

Twenty - Ninth
Annual Report

Western New York Branch
of the Woman's Auxiliary
to the
Board of Missions

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November 12, 1908 to November 11, 1909

CONSTITUTION

I

The name of this Society shall be "The Western New York Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions."

II

The object of this Society is, by means of union and systematic effort, to diffuse missionary intelligence, to increase missionary activity among women of the Diocese, to unite previously existing societies, and encourage the formation of societies where there are none.

III

All parish societies, and all individuals desiring it, will be considered members of this Society.

IV

The officers of this Society shall be a President, three Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer, a United Offering Treasurer, and two Secretaries, Corresponding and Recording, chosen by the Diocesan Association at the annual meeting and approved by the Bishop.

V

The President, or in her necessary absence, one of the Vice-Presidents, shall call meetings and preside over them.

VI

The Corresponding Secretary shall conduct the correspondence of the Society, and prepare a report to be read at the annual meeting. The Recording Secretary shall give notice of meetings, keep the minutes, and prepare a manual for circulation in the Diocese.

VII

The Treasurer shall take charge of all money belonging to the Society; shall keep an exact account of all receipts and disbursements, and shall make a full report of the same at each annual meeting, and oftener if required.

VIII

The members of this Society will send reports of money collected and work done to the Secretary. Delegates from the parish societies will be expected at the annual meetings.

IX

There shall be one general meeting of this Society each year, on the second Wednesday and Thursday in November.

X

During the year three or more sectional or special meetings may be called by the President, or at the request of three or more parishes. The days of said meeting shall be Wednesday or Thursday.

XI

This Constitution may be altered or amended by a two-thirds vote at any annual meeting.

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Western New York Branch of the
Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of
Missions.



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*Devoutly given to serve Thee in
good works, to the glory
of Thy Name.*

DIOCESAN MEETINGS IN 1910

The semi-annual meeting in St. Luke's Church, Jamestown.
The annual meeting in Trinity Church, Geneva,
November 9th and 10th.

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*See direction 1 for Parish Secretaries.

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You are requested to study this Manual and to make it the topic of discussion at one of your meetings. Look through the tables and see what your branch is doing. Suggestions or questions will be welcomed.

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Juniors: Mrs. L. M. Chase.

Babies' Branch: Miss Walker.

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Juniors: Miss Sotham.

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Juniors: Mrs. Hibbard.

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Juniors: Miss Julia Minnebeck.

Babies' Branch: Mrs. Alling.

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Babies' Branch: Mrs. J. B. Thomas.

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Juniors: Miss Helen Trail.

Babies' Branch: Miss Elizabeth Weis.

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Juniors: Miss Helen Graham, The Vassar, Park Ave.

Babies' Branch: Miss Elizabeth Davis, 261 Alexander St.

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Juniors: Mrs. W. Herbert Wall.

Babies' Branch: Miss Jeannette Huntington.

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Juniors: Miss Mamie Beard.

Babies' Branch: Mrs. Rosamund Rockwell, St. Paul St.

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Juniors: Miss Clara Smith, 146 Plymouth Ave.

Babies' Branch: Mrs. W. G. Mitchell, 90 Plymouth Ave.

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Babies' Branch: Miss Mary E. Hart, 118 Troup St.

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Evening Society: Pres., Mrs. R. L. Stevens. Vice-Pres., Mrs. Summerhayes. Sec., Mrs. Leavenworth, 250 Park Ave. Treas., Miss S. Bullis.

Young Woman's Society: Pres., Miss Agnes Raines. Vice-Pres., Miss Laura Moulson. Sec., Mrs. E. A. Mohr, Lawrence St. Treas., Mrs. R. M. Gregg, 5 Joslyn Place.

Juniors: Mrs. G. F. Johnston, 56 Merriman St.

Babies' Branch: Mrs. Jno. Wright, 314 Barrington St.

Rochester—ST. STEPHEN: Pres., Mrs. Johnson, 31 Gardiner Ave. Sec., Mrs. Cottrell, 476 Lake Ave. Treas., Mrs. Hale.

Babies' Branch: Mrs. Shannon.

Juniors: Miss Lois Cummings, Hancock St., and Mrs. Hevenor.

Rochester—ST. THOMAS:

Juniors: Mrs. A. M. McCullugh, 63 Belmont St.

Babies' Branch: Mrs. E. H. Martin, 3 Belmont St.

Rochester—TRINITY—Pres., Mrs. F. H. Crafts, 97 Glendale Park. First Vice-Pres., Mrs. Innis P. Allen, Second Vice-Pres., Mrs. Chas. Richards. Sec., Mrs. Arthur Gabel, 60 Lorimer St. Treas., Mrs.

Chas. Crouch. Treas. U. O., Mrs. John Padley, 182 Fulton Ave.
C. P. C., Mrs. Robert Edson, 289 Lexington Ave.

Juniors: Miss Leona Lucy, 663 Lake Ave.

Babies' Branch: Mrs. Chas. Allison, 45 Jones Ave. and Mrs. C. S. Milne.

Salamanca—ST. MARY'S: Pres., Mrs. W. Bartlett. First Vice-Pres., Mrs. W. Pindar. Second Vice-Pres., Mrs. A. Crockett. Sec., Mrs. P. H. Blessing.

***Scottsville**—GRACE CHURCH: Pres., Mrs. J. F. McAmmond. Vice-Pres., Mrs. LeGrand Brown. Sec., Mrs. Wm. T. Keys. Treas., Mrs. Franklin Hanford.

Shortsville—TRINITY MISSION: Treas. U. O., Miss Susan Crowell. S. of M., Sec., Miss Mary J. Pratt.

Sodus—ST. JOHN: Pres., Mrs. Slocum, Sodus. First Vice-Pres., Mrs. W. J. Gaylord. Second Vice-Pres., Mrs. Kendal, Sodus Point. Sec. and Treas., Mrs. Wm. E. Sill, Sodus Point.

Juniors: Mrs. Slocum.

Stafford—ST. PAUL: Hon. Pres., Mrs. E. S. Wood. Pres., Miss E. F. Peck. Vice-Pres., Miss Belle Stutterd. Treas., Mrs. J. W. Totterdale. Sec., Mrs. H. Courtney. Treas. U. O., Miss Carrie Sanders.

Young Women's Society: Pres., Miss Stella Radley. Vice-Pres., Miss Anna Belle Sanders. Treas., Miss Myrta Darch. Sec., Miss Harriet Miner

Warsaw—TRINITY: Pres., Mrs. Sherman. Treas., Mrs. Hattie Knapp. S. of M. Sec., Mrs. Sherman.

Babies' Branch: Miss Evelyn Manson.

Watkins—ST. JAMES: Pres., Mrs. Dan'l. Beach. Sec., Mrs. E. A. Gillett. Treas., Mrs. Augusta Davis. S. of M. Sec., Mrs. Augusta Davis. C. P. C., Mrs. J. K. King.

Westfield—ST. PETER: Pres., Mrs. Frank W. Crandall. First Vice-Pres., Mrs. Byron Fenner. Second Vice-Pres., Mrs. William Peglar. Rec. Sec., Mrs. Alburn Skinner. Treas., Mrs. William H. Thompson.

Juniors: Miss Laura Skinner.

Wolcott—ST. STEPHEN'S MISSION: Pres., Mrs. Wm. Olmsted. First Vice-Pres., Mrs. A. D. DeWitt. Second Vice-Pres., Miss Mary Merrill. Sec., Mrs. J. E. Lawrence. Treas., Miss Caroline H. Bliss.

***Youngstown**—ST. JOHN: Treas. U. O., Mrs. Charles Stephenson.

*No new lists having been sent in, the names of the officers of last year have been reprinted.

NOTICE

If delegates to the annual or semi-annual meetings, find, after their names have been sent in, that they are unable to attend, they are requested to notify the head of the hospitality committee immediately, if necessary by telegraph, thus making room for others and preventing unnecessary confusion.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE CORRESPONDING SECRETARY FOR 1908-1909

The report of the Corresponding Secretary may well be two-fold in character, a glancing backward at what has been accomplished in the year just past, and a looking forward to responsibilities which the year of 1909-1910 will bring.

On the second Wednesday and Thursday in Nov., 1908, we were gathered in Trinity Church, Rochester, for our Annual Meeting.

At the opening service, addresses were made by the Bishop of the Diocese and Mr. John W. Wood of the Missions House, and on the following day we listened to the earnest story of a worker in the Orient, Miss Irene Mann, of Hirosaki, Japan.

The semi-annual meeting was held in Christ Church, Corning, June 2d and 3d, where although the attendance fell below the records of previous years, there was exhibited no lack of ready and intelligent interest. At that meeting Bishop Walker addressed us, and the Reverend I. T. Correll, of the Japan Mission, made a strong appeal for the needs of his field, emphasizing, especially, the responsibility of Christian women to uphold the work among their sisters of the Island Kingdom.

At that meeting full reports were given by the Officers of the various districts, showing a total of 102 Auxiliary Branches, of which 89 contributed to the Box-work; two organizations were reported as disbanding, and five as newly organized.

Nine District Meetings have been held, three in the Buffalo District, two in the Geneseo, one in the Geneva, and three in the Rochester. The boxes were as usual widely distributed.

They have helped nearly every kind of work which is helped by the Board of Missions in the Domestic Field—Indian, Colored, Mt. White, Alaskan and Western Missions—Medical, Educational and Evangelistic.

Twenty-one "Family" boxes were sent, at a combined value of \$3,500.

Joint boxes went from the Buffalo District to St. Elizabeth's School for Indian children, So. Dakota, from the Buffalo and Olean Districts to Alaska and from the Rochester District to St. Elizabeth's, to Virginia and Florida.

In the Geneva District an admirable plan was carried out, that of uniting some of the smaller parishes or missions, which might have found it difficult to contribute separately, in the doing of joint box-work for Alaska during Lent.

In the Rochester District considerable work was done during the summer, so that a substantial box was sent early in the fall to St. Mary's, Sewanee, in their hour of need.

The total value of boxes reported is \$7,765.02, of which \$196.75 was Diocesan, a gain of \$960.89 over last year, of which over \$600 was made in the Buffalo District. It should be remembered in this connection that a decrease in the box-values of a parish or District may mean a corresponding increase in the money offerings, and that, therefore, the work as a whole may not have suffered.

The work of Young Women's Societies in the Diocese deserves commendation. Though only eight in number, found at Trinity and St. James' Buffalo, St. Paul's and Christ Church, Rochester, Batavia, LeRoy, Stafford and Avon, they have helped us in the Box-Work during the past year, to the amount of \$700.00. May we not have more of them?

There has been some increase in the number of Study Classes, and where they have been held, they have been found to be generators of a new interest and devotion, which must result in greater doing and giving.

The usual Officers' Conference was held on the first Monday in March, this year in Rochester, where we were most acceptably entertained by the Rochester Officers.

It was a pleasure to be allowed to share in the gift to Dr. Lloyd of his Bishop's robes, and study furniture, presented by Officers of the Auxiliary throughout the land, and so in a slight measure to express our gratitude for his years of splendid service in our common cause.

So much in retrospect. Turning now to the work of the year that is already so well begun, where is the weakest point in our armor, and in what direction lies the next step forward?

The weak point is this—that the box-work is allowed to represent in our minds a purely material side of our work, and that therefore it is too often, neither intelligent nor devotional. There is no purely material side of our work, and the sending of the boxes, which has in it such opportunities for loving service, and for a close, personal touch with workers in the field, can be made both intelligent and devotional; intelligent, by the instructing of our members, through the Study Class or Program Meeting or informal talk as to the field for which they are working, and devotional by the use in our sewing meetings of that greatest of all missionary text-books, the Bible, and of definite prayers for the field and the individual worker.

Second, the forward step which, if taken, will place our Box-work on higher levels is the relinquishing of the practice of valuing second-hand clothing. Sacrifice is the essence of missionary giving. We would not discountenance the sending of second-hand clothing where it is needed, but the placing of a value upon articles, the giving of which has cost us practically nothing in time or money or self denial is coming to be thought unworthy of the missionary spirit and aim. Why, in our account with the Board of Missions, should we ask a money recognition for that which we freely give away in our own homes, with no thought of entering it upon our account to charity?

The practice works hardship to the missionary in this way. A worker is credited with receiving a box valued at we will say, \$150. The next year Miss Emery decides that his appeal may be sent to a smaller Branch, not likely to send so helpful a response, and later learns that a large part of the box was made up of second-hand articles, which proved of little value to the recipient. If they had not been valued, no harm would have been done, and the missionary would not have been credited with receiving a box much more valuable than it proved to him. May we not send the second-hand clothing as an addition merely to the boxes, that we may have

the satisfaction of knowing that there is nothing fictitious in our values and that every dollar reported by us means money spent outright?

In conclusion, we must not forget that the boxes stand second in importance to our money offerings—that they are more or less of a temporary expedient, to supplement the pitifully insufficient support, which the Board is able to give its workers.

With our gifts to the appropriations last year, about \$1,700, and the value of our boxes over \$7,000, it may be that we are losing sight of this fact, and that, in time, some re-adjustment may be desirable, by which some of the funds now spent upon miscellaneous boxes may be given instead to the general work.

There is much for which to be thankful in the record of the past year. For the first time we have not only reached but exceeded the apportionment asked of us. We have grown, too, in the true spirit of Missions: there is a greater willingness to work under authority, with less of the self-choosing and self-pleasing spirit; there has been very little of the old demand to work for certain fields and certain workers, only. As some one has said, "We are learning in the Box-work to look up from our needles and off to wider horizons."

Respectfully submitted,

LUCY G. ARNOLD,
Cor. Sec.

DISTRICTS OF THE DIOCESE

The Diocese is divided into six districts, each district under a secretary appointed by the president, and each with its box-directress to whom parish secretaries apply for work.

The objects of this division are a quickening of Auxiliary life, all over the Diocese, through reaching parishes far from the customary centres, and holding there such meetings as may give them the information and inspiration that come from Diocesan meetings, also through the establishment of a system of administration equally applicable to conditions of work in village, town or city.

The aim of the Woman's Auxiliary is to occupy every parish that is willing to do something for missions in this organized way.

The division is made as far as possible according to counties. Railroad connections, however, make it impossible to follow boundaries arbitrarily.

The six districts are as follows:

BUFFALO DISTRICT: Buffalo, East Aurora, Lancaster, Lockport, Niagara Falls, Depew, North Tonawanda and Gowanda. (Erie and Niagara Counties.)

ROCHESTER DISTRICT: Rochester, Brockport, Charlotte, Pittsford, Fairport, Scottsville, Union Hill, Sodus, Wolcott, Medina, Albion, Holley, Honeoye Falls. (Monroe and Orleans Counties.)

GENESEO DISTRICT: Geneseo, Avon, Dansville, Mount Morris, Batavia, LeRoy, Oakfield, Warsaw, Stafford. (Livingston, Wyoming and Genesee Counties.)

GENEVA DISTRICT: Canandaigua, Clifton Springs, Shortsville, Phelps, Geneva, Palmyra, Lyons, Clyde, Newark, Dresden, Penn Yan, Branchport, Himrods, Dundee. (Wayne, Ontario and Yates Counties.)

BATH DISTRICT: Bath, Canaseraga, Cold Springs, Corning, Hammondsport, Hornell, Rheims, Addison, Catharine, Montour Falls, Watkins. (Steuben and Schuyler Counties.)

OLEAN DISTRICT: Olean, Salamanca, Mayville, Chautauqua, Dunkirk, Fredonia, Jamestown, Westfield, Belmont, Belvidere. (Chautauqua, Cattaraugus and Alleghany Counties.)

TREASURER'S REPORT 1908--1909

FROM PARISHES TOWARDS DIOCESAN PLEDGES

Albion, Christ Church.....	\$15 00	Corning, Christ Church....	\$ 80 00
Batavia, St. James	50 00	Dansville, St. Peter.....	5 00
Young Woman's Society	5 00	Dunkirk, St. John	15 00
Bath, St. Thomas	20 00	East Aurora, St. Matthias .	10 00
Belvidere, Christ Church ..	2 00	Fredonia, Trinity	5 00
Branchport, St. Luke	2 00	Geneseo, St. Michael.....	20 00
Brockport, St. Luke	15 00	GENEVA:	
BUFFALO:		St. Peter	18 00
All Saints	5 00	Trinity	80 00
Ascension	30 00	Gowanda, St. Mary.....	2 00
St. Clement	5 00	Hammondsport, St. James.	10 00
Epiphany	1 00	Himrod, St. Paul's Mission	2 00
Good Shepherd	30 00	Holley, St. Paul.....	10 00
Good Shepherd, Ingersoll		Honeoye Falls, St. John...	2 00
Memorial	5 00	Hornell, Christ Church....	50 00
Grace	25 00	Jamestown, St. Luke	30 00
St. James	25 00	Kenmore, Mission of the Ad-	
St. John	15 00	vent	2 00
St. Jude	10 00	Lancaster, Trinity.....	5 04
St. Luke	30 00	LeRoy, St. Mark	10 00
St. Mark	15 00	Lockport, Grace	25 00
St. Mary's on the Hill ...	7 10	Lyons, Grace	15 00
St. Paul	110 00	Manchester	3 00
St. Philip	10 00	Mayville, St. Paul	1 00
St. Simon	5 00	Mt. Morris, St. John	10 00
St. Stephen	12 00	Newark, St. Mark	10 00
St. Thomas.....	10 00	NIAGARA FALLS:	
Trinity	100 00	Epiphany	5 00
Trinity, Bp. Coxe Memorial		St. Peter	15 00
Guild.....	25 00	North Tonawanda, St. Mark	15 00
Canandaigua, St. John	15 00	Oakfield, St. Michael.....	2 00
Canaseraga, Trinity	2 50	Olean, St. Stephen	15 00
Charlotte, St. George	1 00	Palmyra, Zion	20 00
Clyde, St. John	10 00	Penn Yan, St. Mark	5 00

Phelps, St. John	\$10 00	St. Stephen	\$10 00
Pittsford, Christ Church...	5 00	Trinity	15 00
ROCHESTER:			
St. Andrew	20 00	Salamanca, St. Mary	2 50
Christ Church	50 00	Sodus parishes	15 00
Christ Church, Doty Mem.		Stafford, St. Paul	2 00
Guild	5 00	Warsaw, Trinity	5 00
Epiphany	15 00	Watkins, St. James	5 00
St. James	3 00	Westfield, St. Peter	5 00
St. Luke	60 00		
St. Mark	10 00		\$1476 04
St. Paul	50 00	Additional pledges and gifts	
St. Paul, Young Wom.		for H. L. Smith Memorial	103 85
Miss. Guild	10 00		
St. Paul, Even. Soc.	5 00		\$1579 89

PRINTING AND EMERGENCY FUND

	Printing	E. Fund		
Albion, Christ Ch.	\$1 00	\$1 00	Fredonia, Trinity ...	\$1 00
Batavia, St. James ..	1 00	1 00	Geneseo, St. Michael.	1 00 \$1 00
Bath, St. Thomas ...	1 00	1 00	GENEVA:	
Brockport, St. Luke .	1 00	1 00	St. Peter	1 00
BUFFALO:			Trinity	1 00 1 00
Ascension	1 00	1 00	Hammondsport, St.	
St. Clement	50		James	1 00 1 00
Good Shepherd ...	1 00	1 00	Hornell, Christ Ch. ...	1 00 1 00
Grace	1 00	1 00	Jamestown, St. Luke	1 00 1 00
St. James	1 00	1 00	LeRoy, St. Mark	1 00 1 00
St. John	1 00	1 00	LOCKPORT:	
St. Jude	1 00	1 00	All Saints	13
St. Luke	1 00	1 00	Grace	1 00 1 00
St. Mark	1 00		Lyons, Grace	1 00 1 00
St. Mary	1 00	1 00	Mt. Morris, St. John .	1 00 1 00
St. Paul	1 00	1 00	Newark, St. Mark ...	1 00 1 00
St. Philip	1 00	1 00	NIAGARA FALLS:	
St. Simon	1 00		Epiphany	1 00
St. Stephen	1 00	1 00	St. Peter	1 00 1 00
St. Thomas	1 00	50	N. Tonawanda, St. Mark	1 00 1 00
Trinity	1 00	1 00	Oakfield, St. Michael.	50
Trinity, Bp. Coxie			Palmyra, Zion	1 00 1 00
Mem. Guild		1 00	Penn Yan, St. Mark .	1 00
Canandaigua, St. John	1 00	1 00	Phelps, St. John	1 00
Canaseraga, Trinity .	1 00		ROCHESTER:	
Clyde, St. John	1 00	1 00	St. Andrew	1 00 1 00
Corning, Christ Ch. .	1 00	2 00	Christ Church	1 00 1 00
Dansville, St. Peter..	1 00	50	Christ Church, Doty	
East Aurora, St. Matt.	1 00	1 00	Mem. Guild	50 50
			Epiphany	1 00 1 00

St. James	\$1 00	Watkins, St. James..	\$ 1 00
St. Luke	1 00	Westfield, St. Peter..	1 00 \$1 00
St. Mark	1 00	Juniors	14 50
St. Paul	1 00	Babies' Branch	11 00
Trinity	1 00 1 00		
Salamanca, St. Mary.	1 00 1 00		\$81 00\$42 63

MONEY FROM OTHER SOURCES

Balance on hand	\$9 84
Offerings Annual Meeting, Rochester	63 02
Offerings District Meeting, Lyons	6 17
Offerings June Meeting, Corning	39 51
For cashing check	10
Batavia, for Church Periodical Club	1 00
BUFFALO:	
St. Paul, for Miss Thackara	10 00
St. James, for Miss Thackara	5 00
St. John, for Miss Thackara	5 00
St. Paul, Young Woman's Afternoon Auxiliary for Mann Dormitory	5 00
GENEVA:	
Trinity, Miss J. Smith for Bishop Clarkson Scholarship, Cape Mt., Africa	25 00
Trinity, Mrs. H. W. Nelson for apportionment	10 00
For Bishop Spalding's Indian work at White Rock, Utah	25 00
H. W. Nelson scholarship, St. Hilda's School, Wuchang, China	50 00
"A Worker" for General Missions	5 28
"Answer to Dr. Lloyd's Letter"	25 00
Hornell, Christ Church for Miss Thackara	5 00
LeRoy, Young Woman's Branch for Rev. Robt. Wood, Wuchang	10 00
Rochester District, Wom. Aux. for General Missions	10 00
	\$309 92

DISBURSEMENTS

Checks to Church Missions House, for St. Paul's Industrial School for Colored pupils, Lawrenceville, Va	\$125 00
Bp. Graves' Life Insurance	50 00
Work at Aomori, Japan	150 00
Mrs. Folsom's Salary, Honolulu	100 00
Training School for Native Women, Shanghai	85 00
Cape Mt. Africa, Helen Halsey Memorial	100 00
Philippines, Bishop Brent	150 00
J. G. Webster Scholarship, St. Hilda's School, Wuchang	50 00
Miss Taylor, Nevada	200 00
Miss Thackara	25 00
Windsor Memorial, Wusih	100 00

St. Elizabeth's Indian School, S. Dakota	\$105 00
Brazil, Bishop Kinsolving	50 00
Mann Dormitory	5 00
Yangchow, Memorial to Mrs. H. L. Smith	99 67
Bishop Clarkson Scholarship, Cape Mount, Africa	25 00
Bishop Spalding's Indian Work, White Rock	25 00
"A Worker" for General Missions	5 28
"Answer to Dr. Lloyd" for Gen. Missions	25 00
H. W. Nelson Scholarship, Wuchang	50 00
Mrs. Nelson for apportionment	10 00
Education Daughters of the Clergy, DeLancey School	100 00
W. D. Barr for Cattaraugus Indians	150 00
Church Periodical Club	1 00
Expenses Annual Meeting, Rochester	45 75
Expenses District Meeting, Lyons	1 05
Expenses, Semi-Annual Meeting, Corning	21 85
Printing ballots and notices	13 58
Printing Manual	83 15
Postage on Manual	15 61
Postage to Officers	11 86

\$1978 80

Balance on hand

34 64

\$2013 44

TOTALS

From Parishes towards Diocesan Pledges	\$1579 89
For Printing	81 00
For Emergency Fund	42 63
Money from other sources	309 92

Total receipts

\$2013 44

Disbursements

\$1978 80

Cash on hand

34 64

\$2013 44

Respectfully submitted,

ALICE N. DOX, *Treas.*

GENEVA, N. Y., Nov. 8, 1909.

The above account audited this day. The disbursements are supported by proper vouchers and there is a cash balance in the Geneva National Bank of \$34.64.

A. P. ROSE, *Auditor.*

REPORTED ONLY

Batavia, St. James, to Rev. Robt. E. Wood, Wuchang, China....	\$15 00
BATH:	
St. Thomas, to Gastonia, N. C., for rectory.....	1 00
Christ Ch., Tacoma, Washington.....	1 00
Bishop Wells, Spokane, (through Mrs. Davenport).....	50 00
BUFFALO:	
Lenten Mission Study Class to Archdeacon Wentworth, Winchester, Ky.....	8 00
Comfort Club to Mr. Antrell, Rush City, Minn.....	20 00
St. Paul, Navajo Indians, N. Mexico.....	1 00
Trinity, to Gastonia for Missionary Work.....	1 00
To district of Asheville.....	1 00
To Archdeacon Wentworth.....	1 00
GENEVA, St. Peter, Archdeacon Wentworth, Winchester, Ky....	1 00
ROCHESTER:	
Branches to Mrs. C. E. Smith, Luneberg, Va.....	10 00
Christ Church, Rev. W. Hardin, Gastonia, N. C.....	1 00
Christ Church, Mr. Vince.....	5 00
Christ Church, Miss Arnold towards clerical suit.....	25
Officers for Gen. Missions.....	5 00

\$121 25

UNITED OFFERING REPORT FOR 1908-1909

Addison.....	\$ 5 00	St. Thomas.....	\$ 5 23
Albion.....	15 75	Trinity.....	20 07
Batavia.....	46 10	CANANDAIGUA:	
Bath.....	23 42	St. John.....	47 72
Belmont.....	1 00	St. Hilda's Guild.....	5 00
Brockport.....	10 00	Canaseraga.....	17 00
BUFFALO:		Charlotte.....	2 00
All Saints.....	7 90	Catharine.....	10 00
Ascension.....	10 75	Corning.....	10 25
St. Clement.....	4 00	Dansville.....	7 05
Good Shepherd.....	33 25	East Aurora.....	14 00
Grace Church.....	19 00	Fairport.....	2 85
St. James.....	95 50	Fredonia.....	8 00
St. John.....	46 10	Geneseo.....	34 72
St. Jude.....	7 01	GENEVA:	
St. Luke.....	30 60	St. Peter.....	47 10
St. Mark.....	6 25	Trinity.....	131 57
St. Mary.....	104 00	Gowanda.....	5 00
St. Paul.....	201 00	Hammondsport.....	4 00
St. Philip.....	2 00	Himrod.....	2 00
St. Philip, Even. Soc....	1 29	Holley.....	6 04
St. Simon.....	14 00	Hornell.....	20 00
St. Stephen.....	2 10	Jamestown.....	44 37

Kenmore	\$1 55	St. Paul	\$80 00
LeRoy:		St. Paul Young Women's	
St. Mark	5 00	Miss. Society	10 00
St. Mark's, Young Women's		St. Stephen	2 00
Branch	5 00	Trinity	16 20
Lancaster	4 25	Salamanca	1 00
Lockport:		Shortsville	3 75
All Saints	4 00	Stafford	5 82
Grace Church	52 65	Warsaw	10 58
Mount Morris	12 00	Watkins	10 25
Newark	7 50	Wolcott	2 00
Niagara Falls:		Youngstown	1 00
Epiphany	6 00		
St. Peter	35 00	Junior Branch	52 80
North Tonawanda	14 63	Babies' Branch	32 56
Olean	10 00	A friend of the U. O.	5 00
Palmyra	5 00	Rochester Church Home	
Phelps	8 82	(Old Ladies)	2 00
Pittsford	8 00	A friend of the U. O. (Thank	
Rochester:		Offering)	25 00
Christ Church	73 83	Interest to date	43 66
Christ Church Dr. Doty			
Memorial Guild	1 00	Total for 1909	\$1812 40
Ascension	1 00	Previously reported	
St. Andrew	2 00	November, 1908 ...	\$1,714 26
Epiphany	11 50		
St. James	24 00	In bank to date	\$3,526 66
St. Luke	53 19	BLAINE C. DAVIS, <i>Treas.</i>	
St. Mark	32 15	November 30, 1909.	

Only about ten months remain before we again present our great Thank Offering toward which every woman of the Church is expected to contribute. What part shall Western New York bear? Shall our offering be as large as the one given at the last Triennial? or shall it exceed all previous efforts? The answer to these questions depends entirely upon our enthusiasm for this great cause, and our interest in it.

We miss the inspiration of our treasurer, who has so faithfully carried on this work for many years. May her devotion be an example to us; and during these last months before the Triennial may we so loyally and faithfully endeavor to interest every Churchwoman in our respective parishes in this offering, that it may indeed be a *united* Thank Offering from Western New York. This year two more missions have a share in our United Offering, while a few of the older parishes have almost doubled the sum given last year. Notwithstanding these encouraging features, much remains to be accomplished; and if we are to exceed our last offering very effective work must be done during these coming ten months. May each parish treasurer fully realize her personal responsibility, and faithfully fulfil the trust committed to her keeping.

BLAINE C. DAVIS,
Treasurer U. O.

DESIGNATED CONTRIBUTIONS

When Dr. Lloyd told the Woman's Auxiliary eight years ago that they ought to give \$100,000 every year toward the undertakings of the Board of Missions he started us on a definite task that we have been working at ever since. Our progress has been steady, though slower than we had expected. Miss Emery helped us by apportioning to each diocesan Branch its reasonable share of the \$100,000. Of this, our part this year was \$1,400. We paid it, and \$118.35 more. And now we are courageous enough to ask to have our apportionment raised to \$1,500 for 1909-10. It is not expected that all of our diocesan pledges should be for this purpose, but that other and further gifts from individuals should be, so far as possible, turned into those channels which help the Board of Missions to pay its pledges. In order that these additional gifts may be credited to our Woman's apportionment they should either be sent through our diocesan treasurer, or else the amount reported to her if sent directly to the Board of Missions in New York. In all cases add, "to be credited to the Woman's Auxiliary apportionment." The donor's name may or may not be made public as preferred.

Money may be sent marked "For missionary work in the District (or Diocese) of———" for use in any such District or Diocese, and in the same way it may be sent for missions among Indians or Negroes. The Church Missions House, 281 Fourth Ave., New York, will give detailed information as to the sums needed to support hospital beds, scholarships, Bible women, native deacons and priests, single men and women, clergymen and bishops. It must be remembered that the thousands of undertakings throughout the world, to which the Board of Missions has pledged its support, are chosen after the most painstaking research and complete information.

There are women who look for wise ways of giving more money to missions after the parish pledges have been paid. To these an appeal is here made to consider the desirability of sending at least a part of this money through the "Designated Contributions" for the undertakings of the Board of Missions.

EMILY E. NICHOLAS,
President.

SPIRIT OF MISSIONS

The new Secretary of the *Spirit of Missions* is Miss Margaret F. Rochester, of Buffalo. She asks that a secretary be appointed in each parish where there is none, and urges these secretaries to get at least one new subscriber each year to the best missions magazine in the world. Let each secretary keep a list of the names of subscribers in her parish, and see that their subscriptions do not run out, and note those not subscribing, show the the magazine and give them the opportunity. Let it be known that half of the dollar subscription may be put into the United Offering for the first year, if desired; make known the fact that by combining with one or more

other magazines, (which these are, may be learned at the Church Missions House) still lower rates may be obtained. The children should take single copies to sell and thus earn the money for their Sunday-School Auxiliary, as well as increase the circulation of the magazine. *And all parish secretaries should report subscribers, both old and new, promptly to Miss Rochester.*

The work of placing the *Spirit of Missions* on file is going on in different parts of the Diocese, and will prove most helpful to missions study classes. Mrs. Harrison W. Blake of 777 7th St., Buffalo, has now completed 57 years for the Grosvenor Library, Buffalo, and would like to correspond with anyone who will give or exchange copies of the magazine, in order to complete her file.

MISSIONS STUDY CLASSES

It is a great encouragement that, year by year, we are nearer to the attainment of the expressed desire of the Board of Missions that some plan of Missions Study should be a part of the work of every Diocesan Branch of the Auxiliary.

In Western New York for several years past much faithful study has been done by the members of inter-parochial classes in the larger centers and by smaller groups in individual parishes.

There are many plans and diverse subjects to fit the particular needs of the various branches, and it will be an important part of the duty of the newly-appointed Secretary of Missions Study to assist, by suggesting a course or a plan of study; with leaflets, or by the loan of carefully prepared papers, any group of auxiliary women who wish to gain definite information about the work and workers which their gifts are helping to sustain in the world-wide field of the Church.

Will the Secretary of every branch write to me with reference to this side of our missionary activity, which is within the reach of even the weakest and most remote mission?

ELLA F. P. BERRY.

Secretary, Missions Study.

(Address)

Mrs. Thomas B. Berry,
60 Park Place, Geneva.

In the limited time at her disposal the Recording Secretary has gathered the following facts showing something of what was done last year, though we believe that there are other classes quietly working which are not reported. We hope that next year a complete list may be printed of all parishes in which a course of Missions Study has been pursued.

Parish	Subject	En-rolled	Attendance
Bath, St. Thomas	General Missions	23	
Canaseraga, Trinity	India	12	
Catharine, St. John	China	12	
Hornell, Christ	{ Alaska	12	
	{ China		

Parish	Subject	En-rolled	Attendance
Batavia, St. James	China		24
LeRoy, St. Mark	China		20
Stafford, St. Paul	Gospel of St. Matthew		26
Brockport, St. Luke	Africa		
Buffalo, (Interparochial Class)	Africa	70	49
Geneva, Trinity	Mountaineers of the South	27	17
Geneva, St. Peter	China		10
Jamestown, St. Luke	{ China; Why and How of Foreign Missions	10	8
Jamestown, St. Luke	Christus Redemptor	8	6
Niagara Falls, St. Peter	China		12
Phelps, St. John	General Missions		
Canandaigua, St. John	China, (second year)		30
Rochester, (Interparochial class)	Africa		75
Olean, St. Stephen	China		35

CHURCH PERIODICAL CLUB

It is a satisfaction and a pleasure to report that with each year we are adding a better understanding of the widespread good that is carried on through the Church Periodical Club. With it also comes the joy of our increased interest—a greater desire to encourage and aid the moral uplift. That is done by circulating good, wholesome reading matter. True, the year has also had its disappointments, and moments of discouragement had to be met, but the outlook is bright and full of promise.

Men and women in the Mission field are the ones who can more fully realize and appreciate the great help that comes to all classes through the efforts of our Periodical Club. To them how great must be the loss of the home papers and magazines! By giving this little cheer, we stay-at-homes can help to fill many a lonely and discouraged hour in their lives. The benefit does not stop here. They feel the need for others, who, perhaps have never known this pleasure and with more good reading matter at their disposal we are placing in their hands the power to increase intellectual development and spiritual growth.

A recipient writing from a far away town in Texas says, "if our club means as much to others as it does to our young people, many will be the prayers said for your reward."

Lately another bit of encouragement was given in the *Spirit of Missions*. In speaking of the work among the colored people in Raleigh, the article mentions the "Magazine Club," which is conducted by Miss Mosely, for the colored girls. In this helpful work the Periodical Club plays its part by supplying many magazines and pamphlets.

The Traveling Library is a recent move by the Club, and makes for the mental and moral benefit of the community. Each case contains sixty books which need not of necessity be new, if in good condition. They are often given as memorials. Two persons, or many, may contribute, or they may be given by a parish or diocese. As they journey from place to place

they carry the message of love for mankind, and in this beautiful thought of uplifting others there rests a blessing beyond words, and I am sorry our diocese has not yet a share in this inspiring part of the work. One librarian is making an effort to collect the books, and may she be successful, and the library well on its way before another year.

At the twenty-first anniversary of the Church Periodical Club held in New York last January, "it was reported that over 14,000 periodicals were sent regularly each week or month, either by diocesan branches or from the Central Office, more than 30,000 books, 152,000 old magazines and papers, and 70,000 cards and calendars were distributed. This work involved the shipping of 1,600 freight and express packages and more than 7,000 mail packages." These supplies of literature reach fully 50,000 people. They are sent into the near and far away corners of the earth, and reach all sorts and conditions of men. Some of its recipients are even to be found in jail.

Our share in this worthy work seems meager for Western New York. During the past year three hundred and forty-three church and secular periodicals have been sent regularly. One Bible, two prayer books, one Hymnal, thirty-four books, one hundred and twenty Sunday School books, one box of books, the number not noted, six hundred and thirty-seven odd magazines and papers, two hundred and seventeen cards, Christmas and Easter, ten pictures and games, fourteen boxes of miscellaneous literature, one barrel containing one thousand and six hundred magazines and papers. Twenty-nine dollars being the total amount of money contributed.

More than forty librarians are given in the Periodical Club books for this diocese. It is disappointing to add that there are only thirty-three active ones. It should be the desire and the duty of every librarian to let her office be known in her parish, and not necessitate people, who wish to "pass on" their periodicals to write to the New York office for information, as often happens, thus involving much unnecessary correspondence. Will every librarian please remember her dues and not forget that money is needed by the club. Also keep a record of the Periodical work done in her parish and not neglect to reply promptly to all communications. Those little duties done faithfully, will keep the wheel running more smoothly; as co-workers we must be systematic in our labors.

The Church Periodical Club stands for all that is true and noble. And by kind acts and good deeds we are sharing our blessings, thus gaining the true joy that comes in giving of our best.

Let these words of cheer be the keynote of the future.

"Have you had a kindness shown?

Pass it on—

'Twas not given for you alone,

Pass it on."

Respectfully submitted,
MARY J. PRATT, *Cor.*

REPORT OF COMFORT CLUB FOR 1908--1909

The Comfort Club through the kind help of its members has been able to send during the past year money towards a clergyman's suit in Texas, articles to two of our needy missions, one at Layton, Utah, among the Mormons, and the other to Rev. G. Burgess, at Eagle, Alaska; from whom we received a very appreciative letter. The season of Advent commences the year of the Comfort Club's work and many of our missionary clergy are needing either suits or warm overcoats. Your chairman is very anxious to supply some of these wants and to make the Comfort Club a real comfort to many. Linen for the altar and any kind of church embroidery will be gladly received, as many of the small churches are not able to procure such articles.

Cordially yours,

ETTIE B. LANGLEY.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE JUNIOR AUXILIARY NOV. 1908-09

The Junior Auxiliary of the Diocese has, during the past year, rearranged its territory in order that the divisions might correspond with the district system recently adopted by the Woman's Auxiliary. The number of officers has not been increased but each has consented to take charge for the present of two districts, Mrs. Merrill having Buffalo and Olean; Mrs. Richards, Rochester and Geneseo; Mrs. Harvey, Geneva and Bath. These three heads have reported sixty active branches, six of which have been organized during the past year and three revived. Boxes have been sent from these to missions in Alaska, S. Dakota, N. Carolina, Tennessee and S. Virginia, the total valuation of which has been \$1101.56. A special feature of the boxes has been the large number of school uniforms made by the Juniors and joyfully received and gratefully acknowledged by both teachers and children. These have formed the greater part of two spring boxes, the Christmas boxes containing as usual toys and gifts of a pretty and useful character.

At the annual meeting last November the pledge of twenty-five dollars known as the "Emergency Fund" was discontinued. This money had been expended by Miss Sibyl Carter in caring for emergency cases among the babies of her Indian lace workers and her death, the previous August, caused Miss Emery to suggest another object for the pledge. The result of a conference with the Missions House officers was the acceptance of work at Fairbanks, Alaska, which not being a "Special" applies on our apportionment. Forty of the sixty branches have assisted in meeting our pledges and it has again been urged that not only do all have a part in this important side of our work but also that the payments be made one-half before Christmas and the balance before Easter.

The subject of Mission Study, now such a factor in intelligent missionary work, has been presented wherever there was the slightest interest shown,

and seven branches have been studying systematically. The Rochester District expressed much interest in two of the courses prepared at the Missions House, on Africa and Japan, and the suggestion was made that the models of village life which help to illustrate the courses be purchased and used by each branch in turn and that the program at the spring box packing consist of a review lesson of the country which had been studied. In August, the Junior Secretary resigned her office on account of change of residence and Miss Carrie Sanders of Stafford was chosen in her place. Miss Sanders' appointment secures two things to the Auxiliary, first an appreciation of the difficulties of carrying on successful branches in the small, rural parishes, for her work has been among such, and second the certainty of a carefully prepared plan of Mission Study, which, if entered into by the Juniors of the Diocese in the spirit of consecrated effort and prayer, cannot fail to put it into the hearts of many faithful women to give themselves to the Lord's work in the Mission field, that so the bounds of His blessed kingdom may be enlarged through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

FRANCIS C. BOYNTON.

NOTE: The charge of the Olean Juniors has recently been transferred to Mrs. Berry.

TREASURER'S REPORT, JUNIOR AUXILIARY, 1908-1909
RECEIVED FOR SCHOLARSHIPS

Batavia	\$5 00	St. Mark.....	\$10 00
Bath	5 00	St. Mary's Guild	25 00
Canandaigua	5 00	St. Mary's Jun. Branch..	10 00
GENEVA:		St. Matthew.....	1 00
Trinity	7 00	St. Paul	10 00
St. Peter.....	2 00	St. Philip	2 00
Geneseo	8 00	St. Thomas.....	1 00
Gowanda	2 00	Trinity	6 00
Jamestown	5 00	St. Peter.....	2 00
LOCKPORT:		St. Simon	2 00
Grace	11 00	ROCHESTER:	
Christ	3 00	Ascension	3 00
Mt. Morris	3 00	Christ	3 00
Niagara Falls—St. Peter...	2 00	Eipphany	1 50
Phelps.....	5 00	St. Mark.....	2 00
North Tonawanda.....	3 00	St. Paul	10 00
BUFFALO:		Trinity	6 00
Ascension	5 00	Received from Amelia Wright	
St. Clement	2 00	Legacy	8 15
Good Shepherd	5 00	Received from collection at	
Grace	5 00	annual meeting	7 16
St. James	4 55		
St. Jude	2 00		\$204 36
St. Luke	5 00		

RECEIVED FOR PRINTING

Albion.....	\$50	Good Shepherd	\$50
Bath	25	Grace	50
Canandaigua	75	St. Jude	50
GENEVA:		St. Mark.....	50
Trinity	50	St. Mary's Guild	50
St. Peter.....	25	St. Matthew.....	25
Geneseo	50	St. Philip	50
East Aurora.....	50	Trinity	50
Gowanda	50	St. Peter.....	50
Jamestown	25	St. Simon	50
Lockport, Grace	50	ROCHESTER:	
Niagara Falls, St. Peter ...	50	Christ	50
Phelps.....	50	St. Paul	50
North Tonawanda.....	50		
BUFFALO:			\$12 25
Ascension	50		

RECEIVED FOR UNITED OFFERING

Collection at Annual Meeting in Trinity, Rochester

Albion.....	\$3 26	St. Mark.....	\$1 00
Batavia	1 00	St. Mary's Guild	5 00
Branchport	25	St. Mary's Junior Br....	5 00
Canandaigua	2 00	St. Peter.....	1 00
East Aurora.....	5 00	Trinity	2 00
Hammondsport	1 35	ROCHESTER:	
Lockport, Christ	2 50	Ascension	50
N. Tonawanda.....	50	St. Paul	1 00
Phelps.....	1 00	St. Stephen	50
Geneseo	1 00	St. Thomas.....	50
Geneva, Trinity.....	1 42	Trinity	50
Gowanda	2 00	Christ	2 00
BUFFALO:		St. Mark.....	50
Good Shepherd	30		
Ascension	5 00		\$47 33
St. James	1 25		

DISBURSEMENTS

Nov. 12, 1908, To United		Bishop Coxe Scholarship	\$25 00
Offering Treasurer.....	\$41 28	Balance on Amelia Wright	
To Miss Emery:		Scholarship, 1908	5 66
Sybil Carter Scholarship.	50 00	For Rev. Murray Bartlett's	
Mary E. Hart Scholarship	25 00	Work	7 00
Mrs. Folsom's Salary ...	35 00	To Miss Dox:	
Amelia Wright Scholarship	25 00	For Printing.....	11 50
Alaska	25 00		
Helen Halsey Scholarship,		Total	\$255 44
Paid to July, '08	5 00		

Total received for:		Total	\$270 94
Scholarships.....	\$204 36	Total Disbursements	255 44
Printing	12 25		
United Offering.....	47 33	Cash on hand to balance...	\$15 50
Specials	7 00	E. M. POTTER, <i>Treas.</i>	
		Audited Nov. 9, 1908, by Lynn S.	
Total	\$270 94	Beals.	

BABIES' BRANCH

REPORT OF LITTLE HELPERS

The refrain of the Junior Auxiliary Song of W. Texas keeps passing through my mind as I write the Report of Western New York this year. "Little Builders all are we" is the refrain, and it has left such an impression upon me that I cannot forget it, as I think of the Woman's Auxiliary in its three Departments, each one so dependent upon the other. Little stones, and big ones, all are needed for the Temple we are preparing for the King. We should not be strangers to each other's work for we are one family in Christ.

The Woman's Auxiliary can never fail as long as new material is being added to it, for if one stone fails another must take its place and we are closely cemented together in our gifts and prayers from infancy to old age. The work of each life is of equal value in the sight of God, so let us each year grow closer together, as we realize the importance of *every stone* in His building.

This year we have more than kept our promise to The Board of Missions for we were asked to give \$100.00 and were able to send \$200.00.

The Little Helpers of Western New York were aided in doing this by their Pledge of \$50.00 for the Gaylord Hart Mitchell Kindergarten becoming the Board of Missions' work and a gift having been added in memory of Mrs. Halsey. In Africa now the Women, Juniors, and "Little Helpers" all have a memorial for Mrs. Halsey, and when we pray for that field, one helper in the Lord will be brought to all minds. At the annual meeting of "Babies' Branch" Secretaries it was decided to apply this \$25.00 for the salary of Sadie Bremer, a teacher at Cape Palmas. This is part of her salary—\$50.00 amount required.

At the Officers' Meeting this spring, Miss Laura Moulson was appointed Treasurer of The Babies' Branch by Mrs. Nicholas, at my request. She has been my efficient helper for several years, but now she is officially called to be a Diocesan Officer and will take care of the pennies, while the directing of work falls to your Secretary of seventeen years in Little Helpers' work.

Our special stones added this year were for The Dispensary under "True Sunshine Work in San Francisco," in the new St. Agnes Hospital, Raleigh, N. C., in the school among the mountains of Southern Virginia at Callaway,

in Alaska at Fort Yukon and for our own worker, Miss Harriett Bedell at Pay, Okla., among the Indians.

Each one of the 62 Dioceses that have the Babies' Branch are asked by Miss Emery to give \$1.00 toward a Font; Miss Emery telling where it shall go. This year two have been given. One is to be placed in a Mission in the District of Kyoto, the other in the Missionary District of Western Colorado. Our Font in our own Diocese did not go to Spencerport, as published in "Little Helper's" Letter, because the church there was not ready for it, but to Bolivar, in the Buffalo Arch-deaconry, and we have again helped our own Indians in buying a bell for The Church of the Good Shepherd, which will always be dear to "The Little Helpers," as they gave generously to the Building Fund, and it is full of beautiful memorials.

Miss Moulson's report will show you we are growing in our gifts, showing the little stones of the past are now filling important places in the Junior work, and the Junior Department is preparing splendidly equipped workers for The Woman's Auxiliary of the future. Thus the whole body is "fitly joined together, and compacted by that which every joint supplieth, according to the effectual working in the measure of every part," whether Women, Juniors or Babies.

So let us increase in strength and usefulness "until we all come in the unity of the faith to the measure of the stature of the fullness of Christ."

MARY E. HART, *Sec'y.*

TREASURER'S REPORT

BABIES' BRANCH

Amt. rec'd. at Whitsuntide \$408 63		DISBURSEMENTS	
From a special collection at		To Miss Emery for appor-	
Buffalo	2 60	tionment	\$200 00
From Amelia Wright legacy	8 00	To Miss Emery for specials.	81 00
Other specials	7 56	Other specials	17 56
Total	\$426 19	Indian Church at Irving	10 00
		Deaf Mute Mission	10 00
		Font for Bolivia	26 90
Amt. rec'd. since Whitsuntide		Printing letters	28 50
in memory of:		Miss Dox for Manual	11 00
Gaylord Hart Mitchell ..	1 00	For stamps, badges, etc ...	6 25
Henry Hale Hart	52	United Offering	32 56
Gaylord Hart Mitchell ..	1 00		
Dorothy Lewis, Brockport	1 00	Total	\$423 77
Little Helpers, Newark....	4 04	Cash in hand	\$10 58
Total	\$434 35		

LAURA A. MOULSON,

Treas.

In Memoriam



MISS SUSAN E. KIMBERLY

St. Paul's Church, Buffalo

The oldest member of St. Paul's Auxiliary,

A member for sixty-five years,

Died August 14th, 1909



MRS. FRANCES LOBDELL

Trinity Church, Buffalo

President for many years

Died October 23d, 1909



MRS. HOBART WEED

St. Paul's Church, Buffalo

Died June 20th, 1909

GENERAL MEETINGS, FROM THE BEGINNING

(Reprint from a leaflet.)

- 1881—Rochester, St. Luke's, June 1st.
*Hornellsville, Christ, Sept. 20th.
- 1882—Buffalo, Trinity, June 7th.
*Rochester, St. Paul's, Sept. 20th.
- 1883—Lyons, Grace, Feb. 8th.
Palmyra, Zion, May 30th.
*Rochester, Christ, Sept. 28th.
Buffalo, St. Paul's, Dec. 6th.
- 1884—Hornellsville, Christ, Feb. 13th and 14th.
Brockport, St. Luke's, May 14th.
*Geneva, Trinity, Sept. 24th and 25th.
Buffalo, St. John's, Dec. 10th.
- 1885—Lockport, Grace, Feb. 24th and 25th.
Watkins, St. James's, May 28th and 29th.
*Geneseo, St. Michael's, Sept. 23d and 24th.
- 1886—Rochester, St. Paul's, Jan. 20th and 21st.
Olean, St. Stephen's, May 25th and 26th.
*Canandaigua, St. John's, Sept. 29th and 30th.
Bath, St. Thomas's, Dec. 16th.
- 1887—Buffalo, St. Paul's, Feb. 10th.
Penn Yan, St. Mark's, May 26th and 27th.
*Batavia, St. James's, Sept. 29th.
Jamestown, St. Luke's, Dec. 14th and 15th.
- 1888—Palmyra, Zion, Apr. 4th and 5th.
Avon, Zion, June 7th.
*Rochester, St. Luke's, Sept. 27th.
Cuba, Christ, Dec. 5th and 6th.
- 1889—Lockport, Grace, Feb. 13th and 14th.
Rochester, Christ, May 15th and 16th.
*Buffalo, Trinity, Sept. 25th and 26th.
- 1890—Medina, St. John's, Jan. 15th and 16th.
Bath, St. Thomas's, June 5th.
*Rochester, St. Paul's, Sept. 24th and 25th.
- 1891—Buffalo, St. James's, Jan. 28th and 29th.
Watkins, St. James's, June 10th and 11th.
*Hornellsville, Christ, Sept. 23d and 24th.
- 1892—Geneva, Trinity, Jan. 25th and 26th.
Jamestown, St. Luke's, June 15th and 16th.
*Buffalo, St. Paul's, Sept. 28th and 29th.
- 1893—Canandaigua, St. John's, Jan. 25th and 26th.
Lockport, Grace, June 28th and 29th.
*Rochester, Ch. of the Epiphany, Sept. 27th and 28th.
- 1894—Lyons, Grace, Jan. 31st and Feb. 1st.
Avon, Zion, June 20th and 21st.
*Buffalo, Grace, Sept. 26th and 27th.
- 1895—Buffalo, St. James's, Jan. 16th and 17th.
- Niagara Falls, St. Peter's, June 26th and 27th.
*Geneva, Trinity, Sept. 25th and 26th.
- 1896—Rochester, Christ, Jan. 15th and 16th.
Hammondsport, St. James's, June 24th and 25th.
*Geneseo, St. Michael's, Sept. 23d and 24th.
- 1897—Canandaigua, St. John's, Jan. 27th and 28th.
Jamestown, St. Luke's, June 16th and 17th.
*Corning, Christ, Sept. 29th and 30th.
- 1898—Buffalo, St. Paul's, Feb. 3d and 4th.
Olean, St. Stephen's, June 1st and 2d.
*Rochester, St. Luke's, Sept. 28th and 29th.
- 1899—Lyons, Grace, May 24th and 25th.
*Buffalo, St. James's, Sept. 27th and 28th.
- 1900—Buffalo, St. John's, Jan. 24th and 25th.
LeRoy, St. Mark's, June 5th and 6th.
*Rochester, St. Paul's, Sept. 26th and 27th.
- 1901—Mt. Morris, St. John's, Jan. 16th and 17th.
Albion, Christ, June 5th and 6th.
*Geneva, Trinity, Sept. 25th, adjourned to Nov. 13th and 14th.
- 1902—Batavia, St. James's, June 4th and 5th.
*Buffalo, Trinity, Sept. 24th and 25th.
- 1903—Bath, St. Thomas's, June 3d and 4th.
*Rochester, Christ, Sept. 23d and 24th.
- 1904—Palmyra, Zion, June 1st and 2d.
*Lockport, Grace, Sept. 28th and 29th.
- 1905—Olean, St. Stephen's, June 7th and 8th.
*Rochester, St. Luke's, Sept. 27th and 28th.
- 1906—Brockport, St. Luke's, June 6th and 7th.
*Niagara Falls, St. Peter's, Sept. 26th and 27th.
- 1907—Mt. Morris, St. John's, June 5th and 6th.
*Buffalo, St. Paul's, Sept. 25th and 26th.
- 1908—Hornell, Christ Ch., June 3d and 4th.
*Rochester, Trinity, Nov. 11th and 12th.
- 1909—Corning, Christ Ch., June 2d and 3d.
*Buffalo, St. Mary's on the Hill, Sept. 10th and 11th.
- 1910—Jamestown, St. Luke's, June—
*Trinity, Geneva, Nov. 9th and 10th.
(the Juniors and Babies' Branch meeting at St. Peter's Nov. 9th.)

NOTE. The annual meetings are marked by asterisks.

EMILY E. NICHOLAS,
President.



WORK OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY, JUNIORS AND BABIES

PARISH BRANCH.	MONEY.						BOXES.		Total Work Money and Boxes	Totals by Parishes
	Pledges 1908-09	Print- ing	Emer- gency Fund	Addi- tional Gifts	United Offering	Total Money	No.	Value		
Addison, Ch. of the Redeemer					\$5.00	\$5.00	1	\$59.00	\$64.00	\$64.00
Albion, Christ Church	\$15.00	\$1.00	\$1.00		15.75	32.75	2	84.25	117.00	
" Juniors		.50			3.26	3.76	2	6.25	10.01	
" Babies						7.02			7.02	134.03
Ayon, Zion							1	78.00	78.00	
Young Women's Br.							1	60.00	60.00	138.00
Batavia, St. James	50.00	1.00	1.00	16.00	46.10	114.10	3	185.35	299.45	
" Young Woman's Soc.	5.00					5.00	1	25.00	30.00	
" Juniors	5.00				1.00	6.00	1	3.50	9.50	
" Babies						16.25			16.25	355.20
Bath, St. Thomas	20.00	1.00	1.00	52.00	23.42	97.42	2	90.31	187.73	
" Juniors	5.00	.25				5.25	2	11.10	16.35	
" Babies						4.60			4.60	208.68
Belmont, St. Philip					1.00	1.00	1	20.00	21.00	21.00
Belvidere, Christ Ch	2.00					2.00	1	9.00	11.00	11.00
Branchport, St. Luke	2.00					2.00	2	18.80	20.80	
" Juniors					.25	.25	2	15.55	15.80	36.60
Brockport, St. Luke	15.00	1.00	1.00		10.00	27.00	2	42.75	69.75	
" Juniors							1	2.50	2.50	72.52
Buffalo, All Saints	5.00				7.90	12.90	1	10.00	22.90	
" Juniors							2	4.00	4.00	
" Babies						1.35			1.35	28.25
" Ascension	30.00	1.00	1.00		10.75	42.75	2	213.92	256.67	
" Juniors	5.00	.50			5.00	10.50	2	61.20	71.70	
" Babies						10.00			10.00	338.37
" St. Barnabas										
" St. Clement	5.00	.50			4.00	9.50	1	12.00	21.50	
" Juniors	2.00					2.00			2.00	
" Babies						2.31	1	3.00	5.31	28.81
" Epiphany	1.00					1.00			1.00	1.00
" Good Shepherd	30.00	1.00	1.00		33.25	65.25	2	211.21	276.46	
" Ingersoll Memorial	5.00					5.00			5.00	
" Juniors	5.00	.50			.30	5.30	2	20.00	25.30	306.76
" Grace	25.00	1.00	1.00		19.00	46.00	3	128.50	174.50	
" Juniors	5.00	.50				5.50	2	56.00	61.50	
" Babies						9.98			9.98	245.98
" St. James	25.00	1.00	1.00	5.00	95.50		2	80.00	252.50	
" Y. W. E. S						172.05	1	28.75	28.75	
" Juniors	4.55				1.25	5.80	2	22.75	28.55	
" Babies						9.69			9.69	319.49
" St. John	15.00	1.00	1.00	5.00	46.10	68.10	2	123.99	192.09	
" Juniors							1	21.00	21.00	
" Babies						9.25			9.25	222.34
" St. Jude	10.00	1.00	1.00		7.01	19.01	1	15.00	34.10	
" Juniors	2.00	.50				2.50	2	21.60	24.10	
" Babies						3.00			3.00	61.11
" St. Luke	30.00	1.00	1.00		30.60	62.60	2	141.25	203.85	
" Juniors	5.00					5.00	2	20.20	25.20	
" Babies						18.05			18.05	247.10

WORK OF WOMAN'S AUXILIARY, JUNIORS AND BABIES—CON'T.

PARISH BRANCH.	MONEY.						BOXES.		Total Work Money and Boxes	Totals by Parishes
	Pledges 1908-09	Printing	Emergency Fund	Additional Gifts	United Offering	Total Money	No.	Value		
Buffalo St. Mark	\$15.00	\$1.00			\$6.25	\$22.25	1	\$42.00	\$64.25	
Juniors	10.00	.50			1.00	11.50	2	16.00	27.50	
Babies						7.11			7.11	\$98.86
St. Mary's on the Hill	71.00	1.00	1.00		104.00	177.00	3	349.74	526.74	
St. Mary's Guild	25.00	.50			5.00	30.50			30.50	
Juniors	10.00				5.00	15.00	2	87.61	102.61	676.00
Babies						16.15			16.15	
St. Matthew						10.25	2	30.90	41.15	
Juniors	1.00	.25				3.50			3.50	44.65
Babies										
St. Paul	110.00	1.00	1.00	11.00	201.00	324.00	5	704.12	1028.12	
Evening Soc				5.00		5.00			5.00	
Juniors	10.00					10.00	1	15.00	25.00	1090.62
Babies						32.50			32.50	
St. Peter										
Juniors	2.00	.50			1.00	3.50	2	11.50	15.00	15.00
St. Philip	10.00	1.00	1.00		2.00	14.00	1	7.00	21.00	
Evening Soc					1.29	1.29			1.29	
Juniors	2.00	.50				2.50	1	6.25	8.75	31.04
St. Simon	5.00	1.00			14.00	20.00	1	20.00	40.00	
Juniors	2.00	.50					2	30.90	30.90	70.90
St. Stephen	12.00	1.00	1.00		2.10	16.10	1	3.00	19.10	19.10
St. Thomas	10.00	1.00			5.23	16.73	1	60.58	76.31	
Juniors	1.00		.50			1.00	1	15.45	16.45	
Babies						2.00			2.00	94.76
Trinity	100.00	1.00	1.00	3.00	20.07	125.07	3	589.17	714.24	
Bp. Coxie Mem. Guild	25.00		1.00			26.00	2	450.00	476.00	
Juniors	6.00	.50			2.00	8.50	2	46.00	54.50	1268.96
Babies						24.22			24.22	
Canandaigua, St. John	15.00	1.00	1.00		47.72	64.72	1	41.15	105.87	
St. Hilda's Guild					5.00	5.00			5.00	
Juniors	5.00	.75			2.00	7.75	2	11.50	19.25	131.37
Babies						1.25			1.25	
Canaseraga, Trinity	2.50	1.00			17.00	20.50	1	54.30	74.80	74.80
Catharine, St. John					10.00	10.00			10.00	10.00
Charlotte, St. George	1.00				2.00	3.00	2	11.65	14.65	16.90
Juniors							1	2.25	2.25	
Clifton Springs							1	10.80	10.80	10.80
Clyde, St. John	10.00	1.00	1.00			12.00			12.00	12.00
Corning, Christ Church	80.00	1.00	2.00		10.25	93.25	2	95.08	188.33	
Juniors							1	3.85	3.85	
Babies						22.67			22.67	214.85
Dansville, St. Peter	5.00	1.00	.50		7.05	13.55	2	30.50	44.05	46.07
Babies						2.02			2.02	
Dunkirk, St. John	15.00					15.00	1	57.16	72.16	72.16
East Aurora, St. Matthias	10.00	1.00	1.00		14.00	26.00	1	25.00	51.00	62.50
Juniors50			5.00	5.50	1	6.00	11.50	
Fairport, St. Luke						2.85			2.85	2.85

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PARISH BRANCH.	MONEY.						BOXES.		Total Work Money and Boxes	Totals by Parishes
	Pledges 1908-09	Print- ing	Emer- gency Fund	Addi- tional Gifts	United Offering	Total Money	No.	Value		
Fredonia, Trinity	5.00	1.00			2.85 8.00	14.00	2	101.65	115.65	115.65
Geneseo, St. Michael	20.00	1.00	1.00		34.72	56.72	1	110.28	167.00	
" Juniors	8.00	.50			1.00	9.50	2	12.10	21.60	
" Babies						5.12			5.12	193.72
Geneva, St. Peter	18.00	1.00		1.00	47.10	67.10	2	79.06	146.16	
" St. Margaret's Guild ..							1	20.65	20.65	
" Juniors	2.00	.25				2.25	2	20.50	22.75	
" Babies						5.06			5.06	194.62
Geneva, Trinity	80.00	1.00	1.00	141.28	131.57	354.85	4	350.64	705.49	
" Juniors	7.00	.50			1.42	8.92	2	81.10	90.02	
" Babies						9.83			9.83	805.34
Gowanda, St. Mary	2.00				5.00	7.00	3	6.00	13.00	
" Juniors	2.00	.50			2.00	4.50	2	27.00	31.50	44.50
Hammondsport, St. James ...	10.00	1.00	1.00		4.00	16.00	2	115.00	131.00	
" Juniors					1.35	1.35			1.35	
" Babies						5.00			5.00	137.35
Himrod, St. Paul	2.00				2.00	4.00	1	3.00	7.00	7.00
" Babies										
Holly, St. Paul	10.00				6.04	16.04			16.04	
" Juniors							1	2.25	2.25	
" Babies						3.50			3.50	21.79
Honeoye Falls, St. John	2.00					2.00	1	5.35	10.35	
" Juniors							1	8.00	8.00	18.35
Hornell, Christ Church	50.00	1.00	1.00	5.00	20.00	77.00	3	50.00	127.00	
" Juniors							1	9.50	9.50	
" Babies						5.60			5.60	142.10
Jamestown, St. Luke	30.00	1.00	1.00		44.37	76.37	1	100.00	176.37	
" Juniors	5.00	.25				5.25	2	59.20	64.45	
" Babies						2.99			2.99	243.81
Kenmore, Miss. of the Advent .	2.00				1.55	3.55	1	2.00	5.55	
" Juniors							1	3.00	3.00	8.55
Lancaster, Trinity	5.09				4.25	9.29	1	35.00	44.29	44.29
LeRoy, St. Mark	10.00	1.00	1.00		5.00	17.00	1	40.00	57.00	
" Y. W. Auxiliary				10.00	5.00	15.00	2	84.66	99.66	156.66
" Juniors										
Lockport, All Saints13		4.00	4.13			4.13	4.13
Lockport, Christ										
" Juniors	3.00				2.56	5.50	2	15.85	21.35	21.35
" Babies										
Lockport, Grace	25.00	1.00	1.00		52.65	79.65	2	112.00	191.65	
" Juniors	11.00	.50				11.50	2	10.40	21.90	213.55
" Babies										
Lyons, Grace	15.00	1.00	1.00			17.00	1	29.13	46.13	
" G. F. S.							1	14.75	14.75	60.88
Manchester	3.00					3.00	1	15.76	18.76	18.76
Mayville, St. Paul	1.00					1.00	1	18.00	19.00	19.00

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	Pledges 1908-09	Print-ing	Emer-gency Fund	Addi-tional Gifts	United Offering	Total Money	No.	Value		
Medina, St. John							1	\$15.00	\$ 15.00	\$ 15.00
Montour Falls, St. Paul										
Mt. Morris, St. John	\$10.00	\$ 1.00	\$1.00		\$12.00	\$24.00	1	83.00	107.00	114.50
" Juniors	3.00					3.00	1	4.50	7.50	
Newark, St. Mark	10.00	1.00	1.00		7.50	19.50	1	96.00	115.50	131.79
" Juniors							2	12.25	12.25	
" Babies						4.04			4.04	
Niagara Falls, Epiphany	5.00	1.00			6.00	12.00	1	47.00	59.00	72.21
" Juniors							1	8.15	8.15	
" Babies						5.06			5.06	
Niagara Falls, St. Peter	15.00	1.00	1.00		35.00	52.00	3	80.00	132.00	166.26
" Juniors						2.50	2	26.20	28.70	
" Babies	2.00	.50				5.56			5.56	
North Tonawanda, St. Mark ..	15.00	1.00	1.00		14.63	31.63	1	90.00	121.63	142.03
" Juniors	3.00	.50			.50	4.00	2	16.40	20.40	
Oakfield, St. Michael	2.00	.50				2.50	1	4.50	7.00	7.00
Olean, St. Stephen	15.00				10.00	25.00	3	142.00	167.00	167.00
Palmyra, Zion	20.00	1.00	1.00		5.00	27.00	2	102.00	129.00	147.75
" Juniors							1	16.50	16.50	
" Babies						2.25			2.25	
Penn Yan, St. Mark	5.00	1.00				6.00	2	89.29	95.29	95.29
Phelps, St. John	10.00	1.00			8.82	19.82	2	67.00	86.82	139.82
" Juniors	5.00	.50			1.00	6.50	2	46.50	53.00	
Pittsford, St. John	5.00				8.00	13.00	2	33.25	46.25	60.25
" Juniors							1	1.00	1.00	
" Babies						13.00			13.00	
Rochester, Ascension					1.00	1.00	2	19.95	20.95	41.68
" Juniors	3.00				.50	3.50	2	8.00	11.50	
" Babies						9.23			9.23	
" St. Andrew	20.00	1.00	1.00		2.00	24.00	3	83.49	107.49	114.79
" Juniors							1	5.80	5.80	
" Babies						1.50			1.50	
" Christ Church	50.00	1.00	1.00	\$16.25	73.83	142.08	3	276.25	418.33	480. 52
" Dr. Doty Miss. Guild ..	5.00	.50	.50		1.00	7.00	3	26.00	33.00	
" Juniors	3.00	.50			2.00	5.50	1	17.25	22.75	114.91
" Babies						6.44			6.44	
" Epiphany	15.00	1.00	1.00		11.50	28.50	3	57.21	85.71	114.91
" Juniors	1.50					1.50	2	24.85	26.35	
" Babies						2.85			2.85	
" St. George							1	3.27	3.27	3.27
" St. James	3.00	1.00			24.00	28.00	1	11.00	39.00	64.09
" Juniors							2	15.95	15.95	
" Babies						9.14			9.14	
" St. Luke	60.00	1.00			53.91	114.91	4	342.05	456.96	481.76
" G. F. S.							1	2.75	2.75	
" Juniors						22.05			22.05	
" Babies										
" St. Mark	10.00	1.00			32.15	43.00	2	40.78	83.78	136.48
" Juniors	2.00				.50	2.50	2	21.20	23.70	
" Babies						29.00			29.00	
" St. Paul	50.00	1.00			80.00	131.00	2	166.27	297.27	53.65
" Y. W. M. G.	10.00				10.00	20.00	2	33.65	53.65	

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PARISH BRANCH.		MONEY.						BOXES.		Total Work Money and Boxes	Total by Parishes
		Pledges 1908-09	Print-ing	Emer-gency Fund	Addi-tional Fund	United Offering	Total Money	No.	Value		
Rochester	Eve'g. Soc.	\$ 5.00					\$ 5.00	1	\$53.48	\$58.48	
"	Juniors	10.00	\$0.50			\$1.00	11.50	2	25.00	36.50	
"	Babies						23.20			23.20	\$469.10
"	St. Stephen	10.00				2.00	12.00			12.00	
"	Juniors50	.50	1	2.00	2.50	14.50
"	Babies										
"	St. Thomas							1	12.50	12.50	
"	Juniors50	.50	1	3.50	4.00	
"	Babies						3.50			3.50	20.00
"	Trinity	15.00	1.00	\$1.00		16.20	33.20	3	24.20	57.40	
"	Juniors	6.00				.50	6.50	2	20.75	27.25	
"	Babies						17.20			17.20	101.85
Salamanca, St. Mary		2.50	1.00	1.00		1.00	5.50	4	25.00	30.50	30.50
Scottsville Grace								1	18.50	18.50	18.50
Shortsville, Trinity						3.75	3.75	2	22.36	26.11	
"	Juniors							1	3.50	3.50	29.61
Sodus, St. John		15.00					15.00	1	30.00	45.00	45.00
"	Juniors										
Sodus Point											
Stafford, St. Paul		2.00				5.82	7.82	1	20.50	28.32	
"	Y. Woman's Soc.							1	4.00	4.00	32.32
Warsaw, Trinity		5.00				10.58	15.58			15.58	
"	Babies						1.50			1.50	17.08
Watkins, St. James		5.00	1.00			10.25	16.25	2	100.00	116.25	116.25
Westfield, St. Peter		5.00	1.00	1.00			7.00	2	77.50	84.50	
"	Juniors							1	4.00	4.00	88.50
Wolcott, St. Stephen						2.00	2.00			2.00	2.00
Youngstown, St. John						1.00	1.00			1.00	1.00
Additional pledges to H. L. Smith Memorial		103.85								103.85	103.85
										13,162.02	13,162.02
WOMAN'S AUXILIARY:											
"	All Branches	1579.89	81.00	42.63	269.53	1736.74	3709.79	95	7737.51	11447.30	
"	Offertories				123.80		123.80		27.51	27.51	27.51
"	Study Classes				8.00		8.00				
"	Comfort Club				20.00		20.00				
"	Individuals					30.00	30.00				
"	Interest				9.84	43.66	53.50				
"	Old Ladies' Home					2.00	2.00			237.30	237.30
Total W. A.		1579.89	81.00	42.63	431.17	1812.40	3,947.09	95	7765.02	11,712.11	
JUNIORS:											
"	All Junior Branches	139.05	12.25		7.00	47.33	255.63	94	1101.56	1357.19	
"	Individuals	8.15					8.15				
"	Offertory	7.16					7.16			15.31	15.31
BABIES' BRANCH		204.36	12.25		7.00	47.33	270.94	94	1101.56	1372.50	
"	All Babies' Branches	200.00	11.00		160.85	32.56	404.41				
"	Miss Hart's Circle				19.34		19.34				
"	Offertories				2.60		2.60				
"	Other Sources				8.00		8.00				29.94
Total Babies' Branch		200.00	11.00		190.79	32.56	434.35			434.35	
Additional											46.88
Total all departments		1984.25	104.25	42.63	628.96	1892.29	4652.38	189	8866.58	13,518.96	13,518.96

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES
REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE HARRIET L. SMITH
MEMORIAL

At the Officer's Conference held in the See House, March 9, 1908, it was recommended, as a fitting memorial to one who had with such constant generosity and sincere devotion advanced the cause of Missions that a pledge be founded by our Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, to be called the Harriet L. Smith Memorial, in the hope that it would be permanently maintained. At the annual meeting in Rochester, November, 1908, a committee was appointed to secure this yearly pledge of one hundred dollars by asking from each Auxiliary branch a small increase in their annual parish pledge. Because of Mrs. Smith's interest in the education of Chinese girls, it was decided to place the memorial for educational work, preferably for girls, in the Province of Kiang Su, at Yang Chow, on the Grand Canal, that great and old city, reluctant to listen to Christianity. The *Spirit of Missions* for December, 1908, tells us of the beginnings of the work, and we shall watch with quickened interest for news of its progress, now that we have a part in sustaining it. So will our appreciation of the fruitful life of this one of God's saints shed light and blessing far beyond our knowing.

ELLA R. P. BERRY,
LUCY BIDDLE MOORE,
MARY W. PAGE,
Committee.

November, 1909.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PLEDGES

At a meeting of the diocesan officers held in Rochester in March, it was decided that, perhaps, a change in regard to the distribution of our Western New York Auxiliary pledges might increase the interest of the parishes in regard to their money offerings, as well as be of greater use to the Board of Missions, to help which our "Woman's Auxiliary" came into existence. We are an Auxiliary to the Board of Missions, not to our own parishes, not to our own dioceses, but to the Board of Missions.

At this March meeting a committee of three was appointed to consult with Miss Emery in regard to this re-distribution. We (this committee) find that she is very strongly in favor of undesignated offerings. She says, in her letter to the committee, "I think it would be so much more satisfactory if the Branch would pledge for General Missions simply, and bend its energies to making a big gift there each year, with constant contributions to the United Offering. It is so difficult to get both missionaries and contributors to realize that designated gifts are only what they would receive through the Board any way, and not something additional." To illustrate this quotation from Miss Emery, suppose, for instance, that Bishop Brent sees in the papers that Western New York has voted him \$150; he might think that was money coming to him over and above what the Board had promised him, whereas it was only a part of the sum appropriated to him regularly by the Board. To each missionary the Board appropriates a certain sum, the payment of which is dependent upon receipts from the Woman's Auxiliary and other sources. The amount apportioned to the Woman's Auxiliary of Western New York for this is \$1500, and the sums in the Manual marked with the asterisk, go for that purpose. Would it not be better, eventually to give that money undesignated, and let it go for the great work of the whole Church, without limiting it to one particular place? Would it not be a larger and less selfish way of doing things? We are not working to carry out our own personal preferences, but to do the utmost possible good in the spreading of Christ's kingdom all over the world; and it seems as if it would be well to do it in the way recommended by those in charge of the work.

With these explanatory remarks the committee, with Miss Emery's approval, make the following recommendation:

That as the salaries of the women missionaries are paid out of the United Offering, we abandon our pledges to Miss Francis, Miss Babcock and Mrs. Folsom, and use the money thus set free (\$350) for General Missions, thus making a beginning in carrying out Miss Emery's plan. Miss Taylor of Nevada has withdrawn from the work on account of ill health, and a desire has been expressed that the \$200 heretofore given to her be sent to Bishop Wells of Spokane as a *special*. The other pledges may well remain unchanged.

The committee has drawn up the enclosed schedule of offerings for 1909-1910, and respectfully submits it for your decision.

ALICE N. DOX,
ALICE C. W. VAN DER BEEK,
LUCY G. ARNOLD.

PLEDGES FOR 1909-1910 WOMAN'S AUXILIARY

DIOCESAN

1.	Education of Daughters of the Clergy, DeLancey School, at Geneva	\$100 00
2.	Indians, Cattaraugus Reservation (support)	50 00
3.	Indians, Cattaraugus Reservation (development)	100 00
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		\$250 00

DOMESTIC

1.	Bishop Wells, Spokane	\$200 00
2.	*School for Colored Pupils, Lawrenceville, Va	125 00
3.	*Philippines	150 00
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		\$475 00

FOREIGN

1.	*Training School for native Women, Shanghai	\$85 00
2.	Bishop Graves' Life Insurance	50 00
3.	*J. G. Webster Scholarship, St. Hilda's School, China	50 00
4.	*Helen Halsey Memorial, Cape Mt., Africa	100 00
5.	*Windsor Memorial, Wusih, China	100 00
6.	*H. L. Smith Memorial, Yang Chow, China	100 00
7.	*†Brazil	100 00
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		\$585 00

GENERAL

*General Missions.....	\$350 00
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Total	\$1660 00

JUNIOR AUXILIARY

1.	*Sibyl Carter Scholarship, Wuchang, China	\$50 00
2.	Bishop Coxe Scholarship, Shoshone Reservation	25 00
3.	*Mary E. Hart Scholarship, Kyoto, Japan	25 00
4.	Amelia Wright Scholarship, Raleigh, N. C.	25 00
5.	*Helen Halsey Scholarship, Julia C. Emery School, Africa ..	25 00
6.	*Mrs. Folsom's Salary, Honolulu	35 00
7.	*Alaska, Work at Fairbanks, (all left on hand)	
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		\$185 00

BABIES' BRANCH

1.	*General Missions	\$50 00
2.	*Mrs. Folsom's Salary, Honolulu	50 00
3.	*Angelica Church Hart Day School, China	20 00
4.	*Gaylord Hart Mitchell Kindergarten, Akita	50 00
5.	*Helen Halsey Memorial, Cape Palmas	25 00
6.	*Little Helpers' Day School, Shanghai	5 00
7.	Little Helpers' Bed, St. Agnes' Hospital, Raleigh, N. C. ..	5 00
8.	Emergency Fund, White Rock, Indian Mission	5 00
9.	Arthur S. Lloyd Scholarship, St. John's Institute, Corbin, Ky	5 00

10.	A Font.....	5 00
11.	Indian Church at Irving	5 00
12.	Deaf Mute Mission	10 00
13.	Font for Rochester Archdeaconry	26 90
14.	Church Pub. Co.....	5 00
15.	Clergy Fund	5 00
16.	Bishop Wells, Spokane	5 00
17.	Printing Manual.....	10 00
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		\$286 90

*These help the Board of Missions.

†Conditional upon receiving sufficient money after other pledges are paid.

*\$Additional money given by any branch for this purpose will be included in this pledge.

For further information about pledges, see leaflet issued by the treasurer.

