6th
Orange, October 2nd	Mecklenburg, October 18th
Wake, October 3rd	Richmond, October 17th

Provincial Synod

Columbia, S. C., Trinity Church, November 5-6-7

Diocesan Educational Institutes

Oxford, St. Stephen's Church, November 12th
High Point, St. Mary's Church, November 14th

Meeting of Executive Committee

March 18, 1930

Annual MeetingWinston-Salem, N. C., St. Paul's Church,
April 29th-May 1st, 1930**INTERCESSORY DAYS****The Feasts of**

St. Andrew's—November 30. Diocesan. Offering at the disposal of Bishop Cheshire and Bishop Penick.

The Epiphany—January 6. Foreign. Offering for Dr. A. W. Tucker's insurance and at the disposal of Annie Cheshire Tucker.

The Purification—February 2. Diocesan Corporate Communion of the women of the Church.

The Annunciation—April 8. Domestic. Offering for the "Bishop Cheshire Scholarship" in Valle Crucis School.

The Transfiguration—August 6. Offering for the Thompson Orphanage.

SUGGESTED AUXILIARY PARISH PROGRAMS

JANUARY—General Subject: **The Supply Department.** Report of Box Work Secretary, and Letters from Recipients.

January 6th—Epiphany. Intercessory Day and Corporate Communion.

FEBRUARY—General Subject: **Young People at Work for Christ.** Discussion led by Young People. Pageant.

February 2d—The Purification. Diocesan Corporate Communion of the Women of the Church.

MARCH—General Subject: **Social Service.** Study and Discussion of Institutional and Rural Work in Neighborhood. Ingathering of United Thank Offering Boxes.

APRIL—General Subject: **Religious Education.** Conference on Educational Work, led by Educational Secretary.

April 8th—The Annunciation. Intercessory Day and Corporate Communion.

MAY—General Subject: **What the Auxiliary Means to the Parish, Diocese and General Church.** Echoes from the Annual Meeting, Given by the Delegates.

JUNE—General Subject: **Training.** Trained Leadership in Church Work. Value of Summer Conferences.

JULY—General Subject: **Cooperation. Patriotism. Peace. Church Unity.**

AUGUST—General Subject: **Church Papers.** Serving God with Our Minds. Information Regarding Church Schools and Institutions in North Carolina. Intensive Campaign for Subscriptions to **Spirit of Missions** and **Carolina Churchman.** **August 6th**—The Transfiguration. Intercessory Day and Corporate Communion.

SEPTEMBER—General Subject: **The United Thank Offering.** Ingathering of Offerings.

OCTOBER—General Subject: **The Church's Program.** Plans for the Year Outlined by Officers.

NOVEMBER—General Subject: **Stewardship.** The Quota—Our Responsibility.

November 30th—St. Andrew's Day. Intercessory Day and Corporate Communion.

DECEMBER—General Subject: **Prayer.** Read Letters From Prayer Partners. Roll Call. Does Every Woman Remember Her Prayer Partner? Personal Consecration—Only Through Prayer.

All literature relating to the work of the Woman's Auxiliary may be obtained at The Book Store, 281 Fourth Avenue, New York City.

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MRS. H. S. HARTZELL, Rockingham ✓

Secretary

MRS. E. S. BOICE, Rocky Mount
534 Falls Road ✓

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MISS NAN G. CLARK, Tarboro ✓

Educational Secretary

MRS. W. W. WAY, Raleigh
St. Mary's School ✓

Christian Social Service Secretary

MRS. G. B. LEWIS, Concord

United Thank Offering Treasurer

MRS. A. S. LAWRENCE, Chapel Hill ✓

COMMITTEES

COMMITTEE CHAIRMEN

Representatives on Diocesan Executive Council

MISS EASDALE SHAW
MRS. R. B. COIT
MISS RENA CLARK

Provincial Representative on National Council

MRS. JOHN R. WHEELER
2325 Elliston Place
NASHVILLE, TENN.

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED AT THE ANNUAL MEETING, 1929

The Annual Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary having heard from our Diocesan Executive Secretary, the Rev. Elwood L. Haines, of our increased Diocesan Apportionment for the work of the National Council, and having heard his suggestion that the amount contributed to the Forward Movement by the Woman's Auxiliary be no longer credited to the quotas of the Individual Parishes and Missions of the Diocese:

Be it Resolved, That the Executive Board be authorized to give this matter serious consideration and to take such immediate action in reference to the use of our Forward Movement contributions as they deem expedient.

Christ Church, Raleigh, Service League passed a resolution at its April meeting as follows:

Resolved, That we recommend to the Executive Board to give careful consideration to the question of amending Article VIII, section 2, lines 1-2 of the Constitution which reads: "Any delegate may nominate, but a branch may cast but one vote," to read "each delegate is entitled to a vote."

IMPORTANT

All money except that for Box Work and the United Thank Offering must be sent to Miss Nan G. Clark, Tarboro, N. C. Where an exception to this is contemplated, specific instructions will be sent to all Parish Presidents.

See Constitution Art. V, sec. 4.

CONDENSED REPORT FOR 1928

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Parishes and Missions doing Educational work-----	70
Discussion Groups -----	44
New Leaders developed -----	48
Diocesan Institutes -----	2

The large number of new Leaders shows a growing interest and development.

CHRISTIAN SOCIAL SERVICE

Organized working Committees -----	60
Children adopted at Thompson Episcopal Home-----	58
Amount spent locally for Social Service, not reported through Diocesan Treasurer -----	\$ 4,738.46

Outstanding Work

Organized Parish work, systematically done.
Intelligent coöperation in Diocesan and Civic Social Service Agencies.

Study and consideration of local and world conditions, and combating evil tendencies thereof.

Aims

- (A) To interest and enlist as workers men and women in every congregation.
- (B) To strive to provide an equality of opportunity for every individual to develop the perfect character.
- (C) To encourage uniting with other denominations in social service work.

TREASURER

On hand at beginning of year, 1928-----	\$ 427.63
Budget Quota -----	4,138.15
Advance Work -----	1,302.35
Corporate Gift -----	421.61
Central Fund -----	782.56
Specials -----	4,962.09
	\$12,034.39

UNITED THANK OFFERING

Offering, with interest -----	\$ 7,647.08
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SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

Box Work <i>in</i> the Diocese-----	\$ 3,363.88
Box Work <i>out</i> of the Diocese-----	3,429.53
	\$ 6,793.41
Garments made -----	1,070
Total from all sources -----	\$31,213.34

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING

The forty-seventh annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council of the Diocese of North Carolina was opened with evening prayer at 7:45 p.m. in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh, April 9, 1929.

Bishop Cheshire extended greetings from the Diocese and Rev. Henry G. Lane welcomed the Auxiliary to the parish.

Bishop Penick presented the two speakers of the evening, Rev. G. Warfield Hobbs, Editor of the *Spirit of Missions*, and Capt. B. F. Mountford, Head of the Church Army in America. The keynote of Mr. Hobbs' address was the Evangel of Printers' Ink, while Captain Mountford laid great stress on Personal Religion and Personal Evangelism.

The offering at this service will be used to establish a Conference in Miss Alice Gregg's field in China, to be known as The China Conference Fund.

On Wednesday, April 10th, at 7:30 a.m. early Communion was celebrated by Bishop Cheshire. The United Thank Offering was presented at this service, followed with the commemoration service for the departed.

At 9:45 the Convention was called to order by the President, Mrs. F. S. Spruill. Devotional exercises were conducted by Bishop Penick.

Mrs. J. S. Holmes, in a most gracious manner, welcomed the Auxiliary most cordially to the Church of the Good Shepherd, to which Mrs. Dorian Blair, of Greensboro, responded. In welcoming the Auxiliary Mrs. Holmes asked to add "In the name of us all, a word of appreciation of the work of our leader and President. She has not spared herself in the effort to carry out her high ideal of holding the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of North Carolina to its traditions of the past and ever to a wider vision of service. And we are glad of this opportunity to thank her for her fine leadership."

The President, Mrs. F. S. Spruill, then read her address. Appointments of the following committees was announced:

Credentials—Miss Nan G. Clark, Mrs. H. H. Hardison, Mrs. W. W. Simms, Miss Mary Phillips.

Nominations—Mrs. Frank L. Hill, Mrs. C. H. Arrington, Mrs. C. L. Mann.

Elections—Mrs. S. H. Pritchard, Mrs. John Paylor, Mrs. W. W. Robards, Mrs. C. G. Wright, Mrs. George Watts Carr.

Courtesy—Mrs. Henry C. Bridgers, Miss Camille Hunt, Mrs. W. T. Carter, Mrs. E. G. Peoples.

Resolutions—Mrs. R. B. Coit, Mrs. C. E. Shore, Mrs. J. C. Purnell.

Publicity—Mrs. J. S. Holmes.

Timekeeper—Miss Mary Hilliard Hinton.

The reports of the Secretary, Mrs. E. S. Boice, the Treasurer, Miss Nan Clark, and the U. T. O. Custodian, Mrs. W. D. Burwell, were then presented. Following this Miss Sallie Dean, of Richmond, Va., spoke with great power on the U. T. O.

The report of the Supply Department was then presented by Mrs. R. H. Lewis, and the report on Religious Education by Mrs. W. W. Way.

Rising votes of thanks and appreciation were extended our retiring Diocesan Officers, Mrs. R. H. Lewis and Mrs. W. D. Burwell.

Miss Emma Hall, Provincial Chairman, and Miss Rena Clark, Diocesan Chairman, both made interesting reports concerning the Corporate Gift.

The Auxiliary was pleased to have as its guests Mrs. Tillinghast, of East Carolina, and Mrs. Mazyck, Educational Secretary, of Kentucky. We were especially delighted to welcome back to North Carolina Mrs. John Anderson, formerly of East Carolina, who is now residing in Chapel Hill. Mrs. Anderson made a plea for our interest in the student work at Chapel Hill.

A cable was received from Miss Nan G. Clark in Cairo, extending greetings and best wishes.

At 12 o'clock Noonday Prayer and Meditation were held by our beloved friend and neighbor, The Rt. Rev. Thomas C. Darst, Bishop of East Carolina.

The importance of the Diocesan Emergency Fund was then stressed by Rev. Elwood L. Haines, who was presented by Miss Rena Clark, Diocesan Chairman, for this Fund.

Luncheon was served at 1:00 o'clock in the parish house of St. Saviour's.

At 2:00 p.m. the meeting was called to order. Fifty-four Branches responded to roll call. The Credentials Committee reported that all these were entitled to vote.

An encouraging report was presented by Mr. W. H. Wheeler in behalf of the Thompson Episcopal Home. He urged the adoption of the remaining twenty children who had not been provided for. Mrs. Arthur Mowry and Mrs. H. H. Weeks were asked to take charge of this work under the direction of Mr. Wheeler.

An invitation to meet in St. Paul's, Winston-Salem, next year was extended by Mrs. John L. Gilmer. This invitation was accepted with thanks.

Our Second Diocesan Objective was presented by Miss Kate Albertson. She spoke of the work and growth of St. Mary's School.

Mrs. Bickett gave a report on Inter-racial Work. She introduced a most interesting feature by bringing all the girls from the Bishop Tuttle Memorial School for us to meet. Miss Rosa Williams, of Fayetteville, the student beneficiary of the Scholarship in North Carolina, made a few remarks and thanked the Woman's Auxiliary for the Scholarship.

Mrs. George W. Alston read her report of The Treasure and Trinket Fund.

Mrs. Erwin A. Holt made a plea for the School at Penland.

Following this the Group Conferences were held. At 4:30 Captain Mountford, with several members of the Church Army, gave a demonstration of their methods on the lawn of the Church of the Good Shepherd.

From 5 to 6 delegates and friends were guests at St. Mary's School. This was a most enjoyable occasion.

At 7:45 p.m. Evening Prayer was held, at which time Miss Foonyee C. Woo, Principal of St. Paul's Girls' School, Hong Kong, China, was a most pleasing and interesting speaker.

Captain Mountford was asked to make further explanations of his work in America, and two of his coworkers, one from

England and one from America, also made a few remarks. Mrs. W. J. Gordon strongly endorsed the work done by the Church Army in Spray, as did also Rev. Duncan Thomas, who has recently been associated with the Army men at a mission at that place.

Thursday morning, April 11, 7:30 a.m., Holy Communion was celebrated by Bishop Penick.

At 9:45 a.m. the business session opened with Devotional Exercises.

An interesting report was made by the Recruiting Secretary, Miss Mary Hilliard Hinton, while Mrs. H. G. Cooper, in behalf of N. C. C. W. made another appeal for funds for the chapel there.

Mrs. George N. Cooke, Publicity Chairman, urged subscriptions to church papers.

A plea was made by the President and the Secretary for more accurate and more legible reports.

The District Chairmen presented reports of the year's work in their respective districts.

An inspiring appeal was made by Mrs. Lyman Cotten in behalf of St. Luke's International Hospital, and a splendid account of the work at St. Luke's was presented by Dr. Mabel Elliott, the only American representative on the staff. Every one was greatly impressed by the charming personality of Dr. Elliott and the strength of her message.

Noontday Prayer was conducted by Rev. L. F. Kent, Archdeacon of the Yukon. Rev. Mr. Kent gave a most graphic account of the life in Alaska.

In the name of the Church Service League of Christ Church, Rev. M. A. Barber invited all delegates and guests to their Parish House for lunch.

Miss Mary Hoke reported the work of the Church Periodical Club and outlined proposed plans for the future.

Mrs. G. B. Lewis, Social Service Secretary, in her report requested each member to get a copy of "Short Meditations on the Lord's Prayer," by Dean Lathrop.

Mrs. James Cordon moved that we send our love and best wishes by Bishop Cheshire to Mrs. Cheshire, who is sick at her home.

The following Diocesan officers were elected: Mrs. Howard Hartzell, Box Work Secretary; Mrs. Alfred Laurence, U. T. O. Custodian, and Miss Rena Clark, Woman Representative on the Diocesan Council.

The Chairman of the Resolutions Committee read the resolutions that had been presented. Several were adopted and will be incorporated in the Annual Report.

In the absence of the Chairman of the Courtesy Committee, Mrs. Peoples offered this report, prepared by Mrs. Bridgers:

"When a Convention as large as this one runs without a hitch—perfectly smooth in every detail—all of us know the labor and thought given to it by the parish in which it is held, and we congratulate you on the success of your undertaking.

The Convention may be said to have been blessed *with* and *by* Bishops, and we want to thank each of them for the inspiring message he has brought to us.

It is especially gratifying to have Bishop Cheshire with us. He was absent on account of illness the last time we met.

We realized anew, yesterday afternoon when we were partaking of St. Mary's gracious hospitality in their beautiful old Assembly Hall, the strength she has always been to the church, and we may look with calmness into the future and see these splendid girls grown into womanhood carrying on the work of the Auxiliary.

We wish to thank our President for the splendid program and for the distinguished and interesting speakers she has brought to us from the mission field.

Their message is a clear call for a greater effort on our part to do the Master's business at home and abroad.

We feel intensely grateful to all who have helped in any way to make this, our 47th Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary, the best we have ever had, and in the name of all the delegates I wish to thank you.

Let us show our sincere thankfulness for this Convention, stressing Personal Religion and Evangelism by doing as our Lord bids us do, 'Go ye into all the world and preach the gospel.'

Luncheon was served at 1 o'clock in the parish house of Christ Church. After lunch there was a short meeting. At this time Bishop Cheshire spoke a word of appreciation for the work done by the Woman's Auxiliary.

Miss Denson thanked us for what we were doing for the chapel at N. C. C. W., while Miss Nannie Crowder, of St. Mary's School, gave thanks for the financial help which the Woman's Auxiliary had given, thus enabling St. Mary's girls to attend summer conferences.

Miss Emma Hall read the letter from Miss Mary Wood McKenzie, expressing her appreciation of the gift of \$200 from the Woman's Auxiliary.

The President kindly thanked the Secretary for promptly and efficiently performing her duties.

What more fitting close could have been to this wonderful Convention than the closing message given by Bishop Penick, and the rededication by all the women of the Church.

Faithfully submitted,

LYAL C. BOICE, *Secretary.*

ADDRESS OF PRESIDENT

Greetings to this fine body of women!

I do not believe there could be found elsewhere such a fine company of workers, and my association with you has been a privilege and a joy.

In many respects the year 1928 has been a year of progress. Great strides have been made in plans for the work of Christian Education, Social Service, and in the Supply Department.

North Carolina again leads in the Fourth Province in its United Thank Offering.

It is thought best to devote little time at this Annual Meeting to statistical reports. In every department, these will be printed in full in the Year Book, and every woman should secure a copy.

Therefore, I cannot emphasize too strongly the great need and importance of District Meetings, where questions may be asked and problems can be discussed and settled in a more intimate way.

That we may have a broader vision for the work of the Woman's Auxiliary, inspirational messages will be brought us in these two days from the foremost leaders in the Church. These men and women have paused in their daily round to come to us from Alaska, China, Japan, Africa, England and America.

More than two hundred women from our Diocese had the privilege of attending the great Triennial in Washington. These women have experienced the inspiration gained by sitting at the feet of *trained* teachers.

Several officers are to be chosen today. May we be constrained to elect women who will be unsparing of their time and talents, not counting the cost, and who will welcome constructive criticism. These officers must be chosen prayerfully and with care. The time is short, and I recommend that it should not be wasted in merely complimentary nominations.

Likewise, great care should be exercised in electing your parish officers, only those being chosen who will study conditions and needs of the Church. An informed Auxiliary means an interested one. That our apportionments have been raised is not sufficient; we should experience the joy of service, and

our faces should be aglow with pleasure in our Auxiliary work.

Your sympathetic coöperation is asked for the work of the young women. Especially would I appeal to the youth of today to sign up for work while they are filled with zeal and vigor, and in full possession of all their faculties.

Rural work should be stressed.

We note the thoroughness which characterized the recent political campaigns. Groups were organized to go into the remote corners to bring women to the polls. This gives me an idea that in the Church we too may organize to go to the country, as well as the towns, and bring the isolated women to a realization that each soul is needed. There are too many absentees in the Church today. There is no place for a laggard in the Church of God.

We must remember that the missionary work of the Church takes no vacation, and that the work is advanced solely by our prayers and our offerings. There seems a prejudice existing concerning the mention of money. Let us yield to money its legitimate place in the work of establishing the Kingdom. In one instance our Master needed money so urgently that He resorted to a miracle to secure it.

The epidemic of 1928 has taken toll of many of our members, and with bowed heads we record the loss of some of our best loved and most valued women. Their influence will be long felt. Only in the diversion of *service* can our sorrows be healed.

After five years in Liberia, on January 24th Miss Maryland B. Nichols, our Prayer Partner for the District of Richmond, succumbed to fever and passed away in far off Africa. Surely by this the need for a hospital and doctor at Cape Mount is brought home to us.

May this Annual Meeting be one of great joy and inspiration, and while we meet for conference and legislation, we also meet for renewed consecration and instruction.

May we return to our homes determined that in future the words of Judges 7:21 may apply to each of us:

“And they stood, every man *in his place.*”

“For work to do, and strength to do the work, we thank thee, Lord.”

Your friend and servant,

ALICE WINSTON SPRUILL, *President.*

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY

Notices of the March, September and November meetings of the Executive Board were mailed to all members. A copy of the minutes of these meetings was mailed to each member of the board.

Stationery was mailed to all Diocesan officers.

Annual reports were sent to every Diocesan, District and Branch officer and to chairmen of committees.

Report blanks were mailed to all branches and return post-cards were sent to delegates.

Programs for the Annual Meeting were mailed to all Diocesan officers, District Chairmen, Branch Presidents, speakers and chairmen of committees.

Extracts from letters received from various National officers have been incorporated in the monthly letters.

In all 1,789 of the above communications were sent out. In addition 75 personal letters were written.

While the volume of the work devolving upon the Secretary has materially increased, the duties of the office have not been unduly burdensome because of the promptness and efficiency of the Diocesan, District and Branch Chairmen.

Again I wish to thank you for your coöperation and for the privilege of serving you.

L. C. BOICE, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

1928

Boxes to Diocesan Missions-----	\$3,685.13
Boxes to General Missions-----	3,079.72
Total-----	\$6,764.85

Number of garments cut out and made, 1,092, valued at \$800.05, included in total given.

Number of meetings by branches, 38.

On hand January 1, 1928-----	\$ 1.18
Received pledges for 1928-----	821.01
Total-----	\$ 822.19

Paid out for printing-----	\$ 9.25
Insurance -----	4.55
Twine and paper -----	.50
Miss Etta McGrath (Christmas Box)-----	5.00
Typing -----	3.00
Lock and key-----	3.00
Shelves -----	7.15
Postage, stamps, postals and express-----	159.76
Material and ready-to-wear for Mission Box-----	603.25
Total paid out-----	\$ 795.46
Balance on hand January 1, 1929-----	\$ 26.73

MARY WELDON LEWIS, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF CHRISTIAN SOCIAL SERVICE

A careful study of reports from seven districts shows good work being done, and we hope with each passing year as more branches realize the importance of systematizing their work and keeping records of expenditures that there will be even greater progress shown. The sum of \$7,456.54 reported does not cover all spent by the branches for this work in the diocese.

Of the 110 children at the Thompson Episcopal Home, 58 are clothed by branches in the Diocese of North Carolina. Nineteen not yet provided for. We hope Branches will keep in close touch with their children now and also later on when they return to their own homes.

Our women are carrying on every phase of welfare, uplift, hospital and institutional work. Some interest in rural work has developed, and some Branches have done good work among colored people.

Study along social service lines, particularly stressed this year by this department, is about one-fourth what we would like to see it. We must be informed to carry on this important work, and feel sure of increased interest in study during 1929.

Faithfully,

MRS. G. B. LEWIS, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

As Diocesan Educational Secretary, I have an encouraging report to offer:

I believe every active branch of the Auxiliary in our Diocese does some regular study. Forty-eight new leaders have offered their talents in spreading the knowledge of Christ's Kingdom, and the faithful workers who have led study classes through years of devoted work can see the fruit of their efforts.

Forty-four discussion groups have been held.

Through the use of the "Kalendar of Daily Bible Readings" an increasing number of our members read together daily.

The "Spirit of Missions" is read more widely.

We are learning the educational value of the Supply Department. Social Service is part of our study program.

Whereas a few years ago one study class only was held during a year, now many branches have printed or typewritten programs with some phase of the Church's work studied at every

meeting, besides certain weeks set apart for more intensive study.

Each year more members attend summer conferences. Twenty-two did so last year.

Two Diocesan Institutes, one in each Convocation, were held to train educational leaders.

Let us pray for the time to come when every member of the Auxiliary will be eager to learn of Him and His Kingdom.

Faithfully yours,

MRS. WARREN W. WAY, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

Amount received during the year 1928.....	\$ 7,127.48
Amount with interest, for 1926 and 1927 (previously reported)	13,898.49
Interest on above for 1928.....	509.60
Amount received from Colored Convocation.....	432.50
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Total amount placed on altar at Triennial in Washington	\$ 21,968.07

The past history of the United Thank Offering has been called a "glorious achievement," and I have no doubt that the women of the Church will see that the future will be a more glorious one.

There is much to encourage us in the future of the United Thank Offering work in our own Diocese. Judging from the response received from the parishes the women everywhere seem more interested. Scattered over the Diocese are a number of missions and small parishes in which there is no branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. Due to the efforts of the United Thank Offering Treasurer and of the district chairman and custodians the women in many of these places have organized and are doing splendid United Thank Offering work. Three such places were added to my list during 1928, and as this report goes to the printers a small group of women in another community sent a request for blue boxes in order to begin work this spring.

These are healthy signs, and I believe we can look forward to the time not far distant when we shall reach every woman in

the Diocese and enlist her interest in the work of the United Thank Offering.

Praying that God will continue to bless the work, I am,

Faithfully,

SUSAN GILLIAM BURWELL, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF TREASURER

Consolidated Report of Receipts and Disbursements January 1, 1928, to December 31, 1928

RECEIPTS

Budget Quota -----	\$ 4,138.15
Advance Work -----	1,302.35
Corporate Gift -----	421.61
Central Fund -----	782.56
Specials -----	4,962.09
 Total Receipts -----	\$ 11,606.76
On hand at beginning of year, Jan. 1, 1928-----	427.63
 Total -----	\$ 12,034.39

DISBURSEMENTS

Forward Movement -----	\$ 4,133.15
Refunds and Specials -----	6,856.45
Central Fund -----	831.20
 Total Disbursements -----	\$ 11,820.80
Cash balance December 31, 1928-----	213.59
 Total -----	\$ 12,034.39

RECEIPTS FOR 1928

Budget Quota -----	\$4,138.15
Corporate Gift -----	421.61
Advance Work -----	1,302.35
Specials -----	2,604.98
Central Fund -----	782.56
Social Service -----	1,148.15
Religious Education -----	1,208.96
 Total Receipts -----	\$ 11,606.76
On hand beginning of year, Jan. 1, 1928-----	427.63
 Total -----	\$ 12,034.39

DISBURSEMENTS FOR 1928

Budget Quota -----	\$ 4,133.15
Corporate Girt -----	410.85
Advance Work -----	1,270.06
Specials -----	2,751.28
Central Fund -----	831.20
Social Service -----	1,109.30
Religious Education -----	1,314.96
 Total Disbursements -----	\$ 11,820.80
 Cash balance December 31, 1928 -----	213.59
 Total -----	\$ 12,034.39

Respectfully submitted,

NAN G. CLARK, *Treasurer.*

Tarboro, N. C.

REPORT OF AUDITOR

From January 1, 1928, to December 31, 1928

To the President and Executive Committee of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Presiding Bishop and Council, Diocese of North Carolina:

Pursuant to request of your Treasurer, I have audited your records of receipts and disbursements for the period beginning January 1, 1928, and ending December 31, 1928. During this period the account was kept by Mrs. R. B. Davis, Rocky Mount, N. C., and Miss Nan G. Clark, Tarboro, N. C. I have carefully gone over all records of receipts and all vouchers showing disbursements, and find them in balance. The balance of \$213.59 on December 31, 1928, is deposited in the First National Bank, Tarboro, N. C.

K. D. MORGAN, *Auditor.*

Tarboro, N. C., January 21, 1929.

The Woman's
Diocese of

MRS. F. S. SPRUILL, PRESIDENT
462 FALLS ROAD
ROCKY MOUNT, N. C.

MRS. E. S. BOICE, SECRETARY
534 FALLS ROAD
ROCKY MOUNT, N. C.

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EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY
MRS. W. W. WAY
ST. MARY'S SCHOOL
RALEIGH, N. C.

AMOUNTS CONTRIBUTED BY BRANCHES

No. of Members	BRANCH	Forward Movement	Specials	Central Fund	Advance Work and Corporate Gift	Boxes	United Thank Offering
6	Advance, Ascension	\$-----	\$ 17.50	\$ 1.50	\$ 6.00	\$ 3.00	\$ 16.15
2	Albemarle, Badin Mission	-----	-----	-----	-----	7.20	-----
13	Ansonville	3.00	50	1.00	2.50	22.00	-----
13	Battleboro, St. John's	24.25	3.25	2.50	86.20	38.50	-----
54	Burlington, Holy Comforter	300.00	306.75	13.50	53.00	114.40	162.42
50	Chapel Hill, Chapel of the Cross	100.00	71.50	12.50	20.00	100.00	116.22
300	Charlotte, St. Peter's	300.00	173.50	75.00	200.00	100.00	498.98
35	Charlotte, Holy Comforter	-----	-----	8.75	25.00	175.50	96.80
50	Charlotte, St. Martin's	-----	75.00	12.50	25.00	304.22	150.65
20	Charlotte, St. Martin's (Mary and Martha)	62.50	37.50	5.00	25.00	56.65	55.16
-----	Charlotte, Chapel of Hope	-----	3.00	-----	-----	2.00	-----
4	China Grove, Ascension	-----	5.00	1.00	-----	10.00	19.45
20	Cleveland, Christ	5.00	31.50	5.00	-----	33.30	10.41
11	Cooleemee, Good Shepherd	-----	28.84	2.75	1.00	35.00	57.99
18	Concord, All Saints'	40.00	48.15	4.50	15.00	-----	8.09
-----	Cunningham	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	128.00
40	Durham, St. Philip's	150.00	169.50	10.00	40.00	121.20	195.00
50	Durham, St. Margaret's	150.00	96.00	12.50	65.00	139.30	17.18
12	Durham (East), St. Andrew's	30.00	26.75	3.00	-----	25.10	6.60
6	Durham (West), St. Joseph's	12.50	8.50	1.50	4.00	105.50	4.90
21	Enfield, Advent	25.00	14.00	5.25	21.00	-----	5.00
4	Elkin, Galloway Memorial	-----	-----	1.00	-----	-----	31.00
16	Erwin, St. Stephen's	12.50	15.00	4.00	5.00	1.00	5.00
1	Franklinton	5.00	7.00	2.25	1.00	4.90	-----
55	Greensboro, Holy Trinity	-----	100.80	13.75	60.00	109.65	272.04
32	Greensboro, St. Andrew's	50.00	50.96	8.00	25.00	51.00	85.16
10	Halifax, St. Mark's	5.00	16.00	2.50	10.00	51.30	68.45
-----	Hamlet, All Saints'	-----	3.65	-----	-----	16.00	13.75
50	Henderson, Julian Ingle	200.00	147.62	12.50	60.00	104.25	197.95
32	Henderson, Bessie Blacknall	100.00	58.00	8.00	25.00	136.60	156.00
20	High Point, St. Mary's	50.00	51.65	5.00	5.00	288.90	49.46
26	Hillsboro, St. Matthew's	100.00	74.00	6.50	30.00	31.00	73.75
11	Jackson, Church of the Saviour	25.00	23.00	2.75	12.00	19.90	29.00
10	Lawrence, Grace	5.00	4.00	2.50	-----	2.00	5.25
17	Leaksville, Epiphany	-----	7.50	4.25	-----	65.05	20.70
7	Lexington, St. Andrew's	-----	7.00	1.75	5.00	20.15	-----
17	Lexington, Grace	25.00	45.86	4.25	17.00	80.70	129.50
9	Littleton, St. Alban's	17.50	41.65	2.25	15.00	62.80	65.15
20	Louisburg, St. Paul's	25.00	29.50	5.00	20.00	109.50	56.16
6	Madison, St. John's	-----	-----	1.50	-----	-----	23.75
14	Mayodan, Messiah	5.00	9.00	3.50	-----	-----	14.70
26	Mecklenburg Co., St. Mark's	12.50	30.20	6.50	13.00	32.00	11.00
-----	Middleburg, Heavenly Rest	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	8.10
8	Milton, Christ Church	2.50	4.50	2.00	2.00	7.80	25.68
18	Monroe, St. Paul's	-----	23.03	4.50	11.50	5.00	-----
9	Monroe Business Circle	-----	-----	2.25	-----	-----	17.00
8	Mt. Airy, Trinity	12.50	22.50	2.00	-----	38.00	33.00
7	Northampton Co., St. Luke's	-----	23.00	1.75	-----	4.00	21.10
8	Orange Co., St. Mary's	5.00	2.00	2.00	5.00	51.50	5.00
40	Oxford, St. Stephen's	50.00	93.40	11.00	25.00	281.70	168.29
16	Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew's	7.50	28.00	4.00	18.00	47.30	55.14
200	Raleigh, Christ Church	425.00	244.44	50.00	210.00	445.16	333.82
100	Raleigh, Good Shepherd (Lucy Pittenger)	200.00	206.05	25.00	20.00	491.90	281.98
27	Raleigh, Good Shepherd (St. Anne's)	100.00	97.00	6.75	27.00	53.00	186.00
14	Raleigh, St. Mary's	25.00	25.00	3.50	20.00	16.00	49.00
30	Raleigh, St. Saviour's	25.00	23.80	7.50	4.00	51.50	15.79
12	Reidsville, St. Thomas'	12.00	20.00	3.00	-----	84.60	34.08
20	Ridgeway, Good Shepherd	-----	11.00	5.00	5.00	13.40	11.75
-----	Rockingham Co., St. Andrew's	-----	-----	-----	-----	18.35	-----
19	Rockingham, Messiah	36.00	11.50	4.75	10.00	21.50	60.00

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TREASURER
MISS NAN G. CLARK
TARBORO, N. C.

UNITED THANK OFFERING
TREASURER
MRS. W. D. BURWELL
HENDERSON, N. C.

VICE-PRESIDENT AND
SUPPLY SECRETARY
MRS. R. H. LEWIS
OXFORD, N. C.

CHRISTIAN SOCIAL SERVICE
SECRETARY
MRS. G. B. LEWIS
CONCORD, N. C.

AMOUNTS CONTRIBUTED BY BRANCHES—Continued

No. of Members	BRANCH	Forward Movement	Specials	Central Fund	Advance Work and Corporate Gift	Boxes	United Thank Offering
200	Rocky Mount, Good Shepherd	\$ 450.00	\$ 317.75	\$ 50.00	\$ 75.00	\$ 266.70	\$ 496.14
20	Roanoke Rapids, All Saints'	25.00	9.00	5.00	20.00	105.00	83.72
10	Roanoke Rapids, 2nd Circle	5.00	9.50	2.50	2.50	50.00	21.25
8	Roxboro, St. Mark's		2.50	2.00		3.00	3.15
26	Salisbury, St. Luke's		58.85	6.50	25.00	71.35	141.02
8	Salisbury, St. Paul's	10.00	19.00	2.00	4.00	9.20	9.45
9	Salisbury, St. Peter's		2.00	2.25	10.00	23.10	8.75
7	Sanford, St. Thomas'		2.00	1.75		18.50	11.07
20	Scotland Neck, Holy Trinity		26.60	5.00	10.00	126.70	71.22
17	Scotland Neck, Susan Smith		14.70	4.25	5.00	130.05	27.20
4	Selma, St. Gabriel's		3.00	1.00			6.50
13	Smithfield, St. Paul's	50.00	22.75	3.25	13.00	52.20	28.50
7	Sparta, St. Ignatius						7.42
7	Speed, St. Mary's			1.75		2.00	3.50
6	Spencer, St. Joseph's		3.00	1.50	3.00	3.00	8.75
15	Spray, St. Luke's	5.00	24.70	3.75	15.00	43.80	73.45
5	Spring Hope, St. Jude's	2.50	5.00	1.25	1.50	17.00	5.50
12	Statesville, Holy Trinity	25.00	19.20	3.00	12.00	28.40	30.85
2	Stoneville, Emmanuel			.50			.50
5	Southern Pines, Emmanuel		3.45	1.25			28.42
11	Townesville, Holy Trinity		7.00	2.75	10.00	62.48	25.15
50	Tarboro, Calvary	200.00	289.08	12.50	58.00	123.70	108.93
43	Tarboro, St. Catherine's	150.00	121.85	10.75	75.91	22.50	110.75
29	Wadesboro, Calvary	25.00	42.71	7.25	5.05	80.70	164.37
8	Walnut Cove, Christ Church						23.01
8	Wake Forest, St. John's		5.00	2.00			4.25
36	Warrenton, Emmanuel	27.65	56.35	9.00	25.00	69.40	99.44
37	Weldon, Grace	50.00	33.00	9.25	35.00	169.50	55.11
90	Wilson, St. Timothy's	100.00	55.00	22.50	75.00	182.95	140.02
100	Winston-Salem, St. Paul's	300.00	1,094.53	25.00	80.00	852.19	981.97
7	Woodleaf, St. George's		17.25	1.75	3.00	3.00	1.50
	Yanceyville, Yanceyville Chapel						8.08
	District of Edgecombe		23.46	25.00			
	District of Mecklenburg		10.00				
	District of Wake		5.00	14.13		21.40	
	St. Augustine's School		28.76	65.68			
	Incidentals						38.15
	Open Offering, Annual Meeting						5.00
	Cash, Triennial Meeting						38.73
	Interest on above						
2436	Totals	\$4,138.15	\$5,029.84	\$714.81	\$1,723.96	\$6,764.85	\$ 7,137.48
	Interest on 1926-1927 Offering						509.60
	Less \$67.75 Carolina Churchman transferred to Central Fund		67.75				
	Plus above to Central Fund			67.75			
	Totals	\$4,138.15	\$4,962.09	\$782.56	\$1,723.96	\$6,764.85	\$ 7,647.08

*Value of sewing done by each branch has been added to branch report.

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CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH**Reports of District Chairmen****REPORT OF THE DISTRICT OF EDGECOMBE**

The District of Edgecombe has seventeen branches of the Auxiliary functioning in all departments. Each branch is well equipped with officers, possessing a keen sense of responsibility, and the chairman is in direct touch with each either by telephone, letter or personal contact.

From a material standpoint the "District" has achieved much; contributed to all "specials" on the Pledge Card, gave liberally to Forward Movement Fund, made special offerings at the observance of the four Intercessory Days, responded to the appeals made at Convention and other times, clothed ten children at Thompson Home, and raised a fund for the Prayer Partner, Miss Disbrow, of Japan.

This District is extremely fortunate in the personnel of its "Secretaries," women eager to develop their department with the ideal and aim of improvement each year. Two fine meetings of the District were held, Rocky Mount in May and Halifax in November, characterized by splendid attendance and enthusiasm. Every branch, with one exception, attended the Annual Meeting in Tarboro last spring; several had good attendance at General Convention in Washington and the Educational Institute in Raleigh. Probably the United Thank Offering claims a larger share of the interest of the women than any other phase—places where there is no active organization made their contributions.

From these tangible statistics and signs, I cannot but infer that the District of Edgecombe is in a healthy, wholesome condition, desirous of participating in the Church's mission and evincing an intelligent interest in all Auxiliary matters, with a wealth of energy and resources yet untried. But of that higher and intangible side which cannot be expressed in concrete terms, I can only state that I am conscious of a very serious and earnest spirit that motivates their every action. My contact with them has been redundant with help for myself, and I feel that I must acknowledge the debt that I owe them.

And now as the term of my office is drawing to a close, may I suggest what I hope has been the fundamental design in my administration, namely this: that the first emphasis of the Auxiliary must be spiritual and then educational, and as a result action necessarily follows. That I may have accomplished little does not prevent me from realizing the potentiality of a District using such methods.

RENA H. CLARK, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE

It is indeed a great pleasure to me to make this my first report as Chairman of the District of Granville. My predecessors have laid a sure foundation, and with the type of women in our District we are sure to go forward in the work for our Master.

The District is composed of the following towns: Henderson, Oxford, Warrenton, Louisburg, Littleton, Townsville, Franklinton, Ridgeway, and Middleburg.

Two District meetings were held: one in Warrenton in May, the other in Oxford in November.

The United Thank Offering amounted to \$795.89, a decided increase over the year before.

The Supply Department gave in money \$683.48 with 517 garments cut and 159 garments made valued at \$161.55, making a total value of \$845.03. Every branch helped, making Granville 100 per cent District with eight branches on Ideal Honor Roll.

The Social Service Department has been very active, \$225 spent, not reported through Diocesan Treasurer; \$115 spent on clothes for four orphans at Thompson Orphanage.

Special interest was taken in Educational Work—Prayer Partner and a hearty response to Auxiliary memoranda.

All financial obligations have been met, and all reports reveal a better grasp on the part of the individual members of what the Auxiliary stands for.

MRS. MAURICE CLIFTON, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT OF ORANGE

The District has encouraging reports from the small branches as well as from the larger ones.

The Thank Offering was greatly increased over the previous year, one large branch almost doubling its amount. Several Communion Services were held on October 11th, as well as at other times. We were well represented at the General Convention.

Supply Department. There was response from every branch in pledges or boxes and cutting and sewing. Much interest was exhibited in the Orphanage and in clothing our orphans.

Religious Education. Reports of study programs and Lenten classes have been made. Books recommended by National Council have been used, also other literature.

Social Service. Excellent local work has been done—visits to jails and county homes, cheer at Thanksgiving and Christmas, assistance to the Y. P. S. L., and a variety of Parish work. An outstanding event in the District is the joining of St. Philip's and St. Margaret's Auxiliaries of Durham to form the W. S. L. Much interest and enthusiasm have followed this step.

During the year six members of the Auxiliary have been claimed by death, leaving us the poorer for their going, the richer for the memories they have left us.

The meeting in Pittsboro, November 14th, was well attended.

MRS. COLLIER COBB, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT OF WAKE

In looking back over the work of the District during the past year I find the following:

Two well attended, enthusiastic meetings (held in Wake Forest and Smithfield), which probably served to stimulate the interest of the several branches in their own work. Certainly the reports of the branches reveal a real understanding of the aims and ideals of the Auxiliary and a live interest in meeting their share of our Diocesan obligations. In a number of instances a larger share than ever before has been assumed. I note also a constantly developing interest in local welfare work, evidenced in part by the fact that when the resources are not equal to the needs, the women buckle down to hard work, giving their time and talents to making money to relieve the necessities of the poor.

Again, I note better study classes than ever before, no doubt due to the fact that our stimulating Diocesan Educational Secretary is one of our very selves.

The other specially noteworthy fact is a growing consciousness of ourselves not as an aggregation of units, but as a unit, which should be responsible for creating new centers of spiritual life within the District—not so much by adding members to the Auxiliary as adding members to the Church. But just here we find ourselves faced with practical difficulties and obstacles. The seeking out of favorable openings and the planting of Sunday schools cannot be done by women alone, nor by men alone. Our vision for the District is: a helping hand by the whole to the weaker centers of spiritual life and the planting of new centers. But when we speak of "the whole District" we find it impossible to confine our thought to the Church women. Only when the Church commissions her entire membership—men and women together—to take the world for Christ, can we hope to see fulfilled our vision for the Wake District.

EMILIE R. HOLMES, *Chairman.*

CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE**Reports of District Chairmen****REPORT OF THE DISTRICT OF FORSYTH-ROWAN**

The District of Forsyth-Rowan has moved forward steadily in the Church's program during the past year. Two achievements which should be of especial satisfaction are the Valle Crucis scholarship, which has been sustained over and above the other Diocesan calls responded to, and the fact that one-fourth of the U. T. Offering of the Diocese presented at General Convention in Washington was contributed by Forsyth-Rowan women. Substantial interest in all causes of the Church has been evidenced and the work of the future has received much support.

It is safe to predict that this District will live up to its past and present records for faithfulness in all requests for the advancement of the cause of Christ.

JANE PENICK GUILFORD, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT OF GUILFORD

The spring meeting of the District of Guilford in St. Mary's Church, High Point, was a very fine advance program on Africa, when both Bishop Campbell, of Liberia, and the Rev. E. L. Haines spoke from a personal knowledge of the field. An inspiring meeting on some of the outstanding objectives of both the Church and of the Auxiliary, was held in November in Burlington, with the Holy Comforter branch, which may well be called a model Auxiliary. The year has been one of real progress in most of the branches of this District, as shown by the increased amount given by the greater frequency of meeting, by organization in which more women take part, and by a general responsiveness and interest.

ANNA CLARK GORDON, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG

Two District meetings held in 1928, one at Charlotte at the Holy Comforter in the spring, with Rev. Mr. Haines as speaker; one at Mecklenburg County, St. Marks, in the fall, Bishop Finley speaker. Both meetings splendid and well attended.

There has been excellent work and a ready response to all appeals shown by the splendid reports in all fields of service.

Much inspiration and interest have been aroused by securing distinguished speakers throughout the year.

Unusual interest manifested in the educational work; many conferences held.

Generous contributions in clothes and money for the box work.

Since the adoption of the children at the Thompson Home by the various branches, their needs are substantially met. Twenty-five to thirty ladies from the Charlotte churches meet every Thursday for sewing and mending.

A decided increase shown in the observance of intercessory days.

Our United Thank Offering is steadily gaining.

Each Branch was represented at the General Convention.

Our prayer-partner, Miss Coffin, is remembered at stated times by prayers and gifts.

MRS. J. C. PURNELL, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF THE DISTRICT OF RICHMOND

Five counties comprise the District of Richmond: Montgomery, Moore, Anson, Scotland, and Richmond.

In this territory there are only four (4) branches of the Auxiliary with an approximate membership of 75.

Amount of money contributed for all purposes at home and abroad, \$438.49. United Thank Offering, \$266.47, making a total of \$704.96, an average of almost \$10.00 per member.

Number of women attending summer conference at Kanuga Lake, two.

Number of girls at Camp Penick, Lake Lure, one.

Intercessory days have been observed and corporate communions reported.

All departments have been faithful in the discharge of their duties, the Department of Education being especially interested and active. Well attended District Meetings were held at Ansonville in May, and at Southern Pines in November.

When the Districts were formed, the wisdom of holding two meetings a year was considered doubtful. It has now become the consensus of opinion that the Districts hold the keys to the situation, and two meetings are well worth while.

An enthusiastic branch composed of the younger women of Calvary Church, Wadesboro, has been organized and named in memory of Mary Clifford Bennett McArver, who entered life eternal May, 1928.

Although Southern Pines has no regularly organized Woman's Auxiliary, she still shows an interest in the work, by her generous contribution to the spring United Thank Offering.

All Saints Church, Hamlet, having been without a Rector for the past year, has become somewhat discouraged and demoralized, but now that Rev. Howard Hartzell has been placed in charge of the Mission for part of his time, plans are being made for the reorganization of their branch of the Auxiliary. It is hoped that both places

will be able soon to gather their forces together and assume their share of the responsibilities devolving upon the women of the Church.

The District has also suffered the loss of its Prayer-Partner, Miss Maryland B. Nichols, who laid down her life for others in far away Liberia. This is felt as a personal loss.

The entire District is especially interested in Wilma Biggs, the young girl from Rockingham, who is still in training for Mission work, and has chosen Cuba as her field of service.

According to the accepted system of rotation, the present chairman's term of office will expire in the fall. She will then be in a position to appreciate the conflicting emotions of the Methodist ministers when their four years of service are completed, and they must pass on.

EASDALE SHAW, *Chairman.*

COMMITTEE REPORTS**REPORT OF RECRUITING SECRETARY**

Letters have been mailed to all District Recruiting Secretaries, or District Chairmen, asking for a report for the past year. To some letters have been mailed twice and three times, yet only four have given reports.

Three delegates were sent to Summer Conferences, one from Forsyth-Rowan, two from the District of Wake. Others of course attended. You sent two from St. Mary's.

One young man from St. George's, Woodleaf, will study for the ministry, Fitzhugh Watson.

It should be our privilege to pray daily for Missionaries, Foreign and Domestic, our young men studying for the ministry, our young women in training for the Mission Field.

MARY HILLIARD HINTON, *Chairman.*

For a complete list of Missionaries from the Diocese of North Carolina, see page 6.

REPORT OF PUBLICITY DEPARTMENT

This department has for its objective the increasing of the subscriptions to all church papers and periodicals.

The Living Church, subscribers in State-----	131
The Witness, subscribers in State-----	274
The Churchman, subscribers in State-----	204
The Southern Churchman, subscribers in State----	677
The Spirit of Missions, subscribers in Diocese----	544
The Carolina Churchman, subscribers in Diocese--	1,200

Slogan, "A Church paper in every Christian home."

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. GEO. N. COOKE, *Chairman,*
Rocky Mount, N. C.

REPORT OF TREASURE AND TRINKET FUND

Madam President and Members of the Woman's Auxiliary:

Since the last Annual Meeting packages of gold and silver have been received as follows:

Mrs. Marriott, Battleboro.

Miss Rebe Shields, Scotland Neck.

Woman's Auxiliary, Mayodan.

Mrs. Frank A. Cole, Weldon.

Mrs. Mary Long Green, Weldon.

Mrs. P. H. Thomas, Henderson.

Silver I had permission to sell and silver which I did not have permission to sell was accidentally mixed by Mr. Mahler, so no silver has been sold except a small amount which was sent for that purpose and which was not mixed with any other. This was sold for 75 cents.

Money has been received as follows:

Woman's Auxiliary, Mayodan	-----	\$ 1.00
Silver sold (as explained)	-----	.75
Amount previously reported	-----	7.25
Interest	-----	1.33
 Total amount on hand		 ----- \$10.33

At the last meeting I reported 113 dwt. of gold, value \$52.10. This was in one piece of 8-karat gold. H. Mahler's Sons has melted and added to it all other pieces we had, and partially refined it, so we now have 101 dwt. of 17 karat gold, value \$65.11. The silver we have has not been melted.

It may be of interest to newly admitted members to know that since this fund was begun in 1918 we have had four services completed.

Respectfully submitted,

LAURA JUNE ALSTON.

April 8, 1929.

REPORT INTER-RACIAL COMMITTEE

The Inter-racial Committee of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of North Carolina has been interested in fostering mutual helpfulness and good feeling between the races. The members have served on school and day nursery boards and Inter-racial Committees, and have been ready at all times to be of service.

The outstanding work of the committee has been the finding and financing a student, Rosa Williams, of Fayetteville, at the Bishop Tuttle School for Christian Social Workers at Raleigh. The presence at the Convention of this girl and the other girls of the school, and the presentation of the work, purpose and ideals of the school was one of the outstanding features of the Convention.

We hope to continue this scholarship for the coming year and thus fit this young woman for constructive Christian social work for and with her people, and we shall continue to coöperate with the earnest colored women of our Church and community in the things that are helpful and worth while.

MRS. T. W. BICKETT, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF THE COLORED CONVOCATION

Madam President and Members of the Auxiliary:

For the past three years we have held our annual meetings at St. Augustine's during the time of the Conference. The result of this plan is a larger attendance at our annual meetings, a greater interest in the local branches, and a fuller program in general.

Several local branches are inactive on account of the absence of a minister. It is impossible for the president or educational secretary to reach these branches on account of expense entailed. The officers meet at the time of the Convocation in August, outlining plans for the coming year.

The past year has been successful. We reached our goal for the corporate gift and increased our U. T. O. by one hundred dollars. We also received and completed an allotment from the supply department from headquarters.

I regret deeply my inability to attend your annual meeting.

I would speak of the splendid meeting held in Charlotte last fall and of the coöperation that is being given by the members of the Inter-racial Committee there.

Our work is taking on new life. Bequests are being met with quicker response, and plans are being worked out with greater zeal than heretofore.

MRS. M. M. WESTON, *President.*

REPORT OF CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

I am going to use my time today in proposing plans for the future, and asking your coöperation in reëstablishing the Church Periodical Club in the Diocese.

The chief work of the C. P. C. in the past has been the forwarding to others of magazines after they have been read by the subscribers. This has been practically discontinued on account of the high postal rates. Relief along this line has come with the new rate on forwarded magazines.

In commenting on this new rate the C. P. C. magazine for the fall said: "All thanks to those who at some personal sacrifice have continued to mail their magazines through these past years."

As conditions vary in each parish, it is impossible to lay down any hard and fast rules for each C. P. C. worker. Being an independent organization itself, each branch is at liberty to conduct its work as it seems best in its own locality. For instance the work of some branches may consist solely of the forwarding of magazines by individuals, while others may prefer to contribute money for subscriptions.

Again in some localities the members of the C. P. C. may be able to fill pressing local needs with their magazines.

The C. P. C. fund is a most important phase of the C. P. C. work, whereby books and magazines are supplied to schools and universities in the mission field.

Along whatever lines each club is run, it is recommended that co-operation be had with the other organizations of the Church.

I hereby ask the Branch President of every Auxiliary to appoint promptly a C. P. C. Secretary.

I wish now to urge the District Chairmen to take this matter up at their District meetings. Ere long we may have an active C. P. C. organization throughout all parts of the Diocese.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY M. HOKE, *C. P. C. Director.*

Honor Roll

*THOSE Parishes will be
placed on the*

ROLL OF HONOR

whose Reports for the previous year have been received by the Diocesan Officers, in their respective departments, by . . .

February the 15th

COMPLETE ROSTER OF OFFICERS

Convocation of Raleigh

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CONSTITUTION

ARTICLE I

Name

The name of this organization shall be "The North Carolina Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council."

ARTICLE II

Object

The object of this organization shall be to carry out in the Diocese of North Carolina the three great aims of the Church: Extension of the Kingdom, Religious Education, and Christian Social Service.

ARTICLE III

Membership

All women of the Diocese, by virtue of their Baptism, are eligible for membership in the Woman's Auxiliary.

ARTICLE IV

Officers

Section 1. The officers of this organization shall be: a President, a Vice-President, who is also Secretary of the Supply Department, a Secretary, a Treasurer, a Secretary of the Department of Religious Education, a Secretary of the Department of Christian Social Service, and a Treasurer of the United Thank Offering.

Sec. 2. These officers, with the District Chairmen, shall constitute the Executive Committee and shall meet twice a year, at the call of the President.

ARTICLE V

Duties of Officers

Section 1. The President shall have general oversight of all work, and shall appoint all committees not otherwise provided for. She shall preside at all meetings, and at every annual meeting shall address the Auxiliary.

Sec. 2. The Vice-President shall act in the absence of the President, and shall have charge of the Supply Department.

Sec. 3. The Secretary shall record the proceedings of the Diocesan Branch, carry on all necessary correspondence, assist

the President in preparing and having printed the Annual Report, and at each annual meeting shall make a report.

Sec. 4. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all money except the United Thank Offering and Box Work money, and shall make report of same at the annual meeting. At the end of every fiscal year the Treasurer's accounts shall be verified by a public audior. The Treasurer's report, as audited, shall be published in the Annual Report. The Treasurer shall act as Chairman of the Committee on Credentials.

Sec. 5. The Secretary of the Department of Religious Education shall arrange two Institutes each year before Advent, one to be held in the Convocation of Raleigh and one in the Convocation of Charlotte, and shall carry out the Educational program provided by the National Council.

Sec. 6. The Secretary of the Department of Christian Social Service shall carry out as nearly as possible the suggested program of the National Council.

Sec. 7. The Treasurer of the United Thank Offering shall receive the United Thank Offering in March and September; and shall deposit same in a Savings Bank, or immediately remit to the Treasurer of the National Council for Investment.

ARTICLE VI

Term of Office

Section 1. All Diocesan Officers shall be elected for a term of three years; the President to be elected at the second annual meeting after the Triennial; the Treasurer, Secretary of the Department of Religious Education and Secretary of the Department of Christian Social Service the third meeting after the Triennial; and the Vice-President, and United Thank Offering Treasurer the first meeting after the Triennial. No officer shall be eligible for two consecutive terms. Vacancies occurring during the year shall be filled by the Executive Committee.

Sec. 2. The Secretary shall be appointed by the President for one year.

ARTICLE VII

Districts

(a) For effective service the Diocese shall be divided into Districts.

(b) Each District shall meet twice a year.

(c) A District shall be under the direct supervision of a Chairman, duly elected by her District for a term of three years.

ARTICLE VIII**Election of Diocesan Officers**

Section 1. The President shall appoint a committee of three at the annual Convention to receive nominations. Nominations may be in writing or from the floor. All names shall be presented to the Convention. If there is no majority on the first ballot, all names shall be dropped but the three having the largest number of votes.

Sec. 2. Any delegate may nominate, but a branch may cast but one vote. A branch to have voting privileges must have paid the Central Fund. No vote shall be cast by proxy. All elections shall be by ballot.

Sec. 3. All members of the Executive Committee may vote independently of their branches.

ARTICLE IX**Finance**

Section 1. In the fall the Treasurer shall send to every branch the following ascending scale, and each branch shall designate the class which it desires to enter: \$5 class, \$10 class, \$15 class, \$20 class, \$25 class, \$35 class, \$50 class, \$75 class, \$100 class, \$150 class, \$200 class, \$250 class, \$300 class, \$350 class, \$400 class, \$450 class, \$500 class, \$550 class, \$600 class.

Sec. 2. The United Thank Offering, money for the Supply Department, and the Central Fund, shall be in addition to the contributions made according to the ascending scale.

Sec. 3. From the amount contributed according to this scale the Treasurer shall turn over one-half to the Forward Movement Fund, and one-half to such specials as the parish branch may designate.

ARTICLE X**Amendments**

This Constitution may be amended at the annual meeting of the Diocesan Branch by a two-thirds vote of the delegates, due notice of the proposed amendments having been given to every branch at least one month before the annual meeting.

BY-LAWS

The time and place for the annual meeting shall be approved by the Bishop and the Executive Committee.

1. The Order of Business for the annual meeting shall be arranged by the President and the Executive Committee.

2. Each Parish Branch shall be represented by the President of the branch and one delegate (appointed by the President, or elected by the branch) for 25 members or under. Each additional 25 members shall be entitled to an additional delegate.

3. Each branch shall be assessed twenty-five cents per member, to provide for Provincial expenses, printing, postage, stationery, and traveling expenses of speakers; \$50 shall be set aside from this fund for the President's traveling expenses. All offerings at district meetings and institutes, except when given for some special object, shall be added to this fund, which shall be known as the Central Fund.

4. One-fourth of the branches having the right to vote shall constitute a quorum at the Annual Meeting. Five members shall constitute a quorum at the Executive Committee meetings.

5. These By-Laws may be altered or amended by a majority of the delegates at any Annual Meeting.

