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THE PRAYER
for
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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, labour diligently, and give liberally to make Him known to all nations as their Saviour and their King; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

THE PRAYER
for
THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

O Lord, our Heavenly Father, we pray Thee to send forth more labourers into Thy harvest, and to grant them Thy special grace for every need. Guard and guide the workers in the field, and draw us into closer fellowship with them. Dispose the hearts of all women everywhere to give gladly as Thou hast given to them. Accept, from grateful hearts, our United Thank Offering of prayer and gifts and joyful service; and bless it to the coming of Thy Kingdom, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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THE PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

Again we come together at the end of one more year of service to take a backward glance at what we have accomplished, and at the beginning of another year to look forward with new aspirations and new hopes. We find much to be thankful for in the year just past,—in the unflinching loyalty with which you have faced great difficulties and in your willingness to undertake new ventures, but more than all in a new attitude throughout the Diocese that can hardly be defined and certainly cannot be measured, but which is very surely the work of the Holy Spirit among us. Our Quiet Day together, our Day of Prayer, the instruction we have received from Canon Bell and other teachers, and the loyal co-operation of our rectors have all been contributing factors. There is surely a deeper spiritual meaning in our work, and a more intelligent understanding of the simple methods by which the Auxiliary carries out its program. But divine discontent must always mark progress toward our high goal, and using the experiences of the past year wisely, we may pause to ask ourselves the searching question, if we be His disciples, where have we failed and how may we do better? That is a question that can only be truly answered by each individual member of the Auxiliary, and by each parish branch, and the answer must be used not in any way for discouragement but for future guidance. In the light of that question, may I set forth certain specific points that seem of paramount value in our growth, both spiritual and material, and which were brought out in many conferences at our Triennial meeting. I need hardly say that they may serve for endless discussion and meditation and prayer.

The one of fundamental importance is the revitalizing of our personal lives, and the integrity of our motives as members of the Woman's Auxiliary. Are we so convinced of our Lord's Incarnation and of His continual presence among us that we are impelled by the joy of that knowledge to join in proclaiming Him throughout the world as its only Saviour and King? If our motive be less than this, let us pray for the renewing of a right spirit among us. It is this same joy that we need to infuse into all our work for Him, that it may irradiate the common tasks done in His name, and make of our daily life a joyful adventure for God.

The question of interesting the uninterested woman is one deserving our deepest consideration and prayers. Where have we failed if our group is not being constantly enlarged? How can we break through the crust of apathy and indifference that threatens so much of our Church life to-day? How may we commend the work of building Christ's Kingdom on earth so that it may appeal to empty hands and hearts? The splendid response of young women in our Diocese to the ideals of the Auxiliary is a source of justifiable pride, but are we enlisting them in sufficient numbers? How we need their dauntless courage, their capacity for large thinking and their ruthless sincerity!

The intimate connection between the work done on our mission fields and the peace of the world and understanding among nations, cannot be too strongly emphasized. When Christian ideals prevail in international councils, and self-interest is merged in co-operation for universal welfare, war can be no longer a factor in the history of the world. If this seems a far cry into the future, the seeds of such a harvest are sown in Christian teaching. The giving of our minds to our Lord in more intelligent study of the work that is being done in His Name will lend wings to our imaginations and transform our parochialism into citizenship of the world. We

greatly need a closer touch with the splendid work that we are helping to support, and the suggestion is made that every Churchwoman cultivate the habit of reading news of the mission field as she now reads her newspaper. It is a habit that cannot fail to grow by what it feeds on, and the results would be out of all proportion to the effort made.

For the attainment of these ends to which I have asked your attention,—a new joy born of a life in our Lord and Saviour, a winning of new workers for Him, a more enlightened view of our fields of work and of the intimate relation between the Christian attitude toward life and the solution of world problems,—for their attainment we must dare to claim the power that is ours if we fulfill our Lord's conditions. "Ye shall receive power" are words which ring down the centuries to the very core of our weakness, our hesitations and our doubts. Our tasks are great, for they are the needs of the whole world, but we are not working alone. So let us, with faith in His promises, go forward joyfully and trustfully to meet our tasks in the year 1935.

ISABELLE N. BINNEY

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE RECORDING SECRETARY FOR THE YEAR 1934

The annual meeting of the Rhode Island Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary was held on January 26th in Grace Church, Providence. The speakers were the Rev. Barrett P. Tyler, D.D. and the Rev. Bernard Iddings Bell, D.D. Dr. Tyler spoke of his work among the Arapaho Indians. He emphasized the danger of tearing down the old Indian religion and spoke of the necessity of grafting on to the trunk of the Indian belief our Christian conception of God. Dr. Bell made a strong plea for religious education. He urged us to stimulate our religious thought by reading and said that missionary enterprise depends upon keeping our minds alert and clear. 344 responded to the roll call.

On March 16th a meeting was held in the Parish House of the Cathedral of St. John for U.T.O. custodians and others. Miss Cotherin gave a most inspirational talk. On March 20th the board of the Woman's Auxiliary spent a delightful afternoon as the guests of St. Barnabas Branch in Apponaug. On March 22 a Quiet Day conducted by Bishop Bennett was observed at the Cathedral of St. John. A great number of the women of our church gladly availed themselves of this privilege. In May the Auxiliary sent on \$55.00 which had been collected for the Provincial project of helping the educational work in the rural districts of New England.

The Spring Quarterly meeting was held at Christ Church, Westerly, on May 4. Bishop Perry greeted us at the morning session. The speakers were Dr. Wood, Executive Secretary of the Department of Missions of

the National Council, and Bishop Bennett. Dr Wood described the wonderful work done in some of our mission stations abroad. Bishop Bennett said that the mission of the church was the great factor by which we may express the divine compulsion to bring the love of God into every soul. 237 responded to the roll call.

Your Auxiliary gave three scholarships to the Wellesley Conference.

The high light in our church year was, of course, the Triennial meeting in Atlantic City in October. Rhode Island was officially represented by Mrs. Binney, Mrs. Merriman, Mrs. Thornley, Mrs. Wray and Mrs. Meader with Miss Downing as alternate, and I am sure all the delegates enjoyed to the utmost this great honor and privilege and returned home full of inspiration and enthusiasm.

On November 9th came our Fall Quarterly meeting at Trinity Church, Pawtucket. The speakers were Miss Elise Dexter and the Rev. Walworth Tyng of China. Miss Dexter spoke of the General Convention at Atlantic City and Dr. Tyng spoke of the evils existing in China and of the need for Christian missionaries in this great nation where the people are hungry for Christ and where after 4000 years of pagan rule there are now Christian men at the head of the government. 296 responded to the roll call.

On November 12th a day of prayer was observed by the church women all over the world. The prayer leaflets for the different parishes were supplied by the Educational Secretary of our auxiliary.

The women of our diocese have had a rare privilege and opportunity in the course of four lectures which were given during October and November by Dr. Bernard Iddings Bell on the Development of Religion. These lectures have been an exceptional mental as well as spiritual stimulus. Our Auxiliary is deeply indebted to Dr. Bell.

On November 16th a sale of articles from the mission field was held by the Auxiliary at St. Stephen's Parish House. Articles came from Porto Rico, China, the Philippines, the Negro and Indian Missions and from the Southern mountains. Receipts from the sale were \$307.50. This money is always sent back to the mission fields from which the articles come.

It is with deep regret that I report the resignation of Miss Julia Downing our Assistant Educational Secretary who has served faithfully in this capacity since 1922. We shall miss her.

After six years of service as our Provincial Representative on the Executive Board, Miss Marguerite Ogden's place was filled last October by Miss Mary Louise Pardee. Your diocesan board sent a resolution of thanks and appreciation to Miss Ogden for her interesting work in the service of Province I, during the past six years.

Board meetings have been held every month during the year with the exception of July, August and October.

Three new branches have been formed in our diocese this year. I think we all feel a very special joy that one of these is a branch at St. Elizabeth Home.

Church people feel a close bond no matter in what corner of the earth. Last spring the Rhode Island branch of the Woman's Auxiliary sent greetings to the synod held in Wuhu, China.

May we feel more and more this universality of our common Christian faith and once again this new year affirm our loyalty to the Mission of the Church.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA C. MEADER.

ANNUAL REPORT OF TREASURER

*Rhode Island Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary in
Account with Mary Chew Miller, Treasurer
January 1, 1934 to January 1, 1935*

Receipts

Balance on hand January 1, 1934.....	\$ 610 19
Rebates and refunds on Chapel Fund, wool bills, etc....	267 50
Interest on Pierce Bequest	720 00
Interest on Coggeshall Bequest	525 00
Interest on Peckham Fund	32 50
Interest on Clarke Bequest	63 24
Interest on Brown Bequest	162 50
Interest on Carrington-Ames Memorial Fund.....	1,287 87
Interest on Brewer Bequest	30 87
Interest on Fish Fund	16 25
Interest on Waterman Fund	17 64
Interest on Lippitt Bequest.....	16 25
Interest on Cranston Fund	65 00
Special Donation from Miss Dwight.....	25 00
Offering at Annual Meeting.....	108 98
Offerings at Spring and Fall Quarterly Meetings.....	132 69
Total Receipts	\$ 4,081 48

Expenditures

Monthly Bulletins	\$	15 87
Mary E. Wiggins, stenciling Bulletins		78 25
Rent, Diocesan Headquarters		150 00
State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations.....		2 00
Provincial Assessment		20 00
Federation of Women's Church Societies.....		4 00
Indian Rights Association		2 00
Revenue Stamp Tax		1 86
Miscellaneous, speaker's expenses, specials, etc.....		136 55
Printing, postage, etc.		53 65
Printing Annual Report		143 66
Collins & Aikman, wool		251 50
Grace Lindley, Executive Secretary		25 00
Supply Department		77 36
Educational Department		148 24
Assistant Treasurer, for Foreign, Indian and Colored Departments		577 41
Anne T. Vernon, for Social Worker.....		125 00
Chapel Fund, Arcadia		420 11
Florence L. Everett		10 00
National Missionary Deficit		100 00
United Thank Offering		152 00
Archdeacon Baskerville, South Carolina.....		25 00
Church Army		150 00
Church Institute for Negroes		50 00
Christ School, Arden, North Carolina		50 00
St. Paul's School, Lawrenceville, Virginia.....		25 00
Canon Bernard Iddings Bell.....		50 00
Reverend Barrett P. Tyler, Ethete, Wyoming		50 00
Deaconess Trask		25 00
Right Reverend Granville Gaylord Bennett.....		50 00
John W. Wood		50 00
Reverend William B. Everitt, III, Marshall, Virginia		50 00
Reverend Walworth Tyng		50 00
Elise G. Dexter		50 00
Mary W. McKenzie		75 00
St. Andrew's School, Barrington		25 00
Retiring Fund for Deaconesses.....		50 00
Bishop Tuttle Training School		25 00
Arizona Health League		50 00
St. Andrew's School, Tennessee		50 00
Holy Cross Liberian Mission		100 00
Kuling School, China		25 00
Total Expenses	\$	3,569 46
Total Receipts	\$	4,081 48
Total Expenditures		3,569 46
Balance on hand January 1, 1935.....	\$	512 02

Permanent Funds

Carrington-Ames Memorial Fund	\$39,626 66
Charlotte Brewer Bequest	950 00
Mrs. John Carter Brown Bequest.....	5,000 00
Jennie Clarke Bequest	1,945 97
Clara Lippitt Cranston Fund	2,000 00
Sarah Fish Fund	500 00
Sarah L. Lippitt Bequest	500 00
Eliza Almy Peckham Fund	1,000 00
Mrs. Daniel Albert Pierce Bequest	10,000 00
Emily Waterman Fund	542 75

THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

Balance, January 1, 1934—\$5,258.99.

Between that date and October 8th we added by contributions and interest on account, \$4,404.44. On October 11th at our Triennial Service in Atlantic City, as your representative I presented the sum of \$9,663.43 as the Thank Offering of the Women of the Church in Rhode Island.

Since October, I have received \$15.05, which is the balance January 1, 1935.

The total amount of the Offering made by the women of the whole Church at the Triennial Service was \$789,561.13. Because this sum was so much less than we had previously given, it was voted that no part of it should be used during this Triennium for building purposes, but that it should be used for the salaries, pensions and training of U.T.O. workers.

We did not pass a detailed resolution to govern the use of the Offering of 1937, but we did resolve:—"That in these next three years the United Thank Offering be held before the women of the Church with more zeal than ever before as an ideal expression of their personal devotion and gratitude to the living Christ, and as a means of forwarding the missionary work of the Church through well equipped women."

We further resolved to study the United Thank Offering and its possible use during the next three years. It is my hope that we may start such study here in this diocese now. I want a group of women in each parish to act as a United Thank Offering Committee with the Parish Custodian. The aim of such a committee would be to spread information and make sure that every

woman in her parish knows what the United Thank Offering really is.

Just after an Offering has been presented there is apt to be a "let down," and our Blue Boxes are neglected for a time. Let those of us who have done this begin now to remember our every day blessings and as we drop our coins into the box let us think of what the letters U. T. O. may stand for. *Us, Thee, Others: Unto The Outermost.* Thus may our U.T.O. be truly a United Thank Offering, given by Us to Thee, oh Lord, for Others, and may it reach even unto the Outermost.

Respectfully submitted,

AMY L. M. THORNLEY

REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY

From time to time I hear of meetings in the interest of missions,—lectures, talks, readings, plays,—which are not reported to me. That this report may fully represent your activities, it is necessary for me to know and put on record such meetings. At the same time it is a pleasure to realize that most parishes do include an educational part in their programs.

During this past year this Department has been immensely stimulated by the kindness and co-operation of Canon Bell. He is ever ready to give himself to the cause. There has been more buying and reading of religious books,—an awakening to the worship of God by the mind as well as heart. The course of lectures which Canon Bell gave this last autumn at the Cathedral under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary is to be published by Harpers in February. I hope many will buy and read this book. Also this autumn a very inspiring Institute was held, when Dr. Sherman and Dr. Nash were the speakers. The "Flying Squadron" in the interest of the present great needs of the Church spent three days in Rhode Island. It consisted of three members,—a Bishop, Priest and Auxiliary representative.

The Lenten classes, with the subject "Christ and the Modern World," held a vital interest for everyone. Classes and discussion groups took up different phases of the subject.

It has been a year of progress in many directions.

MARIEN L. O. EMERSON,
Educational Secretary

REPORT OF THE SUPPLY DEPARTMENT SECRETARY

The work of the Supply Department in the last year has been most satisfactory, as far as the making and buying of the new garments; but we are sadly lacking in second-hand clothing, money for parcel post, and dispensary supplies, which are just as necessary as the new work. The large number of rummage sales in the churches has considerably reduced the amount of second-hand usually sent to our Missions. I feel very strongly that every department of the R. I. Woman's Auxiliary should be self-supporting. A deficit could be easily avoided if every woman would be willing to give her Treasurer 5 cents a month to cover the cost of parcel post and dispensary supplies for the work of the Supply Department.

In closing I want to thank each and every member of those Auxiliaries who have done their full share of work, and co-operated with me in every way possible to make this report such a splendid one. It is a great satisfaction and inspiration to work with such a splendid body of women.

MISSIONS, SCHOOLS, HOSPITALS AND STATIONS

BOXES

25	Elizabeth House, White Bluff, Tenn.....	\$ 949 70
35	St. Paul's Chapel, Amherst, Va.	750 29
17	St. Bartholomew's, Savannah, Ga.	389 14
18	St. Elizabeth, White Rock, Utah.....	395 00
	Gangchow Mission, Shanghai, China (check)	
	Jrs.	50 00
	Corn Creek Mission, Allen, South Dakota.....	1,727 84
	St. Mary the Virgin, Sagada, Philippines.....	38 98
	Samuel Memorial, Naytaliwande, Minn.	150 50

4	St. Mary's on the Mountain, Sewanee, Tenn. S. H. C.	28 42
4	Blessed Sacrament, Green Bay, Wisconsin, S. H. C.	57 90
4	St. Paul's and St. Jude's, Washington, N. C., C. S. H. C.	5 88
3	Dispensary Supplies	45 99
		<hr/> \$4,589 64

PERSONAL BOXES

BOXES

1	Rev. John S. Foster, Montrose, Colorado.....	\$275 46
1	Rev. John Scott, West Point, Va.....	253 09
1	Mrs. Julius H. Brown, White Earth, Minn.....	49 20
1	Rev. C. S. Ware, Memphis, Tenn.....	69 97
1	St. Stephen's Mission, Mr. David Wallis, for Yukon, Alaska	189 83
<i>To be sent in May 1935:</i>		
2	Catechists, Shields Patrick and Long Bull Paul, South Dakota	65 00
		<hr/> \$902 55
Total		\$5,492 19

Respectfully submitted,

LOUISE M. M. NIGHTINGALE

DEPARTMENT REPORTS

Foreign Department

The Foreign Department for the year 1934 was remembered by twenty-two parishes and missions out of the sixty-eight in the Diocese. This is a gain of one over last year. I am hoping we may considerably increase the number during 1935, and that every parish will consider making a contribution to this most important field of our work. To the parishes that did not forget this Department I wish to extend my grateful appreciation. I need more help from you all, as your representative, and look forward confidently to finding more friends for the Foreign Department in the coming year.

Parish Branches Contributing

St. John's, Barrington	\$ 5 00
St. Michael's, Bristol	25 00
St. Luke's, East Greenwich	10 00
St. Mary's, East Providence	5 00
Church of the Transfiguration, Edgewood.....	5 00
St. Matthew's, Jamestown	5 00
Christ Church, Lonsdale	10 00
Emmanuel, Newport	15 00
Trinity, Newport	25 00
Church of the Advent, Pawtucket.....	3 00
Cathedral of St. John, Providence	20 00
All Saints' Memorial, Providence	10 00
Church of the Messiah, Providence	5 00
Church of the Messiah, Jr. Branch.....	3 00
Church of the Redeemer, Providence	5 00
Grace Church, Providence	100 00
St. Elizabeth Home, Providence	11 25
St. Stephen's Church, Providence	10 00
Church of the Ascension, Wakefield	2 00
St. James', Woonsocket	15 00
Mrs. Arthur Lisle, East Greenwich	25 00
	\$314 25

Receipts

From 20 parishes and 1 individual	\$314 25
Special gift, Miss Dwight	25 00
Interest on invested funds.....	218 86
General Treasury to complete pledges	85 75
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	\$643 86

Expenditures

Salary of Miss VanKirk, Osaka, Japan.....	\$300 00
Church General Hospital, Wuchang, China	100 00
Harriet Ives, St. Hilda's School, Wuchang.....	40 00
Bishop Campbell's School Compound, Liberia.....	178 86
Miss McKenzie, toward teacher's salary, Liberia.....	25 00
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	\$643 86

Respectfully submitted,

JOYCE BALLARD BEATY

Domestic Department

The Domestic Department asks for a gift from every Auxiliary in Rhode Island to be designated by the giver to any spot outside Rhode Island, in the United States, where the work done is for white peoples, or you may choose any spot in any dependency around the world where our Church is at work. This is a large field and so gives a great opportunity for choice.

This year we have gifts from fifteen branches of the Woman's Auxiliary and one individual.

The November sale of articles from the Missions was a much appreciated help. We sent to Penland, N. C., \$41.95; to Grace House in the Mts. St. Paul, Va., \$21.35; to Porto Rico, \$63.30; to the Philippines, \$17.50—a total of \$144.10.

St. Mary's and Holy Cross, South Portsmouth, sent a box valued at \$21.32 to Pt. Hope, Alaska. Trinity, Newport, sent to Christ School, Arden, N. C., 42 garments valued at \$25.95. And again St. Matthew's, Jamestown, a large box valued at \$90.45 and some second-hand garments.

A letter received from one Mission says: "We are more grateful than you can know."

Parish Branches Contributing

St. Michael's, Bristol	\$ 25 00
St. Mary's, East Providence	3 00
Church of The Transfiguration, Edgewood	5 00
St. Matthew's, Jamestown	5 00
Emmanuel, Newport	10 00
St. John's, Newport	10 00
Church of The Advent, Pawtucket	3 00

Cathedral of St. John, Providence.....	10 00
All Saints' Memorial, Providence	5 00
Grace Church, Providence	100 00
Church of the Messiah, Providence	5 00
St. Andrew's, Providence	2 00
St. Stephen's, Providence	10 00
St. Paul's, Wickford	2 00
St. James', Woonsocket	30 00
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	\$225 00

Receipts

From 14 parish branches.....	\$225 00
One individual	1 00
Balance January 1, 1934.....	29 80
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	\$255 80

Expenditures

Christ School, Arden, N. C.	\$ 5 00
St. Andrew's School, Tennessee	5 00
Pt. Hope, Alaska	183 80
Bishop Rowe, special	50 00
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	\$243 80
Balance January 1, 1935.....	\$ 12 00

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE G. NEALEY

Indian Department

Interest in the Indian Department was stimulated at our annual meeting in January at Grace Church when the Rev. Barrett Tyler told of the Arapahoes at St. Michael's Mission, Éthete, Wyoming. Newport County chose this as the object of its Lenten Offering.

I had the pleasure of speaking at 8 parish branches during the year.

The Lantern Studio, Wayland Square, took the Indian laces and linens for sale, when the Junior League shop closed. We are grateful to Miss Fidler for her co-operation. From the Mission sale, I sent out \$50.00 to Oneida with 6 orders. This is a most helpful part of our work, for the Indians want to earn their living, yet they seem to appreciate more our friendliness in liking their work than the money we send.

We were interested in the Wheeler-Howard bill of reorganization for Indian administration, and sent a petition signed by the Executive Board, objecting to the backward policies of the bill. The bill was amended, taking out the worst features, and we can feel sure that our church missions have helped and do co-operate with the government for the better education of the Indians to fit them to be self-supporting.

Mrs. Webster, an Oneida, in charge of the linen and lace work, has been appointed post-mistress at Oneida, Wisconsin, passing the civil examination 100%—over five white people.

If I am not asked to come to tell you about these loyal Americans, I am going to write and invite myself, for I want you all to share in the fellowship they have for us and to know how much they need our friendship.

Parish Branches Contributing

Auburn, Church of the Ascension.....	\$ 5 00
Barrington, St. John's, advanced in 1933.....	5 00
" St. John's, individual	3 00
Bristol, St. Michael's	25 00
Central Falls, St. George's.....	10 00
East Providence, St. Mary's.....	3 00
Edgewood, Church of Transfiguration.....	5 00
Jamestown, St. Matthew's	5 00
Lonsdale, Christ Church	5 00
Newport, Emmanuel	15 00
" St. John's	5 00
" Trinity (for 1933)	10 00
" Trinity (for 1934)	10 00
Pawtucket, St. Luke's (for 1933)	2 00
" St. Luke's (for 1934)	2 00
" Trinity, Junior Branch	2 00
Providence, Cathedral of St. John	10 00
" All Saints'	5 00
" All Saints' (individual)	6 00
" All Saints', Junior Branch	3 00
" Church of the Messiah	5 00
" Church of Messiah, Junior Branch.....	3 00
" Church of Redeemer	5 00
" Grace Church	35 00
" St. Martin's	5 00
" St. Stephen's	10 00
" St. Stephen's, (2 individuals).....	10 00
Wakefield, Church of the Ascension.....	2 00
Wickford, St. Paul's (For 1933).....	2 00
" St. Paul's (for 1934).....	2 00
Woonsocket, St. James'	15 00

Receipts

Balance January 1, 1934.....	\$ 00 00
From 25 parish branches	206 00
From 4 individuals of 3 parishes.....	19 00
Interest from invested funds.....	60 60
General treasury	117 00
Newport County Lenten offering.....	177 50
	\$580 10

Expenditures

Fort Hall School, Idaho	\$100 00
St. Elizabeth's School, Wakpala, So. Dakota.....	250 00
Oneida, Wisconsin	50 00
St. Michael's Mission, Ethete, Wyoming.....	177 50
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	\$577 50
Balance January 1, 1935.....	\$ 2 60

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH HOPPIN HOFFMAN

Colored Department

The pledges to this Department have been paid fully, and our thanks are due to those faithful members of the Auxiliary who never forget. Two hundred and forty-four dollars and forty cents have been paid to the Church Institute for Negroes. The Church Institute is a group of nine industrial and academic schools which are doing a magnificent work in training Negro boys and girls for Christian citizenship and useful lives. Two hundred dollars interest from the Sarah Lippitt bequest goes to pay the salary of a teacher in a school for colored children in Tarborough, N. C. The newly-elected secretary for this Department, who enters upon her duties on January 4, 1935, is Mrs. Charles H. Merriman, Jr., 20 Cooke St., Providence.

Parish Branches Contributing

Grace Church, Providence	\$ 50 00
St. Michael's, Bristol	25 00
Trinity, Pawtucket	2 00
St. Stephen's, Providence	10 00
St. James', Woonsocket	15 00
St. John's, Barrington	5 00
Christ Church, Lonsdale	10 00
Church of the Messiah, Providence.....	8 00
Church of the Advent, Pawtucket.....	6 00
Church of the Ascension, Auburn	5 00
Church of the Transfiguration, Edgewood.....	5 00
Trinity, Newport	20 00
St. Mary's, East Providence	3 00
St. Mary's, South Portsmouth	5 00
All Saints' Memorial, Providence.....	5 00
St. Paul's, Wickford	2 00
Cathedral of St. John, Providence	10 00
St. Martin's, Providence	10 00
St. Luke's, East Greenwich	10 00

Emmanuel, Newport	15 00
St. Matthew's, Jamestown	5 00
Church of the Redeemer, Providence.....	5 00
St. Andrew's, Providence	2 00
Individual	5 00
Individual	6 00
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	\$244 00

Receipts

Balance on hand, January 1, 1934.....	\$ 00 40
Pledges from parishes	244 00
Contributions from 3 individuals	30 00
From general treasury for Rev. Milton Weston.....	149 80
Interest on Sarah Lippitt Fund.....	20 20
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	\$444 40

Disbursements

American Church Institute for Negroes.....	\$244 40
Rev. Milton Weston (St. Luke's School, Tarborough, N. C.)	200 00
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	\$444 40

Respectfully submitted,

M. L. O. EMERSON

Diocesan Department

In reviewing the year of 1934, we find among the Auxiliaries an increasing interest in the work of our Diocesan missions and institutions. On every side we have met with generous co-operation in gifts of money and supplies, and we are grateful to all who have contributed in any way to the success of the year's work.

The response to the "Penny-a-Week" or Diocesan Mission Fund has been especially encouraging, and because of this we have been able to give our missionaries greater financial aid than ever before.

Late in the winter of 1933 an effort was made to supply the boys at St. Andrew's School with heavy winter sweaters. This task has now been accomplished and seventy-two sweaters have been supplied. We have helped where we could in the other institutions, and we are pleased to record a new branch of the Auxiliary at St. Elizabeth Home.

The Guild of Compassion, under the able direction of Miss Eunice Dexter, has continued faithfully its work of assisting Father Vivian in his visitations at the State Institutions, and deserves the prayerful support of every woman in the Auxiliary in its most important task of bringing cheer, comfort and a spirit of friendliness to those less fortunate than ourselves.

In the summer of 1933 the Diocese purchased a piece of property in the village of Arcadia to be used as a mission, and the women of the Auxiliary undertook the raising of funds necessary to remodel a portion of the building as a chapel, to be known as the Chapel of the Transfiguration. In February the Diocese was saddened by the news of the sudden death of the Reverend George

N. Holcomb, our missionary in the rural field, and as Mr. Holcomb had felt for some time that Arcadia should become the center of missionary activity in that area, and as the work there was very near to his heart, it was thought fitting that we should give the new chapel in his memory. Immediate response to an appeal for money came from many parishes, and work on the building was started during the past summer. Although not completed the Chapel is being used, and we look forward with confidence to its ultimate consecration to the Glory of God, and in loving memory of a life given in devoted service to our Lord, and to his Church.

Parish Branches Contributing

	Designated Gifts	Penny-a-Week	Chapel Fund	Val. of Supplies
All Saints. Pontiac		\$ 5 81		
All Saints Memorial, Providence.....	\$ 5 00	10 20	\$ 32 42	\$105 52
Calvary Church, Pascoag		91	5 00	
Cathedral of St. John, Providence	10 00	13 51	30 00	177 37
Chapel of the Transfiguration, Arcadia			100 00	
Christ Church, Coventry		1 89	21 25	3 50
Christ Church, Lonsdale		5 00	8 00	8 00
Christ Church, Providence				
Christ Church, Westerly			5 00	5 00
Church of the Advent, Pawtucket.....				
Church of the Ascension, Auburn	20 00	5 00	5 00	
Church of the Ascension, Wakefield...	20 00		20 00	
Church of the Epiphany, Providence...		5 46	20 00	
Church of the Good Shepherd,				
Pawtucket				10 00
Church of the Messiah, Providence.....	10 00	10 00	5 00	395 70
Church of the Redeemer, Providence...	5 00	20 15	15 00	95 50
Church of the Saviour, Providence.....			5 00	
Church of the Transfiguration,				
Edgewood		3 00	5 00	
Emmanuel Church, Manville		5 00		10 00
Emmanuel Church, Newport	15 00		15 00	
Grace Church, Providence	5 00	40 17	50 00	
Grace Memorial, Phillipsdale		5 00		6 00
Holy Trinity, Tiverton				
Saint Alban's, Centerdale			5 00	

	Designated Gifts	Penny-a- Week	Chapel Fund	Val. of Supplies
Saint Andrew's, Harris		5 00	5 00	5 00
Saint Andrew's, Providence	25 00	6 00	7 00	7 00
Saint Barnabas, Apponaug			5 00	
Saint Columba's, Middletown		12 00	13 00	95 00
Saint Elizabeth's Home				
Saint George's, Central Falls			20 00	
Saint George's, Newport		8 00	10 00	
Saint James', North Providence				
Saint James', Woonsocket	115 00		10 00	133 43
Saint John's, Barrington	60 00	3 40	5 00	15 00
Saint John's, Newport		12 00	5 00	26 00
Saint Luke's, East Greenwich			70 00	2 90
Saint Luke's, Pawtucket		2 00	20 00	
Saint Mark's, Warren			10 00	
Saint Martin's, Pawtucket				
Saint Martin's, Providence	10 00	18 90	40 00	
Saint Mary's, East Providence	5 00	10 40	10 00	8 00
Saint Mary's and Holy Cross, South Portsmouth			10 00	
Saint Mary's, Warwick Neck			5 00	57 00
Saint Matthew's, Jamestown		11 50	50 00	33 30
Saint Matthew's, West Barrington			2 50	
Saint Michael's, Bristol	65 00	26 45	50 00	66 50
Saint Paul's, Pawtucket			10 00	99 00
Saint Paul's, Portsmouth				51 60
Saint Paul's, Providence		9 35	36 00	4 50
Saint Paul's, Wickford		10 00	5 75	
Saint Peter's, Manton			5 00	
Saint Peter's, Narragansett			10 00	
Saint Philip's, Crompton		7 58	15 00	29 50
Saint Stephen's, Providence		55 69	122 81	78 25
Saint Thomas', Greenville			2 00	
Saint Thomas', Providence				
Trinity, Newport		13 46	15 00	83 89
Trinity, Pawtucket		2 00	15 00	48 45
Trinty, Pawtuxet			2 00	
Trinity, Pawtuxet			2 00	
Diocesan Board			100 00	
Anonymous			20 00	
Bank Interest			3 21	
Total	\$370 00	\$344 83	\$1,055 94	\$1,660 91

Receipts

Balance on hand, January 1, 1934.....	\$ 7 28
Designated for special purposes	370 00
"Penny-a-week" or Diocesan Mission Fund.....	344 83
Total	\$722 11

Expenditures

Designated Gifts:

St. Andrew's Industrial School	\$140 00
St. Elizabeth Home.....	55 00
St. Mary's Home for Children.....	105 00
Seamen's Church Institute.....	65 00
Deaconess Elizabeth Trask	5 00
"Penny-a-Week" or Diocesan Mission Fund:	
Rev. John H. Wright for work in rural districts..	89 00
Deaconess Elizabeth Trask for work in Arcadia..	99 00
Rev. Herbert J. Dowling for work at Wallum Lake	99 00
The Silent Mission	25 00
St. Mary's Home for Children, (Memorial Birth- days of Mrs. Ames and Mrs. Slocum)	10 00
Rev. Frank Hallett.....	10 00
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	\$702 00
Balance on hand January 1, 1935.....	\$ 20 11

Respectfully submitted,

GEORGIA WRAY

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE JUNIOR AUXILIARIES

Having been re-elected chairman of the Central Committee of the Junior Auxiliaries, I have this second opportunity of reporting their activities over a year's time. Were I permitted to go into the parish activities of the eight Junior branches, I could relate a much wider scope of work in which they participate. Their obligations to their individual parishes often equal their duties to the Woman's Auxiliary proper, but these added opportunities to assist the home church have been cheerfully undertaken along with the routine Auxiliary work of sending out prayer leaflets three times a year to the shut-in intercessors, assisting at the yearly Mission Sale, fulfilling their quotas of Supply Dept. work, knitting, and visiting the "shut-ins" and the sick.

In April, the Junior Auxiliaries as a unit held a bridge and dance to raise money for supplies for Mahan School dispensary in Yangchow, China. The results of this endeavor were two-fold,—bringing the Juniors into close affiliation, and accomplishing the special object for which it was undertaken, as excerpts of a letter from Mrs. Ancell, head of the dispensary, testify:—

"The check for \$50 gold was received at our Mission. This morning the money has been turned over to me, and amounts to \$142 Mexican. This sum will be a splendid help in my work and enable me to get some much needed supplies, and also help take care of some of the sick, who need to be sent to hospital for special examinations, for which they are unable to pay. I am so grateful to the Juniors of the Rhode Island Woman's Auxiliary for their efforts, and feel sure could they know how each dollar will bring relief they would be glad for this effort on their part."

This fall a letter of greeting was sent to a newly formed Junior Auxiliary in Bishop Mosher's Cathedral in Manila, Philippine Islands, and we are awaiting a reply and exchange of ideas from this interesting branch far across the seas.

Again this Thanksgiving the Juniors furnished heaping baskets of supplies to thirty families in rural Rhode Island. Upon the occasion of delivering them, several of our members had the opportunity of seeing Holcomb House, and were rewarded for their work and greatly inspired by this visit to the diocesan mission field and by Father Wright's fine letter, which said, in part, "If the work, time and trouble that the members of the Junior Auxiliaries took to provide dinners for the needy in the rural missions can be offset by the real happiness and satisfaction and gratitude which those dinners produced, you may rest assured it was worth while. Mrs. Wright and I drove 125 miles distributing the packages you left with us, and I have never had a happier drive. It was splendid of you not only to give so much, but to do it so carefully that we were saved all the time and trouble of selecting and packing."

There is still plenty of work for the Juniors to do this winter and spring, and it is our desire to spread our labors so that all departments of the Woman's Auxiliary may benefit by our good works. This hope could be even more certain of fulfillment were the present eight branches to be supplemented by new groups from parishes which evidently have not yet considered the advantages of a Junior Auxiliary as a constant help in the present, and as a training ground for future church workers and Woman's Auxiliary members.

Respectfully submitted,

MARION DAVIS, *Chairman,*
Central Committee

ARTICLES OF ASSOCIATION

Filed June 11, 1900

I hereby certify that Anne I. C. D. Ames, Anna B. Manchester, Delia W. Porter, Eliza A. Peckham, Jennie M. Clark, Eureka McVicar, Nancy A. Greene, Mary E. W. Arnold, Mary B. Wheeler, Elizabeth E. Andrews, Cornelia A. Upton, Rebecca P. Henshaw, Susan M. S. Crouch, Abby J. Slocum, Maria E. Stinness, Edith Macomb, and Elizabeth A. Hoppin, have filed in the office of the Secretary of State, according to law, their agreement to form a corporation under the name of Rhode Island Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, for the purpose of uniting the parishes of the diocese of Rhode Island in mission work for the Protestant Episcopal Church of the United States of America, in accordance with law, and have also filed the certificate of the General Treasurer, that they have paid into the General Treasury of the State the sum required by law.

CHARLES P. BENNETT
Secretary of State

Eleventh day of June, 1900.

Amendment to Articles of Association

Filed November 9th, 1927

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations

November 8, 1927

WE, the undersigned Officers of The Rhode Island Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, a corporation duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Rhode Island.

HEREBY CERTIFY, That at a legal meeting of said corporation, duly called for the purpose, and held in the City of Providence, in said State, on the 3rd day of November, A. D. 1927, the following amendment (x) to the Articles of Association was duly adopted by the affirmative vote of a majority of its members, viz :—

“VOTED, That the Articles of Association of this corporation be amended by changing the name from Rhode Island Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, to, Rhode Island Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council.”

Attest

MARY M. HOPPIN
President

MARY G. HENSHAW
Secretary

State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations
Office of the Secretary of State

Providence, November 9, 1927

I HEREBY CERTIFY The foregoing to be the duplicate of Amendment of the Articles of Association of the Rhode Island Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, duly incorporated under the laws of the State of Rhode Island, which together with the original was filed in this office on the ninth day of November, A. D. 1927.

Witness my hand and the seal of the State of
Rhode Island,

This Ninth day of November, in the year 1927.
(SEAL)

ERNEST L. SPRAGUE
Secretary of State

**The Rhode Island Branch
of the
Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions**

With the cordial approval of the Bishop of the Diocese, a society has been formed which hopes to include all parishes in the diocese, and asks the co-operation of all the clergy. It does not propose to change the work of any parish, but by united and sympathetic action to increase the interest in, and render more effective, the missionary work of the Church. It is hoped by this union that the smaller parishes that are able to do but little may unite with the larger, or with each other, in working; also that the larger parishes may learn of the needs of the smaller and assist them if desired.

At a meeting called by the Bishop, February 8, 1878, a Constitution was adopted, and the officers appointed.

Constitution

as amended to January 1st, 1931

I. This organization shall be called the "Rhode Island Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council."

II. Its object is to unite all the parishes in the diocese in the different branches of mission work, viz: Foreign, Domestic, Indian, Colored, Diocesan, and United Thank Offering.

III. Any woman who is a member of a parochial branch of the Woman's Auxiliary shall be a member of this organization.

IV. The officers of this organization shall be a President, a First Vice-President, a Second Vice-President, and such other Vice-Presidents, in order, as shall be elected at the Annual Meeting; a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, a Treasurer, an Assistant

Treasurer, an Educational Secretary, one or more Assistant Education Secretaries, a Treasurer of the United Thank Offering, a Supply Secretary and one or more Assistant Supply Secretaries, a Committee on Missions, and all such Honorary Officers as may be elected at the Annual Meeting. The Executive Board shall fill all vacancies which may occur between Annual Meetings.

V. The business of the organization shall be transacted by an Executive Board consisting of the officers of the organization.

VI. This society shall hold an annual meeting in January for the purpose of electing officers for the ensuing year, hearing the reports, and transacting all other business. Meetings shall be held at stated intervals in different parishes. Special meetings may be called by the President, or upon the request of three members.

VII. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings, and to have general knowledge of the work that is in progress. A Vice-President shall preside in her absence.

VIII. It shall be the duty of the Recording Secretary to keep a record of all meetings, and an account of the work done by the women of the diocese, as reported by the department secretaries, and to report this annually to the secretary of the "Woman's Auxiliary" in New York.

IX. It shall be the duty of the Corresponding Secretary to conduct all the correspondence of the Society, and to send notices of all meetings.

X. The Treasurer shall receive and disburse all moneys sent to her for any branch of missionary work, and for the expenses of the Society, and shall present a report at the annual meeting.

XI. Fifteen persons shall constitute a quorum at the annual meeting, and five at any board meeting.

XII. This Constitution may be altered or amended at any annual meeting by a two-third vote of the members present ; due notice having been given all parish branches.

