

Woman's Auxiliary

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THE  
TWENTY-FOURTH ANNUAL CONVENTION  
OF THE  
DIOCESE OF QUINCY.

Will Meet in The Cathedral, Quincy,  
TUESDAY, MAY 21, 1901.

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REPORT OF THE  
ANNUAL MEETING  
— OF —  
THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

— HELD AT —  
PEORIA, MAY 15th and 16th, 1900







## Woman's Auxiliary.

Report of annual meeting, Quincy Branch, Woman's Auxiliary, held May 15th and 16th, 1900, at St. Paul's Church, Peoria.

Met at 10:30 with the Convention for Prayer and Holy Communion. The Rev. C. W. Leffingwell, celebrant, assisted by the Rev. S. G. Jeffords, the Rev. E. F. Gee preaching.

Lunch was served the visiting clergy and delegates by the ladies of St. Paul's and St. Andrew's Parishes in the Parish room of St. Paul's.

At 2:30 the meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary convened in the Chapel of St. Paul's Church, the President, Mrs. V. H. Webb presiding.

The meeting was opened with devotions by the Rev. S. G. Jeffords of Peoria.

The Rev. E. F. Gee introduced Mrs. Paxton who had been for some years a missionary in China. She gave an interesting talk on life and customs of the Chinese. She spoke of the great difficulty of Christian missionaries in gaining the confidence and trust of the women; how difficult it is for the women to attend the services, owing to their home duties; of the old established custom of women going out but seldom. This talk was quite interesting, and came first because Mrs. Paxton had to leave the city at an early hour.

Roll call was read by the Secretary. Delegates responded as follows: Grace, Galesburg, 1; Trinity, Monmouth, 3; St. Mary's, Knoxville, 3; Christ, Moline, 1; Grace, Osco, 5; St. Paul's, Peoria, 2; Christ, Limestone, 1; Quincy, 2.

Officers present: Mrs. V. H. Webb, President; Mrs. C. E. Chandler, Vice President; Mrs. C. W. Leffingwell, Vice President; Mrs. W. M. Purce, Vice President; Miss Florence Boniface, Secretary; Miss Anna E. Smith, Treasurer.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The President then welcomed the members of the Auxiliary to the 13th annual meeting in a few words, and called for the report of the Secretary, which was then read as follows:

THE REPORT OF THE SECRETARY OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY FROM  
MAY 1899 TO MAY 1900.

Rock Island—Trinity Church Branch.



Missionary Boxes, (three).....	\$ 50 69	
United Offering .....	17 65	68 34
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Moline—Christ Church Branch.		
Missionary Boxes, (two).....	7 58	7 58
Osco—Grace Church Branch.		
Missionary Boxes, (three).....	55 64	
Annual Dues.....	1 00	
Diocesan Missions.....	5 00	
Domestic Missions.....	3 00	
United Offering .....	4 19	68 83
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Knoxville—St. Mary's Church Branch.		
Missionary Boxes, (three).....	120 00	
General Missions.....	10 00	
Colored Missions.....	8 35	
Diocesan Missions.....	100 00	
Mite Boxes.....	70 00	308 35
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Macomb—St. George's Church Branch.		
Domestic Mission.....	5 00	5 00
Farmington—Calvary Church Branch.		
General Missions.....	5 00	
United Offering....	7 00	
Membership tax and Postage.....	2 90	14 90
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Monmouth—Trinity Church Branch.		
Annual Dues.....	1 00	
United Offering.....	5 00	6 00
Quincy—Cathedral of St. John's Branch.		
Missionary Boxes, (two).....	55 10	55 10
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Good Shepherd Branch		
Missionary Boxes, (one).....	6 00	6 00
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Galesburg—Grace Church Branch.		
Missionary Boxes, (three).....	68 55	
Annual Dues.....	1 00	
Diocesan Missions.....	10 00	79 55
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Peoria—St. Paul's Church Branch.		
Missionary Boxes, (five).....	160 90	
United Offering.....	15 00	
Parochial Missions.....	45 00	220 90
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St. Andrew's Church Branch.		
Missionary Boxes, (three).....	35 00	
Annual Dues.....	1 00	36 00



## Carthage—St. Cyprian Church Branch.

Domestic Missions.....	1 00	
Foreign Missions.....	1 00	2 00
Total value of boxes.....	559 46	
Total amount of cash.....	319 09	878 55

## JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

## Osco—Ministering Children's League.

Missionary Boxes. (three).....	40 20	
United Offerings.....	2 00	
Diocesan Missions. ....	5 00	47 20

## Peoria—St. Andrew's Church Branch.

Missionary Boxes. (two).....	15 00	15 00
	62 20	62 20

## Woman's Auxiliary.

Value of boxes.....	559 46	
Cash.....	319 09	878 55

## Junior Auxiliary.

Value of boxes.....	55 20	
Cash.....	7 00	62 20

Total of cash and boxes..... 940 75

Have written 110 letters.

Have received 96 letters.

Have sent several packages of printed matter.

Respectfully submitted,

FLORENCE BONIFACE,

*Secretary Woman's Auxiliary, Diocese of Quincy.*

The secretary's report showed an increase of the work in the past year of \$237.81 in cash and boxes—also in the addition of four new branches—one in Kewanee with 14 members: one at St. John's Galesburg, 16 members; one at Holy Communion, Galva, 7 members; one at St. Andrew's, Peoria, (Jr.), 5 members.

The Treasurer's report was then read.

## TREASURER'S REPORT.

## GENERAL FUND—RECEIPTS.

May 15, 1899, balance on hand.....	\$24 00
May 16, 1899, offering at meeting.....	\$ 7 46
May 17, 1899, from Peoria to Jr. Pub. Co.....	2 50
from Peoria to Ladies House,	
Hankow, China.....	10 00
Calvary Church Farmington dues	1 00
St. John's Church, Kewanee, "	1 00



Grace Church, Galesburg, .....	"	1 00		
Grace Church, Osco, .....	"	1 00		
Holy Communion Church, Galva, .....	"	1 00		
Trinity Church, Monmouth, .....	"	1 00	25 96	49 96
DISBURSEMENT.—				
Paid Women of St. John's Parish, Galesburg, .....		5 00		
Paid Jr. Publishing Co. ....		2 50		
Paid Ladies' House, Hankow, China .....		10 00		
Paid Stamps. ....		06	17 56	17 56
Balance on hand .....				32 40
UNITED OFFERING.—RECEIPTS.				
From Calvary Church, Farmington .....		7 00		
" St. John's Church, Cuba .....		2 00		
" Grace Church, Osco .....		4 49		
" Trinity Church, Rock Island .....		18 07		
" Good Shepherd Church, Quincy .....		6 76		
" Grace Church, Osco, M. C. L. ....		2 00		
" Trinity Church, Rock Island .....		6 36		
" Trinity Church, Monmouth .....		5 00		
Balance on hand .....				51 68
Of the above \$40.32 has been drawing interest at 3 per cent for six months.				
SUMMARY.				
General Fund, Balance on hand .....				32 40
United Offering, Balance on hand .....				51 68
Total on hand .....				84 08

A most interesting report was then read by Miss Daisy Stoughton, Osco, giving an account of work done by the Ministering Children's League. She told of many ways of raising money for their work; among others, the growing of vegetables and raising chickens; the flower-beds, kept by the children, helped to supply the altar. The report shows good work among the little people.

Miss Beatty of Quincy, gave an account of work which she has done in supplying Sunday School papers, collected from different places, to small parishes unable to subscribe for them. She furnishes at present about fifty papers a week to three Missions. She also spoke of forming a circulating library, consisting of possibly a dozen good books. Church literature, placed in a strong box and lent in turn for say two months and kept track of by the librarian of the parish, or by the Priest. The idea seemed a good one and I trust that we shall hear



that it has been tried and found to work successfully, by many parishes, before another year.

The meeting was then adjourned to meet at 9:30 a. m., on Wednesday.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 16.

The Woman's Auxiliary met for the election of officers and for attending to other business.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mrs. C. E. Chandler, Peoria; Vice Presidents, Mrs. Morse, Peoria Deanery; Mrs. Purce, Rock Island Deanery; Mrs. Leffingwell, Galesburg Deanery; Miss Beatty, Quincy Deanery; Secretary, Mrs. Alex DeSoland, Rock Island; Treasurer, Mrs. Anna E. Smith. Osco.

A discussion was had on library and postage on papers sent. It was decided that the Vice Presidents present the matter to their Guilds. Miss Emery was with us and made this suggestion.

It was moved that a vote of thanks be tendered the retiring president, Mrs. Webb, who has been so faithful and helpful to us all during her office for the past four years. Few have taken the interest in the work that Mrs. Webb has, and her presence is helpful and inspiring.

A vote of thanks was also ordered to be placed on file to the retiring Secretary.

The meeting took a recess till 3:00 p. m.

The meeting reassembled at 3:00 p. m.

Miss Emery, General Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary, was introduced and made an address. She was, as usual, charmingly earnest, simple, and to the point. A large number were present. She first spoke about Junior work. One good suggestion was for the Juniors to provide fonts or bells for the Missions which they help; it encourages them to have something tangible to show as the result of their work.

Then the model Missionary box. Make it in all ways as attractive as possible. It is asked for, waited for, and what a disappointment when it is not at all what is wanted or expected. Make it in all ways attractive. Send more boy's garments; a disappointed little boy once said, "they must think everybody is girls." Consider the age of the persons; do not send clothes suitable for an old lady to the wife of a young missionary. Do not forget the old persons too; nice warm slippers, hood or comforters. Use discrimination. Send pretty things for the home and table.

Parish Branches. Keep track of all new-comers; study Parish register and do not miss seeing each communicant. They may not have belonged last year, but would be glad to do so this year. Give everyone a chance and something to do. Try to spread Christian literature, especially the Spirit of Missions; try to give an intelligent idea of what



we are doing, and whom we are helping. Let us try to make everyone feel that it is a privilege, and should be a pleasure to be a co-laborer with Christ. Give systematically and regularly, even if the amount is small. Think of the good done with the United Offering, and help it all you can.

The meeting then adjourned to meet in Quincy May 20, 1901.

FLORENCE BONIFACE. Secretary.

### List of Organized Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Quincy.

#### Diocesan officers for 1900-1901.

President—Mrs. C. E. Chandler, Peoria.

Secretary—Mrs. Alexander DeSoland, Rock Island.

Treasurer—Miss Anna E. Smith, Osco.

#### Peoria Deanery—Mrs. Morse, Peoria, Vice President.

Peoria, St. Paul's Church.

Peoria, St. Andrew's Church (Jr.).

Jubilee, Christ Church.

Henry, St. John's Church.

#### Rock Island Deanery—Mrs. W. M. Purce, Vice President.

Rock Island, Trinity Church.

Moline, Christ Church.

Osco, Grace Church.

Kewanee, St. John's Church.

Preemption, St. John's Church.

Galva, Holy Communion.

#### Galesburg Deanery—Mrs. C. W. Leffingwell, Vice President.

Galesburg, Grace Church.

Galesburg, St. John's Church.

Knoxville, St. Mary's Church.

Monmouth, Trinity Church.

Cuba, St. John's Church.

Lewistown, St. James' Church.

Farmington, Calvary Church.

#### Quincy Deanery—Miss Beatty, Vice President.

Quincy, Cathedral of St. John.

Quincy, Good Shepherd Church.

Carthage, St. Cyprian's Church.

Mendon, Zion Church.

#### Junior Auxiliary.

Osco, Grace Church.



# SUMMARY

Woman's Auxiliary	General	United Offerings	Domestic and Foreign Missions	Diocesan Missions	Annual Dues	Parochial Missions	Boxes value	Total
Peoria, St. Paul's Church.....		15 00				45 00	160 90	220 90
Peoria, St. Andrew's Church.....					1 00		35 00	36 00
Quincy, Cathedral of St. John.....							55 10	55 10
Quincy, Church Good Shepherd.....		6 76					6 00	12 76
Oscos, Grace Church.....		4 49	3 00	5 00	1 00		55 65	69 14
Farmington, Calvary Church.....		7 00	5 00		2 90			14 90
Galesburg, Grace Church.....				10 00	1 00		68 55	79 55
Rock Island, Trinity Church.....		24 43					50 69	75 12
Monmouth, Trinity Church.....		5 00			1 00			6 00
Moline, Christ Church.....							7 58	7 58
Carthage, St. Cyprians Church.....			2 00					2 00
Cuba, St. John's Church.....		2 00						2 00
Kewanee, St. John's Church.....					1 00			1 00
Galva, Holy Communion Church.....					1 00			1 00
Knoxville, St. Mary's Church.....			88 35	100 00			120 00	308 35
Macomb, St. George's Church.....			5 00					5 00
JUNIOR AUXILIARY								
		64 68	103 35	115 00	8 90	45 00	559 47	896 40
Oscos, Ministering Children's League.....		2 00		5 00			40 20	47 20
Peoria, St. Andrew's Branch.....							15 00	15 00
		66 68	103 35	120 00	8 90	45 00	614 67	958 60

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# DIOCESE OF QUINCY.

## Calendar of Canonical Offerings.

(See Section 6, Canon I., Title 4. Also Canon II., Title 4.)

### 1900.

Aug. 12—Second Sunday - - -	Offering for Diocesan Fund.*
Sept. 16—Third Sunday - - -	Mission Sunday.†
Nov. 12—Second Sunday - - -	Offering for Diocesan Fund.*
Nov.—Thanksgiving Day - -	Offering for Aged & Infirm Clergy*
Dec. 16—Third Sunday - - -	Offering for Diocesan Missions.*

### 1901.

Feb. 10—Second Sunday - - -	Offering for Diocesan Fund.*
Mar. 17—Third Sunday - - -	Offering for Diocesan Missions.†
May 12—Second Sunday - - -	Offering for Diocesan Fund.*
May 21—Tuesday - - - - -	Twenty-fourth annual Convention
June 2d—Trinity Sunday - - -	Offering for Endowment Fund.¶
June 16—Third Sunday - - -	Offering for Diocesan Missions.*

\*T. B. Martin, Galesburg, Ill., Treasurer of Diocese.

†Rev. V. H. Webb, Monmouth, Treasurer of Board of Missions.

‡Devoted to Missions, by Standing Resolution of Convention.

¶E. J. Parker, Treasurer, Quincy.

## FORM FOR A BEQUEST TO THE DIOCESE.

*I give, devise and bequeath to the Trustees of the Funds and Property of the Diocese of Quincy, of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the United States of America, a body corporate organized under the laws of the State of Illinois, for the endowment of the Episcopate in said Diocese\*.....*

\* Or for such other diocesan or general purpose as the testator may desire.