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In affectionate gratitude for work well done, this
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Almighty God, who art the Father of all men upon the earth, most heartily we pray that Thou wilt deliver Thy children from the cruelties of war and lead all nations into the way of peace. Teach us to put away all bitterness and misunderstanding, both in Church and State; that we, with all the brethren of the Son of Man, may draw together as one comity of peoples and dwell evermore in the fellowship of that Prince of Peace, who liveth and reigneth with Thee in the unity of the Holy Spirit, now and ever. Amen.

Bishop Quin's Prayer

Dear Heavenly Father, we ask Thy blessings upon the women of the Church in this Diocese, united in Thy name and for Thy sake.

Give us a sense of reality when we say, "Thy Kingdom come," and guide us to our part and share in the bringing in of that Kingdom.

We offer unto Thee anew each day our souls and bodies, a living sacrifice.

We pray that the tasks to which we set our hands may be well done; and finally, with gratitude, we ask that by the example of our own loyalty that others may be attracted to the Christ way—through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Opening Prayer

Into Thy hands, O Lord, we commit ourselves this day. Give each one of us a watchful, humble and diligent spirit that we may seek in all things to know Thy will and when we know it, may perform it perfectly and gladly, to the honor and glory of Thy name, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

The Prayers 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, labor 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.

That We May Learn What To Do

O God, who hast promised to guide them that seek Thee; turn the face of Thy people toward Thyself that they may know what to do. And especially in this time of war, show Thy Crucified Son as He stands amidst the wounded and dying, the anxious, the bereaved and the distressed, sharing the sorrow of the world, that by deeper faith, by labors, by self denial, by prayer, by works of Mercy and self-sacrifice we may be true followers of the Prince of Peace, Thy Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

For Quiet Confidence

O God of Peace, who hast taught us that in returning and rest we shall be saved, in quietness and in confidence shall be our strength; by the might of Thy Spirit lift us, we pray Thee, to Thy presence, where we may be still and know Thou art God; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Teach Us

Teach us, good Lord to serve Thee as Thou deserveth; to give and not to count the cost; to fight and not to heed the wounds; to toil and not to seek for rest; to labor and not ask for any reward save that of knowing that we do Thy will; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Closing Prayer

We commend to Thy mercy, O Heavenly Father, all that we have thought and said and done this day, beseeching Thee to pardon all that has been amiss in us and to accept for Thy glory all that has been in accordance with Thy holy will, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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Treasurer—Mrs. Drury M. Phillips,
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Rector, None

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Educational Secretary—Mrs. Watts Brown

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Rector, Rev. S. H. Rainey

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Rector, None

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mond, Texas
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son
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ther
Supply Secretary—Mrs. G. W. Fletcher
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Chairman Christian Social Relations—
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dle, Richmond, Texas

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Rector, Rev. J. P. Love
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CHURCH
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SEALY—ST. JOHN'S
Rector, Rev. L. C. Maples
President—Mrs. W. F. Meyer
Secretary—Mrs. Juanita Hackbarth
Treasurer—Mrs. Lillian Ward
Chairman Christian Social Relations—
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Secretary—Mrs. E. R. Todd, 715 N.
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Treasurer—Miss Carrie Hoke, 619
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buck, 720 West 8th
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President—Mrs. E. L. Hill
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Treasurer—Mrs. A. B. Clements
Supply Secretary—Mrs. J. C. Mosby
U. T. O. Treasurer—Mrs. Lynn Mul-
lins

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Rector, None

Contact Officer—Mrs. A. G. Collier

TYLER—CHRIST CHURCH
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S. Chilton
Publicity Chairman—Mrs. L. A. Hoff-
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U. T. O. Treasurer—Mrs. John Hunter
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Educational Secretary—Mrs. Paul
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Chairman Christian Social Relations—
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ter, 702 S. College

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Supply Secretary—Mrs. Jessie Williams,
327 N. Beverly

Educational Secretary—Mrs. Arthur C.
Albright, 2002 N. Palace

Chairman Christian Social Relations—
Miss Sammie Gardner, 409 N. Lib-
erty

Ditty Bag Chairman—Miss Ruby Dar-
den, 415 N. Liberty

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Rector, Rev. Robert R. Brown

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tin Ave.

Secretary—Mrs. Milton Stroud, 526
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Treasurer—Mrs. G. H. Pope, Axtell R.

Educational Chairman—Mrs. Edward
Temple

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Rector, None

Contact Officer—Mrs. M. M. O'Banion

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

To the Associated Women of the Church in the Diocese of Texas:

In spite of the handicaps of travel, tire and gas rationing, and the many additional burdens that Church Women are carrying since our last Annual Meeting, it is gratifying, indeed, to be able to report that the work of the Women in the Diocese of Texas has gone steadily forward during the past year.

As your President, I have presided at the four regular meetings of the Board. The average attendance was 80%, which fact alone speaks volumes for the earnestness and devotion to duty of your Diocesan Officers.

At the invitation of the Rev. Mr. Sumners, and with the Bishop's approval the May meeting of the Board was held in Austin and was attended by members of both the local Parishes and visitors from surrounding towns.

I have attended all but one meeting of the Department of Missions and have also attended meetings of the Budget, and Constitution and By-Laws Committees.

It has been my privilege to attend Convocation and Area meetings in Port Arthur, Navasota, and at St. Paul's, Park Place, and the annual meeting of the women of St. Mary's Bellville.

This year, we were represented at the Provincial Synod by three delegates and at the Conference of Christian Social Relations by one delegate.

Blanks for the yearly report were sent to each Parish President early in December, and a letter reviewing the year's work, and calling special attention to the most important aspects of that work was written to each President at the same time.

We deeply regret the resignation of two of our members this year. They are: Mrs. E. V. Gross, Publicity Chairman, and Mrs. Baker Duncan, Vice President of Northwest Convocation. Mrs. Roderick Montgomery of Trinity Church, Houston, has succeeded Mrs. Gross, and we are most happy to have her on the Board. We ask your continued cooperation with her in her efforts to publicize the work of the Women of the Diocese via the medium of "The Texas Churchman."

During the past year we have lost by death two former members of the Board. They are Mrs. E. H. Catlin and Mrs. Virginia Warfield. May God give us grace to follow the good examples of these who have served Him and are now at Rest.

Recognition of the value of the work of the Diocesan Officers was acknowledged at the Clergy Conference in September by Bishop Quin and the assembled Clergy when one hour of their time was given to several members of the Executive Board to present an outline of the Women's Program with special emphasis on the work of the U. T. O., Supply Department Rural Education Ditty Bags, Church Periodical Club, Christian Social Relations, the Educational Chairman, and the Unified Program in general.

We are grateful for this opportunity, and judging from the question and answer period that followed we feel that we have made decided steps toward greater cooperation between the Clergy and Diocesan Officers.

This report rounds out my three years of service as President of the Associated Women of the Church in the Diocese of Texas, and I cannot bring it to a close without a word of humble gratitude.

It has been an honor to serve as your President, and I am deeply grateful to the members of the Executive Board for their loyalty and unfailing help, and to every woman in the Diocese for her confidence and cooperation.

This has been a busy year, and the years ahead are going to be busier and harder. May we be given the strength and the grace to meet each day with renewed determination and zeal; and with God's help we shall continue to go "Forward in Service."

Sincerely,

EDITH T. JAPHET, President.
(Mrs. W. E.)

VICE PRESIDENT

As your Vice President, I attended all meetings of the Executive Board, except one, and attended the Diocesan Council at St. Paul's, Waco. I went to Waco in February to speak before all organizations of women in St. Paul's, on the work of the Women in the Church. In March I went to Tyler to talk to the Women of St. John the Baptist's. I attended the Northwest Convocation Meeting at St. David's, Austin, in November.

With the help of Mrs. J. Holloway Muller I edited, had printed and distributed to the clergy and the women's organization in the Diocese, 800 copies of the Annual Report of the Associated Women of the Church.

The reports of the Associated Women of the various parishes and missions came in earlier in 1942 than ever before. For that reason the Annual Report was printed and mailed by the first week in March. I sincerely hope that my successor as Vice President will have the same fine cooperation.

Respectfully submitted,

MARY A. PENNYBACKER,
(Mrs. P. V., JR.)
Vice President.

VICE PRESIDENT, SOUTHWEST CONVOCATION

As Vice President of the Southwest Convocation I have attended all Board Meetings except one, and sat in on the Finance Committee when possible.

It was my privilege to help with plans for the two Spring Area Meetings, one in St. Paul's, Navasota, the other in St. Paul's, Park Place, Houston. I was unable to go to Navasota. A splendid meeting was reported; eleven branches were represented with about eighty persons in attendance. Several of the Diocesan Officers were present. The principal speaker was Mrs. McBride of College Station, her subject being "Christian Women in Times of Crisis." Mrs. Quin spoke to the group also, explaining the aims and purposes of the Malvern Conference. Bellville invited this group to meet with them in the Fall.

St. Paul's, Park Place, Houston, was hostess to a group April 9th. Sixteen branches were represented and one hundred and twenty-five women in attendance. Several Diocesan Officers were present and acknowledged introductions. The principal speaker was Mrs. Herbert Gatlin, her subject being "Putting First Things First." Mrs. William Hogue and Mrs. C. S. Quin also spoke briefly. The Rev. Gordon M. Reese spoke in the interest of the Army and Navy Commission at the luncheon hour. He exhibited the portable altars used by the Chaplains, also the silver Church Cross given to all boys in the service.

Exceptional interest was manifested at these meetings and many requests came

forth for meetings for the Fall, but due to the gas and tire situation as a war measure all meetings were reluctantly canceled.

I have written a number of letters, some in connection with Area Meetings and some at the request of the Finance Committee.

Respectfully submitted,

SHIRLEY GORDON CARLISLE,
(Mrs. M. D.)
Vice President,
Southwest Convocation.

VICE PRESIDENT, NORTHEAST CONVOCATION

As Vice President of the Northeast Convocation for 1942, I have only "effort" to report.

I attended the Diocesan Council at Waco and two Board meetings. I wrote to several parishes in the spring, trying to arrange Area meetings, but tire rationing prevented our being able to have any.

It has been a pleasure and a benefit to me to meet with the Board. We, the Board members, appreciate and are most grateful to Mrs. Japhet for her splendid leadership.

MRS. DARWIN S. COLLINS,
Vice President,
Northeast Convocation.

VICE PRESIDENT, SOUTHEAST CONVOCATION

As Vice President of the Southeast Convocation, I beg to submit the following report:

The Dean of the Southwest Convocation, Reverend George Cameron, felt it to be inadvisable to try to hold Convocations during the year of 1942, due to pressure of War Work and increasing transportation difficulties.

Various Parishes were hostesses to nearby Parishes in neighborhood meetings, notably one held March 5, 1942, in Port Arthur, to which all the women in the towns adjoining were invited to hear Mrs. Japhet, Diocesan President, and Mrs. Julia Coddou, Chairman of the Committee on Christian Social Relations.

Before the December, 1942, Board Meeting, your Vice President contacted all the Parishes and Missions in the Convocation, nine in number, by letter, sending each President a questionnaire regarding the activities in her Association. The result showed that all groups participated in various War Activities throughout the year, though all did not hold regular Association Meetings during the summer months.

All the Associations had an organized plan of study for the year. Most of them were following suggestions from the Department of Education. Many studied "Christian Roots in American Democracy" by Arthur E. Holt. Some began the studies on South America.

Your Vice President has attended all Board Meetings and those of special committees and has written thirty-eight letters on Diocesan and Convocational business.

Respectfully submitted,

VIRGINIA ORTON GATES,
(Mrs. Marshall D.)
Vice President, Southeast Convocation.

RECORDING SECRETARY

It has been my very good fortune and great privilege to attend every Corporate Communion service, luncheon and meeting of the Executive Board.

The minutes of the meeting of the Council at St. Paul's, Waco, were written and copies mailed to the Year Book, The Texas Churchman, the Journal, Provincial President, and the National Office.

The minutes of the four Executive Board meetings of the year were written and copies mailed to each Board member, Texas Churchman, and the Provincial President.

Have been responsible for the arrangement and reservations for the luncheons at the quarterly Executive Board meetings.

Correspondence of the Executive Board has been carried on at the direction of the president.

The work of the Recording Secretary is more or less routine, but how happy I have been for this great privilege of serving my Church and Diocese in this capacity!

Respectfully submitted,

CAROLINE SWANSON RAWLINS,
(Mrs. G. R.)
Recording Secretary.

ANNUAL REPORT OF TREASURER

	Balance January 1942	Receipts	Total	Disburse- ments	Balance January 1043
Maintenance	\$105.49	\$ 425.00	\$ 530.49	\$ 497.16	\$ 33.33
Defense and War.....		175.50	175.50	75.00	100.50
Camp Allen	81.28	186.75	268.03	210.24	57.79
Minnie B. Taylor	71.20	166.00	237.20		237.20
Provincial	36.95	184.50	221.45	185.00	36.45
Rural Education	98.81	91.75	190.75	140.59	49.97
Diocesan Extension	85.00	354.00	439.00	300.00	139.00
Specials	29.43	56.75	86.18	25.00	61.18
Foreign Missionary Insurance	27.90	59.50	87.40	50.00	37.40
National Board	24.05	74.25	98.30	50.00	48.30
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	\$560.11	\$1,774.00	\$2,334.11	\$1,532.99	\$801.12

SAVINGS ACCOUNT

Balance January 1, 1942.....	\$748.29
Interest January 2, 1942.....	3.85
Interest July 1, 1942.....	3.76
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\$ 801.12 Checking Account.	\$755.90
755.90 Savings Account.	

\$1,557.02 Total Cash and Savings.

DISBURSEMENTS

<i>Maintenance</i>	
Book of Remembrance.....	\$ 41.81
Treasurer's Expense.....	5.00
Devotional Work.....	22.70
Expense Members to Board Meet- ing	48.14
Area Meetings.....	17.25
President's Expense.....	10.15
Christian Educational Work.....	51.17
Secretarial Expense.....	30.00
Council Program.....	3.50
Secretary's Expense.....	5.07
Year Books.....	209.98
Social Relations Work.....	15.00
Provincial Stamps.....	6.76
Publicity	12.63
Binding Year Books.....	3.00
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	\$ 497.16
	1,035.83

Total Disbursements.....	\$1,532.99
<i>Defense and War</i>	
Altar for Army and Navy.....	\$ 75.00
<i>Camp Allen</i>	
Improvements at Camp Allen.....	210.24
<i>Provincial</i>	
Pledge and Schools.....	185.00
<i>Rural Education</i>	
Isolated Work.....	44.10
Delegate to Convention.....	38.00
Social Relations Work.....	48.49
Donation to Girls Friendly.....	10.00
<i>Diocesan Extension</i>	
Diocesan Work.....	300.00
<i>Specials</i>	
Delegate to Synod.....	25.00
<i>Foreign Missionary Insurance</i>	
Insurance	50.00
<i>National Board</i>	
Dues	50.00

\$1,035.83

Respectfully submitted,
MARY LUCY DOW,
(Mrs. A. J.)
Treasurer.

BISHOP KINSOLVING MEMORIAL FUND

We began the year 1942 with a balance of.....	\$ 522.80
We received through gifts, St. Mark's Day offerings, and interest.....	551.23

	\$1,074.03
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On January 13, we withdrew..... 500.00
and a certified check for this amount was mailed to Mr. Dick Franklin, Trustee of the Protestant Episcopal Church Corporation, making a total invested of..... 5,000.00

The interest on this amount was..... 242.13

On December 31, in the savings account was a balance of..... 574.03

The Book of Remembrance was displayed at the Area Meeting at St. Paul's, Park Place; Good Shepherd, Houston; Trinity, Galveston; at a tea given by a group from Palmer Memorial, and at All Saint's, Austin.

A pilgrimage was made to St. David's, Austin, in May.

In each issue of the Texas Churchman, names were printed.

Eighty-nine names were received and inscribed this year. Thirty-four leaflets were mailed to bereaved persons, stating that the names of their loved ones had been inscribed in the Book and that a memorial gift of money had been made to the Scholarship Fund. Fifty-two leaflets were mailed to parishes.

About 200 letters were mailed, Mrs. Gaines, co-chairman, must be given credit for 150 of them.

Fifteen parishes participated in the St. Mark's Day offering.

Financial Statement

January 1, 1942

Balance	\$ 522.80
Total Gifts with 89 names.....	490.00
St. Mark's Day Offering From 15 Parishes.....	58.67
Interest, Savings Account.....	2.56

	\$1,074.03
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December 31, 1942

Withdrawn	500.00
Balance	\$ 574.03

Investment

To Protestant Episcopal Church Corp.....	\$ 500.00
Total Invested.....	5,000.00
Interest Received.....	242.13
For Seminary Students.....	242.13

Respectfully submitted,

MARIE H. WINDHAM
(Mrs. T. J.)

CAMP ALLEN REPRESENTATIVE

Camp Allen enjoyed a successful season despite depriving conditions. Many of the things which were needed at the beginning of the year were secured. After an appeal had been made to the Associated Women, Mrs. Katie H. Stricker started us off by donating a piano. Following this we obtained another piano, two piano

covers, transportation, tuning and repairs on two pianos already at camp, 100 Way-side Hymnals, 6 musical Hymnals, 50 Prayer Books, shades for the Bishop's cabin, curtains and rods for three campers' cottages, and \$500 which is to be used on the combination storage house and work shop before next season.

We also got freight on two row boats, four oars, 50 feet of rope, lumber, baseball bats, back stops for ball fields, a bath tub, a water cooler, dishes, and one large can opener.

The total cost of these items was \$210.24.

As the well-being and pleasure of the campers was enhanced by all these gifts from the association, we wish to thank you very much for your help and co-operation.

Please remember to send as many children and adults as possible to Camp Allen this year. Each parish can do this much to help.

Respectfully submitted,
GLADYS TUCKER,
(Mrs. E. P.)
Camp Allen Representative.

DEVOTIONAL CHAIRMAN

The year 1942 began with a Season of Prayer in January, followed by the World Day of Prayer in February. Leaflets were sent out at both times to all parishes and missions in the Diocese.

All requests for material have been answered during the year. Literature for the church-wide Day of Prayer on November the 11th were also distributed.

I have attended three board meetings during the year, and prepared devotionals for these meetings. Two devotions were prepared for the Council last January. Expenses for the year are:

Prayer Leaflets.....	\$13.39
Postage and Manila Envelopes.....	11.18
Expenses to Board Meetings.....	3.50
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	\$28.07

Respectfully submitted,
MARY ELLA KEALHOFER,
(Mrs. Starr)
Devotional Chairman.

CHRISTIAN SOCIAL RELATIONS WOMEN'S REPRESENTATIVE

Your representative on the Diocesan Department of Christian Social Relations reports as follows:

In January, I attended in Oklahoma City the Provincial meeting of the Department of Christian Social Relations called by the Rev. Dr. Almon R. Pepper, Executive Secretary of the National Department. We attended meetings for two full days. Dr. Pepper discussed with us the program of the Department of Christian Social Relations of the National Council. I returned and prepared for you a two years' suggested program, covering the part of the program that your Diocesan Department thought could be executed in the Diocese of Texas.

We prepared and mailed 150 copies of this suggested program to all the parishes

and missions and to the members of the Executive Board of the Associated Women. Special mention of the program was made in the Bi-monthly Bulletin of the National Department by Dr. Pepper.

From this program came many inquiries concerning the legislative suggestions. We then prepared a bulletin explaining each legislative objective and sent 1,150 copies of them to all churches in the Dioceses of Texas, Dallas, West Texas and District of North Texas, to our state legislators and Governor. Many letters have been received promising the support of these measures at the next legislature.

We are urging all women of the Diocese to write to their lawmakers to vote for these measures when they are presented for passage. Mrs. Violet Greenhill, Chief of the State Child Welfare Department, is sponsoring all of these measures. *We are helping her* with our letters and cards to do something that is needed very badly to help the work of the Child Welfare Department.

I have made 42 calls to Army Hospitals, taking flowers and then sending sick cards to all Episcopal boys in the Houston area that I could contact. I have also asked Houston clergy to call on these boys. Your Chairman asked Houston churches for games for the sick at Ellington Hospital. The response was splendid. I took 6 car loads of books and magazines to camps.

The Department gave your Chairman \$50 to buy games and cards to place on troop trains and boats. The boys were delighted to have these gifts. It is a long way across the water with only a deck of cards or two to while away the time.

The Executive Board of the Associated Women gave your Chairman \$75 to purchase a portable altar for an outpost. A bronze plaque was given us to place on the altar, reading "To the Glory of God—The Associated Women of the Diocese of Texas." Some day we may hear where this altar was used.

I have carried the work of the Department to Bellville, Eagle Lake, Port Arthur, and in Houston, to Trinity Church, Good Shepherd, St. Mary's, St. James', and St. Paul's.

Your Chairman is a member of the Army and Navy Commission of the Diocese and as such went to Alice, Texas, and spoke on the work that is being done in the Diocese of Texas. I have given 50 Prayer Books and War Crosses to soldiers and WAACS, 17 in Dallas to WAACS on their way to a training center.

With several other members of the Executive Board, I attended the Clergy Conference at Camp Allen and spoke on the work of the Department of Christian Social Relations.

The Department offered the following Resolution at the last meeting of the Executive Board of the Associated Women:

Resolved: That the Executive Board of the Associated Women of the Diocese goes on record as approving the plan of the Department of Christian Social Relations to bring to the attention of the Executive Board of the Diocese the fact that Church workers within parishes and missions of the Diocese have no Social Security or Retirement Protection; therefore it is urged that necessary steps be taken to correct this injustice.

The Rev. Mr. Riemann, Chairman of the Department, will present the Employees Retirement Plan of the Church Life Insurance Corporation at the Diocesan Council.

Respectfully submitted,

JULIA CODDOU,
Women's Representative,
Christian Social Relations.

REPORT

Church Periodical Club, January 1, 1942 to December 31, 1942
 The following report covers Church Periodical work in the following Parishes:

Trinity	Galveston	Grace	Alvin	All Saints.....	Austin
Calvary	Richmond	Calvary	Bastrop	Christ	Houston
Christ	Tyler	St. Georges.....	Port Arthur	Trinity	Houston
St. Cyprian's.....	Lufkin				

Current Magazines (Sent by subscription)	37
,,,(Regularly remailed)	51
Number of donors of current magazines.....	38
Bibles, Testaments, Prayer Books, Hymnals.....	79
Books (Theological and secular)	664
Christmas Gift	19
Tracts and Leaflets.....	1,800
Magazines in quantity.....	28,519
Newspaper supplements and funny papers.....	23 bds
Pictures	89
Games	28
Scrapbooks	177
Playing Cards	23
Calendars	25
Christmas Cards	1,525
Miscellaneous	32
Music: Books, 46 Sheets, 20 Records, 316.	

Institutions in Diocese aided: Hospitals, Army Camps, Seamen, Shut-Ins, Orphan Homes, Clergy, Naval Stations, Coast Guard, Red Cross, White and Colored Nurseries, Public Schools, United Charities, Playgrounds.

Outside of Diocese: Missions in Wyoming, Alaska, Arizona, Marines in Iceland.

Some of the most interesting work accomplished not of a routine nature has been our help in supplying ships and troop trains with reading matter, magazine subscriptions and Forward Day by Day and God Be With You Leaflets to the Army Chaplains. A box of books was sent to Iceland to one of our young men in the Marine Corp. These books arrived just about the time they were ordered back to the states, reading matter was so precious to these boys that this young captain brought the books back with him and later took them with him to Guadacanal for the use of his men.

The Church Periodical Club offers you an opportunity to serve your neighbor according to his need.

Financial Statement

Balance on hand January 1, 1942.....	\$ 7.62	Bishop Quinn		
Received from all sources.....	42.75	Book Fund	22.75	35.35
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	\$50.37	Balance on hand.....		15.02
Office Expense	\$ 7.62			
Library Fund	15.00			
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				\$50.37

Respectfully submitted,
 MRS. CARL G. SMITH, Director.

DAUGHTERS OF THE KING

As president of the Daughters of the King, I herewith submit the following report:

We have added an additional Chapter this year, at St. Mark's Church, Houston, making a total of thirteen (13) Senior Chapters and six (6) Junior Chapters.

We also appointed a Chairman to work with the Army and Navy Commission and through free will offerings we sent money to buy Green Altar Hangings for two Army Camps. One of the Chapters presented Mr. Gordon Reese a portable Communion Service to be used by one of our Army Chaplains.

It was our privilege to present the Mission at Pasadena, Texas, a Paten and Chalice, which incidentally is given to Missions only, by the Daughters of this Diocese.

We held our Spring Assembly May 16th, 1942 at Trinity Church, Galveston, guests of Benjamin Eaton Chapter,

and the Junior Daughters held their assembly at Trinity Church, Houston, October 3rd, 1942.

Both the Senior and Junior Chapters are doing Red Cross and other war activities. It is indeed gratifying to know that, not only the Senior Daughters but the Junior Daughters, are contributing to our Epiphany Fund; the Masters Fund; the Trinity Self Denial and the Lilly Funston Ward Missionary Fund for China. All are free-will gifts, or contributions, in line with our order, denoting Prayer and Service.

As this year closes may the New Year (1943) bring to the Daughters of the King and the Women of the Church, peace and Love that our Christ left us as a heritage.

Respectfully submitted,
FLORENCE GRIFFITH
(Mrs. E. C.)
Diocesan President,
Daughters of the King.

CONSTITUTION COMMITTEE

The Constitution Committee is composed of the following members: Mrs. H. K. Arnold, Chairman; Mrs. Hyram Salisbury, Mrs. Charles Womack, with Mrs. W. E. Japhet and Mrs. C. S. Quin as ex-officio members.

The committee submitted the revised Constitution to the Executive Board at the September meeting, and had copies of the approved instrument mailed to all Executive Board members and Presi-

dents of the parish and mission organizations throughout the Diocese for consideration.

The proposed changes in the Constitution are to be brought before the Annual Meeting for approval and adoptions.

Respectfully submitted,
MRS. H. K. ARNOLD,
Chairman
Constitution Committee

EDUCATIONAL CHAIRMAN

During the year 1942, continued emphasis has been placed on the value of regular well planned educational programs for women's groups. On the recommendation of the National Educational Secretary, Miss Avis Harvey, particular emphasis has been placed on the theme *Freedom Through Christ*. This theme includes the four subjects which

the entire Church has been asked to study by the Forward in Service Commission, namely: "Bases for a Just and Durable Peace," "Christian Family Life," "Race Relations", and "Latin America."

A circular letter was sent to the educational chairman or president of women's groups in every parish and mission in the Diocese with this information and

instructions as to ordering necessary material.

Visits have been made, when requested, to women's meetings held in numerous parishes and missions and talks made on all phases of women's work in the Church. Requests for information and for educational materials have been answered by mail and many personal conferences have been held with the educational chairman or president of women's groups.

Books and pamphlets necessary for the use of chairmen in promoting educational work have been procured from the funds allotted for this purpose. These materials will form part of the permanent Diocesan Library and may be borrowed on request of parish and mission educational chairmen.

I have attended all Executive Board Meetings of the Associated Women, served as a member of the program committee for the Annual Meeting, and attended the Forty-first Annual Meeting held at the Council in Waco.

As your representative on the Department of Christian Education, I have attended all of the meetings of the Department, served on the Committee to plan the Diocesan Mite-Box Presentation Service, and attended that service held in Bryan.

I attended the Church School Workers' Conference sponsored by the Department and held at Camp Allen in August, and led a discussion for teachers of the junior age group on Methods and Materials.

Two meetings of the Diocesan Committee on Cooperating Educational Centers were attended. Dr. D. A. McGregor, Chairman of the National Department

of Christian Education, was present at one, and Miss Charlotte Thompkins, a member of his staff, at the other. The work at the center for this Diocese, Trinity, Galveston, is progressing satisfactorily, and a second center is to be established soon in a smaller parish in the Diocese.

At the request of the Chairman of the Department, I spoke to the 1942 Clergy Conference on the *Opportunities Offered to the Diocese by the Department of Christian Education*.

Also, as a representative of the Department, I attended a meeting of the United Christian Education Advance—an interdenominational project held under the auspices of the International Council of Religious Education.

I have kept in constant touch with the members of the Diocesan Educational Committee and appreciate, more than I can say, their co-operation.

In closing, I would like to repeat the last paragraph of my 1941 report:

"Realizing that educational work functions not as a separate unit in women's work, but runs as a thread through the fabric of the whole structure, the members of the Executive Board of the Associated Women and members of the Department of Christian Education are untiring in their efforts to take advantage of every opportunity to further the educational phase of our women's work. For the share that I have had in working with them and with each one of you, I am deeply grateful."

Respectfully submitted,
MARGARET B. WILSON,
(Mrs. George D.)
Educational Chairman

DITTY BAG CHAIRMAN

The Ditty Bag Committee requested 598 bags from the Women's Organizations and Young People in 76 Parishes and Missions. Four hundred and ninety-nine bags were received and were delivered to the sailors in the Houston and Port Arthur ports on Christmas Day. Twenty bags were sent to the Temple Hospital in Temple, Texas.

The bags were most attractive and

there was a greater need for them than ever before. Some parishes sent more than the quota requested of them. "Thank You" notes were sent on receipt of all bags.

Respectfully submitted,

NELL C. HENDERSON,
(Mrs. Ralph)

Ditty Bag Chairman.

SUPPLY BOX CHAIRMAN

Boxes sent to the following Missions, Schools, Hospitals, etc.:	Value
St. Cyprian's School, Darian, Georgia, January, 1942.....	\$ 50.00
Express charges	2.50
Christ Church Mission, Schuyler, Va., January, 1942.....	258.16
Express charges	4.00
Foreign Missions Fund. May, 1942.....	200.00
St. John's Mission, Hospital, Jackson, Wyoming, November, 1942.....	200.00
Miss Marie Turley, Mishawaka, Indiana.....	5.00
Miss Coral Clark, Washington, D. C.....	5.00
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TOTAL.....	\$724.66
Parishes and Missions contributing.....	75
Approximate value of box on display to be sent to Indian Missions, Atmore, Alabama	\$325.00

Respectfully submitted,

MILDRED LESTER,
(Mrs. Robert)
Box Secretary.

RURAL EDUCATIONAL CHAIRMAN

In January a new feature was begun: The mailing of "Home Prayers" once a month, except the three summer months, to the Isolated in the Diocese. "Home Prayers" is a mimeographed sheet, written by the Rev. Allen W. Clark, of Calvary Church, Danvers, Mass., and sent out under the auspices of the Province of the Northeast. Each copy consists of a Bible Reading Reference, a 300 word sermon, and a closing prayer. A number of the Isolated have written appreciatively of this service, and the plan is to continue it.

The Forward Day-by-Day booklets were mailed regularly during the year to the

Isolated. For the past three years the cost of the booklets has been a contribution from Miss Maude Dixon of Christ Church, Houston.

In September, a nine months' supply of Church School material (Christian Living Series) was sent to eight Isolated children. One of the girls who has received this material the past three years is now teaching younger children in one of our Mission Churches.

During the year contributions for the United Thank Offering were received from three Isolated women.

At Christmas checks for \$2.50 and \$3.00 were received from two Isolated

women, expressing their appreciation of the contact they have with the Church through this department. One of these women wrote that she planned to make regular contributions in the future.

Total expenditures for the year, covering stationery, postage, Church School

material, Home Prayers, amounted to \$44.10.

Respectfully submitted,
ADELAIDE A. STEVENS,
(Mrs. C. H.)
Secretary to the Isolated

UNITED THANK OFFERING

The United Thank Offering for the year 1942 showed an increase over 1941 both in the amount sent in, and in the number of Parishes and Missions sharing in this phase of the work.

1941—Total was \$3479.76

Spring—55 Parishes—average offering—\$23.89

Fall —59 Parishes—average offering— 33.83

1942—Total was \$4106.33

Spring—60 Parishes—average offering—\$37.51

Fall —57 Parishes—average offering— 32.15

The Fall 1942 shows the effect of the war situation and the insecurity which has followed. But there never has been a time when Christian Missions had a more necessary function to perform and never has there been a time when citizens of the United States could be as thankful for their heritage and present living conditions. We need to stress the United Thank Offering in the year 1943 as never before.

MARY J. SALISBURY,
(Mrs. H. A.)
United Thank Offering Chairman.

PUBLICITY CHAIRMAN

Since taking office in September, 1942, to fill the unexpired term of the previous chairman, Mrs. E. W. Gross, I have written a letter to the Rector, or the Priest in charge, or to an interested and responsible lay person in every parish and mission in the Diocese, asking for the appointment of a reporter for the Texas Churchman. Of seventy-eight persons addressed, thirty-five have replied, furnishing names and addresses of regular reporters. I then wrote to these thirty-five reporters, and readdressed the clergy who had not replied, asking specifically for the sort of news suitable for the report of the women's work, published monthly in the Texas Churchman. Those who have replied have sent in much excellent and newsworthy material, and it is hoped that the others will follow suit.

I have written an article for the "Texas

Churchman" each month, combining as much of the news received about the women of the Diocese as it is possible to include in so limited a space as has been at our disposal. If the space be granted us, with the adoption of a new budget, we shall hope to have a whole Women's Page as a regular feature of the Churchman. It is devoutly to be hoped that such funds will be available. Free communication and exchange of ideas between small and large parishes, between rural and urban churches, lead to a lively interest, and to a broader sense of fellowship and responsibility among the sometimes widely separated, even isolated, readers of our Diocesan paper.

Respectfully submitted,
MARION H. MONTGOMERY,
(Mrs. R. M.)
Chairman of Publicity.

REPRESENTATIVE YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORK

As your representative for Young People's Work on the Executive Board of the Associated Women, the Adviser in Christian Education reports as follows:

I attended all meetings of the Executive Board, and the Diocesan Council at St. Paul's, Waco. A report was submitted at each meeting on the activities sponsored for the youth of the Diocese by the Department of Christian Education.

It is hoped that behind the words and figures contained herein may be visualized the real values that have come to boys and girls, to their leaders, and to the Diocesan life. The women of the Church through their cooperative and loyal efforts have had a large share in making these values possible. To them we express our appreciation.

An over view of the most important meetings and conferences for youth and their leaders will indicate how the Department has sought to fulfill its responsibilities to young people. The list includes:

An all-day meeting of the Diocesan Church School Commission for the purpose of giving such guidance as was needed to projects for the Church Schools.

A meeting of the Lenten Offering Committee to outline the promotional program and to plan the 1943 "Guide for Church School Leaders," a booklet for teachers, and a printed bulletin to be distributed to every Church School pupil.

Fifth Annual Conference of Church School Workers at Camp Allen. Attendance 78, representing 20 Church Schools. Discussion of practical methods and materials, through group conferences, proved particularly helpful to the workers.

Fifth Diocesan Festival Service for the Presentation of the Lenten offering. Attendance in spite of rubber shortage—200, representing 25 Church Schools. The total Lenten Offering was \$4802.89, which was \$388.53 less than that of 1941. 12 schools increased their offering 20% or more, 12 others showed some increase, 3 remained the same, and 27 had a decrease. A good educational program was carried on in most of the schools through the suggestions and helps offered in the "Guide for Leaders."

Two all-day meetings of the Young Churchmen's Executive Board with 75% of its members present at each meeting. The program for the Sixth Annual Council and activities for the year were planned.

Seven area meetings for Young Churchmen. The theme was "Forward in Prayer and Worship," with special emphasis on the Rule of Life. Attendance—322, representing 38 churches. Seventy-two more personalities were touched this year than in 1941 when Convocation meetings were held.

A Negro Young Churchmen's Rally, which used the same theme and schedule as the area meetings. Attendance—15, representing 3 missions.

Sixth Annual Council of Young Churchmen at Camp Allen. "The Challenge of the Crisis to Christian Youth" proved to be a timely and excellent theme to stimulate and guide the thinking of the young people. Attendance—209, representing 23 parishes, 10 missions, and 92 youth groups.

Five camps and conferences at Camp Allen: Junior Boys' and Girls' Camps, Young Adult's Conference, the Church School Workers' Conference, and the new venture of a Young People's Conference. 271 campers and leaders shared in the splendid program of the summer.

"The Guide Lines for a Parish Educational Program," published by the National Council, was used extensively as the basis for determining courses and activities for Church Schools throughout the Diocese. The Birthday Thank Offering showed an

increase of \$55.25 over 1941 and totalled \$175.20 from 27 Church Schools. On the basis of the assignment from National, the Christmas Box project went "over the top" again:

	Assignment	Sent	Value
Foreign: To Hawaii.....	\$ 45.00	\$ 45.00	\$ 45.00
Domestic: To Negroes and Mountaineers.....	522	766	Gifts 357.00
Total Value of Gifts.....			\$402.00

The Department has continued to emphasize the program of the United Movement of the Church's Youth and has publicized through meetings, letters, and "The Texas Churchman": The Rule of Life, Whitsunday Corporate Communion for all confirmed young people, Youth Sunday Observance and the Youth Offering. The response to all projects except the Youth Offering has been gratifying. Only 11 churches shared in the offering as compared with 20 last year. The total offering was \$125.12, or \$46.60 less than in 1941. Congratulations are extended to the young people of Christ Church, Houston, for their offering of \$43.44.

The Rev. P. W. Henckell was appointed recently as chairman of the Youth Commission, which will meet in January to plan an intensive and extensive interpretation program for the activities of the Young Churchmen and the United Movement of the Church's Youth. To further its purpose, the Commission will help also to expedite the program planned by the Young Churchmen's Executive Board to carry forward its work among young people.

Three-day Leadership Training Institutes were conducted for the Church School workers of St. Mark's, Beaumont, and St. Mark's, West University Place. Two to three days each were devoted to the educational programs of Trinity, Galveston, Christ Church, Tyler, and St. Paul's, Waco. The discussion of methods and materials with the Rectors, Church School Superintendents, teachers, youth workers, and other leaders was carried on through group meetings and personal conferences.

1942 showed a marked seriousness about the work done in Christian Education by youth and adults alike through their churches and in connection with the Diocesan program. This same seriousness characterized meetings, and conferences, resulting in the increased effectiveness of programs.

Respectfully submitted,

LYNETTE GIESECKE,
Adviser in Christian Education
Diocese of Texas

FORTY-SECOND ANNUAL MEETING

Of the Associated Women of the Church in the Diocese of Texas
Christ Church, Houston, Texas
January 26 and 27, 1943

MINUTES

The Associated Women of the Church in the Diocese of Texas met in Annual session January 26, 1943, in Houston, Texas. The meeting opened at 11:00 a. m.

Mrs. W. E. Japhet, President, called the meeting to order in the Guild Hall of Christ Church, Houston, Texas.

After the opening hymn, "Rise, Crowned with Light," greetings were extended from the Houston Churches by Mrs. A. Balfour Patterson of Christ Church.

The following announcements were made: that Mrs. George D. Wilson would

act as Chairman of Dispatch of Business; Mrs. T. W. Sumners would be the pianist; and that Mrs. John McWhirter, Mrs. Carroll Winston, Mrs. Peggy Weaver, Mrs. Joseph Lockett, Mrs. C. A. Russell, Mrs. C. J. Mullings, Mrs. Henry Brant and Mrs. J. C. Hines would be the pages.

The News sheets and reports of the Executive Officers were distributed to the delegates and visitors.

The Diocesan Officers were introduced.

Mrs. H. F. Selcer, Trinity, Marshall, was appointed Courtesy Chairman.

Mrs. C. H. Stevens, Rural Education, called attention to the poster on Rural Education.

The Noon-day Devotionals were given by Mrs. Charles S. Sumners, St. David's, Austin, Texas.

The meeting then adjourned to meet again promptly at 2:00 p. m.

Tuesday Afternoon, January 26, 1943

The afternoon session of the Associated Women of the Church in the Diocese of Texas, was called to order at 2:00 p. m. by the president, Mrs. W. E. Japhet.

The meeting opened with prayer led by Mrs. Earl Milstead, St. David's, Austin, which was followed by the hymn, "O Sion, Haste, Thy Mission High Fulfilling."

Roll call revealed 85 delegates and 58 visitors present, representing 26 parishes and 8 missions.

Mrs. H. K. Arnold, chairman of the Constitution Committee, presented the following changes in the Constitution and By-laws:

Article I—to include both name and object. Section 1 being name and Section 2 being object. Motion made, seconded, and carried that the change of Article I be accepted.

Article II—MEMBERSHIP—to include a statement of what constitutes good standing as a parish or mission organization. Mrs. Gates moved the adoption of the changes in Article II. Seconded, motion carried.

Article III—OFFICERS—to combine the office of Recording Secretary and Corresponding Secretary, and to include as elected officers all the Chairmen of standing committees, already outlined in the Year Book, with the addition of a chairman of a Permanent Nominating Committee. The immediate past-president is included as a member of the Executive Board. Motion made and carried that the changes in Article III be accepted.

Article IV—MEETINGS—Section 4, to state that members of the Executive Board shall be entitled to vote at the Annual Meeting. Motion made and carried that changes in Article IV be accepted.

BY-LAWS

Article I—Duties of Officers.

Section 19—The members of the National Council, the wife of the Bishop, and the past president shall serve in an advisory capacity on the Executive Board.

Article II—Dues.

Section 3—Change the Finance Committee so that it shall be composed of the President, the Treasurer, and the four Convocational Vice-presidents.

Article IV—Election of Officers.

Section 3—Change the groups as follows:

- (a) President, Vice-president, Educational Chairman, Church Periodical Club Chairman, Nominating Chairman, Publicity Chairman.
- (b) Vice-presidents of the Northeast and Southwest Convocations, Secretary, United Thank Offering Treasurer, Treasurer, Rural Education Chairman, Ditty Bag Chairman, Devotional Chairman.

(c) Vice-presidents of the Northwest and Southeast Convocations, Supply Department Chairman, Camp Allen Chairman, Bishop Kinsolving Memorial Fund Chairman, Christian Social Relations Chairman.

Article VII—Amendments—Add Roberts Rules of Order to be used as the authority on procedure.

A motion was made and carried, that the changes in the By-Laws be accepted.

The hymn, "Come, Gracious Spirit" was sung.

Report of the Budget Committee was given by the Chairman, Mrs. A. J. Dow, when the Budget for 1943 was presented as follows:

Maintenance Fund.....	\$ 300.00
War and Defense Fund.....	185.00
Camp Allen.....	100.00
Minnie B. Taylor Fund.....	250.00
Provincial Pledge.....	185.00
Rural Education.....	80.00
Diocesan Extension.....	300.00
Specials	100.00
Foreign Missionary Insurance.....	50.00
National Board.....	50.00
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	\$1,600.00

Mrs. Dow reported that at the Executive Board meeting, it had been voted to send \$100.00 to the Presiding Bishop's Fund for World Relief; \$45.00 toward the Bishop Rowe Memorial Fund for the building of a Diocesan House in Alaska; and \$500.00 for a handicraft building at Camp Allen. A motion was made and carried that the Budget, as presented for 1943, be accepted.

Mrs. Quin explained that in the Diocesan Budget, there is a fund for the expenses of 5 Clergy and Laymen, five women and three youth representatives to the Triennial and the Special Fund in the Budget of the Associated Women of the Church, helps with the expenses of the five women delegates.

Mrs. H. K. Arnold, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, presented the following names for election of Officers under Group A.

President—Mrs. W. E. Japhet, Christ Church, Houston.

Vice-president—Mrs. Starr Kealhofer, St. David's, Austin.

Educational Chairman—Mrs. George D. Wilson, Trinity, Houston.

Church Periodical Chairman—Mrs. Carl Smith, Trinity, Galveston.

Nominating Chairman—Mrs. Marshall Gates, St. George's, Port Arthur.

Publicity Chairman—Mrs. Roderick Montgomery, Trinity, Houston.

Group B—Devotional Chairman, Mrs. Lee Dittert, St. Mary's, Bellville.

Group C—Vice-president Northwest Convocation, Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, All Saints, Austin.

There being no nominations from the floor, Mrs. Gates made a motion that the nominations be closed and the report of the Nominating Committee be accepted.

Mrs. Coddou made a motion that the secretary be instructed to cast the vote for the officers as presented by the Nominating Committee. Duly seconded, motion carried.

The secretary cast the vote for the officers as presented by the Nominating Committee.

Mrs. H. K. Arnold, chairman of the Nominating Committee presented the following for proposed delegates to the Triennial:

Mrs. W. E. Japhet—Houston.

Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, Jr.,—Austin.

Mrs. George D. Wilson—Houston.

Mrs. Ben Phillips—Galveston.

Mrs. Lee Dittert—Bellville.

Nominations were asked from the floor and the name of Mrs. H. F. Selcer, Marshall, was presented.

Motions was made and carried that the nominations be closed.

The vote was cast by ballot and while waiting for returns, Mrs. Quin told of the plans for the Triennial Convention as prayerfully planned by the National Board.

Due to conditions, the time of the Triennial will be shortened to eight days, and since the government is using so many buildings and hotels, and the restrictions on travel, the number of persons attending the Triennial will have to be curtailed; hence, only the delegates will be received at the meetings, thus greater responsibility will be placed on each delegate to bring the most of the meetings back to the Diocese and Parishes.

Mrs. Robert Lester, Supply Box Chairman, told about the Supply Box on display, which is to be sent to the Indian Missions (St. Anne's, St. Mary's and St. John's). Atmore, Alabama.

Mrs. Gates told of the accident which had befallen Mrs. T. J. Windham, and asked that the secretary write a note of condolence to Mrs. Windham and that flowers be sent from this body.

Mrs. Selcer made a motion that a free will offering be taken for flowers for Mrs. Windham, whereupon, she amended the motion to be a gift instead of flowers. Seconded, the motion as amended, carried. Mrs. Gaines was appointed Chairman of a committee to purchase the gift.

Announcements were made regarding the meetings on Wednesday.

Mrs. Carl Smith, Church Periodical Club Chairman, explained the printed report and that a better report will appear in the year book due to more parish reports having been received.

Report from the balloting committee revealed the following were elected as delegates to the Triennial:

Mrs. W. E. Japhet—Houston.

Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, Jr.—Austin.

Mrs. Lee Dittert—Bellville.

Mrs. George D. Wilson—Houston.

Mrs. Ben Phillips—Galveston.

The Nominating Committee then presented the following names for Alternates to the Triennial:

Mrs. Hiram Salisbury—Houston.

Mrs. Julia Coddou—Houston.

Mrs. A. J. Dow—Galveston.

Mrs. Charles Comfort—Port Arthur.

Mrs. Kelsy Lamb—Beaumont.

Nominations were asked from the floor and Mrs. Charles S. Sumners, Austin, and Mrs. H. F. Selcer, Marshall, were nominated. The ballots were collected by the tellers.

Report from the tellers on election of the Alternates to the Triennial revealed the following were elected:

Mrs. A. J. Dow—Galveston.

Mrs. Hiram Salisbury—Houston.

Mrs. H. F. Selcer—Marshall.

Mrs. Julia Coddou—Houston.

Mrs. Charles S. Sumners—Austin.

The Bishop sent word that the Council was waiting on the Associated Women

of the Church for a Joint Session; whereupon, the meeting was closed with prayer and the members joined the Council in Joint Session in the Church.

Wednesday, January 27, 1943

The meeting of the Associated Women of the Church in the Diocese of Texas was again called to order at 9:30 a. m. by the President, Mrs. W. E. Japhet, in the Guild Hall of Christ Church, Houston.

The meeting opened with prayer by Mrs. Charles S. Sumners, St. David's, Austin.

The minutes of the afternoon session of January 26th, were read and accepted.

Mrs. C. S. Quin made a motion that the report of the balloting committee showing the result of the election of Alternates to the Triennial be included in the minutes of the previous afternoon session. Seconded, the motion carried and the names were inserted as read in the previous minutes.

Mrs. George D. Wilson, Program chairman, gave an outline of the program for the inspirational part of the meeting.

Devotionals were led by Mrs. Brady Cole, of St. Stephen's, Houston.

Mrs. Richard S. Watson, Trinity, Houston, gave a most timely and interesting talk on "What have we that we may invest for God?"—stressing the great need of investing ourselves for God through mind, body, and spirit.

Mrs. Percy V. Pennybacker, Jr., All Saints, Austin, held a discussion on the practical application of the theme, "Adjustments and Responsibilities in a Changing World," when different individuals reported on specific instances in their departments.

Mrs. Julia Coddou, chairman of the Christian Social Relations, told of the plans for the department. She reported on the favorable results of the meeting of the Texas Conference of Social Welfare, held recently, in Austin, when the eight legislative objectives of the department were endorsed by the A. A. U. W., American Legion, American Legion Auxiliary, Parent-Teacher Association Congress, Federation of Club Women, Bar Association, Junior League, County Judges and Commissioner's Association, League of Women Voters, Business and Professional Women, County Advisory Commission, and Texas Welfare Agencies. She stressed the very important resolution known as S. J. R. No. 3, which is a joint resolution calling for the submission on the proposed Constitutional Amendment giving the legislature "Power by general laws to provide under such limitations, restrictions and regulations, as may be deemed by the legislature expedient, legislation providing financial aid to dependent children to conform with the Federal Security Act in its present form." In other words, it is to ask for a Constitutional Amendment that the legislature may pass laws to insure this aid, just as we did for the Old Age Pension. She suggested that now was the time for each individual to write to their representative urging his support for this resolution S. J. R. No. 3.

Mrs. George D. Wilson outlined the plan of the educational program for the coming year. The women of all parishes and missions have been asked to co-operate through the study of the following four subjects:

Basis for Just and Durable Peace, Race Relations, Christian Family, and Latin America. The packets for these subjects of study may be obtained from the Department of Christian Education, 1117 Texas Avenue. Each Parish Educational Program chairman is asked to plan a definite program on each of the above subjects with individuals assuming their share in the educational work.

Incidents of practical applications of the Theme "Adjustments and Responsibilities in a Changing World" were cited by representatives of many parishes, St. Paul's, St. James', Palmer Memorial, Houston; St. Phillip's, Palestine, and All Saints, Austin.

Suggestions for material for study groups were made as follows:

Mrs. M. D. Gates recommended Pearl Buck's book, "America and the World Today"; Mrs. W. H. Hogue, the booklets on the follow up of the Malvern Conference and the Delaware Conference; Mrs. Pennybacker, "Christian Women in the Home" by Dr. Robert Sutherland.

Area Meetings, which develop greater fellowship and understanding, were discussed and substitutions for these were suggested; that we plan to visit other meetings when possible and that the Texas Churchman be used to promote programs in different vicinities. From this discussion came this one valued thought, that each individual budget her time considering the need of the Church first, relative to mind, body, and soul.

Mrs. Lee Dittert, Bellville, the newly elected Devotional Chairman, was introduced.

Bishop Quin blessed the Missionary Box on display, which is to be sent to the Indian Missions (St. Anne's, St. Mary's, and St. John's) Atmore, Alabama.

The Chairman, Mrs. W. E. Japhet, extended thanks and appreciation to the women of Christ Church for the lovely decorations of the Guild Hall.

Mrs. Eugene Haynie, St. David's, Austin, announced a History of St. David's had been compiled and that the books could now be purchased.

Mrs. H. F. Selcer, Trinity, Marshall, expressed appreciation of the body to the women of Christ Church and the Associated Women of the Church in the Diocese of Texas for the splendid and very interesting meetings.

The Forty-second Annual Meeting of the Associated Women of the Church in the Diocese of Texas was adjourned and dismissed with prayer by the Right Reverend Clinton S. Quin, Bishop of the Diocese of Texas.

Recording Secretary,

CAROLINE SWANSON RAWLINS,
(Mrs. G. R. Rawlins)

Minutes of the Twenty-Third Annual Assembly

DAUGHTERS OF THE KING Diocese of Texas

The Twenty-Third Annual Assembly of the Daughters of the King, of the Diocese of Texas met in Trinity Church, Houston, Texas, January 25, 1943.

The regular business session of the Daughters of the King opened at 2 p. m., the President, Mrs. E. C. Griffith, presiding.

Three verses of the Hymn of the Order were sung, followed by the Motto of the Order.

The Devotional was led by Mrs. O. C. Bryan of Houston.

The address of welcome was given by Mrs. L. W. Mattison, and the response by Mrs. W. P. Craddock, both of Houston.

Mrs. W. E. Japhet, President of the Associated Women of the Diocese of Texas, spoke of a need for a unified program for all the women of the Church.

Mrs. Griffith announced the Corporate Communion for the Associated Women of the Church to be celebrated at 7:30 a. m., January 27, 1943, at Christ Church, the Rev. John E. Hines celebrant.

Following this service, Mrs. Richard S. Watson spoke of Adjustments and Responsibilities in a Changing World.

Mrs. W. B. Coffey, St. Mark's Church, Houston, spoke of the need to carry on the work of the Daughters of the King, and stressed the need for the habit of prayer.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The Rev. J. Lawrence Plumley spoke of Daughters of the King as the finest organization in women's work in the Church. In an inspirational talk on the Risk of Prayer, Mr. Plumley said prayer is a lifetime of vital contact of the soul with God.

The secretary's report was read and approved.

The treasurer's report was filed as read.

Roll Call of Senior Daughters brought response from nine Chapters.

The President gave a splendid report of the year's activities, and reported all committees as functioning well throughout the year.

The Trinity Self Denial Chairman, Mrs. H. C. Nagel, reported the purchase of a Chalice and Paten for St. Peter's Mission, Pasadena, Texas, and reported presenting those to the Mission November 1, 1942. Mrs. Nagel also spoke of a Chalice and Paten now in the Bishop's office, which might be used at some future time.

Mrs. Holger Jeppeson reported presenting Altar Hanging given her by St. Peter's Church, Brenham, Texas, for St. Peter's Mission at Pasadena.

Extension Chairman Mrs. H. L. Thompson reported one new chapter, St. Mark's, Houston.

The report on Army and Navy Commission work was given by Mrs. Garbade for Miss Pauline Labit of Galveston. The money collected through offerings to the Super-Frontal Fund was turned over to Mr. Reese.

The report of the Junior Directress, Miss Louise Jones, as given by Mrs. Gary Gillis, showed four active Chapters of the Junior Daughters of the King, with 32 members.

Resignations were read from the Vice-President, Margaret Duer, and from the Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. Theba Smith.

Necrology—Mrs. J. T. Rembert.

"Loved long since, and lost awhile."

Mrs. Minnie Andrus Spencer—Christ Church, Houston.

Gracious Father we ask you to bless these Daughters of this Holy Order who have gathered here today to pay tribute to those whom Thou hast called home during this past year to dwell with Thee. Comfort those who may have a loved one among this number. Give them peace and understanding, and the knowledge that Thou knowest best. Watch over us and help us so that when Thou summonest us home, we may be worthy to live with them, and with those who have gone before.

Be it resolved that a copy of these resolutions be sent each family, and one spread on the minutes of this assembly.

Resolutions—Mrs. Ed. F. Hail.

Be it resolved that we extend a vote of thanks to the Rev. Richard S. Watson of Trinity Church, Houston, and to the women of Trinity Parish for their kind hospitalities extended to us during our assembly, and that we extend our thanks to our officers and their assistants, for their untiring efforts in carrying on the work of the Order, in such a splendid manner, and to all others who helped to advance the work of the Order.

We also wish to express our appreciation to the Rev. J. Lawrence Plumley for the inspirational talk and to the Rev. Thomas W. Sumners for the Quiet Hour, and to the Rev. John E. Hines, celebrant for Corporate Communion.

Nominations:

Mrs. Holger Jeppeson, Chairman.

For Vice President—Mrs. Chenault O'Brien.

For Secretary-Treasurer—Mrs. James C. Leyendecker.

Mrs. O'Brien was elected Vice President, and Mrs. Leyendecker, Secretary-Treasurer.

Mrs. Joe Drane, with Mrs. H. L. Thompson, as co-chairman, were appointed as Directresses of Junior Daughters.

An announcement was made of the Triennial to be held in Cleveland, Ohio, in October, 1943.

The Rev. Thomas W. Sumners held the service of Renewal of Vows, followed by a Quiet Hour, during which the Rev. Sumners spoke of filling one's self with Christ, God is Love, but most important is God's love for man. The answer to all real prayer is God's answer: "Abide with Me." Responsibilities are worthless in life if they do not bear fruit. We must glorify Christ by our way of life.

The Rev. Mr. Sumners dismissed the meeting with a prayer.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. THEBA SMITH,
Diocesan Secretary
Daughters of the King
Diocese of Texas.

WHAT HAVE WE THAT WE MAY INVEST FOR GOD?

We have come once more to our Diocesan Council here in the Diocese of Texas with the hope in the heart of each of us that we may find new ideas and new inspiration for our work for the Kingdom of God. It is my first experience in this particular fellowship, and I assure you that I was both humbled and honored at being asked to speak to you. I only hope that the thoughts of those whose books and articles I have read, together with my own thinking, may give us a springboard for discussing our problems of adjustments and responsibilities in this changing world.

This changing world—what a phrase! Events move so swiftly that we cannot say the words before another change has taken place somewhere. Is it any wonder that there is confusion in our minds when there is such confusion all about us?

Save! Invest! Do without! Do your part for the Red Cross—knit, sew, roll bandages, join the Motor Corps, the Canteen! Do your part for Civilian Defense! Entertain Service men! Join the WAVES, the WAAACS, the WASPS! Plant a Victory Garden! Buy War Stamps and Bonds! Invest! All of this sound at home while the noise of bombs and battle comes to us over the air. The con-

fusion of sound is terrific. Where can we find some order out of this chaos?

"God is our hope and strength, a very present help in trouble."

The words of a very familiar hymn come to me:

God is working His purpose out
As year succeeds to year;
God is working His purpose out,
And the time is drawing near;
Nearer and nearer draws the time,
The time that shall surely be,
When the earth shall be filled with the
glory of God
As the waters cover the sea.

What can we do to work God's work,
To prosper and increase
The brotherhood of all mankind,
The reign of the Prince of Peace?
What can we do to hasten the time,
The time that shall surely be,
When the earth shall be filled with the
glory of God
As the waters cover the sea.

What have we that we may invest for
God?

Let us try to be very simple and very realistic in answering that question. We have *ourselves* to invest for God—mind,

body, and spirit. If it is that simple, you are thinking, then why go any further? It isn't quite so simple if we face with perfect honesty the problems involved.

If we would invest our minds for God, what would we encounter? This is not just another war we are fighting; it is a world revolution—a social revolution—a people's revolution, in fact. Our old modes of thought are not adequate to fit the present pattern.

Where we once had a problem of race more or less limited to three areas in this country, the Negro in the South, the Oriental on the West coast, and the Indian on various reservations, now we have a world problem. Africa, India, the South Pacific, Alaska, China, Japan, Latin America—the problem covers the whole earth.

We still have our own racial minorities which are our immediate concern—13,000,000 Negroes limited in opportunity because of race, Japanese Americans, many of them Christian citizens as you and I are, interned because of race, to mention only two.

In her radio talk on "Undergirding the Racial Minorities," given in her series last year on "Women in a Changing World," Miss Edith Lowry says, "Still another group that is suffering intensely now because of misunderstanding is the European refugee. With the involvement of the United States in the war, the position of these newcomers who have not yet become citizens is difficult and trying and we recognize the problem the Government faces in these days of tension. Only in a land of Christian ideals could strangers take refuge as they have done. Technically they are "enemy aliens" and yet, having suffered for the sake of the democratic way of life, they have even more zeal and passion to defend the democracy of America. Their foreign accent sets them apart and in these days of tension, suspicion surrounds them. The national agencies of the churches are trying to aid them but in our own communities they need our friendship and Christian love. . . .

"The history of racial minority groups is one of the most tragic pictures ever re-

corded and is a complete denial of the ideals of Christ. Because of race some are denied equal educational opportunities, recreational facilities and health services that we claim are essential to childhood. Because of race, full participation in community life and the use of the ballot are denied some citizens of America. Because of race, some citizens have been denied justice before the law."

In Sunday's *Houston Post* appeared this small article: "Archbishops Ask England to Give Jews Sanctuary."

LONDON, Sunday, Jan. 24.—(AP) The archbishops of Canterbury, York and Wales appealed to the British government Saturday "to give a lead to the world" by declaring its readiness to cooperate with the Allied and neutral countries in finding an immediate sanctuary in the British empire and elsewhere for Jewish refugees from Axis countries.

"The bishops of England and Wales," the joint statement issued in the name of the whole Anglican episcopate said, "declare the sufferings of these millions of Jews and their condemnation, failing immediate rescue, to cruel and certain death, constitute an appeal to humanity which is impossible to resist."

Time Magazine of a week or so ago quotes Dr. McGregor of our own National Council in his address to New York clergymen:

"He offered an immediate three-point program: (1) the church must insist that there is a God who is the final authority over life'; (2) develop 'international life . . . by strengthening her missions work'; (3) 'find a new pattern of interracial relationships . . . Men and women of all races are one family in Christ.'"

News Week of January, 1943, gives an account of the organization of a powerful group of 38 Protestant leaders into the "Christian Conference on War and Peace." Our own Presiding Bishop Tucker is one of them. They announced a formation of principles backed by a program for action. One of their aims is "the elimination of race discrimination."

What can we do to work God's work,
To prosper and increase
The brotherhood of all mankind,
The reign of the Prince of Peace?

Let us take another look at what we encounter if we invest our minds for God. What of our economic problem?

I should like to recommend to you a series of books by Stuart Chase, the general title of which is "When the War Ends." Only two have been written so far, "The Road We Are Traveling: 1914-1942" and "Goals For America: A Budget of Our Needs and Recources." Four more are to follow. I feel like the reviewer in the Christian Century who said after reading the first, "this reviewer is prepared to jump right off the deep end and declare that every American who takes responsibility for helping anybody else think—and this includes members of families—should place his order sight unseen for the entire half-dozen, to be delivered as they are published in the next few months."

Let me give you Mr. Chase's picture of certain needs and desires as he states them in "The Roads We Are Traveling," page 83.

"If you hold your ear close to the ground, you can hear a muffled roar echoing around the whole world. It does not come from bombs, or thunder on the Russian front. It is the voice of the people demanding security and an end to the paradox of plenty. It is the revolt of the masses asking for the food which farmers let rot upon the ground or dump into the streams. This subterranean roar is the most powerful force in the world today. Statesmen who listen to it will be upheld. Statesmen who shut their ears will be buried, no matter how lofty their sentiments about freedom and initiative.

Science and invention have put an adequate standard of living within the reach of every family in the great industrial nations. Ultimately it will be within the reach of every family in the world. The mass of the people know this. Yet the standard of living which they might have does not come through to the great majority of them. Why does it not come through to them? It is there for all to

see—13 million bales of cotton in storage, 500 million bushels of wheat in granaries in the United States, 60 million bags of coffee burned in Brazil—why does it not come through? The authorities reply that the market cannot tolerate it, or that the laws of property forbid it. Do you think these answers, however legal and logical, are going to satisfy the masses? They are asking a revolutionary question which demands a revolutionary answer."

Again quoting Mr. Chase in his "Goals For America" (pages 3, 4):

"Someday the bombers will be grounded, the bugles will sound, and the war will end. All-out total wars cannot be maintained indefinitely. If the end comes within the next three or four years, the physical picture of the American economy promises to look something like this:

A vast force of trained workers in the war industries to be demobilized and shifted to peacetime occupations. They may be expected to insist vigorously on re-employment.

An industrial plant greatly expanded, especially for the production of machinery and such materials as light metals, rubber, other synthetics and plastics.

Machine tools—the machines which make machines—in great profusion.

An agricultural plant specializing in crops of high nutritional value, and capable of supplying far more than our own population.

A very great increase in electrical energy.

A vast budget of postponed wants to be filled—houses, clothing, automobiles, tires, radios, washing machines, durable consumers goods of all kinds. Incidentally, many consumers will have stored up purchasing power with which to buy them.

An insistant call from abroad for American food, supplies and industrial equipment.

An imperative demand for public works neglected during the war—conservation, hospitals, highways, schools, water systems, sewer systems, irrigation, transport facilities, and the like.

A promise of freedom from want to be redeemed.

Americans will find themselves with plenty of tasks to do. They will have the trained man power, the plant, the energy, the raw materials, the machine tools, to do it with. . . . There should be no material reason for not carrying American civilization forward, as well as supplying many victims of the war beyond our borders. We shall be physically equipped to do both.

Shall we be mentally prepared?"

Mr. Walter D. Fuller, president of the Curtis Publishing Company and Chairman of the Board of the National Association of Manufacturers, warned four hundred Pennsylvania bankers at Atlantic City that the people's revolution was coming fast.

"One thing is certain, the people of this country are fighting this war for a better world in which to live. They would like to get it through democracy, liberty and free enterprise. But they are determined to have this better world of greater security one way or another, and if they don't get it through present principles they will look elsewhere.

"The handwriting is on the wall. We either must cut the cloth to fit that pattern or the reformers and demagogues will.

"This country cannot return to 'the good old days' after this war, because those days just weren't good enough. They were the days when 28 million people were receiving some form of public assistance; when there were 10 million unemployed; when there was want amidst plenty. They were the days of idle money, idle men and idle plants." ("Goals for America," page 19.)

Quoting from the *Fortune* poll for July, 1942.

Mr. Chase gives us an insight into what the American masses want as he found it in the *Fortune* poll for July, 1942.

"They do not want a comprehensive system of 'socialism'—25 per cent for it, 40 per cent against it, 34 per cent on the fence. But 74 per cent of them want medical care for everyone who needs it; 74 per cent want old-age pensions for

every citizen over sixty-five; 68 per cent want jobs for everyone in public work if private work is not available; 58 per cent want unemployment compensation during the interim.

"Twice as many Americans believe that after the war life will be better than before, as believe the contrary; and more than twice as many believe that a young man will have more opportunity after the war than he had before.

"If the poll is reliable, it is manifest that the majority of Americans are looking for a better world when the war ends. They do not want new 'systems' or new ideologies, but they want jobs, public works, medical care and social security. They want the deed, not the word." ("Goals For America," pages 19, 20, 21.)

We could go on and on with the many problems crowding upon us — international relationships; what of our preparation for the peace that is sure to come; what of Christian family life today and tomorrow? Any settlement of these problems is impossible unless we are willing to invest our minds for God in seeking the answers.

We need also to invest our bodies for God. Certainly I never remember to have been so body-conscious before, do you? We in America are limited in our enjoyment of anything in the world we wanted for the first time in our lives. Oh, some of us may have had to do without some things, when our funds were low, but the chances are that we have all lived very comfortable lives. Now we are rationed, and our bodies are suddenly aware of the possibilities of discomfort, even though few of us here have really felt any discomfort as yet.

Classes of all sorts are offered to us—nutrition, first aid, home nursing, nurses' aid. Medical science has offered us every possible combination of vitamins for every known deficiency. We are indeed body-conscious.

How may we invest our bodies for God?

Our Lord gave us the answer. The body was so important to Him that He made it a part of His last service for us: "This is my body which is given for you."

Let us be quite honest for a moment. We are again in the midst of confusion, for so much is demanded of our time that our bodies are extremely weary. We try to crowd so many things into our lives that we do things by halves and then we are ashamed. The pressure of the Red Cross, Civilian Defense, and other war work is tremendous, and I don't minimize the importance of one bit of it. We must do it, but we cannot do it all. Most of us make the mistake of doing too much. We want to get on the band wagon; so we crowd our time with *doing* things. Many of us have lost our perspective.

One of Dr. Fosdick's earliest books, written years ago, made a lasting impression on my mind. The title of it is "Twelve Tests of Character." The heading of one of his chapters always brings me up short when I think about it—"First Things First." Are we really putting 'first things first'?

"This is my body which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me."

St. Paul has taught us that the Church is the body of Christ and that we are all members of that body. How many of us have ever thought of our bodies in that sense, as part of Christ's body? We treat our Church responsibilities so casually, never realizing that our absence means the severance of a part of that body which is vital to its life. Our physical presence in our Church and in its work is our first and most important payment on the investment of our bodies for God.

"Lord, what a change within us one short hour

Spent in Thy presence will avail to make!

.....
We kneel, how weak! We rise, how full of power!"

Do you think we shall ever learn the joy and power that can come to us if we invest our bodies for God?

Last and briefly, we have our spirits to invest for God. That is a simple but fundamental truth. We can know a lot

about many problems of the day; we can work our bodies to death, but the Kingdom of God is either brought nearer or is hindered for an unknown time by the spirit within each of us as we go about our daily living.

Do we have the courage of our convictions, or do we have any convictions?

Christ commanded: "Love thy neighbor as thyself," but what if our neighbor happens to have a yellow skin, or a red skin, or a black skin, or a brown skin?

Christ taught: "If a man sue thee for thy coat, give him thy cloke also," but do we really want better standards of living for all men enough to share with them the privileges that have always been ours?

Christ commanded: "Love the Lord, thy God, with all thy heart, and with all thy soul, and with all thy mind," but are we willing to face the implications of this command?

Our souls, hearts, spirits—call it what you will—our whole attitude toward the problems of the world is determined by the extent to which we actually practice the presence of God in our lives. Archbishop Temple in his book, "The Hope of a New World," says, "This world can be saved from political chaos and collapse by one thing only, and that is worship."

What have we that we can invest for God?

"Here we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies, to be a reasonable, holy, and living sacrifice unto thee."

MRS. RICHARD WATSON.

ANNUAL REPORT

The committee for the Annual Report wishes to thank the organizations and individuals who have cooperated by sending their reports in promptly.

I also desire to express my thanks and appreciation to Mrs. Markham Thompson for her help and support on this committee.

MARY ELLA KEALHOFER,

(Mrs. Tarr)

Chairman Year Book Committee

CONSTITUTION OF THE ASSOCIATED WOMEN OF THE CHURCH IN THE DIOCESE OF TEXAS

ARTICLE I—NAME AND OBJECT

Section 1. The name of this organization shall be The Associated Women of the Church in the Diocese of Texas.

Section 2. Being committed to the building of the Kingdom of God, the object of this Association shall be (a) to aid the Bishop, the Executive Board of the Diocese, and the National Council through the medium of the Executive Board of the Woman's Auxiliary to the National Council, (b) to promote the work of the Church in all Departments in the five fields of service: the Parish, the Community, the Diocese, the Nation, and the World.

ARTICLE II—MEMBERSHIP

The members of this Association shall consist of all women's organizations in the Diocese of Texas.

Any parish or mission organization which (a) shares in the Maintenance Fund, the United Thank Offering, and the Supply Department; (b) makes an annual report to the President of the Association, shall be considered in good standing.

ARTICLE III—OFFICERS

The officers of the Association shall be a President, a Vice-President, a Vice-President for each Convocation, a Secretary, a Treasurer, a United Thank Offering Treasurer, the following Chairmen of Committees: Devotional, Educational, Nominating, Supply Box, Church Periodical Club, Christian Social Relations, Bishop Kinsolving Memorial Fund, Publicity, Rural Education, Ditty Bag, Camp Allen; Representatives of the Young People's Work and of the Daughters of the King, and such others as shall be found necessary.

These officers and representatives, together with members and ex-members of the National Executive Board, the wife of the Bishop of the Diocese, and the immediate past-president, shall constitute an Executive Board to transact business between Annual Meetings, and to suggest general plans for the development of the women's work in the Diocese.

ARTICLE IV—MEETINGS

Section 1.—The Annual Meeting of the Association shall be held at the time and place of the Diocesan Council, the exact time to be arranged by the Executive Board.

Section 2. Each parish or mission is entitled to vote through its delegates. Organizations of less than twenty-five members are entitled to one delegate, up to fifty members, two delegates, up to seventy-five members, three delegates, more than seventy-five, four delegates. If there is no organized women's work, the rector or priest in charge or the Bishop may appoint a delegate.

Section 3. Each parish and mission is expected to be represented at the Annual Meeting.

BY-LAWS

ARTICLE I—DUTIES OF OFFICERS

Section 1. It shall be the duty of the President to preside at all meetings and perform all other duties appertaining to the office, including sending out of report blanks, annually in December, to all parishes and missions.

Section 2. It shall be the duty of the Vice-President to act in case the President is unable to serve. She shall be the Chairman of the Year Book Committee.

Section 3. It shall be the duty of the Vice-Presidents of the several Convocations to co-operate with the Diocesan President of the Associated Women, and the Deans of the Convocations in all Diocesan work, each in her own Convocation. She shall preside at the women's meetings of her Convocation and act as a liaison officer with the Diocesan Board of the Associated Women. She shall serve as a member of the Finance Committee and of the Permanent Nominating Committee.

Section 4. It shall be the duty of the Secretary to keep a record of proceedings of all meetings, prepare an annual report, and in the absence of the President and Vice-President call the meeting to order and preside until a Chairman is selected. She shall also keep a correct list of Officers and their addresses, give notices of all meetings, both the Annual Meetings of the Association, and other meetings of the Executive Board, and shall keep a record of the women's organizations in the parishes and missions and the Officers thereof. She shall carry on the correspondence of the Executive Board at the direction of the President.

Section 5. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to take charge of all monies (except the United Thank Offering and the Bishop Kinsolving Memorial Fund), disburse same according to instructions, and shall give a report of same at the Annual Meeting. The Treasurer's books shall be audited at least ten days before the Annual Meeting. The Treasurer shall be Chairman of the Finance Committee referred to in Article II, Section 3, By-Laws. Any lapsed balances that are in the Treasury in December, may be re-allocated by the Diocesan Executive Board, if it seems expedient, to take care of other urgent needs.

Section 6. It shall be the duty of the United Thank Offering Treasurer to furnish Blue Boxes and U.T.O. leaflets and call attention in other ways to the purpose of the United Thank Offering. She shall devise means of placing a Blue Box in the hands of every woman of the Diocese. She shall keep a list of contributing organizations, and receive semi-annual offerings. Each year she shall render a report of the progress of the offering, and each third year make it ready for presentation at the United Thank Offering service of the Women of the Church.

Section 7. It shall be the duty of the Devotional Chairman to be responsible for the devotions at all Executive Board meetings and the Annual Meeting. She shall answer any requests that come from parishes and missions concerning devotional programs and suggest or send material. She shall mail literature to be used on the first Friday in Lent for the World Day of Prayer and shall also cooperate in the observance of the Church Wide Day of Prayer, November the eleventh.

Section 8. It shall be the duty of the Educational Chairman to cooperate with the Educational Secretary of the National Board of the Woman's Auxiliary and follow such recommendations as are sent out by the National Educational Secretary; to supervise the educational work of the women's groups in the Diocese; to report plans and activities to the Executive Board of the Associated Women of the Diocese at each regular meeting; to keep the Department of Christian Education, of which she is a member as a representative of the Associated Women, informed of her work with the women's groups, and to report to the Executive Board of the Associated Women, the activities of the Department of Christian Education.

Section 9. It shall be the duty of the Nominating Chairman with her Committee to present names for officers and Chairmen to be elected at the Annual Meeting, for delegates to Provincial Synod and Triennial Meetings and names to fill vacancies on the Executive Board between Annual Meetings.

Section 10. It shall be the duty of the Supply Chairman to assign to the various parish and mission organizations lists of boxes as requested by the National Supply

Secretary, and to have charge of preparation of any Diocesan box. She shall promote throughout the Diocese interest in the work of the Supply Department.

Section 11. It shall be the duty of the Church Periodical Club Chairman to promote interest throughout the Diocese in supplying literature, etc. to missionaries and other persons who are unable to provide literature for themselves, also, to Church schools, reading rooms, libraries, hospitals and other institutions. She shall mail literature to be used on the first Sunday in May (Church Periodical Club Sunday) to each Rector in the Diocese.

Section 12. It shall be the duty of the Chairman of Christian Social Relations to act as representative of the Associated Women of the Church to that Department. To attend all Department meetings and to carry out to the best of her ability the program as outlined by the Department. The Chairman shall seek to stimulate interest and cooperation in the work, and to urge the Women of the Church throughout the Diocese to participate in the general program of the Department of Christian Social Relations.

Section 13. It shall be the duty of the Bishop Kinsolving Memorial Fund Chairman to have charge of the Book of Remembrance, to stimulate interest in the Fund, to receive and account for memorial gifts.

Section 14. It shall be the duty of the Publicity Chairman to serve as liaison officer between parishes and missions throughout the Diocese, using the Texas Churchman as a means of keeping these women in touch with each other and with the news of the Diocesan and National Church organizations. The Chairman shall constantly work toward increasing the circulation of the magazine "Forth." The office shall serve as a clearinghouse of ideas of practical helpfulness and of news of general interest.

Section 15. It shall be the duty of the Rural Education Chairman, under the direction of the Bishop, to contact people of the Diocese who are unable to receive the ministration of the Church, and supply them with literature.

Section 16. It shall be the duty of the Ditty Bag Chairman and her Co-Chairman to secure Ditty Bags for the Seamen's Institutes in Houston and Port Arthur to be distributed on Christmas morning.

Section 17. It shall be the duty of the Camp Allen Chairman to cooperate with the Director of Camp Allen, particularly in securing the help of the Women's organizations in furthering interest in and supplying the needs of Camp Allen.

Section 18. The Executive Board shall have the power to fill vacancies in its own body between regular elections.

Section 19. The members of the National Council, the wife of the Bishop and the Past-President shall serve in an advisory capacity on the Executive Board.

Section 20. Each Diocesan officer shall present a written report of her work at each Executive Board Meeting and at the Annual Meeting.

Section 21. All books shall be closed on December 31st, and all reports shall be in the hands of the President by January 5th.

ARTICLE II—DUES

Section 1. Operating expenses of this Association, such as printing of the Year Book, supplying prayer leaflets, and other incidental expenses in connection with the Women's work in the Diocese shall be met by a Maintenance Fund, which shall be raised as follows: Parishes and Missions shall decide in which class they belong and pay accordingly, annually.

Class A	\$30.00	Class C	\$10.00
Class B	\$20.00	Class D	\$ 5.00 or less

Section 2. Each parish and mission organization shall be asked to contribute in proportion to its ability to the pledges of this Association, and to such other objects

as may be recommended by the Executive Board or voted at the Annual Meeting. This, together with the Maintenance Fund, constitutes the Budget.

Section 3. There shall be a Finance Committee, composed of the President, the Treasurer and the four Convocational Vice-Presidents to prepare the Budget and to decide upon the tentative apportionment for each parish organization.

ARTICLE III—MEETINGS

The Executive Board shall meet quarterly, time and place to be decided by that body. A called meeting may be held at the request of the President, or upon written request of two members of the Board.

ARTICLE IV—ELECTION OF OFFICERS

Section 1. The election of officers shall be by ballot and shall be held at the Annual Meeting, a majority of votes cast being necessary for election.

Section 2. The term of office shall be three years. No officer, except the Treasurer, shall serve more than two consecutive terms.

Section 3. Officers shall be elected in the following groups, one group each year:

(a) President, Vice-President, Educational Chairman, Church Periodical Club Chairman, Nominating Chairman, Publicity Chairman.

(b) Vice-Presidents of the Northeast and Southwest Convocations, Secretary, United Thank Offering Treasurer, Treasurer, Rural Education Chairman, Ditty Bags Chairman, Devotional Chairman.

(c) Vice Presidents of the Northwest and Southeast Convocations, Supply Department Chairman, Camp Allen Chairman, Bishop Kinsolving Memorial Fund Chairman, Christian Social Relations Chairman.

ARTICLE V—QUORUM

One-fourth of the members having a right to vote shall constitute a quorum at the Annual Meeting. Seven members shall constitute a quorum at the meetings of the Executive Board.

ARTICLE VI—ELECTIONS

Section 1. At the Annual Meeting preceding the Provincial Synod three delegates and three alternates shall be elected. This election shall be by ballot. In case the elected delegates are unable to attend, the Diocesan President shall, with the Bishop's approval, appoint delegates in their stead.

Section 3. At the Annual Meeting preceding the Triennial, five delegates and five alternates shall be elected. This election shall be by ballot. In case the elected delegates or alternates are unable to attend, the Diocesan President shall, with the Bishop's approval, appoint delegates in their stead.

ARTICLE VII—AMENDMENTS

These By-Laws may be amended or suspended by a two-thirds vote at an Annual Meeting.

Robert's Rules of Order to be used as the authority on procedure.

FINANCIAL REPORT

Parish	Diocesan Budget	U. T. O.	Supply	Other Projects
Alvin, Grace.....	\$ 22.03	\$ 10.50	\$ 12.00	\$ 345.80
Anahuac, Trinity.....	4.00	4.77	1.25	-----
Angleton, Holy Comforter.....	6.75	77.10	2.50	32.75
Austin, All Saints'.....	70.00	207.86	36.00	286.00
Austin, St. David's.....	120.00	179.50	50.42	836.93
Bastrop, Calvary.....	120.00	42.45	21.62	131.50
Bay City, St. Mark's.....	25.00	47.92	5.60	227.75
Baytown, Trinity.....	-----	15.69	7.25	221.35
Beaumont, St. Mark's.....	75.00	159.48	16.48	706.10
Bellville, St. Mary's.....	12.00	35.69	26.07	84.42
Belton, St. Luke's.....	5.50	27.25	11.00	6.75
Brazoria, St. John's.....	-----	-----	-----	-----
Brenham, St. Peter's.....	17.00	50.41	12.02	11.56
Bryan, St. Andrew's.....	15.00	34.25	6.95	82.00
Calvert, Epiphany.....	20.00	26.60	4.56	15.00
Cameron, All Saints'.....	15.00	22.18	6.24	8.96
College Station, St. Thomas' Chapel.....	6.00	25.00	7.93	6.36
Columbus, St. John's.....	17.00	42.95	14.12	4.00
Conroe, St. James'.....	6.00	-----	-----	-----
Crockett.....	-----	-----	-----	-----
Dickinson, Holy Trinity.....	13.00	5.00	4.15	5.00
Eagle Lake, Christ Church.....	20.00	29.43	6.45	9.70
Freeport, St. Paul's.....	20.50	86.80	7.80	219.50
Galveston, Grace.....	14.00	12.35	3.50	81.79
Galveston, St. Augustine.....	10.00	23.08	8.33	35.00
Galveston, Trinity.....	1.60	57.65	40.00	894.16
Georgetown, Grace.....	5.75	-----	-----	-----
Hearne, St. Philip's.....	14.00	28.31	7.84	-----
Hempstead, St. Bartholomew's.....	17.00	30.41	7.00	5.00
Henderson, St. Matthew's.....	-----	16.25	12.97	44.97
Houston, Christ Church.....	100.00	240.65	49.90	1,447.67
Houston, Good Shepherd.....	40.00	25.45	10.00	526.00
Houston, Holy Cross.....	11.00	20.00	4.50	15.00
Houston, Palmer Memorial.....	100.00	393.59	46.00	335.00
Houston, Church of Redeemer.....	40.00	52.00	15.00	30.00
Houston, St. Andrew's.....	6.00	15.16	10.00	114.61
Houston, St. James'.....	12.00	14.00	10.00	155.00
Houston, St. John the Divine.....	30.00	-----	-----	-----
Houston, St. Luke's.....	9.00	-----	-----	-----
Houston, St. Mark's.....	15.00	77.48	10.78	476.63
Houston, St. Mary's.....	4.50	10.40	8.44	-----
Houston, St. Paul's.....	4.75	44.10	6.00	86.50
Houston, St. Stephen's.....	24.00	25.28	12.69	416.00
Houston, Trinity.....	160.00	250.70	50.00	1,775.00
Huntsville, St. Stephen's.....	10.00	38.46	12.28	159.79
Jefferson, Christ Church.....	-----	-----	-----	-----
Kilgore, St. Paul's.....	5.00	34.82	6.56	115.23
LaGrange, St. James'.....	4.00	14.18	5.25	7.80
Lampasas, St. Mary's.....	-----	-----	-----	-----
Liberty, Intercession.....	-----	-----	-----	-----

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Longview, Trinity	16.00	80.33	17.54	11.10
Lufkin, St. Cyprian's	24.00	15.17	13.16	12.50
Marlin, St. John's.....	11.00	41.94	12.00	225.00
Marshall, Trinity	48.00	56.50	22.00	74.00
Matagorda, Christ Church.....	15.00	-----	-----	-----
Mexia, Christ Church.....	5.00	-----	-----	-----
Nacogdoches, Christ Church.....	17.00	22.28	6.00	163.99
Navasota, St. Paul's.....	20.00	63.21	16.32	-----
Orange, St. Paul's.....	5.00	-----	-----	-----
Palacios, St. John's.....	10.00	-----	-----	-----
Palestine, St. Philip's.....	19.00	115.16	7.66	427.84
Port Arthur, St. George's.....	30.00	40.91	18.31	227.73
Richmond, Calvary	29.00	54.52	15.56	232.66
Rockdale, St. Thomas'	-----	-----	-----	-----
San Augustine, Christ Church.....	-----	-----	-----	-----
Sealy, St. John's.....	5.00	-----	-----	-----
Sour Lake, Christ Church.....	5.00	8.10	2.00	1.50
Taylor, St. James'	14.00	-----	6.37	129.60
Temple, Christ Church.....	20.00	-----	-----	-----
Texas City, St. George.....	22.00	-----	-----	-----
Tyler, Christ Church.....	53.50	74.90	44.60	6.50
Tyler, St. John's.....	7.50	9.83	4.39	40.94
Waco, St. Paul's.....	80.00	-----	-----	-----
Waskom, St. Mary's.....	-----	-----	-----	-----
Wharton, St. Thomas'	16.00	-----	-----	-----

IN MEMORIAM

AUSTIN, All Saints'	HOUSTON, Christ Church
Mrs. C. C. Campbell	Mrs. Hazel D. French
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Mrs. Bessie Calloway McDugald	Mrs. Ella Ray Whorton
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