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OF THE
Woman's Auxiliary of West Missouri
For 1892-1893.

In reviewing the work of our branch of the Woman's Auxiliary since the last annual gathering at Springfield, we find much cause for thankfulness in that the lines have been broadened and we trust the efficiency increased by the addition of eleven parishes and missions to our working force, and that widely scattered members of our new diocese are thus brought into closer relations by their common interest in and labor for the mission work of the Church.

The last annual meeting will long be remembered as a most delightful occasion to the visiting delegates who were so hospitably entertained by the ladies of St. John's and Christ Church branches. The large congregation present at the morning service listened to an able and impressive sermon by Bishop Garrett, of Northern Texas, which was followed by a celebration of the Holy Communion.

At the business meeting in the afternoon a goodly number of delegates were present, and the reports received from the various parishes were very encouraging. The most important business transacted, as affecting the interest of the whole society, was the adoption of the following resolution, offered by Mrs. Wm. E. Dunn, of Kansas City:

Resolved, That the Woman's Auxiliary pledge to the Bishop for opening the closed churches in the diocese the sum of one thousand dollars. Carried.

It must be a matter of regret to us all that, having made this pledge to the Bishop, we have to confess failure in fulfilling it, but the fact is that less than one-half that sum has been collected up to date; and it is especially noticeable in this con-

nection that there has been a perceptible falling off in the receipts from the mite-boxes and in the payment of the pledge of the Archdeacon's fund since this plan was adopted.

Our thanks are due to Bishop Hare for a very interesting address on the subject of mission work in Japan, and his own work among the Indians, delivered to the Auxiliary at Grace Church, Kansas City, in the month of June.

The regular October meeting, which was postponed to November, was held at Grace Church, Kansas City. Rev. Mr. Allen, of Sedalia, was to have preached the sermon, but, to our disappointment, was delayed by some misunderstanding as to the place of meeting, and did not reach the church until the service was over. Later, at the Guild Hall, he gave an interesting address, which was followed by short addresses from the clergy present. Before the business meeting was over in the afternoon, the Archdeacon, Rev. Mr. Gates, gave a stirring talk on diocesan missions. His account of a number of the missions could not but be full of interest to all, giving the more personal knowledge which is always so helpful.

In spite of the extremely inclement weather, a good congregation was present at the celebration of the Holy Communion at St. Mary's the day of our regular meeting in February, at which service the Rev. Mr. Bailey preached a most interesting sermon on mission work, calculated to inspire those who heard it with greater zeal and earnestness in their work.

Being the time of the convocation in Kansas City, the Auxiliary had the pleasure of entertaining at luncheon many of the priests of the diocese.

At the business meeting the chief topic of discussion was the ways and means to be used in raising the money promised to the Bishop.

Mrs. Atwill at that time invited the ladies of the Auxiliary to meet at her house one afternoon each week during Lent, to sew for missions and to hear articles read on the subject of mission work. These meetings proved quite successful, considerable work being done and information gained. It is only to be regretted that more were not able to attend.

The missionary reception at Grace Church Guild Hall was

a pleasant affair and encouraged the Bishop's Helpers to plan a series of receptions to be given for the benefit of the Bishop's purse.

From the annual parish reports that so far have been sent to me (they have come from the following parishes and missions: Trinity, St. Mark's, St. Mary's, and Grace Mission, Kansas City; Trinity, Independence; and St. John's, Springfield), I find that this year only eleven boxes have been sent out; last year we sent thirty-six.

I wish to say here that if the parish Secretaries realized how it hampered and added to the work of the Recording Secretary to delay sending their reports till just before the annual meeting, and the sending of money throughout the year to other than the Recording Secretary, I am sure they would be more prompt and careful in these two particulars.

The report for the year is as follows:

Boxes, clothing and prayer-books for Home Missions, valued at	\$186 10
Cash as per Treasurer's report	938 25
Cash reported but not passed through Treasurer's account.....	20 79
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	\$1,145 14

In the coming year God grant us a right judgment and more fervent zeal in carrying on this work for Him.

Respectfully submitted.

MARY U. MILLER,

May 16, 1893.

Recdg. Secretary.

REPORTS OF PARISHES.

KANSAS CITY—St. Mary's.

Miss MARY U. MILLER, Mrs. S. S. MCGIBBONS,
 President. Secretary.
Mrs. J. HEBEL, Treasurer.

Box (union), Huron, South Dakota	\$17 90
Box, Carrollton, Missouri	10 00
Box, Colored Hospital, Lawrenceville, Virginia	3 00
Mission Church, Auburn, Maine	5 00
Missionary in Texas	8 25
Archdeacon Fund	10 00
Two-cent Fund	27 20
Mite-boxes	8 74
Delegates' dues	4 00

Total \$94 09

Boxes, \$30.90; Cash, \$63.19.

KANSAS CITY—Grace.

Mrs. WILLIAM E. DUNN, Mrs. JAY COATSWORTH,
 President. Vice-President.
Mrs. ALBERT C. HUNT, Mrs. C. J. PERRIN,
 Secretary. Treasurer.

Missionary, South Dakota	\$28 00
Archdeacon Fund	29 00
Two-cent Fund	100 00
Mite-boxes	3 83
Delegate's dues	4 00

Total \$164 83

Cash, \$164.83.

KANSAS CITY—Grace Mission.

MADAME ATWILL, Mrs. H. G. ALGEO,
 President. Vice-President.
 Mrs. H. W. MUSSON, Secretary.

Box, Harper, Kansas.....	\$ 8 83
Box, Point Hope, Alaska.....	10 00
Box, Glenwood, Minnesota.....	1 30
Quilt for Missionary.....	2 50
Home Missions, clothing.....	36 65
Home Missions, 25 prayer-books.....	6 25
Missionary's widow.....	2 00
Delegates' dues.....	50
Total.....	<u>\$68 03</u>

Boxes, \$65.53; Cash, \$2.50.

KANSAS CITY—Trinity.

Mrs. THEODORE GOWDY, Mrs. MORTON,
 President. Vice-President.
 Mrs. M. R. BARBOUR, Mrs. LEWIS,
 Secretary. Treasurer.

Box (union), Huron, South Dakota.....	\$ 4 92
Archdeacon Fund.....	25 00
Two-cent Fund.....	26 91
Mite-boxes.....	5 80
Delegates' dues.....	4 00
Total.....	<u>\$66 63</u>

Box, \$4.92; Cash, \$61.71.

KANSAS CITY—Trinity Mission.

Mrs. J. B. STONE, President.

Archdeacon Fund.....	\$10 00
Delegates' dues.....	50
Total.....	<u>\$10 50</u>

Cash, \$10.50.

KANSAS CITY—St. Mark's.

Mrs. A. HAMLIN, Miss LULU P. DUNN,
 President. Secretary.

MISS LOUISE L. DANNAKER, Treasurer.

Box (union), Huron, South Dakota.....	\$7 75
American Church Missionary Society.....	2 04
Archdeacon Fund.....	5 00
Two-cent Fund.....	8 06
Mite-boxes.....	2 35
Delegates' dues.....	4 00
Total.....	\$29 20

Box, \$7.75; Cash, \$21.45.

KANSAS CITY—St. George's.

Mrs. J. V. ELLARD, Miss HARRIET LAWTON,
 President. Secretary.

Archdeacon Fund.....	\$25 00
Two-cent Fund.....	21 21
Mite-boxes.....	5 59
Delegates' dues.....	2 50
Total.....	\$54 30

Cash, \$54.30.

ST. JOSEPH—Christ Church.

Mrs. H. L. FOOTE, Miss EDITH E. CLAGGETT,
 President. Secretary.

Box, Huron, South Dakota.....	\$30 00
Bishop's purse.....	15 00
Domestic Missions.....	10 00
Foreign Missions.....	10 00
Church at Richmond.....	5 00
Church at Nebraska.....	5 00
Colored Missions.....	5 00
Mr. DeWolf, Missionary.....	5 00
Church at Carrollton.....	4 00
St. Matthias's Mission.....	3 85
Church in Iowa.....	1 00
Missionary's widow.....	15 00
Archdeacon Fund.....	50 00
Two-cent Fund.....	49 25
Mite-boxes.....	6 50
Delegates' dues.....	4 00
Total.....	\$218 60

Boxes, \$30.00; Cash, \$188.60.

ST. JOSEPH—Holy Trinity.

Mrs. E. W. CHAMBERS,

President.

Miss MARY D. TURNER,

Secretary.

Diocesan Missions.....	\$10 00
Two-cent Fund.....	6 60
Mite-boxes.....	5 60
Delegates' dues.....	1 00
Total.....	<u>\$23 20</u>

Cash, \$23.20.

SEDALIA—Calvary.

Mrs. J. M. BYLER,

President.

Mrs. F. W. PUTNAM,

Secretary.

For Missions.....	\$22 45.
Enrollment Fund.....	5 00
Archdeacon Fund.....	50 00
Two-cent Fund.....	55 53
Delegates' dues.....	1 00
Total.....	<u>\$133 98</u>

Cash, \$133.98.

SPRINGFIELD—Christ Church.

Mrs. JOHN COOMBS,

President.

Mrs. C. K. SAMS,

Secretary.

Archdeacon Fund.....	\$31 00
Two-cent Fund.....	37 86
Total.....	<u>\$68 86</u>

Cash, \$68.86.

SPRINGFIELD—St. John's.

Mrs. M. M. MOORE,

President.

Miss MAUDE F. GRIST,

Secretary.

Thompson Orphanage, Charlotte, North Carolina	\$25 00
Mite-boxes.....	5 06
Total.....	<u>\$30 06</u>

Box, \$25.00; Cash, \$5.06.

INDEPENDENCE—Trinity.

Mrs. E. P. GATES,

President.

Miss FANNIE E. RAYMOND,

Secretary.

Box, Missionary in Colorado.....	\$17 00
Two quilts St. Elizabeth's School, South Dakota.....	5 00
Missionary.....	3 50
Missionary's family.....	10 00
Sunday-school papers.....	1 00
Two-cent Fund.....	7 25
Mite-boxes.....	2 11
Delegates' dues.....	1 50
Total.....	\$47 36

Boxes, \$22.00; Cash, \$25.36.

WESTPORT—St. Paul's.

Mrs. GEORGE LYNN,

President.

Mrs. GEO. W. LEE,

Secretary.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$19 37
Delegates' dues.....	1 00
Total.....	\$20 37

Cash, \$20.37.

LEBANON—Trinity.

Mrs. E. F. STEBBENS, Secretary.

Bishop's Purse.....	\$5 00
Diocesan Missions.....	1 80
Archdeacon Fund.....	5 00
Two-cent Fund.....	8 55
Mite-boxes.....	2 70
Total.....	\$24 05

Cash, \$24.05.

CARROLLTON—St. Paul's.

Mrs. M. N. VAUGHN,

President.

Miss LEONORA MCGUIRE,

Secretary.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$4 25
Delegates' dues.....	50
Total.....	\$4 75

Cash, \$4.75.

CHILLICOTHE—Grace,

AND

UTICA—Mission.

Mrs. LOUISE C. BOSTWICK, Secretary.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$ 19 09
Support of the Mission.....	237 50
Total.....	<u>\$256 59</u>
Cash, \$256.59.	

LEXINGTON—Christ Church.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$1 50
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PLATTE CITY—St. Thomas's.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$4 25
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CLINTON—St. Paul's.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$5 00
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NEOSHO—St. John's.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$0 78
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BOONVILLE—Christ Church.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$8 40
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RICH HILL—St. Luke's.

Mrs. W. W. HARRIS,	SADIE SANDERSON,
President.	Secretary.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$3 06
Delegates' dues	1 50
Total	<u>\$4 56</u>
Cash, \$4.56.	

PLEASANT HILL—Calvary.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$2 00
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JOPLIN.—St. Philip's.

Mrs. PHILIP ARNOLD, Secretary.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$2 50
Mite-boxes.....	2 58
Total.....	\$5 08
Cash, \$5.08.	

RICHMOND—Mission.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$6 10
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BROOKFIELD—Grace.

Two-cent Fund.....	\$5 50
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BISHOP AND MRS. ATWILL.

Archdeacon Fund.....	\$30 00
Mrs. Atwill collected, Two cent Fund	6 13



TREASURER'S REPORT.

LOUISE H. W. MUSSON, Treasurer, in account with the West
Missouri Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, from May
12, 1892, to May 18, 1893.

Dr.	To Cash.
May 12, 1892, balance on hand	\$ 66 03

OFFERTORIES:—

June 22, 1892, Guild Hall, Grace Church, Kansas City	\$18 55
November 3, 1892, Grace Church, Kansas City	3 32
February 2, 1893, St. Mary's, Kansas City ...	11 20
May 18, 1893, Christ Church, St. Joseph	11 90
	<hr/> 44 97
January 21, 1893, proceeds of Reception, Kansas City.	16 70
Proceeds of Missionary Teas	11 60
From Lebanon Branch, for Bishop's Purse	5 00
Archdeacon Fund, per parish reports	270 00
Two-cent Fund, per parish reports	438 28
Mite-boxes, per parish reports	50 86
Delegates' dues, per parish reports	29 50
Accrued interest from Savings-Bank	5 31
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Total receipts	\$938 25

Cr.	By Cash.
Bishop Hare, for St. Elizabeth's School, South Dakota..	\$ 18 55
Miss Emery, for Jane Bohlen School, Wuchang, China.	25 00
Rev. Floyd W. Tomkins, Chicago	11 90
Rev. Alexander Allen, Sedalia, for expenses	5 00
Bishop Atwill, for Archdeacon pledge	200 00
Bishop Atwill { Two-cent Fund	\$438 28
{ For the \$1,000 pledge	168 15
	<hr/> 606 43
Bishop Atwill, for Bishop's Purse	5 00
Hudson-Kimberly Co., for printing Annual Reports. ..	19 90
R. G. Whiteman, for mite-boxes	3 00
For copies of <i>Church News</i>	4 50
Corresponding Secretary, for stationery and postage..	6 82
Treasurer, for stationery and postage	2 15
June 2, 1893, paid Mrs. H. C. Sprague, Treasurer	30 00
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Total	\$938 25

CONSTITUTION
OF THE
WEST MISSOURI BRANCH
OF THE
WOMAN'S * AUXILIARY.

ADOPTED MAY 14, 1891; AMENDED APRIL 21, 1892.

ARTICLE I.

This society shall be called the West Missouri Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

ARTICLE II.

Its object is not to change the work of any parish, but by united and sympathetic action to increase the interest, and to unite all parishes in the diocese in the various branches of the Church's missionary work.

ARTICLE III.

All baptized women of the Diocese of West Missouri who so desire shall be regarded as members of this society.

ARTICLE IV.

The officers shall be a President, six Vice-Presidents, two Secretaries (a Corresponding and a Recording Secretary), and a Treasurer, to be chosen at the annual meeting.

ARTICLE V.

The diocese shall be divided into six districts, each of which shall have a President and Secretary, the President to hold the office of Vice-President in the Board.

ARTICLE VI.

There shall be a Board of Managers, consisting of the President, the Vice-Presidents, Secretaries, Treasurer, and parish representatives. Nine of these shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

ARTICLE VII.

Each parish shall be represented in the Board by its officers and not more than four delegates chosen by the Rector, or, if the parish have no Rector, by the Parish Society.

A membership fee of 50 cents per year shall be paid by all delegates.

ARTICLE VIII.

The payment of \$1 per year to the Diocesan Treasurer shall constitute any one an honorary member of the Board of Managers. These honorary members shall be entitled to seats, but not to vote, and shall not be counted in making a quorum.

ARTICLE IX.

There shall be three meetings of the Board of Managers each year, to be held as follows: The first Thursdays in November and February, and the annual meeting for the election of officers, which shall be on the day following the diocesan convention. The annual meeting shall be a general meeting of the society and shall be directed by the Bishop of the diocese. The meetings shall be held in any church or chapel designated by the President.

ARTICLE X.

Special meetings may be called by the President at the request of any five of the Managers.

ARTICLE XI.

1. The President shall call meetings and preside over them.
2. The first Vice-President, or, in her absence, any of

the other Vice-Presidents, shall take the duties of the President in her absence.

3. The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the society; send notices of the meetings and shall send a full report of them annually to the Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary in New York.

The Recording Secretary shall keep a record of the meetings, receive all moneys, and make a record of them before paying the same to the Treasurer. She shall also prepare an annual report for circulation in the diocese, a review of which shall be presented to the Diocesan Council.

4. The Treasurer, under the direction of the Board, shall receive and disburse all moneys sent to the society for any branch of missionary work, and for the expenses of the society, presenting a report of the same at each meeting of the Board.

5. The President of each district shall call and preside over meetings in her own district and transact all business. There shall also be sent from each district a list of the delegates from each parish in the district to the Recording Secretary ten days before the annual meeting.

ARTICLE XII.

The parish delegates are to report to the President or Secretary of their district all work done for missions and all money raised for missions by the women of their parishes; also all new work undertaken for missions. They are to attend the regular meetings of the Board and to carry back to their parish societies missionary intelligence, and to endeavor in every way to increase an earnest and prayerful interest in missions.

ARTICLE XIII.

This Constitution may be altered or amended at any meeting of the Board, notice having been given at a previous meeting, by a two-thirds vote of the members of the Board of Managers present.

The districts shall be Kansas City, St. Joseph, Sedalia, Springfield, Carthage, and Chillicothe.

