

83.12

Diocese of Missouri
Seventy-Ninth
Convention
1918-1921



Special Collections Enjoined by Canon XX.

SECTION 1. Offerings shall be made annually in every Church in this Diocese for the following purposes, namely:

First. For the increase of the Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, which shall be made on the Second Sunday in Lent, or on one of the Sundays nearest thereto.

Second. For the increase of the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund of the Diocese, for relief of Clergymen disabled by age or disease, and of the widows and orphans of deceased Clergymen, which shall be made on Christmas Day or the Sunday nearest thereto.

Third. For the support of the theological students in the Diocese, which shall be made on the Third Sunday in Advent.

SEC. 2. Offerings shall be made quarterly by all the congregations of this Diocese which do not contribute through the Laymen's Co-operating Missionary Society, in behalf of Diocesan Missions. They shall be made during the months of February, May, August and November; but note, that where services are held on less than two Sundays in each month, one offering for Diocesan Missions shall suffice.

SEC. 3. The offerings contemplated by this Canon shall be forwarded immediately to the Treasurers of the respective funds.

JOURNAL

—OF THE—

Seventy-Ninth Convention

—OF THE—

Church ⁱⁿ the Diocese of Missouri

—HELD IN—

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

ST. LOUIS, MO.

MAY 28, 29, 30, A.D. 1918

WITH EPISCOPAL, PAROCHIAL AND PERSONAL REPORTS

PUBLISHED BY THE SECRETARY

THE FREEGARD PRESS, 1620-1622 MORGAN STREET
ST. LOUIS, MO.

NOTICE.

The Eightieth Convention of the CHURCH IN THE DIOCESE OF MISSOURI, will be held in Christ Church Cathedral, St. Louis, on a date to be fixed later by the Bishop.

CLAUDE ELWOOD REMICK,
Secretary.

St. Louis, May 30, 1918.

Diocese of Missouri.

Organized November 16, 1840.

MISSIONARY BISHOP, RT. REV. JACKSON KEMPER, D. D.

BORN DECEMBER 24, 1789; CONSECRATED SEPTEMBER 25, 1835;

TRANSLATED TO WISCONSIN IN 1854; DIED MAY 24, 1870.

FIRST BISHOP, RT. REV. CICERO STEPHENS HAWKS, D. D.

BORN MAY 26, 1812; CONSECRATED OCTOBER 20, 1844;

DIED APRIL 19, 1868.

SECOND BISHOP, RT. REV. CHARLES FRANKLIN ROBERTSON,
D. D., S. T. D., LL. D.

BORN MARCH 2, 1835; CONSECRATED OCTOBER 25, 1868;

DIED MAY 1, 1886.

Officers of the Diocese.

BISHOP

RT. REV. DANIEL SYLVESTER TUTTLE, D. D., S. T. D., LL. D.

PRESIDING BISHOP OF THE CHURCH, 1903.

RESIDENCE, 74 VANDEVENTER PLACE, ST. LOUIS.

BISHOP COADJUTOR

RT. REV. FREDERICK FOOTE JOHNSON, D. D.

RESIDENCE, 5338¹/₂ VON VERSEN AVENUE, ST. LOUIS.

SECRETARY AND REGISTRAR

REV. CLAUDE ELWOOD REMICK,

1210 Locust Street, St. Louis.

Term as Registrar expires 1919.

TREASURER

MR. JAMES M. BULL, 421 N. Second Street, St. Louis.

CHANCELLOR

MR. GEORGE C. HITCHCOCK, Federal Reserve Bank Building, St. Louis.

Term expires 1921.

OFFICERS OF THE DIOCESE.

BISHOP'S SECRETARY

MRS. GEORGE DANA BOARDMAN MILLER,
74 Vandeventer Place, St. Louis.

DEANS OF CONVOCATIONS

REV. GEO. E. WHARTON, *Dean of Hannibal Convocation.*
REV. J. COURTNEY JONES, *Dean of Southern Convocation.*

DELEGATES TO THE PROVINCIAL SYNOD.

REV. R. DeL. PUTNEY	MR. C. B. ROLLINS
REV. H. N. TRAGITT	MR. L. F. JONES, JR.
REV. DOUGLASS ATWILL	MR. C. H. MIDDLETON
REV. ARTHUR BRITAIN	MR. A. B. RIDINGTON
REV. C. F. EDWARDS	

Committees, Boards and Trustees.

STANDING COMMITTEE

VERY REV. CARROLL MELVIN DAVIS, *President.*
REV. J. COURTNEY JONES, *Vice-President.*
MR. CURTIS M. JENNINGS, *Secretary.*
REV. ZEBARNEY THORNE PHILLIPS, D.D.
MR. JAMES L. FORD.
MR. JAMES M. BULL.

MISSIONARY BOARD

RT. REV. DANIEL S. TUTTLE, D.D., S.T.D., LL.D., *President ex-officio.*
RT. REV. FREDERICK F. JOHNSON, D.D., *ex-officio.*

Clerical

Lay.

REV. JOHN DAVIS, D.D., <i>Dean of Hannibal Convocation.</i>	MR. CHARLES C. CURTICE.
REV. J. COURTNEY JONES, <i>Dean of Southern Convocation.</i>	MR. EDWARD H. LYCETT.
REV. J. BOYD COXE.	MR. THOS. Q. DIX.
REV. Z. B. T. PHILLIPS, D.D.	MR. GEORGE A. RANDOLPH.
REV. JOHN BODEN.	MR. FRANK C. THOMPSON.

EXAMINING CHAPLAINS.

REV. JOSEPH COURTNEY JONES.
REV. ZEBARNEY THORNE PHILLIPS, D.D.

TRUSTEES OF THE PAROCHIAL TRUST FUND.

RT. REV. DANIEL S. TUTTLE, D.D., S.T.D., LL.D., *President.*

VERY REV. CARROLL MELVIN DAVIS, *Vice-President.*

MR. CURTIS M. JENNINGS, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

REV. J. COURTNEY JONES.

REV. ZEBARNEY THORNE PHILLIPS, D.D.

MR. JAMES L. FORD.

MR. JAMES M. BULL.

TRUSTEES OF PERMANENT FUND FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE EPISCOPATE.

MR. WALKER HILL, *Treasurer.*

MR. JAMES M. BULL.

MR. F. N. JUDSON.

TRUSTEES OF THE AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY FUND.

THE BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE, *ex-officio.*

MR. JAMES M. BULL, *Treasurer, ex-officio.*

REV. J. COURTNEY JONES.

MR. HENRY H. DENISON.

MR. WILLIAM P. NELSON.

TRUSTEES OF THEOLOGICAL EDUCATION FUND.

THE BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE, *ex-officio.*

MR. JAMES M. BULL, *Treasurer, ex-officio.*

REV. BENJAMIN E. REED.

MR. HENRY H. DENISON.

MR. EDMOND J. THOMAS.

THE EPISCOPAL BISHOP'S RESIDENCE COMPANY.

RT. REV. DANIEL S. TUTTLE, D.D., S.T.D., LL.D., *President, ex-officio.*

MR. F. N. JUDSON, *Vice-President.*

MR. A. E. BOSTWICK, *Secretary and Treasurer.*

MR. DEXTER TIFFANY.

TRUSTEES FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH.

VERY REV. CARROLL M. DAVIS.

MR. WM. BAGNELL.

MR. GEO. K. WARNER.

Term expires 1921.

COMMITTEE ON ADMISSION OF NEW PARISHES AND LAY CREDENTIALS.

REV. H. W. MIZNER.
REV. CLAUDE E. REMICK.
MR. JAMES M. BULL.
MR. WM. HALES.
MR. S. G. HOPKINS.

COMMITTEE ON ASSESSMENTS.

MR. EDWARD H. LYCETT.
MR. EDMOND J. THOMAS.
MR. C. C. CURTICE.
MR. W. C. STITH.
MR. J. L. FORD.
MR. E. A. LOGAN.
MR. A. J. WATLING.

COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND CANONS.

REV. J. COURTNEY JONES.
REV. E. DUCKWORTH.
MR. F. N. JUDSON.
MR. T. K. SKINKER.
MR. GEO. C. HITCHCOCK.

COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

MR. CHARLES C. CURTICE.
MR. WM. BAGNELL.
MR. WALKER HILL.

COMMITTEE ON MISSIONS.

REV. EDMUND DUCKWORTH.
REV. J. S. BUNTING.
REV. E. J. CLEVELAND.
MR. GEO. K. WARNER.
MR. GEO. W. STRODTMAN.

COMMITTEE ON RAISING FUNDS FOR THE ENDOWMENT OF THE EPISCOPATE.

MR. WALKER HILL.
MR. WILLIAM H. THOMSON.
MR. WILLIAM BAGNELL.
MR. F. C. THOMPSON.
MR. GEO. C. MACKAY.

REV.
REV.
REV.

REV.
REV.
REV.
REV.
MR.

COMMITTEES, BOARDS AND TRUSTEES.

7

COMMITTEE ON STATE OF THE CHURCH.

REV. ARTHUR BRITTAIN.
REV. G. E. NORTON.
REV. J. BOYD COXE.
MR. H. D. CONDIE.
MR. HENRY G. HURD.

COMMITTEE ON SOCIAL SERVICE.

REV. J. H. LEVER.	MR. C. W. MINCH.
REV. JOHN BODEN.	MR. A. B. AMBLER.
REV. H. N. O'CONNOR.	DR. JOHN GREEN.

COMMITTEE ON UNFINISHED BUSINESS.

REV. J. W. HIGSON.
REV. R. D. PUTNEY.
MR. L. F. JONES, JR.

COMMITTEE ON THE CHURCH NEWS.

REV. D. H. ATWILL, *Editor*.
MR. H. G. HURD, *Chairman*.
MR. C. S. AEHLE.
MR. J. O. KING.

BOARD OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION.

THE BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE, *ex-officio*.
THE BISHOP COADJUTOR, *ex-officio*.

REV. B. T. KEMERER.	MR. A. J. WATLING.
REV. JOHN BUNTING.	MR. GEO. C. MACKAY.
REV. H. W. MIZNER.	MR. C. C. ROBERTSON.
REV. E. DUCKWORTH.	MR. H. G. HURD.
MR. B. F. BABBITT.	

Organizations and Institutions.

LAYMEN'S CO-OPERATING MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

MR. EDWARD H. LYCETT, *President and Treasurer.*

MR. THOS. Q. DIX, *Secretary.*

OFFICERS OF THE MISSIONARY HOST.

MR. WALKER HILL, *President.*

MR. E. S. GATCH, *Vice-President.*

MR. FRANK WYMAN, *Treasurer.*

MR. WILLIAM P. NELSON, *Secretary.*

MR. JAMES M. BULL, *Assistant Secretary.*

THE MISSOURI DIOCESAN LEAGUE OF LAY READERS.

THE RT. REV. F. F. JOHNSON, D.D., *Bishop Coadjutor.*

MR. C. L. VON RENTHEL, *Director, St. Mary's.*

MR. A. B. AMBLER, *Secretary-Treasurer, Grace, Kirkwood.*

MR. BYRON F. BABBITT, *St. George's.*

MR. E. W. BROEMMELSICK, *St. Luke's, Jennings.*

MR. C. H. FAUNTLEROY, *Mount Calvary.*

MR. EDWIN FREEGARD, *Redeemer.*

MR. ERNEST KROEHLE, *Good Shepherd.*

MR. A. D. POMEROY, *St. John's.*

MR. WALTER SAUNDERS, *Ascension.*

MR. RICHARD KOPPLIN, *Emmanuel.*

MR. CHAS. S. MAYBURY, *Emmanuel.*

MR. CARL W. MINCH, *St. Paul's.*

MR. F. G. WILLIAMSON, *Emmanuel.*

MR. A. J. WATLING, *Emmanuel.*

MISSOURI BRANCH WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

MRS. EDWARD C. SIMMONS, *Honorary President.*

MRS. M. H. JOLLEY, *President.*

MRS. E. S. CUSHING, *First Vice-President.*

MRS. T. Q. DIX, *Second Vice-President.*

MRS. T. EWING WHITE, *Treasurer.*

MISS HENRIETTA SCHEETZ, *Recording Secretary.*

MISS CORA PEARCE, *Corresponding Secretary.*

MISS JULIA UPSHAW, *Auditor.*

MISS ANNIE S. COUSLAND, *Treasurer of the United Offering.*

THE CHURCH CLUB OF ST. LOUIS. (Executive Committee.)

MR. GEO. M. BLOCK, *President.*

MR. T. K. KNIGHT, *Vice-President.*

MR. S. G. HOPKINS, *Treasurer.*

MR. C. S. AEHLE, *Secretary, 1002 Locust Street.*

MR. F. C. THOMPSON.

MR. H. H. MCINTYRE.

DR. ARTHUR E. BOSTWICK.

BROTHERHOOD OF ST. ANDREW.
(St. Louis Local Assembly.)

RT. REV. D. S. TUTTLE, D.D, S.T.D., LL.D., *Honorary President.*
MR. A. J. WATLING, *President.*
MR. VINCENT L. PRICE, *First Vice-President.*
MR. C. L. VON RENTHEL, *Second Vice-President.*
MR. THOS. K. KNIGHT, *Third Vice-President.*
MR. W. P. SAMUEL, *Treasurer.*
DR. IRA C. YOUNG, *Secretary.*
REV. J. BOYD COXE, *Chaplain.*

DR. IRA C. YOUNG,
Member of the National Council from the Seventh Province.

ORPHANS' HOME.
(Grand and Lafayette Avenues, St. Louis.)

MRS. KATE HOWARD, *First Directress.*
MRS. WALLACE DELAFIELD, *Second Directress.*
MRS. H. H. DENISON, *Secretary.*
MISS JULIA M. UPSHAW, *Treasurer.*
REV. ARTHUR BRITTAIN, *Chaplain.*

ST. LUKE'S HOSPITAL.
(Belt and Delmar Avenues, St. Louis.)

MR. HOMER P. KNAPP, *President.*
F. V. HAMMAR, *Vice-President.*
MR. WILLIAM H. WHITEHILL, *Secretary.*
MR. WM. MAFFITT, *Treasurer.*
REV. GEORGE E. NORTON, *Chaplain.*

CHURCH MISSION HOUSE.
(100 N. Leffingwell Avenue, St. Louis.)

MRS. KATE M. HOWARD, *President and Treasurer.*
MRS. H. S. O'BANNON, *Vice-President.*
MRS. J. H. HAWES, *Secretary.*
MRS. MARTHA COOPER, *Matron.*
REV. J. H. LEVER, *Chaplain.*

List of Parishes

IN THE DIOCESE OF MISSOURI.

Aftton.....	Christ Church.
Cape Girardeau.....	Christ Church.
Clarksville.....	Grace.
Clayton.....	Church of St. Michael and All Angels.
Columbia.....	Calvary.
De Soto.....	Trinity.
Ferguson.....	St. Stephen's.
Hannibal.....	Trinity.
Jefferson City.....	Grace.
Kirkwood.....	Grace.
Louisiana.....	Calvary.
Macon.....	St. James.
Mexico.....	St. Paul's.
Moberly.....	Christ Church.
Monroe.....	St. Jude's.
Palmyra.....	St. Paul's.
Prairieville.....	St. John's.
St. Charles.....	Trinity.
St. Louis.....	All Saints'.
“.....	Christ Church Cathedral.
“.....	Church of St. Philip the Apostle.
“.....	Church of the Ascension.
“.....	Church of the Good Shepherd.
“.....	Church of the Holy Communion.
“.....	Church of the Holy Innocents.
“.....	Church of the Redeemer.
“.....	Mt. Calvary.
“.....	St. Alban's.
“.....	St. Andrew's.
“.....	St. George's Chapel.
“.....	St. John's.
“.....	St. Paul's.
“.....	St. Peter's.
“.....	Trinity.
Webster Groves.....	Emmanuel.

Organized Missions.

NAMES OF WARDENS.

Bonne Terre	St. Peter's	Charles K. Hitchcock
Canton	St. Peter's	Frank Page
Crystal City	Grace	Fred Butler
Cuba	St. Andrew's	Benjamin H. Newman
Fredericktown	St. Paul's	Henry C. Thompson
Fulton	Trinity	
Ironton	St. Paul's	Charles F. Galt
Jackson	Redeemer	
Kirksville	Trinity	H. A. Kellogg
Overland Park	St. Paul's	T. K. Jones
Poplar Bluff	Holy Cross	Alexander McDonald
Portland	St. Mark's	John Finkland
Rolla	Christ	Henry Wood
Salem	Trinity	George D. Addison
Shelbina	Emmanuel	W. O. L. Jewett
Sherman	Holy Cross	
St. James	Trinity	Thomas Stimson
St. Louis	Prince of Peace	John Wheatley
"	St. Augustine's	George F. Brigham, Jr.
"	St. Luke's	A. J. Kirby
"	St. Mary's	Louis H. Niederluck
"	St. Stephen's	Geo. A. Randolph
"	St. Timothy's	C. L. Case
"	St. Thomas'	Henry Stumpe, Jr.
Sullivan	St. John's	George Russell
Thayer	Holy Trinity	John W. Buchanan
Valley Park	St. Luke's	

Unorganized Missions.

Bloomfield	Illmo
Chaffee	Jennings—St. Luke's
Doniphan	St. Clair
Florissant	St. Louis—Grace Church—Holy Cross
Herculaneum	St. Louis—Hospital Missions

Missions Attached to Parishes.

St. Louis—Epiphany	Shrewsbury—St. Mary's
Eureka—Grace	

List of Clergy.

CANONICALLY RESIDENT IN THE DIOCESE OF MISSOURI.

Those marked * not entitled to vote in the Convention.

BISHOP.

THE RT. REV. DANIEL SYLVESTER TUTTLE, D.D., LL.D.

BISHOP COADJUTOR.

THE RT. REV. FREDERICK FOOTE JOHNSON, D.D.

PRIESTS.

- *Rev. T. H. M. V. Appleby, D.D., Tacoma.
- Rev. Samuel E. Arthur, St. Louis.
- Rev. George L. Barnes, Rector, Grace, Jefferson City, and Minister St. Mark's, Portland, and Missionary.
- Rev. John Boden, Rector, Holy Communion, St. Louis.
- Rev. Jesse K. Brennan, Rector, Calvary, Louisiana and Missionary.
- Rev. Arthur Brittain, Rector, St. John's, St. Louis, and Chaplain Orphans' Home.
- Rev. John S. Bunting, Rector, Ascension, St. Louis.
- Rev. George A. Chambers, Assistant, Grace, Jefferson City.
- Rev. Douchette R. Clark, Rector, All Saints', St. Louis.
- Rev. Edmund J. Cleveland, Rector, St. Philip's, St. Louis.
- Rev. John J. Clopton, Rector, Christ, Cape Girardeau, and in charge of Missions under the Bishop Coadjutor.
- Rev. James H. Cloud, D.D., Minister, St. Thomas', St. Louis, and Missionary.
- Rev. J. Boyd Cox, Rector, Trinity, St. Louis.
- Rev. Carroll M. Davis, Dean, Cathedral, St. Louis.
- Rev. John Davis, D.D., Rector, St. John's, Prairieville, and Missionary.
- Rev. Edmund Duckworth, Rector, Redeemer, St. Louis.
- Rev. Charles F. Edwards, Rector, St. James, Macon.
- *Rev. William Elmer, England.
- *Rev. James H. George, Jr. (in War Service.)
- *Rev. Frederick Gowenlock (in War Service.)

- *Rev. Frederick L. Gratiot, Chicago.
- *Rev. Richard A. Hatch (in War Service.)
- Rev. John W. Higson, M.D., Rector, Holy Innocents', St. Louis, and Good Shepherd, St. Louis, and Missionary.
- *Rev. Homer L. Hoover, Monroe (in War Service.)
- Rev. J. Courtney Jones, Rector, Emmanuel, Old Orchard, and Dean of Southern Convocation.
- Rev. Benjamin T. Kemerer, Vicar, St. George's, St. Louis.
- Rev. R. L. Knox, Rolla.
- Rev. John H. Lever, Minister, Hospital Missions, St. Louis, and Chaplain, Convalescent Home, St. Louis, and Missionary.
- Rev. Oscar Lindstrom, Minister, St. Timothy's, St. Louis; St. Luke's, St. Louis; St. Luke's, Jennings, and Grace, Eureka, and Missionary.
- *Rev. E. P. Little, Elizabeth, N. J.
- Rev. George Lloyd, St. Louis.
- Rev. Henry W. Mizner, Minister, St. Stephen's, St. Louis, and Missionary.
- Rev. George E. Norton, Rector, St. Michael and All Angels, Clayton, and Chaplain, St. Luke's Hospital.
- Rev. Henry N. O'Connor, Assistant, Cathedral, and Minister, St. Alban's, St. Louis.
- *Rev. F. C. O'Meara, Detroit, Michigan.
- Rev. V. O. Penley, Rector, Trinity, De Soto; Minister, St. Paul's, Iron-ton, and St. Paul's, Fredericktown, and Missionary.
- Rev. ZeBarney T. Phillips, D.D., Rector, St. Peter's, St. Louis.
- Rev. Rufus DeL. Putney, Minister, Trinity, Kirksville, and Missionary.
- Rev. Benjamin E. Reed, Webster Groves.
- Rev. Augustus P. Rein, Minister, St. Paul's, Overland.
- Rev. Claude E. Remick, Canon, Cathedral, St. Louis.
- Rev. James D. Simmons, Rector, Mt. Calvary, St. Louis.
- Rev. Carl R. Taylor, Minister, Grace-Holy Cross, St. Louis.
- *Rev. George F. Taylor, St. Louis (in War Service.)
- *Rev. Karl L. Tiedemann, New York.
- Rev. H. Nelson Tragitt, Minister, Christ, Rolla, and St. Andrew's, Cuba, and Missionary.
- Rev. Horatio N. Tragitt, Jr., Minister, Grace, Crystal City, and Grace, Herculanum, and Missionary.
- *Rev. Charles Trotman, M.D., St. Louis.
- Rev. A. G. van Elden, Rector, Trinity, Hannibal.
- Rev. Franklin M. Weddell, Minister in Field of the Bishop Coadjutor, and Missionary.

Rev. George E. Wharton, Rector, St. Paul's, Mexico, and Christ, Moberly, and Minister, Trinity, Fulton, and Dean of Hannibal Convocation, and Missionary.

Rev. Linden H. White, Rector, St. Stephen's, Ferguson, and Minister, St. Mary's, St. Louis, and Missionary.

Rev. J. J. Wilkins, D.D., Rector, Grace, Kirkwood.

DEACONS.

*Rev. Charles F. Bourscheidt, Chicago.

*Rev. Grover Harrison, California.

*Rev. W. W. S. Hohenschield, New York.

OFFICIATING IN THE DIOCESE BY PERMISSION.

*Rev. Douglass H. Atwill, Minister, St. Augustine's, St. Louis.

*Rev. Leonard H. Burn, Curate, Holy Communion, St. Louis, and Minister St. Andrew's, St. Louis.

*Rev. Samuel M. Dorrance, Minister, Jefferson Barracks.

DEACONESSES.

*Deaconess Brainerd, Hospital Missions, St. Louis.

*Deaconess Leonora, Orphans' Home, St. Louis.

*Deaconess Newell, Cathedral, St. Louis.

*Deaconess Sniffen, Herculanum.

WOMAN WORKER.

*Sister Miriam, Prince of Peace Mission, St. Louis, and Missionary.

DANIEL S. TUTTLE,

St. Louis, Mo.

Bishop of Missouri.

April 30, 1918.

Clergy of the Diocese of Missouri.

IN THE ORDER OF CANONICAL RESIDENCE, WITH THE NAMES OF THE DIOCESES
FROM WHICH THEY WERE TRANSFERRED.

Rt. Rev. Daniel Sylvester Tuttle,	Translated
D. D., S.T.D., LL. D. August 9, 1886	from Utah
Rt. Rev. Frederick Foote Johnson,	Translated
D. D. January 1, 1912	from S. Dakota
Carroll Melvin Davis	October 4, 1887
William Elmer	November 6, 1889
Charles Trotman	December 14, 1892
James Henry Cloud, D. D. January 17, 1893	Pennsylvania
Edmund Duckworth	June 2, 1895
	Ordained

Henry Watson Mizner	November 4, 1895	New York
Arthur Brittain	April 28, 1898	Milanesia
John William Higson	February 5, 1900	Duluth
George Alexander Chambers	October 8, 1901	S. Dakota
Benjamin Enoch Reed	October 3, 1902	Kentucky
Joseph Courtney Jones	March 6, 1903	Virginia
Benjamin Tibbetts Kemerer	June 28, 1903	Ordained
Claude Elwood Remick	December 17, 1903	W. Missouri
Samuel Erastus Arthur	May 15, 1904	Ordained
John Davis, D.D.	February 16, 1905	Indianapolis
Frederick Gowenlock	July 14, 1909	Arkansas
James Boyd Cox	November 16, 1909	Fond du Lac
George Farrand Taylor	April 8, 1910	Michigan
Frederick C. O'Meara	April 29, 1911	Kansas City
George Lloyd	July 10, 1911	Springfield
George Edward Norton	April 29, 1912	Massachusetts
H. Nelson Tragitt	July 26, 1912	South Dakota
F. M. Weddell	October 15, 1912	Kansas City
ZeBarney Thorne Phillips, D.D.	October 25, 1912	Chicago
Linden H. White	November 23, 1912	Massachusetts
J. J. Wilkins, D.D.	October 21, 1913	Los Angeles
A. G. van Elden	November 6, 1913	New York
H. L. Hoover	November 18, 1913	Springfield
J. H. Lever	November 21, 1913	Rhode Island
John J. Clopton	February 4, 1914	Maryland
John S. Bunting	January 23, 1915	Atlanta
Karl Ludwig Tiedemann	April 14, 1915	Ordained
Oscar Lindstrom	April 26, 1915	New Jersey
Vincent Owen Penley	August 20, 1915	Colorado
Rufus Delancey S. Putney	November 20, 1915	Connecticut
Jesse K. Brennan	April 15, 1916	South Dakota
Augustus P. Rein	May 14, 1916	Ordained
George E. Wharton	May 17, 1916	Bethlehem
Henry Nelson O'Connor	June 1, 1916	Ordained
Frederick L. Gratiot	June 1, 1916	Ordained
Richard A. Hatch	June 4, 1916	Ordained
James H. George	September 19, 1916	Connecticut
James D. Simmons	October 13, 1916	Harrisburg
George L. Barnes	November 9, 1916	Connecticut
Chas. F. Edwards	January 3, 1917	Washington
Edmund J. Cleveland	February 9, 1917	Newark
Chas. Frank Bourscheidt	May 30, 1917	Ordained
Grover W. Harrison	June 3, 1917	Ordained
John Boden	July 11, 1917	Minnesota
Douchette Redman Clarke	October 9, 1917	Pennsylvania
Carl Reed Taylor	November 16, 1917	W. Missouri

Parishes and Missions Entitled to Representation, and List of Lay Delegates

APPOINTED TO ATTEND THE

Seventy-Ninth Convention of the Diocese of Missouri.

MAY 28, 1918.

Afton—Christ Church.

Geo. B. Bowles.

Cape Girardeau—Christ Church.

Lawrence Rodibaugh.

Clayton—St. Michael and All Angels.

T. K. Skinker

C. L. Whittemore

Henry G. Hurd

Columbia—Calvary.

C. B. Rollins

E. A. Logan

De Soto—Trinity.

Mrs. Gus J. Hamel

Ferguson—St. Stephen's.

H. D. Condie.

Hannibal—Trinity.

Willard Gibbs

L. P. Hill

Jefferson City—Grace.

Sebert Price.

Kirkwood—Grace.

Edward H. Lycett

Wilbur E. Knowlton

L. F. Jones, Jr.

R. T. Deacon

A. J. Rogers

A. B. Ambler

Macon—St. James.

John Scovern

Mexico—St. Paul's.

C. P. Malone

Prairieville—St. John's.

Miss Sallie C. Block.

St. Louis—All Saints'.

J. Meade Benson, M. D.

Albert Burgess

Thomas A. Curtis, D.D.S.

James W. Grant

Hutchins Inge

St. Louis—Christ Church Cathedral.

James A. Waterworth

George Boswell

Geo. C. Hitchcock

C. H. Middleton

John T. Lupton

*St. Louis—Church of St. Philip the
Apostle.*

Thomas Q. Dix

Charles C. Robertson

A. Blair Ridington

A. A. Bryden

William Hales

St. Louis—Church of the Ascension.

James M. Bull

W. C. Stith

R. B. Bullock

A. S. Pidding

J. D. Marshall

*St. Louis—Church of the Holy
Communion.*

William Bagnell.

E. J. Thomas

G. K. Warner

E. P. Griffin

Charles R. Ketchum

St. Louis—Church of the Redeemer.

C. C. Curtice

S. G. Hopkins

Peter Whaley

John A. Warner

Ira C. Young, M. D.

Edwin Freegard

St. Louis—Mt. Calvary

F. E. Henderson
C. L. Chittenden
Jas. Fetherstonh

St. Louis—St. Alban's.

Geo. W. Strodtman
Earl Froning
W. H. Hamilton

St. Louis—St. John's

C. M. Jennings
C. B. Woodward
A. D. **Pomeroy**
E. A. Roworth
Dr. G. S. Miller

St. Louis—St. Paul's.

C. W. Minch
A. T. Cotsworth

St. Louis—St. Peter's.

J. L. Ford
J. R. Barroll
W. P. Samuel
Walker Hill
J. G. Lonsdale
F. N. Judson
Hudson E. Bridge

St. Louis—Trinity.

Charles E. Kerns
W. L. Henry
B. S. Thompson

Webster Groves—Emmanuel.

Frank C. Thompson
Chas. S. Maybury
F. H. Below
Percy Ludlow
A. J. Watling
J. B. Gottsberger

ORGANIZED MISSIONS.

Cuba—St. Andrew's.

B. W. Newman.

Fredericktown—St. Paul's.

Henry C. Thompson.

Ironton—St. Paul's.

Charles F. Galt

Kirksville—Trinity.

H. A. Kellogg

Overland Park—St. Paul's.

Walker H. Williams.

Shelbina—Emmanuel.

W. O. L. Jewett.

St. James—Trinity.

John A. French.

St. Louis—St. Augustine's.

W. G. Brown.
W. H. Wyatt.
D. Whitbeck.

St. Louis—St. Stephen's.

Robert H. Bovie.
William Eckman
Eugene A. Schill

St. Louis—St. Timothy's.

Claude L. Case
George Grassmuck

We, the Committee on the Admission of New Parishes and Lay Credentials, hereby certify that the foregoing list of delegates to the Seventy-ninth Convention of the Diocese of Missouri is correct.

H. W. MIZNER.

C. E. REMICK.

JAS. M. BULL.

Note.—In above list the names in italics are alternates.

Rules of Order of the Convention.

1. The daily sessions of the Convention shall be opened with Divine service.
2. When the President takes the chair, no member shall continue standing or shall afterwards stand up, unless to address the Chair.
3. When the President shall have taken the chair, the Minutes of the preceding day shall be read.
4. Immediately after the Convention is called to order on the morning of the second day, the following named Standing Committees shall be appointed, viz:
 - I. On Admission of New Parishes and Lay Credentials.
 - II. On Assessments.
 - III. On Constitution and Canons.
 - IV. On Finance.
 - V. On Missionaries' Traveling Expenses.
 - VI. On Missions.
 - VII. On Raising Funds for the Endowment of the Episcopate.
 - VIII. On State of the Church.
 - IX. Unfinished Business.
 - X. On Social Service.
5. All Committees shall be appointed by the President, unless otherwise ordered.
6. All resolutions shall be reduced to writing, presented to the Secretary, and by him read. A resolution that is not a part of a committee report may be introduced only at the time indicated in the Order of Business. All resolutions, except those forming a part of a committee report, shall be referred immediately after introduction without debate to a special or standing committee.
7. When any member is about to speak, or deliver any matter to the House, he shall, with due respect, address himself to the President, confining himself strictly to the point in debate.
8. Any member shall not absent himself from the services of the House unless he have leave or be unable to attend.
9. A member, other than the Chairman of a committee whose report is under consideration, shall not speak more than twice in the same debate, nor longer than ten minutes at a time, without leave of the House.

10. Any member of the House may call for a vote by Ayes or Nays.

11. When a question has once been determined it shall stand as the judgment of the House, and shall not again be drawn into debate, except on motion for reconsideration, which must be made by a member who had previously voted in the majority, and all motions to reconsider must be made on the day the vote is taken, or on the next succeeding day.

12. When a question is under consideration, a motion shall not be received, except to lay it upon the table, to postpone it to a certain time, to postpone it indefinitely, to commit it, to divide it or amend it, and motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order herein named. If a motion to lay an amendment on the table be carried, the matter before the House shall be proceeded with as if no such amendment had been offered. The motions to lay upon the table and to adjourn shall be decided without debate. The motion to adjourn shall always be in order. No motion shall be considered before it is seconded.

13. Debate shall not be allowed upon a motion to refer any motion or resolution to a committee, or upon a motion to recommit any motion or resolution to a committee, or upon a motion to recall any motion or resolution from a committee, or upon a motion to suspend the rules of order; but the member who offers an undebatable motion may speak five minutes for the purpose of explaining its object.

14. All amendments may be considered in the order in which they are moved. When a proposed amendment is under consideration, a motion to amend the same may be made. An after-amendment to such second amendment shall not be in order; but when an amendment to an amendment is under consideration, a substitute to the whole matter may be received. A proposition different from the one under consideration shall not be received under color of an amendment or substitute.

15. Every member who may be in the House when any question is put, shall, in division, be counted unless he be excused by the Convention.

16. All questions of order shall be decided in the first instance by the Chair, without debate; an appeal, however, may be made from his decision to the Convention by any member of the same.

17. The Secretary may employ one or more pages, not exceeding three, to act as messengers during the sessions of the Convention.

18. The reports of all Committees shall be in writing, and shall be received, of course, without motion for acceptance, unless recommitted by vote of the House. All reports recommending or requiring any action or expression of opinion by the House shall be accompanied by a resolution for the action of the House therein.

19. The names of the movers of resolutions shall appear upon the minutes of the Convention.

20. All motions and resolutions requiring reference shall be referred, as far as possible, to the Standing Committees.

21. In the case of an election by ballot requiring a concurrent majority of both Orders, the balloting shall be conducted in the following manner: The Tellers appointed to receive the vote of each Order shall take their stand near the platform at the same time, the Tellers for the Laity by the Secretary's table, the Tellers for the Clergy in a place apart from them. The roll of the Lay Delegates shall then be called by the Secretary, and they shall come forward at the calling of their names and deposit their ballots. At the same time, the Clergy shall deposit their ballots with the Teller appointed to receive them. The roll of the Clergy shall not be called, but shall be in the hands of the Teller, who shall be charged to see that no persons whose names do not appear thereon shall be allowed to vote. Whenever more than the canonical number to be elected of either Order are found to have received such majority of votes, the number required by Canon having the highest number of votes shall be declared duly elected.

22. The following Order of Business shall be observed:

FIRST DAY

1. Celebration of the Holy Communion and Bishop's Address.
2. Calling roll of Clergymen.
3. Report of the Committee on the Admission of New Parishes and Lay Credentials.
4. Calling roll of Lay Delegates.
5. Election of Secretary.
6. Election of Nominating Committee to nominate to the Convention candidates for Diocesan Offices, Boards, and Elective Committees.
7. Report of Standing Committee.
8. Report of Parochial Trust Fund.
9. Reports of Standing Committees.
10. Reports of Special Committees.
11. Address of Bishop Coadjutor.
12. Introduction of Resolutions pertaining to the Addresses of the Bishop and Bishop Coadjutor.
13. Introduction of other Resolutions.

SECOND DAY

1. Divine Service.
2. Report of the Treasurer of the Diocese.
3. Reports of the Trustees of the following named Funds:
 - Permanent Episcopate Fund.
 - Theological Education Fund.
 - Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.
 - Trust Funds held by the Bishop.
 - Special Trust Funds.

4. Report of Nominating Committee.
5. Elections as follows:
 - Standing Committee.
 - Deputies to the General Convention.
 - Delegates to the Provincial Synod.
 - Registrar.
 - Chancellor.
 - Treasurer of the Diocese.
 - Trustees of the Permanent Episcopate Fund.
 - Trustees of the Theological Education Fund.
 - Trustees of the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.
 - To fill vacancies.
6. Report of Registrar.
7. Reports of Committees and action thereon.
8. Note: The Missionary interests of the Diocese shall be the Order of the Day at the afternoon session of the second day of each Convention (see Canon ix., Sec. 10), at which shall be received and considered the reports of the Laymen's Co-Operating Missionary Society and the Missionary Board of the Diocese; the Missionary Board shall be elected, and other Missionary business transacted.
9. Fixing the place of meeting for the next Convention.

THIRD DAY

1. Special Orders from the first two days.
 2. Special Business.
23. The Rules of Order shall not be suspended except with the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

Journal of the Seventy-ninth Convention
OF THE
Church in the Diocese of Missouri.

FIRST DAY.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, ST. LOUIS,

Tuesday, May 28, 1918.

The Clergy and Lay Delegates to the Seventy-ninth Annual Convention of the Church in the Diocese of Missouri assembled at Christ Church Cathedral, St. Louis, on May 28, 1918, at 10 o'clock a. m.

The Holy Communion was celebrated by the Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese. The Rev. John Davis, D. D., read the Epistle and the Rev. J. J. Wilkins, D. D., read the Gospel.

Instead of a Convention sermon, the Bishop read his Annual Address. (Appendix 1.)

After the service the Clergy and Lay Delegates assembled in the Convention Hall of the Schuyler Memorial House, with the Bishop in the Chair.

The Secretary of the Diocese called the roll of the Clergy of the Diocese. Of the forty-two who were entitled to vote, thirty-three were present.

The Chairman of the Committee on the Admission of New Parishes and Lay Credentials presented his report. (See page 16.)

Report accepted by the Bishop.

The Secretary called the roll of the Lay Delegates to the Convention.

Forty-seven Parishes and Missions were entitled to representation in the Convention, and delegates from nineteen were present.

The Bishop announced a quorum, and declared the Convention duly convened.

On motion, the Rev. Mr. Mizner cast the unanimous ballot of the Convention for the Rev. C. E. Remick as Secretary of the Convention and Diocese, and the Bishop declared him elected.

The Rev. Mr. Mizner presented the following report for the Committee on the Admission of New Parishes and Lay Credentials:

We, your Committee on the Admission of New Parishes and Lay Credentials, recommend that St. Alban's Parish, St. Louis, be admitted in union with this Convention.

H. W. MIZNER,
C. E. REMICK,
J. M. BULL.

Report accepted, and on motion the parish was admitted in union with the Convention.

On motion, Mr. George C. Hitchcock was elected Chancellor of the Diocese on nomination of the Bishop, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late Chancellor.

Dean Davis introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that a Committee of three be appointed by the Chair on the dispatch of business.

Resolution adopted, and the Bishop appointed the following named committee:

The Very Rev. Carroll M. Davis, Rev. C. E. Remick and the Rev. J. Boyd Coxé.

The above named Committee reported as follows:

Report of the Committee on the Dispatch of Business:

The Committee on the Dispatch of Business recommends to this Convention the Rules of Order herewith submitted.

Respectfully,

CARROLL M. DAVIS, Chairman.

Report accepted and the Rules of Order therewith submitted were adopted. (See page 18.)

Mr. Waterworth introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that the Convention meet each morning for Divine Worship at 9:30 o'clock in the Chapel, and for business in the Schuyler Memorial House from 10:00 a. m. to 1:00 p. m., when it will take a recess to 2:30 p. m. and continue to 5:00 p. m.

Resolution adopted.

The Rev. Mr. Barnes introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that visiting clergy and laymen from other dioceses, Candidates for Holy Orders, and lay readers, be invited to seats upon the floor, and that they be requested to hand their cards to the Secretary.

Resolution adopted.

On motion, the Rev. Mr. Gardner was invited to address the Convention.

On motion, the following named Nominating Committee of three clergymen and three laymen was elected unanimously:

The Very Rev. Carroll M. Davis, the Rev. E. J. Cleveland, the Rev. R. D. S. Putney, Mr. C. M. Jennings, Mr. Thos. Q. Dix and Mr. James M. Bull.

On motion the amendment to Article 5, Section 7, of the Constitution of the Diocese, which was adopted at the last Convention, as recorded on page 33 of the Journal, was adopted with the Bishop's approval.

On motion the amendment to Article 5, Section 4, of the Constitution of the Diocese, which was adopted at the last Convention, as recorded on page 40 of the Journal, was adopted with the Bishop's approval.

The Rev. W. H. Tomlins of Granite City, Illinois, presented his card to the Secretary.

The Convention took a recess until 2:30 p. m.

The Convention reassembled at 2:30 p. m.

On motion the Treasurer was directed to pay the traveling expenses of missionaries attending the Convention.

The Rev. Mr. Lever presented the report of the Commission on Social Service.

Report accepted.

On motion the Rev. Mr. Duckworth was given indefinite leave of absence from the Convention, owing to illness.

The Rev. Dr. Wilkins introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that the portion of the Bishop's address relating to the Church Pension Fund, be referred to a Committee of five persons, two clergymen and three laymen, to be appointed by the Chair, and that the report of such Committee be made the order of business tomorrow at 12 m.

Resolution adopted, and the following-named committee was appointed: Dr. Wilkins, Dr. Phillips, W. C. Stith, J. A. Waterworth, G. K. Warner.

On motion that part of the Bishop's Address referring to the fiscal year and change of date of Convention was referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

Mr. Jennings read the report of the Standing Committee. (Appendix 4.)

Report accepted.

Mr. Jennings read the report of the Parochial Trust Fund. (Appendix 5.)

Report accepted.

The Bishop Coadjutor read his Annual Address. (Appendix 2.)

On motion that part of the Bishop Coadjutor's Address referring to Board of Advisors was referred to the following named Committee:

The Rev. John Boden, Mr. A. J. Watling and Mr. C. C. Curtice.

Dean Davis introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that Article V of the Constitution, Section 2, be amended by inserting, after the word "Clergyman" in the first line, the words "and Deaconess," so that Section 2 shall read "Every Clergyman and Deaconess in regular standing, etc.," and in the third line, after the word "he," insert "or she."

Referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

The Rev. Cleveland presented the following Committee report:

Your Committee appointed at the last Diocesan Convention to consider the report of the Joint Commission on Business Methods in Church Affairs of the General Convention of 1916, respectfully reports as follows:

First: We recommend that the suggestions made in the Resolutions adopted by the House of Bishops, the House of Deputies concurring, as concerning the deposit and detailed statement of all trust and permanent funds, and form of parochial report, etc., be adopted by this Convention either by appropriate legislation or other effective action.

Second: We are of the opinion that Canon 49, "Of the mode of securing an accurate view of the State of this Church," and Canon 50, "Of Business Methods in Church Affairs," adopted at the General Convention at St. Louis, are binding on the Diocese of Missouri without any action being taken thereon at the Diocesan Convention of Missouri. In other words, said Canons became part of the ecclesiastical law of the Diocese of Missouri upon the adoption of the same by the General Convention.

EDMUND DUCKWORTH,
GEORGE C. HITCHCOCK,
EDMUND J. CLEVELAND.

Referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

The Rev. Mr. Barnes introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that all financial reports to the convention be printed before the session of the convention and copies placed in the seats, and that the reading of such reports be dispensed with at convention, unless called for.

Referred to the Committee on Dispatch of Business.

The Rev. Mr. Weddell introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that it is the sense of this convention that the trustees of the Church Pension Fund should not charge interest on delinquent assessments.

Referred to the Special Committee appointed to consider that part of the Bishop's Address referring to the Church Pension Fund.

The Rev. Mr. Coxe introduced the following resolution:

WHEREAS, the post-office department proposes, with the authority given them by Congress, to apply the zoning system to periodical publications, and

WHEREAS, such application will cause a considerable increase in the postal rates of such publications, especially to sections of the country at a long distance from the point of publication, and

WHEREAS, the proposed plan will increase the price of magazines and periodicals to a degree that will be prohibitive in many instances, and

WHEREAS, the proposed change will tend to hinder the interchange of

thought between sections of the country and will work hardship upon the inhabitants of those parts of the country which are at a great distance from points of publication, and

WHEREAS, the hardship worked upon periodicals of a special nature, such as scientific, sociological and religious publications, will be such as to be in many cases actually destructive:

THEREFORE, *Be It Resolved*, that the Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Missouri in Convention assembled express its unqualified disapproval of the proposed changes in the postal rates;

And Be It Further Resolved, that the Congressmen and Senators representing that part of the State of Missouri embraced within the limits of this Diocese be informed by this Convention of the disapproval on the part of the Diocese of Missouri of the proposed postal law, and that they be requested to use every proper effort and influence to bring about the repeal of the law.

Referred to the Committee on the Church News.

The Rev. Mr. Clopton introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that this Convention has heard with great sympathy that part of the City Missionary's report bearing on Social Vice and the Exploiting of Child Labor, and goes on record as a Church pledging itself to end such hurtful and unpatriotic conditions.

Referred to the Committee on Social Service.

On motion the Convention adjourned at 4:40 p. m.

SECOND DAY.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, ST. LOUIS,

Wednesday, May 29, 1918.

The Holy Communion was celebrated in the Mary E. Bofinger Memorial Chapel at 7 a. m. by the Bishop Coadjutor, as a Corporate Communion for the Diocesan League of Lay Readers.

Morning Prayer was read in the Chapel at 9:30 by the Rev. John Davis, D. D., and the Rev. Oscar Lindstrom.

The Bishop called the Convention to order at 10 o'clock.

The roll call was omitted.

The Secretary read the minutes of the first day, which were approved.

The Rev. Mr. Reed introduced the following resolution:

WHEREAS, our friend and brother, the Rev. Edmund Duckworth, of the Church of the Redeemer, has been compelled to discontinue his attendance at this Convention by reason of physical disability,

THEREFORE, we, members of this Convention, desire to express to him our deep sympathy and assure him of our earnest prayers and hope for his early recovery, and restoration to his former health and vigor.

Further, we herewith express to him our high valuation of his services and appreciation of himself both on the floor of the Convention and in the Committee rooms, and deplore the loss of his wise counsel and helpfulness in all our deliberations.

We herewith instruct the Secretary of this Convention to forward a copy of this paper to the Rev. Mr. Duckworth, with the assurance of our continued and affectionate interest and sympathy.

Resolution adopted.

The Bishop appointed the following Standing Committees:

COMMITTEES

Admission of New Parishes and Lay Credentials—

Rev. H. W. Mizner, Rev. C. E. Remick, James M. Bull, S. C. Hopkins, William Hales.

Committee on Assessments—

E. H. Lycett, E. J. Thomas, C. C. Curtice, J. L. Ford, W. C. Stith, E. A. Logan, A. J. Watling.

Committee on Constitution and Canons—

Rev. J. Courtney Jones, Rev. E. Duckworth, F. N. Judson, Geo. C. Hitchcock, T. K. Skinker.

Committee on Finance—

Chas. C. Curtice, Wm. Bagnell, Walker Hill.

Committee on Missions—

Rev. E. Duckworth, Rev. J. S. Bunting, Rev. E. J. Cleveland, George K. Warner, George W. Strodtman.

Committee on Raising Funds for Endowment of the Episcopate—

Walker Hill, Wm. H. Thomson, Wm. Bagnell, F. C. Thompson, Geo. C. Mackay.

Committee on State of the Church—

Rev. Arthur Brittain, Rev. G. E. Norton, Rev. J. Boyd Coxe, Henry G. Hurd, H. D. Condie.

Committee on Social Service—

Rev. J. H. Lever, Rev. John Boden, Rev. H. N. O'Connor, C. W. Minch, A. B. Ambler, Dr. John Green.

Committee on Unfinished Business—

Rev. John W. Higson, Rev. R. D. Putney, L. F. Jones, Jr.

Mr. Walker Hill presented the report for the Trustees of the Permanent Episcopate Fund. (Appendix 6.)

Report accepted and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Walker Hill presented the final report of the Church Pension Fund. (Appendix 7.)

Report accepted and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bull presented his report as Treasurer of the Diocese. (Appendix 8.)

Report accepted and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bull presented the report for the Trustees of the Theological Education Fund. (Appendix 9.)

Report accepted and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bull presented the report for the Trustees of the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund. (Appendix 10.)

Report accepted and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Bull presented the report of the Trust Funds held by the Bishop. (Appendix 11.)

Report accepted.

Dean Davis presented the following list of nominees from the Nominating Committee:

Standing Committee—

Rev. Carroll Melvin Davis, Rev. J. Courtney Jones, Curtis M. Jennings,
Rev. ZeBarney Thorne Phillips, James L. Ford, James M. Bull.

Delegates, Provincial Synod—

Rev. Douglas H. Atwill, Rev. R. D. L. Putney, Rev. H. N. Tragitt, Rev.
C. F. Edwards, Rev. A. Brittain, C. B. Rollins, L. F. Jones, Jr., C. H.
Middleton, A. B. Ridington, G. K. Warner.

Treasurer of the Diocese—

J. M. Bull.

Trustees of Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate—

Walker Hill, James M. Bull, F. N. Judson.

Trustees of the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund—

Rev. J. Courtney Jones, Henry H. Denison, William P. Nelson.

Trustees of Theological Education Fund—

Rev. Benjamin E. Reed, Henry H. Denison, Edmond J. Thomas.

Missionary Board of the Diocese—

Rev. J. B. Coxe, Rev. Z. B. T. Phillips, Rev. John Boden, C. C. Curtice,
E. H. Lycett, T. Q. Dix, F. C. Thompson, George A. Randolph.

Diocesan Board of Religious Education—

Rev. B. T. Kemerer, Rev. John Bunting, Rev. H. W. Mizner, Rev. E.
Duckworth, B. F. Babbitt, C. C. Robertson, A. J. Watling, Geo. C.
Mackay, H. G. Hurd.

Trustees for the University of the South—

Dean Davis, William Bagnell, Geo. K. Warner (term expires 1921).

On motion the Secretary cast the unanimous ballot of the Convention for the nominees suggested above by the Nominating Committee for each of the following named offices, and the Bishop declared them elected, to-wit:

Standing Committee of the Diocese, Delegates to the Provincial Synod, Treasurer of the Diocese, Trustees for the Permanent Episcopate Fund, Trustees for the Theological Education Fund, Trustees for the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, Diocesan Board of Religious Education, and Trustees for the University of the South.

The Rev. Mr. van Elden presented a report for the Committee on Sunday Schools. (Appendix 12.)

Report accepted.

The Rev. Mr. Kemerer presented the report for the Diocesan Board of Religious Education. (Appendix 13.)

Report accepted and referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Rev. Mr. van Elden introduced the following resolution:

Resolution on Mr. Kemerer's report:

Resolved, that this Convention urges upon all parishes and missions of the Diocese of Missouri the adoption of the Christian Nurture Series prepared by the Board of Religious Education, and, further, that the teachers' training classes be organized and conducted in the various parishes and missions under the direction of the new text-book on training teachers, to be published by the Board next fall.

Resolution adopted.

On motion the report of the Social Service Commission was withdrawn from the records and referred back to said Commission.

The Rev. Mr. Cleveland introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that it is the sense of this Convention that no reports be made or action taken by any commission, committee or representative of this Church in this diocese in reference to conditions in and surrounding Jefferson Barracks without first consulting the voluntary Chaplain of the Church Club, the Rev. Samuel M. Dorrance.

The Rev. Mr. Mizner led the Convention in Noon-Day prayers.

The foregoing resolution, introduced by Mr. Cleveland, was adopted.

The Rev. Mr. Wilkins introduced the following Committee report, with three accompanying resolutions:

May 29th, 1918.

We, the Committee appointed to consider and report upon that portion of the Bishop's address which relates to the Church Pension Fund, respectfully submit the following:

1. The Church Pension Fund is not in any sense a charitable institution. It is essentially a business foundation, and it must be conducted upon the well-known and established business principles that govern all like institutions. We commend this fact and distinction to the disinterested consideration of this Convention.

2. For many years this Church supported its aged clergy and their families by a charity, a dole, always inadequate, as uncertain as charity is

always uncertain, and which, following the law of economics, lost more to the clergy than they received.

This unworthy method the Church has abandoned, and accepted, as a substitute therefor, the contractual basis which obtains in modern government and industry.

3. This change was made only after mature deliberation, crucial investigation, study and discussion of the pension-by-right-of-service idea and plan. It was presented to three successive General Conventions, preached and advertised throughout the Church for eight consecutive years, and finally adopted, according to the charter, actuarial calculations and detailed plans submitted to such General Conventions by the Commission to whom the duty had been assigned, by the General Convention of 1916.

4. The fundamental idea of the Pension Fund that was thus established is that every parish and other organization availing itself of the services of a clergyman of this Church shall increase his salary by $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Not, however, as paid to him direct, but as paid to the Church Pension Fund, by which it will be returned to the clergyman at age 68, or in case of disability, or to his family in the event of his death prior to age 68. Thus the Fund secures a $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent increase of salary to the clergy, and so renders a service more valuable, in many instances, than if it were given them direct.

5. This obtains, however, only for clergymen ordained after March 1st, 1917. To have asked parishes to pay a sufficient percentage to give a like pension to those ordained prior thereto would have been to ask an impracticable thing. It would have so far exceeded $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent as to have been practically impossible. And it was equally impracticable to give such clergy only the result of the $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent assessment because some of them must retire within a few years, and such an assessment would not yield a living. The Pension Fund Commission therefore asked the general Church to provide a sum of money that would enable them, when the Fund should be organized, to agree that any parish paying the $7\frac{1}{2}$ per cent assessment should not only receive the result of such assessment, but such an additional amount as would bring the pension of the clergyman or his family up to the minimum. The sum required, \$5,000,000, was provided, and the clergy of all such parishes will be entitled to and will receive the minimum pension of \$600.00 per year.

6. The Church Pension Fund agreed, furthermore, to take over, to assume, to guarantee certain obligations of the Church as represented by the General Clergy Relief Fund and of Diocesan funds. This has been accomplished in a number of instances, notably in the case of the General Clergy Relief Fund, and is being done to a yet further extent.

It is said, however, that because the Church Pension Fund received some \$4,000,000 in excess of the \$5,000,000 required to solve "The Problem of the Accrued Liabilities," the grants of the beneficiaries of such relief funds should be increased and paid out of such excess. But that could be done only by order of General Convention. The powers of the Trustees of

the Pension Fund are delegated powers. Moreover, these beneficiaries were not included in the actuarial calculations upon which the Church's pension system was based. As a matter of fact, they were purposely excluded therefrom. It was scientifically assumed, and properly assumed, we cannot but think, that they had retired; and there is no single instance, we are informed, in the records of some four thousand pension systems, of any pension ever assuming an obligation in behalf of anyone who had retired from the service of his organization previous to the day when the pension system began. Moreover, the Pension Fund never promised to do so. They expressly stipulated that they would not do so. Every piece of literature that they put out during their initial campaign clearly stated, we think, that pensions would be given only to clergymen who were in active service on March 1st, 1917—who, that is, were not beneficiaries of the General Clergy Relief Fund or of Diocesan funds. And every reasonable exertion was made, we believe, to put such literature into the hands of the clergy and laity of the Church at large. We regret that any should feel aggrieved, that any should assert that the Pension Fund administration is unfair, unjust, even cruel, and we sympathize with any such in what they conceive to be an unwarrantable disappointment. But, putting sentiment and charity aside—and the Church Pension Fund is neither a charitable nor a sentimental, but a strictly business, institution—we cannot admit that they have any just cause for complaint.

7. Moreover, the \$4,000,000 excess upon which these relief fund beneficiaries base their claim for an increase of their grants, has not yet been paid into the Pension Fund, nor will it be paid until 1922. And even then the Trustees will be in duty and honor bound to use it for the same purpose for which the original \$5,000,000 was asked, namely: to establish a sound, permanent pension system for the clergy and their families; to provide for the liabilities of the General Clergy Relief Fund and of Diocesan funds which they have assumed, or may assume, and to place it upon a rock of safety that shall be impregnable to any financial changes, chances and fluctuations that may arise.

This we believe to be the object and aim of the Pension Fund Trustees, and we congratulate the Church and her clergy upon the ability, wise conservatism, and loyalty to the Church's pension purposes and design which they have displayed.

8. As to merging the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund of this Diocese with the Church Pension Fund, we respectfully refer the Convention to the 3rd resolution of the report made by "The Committee on the Church Pension Fund," to the Convention of this Diocese, May, 1915, and which was adopted by that Convention.

We respectfully recommend the adoption of the following three resolutions:

Resolved, that a Committee be appointed, of whom the Chancellor of the Diocese shall be one, to take into consideration the whole question of the

relation of the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund of this Diocese and its beneficiaries to the Church Pension Fund, with a view to merging the said Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund with the Church Pension Fund and the taking over of the obligations of the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund to its beneficiaries in this Diocese, and report to the next Convention.

Resolved, that the Committee also recommend such changes in the Constitution and Canons of this Diocese as will bring them into harmony with the plans and operations of the Church Pension Fund and at the same time protect all interests. Committee to report to next Convention.

Resolved, that this Convention do express its approval of the fidelity of the Church Pension Fund administration of the pension legislation sanctioned and enacted by the General Conventions of 1913 and 1916.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. WILKINS, Chairman,
Z. B. T. PHILLIPS,
JAMES A. WATERWORTH,
W. C. STITH,
G. K. WARNER.

Report accepted, and the three resolutions were adopted.

The Rev. Dr. Wilkins presented the following Committee report:

Your Committee beg to report on Mr. Weddell's resolution to waive the interest on delinquent premiums. We regret to say that in your Committee's judgment said waiving of interest is outside the powers of this Convention.

J. J. WILKINS, Chairman.

Report accepted.

The Rev. Mr. Boden presented the following Committee report:

Your Committee suggests that the Missionary Board of the Diocese might select six Communicants of the Church, who, with such of their members as they may designate, shall constitute an Advisory Board to the Bishop Coadjutor, said Board to meet with the Bishops monthly or at such stated periods as may be considered necessary.

JOHN BODEN, Chairman,
A. J. WATLING,
C. C. CURTICE.

Report accepted.

The Rev. Mr. O'Connor introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that the sum of \$133.62 be appropriated, subject to the approval of the Committee on Finance, \$83.62 of which to be sent to the Treasurer of the Joint Commission on Social Service, and \$50.00 for the work of the Committee on Social Service of the Diocese of Missouri.

Referred to the Committee on Finance.

The Rev. Mr. Remick presented his report as Registrar of the Diocese:

The report on Status of Committees was completed during the past year and the lists were sent to the parishes and missions.

Parochial historians are being appointed to co-operate with the Registrar in completing the histories of the parishes and missions and of the Diocese.

C. E. REMICK, Registrar.

Report accepted.

Mrs. J. H. Lever made an oral report for the Girls' Friendly Society.

The Rev. Mr. Jones presented the following Committee report:

We, your Committee on the Church News, to whom was referred the resolution of the Rev. J. Boyd Coxé regarding postal rates, have no recommendations to make thereon, and ask to be discharged.

J. COURTNEY JONES, Chairman.

Report accepted and the Committee was discharged.

The Rev. Mr. Brittain made an oral report for the Orphans' Home and introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, that this Convention urges upon all Church folk an increased interest and support of the Episcopal Orphans' Home.

Resolution adopted.

Mr. Curtice presented the report of the Committee on Finance. (Appendix 14.)

Report amended by including an item of \$300 for the Church News.

Report accepted as amended and referred to the Committee on Assessments.

The Convention adjourned until 2:30 p. m.

The Convention reassembled at 2:30 p. m.

The Rev. Henri Anet, B. D., LL. D., Doctor in Social Science of Brussels University, Belgium, addressed the Convention by invitation.

Mr. Lycett presented the report of the Laymen's Co-operating Missionary Society. (Appendix 15.)

Report accepted.

Mr. Lycett presented his report as Treasurer of St. Stephen's Mission Fund. (Appendix 16.)

Report accepted.

Mr. Lycett presented his report as Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board. (Appendix 17.)

Report accepted.

Mr. Dix presented his report as Secretary of the Diocesan Missionary Board. (Appendix 18.)

Report accepted.

On motion the Secretary cast the unanimous ballot of the Convention for the Rev. J. Boyd Coxe, the Rev. Z. B. Phillips, and the Rev. John Boden and Messrs. C. C. Curtice, E. H. Lycett, T. Q. Dix, F. C. Thompson, and Geo. A. Randolph, as members of the Diocesan Missionary Board, and the Bishop declared them elected.

The Rev. Mr. Mizner presented an oral report and financial statement of St. Stephen's House. (Appendix 19.)

Report accepted.

The Rev. Mr. Lever presented his report as Missionary to the City Institutions. (Appendix 20.)

Report accepted.

The Rev. Mr. Taylor presented an oral report for Grace Church-Holy Cross House.

The Rev. Mr. Dorrance presented an oral report as Voluntary Chaplain at Jefferson Barracks.

Miss Triplett presented her report as Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary. (Appendix 21.)

Report accepted.

Dean Davis introduced the following resolution:

WHEREAS, tomorrow is Memorial Day, and there are services in many churches of the city, which will engage the time of the clergy and communicants,

Therefore, Be It Resolved, that this Convention shall adjourn until tomorrow at 2 p. m.

Resolution adopted.

Convention adjourned.

THIRD DAY.

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL, ST. LOUIS,
Thursday, May 30, 1918.

Holy Communion was celebrated in the chapel at 7 a. m., by the Rev. C. E. Remick.

A Memorial Service was held in the Cathedral at 9:30 a. m. the Bishop Coadjutor presiding.

The Bishop called the Convention to order at 2 p. m.

The Secretary read the minutes of the second day, which were approved.

The Rev. Mr. Jones read the report of the Diocesan League of Lay Readers. (Appendix 22.)

Report accepted.

The Rev. Mr. Jones presented a report for the Committee on Constitution and Canons. (Appendix 23.)

Amendment No. 1, of Section 5, of Canon XIX was adopted.

Amendment No. 2, of Article III, of the Constitution was adopted.

Amendment No. 3, of Section 3, of Canon II was adopted.

Amendment No. 4, of Section 1, of Canon III was adopted.

Amendment No. 5, of Section 1, of Canon XII was adopted.

Amendment No. 6, of Sections 1. and 2, of Article V of the Constitution was postponed without adoption until the next Convention.

Amendment No. 7, of Section 5, of Article V of the Constitution was adopted.

On motion it was ordered that Canons XLIX and L, adopted at the General Convention of 1916, be printed as a supplement to the Constitution and Canons of the Diocese as a matter of information.

The Secretary read the report of the Committee on Assessments for Diocesan Expenses. (Appendix 24.)

On motion the assessment against St. Alban's Parish, St. Louis, was raised in accordance with its voluntary offer, from \$90.00 to \$100.00.

On motion the assessment against St. John's Parish, St. Louis, was raised in accordance with its voluntary offer, from \$375.00 to \$380.00.

On motion the assessment against Christ Church, Rolla, was reduced from \$75.00 to \$30.00.

On motion the delinquent assessment of \$37.00 against Trinity Church, Salem, and \$17.00 against St. John's Church, Sullivan, were remitted.

On motion the assessment against St. Paul's Church, St. Louis, was reduced from \$75.00 to \$50.00.

The above report of the Committee on Assessments as amended was adopted, and referred to the Committee on Assessments.

Mr. Judson introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the amount of deficiency from amendments of above report of assessments, and also other sources, be apportioned by the committee pro rata upon the parishes assessed.

Resolution adopted and referred to the Committee on Assessments.

The Secretary read the report of the Committee on Apportionments for Diocesan Missions. (Appendix 25.)

On motion the apportionment of Jefferson City was raised \$5.00, and the apportionments against Portland and Fulton were decreased \$2.50 each.

Report as amended was adopted.

Dean Davis introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the amount of \$700.00 additional be apportioned against the parishes of the city, pro rata, to be expended as an addition to the salary of the Missionary to the City Institutions.

Resolution adopted and referred to the Committee on Apportionments for Diocesan Missions.

The Rev. Mr. Jones read the report of the Church News. (Appendix 26.)

Report accepted.

The Rev. Mr. Lever presented the report of the Social Service Commission. (Appendix 3.)

Report accepted.

On motion the Secretary was instructed to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for \$25.00, payable to the sexton of the Cathedral.

On motion Christ Church Cathedral was appointed as the place of meeting for the next Convention.

On motion the Secretary was authorized to have 600 copies of the Journal printed.

On motion a vote of thanks was extended to the Dean and the Cathedral congregation for their hospitality.

On motion the Bishop was authorized to certify to the correctness of the minutes of the last day.

After receiving the blessing of the Bishop, the Convention adjourned, sine die.

I hereby certify to the correctness of the minutes of the third day of the Convention, as set forth in the foregoing.

David J. Tuttle
Bishop of Missouri

May 30, 1918.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct copy of the minutes of the Seventy-Ninth Convention of the Church in the Dioceses of Missouri.

C. E. REMICK,
Secretary.

APPENDIX No. 1.

Annual Address of the Bishop of Missouri
TO THE
Seventy-Ninth Annual Convention.

Dear Brethren of the Clergy and Laity:

This has been for the nation a year of war. Or, rather, a year of busy preparation for war. And now the real activities of war are pressing themselves upon us. We take no high stomaching pride in the war. We make no boast of bravery for going into it. We have not gone into it to seize land or to get spoil or to make gain. Nor to vent spite, or to appease anger, or satisfy hate. No blot of selfishness or stain of sordidness defaces our flag, uplifted on the battlefield. It is a war for the rights of humanity, for the sacredness of promises, for the supremacy of honesty and truth. We could not stand aside. We would not count ourselves out, whatever be the cost and hurt. The God of might and right will guide the issue and insure the end.

In the House of Bishops only two have been called away by death.

Bishop Van Buren was the first Bishop of Porto Rico. He had been a missionary in Porto Rico before he was made Bishop. Then as Bishop there he served for ten years. Owing to impaired health he resigned and, as such resigned Bishop, for five years he assisted his fellow Bishops as occasion offered and need arose.

Bishop Randolph died when nearly 82. St. George's, Fredericksburgh, Va., and Emmanuel, Baltimore, Md., held him fast for the first twenty-five years of his ministerial life. Held him fast, I say, for as a pastor he was so gentle and godly, and so devoted and beloved, that people would not let him go away if they could possibly hold him. So I think as pastor he had two parishes only. Then for thirty-five years he was Bishop; nine years Bishop Coadjutor of all Virginia, a twenty-six years Diocesan Bishop of Southern Virginia. To the manor born, a Virginian of Virginians, he was perhaps the best known and best loved man in the state, and memories of him pour forth in gracious and grateful currents everywhere.

In the House of Bishops are one hundred and twenty-five members. When I first became a member of the House, there were only forty. The present number is analyzed as follows:

Diocesans	68
Coadjutors	11
Suffragans	8
Domestic Missionary Bishops	21
Foreign Missionary Bishops	8
Resigned Bishops	8
President of Board of Missions	1
Total	125

Almost one-fourth of them are Missionary Bishops. It seems to me that the creating and sending forth of Missionary Bishops by the General Convention of 1835, in Philadelphia, was one of the wisest steps ever taken by the American Church. The first one of them all was Jackson Kemper, our first Bishop of Missouri. All told, there have been eighty-five American Missionary Bishops. Ten of our Dioceses have become Dioceses from Missionary Districts under their guiding hands.

Let us give a look to our Mother Church of England. She has 271 Bishops, as follows:

In England and Wales	79
Ireland	14
Scotland	7
Asia	29
Africa	26
North and South America	33
Australia and the Islands of the Pacific	33
Resigned Bishops	50
Total	271

It is wonderful to think of those British Islands off the West Coast of Europe, not bigger all told than about one and a half times the State of Missouri; how, by their Empire of India and their Union of South Africa, and their hold upon Egypt, and their Dominion of Canada, and their Commonwealth of Australia, and their Island Colonies scattered everywhere, they are the predominant partners in governing influences in Asia and Africa and South America and almost in North America, as well as in Europe; and how the Church of England, with only one hundred Bishops in her home field—being much crowded out of Scotland by the Presbyterians, and out of Ireland by the Roman Catho-

tics, and out of Wales by the Methodists—has one hundred and twenty-one Bishops actively at work in her over-seas possessions.

I have not adduced these figures in order to support a contention that the numbers and activities of Bishops are everything in religion; though we may claim that such numbers and activities are valuable indices, and they help us to understand how it is that, among English-speaking Christians, Episcopalians are the most in number, being 29,000,000, while Methodists are 18,000,000, and Roman Catholics are 15,000,000, and Presbyterians are 12,000,000, and Baptists are 9,000,000.

Two of the clergy have been removed from our list by death. Rev. F. N. Chapman died at Kirksville on December 10. He was comparatively a young man, 46, but impaired health had for the last few years deprived him of the joy of an active ministry.

Rev. Otho Brant died April 7. He belonged to the Diocese of Bethelhem, but had resided for several years in St. Louis, and had given his help in occasional services to our city clergy.

Among the lay officers of the Diocese, one of the most valuable of them, Mr. F. J. McMaster, the late Chancellor, has been stricken down. My confidence in him was unbounded. My love for him was warm and deep. My obligations to him were beyond count. The Missionary work, the Canonical orderings, the Convention's guidance, the Church's growth and her activities at large as in General Convention—what a steady and kindly hand on the helm he held for them all. O, my brother, my kindly, helpful, faithful brother, as with one heart and soul we all mourn thy going away, even though for thee it was a going home! It becomes my duty under the Constitution to nominate a successor in the Chancellorship. I beg hereby to name Mr. George C. Hitchcock, and respectfully to request action by the Convention on the said nomination.

Among the dead of the Diocese are the following:

Mr. Henry W. Hough, a warden of Kirkwood for fifty years, a churchman from Bishop Kemper's time, true and pure and brave, though the cares and pains of almost ninety years had accumulated themselves upon him; Mrs. Robertson, the gentle and refined widow of the late Bishop; Mrs. Collins, the widow of one of our late aged and faithful missionaries; Sister Helene, who had been a diligent helper in St. Stephen's House; Mrs. Bradford, one of the long-time and devoted communicants of Christ Church Cathedral; Mrs. Gage, of Macon, whose prolonged years in the nineties quite exceeded those of Mr. Hough; Mr. Russell, of Sullivan, who in faith and prayer and song was a true disciple of the Lord and His Church; Captain F. R. Rice and Mr. J. P. Keiser of St. Louis, and Mrs. Gorrell of Canton; and Mr. Edwin

Handy, who in St. George's of old and in the Cathedral of later years had been a faithful doorkeeper in the house of the Lord.

Nor are organizations exempt any more than individuals from the assailing forces of life and growth and decay and death. Of late one of our Mission Stations, Holy Comforter, Montgomery, dropped out of our Diocesan life, and is known on our records no more. And now, this year, both a Mission Station and a Parish drop out. The Mission Station—St. Matthew's, St. Louis—struggled hard to live. A devoted layman, Mr. C. W. Alban, with the help of the Rev. Mr. Reed, led in the struggle. But death, removals, and shiftings of domiciliary preferences sank the parochial life hopelessly in the depths of submergence. The Parish, Grace, Clarksville, was once of considerable strength. Judge Porter, before going to Hannibal, lived at Clarksville. Mr. J. Winn Davis was a faithful warden there for a long time. After his death membership dwindled to almost nothing. An earnest layman, Mr. E. C. Dameron, has stood by me in efforts to avert dissolution. But we concluded this year to give up further effort. In both cases, however, the two laymen, Messrs. Alban and Dameron, stood steadfast to the last, seeing to it that all obligations were met and all assessments and apportionments were paid. Then Mission and Parish sank out of sight, with flags, as it were, flying from the masthead because their records were clear and clean. Perhaps Mission and Parish were **felices in opportunitate mortis**. The two laymen any way, I think, can be pronounced **felices coram necessitate mortis**. The Bishop Coadjutor has heretofore pronounced St. Matthew's, St. Louis, deorganized and terminated. I hereby pronounce Grace, Clarksville, deorganized and terminated.

Yet, over against the losses, there are some gains. One Mission Station, St. Alban's, St. Louis, has so grown as to be prepared to knock at the door of this Convention for admission as a Parish. The Rev. Mr. O'Connor and his faithful people are to be heartily congratulated. In other parts of the Diocese, too, especially in the south of it, Mission Stations are thriving and extending under the wise and watchful care of the Bishop Coadjutor.

As to our gifts for Missions, they may seem to have been interfered with by the needs of the war. Seem, I say. That they have been really interfered with I am not prepared to admit. In the main and in the long giving for one thing does not interfere with giving for another thing. Giving is a habit, and it grows, and takes pleasure in growing, by what it feeds on—its repeated acts. So, giving for one thing imparts a relish rather than makes a check to giving for other things. All this, of course, in heed to reasonable limitations of ability and income. We have had

an illustration. The Church War Commission, under the leadership of Bishop Lawrence, called for \$500,000 for chaplains and hospitals and religious work for and among the soldiers. It got \$600,000, and in the very midst of calls for help to the Red Cross, and the Red Triangle, and the War Loans. The Commission asked the Diocese of Missouri for \$1,700. We gave \$3,121.81; besides considerable amounts sent from offerings in Churches, of which I have not the count.

I am warmly hoping that in the very midst of the loud and rightful war calls our earnest outcry for General Missions will be fully met. We gave our whole quota and more last year. Let us go "over the top" and give our quota, and more, now. Though this fiscal year is one of fourteen months and so our quota is the seemingly large sum of \$17,015. So far and up to May 1 we have paid \$5,041.82. Our gifts for Missions through the Woman's Auxiliary of Missouri have been \$13,525.31. It is wonderful what the women accomplish in steady faithfulness and generous unselfishness. And the Sunday School Lenten offerings for General Missions went "over the top." They were \$2,881.95, over \$100 more than last year. The helpful motor car has been provided and upkept for the Bishop for the 365 days of the year. With head and heart I bow my warm thanks to the generous unknown givers.

Up at Jefferson City Mr. Hough, the warden, has made a munificent gift to Grace Church by placing in it a new and handsome organ.

So, habits of giving and blessings from giving for the Church by individuals and congregations and Woman's Auxiliaries and Sunday Schools have lived and multiplied in spite of—no, not that, but in the midst of—war gifts and charity gifts and benevolences and beneficences evoked by the urgent needs of these trying days. Can we not and will we not compass our impending quota by all putting in practice the One Day's Income plan? Each and every one of us, besides all else we have done and are doing, sending on as a special gift to our great General Missions One Day's amount of our enjoyed income?

In our survey of the year, one adverse fact is to be noted. The Confirmations have fallen off, both in the field of the Bishop and in the field of the Bishop Coadjutor. They are only 449, while last year they were 612. This I do not understand. Does it mean a lack of diligence on the part of the clergy? I do not think so. Does it mean that people's thoughts have been so given up to war as to forget religion? I do not think that, either. Does it mean that homes and Sunday Schools are not well doing their work of preparing the young for Confirmation? If yes, let us throw renewed care and zeal into our homes and Sunday

Schools that they may be fitted to do their normal work. One thing may be noted—in some Parishes (St. Peter's, St. Louis, is one of the number) the date of Confirmation Day has not happened to fall within the exact Conventional year, and so no returns from it got counted in.

I have heard it cited as a tolerably correct rule that the Confirmees each year should be in number one-tenth of the Communicants. We have 8,000 Communicants. Therefore, it would seem we ought not to rest content with having less than 800 persons confirmed each year.

There are two matters, it seems to me, that this Convention should consider and act upon:

1. By our Diocesan Canon, No. XIX., the fiscal year of the Diocese is from May 1 to April 30, inclusive, and all reports are to conform thereto.

By Canon 50, of the General Canons, the fiscal year shall begin January 1.

Here exists a discrepancy. In loyal deference to the General Convention, and in order to contribute to accuracy and unanimity in gathering and recording the statistics of the Church at large, ought we not to change and to make our Diocesan fiscal year to begin January 1?

If yes, how shall the change be made? It seems to me that our Diocesan Canon XIX. should be altered to read, "from the 1st day of January to the 31st day of December, inclusive." Then in addition, that a resolution should be adopted by this Convention making this current fiscal year to be one of eight months only, i. e., from May 1, 1918, to December 31, 1918, inclusive; and ordering all Diocesan reports and all Parochial and financial reports of Parishes and Missions to the Convention to conform thereto. If this course, or something like it, should be taken the current year for reports et cetera, would be one of eight months only, and thereafter the fiscal year would be the exact calendar year. I do not see that we need to change our time for the meeting of the Diocesan Convention. That could remain on the fourth Tuesday in May, as provided by our Constitution. Perhaps the liberal allowance of four months of time and more would be gratefully welcomed by such parochial authorities as now find one month too short a time for them to prepare and get into the hands of the Secretary in due season their Parochial reports.

I recommend the appointment of a committee to consider this matter and to report to this Convention for action by this Convention.

2. The second matter relates to the Church Pension Fund.

(a) This is a fund held in trust for the benefit of the Aged and Infirm Clergy of the general Church, and their dependents.

It puts forth a scheme of premiums and policies, and has in hand in cash and pledges, as an accrued liabilities fund, a sum of \$8,000,000. The Trustees say that by the law of the Trust, a clergymen to be eligible to benefits from this last named liabilities fund, must be one whose name stood upon the Canonical roll of this Church on March 1, 1917. Therefore, all old clergymen who were resigned clergymen or retired clergymen on that date are ineligible to the benefits of the accrued liabilities sum. Equity would seem to claim that such aged men should have not only a claim but even a primary claim upon the benevolence of the Church. Can the claim of the official law of the Trust and the claim of the strong feeling of equity be harmonized? If yes, how?

(b) Canon 58 of our General Canons, provides for and directs, concerning the "General Clergy Relief." Has this General Clergy Relief Fund been taken over by the Church Pension Fund, and on what conditions affecting its beneficiaries?

(c) We have a Diocesan "Fund for Disabled and Infirm Clergymen." (See Canon XXII.) Does the Convention desire to order this Fund to be merged with the Church Pension Fund? If yes, upon what conditions?

There is a much disturbed public opinion throughout the Church touching the equities and the law in the matter of the accrued liabilities sum in the hands of the Church Pension Fund. In order to help us to think clearly and to judge righteously about it as well as to guide us wisely concerning the question of what to do with our own Diocesan Fund, I recommend that a committee be appointed to take up and consider the whole subject as above outlined, and to report to the Convention what ought to be our judgment and our action in the premises.

It has been suggested that the Annual Sessions of our Diocesan Convention ought each to be compressed within the limit of two days. It is a matter for the Convention to decide if the change is to be made. But I ask leave frankly to say that it does not seem to me to be wise or well to order such a change from three days to two days for the Annual Session.

In the first place, parliamentary freedom would be impaired; the freedom of debate and discussion, of criticism and approbation, of explanation and correction, and a feverish crowding of the business of the Convention would take its place.

In the second place, the important Committee on Assessments would not have time to do its work considerably and wisely. It could not take up the work of assessing for expenses of the Diocese and apportioning for the needs of the Mission field until after reports for its information should have come in on Wednesday afternoon. Then it would be practically impossible for it to furnish to the Convention a well-digested report, or for

the Convention thoroughly and scrutinizingly to act upon the report, in a congested half hour of a Wednesday closing.

In the third place, by Article vi, of the Constitution, a certain electoral body is to be convened preferably on Thursday, charged with the duty of electing members for the Cathedral Chapter. Under a three days' session this electoral body is easily convened for its duty. Under a two days' session the convening would be attended with no inconsiderable difficulty.

In the fourth place, the good resulting from the association of the members of the Convention together, the clergy with the laity, and the country folk with the city folk, should not be ignored or underestimated. Such association together for three days is of no mean value in promoting good will, homogeneity and harmony in the Diocese; and the time of such yearly enjoyment and helpfulness should not, as it seems to me, be cut short.

The War! HORRORS! Ay, ghastly horrors! Belching thunders, poisonous, suffocating hideous, battlefields, mutilated bodies, crippled limbs, blindnesses and deaths on land and sea and in the unsubstantial air; homes darkened and loneliness deepened and hearts pierced, and dismay and despair thrust into warm human life—yes, indeed, horrors and ghastly horrors!

But, it's the way we look at it. Looking again, we can see in it nobility and goodness, and greatness and divineness. It is striking for Liberty. It is laying cornerstones for Righteousness. It is upholding the sacredness of oaths and promisings. It is protecting the weak. It is enthroning fair play. It is saving souls, as King Albert claimed Belgium's soul was saved when she would not bow to the monstrous crime of letting Germany go through to strike France dead.

Five of our Bishops and five of our own Missouri clergymen are in it, sounding the depths of its greatness and goodness. And the thought strikes home, everlastingly true as certified by the blessed Divine lips while on earth, "Whosoever **will** save his life shall lose it, and whosoever will lose his life for my sake shall find it."

APPENDIX No. 2.

**Address of the Bishop Coadjutor,
Seventy-Ninth Convention of the Diocese of Missouri.**

**Dear Elder Brother Bishop, and Dear Brethren of the Clergy and
Laity:**

I come again to give account of stewardship, having completed six years as Bishop Coadjutor. I want to give warm thanks to the clergy for a co-operation which has been cordial and affectionate. I want to give warm thanks to the congregations entrusted to my spiritual care for welcomes which are growing kindlier and kindlier with the passing of the years.

I am sorry that I shall not any longer get the helpful greetings as I go about of Mr. George Patton, of Cape Girardeau; Mrs. Brashear, of Portland; Mrs. Ferguson, of Jackson; "Grandma" True, of De Soto; Mrs. Russell, of Sullivan; Mrs. Bidwell Young, of St. Mary's, St. Louis; all of them good friends in my part of the field, now translated to the Church Expectant in the Paradise of God. Mrs. Charles F. Robertson, widow of our former Bishop, Dr. Henry N. Chapman, of St. Philip's, St. Louis, and Mrs. Keiser of St. George's, have shown me many kindnesses these past six years. I want to put it on record here. And of dear Mr. Frank McMaster I want the privilege of saying my word of affectionate love for the help he was to me as Chancellor, as President of the Missionary Host, as Secretary of the Missionary Board. Good and kind and faithful man, and loyal friend, and frequent guest in my quiet home, I miss him all the time.

Two of my clergy, I regret, have taken letters dismissory to other Dioceses during the year. The Rev. William L. Essex went the first of January to the important parish of Trinity, Rock Island, Ill. As minister at Epiphany, St. Louis, he increased the communicant list from 50 to 200 in five years; he deepened the spiritual life of the people; he spurred them to a desire which has found expression in the new Epiphany chapel. I had great affection for him and confidence in him.

The Rev. Arthur E. Woodward left us the Sunday after Easter to become rector of the important parish of Trinity, Van Buren, Ark. He had been with me during the six years that I have been here, and I loved him much. His duties took him on longer journeys than any other man in the diocese. He lived at

Poplar Bluff, and ministered also at Thayer, 120 miles away, and at Bonne Terre, 170 miles away; also at Doniphan and, occasionally, at Bloomfield. And all these places gave him up regretfully. He is one of those fine, manly men,

"Who do God's will, to them all one,
If in the shade or in the sun."

But if my part of the Diocese has lost two, it has gained four, and that puts us to the good.

In October, the Rev. H. N. Tragitt, Jr., came from Arizona. He had been here before. He and his wife have established themselves in a very simple home among the glass makers of Crystal City. The Junior Auxiliary of the Diocese gave me \$200 (for which I now again give them my thanks), and a generous friend in St. Louis promised me the balance, and I bought Mr. Tragitt a Ford. His cure is the missions of Grace, Crystal City, and Grace, Herculanum. Recently, I confirmed at Crystal City a fine class of nine young people. Not since 1907, when there was a class of eleven, have so many been presented there in one year.

In October, the Rev. Carl Reed Taylor came from Kansas City to take charge of the work of Grace-Holy Cross, St. Louis. I had, on June 14, received the resignation of the Rev. George F. Taylor, "to take effect July 1." An entry in my journal in Church News for July reads: "June 14. Accepted resignation of the Rev. George F. Taylor, to take effect July 1, and I give him my thanks for all good works which he has done during the past seven years as minister of Grace-Holy Cross Mission. I wish him happiness in all good ends he aims at in the future, and I hope that God will bless him and give him joy in whatever new home he makes, and in whatever new work he takes in hand." Mr. Taylor is, at present, so I understand, happy in war work with a base hospital "somewhere in France."

Thanks to the Rev. Mr. Barnes, the Rev. Mr. Putney, and the Rev. Mr. Weddell, and to Mr. Edwin Freegard, of the League of Lay Readers, we were able to carry on services at Grace-Holy Cross without interruption during the summer. Miss Bailey, after long continuance in faithful service as a parish visitor, withdrew from the work September 1. Miss Emma Luther of St. James was kind and efficient in filling the vacant place until Mrs. Clarke came from Kansas City with the Rev. C. R. Taylor, October 1, as parish visitor. We are very grateful to Mr. Taylor and Mrs. Clarke and Miss Skinker and Dr. Hild, and the rest, for their steady continuance in good works. Mr. Taylor will, I presume, at the customary time, make report to this Convention. And we owe everything to the Bishop's Committee, the same committee

as of a year ago, which continues to look after the business affairs of this very important work; Mr. F. Churchill Whittemore, chairman.

The Rev. Douglass H. Atwill came from the Diocese of Los Angeles in answer to our call and took charge of St. Augustine's, St. Louis, February 1. The people received him gladly, and he and they are already doing good team-work. I want to thank him for coming. And I want to thank St. Augustine's for promising me, in this year of so many kinds of "drives," an extra \$100 toward the stipend of the minister.

The Rev. Samuel M. Dorrance came from the Diocese of Rhode Island the first of January, and is the Church's representative at Jefferson Barracks. We knew that we had a responsibility at the Barracks that wasn't being met. I had myself ministered there a number of times; the Rev. Messrs. Bunting, Mizner, Duckworth and others had kindly ministered, at my request, on various occasions. But we all felt that what we wanted to do was to provide a way not only for an occasional preaching service or sacramental service, but for the persistent personal, pastoral touch of a spiritually helpful man. At a notable meeting of the Church Club of St. Louis in October, the Rev. Dr. Phillips and others spoke with great fervor and fired those present with a desire to do this piece of war work waiting at our doors. Mr. George Block, the president of the club, carried forward the appeal. As a result, the Church Club is pledged "during the period of the war" to the support of a volunteer chaplain at the Barracks. At my request the directors of the club act as a sort of Committee of Advice. Mr. Dorrance came to the work on nomination of the Bishop Coadjutor, approved by the directors. Those who are in a position to be informed know with what acceptance Mr. Dorrance serves among the officers and the enlisted men. I hope that he will have opportunity to make some brief report to this Convention.

The Rev. B. E. Reed, who had lovingly served as pastor of St. Matthew's Mission, St. Louis, for seven years, resigned in June. At the same time, acting on the judgment of Mr. Reed and the congregation of St. Matthew's and Mr. C. W. Alban, long its most faithful layman, I pronounced the mission disbanded and discontinued.

The Rev. H. L. Hoover, four years in charge of Monroe City, Canton and Shelbyville, asked release from ministerial duties last spring, in November received a second lieutenancy in the army, and is now "somewhere in France." His going took away the only minister of this Church in all that part of Missouri which is north of Hannibal and east of a north-and-south line through Macon and Kirksville, an area practically 60x60 miles. This is

three-quarters of the area of the State of Connecticut! I am glad to say that the Rev. Oscar Lindstrom has given a favorable answer to the call of the Monroe parish and he and his good wife will move into the rectory there the first of May.

This filling of the "Monroe group," vacant since November 1, will leave but one group vacant in the rural field, the "Poplar Bluff group," vacant only since Easter of this year. In St. Louis St. Timothy's (and with it Jennings and St. Luke's, Harney Heights) becomes vacant now on May 1 by the removal of Mr. Lindstrom to Monroe. We do not want to boast. But when we realize how frequently when one is looking for men one hears it said, "Every clergyman worth his salt is gone to the war"—(which is not true!)—we have reason to thank God that so many good shepherds continue to care for the flock here in our big Missionary Diocese.

The Rev. F. M. Weddell tells me that he is glad to accept appointment for another year to look after the needs of congregations which cannot be combined into groups large enough and strong enough to furnish the several clergy who would be required as pastors with any kind of adequate support. He is the man who gathers up the fragments that remain. I wish you could all some day go over the trails he travels and hear as often as I do the fervent remark, "Mr. Weddell is such a fine and helpful man!" During the year he has ministered regularly at seven points in the Diocese, and a number of times has filled gaps elsewhere in emergencies.

The report of Deaconess Sarah H. Sniffen, printed elsewhere in the Journal, will make you realize as it does me, how big a debt we owe her for her devotion to her Herculean task. I had almost said her Herculean task!

Fredericktown, which is served with great fidelity by the Rev. V. O. Penley of De Soto, has sent me word that it voluntarily increases its stipend. This is good news. The same news comes from St. Paul's, Mexico, where always twenty-five and often fifty students from the Mexico Military Academy march down to worship at the Church on Sunday mornings (the Rev. George E. Wharton, rector.) And Crystal City, under the care of the Rev. H. N. Tragitt, Jr., is giving, I think, twice as much toward stipend as it has ever given before.

New buildings. At Kirksville during the year a new brick church has been completed, and I had the pleasure of dedicating it in connection with the autumn meeting of the Northern Convocation. It stands on the site of the old wooden fabric which the congregation had practically abandoned several years ago. It is a beautiful churchly building. Provision is made below for social gatherings, and there are adequate kitchen conveniences.

An attractive study, with open fireplace, is alongside the chancel. There is a debt of about \$4,000. The new church bears eloquent witness to the value of the work done in parish and city by the Rev. R. D. L. Putney. I was rejoiced to learn that forty-three persons came to the new church on Easter Day for the Holy Communion. Mr. Putney's sphere of influence and opportunity has been much enlarged by his recent appointment to serve as Probation Officer of Adair county.

On a Sunday evening in December I dedicated the new Epiphany chapel in St. Louis. It stands on the site of the former chapel which the congregation long since outgrew. It has cost about \$27,000 and is admirably suited to the work of a spiritual power-house in that part of the city. The Rev. W. L. Essex was the man whose inspiring example of unselfish service led the people of the Epiphany on to this noble accomplishment. Thanks are due also to the rector and to members of St. Peter's parish, especially to Mr. and Mrs. Hudson E. Bridge and Mr. J. E. Williams, Jr., for generous contributions. Without Mr. Joseph A. Barroll we couldn't have gotten anywhere. He was the Building Committee's head, and gave liberally of time and money, too.

Six weeks ago, in my absence and at my request, Bishop Tuttle laid the cornerstone of the new Bishop Tuttle Parish House. This, with the most desirable corner lot on which it stands, represents an investment of about \$30,000. The amount has flowed together in large gifts and small from friends of Bishop Tuttle everywhere. To the Rev. Linden H. White we owe grateful thanks. Several conspicuous laymen of the city and the Chancellor have given him timely help and advice. But Mr. White has done all the work of soliciting and collecting. And he has had to try to carry on meanwhile the pastoral work of St. Mary's, and, for several months, of St. Stephen's, Ferguson. I am saying what all the clergy know when I say that Mr. White has furnished us an outstanding example of the value of faith and pluck in the doing of our tasks. I am eagerly hoping that this new center for worship, work, and wholesome recreation will minister to the social and spiritual betterment of many persons who may care to make use of it.

The chapel which the Prince of Peace Mission rented for some months of Presbyterian brethren in North St. Louis (Baden) has now been bought by us. And, as it has been largely built over and improved, after working hours, by hard-working artificers belonging to the mission, we have a right to count it as a new possession. Sister Miriam is the ministering angel here. The Rev. F. M. Weddell preaches the Word twice each month and ministers the Sacraments. Only \$200 remains to be paid, and the building will be wholly ours. Perhaps someone would like to help.

St. Alban's Mission has grown into a parish and has recently elected the Rev. Henry N. O'Connor as its first rector. Mr. O'Connor's ministry at St. Alban's during the past two years has borne rich fruit. The new parish starts with a communicant list of about 150. The first story is completed of what it is hoped will some day be a beautiful stone church. There is a debt of \$3,000, but rector and people are ready to carry it with a good courage and will make the necessary sacrifices to gradually whittle it down.

I have lived long enough as a Bishop to observe how comparatively easy it is to dot new little churches all over the landscape in a missionary district or in a missionary diocese. I have had no obsession to do this. But it is a satisfaction to know that, in addition to the five named above, we have new places for our worship at Overland, Herculanum, Illmo, St. Timothy's, St. Louis, and a portable chapel at Harney Heights, St. Louis, making ten in all during the past six years. I grant you that several of them are very humble chapels indeed. But Mrs. Alexander's beautiful hymn still reminds us, lest we forget, that Jesus' first coming in the flesh was to a "lowly cattle shed."

Mention was made a year ago of our hope to establish a Convalescent Home on a farm in the county, near Kirkwood. I am told that the Home will be ready to receive twenty women early in June; women discharged from the city institutions as convalescent, who need a few weeks of quiet rest and wholesome food and air to make them again ready to face the road. The dream is a noble one. We hope that it may be nobly realized for the sake of many who are needy. Our grateful thanks are to those who are helping to put this enterprise on its feet. We hope it will secure the financial assistance it merits and requires. I want to give my special thanks to the one layman whose name I know who generously drew many a private check to pay expenses of carrying and improving the property up to the time when a board of directors could take it over. The board as at present consisted has Mr. H. D. Condie, president; Mr. F. C. Thompson, vice-president; Mr. Thomas Q. Dix, secretary-treasurer; Dr. C. H. Shutt, Mrs. Dorothea Bradley, Mrs. Logan B. Tomkins, Miss Ethel L. Riddle, directors.

At St. Stephen's-in-the-City the Rev. Mr. Mizner and his helpers continue to minister to the spiritual and social needs of the "thousand a week," who in one way or another come in touch with the working forces there; and in summer, at St. Stephen's-in-the-Hills, groups of boys and girls and tired men and women find strengthening recreation and refreshing rest. Mr. Mizner reports to this Convention for St. Stephen's on missionary afternoon.

The Rev. J. Howard Lever will give his wonderful report of his parish of more than 5,000 men and women and children who wait eagerly for his pastoral ministrations and spiritual counsel in nine separate institutions of the city. I leave details to him. Deaconess Brainerd, Mrs. Holmes, Miss Hoffman, Mrs. O'Bannon, Miss Clarke, Miss Beck, Mr. Pomeroy, Mr. Jones, Mr. Merrill, Mr. Freegard, Mr. von Renthel, are among those whom Mr. Lever depends on to help him reach his widely scattered flock. I have been so glad this last year to be able to make an agreement by which the Rev. Douglass H. Atwill becomes a sort of assistant to Mr. Lever in his work.

You sometimes hear me speak of the need of manning our rural field with a "heroic type of country parson," the type we have in it just now. To live and labor faithfully on a slender stipend is real heroism. You are aware that clergy stipends are a matter of concern to me, not simply because I have observed that business houses get a better quality of service from men who are fairly recompensed, but also because I have a heart. "Prices today are 107 per cent higher than in 1914. Meat that was 22 to 28 cents a pound when the war broke out is now 40 to 44 cents. Canned vegetables that were three for a quarter in 1914, are 25 cents for one now. Eggs that commanded 30 to 40 cents a dozen in 1914 were 72 and 89 and 90 cents in February." (See THE NEW REPUBLIC, March 30, 1918.) The clergy of my field and many of the laity here present know that I have labored persistently to make the stipends better. The stipends are larger, much larger in almost every instance, than they were six years ago. And yet the average stipend in my rural field today is \$1,100 and a simple house. The average stipend of my city clergy is \$1,170 and a house. *I think it right, dear people, that I should take the time, yours and mine, to lay these matters before you. As we look this goodly company of Missouri missionaries in the face, we have a right to realize that there are heroes here as well as in Flanders and Picardy. No banners are floating over them save the banner of God's love. No bands play. There will be no decorations for bravery except the "Well done" of the Great Captain when the fight is finished. Except for the fact that they come here to Convention every May, the average active communicant of the Diocese of Missouri does not know where these men are holding the line. But they are holding the line, and for the

*I omit Grace-Holy Cross, St. Louis, from the computation, as being directed by a Bishop's Committee; also St. Alban's and Epiphany, whose clergy are paid by the Parishes to which these Missions are attached; also the Hospital Missionary, who receives for his very exacting labors \$2,040 per year and a house. Deaconess Sniffen and Deaconess Brainerd receive each \$600 a year and rooms. Mrs. Holmes, Miss Hofman and Sister Miriam each \$300.

same reason that men in khaki are holding it over across—to make the world a safe place to live in; to make this part of the world a safe place for the boys who have gone to the war to come back to when the war is won!

Let us go a bit further into this matter of stipends. Where do the stipends come from? Each stipend is made up of three factors: (1) An appropriation from the Missionary Board, plus (2) the amount raised locally by the congregation, or group of congregations, plus (3) an amount added by the Bishop Coadjutor (usually for expenses of travel, etc.) The congregations committed to my care by the Bishop of the Diocese now number forty-three. Six years ago they were twenty-seven. There is not a single self-supporting congregation in the list. Statistics gathered a year ago from forty congregations show that the smallest amount raised toward stipend by any congregation was \$10.39 for the year; the largest amount was \$1,307. There were twenty congregations paying less than \$100; seven paying from \$100 to \$300; eight paying from \$300 to \$600; four paying from \$600 to \$1,000; one paying above \$1,000. My problem is to get and keep an upstanding clergy staff to minister to twenty congregations where the local stipend is less than \$100 per year; fifteen where it ranges from \$100 to \$600; four where it ranges from \$600 to \$1,000, and one where it is more than \$1,000. Add to these the Hospital Missionary, and two women workers. Add also two deaconesses and a member of a sisterhood who are new members of my staff added to the payroll in the last four years.

When I lay these facts before you, you will not think it strange, will you, that the amount asked of the Convention by the Missionary Board is larger than it was six years ago? It was then about \$9,000. It is now about \$13,000. This \$13,000, if you vote the appropriation, will be spent by whom? By the Missionary Board. For what? To assist in providing the stipends of the workers of whom we have been speaking, who are nominated by the bishop to the board. I have already told you what the average stipend is. I know how many "drives" are on. I know how generous Missouri's subscriptions are, and I am as proud as you are of that. But I have in these past few weeks been all over the diocese. And I have been impressed anew by the richness and the beauty of it all. Whose is this great, wide, beautiful, wonderful world? "The silver and the gold are mine, saith the Lord, and so are the cattle upon a thousand hills. If I be hungry I will not tell thee, for the whole world is mine and all that is therein." Plainly, the question is not how much of our money shall we give to God, but how much of God's money shall we keep for ourselves. Let us give, generously, to the work, here in the diocese and elsewhere, realizing how wonderfully, in

these past four years which have cost other nations such a frightful toll not only in money but in blood, God has been very gracious unto us and protected us and blest us! In this connection, I want to say my thanks that you have stood so helpfully by me through the past year. Your gifts and offerings for my work have more than doubled.

It has been my privilege to attend a Convocation at Kirksville, one at Crystal City, and one at De Soto (though this last hardly belongs in the report this year.) They all were exceptionally good. You have read in CHURCH NEWS Mr. Penley's very unique letter telling how rejoiced he and his people were to have us.

Christ Church Sunday School, Rolla, continues to hold first rank in the rural field in the matter of the Lenten offering.

MISSIONARY EXTENSION.

I wish very much that we could somehow provide for a fuller functioning of the Church in the diocese in the matter of extending and conserving our missionary work. I have in former conventions said how greatly I appreciate the time and the thought which members of the Missionary Board, busy men, give to the work of the board. I hope very much that I may not give anybody anywhere an impression that I am lacking in courteous and appreciative gratitude to these men. But, dear people, I wish that I might have something that would serve the purposes of a cabinet, an advisory council, or something of the sort in this really big missionary field. There are a lot of very interesting things which we might discuss if we could get together as the average vestry gets together with its rector, once each month, on a fixed date, for nine months of the year. I should like to tell things to such a cabinet, that I do not now seem to find opportunity to tell. I should want such a board to investigate me; to ask me why this or that or the other move was deemed expedient; to ask me why this or that or the other field seems not to be developing as we had hoped it would. I should like the members of this advisory council or whatnot to ask in detail as to the credentials of men who are on our staff. I should like to have them study with me from time to time the map of the diocese. Who knows that we might not together fix our eyes on a point which might be helpfully built up if we would all work toward that end before the opportunity passes? Who knows that we might not together determine that we are wasting money by putting it any longer into a part of the field which the Bishop Coadjutor, on his own responsibility, dares not abandon? The Missionary Board has treated me as though it was willing that I should

take the responsibility in these matters. And it is a responsibility that I am willing to carry if you feel that it is for the best interests of the field. Section 4 of Canon IX says "the Missionary Board shall have power to locate and organize Missions; to purchase ground and erect mission buildings thereon; and to assist organized missions in purchasing ground and erecting buildings thereon." Something of that sort is what I have in mind; in addition to the duties which the Missionary Board already performs in making appropriations and paying stipends. It seems to me that there might be opportunities for extension work, "new business," somewhere in Missouri; if we could equip ourselves to go out after it. Conservation possible, somewhere, if we were equipped to conserve. Just by way of example, I think the diocese of Missouri might have conserved much that was not conserved following the rather remarkable Patton Campaign last winter. I am aware that you may think that this that I am speaking of is not important at this time. And in speaking as I do, again I say I want to give my most appreciative thanks, as I have done in former years, to the Missionary Board for its faithful service to the diocese.

The Missionary Host has been a strong right arm to me. The Woman's Auxiliary has given me substantial aid. The League of Lay Readers has rendered gracious and ready help. Several times Mrs. Johnson and I have been privileged to have its members at dinner with us in our quiet home, and always with pleasure.

I am sorry that my confirmations have been only 142. My average for six years is 183. A number of my clergy have spoken to me of waiting lists of persons not yet quite ready. I do not want my mention of the small number of confirmees to be construed as a reflection on the work of the clergy, whose quiet, heroic carrying on, in conditions which are difficult and where there is no glamour and too often little appreciation and slight praise, is worthy of our continual thanks. Our missionaries are not slackers.

There is no doubt that neglect of what we used to call the Sunday School is resulting in a diminished list of persons confirmed. I wish that parents could realize how grievous is the fault if they permit the spiritual training of the young to be neglected. How often do we fail to get the co-operation from the parents which they ought to give. Not many years ago I sat one afternoon with a most excellent layman (I do not say whether in South Dakota or Missouri), a member of the vestry in his town. He was telling me that he had just been seeing his sweet young girl of 16 or 17 off on the train; and he was

sad at her going, for he loved her very much. "Where is she living now?" I asked. "In such and such a city, attending such and such a university," was his reply, and he spoke of it with pride. "Where does she go to church?" I asked. "Search me," was his reply. "I don't know. I never have asked her." It is absolutely necessary, of course, that each tender blade of corn out in the field should be carefully nursed and individually nursed lest weeds which grow so fast should choke and smother it. But when a father (who is a vestryman) is asked whether his sweet young daughter, just away from home, in the most tender and critical years of her life, is in an atmosphere which is inviting Jesus to draw nearer and shield her soul from sin, "Search me," is his reply. "I don't know. I never have asked her." Isaiah uses somewhere an expression which, being translated into modern speech, is, "My people do not think."

The Hibbert Journal not long since had an impressive editorial on the present world war situation. Speaking of England, it says: "A shock was necessary to bring us to our senses. I can imagine nothing worse for my native land than another century of such a life as we were living before the war. Before the end of it we should have gone to pieces, and it would have needed no attack from without to lay our empire in ruins." We cannot be too sure that the good Lord of His mercy is going to keep this awful tragedy 3,000 miles away from us until the end, though devout prayers are ascending that this may be His will. But who knows whether a shock may not be necessary **to bring us to our senses**, here in this land of America? Is it right that a vestryman should be more interested in nursing a blade of corn than in giving his daughter a chance? Who knows whether a shock may not be necessary to bring us to our senses, here, where in some of our states, yes, in Missouri, if I am correctly informed, it is easier to get an appropriation of the public money to insure against disease in swine and cattle than to insure against delinquency in children! What a world are we living in, America, and this part of it, where a man has recently paid \$10,000 for a single breeding boar to insure some well-bred hogs for ham and sausages and bacon! Is this part of the world doing what should be done to make it possible for the next generation of children to have a fair chance to be well-born and properly safeguarded?

THE WAR.

I was just speaking of the war. I was glad on a recent visit to Crystal City to learn how effectively the Rev. H. N. Tragitt, Jr., works as a Four Minute Man there. Mr. Clopton helps carry on in his big southeast Missouri field. Mr. Rein in Overland

Park, too. Doubtless, there are others whose activities along these lines I do not happen to know about. I do not want to traverse again the ground that I covered in that portion of my address which dealt with the war a year ago. But I must plead again as I did then that our clergy will not quit their posts here in Missouri until their souls have travailed in pain of prayer to God to know His will. If this war hammers on for years yet, as it may do, who is to comfort the poor widow woman in the cottage down in southeast Missouri into which I went the other day, whose family is three sons and who has three stars on her service flag!—who is to speak comfort to that mother-heart if the fateful message comes to her some day that her three boys will nevermore come home? If we who are sent by Jesus Christ as He was sent by His Father are to forsake our ministry, close our churches, and permit the altars of God to be thrown down, who is to put the spiritual fibre into the lads who must go across a year or two or three from now? I am not speaking now of the clergy who are accepting chaplaincy appointments oversea or here at home which **enlarge their opportunities for spiritual ministrations** to their fellows. I say, "God bless them," as a year ago I said it. But if a minister of this Church who finds himself in a place where he is making close and strong spiritual contacts with several thousand young men and women at the most critical period of their lives quits that post and practically lays aside his commission as a minister of the Gospel and sails the seas and leaves his important parish here vacant for many months in which he is meeting railway trains in Paris, what shall it profit the Nation or the Church? Pardon me if I offend any. But these are the thoughts that arise in me as I inventory my conscience and ask the Holy Spirit to give me a right judgment. Our surgeons go to France not to do the work of laymen, but of surgeons, experienced and skilled. Our nurses go as nurses and to nurse. Ought our clergy to go unless they can follow their profession there and find the opportunity for it enlarged? Sacrifice is of the very essence of our ministry. The sacrifice required of some of us is to stay on this job! We have a right to admire the spirit of sacrifice which takes our brothers to the front. We have a right to listen to the voice of our Great Captain, striving, perhaps, to tell us, if we would listen, that the sacrifice now required of us is to stack our posts just where we are. Right along this line, I am profoundly impressed by the answer which Dr. Slattery, rector of big Grace Church, on Broadway, New York, gave the other day when invited by the Overseas Headquarters of the Y. M. C. A. to give six months' service to the American troops on the western front. After confessing that it was an invitation to "an alluring adventure;" after confessing,

"the easiest thing I could have done was to say that I would go," Dr. Slattery says, among other things, in a sermon to his people: "My problem was to discover whether by staying or going I could best serve my country * * * I am inclined to think the patriotic need is greater in our East Side homes than in the trenches where the sons of these homes are fighting * * * From almost every pew of this church has gone a son, a brother, a husband. If I could serve them best by going to France, I should go. But I have a sacred memory of a certain charge which has come from one and another of these men, sometimes definitely spoken, sometimes only intimated by a glance: it is the charge that I look out for the one who cares most and who must stay at home * * * I have said again and again that the greatest heroes are those who send with an unutterable love, from their homes, those who go. I have wondered if I appeared in France before one of these men, I should not find a look of reproach, with the question, 'When did you last see my mother, my father, my wife?' * * * And so I knew that for the present, at least, I must stay here."

Dear brothers in the ministry, these words of Dr. Slattery are very moving words, it seems to me. And, along with them, I want to remind you that it seems to me suggestive and significant that the tank "Britania," which overcame every obstacle it met in France, encountered a problem tremendous and unconquerable right here in this State of Missouri!

If you are not to go across, won't each of my clergy keep an honor roll hung in some conspicuous place in church so that worshippers can see it as they come and go? It should contain the names of the men and women of that congregation who are in the service of their country. And won't you have a service flag? St. Stephen's, in this city, has one bearing twenty-one stars. Little St. Peter's mission in Bonne Terre, with twenty communicants, has five stars! Won't you write letters once a month if possible to those who have gone forth from your congregation? It will be good for each one to feel that you are still his pastor and that you care. And at every service won't you offer at least one prayer for those gone to the war that God will protect them from the violence of enemies and from every other evil? The boys at the front will be strengthened with all grace by God's spirit in the inner man if in your letters you tell them that prayers are made unceasingly unto God for them. And fathers and mothers will feel a new appreciation of the Church which follows **their boys** with its loving prayers. And the boys, when they come back, will be more affectionately disposed toward the Church which would not let them go from its thoughts. And if they fall and do not rise again, our prayers will make it

easier when the frail tent of the body sets the spirit free for the house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

When we go back from this Convention, each one to stack a lonely post "somewhere in Missouri," let us remember that, because we have found reasons why we should not go across, we ought to be very solemnly in earnest to do our utmost where we are. Let our sermons be full of Christ and empty of the preacher. Let us preach them with fervent prayer to God for the Holy Ghost sent down from heaven. Let there be such an unmistakable anxiety for the best interests of those who hear as will carry home to every soul the conviction that the appeal is not the perfunctory discharge of a professional duty, respectably fulfilled, but a real effort to bring God through His Word in contact with the human heart and immortal spirits to the cross of Christ. That is the very temper in which St. Paul wrote and spoke, "As though God did beseech you by us, we pray you in Christ's stead, be ye reconciled to God."

We must go now. I hope I have not kept you longer than the occasion warranted. We all hope and pray, I am sure, that the Church in Missouri may go forward, guided and controlled in all things by the Holy Spirit of God.

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

Frederick P. Johnson

APPENDIX No. 3.

Report of Social Service Commission.

The Commission's chief work as a committee this year has been to look intelligent and give good advice. Without funds no constructive program could be attempted. Hereafter this handicap will be removed, with the annual appropriation provided.

But the Commission, in spite of the handicap, has fulfilled its duty. In the first place, the individual members have been foremost in war relief work, four-minute speaking, and in various measures for the solution of social problems. Special mention in this connection must be made of the new farm for convalescent women, in the establishment of which Mr. Dix has been interested, and in the new "Euclid House," for the rehabilitation of delinquent girls, which the Chairman of the Commission, acting as chairman of the Central Council Committee on Adult Delinquents, was instrumental in starting.

The Commission was glad to receive during the year a communication from the St. Louis Clericus concerning the book called "The Challenge of St. Louis," by George B. Mangold, and asking for suggestions looking toward solutions of problems there outlined. The Commission, meeting in strictly executive session, was of the opinion that the reverend brethren were trying to catch the Commission napping, and determined, in un-ecclesiastical language, to get the jump on the Clericus. Accordingly a long list of suggestions for social work was sent to the Clericus, and also published in The Church News, and there the matter stands. The Commission may be pardoned for feeling a little vainglorious over this moral victory.

During the year the Commission has received many communications from the Joint Commission on Social Service, other Diocesan Social Service commissions and various welfare societies, and desires to urge upon the Convention the paramount claims of the following problems affecting the life and prosperity and happiness of the men and women and children of this nation.

First, the urgent need of the utmost carefulness in the consumption of foodstuffs, commonly called food conservation. Waste of food at such a time as this, we are convinced, is an exhibition of the most heartless selfishness. In this connection it seems obvious that one of the largest contributions to the conservation of food would be the national prohibition of the manufacture of liquor, and it is to be hoped that every individual and organization in the Church will see to it that the ratification of the pending amendment to the Constitution is quickly secured.

Second, speculation in the necessities of life, known today as profiteering, deserves the severest condemnation. To use the words of the Federal Council of Churches, "men must not be permitted to make gain out of the hunger of the poor and the necessities of the nation, when the people are making unprecedented sacrifices, and government action to this end should be heartily supported." We take courage also from the words of President Wilson in his recent notable New York address, when he said, "No man must be permitted to make a fortune out of this war."

Third, to quote again the Federal Council of Churches, "The Christian

ideal of the State cannot be realized until the principles of democracy are applied to industry." In time of war, with all the energies and resources of a nation bent upon self-preservation, the temptation naturally is to suspend temporarily such gains in economic freedom as have been secured in time of peace. To this temptation England in the early years of the war to a great extent succumbed, the estimate being that in England 600,000 children have left school prematurely to go to work, and that juvenile delinquency has increased 40 per cent. The problem of maintaining such economic standards as we have already reached is, then, peculiarly acute insofar as it relates to children and to women in industry. President Wilson has said in a letter: "As the labor situation created by the war develops, I am more interested than ever, if that were possible, in throwing all the safeguards possible around the labor of women and children in order that no intolerable or injurious burden may be placed upon them." The age limit over which children may go to work should not be lowered; night work, such as messenger service should be prohibited; summer work on farms should be most carefully regulated and supervised to prevent the exploitation of children by farmers, such as it was said at a meeting of the Missouri Code Commission occurred in Missouri last summer, and children's social agencies should receive even better support than in times of peace. Let us not forget the 1,850,000 children between 10 and 15 already in industry, and let us, as Owen R. Lovejoy says, "determine that whatever happens, all other treasure, all other forms of wealth, all other methods of defense, shall be sacrificed before we compel the children of America to pass through the fire." And then there is the necessary entrance of women into industry to fill the places of men who have gone to war. Out of this a two-fold danger arises; first, that because of their inexperience and lack of organization their physical and moral health will not be properly safeguarded, and, second, that they will be paid and will accept lower wages for the same work that men have done. To offset this danger the American Federation of Labor and the Women's Trade Union League have both adopted the slogan, "Equal Pay for Equal Work."

As other means of maintaining industrial standards we mention the protection of the worker from dangerous machinery and occupational diseases (it is estimated that there are 300,000 accidents annually in industry, most of which are preventable), the necessity on both sides of a labor dispute for arbitration, one day's rest in seven, the prevention of overwork and the highest wage that any industry can afford.

Finally, there is the problem of vice. This problem we have always with us, and it is undoubtedly the most difficult of all social problems. We cannot but feel that it has been dealt with heretofore in a more or less spasmodic way, periodic "clean-ups," alternating with a "tilted lid." But with our entrance into the war it was seen that a morally clean army was as necessary as a well equipped army. As a result most thorough and drastic measures have been adopted and our army in the field is probably the cleanest that the world has seen. But these measures have required the co-operation of civilian authorities, and here is where the problem touches St. Louis and the citizens of St. Louis, because this city is in the immediate neighborhood of a large military camp. To obtain first-hand information about moral conditions in this city the chairman of your commission has recently visited the most prominent, or the most notorious cabarets and wineroms in the city and observed conditions on the streets. It should be said, first of all, that the excise commissioner, the police women and police officers are to be congratulated for having improved conditions as compared with those existing a year ago. But, having said this, we must also say that street soliciting by women occurs on Locust and Olive and North Eleventh streets; that in a certain winerom on Lawton avenue suggestive dances are given; that in this place a police officer was present as a spectator, though not in uniform,

and the
avenue,
instance
escort to
with wo
with an
and cab
of crim
positivel
not "hig
people u
in one o
for \$7 a
of young
winerom
somethin

All
tians, br
not only
We quot
are not
all the e
lectual a
everything
illiteracy
the econ
indeed b
who hav
which w
beautiful
traitors
had ever
also that
power to
"by guar
dom wor

The
for the C
June 18,
Orga
Rev. J. C
retary.
Gave
ren Sapp

and that in this winerom, as in one on Olive street and one on Franklin avenue, scores of young girls are to be seen drinking and dancing, and one instance was observed of a girl becoming intoxicated and being taken by her escort to a rooming house nearby. In two of the places soldiers were seen with women known to be immoral, and on Olive street a soldier was seen with an immoral woman. The conclusion would seem to be that wineroms and cabarets should be absolutely abolished, because they are the rendezvous of criminals and women of the streets. This on the negative side. More positively, the churches are to be criticised for their failure to provide decent, not "high-brow," but decent and interesting forms of amusement for young people under proper conditions. A conversation with one of the young girls in one of the wineroms revealed the fact that she worked ten hours a day for \$7 a week. Such wages do not permit association with the better class of young people or indulgence in higher forms of amusement. Abolish the wineroms, and saloons, too, for that matter; but let us see to it that we put something interesting and worth while in their place.

All these questions your commission feels sure demand of us as Christians, brethren one of another, the most prayerful and unselfish consideration, not only in time of peace, but even more at such a crisis in history as this. We quote from a recent address: "The theory prevails that in war times we are not to criticise our institutions. The contrary is true. War calls forth all the energies of a nation, not only guns and soldiers, but spiritual and intellectual and economic forces. When we are put to the test we discover everything that is wrong with us, as, for example, physical defectiveness, illiteracy, profiteering, and we should not hesitate to make such changes in the economics of the country as the needs of our time command." It would indeed be a poor return on our part for the sacrifice and heroism of the men who have gone to fight and to die for us, if we allow our own country, to which we hope they shall all come back, to become a more difficult and less beautiful place in which to live than it was when they left. We should be traitors to them indeed, if after sending them, we did not see to it that they had everything needful for their comfort and safety; may we not realize also that we should be no less derelict in our duty if we did not do all in our power to make this country a lively experiment in real democracy, especially "by guarding the gains of education, of social progress and of economic freedom won at so great a cost."

APPENDIX No. 4.

Report of Standing Committee.

The official acts of the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Missouri for the Convention Year 1917-1918 are hereby respectfully submitted:

June 18, 1917—

Organized by the election of Very Reverend C. M. Davis as President; Rev. J. Courtney Jones as Vice-President; Mr. Curtis M. Jennings as Secretary.

Gave consent to the ordination and consecration of the Rev. Edwin Warren Sapphore as Suffragan Bishop of the Diocese of Arkansas.

Gave consent to the election of the Rt. Rev. Frank Arthur McElwain, D. D., as Bishop of Minnesota.

Gave consent to the election of the Rt. Rev. Wilson Reiff Stearly, D. D., as Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Newark.

Gave consent to the election of a Bishop Coadjutor for the Diocese of Tennessee.

July 2, 1917—

Gave consent to the ordination and consecration of the Rev. Arthur Conover Thomson as Suffragan Bishop of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.

Gave consent to the ordination and consecration of the Rev. Harry Ennis Moore as Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Dallas.

September 19, 1917—

Gave consent to the consecration of the Rev. Henry Judah Mikell, D. D., as Bishop of the Diocese of Atlanta.

Gave dispensation to Grover Harrison from a second examination in Greek.

November 23, 1917—

Gave consent to the shortening of time of the Diaconate of Grover Harrison.

December 5, 1917—

Gave consent to the consecration of Rev. Robert LeRoy Harris as Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of Marquette. Also gave consent to the consecration of Rev. John Charles Sage and Rev. William Proctor Remington as Missionary Bishops.

January 8, 1918—

Gave consent to the election of Rt. Rev. Charles Henry Brent, D. D., to be Bishop of the Diocese of Western New York.

Recommended Rev. Grover Harrison to the Bishop for ordination to the Priesthood.

Gave permission to the Trustees of the Mission at Kirksville to make a loan of not exceeding \$2,800.

January 28, 1918—

Rescinded the action of this body of November 23, 1917, of shortening the time of Diaconate and of January 8, 1918, of recommending to the Bishop for ordination to the Priesthood of Rev. Grover Harrison.

March 8, 1918—

Granted to the members of St. Alban's Mission permission to organize a Parish.

Gave consent to election of a Bishop Coadjutor for the Diocese of Mississippi.

May 6, 1918—

Gave consent to the ordination and consecration of the Rev. Edward Thomas Demby as Suffragan Bishop of the Diocese of Arkansas, for Negro work.

Confirmed the choice of the House of Bishops of James Wilmer Gresham, D. D., to be a Bishop in the Missionary District of the Philippine Islands.

Recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Priesthood Rev. Wm. Winfield Scott Hohenschield.

APPENDIX No. 5.

**Report of the Board of Trustees of the
Parochial Trust Fund.**

The Board of Trustees of the Parochial Trust Fund of the Diocese of Missouri submit the following as the acts of the Board for the Convention year 1917-1918:

June 18, 1917—

The Board organized by the election of Rev. J. Courtney Jones as Vice-President and Mr. Curtis M. Jennings as Secretary and Treasurer.

Authorized sale of the Rectory at St. James, Mo.

July 16, 1917—

Gave consent to the sale of the church edifice of St. Matthew's Mission.

October 1, 1917—

Authorized the President to execute a mortgage for \$1446.17 on the property of Calvary Parish, Louisiana, Mo.

November 23, 1917—

Authorized payment of \$50.00 to Rev. B. E. Reed out of funds received from sale of St. Matthew's property.

January 28, 1918—

Approved payments on account of St. Matthew's Mission as follows: To Rev. B. E. Reed, \$50; General Missions, \$20; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$5; Theological Education Fund, \$5; Permanent Episcopate Fund, \$5.

APPENDIX No. 6.

Report of Trustees of the Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate.

Balance in bank April 30, 1917.....\$ 150.21

RECEIPTS

City of New York Revenue 6s of 1914, due Sept. 1, 1917..... 3,000.00
U. S. Treasury 4% Certificates of Indebtedness, due Dec. 15, 1917..... 2,500.00
Interest on Investments 1,111.32

Parishes and Missions—

Clayton—St. Michael and All Angels	\$ 21.35	
Jefferson City—Grace	19.75	
Macon—St. James	5.86	
Poplar Bluff—Holy Cross	2.25	
St. James—Trinity	1.31	
St. Louis—Christ Church Cathedral	50.00	
“ “ St. George's Chapel	54.75	
“ “ St. Matthew's	5.00	
“ “ St. Paul's	2.45	
“ “ St. Peter's	129.15	
“ “ St. Thomas'	1.23	
Sullivan—St. John's .....	.50	
Webster Groves—Emmanuel	9.35	302.95
		<u>\$7,064.48</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

Bishop's Residence:		
Repairs	\$110.60	
Care of Vandeventer Parks	65.00	\$ 175.60
Diocese of Missouri—Appropriation		1,000.00
Rent of safe deposit box		5.00
Investments:		
U. S. Treasury 4% Certificates of Indebtedness, due December 15, 1917	\$2,500.00	
Accrued Interest	5.84	2,505.84
\$2,000.00 U. S. Second Liberty Loan 4s, due November 15, 1942, optional November 15, 1927, at \$96.16.....	1,923.20	
\$500.00 U. S. Second Liberty Loan 4s, due November 15, 1942, optional November 15, 1927, at \$96.30.....	481.50	
Accrued Interest	19.44	
Commission	2.25	2,426.39
Balance in Bank April 30, 1918		951.65
		<u>\$7,064.48</u>

ASSETS

	Par Value
Benoit, Miss., Water Works 6s, due Oct. 5, 1829	\$ 500.00
State of Coahuila de Zaragoza, Mexico, 6s, due April 1, 1940..... (October 1, 1913, and subsequent coupons unpaid.)	1,000.00
Starkville, Miss., Elec. Light Plant 5s, due August 15, 1921.....	500.00
United Railways Co. First Mortgage 4s, due July 1, 1934	6,000.00
Laclede Gas Light Co. First Mortgage 5s, due May 1, 1919	1,000.00
Kanass City Home Tel. Co. First Mtg. 5s, due Jan. 2, 1923.....	5,600.00
Paris (Texas) Compress & Warehouse Co. Ref. Mtg. 6s, due 8-1-18	1,500.00
Star Building Co., St. Louis, First Mtg. 5s, due June 1, 1928.....	500.00
Chester, Perryville & Ste. Genevieve Ry. Co. First Mortgage 5s, due July 1, 1919	2,200.00
Mississippi River & Bonne Terre Ry. First Mortgage Sinking Fund 5s, due October 1, 1931	1,000.00
Shelby County (Mo.) Ry. Co. First Mtg. 5s, due July 1, 1929	1,900.00
Alba (Mo.) Water Works 6s, due April 17 1928	300.00
U. S. Second Liberty Loan 4s of 1917, due November 15, 1942, optional November 15, 1927	2,500.00
Balance in bank April 30, 1918	951.65
Total	\$25,451.65

Respectfully submitted, !

WALKER HILL, Treasurer.

JAMES M. BULL,

F. N. JUDSON,

Trustees.

APPENDIX No. 7.

Treasurer's Report

Executive Committee General Convention, 1916.

Balance on hand May 16, 1917\$293.88

DISBURSEMENTS

Voucher No.

202	J. H. W. Brune, services as Secretary to Chair- man, Committee on Finance	\$100.00
203	The Church News, 800 copies and mailing	22.00
204	Bishop Tuttle Automobile Fund, balance on hand	171.88
		<hr/>
		\$293.88 \$293.88

Respectfully submitted,
WALKER HILL, Treasurer.

APPENDIX No. 8.

Fund for General Purposes.

JAMES M. BULL, in Account with the Diocese of Missouri.

RECEIPTS

May 1st, 1917, to May 1st, 1918.

Balance on hand		\$2,035.81
Cape Girardeau Christ Church, 1916-17.....	\$	25.48
Cape Girardeau, Christ Church, 1917-18.....		50.00
Clarksville, Grace Church		35.00
Clayton, St. Michael and All Angels, 1916-17		100.00
Clayton, St. Michael and All Angels, 1917-18		480.00
Columbia, Calvary		140.00
De Soto, Trinity, 1917-18		25.00
Hannibal, Trinity		200.00
Jefferson City, Grace		70.00
Kirkwood, Grace		450.00
Louisiana, Calvary		40.00
Macon, St. James		150.00
Mexico, St. Paul's		50.00
Moberly, Christ		23.14
Monroe, St. Jude's, 1917-18		60.00
Palmyra, St. Paul's		60.00
Prairieville, St. John's		20.00
St. Charles, Trinity, 1916-17		10.00
Webster Groves, Emmanuel, 1916-17		240.00
Webster Groves, Emmanuel, 1917-18		420.00
St. Louis, All Saints'		225.00
St. Louis, Ascension		700.00
St. Louis, Cathedral and St. George's		1,930.00
St. Louis, Good Shepherd, 1916-17		20.00
St. Louis, Good Shepherd, 1917-18		15.00
St. Louis, Holy Communion		275.00
St. Louis, Holy Innocents, 1916-17		50.00
St. Louis, Mt. Calvary		100.00
St. Louis, Redeemer, 1916-17		250.00
St. Louis, Redeemer, 1917-18		337.50
St. Louis, St. Andrews, 1916-17		20.00
St. Louis, St. John's		380.00
St. Louis, St. Paul's, 1916-17		50.00
St. Louis, St. Peter's		1,520.00
St. Louis, St. Philip's		385.00
St. Louis, Trinity, 1916-17		79.00
St. Louis, Trinity, 1917-18		180.00

Missions—

Bonne Terre, St. Peter's, 1916-17	5.00	
Bonne Terre, St. Peter's, 1917-18	5.00	
Canton, St. Peter's	5.00	
Crystal City, Grace, 1916-17	5.00	
Cuba, St. Andrew's	2.00	
Fredericktown, St. Paul's	5.00	
Fulton, Trinity, 1916-17	2.00	
Fulton, Trinity, 1917-18	5.00	
Ironton, St. Paul's, 1916-17	5.00	
Ironton, St. Paul's, 1917-18	5.00	
Jackson, Redeemer	2.50	
Kirksville, Trinity	15.00	
Overland Park, St. Paul's	5.00	
Poplar Bluff, Holy Cross	20.00	
Portland, St. Mark's, 1916-17	5.00	
Portland, St. Mark's, 1917-18	5.00	
Salem, Trinity	3.00	
St. James, Trinity, 1916-17	5.00	
St. James, Trinity, 1917-18	5.00	
Sullivan, St. John's, 1916-17	5.00	
Sullivan, St. John's, 1917-18	2.50	
Thayer, Holy Trinity	10.00	
Valley Park, St. Luke's, 1916-17	2.50	
Valley Park, St. Luke's, 1917-18	5.00	
St. Louis, Epiphany	40.00	
St. Louis, Grace Holy Cross	65.00	
St. Louis, Prince of Peace	5.00	
St. Louis, St. Augustine's	75.00	
St. Louis, St. Luke's, 1916-17	5.00	
St. Louis, St. Luke's, 1917-18	5.00	
St. Louis, St. Mary's, 1916-17	99.00	
St. Louis, St. Stephen's	75.00	
St. Louis, St. Thomas'	25.00	
University City, 1913-15	15.00	
Permanent Fund Support of Episcopate	1,000.00	
Loan, Mechanics' Am. Nat'l Bank	1,000.00	
Florissant	1.00	\$11,710.12
Total Receipts		\$13,745.93

EXPENDITURES

1917		
May 7	F. M. Weddell, Treas., Balance Appropriation	
	Southern Convocation, 1916-17	\$ 75.00
May 14	Freegard Press, Printing, Secretary	14.25
May 23	Missionary Traveling Expense to Convention...	51.20
June 1	Mrs. Geo. D. B. Miller, Bishop's Secretary, to	
	May 31	75.00
June 4	Freegard Press, Printing, Secretary	17.00
	Chas. M. Monore Sta. Co., Sta., Conv. Expense	3.70
	Keymer Prtg. Co., Sta. Conv. Expense	1.50
	Rev. C. E. Remick, Stenog. & Conv. Expense...	30.36
	Rev. C. E. Remick, Status of Communicants Ex.	31.91
July 1	Interest \$1,500 Demand Loan, Theo. Ed. Fund,	
	1 Year 6 Per Cent	90.00
July 2	National Surety Co., Bond for Treasurer.....	12.50

Aug. 9	The Freegard Press, Printing Journal	455.00
	The Freegard Press, Printing	9.00
	Rev. C. E. Remick, Salary Secretary Convention 1 Year	200.00
	Carl A. Schich, Sexton Cathedral	25.00
Aug. 21	The Church News, a/c Appropriation	150.00
	Church Pension Fund, a/c Bishop Tuttle, to Aug. 31	183.75
	Church Pension Fund, a/c Bishop Johnson, to Aug. 31	135.00
Nov. 11	Rev. F. M. Weddell, one-half Appropriation Southern Convocation	75.00
	Rev. Geo. E. Wharton, one-half Appropriation Northern Convocation	75.00
Dec. 1 1918	The Freegard Press, Prtg., Bishop's Letter.....	6.00
Jan. 2	The Freegard Press, Prtg., Bishop's Letter.....	2.00
Mch. 16	The Freegard Press, Prtg., Bishop's Letter.....	4.00
	Rev. C. E. Remick, Secty., Postage, Etc.	24.75
April 2	Interest, Mechs. Am. Nat'l Bank, \$1,000.00 Loan 16 Days	2.67
April 29	Interest, Mechs. Amer. Nat'l Bank, \$1,000.00 to April 28	4.67
	Bills Payable—Mechanics' American National Bank; Loan	1,000.00
April 30	Rev. F. M. Weddell, Balance Appropriation Southern Convocation	75.00
	C. L. Johnson, Treas., Dues to Province of Southwest	144.00
	Wm. Fellows Morgan, Treas., General Board Religious Education	308.00
	University of the South Apportionment	300.00
	Rev. F. M. Crouch, Joint Committee Social Service.....	83.62
	Rev. J. H. Lever, Diocese Committee Social Service.....	50.00
	The Freegard Press, Printing, Secretary	11.50
	The Church Pension Fund, Account Bishop Tuttle to March 1, 1918	245.77
	The Church Pension Fund, Account Bishop Johnson, to March 1, 1918	180.49
	Rev. C. E. Remick, Secretary; Clerical Work.....	11.75
	James M. Bull, Treasurer, Postage, Exchange, Etc.	6.35
	Rt. Rev. D. S. Tuttle, Salary Year.....	4,200.00
	Rt. Rev. D. S. Tuttle, Traveling Exp. Year.....	163.86
	Rt. Rev. F. F. Johnson, Salary Year.....	3,600.00
	Rt. Rev. F. F. Johnson, Traveling Exp. Year.....	267.93
Total Expenditures		\$12,402.53
Balance on hand May 1, 1918		\$ 1343.40

ASSETS

Cash Balance on Hand May 1, 1918, Mechanics' American National Bank	\$ 1,343.40
Due from Parishes and Missions	1,300.11
	<u>\$ 2,643.51</u>

LIABILITIES

Rt. Rev. D. S. Tuttle, Salary Quarter Ending May 31.....	\$ 1,050.00	
Rt. Rev. D. S. Tuttle, Trav. Exp. Quarter Ending May 31	50.00	
Rt. Rev. F. F. Johnson, Salary Quarter Ending June 30....	900.00	
Rt. Rev. F. F. Johnson, Trav. Exp. Quarter End. June 30	85.00	
Hannibal Convocation, Unpaid Apportionment	75.00	
Demand Loan Theological Education Fund	1,500.00	\$3,660.00

Due From Parishes and Missions—

	May 1, 1918.	Paid Since May 1
Afton, Christ Church.....	\$ 5.00	\$ 5.00
De Soto, Trinity, 1916-17.....	20.00	
Ferguson, St. Stephen's.....	120.00	44.50
Moberly, Christ	26.86	3.90
Monroe, St. Jude's, 1916-17.....	35.00	35.00
St. Charles, Trinity	30.00	
St. Louis, Good Shepherd	15.00	
St. Louis, Holy Communion	275.00	275.00
St. Louis, Holy Innocents	40.00	
St. Louis, Redeemer	112.50	112.50
St. Louis, St. Andrew's	20.00	
St. Louis, St. Paul's	40.00	40.00
St. Louis, St. Philip's	75.00	75.00
St. Louis, Trinity	69.50	69.50

Missions—

Crystal City, Grace	8.00	
Fulton, Trinity	3.00	
Jackson, Redeemer	2.50	2.50
Rolla, Christ, 1916-17	82.75	30.00
Rolla, Christ, 1917-18	75.00	
Salem, Trinity, 1912 to 1918.....	42.00	
Shelbina, Emmanuel, 1915 to 1918.....	15.00	10.00
Sherman, Holy Cross, 1916 to 1918.....	8.50	
St. James, Trinity	5.00	5.00
Sullivan, St. John's	19.50	2.50
St. Louis, St. Matthew's	5.00	5.00
St. Louis, St. Mary's	100.00	
St. Louis, St. Timothy's	50.00	50.00
	\$1,300.11	\$ 765.40

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES M. BULL, TREASURER.

12,402.53

1343.40

1,343.40

1,300.11

2,643.51

APPENDIX No. 9.

Theological Education Fund.

JAMES M. BULL, TREASURER.

RECEIPTS

May 1, 1917, Balance on Hand	\$ 263.45
July 1, 1917, Interest \$1,500.00 Demand Loan General Fund, 1 Year, 6 Per Cent	90.00

Parishes and Missions—

May 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918

Afton, Christ Church	\$ 2.50	
Clayton, St. Michael's and All Angels'	18.00	
Hannibal, Trinity	2.30	
Kirksville, Trinity	5.00	
Kirkwood, Grace	33.70	
Macon, St. James	4.67	
Poplar Bluff, Holy Cross	1.50	
Rolla, Christ	9.31	
Webster Groves, Emmanuel	7.91	
St. Louis, All Saints	5.00	
St. Louis, Ascension	12.25	
St. Louis, Christ Church Cathedral	62.46	
St. Louis, Good Shepherd	1.10	
St. Louis, Holy Communion	8.44	
St. Louis, Holy Communion, Special	25.00	
St. Louis, Grace Holy Cross	2.10	
St. Louis, Mt. Calvary	2.35	
St. Louis, St. George's Chapel	55.70	
St. Louis, St. Matthew's	5.00	
St. Louis, St. John's	9.43	
St. Louis, St. Thomas'	2.00	
St. Louis, St. Stephen's	10.00	
St. Louis, Trinity	6.17	
St. Louis, Prince of Peace	1.50	\$293.39
Total Receipts		\$646.84

EXPENDITURES

1917			
June 9	Bishop Tuttle's Draft:		
	Account Howard D. White.....	\$60.00	
	Account Gerald H. Persem	60.00	\$120.00
1918			
Jan. 26	Bishop Tuttle's Draft:		
	Account Howard D. White.....	\$60.00	
	Account Benj. Horton	60.00	120.00
			\$240.00
	Balance on hand May 1, 1918		\$406.84

CONDITION OF FUND MAY 1, 1918

Cash on Hand, Mechanics' American National Bank.....	\$ 406.84
Note, General Fund	1,500.00
	<u>\$1,906.84</u>

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES M. BULL, TREASURER.

APPENDIX No. 10.

Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.

JAMES M. BULL, TREASURER.

May 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918

RECEIPTS

1917			
May 1	Balance on Hand		\$1,436.75
	<i>Interest—</i>		
May 1	Two coupons Laclede Gas Light Co., 5 per cent bonds, due April 1	\$ 50.00	
	Five coupons Laclede Gas Light Co., 5 per cent bonds, due —	62.50	
	One coupon New Madrid Co. Drainage 6 per cent bond, due April 1	30.00	
June 9	Delia C. Hatch Loan, \$1,800.00, 6 per cent, 6 months	54.00	
July 3	Two coupons Kansas City Home Tel. Co., 5 per cent bonds	25.00	
July 9	Lloyd, England, Loan, \$3,500, 6 per cent, 6 mos.	105.00	
Aug. 1	Five coupons Laclede Gas Light Co., 5 per cent bonds	62.50	
Sept. 10	Certificate Deposit Mechanics' American Nat'l Bank, \$500.00, 3-20 to 9-10	7.15	
Oct. 1	Two coupons Laclede Gas Light Co., 5 per cent bonds	50.00	
	One coupon New Madrid Co. Drainage 6 per cent bond	30.00	
	E. A. Manny Loan, \$5,000.00, 6 per cent, 6 mos.	150.00	
Nov. 1	Five coupons Laclede Gas Light Co., 5 per cent bonds	62.50	
	One coupon United Kingdom Gt. B & Ireland, 5½ per cent bond	27.50	
Dec. 15	Delia C. Hatch Loan, \$1,800.00, 6 per cent, 6 mos.	54.00	
Dec. 20	Lloyd, England, Loan, \$3,500.00, 6 per cent, one year to 7-7-1918	210.00	
1918			
Jan. 5	Two coupons Kansas City Home Tel. Co., 5 per cent bonds	25.00	
Feb. 1	Five coupons Laclede Gas Light Co., 5 per cent bonds	62.50	
April 4	E. A. Manny Loan, \$500.00, 6 per cent, 6 mos....	150.00	
			\$1,217.65
	<i>Parishes and Missions—</i>		
	Afton, Christ Church	\$ 2.50	
	Clayton, St. Michael's and All Angels'	33.90	
	Kirkwood, Grace	40.37	
	Cape Girardeau, Christ	4.70	
	Macon, St. James	3.00	
	Poplar Bluff, Holy Cross	2.50	
	Kirkville, Trinity	5.00	
	St. Louis, St. Matthew's	5.00	

St. Louis, Ascension	76.00	
St. Louis, St. Thomas	1.93	
St. Louis, Mt. Calvary	3.80	
St. Louis, St. John's	7.07	
St. Louis, St. Augustine's	5.00	
St. Louis, Christ Church Cathedral	116.17	
St. Louis, Grace Holy Cross	19.42	
St. Louis, St. George's Chapel	50.00	
St. Louis, Church of Holy Communion	8.34	384.70

BILLS RECEIVABLE

Certificate Deposit, Mechanics' American National Bank.....	\$ 500.00
Mrs. Geo. H. Hunt, Loan	290.00
Total Receipts	\$3,829.10

DISBURSEMENTS

Stipends:

Rev. R. E. Reed	\$300.00	
Mrs. Chas. F. Collins, to April 1 (deceased).....	183.32	
Mrs. Russell Todd	200.00	
Mrs. Geo. H. Hunt	148.09	
Rev. F. N. Chapman, to Jan. 1 (deceased).....	133.32	
Mrs. L. A. Davis	100.00	
Mrs. M. C. Whitten.....	100.00	
Mrs. K. M. Deane	200.00	
Rev. R. L. Knox	100.00	
Mr. Robt. Holland	150.00	
Mrs. G. D. B. Miller	225.00	
Miss Winifred C. Mason	150.00	
Special Grant—Mrs. Geo. H. Hunt	290.00	
Rent Safe Deposit Box Miss. Valley T. Co.....	5.00	
One United Kingdom Great Britain and Ireland 5½ per cent bond	\$952.50	
Accumulated interest	15.13	967.63
		\$3,252.36
Balance on hand May 1, 1918		\$ 576.74

ASSETS

Real Estate Loan:

Delia C. Hatch.....	\$ 1,800.00
E. A. Manny	5,000.00
Lloyd England	3,500.00
Seven bonds Laclede Gas Light Co., 5 per cent par value.....	7,000.00
Two Kansas City Home Tel. Co. bonds, 5 per cent par value.....	1,000.00
One bond New Madrid Co. Drainage, 6 per cent par value	1,000.00
One bond United Kingdom Great Britain and Ireland, 5½ per cent par value	1,000.00
Cash Balance, Mechanics' American National Bank May 1st.....	576.74
	\$20,876.74

Respectfully submitted,
JAMES M. BULL, TREASURER.

APPENDIX No. 11.

Trust Funds and Their Securities Held by Bishop Tuttle.

The Gill Legacy:

Certificate of Deposit, Mississippi Valley Trust Co.\$1,198.83

Fund for All Saints', St. Louis:

Three bonds, E. St. Louis & Suburban Ry. Co..... 3,000.00

Two bonds (\$1,000 and \$500), Home Tel. Co. of Kansas City..... 1,500.00

The O'Dell Legacy:

Three bonds, E. St. Louis & Suburban Ry. Co..... 3,000.00

The Bishop Tuttle Trust Fund:

Five bonds, Chicago Ry. Co. 5,000.00

The De Vinney Legacy:

Five bonds, Pittsburgh & Joplin Ry. Co..... 5,000.00

Certificate of deposit, Mercantile Trust Co. 709.11

DAN'L S. TUTTLE,

St. Louis, Mo., May 6, 1918.

Bishop of Missouri.

Examined and found as above stated.

C. C. CURTICE.

APPENDIX No. 12.

Report of Committee on the State of the Sunday School.

This committee finds that the report of the President of the Diocesan Board of Religious Education practically covers the same ground as do the suggestions this Committee wishes to make, and therefore it has merged its report in that of the President of the Diocesan Board.

A. G. VAN ELDEN, Chairman.

J. J. CLOPTON.

F. M. WEDDELL.

APPENDIX No. 13.

Report of the Diocesan Board of Religious Education.

The Diocesan Board held its first meeting for organization on October 19, 1917, and began immediately the formulation of a program for the ensuing year. The plan adopted contemplated equipping teams of the Board or their representatives to visit every parish or mission in the Diocese for the purpose of giving information about and arousing interest in the vital subject of religious education.

The following is a letter which was sent to every clergyman in the Diocese:

"At a recent meeting of the Diocesan Board of the Diocese of Missouri it was considered advisable to begin a campaign throughout the Diocese for the purpose of giving information about and arousing deeper interest in the vital subject of Religious Education.

"As a step in this direction the Board proposes to send teams of speakers specially prepared for their task to the various parishes and missions of the Diocese, to address specially organized meetings. It is our purpose to pay the railroad expenses of these speakers. They will be prepared to give suggestions upon (a) Methods of teacher training; (b) Church School Curriculum; (c) Parental co-operation; (d) Religious culture in the home; parental co-operation; (e) the new plan of Junior Auxiliary work; (f) the church school and the country's need. They will gather information and statistics for the Board, so that it can be brought in touch with the conditions in each parish and more intelligently discharge the responsibilities laid upon it by the Convention.

"The people whom it is most desired to reach are (a) Officers and teachers of the Church School; (b) parents of scholars; (c) members of vestries and committees. The Board will furnish you with advertising matter, and co-operate with you in making a feature of the meeting.

"We are all especially busy just now with patriotic responsibilities; but the Church cannot halt in her forward movements. Religious Education and Patriotism go hand in hand; they are so bound together that they constitute one interest. Service to God and country is best expressed by centralizing upon the children. The children must have our first consideration.

"The purpose of this letter is to ask your co-operation in this plan as the first move on the program mapped out for this season. May we have it? For your convenience in replying an addressed postal card is enclosed herewith. Immediately upon its receipt we will take up the matter of speakers and date with you."

The response was disappointing. Of the thirty or more letters sent out, only six of the clergy responded, and it was considered by the Board that there was not a general enough demand to justify it in carrying out the program, although three conferences were held.

The statement just made does not carry with it any criticism of the clergy, although we do wish that they had used that postal card to avoid the waste

of good postage. The fault, if fault there be, probably lies in the fact that the Board itself did not realize that any general movement predicated upon the co-operation of a large number of people must be anticipated by a campaign of education to prepare the way for a general response. If that be the case, the Board now wishes to make an early beginning by advertising the result of many meetings and much earnest deliberation, in the program it has prepared for the ensuing year.

First, the Board wishes to co-operate closely with the Social Service Commission, the Missionary Board, the Woman's Auxiliary and the Junior Auxiliary, in furthering their several aims, insofar as they relate to Education. There seems to be the necessity, however, of asking for instructions as to the field in which the Board ought to operate. Ought the educational features of Social Service and Missions to be within the purview of the Board of Religious Education? Would it not prevent duplication, confusion and lack of function if it were stipulated that education in Religion, Missions and Social Service were delegated to the Board of Religious Education, and the administrative and executive part of these interests left to their respective Boards? Surely Religious Education embraces more than the Catechism. It embraces the whole round of those interests that lie at the root of Christian life and conduct, and the propagation of the gospel of Peace. The Board is not looking for more work. It is looking for a definition of duties. If its activities are to be confined to the Church School and kindred interests, the matter needs to be stated. But there also needs to be stated where the one ends and the other begins. Where, for instance, does the Church School leave off, and Social Service or Missions begin? What is the distinction between Missions and Social Service? Or are we to weave both these interests into co-ordination with Religious Education as commonly understood? Are they a part of Religious Education? If so, the Diocesan Board of Religious Education has jurisdiction, and educational activities ought to emanate from the Board or its delegates. The Board therefore respectfully requests that a commission be appointed by this Convention to take up the whole subject and define the question of jurisdiction, so that the Board will know within what limits to act.

Looking ahead, it is our intention to have representatives of the Board visit every parish and mission in the Diocese where their help is desired. They will be prepared to install the Christian Nurture Series of Church School Instruction, give suggestions on organization and equipment, with special attention to the needs of the small school; assist in the organization of teacher training classes, explain the co-ordination of the Junior Auxiliary with the Church School and present the educational program of the Church to parents and workers.

The Board recognizes the vital importance of the small school and the disadvantage against which it so valiantly labors. In the Diocese of Missouri 31 out of the 47 schools have less than 100 pupils enrolled. Each one of these represents a strategic center around which clusters the hope of a virile and aggressive Church work in the future. It is idle to expect much of any of the Church's outposts in which the child life is not being constructively developed. On the other hand, it is self evident that a strong work will grow out of a Church organization in which the children are being adequately nurtured in the Christian life. The Board feels that the small Church school should not have occasion to complain of being overlooked in the educational movements of the Diocese.

2. To avoid confusion of names the Board has voted to change the name of the Church School of Religious Instruction, which has been operating in St. Louis for a number of years, to the Church Institute, and it will hereafter be referred to by that name.

This Institute has been doing a splendid work in St. Louis under charter of the Diocesan Board, but the time has come when its work must be broadened, and its aims made more specific. It has been decided to abandon the course of instruction upon general subjects, and substitute therefor a normal course of instruction in the Christian Nurture Series. Under this plan every teacher will receive instruction in the use of the material of the course he is to teach in his school. Thus, all teachers of Course No. 1 will meet in class on Institute night for instruction in the practical presentation of the lessons of that course to their pupils, and so on through the fourteen courses of the series. This means fourteen classes of teachers meeting simultaneously during the ten weeks of the term. The Institute will meet on Thursdays, and the dates set are October 3 to December 12. The Institute will be held in St. George's Chapel and Parish House.

The program of the Institute is also to include the clergy as pupils. The Bishop of the Diocese has consented to give a series of five instructions to his clergy, one each fortnight during the term, upon practical themes connected with ministerial work. At a recent meeting of the clericus it was unanimously voted to request that as a part of the Institute. It is hoped that arrangements can be made by which every Priest in the Diocese can attend these instructions.

In this connection I am thinking with what sense of privilege the clergy of the Diocese of California or the Diocese of Maine would hail the opportunity of receiving five instructions from the Presiding Bishop of the Church. Surely we of his own Diocese will eagerly anticipate our privilege and take advantage of the opportunity of gathering around our Right Reverend Father in God to receive the product of his ripe wisdom and the experience of his fifty years as a Bishop in the Church of God.

The program of the Institute has also been broadened to include Vestrymen. The plan is already under way to secure the services of a distinguished layman from a distance to hold five conferences with Vestrymen upon subjects pertaining to their duties, responsibilities and privileges. It has been said that Vestries—how truly I leave others to judge—that Vestries are the greatest and least developed force in the Church. If that be even approximately true, it is merely because of a lack of information on the part of vestrymen, and not because of their willingness or desire. But a Board of Religious Education would be culpably remiss in its duty if it did not provide an opportunity for developing that force that it might jerk the Church out of her ruts and impel her onward in splendid progress. Credit men have their associations that they may more wisely and fairly administer the principle of credits. Advertising men have leagues that they may bring corporate skill and wisdom to give stature to the individual. Traffic men have their organizations that they may crystalize brains and experience in the complicated problem of transportation. There are Teachers' Associations, and Law Associations, and Bankers' Associations, and Medical Societies. Every highly specialized branch of profession, science, art and industry has its appropriate organization, that it may profit by interchange of opinion, theory and experience. It is expedient that that highly specialized branch of Church life that inheres to the office of vestrymen be aroused to the necessity of a get-together propaganda to make the Vestry the scintillating, dynamic, directive, progressive, supportive, intelligent, constructive, conserving and victorious force it potentially is, and constructively can be, in the service of the Prince of Peace. To this end the Diocesan Board invites the devoted laymen of the Diocese serving on Vestries and Mission Committees to a series of five fortnightly conferences in connection with the Church Institute. Who knows but that an association of Vestrymen may eventuate that will bring to the Church the same benefits for her gracious ministry that inhere to associations of secular life?

Here is a program for the Church Institute that includes the teachers of the Church Schools, the Clergy, and the Vestrymen, all in their respective fields of service. May we hope that all the Institute will register a red letter year in the cause of Religious Education.

3. The Diocese needs an Educational Director. The Diocesan Board can do a good deal in the plan proposed of visiting parishes and missions. But we must have our eyes on larger things. An Educational Director would circulate among the schools of the Diocese constantly. If the premise be true that the Church School is an index of the Church of the future, nothing can transcend in importance the cultivation of the Church School to its highest efficiency. Before we go further in burdening the Diocese with expenses for things that are praiseworthy and important—and they grow larger every year without a corresponding increase in resources—we must take into consideration the care of that which is all-important, and without which we cannot have any lien upon the future whatever. The value of having a competent man or woman visiting about the Diocese, staying a week or two in a parish if need be, straightening out the kinks, introducing effective methods of instruction and efficiency in administration cannot be overestimated. This may not be a propitious time for as great an advance as this enterprise connotes, but we ought to have our eyes upon it and make it a factor in our calculations of the ability of the Diocese to raise and spend money.

4. Two things of a financial nature must be included in this report of the Board. The first has to do with the General Board created by the General Convention. The great advance in Religious Education in the Church owes its inception and nurture to the General Board. It is the mainspring that keeps the works moving all over the Church. It is to Religious Education what the Board of Missions is to Missions and it has to be supported. This Diocese has in past years appropriated \$308 as its apportionment to the Board. Be it said to the credit of Missouri that it has never defaulted in the payment of this apportionment. It is not a large sum, but, small as it is, it is vitally necessary to the Board, whose income is extremely limited. The Diocesan Board earnestly recommends that this amount be appropriated by this Convention for the ensuing year.

The General Board has a great and growing work. The demands made upon it are such as cannot be provided for by these meagre apportionments. It has been compelled, to prevent taking a backward step, to do as the Board of Missions has had to do more than once, make a special appeal for gifts to enable it to keep pace with its responsibilities. It is now making an appeal to the whole Church for \$45,000, imperatively needed to keep its work going. It is not a large enough sum to permit the organization of a campaign like that of the Pension Fund. It must be raised by spontaneous and voluntary gifts from those who value what the General Board has done and is doing for the future life of the Church. The Diocesan Board earnestly recommends that every Parish and Mission in the Diocese treat this as an individual responsibility and secure gifts and pledges to insure Missouri's fair share of this amount.

The second financial matter to be mentioned is that the Diocesan Board needs an appropriation to enable it to carry out the program outlined above for the ensuing year. To pay for printing and postage, traveling expenses, and the expenses of conferences and exhibits the sum of \$250 is needed. The Board asks that this amount be set aside for its use during the present year.

Respectfully submitted,

B. T. KEMERER, Chairman.

REPORT OF TREASURER.

RECEIPTS

Nov. 6, 1917—One-half St. George's apportionment	\$20.00
Nov. 21, 1917—St. Phillip's Apportionment in full.....	24.00
Total	<u>\$44.00</u>

DISBURSEMENTS

Nov. 6, 1917—Check No. 1, to Rev. B. T. Kemerer, for 200 2c stamped envelopes as per bill rendered dated Nov. 5, 1917.....	\$ 4.28
Nov. 6, 1917—Check No. 2, to Gertrude A. Heymann, for 34 postals and stenographic work as per bill rendered dated Oct. 30, 1917.....	3.99
Nov. 8, 1917—Check No. 3, to the Freegard Press, for 100 copies of leaflet as per bill rendered, dated Nov. 2, 1917.....	5.50
Nov. 8, 1917—Check No. 4, to the Freegard Press for 250 letterheads and envelopes, as per bill rendered dated Oct. 25, 1917.....	5.10
May 27, 1918—Check No. 5, to Rev. B. T. Kemerer, Chairman, to cover balance on hand	<u>25.13</u>
Total	<u>\$44.00</u>

Check Book, Receipted Bills and all papers attached.

Respectfully submitted,
H. D. CONDIE, Treasurer.

APPENDIX No. 14.

Report of Finance Committee.

St. Louis, Mo., May 27th, 1918.

Your Committee on Finance examined the accounts of the Treasurer, of the different funds, and found them correct as reported to you. The summary of these reports is printed and is before you.

The Bishop of the Diocese has exhibited to us the securities of the Trust Funds in his hands, a list of which has been read into the Journal.

The Finance Committee are glad to report that they came through with a surplus, but had hard sledding at times.

Your Committee finds that we will require about \$11,700.00 to meet the expenditures for the ensuing year, the principal items of which are:

Bishop's salary	\$4,200.00
Bishop's traveling expenses	205.00
Bishop Coadjutor's salary	3,600.00
Bishop Coadjutor's traveling expenses	625.00
Secretary of the Diocese	<u>200.00</u>

Printing of the Journal	\$ 600.00
Amount due General Convention	162.00
Religious Education	308.00
University of the South	300.00
Bishop's Pension	567.50
Coadjutor's Pension	270.00
Traveling expenses Convention Delegates	75.00
Joint Committee on Social Service	133.62
Northern and Southern Convocations (\$150.00 each)	300.00
Province of the Southwest	144.00
Church News	300.00
	<u>\$11,990.12</u>

We offer the following resolution:

Resolved: That the Committee on Assessments be directed to make equitable assessments on the several parishes and missions of the Diocese for \$11,700.00.

C. C. CURTICE.
WALKER HILL.

APPENDIX No. 15.

Report of Treasurer of Laymen's Co-Operating Missionary Society.

E. H. Lycett, Treasurer, in account with the Laymen's Co-operating Missionary Society—Gill Legacy.

1917.

May 1 To balance Convention report\$ 402.24

1918.

May 1 To interest on deposits, loans, etc. 156.18
To Small Loans repaid 600.00 \$1,158.42

1918.

May 1 By interest paid Missionary Board\$ 100.00
By balance in hands of Treasurer 1,058.42 \$1,158.42

TOTAL FUND.

Loans\$2,200.00
Cash 1,058.42
\$3,258.42

E. H. LYCETT, Treasurer.

APPENDIX No. 16.

Treasurer's Report, St. Stephen's Mission.

E. H. Lycett, Treas., in account with St. Stephen's Memorial Mission House.

CURRENT EXPENSES.

1917					
June 18	To Woman's	Auxiliary	.....	\$150.00	
Oct. 6	"	"	.....	100.00	
Nov. 2	"	"	.....	50.00	
Nov. 16	"	"	.....	50.00	
Dec. 14	"	"	.....	150.00	
1918					
Feb. 6	"	"	.....	200.00	
Feb. 21	"	"	.....	100.00	
Apr. 10	"	"	.....	200.00	
May 4	"	"	.....	100.00	
May 16	"	"	.....	100.00	\$1,200.00
1917					
July 2	By June expenses	.....	\$100.00		
Aug. 1	July expenses	.....	100.00		
Sept. 1	August expenses	.....	100.00		
Dec. 1	Account September expenses	.....	50.00		
Dec. 14	Balance September and October	.....	150.00		
1918					
Feb. 6	November and December	.....	200.00		
Mar. 1	January	.....	100.00		
Apr. 10	February and March	.....	200.00		
May 4	April	.....	100.00		
May 25	May	.....	100.00	\$1,200.00	

E. H. LYCETT, *Treasurer.*

APPENDIX No. 17.

Report of Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board.

E. H. Lycett, Treasurer, in account with Diocesan Missionary Board.

1917					
May 23	To balance at last Convention	.....	\$ 2,709.80		
	Convention Offertory	.....	\$ 22.20		
1917-1918					
	Receipts from Parishes and Missions:				
	Afton	.....		
	Afton, account previous year	.....		
	Cape Girardeau	.....	50.00		
	Cape Girardeau, account previous year	.....	3.98	53.98	

SEVENTY-NINTH CONVENTION.

85

Clarksville	20.00	
Clayton	270.00	
Columbia	120.00	
De Soto		
Ferguson		
Ferguson, account previous year	\$110.35	110.35
Hannibal	\$100.00	
Hannibal, account previous year	60.00	160.00
Jefferson City		25.00
Kirkwood	\$760.00	
Kirkwood, Gill Legacy	100.00	860.00
Louisiana		40.00
Macon		230.00
Mexico		25.00
Moberly		12.74
Monroe	\$ 40.00	
Monroe, account previous year	10.00	50.00
Old Orchard		815.00
Palmyra		60.00
Prairieville		60.00
St. Charles		
St. Louis:		
All Saints'		100.00
Ascension	\$1,150.00	
Ascension, account previous year	240.00	1,390.00
Cathedral		1,890.03
St. George's, account previous year....		200.00
Good Shepherd		
Good Shepherd, account previous year		
Holy Communion		720.00
Holy Innocents		
Mt. Calvary	\$ 90.00	
Mt. Calvary, account previous year....	150.00	240.00
Redeemer		590.00
St. Andrew's, account previous year....		31.55
St. John's		330.00
St. Paul's	\$ 15.00	
St. Paul's, account previous year	29.60	44.60
St. Peter's		2,280.00
St. Philip's		300.00
Trinity		105.00
Missions:		
Bonne Terre	\$ 5.00	
Canton	5.00	
Charleston	6.35	
Crystal City		
Cuba	5.00	
Fredericktown		
Fredericktown, account previous year		13.50

Fulton			
Fulton, account previous year		10.25	
Ironton		5.00	
Jackson		5.00	
Kirksville		25.00	
Overland Park		5.00	
Poplar Bluff		25.00	
Portland			
Portland, account previous year		1.00	
Rolla		40.00	
Salem, account previous year		1.00	
Shelbina			
Sherman, account previous year		2.00	
St. James		5.00	
Sullivan	\$	1.00	
Sullivan, account previous year		4.00	5.00
<hr/>			
Thayer			10.00
University City, account previous year			
Valley Park			5.00
St. Louis:			
Epiphany			45.00
Grace Holy Cross			
Prince of Peace		5.00	
St. Alban's		25.00	
St. Augustine's		75.00	
St. Luke's		5.00	
St. Matthew's		5.00	
St. Mary's		70.00	
St. Stephen's		100.00	
St. Thomas'		40.00	
St. Timothy's		30.00	
Personal:			
Bishop's Purse		500.00	
Woman's Auxiliary		250.00	
Interest on investments and deposits.....		64.99	\$12,399.54
			<hr/>
			\$15,109.34

By Stipends, etc., paid as follows:

Rev. D. Atwill	\$	133.33
Rev. Geo. L. Barnes		150.00
Rev. J. K. Brannon		150.00
Rev. J. J. Clopton		162.54
Rev. J. H. Cloud		250.00
Rev. John Davis		125.00
Rev. W. L. Essex.....		150.00
Rev. J. W. Higson		200.00
Rev. R. A. Hatch		37.50
Rev. H. L. Hoover		87.50
Rev. O. Lindstrom		300.00
Rev. Geo. Lloyd		50.00
Rev. V. O. Penley		320.00
Rev. B. E. Reed		1.95
Rev. H. N. Tragitt		250.00
Rev. H. N. Tragitt, Jr.		266.67
Rev. G. E. Wharton		300.00

Rev. L. H. White	300.00	
Rev. A. E. Woodward	291.66	
Rev. J. H. Lever	2,900.00	
Rev. H. W. Mizner	1,250.00	
Rev. R. DeL. Putney	800.00	
Rev. F. M. Weddell	900.00	
Sister Miriam	300.00	
Miss E. M. Brainerd	600.00	
Miss Cora Hofman	300.00	
Mrs. M. A. Holmes	300.00	
Church Pension Fund	630.88	
Postage and other expenses	32.29	\$11,539.32
Balance in hands of Treasurer		\$ 3,570.02

UNPAID APPORTIONMENTS

Afton	\$ 5.00	
Clayton	270.00	
De Soto	10.00	
Ferguson	65.00	
Hannibal	60.00	
Moberly	12.26	
St. Charles'	25.00	
St. Louis, St. George's	865.00	
St. Louis, Good Shepherd	30.00	
St. Louis, Holy Innocents'	60.00	
St. Louis, St. Andrew's	15.00	
St. Louis, Grace Holy Cross	100.00	
Crystal City	15.00	
Fredericktown	7.75	
Fulton	5.00	
Portland	7.75	
Salem	9.00	
Shelbina	23.00	
Sherman	6.00	
Sullivan	5.00	\$1,595.76

E. H. LYCETT, *Treasurer.*

APPENDIX No. 18.

Report of Secretary of the Diocesan Missionary Board.

MAY 1st, 1918.

The Board organized on June 1st, 1917, by electing Mr Thos. Q. Dix temporary Secretary, and Mr. E. H. Lycett, Treasurer, for the ensuing year. Mr. Dix was at a later meeting elected permanent Secretary.

The Board appointed as its Finance Committee: Rev. B. T. Kemerer, Mr. Frank C. Thompson, Mr. Geo. A. Randolph.

The following appointments of Missionaries to receive stipends from the Board have been made by the Bishop and the Bishop Coadjutor, and the amount appropriated to each is set opposite their respective names. The stipends commenced September 1, 1917, except where a different date is given.

Rev. George L. Barnes.....	Grace, Jefferson City	\$ 150.00
Rev. James K. Brennan	Calvary, Louisiana	150.00
Rev. J. J. Clopton	Christ, Cape Girardeau, etc.....	50.00
Rev. James H. Cloud, D.D.....	St. Thomas', St. Louis	250.00
Rev. John Davis, D.D.....	St. John's, Prairieville	125.00
Rev. W. L. Essex, for parish visitor at	St. Andrew's, St. Louis	300.00
Rev. Richard A. Hatch.....	Trinity, St. Charles	150.00
Rev. J. W. Higson	Holy Innocents', St. Louis	200.00
Rev. H. L. Hoover	St. Jude's, Monroe	300.00
Rev. J. H. Lever	Hospital Mission, St. Louis	2,900.00
Rev. Oscar Lindstrom	St. Timothy's, St. Louis, etc.....	300.00
Rev. George Lloyd	St. Paul's, St. Louis	100.00
Rev. Hy. W. Mizner	St. Stephen's, St. Louis	1,250.00
Rev. V. O. Penley	Trinity, De Soto, etc.....	320.00
Rev. H. DeL. Putney	Trinity, Kirksville	800.00
Rev. B. E. Reed	St. Matthew's, St. Louis	100.00
Rev. H. N. Tragitt	Christ, Rolla, etc.	250.00
Rev. F. M. Weddell.....	St. Luke's, Jennings, etc.....	900.00
Rev. George E. Wharton	St. Paul's, Mexico, etc.	300.00
Rev. L. H. White	St. Mary's, St. Louis	300.00
Rev. A. E. Woodward	Holy Cross, Poplar Bluff, etc.....	350.00
Deaconess Brainerd .....	.....	600.00
Mrs. C. U. Holmes .....	.....	300.00
Miss Cora Hofman .....	.....	300.00
Sister Miriam .....	.....	300.00
		<hr/>
		\$11,045.00

Probabilities:

St. Augustine's, St. Louis	\$350.00	
Trinity, St. James', etc.	450.00	
Bonne Terre, etc.	400.00	1,200.00
		<hr/>
		\$12,245.00

RESIGNATIONS DURING THE YEAR.

Rev. Richard A. Hatch, Trinity, St. Charles	August 1, 1917
Rev. B. E. Reed, St. Matthew's, St. Louis	June 7, 1917
Rev. George Lloyd, St. Paul's, St. Louis	November 15, 1917
Rev. H. L. Hoover, St. Jude's, Monroe	October 1917
Mrs. Wishart, Parish Visitor at St. Andrew's, St. Louis.....	December 1, 1917
(Paid through Rev. W. L. Essex.)	
Rev. A. E. Woodward, Poplar Bluff, Doniphan, Thayer, Bonne Terre	April 1, 1917

NEW APPOINTMENTS MADE DURING THE YEAR.

Stipends Paid by Board.

Oct. 1, 1917—Rev. H. N. Tragitt, Jr., Crystal City and Herculaneum.....	\$400.00
Feb. 1, 1918—Rev. Douglas Atwill, St. Augustine's, St. Louis.....	400.00

VACANCIES MAY 1, 1918.

Aftton	St. Charles
Palmyra	St. Paul's, St. Louis
Monroe	

The Monroe-Canton-Shelbina group since November 1, 1917.

The Poplar Bluff-Doniphan-Thayer-Bonne Terre-Bloomfield group since Easter, 1918.

Mr. Francis J. McMaster, who had been Secretary of this Board continuously for thirty-four years, resigned on account of ill health at the last Diocesan Convention. Mr. McMaster died September 29, 1917, and the following memorial to him was prepared by direction of the Board and spread upon the minutes. A copy also being sent to his brother:

RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF MISSIONS.

On Saturday, the 29th of September, 1917, Mr. Francis James McMaster, for many years the Secretary and a member of the Board, passed to his rest and his reward in the 65th year of his age, leaving bereaved by his death his friends, his Diocese and the whole of our American Church, in which he had been well known for many years as a prominent and useful member of the General Convention. In the Diocese of Missouri he has been known and loved since 1875, when he came to Missouri a young man twenty-two years of age. At the very beginning of his residence in St. Louis he threw himself into the work of Christ Church, and in 1899 became a member of the Cathedral Chapter. In the Diocesan Convention his earnestness and ability were soon recognized, and in 1899 he was elected Chancellor. In the performance of his duties as Chancellor he has always stood ready to give to his Bishop and to the Diocese the counsel and advice of one deeply versed in ecclesiastical traditions and intimately familiar with the canons of the Church. Every problem presented to him was considered with the utmost care, and when difficult and delicate questions arose, his decisions were the result of remarkable legal sagacity and of industrious search into the facts and the laws of each case.

He was one of the earliest members of the Missionary Host, and for many years he considered it a high honor to act as usher at its gatherings, and at the time of his death was its President.

In 1881, when he was twenty-eight years old and had been in the Diocese six years, he was elected Secretary of the Missionary Board, and for thirty-six years he never failed in the performance of the duties connected with that office. His record of the minutes and of the official business of the Board has always been a model of accuracy and of neatness. He was wonderfully prompt and careful in drawing the warrants for the payment of the Missionary stipends and extremely watchful in looking out for the interests of the Board. On the Wednesday afternoons of the Diocesan Convention, as Secretary of the Board, he guided with consummate ability the reports of missionary work and the discussion of missionary questions.

He was a staunch conservative believer in the doctrines of the Church, whose services he deeply loved, and whose work was his highest joy. In character he was a rare combination of gentleness and firmness, of thoroughness and alertness.

While sorrowing that here on earth we shall see his face no more, we rejoice in the belief that he is at rest in the home of the blest, and "we thank God upon every remembrance of him."

Resolved: That this memorial be spread upon the minutes of the Board, that it be published in the Church News, and that a copy be sent to Mr. McMaster's brother, Mr. E. McMaster, Pocomoke, Md.

(SIGNED)

DANIEL S. TUTTLE,

President of the Board.

ATTEST:

THOMAS Q. DIX, *Secretary.*

The Board will need the sum of \$12,745.00 for the purpose of maintaining the Missionary work in the Diocese as the work is now being done, and also \$750.00 to pay the premiums to the Church Pension Fund on stipends to be paid to Missionaries.

Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS Q. DIX, *Secretary.*

APPENDIX No. 19.

St. Stephen's House Financial Report.

FINANCIAL REPORT

1917-1918

St. Stephen's Stipend Fund	\$ 400.00	
Fuel, light, water, janitor service	1,277.66	
Organ and music	319.56	
Repairs	301.50	
Sunday School expense	69.72	
Sewing School	110.71	
General relief	83.12	
Relief—Bethesda patient	132.00	
Payment of loan	700.00	
Pension Fund premium	61.68	
Assessments	199.00	
General Missions:		
Mite Boxes	157.36	
Gifts through St. Stephen's	200.00	
One-day income plan	110.00	
Missionary Host	73.50	
Bishop Coadjutor's Purse	16.22	
Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association	14.05	
War Relief	56.91	
Woman's Auxiliary	72.00	
Church News	10.00	
Sister Helena's Memorial Fund	94.00	
Miss Zimmer's Class	5.40	
Spartan Athletic Club	73.75	
Mothers' Club	169.98	
Girls' Friendly Society	119.71	
Balance on hand May 1, 1918	111.00	\$5,924.85

DR.

Balance on hand May 1, 1917	\$ 158.45	
St. Stephen's Branch Woman's Auxiliary	72.00	
Sunday School offerings	208.79	
Various organizations	751.43	
Communion alms	880.89	
Envelope System	855.45	
Fuel Fund (through Miss Skinker)	100.00	
Gifts	672.84	
Barnard Legacy	1,000.00	
O'Dell	25.00	
Missouri Branch Woman's Auxiliary	1,200.00	\$5,924.85

St. Stephen's-in-the-Mills.

FINANCIAL REPORT

1917-1918

CR.

Wages of farmer and extra help.....	\$ 496.00	
Feed of Cattle	239.63	
Railroad Fare	133.32	
Food	609.14	
Service	121.50	
Gen. Expense, including repairs and improvements.....	243.78	
Insurance	73.90	
Taxes	24.76	
Flag Pole	78.75	
Wagon	95.00	
Ford Car with alterations and upkeep.....	660.21	
Balance in bank for other buildings.....	733.97	
Balance	261.87	\$3,771.83

DR.

Balance April 30th, 1917.....	\$2,733.97	
Gifts	254.76	
Gift, Church Woman's Club.....	483.10	
Interest on Endowment.....	300.00	\$3,771.83

APPENDIX No. 20.

Report of Missionary to City Institutions.

Bishop Tuttle, Bishop Johnson, and Gentlemen of the Convention:

I have the honor to submit the report of the work done by your missionaries in the city institutions during the year from May 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.

It is a report of hard and faithful work done at all times of the day and night, seven days a week. There are no time-clocks and no "quitting time" in this work. No one ever heard Mrs. Holmes say that it was her day off and patients at the hospital might get along the best way they could, and I know Miss Hofman never watches the clock to see whether she shall visit another ward, and not once, but often, has Deaconess Brainerd left home at 8 in the morning and not returned till 11 at night, spending the evening looking for a girl who had deserted her baby. And the statistics show the results. There have been held 502 services, nearly ten services every week in the year, 3,704 visits, of which fully half were visits to institutions where from five to fifty people were personally in-

interviewed each time, twenty-one baptisms, six burials, one marriage. And the diocese got all this work done at bargain rates. There were 1,100 more visits made this year than last and twice as many baptisms, but the work was done at approximately the same cost as last year. We received from the Board of Missions, Sunday Schools and individuals \$2,338.51, exclusive of salaries, and we spent \$2,214.70, leaving a balance of \$123.81. The generosity of our people is really marvelous in my eyes, but I am afraid to talk too much about it for fear that it may be thought that we have enough money. I assure you we could never have enough to meet all the opportunities that come to us. Every visit we make and every dollar we spend opens to us a new opportunity calling for more money and I do not want you ever to feel satisfied that we have done enough, even as I know you don't want me ever to think we are doing enough.

The work has indeed grown. Last year I reported work done in nine institutions: Sanitarium, Infirmary, City Hospital, Jail, Workhouse, Industrial School, Bellefontaine Farm, Koch Hospital and Convalescent Home. This year I report ten institutions, all the above, together with a new one, the Children's House of Detention. The story of our connection with this new institution is interesting and gratifying. The building houses the Juvenile Court, the Juvenile Probation Office and rooms for children awaiting trial or undergoing short sentences. I was hoping that some day we might do something for those children, but with our overburdened staff I could see no immediate prospect, when one day the new superintendent came to me and asked me as a personal favor so to release Deaconess Brainerd from other work that she might have service for those children every week. The deaconess does have service there, but I am afraid I have not released her from any other work. Another instance it is of the appreciation most of the city officials have for the work of our Church in the institutions.

I am convinced that one of the most promising opportunities for fruitful work presented anywhere is to be found at the Sanitarium. To my mind the mentally disordered are peculiarly susceptible to religious suggestion and impression and a bright, cheerful and quiet service such as our church offers is wonderfully helpful. So in a measure we have concentrated on the Sanitarium this year and Miss Hofman, Deaconess Brainerd and the missionary have all visited there. Consequently, we are getting in touch with patients when they first enter the institution and the chapel is crowded nearly every Sunday morning. So great is the opportunity that a man could well give all his time to that one institution alone.

At the Infirmary the work is easier than at the Sanitarium because the population is not so shifting, but the men and women there are in greater physical need because they are without friends to bring them clothing or other supplies. One of our chief industries is the supplying of sugar. This has been almost entirely eliminated from the diet, but there is hardly anything so appreciated and desired. We have continued the moving pictures every week in the men's and women's wards and so important has this weekly show become that I am asking for \$150 to carry it on during the coming year. Please remember this, because I am going to refer to it again in a moment. The services have been well-attended in the wards, but not so well attended in the chapel, due chiefly to the bad weather of the past winter.

Miss Hofman, in addition to her other work at Koch Tuberculosis Hospital, has saved the city the expense of a social worker by handling all cases of men and women desiring transportation to other cities. These cases require much work and investigation but every case suc-

cessfully handled means a saving to the city. Without such care and investigation the patient either remains in the hospital, an expense to the city, or roams about the country, as one of the lepers at Koch did some time ago. This leper suddenly tired of his surroundings and determined to see the world, so he left Koch without a cent of money, and was not heard from for several months, and then the authorities at Koch heard that he was being detained in Washington and he was brought back, but not penniless as when he left because he returned with about \$15, and when asked where he got all that money, being too sick to work, he replied that when he went to a town all he had to say was that he was a leper, and they would give him anything to go away. Washington, apparently, was the only place he found that contained intelligence enough to investigate and settle the problem he presented.

The City Hospital has been as difficult this year as always because the patients have to be discharged before they are really well in order to make room for others. We have done the best we could with regular visiting while the patient is there and when he is ready to leave, if he is destitute and friendless, we have given clothing and found work or in some cases secured immediate admission to the Infirmary. And with a new system of cards, if the patient goes to another institution Mrs. Holmes is able to refer his case to the missionary so that we can keep in touch with him. Deaconess Brainerd handles about thirty cases a month in the maternity ward. She reads and talks and sews with the women, supplying baby garments to those who need them, and when they go out she follows them to their homes or finds places for them and in many cases does the work of a visiting nurse. We used to think that an all-provident nature always saw to it that a woman knew instinctively how to care for a baby, and no doubt nature does the best she can, considering the material she has to work with. For instance, Deaconess Brainerd visited the home of a colored woman who had had a baby in the hospital and found the woman washing the little brown bit of humanity in greasy dish water. This was horrifying to the scientific deaconess, but when she expostulated the woman said, "Wait a minute," took the baby out of the water, rubbed it violently a few minutes and then held it up to be admired, saying "Dish water makes him shine just like mahogany."

Regular services have been held at the Convalescent Home, with the help of Mrs. O'Bannon and Mrs. Cooper, and no baby leaves the house without being baptized.

I had hoped that with the opening of Bellefontaine Farm for boys the old Industrial School here in the city would be discontinued, but it has been found necessary to have both institutions for some time to come, so that our work is just double what it used to be before Bellefontaine was established. We have service every Sunday evening at the old school for about 100 boys, and every Tuesday evening at Bellefontaine for the whole school. Also at Bellefontaine we have "movies" every week after the service, and nowhere in the world do "movie" heroes get heartier applause, or villains more severe condemnation than at the school. One evening, as the villain was tying the heroine to the railroad track in front of an express train, one boy vented his scorn and anger in these words, "Oh, ain't he a mean one!" Hard as the trip is—40 miles round trip, with a service and four reels of "movies," and during the last winter frost-bitten ears three times—there is no more inspiring feature of the whole work than this, and it is the missionary's great regret that he cannot devote all his time to the boys. I want \$200 a year for the pictures there. It is the only entertainment, combined with education, that the boys have, and they talk about it all the week.

Miss Hofman and the missionary visit the jail every week, and we also have a weekly service, but we need a new chapel very badly. The present one is bare and unattractive, and difficult to speak or sing in. I am asked frequently what we do for the men when we visit them. We telephone for them, write letters, get a lawyer, and sometimes interview a judge before their trial. But even when we don't do anything for them except to talk with them, I have found that they are grateful even for that. What they chiefly want is a friend, someone just to take an interest in them, and that, I suppose, is true pastoral visiting. One of the most pathetic cases I have every handled came to my attention just the other day. A very young man, with a good record, was put in jail, charged with the possession of stolen property. He was an utter stranger in the city, having just come here with his young wife, who was about to be confined. His arrest left her destitute, and she went to the City Hospital, where she told her story to Deaconess Brainerd, who told me. Shortly after my visit to him, he was sent to the workhouse, and from there he wrote a letter to his wife and she gave it to the deaconess. That letter I have copied and am going to keep. I have read many letters, but for sincerity and gentleness and courage, for utter unselfishness, I know of none that surpasses that one written by an uneducated man in the workhouse to his wife in the hospital. It is inspiring to know that such a man as he is depends upon us for help. That is one of the hundreds of cases that come to us every year.

The Mayor of this city has been told by the Superintendent of the workhouse that our Church is the strongest moral influence those men have, and the missionary meets men on the street who stop him and thank him for what our Church does there, and only the other day he received a letter from a man, formerly in the workhouse, who had gone to California and was doing well. The parole officers know that we stand back of every man who leaves the workhouse ready to help him in any way we can, and they have never been refused in anything they have asked of us.

That is a summary of our work in the city institutions. I ought to say that in the last year requests have come from Dallas and Richmond for suggestions in starting similar work there. I mention briefly also the two high days in our calendar, Christmas and Easter. Ours is the only Church giving presents in all the institutions; think of it, 3,000 bags of fruit and candy, 1,000 of which went to the friendless patients in the Sanitarium, in which the Sunday Schools of St. Peter's, Grace Church, Kirkwood; Emmanuel Church, Webster; Ascension, St. Stephen's and Prince of Peace Mission had a share; and then there were the personal and individual gifts to the boys and girls of the Industrial School from St. Michael and All Angels' Sunday School, Grace Sunday School and the Girls' Friendly Society of St. Philip's, and Holy Communion, and candy and fruit for the Isolation Hospital, and Dispensary, and Koch, and we paid one-third of the total expense of the Christmas at the workhouse, and on Christmas morning a splendid quartet sang carols in crowded chapels everywhere—it was a wonderful Christmas, the best I ever had. And on Easter Day everyone got an Easter pin and heard special Easter music as good as any church in the city had, and it would have been better if such a thing were possible, because I don't believe in anything second rate. And then during the year Deaconess Brainerd has had quantities of baby garments given to her, and we have received Bibles, Prayer Books, Hymnals, and Testaments from the New York Bible and Prayer Book Society, and from Capt. L. F. Jones of Kirkwood, and magazines without number, and clothing, and money. Indeed, so generous are people that I cannot keep track of it all and have to thank them as I go along.

The automobile continues to be the joy and pride of the missionary's heart and his faithful servant in sunshine and in storm, making possible the work as we do it in ten institutions. Last fall, after about 25,000 miles of driving without an accident, one of those unavoidable accidents occurred in trying to avoid a collision, but in this case, as in all others that I ever heard of, the fault belongs with the other driver.

But those of us who are on the staff could not possibly do the work without help. And first of all, we have this year another member added to the staff. The Rev. Mr. Atwill gives us part of his time and is in direct and complete charge of the work at the City Hospital, together with three services at the Infirmary, and you may know how much the people love him when I say that a patient told me that he was much easier to get acquainted with than I was. She was frank, if nothing else. Mr. Pomeroy is as devoted as ever, and takes the work during my vacation. You who make the Sunday dinner the great meal of the week may learn self-sacrifice from Mrs. O'Bannon, who has to miss that meal to get to the Infirmary every Sunday afternoon. Every Sunday at the Infirmary, and every Friday at the Convalescent Home, is her wonderful record. Miss Beck continues to officiate at the organ at the Convalescent Home, Jail, Sanitarium, and the two Industrial Schools, and Miss Pierce, Miss Henshaw, Miss Stout, Miss Ewing, Miss Hane and Miss Williamson take their turns at the other institutions. Groups of young men and young women visit the City Hospital. Singers and players have brightened our services. Mr. Merrill, Mr. Freegard, Mr. Lucas, Mr. Von Renthal, and Mr. Jones are the laymen who take services for us and every once in a while I commandeer an overworked and distracted clergyman. Bishop Johnson continues to listen patiently to my schemes and when they are worth anything, as in the case of Mr. Atwill, he helps me put them through. Finally, if it were not for Bishop Tuttle, who keeps strictly from his left hand all knowledge of what his right hand does, I would have to stay in St. Louis all summer without a vacation. All in all, I think no one in the world except myself knows quite how great an appeal this work has. Hardly anyone all the year has refused anything I have asked and whatever has been needed—interest, service, money, all has come as we needed it.

And even I, important as it is to me that I should receive unswerving and generous support, do not appreciate the devotion of our people unless I think of my experiences with other bodies of Christians. I am going to be very frank in this matter. The Church Federation last year assured me that they wanted to co-operate, not to compete, with us in the institutions. Taking them at their word, I have submitted to them two plans by which they could help us to do our work more efficiently. One was to help us finance Deaconess Brainerd's work, which is distinctly social service work, and so make it possible for us to secure another clergyman to devote all his time to this work as a whole. The second plan, involving no expense to the Federation, was for them to help us to secure a hearing, either on Sunday mornings or with the stereopticon slides, in the various Protestant churches. I emphasized the fact that in our ministrations we are the only Church that makes no distinction as to religious connection. What was the result? Briefly this: No answer to either plan, but a clergyman assigned to visit the City Hospital in addition to the Roman Catholic, Lutheran and our own work. So much for co-operation. Then, still hopeful, but somewhat disillusioned, I turned to the pastor of one of our largest and reputedly wealthiest Protestant churches, a man who is an alumnus of my own University, and who has known me personally and officially for several years, and whose son was a college classmate of mine. I went to him and told

him how we had provided moving pictures for the old men and women in the Infirmary for a year, and that I thought he ought to relieve us of that expense. I offered the work to him as a great privilege, because it really is our work, and we get much gratitude out of it. And what do you suppose he did? He wrote two letters, one a very courteous and appreciative billet doux to me, and the other a letter of reference to the Church Federation, putting the whole matter on their already overburdened shoulders. So ended the second experience. Then I bethought me of another denomination, and happening to mention my thought to one of the Circuit Judges, he said: "Oh, don't bother with them; they never do anything but build beautiful churches!" The conclusion is that we must plow our furrow alone, because our Faith, our idea of the Church, has given us, in the somewhat hackneyed phrase, the social vision. But if we are to plow it successfully, we must want to, we must realize that it is, next to the Church herself, the greatest experiment in democracy in this diocese, and that it ranks with any missionary opportunity in the whole world; we must see that it is the fruit, and the result of the very soul of our sacramental religion. God forbid that I should exalt the claims of this work above parish work. There could be no work for those to whom we minister in the institutions if it were not for the affection and co-operation and encouragement of the parish clergy. But I do want to impress on you that all the truths in the Creed and all the meaning and inspiration in the Sacraments find their justification and illustration and application in this utterly unselfish work. We never have a cash balance on the right side of the ledger, and all we ask of those people is not money, not even gratitude, but the sweet savor of a life lived in the spirit of our great Leader. The truth is, you cannot afford for the sake of the soul of this diocese to do anything else than to support this work. One of the most prominent laymen in this diocese has put this into words before I thought of it. He has said that if our Church did nothing else, the support of the work in the institutions would alone justify her existence. Men say that the Church is challenged today as never before in her history, and that is true. She is commanded to bring forth fruits, or more commercially, to produce results. Not, I take it, in the form of financial dividends or elaborate architecture, but in a redeemed humanity and a regenerated world, and any Church that asks only the opportunity to serve, as ours does, in the institutions of this city, has nothing in the future to fear, because this age upon which we have entered is an age of idealism and an idealism concerned not chiefly with the proud or the mighty or the strong in mind, but with the bruised reeds of humanity, the friendless, the broken in mind and body, the unlovely and the uninspired.

"All the little sighing souls born of dust's despair,
All who fed on bitter bread when the world was bare."

JOHN HOWARD LEVER.

APPENDIX No. 21.

Report of the Missouri Branch Woman's Auxiliary.

*To the Rt. Rev. D. S. Tuttle, S. T. D., Bishop of Missouri, and to the
Rt. Rev. F. F. Johnson, Bp. Coadjutor,
and Members of the Diocesan Convention:*

I have the honor to present to you the thirty-seventh annual report of the Missouri Branch Woman's Auxiliary.

In these times when Liberty is so gallantly rushing to the relief of the Standard, we of the Woman's Auxiliary have also done our bit; more than that, we have gone over the top. Last year our totals were \$13,159.22; this year they are \$13,525.31. In these days of enormous figures these items may seem small, but it is a source of thankfulness that we have not fallen short in our gifts to Missions, and we of the Woman's Auxiliary have had our full share in all the activities of these war times. It will be remembered that it was in the days of the Civil War that the denominations formed their first Union Foreign Missionary Society. We had gone much earlier, but in the times when money was needed in every direction the great missionary awakening came. We have seen in the great war relief measures of the day, how readily gifts come, how money is poured out; we realize the truism that every cause which justifies its existence meets with success. When the world realizes the Divine mission of Missions, they will be as well supported as these other urgent claims.

In the thirty-seven years of our work in the diocese our gifts have amounted to \$236,036.50, including the Junior work. If we had not been dealing in terms of millions and billions, it would seem larger. But it has all come in voluntary contributions. We have not resorted to any means of raising funds from any outside sources.

Several branches have been added to our list this year. We welcome Jefferson City for the first time to our ranks, and Louisiana is again at work. Hannibal has taken on new life and enlarged its scope. A few branches have fallen by the wayside. From Cape Girardeau, Moberly, Monroe and Canton we have had no reports. We ask that the rectors in charge will speak a word in season that may revive them.

Our hearts go out to the lonely sentinels who are holding our outposts in the foreign field. Could there be a more pitiful surrender to the adversary than for us to let them come home because of the failure of a few thousand dollars for the support of themselves and their work? Foreign Missions can no longer be ignored. The Oriental knocks at our doors. Shall he be a Christian or a pagan neighbor? Reconstruction work is needed everywhere in the Far East; we have a little band of picked men waiting for the Church at home to send them equipment. Let them not wait in vain, and lose courage. Bp. Tuttle has said: "It is not the mailed fist nor the moneyed power, but the Pierced Hand that sways the destiny of our race." The existence of the Auxiliary will be justified if it holds the Cross of Christ high above a sick world.

REPORTS OF PARISHES.

Cape Girardeau—Christ Church	Diocesan....Cash.....	\$ 1.00	\$ 1.00
Clayton—St. Michael and All Angels'	Cash.....	\$ 107.00	
	Diocesan....2 boxes....	35.00	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	85.00	\$ 227.00
Clayton—St. Michael and All Angels.....	4 boxes....	\$ 89.65	
Branch No. 2	Diocesan....2 boxes....	39.25	
	Cash.....	2.00	\$ 130.90
Total for St. Michael and All Angels'—\$357.90.			
Ferguson—St. Stephen's	Cash.....	\$ 7.00	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	25.00	\$ 32.00
Hannibal—Trinity	5 boxes....	\$ 77.30	
	Cash.....	125.00	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	17.62	\$ 219.92
Kirkwood—Grace	3 boxes....	\$ 53.65	
	Cash.....	381.62	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	70.00	\$ 505.27
Theodora Branch	2 boxes....	\$ 25.00	
	Cash.....	79.50	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	2.00	\$ 106.50
Jefferson City—Grace	1 box....	\$ 25.00	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	3.00	\$ 28.00
Louisiana—Calvary	1 box....	\$ 17.00	\$ 17.00
Macon—St. James	2 boxes....	\$ 17.00	
	Cash.....	10.00	\$ 27.00
Mexico—St. Paul's	1 box....	\$ 14.25	
	Cash.....	9.96	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	2.00	\$ 26.21
Overland Park—St. Paul's	Cash.....	\$ 16.00	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	9.00	\$ 25.00
Palmyra—St. Paul's	1 box....	\$ 23.15	
	Cash.....	34.00	
	Cash.....	10.00	\$ 67.15
Poplar Bluff—Holy Cross	Cash.....	\$ 6.40	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	4.00	\$ 10.40
Rolla—Christ Church	1 box....	\$ 10.00	
	Cash.....	22.25	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	2.00	\$ 34.25
St. Louis—All Saints'	1 box....	\$ 25.25	
	Cash.....	35.79	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	17.21	\$ 78.25

SEVENTY-NINTH CONVENTION.

99

St. Louis—Ascension	1 box.....\$	5.50	
	Cash.....	286.45	
	Diocesan...1 box.....	100.00	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	123.50	\$ 515.45
St. Louis—Christ Church Cathedral	2 boxes.....\$	7.00	
	Cash.....	1,488.67	
	Diocesan...4 boxes.....	117.41	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	310.35	\$1,923.43
Cathedral—St. Elizabeth's Branch.....	2 boxes.....\$	70.28	
	Cash.....	62.45	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	8.50	\$ 141.23
Total for Cathedral—\$2,064.66.			
St. Louis—Good Shepherd	Cash.....\$	22.50	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	9.00	\$ 31.50
St. Louis—Holy Cross	2 boxes.....\$	46.35	
	Cash.....	25.18	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	1.50	\$ 73.03
St. Louis—Holy Communion	2 boxes.....\$	98.22	
	Cash.....	604.60	
	Diocesan...1 box.....	35.00	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	423.00	\$1,160.82
Holy Communion—Anna Wise Branch.....	2 boxes.....\$	22.30	
	Cash.....	238.70	
	Diocesan...1 box.....	10.38	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	3.00	\$ 274.38
Total for Holy Communion—\$1,435.20.			
St. Louis—Holy Innocents'	Diocesan...Cash.....\$	1.00	\$ 1.00
St. Louis—Mt. Calvary	1 box.....\$	.50	
	Cash.....	24.90	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	26.00	\$ 51.40
St. Louis—Church of the Redeemer	1 box.....\$	5.00	
	Cash.....	275.15	
	Diocesan...1 box.....	55.00	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	68.50	\$ 403.65
St. Margaret's Branch	Cash.....\$	42.00	
	Diocesan...1 box.....	5.00	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	2.00	\$ 49.00
Total for Redeemer—\$452.65.			
St. Louis—St. Augustine's	Cash.....\$	38.60	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	24.00	\$ 62.60
St. Louis—St. Alban's	1 box.....\$	15.00	
	Cash.....	37.98	
	Diocesan...Cash.....	17.50	\$ 70.48

St. Louis—St. George's	2 boxes....\$	23.00	
	Cash.....	1,350.00	
	Diocesan....1 box.....	75.00	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	512.00	\$1,960.00
St. Louis—St. John's	2 boxes....\$	33.00	
	Cash.....	166.75	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	52.02	\$ 251.77
St. Louis—St. Mary's	2 boxes....\$	12.00	
	Cash.....	14.00	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	6.00	\$ 32.00
St. Louis—St. Paul's	Cash.....\$	4.50	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	5.00	\$ 9.50
St. Louis—St. Peter's	2 boxes....\$	53.00	
	Cash.....	1,356.00	
	Diocesan....2 boxes....	295.00	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	400.00	\$2,104.00
St. Louis—St. Philip's	2 boxes....\$	35.00	
	Cash.....	126.90	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	142.70	\$ 304.60
St. Louis—St. Stephen's	Cash.....\$	43.00	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	29.00	\$ 72.00
St. Louis—St. Timothy's	Cash.....\$	44.00	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	7.50	\$ 51.50
St. Louis—Trinity	2 boxes....\$	19.00	
	Cash.....	55.68	
	Diocesan....1 box.....	10.00	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	66.50	\$ 151.18
Webster Groves—Emmanuel	1 box.....\$	52.00	
	Cash.....	467.82	
	Diocesan....Cash.....	78.25	\$ 598.07

CONTRIBUTIONS FROM MISSIONS WHERE NO ORGANIZED
BRANCH EXISTS.

Bloomfield	Cash United Offering.....	\$ 1.70	
De Soto	Cash United Offering.....	1.00	
Moberly	Cash United Offering.....	3.15	\$ 5.85

CONTRIBUTIONS NOT CREDITED TO ANY PARISH.

Offerings	\$ 215.98	
For the Percy Silver Missionary, A Friend.....	15.00	
Juniors, towards Annual Report	10.00	
Bishop Tuttle for C. P. C.	5.00	\$ 245.98
		\$12,080.27

SUMMARY.

Boxes and packages (44), value	\$ 874.40	
Cash	7,862.18	\$8,736.58

DIOCESAN.

Boxes (19), value	\$ 777.04	
Cash	2,566.65	\$3,343.69

JUNIOR AUXILIARY.

Total boxes	\$ 631.84	
Total cash	813.20	\$1,445.04

Total of Woman's Auxiliary in cash and boxes	\$12,080.27	
Total of Junior Auxiliary in cash and boxes	1,445.04	

Grand total	\$13,525.31	
-------------------	-------------	--

Respectfully submitted,
MARY W. TRIPLETT, *Secretary.*

St. Louis, Mo., May 31, 1918.

APPENDIX No. 22.

Report Missouri Diocesan League of Lay Readers.

*For the Missionary Board of Missouri, and to
the Right Rev. F. F. Johnson, D. D.*

I have the honor to submit the following report of services conducted under the direction of the League of Lay Readers for the year ending May 29th, 1918:

CHURCHES SERVED

	Number of Services
Benton—St. Augustine's	36
Crystal City—Grace	5
St. Louis—Mt. Calvary	8
St. Louis—Holy Cross	5
Herculaneum	13
Florissant	2
Valley Park	13
Overland Park	7
Harney Heights	11
Jennings	4
St. Louis—St. Timothy's	7
City Institutions	134
St. Louis—St. Mary's	39
Mexico	1
	<hr/> 287

LAY READERS	Number of Services
A. B. Ambler	15
F. G. Williamson	4
A. J. Watling	9
A. D. Pomeroy (including city institutions)	122
Chas. S. Maybury	8
Carl W. Minch	8
R. Kopplin	8
C. H. Fauntleroy	10
E. Kroehle	4
Edwin Freegard	24
W. H. Saunders	8
Ira C. Young	6
C. L. von Renthel (including St. Mary's)	44
C. B. Lucas	6
B. F. Babbitt	5
A. F. Cotsworth	6

 287

Attendance approximated 3,000 total.

Respectfully submitted,

A. B. AMBLER, *Secretary.*

REPORT OF TREASURER.

May 15, 1917.....	Received C. L. von Renthel	\$ 31.78	
May 15, 1917.....	Received cash	15.00	
May 24, 1917.....	St. Augustine's	5.00	
May 24, 1917.....	Collection at Celebration	3.30	
July 16, 1917.....	Mt. Calvary	10.00	
August 26, 1917.....	St. Augustine's	25.00	
September 26, 1917.....	All Saints'	10.00	
October 6, 1917.....	St. Augustine's	25.00	
December 19, 1917.....	St. Augustine's	25.00	
January 18, 1918.....	St. Augustine's	30.00	
March 8, 1918.....	St. Paul's Carondelet	10.00	\$185.08

DISBURSEMENTS

June, 1917	Postage	\$ 1.00
June, 1917	A. B. Ambler expense.....	.80
July 7, 1917.....	C. L. von Renthel	1.50
July 10, 1917.....	Freegard Press	12.15
August 31, 1917.....	C. L. von Renthel	2.50
August 31, 1917.....	C. H. Fauntleroy	2.50
Sept. 8, 1917.....	Chas. Lenhart	1.00
Sept 25, 1917.....	A. B. Ambler, expense	3.00
Sept 25, 1917.....	Chas. Lenhart (steno.)	1.00
October 18, 1917.....	L. C. Hazard, auto Valley Park.....	3.00
October 29, 1917.....	Rt. Rev. F. F. Johnson	3.30
December 10, 1917.....	Dinner Mo. Athletic Club	21.70
December 10, 1917.....	C. L. von Renthel	1.50
December 10, 1917.....	L. C. Hazard, auto	8.00

December 25, 1917.....	Rt. Rev. F. F. Johnson, Herculanum	40.00	
January 21, 1918.....	L. C. Hazard	8.00	
January 25, 1918.....	Stenographer	1.00	
January 25, 1918.....	Postage .....	.50	
January 30, 1918.....	C. L. von Renthel	1.50	
May 18, 1918.....	Sandoval, stenographer	1.75	
May 27, 1918.....	C. L. von Renthel	2.00	
May 28, 1918.....	Sandoval, stenographer	2.25	
May 28, 1918.....	A. B. Ambler, expense	2.00	121.95
Balance			\$ 63.03

Respectfully submitted,

A. B. AMBLER, *Treasurer.*

APPENDIX No. 23.

Report of Committee on Constitution and Canons.

Your Committee on Constitution and Canons have carefully considered the matters referred to them and respectfully submit the following report:

F. N. JUDSON.
T. K. SKINKER.
G. C. HITCHCOCK.

AMENDMENT NO. 1.

That section 5 of Canon XIX be amended by striking out the words, "the first day of May to the thirtieth day of April, inclusive," in lines one and two thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof, the words, "the first day of January to the thirty-first day of December, inclusive," so that said Section 5, as amended, shall read as follows:

"The fiscal year of this Diocese shall be from the first day of January to the thirty-first day of December, inclusive; and all Diocesan reports and all Parochial and Financial Reports of Parishes and Missions to the Convention shall conform thereto."

AMENDMENT NO. 2.

That Article III of the Constitution be amended by striking out the words, "the fourth Tuesday in May," in the second line of said article, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "the fourth Tuesday in January," so that said article, as amended, shall read as follows:

"The Convention of the Church in this Diocese shall assemble annually, on the fourth Tuesday in January, at such place as shall have been appointed by the preceding Annual Convention; but in case of the prevalence of infectious or epidemic disease at the appointed time and place of meeting, or for other sufficient cause, the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese shall have power to change the time or place, or both, as the emergency may require; provided, however, that at least ten days' notice of such change shall be given to every Vestry, and to the Minister in charge of every Parish and Mission in the Diocese."

AMENDMENT NO. 3.

That Section 3 of Canon II be amended by striking out the words, "the seventh day of May," in the last line thereof, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "the fifteenth day of January in each year," so that said Section 3, as amended, shall read as follows:

"The evidence of the appointment of a Lay Delegate from an organized Parish shall be a written certificate from the Rector of the Parish, from one of the Wardens, or from the Secretary of the Vestry of such Parish. The evidence of the seat of a delegate from an organized Mission shall be a certificate from the Missionary, approved by the Bishop, and such certificates shall be forwarded to the Secretary of the Convention before the fifteenth day of January in each year."

AMENDMENT NO. 4.

That Section 1 of Canon III be amended by striking out the words, "the fifteenth day of April," in the tenth line, and the words, "the ninth day of May," in the twelfth line of said section, and inserting in lieu thereof, respectively, "the fifteenth day of December" and "the fifteenth day of January," so that said Section 1 of Canon III, as amended, shall read as follows:

"The Secretary shall be chosen upon the assembling of the Annual Convention, and shall remain in office until the meeting of the next Annual Convention. His duty shall be to take minutes of the proceedings of the Convention, to preserve its journals and records, to attest the public acts of the body, and faithfully deliver into the hands of his successor all books and papers relative to the concerns of the Convention, which may be in his possession. It shall also be his duty to give due notice to each Minister, Vestry and organized Mission, of the time and place appointed for the meeting of the succeeding or of any special Convention. He shall, before the fifteenth of December in each year, transmit to the same, forms of Parochial Reports and of Certificates of Lay Delegates, with instructions that they be returned to him before the fifteenth day of January. One week before the meeting of the Convention he shall place such certificates in the hands of the Chairman of the Committee on Admission of New Parishes and **Lay Credentials; which** Committee shall therefrom prepare the roll of Lay Delegates entitled to seats in the Convention and return it to the Secretary before the opening of the Convention, for use therein. He shall also transmit annually to each of the Bishops of this Church in the United States, and to the Secretary of the last House of Deputies in the General Convention, and to the Secretary of every Diocesan Convention and Missionary Jurisdiction a copy of the Journal of the Convention. He shall also transmit a copy to each Clergyman in the Diocese, and to each Delegate attending the Convention, and forward a copy or copies to each Parish or organized Mission in the Diocese, as they may request."

AMENDMENT NO. 5.

That Section 1 of Canon XII be amended by striking out the words, "the first Monday in May," in the first line, and inserting in lieu thereof the words, "the second Monday in January, or as soon thereafter as practicable in the same week," so that said Section 1, Canon XII, as amended, shall read as follows:

"On the second Monday in January of each year, or as soon thereafter as practicable in the same week, after due notice publicly given on an occasion of Divine Worship, the parishioners of each Parish shall assemble in annual meeting to elect a Vestry and transact such, etc., etc."

AMENDMENT NO. 7.

Amend Section 5 of Article V of the Constitution by inserting the words, "male or female," after the word "persons," in the third line, so that said section when so amended shall read as follows:

"Sec. 5. Lay Delegates shall be chosen by the Vestry of each Parish, or if there be no Vestry, or if the Vestry fail to act, then by the Congregation of the Parish duly convened. They shall be baptized persons, male or female, and shall have been for the year next preceding stated worshipers in the Parishes which they severally represent, and canonically entitled to vote for Vestrymen of the same; but no candidate for Holy Orders shall be admitted as a Lay Delegate to any Convention.

CANONS ADOPTED AT THE GENERAL CONVENTION AT
ST. LOUIS.

CANON 49.

Of the Mode of Securing an Accurate View of the State of This Church.

Section I. It shall be the duty of every Minister of this Church in charge of a Parish or Congregation, or, if there be no Minister in charge, of the Church Wardens, or other proper officer, to prepare upon the blank form adopted by the General Convention a report for the year ending December 31st preceding, and to deliver the same on or before the first day of every annual Convention to the Bishop of the Diocese or Missionary District, or, where there is no Bishop, to the presiding officer of the Convention. This report shall include the following information: (1) the number of baptisms, confirmations, marriages and burials during the year; the total number of baptized persons and communicants at the time of the report; (2) a summary of all receipts and expenditures, from whatever source derived, and for whatever purpose used; and (3) a statement of the property held by the Parish, whether real or personal, with an appraisal of its value, together with a statement of the indebtedness of the Parish, if any, and of the amount of

Sec. II. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Convention of every Diocese and of the Convocation of every Missionary District to forward to the Secretary of the House of Deputies immediately upon publication the Journals of the Convention of the Diocese or Convocation of the Missionary District, together with Episcopal charges, statements and such other papers as may show the State of the Church in his Diocese or Missionary District. It shall also be his duty to prepare, immediately after the adjournment of the Diocesan Convention or the Convocation of a Missionary District next preceding the regular meeting of every General Convention, and forward forthwith to the Secretary of the House of Deputies, upon the blank provided for that purpose, a condensed summary of the statistics contained in the Parochial reports and Bishops' statements, with information as to all institutions in any way connected with the Church within the Diocese or Missionary District, and also as to the condition of all invested funds and the amount of all contributions received and expended by the Bishops, or otherwise within the Diocese or District. The Secretary of the House of Deputies shall, as soon as may be, present these papers to the House, and a committee shall be appointed to prepare and present to the House a report on the State of the Church, which report, when agreed to by the said House, shall be sent to the House of Bishops.

Of Business Methods in Church Affairs.

(3) To perform such other duties relating to the business affairs of the Diocese or District as may be referred to it.

Afton
Cape C
Clayton
Columb
De So
Fergus
Hannib
Jeffers
Kirkwo
Louisia
Macon
Mexico
Moberl
Monroe
Palmyr
Prairie
St. Chri
Webste
St. Lou

"
"
"
"
"
"
"
"
"
"
"

Bonne
Canton
Crystal
Cuba ...
Frederi
Fulton ..
Ironton
Jackson
Kirksvil
Overlan
Poplar
Portlan
Rolla ...
Salem

APPENDIX No. 24.

Report of the Committee on Diocesan
Convention Assessments.

May, 1918.

PARISHES.	
Afton	\$ 5.00
Cape Girardeau	62.00
Clayton, St. Michael and All Angels'	595.00
Columbia	145.00
De Soto	26.00
Ferguson	113.00
Hannibal	222.00
Jefferson City	78.00
Kirkwood	465.00
Louisiana	41.00
Macon	186.00
Mexico	62.00
Moberly	51.00
Monroe	62.00
Palmyra	62.00
Prairieville	20.00
St. Charles	20.00
Webster Groves	470.00
St. Louis—All Saints'	255.00
“ Ascension	859.00
“ Cathedral and St. George's	1,915.00
“ Good Shepherd	30.00
“ Holy Communion	683.00
“ Holy Innocents'	41.00
“ Mt. Calvary	129.00
“ Redeemer	465.00
“ St. Alban's	103.00
“ St. Andrew's	20.00
“ St. John's	393.00
“ St. Paul's	57.00
“ St. Peter's	1,575.00
“ St. Philip's	505.00
“ Trinity	259.00

MISSIONS.	
Bonne Terre	5.00
Canton	5.00
Crystal City	5.00
Cuba	5.00
Fredericktown	5.00
Fulton	5.00
Ironton	5.00
Jackson	5.00
Kirksville	25.00
Overland Park	5.00
Poplar Bluff	20.00
Portland	5.00
Rolla	38.00
Salem	5.00

St. Louis—Cathedral	2,055.00
“ St. George's	792.00
“ Good Shepherd	30.00
“ Holy Communion	780.00
“ Holy Innocents'	60.00
“ Mt. Calvary	95.00
“ Redeemer	640.00
“ St. Alban's	25.00
“ St. Andrew's	15.00
“ St. John's	330.00
“ St. Paul's	15.00
“ St. Peter's	2,475.00
“ St. Philip's	325.00
“ Trinity	115.00

MISSIONS.

Bonne Terre	5.00
Canton	5.00
Crystal City	5.00
Cuba	5.00
Fredericktown	5.00
Fulton	2.50
Ironton	5.00
Jackson	5.00
Kirksville	25.00
Overland Park	5.00
Poplar Bluff	25.00
Portland	2.50
Rolla	40.00
Salem	5.00
Shelbina	5.00
Sherman	5.00
St. James	5.00
Sullivan	5.00
Thayer	10.00
Valley Park	5.00
St. Louis—Epiphany	45.00
“ Grace-Holy Cross	100.00
“ Prince of Peace	5.00
“ St. Augustine's	75.00
“ St. Luke's	5.00
“ St. Mary's	70.00
“ St. Matthew's	5.00
“ St. Stephen's	100.00
“ St. Thomas'	40.00
“ St. Timothy's	30.00
Personal—	
Bishop's Purse	500.00
Woman's Auxiliary	250.00

\$13,625.00

Respectfully submitted by the Committee on Apportionment for Diocesan Missions.

E. H. LYCETT,
E. J. THOMAS,
W. C. STITH,
A. J. WATLING,

APPENDIX No. 26.

Report of the Committee on Church News.

May 30, 1918.

To the Diocesan Convention:

Unfortunately, a detailed financial report is unavailable, because we have had no Treasurer for some time. Perhaps it is just as well to say that we began the fiscal year 1917-18 with the \$200 deficit we faced in 1916-17 taken care of with pledges given at the last Convention. A total of \$210 was pledged to take care of the deficit carried for 1916-17. This \$210 included \$20 for the Rev. J. C. Jones, Editor of CHURCH NEWS, to be credited to his salary account; \$20 was pledged by the Rev. George Taylor. Of this he paid \$5. The other \$15 he was not called upon to pay for good and sufficient reasons. The only money pledged that was not paid is \$10 by the Rev. J. S. Davis of Hannibal, Mo.

It may be remarked in passing that the Bishop agreed to give his check for \$200 to take care of this deficit. The pledges were made so that the Bishop would not have to pay this money, but the Bishop did send his check for \$200. The Bishop was written to and advised that pledges for this \$200 had been made and that his check would not be needed, providing all the pledges were made good, and also the pledges totaling \$370 for subscriptions were made good, and that if the pledges were made good we could return his check in full and show a neat balance at the close of the fiscal year. He replied and told us to apply the \$200 to the use of CHURCH NEWS.

The following pledges were made to secure new subscriptions at \$1 each, to be paid for within six months after the Convention date; also in the table I will show the number of subscriptions received on each pledge:

	Pledged.	Sent In.
Trinity	30	about 7
St. Peter's	100	1
Ascension	50	25
Kirksville	10	0
St. Philip's	30	0
St. Paul's	10	0
Cathedral	100	0
St. John's	30	about 11
St. Mary's	10	0
Total	370	44

Letters were sent to ministers of these churches recently, asking them to please send subscriptions, or if not able to do that, to please send a check covering at least 50 per cent of the pledges, the names to be sent later, so that Church News Committee could go before the Convention with all bills paid and a balance on the ledger.

The net result of subscriptions pledged and paid for is nil. It only goes to show that on convention floors and other public places people are very

willing to pledge, but it is another thing to make good pledges after they are made. If all the subscriptions that were pledged had been paid for, the Bishop's \$200 donation could have been returned to him, all bills paid, and there would have been a very comfortable balance left in the treasury.

In passing we might say that the only donation received outside of pledges referred to above and the Bishop's check, was \$150 from the Diocesan Convention. All bills have been paid in full to May 1st, except to the Rev. J. Courtney Jones for salary as Editor. Just how much is due Mr. Jones I am unable to say, but I should say it was possibly \$100. There is one bill for \$54.25 for the May, 1918, issue, which, of course, is not really due until June 1st, that is still unpaid.

The showing for 1917-18 as compared with the previous fiscal year is very excellent indeed, there being practically no deficit at this time, except as mentioned above for the Rev. J. Courtney Jones, and we have about \$15.00 cash balance in the bank.

The Committee respectfully recommends that the pledges for the 370 subscriptions made one year ago be renewed and the various churches be given four months in which to make good their pledges. If these pledges are made good, with the regular subscriptions coming in and a little circulation activity among the various churches, the paper should be able to carry along for another year without the necessity of calling upon the Convention for funds.

Respectfully submitted,

CHAS. R. KETCHUM, *Chairman.*

Sent In.
out 7
1
25
0
0
0
0
out 11
0
—
44

ng them
a check
later, so
all bills

only goes
are very

The Bishop's Journal.

- May 1.—St. Philip's and St. James' Day, St. Louis, Holy Communion, celebrated Holy Communion.
- 2.—Received notice of resignation of Rev. S. E. Arthur, Rector of Mt. Calvary, St. Louis, effective April 1.
- 3.—Attended meeting of Cathedral Chapter. Appointed Rev. P. C. Wolcott, D.D., Rev. C. H. Young and Rev. E. H. Harriman to be Special Examining Chaplains to conduct canonical examination of Rev. F. L. Gratiot applying for priest's order. Attended meeting of Cathedral Chapter.
- 6.—Sunday, A.M., St. Charles, Trinity, with Rev. Mr. Hatch held services and confirmed 9. P.M., Affton, Christ, with Rev. Mr. Hatch held services. Evening, St. Louis, Coliseum, offered the invocation at the reception of the French Commission.
- 8.—At Captain Collins' quarters, Jefferson Barracks, attended a missionary tea given by the ladies of Trinity Church, St. Louis.
- 9.—Received from Standing Committee recommendation of Charles F. Bourscheidt to be ordered deacon, with notice of agreement to the shortening of his time as candidate. Also received recommendation of Grover W. Harrison to be ordered deacon, with notice of agreement to the shortening of his time as candidate. Also received recommendation of Rev. Frederick L. Gratiot to be ordered priest. Attended meetings of Directors of Convalescent Home, and of Trustees of Missouri Botanical Garden.
- 11.—St. Louis, attended meetings of Cathedral Chapter, and of Trustees of Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, and of Trustees of Theological Education Fund, and of the Diocesan Missionary Board.
- 12.—Received from special examining chaplains certificates of passing of examinations for deacon's orders by Charles F. Bourscheidt.
- 13.—Sunday, St. Louis, A.M., Cathedral, with the Dean held services, Rev. Dr. Freeman, of Minnesota, preaching the Flower Sermon. P.M., at the Odeon, attended the "Missionary Host" celebration and made an address. Evening, Redeemer, with Messrs. Duckworth and Brant, held services and confirmed 16.
- 14.—Appointed Rev. Dr. E. S. Rousmaniere and the other examining chaplains of Massachusetts to be special examining chaplains to conduct the canonical examinations preliminary to deacon's orders of Grover W. Harrison.
- 15.—Moberly, Christ, Evening, preaching at meeting of the Hannibal Convocation. Licensed Edwin Freegard to be Lay Reader (general), adding also license for him to make addresses of his own composition.
- 16.—Moberly, Christ, A.M., celebrated Holy Communion, Rev. Mr. Cleveland, of St. Louis, preaching. Hannibal Convocation.
- 17.—Ascension Day, St. Louis, A.M., Bofinger Chapel, with Rev. Mr. Remick held services and preached. Evening, at 4710 Westminster Place solemnized a marriage. Received from special examining chaplains certificate of examinations preliminary to priest's orders passed by Rev. Frederick L. Gratiot.

May 18.—St. Louis, St. Luke's Hospital, attended commencement of Training School for Nurses and made an address.

19.—Upon the nominations of the respective Convocations appointed Rev. J. Courtney Jones to be Dean of the Southern Convocation, and Rev. John Davis, D.D., to be Dean of the Hannibal Convocation.

20.—Sunday, 7 A.M., St. Louis, St. Stephen's, preached and ordained Charles F. Bourscheidt deacon, Rev. Mr. Mizner presenting, and Rev. Mr. O'Connor assisting. 11 A.M., Kirkwood, Grace, held services. P.M., St. Louis, Prince of Peace, held services.

21.—St. Louis, attended meeting of Cathedral Chapter.

22.—Cathedral, delivered my Annual Address for a sermon at opening of Diocesan Convention. P.M., attended meeting of Barnard Trustees.

22-24.—In attendance upon Diocesan Convention.

23.—Evening, St. Louis, St. George's presided at missionary meeting, Rev. Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Albert Burgess making addresses.

24.—P.M., presided at meeting of electoral body to choose members of Cathedral Chapter. Evening, St. Luke's Hospital, presided at annual meeting of Association.

25.—St. Louis, Grace-Holy Cross, celebrated Holy Communion at annual meeting of Woman's Auxiliary.

27.—Whitsunday, A.M., Old Orchard, Emmanuel, with Rev. Mr. Jones held services and confirmed 25. Evening, St. Louis, St. Augustine's, held services.

30.—Licensed James M. Bull and W. H. Grocott to be Lay Readers for Ascension, St. Louis.

31.—With Rev. Messrs. Duckworth and Brittain conducted examinations of Rev. F. L. Gratiot and Mr. W. W. S. Hohenschild, candidates for ordination. Appointed Mr. A. E. Bostwick Secretary of Episcopal Residence Trustees. Attended meetings of Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund Trustees, and Theological Education Fund Trustees.

June 1.—P.M., attended meeting of Directors of Convalescent Home. Evening, attended meeting of Diocesan Missionary Board.

2.—A.M., St. Louis, Bofinger Chapel, solemnized a marriage.

3.—Trinity Sunday, 9:30 A.M., Cathedral, presided at commencement exercises of the Bible Classes of the Sunday School. 11 A.M., ordered Rev. F. L. Gratiot priest, Rev. Mr. Brittain presenting; and W. W. S. Hohenschild deacon, Rev. Mr. Mizner presenting; and Grover W. Harrison deacon, Rev. Mr. Remick presenting, and celebrated Holy Communion. P.M., at Washington University, pronounced invocation at the Convention of the International Advertising Company.

June 4-23.—Absent on a visit to Utah. On July 2, 1867, I first entered Salt Lake City, emerging from a stage coach with Mrs. George W. Foote, Miss Sarah K. Foote (now Mrs. White), Rev. E. N. Goddard, and Rev. G. D. B. Miller. Mrs. Foote, a widow, came on from her present California home to be with me in Salt Lake. The people there were very kind to us both in receptions, dinners and services, as we were all recalling the fiftieth year of things. Salt Lake has now one bishop and four priests and four churches and 953 communicants.

June 12.—Gave consent to the election of Bishop McElwain to be the Bishop of Minnesota. Gave consent to the election of Bishop Longley to be Bishop Coadjutor of Iowa. Received notice from Bishop Darlington of remission and termination of sentence of deposition of February 13, 1909, of Rev. William T. Twamley, presbyter of Harrisburg.

15.—Issued Lay Readers' license (general) to Ernest F. Kroehle.

16.—Received from Bishop Morrison notice of deposition, June 3, of William F. Kleinschmidt, late presbyter of Duluth.

18.—Gave canonical consent to election of a Bishop Coadjutor for Tennessee, for the reason of extent of diocesan work. Gave consent to the election of Bishop Stearly to be Bishop Coadjutor of Newark.

23.—Issued Lay Reader's license (general) to Leo Moore of St. Charles.

28.—Admitted Benjamin Horton, of St. John's, St. Louis, to be a postulant.

July 3.—Received notice from Bishop C. S. Olmsted (acting at request of the Standing Committee of Western New York), of deposition, May 16, of John C. Kerrin, late, presbyter of Western New York, for causes not affecting his moral character. Gave canonical consent to the consecration of Rev. Edwin Warren Saphore, Suffragan Bishop of Arkansas.

June 23-July 7.—At Wequetonsing, Mich. While there I am acting pastor of St. John's Church, Harbor Springs, Diocese of Western Michigan.

13.—Received and accepted from the ecclesiastical authority of Minnesota Letter Dismissory of Rev. John Boden, presbyter.

17.—Received notice of election of Rev. J. D. Simmons to the rectorship of Mount Calvary, St. Louis, effective September 1.

18.—Gave canonical consent to consecration of Rev. Arthur Conover Thomson, D.D., Suffragan Bishop-elect of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.

24.—Received notice from Bishop Winchester of deposition, July 20, of Isaac Glenhennin Perkins, late Deacon of Arkansas.

26.—Received notice from Bishop Lines of deposition, July 10, of A. Peter Tulp, late presbyter of Newark; and of removal, July 16, of George W. Meade from list of candidates for Holy Orders.

30.—Received notice of election of Rev. D. F. Clarke to the rectorship of All Saints', St. Louis, effective September 1.

August 9.—Gave canonical consent to consecration of Rev. Henry Tunis Moore, Bishop Coadjutor-elect of Dallas.

13.—Received notice from Bishop Leonard of deposition June 15, of George A. Wieland, late presbyter of Ohio.

18.—Received notice from Bishop Leonard of deposition, June 15, of Frank Albers, late presbyter of Ohio.

24.—At St. Luke's Church, Hot Springs, Ark., presided at the consecration of the Rev. E. W. Saphore, Suffragan Bishop-elect of Arkansas. Received notice of resignation of rectorship of St. Stephen's, Ferguson, by Rev. J. D. Simmons, effective September 1.

26.—Sunday, St. Louis, A.M., Cathedral, preached.

27.—Licensed Albert T. Cotsworth to be Lay Reader (general.)

September 3.—Licensed Charles W. Alban to be Lay Reader for St. John's, St. Louis.

18.—Received from Bishop Burgess notice of deposition, August 2, of Gerald A. Cornell, late presbyter of Long Island, for reasons not affecting his moral character.

20.—Received notice from Bishop Weed of deposition, September 8, of Edgar A. Sherrod, late presbyter of Florida, for reasons not affecting his moral character. Licensed Dryden Carver to be Lay Reader for St. Paul's, St. Louis.

27.—Portsmouth, Va., Trinity, presided at the consecration of Rev. Arthur Conover Thomson, D.D., Suffragan Bishop-elect of Southern Virginia.

29.—Received notice from Bishop Hall, of deposition of Charles Kendall Drake, late presbyter of Vermont. This day Mr. Francis J. McMaster died at the home of his brother in Maryland. There are sad vacancies in our diocesan household. As Secretary of our Diocesan Missionary Board for more than a generation, and as Chancellor, he was a most wise and kindly leader and guide. He was to me personally as a much loved brother and wonderfully helpful. Dear, faithful soul! God have us in His holy keeping, till, please His mercy, He folds us together in THE HOME!

30.—St. Louis, Cathedral, A.M., with Rev. Mr. Remick held services.

October 1.—Received notice from Bishop Morrison of deposition, September 27, of Alfred G. A. Buxton, late presbyter of Iowa, for causes not affecting his moral character.

2.—St. Louis, Cathedral, conducted funeral services of Francis J. McMaster. Appointed Bishop Wise, of Kansas, to institute into the Rectorship of the Church of the Holy Communion, on October 14, Rev. John Boden.

4.—Dallas, Texas, St. Matthew's Cathedral, presided at the consecration of Rev. Harry Tunis Moore, D.D., Bishop Coadjutor-elect of Dallas.

6.—Gave canonical consent to the consecration of the Rev. Henry Judah Mikell, D.D., Bishop-elect of Atlanta.

7.—Sunday, St. Louis, A.M., Cathedral, with Rev. Messrs. Remick and Kennedy held services. P.M., Epiphany, made an address at the laying of the corner stone of the new church by the Bishop Coadjutor.

8.—Received notice of resignation, August 31, of the Rectorship of Trinity, St. Charles, by Rev. Richard A. Hatch. Appointed Mr. George C. Hitchcock to be the Chancellor of the Diocese.

9.—Attended meeting of Council of Federation of Churches. Received and accepted Letter Dismissory from Pennsylvania of Rev. D. R. Clarke, presbyter. Attended meeting of Cathedral Chapter.

10.—Attended meeting of Directors of Convalescent Home for Women. Attended meeting of Trustees of Missouri Botanical Garden.

12.—Attended meeting of Diocesan Missionary Board.

14.—Sunday, A.M., Old Orchard, Emmanuel, with Rev. Mr. Jones, held services and confirmed 4.

15.—Received notice from Bishop Brooke of deposition, October 6, of James Edward McGarvey, late Deacon of Oklahoma.

17, 18, 19.—In attendance at a special session of the House of Bishops in St. James', Chicago. Seventy-five Bishops were present.

October 19.—Chicago, St. James'. Celebrated Holy Communion at the service preceding the election of Bishop for Salina and South Dakota. Appointed Rev. H. H. Powell and Rev. W. H. Cambridge special examining chaplains to conduct the examinations preliminary to priest's orders of Rev. Grover Harrison, Deacon.

21.—Sunday, A.M., Chicago. St. James', with Rev. Dr. Stone held services.

22.—St. Louis, A.M., Planters' House, offered invocation at meeting of the American Civic Association. Received from Bishop Gravatt notice of deposition, June 14, of S. S. Powell, late presbyter of West Virginia, for causes not affecting his moral character. Evening, Odeon, attended meeting held in behalf of the American Red Cross.

24.—Attended meeting of Trustees of the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.

26.—Macon, St. James', with Rev. Mr. Edwards. Held services and confirmed 12.

28.—Sunday, Palmyra, St. Paul's, preached and celebrated Holy Communion. There were 31 communicants. P.M., baptized two infants. Evening, read and preached. I was greatly pleased to find all Missionary and Diocesan pledges of the parish paid in full, and that the Vestry are very wide awake and earnest in their plans and efforts to secure a rector.

30.—Springfield, Ill., St. Paul's. Evening, preached.

31.—Springfield, Ill., addressed the Mid-Day Luncheon Club.

November 1.—All Saints' Day, St. Louis; A.M., Cathedral, with Rev. Messrs. Remick and Kennedy, held services. Evening, All Saints', made an address at a Memorial Service in memory of the late pastor, Rev. C. M. Mason. Received from Bishop Morrison notice of deposition, October 15, of Robert M. Deibert, late Deacon of Iowa, for causes not affecting his moral character.

2.—A.M., Old Orchard, Emmanuel, celebrated Holy Communion and made address at the Quarterly Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary. P.M., attended meeting of Board of Managers of the Sons of the Revolution. Alarming news coming of the illness of my son, Herbert E. Tuttle, at San Antonio, Texas, I took the night train thither. He has now (November 6) been brought to our St. Luke's Hospital, St. Louis, and has slightly improved, though he is still very seriously ill, blood poison being threatened.

6.—After a second surgical operation which was imperative, my dear son Herbert died at St. Luke's Hospital. Miserere mei Deus.

7.—Attended meeting of Commission of Bishops appointed to give advice to Bishop Jones of Utah. Attended meeting of Barnard Trustees.

11.—Sunday, A.M., St. Philip's, St. Louis, preached.

13.—St. Louis, attended meeting of Cathedral Chapter. Evening, attended meeting of the Centennial gathering at the First Presbyterian Church and made an address.

14.—Attended meetings of Managers of Convalescent Home, and Trustees of Missouri Botanical Garden. Evening, attended meeting at Parish House of St. Philip's, and made an address.

15.—Crystal City, Grace. Evening, preached, meeting of Southern Convocation.

November 16.—At the Bishop's House solemnized a marriage.

18.—Sunday, A.M., Prairieville, St. John's, with Rev. Dr. Davis and Rev. Mr. Brennan held services; 35 communicants. Evening, Louisiana, Calvary, with Rev. Mr. Brennan held services and confirmed 2.

19.—Addressed Louisiana High School. Received notice of resignation of Rev. W. L. Essex as assistant minister of St. Peter's, and as minister of St. Andrew's, St. Louis, effective January 1, 1918.

20.—Attended meeting of the Corporation of Grace-Holy Cross House. Received notice of resignation of Rev. George Lloyd as Rector of St. Paul's, St. Louis, effective November 15, 1917.

21.—A.M., celebrated Holy Communion with a sick person. Renewed Lay Reader's license to Dr. Ira C. Young, with permission to make addresses of his own composition. P.M., at the Bishop's House, confirmed 1. Evening, met in consultation with Vestry of St. Paul's, St. Louis.

24.—Jefferson City, Grace, confirmed 1.

25.—Sunday, Jefferson City, Grace, A.M., with Rev. Messrs. Barnes and Chambers held services. P.M., baptized an infant, Rev. Mr. Barnes assisting. Evening, with Rev. Messrs. Barnes and Chambers held services and confirmed 7.

26.—Received from Standing Committee consent to the shortening of the time of the diaconate for the Rev. Grover Harrison.

27.—Received and accepted from the Diocese of West Missouri the demit of James Sharratt, postulant.

28.—Evening, Jefferson Barracks, held service and preached.

29.—Thanksgiving Day, St. Louis, Cathedral, preached.

30.—St. Louis, St. Peter's, A.M., celebrated Holy Communion for the General Assembly of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Evening, presided at mass meeting under auspices of the Brotherhood, Bishop Reese of Ohio preaching.

December 2.—Sunday, St. Charles, 10 A.M., Trinity, baptized 9 children, and received one other with the sign of the cross. 11 A.M., celebrated Holy Communion and confirmed 5. Evening, held services and preached at Lindenwood College.

3.—Issued Lay Reader's licenses (general) to Mr. H. H. Fitts, Mr. Amos P. Parker and Mr. James Sharratt, postulant.

5.—Attended meeting of Barnard Trustees.

6.—Received notice from Bishop Gailor of deposition, November 27, of John M. Northrop, late presbyter of Tennessee. Attended meeting of Diocesan Missionary Board.

8.—Received notice of acceptance of pastorship of St. Stephen's, Ferguson, from October, by Rev. L. H. White. Assisted at a marriage in St. Peter's, St. Louis.

9.—Sunday, Cathedral, 10 A.M., confirmed 2 presented by Rev. Mr. Remick. 11 A.M., with Rev. Messrs. Remick and Kennedy held services.

12.—At the Bishop's House met with the commission appointed by the House of Bishop's to give advice to the Bishop of Utah. Attended meeting of Board of Directors of Convalescent Home. At Mercantile Club attended meeting of clergy and laity called to guide and quicken missionary interests in the Diocese. Attended meeting

of Cathedral Chapter. Attended meeting of Trustees of Missouri Botanical Garden.

December 16.—Sunday, A.M., Hannibal, Trinity, with Rev. Mr. Elden held services. This day the Rev. F. N. Chapman died at Kirksville, aged 46.

17.—Received notice from Bishop Rhinelander of suspension from the exercise of his ministry for two years from October 16, 1917, of George Chalmers Richmond, presbyter of Pennsylvania. Received notice from Bishop Webb of deposition by him, acting for Bishop McCormick, December 8, of Wallace Herbert Blake, late presbyter of Western Michigan, for causes not affecting his moral character.

19.—P.M., attended meeting of Cathedral Chapter. Evening, Bofinger Chapel, confirmed 7 presented by Rev. C. M. Davis.

21.—Gave canonical consent to consecration of Rev. Robert LeRoy Harris, Bishop Coadjutor-elect of Marquette.

23.—Sunday, St. Louis, A.M., St. John's, with Rev. Mr. Brittain held services and confirmed 9. P.M., made an address in the Greek Church of St. Nicholas, after its consecration by Archbishop Germanos of New York.

24.—Gave concurrence in and consent to the election of Rt. Rev. C. H. Brent, D.D., to be Bishop of Western New York. Evening, made an address at the Christmas tree of the nurses of St. Luke's Hospital.

25.—Christmas Day, A.M., Cathedral, with Rev. Messrs. Davis and Remick held services and preached.

28.—Appointed Rev. Harvey S. Hanson and Rev. J. P. Turner special examining chaplains to conduct the examination of Rev. Grover Harrison, applicant for priest's orders.

29.—Appointed Rev. George E. Norton and Mr. A. Blair Ridington to be delegates to the approaching Synod of the Southwest, to fill vacancies.

30.—Sunday, A.M., Kirkwood, Grace, with Rev. Dr. Wilkins held services and confirmed 24.

January 1, 1918.—A.M., Cathedral, with Bishops Johnson and Wise and the Rev. C. M. Davis, held services, celebrating Holy Communion and the Dean preaching.

3.—Attended meeting of Diocesan Missionary Board. Attended meeting of clergy and laity in preliminary preparation for a Lenten missionary campaign.

4.—Attended meeting at the Bishop's House in interest of the Church War Commission.

5.—Attended meeting of Trustees of Theological Education Fund.

6.—Sunday, St. Louis, All Saints', A.M., instituted Rev. Douchette Redman Clarke into the rectorship.

7.—Received from Rev. Messrs. Hanson and Turner, special examining chaplains, certificate of satisfactory passing by Rev. Grover Harrison of examination upon Church History.

9-11.—At Minneapolis for the consecration of Rev. W. P. Remington, Suffragan Bishop of Minnesota.

17-19.—At Keokuk, Iowa, for the consecration of the Rev. J. C. Sage, D.D., Bishop-elect of Salina.

January 15.—Received from Bishop Brewster notice of deposition, January 4, of Roderick J. Mooney, late Presbyter of Maine, at his own request, and for causes not affecting his moral character; also from Bishop Harding of deposition, December 22, of Thomas Hubert-Jones, late presbyter of Washington; also from Bishop Nichols of deposition, December 22, of William Ford Higby, late presbyter of California.

18.—Received notice from Bishop Rhinelander that on January 4 the names of John Jasinsky and Joseph Jasinsky were stricken from the list of the candidates for Holy Orders of Pennsylvania.

20.—Sunday, A.M., St. Louis, St. George's, with Rev. Mr. Kemerer, held services and confirmed 20.

22-25.—In attendance upon the session of the Synod of the Southwest, at Oklahoma City.

26.—St. Louis. On my eighty-first birthday, assisted at the funeral services of Miss Clark.

27.—Sunday, Cathedral, preached.

28.—Received from Bishop Johnson notice of deposition, January 8, of Harry Nilson, late Presbyter, and of Randolph Lee, late Deacon of Los Angeles, at the request of each, and for reasons not affecting his moral character.

30.—At Joplin, Mo., to help in the consecration of St. Philip's Church there.

31.—Attended a meeting preliminary to the proposed Missionary Campaign; Rev. Dr. Patton making the chief address.

February 1.—St. Louis, St. Philip's, celebrated the Holy Communion at the Quarterly Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese; the Bishop Coadjutor and Rev. Messrs. Cleveland and Bunting assisting, Rev. Dr. Patton making the address. P.M., Bofinger Chapel, confirmed 1, presented by Rev. George E. Norton.

2.—P.M., Cathedral, assisted in the service for the Burial of the dead at the funeral of Mrs. Alfred Bradford.

3.—Sunday, St. Louis, St. Paul's, A.M., with Rev. Mr. Dorrance, held services and confirmed 1, and celebrated Holy Communion. There were 37 communicants. P.M., at the Coliseum, offered prayer at a meeting held in the interest of Food Conservation.

3.—Sunday, A.M., St. Louis, St. Paul's, baptized an infant.

7.—Presided at the consecration of Robert LeRoy Harris, D.D., Bishop Coadjutor of Marquette, at St. Mark's Church, Toledo, Ohio.

8.—Appointed Rev. J. H. Lever and Mr. Thomas Q. Dix to be representatives of the Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Missouri in the Missouri Country Life Conference.

10.—Sunday, Ferguson, A.M., St. Stephen's, with Rev. L. H. White, held services and confirmed 2.

11.—Gave canonical consent to election of a Bishop Coadjutor for Mississippi. Received from Bishop Perry notice of deposition, January 12, of John Byron Diman, late deacon of Rhode Island, for causes not affecting his moral character. Attended meeting of Cathedral Chapter.

12.—St. Louis, St. Peter's, assisted at a marriage.

13.—Ash-Wednesday, A.M., Cathedral, with Rev. Messrs. Davis and Remick held services, the Dean preaching. P.M., Garrick Theater, made an address. Attended meeting of Trustees of Missouri Botanical Garden.

February 14.—St. Louis, Garrick Theater, made an address.

15.—Garrick Theater, made an address.

17.—Sunday, St. Louis, 7:30 A.M., St. Peter's, celebrated Holy Communion, Dr. Phillips assisting; 11 A.M., Good Shepherd, with Rev. J. W. Higson, celebrated Holy Communion and preached; 22 communicants.

18-19.—At Detroit, Mich., for Lenten services.

20.—Received from Bishop Colmore notice of deposition, August 19, 1917, of J. Alfred Holly, late deacon of the Missionary District of Haiti.

24.—Gave Letter Dismissory to Quincy in behalf of Rev. W. L. Essex, presbyter. Received notice of election of Rev. L. H. Burn to be curate of the Church of the Holy Communion, St. Louis, and pastor of St. Andrew's, St. Louis, from January 1, 1918. Licensed Rev. L. H. Burn to officiate in the Diocese of Missouri.

24.—Sunday, St. Louis, 7:30 A.M., St. Peter's, celebrated Holy Communion, Rev. Dr. Phillips assisting; 11 A.M., Ascension, with Rev. Mr. Bunting, held patriotic service under the auspices of the Society of the Sons of the Revolution, Mr. Bunting preaching; P.M., Cathedral, presided at Mass Meeting of S. S. children, Rev. Dr. Patton and Rev. Mr. Betticher making addresses.

25-March 1.—At Cincinnati, Ohio, for Lenten services.

27.—Received from Bishop Fawcett notice of acceptance, February 25, of Letter Dimissory of Rev. W. L. Essex.

March 3.—Sunday, St. Louis, 7:30 A.M., St. Peter's, celebrated Holy Communion, Rev. George Lloyd assisting; 11 A.M., Clayton, St. Michael and All Angels', with Rev. Mr. Norton, held services and confirmed 25. Evening, St. Andrew's, with Rev. Mr. Burn, held services. Attended meeting of Vestry of St. Andrew's.

4.—Kirkwood, Grace, assisted in Service for the Burial of the Dead, at the funeral of Henry W. Hough.

6.—Attended meeting of Barnard Trustees.

7.—Met with members of the Civic League at Hotel Statler; attended meeting of Diocesan Missionary Board.

10.—Sunday, St. Louis, 7:30 A.M., St. Peter's, with Rev. Dr. Phillips, celebrated Holy Communion; 11 A.M., Ascension, with Rev. Mr. Bunting, held services and confirmed 11; Evening, St. Philip's, with Rev. Mr. Cleveland, held services and confirmed 19.

11.—Under Canon 24, Section 3, of the Diocesan Canons, appointed Rev. Messrs. J. S. Bunting, H. W. Mizner and C. E. Remick to be a Board of Examiners in the case of Rev. Grover Harrison.

13.—Attended meetings of Board of Directors of Convalescent Home and of Board of Trustees of Missouri Botanical Garden.

15.—Received notice from Bishop Matthews of deposition, February 16, of Herman J. Keyser, late presbyter of New Jersey. Received from Board of Examiners their written finding that Rev. Grover Harrison should be presented for trial.

17.—Sunday, St. Louis, 7:30 A.M., St. Peter's, with Rev. G. Lloyd celebrated Holy Communion; 11 A.M., preached; 3:30 P.M., Bethesda Home, with Rev. Mr. Boden, held services and confirmed 2 for the Church of the Holy Communion; 5 P.M., St. Mary's, with Rev. Mr. White, laid corner stone of Parish House.

March 20.—St. Louis, P.M., Hotel Statler, at luncheon introduced the Archbishop of York as the guest of honor of the Chamber of Commerce, he making an address. Evening, Odeon, introduced the Archbishop of York, he and the Governor of Missouri making addresses. Attended meeting of Cathedral Chapter.

21.—St. Louis, P.M., St. Louis Club, attended luncheon given to the Clergy, and introduced the Archbishop of York, who made an address. Evening, Cathedral, with the Bishops Coadjutor of Missouri and Central New York held services, divers of the Clergy being in attendance, and the Archbishop of York preaching.

24.—Sunday, St. Louis, 7:30 A.M., St. Peter's, with Rev. Mr. Lloyd, celebrated Holy Communion; 11 A.M., Cathedral, with Rev. Messrs. Davis and Remick held services and confirmed 30; evening, 7:30, Holy Innocents', with Rev. Mr. Higson, held services and confirmed 5; 10 P.M., Odeon, pronounced benediction at Patriotic Mass Meeting of those of foreign birth.

27.—Attended meeting of Trustees of Missouri Botanical Garden.

29.—Good Friday, St. Louis, A.M., Cathedral, with Rev. Messrs. Davis and Remick, held services; P.M., Garrick Theater, addressed a Lenten service.

31.—Easter Day, St. Louis, 9:30 A.M., Orphans' Home, held services; 11 A.M., Cathedral, with Rev. Messrs. Davis and Remick held services, preached and celebrated Holy Communion; Evening, All Saints', with Rev. Mr. Clarke held services, preached, dedicated a flag, and confirmed 28.

April 2.—Presided at Annual Meeting of Orphans' Home Association.

3.—Attended meeting of Barnard Trustees.

5.—Received from Bishop Lawrence notice of removal, March 20, of name of Raymond Cooper Branion from list of candidates for Holy Orders of Massachusetts.

6.—Received from Bishop Cheshire notice of deposition, March 29, of Clarence G. Prosperi, late Deacon of Alabama, for reasons not affecting his moral character. By request, pronounced the Parish of Grace Church, Clarksville, to be deorganized and terminated.

7.—Sunday, St. Louis, A.M., St. George's, with Rev. Mr. Kemerer, held services and confirmed 5; P.M., Forest Park, pronounced benediction at a Liberty Loan Mass Meeting.

10-17.—In New York City, two days being given to attendance at a special session of the House of Bishops.

12.—Gave Letter Dimissory to Arkansas in behalf of Rev. Arthur E. Woodward, presbyter.

13.—Gave canonical consent to Bishop Remington for his absence from his District for more than three months.

15-18.—In Washington, D. C.

20.—Accepted as of the 23rd inst., resignation of Rev. Henry N. Hyde, Secretary of Synod of the Southwest, and appointed to said vacant office, as of said date, Rev. Robert H. Mize, of Kansas City, Kansas.

21.—Sunday, St. Louis, A.M., Holy Communion, with Rev. J. Boden, held services and confirmed 15; P.M., Trinity, with Rev. Mr. Cox, held services and confirmed 7.

23.—Macon, St. James', preached. Meeting of Hannibal Convocation.

- April 24.—Macon, St. James', preached and celebrated Holy Communion.
 25.—Received from Bishop Winchester acceptance, April 20, of Letter Dimissory of Rev. Arthur E. Woodward.
 Upon notice from the Hannibal Convocation of nomination of Rev. George E. Wharton to be Dean, appointed Mr. Wharton to be Dean of said Convocation.
 28.—Sunday, Columbia, Calvary, A.M., with Rev. B. E. Reed, held services and confirmed 13, an excellent class, presented by Mr. Reed; P.M., with Mr. Reed, held services.

Episcopal Acts.

POSTULANTS.

1915. Aug. 13. William Eckman.
 1916. Sept. 19. Howard Dudley White.
 1916. Sept. 29. Gerald Howard Persem.
 1917. Mar. 5. John Dwight Bridge.
 1917. Mar. 27. Roy Spencer Rawson.
 1917. Jan. 28. Benjamin Horton.
 1917. Nov. 27. James Sharratt.

CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS.

None.

EXAMINING CHAPLAINS.

- Rev. J. Courtney Jones.
 Rev. Z. B. T. Phillips.

ORDAINED DEACONS.

1917. May 20. Rev. Charles F. Bourscheidt. *T. H. H. C.*
 1917. June 17. Rev. W. W. S. Hohenschild.
 1917. June 17. Rev. Grover W. Harrison.

ORDAINED PRIEST.

1917. June 17. Rev. Frederick Lewis Gratiot. *W. H. C.*

CLERGYMEN DIED.

1917. Dec. 16. Rev. Frederick Normanton Chapman. Aged 46.
 1918. Apr. 7. Rev. Otto Brant of Bethlehem.

CLERGYMEN RECEIVED FROM OTHER DIOCESES.

1917. June 11. Rev. John BodenMinnesota
 1917. Oct. 9. Rev. Douchette Redman Clarke Pennsylvania.
 1917. Nov. 16. Rev. Carl Reed Taylor.....West Missouri.

CLERGYMEN TRANSFERRED TO OTHER DIOCESES.

1918. Feb. 20. Rev. William Leopold Essex.....Quincy.
 1918. Apr. 20. Rev. Arthur E. Woodward.....Arkansas.

ELECTION OF CLERGY TO PARISHES.

1918. July 3. Rev. Leonard H. Burn.....Curate of Church of Holy Communion.

CANONICAL CONSENT TO CONSECRATION OF BISHOPS.

1917. July 3. Rev. Edwin Warren Saphore.....Suffragan Bishop of Arkansas.
 1917. July 18. Rev. Arthur Conover
 Thomson, D. D.Suffragan of Southern Virginia.
 1917. Aug. 9. Rev. Henry Tunis MooreBishop Coadjutor of Dallas.
 1917. Oct. 6. Rev. Henry Judah Mikell, D.D.Atlanta.
 1917. Dec. 21. Rev. Robert L. Roy Harris.....Bishop Coadjutor of Marquette.
 1918. Jan. 9. Rev. William P. Remington.....Suffragan Bishop of S. Dakota.
 1918. Jan. 18. Rev. John Charles SageSalina.

GAVE CONSENT TO THE ELECTION OF BISHOP COADJUTOR TO BE BISHOP.

1917. June 12. Rt. Rev. Frank Arthur
 McElvainMinnesota.

GAVE CONSENT TO THE ELECTION OF SUFFRAGAN BISHOPS TO BE COADJUTOR.

1917. June 12. Rt. Rev. Harry Sherman
 LongleyIowa.
 1917. June 18. Rt. Rev. Wilson Reiff Stearley..Newark.

GAVE CONSENT AND CONCURRENCE TO THE ELECTION.

1917. Dec. 24. Rt. Rev. Charles H. Brent, D.D.Missionary Bishop of the Philippines, as Bishop of Western New York.

ELECTION OF CLERGY TO PARISHES.

1917. June 1. Rev. John BodenHoly Communion.
 1917. July 1. Rev. James D. Simmons.....Mt. Calvary.
 1917. July 30. Rev. Douchette R. ClarkeAll Saints'.
 1917. Oct. 1. Rev. Linden H. WhiteSt. Stephen's, Ferguson.
 1917. Oct. 1. Rev. Horatio N. Tragitt, Jr.Crystal City.
 1917. Nov. 16. Rev. Carl Reed TaylorGrace, Holy Cross.
 1918. Feb. 1. Rev. Douglass H. AtwillSt. Augustine's.

RESIGNATION OF PARISHES.

1917. Aug. 31. Rev. Richard Allen Hatch.....Trinity, St. Charles.
 1917. Sept. 1. Rev. James D. Simmons.....St. Stephen's, Ferguson.
 1917. Nov. 20. Rev. George LloydSt. Paul's, St. Louis.
 1917. Dec. 3. Rev. Samuel E. Arthur.....Mt. Calvary.
 1918. Jan. 1. Rev. William L. Essex.....Assistant, St. Peter's.

DROPPED FROM THE LIST OF CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS.

1917. July 26. George W. MeadeNewark.
 1918. Jan. 18. John JasinskyPennsylvania.
 1918. Jan. 18. Joseph JasinskyPennsylvania.
 1918. Apr. 5. Raymond Cooper Brainon.....Massachusetts.

SUSPENSION FROM THE MINISTRY FOR TWO YEARS.

1917. Dec. 17. George Chalmers Richmond....Pennsylvania.

NOTICE HAS BEEN RECEIVED OF DEPOSITION OF THE FOLLOWING NAMED CLERGYMEN.

1917. Apr.	9.	Robert Wetmore Wells	Presbyter, Michigan
1917. June	16.	William F. Kleinschmidt	Presbyter, Duluth.
1917. July	3.	John C. Kerrin	Presbyter, Western New York.
1917. July	24.	Isaac Glendennin Perkins	Deacon, Arkansas.
1917. July	26.	A. Peter Tulp	Presbyter, Newark.
1917. Aug.	13.	George A. Wieland	Presbyter, Ohio.
1917. Aug.	18.	Frank Albers	Presbyter, Ohio.
1917. Sept.	18.	Gerald A. Cornell	Presbyter, Long Island.
1917. Sept.	20.	Edgar A. Sherrod	Presbyter, Florida.
1917. Sept.	29.	Charles Kendall Drake	Presbyter, Vermont.
1917. Oct.	1.	Alfred G. A. Buxton	Presbyter, Iowa.
1917. Oct.	15.	James Edward McGarvey	Deacon, Oklahoma.
1917. Oct.	22.	S. S. Powell	Presbyter, West Virginia.
1917. Nov.	1.	Robert M. Diebert	Deacon, Iowa.
1917. Dec.	6.	John M. Northrop	Presbyter, Tennessee.
1917. Dec.	17.	Wallace Herbert Blake	Presbyter, West Michigan.
1918. Jan.	15.	Roderick J. Mooney	Presbyter, Maine.
1918. Jan.	15.	Thomas Herbert Jones	Presbyter, Washington, D. C.
1918. Jan.	15.	William Ford Higby	Presbyter, California.
1918. Jan.	28.	Harry Nelson	Presbyter, Los Angeles.
1918. Jan.	28.	Randolph Lee	Deacon, Los Angeles.
1918. Feb.	11.	John Byron Dimon	Deacon, Rhode Island.
1918. Feb.	20.	J. Alfred Holly	Deacon, Haiti.
1918. Mar.	15.	Herman J. Keyser	Presbyter, New Jersey.
1918. Apr.	6.	Clarence G. Prosperin	Deacon, Alabama.

LAY READERS.

1917. May	15.	Edwin Freegard	General. With added license to deliver addresses of his own composition.
1917. May	20.	James M. Bull	Ascension.
1917. May	20.	W. H. Grocott	Ascension.
1917. Nov.	21.	Dr. Ira C. Young	General. With added license to deliver addresses.
1917. Dec.	3.	H. H. Fitts	General.
1917. Dec.	3.	Amos P. Parker	St. Philip's.
1917. Dec.	3.	James Sharratt	General.
1917. Mar.	22.	Roy S. Rawson	Holy Communion.
1917. Apr.	30.	A. D. Pomeroy	General.
1916. May	10.	J. B. B. Prosser	General.
1916. May	10.	John B. Norris	St. Andrew's.
1916. May	12.	C. H. Fauntleroy	General.
1916. May	12.	A. T. Cotsworth	General.
1916. May	25.	Howard Dudley White	Palmyra, St. Paul's.
1916. July	7.	John B. Whitehead	General.
1916. Aug.	10.	Richard Kopplin	General.
1916. Aug.	10.	Charles F. Maybury	General.
1916. Oct.	10.	William M. Bock	St. Andrew's.
1916. June	7.	Walter H. Saunders	General.
1916. Apr.	8.	Heusted J. Young	General.
1916. Mar.	4.	George C. Hurd	General. With added license to deliver addresses of his own composition.
1916. May	2.	Charles C. Robertson	General.
1916. May	2.	A. B. Ambler	General.
1916. May	2.	George R. Robinson	General.
1916. May	2.	James A. Waterworth	General.
1915. May	2.	Albert Burgess	All Saints'.

1915. May	2. A. B. Vashon	All Saints'.
1915. May	2. F. G. Williamson	Ferguson.
1915. May	2. James Fetherstonh	Mt. Calvary.
1915. May	22. Nelson G. Edwards	Old Orchard.
1915. May	22. Carl W. Minch	St. Paul's, St. Louis.
1915. May	22. William Kendall	Holy Innocents'.

OFFICIATING IN THE DIOCESE BY PERMISSION.

Rev. Leonard H. Burn, Curate of Holy Communion and Pastor of
St. Andrew's.

CONFIRMATIONS BY BISHOP TUTTLE.

For the year ending April 30, 1918.

Clayton	26
Columbia	13
Ferguson	2
Jefferson City	8
Kirkwood	24
Old Orchard	29
Louisiana	2
Macon	12
St. Charles	14
St. Louis—	
All Saints'	28
Ascension	11
Cathedral	39
Holy Communion	17
Holy Innocents'	5
Redeemer	16
St. George's	25
St. John's	9
St. Paul's	1
St. Philip's	19
Trinity	7
Total	307

Besides, 99 for the Diocese of New York, 2 for the Diocese of Newark,
2 for the Diocese of Western Michigan, 1 for the Diocese of Washington,
24 for the Missionary District of Utah, and 1 for the Diocese of Springfield.

BAPTISMS BY BISHOP TUTTLE.

(Infants.)

Jefferson City	1
Palmyra	2
St. Charles	9
St. Louis—St. Paul's	1
	13

MARRIAGES BY BISHOP TUTTLE.

St. Louis—Cathedral, 2; St. Peter's, 1; total, 3.

Besides 1 each in the Dioceses of Pennsylvania and Western Michigan.

BURIAL BY BISHOP TUTTLE.

St. Louis—Cathedral, 1.

MISSIONARY HOST FUND.

Receipts.

In Treasury, Treasurer's report of May 13, 1917\$1,182.98

Expenditures.

Rent of Odeon	\$ 100.00	
Printing, Postage and Badges	40.50	
Bishop Johnson	521.21	
Calvary, Louisiana	58.77	
Holy Innocents', St. Louis	102.50	
Hospital Missions, St. Louis	120.00	
St. Andrew's, St. Louis	25.00	
St. Paul's, St. Louis	100.00	
Theological Education	115.00	\$1,182.98

TRUST FUNDS HELD BY THE BISHOP.

I. The Gill Legacy:

Certificate of deposit, Mississippi Valley Trust Co.....\$1,198.83

II. Funds for All Saints', St. Louis:

Three bonds, East St. Louis & Suburban Railway Co.....	\$3,000.00	
Two bonds (\$1,000 and \$500), Home Telephone Co. of Kansas		
City	1,500.00	
		\$4,500.00

Interest paid semi-annually to All Saints' Church.

III. The O'Dell Legacy:

Three bonds, E. St. Louis & Suburban Railway Co.....	\$3,000.00
--	------------

Income of \$2,000 paid semi-annually for burying the poor of the Cathedral Congregation. Income of \$500 each paid semi-annually to All Saints' Church, St. Louis, and to St. Stephen's House, St. Louis.

A "Special Fund" of \$3,725.41, reported last year, has been paid for the erection of the Church at Kirkville, Mo.

IV. The Bishop Tuttle Trust Fund:

Five bonds, Chicago Railway Co.	\$5,000.00	
Interest on hand last report	\$100.70	
Interest accrued	250.00	350.70
Paid for educational work	\$200.00	
Paid for Church Federation	100.00	
Paid for Clergyman's Widow	20.00	
Cash in hand	30.70	\$ 350.70

V. The DeVinney Legacy:

Five bonds, Pittsburgh & Joplin Railway Co.....	\$5,000.00
Certificate of deposit, Mercantile Trust Co.	709.11
Cash in hand	164.84
	<hr/>
	\$5,873.95

Income to be used for Aged and Infirm Clergy of the Diocese.	
Amount given this year to two clergymen and one widow of	
clergyman	\$ 172.50

SUMMARY—BISHOP TUTTLE.

Sermons and addresses	120
Holy Communion, times administered	49
Confirmations, on 27 occasions	307
Baptisms (infant)	13
Marriages	3
Burials	1
Postulants	6
Candidates for Holy Orders	0
Ordained:	
Deacons	3
Priests	1
Lay Readers licensed	32
Clergymen received from other Dioceses	3
Clergymen transferred to other Dioceses	2
Clergyman died	1
Parishes in union with Convention	32
Mission Stations in good standing	31
Clergymen receiving Missionary Stipend	16
Clergymen entitled to vote in Convention	46
Number of Clergy Canonically resident:	
Bishops	2
Priests	53
Deacons	3
	<hr/>
	58

BISHOP'S PURSE.

Receipts.

Afton	\$ 3.50
Clayton	41.96
Columbia	14.42
Ferguson	8.00
Jefferson City	20.75
Louisiana	14.74
Macon	9.05
Moberly	9.00
Old Orchard	33.15
Palmyra	21.00
Prairieville	24.00
St. Charles	11.83
St. Louis:	
All Saints'	22.85
Ascension	55.74
Cathedral	428.35

Good Shepherd	4.75	
Holy Communion	39.39	
Holy Innocents'	6.55	
Redeemer	10.00	
St. Andrew's		1.40
St. George's	82.17	
St. Paul's	10.00	
St. Peter's	30.00	
St. Philip's	13.07	
Trinity	8.35	
Twenty-two friends	879.50	
		<u>\$1,803.52</u>

EXPENDITURES.

Paid D. S. Tuttle, balance due May 1, 1917.....	\$ 218.22	
Parishes	751.81	
Mission Stations	127.74	
Clergymen	45.00	
Books and Tracts.....	83.47	
Hospitality	51.80	
Diocesan Missions	510.00	
Miscellaneous	3.60	
Balance, cash in hand.....	11.88	
		<u>\$1,803.52</u>

The Bishop Coadjutor's Journal.

1917.

May 4.—Evening with the Rev. F. M. Weddell, assisted in Evening Prayer at Salem, preached, confirmed 3 and addressed the candidates.

5.—Called on friends in Cuba.

6.—Sunday, Morning, St. Louis, Church of the Holy Communion, preached and celebrated the Holy Communion. Preached at Monticello Seminary, Godfrey, Ill.

8.—Jefferson City, Convocation. Assisted in evening service.

9.—Jefferson City, Convocation. Celebrated the Holy Communion and gave address *Ad Clerum*. Participated in the discussions of the day and assisted in service at night.

10.—Jefferson City, Convocation. Participated in the discussions of the day and in the evening preached at Grace Church.

11.—St. Louis, Evening, meeting of the Missionary Board.

12.—St. Louis, issued Lay Reader's license to Mr. Leslie Richards for Prince of Peace, Baden.

13.—Sunday, Morning, Valley Park, preached and celebrated the Holy Communion. Afternoon, St. Louis, annual meeting of the Missionary Host at the Odeon. Made an address.

14.—St. Louis, in the morning at breakfast received telegram telling me of the death of my brother by accident at his home in Painesville, Ohio. Evening, Kirksville, assisted by the Rev. R. D. Putney, laid the corner stone of the new Trinity Church, and made an address. Confirmed 3 persons and preached.

16.—Painesville, Ohio, at the burial service of my brother, Lee M. Johnson.

17.—At the parish church in Newtown, Conn., where we were baptized on the same day and confirmed together, the burial service was said for my brother. Later, in the churchyard, near to our old home, gathering with other members of our family and friends, I committed the body of my brother to the ground, "earth to earth, ashes to ashes, dust to dust; looking for the general resurrection in the last day, and the life of the world to come, through our Lord Jesus Christ."

19.—Reached St. Louis from New York.

20.—Sunday, Evening, Portland, read evening prayer and preached. Baptized a babe. Made calls among the people.

22.—St. Louis, 10 o'clock, celebrated the Holy Communion in Christ Church Cathedral, opening the Diocesan Convention. Afternoon, presided at the sessions of the Convention. Read to the Convention my annual address. Evening, with Bishop Tuttle in Bishop's reception at the Bishop's House.

23.—St. Louis, 7 o'clock, celebrated the Holy Communion for the Diocesan League of Lay Readers at Bofinger Chapel of the Cathedral. Took breakfast with the members of the League. Attended morning prayer later and participated during the day in the doings of the Diocesan Convention. Evening, St. George's Chapel, assisted in missionary service.

May 24.—St. Louis, Morning, attended Morning Prayer at Bofinger Chapel. Participated in the doings of the Diocesan Convention. Evening, St. Luke's Hospital, attended meeting of the Hospital Association.

25.—St. Louis, Grace-Holy Cross, assisted in the celebration of the Holy Communion. In attendance at the annual meeting of the Diocesan Woman's Auxiliary. In the afternoon made an address. Received resignation of C. C. Curtice from the Bishop's Committee for Holy Cross House.

27.—Whitsunday, St. Louis, Morning, celebrated the Holy Communion at St. Philip's Church. Afternoon, officiated at the burial of Mrs. John P. Keiser at her late home in Portland Place, and at the interment in Bellefontaine Cemetery.

28.—St. Louis, Evening, St. Philip's Parish House, made address at teachers' and parents' meeting.

29.—St. Louis, received resignation of W. C. Stith from the Bishop's Committee of Holy Cross House. Evening, with the Rev. J. H. Lever, had outdoor services and singing at the Industrial Home, Bellefontaine, and made short address.

31.—St. Louis, Noon, attended a meeting of the Committee on Comity of the Church Federation.

June 1.—St. Louis, Evening, made the invocation and pronounced the benediction at a meeting in the interests of patriotism under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A.

2.—St. Louis, Morning, St. John's Church, participated in a meeting of the Junior Auxiliary, with the Rev. Mr. Brittain, and blessed a beautiful cross presented by the Juniors to Mrs. Edith P. Howard, the retiring President. Left St. Louis for Thayer.

3.—Trinity Sunday, Evening, Thayer, with the Rev. A. E. Woodward, had Evening Prayer, confirmed 1, addressed the candidate and preached.

7.—Received the resignation of the Rev. B. L. Reed with notice that it is the judgment of the minister and people of St. Matthew's Mission, St. Louis, that the mission of which Mr. Reed has been the faithful minister for years ought to be discontinued. I accept the resignation, with thanks to Mr. Reed for his long faithfulness and gentleness in ministering to the people in holy things.

10.—Sunday, at the University of the South, as a trustee. Participated in the annual commencement. In the evening took part in the annual service of St. Luke's Brotherhood in the University Chapel, and gave the benediction.

11.—St. Barnabas Day, Sewanee, partook of the Holy Communion in St. Luke's Chapel. Noon, attended meeting of the Alumni Association. Afternoon, attended meeting of trustees of University of the South.

12.—St. Louis, received notice from Mr. C. W. Alban that it was the judgment of the congregation of St. Matthew's Mission that the Mission would better be disbanded and discontinued. I see no way but to take their view of the situation and to pronounce accordingly. St. Matthew's people have been for many years a faithful and devoted band. Afternoon, met with the Committee of Holy Cross Corporation. Evening, meeting of Committee for the Bishop Tuttle Commemorative Church.

13.—St. Louis, met at their request with members of the Cathedral Chapter. Evening, Jennings, with the Rev. Oscar Lindstrom, had Evening Prayer, confirmed 2, addressed the candidates and preached. Had informal congregational meeting to talk over business affairs.

June 14.—St. Louis, received resignation of the Rev. George F. Taylor, minister of Grace-Holy Cross Mission, St. Louis, to take effect July 1, 1917.

14.—Accepted resignation of the Rev. George F. Taylor to take effect July 1, and I give him my thanks for all good works which he has done during the past seven years as minister of Grace-Holy Cross Mission. I wish him happiness in all good ends he aims at in the future, and I hope that God will bless him and give him joy in whatever new home he makes and in whatever new work he takes in hand.

14.—St. Louis, Washington University, made the invocation and pronounced the benediction at the annual commencement.

15.—St. Louis, Evening, St. Augustine's informal congregational meeting to discuss proposed parish house and other matters.

16.—Grace Church, Kirkwood, afternoon, conducted quiet hour by request of the officers of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Left for De Soto at night.

17.—Sunday, Morning, De Soto, assisted the Rev. V. O. Penley in the service and preached. Informal meeting to talk business matters at the close of service. Afternoon, Crystal City, called among the people. In the evening had informal meeting of the congregation of Grace Church. Reached Herculaneum at 9:30 in evening and talked over matters concerning the work of the mission with the Rev. F. M. Weddell and Deaconess Sniffen.

18.—St. Louis, had the Rev. A. E. Woodward, of Poplar Bluff, with me for luncheon and to talk over business matters. 2 p. m., meeting of Church Federation Committee. Evening, meeting of Committee for the Bishop Tuttle Commemorative Church.

19.—St. Louis, had the Rev. George L. Barnes, rector of Jefferson City, in conference with me, and appointed him to the charge of Grace-Holy Cross Mission, St. Louis, during the month of July, subject to the approval of the Committee of the Corporation. Appointed the following workers in the Mission of Grace-Holy Cross, until further notice (subject to the approval of the Committee of the Corporation), they having signified to me their desire and willingness to remain on the working staff: C. R. Greene, music; William Moore and Mrs. Catherine Tessner, janitors; Mrs. Gronemeyer, milk station. Appointed Miss Joanna Bailey to continue in the work of her department during July and August. Called on Dr. R. L. Hild, chief of the medical staff of the Holy Cross Dispensary for the past 10 years and learned from him that he and his entire staff desire to continue the work of the Dispensary in the future as in the past, and reported the same to the Committee of the Corporation.

22.—St. Louis, Afternoon, meeting of the Committee of Holy Cross Corporation.

23.—St. Louis, St. Peter's Church, by invitation of the Rector, assisted him in the service of the Holy Communion, in commemoration of the early labors of the Rev. Dr. Berkeley, first rector of St. Peter's.

24.—Nativity St. John Baptist, St. Louis, Morning, conference in my study with the Rev. J. Howard Lever, Hospital Missionary. 10:15, St. George's Church by special request, confirmed a candidate, presented by the Rev. B. T. Kemerer. 11 o'clock, by invitation of the warden, preached in All Saints' Church and assisted in the service of Morning Prayer.

July 26.—Appointed the Rev. H. N. Tragitt, Jr., to the charge of Grace, Crystal City, and Grace, Herculaneum, from October 1st.

August 5.—Philadelphia. I preached in the morning for an old school-mate, and at night for a former member of my South Dakota clergy staff. In the afternoon I preached by invitation of Bishop Rhinelander at an open air service on the proposed site of the Cathedral.

10.—St. Louis, Morning, Church of the Holy Communion, celebrated the Holy Communion for the Pilgrimage of Prayer, assisted by the Rev. W. L. Essex. Also conducted quiet day meditations at request of the Woman's Auxiliary. Evening, St. Stephen's Church, Ferguson, preached in connection with the Pilgrimage of Prayer.

12.—Sunday, preached in the morning at Palmyra and administered the Holy Communion. In the afternoon had interview with the Rev. H. L. Hoover, and members of the vestry of St. Jude's, Monroe. Mr. Hoover is off for the war and leaves this important parish without much opportunity of spiritual privileges. But I have no doubt that he is doing his duty as he sees it. At night, under the auspices of the Ministerial Alliance, I preached in an open air park service in Monroe.

13.—In the morning I called on the Rev. Mr. Edwards, rector of Macon, and we had luncheon together and a pleasant confab. I called on some of the sick of the city whom I learned to know some years ago. In the afternoon journeyed to Kirksville. The Rev. Mr. Putney met me at the station and with great joy showed me the new Trinity Church which is fast nearing completion.

14.—St. Louis, conference with members of the Holy Cross Committee.

15.—St. Louis, conference with the Rev. F. M. Weddell on various matters in his mission field. Conference in the matter of plans for the Bishop Tuttle Commemorative Church.

16.—Jefferson City, took luncheon with the Rev. G. L. Barnes.

19.—Sunday, St. Louis, Grace-Holy Cross Mission, administered the Holy Communion and made an address. Superintended the Sunday School and catechised the children. Had a conference with Miss Grimes, who has taught kindergarten here for four years and re-engaged her and her co-worker, Miss Davis, for the work this autumn. In the evening had evening service and preached.

22.—Having received and accepted the resignation of Miss Joanna B. Bailey as parish worker at Grace-Holy Cross, I today appointed Miss Emma A. Luther to assist in this work until a permanent parish worker is on the ground. My thanks to Miss Bailey for the good works which she has done during the past four years.

23.—Kirkwood, went out with Mr. Thomas Q. Dix and looked over the farm which has lately been acquired as a County Home for Convalecents.

24.—St. Louis, St. Bartholomew's Day. Administered the Holy Communion at Grace-Holy Cross Church.

26.—Sunday, St. Louis, Grace-Holy Cross. Administered the Holy Communion and preached. Met with the Sunday School and talked to the children. Had Evening Prayer. The preacher was the Rev. Carl Reed Taylor, of St. John's Church, Kansas City.

31.—Herculaneum, morning, in the Deaconess House, administered the Holy Communion and made an address. Had a conference with the Deaconess, whose work is so heavy that she will break down if she doesn't watch out. Hunted up a contractor and arranged to have our building stuccoed.

September 2.—Sunday, in the morning I celebrated the Holy Communion among the soldier boys at Jefferson Barracks and made an address.

In the afternoon I went to Mexico, preached in the evening in St. Paul's Church, and spent the night with the Rev. Mr. Wharton and his family. The congregation was the largest that I have ever seen in the Mexico church. I take this to mean that the work of the rector is being felt in the community.

September 3.—St. Louis. Interview with the Rev. J. Howard Lever on matters connected with the work in the city institutions. In the afternoon I went with the Rev. F. M. Weddell to the union chapel at Florissant, where Mr. Weddell has a service usually on one Sunday afternoon each month. Mr. Weddell presented for confirmation a woman of eighty-three years, who has long been learning to love the ways of the Church. This is the first confirmation recorded in Florissant in many years. I preached and, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Weddell, administered the Holy Communion.

4.—St. Louis, met with a member of a committee to consider business matters in connection with a one hundred dollar debt still resting on our lot and building at St. Luke's, Harney Heights, a mission two years old. Attended meeting of Committee of Holy Cross Corporation. In the evening had the Rev. Messrs. Jones, Weddell and Putney with me at dinner, and consulted with them in the matter of the program for meeting of Southern Convocation at Crystal City in November.

5.—In the evening read Evening Prayer and preached in St. Peter's, Canton.

6.—St. Louis, in the evening I attended a meeting of the congregation of St. Timothy's Church. Went over many matters of business importance.

7.—In the evening attended a meeting of the congregation of St. Luke's, Harney Heights.

9.—Sunday, at 9 in the morning had a service and preached at Jefferson Barracks. At 11 I assisted in the service and preached for the congregation of All Saints', St. Louis. In the afternoon I left for Kansas City for a conference with the Rev. Carl Reed Taylor, Rector of St. John's Church, in that city.

10.—St. Louis, conference with the Rev. L. H. White in regard to building plans for the Bishop Tuttle Commemorative Church.

12.—Appointed the Rev. Carl Reed Taylor to be minister of the unorganized mission of Grace-Holy Cross, St. Louis, his nomination for the position having been approved at a meeting of the Committee of the Holy Cross Corporation, September 4.

18.—Received of the Rev. Carl Reed Taylor his acceptance of appointment as minister of Grace-Holy Cross Mission, St. Louis, to take effect October 14, 1917.

23.—Sunday, preached in Trinity Church, Newtown, Conn., and spent the day with my people in my old home.

24.—In the village cemetery, Newtown, I read the committal service at the grave of Mrs. Sylvester Clarke.

30.—Sunday, St. Louis, Grace-Holy Cross, administered the Holy Communion at 7:30. Met with the Sunday School at 9:15. Read Morning Prayer and preached at 10:45; read Evening Prayer and preached at 8.

October 2.—St. Louis, Christ Church Cathedral, assisted in the service at the burial of Mr. Francis J. McMaster, and later in Bellefontaine cemetery said part of the service at the grave.

3.—In Ascension Church, St. Louis, in which he was a most devoted and helpful worker, attended the burial service of Mr. Dudley Bragdon.

October 4.—St. Louis, attended a delightful reception given in honor of the new rector, the Rev. D. R. Clarke, in the parish rooms of All Saints' Church, and made an address of welcome.

7.—Sunday, St. Louis, in the morning celebrated the Holy Communion at Grace-Holy Cross Mission, and made an address. Celebrated the Holy Communion and preached at St. Augustine's Church, baptized an infant. Met with the business committee at the close of the service. In the afternoon laid the corner stone of the splendid new Church of the Epiphany which is building at the corner of Boyle and Gibson avenues, and made an address.

8.—St. Louis, visited the kindergarten of Grace-Holy Cross and played with the children; conferred with Miss Emma Luther, who is serving so efficiently as temporary parish worker here.

9.—St. Louis, at noon, at the Mercantile Club, met with the Committee of the Clericus and the chairman of the Committee of the Diocese, to consider plans for ministering in spiritual things at the Jefferson Barracks recruiting station. At 4 attended a meeting of the Committee of Holy Cross Corporation. In the evening attended dinner and meeting of the Council of the Church Federation at which was discussed the proposed plan of work for the Federation during the winter.

12.—Friday, St. Louis, in the evening attended meeting of the Missionary Board.

14.—Sunday, morning, read Morning Prayer and preached at St. Luke's chapel, Jennings. Visited Jefferson Barracks in the afternoon and conferred with officers of the Y. M. C. A. there. In the evening with the Rev. J. Howard Lever and Deaconess Brainerd, with the children of the Industrial School, St. Louis.

15.—Monday, St. Louis, 8:30 a. m., meeting of the Committee on the Bishop Tuttle Commemorative Church. 2 p. m., met with the Committee on Comity of the Church Federation at the Public Library.

16.—Tuesday, went to Chicago.

17, 18, 19.—Chicago, in attendance at meeting of the House of Bishops.

20.—St. Louis. Conference with the Rev. F. M. Weddell, missionary at large.

21.—Sunday, St. Louis, 11 a. m., read Morning Prayer and preached at St. Augustine's. 4 p. m., with the Rev. Oscar Lindstrom, St. Luke's, Harney Heights, confirmed 1 and preached at 7:45 p. m., Baden, Mission of the Prince of Peace, read Evening Prayer and preached.

23.—Cape Girardeau, afternoon, met with the women of the parish guild, and made an address. Visited State Normal School. Evening, Christ Church, with Rev. J. J. Clopton, read Evening Prayer, confirmed 5, addressed the candidates, and preached.

24.—St. Louis. The Rev. V. O. Penley of De Soto came for conference with me, and spent the night.

26.—Took luncheon with the Rev. George E. Wharton and Mrs. Wharton and Ruth, at Mexico. In the afternoon, at Mr. George Colvert's, Vandalia, had prayers with Mrs. Colvert, who was very ill. In the evening, with the Rev. George E. Wharton, at Liberty Church, in the country among the farms, near Vandalia, read Evening Prayer and preached.

27.—Saturday, Bowling Green. Called on a number of our people.

28.—Sunday. Held services morning and evening in Christ Church Moberly. Met the people of the congregation after morning service. In the afternoon made many calls in the parish. Took midnight train for Monroe City.

October 29.—Monroe City. Held an informal meeting with the vestry of St. Jude's parish, and talked over business affairs with them. Evening, St. Louis. Missouri Athletic Club, met with the League of Lay Leaders, made an address, and listened to interesting and encouraging reports of the work of the League.

30.—St. Louis. Meeting in the afternoon with the Committee of the Bishop Tuttle Church. Evening, St. George's, St. Louis. Attended dinner of the Church Club. It was a capital meeting. Plans were made to raise at least \$2,000 per year during the period of the war for a man in Holy Orders to minister among the soldier boys at Jefferson Barracks. The members of the club pledged the amount. I made an address.

November 1.—All Saints' Day, with the Rev. John S. Bunting, rector. I celebrated the Holy Communion at Ascension Church, St. Louis. In the evening, assisted in a service at All Saints' Church in memory of the late rector, the Rev. C. M. C. Mason.

2.—The twelfth anniversary of my consecration to the office of a Bishop. I assisted the Bishop of Missouri in the celebration of the Holy Communion at Emmanuel, Old Orchard, at the quarterly meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary, and made an address.

4.—Sunday, St. Louis, in the morning administered the Holy Communion, assisted by the Rev. H. N. O'Connor, at St. Alban's Chapel, and preached. At St. George's, confirmed a candidate presented by the Rev. B. T. Kemerer, and made an address. In the afternoon, with the Rev. J. H. Lever, and the volunteer workers, held services and made addresses in three of the wards of the City Infirmary, also preached in the Infirmary chapel.

5.—St. Louis, attended a meeting of the Directors of the Church Club to consider matters connected with the Church's work at Jefferson Barracks. Attended a meeting of the Committee of the Bishop Tuttle Commemorative Church.

6.—Kirksville, first session of the autumn meeting of the Northern Convocation. Assisted by the Rev. R. D. Putney and a number of the clergy, I dedicated the beautiful new Trinity Church, and preached the sermon.

7.—Kirksville, Trinity Church, morning, celebrated Holy Communion. Took part in the discussions in connection with the meeting of the Convocation. Received notice from the vestry of St. Jude's, Monroe City, that the resignation of the Rev. H. L. Hoover had been accepted. Left Kirksville at midnight for St. Louis.

8.—St. Louis, in the afternoon, at Christ Church Cathedral, read the burial service for Herbert E. Tuttle, Bishop Tuttle's son, and in Bellefontaine Cemetery committed his body to the ground.

9.—St. Louis, attended meeting of the Committee of Bishop Tuttle Church. Attended meeting of the Committee for Grace-Holy Cross Mission. In the evening took supper with the members of the Triangle Club of the Union Methodist Church, and made the address.

11.—Sunday, visited Monticello Seminary, Godfrey, Ill., and preached to the students.

12.—St. Louis, meeting of the Committee of Directors of Church Club. I nominated for the work at Jefferson Barracks the Rev. Samuel M. Dorrance, rector of St. George's, Central Falls, R. I. By vote of the Directors, I invited Mr. Dorrance to take charge of the work.

13.—Crystal City, in the evening the first session of the meetings of the Southern Convocation was opened at Grace Church. The sermon was by the Rev. V. O. Penley, of De Soto. I assisted in the service.

November 14.—Crystal City, in the morning, Grace Church, made address ad clerum and administered the Holy Communion. At noon, in the Pittsburgh Plate Glass works, made an address to the workmen in behalf of the drive of the Y. M. C. A. war work. In the evening assisted in service at the chapel in Herculaneum. Later, at the Opera House, Festus, made address in behalf of Y. M. C. A. drive.

15.—Crystal City, participated in the meetings of the Southern Convocation. At noon addressed the workmen on a construction job at the St. Joe Lead Works, Herculaneum, on the Y. M. C. A. war work drive. In the evening assisted in the closing service of the Convocation, at Crystal City. Bishop Tuttle preached.

16.—Received from the Rev. William J. Wilson, rector Christ Church, Sackets Harbor, N. Y., notice of his acceptance of the rectorship of St. Jude's, Monroe City, with care of Canton.

17.—St. Louis, in the morning, assisted by the Rev. Geo. E. Norton, in Church of St. Michael and All Angels, administered the Holy Communion, the corporate Communion for the Junior Auxiliary; made an address and dedicated the gifts.

18.—Sunday, in the morning administered the Holy Communion and preached at St. Peter's Church, Canton. In the afternoon, at Bluff Springs, twelve miles from Canton, among the farms, preached in the Southern Methodist Church, the building being well nigh filled with people. In the evening read Evening Prayer and preached at St. Peter's, Canton.

19.—St. Louis, in the evening with Mrs. Johnson attended reception tendered by the people of the Church of the Holy Communion to the new rector and his wife, the Rev. and Mrs. John Boden.

20.—St. Louis, received acceptance of the Rev. S. M. Dorrance of his appointment to special duty at Jefferson Barracks. Statler Hotel, was guest at luncheon given under the auspices of the War Savings Committee; the principal speaker being Mr. Richard Yates, former Governor of Illinois. 2:30, St. George's in conference with Rev. B. T. Kemmerer. 4:00, monthly meeting of the Committee of Grace-Holy Cross. 5:00, Mercantile Club, in conference with a clergyman who wishes to work in my field. 6:30, with Mrs. Johnson at dinner given by the parish of the Ascension in the parish house.

23.—Mexico, St. Paul's Church, 3-4, conducted a conference. 7:30, assisted the Rev. George E. Wharton in Evening Prayer, preached, confirmed 1, addressed the candidate.

24.—Mexico, in the morning addressed 175 cadets of the Mexico Military Institute in the assembly hall. 3-4, St. Paul's Church, conducted a conference. 7:30, read Evening Prayer and preached in St. Paul's Church.

25.—Sunday, Mexico, both morning and evening, held services in St. Paul's Church and preached.

26.—Columbia, called on the family of the rector, the Rev. James Hardin George, and on other friends.

28.—Evening, Jefferson Barracks, with Bishop Tuttle at a Thanksgiving service in the Y. M. C. A. hut.

29.—Thanksgiving Day, in the morning, administered the Holy Communion and preached at St. Augustine's Church, St. Louis. There was a large congregation.

30.—St. Andrew's Day, St. Louis, at 7 in the morning, assisted Bishop Tuttle in the Holy Communion at St. Peter's Church, and break-

fasted as a guest of the parish. 2:30, meeting with the Directors of the Church Club. Evening, St. Peter's Church, assisted in the service.

December 2.—Sunday, in the absence of a rector at Monroe, I preached in the morning and celebrated the Holy Communion at St. Jude's. By invitation of the vestry at Palmyra, which is in Bishop Tuttle's field, I conducted evening service in St. Paul's Church, and preached.

4.—St. Louis, Jefferson Hotel, Mr. Festus J. Wade presiding, I made an address at the meeting of the War Savings Committee of the Department of the Southwest. Attended the monthly meeting of the Corporation of Holy Cross.

5.—St. Louis, St. George's Church, in the evening, attended a meeting to discuss the question of a missionary campaign for St. Louis, and made an address.

6.—St. Louis, afternoon, attended a meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary of Trinity Church, by invitation of Mrs. William H. Thomson, at her home. Evening, attended meeting of the Missionary Board.

9.—Sunday, St. James, with the Rev. F. M. Weddell, celebrated the Holy Communion in Trinity Church, preached and confirmed 3. Evening, had an appointment at St. John's, Sullivan, but could not reach there because of blockade on railroad.

10.—St. Louis, evening, attended a meeting of the St. George's Men's Club, Deaconess Sniffen being the guest of honor, and made an address.

11.—St. Louis, afternoon, made an address in behalf of the Red Cross membership drive at the Guest Day Gathering of Miriam Lodge, Columbian Club, about 600 being present.

13.—St. Louis, noon, Mercantile Club, attended a meeting to discuss the question of a missionary campaign, and made an address. Evening, St. Louis Club, made an address at a public gathering in behalf of the Red Cross membership drive.

14.—St. Louis, noon, Mercantile Club, attended meeting of a committee to take in hand preparation for a missionary campaign. 6:30, attended meeting of the Church Federation of St. Louis. 8:00, Hamilton Hotel, made an address before the 28th Ward Republican Committee and their friends in behalf of the Red Cross membership drive.

16.—Sunday, morning, St. Louis, assisted in the worship of St. Thomas' Mission for Deaf Mutes, and preached. Afternoon, by invitation of faculty and students, conducted the worship at Monticello Seminary, Godfrey, Ill., and preached the sermon at the disbanding of the school for the Christmas holidays.

17.—St. Louis, Christ Church Cathedral, attended a meeting of the Social Service Commission of the Province. Attended a meeting of the committee having in charge the work of the Church in connection with Jefferson Barracks.

18.—St. Louis, in the afternoon, at the Mallinckrodt Chemical Works and in the evening at a meeting of the International Association of Machinists, made an address in behalf of the Red Cross membership drive.

19.—St. Louis, at the factory of the Mississippi Glass Company, made an address in behalf of the Red Cross membership drive.

20.—St. Louis, afternoon, participated with 2,000 children in patriotic exercises at the Soldan High School and made an address.

21.—St. Louis, attended the morning chapel exercises at Mary Institute and made a Christmas address. Evening, Statler Hotel, attended annual banquet of the New England Society of St. Louis.

December 23.—Sunday, St. Louis, in the morning, by invitation of Rabbi Leon Harrison, I preached at Temple Israel on The Christmas Message and its Relation to the Red Cross work. Evening, assisted by the Rev. Dr. Phillips and the Rev. W. L. Essex, dedicated the beautiful new Epiphany Chapel.

24.—Christmas exercises were held in the morning at the kindergarten of Grace-Holy Cross which I was glad to take part in. There was a house full of children and their mothers and friends.

25.—Christmas morning, 10 o'clock, held Christmas services and preached at St. Augustine's Mission, St. Louis. The church was beautifully decorated with real greens. And it was full of people. And 65 were at the Holy Communion. I appointed W. Y. Brown and Henry Salmon additional members of the Committee for St. Augustine's. At a congregational meeting after the service, the people voted an amount that is larger, I think, than they have ever voted before toward the minister's salary. I am as glad and thankful as I can be!

27.—In the evening I took part with the Rev. Mr. Weddell and Sister Miriam in the children's Christmas festivities at the Mission of the Prince of Peace, Baden.

28.—St. Louis, in the evening we "gathered around the Christmas tree" which was set up in the chapel of St. Luke, Harney Heights. The night was cold as Alaska and there was a driving snow storm. But the chapel was filled with children and their friends.

30.—Sunday, St. Louis, in the morning, I assisted the Rev. L. H. White in the service at St. Mary's and preached. After the service the congregation tarried to talk over some matters of business connected with the mission. In the evening, with the Rev. Carl R. Taylor at Grace-Holy Cross, assisted in the service and preached.

1918.

January 1.—St. Louis. In the morning assisted the Bishop of the Diocese in the celebration of the Holy Communion at the Cathedral, Dean Davis making the address. In the afternoon Mrs. Johnson and I were "at home" with Bishop Tuttle and Mrs. White at the Bishop's House.

2.—Welcomed the Rev. Samuel M. Dorrance, who arrived today from Providence, R. I., to enter upon his duties at Jefferson Barracks.

3.—Went with the Rev. Mr. Dorrance to Jefferson Barracks, and introduced him to the Commandant, and at the Y. M. C. A. hut. In the evening had dinner at St. George's Chapel, followed by a meeting of the Missionary Board. Later in the evening, attended a meeting in the interests of the proposed Missionary Campaign, and made an address.

8.—Arrived Stockbridge, Mass., after many delays by reason of the blizzard, and in the afternoon, in St. Paul's Church, officiated at the funeral of Archdeacon Sniffen.

9.—In his mother's home in Old Stratford, Conn., I read prayers for the Burial of the Dead, and in the village cemetery committed the body of Archdeacon Sniffen to the ground.

10.—Berkley Divinity School; Middletown, Conn., visited among the faculty and students, and at night made an address at the meeting of the Missionary Society.

11.—Sunday. In the morning in Trinity Church, Newtown, Conn., my boyhood home, I preached. In the evening I preached in St. James' Church, Danbury, Conn.

18.—After much trouble and many delays from many kinds of storms and blizzards, I reached St. Louis.

January 20.—Sunday. Morning, conducted the morning worship and preached in Calvary Church, Columbia.

27.—Sunday. In the morning I assisted the Rev. A. P. Rein in the service at St. Paul's, Overland, preached and confirmed 3. In the evening I assisted the Rev. Oscar Lindstrom in the service at St. Timothy's, St. Louis, preached and confirmed 9.

31.—St. Louis. In the evening attended an enthusiastic Missionary Campaign dinner in the parish house of St. Peter's Church. An up-stirring address was made by the Rev. Dr. Patton, who will conduct the campaign in St. Louis the last of February.

February 1.—St. Louis. St. Philip's Church. Assisted Bishop Tuttle in the celebration of the Holy Communion. In attendance at an all day meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary.

3.—Sunday. In the morning preached and celebrated the Holy Communion at Calvary, Columbia. Met with members of the Vestry, informally, in the afternoon. In the evening read Evening Prayer, and preached.

5.—St. Louis. Afternoon, attended meeting of the Committee for Grace-Holy Cross Mission.

7.—St. Louis. In the evening attended a meeting at St. George's in preparation for the Missionary Campaign.

10.—Sunday. Rolla. Met with the Sunday School, and made an address. Assisted the Rev. H. Nelson Tragitt in morning service, confirmed 2, addressed the candidates, and preached. In the afternoon, with the Rev. Mr. Tragitt, had services at St. Andrew's, Cuba, and preached. In the evening, assisted the Rev. Mr. Weddell in the service at St. John's, Sullivan, and preached.

11.—Rolla. In the morning made an address at the High School. Made sick calls in the parish.

12.—St. Louis. In the evening met with the members of the Men's Club of St. Augustine's, at a supper, at the home of Mr. W. H. Wyatt, to welcome the Rev. D. H. Atwill. Made an address.

13.—Ash-Wednesday. St. Louis. Assisted the Rev. Mr. Atwill in morning service at St. Augustine's, celebrated the Holy Communion, and preached. There was a large congregation. In the evening, assisted the Rev. Mr. Wharton in Evening Prayer, at Mexico, confirmed 3, addressed the candidates and preached.

14.—Fulton. Made calls among the people. In the evening, assisted by the Rev. Mr. Wharton, read Evening Prayer, and preached.

15.—Fulton. Celebrated the Holy Communion.

17.—Sunday. In the morning baptized two children at Valley Park, celebrated the Holy Communion, and preached. In the evening, St. Louis, Prince of Peace, confirmed 2, addressed the candidates, read Evening Prayer, and preached.

19.—Des Moines. Preached in Lenten course, for the Rev. L. K. Smith, at St. Luke's Church.

21.—Poplar Bluff, with the Rev. A. E. Woodward, read Evening Prayer, and made an address. In the afternoon I met with the members of the parish guild.

24.—Sunday. With the Rev. Mr. Wharton, celebrated the Holy Communion at Christ Church, Moberly, confirmed 2, addressed the candidates, and preached. Returned to St. Louis in the evening, and attended service at the Church of the Ascension, the first of the series of meetings in the Missionary Campaign.

- February 25.—St. Louis. Statler Hotel, attended a meeting of the Ministerial Alliance, and pronounced the benediction at its close. In the afternoon and evening attended the meetings of the Missionary Campaign.
- 26.—St. Louis. In the afternoon and evening attended the meetings of the Missionary Campaign.
- 27.—St. Louis. Attended lunch given in honor of the Rev. Dr. Patton by the Church Club. Afternoon and evening attended the meeting of the Missionary Campaign, and pronounced the benediction.
- 28.—St. Louis. Was guest with the Rev. Dr. Patton and the Rev. Mr. Wood at luncheon, given by the Vestry of St. Peter's Church, at Noon-day Club. In the afternoon and evening attended the meetings of the Missionary Campaign, and gave the benediction.
- March 3.—Sunday. Morning, with the Rev. H. W. Mizner, St. Stephen's, St. Louis, confirmed 17, preached and celebrated the Holy Communion. Evening, St. Louis, Epiphany, with the Rev. Dr. Phillips, confirmed 16, admitted one from the Roman Church, addressed the candidates and preached.
- 4.—Received notice from the Rev. A. E. Woodward that he had accepted call to Van Buren, Ark.
- 5.—St. Louis. Attended meeting of the Committee of Grace-Holy Cross. Evening, St. Alban's, with the Rev. H. N. O'Connor, preached, confirmed 10 and addressed the class.
- 6.—Morning. Visited Deaconess Sniffen and others in Herculaneum. Evening, Crystal City, with the Rev. Horatio N. Tragitt, Jr., made an address in Lenten service.
- 7.—St. Louis. Attended meeting of Diocesan Missionary Board. Visited at Jefferson Barracks and at Koch Hospital.
- 10.—Sunday. Morning, St. Louis, St. Paul's, celebrated the Holy Communion and preached. 2 p. m., with the Rev. J. H. Lever, City Workhouse, preached. 3:30 p. m., with the Rev. D. H. Atwill, City Hospital, assisted in the service and preached. 8 p. m., Cathedral, read closing prayers and gave the benediction, the Rev. Dr. Patton speaking in behalf of the American Church Institute for Negroes.
- 11.—Met with Executive Committee of Church Club in the matter of our work at Jefferson Barracks. Inspected St. Luke's Chapel, Harney Heights, whose roof blew off in wind storm, Saturday, and ordered necessary repairs.
- 14.—Evening. Preached in Lenten course, St. Peter's, Plymouth, Pa.
- 15.—At noon preached in Lenten course, St. Luke's, Scranton, Pa., and at night preached, St. Stephen's, Wilkes-Barre, Pa.
- 17.—Sunday. Morning and night, preached, Grace Church, Honesdale, Pa., and in the afternoon at Indian Orchard.
- 20.—St. Louis. Chamber of Commerce, made the Invocation at luncheon given in honor of the Archbishop of York. At night participated in Mass Meeting addressed by the Archbishop in the Odeon.
- 21.—St. Louis. Participated in noon-day theater service, at which the Archbishop was the speaker. Lunch with brethren of the clergy at St. Louis Club, where the Archbishop was the guest of honor and addressed us. At night assisted in service at Cathedral, the Archbishop being the preacher. At the request of the Rev. V. O. Penley, licensed Charles F. Galt lay reader for St. Paul's, Ironton.
- 22.—Kirksville. Evening, with the Rev. R. D. Putney, confirmed 1, addressed the candidate and preached. Gave consent to the Rev. Oscar Lindstrom to become rector of St. Jude's, Monroe, May 1.

March 24.—Sunday. St. Louis. Morning, St. Mary's, with the Rev. L. H. White, confirmed 7, addressed the candidates and preached. Afternoon, St. Thomas' (Deaf Mute), with the Rev. Dr. Cloud, preached and confirmed 5. Evening, Grace-Holy Cross, with the Rev. Carl R. Taylor, preached, confirmed 13 and received 5 from the Roman Church.

25.—Jefferson City. Grace Church, by request of Bishop Tuttle, confirmed 3 presented by the Rev. George L. Barnes. Evening, Grace Church, preached, the Rev. Messrs. Barnes and Chambers taking the service.

26.—Portland. Afternoon, called on several families in trouble and sorrow. Evening, read Evening Prayer and preached in St. Mark's Church. Every pew was filled.

27.—St. Louis. Evening, preached, All Saints' Church.

28.—De Soto, in conference with the Rev. V. O. Penley. Said prayers at the sick-bed of dear Mrs. True. Evening, St. Timothy's, St. Louis, with the Rev. Oscar Lindstrom, confirmed 6, addressed the candidates and preached.

29.—Good Friday. Visited and ministered to the sick in City Infirmary, also in Jewish Hospital. Appointed the Rev. Samuel M. Dorrance to minister as occasion may be given "during the period of the war" at Jefferson Barracks. The Executive Committee of the Church Club concurs in the appointment and provides the salary.

30.—Easter Even. With the Rev. L. H. White at St. Mary's, baptized the infant son of Mr. and Mrs. White with 5 other little people and 1 adult. Confirmed 1.

31.—Easter Day. Morning, St. Louis, celebrated the Holy Communion and made an address at St. Mary's. Celebrated the Holy Communion and preached at Prince of Peace. In the afternoon I conducted the Easter service and preached at Monticello Seminary, Illinois.

April 2.—St. Louis. Meeting of the Building Committee of Bishop Tuttle Commemorative Church. Received from the Rev. Samuel M. Dorrance acceptance of his appointment to minister at Jefferson Barracks "during the period of the war."

4.—St. Louis. Noon, luncheon and informal conference with Bishop Tuttle and the clergy at City Club.

5.—Fredericktown. In afternoon made an address at High School inaugurating Third Liberty Loan campaign in Fredericktown. Evening, assisted by Henry C. Thompson, said Evening Prayer and preached.

6.—Fredericktown. 10 a. m., made address at chapel exercises at Marvin College.

7.—Sunday, St. Louis. Morning, assisted the Rev. J. H. Lever in service at Sanitarium and preached. Evening, conference with the Rev. Oscar Lindstrom and lay officers of St. Timothy's. Took train for New York.

10-11-12.—New York. In attendance special meeting House of Bishops.

14.—Sunday, New York. Preached at 11 in the morning at the Church Seamen's Institute. Preached at 8 in the evening in Grace Church.

17.—Ironton. In the evening assisted the Rev. V. O. Penley in evening prayer, confirmed 1, addressed the candidate and preached.

19.—St. Louis. In the evening met with the lay officers of St. Timothy's Mission.

21.—Sunday, De Soto. In the morning assisted the Rev. V. O. Penley in morning prayer and preached. Went on to Herculanum, where I assisted the Rev. H. N. Tragitt, Jr., in Evening Prayer, preached and had a visit with Deaconess Sniffen.

April 22.—Licensed Henry C. Thompson to serve as lay reader under the direction of the Rev. V. O. Penley at Fredericktown.

23.—St. Louis. Morning, conference with the Rev. Carl R. Taylor. In the evening assisted the Rev. F. M. Weddell in Evening Prayer, Sherman; confirmed 3, addressed the candidates and preached.

24.—Crystal City. In the evening assisted the Rev. H. N. Tragitt, Jr., in Evening Prayer, confirmed 9, addressed the candidate and preached.

25.—Chaffee. In the afternoon made a Liberty Loan address at a mass meeting in the Pullman Theater. In the evening, in Presbyterian Church, said Evening Prayer and preached.

26.—Moberly. By request of the Liberty Loan Committee of the Eighth Department, accompanied the demonstration train to Moberly and made an address in the afternoon in the City Park. In the evening met the Rev. J. J. Clopton at Charleston, where we said Evening Prayer in the Presbyterian Church and I preached. After service we had an informal conference with a few of our own people.

27.—Illmo. With the Rev. J. J. Clopton, said Evening Prayer in our little chapel and preached.

28.—Sunday. In the morning, after some serious encounters with muddy roads, Mr. Clopton and I reached Cape Girardeau from Illmo. Together we said Morning Prayer and confirmed 4, and addressed the candidates. In the evening assisted Mr. Clopton in Evening Prayer in Chapel of the Redeemer, Jackson, and preached.

29.—Received report of special examining chaplains in New York that the Rev. W. S. Hohenschild had successfully passed examinations for priest's orders.

St. L
Floris
Salem
Kirks
Thaye
Jennin
Cape
Mexic
St. Ja
Colum
Overla
Rolla
Mober
Jeffers
Ironton
Sherm
Crysta

Ba
Co
Ch
Bu
Ho
La

I H
side th
Wi
the Gov
campai

Episcopal Acts (The Bishop Coadjutor.)

Confirmations for Year ended April 30, 1918.

St. Louis—St. George's	2
“ Cathedral	1
“ St. Luke's	1
“ St. Timothy's	15
“ Prince of Peace	2
“ Epiphany	16
“ St. Stephen's	17
“ St. Alban's	10
“ Grace-Holy Cross	13
“ St. Mary's	8
“ St. Thomas'	5
Florissant	1
Salem	3
Kirksville	4
Thayer	1
Jennings	2
Cape Girardeau	9
Mexico	4
St. James	3
Columbia	2
Overland Park	3
Rolla	2
Moberly	2
Jefferson City	3
Ironton	1
Sherman	3
Crystal City	9

142

Baptisms, infants, 10; adults, 1	11
Corner stone laid	1
Churches dedicated	2
Burials	3
Holy Communion administered	38
Lay Readers licensed	14

I have preached on six occasions in connection with Lenten courses outside the diocese.

Within the diocese, I have made 18 addresses, by request of officials of the Government, in connection with Red Cross, Y. M. C. A., and Liberty Loan campaigns.

Bishop's Purse (Coadjutor).

Receipts.

1917—May 1. Balance on hand.....	\$ 1.36
Salem	3.63
St. Louis, Holy Communion.....	7.71
Valley Park	2.05
Kirksville	2.65
Portland	1.97
Thayer	9.00
De Soto	1.45
St. Peter's, St. Louis	50.25
Ferguson	4.20
A friend	1.30
Herculaneum	1.10
Canton	4.16
Monroe	6.00
St. Augustine's, St. Louis.....	4.12
St. Augustine's, St. Louis.....	8.40
St. Luke's, St. Louis	4.00
Grace-Holy Cross, St. Louis.....	4.50
St. Augustine's, St. Louis.....	3.50
All Saints', St. Louis	9.22
St. Timothy's, St. Louis	4.69
Prince of Peace, St. Louis.....	2.94
St. Stephen's, St. Louis.....	16.22
Epiphany, St. Louis	10.00
St. Alban's, St. Louis	14.27
St. Paul's, St. Louis	14.66
St. Mary's, St. Louis	11.68
St. Thomas', St. Louis	10.00
St. Timothy's, St. Louis	3.50
Prince of Peace, St. Louis.....	2.72
St. Augustine's, St. Louis	7.00
St. Augustine's, St. Louis	5.00
Grace-Holy Cross, St. Louis	5.59
All Saints', St. Louis	7.00
Jennings	1.65
Cape Girardeau	12.95
Moberly	6.45
Vandalia	1.25
Lay Readers' League.....	3.30
Kirksville	20.78
Canton	10.00
Bluff Springs	3.35
Mexico	5.75
Monroe	10.00
St. James	1.50

SEVENTY-NINTH CONVENTION.

145

A friend	10.00
Columbia	10.64
Overland	4.05
Columbia	15.00
Rolla	13.53
Cuba	4.16
Sullivan	1.16
Mexico	3.27
Fulton	2.55
Valley Park	4.85
Moberly	7.00
A friend	1.00
Kirksville	4.09
Portland	2.55
Kirksville	1.97
Jennings	2.75
Overland	1.00
Fredericktown	3.10
Ironton	6.20
A friend, Easter	5.00
De Soto	2.05
Sherman	9.27
Crystal City	5.25
Chaffee	7.17
Charleston	2.50
Illmo	3.45
Cape Girardeau	11.21
Jackson	2.00

Expenditures.

Postage, supplies, printing, telephone.....	\$ 46.65
Stipends and expenses of clergy.....	398.79
Repairs on Chapel.....	20.00
Balance	4.15

\$469.59

MISSIONARY HOST ACCOUNT (COADJUTOR).

Receipts.

From Bishop Tuttle.....	\$500.00
From Bishop Tuttle.....	21.21

\$521.21

Expenditures.

Printing, postage, supplies, telephone.....	\$ 28.42
Toward purchase of Chapel.....	20.00
Stipends and expenses of clergy.....	466.58
Balance	6.21

\$521.21

SPECIAL ITEMS (BISHOP COADJUTOR).

Receipts.

Balance on hand.....	\$ 480.63
From friends within the diocese*.....	1,279.81
From congregations within the diocese.....	457.61
From Junior Auxiliary.....	157.00
From Woman's Auxiliary.....	1.43
From League of Lay Readers.....	40.00
From People's Savings Trust Co. of University City.....	616.68
From Bishop Tuttle (O'Dell legacy toward new church, Kirksville) ..	1,000.00
From refunds	117.83
From refund, Johnson Auto Co.....	25.00
From refund, F. F. Johnson, traveling expenses.....	234.00
From friends outside the diocese.....	200.00
From interest	7.41
	<hr/>
	\$4,617.40

Expenditures.

Stipends and expenses of clergy.....	\$1,623.71
Assisted mission stations	175.65
Reserve for mission stations.....	195.00
Telephone, supplies, postage.....	92.53
F. F. Johnson, traveling expenses.....	234.00
Kirksville, new church	1,000.00
Rev. G. F. and Mrs. Taylor, for furniture left in Grace rectory, St. Louis	128.00
Parochial Trust Fund, acct. University City.....	616.68
Johnson Auto Co.....	25.00
Leon Herrick, Ford Auto Co.....	389.55
Leon Herrick, insurance.....	6.12
Auto licenses	9.00
Stuccoing Deaconess House, Herculaneum.....	102.10
Balance on hand.....	20.06
	<hr/>
	\$4,617.40

*Some of these items are credited to various Auxiliaries.

Parochial Reports

In Parochial Reports the statistics are for the year ending May, 1, 1918; the clergyman and assistants named are those who have been in charge during that time; but the names of officers and vestry or committee are the ones elected for the ensuing year.

AFFTON—CHRIST CHURCH.

Bishop Tuttle in charge.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Geo. B. Bowles; Junior Warden, Dave F. Bowles; Secretary, Geo. B. Bowles; Oscar Behre, member.

Active communicants last reported, 11; present number of active communicants, 11.

Confirmations, 3.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 1; total services, 1.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—\$33.65.

Expenditures, parochial—Ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$20.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$5.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Bishop's Purse, \$3.65. Total, \$13.65.

Grand total expenditures, \$33.65.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 50.

CLAYTON—CHURCH OF ST. MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS.

Ellenwood and Wydown Blvd.

Rector, Rev. Geo. E. Norton.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Thos. K. Skinker; Junior Warden, Dr. John Green, Jr.; Secretary, Duncan I. Meier; Treasurer, Chester L. Whittemore; H. G. Hurd, Wm. Krail, Alese Stewart, Eugene B. Stinde, Jay Herndon Smith, Paul Miller, Henry C. Haarstick, Trescott F. Chaplin.

Baptized persons, 316. Active communicants last reported, 143; received from other parishes, 10; received from other communions, 2; admitted after confirmation, 26; transferred to other parishes, 5; died, 7; present number of active communicants, 161.

Baptisms—Infants, 2; adults, 7; total baptisms, 9. Confirmations, 26.

Marriages, 4. Burials, 7. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 280.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 75; Holy Communion in private, 10; other services, 170; total services, 255.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 12; pupils, 150.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$918.58; pew rents, \$2,772.35; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$2,521.07; other

contributions to the parish treasurer, \$1,093.18; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$490.79; Woman's Auxiliary, \$62.00; Junior Auxiliary, \$34.00. Total, \$7,891.97.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$2,975.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$825.00; music, including choir salaries, \$1,427.79; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$44.05; Sunday School current expenses, \$267.36; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$245.38. Total, \$5,784.58.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$480.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$270.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$33.90; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$21.35; Theological Education Fund, \$18.00; Bishop's Purse, \$41.96; Missionary Host, \$25.00; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$44.00; value of missionary boxes given within the diocese, \$45.00; Sunday School St. Louis Children's Aid, \$40.00; Girls' Industrial Home, \$4.65. Total, \$1,023.86.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$799.51; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$113.76; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$119.00. Sub-total, \$1,032.27. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$255.92; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$108.00 by Woman's Auxiliary. Total, \$1,396.19.

Grand total expenditures, \$8,204.63.

Amount of insurance—Fire, Rectory, \$12,000.00; Church, \$23,000.00; tornado, Rectory, \$5,000.00; Church, \$10,000.00.

One church and one rectory.

Number of sittings—Rented, 199; free, 67.

FERGUSON—ST. STEPHEN'S.

Rector, Linden Harris White, S. T. B.

Assistant (lay) Frederick G. Williamson.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Herbert D. Condie; Secretary, Herbert D. Condie; Treasurer, Frederick G. Williamson; L. W. Day, E. G. Cherbonnier, Joseph Lodwick, H. P. Jacques, Frank A. Thompson, Clifford Day, L. H. J. Stephens.

Baptized persons, 121. Active communicants last reported, 108; received from other parishes, 2; admitted after confirmation, 3; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 20; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 25); transferred to other parishes, 15; died, 2; present number of active communicants, 76.

Confirmations, 3. Burials, 2. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 62.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 48; Holy Communion in private, 1; other services, 84; total services, 133.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 8; pupils, 32.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$6.21; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$157.90; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$567.55; other con-

tributions to the parish treasurer, \$150.00; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$121.87; Woman's Auxiliary, \$32.00; Junior Auxiliary, \$14.25; other organizations' receipts, \$53.00. Total, \$1,102.78.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$683.34; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$129.21; music, including choir salaries, \$43.50; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$37.55; Sunday School current expenses, \$29.60; interest on borrowed money, \$105.78; insurance premiums, \$31.88. Total, \$1,060.86.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$44.50; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$52.85; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$20.40; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$4.15; Theological Education Fund, \$2.00; Bishop's Purse, \$8.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$4.20; Missionary Host, \$22.67; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$37.00; value of missionary boxes given within the diocese, \$1.00. Total, \$196.77.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$25.00; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$37.65; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$8.00. Sub-total, \$70.65. Items not included on apportionment—Colored Missions, \$2.00; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$3.80; General Clergy Relief Fund, \$10.40; American Red Cross, \$11.15; Church War Commission, \$6.40. Total, \$104.40.

Grand total expenditures, \$1,362.03.

Total amount of money borrowed during year, \$150.00.

Amount paid on principal of loans, \$300.00; balance due on loans, \$1,750.00.

One church building, one rectory.

Number of sittings—Free, 150.

HANNIBAL—TRINITY CHURCH.

Rector, Rev. A. G. Van Elden.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Robert Robinson; Junior Warden, V. T. Strong; Secretary, E. H. Price; Treasurer, F. W. Neeper; O. M. Friend, T. C. Garner, J. A. Robinson, A. Ross, L. P. Hill, B. M. Edwards.

Baptized persons, 221. Active communicants last reported, 141; received from other parishes, 1; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 5; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 44); transferred to other parishes, 5; died, 4; present number of active communicants, 128.

Baptisms—Infants, 2; total baptisms, 2. Burials, 7. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 93.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 117; Holy Communion in private, 5; other services, 40; total services, 162.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 5; pupils, 36.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$81.61; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$148.91; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$661.35; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$3,977.47; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$79.59; Woman's

Auxiliary, \$219.92; other organizations' receipts, \$808.49; endowment fund income paid into parish treasury, \$50.00; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$300.00. Total, \$6,327.34.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$1,200.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$463.77; music, including choir salaries, \$299.81; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$121.63; improvements on buildings, \$1,943.32; Sunday School current expenses, \$26.70; relief of poor, \$10.00; interest on borrowed money, \$8.21; insurance premium, \$85.00; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$335.21. Total, \$4,493.65.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$200.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$160.00; Theological Education Fund, \$2.30; by Woman's Auxiliary, \$5.00. Total, \$367.30.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$100.00; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$36.01; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$177.92. Sub-total, \$313.93. Items not included on apportionment—Colored Missions, \$37.00; Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$121.54; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$45.30; Missionary Work in Jerusalem, \$14.59. Total, \$532.36.

Grand total expenditures, \$5,393.31.

Total amount of money borrowed during year (this does not include money borrowed and paid back during the same fiscal year), \$300.00.

Amount paid on principal of loans, \$500.00; balance due on loans, \$300.00.

Amount of parochial endowment fund, \$1,000.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$9,000.

One church building, one rectory, and one parish house.

Number of sittings—Free, 244.

JEFFERSON CITY—GRACE CHURCH.

401 East High Street.

Rector, Rev. George L. Barnes, B. D.

Assistant, Rev. George A. Chambers.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Arthur M. Hough; Junior Warden, Wm. H. Gundelfinger; Secretary, Sebert Price; Treasurer, Dr. George E. Haigh; J. C. Johnson, K. Grimshaw, Geo. W. Wagner, L. H. Juttemeyer.

Baptized persons, 168. Active communicants last reported, 71; restored to list of active communicants, 3; received from other parishes, 17; admitted after confirmation, 9; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 19); transferred to other parishes, 1; died, 1; present number of active communicants, 98.

Baptisms—Infants, 4; adults, 8; total baptisms, 12. Confirmations, 11. Marriages, 2. Burials, 4. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 65.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 94; Holy Communion in private, 1; other services, 139; total services, 234.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 6; pupils, 36.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$177.22; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$383.20; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$1,864.40; Sunday

School
\$79.42; V
laneous,
Expe
water an
ordinary
Sunday
borrowed
expenses
Expe
treasurer
sions, \$3
Support
op's Pur
cluded al
Auxiliary
Expe
General
mite box
included
of missio
beyond th
Gran
Balanc
Amo
One
Num

Vestr
F. Knowl
Bapti
to list of
after con
active co
parish reg
communi
Bapti
Marriages
Servi
other serv
Sund
Recei
loose offe
duplex en
contributi
cluding of
iliary, \$51
endowmen
Expe
water and

School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$79.42; Woman's Auxiliary, \$25.50; income from property, \$360.00; miscellaneous, \$120.15. Total receipts, \$3,009.89.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$1,500.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$126.51; music, including choir salaries, \$243.37; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$187.99; Sunday School current expenses, \$21.25; relief of poor, \$50.73; interest on borrowed money, \$90.00; insurance premiums, \$58.50; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$122.73. Total, \$2,401.08.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$70.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$30.95; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$6.20; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$19.75; Theological Education Fund, \$8.35; Bishop's Purse, \$18.75; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$2.00. Total, \$156.00.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$30.91; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$34.57; sub-total, \$65.48. Items not included on apportionment: Church Pension Fund assessment, \$103.52; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$25.00; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$108.40. Total, \$302.40.

Grand total expenditures, \$2,859.48.

Balance due on loans, \$1,500.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$10,000.00; tornado, \$1,500.00.

One church building and one rectory.

Number of sittings—Free, 150.

KIRKWOOD—GRACE.

Rector, Rev. J. J. Wilkins, D. D.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Edward H. Lycett; Junior Warden, Wilbur F. Knowlton; Secretary, Henry C. Stribling; Treasurer, Edward H. Lycett.

Baptized persons, 553. Active communicants last reported, 343; restored to list of active communicants, 14; received from other parishes, 6; admitted after confirmation, 24; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 20); transferred to other parishes, 4; removed from parish register as a result of discipline, 20; died, 4; present number of active communicants, 355.

Baptisms—Infants, 25; adults, 8; total baptisms, 33. Confirmations, 24. Marriages, 4. Burials, 6. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 275.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 87; Holy Communion in private, 5; other services, 188; total services, 280.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 20; pupils, 134.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$308.96; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$763.36; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$4,598.33; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$1,859.80; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$428.54; Woman's Auxiliary, \$515.27; Junior Auxiliary, \$32.52; other organizations' receipts, \$510.15; endowment fund income paid into parish treasury, \$48.00; total, \$9,064.93.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$2,400.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$504.11; music, including choir salaries, \$1,124.58;

ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$88.30; Sunday School current expenses, \$156.77; relief of poor, \$308.96; insurance premiums, \$299.67; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$511.17; total, \$5,393.56.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$450.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$760.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$40.10; Theological Education Fund, \$33.70; Missionary Host, \$132.00; value of missionary boxes given within the diocese, St. Stephen's Missions, \$50.00, Holy Cross, \$6.00, Convention Lunch, \$21.00, City Missions, \$10.00, Orphans' Home, \$1.00; total, \$1,503.80.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$360.00; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$132.00; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$211.00; sub-total, \$703.00. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$210.00; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$86.45; Y. M. C. A., \$45.25; United Offering, \$153.32; Red Cross, \$50.00; Church War Commission, \$394.00; French Orphans, \$48.24; Miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$151.70; total, \$1,841.76.

Grand total expenditures, \$8,739.32.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$26,000.00; tornado, \$4,000.00.

Two church buildings, one rectory and one parish house.

Number of sittings—Free, 250.

LOUISIANA—CALVARY.

Georgia Street, between Seventh and Eighth Streets.

Rector, Rev. Jesse R. Brennan.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, John Harding; Junior Warden, C. B. Rose; Secretary, H. C. Hill; Treasurer, F. T. Meriwether.

Baptized persons, 75. Active communicants last reported, 91; admitted after confirmation, 2; present number of active communicants, 93.

Baptisms—Infants, 1; adults, 1; total baptisms, 2. Confirmations, 2. Burials, 1.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 14; other services, 40; total services, 54.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 5; pupils, 25.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Easter Alms, \$167.81; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$130.20; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$372.50; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$5.86; Woman's Guild, \$14.00; rent of rectory, \$210.00; collections for fuel, \$6.50; for rent, \$5.40. Total, \$912.27.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$683.37; music, including choir salaries, \$52.00; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$32.71; interest on borrowed money, \$50.62. Total, \$818.70.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$40.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$40.00; Bishop's Purse, \$14.85. Total, \$94.85.

Grand total expenditures, \$913.55.

Amount paid on principal of loans, \$160.17; balance due on loans, \$1,300.00.

One church building and one rectory.

MACON—ST. JAMES.

Rector, Rev. Chas. F. Edwards.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, John Scovern; Junior Warden, Chas. L. Farrar; Treasurer, Chris. R. Maffry, Jr.; Joseph L. Bridgford, Theodore Gary, Fredk. W. Gieselmann, Chas. A. Wardell.

Baptized persons, 140. Active communicants last reported, 87; admitted after confirmation, 11; died, 2; present number of active communicants, 96.

Baptisms—Infants, 1; adults, 1; total baptisms, 2. Confirmations, 12. Burials, 2. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 65.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 24; other services, 47; total services, 75.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 4; pupils, 23.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, including Communion Alms, \$539.73; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$1,631.50; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$63.06; Woman's Auxiliary, \$26.35; other organizations' receipts, \$127.94. Total, \$2,388.58.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$1,200.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$309.50; music, including choir salaries, \$170.00; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$142.07; Sunday School current expenses, \$49.06; relief of poor, \$108.00; interest on borrowed money, \$70.74; insurance premiums, \$65.70; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$54.29. Total, \$2,169.36.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$150.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$230.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$3.00; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$5.86; Theological Education Fund, \$4.67; Bishop's Purse, \$9.01. Total, \$402.54.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$21.75; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$14.00; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$5.00. Sub-total, \$40.75. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$122.50; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$10.00; St. Agnes' School, Kiota, \$7.50; box for Industrial School, Lawrenceville, Va., \$5.25. Total, \$186.00.

Grand total expenditures, \$2,757.90.

Total amount of money borrowed during year, \$200.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$9,000.00.

One church building and one rectory.

Number of sittings—Free, 200.

PRAIRIEVILLE—ST. JOHN'S.

Rector, Rev. John Davis, D. D.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Nicholas H. Davis; Junior Warden, Shapleigh R. Lewis; Secretary, D. B. Page; Treasurer, Sallie C. Block;

Vestry—D. B. Page, Sallie C. Block, Mrs. Lon Winn, Mrs. Alice Henry and Mrs. Adaline A. Kerr.

Baptized persons, 65. Active communicants last reported, 54; transferred to other parishes, 2; died, 1; present number of active communicants, 51.

Confirmations, 1. Burials, 1. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 25.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 5; Holy Communion in private, 4; total services, 9.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$20.51.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$125.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$5.00; music, including choir salaries, \$5.00. Total, \$135.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$20.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$10.00; Bishop's Purse, \$24.00. Total, \$54.00.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$14.50. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$9.48. Total, \$23.98.

Grand total expenditures, \$212.98.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$1,000.00.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 140.

ST. LOUIS—ALL SAINTS'.

Garrison Avenue and Locust Street.

Rector, Rev. Douchette Redman Clarke.

Assistants (Lay), Albert Burgess, John B. Vashon.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Albert Burgess; Junior Warden, William H. Huffman; Secretary, John B. Vashon; Treasurer, James W. Grant; J. Meade Benson, M. D.; Benjamin F. Lewis, Thomas A. Curtis, D. D. S.; Jas. L. Usher, Hutchins Inge, Nathan H. Wright.

Active communicants last reported, 526; received from other parishes, 4; admitted after confirmation, 28; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 108); transferred to other parishes, 4; died, 7; present number of active communicants, 547.

Baptisms—Infants, 7; adults, 19; total baptisms, 26. Confirmations, 28. Marriage, 1. Burials, 8. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 410.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 89; Holy Communion in private, 12; other services, 147; total services, 248.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 13; pupils, 101.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$51.35; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$160.00; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$3,436.57; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$52.10; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$123.83; Woman's Auxiliary, \$53.00; Junior Auxiliary, \$4.00; endowment fund income paid into parish treasury, \$250.00; for the Father Mason Memorial, \$307.52; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$38.80. Total \$4,477.17.

Expenditures, Parochial—Clergy salaries, \$968.95; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$970.11; music, including choir salaries, \$259.17; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$351.89; improvements on buildings, \$478.82; Sunday School current expenses, \$123.83; relief of poor, \$52.00; insurance premiums, \$190.44; special tax for

street improvement, \$377.10 on account; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$246.11. Total, \$4,019.12.

Expenses, Diocesan—Convention assessment, \$225.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$100.00; Theological Education Fund, \$5.00; Bishop's Purse, \$22.85; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$16.22; Missionary Host, \$15.00; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$6.00. Total, \$390.07.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$73.40; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$21.60; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$12.70; sub-total, \$107.70. Items not included on apportionment: Church Pension Fund assessment, \$69.35; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$25.25; Church War Fund, \$15.00; St. Augustine's School, \$10.00; St. Paul's School, Laurenceville, \$25.00; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$57.80. Total, \$310.10.

Grand total expenditures, \$4,719.29.

Total amount of money borrowed during year, \$740.00.

Amount of parochial endowment fund, \$6,000.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$29,550.00; tornado, \$1,000.00.

One church building and one rectory.

Number of sittings—Free, 534.

ST. LOUIS—CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.

Southeast corner Thirteenth and Locust Streets.

Bishop, The Rt. Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, D. D., S. T. D., LL. D.

Dean, The Very Rev. Carroll M. Davis, M. A.

Assistants, The Rev. C. E. Remick and the Rev. H. N. O'Connor.

Chapter—Senior Warden, Jas. A. Waterworth; Secretary, Jas. A. Waterworth; Treasurer, Richard W. Shapleigh; Homer, P. Knapp, Chas. W. White-law, Elias S. Gatch, Geo. C. Mackay, James M. Bull, George C. Hitchcock, Geo. M. Tuttle.

Active communicants last reported, 670; received from other parishes, 4; admitted after confirmation, 40; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 29; transferred to other parishes, 8; died, 12; present number of active communicants, 665.

Baptisms—Infants, 24; adults, 5; total baptisms, 29. Confirmations, 40. Marriages, 47. Burials, 41. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 533.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 392; Holy Communion in private, 3; other services, 1,224; total services, 1,619.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 35; pupils, 383.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$882.74; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$852.85; pew rents, \$5,887.50; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$5,289.29; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$2,720.00; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$559.54; Woman's Auxiliary, \$1,069.83; Junior Auxiliary, \$134.07; other organizations' receipts, \$1,121.20; endowment fund income paid into

parish treasury, \$8,717.30; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$11,122.37. Total, \$38,326.69.

Expenditures, Parochial—Clergy salaries, \$3,900.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$1,922.58; music, including choir salaries, \$3,696.98; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$841.58; furniture, fixtures and equipment, \$257.04; Sunday School current expenses, \$326.00; social service institutional work, \$7,133.34; relief of poor, \$515.99; interest on borrowed money, \$85.17; insurance premiums, \$1,000.00; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$6,642.87; added to endowment fund, \$46.00. Total, \$26,447.55.

Expenditures, Diocesan—Convention assessment, \$1,384.99; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$1,890.03; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$116.17; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$50.00; Theological Education Fund, \$62.46; Bishop's Purse, \$428.35; Missionary Host, \$107.75; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$2,917.79; value of missionary boxes given within the diocese, \$12.75; miscellaneous diocesan purposes not included above, \$412.32. Total, \$7,382.61.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$647.12; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$468.51; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$75.00; sub-total, \$1,190.63; items not included on apportionment: Church Pension Fund assessment, \$575.30; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$199.19; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$2,417.71. Total, \$4,382.83.

Grand total expenditures, \$38,212.99.

Amount of parochial endowment fund, \$185,000.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$183,000.00; tornado, \$117,000.00.

Number of Churches and Chapels—One church, one chapel, one rectory and one parish house.

Number of sittings—Rented, 400; free, 500.

ST. LOUIS—CHURCH OF ST. PHILIP THE APOSTLE.

Union and Maple Avenues.

Rector, Rev. Edmund J. Cleveland.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Alexander A. Bryden; Junior Warden, Charles C. Robertson; Secretary, Sidney F. Dawson; Treasurer, Thomas Q. Dix; William Hales, L. M. Carson, C. C. Miles, Earle Layman, W. H. Wood, E. B. Moore, C. W. Condie, D. A. Gillespie, C. E. Hussman.

Baptized persons, 735. Active communicants last reported, 425; received from other parishes, 33; admitted after confirmation, 19; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 125); transferred to other parishes, 6; died, 10; present number of active communicants, 401.

Baptisms—Infants, 11; adults, 2; total baptisms, 13. Confirmations, 19. Marriages, 13. Burials, 14. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 314.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 72; Holy Communion in private, 11; other services, 112; total services, 195.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 26; pupils, 219.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$114.50;

loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$1,268.53; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$3,987.58; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$1,187.37; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$484.27; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$489.81. Total, \$7,532.06.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$2,500.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$872.34; music, including choir salaries, \$1,030.00; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$144.65; improvements on buildings, \$1,807.92; Sunday School current expenses, \$243.29; relief of poor, \$131.56; interest on borrowed money, \$1,317.11; insurance premiums, \$7.20; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$233.69. Total, \$8,287.76.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$460.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$300.00; Bishop's Purse, \$13.07; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$5.00; Missionary Host, \$47.00; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$123.75. Total, \$948.82.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$106.10; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$48.00. Sub-total, \$154.10. Items not included on apportionment—Colored Missions, \$17.75; Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$187.54; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$94.30; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$12.00. Total, \$465.69.

Grand total expenditures, \$9,702.27.

Total amount of money borrowed during year, \$2,200.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$33,700.00; tornado, \$14,200.00.

Amount paid on principal of loans, \$600.00; balance due on loans, \$23,100.00.

One church building, one rectory, an old church used as parish house, and small brick club room.

Number of sittings—Free, 450.

ST. LOUIS—CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.

Cates and Goodfellow Avenues.

Rector, Rev. John S. Bunting.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, James M. Bull; Junior Warden, W. C. Stith; Secretary, A. S. Pidding; Treasurer, Benj. A. Wood; J. M. Bull, W. C. Stith, A. S. Pidding, Benj. A. Wood, L. B. Woodward, Walter Woodward, W. H. Grocott, Ed. Mead, Oliver Abel, H. S. Snow, Ben. P. Williams, Arthur Kimbal, Geo. Peckham.

Baptized persons, 560. Active communicants last reported, 443; received from other parishes, 20; admitted after confirmation, 13; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 20); transferred to other parishes, 5; died, 12; present number of active communicants, 480.

Baptisms—Infant, 15; adult, 2; total baptisms, 17. Confirmations, 12. Marriages, 12. Burials, 14. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 200.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 100; Holy Communion in private, 25; other services, 20; total services, 140.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 20; pupils, 200.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$1,078.75; pew rents, \$5,381.04; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$1,355.00; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$3,629.05; estimated Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$306.86; Woman's Guild, \$75.00; Rectory Guild, \$50.00; annuity Barnard Estate, \$1,000.00; Barnard Est. Gift to the Vestry, turned to treasurer, \$100. Total, \$12,975.70.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$4,150.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$1,266.68; music, including choir salaries, \$2,153.75; Sunday School current expenses, \$160.43; interest on borrowed money, \$1,242.65; insurance premiums, \$180.00; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$3,491.74 (estimated). Total, \$12,645.25.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$700.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$1,150.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$76.00; Theological Education Fund, \$12.25; Bishop's Purse, \$55.74; Missionary Host, \$82.20. Total \$2,076.19.

Expenditures beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$100.00; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$64.23; sub-total, \$164.23. Items not included on apportionment: Jewish Missions, \$24.78; Church Pension Fund assessment, \$311.25; the Church War Commission, \$195.15. Total, \$695.41.

Grand total expenditures, \$15,416.85.

Total amount of money borrowed during year, \$1,000.

Amount paid on principal of loans, \$3,110.00; balance due on loans, \$18,800.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$44,000.00; tornado, \$22,000.00.

Two church buildings and one parish house.

Number of sittings—Free, 400.

ST. LOUIS—CHURCH OF THE HOLY COMMUNION.

2801-2809 Washington Avenue.

Rector, Rev. John Boden.

Assistant, Rev. L. H. Burn, Curate.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, William Bagnell; Junior Warden, Claude Kilpatrick; Secretary, E. P. Griffin; Treasurer, G. K. Warner; Charles R. Ketchum, William Maffitt, Horace S. Gilliam, Charles Scudder, Guy N. Hitchcock, E. J. Thomas, Walter A. Wilkinson, Joseph N. Gettys, James P. Reynolds.

Baptized persons, 481. Active communicants last reported, 391; restored to list of active communicants, 12; received from other parishes, 8; received from other communions, 2; admitted after confirmation, 15; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 82); transferred to other parishes, 7; died, 5; present number of active communicants, 399.

Baptisms—Infants, 44; adults, 1; total baptisms, 45. Confirmations, 15. Marriages, 11. Burials, 28. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 250. Services—Holy Communion in public, 148; Holy Communion in private, 12; other services, 108; total services, 268.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 33; pupils, 288.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$160.75; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$611.10; through

duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$6,591.53; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$1,744.55; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$179.84; Woman's Auxiliary, \$1,360.73; Junior Auxiliary, \$50.10; other organizations' receipts, \$1,226.08; endowment fund income paid into parish treasury, \$4,045.00; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$20.66. Total, \$15,990.34.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$3,703.82; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$973.82; music, including choir salaries, \$1,319.07; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$359.15; furniture, fixtures, and equipment, \$174.40; Sunday School current expenses, \$90.94; social service institutional work, \$4,623.85; relief of poor, \$222.89; interest on borrowed money, \$64.35; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$1,763.61. Total, \$13,295.90.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$275.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$360.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$8.34; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$10.92; Theological Education Fund, \$33.44; Bishop's Purse, \$14.39; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$7.71; Missionary Host, \$49.69; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$365.00; value of missionary boxes given within the diocese, \$45.00; miscellaneous diocesan purposes not included above, \$45.50. Total, \$1,214.99.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$240.97; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$74.09; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$263.50. Sub-total, \$578.56. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$252.89; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$133.33; United Offering, \$231.30; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$353.60. Total, \$1,549.68.

Grand total expenditures, \$16,060.57.

Total amount of money borrowed during year, \$1,400.00.

Balance due on loans, \$1,400.00.

Amount of parochial endowment fund, \$72,500.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$60,500.00.

One church, one chapel, and one parish house.

Number of sittings—Free, 612.

ST. LOUIS—CHURCH OF THE HOLY INNOCENTS.

Morganford and Tholozan.

Rector, Rev. John W. Higson.

Vestrymen—Junior Warden, John Lymer; Secretary, William Kendall; Treasurer, Otto Weinreich; Wm. Entgesell, Wm. Hawkins, J. D. Woodruff, Sr., James Riese, Morris Snelling.

Active communicants last reported, 114; restored to list of active communicants, 1; received from other parishes, 1; admitted after confirmation, 5; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 3; present number of active communicants, 118.

Baptisms—Infants, 9. Confirmations, 5. Marriages, 5. Burials, 3. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 85.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 19; Holy Communion in private, 1; other services, 158; total services, 178.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 10; pupils, 100.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$5.10; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$31.00; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$281.45; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$339.35; Sunday School receipts, including offerings mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$75.12; Woman's Auxiliary, \$1.00. Total \$733.02.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$260.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$131.08; music, including choir salaries, \$120.00; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$60.32. Total, \$571.40.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$50.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$45.00; Bishop's Purse, \$6.55. Total, \$101.55.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions, through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$25.63; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$1.00. Total, \$26.63.

Grand total expenditures, \$699.58.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$5,000.00; tornado, \$1,500.00.

One church building and one rectory.

Number of sittings—Free, 120.

ST. LOUIS—THE CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER.

Washington and Euclid Aves.

Rector, Rev. Edmund Duckworth.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, C. C. Curtice; Junior Warden, Peter Whaley; Secretary, S. G. Hopkins; Treasurer, George Nicoll; W. D. Simmons, E. J. Ingamells, Jno. A. Warner, Walter W. McGuire, Dr. Robt. H. Davis, C. R. McDonald, W. E. Bryan, M. A. Barnabas, Geo. C. Richardson.

Active communicants last reported, 460; received from other parishes, 24; admitted after confirmation, 16; transferred to other parishes, 10; died, 8; present number of active communicants, 482.

Baptisms—Infants, 25. Confirmations, 16. Marriages, 7. Burials, 45. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 286.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 93; Holy Communion in private, 14; total services, 117.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 18; pupils, 175.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$180.12; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$543.23; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$3,495.01; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$1,513.75; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$375.87; Woman's Auxiliary, \$426.65; Junior Auxiliary, \$102.98; endowment fund income paid into parish treasury, \$250.00; Young People's Club, \$142.93; Woman's Guild, \$492.33. Total, \$7,522.87.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$3,000.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$798.25; music, including choir salaries, \$312.00; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$51.38; Sun-

day School current expenses, \$173.74; relief of poor, \$137.21; interest on borrowed money, \$705.42; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$108.82. Total, \$5,286.82.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$450.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$590.00; Bishop's Purse, \$10.00; Missionary Host, \$46.00; value of missionary boxes given within the diocese, \$60.00. Total, \$1,156.00.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$50.00; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$125.00; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$151.65. Sub-total, \$326.65. Items not included on apportionment—Jewish Missions, \$7.00; Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$243.75. Total, \$577.40.

Grand total expenditures, \$7,020.22.

Amount paid on principal of loans, \$5,500.00; balance due on loans, \$5,000.00.

Amount of parochial endowment fund, \$5,000.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$20,000.00.

One church building and one parish house.

Number of sittings—Free, 350.

ST. LOUIS—MT. CALVARY.

De Tonty Avenue at Shaw Place.

Rector, Rev. James Dickinson Simmons.

Assistant (Lay), James Fetherstonh.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, F. E. Henderson; Junior Warden, W. E. Mantz; Secretary, E. P. Harvey; Treasurer, C. S. Tapscott; C. L. Chittenden, F. W. Teutenberg, James Fetherstonh, G. C. Conover, F. W. Low.

Baptized persons, 313. Active communicants last reported, 118; restored to list of active communicants, 10; received from other parishes, 28; admitted after confirmation, 20; transferred to other parishes, 2; died, 4; present number of active communicants, 170.

Baptisms—Infants, 9; adults, 4; total baptisms, 13. Confirmations, 20. Burials, 6. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 150.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 85; Holy Communion in private, 2; other services, 76; total services, 163.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 15; pupils, 100.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$36.15; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$150.20; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$936.48; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$778.25; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$131.09; Woman's Auxiliary, \$51.40; other organizations' receipts, \$40.00. Total, \$2,123.57.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$965.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$354.58; music, including choir salaries, \$273.92; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$311.89; Sunday School current expenses, \$107.99; relief of poor, \$36.15; interest on borrowed money, \$371.00; insurance premiums, \$219.44; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$325.22. Total, \$2,965.19.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$100.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$90.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$13.80; Permanent Fund for the

Support of the Episcopate, \$3.00; Theological Education Fund, \$2.35; Bishop's Purse, \$20.20; Missionary Host, \$30.58; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$20.00. Total, \$269.93.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$5.00; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$27.51. Total, \$32.51.

Grand total expenditures, \$3,267.63.

Balance due on loans, \$6,200.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$23,500.00; tornado, \$11,000.00.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 350.

ST. LOUIS—ST. GEORGE'S CHAPEL.

4301 Olive Street.

Vicar, Rev. B. T. Kemerer.

Assistant, Miss Lulu Wells.

Committee—George M. Block, chairman; Secretary, George K. Hoblitzelle; Treasurer, J. O. King; George R. Barclay, F. H. Kreismann, Dr. M. B. Clopton, Walter Robbins, Elias S. Gatch, T. H. Garrett, J. N. Cornatzer, Robert Burkham, Charles Iddiols, E. G. Merriam.

Active communicants last reported, 418; received from other parishes, 10; admitted after confirmation, 25; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 29; transferred to other parishes, 28; removed from parish register as a result of discipline, 18; died, 5; present number of active communicants, 373.

Baptisms—Infants, 18; adults, 3; total baptisms, 21. Confirmations, 25. Marriages, 7. Burials, 19. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 292.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 94. Holy Communion in private 14; other services, 118; total services, 226.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 31; pupils, 200.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$258.90; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$282.79; pew rents, \$4,654.00; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$6,436.32; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$637.21; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$747.98; Woman's Auxiliary, \$1,960.00; Junior Auxiliary, \$94.90; other organizations' receipts, \$1,063.77; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$175.00; total, \$16,310.87.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$3,000.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$1,256.47; music, including choir salaries, \$1,834.07; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$29.11; Sunday School current expenses, \$316.39; social service institutional work, \$59.82; relief of poor, \$27.85; interest on borrowed money, \$1,570.00; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$1,218.34; total, \$9,312.05.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$643.33; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$833.32; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$50.01; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$59.70; Theological Education Fund, \$56.40;

other contributions for theological education for students or purposes connected with the diocese, \$50.00; Bishop's Purse, \$116.84; Missionary Host, \$68.07; value of missionary boxes given within the diocese, \$108.85; total \$1,986.52.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions, through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$225.51; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$2,054.90; sub-total, \$2,280.41. Items not included on apportionment—Jewish Missions, \$13.96; Colored Missions, \$105.00; Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$306.32; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$70.55; St. George's Scholarship for Colored, \$75.00; church war commission, \$175.00; total, \$3,026.24.

Grand total expenditures, \$14,324.81.

One church building, one parish house and one rectory.

ST. LOUIS—ST. JOHN'S.

3666 Arsenal St.

Rector, Rev. Arthur Brittain.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, T. E. Upshaw; Junior Warden, S. D. Cadwell; Secretary, C. W. Alban; Treasurer, C. B. Nilson; R. S. Clyde, S. W. Greaves, Dr. A. H. Hamel, G. A. Leimecke, Dr. G. S. Miller, E. A. Roworth, C. P. Whitbread, C. B. Woodward.

Active communicants last reported, 418; received from other parishes, 25; received from other communions, 1; admitted after confirmation, 9; transferred to other parishes, 8; died, 9; present number of active communicants, 436.

Baptisms—Infants, 32; adults, 6; total baptisms, 38. Confirmations, 9. Marriages, 16. Burials, 28. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 360.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 120; Holy Communion in private, 8; other services, 360; total services, 486.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 20; pupils, 210.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$190.32; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$301.37; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$2,786.15; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$2,376.39; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$409.10; Woman's Auxiliary, \$252.70; Junior Auxiliary, \$66.51; other organizations' receipts, \$277.86. Total, \$6,660.40.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$1,810.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$590.84; music, including choir salaries, \$881.67; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$206.07; furniture, fixtures, and equipment, \$128.00; Sunday School current expenses, \$176.10; relief of poor, \$152.15; interest on borrowed money, \$511.04; insurance premiums, \$86.52; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$207.34. Total, \$4,749.73.

Balance due on loans, \$9,100.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$380.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$330.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$7.07; Theological Education Fund, \$9.43; Missionary Host, \$42.53; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$11.04. Total, \$780.07.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$115.00; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$166.09; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$319.21. Sub-total, \$600.30. Items not included on apportionment—Jewish Missions, \$15.25; Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$183.79; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$119.00; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$225.21. Total, \$1,143.55.

Grand total expenditures, \$6,673.35.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$35,000; tornado, \$15,000.

One church building, one parish house and one rectory.

Number of sittings—Free, 500.

ST. LOUIS—ST. PAUL'S.

6518 Michigan Avenue.

Rector, Rev. George Lloyd. (Resigned Nov. 15, 1917.)

Lay Readers—C. W. Minch, A. T. Cotsworth.

Vestrymen—Junior Warden, H. J. Loud; Secretary, C. W. Minch; Treasurer, C. W. Minch; William Loker, A. T. Cotsworth, R. C. Reber, Stuart Romanowski, G. A. Doering.

Baptized persons, 137; active communicants last reported, 148; admitted after confirmation, 1; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 11; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 11); transferred to other parishes, 10; present number of active communicants, 107.

Baptisms—Infants, 9; total baptisms, 9. Confirmations, 1. Marriages, 8. Burials, 14. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 53.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 16; other services, 45; total services, 61.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 4; pupils, 45.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$6.43; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$106.67; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$660.49; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$391.40; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$55.62; other organizations' receipts, \$160.88; special offerings, Christmas and Easter, \$126.36; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$346.97. Total, \$1,854.82.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$518.30; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$177.46; music, including choir salaries, \$30.00; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$12.20; furniture, fixtures and equipment, \$8.50; Sunday School current expenses, \$22.04; relief of poor, \$6.43; interest on borrowed money, \$629.50; insurance premiums, \$33.75; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$200.56; total, \$1,638.74.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$50.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$44.60; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$2.45; Bishop's Purse, \$10.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$14.66; Missionary Host, \$15.00; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary and other organizations, \$5.50. Total, \$142.21.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$9.00.

Grand total expenditures, \$1,789.95.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$4,000.00; tornado, \$1,000.00.

One church; one parish house.

Number of sittings—Free, 250.

ST. LOUIS—ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Lindell Blvd. and Spring Ave.

Rector, the Rev. ZeBarney Thorne Phillips, D. D.

Assistant, the Rev. George Lloyd.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, James L. Ford; Junior Warden, Walker Hill; Secretary, Charles J. Miller; Treasurer, J. E. Williams, Jr.; Joseph R. Barroll, Cevendra D. Blake, E. H. Boehnken, Arthur C. Garrison, Frederick N. Judson, John G. Lonsdale, Vincent L. Price, Hudson E. Bridge, Stephen B. Sheldon.

Baptized persons, 944. Active communicants last reported, 645; received from other parishes, 1; transferred to other parishes, 1; died, 10; present number of active communicants, 635.

Baptisms—Infants, 14; adults, 5; total baptisms, 19. Marriages, 20. Burials, 22. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 495.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 90; Holy Communion in private, 4; other services, 167; total services, 261.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 20; pupils, 160.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$750.00; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$1,593.13; pew rents, \$14,079.65; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$3,927.80; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$949.14; Woman's Auxiliary, \$2,112.75; Junior Auxiliary, \$50.00; other organizations' receipts, \$3,644.42; endowment fund income paid into parish treasury, \$2,008.00; Epiphany Building Fund, \$15,155.00; for Dr. Patton's Mission, \$593.00; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$7,253.32. Total, \$52,116.21.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$7,133.33; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$2,280.91; music, including choir salaries, \$4,160.39; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$218.15; improvements on buildings, \$702.50; Sunday School current expenses, \$381.74; social service institutional work, \$48.00; relief of poor, \$190.86; interest on borrowed money, \$1,170.74; insurance premiums, \$44.28; Lindell Cut-out, \$451.80; Church News, \$50.00; current expenses Epiphany Chapel, \$2,296.22; Boy Scouts, \$105.00; Epiphany Building Fund, \$15,460.00; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$4,692.05. Total, \$39,385.97.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$1,520.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$2,280.00; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$129.15; Bishop's Purse, \$30.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$15.00; Missionary Host, \$150.00; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$110.00; Hospital Saturday and

Sunday Fund, \$408.67; Knights of Columbus, \$5.00; Y. M. C. A., \$15.00; Memorial Home, \$10.00; Children's Hospital, \$25.00; Red Cross, \$75.00; Convalescent Home, \$25.00; miscellaneous diocesan purposes not included above, \$515.87. Total, \$5,313.69.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$1,159.72; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$325.74; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$717.00. Sub-total, \$2,202.46. Items not included on apportionment—Colored Missions, \$106.00; Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$545.80; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$440.26; Armenian Relief, \$26.85; United Offering, \$134.00; Bishop Thomas, \$100.00; Archdeacon Stuck, \$500.00; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$354.00. Total, \$4,409.37.

Grand total expenditures, \$49,109.03.

Total amount of money borrowed during year \$2,760.00.

Balance due on loans, \$24,760.00.

Amount of parochial endowment fund, \$25,000.00.

Amount of insurance (Church)—Fire, \$125,000.00; tornado, \$62,500.00; contents, \$15,000.00.

Amount of insurance (Rectory)—Fire, \$10,000.00; tornado, \$5,000.00.

One church, one chapel, one rectory, and one parish house.

Number of sittings—Rented, three-fourths in morning; all free in afternoon.

ST. LOUIS—TRINITY.

4005 Washington Blvd.

Rector, Rev. J. Boyd Cox. e.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Charles E. Kerns; Junior Warden, Thos. P. Pettes; Secretary, W. R. Hammond; Treasurer, Kelton E. White; R. G. Bennett, E. C. Carter, George Godron, W. L. Henry, B. S. Thompson, W. H. Thomson, H. E. Watkins.

Active communicants last reported, 167; restored to list of active communicants, 2; received from other parishes, 6; admitted after confirmation, 7; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 9; transferred to other parishes, 2; removed from parish register as a result of discipline, 1; died, 2; present number of active communicants, 168.

Baptisms—Infants, 2. Confirmations, 7. Marriages, 4. Burials, 4.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 285; Holy Communion in private, 4; other services, 114; total services, 403.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 6; pupils, 31.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$41.75; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$822.18; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$1,759.20; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$572.34; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$97.85; Woman's Auxiliary, \$159.38; Junior Auxiliary, \$28.12; other organizations' receipts, \$68.40. Total, \$3,549.22.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$1,220.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$601.91; music, including choir salaries, \$412.25; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$37.50; furni-

ture, fixtures and equipment, \$25.00; Sunday School current expenses, \$31.92; relief of poor, \$39.50; interest on borrowed money, \$150.00; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$286.05. Total, \$2,804.13.

Balance due on loans, \$2,500.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$180.50; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$105.00; Theological Education Fund, \$6.17; Bishop's Purse, \$8.35; Missionary Host, \$31.50; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary and other organizations, \$60.00; value of missionary boxes given within the diocese, \$8.50; miscellaneous diocesan purposes not included above, \$16.00. Total, \$416.02.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$48.81; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$27.31; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$38.12; sub-total, \$114.24. Items not included on apportionment: Colored Missions, \$11.00; Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$90.00; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$40.00; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$31.22. Total, \$286.46.

Grand total expenditures, \$3,506.61.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$15,000.00.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 250.

WEBSTER GROVES—EMMANUEL

Bompart and Lockwood Aves.

Rector, Rev. J. Courtney Jones.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Kent James; Junior Warden, W. O. Shillington; Secretary, J. K. Stribling; Treasurer, W. J. Wright; Geo. W. Adams, F. H. Below, J. B. Gottsberger, Percy Ludlow, P. J. Miller, C. S. Maybury, J. O. Robinson, A. J. Watling, Clement Whittin.

Baptized persons, 928. Active communicants last reported, 518; restored to list of active communicants, 2; received from other parishes, 43; admitted after confirmation, 29; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 43; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 43); died, 2; present number of active communicants, 541.

Baptisms—Infants, 34; adults, 7; total baptisms, 41. Confirmations, 29. Marriages, 7. Burials, 12. Communion made on Easter or in octave, about 300.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 69; Holy Communion in private, 2; other services, 83; total services, 154.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 21; pupils, 240.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$145.49; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$448.05; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$5,524.72; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$357.71; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$373.39; Woman's Auxiliary, \$562.60; Junior Auxiliary, \$25.00. Total, \$7,436.96.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$2,600.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$969.22; music, including choir salaries, \$589.13;

ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$101.75; improvements (organ), \$2,200; Sunday School current expenses, \$199.22; relief of poor, \$57.65; interest on borrowed money, \$630.00; insurance premiums, \$81.00; miscellaneous expenses, \$128.38. Total, \$7,556.35.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$420.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$815.00; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$9.35; Theological Education Fund, \$7.91; Bishop's Purse, \$33.15; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$72.00; miscellaneous diocesan purposes not included above, \$111.66. Total, \$1,469.07.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$200.00; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$111.37. Sub-total, \$311.37. Items not included on apportionment—miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$594.04. Total, \$905.41.

Grand total expenditures, \$9,930.83.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$37.200.

Total amount of money borrowed during year, \$400.00.

Balance due on loans, \$7,400.00.

One church building, one rectory, and one parish house.

Number of sittings—Free, 300.

Repo

Com
Treasur
Bapt
ent num
Bapt
on East
Serv
ices, 56.
Sun
Rece
loose off
duplex e
School n
\$50.00.
Expe
water, a
Total, \$4
Expe
Gran
Num

Vest
Overisolz
Rodibaug
Bapt
cants, 5.
ishes, 4;
communi
1; transf
municant

Reports from the Field of the Bishop Coadjutor.

Parochial Reports.

Report from October 1, 1917.

CRYSTAL CITY—GRACE.

Minister, Rev. H. N. Tragitt, Jr.

Committee—Senior Warden, Fred Butler; Secretary, Laurence Reynolds; Treasurer, Bransby Houghton.

Baptized persons, 150. Admitted after confirmation, 9; died, 1; present number of active communicants, 50.

Baptisms—Adults, 2. Confirmations, 9. Burials, 3. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 50.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 11; other services, 45; total services, 56.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 6; pupils, 125.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$12.50; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$76.15; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$269.82; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$50.00. Total, \$408.47.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$350.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$4.50; Sunday School current expenses, \$50.00. Total, \$404.50.

Expenditures, diocesan—\$35.00.

Grand total expenditures, \$439.50.

Number of sittings—Free, 250.

CAPE GIRARDEAU—CHRIST CHURCH.

Rector, Rev. J. J. Clopton.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, D. B. Smith; Junior Warden, Chas. H. Overtsolz; Secretary, A. H. Hinchey; Treasurer, A. R. Zoelsman; Lawrence Rodibaugh.

Baptized persons, 118. Confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 5. Active communicants last reported, 71; received from other parishes, 4; admitted after confirmation, 9; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 1; transferred to other parishes, 11; died, 1; present number of active communicants, 71.

Baptisms—Infants, 3; adults, 1; total baptisms, 4. Confirmations, 9. Marriages, 1. Burials, 1. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 2. Services—Holy Communion in public, 17; other services, 57; total services, 74.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 9; pupils, 36.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$142.34; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$1,170.38; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$120.44; Woman's Auxiliary, \$1.00; \$1,434.16.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$700; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$81.18; improvements on buildings, \$214.25; Sunday School current expenses, \$61.67; \$1,057.10.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$59.50; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$53.98; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$4.70; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$11.21; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$1.00; \$130.39.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$21.67; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$1.00; sub-total, \$22.67. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$61.25; total, \$83.92.

Grand total expenditures, \$1,271.41.

Total amount of money borrowed during year, \$218.80.

Amount paid on principal of loans, \$70.00; balance due on loans, \$218.80.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$2,800.00.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 100.

DE SOTO—TRINITY.

Second and Miller Streets.

Rector, Rev. Vincent Owen Penley.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, Gus J. Hamel; Junior Warden, Ward Hamel; Secretary, Ward Hamel; Treasurer, Ward Hamel; Warren Brant, Maurice S. Benson, Hal McKay.

Baptized persons, 60. Active communicants last reported, 33; received from other parishes, 2; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 2; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 7); died, 1; present number of active communicants, 27.

Baptisms—Infants, 4; total baptisms, 4. Marriages, 2. Burials, 5. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 20.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 20; Holy Communion in private, 2; other services, 40; total services, 62.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 4; pupils, 25.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$3.50; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$43.63; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$150.00; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$15; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$31.58; Woman's Auxiliary,

\$65.00; St. Mary's Circle, \$170.88; Easter offerings, special, \$10; dividend from bank, \$28.19.; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$5.00; total, \$522.78.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$345.06; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$35.35; music, \$10.25; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$5.00; improvements on buildings, \$5.00; furniture, fixtures and equipment, \$21.80; Sunday School current expenses, \$14.39; relief of poor, \$5.00; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$6.00. Total, \$441.85.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$25.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Bishop Coadjutor's purse, \$3.45. Total, \$33.45.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions, through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$10.00; War Commission of the Church, \$5.00. Total, \$15.00.

Grand total expenditures, \$490.30.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$2,500.

One church building and one rectory.

Number of sittings—Free, 100.

MEXICO—ST. PAUL'S.

Clark and Promenade Street.

Rector, Rev. George E. Wharton, B. D.

Assistant, L. Mitchell White.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, L. Mitchell White; Junior Warden, Robert Hopkins; Secretary, Robert Hopkins; Treasurer, Mrs. Robert Hopkins; C. P. Malone, Dr. McDowell Botts, Bertram Fahren.

Baptized persons, 70. Active communicants last reported, 34; admitted after confirmation, 3; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 2; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 9); died, 1; present number of active communicants, 35.

Baptisms—Adults, 3; total baptisms, 3. Confirmations, 4. Burials, 1. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 32.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 22; Holy Communion in private, 2; other services, 127; total services, 151.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 2; pupils, 6.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$48.37; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$655.00; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$27.55; Woman's Auxiliary, \$12.61; other organizations' receipts, \$200.00; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$91.01; total, \$1,034.54.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$600.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$90.00; Sunday School current expenses, \$7.01; total, \$707.01.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessments, \$50.00; payment to the

treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$25.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$7.00; Red Cross, \$5.00; Y. M. C. A., \$5.00; total, \$82.00.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$16.01; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$15.00; sub-total, \$31.01. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$48.00; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$14.25; united offering, \$6.96; St. Agnes School, Tokio, \$3.00; total, \$103.22.

Grand total expenditures, \$892.23.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$1,000.00.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 125.

MOBERLY—CHRIST.

Fifth and Rollins.

Rector, Rev. G. E. Wharton, B. D.

Assistant, F. Hartley Estill.

Vestrymen—Secretary, Mrs. June Burkholder; Treasurer, Mrs. June Burkholder; Perry Menke, Harry V. Estill.

Baptized persons, 75. Active communicants last reported, 52; admitted after confirmation, 2; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 4; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 12); died, 1; present number of active communicants, 51.

Confirmations, 2. Burials, 1. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 2.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 22; other services, 84; total services, 106.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$70.00; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$515.50; Woman's Auxiliary, U. O., \$3.15; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$44.74; total, \$633.39.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$500.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$26.00; improvements on buildings, \$15.00; total, \$531.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$23.14; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$12.74; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$7.00; total, \$42.88.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$8.85; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, united offering, \$3.15. Sub-total, \$12.00. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$37.50; total, \$49.50.

Grand total expenditures, \$623.38.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 150.

MONROE CITY—ST. JUDE'S.
Main, Court and Catherine Streets.

Rector, Rev. Oscar Lindstrom.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, J. J. Rogers; Junior Warden, B. O. Wood; Secretary, R. O. Cranston; Treasurer, Henry Green; J. Streat, H. Streat, A. Jaeger, Jr., T. M. Boulware, H. Anderson, R. M. Walker, A. A. Melson.

Baptized persons, 85. Active communicants last reported, 63; present number of active communicants, 63.

Baptisms—Infant, 1. Marriage, 1. Burials, 3.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$616.67; endowment fund income paid into parish treasury, \$170.37. Total, \$787.04.

Expenditures—Miscellaneous parish expenses, \$645.57.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$95.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$60.00. Total, \$155.00.

Grand total expenditures, \$800.57.

Amount of parochial endowment fund, \$2,634.72.

One church building and one rectory.

This report is given to the best of my knowledge with data at hand. The Treasurer has been out of town a greater part of the church year and I have no access to the Sunday School data, nor to the Parish Book of Records pertaining to vital statistics.

R. O. CRANSTON, Sec'y of Vestry.

Organized Mission Reports.

BONNE TERRE—ST. PETER'S.

Minister, Rev. A. E. Woodward. (Resigned March, 1918.)

Committee—Senior Warden, Charles K. Hitchcock; Treasurer, Miss Emily Conover; Harry H. Bryan, Frederick Klepsettel.

Baptized persons, 39. Active communicants last reported, 14; present number of active communicants, 14. In addition there are 8 communicants at Desloge, Mo., making a total of 28.

Baptisms—Infants, 2; total baptisms, 2. Burials, 2.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 10; Holy Communion in private, 1; other services, 10; total services, 21.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 2; pupils, 12.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—\$120.00.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$110.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$5.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; total, \$10.00.

Grand total expenditures, \$120.00.

CANTON—ST. PETER'S.

Minister, Rev. Oscar Lindstrom.

Committee—Senior Warden, Wm. Beach; Junior Warden, F. F. Page; Secretary, Byrd E. Puhl; Treasurer, Byrd E. Puhl.

Baptized persons, 18. Active communicants last reported, 12.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 5; other services, 8; total services, 13.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 4; pupils, 18.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$7.78.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$94.84; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$23.80; Sunday School current expense, \$31.00; relief of poor, \$10.00. Total, \$159.64.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$5.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$14.16. Total, \$24.16.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions, through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$10.00.

Grand total expenditures, \$193.80.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$600.00.

CUBA—ST. ANDREW'S.

Minister, Rev. H. Nelson Tragitt.

Committee—Junior Warden, B. W. Newman; Secretary, Mrs. C. E. Lewis; Treasurer, Marian E. Newman.

Baptized persons, 32. Active communicants last reported, 13; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 2; died, 2; present number of active communicants, 9.

Baptisms—Infants, 2. Burials, 2. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 9.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 4; other services, 24; total services, 28.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$52.00.

Expenditures, parochial—Fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$10.00; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$3.00. Total, \$13.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$10.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$4.16; War Chaplain, \$7.55. Total, \$26.71.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$10.00.

Grand total expenditures, \$49.71.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$1,000.00.

Number of sittings—Free, 150.

FREDERICKTOWN—SAINT PAUL'S.
College Ave.

Minister, Rev. Vincent Owen Penley.
Assistant, H. C. Thompson, Lay Reader.

Committee—Senior Warden, H. C. Thompson; Secretary, H. C. Thompson; Treasurer, Hiram Neuwoehner; Wm. Gudger, A. E. Engle, Wm. Hunter, Chas. Conour.

Baptized persons, 39. Active communicants last reported, 17; received from other parishes, 4; transferred to other parishes, 5; present number of active communicants, 16.

Communion made on Easter or in octave, 12.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 11; Holy Communion in private, 1; other services, 12; total services, 23.

No Sunday School.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$3.00; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$20.00; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$150.00; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$25.00; Woman's Auxiliary, \$75.00; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$5.00. Total, \$278.00.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$160.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$15.00; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$5.00; furniture, fixtures, and equipment, \$15.00; minister's railway fare, \$39.10; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$7.00. Total, \$241.10.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$5.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$13.50; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$6.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$3.10. Total, \$27.60.

Grand total expenditures, \$268.70.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$500.00; tornado, \$500.00.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 100.

FULTON—TRINITY.

Martin Street.

Minister, Rev. G. E. Wharton, B. D.

Baptized persons, 7. Active communicants last reported, 3; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 1); present number of active communicants, 3.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 3; other services, 6; total services, 9.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, 75 cents; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$10.05; total, \$10.80.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$10.05.

Expenditures beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, 75 cents.

Grand total expenditures, \$10.80.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 75.

IRONTON—SAINT PAUL'S MISSION.

Minister, Rev. Vincent Owen Penley.

Assistant, Charles F. Galt, Lay Reader.

Committee—Charles F. Galt; Junior Warden, Henry Kendall; Secretary, F. O. Coddington; Treasurer, F. O. Coddington; A. M. Madigan, Henry Adolph.

Baptized persons, 40. Active communicants last reported, 24; admitted after confirmation, 1; transferred to other parishes, 3; present number of active communicants, 22.

Baptisms—Infants, 2; adults, 1; total baptisms, 3. Confirmations, 1. Marriages, 1. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 16.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 10; Holy Communion in private, 2; other services, 30; total services, 40.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 2; pupils, 15.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$3.65; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$72.30; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$150.00; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$50.76; Woman's Auxiliary, \$50.00; other organizations' receipts, \$13.00; a gift to minister for hotel expenses, \$12.50; rent from rectory, \$10.00 a month, \$120.00. Total, \$472.21.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$275.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$19.00; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$8.40; Sunday School current expenses, \$27.41; relief of poor, \$11.26; taxes on rectory, \$10.50. Total, \$351.57.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$5.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$6.20. Total, \$16.20.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$10.00; Church War Commission, \$5.00. Total, \$15.00.

Grand total expenditures, \$382.77.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$2,500.00.

One church building and one rectory.

Number of sittings—Free, 100.

JACKSON—CHAPEL OF REDEEMER.

Minister, Rev. J. J. Clopton.

Committee—Treasurer, Mrs. Linus, Sandford.

Baptized persons, 5. Active communicants last reported, 3; transferred to other parishes, 1; died, 1; present number of active communicants, 1.

Burials, 1.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$85.00; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$53.19. Total, \$138.19.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$85.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$10.00; insurance premiums, \$21.25. Total, \$116.25.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$5.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$2.00. Total, \$12.00.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$5.00. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$7.74. Total, \$12.74.

Grand total expenditures, \$140.99.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$1,500.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 50.

KIRKSVILLE—TRINITY.

Minister, Rev. Rufus D. S. Putney.

Committee—Senior Warden, Hiram A. Kellogg; Junior Warden, T. W. Gorrell; Secretary, Prof. J. S. Slotses; Treasurer, T. W. Gorrell; Cecil L. Clark, Irwin Davis.

Baptized persons, 151. Active communicants last reported, 72; received from other parishes, 2; admitted after confirmation, 8; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 7; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 7); died, 2; present number of active communicants, 72.

Baptisms—Infants, 1; total baptisms, 1. Confirmations, 8. Marriages, 1. Burials, 3. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 43.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 36; Holy Communion in private, 3; other services, 105; total services, 144.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 4; pupils, 32.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$40.50; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$132.29; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$406.99; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$335.54; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$43.36; other organizations' receipts, \$25.00; received from Bishop Johnson for Church Building, \$5,107.40; received from Local Building Fund, \$2,634.96; \$8,726.04.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$400.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$71.92; music, including choir salaries, \$73.17; furniture, fixtures, and equipment, \$487.35; Sunday School current expenses, \$26.86; social service institutional work, \$106.10; interest on borrowed money, \$50.00; insurance premiums, \$99.25; paid on new building, not including furniture, \$7,198.85; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$33.60. Total, \$8,547.10.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$15.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$25.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$5.00; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$10.00; Theological Education Fund, \$5.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$29.09; \$89.09.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$15.00; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$6.50. Total, \$21.50.

Grand total expenditures, \$8,657.69.

Total amount of money borrowed during year, \$2,000.00. There were donations of materials, profits and labor amounting to over \$2,100 for the church, that have not gone through our books.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$5,000; tornado, \$1,500.

One church building.

OVERLAND—ST. PAUL'S.

Woodson Road.

Minister, Rev. Augustus P. Rein.

Committee—Senior Warden, Thomas K. Jones; Secretary, Walter H. Williams; Treasurer, David C. Smith; Charles A. FitzGerald.

Baptized persons, 41. Active communicants last reported, 30; restored to list of active communicants, 1; received from other parishes, 2; admitted after confirmation, 3; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 1); present number of active communicants, 36.

Baptisms—Infants, 10; adults, 1; total baptisms, 11. Confirmations, 3. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 29.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 11; Holy Communion in private, 1; other services, 60; total services, 72.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 9; pupils, 50.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$18.45; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$78.50; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$340.50; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$24.50; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$130.06; Woman's Auxiliary, \$8.00; \$600.01.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$300.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$62.36; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$25.06; furniture, fixtures, and equipment, \$48.84; Sunday School current expenses, \$29.92; relief of poor, \$3.25; \$469.43.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$5.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$4.05; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$5.00; value of missionary boxes given within the diocese, \$4.00; \$23.05.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, 83 cents; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$15.84; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$10.50. Sub-total, \$27.17. Items not included on apportionment—Colored Missions, \$5.00; Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$22.56; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$5.00; war commission, \$12.00; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$3.00; \$74.73.

Grand total expenditures, \$567.21.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$1,000.00; tornado, \$400.00.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 85.

POPLAR BLUFF—HOLY CROSS.

Minister, Rev. A. E. Woodward. (Resigned March, 1918.)

Committee—Senior Warden, Alexander McDonald; Secretary, Charles Schenkmeier; Treasurer, Mrs. W. H. Wilsey.

Baptized persons, 73. Confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 13. Active communicants last reported, 35; restored to list of active communicants, 1; received from other parishes, 3; transferred from list of

active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 2; transferred to other parishes, 4; present number of active communicants, 34.

Baptisms—Infants, 3; adults, 1; total baptisms, 4. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 25.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 27; other services, 50; total services, 77.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 2; pupils, 12.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$19.89; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$30.00; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$360.00; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$29.17; Woman's Auxiliary, \$12.40. Total, \$451.46.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$450.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$30.52; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$2.70; Sunday School current expenses, \$10.66; interest on borrowed money, \$42.00; insurance, \$55.00; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$70.70. Total, \$661.58.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$20.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$25.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$2.50; Permanent Fund for the Support of Episcopate, \$2.25; Theological Education Fund, \$1.20. Total, \$50.95.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$13.50; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$10.50; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$1.00. Sub-total, \$25.00. Items not included on apportionment—Jewish Missions, \$2.50. Total, \$27.50.

Grand total expenditures, \$740.03.

Balance due on loans, \$600.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$2,500.00.

ROLLA—CHRIST CHURCH.

Minister, Rev. H. Nelson Tragitt.

Committee—Junior Warden, Henry Wood; Secretary, Dr. A. L. McRae; Treasurer, B. H. Rucker; Prof. J. H. Bowen, Chas. T. Strobach.

Baptized persons, 112. Active communicants last reported, 80; admitted after confirmation, 2; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 6; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 6); died, 1; present number of active communicants, 75.

Baptisms—Infants, 2; adults, 2; total baptisms, 4. Confirmations, 2. Marriages, 2. Burials, 2. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 50.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 20; Holy Communion in private, 1; other services, 150; total services, 171.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 4; pupils, 45.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$18.00; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$100.00; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$600.00; other

contributions to the parish treasurer, \$240.00; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$109.47; Woman's Auxiliary, \$21.69; Junior Auxiliary, \$6.00. Total, \$1,195.16.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$960.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$89.06; improvements on buildings, \$3.22; Sunday School current expenses, \$44.27; relief of poor, \$50.00. Total, \$1,146.55.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$30.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$40.00; Theological Education Fund, \$9.31; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$13.83; War Chaplain, \$53.86. Total, \$147.00.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions, through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$51.95; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$27.69. Total, \$79.64.

Grand total expenditures, \$1,373.19.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$1,200.00.

One church building and one rectory.

Number of sittings—Free, 150.

SALEM—TRINITY.

Minister, Rev. F. M. Weddell.

Committee—Junior Warden, George D. Addison; Treasurer, Mrs. G. D. Addison.

Baptized persons, 13. Active communicants last reported, 6; admitted after confirmation, 1; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 2; confirmations, 3; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 5); present number of active communicants, 8.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 1; other services, 6; total services, 7.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes, \$38.63.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$34.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$1.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$3.63; total, \$4.63.

Grand total expenditures, \$38.63.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 60.

ST. JAMES—TRINITY.

Minister, Rev. F. M. Weddell.

Warden, Thomas G. Stimson; Treasurer, Mrs. A. W. Muller; John A. French.

Baptized persons, 65. Active communicants last reported, 41; received from other parishes, 2; admitted after confirmation, 3; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 6); transferred to other parishes, 4; present number of active communicants, 42.

Baptisms—Infants, 1; total baptisms, 1. Confirmations, 3. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 28.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 14; other services, 5; total services, 19.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 4; pupils, 18.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$20.78; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$28.42; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$399.50; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$126.84; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$29.44; other organizations' receipts, \$8.35; total, \$613.30.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$413.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$47.00; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$102.60; Sunday School current expenses, \$21.19; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$4.45; total, \$588.24.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$10.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$1.31; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$1.50; total, \$17.81.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$10.52. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$12.50; Armenian Relief, \$13.65; War Board Fund, \$11.56; total, \$48.23.

Grand total expenditures, \$654.28.

Amount of money received from the sale of church property, \$1,500.00.

Money received from sales of church property was used as follows: Deposited with Parochial Trust Fund, \$1,500.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$1,600.00.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 125.

ST. LOUIS—PRINCE OF PEACE.

8451 Halls Ferry Road.

Minister, Rev. F. M. Weddell.

Assistant, Sister Miriam.

Committee—Junior Warden, John Wheatley; Secretary, William E. Mowry; Treasurer, Leslie W. Richards.

Baptized persons, 60. Active communicants last reported, 37; admitted after confirmation, 2; transferred to other parishes, 14; died, 1; present number of active communicants, 24.

Baptisms—Infants, 1. Confirmations, 2. Burials, 3. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 22.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 11; Holy Communion in private, 1; other services, 12; total services, 24.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 5; pupils, 60.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$171.25; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$122.04; other contributions to the parish

treasurer, \$166.30; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$108.20; bazaars, etc., \$108.28; total, \$676.07.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$96.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$58.74; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$72.76; furniture, fixtures and equipment, \$10.18; Sunday School current expenses, \$64.74; relief of poor, \$5.60; purchase of building, \$200.00; total, \$508.02.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$5.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Theological Education Fund, \$1.50; Bishop's Purse, \$2.72; Bishop Co-adjutor's Purse, \$2.94; total, \$17.16.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$5.00; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$1.56; sub-total, \$6.56. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$7.20; Armenian Relief, \$1.25; total, \$15.01.

Grand total expenditures, \$540.19.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$800.00.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 100.

ST. LOUIS—ST. AUGUSTINE'S.

Blendon Place and Bruno Avenue.

Minister, Rev. Douglass Henry Atwill.

Committee—Warden, Geo. F. Brigham, Jr.; Secretary, E. J. Walser; Treasurer, W. H. Wyatt; A. W. Townsend, W. Y. Brown, D. Witbeck, H. Salmon, Emil Hackenyos.

Baptized persons, 237. Active communicants last reported, 121; received from other parishes, 4; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 32); present number of active communicants, 103.

Baptisms—Infants, 3; adults, 1; total baptisms, 4. Burials, 1. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 78.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 22; Holy Communion in private, 5; other services, 51; total services, 78.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 8; pupils, 53.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$380.46; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$645.30; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$103.57; Woman's Auxiliary, \$62.60; Junior Auxiliary, \$14.00; other organizations' receipts, \$282.87. Total, \$1,488.80.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$416.50; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$98.12; music, including choir salaries, \$110.00; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$49.35; furniture, fixtures, and equipment, \$75.00; Sunday School current expenses, \$15.00; insurance premiums, \$34.64; street tax bill, Bruno, on account, \$77.89; street tax bill, Blendon, in full, \$23.59. Total, \$900.09.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$75.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Mis-

sions, \$75.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$5.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$28.02; Missionary Host, \$24.17; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$25.72. Total, \$232.91.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$27.00; through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$30.00; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$8.00. Sub-total, \$65.00. Items not included on apportionment—Colored Missions, \$1.00; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$8.50; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$31.60. Total, \$106.10.

Grand total expenditures, \$1,239.10.

Amount paid on principal of loans, \$43.13.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$3,500.00.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 150.

ST. LOUIS—ST. LUKE'S.

Thekla and Arlington.

Committee—Junior Warden, Alfred Kirby; Treasurer, Victor Hogan; Andrew B. Hogan.

Active communicants last reported, 16; admitted after confirmation, 1; present number of active communicants, 17.

Baptism—Infant, 1. Confirmation, 1. Burial, 1.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 12; other services, 25; total services, 37.

Sunday School—Officer and teacher, 1; pupils, 18.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes, \$193.59.

Expenditures, parochial, \$193.59.

ST. LOUIS—SAINT MARY'S.

N. W. Cor. Ridge and Hamilton Avenues.

Minister, Rev. Linden Harris White, S. T. B.

Assistant (lay), Constantin L. Von Renthel.

Committee—Warden, Louis H. Niederluck; Secretary, Edward Monteath; Treasurer, Louis H. Niederluck; Victor Berlandes, George T. Fillingham, Sidney C. Frampton, Albert George Gunther, William Lankford, Henry Murdoch, George H. Simon.

Baptized persons, 340. Active communicants last reported, 159; restored to list of active communicants, 10; received from other parishes, 16; received from other communions, 3; admitted after confirmation, 8; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 22; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 43); transferred to other parishes, 17; removed from parish register as a result of discipline, 5; died, 1; present number of active communicants, 151.

Baptisms—Infants, 8; adults, 1; total baptisms, 9. Confirmations, 8. Burials, 4. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 67.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 44; Holy Communion in private, 1; other services, 145; total services, 190.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 10; pupils, 80.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$29.12; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$80.40; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$521.60; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$767.04; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$149.49; Woman's Auxiliary, \$20.00. Total, \$1,567.65.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$1,447.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$37.64; Sunday School current expenses, \$90.02; relief of poor, \$18.10; interest on borrowed money, \$10.24; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$21.26; total, \$1,624.26.

Expenditures, diocesan—Payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$70.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$11.68; Missionary Host, \$9.00; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$6.00; Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association, \$1.00; miscellaneous diocesan purposes not included above, \$3.20; total, \$100.88.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$29.62; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$14.00; sub-total, \$43.62. Items not included on apportionment—Jewish Missions, \$3.25; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$12.00; starving Christian Armenians, \$5.00; total, \$63.87.

Grand total expenditures, \$1,789.01.

Total amount of money borrowed during year, \$150.00.

Amount paid on principal of loans, \$50.00; balance due on loans, \$2,350.00.

Two church buildings.

Parish house being built.

Number of sittings—Free, 180.

ST. LOUIS—ST. STEPHEN'S HOUSE.

Sixth and Rutger Streets.

Minister, Rev. H. W. Mizner.

Committee—Senior Warden, George A. Randolph; Junior Warden, Edward C. Bergt; Secretary, Harry Ladowsky; Treasurer, Eugene A. Schill.

Baptized persons, 870. Active communicants last reported, 304; restored to list of active communicants, 10; received from other parishes, 3; received from other communions, 1; admitted after confirmation, 17; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 16; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 43); transferred to other parishes, 6; died, 2; present number of active communicants, 311.

Baptisms—Infants, 30; adults, 1; total baptisms, 31. Confirmations, 17. Marriages, 5. Burials, 18. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 283.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 114; Holy Communion in private, 4; other services, 109; total services, 222.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 15; pupils, 260.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$880.89; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$855.43; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$672.43; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$208.79; Woman's Auxiliary, \$72.00; other organizations' receipts, \$79.00; endowment fund income paid into parish treasury, \$1,025.00; Missouri Branch Woman's Auxiliary, \$1,150.00; from friend, direct to Board of Missions, in St. Stephen's name, \$200.00; from communicants direct to Board of Missions, one day income, \$110.00. Total, \$5,253.56.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$400.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$1,277.66; music, including choir salaries, \$319.56; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$301.50; Sunday School current expenses, \$69.72; social service institutional work, \$110.71; relief of poor, \$215.12; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$986.02. Total, \$3,680.29.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$100.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$75.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$4.00; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$10.00; Theological Education Fund, \$10.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$16.22; Missionary Host, \$73.50; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$29.00; Hospital Saturday and Sunday Association, \$14.05; Church News, \$10.00. Total, \$341.77.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$157.36; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$43.00. Sub-total, \$200.36. Items not included on apportionment—Jewish Missions, \$5.00; Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$61.68; to treasurer Board of Missions direct for General Missions, \$200.00; to treasurer Board of Missions, one day income, \$110.00; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$56.91. Total, \$633.95.

Grand total expenditures, \$4,656.01.

Amount paid on principal of loans, \$700.00.

Amount of parochial endowment fund, \$515.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$21,000.00; tornado, \$5,000.00.

One church in city and one in county, one rectory and one parish house.

Number of sittings—Free, 180 in city and 60 in county.

ST. LOUIS—ST. TIMOTHY'S.

Euclid and St. Louis Avenues.

Committee—Senior Warden, Claude L. Case; Secretary, David J. Fine; Treasurer, William S. Greaves; George Grassmuck, James Noble, Victor L. Wilson, Oliver F. Cuddy.

Baptized persons, 275. Active communicants last reported, 121; received from other communions, 2; admitted after confirmation, 15; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 1; transferred to other parishes, 3; died, 1; present number of active communicants, 133.

Baptisms—Infants, 5; adults, 1; total baptisms, 6. Confirmations, 15. Marriage, 1. Burials, 9.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 34; other services, 134; total services, 168.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 16; pupils, 118.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$25.00; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$61.71; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$554.81; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$173.18; Junior Auxiliary, \$32.10; other organizations' receipts, \$494.45; Easter offering, \$86.33; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$329.37. Total, \$1,756.95.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$800.04; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$211.13; music, including choir salaries, \$120.00; Sunday School current expenses, \$157.90; interest on borrowed money, \$125.00; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$187.22. Total, \$1,601.29.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$50.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$30.00; Bishop's Purse, \$8.19. Total, \$88.19.

Expenditures beyond the diocese—Payments on the appointment for General Missions, through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$12.44.

Grand total expenditures, \$1,701.92.

Balance due on loans, \$2,375.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$6,000.00.

One chapel and parish house.

Number of sittings—Free, 300.

ST. LOUIS—ST. THOMAS MISSION.

(For the Deaf.)

Thirteenth and Locust Streets.

Minister, Rev. James H. Cloud, M. A., D. D.

Assistant, Arthur O. Steidemann, B. S.

Committee—Senior Warden, Henry Stumpe, Jr.; Junior Warden, Arthur H. Brockmann; Secretary, Arthur O. Steidemann; Treasurer, Arthur O. Steidemann; George J. Tureczek, Louis Baur, John H. Burgherr.

Active communicants last reported, 117; received from other parishes, 2; received from other communions, 1; admitted after confirmation, 5; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 8; transferred to other parishes, 6; died, 1; present number of active communicants, 110.

Baptisms—Infants, 2; adults, 4; total baptisms, 6. Confirmations, 5. Marriages, 6. Burials, 1. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 70.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 12; other services, 40; total services, 52.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 1; pupils, 10.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$10.68; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$37.71; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$144.21; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$14.25; other organizations' receipts, \$76.69; endowment fund income paid into parish treasury, \$6.23; total, \$289.77.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$75.00; Sunday School current expenses, 64 cents; relief of poor, \$31.75; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$46.48; added to endowment fund, \$6.23; total, \$160.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$25.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$40.00; Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, \$1.93; Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate, \$1.23; Theological Education Fund, \$2.00; miscellaneous diocesan purposes not included above, \$6.19; total, \$86.35.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$23.42. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$5.64; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, \$16.67; total, \$45.73.

Grand total expenditures, \$292.18.

Amount of parochial endowment fund, \$137.85.

SUMMARY OF THE WORK OF THE MISSIONARY.

Services, sermons and addresses dioceses—Missouri, 76; West Missouri, 7; Connecticut, 5; Michigan, 4; Springfield, 3; Chicago, 2; Kansas, 2; total, 99. Preached the sermon for the deaf under the auspices of the Convention of Instructors of the Deaf, commemorating the founding of deaf-mute education at Hartford one hundred years ago; participated in the Convention of the National Association of the Deaf, Hartford; chaplain Alumni Association of Gallaudet College, Hartford; chaplain Kansas Association of the Deaf, Topeka; officiated at the Illinois School for the Deaf, Jacksonville. Number of the deaf reached during the year, 2,200.

Receipts for Missionary Work.

Balance on hand May 1, 1917.....	\$ 14.76
The Very Rev. C. M. Davis, St. Louis.....	50.00
The Rt. Rev. C. B. Brewster, D. D., Hartford.....	20.00
Woman's Guild, St. Thomas' Mission, St. Louis.....	2.25
Mrs. V. J. Behr, St. Thomas' Mission, St. Louis.....	.25
St. Mark's S. S., Beaumont, Texas.....	3.35
The Rt. Rev. S. C. Partridge, D. D., Kansas City.....	6.16
The Rt. Rev. James Wise, D. D., Topeka.....	9.71
Detroit Branch, National Association of the Deaf.....	20.00
Young America Society, Illinois School for the Deaf.....	10.00
Diocese of West Missouri.....	14.43
All Angels Church for the Deaf, Chicago.....	5.00
Offerings at Services outside of St. Louis.....	37.97
	<hr/>
	\$163.88

Disbursements.

To traveling expenses.....	\$137.93
Literature, postage, stationery, telegrams.....	17.40
Balance on hand May 1, 1918.....	8.55
	<hr/>
	\$163.88

SULLIVAN—ST. JOHN'S.

Minister, Rev. F. M. Weddell.

Committee—Warden, George L. Russell; Treasurer, Miss Jennie E. Little; Henry Orlando Hollow, H. B. Kernish.

Baptized persons, 13. Active communicants last reported, 9; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 1; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 4); transferred to other parishes, 1; died, 1; present number of active communicants, 6.

Baptisms—Infants, 5; total baptisms, 5. Burials, 1.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 7; other services, 14; total services, 21.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$17.22; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$75.00; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$30.60; total, \$122.82.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$75.00; fuel, light, power, water and janitor service, \$18.19; improvements on buildings, \$22.00; furniture, fixtures and equipment, \$4.65; insurance premiums, \$9.21; organ, \$120.00; total, \$249.05.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$5.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$1.16; total, \$11.66.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury, \$1.00. Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$5.64; Armenian Relief, \$1.75; total, \$8.39.

Grand total expenditures, \$269.10.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 100.

THAYER—HOLY TRINITY.

Minister, Rev. A. C. Woodward. (Resigned March, 1918.)

Committee—Senior Warden, John W. Buchanan; Treasurer, Philip S. Trusler.

Baptized persons, 59. Confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 21. Active communicants last reported, 13; received from other parishes, 1; admitted after confirmation, 1; transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 2; present number of active communicants, 13.

Baptisms—Adults, 1. Confirmations, 1.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 9; other services, 8; total services, 17.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$15.44.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$132.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$10.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$10.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$9.00. Total, \$29.00.

Grand total expenditures, \$161.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$1,500.00.

VALLEY PARK—ST. LUKE'S.

Minister, Rev. F. M. Weddell.

Committee—Treasurer, Mrs. Richard Ralph.

Baptized persons, 20. Active communicants last reported, 6; received from other parishes, 2; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 4); present number of active communicants, 8.

Burial, 1.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 7; other services, 3; total services, 10.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$5.12; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$18.25. Total, \$23.37.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$40.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention assessment, \$5.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$5.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$6.90. Total, \$16.90.

Grand total expenditures, \$56.90.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$600.00.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 60.

Unorganized Mission Reports.

CHAFFEE—CHAFFEE.

Minister, Rev. J. J. Clopton.

Committee—Treasurer, M. H. Stubblefield.

Baptized persons, 15. Active communicants last reported, 14; received from other parishes, 6; transferred to other parishes, 6; present number of active communicants, 14.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 3; other services, 6; total services, 9.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$84.00; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$7.35; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$7.17. Total, \$98.52.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salary, \$84.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$7.17.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$7.35.

Grand total expenditures, \$98.52.

DONIPHAN—DONIPHAN MISSION.

Minister, Rev. A. E. Woodward. (Resigned March, 1918.)

Committee—Senior Warden, J. D. Gerlach; Treasurer, Mrs. J. D. Gerlach.

Baptized persons, 9. Active communicants last reported, 9; present number of active communicants, 9.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 4.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Contributions to the parish treasurer, \$60.00.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$60.00.

FLORISSANT.

Minister, Rev. F. M. Weddell.

Baptized persons, 8. Active communicants last reported, 7; admitted after confirmation, 1; transferred to other parishes, 2; present number of active communicants, 6.

Confirmations, 1. Burials, 1.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 4; Holy Communion in private, 1; other services, 5; total services, 10.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes, \$35.60.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$32.45.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$3.15.

Grand total expenditures, \$35.60.

HERCULANEUM—GRACE MISSION.

Minister, Rev. H. N. Tragitt, Jr.

Assistant, Deaconess Sniffen.

Baptized persons, 125. Active communicants last reported, 27; received from other parishes, 2; transferred to other parishes, 2; present number of active communicants, 27.

Baptisms—Infants, 15. Burials, 2. Communion made on Easter or in octave, 20.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 11; other services, 53; total services, 64.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 2; pupils, 122.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$4.85; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$65.81; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer \$118.55; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$376.40; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$33.84; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$600.00. Total, \$1,199.45.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$153.44; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$26.90; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$16.50; improvements on buildings, \$101.00; furniture, fixtures, and equipment, \$55.85; Sunday School current expenses, \$16.95; social service institutional work, \$125.52; relief of poor, \$152.20; deaconess' salary, \$600.00. Total, \$1,248.36.

Expenditures, diocesan—Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$3.00.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$13.00.

Grand total expenditures, \$1,264.36.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$4,000.00.

One church building and one parish house.

Number of sittings—Free, 125.

ILLMO—ILLMO.

Minister, Rev. J. J. Clopton.

Treasurer, Rev. J. J. Clopton.

Baptized persons, 17. Active communicants last reported, 12; received from other parishes, 1; transferred to other parishes, 5; died, 1; present number of active communicants, 7.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 7; other services, 10; total services, 17.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$160.64; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$2.30; money received by any treasurer or parish organization from miscellaneous revenues, not included above, \$20.65. Total, \$183.59.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$162.94; insurance premium, \$4.60; \$167.54.

Expenditures, diocesan—Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$3.45.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Items not included on apportionment—Church Pension Fund Assessment, \$12.60.

Grand total expenditures, \$183.59.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 50.

JENNINGS—ST. LUKE'S.

Assistants (Lay), Edgar W. Broemmelsieck, Chas. C. Sparks.

Active communicants last reported, 22; present number of active communicants, 22.

Baptism—Infant, 1. Confirmations, 2. Burial, 1.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 12; other services, 40; total services, 52.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 11; pupils, 66.

ST. LOUIS—HOLY CROSS CORPORATION.

Grace Church, Holy Cross House.

2600 North Twelfth St.

Rector, Rev. Carl Reed Taylor.

Parish Worker, Mrs. A. V. Clark.

Baptized persons, 702. Active communicants last reported, 256; restored to list of active communicants, 2; received from other parishes, 6; received from other communions, 5; admitted after confirmation, 13; transferred to other parishes, 15; died, 7; present number of active communicants, 256.

Baptisms—Infants, 21; adults, 4; total baptisms, 25. Confirmations, 13. Marriages, 2. Burials, 25. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 121.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 79; Holy Communion in private, 5; other services, 235; total services, 319.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 14; pupils, 200.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$22.35; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$1,631.96; Church Woman's Club, \$440.00; Woman's Auxiliary, \$124.00. Total, \$2,218.31.

Expenditures, parochial—Salaries and wages, \$3,335.44; fuel, light, power, water, and telephone service, \$477.14; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$171.25; insurance premiums, \$151.50; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$439.86. Total, \$4,575.19.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$65.00; Missionary Host, \$10.32; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$23.00; value of missionary boxes given within the diocese, \$13.20; total, \$111.52.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions, through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$29.78; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$47.93. Sub-total, \$77.71. Items not included on apportionment—Value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$42.65. Total, \$120.36.

Grand total expenditures, \$4,807.07.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$20,300.00; tornado, \$12,000.00.

One church building, one rectory, and one parish house.

Number of sittings—Free, 300.

SHERMAN—HOLY CROSS.

Minister, Rev. F. M. Weddell.

Treasurer, Mrs. Carl C. Shaw.

Baptized persons, 20. Active communicants last reported, 6; restored to list of active communicants, 1; admitted after confirmation, 2; transferred to other parishes, 1; present number of active communicants, 8.

Confirmations, 3.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 3; other services, 7; total services, 10.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes, \$21.53.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$10.26.

Expenditures, diocesan—Payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$2.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$9.27. Total, \$11.27.

Grand total expenditures, \$21.53.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 60.

Reports of Missions Attached to Parishes.**ST. LOUIS—ST. ALBAN'S.**

4321 N. Grand Avenue.

Rector, Rev. Henry N. O'Connor.

During the past year up to this Convention St. Alban's was a chapel under pastoral care of the Cathedral. The present Rector, the Rev. Mr. O'Connor, had charge as a member of the Cathedral staff. As the statistics were made while the parish was a Mission in the field of the Bishop Coadjutor, they properly belong under this heading. This explains why this report of a parish, now in the field of the Bishop, is printed in this place.—Secretary of the Convention.

Vestrymen—Senior Warden, George W. Strodtman; Junior Warden, George W. Schlaegel; Secretary, Herbert P. Wyatt; Treasurer, Henry W. Warman; John Coleman, Earl Froning, W. H. Hamilton, Joseph Allan Brown, William Remaklus.

Baptized persons, 279. Active communicants last reported, 128; restored to list of active communicants, 8; received from other parishes, 15; received from other communions, 3; admitted after confirmation, 10; (present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants, 47); transferred to other parishes, 1; died, 2; present number of active communicants, 161.

Baptisms—Infants, 10; adults, 5; total baptisms, 15. Confirmations, 10. Marriages, 3. Burials, 19. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 146.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 52; Holy Communion in private, 18; other services, 96; total services, 166.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 14; pupils, 90.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Communion Alms, \$62.00; loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$208.00; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$1,011.62; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$266.94; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$277.46; Woman's Auxiliary, \$76.84; other organizations' receipts, \$1,857.50. Total, \$3,760.36.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, \$650.00; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$247.25; ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in good condition, \$4.25; improvements on buildings, \$62.29; furniture, fixtures, and equipment, \$235.95; Sunday School current expenses, \$69.24; social service institutional work, \$40.67; relief of poor, \$19.50; interest on borrowed money, \$195.00; insurance premiums, \$47.30; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$554.39. Total, \$2,125.84.

Amount paid on principal of loans, \$500.00; balance due on loans, \$3,000.00.

Expenditures, diocesan—Payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$25.00; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$14.27; Missionary Host, \$29.85; contributed for missionary work in the diocese (not included above) from the parish treasury, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organizations, \$11.00; Hospital Saturday and Sunday Ass'n, \$8.79; dues of representatives to the Woman's Auxiliary, \$2.00. Total, \$90.91.

Expenditures, beyond the diocese—Payments on the apportionment for General Missions through Sunday School mite boxes or other S. S. offerings, \$80.11; through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors, \$13.00. Sub-total, \$93.11. Items not included on apportionment—Colored Missions, \$5.00; value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese, \$15.00; miscellaneous objects beyond the diocese not included above, mite boxes, \$4.05; Calendars, \$3.00; Church Periodical Club, \$2.00; Little Helpers, \$3.10; united offering, \$6.73; war relief work, \$5.00; foreign fields, \$8.00; Armenian and Syrian relief, \$3.92. Total, \$148.91.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$4,100.00; tornado, \$3,500.00.

Grand total, \$2,365.66.

One church building.

Number of sittings—Free, 150.

ST. LOUIS—EPIPHANY CHAPEL.

4249 Gibson Avenue.

Rector, the Rev. ZeBarney Thorne Phillips, D. D.

Minister-in-charge, the Rev. George Lloyd.

Advisory Committee from St. Peter's Church—Joseph R. Barroll, Chairman; John G. Lonsdale, Charles J. Miller, Vincent L. Price; from the Chapel—George Bullerdick, Charles L. Koch, Walter R. Norton and Arthur L. Wheeler.

Baptized persons, 371. Active communicants last reported, 190; received from other communions, 1; admitted after confirmation, 2; present number of active communicants, 193.

Baptisms—Infants, 10; adults, 9; total baptisms, 19. Confirmations, 17. Marriages, 2. Burials, 8. Communions made on Easter or in octave, 100.

Services—Holy Communion in public, 32; Holy Communion in private, 5; other services, 66; total services, 103.

Sunday School—Officers and teachers, 17; pupils, 178.

Receipts from all sources for all purposes—Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms, \$91.41; through duplex envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer, \$317.86; other contributions to the parish treasurer, \$50.39; Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds, \$179.93; Junior Auxiliary, \$3.51; other organizations' receipts, \$1,266.51; from St. Peter's, \$758.13. Total, \$2,667.74.

Expenditures, parochial—Clergy salaries, paid by St. Peter's; fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service, \$171.35; music, including choir salaries, \$153.60; Sunday School current expenses, \$184.86; relief of poor, \$18.55; interest on borrowed money, paid by St. Peter's; insurance premiums, paid by St. Peter's; taxes, \$24.14; paid to Epiphany Building Fund, \$653.31; miscellaneous parish expenses not included above, \$1,080.06. Total, \$2,285.87.

Expenditures, diocesan—Convention Assessment, \$40.00; payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions, \$33.75; Bishop Coadjutor's Purse, \$13.50; Missionary Host, \$28.00. Total, \$115.25.

Grand total expenditures, \$2,401.12.

Total amount of money borrowed during year, \$5,000.00, secured by St. Peter's Church.

Balance due on loans, \$5,000.00.

Amount of insurance—Fire, \$16,000.00; tornado, \$11,000.00.

One chapel.

Number of sittings—Free, 300.

YEARLY REPORT OF UNORGANIZED MISSIONARY WORK.

Rev. George E. Wharton, B. D.

Vandalia.

Baptized persons, 10. Active communicants, 5. Services, 1. Other services, 6.

Benton City.

Baptized persons, 2. Communicants, 2. Other services, 1.

Personal Reports.

May, 1918.

To the Right Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, Bishop of Missouri.

MY DEAR BISHOP:

I herewith make my annual report, from May 1st, 1917, to May 1st, 1918: Services, 50; sermons, 44; Sunday School addresses, 15; baptisms, infants, 11; adults 2; confirmations, presented at Columbia, Mo., 13.

Faithfully yours,

REV. B. E. REED.

Fort Sill, Okla., April 9, 1918.

To the Right Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, Bishop of Missouri.

DEAR BISHOP TUTTLE:

We will soon be leaving for France, just when is not known; but I am taking this time to write and inform you of my doings for the past year.

I enlisted last May prior to the Diocesan Convention, and resigned my parish work in August, when the National Guard was Federalized.

With Bishop Partridge's permission I held services in Nevada during the stay of the troops in that place. Also in camp, through the courtesy of Chaplain MacIntosh. I performed one marriage in Nevada and celebrated Holy Communion twice.

At Camp Doniphan Rev. Mr. Freese requested me to hold services in Lawton twice a month. This I did, and celebrated Holy Communion in Lawton January 6. In December I celebrated Communion twice for Chaplain MacIntosh, at Y. M. C. A.—60.

On Christmas Day I celebrated Holy Communion at Y. M. C. A.—56.

Since being commissioned February 1st, I celebrated Holy Communion in St. Charles February 10th—30 received.

Celebrated Holy Communion every Sunday since February 10th in Y. M. C. A.—57.

Military funeral today of Private Cookson, 110 M. P., Co. A.

A summary from August, 1917, as follows:

Holy Communions celebrated, 14; baptism, 1, St. Charles, February 12; marriage, 1, Nevada, Mo.; funeral, 1, Camp Doniphan.

Unless something unforeseen happens I shall have three more celebrations up to May 1st, 1918. Those prior to August are listed in the parish register at St. Charles.

My best wishes and prayers are offered for you in your work.

Your humble servant,

RICHARD HATCH,

Chaplain, 110th Military Police, 35th Division,
Fort Sill, Okla.

Elizabeth, N. J., 211 S. Broad Street.

To the Right Rev. Daniel S. Tuttle, Bishop of Missouri.

MY DEAR BISHOP TUTTLE:

I beg to report that for the year ending May 1st, 1918, I have been constantly officiating at St. John's Church, Sewaren, New Jersey. I have also taken, in addition, some occasional duties at Christ Church and St. John's Church, Elizabeth, New Jersey.

I am, dear Father, faithfully and respectfully yours,

EDWARD PORTER LITTLE.

May 2, 1918.

F. M. WEDDELL.

Services, Etc., May 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.

Place—	Services	Sermons	Baptisms	Confirmations	Burials	Confirmed Persons	Amount Received
Valley Park	10	10	0	0	1	13	\$ 40.00
Sherman	10	9	0	3	0	9	10.26
Baden	28	26	1	2	3	25	96.00
Florissant	12	10	0	1	1	6	32.45
St. Clair	8	7	0	0	0	3	13.52
Sullivan	21	13	4	0	1	10	75.00
St. James'	20	19	1	3	0	48	400.00
Salem	7	6	0	3	0	5	34.00
Herculaneum	5	4	9	....	....	....	.....
Crystal City	3	3	....	....	....	....	25.75
Grace-Holy Cross	13	9	1	....	....	....	.....

At the Convalescent Home I held three services, and baptized one infant, acting for the Rev. J. H. Lever.

I preached and celebrated the Holy Communion once during vacancies at Mt. Calvary and St. Augustine's.

Herculaneum, Mo., June 20, 1918.

HERCULANEUM, MO.—JUNE 20, 1918.

Report for 1917-1918.

Sunday School, 42; Sewing School, 40; Women's Club and Guild, 6; talks on work, in St. Louis, 3; entertainments for children, 4; baptized, 1 child; burials, 1; placed one girl in rescue home; took one girl, deserted by parents, to Tuberculosis Hospital in Arkansas; books loaned from library, 354; visits on sick, 835; took patients to St. Louis hospitals, 6; visited patients in St. Louis hospitals, 3; took patients to Bonne Terre Hospital, 3; visited patients in Bonne Terre Hospital, 2; assisted with operations, 23; obstetrical cases, 31; emergency accident cases, 50; assisted in smallpox vaccinations, 750 children, 300 men; office hours in surgery during quarantine, 180; assisted in trachoma campaign in public school, 7 cases.

Respectfully submitted,

SARAH HELEN SNIFFEN, Deaconess.

Summary of Totals.

May 1, 1917, to May 1, 1918.

The following statistics are taken from the reports of parishes and missions to the Seventy-Ninth Convention. The various totals cannot be accurately compared with similar totals from the Journal of 1917, as some parishes which reported last year did not do so this year, and vice versa. To the present number of active communicants given below, 8,890, must be added at least 250 more, representing the lists in parishes which did not report.

Active communicants last reported.....	8,695
Restored to list of active communicants.....	77
Received from other parishes.....	321
Received from other communions.....	20
Admitted after confirmation.....	420
Transferred from list of active communicants to list of confirmed persons who are not active communicants.....	238
Present number of confirmed persons who are not active communicants..	758
Transferred to other parishes.....	230
Removed from parish register as a result of discipline.....	46
Died	129
Present number of active communicants.....	8,890
Baptisms—	
Infants	431
Adults	122
Confirmations	449
Marriages	195
Burials	411
Services—	
Holy Communion in public.....	2,828
Holy Communion in private.....	190
Other services	5,288
Sunday School—	
Officers and teachers.....	475
Pupils	4,321

RECEIPTS FOR ALL PURPOSES

Communion Alms	\$ 4,633.48
Loose offerings at services, not including Communion Alms.....	12,023.03
Pew Rents	32,774.54

Through Duplex Envelopes or other pledges to the parish treasurer	69,696.74
Other contributions to the parish treasurer.....	25,009.18
Sunday School receipts, including offerings, mite boxes and pledges of all kinds.....	7,949.92
Woman's Auxiliary	10,658.87
Junior Auxiliary	692.06
Other organizations' receipts.....	22,123.80
Endowment fund income paid into parish treasury.....	18,288.11
Money received by any treasurer or parish organization from mis- cellaneous revenues, not included above.....	38,808.40
Total.....	\$242,658.13

PAROCHIAL EXPENSES

Clergy salaries	\$ 59,823.13
Fuel, light, power, water, and janitor service.....	19,213.66
Music, including choir salaries.....	22,206.84
Ordinary repairs necessary to keep buildings in condition.....	4,167.81
Improvements on buildings.....	31,067.48
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment.....	1,667.59
Sunday School current expenses.....	3,897.82
Social Service institutional work.....	14,544.23
Relief of poor.....	2,588.26
Interest on borrowed money.....	9,194.58
Insurance premiums	2,836.33
Miscellaneous parish expenses not included above.....	26,309.18
Total.....	\$197,516.91

DIOCESAN EXPENSES

Convention Assessment	\$ 9,070.97
Payment to the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Board on pledge for Diocesan Missions.....	8,881.52
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.....	423.72
Permanent Fund for the Support of the Episcopate.....	339.84
Theological Education Fund.....	293.44
Bishop's Purse	900.62
Bishop Coadjutor's Purse.....	292.58
Missionary Host	1,039.83
Contributed for missionary work in the Diocese (not included above), from parish treasurer, from individuals, from the Woman's Auxiliary, the Junior Auxiliary, and other organi- zations	1,089.30
Value of Missionary boxes given within the Diocese.....	354.30
Miscellaneous diocesan purposes not included above.....	1,933.31
Total.....	\$ 24,619.43

SEVENTY-NINTH CONVENTION.

199

EXPENSES BEYOND THE DIOCESE

Payment on the apportionment for General Missions through parish treasury	\$ 4,522.88
Through Sunday School Mite Boxes or other Sunday School offerings	2,466.30
Through all branches of the Woman's Auxiliary, including Juniors	4,343.58
Jewish Missions	73.74
Colored Missions	289.75
Church Pension Fund Assessment.....	3,881.76
Value of missionary boxes given beyond the diocese.....	1,389.83
Miscellaneous objects beyond the Diocese not included above.....	6,883.92
Total.....	\$ 23,851.76

GRAND TOTAL EXPENDITURES

Parochial expenses	\$197,516.91
Diocesan expenses	24,619.43
Expenses beyond the Diocese.....	23,851.76
Grand total of expenses.....	\$245,988.10

Contents.

Officers of the Diocese.....	3
Committees, Boards, and Trustees.....	4
Organizations and Institutions.....	8
List of Parishes.....	10
List of Missions.....	11
List of Clergy.....	12-15
Lay Delegates	16-17
Rules of Order.....	18-21
Minutes First Day—	
Bishop's Address	41
Organization	22-23
Committee on Dispatch of Business.....	23
Nominating Committee	24
Amend. Art. 5, Sec. 7, Const.....	24
Amend Art. 5, Sec. 4, Const.....	24
Standing Committee Report.....	65
Parochial Trust Fund Report.....	67
Bishop Coadjutor's Address	49
Committee on Business Methods.....	26
Minutes Second Day—	
Rev. Mr. Duckworth—Resolution.....	28
Standing Committees—Appointment	28-29
Trustees Permanent Fund—Report.....	68
General Convention Exec. Com.—Report.....	69
Treasurer of the Diocese—Report.....	70
Theological Ed. Fund—Report.....	74
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund—Report.....	75
Trust Funds held by the Bishop—Report.....	77
Nominating Committee—Report	30
Elections	30
Diocesan Board of Religious Ed.—Report.....	78
Church Pension Fund—Committee Report.....	31
Advisory Board—Bishop Coadjutor.....	34
Committee on Finance—Report.....	82
Laymen's Co-operating Miss. Society—Report.....	83
St. Stephen's Mission Fund—Report.....	84
Treasurer Diocesan Miss. Board—Report.....	84
Secretary Diocesan Miss. Board—Report.....	87

SEVENTY-NINTH CONVENTION.

201

Election Missionary Board.....	36
St. Stephen's House—Report.....	90
Missionary to Institutions—Report.....	91
Woman's Auxiliary—Report.....	97

Minutes Third Day—

Diocesan League of Lay Readers—Report.....	101
Committee on Const. and Canons—Report.....	103
Assessments—Report.....	107
Apportionments—Report.....	108
Social Service Com.—Report.....	63

Bishop's Journal	112-122
Episcopal Acts	122-128
Bishop-Coadjutor's Journal	129-142
Episcopal Acts (Coadjutor).....	143-146
Parochial Reports—Bishop's Field	147-168
Parochial Reports—Coadjutor's Field.....	169-194
Personal Reports	195

Summary of Totals.....	197
------------------------	-----

LIST OF TREASURERS.

Treasurer of the Diocese,

Mr. James M. Bull, 421 N. Second Street, St. Louis.

Treasurer of Diocesan Missionary Board,

Mr. Edward H. Lycett, Room A-9, Railway Exchange Building, St. Louis.

Treasurer of Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund,

Mr. James M. Bull, 421 N. Second Street, St. Louis.

Treasurer of Theological Education Fund,

Mr. James M. Bull, 421 N. Second Street, St. Louis.

Treasurer Permanent Episcopate Fund,

Mr. Walker Hill, Mechanics-American National Bank,
St. Louis.

Treasurer Domestic and Foreign Missionary Society of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America,

Mr. George Gordon King, Church Mission House,
281 Fourth Avenue, New York.

Agent Bible and Prayer Book Society,

Mr. R. M. Pott, 214 East 23d Street, New York.

Church Pension Fund.

Into this Fund the General Clergy Relief Fund has been incorporated. Address: Church Pension Fund, 14 Wall Street, New York City.