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IS APPOINTED TO MEET IN THE
CHURCH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD,
ROCKY MOUNT,
WEDNESDAY, MAY 17, A. D. 1911,
AT 11 O'CLOCK A. M.

DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

1910.

DIOCESAN OFFICERS.

BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE AND CHAIRMAN EX OFFICIO OF THE CONVENTION.

The Rt. Rev. JOSEPH BLOUNT CHESHIRE, D.D., Raleigh.

PRESIDENT OF THE CONVENTION.

The Rev. WALTER J. SMITH, Charlotte.

SECRETARY AND REGISTRAR.

The Rev. JULIAN E. INGLE, Raleigh.

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Mr. FRANK T. WARD, Raleigh.

TREASURER.

Mr. CHARLES E. JOHNSON, Raleigh.

HISTORIOGRAPHER.

Mr. MARSHALL DELANCEY HAYWOOD, Raleigh.

STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D., Raleigh, President.

The Rev. A. B. Hunter, Raleigh, Secretary.

The Rev. Julian E. Ingle.

Mr. R. H. Battle, LL.D.

Mr. R. H. Lewis, M.D.

EXAMINING CHAPLAINS.

New Testament in Greek, Old } Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D.
Testament in Hebrew. } Rev. Francis M. Osborne.

Evidences, Christian Ethics, Re- } Rev. A. B. Hunter.
ligious Education. } Rev. Sidney S. Bost.

Ecclesiastical Polity, Book of } Rev. Robert B. Owens.
Common Prayer, Constitution } Rev. Walter J. Smith.
and Canons.

Dogmatic Theology, Ecclesiasti- } Rev. Bertram E. Brown.
cal History. } Rev. Richard W. Hogue.

Unassigned: Rev. Wm. H. Meade, D.D.

MANAGERS OF THE THOMPSON ORPHANAGE AND TRAINING INSTITUTION.

The Bishop of the Diocese.

The Rev. Edwin A. Osborne.	Term expires 1912
Mr. J. G. Shannonhouse.	Term expires 1912
The Rev. Wm. E. Cox.	Term expires 1914
Mr. James J. Crosswell.	Term expires 1914
The Rev. Wm. H. Hardin.	Term expires 1916
Mr. William A. Smith.	Term expires 1916

DEPUTIES TO THE GENERAL CONVENTION.

The Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D.	Mr. Richard H. Battle, LL.D.
The Rev. Edwin A. Osborne.	Mr. J. Cameron Buxton.
The Rev. Sidney S. Bost.	Mr. Wm. A. Erwin.
The Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley.	Mr. John S. Henderson, LL.D.

SUPPLEMENTARY DEPUTIES.

The Rev. Julian E. Ingle.	Mr. Wm. L. London.
The Rev. Bertram E. Brown.	Mr. Samuel S. Nash.
The Rev. R. B. Owens.	Mr. Thos. H. Battle.
The Rev. Milton A. Barber.	Mr. Thos. H. Webb.

ALPHABETICAL LIST OF THE CLERGY.

MAY, 1910.

Those whose names are printed in *italics* were not members of the Convention.
The names of those who were not present are marked thus *.

The Rt. Rev. JOSEPH BLOUNT CHESHIRE, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese;
P. O., Raleigh.

ALSTON, PRIMUS P., Priest in charge of the Church of St. Michael and
All Angels, Charlotte, and Holy Cross, Statesville; P. O., Charlotte.

**Avirett, James B.*, residing at Cumberland, Maryland.

**Bailey, Thomas B.*, Deacon; P. O., Kinston.

BALL, WM. H., Rector of Calvary Church, Wadesboro; in charge also
of All Souls', Ansonville; P. O., Wadesboro.

*BAME, RICHARD LOUIS, Deacon; P. O., Mooresville.

BARBER, MILTON A., Rector of Christ Church, Raleigh.

BERKELEY, ALFRED R., Priest in charge of Missions at Mayodan, Madi-
son, Walnut Cove and Stoneville; P. O., Mayodan.

BOST, SIDNEY S., Rector of St. Philip's Church, Durham.

BRADLEY, CLEMENT G., Rector of Trinity Church, Scotland Neck, and
St. Mark's, Halifax; P. O., Scotland Neck.

*BRONSON, BENJAMIN S., residing near Macon.

BROWN, BERTRAM E., Rector of Calvary Church, Tarboro; in charge
also of Missions in Edgecombe County; P. O., Tarboro.

BROWN, SIMEON J. M., Deacon, officiating in Christ Church, Cleveland;
St. Andrew's, Woodleaf; St. Philip's, Mocksville; St. Mark's,
Rowan County, and the Good Shepherd, Cooleemee; P. O., Coolee-
mee.

CHEATHAM, THADDEUS A., Rector of St. Luke's Church, Salisbury.

COCKE, HENRY T., Rector of St. Paul's Church, Winston.

*DAVIS, J. C., D.D., Rector of All Saints' Church, Concord; in charge
also of Grace Church, Lexington; P. O., Concord.

DELANY, HENRY B., Archdeacon for Work among Colored People;
P. O., Raleigh.

Edwards, Evan A., Rector of St. Timothy's Church, Wilson; in charge
also of Holy Trinity, Elm City; P. O., Wilson.

EUBANKS, R. PERCY, Assistant in Christ Church and St. Saviour's Chapel, Raleigh.

FAULKNER, T. G., Rector of Holy Trinity Church, Greensboro.

*GREGORY, HENRY T., residing at Southern Pines.

HANFF, SAMUEL M., Priest in charge of Missions at Duke, Smithfield and Selma; P. O., Duke.

HOGUE, RICHARD W., Rector of the Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill.

*HORSFIELD, F. H. T., Rector of St. Stephen's Church, Oxford; in charge also of St. Paul's, Goshen; P. O., Oxford.

*HORTON, JOHN C., Rector of Emmanuel Church, Warrenton, and St. John's, Williamsboro; in charge also of the Mission at Middleburg; P. O., Warrenton.

HUGHES, ISAAC W., Rector of the Church of the Holy Innocents, Henderson.

HUGHES, N. COLLIN, Archdeacon of the Convocation of Raleigh; P. O., Chapel Hill.

HUNTER, A. B., Principal of St. Augustine's School; in charge also of St. Augustine's Chapel, Raleigh.

INGLE, JULIAN E., Secretary of the Diocese; P. O., Raleigh.

*JOHNSON, ROBERT J., Deacon, officiating in St. Titus' Mission, Durham.

*JOYNER, FRANCIS, Rector of the Church of the Saviour, Jackson, and the Good Shepherd, Ridgeway; in charge also of Missions at Littleton and Gaston; P. O., Littleton.

KING, JAMES E., Rector of the Church of St. Ambrose, Raleigh; in charge also of St. James', Pittsboro; P. O., Raleigh.

LAY, GEORGE W., Rector of St. Mary's School, Raleigh.

LONDON, JOHN, Rector of St. Paul's Church, Louisburg, and St. James', Kittrell; P. O., Louisburg.

*MALE, CHARLES H., Priest in charge of St. Cyprian's Mission at Oxford and St. Simeon's, Satterwhite; P. O., Oxford.

MALLINCKRODT, HARRIS, Rector of St. Peter's Church, Charlotte.

*MARSHALL, M. M., D.D., residing at Morganton.

*Meade, Wm. H., D.D., P. O., 827 W. Main Ave., Knoxville, Tenn.

OGILBY, EDWARD L., Rector of the Church of St. Athanasius, Burlington.

- OSBORNE, EDWIN A., Archdeacon of the Convocation of Charlotte.
- OSBORNE, FRANCIS M., Priest in charge of the Church of the Holy Comforter, Charlotte, and Missions in vicinity.
- OWENS, ROBERT B., Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount; in charge also of St. John's, Battleboro; P. O., Rocky Mount.
- PERRY, JOHN W., Rector of St. Luke's Church, Tarboro.
- *PERRY, ROBERT N., Deacon, officiating in St. Mark's Chapel, Wilson.
- **Phelps, Girard W.*, residing at Victoria, Virginia.
- *PICARD, WILLIAM T., Deacon, officiating in the Church of the Saviour, Jackson.
- PITTENGER, I. MCK., D.D., Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh.
- SATTERWHITE, JAMES K., Deacon, officiating in the Missions of St. Stephen, Winston-Salem, and the Redeemer, Greensboro; P. O., Winston-Salem.
- *SAUNDERS, JOHN L., Deacon; P. O., Salisbury.
- *SCHUBERT, LOUIS H.; P. O., Siler City.
- SMITH, WALTER J., Superintendent of the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution, Charlotte.
- TOLSON, GEORGE M., Rector of the Church of the Epiphany, Leaksville; in charge also of St. Luke's Mission, Spray; P. O., Spray.
- TROTT, THOMAS L., Associate Rector of St. Philip's Parish, Durham; in charge also of Missions at Advance and Stovall; P. O., West Durham.
- **Walker, William*; P. O., Reisterstown, Maryland.
- *WATERS, S. PAXSON, Rector of St. Matthew's Church, Hillsboro; in charge also of St. Mary's, Orange County; P. O., Hillsboro.
- WILLCOX, CYPRIAN P., Deacon, officiating in Trinity Church, Mount Airy, and the Missions at Mayodan and neighboring points; P. O., Mayodan.
- **Williams, James H.*, residing at Charlottesville, Virginia.

In Memoriam

THE REVEREND FRANCIS JOHNSTONE MURDOCH, D.D.

BORN NEAR ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA, MARCH 17, 1846.

EDUCATED AT "THE CITADEL," THE MILITARY COLLEGE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

ORDERED DEACON BY THE RT. REV. THOMAS ATKINSON, D.D., BISHOP OF NORTH CAROLINA, SEPTEMBER 17, 1868.

ORDAINED PRIEST BY THE SAME PRELATE, MAY 8, 1870.

ENGAGED IN MISSION WORK AT HIGH SHOALS AND OTHER POINTS.

RECTOR OF ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, SALISBURY, IN JUNE, 1872, REMAINING IN CHARGE OF THE PARISH, IN CONNECTION WITH MISSIONS IN ROWAN COUNTY, UNTIL THE CLOSE OF HIS LIFE.

FOR TWENTY YEARS A MEMBER OF THE GENERAL CONVENTION, CLERICAL TRUSTEE OF THE UNIVERSITY OF THE SOUTH SINCE 1884, AND A TRUSTEE OF ST. MARY'S SCHOOL SINCE IT WAS PLACED IN THE CARE OF THE DIOCESE.

AT THE CLOSE OF THE 37TH YEAR OF THE RECTORSHIP OF HIS PARISH HE PASSED AWAY AT CHARLESTON, S. C., JUNE 21, 1909.

**A scribe instructed unto the Kingdom of Heaven
bringing forth out of his treasure things new and old**

In Memoriam

THE REVEREND FREDERICK AUGUSTUS FETTER

BORN AT FLUSHING, LONG ISLAND, NOVEMBER 9, 1838.

EDUCATED AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA, HE WAS FOR MANY YEARS A TEACHER IN THE SCHOOLS OF THE STATE.

ENTERING THE MINISTRY HE WAS ORDAINED WITH HIS BROTHER CHARLES, BOTH TO THE DIACONATE, ON THE FEAST OF ST. THOMAS, 1893, AND TO THE PRIESTHOOD ON THE SAME FESTIVAL, IN 1895, BY THE BISHOP OF NORTH CAROLINA.

MINISTERED AT HIGH POINT, LEXINGTON, REIDSVILLE AND OTHER PLACES IN THE DIOCESE, AND FOR A WHILE AT FRANKLIN, VIRGINIA, BUT RETURNED TO NORTH CAROLINA IN APRIL, 1908, TAKING CHARGE OF ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, MONROE, AND ST. TIMOTHY'S, AT OLIVE BRANCH.

IN FAILING HEALTH HE WAS ON HIS WAY NORTH FOR TREATMENT WHEN, ON REACHING NORFOLK, VIRGINIA, HE BECAME TOO ILL TO PROCEED, AND THERE PASSED AWAY, JANUARY 18, 1910, BUT A LITTLE MORE THAN A YEAR AFTER THE DECEASE OF HIS LOVED AND LOVING BROTHER CHARLES.

*They were lovely and pleasant in their lives
and in their death they were not divided*

LIST OF CLERGY.

ACCORDING TO DATE OF ORDINATION.

BISHOP.

The Rt. Rev. Joseph Blount Cheshire, D.D.

CONSECRATED OCTOBER 15, 1893.

PRIESTS.

Benjamin Swan Bronson, - - - - -	ordained May 31, 1857
Henry Trowbridge Gregory, - - - - -	" May 10, 1859
William Hopkins Meade, D.D., - - - - -	" Nov. 20, 1864
John Edward Ingle, - - - - -	" June 11, 1865
Nathias Murray Marshall, D.D., - - - - -	" Sept. 3, 1865
William Walker, - - - - -	" Jan. 27, 1867
Garard William Phelps, - - - - -	" May 23, 1869
James Henry Williams, - - - - -	" June 25, 1869
Johnson Carmon Davis, D.D., - - - - -	" June 30, 1870
James Battle Avirett, - - - - -	" May 23, 1875
John London, - - - - -	" May 4, 1876
Frederick Henry Townsend Horsfield, - - - - -	" Dec. 24, 1876
Isaac McKendree Pittenger, D.D., - - - - -	" May 6, 1880
Samuel Paxson Watters, - - - - -	" Sept. 19, 1880
Edwin Augustus Osborne, - - - - -	" May 22, 1881
Aaron Burtis Hunter, - - - - -	" May 1, 1882
Walter Johnson Smith, - - - - -	" Nov. 15, 1885
George William Lay, - - - - -	" Apr. 27, 1886
Louis Hector Schubert, - - - - -	" May 31, 1886
John William Perry, - - - - -	" Apr. 7, 1887
Robert Percy Eubanks, - - - - -	" May 20, 1888
William Henry Ball, - - - - -	" Oct. 5, 1890
Edward Leslie Ogilby, - - - - -	" Mar. 21, 1891
Primus Priss Alston, - - - - -	" Jan. 26, 1892
Henry Beard Delany, - - - - -	" May 2, 1892
Isaac Wayne Hughes, - - - - -	" April 2, 1894
Nicholas Collin Hughes, - - - - -	" April 3, 1894
Bertram Ervin Brown, - - - - -	" May 3, 1895
Sidney Stuart Bost, - - - - -	" May 31, 1896

Robert Bruce Owens, - - - - -	ordained	May 31, 1896
George Meredith Tolson, - - - - -	"	Oct. 3, 1897
Harris Mallinckrodt, - - - - -	"	Dec. 22, 1898
Francis Joyner, - - - - -	"	June 21, 1899
John Coleman Horton, - - - - -	"	July 7, 1899
Milton Augustus Barber, - - - - -	"	Oct. 8, 1899
Richard Wallace Hogue, - - - - -	"	Dec. 21, 1900
Clement Grenelle Bradley, - - - - -	"	Feb. 2, 1901
Henry Teller Cocke, - - - - -	"	May 29, 1901
Evan Alexander Edwards, - - - - -	"	Dec. 21, 1902
Thaddeus Ainsley Cheatham, - - - - -	"	May 4, 1904
James Edward King, - - - - -	"	June 12, 1904
Thomas Green Faulkner, - - - - -	"	June 17, 1904
Francis Moore Osborne, - - - - -	"	Mar. 25, 1905
Alfred Rives Berkeley, - - - - -	"	June 18, 1906
Charles Henry Male, - - - - -	"	July 25, 1906
Samuel Merrill Hanff, - - - - -	"	July 25, 1906
Robert Nathaniel Perry, - - - - -	"	May 19, 1907
Thomas Lee Trott, - - - - -	"	Dec. 1, 1907

DEACONS.

William Thomas Picard, - - - - -	ordered	May 11, 1887
Thomas Burke Bailey, - - - - -	"	June 9, 1895
Simeon Jeremiah Michael Brown, - - - - -	"	Nov. 17, 1897
John Linker Saunders, - - - - -	"	June 10, 1900
Richard Louis Bame, - - - - -	"	Sept. 22, 1901
James King Satterwhite, - - - - -	"	June 20, 1909
Robert Josiah Johnson, - - - - -	"	June 20, 1909
Cyprian Porter Willcox, - - - - -	"	Oct. 17, 1909

CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS.

George Crummell Pollard, - - - - -	admitted	June 10, 1906
Arthur Myron Cochran, - - - - -	"	Mar. 30, 1910

LIST OF PARISHES AND MISSIONS.

IN THE

DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA,

WITH THE NAMES OF CLERGY IN CHARGE AND LAY DELEGATES TO THE CONVENTION.

Parishes in small capitals. *Organized Missions* in italics. Missions entitled to representation marked †. Lay delegates present marked thus *. Names of alternates are placed under those of the clergy in the right-hand column.

Ansonville,	† <i>All Souls</i> , L. L. Little	Rev. WM. HENRY BALL. Wm. A. Smith.
Battleboro,	<i>St. John's</i> ,	Rev. ROBERT B. OWENS.
Bristow,	† <i>St. Mark's</i> ,	Rev. E. A. OSBORNE.
Burlington,	ST. ATHANASIUS, S. A. Steele, J. G. King, J. C. Squires, *L. S. Holt, Jr.,	Rev. EDWARD L. OGILBY. J. Z. Waller. L. C. Carter. F. L. Williamson. J. F. Homewood.
Chapel Hill,	CHAPEL OF THE CROSS, *A. H. Patterson, Ph.D., R. S. MacRae, J. H. Pratt, Ph.D., Palmer Cobb, Ph.D.	Rev. RICHARD W. HOGUE. J. S. Holmes. Hampden Hill. J. F. Hickerson.
Charlotte (Dil.),	† <i>Holy Comforter</i> , *Wm. H. Lambeth.	Rev. F. M. OSBORNE. R. J. Walker.
Charlotte,	Chapel of Hope,	Rev. W. J. SMITH.
Charlotte (Sev.),	<i>St. Andrew's</i> ,	Rev. F. M. OSBORNE.
Charlotte,	† <i>St. Martin's</i> , *John M. Barr.	Rev. F. M. OSBORNE.
Charlotte,	St. Mary's,	Rev. W. J. SMITH.
Charlotte,	† <i>St. Michael's</i> , (col.) O. J. Jackson.	William Perry.
Charlotte,	ST. PETER'S, *J. Frank Wilkes. *J. H. Ham. *J. S. Myers. *James Ker, Jr.	Rev. H. MALLINCKRODT. R. Van Lingham. Thos. H. Haughton. W. A. Avant. J. L. Staton.

Chestnut Hill,	ST. PAUL'S.	
Cleveland,	CHRIST CHURCH, *J. T. Barber. *W. P. Barber.	Rev. J. S. M. BROWN.
Concord,	ALL SAINTS, J. Locke Erwin. Wm. H. Gibson. Gowan Dusenbery. Richard P. Gibson.	Rev. J. C. DAVIS, D.D.
Cooleemee Mills, Cunningham,	Good Shepherd, Chapel.	Rev. J. S. M. BROWN.
Davie County,	Ascension,	Rev. THOS. L. TROTT.
Duke,	† <i>St. Stephen's</i> , *Thomas H. Webb.	Rev. SAMUEL M. HANFF.
Durham,	ST. PHILIP'S, *Wm. A. Erwin. *Wm. L. Wall. *M. D. Smith. *J. A. Robinson.	{ Rev. SIDNEY S. BOST. Rev. THOS. L. TROTT. J. M. Manning. C. M. Herndon. George H. Nash. C. H. Burcham.
Durham,	St. Titus' Mission, (col.)	Rev. ROBT. J. JOHNSON.
Elkin,	Gallaway Memorial,	Rev. E. A. OSBORNE.
Elm City,	Holy Trinity,	Rev. EVAN A. EDWARDS.
Enfield,	ADVENT, R. B. Parker. H. S. Harrison. Ivey Watson. George Lewis.	Rev. HARDY H. PHELPS. A. S. Harrison. C. E. McGwigan. E. L. Whitehead
Gaston,	† <i>St. Luke's</i> ,	Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER.
Germanton,	† <i>St. Philip's</i> ,	Rev. E. A. OSBORNE.
Goshen,	St. Paul's,	Rev. F. H. T. HORSFIELD.
Greensboro,	Mission, (col.)	Rev. JAS. K. SATTERWHITE
Greensboro,	ST. ANDREW'S, *D. H. Blair. H. H. Dodson, M.D. J. R. Donnell. A. Thompson.	W. J. Anderson. J. R. Pierce. H. Thornton. *B. C. Sharpe.
Greensboro,	ST. BARNABAS, E. J. Justice. P. W. Schenck. *H. J. Thurman.	Rev. T. J. FAULKNER. E. A. Wooding. O. D. Boycott. C. G. Harrison.
Greensboro,	St. Cuthbert's,	Rev. T. J. FAULKNER.

Gulf,	† <i>St. Mark's</i> , *Frank D. Jones.	Rev. N. C. HUGHES. Geo. D. Frazier.
Halifax,	ST. MARK'S, Sterling M. Gary. H. W. Gowen,	Rev. C. G. BRADLEY. E. N. Sater. J. L. Weller.
Hamlet,	Mission,	Rev. E. A. OSBORNE.
Henderson,	HOLY INNOCENTS, *G. C. Lamb. J. H. Brodie. *S. P. Cooper. Henry Perry.	Rev. ISAAC W. HUGHES. D. Y. Cooper. F. C. Toepelman. W. D. Burwell S. S. Stephenson.
High Point, Hillsboro,	† <i>St. Mary's</i> . ST. MATTHEW'S, *John W. Graham. William Snow. A. J. Ruffin.	Rev. S. P. WATTERS. P. C. Collins. W. H. Webb. Wm. A. Hayes.
Iredell County,	† <i>St. James</i> ,	Rev. E. A. OSBORNE.
Jackson,	CH. OF THE SAVIOUR,	(Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER.
Kittrell,	ST. JAMES, Geo. A. Kittrell. Geo. W. Dow. *Guy V. Barnes.	(Rev. W. T. PICARD. Rev. JOHN LONDON.
Laurinburg,	St. David's,	Rev. E. A. OSBORNE.
Lawrence,	Grace,	Rev. BERTRAM E. BROWN.
Leaksville,	EPIPHANY, John Robertson. *John P. Booker.	Rev. GEO. M. TOLSON. S. L. Martin, M.D. J. B. Ray, M.D.
Lexington,	Grace,	Rev. J. C. DAVIS, D.D.
Littleton,	<i>St. Alban's</i> ,	Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER.
Littleton,	St. Anna's, (col.)	Rev. H. B. DELANY.
Louisburg,	St. Matthias, (col.)	Rev. H. B. DELANY.
Louisburg,	ST. PAUL'S, Wm. H. Ruffin. John W. King. T. W. Bickett. Robert H. Davis.	Rev. JOHN LONDON.
Madison,	† <i>St. John's</i> , J. A. Roach, M.D.	Rev. A. R. BERKELEY. T. R. Pratt.
Mayodan,	† <i>Messiah</i> , *Wm. Duggins.	Rev. A. R. BERKELEY. John B. Richardson.
Middleburg,	† <i>Heavenly Rest</i> , James K. Plummer.	Rev. JOHN C. HORTON.

Milton,	Christ Church.	
Mocksville,	St. Philip's,	Rev. S. J. M. BROWN.
Monroe,	† <i>St. Paul's</i> .	
	*John M. Fairley.	
Mount Airy,	Trinity,	Rev. C. P. WILLCOX.
Noise,	St. Philip's, (col.)	Rev. H. B. DELANY.
Olive Branch,	<i>St. Timothy's</i> .	
Orange County,	† <i>St. Mary's</i> ,	Rev. S. P. WATTERS.
Oxford,	St. Cyprian's, (col.)	Rev. CHAS. H. MALE.
Oxford,	ST. STEPHEN'S,	Rev. F.H.T. HORSFIELD.
	*J. C. Horner.	D. K. Taylor.
	B. K. Lassiter.	W. D. Stimson.
	N. M. Ferreebee.	F. M. Pinnix.
Pittsboro,	ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S.	Rev. W. L. MELLICHAMPE
	*Wm. L. London.	Arthur H. London.
	Henry A. London.	Henry M. London.
	Geo. R. Pilkington.	Bennet Nooe, Jr.
	Woodson L. Powell.	
Pittsboro,	† <i>St. James</i> , (col.)	Rev. JAMES E. KING.
Raleigh,	CHRIST CHURCH,	{ Rev. MILTON A. BARBER.
	*R. H. Lewis, M.D.	{ Rev. R. PERCY EUBANKS.
	C. A. Woodruff.	V. B. Moore.
	*C. E. Johnson.	R. B. Coit.
	*M. DeL. Haywood.	Gavin Dortch.
		C. B. Denson.
Raleigh,	GOOD SHEPHERD,	Rev. I. McK. PITTENGER,
	*R. H. Battle, LL.D.	A. M. Hanff. [D.D.]
	*F. T. Ward.	H. O. Bannister.
	Robert C. Strong.	Henry W. Miller.
	*Albert L. Cox.	W. J. Martin.
Raleigh,	ST. AMBROSE, (col.)	Rev. JAMES E. KING.
	W. J. Latham.	Philip J. Haywood.
	Thomas L. McCoy.	Thomas Williams.
Raleigh,	† <i>St. Augustine's</i> , (col.)	Rev. A. B. HUNTER.
Raleigh,	St. Mary's Chapel,	Rev. GEORGE W. LAY.
		{ Rev. MILTON A. BARBER.
Raleigh,	St. Saviour's,	{ Rev. R. PERCY EUBANKS.
Reidsville,	ST. THOMAS,	Rev. E. A. OSBORNE.
	*A. H. Gallaway.	A. J. Ellington.
	John T. Oliver.	R. B. Mobley.
Ridgeway,	GOOD SHEPHERD,	Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER.
Riggwood,	ST. CLEMENT'S,	Rev. HARDY H. PHELPS.

Roanoke Rapids,	<i>All Saints,</i>	REV. HARDY H. PHELPS.
Rockingham,	<i>Messiah,</i>	REV. E. A. OSBORNE.
Rocky Mount,	GOOD SHEPHERD, *Thomas H. Battle. Jacob Battle. D. D. Cuthrell. J. W. Philips.	REV. R. B. OWENS. J. J. Battle, M.D. F. Y. Ramsey. G. L. Kimberly, M.D. S. F. Jenkins.
Rowan County,	<i>St. Jude's.</i>	
Rowan County,	St. Mark's,	REV. S. J. M. BROWN.
Rowan County,	ST. MARY'S.	
Rowan County,	<i>St. Matthew's.</i>	
Salisbury,	ST. LUKE'S, John D. Henderson, LL.D. *J. O. White. Richard Henderson. *Theodore Buerbaum.	REV. T. A. CHEATHAM. S. F. Lord. W.W.McKenzie, M.D. H. L. Smith. W. S. Blackmer.
Salisbury,	St. John's.	
Salisbury,	St. Peter's.	
Sanford,	St. Thomas,	REV. N. C. HUGHES.
Satterwhite,	St. Simeon's, (col.)	REV. CHAS. H. MALE.
Scotland Neck,	TRINITY, Henry T. Clark. James N. Smith. A. Luther Purrington. *Newsom R. Riddick.	REV. C. G. BRADLEY. John Y. Savage. J. E. Shields, M.D. James S. Paull. Wm. E. Whitmore.
Selma,	St. Gabriel's,	REV. S. M. HANFF.
Smithfield,	Transfiguration,	REV. S. M. HANFF.
Southern Pines,	<i>Emmanuel.</i>	
Speed,	St. Mary's,	REV. BERT. E. BROWN.
Spencer,	St. Joseph's.	
Spray,	St. Luke's,	REV. GEO. M. TOLSON.
Statesville,	Holy Cross, (col.)	REV. PRIMUS P. ALSTON.
Statesville,	†Trinity, *A. L. Cobl.	REV. E. A. OSBORNE.
Stokes County,	Knowlhurst Chapel,	REV. A. R. BERKELEY.
Stoneville,	Emmanuel,	REV. A. R. BERKELEY.
Stovall,	†St. Peter's,	REV. THOS. L. TROTT.
Tarboro,	CALVARY, *S. S. Nash. Don Gilliam. *Samuel Clark. C. M. Parks.	REV. BERT. E. BROWN. C. C. Clayton. J. W. Forbes. J. B. Pennington. Geo. Pennington.

Tarboro,	ST. LUKE'S, (col.) C. M. Dancy. Levi Thigpen. W. A. Perry.	Rev. JOHN W. PERRY. C. M. Thorpe. Thomas B. Newton. John I. Harris.
Wadesboro,	CALVARY,	Rev. WM. H. BALL.
Walnut Cove,	† <i>Christ Church</i> , *R. L. Murphy.	Rev. A. R. BERKELEY. J. H. Fulton.
Warren County,	St. Luke's, (col.)	Rev. H. B. DELANY.
Warrenton,	All Saints, (col.)	Rev. H. B. DELANY.
Warrenton,	EMMANUEL, Walter G. Rogers. Wallace Cawthorne. James J. Tarwater.	Rev. JOHN C. HORTON. H. L. Falkener. R. J. Jones.
Weldon,	GRACE, W. H. S. Burgwyn. A. C. Zollicoffer, M.D. E. T. Clark.	Rev. HARDY H. PHELPS. Wm. Cohen. T. C. Harrison.
Williamsboro,	ST. JOHN'S, W. T. Hardy. E. O. Taylor, Jr. James T. Thomas.	Rev. JOHN C. HORTON. Walter B. Thomas. N. D. Boyd.
Wilson,	St. Mark's, (col.)	Rev. ROBT. N. PERRY.
Wilson,	ST. TIMOTHY'S, J. C. Hales. H. G. Connor. E. G. Rawlings. W. J. Boykin.	Rev. E. A. EDWARDS. C. E. Moon, M.D. M. M. Saliba, M.D. George Stanton. E. L. Tankenton.
Winston,	ST. PAUL'S, *J. Cameron Buxton. *R. T. Steadman. *J. W. Schouler. *R. S. Gallaway.	Rev. HENRY T. COCKE. A. M. Coleman. R. D. Jewett, M.D. Meade H. Willis. J. E. Buxton.
Winston,	St. Stephen's, (col.)	Rev. J. K. SATTERWHITE.
Woodleaf,	ST. ANDREW'S, S. H. Wetmore. *W. F. Rice.	Rev. S. J. M. BROWN. Wm. H. Wetmore. W. A. Benson.

JOURNAL OF PROCEEDINGS.

The members of the Ninety-fourth Annual Convention of the Diocese of North Carolina met in St. Paul's Church, Winston-Salem, at 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning, May 11, 1910.

The Litany was said by the Rev. Thomas J. Faulkner, after which the roll was called by the Secretary and there were found to be present a majority of the Clergy and Delegates from ten Parishes, constituting a quorum of the Convention.

A recess was then taken until 11 o'clock, when the church was consecrated by the Rt. Rev. Jos. Blount Cheshire, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese, the deed of consecration being read by the Rev. A. B. Hunter, Chaplain to the Bishop.

Morning Prayer was said by the Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley and the Rev. Cyprian P. Willecox, the Bishop reading the Lessons. The Bishop then proceeded to the celebration of the Holy Communion, the Rev. Edwin A. Osborne reading the Epistle and the Rev. Julian E. Ingle the Gospel. The Rev. Henry C. Cocks, rector of the Parish, assisted the Bishop in distributing the elements. The sermon was preached by the Rev. H. Mallinckrodt from the text: "Lift up your heads, O ye gates; and be ye lift up ye everlasting doors; and the King of glory shall come in. Who is this King of glory? It is the Lord strong and mighty, even the Lord mighty in battle." Psalm xxiv, 7, 8.

The offerings of the congregation were received for the New York Bible and Common Prayer Book Society.

The Convention, after a recess, met again in the church at 3 o'clock p. m. and was called to order by the Bishop.

The election of officers being in order, the Rev. E. A. Osborne nominated as President of the Convention the Rev. Walter J. Smith; and the Rev. R. Percy Eubanks nominated the Rev. E. A. Osborne. The ballots having been collected

and counted, the Tellers reported votes cast for the Rev. Mr. Smith 27, the Rev. Mr. Osborne 25, the Rev. Dr. Pittenger 1, and the Rev. John London 1.

There being no election, a second ballot was taken, resulting as follows: The Rev. Mr. Smith 37, Mr. Osborne 21, Mr. London 1, and Dr. Pittenger 1; and Mr. Smith was declared elected.

Mr. S. S. Nash nominated as Secretary, the Rev. Julian E. Ingle. There being no other nomination, on motion of Mr. R. H. Battle, the Bishop was requested to cast the ballot of the Convention for Mr. Ingle, and he was declared elected.

On motion of Mr. J. Cameron Buxton, it was

Resolved. That the Convention shall meet daily in the Church for Morning Prayer at 9.30 o'clock and adjourn at 5.30 p. m.; and that a recess shall be taken from 12.30 to 3 o'clock.

The Rev. Dr. H. E. Rondthaler, of the Moravian Church, was introduced by the Bishop to the Convention, and an invitation extended by him to attend a musical recital at the Salem Academy on Friday afternoon was accepted with thanks.

The Bishop appointed the Regular Committees as follows:

On Canons:

The Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D.
The Rev. Robt. Bruce Owens.
The Rev. Francis M. Osborne.

Mr. Richard H. Battle.
Mr. John W. Graham.

On the State of the Church:

The Rev. John London.
The Rev. George W. Lay.
The Rev. Henry B. Delany.

Mr. William A. Erwin.
Mr. Marshall DeL. Haywood.

On Finance:

The Rev. Sidney S. Bost.
The Rev. Milton A. Barber.

Mr. William L. London.
Mr. Albert L. Cox.
Mr. Richard H. Lewis, M.D.

On New Parishes:

The Rev. H. Mallinckrodt.
The Rev. Thaddeus A. Cheatham.

Mr. James A. Robinson.
Mr. J. Frank Wilkes.
Mr. Theodore Buerbaum.

On Unfinished Business:

The Rev. Thomas G. Faulkner.
The Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley.

Mr. Samuel N. Clark.
Mr. Newsom A. Riddick.
Mr. Richard F. J. Johnson.

The Rev. Dr. Pittenger presented the following

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Standing Committee elected by the Convention of 1909 was organized by the election of the Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D., as President, and the Rev. A. B. Hunter as Secretary.

May 17th, Walter Lee Loflin was recommended to the Bishop to be received as a candidate for Holy Orders, and James King Satterwhite and Robert Josiah Johnson were recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Diaconate.

June 17th, consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. John Gardiner Murray to be Bishop-Coadjutor of the Diocese of Maryland.

May 10th, consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Arthur Selden Lloyd, D.D., to be Bishop-Coadjutor of the Diocese of Southern Virginia.

October 9th, Cyprian Porter Willecox was recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Diaconate, and consent was given for his ordination at any time after this date, according to the judgment of the Bishop.

March 29, 1910, Arthur Myron Cochran was recommended to the Bishop to be received as a candidate for Holy Orders.

Respectfully submitted,

I. MCK. PITTENGER,
President.

Mr. R. H. Battle presented the following

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE DIOCESE.

The Trustees to hold property for the Diocese of North Carolina respectfully report, that, since the last Convention, they have received and filed the following deeds for real property, all executed to the Trustees of the Diocese:

1. A deed from A. M. Foster and wife for a lot in Davie County on the road running from Fork Church to Bixby, adjoining J. R. Williams' factory—consideration expressed \$50—dated June 15th, 1906, and registered in Book 19, page 561, office of Register of Deeds. We are informed that on this lot a chapel has recently been built.

2. A deed from Charlotte Consolidated Construction Company for part of Lot No. 4 in Square No. 6 in Dilworth, near Charlotte, fronting on South Boulevard, a strip two and one-half feet wide—dated September 9th, 1909, and registered in Book 254, page 173, in the office of the Register of Deeds of Mecklenburg County.

3. A deed from R. L. Murphy and wife for a lot, 80 feet by 100 feet, on Summit Avenue in Walnut Cove, being part of Lot 145 in the plan of the town—dated November 8th, 1909, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds of Stokes County in Book 53, page 373. This lot was conveyed in exchange for a lot not so eligibly situated, which was conveyed to the Trustees, and which they conveyed by request to J. B. Woodruff.

4. A deed from J. C. Buxton, Trustee, for the Church Lot in Winston on Church and Fourth streets, 62 feet by 103 feet—dated April 6th, 1910, and registered in the office of the Register of Deeds for Forsyth County in Book 100, page 132.

The Trustees further report, that at the recent term of the Superior Court of Edgecombe County they assented to a judgment whereby the old Rectory lot was to be sold, and a lot much more eligibly situated was to be purchased by the Trustees and Vestry of Calvary Church at Tarboro. This lot being for the benefit of the Rector of the Parish, and it being probable that an incumbrance would have to be placed upon it for the erection and furnishing of the Rectory, the Trustees, at the instance of the said Vestry, agreed that the title should be vested in them, the said Vestry, for the benefit of the Rector of the Parish.

Respectfully reported,

JOS. BLOUNT CHESHIRE.

CHAS. E. JOHNSON.

R. H. BATTLE,

Trustees.

On motion of the Rev. A. B. Hunter, the report was referred to a Special Committee which the Bishop appointed, as follows: The Rev. Edward L. Ogilby, Mr. Wm. A. Smith and Mr. Wm. Rice.

The Secretary announced the appointment of Mr. Frank T. Ward as Assistant Secretary.

Mr. Wm. A. Smith presented the following

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF MANAGERS OF THE THOMPSON
ORPHANAGE AND TRAINING INSTITUTION.

The Board of Managers of the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution pray your attention to this their twenty-fourth annual report:

The good people have generously sustained this Institution of the Church, aided by the railroads, the express company and the Standard Ice and Fuel Co.; and the health of the children has been preserved and protected by Dr. Myers Hunter and other eminent physicians and dentists of Charlotte, as will appear by referring to the statement of the superintendent, which is appended to this paper; showing also total receipts \$11,521.66 and disbursements \$10,082.97, leaving a balance in hand of \$1,438.69. The present number of children is 65. Of these 37 are from the Diocese of North Carolina, 16 from East Carolina, and 12 from the District of Asheville.

The endowment fund, \$11,418.47, we regret to say, has increased only \$100 dollars in two years. It affords us pleasure to note the cautious and careful handling thereof by our Trustee, Mr. J. G. Shannonhouse, evidenced by his report appended hereto.

The great crying need of the Orphanage is suitable sanitary buildings. For all the past years your Board of Managers has endeavored to make the old buildings serviceable by changes and additions from time to time, but they are not adapted to the work, are unsanitary, and should be removed and replaced.

It is natural and right to give these orphans, who are peculiarly God's children, a better chance in life, by training them to climb Jack's bean stalk—sometimes the foot slips, sometimes the hand fails to grasp, again the head grows dizzy; all going to show the necessity of training properly these children, to enable them (according to the German legend) to utilize the three treasures of the All-Father, the wind, the rain and the genial sun, represented by the harp, bags full of treasure and the red hen which laid golden eggs.

To do this first and foremost is the protection of their health in order to have what Juvenal considered the best gift of the gods, "*mens sana in corpore sano*"—a sound mind in a healthy body. Very much to be desired are sanitary buildings constructed of the pure elements, brick and cement, according to designs well thought out and specially drawn by a capable architect upon hygienic principles with proper ventilation and conveniences.

Your Board considers the cottage system the better, which has one large central building for assembling schools, etc., and cottages conveniently located for homes and dormitories. This plan secures the family idea considered so essential, in all its possible details.

Just imagine, if you please, a large horseshoe as the design, with the assembly building at the toe of the shoe and cottages on the sides and heels. The present site is especially adapted to this plan as not one tree of importance need be sacrificed.

Do we hear you say, "The site is all right, the cottage system is all right, but where is the money?" The ladies, God bless them, have their hearts in this work and their souls attuned to its attainment. With enthusiasm and devotion to this movement they have already organized a "Federation of Thompson Orphanage Guilds," in number about fifteen, and they purpose covering the State with them.

Through these Guilds they have harvested in round figures \$1,500, the first fruits toward the building fund—the herald and harbinger of the oncoming avalanche of glittering gold to be laid at their feet, which will enable them to rear beautiful, sightly structures on soil hallowed by the memories of the Thompsons whose gift made this Institution possible and for whom it was named, the pioneer of church orphanages in the State, hallowed by the memories of the great-hearted Bronson, who preserved this property to the Church, hallowed by the labors of the grand, zealous and consecrated Osborne and our present efficient Superintendent.

God bless the officers and every individual member of the Federation of Thompson Orphanage Guilds. Their noble example of generosity should be equalled by the laymen of the Diocese of North Carolina, East Carolina and the District of Asheville. The ladies have sounded the drum beat and bugle call that will echo "from the river to the ends of the earth."

With all our hearts we must serve the Orphanage—give it our faculties, our gold, our life; not only give, but give gladly, give with both hands. The good women have set a shining precedent to the laymen in zeal and organization. Remember to you much has been given and from you much and more is expected.

"Wherefore criest thou unto me, speak unto the children of Israel that they go forward." Don't simply mark time, you laymen, but march, and if need be at a double-quick. Do your full duty. This generation shall not pass away before we shall see the slate roof on the stately central building flanked on either side by beautiful, homelike cottages glistening in the noonday sun—inspiring your Superintendent and teachers, giving the uplift to the children of the Orphanage that comes from devotion to lofty ideals—all to the glory of Christ and His Church.

Respectfully submitted,

W. A. SMITH,

For the Board of Managers.

REPORT OF THE REV. W. J. SMITH, SUPERINTENDENT OF THE THOMPSON ORPHANAGE AND TRAINING INSTITUTION.

To the Board of Managers—Greeting:

In presenting my annual report I am glad to say that we have had on the whole a prosperous year, marked by no epidemic, serious sickness or accident, and that while our expenses have been greater than usual, yet we have closed the year with a credit balance of \$1,438.69, showing that our people have responded very liberally to our wants. Perhaps it should be stated that since the close of the Orphanage year two cases of measles have developed in Bronson Hall, the second we have had in the Institution since I took charge of the work, twelve years ago. These cases have been quarantined as well as possible, and we hope that the contagion will not spread to any great extent. Our farming expenses seem to be excessive, but this is due to the fact that we have had to purchase a mule and a horse, a few expensive but necessary implements, a large quantity of seed for our more extensive crop, besides paying a little more for our hired help, amounting in all to something over four hundred dollars. *The Messenger of Hope* suspended publication with the September number, and was merged along with the *Mission Herald* into an inter-diocesan paper, the *Carolina Churchman*, published at Wilmington. It is a well-printed paper, ably edited, and will doubtless do a good work for the Church in our beloved State. While it devotes a portion of its space to the Orphanage, thus giving the Superintendent more time for his other work, yet it is a question whether it will mean just the same to our work as our own paper did. Miss Baker, our efficient housekeeper, was married in November, and was succeeded in December by Mrs. Nannie A. Campbell, who has taken hold of her duties with much zeal and proficiency. After twenty years of faithful service, Mr. Jamison gave up his position as farmer at the end of the year, and moved with his family a few miles into the country. His son, Ernest, who has had two years' experience in the trucking business, took his place as soon as he left, and has shown himself well qualified for the work. During the year we have received twenty-four children into the Orphanage, eighteen from the Diocese of North Carolina, four from the Diocese of East Carolina, and two from the District of Asheville. Nineteen have been returned to their friends, and one has been placed in a good home. The present number is sixty-five, thirty-seven being from the Diocese of North Carolina, sixteen from the Diocese of East Carolina, and twelve from the District of Asheville. Five have left since the close of the Orphanage year, and one has come in, making sixty-one in actual residence at this writing. We hope our friends will send us an extra contribution when the dull summer months come on. One Parish has promised to do so, and another, Calvary Parish, Tarboro, has just sent us a check for fifty dollars. We have received a hundred dollars from the estate of Miss

Rowena Micks, Clinton, and a hundred dollars from Mr. W. L. London, of Pittsboro, the latter being for the building fund. The late Hon. W. P. Bynum, a good friend of the Orphanage, bequeathed one thousand dollars to the Institution, which has not yet been paid. The ladies of the Church of the Holy Comforter, Dilworth, have been instrumental in placing three stationary wash tubs in the laundry at Thompson Hall with heater for supplying hot water. Connection has been made from this heater to the kitchen boiler, thus supplying all the hot water needed in the bath rooms. If the Orphanage is to remain where it is, I would suggest that at least a thousand dollars be invested in tenement houses, and that a thorough system of drainage be applied to the creek bottoms.

In closing my report I wish to thank specially our own physician, Dr. Myers Hunter, and also the other physicians and dentists of Charlotte, as well as the Standard Ice and Fuel Company, and the railroad and express companies for their continued favors.

Hereto I append my statement as Treasurer for the past year.

W. J. SMITH, *Treasurer*, in account with the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution, from April 1st, 1909, to April 1st, 1910.

Balance brought forward from last year.....	\$1,336.36
Contributions, etc.	6,520.82
Interest on Endowment Fund.....	595.05
Sale of stone	16.95
Farm products sold	278.93
Farm products consumed	905.27
Dairy products consumed.....	1,213.70
Messenger of Hope.....	407.20
Rents	247.38
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	\$11,521.66

PAYMENTS.

General expenses	\$6,129.45
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Farm expenses	1,437.93
Farm products consumed	905.27
Dairy products consumed	1,213.70
Messenger of Hope	383.95
Tenement improvements	12.17
Balance on hand	1,438.69
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	\$11,521.66

Respectfully submitted,

W. J. SMITH, *Superintendent*.

STATEMENT OF THE TRUSTEE OF PERMANENT FUND.

Charlotte, N. C., April 26th, 1910.

Annual report of J. G. Shannonhouse, Trustee of the Permanent Fund of the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution, for the year ending on the above date:

INTEREST ACCOUNT.

To interest collected to date.....	\$597.05	
By amount paid Rev. W. J. Smith, Supt.....		\$595.05
By balance on hand.....		2.00
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	\$597.05	\$597.05
To balance on hand.....	\$2.00	

The amounts named below compose the Permanent Fund:

From Mrs. Mary E. Fouville's estate.....	\$196.75
From Mr. Frank Wood	2,000.00
From Mary Louise Cowles (Memorial).....	50.00
From Bishop Lyman's estate.....	2,104.80
From Mr. James H. Ruffin.....	2,262.00
From Dr. D. O'Donoghue's estate.....	250.00
From The Girdwood Memorial Fund.....	1,250.00
From Rev. Dr. Wetmore (Memorial, unknown).....	10.00
From St. Agnes' Guild, Christ Church, Raleigh, N. C., to endow the Ada Foster Cot in the Infirmary of Thompson Hall	100.00
From Rev. Arthur Wrixon's estate of Warrington, England, £179, 3s, equal to.....	866.34
From Mr. C. A. Rice's estate, through Mrs. Caroline V. Rice, executrix	1,000.00
From Maj. W. A. Smith, for Library Fund, two shares Vance Cotton Mill stock.....	200.00
From Mrs. T. M. Marsh, one share Salisbury Cotton Mill stock, by Dr. Murdoch.....	100.00
From Mrs. Mary A. Southerland's estate.....	850.09
From cash from interest account to make loan to Kur- lee even amount.....	78.49
From Mrs. Rowena Micks, Clinton, N. C.....	100.00

The following securities represent the investments of the Permanent Fund:

J. G., J. Victor and W. T. Brown, mortgage.....	\$2,750.00
T. A. Kurlee	2,000.00
W. C. Maxwell	3,006.47
L. G. Boyd, transferred from H. W. Harris loan....	1,130.00
John F. Boyd, transferred from H. W. Harris loan..	1,130.00

Two shares Vance Cotton Mill stock.....	\$200.00
One share Salisbury Cotton Mill stock.....	100.00
Certificate 4 per cent M. & F. National Bank.....	102.00
Three tenement houses erected on the property by order Board of Managers.....	1,000.00

Respectfully submitted,

\$11,418.47 \$11,418.47

J. G. SHANNONHOUSE, *Trustee.*

On motion of Mr. Smith, the report was referred to a Special Committee, which the Bishop appointed, as follows: The Rev. A. B. Hunter, the Rev. R. Percy Eubanks, Mr. Frank T. Ward, Mr. Thomas H. Webb, and Mr. Thomas H. Battle.

On motion of Mr. James Ker, Jr., the report of the Committee was made a Special Order for Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

Dr. R. H. Lewis presented the following

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.

To the Convention of the Diocese of North Carolina the undersigned, on behalf of the Trustees of St. Mary's School, Raleigh, submits the following report, as required by the Act of Incorporation:

The statement of the Treasurer of the Corporation for the year ending May 1st, may be summarized as follows:

Balance on hand May 1st, 1909.....	\$615.46	
Interest collected on old notes.....	21.20	
Paid travelling expenses of Trustees, May.....		\$50.15
Paid travelling expenses of Trustees, August.....		41.58
Registering deed for bond issue.....		4.25
Postage and telephone service.....		3.55
Balance transferred to Building Account.....		437.13
Salary of Secretary and Treasurer for one year..		100.00
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	\$636.66	\$636.66

A summary statement of Treasurer's Building Account is as follows:

Receipts—

Proceeds of Miss Clement's bequest.....	\$30,868.40
Sale of bonds	35,000.00
Sundry subscriptions	1,435.00
Balance from general account, as above.....	437.13
From school	750.00

Disbursements—

Cost of Clement Dining Hall, new wings, etc...	\$56,185.78
Heating, etc.	8,417.74
Furniture	1,500.00
Interest on short loan from bank.....	108.16
Sewer	544.20
Six months' interest on bond issue \$40,000....	1,200.00
Legal services, advertising, cornerstone, etc...	282.65
Balance on hand	302.00
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	\$68,490.53 \$68,490.53

New buildings, with incidental improvements at a cost of nearly seventy thousand dollars, have been added to the School since the last annual report to the Convention, and a bonded debt has been contracted amounting to forty thousand dollars. Of this sum, only thirty-five thousand dollars went into the improvements, since five thousand dollars of the bonds were required to replace the five thousand dollars of an old debt held by the Board in trust for the security of the Murchison Scholarship.

During the year the enrollment of pupils has been: Boarders, 150; day pupils, 87; a total of 237, an increase of 20 per cent over last year. Of the boarders, 62 were from the Diocese of North Carolina; 28 from East Carolina; 14 from South Carolina; 11 from Asheville, and 9 from Georgia. The total enrollment represents eighteen Dioceses, eleven States, and two foreign countries. Of the boarders, 25 per cent and of the day pupils 40 per cent were not of our communion.

It is with much satisfaction that the Trustees call attention to the improvements not only in buildings and equipment, but in the general administration of the internal affairs of the School thus made possible. As St. Mary's is now prepared to receive a larger number of pupils than ever before, to give them better and more comfortable lodging and a table better furnished and served than was possible in the past, so she is prepared to show a corresponding improvement in the higher interests and in the opportunities afforded for scholastic attainments. A large and highly accomplished faculty offers every advantage in the academic departments as well as in the more ornamental branches of music and art; and a marked rise in the general spirit and purpose of the student body is a gratifying element in what we believe to be the present hopeful condition of the whole institution.

The policy adopted by the Board of Trustees, not only in accordance with what they believed to be the demands of the situation and the necessities of the times, but also upon the influence of the friends and patrons of the School in all parts of the State, has involved the corporation in an indebtedness of forty thousand dollars. But it has put the School in a position where it can make good its offer of giving a full and generous return for what its pupils pay, and where it can command

the respect and success which before it solicited. And this amount of indebtedness should be only a temporary encumbrance to an institution which has such a constituency of friends and supporters, and such a place in the hearts of the people of two States.

We confidently appeal to our Church people of the Carolinas and of the country generally for their liberal sympathy and support in our great work, and we believe that the noble history of the past is only the promise of greater achievement in the future.

JOS. BLOUNT CHESHIRE.

President, etc.

The report was, on motion of Rev. Milton A. Barber, referred to a Special Committee, with instructions to report at 3 o'clock on Thursday afternoon. The Committee was appointed by the Bishop as follows: The Rev. Bertram E. Brown, the Rev. Isaac W. Hughes, Mr. John S. Myers, Mr. S. S. Nash and Mr. J. C. Horner.

The Rev. A. B. Hunter presented his report as Principal of St. Augustine's School, which, on his motion, was referred to the Committee on the State of the Church. (See Appendix B.)

A like disposition was made of the reports of the Hospitals of St. Peter and the Good Samaritan at Charlotte, presented by the Rev. H. Mallinckrodt. (See Appendix B.)

The Rev. M. A. Barber presented a statement from the Treasurer of the General Clergy Relief Fund, with an urgent appeal for more generous support.

The Rev. Thomas J. Faulkner presented a memorial from the Parishes of St. Andrew and St. Barnabas at Greensboro, asking permission to consolidate and form a new congregation under the name of the Church of the Holy Trinity. On motion, the memorial was referred to the Committee on New Parishes.

On motion of Mr. R. H. Battle, the Bishop was requested to appoint committees to prepare memorials of the late Reverend Francis J. Murdoch, D.D., and the Reverend Frederick A. Fetter, for presentation to the Convention. The first was appointed to consist of the Rev. E. A. Osborne, the

Rev. T. A. Cheatham, Mr. R. H. Battle, Mr. Wm. L. Wall and Mr. Alexander H. Gallaway; the second to consist of the Rev. Wm. H. Ball, the Rev. Walter J. Smith, Mr. Wm. A. Smith, Mr. John M. Fairley and Mr. J. C. Horner.

On motion of Mr. R. H. Battle, it was

Resolved, That the windows and exterior doors of the Bishop's house at Raleigh be properly screened, under the direction of the Trustees of the Diocese, and that the expense be paid by the Treasurer.

Mr. Chas. E. Johnson presented his annual Report as Treasurer of the Convention and made a statement in regard to the finances of the Diocese; proposing, also, an increase in the salary of the Bishop. (See Appendix C.)

Mr. R. H. Battle offered the following resolution:

Resolved, That Chapter I, Canon XII, section 1, be amended by striking out the words "as heretofore, at two thousand five hundred dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "at three thousand dollars."

Mr. Battle moved that immediate action be taken by the Convention upon the resolution, but, objection being made, it was referred to the Committee on Canons with instructions to report at 10 o'clock on Thursday morning.

For the Committee appointed by the last Convention on a Summer Conference of the Clergy, the Rev. Geo. W. Lay reported that it had been found impracticable to arrange for the Conference at Chapel Hill, as at first proposed. He then made a statement with regard to the holding of a Conference of the Clergy and laity of the two Carolinas at St. Mary's School, Raleigh, June 20th to 25th, under the hospitality of the Trustees of the School, and extended a cordial invitation to the members of the Convention to attend.

Mr. Wm. L. Wall expressed the gratification afforded the members of the Convention by the invitation given by the Rev. Mr. Lay, and, on his motion, it was

Resolved, That the thanks of the Convention are hereby extended to the Rector and Trustees of St. Mary's School for their gracious offer to entertain those who may attend the Conference.

The Bishop announced the reception of a telegram from Mr. George Gordon King, Treasurer of the Board of Missions, stating that the apportionment of the Diocese for the current year was complete.

On motion of Mr. S. S. Nash, clergymen of the Diocese present but not entitled to vote, were invited to honorary seats in the Convention.

The Rev. M. A. Barber, from the Committee on Finance, reported that the accounts of the Treasurer had been carefully audited and found correct.

Mr. Chas. E. Johnson, being nominated for election as Treasurer of the Convention, on motion of Mr. Wm. E. Erwin, the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Convention and Mr. Johnson was declared elected.

The Convention then adjourned to meet on Thursday morning at 9:30 o'clock.

At 8 o'clock p. m., after Evening Prayer, a sermon was delivered by the Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D., Rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh.

SECOND DAY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, WINSTON-SALEM,

May 12, 1910.

The Convention met pursuant to adjournment.

Morning Prayer was said by the Rev. R. B. Owens and the Rev. Geo. M. Tolson, the Bishop reading the Lessons.

The Convention was then called to order by the Bishop.

The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

The Rev. Dr. Pittenger presented the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CANONS.

The Committee on Canons having considered the several amendments to the Constitution and Canons referred to them, beg leave to offer the following resolutions:

1. *Resolved*, That Chapter I, Canon XII, section 1, be amended by striking out the words "as heretofore, at twenty-five hundred dollars," and inserting in lieu thereof the words "at three thousand dollars."

2. *Resolved*, That Chapter I, Canon XIV, section 1, be amended by the omission in line 11 of the words "Diocesan Relief Fund: The first Sunday in July."

3. *Resolved*, That this Convention ratify the amendments of the Constitution adopted by the Convention of 1909, adding two new sections to Article IX, to read as follows:

Section 5. Any Parish which receives aid from the Mission Funds of the Diocese, and does not for two consecutive years pay its proportion of the salary of the minister serving it, shall be deprived of the right to vote in the Convention until such arrears be paid, or remitted by the Convention.

Section 6. Any Parish or Mission which shall fail for three consecutive years to pay its assessment for the Episcopal and Contingent Fund, shall be deprived of the right to vote in the Convention until such arrears be paid, or remitted by the Convention.

Respectfully submitted,

I. MCK. PITTENGER,

Chairman.

Resolutions 1 and 2, on motion, were adopted, and action on 3 was deferred.

The Rev. Thomas Chavasse, Vicar of St. Thomas' Church, Starbridge, England, was presented to the Convention by the Bishop at the instance of the Rev. Isaac W. Hughes, and invited to a seat in the Convention.

The Bishop read his Annual Address which was, on motion of Mr. Wm. A. Smith, referred to the Committee on the State of the Church. (See Appendix A.)

The Rev. Mr. Mallinckrodt presented the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ELECTIONS.

The Committee on Elections beg leave to report that having examined the credentials of Mr. Wm. A. Smith, of Ansonville, and Mr. J. T. Barber and Mr. W. P. Barber, of Cleveland, they recommend the admission of these Delegates to seats in the Convention.

H. MALLINCKRODT,

Chairman.

The report was adopted and the Delegates named appeared and took their seats.

The hour of noon having arrived, the Bishop offered prayers for Missions.

Mr. Thomas H. Battle presented the following report, which was adopted:

The Committee to whom the Thompson Orphanage report was referred make the following report:

We have examined all the papers referred to us, the reports of the Treasurer, the Superintendent, and the Board of Managers, and are much impressed with the zeal and efficiency shown therein, and recommend their approval by the Convention. We urge that the heartiest possible support be given to the attempt to secure the much-needed new buildings begun by the ladies and endorsed by the Board of Managers. We specially suggest that the Convention take steps to interest the Sunday Schools, each one in the Diocese, in the systematic support of the Orphanage, both as a matter of education and of revenue. This might serve to counteract the loss of interest which may result from the discontinuance of *The Messenger of Hope*.

We would call attention with special approval to the carefulness shown by Treasurer Shannonhouse in the disposition of the Permanent Fund.

We recommend the passage of the following resolution in regard to the above suggestion:

Resolved, That the Bishop, the Clergy, and the Sunday School superintendents be hereby requested to make every effort to interest the Sunday Schools in the active and systematic support of the Orphanage, and that each Sunday School be asked to take up one collection in each month for the support of the Orphanage, and as many other times as local conditions may permit.

Respectfully submitted,

A. B. HUNTER,

R. P. EUBANKS.

THOS. H. BATTLE,

THOS. H. WEBB,

F. T. WARD,

Committee.

A recess was then taken until 3 o'clock.

THURSDAY, May 12, 1910. 3 P. M.

The Convention reassembled and was called to order by the Bishop.

The Special Order being the Report of the Trustees of St. Mary's School, it was postponed, on motion of the Rev. A. B. Hunter, in order to consider a resolution in regard to the Thompson Orphanage; whereupon Mr. Wm. A. Smith offered the resolution as follows:

Resolved, That a Committee of five be appointed by the Bishop to evolve some system or method of organizing a Layman's Auxiliary in aid of the construction of new buildings for the Orphanage, to co-operate with the Federation of Thompson Orphanage Guilds.

The resolution was adopted, and the Bishop made the following appointments: The Rev. H. Mallinckrodt, Mr. D. Y. Cooper, Mr. Chas. E. Johnson, Mr. L. S. Holt, Jr., and Mr. James Ker, Jr.

Bishop Rondthaler, of the Moravian Church, was presented to the Convention by the Bishop of the Diocese, and made a brief address.

The Rev. Bertram E. Brown, from the Special Committee on the Report of the Trustees of St. Mary's School, presented the following report:

The Special Committee appointed to consider the Report of the Trustees of St. Mary's School, beg leave to report that they approve the said Report in every particular.

We call especial attention to the item noting an increase of twenty per cent over last year in enrollment of pupils, and to the gratifying fact that such improvement has been effected in the capacity of the School by erection of new buildings and acquisition of new equipment, that the management is able to promise an ever-growing usefulness and success for the School in the future.

New buildings, with incidental improvements, having been added at the cost of seventy thousand dollars, we have every reason to hope for a brilliant realization of this promise under the present able and efficient management.

The Committee also call attention to the fact that a bonded indebtedness of forty thousand dollars has been incurred by the School in making the above-mentioned improvements. The income of the School should

not be taxed as regards this debt further than to meet the annual interest on the bonds. For the ultimate payment of the principal, the School must look to the assistance of the Dioceses supporting it, and to its many friends everywhere within and without our Church. We recommend, therefore, this matter of St. Mary's bonded indebtedness to this Convention and to all well-wishers of St. Mary's.

Respectfully submitted,

BERTRAM E. BROWN,

ISAAC W. HUGHES,

JOHN S. MYERS,

S. S. NASH,

J. C. HORNER,

Committee.

The Rev. Francis M. Osborne presented the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CHURCH WORK AT THE
UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

The Committee on Church Work at the University beg leave to make the following report:

During the past year the Committee have held three meetings, as follows: One in the month of October last at Chapel Hill, meeting with the representatives of the vestry of the Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill, and of a Committee of the Diocese of East Carolina: one in January, 1910, at Raleigh, during the session of the Layman's Conference in the Church of the Good Shepherd, and one this morning.

The result of the meeting in October at Chapel Hill was the arrangement of a plan by which the income for the work at the University coming from the three Dioceses in North Carolina should be so co-ordinated that the minister at that place may receive his salary with promptness and regularity each month. The scale of annual appropriation for support of this work was thus arranged:

Diocese of North Carolina.....	\$600.00
Diocese of East Carolina.....	600.00
Chapel of the Cross, Chapel Hill.....	600.00
Missionary District of Asheville.....	200.00
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Total.....	\$2,000.00

The meeting of the Committee at Raleigh in January took up the question of putting the support of this work on a more permanent basis and the adoption of some plan by which the amount of \$2,000 per annum may be permanently secured for this work without being burdensome to the Church at large. On account of the smallness of the number of those present no definite action was taken beyond the ordering

of the preparation of a list of Churchmen who are alumni of the University. Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt also suggested the need of a partial endowment of this work.

At the meeting of the committee held this morning the following resolutions were adopted:

I. *Resolved*. That having personal and indirect knowledge of the progress of the Church's work among the students of the University under the leadership of the Rev. R. W. Hogue, we herewith express our great satisfaction with what has been done and is being done for the extension of the power and influence of the Church in that institution; and we believe that what has been accomplished is ample justification for all efforts and expenditure that have been made for this important work among the future leaders of the Church in North Carolina.

II. *Resolved*. That in reviewing the Treasurer's report we are gratified to find that there is a widespread interest in this work among the congregations throughout the Diocese, as is evidenced by the liberality of the offerings taken during the year according to the recommendation of the last Convention.

III. *Resolved*. That it is the opinion of this Committee that a partial endowment of at least ten thousand dollars (\$10,000) should be secured for this work in order to relieve in a measure the Church at large of what it has undertaken to do for this work, and thus prevent this undertaking from becoming onerous. Therefore, the Committee petition this Convention to set its approval upon this plan and to empower Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, of Chapel Hill, to act as Chairman of a Special Committee to raise this endowment.

FRANCIS M. OSBORNE.

Chairman.

FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE DIOCESAN COMMITTEE ON
CHURCH WORK AT THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA.

1909.	<i>Receipts.</i>	
June 1.	Balance from last report.....	\$66.42
July 20.	Mrs. Kate Moore	5.00
	J. S. Thomas	5.00
Sept. 29.	St. Luke's Church, Salisbury.....	14.00
	Christ Church, Raleigh	49.25
	St. Philip's Church, Durham	20.00
	J. G. M. Cordon	5.00
Oct. 1.	Church of the Good Shepherd, Raleigh.....	19.05
11.	St. Andrew's, Greensboro	3.70
14.	St. Athanasius, Burlington	20.00
Nov. 16.	Henry Perry	10.00
Dec. 20.	St. John's Church, Madison	1.07
	Church of the Messiah, Mayodan.....	5.00

1910.

Jan. 18.	Mrs. Ida C. Cowles.....	\$5.00
	B. G. Cowper	2.00
	Mrs. Adele E. Jones	2.00
	Chas. E. Johnson	5.00
	Henry A. Gilliam	5.00
	F. J. Coxe	1.00
	Mrs. Mary S. Seagle	1.00
20.	Thos. H. Battle	10.00
Feb. 5.	J. G. M. Cordon	5.00
	Dr. G. A. Ramsaeur.....	2.50
Jan. 18.	Rt. Rev. Jos. B. Cheshire.....	5.00
Mar. 1.	Church of the Holy Comforter, Charlotte.....	5.00
	St. Martin's Chapel, Charlotte	1.50
	Good Shepherd, Cooleemee	3.45
22.	St. Mary's School	11.07
	Church of the Saviour, Jackson.....	2.00
	St. Mary the Virgin, Thompson Orphanage.....	1.03
	Trinity Church, Statesville	2.91
	Holy Innocents, Henderson	20.00
	A. E. Lloyd	5.00
	J. C. Hales	5.00
Apr. 25.	J. Cheshire Webb	5.00
	J. S. Manning	5.00
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Payments.

Postage and stationery	\$10.00
Typewriter	5.00
Treasurer Chapel Hill	283.33
Balance on hand May 1, 1910.....	35.62
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	\$333.95

FRANCIS M. OSBORNE.

Treasurer.

On motion of the Rev. F. M. Osborne, it was

Resolved, That the Convention approves the plan of the Committee on Church Work at the University of North Carolina to raise at least ten thousand dollars for a partial endowment of the work among the students of that institution.

Mr. J. Cameron Buxton offered the following resolution, which, on his motion, was referred to the Committee on Canons:

Resolved. That Article IX, section 3, of the Constitution, be amended by the omission in line 2 of the words "males of the age of twenty-one years."

Elections being in order, Mr. Wm. L. London nominated as members of the Standing Committee the members elected at the last Convention. In the absence of other nominations, the Chairman was requested to cast the ballot for them and they were declared elected.

Nominations were made and Tellers appointed for the election of Deputies to the General Convention.

The ballots being received and counted, the Tellers reported as elected, the Rev. I. McK. Pittenger, D.D., the Rev. S. S. Bost, the Rev. E. A. Osborne, Mr. J. C. Buxton, Mr. R. H. Battle, Mr. Wm. E. Erwin and Mr. John S. Henderson.

A second ballot for a fourth Clerical Deputy resulted in the election of the Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley.

The election of Supplementary Deputies being next in order, it was, on motion, ordered that the Chairman be requested to cast the ballot of the Convention for the four clergymen receiving the next largest number of votes after those who were already chosen Deputies. This being done, the Chair declared as so elected the Rev. M. A. Barber, the Rev. Bertram E. Brown, the Rev. J. E. Ingle and the Rev. Richard W. Hogue.

Nominations being here made for Supplementary Lay Deputies, the ballots were cast and the Tellers reported as elected Mr. Wm. L. London, Mr. S. S. Nash, Mr. Thos. H. Battle and Mr. Thos. H. Webb.

The Rev. Isaac W. Hughes having resigned his place on the Board of Managers of the Thompson Orphanage, and the terms of the Rev. A. deR. Meares and Mr. Wm. A. Smith having expired, the Rev. E. A. Osborne nominated the Rev. Wm. E. Cox to complete the term of Mr. Hughes, and the Rev. W. H. Hardin and Mr. Wm. A. Smith to serve until 1916, and they were, on motion, elected.

On motion of Mr. Chas. E. Johnson, the Rev. Thaddeus A. Cheatham was in like manner elected Clerical Trustee of the University of the South.

The Rev. R. B. Owens presented the following report of the Sunday School Commission:

The Secretary of the Sunday School Commission begs leave to report as follows:

The act of the Convention creating the Sunday School Commission provides that the membership thereof shall consist of "The Bishop of the Diocese, all clergymen canonically resident in the Diocese, and two delegates from each Sunday School." No meeting of the Commission as a whole has been held, and, on account of the large membership, it will probably be found impracticable to have such a meeting except at the time of our annual Conventions. It was anticipated, however, that the chief work of the Commission would be done by and through its subcommittees. This report will therefore consist mainly of some account of what has been accomplished or attempted by these Committees during the year.

The Subcommittee on "Organization and Arrangement," acting in the capacity of a general executive Committee for the Commission, met at the See House in Raleigh, June 21, 1909. At this meeting the general interests of the Sunday School work in the Diocese were considered, and different plans for improving the schools discussed. Among other things, the Chairmen of the Committees on "Curriculum," and on "Training of Teachers," were requested to take up as soon as possible the subjects assigned their respective Committees, and report their conclusions to a subsequent meeting of this Convention. It was also planned to provide and send representatives to speak in the interest of Sunday School work wherever their services might be desired throughout the Diocese. As the result of this plan, addresses have been made in Charlotte, Concord, Mayodan and Oxford, but it has largely failed because of a lack of funds to pay the traveling expenses of speakers, and because it has been a difficult matter to find speakers who could give the necessary time.

The Chairman of the Finance Committee reports that his Committee sent a circular letter to every clergyman and Parish in the Diocese, stating the plans of the Commission, and the need of funds to carry out those plans and asking for contributions, and that the total response to this appeal was a contribution of \$6 from one Parish, and \$4 from the Sunday School of the same Parish. I will say here that if the Commission is to accomplish anything worth while, it is absolutely necessary that it shall have at least a small fund out of which to pay such necessary items as traveling expenses, sample textbooks, postage, etc.

Another meeting of this Committee on Arrangements was held August 17th, but very little of a practical nature was accomplished. On September 29th a third meeting was held, at which were present representatives of all the subcommittees. At this meeting a report from the Committee on Curriculum was considered, and after full discussion it was recommended "that for the present the Sunday Schools of the Diocese adopt for use either "the Joint Diocesan Series of Sunday School lessons" or the course recommended by the New York Sunday School Commission.

Meetings have been held by the other subcommittees from time to time. As Secretary of the Commission, I have in hand reports from the Chairmen of each of them, and these reports show that at least an effort has been made to do something for the advancement of our Sunday School work. As the substance of several of these reports is included above they are not given here. But two of them I desire to submit practically in full to this Convention.

I. The Committee on Curriculum, School Methods and Administration reports that: 1st. It has purchased a full set of text-books recommended for Sunday School use by the New York Sunday School Commission, which were distributed among the several members of the Committee for examination.

2d. It has endeavored to reach some agreement upon a standard curriculum, to recommend for use in Sunday Schools. This alone it finds a task of no small magnitude, and one that will require continued and painstaking labor if the work is to be thoroughly and conscientiously done.

In fixing a curriculum, the subject matter to be taught demands first attention. On this point, we take it to be unanimously accepted in this Church that the Bible and the Church Catechism constitute the text of first importance and of pre-eminent authority.

But the subject matter determined upon, there yet remains to be established, order of presentation, gradation, and, as far as the Bible is concerned, selection.

All this calls not merely for careful thought and sound judgment, but also for experience. We have deemed it best, therefore, not to attempt now to construct, theoretically, a curriculum of our own. But having examined with some care curricula set forth by the Joint Diocesan Sunday School Commission, and by the New York Sunday School Commission, we commend for trial each of these, as follows: "The Primary and Middle departments" of the Joint Diocesan Sunday School Commission, and the First and Second "Schools" of the New York Sunday School Commission, to the extent that these curricula relate to the subject matter of instruction, order of arrangement, and gradation. In both of these curricula the effort is made to adapt grade to age. There

is, of course, between the two a necessary correlation, but the actual adaptation of one to the other depends upon several variables, and must be made by a living teacher as these variables shall in any given case determine.

The Committee does not as yet recommend any text-books. The examination of those referred to above does but convince them that this should be done with the utmost caution. As a general principle, text-books can not be safely adopted in groups, or even in a series, but each single book should be adopted or rejected upon its individual merits. Any Committee to recommend text-books ought to hold for a term of years, and as a detail, should have an appropriation of funds for the purchase of books for examination. Those text-books already examined by this Committee were purchased at private expense.

As to the other work assigned to this Committee in the subsection of the report already cited, we have this to say:

1. "To learn the condition of each Sunday School in the Diocese along the lines of curriculum school methods, and administration, in order to suggest to other schools the good points learned," involves an amount of labor which, so far, we have not had time to bestow.

2. "To try to take the place of a Field Secretary" is a task which with the utmost willingness to serve the Sunday School cause, as far as we can, we would hardly know how to undertake to perform.

But the consideration of the matters referred to the Committee has forced upon them the conviction that the only way the labors of the several advisory Committees of the Sunday School Commission can serve for much good is to send out a competent Field Secretary to give them effect. And we respectfully urge that a Field Secretary be elected and put to work as soon as possible.

Respectfully submitted,

N. C. HUGHES.

Chairman.

II. The Committee on the Training of Teachers, submits the following report:

The object of the mental training of teachers should be to produce a teacher who will be able and willing to master the whole of a lesson, and to teach it, without the book, if necessary, in an intelligent and interesting way to the class. In other words, to produce a Sunday School teacher who will do work in a Sunday School as good as that required in a day school.

This training seems to us to involve two elements:

First. The general training through the Sunday School itself to fit some of the scholars to become teachers.

Second. The special training of those who are teachers already, or definitely wish to prepare themselves to be teachers.

We respectfully submit the following suggestions, some of which may seem to touch unduly on the methods of conducting the Sunday School itself. In some cases the suggestions belong partly under both the first and second heads.

1. A. The Sunday School should be taught so that those who have gone through are prepared to be teachers. This involves, (a) a systematic course, (b) regular examinations, (c) regular promotion, (d) graduation with some kind of certificate to show what has been done.

B. The regular routine work, organization, etc., should be under a regular superintendent under the Rector.

C. There should be an "adjunct teachers'" class on Sunday in the Sunday School from which substitutes may be taken. It will be obvious that the above involves an exceedingly difficult problem. As long as we are content with a poor Sunday School, run on lines fatal to the success of a day school, we will continue to have what we are content with, and will not produce good teachers. The above suggestions can be carried out as in any other school only by devoted attention to the quality and standard of the work done, rather than to the size of the Sunday School, where everything is governed by the desire to take in everybody with little thought for what we teach them after we have got them.

2. A. Have a weekly Sunday School teachers' meeting on a week day for study, instruction, and discussion, taught as a rule by the Rector.

B. The Rector must create his own staff of teachers and train them.

C. Take no teachers except those who will be regular in attendance, both at Sunday School and at the weekly Sunday School teachers' meeting. This principle is taken for granted in a day school, and is essential to success.

D. If the number of such teachers is limited, limit the number of scholars. Results should be aimed at, and not simply numbers.

E. In the larger cities a school for teachers could be a joint matter.

F. The older scholars might be in this class as a part of the Sunday School work.

G. Parents, and others who do not at the time expect to become teachers, might also be included.

H. All teachers should read in succession some well-chosen books on the art of teaching in general, and the management of Sunday Schools in particular.

I. Each Sunday School should have a circulating library of such books.

J. A Diocesan Sunday School Commission should also circulate such books from town to town.

While the above recommendations may seem to advocate a standard that it is impossible to attain, we respectfully submit that practically all of these things can be done if we are willing to have any real policy whatever, and to make a start at least in a direction which will produce good Sunday Schools and good teachers. If we are content with conditions different from the above, we shall not advance. If we are not content with conditions as they are, we believe that the desired result may be attained in all cases by working definitely towards the ideals outlined above.

The following books have been recommended:

Harmony of the Gospels, Stevens and Burton: Life of Christ, Abbott: How to Study the Life of Christ, Alford A. Butler: Talks to Teachers, James: Bible League Primer No. 1, Daniel S. Gregory: Bible League of North America, Bible House, New York.

Respectfully submitted for the Committee,

GEO. W. LAY, *Chairman.*

It may seem to some that but little practical good has been accomplished by the Commission during the past year; but it must be remembered that it can only point the way. It cannot go into the different Sunday Schools and do the work recommended, and if the suggestions given above are, as far as possible, followed, we are confident that results will follow.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

R. B. OWENS, *Secretary.*

The Rev. E. A. Osborne offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved. That it is the sense of this Convention that the present equipment of the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution is entirely inadequate, and that new buildings should be erected as soon as possible; and therefore the Convention endorses heartily the work of the Federation of Thompson Orphanage Guilds, and does hereby authorize them to appoint one or more of their members to travel through the Diocese of North Carolina to solicit funds for the new buildings to be erected under the direction of the Board of Managers, and to awaken further interest in this worthy institution.

The Rev. Dr. Pittenger called up the third resolution of the Committee on Canons and moved its adoption. A vote

by orders being required for an action affecting the Constitution, the roll was called and the vote resulted as follows: *Clergy*, ayes 19, nays 1; *Parishes*, ayes 12, nays 2, divided, 1. And so the proposed amendments were adopted.

The Rev. George W. Lay offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the Committee on Canons be and hereby are requested to prepare and present to this session of the Convention any amendments that they may deem advisable in the Constitution.

Resolved further, That they be requested to prepare and present to the next Convention any amendments that they may deem advisable in the Canons and Rules of Order.

The Rev. R. W. Hogue presented the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NEW PARISHES.

The Committee on New Parishes respectfully report that they have carefully examined the papers in connection with the petition of St. Barnabas and St. Andrew's Churches, in Greensboro, and find that they meet all canonical requirements. The Committee offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the consent of the Convention is hereby given for the consolidation of St. Barnabas and St. Andrew's Churches in a new parochial organization to be known as the Church of the Holy Trinity.

Applications have been made in proper form for the admission of the Organized Missions at Middleburg and Gulf into union with the Convention. The Committee offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Organized Missions of the Heavenly Rest, at Middleburg, and St. Mark's, Gulf, be and hereby are admitted into union with the Convention of the Diocese of North Carolina.

R. W. HOGUE,

Chairman.

The resolutions of the Committee were adopted, and the Delegate present from St. Mark's, Gulf, Mr. Frank D. Jones, appeared and took his seat.

The selection of the place of meeting of the Convention of 1911 being in order, the Church of St. Philip, Durham, and that of the Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount, were offered by their respective Rectors and Delegates, and, on motion, it was

Resolved, That the Convention meet on the 17th day of May, 1911, in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Rocky Mount.

On motion of the Treasurer, he was authorized to pay the expenses of Clergy of the Diocese attending the Convention but not entitled to seats in the same.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Pittenger, the Treasurer was instructed to pay the traveling expenses of the Assistant Secretary.

The appointed hour having arrived, the Convention adjourned.

At 8 o'clock p. m. a Missionary Meeting was held, at which the Archdeacons of the Diocese made their reports, and addresses on different phases of Diocesan work were made by members of the Convention, both Clerical and lay. (See Appendix B.)

THIRD DAY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, WINSTON-SALEM,

FRIDAY, May 13, 1910.

The Convention assembled at 9:30 o'clock for Morning Prayer, which was said by the Rev. Messrs. R. W. Hogue and N. C. Hughes.

The President took the chair and called the Convention to order.

The minutes of yesterday's session were read and approved.

At the request of the Rev. R. W. Hogue, his name was withdrawn from the list of Alternate Deputies to the General Convention, and on his nomination, and in the absence of any other, the Secretary was instructed to cast the ballot of the Convention for the Rev. Robt. B. Owens, who was thereupon declared elected in his place.

By permission, the Rev. Mr. Hogue addressed the Convention.

On motion of Mr. James Ker, Jr., it was

Resolved. That this Convention heartily endorses the action of the Managers of the Thompson Orphanage in their decision to retain the present site of the Orphanage, and to erect new buildings on the said site.

On motion of the Rev. Dr. Pittenger, the Committee on Canons was allowed to defer action on the resolutions of the Rev. Mr. Lay and Mr. Buxton until the next Convention.

The Rev. Sidney S. Bost presented the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FINANCE.

The Finance Committee beg leave to report as follows:

We have examined the Treasurer's Report, together with his deposits and securities, and have found them all correct.

We recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

1. That the Episcopal and Contingent Fund be raised by the usual assessment of twelve per cent upon the minister's salary and current expenses. If the minister's salary has not been paid in full, twelve per cent of the amount promised; if any church be vacant, twelve per cent upon the amount previously promised the minister. To find out what the individual assessment will be for this year, reference should be made to parochial reports in Convention Journal of 1909.

2. That the balance of \$13.65 appearing in Treasurer's report against St. Luke's, Tarboro, be remitted; that the balance of \$10 appearing against Hamlet Mission be remitted, and that the assessment for this year be fixed at \$10; that the balance of \$24 against St. Clement's, Ringwood, be remitted, and the assessment fixed at \$2.50; remit arrears of \$41.50 against Epiphany, Leaksville, and fix assessment at \$25.

3. We recommend a renewal of the following special assessments: Church of the Transfiguration, Smithfield, \$15; Emmanuel Church, Southern Pines, \$20; St. Stephen's, Duke, \$25; Church of the Messiah, Mayodan, \$25; St. Alban's, Littleton, \$24; All Saints, Roanoke Rapids, \$10; St. Thomas, Reidsville, \$22.50; St. Andrew's, Charlotte, \$2.50; St. Mary's Charlotte, \$5; St. Augustine's, Raleigh, \$25; St. Mary's School (voluntary), \$20.

4. That upon payment to Treasurer of \$100, all claims against St. Andrew's Church, Greensboro, for the Episcopal and Contingent Fund be canceled: and that the same thing be done with reference to St. Barnabas Church, Greensboro, upon payment to Treasurer of \$150. It is mutually agreed that the assessment upon the new Parish of Holy Trinity, Greensboro, be fixed for this year at \$200.

5. That the Treasurer be instructed to pay the sum of \$50 to each of the Clerical Delegates attending the next session of the General Convention in Cincinnati.

Respectfully submitted,

SIDNEY S. BOST,

Chairman.

The report was, on motion, adopted.

Mr. Albert L. Cox offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved. That this Convention most earnestly recommend to the Vestries and congregations throughout the Diocese the urgent necessity of more adequately caring for our Clergy by increasing their stipends in a measure commensurate with the increased cost of living.

On motion of Mr. S. S. Nash, the Secretary was instructed to send to each congregation in the Diocese a copy of this resolution.

The Rev. John London presented the following

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.

There are many important subjects in connection with Church work in our Diocese, on which much might be written, but we must pass by many of them and confine ourselves to those of the greatest importance.

The work of the Secretary of the Diocese is highly commended by your Committee, for the careful and efficient manner in which he has tabulated the reports, and the ease with which it enables your Committee to report the condition of the Church.

We wish to call attention to some important points in connection with the reports from the Parishes.

About 109 reports should have been received. This year the reports were supposed to be closed on March 31st, and then made out and forwarded to the Secretary by the 20th of April at the latest. Of the 109, 50 were received by April 21st, and 50 others between April 21st and April 30th. The facts speak for themselves. It is impossible to make out a proper report of the state of the Church if, when three weeks are given to make out these reports, we still receive less than half at the time required.

Our report has been made out on the basis of the 100 reports received up to April 30th.

CANONICAL OFFERINGS.

The canons of the Diocese require each clergyman to take up offerings for certain objects. Seven are specified, and are printed on the back

of the Journal. We desire to call attention to the number who have disobeyed the direction of the canon in sending in offerings for these purposes.

The following shows the number of congregations which took the offerings:

For Diocesan Missions	85 per cent.
For Episcopal and Contingent Fund.....	83 per cent.
For General Missions	67 per cent.
For Thompson Orphanage	53 per cent.
For General Clergy Relief Fund	34 per cent.
For Theological Department of Sewanee.....	20 per cent.
For Diocesan Education Fund.....	17 per cent.

These figures show the percentage of congregations which have taken up these offerings, out of a hundred which should have so done. It appears that for the canonical offerings as a whole, 51 per cent of the offerings have been taken up, according to the reports received.

It seems obvious that the canonical offerings ought to be taken up as a matter of conscience by every clergyman who has promised to obey the Canons of the Church, and of the Diocese. If any of the objects for which a canonical offering is required ought to be omitted, a large majority of the Clergy are in a position of proposing to the Convention that one or more of these objects might be taken off of the list of canonical offerings and put in the list of "Other Objects Recommended."

Inasmuch as a very small proportion of the Clergy have taken up offerings for American Church Building Fund, or for the Theological Department at Sewanee, 20 per cent, your Committee recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

1. *Resolved*. That Chapter I, Canon XIV, Section 1, be amended by omitting the words "American Church Building Fund" and "Theological Department at Sewanee." And inasmuch as only 17 per cent of the congregations have given offerings for the "Diocesan Education Fund,"

2. *Resolved*. That the name of this fund be changed to "Fund to Aid Candidates for Holy Orders."

3. *Resolved*. That the "American Church Building Fund" and "Theological Department at Sewanee" be printed on the last page of the cover of the Journal under "Other Objects Recommended."

4. *Resolved*. That Chapter I, Canon XIV, Section 1, be amended by the insertion as line 11 of the words "General Clergy Relief Fund."

Of the canonical offerings required, only ten Parishes, so far as we have been able to observe, out of one hundred Parishes or congregations, have taken up all the offerings as required by the canons.

THE DIOCESAN MISSIONARY WORK.

The reports of the Archdeacons and the Missionaries show that excellent work is being done throughout the Diocese, and we emphasize the importance of sustaining and increasing our efforts.

The continued growth of the population in the Diocese makes it most apparent that there must be an equal growth in the work of Missions. We would call upon the clerical and lay members of the Church to give this important work their most loyal and hearty support by an increased offering. Our Missions are an integral part of our own Church life. We live upon the very help we give.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL.

To this feature of the Church's work we turn, namely, the children, the future of the Church, and we do not know of a more important subject which demands her most serious consideration and her best efforts at the present time. With the reported list of 5,597 children now receiving instruction in the Sunday Schools, together with 485 officers and teachers, and their liberal contribution to Missions, we feel the Diocese has just reason to be thankful. The duties and responsibilities of the Church along this line are obvious, the uplift and betterment of her children by teaching them lofty and holy Christian sentiments will be productive of great future benefit to the Church, in the building up of the Church's life. Much remains to be done to make this work more perfect, and we trust to the wisdom and discretion of the Church to devise some means to accomplish the desired end.

CLERGY SUPPORT.

Turning our attention to the salaries of the Clergy, we note that this subject demands our most serious consideration. Many of our Clergy are meagerly paid. As a rule, there is sufficient income among the parishioners of each Parish to provide a proper support for the clergyman. Often the unpaid and small salaries are the outcome of sheer carelessness and bad business methods in the Parish. Where a Vestry develops and sustains with energy systematic and business-like methods for gathering in the income, the raising of the Rector's salary becomes possible and there is cheer all along the line. The support of the Clergy is, in the opinion of your Committee, the most important practical question before the Church to-day.

GENERAL CLERGY RELIEF FUND.

The contributions during the past year are not as large as they should be for the General Clergy Relief Fund. The General Convention has laid upon every clergyman the duty of presenting this matter of relief and pension once a year to his congregation and to secure an offering. This fund needs for the relief of pressing wants twice the amount at its

disposal for our veteran Clergy, disabled by reason of physical infirmity or age. Our Church must keep abreast of the times or lose the respect of the world. The five-million endowment for the pensioning of the aged Clergy will be magnificent when it comes.

ST. MARY'S SCHOOL.

In the report of the Bishop of the Diocese for the Trustees of St. Mary's School we have called to our attention the great improvement in the equipment and increased accommodations of this institution, which now has dormitories and rooms to hold 180 boarders. Your Committee feel that they need not call attention to the blessing of this institution to the Church through sixty-eight years past, but desire to urge the great importance, especially to the Clergy, of keeping the claims of this our Diocesan school before the parents and daughters of all the good people of our State, and in every other reasonable way promote the interest of the same.

CHURCH WORK AT THE STATE UNIVERSITY.

We note with pleasure the increasing influence of our Church work at Chapel Hill. Under the leadership of the Rector of the Chapel of the Cross, the Church is becoming a spiritual power, and her influence is steadily growing in the community. This work is not local, but general, and we urge that the work be supported by the Diocese.

THE THOMPSON ORPHANAGE.

Your Committee notes with satisfaction the prosperous condition of the Thompson Orphanage. The report shows that the institution closed the fiscal year, March the 31st, with \$1,438.69 on hand. But this sum is not sufficient to support the institution during the summer months, when few contributions are received and the expenses go on. Your Committee would recommend that the Parishes make an offering oftener than the annual one made at Thanksgiving, and that the Sunday Schools be asked to make regular contributions at stated times. We would further urge liberal offerings toward the new buildings now in view.

HOSPITAL WORK.

We note with pleasure the encouraging annual reports presented of Good Samaritan and of St. Peter's Hospitals at Charlotte, and also of St. Agnes' Hospital at Raleigh. Great credit is due the noble women and laymen who support this good and important work.

THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY.

We observe with gratification the noble work that the Woman's Auxiliary is doing for Diocesan support and Church extension. Future generations will bless God's Holy name for their efforts, urging us for-

ward and upward, and for the illuminating examples shown by their noble gifts.

WORK AMONG THE NEGROES.

The outlook for the colored work in the Diocese was never more promising than at the present time.

In comparing the year's statistics with those of last year we observe a gain of 28 families. The gain of 222 in baptized persons. In baptisms 12. In communicants 53. There is also an increase in the figures relating to the Sunday School—teachers 10, pupils 124. In the day schools there are now 22 teachers and 923 pupils. Contributions for the past year, \$3,705.62. This report furnishes us with just grounds for the commendation of the Archdeacon and his faithful co-workers for the upbuilding of the Church.

The responsibilities and difficulties confronting the Church in this important work are great and many. It is not to be expected that our Church will obtain any great hold upon the masses of the colored people until they are adequately provided with facilities in the shape of good church buildings, schoolhouses, consecrated teachers and faithful ministers to carry on the work. A strong effort should be made to place the colored work on a more progressive basis.

The Church has a responsibility for all within its borders. No offerings have heretofore been recommended by the Convention to be taken up by the congregations of white people for the work among the colored people. Certainly we would not act unwisely if we should all take up collections in congregations of white people for this purpose.

Your Committee therefore offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the congregations in the Convocations of Raleigh and Charlotte be recommended to take up a collection each year for the benefit of the Convocation of the Colored People.

This work has been supported in this Diocese entirely by offerings from the colored people themselves, and from white people outside of the Diocese. The Bishop needed more money for his colored work, and he has asked the Convocation of Raleigh to contribute from its funds for this purpose. Your Committee doubts the wisdom and legality of appropriating from the funds of the Convocation of Raleigh for the work of another Convocation, though they are entirely in favor of assisting the colored people. It seems, therefore, to your Committee best to recommend that the white congregations in the Diocese should voluntarily, if they see fit, contribute specially for the work of the colored people.

We note with pleasure the increase of the Bishop's salary that has been voted by the Convention.

We urge upon the congregations in the Diocese to observe that the assessments for the support of the Episcopate and for the Convention ex-

penses of the Diocese are due in quarterly installments, on or before the first days of July, October, January and April (Chapter I, Canon XIII).

Quarterly payments can not be made by the Treasurer unless the assessments are remitted to him each quarter. We therefore urge that all ministers in the Diocese be requested to see that these quarterly remittances are made promptly.

In making this report it is gratifying to note that it indicates marked progress in the work of the Church throughout the Diocese, and furnishes us with just grounds for gratitude to our Heavenly Father.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN LONDON,

Chairman.

The resolutions contained in the report affecting the canons and canonical offerings were, on motion, referred to the Committee on Canons, with instructions to report to the next Convention; but on motion of the Rev. Mr. Lay, the vote to refer was reconsidered and, unanimous consent for immediate action being given, it was

Resolved, That Chapter I, Canon XIV, section 1, be amended by the insertion, as line 11, of the words "General Clergy Relief: Annually."

On motion of the Rev. Henry T. Coker, the other three amendments offered by the Committee in this connection were referred to the Committee as before proposed.

On motion of the Rev. John London, the resolution offered by the Committee recommending that the congregations in the Convocations of Raleigh and Charlotte should make an annual offering for the benefit of the Convocation of the Colored People was adopted.

Mr. Wm. A. Smith offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Convention that the Clergy should call the special attention of their several charges to their duty to support the Theological Department of the University of the South.

The Rev. Walter J. Smith, from the Committee appointed at the last Convention to confer with representatives of the Diocese of East Carolina and the District of Asheville as to the advisability of establishing a Church paper in the State, reported that such a conference had been had, and that in the

interest of the common work it had been agreed to merge the separate Diocesan papers without waiting to report to the several Conventions; whereupon the Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley presented the following report of the Business Manager of *The Carolina Churchman*:

The Business Manager of *The Carolina Churchman* begs to report that the committees appointed severally by the Diocese of East Carolina, the Diocese of North Carolina, and the District of Asheville, with reference to a Church paper for the whole State, met in Charlotte on the 6th of August, 1909, for a conference on the question in hand. The Committee from the District of Asheville was not present in person, but we were assured of its interest in the matter and of its desire to cooperate with the other committees in any practical plan for a State paper.

The result of the conference was an unanimous decision to merge *The Mission Herald* and *The Messenger of Hope* into one paper, to be called *The Carolina Churchman*, and make that paper the official organ of the Episcopal Church in the State of North Carolina. In consideration of the fact that the joint committee having the matter under advisement was vested with authority to act, the plan for such a paper was outlined and its editors appointed, and arrangements were made to have the first issue appear October 1, 1909. The Business Manager of *The Mission Herald* was made Business Manager of *The Carolina Churchman*, and therefore submits his report for *The Mission Herald* from May 15, 1909, to October 1, 1909; and for *The Carolina Churchman* from October 1, 1909, to May 1, 1910.

There were four issues of *The Mission Herald* up to October 1st, three issues of 1,200 copies each and one issue of 2,500 copies, making a total of 6,100. From October 1st to May 1st, seven issues of *The Carolina Churchman* have been sent out, averaging 1,900 copies each, or a total of 13,400 copies. The number of pages have been increased from 16 to 20, to provide for the special departments for the Diocese of North Carolina, the District of Asheville, and the Thompson Orphanage.

The present circulation of *The Carolina Churchman* is 1,684. Of this number, 1,493 are paying subscribers, and 191 go to advertisers, exchanges, the clergy, and the editors. Of the paying subscribers, 1,170 are paid to date and 323 are in arrears. The Diocese of East Carolina has 460 paid and 152 in arrears; the Diocese of North Carolina has 417 paid and 114 in arrears; the District of Asheville has 145 paid and 33 in arrears; miscellaneous 148 paid and 24 in arrears.

For a clear understanding of these statistics it must be borne in mind that 288 of the subscribers marked "paid" came over from the subscription list of *The Messenger of Hope*. All of these were paid in advance to *The Messenger of Hope*, some as far as 1918, and most of them for

considerable time. No funds were turned over to *The Carolina Churchman* by *The Messenger of Hope* to carry these advance subscriptions, and only 20 of the subscribers themselves have made remittances to *The Carolina Churchman*. The available funds for the maintenance of the paper are, therefore, much less than these statistics would indicate; and the funds that accrue have to bear the abnormal strain of carrying the 268 unexpired subscriptions of *The Messenger of Hope*. This condition will right itself gradually as the subscriptions expire and are renewed; but for the present it is a handicap against which *The Carolina Churchman* has to work.

The cost of the paper has of necessity been above normal on account of extra expenses incident to the change from the former régime to the present one. But for the substantial support of Bishop Strange and Bishop Cheshire, it could not have been done without sending out a smaller and cheaper paper than we now have. To them, therefore, is due a large share of credit for the establishment of *The Carolina Churchman* in its present shape. The Church people throughout the State have received it cordially, and are supporting it loyally.

In the following financial statement I give but one account for the four months of *The Mission Herald* and the seven months of *The Carolina Churchman*. I can not well separate the two.

RECEIPTS, MAY 15, 1909, TO MAY 1, 1910.

Balance on hand May 15, 1909.....	\$33.88
From advertisements	120.65
From subscriptions	482.67
From donation by Bishop Strange.....	100.00
From donation by Bishop Cheshire	100.00
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Total receipts	\$837.20

DISBURSEMENTS, MAY 15, 1909, TO MAY 1, 1910.

Printing—11 issues—19,550 copies	\$568.52
Postage, express, and Wilmington delivery.....	48.55
Stationery, stamps, and post-card receipts.....	45.24
Incidentals	30.70
By error—one item charged twice.....	3.00
By balance, cash on hand.....	141.19
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Total disbursements	\$837.20

Last year I kept my books open till May 15th, to make them include the expense of the May issue and so report to the Council the actual cash balance at the time of the Council. This year I closed them May 1st, to conform to the fiscal year of the Diocese. While a balance

of \$141.19 is reported above on May 1st, the May issue has since been sent out and the actual balance to-day, May 10th, is \$83.54.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. E. COX,

Business Manager.

At the conclusion of the reading of the report, the Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley offered the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That *The Carolina Churchman* be adopted as the official organ of the Diocese of North Carolina, and that the appointment of Diocesan Editors and Business Managers rest with the Bishop.

The members of the Committee on Church Work at the University were, on motion, re-elected.

On motion of Mr. R. H. Battle, the Trusteeship of the Boys' School at Salisbury was abolished.

Rev. Edward L. Ogilby, Chairman of the Special Committee on the Report of the Trustees of the Diocese, presented the following report:

The Committee to whom was referred the Report of the Trustees to hold property for the Diocese, respectfully submit that they have considered the report of the Trustees and find that it needs no comment other than a hearty commendation of the faithful and earnest work performed in the efficient care of the funds and property of the Diocese, for which the thanks of the Convention are due.

EDWARD L. OGILBY,

W. A. SMITH,

WM. F. RICE.

Committee.

The Rev. Thos. G. Faulkner, Chairman of the Committee on Unfinished Business, reported that there was nothing in the way of unfinished business requiring the attention of the Convention.

On motion of the Rev. Geo. W. Lay, it was

Resolved, That whereas, the necessity of publicity and intelligent knowledge has been emphasized at our meeting as essential to our Diocesan work; therefore, this Convention urges upon the Clergy and laity, as a simple and practical way of helping our mission work, that they use all possible means to secure subscriptions to *The Carolina Churchman*, and to bring it about that every one of our people read this paper.

The hour of noon having arrived, the Bishop said the Litany.

The Rev. Edwin A. Osborne then presented the following memorial of the late Rev. Francis J. Murdoch, D.D.:

The Committee appointed to prepare a minute in regard to the death of the Rev. Francis Johnstone Murdoch, D.D., respectfully submit the following report:

In the decease of our beloved brother, the Church laments the loss of one whose great ability, usefulness and Christian example will be most sadly missed in this Diocese, and in our section of the country.

His faithful and devoted piety and self-denying labors, regular attendance upon the meetings of the Convention and upon all meetings of the Church's appointment, his wise and judicious counsel and learned advice, were always freely given and of the greatest value and advantage to the Church. He was a firm and steadfast believer in the Holy Catholic Church, and his life was wholly consecrated to maintaining and imparting to others the doctrines and principles of the same. A man of remarkably strong mind, great practical sense and extensive influence, he devoted much of his time and means to building chapels and to the education and training of young men for the ministry and other useful callings; and the fruits of his labors and liberality have enriched the Church and the country. As a member of the General Convention he ably represented the Church in the Diocese for many years, where he commanded the respect and confidence of that august body. As a preacher his discourses were full of valuable, edifying and comforting instruction, and always displayed a deep knowledge and comprehension of spiritual truth, and a peculiar power of imparting it to others.

Though somewhat reserved in manner, his was a heart sanctified by Divine grace, most tender, and overflowing with love for his fellow-men and devoted loyalty to our Lord Jesus Christ and His Holy Church.

Therefore, be it

Resolved, That we shall ever honor and cherish the memory of our deceased brother; that a page of the Journal be set apart in order to express and commemorate these sentiments of the Church in this Diocese; and that a copy of this minute be sent to his family, with the assurance of our deep and heartfelt sympathy in their great sorrow.

E. A. OSBORNE.

T. A. CHEATHAM.

W. L. WALL,

A. H. GALLAWAY.

R. H. BATTLE.

Committee.

Pending the consideration of the memorial, the members of the Woman's Auxiliary to the Board of Missions entered the church and their Annual Report was read by the Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley, after which the discussion of the memorial was resumed and addresses were made by a number of members of the Convention, both white and colored.

The hour for recess having arrived, the Convention adjourned to meet at 3 o'clock.

FRIDAY, May 13, 1910. 3 P. M.

The Bishop took the chair and called the Convention to order.

The report of the Committee presenting the memorial of Dr. Murdoch was further discussed and then unanimously adopted by a rising vote of the Convention.

The Rev. Wm. H. Ball presented the following memorial of the late Rev. Frederick A. Fetter for the Committee appointed for that purpose:

The Rev. Frederick Augustus Fetter, who departed this life, in the Communion of the Catholic Church, January 18, 1910, aged 71 years, the beloved pastor of St. Paul's Church, Monroe, and St. Timothy's Mission, Olive Branch, N. C.

Seldom has any one endeared himself so much to a community in so short a time as did our beloved brother to the people in the above-named places.

To the members of his own communion he was a faithful and devoted pastor and spiritual father; ever diligent and unsparring of himself, and at the same time by his genial, warm-hearted and cordial manner, with them and others, he won the esteem and love of men in general. And his earnest, scriptural and impressive sermons attracted and edified many who were not usually attendants upon the services of the Church.

He was a man of strong faith, a devoted student of the Bible, an impressive preacher, and a loyal adherent of the Church. As a friend he was most cordial, affectionate and true. As a pastor and minister of the Gospel, he was faithful, diligent and self-denying. As a Christian, humble and consecrated, and as a father most tender and affectionate. Though tenderly devoted to the members of his own family, and they to him, and not dependent upon his ministerial labors for support, for

he often said "he had many homes," he preferred, in spite of his age and much suffering at times, to preach the Gospel and minister to God's people. Like his noble brother, to whom he was devotedly attached, and who fell on sleep a little more than a year before him, his desire was to *labor* until the call to rest should come. And so God called him, and we mourn his loss. May he rest in peace, and may light perpetual shine upon him.

The Committee appointed to prepare this memorial offer the following resolution:

Resolved. That a page of the Journal of the Convention be devoted to the memory of our brother, and that a copy of this memorial be sent to his family.

W. H. BALL,
W. J. SMITH,
WM. A. SMITH,
J. M. FAIRLEY,
JEROME C. HORNER,
Committee.

The memorial and appended resolution were considered at length and unanimously adopted by a rising vote.

On motion of the Rev. E. A. Osborne, the Convention granted the petition from the Parish at High Point, asking that its status be reduced to that of an Organized Mission in union with the Convention.

On motion of the Rev. A. B. Hunter, the Trustees of the Diocese were instructed to turn over to the Bishop for Clergy relief in the Diocese \$400 bequeathed by the late Judge Bynum for that purpose; and the Bishop was requested to appoint a Committee of three to consider and report to the next Convention upon the disposition to be made of a further bequest of \$2,000 by the same. The Bishop appointed as members of this Committee, the Rev. A. B. Hunter, the Rev. E. A. Osborne and Mr. John S. Myers.

The Secretary laid upon the table the following communication from the Diocesan Association of the Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society.

The Diocesan Association of the Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society is glad to report continued progress and prosperity in its work of providing an annuity for the Clergy of the Diocese—thanks to the gener-

osity of the Branches of the Woman's Auxiliary. The Fund, which has passed the \$300,000 mark, distributed last year among the Clergy of this Diocese more than \$1,100—the largest amount yet falling to our share of the benefits of the Fund, although by removals and deaths we have lost several of our annuitants.

JULIAN E. INGLE.

For the Executive Committee.

On motion of Mr. R. H. Battle it was

Resolved, That the thanks of the Convention are hereby tendered to the Rector and congregation of St. Paul's Church, the citizens of Winston-Salem, and the Young Men's Christian Association of that city, for their generous hospitality to the members of the Convention, to the Woman's Auxiliary, and to the visitors attending its sessions.

The Bishop announced the appointment of the Rev. Francis M. Osborne as Diocesan Editor of *The Carolina Churchman*, and the Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley as Diocesan Manager of the same.

On motion of the Secretary, he was authorized to print 1,000 copies of the Journal of the Convention.

There being no further business before the Convention, the Secretary read the minutes of the day's proceedings, and it was, on motion,

Resolved, That a recess be taken until 8 o'clock, when Divine Service shall be performed and, at its conclusion, the Convention shall stand adjourned.

At the hour named Evening Prayer was said, and an address was delivered by the Rev. L. B. Ridgley on the Mission Work of the Church in China: the Bishop offered prayer, pronounced the Benediction, and declared the Convention adjourned *sine die*.

JOS. BLOUNT CHESHIRE,
Bishop of North Carolina.

Attest:

JULIAN E. INGLE,
Secretary of the Convention.

APPENDIX A.

ADDRESS OF THE BISHOP.

Brethren of the Clergy and Laity:

This new and beautiful structure, in which we are assembled in the Ninety-fourth Annual Convention of the Diocese, is an indication of the new life and growth of this parish, and I trust, in the Diocese at large. The old St. Paul's has some very sacred memories for me. In it I was ordained to the Priesthood May 30, 1880; and in it sixteen years ago I first presided in this Diocesan Convention as your Bishop. I therefore fully understand the feelings which the older members of this congregation must experience in seeing the old building and site give place to the new. But it is the natural and necessary order; and it is the method and the means whereby God accomplishes His good purposes for us and for the world. And as these outer and lesser things change and pass away may we all too experience the inner change by which our immortal spirit is brought more and more into conformity with His divine nature and image!

And among the sad but blessed changes to which the Church of God is subjected, is the removal from this visible communion of those whom the Church esteems her most necessary and indispensable workers. Two of our brethren of the Clergy have been taken from us during the past year, both of whom stood in peculiarly close personal relations with me.

Of the Rev. Dr. Murdoch I do not know how to speak adequately; and however restrained I might be in my language concerning him, were I to say all I think, I should fear to be counted extravagant. He was a man of extraordinary intellectual force, and of rare discrimination of judgment and lucidity of thought. His capacious and vigorous mind seemed not to feel the burden or difficulty of the most intricate and stubborn problems; and his ability to set forth in clear exposition his own views was a constant surprise even to those who knew him best. This clearness of view and precision of statement made him a wonderfully attractive

and successful teacher, as many of our brethren of the Clergy can testify. And yet all which has been said does not touch the best and the greatest of that which he was. He was a little child in humility and reverence and submission to the teaching and to the discipline of his Heavenly Father and to his Saviour and Lord. It was a privilege to sit and learn of him in his public preaching and exhortation; it was a greater privilege now and again in the revelations of personal intercourse and of private discourse to catch brief glimpses of the gentle and trustful soul, and of the tender and loving heart, which too often was unsuspected by those who came in contact only with his masterful will and intellect in the routine of daily conventional and practical life. His heart was fixed on God, and the Church of God commanded the full loyalty of his life service. Many of us feel that we shall never find another who can supply his place to us.

The Rev. Frederick A. Fetter was the first person whom it was my privilege to ordain to the Holy Ministry, and, though ten or twelve years my senior loved to call himself my eldest son. He was a man full of love and goodness, of childlike faith and piety, with a heart responsive to the demand of every kindly relationship of domestic and social life. He was an excellent classical scholar, better than was commonly understood, for he had no desire or ambition in preaching except to set forth the simple story of God's love, and to exhort all men to love one another, and to adorn the doctrine of God our Saviour by holy and unselfish lives. He loved his people and was beloved by them. He did not long delay in following the younger brother of his love.

I can not refrain from saying a word, however brief and inadequate, in regard to the Rev. Francis W. Hilliard, who has been transferred to the Diocese of Tennessee. Mr. Hilliard, though for many years absent from the Diocese, was one of our oldest Clergy in point of early association and service. He was always most faithful, earnest and self-sacrificing in his works, and devoted to the Diocese and to its people. It is with very great regret that I miss his face from this our annual meeting. Domestic circumstances made it more to his comfort to remove to a distant Diocese. We follow him with our prayers and with our affectionate regrets.

My first services since those covered by my last address were in connection with the Ninety-third Annual Convention

of the Diocese which met in Christ Church, Raleigh, Wednesday, May 12th.

At this opening service I administered the Holy Communion; in the afternoon presided in the business meeting of the Convention, and conducted the evening service in the same church, assisted by a number of the clergy.

May 13. In the same church officiated at the morning and evening services, and presided during the business sessions.

14. 7.30 a. m. Administered the Holy Communion, officiated at the morning and evening services, and presided in the business sessions.

16. *The Fifth Sunday after Easter*: Consecrated St. Gabriel's Church, Selma; administered the Holy Communion. This Church was built largely through the offerings of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese at its Silver Jubilee, held in Tarboro, May 1907.

20. Raleigh, Christ Church. Officiated at a funeral.

23. *The Sunday after Ascension Day*, Raleigh. St. Mary's Chapel: Officiated at the "Commencement Sunday" service at 11 a. m.

4 p. m. Officiated at the "Commencement Sunday" service of St. Augustin's School in the Chapel.

8 p. m. In the Church of the Good Shepherd: Officiated with the rector; and after the service held a Conference of the Clergy and Laity on lay work.

25. 10 a. m. Assisted by the Rev. A. B. Hunter and others of the Clergy and Laity formally opened the new "St. Agnes Hospital" Building at St. Augustin's School, and made an address.

12 m. Presided at the annual meeting of the Trustees of St. Augustin's School.

26. 10 a. m. Presided at the annual Commencement of St. Augustin's School.

3 p. m. Presided at the annual meeting of the Trustees of St. Mary's School.

27. 10.30 a. m. At the annual Commencement of St. Mary's School presided at the exercises in the Auditorium, and conducted the closing service in the Chapel, and made an address.

30. *Whitsunday, Special visitations*. 11 a. m., Kittrell: St. James's Church; confirmed four persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

8 p. m., Littleton: Preached, confirmed three persons.

- June 6. *Trinity Sunday*, Henderson: Church of the Holy Innocents; the parish being without a rector, I conducted the Church services morning and evening, administered the Holy Communion, preached twice, and had a conference with the Vestry.
9. Sanford, St. Thomas' Church, made *special visitation*: preached, and confirmed one person.
10. Gulf, St. Mark's Church, *visitation*: preached, and confirmed eight persons.
12. In Salisbury, examined two candidates for Priest's Orders.
13. *The First Sunday after Trinity*, Salisbury, St. Luke's Church.
9.30. After Morning Prayer, confirmed one person.
10.30 a. m. Made an address to the Men's Bible Class.
11 a. m. Ordained two Deacons to the Priesthood; administered the Holy Communion.
16. Henderson. In the Church of the Holy Innocents, I married a couple.
17. Raleigh. Examined two colored candidates for Deacon's Orders.
20. *The Second Sunday after Trinity*, Raleigh, St. Augustin's Chapel: Ordained two young colored men to the Diaconate, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
23. St. Luke's Church, Salisbury: Assisted by a number of the clergy I officiated at the funeral of the late Dr. Francis J. Murdoch.
26. Examined a candidate for Deacon's Orders.
27. *The Third Sunday after Trinity*, Scotland Neck, Trinity Church: Acting for, and at the request of the Rt. Rev. Dr. Funsten, Bishop of Idaho, I ordained a young man, whose family formerly belonged to this parish, a Deacon. I preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
30. Raleigh, St. Ambrose Church: Officiated and made an address at the service celebrating the fourteenth anniversary of the rector of the parish.
- July 15. Orange County, St. Mary's Church, *visitation*: Confirmed one person, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
17. Had conference with the vestry of St. Luke's Church, Salisbury.
18. *The Sixth Sunday after Trinity*, Salisbury, St. Luke's Church:
10.30 a. m., made an address to the Men's Bible Class.
11 a. m., conducted the services for the day, preached, and administered the Holy Communion. 8.15 p. m., said Evening Prayer, preached, and confirmed two persons.
19. Reidsville, St. Thomas's Church, *visitation*: Had conference with vestry, preached.
20. Leaksville, Church of the Epiphany, *visitation*: Preached.

- July 21. Spray. Visited St. Luke's Mission Chapel; preached.
22. I officiated at the funeral of the late Col. John M. Galloway, of Madison, at the family graveyard in Rockingham County.
25. *The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity, St. James's Day.*
 11 a. m. Cleveland, Christ Church, *visitation*: Preached, confirmed two persons, administered the Holy Communion.
 4 p. m. Woodleaf, St. George's Church, *visitation*: Preached, confirmed three persons.
 8 p. m. Cooleemee, Church of the Good Shepherd, *visitation*: Preached, confirmed eight persons, one being a sick person, confirmed in private.
27. Iredell County, St. James's Church, *visitation*: Confirmed six persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
28. Rowan County, St. Jude's Chapel, *visitation*: Baptized two infants, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
 8 p. m. Salisbury, Chestnut Hill, St. Paul's Church, *visitation*: Preached.
29. In Burlington, the Rector being absent, I baptized an infant in private, the circumstances seeming to justify it.
- Aug. 1. *The Eighth Sunday after Trinity*, Raleigh, Church of the Good Shepherd, the Rector being absent, I officiated morning and evening, at the former service preaching and administering the Holy Communion.
6. *Feast of the Transfiguration*, Charlotte, Church of the Holy Comforter: Attended the meeting of the Mecklenburg District of the Convocation of Charlotte; at the opening service confirmed four persons, and administered the Holy Communion.
 6 p. m. Assisted by a number of Clergy of East Carolina and of North Carolina, and by the Bishop of East Carolina, I laid the corner stone of the "Bishop Atkinson Memorial" Church of the Holy Comforter, in Dilworth, a suburb of Charlotte, and made an address.
8. Raleigh, Christ Church: Officiated at a funeral.
10. Raleigh, attended a meeting of the Trustees of St. Mary's School.
13. Raleigh, Church of the Good Shepherd: Farewell service for two missionaries from this parish sent out by the Board of Missions to China. I was assisted in the service by the Rector: the sermon was preached by the Bishop Coadjutor of Southern Virginia.
15. *The Tenth Sunday after Trinity*, 8 a. m., Raleigh, Church of the Good Shepherd: Administered the Holy Communion.
 6.15 p. m. Hillsboro, St. Matthew's Church: The Rector being absent, I said Evening Prayer, and baptized an infant.

- Aug. 19. Charlotte, 10 a. m.: Confirmed a sick woman in private.
8.30 p. m. Bristow, St. Mark's Church, *visitation*: Preached.
20. In same church: Preached morning and evening.
22. *The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity*, 11 a. m. In the same church: Confirmed four persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
8.30 p. m. Charlotte, Chapel of Hope, *visitation*: Preached and confirmed ten persons, one being a sick woman, in private, after the service.
25. Wilson, St. Timothy's Church, vacant: Said Evening Prayer, and preached; had conference with vestry.
26. *Annual Meeting of Colored Convocation*, in St. Mark's Church, Wilson.
10.30 a. m. Opening service: Administered the Holy Communion; presided in the business meetings through the day, and officiated at Evening Prayer.
27. Officiated at Morning Prayer, presided in the business meetings, and made an address to the Woman's Auxiliary.
29. *The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity*, Olive Branch, St. Timothy's Church, *visitation*: Preached and administered the Holy Communion.
8 p. m. Ansonville, All Soul's Church, *visitation*: Said Evening Prayer, and preached.
- Sept. 5. *The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity*, Louisburg, St. Paul's Church, *visitation*: 11 a. m. Confirmed four persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
6 p. m. Confirmed in private a sick man and his wife.
8 p. m. preached.
4 p. m. St. Matthias' Church, for Negroes, *visitation*: Preached, and confirmed two persons.
26. *The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity*, Raleigh, Church of the Good Shepherd: Preached.
27. Officiated at a funeral at Goshen, Granville County.
- Oct. 3. *The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity*, Cuninghams Chapel, Person County, *visitation*: Preached.
8 p. m. Milton, Christ Church, *visitation*: Preached.
5. Mount Airy, Trinity Church, *visitation*: Said Evening Prayer and preached.
6. Germanton, St. Philip's Church, *visitation*: Said Evening Prayer, and preached.
7. Winston, St. Paul's Church, *visitation*: Preached, confirmed, and addressed twelve persons.
8. Greensboro: *Visitation* of Colored Mission in a public hall, preached, and confirmed and addressed six persons.
9. Greensboro, St. Mary's Chapel, *visitation*: Confirmed one person, and made an address.

- Oct. 10. *The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity*, Greensboro, St. Barnabas's Church, *visitation*: Confirmed six persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
 4 p. m. St. Cuthbert's Chapel, *visitation*: Preached.
 7.30 p. m. High Point, St. Mary's Church, *visitation*: Preached and confirmed one person.
12. Trinity, Randolph County: Had opening service at the High School, and made an address.
 7.30 p. m. Lexington, Grace Church, *visitation*: Preached.
15. The Sixteenth Anniversary of my Consecration: I consecrated Ascension Chapel, Davie County; administered the Holy Communion.
16. Madison, St. John's Church, *visitation*: Confirmed one person; examined a candidate for Deacon's Orders.
17. *The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity*. 11 a. m. Mayodan, Church of the Messiah: Ordained a Deacon, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
 3.30 p. m. Knowllhurst Chapel, Stokes County, *visitation*: Confirmed three persons; preached.
 7.30 p. m. Walnut Cove, Christ Church, *visitation*: Preached, confirmed four persons.
18. *St. Luke's Day*, Stoneville, Emmanuel Church, *visitation*: Preached.
19. Mayodan, Church of the Messiah: Meeting of the Convocation of Charlotte; confirmed and addressed four persons.
20. In same church: Confirmed three persons; after service confirmed a sick person in private.
21. Salisbury, St. Luke's Church: Baptized an infant. In the same church, in the evening, I married a couple.
24. *The Twentieth Sunday after Trinity*. 11 a. m., Ridgeway, Church of the Good Shepherd, *visitation*: Confirmed two persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
 8 p. m., Middleburg, Church of the Heavenly Rest, *visitation*: Preached.
26. 7.30 p. m., Oxford, St. Cyprian's Chapel for colored people, *visitation*: Confirmed two persons and made an address.
27. Oxford, St. Stephen's Church: Meeting of the Convocation of Raleigh.
 7.30 a. m. Administered the Holy Communion; presided at the business meetings during the day, and conducted the public service in the evening; made an address.
28. 7.30 a. m. In the same church: Administered the Holy Communion and officiated at the closing service of the Convocation.
 8 p. m. In the same church, *visitation*: Confirmed and addressed fourteen persons.

- Oct. 29. Stovall, St. Peter's Church, *visitation*: Preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
31. *The Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity*, 11 a. m. Goshen, St. Paul's Church, *visitation*: Officiated at the service and preached.
3.30 p. m. Satterwhite, St. Simeon's Chapel, for colored people, *visitation*: Preached and confirmed one person.
- Nov. 4. Raleigh: In the Chapel of the State Agricultural and Mechanical College, I said a prayer at the opening session, and gave the blessing at the close of the National Farmers' Congress.
7. *The Twenty-second Sunday after Trinity*, Wadesboro, Calvary Church, *visitation*: Officiated morning and evening; administered the Holy Communion in the morning and preached at both services; confirmed a sick person in private.
- 9, 10 and 11. Attended the Missionary Council of the Fourth (Sewanee) Department, in St. John's Church, Montgomery, Alabama, and took part in its several services and conferences.
14. *The Twenty-third Sunday after Trinity*. 11 a. m. Concord, All Saints' Church, *visitation*: Confirmed two persons, preached and administered the Holy Communion.
7.30 p. m. Charlotte, St. Martin's Chapel, *visitation*: Preached.
15. Charlotte, St. Peter's Church: Confirmed three persons.
20. Williamsboro, St. John's Church, *visitation*: Preached and administered the Holy Communion.
21. *The Sunday Next Before Advent*. Warrenton, *visitation*: 11 a. m. Emmanuel Church. Confirmed three persons, made an address, preached, administered the Holy Communion.
7:30 p. m. All Saints' Chapel for colored people: Preached, and confirmed two persons.
23. Gaston, St. Luke's Church, *visitation*: The Priest in charge being unable to be present, I baptized and confirmed an adult, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
7:30 p. m. Roanoke Rapids, All Saints' Chapel, *visitation*: Preached, and confirmed two persons.
26. Weldon, Grace Church, *visitation*: Preached, confirmed one person.
28. *The First Sunday in Advent*. Scotland Neck, Trinity Church.
11 a. m. I instituted the rector of the parish.
7:30 p. m. In the same church officiated at Evening Prayer.
30. Tarboro, Calvary Church, *special visitation*: Confirmed fifteen persons, and made an address.
- Dec. 1. In the same church officiated at a marriage.
7. Hamlet: In the Presbyterian Church preached, and confirmed two persons.

- Dec. 8. Rockingham, Church of the Messiah, *visitation*: Preached.
12. *The Third Sunday in Advent, visitation*: 11 a. m. In the Factory chapel at Laurel Hill factory, I said Morning Prayer, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
- 3:30 p. m. Laurinburg, St. David's Church, *visitation*: Said Evening Prayer, and preached.
13. Gulf, St. Mark's Church, *visitation*: Said Evening Prayer; afterwards confirmed in private two persons who had been prevented by a violent storm from reaching the church in time for the service.
17. Raleigh, Christ Church: Officiated at a funeral.
19. *The Fourth Sunday in Advent, visitations*: 11 a. m. Chapel Hill, Chapel of the Cross: Preached, confirmed and addressed five persons, and administered the Holy Communion.
- 8 p. m. Greensboro, St. Barnabas's Church: Preached, and confirmed ten persons.

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- Jan. 1. Charlotte, St. Peter's Church: Officiated at the funeral of the late Judge Wm. P. Bynum, Sr.
2. *The Second Sunday after Christmas*. In the same church: Preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
6. *The Epiphany*. Raleigh, Christ Church: Made an address, and administered the Holy Communion.
- 12, 13 and 14. Attended the Convention of the "Layman's Missionary Movement" in Greensboro, and gave the blessing at the close of its most interesting and helpful labors.
16. *The Second Sunday after the Epiphany*, Greensboro, St. Andrew's Church, *visitation*: Confirmed six persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
- 3:30 p. m. In St. Cuthbert's Chapel, Proximity, *visitation*: Preached, confirmed and addressed eight persons.
- 8 p. m. In the Chapel of the State Normal College, I preached.
19. Reidsville, St. Thomas's Church: I officiated at the funeral of the late Rev. Frederick A. Fetter.
24. Raleigh, Church of the Good Shepherd: I officiated at the opening service of the Diocesan Layman's Conference.
25. *The Conversion of St. Paul*. 10 a. m. In the same church: Administered the Holy Communion at the beginning of the day's session of the Conference.
- 8 p. m. In Christ Church: Conducted the service at the closing of the Conference.
26. Hillsboro, St. Matthew's Church: Officiated at a marriage.
27. Scotland Neck, Trinity Church: Officiated at the funeral of the late Richard H. Smith, Senior Warden of the parish.

- Feb. 6. *Quinquagesima Sunday*, Durham, *visitations*: 11 a. m. St. Philip's Church: Confirmed sixteen persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
- Feb. 6. 4 p. m. St. Titus' Mission, for Colored people: In a public hall, preached, confirmed and addressed two persons.
7:30 p. m. St. Joseph's Church: Preached, confirmed and addressed four persons.
7. Hillsboro, St. Matthew's Church: Officiated at a funeral.
8. Raleigh, Church of the Good Shepherd: Officiated at the funeral of the late Judge James E. Shepherd.
12. Duke, St. Stephen's Church, *visitation*: Preached.
13. *The First Sunday in Lent*, in the same church: Officiated morning and night, preached twice, administered the Holy Communion, confirmed seven persons, and made an address; also visited and made addresses in the Sunday School.
20. *The Second Sunday in Lent*, *visitations*: 10:30 a. m. Southern Pines, Emmanuel Church: Preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
3:30 p. m. Pinehurst Chapel: Preached, and confirmed one person.
22. Charlotte: Attended special meeting of the Board of Managers of the Thompson Orphanage and Industrial Institution.
24. *St. Matthew's Day*, Raleigh, Church of the Good Shepherd: Administered the Holy Communion.
27. *The Third Sunday in Lent*, Pittsboro, *visitation*: St. Bartholomew's Church: Service morning and afternoon; preached, administered the Holy Communion, confirmed six persons.
7:30 p. m. St. James's Chapel for Colored people: Preached, confirmed four persons.
28. Burlington, St. Athanasius' Church, *visitation*: Preached.
- Mar. 1. In the same church: Confirmed five persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
6. *The Fourth Sunday in Lent*, *visitations*: 11 a. m. Halifax, St. Mark's Church: Confirmed one person, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
8 p. m. Scotland Neck, Trinity Church: Preached, confirmed and addressed four persons.
8. Lawrence, Grace Memorial Chapel, *visitation*: Said Evening Prayer, and preached.
9. Tarboro, St. Luke's Church for Colored people, *visitation*:
7:45 p. m. Preached, and confirmed six persons.
4:30 p. m. Calvary Chapel: Preached.
10. 9 a. m. Visited St. Luke's Parish School for Colored children, and made an address.
4:30 p. m. Calvary Chapel: Preached.

- Mar. 11. 7:30 p. m. In the same chapel: Preached.
12. Confirmed two sick men in private.
4:30 p. m. In the same chapel: Preached.
13. *The Fifth Sunday in Lent. visitations:* Tarboro, Calvary Church: Officiated and preached morning and evening; administered the Holy Communion, and confirmed thirty persons.
4 p. m. Speed, St. Mary's Church: Preached, and confirmed three persons.
14. Littleton, St. Alban's Church, *visitation:* Preached.
15. In the same church, 7:30 p. m.: Preached, and confirmed two persons.
3:30 p. m. Littleton, St. Anna's Church, for Colored people, *visitation:* Preached, and confirmed three persons.
20. *Palm Sunday. visitations:* 11 a. m. Henderson, Church of the Holy Innocents: Confirmed twenty-one persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
8 p. m. Raleigh, Church of the Good Shepherd: I confirmed and addressed twenty-eight persons.
23. Raleigh, St. Ambrose' Church, for Colored people, *visitation:* Preached, and confirmed and addressed eleven persons.
27. EASTER DAY. Raleigh, *visitations:* St. Mary's Chapel: 7:50 a. m. Administered the Holy Communion. 11 a. m. Confirmed four pupils of the School, and preached.
7:30 p. m. St. Augustin's Chapel: Preached, and confirmed eleven pupils of the School.
31. Wilson, St. Timothy's Church, *visitation:* Preached, and confirmed nine persons.
- April 1. Wilson, St. Mark's Church, for Colored people, *visitation:* Confirmed four persons, and made an address.
3. *The First Sunday after Easter. visitation:* 11 a. m. Rocky Mount, Church of the Good Shepherd: Confirmed and addressed sixteen persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
4:30 p. m. In a public hall preached to a Colored congregation, and confirmed six persons.
8 p. m. Battleboro, St. John's Church: Preached, and confirmed one person.
4. Enfield, Church of the Advent, *visitation:* Preached, and confirmed two persons.
5. Ringwood, St. Clement's Church, *visitation:* Preached.
6. Wilson, St. Timothy's Church: Officiated at a marriage.
10. *The Second Sunday after Easter*, Raleigh, 11 a. m., Christ Church, *visitation:* Confirmed and addressed twenty-two persons, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
4 p. m. St. Augustin's Chapel: Made an address.

- Apr. 11. Jackson, Church of the Saviour, *visitation*: Preached.
17. *The Third Sunday after Easter*, Charlotte, *visitations*: 11 a. m. St. Peter's Church: Confirmed thirty persons, addressed them, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.
4 p. m. Church of St. Michael and All Angels: Confirmed eight persons, and preached.
8 p. m. Church of the Holy Comforter (Dilworth): Preached, and confirmed three persons.
18. Mayodan, Church of the Messiah, *special visitation*: Preached, and confirmed twenty-nine persons.
20. Statesville, Trinity Church, *visitation*: Officiated morning and evening, preached, and confirmed two persons.
21. Charlotte, Chapel of Hope, *special visitation*: Confirmed twelve persons, and preached.
22. Charlotte, St. Peter's Church: Confirmed one person.
26. Attended the annual meeting of the Board of Managers of the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution. In the Chapel of St. Mary the Virgin, confirmed eleven pupils of the Institution, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

During the year I have officiated upon several occasions outside the Diocese.

July 4th, upon the invitation of the Rhode Island Society of the Cincinnati, I preached a sermon before the Society at its annual meeting in Trinity Church, Newport. That day being the *Fourth Sunday after Trinity*, I also assisted the rector in his service, preached, and administered the Holy Communion.

July 11th, the *Fifth Sunday after Trinity*. I preached in All Faith Church, St. Mary's County, Maryland, Diocese of Washington.

September 12th, the *Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity*, in the Chapel of Rest, Caldwell County, in the District of Asheville, I preached; and on the Sunday following, being in the town of Lenoir, in the same county, and finding the parish vacant, I said the service and preached in St. James's Church.

April 27th, I preached in St. Paul's Church, Edenton.

The total of services for the year is as follows: Services, 202; sermons, 121; addresses, 29; Holy Communion, 52; confirmations, 517; baptisms, 6; marriages, 5; funerals, 11. I have consecrated two churches, and ordained two Priests and four Deacons.

May 16, 1909, being the *Fifth Sunday after Easter*, I consecrated "St. Gabriel's Church, Selma": the erection of which was made possible by the gift of over one thousand dollars from the Diocesan Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, being the Thank Offering collected by the good women of the Auxiliary at the "Silver Jubilee" of our Diocesan Branch, held in Calvary Church, Tarboro, May 17, 1907. The Petition for Con-

secration was read by the Rev. Samuel M. Hanff, the faithful Priest in charge of the Missions, by whose untiring and zealous labors the work of the mission is carried on; the Sentence of Consecration was read by Archdeacon Hughes, and the sermon was preached by the Rev. Dr. Pittenger, who was instrumental in arousing the first interest of the people in this community in the services of our branch of the Church.

October 15, 1909, being the sixteenth anniversary of my Consecration, I had the pleasure of consecrating the Chapel of the Ascension, near Fork Church village, Davie County, built by the faithful labors of the Misses Hairston of that county. The Petition for Consecration was read by the Rev. Thomas L. Trott, Priest in charge, and the Sentence of Consecration by Archdeacon Osborne. The sermon was preached by the Rev. Henry Teller Cocke. The Rev. Simeon J. M. Brown also assisted in the service.

June 13, 1909, being the *First Sunday after Trinity*, in St. Luke's Church, Salisbury, I ordained to the Priesthood, Locke Winfield Blackwelder and Francis Wellington Ross Arthurs, Deacons, the candidates being presented by the Rev. Francis J. Murdoch, D.D., and the sermon being preached by the Rev. Robert Bruce Owens. The Rev. Walter J. Smith and the two Presbyters above named united with me in the Imposition of Hands.

June 20, 1909, being the *Second Sunday after Trinity*, in the Chapel of St. Augustin's School, Raleigh, I ordained to the Diaconate two young colored men, graduates of St. Augustin's School, and of the Bishop Payne Divinity School, Petersburg—James King Satterwhite and Robert Josiah Johnson. The candidates were presented by Archdeacon Delaney, and the sermon was preached by me.

June 27, 1909, being the *Third Sunday after Trinity*, in Trinity Church, Scotland Neck, acting for the Bishop of Idaho, and upon his written request and authorization, I ordained as Deacon, Zachary Taylor Vincent. The candidate was presented by Archdeacon Hughes, and I preached the sermon. The Rev. Geo. W. Lay also assisted in the service.

October 17th, being the *Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity*, in the Church of the Messiah, Mayodan, I ordained to the Diaconate, Cyprian Porter Willecox. The candidate was presented by the Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley, and I preached the sermon. Archdeacon Osborne and the Rev. Walter J. Smith also assisted in the services.

We have had added to our Clergy list during the year, by letters dimissory from other Dioceses six; by ordination three, as follows:

Rev. William H. Ball, Priest, from Oklahoma, May 21, 1909.

Rev. Clement Grenelle Bradley, Priest, from Western Michigan, August 3, 1909.

Rev. Isaac Wayne Hughes, Priest, from East Carolina, October 1, 1909.

Rev. Samuel Chalmers Thompson, Priest, from Albany, November 1, 1909.

Rev. George Meredith Tolson, Priest, from Virginia, November 1, 1909.

Rev. Evan Alexander Edwards, Priest, from Maryland, December 11, 1909.

Rev. James King Satterwhite, Deacon, ordained June 20, 1909.

Rev. Robert Josiah Johnson, Deacon, ordained June 20, 1909.

Rev. Cyprian Porter Willecox, Deacon, ordained October 17, 1909.

We have lost by death and by transfer to other Dioceses the following:

Rev. Francis Johnstone Murdoch, D.D., died June 21, 1909.

Rev. Frederick Augustus Fetter, died January 18, 1910.

Rev. Francis W. Hilliard, transferred to Tennessee, July 1, 1909.

Rev. Locke W. Blackwelder, transferred to Florida, August 2, 1909.

Rev. Francis W. R. Arthurs, transferred to New York, September 20, 1909.

Rev. Winborn L. Mellichampe, transferred to Georgia, November 24, 1909.

Rev. John H. Crosby, transferred to East Carolina, February 1, 1910.

Rev. Homer L. Hoover, transferred to Nebraska, February 4, 1910.

Rev. Sanders R. Guignard, transferred to South Carolina, March 1, 1910.

Rev. Samuel C. Thompson, transferred to Southern Florida, April 28, 1910.

We have therefore suffered a loss of one in the total number of our Clergy, having now one Bishop, forty-eight Priests, and eight Deacons, a total of fifty-seven. The candidates for Holy Orders are, George C. Pollard and Arthur Myron Cochran; the postulants are, Foster N. Cox, Henry A. Willey, Walter L. Loftin, Lewis N. Taylor, Israel Harding Hughes, and Wm. Hoke Ramsaur.

The following changes have occurred in the fields of labor of the Clergy since the date of my last address.

The Rev. Thaddeus A. Cheatham has resigned the parish of St. Timothy's Church, Wilson, and last November became Rector of St. Luke's Church, Salisbury, made vacant by the lamented death of the Rev. Dr. Murdoch.

The Rev. Evan A. Edwards, received from the Diocese of Maryland, succeeds Mr. Cheatham in St. Timothy's Church, Wilson.

The Rev. Thos. L. Trott, upon the urgent desire of Archdeacon Hughes, and with the approval of the Bishop, has

taken charge of St. Peter's Church, Stovall, vacant by the removal of the Rev. Mr. Hilliard, and has given up the churches at Milton and Cumingham.

St. Paul's, Goshen, which had also been served by the Rev. Mr. Hilliard, has been assigned to the charge of the Rev. Fred. H. T. Horsfield.

The Rev. Geo. M. Tolson, received from Virginia, has taken charge of the church at Leaksville and at Spray, left vacant by the removal of the Rev. Mr. Hoover.

The Rev. Wm. H. Ball has continued in charge of the churches at Wadesboro and Ansonville.

The Rev. Clement G. Bradley has become Rector of Trinity Church, Scotland Neck, having charge also of St. Mark's, Halifax.

The Rev. Hardy H. Phelps, returning to his former Diocese, is officiating in Grace Church, Weldon, and the Church of the Advent, Enfield, having charge also of Ringwood and Roanoke Rapids—but has not been transferred to me by the Bishop of West Virginia.

The Rev. Isaac W. Hughes, received from East Carolina, is most acceptably filling the vacancy caused by the resignation of the former beloved Rector of the Church of the Holy Innocents, Henderson.

The Rev. Saml. C. Thompson, received from Albany, ministered for some months in Southern Pines and also at Laurinburg, but has taken letters dimissory to Southern Florida.

The Rev. Cyprian P. Willcox, since his ordination, has been continuing with the Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley in the important field where he had, for some years prior to his ordination, been rendering most valuable assistance.

The Rev. James K. Satterwhite I put in charge of our colored Mission in Winston, and he has also begun a most promising work among the colored people of Greensboro.

The Rev. Robt. J. Johnson is doing good work in our colored Mission at Durham, and hopes to establish also a mission among the colored people of Henderson.

The Rev. R. Percy Eubanks has resigned St. Mark's, Mecklenburg County, and other work in the Convocation of Charlotte, and has become assistant in the parish of Christ Church, Raleigh, having special charge of St. Saviour's Chapel and other important mission work.

The Rev. Winborn L. Mellichampe, though transferred to the Diocese of Georgia, has not yet removed his family from this Diocese, and with my consent, continues his monthly service at Pittsboro; and gives also occasional services at Elkin and at Germanton.

The important work left vacant at St. Andrew's, Greensboro, by the removal of the Rev. Mr. Guignard; the missions in Salisbury and in Rowan County, formerly cared for by the Rev. Mr. Blackwelder, under the direction of Dr. Murdoch; and the work of the Rev. Fred. A. Fetter at Monroe and in Union County; still remain uncared for. I have found it impossible so far to make any arrangement to supply adequate service in these and in some other parts of the Diocese. On the whole, however, our parishes and missions are well supplied, and the Clergy are doing faithful and effective work.

I have received a communication from the executors of the late Hon. Wm. P. Bynum, Sr., informing me that their testator had left to the Diocese of North Carolina the sum of four hundred dollars for disabled and needy Clergymen of the Diocese, and two thousand dollars to be used in the missionary work of the Diocese, "including the visitation of county homes and jails." These legacies will be paid over in the due course of the settlement of the estate, and I respectfully suggest that the convention should advise the Trustees of the Diocese as to the distribution and application of the funds when received.

DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

The proper work of the church is its missionary work, the extension of the Kingdom of God among men. The reports of our Clergy and of our several missionary organizations are before the Convention, and will afford some information as to what is being done in and by this Diocese. That which comes first into view, as lying nearest to us, is the work of our own parishes and missions. You are to remember, however, that this year our parochial reports cover only eleven months—from April 30, 1909, to March 31, 1910. This may cause some apparent falling off in results as compared with former years—I do not know that it will, but this possibility must be borne in mind, and its explanation. As a matter of fact the work of the Diocese was never more

vigorous, effective and hopeful than at this time. The number confirmed is considerable larger than I have ever reported before, and very greatly above the average. Our number of Clergymen remains about the same, but there is a very distinct increase in the average activity and efficiency of the Clergy; and I can not be mistaken in thinking that there is a gradual but very distinct advance in the general efficiency of the lay sympathy and cooperation which the Clergy receive in their work. Our Diocesan missionary work is carried on under the immediate direction of our three Convocations: The Convocation of Raleigh, the Convocation of Charlotte, and the Colored Convocation, with their Archdeacons. Reports from these three Archdeacons will this evening be laid before you. Within the last year or two there has been a distinct advance in the interest our laymen have taken in the work of these Convocations, and judged by the financial test of the funds raised in the Convocations, as compared with the funds formerly raised and disbursed under the direction of the old Executive Missionary Committee of the Convention, our present system has thoroughly justified itself.

Our stronger parishes lie naturally in our larger cities and towns. That which has especially characterized the development of this State during the quarter of a century last past, has been the wonderful growth of our towns by the gathering in of the poorer people of the country to work in the factories established in and near these cities and towns, and, in many cases, the building up of entirely new towns around large factories established in the country. Naturally, therefore, the most important work of the Church has come to be its efforts for the benefit of these new communities of working people. We have in the Diocese fourteen churches and chapels erected in these communities, and five of our best and ablest Clergymen give themselves specially to this work, besides what is done by the rectors of many of our parishes. In eight of these churches I have during the past year confirmed ninety-five persons—not much less than one-fifth of the whole number confirmed during the year, and ten of them reported last year over three hundred communicants. There is no field of work more fruitful, or more attractive to the man who loves to do good to his fellows, and to be a real help to men in their lives. Of all the

Clergy of this Diocese I specially love and honor those who so nobly and unselfishly give themselves to this work, refusing calls to parishes where they might greatly advance their personal advantages, and enjoy the comfort and ease which their harder and poorer fields can not afford them. And the same should be said of others of our younger Clergy. The young man of ability who foregoes personal interest in devotion to the work laid upon him, is not only accomplishing the good work he sees before him, but he is strengthening the hold of the Church of Christ upon the hearts and minds of men.

“THE MEN’S MISSIONARY MOVEMENT.”

The most striking feature in the religious history of the State of North Carolina during the past year has been the movement to enlist Christian men generally of all religious bodies in the evangelizing of the world. The most notable event in this connection was the wonderful meeting at Greensboro January 12-14. I shall not undertake to describe its proceedings. I am happy to know that many of you were there and saw and heard for yourselves. It was indeed a wonderful occasion, and illustrated and emphasized the blessed possibilities of the “Men’s Missionary Movement.” No body of Christians in this State was better represented than our own, whether on the platform or in the audience, in proportion to our numbers. I am fully persuaded that the Church in this Diocese has received much benefit from this movement already, and may receive much more. It is a distinct gain to have a common ground of sympathy and cooperation with other Christian people about us, such as the movement offers. Our missionary collections in some quarters have shown the effects of the interest aroused at Greensboro—I am afraid, however, that we are in danger of forgetting the good resolves we then made and registered. Let me remind those who were at the Greensboro meeting, and who in the sectional meeting in St. Barnabas’s Church Friday endeavored to voice the spirit of North Carolina Churchmen, that we then pledged our people, so far as we could do so, to double their offering to our Foreign Missionary work during this current year. I trust that no one who assented to that action at the time will suffer his own congregation to fail of redeeming this pledge—and in endeavoring to bring our whole Diocese up to that standard.

But the financial work of this movement is not its best possibility. Difficult and almost hopeless as the prospect for Christian unity at times seems to be, I am firmly persuaded that it is our duty to pray for it, and to work for it, *and to desire it*; and I believe that this movement will be instrumental in some degree towards effecting it in the end, that it is a step in the right direction. And I do not say this because it has brought us here in North Carolina to see men on one platform, who had not before been thus visibly at one. That kind of union has an element of menace to ultimate and real unity, by its seeming to be what it is not. What we saw at Greensboro in the work of that Convention was a distinct recognition of disunion—though it was a disunion which is beginning to feel dissatisfied with itself. Unity must be a growth, it must be the effect of a vital process in the whole body of Christian people. And perhaps our divisions, and our inherited and crystalized forms and habits of thought and feeling, disable us from seeing what are the essential principles and the practical methods by which Christians in the future shall grow into the oneness for which our common Lord prayed. But if all Christians in Christian lands can be aroused to a full sense of their duty to evangelize the world, and if we give our Foreign Missions the full measure of spiritual, moral and material support which they need for their work, then, in those new fields of endeavor and of achievement, the Christian forces at work for the conversion of the world shall draw together by the vital power of love, and by the guidance of the spirit of life shall discover for us the principles and the methods of unity. And in the meantime our common interest in the work of our missionaries shall insensibly draw us nearer together in love and sympathy, and prepare us to learn of them how we may really come together in one. And so, wisely and faithfully preserving our heritage of truth, we must be ready to cooperate in all earnest efforts to extend the power of the Gospel, knowing that in thus doing we are saving ourselves as well as those for whom we labor.

DIOCESAN LAYMEN'S CONFERENCE.

So many matters demand attention at this time that a very brief mention must suffice for the interesting and helpful meeting of our Laymen's Conference in Raleigh Jan-

uary 24th and 25th. It had no immediate relation to the preceding meeting in Greensboro, but was called in pursuance of a resolution of our last Diocesan Convention. The attendance was most gratifying, both in numbers and in character. Interesting addresses were made; and it was resolved to hold an adjourned meeting in connection with the "Conference" in St. Mary's School buildings June 20th to 25th. I trust that our Clergy and laity will appreciate the efforts thus made for the development and strengthening of the Church life of our Diocese, and that we may have a large attendance in response to the most hospitable invitation of the Rector and Trustees of St. Mary's School.

THE GENERAL CONVENTION OF 1910.

There are a number of proposed amendments to the Constitution of the General Convention submitted to us at this meeting that we may express our opinion upon them, should we desire to do so. There is the proposed "Preamble" to the Constitution, the amendment in regard to the office of Presiding Bishop, and the amendment allowing Suffragan Bishops. I do not think it necessary that I should enter upon any discussion of them. I will, however, say that the proposed "Preamble" does not seem to have grown in favor during the three years since 1907, and there are manifest inconveniences and dangers in introducing into our Constitution matters not really necessary in such a document. The proposed article concerning the office of Presiding Bishop does seem to me important, and even necessary, and proved to be so in our experience. I am also inclined to favor the amendment providing for Suffragan Bishops, though it is a question of much difficulty, where much may be said on both sides. In so vast a country as ours, of such extensive Dioceses, where such varieties of race and language are often found under one Bishop, it does seem that Suffragan Bishops might help to solve some of the practical difficulties of the work. I do not, however, believe that this amendment will specially affect the solution of the problems involved in our colored work in the South. The Bishops of the South do not desire Suffragan Bishops for the colored work, and the colored people do not desire them. For my own part I adhere to the opinion that if any change be made, the organization of our colored congregations into a missionary

THE BISHOP'S ACCOUNT.

DISBURSEMENTS.

Diocesan Missions, <i>White</i> —Rev. R. Percy Eubanks. . . .	\$25.00	
Rev. W. L. Mellichampe. . . .	50.00	
Rev. Alfred R. Berkeley. . . .	20.00	
Rev. Oliver J. Whildin	50.00	
		<hr/> \$145.00
<i>Colored</i> —Rev. Primus P. Alston. . . .	\$37.50	
Rev. James E. King	87.50	
Rev. Jas. K. Satterwhite. . . .	95.00	
Rev. Robt. J. Johnson.	95.00	
Colored Convocation	129.63	
Joel T. Fuller	25.00	
		<hr/> 469.63
Education Fund—Foster N. Cox.	\$50.00	
Henry C. Smith	85.00	
Walter L. Loflin	175.00	
Woman Missionary (A. W. C.)	30.00	
		<hr/> 340.00
“Carolina Churchman”		100.00
Diocesan expenses of Missionary Council.		15.00
Moving church at Walnut Cove		50.00
Towards Rev. Mr. Hogue’s expenses attending Chicago Mis- sionary Meeting		10.00
Printing and postage		14.62
Offering at Convention 1909, New York Bible, etc., Society. . . .		10.00
Discount on note		1.05
To redeem Mission property at Littleton.		509.15
Balance		144.16
		<hr/> \$1,808.61
Deficit May 1, 1909	\$358.50	
Balance above	144.16	
		<hr/> \$214.34
Deficit May 1, 1910	\$214.34	

APPENDIX B.

PAROCHIAL REPORTS FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1910.

Ansonville, All Souls' Church; the Rev. WM. H. BALL, Minister in Charge.

Families 7. Persons 29. Communicants: last reported 10; died 1; present number 12. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 14. Public services: Sundays 12; other days 1. Holy Communion 4.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church \$1,275; other church property \$400—total \$1,675. Salary pledged Minister \$138.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary, \$138. Current Expenses \$1.75. Sunday-school \$6.50—total \$146.25.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions \$20. Thompson Orphanage \$10—total \$30.00.

General: General Missions \$10. *Aggregate* \$186.25.

Battleboro, St. John's Church; the Rev. R. B. OWENS, Minister in Charge.

Families 15. Persons 55. Baptisms: infant 2. Communicants: last reported 33; died 1; removed 1; present number 31. Marriages 2. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 13. Public services: Sundays 15; other days 6. Holy Communion 5.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$118.55. Current Expenses \$5.60. Other Objects \$1.90—total \$126.05.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$15.90. Diocesan Missions \$13.80. Thompson Orphanage \$35.05. Other Objects \$13—total \$77.75.

General: General Missions \$25.25. Sewanee \$1.88. General Clergy Relief \$1.00—total \$28.13. *Aggregate* \$231.93.

Bristow, St. Mark's Church; the Rev. E. A. OSBORNE, Archdeacon in Charge.

Families 29. Persons 177. Baptisms: infant 6; adult 1—total 7. Communicants 70. Marriages 2. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 8; scholars 70. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 30; other days 10. Holy Communion 8.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church \$2,500; rectory \$1,000—total \$3,500. Salary pledged Minister \$300. Insurance \$1,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$127. Sunday-school \$5. Insurance \$15—total \$147.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$6. Diocesan Missions \$10. Thompson Orphanage \$5—total \$21.

General: General Missions \$4. *Aggregate* \$172.

Rev. R. Percy Eubanks resigned the charge of St. Mark's on February 1st.

Burlington, Church of St. Athanasius; the Rev. EDWARD
LESLIE OGILBY, Rector.

Families 34. Persons 137. Baptisms: infant 3. Confirmed 5. Communicants: last reported 78; admitted 5; received 3; removed 6; present number 80. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 56. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Orphanage Guild; Parish Aid Society. Public services: Sundays 167; other days 71. Holy Communion: public 27; private 2.

Church sittings 200; chapel sittings 59.

Value of church \$2,500; chapel \$500; rectory \$3,000; other church property \$4,000—total \$10,000. Salary pledged Minister \$1,200. Insurance \$2,400.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$192.25. Minister's Salary \$1,200. Current Expenses \$197.34. Sunday-school \$41.35. Improvements \$20.55. Other Objects \$21.05—total \$1,672.54.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$163.30. Diocesan Missions \$60. Education Fund \$201.15. Thompson Orphanage \$196.75. Other Objects \$36—total \$657.20.

General: General Missions \$62.15. Jewish Missions \$7. Sewanee \$1.40. General Clergy Relief \$46.50. American Church Building Fund \$3. Other Objects \$24—total \$144.05. *Aggregate* \$2,473.79.

In addition to cash donations the Orphanage Guild made up and sent to the Orphanage a box of goods valued at \$30, and the Parish Aid Society made up and sent a box of clothing to the orphans of St. James' Mission, Iredell County, valued at \$25. The beautiful new church building now being erected of Mount Airy granite is steadily approaching completion. The roof timbers are now being placed in position, and it is confidently expected that the whole will be finished by early fall, making one of the finest church buildings in the State.

Chapel Hill, Chapel of the Cross; the Rev. R. W. HOGUE,
Rector.

Families 29. Persons 70. Baptisms: infant 3; adult 1—total 4. Confirmed 10. Communicants: last reported 52; admitted 10; received 5; died 1; removed 4; present number 62. Marriages 1. Burials 1.

Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 20. Public services: Sundays 95; other days 82. Holy Communion 31.

Church sittings 125.

Value of church \$4,000; rectory and lot \$3,000—total \$7,000. Salary pledged Minister \$600. Insurance \$3,000. Indebtedness on property \$300.

Disbursements—Parochial: Parish Missions \$60.60. Minister's Salary \$550. Current Expenses \$201.65. Sunday-school \$60. Improvements \$219.87. Other Objects \$29.48—total \$1,121.60.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$93.45. Diocesan Missions \$50.70. Thompson Orphanage \$30. Other Objects \$20—total \$194.15.

General: General Missions \$149.31. Jewish Missions \$3. General Clergy Relief \$26.81. Other objects \$74.58—total \$253.70. *Aggregate* \$1,569.45.

Charlotte, Church of the Holy Comforter (Bishop Atkinson Memorial); the Rev. FRANCIS M. OSBORNE, Minister in Charge.

Families 50. Persons 160. Baptisms: infant 6. Confirmed 4. Communicants: last reported 68; admitted 4; received 8; removed 12; present number 68. Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 60. Other Parish Agencies: St. Elizabeth's Guild; Auxiliaries; Boys' Club; St. Margaret's Guild for Girls; Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Public services: Sundays 80; other days 60. Holy Communion: public 40; private 3.

Value of church \$5,000; other church property \$4,200—total \$9,200. Salary pledged Minister \$1,200. Other debts \$40.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$3.10. Minister's Salary \$1,042. Current Expenses \$90.81. Sunday-school \$20. Building Fund \$2,000. Other Objects \$239.61—total \$3,395.52.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$80.30. Diocesan Missions \$38.45. Education Fund \$4.10. Thompson Orphanage \$19.50. Other Objects \$9.70—total \$152.05.

General: General Missions \$66.25. Domestic Missions \$18.77. Jewish Missions \$1.50. Sewanee \$4.45. General Clergy Relief \$18.65. American Church Building Fund \$1.40—total \$111.02. *Aggregate* \$3,658.59.

Lay Readers: Mr. R. H. Peaseley and Mr. Isaac Hardeman.

Charlotte (Seversville), St. Andrew's Chapel (Clarkson Memorial); the Rev. FRANCIS M. OSBORNE, Minister in Charge.

Families 4. Persons 20. Communicants 4. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 20. Public services: Sundays 25. Holy Communion 3.

Chapel sittings 180.

Value of church \$1,350; chapel \$200—total \$1,550. Insurance \$500.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current Expenses \$12. Sunday-school \$10. Improvements \$20—total \$42.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50. Diocesan Missions \$6—total \$8.50. *Aggregate* \$50.50.

During the past year the services held in this chapel were conducted by the Archdeacon, Rev. R. P. Eubanks and Mr. H. J. Marsh, Lay Reader.

Charlotte, St. Martin's Chapel; the Rev. FRANCIS M. OSBORNE, Minister in Charge.

Families 24. Persons 68. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants: last reported 38; admitted 2; received 1; removed 3; withdrawn 1; present number 37. Sunday-school teachers 6; scholars 48. Other Parish Agencies: St. Martin's Guild; Girls' Club; Children's Friday Afternoon Club. Public services: Sundays 65; other days 50. Holy Communion: public 18; private 1.

Chapel sittings 100.

Value of chapel and lot \$3,000; Guild room \$500; other church property \$200—total \$3,700. Salary pledged Minister \$200. Insurance \$900. Indebtedness on property \$210.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$1.65. Minister's Salary \$183.37. Current Expenses \$5. Sunday-school \$26.95. On debt on Guild Room \$94.10; Other Objects \$15.25—total \$326.32.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$11.75. Diocesan Missions \$26.14. Education Fund \$1.30. Thompson Orphanage \$11.07. Church work at University \$1.50. Other Objects \$3.47—total \$55.23.

General: General Missions \$25.53. Sewanee \$2. General Clergy Relief \$2.92. American Church Building Fund \$1.96. Other Objects \$6.52—total \$38.93. *Aggregate* \$420.48.

Lay Reader, Mr. C. E. Frick. Fuel and lights are given gratis.

Charlotte, Chapel of St. Mary the Virgin; the Rev. WALTER J. SMITH, Chaplain.

Families 3. Baptisms: infant 10. Communicants: last reported 54; died 1; removed 1; present number 52. Marriages 1. Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 65. Parish school teachers 2; scholars 64. Other Parish Agencies: Junior Auxiliary; Daughters of the King. Public services: Sundays 90; other days 250. Holy Communion 22.

Chapel sittings 200.

Value of chapel \$3,000. Insurance \$2,250.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$2. Other Objects \$5—total \$7.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$5. Diocesan Missions \$29.55. Education Fund \$2.10. Other Objects \$15.58—total \$52.23.

General: General Missions \$17.90. Domestic Missions \$0.94. Foreign Missions \$14.83. Indian Missions \$2.16. Jewish Missions \$.46. Sewanee \$1.66. General Clergy Relief \$2.64. American Church Building Fund \$.62. Other Objects \$6.95—total \$48.16. *Aggregate* \$107.39.

In addition to the above, I have held service and preached 26 times at the Chapel of Hope, North Charlotte, administered the Holy Communion 3 times, baptized 4 infants, and officiated at one funeral; at St. Peter's, St. Martin's and St. John's, Charlotte, and in the churches at Rocky Mount, Statesville and Gastonia have held services on 15 occasions and celebrated the Holy Communion 5 times, besides making addresses at several Conventions and Convocation meetings.

Charlotte, Church of St. Michael and All Angels (colored);
the Rev. P. P. ALSTON, Minister in Charge.

Families 29. Persons 225. Baptisms: infant 1; adult 1—total 2. Communicants: last reported 120; died 3; removed 6; present number 111. Marriages 3. Burials 4. Sunday-school teachers 8; scholars 125. Parish school teachers 7; scholars 200. Industrial school teachers 3; scholars 160. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Aid; Altar Guild; Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 80; other days 150. Holy Communion: public 18; private 2.

Church sittings 375.

Value of church \$6,500; other church property \$9,000—total \$15,500. Salary pledged Minister \$120. Insurance \$11,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$8. Minister's Salary \$100. Current Expenses \$121.27. Sunday-school \$26.86. Improvements \$104.81. Insurance \$52.01. Other Objects \$25.40—total \$438.35.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$30.35. Diocesan Missions \$22.85. Other Objects \$22.95—total \$76.15.

General: General Missions \$4.17. Colored Missions \$4—total \$8.17. *Aggregate* \$522.67.

We have had a most successful school year up to the present, and we feel that much substantial good is being accomplished among our students. Our girls and boys have done excellent work in the industrial departments. All we need is help.

Charlotte, St. Peter's, with Chapels of Hope and St. John;
the Rev. HARRIS MALLINCKRODT, Rector; the Rev. IVAN
H. M. THOMPSON, Assistant Minister.

Families 257. Persons 860. Baptisms: infant 19. Confirmed 4. Communicants: last reported 630; admitted 2; received 9; died 4; removed 4; present number 635. Marriages 8. Burials 10. Sunday-school teachers 22; scholars 205. Other Parish Agencies: Senior and Junior Brotherhoods of St. Andrew; Daughters of the King; Auxiliaries;

Thompson Orphanage Guild and Junior and Children's Branches Woman's Guild; St. Agnes' Guild; Association of Mission Workers. Public services: Sundays 143; other days 215. Holy Communion: public 97; private 8.

Church sittings 600; chapel sittings 500.

Value of church \$26,000; chapels \$4,000; other church property \$9,000—total \$39,000. Insurance \$22,500. Indebtedness on property \$3,408.15.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$160. Parish Missions \$614.34. Minister's Salary \$2,400. Current Expenses \$1,289.17. Sunday-school \$120. Improvements \$59.70. Insurance \$56. All Other Objects \$1,370.63—total \$6,069.84.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$400. Diocesan Missions \$400. Thompson Orphanage \$671.31—total \$1,471.31.

General: Domestic Missions \$135. Indian Missions \$60. Jewish Missions \$26.40—total \$221.40. *Aggregate* \$7,762.55.

Chestnut Hill, St. Paul's Church.

Families 30. Persons 96. Baptisms: infant 2. Communicants 41. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 40. Public services: Sundays 19. Holy Communion 4.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church \$2,500.

Since the death of Dr. Murdoch it has been very hard to keep up the services in the Rowan County churches. This report is as full as it can be made from the records that were left.

Cleveland, Christ Church; the Rev. S. J. M. BROWN, Minister in Charge.

Families 34. Persons 119. Baptisms: infant 8. Confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 56; admitted 2; present number 58. Marriages 2. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 54. Other Parish Agencies; Woman's Auxiliary. Public services: Sundays 28; other days 14. Holy Communion 4.

Church sittings 400.

Value of church \$800; other church property \$400—total \$1,200. Salary pledged Minister \$125. Indebtedness on Minister's Salary \$21.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$104. Improvements \$50—total \$154.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$18.35. Diocesan Missions \$13.21. Education Fund \$74. Thompson Orphanage \$8.23. Other Objects \$3.31—total \$43.84.

General: General Missions \$10.25. Sewanee \$1.54. General Clergy Relief \$.53. American Church Building Fund \$.70—total \$13.02. *Aggregate* \$210.86.

Concord, All Saints' Church; the Rev. J. C. DAVIS, D.D.,
Rector.

Families 5. Baptisms: infant 3. Confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 39; admitted 2; received 1; present number 43. Marriages 3. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 18. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Daughters of the King; Thompson Orphanage Guild. Public services: Sundays 22; other days 88. Holy Communion 12.

Church sittings 125.

Value of church \$2,000; other church property \$2,000—total \$4,000. Salary pledged Minister \$456. Other debts \$30.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$5. Minister's Salary \$456. Current Expenses \$56.24. Sunday-school \$2.15—total \$519.39.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$30. Thompson Orphanage \$40. Other Objects \$5.65—total \$75.65.

General: General Missions \$8.25. Jewish Missions \$2.75. General Clergy Relief \$7.75. Other Objects \$25.20—total \$43.95. *Aggregate* \$638.99.

Cooleemee, Church of the Good Shepherd; the Rev. S. J. M.
BROWN, Minister in Charge; Mr. J. H. L. RICE, Lay
Reader.

Families 19. Persons 79. Baptisms: infant 1; adult 2—total 3. Confirmed 7. Communicants: last reported 32; admitted 7; died 3; present number 36. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 62. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; St. Agnes' Guild. Public services: Sundays 52; other days 22. Holy Communion: public 4; private 1.

Church sittings 275.

Value of church \$1,100. Salary pledged Minister \$200. Insurance \$800. Indebtedness on Minister's Salary \$9.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$191. Improvements \$17. Insurance \$12—total \$220.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$15.95. Diocesan Missions \$23.63. Education Fund \$1. Thompson Orphanage \$15.92. Other Objects \$3.55—total \$60.05.

General: General Missions \$25.87. Domestic Missions \$3.45. Jewish Missions \$1.46. Sewanee \$4.06. General Clergy Relief \$4.23. American Church Building Fund \$1.05—total \$40.12. *Aggregate* \$320.17.

Cunningham Chapel.

Families 2. Public services: Sundays 12. Holy Communion 4. Salary pledged Minister \$75.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$75.

*Davie County, Ascension Chapel; the Rev. THOS. L. TROTT,
Minister in Charge.*

Families: white 3; colored 1. Baptisms: adult 1. Communicants 7. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars: white 25; colored 20. Public services: Sundays 8; other days 8. Holy Communion 4.

Chapel sittings 120.

Value of church \$800. Salary pledged Minister \$70.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$70. Improvements \$800—total \$870.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$5.15. Diocesan Missions \$13—total \$18.15.

General: General Clergy Relief \$2. *Aggregate* \$890.15.

*Duke, St. Stephen's Church; the Rev. S. M. HANFF, Minister
in Charge.*

Families 28. Persons 75. Baptisms: infant 1; adult 3—total 4. Confirmed 7. Communicants: last reported 54; admitted 7; received 1; removed 5; present number 57. Marriages 2. Burials 5. Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 150. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries: Aid Society; Boys' Club; Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Public services: Sundays 72; other days 17. Holy Communion 12.

Church sittings 175.

Value of church \$1,600; other church property (Parish House) \$1,100—total \$2,700. Salary pledged Minister \$300. Insurance \$2,000. Indebtedness on property \$150.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$22. Minister's Salary \$300. Current Expenses \$7. Sunday-school \$65. Improvements \$7. Other Objects \$300—total \$701.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$25. Diocesan Missions \$50. Thompson Orphanage \$10. Other Objects \$6.25—total \$91.25.

General: General Missions \$5. Other Objects \$20—total \$25. *Aggregate* \$817.25.

*Durham, St. Philip's Church; St. Joseph's Church, West
Durham; St. Andrew's Chapel, East Durham; the Rev.
SIDNEY S. BOST, Rector; the Rev. THOMAS L. TROTT,
Associate Rector.*

Families 135. Persons 700. Baptisms: infant 16; adult 10—total 26. Confirmed 20. Communicants: last reported 410; admitted 20; received 5; restored 2; died 5; removed 7; present number 425. Marriages 5. Burials 9. Sunday-school teachers 24; scholars 335. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; Ladies' Aid; St. Philip's Guild; Church Goers'

League. Public services: Sundays 300; other days 200. Holy Communion: public 46; private 5.

Church sittings 650; chapel sittings 450.

Value of churches \$35,000; chapels \$4,500; other church property \$2,500—total \$42,000. Salary pledged Minister \$1,320. Insurance \$16,700. Indebtedness on property \$3,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$70. Parish Missions \$750. Minister's Salary \$1,320. Current Expenses \$420.15. Sunday-school \$197. Insurance \$130.50. Other Objects \$5,418—total \$8,305.65.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$202.80. Diocesan Missions \$133.75. Thompson Orphanage \$105. Other Objects \$30—total \$471.55.

General: General Missions \$208. Domestic Missions \$48. Foreign Missions \$65. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$10—total \$331. *Aggregate* \$9,108.20.

Since the last report we have paid \$5,000 on the church debt, which accounts for the large amount of the parochial payments.

Durham, St. Titus' Mission (colored); the Rev. ROBERT J. JOHNSON, Minister in Charge.

Families 1. Persons 18. Confirmed 2. Communicants: admitted 2; received 17; removed 1; present number 19. Marriages 1. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 65. Other Parish Agencies: Church Aid. Public services: Sundays 49; other days 3. Holy Communion 6.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current Expenses \$57.20. Sunday-school \$4.25. Improvements \$18. Other Objects \$22.75—total \$102.20.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions \$2.50.

General: General Missions \$1.35. *Aggregate* \$106.05.

Our Mission has been working for nine months among the people of Durham, and I feel greatly encouraged. We have increased in number, and have a large Sunday-school in spite of much opposition. We are striving to raise money to erect a small chapel for our use.

Elkin, Gallaway Memorial Chapel; the Rev. E. A. OSBORNE, Archdeacon in Charge.

Communicants 4. Public services: Sundays 3; other days 6. Holy Communion 1.

Church sittings 250.

Value of church \$2,500.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$23.32.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$5. Education Fund \$3. Thompson Orphanage \$5. Diocesan Missions \$2—total \$15.

General: General Missions \$3.50. General Clergy Relief \$1.50. Seewanee \$1.50—total \$6.50. *Aggregate* \$44.82.

*Enfield, Church of the Advent; the Rev. H. H. PHELPS,
Rector.*

Families 14. Persons 62. Baptisms: infant 1; adult 1—total 2. Confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 49; present number 33. Burials 2. Sunday-school teachers 6; scholars 25. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Parish Guild. Public services: Sundays 23; other days 14. Holy Communion 9.

Value of church \$1,500. Salary pledged Minister \$150. Insurance \$900.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$125. Current Expenses \$53.54. Sunday-school \$10. Improvements \$24.79—total \$213.33.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$38. Diocesan Missions \$26. Thompson Orphanage \$30—total \$94.

General: General Missions \$25.38. *Aggregate* \$332.71.

My work at this place covers but ten months.

*Gaston, St. Luke's Church; the Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER, Min-
ister in Charge.*

Families 8. Persons 24. Communicants 17. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 29. Public services: Sundays 8; other days 2. Holy Communion 7.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church \$1,000. Salary pledged Minister \$50.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$59.50. Current Expenses \$6. Other Objects \$1.70—total \$67.20.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$.50. Diocesan Missions \$5.82—total \$6.32.

General: General Missions \$4.73. *Aggregate* \$78.25.

*Germanton, St. Philip's Church; the Rev. E. A. OSBORNE,
Archdeacon in Charge.*

Families 3. Persons 16. Baptisms: infant 2. Communicants 12. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 6. Public services 17. Holy Communion 4.

Chapel sittings 200.

Value of church \$1,500. Salary pledged Minister \$54.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$54.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$6. Thompson Orphanage \$4—total \$10.

General: General Missions \$2. *Aggregate* \$66.

Every communicant has temporarily removed from Elkin. I have been visiting the place regularly until the last two months, and still continue oversight.

Goshen, St. Paul's Church; the Rev. FREDERICK H. T. HORSFIELD, Minister in Charge.

Families 3. Persons 15. Communicants 9. Public services: Sundays 2.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church \$800.

Since my recent appointment to the charge of this mission, I have held one service, on the afternoon of the second Sunday in March. This report is necessarily incomplete. The church has been "silent" since the departure of the Rev. Mr. Hilliard last July.

Greensboro, Mission of the Redeemer (colored); the Rev. JAMES K. SATTERWHITE, Minister in Charge.

Families 11. Persons 29. Baptisms: infant 5. Confirmed 6. Communicants: admitted 6; present number 18. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 35. Other Parish Agencies: Junior Auxiliary; Sewing Circle. Public services: Sundays 39; other days 1. Holy Communion 2.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current Expenses \$14. Improvements \$296.88. Other Objects \$68.80—total \$379.68.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions \$3.70.

General: General Missions \$3. *Aggregate* \$386.38.

The work here is very hopeful, and the church has a great opportunity if we can become permanently established. This, of course, will necessitate an outlay of a considerable sum of money. We have issued an appeal, with the Bishop's approval, for \$2,500, and we hope for a hearty response from our Church people. Those interested in our work can not help in a more hopeful field. We are planning to build a church during this present year.

Greensboro, St. Andrew's Church.

Families 65. Persons 221. Baptisms: infant 4. Confirmed 7. Communicants: last reported 156; admitted 7; received 5; restored 3; died 2; removed 26; present number 143. Marriages 2. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 8; scholars 67. Other Parish Agencies: St. Andrew's Brotherhood; Ladies' Aid Society; Woman's Auxiliary. Public services: Sundays 79; other days 25. Holy Communion: public 26; private 1.

Church sittings 250; chapel sittings 150.

Value of church \$4,500; chapel \$1,500; rectory \$2,000; other church property \$8,000—total \$16,000. Insurance \$7,600. Indebtedness on property \$6,550.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$12.29. Minister's Salary \$687.64. Current Expenses \$95. Sunday-school \$21.38. Insurance \$17. Other Objects \$61.45—total \$894.76.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$46.40. Diocesan Missions \$40.73. Thompson Orphanage \$38.23—total \$125.36.

General: General Missions \$58.06. Domestic Missions \$21. Foreign Missions \$26.95. Sewanee \$2.25. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$12—total \$120.26. *Aggregate* \$1,140.38.

Of the offerings noted, St. Mary's Chapel contributed \$2.50 for the Episcopal and Contingent Fund and \$2 for General Missions. The Rev. Mr. Guignard resigned the charge of the parish February 1, 1909. Since that time Dr. Dodson has officiated as Lay Reader every Sunday. The Rev. Mr. Faulkner gave us ten services in Lent.

Greensboro, St. Barnabas' Church; the Rev. THOMAS GREEN FAULKNER, Rector.

Families 103. Persons 325. Baptisms: infant 5; adult 1—total 6. Confirmed 24. Communicants: last reported 150; admitted 24; received 20; restored 7; died 4; removed 22; present number 175. Marriages 5. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 6; scholars 80. Other Parish Agencies: Brotherhood of St. Andrew; Woman's Auxiliary; St. Barnabas Guild; Altar Guild. Public services: Sundays 112; other days 37. Holy Communion 20.

Church sittings 180; chapel sittings 150.

Value of church \$3,500; chapel \$2,500; rectory \$3,200; organ \$1,500—total \$10,700. Salary pledged Minister \$1,000. Insurance \$5,000. Indebtedness on property \$850.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$12.53. Minister's Salary \$916.66. Current Expenses \$303.51. Sunday-school \$25. Improvements \$279.36. Insurance \$34.40. Other Objects \$76.42—total \$1,647.88.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$106. Diocesan Missions \$71. Thompson Orphanage \$54.72. Other Objects \$6.71—total \$238.43.

General: General Missions \$54. Colored Missions \$2. Indian Missions \$2. General Clergy Relief \$17.45—total \$75.45. *Aggregate* \$1,961.76.

Gulf, St. Mark's Church; the Rev. N. C. HUGHES, Archdeacon in Charge.

Families 4. Persons 18. Baptisms: Infant 3. Confirmed 10. Communicants: suspended 1; present number 12. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 20. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Committee. Public services: Sundays 14; other days 10. Holy Communion 4.

Church sittings 75.

Value of church \$500; other church property \$350—total \$850.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$12.82. Sunday-school \$12.95. Improvements \$33.75. Other Objects \$8.10—total \$67.62.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$1.67. Diocesan Missions \$17.18—total \$18.85. *Aggregate* \$86.47.

Halifax, St. Mark's Church; the Rev. CLEMENT G. BRADLEY,
Rector.

Families: white 13; colored 2. Persons 42. Baptisms: infant 2; adult 1—total 3. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 17; admitted 1; restored 5; present number 23. Marriages 1. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 15. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Ladies' Church Improvement Society. Public services: Sundays 31; other days 15. Holy Communion 10.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church \$2,000; other church property \$100—total \$2,100. Salary pledged Minister \$150.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$277. Minister's Salary \$112.50. Current Expenses \$23.19. Sunday-school \$4.76. Improvements \$27.72. Other Objects \$19.18—total \$190.12.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$12.28. Diocesan Missions \$21.80. Thompson Orphanage \$22.11. Other Objects \$2.80—total \$58.99.

General: General Missions \$5. *Aggregate* \$254.11.

The present Rector took charge of the parish July 1, 1909.

Hamlet, All Saints' Mission; the Rev. E. A. OSBORNE, Arch-
deacon.

Families 11. Persons 30. Baptisms: infant 1; adult 1—total 2. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 18; admitted 1; removed 2; withdrawn 1; present number 17. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary. Public services: Sundays 7.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$63. Current Expenses \$3. Other Objects \$3.15—total \$69.15.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$30. Diocesan Missions \$9.46. Education Fund \$6.90. Other Objects \$3—total \$49.30.

General: General Missions \$10. *Aggregate* \$128.45.

This work was under the charge of the Rev. R. P. Eubanks for a few months during the year. Otherwise it has been without a pastor except such services as the Archdeacon has been able to furnish. The data from which this report is made has been furnished by Mr. C. J. Williamson, the faithful and efficient treasurer.

Henderson, Church of the Holy Innocents; the Rev. ISAAC
WAYNE HUGHES, Rector.

Families 75. Persons 300. Baptisms: infant 12. Confirmed 21. Communicants: last reported 195; admitted 19; received 2; died 3; removed 1; present number 189. Marriages 2. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 21; scholars 217. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Guild, with various chapters; Altar Guild. Public services: Sundays 152; other days 122. Holy Communion 42.

Value of church \$15,500; rectory \$3,200; endowments \$927; other church property \$1,000—total \$20,627. Salary pledged Minister \$1,800. Insurance \$11,500. Indebtedness on property \$750.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$47.40. Parish Missions \$19.46. Minister's Salary \$900. Current Expenses \$334.88. Sunday-school \$26.29. Improvements \$1,706. Endowment \$127. Other Objects \$248.94—total \$3,409.97.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$161.15. Diocesan Missions \$195.80. Education Fund \$16. Thompson Orphanage \$177.53. Other Objects \$60.05—total \$610.53.

General: General Missions \$290.48. Domestic Missions \$15. Foreign Missions \$10.78. Sewanee \$10. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$40.61. American Church Building Fund \$10. Other Objects \$18—total \$394.87. *Aggregate* \$4,415.37.

Nine of the Sunday-school teachers and 120 scholars reported belong to the Mission at the Henderson Cotton Mill. The present Rector took charge of the parish October 1, 1909.

High Point, St. Mary's Church.

Families 30. Persons 100. Baptisms: infant 1. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 52; received 10; restored 5; died 1; removed 4; present number 63. Marriages 2. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 25. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Guild; Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 36; other days 3. Holy Communion 9.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church \$6,000. Salary pledged Minister \$300. Insurance \$2,000. Other debts \$236.82.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$11.18. Minister's Salary \$200. Current Expenses \$47.41. Sunday-school \$1.50. Improvements \$12. Insurance \$40—total \$312.09.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions \$9.49. Thompson Orphanage \$5.50. Other Objects \$5.35—total \$20.34.

General: General Missions \$17.41. *Aggregate* \$349.84.

Rev. S. R. Guignard was in charge from June 1, 1909, to February 1, 1910.

Hillsboro, St. Matthew's Church; the Rev. S. PAXSON WATERS, Rector.

Families 35. Persons 120. Baptisms: infant 4. Communicants: last reported 73; received 1; died 1; present number 73. Marriages 1. Burials 4. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 15. Other Parish Agencies: Aid Society; Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 104; other days, semi-weekly. Holy Communion 24.

Church sittings 250.

Value of church \$8,000; rectory \$1,200; endowments \$7,117; other church property \$2,000—total \$18,317. Salary pledged Minister \$550. Insurance \$6,500.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$47. Minister's Salary \$808. Current Expenses \$94.82. Sunday-school \$10. Improvements \$144.63—total \$1,104.45.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$115.30. Diocesan Missions \$82.50. Educational Fund \$7.65. Thompson Orphanage \$97—total \$302.45.

General: General Missions \$94.45. Sewanee \$7.40. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$23. General Clergy Relief \$23.10. American Church Building Fund \$6.48—total \$154.43. *Aggregate* \$1,561.33.

Iredell County, St. James' Church; the Rev. EDWIN A. OSBORNE, Archdeacon in Charge.

Families 16. Persons 114. Baptisms: infant 3. Confirmed 5. Communicants: last reported 46; admitted 5; died 1; present number 50. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 20. Parish school teachers 1; scholars 30. Public services: Sundays 7; other days 1. Holy Communion 5.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church \$700.

Disbursements—Diocesan: Diocesan Missions \$4.

General: General Missions \$3. Other Objects \$3—total \$6. *Aggregate* \$10.

The Rev. Mr. Eubanks held two services here during the year and I held several, but there have been no regular ministrations during the year. The Mission School has done good work, and there is great need of a missionary.

Jackson, Church of the Saviour; the Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER, Rector; the Rev. W. T. PICARD, Assistant Minister.

Families 14. Persons 55. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants 38. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 3. Public services: Sundays 53; other days 55. Holy Communion 7.

Church sittings 250.

Value of church \$3,000; other church property \$250—total \$3,250. Salary pledged Minister \$200.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$175.75. Current Expenses \$43.48. Sunday-school \$1.40—total \$220.63.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$28.30. Diocesan Missions \$26. Education Fund \$2. Thompson Orphanage \$5. Other Objects \$13—total \$74.30.

General: General Missions \$50.25. Foreign Missions \$2. Sewanee \$2. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$5. General Clergy Relief \$7. American Church Building Fund \$2—total \$68.25. *Aggregate* \$363.18.

Kittrell, St. James' Church; the Rev. JOHN LONDON, Rector.

Families 14. Persons 45. Baptisms: adult 2. Confirmed 4. Communicants: last reported 31; admitted 4; died 1; removed 2; present number 32. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 14. Other Parish Agencies: Parish Aid Society. Public services: Sundays 36; other days 1. Holy Communion 12.

Church sittings 125.

Value of church \$1,200; rectory \$700; endowments \$4,200—total \$6,100. Salary pledged Minister \$200. Insurance \$1,200.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$150. Current Expenses \$4.13. Sunday-school \$4.50. Improvements \$217. Insurance \$21.60—total \$397.23.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$25. Thompson Orphanage \$20. Other Objects \$3.50—total \$48.50.

General: General Missions \$8.70. Domestic Missions \$3.50. Foreign Missions \$6.30—total \$18.50. *Aggregate* \$464.23.

Laurinburg, St. David's Church.

Families: white 13; colored 1. Baptisms: infant 2. Communicants: last reported 12; present number 15. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 20. Public services: Sundays 9; other days 1. Holy Communion 4.

Church sittings 175.

Value of church \$1,300.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$62.68.

General: General Missions \$5. *Aggregate* \$67.68.

This report covers the time from November last, when the Rev. Samuel C. Thompson began work there, and includes the Richmond Mills, Laurel Hill Chapel. Mr. Thompson has recently resigned his charge and removed to Florida.

Lawrence, Grace Memorial; the Rev. BERTRAM E. BROWN, Minister in Charge.

Families 15. Persons 75. Communicants: last reported 23; removed 5; present number 18. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 75. Parish-school teachers 2; scholars 20. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Ladies' Improvement Society; Mission School, conducted by Miss Sallie Hicks. Public services: Sundays 52; other days 3. Holy Communion 1.

Chapel sittings 250.

Value of chapel \$1,500; other church property \$1,000—total \$2,500. Insurance \$1,800.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$25.19. Current Expenses \$1.50. Sunday-school \$24.30. Other Objects \$17.25—total \$68.24.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50. Diocesan Missions \$8.75. Thompson Orphanage \$30.10. Other Objects \$5.65—total \$47.

General: General Missions \$19.17. Foreign Missions \$3.70—total \$22.87. *Aggregate* \$138.11.

Leaksville, Church of the Epiphany; the Rev. GEO. M. TOLSON, Rector.

Families 13. Persons 55. Baptisms: infant 5. Communicants: last reported 55; present number 25. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 40. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Guild; Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 32; other days 23. Holy Communion 11.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church \$1,500. Salary pledged Minister \$200.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$66.68. Current Expenses \$50—total \$116.68.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$12.75.

General: General Missions \$7.40. *Aggregate* \$136.83.

The present rector took charge December 1st. Hence the record contains few items, and small figures. The parish has suffered greatly by deaths and removals, and the cutting off of St. Luke's Chapel, Spray, from all connection with it. Its financial strength has been much diminished. Its people are a fine and splendid set, devoted to the Church and the Church's Lord.

Lexington, Grace Church, the Rev. J. C. DAVIS, D.D., Minister in Charge.

Families 5. Persons 30. Communicants: last reported 23; received 1; present number 24. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 12. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary.

Value of church \$3,500. Salary pledged Minister \$460.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$460. Current Expenses \$4.50. Sunday-school \$4—total \$468.50.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$48.35. Diocesan Missions \$40. Thompson Orphanage \$16. Other Objects \$4.50—total \$108.85.

General: General Missions \$30. General Clergy Relief \$24—total \$54. *Aggregate* \$631.35.

Littleton, St. Alban's Church; the Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER, Minister in Charge.

Families 18. Persons 57. Baptisms: infant 3. Confirmed 5. Communicants: last reported 42; admitted 5; received 1; present number 48. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 8. Public services: Sundays 26; other days 65. Holy Communion 14.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church \$1,200; rectory \$1,750—total \$2,950.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$189.82. Current Expenses \$20.77. Sunday-school \$1.97. Improvements \$65.62. Other Objects \$200—total \$478.18.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$19. Diocesan Missions \$42.96. Education Fund \$6.85. Thompson Orphanage \$17.59. Other Objects \$6.54—total \$92.94.

General: General Missions \$50.46. Foreign Missions \$2. Sewanee \$13.19. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$1. General Clergy Relief \$5.02. American Church Building Fund \$4.41. Other Objects \$9.50—total \$85.58. *Aggregate* \$656.70.

Littleton, St. Anna's Chapel (colored); the Rev. H. B. DELANY, Archdeacon in Charge; Mr. VIRGIL N. BOND, Lay Reader.

Families 7. Persons 46. Confirmed 3. Communicants: last reported 25; admitted 3; died 1; present number 27. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 38. Parish-school teachers 2; scholars 64. Industrial-school teachers 2; scholars 64. Public services: Sundays 12; other days 100. Holy Communion 5.

Chapel sittings 150.

Value of chapel \$400; other church property \$1,000—total \$1,400.

Disbursements—Parochial: Parish Missions \$80. Current Expenses \$6. Improvements \$25—total \$111.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50. Diocesan Missions \$7.50. Thompson Orphanage \$1. Other Objects \$9.5—total \$11.95.

General: General Missions \$5. *Aggregate* \$127.95.

The loss of our teacher's salary this year has been somewhat of a setback to our school, and had it not been for the kindness of one of our old pupils, now a graduate of St. Augustine's, who kindly came forward and offered her services at whatever I could pay, we would have had no assistance.

Louisburg, St. Matthias' Chapel (colored); the Rev. H. B. DELANY, Archdeacon in Charge; Mr. GEORGE C. POLLARD, Lay Reader.

Families 12. Persons 44. Baptisms: infant 1. Confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 26; admitted 2; restored 1; died 1; present number 28. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 98. Parish-school teachers 1; scholars 87. Public services: Sundays 108; other days 188. Holy Communion 6.

Chapel sittings 250.

Value of church \$2,000; other church property \$500—total \$2,500. Insurance \$800.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$27.40. Current Expenses \$36.42. Sunday-school \$15.26. Improvements \$18. Insurance \$15—total \$112.08.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50. Other Objects \$41.25—total \$43.75.

General: General Missions \$2. Domestic Missions \$2.84. General Clergy Relief \$2—total \$6.84. *Aggregate* \$162.67.

Louisburg, St. Paul's Church; the Rev. JOHN LONDON, Rector.

Families 28. Persons 93. Baptisms: infant 7; adult 2—total 9. Confirmed 6. Communicants: last reported 51; admitted 6; received 2; died 2; removed 2; present number 55. Marriages 2. Burials 5. Sunday-school teachers 6; scholars 37. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; Altar Guild. Public services: Sundays 74; other days 30. Holy Communion: public 19; private 1.

Church sittings 225.

Value of church \$6,700; rectory \$3,500; other church property \$500—total \$10,700. Salary pledged Minister \$600. Insurance \$4,400.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$24.12. Minister's Salary \$550. Current Expenses \$69.18. Sunday-school \$8. Improvements \$109.82. Insurance \$41. Other Objects \$48.99—total \$851.11.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$78. Diocesan Missions \$38.35. Thompson Orphanage \$76. Other Objects \$16.57—total \$208.92.

General: General Missions \$36.03. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$12.50. General Clergy Relief \$7.85. Other Objects \$7.28—total \$63.66. *Aggregate* \$1,123.69.

Madison, St. John's Church; the Rev. ALFRED R. BERKELEY, Minister in Charge.

Families 11. Persons 23. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 19; admitted 1; died 1; withdrawn 2; present number 17. Marriages 1. Burials 2. Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary. Public services: Sundays 18; other days 1. Holy Communion 3.

Church sittings 250.

Value of church \$1,200. Salary pledged Minister \$150.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$137.50. Other Objects \$1.62—total \$139.12.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$19.20. Diocesan Missions \$20.62. Thompson Orphanage \$3.76. Other Objects \$2.07—total \$45.65.

General: General Missions \$12.74. Foreign Missions \$4.45. Sewanee \$5.50. General Clergy Relief \$2.25. American Church Building Fund \$5.53—total \$14.47. *Aggregate* \$199.24.

Mayodan, Church of the Messiah; the Rev. ALFRED R. BERKELEY, Minister in Charge; the Rev. C. P. WILLCOX, Assistant Minister; Miss EMMA KARRER, Parish Visitor.

Families 85. Persons 300. Baptisms: infant 18; adult 8—total 26. Confirmed 8. Communicants: last reported 85; admitted 8; received 1; removed 1; withdrawn 3; present number 90. Marriages 1. Burials 6. Sunday-school teachers 8; scholars 225. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; Knights of King Arthur; Mother's Meeting; Cooking School; Night School; Cottage Prayer Meeting. Public services: Sundays 79; other days 33. Holy Communion: public 26; private 3.

Church sittings 200; chapel sittings 500.

Value of church \$1,000; other church property \$2,700—total \$3,700. Salary pledged Minister \$450. Insurance \$2,100.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$3.50. Minister's Salary \$422.50. Current Expenses \$29.50. Sunday-school \$21.02. Improvements \$37.50. Insurance \$25.80. Other Objects \$40.28—total \$580.10.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$25. Diocesan Missions \$91.03. Thompson Orphanage \$14.73. Other Objects \$17.10—total \$147.86.

General: General Missions \$58.95. Domestic Missions \$7. Foreign Missions \$10.20. Sewanee \$1.50. General Clergy Relief \$4. American Church Building Fund \$2.10. Other Objects \$1—total \$84.75. *Aggregate* \$812.71.

An instruction on the Church and its usages is given nearly every Sunday afternoon in the church by the Assistant Minister.

Middleburg, Chapel of the Heavenly Rest; the Rev. J. C. HORTON, Minister in Charge.

Families 10. Persons 45. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants: last reported 21; removed 3; present number 18. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 10. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Aid; Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 22; other days 2. Holy Communion 10.

Value of chapel \$700. Salary pledged Minister \$75.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$81.95. Current Expenses \$6. Sunday-school \$2.05. Improvements \$50—total \$140.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$8.40. Diocesan Missions \$13. Thompson Orphanage \$15. Other Objects \$9.71—total \$46.11.

General: General Missions \$4.22. *Aggregate* \$190.33.

Milton, Christ Church.

Families 3. Communicants 4. Public services: Sundays 12; other days 1. Holy Communion 4.

Salary pledged Minister \$75.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$75.

Mocksville, St. Philip's Church; the Rev. S. J. M. BROWN,
Minister in Charge.

Families 4. Persons 6. Communicants 6.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church \$600.

Disbursements—Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50. Diocesan Missions \$4.—total \$6.50.

Monroe, St. Paul's Church.

Families 20. Persons 74. Baptisms: infant 2. Communicants: last reported 54; died 2; removed 2; present number 50. Burials 2. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 45. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 60; other days 35. Holy Communion: public 8; private 1.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church \$1,000; rectory \$2,000; other church property \$3,000—total \$6,000. Salary pledged Minister \$400.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$316.63. Current Expenses \$55. Sunday-school \$10. Improvements \$10. Other Objects \$7.50—total \$399.13.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$35. Diocesan Missions \$21. Thompson Orphanage \$13—total \$69.

General: General Missions \$12. *Aggregate* \$480.13.

This report is made from information given by Mr. Thos. P. Dillon, the Warden of the Mission, the Rev. Frederick A. Fetter, the Minister in charge, having departed this life the 18th of January, 1910. I have not been able to see his records. The church building is almost worthless from age and decay, but the congregation hope to replace it with a new one in the near future.

Noise, St. Philip's Chapel (colored); the Rev. H. B. DELANY,
Archdeacon in Charge.

Families 5. Persons 120. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants: last reported 24; removed 7; present number 17. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 40. Parish-school teachers 2; scholars 50. Public services: Sundays 52; other days 4. Holy Communion 2.

Value of chapel \$600; rectory \$200; other church property \$75—total \$875.

Disbursements—Parochial: Parish Missions \$5.50. Current Expenses \$40. Sunday-school \$5—total \$50.50.

General: Domestic Missions \$1. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$.60—total \$1.60. *Aggregate* \$52.10.

Mr. Joel T. Fuller, who has for years been in charge of the Mission at Noise, Moore County, died on Sunday morning, April 10th, at the parsonage, and was buried in the public cemetery at that place.

Olive Branch, St. Timothy's Church; the Rev. E. A. OSBORNE, Archdeacon in Charge.

Families 8. Persons 38. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants 13. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 25. Parish-school teachers 1; scholars 30. Public services: Sundays 14. Holy Communion 2.

Church sittings 200; chapel sittings 75.

Value of church \$800; chapel \$75—total \$875.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$20. Improvements \$150—total \$170.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50. *Aggregate* \$172.50.

This Mission was under the charge of the late Rev. Frederick A. Fetter, who died in January, but not having access to his journal I procured such data as are given from Mr. Thos. P. Dillon, of Monroe, who has been conducting lay services there once a month for more than a year.

Orange County, St. Mary's Chapel; the Rev. S. PAXSON WATERS, Minister in Charge.

Families 8. Persons 40. Baptisms: infant 1. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 20; admitted 1; present number 21. Parish Agencies: Junior Auxiliary. Public services: Sundays monthly. Holy Communion 1.

Chapel sittings 100.

Value of chapel \$1,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current Expenses \$12. Improvements \$75—total \$87.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50. Diocesan Missions \$5—total \$7.50.

General: General Missions \$1. *Aggregate* \$95.50.

Oxford, St. Cyprian's Chapel (colored); the Rev. CHARLES HENRY MALE, Minister in Charge.

Families 6. Persons 86. Baptisms: infant 2. Confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 28; admitted 7; present number 35. Burials 9. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 100. Other Parish Agencies: Bible Class. Public services: Sundays 90; other days 20. Holy Communion: public 12; private 1.

Chapel sittings 140.

Value of chapel \$500.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current Expenses \$23. Sunday-school \$8. Improvements \$2—total \$33.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.

General: Domestic Missions \$1. Foreign Missions \$1. Other Objects \$1—total \$3. *Aggregate* \$38.

We would be able to do a greater work here if we had funds.

Oxford, St. Stephen's Church; the Rev. FREDERICK H. T. HORSFIELD, Rector.

Families 52. Persons 225. Baptisms: infant 5; adult 1—total 6. Confirmed 14. Communicants: last reported 135; admitted 14; received 2; died 2; removed 4; present number 145. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 77. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Aid; Altar Guild; Woman's Auxiliary; Allied Groups on Mission and Parish Finance. Public services: Sundays 140; other days 143. Holy Communion: public 80; private 1.

Church sittings 350.

Value of church \$20,000; rectory \$2,500; other church property \$3,000—total \$25,500. Salary pledged Minister \$900. Indebtedness \$250.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$825. Current Expenses \$96.20. Sunday-school \$15. Improvements \$16.50. Insurance \$18. Other Objects \$169.94—total \$1,140.64.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions \$37.54. Thompson Orphanage \$15.32—total \$52.86.

General: General Missions \$50. General Clergy Relief \$6.10—total \$56.10. *Aggregate* \$1,249.60.

Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew's Church; the Rev. W. LAWTON MELLICHAMPE, Minister in Charge; Mr. H. A. LONDON, Lay Reader.

Families 11. Persons 56. Baptisms: infant 6; adult 2—total 8. Confirmed 6. Communicants: last reported 31; admitted 6; received 1; died 2; present number 36. Marriages 1. Burials 4. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 17. Public services: Sundays 70; other days 25. Holy Communion: public 12; private 1.

Church sittings 250.

Value of church \$1,500; rectory \$1,000—total \$2,500. Salary pledged Minister \$180. Insurance \$1,650.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$180. Current Expenses \$33.80—total \$213.80.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$25. Diocesan Missions \$65. Thompson Orphanage \$11.35—total \$101.35.

General: General Missions \$43.10. General Clergy Relief \$11.96—total \$55.06. *Aggregate* \$370.21.

I am yet giving regular monthly services at Gulf, and occasional services at Sanford.

Pittsboro, St. James' Chapel (colored); the Rev. J. E. KING,
Minister in Charge.

Families 7. Persons 82. Baptisms: infant 1. Confirmed 4. Communicants: last reported 33; admitted 4; died 1; removed 1; present number 35. Burials 2. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 67. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 20; other days 1. Holy Communion 8.

Church sittings 150.

Value of church \$1,200; school house \$80—total \$1,280. Insurance \$600.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current Expenses \$22.69. Sunday-school \$2.50—total \$25.19.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$4.15. Diocesan Missions \$22.61. Other Objects \$3.16—total \$29.92.

General: General Missions \$6.17. *Aggregate* \$61.28.

This is the only Mission for colored people in Chatham County. A Mission school is its greatest need, and if we could only have one, the good which would be accomplished through it could not be overestimated. I visit the Mission on the second Sunday of each month.

Raleigh, Christ Church; the Rev. MILTON A. BARBER, Rector; the Rev. R. PERCY EUBANKS, Assistant Minister.

Families 194. Baptisms: infant 17; adult 4—total 21. Confirmed 22. Communicants: last reported 402; admitted 22; received 16; restored 4; died 13; removed 5; withdrawn 2; present number 424. Marriages 7. Burials 20. Sunday-school teachers 12; scholars 150. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; St. Agnes' Guild; St. Timothy's Guild; Altar Guild; Parish Relief Society; St. Andrew's Brotherhood; Rector's Visiting Guild; St. Saviour's Parish Workers. Public services: Sundays 114; other days 157. Holy Communion: public 70; private 14.

Church sittings 600; chapel sittings 200.

Value of church \$50,000; chapel \$2,000; rectory \$8,000—total \$60,000. Salary pledged Minister \$2,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$284.10. Parish Missions \$1,171.80. Minister's Salary \$1,833.35. Current Expenses \$1,163.25. Sunday-school \$118.60. Improvements \$59.90. Insurance \$212.25. Other Objects \$500.30—total \$5,343.55.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$318.95. Diocesan Missions \$428.70. Thompson Orphanage \$638.90. Other Objects \$215—total \$1,601.55.

General: General Missions \$448.40. Domestic Missions \$234.60. Foreign Missions \$45. Jewish Missions \$2.75. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$13. General Clergy Relief \$123.50. Other Objects \$94.55—total \$961.80. *Aggregate* \$7,906.90.

Raleigh, Church of the Good Shepherd; the Rev. ISAAC McK. PITTENGER, D.D., Rector.

Families 140. Persons 725. Baptisms: infant 15; adult 7—total 22. Confirmed 28. Marriages 3. Burials 6. Communicants: last reported 386; admitted 28; received 27; restored 2; died 7; removed 11; withdrawn 2; present number 421. Sunday-school teachers 14; scholars 139. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; St. Mary's Guild; Relief Society; Altar Guild; Brotherhood of the Good Shepherd. Public services: Sundays 102; other days 128. Holy Communion: public 64; private 6.

Church sittings 400; chapel sittings 200.

Value of church \$6,000; rectory \$5,000; other church property \$20,000—total \$31,000. Insurance \$17,500. Salary pledged Minister \$1,500.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$179.24. Minister's salary \$1,375. Current Expenses \$557.92. Improvements \$123.63. Sunday-school \$164.82. Insurance \$18. Other Objects \$82.67—Total \$2,501.28.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$274.55. Diocesan Missions \$200.63. Educational Fund \$19.05. Thompson Orphanage \$135.34. Other Objects \$40.94—total \$670.51.

General: General Missions \$188.58. Domestic Missions \$81.09. Foreign Missions \$98.79. Colored Missions \$10. Jewish Missions \$19.28. Clergy Retiring Fund \$12—total \$409.74. *Aggregate* \$3,581.53.

The Building Fund is not included in the above report. Boxes valued at \$128.47 were sent to the Thompson Orphanage and to Walnut Cove.

Raleigh, Church of St. Ambrose (colored); the Rev. JAMES E. KING, Rector.

Families 38. Persons 353. Baptisms: infant 3; adult 4—total 7. Confirmed 11. Communicants: last reported 101; admitted 7; restored 1; died 2; removed 1; present number 110. Burials 2. Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 140. Parish-school teachers 3; scholars 200. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Church Aid; Altar Guild; Rector's Guild; Brotherhoods of St. Andrew. Public services: Sundays 104; other days 99. Holy Communion: public 32; private 1.

Value of church \$3,000; school house \$300—total \$3,300. Salary pledged Minister \$200. Insurance \$2,100.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$5. Current Expenses \$100.45. Sunday-school \$20.10. Improvements \$49.91. Other Objects \$12.65—total \$188.11.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$28.98. Diocesan Missions \$18.45. Other Objects \$13.21—total \$60.64.

General: General Missions \$11.53. Other Objects \$6—total \$17.53. *Aggregate* \$266.28.

I continue to go to the Penitentiary every first Sunday, and preach to the prisoners.

Raleigh, St. Augustine's Chapel (colored); the Rev. A. B. HUNTER, Minister in Charge.

Families 21. Persons 270. Baptisms: infant 2; adult 4—total 6. Confirmed 11. Communicants: last reported 158; removed 3; present number 155. Marriages 1. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers: white 3, colored 10; scholars 259. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; St. Andrew's Brotherhood. Public services: Sundays 160; other days 330. Holy Communion: public 50; private 1.

Church sittings 350.

Value of church \$10,000. Insurance \$2,700.

Disbursements—Parochial: Parish Missions \$12.25.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$25. Diocesan Missions \$154.11. Thompson Orphanage \$10. Other Objects \$243.54—total \$432.65.

General: General Missions \$96.03. Domestic Missions \$59.39. Foreign Missions \$116.97. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$24. American Church Building Fund \$18.72. Other Objects \$10—total \$325.11. *Aggregate* \$770.01.

Raleigh, St. Mary's Chapel; the Rev. GEORGE W. LAY, Rector.

Families 1. Confirmed 4. Communicants: last reported 10; admitted 4; removed 4; present number 10. Sunday-school teachers 6; scholars 150. Other Parish Agencies: Altar Guild; Woman's Auxiliary, one Chapter; Junior, six Chapters. Public services: Sundays 81; other days 406. Holy Communion 61.

Chapel sittings 400.

Value of chapel \$5,000; rectory \$2,500—total \$7,500.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current Expenses \$7.44. Other Objects \$29.30—total \$36.74.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$20. Diocesan Missions \$37.68. Education Fund \$6.88. Thompson Orphanage \$97.71. Other Objects \$53.19—total \$215.46.

General: General Missions \$127.42. Domestic Missions \$45.58. Foreign Missions \$56.14. Jewish Missions \$10. Sewanee \$7.01. General Clergy Relief \$11.90. American Church Building Fund \$7.41. Other Objects \$17.87—total \$283.33. *Aggregate* \$535.53.

Raleigh, St. Saviour's Chapel; the Rev. MILTON A. BARBER, Rector; the Rev. R. PERCY EUBANKS, Assistant Minister.

Families 16. Baptisms: infant 10. Communicants 34. Burials 2. Sunday-school teachers 6; scholars 100. Parish-school teachers 4; schol-

ars 70. Industrial-school teachers 3; scholars 10. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; Men's Brotherhood; Altar Guild; Aid Society. Public services: Sundays 106; other days 8. Holy Communion 10.

Chapel sittings 200.

Value of chapel \$2,000; other church property \$3,000—total \$5,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$5. Minister's Salary \$13. Current Expenses \$48.85. Sunday-school \$1.85. Improvements \$2.30. Other Objects \$13—total \$84.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$5.40. Diocesan Missions \$7.50. Other Objects \$1—total \$13.90.

General: General Missions \$14. Foreign Missions \$10. General Clergy Relief \$3—total \$27. *Aggregate* \$124.90.

This is a Mission of Christ Church, and ought not by right to have any assessments placed against it. It is almost entirely supported by the mother Parish. The Rector and his Assistant are doing regular mission work at Clayton and Method, of which no account is taken in this report or in the report of Christ Church, except the money contributed for the work at Method. The services at Method and Clayton are not reported.

Reidsville, St. Thomas' Church; the Rev. EDWIN A. OSBORNE, Archdeacon in Charge.

Families 20. Persons 66. Communicants: last reported 49; died 1; removed 1; present number 40. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 40. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary. Public services: Sundays 6; other days 3. Holy Communion 2.

Value of church \$3,000. Salary pledged Minister \$300. Indebtedness \$125.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current Expenses \$25. Sunday-school \$20 total \$45.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions \$30. Thompson Orphanage \$5—Total \$35.

General: General Missions \$4.70. *Aggregate* \$84.70.

This Parish has had no minister for more than a year. The Archdeacon has visited it three times and conducted the services mentioned in the report and celebrated the Holy Communion each visit. The congregation has also paid the amount due the former rector.

Ridgeway, Church of the Good Shepherd; the Rev. FRANCIS JOYNER, Rector.

Families 9. Persons 44. Baptisms: infant 2; adult 1—total 3. Confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 32; admitted 2; removed 2; present number 32. Public services: Sundays 17. Holy Communion 7.

Value of church \$1,000; rectory \$1,000—total \$2,000. Salary pledged Minister \$100.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$118.75. Current Expenses \$7.50—total \$126.25.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$4. Diocesan Missions \$22.68. Thompson Orphanage \$5. Other Objects \$3.28—total \$34.96.

General: General Missions \$14.75. Foreign Missions \$13.47—total \$28.22. *Aggregate* \$189.43.

Ringwood, St. Clement's Church; the Rev. H. H. PHELPS,
Minister in Charge.

Families 1. Persons 7. Communicants: last reported 9; present number 7. Public services: Sundays 10; other days 5. Holy Communion 2. Church sittings 200.

Value of church \$2,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$25. Current Expenses \$15—total \$40.

This report covers nine months only.

Roanoke Rapids, All Saints' Church; the Rev. H. H. PHELPS,
Minister in Charge.

Families 6. Persons 20. Confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 10; present number 11. Public services: Sundays 19; other days 9. Holy Communion 3.

Value of chapel \$1,000. Salary pledged Minister \$125.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$93.75. Current Expenses \$24.40. Sunday-school \$3.98. Other Objects \$8—total \$130.13.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$14.55. Diocesan Missions \$14.37—total \$28.92. *Aggregate* \$159.05.

My work at this place includes ten months. No Sunday-school because no teachers.

Rockingham, Church of the Messiah; the Rev. EDWIN A.
OSBORNE, Archdeacon in Charge.

Families 10. Communicants: last reported 25; present number 30. Sunday-school teachers 6; scholars 34. Public services: Sundays 11; other days 2. Holy Communion 8.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church \$2,500. Salary pledged Minister \$250.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$62.55.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$8.37. Diocesan Missions \$20—total \$28.37.

General: General Missions \$8.15. *Aggregate* \$99.07.

This Mission has been without a pastor for some two years with the exception of about two months. The Archdeacon has given an occasional service and celebration of the Holy Communion. A good Sunday-school and lay services are conducted by Mr. B. Swift Davis.

Rocky Mount, Church of the Good Shepherd; the Rev. R. B. OWENS, Rector.

Families 76. Baptisms: infant 15; adult 6—total 21. Communicants: last reported 199; received 11; restored 1; removed 7; present number 204. Marriages 3. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 9; scholars 100. Other Parish Agencies: Young Women's Guild; Chancel Guild; Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 83; other days 56. Holy Communion 48.

Value of church \$20,000; rectory \$5,000—total \$25,000. Insurance \$8,500. Indebtedness on property \$3,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$1,100. Current Expenses \$164.41. Sunday-school \$37.71. Improvements \$13,606.83. Insurance \$102.77. Other Objects \$189.87—total \$15,201.59.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$136.20. Diocesan Missions \$89.71. Thompson Orphanage \$83.71. Other Objects \$38.20—total \$347.82.

General: General Missions \$91.53. Domestic Missions \$20. Foreign Missions \$22.50. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$12. General Clergy Relief \$20.39. Other Objects \$15—total \$181.42. *Aggregate* \$15,730.83.

In addition to the services reported I have officiated at one funeral and two weddings in Wilson, and at one wedding in Halifax, the Rector being absent in each case. Also have held monthly services at Spring Hope and baptized one infant there. During the past year we have entirely remodeled the Church, turning it into a beautiful structure, more in keeping with what a Church should be. We have also installed a handsome pipe organ costing \$2,300, have vested the choir, and members of the congregation have placed many handsome memorials in the Church, among them an altar, in memory of Rev. Chas. Fetter, erected by the congregation as a tribute to a former Rector whom they deeply loved. Also a handsome Reredos, Angel Lectern, Pulpit, Communion Rail, Processional Cross, and Eucharistic Candlesticks. And last, but by no means least, a very handsome and comfortable Rectory has been built, and is now occupied by the Rector and his family. In doing this, the Trustee of the Jordan fund secured the consent of the court to use the "Endowment" for this purpose, the congregation adding about \$1,700 to the "Endowment" fund, and agreeing to keep the property fully insured. This is noted, to account for the absence of the item "Endowment" from this report.

Rowan County, St. Jude's Chapel.

Families 20. Persons 60. Communicants 25. Public services: Sundays 6. Holy Communion 1.

Chapel sittings 80.

Value of chapel \$450.

Since the death of Dr. Murdoch and the removal of the Rev. Mr. Blackwelder to Florida it has been impossible to maintain all of the regular services of the Rowan County Churches. This report is as full as it can be made from the records that were left.

Rowan County, St. Mark's Church; the Rev. S. J. M. BROWN,
Minister in Charge.

Families 4. Persons 6. Communicants: last reported 10; present number 6. Public services: Sundays 11; other days 5. Holy Communion 1.

Church sittings 100.

Value of church \$250.

Disbursements—Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50.

Rowan County, St. Mary's Church.

Persons 46. Communicants 24. Public services: Sundays 8. Holy Communion 2.

Chapel sittings 120.

Value of church \$1,000; other church property \$700—total \$1,700.

Rowan County, St. Matthew's Church.

Families 25. Persons 60. Baptisms: infant 2. Communicants 43. Marriages 1. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 50. Public services: Sundays 8. Holy Communion 1.

Church sittings 120.

Value of church \$700. Insurance \$500.

Salisbury, St. Luke's Church; the Rev. THADDEUS A. CHEATHAM, Rector.

Families 91. Persons 276. Baptisms: infant 3. Confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 160; admitted 2; received 1; restored 16; died 4; removed 3; withdrawn 1; present number 171. Marriages 2. Burials 8. Sunday-school teachers 9; scholars 160. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Daughters of the King; St. Andrew's Brotherhood; St. Luke's Guild; St. Agnes' Guild. Public services: Sundays 112; other days 43. Holy Communion: public 35; private 7.

Church sittings 300.

Value of church \$27,000; rectory \$5,000—total \$32,000. Salary pledged Minister \$837.50. Indebtedness on property \$700.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$24. Minister's Salary \$837.50. Current Expenses \$130—total \$991.50.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$109.65. Diocesan Missions \$200. Thompson Orphanage \$80.78. Other Objects \$83.95—total \$474.38.

General: General Missions \$32.25. Foreign Missions \$15.18. General Clergy Relief \$12.60. Other Objects \$3.86—total \$63.89. *Aggregate* \$1,529.77.

The Church has been enlarged to twice the seating capacity and new chancel furniture has been ordered, including a memorial altar to the late Rector. The Rectory has been made comfortable and attractive. Two new Guilds have been organized and although the Parish has not yet recovered from the shock of the sudden death of Dr. Murdoch, who was so generally beloved, yet there is universal resolution to carry on the Master's work valiantly.

Salisbury, St. John's Chapel.

Persons 40. Communicants 7. Public services: Sundays 7. Chapel sittings 80. Value of chapel \$500; endowments \$2,000—total \$2,500.

Salisbury, St. Peter's Chapel.

Families 10. Persons 60. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants 21. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 42. Public services: Sundays 18. Holy Communion 4. Chapel sittings 120. Value of chapel \$800. Insurance \$400.

Sanford, St. Thomas' Church; the Rev. N. C. HUGHES, Archdeacon in Charge.

Families 8. Persons 20. Baptisms: infant 1. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 16; admitted 1; removed 3; present number 14. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 26. Public services: Sundays 6; other days 1. Holy Communion 3. Chapel sittings 125. Value of chapel \$1,500. *Disbursements—Parochial:* Minister's traveling expenses \$9.

Satterwhite, St. Simeon's Church (colored); the Rev. CHARLES HENRY MALE, Minister in Charge.

Families 18. Persons 76. Baptisms: infant 2. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 51; admitted 1; present number 52. Burials 2. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 50. Other Parish Agencies: St. Andrew's Brotherhood; Mothers' Meeting. Public services: Sundays 13. Holy Communion: public 6; private 1. Church sittings 250. Value of church \$1,000; other church property \$40—total \$1,040.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current Expenses \$6. Sunday-school \$4. Other Objects \$6—total \$16.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.

General: Domestic Missions \$2. *Aggregate* \$20.

The Minister in charge could accomplish much if he had the money to increase the usefulness of the mission.

Scotland Neck, Trinity Church; the Rev. CLEMENT GRANELLE BRADLEY, Rector.

Families 63. Persons 175. Baptisms: infant 13. Confirmed 4. Communicants: last reported 106; admitted 4; restored 8; died 4; present number 114. Burials 8. Sunday-school teachers 9; scholars 75. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; Brotherhood of St. Andrew; St. Agnes' Guild; Altar Guild; Orphanage Guild. Public services: Sundays 103; other days 102. Holy Communion: public 50; private 2.

Church sittings 350; chapel sittings 250.

Value of church \$5,000; chapel \$3,000; rectory \$4,000—total \$12,000. Salary pledged Minister \$700. Insurance \$6,100. Indebtedness on property \$1,500.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$22.49. Minister's Salary \$540. Current Expenses \$119.81. Sunday-school \$26.25. Improvements \$2,006.40. Insurance \$16.90. Other Objects \$54.21—total \$2,786.06.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$44.75. Diocesan Missions \$36.45. Education Fund \$3.36. Thompson Orphanage \$23.48. Other Objects \$32.71—total \$140.75.

General: General Missions \$6.20. Domestic Missions \$8.89. Foreign Missions \$8.23. General Clergy Relief \$9.72. American Church Building Fund \$5.01—total \$38.05. *Aggregate* \$2,964.86.

The present Rector took charge on July 1, 1909.

Selma, St. Gabriel's Chapel; the Rev. S. M. HANFF, Minister in Charge.

Families 4. Persons 16. Baptisms: infant 2. Communicants: admitted 3; present number 9. Other Parish Agencies: Ladies' Aid; Auxiliary. Public services: Sundays 16. Holy Communion 1.

Chapel sittings 150.

Value of church \$2,500. Salary pledged Minister \$36. Insurance \$1,500.

Disbursements—Parochial: Improvements \$100.

General: \$46. *Aggregate* \$146.

Smithfield, Church of the Transfiguration; the Rev. S. M. HANFF, Minister in Charge.

Families 14. Persons 42. Baptisms: infant 3. Communicants: last reported 25; received 3; present number 28. Burials 1. Other Parish

Agencies: Auxiliary; Ladies' Aid. Public services: Sundays 27; other days 3. Holy Communion 8.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church \$1,250; rectory \$1,000—total \$2,250. Salary pledged Minister \$170. Insurance \$1,500.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$170. Current Expenses \$2—total \$172.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$15. Diocesan Missions \$10. Thompson Orphanage \$10—total \$35.

General: General Missions \$4. Other Objects \$20—total \$24. *Aggregate* \$231.

Southern Pines, Emmanuel Church.

Families 18. Baptisms: infant 1. Communicants 27. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 15. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 18; other days 17. Holy Communion 7.

Church sittings 96.

Value of church \$2,000. Insurance \$1,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Sunday-school \$1.50. Improvements \$183.70—total \$185.20.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$28.50. Diocesan Missions \$22.50. Thompson Orphanage \$7.25. Other Objects \$14.02—total \$72.27.

General: General Missions \$35.49. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$7.25. General Clergy Relief \$7.25—total \$49.99. *Aggregate* \$307.46.

After the resignation of the Rev. Henry T. Gregory, January 1, 1909, there were only occasional services till the Rev. S. C. Thompson came in November last. During the missionary's absence on one Sunday in each month, services were supplied mostly by Rev. H. T. Gregory and Rev. A. E. Johnson. The Rev. Mr. Thompson has recently resigned his charge and removed to Florida.

Speed, St. Mary's Chapel; the Rev. BERTRAM E. BROWN, Minister in Charge.

Families 12. Persons 75. Baptisms: infant 3; adult 6—total 9. Confirmed 3. Communicants: last reported 20; admitted 3; present number 20. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 5; scholars 75. Public services: Sundays 53; other days 3.

Chapel sittings 200.

Value of chapel \$1,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$24.51. Current Expenses \$2.50. Sunday-school \$30.68—total \$57.69.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50. Diocesan Missions \$8.62. Thompson Orphanage \$4—total \$15.12.

General: General Missions \$21.58. *Aggregate* \$94.39.

Spencer, St. Joseph's Chapel.

Persons 16. Communicants 5. Public services: Sundays 24.

Chapel sittings 80.

Value of chapel \$800. Insurance \$400. Indebtedness on property \$200.

Spray, St. Luke's Chapel; the Rev. GEO. M. TOLSON, Minister in Charge.

Families 5. Persons 11. Communicants: present number 4. Marriages 1. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 140. Public services: Sundays 26; other days 20. Holy Communion 8.

Chapel sittings 50.

Value of chapel \$250. Salary pledged Minister \$650.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$3.50. Minister's Salary \$162.50. Current Expenses \$15.85—total \$181.85.

General: General Missions \$12.16. *Aggregate* \$194.01.

I came to Spray December 1st. We had no organization whatever till January. Had only a very small Sunday-school. In January the Bishop appointed a committee of gentlemen interested in the work to act as a board of management. We have no canonical organization yet, as we have no material for such organization.

Statesville, Chapel of the Holy Cross (colored); the Rev. P. P. ALSTON, Minister in Charge.

Families 5. Persons 16. Baptisms: infant 5. Communicants: last reported 7; restored 2; present number 9. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 28. Public services 10. Holy Communion 3.

Church sittings 100.

Value of chapel \$600.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$2. Current Expenses \$17. Sunday-school \$2. Improvements \$12—total \$33.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50. Diocesan Missions \$2—total \$4.50. *Aggregate* \$37.50.

We are very glad to say that the prospects for the growth of the work at Statesville are growing brighter, and we trust that the day is not far distant when we shall have quite a flourishing mission work there.

Statesville, Trinity Church; the Rev. E. A. OSBORNE, Minister in Charge.

Families 14. Persons 68. Baptisms: infant 5; adult 1—total 6. Communicants: last reported 42; removed 2; present number 40. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 12. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's

Auxiliary; Parish Guild. Public services: Sundays 40; other days 39. Holy Communion 21.

Value of church \$3,000; rectory \$1,000—total \$4,000. Salary pledged Minister \$350.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$2. Minister's Salary \$364. Current Expenses \$19.16. Other Objects \$5—total \$390.16.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$21.60. Diocesan Missions \$30. Education Fund \$2.75. Thompson Orphanage \$3.10—total \$57.45.

General: General Missions \$18.05. Jewish Missions \$1.25—total \$19.30. *Aggregate* \$466.91.

I have been giving two Sundays and several week days each month to this work, besides my work as Archdeacon during the year, and devoting the salary received therefor to the mission work in the Convocation.

Stokes County, Knowlhurst Chapel; the Rev. ALFRED R. BERKELEY, Minister in Charge; the Rev. C. P. WILLCOX, Assistant Minister.

Families 4. Persons 50. Baptisms: adult 1. Confirmed 3. Communicants 2. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 25. Public services: Sundays 19; other days 5. Holy Communion 1.

Church sittings 100.

Value of church \$250.

Disbursements—Parochial: \$4.72.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50. Diocesan Missions \$5. Thompson Orphanage \$.94. Other Objects \$1—total \$9.44.

General: General Missions \$1.22. Sewanee \$.34. General Clergy Relief \$.60. American Church Building Fund \$.25—total \$2.41. *Aggregate* \$16.57.

Stoneville, Emmanuel Church; the Rev. ALFRED R. BERKELEY, Minister in Charge; Mr. N. S. SMITH, Lay Reader.

Families 8. Persons 20. Communicants 12. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 10. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary. Public services: Sundays 20; other days 8. Holy Communion 2.

Church sittings 200.

Value of church \$1,000. Salary pledged Minister \$25. Insurance \$750.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$22.92. Current Expenses \$2. Sunday-school \$2—total \$26.92.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$2.50. Diocesan Missions \$2.35. Thompson Orphanage \$1.40. Other Objects \$1.53—total \$7.78.

General: General Missions \$6.41. Domestic Missions \$.40. Foreign Missions \$.60. Sewanee \$1. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$.25. General Clergy Relief \$.56. American Church Building Fund \$1.28. Other Objects \$.25—total \$10.75. *Aggregate* \$45.45.

Tarboro, Calvary Church; the Rev. BERTRAM E. BROWN,
Rector.

Baptisms: infant 18; adult 28—total 46. Confirmed 47. Communicants: last reported 274; admitted 47; received 7; died 1; removed 2; present number 325. Marriages 7. Burials 6. Sunday-school teachers 13; scholars 90. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries; Altar Guild; Parish Aid Society; Rector's Aid Society; St. Andrew's Brotherhoods; Cotton Mills Mission; Sunday-school at Parker's Farm. Public services: Sundays 154; other days 157. Holy Communion: public 53; private 4.

Church sittings 700; chapel sittings 200.

Value of church \$25,000; chapel \$4,000; rectory \$6,000—total \$35,000. Salary pledged Minister \$1,500. Insurance \$8,200.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$28. Parish Missions \$29.25. Minister's Salary \$1,450. Current Expenses \$553.92. Improvements \$118.06. Insurance \$34. Other Objects \$68.29—total \$2,281.52.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$163.65. Diocesan Missions \$100. Thompson Orphanage \$37.61. Other Objects \$12.99—total \$314.25.

General: Foreign Missions \$140. *Aggregate* \$2,735.77.

Tarboro, St. Luke's Church (colored); the Rev. J. W. PERRY,
Rector.

Families 16. Persons 188. Baptisms: infant 5; adult 3—total 8. Confirmed 6. Communicants: last reported 80; admitted 6; restored 1; died 1; present number 86. Marriages 1. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 8; scholars 90. Parish school teachers 3; scholars 140. Sewing school teachers 3; scholars 140. Other Parish Agencies: St. Luke's Guild; Auxiliaries; Mission Helpers; Altar Guild; Junior Brotherhood. Public services: Sundays 98; other days 96. Holy Communion 14.

Church sittings 280.

Value of church \$3,500. Salary pledged Minister \$120. Insurance \$2,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$2.50. Minister's Salary \$120. Current Expenses \$43.24. Sunday-school \$27.35—total \$193.09.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$20.20. Diocesan Missions \$14. Other Objects \$3.25—total \$37.45.

General: General Missions \$32. *Aggregate* \$262.54.

Wadesboro, Calvary Church; the Rev. W. H. BALL, Rector.

Families 32. Persons 149. Baptisms: infant 11; adult 2—total 13. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 79; admitted 1; died 1; removed 3; withdrawn 17; present number 59. Marriages 2. Burials 2. Sunday-school teachers 6; scholars 50. Other Parish Agencies: Auxili-

aries; Altar Guild; Parish Guild. Public services: Sundays 76; other days 121. Holy Communion: public 35; private 3.

Church sittings 275; chapel sittings 150.

Value of church \$7,500; chapel \$250; rectory \$4,800—total \$12,550. Salary pledged Minister \$600. Insurance \$2,500. Indebtedness on property \$1,350.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's salary \$600. Current Expenses \$82.16. Improvements \$14.36. Other Objects \$2.80—total \$699.32.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$56. Diocesan Missions \$55.41. Thompson Orphanage \$13.75. Other Objects \$4.37—total \$129.53.

General: General Missions \$45. General Clergy Relief \$4.80. American Church Building Fund \$2—total \$51.80. *Aggregate* \$880.65.

Walnut Cove, Christ Church; the Rev. ALFRED R. BERKELEY, Minister in Charge; the Rev. C. P. WILLCOX, Assistant Minister.

Families: white 19; colored 1. Persons: white 60; colored 1. Baptisms: adult 2. Confirmed 4. Communicants: last reported 23; admitted 3; received 1; present number 27. Marriages 1. Sunday-school teachers 6; scholars 75. Other Parish Agencies: Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 21; other days 10. Holy Communion 3.

Church sittings 250.

Value of church \$1,500. Salary pledged Minister \$85. Indebtedness on property \$125.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$83. Sunday-school \$5. Improvements \$594.93. Other Objects \$3.91—total \$686.84.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$12. Diocesan Missions \$9.49. Thompson Orphanage \$4.89. Other Objects \$1—total \$27.38.

General: General Missions \$7.12. Sewanee \$.51. General Clergy Relief \$.50. American Church Building Fund \$.50—total \$8.63. *Aggregate* \$722.85.

Monthly services held at the home of Mr. Joel Blackburn, four miles from Walnut Cove, are included in this report.

Warren County, St. Luke's Chapel (colored); the Rev. H. B. DELANY, Archdeacon in Charge; Mr. VIRGIL N. BOND, Lay Reader..

Families 7. Persons 47. Baptisms: infant 2; adult 1—total 3. Communicants 12. Sunday-school teachers 2; scholars 23. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary. Public services: Sundays 8. Holy Communion 3.

Chapel sittings 150.

Value of chapel \$200. Salary pledged Minister \$12. Indebtedness on Minister's Salary \$6.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$6. Sunday-school \$1.44—total \$7.44.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions \$9.25.

General: General Missions \$2. *Aggregate* \$18.69.

By appointment of the Bishop and Archdeacon, the Lay Reader has been holding monthly services here since last report, and has spent from two to three days each month in private visitation to families.

Warrenton, All Saints' Chapel (colored); the Rev. H. B. DELAXY, Archdeacon in Charge; Mr. OTIS GREEN, Lay Reader.

Families 13. Baptisms: infant 4; adult 1—total 5. Confirmed 2. Communicants: last reported 33; admitted 2; died 1; removed 2; present number 31. Marriages 1. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 4; scholars 43. Parish school teachers 1; scholars 33. Public services: Sundays 25; other days 2. Holy Communion: public 7; private 1.

Chapel sittings 200.

Value of chapel \$600. Insurance \$300.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$38. Current Expenses \$18.33. Sunday-school \$38.10. Insurance \$5—total \$99.43.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$5. Diocesan Missions \$10.31. Education Fund \$36.80—total \$52.11.

General: General Missions \$10.06. General Clergy Relief \$2—total \$12.06. *Aggregate* \$163.60.

We feel that the work here is progressing: at least the present indications point that way. We indulge the hope that in the very near future we shall see the foundation of our new church edifice laid somewhere. Our members seem to be aroused as never before to advance the cause which our Church has always stood for, from time immemorial.

Warrenton, Emmanuel Church; the Rev. J. COLEMAN HORTON, Rector.

Families 30. Persons 150. Baptisms: infant 3. Confirmed 3. Communicants: last reported 90; admitted 3; received 5; died 3; removed 18; present number 77. Marriages 2. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 8; scholars 53. Other Parish Agencies: Emmanuel Guild; Auxiliaries; Junior Brotherhood of St. Andrew. Public services: Sundays 73; other days 121. Holy Communion: public 32; private 1.

Church sittings 250.

Value of church \$3,500; rectory \$2,000; other church property \$1,000—total \$6,500. Salary pledged Minister \$400. Insurance \$5,250.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$400. Current Expenses

\$125. Sunday-school \$25. Improvements \$8.50. Insurance \$79.50—total \$638.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$59.65. Diocesan Missions \$23. Thompson Orphanage \$16.37. Other Objects \$41.80—total \$140.82.

General: General Missions \$60.11. Domestic Missions \$7. Foreign Missions \$1. Clergymen's Retiring Fund \$2—total \$70.11. *Aggregate* \$848.93.

A box valued at \$76 was sent to the Thompson Orphanage.

Weldon, Grace Church; the Rev. H. H. PHELPS, Rector.

Families 23. Persons 81. Baptisms: infant 2. Confirmed 1. Communicants: last reported 52; present number 55. Marriages 4. Burials 2. Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 43. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Parish Guild. Public services: Sundays 90; other days 86. Holy Communion 25.

Church sittings 300.

Value of church \$3,000; rectory \$1,000—total \$4,000. Salary pledged Minister \$400. Insurance \$1,500.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$6. Minister's Salary \$366.67. Current Expenses \$90. Sunday-school \$23.15. Improvements \$80.69. Insurance \$14.25—total \$580.76.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$56.50. Diocesan Missions \$40. Thompson Orphanage \$82. Other Objects \$87.29—total \$265.79.

General: General Missions \$50. *Aggregate* \$896.55.

Williamsboro, St. John's Church; the Rev. J. COLEMAN HURTON, Rector.

Families 5. Persons 38. Communicants: white 19; colored 2. Burials 1. Public services: Sundays 12; other days 1. Holy Communion 11. Church sittings 200.

Value of church \$1,500. Salary pledged Minister \$75.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$76.80. Current Expenses \$3.30—total \$80.10.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$17.95. Diocesan Missions \$10. Other Objects \$6.70—total \$34.65.

General: General Missions \$4. *Aggregate* \$118.75.

A handsomely framed portrait of the Rt. Rev. John Starke Ravenscroft, D.D., first Bishop of North Carolina, was kindly presented by Marshall DeLancey Haywood, Esq., Historiographer of the Diocese, and author of "Lives of the Bishops of North Carolina," to old St. John's Church, Williamsboro. Bishop Ravenscroft at the time of his death was resident at Williamsboro. In the vestry room of the church still remains the study chair of the Bishop.

Wilson, St. Mark's Chapel (colored); the Rev. ROBERT N. PERRY, Minister in Charge.

Families 25. Persons 88. Baptisms: infant 3. Confirmed 4. Communicants: last reported 33; admitted 4; died 1; present number 36. Marriages 4. Burials 1. Sunday-school teachers 5. Parish school teachers 2; scholars 132. Other Parish Agencies: Woman's Auxiliary; Woman's Aid Society; Altar Guild. Public services: Sundays 100; other days 59. Holy Communion 19.

Chapel sittings 250.

Value of chapel \$1,200; other church property \$1,050—total \$2,250. Salary pledged Minister \$60. Insurance \$1,550. Indebtedness on property \$27.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$10.73. Minister's Salary \$60. Current Expenses \$6.77. Sunday-school \$6.20. Improvements \$103.35—total \$187.05.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$8.50. Other Objects \$2—total \$10.50.

General: General Missions \$4. *Aggregate* \$201.55.

Wilson, St. Timothy's Church; the Rev. EVAN ALEXANDER EDWARDS, Rector.

Families 65. Persons 200. Baptisms: infant 7; adult 6—total 13. Confirmed 9. Communicants: last reported 142; admitted 9; received 5; restored 2; died 2; removed 1; withdrawn 1; present number 130. Marriages 4. Burials 6. Sunday-school teachers 7; scholars 66. Other Parish Agencies: St. Timothy's Guild; St. Agnes' Guild; Altar Guild; Auxiliaries. Public services: Sundays 134; other days 46. Holy Communion: public 50; private 4.

Church sittings 400.

Value of church \$28,000; rectory \$2,000—total \$30,000. Salary pledged Minister \$1,200. Insurance \$13,500. Indebtedness on property \$5,000.

Disbursements: Minister's Salary \$667. Current Expenses \$60. Sunday-school \$25. Improvements \$200. Other Objects \$1,400—total \$2,352.

Diocesan: Thompson Orphanage \$35. Other Objects \$5.29—total \$40.29.

General: Domestic Missions \$15. *Aggregate* \$2,407.29.

Present Rector in charge since December 10th. A vacancy of six months accounts for the incompleteness of this report.

Winston-Salem, St. Paul's Church; the Rev. HENRY TELLER COCKE, Rector.

Baptisms: infant 3; adult 1—total 4. Confirmed 12. Communicants: last reported 161; admitted 12; received 5; died 2; removed 3; with-

drawn 2; present number 171. Marriages 3. Burials 2. Sunday-school teachers 11; scholars 91. Public services: Sundays 94; other days 33. Holy Communion: public 52; private 1.

Church sittings 400.

Value of church \$30,000; rectory \$500—total \$30,500. Salary pledged Minister \$1,200. Insurance \$10,600. Indebtedness on property \$1,000.

Disbursements—Parochial: Alms \$10. Minister's Salary, \$1,160. Current Expenses \$342.81. Sunday-school \$90.97. Other Objects \$104.35—total \$1,708.13.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$158.10. Diocesan Missions \$32.05. Thompson Orphanage \$28—total \$218.15.

General: General Missions \$40. Foreign Missions \$19. General Clergy Relief \$11.70—total \$70.70. *Aggregate* \$1,996.98.

The work among the colored people is not included in this report, but is shown in a report from the Rev. J. K. Satterwhite, Deacon, who is now in charge of St. Stephen's Mission Chapel. Since the last report this congregation has moved into a new church building, constructed of Mt. Airy granite. Furniture from the old church was given to the colored mission, with the exception of memorials. Contract has been let for an organ to cost \$2,450, to be installed June 15, 1910. The Vestry has given an order for the drawing of the plans of a Rectory, which will be constructed of Mt. Airy granite. Building to begin in June.

Winston-Salem, St. Stephen's Chapel (colored); the Rev.

JAS. K. SATTERWHITE, Minister in Charge.

Families 5. Persons 18. Baptisms: infant 4. Communicants: died 1; removed 1; present number 8. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 70. Kindergarten teachers 1; scholars 17. Other Parish Agencies: Girls' Sewing Circle. Public services: Sundays 36; other days 8. Holy Communion: public 3; private 1.

Chapel sittings 200.

Value of chapel \$600; other church property \$200—total \$800. Salary pledged Minister \$60. Indebtedness on Minister's Salary \$10.

Disbursements—Parochial: Current Expenses \$2.05. Sunday-school \$4.49. Improvements \$205.34. Other Objects \$39.10—total \$250.98.

Diocesan: Diocesan Missions \$2.

General: General Missions \$5.32. *Aggregate* \$258.30.

I took permanent charge of the work here last June, and the prospects at present are bright. During Holy Week a mission was conducted, and the influence of the same is being felt throughout the community. The work has been placed upon a firm basis, and in the future we are looking for substantial growth in a material way as well as spiritual.

Woodleaf, St. Andrew's Parish; the Rev. S. J. M. BROWN,
Minister in Charge.

Families 19. Persons 87. Confirmed 3. Communicants: last reported 48; admitted 3; died 1; present number 50. Burials 3. Sunday-school teachers 3; scholars 15. Public services: Sundays 26; other days 7. Holy Communion 2.

Church sittings 300; chapel sittings 200.

Value of church \$450; chapel \$600; rectory \$600—total \$1,650. Salary pledged Minister \$50. Indebtedness on property \$170; on Minister's Salary \$21.50.

Disbursements—Parochial: Minister's Salary \$29.50.

Diocesan: Episcopal and Contingent Fund \$10. Diocesan Missions \$8.39. Education Fund \$.50. Other Objects \$3.31—total \$22.20.

General: General Missions \$2.65. Sewanee \$1.76. General Clergy Relief \$.50. American Church Building Fund \$.50—total \$5.41. *Aggregate* \$57.11.

I baptized one child in Concord, with the consent of the Rev. Dr. Davis.

THE BISHOP has received satisfactory PERSONAL REPORTS, as required by Canon, from the Rev. Messrs. WILLIAM WALKER, WM. H. MEADE, D.D., JULIAN E. INGLE and THOMAS B. BAILEY.

REPORT OF THE ARCHDEACON OF THE CONVOCATION OF
CHARLOTTE.

To the Right Reverend JOSEPH B. CHESHIRE, D.D.,
Bishop of North Carolina:

During the past year I have conducted in whole or in part one hundred and fifty-four public services, celebrated the Holy Communion or assisted in the same seventy-eight times, baptized eight persons, and conducted in whole or in part fourteen burial services. I have held the usual Convocation and district meetings; attended the Missionary Council in Montgomery, Alabama; the Layman's Missionary Meeting in Greensboro, and the Layman's Meeting or Conference in Raleigh; attended an extra meeting of the Board of Managers of the Thompson Orphanage and Training Institution, and visited the following places in the Convocation, most of them several times, and holding services: High Point, Thomasville, Wadesboro, Raleigh, Woodleaf, Rockingham, Hamlet, Laurinburg, Laurel Hill, Mount Mourne, Davidson, Huntersville, St. Mark's Church, Mecklenburg; Mooresville, St. James' Church, Iredell County; St. Andrew's Church and St. Mark's Church, Rowan County; Cooleemee Cotton Mills and Cooleemee Plantation, Salisbury, Spencer, St. Martin's, St. Andrew's, St. Peter's, Chapel of Hope, and Church of the Holy Comforter, Charlotte; St. Michael's School, Charlotte; Reidsville, Leaksville, Spray, Germanton, Statesville, Mayodan and Mt. Airy. I have special charge of Trinity Church, Statesville, holding services two Sundays each month.

In reviewing the work of the past year I can but feel that, while all has been done that lay within my power, yet the work has not progressed as satisfactorily throughout the Convocation as it should. The lack of ministers in our missions and weak parishes has been ruinous to a great extent. For instance, the following congregations have been without regular services for almost the entire year, namely: Reidsville, Mt. Airy, Rockingham, Hamlet, Laurinburg, St. James' in Iredell County, St. Matthew's, St. Jude's and St. Mary's, Rowan County. And now, St. Mark's Church, Mecklenburg, and St. Mary's Church, High Point, are vacant by the departure to other fields of the Rev. Messrs. Eubanks and Guignard.

It is encouraging, however, and refreshing, to turn to those places where ministers have been maintained and pastoral work has been done; as in the work under the charge of the Rev. Messrs. Berkeley, Brown, Eubanks, Fetter (now deceased), Osborne and Thompson; and I hope I may be pardoned if I mention the work in Statesville. In all these places the work has gone forward, the people have been encouraged, and have come up to some measure of their duties as Churchmen; and the Church has been fully justified in the effort that has been made to support these missions.

Through the generous assistance of a few individuals supplementing the apportionment funds, we have been able to support the ministers actually in the field: but we have not been able to offer adequate support to induce men to engage to carry on the work in all the vacant places. It is true there is a good balance in the treasury now, thanks to the great generosity of a friend, whose name is withheld by request, and with the prospect of receiving part of the generous legacy left us by the late Hon. Wm. P. Bynum, whose noble benefactions for many years have assisted in the support of our missions, our financial condition is more hopeful. And this fact should stimulate us all to greater efforts; surely such examples of individual generosity as the Treasurer's report displays can not fail to arouse in the hearts of our laymen a more general spirit of liberality and enthusiasm than has generally prevailed in the past. An abstract of the Treasurer's report is submitted herewith.

E. A. OSBORNE,
Archdeacon.

ABSTRACT OF THE REPORT OF C. L. FRICK, TREASURER OF THE CONVOCATION OF CHARLOTTE, FROM MAY 1, 1909, TO APRIL 15, 1910.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand May 1, 1909.....		\$114.59
Received on apportionment	\$1,310.05	
Archdeacon's collections	1,496.52	
Contributions through Treasurer	177.00	
From Junior Auxiliary	3.33	
From Woman's Auxiliary	66.75	
Ministers' Salary Account	650.30	
Offerings at Meeting of Convocation	25.82	
Advent Mite Boxes	155.77	
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		\$4,000.13

DISBURSEMENTS.

Stipends	\$2,643.91	
Expenses of Archdeacon	245.95	
Meeting of Convocation	48.93	
Printing and postage	14.90	
Mite Boxes	24.50	
Expenses of Rev. A. R. Berkeley.....	3.00	
Treasurer's commissions	47.00	
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Total disbursements	\$3,028.19	
Balance on hand	971.94	
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REPORT OF THE ARCHDEACON OF THE CONVOCATION OF
RALEIGH.

To the Rt. Rev. JOS. BLOUNT CHESHIRE, D.D.,
Bishop of North Carolina:

The sum of my official acts between the dates April 30, 1909, and April 1, 1910, is as follows:

Places visited	46
Services, whole or in part.....	89
Sermons and addresses	104
Celebrations—Public	8
Private	1 9
Baptisms—Infants	3
Adults	4 7
Candidates for Confirmation presented.....	2
Marriages	1
Burials	2

During the year I have held series of services at Clayton, St. Saviour's, Raleigh, Gulf and Sanford; at Clayton, assisted by Rev. Milton A. Barber, and at Sanford, by Rev. Sidney S. Bost. At St. Saviour's I preached, the services being taken by the Rector and his assistant.

Much of my time has been taken up in attending numerous conferences and committee meetings; also in seeking interviews with many individual Clergy and laymen relative to various concerns of the missionary work of the Convocation. I have visited not a few places to seek the stray members of the Church and to get knowledge of the situation in those localities.

Since January, 1910, Rev. Sidney S. Bost, of Durham, has most willingly undertaken to give at least monthly service on a week day at Holly Springs, and this he does without any hope of remuneration.

In the same month I held services for the first time at Wendell, a new town on the N.-S. R. R., twenty miles east of Raleigh. While the only members of our Church here were one man and his wife, yet so earnest was their desire to plant the Church in their town, and so hopeful seemed the chance of growth, that I have not failed to give one Sunday a month to this new mission ever since. Within this time two men, both of weight and experience, have been added to our membership here by baptism, and one other, of like character, by removal.

For a part of the past year Sanford and Gulf were supplied with regular services by the Rev. W. L. Mellichampe. These have been supplemented by services of my own. There are no places within the Convocation where the call for regular ministrations is stronger than in these. Salary for a minister could be raised, but so far a suitable man has not been found. There is also within the Convocation a field of work for another minister, and again there is more hope of raising the salary than of finding the man.

There is evidence of quickened interest in our Diocesan missionary work, among both clergy and laity, and that is hopeful; but there is a depressing lack of men to do the work.

Respectfully submitted,

N. C. HUGHES,
Archdeacon.

ABSTRACT OF THE REPORT OF W. L. WALL, TREASURER OF THE CONVOCATION OF RALEIGH FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1910.

RECEIPTS.

Balance on hand May 1, 1909.....	\$332.40
From Parishes	1,351.62
From Sunday School Advent offerings.....	51.08
From special offerings through the Archdeacon.....	292.72
From Woman's Auxiliary	22.00
From Convocation offerings	17.38
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	\$2,067.20

DISBURSEMENTS.

Stipends to the missionaries.....	\$921.67
Archdeacon's salary	500.00
Archdeacon's expenses	307.50
Expenses of Clergy to Convocation.....	39.15
Postage	6.40
Balance on hand April 1, 1910.....	292.48
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	\$2,067.20

REPORT OF THE ARCHDEACON FOR WORK AMONG COLORED PEOPLE.

*To the Rt. Rev. JOSEPH B. CHESHIRE, D.D.,
Bishop of North Carolina:*

As Archdeacon for Colored Work in the Diocese of North Carolina, it gives me special pleasure to present to you at this time, an epitome of the work done for and by my people, as we have every reason to be truly thankful to Almighty God for the general awakening of interest, as well as the evidences of growth to be seen in various parts of the Diocese.

The following is a summary of my report, and embraces what has been done during the Diocesan year:

Visits	61
Services in whole or part.....	136
Sermons and addresses	118
Celebrations of the Holy Communion.....	50
Baptisms	16
Marriages	1
Burials	2

In addition to this, I have conducted mission services at Louisburg, Satterwhite, Durham, Noise and Winston-Salem, each of which lasted from three to five days, and the results of which, under the stimulating effects of the Church's service, left impressions that could be seen as well as felt.

Among the important services in which it has been my privilege to assist during the year, permit me to mention, first, the great help that came to the brethren through the meetings of our Convocation, which convened in St. Mark's Church, Wilson; secondly, the ordination of two sons of St. Augustine's School, who have taken important stations in our missionary work in the Diocese; and lastly, the dedication of St. Agnes' Hospital, Raleigh. Under the providence of God, as builder, I had been privileged to lay the first and last stones in the construction of its walls.

During the year two new Missions have been organized—one at Rocky Mount and another at Greensboro, under the care of the Rev. James K. Satterwhite; while a third, at Durham, has been revived and placed under the care of the Rev. Robert J. Johnson. In our efforts for organization we have been dependent upon the co-operation and aid of the rectors of the churches, and the willingness with which they have undertaken the task of aiding and directing us has been gratifying to a surprising degree.

A comparison of last year's report and the report of 1910 shows gain in almost every instance. The exception is in the schools. In the comparison referred to above we have lost in our day schools, 8 teachers and 336 students. You will at once observe that the loss of pupils has been the result of the loss of teachers, and our loss of teachers is due to the want of money to pay their salaries. Can we afford this?

Our Clergy and teachers are working heroically and without murmuring on salaries that would in some instances surprise you; one of whom, Mr. Joel T. Fuller, though a graduate of one of our best institutions of learning, took charge of one of our remote mission stations, where he labored for years until in the middle of last month he was called, we trust, to his reward. In our efforts for the better we shall continue to rely upon your liberality and counsel, and we pledge to you, as a result of your sacrifices to us, abundant fruitage in return.

Respectfully submitted,

H. B. DELANY,

Archdeacon.

ABSTRACT OF THE REPORT OF THE REV. JAS. E. KING, TREASURER OF THE
COLORED CONVOCATION, FOR THE CURRENT YEAR ENDING MARCH 31,
1910.

RECEIPTS.

Received from congregations	\$201.33
Received from individuals	1.00
Received from Bishop Cheshire.....	44.09
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Total	\$246.42

PAYMENTS.

Stipends to missionaries	\$175.00
To St. Agnes' Hospital.....	10.00
To Archdeacon Delaney	7.15
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Total	\$192.15
Balance	54.27

There is yet a balance due of \$52.50 to the former Treasurer in the report of 1909, for money advanced.

REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL OF ST. AUGUSTINE'S SCHOOL.

St. Augustine's School has had 425 pupils during the past year. There have been fewer pupils in the lower grades, more in the higher. There will be over twenty graduates this year, a larger number than in any previous year. Most of them will be from the Normal Department, to which the School, encouraged and aided by the American Church Institute for Negroes, has been able to pay more attention. A debt of \$3,500 has been incurred, largely for the introduction of city water for fire protection, and for connection with the city sewer.

St. Agnes' Hospital, largely built by our own students under the direction of our own students, has been completed at a cost of about \$30,000, not reckoning the value of the student labor. There is only about \$1,000 needed to place it out of debt. Mrs. Hunter is now endeavoring to endow each day of the year with \$250. Several days have already been endowed. The Hospital was formally dedicated last May, opened in June, and has ever since been doing its beneficent work.

Respectfully submitted,

A. B. HUNTER.

May 11, 1910.

Principal.

REPORT OF ST. PETER'S HOSPITAL, CHARLOTTE, N. C.

Patients carried over from 1908—males 8, females 6.....	14
Patients admitted during 1909—males 181, females 154.....	335
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Total	349

Number of days treatment in Hospital, 6,950.

Charity cases, 21, for 471 days; cost, \$706.50. To these charity cases we are obliged to add 33 patients who have not paid their bills for board and care, which amount to \$709.78.

Patients registered as follows:

Baptist	76	From Charlotte	207
Methodist	98	“ North Carolina.....	112
Presbyterian	71	“ South Carolina.....	14
Episcopal	39	“ Pennsylvania	1
A. R. P.	3	“ Georgia	2
Lutheran	13	“ Virginia	6
Universalist	1	“ New York.....	2
Hebrew	4	“ Tennessee	1
Roman Catholic.....	3	“ Florida	1
Mormon	1	“ Kentucky	1
No church.....	30	“ Alabama	1
	<hr/>	“ Washington, D. C.....	1
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Thirty-eight physicians attended patients in St. Peter's Hospital during 1909.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

Receipts in 1909	\$9,079.61
Expended	9,038.47
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Balance cash	\$41.14

The annual report contains pages devoted to obituary notices of John Wilkes, a valued friend and adviser of the Board from the earliest days of the Hospital: of Mrs. Clarkson, for nearly ten years a most efficient member of the Board; and of Miss Hattie Moore, one of the charter members of the institution, and for ten years a member of the Board. The Busy Bee Society of her little scholars, which she founded, was the purchaser and donor of the lot on which the Hospital now stands.

Respectfully submitted by the Board of Managers,

MRS. JOHN WILKES, *President*,
 MRS. W. C. MAXWELL, *Vice-Pres.*,
 MRS. J. S. MYERS, *Cor. Sec.*,
 MRS. C. E. PLATT, *Rec. Sec.*,
 MRS. J. S. WALTERS,
 MRS. J. RENWICK WILKES,
 MRS. H. CLARKSON,
 MRS. W. B. RYDER,
 MRS. B. J. SMITH,

Board of Managers.

REPORT OF GOOD SAMARITAN HOSPITAL FOR COLORED PEOPLE, CHARLOTTE, N. C., FOR THE YEAR 1909.

Patients in Hospital during 1909—males 123, females 106..... 229
 Days of treatment in Hospital..... 2,431

Charity cases, 73, for 702 days.

Paying patients, 128, for 1,113 days; paid \$502.13.

City, county, railroads, manufacturers sent 28 patients for 319 days; paid \$344.30.

Deaths, 11. Births, 2.

Outdoor patients treated in Hospital, 53, for 69 treatments.

Charity cases treated at their homes by nurses, 26, for 34 treatments.

Patients registered as follows:

From Charlotte	126
From other places in North Carolina.....	60
From South Carolina	34
From Tennessee	1
From Georgia	1

Forty-three physicians attended cases in 1909, and they uniformly express satisfaction with the condition of the Hospital and the care of the patients.

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Received in 1909	\$3,156.89
Expended in 1909	3,133.19
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Balance cash	\$23.70
Bills payable to December 31.....	\$499.11
Bills due to Hospital	302.40

Several large boxes from branches of the Woman's Auxiliary have aided the Hospital greatly. Also contributions of food and necessaries from both white and colored people in Charlotte. The bountiful gifts of provisions from the Public School, St. Michael's Parish School, and other associations and individuals have been most helpful.

But the Hospital needs money, and as an institution belonging to the Diocese, earnestly asks the interest, the prayers, and the financial help of other Parishes.

MRS. JOHN WILKES, *President*,
 MRS. R. P. LARDNER, *Vice-Pres.*,
 MRS. R. LOCKWOOD JONES, *Sec.*,
 MRS. M. M. MURPHY, *Treas.*,
 MRS. J. O. GARDNER,
 MRS. C. F. JONES,
 MRS. G. H. RUTZLER,
 MRS. J. R. ROSS,
 MRS. J. L. STATEN.

Board of Managers.

REPORT OF ST. AGNES' HOSPITAL, RALEIGH, N. C.

Patients in Hospital May 1, 1909.....	19
Admitted during the year	280
Births in Hospital	15
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Total	314
Discharged, 264; died, 22; remaining, 28.....	314
Number of days' treatment in Hospital, 7,613.	
Dispensary cases, 1,206. Operations, 153.	

FINANCIAL REPORT.

Balance May 1, 1909.....	\$957.30
Receipts during year.....	6,155.23
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	\$7,112.53
Disbursements during year	\$6,387.39
Balance in hand May 14, 1910.....	725.14
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	\$7,112.53

SARAH L. HUNTER,
Superintendent and Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE DIOCESAN BRANCH OF THE WOMAN'S
AUXILIARY.

Rt. Rev. Father in God:

The beloved Secretary of the Woman's Auxiliary having been taken ill at Spray, where she was doing effective missionary work assisting the Rev. Mr. Tolson, has asked that the Treasurer submit the following financial report:

Central Fund	\$70.30
United Offering	420.02
Diocesan Missions	434.58
Domestic Missions	731.57
Foreign Missions	377.49
Apportionment	102.55
Church Periodical Club	24.75
Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society.....	153.19
Specials	613.56
Collected at annual meeting—	
For Walnut Cove	14.05
For tablet for St. Gabriel's, Selma.....	28.36
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	\$3,670.42
Value of Missionary Boxes.....	909.20
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Total	\$4,579.62

Number of Branches	56
Number of members	946
Increase in offerings	\$787.60

REPORT OF JUNIOR BRANCH.

Central Fund	\$16.21
United Offering	23.54
Diocesan Missions	40.20
Domestic Missions	185.70
Foreign Missions	62.57
Apportionment	19.65
Church Periodical Club	7.28
Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society	7.00
Specials	14.84
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	\$376.99
Value of Missionary Boxes.....	126.65
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Total	\$503.64

Number of Branches	26
Number of members	474

BABIES' BRANCH.

Central Fund	\$9.75
United Offering	10.00
United Work of Babies.....	4.00
Diocesan Missions	55.00
Domestic Missions	114.00
General Missions	10.00
Specials	56.00
Apportionment	8.00
Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society.....	25.00
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Total	\$291.00
Number of Branches	40
Number of members	500
Number of Branches Woman's and Junior Departments.....	82
Number of members Woman's and Junior Departments.....	1,420
Whole amount of offering.....	\$5,375.01
Increase in offering	664.74

We beg that the Secretary be allowed to embody the work of the two years in her next report.

Respectfully submitted,

MRS. DORIAN H. BLAIR,

Treasurer.

REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY OF THE CONVOCATION
OF THE COLORED PEOPLE FOR THE YEAR
ENDING MARCH 31, 1910.

DISBURSEMENTS.

To Apportionment	\$21.00
United Offering	66.00
Central Fund	22.09
Clergymen's Retiring Fund	22.00
Bishop Cheshire's disposal	24.00
Bishop Ferguson's disposal	12.00
Bishop Van Buren's disposal.....	5.00
Archdeacon Delany's disposal	40.10
Diocesan Missionaries	41.00
Rev. Mr. Mancebo (Cuba).....	5.00
Rev. Mr. Matthews and Miss Woodruff (Africa).....	15.00
Dr. Mary V. Glenton (China).....	4.00
Mr. Ishii's Asylum (Japan).....	10.00
Holy Trinity Orphanage (Japan).....	9.00
Good Samaritan Hospital	11.00
St. Agnes' Hospital	35.75
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Total	\$342.94

MRS. J. E. KING,
Treasurer.

AMENDMENTS ADOPTED BY THE CONVENTION OF 1910.

CONSTITUTION.

Article IX. After Section 4 add two new sections to read as follows:

Section 5. Any Parish which receives aid from the Mission Funds of the Diocese and does not, for two consecutive years pay its proportion of the salary of the minister serving it, shall be deprived of the right to vote in the Convention until such arrears be paid, or remitted by the Convention.

Section 6. Any Parish or Mission which shall fail for three consecutive years to pay its assessment for the Episcopal and Contingent Fund, shall be deprived of the right to vote in the Convention until such arrears be paid, or remitted by the Convention.

CANONS.

Chapter I, Canon XII, Section 1. Strike out the words "as heretofore, at twenty-five hundred dollars," and insert in lieu thereof the words "at three thousand dollars."

Chapter I, Canon XIV, Section 1. Strike out the line reading "Diocesan Relief Fund: The first Sunday in July," and insert in lieu thereof the words "General Clergy Relief Fund: Annually."

RESOLUTIONS ADOPTED BY THE CONVENTION.

The Convention of 1909 adopted the following resolution:

Resolved, That this Convention recommend to the Parishes of the Diocese the propriety of rotation in parochial elections as far as may be practicable."

The Convention of 1910 adopted the following resolutions:

Resolved, That this Convention most earnestly recommend to the Vestries and congregations throughout the Diocese the urgent necessity of more adequately caring for our Clergy by increasing their stipends in a measure commensurate with the increased cost of living."

Resolved, That the congregations in the Convocations of Raleigh and Charlotte be recommended to take up a collection each year for the benefit of the Convocation of the Colored People."

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS, 1910.

Clergy—Bishop 1, Priests 48, Deacons 8.....	57
Ordained—Deacons 4, Priests 2.....	6
Received	6
Transferred	8
Deceased	2
Candidates for Holy Orders.....	2
Postulants	6
Lay Readers	50
Churches consecrated	2
Parishes	37
Organized Missions in Union.....	20
Organized Missions not in Union.....	9
Unorganized Missions	39
Families reported	2,876
Persons reported	11,406
Baptisms—infant 349, adult 116, total.....	465
Confirmed	517
Communicants	6,705
Marriages	95
Burials	178
Sunday-school teachers	489
Sunday-school scholars	5,662
Parish school teachers	38
Parish school scholars	1,171
Industrial school teachers	11
Industrial school scholars	374
Churches and Chapels	123
Church sittings	23,426
Rectories	31

PAROCHIAL PROPERTY.

Value of church buildings.....	\$497,650
Rectories	77,650
Endowments	14,244
Other Property	81,895
Total.....	<hr/> \$671,439
Salaries pledged to Clergy.....	\$29,713
Insurance on property.....	198,850
Indebtedness on property	28,690
Other indebtedness	768

EXPENDITURES.

Parochial.

Alms	\$1,274.75
Parish Missions	2,730.95
Ministers' salaries	27,846.86
Current expenses	7,750.82
Improvements and repairs	22,088.40
Other Parochial Objects	15,641.02
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Total	\$77,332.80

Diocesan.

Episcopal and Contingent Fund.....	\$3,605.80
Diocesan Missions	3,499.01
Education Fund	319.13
Thompson Orphanage	3,150.00
Other Diocesan Objects	1,282.44
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Total	\$11,856.38

General.

General Missions	\$2,997.69
Domestic Missions	731.45
Foreign Missions	690.09
Missions to Colored People.....	16.00
Missions to Indians	64.16
Missions to Jews	75.85
University of the South.....	64.45
Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society.....	175.21
General Clergy Relief	430.78
American Church Building Fund.....	69.92
Other General Objects	410.56
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Total	\$5,726.16
Aggregate of Disbursements	\$94,915.34

ABSTRACT OF LITHOGRAPH RECORDS

No.	Date	Description	Quantity	Value	Remarks
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APPENDIX C.

TREASURER'S REPORT

FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH 31, 1910.

To the Convention of the Diocese of North Carolina:

Your Treasurer presents herewith his accounts for the fiscal year 1909-10, showing balances as follows:

	DR.	CR.
Permanent Episcopal Fund.....		\$5,020.40
Current Episcopal and Contingent Fund.....		283.67
Increase Permanent Fund.....		2,220.55
Education Fund.....		53.82
Miss Lucy P. Thorp legacy.....		393.47
Mrs. Martha Clark legacy.....		1,542.39
To balance.....	\$9,514.30	
	\$9,514.30	\$9,514.30
By balance.....		\$9,514.30

LIST OF SECURITIES OF THE DIOCESE OF NORTH CAROLINA IN THE HANDS OF TREASURER, APRIL 30, 1910.

PERMANENT EPISCOPAL FUND.

	<i>Par Value.</i>
North Carolina 4 per cent bonds.....	\$2,500.00
Two North Carolina 6 per cent bonds.....	2,000.00
Note and mortgage, Conway G. Harris.....	300.00
Clayton Cotton Mill Bond.....	1,000.00
Atlantic Coast Line Certificate of indebtedness.....	1,500.00
Episcopal residence.....	7,112.73
Erwin Cotton Mill stock.....	3,000.00
Neuse River Mill bonds.....	2,000.00
Nine shares Missouri Pacific Railway stock.....	900.00
	\$20,312.73
Miss Lucy P. Thorp Legacy—	
Holt Granite Manufacturing Company stock.....	\$2,500.00
Mrs. Martha Clark Legacy—	
Bond University of the South.....	\$1,000.00
Balance Bond Southern Development Co.....	250.00
	\$1,250.00

Dr.

Permanent Episcopal Fund,

To balance.....	\$5,020.40
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	\$5,020.40

Dr.

Income Permanent Episcopal Fund,

To amount credited current Episcopal and Con- tingent Fund	\$975.45
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	\$975.45

Dr.

Increase Permanent Episcopal Fund,

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in Account with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer.

Cr.

1909		
May 1	By balance.....	\$4,795.65
	By amount from Miss Mary Ruffin Smith Fund, old claims for rent of land.....	24.75
	By amount from D. D. Massey, part payment, Con- way G. Harris note.....	200.00
		<u>\$5,020.40</u>
1910		
April 1	By balance.....	\$5,020.40

in Account with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer.

Cr.

	By interest from C. G. Harris note.....	\$48.89
	By interest from Atlanta Coast Line certificate of indebtedness, July and Jan at 4 per cent.....	60.00
	By dividends Erwin Cotton Mill stock.....	180.00
	By amount from N. C. 4 per cent bonds.....	100.00
	By amount from N. C. 6 per cent bonds.....	120.00
	By interest on Clayton Cotton Mill bonds.....	60.00
	By interest on two Neuse River Mill bonds.....	100.00
	By interest on money in bank.....	306.56
		<u>\$975.45</u>

in Account with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer.

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1910		
April 1	By balance.....	\$2,220.55

<i>Dr.</i>	<i>Current Episcopal and Contingent Fund,</i>	
1909		
May 1	To balance.....	\$511.07
	To amount paid Bishop Cheshire.....	
	salary and expenses.....	3,500.00
	To amount paid Clergymen's expenses to Convention, as follows:	
	Rev. John London.....\$3.00	Rev. B. S. Bronson.....\$3.60
	Rev. R. B. Owen.....3.60	Rev. R. B. Eubanks.....7.00
	Rev. T. A. Cheatham.....2.70	Rev. E. A. Osborne.....7.00
	Rev. P. P. Alston.....7.00	Rev. B. E. Brown.....4.30
	Rev. F. A. Fetter.....6.00	Rev. T. J. Faulkner.....4.10
	Rev. F. H. T. Horsfield.....2.40	Rev. Robt. N. Perry.....2.70
	Rev. Chas. H. Male.....2.90	Rev. W. L. Mellichampe.....3.80
	Rev. F. W. Hilliard.....2.90	Rev. W. H. Ball.....6.50
	Rev. J. W. Perry.....4.15	Rev. S. R. Guignard.....6.40
	Rev. H. L. Hoover.....7.65	Rev. S. M. Hanft.....3.80
	Rev. W. J. Smith.....5.50	Rev. F. M. Osborne.....7.00
	Rev. H. T. Gregory.....2.75	Rev. L. W. Blackwelder.....6.80
	Rev. E. L. Ogilby.....2.50	Rev. A. R. Berkeley.....4.44
	Rev. J. C. Horton.....3.00	Rev. S. J. M. Brown.....7.50
	Rev. S. P. Watters.....2.50	133.49
	To amount paid Sexton at Convention.....	5.00
	To amount paid for repair work Bishop's house.....	12.40
	To amount paid insurance on Bishop's house.....	27.00
	To amount paid printing Journals, etc.....	311.74
	To amount paid Rev. J. E. Ingle, salary.....	150.00
	To amount paid Rev. J. E. Ingle, expenses.....	3.00
	To amount paid Treasurer St. Martin's, Charlotte, overpaid assessment 1908-09.....	6.50
	To amount paid postage, stationery, etc.....	75.71
	To amount paid Treasurer, commission on receipts.....	264.19
	To balance.....	283.67
		\$5,283.77

<i>Dr.</i>	<i>Relief Fund, in Account</i>
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1910		
April 1	To amount paid Rev. A. J. P. McClure, Treasurer General Clergy Relief Fund.....	\$11.79
	To amount paid Treasurer commission on receipts.....	.62
		\$12.41

*in account with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer.**Cr.*

	By amount from Parishes (see tabular statement) ..	\$4,308.32
	By amount from income income Permanent Epis- copal Fund	975.45
		\$5,283.77
1910	April 1 By balance	\$283.67

*with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer.**Cr.*

	By amount from Parishes (see tabular statement)	\$12.41
		\$12.41

Dr. *Education Fund, in Account*

1909		
June 1	To amount paid B. L. Wiggins, Vice-Chancellor, from St. Mary's, Raleigh. Credited this account through error.....	\$3.44
	To amount paid Treasurer, commission on receipts.....	2.21
	To balance.....	53.82
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		\$59.47

Dr. *University of the South, in Account*

	To amount paid B. L. Wiggins, Vice Chancellor.....	\$52.99
	To amount paid Treasurer commission on receipts.....	2.79
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		\$55.78

Dr. *Miss Lucy P. Thorp Legacy, in Account*

	To balance.....	\$393.47
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		\$393.47

Dr. *Mrs. Martha Clark Legacy, in Account*

	To balance.....	\$1,542.39
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		\$1,542.39

with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer.

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1909		
May 1	By balance	\$15.26
	By amount from Parishes (see tabular statement)	44.21
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		\$59.47
1910		
April 1	By balance	\$53.82

with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer.

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	By amount from Parishes (see tabular statement)	\$55.78
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		\$55.78

with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer.

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1909		
May 1	By balance	\$232.37
	By interest preferred stock Holt Granite Manufacturing Co	150.00
	By amount interest on money in bank	11.10
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		\$393.47
1910		
April 1	By balance	\$393.47

with Chas. E. Johnson, Treasurer.

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1909		
May 1	By balance	\$626.04
	By amount from sale of two lots at Chestnut Hill	875.00
	By amount interest on money in bank	41.35
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		\$1,542.39
1910		
April 1	By balance	\$1,542.39

TABULATED STATEMENT—RECEIPTS
SHOWING AMOUNTS RECEIVED FROM PARISHES AND CONGREGATIONS FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING MARCH, 31, 1910.

From Whom Received.	Assessment for Episcopal and Contingent Fund.	Amount Paid on Episcopal and Contingent Fund.	Relief Fund.	Education Fund.	Contributions to University of the South.	Amount in Arrears April 30, 1909.	Amount Paid on Arrears.	Amount in Arrears March 31, 1910.
Ansonville.....	\$18.00					\$23.95	\$21.00	\$20.95
Battleboro.....	15.60	\$15.60	\$1.00		\$1.88			18.35
Bristow.....	24.35	6.00						
Burlington.....	163.30	163.30		\$1.15	1.39			
Chapel Hill.....	93.45	93.45						
Charlotte.....	80.40	80.40		6.85	6.30			
Charlotte.....	7.45					4.00		11.45
Charlotte.....	2.50	2.50						
Charlotte.....	18.25	18.25		3.30	3.01			
Charlotte.....	5.00	5.00		2.10	1.66			
Charlotte.....	30.35	30.35				1.50	1.50	
Charlotte.....	400.00	400.00				322.96	322.96	4.55
Chestnut Hill.....	4.55		.93					
Cleveland.....	18.35	18.35			1.54			
Concord.....	30.00	2.30						
Cooleecee.....	15.95	15.95	4.23	2.52	2.50			27.70
Cunningham.....	9.00	9.00						
Davie County.....	5.15	5.15						
Duke.....	25.00	25.00						
Durham.....	202.80	202.80						

Elkin	Galloway Memorial	2.50	5.00	1.50	3.00	1.50	5.00	7.50
Elm City	Holy Trinity	2.50						
Enfield	Advent	38.00					5.00	
Fairmont	Salem Chapel	2.50	2.50					2.00
Gaston	St. Luke's	2.50	.50					
Germanton	St. Philip's	6.45	6.45					
Goshen	St. Paul's	2.50	.63					1.87
Greensboro	St. Andrew's	137.50			3.95		75.48	73.73
Greensboro	St. Barnabas	146.15					221.46	153.66
Greensboro	St. Mary's		.86				2.50	2.50
Halifax	St. Mark's	12.25	12.25					
Hamlet	Mission	30.00	20.00					10.00
Henderson	Holy Innocents	161.15	161.15					
High Point	St. Mary's	95.75						
Hillsboro	St. Matthew's	115.30	115.30			7.40		239.98
Iredell County	St. James	3.00	3.00					
Jackson	Ch. of the Saviour	28.30	28.30	2.00	2.00	2.00		
Kittrell	St. James	27.00						
Laurinburg	St. David's	30.00						27.00
Lawrence	Grace	2.50	2.50					30.00
Leaksville	Epiphany	54.25	12.75					
Lexington	Grace	48.35	48.35					41.50
Littleton	St. Alban's	24.00	19.00		6.35	13.19		
Littleton	St. Anna's	2.50	2.50					5.00
Louisburg	St. Mathias	2.50					7.33	4.83
Louisburg	St. Paul's	79.45	79.45				75.10	5.00
Madison	St. John's	19.20	19.20			.50		75.10
Mayodan	Messiah	25.00	25.00			1.50		
Middleburg	Heavenly Rest	8.40	.74					
Milton	Christ Church	9.00					12.66	7.66
Mocksville	St. Philip's	2.50	2.50				18.71	.50
Monroe	St. Paul's	52.30	52.30				41.30	41.30

ASSESSMENTS FOR THE CURRENT EPISCOPAL AND CONTIN-
GENT FUND FOR 1910-1911, BASED ON REPORTS OF 1909.

Ansonville, All Souls . . .	\$16.55	Olive Branch, St. Timothy's	\$2.50
Battleboro, St. John's . . .	14.65	Orange Co., St. Mary's . . .	2.50
Bristol, St. Mark's . . .	18.35	Oxford, St. Cyprian's . . .	2.50
Burlington, St. Athanasius	164.15	Oxford, St. Stephen's . . .	122.20
Chapel Hill, Cpl. of Cross . .	79.40	Pittsboro, St. Bartholomew's	24.90
Charlotte, Holy Comforter . .	138.00	Pittsboro, St. James . . .	2.50
Charlotte, Chapel of Hope . .	8.95	Raleigh, Christ Church . . .	355.90
Charlotte, St. Andrew's . . .	2.50	Raleigh, Good Shepherd . . .	291.00
Charlotte, St. Martin's . . .	24.60	Raleigh, St. Ambrose . . .	30.60
Charlotte, St. Mary's . . .	2.50	Raleigh, St. Augustine's . . .	25.00
Charlotte, St. Michael's . . .	21.60	Raleigh, St. Mary's* . . .	20.00
Charlotte, St. Peter's . . .	425.00	Raleigh, St. Saviour's . . .	7.50
Chestnut Hill, St. Paul's . . .	2.50	Reidsville, St. Thomas . . .	22.50
Cleveland, Christ Church . . .	18.35	Ridgeway, Good Shepherd . .	12.70
Concord, All Saints . . .	51.15	Ringwood, St. Clement's . . .	2.50
Cooleemee, Good Shepherd . . .	16.60	Roanoke Rapids, All Saints	10.00
Cuningham Chapel . . .	2.50	Rockingham, Messiah . . .	2.50
Davie Co., Ascension . . .	7.20	Rocky Mt., Good Shepherd	163.90
Duke, St. Stephen's . . .	25.00	Rowan Co., St. Jude's . . .	2.50
Durham, St. Philip's . . .	203.50	Rowan Co., St. Mark's . . .	2.50
Durham, St. Titus . . .	2.50	Rowan Co., St. Mary's . . .	6.25
Elkin, Galloway Memorial . . .	2.50	Rowan Co., St. Matthew's . .	2.50
Elm City, Holy Trinity . . .	2.50	Salisbury, St. Luke's . . .	95.90
Enfield, Advent . . .	38.00	Salisbury, St. John's . . .	2.50
Fairtosh, Salem Chapel . . .	2.50	Salisbury, St. Peter's . . .	2.50
Gaston, St. Luke's . . .	2.50	Sanford, St. Thomas . . .	2.50
Germanton, St. Philip's . . .	6.50	Satterwhite, St. Simeon's . .	2.50
Goshen, St. Paul's . . .	2.50	Scotland Neck, Trinity . . .	36.00
Greensboro, Holy Trinity . . .	200.00	Smithfield, Transfiguration	15.00
Greensboro, Redeemer . . .	2.50	Southern Pines, Emmanuel	32.90
Gulf, St. Mark's . . .	2.50	Speed, St. Mary's . . .	2.50
Halifax, St. Mark's . . .	2.95	Spencer, St. Joseph's . . .	2.50
Hamlet, Mission . . .	10.00	Spray, St. Luke's . . .	2.50
Henderson, Holy Innocents	177.35	Statesville, Trinity . . .	23.10
High Point, St. Mary's . . .	48.80	Statesville, Holy Cross . . .	2.50
Hillsboro, St. Matthew's . . .	97.40	Stokes Co., Knowlhurst . . .	2.50
Iredell Co., St. James . . .	2.50	Stoneville, Emmanuel . . .	2.50
Jackson, Ch. of the Saviour	29.05	Stovall, St. Peter's . . .	4.65
Kittrell, St. James . . .	25.85	Tillery, Mission . . .	2.50
Laurinburg, St. David's . . .	2.50	Tarboro, Calvary . . .	200.65
Lawrence, Grace . . .	4.50	Tarboro, St. Luke's . . .	18.60
Leaksville, Epiphany . . .	25.00	Thomasville, Good Shepherd	2.50
Lexington, Grace . . .	48.50	Wadesboro, Calvary . . .	73.25
Littleton, St. Alban's . . .	24.10	Walnut Cove, Christ Church	9.35
Littleton, St. Anna's . . .	2.50	Warren Co., St. Luke's . . .	2.50
Loui-burg, St. Matthias . . .	2.50	Warrenton, All Saints . . .	2.50
Louisburg, St. Paul's . . .	78.65	Warrenton, Emmanuel . . .	64.80
Madison, St. John's . . .	18.00	Weldon, Grace . . .	58.20
Mayodan, Messiah . . .	25.00	Williamsboro, St. John's . . .	11.25
Middleburg, Heavenly Rest	18.15	Wilson, St. Mark's . . .	8.70
Milton, Christ Church . . .	9.00	Wilson, St. Timothy's . . .	132.45
Mocksville, St. Philip's . . .	2.50	Winston, St. Paul's . . .	179.75
Monroe, St. Paul's . . .	60.00	Winston, St. Stephen's . . .	2.50
Mt. Airy, Trinity . . .	15.00	Woodleaf, St. Andrew's . . .	6.90
Noise, St. Philip's . . .	2.50		

*Voluntary.

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