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## Prayers

### THE PRAYER FOR THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

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.

### NOON-TIDE 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 upon Thee and be saved, through Thy mercies and merits, who livest and reignest, with the Father, and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. AMEN.

### PRAYERS FOR THE CHURCH

Inflame the Church of our day, O Lord, with love for Thee and obedience to Thy will, that we may freely give of ourselves and our substance for the building up of Thy Kingdom everywhere. Fill with love, joy and peace our missionaries at home and abroad. Increase our laborers, multiply our givers, enlarge our gifts, that we may honour Thee and win mankind to a sincere following of Christ, through the same Jesus Christ our Lord. C. H. B.

O Thou, who hadst not where to lay Thy head, awaken Thy Church from all false security and ease, from all weak reliance upon the stability of things in Thy sight unstable, and set it once more upon the pilgrim's road.

If it has been stayed upon mere privilege, forgive. If it has made flesh its arm, forgive. If it has had respect of persons rather than love of Thee, forgive. If it has delayed and tarried when it should have hastened; if through folly or fear it has been slow to believe all that the prophets have spoken; if its heart has grown cold, or its aims unworthy; (if through disunion or strife it has crucified Thee afresh and thwarted Thy holy purposes) let that time, O Lord, be passed forever. For surely Thou didst say: "a little while and ye shall see me." Behold us all, so wearied of our blindness, and awaiting again the one great gift of sight.

—From "A Treasury of Prayers and Praises for Use in Toz H."

### A PRAYER FOR THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

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

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## PRAYER OF THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

Bless, O Lord, we pray Thee, the Church Periodical Club, that it may be an instrument of service in Thy hands. Grant to its officers wisdom and patience, to its members perseverance and the spirit of sharing that asks no return. Bring many more to take part in its activities. Bless our gifts and those who receive them, to the enriching of individual lives and to the growth of Thy Kingdom, throughout the world, through Jesus Christ, our Lord. AMEN.

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*All members and friends of the Church Periodical Club are asked to make the first Sunday in May of each year a day of remembrance, praying especially at the Holy Communion that the workers may have faith and perseverance, and the work be a means of bringing many into the Kingdom of God.*

## DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

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## THE DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

The Diocesan Assembly of the Daughters of the King of Western New York was organized by Bishop Ferris in the fall of 1914. It was reorganized in 1932 as the Diocesan Assembly of the Daughters of the King of the Episcopal Diocese of Rochester. In this diocese there are four chapters and about 125 members.

The Daughters of the King is a national Order of women communicants of the Episcopal Church of fifty years' standing. Its sole aim is the extension of Christ's Kingdom among women, and the strengthening of the Church's spiritual life. Its two rules are, prayer and service. On the devotional side, the Order sponsors daily Bible readings, more regular and better prepared attendance at Holy Communion and family prayer. On the side of service, the members give help in all possible ways to the needy, make calls on the sick, and in institutions, and give loyal aid at all times to the rector to whom the chapter owes its allegiance, as he shall see fit for the furthering of the work of the parish.

Beside the local chapter meetings, the Diocesan Assembly holds two each year, a business meeting in the fall and a devotional meeting in the spring.

The prayer written for the Order by Bishop Ferris, and the litany written for the Order by Mrs. Alanson C. Davis, are used at all meetings.

## PRAYER

"O Almighty God, who didst accept the ministrations of believing women, and command the service of her who did what she could: vouchsafe, I beseech Thee, to keep me, and all Thy Daughters from weakness of faith, and fill me with the simplicity that is in Christ. Make me kindly in thought, gentle in word, and generous in deed. Let me never attempt any task without holding Thy hand, and do Thou in mercy help me, even when I seem to forget Thee. May my prayers bring confidence and my desires hold me closely to Thee; and may I be diligent in the extension of Thy Kingdom by bringing others to Thee. Through Jesus Christ, our Lord. AMEN."

## LITANY

"O Heavenly Father, Who art ever near to those who seek Thee in prayer; for our privilege of living close to Thee; for the help and strength available to use when we ask of Thee:

*Response:* We praise and bless Thy glorious name.

For the power to help others by our prayers; for the comfort and consolation of knowing that we can put our dear ones in Thy care; for the communion through Thee with loved ones not in this world:

*Response:* We praise and bless Thy glorious name.

For our privilege of prayerful participation in great movements in the Church; for our opportunities to share in the work of our own parishes through prayer;

*Response:* We praise and bless Thy glorious name.

O Lord Jesus Who didst live close to Thy Heavenly Father, and Who didst teach Thy disciples to pray, teach us to pray for those things which are unselfish, fine and of eternal value;

*Response:* We beseech Thee to hear us, O Lord.

That we may live so close to Thee that Thy radiance and power, Thy gentleness and strength, Thy humility and greatness may become a part of our lives;

*Response:* We beseech Thee to hear us, O Lord."

## GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

### DIOCESAN OFFICERS

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## THE GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

The Girls' Friendly Society celebrated its Fiftieth Anniversary as a diocesan organization in 1932. At the Jubilee Celebration in Rochester in May over six hundred girls and women were present from the Diocese of Western New York and the Diocese of Rochester.

The Object and Rule of the Society explain its character: "The Object of the Girls' Friendly Society is to unite for the glory of God, in one fellowship of prayer and service, the women and girls of the nation to uphold the Christian standard of honor and morality." The Central Rule is: "The Society holds that the moral integrity of womanhood is essential to Christian civilization; it therefore admits and retains in membership those who pledge themselves to uphold the Christian standard of purity in thought, word, and deed, striving to grow in fellowship and character."

There are 16 branches in the Diocese of Rochester. Women of the Church act as Associates, but any girl, whether a member of the Church or not, is eligible for membership. Girls under twelve form a special group, the Candidates, while the Members are usually divided into groups according to age and interest. Senior members are those over eighteen who have been members for more than five years.

The Holiday House at Conesus Lake, which is held jointly by the Diocese of Western New York and the Diocese of Rochester has a large number of guests each summer, and a remarkable piece of social service work is carried on there. A gift in memory of Mrs. Holmes B. Stevens allows many young girls to have restful, delightful vacations, besides helping materially in time of illness.

*The Record*, the national magazine of the Society, provides excellent program material for the branches along lines of social service, missionary efforts, personal religion, character development and special problems of girls. The chief emphasis in the programs is that of service, bearing out the Motto of the Society which is "Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfill the law of Christ."

#### PRAYER

O Lord our Heavenly Father, we beseech Thee to bless us and all who belong to the Girls' Friendly Society. Strengthen and protect us by Thy fatherly love, and vouchsafe to us the guidance of Thy Holy Spirit. Help us all to bear one another's burdens, and to live not for ourselves but for others as members of one family in Christ. Cleanse us from our sins; make us holy by the indwelling of Thy Holy Spirit; and bring us all at last to the joy of Thy Heavenly Kingdom; through Jesus Christ, our Lord.

#### COPY OF THE PROVISION IN THE WILL OF MRS. HORTENSE C. NELSON

*Ninth*: I give and bequeath to the president for the time being of that branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions which is established in that part of the Protestant Episcopal Diocese of Western New York in which the City of Geneva, New York, is situated, the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500), in trust, the income to be used for a scholarship in one of the summer schools of the Province in which said Diocese of Western New York belongs, such scholarship preferably to be assigned to a member of Trinity Parish, of Geneva, New York. If the summer schools of said Province are abandoned, the said income is to be used for whatever purpose the said president of the Woman's Auxiliary for the time being may think best.

## CALENDAR

### CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB DAUGHTERS OF THE KING GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

#### JANUARY

- 3 C.P.C. Meeting of Secretaries.
- 6 W.A. Meeting of Educational Committee.
- 7 G.F.S. Executive Committee Meeting, Geneva.
- 11 W.A. Annual Meeting, Church of the Ascension, Rochester.
- 24 D. of K. Evening, Devotional Meeting with Bishop Ferris, Christ Church Parish House, Rochester.

#### FEBRUARY

- 2 W.A. Educational Intensive Day  
A. M.: Re-Thinking Missions and Methods. P. M.: China and the American Indian. St. Paul's, Rochester.
- 5-19 G.F.S. Diocesan money-raising project. Bishop Booth's Mission in Geneva.
- 7 C.P.C. Meeting of Secretaries.
- 8 W.A. 3 p. m. Meeting of W. A. of Rochester Deanery at Christ Church; speaker, Rev. A. Abbott Hastings, missionary to the Arapahoe Indians at Ethete, Wyoming.
- 9 W.A. Southeastern Deanery meeting. Speaker, Rev. A. A. Hastings.
- 10 W.A. Genesee Valley Deanery meeting. Speaker, Rev. A. A. Hastings.
- 11 W.A. Northeastern Deanery meeting. Speaker, Rev. A. A. Hastings.
- 28 D. of K. Evening, Devotional meeting with the Rev. Mother Superior of the Sisters of St. John the Divine of Toronto.

#### MARCH

- 3 World Day of Prayer.
- 7 C.P.C. Meeting of Secretaries.

#### APRIL

- 1 G.F.S. Quiet Day, St. Andrew's, Rochester.
- 4 C.P.C. Meeting of Secretaries.
- 6 W.A. Ten days before Easter all missionary boxes must be sent to institutions.

#### MAY

- 2 C.P.C. Meeting of Secretaries.
- 12-13 G.F.S. First Annual Council Meeting.
- 13 G.F.S. Senior Club Annual Meeting.
- 13 C.P.C. Corporate Communion.
- 13 U.T.O. Day of Prayer.
- 16 Second Joint Meeting of the Women of the Church.

#### JUNE

- 4 U.T.O. Presentation.
- 4-11 Octave of Prayer for Church Unity.
- 6 C.P.C. Meeting of Secretaries.
- 28 G.F.S. Holiday House Picnic.

#### JULY

- 3-10 G.F.S. National Council Meeting, Los Angeles, California.

## MINUTES OF ANNUAL MEETING

The first annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Rochester was held at the Church of the Ascension, Rochester, January 11, 1933. Holy Communion was celebrated at nine o'clock by the Rt. Rev. David Lincoln Ferris, Bishop of Rochester, assisted by Rev. Wm. C. Compton.

Mrs. J. W. Denness Cooper, Diocesan President, opened the business session at ten o'clock with a brief prayer. A cordial welcome to the delegates was given by Mrs. Compton for the Church of the Ascension.

As the Minutes of the Primary Convention had been printed in the Year Book it was voted that the reading of the minutes be omitted and that they be approved as printed.

The president called for reports of officers, the treasurer, Mrs. Benedict, being first. Motion was made and carried that the auditor's report of the treasurer's report be accepted. The budget for 1933 was presented by Mrs. Benedict, and the items in the administration account were accepted by vote. The following quota items were considered, the first three being old projects and the last two new:

1. Work in Santo Domingo.....	\$ 300.00
2. Good Shepherd Mission, Ft. Defiance, Ariz.....	300.00
3. All Saints' Mission, Bontoc, P. I. ....	300.00
4. Hudson Stuck Mem. Hospital, Ft. Yukon, Alaska. .	200.00
5. Hua Chang (Central China) College .....	200.00
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Total .....	\$1250.00

Mrs. MacMahon was called on to read a letter showing the work and needs of the Hudson Stuck Hospital, and Mrs. Harper Sibley spoke eloquently of the splendid work of the Central China College, an outgrowth of Boone University, now a union college for men and women supported by five churches.

The first three projects were voted on and accepted as a unit, while the last two were adopted by roll call of parishes upon a motion that the remaining \$400 of the quota funds be divided equally between Hudson Stuck Hospital and Central China College.

Mrs. Cooper made the announcement that the Auxiliary had received a legacy of \$500 from Mrs. Henry W. Nelson, widow of a former rector of Trinity Church, Geneva.

Mrs. Whitmore, Supply Secretary, gave a most interesting report of the work of her committee. Boxes valued at \$3,160.44 had been sent during the year.

Mrs. Boswell, United Thank Offering Treasurer, reported a diocesan total to date of \$3,521.71. As her report had been audited, the auditor's report was accepted.

Mrs. Jameson gave a stimulating report of the educational work, and Mrs. Milton Chapman of the Girls' Friendly Society reported for the Program Committee, showing the constructive work which that committee has been able to do the past year.

Mrs. Stebbins, chairman of the committee for the revision of the Constitution and By-Laws, presented her report. The recommendations of the committee as to order of procedure were adopted. Consideration was given first to the sections, six in number, about which free discussion was desired. These were: Art. II, Sec. 5, and Art I, Sec. 6 of the By-Laws, and Art. IV, Sec. 12, Art. V, Sec. 1, and Art. II, of the Constitution. Mrs. Stebbins presented each section, moving its adoption, and after discussion the roll of parishes was called by the secretary. The recommendation of the committee was accepted in each case.

Noon-day Devotions were led by Miss Helen C. C. Brent, Diocesan Devotional Secretary.

Miss Agnes Hamilton, social worker of the Church Extension Society of Rochester, gave a comprehensive picture of the work of the society and of her own experiences. It is distinctly missionary work, carrying as it does our Lord's message of love wherever it is needed, but particularly in the institutions of the city and county. It provides spiritual ministrations, sympathy and friendship, and social service where necessary.

At 12:30 the meeting adjourned for luncheon, served by the ladies of the Church of the Ascension.

The afternoon session was opened by the president and hymn 482 was sung, followed by a prayer. Mrs. Stebbins was then called to continue the presentation of the constitution. On motion it was voted that the section-by-section voting should be *viva voce*, the final vote on the adoption of the constitution as a whole by roll call of parishes.

Mrs. Stebbins read the constitution section by section, action being taken in the following instances:

Art. IV, Sec. 10—Motion, that word "chairman" be substituted for "treasurer." Carried.

Art. IV, Sec. 11—Motion, that word "president" be substituted for "Executive Committee." Lost.

Art. V, Sec. 1—Motion, that officers be elected for term of one year. Lost.

Art. V, Sec. 3—Motion, that word "majority" be substituted for "plurality." Lost.

Art. VI, Sec. 6—Motion, that "budget and financial policy" be omitted. Lost.

A motion that the Executive Committee prepare a budget and submit it to the Annual Meeting was carried.

Art. VI, Sec. 8—Motion that nine members constitute a quorum instead of seven, was not seconded.

After reading the Constitution, Mrs. Stebbins moved the adoption of the Constitution and By-Laws as revised by the committee. On roll call of the parishes the Constitution was accepted, and the committee given power to edit the galley proof, and to have it printed. On motion a vote of appreciation was given to the committee for the successful completion of its arduous task.

Mrs. Cooper asked the pleasure of the meeting in regard to the disposition of the offering of the day. A motion was made that the offering be sent to Miss Augusta Peters, St. Luke's Hospital, Tokyo, (one of our diocesan Quota objectives), but a substitute motion was adopted, that two-thirds of the offering be sent to Miss Peters and one-third to the Rochester Church Extension Society.

A telegram from the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Western New York, congratulating us on our first annual meeting was read, and a motion was passed that a reply be sent to reach their annual meeting on the next day.

Our Honorary President, Mrs. P. N. Nicholas addressed the meeting in her own inimitable way. She expressed her pride that we had in our diocesan branch three members of the National Executive Board, Mrs. Sibley, Mrs. Stebbins, and Miss Brent. As her message for the year she left the thought that we should try to be just a little more spiritual, a little more industrious, a little more generous. As she closed, a wave of spontaneous and affectionate applause swept over the audience.

Owing to lack of time, Mrs. Cooper omitted her address, saying it would be printed in the Year Book. She expressed her gratitude for the cooperation of the officers in this first difficult year, and especially for the help of Mrs. Slifer and Mrs. Stebbins. As her watchword for the year she gave the word "Indomitableness."

During the singing of Hymn 492 the offering was taken. The total was announced as \$124.

Mrs. Ferris read an appeal for workers from the Volunteer Workshop of Rochester; and in her gracious way suggested that we "worry less and praise more, talk less and pray more." Miss Florence Hart also spoke briefly of the educational work of the Little Helpers.

The Chairman of the Nominating Committee, Mrs. McCoy, presented a ticket, and the following officers were unanimously elected:

President, Mrs. J. W. D. Cooper, St. Michael's Church, Genesee.

First Vice-President, Mrs. Walter B. Slifer, Christ Church, Rochester.

Recording Secretary, Mrs. Thomas D. Tennant, St. Stephen's Church, Rochester.

Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. Edwin Allen Stebbins, St. Paul's Church, Rochester.

Treasurer—Mrs. Frank G. Benedict, Church of the Epiphany, Rochester.

United Thank Offering Treasurer, Mrs. Alfred J. Leggett, St. Stephen's Church, Rochester.

#### CHAIRMEN OF STANDING COMMITTEES

Devotional Life—Miss Helen C. C. Brent, Trinity Church, Geneva.

Education—Mrs. P. Richard Jameson, St. Paul's Church, Rochester.

Missions—Mrs. Isaac V. A. Snyder, Christ Church, Rochester.

Social Service—Mrs. Malcolm Taylor, Jr., St. Paul's Church, Rochester.

Supplies and Missionary Boxes—Mrs. Walter V. Whitmore, St. Paul's Church, Rochester.

A motion was passed that the Executive Board appoint the two delegates-at-large for the Executive Board, and the delegates to the Provincial Synod; but as this motion was contrary to the provisions of the new Constitution, it was declared invalid.

Rev. Frank L. Brown, priest in charge of the work for the colored people of the diocese, made an earnest appeal for St. Simon's Mission, Rochester. The congregation has no church of its own, and in eleven years has worshipped in five different churches. It now owns a building site, and is trying to complete its building fund. Father Brown asked the cooperation of the Woman's Auxiliary in sponsoring this great missionary work within our own diocese.

Mrs. Stebbins raised the question of the fund which should take the place of the Deficiency Fund. On motion it was voted that the question should be referred to the Executive Board, with the suggestion that St. Simon's, Rochester, be added to the list of objectives being considered.

Mr. Harper Sibley, a member of the National Council, and also a member of the Laymen's Foreign Missions Inquiry, spoke on the subject, "Glimpses of Missions in the Orient." He spoke of the value of the Commission's survey to the National Council in its present task of analyzing the mission field in an attempt to meet the financial situation with which it is faced. Mr. Sibley gave us a few vivid pictures of the church in the East where the Light was burning very bright, notably in North Japan, where the church is young and enthusiastic. He told of Frances Wei, of Central China College, one of the outstanding Chinese Christians of the day, and of Bishop Azariah of North Madras, India, both of whom are "passing on the torch" in a very vital way, and accomplishing wonderful things for their countries.

The meeting adjourned to the Parish House to see motion pictures which Mr. Sibley showed and explained, following which miscellaneous business was finished.

Registration was announced as 375, representing 37 parishes.

Mrs. Snyder announced that the new Prayer Partner for the Diocese is Miss Gladys Spafford, of Splashdam Mission, Splashdam, Va.

A recommendation from the Executive Board was read:

"The Executive Board recommends that the Book of Remembrance of the Diocese of Rochester shall include the names of those who have been at any time "parish presidents, district or deanery officers, or diocesan officers." This was accepted.

Nominations for delegates-at-large to the Executive Board were made, and the following were elected: Mrs. William Charles of Hornell, and Mrs. James Case of Sodus. There being no quorum present at the end of the meeting, action

taken on the last two matters was to be referred to the parishes for ratification.

Election of delegates to the Provincial Synod was referred to the Executive Board, as under Art. V, Sec. 5 provision was so provided in case of no meeting. In this case lack of a quorum was considered as falling under this head.

After a resolution of appreciation for the hospitality of the Church of the Ascension, the meeting adjourned at five o'clock.

Respectfully submitted,

MARJORIE ROOT EDSALL,

*Recording Secretary.*

#### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS

*To the Members of the Rochester Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary:*

The Committee on the Constitution and By-Laws begs leave to report that in accordance with the instructions of the Primary Convention, the Committee sent a copy of the Tentative Constitution and By-Laws to each parish president in October, 1932, three months in advance of the Annual Meeting in January, 1933, requesting that any suggestions for revision be forwarded to the Committee by December 1, 1932. At each deanery meeting in the fall a member of the Committee presented and discussed the subject of the Constitution and By-Laws and received additional suggestions.

The women of the Diocese are indebted to Bishop Ferris for his thoughtful and helpful attention. The branches and many individual members have taken a keen interest in the organization of this diocesan branch of the Auxiliary. Some indicate entire satisfaction with the Constitution and By-Laws as they are, others desire certain definite changes in policy; some suggestions refer only to clarity or better wording. The year's experimentation has proved invaluable. The Committee presents to this first Annual Meeting a much revised Constitution and By-Laws, which represent the combined thinking and experience of the whole diocese.

We recommend first that immediate consideration be given to the revision of Art. II, Sec. 5 (Nominating Committee), and Art. I, Sec. 6 (Duty of Treasurer), in the By-Laws; Art. V, Sec. 1 (Elections), Art. IV, Sec. 12 (Executive Committee), and Art II (Object), in the Constitution. Second, that after further consideration of the Constitution and By-Laws, section by section, they be adopted as a whole as the Constitution and By-Laws of the Rochester Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council. Third, that the Committee be given power to edit the galley proof and print in final form the Constitution and By-Laws.

Respectfully submitted,

KATE H. BLOOMER, Newark

MARY E. S. FERRIS, Rochester

HATTIE HOLLANDS, Hornell

EVELYN J. PROPHET, Mt. Morris

MARY M. SLIFER, Rochester

ELIZABETH SIBLEY STEBBINS, Rochester

*Chairman.*

NOTE: Copies of the Constitution and By-Laws as adopted by the Annual Meeting, January 11, 1933, may be obtained from Mrs. Edwin Allen Stebbins, 935 East Avenue, Rochester, New York.

## PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE AND AIM

*To the officers and members of the Woman's Auxiliary:*

It is with very mixed emotions that I speak to you at the end of this the first year of our new diocese. I am sure that you feel with me great joy that we have finished this critical period with apparent success. We have missed our old workers, but are rich in the new ones we have found. We feared financial loss; instead there is gain. We feared weakness and have found strength, through cooperation with other organizations and the development of our deanery system.

It is a great regret to me that I could not accept more invitations to visit your parishes. Perhaps it was not necessary, for you already know me so well; nevertheless I have missed the opportunity to speak to you personally, and I hope this year I may be able to do so. You will learn of the interesting events of the year when you read the reports of the officers printed in the Year Book.

There are several things I wish to mention: First, the recommendations concerning the Deficiency Fund which were made to the Diocesan Council by the Program Committee, representing the women of the church. We were able in this way to be of real help in meeting a diocesan problem, as the new interpretation of part of the Quota in terms of work is partly a result of this recommendation. Second, our joint meeting in May. This was really inspiring, as you remember. We hope to have another. Third, our joint meetings with the deanery convocations. Fourth, the new report blanks. I feel sure that you are as pleased by them as we are by your ready response, fifty-two blanks having been returned out of a possible sixty-two, the best we have ever had. There still seems to be much misunderstanding with regard to what constitutes educational and social service work, and I feel that in some cases there has been little cooperation between the parish president and the officers responsible for the various forms of work. On the whole, however, there has been a decided step forward. Fifth, we have received a legacy of \$500 from Mrs. Hortense C. Nelson. The income from this is to be used to send a delegate, preferably from Trinity Church, Geneva, to a Summer School in this Province.

I must use this opportunity to tell you how faithfully your officers have served you, and to express to them my personal thanks for their help and co-operation. I could not have done the work without them. There has been so much necessary business in getting our new machinery started, so many details to consider, so many problems to solve, that it has been necessary to have seven Executive Committee meetings, one almost every month of our working year. The attendance has been almost perfect, and this of course has meant great personal inconvenience and sacrifice.

Let us now look forward and consider **our aim** for the year: 1. To continue to cooperate with other church organizations. 2. To make a special effort to interest new women in the United Thank Offering. 3. To interest young women. 4. To increase our membership through stressing the scope and diversity of Auxiliary work. 5. To arouse interest in the Good Friday Offering. 6. To spread information regarding the six Quota objectives. 7. To continue our educational program of last year, concerning international and inter-racial relations; economic conditions; family life; and modern religious thinking; 8. To cultivate above all the spirit of Christian Indomitableness.

In serving you this past year my motto has been "Hasten slowly." In the grip of new enthusiasms and inspirations there is always the temptation to undertake more than can possibly be done; in the freedom of new work without tradition or precedent to undertake too many experiments without due consideration. I have tried to lay a solid foundation on which the future years may build. Let us then go forward with these inspiring words ringing in our ears:

The new path, the hard path,

With a pack upon your shoulder,—

Oh, there are lonely places for walking men to go;

Above the scrub and boulder—

Dawn-transfigured spaces—

Stern and starlit places—And it's these that you shall know!

SOPHIA S. DENNESS COOPER.

1933 BUDGET

QUOTA ITEMS

Work in Santo Domingo .....	\$ 300.00
All Saints, Bontoc .....	300.00
Good Shepherd, Ft. Defiance, Ariz. ....	250.00
Hudson Stuck Memorial Hospital, Ft. Yukon.....	200.00
Hua Chang (Central China) College.....	200.00
A development of Boone University under Bishop Roots.	
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	\$1,250.00

ADMINISTRATION AND OTHER EXPENSES

Printing .....	\$150.00	Diocesan Educational Work...	\$ 50.00
Stationery .....	15.00	Dues } National .....	10.00
Postage .....	50.00	} Provincial .....	10.00
Annual Meeting Expense.....	75.00	Provincial Student Training...	15.00
Auditing .....	15.00	Life Insurance Premium for	
Contingent Expense .....	75.00	Bishop Graves .....	50.00
Expense for Delegates .....	100.00		<hr/>
Rent for Supply and Education- al room, at \$20.00 per month for ten months .....	200.00	Total .....	\$815.00
Less five months rent assumed by Deaneries.....			<hr/>
			\$100.00
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			\$715.00

QUOTA ITEMS .....	\$1,250.00
Administration and other expenses .....	715.00
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	\$1,965.00

PLEASE SEND

All Pledges for Quota, Administration and Quota Scholarships to:  
 (Mrs. Frank G.) LOUISE M. BENEDICT, *Dioc. Treas.*  
 214 Kenwood Avenue, Rochester, N. Y.

SCHOLARSHIPS GIVEN IN 1932

Trinity Church, Geneva, St. Hilda's, Wuchang.....	\$50.00
Christ Church, Corning, All Saints Mission, Bontoc, P. I.....	50.00
Christ Church, Rochester, All Saints Mission, Bontoc, P. I.....	50.00
St. Luke's Church, Rochester, All Saints School, Sioux Falls, S. D.....	25.00
Northeastern Deanery, All Saints Mission, Bontoc, P. I.....	25.00

CAN YOUR BRANCH GIVE A QUOTA SCHOLARSHIP TO ANY OF THESE SCHOOLS?

1. All Saints School, Sioux Falls..... 25
2. St. Elizabeth's School, Standing Rock .....
3. Theological Seminary, Porto Algere, Brazil..... 50
4. All Saints Mission, Bontoc, P. I.

**TREASURER'S REPORT**

WOMAN'S AUXILIARY EPISCOPAL DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER, DEC. 31, 1932

RECEIPTS :	Quota	Admin.	Scholar- ships	Special	Total
Branches .....	\$1,164.00	\$542.50	\$175.00	\$ 1.00	\$1,882.50
Offering from Genesee Valley Deanery .....				16.00	16.00
"    " Rochester Deanery .....				200.00	200.00
"    " South Eastern Deanery .....				40.00	40.00
Gifts .....	182.50				182.50
Offering Primary Meeting .....	71.00			69.00	140.00
Deficiency Fund .....				885.40	885.40
Interest from Matilda Mary Miller					
Memorial Fund .....				89.04	89.04
North East Deanery Scholarship .....		25.00			25.00
Western New York Diocese .....	43.69				43.69
Rochester Tr. & S. Dep. Co., Interest....	14.55				14.55
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	\$1,164.00	\$854.24	\$200.00	\$1,300.44	\$3,518.68

**DISBURSEMENTS :**

Teacher Escuela del Triunfo, Mexico City.	\$ 300.00	\$ 300.00
Work in Santo Domingo .....	300.00	300.00
All Saints Mission, Bontoc, P. I.....	300.00	300.00
The Good Shepherd Mission, Fort Defiance, Arizona .....	264.00	264.00
All Saints Mission, Bontoc, 3 Scholarships		\$125.00
All Saints School, Sioux Falls.....		25.00
St. Hilda's, Wuchang, China.....		50.00
Deficiency Fund .....		\$ 885.40
To National Church for Diocesan Quota..		16.00
Deaconess Bedell, Work in Alaska.....		100.00
Hua Chang College, China .....		100.00
Bishop Cross .....		40.00
Good Friday Offering from Branch.....		1.00
Deaconess Bedell .....		23.00
Bishop Colmore .....		23.00
Bishop Graves .....		23.00
Dues .....	\$ 25.00	25.00
Rent: 31 Gibbs St. ....	210.00	210.00
Life Insurance Premium: Bishop Graves.	50.00	50.00
Administration Expense .....	259.69	259.69
Balance Dec. 31, 1932 .....	309.55	89.04
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	\$1,164.00	\$854.24
		\$200.00
		\$1,300.44
		\$3,518.68

We have examined the books, accounts and vouchers of Louise M. Benedict, Treasurer of Woman's Auxiliary of the Episcopal Diocese of Rochester, and certify that the above statement truly reflects the business transactions for the year ended December 31st, 1932.

WILSON, HEYE & SHULTS,

*Members of the American Institute of Accountants.*

December 27th, 1932.

REPORT OF UNITED THANK OFFERING

Bank Balance Jan. 1, 1933.....	\$ 374.14
Offerings Jan. 1, 1932, to Jan. 1, 1933:	
Southeastern Deanery .....	\$ 422.72
Northeastern Deanery .....	660.35
Rochester Deanery .....	2,003.00
Genesee Valley Deanery .....	138.09
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	\$3,224.16      3,224.16

DISBURSEMENTS:

Government tax on one cheque.....	.02
New York Draft in favor of L. B. Franklin, Treas. Nat. Council	2,850.00
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	3,224.16
Certificate of deposit, National Council 1931 .....	297.55
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Diocese of Rochester U. T. O. Fund total.....	\$3,521.71

Respectfully submitted,  
 ELIZABETH C. E. BOSWELL,  
*Treasurer.*

I, Nelson G. Clarke, having audited the above-named books, find them correct.

(Signed) NELSON G. CLARKE.

1932 DEFICIENCY FUND

GENESEE VALLEY DEANERY

Belmont	\$10.00
Cuba	10.00
Dansville	10.00
Friendship	2.00
Geneseo	10.00
Mount Morris	6.35
Wellsville	5.00
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	\$53.35

NORTHEASTERN DEANERY

Branchport	\$ 1.00
Canandaigua	15.00
Clifton Springs	31.00
Geneva—St. Peter	5.00
Geneva—Trinity	6.00
Lyons	5.00
Newark	15.00
Palmyra—St. Margaret's Guild	24.10
Sodus	6.00
Sodus Point	10.00
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	\$118.10

SOUTHEASTERN DEANERY

Addison	\$ 7.50
Bath	5.00
Catherine	3.00
Corning	20.00
Hornell	50.00
Montour Falls	5.00
Watkins Glen	25.00
Southeastern Deanery	50.00
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	\$165.50

ROCHESTER DEANERY

Brockport	\$ 5.00
Irondequoit	5.00
Pittsford	5.00
Rochester—Christ	100.00
Epiphany	10.00
St. George	15.00
St. James	10.00
St. Luke	50.00
St. Luke—Rector's Aid	5.00
St. Mark and St. John	20.00
St. Paul—W. A.	100.00
St. Paul—Arthur Mann	100.00
St. Paul—Bishop Brent	25.00
St. Paul—Fourth Chapter	25.00
St. Simon	2.50
St. Stephen	35.00
Spencerport	1.00
Individual	5.00
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	\$518.50

Genesee Valley Deanery	\$ 53.35
Northeastern Deanery	118.10
Southeastern Deanery	165.50
Rochester Deanery	518.50
Offering, Joint Meeting	29.95
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	\$885.40

ELIZABETH SIBLEY STEBBINS,  
Treas. Deficiency Fund.

#### REPORT OF SECRETARY OF SUPPLIES

This is the first report on the Supply Work in the Diocese of Rochester. It is a record you will long be proud of because every member of this Woman's Auxiliary in supply work has given much thought, loving care and valuable time to help carry out the motto of the Supply Department, "Send to others only those things you would have them send to you."

Before we became the "Diocese of Rochester" your Supply Chairman had taken for the Diocese of Western New York, an allotment for Alaska. In the division of this Diocese, we were pledged to take the larger part of this box for St. Mark's Mission, Nenana, and with our first money, \$25.00, sent from the Buffalo Supply Department, we were able to purchase many articles at wholesale. Miss Blacknall writes of the great joy and comfort brought the girls and boys by warm clothing, especially sweaters and sheep-lined leather coats. The Girls' Friendly Society made an unusual contribution, 34 branches sending in one large box, dainty layettes and other garments which were most attractive even to the last detail.

Middle River Mission in the Blue Ridge Mountains was pictured vividly for us when Miss Olmsted made her last visit here and spoke at several Auxiliary meetings. The 12 boxes sent to the Mission replenished the gingham aprons and dresses for the women and girls, to say nothing of all new under-garments that were most practical.

Mr. Deloria at Corn Creek Mission is in charge of 3 Indian parishes. He says that in spite of the times his congregations are full of spunk and the contents of our boxes of old and new clothing give them courage to face the hard winter in South Dakota.

Waverly Mills Hospital, South Carolina, is equipped with many new and necessary Dispensary articles, all bought with your Supply money. The patients were made happy at Christmas time with new and cheerful bed jackets and bathrobes, all chosen for their soft colors and in the latest styles.

St. John's Mission in the Virgin Islands has a new supply of household articles, all this being bought with your Supply money.

The 4 Missionary Boxes and 4 Family Boxes were packed and sent in time for Christmas. The Family Boxes especially, with the Christmas tags, ribbons and paper, and other personal touches were a temptation even to us at home.

The new and second-hand clothing sent by you to our Supply Bureau at 31 Gibbs Street has been sent out again in answer to emergency calls. I wish I might read you all the letters of sincere appreciation, written in response to these boxes.

On January 1st, 1932, our Supply balance in the bank was zero, but Missionary boxes continued to be packed and sent, and loyal Auxiliaries continued their financial support to the Supply Fund; and today it gives me much pleasure to report the money value of the Missionary boxes for the year 1932 as \$3,160.44.

Jan. 1st, 1933.

A. F. WHITMORE, *Supply Chairman.*

#### FINANCIAL SUMMARY OF SUPPLY DEPARTMENT

January first, 1932, cash on hand .....	\$000.00
April first, 1932, cash from Diocese of Western N. Y. ....	25.00
January first, 1932, to December 31, 1932, amount received from branches.	729.40

Total ..... \$754.40

#### DISBURSEMENTS:

Paid out for articles bought wholesale .....	\$567.80
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Freight, parcel post, etc. ....	177.88
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Janitor—Christmas .....	2.50
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\$748.18

Cash on hand Union Trust Company ..... \$ 6.22

Respectfully submitted,

A. F. WHITMORE.

## REPORT OF BUREAU OF SUPPLIES

JANUARY, 1932—DECEMBER, 1932

### I. SPECIAL ALLOTMENT FROM NEW YORK FOR FAMILY BOXES

1 box sent to Rev. J. R. Jones, North Carolina.....	\$222.18
(4 groups participating)	
1 box sent to Rev. G. B. Belsey, West Texas.....	166.78
1 box sent to Rev. H. T. Butler, South Virginia .....	122.68
(10 groups participating)	
1 box sent to Mr. H. B. Goldsmith, Idaho .....	127.54
Portions of other family boxes not completed in 1931	
1 box sent to Rev. Streibyhorn, North Dakota .....	82.51
(by 3 groups)	
1 box sent to Rev. J. K. Satterwhite, Atlanta.....	162.42
(by 8 groups)	
1 box sent to Rev. G. W. Palmer, California.....	174.75
1 box sent to Rev. R. E. McBlain, Mississippi .....	51.67
<i>Catechist Clothing 1932</i>	
Catechist Harry Renville (Indian), South Dakota.....	32.00
Catechist Soloman Slow Fly (Indian), South Dakota.....	32.00

### II. ALLOTMENT FROM NEW YORK FOR MISSIONS

12 boxes for St. Mark's Missions, Alaska .....	\$740.63
12 boxes for Middle River, Virginia .....	560.27
3 boxes for St. John's Mission, Puerto Rico .....	97.04
2 boxes for Waverly Mills Hospital, South Carolina.....	174.02
2 boxes for Pine Ridge Corn Creek Mission, S. D. ....	54.06
6 boxes for Bureau of Supplies.....	87.25
Seaman's Church Institute .....	54.75
1 for Mrs. Burke, Arkansas .....	15.00
34 branches sending one box to St. Mark's Mission from Girls' Friendly Society .....	172.89
6 Christmas boxes to women missionaries (five dollars each) .....	30.00
Miss Neblett, Cuba; Miss Selzer, China; Miss Montero, China; Miss Couch, China; Miss Bryant, Japan; Deaconess Le Hew, Neb.	
 Total .....	 \$3,160.44

### III. SECOND-HAND BOXES SENT TO:

St. Philip's Mission, Wisconsin; Bishop Holden, North Carolina; Bishop Jenkins, Nevada; Rt. Rev. E. T. Demby, Arkansas; Rt. Rev. G. E. Walker, Arkansas; St. Mark's Nenana, Alaska; St. John's Puerto Rico; Corn Creek Pine Ridge, South Dakota.

- 47 branches participating in missionary boxes.
- 2 new groups.

### IV. SOCIAL SERVICE—DIOCESE OF ROCHESTER

6 branches .....	\$666.43
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### REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY, 1932

During the year your Corresponding Secretary has sent 133 notices for the meetings of the Executive Committee, and 28 for the Program Committee. Two multigraphed letters concerning the Annual Meeting have been sent to the 61 parish presidents and to the diocesan and deanery officers, the second letter being also sent to the Bishop and clergy, to the officers of the Woman's Auxiliary of Western New York, and to the heads of women's organizations of the Diocese. Approximately 75 miscellaneous letters referred to the Secretary by the diocesan officers or committees have been sent; a total of 236 separate letters and 276 multigraphed letters.

The Year Book issued jointly with Western New York, and the Primary Convention Report were sent to the diocesan officers and to the presidents of the deaneries, who distributed them through the deaneries.

A compilation of an historical record of the diocesan, deanery and parish officers of the Rochester Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary has been begun; the changes for 1933 have been made, including all names returned on the report blanks. The memorial record for 1932 has been received for the In Memoriam page of the Year Book and for Bishop Ferris to present at the Altar.

Respectfully submitted,

ELIZABETH SIBLEY STEBBINS, *Corresponding Secretary.*

### REPORT OF THE DEVOTIONAL SECRETARY

Opening or noon-day prayers were conducted by your secretary at three Executive Board meetings. I was a speaker at one parish Auxiliary meeting. I co-operated with the World Day of Prayer by sending notices of the Day and material for use, to all branches.

Last Spring a Devotional Committee was formed, consisting of Miss Lucy Arnold of Genesee Valley Deanery, Mrs. Samuel Edsall of Northeastern Deanery, Mrs. David Densmore of Rochester Deanery, with myself as chairman. The deanery secretaries have been available for parish meetings in their own deaneries, and have been in contact with their Prayer Partners.

A meeting of devotional leaders was held on March 31st to make plans for work in the Deficiency Fund crisis. Devotional leaders of the G. F. S., Daughters of the King, and the Woman's Auxiliary were present at this meeting when it was decided to suggest to our respective organizations that the women of the Diocese (1) attend the Holy Communion on May 1st with special intentions and prayers for the work of the church; (2) that May 13th be a Day of Prayer for the women of the Diocese; (3) that the prayer written by Bishop Ferris be used at all meetings especially until Whitsunday. The Woman's Auxiliary decided to combine this day with the United Thank Offering Day, and notices were sent to all branches to that effect, with suggestions for topics for meditations.

I co-operated with Epiphany Church, Rochester, in plans for a Quiet Day in April, sending notices to all branches. Dr. William Jeffreys of the Philadelphia City Mission conducted the Quiet Day, and there was a good representation of Rochester women.

On May 24th at the invitation of the Daughters of the King, I conducted noon-day prayers at the Joint Meeting for Women in St. Paul's Church.

MRS. ALAN C. DAVIS, *Secretary.*

At the October meeting of the Executive Committee of the Diocese Mrs. Davis's resignation, owing to illness, was regretfully accepted, and I found myself changed from the Recording Secretary to Diocesan Chairman of Devotional Life for the remaining two months. The report of that time is as follows:

I have conducted noon-day prayers at one Executive Board meeting and have had printed and distributed to diocesan and deanery officers two prayers for the Church's work. This was done before the Every-Member Canvass, but they are suitable for use throughout the year.

Copies of a leaflet entitled "Intercessions for a Day of Prayer" have been sent out.

HELEN C. C. BRENT, *Secretary.*

## EDUCATIONAL REPORT FOR 1932

At the beginning of the year, our hearts and minds were filled with a desire to help in raising our Diocesan share of the Deficiency Fund of the General Church. To further this work, an Educational Committee of seventeen members was formed and through four sub-committees a set of charts, maps and illustrative posters was prepared for use throughout the Diocese. This material was used at the first meetings of the four deaneries, at the Joint Meeting of the Women of the Diocese on May 24th and has been loaned to three city and two country parishes.

Through the co-operation of Miss Alice Colby, the nucleus of a Lending Library was arranged and catalogued and placed on shelves in the Educational and Supply Room at 31 Gibbs St., Rochester. A list of these books was sent out to each branch. We hope that this Library will continue to grow not only in size, but also in value and usefulness to an ever-increasing group of readers.

A study of the informal reports which were sent to your secretary in the Spring reveals many interesting and suggestive facts.

19 Branches, of which two were evening groups, responded to the request for a report.

19 Branches had Educational Secretaries.

16 Branches reported Mission Study Classes, and of these:

10 used the discussion method.

3 presented the subject through readings.

1 reported the use of the lecture method.

13 used "Building a Christian Nation."

3 used "The Challenge of Change."

5 used the Triennial Leaflets.

7 used books from the supplementary reading list.

3 used Church magazines.

10 Branches held program meetings and reported outside speakers who addressed them on a great variety of topics.

2 Branches held joint meetings of parish organizations.

1 Branch reported a class in Church History.

3 Branches reported a series of talks on Personal Religion, in addition to Mission Study Class.

1 Branch reported a definite program and distribution of material for summer reading.

1 Branch observed the George Washington Bi-centennial.

It is interesting to note that one advanced group found the "helps" of no value. Several groups seemed to feel that "Building a Christian Nation" was a subject of greater interest and appeal than "India" or the "Jerusalem Conference" because it was not so "remote."

In connection with the Mission Study work, your secretary acted as group chairman in her own parish and, with her committee, presented her special topic before the Auxiliary of St. James.

She has addressed a joint meeting of evening branches on the "History of the American Church;" has spoken on the plans and ideals for Adult Educational Work in this Diocese at the four deanery meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary and has given talks at St. Paul's and Epiphany Church, the latter on the subject of "Youth and Religion."

In every possible way she has urged the abandonment of sporadic outbursts of educational endeavor at stated times such as Lent or Epiphany and the substitution of a continuous educational program which shall parallel our supply and social service work throughout our working year. To further this ideal it has been suggested that greater support be given to our Church Periodicals through group or individual subscription, and that each branch establish a parish book-shelf for religious literature which may inspire the individual members to start such collections for themselves. Emphasis has been laid upon the great opportunity we have in this Diocese to study the Report of the Laymen's Foreign Missions Inquiry, "Re-Thinking Missions," under the inspira-

tional leadership and wise guidance of Mrs. Harper Sibley, a member of that Commission. It has been suggested that all branches include a consideration of these findings in their study programs for 1933.

Reading lists covering the 1932-1933 topics of "China" and the "North American Indian" were sent out last Spring. Lists of suggested titles for parish or individual book shelves are now in preparation.

An encouraging number of books have been sold, not only text-books but also books of devotions, biography, and those relating to various phases of the Christian life.

Your secretary furthermore reports her attendance upon eight meetings of the Executive Board of the Woman's Auxiliary, two meetings of the Program Committee, one meeting of the Diocesan Committee on Religious Education.

Our watchword has been "Thou shalt love the Lord thy God with all thy mind." Holding this ideal, like a torch of truth before us, let us move forward with courage and faith, to do our share in the building up of the Kingdom of our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ in this our new and beloved Diocese of Rochester.

Respectfully submitted,  
NATALIE TRASK JAMESON, *Educational Secretary.*

#### REPORT OF THE MISSIONS COMMITTEE

The work of this committee is the same, or corresponds to that carried on by Miss Esther Smith in the Diocese of Western New York, and up to this date it has not been functioning as a whole, the first meeting having been called on Jan. 10th, 1933. Beside the chairman the members are as follows: from the Rochester Deanery, Mrs. Frank N. Sheard; from the Genesee Valley Deanery, Mrs. John M. Prophet, Jr.; from the Northeastern Deanery, Mrs. Edward Merritt; from the Southeastern Deanery, Mrs. W. W. VanDerhoof, and member-at-large, Miss Florence Hart.

Many of the parishes have kept up contacts with the missionaries assigned them by Miss Smith and other assignments will be made in the near future. Though some of these assignments are with missionaries from Buffalo, they are not to be turned back to them until 1934. Many individuals and parishes all over the Diocese have become interested in Miss May Hancock, a teacher at the Blue Ridge Industrial School, Bris, Va., who has been recuperating at Clifton Springs. Although the special charge of the Southeastern Deanery, her nearness to us all at this time has made her case one of general interest.

At the request of Bishop Ferris and Mrs. Cooper, the Missions Committee has arranged to sponsor a series of meetings in the Diocese in February, when the Rev. A. Abbott Hastings will be available. Mr. Hastings is a missionary to the Arapahoe Indians at St. Michael's Mission, Ethete, Wyoming.

The chairman was asked to speak of the work of this committee before the Auxiliaries of St. Paul's, Rochester, and St. John's, Canandaigua, finding a ready response to suggestions made.

It is hoped that this Committee will really accomplish something in the way of contacts, for only in that way do we learn to realize the unity of all our work, and that we should as far as possible be a spiritual support to those who represent us in the Field.

Respectfully submitted,  
JULIA B. H. SNYDER,  
*Secretary of Missions.*

## REPORT OF THE PROGRAM COMMITTEE FOR 1932

The Program Committee consists of representatives of the four women's organizations of the Church—Woman's Auxiliary, Church Periodical Club, Daughters of the King, and The Girls' Friendly Society.

The first meeting was held Thursday afternoon, March 3, 1932, in the Church Extension Rooms, 31 Gibbs Street, Rochester, New York. Mrs. J. W. Denness Cooper presided.

Plans were made for the women's part in the Diocesan Convention to be held in May. It was decided to ask all the women of the Diocese to attend the service Monday evening, May twenty-third in Christ Church, and to have all the officers of the various organizations in the procession. It was voted to hold a Joint Meeting of the women of the Church on Tuesday, May twenty-fourth, in St. Paul's Church. A sub-committee was appointed to arrange a program. The meeting was held, and was most inspiring—one which the women of the Diocese will not soon forget.

Mrs. Cooper, president of the Woman's Auxiliary, presided at 10:30 A. M. Four hundred women responded to roll call.

At 11 A. M. Mrs. Theodore Curtis, head of the Church Periodical Club, took the chair and called for a report of the four organizations. Mrs. Clifton Rodenmayer reported for the Church Periodical Club; Miss Beulah Simpson for the Daughters of the King; Miss Jean Higbie for the Woman's Auxiliary; and Mrs. U. P. Hedrick for the Girls' Friendly Society.

Mrs. P. Richard Jameson spoke on the subject, *The Church and Our Diocese*. Her talk was illustrated with charts. The Rev. Elmore McKee of Trinity Church, Buffalo, spoke on *Preparing Youth for an Age of Doubt*.

A Litany was read at noon-day. This has recently been adopted by the National Daughters of the King. It was voted at the November meeting to have this Litany made available for general use.

At the afternoon session, Mrs. Hedrick, Diocesan president of the Girls' Friendly Society, presided. Mrs. Cooper addressed the meeting, her subject being *Working Together*. Dr. Miles Carpenter of Buffalo followed. His subject was *The Family*. Mrs. Edwin Allen Stebbins, in summarizing the day, said the key words which seemed to have occurred often during the meeting were unity, cooperation, sympathy, friendliness, common purpose, and loyalty.

On November 28, 1932, in St. Paul's Parish House, the second meeting of the Program Committee was held.

Several findings as to the value of this Committee were brought out: First, that educational and devotional material should be exchanged. Second, that there should be a joint calendar showing the dates of the activities of the women's organizations. A calendar committee was appointed. Third, it was decided to hold another Joint Meeting in May 1933 on the date of the Diocesan Convention, and that a pageant or chart should be prepared depicting the work of the women of the various organizations.

The committee decided to ask the Woman's Auxiliary the privilege of having included in their Year Book for 1933 a list of officers of the Daughters of the King, the Church Periodical Club, and the Girls' Friendly Society, with the prayers and a summary of the work of these organizations. This plan has been adopted.

At the close of this last meeting it was agreed that one of the chief advantages of the Program Committee was that it could be "a voice that would speak for the women of the Diocese", and that by cooperation and understanding, greater interest in the work of the Master could be attained.

Respectfully submitted,

GRACE E. CHAPMAN,  
First Vice-President of the Girls' Friendly  
Society of the Episcopal Diocese of Rochester.

### REPORT OF GENESEE VALLEY DEANERY 1932

There are ten branches in this deanery, one new branch in Avon having been organized this year. There are no inactive branches but there are five missions which have no organized branches of the Woman's Auxiliary. There have been two meetings, one at St. Peter's Church, Dansville, in May at the time of the meeting of the general deanery, when officers and a nominating committee were appointed and officers' conferences were held; and one meeting at St. Michael's Church, Geneseo, in November, when officers were elected, and officers' conferences were held. The speakers were Mrs. Cooper, Mrs. Stebbins who spoke on the Constitution, Mrs. Jameson who spoke on educational work, Mrs. Sibley as a member of the Foreign Missions Inquiry Commission, and Miss Higbie whose subject was "What the Nurses do with their Saddle Bags in the Kentucky Hills." The offering of \$16 was given to the Diocese. The Treasurer's and Secretary's reports were read. Miss Arnold, the Deanery Devotional Secretary, was in charge of noonday devotions.

One branch in the deanery was visited by two officers at the time of organization and correspondence between the officers and parishes has helped to produce friendly contacts.

Respectfully submitted,  
EVELYN J. PROPHET, *President.*

### ANNUAL REPORT OF THE NORTHEASTERN DEANERY

There are twenty-two parishes in the Northeastern Deanery. Of these, twelve parishes have Woman's Auxiliary branches; but as Palmyra has two, there are thirteen in the deanery.

Since last January we have had one meeting of presidents of branches together with the deanery officers. This was held at the time of the deanery convocation at Canandaigua, and was for the purpose of discussing the Constitution and By-Laws for the Woman's Auxiliary of the new Diocese of Rochester, with Mrs. Stebbins and Mrs. Slifer.

On November 9th, 1932, there was held the Annual Meeting, at St. Mark's Church, Newark.

Holy Communion was celebrated at ten-thirty in the morning, by the Rev. Chas. Walker. Nine branches were represented and eighty-four members were present during the day.

Beside the business of the meeting and election of officers, there was the pleasure and inspiration of three fine talks, given generously by three Rochester women, Mrs. Harper Sibley, Mrs. Richard Jameson and Miss Higbie.

During the year, one branch was visited by the president and secretary upon invitation.

Jan. 1933.

KATE H. BLOOMER.

### REPORT OF THE SOUTHEASTERN DEANERY

The Southeastern Deanery consists of seven (7) branches. No new branches were added during the year 1932. The number of inactive branches is one—Hammondsport. The branch or mission at Avoca has ceased to exist.

The annual meeting of the deanery was held at Christ Church, Corning, November 5, 1932. The day began with the celebration of the Holy Communion by Father Lynch, assisted by Father Shepard. At the business meeting fifty members from the various parishes responded to roll call. This was followed by the election of officers for the term of one year. It was voted that the sum of \$25.00 be added to the morning collection and be sent to Bishop Cross, Spokane, Washington. After the box luncheon Mrs. Richard Jameson gave a very interesting talk on the educational program of the church, and pleaded for a wider circulation of Church literature. Mrs. Edwin Allen Stebbins gave a brief outline of the revised Constitution, which will be presented for final adoption at the annual meeting in January. Action on the adoption of Constitution and By-Laws for the deanery was deferred until after the Diocesan meeting.

At the afternoon session, Mrs. Harper Sibley brought a very inspiring message to us and our invited guests, the members of the Protestant Churches of Hornell, Bath and Corning, from her recent trip to the Mission fields in the Far East. The offering of \$60 was given to Mrs. Sibley for Central China College, as announced at the opening of the session.

The Executive Committee met December 7, 1932, at the home of the President, Mrs. Arthur S. Burrell, at Bath, and transacted routine business pertaining to the deanery.

Mrs. Burrell and the Educational Secretary, Mrs. John G. Spencer, plan to visit the various branches between the date of the annual meeting and Easter. Mrs. Spencer was our delegate at the Provincial Synod, held at Syracuse, N. Y.

The Southeastern Deanery has sustained a distinct loss in the resignation of Mrs. Walter Hollands of Hornell whose ill health made it necessary for her to give up the duties of president. It is hoped that the absence of Mrs. Hollands from the work of the deanery is but temporary, and that she will in the near future again take up the reins so ably and efficiently held by her.

The affairs of the deanery are, on the whole, in a good condition, the various members of the different branches being much interested, and willing to co-operate to the end that the work of the Church may be advanced.

ELEANOR FISH BURRELL,  
*President of the Southeastern Deanery.*

#### REPORT OF THE ROCHESTER DEANERY, 1932

The first meeting of the Rochester Deanery was held at St. Thomas' Church in Rochester on Monday, November 7, 1932. Holy Communion was celebrated by Rev. Guy H. Madara, assisted by Rev. Frank R. Fisher and Rev. Leland B. Henry. At the business session which followed a new slate of officers was elected for one year, the district officers having carried on the work until this meeting.

The treasurer, Mrs. William B. McMahon, reported a balance on hand of \$241.04 and announced that balance was a gift to the new Deanery of Rochester. The offering for the day was \$65.25.

It was voted to send \$100 to Central China College, of the Boone Foundation, another \$100 to Miss Bedell for her work in Alaska, and \$10 to Mrs. Breckenridge for her work with the Mountain Whites of Kentucky of which Miss Jean Higbie told during the day.

Mrs. A. E. Whelpley, Supply Secretary, said the total value of work for the year amounted to \$1423.07 with a balance on hand of \$99.52 which she suggested all or part be transferred to the Diocese of Rochester. It was voted to give \$75 to the Diocesan Supply Secretary, Mrs. Walter Whitmore.

The principal speaker of the day was Mrs. Harper Sibley who read and spoke from the book, "Rethinking Missions," which was about to be published. Other speakers were Mrs. J. W. Denness Cooper, Diocesan President, who conducted noon-day devotions, Mrs. E. A. Stebbins, who spoke of the revision of the constitution, and the Diocesan Quota Objectives, and Mrs. P. R. Jameson, Diocesan Educational Secretary.

A total of 208 members representing 21 branches responded to roll call, there being 27 active branches in the deanery.

The officers made eighteen visits to various branches during the year.

The resignations of Mrs. Anderson as president and Mrs. Tunmore as secretary are very much regretted by the deanery.

Respectfully submitted,

ISABELLE A. BENNETT,  
*Deanery Chairman.*



