

**WOMAN'S AUXILIARY**  
—TO—  
**The Board of Missions**  
**Diocese of West Missouri**

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**Twenty-sixth Annual Report**  
**1914-1915**







TWENTY-SIXTH ANNUAL REPORT

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WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

—TO THE—

Board of Missions

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1914 - 1915

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The Twenty-seventh Annual Meeting of the West Missouri Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions will be held in Kansas City, Thursday, May 18th, 1916.





### ***AIMS OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.***

- (a) The increase of the funds of the Board.
- (b) The circulation of missionary publications.
- (c) The education of missionaries.
- (d) The making, collecting and distributing of articles of clothing for missionaries and their families.

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### ***MEMBERSHIP.***

The membership of the Woman's Auxiliary is composed of those women who by virtue of their baptism are already members of the Missionary Society, and who, recognizing the responsibilities such membership entails, take an active part in this association also.

No membership fee is required by the General Auxiliary.

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### ***NOTICE.***

Send United Offering money to Mrs. C. H. Nearing, 25 West Thirty-eighth Street.

Send Little Helpers' money to Mrs. Chas. A. Pugsley, 701 Highland Avenue.

Send Mite Box money to Mrs. W. H. MacKellar, care of Wentworth Military Academy, Lexington, Mo.

Send all other money, designating to what purpose intended, to Mrs. Alois A. Maloney, Carlton Hotel, 1007 Linwood Blvd.

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Feast of Annunciation Day, March 25th, is the day set aside by our Bishop to be the Quiet Day in the Church for all women. Meditations will be held on this day—the time and place given later.

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### ***OFFICIAL ORGAN.***

The Woman's Auxiliary Department of **The Spirit of Missions** is, by order of the Board of Missions, the official organ of the Woman's Auxiliary.



**OFFICERS**

**1914-1915.**

**PRESIDENT,**

MRS. J. D. RITCHEY.

**VICE-PRESIDENTS:**

MRS. THEODORE GOWDY, Kansas City.

MRS. PRUDENCE C. WEYER, Kansas City.

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MRS. ALOIS A. MALONEY,  
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3508 Baltimore Avenue, Kansas City.

**TREASURER,**

MISS MARTHA WHITTEMORE,  
22 East Fifty-fifth Street Terrace, Kansas City.

**SPECIAL TREASURERS:**

**Mite Boxes.**

MRS. T. H. TURNER,  
1325 Lafayette Street, St. Joseph.

**United Offering.**

MRS. C. H. NEARING,  
4237 West Prospect Place, Kansas City.

**Little Helpers.**

MRS. CHAS. A. PUGSLEY,  
701 Highland Avenue, Kansas City.



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**AUDITOR,**

MRS. PRUDENCE C. WEYER,  
3919 Tracy Avenue, Kansas City.

**EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY,**

MRS. D. G. MURRAY,  
527 Kensington Avenue, Kansas City.

**BOX DIRECTRESS,**

MRS. A. H. JAMES,  
4001 Harrison Blvd., Kansas City.

**SPECIAL TREASURERS:**

**Mite Boxes.**

MRS. W. H. MACKELLAR,  
Care of Wentworth Military Academy, Lexington.

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25 West Thirty-eighth Street, Kansas City.

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**JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.**

**OFFICERS 1914-1915.**

**Vice-President in Charge,**  
**MRS. LUTHER E. REID,**  
4 and 5 American Electric Bldg., St. Joseph, Mo.

**Vice-Presidents:**

**Section 1,**  
**MISS MAXAE BUECHLE,**  
3515 Cherry St., Kansas City, Mo.

**Section 2,**  
**MISS GRACE STRINGFELLOW,**  
710 Jule St., St. Joseph, Mo.

**Section 3,**  
**MISS ELIZABETH ECKEL,**  
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**Recording Secretary,**  
**MISS SARA C. WYETH,**  
728 North 25th St., St. Joseph, Mo.

**Assistant Recording Secretary,**  
**MISS MARY BIEHLEN,**  
1004 South 11th St., St. Joseph, Mo.

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**MISS VIRA PRICE,**  
1403 Edmond St., St. Joseph, Mo.

**Treasurer,**  
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5134 Wyandotte St., Kansas City, Mo.

**United Offering Secretary,**  
**DOROTHY MANTZ,**  
West Plains, Mo.

**Educational Secretary,**  
**MRS. HENRY BURR,**  
4101 Warwick Blvd., Kansas City, Mo.

**Librarian,**  
**MISS EUGENIA CORDELL,**  
1125 Benton Blvd., Kansas City, Mo.

**Auditor,**

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## REPORT OF RECORDING SECRETARY

the Junior Department of the Woman's Auxiliary.

J. D. Ritchey, President of the Woman's Auxiliary, Members of the Auxiliary, and the Junior Department:

With present my annual report of the work done by the office-parish branches in the Junior Department during the year.

Conference of Junior directresses was held November 14, 1914, February 4, 1915. At these meetings the new extension work diocese was discussed and planned, which later was so ably carried out by the committee.

Constitution of the Juniors, formerly of St. George's Church, Kansas has become the St. Agnes Guild and is no longer under the

Mary's branch of the Juniors is one which deserves special mention this year because of the difficulties under which it has labored.

Branches are organized according to the new plan and this has been a record year because of the business-like methods of all the

May our work be even more successful next year.

Respectfully submitted,

SARA C. WYETH,  
Recording Secretary.

## REPORT OF ASSISTANT RECORDING SECRETARY

From May, 1914, to May, 1915.

Written.....	1
Received.....	6
of letters written.....	9
of letters received.....	2
of appeals written.....	11
of minutes written.....	23

Respectfully submitted,

MARY BIEHLEN,  
Assistant Recording Secretary.

## REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

From May, 1914, to May, 1915.

Reports distributed.....	30
Letters distributed.....	41
Notices sent.....	18
Report blanks received.....	2
Report blanks sent.....	
ing Secretary blanks received.....	5
ing Secretary blanks sent.....	1
Written.....	
Received.....	
Accepted.....	
of boxes sent.....	
of boxes sent.....	\$272.

Respectfully submitted,

AGNES RICHARDSON,  
Corresponding Secretary.





## **ANNUAL REPORT**

**of the Recording Secretary of the Diocese of West Missouri Branch  
of the Woman's Auxilliary to the Board of Missions.**

To the Rt. Rev. Sidney C. Partridge, Bishop of the  
Diocese of West Missouri, and Women of the Auxilliary:

I hereby present my annual report of the work done by the officers and parish branches of the Woman's Auxilliary of the Diocese of West Missouri, during the year 1914-1915.

The three regular meetings have been held with an increased attendance. The mid-winter meeting was held in February instead of January, the regular time, and was held in connection with the coming of the Rev. Chas. E. Betticher from Alaska, who brought an encouraging message to all who heard him.

My report this year shows a small increase in receipts; however, I regret sincerely to report that in a few cases pledges made were not met.

Our scholarship, namely, W. B. Clarke scholarship, has been discontinued by request of the family.

Our president has felt the need of appointing two new officers; namely, an auditor, and a box directress, whose duty it shall be to handle all appeals coming from the Church Missions House.

The resignation of Mrs. T. H. Turner of St. Joseph from active work in the Woman's Auxilliary brings to many a deep and sincere feeling of regret. Mrs. Turner has been an officer in some capacity of the Woman's Auxilliary for over twenty years, serving with unusual interest and marked enthusiasm, and we all join in the hope that she may some day return to us and again participate in active church work.

The Juniors' work justifies special mention, in as much as they have extended their efforts by organizing branches in new territory.

We indulge in the hope that our prayer may be heard and humbly ask our Heavenly Father to guide and direct us in all our Mission work.

Respectfully submitted,

FRANCES H. S. MALONEY.



## REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY

From May, 1914, to May, 1915.

Notices sent .....	142
Annual reports distributed .....	124
Letters written .....	192
Letters received .....	125
Postals written .....	32
Postals received .....	20
Number of boxes sent .....	10
Value of boxes sent .....	\$632.18

Respectfully submitted,  
GRACE WALDRON,  
Corresponding Secretary.

## REPORT OF THE TREASURER

From May, 1914, to May, 1915.

Cash on hand:	RECEIPTS.	
Current Expense Fund and Delegates' Dues....	\$179.89	
Traveling Secretary .....	170.60	
Margaret Atwill Scholarship .....	25.50	
Mary F. Eaton Scholarship.....	1.60	
Louise W. Musson Scholarship.....	4.00	
Diocesan Paper Fund .....	5.50	
		\$ 387.09
Officers' and Delegates' Dues .....		36.00
Current Expense Fund .....		69.50
Mite Boxes .....		46.79
Traveling Secretary .....		3.00
General Missions .....		350.00
Foreign Missions.....		16.00
Domestic Missions .....		25.00
The Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China from the Southwest Province.....		105.00
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial Fund.....		97.00
<b>Scholarships:</b>		
Margaret Atwill, Girls' High School, Kyoto, Japan .....		60.00
Mary F. Eaton, Church Training School for Bible Women, Soochow.....		54.00
Louise W. Musson, St. Elizabeth's School, South Dakota .....		64.00
Everett Woodstock, St. Andrew's School, Se- wanee, Tennessee.....		50.00
Mary Bowen, Helen Dunlop School, Little Rock, Arkansas .....		50.00
Bible Women, Wushih, China .....		50.00
St. Mary's on the Mountain, Sewanee, Tennessee ..		15.00
Offerings of the Day—November 12, 1914.....		30.66
February 4, 1915.....		30.03
May 6, 1915 .....		18.89
Emergency Fund.....		22.00
Specials .....		8.50
Total .....		\$1,588.46



# DISBURSEMENTS.

Mite Boxes for General Missions .....	\$ 46.79
General Missions .....	350.00
Foreign Missions .....	16.00
Domestic Missions .....	25.00
The Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China from the Southwest Province.....	105.00
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial Fund.....	97.00

## Scholarships:

Margaret Atwill, Girls' High School, Kyoto, Japan .....	50.00
Mary F. Eaton, Church Training School for Bible Women, Soochow.....	50.00
Louise W. Musson, St. Elizabeth's School, South Dakota .....	60.00
Everett Woodstock, St. Andrew's School, Se- wanee, Tennessee .....	50.00
Mary Bowen, Helen Dunlop School, Little Rock, Arkansas .....	50.00
Bible Women, Wusih, China .....	50.00
St. Mary's on the Mountain, Sewanee, Tennessee ..	15.00

## Offerings of the Day:

November 12, 1914—for General Missions.....	30.66
February 4, 1915—for Mr. Betticher's Work in Alaska .....	30.03
May 6, 1915—for Emergency Fund .....	18.89
Emergency Fund.....	22.00
Specials .....	8.50
Printing—Recording Secretary's Annual Report ....	46.50
Programs .....	4.00
Stationery.....	5.00
Expenses .....	25.01

## Cash on hand:

Current Expense Fund and Delegates' Dues ...	\$204.88
Traveling Secretary .....	173.60
Diocesan Paper Fund.....	5.50
Margaret Atwill Scholarship.....	35.50
Mary F. Eaton Scholarship .....	5.60
Louise W. Musson Scholarship .....	8.00
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	433.08

Total..... \$1,588.46

Respectfully submitted,

MARTHA WHITEMORE,  
Treasurer.

## REPORT OF BOX DIRECTRESS

From February, 1915, to May, 1915.

One box from Christ Church, St. Joseph, to Sewanee, Tenn.  
Value, \$51.23.

Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE E. JAMES.



## ANNUAL REPORT OF CUSTODIAN OF MITE BOXES

From May, 1914, to May, 1915.

Number of letters written.....	51
Number of letters received.....	26
Number of postals written.....	27
Number of postals received.....	10
Number of boxes placed.....	125

Amounts received as follows:

St. Oswald's, Oswald.....	\$ 3.00
Trinity, Independence.....	1.24
Trinity Church, Lamar.....	7.00
St. Augustine's, Kansas City.....	6.00
St. Mary's, Kansas City.....	3.00
St. John's, Kansas City.....	5.82
Grace Church, Kansas City.....	15.00
Trinity, Kansas City.....	4.18
St. Stephen's, Monett.....	1.55
Total.....	\$46.79

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. T. H. TURNER,  
Custodian.

## REPORT OF UNITED OFFERING

From May, 1914, to May, 1915.

Kansas City, Grace Church.....	\$ 25.00
Kansas City, St. George's.....	32.12
Kansas City, St. John's.....	4.70
Kansas City, St. Mary's.....	21.00
Kansas City, St. Paul's.....	20.00
Kansas City, Trinity.....	22.00
Kansas City, St. Mark's.....	4.80
Kansas City, St. Augustine's.....	2.00
Kansas City, Church of the Good Shepherd.....	1.90
Kansas City, Preparatory Study Class to the Woman's Aux- iliary.....	2.85
St. Joseph, Christ Church.....	19.09
Sedalia, Calvary.....	5.00
Springfield, Christ Church.....	8.46
Springfield, St. John's.....	11.17
Springfield, two members of St. John's.....	5.56
Independence, Trinity.....	1.51
Warrensburg, Christ Church.....	5.75
West Plains, All Saints'.....	2.25
Junior Report:	\$195.16
St. Joseph, Christ Church Juniors No. 2.....	\$ 1.18
St. Joseph, Christ Church Juniors No. 3.....	2 30
Total amount.....	\$198.64

Respectfully submitted,

ANNA M. NEARING,  
Custodian.



## **REPORT OF THE EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY**

**From November, 1914, to May, 1915.**

Letters and leaflets have been sent to all Parishes in the Diocese. Each president has been requested to appoint a branch Educational Secretary.

The text book suggested by the Board of Missions is Faunce's Social Aspect of Foreign Missions.

The Kansas City branches, with two exceptions, are using this text book.

The branches in St. Joseph (Christ Church), Sedalia, Warrensburg and Lamar are also using it.

Christ's Church, Springfield, St. John's Church, Springfield, Lexington and Savannah have study classes.

The Preparatory Study Class of Kansas City, not yet under the auspices of the Woman's Auxiliary, have a fine study class.

The Church Club, under the Rev. Bates, is doing a wonderful work among the students in Columbia.

Respectfully submitted,

MARGARET A. MURRAY,  
Educational Secretary.

## **ANNUAL REPORT OF THE VICE-PRESIDENT**

**In Charge of the Junior Department,**

**From May, 1914, to May, 1915.**

The Juniors have made progress during 1914 and 1915. I am glad to report the work going on at St. Mary's, Kansas City, under Miss Cordell; at West Plains, under Mrs. R. J. Belt; and at St. John's, Kansas City, under the leadership of Mrs. Morris, assisted by Mrs. Gilpin. The more rejoicing is to be felt over these three branches as they are in a sense of the word "reorganized" branches. The Junior Extension work brought back to us our West Plains branch; our plea to the Clergy last November interested Mr. Taylor, of St. John's, and he has presented the leaders to the President of the Diocese. The largest branch in the Diocese is the one at St. Mary's, which began work after January 1, 1915.

With several changes in the by-laws we hope to conform more closely to the work of the Woman's Auxiliary. The change of the time of meeting to the Saturday preceding the meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary will bring our reports in before instead of after their meeting. We have elected three vice-presidents, one in charge of each section. This will distribute the work and give the president more time for duties incumbent on her office.

I have asked for new pledges—the one for the children's ward at the International Hospital at St. Luke's, Tokio, Japan, urged an in-



crease of the fund for the Percy Silver Medical Missionary from the Southwest, and reminded them of the slogan "General Missions our first and largest gift." I have made a special effort to increase the Junior United Offering and am pleased to note increase in the amount for that fund.

The Easter gift of a prayer desk went to Bishop Howden, Clovis, in the Missionary District of New Mexico.

I have made the following appointments with the approval of the President of the Woman's Auxiliary; Educational Secretary, United Offering Secretary, and Librarian. The Librarian will have charge of the Junior West Missouri Lending Library. The gift of one volume was added by the Christ Church Section III, to the two books reported last year, and the three volumes placed in the care of the Librarian, Miss Eugenia Cordell, at St. Mary's Parish House, 13th and Holmes Street, Kansas City, Mo. The above named books are in addition to the cash sum of Twenty-eight Dollars (\$28.00) to be invested by the Provincial Secretary of the Southwest to purchase books for the library. Mr. Eckel, who has given the plan a great impetus, is given power to proceed with the work as rapidly as possible.

Have corresponded with leaders regarding the 1914 Christmas boxes to St. Peter's-on-the-Mountain and Standing Rock Mission; also the May, 1915, appeal which came from St. Luke Memorial Hospital, Ponce, Porto Rico, and our Christmas, 1915, appeal from Christ School, Arden, N. C.

Respectfully submitted,

AMY-LU REID,  
President the Junior Department.

### **SCHOLARSHIP AND EDUCATIONAL.**

1. Margaret Atwill scholarship of Kyoto, Japan, "The Girls' High School of the City of Peace."
2. St. Mary's on the Mountain, Sewanee, Tennessee, supported by St. Mary's Church, Kansas City.
3. Native Bible Women of Wusih, China, supported by Christ Church, St. Joseph.
4. Mary F. Eaton scholarship in the Church Training School for Bible Women, Soochow, China.
5. Edward Atwill Nearing Memorial Fund, to be used in the Josephine Hooker Memorial School for Girls in the City of Mexico.
6. Everett Woodstock scholarship for a boy at St. Andrew's School at Sewanee, Tennessee, a gift from Mrs. S. E. Woodstock in memory of Mr. Woodstock.
7. Mary Bowen scholarship for a girl at Helen Dunlop's School at Little Rock, Arkansas, a gift from Mrs. S. E. Woodstock in memory of her mother.
8. The Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial, to be sent to Anvik, Alaska.
9. Louise W. Musson scholarship for a girl at St. Elizabeth's School for Indians, in South Dakota.
10. Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China, from the Southwest Province.



## **PARISH OFFICERS**

**1915-1916.**

**Boonville—Christ Church.**

President, Mrs. M. E. Schmidt.  
Secretary, Mrs. M. G. Mahan.  
Treasurer, Mrs. C. P. Gott.

**Chillicothe—Grace Church.**

**Independence—Trinity Church.**

**Kansas City—Grace Church.**

President, Mrs. Charles A. Pugsley.  
Vice-President, Mrs. John D. Speas.  
Secretary, Mrs. Henry Burr.  
Treasurer, Mrs. Frances Lovreine.

**Kansas City—Grace Hall (Mothers' Meeting).**

President, Mrs. W. R. Jacques.

**Kansas City—St. Augustine's Church.**

President, Mrs. C. E. Cummings.  
Secretary, Mrs. M. R. Green.  
Treasurer, Mrs. Kate Jordan.

**Kansas City—St. George's Church.**

President, Mrs. B. H. Pendleton.  
First Vice-President, Mrs. E. F. Ashbrook.  
Recording Secretary, Mrs. Joseph Lee.  
Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Albert Stowell.  
Treasurer, Mrs. J. A. Maynard.  
Educational Secretary, Mrs. E. J. Craft.

**Kansas City—St. John's Church.**

President, Mrs. L. F. Kleeman.  
First Vice-President, Mrs. M. E. Robinson.  
Second Vice-President, Mrs. M. E. Kentner.  
Secretary, Mrs. W. A. Morris.  
Treasurer, Mrs. M. E. Kentner.  
Educational Secretary, Mrs. L. H. Reeves.

**Kansas City—St. Mark's Church.**

President, Mrs. Meigs Bland.  
Vice-President, Mrs. Laurence C. Pitcaithley.  
Secretary, Mrs. Edward C. Johnson.  
Treasurer, Mrs. D. H. Oldham.

**Kansas City—St. Mary's Church.**

President, Mrs. Jacob Hebel.  
Vice-President, Miss Mary Miller.  
Secretary, Mrs. C. B. Gartrell.  
Treasurer, Mrs. Prudence C. Weyer.



**Kansas City—St. Paul's Church.**

President, Mrs. W. H. Dillenbeck.  
First Vice-President, Mrs. A. S. Buchanan.  
Second Vice-President, Mrs. Randolph Nichols.  
Recording Secretary, Mrs. W. W. Parker.  
Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. James Moore.  
Treasurer, Mrs. Theodore Naish.

**Kansas City—Trinity Church.**

President, Mrs. H. P. Scott.  
Vice-President, Mrs. Glenn Seymour.  
Secretary, Mrs. William Cooper.  
Treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Hudson.

**Lamar—Trinity Church.**

**Lexington—Christ Church.**

President, Mrs. Walter Dunford.  
Secretary, Miss Larke Arnold.  
Treasurer, Mrs. W. H. MacKellar.

**Mound City—St. Oswald's Church.**

**Savannah—St. Mary' Church.**

**St. Joseph—Christ Church.**

President, Mrs. J. H. Rogers.  
Secretary, Mrs. E. M. Teig.  
Treasurer, Miss Emma C. Sleppy.

**St. Joseph—Holy Trinity Church.**

**Sedalia—Calvary Church.**

President, Mrs. A. C. Minor.  
Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. R. S. Yost.

**Springfield—Christ Church.**

President, Miss Mary Bryan.  
Vice-President, Mrs. Paul Talbot.  
Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. W. W. Bacon.

**Springfield—St. John's Church.**

President, Mrs. T. K. Bowman.  
Secretary, Mrs. A. M. Sherwood.  
Treasurer, Mrs. J. B. McBride.

**Warrensburg—Christ Church.**

**West Plains—All Saints' Church.**

President, Mrs. James Harlan.  
Secretary, Mrs. W. W. Mantz.  
Treasurer, Mrs. Joseph Knoerle.

## REPORT OF PARISH BRANCHES.

	Cash	Boxes	Total
<b>Boonville—Christ Church.</b>			
<b>Chillicothe—Grace Church.</b>			
<b>Higginsville—St. Alban's Church.</b>			
<b>Independence—Trinity Church.</b>			
Mite Box Fund .....	\$ 1.24		
United Offering .....	1.51		
	<u>\$ 2.75</u>		<u>\$ 2.75</u>
<b>Kansas City—Grace Church.</b>			
General Missions .....	\$ 15.00		
United Offering .....	25.00		
Mite Box Fund .....	15.00		
Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China .....	10.00		
Margaret Atwill scholarship .....	10.00		
Mary F. Eaton scholarship .....	10.00		
Louise W. Musson scholarship .....	10.00		
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial .....	10.00		
Current Expense Fund .....	5.00		
Delegates' Dues .....	4.50		
	<u>\$114.50</u>		<u>\$114.50</u>
<b>Kansas City—Grace Hall</b> (Mothers' Meetings).			
General Missions .....	\$ 15.00		
Domestic Missions .....	15.00		
Foreign Missions .....	5.00		
Margaret Atwill scholarship .....	5.00		
Mary F. Eaton scholarship .....	5.00		
Louise W. Musson scholarship .....	15.00		
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial .....	5.00		
Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China .....	5.00		
Box to St. Luke's Hospital, Kansas City .....		\$ 6.00	
	<u>\$ 70.00</u>	<u>\$ 6.00</u>	<u>\$ 76.00</u>
<b>Kansas City—St. Augustine's Church.</b>			
General Missions .....	\$ 10.00		
United Offering .....	2.00		
Mite Box Fund .....	6.00		
Current Expense Fund .....	2.00		
Delegates' Dues .....	1.00		
	<u>\$ 21.00</u>		<u>\$ 21.00</u>



	Cash	Boxes	Total
<b>Kansas City—St. George's Church.</b>			
General Missions.....	\$100.00		
United Offering.....	32.12		
Margaret Atwill scholarship.....	10.00		
Mary F. Eaton scholarship.....	10.00		
Louise W. Musson scholarship.....	10.00		
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial ....	10.00		
Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China.....	10.00		
Current Expense Fund.....	9.00		
Delegates' Dues .....	5.00		
Box to Ukiah, California .....		\$ 91.50	
	<u>\$196.12</u>	<u>\$ 91.50</u>	<u>\$287.62</u>

**Kansas City—St. John's Church.**

General Missions .....	\$ 35 00		
Foreign Missions.....	1.00		
United Offering.....	4.70		
Mite Box Fund.....	5.82		
Traveling Secretary .....	3.00		
Margaret Atwill scholarship.....	5.00		
Mary F. Eaton scholarship.....	1.00		
Louise W. Musson scholarship.....	5.00		
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial.....	7.00		
Everett Woodstock scholarship.....	50.00		
Current Expense Fund.....	6.00		
Delegates' Dues .....	4.00		
Box to St. Luke's Hospital, Kansas City .....		\$ 22.00	
Box to Mason, Tennessee.....		25.00	
	<u>\$127.52</u>	<u>\$ 47.00</u>	<u>\$174.52</u>

**Kansas City—St. Mark's Church.**

United Offering.....	\$ 4.80		
Mary F. Eaton scholarship.....	3.00		
Louise W. Musson scholarship.....	3.00		
Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China.....	10.00		
Mary Bowen scholarship.....	50.00		
Current Expense Fund.....	5.00		
Delegates' Dues .....	4.00		
	<u>\$ 79.80</u>		<u>\$ 79.80</u>



Kansas City—St. Mary's Church.	Cash	Boxes	Total
General Missions.....	\$ 10.00		
United Offering.....	21.00		
Mite Box Fund.....	3.00		
St. Mary's School, Sewanee, Tenn..	15.00		
Margaret Atwill scholarship.....	5.00		
Mary F. Eaton scholarship.....	5.00		
Louise W. Musson scholarship.....	5.00		
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial....	10.00		
Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China.....	5.00		
"Special" to White Bluff, Tenn....	1.00		
Current Expense Fund.....	6.00		
Delegates' Dues.....	4.00		
Box to White Bluff, Tenn.....		\$ 21.20	
Box to St. Mary's School, Sewanee, Tenn.....		25.40	
	<u>\$ 90.00</u>	<u>\$ 46.60</u>	<u>\$136.60</u>
Kansas City—St. Paul's Church.			
General Missions.....	\$100.00		
United Offering.....	20.00		
Margaret Atwill scholarship.....	5.00		
Mary F. Eaton scholarship.....	10.00		
Louise W. Musson scholarship.....	10.00		
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial ...	10.00		
Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China.....	25.00		
"Special" to Monterey, Tenn.....	5.00		
Emergency Fund.....	22.00		
Current Expense Fund.....	13.50		
Delegates' Dues.....	4.00		
Union Box to St. Peter's on the Mountain, Callaway Co., Va..		\$ 10.00	
Box to Epiphany Mission, Sher- wood, Tenn.....		136.13	
	<u>\$224.50</u>	<u>\$146.13</u>	<u>\$370.63</u>
Kansas City—Trinity Church.			
General Missions.....	\$ 20.00		
Domestic Missions.....	10.00		
Foreign Missions.....	10.00		
United Offering.....	22.00		
Mite Box Fund.....	4.18		
Margaret Atwill scholarship.....	5.00		
Mary F. Eaton scholarship.....	5.00		
Louise W. Musson scholarship.....	6.00		
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial....	10.00		
Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China.....	10.00		
Current Expense Fund.....	9.00		
Delegates' Dues.....	4.00		
Box to Valle Crucis Industrial School, North Carolina.....		\$100.00	
	<u>\$115.18</u>	<u>\$100.00</u>	<u>\$215.18</u>
Lamar—Trinity Church.			
Mite Box Fund.....	\$ 7.00		
	<u>\$ 7.00</u>		<u>\$ 7.00</u>



	Cash	Boxes	Total
<b>Monett—St. Stephen's Church.</b>			
Mite Box Fund .....	\$ 1.55		
	<u>\$ 1.55</u>		<u>\$ 1.55</u>
<b>Mound City—St. Oswald's Church.</b>			
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial.....	\$ 5.00		
Mite Box Fund.....	3.00		
	<u>\$ 8.00</u>		<u>\$ 8.00</u>
<b>St. Joseph—Christ Church.</b>			
United Offering.....	\$ 19.09		
Margaret Atwill scholarship.....	5.00		
Mary F. Eaton scholarship.....	5.00		
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial....	25.00		
Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China.....	25.00		
Native Bible Women, Wusih, China	50.00		
"Special" to Monterey, Tenn.....	1.00		
"Special" to Rev. C. E. Betticher, Fairbanks, Alaska.....	6.50		
Current Expense.....	13.00		
Delegates' Dues.....	3.00		
Box to Clergyman, Eureka, Utah..		\$157.38	
Box to Memorial Hospital, Sewanee, Tenn.....		56.70	
	<u>\$152.59</u>	<u>\$214.08</u>	<u>\$366.67</u>
<b>St. Joseph--Holy Trinity Church.</b>			
<b>Sedalia—Calvary Church.</b>			
General Missions.....	\$ 20.00		
United Offering....	5.00		
	<u>\$ 25.00</u>		<u>\$ 25.00</u>
<b>Springfield—Christ Church.</b>			
General Missions.....	\$ 25.00		
United Offering.....	8.46		
Mary Whiting Atwill Memorial....	5.00		
Percy Silver Medical Missionary to China.....	5.00		
Current Expense Fund.....	1.00		
Box to White Bluff, Tenn.....		\$ 10.55	
Box to St. Luke's Hospital, Kansas City.....		4.48	
	<u>\$ 44.46</u>	<u>\$ 15.03</u>	<u>\$ 59.49</u>
<b>Springfield—St. John's Church.</b>			
United Offering.....	\$ 16.73		
Margaret Atwill scholarship.....	10.00		
	<u>\$ 26.73</u>		<u>\$ 26.73</u>
<b>Warrensburg—Christ Church.</b>			
United Offering.....	\$ 5.75		
	<u>\$ 5.75</u>		<u>\$ 5.75</u>
<b>West Plains—All Saints' Mission.</b>			
United Offering.....	\$ 2.25		
	<u>\$ 2.25</u>		<u>\$ 2.25</u>

## ***JUNIOR DEPARTMENT.***

### **OFFICERS 1914-1915.**

**Vice-President in Charge,**

**MRS. LUTHER E. REID,**  
4 and 5 American Electric Bldg., St. Joseph, Mo.

### **Vice-Presidents:**

#### **Section 1,**

**MISS MAXAE BUECHLE,**  
3515 Cherry St., Kansas City, Mo.

#### **Section 2,**

**MISS GRACE STRINGFELLOW,**  
710 Jule St., St. Joseph, Mo.

#### **Section 3,**

**MISS ELIZABETH ECKEL,**  
Warrensburg, Mo.

### **Recording Secretary,**

**MISS SARA C. WYETH,**  
728 North 25th St., St. Joseph, Mo.

### **Assistant Recording Secretary,**

**MISS MARY BIEHLEN,**  
1004 South 11th St., St. Joseph, Mo.

### **Corresponding Secretary,**

**MISS VIRA PRICE,**  
1403 Edmond St., St. Joseph, Mo.

### **Treasurer,**

**MISS LOUISE PENDLETON,**  
5134 Wyandotte St., Kansas City, Mo.

### **United Offering Secretary,**

**DOROTHY MANTZ,**  
West Plains, Mo.

### **Educational Secretary,**

**MRS. HENRY BURR,**  
4101 Warwick Blvd., Kansas City, Mo.

### **Librarian,**

**MISS EUGENIA CORDELL,**  
1125 Benton Blvd., Kansas City, Mo.

### **Auditor,**



## **REPORT OF RECORDING SECRETARY**

**of the Junior Department of the Woman's Auxiliary.**

To Mrs. J. D. Ritchey, President of the Woman's Auxiliary, Members of the Auxiliary, and the Junior Department:

I herewith present my annual report of the work done by the officers and parish branches in the Junior Department during the year 1914-1915.

A conference of Junior directresses was held November 14, 1914, and one February 4, 1915. At these meetings the new extension work in the Diocese was discussed and planned, which later was so ably carried out by the committee.

Section B of the Juniors, formerly of St. George's Church, Kansas City, has become the St. Agnes Guld and is no longer under the Juniors.

St. Mary's branch of the Juniors is one which deserves special credit this year because of the difficulties under which it has labored.

All branches are organized according to the new plan and this has been a record year because of the business-like methods of all the branches. May our work be even more successful next year.

Respectfully submitted,

SARA C. WYETH,  
Recording Secretary.

## **REPORT OF ASSISTANT RECORDING SEC'Y**

**From May, 1914, to May, 1915.**

Letters written.....	1
Letters received.....	6
Copies of letters written.....	9
Post cards received.....	2
Copies of appeals written.....	11
Copies of minutes written.....	23

Respectfully submitted,

MARY BIEHLEN,  
Assistant Recording Secretary.

## **REPORT OF CORRESPONDING SECRETARY**

**From May, 1914, to May, 1915.**

Annual reports distributed.....	30
Circulars distributed.....	41
Postal notices sent.....	18
Parish report blanks received.....	24
Parish report blanks sent.....	7
Recording Secretary blanks received.....	50
Recording Secretary blanks sent.....	10
Letters written.....	2
Letters received.....	2
Postals received.....	1
Appeals accepted.....	7
Number of boxes sent.....	14
Value of boxes sent.....	\$272.60

Respectfully submitted,

AGNES RICHARDSON,  
Corresponding Secretary.



## REPORT OF TREASURER FOR JUNIOR AUXILIARY

From May, 1914, to May, 1915.

### RECEIPTS.

Cash on hand.....	\$ 93.48
General Missions.....	84.00
United Offering.....	2.30
Edward Atwill Nearing Memorial.....	35.50
Medical Missionary to China.....	13.00
Circulating Library.....	11.50
Easter Gift.....	8.50
St. Luke's Hospital, Tokio, Japan.....	7.00
Little Helpers.....	9.65
Current Expenses.....	5.70
Delegates' Dues.....	4.55
Offerings of the Day (May, 1915).....	3.33

Total.....\$278.51

### DISBURSEMENTS.

General Missions.....	\$ 84.00
United Offering—1914.....	1.42
United Offering—1915.....	2.30
Edward Atwill Nearing Memorial.....	35.50
Medical Missionary to China.....	13.00
Easter Gift.....	9.40
St. Luke's Hospital, Tokio, Japan.....	7.00
Little Helpers, for General Missions.....	9.65
Current Expenses.....	9.05
Offerings of the Day for General Missions:	
May, 1914.....	2.75
May, 1915.....	3.33
Printing of Report Blanks.....	5.00
Junior Extension Work.....	17.91
Cash on hand.....	78.20

Total.....\$278.51

Respectfully submitted,

LOUISE PENDLETON,  
Treasurer.

## REPORT OF UNITED OFFERING

From May, 1914, to May, 1915.

Kansas City—Trinity.....	\$5.00
St. Joseph—Christ Church, Sec. II.....	1.18
St. Joseph—Christ Church, Sec. III.....	2.30
	\$8.48

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. C. H. NEARING,  
Custodian.



## **REPORT OF LITTLE HELPERS**

**From May, 1914, to May, 1915.**

Kansas City—Grace Church, Sec. I.....	\$5.65
Kansas City—Trinity, Sec. I.....	1.00
Sedalia—Calvary, Sec. I.....	3.00
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	\$9.65

Respectfully submitted,

SARA B. M. PUGSLEY,  
Custodian.

## **REPORT OF EDUCATIONAL SECRETARY**

**to the Junior Auxilliary of the Diocese of West Missouri.**

May 1, 1915.

The present Educational Secretary was elected in November upon the resignation of Mrs. J. D. Ritchey. At this time practically all the Junior branches of the Diocese had decided to follow the course of study recommended by the Church Mission House. The chief work of the year was done in connection with the extension committee.

Missionary sewing is not always regarded with enthusiasm, but with the finished work came such messages as: "We were so glad to help the Diocese in any way." "It made my heart glad to help in the work." "It has given us much joy to do this little bit of work." "We were very glad to give the Juniors a little assistance in their good work." "It was a pleasure to make the little aprons," and one last word that epitomizes them all, "It was a labor of love."

Two things have emphasized and re-emphasized themselves in this work; first, the enormous importance of the Junior work; our successors must somehow be provided, trained and inspired. The one sad feature of this work has been the recurrence of the phrase: "We have no young people in our Parish." The other fact that stands out is the existence in this Diocese of a wealth of the missionary spirit, which is but another name for the spirit of love and helpfulness shown by these scattered friends of ours.

Respectfully submitted,

URSULA MINOR BURR.



## **PARISH OFFICERS.**

### **Kansas City—Grace Church.**

Directress, Mrs. M. G. Algeo.  
Assistant Directress, Miss Sarah Coleman.  
President, Grace Astry.  
Secretary, Mitah Johnson.  
Treasurer, Anna Fleck.

### **Kansas City—St. George's, Sec. 2.**

Directress, Mrs. Clement Stott.  
Secretary, Lavinia Moore.

### **Kansas City—St. Mary's.**

Directresses { Miss Eugenie Cordell.  
Mrs. J. T. New.  
Mrs. T. C. Means.  
President, Minnie Ray.  
Secretary, Marie Phillips.  
Treasurer, Ruby Kennedy.

### **Kansas City—St. Paul's, Secs. 2 and 3.**

Directress, Mrs. J. P. Gilmer.  
President, Catherine Ritchey.  
Vice-President, Elizabeth Spitze.  
Secretary, Elizabeth Pratt.  
Treasurer, Lucile Hand.  
Sergeant-at-Arms, Elizabeth Davis.

### **Kansas City—St. Paul's, Sec. 2.**

Directress, Mrs. Walter Basingle.  
President, Helen Mason.  
Vice-President, Marion Dillenbeck.  
Secretary, Rebecca Deal.  
Corresponding Secretary, Josephine Ritchey.  
Treasurer, Ritchey Brinton.

### **Kansas City—Trinity.**

Directress, Miss Comstock.  
President, Emma Cheeseman.  
Secretary, Marjorie Browne.  
Treasurer, Jennie Higgins.

### **St. Joseph—Christ Church, Sec. 2.**

Directresses { Miss Grace Stringfellow.  
Miss Mildred Clarke.  
Miss Vira Price.  
President, Jeannette Kneer.  
1st Vice-President, Alice Garlichs.  
2nd Vice-President, Virginia Hamil.  
Secretaries { Dorothy Taylor.  
Jessie Barrow.  
Treasurer, Margaret Golding.

### **St. Joseph—Christ Church, Sec. 3.**

Directress, Mrs. Luther Reid.  
President, Mary Biehlen.  
Secretary, Effie Walters.  
Treasurer, Berenice Brand.



## REPORTS OF PARISH BRANCHES.

### Kansas City—Grace Church, Secs. I, II, III.

	Cash	Boxes	Total
General Missions .....	\$ 2.00		
Edward Atwill Nearing Memorial...	2.00		
Easter Gift .....	2.00		
Circulating Library .....	2.00		
Current Expense Fund.....	1.50		
Delegates' Dues.....	.75		
European Relief Fund.....	2.00		
Happy Heart Memorial, China....	2.25		
Box to South Dakota.....		\$ 19.95	
Box to Hospital, Porto Rico.....		13.00	
	<u>\$ 14.50</u>	<u>\$ 32.95</u>	<u>\$ 47.45</u>

### Kansas City—St. George's, Sec. II.

General Missions.....	\$ 1.00		
	<u>\$ 1.00</u>		<u>\$ 1.00</u>

### Kansas City—St. Mary's.

Delegates' Dues .....	\$ .80		
Donation.....	.20		
Box to Porto Rico.....		\$ 2.50	
	<u>\$ 1.00</u>	<u>\$ 2.50</u>	<u>\$ 3.50</u>

### Kansas City—St. Paul's, Secs. II and III.

Edward Atwill Nearing scholarship..	\$ 15.00		
General Missions.....	25.00		
Easter Gift .....	1.00		
Circulating Library Fund.....	4.00		
Christmas Box to St. Peter's in Mountains of Virginia .....		\$ 58.60	
Box to Hospital in Ponce, Porto Rico		40.00	
	<u>\$ 45.00</u>	<u>\$ 98.60</u>	<u>\$ 143.60</u>

### Kansas City—St. Paul's Church, Sec. II.

General Missions .....	\$ 25.00		
Edward Atwill Nearing Memorial...	1.00		
Easter Gift.....	3.00		
Circulating Library .....	1.00		
St. Luke's Hospital, Tokio, Japan..	5.00		
Delegates' Dues .....	1.00		
Christmas Box .....		\$ 6.00	
	<u>\$ 36.00</u>	<u>\$ 6.00</u>	<u>\$ 42.00</u>

### Kansas City—Trinity, Sec. II.

General Missions .....	\$ 20.00		
United Offering.....	5.00		
Edward Atwill Nearing Memorial...	5.00		
Circulating Library .....	1.00		
Current Expense.....	1.20		
Easter Gift.....	1.00		
Medical Missionary.....	1.00		
Delegates' Dues .....	1.00		
Little Helpers.....	1.00		
Box to South Dakota.....		\$ 19.00	
Box to St. Luke's Hospital, Porto Rico.....		33.00	
	<u>\$ 36.20</u>	<u>\$ 52.00</u>	<u>\$ 88.20</u>



	Cash	Boxes	Total
<b>St. Joseph—Christ Church, Sec. II.</b>			
United Offering.....	\$ 1.18		
Edward Atwill Nearing Memorial...	10 00		
General Missions .....	6.00		
Easter Gift.....	1.00		
Circulating Library.....	2.00		
Medical Missionary.....	5.00		
St. Luke's, Tokio.....	1.00		
Current Expense.....	2.00		
Box to Standing Rock, M. S. D....		\$ 45.00	
Box to Porto Rico.....		14.30	
	<u>\$ 28.18</u>	<u>\$ 59.30</u>	<u>\$ 87.48</u>
<b>St. Joseph—Christ Church, Sec. III.</b>			
General Missions .....	\$ 5.00		
Edward Atwill Nearing Memorial...	2.50		
Easter Gift.....	.50		
St. Luke's Hospital, Tokio, Japan..	1.00		
Percy Silver's Dept. Miss. of S. W..	2.00		
Circulating Library.....	2.50		
Current Expense.....	1.00		
United Offering.....	2.30		
Christmas Box to Standing Rock, South Dak.....		\$ 7.25	
Box to St. Luke's Hospital, Ponce, Porto, Rico .....		14.00	
	<u>\$ 16.80</u>	<u>\$ 21.25</u>	<u>\$ 38.05</u>

### OFFERINGS AT AUXILIARY MEETINGS.

November 12th, 1914, to General Missions .....	\$30.66
February 4th, 1915, for Work in Alaska .....	30.03
May 6th, 1915, to the Emergency Fund .....	18.89
	<u>\$79.58</u>

### SUMMARY, 1914-1915.

	Cash	Boxes	Total
<b>Woman's Auxiliary.....</b>	<b>\$1,314.70</b>	<b>\$666.34</b>	<b>\$1,981.04</b>
<b>Junior Auxiliary.....</b>	<b>\$ 172.43</b>	<b>\$272.60</b>	
Offering at Junior Meeting.....	3.33		
	<u>\$ 175.76</u>	<u>\$272.60</u>	<u>\$ 448.36</u>
Parish Branches, Woman's Auxiliary.....	1,981 04		
Junior Branches, Woman's Auxiliary.....	448.36		
Offerings at Meetings.....	79.58		
	<u>\$2,508.98</u>		<u>\$2,508.98</u>



## **CONSTITUTION**

### **of the West Missouri Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.**

#### **ARTICLE I.**

The name of this Association is The West Missouri Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions.

#### **ARTICLE II.**

Its object is to increase by united effort and sympathetic action, the interest of all the Parishes and Missions of this Diocese in the Missionary work of the Church.

#### **ARTICLE III.**

All baptized women of this Diocese are regarded as members of this Association.

#### **ARTICLE IV.**

The officers of this Association shall be, the Bishop, ex-officio, a President, three Vice-Presidents, (one of whom shall be elected from a parish outside of the See City) a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, a Treasurer, and an Auditor, all of whom, except the Bishop, shall be elected at the Annual Meeting next after the General Triennial Meeting, and shall serve three years; but the President shall not be eligible for two full consecutive terms.

The President, when elected, shall appoint and define the duties of an Educational and Organizing Secretary, a Mite Box Treasurer, a United Offering Treasurer, a Little Helpers' Treasurer, Box Directress, and such committees as she may deem expedient, each to serve one year; and any vacancies occurring in these appointments shall be filled by the President for the unexpired term.

Any vacancy occurring in any of the elective offices shall be filled by appointment by the Board of Managers until the next regular meeting, at which time the vacancy shall be filled by election for the unexpired term.

The duties of the officers shall be those usually appertaining to their respective offices and such additional duties as may from time to time be prescribed by the By-Laws.

#### **ARTICLE V.**

There shall be a Board of Managers consisting of the Diocesan officers and the President of the Parish Branches. This Board shall meet one month before each meeting of the Auxiliary, and at other times upon the call of the President.

It shall be entrusted with the management of the affairs of this Diocesan Branch of the Auxiliary and shall have power to transact all business that may come before it.



#### ARTICLE VI.

There shall be three regular meetings during the year, namely, one in November, on the Thursday following the Council, one on the fourth Thursday in January and one on the third Thursday in May, which shall be the annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary. Special meetings may be called by the President at any time.

#### ARTICLE VII.

Each Branch shall be entitled to representation at all meetings by its officers and four delegates chosen by itself.

Each Branch shall pay in advance such membership fees as may from time to time be fixed by the By-Laws.

#### ARTICLE VIII.

This Constitution may, with the approval of the Bishop, be amended at any regular meeting of the Auxiliary, by a two-thirds vote of the delegates present.

### **BY-LAWS.**

#### 1.

The order of business at all regular meetings shall be as follows:

1. Divine Services.
2. Roll Call.
3. Reading of Minutes.
4. President's Address.
5. Report of Secretary.
6. Report of Treasurer.
7. Report of Corresponding Secretary.
8. Report of Educational and Organizing Secretary.
9. Report of Branches.
10. Reports of Committees.
11. Unfinished Business.
12. New Business.
13. Elections.

#### 2.

The Recording Secretary, in addition to the regular duties of the office, shall prepare an Annual Report for circulation in the Diocese.

#### 3.

The Corresponding Secretary, in addition to the regular duties of the office, shall make annually a full report of the work of the Diocesan Branches to the General Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary in New York.



4.

Parish and Mission elections of delegates shall take place during the month preceding the Annual Meeting and be immediately reported by the Local Secretary to the Diocesan Secretary.

5.

A current expense fund of one hundred dollars shall be provided annually for printing, postage, stationery and expense of speakers; and the amount shall be apportioned among the various Parish and Mission Branches by a committee of three appointed by the President.

6.

All elections shall be by ballot.

Any delegate may nominate.

Unless there is an election by a clear majority on the first ballot, the chair shall declare the two names having the largest number of votes, and subsequent ballots shall be upon these two names until a majority vote is reached.

7.

Each Branch shall pay an Annual Membership fee of fifty cents for each delegate and officer and no delegate or official shall be entitled to vote unless all the dues and assessments of her Branch shall have been paid in full.

8.

No part of the current expenses of the Association shall be paid from the funds contributed for Missionary purposes.

9.

Nine members of the Board of Managers shall constitute a quorum.

10.

These By-Laws may be altered or amended or suspended at any meeting by a two-thirds vote of the members present.

## ***BY-LAWS OF THE JUNIOR DEPARTMENT***

***—of the—***

**Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of West Missouri.**

### **ARTICLE I.—Officers.**

Sec. 1. The officers of the Junior Department shall be a President, who shall be the Vice-President of the Woman's Auxiliary in charge of the Junior Department; a Vice-President for each section; a Recording Secretary, a Corresponding Secretary, a Treasurer, who shall be elected in the Junior annual meeting next after the General



Triennial meeting and who shall serve three years; a United Offering Secretary, an Educational Secretary and a Librarian, who shall be appointed by the President with the approval of the President of the Woman's Auxiliary.

## ARTICLE II.—Duties of Officers.

Sec. 1. The President shall have general supervision over the work of the Junior Department and endeavor to further it. She shall preside at the Junior meetings and shall report the work of the Junior Department at the Annual Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Sec. 2. The three Vice-Presidents shall have supervision over the work of their respective sections, and shall report its work to the President at each quarterly and annual meeting.

Sec. 3. The Recording Secretary shall keep the minutes of the Junior meetings and send copy of same to each branch within ten days after the meeting. She shall receive and record the Junior offerings and forward them to the Treasurer; and shall prepare the annual report.

Sec. 4. The Corresponding Secretary, in addition to the regular duties of the office, shall make an annual report of the Diocesan Branches to the General Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary in New York.

Sec. 5. The Treasurer shall receive the Junior offerings from the Secretary and disburse them as they are designated, and shall report the same at the quarterly and annual Junior meetings.

Sec. 6. The United Offering Secretary shall furnish the branches of the Diocese with United Offering boxes and leaflets, and bring to their attention in other ways the purposes of the United Offering. She shall keep a list of contributors, and make semi-annual collections and turn them over to the United Offering Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary. She shall render a report of the offering at the quarterly and annual Junior meetings. She shall serve as chairman of a committee on United Offering.

Sec. 7. The Educational Secretary shall collect and circulate all all necessary information pertaining to Mission study in the Junior Department, and shall make a report to the President at each quarterly and annual Junior meeting. The Educational Secretary shall serve as chairman on a committee on Mission Information.

Sec. 8. The Librarian shall be custodian of the West Missouri Lending Library. In addition to the regular duties of a Librarian, she shall mail out and receive all books, and perform such duties as may fall to the office.

Sec. 9. The President of the Woman's Auxiliary and the Junior Diocesan officers and leaders shall constitute a board which shall



have power to transact all urgent business that may come before it during the time between the Junior meetings.

#### ARTICLE III.—Meetings.

Sec. 1. There shall be an annual meeting of the Junior Department on the Saturday preceding the annual meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary; and two quarterly meetings on the Saturday preceding the quarterly meetings of the Woman's Auxiliary.

Sec. 2. The representatives at these meetings shall be the officers and not more than four delegates from each Junior Branch. Officers and delegates shall pay yearly dues of ten cents each.

Sec. 3. The Treasurer of each Branch shall send all moneys of the Branch to the Secretary ten days before the Annual Meeting.

Sec. 4. Special meetings may be called by the President at any time.

#### ARTICLE IV.—Current Expense.

There shall be a Current Expense Fund raised by an assessment on each member of each **Branch of ten cents a year**, and the delegates' dues of ten cents each.

#### ARTICLE V.—Credentials.

Delegates to the Junior Meetings shall be accredited upon the payment of **Delegates' Dues** and the **Current Expense Per Capita Tax** of their respective Branches.

#### ARTICLE VI.—Mode of Elections.

**There shall be a Nominating Committee of three appointed by the President.** Elections shall be by ballot. A majority vote elects. Unless there shall be a clear majority vote on the first ballot, the chair shall declare the two names having the largest number of votes, and subsequent ballots shall be upon these two names until a majority vote is reached. Any vacancy occurring in the elective offices shall be filled for the unexpired term by appointment by the President.

#### ARTICLE VII.—Amendments.

The By-Laws may be repealed or amended at either Junior Meeting by a two-thirds vote of the delegates present, notice of such proposed change being given at the previous Junior Meeting and the President of the Woman's Auxiliary concurring.

#### STANDING RULE—(Suggested).

A written resignation by parish leader should be sent to the priest in charge of the parish and to the Vice-President in charge of the Juniors of the Diocese upon retirement from office.













