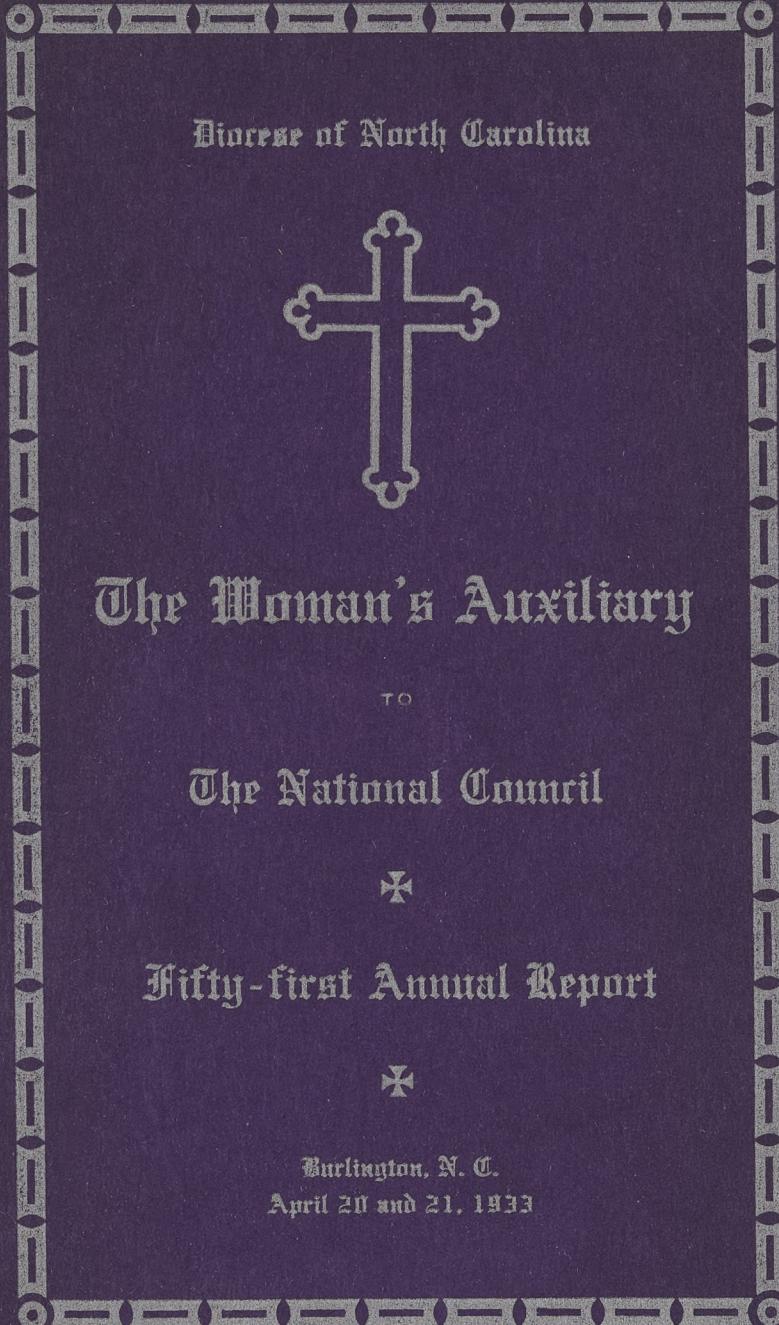


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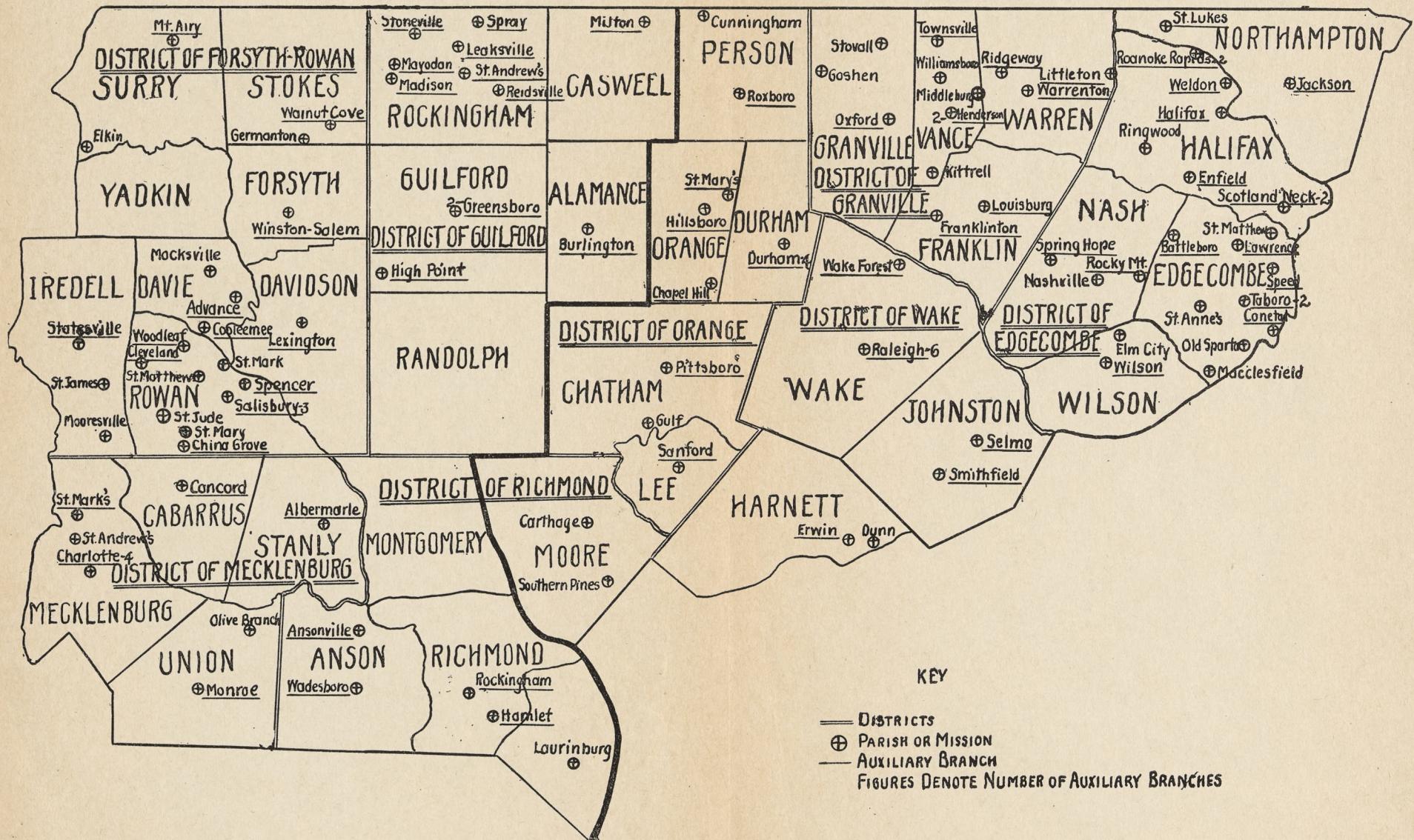
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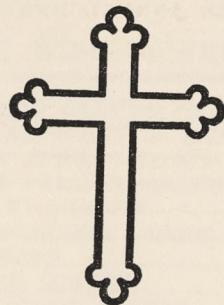
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1904—Raleigh.....	Good Shepherd
1905—Charlotte.....	St. Peter's
1906—Henderson.....	Holy Innocents
1907—Tarboro.....	Calvary
1908—Raleigh.....	Good Shepherd
1909—Raleigh.....	Christ
1910—Winston-Salem.....	St. Paul's
1911—Rocky Mount.....	Good Shepherd
1912—Durham.....	St. Philip's
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
1930—Winston-Salem.....	St. Paul's
1931—Wilson.....	St. Timothy's
1932—Henderson.....	Holy Innocents
1933—Burlington.....	Holy Comforter

The next Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will be held at

In Memoriam

RT. REV. JOSEPH BLOUNT CHESHIRE
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MRS. CAROLYN ADKINSON SIMPSON
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MRS. GEORGIANA WINSTON TUCK
MRS. MOLLY PINCHBECK TYREE
MRS. KATE WHITE WILLIAMS



Prayers



“And I, if I be lifted up, will draw all men unto Me.”

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.

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.

A Prayer for the Diocese

O God, whose love reacheth unto the ends of the world; Bless, we pray thee, this Diocese; and grant that all who share its benefits may show forth thy glory by deeds and by gifts for the spread of thy kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Prayer for the Thompson Orphanage

Almighty God, who art the Father of the fatherless, send Thy blessings upon the Thompson Orphanage, instituted in Thy name. Give patience and wisdom to the officers, teachers and matrons of this home, that they may faithfully discharge the duties committed to their charge. Let the boys and girls grow in grace and earnestness, day by day. Strengthen their bodies, enlighten their minds, purify their hearts and sanctify their wills. Bless all who have contributed to this institution, and raise up, we pray Thee, a

never-failing succession of benefactors whose names may be perpetuated through all generations as a blessed memory, and their good deeds be accepted; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Prayer for the Box Work

Almighty God, who hast taught us by Thy Son, Jesus Christ, that it is more blessed to give than it is to receive; look with favor, we beseech Thee, upon the Box Work of Thy Church, especially in this Diocese. Touch our hearts with compassion for the poor, the sick and homeless, and make us strong to lift their burdens with our ready gifts and service: through Jesus 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 Religious Education

O God, who hast sent Thy beloved Son to be unto us the Way, the Truth and the life; Grant that we, looking unto Him may set forward the teaching power of Thy Church, to the nurture of Thy children, the increase of Thy Kingdom and the glory of Thy Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

For Social Service

Guide us O Master, in all the perplexities of our modern life, and in Thine own good time bring us together in love and unity, making the Kingdoms of this world Thy kingdom as Thou willest, who dost live and reign in the Heavenly Jerusalem, the light and joy of the citizens of that holy city. Amen.

For the Advance Work

O Thou who didst promise Thy presence and power to those who go forth in Thy name; Stir up the loyalty and the love of Thy Church to supply the pressing needs of those who, as our representatives, proclaim Thy message of salvation, both at home and abroad. Accept our gifts and prosper our undertaking, to the glory of Thy name and the blessing of Thy children; who with the Father and the Holy Spirit art worshipped and glorified, now and forever, 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 has 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

Prayer for Prayer Partner

"Almighty God, Who didst call holy women to be helpers and workers in Thy service: bless we pray Thee Thy servant, and prosper her in the work to which Thou has called her. Grant her sufficient wisdom for every task, Thy gracious help in time of trouble, the sense of Thy presence in loneliness and the power to accomplish whatever has been begun in Thy name and for Thy glory; through the might of Jesus Christ our Lord." Amen.

Thanksgiving

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 has 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.

The Re-dedication

Realizing that only through personal dedication to Jesus Christ, our Lord, can we hope to bring to fruition our human endeavors, we re-dedicate ourselves to the service of our Lord Jesus Christ, to making the strength of our deeds the measure of our Faith; to a sincere and simple effort in our daily living to follow with humility the example of our Saviour.

MISSIONARIES FROM THE DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA

Let us pray for them daily

Rev. Francis Cox, American Church Mission, Soochow, China.

Rev. Jadi Levi Martin, Waimea, Kawai, T. Hawaii.

Miss Mary Wood McKenzie, Cape Mount, Liberia, West Africa.

Miss Annie Gray Burroughs, Cape Mount, Liberia, West Africa.

Miss Ethel Louise Byerly, Liberia, West Africa.

Domestic Workers

Miss Bessie Blacknall, St. Mark's Mission, Nenana, Alaska.

Mrs. Henry H. Chapman, Christ Church Mission, Anvik, Alaska.

Miss Adelaide Smith, Valle Crucis School, Valle Crucis, N. C.

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

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

Miss Lillie Hill, St. Andrew's Mission, Rockingham County, Leaks-
ville, N. C., R. 1.

Miss Belle Graves, Valle Crucis, N. C.

Miss Elizabeth Gordon, Spray, N. C.

Miss Brightsie Savage, St. Paul's Mission, Amherst, Va.

Rev. and Mrs. H. O. Nash, Globe, Arizona.

Miss Jean Hewitt, All Saints School, Guatanamo, Cuba.

Miss Mary B. Jenkins, Cathedral School for Girls, Havana, Cuba.

Miss May Hairston, No. 567 Calle Isaac Peral, Manilla, Philippines.

Miss Martha Dabney Jones, Eastern Oregon.

THOSE WHO HAVE PASSED AWAY

Rev. W. Hoke Ramseur, Africa.

Miss Catherine Bourne, Porto Rico.

Miss Mary E. Horner, Valle Crucis.

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This Annual Report is a record of Auxiliary work for the year 1932 under the guidance of the following:

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CONDENSED REPORT FOR 1932

RELIGIOUS EDUCATION

Branches that did Educational Work.....	69
Branches that studied Mission Study Book.....	45
Number that attended Summer Conferences.....	32
Branches that had Bible Classes.....	22
Branches that distributed "Kalendar of Bible Readings	33

MRS. BAXTER MOORE, *Secretary.*

CHRISTIAN SOCIAL SERVICE

Organized Working Committees	70
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OUTSTANDING WORK

Making Red Cross Garments.

Coöperating with the Salvation Army and Charitable Organizations in food for the needy.

Clinic and Prison work.

Memorial Gifts to the Thompson Orphanage and clothing children there.

Work among the Deaf Mutes.

Amounts spent for Social Service not reported

through Treasurer.....\$5,553.64

MISS CORINNA GANT, *Secretary.*

TREASURER

Total amount passing through books of Treasurer.....	\$11,106.12
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MRS. WILLIAM P. LITTLE, *Treasurer.*

UNITED THANK OFFERING

Offering with interest.....	\$4,269.44
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MRS. W. W. SIMMS, *U. T. O. Custodian.*

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

Value of Boxes.....	\$4,812.44
	MRS. WATTS CARR, <i>Secretary.</i>
Total from all sources.....	\$25,741.64
	MISS RENA H. CLARK, <i>President.</i>
	MRS. HYMAN PHILIPS, <i>Secretary.</i>

INTERCESSORY DAYS

The Feasts of

The Epiphany—January 6. Foreign. At the disposal of Annie Cheshire Tucker.

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

The Annunciation—March 25. Domestic. Offering for the "Bishop Cheshire Scholarship" in Valle Crucis School.

St. Michael and All Angels—September 29. Offering for the Thompson Orphanage.

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

IMPORTANT

All money except that for Box Work and the United Thank Offering must be sent to Mrs. R. B. Davis, Rocky Mount, N. C. Where an exception to this is contemplated, specific instructions will be sent to all Parish Presidents.

See Constitution, Art. V, sec. 4.

For definite instructions for securing position on Roll of Honor, see page 45.

SUGGESTED SUBJECTS FOR PROGRAMS**JANUARY**

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT—Reference Material: Furnished by Mrs. George Watts Carr, Supply Secretary.

FEBRUARY

INTER-RACIAL CONTACTS—American Indian. Reference Material: Facing the Future in Indian Missions—Study Book for 1933. General Church Program. Bible Reading—St. Matthew 18:1-14.

MARCH

UNITED THANK OFFERING—Reference Material: Pageant. Article in Spirit of Missions, October, 1932, page 663. Bible Reading—Psalm 92:1-5.

APRIL

INTER-RACIAL CONTACTS—Negro Work in Diocese of North Carolina—Good Samaritan Hospital. Reference Material: Can be obtained by writing to Institutions. General Church Program. Bible Reading—St. Matthew 22:24-40.

MAY

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY IN THE LIFE OF THE PARISH, DIOCESE AND GENERAL CHURCH—Reference Material: Pamphlet No. W. A. 49. Report from Annual Auxiliary Diocesan Convention. Bible Reading—Romans 12:1-8.

JUNE

LEADERSHIP TRAINING—Need of Trained Leaders, Value of Summer Conferences. Reference Material: Folders of Summer Conferences. Bible Reading—II Timothy 3:14—4:5.

JULY

MISSIONARIES FROM NORTH CAROLINA IN THE FOREIGN FIELD—Reference Material: Auxiliary Year Book. Bible Reading—St. John 18:20-32.

AUGUST

MISSIONARIES FROM NORTH CAROLINA IN THE DOMESTIC FIELD—Reference Material: Auxiliary Year Book. Bible Reading—Isaiah 52:1-10.

SEPTEMBER

FAMILY LIFE—Reference Material: Kingdoms of our Lord or THE CHILD AS A MEMBER OF THE FAMILY—Reference Material: Seven Psychological Portraits by Miss Cooper, from the Lending Library. Bible Reading—Colossians 3:12-24.

OCTOBER

FAMILY LIFE—RELIGION IN THE HOME—Reference Material: Can be obtained by writing to Rev. C. Rankin Barnes, Executive Secretary of the Department of Social Service of National Council. Bible Reading—Philippians 4:8, 9.

NOVEMBER

OUR CHURCH'S WORK IN THE WORLD—OUR RESPONSIBILITY TO OUR PARISH QUOTA—Reference Material: Bible Reading—St. Matthew 28:1-10, 16-20.

DECEMBER

SOCIAL SERVICE IN THE COMMUNITY—Reference Material: Obtain from Local Welfare Agency. Bible Reading—St. Matthew 25:31-40.

MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL MEETING

The Fifty-first Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council of the Diocese of North Carolina convened Thursday morning, April 20th, 1933, at eleven o'clock, in the Church of the Holy Comforter, Burlington, N. C. Devotional Exercises were conducted by Bishop Edwin A. Penick.

The Rev. David T. Eaton extended to the Auxiliary cordial greetings to which Mrs. H. S. Hartzell responded.

Appointment of the following committees were then announced:

Credentials—Mrs. Wm. P. Little, Chairman; Mrs. Theron Earle, Mrs. C. E. Anderson.

Elections—Mrs. W. E. Spruill, Chairman; Miss Corinna Gant, Mrs. Walter Goodson, Mrs. W. D. Burwell, Mrs. R. M. Hobbs, Mrs. Patsy Smith Goodwin.

Resolutions—Mrs. James Cordon, Chairman; Mrs. Johnston King, Mrs. J. L. Gilmer, Mrs. Ross Sigmon.

Courtesy—Miss Katherin Hilliard, Chairman; Mrs. Carroll Spencer, Mrs. Haywood Foxhall, Mrs. W. D. Clark, Mrs. Lawrence Higgins.

Publicity—Mrs. Hobart Steele, Chairman; Mrs. Theodore Partrick, Jr., Mrs. E. H. Bost.

Miss Clark at this time delivered her annual address to the Convention in which she expressed her appreciation for the privilege of serving as President of the Auxiliary, gave a resumé of the work accomplished during the past year and made certain recommendations for the future.

Interesting reports from the Diocesan Officers followed. These reports, which reflect progress in all departments, will be printed in full in the Annual Report.

Bishop Penick then presented Mrs. Beverly Ober, Secretary of Religious Education in the Diocese of Maryland. Mrs. Ober conducted the Noonday Prayers and Meditation and delivered a most inspiring address on the United Thank Offering.

At 12:30 Group Conferences were held after which Luncheon was served in the Parish House.

The Convention was again called to order at 2:15. Forty-seven Branches responded to roll call. The Committee on Credentials reported that there was a total of one hundred and fifteen members of the Convention with power to vote.

Election of President of the Auxiliary and nomination of a Representative on the Diocesan Executive Council was then in order. Miss Emma Hall of Charlotte was duly elected President. A motion was passed that the new President of the Woman's Auxiliary be nominated as a member of the Executive Council of the Diocese.

The Rev. J. A. Vaché spoke enthusiastically in behalf of *Vade Mecum*, calling special attention to the Woman's Auxiliary conference to be held August 1-15th. Camps for the young people will also be held during the summer. The Auxiliary was asked to support this venture as far as possible.

Mrs. Cruikshank made a very earnest appeal for the support of Saint Mary's School, stating that one girl from every parish in the five Carolina Dioceses would complete the full enrollment of the School.

The Rev. W. H. Wheeler brought a message from the Thompson Orphanage, expressing his appreciation to the Auxiliary for the clothing of seventy-seven children and for the new laundry equipment procured by the Octagon Soap Wrappers. He urged the continuation of this plan of collecting the coupons so as to establish a discretionary fund for the Orphanage.

In the absence of Miss Albertson the Rev. Mr. Vaché reported on Saint Mary's House at the Woman's College of the University.

Mrs. F. S. Spruill appealed to the Auxiliary for contributions toward the expense of remodeling Ravenscroft, the Bishop's home in Raleigh. A motion was passed that the Auxiliary accept this privilege. Upon motion, the roll was called in order to give the Branches present an opportunity of contributing to this fund and the sum of \$279.50 was pledged. Other Branches expressed their willingness to give but at this time they were unable to state the amount.

The following Committee Chairmen made interesting and encouraging reports: Mrs. E. K. Powe on the Prayer Partnership Plan; Miss Camille Hunt on the Recruiting Work; Mrs. B. C. Sharpe on Work with the Isolated, and Mrs. Ben White on the *Valle Crucis* Scholarship. Reports from the Church Periodical Club and from the Committee on the Promotion of the Young People's Work were read by the Secretary.

A message from the President of the Diocesan Colored Auxiliary was then read. In connection with this report Bishop Penick explained that there were no longer Convocations in the Diocese. At the Diocesan Convention last May all racial dis-

tinctions were obliterated. He suggested the appointment of a Committee to study the relationship of the Colored Auxiliary to the Diocese and to clarify the situation. A motion was passed that such a committee be appointed.

Mrs. F. S. Spruill asked the Auxiliary to consider the purchase of a portrait of Bishop Atkinson which was displayed during the Convention. The President stated that she would appoint a committee with power to investigate the advisability of purchasing this portrait at a price not to exceed \$150.00.

A letter was read from the President of the Girls' Friendly Society expressing her regret that she was unable to attend the Convention.

At 4:30 the Meeting recessed for the day.

Evening Prayer was held at eight o'clock at which time Bishop Penick delivered the Convention Sermon. His theme was History as the Interpreter of the present difficulties through which the Church is now passing and that similar conditions have been met in the past and may be overcome in the present by Faith and Hope. The offering at this service will be given for scholarship aid at Vade Mecum.

Friday morning, April 21st, at 7:30 Holy Communion was celebrated by Bishop Penick, assisted by the Rev. David T. Eaton. At this service the United Thank Offering was presented followed by the Commemoration of the Departed.

At 9:45 the Business Session opened with Devotions conducted by the Rev. David T. Eaton. The minutes of the preceding day were read and approved.

Interesting reports from the following Group Conferences held on Thursday were given: Supply Work, Religious Education, Christian Social Service, United Thank Offering and Treasurers.

The President at this time explained the Program of the Auxiliary Conference which will convene at Vade Mecum August 1-15th. Bishop Penick will teach a course on the Life of Christ; Mrs. W. J. Gordon on the Mission Study Book; Mrs. Theodore Partrick, Jr., on the Principles of Teaching; the Rev. Theodore Partrick, Jr., on the Prayer Book, and the Rev. J. A. Vaché on Women of the Old Testament. The Rev. Roderick Jackson will act as Chaplain.

Bishop Penick then introduced the Rev. Roderick Jackson, Missionary to Japan, who gave a most interesting address on the Various Phases of the Work of Our Church in Japan.

Miss Venetia Cox, a Missionary to China, was presented to the Convention. She spoke for a few minutes on her work in the foreign field.

Brief talks on four Diocesan Auxiliary Objectives for 1933 were delivered by outstanding women of the Auxiliary: Mrs. R. B. Coit of Greensboro spoke on Greater Emphasis on the United Thank Offering; Mrs. W. D. Burwell of Henderson on Organization of Woman's Work into One Unit; Mrs. J. D. Quern of Charlotte on the Development of Individual Responsibility, and Mrs. William J. Gordon of Spray on the Power of Prayer.

Mrs. W. W. Simms stated that the United Thank Offering presented at the early service of the Convention amounted to \$1,906.83. She urged the Auxiliary to have as its objective a fall offering sufficient to make the 1933 offering equal at least, and if possible, to exceed that of 1932. She expressed her gratitude to Mrs. Ober for her contribution to the Program of the Convention, whereupon the Auxiliary gave Mrs. Ober a rising vote of thanks.

At this time Mrs. Ober addressed the Convention on the Various Objectives and Helps in the Work of Religious Education.

The Rev. J. L. Jackson of Charlotte informed the Auxiliary of the Present Status of the National Church and of the Diocese of North Carolina.

Mrs. James Cordon, Chairman of the Committee on Resolutions, presented the following report:

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of North Carolina wishes to express its deep sense of loss in the death of our beloved Bishop and Friend, Joseph Blount Cheshire, who departed this life on December 27, 1932, and its appreciation and gratitude for the example of his Godly Life.

As a tribute to the loving memory of Bishop Cheshire the Auxiliary then stood in silent prayer after which Bishop Penick read appropriate prayers.

The following resolutions were adopted by the Convention, viz.:

- (1) That the Woman's Auxiliary sponsor the planting of a shrub, tree or flowering plant in the Cathedral Garden, Washington, D. C., in memory of our Beloved Bishop Cheshire, the President to appoint a committee for this purpose.
- (2) That the Auxiliary pledge its continuance of the collection of Octagon Soap Wrappers for the benefit of the Thompson Orphanage.

(3) That the Executive Board be requested to consider the advisability of omitting from the Budget of 1934 the pledges for scholarship aid to Valle Crucis, Penland and Bishop Tuttle School, and are hereby authorized to make such changes in the Budget as they deem wise.

(4) That the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of North Carolina in the Annual Meeting assembled in the Church of the Holy Comforter, Burlington, N. C., April 21, 1933, does hereby authorize and empower the Executive Board of the Woman's Auxiliary in this Diocese to take any, or such action, as, in its judgment may be necessary and advisable to protect the interests of the Auxiliary with regard to the account of the Treasurer of the Auxiliary, Mrs. Wm. P. Little, in the sum of \$1,157.80 on deposit in the Page Trust Company, Raleigh, N. C., on March 2, 1933.

(5) That the Auxiliary hereby express by a rising vote its sincere appreciation for the devoted and effective leadership of the retiring President, Miss Rena Clark, and her Secretary, Mrs. H. H. Philips, during their successful administration of the last three years.

The Committee on Resolutions then presented the following eight recommendations of the President, Miss Rena Clark, all of which were adopted:

I. That the Auxiliary should represent the services of the entire womanhood of the Church.

II. For every Branch a Program that entails responsibility outside of the Parish as well as within.

III. Rotation of officers every two or three years.

IV. Knowledge of Missionaries—especially those from the Diocese of North Carolina.

V. That all Report Blanks be sent in duplicate form, one to be returned to the District Officer and one to the Diocesan Officer.

VI. That the time limit for the Honor Roll be changed to February 1st.

VII. Full payment for all scholarships—Penland, Valle Crucis and Bishop Tuttle.

VIII. That the Auxiliary devise some means of contributing to the deficit of \$145,000 needed to complete the budget for the National Church this year.

(6) That all funds pledged by the Auxiliary this year for the Advance Work Program be applied to the deficit of \$145,000 existing in the National Church; and that we endeavor to stand firmly behind any plans that the Diocese may present.

Mrs. JAMES CORDON, *Chairman.*

Miss Katherine Hilliard, Chairman of the Courtesy Committee, then read the following report:

REPORT OF COURTESY COMMITTEE

Your Courtesy Committee feel that we are voicing the sentiment of every member of this Convention in expressing our sincere gratitude to all who have prepared for us such a feast of good things both material and spiritual. We hope that each delegate may carry home to her Branch of the Auxiliary something of the zeal and enthusiasm stirred in us by the inspiring messages brought to us by our Bishop, by Mrs. Ober and by the Rev. Roderick Jackson of Japan, as well as by our own officers and especially by the words of our beloved retiring President.

We would also express our appreciation of the generous hospitality extended by the women of the Church of the Holy Comforter, and shall always think of Burlington as a city of delightful homes and charming hostesses. Our thanks are also due to the Rector for the use of this beautiful Church, such a perfect setting for our United Thank Offering Communion.

In spite of clouds and rain and cold north winds, we shall carry away only the brightest, happiest memories of this our Fifty-first Annual Convention.

KATHERINE HILLIARD, *Chairman.*

All business having been transacted and the minutes of the day read and approved, Bishop Penick with an appropriate service installed the new President of the Auxiliary and pronounced the Benediction, bringing to a close the Fifty-first Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of North Carolina.

ETHEL S. PHILIPS, *Secretary.*

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS TO THE CONVENTION OF 1933

Dear Members of the Auxiliary and Friends:

Again it is my pleasure to greet you on the occasion of the Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary in the Diocese of North Carolina. How vividly our minds revert to that meeting last year in Henderson where we celebrated our Golden Jubilee; the inspiration of which no doubt has served many times as a light in our darkness. Since then, death has removed from our midst the Rt. Rev. Joseph Blount Cheshire, our beloved Bishop and our oldest friend. I pause to pay tribute to him whose memory will always be one of our most treasured possessions.

Today marks the end of the first year in the second half of the century in the life of the Auxiliary in this Diocese. If we are to be faithful interpreters of that life to others, there must be a steadiness of purpose in all that we do. We must rise above the difficulties and look beyond the problems that confront us; we must realize that growth involves change; we must know that the value of anything lies in the use we make of it. We must remember that after all what counts are our motives, our methods, our attitudes—they reflect our own outlook on life.

Paradoxically as it may sound, the past fifty years reveal tremendous changes, yet there seems no change at all. The record of those earlier years disclose many of the same ideals and objectives, the same warnings and weaknesses, that characterize our efforts of today. It is conclusive evidence that those truths and ideals of life which constitute the eternal aspects of it always remain the same. It is true that we have grown numerically, financially, and, I hope, spiritually—yet it is not the magnificence of glorious deeds that availeth, but the magnificence of a glorious spirit. And that is what I would have to stand out among us.

This year you will observe that the Convention has been shortened. Your Executive Board did not think it in keeping with the spirit of the times to proceed with the usual program. That you may not lose by this curtailment, I have endeavored to concentrate on those matters that concern us most. An intimate knowledge of the National Church, the Diocese, and the Auxiliary is the vital duty of each of us. What we think and do is what the Church of our time believes and does for the world. I have set as the keynote of this Convention "Faith and Courage"—qualities that we need above all others in this time

of chaos and uncertainty. We must make sure however that our Faith is not placed in values false and vain; we must remember that

"Courage isn't a brilliant dash,
A daring deed in a moment's flash,
It's something deep in the soul of man
Working always to serve some plan."

It is in that spirit that I would have you enter into the procedure of these two days.

In reviewing the records for the past year I find that it has been a good one. Written reports, personal contacts and tangible evidence give proof that the Auxiliary has gone forward, but I am compelled to confess that her progress is not up to her full capacity. Careless thinking, lack of preparation and, I fear, even indifference are largely responsible. The branches are beginning more and more to have a well rounded program consisting of worship, study, work and gifts. Attention given to Religious Education, Christian Social Service and the Supply Department testify to their importance. The United Thank Offering still retains its beloved place in the hearts of many. The Treasurer presents a splendid showing for all funds. While it is true that our material gifts are not as large as those of former years, in proportion to the wealth of the donors they far exceed those of more prosperous times. From this Diocese two girls have entered Church work; Ethel Louise Byerly, a product of Summer Volunteer Work, who is being trained for Religious Education and Martha Dabney Jones who is working among Young People in Eastern Oregon. Four young men have entered the ministry. Interest in and responsibility for Young People and Students are a real obligation. Knowledge of the *whole* program of the Church, not of just a part of it, is steadily gaining ground. Two new branches have been organized and additional groups added to branches already established. The sum of \$1,128.00 was contributed for the deficit in the National Church budget of last year. Sixty-six children have been clothed at the Thompson Orphanage and sufficient Octagon Soap Wrappers have finally been procured for the laundry equipment. Constant effort is being made to strengthen and develop the devotional life of the individual. Believing that these are fundamental requisites, observance of Days of Intercession, Corporate Communions and the reading of religious books and Church papers are constantly urged. To Bishop Penick we

are indebted for a most helpful and adequate "Form of Meditation and Prayer" which was used on St. Andrew's Day. The special intention for that day was the success of the "Every Member Canvass." The Auxiliary realizes that spiritual poverty is bound to be the result of spiritual unpreparedness.

Perhaps the outstanding event of the past year was the visit of Mrs. D. D. Taber, a National Field Worker. That she was able to do much of permanent value is clearly shown in the activities and renewed life of many branches. In some places nothing of consequence was accomplished; due no doubt to a combination of causes.

For me the past year has been filled with many activities, all of which have been interested and encouraging. I have held two Executive Board meetings, attended ten District meetings, one Educational Institute, the Adult Conference at Kanuga where it was my privilege to plan the program for Auxiliary Day and preside on that occasion. I have spoken at several branch meetings and have held conferences with Diocesan Officers and other leaders. Illness in my family prevented me from attending the Provincial Synod at Kanuga where I was scheduled to make a brief talk on Prayer. In monthly letters to each branch and to members of the Executive Board, I have endeavored to direct attention to matters which concern all of us. In addition, the Carolina Churchman has given me other means of presenting subjects pertaining not only to the Diocese but to the Church at large.

Today we elect a new President and a Representative on the Executive Council of the Diocese. I recommend that the same person shall be chosen for both offices. May we remember that great natural ability is not a prerequisite to effective Christian service. Those who are diligent in their present service should be called to higher service.

I desire to bring before you at this time a notable addition to our Diocesan equipment—the new Conference Centre, Vade Mecum. Last summer very successful Camps for Young People were held there; this year, in addition to these, there will be an Auxiliary Conference of two weeks for all women of the Diocese. A program has been planned in which the strongest leaders of the Diocese are to take part. In the past there has been such a small percentage of women to attend Conferences that I am prone to think that they do not realize what delightful affairs they are. My own experience at Kanuga has proved of such

help to me that I cannot recommend them too strongly. *Vade Mecum* belongs to us; it is accessible to all; the cost is very low; the standard is high. Shall it prove of great value to the Diocese or shall it fail? The responsibility rests on you and me. I therefore appeal to you for your unqualified support of this venture.

It is with deep regret that I inform you of the resignation of the Treasurer, Mrs. William P. Little, to take effect May 1st. The Executive Board has elected Mrs. R. B. Davis of Rocky Mount, a former Treasurer, to fill the unexpired term which will end in 1934. The postponement of the Provincial Educational Institute which was to have been held in Charlotte, April 6-8, is a real disappointment. Unsettled conditions in the financial world made it unquestionably the wisest course to pursue. Also for your information I desire to make the following statement in regard to the funds of the Auxiliary in the Page Trust Company of Raleigh which closed at the beginning of the Banking Holiday and has never reopened. The records show that the Auxiliary had on deposit there as of March 1st, 1933, the sum of \$1,137.47. Of this amount \$650.99 is a balance in Funds Account from 1932; the remainder, \$486.48, was contributed in 1933. A new account has been opened by the Treasurer in the Wachovia Bank and Trust Company of Raleigh.

As your leader for the past three years, I have come into very close contact with every phase of Auxiliary work. To plans and problems, I have given time, thought and study. With no intention of infringing upon the rights of my successor, I venture to suggest the following recommendations for your consideration:

1st. That the Auxiliary should represent the services of the entire womanhood of the Church.

2nd. For every branch a program that entails responsibility outside of the Parish as well as within.

3rd. Rotation of officers every two or three years.

4th. Knowledge of Missionaries—especially those from the Diocese of North Carolina.

5th. That all report blanks be sent in duplicate form, one to be returned to District Officer and one to Diocesan Officer.

6th. That the time limit for the Honor Roll be changed to February 1st.

7th. Full payment for all scholarships—Penland, Valle Crucis and Bishop Tuttle.

8th. That the Auxiliary devise some means of contributing to the deficit of \$145,000 needed to complete the budget for the National Church this year.

As my term of office draws to a close, I am bewildered by many questions—what have I accomplished, wherein have I failed? Although I have given to you the best of which I have been capable, how often I must have been a disappointment. To many I have been of no help; to some I am only a myth. I would like to think that for others I have had a part—even a small one—in helping them to possess a fuller knowledge and appreciation of what the Auxiliary represents. My desire has been to emphasize the spiritual side, not the mechanical; to impress upon you the tremendous power derived from meditation, prayer and Corporate Communions; to have the Auxiliary a real force in the Parish. And as I think back upon these three years, my heart fills with gratitude for the opportunities you have given me. My life is much the richer and fuller. New understanding and deeper insight have come through experience. My returns far exceed my investments. With deep appreciation I acknowledge your loyalty, your coöperation, your understanding. To the branch at Chapel Hill, I am grateful for the hospitality extended during my Executive Board Meetings there.

May the Holy Spirit rest upon us and upon all of our work. May we have light to guide us, courage to support us and faith to sustain us, now and forever more.

RENA H. CLARK.

REPORT OF SECRETARY

During the past year the Secretary has sent notices to all members of the Executive Board and Committee Chairmen concerning meetings for September and March. A copy of the minutes was mailed to each member of the Board.

Annual Reports, which were edited by the President and the Secretary, were sent to all Diocesan, District and Branch Officers and Committee Chairmen.

Letters from the President have been mailed each month to all Branch Presidents and members of the Executive Board.

In preparation for the Every Member Canvass, a form of Prayer and Intercession prepared for the Auxiliary by Bishop Penick to be used on St. Andrew's Day was enclosed in the November letter.

Report blanks, pledge lists and explanation of the pledge lists were mailed to all Branches at the beginning of the year.

Leaflets entitled "The Woman's Auxiliary" which suggested the spiritual meaning of the Auxiliary were enclosed in the regular February letter.

In March, a letter from Miss Lindley, explaining the status of the National Church and requesting the Auxiliary's support, was mailed to all Branches.

Return post cards for the use of the delegates for Convention were enclosed in the regular March letter.

Programs for the Annual Meeting were mailed to all members of the Executive Board, Branch Presidents, Committee Chairmen and Speakers.

The following information, requested by the Church Missions House, has been received through the report blanks from the various Branches of the Diocese:

Number of Parishes holding Corporate Communions during the year.....	51
Number of Parishes holding Quiet Days.....	18
Number of Parishes holding Days of Intercessions.....	52
Number of persons using Calendar of Daily Bible Readings.....	737

It has been a genuine pleasure to serve as Secretary to the President of the Woman's Auxiliary for the past three years. With this rich privilege, there has come to me a deeper understanding and appreciation of the real value of the Auxiliary to the Diocese.

ETHEL S. PHILIPS, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF SUPPLY SECRETARY FOR 1932

Boxes to Diocesan Missions.....	\$2,700.29
Boxes to General Missions.....	2,112.15
 Total.....	\$4,812.44
Number of garments cut and made 507, valued at \$284.80, included in total given above.	
Number of Branches participating, 77.	
Number of meetings held by Branches, 46.	
On hand January 1, 1932.....	\$ 3.86
Received from pledges, 1932.....	807.51
 Total.....	\$ 811.37
Paid out for printing	\$ 8.75
Insurance	13.15
Janitor	7.85
Equipping Supply Room	15.25
Tax on checks12
Postage, stamps, post cards, freight and express.....	101.84
Materials and ready-to-wear for Mission Boxes.....	610.68
 Total paid out	\$ 757.64
 Balance on hand January 1, 1933.....	\$ 53.73

Your Box Work Report for 1932 is most gratifying, and the letters of appreciation from the recipients of the boxes in the Mission Fields make me believe we are doing one of the most useful pieces of work in our Church.

As to our future plans I wish to say that Mrs. Wade, our National Supply Secretary, and also the Executive Board in our own Diocese, have decided that I may use my judgment in buying garments rather than making them, in view of the fact that at present "bought" garments are cheap and well made. This plan will save much unnecessary postage. Probably therefore, you will not receive any material for sewing next year. However, if some parish feels that cutting or sewing is necessary to maintain the interest in the work please let me know, and I shall be glad to continue to send that parish material.

I earnestly request that the time you have spent in sewing shall be devoted to other phases of the Box Work. Will not every Parish have a meeting on this department in 1933? Interesting material is furnished us for these programs, and it is essential that we study and know about the Mission Fields where our allotments are sent.

Please continue with your loyal support and prayers. Send me boxes of second-hand clothing, and above all return your pledge and report cards promptly. Some Branches sent their cards too late to be included in the year's report.

May God bestow His richest blessing on all of us for carrying out His Commission "Inasmuch as ye have done it unto one of the least of these my brethren, ye have done it unto me."

MRS. GEO. WATTS CARR, *Box Work Secretary.*

CHRISTIAN SOCIAL SERVICE REPORT

It is probable, in the life of the Auxiliary, there has never been as great need for Christian Social Service among deserving people, as during the year that has just ended.

Worthy trained workers without any fault of their own have been thrown out of employment, during this time of world unrest, and have faced for the first time real poverty.

The Church and the Auxiliary have had rich opportunities for service; and it is with grateful hearts that we report a tremendous lot of work accomplished.

We have coöperated with the Red Cross in making literally thousands of garments, and with the Salvation Army and Welfare Organizations in supplying food and fuel for the needy. We have also coöperated in the feeding of many undernourished school children. We have done a great deal of Clinic and Prison work. It is impossible to estimate in monetary value the numerous trays and medicines we have given.

Our work among the deaf-mutes in Greensboro, Durham and Erwin has gone forward, and we are encouraged to organize this work in other places.

Besides our usual gifts, we have endeavored to establish the custom of making Memorial Offerings to the Thompson Orphanage and hope to stress this feature more and more.

"No purse,
No Script,
No shoes to wear;
What will they do?
How will they fare?
No purse—no pride;
No script—no care
But God—and all things everywhere."

CORINNA GANT, *Christian Social Service Secretary.*

REPORT OF DIOCESAN EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

The year of 1932 showed definite increase in interest in the Church's educational program and in response to this interest and requests for assistance of various kinds, we requested the services of one of the National Field Secretaries of the Auxiliary, and in the fall Mrs. D. D. Taber, for nine years National Field Secretary, came into the Diocese. For three months Mrs. Taber gave her entire time and visited most of our Branches discussing plans, aims, programs, etc., and making suggestions from her broad experience. Judging from reports since her visit, the scope of our work has been widened, organizations strengthened, understanding of opportunities increased and we feel certain that permanent good will result from her stay in our Diocese.

One of Mrs. Taber's suggestions was a list of suggested subjects for program meetings with reference material. In February, I sent such a list of twelve subjects, to every Branch and District Secretary, with a letter explaining that these were only *suggestions* to be used if needed and in the order best suited to each group.

I hope we can, all, realize that the object of a program of Religious (Christian) education is not simply programs for meetings or study classes, important as these things are, but that we will take as our objectives, "Growth and Development of our Christian Lives" and "Understanding of the Enterprise of the Kingdom of God and Participation in that Enterprise." It will be necessary for each group to make a careful survey of its needs and to select an aim for the year that will lead toward our objective. Our program should include Bible classes, Church services, devotional reading, leadership training, to promote *understanding*. From the present condition in the Church, we realize that it is imperative for us to become intelligently informed and I am urging that we emphasize our Missionary work.

I would suggest that we attempt to make our program the program for the whole Parish or Mission and that we strive for intelligent, convinced, functioning Christians.

MRS. BAXTER MOORE, *Diocesan Educational Secretary.*

REPORT OF UNITED THANK OFFERING CUSTODIAN

Amount received from Mrs. A. S. Lawrence, Spring Offering	\$2,224.91
Amount received from Fall Offering.....	1,960.10
Interest to December 31, 1932.....	84.43
Total.....	\$4,269.44

The United Thank Offering in the Diocese of North Carolina reached its peak in the year 1928, when our gifts amounted to \$7,127.48. Each year since has shown a steady decline.

At the February meeting of the National Executive Board of the Woman's Auxiliary, Mrs. Henry Hill Pierce of New York was appointed Chairman of a committee charged with the responsibility of stimulating interest in the United Thank Offering during the remainder of this triennium. To Mrs. Hill's inquiry I have replied: "I do not think decrease in the Offering from the Diocese of North Carolina is due to weakened interest, but rather to drastic reduction of incomes."

Is this entirely true?

Have we, the Custodians of the Diocese, been earnest and tireless in our efforts to keep the Thank Offering in the minds and hearts of our women?

Have we placed proper emphasis on that Offering which heads the list—the Offering of prayer?

Has our appeal been a living thing, aglow with the fire of our own love?

Have we created in our women a feeling of responsibility toward those who represent us as God's messengers?

Have we sought to establish any relation between the members of the Woman's Auxiliary and our United Thank Offering workers?

Have we provided stirring programs, earnest speakers, forceful pageants as a means of arousing interest?

Have we, the women of the Diocese of North Carolina, held up the hands of our faithful Custodians in their efforts to promote the Thank Offering?

Have we tried to carry out their suggestions?

Have we been quick to speak a word to some woman who does not know the joy of a share in our Gift?

Has our Thank Offering been a spasmodic thing of which we have to be reminded twice a year, or remembered faithfully in gratitude for God's goodness to us?

Have we recognized the Thank Offering as a vital force in bringing the Kingdom of God on earth?

It is a beautiful thing to speak of the United Thank Offering as "an overflow"; to say it is separate and apart from budgets and quotas; that the words "assessment" and "allotment" are not used in this connection. But what of the word "responsibility"? Does it apply when we consider the two hundred women who have made of their *lives* a great Thank Offering? Is it a serious matter that our thoughtlessness hinders their labors?

Can we in full truth answer Mrs. Hill's inquiry and still place reduction of our gifts *entirely* on the shoulders of weakened incomes?

Closer contacts with our workers and better acquaintance with their undertakings for the Master are my hope and program for the coming year.

And, oh my friends, take this message home with you! Live close to your Thank Offering! Let its true meaning influence your "prayers and gifts and joyful service" and we shall not be hurt again with reports of decreased offerings.

MRS. W. W. SIMMS, *Custodian, United Thank Offering.*

REPORT OF TREASURER

Consolidated Report of Receipts and Disbursements

January 1, 1932, to January 1, 1933

RECEIPTS

Budget Quota (Forward Movement)	\$ 3,448.35
Advance Work	1,139.00
Religious Education	1,071.26
Specials	3,392.75
Central Fund	611.22
Social Service	908.52

Total Receipts	\$ 10,571.10
On hand January 1, 1932	535.02
Total	\$ 11,106.12

DISBURSEMENTS

Budget Quota (Forward Movement)	\$ 3,448.35
Advance Work	1,128.00
Religious Education	1,050.65
Specials	3,312.54
Central Fund	607.53
Social Service	908.06
 Total Disbursements	 \$ 10,455.13
Balance January 1, 1933	650.99
 Total	 \$ 11,106.12

For statistical report see next page.

Respectfully submitted,

LEA F. LITTLE, *Treasurer.*

REPORT OF AUDITORS

MRS. WM. P. LITTLE, *Treasurer,*
Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of North Carolina,
Raleigh, North Carolina.

Dear Madam:

As requested we have made an audit of the Cash Receipts and Disbursements of the Woman's Auxiliary—Diocese of North Carolina—for the year ended December 31, 1932. Our work was confined to the transactions as recorded on the cash books. We checked in detail all recorded cash transactions, and found all receipts as shown to have been properly deposited in the Page Trust Company, Raleigh, North Carolina. All Disbursements were found to have been made on properly signed and endorsed checks. The records were found to have been neatly kept, and no irregularities were found.

Respectfully submitted,

W. M. RUSS & CO.,
Certified Public Accountants.

March 25, 1933.

MISS RENA H. CLARK, PRESIDENT
TARBORO, N. C.

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DURHAM, N. C.

AMOUNTS CONTRIBUTED BY BRANCHES

No. of Members	BRANCH	Forward Movement	Specials	Central Fund	Advance Work	Boxes	United Thank Offering
5	Advance, Ascension	\$ 1.35	\$ 1.25	\$ 2.00	\$ -----	\$ -----	6.75
14	Ansonville, All Souls	24.83	3.50	-----	48.50	4.00	25.20
57	Battleboro, St. John's	140.00	154.24	14.25	49.50	64.40	71.60
50	Burlington, Holy Comforter	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
	Chapel Hill, Chapel of the Cross	100.00	80.34	12.50	35.00	25.00	88.89
35	Charlotte, Holy Comforter	25.00	13.17	8.75	-----	5.00	40.63
16	Charlotte, St. Martin's, Mary and Martha	62.50	19.00	4.00	25.50	10.00	-----
5	Charlotte, St. Martin's, Business Women	2.50	3.00	1.25	2.50	5.00	-----
46	Charlotte, St. Martin's	50.00	30.00	11.50	25.00	126.90	130.80
	Charlotte, St. Martin's Rector's Aid	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
300	Charlotte, St. Peter's	300.00	224.00	75.00	100.00	289.77	322.00
	China Grove, Ascension	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----
16	Cleveland, Christ Church	2.00	12.50	4.00	3.00	12.50	12.13
22	Concord, All Saints	50.00	1.00	5.50	10.00	54.68	57.32
10	Cooleemee, Good Shepherd	5.00	12.47	2.50	2.00	10.80	11.12
10	Durham (East), St. Andrews	20.00	30.00	2.50	-----	16.00	27.05
100	Durham, St. Philip's	300.00	549.55	25.00	75.00	200.88	205.08
11	Durham (West), St. Joseph's	-----	7.50	2.75	14.25	23.95	11.25
17	Enfield, Advent	25.00	40.70	4.25	2.00	64.90	51.92
10	Erwin, St. Stephen's	25.00	16.50	2.50	-----	3.80	11.81
1	Franklinton	5.00	9.50	.25	.50	2.80	3.00
40	Greensboro, St. Andrew's	50.00	74.27	10.00	5.00	101.41	87.69
105	Greensboro, St. Trinity	100.00	150.10	26.25	50.00	621.15	141.46
10	Halifax, St. Mark's	2.50	4.50	2.50	2.50	14.50	20.13
8	Hamlet, All Saints	5.50	14.75	2.00	-----	3.60	11.08
33	Henderson, Bessie Blacknall	100.00	73.18	8.25	30.00	84.90	88.19
41	Henderson, Julian E. Ingle	150.00	104.60	10.25	50.00	65.90	87.93
30	High Point, St. Mary's	-----	5.00	5.00	-----	65.00	20.56
22	Hillsboro, St. Matthew's	50.00	76.23	5.50	15.00	13.60	62.00
11	Jackson, Church of Our Saviour	5.00	9.74	2.75	7.00	13.60	20.34
9	Lawrence, Grace Chapel	5.00	6.15	-----	-----	2.00	3.40
16	Leaksville, Epiphany	12.50	17.25	4.00	3.00	57.60	14.51
20	Lexington, Grace	25.00	30.00	5.00	16.00	83.30	74.74
8	Littleton, St. Alban's	10.00	12.38	2.00	5.00	9.40	34.58
15	Louisburg, St. Paul's	12.50	19.75	3.75	2.00	64.00	25.66
14	Mayodan, Messiah	-----	14.50	3.50	-----	-----	10.95
25	Mecklenburg Co., St. Mark's	17.50	9.50	6.25	10.00	14.60	19.61
	Middleburg, Heavenly Rest	-----	-----	-----	-----	-----	7.00
8	Milton, Christ Church	2.50	1.50	4.00	1.00	19.75	19.50
	Monroe, St. Paul's, Mary O. Hinde	7.50	4.20	-----	7.50	15.15	20.25
19	Monroe, St. Paul's, St. Catherine	7.50	5.00	4.75	5.00	22.50	10.10
13	Mount Airy, Trinity	5.00	17.70	3.25	5.00	6.50	14.35
7	Northampton Co., St. Luke's	5.00	4.00	1.75	-----	2.50	18.00
15	Old Sparta, St. Ignatius	2.50	4.00	3.75	1.00	1.00	4.75
5	Orange Co., St. Mary's	2.50	4.05	1.25	-----	22.60	1.75
50	Oxford, St. Stephen's	50.00	124.14	12.50	25.00	70.50	43.98
11	Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew	7.50	32.90	3.75	7.50	20.60	43.41
200	Raleigh, Christ Church	300.00	410.60	50.00	37.50	500.56	227.71
24	Raleigh, Good Shepherd, St. Anne's	125.00	133.52	6.00	24.00	41.50	140.59
100	Raleigh, Good Shepherd, Lucy Pittenger	187.00	165.49	25.00	60.00	226.15	162.19
15	Raleigh, St. Mary's	15.00	31.00	3.75	15.00	7.50	26.50

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AMOUNTS CONTRIBUTED BY BRANCHES—Continued

No. of Members	BRANCH	Forward Movement	Specials	Central Fund	Advance Work	Boxes	United Thank Offering
20	Raleigh, St. Saviour's	\$ 17.50	\$ 23.50	\$ 5.00	\$ 2.00	\$ 5.60	\$ 6.32
14	Reidsville, St. Thomas	12.50	5.00	3.50	7.50	65.00	29.78
5	Ridgeaway, Annie Shepherd Pettigrew			2.50		15.35	7.15
11	Roanoke Rapids, St. Mary's	17.50	17.52	3.75	11.00	80.85	51.22
10	Roanoke Rapids, Katherine Webster	17.50	33.50	2.50	15.00	23.60	14.07
12	Rockingham, Messiah	12.50	13.25	3.00	1.00	40.50	19.47
6	Rockingham Co., St. Andrew's Mission		1.00	1.50		10.00	4.00
200	Rocky Mount, Good Shepherd	200.00	207.00	50.00	100.00	106.50	277.78
7	Roxboro, St. Mark's		3.69	1.75		2.55	3.00
12	Salisbury, May Brawley	25.00	40.51	3.00	7.00	27.70	25.01
16	Salisbury, St. Agnes	5.00	22.90	4.00	.50	29.00	18.54
14	Salisbury, St. Luke's	17.50	30.75	3.50	5.00	75.95	27.28
9	Salisbury, St. Paul's	.75	9.20	2.25	.50	7.00	5.18
9	Salisbury, St. Peter's	5.00		2.25		5.25	2.75
6	Sanford, St. Thomas	10.00	1.00	1.50	5.00	12.35	8.67
20	Scotland Neck, Susan Smith	5.00	4.50	5.00	1.00	31.60	11.16
11	Scotland Neck, Holy Trinity		22.42	4.75	5.00	35.00	34.54
	Selma, St. Gabriel's						1.00
13	Smithfield, St. Paul's	30.72	23.10	3.25	2.00	6.50	11.18
	Southern Pines, Emmanuel					96.77	42.00
12	Spray, St. Luke's	7.50	19.05	3.00	6.00	32.66	36.03
8	Statesville, Holy Trinity	7.50	12.25	2.00	1.00	11.95	17.20
	Stoneville, Emmanuel						.45
37	Tarboro, Calvary	75.00	141.75	9.25	30.00	54.10	65.59
40	Tarboro, St. Catherine	100.00	145.17	10.00	40.00	116.33	100.00
13	Townsville, Holy Trinity	5.00	8.00	3.25	2.00	34.30	8.25
13	Wadesboro, Calvary	12.50	36.62	3.25	2.00	24.50	78.36
22	Wadesboro, Mary Clifford	12.50	33.61	5.50	7.50	46.20	66.25
	Wake Forest, St. John's						
	Walnut Cove, Christ		4.25				12.49
30	Warrenton, Emmanuel	25.00	79.98	7.50	3.00	70.00	73.00
25	Weldon, Grace	25.00	13.43	6.25	15.00	5.00	21.00
90	Wilson, St. Timothy	100.00	91.00	22.50	50.00	188.79	100.00
150	Winston-Salem, St. Paul's	300.00	1,019.42	37.50	100.00	415.29	497.13
	Woodleaf, St. George						
	Incidentals		281.20	.22			15.70
	District of Edgecombe		22.62				
	District of Forsyth-Rowan		22.50				
	District of Granville		1.75				
	District of Guilford		8.55				
	District of Mecklenburg	19.50	140.00				
	District of Orange	12.88	2.50				
	District of Richmond		21.00				
	District of Wake		14.08				
2434	Totals	\$3,448.35	\$5,372.53	\$611.22	\$1,139.00	\$4,812.44	\$ 4,185.01

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REPORTS OF DISTRICT CHAIRMEN**DISTRICT OF EDGEcombe**

The Lenten Season of 1932 was given in a very whole-hearted way in the District of Edgecombe to the Golden Jubilee Fund, and while the goal was not actually reached, the campaign was in a great measure a success.

The Spring meeting and the week preceding, the District was honored by a visit from its own Prayer Partner, Miss Helen J. Disbrow of Kyoto, Japan. We learned first-hand just what the Woman's Auxiliary means in the Orient and we were brought into personal fellowship with our charming and attractive Prayer Partner.

The fall brought us one of our National field workers, Mrs. D. D. Taber. She spent a week in the District, visiting seven branches and the District meeting. The object of Mrs. Taber's visit was to deepen the spirituality not only of the Auxiliary but of the whole Church. We have evidence to believe that our District is aroused to this spiritual interest. Even under the burden of the times we seem to be holding our own, with our sixteen active and interested branches, a little poorer perhaps in worldly goods, but by reason of this, undaunted in spirit and a firmer faith in God and His Church.

The closing days of the year brought sorrow to the District in the passing of its own beloved Bishop. How thankful we are for his long and useful life! Since "God's in his Heaven all is right with the world!"

MRS. W. JOHNSTON KING, *Chairman.*

DISTRICT OF GRANVILLE

The work in the District of Granville is going forward with a renewed vision and greater power. The chief factor in this improvement is the work of Mrs. D. D. Taber, who visited five of the nine branches in the District. Under her guidance, the branches in Henderson and Oxford have unified the work of all the women of the Parish under the head of the Woman's Auxiliary. Both of these branches report the success of this organization and increased interest, especially in the Departments of Religious Education. In Warrenton a new branch of the young women of the Parish has been organized and the Young People's Service League has been revived.

The Spring District meeting was held in Townsville. Splendid talks were made at this meeting by our guests, Miss Rena Clark and Miss Helen Disbrow, of Kyoto, Japan. At the Fall meeting in Littleton, we were fortunate in having Bishop Penick and Mrs. Taber to talk to us. Three new officers were elected; Miss Lea Perry, Supply Secretary; Mrs. Herbert Petar, Social Service Secretary; and Miss Carrie Helen Moore, Prayer Partner.

We hope to have several members from our District attending Summer Conferences, and our efforts will be for an increase in our United Thank Offering.

MRS. WILLIAM R. BASKERVILLE, *Chairman.*

DISTRICT OF WAKE

The outstanding accomplishment for Wake District during the past year has been the great amount of Social Service Work done locally by each branch. The Lucy Pittenger Branch, Good Shepherd, stored used clothing and donated food supplies at the Parish house for use as needed. St. Anne's paid part of a man's salary when he was out of work. They also did some work among the prisoners. Christ Church helped fourteen families, clothed six orphans, sent ten boxes of clothing, one box of shoes and 30 yards of dress material to the Thompson Orphanage. They sent \$319.00 in money, plus \$65.00 in individual donations to the Thompson Orphanage and \$70.00 to another worthy cause. St. Stephen's, Erwin, contributed to the Cooleemee Clinic. St. Saviour's did extensive social service work among its own members. St. Paul's took care of families at Christmas time and distributed food, clothing and magazines.

It is with regret that we report that St. Gabriel's at Selma and St. John's at Wake Forest, on account of diminished membership, have ceased to function as branches. However, it is the purpose of the District Chairman to keep in touch with the members and invite them to consolidate with a near-by branch until such time as an increase in membership warrants reorganization of these branches.

Two new Associate Auxiliaries have been organized, one at Christ Church and one, St. Hilda's, with sixteen members at Good Shepherd. Good Shepherd has also organized a Girl Scout Troop. They report fifteen members of the Auxiliary teaching in the Church School.

Over \$594.00 has been sent in for the United Thank Offering. All branches have responded well to the call for Soap Wrappers.

All branches held Lenten Study Classes and observed the Intercessory Days.

The Spring District Meeting was held at Christ Church and the Fall meeting at St. Saviour's with good attendance.

At the Fall meeting Mrs. D. D. Taber of the National Field Department was present. She returned October 18th and held a Diocesan Educational Institute at Good Shepherd Church. Following this she spent three days holding meetings with the different branches.

Mrs. Victor Moore was elected District Supply Secretary to succeed Mrs. H. J. Bryson.

A constructive suggestion came from St. Stephen's. This was that each department secretary say the prayer for her department at each monthly meeting.

The stress of the times seems to inspire our branches to double their efforts. Hence we are anticipating active and earnest work during the coming year.

MRS. C. E. MCLEAN, *Chairman.*

DISTRICT OF ORANGE

The reports for 1932 from the nine branches in the District of Orange are even better than last year. Eight observed Intercessory Days and each branch reported splendid work done in all departments of the Auxiliary. Much more study is given to Religious Education in this District than in the past two years, and the Social Service Work is outstanding. 10,477 Octagon Soap Wrappers have been collected in this District.

The District Meeting was held at St. Matthew's Church, Hillsboro, in October, and was very well attended. We were very fortunate in having with us, Mrs. D. D. Taber, head of the National Field Secretaries of the Auxiliary, who addressed us on the program of the Woman's Auxiliary. Reverend Mr. Bost, of Durham, gave a very instructive talk on the Forward Movement.

In the afternoon, Mrs. Taber led a round table discussion on the "Young People of the Church," which was intensely interesting. Much enthusiasm was shown, and many excellent ideas were brought out.

We were delighted to have our beloved President, Miss Rena Clark, with us, who spoke on the "Work Among the Deaf at Erwin."

Reverend Mr. Lawrence, of Chapel Hill, closed the meeting with prayer.

The week following this meeting, Mrs. Taber visited all the branches in this District, except one.

It is a pleasure to serve a District, which has such efficient and conscientious members.

MARTHA F. SHANNONHOUSE, *Chairman.*

DISTRICT OF GUILFORD

In the District of Guilford, the two meetings for the year were quite enthusiastic and inspiring.

In spite of conditions we had a good year. All reports were splendid and showed real love and genuine sacrifice for the work of our Lord.

Each branch reported great activity in Christian Social Service Work. The calls have been many and the responses have been generous.

Along educational lines, the District, from the smallest branch to the largest, has made diligent effort to be enlightened.

The Spring Meeting was held in Burlington with an attendance of over one hundred. Miss Elizabeth Gordon spoke on "A Witness to Youth" and presented Miss Jettie Odell, a member of the Y. P. S. L. of Spray, who told in a most attractive way of the work done in her home town. She has twice won the Bishop's Cup.

Rev. J. A. Vaché, of Greensboro, was the principal speaker. His subject "Our Individual Relation to the Program of the Church" showed that we should crave the privilege of sharing in the Church's Program.

The Fall Meeting was held at St. Andrew's Mission, Rockingham County. The attendance was splendid and all felt it a real privilege

to be guests for the day of our home missionary, Miss Lillie Hill, and her faithful band of co-workers.

Rev. Milton A. Barber, rector of Christ Church, Raleigh, explained in detail the Forward Movement and urged all present to realize the necessity for sacrifice in order to make pledges for the work of the Church. He said that out of gratitude to God, giving should be a sacramental thing.

Mrs. D. D. Taber, National Field Worker, in a very helpful talk presented some new ideas with regard to problems which confront members of the Auxiliary.

During the past year the Recruiting Secretary reported that three young people have offered themselves for life service: Miss Almeria Gordon of Spray, Miss Sadie Robeson who is now at Valle Crucis and Wade Webb who is at the Thompson Orphanage. Miss Robeson and Miss Webb are both from St. Andrew's Mission, Rockingham County.

I think the Woman's Auxiliary in the District of Guilford has a broad conception of what the Church stands for in the world and a full realization of its obligations and responsibilities.

MRS. C. E. ANDERSON, *Chairman.*

DISTRICT OF FORSYTH-ROWAN

The Spring Meeting of the Forsyth-Rowan Division of the Woman's Auxiliary was held at Good Shepherd Church at Cooleemee, April 19, 1932. Rev. Robert E. Gribben of Winston-Salem spoke on the general work of the church.

The Fall Meeting was held at St. Paul's Church at Winston-Salem, October 26, 1932. Miss Rena H. Clark, President of the Diocesan Auxiliary, was speaker for the day. Mrs. D. D. Taber, Field Secretary of the National Council, discussed at length the work of the Woman's Auxiliary, and announced an institute to be held at St. Luke's, Salisbury, in November to make plans for the study of the American Indian. Special work of the Social Service Committee, which is the scholarship at Valle Crucis School was voted to be continued and a letter from the holder of the scholarship, Marjory Williamson, of Winston-Salem, was read. Social Service needs have been met in a very large measure.

Miss Ruth Hairston, Recruiting Secretary, reported a volunteer for missionary work at Philadelphia Training School, Miss Ethel Byerly, of Cooleemee. She is there as the result of her Summer Volunteer work.

The Institute held at Salisbury with Mrs. Taber as leader in November had a large attendance from the entire District. Very interesting plans were worked out in detail for the study groups.

Attendance at District meetings is exceptional, eleven branches being represented at the Fall Meeting and twelve of the fourteen enrolled branches in the District being represented in the Spring.

This closes ten years of the District organization. The District started with ten branches, two of which, St. Joseph's at Spencer and Ascension at China Grove, later ceased to exist. There are now fourteen active branches.

MRS. CARROLL SPENCER, *Chairman.*

DISTRICT OF MECKLENBURG

The usual Spring and Fall meetings of the Mecklenburg District of the Woman's Auxiliary were held, one at St. Mark's Mission in Mecklenburg County, the other at St. Martin's Parish, Charlotte. Both were well attended.

The most outstanding thing of interest in the District for 1932 was the help given by Mrs. Taber, of the National Field Department. Her presentation of the work of the Auxiliary at the Fall Meeting was both practical and inspiring. She visited most of the branches in the District and offered helpful suggestions in solving many problems. One branch has made its objective for 1932 the unity of all the women's organizations in the Parish, if not in name, in spirit and interest. A general meeting of all the women has been held once a month which has been very helpful.

A greater interest has been shown in the United Thank Offering. Requests have come from branches and individuals for the Blue Boxes. Although the offering may not have been as large, it represents a larger number of individuals united in thanking Almighty God for their daily blessings.

The branches have responded well in the Box Supply Work. With the exception of one, all did sewing, many pledging money in addition. Valuable boxes of clothing, both new and second-hand, were sent out.

Religious Education in the District has been stressed for the past two years. The Educational Secretary, Mrs. Rosborough, visited all the branches, offering suggestions and help in promoting the study classes.

During 1932 the needs for Social Service have been very great and the individual branches have been active in meeting them.

At the Fall Meeting Mrs. F. H. Dillon, of Monroe, was elected Prayer Partner Custodian to succeed Mrs. G. Robin Brem, Charlotte, who had served three years, and Mrs. Edward Livesay, Charlotte, was elected Social Service Secretary to succeed Mrs. D. A. Gammage who resigned.

MRS. C. L. ROWE, Chairman.

DISTRICT OF RICHMOND

The Richmond District now has five Auxiliary branches instead of four, Southern Pines' splendid Guild having recently organized as a branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. Two District meetings were held in 1932. All branches are on the Honor Roll and there seems to be increasing understanding of the Auxiliary's place in the Church and a desire to coöperate in all phases of the work.

At the Spring Meeting in Southern Pines reports were heard from District officers. The Prayer Partner reported \$9.35 was made from the District sale of linen from St. Andrew's School in Porto Rico and this amount was sent to Miss Mildred Hayes for use in carrying on her work. The Spring U. T. O. was larger than the Fall offering. The Supply Secretary had a fine report, all branches having had

programs on this work as well as having paid pledges, done sewing or cutting and made donations of second-hand clothing. Also a child at Thompson Orphanage is clothed by each branch. The Recruiting Secretary gave a report of the Church's work at Chapel Hill and N. C. C. W. and of the Student Volunteer movement which is one of the splendid results of this work. A donation was made from the District for the Student Volunteer work. The Educational Secretary reported study classes held by all branches on Building a Christian Nation. Two branches had programs on the five major topics discussed at General Convention, and three branches have had regular monthly programs. There was much discussion of Young People's work which resulted in sending a representative to Kanuga for summer conference, that we might have a capable leader of young people in the District. An interesting and beneficial review of the book, Building a Christian Nation, was given by branch Educational Secretaries. Rev. F. Craighill Brown gave a delightful informal talk on race relations basing his conclusions on his experience with the Orientals in China and with the Negroes in the South. Mrs. Hartzell told about the Golden Jubilee Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary and Miss Easdale Shaw made an appeal for Church women to send their daughters to Saint Mary's.

At the Fall Meeting in Rockingham, officers outlined the work for the coming year. Rev. Frederick Drane spoke on the Forward Movement, emphasizing the crisis in the missionary work of the Church and beseeching Church people to have sympathetic understanding of needs and problems at home and abroad. The special feature of the day was the round table discussion of Auxiliary problems conducted by Mrs. D. D. Taber. Arrangements were made for her to visit each branch in the District during December. Mrs. Taber made a tribute to Saint Mary's School calling attention to the fine women present who had been educated there. Mrs. Baxter Moore emphasized the need of education in every department of our work. Miss Rena Clark made the closing talk leaving us with a feeling of inspiration and the desire to make renewed efforts in the work of extending Christ's Kingdom on earth.

MRS. K. M. HARDISON, *Retiring Chairman.*

COMMITTEE REPORTS

REPORT OF RECRUITING COMMITTEE

Year by year, I feel that we, as an Auxiliary, are learning more and more just what Recruiting means: not only interesting others in Missions but letting the word Recruit enter into our lives and make of us more devoted Christians, giving ourselves to the work of Christ.

Not a branch in the Diocese but has tried to do something along this line during the past year and some reports sent to me by District Recruiting Secretaries have been most gratifying.

I would give special mention to the District of Guilford and the District of Orange whose reports are outstanding. Spray and Leaksville have several young Recruits in Home Mission work, giving their time and talents: Sadie Robertson and Annie Wilson both teaching in Prison Camps among other things. Almeria Gordon is now at Saint Mary's School, but expects to do Mission work. Wade Webb is in training at Mt. Sinai in the order of St. Joseph's. Edwin Bethea of Reidsville, a student at Virginia Theological Seminary, served most acceptably at St. Thomas, Reidsville, last summer. The Church of the Epiphany started and equipped a Community House at Flint Hill, St. Luke's Mission. This District sent a number of young people to the Camps.

The District of Orange reports four young men studying for the ministry: Matthew George, Henry Johnston, Jr., Alfred Lawrence of Chapel Hill, also E. J. Craft of Durham. Martha Dabney Jones is a U. T. O. worker among young people in District of East Oregon under Bishop Remington.

The District of Granville reports two young men now studying for the ministry, Benjamin Brodie and Mr. Sturgis.

The District of Forsyth-Rowan is much interested in Ethel Louise Byerly of Cooleemee, who is in training in Philadelphia for a full time Church worker. She is most enthusiastic about her work. This District gives a \$200.00 Scholarship at Valle Crucis School.

Almost all of the branches sent one or more boys and girls to the Summer Conferences or Camps, either Lake Kanuga or to Vade Mecum.

The Summer Volunteer Work was again most successful, two girls from Chapel Hill went to Penland School, where their work was so much appreciated that they have asked for their return this summer. Four went to Amhurst, Va., with Miss Brightsie Savage, who came to N. C. C. W. in Greensboro, selected them and paid most of their expenses. Two went to Dante, Va., where such efficient work was done the year before. All of this was done at a smaller cost than any previous year. The Committee is indebted to Mrs. Challen and Mrs. Lawrence for their help in carrying out these arrangements. We very much hope that this work will be continued, as we have seen valuable results from it in the short time that it has been carried on.

As Chairman of the Recruiting Committee, I wish to say that the branches have coöperated most loyally in this phase of Auxiliary

Work, for which I wish to express my sincere thanks. It has made my duties a pleasure, and I bespeak for my successor the same hearty support.

One suggestion I would like to make to all leaders of young people, and that is to create an interest among our girls in our own Church School, Saint Mary's. We feel that the girls will receive inspiration there that will lead them into the love of work for Christ.

Saint Mary's House in Greensboro has done much to lead our young women into Church Work and it also needs our interest and support.

In these days of stress—our Department of Missions is calling for our best, persons of highest quality, fitness and tested ability, especially for Nurses and Teachers, in the hope that a greater day of Missions is about to dawn. The way of the future of Missions can only be the way of the best. May we pray earnestly that we may share with others, the gifts with which we have been so richly blessed.

Faithfully yours,

CAMILLE HOLT HUNT,
Chairman of Recruiting Committee.

PRAYER PARTNERSHIP PLAN

The Diocese of North Carolina seems to be realizing more the importance of having special prayers for our Prayer Partners, those who toil for us in far off places. All Parishes in the Districts pray for their respective Partners and send letters and cards and in many places useful gifts. All of these things are greatly appreciated by the recipients. Let us not grow weary in well doing but continue to encourage and brighten the work our Prayer Partners are doing.

CLAUDIA J. E. POWE, *Chairman.*

PROMOTION OF YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

The Committee on Promotion of Young Peoples' Work has met with a most encouraging response from the women of the Diocese in the past year. Many have interested themselves in young people's activities, becoming counselors to the Young People's Service League, the Girl's Friendly Society, and other organizations of the Church's youth.

The services of the Woman's Auxiliary were offered to the Diocesan Y. P. S. L. through its president and through the Rev. Dan Allen, advisor to the organization.

During the year 1932-33, the number of Y. P. S. L. chapters has grown from 38 to 46, under the impetus of the interest taken by the Auxiliary. Of this number, three were dormant Leagues revived, and five were new Leagues.

This is a fine beginning but it must not be the end! Many Leagues are still in need of an encouraging word or helping hand from an older group. Even where there is a flourishing League, there may be too little communication between the young people and the women

of the Church. A spirit of interest, of interdependence between Church organizations, is an Auxiliary ideal.

Our scope of responsibility has been widened during the past year. No longer have we a "Committee for the Promotion of the Young Peoples' Service League" but of "Young People's Work," which means that we must interest ourselves in all the activities of the young people, and strive to promote them by every means in our power.

MRS. PEMBROKE NASH, *Chairman.*

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF THE COLORED CONVOCATION

Madam President:

There are nineteen missions in the Colored Convocation. Fifteen of these have, or have had, a branch of the Auxiliary. There are six colored priests and one catechist to serve these nineteen missions. In most of these stations you have a priest and a branch of the Auxiliary. This furnishes a unique opportunity for you to "come over into Macedonia and help us."

Our Diocesan Branch has the regulation organization: President, Vice-President, Secretary, Treasurer, Educational Secretary, Social Service Secretary, Box Secretary, and U. T. O. Custodian. We have Annual Meetings and make annual reports to the National Branch. We do not have District Meetings.

Our meeting last year was scheduled for Charlotte but Charlotte wrote that they could not take the Auxiliary on account of the depression. The prospects for a meeting this year are not favorable.

We had hopes of having Miss Brown to visit the branches this year but there is too little hope of reasonable follow-up work to warrant these visits as yet in this present crisis.

The main handicap in this phase of the church work, as it is in many others, is the lack of available leaders in the field. There are leaders in our midst who are not available and I think it is the duty of every Diocesan officer to find these leaders and give them the opportunity to do their bit.

I think that the programs of both Diocesan Branches should be inter-racial. Friction can be avoided by understanding, church loyalty, and the development of spiritual fellowship.

Madam President, I want to thank you for your splendid spirit of coöperation that you have shown during your term of office. I want to thank the Auxiliary as a whole for your continual interest in my daughter at Bishop Tuttle. I know that it will please you to know that she is to be the valedictorian of her class and was unanimously chosen by the faculty as the honor student and commencement speaker.

Asking that the Holy Spirit will save us from all error, ignorance, pride and prejudice and that our Heavenly Father may so direct, govern, and sanctify our endeavors that they may reach as far as man is found and praying that we may all labor more abundantly to make known the blessed privilege we have in attaining eternal life, I am,

Respectfully,

(MRS.) M. M. WESTON, *President.*

CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

I am glad to present this report for the C. P. C., which in some items shows an increase in the work from the previous year:

Current Periodicals sent regularly	56
Number of donors of above Periodicals	16
Bibles and Testaments	7
Prayer Books and Hymnals	18
Books Theological and Secular	9
Odd Magazines and Papers	22,345
Christmas and Easter Cards	241
Games and Scrap Books	13

Fewer Bibles, Prayer Books and Hymnals have been given and National Headquarters makes a special plea for these. The needs for them are made known not only by teachers and evangelical workers, but by many volunteer workers, who find in their own neighborhood, persons eager to own a Bible or Prayer Book. The objectives for the work are:

- I. Forward your best magazines regularly and promptly.
- II. Pass on good books while they are new.
- III. At Christmas and Easter buy one or two extra cards for some Mission.
- IV. Write friendly letters to those to whom you send.
- V. Make some regular gift in money.
- VI. Pray for the work, especially on the first Sunday in May.

This work is one of greatest importance and with earnest endeavor it need not be affected by the financial difficulties that so handicap other departments of our work.

ANNA M. HINSON, *Chairman.*

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL

In making my final report as your representative on the Women's Legislative Council of the State, space permits only the following brief summary:

Through a study of prison conditions, of farm tenancy, of our welfare institutions, and our juvenile court system, of the conditions under which women and children work in mills, etc., the Auxiliary was led to ask for representation on the Women's Legislative Council in order to help create better social conditions in our State. We have thus been enabled to have a share in enacting into law measures for the promotion of prison reforms, Mothers' Aid, greatly improved conditions for women and children working in mills, laundries, restaurants, and mercantile houses; better marriage laws; the care of dependent, defective, and delinquent children of both races; and most important of all, perhaps, through our efforts this year the Department of Public Welfare has been preserved to the State—a department which, under the inspired vision of Mrs. Kate Burr Johnson, attained to a position of eminence among such welfare agencies

throughout the country, but whose very existence was at stake during the present session of the Legislature. This awakening of public sentiment towards our social problems has been accomplished by the unremitting and intelligent work of the women who constitute the Legislative Council. Their vision of the "new earth, wherein shall dwell righteousness" is far from realized, but they will continue to work for it with might and main; and now that the Church in our Diocese, through its Executive Council, has in the past year taken similar action to that of the Auxiliary by affiliation with the N. C. Council of Social Agencies, we may hope for an added impetus towards the fulfillment of Our Lord's prayer that God's kingdom would come upon earth.

EMILIE R. HOLMES, *Chairman,*
Committee on Women's Legislative Council.

WORK WITH THE ISOLATED

In giving this final account of my stewardship as Chairman of Work with the Isolated, I am keenly mindful of the fact that much has been omitted that should have been done. This, however, leaves a free field for my successor.

I have visited the sick, given food, clothing, medicine and literature where I found they were needed. Five children have been presented for baptism. The work, as you see, is inseparably interwoven with other departments of our Auxiliary service.

I have not been successful in establishing Home Study Classes, so highly recommended by the Council, though I am convinced that educational work with the Isolated is by far the most important and enduring which can be done.

I place particular emphasis upon the work, for and by the Church at Valle Crucis. For three years we have had Nina Miller, one of our isolated girls, in this school. Each year she has been awarded a scholarship which has defrayed the cost of her board and tuition. Her other necessary expenses have been met by generous donations of cash and clothing made by parishes and individuals in this and in the Western Diocese. It would have been impossible to keep Nina at Valle Crucis but for the whole-hearted coöperation of Mr. Kent and of Rev. Lane Barton of Flint, Michigan.

I have personal assurances from Mr. Kent, Miss Graves and Mrs. Starnes that Nina is one of the finest girls ever entrusted to them. I hope most sincerely that means will be found to enable her to complete her course and graduate next year. I wish that each person interested in this work might see and know this girl as I do. You could never regret any sacrifices made to assist her.

You realize, I am sure, that food, clothing, medicines and literature, necessary as they are, are purely temporal things, but to have a share in the development of body, mind and spirit of "one of these, His little ones," is to share in the realm of things eternal.

Respectfully submitted,

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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 auditor. 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. 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 having 50 members or less shall be represented by the Branch President and one other delegate (appointed by the President, or elected by the Branch). The President or representative, and the delegate each has a vote. Each additional 50 members shall entitle the Branch to an additional delegate, with power to vote.
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.

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