

Annual Report

Church Women



Diocese of Tennessee

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REPORT OF THE
FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING
OF
CHURCH WOMEN
DIOCESE OF TENNESSEE

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HELD AT
NASHVILLE
JANUARY, 1923



WOMAN'S AUXILIARY
GIRLS FRIENDLY SOCIETY

DAUGHTERS OF THE KING
CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

The Fifth Annual Meeting of Church Women
in the Diocese of Tennessee will be held (D. V.)
at Trinity Church, Clarksville, January, nineteen
hundred and twenty-four.



IN MEMORIUM

RT. REV. TROY BEATTY, D. D.
Bishop Coadjutor of Tennessee

Mrs. H. E. Powell
Mrs. J. R. Cain
Miss Mary Harris Paoli
Mrs. Wallin
Mrs. Jerome Hill
Mrs. Mary C. O'Neil
Mrs. Ruth Davies
Miss Anna Claybrook
Miss Mamie Wilkerson
Mrs. Sarah Clough
Mrs. C. W. Bell
Mrs. Mary L. Rich
Mrs. B. R. Carson
Miss Sarah Tilley

Their Victory of Life is Won—Alleluia.

CHURCH SERVICE LEAGUE

DIOCESAN OFFICER

Mrs. J. L. McKoin, 2800 Oakland Avenue, Nashville, Tenn.

The Fourth Annual meeting of the Church Service League in the Diocese of Tennessee met Tuesday, January 16th, at 9:30 a.m. in St. Ann's Church, Nashville, opening with Corporate communion for all women in Church Service, celebrant, the Rt. Rev. Thomas F. Gailor, S. T. D., Bishop of Tennessee and Presiding Bishop of the Council, assisted by the Reverend Phillips S. Gilman, Rector of St. Ann's Church, Nashville. Bishop Gailor preached a powerful sermon. The renewal of vows of the Daughters of the King followed, conducted by the Reverend Phillips S. Gilman.

At 11:30, after all delegates had registered, a session of the Church Service League was held with the President, Mrs. J. L. McKoin, of the Church of the Advent, Nashville, in the chair. Mrs. Ira B. Clark, of St. Ann's Church, Nashville, made an address of welcome, which was met with a response by Mrs. Richard McCargo, of St. John's Church, Knoxville. After the introduction of visitors a financial report was read by the Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. S. C. Boyer. Noonday prayer was said by the Reverend Henry C. Salmon, Rector of St. Peter's Church, Nashville.

The proposed Bishop Beatty Memorial was presented by Mrs. W. E. Norvell, Mrs. Tyler Calhoun following with an interesting talk on the United Thank Offering. A report of the Supply Department was made by Mrs. F. W. Ring, and the Triennial was discussed by Mrs. Joseph Gibson and Mrs. Otey Walker. The meeting adjourned for luncheon.

At 4:30 Bishop Maxon gave an inspiring talk to all women in Church Service, speaking especially of his plans for missions and parishes without Rectors, and of the splendid work women might do in helping to hold these parishes together.

WEDNESDAY, 3:30 P. M.

Reports of Diocesan Convention in Christ Church were made as follows:

Church Service League—Mrs. J. L. McKoin, Nashville.
Daughters of the King—Mrs. Joseph Gibson, Nashville.
Girls' Friendly Society—Mrs. Sterling, Knoxville.
Church Periodical Club—Mrs. Harry Gerhart, Clarksville.
Woman's Auxiliary—Mrs. J. R. Wheeler, Nashville.
Bishop Guild—Mrs. Bolton Smith, Memphis.
Church Mission of Help—Mrs. R. E. Mitchell, Memphis.

THURSDAY, 3:30 P. M.

Mrs. McKoin presided over the closing meeting of the Church Service League, at which time a summary of reports of Parish Service Leagues were read by the Secretary, Mrs. Boyer, the following having sent in written reports:

Grace Church, Memphis.
St. Mary's Cathedral, Memphis.
St. Luke's, Memphis.
St. John's, Knoxville.
St. Paul's, Chattanooga.
St. Ann's, Nashville.

Mrs. McKoin asked for reports of Committees appointed.

Committee on Recommendations, Mrs. Loaring Clark, Chairman, Mrs. Charles Martin, Mrs. Harry Gerhart, reported as follows:

Your Committee on Recommendations begs to report that, after conference with Bishop Gailor, it has carefully considered the address of the Diocesan Chairman, as well as the letter sent out by Mrs. A. S. Phelps, retiring Chairman of the National Committee of the Church Service League, in which she states that the National Committee has been abolished and a Commission of men and women, representing all National organizations, as well as an "at-large" element, has been formed, under the Field Department.

Your Committee therefore recommends:

1. That the Church Service League be developed in every Parish, or Mission, consisting of both men and women representing all organizations, together with an "at-large" element.

2. That the purposes of the Parish C. S. L. shall be to co-ordinate and federate all activities, in order to prevent duplication of effort and to keep every member informed as to the work of the Church in the FIVE FIELDS of SERVICE.

3. That a Diocesan Officer of the C. S. L. be appointed whose duty it shall be to give such information to parishes as may be sent out from time to time by the National Commission.

4. That Mrs. J. L. McKoin be asked to serve as Diocesan officer of the Church Service League.

5. That this meeting of church women heartily endorse the plan of the proposed Memorial to the late Bishop Beatty, as outlined by Mrs. W. E. Norvell.

6. That the offering taken at the opening Service of Holy Communion be given as has been usual, to the United Thank Offering.

Respectfully submitted,

By the Committee on Recommendations.

MRS. CHARLES MARTIN,

MRS. HARRY C. GERHART,

MRS. W. J. LOARING CLARK.

After discussion the report was accepted.

The Committee on Courtesy, Mrs. R. E. Mitchell, Chairman, Mrs. A. J. Dodd, Mrs. J. R. Wheeler, reported as follows:

The Committee on Courtesy asks for a rising vote of thanks to the Rectors and congregations of the Parishes in Nashville for the cordial hospitality extended the women of the Church while in this city attending Diocesan Convention, 1923.

Everything possible has been done for the comfort and happiness of the gathering and we deeply appreciate the kindly attentions.

The Committee to consider plans for next annual meeting of Church Women, reported the following:

Whereas: The Women of the Church are united as an Auxiliary to the Mission work of the National Council,

Be it Resolved: That the annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council shall convene as heretofore on the Tuesday preceding the Diocesan Convention, at which time the various organizations representing any activity of the Women of the Church shall be united to give a message to the whole body assembled.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. J. R. WHEELER, W. A.
MRS. F. W. RING, W. A.
MRS. JOSEPH GIBSON, D. OF K.
MRS. S. H. BOYER, D. OF K.
MRS. J. W. MAXON, G. F. S.
MRS. STERLING, G. F. S.
MRS. HARRY GERHART, C. P. C.
MRS. MERRIWEATHER, C. P. C.

It is understood that Monday will be devoted to the Daughters of the King; Tuesday, Corporate Communion for all women and sessions of the Women's Auxiliary; Wednesday, opening service of Diocesan Convention, sessions of the Woman's Auxiliary and reports to Convention; Thursday, reports of all Women's organizations and closing sessions.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH HILTON BOYER,
Secretary-Treasurer,
Church Service League.

THE DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

OFFICERS

MRS. C. M. CHILTON, President
1747 Carr Ave., Memphis, Tenn.

MRS. JOSEPH GIBSON, Vice-President
321 Twenty-eighth Ave., West, Nashville, Tenn.

MRS. W. T. LOWRANCE, Secretary-Treasurer
Highland Ave., Buntyn, Tenn.

MRS. FELIX G. EWING, National President and Council Member
Cedar Hill, Tenn.

MISS MATILDA PORTER
Tennessee Vice-President Fourth Province
202-Twenty-third Avenue, West, Nashville, Tenn.

The Twelfth Annual Assembly of the Daughters of the King was called to order by the President, Mrs. C. M. Chilton, in St. Ann's Church, Nashville.

Mrs. R. E. Mitchell, Chairman of Credentials, reported twenty-two names from eleven chapters as duly accredited delegates, and badges were presented by Mrs. Cary Folk.

Mrs. Chilton in a few sincere words addressed the Daughters. Mrs. Gibson, our Vice-President, gave a glowing account of the Daughters' meeting at Portland, Oregon, where there were eighty-five delegates. We have about 6,000 members in our order, 491 chapters, 73 junior chapters. Mrs. Gibson told us it had been decided to place the Self Denial Fund on the Altar at a special Corporate Communion on the 2nd of February (the Feast of the Virgin Mary).

This Self Denial Fund supports two missionaries and two Bible women. Much to our regret, Mrs. Felix Ewing our National President, was unable to be with us, as she was obliged to attend a meeting of the New Commission of the Field Department on Church Service League.

A motion was made to send a message to Mrs. Ewing in New York expressing regret at her inability to be with us and wishing her God speed in her new work. Our Chairman appointed Mrs. Cary Folk to write and send the message.

Deaconess Bedell spoke of her mission in Alaska and requested all Daughters to be co-partners with her in prayer. She gave a most interesting account of Alaska and the inhabitants. Mrs. Cary Folk spoke of the co-operation with the Girls' Friendly Society and asked the Daughters' prayers as well as help in social service.

Mrs. Loaring Clark's subject was "Family Prayer, Its Effects on the Life of a Nation." Mrs. Clark deplored the fact that family prayer is so little used and suggested that the time of prayer be suited to each individual family. A motion was made that a committee be appointed to make some findings on the question, this committee to be called "The Committee of Prayer."

Mrs. Dismukes gave an account of St. Luke's Community House. All Episcopal Churches in Nashville are much interested and help in this wonderful work.

The reports were called for from the chapters, given, and accepted. The session for that day ended. The meeting adjourned to attend the address of Bishop Maxon to all women of the church.

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 17, 1923.

The second meeting held in Christ Church at 12:30. Minutes read and approved. Mrs. Chilton appointed the following Committee on Prayer:

Mrs. Chas. Mratin, Chairman; Mrs. Cary Folk, Mrs. Norvell.

Mrs. Gibson spoke of the work of extension by Mrs. Felix Ewing, and sent letters to every Bishop and Clergymen in all parishes in the United States.

Motion made and carried: That our Local Assembly take action that the number of Council members from each of the eight provinces be three; and a delegate at large from each province be chosen, making a total number of Council members of thirty instead of fifteen.

The meeting adjourned for luncheon. Immediately after luncheon, the Daughters assembled in Christ Church to join in the admission service of a Daughter, Mrs. Morgan, of Columbia, Tenn., in the Bishop's chapter. There are now eight or ten members in the Bishop's Chapter in Tennessee.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18.

Conference of the Daughters of the King met at Christ Church at 12:10. Mr. Stevens, from London, England, requested our prayers and sympathy for the Barnardo Home for destitute boys and girls. He made an earnest appeal on behalf of these cottage homes which are built throughout England and Canada to shelter and provide for these friendless waifs.

Report of the Committee of Prayer. Motion made and carried that every member in the Local Assembly pledge herself to do all in her power to hold family prayers in her own home and to encourage the same in the homes of others.

On motion it was resolved that the Daughters meet the Monday before the Diocesan Convention. They will also report to the Women's Auxiliary as well as the Diocesan Convention.

A letter was read from a committee appointed at the last Provincial meeting at Savannah in regard to stimulation of interest throughout our order in securing young men as candidates for Holy orders. A copy of this letter will be sent to all parishes.

Mrs. S. C. Boyer, Chairman of Nominations, presented the following names for state officers:

President, Mrs. C. M. Clinton.

Vice-President, Mrs. Joseph Gibson.

Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. W. T. Lowrance.

Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. W. T. Lowrance.

Provincial Vice-President for Tennessee, Miss Matilda Porter.

On motion it was voted that the Daughters of the King send:

\$10.00 To Barnardo Homes.

10.00 To Deaconess Bedell.

10.00 To St. Luke's Brotherhood.

10.00 To Bishop Beatty Memorial.

The business session closed with prayer by Mrs. C. M. Chilton, President. At 4:30 in Christ Church, the Memorial Service was conducted by Dr. Blaisdell, of Calvary, Memphis, for all deceased Church Women of the Diocese of Tennessee.

The Daughters who had departed were:

Mrs. Mamie Wilkerson
Mrs. Sara Clough
Mrs. Mary Sidway McKay
Mrs. C. W. Bell
Mrs. Ruth Davies.

The hospitality of all Church people in Nashville and the cordial welcome we received inspired us all to go forward with renewed vigor in our work. And the inspiration we received at the convention will be remembered by all delegates.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. W. T. LOWRANCE,
Secretary and Treasurer.

GIRLS' FRIENDLY SOCIETY

OFFICERS

MRS. HENRY SALMOND, President, Nashville
MRS. HUBERT BENNETT, Vice-President, Chattanooga
MRS. J. T. JENKINS, Vice-President, Nashville
MRS. S. T. BEASLEY, Vice-President, Memphis
MISS HARRIET HOOD, Secretary-Treasurer, Nashville

The Girls' Friendly Society has moved forward in the last year and has made permanent progress, but not as much as we should have wished. The members have contributed toward Missions, the Travelers' Aid Society, St. Raphael's, Monterey and many other objects in and out of the Diocese.

One new branch has been organized at St. Luke's Community House, Nashville.

Owing to pressure of family cares, Miss Helen Turner, our president for many years, has been obliged to resign her office. We most reluctantly accepted this resignation, realizing its necessity. We also were obliged to accept the resignation of our Secretary, Mrs. Snapp, with much regret.

Under the new officers we are anticipating there will be more active interest in this important branch of church work amongst our girls.

Miss Marianne Ford, of Aiken, N. C., Provincial Vice-President, was our honored guest and gave us inspiring talks and much valuable counsel. Mrs. James L. McKoin ably presided at the business sessions.

Respectfully submitted,

KATE MAY,

Acting Secretary.

THE CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

In speaking for the Church Periodical Club, Mrs. Harry C. Gerhart, Correspondent, Clarksville, Tenn., complimented the Diocese upon raising over the amount allotted to it for the Library Fund of St. Paul's College, Tokio, Japan.

She spoke of the new obligations of the Church Periodical Club assumed at the last Triennial to raise \$5,000.00 annually for the supply and upkeep of the church schools and colleges wherever needed, and of our special charge, as one of the Fourth Province, to make our contribution towards necessary replacements in the University of the South at Sewanee.



OFFICERS OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE PRESIDING BISHOP AND COUNCIL

Honorary President for Life:

Mrs. John Shortridge,
116 Granville Place,
Memphis, Tennessee.

President:

Mrs. Loaring Clark,
Sewanee, Tennessee.

Vice President West Tennessee:

Mrs. Frank C. Gifford,
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Mrs. R. W. McCargo,
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Mrs. Otey Walker,
Franklin, Tennessee.

Educational Secretary:

Mrs. Wm. H. DuBose,
Sewanee, Tennessee.

Box Secretary:

Mrs. F. W. Ring,
Halcyon Avenue,
Nashville, Tennessee.

Secretary for Colored Work:

Mrs. Bolton Smith,
761 Washington Avenue,
Memphis, Tennessee.

Custodian of United Offering and Mite Boxes:
Mrs. James M. Maxon,
Jacksonian Apartment,
Nashville, Tennessee.

Chairman Bishop Beatty Memorial Fund:
Mrs. W. E. Norvell,
1018 Nineteenth Avenue, S.,
Nashville, Tennessee.

FOREWORD

REPORT OF ANNUAL MEETING

JANUARY 17

I cannot refrain from saying that this meeting is probably one of the most helpful and constructive that we have ever had, and as your Secretary I feel that no minutes can adequately express the deep spritual tone that permeated all the sessions.

The Fourth Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National ouncil was called to order by the President, Mrs. Loaring Clark, directly after the opening service of the Ninety-first Diocesan Convention.

The roll was called by the Secretary, which was responded to by ten officers and delegates from twenty-two branches.

Our Honorary President, Mrs. John Shortridge, was in attendance and gave a brief message to the women, after which flowers were presented her from the Auxiliary.

Mrs. Gailor, wife of our Bishop, responded to greetings from the Auxiliary, as did Deaconess Bedell from Alaska, Mrs. Knight Wade, National Supply Secretary from New York, and Miss Margaret Weed from Jacksonville, Fla., Provincial representative on the National Executive Board.

It was voted to send a message of greeting to Miss Lindley, Executive Secretary, and the staff in New York, a message of sympathy to Mrs. Ramage, who mas unable

to be present on account of the illness of Mr. Ramage, and to Mrs. Holland in Sewanee, not present on account of illness. Mrs. Earl Cook was appointed to attend to this.

Mrs. Clark then gave her address—a most helpful, inspiring message which will be found herein.

The Secretary's and Treasurer's reports were accepted and pleasing comments made on the balance in treasury for the Extension Fund—a good beginning for the coming year's work.

Dr. John Wing, new Rector of St. Paul's, hattanooga, conducted noon-day prayers.

Rev. Willis G. Clark, Rector of Christ Church, was present, who brought greetings and a message of welcome to the Auxiliary.

The proposed changes in the Constitution, of which the branches had been notified, were given and accepted by the Auxiliary.

Reports of the Convocational Vice-Presidents showed increase of interest in the Box work in each section of the Diocese.

Mrs. Ring, Supply Secretary, gave a full report of Box work, showing the work was more than double that of last year.

Mrs. DuBose, in giving her report, said that greater stress had been laid on Bible study than ever before.

Deaconess Bedell, from Alaska, gave a very interesting account of the work there. She told several stories of Indian life and the significance of the Totem pole. Also stories of Bishop Roe's trips through the country and that our gifts of money were so necessary on account of the great expense of getting everything into the country. She asked for our interest and prayers for the success of the work.

Luncheon was announced and the meeting adjourned.

JANUARY 17, 2 P. M.

The afternoon session was opened by the President with the Directing Collect.

Mrs. Knight Wade was presented and talked most interestingly and helpfully of the Supply Department in New York, of the organization, and how necessary it

was for each parish in fulfilling its allotments to follow instructions sent out by the Department in order to prevent duplication or over-lapping.

Miss Weed, of Jacksonville, was the next speaker. As President of the Florida Branch, she brought greetings to Tennessee. As our Provincial representative, she asked that all our efforts be a co-ordination of living closer to God, thereby strengthening our gift to the National Church and to the world, and that our gift to God be ourselves in helping to solve the many problems with love and prayer. Also not to forget the Triennial meeting which is to be in New Orleans, and that much of the success of that meeting may be by our earnest prayers begun now.

The meeting adjourned to attend a joint session of the Convention, at which time reports of the Women's organization would be given.

THURSDAY, JANUARY 18, 2:00 P. M.

The meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary was opened with prayers by Dean Lathrop, Executive Secretary of the Department of Christian Social Service in New York, who afterwards spoke of the work of the Department.

Mrs. W. E. Norvell, Chairman for the Bishop Beatty Memorial, was the next speaker. She told of the plan of the Executive Committee endorsed by both Bishops to establish a Scholarship at the Theological Department, University of the South at Sewanee, that the women of the Auxiliary would be asked to serve on committee with the men, and that the idea was to raise \$10,000 within this year, and asked that each woman as called upon serve untiringly until this goal was reached.

Mrs. R. E. Mitchell, of Memphis, reported for the Church Mission of Help.

M. J. Nelson, colored Superintendent of the school at Keeling, spoke on behalf of the school and the work there, and of the increased interest on the part of those attending the school and of the splendid results during the year 1922.

Lucy Garner, of Holy Trinity Church, Nashville, was presented by the President, who said that she was the oldest member of the colored branch in the Diocese, having been confirmed by Bishop Quintard.

Mr. Stevens, of England, gave a very strong and interesting appeal for Dr. Barnardo's Homes for Destitute Boys and Girls.

Mrs. Gerhart came in at this time with the news that the next convention would be in Clarksville, and gave the women a most cordial invitation to be there.

Auxiliary gifts and pledges were next on the program. It was voted that \$25.00 be given from the Extension Fund to the Bishop Beatty Memorial and that the expenses of the Memorial also come from this fund.

It was voted that \$10.00 be given the Dr. Bernardo fund from the Extension Fund.

A gift of \$30.00 was given Deaconess Bedell by the women assembled to go towards the expenses of the Deaconess' home in Alaska.

St. Mary's Cathedral Branch in Memphis pledged the ciborium needed for use at St. Stephens Village Chapel where Deaconess Bedell is located.

Rev. Mr. Killifer spoke of the work at Monterey and certain needed equipment for this school was promised by Christ Church, Nashville, and St. Paul's, Chattanooga.

Pledge blanks were given to delegates to make pledges for (1) the Auxiliary Special (national) which is the Hostel in New York for student church workers, as well as a home for Missionaries on furlough, (2) for the Provincial Special, which is the Ramsaur Memorial in Liberia, for the Quintard Scholarship and for the Extension Fund. This last pledge is a most important item, as through it not only comes the expenses necessary to carry on the Diocesan work, but from this fund, contributions are made for real extension work.

Each branch is privileged to contribute to this fund in one of the following classes, whichever it prefers:

Class A -----	\$50.00	Class E -----	\$20.00
Class B -----	40.00	Class F -----	10.00
Class C -----	30.00	Class G -----	5.00
Class D -----	25.00	Class H -----	2.00

All money for these pledges are to be sent to Mrs. Walker, Treasurer, Franklin.

Report of the Credential Committee was read by Mrs. Barnett showing that 39 delegates and ten officers were attending the Auxiliary meeting.

The Nominating Committee made the following report through Mrs. J. B. French:

"Your Nominating Committee begs to submit the following report for your consideration. As Mrs. Clark has explained to you, it is necessary this year for three officers to retire, so Mrs. W. E. Norvell, Vice-President for Middle Tennessee, Mrs. J. R. Wheeler, Secretary, and Mrs. Tyler Calhoun are withdrawing. Mrs. Ramage, Vice-President for West Tennessee, is leaving the Diocese, so this makes four offices to be filled. We present the names of Mrs. J. R. Wheeler for Vice-President, Middle Tennessee; Miss Bessie Oehmig, for Secretary, Mrs. James M. Maxon, Custodian of the United Thank Offering, and Mrs. Frank Gifford for Vice-President, West Tennessee.

Delegates to the Provincial Synod meeting in Chattanooga in October as follows:

Mrs. Harris, Johnson City, East Tennessee.

Mrs. Charles Drane, Clarksville, Middle Tennessee.

Mr. C. M. Chilton, Memphis, West Tennessee.

Mrs. James M. Maxon, Nashville, Delegate at large.

Alternates:

Mrs. Deems Riddle, Chattanooga, East Tennessee.

Mrs. Morgan, Columbia, Middle Tennessee.

Mrs. Barnes, Memphis, West Tennessee.

Mrs. Swick, South Pittsburg, Delegate at large.

This report was accepted.

Mrs. Gailor, Mrs. Marsh, Mrs. Gage and Mrs. Barnett were appointed to send Mrs. Calhoun a letter of appreciation.

Report of the Committee on Recommendations was read by Mrs. Carey Folk and accepted and will be found printed herein.

This closed the business session. Rev. Chas. F. Blaisdell, of Memphis, came in and conducted the closing and memorial service, after which the meeting adjourned to meet next in Clarksville.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA M. WHEELER,

Secretary.

PRESIDENT'S ADDRESS

Fellow Members of the Woman's Auxiliary:—

Through God's gracious providence it is my privilege to greet you once again in Annual Meeting. I do so with all my heart.

It is fitting, before I speak of immediate things, that I make mention of the great loss we as an Auxiliary have sustained in the death of our friend and Bishop Coadjutor, the Rt. Rev. Troy Beatty, D. D. Amid the multiplicity of his duties he was always ready to advise and suggest, always ready to encourage. A friend of friends to the Auxiliary woman. Our loss is indeed great. We bow our heads in sorrow as we thank God for his life and work amongst us.

Last year at this time we were anticipating our Triennial Meeting in Portland. It has come and gone and there remains to us the inspiration, the incentive to further endeavor and firmer purpose.

This year during our meetings we shall briefly survey the work of the past three years. We shall learn our immediate obligations and we shall outline a program for the coming three years in accord with the action taken in Portland and in agreement with the desires of our honored and beloved Bishops.

We were represented at the Triennial by your full quota of delegates: Mesdames Tyler Calhoun, Otey Walker, B. B. Ramage, Glenn Whiteside and myself, and we were happy to find that about thirty of the communicants of our diocese were in Portland for our Convention and the Woman's meetings.

Interest, Education and Inspiration together with a signal endeavor for co-operation were the key note of the Triennial. Missionaries from the domestic and foreign fields told the story of their work and of their needs. Business was carried out in a business-like manner; study classes were splendidly attended by both men and women and conferences were numerous, diverse and enlightening. There was not an idle moment for anyone.

Resolutions passed in Portland to which I especially draw your attention are those dealing with the Nationwide campaign, Young People's Work, Proportionate Giving and Stewardship; the Central Conference of Woman's Church Work; the Church Service League; the Moral Standard in our Homes and in Society; Prison Reform; Moving Picture Shows; Disabled Veterans; Laws for Women and Children; Christian Interracial and International Relations together with Christian Unity. Every parish branch should send to 281 Fourth Ave., New York City, and secure a copy of the Minutes of the Triennial. The cost is ten cents.

We hope to develop as soon as possible a plan of Prayer Partnership, to send out Women Messengers to our rural communities and amongst isolated churchwomen, and to awaken amongst our members a deeper realization of their responsibility in the matter of Personal Evangelism.

Our Auxiliary "Specials" are to be the building or buying of a house near Headquarters at an initial cost of \$65,000, where volunteers for church workers may reside under the influence of the church during their training; also to establish a school for training colored women workers at St. Augustine's, Raleigh, N. C. The sum of \$10,000 is required for this purpose, making our askings for "Specials" \$75,000. Both these buildings are to be used for the housing of missionaries on furlough, volunteers and women workers in the field. A committee is now being formed with Miss Nannie Hite Winston as Chairman, to care for this matter, and we shall have representatives in each Province, Diocese and Parish, as we did for the Emery Fund.

Our Province, as a memorial to the Rev. Hoke Ramsaur, one of our clergy from North Carolina, who, after three years' service in Liberia, was called to Eternal Life, has pledged itself to raise the sum of \$10,000 to establish a Boys' school at Pendamin in the interior of Liberia.

In our Diocese we stand ready to serve—to be truly Auxiliary. We are indeed proud of Tennessee's part in our wonderful United Thank offering which has surely been a practical expression of the deepening of our spirit of thankfulness. In this connection it will be of interest to you to know that Miss Clementine Rowe, our faithful United Thank Offering missionary for so many years at Sherwood, has been released from active service on ac-

count of her physical condition. She will be taken care of for the remainder of her life by the United Thank Offering Pension Fund.

Missions, Religious Education, Social Service—our business for the Master. I claim the privilege of offering you as well as myself to our Bishops and our Departments to do such service as they may ask of us in order to carry out their plans for the extension of the Kingdom, so that we may work as one great unit in this splendid Diocese, without duplication of effort or undue organization.

Permit me to quote to you from some words of the Bishop of Manchester: "The point of practical importance is this, that while the spirit of God is in all the world and no man is ever without His guidance, yet that guidance is especially given to those hearts that are attuned to Christ. The supremest of all blessings is reserved for those who know the source from which the blessing comes; and even for them the direct guidance of the Spirit comes most definitely in those times when their spiritual relationship to God is strongest. Experience establishes, beyond the possibility of question, that the deepening of the spiritual life is the surest way of winning clear guidance from God with regard to practical duties. The man who, knowing God as the God of Love, is keeping his soul perpetually strengthened by communion with God, finds himself used, often in ways that he only afterwards understands, for the loving purposes of God."

May 1923 see each one of us grow in spiritual strength. May we realize more and more our privilege and our responsibility in being called to be workers with and for God.

Affectionately your friend
and co-worker,

ADA LOARING CLARK.

Sewanee, January, 1923.

SECRETARY'S REPORT

The great event of the year was the Triennial Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, held at Portland. We were well represented—women going from this Diocese. Their story will be heard through the days of these meetings.

Our United Thank Offering Custodian very happily laid the largest offering ever sent by Tennessee on the plate at the great corporate service for the U. T. C.

A conference of the Executive Committee was held in Nashville in October, after which a letter was sent to all branches, setting forth some plans for work during this year, and some changes in the Constitution for the best interests of the work.

Many branches observed special days of prayer in September for the success of the meetings in Portland. The Institutes held by Miss Tillotston in East, West and Middle Tennessee in February were well attended and appreciated.

The past year shows a decided educational advance as well as spiritual, by the increased use of Daily Bible readings and the Prayer Leaflets.

Pledges have been paid, and there is a good report of Box work through the Supply Department.

Eight members of the Auxiliary living in different parts of the Diocese have entered into Eternal rest.

ANNA M. WHEELER,
Secretary.

TREASURER'S REPORT

1922

TREASURER'S REPORT	Def. Hosp Tokio	Nurses H. Tokio	Quintard Schol.	Extension Fund	N. East Fund	Colored Work	Diocesan Missions
Athens -----	\$ 5.00	\$ ---	\$ 3.00	\$ 9.00	\$ ---	\$ ---	\$ ---
Bolivar -----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Brownsville -----	---	4.00	---	8.00	---	4.00	4.00
Buntyn -----	---	5.00	---	10.00	---	---	---
Chattanooga, Christ -----	2.00	5.00	2.00	10.00	---	---	---
Chattanooga, St. Paul -----	10.00	40.00	5.00	75.00	60.00	---	---
Chattanooga, Thankful M. -----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Clarksville, Trinity -----	---	20.00	5.00	17.00	---	---	---
Cleveland -----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Columbia, St. Peter -----	---	12.50	---	20.00	---	---	---
Dyersburg -----	---	2.00	---	4.00	---	---	2.00
Fayetteville -----	5.00	5.00	---	5.00	---	---	---
Franklin, St. Paul -----	3.00	10.00	2.00	15.00	30.00	---	---
Jackson -----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Johnson City -----	---	5.00	---	10.00	---	---	---
Knoxville, Epiphany -----	---	---	---	5.00	---	---	---
Knoxville, St. John -----	5.00	25.00	---	30.00	---	---	---
Knoxville, St. John 2d Cir. -----	5.00	---	---	15.00	---	---	---
Mason -----	5.00	5.00	2.00	5.00	---	6.00	---
Memphis, Calvary -----	10.00	25.00	5.00	50.00	---	---	---
Memphis, Cathedral -----	10.00	50.00	5.00	50.00	---	---	---
Memphis, Emanuel -----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Memphis, Grace -----	---	75.00	2.00	25.00	30.00	---	---
Memphis, St. Luke -----	5.00	---	---	15.00	---	---	---
Memphis, Trinity -----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
Mt. Pleasant -----	---	7.00	---	3.00	---	---	---
Nashville, Advent -----	5.00	10.00	2.00	25.00	---	---	---
Nashville, Christ -----	5.00	25.00	---	60.00	---	---	---
Nashville, St. Anne -----	5.00	2.50	5.00	15.00	---	15.00	---
Nashville, St. Peter -----	---	---	2.00	5.00	---	---	---
Nashville, H. Trinity -----	---	3.00	---	7.50	---	10.00	10.00
\$ Ross View -----	---	---	---	---	---	---	---
* Sewanee, Otey Mem. -----	15.00	25.00	5.00	40.00	120.00	---	---
South Pittsburg -----	5.00	5.00	5.00	10.00	---	---	---
Tracy City -----	---	5.00	---	3.00	---	---	---
Totals -----	\$100.00	\$371.00	\$ 50.00	\$546.50	\$240.00	\$ 35.00	\$ 16.00

Above total ----- \$1,358.50
 *Library, Tokio ----- 30.00
 \$Support of child, Osaka, Japan ----- 14.50
 1921 Balance ----- 365.71
 Total ----- \$1,768.71

DISBURSED FROM EXTENSION FUND:

Auxiliary incidentals ----- \$158.03
 Cullum and Gertner, 300 Annuals, letter heads and envelopes ----- 103.48
 Triennial Expenses ----- 300.00
 Mrs. T. W. Bickett, ec.-Treas. Prov. of Sewanee ----- 50.00
 Miss Grace Lindley, New York ----- 20.00
 Mrs. Boyer, C. S. League ----- 25.00
 Lewis B. Franklin, 1,000 Bible readings ----- 30.00
 Lewis B. Franklin, Mary E. Hart Memorial deficit ----- 10.00
 Mrs. Gerhart, book for Library, Tokio ----- 10.00
 Total ----- \$706.51
 To Douglas M. Wright ----- \$ 572.00
 To Lewis B. Franklin ----- 254.50
 * To Mrs. Gerhart ----- 30.00
 From Extension Fund ----- 706.50

\$1,563.01

Receipts ----- \$1,768.71
 Disbursed ----- 1,563.01

Balance ----- \$ 205.70

Respectfully submitted,

LAURA D. WALKER.

REPORT OF THE CUSTODIAN OF THE UNITED THANK OFFERING

	ANNUAL REPORT 1922	TRIENNIAL 1919	TRIENNIAL 1922
Athens, St. Paul's	\$ 1.50	\$ 3.25	\$ 4.75
Bolivar, St. James	22.43	14.65	29.06
Brownsville, Christ Church	22.00	3.35	12.00
Buntyn, St. Johns	42.55	21.89	117.55
Cedar Hill	26.99		26.99
Chattanooga, Christ Church	40.00	14.74	74.00
Chattanooga, St. Paul's	486.50	96.45	1,000.00
Chattanooga, Thankful Memorial		6.00	5.00
Clarksville, Holy Trinity	42.08	90.00	124.78
Cleveland, St. Luke's		12.00	6.00
Columbia, St. Peter's	284.91	77.22	567.19
Convention Alms, St. Paul's, Chattanooga	60.00		60.00
Daughters of the King, Middle Tennessee L. A.	6.80		6.80
Fairmount		5.00	
Dyersburg, St. Mary's	4.00	12.00	5.00
Fayetteville, St. Mary Magdelene	16.34	7.30	59.11
Franklin, St. Paul's	32.33	45.03	101.08
Interest	161.41		239.94
Jackson, St. Luke's	25.29	5.00	120.56
Johnson City, St. John's	50.00	56.50	105.00
Juniors		47.85	15.35
Knoxville, Epiphany	11.40	16.03	29.25
Knoxville, St. John's	102.75	109.64	218.19
Knoxville, St. John's 2nd Circle	31.63	11.75	78.23
Mason, Trinity	30.00	75.00	70.00
Little Helpers		75.00	
Memphis, Calvary	192.45	120.58	439.58
Memphis, Cathedral	207.40	87.56	510.89
Memphis, Emanuel		12.53	23.00
Memphis, Grace	100.98	67.30	303.14
Memphis, Holy Trinity	5.00	32.64	7.16
Memphis, St. Luke's	170.00	129.45	389.10
Miscellaneous	80.00	32.68	80.00
Mt. Pleasant, Holy Cross	17.27		58.73
Nashville, Church of Advent	88.31	93.59	225.24
Nashville, Christ Church	145.23	257.95	254.88
Nashville, Christ Church, 2nd Circle		20.66	30.37
Nashville, Holy Trinity	5.00		16.88
Nashville, St. Ann's	33.11	49.98	101.27
Nashville, St. Peter's	43.09	44.87	101.09
Nashville, St. Stephen's		16.98	17.80
Rossville, Grace		12.78	1.00
Sewanee	257.68	431.94	650.86
South Pittsburg, Christ Church	62.45	131.43	155.37
Thank Offering, Chattanooga Convention	15.40		15.40
Tracy City, Christ Church	26.26	5.00	47.86
Totals	\$2,900.54	\$2,354.07	\$6,500.45

Respectfully submitted,

IDA R. CALHOUN,

Custorian.

SUPPLY DEPARTMENT**MIDDLE TENNESSEE**

Boxes for Diocesan Missions, value-----	\$310.15
Boxes of new and used clothing for St. John's in the Mountains, Mormans Hill School and Ven Franklin Davis -----	952.68
Bureau of Supplies -----	31.00
TOTAL -----	\$1,293.83

EAST TENNESSEE

Boxes for Diocesan Missions, Value-----	\$319.96
Boxes of new and used clothing for St. John's in the Mountains and Ven. Franklin Davis ----	764.25
Books to Library at Evergreen, Cal.-----	27.25
Lantern Slide to South Dakota -----	37.79
TOTAL -----	\$1,149.25
WEST TENNESSEE TOTAL -----	\$1,197.71

TOTAL FOR THE DIOCESAN -----	\$3,640.79
Contents of Bureau of Supplies -----	348.76
GRAND TOTAL -----	\$3,989.55

Value of allotments prepared and sent out of the Diocese by the
Woman's Auxiliary of Tennessee:

	Number of Boxes	Total Value
1920 -----	16 -----	\$1,467.22
1921 -----	18 -----	711.42
1922 -----	48 -----	2,825.19

SECRETARY'S REQUESTS

1. Answer all letters promptly.
2. Date all letters.
3. Send all notices regarding boxes to your Vice-Presidents.
4. Send notices of Boxes for Bureau of Supplies to Diocesan Secretary.
5. Send surplus garments to the Bureau of Supplies; never send more than are asked for to Mission Stations or other institutions.
6. Call attention to the need for Altar linens and Altar Hangings.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. F. W. RING.

REPORT OF VICE-PRESIDENTS OF EAST TENNESSEE

The work in Tennessee has been confined to correspondence, except in Knoxville. Very good work has been done on the allotment by several branches. Three parishes, Johnson City, Cleveland and Epiphany, Knoxville, have been without rectors the greater part of the year, and of course the Auxiliary work has suffered to some extent.

In January plans were begun on the allotment for a Mission in the mountains of Virginia.

In February Knoxville was fortunate in having Miss Tillotson for three days, the three Knoxville branches joined in the Institute, which was an inspiration and led to more interest in Mission study.

In April the Mountain Workers' Conference met in Knoxville and we had the opportunity of meeting Miss Harrison, for whom we were working. A meeting was arranged in St. John's Chapel, the Auxiliary branches and the C. S. S. L. heard talks from Miss Harrison, Miss Davis, and from St. Peter's-on-the-Mountain, for whom the C. S. S. L. had been working, and Mrs. A. H. Killheffer, of Monterey.

During Lent two study classes were organized in St. John's, the Auxiliary studying "The Survey" and The Second Circle "Japan Advancing Whither." Both were well attended and much interest was manifested.

Miss Emery's book has been circulated and a copy of the "Spirit of Missions" placed in the Knoxville Public Library.

Through my work in the C. S. S. I have been able to give some mission study to the children as well as to our branches.

I feel that I cannot close this report without a word of grateful thanks to all the Auxiliary women who have responded so cheerfully to all requests and worked with growing interest. Especially do I wish to offer a tribute of appreciation to Mrs. Ring, who has done a new and difficult work so thoroughly and so lovingly, with the true spirit of the Master, making us all willing to work with and for her.

That spirit, and the wonderful appreciation of our missionaries for all our help, makes the work well worth the time and thought we give it.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNE S. McCARGO,

Vice-President.

East Tennessee Convocation.

REPORT OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT OF MIDDLE TENNESSEE

During the past year we have had, as an aducational measure, a two-days' Institute conducted by Miss Emily Tillotson, our National Educational Secretary. This Institute was held in Nashville and the attendance was remarkably good. Representatives were present from Franklin, Columbia, Mt. Pleasant, Fayetteville and from all Nashville churches.

We held meetings concurrently with those of the Convocation in November, at Glen Raven, Cedar Hill, the home of Mrs. Felix G. Ewing.

Having been made Chairman of the Committee for the Bishop Beatty Memorial Fund, I have been busy organizing committees and promoting the measure. Particulars will be found on another page.

The response to the requests for our Box work has been most gratifying.

Respectfully submitted

ELIZABETH M. NORVELL,

BISHOP MEATTY MEMORIAL

We have the plessed privilege of uniting together for the memorial to our late beloved Bishop Troy Beatty, who laid down his life in the service of his church in April, 1922. The Executive Committee of the Woman's Auxiliary voted last October to establish a Memorial Fund, the proceeds from which would support a scholarship at Theological Department, University of the South,

as a fitting memorial to one who had been an outstanding figure in the ministry of the church. At the Convention of the church held in Nashville in January this movement was cordially endorsed and voted upon by the Convention of the churchmen as well as by the Convention of the Woman's Auxiliary, and heartily approved by our two bishops.

This Memorial Committee has been selected, which can be added to by the parishes as they see fit. Envelopes have been printed, stating the purpose, with a place for names of contributor and parish and town. We purpose having a Book of Remembrance to be the property of the Diocese and this will be given in memory of Bishop Beatty, and the names of all contributors written therein.

On Whitsunday, May 1921, Bishop Beatty held a memorial service in the old church at Ashwood, Maury County, in memory of Bishops Otey and Quintard. Would it not be a splendid thing if we could on this coming Whitsunday, May 20, 1923, report the \$10,000 in full and have a special memorial service to Bishop Beatty? The sum is so little for all the church people to give; and if every man, woman and child would contribute to this it would be so easy to secure. The committees are left free to secure the sum by voluntary gifts, or to raise amounts in any way that is in keeping with the dignity of the church.

Diligence and unremitting care and attention on the part of the committee in seeing to it that every baptised church member and the friends of the Bishop have an envelop and are given the privilege of making a gift to the fund will be the only way to bring this memorial to a successful conclusion.

Mrs. Otey Walker, Franklin, Tenn., Treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary, is the treasurer for this trust fund. All checks will be made payable to her and can be sent as a whole from each parish through the parish treasurer of the Woman's Auxiliary. The women of the church are sponsoring this movement and we confidently expect the hearty co-operation of the men. Our slogan then is: "Let's get the Bishop Beatty Memorial by Whitsunday, May 20, 1923." Our motto: "The Lord shall guide thee continually." We will begin, continue and end our labors for this memorial in loving recognition of our beloved Bishop Co-adjutor's service to his church; we will make his family very happy, we will honor ourselves and we will bless the lives of many young men who will be enabled to enter the ministry because of our work in secur-

ing this memorial fund, and through this ministry will bring blessings to countless others.

Faithfully,

ELIZABETH M. NORVELL,

(Mrs. W. E. N.)

Chairman.

REPORT OF VICE-PRESIDENT OF WEST TENNESSEE

The Quarterly Meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary of the parishes in Memphis and Buntyn were held during the past year in connection with other organizations comprising the Church Service Leagues. All were well attended.

The January 30 meeting was held in St. Mary's and was given over to reports from Annual Meeting just held in Chattanooga. The work of the G. F. S. was presented by Miss Lucy Watkins, Field Extension Worker of the G. F. S.

On April 29, Grace Church Service League was hostess to the meeting. The afternoon was given to Deaconess Hargraves, who made an address upon her work in the Philippines, showing a number of stereopticon slides. Much interest was aroused by her zeal and fervor.

In the Fall, October 10, the women gathered at Calvary, the program being the Triennial at Portland—something of every phase of work accomplished there was presented.

Early in the year, February 8 and 9, at the Cathedral, Miss Tillotson held a stimulating and helpful Institute on "The Survey." All city parishes and two out of town were represented in her well attended classes.

In the fall Mrs. Tyler Calhoun addressed the women of the city parishes at Calvary on The Triennial and the United Thank Offering, laying great stress upon the spiritual value of the latter in our lives.

The Box work has been done by the branches the past year in West Tennessee with readiness and efficiency. Our full quota was supplied.

In closing this my last report, I beg to record a personal word of thanks for the never failing courtesy and

cheerful response from all parish officers with whom I have worked; and during this last year of illness, anxiety and absence from home I have been especially grateful for their interest and sympathy.

ETHEL PURVIS RAMAGE,
Vice-President,
West Tennessee.

EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY'S REPORT

At the beginning of 1923, let me urge every branch of the Auxiliary in the diocese of Tennessee to push the educational work steadily and constantly.

A realization of its importance is certainly growing, but we shall not be satisfied until every branch shows the value of information and all strive more for it.

Our task every year becomes more definite as the National Council lays before the church specific objects to be worked for.

We have the opportunity to know what the general plan is, and the duty to avail ourselves of information provided.

Make a point of knowing what we have undertaken to help this year as a diocesan branch and learn all you can about these objects, trying to interest others in them.

Our "Specials" alone open up avenues for instruction. Colored work in Liberia as well as in our own land on missionaries in training, on our theological schools and on missions in China.

Then we should keep informed as to the response given to the National Council's call for needed funds.

We should know how Tennessee is meeting its apportionment (that means what you and I are doing) and how the diocese can do more in and out of its own boundaries.

While we are studying these things let us not forget to search out God's Holy Word and Will for us to that end, making a daily study of Holy Scriptures, praying that our "love may abound yet more and more in knowledge and in all judgment."

DEAN S. DU BOSE,
Educational Secretary.

RESOLUTIONS

We, the Committee on Recommendations, wish to submit the following resolutions:

1st. That the members of the Auxiliary pledge afresh their co-operation and support to the Bishop and Bishop Co-adjutor to further their work in developing and maintaining all Diocesan Missions.

2nd. That we co-operate with our Bishop and the men of our parishes in establishing the Beatty Memorial Scholarship at the University of the South at Sewanee.

3rd. That we pledge ourselves to the extension of spiritual and missionary education, making every woman a worker; every worker a giver; every giver a spiritual force.

4th. We recommend that every Branch in this Diocese endeavor to have a definite program pertaining to the missionary work of the church and suggesting that each branch secure a copy of the minutes of the Triennial Convention of 1922 from 281 Fourth Avenue, New York City.

5th. That every branch of the Diocese give its hearty support to the Supply Department, Nashville, of which Mrs. Frank Ring is Chairman; valuing all boxes; answering all letters promptly; putting dates and signing names distinctly. Believing in the good derived by the sending of Diocesan boxes, we urge that each branch send at least one during the year, not forgetting our obligations to our negro Missions.

6th. That the traveling expenses of our Convocational Vice-President for extension work be paid from the Extension Fund.

7th. We endorse most heartily the resolutions as expressed in our beloved President's report, dealing with this nation-wide campaign and young people's work; proportionate giving and stewardship; the Central Conference of Women's Church Work; the Church Service League; The Moral Standard in Our Homes and in Society; Prison Reform; Moving Picture Shows; Disabled Veterans; Laws for Women and Children; Christian Interracial and International relations together with Christian unity.

8th. And above all we pledge ourselves to the establishment of Family Prayers and Bible reading; and to the Partnership of Prayers, especially remembering our U. T. C. Missionary, Deaconess Bedell, of Alaska.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. Carey A. Folk,

Chairman of the Committee.

To the Bishop, the Bishop Co-Adjutor, and Members of the Ninety-First Convention in the Diocese of Tennessee:

The Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council in the Diocese of Tennessee submits the following report of activities for the past year:

The tangible results of the work are: pledges met over 100 per cent and box work more than double that of last year. The United Thank Offering presented at Portland showed as large a proportionate increase as any other Diocesan branch in the country, \$6,688.00 being more than double, plus \$1,000.00, that of 1919.

At the Triennial meeting in Portland, Tennessee was represented by five official delegates and twelve additional church women and who returned with greater zeal and fuller knowledge of the Church's program.

Upon resolutions passed, the Auxiliary gave her whole strength to the nation-wide campaign, pledged herself to work for the development of an organization amongst young people; to give both prayer and service in maintaining a Christian moral standard in our homes and in society; to give our interest and help in such work as prison reform, adequate care for disabled veterans, proper laws for women and children, Christian inter-racial and international relations, and Christian unity. Also to study and practice proportionate giving and stewardship.

We are happy to have inaugurated the Memorial Scholarship for our late beloved Co-adjutor and we are glad that this House has taken the necessary action to co-operate with us.

Our pledges for 1923 are the Ramsaur Memorial in Liberia, to the Training school for colored workers at St. Augustine's in Raleigh, N. C., to the Hostel in New York for returned workers, and to the Quintard Scholarship.

There is a steady growth in the realization of the value and need of Missionary education. Besides seeking

to inform members about the Church's work and opportunity, greater stress will be placed year by year on the need for a study of the Holy Scriptures from which comes the real inspiration for Church work.

In closing may I quote from our President's address to the Auxiliary this morning:

"Missions, Religious, Education, Social Service—our business for the Master. I claim the privilege of offering you as well as myself to our Bishops and our Departments, to do such service as they may ask of us in order to carry out their plans for the extension of the Kingdom, so that we may work as one great unit in this splendid Diocese, without duplication of effort or undue organization.

Respectfully submitted,
ANNA M. WHEELER,
Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT THE BISHOP'S GUILD FOR COLORED WORK—1922

We have enrolled as members as follows:

Calvary Church	28
Grace Church	7
St. Luke	4
The aCthedral	10
Total	49

Other donors to the work during the past year were:

Mrs. G. H. Woodward, of Philadelphia, Pa..	\$50.00
Mrs. Charles Currier, New York.....	50.00
Mrs. Bolton Smith, of Memphis.....	50.00

We cleared from a concert given by the Fisk Jubilee Singers \$50.00. We received from St. Paul's Parish, Chattanooga, during the Diocesan Convention part of an offering amounting to \$68.73. Prof. M. J. Nelson, of Keeling, sent in \$64.00 to be used toward the lumber in the new building.

Our total receipts have been \$4,355.50. Of this amount \$2,425.00 was sent by the American Church Institute for Negroes, New York. Our total expenditures have been \$3,754.01. Our balance cash on hand is \$601.39. We have one outstanding bill of \$65.50.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. R. E. MITCHELL,
Treasurer.

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