

FORTY-THIRD

ANNUAL CONVENTION

OF THE

DIOCESE OF NEWARK

TRINITY CHURCH, NEWARK, N. J.

MAY 22 AND 23, 1917

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CANON 1, § II.

OF THE TESTIMONIAL OF LAY DEPUTIES.

(From a Parish.)

Lay Deputies to the Convention shall present Certificates of their election, in the following form:

[Name of the Church, the Place, and Date.]

This certifies that at a meeting of the congregation of this Church, held for the purpose of electing Church Officers, and Deputies, and Alternate Deputies to the Diocesan Convention (or for the purpose of electing Deputies and Alternate Deputies to the Diocesan Convention, *if the meeting be for that object alone*), A. B., C. D., and E. F., being communicants of the Church in good standing, and qualified voters in this Parish, were duly chosen as Deputies; and B. C., D. E., and F. G., also being communicants in good standing, and qualified voters in this Parish, were duly chosen as Alternate Deputies to represent the Parish in that body for the year ensuing. In testimony of which, I have hereunto set my hand (or if two Wardens subscribe, we have set our hands), the day and year above written.

N. B.—The signature of either the Rector or the Secretary of the Vestry is sufficient; if neither the Rector nor the Secretary sign, then the signatures of *both* Wardens are necessary. A Clergyman who is simply Minister-in-charge, or Missionary, cannot sign.

(From an Organized Mission.)

N. B.—Use the same form and substitute the word "Mission" for "Parish" in three places. The Minister-in-charge; or, the Clerk; or, the Warden may sign.

Memoranda:

Not more than three Deputies are allowed from each Parish, and Mission, not parochial.

Three Alternate Deputies must be elected and certified to in the same manner as the Deputies.

Write Christian names in FULL, and LEGIBLY.

Blank forms will be sent by the Secretary of Convention on or before May first in each year.

Return Certificates of Election at least TEN DAYS before Convention.

Deputies must be *Communicants of the Church, and also qualified voters in the Parish or Mission which elects them.* (See Canon 6, §II, [4], [5] and [6].)

Diocese of Newark

OFFICERS OF THE DIOCESE

THE CONVENTION.

President,

The Rt. Rev'd EDWIN S. LINES, D.D.

Vice-President,

The Rt. Rev'd WILSON R. STEARLY, D.D.

Secretary,

The Rev'd JOHN KELLER, 19 E. Park St., Newark.

Assistant Secretary,

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Mr. EDWIN A. STEVENS, Hoboken.

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Chancellor,

Mr. WILLIAM READ HOWE, Orange. (1918)

THE STANDING COMMITTEE.

The Rev'd DAVID STUART HAMILTON, *President*, Paterson. (1918)

" FREDERICK B. CARTER, *Secretary*, Montclair. (1919)

" CHARLES T. WALKLEY, Orange. (1919)

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" G. WISNER THORNE, Newark. (1919)

The Rev'd JOHN S. MILLER, Newark. (1918)

Mr. JAMES STEUART MACKIE, Morristown. (1918)

" EDWARD O. STANLEY, East Orange. (1918)

"Regular meetings of the Standing Committee shall be held on the second Monday of the months of January, March, May, September and November of each year, at 9:15 a. m. SPECIAL MEETINGS shall be called on the request of the Bishop, the Bishop Coadjutor, or the President and Secretary, at any time."

Blank forms for the use of those applying to be admitted as Candidates, etc., can be procured by application to the Secretary of the Standing Committee.

CATHEDRAL GENERAL CHAPTER.

The Bishop of the Diocese, the Bishop Coadjutor, (if there be one), the Dean of the Cathedral, the Archdeacons of the Diocese, the members of the Standing Committee, the Deputies to the General Convention, the members of the Board of Missions and Church Extension, the Rector of Trinity Church, Newark, the Rector of Grace Church, Newark, the Secretary of the Diocese, the Treasurer of the Diocese, the Chancellor of the Diocese, and Archibald Mercer, M.D., the Rev'd Frank B. Reazor, D.D. The Rev'd Frederick B. Carter, *Registrar*.

THE CHAPTER.

The Rt. Rev'd the Bishop of the Diocese.

The Rev'd FREDERICK B. CARTER,	Mr. EDWIN A. STEVENS,
" D. STUART HAMILTON,	" WM. READ HOWE,
" G. ERNEST MAGILL,	" C. ALFRED BURBORN,
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CANONS MISSIONER.

For Missionary Work in the Diocese—The Rev'd GILBERT L. PENNOCK.

For Social Service—The Rev'd AUGUSTINE ELMENDORF.

For Ministry in the Institutions of Essex County—The Rev'd CHAS. L. COODER, D.D.

HONORARY CANONS.

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" G. ERNEST MAGILL,	" ZACHARIAH BELCHER,
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DEPUTIES TO THE GENERAL CONVENTION.

The Rev'd EDWIN A. WHITE, D.C.I.,	Mr. WM. FELLOWS MORGAN,
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" D. STUART HAMILTON,	" DECATUR M. SAWYER.

SUPPLEMENTARY DEPUTIES.

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The Rev'd AUGUSTINE ELMENDORF,	Mr. ARTHUR E. BARLOW,
" ALBERT L. LONGLEY,	" JAMES R. STRONG,
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*Elected by the Board to fill the vacancy caused by the appointment of the Rev'd BARRETT P. TYLER to be Archdeacon.

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The Rev'd FREDERICK B. CARTER.

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Secretary, The Rev'd JAMES W. VAN INGEN.
 The Rev'd SIDNEY E. SWEET, term expires 1918.
 Mr. J. W. RUFUS BESSON, term expires 1918.
 The Rev'd CHARLES T. WALKLEY, term expires 1919.
 Mr. STEPHEN W. WILLIAMS, term expires 1919.
 The Rev'd JAMES W. VAN INGEN, term expires 1920.
 Mr. CHARLES A. GRUMMON, term expires 1920.

THE CANONICAL COMMITTEE ON THE CHURCH PENSION FUND.

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" FREDERICK HOADLEY, *Secretary*.

The Rev'd HENRY M. LADD,

The Rev'd CHARLES L. GOMPE,

Mr. PALMER CAMPBELL.

SPECIAL COMMITTEES

To report at next Convention.

On Rules of Order.—The Bishop of the Diocese, the Bishop Suffragan, the Secretary of Convention, the Rev'd John S. Miller, the Rev'd James W. Van Ingen, the Rev'd Douglas Matthews, Mr. Howard Marshall, Mr. J. Roger Kingland, Mr. George R. Beach.

On Elections and Calendar of Business.—The Bishop of the Diocese, *ex-officio*, the Bishop Suffragan, the Secretary of Convention, the Rev'd James W. Van Ingen, Mr. Jas. Stuart MacKie, Mr. Howard Marshall.

To Audit the Treasurer's Accounts.—Mr. Herbert W. Taylor, Mr. Jay C. Young.

On Securities in Hands of the Treasurer.—Mr. John D. Everitt, Mr. Augustus F. R. Martin.

On the Episcopal Residence.—Chairman, Trustees of the Episcopal Fund; Chairman, Finance Committee; and the Treasurer of Convention.

On the Apportionment Plan for General Missions and the Relation of the Diocese to the General Board of Missions.—The Bishop of the Diocese, the Bishop Suffragan, Mr. James R. Strong, *Chairman*; the Rev'd Charles W. Popham, *Secretary*; the Rev'd C. Malcolm Douglas, the Rev'd Augustine Elmendorf, the Rev'd Albert L. Longley, the Rev'd James A. McCleary, the Rev'd Malcolm A. Shipley, jr., the Rev'd Barrett P. Tyler, Mr. Anton G. Christensen, Mr. Arthur S. Cookman, Mr. Robert M. Dixon, Mr. James Kelley, Mr. Walter Kidde, Mr. Thomas D. Leonard, Mr. Percy C. H. Papps, Mr. Henry J. Russell, Mr. Henry T. Stetson, Mr. Sidney A. Trevvett, Mr. Allan B. Wallace, Mr. Edward G. Washburne.

On "Newark Churchman."—The Rt. Rev'd the Bishop, Mr. James E. Bathgate, jr., *Treasurer*; and representatives of the Diocesan Commissions on General Missions, Religious Education, and Social Service; the Woman's Auxiliary, the Girls' Friendly Society, and the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

On Seal for the Diocese.—The Rt. Rev'd the Bishop, the Standing Committee, and the Secretary of the Convention.

On Diocesan Library.—The Bishop, the Secretary of the Convention, the Registrar, the Rev'd Warren Van H. Filkins, the Rev'd Walker Gwynne, D.D., the Rev'd Herbert W. Hopkins, the Rev'd Elmer N. Owen, the Rev'd George M. Plaskett, the Rev'd Chas. W. Popham, the Rev'd James W. Van Ingen, the Rev'd Charles H. Wells, Mr. Edwin S. Allen, Mr. Robert M. Dixon, Mr. Effingham N. Dodge, Mr. T. H. Powers Farr.

Commission on the Increase of the Additional Endowment of the Episcopate Fund to One Hundred Thousand Dollars and Funds for Missionary Work.—Mr. Albert H. Baldwin, Mr. Edwin A. Bradley, Mr. Henry B. Cannon, Mr. Frank E. Davenport, Mr. T. H. Powers Farr, Mr. Wm. Fellowes Morgan, Mr. Ransom H. Thomas, Mr. G. Wisner Thorne.

On Legislation.—The Rev'd Edwin A. White, D.C.L., Mr. Horace C. Grice, Mr. Marshall Van Winkle.

The Corporation for the Relief of the Widows and Children of Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New Jersey.

The Rt. Rev'd EDWIN S. LINGS, D.D., *President.*

The Rev'd LEWIS H. LIGHTHIZE, *Secretary.*

The Rev'd EDWIN A. WHITE, D.C.L., *Treasurer.*

Memo.—For information concerning the various agencies for Clergy Relief, etc., *vide* last page of cover, and Index.

Canonical List of the Clergy

APRIL 30, A. D. 1917.

The Right Reverend *EDWIN S. LINKS, D.D., Bishop of the Diocese; Consecrated 18 November, 1903; P. O. Newark.

The Right Reverend *WILSON R. STEARLY, D.D., Suffragan Bishop; Consecrated 21 October, 1915; P. O. Newark.

PRESBYTERS.

91. *ARENS, AUGUST, (1911); Missionary, All Saints', Millington.
124. ATKINS, JAMES F., (1915); P. O. Mendham; Chaplain to the Sisterhood of St. John Baptist, at Ralston.
106. *AMOS, WALDO A., (1913); Rector, St. Paul's, Hoboken.
149. *ANDERSON, EDGAR W., (1916); Assistant Minister, St. John's, Jersey City.
35. *ARMSTRONG, GEORGE P., (1899); P. O. Weehawken; Rector, Grace, Town of Union.
154. *ARUNDEL, ALFRED W., D.D., (1917); Missionary, Holy Innocents', West Orange.
153. *BARTLETT, FREDERICK B., (1917); Rector, St. John's, West Hoboken.
46. *BATE, T. PERCIVAL, (1904); Rector, St. James', Newark.
122. *BENNETT, HIRSH R., (1915); Rector, Grace, (Greenville), Jersey City.
65. *BENTLEY, WM. GORDON, (1908); P. O. Passaic; Rector, St. John's, Passaic; and of Holy Innocents', Garfield.
136. *BERGHAUS, CHARLES E., (1916); Missionary, St. Mary's, Ridgefield Park.
90. *BERRY, WILLIAM K., D.D., (1911); Missionary, Annunciation, Oradell.
113. *BISHOP, WILLIAM S., D.D., (1914); P. O. East Orange; Assistant, Grace, Orange.
102. *BISSELL, PELHAM ST. G., (1913); Rector, Grace, (Van Vorst), Jersey City.
108. *BISSELL, PERCY C., (1913); P. O. East Rutherford; Missionary, Grace, East Rutherford; and of St. Paul's, Woodbridge.
132. *BLICKENSDERFER, ROBERT, (1916); Rector, Christ Church, Hackensack; and of St. Peter's, Rochelle Park.
88. BLISS, WILLIAM D. P., (1911); P. O. New York, N. Y.
117. BOGGS, NORMAN T., (1914); P. O. New York, N. Y.
63. BRIDGES, JOHN J., (1908); P. O. Montclair.
145. *BROCKMAN, DONALD M., D.D., (1916); Rector, St. Peter's, Morristown.
44. BROOKS, EDGAR E., (1904); P. O. New Milford, Conn.
100. *BROWN, ROBERT D., (1912); Rector, St. Philip's, Newark; in charge, Incarnation, Jersey City.
10. *BRUSH, WILLIAM P., (1887); Rector Emeritus, St. Paul's, Jersey City.
9. *BUTLER, EDWIN E., (1886); P. O. Montclair.
112. *BUTTERWORTH, JOHN F., D.D., (1914); P. O. Summit; Rector Emeritus, St. John's, Dover.
142. *CARSON, EDWIN S., (1916); Rector, Christ Church, Ridgewood.
8. *CARTER, FREDERICK B., (1884); Rector Emeritus, St. Luke's, Montclair; Archdeacon of Newark; Secretary of the Standing Committee.

*Known to have been present at Convention.

Initial numbers indicate sequence in canonical residence.

Median figures indicate the year of reception into the Diocese, or the year of ordination to the Priesthood or Diaconate.

Reported changes will be noted in the Addendum (before the Index).

133. *CHARLES, ARTHUR L., (1916); Assistant Minister, Christ Church, Bloomfield and Glen Ridge.
115. *COOPER, CHARLES L., D.D., (1914); P. O. Newark; Newark City Missionary.
139. *COOK, EDGAR L., (1916); P. O. Hamburg; Missionary, Good Shepherd, Hamburg; in charge, St. Thomas', Vernon.
40. COOPER, EDWARD J., (1902); P. O. Cristobal, Canal Zone, R. P.
49. CRAIG, JOHN W., (1905); P. O. New York, N. Y.
128. *DARLINGTON, HENRY V. B., (1915); Rector, St. Barnabas', (Roseville), Newark.
56. *DEEBY, AUBREY H., (1906); Missionary, All Saints', Leonia; in charge, St. James', Ridgefield.
118. *DOWNELL, JOHN C., (1914); Rector, St. Thomas', Newark.
17. DOWNEY, GEORGE M., (1891); P. O. Deal, N. J.
45. *DOUGLAS, CHARLES MALCOLM, (1904); Rector, Christ Church, Short Hills.
94. DUNHAM, CLARENCE M., (1912); Rector, All Saints', Orange.
141. *DUNSMITH, S. GLOVER, (1916); Rector, St. Paul's, Jersey City.
35. *EDMUNDS, CHARLES C., D.D., (1899); P. O. New York, N. Y.; Professor, General Theological Seminary.
25. *EISENDORF, AUGUSTINE, (1896); P. O. Newark; Executive Secretary, Board of Social Service; and a Missionary of the Diocese.
125. FAIR, JAMES H. S., (1915); P. O. Bernardsville, N. J.
57. FAIR, JOHN C., (1906); P. O. New York, N. Y.
114. *FAIR, ALBERT M., (1914); Rector, St. John's, Newark.
30. FAWCETT, JOHN G., (1896); P. O. Middletown, N. J.
143. *FERREIS, JOHN O., (1916); Rector, St. Matthew's, Newark.
80. *FILKINS, WARREN VAN H., (1910); Rector, Trinity, Arlington.
62. GARNIER, HORATIO K., (1908); P. O. New York, N. Y.
148. *GERHARD, HOWARD W., (1916); Rector, Christ Church, Newark.
111. *GOMPH, CHARLES L., (1913); Rector, Grace, Newark.
82. *GRAHAM, DWIGHT W., (1910); Rector, St. Agnes', East Orange.
7. GRANBERRY, STEPHEN H., (1884); P. O. Hartford, Conn.; Rector Emeritus, St. Barnabas', (Roseville), Newark; Examining Chaplain.
131. *GREEN, GEORGE A., (1915); Rector, Christ Church, Newton.
22. *GWYNNE, WALKER, D.D., (1893); Rector Emeritus, Calvary, Summit.
38. HALL, WILLIAM H. A., (1901); P. O. New York, N. Y.
24. *HAMILTON, DAVID STUART, (1895); Rector, St. Paul's, Paterson; President of the Standing Committee.
138. HANDLEY, WALTER, (1916); in England.
84. *HANNA, GEORGE A., (1910); Rector, Holy Communion, South Orange.
13. HEWLETT, JOHN C., (1890); P. O. Liberty, N. Y.
60. HOLMES, WILLIAM A. B., (1907); P. O. Trenton, N. J.
47. *HOOPER, EDWARD P., (1905); Rector, Ascension, Jersey City.
70. *HOPKINS, HERBERT W., (1909); Rector, Trinity, Irvington.
59. *HOWE, WALTER E., (1907); Rector, St. John's, Dover; in charge, St. Peter's, Mt. Arlington.
93. HOWES, LYMAN J., (1912); P. O. New York, N. Y.
87. HOXSEY, GORDON D., (1911); P. O. New York, N. Y.
51. *HUMPHREYS, OTHO F., (1906); Rector, Holy Trinity, West Orange.
53. *HUTCHISON, CHARLES E., (1906); Rector, Christ Church, East Orange.
54. *HYDE, THOMAS A., (1906); Rector, St. Mary's, Jersey City.
42. JACKSON, JAMES W., (1904); P. O. Allendale; Missionary, Epiphany, Allendale; and of St. John's, Ramsey.
95. *JAMES, FLEMING, Ph.D., (1912); Rector, St. Paul's, Englewood; and of St. John's, Nordhoff; Examining Chaplain.
6. JENNEY, WILLIAM R., D. D., (1883); P. O. Piedmont, Cal.
1. *JOHNSTON, LEVI, (1875); P. O. Brooklyn, N. Y.

101. JOHNSTON, MERCEZ G., (1912); P. O. Baltimore, Md.
28. JORALEMON, JAMES C., (1896); P. O. Hampton, Va.; Chaplain, National Soldiers' Home, Hampton, Va.
11. *KELLER, JOHN, (1887); Secretary of Convention; P. O. Newark.
55. KENT, LAWRENCE S., (1906); P. O. Minneapolis, Minn.
135. *KINSOLVING, WALTER O., (1916); Rector, Calvary, Summit.
107. *KIRKBY, DAVID N., (1913); Rector, St. Peter's, Essex Fells.
155. *KIRKBY, HENRY M., (1917); Assistant, St. Peter's, Morristown.
73. *KIRWAN, FRANCIS WM., (1909); P. O. Edgewater; Rector, Mediator, Edgewater; Missionary, Good Shepherd, Fort Lee; and of St. Stephen's, Coytesville.
15. *LADD, HENRY M., (1891); Rector, Grace, Rutherford; Examining Chaplain; Archdeacon of Paterson.
104. *LAU, ROBERT F., (1913); Missionary, St. Mark's, Mendham.
31. *LIPTON, WILLIAM T., (1897); Rector, Ascension, Bloomfield.
105. *LODGE, JAMES T., (1913); Rector, St. John's, Montclair; Examining Chaplain.
58. LONG, WILLIAM A., (1907); P. O. Delhi, N. Y.
50. *LONGLEY, ALBERT L., (1905); Rector, Trinity, Bergen Point, Bayonne; Archdeacon of Jersey City.
19. LUTSURN, WILLIAM H. C., (1892); P. O. Mamaroneck, N. Y.
14. *McCLARY, JAMES A., (1891); Rector, Holy Communion, Paterson; Examining Chaplain.
97. *McKAY, ROBERT B., (1912); Missionary, St. Agnes', Little Falls.
127. McKIBBIN, SAMUEL, (1915); Rector, St. John's, Bayonne.
48. McNULTY, HENRY A., (1905); P. O. Scotchow, China.
144. *McWILLIAMS, ALFRED R., (1916); P. O. Hillsdale; Missionary, St. Paul's, Montvale; and of Holy Trinity, Hillsdale.
64. MACBRYDE, MEADE B., (1908); Missionary, Grace, Westwood.
26. *MAGILL, GEORGE ERNEST, (1896); Rector, Holy Innocents', Hoboken.
23. MAGUIRE, HORATIO W., (1895); P. O. Brooklyn, N. Y.
123. *MARTIN, JOHN G., (1915); Missionary, St. Peter's, Clifton; and of St. Stephen's, Delaware.
129. *MARTIN, WILLIAM, (1915); Rector, St. Matthew's, Jersey City.
147. *MASTERS, RAYMOND W., (1916); P. O. Bergenfield; Missionary, St. John's, Bergenfield; and of All Saints', Dumont.
92. *MATTHEWS, DOUGLAS, (1911); Rector, Grace, Nutley.
29. MILLER, EVERARD P., (1896); P. O. Scarsdale, N. Y.
12. *MILLER, JOHN S., (1889); Rector, House of Prayer, Newark; Examining Chaplain.
146. *MILLER, RAY O., (1916); Assistant Minister, St. John's, Jersey City.
27. *MITCHEAM, WILLIAM M., (1896); P. O. Hackettstown; Missionary, St. James', Hackettstown; and of Christ Mission, Stanhope.
110. *MONTGOMERY, MARSHALL F., (1913); P. O. Grantwood; Missionary, Trinity, Grantwood; and of Grace, Grandview.
119. *MORI, VICTOR W., (1914); Rector, Grace, Madison.
5. *MORTIMER, FREDERIC E., (1880); Rector, St. Mark's, Jersey City; and St. Agnes' Chapel, (Lafayette), Jersey City; Chaplain to St. Katharine's Home, and Christ Hospital.
152. *ORMSKEE, ROLAND C., (1917); Rector, St. Paul's, Newark.
109. OSWALD, CHARLES E. C., (1913); P. O. New York, N. Y.
83. *OWEN, ELMER NELSON, (1910); Rector, St. George's, Maplewood.
98. *PENNOCK, GILBERT L., (1912); Rector, Calvary, Bayonne.
150. *PHILLIPS, ALBERT E., (1916); Rector, St. Luke's, Paterson.
71. *PLASKETT, GEORGE M., (1909); Curate, Grace, Orange; Minister, Epiphany Chapel, Orange; and of Trinity, Montclair.
74. *POPHAM, CHARLES W., (1909); Rector, Christ Church, Belleville.

89. PURCHASE, HERBERT G., (1911); in England.
16. *RAZOR, FRANK B., D.D., (1891); P. O. West Orange; Rector, St. Mark's, Orange; and of St. Peter's, Livingston.
77. *RICE, H. LANDON, (1909); Missionary, St. Alban's, Newark.
4. *RICHMOND, WILLIAM, (1878); P. O. Washington, D. C.; Rector Honorarius, All Saints', Orange.
137. *ROGERS, WARREN L., (1916); Rector, St. John's, Jersey City.
121. RUGGLES, VERNON D., (1914); P. O. Elmhurst, N. Y.
68. St. CLAIR, HARMON C., (1908); Assistant Minister, Holy Innocents', Hoboken.
99. *SHIPLEY, MALCOLM A., JR., (1912); Rector, Trinity, Hoboken.
126. *SPEAR, ELWYN H., (1915); Rector, Atonement, Tenafly.
151. *SPENCER, ERNEST P. S., (1916); P. O. West Orange; Curate, St. Mark's, Orange; and of St. Peter's, Livingston.
75. STEPHENS, NASSAU S., (1909); P. O. Upper Montclair.
41. STEWART, ALONZO CUSHMAN, (1903); P. O. Ossining, N. Y.
3. STODDARD, EDWARD L., Ph.D., (1877); Rector Emeritus, St. John's, Jersey City.
103. *STRIDBERG, CARL A. H., (1913); P. O. Hasbrouck Heights; Missionary, St. John the Divine, Hasbrouck Heights; and of Christ Mission, West Englewood.
72. *SWEET, SIDNEY E., (1909); Rector, St. Stephen's, Jersey City.
43. TAYLOR, ELBERT B., (1904); P. O. Catonsville, Md.
32. *TAYLOR, WILLIAM P., (1897); Rector, St. Paul's, East Orange.
78. *THOMPSON, ALBERT W. H., (1909); Rector, St. Mark's, Newark.
76. *THOMSON, ROBERT J., (1909); Rector, St. Bartholomew's, Hoboken.
20. *TILLEY, WILLIAM J., (1893); P. O. Harrison; Assistant Minister, Trinity, Newark; in charge of Christ Chapel, Harrison.
69. *TODD, F. CRESWICK, (1909); Rector, St. Andrew's, South Orange.
96. *TODD, HENRY B., (1912); Rector, Trinity, (Totowa), Paterson.
130. *TRENBATH, ROBERT W., (1915); P. O. Upper Montclair; Rector, St. James', Montclair.
85. TULP, AIKA PETER, (1910); P. O. _____.
66. *TYLER, BARRETT P., (1908); Rector, Redeemer, Morristown; Archdeacon of Morristown.
2. VANDERPOOL, WYNANT, (1875); P. O. Morristown; Missionary, City Alms House, Newark.
140. *VAN DUYN, THEODORE J. M., (1916); P. O. Pompton Lakes; Rector, Christ Church, Pompton.
34. *VAN INGEN, JAMES W., (1899); Rector, St. Stephen's, Millburn; Examining Chaplain.
52. *WALKLEY, CHARLES T., (1906); P. O. East Orange; Rector, Grace, Orange; and of Epiphany Mission, Orange.
36. WASSON, EDMUND A., Ph.D., (1900); Rector, St. Stephen's, Newark.
81. *WATTS, WILLIAM H., (1910); Rector, St. Mary's, Haledon.
86. *WEBB, CAROLUS R., (1911); Missionary, Incarnation, (Ampere), East Orange.
39. WEBB, WILLIAM G., (1901); P. O. Coytesville.
120. WEIDNER, DAVID T., (1914); P. O. Jersey City.
37. *WEIKERT, SAMUEL A., (1900); Rector, St. Mark's, Paterson.
67. *WELLS, CHARLES H., (1908); Rector, St. Andrew's, Newark; Chaplain to St. Barnabas' Hospital, Newark.
18. *WHITE, EDWIN A., D.C.L., (1892); Rector, Christ Church, Bloomfield and Glen Ridge.
134. *WHITE, LUKE M., (1916); Rector, St. Luke's, Montclair; and of Trinity Mission, Montclair.
61. WILSON, HENRY B., (1908); Rector, St. John's, Boonton.
79. *WILSON, HUGH D., (1909); Missionary, St. George's, Passaic.

116. *WOOLSEY, M. LLOYD, (1914); Curate, House of Prayer, Newark.
 21. *YOUNG, GEORGE H., (1893); Missionary, St. Peter's, Washington.

DEACONS.

161. *CONKLIN, RANDALL W., (1916); Minister in charge, St. George's, (Vailsburgh), Newark.
 156. *DALAND, GEORGE G., (1910); P. O. Glen Ridge; Assistant Minister, Christ Church, Bloomfield and Glen Ridge.
 158. DELL, BURNHAM N., (1916); P. O. New York, N. Y.
 160. *FABER, FRANKLIN G., (1916); P. O. Belvidere; Minister in charge, Zion, Belvidere; St. James', (Knowlton), Delaware; and of St. Luke's, Hope.
 163. *GIBSON, ROWLAND K., (1917); P. O. East Orange; Curate, St. Barnabas', Newark.
 159. *HAMELIN, J. FRED, (1916); P. O. Newark; Minister in charge, St. Mary Magdalene, Newark; and of St. Paul's, North Arlington.
 157. *MAWEINKNY, WILLIAM B., (1910); P. O. North Arlington; Minister in charge, St. Clement's, Hawthorne.
 162. MORRELL, FRANK C., (1917); P. O. Ridgesfield Park; officiating at Nativity, Fairview.

Clergy belonging to the Diocese:

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Clergy present at Convention:

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CLERGY OF OTHER DIOCESES LICENSED TO OFFICIATE IN THE
 DIOCESE OF NEWARK, 1916-1917.

The Rev'd ALDEN L. BENNETT, Newark.

- " PERRY M. BINNINGTON, Newark.
 " CHARLES H. BOYNTON, Ph.D., Englewood.
 " GEORGE P. CHRISTIAN, Orange.
 " GEORGE T. DOWLING, D.D., Orange.
 " MELVIN HONEYMAN, Newark.
 " ALLEN D. JENNINGS, Ringwood Manor.
 " ARTHUR W. KIERULFF, Paterson.
 " HENRI B. B. LE FÈVRE, Jersey City.
 " LEWIS H. LIGHTHIPS, East Orange.
 " J. GREGORY MABRY, Newark.
 " E. F. H. J. MASSE, Jersey City.
 " BENJAMIN R. PHILIPS, Orange.
 " DENHAM H. QUINN, Wortendyke.
 " HAROLD E. SAWYER, Morristown.
 " HENRY P. SKYMOUR, Norwood.
 " GOUVERNEUR M. WILKINS, Phillipsburgh.

CLERGY PRESENT, ENTITLED TO HONORARY SEATS.

- The Rev'd ALDEN L. BENNETT, of the Diocese of Milwaukee.
" PERCY M. BINNINGTON, of the Diocese of Bethlehem.
" GEORGE P. CHRISTIAN, of the Diocese of Washington.
" MELVIN HOWEYMAN, of the Diocese of Rhode Island.
" LEWIS H. LIGHTHIPS, of the Diocese of New Jersey.
" J. GREGORY MABRY, of the Diocese of Newark. (*Vide*, Addendum.)
" DENHAM H. QUINN, of the Diocese of Ohio.
" HENRY P. SKYMOUR, of the Diocese of New York.
" J. ATTWOOD STANSFIELD, of the Diocese of Colorado.
Mr. MONELL SAYRE, *Secretary*, The Church Pension Fund.
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List of Candidates for Holy Orders

APRIL 30, A. D. 1917.

The Rev'd JOHN F. HAMBLIN, admitted April 15, 1913.

GEORGE F. COLLARD, admitted April 13, 1914.

ALFRED NEWBERRY, admitted September 28, 1914.

CHARLES STEEL ARMSTRONG, admitted September 28, 1914.

The Rev'd BURNHAM NORTH DELL, admitted May 24, 1915.

ROBERT SANDERS HOOPER, admitted October 11, 1915.

PETER RITTS DECKENBACH, admitted October 11, 1915.

The Rev'd RANDALL W. CONKLIN, admitted April 26, 1916.

" FRANK C. MORRELL, admitted July 3, 1916.

" ROWLAND K. GIMSON, admitted July 3, 1916.

" FRANKLIN G. FARR, admitted (by transfer from the Bishop of Tennessee)
July 10, 1916.

Postulants

APRIL 30, A. D. 1917.

HERMAN W. ALBERT, received November 7, 1904.

JEROME F. KIDDER, received January 4, 1906.

*J. EARLE BLOSSOM, received February 13, 1910.

*N. E. SAINSBURY, JR., received June 20, 1910.

CLAUD HUMPHREYS, received April 29, 1911.

ARTHUR SCHMON, received May 6, 1914.

*WILLIAM JOHN GREENE, received (by transfer from the Diocese of New York)
January 25, 1915.

DOUGLAS H. BLEECKER, received July 9, 1915.

FRANK A. WILSON-LAWRENSON, received July 10, 1915.

J. WARREN ALBINSON, received July 12, 1915.

ENOCH R. APPLEGATE, received July 15, 1915.

F. VERNON LOSEE, received July 26, 1915.

EDWIN S. FORD, received April 15, 1916.

†A. EDWIN KAPPAUF, received July 1, 1916.

STANLEY O. DENNIS, JR., received April 10, 1917.

J. REGINALD MOODEY, received April 17, 1917.

C. RUSSELL MOODEY, received April 17, 1917.

†Departed this life 25 October, A. D. 1916.

*Resigned.

List of the Parishes and Missions

TOGETHER WITH THE CLERGY, AND LAY DEPUTIES TO CONVENTION.

- EPHRAIM**, Allendale, Bergen Co. The Rev'd James W. Jackson, Missionary; *Arthur B. Sullivan, William C. Lee, Edward G. Washburne*, Deputies; *George M. Potter*, Alternate.
- TRINITY**, Arlington, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Warren Van H. Filkins, Rector; *Edward Dorwell, John T. Shepherd*, Charles McWilliams, Deputies.
- CALVARY**, (Pamapo) Bayonne, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Gilbert L. Pennock, Rector; *Arthur E. De Waters, J. E. Jonas, Thomas A. Preston*, Deputies.
- ST. JOHN'S**, Bayonne, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Samuel McKibbin, Rector; *Frank J. Van Order, Walter S. Jellerson, Joseph Broadhead*, Deputies.
- TRINITY**, (Bergen Point) Bayonne, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Albert L. Longley, Rector; *Addison J. Gallien, J. Gordon Parkinson, Julian L. Duryse, sr.*, Deputies.
- CHRIST CHURCH**, Belleville, Essex Co. The Rev'd Charles W. Popham, Rector; *Joseph R. Kingsland, William A. Moore, John C. Ward*, Deputies.
- ZION**, Belvidere, Warren Co. The Rev'd Franklin G. Faber, Minister in charge; *Edwin Buckley, Leroy Craig, W. E. Anderson*, Deputies.
- St. JOHN'S**, Bergenfield, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Raymond W. Masters, Missionary; *Robert V. King, William I. Gourlay, John Radford*, Deputies.
- ASCENSION**, Bloomfield, Essex Co. The Rev'd William T. Lipton, Rector; *John R. Wilde, Sherbrooke P. Biescher, Frederick G. Whitfield*, Deputies.
- CHRIST CHURCH**, Bloomfield and Glen Ridge, Essex Co. The Rev'd Edwin A. White, D.C.I., Rector; the Rev'd Arthur L. Charles and the Rev'd George G. Daland, Assistant Ministers; *George W. Hulsart, David Kay, jr., John G. Crawford*, Deputies.
- ST. JOHN'S**, Boonton, Morris Co. The Rev'd Henry B. Wilson, Rector; *F. W. Lobdell, George H. Wychoff, R. F. Barnes*, Deputies.
- St. PAUL's**, Butler, Morris Co. (In charge of the Archdeacon.)
- St. PAUL's**, Chatham, Morris Co. (In charge of the Archdeacon.) *Frank L. Moore, John Pier Munn, Fred W. Dusenbury*, Deputies.
- St. PETER's**, Clifton, Passaic Co. The Rev'd John G. Martin, Missionary; *W. F. Nutt, W. H. Bogart, A. D. Cheston*, Deputies.

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Names of Lay Deputies printed in *italics* are taken from Attendance Cards.

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Reported changes after 30 April will be noted in the Addendum (before the Index).

Extra-Diocesan Clergy, working in this Diocese, are named at the head of Parochial and Missionary Reports. q. v.

- ST. STEPHEN'S, Coytesville, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Francis W. Kirwan, in charge; *August M. Herrmann, Frank M. Redman, William J. Barry, Deputies.*
- ST. STEPHEN'S, Delawanna, Passaic Co. The Rev'd John G. Martin, Missionary; F. E. Lilienthal, L. I. Walters, J. H. Dykeman, Deputies.
- ST. JOHN'S, Dover, Morris Co. The Rev'd Walter E. Howe, Rector; the Rev'd John F. Butterworth, D.D., Rector Emeritus; *William G. Herridge, Irving S. Tompkins, Charles C. Cooper, Deputies.*
- ALL SAINTS', Dumont, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Raymond W. Masters, Missionary; Francis Holbrook, H. B. Jenkins, Alvah E. Reed, Deputies.
- CHRIST CHURCH, East Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd Charles E. Hutchison, Rector; *A. B. Lest, DeWitt Cook, W. F. Hubley, Deputies.*
- INCARNATION, (Ampere) East Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd Carolus R. Webb, Missionary; *George H. Stover, W. Wilson, sr., O. D. M. Guthe, Deputies.*
- ST. AGNES', East Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd Dwight W. Graham, Rector; *Edward O. Stanley, William A. Robertson, Walter H. Jackson, Deputies.*
- ST. PAUL'S, East Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd William P. Taylor, Rector; *Frederic R. Pilch, E. W. Wollmuth, Walter Hampson, Deputies.*
- GRACE CHAPEL, East Rutherford, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Percy C. Bissell, Missionary.
- MEDIATOR, Edgewater, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Francis W. Kirwan, Rector; *George A. Carleton, Egger King, W. E. Fenno, Deputies.*
- ST. PAUL'S, Englewood, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Fleming James, Ph.D., Rector; *James Barber, M. W. Dominick, Geo. Whitefield Betts, jr., Deputies.*
- ST. PETER'S, Essex Fells, Essex Co. The Rev'd David N. Kirkby, Rector; Howard M. Cook, Laurence Burdick, *Henry T. Malcomson, Deputies.*
- NATIVITY, Fairview, Bergen Co. (In charge of the Archdeacon.) J. W. Bell, J. H. Grief, J. Kopps, Deputies.
- GOOD SHEPHERD, Fort Lee, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Francis W. Kirwan, Missionary.
- HOLY INNOCENTS', Garfield, Bergen Co. The Rev'd William G. Bentley, Rector.
- ALL SAINTS', Glen Rock, Bergen Co. (In charge of the Archdeacon.)
- GRACE, Grandview, (Hudson Heights), Bergen Co. The Rev'd Marshall F. Montgomery, Missionary.
- TRINITY, Grantwood, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Marshall F. Montgomery, Missionary; S. Wood McClave, J. B. McKeown, D. A. Carson, Deputies.
- CHRIST CHURCH, Hackensack, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Robert Blickensderfer, Rector; William Widnall, sr., *A. C. Hartshorne, Robert K. Meneely, Deputies.*
- ST. JAMES', Hackettstown, Warren Co. The Rev'd William M. Mitcham, Missionary.
- ST. MARY'S, Haledon, Passaic Co. The Rev'd William H. Watts, Rector; *J. Henry Leonhard, Samuel Rogers, Maximilian C. Richert, Deputies.*
- GOOD SHEPHERD, Hamburg, Sussex Co. The Rev'd Edgar L. Cook, Missionary; Clarence Smith, T. D. Edsall, W. J. Simpson, Deputies.
- CHRIST CHAPEL, Harrison, Hudson Co. The Rev'd William J. Tilley, Minister.
- ST. JOHN THE DIVINE, Hasbrouck Heights, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Carl A. H. Stridsberg, Missionary; George E. Peirce, J. Lomas, Milnor B. Dominick, Deputies.

- ST. CLEMENT'S, Hawthorne, Passaic Co. The Rev'd William B. Mawhinney, Minister in charge.
- HOLY TRINITY, Hillsdale, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Alfred R. McWilliams, Missionary; Clarence Shuttleworth, Rawlins Webster, Jenner R. Fast, Deputies.
- HOLY INNOCENTS', Hoboken, Hudson Co. The Rev'd G. Ernest Magill, Rector; the Rev'd Harmon C. St. Clair, Assistant Minister; *Richard Stevens, John H. Grouls, Adam J. Walters*, Deputies; *Edwin A. Stevens*, Alternate.
- ST. PAUL'S, Hoboken, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Waldo A. Amos, Rector; *Robert D. P. Mount, Cyril M. Webster, Emerson O. Heyworth*, Deputies.
- TRINITY, Hoboken, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Malcolm A. Shipley, jr., Rector; *J. W. Rufus Besson, C. Alfred Burkorn, Alfred Pope*, Deputies; *Edwin A. S. Brown*, Alternate.
- ST. BARTHOLOMEW'S, Hohokus, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Robert J. Thomson, Rector; *Frederick K. Trash, Alfred G. Brown, S. D. Rumsey*, Deputies.
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- ST. LUKE'S, Hope, Warren Co. The Rev'd Franklin G. Faber, Minister in charge.
- TRINITY, Irvington, Essex Co. The Rev'd Herbert W. Hopkins, Rector; Joseph D. Fredericks, *William D. Baldwin, Wentworth Post*, Deputies.
- ASCENSION, Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Edward P. Hooper, Rector; William C. Robinson, *F. August Brockmeier, W. L. Buch*, Deputies.
- GRACE, (Greenville) Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Hiram R. Bennett, Rector; *B. H. Laidley, E. S. Kimpell, Thomas A. Renwick*, Deputies.
- GRACE, (Van Vorst) Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Pelham St. G. Bissell, Rector; *Frederick H. Benmitt, Anton G. Christensen, H. H. Cooper*, Deputies.
- HOLY CROSS, Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd _____, Rector; *George J. Pickell, James B. F. Ransom, T. C. Stearns*, Deputies.
- INCARNATION, Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Robert D. Brown, in charge.
- ST. JOHN'S, Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Warren L. Rogers, Rector; the Rev'd Edward L. Stoddard, Ph.D., Rector Emeritus; the Rev'd Ray O. Miller and the Rev'd Edgar W. Anderson, Assistant Ministers; *Hugh Hartahorne, Rudolph W. R. Koester, John Headden*, Deputies.
- ST. MARK'S, Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Frederic E. Mortimer, Rector.
- ST. AGNES' CHAPEL, (Lafayette) Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Frederic E. Mortimer, Rector.
- ST. MARY'S, Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Thomas A. Hyde, Rector; *Charles H. Haywood, Wilks I. McCullagh, Thomas W. Baher*, Deputies; *John W. Worfolk*, Alternate.
- ST. MATTHEW'S, Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd William Martin, Rector; *F. O. Leasendale, William C. Schürmer, William H. Simpson*, Deputies.
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- ST. PAUL'S, Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd S. Glover Dunseath, Rector; the Rev'd William P. Brush, Rector Emeritus; *Charles W. Parker, Vreeland Tompkins, Thomas W. Short*, Deputies.
- ST. STEPHEN'S, Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Sidney E. Sweet, Rector; *Henry J. Russell, Melvin R. Wilkin, James Healing*, Deputies.

- CHRIST HOSPITAL, Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Frederic E. Mortimer, Chaplain.
- ST. KATHARINE'S HOME, Jersey City, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Frederic E. Mortimer, Chaplain.
- ST. JAMES', (Knowlton) Delaware, Warren Co. The Rev'd Franklin G. Faber, Minister in charge; Charles J. Quig, Lester M. Hartung, Charles H. Hutchison, Deputies.
- ALL SAINTS', Leonia, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Aubrey H. Derby, Missionary.
- ST. AGNES', Little Falls, Passaic Co. The Rev'd Robert B. McKay, Missionary; *Sheldon W. Hewins*, Arthur Wynne, Robert Cross, Deputies.
- ST. PETER'S, Livingston, Essex Co. The Rev'd Frank B. Reazor, Rector; the Rev'd Ernest P. S. Spencer, Curate.
- ST. THOMAS', Lyndhurst, Bergen Co. (In charge of the Archdeacon.) J. Garrett, *Allen E. Williamson*, W. H. Harvey, Deputies.
- GRACE, Madison, Morris Co. The Rev'd Victor W. Mori, Rector; *W. Reginald Baker*, A. C. Puddington, *Henry G. Pilch*, Deputies.
- ST. GEORGE'S, Maplewood, Essex Co. The Rev'd Elmer Nelson Owen, Rector; *Albert H. Baldwin*, *Edgar Zabriskie*, *Charles D. MacCarthy*, Deputies.
- ST. MARK'S, Mendham, Morris Co. The Rev'd Robert F. Lau, Missionary; Lee Carley, Seeley Hobbie, Wesley S. Munger, Deputies.
- ST. STEPHEN'S, Millburn, Essex Co. The Rev'd James W. Van Ingen, Rector; *Joshua P. Benedict*, Hobart L. Benedict, W. F. Denman, Deputies.
- ALL SAINTS', Millington, Morris Co. The Rev'd August Ahrens, Missionary; *James E. Bathgate, Jr.*, Duane H. Nash, George H. Whittle, Deputies.
- ST. JAMES', Montclair (Upper), Essex Co. The Rev'd Robert W. Trenbath, Rector; *Frederick Hoadley*, Alexander Luchars, *Charles Bull*, Deputies.
- ST. JOHN'S, Montclair, Essex Co. The Rev'd James T. Lodge, Rector; *James Owen*, Alfred E. Forstall, *H. G. Henderson*, Deputies.
- ST. LUKE'S, Montclair, Essex Co. The Rev'd Luke M. White, Rector; the Rev'd Frederick B. Carter, Rector Emeritus; *Edwin A. Bradley*, *Decatur M. Sawyer*, *Henry V. Crawford*, Deputies.
- TRINITY, Montclair, Essex Co. The Rev'd Luke M. White, Rector; the Rev'd George M. Plaskett, in charge.
- ST. PAUL'S, Montvale, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Alfred R. McWilliams, Missionary.
- REDEMPTOR, Morristown, Morris Co. The Rev'd Barrett P. Tyler, Rector; *Jas. Stewart MacKie*, Charles D. M. Cole, *John R. Brinsley*, Deputies.
- ST. PETER'S, Morristown, Morris Co. The Rev'd Donald M. Brookman, D.D., Rector; the Rev'd Henry M. Kirkby, Assistant; *George G. Kip*, *Henry K. Morgan*, *Edward Q. Kearsbey*, Deputies.
- ST. PETER'S, Mt. Arlington, Morris Co. The Rev'd Walter E. Howe, in charge.
- CHRIST CHURCH, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Howard W. Gernand, Rector; Frederick Sautler, Robert Bennett, R. H. Chappell, Deputies.

- GRACE, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Charles L. Gomph, Rector; *Charles A. Grummon, Frank A. Hough, J. Lawrence Boggs*, Deputies.
- HOUSE OF PRAYER, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd John S. Miller, Rector; the Rev'd M. Lloyd Woolacy, Curate; Edward H. Wright, *Jas. Austin Williams, Louis D. Hanke*, Deputies.
- St. ALBAN'S, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd H. Landon Rice, Missionary; William Perkins, George Walker, Ralph B. Ward, Deputies.
- ST. ANDREW'S, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Charles H. Wells, Rector; *Louis A. Douglass, Edward G. Quinlan, George H. Bowerman*, Deputies.
- ST. BARNABAS', Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Henry V. B. Darlington, Rector; The Rev'd Stephen H. Granberry, Rector Emeritus; the Rev'd Rowland K. Gimson, Curate; *James E. Bathgate, Theodore D. Gottlieb, Arthur T. Scales*, Deputies.
- St. GEORGE'S, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Randall W. Conklin, Minister in charge; *James R. O'Donnell, William Murray, Ernest Wynne*, Deputies.
- ST. JAMES', Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd T. Percival Bate, Rector; *G. Winsor Thorne, Burton LeR. Hare, George H. Matthews*, Deputies.
- ST. JOHN'S, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Albert M. Farr, Rector; H. H. Pratt, *J. B. Hutchings, Henry R. Linderman*, Deputies.
- ST. MARK'S, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Albert W. H. Thompson, Rector; *Albert W. Harris, Percy C. H. Papps, Herbert W. Taylor*, Deputies.
- St. MARY MAGDALENE, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd J. Fred Hamblin, Minister in charge; *Robert G. Lewis, Ernest P. Keller, John Leyser*, Deputies.
- ST. MATTHEW'S, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd John O. Ferris, Rector.
- ST. PAUL'S, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Roland C. Ormsbee, Rector; *Arthur E. Barlow, Frank Brabson, George A. Hay*, Deputies.
- ST. PHILIP'S, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Robert D. Brown, Rector; *James M. Miller, H. Roy de Mund, C. Lansing Nevius*, Deputies.
- ST. STEPHEN'S, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Edmund A. Wasson, Ph.D., Rector; Bernard W. Terlinde, *George Linneti, Henry Van Arsdale*, Deputies.
- ST. THOMAS', Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd John C. Donnell, Rector; *Edwin D. MacMurray, John D. Topplin, John B. Foster*, Deputies.
- TRINITY, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd _____ Rector; the Rev'd William J. Tilley, Assistant Minister; *John A. Gifford, Horace C. Grice, Arthur G. Sherman*, Deputies; *Morrison C. Colyer*, Alternate.
- CITY ALMS HOUSE, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Wynant Vanderpool, Missionary.
- St. BARNABAS' HOSPITAL, Newark, Essex Co. The Rev'd Charles H. Wells, Chaplain.
- CHRIST CHURCH, Newton, Sussex Co. The Rev'd George A. Green, Rector; Theodore Simonson, Walter F. Whittemore, A. P. Van Sickle, Deputies.
- St. JOHN'S, Nordhoff, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Fleming James, Ph.D., Rector.
- St. PAUL'S, North Arlington, Bergen Co. The Rev'd J. Fred Hamblin, Minister in charge; *Sidney H. White, Daniel Rentachler, Knud S. Bay*, Deputies.
- HOLY COMMUNION, Norwood, Bergen Co. The Rev'd _____, Rector; Charles G. Hoffman, Russell M. Fitch, John H. Reid, Deputies.

- GRACE, Nutley, Essex Co. The Rev'd Douglas Matthews, Rector; *James R. Hay, C. I. Walker, Arno T. Koempel*, Deputies.
- ANNUNCIATION, Oradell, Bergen Co. The Rev'd William K. Berry, D.D., Missionary; Frederick H. Conklin, William W. Desmond, James M. Whitefield, Deputies.
- ALL SAINTS', Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd Clarence M. Dunham, Rector; the Rev'd William Richmond, Rector Honorarius; *William S. Maddock, Charles R. Wilmoi, Henry A. West*, Deputies.
- GRACE, Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd Charles T. Walkley, Rector; the Rev'd William S. Bishop, D.D., Assistant; the Rev'd George M. Plaskett, Curate; *Jay C. Young, Philip H. Patriarche, Robert M. Dison*, Deputies.
- EPIPHANY, Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd Charles T. Walkley, Rector; the Rev'd George M. Plaskett, in charge.
- ST. MARK'S, Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd Frank B. Reazor, D.D., Rector; the Rev'd Ernest P. S. Spencer, Curate; *Wm. Read Howe, Francis H. Holmes, Stephen W. Williams*, Deputies.
- ST. GEORGE'S, Passaic, Passaic Co. The Rev'd Hugh D. Wilson, Missionary; *Edgar J. Dibble, William C. Parkhurst, Hugh D. Wilson, sr.*, Deputies.
- ST. JOHN'S, Passaic, Passaic Co. The Rev'd William G. Bentley, Rector; *Fred E. Fairbanks, William P. Meigs, Charles E. Wickers*, Deputies.
- HOLY COMMUNION, Paterson, Passaic Co. The Rev'd James A. McCleary, Rector; *James H. Slater, William L. R. Wurts, William Trussell*, Deputies.
- ST. LUKE'S, Paterson, Passaic Co. The Rev'd Albert E. Phillips, Rector; *Robert D. Bowman, Walter Probert, David Bertachy*, Deputies.
- ST. MARK'S, Paterson, Passaic Co. The Rev'd Samuel A. Weikert, Rector; *Charles Crane, Thomas B. Shorroch, John Fletcher*, Deputies.
- ST. PAUL'S, Paterson, Passaic Co. The Rev'd D. Stuart Hamilton, Rector; *Samuel S. Evans, James Wilson, jr., John R. Wilson*, Deputies.
- TRINITY, (Totowa) Paterson, Passaic Co. The Rev'd Henry B. Todd, Rector; *Percival J. Wood, Percy G. Davies, John W. Eaton*, Deputies.
- ST. LUKE'S, Phillipsburgh, Warren Co. The Rev'd _____, Rector; *James D. Smith, William Frame, Samuel F. Frame*, Deputies.
- CHRIST CHURCH, Pompton, Passaic Co. The Rev'd Theodore J. M. Van Dyne, Rector; *B. T. Holcomb, jr., Charles Dobbs, A. W. Van Saun*, Deputies.
- ST. JOHN'S, Ramsey, Bergen Co. The Rev'd James W. Jackson, Missionary; *John F. De Baun, Arthur B. Albertis, John L. Edson*, Deputies.
- ST. JAMES', Ridgefield, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Aubrey H. Derby, in charge.
- ST. MARY'S, Ridgefield Park, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Charles E. Berghäus, Missionary; *George J. von Kelleman, Charles A. Hovey, Rollo Sanborn*, Deputies.
- CHRIST CHURCH, Ridgewood, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Edwin S. Carson, Rector; *Henry S. Patten, James Keeley, Howard I. Dohrman*, Deputies.
- GOOD SHEPHERD, Ringwood Manor, Passaic Co. (In charge of the Bishop.)
- ST. PETER'S, Rochelle Park, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Robert Blickensderfer, Rector.
- GRACE, Rutherford, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Henry M. Ladd, Rector; *D. H. McGrayne, William P. Elliott, Ellis G. Welch*, Deputies.

- CHRIST CHURCH, Short Hills, Essex Co. The Rev'd C. Malcolm Douglas, Rector; *Wm. Fellows Morgan, James R. Strong, Edward B. Camp*, Deputies.
- HOLY COMMUNION, South Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd George A. Hanna, Rector; *Thomas G. Conway, Phineas P. Chew, William T. Baird*, Deputies.
- ST. ANDREW'S, South Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd Francis Creswick Todd, Rector; *Clayton Platt, Charles H. Van Nostrand, John T. Coit*, Deputies.
- CHRIST MISSION, Stanhope, Sussex Co. The Rev'd William M. Mitcham, Missionary.
- CALVARY, Summit, Union Co. The Rev'd Walter O. Kinsolving, Rector; the Rev'd Walker Gwynne, D.D., Rector Emeritus; *J. Clifford Woodhull, Frank L. Crawford, F. W. Lawrence*, Deputies.
- ATONEMENT, Tenafly, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Elwyn H. Spear, Rector; *Alexander B. Roberts, S. G. Farnham, H. A. C. Hellyer*, Deputies.
- GRACE, Town of Union, Hudson Co. The Rev'd George P. Armstrong, Rector; *Robert C. Dixon, L. A. Menegaux, Arnold Rippe*, Deputies.
- ST. THOMAS', Vernon, Sussex Co. The Rev'd Edgar L. Cook, in charge; *Henry B. DeKay, DeKay Winans, Albert Furman*, Deputies.
- Sr. PETER'S, Washington, Warren Co. The Rev'd George H. Young, Missionary; *L. A. Russell, Walter Osborn, William C. Christine*, Deputies.
- CHRIST MISSION, West Englewood, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Carl A. H. Stridsberg, Missionary.
- ST. JOHN'S, West Hoboken, Hudson Co. The Rev'd Frederick B. Bartlett, Rector; *Edward P. Schwartz, William H. Sillery, William Larder*, Deputies.
- HOLY INNOCENTS', West Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd Alfred W. Arundel, D.D., Missionary; *T. H. Powers Farr, Samuel H. Martin, Gordon Grand*, Deputies.
- HOLY TRINITY, West Orange, Essex Co. The Rev'd Otho F. Humphreys, Rector; *Ezra C. Williams, Joseph Stevens, F. S. Brown*, Deputies.
- GRACE, Westwood, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Meade B. MacBryde, Missionary; *Ralph H. Crompton, Alfred H. Taylor, Harry Thurnall*, Deputies.
- St. PAUL's, Woodridge, Bergen Co. The Rev'd Percy C. Bissell, Missionary.
- CHRIST CHAPEL, Wortendyke, (Midland Park), Bergen Co. (In charge of the Archdeacon.) *Adolph Schleicher, Henry Van Brederode, C. W. Oley*, Deputies.

Number of Parishes in union with Convention.....	83
Number of Parishes represented in this Convention.....	74
Number of Missions represented in this Convention.....	13
Number of Lay Deputies present.....	196

Rules of Order

THE CONVENTION.

1. The Convention shall be opened and closed with prayer.
2. The Convention shall meet on the opening day at 10 a. m.; with a recess of one hour between 1 and 2 o'clock.
3. At the request of the President, or on motion, the Convention may resolve itself into a Committee of the Whole, and shall take a vote for that purpose.
4. At the close of each Convention, the Minutes shall be corrected and approved.
5. The doors of the Convention shall be opened for the admission of such persons as may wish to know its proceedings.
6. All Clerical and Lay Deputies on entering the Convention shall present their names, together with the names of the Parishes they represent, on cards, to the Secretary, who shall enter the same on the Minutes.
7. Clergymen of other Dioceses, and Candidates for Holy Orders, who may be present, shall be admitted to honorary seats in the Convention on the presentation of their names to the Secretary.
8. When the President takes the Chair, each member shall be seated.
9. When any member is about to speak he shall, with due respect, address himself to the President, and in speaking confine himself strictly to the point in debate.
10. No member shall speak more than twice (except the mover, who is entitled to reply,) in the same debate without leave of the Convention.
11. If any member, in speaking or otherwise, transgress the rules of the Convention, the President shall, or any member may, call him to order; if decided to be out of order he shall immediately take his seat, unless permitted by the Convention to explain or proceed in order.
12. All questions of order shall be determined by the President, without debate, but any member may appeal from the decision, and on such appeal no member shall speak more than once without leave of the Convention. The general procedure of the Convention shall be governed, unless otherwise provided for, by the rules of parliamentary practice as set forth in "Robert's Rules of Order."

ELECTIONS.

13. A Committee, consisting of the Bishop, *ex-officio*, one other clergyman and two laymen, to be known as the Committee on Elections and Calendar of Business, shall be appointed at each Convention to prepare the official Ballots, and the Calendar of Business for the next Annual Convention.

The mode of conducting the nominations and elections (annually or when such officers are to be elected) of the Standing Committee, of Deputies to the General Convention, of a Treasurer and Auditing Committee, of a Registrar, of

the Board of Missions and Church Extension (for the retiring class and for vacancies), of four Clerical and four Lay Deputies to the Provincial Synod of the 2d Province, of a member of the Ecclesiastical Court, and of a Lay Assessor and all other elective officers not otherwise provided for, shall be as follows:

Any member of the Convention desiring to make nominations must place in the hands of the Committee on Elections and Calendar of Business, in writing, on or before noon of the Tuesday in the week preceding the opening day of the meeting thereof, nominations signed by himself for any or all officers mentioned in the above paragraph. Each nominator must certify to the Elections Committee that the persons nominated by him have consented to the nomination. All names so sent in shall be reported to the Convention by the above mentioned Committee, at the beginning of the opening session, in the form of a ballot, on which the names shall be arranged alphabetically in each class. After each list of nominations as many blank spaces shall be left as there are vacancies to be filled. These blanks may be filled by any voter. The voter shall mark with an X at the right of the name of each person for whom he votes. On the first ballot these ballots only shall be used, and also in all subsequent ballots, except when otherwise ordered by the Convention. No ballot shall be counted in its class, on which more names are marked than there are vacancies to be filled, and the number of vacancies to be filled shall be printed on each ballot. Blank ballots shall not be counted in the whole number of votes cast. The Committee shall also provide a list of the retiring officers above mentioned, and these names shall be printed on the back of the ballots provided by said Committee.

The Secretary of the Convention shall call for nominations in his usual notice of the date and place of the Annual Convention, and shall, in the same notice, advertise the person or persons designated by said Committee, to whom such nominations shall be sent, with mailing addresses.

The members of Convention shall also be requested, in said call, to send to this Committee any canonical amendments or other important items of business that they may purpose to introduce at the next Convention, so that such matters may be assigned a place on the Calendar of Business. This call shall also be annually inserted in the April number of the official magazine of the Diocese, *THE NEWARK CHURCHMAN*.

Balloting shall take place in a separate room when practicable.

The clerical and lay voting lists shall be divided into two sections each.

Supplementary Deputies to the General Convention, and to the Provincial Synod shall be elected immediately after the completion of the election of Deputies thereto.

14. Four or more Election Tellers, clerical and lay, in equal numbers, not necessarily members of the Convention, shall be appointed by the President before an election. They shall receive and canvass all votes cast at any election which is required to be by ballot, and, when such canvass is completed, shall immediately report its result to the Convention. The polls shall be open from eleven o'clock to two o'clock on the opening day.
15. All reports (usually printed in the *JOURNAL*) of officers, committees, commissions, and boards of trustees under control of the Convention, shall be printed and distributed by the Committee on Rules of Order as far as practicable, at least two weeks before the meeting of Convention.

(*Vide*, Standing Resolution on page 27.)

Reports when presented in Convention shall be read by title only, unless the reading be required for the better transaction of business.

NEW BUSINESS.

16. All new business introduced, except such as may accompany and form a part of a report of a committee, shall be in the form of a motion or resolution and shall be in writing.

COMMITTEES.

17. All Committees shall be appointed by the President unless otherwise ordered. It shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Diocese to promptly notify the members of all special committees of their appointment, and to call their attention to the rule requiring reports to be printed and sent to the Rectors and Missionaries two weeks before the meeting of Convention.
18. The Reports of Committees shall be in writing, and when made shall be the property of the Convention without any motion for acceptance. All reports recommending action of the Convention shall be accompanied by a resolution to that effect.

MOTIONS AND THEIR ORDER.

19. No motion shall be put or debated until it is seconded; and every motion shall be reduced to writing and signed by the mover, whose name shall be entered on the JOURNAL.
20. When a question is under consideration, no motion shall be received, unless to lay upon the table; to commit it; to postpone to a certain time; to postpone it indefinitely; to correct it; to amend it or divide it; and motions for any of these purposes shall have precedence in the order herein named. If a motion to lay an amendment on the table be carried, the matter before the Convention shall be proceeded with as if no such amendment had been offered. The motion to lay upon the table and to adjourn shall be decided without debate. The motion to adjourn shall always be in order, unless some member is speaking.
21. All motions or notices to reconsider shall be made on the day the vote is taken.

VOTING PRIVILEGES.

22. All questions shall be decided *viva voce*, unless otherwise specially ordered.
23. When required by two Clergymen or two Lay Deputies from two Parishes, the vote of the Convention shall be taken by Orders, voting separately, and the names shall be entered on the Minutes; and, when a vote is thus taken, a concurrent majority in both Orders shall be necessary to carry any measure.
24. In all elections, those persons only who shall have a majority of the votes given shall be deemed elected; but if in any case more than the required number of persons shall have a majority of votes, the required number of persons having the highest number of votes shall be deemed elected, and in case of a tie between two or more candidates, there shall be a new ballot.

STANDING RESOLUTION.

Resolved, That the subject of printing and the issuance of reports, pursuant to Rule 15 of the Rules of Order, and the publication of the JOURNAL, and such other printing or publication as may be incident thereto, be referred to the Finance Committee for consideration; with power to supervise, regulate, or to condense the same; and to issue to your Committee or to the Secretary of the Convention such instructions as in the judgment of the Finance Committee will promote greater economy and efficiency in respect to this work.

Calendar of Business

The Order of Business shall be as follows:

1. Ascertainment by the Secretary, by count, whether a constitutional quorum in both Orders be present.
2. Election of a Secretary
3. Report of the existing Committee on Rules of Order.
4. Report of the existing Committee on Elections and Calendar of Business.
5. Appointment by the President of a Committee on the Certificates of Lay Deputies.
6. Appointment by the President of a Committee on New Parishes
7. Appointment by the President of a Finance Committee.
8. Appointment by the President of a Committee on Rules of Order.
9. Appointment by the President of a Committee on Elections and Calendar of Business for the next Convention.
10. Appointment by the President of a Committee on Securities.
11. Appointment by the President of a Committee on Unfinished Business.
12. Appointment by the Convention of a Committee on the rights of Clerical Members. (Canon 1, §I, [2].)
13. Appointment by the Convention of a Committee on the rights of Lay Deputies. (Canon 1, §II, [3].)
14. Election of a Committee on the Constitution and Canons. (Canon 17, §I.)
15. Report of Committee on Constitution and Canons, and all reports respecting relief of clergy and dependents.
16. Report of the Committee on General Pension Fund.
17. Missionary Business; and report of Diocesan Branch of Woman's Auxiliary.
18. Presentation of reports from Committees and Commissions shall then be made in the following order:
 - Rights of Clerical Members
 - Certificates of Lay Deputies
 - New Parishes
 - Standing Committee
 - Trustees of the Episcopal Fund and Diocesan Properties
 - Cathedral General Chapter
 - Securities
 - Treasurer
 - Auditing Committee
 - Secretary
 - Registrar

Finance Committee
Board of Adjustment
Apportionment for General Missions
Episcopal Residence
Church Architecture
Diocesan Paper
Diocesan Library
Seal for the Diocese
Social Service
Board of Religious Education
Hospital of St. Barnabas
Christ Hospital
Miscellaneous Reports.

19. Unfinished Business.

20. New Business may be introduced at 3:00 o'clock on each afternoon of the session.

Notes: Immediately following the reassembling of the Convention after luncheon upon the first day, general discussions will be had respecting Apportionment and Social Service, each occupying half an hour.

Immediately before the luncheon upon the second day, a similar discussion for one half hour will occur respecting Religious Education.

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TRINITY CHURCH, NEWARK, N. J.

Tuesday, 22nd May, 1917.

9:15 A. M.

The Forty-third Annual Convention of the Church in the Diocese of Newark met at this time and place.

The Right Reverend the Bishop of the Diocese celebrated the Holy Communion, being assisted by the Bishop Suffragan, and the Rev'd Alden L. Bennett, Minister in charge of the Parish.

At 10:20 o'clock the President took the chair and proceeded to organize the Convention.

The Secretary reported a constitutional quorum in both Orders.

On motion, the Rev'd Charles T. Walkley was empowered to cast the ballot of the Convention for the Rev'd John Keller as Secretary. The election was declared.

The Secretary appointed the Rev'd William T. Lipton as Assistant Secretary.

On motion of the Rev'd James W. Van Ingen, of Committee, the Rules of Order adopted at the last Annual Convention were adopted for this Convention.

Mr. Jas. Steuart MacKie, of Committee on Elections and Calendar of Business, reported a Calendar and a ballot sheet for the use of this Convention, which, on motion, were adopted. (*Vide*, Index.)

Committees were appointed by the President:

On Certificates of Lay Deputies—The Rev'd Malcolm A. Shipley, jr., Mr. Frederick Hoadley, Mr. Edward G. Quinlan.

On New Parishes—The Rev'd Warren V. H. Filkins, Mr. Henry S. Patten, Mr. Edward P. Schwartz.

On Finance—Mr. Jas. Steuart MacKie, Mr. John A. Gifford, Mr. Wm. Read Howe, Mr. Edwin A. Bradley, Mr. Albert H. Baldwin; the Bishop, the Bishop Suffragan, the President of the Standing Committee, and the Treasurer of the Convention being members *ex-officio*.

On Rules of Order—The Bishop of the Diocese, the Bishop Suffragan, the Secretary of Convention, the Rev'd John S. Miller, the Rev'd James W. Van Ingen, the Rev'd Douglas Matthews, Mr. Howard Marshall, Mr. J. Roger Kingaland, Mr. George R. Beach.

On Elections and Calendar of Business—The Bishop of the Diocese, *ex-officio*, the Bishop Suffragan, the Secretary of Convention, the Rev'd James W. Van Ingen, Mr. Jas. Steuart MacKie, Mr. Howard Marshall.

On Securities—Mr. John D. Everitt, Mr. Augustus F. R. Martin.

On Unfinished Business—The Rev'd Sidney E. Sweet, Mr. George W. Betts, Mr. Robert D. Bowman.

The Committee on Rights of Clerical Members was elected: The Rev'd John S. Miller, the Rev'd Dr. Fleming James, Mr. Dawson H. McGrayne.

The Committee on Rights of Lay Deputies was elected: The Rev'd Hiram R. Bennett, Mr. Robert M. Dixon, Mr. Henry V. Crawford.

Nominations were made under the Rules for a Committee on Constitution and Canons: The Rev'd Dr. Edwin A. White, the Rev'd Dr. Walker Gwynne, the Rev'd Charles T. Walkley, Mr. Wm. Read Howe, Mr. Charles W. Parker.

On motion, the Secretary was empowered to cast the ballot of the Convention. The election of the Committee on Constitution and Canons was declared.

The Rev'd Dr. Edwin A. White, of Committee, announced that the Committee on Constitution and Canons had no business for consideration and report at this time.

The Report of the Committee on the Church Pension Fund was postponed.

Missionary Business being in order, Archdeacon Carter presented the Report of the Board of Missions and Church Extension. (*Vide*, Index.)

On motion of the Rev'd Dr. White, it was

Resolved, That the Clergy present from other Dioceses, Candidates for Holy Orders, Officers of General and Diocesan Church Institutions and Commissions, are respectfully invited to seats in this Convention.

On motion of Mr. Edward Q. Keasbey, it was

Resolved, That, with Bishop Stearly as Chairman, the Diocesan Board of Social Service, from their own number and from other Clergymen and Laymen in the Diocese, establish a Diocese War Service Commission, to endeavor to organize our people in all the Parishes and Mission Churches for the service of our country; giving information of what is needed; wisely stimulating useful activities; co-operating with other agencies if deemed best.

The President appointed a Committee on Declaration of the Convention for the Diocese on the War: Bishop Stearly, the Rev'd Henry M. Ladd, the Rev'd Henry V. B. Darlington, the Rev'd Luke M. White, Mr. Edward Q. Keasbey, Mr. Charles W. Parker, Mr. Robert M. Dixon.

The Rev'd Malcolm A. Shipley presented the following

Report, Committee on Certificates of Lay Deputies.

To the Forty-third Annual Convention:

The Committee on Certificates of Lay Deputies reports that the certificates are in canonical form; and that the Secretary's roll of Lay Deputies is correct.

MALCOLM A. SHIPLEY, JR.,
FREDERICK HOADLEY,
EDWARD G. QUINLAN,

Committee.

Newark, N. J., May 22, 1917.

The Bishop read his Thirteenth Annual Address, approving the election of a Coadjutor Bishop and assigning the duties of such a Bishop, if elected, in the following words:

"A subject of very great importance to be presented to the Convention today is the election of a Bishop Coadjutor. The subject came up in a very natural way through a general expression on the part of Clergy and people of desire that the Convention should make such an election. When the subject was presented to me I gave it hearty approval.

"Following the requirements of the canons, the Standing Committee and the Bishop of the Diocese have obtained the consents of a majority of the Bishops and of the Standing Committees of the Church for the election of a Bishop Coadjutor by reason of the extent of Diocesan work. The canon requires that I should read to you a written consent to such election and state the duties which are assigned to the Bishop Coadjutor if one should be chosen, which statement will make part of the proceedings of this Convention.

"It is my purpose to assign to the Bishop Coadjutor the oversight and care of the Missionary Work of the Diocese in its Mission Churches and assisted Parishes and new undertakings; also one-half or more of the Confirmation appointments, with oversight in a large part also of such Diocesan concerns as the Apportionment for General Missions, the General Pension Fund, and the work of the Diocesan Commissions on Religious Education and Social Service. Desiring to follow the canon definitely, I would not wish to make the division of duties more rigid than is necessary, for as long as life and health are given me I would like to work on in the Diocese maintaining a personal relation with all the Parishes and Mission Churches and activities.

"It will now remain for the Convention to determine whether it will proceed to act, the consent of the Church to the request having been given. Should the Convention elect it will be necessary to ask the approval of the Bishops and Standing Committees of such action, the proper certificate of election and the statement of the assignment of duties being sent to them. When a majority shall have given approval the election will be complete."

(The Episcopal Address in full follows the Minutes.)

On motion of the Rev'd Otho F. Humphreys, it was

Resolved, That the Convention take up the subject of the election of a Coadjutor Bishop.

Archdeacon Carter presented and read the following:

Action of the Standing Committee in regard to the Election of a Coadjutor Bishop.

At a meeting of the Standing Committee on March 5th, 1917, "after a detailed statement by Bishop Lines concerning the form of procedure in regard to the election of a Coadjutor Bishop, it was

"Resolved, That a Committee be appointed to act with the Diocesan to obtain the consent of the Bishops and Standing Committees of the Dioceses to the election of a Coadjutor Bishop of the Diocese of Newark."

Atttest:

FREDERICK B. CARTER,
Secretary of the Standing Committee.

The number of Bishops to be notified, as stated by the Presiding Bishop, was....	102
Number necessary to constitute a majority.....	52
Number of Consents received to date.....	92
Number of Standing Committees to be notified.....	68
Number necessary to constitute a majority.....	35
Number of Consents received to date.....	55

Atttest:

FREDERICK B. CARTER,
Secretary, Standing Committee.

A majority, therefore, of both Bishops and Standing Committees have consented to the election of a Coadjutor Bishop of the Diocese of Newark.

On motion of Mr. Decatur M. Sawyer, it was

Resolved, That the salary of a Coadjutor Bishop be five thousand dollars (\$5,000) per annum, and a house.

On motion of the Rev'd C. Malcolm Douglas, it was

Resolved, That the Convention proceed at once to the nomination and election of a Coadjutor Bishop.

Mr. Edwin A. Stevens nominated the Rt. Rev'd Wilson R. Stearly, D.D., Bishop Suffragan of the Diocese of Newark, to be Coadjutor Bishop.

The President appointed as Tellers of this election: *Clergymen*—Henry V. B. Darlington, Charles T. Walkley, Alden L. Bennett, Robert J. Thomson. *Laymen*—J. Clifford Woodhull, Henry J. Russell, Edwin A. S. Brown, Clayton Platt.

The polls were duly opened and closed, and the Tellers retired to count the votes.

The Tellers of the election reported as follows:

FIRST BALLOT.

	Clerical	Lay
Whole number of votes cast.....	92	66
Necessary for choice.....	47	34
The Rt. Rev'd Wilson R. Stearly, D.D.....	92	66

Whereupon the President declared that the Rt. Rev'd Wilson R. Stearly, D.D., Bishop Suffragan of the Diocese of Newark, had been elected Coadjutor Bishop by unanimous vote in both Orders.

The President appointed as a Committee to notify the Rt. Rev'd Dr. Stearly of his election as Coadjutor Bishop of the Diocese of Newark: The Rev'd Henry M. Ladd and Mr. James R. Strong.

The Coadjutor Bishop-elect being escorted into the House, the Bishop of the Diocese welcomed Dr. Stearly, and made an address.

The Coadjutor Bishop-elect addressed the Convention.

The Rev'd Warren V. H. Filkins read the

Report, Committee on New Parishes.

The Committee on the admission of New Parishes report that they have examined the papers of St. Matthew's, Jersey City, and have found all in order, and recommend that St. Matthew's be admitted into union with this Convention.

WARREN V. H. FILKINS, *Chairman*,
HENRY S. PATTEN,
EDWARD P. SCHWARTZ,

May 22, 1917.

Committee.

On motion, St. Matthew's Church, Jersey City, was admitted into union with the Convention. Its Lay Deputies were enrolled, and took seats.

The same Committee reported informally that St. Bartholomew's Church, Hohokus, had applied for admission into union with the Convention, but that the legal papers accompanying the application were incomplete.

On motion of Mr. James R. Strong, it was

Resolved, That St. Bartholomew's Church, Hohokus, be admitted into union with the Convention on the filing of the completed legal papers with the Secretary.

The Rev'd Frederick B. Carter read the Report of the Standing Committee. (*Vide*, Index.)

Mr. Edwin A. Stevens read the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopal Fund and Diocesan Properties. (*Vide*, Index.)

Archdeacon Carter read the Report of the Cathedral General Chapter. (*Vide*, Index.)

Elections were called for; copies of the Official Ballot, as prepared by the Committee on Elections, etc., declaring the following nominations, were distributed throughout the House:

For Standing Committee, Class of 1919 (Clerical Members)—Frederick B. Carter, Charles T. Walkley. *(Lay Members)*—William Read Howe, G. Wisner Thorne.

For Treasurer—Mr. Edwin A. Stevens.

For Auditing Committee—Mr. Herbert W. Taylor, Mr. Jay C. Young.

For Registrar—The Rev'd William T. Lipton.

For Board of Missions and Church Extension, Class of 1920 (Clerical Members)—August Ahrens, William P. Brush, Charles L. Gompf, George A. Green, George A. Hanna, E. P. Hooper, J. W. Jackson, Elmer N. Owen, William P. Taylor, Henry Baldwin Todd. *(Lay Members)*—W. Reginald Baker, C. Alfred Burhorn, Albert W. Harris, Wm. B. Hartshorne, Francis H. Holmes, Henry J. Russell, Richard Stevens, Edward G. Washburne. *Class of 1919 (one Clerical vacancy)*—Robert Blickensaderfer, Walter E. Howe. *Class of 1918 (one Clerical vacancy)*—T. Percival Bate, George A. Green, Elmer N. Owen, George H. Young.

For Deputies to the Provincial Synod (Clerical)—A. Elmendorf, Warren Van H. Filkins, T. A. Hyde, Albert L. Longley, Douglas Matthews, Malcolm A. Shipley, jr., Henry Baldwin Todd, Barrett P. Tyler, J. W. Van Ingen. *(Lay)*—Arthur E. Barlow, Arthur S. Cookman, George A. Hay, Jas. Steuart MacKie, Decatur M. Sawyer, James R. Strong.

For Supplementary Deputies to the Provincial Synod (Clerical)—Fleming James, David N. Kirkby, Douglas Matthews, Victor W. Mori, Malcolm A. Shipley, jr., Albert W. H. Thompson, Barrett P. Tyler, J. W. Van Ingen. *(Lay)*—Frederick H. Bennett, Anton G. Christensen, Arthur S. Cookman, Percy C. H. Papps, Philip H. Patriarche, Henry S. Patten, John R. Pitman, Edward G. Washburne.

For Member of Ecclesiastical Court, Class of 1923—The Rev'd Otho F. Humphreys, the Rev'd Albert L. Longley.

The President appointed the following as Tellers of the several elections: *Clergymen*—William S. Bishop, D.D., Victor W. Mori, Waldo A. Amos, George A. Green. *Laymen*—Charles Crane, Robert M. Dixon, DeWitt Cook, Philip H. Patriarche.

The President declared elections to be in order.

The polls were duly opened and closed, and the Tellers retired to count the votes.

At 1:15 o'clock the Convention took a recess.

The Convention reassembled at 2:30 o'clock; the President in the chair.

The Bishop introduced Mrs. Joseph W. Danforth, President of the Woman's Auxiliary, to the Convention. Mrs. Danforth made an address.

The Bishop Suffragan read his Second Annual Address. (*Vide*, Index.)

Mr. Charles W. Parker, of Committee, read the following

Declaration of the Convention for the Diocese on the War.

The Clergy and Laity of the Diocese of Newark, in Convention assembled, place on record the determination of the Diocese to give to the Government in this time of war unwavering support. We recognize the fact that the war has been thrust upon us, and that there was no escape for a self-respecting nation from the course which those in authority have taken. We believe that our cause is that of democracy and of civilization, and that the war is as much one of self-defense as if it were solely for the protection of our shores from invasion. The Allies upon the eastern frontier of France have stood for our peace and protection as well as for their own, and we have been called in the service of humanity and righteousness to take our places beside them. We have not failed to consider what this means for our country in sacrifice and suffering, nor are we unmindful of the fact that we are only at the beginning of a long and severe struggle for the preservation of the blessings which our country has won for its own people and for the world. Only from the highest sense of duty and a feeling of imperative obligation, has the Government, with a united people behind it, taken its course. Without hatred, prompted by no enmities nor ill will, desiring no increase of territory or power, without the bitterness of old contentions, our country takes its place with those who stand for free institutions, for brotherhood among nations, for a world which shall make progress in peaceful ways, and with full confidence we make our appeal to Him who ruleth over all, the God of mercy and of righteousness. To those who have gone, and are going, from our own Diocese and State, into the perils of war, we pledge our regard and remembrance, thinking of them as our defenders, and as the champions of a cause than which none is higher.

We call upon our people to set themselves with all seriousness to the great task before us, the task of making democracy safe—both upon the western continent and in the old world. We appeal to all to avoid waste and extravagance, to bear a large part of the common burden, to do what lies in their power to provide food for our own people and for the world in danger of starvation, to avoid unbecoming conduct and amusements, selfish schemes for profit, and whatever is unworthy of a great nation standing for a great cause in the fear of God and in the love of humanity.

On motion, the Declaration was adopted unanimously by rising vote.

The President read a message from the Joint Commission on Social Service. (*Vide*, Appendix IV.)

On motion, this communication was referred to the Diocesan Board of Social Service for consideration and report.

The Rev'd Charles L. Gomph made a statement in behalf of the Newark City Mission and its work in the various institutions of Essex County.

The Rev'd Dr. Edwin A. White introduced the following propositions, and moved their reference to the Committee on Constitution and Canons:

No. 1—To amend Canon 6, §I, [1.] to conform to the Canons of the General Convention.

No. 2—To amend the Code of Canons by the enactment of a new Canon to meet the requirements of the Canons of the General Convention, to be known as Canon 4, A. "On Business Methods in Church Affairs."

No. 3—To amend Canon 4, §I, by inserting after the word "Bishop," in the third line thereof, the words, "the Bishop Coadjutor, if there be one," also, the

insertion of a new clause in said Section, to be numbered (2.) and to read as follows:

"(2.) To act as adviser of the Bishop in financial affairs; and, upon request, as adviser to individual parishes within the Diocese."

No. 4—To amend Article 8 of the Constitution by the addition of a new Section to be numbered 3, *de* the Triennial Report of the Diocese to the General Convention.

No. 5—To amend Canon 4, §III, by inserting the words "and the Bishop Coadjutor, if there be one," after the words "Bishop of the Diocese" in the third line thereof.

No. 6—To amend Canon 9, §IV, by inserting after the words "Trustees of the Episcopal Fund," the words, "and other Diocesan Properties, or in the Board of Missions and Church Extension."

No. 7—To amend Article 4, Section 3, of the Constitution, so as to give to each Mission, not parochial, a one-fourth vote when the vote is taken by Orders.

No. 8—To amend Article 4, Section 4, of the Constitution, by the insertion of a new clause, to be numbered 4, and to read as follows:

"4. In case the Parish or Mission sending such Deputies shall for one year willfully refuse to comply with any provision of this Constitution or Code of Canons after having been duly notified by the Ecclesiastical Authority of its duty to so comply."

The several propositions were so referred.

On motion, the suggestion that each Organized Mission be given a one-half vote was also referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

Mr. James R. Strong offered the following:

Resolved, That Article 2 of the Constitution be amended by changing the date of the Annual Convention to January.

On motion, the proposition was referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

Mr. Edwin A. Stevens offered the following:

Resolved, That Canon 4, §I, (2.), as now numbered, be amended by adding to the end of said sub-section the following: (d) All assessments levied by the Church Pension Fund on episcopal, parochial, and missionary salaries.

On motion, this proposition was also referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons.

The Tellers reported the election of the following:

Standing Committee, Class of 1919—The Rev'd Frederick B. Carter, the Rev'd Charles T. Walkley, Mr. Wm. Read Howe, Mr. G. Wianer Thorne.

Registrar—The Rev'd William T. Lipton.

Treasurer—Mr. Edwin A. Stevens.

Auditing Committee—Mr. Herbert W. Taylor, Mr. Jay C. Young.

Member of Ecclesiastical Court, Class of 1923—The Rev'd Albert L. Longley.

These elections were declared by the President.

Mr. Edwin A. Stevens presented the following
Report, Treasurer of Convention.

To the Convention of the Diocese of Newark:
Your Treasurer reports as follows:

1. The business passing through the Treasurer's office is shown in the following statements:

- Receipts and Disbursements.
- Condition of Funds.
- Payments by Parishes and Missions.

2. The securities heretofore in charge of the Treasurer, having been placed in the custody of the National Newark Banking Company, now appear in the Report of the Trustees of the Episcopal Fund.

3. The audit of the Treasurer's accounts has never been entirely satisfactory and, as heretofore necessarily performed, has imposed a considerable amount of work of an unsatisfactory character on the gentlemen acting as Auditing Committee. The Treasurer therefore arranged with Mr. Arthur Terry of Short Hills to have the Universal Audit Company examine his books and report thereon, as well as on the methods of accounting, etc. Mr. Terry has made a thorough examination, and his report is attached hereto.

4. The Report of the Committee on Business Methods made to the last General Convention outlines a system of accounting that would be of the utmost value, both in securing trustworthy statistical data and in removal of probable inequities. In the hope of action by the Convention inaugurating such a system for this Diocese, the Treasurer would express his hearty approval of the principle and of the transfer of the custody of securities as a necessary step in its adoption. He further draws attention to the need of a system of accounting applying to all branches of Church work in the Diocese. Such a system can be effectively maintained only by a centrally controlled audit. The Treasurer therefore ventures to recommend that the Finance Committee be empowered and directed to arrange for devising such a system with the accompanying audit, and to enforce its adoption by all diocesan, parochial, and mission authorities, and, as far as possible, by other institutions connected with the Diocese.

Respectfully submitted,

E. A. STEVENS,
Treasurer.

[Enclosure.]

New York, May 18, 1917.

Col. E. A. Stevens,
Treasurer of the Convention,
Diocese of Newark, New Jersey.

Dear Sir:

In accordance with your instructions we have audited your books and accounts as Treasurer of the Convention, Diocese of Newark, N. J., for the fiscal year ended April 30, 1917.

The results of such audit are submitted, attached hereto, together with our comments, in two Exhibits and two Schedules, as follows:

EXHIBIT "A"—Statement of Assets and Net Funds.

EXHIBIT "B"—Receipts and Disbursements.

SCHEDULE "1"—Schedule of Mortgages and Securities.

SCHEDULE "2"—Statement of Parishes and Missions.

We certify that the foregoing Exhibits, Schedules and Comments set forth correctly the financial condition of the Diocese and of the operations during the period under review.

Respectfully submitted,

UNIVERSAL AUDIT COMPANY,

(Seal.)

By ARTHUR TRARY,
President.

DIocese of NEWARK, NEW JERSEY.
COMMENTS UPON THE AUDIT.

Attention is called to foot notes upon Exhibits "A" and "B."

The following table shows the Collections, Remissions and Balances due May 1, 1917, of the total Assessments against the Parishes and Missions for the year 1916-17, and of the Arrears due May 1, 1916, together with percentages:

	ARREARS		ASSESSMENTS		TOTAL	
	Amounts	Per cent.	Amounts	Per cent.	Amounts	Per cent.
Collections	\$1,525.95	23.68	\$22,494.24	84.27	\$24,020.19	72.48
Remissions	3,589.01	55.70	386.97	1.45	3,975.98	12.00
Due May 1, 1917..	1,328.52	20.62	3,813.83	14.28	5,142.35	15.52
Totals	\$6,443.48	100.00	\$26,695.04	100.00	\$33,138.52	100.00

The arrears at the beginning of the past fiscal year were stated at \$129.01 more than the books showed, which has been rectified in the attached statement, Schedule "2."

All Vouchers for disbursements and all paid checks returned by the banks were examined and compared with the records thereof and all receipts compared with deposits in banks.

The bank balances were verified with the statements or balanced pass books of the several banks and found in agreement.

The mortgages and securities in the custody of the National Newark Banking Company were examined by us jointly with your Committee on Securities, who have signed the Schedule "1."

All changes in investments during the year were verified, as were also the collections of interest and dividends.

The funds were increased by the following donations and receipts:

Episcopal Special Fund, through Bishop Lines.....	\$10,000.00
Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund, by bequest of the late Samuel Schoch—	
Cash	\$ 1,883.30
Securities	15,398.00
	<u>\$17,281.30</u>
Sundry Trusts	\$10,921.83

We recommend that the premium of \$840.00 on the \$7,000.00 United New Jersey Railroad and Canal Company bonds held for the Episcopal Fund be amortized, by charging off \$50.00 each year. While this is not the exact figure, it will be easier than calculating the precise amount every six months.

The Report of the Committee on Securities was presented. (*Vide*, inserts facing this page.)

The Report of the Auditing Committee was presented. (*Vide*, inserts facing this page.)

Mr. Edwin A. S. Brown continues as Assistant Treasurer, no other appointment having been made.

The Rev'd John Keller presented the following

Report, Secretary of Convention.

To the Forty-third Annual Convention of the Diocese of Newark:

The Secretary respectfully reports that he has attended to the routine duties of his office during the past year, including the preparation and transmission of the Triennial Report of this Diocese to the General Convention, and has given attention to requests for assistance by persons and bodies within and without the Diocese.

Accompanying this report are several communications from various agencies, hospitals, homes, associations, etc.

Also, official notice of legislation and other matters "proposed and adopted by the General Convention of 1916."

The official notice from the Church Pension Fund (specified in Canon 15, C, §V), is attached hereto.

Newark, N. J., May 22, 1917.

JOHN KELLER,
Secretary.

The Secretary requested and received authority from the Convention to print the above-mentioned notice from the Church Pension Fund in the JOURNAL. (*Vide*, Index.)

On motion of the Secretary of Convention, the several communications received by him from the Secretary of the Synod of New York and New Jersey, and from the Presiding Bishop and Secretary of the General Board of Religious Education, were referred to the Finance Committee.

On motion of Mr. Francis H. Holmes, the printing of the communications from the Secretary of the House of Deputies of the General Convention was referred to the Secretary of Convention and the Deputies to the 1916 General Convention from this Diocese. (*Vide*, Appendix IV.)

The Rev'd William T. Lipton presented the Report of the Registrar. (*Vide*, Index.)

The Rev'd James W. Van Ingen read the Report of the Board of Adjustment. (*Vide*, Index.)

Mr. James R. Strong read the Report of the Committee on the Appor-tionment for General Missions. (*Vide*, Index.)

Mr. Wm. Read Howe, Chairman, presented the following Report of the Finance Committee, which was read by Mr. Jas. Steuart MacKie, Secretary of the Committee:

Report of the Finance Committee of the Diocese of Newark.

May 10, 1917.

The Finance Committee submits the following budget of estimated expenses for the current year:

BUDGET.

For the Support of the Episcopate.....	\$ 11,500.00
For the Board of Missions and Church Extension.....	14,000.00
For Diocesan Expenses under Canon, including Social Service Commission	6,500.00
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	\$ 32,000.00

The provision for the Board of Missions and Church Extension is made at their request, and includes the premiums to be paid by that Board to the Church Pension Fund. Subsequently they called for an additional \$1,000, making \$15,000 in all. While the Committee viewed the matter favorably, they did not feel free, in view of the \$2,000 advance over last year recommended, to do more than lay the matter before the Convention for its action. The item of Diocesan Expenses also includes the premium due upon the stipends paid by the Diocese, and for a small amount voted by the last Convention (see page 45, Journal, 1916) to be paid to the Province of New York and New Jersey. It also includes the usual cost of printing the Journal and other annual expenses of the Diocese, required by the Canons.

In accordance with the action of the General Convention in St. Louis in 1916, the Committee recommends the adoption of Canons:

- (1) To make the fiscal year of the Diocese begin January 1st.
- (2) To provide for the auditing of accounts.
- (3) To adopt the form of diocesan report approved by that Convention.
- (4) To adopt the form of parish report set forth in Canon 49.

The Committee further commends to this Convention the consideration of the resolutions of that Convention in regard to Trust Funds and adequate insurance of all Church property.

It is gratifying to report that in the year just closed only a very few parishes and missions failed to meet their assessments; but it is felt that with a little care on the part of Treasurers, improvement could be made in the timeliness and regularity of their payments. If remittances could be sent quarterly, it would be a great advantage.

The Finance Committee therefore submits the following recommendations to the Convention:

- (1) That the Budget now submitted be adopted.

(2) That the assessment levied on the Parishes and Missions of the Diocese for the current year be at the rate of eight per cent. (8%) upon their respective current expenses.

(3) That the Finance Committee be authorized, in its discretion, to direct the Treasurer of the Convention to borrow such sum or sums for the purpose of the Convention as may from time to time be necessary.

Respectfully submitted,

WM. READ HOWE, *Chairman*.
JAMES STEUART MACKIE,
JOHN A. GIFFORD,

EDWIN A. BRADLEY,
ALEXET H. BALDWIN,
Finance Committee.

EDWIN S. JONES, *Bishop*.

D. STUART HAMILTON, *President, Standing Committee,*
Members Ex-Officio.

WILSON R. STEARLY, *Bishop Suffragan.*

EDWIN A. STEVENS, *Treasurer of the Convention.*

The consideration of the first recommendation of the Finance Committee (concerning the budget) was begun.

On motion of Mr. Francis H. Holmes, it was

Resolved, That the item for the Board of Missions and Church Extension be and hereby is increased from \$14,000 to \$15,000.

On motion of the Rev'd Dr. Edwin A. White, it was

Resolved, That the item for the support of the Episcopate as recommended by the Finance Committee be increased by \$500; making the item, as amended, \$12,000.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Budget as amended and increased to \$33,500 be and hereby is adopted.

On motion, the second recommendation of the Finance Committee was amended by striking out the words "eight per cent. (8%)" and substituting the words "eight and a quarter per cent. (8¼%)."

On motion, the third recommendation of the Finance Committee was adopted.

The Tellers reported the election of the following:

Board of Missions, etc., Class of 1918 (one Clerical vacancy)—The Rev'd T. Percival Bate. *Class of 1919 (one Clerical vacancy)*—The Rev'd Walter E. Howe. *Class of 1920*—The Rev'd William P. Brush, the Rev'd Charles L. Gomph, (two Clerical vacancies). Mr. C. Alfred Burhorn, Mr. Francis H. Holmes, Mr. Richard Stevens, (one Lay vacancy).

Deputies to Provincial Synod—The Rev'd Augustine Elmendorf, the Rev'd Albert L. Longley, (two Clerical vacancies). Mr. Arthur E. Barlow, Mr. James R. Strong, Mr. Jas. Steuart MacKie, Mr. Decatur M. Sawyer.

The Clerical Members and Lay Deputies consenting, on motion of the Rev'd Charles T. Walkley, the Secretary of Convention was empowered

to cast the ballot of Convention for the Rev'd Malcolm A. Shipley, jr., and the Rev'd Barrett P. Tyler to fill the vacancies in the Provincial Synod deputation.

The Rev'd Professor Charles H. Boynton addressed the Convention on the work of the General Board of Religious Education.

A ballot was ordered and taken for two Clerical members and one Lay member of the Board of Missions, etc., Class of 1920.

At 6:00 o'clock the Convention adjourned to 9:30 o'clock on Wednesday morning, May 23, 1917.

JOURNAL, SECOND DAY

TRINITY CHURCH, NEWARK, N. J.

Wednesday, 23rd May, 1917.

9:30 A. M.

Morning Prayer was read by the Rev'd J. Fred Hamblin.

The Minutes of yesterday's proceedings were read and approved.

On motion, the Convention, by rising vote, instructed the Secretary to send a message of good wishes to Bishop Talbot and to his Diocesan Convention, on the thirtieth anniversary of his consecration. (*Vide*, Index.)

The Bishop appointed the following members of the Board of Adjustment, Class of 1920: The Rev'd James W. Van Ingen, Mr. Charles A. Grummon.

The Bishop gave notice of the following reappointments: The Rev'd Frederick B. Carter, Archdeacon of Newark; the Rev'd Barrett P. Tyler, Archdeacon of Morristown; the Rev'd Albert L. Longley, Archdeacon of Jersey City; the Rev'd Henry M. Ladd, Archdeacon of Paterson.

The Tellers reported the election of the Rev'd August Ahrens, the Rev'd Elmer N. Owen and Mr. Henry J. Russell to the remaining vacancies in the Board of Missions, etc., Class of 1920.

Also, that the Rev'd James W. Van Ingen, the Rev'd Dr. Fleming James, the Rev'd Douglas Matthews, Mr. Anton G. Christensen, Mr. Arthur S. Cookman and Mr. Percy C. H. Papps had been elected as Supplementary Deputies to the Provincial Synod, leaving one Clerical and one Lay vacancy.

The Clerical Members and Lay Deputies consenting, on motion, the ballot of the Convention was cast for the Rev'd David N. Kirkby and the Rev'd Albert W. H. Thompson (having tie votes in the last ballot), and Mr. Philip H. Patriarche to fill the vacancies in the supplementary deputation to the Provincial Synod.

The Rev'd James W. Van Ingen presented the Report of the Board of Religious Education. (*Vide*, Index.)

On motion of the same member, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Religious Education be authorized to apportion among the several Parishes and Missions of the Diocese, on the basis of current expenses, the sum of \$1,000; (1) to meet the obligations laid upon the Diocese by the enactment of Canon 59 of the General Canons of the Church; and (2) to support the Diocesan Board of Religious Education.

The following nominations were made for a member of the Provincial Commission on Religious Education (to fill a vacancy): The Rev'd Gilbert L. Pennock, Mr. Arthur S. Cookman, the Rev'd Frederick B. Carter, the Rev'd Dr. Fleming James, Miss Ethelwyn N. Curry, the Rev'd Thomas A. Hyde.

The President appointed the following as Tellers: The Rev'd Arthur L. Charles, Mr. James R. Strong, Mr. Henry J. Russell.

The polls were duly opened for such election, and closed.

Mr. Frank L. Crawford, of Committee, presented the Report of the Canonical Committee of the Diocese of Newark on the Church Pension Fund. (*Vide*, Index.)

The Bishop appointed the members of the Canonical Committee on the Church Pension Fund. (*Vide*, page 3, *seq.*)

The Tellers reported that there was no election in the ballot taken for one member of the Provincial Board of Religious Education.

Another ballot was duly taken to fill this vacancy.

Mr. James E. Bathgate, jr., for the Committee on THE NEWARK CHURCHMAN, made a report. (*Vide*, Appendix II.)

On motion, the Committee on the Diocesan Paper was instructed to continue publication. (*Vide*, page 3, *seq.*)

The Rev'd Dr. Edwin A. White presented the following

Report, Committee on Constitution and Canons.

REPORT No. 1.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons, to which was referred the resolution of Mr. Edwin A. Stevens proposing to amend Canon 4, §I, (2.) by adding to the end of said clause the words, (d) All assessments levied by the Church Pension Fund on episcopal, parochial, and missionary salaries, reports that it has considered the same, and recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Canon 4, §I, (2.), be amended by the addition thereto of a new provision, to be numbered (d) and to read as follows:

(d) All assessments levied by the Church Pension Fund on episcopal, parochial, and missionary salaries.

By order of the Committee,

EDWIN A. WHITE,
Chairman.

During the discussion of the proposed amendment Mr. Monell Sayre, Secretary of the Church Pension Fund, addressed the Convention..

On motion, the word "parochial" in the proposed amendment was stricken out.

On motion, the resolution appended to Report No. 1, as amended, was adopted, to take effect immediately.

The Tellers reported the election of the Rev'd Frederick B. Carter as a member of the Provincial Board of Religious Education.

The President declared that the elections for all offices to be filled by this Convention were completed.

The Rev'd Dr. Edwin A. White presented the following

Reports, Committee on Constitution and Canons.

Report No. 2.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons, to which was referred the resolution of the Rev'd Dr. White to amend Canon 6, §I, [1.], to conform to the Canons of the General Convention, reports that it has considered the same, and recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Canon 6, §I, [1.], be amended by striking out all of said clause after the words "shall be under the signature of the person recording" in the eleventh line thereof, and inserting in place thereof a new clause, to be numbered [2.], and to read as follows:

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

Renumber present clause [2.] as [3.].

By order of the Committee,

EDWIN A. WHITE,
Chairman.

On motion, the resolution appended to Report No. 2 was adopted.

REPORT No. 3.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons, to which was referred the resolution of the Rev'd Dr. White to amend the Code of Canons by the enactment of a new Canon to meet the requirements of the Canons of the General Convention, reports that it has considered the same, and recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Canons of the Diocese be amended by the addition of a new Canon, to be known as Canon 4, A, and to read as follows:

CANON 4, A. OF BUSINESS METHODS IN CHURCH AFFAIRS.

§I. The fiscal year of this Diocese and each Parish thereof shall begin January first.

§II. All accounts having to do with the receipt and expenditure or investments of money of all Church organizations shall be audited at the close of each year by a certified public accountant; provided, however, that if the amount of income for the year, as shown by the account, shall be less than \$3,000.00, or if a certified public accountant is not available, the audit may be made by an accountant bookkeeper in no way connected with the subject matter of the account.

§III. All real property belonging to the Diocese, or to any Parish thereof, shall be kept adequately insured against fire, the amount of such insurance to be determined by the proper officers of the Diocese or Parish owning such property, and approved by the Finance Committee of the Diocese, and to that end the Finance Committee is hereby vested with general authority to compel the adequate insurance of such real property by the Diocese or any Parish thereof. The Finance Committee may make such rules and regulations with respect to such insurance as shall be proper, and shall report such rules and regulations annually to the Convention.

§IV. On or before the 1st day of January, 1918, all trust and permanent funds belonging to this Diocese or any Parish thereof shall, if the same can lawfully be done, be deposited in trust and thereafter left with one or more trust companies or banks organized under the laws of the United States or of this State, and authorized to receive the same, and approved by the Finance Committee, or with the Corporation known as "The Trustees of the Episcopal Fund and Other Diocesan Properties," and a full and detailed statement of all such trusts or permanent funds shall be presented annually to the Convention upon a form to be prescribed by the Finance Committee. The Finance Committee shall from time to time make such rules and regulations with respect to the deposit of such trust funds and the management thereof as shall be proper, and shall submit such rules and regulations, so adopted by it, annually to the Convention.

By order of the Committee,

EDWIN A. WHITE,
Chairman.

On motion, the first section of the proposed Canon 4, A, was adopted.

On motion, the second section of the proposed Canon 4, A, was adopted; the vote on division being: *Ayes*, 76; *Nays*, 38.

On motion, the third and fourth sections of the proposed Canon 4, A, were severally adopted.

On motion, Canon 4, A, was adopted as a whole, to take effect immediately.

REPORT No. 4.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons, to which was referred the resolution of the Rev'd Dr. White to amend Canon 4, §I, by inserting after the word "Bishop," in the third line thereof, the words, "the Bishop Coadjutor, if there be one," also, the insertion of a new clause in said Section, to be numbered (2.), and to read as follows:

"(2.) To act as adviser of the Bishop in financial affairs; and, upon request, as adviser to individual parishes within the Diocese.", reports that it has considered the same, and recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Canon 4, §I, be amended by the insertion after the word "Bishop," in the third line thereof, the words, "the Bishop Coadjutor, if there be one."

Also, by the insertion of a new clause, to be numbered (2.), and to read as follows:

(2.) To act as adviser of the Bishop in financial matters; and, upon request, as adviser to individual parishes within the Diocese.

Renumber present clauses (2.) and (3.) as (3.) and (4.).

By order of the Committee,

EDWIN A. WHITE,
Chairman.

On motion, the resolution appended to Report No. 4 was adopted, to take effect immediately.

REPORT No. 5.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons, to which was referred the resolution of the Rev'd Dr. White to amend Article 8 of the Constitution, by the addition of a new section, to be numbered 3, reports that it has considered the same, and recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Article 8 of the Constitution be amended by the addition of a new section, to be numbered 3, and to read as follows:

Sec. 3. The Secretary shall prepare immediately after the adjournment of the Diocesan Convention next preceding the regular meeting of every General Convention, and forward forthwith to the Secretary of the House of Deputies of the General Convention, upon the blanks provided by the General Convention for that purpose, the triennial report of the Diocese, containing a condensed summary of the statistics contained in the parochial reports and Bishop's statements, with information as to all institutions in any way connected with the Church within the Diocese, and also as to the condition of all invested funds and the amount of all contributions received or expended by the Bishop, or otherwise, within the Diocese.

By order of the Committee,

EDWIN A. WHITE,
Chairman.

On motion, the resolution appended to Report No. 5 was adopted, and the amendment to Article 8 of the Constitution was approved by a majority of this Convention.

REPORT No. 6.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons, to which was referred the resolution of the Rev'd Dr. White to amend Canon 4, §III, by inserting the words "and the Bishop Coadjutor, if there be one," after the words "Bishop of the Diocese," in the third line thereof, reports that it has considered the same, and recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Canon 4, §III, be amended by inserting after the words "Bishop of the Diocese," in the third line thereof, the following words: "and the Bishop Coadjutor, if there be one."

By order of the Committee,

EDWIN A. WHITE,
Chairman.

On motion, the resolution appended to Report No. 6 was adopted, to take effect immediately.

REPORT No. 7.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons, to which was referred the resolution of the Rev'd Dr. White to amend Canon 9, §IV, by inserting after the words "Trustees of the Episcopal Fund" the words "and Other Diocesan Properties, or in the Board of Missions," reports that it has considered the same, and recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Canon 9, §IV, be amended by the insertion after the words "Trustees of the Episcopal Fund" the words "and Other Diocesan Properties, or in the Board of Missions and Church Extension."

By order of the Committee,

EDWIN A. WHITE,
Chairman.

On motion, the proposed amendment was recommitted, and further consideration of Report No. 7 was postponed.

REPORT No. 8.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons, to which was referred the resolution of the Rev'd Dr. White to amend Article 4, Section 3, of the Constitution, so as to give to each Mission, not parochial, a one-fourth vote when the vote is taken by Orders, reports that it has considered the same, and recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Article 4, Section 3, be amended so that the proviso at the end of said section shall read as follows:

Provided, however, that when a vote is taken by Orders, each Parish in union with this Convention, and the Cathedral, shall have one vote, and each Mission, not parochial, shall have a one-fourth vote. Deputies shall be elected by each Congregation, from the male Communicants thereof.

By order of the Committee,

EDWIN A. WHITE,
Chairman.

A motion to amend, so as to give to Organized Missions a one-half vote, when a vote is taken by Orders, failed of adoption.

The question recurring on the resolution appended to Report No. 8, on motion, it was adopted, and the amendment to Article 4, Section 3, of the Constitution, was approved by a majority of this Convention.

REPORT No. 9.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons, to which was referred the resolution of the Rev'd Dr. White to amend Article 4, Section 4, of the Constitution, by the insertion of a new clause, to be numbered 4, reports that it has considered the same, and recommends the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That Article 4, Section 4, of the Constitution, be amended by the insertion of a new clause, to be numbered 4, and to read as follows:

4. In case the Parish or Mission sending such Deputies shall for one year willfully refuse to comply with any provision of this Constitution or Code of Canons after having been duly notified by the Ecclesiastical Authority of its duty to so comply.

By order of the Committee,

EDWIN A. WHITE,
Chairman.

On motion, the resolution appended to Report No. 9 was adopted, and the amendment to Article 4, Section 4, of the Constitution, was approved by a majority of this Convention.

REPORT No. 10.

The Committee on Constitution and Canons, to which was referred the resolution of Mr. James R. Strong to amend Article 2 of the Constitution so as to provide for the meeting of the annual Diocesan Convention in January instead of May, as at present, reports that it has considered the same, and submits the following resolution:

Resolved, That Article 2 of the Constitution be amended by striking out the words "on the third Tuesday in May, in each year, or on such other day in May," in the second and third lines thereof, and inserting in place thereof the following: "on the . . . Tuesday in . . . or on such other day in . . ." Also, strike out the words, "and *provided, further*, that the Convention shall not meet in Rogation or Ember week," in the seventh, eighth and ninth lines thereof, so that the Article shall read as follows:

ARTICLE 2.

There shall be a Convention of the Church in this Diocese on the . . . Tuesday in . . . , in each year, or on such other day in . . . as may be specially appointed by the Ecclesiastical Authority; *provided*, one month's notice shall be given of such special day appointed. The Convention shall be held where the Ecclesiastical Authority appoints.

By order of the Committee,

EDWIN A. WHITE,
Chairman.

Mr. James R. Strong moved that the "fourth Tuesday in January" be the date fixed.

As a substitute, Mr. Edwin A. Stevens proposed the "first Tuesday in February."

After discussion, the substitute failed of adoption, the vote on division being: *Ayes*, 42; *Nays*, 79.

On motion of the Rev'd Dr. White, the proposed amendment to Article 2 of the Constitution was laid on the table.

The Rev'd Dr. White presented the Report of the Special Committee on Legislation. (*Vide*, Index.)

On motion of the same member, it was

Resolved, That the Committee on Legislation be continued, to act in conjunction with a like Committee from the Diocese of New Jersey, in applying to the Legislature for the amendment of Paragraph 10, Chapter 62, of the Laws of 1901, by providing for the filling of vacancies occasioned by neglect to serve.

The Committee was continued. (*Vide*, page 3, *seq.*)

At 1:10 o'clock the Convention took a recess.

The Convention reassembled at 2:15 o'clock; the President in the chair.

The Rev'd Dr. Walker Gwynne presented the Report of the Commission on Church Architecture. (*Vide*, Index.)

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Committee on Constitution and Canons be requested to consider the desirability of an amendment to Canon 10, and if they so decide, to prepare such amendment and report the same to the next Convention.

The Bishop reappointed the members of the Commission on Church Architecture. (*Vide*, page 3, *seq.*)

The Rev'd James W. Van Ingen, of Committee, made a verbal report *de* the Diocesan Library.

On motion, the Committee on Diocesan Library was continued. (*Vide*, page 3, *seq.*)

On motion, the following preambles and resolution were adopted:

WHEREAS, The Trustees of the Park Presbyterian Church have requested the Diocese of Newark to release any interest it may have in and to lands in the City of Newark, known as Nos. 190-194 Highland Avenue, and at present occupied by a chapel of the said Park Presbyterian Church, and

WHEREAS, Counsel has reported upon the said application, advising that the interest, if any, of the Diocese of Newark is so remote as to be almost negligible, and

WHEREAS, The Trustees of the Episcopal Fund of this Diocese and the Standing Committee of this Diocese have each separately considered the said matter and have

by resolution agreed to the cession of any rights the Diocese may have in and to said property; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Bishop of the Diocese of Newark be and he is hereby authorized to execute a quit-claim deed of any right or interest the Diocese of Newark may have in and to said property, and any such deed heretofore executed by the Bishop of the Diocese of Newark is hereby ratified, and the Secretary of this Convention be and he is hereby authorized and requested to attest any such deed, and to attach thereto a seal consisting of a wafer, scroll or other device, as and for the seal of the Diocese of Newark, for this purpose, to prove the same before the proper officer and to deliver the same to the proper representatives of the Park Presbyterian Church.

On motion of the Rev'd Dr. White, the consideration of Report No. 7 of the Committee on Constitution and Canons was resumed. (*Vide*, Index for text of Report.)

On motion of the same member, the following resolution, appended to this report, was adopted, to take effect immediately:

Resolved, That Canon 9, §IV, be amended by the insertion after the words "Trustees of the Episcopal Fund," the words "and Other Diocesan Properties, or in the Board of Missions and Church Extension."

The Rev'd Augustine Elmendorf presented the Report of the Board of Social Service. (*Vide*, Index.)

On motion of Mr. James R. Strong, it was

Resolved, That the Board of Social Service be allowed to apportion the sum of \$2,000 among the Parishes, and to request their gifts to that amount for the support of the Board.

On motion of the Rev'd Augustine Elmendorf, it was

Resolved, That permission is hereby given to the Board of Social Service to incorporate under the laws of the State of New Jersey providing for the incorporation of "associations not for pecuniary profit."

On motion of the same member, it was

Resolved, That the Convention urge upon the Legislature of New Jersey the passage of a local option bill, with strict provision governing the manufacture, transportation and sale of alcoholic beverages.

The same member presented the following:

The Committee, composed of such members of the Board of Social Service as are in attendance at the Convention, to which was referred the telegram from the Joint Commission on Social Service, respectfully reports the following resolutions:

1. *Resolved*, That the Convention strongly endorses the moral safeguarding of Military Training Camps as being of the greatest importance.

2. *Resolved*, That this Convention favors national prohibition of the manufacture and sale of all forms of alcoholic beverages during the period of the war.

3. *Resolved*, That the Convention opposes all attempts to lower the present industrial and educational standards during the war, and calls upon our Church members to use their influence for the maintenance of these standards, attained after years of great struggle.

On motion, the first resolution was adopted.

After discussion, on motion, the second resolution was adopted.

On motion, the third resolution was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Edwin A. Stevens, it was

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be empowered to adopt tentatively a budget and rate of assessment for the year 1918, and to send out bills based thereon for the payments due January first and April first; said budget and rate to be confirmed or amended at the next Convention.

On motion of the same gentleman, it was

Resolved, That all reports to the next Convention shall cover the period from January 1, 1917, to December 31, 1917, estimating the period already reported.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That the Secretary be authorized to print Reports of Diocesan Institutions, Committees of Convention, and other matter usually inserted in Appendix II and Appendix III of the JOURNAL.

The Annual Report of the Hospital of St. Barnabas, Newark, was read by the Rev'd Charles L. Gomph. (*Vide*, Appendix II.)

The Annual Report of Christ Hospital, Jersey City, was presented. (*Vide*, Appendix II.)

The Rev'd Dr. Charles L. Cooder presented the Report of the City Mission of Newark. (*Vide*, Appendix II.)

The Rev'd Frederick B. Carter presented the Report of the Trustees of the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund. (*Vide*, Appendix III.)

Mr. Percy C. H. Papps offered the following:

Resolved, That the Apportionment for General Missions be based hereafter on the Current Expenses of the Parishes and Missions as set forth in Section II, of Canon 4, of this Diocese; and that the rate of assessment be by a sliding scale, ranging from 5 to 20 per cent.

On motion, the proposition was referred to the Committee on Apportionment for General Missions, with power accordingly.

On motion, it was

Resolved, That a message of remembrance and good wishes be sent to Mr. Thomas Paine, of Zion Church, Belvidere, and to Mr. James D. Smith, of St. Luke's Church, Phillipsburgh.

The Rev'd Otho F. Humphreys offered the following:

Resolved, That the Committees on Rules of Order, and Elections, be instructed to report at the next Convention a recommendation which will avoid the delay and confusion common to our elections.

On motion, the proposition was referred to the Committees.

The Rev'd Dr. Edwin A. White offered the following:

Resolved, That the requirement of the consent of the party nominated, before his nomination can become effective, be stricken out.

Resolved, That the Rules of Order be amended so as to provide a separate ballot for each office to be filled at any election.

On motion, these two propositions were referred to the Committee on Rules of Order, with instructions to report to the next Convention.

On motion of Mr. James R. Strong, it was

Resolved, That the Finance Committee be requested to appoint a committee to prepare a uniform and simple system of bookkeeping to be offered to the Parishes and Missions, and report at the next Convention.

On motion of the Rev'd C. Malcolm Douglas, it was

Resolved, That the Treasurer be authorized to pay the usual sum to the officers of Trinity Church for expenses incident to the Convention, said sum to include the sexton's fee.

On motion of the same member, it was

Resolved, That the thanks of the Convention be tendered to the ladies of Trinity Church, and other Parishes, for their kind services; to the Rev'd Alden L. Bennett, Minister in charge of the Parish; and to the Wardens and Vestrymen for the use of the Church and Trinity House.

On motion of the same member, it was

Resolved, That not more than twelve hundred (1,200) copies of the JOURNAL be printed and distributed.

The Minutes of this day's proceedings were read and approved.

After the reading of prayers and the Benediction by the Bishop Suffragan, the Convention at 5:20 p. m. stood adjourned without day.

EDWIN S. LINES, D.D.,
President.

Attest:

JOHN KELLER,
Secretary.

The Episcopal Address

My Brethren of the Clergy and Laity:

None of us have ever attended a Diocesan Convention in a time so full of anxiety for the country and for the world. When we were together last, our own country had not been forced into the war and the strain on our minds and hearts was for those who were involved in it across the sea. While there was no question as to the side upon which the sympathies of our people were, the conflict was far away. Now against our will we have been compelled to take our place in a war for self-defence, the only form of war to be defended. It is all very real to us now and the action of the Convention will indicate the overshadowing need of the time.

It is the good custom in Diocesan Conventions to name the Bishops of the Church who have within the year passed from this life. Death has taken an unusual number of Bishops of prominence in their work since we were together last. Bishop Brewer of Montana had taken, by his long and useful life, an outstanding place as a great Missionary Bishop, a wise, large-minded, lovable man. Bishop Peterkin of West Virginia, with the care of his Diocese, had been a very devoted friend of the general missionary work of the Church. He was in that distinguished group of southern Bishops and Presbyters who had been soldiers in the Civil War and who took commanding places in the United Church after the War, as greatly loved and honored in the North as in the South. Bishop Ferguson, our Missionary Bishop in Liberia, held a peculiar place in the Church, not only in the regard of his own race, but in the regard of all people who felt our obligation toward Africa. With the Bishops who worked on to old age should be named Bishop Walker of Western New York, who has just been taken from us. Out of the mid-west, Bishop Millspaugh of Kansas was taken after twenty years of good service. Bishop Edsall of Minnesota and Bishop Nelson of Atlanta went almost together, two men very active in the service of the Church, as well as in their Dioceses, prominent in missionary work, among our large-minded men, one in the Northwest and one in the South, both working up to the last day of their lives.

In the death of Dr. Holley we have lost the Presbyterian who stood first upon our list for length of service, the last one who helped form the Diocese, having served among us for nearly half a century. This genera-

tion needs not to be told of his devotion to the Diocese in innumerable forms of service. He was for a long time a member and the President of the Standing Committee, a man wise in judgment, most faithful in the performance of all his duties. Dr. Hughes, for thirty years upon our Clergy list, holding many places of responsibility in the Diocese, a well loved man, has also been taken from us. The Rev'd Albert U. Stanley, at one time Rector of the Church at Millburn, was for many years disabled by broken health and lived far from us in the South. Mr. A. Edwin Kappauf, Postulant, a man from whom much was expected.

Among the officers of our parishes, many of them also active in the service of the Diocese, let these be named: First, the most distinguished member of the Diocese, always deeply interested in its welfare, always ready to be of service, always gentle and always wise, a memorable name to live among us, Mr. Hamilton Wright Mabie of Calvary Church, Summit; Mr. Benjamin F. Pabodie of St. John's, Montclair; the Hon. Thomas L. James, some time Warden of the Church at Tenafly, one of the most distinguished men of our State; Mr. James Hunter White, Warden of Holy Communion Church, Paterson; Mr. James G. Hasking, long the Senior Warden of Grace Church, Van Vorst, Jersey City; Mr. Oscar B. Mockridge of Trinity Church, and before, of St. James', Newark; Mr. James H. Trussell of St. Luke's, Paterson; Mr. Charles W. Nevius and Mr. John M. Voorhees of St. Philip's, Newark; Mr. L. Cecil Whitmore and Mr. Evert B. Smedes of St. John's Church, Boonton; Mr. William H. Hartung, Senior Warden of St. James' Church, Delaware, as was his father before him, a descendant of one of the founders of the Knowlton parish, one of the oldest in the Diocese; Mr. George W. MacCutcheon of Summit, formerly an officer of St. Stephen's, Newark; Robert N. Drew, Warden, All Saints', Orange; James Cripps, a founder of St. Clement's, Hawthorne.

I may also be permitted to name two women of the Diocese remembered by a great number of us for the work which they did, Mrs. Charles H. Christian, daughter of a Presiding Bishop, Benjamin Bosworth Smith of Kentucky, her service was especially with the Woman's Auxiliary; Mrs. Edward H. Wright, who through a long life was closely identified with charitable undertakings in Newark, especially with St. Barnabas' Hospital. There are many more as faithful servants of the Church whose names come to mind today.*

A subject of very great importance to be presented to the Convention today is the election of a Bishop Coadjutor. The subject came up in a very natural way through a general expression on the part of Clergy and

*The Convention was bidden to prayer.

people of desire that the Convention should make such an election. When the subject was presented to me I gave it hearty approval.

Following the requirements of the canons, the Standing Committee and the Bishop of the Diocese have obtained the consents of a majority of the Bishops and of the Standing Committees of the Church for the election of a Bishop Coadjutor by reason of the extent of Diocesan work. The canon requires that I should read to you a written consent to such election and state the duties which are assigned to the Bishop Coadjutor if one should be chosen, which statement will make part of the proceedings of this Convention.

It is my purpose to assign to the Bishop Coadjutor the oversight and care of the Missionary Work of the Diocese in its Mission Churches and assisted Parishes and new undertakings; also one-half or more of the Confirmation appointments, with oversight in large part also of such Diocesan concerns as the Apportionment for General Missions, the General Pension Fund, and the work of the Diocesan Commissions on Religious Education and Social Service. Desiring to follow the canon definitely, I would not wish to make the division of duties more rigid than is necessary, for as long as life and health are given me I would like to work on in the Diocese, maintaining a personal relation with all the Parishes and Mission Churches and activities.

It will now remain for the Convention to determine whether it will proceed to act, the consent of the Church to the request having been given. Should the Convention elect it will be necessary to ask the approval of the Bishops and Standing Committees of such action, the proper certificate of election and the statement of the assignment of duties being sent to them. When a majority shall have given approval the election will be complete.

Bishop Stearly will make his address a review of the work of the Diocese during the year, with suggestions concerning the prosecution of that work. To his great and most gracious service of the Diocese, in a position which almost of necessity leaves one less free to take the initiative and full direction of work, I would testify with great thankfulness and appreciation, and I am sure there will be a response in every mind and heart to my words. The Diocese has been strengthened in every part of its work by the wise and unwearied service of Bishop Stearly. The missionary work of the Diocese has had more oversight than before and there has been a personal relation to Clergy and people which one Bishop could not give. Both of us have found enough to do and we have learned that beyond all our undertakings and activities there are new demands and opportunities for the extension of the ministry of the Church. Every step forward brings a call to go on to larger achievement.

With its growth in population and new communities, the Diocese of Newark makes a very remarkable field for development. There are few places where there is not hope of real progress. The opportunities are abundant and larger than we are able to use. The steady increase in the number of laymen bringing to Church activities marked ability and devotion is recorded with thankfulness.

While new methods of work and new adaptations of many kinds are necessary in a new age, in the service of the Church and of religion, no disregard of the old order of work and worship is required. The main things to be emphasized are familiar to us. The Gospel of Jesus Christ must be preached so as to be fitted to the new time, so as to be understood by people living and thinking in new ways, so as to correct new ills, so as to help people to bear new burdens. But it is the old Gospel still. The place of worship and of the Sacraments remains the same. A personal ministry which maintains a relation of friendship and knowledge of one's people is an absolutely essential part of the life and work of a good minister of Jesus Christ. There must be associated with the Parish Church new activities and new undertakings which recognize the family relation in the Church, which give opportunity for the expression of interest in religion and in other people. But there need be nothing sensational, nothing undignified associated with the work of the Church. Good feeling and good will may find expression without the sacrifice of dignity, while we all need to remember what the needs of those who are in exacting occupations and with limitations in respect to variety and recreation are. Those who have everything in their homes and in their friendships to satisfy their own needs should go to the Parish House in a gentle and kindly spirit not for what they are to get, but what they can give. One of the great lessons of the time is that we are to stop trying to get more than we need and to give, not only of our means, but in the way of friendship and service, all that we can.

Well ordered parishes and mission churches which are spiritually alive and alert, with opportunity for everyone to render definite service of some kind, constantly trying to be more active in dealing with new conditions, with reverent services which appeal to the heart, must be depended upon to maintain and set forward the Church. It is the steady, quiet work all the time which counts. Good organization is necessary in the affairs and work of every Church, but there must be heart and friendliness, forgetfulness of distinctions, a thoroughly democratic spirit in every Church which is to prosper. Church vestries, advisory boards ought to be far more representative than they are. Parish clubs, guilds and societies ought to have some definite aim beyond provision of amusement and entertainment which may properly come in incidentally. It is a mistake for the Church to have a rivalry with those who make the provision of amusement

their business, while it is desirable for the Church to meet the need for wholesome recreation, overcoming evil with good. The change commonly needed in our parishes is the bringing in of more hard work, sympathy, kindness, more of the spirit of the Gospel.

The great war into which our country has been forced demands a new attitude of the Diocesan Convention and of every parish, as well as of every man and woman. Of the causes of the war I say nothing today, nor of its future meaning for the country and the world. I wish to speak to you of the way in which the Church ought to meet the special responsibility of the time.

We are all united in the desire to do everything in our power for the support of the government. For the patience and delay, the reluctance to believe that we should be drawn into the war, even for the unpreparedness which becomes a peace loving people, we shall doubtless stand well in the judgment of history. There is no question of the desire of all of us to be of any service in our power in acts of self-sacrifice, not in words alone. We must remember that there may be a long trial of patience, that the way before us is full of difficulties, that steadiness and consecration to the great task forced upon us in the name of humanity and civilization will be required. The memory of the hard experience of the Civil War, of the failure of leaders from whom much was expected, warns us of what may be before us. Very likely as the months go on our people may not feel as keenly the need of persistence in the course we have had to take as if it was more plainly a war of self-defence, or for the preservation of the country's life. But it is the cause of humanity and of civilization, of democracy, and political liberty, of all for which this country has stood from the beginning. It is a struggle for the preservation of our country's great gift to the world, of personal freedom, of the right of a people to determine who shall govern them and how they shall be governed, as against militarism and autocracy. Let there be no hatred of the German people, but rather of militarism. Let us pray not against enemies, but for the coming of peace. Probably if we could trace all that has happened and foresee what is likely to happen, we would feel that the war upon the eastern frontier of France is as definitely a war of self-defence as if it was more plainly for the protection of our own shores from invasion. Our allies upon that French frontier have been holding back the enemies of free government and have been fighting our battles. The time has come, not by our choice, when we must apparently, whether in western Europe or upon the sea, fight in self-defence. The ancient friendship of France and the friendship of Great Britain in this last generation make a demand that the resources of our own country be thrown into the contest.

But of the immediate duty and opportunity of this Church and its members I would speak to you. The Church is not called upon to arouse

excitement or to be a recruiting agency, while it insists that everyone do the most he or she can for the help of the government, some by enlistment, some by the work of equipping army and navy, some by the increase of the supply of food, all by avoiding waste and extravagance that in a critical time every resource may be employed for the defence of the country. This great purpose must overshadow everything else, and what I have just named must be regarded as of the nature of religious duty as definitely as what we have been accustomed to regard as religious duties. Religion is a much larger word than we have ever supposed, and in the name of religion things not associated with it in the past must now be done. In this overwhelming catastrophe and struggle for the preservation of national life small contentions and questions which have had our attention must be forgotten. The Church will have no place in the regard of the American people unless it can part company with small controversies and put the emphasis upon the great duties of the time. The Church is to be tested to learn whether it can be efficient in a new age, when the world's very life is in question. The old world is gone, the Summer of 1914 is very far away from us. We are living in a new time in which men are thinking in new ways, and the Church must show its ability to direct their thoughts and conduct.

My impression is that greater changes than any of us are disposed to think of are coming. I believe, for example, that the old system of training the Clergy in our Divinity Schools must be revised or displaced, that the Clergy may live and work in their own age, leaders of a new generation, makers of a new world. The expert theologian, with his fine distinctions and his speculations concerning things which nobody ever understood nor ever shall understand, ought to yield place to good leadership with appreciation of the needs of the new time. The ecclesiastic ought to give place to the teacher and prophet, declaring the eternal truths of the Gospel of Jesus Christ and their application to men doing the world's work today. The long accepted methods of preparing men for the ministry are largely discredited, and the appeal to well-trained and right-minded men to enter the ministry, accepting the limitations of such courses, has lost its power. They who are using the Holy Scriptures for the defence of doctrines by proof texts, and studying St. Paul's Epistles in a meticulous way which he never dreamed of, have not a message for this generation. They may reproach the world for the way it is going and criticise those who are trying to make a new world wherein dwelleth righteousness, but there is scant hearing for them.

They who are afraid of changes, who wish to keep everything as it has been, forgetful that God is saying to every generation, "Behold, I make all things new," are sure to be uncomfortable. I do not expect to live to see the adjustment made, but I think that the Church must accept it

or lose its place of influence, and I have unwavering faith that power and strength lie in transferring the emphasis from things ecclesiastical to the presentation of the great principles of the Gospel of Jesus Christ. If some of us are too old or too timid to march, we must not get in the way of those who have a vision and who are living and working for the future.

In our Churches there must be new services, prayers and intercessions which give expression to the new hopes and aspirations of people, which meet the needs of people who are in perplexity as to what their duty is, who are bearing burdens and anxieties such as have not come to them before, who need comfort and help in the hard experiences of life.

Many customs, traditions must yield to new requirements. Rubrics must be interpreted generously. There is more hope in love and life than in discipline and strict regulation. The Church ought to take a new place in the service of the community and commend itself to the confidence and love of the American people. The old prejudice, never quite outlived, against this Church because of English origin, may pass, for a generation which finds the United States and Great Britain in alliance. Unless the Church is awake to its opportunity the Clergy will find themselves displaced by unordained religious teachers, and workers, of voluntary societies and the people will look to other agencies than the parish Churches for religious instruction and inspiration. We must be larger minded than ever before and accept unusual ways of doing the Lord's work. This is not to break from the old Church, with its continuous life from the beginning, its marvelous history of service and its devotional treasures. It is rather to let it live a larger life. The young men and young women out of our parishes who go into the service of the government of a dangerous character ought to be thought of as our defenders. They ought to be followed with the greatest interest and made to know of the appreciation and regard of those left behind. Their names ought to be inscribed beside the parish Church door. The homes from which they have gone in our parishes ought to hold a place of special consideration, and their families ought to know that we regard ourselves their debtors. It is a time to show Christian sympathy and brotherhood as never before and to make the family relation in our parish Churches something real. The Church ought to help to bring in a preparedness of spirit, a sense of seriousness and courage and faith and hope which shall do much to carry the country through this critical time. Churches ought to be open for services and for private prayer as they have not been before, and all the people ought to be made to feel that the Church, as the House of God, is a place whither to come for comfort and spiritual help for a deepening of the sense of the presence of God, to strengthen the hold upon the things which are eternal. Great events crowd one another in the world's life so that we do not recognize their meaning and importance. Great opportu-

nities, calls to great service come to the Church here and now. Shall the Church have the largeness of mind and spirit to appreciate its opportunity? That is the pressing question which all of us are called to answer, which all of us must answer.

I would not be silent concerning the duty of all right-minded people as regards intemperance. The use of strong drink is responsible for a very large part of the crime and suffering in the world and it would be a new world in its hopes and conditions if the sale of strong drink was ended. The American saloon is the enemy of the home, of religion, and of all that is best in life. The championship of the liberal treatment of the liquor traffic in the name of personal liberty is unworthy of respect. Did anyone ever become the champion of the saloon from a sense of public duty? We are divided as to the way in which to restrict or make an end of this great evil, but there is no proper position for the Church to take save one of warfare against it. In view of the dangers of this business, every community should have the right of determining whether saloons are to be allowed to exist in it. A self-respecting State should not allow itself to be betrayed by cowardly politicians upon the subject of local option.

Social clubs with bars ought to be restricted as saloons, for many of them are quite as dangerous. I would not call it prohibition territory where liquor can be obtained through express companies. At this time public sentiment ought to demand of the government that grain needed for food should not be used to make strong drink.

One of the first things to do is to get the business out of politics, for it is responsible in large measure for the degradation of our municipal life. The Church is largely at fault for letting such a bad business thrive, by its appeal to the social feelings of men, in not putting in clean and wholesome places of resort where men can come and find companionship. The world has apparently made up its mind that the abuses of the liquor business shall end or that the business shall be destroyed.

A long record might be made of important undertakings having Diocesan as well as Parochial significance. Such as the payment of church debts and the consecration of great churches like Christ Church, East Orange; St. Paul's, Paterson; Christ Church, Ridgewood; the completion of great parish houses like those at Short Hills; St. Stephen's, Jersey City; Bloomfield and Englewood; new plans for building, as at St. Barnabas' and St. Thomas', Newark; St. Matthew's, Jersey City; Calvary, Bayonne; an enlarged church and a rectory at Arlington; new possessions of property, as at St. Luke's, Montclair; the Incarnation, Jersey City; St. Andrew's, South Orange; All Saints', Glen Rock; St. Bartholomew's, Hohokus; St. Paul's, Woodridge; a Pathological Laboratory for St.

Barnabas' Hospital; a new rectory at Little Falls; new churches like St. Peter's, Livingston; the Church of the Redeemer, Morristown; Christ Church, West Englewood; St. David's, Cedar Grove; Towaco; church debts paid, as at the Epiphany, Orange; St. Alban's, Newark; new projects, building perhaps to be delayed by the war, as at West Hoboken, Harrison, Hillsdale, Rochelle Park, Trinity Mission, Montclair; Franklin, Maplewood, and Christ Church, East Orange; to name last what may be the most blessed work of all, through our Social Service Commission, the Bonnie Brae Farm and Home for Homeless Boys, at Hanover. It is a very good record for the Diocese during the year. Let God be praised for putting it into the hearts of so many good men and women to do so many good things.

The Church Extension Fund and the Development Fund have helped to make this record, and there have been many notable manifestations of interest and activity in the Parishes and Mission Churches. There were never so many good propositions for church development in the Diocese, and the more we do the more we find we can do. The call is always forward to new undertakings, for the extension of the ministry of the Church, and for this we may be thankful.

During the year I have confirmed 997 persons and Bishop Stearly about 1,400; the number of our Clergy is now 165, 2 Bishops, 155 Priests, 8 Deacons; of Churches and Mission Chapels where regular services are maintained, 143; of Candidates and Postulants for Holy Orders, 20.

It is a great pleasure to me to announce the establishment by the gift of \$10,000, already received and invested by the Trustees of the Episcopal Fund and Diocesan Properties, of a Permanent Fund, the income to be used by the Bishop of the Diocese, in consultation with the Standing Committee, for the assistance of persons in the Diocese preparing for the Ministry of this Church, preference to be given to those who may offer themselves from certain parishes. It makes a fund from which aid is constantly needed, in an entirely proper way, and I am very thankful to record its establishment. The founder of it has desired that it should bear the name of the Bishop of the Diocese. Let record also be thankfully made of the receipt of the Samuel Schoch legacy of about \$18,000, the income to be used for the relief of aged and infirm Clergy and their dependents. I am most thankful to learn that the Diocese has given \$251,000 towards the great Pension Fund raised this year. It is a larger sum than I had expected and I am grateful to all who contributed. It does not remove, for a time at least, while an adjustment is being made, the need

of asking offerings in the Diocese for our Aged and Infirm Clergy and Widows' Fund.

We must not relax our efforts to support and enlarge the work of the Church, in the Diocese and the Parishes, while we heed the pitiful appeals which come to us for relief funds. We know that we face many difficulties and hard experiences, which will demand great faith and courage. The service of our country is the dominant call of the time and its need must be the great consideration.

EDWIN S. LINES.

The Bishop Suffragan's Address

My Dear Brothers in Christ:

The Board of Missions will ask the Convention for an appropriation of \$15,000 for missionary work in the Diocese during the coming year. It is just that the delegates should know why this amount is asked, and for what uses it is intended. The \$12,000 appropriated last year has been expended in helping to support the services of the Church in 10 parishes and 43 mission congregations, in 25 cities and towns, 17 suburban places, and 10 communities which may be termed rural. To each of these 53 places amounts ranging from \$75 to \$500 have been apportioned toward the support of the Clergyman in charge, and in them all there were, according to last year's report in the *DIOCESAN JOURNAL*, 5,482 Communicants, 475 Baptisms, 364 Confirmations, and the total of their gifts for the support of their own and for missionary and charitable work was \$53,418.36.

The question, Does it pay? is scarcely appropriate in connection with this work. It is part of the meaning of our Churchmanship that the Diocese should take responsibility for the religious life of all the people within its limits. As the parish Church is bound to minister as best it may to all the people in its district, so the parishes united to form a Diocese are under obligation to minister in the name of religion to all the people in their territory. It is our duty to carry the Sacraments and the ministry of the Word to groups of our own communicants wherever they are found, and the command of our Lord to go into the highways and hedges with the great invitation means an unceasing endeavor to establish ministries everywhere, in communities old and new, in the city or country, where we may feel we are called because there is a need which we can supply, a gift we can bestow.

The question, however, whether our Diocesan missionary work is well and wisely administered, whether the missions make satisfactory progress, and whether we are meeting adequately the demands made upon us by the varied and rapidly developing life in the seven counties of northern New Jersey which are in our care, is pertinent and I wish to say a few words about it.

It should be known that the entire amount dispensed by the Board of Missions goes toward the stipends of the Clergy, and that care is exercised

to make the appropriations minister to the best development of the work. It is a real problem to determine how much, in view of all other demands, it is just to appropriate for clerical services in any one place. The questions as to the full and best use of the Clergyman's time, as to how many congregations can be wisely included in one cure, and as to how to get a maximum of service from a given amount of means and strength are not always to be answered easily or offhand. The members of the Board of Missions have for several years made visitations to the missions in the endeavor to get light upon these and similar problems, and with the purpose of bringing something of help and inspiration to the mission congregations from the older and stronger parishes of the Diocese. Much good has come from these visitations. Information of much value as to the missions' tasks and problems has been gathered, and new methods of work and administration have now and again been suggested. The missionary responsibility of the mission congregations, the desirability of good financial methods, the matter of self-support, have been dwelt upon with advantage.

The Board has given attention to the important matter of safeguarding the property interests of the Church in the missions. In all cases of new missions, and in many of those longer organized, it has taken title to the real estate, acting as a holding trustee, while not assuming responsibility for interest upon indebtedness where such exists. It has interested itself in the proper insurance of buildings against loss by fire, and has tried to see that extra expenses were met without the creation of permanent debts. In questions of the location of missions, of the kind of buildings to be erected, and other similar matters, the counsel and assistance of the members of the Board are freely given.

So far as this part of our Diocesan missionary work is concerned it must be said, I think, that our lack is only that which unavoidably attends all human administrations. If there have been mistakes made in locating missions, if there has been seeming lack of aggressiveness in beginning new work, or such other like defects, they are due not to lack of good counsel and the exercise of the best wisdom and zeal available, but to the inevitable limitations of those who, being themselves fallible, labor with shifting conditions and changing personalities.

The question as to whether our missions make satisfactory progress is not so easy to answer. When one surveys the whole field he finds much that is encouraging. In the last year, for instance, the following are accomplishments to be glad about: Upon the initiative of the Rector and Vestry of St. Luke's, Montclair, and with the co-operation of the other parishes there, the Rev'd Mr. Plaskett of Epiphany, Orange, was invited last Summer to begin a work for the colored people of Montclair. On Trinity Sunday last Trinity Mission, Montclair, was started. The growth

of this work has been phenomenal and such as to fully justify the foresight and wisdom of those who projected it. It is not properly a Diocesan mission, for it is under the fostering care of St. Luke's, which has taken full responsibility for it, but it means before long, doubtless, a new parish of the Church and an added influence and force for righteousness in the world.

The securing of its own home by the Incarnation congregation in Jersey City is a similar ground for rejoicing. From the building in Storms Avenue, secured by the united gifts of the parishes in Jersey City, the contributors to the Bishops' Church Extension Fund, and the people of the Mission, there goes out week by week an influence for good and a witness to the power and blessing of religion as we have received and cherish it, which means much to the colored people of Jersey City.

Christ Chapel, West Englewood, made possible so early in the development of this promising suburb by the thoughtful generosity of Mr. Herbert and Mr. James Barber, is an addition to our Diocesan properties, and the congregation being gathered there by Mr. Stridsberg's ministry will be a source of strength to the Diocese in coming years. The same thing is true of St. David's, Cedar Grove, which has grown up under the ministry of the Rev'd Mr. McKay, and where the loving service and eager enthusiasm of an earnest group of communicants has brought to completion one of the most attractive of our newer chapel buildings.

At Rochelle Park, where Christ Church, Hackensack, has for some years done missionary work, the people have purchased a very splendid lot of ground; and at Glen Rock the little congregation, meeting at present in a hall, has, mainly through the efforts of the women, secured one of the most eligible situations for a church in that growing place. St. Matthew's, Jersey City, whose history as a mission goes back but a few years, has had unusual growth under Mr. Martin's leadership, and with the consent of the Standing Committee has been organized and incorporated as a parish. It will ask at this meeting to be admitted into union with the Diocese.

There are other accomplishments in the missionary work of the Diocese during the past year quite as worthy of recording as these. Things to be grateful for, like the payment of debts, or the making of additions and improvements to the buildings, or the acquiring of a piece of ground, or the starting of a fund for the building of a rectory, or the installing of new furniture or equipment, or what probably is far more consequential than any of these things, but which cannot be included in reports, the gathering into the mission of new personalities whose abilities and graces in time to come will mean fuller life and increased strength to the spiritual fabric of the Diocese, which is the true building of God. These things are

worth speaking of because when one looks over the list of missions he involuntarily asks questions, the answers to which are involved with the recognition of and gratitude for such accomplishments. Why, it is said, should a parish receive aid from the Board of Missions? Why have some missions made such slow progress that they have been receiving Diocesan aid from the time that man's memory runneth not to the contrary? And why should appropriations be continued to support the Church's ministry to a handful of souls, seemingly fewer in number year by year?

It is only just that such questions should be put, for the administration of money is bound to submit to all fair tests of efficiency. The answers to some such questions have been suggested by what has just been said. The fact that a mission continues to receive some appropriation year after year may mean very various things. It may mean lack of growth, or the disposition to rest back and take it easy at the expense of the Diocese, or the falling into a routine and perfunctory state of matters which indicates the need for a general shakeup. But on the other hand it may mean the acquiring of additional property and equipment, or the paying of debts, which, as our oldest Archdeacon avers, is a very good thing from the point of view of the Diocese, for the time is thereby brought nearer when the mission can come into the parish status furnished and ready in its turn to help the common work forward.

For the rest our judgment must be founded upon fulness of knowledge and a sympathetic understanding of each particular situation. Missions, like other institutions, have their lean and fat years, and are dependent not only upon the personalities of those composing them, but upon the fortunes, good or ill, of the communities in which they are placed. An established parish is weakened by the inflowing of a tide of people which drives from the neighborhood its old constituents, a young mission is crippled by the loss of a half dozen families whose places cannot be filled for several years. Some mission congregations have an enterprising spirit from the start; others rise with difficulty into enthusiasm. There is such a thing as good and bad fortune in Clergymen. A succession of men with certain defects of qualities or character may retard or actually set back a mission's growth. The old country church which has sent many communicants to the city parishes finds its fortunes at a low ebb, it lives from hand to mouth, and is, like Job, at the point to die.

One has to consider all these things, to remember what has been in the past, to perceive what may yet be in the future. It is not so easy to estimate spiritual values nor perfectly simple to determine when obligations cease. One has to take long views and form inclusive judgments. Perhaps the Bishops and the Board of Missions should be more hard-hearted than they are. They might more rigorously demand results which can be seen. Their rule might be a certain fixed reduction in the appropriations

to the missions year by year. But over against such policies are the groups of faithful and devoted communicants in our missions, with their Clergy in their midst, and it has to be said of them, Clergy and Laity alike, that for the most part they yield to none in their eager devotion and whole-hearted consecration to the service of our Lord in His Church. As I have gone about the Diocese not the least of the blessings that have come to me have been the inspirations to courage and gratitude and more faithful service which I have received in the mission congregations.

It is entirely true that we must be business-like and efficient in our missionary work, but we may never forget that the missionary part of the Diocese is different from the old established part only in this, that the numbers are fewer and the demands upon the individuals relatively greater.

There are several matters having to do with the efficiency of our missionary work which ought to be referred to.

The establishment, by our wise and well loved Bishop soon after his coming to the Diocese, of the Bishop's Church Extension Fund was a wise and fruitful act. Some general account of its activities will be given at the meeting tonight, but mention may here be made of the five congregations for which calls have been made this year. At Hackettstown a parish building was to be remodeled, at Rochelle Park a chapel to be built, at Little Falls a rectory acquired, at Towaco a building gotten as a center for Church work in a growing community, and at Franklin a chapel to minister in a growing mining town to those there living of our own household of faith. By which gifts the four hundred supporters of this fund have taken a definite share in helping to build our Church in New Jersey, and the believers in all these places have been aided in their material undertakings, and assured at the same time of the loving thought for them of their brethren in other places.

At the present time we need increased resources in two directions if we are to keep within measuring distance of our Diocesan opportunities. We need a larger amount for the current support of the work. It is for this that you are asked to include an additional \$3,000 for Diocesan Missions in this year's Budget. About \$1,000 of this is needed to pay the assessments of the Clergy Pension System upon those parts of the stipends of the Clergy in the missions which are paid by the Diocese. In some of the missions responsibility has been assumed for the assessment upon the entire stipend received by the missionary, that paid by the mission as well as that received from the Board. But where this is not possible the Board of Missions must be prepared to pay the Pension Assessments upon the amounts contributed by it to the Clergy's livings.

The other \$2,000 is asked for new work to be undertaken during the year. Of this work the most immediately pressing is that waiting to be

done in and around the town of Franklin in Sussex County. It was first pointed out several years ago by the Board of Social Service, and has been increasingly felt, that we owe a ministry and service to the rural parts of the Diocese. Under the energetic leadership of our missionary at Hamburg the way is now open for entering upon this, and it is earnestly hoped that the funds required may be granted as asked for.

The second direction in which it becomes increasingly clear that our resources must be augmented is in connection with the permanent equipment necessitated in the starting and establishing of our mission churches. It is a pity to send a Clergyman into the field without assurance of adequate backing. It is very difficult to make bricks without straw, and the Diocese ought to be prepared in a wise and careful manner to give assistance in timely fashion and in material ways.

Through the Church Extension Fund about \$5,000 per year has gone into buildings for our missions. Churches, parish houses and rectories all over the Diocese are the memorials of the givings of the supporters of that fund. But there are other needs constantly arising in this work for which we ought to make provision. There are times when a mission cannot go on unless a piece of ground is procured for it in advance; times when land ought to be bought and held against the day of need, or to protect an otherwise good property against injury. The missionaries need tools, such as automobiles. Wise provision for the future demands now and then that a building be put up far more costly than the small group of communicants can by themselves carry. When special and unexpected obligations come upon the missions, and when efforts are going forward to clear off debts, it is of the greatest importance and encouragement that help should be forthcoming. The lack of provision for these needs means the loss of opportunity and the consequent slowing up of our progress in Church development. We ought to have a large fund, continually replenished, for such uses as are here indicated. It would be capital from which returns would come in good measure.

A beginning has been made in this direction by the starting, over a year ago, of the Diocesan Development Fund, to which many generous contributions were made. I plead for the continuance and enlargement of that fund. If the parishes give through the assessments \$15,000 a year for Diocesan Missions, and the members of the Church Extension Fund \$5,000 more for buildings, is it too much to hope for and expect an additional \$10,000 a year for investment in gifts and loans, to secure and strengthen in permanent ways the one-third of the Diocese which we call Missionary? Here is an opportunity for wide-reaching usefulness for Christian money, which is earnestly commended to the attention of the faithful men and women in the Diocese who have been entrusted by our Lord with material possessions.

Closely related to the subject of Diocesan Missions is the plan for the development of Cathedral work in the Diocese, which has been made possible by the generous gift to the Cathedral Foundation through Mr. James Barber. Originally an offer to buy a site for the future Cathedral Church of the Diocese, the gift was changed, in accordance with the view of the Cathedral General Chapter that this was inexpedient at the present time, into the promise of payment year by year of the interest upon this principal sum for Cathedral work in the Diocese. With this financial provision assured, the General Chapter has elected the Rev'd Gilbert L. Pennock as the first Canon Missioner of our Cathedral. His work will be in general that of a Diocesan Missionary. In particular he will have oversight of the mission congregations while they are without settled pastors. He will investigate conditions and prepare for the inauguration of new work. He will come to the assistance of the missionary Clergy in special times of need. He will conduct missions for the parochial Clergy, and in all ways minister to the varied and growing missionary needs of the Diocese. Such a service will be not only a great assistance in our work, but it will do much, it is thought, to make real that idea of Diocesan unity which it is the main purpose of a Cathedral to foster and develop.

The Reverend Augustine Elmendorf has been elected by the Chapter as Canon Missioner for Social Service, and the Reverend Dr. Cooder as Canon Missioner for Ministry in the Institutions of Essex County. It will be seen that we have thus made a good beginning in the development of Diocesan service through the Cathedral system. As resources are available it is hoped to extend and widen this service. The people in the charitable and penal institutions of all the counties in our Diocese should be ministered to by us in a regular and systematic way, and ministries to special classes of people among us, and for particular branches of parochial work, like Religious Education, etc., can be undertaken in the name of the Cathedral whenever provision is made for their support.

The years 1916-17 will always be marked in the history of our Church by the establishment of the Church Pension Fund system. In the setting into operation of this plan we may all rejoice, for thereby is lifted a burden of anxiety from the minds and hearts of the faithful Clergy, and for the first time in our history we are put in the position of dealing justly as an institution with the servants of the Church. The result of the campaign for the Reserve Fund necessary to inaugurate the system, so far beyond what was first sought, and now announced to be more than eight million dollars, not only assures the adequate and general working of the plan, but also bears eloquent testimony to a fact which as Churchmen and Christians we are wont frequently to forget, namely, that there are great stores of power and affection in the Church, which by a just presentation and a right appeal can be brought into the service of our Lord. There

is in our country widespread loyalty to the Christ and desire to help in His work. It is probable that progress in the great causes is not more rapid because men are not made to realize their importance and challenged to lend their aid in fine and large ways.

The contributions to the Reserve Fund from this Diocese amounted, in cash and pledges, to approximately \$251,032.41.

It would be invidious, perhaps, to mention commendably any particular parishes in a movement in which there was quite generous and hearty co-operation on the part of almost all. It should be said, however, that the special committee of laymen which undertook to lead the work in this Diocese not only deserves the thanks of us all for its wise activity and perseverance, but also for its part would wish, I know, to express through me its appreciation of the courtesy and patience with which its efforts were universally met by the Clergy and Laity alike. The benefits of this united effort are not confined to those flowing from the sums of money raised, nor limited to this one year. For in learning to know each other better, and working together as co-laborers in the Church's cause, our laymen have discovered and laid up potencies for future usings.

At the present time the Canonical Committee of the Clergy Pension Fund, created by your action at the last Convention, is busy gathering the data essential to the full and free operation of the system in the application of its benefits to the Clergy of our Diocese. So far about two-thirds of parishes and missions have by action of the vestries and executive committees adopted the system and begun the payment of the assessments of seven and one-half per cent. upon the Clergy's stipends. In most cases these payments are being made monthly, which would seem to be a wise method. It is to be hoped that all the remaining parishes and missions will take like favorable action without delay. You have by vote instructed the Diocesan authorities to pay the assessments due upon all stipends paid by the Diocese, so that before long all our Clergy in active service will, it is expected, be in a position to receive the protection and provision designed for them by the Church. There are some matters concerning the practical operation of the system which should be known to all and which will be brought out at the meeting of the Church Club this evening.

A question of importance which will have to be settled sooner or later is the relation to the Clergy Pension Fund of our own Diocesan Pension System. We have a capital sum of \$52,000, which is by canonical action set apart as the Automatic Pension Fund, the yearly income of which is to be divided equally among the Clergy of the Diocese of sixty-five years of age or over, who have been for five years preceding their coming to this age canonically resident and serving the Church in the Diocese.

It will be seen that there are points where the two Pension Plans touch, where the administrative rules of one may come into conflict with those of the other. It would seem wise that careful consideration be given to the matter, and as hasty or inconsidered action is to be deprecated, I would suggest that the subject of the Automatic Pension Fund of the Diocese be referred either to the Canonical Committee on the Church Pension Fund, or to the standing committee upon Canons with instructions to investigate all the aspects of the matter and to report to the next Annual Convention recommendations as to the use of this Fund in accordance with the designs and desires of its givers and in harmony with the new conditions which now exist.

The Board of Social Service in its report will inform the Convention of its venture of faith in establishing the Bonnie Brae Home for friendless and needy boys. I will not stop to speak of the necessity for and beauty of such a ministry in our Lord's name. All who are familiar with city conditions in our day will quite well appreciate the opportunity for Christian service here presented. The interesting thing to be noted is that this work is undertaken in the name of the Diocese by a properly constituted and representative Board of the Diocese. It is thus a first essay in a united ministry to the poor on the part of our own household of faith. As such it means fellowship in service of all the communicants who will assist in carrying it forward, and a justification of Diocesan organization and unity by a work of mercy. There is something very appealing in such a movement. The Church, it has been said, is a voice and a hand. We are learning slowly to bring to bear upon social conditions the judgments and thought of Christian men. Once and again the common mind of all in the Diocese has found expression in the noble utterances of our well loved Bishop. The influence of the Church has come thereby to count in state and society. It is good that we should also come to be known as a serving and ministering Diocese. Many of our individual communicants and some of our parishes stand pre-eminent for disinterested and Christianly labor for humanity's sake. It must be a thing to be glad for, I feel, that the Board of Social Service offers an opportunity, and indicates the way in which the Diocese in a corporate fashion may take its place among the ministering forces.

The changes and new conditions of life incidental to the organization of the nation for war, present to the Church new opportunities and responsibilities, for the better meeting of which it is probable that we should make arrangement without delay. There are tasks which can be adequately accomplished only by our united endeavor. It is right that the Church should keep in touch with, and help supply the needs of the Chaplains of the regiments going out from this part of the State. Definite oversight and careful study should be given to the conditions

surrounding the troops, whether in large camps or in small details upon guard duty—conditions effecting not only the welfare of the soldiers themselves, but the morals of cities and villages. All our congregations should be kept in touch with the relief organizations, such as the Red Cross and the societies for the suffering peoples of the East, and provision made, perhaps, for enlisting the interest and co-operation of our people in such movements for the growth of crops and conservation of food as all may justly have a part in. For the organization and the development of such broad and comprehensive ministries as should be undertaken by the Church in the coming months, we have in the Board of Social Service an instrument ready to our need; and the people of the Diocese may quite justly turn to its officers and members for guidance and leadership.

The guilds and working organizations in our parishes have also a great opportunity before them in the coming months. There are particular kinds of ministry which may be rendered by all of them. Men's Clubs can do much toward looking after the needs of families who have been dependent upon those who have gone into the armies. The Chapters of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew, which have lately increased in numbers and strength in this Diocese, may render splendid service in conducting religious meetings and conferences among the young men in the regiments. The Girls' Friendly Society, of which there are almost forty branches in the Diocese, can do much in developing and strengthening its ministry to the girls and young women. It is a thing to be noted with satisfaction that the Clergy everywhere are alert and active in leading the people of their congregations, individually and in corporate fashion, in the service of the nation and the good cause.

Mention should be made here of the good accomplishment of the Apportionment Committee in leading the parishes and missions of the Diocese into more systematic and generous support of the missionary work of the Church. For a number of years the Apportionment Committee has consistently and faithfully carried on a work of education. It has urged the importance of the Duplex Envelope System and the Annual Every Member Canvass. It has focused attention in the parishes upon the payment of the Diocesan Assessments as well as the Apportionment for General Missions. As the result of this, and the appointment by its initiative of Laymen's Missionary Committees in parishes, we have taken our place among those Dioceses in the Church whose contributions for Missions exceed the amount asked of them. The gifts of the Diocese to the support of the work under the General Board of Missions last year were \$46,694. almost \$2,000 more than the amount asked of us. At the present time, on account of the \$45,000 apportioned us for the current year, our parishes have paid about \$26,000. It is to be hoped not only

that the Apportionment Committee will continue its good work, but that in the coming months whatever may be the special needs brought upon the parishes by the exigencies of war the missionary obligations of the Church will be met without lapse or failure.

I wish to say a word in appreciation of the self-denying and faithful service being rendered the Church by the officers and teachers in our Sunday Schools. No task is of more importance or beset with greater difficulties than that of Religious Education. The problem, in the main, is to inculcate in the minds and hearts of boys and girls the great truths of religion and the principles of living which bring prosperity and peace. It is easy to point out the defects of the Sunday School as an instrumentality for the accomplishment of this, and there are some who think its days of usefulness are over. But until we have something better it were folly not to make the best use of what we have; and to those who are in the position to observe fairly there is no doubt or question concerning the immense value of the instruction given to and influence exercised over the growing children of the Church by the company of men and women who week in and week out are going forward with this gracious ministry. I ask for them the sympathetic co-operation of all the communicants of the Church and plead for a larger and more generous provision by vestries for this part of the Church's work.

The Board of Religious Education is rendering good service to this cause through its Teacher Training Classes, its Institutes and Conferences held in various parts of the Diocese. It plans wider and larger ministries in the coming year and should have the support of all the Clergy and Laity.

I make no apology for dwelling today upon matters which have to do with the life and organization of the Church, aspects of the Church's ministry which are independent of or not closely related to the subject which these days engages much of our thought. For while the special needs which the war brings to the front, the larger responsibilities which are laid in times of conflict upon the religious community, must be faced and met, yet it would be a great mistake because of these to forget or underrate the service we are called to render to men in days alike of war or peace. After all the Church lives on, and the value of its ministry in special emergencies is directly connected with and dependent upon the quality of its life in ordinary days. Whatever we do to make the Church stronger, more effective, more zealous and devoted, more enlightened and spiritual, means a richer bestowment of blessing upon the world and the bringing nearer of our dear Redeemer's reign.

WILSON R. STEARLY,
Bishop Suffragan.

Record of Official Acts

ORDINATIONS.

BY THE BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE.

A. D. 1916.

- May 7.—The Second Sunday after Easter. In St. George's Church, Passaic, (acting by request of the Bishop of West Texas), Frederick J. Price, Deacon; presented by the Rev'd Hugh D. Wilson, who also preached the sermon.
- May 24.—In Christ Church, Ridgewood, the Rev'd Henry Atwell Post, Priest; presented by the Rev'd John S. Miller; the Rev'd Frederick J. Buttery, Priest; presented by the Rev'd Wm. Gordon Bentley; the Rev'd Walter Handley, Priest; presented by the Rev'd James A. McCleary; preacher, the Rev'd Prof. Francis B. Blodgett, Ph.D.
- May 28.—The Fifth Sunday after Easter. In St. Peter's Church, Morristown, Burnham North Dell, Deacon; presented by the Rev'd Philemon F. Sturges, who also preached the sermon.
- May 30.—In the Church of the Good Shepherd, Hamburg, the Rev'd Edgar Leon Cook, Priest; presented by the Rev'd Hermann Lilienthal; preacher, the Rev'd C. Malcolm Douglas.
- June 1.—Ascension Day. In Holy Rood Church, New York City, (acting by request of the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese of Colorado), the Rev'd William Fringle, Priest; presented by the Rev'd Stuart Crockett, who also preached the sermon.
- June 18.—Trinity Sunday. In Grace Church, (Van Vorst), Jersey City, John F. Hamblin, Deacon; presented by the Rev'd Pelham St. G. Bissell; preacher, the Rev'd Sidney E. Sweet.
- July 12.—In Christ Church, Pompton, the Rev'd Theodore J. M. Van Duyne, Priest; presented by the Rev'd Harry A. L. Sadler, who also preached the sermon.
- Dec. 10.—The Second Sunday in Advent. In Christ Church, East Orange, Randall W. Conklin, Deacon; presented by the Rev'd Charles E. Hutchison; preacher, the Bishop of the Diocese.
- Dec. 24.—The Fourth Sunday in Advent. In Calvary Church, New York City, (acting by request of the Bishop of the Missionary District of Arizona), the Rev'd J. Gregory Mabry, Priest; presented by the Rev'd Arthur R. Gray, D.D.; preacher, the Rev'd Edward C. Chorley, D.D.

A. D. 1917.

- Feb. 18.—Quinquagesima. In St. Barnabas' Church, Newark, Rowland K. Gimson, Deacon; presented by the Rev'd Henry V. B. Darlington; preacher, the Bishop of the Diocese.

BY THE BISHOP SUFFRAGAN.

A. D. 1916.

May 30.—In St. John's Church, Dover, (acting by request of the Bishop of Long Island), Allen D. Jennings, Deacon; presented by the Rev'd Walter E. Howe; preacher, the Rev'd Philemon F. Sturges.

July 23.—The Fifth Sunday after Trinity. In Grace Church, (Van Vorst), Jersey City, Franklin G. Faber, Deacon; presented by the Rev'd Pelham St. G. Bissell; preacher, Bishop Stearly.

A. D. 1917.

Feb. 11.—Sexagesima. In St. Mary's Church, Ridgefield Park, Frank C. Morrell, Deacon; presented by the Rev'd Charles E. Berghaus; preacher, the Rev'd Edward P. Hooper.

CHANGES WITHIN THE DIOCESE.

A. D. 1916.

May 1.—The Rev'd Elwyn H. Spear ceases to be Assistant, Trinity, Newark.

May 1.—The Rev'd Vernon D. Ruggles ceases to be Rector, Church of the Holy Communion, Paterson.

May 15.—The Rev'd Frederick J. Buttery ceases to be Minister in charge of All Saints', Glen Rock.

May 30.—The Rev'd Edgar L. Cook becomes Missionary, Good Shepherd, Hamburg; and in charge of St. Thomas', Vernon.

May 31.—The Rev'd Frank H. Hallock ceases to be Rector, Christ Church, Newark.

June 1.—The Rev'd William Martin ceases to be Curate, St. Stephen's, Jersey City.

June 1.—The Rev'd James E. Crosby, (Marquette), ceases to have charge of St. James', Ridgefield; and of Nativity, Fairview.

June 1.—The Rev'd Walter Handley takes charge of St. James', Ridgefield; and Nativity, Fairview; together with Woodcliff.

June 1.—The Rev'd Theodore J. M. Van Dwyne becomes Minister in charge, Christ Church, Pompton.

June 1.—The Rev'd Allen D. Jennings, (Long Island), takes charge of St. Peter's, Mt. Arlington; and Welfare Work at Kenil.

June 15.—The Rev'd Wm. Christy Patterson ceases to be Assistant, St. Peter's, Morristown; becomes Missionary, St. Paul's, Chatham.

June 18.—The Rev'd Luke M. White becomes Rector, Trinity Mission, Montclair.

June 18.—The Rev'd George M. Plaskett takes charge, Trinity Mission, Montclair.

June 25.—The Rev'd John F. Hamblin becomes Minister in charge, St. Mary Magdalene, Newark; and of St. Paul's, North Arlington.

July 1.—The Rev'd Archibald E. Montgomery ceases to be Rector, Church of the Atonement, Tenafly.

July 1.—The Rev'd Walter Handley ceases to have charge of St. James', Ridgefield; Nativity, Fairview; and Woodcliff.

- July 9.—The Rev'd Raymond W. Masters, (Long Island), takes charge of St. John's, Bergenfield; and of All Saints', Dumont.
- July 12.—The Rev'd Theodore J. M. Van Duyne becomes Rector, Christ Church, Pompton.
- July 23.—The Rev'd Franklin G. Faber becomes Minister in charge of Zion, Belvidere; St. James', (Knowlton) Delaware; and of St. Luke's, Hope.
- Aug. 6.—The Rev'd Herbert G. Purchase ceases to be Rector, St. Luke's, Paterson.
- Sept. 1.—The Rev'd James A. McCleary becomes Rector, Church of the Holy Communion, Paterson.
- Sept. 10.—The Rev'd Carl A. H. Stridsberg ceases to be Assistant, St. Paul's, Englewood; and in charge, St. John's, Nordhoff; becomes Missionary, St. John the Divine, Hasbrouck Heights; and of Christ Mission, West Englewood.
- Oct. 1.—The Rev'd Allen D. Jennings, (Long Island), ceases to have charge of St. Peter's, Mt. Arlington; and Welfare Work at Kenil; takes charge, Good Shepherd, Ringwood Manor.
- Oct. 1.—The Rev'd J. Gregory Mabry, (Arizona), becomes Curate, House of Prayer, Newark.
- Oct. 16.—The Rev'd August Ahrens ceases to be Missionary, Grace, East Rutherford; St. Thomas', Lyndhurst; St. Paul's, Woodridge; becomes Missionary, All Saints', Millington.
- Nov. 5.—The Rev'd Elwyn H. Spear becomes Rector, Church of the Atonement, Tenafly.
- Nov. 13.—The Rev'd Meade B. MacBryde ceases to be Missionary, Holy Trinity, Hillsdale.
- Nov. 30.—The Rev'd Frank B. Reazor, D.D., becomes Rector, St. Peter's, Livingston.
- Dec. 10.—The Rev'd Randall W. Conklin becomes Minister in charge, St. George's, (Vailsburgh), Newark.
- A. D. 1917.
- Jan. 1.—The Rev'd Donald M. Brookman, D.D., becomes Rector, St. Peter's, Morristown.
- Jan. 1.—The Rev'd Mercer G. Johnston ceases to be Rector, Trinity, Newark.
- Jan. 31.—The Rev'd Edmund J. Cleveland ceases to be Rector, St. John's, West Hoboken.
- Feb. 1.—The Rev'd Aubrey H. Derby takes charge of St. James', Ridgefield.
- Feb. 11.—The Rev'd Frank C. Morrell takes charge of Nativity, Fairview.
- Feb. 18.—The Rev'd Rowland K. Gimson becomes Curate, St. Barnabas', Newark.
- Mar. 1.—The Rev'd Percy C. Bissell becomes Missionary, Grace, East Rutherford; and of St. Paul's, Woodridge.
- Mar. 16.—The Rev'd William Martin becomes Rector, St. Matthew's, Jersey City.
- Apr. 25.—The Rev'd Charles E. C. Oswald ceases to be Rector, Holy Cross, Jersey City.

CLERGY RECEIVED.

A. D. 1916.

- May 10.—The Rev'd Warren L. Rogers, from the Diocese of Pittsburgh; becomes Rector, St. John's, Jersey City.
- Sept. 28.—The Rev'd S. Glover Dunseath, from the Diocese of New York; becomes Rector, St. Paul's, Jersey City.
- Nov. 6.—The Rev'd Edwin S. Carson, from the Diocese of Minnesota; becomes Rector, Christ Church, Ridgewood.
- Nov. 7.—The Rev'd John O. Ferris, from the Diocese of Vermont; becomes Rector, St. Matthew's, Newark.
- Nov. 13.—The Rev'd Alfred R. McWilliams, from the Diocese of New Jersey; becomes Missionary, Holy Trinity, Hillsdale; and of St. Paul's, Montvale.
- Nov. 17.—The Rev'd Donald M. Brookman, D.D., from the Diocese of Albany.
- Nov. 20.—The Rev'd Ray Oakley Miller, from the Missionary District of San Joaquin; becomes Assistant Minister, St. John's, Jersey City.
- Nov. 20.—The Rev'd Raymond W. Masters, from the Diocese of Long Island; becomes Missionary, St. John's, Bergenfield; and of All Saints', Dumont.
- Nov. 22.—The Rev'd Howard W. Gernand, from the Diocese of Pennsylvania; becomes Rector, Christ Church, Newark.
- Nov. 22.—The Rev'd Edgar W. Anderson, from the Diocese of Massachusetts; becomes Assistant Minister, St. John's, Jersey City.
- Dec. 5.—The Rev'd Albert E. Phillips, from the Diocese of Long Island; becomes Rector, St. Luke's, Paterson.
- Dec. 14.—The Rev'd Ernest P. S. Spencer, from the Diocese of New York; becomes Curate, St. Mark's, Orange; and of St. Peter's, Livingston.

A. D. 1917.

- Jan. 25.—The Rev'd Roland C. Ormsbee, from the Diocese of New York; becomes Rector, St. Paul's, Newark.
- Feb. 17.—The Rev'd Frederick B. Bartlett, from the Diocese of Long Island; becomes Rector, St. John's, West Hoboken.
- Mar. 3.—The Rev'd Alfred W. Arundel, D.D., from the Diocese of Pittsburgh; becomes Missionary, Holy Innocents', West Orange.
- Apr. 4.—The Rev'd Henry M. Kirkby, from the Diocese of New York; becomes Assistant, St. Peter's, Morristown.

Priests, 16.

CLERGY TRANSFERRED.

A. D. 1916.

- June 12.—The Rev'd Frank H. Hallock, to the Diocese of Albany.
- Sept. 7.—The Rev'd Frederick J. Buttery, to the Diocese of Vermont.
- Sept. 22.—The Rev'd Philip C. Steinmetz, to the Diocese of Pennsylvania.
- Sept. 29.—The Rev'd Charles B. Scovil, to the Diocese of New York.
- Oct. 4.—The Rev'd George C. DeMott, to the Diocese of Vermont.

- Oct. 7.—The Rev'd Archibald E. Montgomery, to the Diocese of Vermont.
 Oct. 15.—The Rev'd Philemon F. Sturges, to the Diocese of Rhode Island.
 Nov. 2.—The Rev'd Henry H. Hadley, to the Diocese of Central New York
 Nov. 9.—The Rev'd Ralph H. Hayden, to the Diocese of New York.
 Dec. 31.—The Rev'd Henry A. Post, to the Diocese of Harrisburg.

A. D. 1917.

- Feb. 9.—The Rev'd Edmund J. Cleveland, to the Diocese of Missouri.
 Feb. 19.—The Rev'd Vedder Van Dyck, to the Diocese of Long Island.
 Apr. 23.—The Rev'd William C. Patterson, to the Diocese of New York.

Priests, 13.

CLERGY DECEASED.

A. D. 1916.

- Oct. 13.—The Rev'd William Welles Holley, Priest and Doctor, Rector Emeritus of Christ Church, Hackensack; our first Presbyter on the Clergy List, and long a member of the Standing Committee; having served a rectorship at Christ Church of over forty years.
 Dec. 3.—The Rev'd William Mortimer Hughes, Priest and Doctor, formerly Rector of the Church of the Redeemer, Morristown.

A. D. 1917.

- Feb. 14.—The Rev'd Albert Upham Stanley, Priest, formerly Rector of St. Stephen's Church, Millburn.

CLERGY LICENSED TO OFFICIATE IN THE DIOCESE.

A. D. 1916-1917.

The Rev'd Alden L. Bennett, Newark.

- " Percy M. Binnington, Newark.
- " Charles H. Boynton, Ph.D., Englewood.
- " George P. Christian, Orange.
- " George T. Dowling, D.D., Orange.
- " Melvin Honeyman, Newark.
- " Allen D. Jennings, Ringwood Manor.
- " Arthur W. Kierulff, Paterson.
- " Henri B. B. LeFerre, Jersey City.
- " Lewis H. Lighthipe, East Orange.
- " J. Gregory Mabry, Newark.
- " Edgar F. H. J. Masse, Jersey City.
- " Benjamin R. Phelps, Orange.
- " Denham H. Quinn, Wortendyke.
- " Harold E. Sawyer, Morristown.
- " Henry P. Seymour, Norwood.
- " Gouverneur M. Wilkins, Phillipsburgh.

WARDENS APPOINTED.

A. D. 1916.

June 2.—August M. Herrmann, St. Stephen's, Coytesville.

A. D. 1917.

Jan. 29.—Allan MacFarlan, St. Clement's, Hawthorne.

Mar. 31.—Edwin A. Stevens, St. Mark's, Mendham.

INSTITUTIONS.

BY THE BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE.

A. D. 1916.

Nov. 12.—The Rev'd S. Glover Dunseath, Rector, St. Paul's, Jersey City.

Dec. 3.—The Rev'd Howard W. Gernand, Rector, Christ Church, Newark.

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Dec. 31.—The Rev'd Edwin S. Carson, Rector, Christ Church, Ridgewood.

CORNERSTONES LAID.

A. D. 1916.

June 6.—At Christ Church, Short Hills. (By the Bishop Suffragan.)

Nov. 12.—At St. Stephen's, Jersey City. (By the Bishop of the Diocese.)

DEDICATIONS.

A. D. 1916.

Oct. 1.—New Church at West Englewood.

Nov. 30.—St. Peter's Church at Livingston.

A. D. 1917.

Jan. 7.—Enlarged Church and new Parish House, Christ Church, Short Hills.

ANNIVERSARIES.

A. D. 1916.

May 11.—Fiftieth Anniversary of St. Barnabas' Hospital.

May 27.—Tenth Anniversary of the beginning of Services at Millington.

Oct. 1.—Fiftieth Anniversary of the Rev'd John S. Miller's ordination to the Priesthood, and twenty-eighth of his rectorship at the House of Prayer, Newark.

LAY READERS LICENSED.

A. D. 1916.

May 5.—William Tyacke, jr., under Archdeacon McCleary.

May 5.—Franklin C. Lewis, Grace, (Van Vorst), Jersey City, under the Rev'd Pelham St. G. Bissell.

- May 8.—William W. Desmond, Frederick H. Conklin, Annunciation, Oradell, under the Rev'd William K. Berry, D.D.
- May 10.—M. C. Coggeshall, Christ Church, Short Hills, under the Rev'd C. Malcolm Douglas.
- May 13.—Russell M. Fitch, Holy Communion, Norwood, under the Rev'd Henry P. Seymour.
- May 18.—Alexander G. R. Quelch, St. Stephen's, Newark, under the Rev'd Dr. Wasson.
- May 20.—Arthur C. Zimmerman, Grace, Orange, under the Rev'd Charles T. Walkley.
- May 27.—William Williamson, St. Stephen's, Jersey City, under the Rev'd Sidney E. Sweet.
- May 30.—George C. Robinson, Herman Lum, Good Shepherd, Hamburg, under the Rev'd Edgar L. Cook.
- May 31.—George H. Wagstaff, St. Barnabas', Newark, under the Rev'd Henry V. B. Darlington.
- June 2.—George H. Craze, Mediator, Edgewater, under the Rev'd Francis W. Kirwan.
- June 2.—D. A. Carson, Trinity, Grantwood, under the Rev'd Marshall F. Montgomery.
- June 3.—William O. Richardson, Jacob Hadell, Annunciation, Oradell, under the Rev'd William K. Berry, D.D.
- June 8.—L. H. Ferris, St. Paul's, Jersey City, under the Rector.
- June 10.—Ralph B. Ward, St. Alban's, Newark, under the Rev'd H. Landon Rice.
- June 10.—H. Cleveland Bromley, Grace, Rutherford, under Archdeacon Ladd.
- June 14.—George H. Mettam, St. John's, Bayonne, under the Rev'd Samuel McKibbin.
- June 14.—Frank R. Braun, William H. Sillery, William Larder, St. John's, West Hoboken, under the Rev'd Edmund J. Cleveland.
- June 23.—Ernest B. Freeman, R. C. Moore, A. F. A. Witte, St. Mark's, Orange, under the Rev'd Frank B. Reazor, D.D.
- June 27.—R. Harley Cranmer, Holy Cross, Jersey City, under the Rev'd Charles E. C. Oswald.
- June 30.—Morton Threshman, Grace, (Van Vorst), Jersey City, under the Rev'd Pelham St. G. Bissell.
- June 30.—A. Edwin Kappauf, St. John's, Boonton, under the Rev'd Henry B. Wilson.
- July 1.—Alfred E. Forstall, Thomas W. Dennison, Edward J. Chambers, St. John's, Montclair, under the Rev'd James T. Lodge.
- July 3.—Herbert W. Frick, Grace, Newark, under the Rev'd Charles L. Gomph.
- July 5.—L. Clinton Brooke, St. George's, Passaic, under the Rev'd Hugh D. Wilson.
- July 6.—License of Reeve A. Silk, (New York), endorsed for use under the Rev'd Otho F. Humphreys, West Orange.
- July 31.—Edward C. Fisher, St. Peter's, Clifton, under the Rev'd John G. Martin.

- Aug. 5.—W. H. Thompson, Grace, East Rutherford, under the Rev'd August Ahrens.
Sept. 1.—Van Tassel Sutphen, St. Peter's, Morristown, under the Rev'd Philemon F. Sturges.
Sept. 13.—Henry W. O'Dowd, Grace, (Greenville), Jersey City, under the Rev'd Hiram R. Bennett.
Sept. 30.—Robert H. Rogers, St. Stephen's, Millburn, under the Rev'd James W. Van Ingen.
Dec. 26.—Leonard Kitts, St. John's, Boonton, under the Rev'd Henry B. Wilson.

A. D. 1917.

- Jan. 2.—Charles K. Farrington, All Saints', Orange, under the Rev'd Clarence M. Dunham.
Jan. 27.—L. W. Nussbaum, J. H. Beck, St. Paul's, Woodridge, under Archdeacon Ladd.
Mar. 21.—Frederick Ashworth, Ascension, Bloomfield, under the Rev'd William T. Lipton.
Apr. 2.—Robert H. Rogers, St. George's, (Vailsburgh), Newark, under the Rev'd Randall W. Conklin.
Apr. 5.—Howard Marshall, Grace, Orange, under the Rev'd Charles T. Walkley.
Apr. 25.—M. C. Coggeshall, Calvary, Summit, under the Rev'd Walter O. Kinsolving.
Apr. 25.—Samuel W. Nichols, Christ Chapel, Harrison, under the Rev'd William J. Tilley.
Apr. 27.—Charles Crane, St. Mark's, Paterson, under the Rev'd Samuel A. Weikart.
Apr. 28.—Ralph T. Jefferson, St. Paul's, Newark, under the Rev'd Roland C. Ormsbee.

NOTICES OF DEPOSITION RECEIVED.*

A. D. 1916.

- May 16.—Lionel G. Morony, by the Bishop of Easton.
Oct. 4.—William George Avant, by the Bishop of East Carolina.
Dec. 15.—Edmund Clark Richards, by the Bishop of Pennsylvania.
Dec. 29.—Floyd Keeler, by the Bishop of Salina.
Dec. 30.—Robert H. Fairburn, by the Bishop of Western New York.

A. D. 1917.

- Mar. 5.—Albert L. Ott, by the Bishop of Chicago.
Mar. 26.—Hubert W. Wells, by the Bishop of Michigan.

*A number of notices state that the deposition was made for causes not affecting moral character.

NOTICES OF SENTENCE REMITTED.

A. D. 1916.

June 6.—Sentence of Deposition pronounced upon George Barbour Allen remitted and terminated this day by the Bishop of Sacramento.

July 1.—Sentence of Deposition pronounced upon Edmund Smith Middleton, October 25, 1912, remitted and terminated by the Bishop of New York.

Oct. 11.—Sentence of Deposition pronounced upon Harvey Kay Coleman remitted and terminated by the Bishop of Lexington.

Oct. 31.—Sentence of Deposition pronounced upon Edward Philip Green remitted and terminated by the Bishop of North Carolina.

A. D. 1917.

Feb. 21.—Sentence of Deposition pronounced upon C. W. Hollister, Ph.D., remitted and terminated by the Bishop of Ohio.

Apr. 21.—Sentence of Deposition pronounced upon F. Sandeman de Mattos, June 1, 1892, remitted by the Bishop Coadjutor of Colorado.

Confirmations

MAY 1, 1916, TO APRIL 30, 1917.

BY THE BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE.

Bayonne, Calvary, (one for Trinity).....	20
" St. John's	4
Bergenfield, St. John's.....	9
Bloomfield and Glen Ridge, Christ Church.....	40
Boonton, St. John's.....	22
East Orange, St. Agnes'.....	23
Englewood, St. Paul's.....	19
Fort Lee, Good Shepherd.....	13
Hackensack, Christ Church.....	47
Hackettstown, St. James'.....	5
Hamburgh, Good Shepherd.....	1
Hoboken, Holy Innocents'.....	24
" St. Paul's	18
Irvington, Trinity	31
Jersey City, Holy Cross	15
" " St. Paul's	14
" " St. Stephen's	54
Millburn, St. Stephen's.....	4
Montclair, (Upper), St. James'.....	22
Morristown, St. Peter's.....	36
Newark, House of Prayer.....	17
" St. Andrew's	13
" St. Barnabas'	53
" (Vailsburgh), St. George's.....	10
" St. James'	14
" St. John's, (2 for Belleville).....	25
" St. Mark's	20
" St. Mary Magdalene	4
" St. Paul's	22
" St. Philip's	12
" St. Stephen's	31
" St. Thomas', (second Confirmation in 1916).....	18
" Trinity	1
Newton, Christ Church.....	9
Norwood, Holy Communion.....	10
Nutley, Grace	33
Oradell, Annunciation	18
Orange, All Saints'	21
" Grace	63
" Epiphany	24
Passaic, St. John's.....	12
Paterson, Holy Communion.....	17
Phillipsburgh, St. Luke's.....	17
Rutherford, Grace	18

South Orange, Holy Communion	17
" " St. Andrew's	17
Stanhope, Christ Mission.....	6
Washington, St. Peter's.....	2
West Hoboken, St. John's.....	36
West Orange, Holy Innocents'.....	8
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Total number by Bishop Stearly	1,399
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Total number for the Diocese.....	2,388

BY THE BISHOP SUFFRAGAN.

Allendale, Epiphany	17
Arlington, Trinity	22
Bayonne, St. John's.....	7
" Trinity	13
Belleville, Christ Church.....	11
Bloomfield, Ascension	15
Boonton, St. John's.....	8
Cedar Grove, St. David's.....	12
Clifton, St. Peter's.....	34
Coytesville, St. Stephen's.....	10
Delawanna, St. Stephen's.....	11
Dover, St. John's.....	13
East Orange, Christ Church.....	10
" " St. Paul's	13
Edgewater, Mediator	8
Essex Falls, St. Peter's.....	7
Fairview, Nativity	1
Franklin, Mission	3
Grandview, Grace	3
Grantwood, Trinity	14
Haledon, St. Mary's.....	11
Hamburgh, Good Shepherd.....	11
Harrison, Christ Chapel.....	13
Hasbrouck Heights, St. John the Divine.....	13
Hawthorne, St. Clement's.....	10
Hoboken, Holy Innocents'.....	2
" Trinity	42
Hoboken, St. Bartholomew's.....	11
Jersey City, Ascension	32
" " (Greenville), Grace	15
" " (Van Vorst), Grace.....	16
" " St. John's	69
" " St. Mark's, (at St. Katharine's Home, 5).....	23
" " St. Mary's	71
" " St. Matthew's	93
Leonia, All Saints'.....	8
Little Falls, St. Agnes'.....	7
Livingston, St. Peter's.....	4
Lyndhurst, St. Thomas'.....	18
Maplewood, St. George's.....	23
Mendham, St. Mark's.....	1

Millburn, St. Stephen's.....	1
Montclair, St. John's.....	13
" St. Luke's	62
Montvale, St. Paul's.....	7
Morristown, Redeemer	19
Newark, Grace	31
" House of Prayer.....	1
" St. Alban's	16
" (Vailsburgh), St. George's.....	11
" St. John's	14
" St. Mary Magdalene	6
" St. Matthew's	11
" St. Paul's	14
" St. Stephen's	26
" St. Thomas'	19
" Trinity	28
Orange, St. Mark's.....	16
Passaic, St. George's.....	33
Paterson, St. Luke's	30
" St. Mark's	9
" St. Paul's	94
" Trinity	11
Pompton, Christ Church.....	18
Ralston, St. Anna's Home and St. Marguerite's.....	15
Ridgefield Park, St. Mary's.....	19
Ridgewood, Christ Church.....	19
Short Hills, Christ Church.....	1
Summit, Calvary	26
Town of Union, Grace.....	33
Vernon, St. Thomas'.....	2
West Orange, Holy Trinity.....	70
Woodridge, St. Paul's.....	6
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Bishop's Fund

FOR CHARITABLE AND DISCRETIONARY USE.

MAY 1, 1916, TO APRIL 30, 1917,

Christ Church, Hackensack.....	\$ 58.38
St. Luke's, Montclair.....	131.92
St. Peter's, Rossex Falls.....	19.37
Trinity, Hoboken.....	31.39
Grace, (Greenville), Jersey City.....	12.23
Grace, Rutherford.....	18.61
St. Paul's, Paterson.....	25.00
Christ Church, Bloomfield.....	56.42
Holy Trinity, Hillsdale.....	2.50
St. John's, Montclair.....	14.60
St. Andrew's, Newark.....	10.38
St. Paul's, East Orange.....	42.96
Mr. James Barber.....	500.00
Mrs. Alexander Luchars.....	10.00
Mrs. John F. Butterworth.....	10.00
Mr. A. F. R. Martin, (special).....	10.00
Mr. George Lee Stockett.....	2.00
Junior Auxiliary.....	3.97
St. James', Newark.....	9.18
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	\$968.91

The Fund, as in former years, has been almost wholly used for relief, and special charges in the Diocese.

DEVELOPMENT FUND.

This special Diocesan Fund was begun in February, 1916, and to it \$7,661 have been contributed, to be used by the Bishops to take advantage of opportunities to purchase land and church property, to encourage Mission Churches to diminish or pay debts, to give Missionaries and Missions aid at special times. The money has been used for advance work and with excellent results. The appeal for renewed and new subscriptions was not made in the Spring because of the General Pension Fund campaign. A more detailed report will go to subscribers, to whom the Bishops are very thankful.

THE SUNDAY SCHOOL ADVENT OFFERINGS, 1916.

Grace, Rutherford.....	\$ 25.00
Trinity, Irvington.....	6.00
St. Paul's, Paterson.....	26.63
Trinity, Paterson.....	11.01
St. Mark's, Paterson.....	10.00
Transfiguration, Woodcliff.....	4.00
Grace, Town of Union.....	25.00
Grace, Jersey City.....	5.75
St. George's, Passaic.....	7.06
St. John's, Boonton.....	6.23

Christ Chapel, Harrison.....	10.14
Atonement, Tenafly	9.27
St. Andrew's, Newark.....	10.00
Trinity, Hoboken	40.52
Trinity, Bayonne	5.00
Incarnation, Jersey City.....	5.00
St. Philip's, Newark.....	6.82
Grace, (Greenville), Jersey City.....	11.12
St. Stephen's, Millburn.....	5.00
Christ Church, Hackensack.....	11.64
St. Peter's, Rochelle Park.....	3.00
Calvary, Bayonne	5.00
Christ Church, Ridgewood.....	52.23
Christ Church, Newton.....	6.38
Redeemer, Morristown	15.00
Holy Trinity, West Orange.....	2.09
Christ Church, Short Hills.....	20.00
St. James', Hackettstown.....	4.05
Christ Mission, Stanhope.....	4.23
St. John's, Bayonne.....	2.83
St. John's, Passaic.....	11.85
Calvary, Summit	26.00
St. John's, Jersey City.....	40.59
Epiphany, Allendale	4.50
Annunciation, Oradell	2.12
Holy Innocents', West Orange.....	27.00
St. John's, Ramsey	3.00
St. John's, Montclair.....	15.26
St. Matthew's, Newark.....	5.02
Christ Church, Pompton.....	6.21
Trinity, Arlington	20.32
St. Paul's, Jersey City.....	10.00
St. John's, Newark	6.00
Holy Communion, South Orange.....	51.70
St. Peter's, Essex Fells.....	6.00
St. Bartholomew's, Hohokus	2.50
St. Mary's, Ridgefield Park.....	25.00
St. Peter's, Morristown	30.07
St. Peter's, Clifton	5.00
Grace, Newark	5.00
St. Paul's, Newark.....	3.00
Zion, Belvidere	1.00
St. Agnes', East Orange.....	9.77
St. Peter's, Washington	1.68
St. Luke's, Montclair	35.64
Grace, Westwood	1.50
St. Mary Magdalene, Newark.....	2.00
St. Mary's, Jersey City.....	15.83
Christ Church, Bloomfield.....	51.16
Calvary, Bayonne	8.12
Grace, Madison	14.00

Total Advent Offering.....	\$802.84
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Summary

RECEIVED FROM OTHER DIOCESES:	
Priests	16
ORDINATIONS:	
Priests*	7
Deacons†	8
	15
DECEASED:	
Priests	3
CLERGY TRANSFERRED:	
Priests	13
CLERGY CONNECTED WITH THE DIOCESE:	
Bishops	2
Priests	155
Deacons	8
	165
POSTULANTS (present number)	13
CANDIDATES FOR HOLY ORDERS	11
WARDENS APPOINTED	3
LAY READERS LICENSED	51
CLERGYMEN LICENSED	17
CORNERSTONES LAID	2
DEDICATIONS	3
ANNIVERSARIES	3
INSTITUTIONS	3
NOTICES OF DISCIPLINE RECEIVED	7
NOTICES OF RESTORATION RECEIVED	6
CONFIRMATIONS, MAY 1, 1916, TO APRIL 30, 1917	2,388

(Vide, Addendum before the Index.)

*Including one for the Bishop of the Missionary District of Arizona; also, one at the request of the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese of Colorado.

†Including one for the Bishop of West Texas; also, one for the Bishop of Long Island.

Reports of the Archdeacons

THE ARCHDEACONRY OF NEWARK.

To the Right Reverend Edwin S. Lines, D.D.

MY DEAR BISHOP:

The report this year, on the whole, is encouraging. While in one or two instances the evidence of progress is slight, in others it is considerable, and in some cases it is marked.

ST. AGNES', LITTLE FALLS. St. Agnes' is rejoicing in the possession of a rectory. A house and lot adjoining the church have been purchased, and the house has been remodeled and made very comfortable and satisfactory. This was accomplished by the aid of a gift of \$900 from the Church Extension Fund. The rectory is worth \$4,600; the value of the buildings of St. Agnes', including the church, is now \$9,000. The value of the real estate is \$1,000. Including Cedar Grove, there were 7 baptized and 17 confirmed during the past year; the number of communicants on the roll is 162. St. Agnes' gave for Diocesan Objects \$50 and for General Missions \$75. The average attendance at Morning Service was from 45-65; at Evening Service, from 20-35; at Sunday School, 45. The Rev'd Mr. McKay has held services also for the patients, nurses and doctors at the Essex County Hospital.

ST. DAVID'S, CEDAR GROVE. Services were begun in the new guild hall on Easter Sunday a year ago, and an Evening Service has been held regularly every Sunday since, with an average attendance of 45. The people are very happy, now that they have a building of their own, and are very regular in their attendance, and the Services are exceedingly hearty. The Rev'd Mr. McKay, who is in charge, has given them a celebration of the Holy Communion every third Sunday in the month, and, during Lent, every Sunday, with an average attendance of about 20. The average attendance at the Sunday School has been 20. The value of the guild hall is \$4,000, and of the real estate, \$900. The mortgages on the building and property amount to \$1,800. St David's paid for equipment, etc., \$217 during the year.

ST. JOHN'S, (WOODSIDE) NEWARK. This Parish has a church, parish house and rectory, which, with the real estate, are valued at about \$15,000, on which there is an indebtedness, including a note for \$400, of \$3,900. It gave \$130.60 to General Missions and \$405.83 for Diocesan Objects, which was a large amount considering the resources of St. John's, and the fact that it had the interest on \$3,900 to take care of, and that it paid out \$618.98 for repairs. The average attendance at the Morning Service was 92; at the Evening Service, 75; at the Sunday School, 85. There were 23 baptized and 23 confirmed, more than twice as many as in the previous year; the number of communicants is 306. This report, by the Rector, follows the new rule and runs from January 1, 1916, to December 31, 1916.

ST. PHILIP'S, NEWARK. St. Philip's has a church valued at \$7,700 and a very commodious rectory worth \$6,300, so that the total worth of the property is \$14,000. There is a mortgage of \$2,800 on the rectory, but no indebtedness on the church. The average attendance at the Morning Service was 110; at the Evening Service, 40; at the Sunday School, 75. The Sunday School is graded and particular attention is given to it by the Rector, the Rev'd Robert D. Brown. He is also deeply concerned

about the large number of his people who have recently come in from the South, and is trying to win them, wherever possible, to St. Philip's. There were 30 baptized and 20 confirmed; the number of communicants is 300. The Parish gave \$85 for Diocesan Objects and \$50 for General Missions.

ST. ALBAN'S, NEWARK. Mrs. Charles H. Skinner left a bequest of \$5,000 to the Church and it is probable that in the near future this will be applied to the paying off of the mortgage on the corner lots, which St. Alban's is holding for the future church. As the real estate is worth \$16,000, St. Alban's will then have a fine property valued at \$26,000, including the church and rectory. The Parish gave \$93.48 for Diocesan Objects and \$25 for General Missions, and paid \$175 for repairs. The average attendance at the Morning Service was 100; at the Evening Service, 72; at the Sunday School, 85. There were 12 baptized and 14 confirmed; the number of communicants is 220.

CHRIST CHURCH, NEWARK. This Parish, for several years the Pro-Cathedral, has a beautiful stone church, a rectory, and a fine parish house, the total value of which amounts to \$61,000, on which there is a mortgage of \$8,500, contracted for the building of the parish house and for necessary repairs on the rectory. But the property is in a section of the City, east of the Pennsylvania Depot, from which most of the old members have moved away. The work, therefore, is largely missionary, the population in the neighborhood being largely composed of Italians and colored people. The Rev'd Howard W. Gernand took charge about a year ago, and he is trying hard to get a hold upon the people around Christ Church by various agencies for old and young, making great use of the new and well-arranged parish house for the purpose. The average attendance at Morning Service was 56; at Evening Service, 45; at the Sunday School, 50. There were 10 baptized and 14 confirmed; the number of communicants is 150. Christ Church gave \$40 for General Missions and paid \$397.63 for repairs.

ST. GEORGE'S, (VAILSBURGH) NEWARK. Under the Rev'd Randall W. Conklin, who took charge about May 1st, 1916, the Mission has made progress during the past year. The Services and the Sunday School have been better attended and the people have taken great interest in the work. The Mission is hampered, however, for lack of a suitable building, and there is pressing need that such should be provided in some way. We are hoping that, with aid from the outside, something may be done about it in the near future. The average attendance at the Morning Service was 45; at the Evening Service, 55; at the Sunday School, 60. There were 8 baptized and 11 confirmed; the present number of communicants is 55.

ST. MARY MAGDALENE, (WENQUAHIC) NEWARK. After the Rev'd Mr. Bissell left, the Parish was without a regular Minister for some time and suffered in consequence, but later the Rev'd J. Fred Hamblin took charge and since then things have been looking up. There is no reason why this should not develop into a strong Parish, for it has a very satisfactory building, combining church and parish hall, which is well situated in a fine and rapidly growing residential district. St. Mary's has a church property valued at \$13,000, on which there is a mortgage of \$4,300. The average attendance at the Morning Service was 50; at the Evening Service, 40; and at the Sunday School, 48. There were 5 baptized and 10 confirmed; the number of communicants is 100.

INCARNATION, (AMPERE) EAST ORANGE. Things here are in fine shape. They have hearty Services, the music being well rendered by a very good vested choir, and there is great activity among both men and women of the congregation. They have been reducing their second mortgage of \$1,500 steadily, year by year, until now it is entirely paid off and all the indebtedness that remains is \$2,000 on a church property worth \$10,000. They gave \$36 to Diocesan Objects and \$63 to General Missions. The average attendance at the Morning Service was 50; at the Evening Service, 30; at

the Sunday School, 75. There were 11 baptized and 7 confirmed; the number of communicants is 110. It is gratifying to note that the Mission has relinquished \$50 of its former appropriation from the Board of Missions. The Incarnation has a remarkably earnest and devoted body of men in charge of its affairs, and they are constantly planning and working for its development.

TRINITY MISSION, MONTCLAIR. On Trinity Sunday, 1916, this was started as a Diocesan Mission for work among the colored people of Montclair. The attendance was 40, four of whom received Holy Communion. At the end of six months, the average attendance was 130, and it has been as high as 160, crowding every bit of available space in the room; at the celebration in February, the number who received had increased to 60. During July and August the offerings were \$20 per month; in December, they were \$60, and the Mission had \$312 in bank for a building fund. Moreover, it gave \$42 to General Missions, to the astonishment of the General Board, which did not know of its existence. By the efforts of the Rev'd Mr. Plaskett, who is in charge, a Sunday School has been started, which had 39 pupils in February, and various activities for the men and women have been organized. The room has been fitted up and furnished in a very Churchly way, several beautiful ornaments having been given by members of the congregation. Altogether, the progress has been phenomenal, and the outlook is so bright that we only wish we could continue to record it from year to year. But, recently, St. Luke's, Montclair, which has supported the Mission financially from the start, asked to have it transferred to St. Luke's, and after May 1st, 1917, it ceased to be a Diocesan Mission.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK B. CARTER,
Archdeacon of Newark.

THE ARCHDEACONRY OF JERSEY CITY.

To the Right Reverend Edwin S. Lines, D.D., Bishop of Newark.

I herewith submit my annual report of the work of the Archdeaconry of Jersey City.

Three meetings were held during the year, with a large attendance, with the manifestation of a deep interest in the missionary work of the Diocese. The Fall meeting was held in Grace Church, (Greenville) Jersey City, Rev'd H. R. Bennett, Rector. The Mid-Winter meeting was in St. Mary's, Jersey City, Rev'd Thomas A. Hyde, Rector. The Spring meeting was at Grantwood, in Trinity Church, the Rev'd M. F. Montgomery, Rector. The generous and bountiful hospitality and entertainment extended by the ladies of these parishes heightened the enjoyment of our meetings.

There are signs of decided progress in all our Mission Stations. The work being done is most encouraging.

St. MATTHEW's, JERSEY CITY, has relinquished all assistance from the Diocesan Board of Missions, and will, at this Convention, apply for admission as an organized Parish.

THE INCARNATION, JERSEY CITY, has moved from Harrison Avenue to its new home on Storms Avenue, where a very desirable and adequate building has been purchased. This property, formerly a Methodist Church, cost \$6,000, of which sum the Bishop's Church Extension Fund gave \$1,000; several of the Churches of the Jersey City Archdeaconry, \$600; and the people of the Mission, \$1,900. A mortgage of \$2,500, was placed on the property at the time of purchase—August, 1916. Since that time,

the Mission has paid the interest, and also reduced the mortgage to \$2,200. On May 1st the property adjoining the Mission was bought for \$2,275. This property has on it an eight-room house, which will be rented, it having been arranged to turn rentals into the Building and Loan Society to pay taxes, the current expenses, and to liquidate the mortgage. The Incarnation was the first Mission or Parish in the Diocese to pay its full apportionment for General Missions. Donations have been made to Christ Hospital, St. Katharine's Home, the New York Bible and Prayer Book Society, and the Colored Home for the Aged, at Irvington, N. J.

ST. JOHN'S, BAYONNE, an assisted Parish, shows a decided move for better things.

The work at BERGENFIELD and DUMONT has made steady progress under the wise and faithful leadership of the Rev'd R. W. Masters. It is proposed, in the near future, to move the Church building, located at Bergenfield, midway between the two villages, thus uniting the congregations. At present, Services at Dumont are held in the German Methodist Church. Mr. Masters is also conducting Services at Haworth, where we need and should have a Church building.

THE GOOD SHEPHERD, FORT LEE, has paid \$650 upon the debt of the parish house, thus reducing it by half. Three years ago this debt was \$2,100.

ST. STEPHEN'S, COYTESVILLE, has recently organized an active Men's Club. Nine hundred dollars has been raised towards the erection of a parish building. This Mission has taken on a new life, and the Rev'd Mr. Kirwan is to be greatly commended for his zeal.

ST. JAMES', RIDGEFIELD, and the work at MORSEMERE, are now looked after by the Rev'd A. H. Derby, who feels greatly encouraged at the new interest manifested. The village of Morsemeré is growing very fast and will soon be larger than Ridgefield. We must be prepared to meet the demand, when it comes, for more adequate ministrations of the Church.

ALL SAINTS', LEONIA, where Mr. Derby lives, has installed a pipe organ during the year, at a cost of \$1,600. New altar hangings have been made by the Altar Chapter. The mortgage on the parish house has been reduced from \$2,500 to \$2,100. The apportionment to General Missions has been paid in full. The Red Cross Society are using the parish house as a working centre.

TRINITY, GRANTWOOD, has made a wonderful advance in work during the year, under the wise and energetic leadership of the Rev'd M. F. Montgomery; \$300 has been paid on the mortgage of \$7,500. The Sunday School enrollment has increased 20 per cent. during the year. A heavy assessment will soon be levied for sewer and street improvements. It is too bad that the Diocese has not funds to aid our Missions when these extra expenses are laid upon them.

ST. MART'S, RIDGEFIELD PARK, has been greatly improved by the redecorating of the interior of the church, and a coat of waterproofing applied to the exterior. This Mission has met its full apportionment to General Missions; has reduced its mortgage from \$2,750 to \$2,250. The Women's Guild has given a chancel window, at the cost of \$100. A baptismal ewer, communion cruets, and a brass alms-basin have been added to the chancel furnishings. The Christmas offering was \$110.38; at Easter, \$140. One hundred and twenty-six received their Easter Communion. On Sexagesima Sunday, Mr. Frank C. Morrell was ordained to the Diaconate, in the Mission Chapel.

CHRIST MISSION, WEST HENGLWOOD, still retains the services of the Rev'd Carl Stridsberg. Services are held Sunday afternoons at four o'clock. During Lent, a weekly Service was held on Wednesday evenings. On Christmas and Easter mornings celebrations of the Holy Communion were held at nine o'clock. There is a most efficient Women's Guild and Altar Chapter. Three new windows were placed in the

church last October, and recently an altar cross and eucharistic lights were donated. The room below the church, called "The Community Room," is true to its name. Here the Civic Association, as well as many other organizations of local interest, hold their meetings.

St. John's, Northhoff, a parochial Mission of St. Paul's, Englewood, is doing a most excellent work; \$400 has recently been spent on repairs to the parish house.

St. Ann's, Jersey City, a Mission of St. Mark's, while working under the most discouraging circumstances, still maintains a Sunday Morning Service, but the chief work is among the children in the Sunday School, which is of vital importance.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT LARRIEU LONGLEY,
Archdeacon of Jersey City.

THE ARCHDEACONRY OF PATERSON.

To the Right Reverend Edwin S. Lines, D.D., Bishop of Newark:

I bring to you an encouraging report of the nineteen Missions in the Archdeaconry of Paterson.

The outlook is most heartening for Montvale, Hillisdale, Glen Rock, Hasbrouck Heights, Delawanna, Westwood, Wortendyke, and East Rutherford. In these Missions new life is evident and full of promise; while in the other and stronger Missions the pulse beat has deepened and steadied, and Church life grown in breadth and efficiency. There are, I regret to say, two exceptions—Westwood, which will shortly be without a clergyman, and Cragmere, where it has been decided to discontinue work for the present.

The following incomplete statistics are interesting and suggestive when compared with those of last year's report:

Number of Communicants, 2,065, against 1,883 last year.

Number confirmed in year just closed, 150, as against 139.

Number baptized in year closed, 133; (no figure in last year's report).

Average attendance on Sunday School, 1,171, as against 1,148.

Contributed by the people for self-support, \$16,418.00, against \$14,094.00.

Contributed for Diocesan Missions, \$506.00, against \$445.00.

Contributed for General Missions, \$528.00, against \$515.00.

Three Archdeaconry meetings have been held with gratifying results. The Lay Conference in the evening grows in popularity.

An effort is being made by the Archdeaconry to pay the annual rent (\$180) of a much needed community building in Montvale. Half has been pledged.

The Archdeacon preached six Tuesday nights in Woodridge after the resignation of Rev'd August Ahrens; eight times in other Missions; and has been in consultation fourteen times.

Respectfully submitted,

HENRY M. LADD,
Archdeacon of Paterson.

THE ARCHDEACONRY OF MORRISTOWN.

To the Right Reverend Edwin S. Lines, D.D., Bishop of Newark.

MY DEAR BISHOP:

I submit herewith a report of the Archdeaconry of Morristown, to which I was appointed in October, 1916. The removal of Archdeacon Sturges to Providence, R. I., was a decided loss to the Diocese, and especially to this Archdeaconry, where he had gained the friendship of its Clergy and had given large assistance through St. Peter's Parish to undertakings in the Archdeaconry.

It was felt that closer relations could be established among the Parishes and Missions if the Morristown Archdeaconry held its meetings separate from the Archdeaconry of Newark, and, beginning with the December meeting, this was undertaken. The results have amply justified the change, since our meetings are largely reviews and discussions of the work being done in each place, in which all have a personal interest.

Meetings have been held in Hackettstown, Dover, and Madison.

The reports submitted reflect encouraging information. The field covered is larger than all the rest of the Diocese, embracing the Counties of Morris, Sussex, and Warren, together with the town of Summit. In this large area we have nineteen Parishes and Missions, several of which are suburban, though the majority represent the rural work of the Church in the Diocese. Here, if anywhere, the country work is to be found.

The reports submitted represent, with one exception, written statements received from the Clergy. I have been able to visit all but seven of the churches thus far.

1. MORRIS COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S, CHATHAM. Rev'd William C. Patterson assumed charge July 1st, last, remaining until March 1st, 1917, when he resigned to accept a call to St. Margaret's Church, Staatsburgh, N. Y. Under his care much progress was made. A new parish house was completed at a cost of \$1,325, of which \$625 was raised by the Mission; the remaining \$700 was borrowed. The attendance at both Church Services and at Sunday School was more than doubled; a Girls' Friendly Society and a Boy Scout Troop were organized. Mr. Patterson's going was a great loss to the church. Since March, the Services have been provided for by the Bishop. Rev'd Mr. Mori, of Madison, has prepared the confirmation class in St. Paul's in addition to his own duties at Grace Church. It is hoped that a resident clergyman may soon be found for Chatham, so that the good beginning made will not be lost and the people become discouraged. It would seem that here will soon be a self-supporting Mission.

ALL SAINTS', MILLINGTON. Rev'd Charles B. Scovill resigned his work at All Saints' in April, and from that time to October the work was in charge of Mr. Charles S. Armstrong, a student from the General Seminary, various clergymen coming from time to time to celebrate the Holy Communion. Rev'd August Ahrens was appointed Minister in charge, October 16th, and with his coming regular services were again resumed. Satisfactory increases in both the Sunday School and Church attendance have been noticed. At Easter, several memorials were placed in the church, and the Easter offering (\$208) was applied to the mortgage on the rectory, reducing the amount to \$1,900. There are branches of the Woman's Auxiliary and of the All Saints' Guild. A new organ for the church has been purchased at a cost of \$300. Contributions for the first time were made to St. Barnabas' Hospital and to the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund. The sum of \$50 was also sent to the Pension Fund. The

finances of the church are in good condition; the work is self-supporting and able to meet all obligations. The church grounds have been much improved by an attractive hedge which surrounds the entire property.

ST. PAUL'S, BUTLER. The work has been under the care of Rev'd D. H. Quinn, and it is my regret that I have not been able to visit this place.

TOWACO. Here the Rev'd Mr. Wilson, the Rector of St. John's, Boonton, has ministered to the Church people, and with such success that it is hoped that some one may be secured to take charge of the Sunday Services for him. Mr. Wilson also cares for our people at Mountain Lakes.

ST. PETER'S, MT. ARLINGTON. Services have been maintained here under the direction of the Rector of St. John's, Dover, as was the case last year. This arrangement has proved satisfactory. During the year, the church has been thoroughly repaired and a guild room partitioned off, through the generosity of a layman of the Diocese. The Winter residents find much comfort in the Services at St. Peter's.

KENVIL. Until March of this year the social and religious work among the employees of the Hercules Powder Company, at Kenvil, was under the direction of Rev'd Mr. Howe, of St. John's, Dover. In this he was assisted by the local committee of the Social Service Commission. For some months, Rev'd Allen D. Jennings, and later, Rev'd John W. R. Hertridge, was in residence at the Powder Plant, where he was able to minister to a large number of the men employed. A Sunday evening Service was regularly held, and with good results. In March, because of changes in the number of men at the camp and also on account of other causes, it was deemed advisable to discontinue the resident worker. The Sunday Services, however, will continue, Mr. Howe securing the assistance of other ministers in the community.

ST. MARK'S, MENDHAM. In addition to the regular work at St. Mark's, improvements were made on the rectory; new floors, a new roof and exterior painting. A steam-heating plant has also been placed in the church, and plans are on foot for painting the church. Additional insurance has been taken on the rectory. St. Mark's is very fortunate in that Col. E. A. Stevens has been appointed its Warden during the past month. Rev'd Mr. Lau has identified himself with the community activities in a helpful way, being Chairman of the Agricultural Community Center, Scout Master, and an officer in the Infantry Company. St. Mark's is self-supporting and more than meets its missionary apportionment under Mr. Lau's leadership.

STATE HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE. Here regular Services once a month are held by Rev'd Harold E. Sawyer, Curate at the Church of the Redeemer; while on the first Thursday of each month the Archdeacon has celebrated the Holy Communion. In addition to this, weekly visits have been made to the County Tuberculosis Home by Mr. Sawyer, where his ministrations afford comfort to sick and lonely people.

2. WARREN COUNTY.

ZION, BELVIDERE; ST. LUKE'S, HOPE; GRACE MISSION, SAREPTA; AND ST. JAMES' (KNOWLTON), DELAWARE; represent the churches under the care of Rev'd Franklin G. Faber, who assumed charge during the past summer. At Belvidere there is an urgent need for a parish house, not alone for the needs of the Church people, but for the community as well. There is no suitable community center here for young people, and it will be the chief aim of the Archdeaconry to help secure one. At a Parish meeting the people went on record for a parish house, undertaking to raise \$500 for this, in addition to paying the interest on a loan for \$2,000; the Archdeaconry has pledged \$500, and the Bishops and Board of Missions have agreed to give \$1,000 through the Church Extension Fund. It is felt that \$4,000 will be sufficient to erect the building. Ample land is already in possession of the Parish.

St. LUKE's, HORN, celebrates its 85th anniversary this year. There are only a few communicants here, being widely scattered over the farming districts. In spite of rough roads in Winter, Mr. Faber has kept the work going, and here, as elsewhere, made for himself many friends among the people of the community, responding to many calls from those not of our own Church.

At SANNITA, a large Sunday School has been gathered, and the people welcome what is being done for them, though most of them are of other communions. Church Services are also held as occasion permits.

St. JAMES', (KNOWLTON) DELAWARE, lost, through death, one of its most faithful workers, Mr. William Hartung. Here the work has also been regularly carried on.

Mr. Faber has discovered two townships lying along the Delaware River, about twenty-five miles distant from Belvidere, where the people are entirely without any religious ministrations. Here conditions are far from attractive, chiefly because of this lack. The school houses are available for use, and a request has come for a Sunday School. We trust that some way can be found to serve these people.

St. PETER's, WASHINGTON. Rev'd Mr. Young has added to his regular duties by visits to the neighboring towns to minister to the Church people scattered about. He has also taken an active part in the Red Cross work, being Chairman for that section of the county. Funds are being raised for a new roof for the church, \$60 of which has been secured. In spite of the closing of several of the factories, the offerings have been encouraging.

St. JAMES', HACKBERRYTOWN. Rev'd Mr. Mitcham reports a good year. The church property has been put in good repair at a cost of \$1,100, of which all but \$400 has been subscribed. Plans are also under way for repairing and enlarging the parish house, which, when completed, will leave the Mission well equipped for service. Several memorials were placed in the church, and the endowment fund has been increased to \$2,750. Mr. Mitcham has also rendered service to the community as a member of the School Board and as Vice-Chairman of the Red Cross Chapter.

CHRIST MISSION, STANHOPE, where we have a few faithful people, has shown an increased interest and attendance at the Services during the year, to the encouragement of the Clergyman in charge.

St. LUKE's, PHILLIPSBURGH, during the Winter was much inconvenienced by the failure of the heating plant. The cost for repairs was \$185, of which the larger part has been paid. Services were held in the parish house. The people of St. Luke's are for the first time in many years meeting all financial obligations to the Diocese and to the Board of General Missions. The Parish note for \$300, contracted seven years ago, has been reduced to \$100. The church is poorly located, being away from the homes of the people and surrounded by factories. Mr. Wilkins, however, finds encouragement in the fact that this Easter more people received Holy Communion than during any year for the past six years. Services have frequently been held in the factories at the noon hour by Mr. Wilkins.

3. SUSSEX COUNTY.

St. THOMAS', VERNON, has shown signs of renewed life. The little parish house has contributed much to the community life; almost all public meetings being held there, and it is the center of the community life. The congregations have increased; several are to be confirmed, and a number have been baptized.

FRANKLIN. During the year a new Mission was started here. About sixty Church people were gathered together and services started. Ground sufficient for a building has been secured and funds for a church are being raised.

THE GOOD SHEPHERD, HAMBURG, has had a good year. All of the debt (\$2,100) on the parish house has been removed, and additional improvements made. An electric lighting plant for the church and parish house has been installed, while the basement of the parish house has been made into a Sunday School and club room at a cost of less than \$1,000, of which \$500 remains to be paid; \$50 has been deducted from the amount heretofore given by the Board of Missions in order that this sum may go to the Pension Fund.

The work done in these Missions reflects the untiring efforts of Rev'd Mr. Cook. There might well be associated with him a regular assistant, inasmuch as the work is rapidly growing, and the Church is making for itself an enviable reputation for service to the people of this section of the County.

We welcome the thought that the Diocese is to give greater attention to the work in this Archdeaconry, and especially to its country work. The reports from those places having parish houses show how helpful these can be to the Minister in charge and to his people, and should stimulate us to seek for better equipment everywhere, and also a larger working force. We trust that the Diocese will help us to realize its vision of a better country work.

BARRETT P. TYLER,
Archdeacon of Morristown.

Appendix II

PAROCHIAL AND MISSIONARY REPORTS.

STATISTICS AND FINANCIAL EXHIBITS ARE FROM MAY 1, 1916, TO APRIL 30, 1917,
UNLESS OTHERWISE NOTED.

*Indicates estimated number; "x" means unknown or unreported.

Epiphany

Allendale

Bergen Co.

The Rev'd James W. Jackson, *Missionary*; Edward G. Washburne, *Warden*; Charles L. Weyand, *Clerk*; William C. Lee, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 4; total, 4; confirmed, 16; marriages, 5; burials, 9; baptized persons, 268. Communicants: last reported, 161; present number, 170. Services: Sundays, 104; Holy Days, 5; other days, 8; total, 117. Holy Communion: Sundays, 14; Holy Days, 5; other days, 2; total, 21; private communions, 1. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 14; pupils, 70. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 6. Parish societies, 3; number of members, 164.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$115.69; total for Parish Support, \$1,818.87; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$50.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$243.15; total Receipts, \$2,227.71; Sum Total, \$2,227.71.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,315.92; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$372.39; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$118.39; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$217.20; total of Expenditures, \$2,023.90; amount of Balances, \$203.81; Sum Total, \$2,227.71.

TRINITY

Arlington

Hudson Co.

The Rev'd Warren V. H. Filkins, *Rector*; Hubert Schott, *Lawrence J. Y. Ferris, Wardens*; E. A. Wells, *Clerk*; Howard E. Conover, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 21; adult, 1; total, 22; confirmed, 22; marriages, 6; burials, 13; baptized persons, 830. Communicants: last reported, 491; present number, 507. Services: Sundays, 102; Holy Days, 12; other days, 112; total, 226. Holy Communion: Sundays, 70; Holy Days, 20; other days, 10; total, 100; private communions, 9. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 21; pupils, 224. Parish societies, 7; number of members, 181.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$4,367.57; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$781.21; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$700.39; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$329.57; total Receipts, \$6,118.74; Sum Total, \$6,118.74.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,756.18; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,217.92; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$521.54; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$205.85; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$125.91; total of Expenditures, \$5,827.40; amount of Balances, \$291.34; Sum Total, \$6,118.74.

CALVARY**(Pamrapo) Bayonne****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd Gilbert L. Pennock, *Rector*; Elbert Scofield, Frederic E. Chamberlin, *Wardens*; Charles G. Albrecht, *Clerk*; H. N. Witherspoon, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 26; adults, 5; total, 31; confirmed, 19; marriages, 11; burials, 19; baptized persons, 927. Communicants: last reported, 522; present number, 526. Services: Sundays, 98; Holy Days, π ; other days, 22; total, 120. Holy Communion: Sundays, 66; Holy Days, 13; other days, 6; total, 85; private communions, 14. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 25; pupils, 255. Parish societies, 7; number of members, 199.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$630.19; total for Parish Support, \$2,481.00; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$880.50; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$241.55; total Receipts, \$4,241.24; Sum Total, \$4,241.24.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,927.97; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$999.94; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$108.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$7.53; total of Expenditures, \$4,043.44; amount of Balances, \$197.80; Sum Total, \$4,241.24.

REMARKS—During the year \$550 has been paid on the mortgage on the church. The property adjoining the church, on Avenue C, has been secured as a rectory at a favorable price—\$6,000 for fifty feet of land and an eight-room house, the value of the property estimated at \$7,500.

ST. JOHN'S**Bayonne****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd Samuel McKibbin, *Rector*; George H. Mettam, Herbert Wilson, *Wardens*; L. M. Vreeland, *Clerk*; George H. Mettam, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 2; adults, 4; total, 6; confirmed, 11; marriages, 5; burials, 6; baptized persons, π . Communicants: last reported, 143; present number, 149. Services: Sundays, 146; Holy Days, π ; other days, 39; total, 185. Holy Communion: Sundays, 68; Holy Days, π ; other days, π ; total, 68; private communions, 4. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 4; pupils 43. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 40.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$361.27; total for Parish Support, \$2,601.97; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$11.48; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$115.82; total Receipts, \$3,090.54; Sum Total, \$3,090.54.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,345.87; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$272.64; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$175.45; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$50.30; total of Expenditures, \$2,844.26; amount of Balances, \$246.28; Sum Total, \$3,090.54.

TRINITY**(Bergen Point) Bayonne****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd Albert L. Longley, *Rector*; Edward W. Humphreys, Henry C. Coles, *Wardens*; Frank Hallberg, *Clerk*; Addison J. Gallen, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 17; adults, 3; total, 20; confirmed, 14; marriages, 15; burials, 12; baptized persons, 970. Communicants: last reported, 488; present number, 508. Services: Sundays, 161; Holy Days, 60; other days, 24; total, 245. Holy Communion: Sundays, 67; Holy Days, 33; other days, π ; total, 100; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 7; teachers, 16; pupils, 134. Parish societies, 7; number of members, 266.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$80.53; total for Parish Support, \$5,560.73; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$671.97; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$916.80; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$487.10; total Receipts, \$7,717.13; Sum Total, \$7,717.13.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$5,248.86; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$477.12; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$645.27; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$316.12; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$487.00; total of Expenditures, \$7,174.37; amount of Balances, \$542.76; Sum Total, \$7,717.13.

REMARKS—The Woman's Auxiliary have built a log cabin, and furnished the same, at Arden, N. C., for Christ School. Also, paid the salary of the Domestic Science teacher in the same school.

CHRIST CHURCH

Belleville

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Charles W. Popham, *Rector*; Joseph R. Kingland, William A. Moore, *Wardens*; Norman Peters, *Clerk*; Joseph R. Kingland, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM APRIL 1, 1916, TO MARCH 31, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 23; adults, 4; total, 27; confirmed, 11; marriages, 14; burials, 18; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 246; present number, 240. Services: Sundays, 138; Holy Days, 29; other days, 58; total, 225. Holy Communion: Sundays, 48; Holy Days, 29; other days, *s.* total, 77; private communions, 8. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 20; pupils, 260. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 14. Parish societies, 8; number of members, 293.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$2,656.84; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$23.29; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,370.82; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$252.82; total Receipts, \$4,303.77; amount of Deficits, \$318.08; Sum Total, \$4,621.85.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,665.09; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$397.49; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,214.48; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$175.79; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$169.00; total of Expenditures, \$4,621.85; Sum Total, \$4,621.85.

ZION

Belvidere

Warren Co.

The Rev'd Franklin G. Faber, *Minister in charge*; Thomas Paine, Edwin Buckley, *Wardens*; William Anderson, *Clerk*; George Boardman, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 3; total, 3; burial, 1; baptized persons, 65. Communicants: last reported, 35; present number, 30. Services: Sundays, 52; Holy Days, 7; other days, 24; total, 83. Holy Communion: Sundays, 5; other days, 3; total, 8; private communions, 1. Sunday School: officer, 1; teachers, 8; pupils, 10. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 26.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$427.13; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$22.41; total Receipts, \$449.54; Sum Total, \$449.54.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$370.34; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$7.60; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$18.27; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$22.41; total of Expenditures, \$418.62; amount of Balances, \$30.92; Sum Total, \$449.54.

GRACE MISSION, SAREPTA. The Rev'd Franklin G. Faber, *Minister in charge*. Burial, 1; baptized persons, 35. Services: Sundays, 42; other days, 5. Services are held in the school house.

St. John's**Bergenfield****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Raymond W. Masters, *Missionary*; Josiah H. Hedden, *Warden*; John T. Green, *Clerk*; William I. Gourlay, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 6; total, 6; confirmed, 9; marriages, 3; baptized persons, *x*. Communicants: last reported, 156; present number, 165. Services: Sundays, 52; Holy Days, *x*; other days, *x*; total, 104. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; Holy Days, 4; other days, *x*; total, 16. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 12; pupils, 96. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 46.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$8.60; total for Parish Support, \$1,164.03; total Receipts, \$1,172.63; Sum Total, \$1,172.63.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$734.72; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$350.00; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$5.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$44.00; total of Expenditures, \$1,133.72; amount of Balances, \$38.91; Sum Total, \$1,172.63.

ASCENSION**Bloomfield****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd William T. Lipton, *Rector*; John E. Wilde, Sherbrooke P. Bleeker, *Wardens*; Arthur W. Graham, *Clerk*; Louis A. Kimball, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 8; adults, 3; total, 11; confirmed, 15; marriages, 15; burials, 30; baptized persons, 330. Communicants: last reported, 134; present number, 137. Services: Sundays, 160; Holy Days, 14; other days, 18; total, 192. Holy Communion: Sundays, 75; Holy Days, 16; other days, *x*; total, 91; private communions, 15. Sunday School: officers, 18; teachers, 15; pupils, 110. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 93.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$464.74; total for Parish Support, \$2,698.03; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$998.39; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$571.02; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$442.69; total Receipts, \$5,174.87; Sum Total, \$5,174.87.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,030.04; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,522.01; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$283.69; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$184.72; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$281.00; total of Expenditures, \$4,301.46; amount of Balances, \$873.41; Sum Total, \$5,174.87.

CHRIST CHURCH**Bloomfield and Glen Ridge****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd Edwin A. White, D.C.I., *Rector*; the Rev'd Arthur L. Charles, and the Rev'd George G. Daland, *Assistant Ministers*; Thaddeus S. Genin, George W. Hulsart, *Wardens*; George W. Hulsart, *Clerk*; E. L. Heischmann, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 14; adults, 2; total, 16; confirmed, 40; marriages, 13; burials, 18; baptized persons, 1,200. Communicants: last reported, 890; present number, 900. Services: Sundays, 141; Holy Days, 28; other days, 40; total, 209. Holy Communion: Sundays, 108; Holy Days, 31; other days, 7; total, 146; private communions, 16. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 31; pupils, 232. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 83. Parish societies, 5; number of members, 252.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$14,440.99; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$18,214.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$2,317.73; total Receipts, \$34,972.72; Sum Total, \$34,972.72.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$11,512.76; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$19,030.95; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$584.67; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,123.18; total of Expenditures, \$32,251.56; amount of Balances, \$2,721.16; Sum Total, \$34,972.72.

REMARKS—A new parish house, 80 ft. by 90 ft., was completed in April, 1917.

ST. JOHN'S**Boonton****Morris Co.**

The Rev'd Henry B. Wilson, *Rector*; George Hessey, Frederick W. Lobbell, *Wardens*; R. F. Barnes, *Clerk*; F. W. Lobbell, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 24; adult, 1; total, 25; confirmed, 30; marriages, 9; burials, 12; baptized persons, 550. Communicants: last reported, 310; present number, 330. Services: Sundays, 160; Holy Days, 30; other days, 144; total, 334. Holy Communion: Sundays, 70; Holy Days, 30; other days, 52; total, 152; private communions, 5. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 12; pupils, 90. Parish societies, 5; number of members, 118.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$2,998.04; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$159.27; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,314.84; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$651.78; total Receipts, \$5,123.93; amount of Deficits, \$79.86; Sum Total, \$5,203.79.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,040.69; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,071.00; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$394.26; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$137.48; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$560.36; total of Expenditures, \$5,203.79; Sum Total, \$5,203.79.

REMARKS—A complete heating plant for the church and parish hall has been installed, and paid for by the ladies of the parish; also, a hardwood floor in the parish hall.

The services have been continued steadily at Towaco. The Club house purchased by the Board of Missions is being improved so as to become available as a temporary chapel to be known as the Church of the Transfiguration.

The Sunday School at Mountain Lakes is being continued with sessions in the Dutch Reformed church.

St. Paul's**Butler****Morris Co.**

The Rev'd Denham H. Quinn, (Ohio), *in charge*; R. Frank Trewecke, *Warden*; William Pierson, *Clerk*; John R. Piper, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 1; total, 1; marriage, 1; baptized persons, *24; Communicants: last reported, 52; present number, *24. Services: Sundays, 12; other days, 8; total, 20. Holy Communion: Sundays, 8; total, 8. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 5; pupils, 35. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 13.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$313.20; total Receipts, \$313.20; Sum Total, \$313.20.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$249.78; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$6.36; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$2.50; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$16.04; total of Expenditures, \$274.68; amount of Balances, \$38.52; Sum Total, \$313.20.

St. Paul's**Chatham****Morris Co.**

(In charge of the Archdeacon); Frank L. Moore, *Warden*; George H. Hogeman, *Clerk*; Fred W. Dusenbury, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 6; total, 6; marriage, 1; burial, 1; baptized persons, *100. Communicants: last reported, 42; present number, 49. Services: Sundays, 94; Holy Days, *x*; other days, 24; total, 118. Holy Communion: Sundays, *x*; Holy Days, *x*; other days, *x*; total, 47; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officer, 1; teachers, 4; pupils, *30. Parish societies, *x*; number of members, *x*.

FINANCIAL REPORT FROM NOVEMBER 27, 1915, TO NOVEMBER 30, 1916.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$86.54; total for Parish Support, \$2,458.81; total Receipts, \$2,545.35; Sum Total, \$2,545.35.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,029.02; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,323.89; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$45.20; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$37.84; total of Expenditures, \$2,435.95; amount of Balances, \$109.40; Sum Total, \$2,545.35.

St. Peter's**Clifton****Passaic Co.**

The Rev'd John G. Martin, *Missionary*; Albert D. Cheston, *Warden*; Walter F. Nutt, *Clerk*; Warren H. Bogart, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 12; adults, 4; total, 16; confirmed, 34; marriages, 7; burials, 13; baptized persons, *x*. Communicants: last reported, 193; present number, 224. Services: Sundays, 88; Holy Days, *x*; other days, 12; total, 100. Holy Communion: Sundays, 50; Holy Days, 15; other days, 6; total, 71; private communions, 1. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 18; pupils, 125. Parish societies, 6; number of members, 154.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$385.10; total for Parish Support, \$1,682.78; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$277.99; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$227.55; total Receipts, \$2,573.42; Sum Total, \$2,573.42.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,350.81; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$621.91; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$66.27; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$197.09; total of Expenditures, \$2,236.08; amount of Balances, \$337.34; Sum Total, \$2,573.42.

St. Stephen's**Coytesville****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Francis W. Kirwan, *in charge*; August M. Herrmann, *Warden*; William P. DeSaussure, *Clerk*; William J. Barry, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 1; total, 1; marriage, 1; burials, 6; baptized persons, 138. Communicants: last reported, 33; present number, 75. Services: Sundays, 73; Holy Days, 6; other days, 12; total, 91. Holy Communion: Sundays, 24; Holy Days, *x*; other days, *x*; total, 24; private communions, 12. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 6; pupils, 45. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 48.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$560.15; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$154.42; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$45.00; total Receipts, \$759.57; Sum Total, \$759.57.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$566.86; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$126.38; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$35.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$15.00; total of Expenditures, \$743.24; amount of Balances, \$16.33; Sum Total, \$759.57.

REMARKS—The parish house fund now amounts to \$892.34.

St. Stephen's **Delawanna** **Passaic Co.**

The Rev'd John G. Martin, *Missionary*; F. Engelbert Lillenthal, *Clerk*; Lewis L. Walters, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 2; adult, 1; total, 3; confirmed, 11; burials, 3; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 35; present number, 48. Services: Sundays, 42; Holy Days, 3; other days, 8; total, 53. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; Holy Days, 1; other days, *s.*; total, 13. Sunday School: officer, 1; teachers, 7; pupils, 59. Parish societies, 2; number of members, *s.*

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$125.51; total for Parish Support, \$710.46; total Receipts, \$835.97; Sum Total, \$835.97.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$420.21; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$159.55; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$61.13; total of Expenditures, \$640.89; amount of Balances, \$195.08; Sum Total, \$835.97.

ST. JAMES' **Delaware** **Warren Co.**

(See St. James', Knowlton.)

ST. JOHN'S **Dover** **Morris Co.**

The Rev'd Walter E. Howe, *Rector*; the Rev'd John F. Butterworth, D.D., *Rector Emeritus*; Richard P. Ward, Frederick W. Batten, *Wardens*; Frederick W. Batten, *Clerk*; M. Munson Searing, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 22; adults, 4; total, 26; confirmed, 13; marriages, 13; burials, 11; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 300; present number, 300. Services: Sundays, 90; Holy Days, 10; other days, 24; total, 124. Holy Communion: Sundays, 65; Holy Days, 26; other days, 15; total, 106; private communions, 6. Sunday School: officers, *s.*; teachers, *s.*; pupils, *s.* Bible Classes: teachers, *s.*; members, *s.* Parish societies, *s.*; number of members, *s.*

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, *s.*; total for Parish Support, *s.*; total for Special Parochial Purposes, *s.*; total for Parish Guilds, etc., *s.*; total for Purposes outside the Parish, *s.*; total Receipts, *s.*; amount of Deficits, *s.*; Sum Total, \$3,066.27.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,448.97; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$427.88; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$39.09; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$25.00; total of Expenditures, \$2,940.94; amount of Balances, \$125.33; Sum Total, \$3,066.27.

All Saints' **Dumont** **Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Raymond W. Masters, *Missionary*; Joseph L. Clucas, *Warden*; Alvah E. Reed, *Clerk*; William E. Cacy, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 2; total, 2; baptized persons, 152. Communicants: last reported, *90; present number, *90. Services: Sundays, *; Holy Days, *; other days, *; total, 52. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; Holy Days, 4; other days, *; total, 16. Sunday School: officer, 1; teachers, 6; pupils, 45. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 27.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$605.00; total Receipts, \$605.00; Sum Total, \$605.00.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$585.00; total of Expenditures, \$585.00; amount of Balances, \$20.00; Sum Total, \$605.00.

CHRIST CHURCH

East Orange

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Charles E. Hutchison, *Rector*; F. A. Pettit, DeWitt Cook, *Wardens*; William M. Farrar, *Clerk*; DeWitt Cook, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 3; adults, 11; total, 14; confirmed, 10; marriages, 5; burials, 11; baptized persons, 879. Communicants: last reported, *650; present number, 652. Services: Sundays, 181; Holy Days, 32; other days, 80; total, 293. Holy Communion: Sundays, 67; Holy Days, 27; other days, 56; total, 150; private communions, 17. Sunday School: officers, 6; teachers, 33; pupils, 207. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 23. Parish societies, 8; number of members, 323.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$1,579.54; total for Parish Support, \$11,609.70; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$9,717.45; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$301.21; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$1,780.27; total Receipts, \$24,988.17; Sum Total, \$24,988.17.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$10,335.99; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$10,230.90; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$260.27; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$775.15; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,864.16; total of Expenditures, \$23,466.47; amount of Balances, \$1,521.70; Sum Total, \$24,988.17.

REMARKS—At Easter, 1917, all of the mortgage remaining on the building of Christ Church was paid off, and the church was consecrated on May 6th by the Bishop.

The parish has now no indebtedness of any kind or description.

Incarnation

(Ampere) East Orange

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Carolus R. Webb, *Missionary*; Louis C. Geils, *Warden*; William Wyman, *Clerk*; Charles W. Startzman, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 11; total, 11; confirmed, 17; marriages, 3; burial, 1; baptized persons, 234. Communicants: last reported, 100; present number, 120. Services: Sundays, 90; Holy Days, 2; other days, 12; total, 104. Holy Communion: Sundays, 38; Holy Days, 4; other days, *; total, 42; private communions, 1. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 11; pupils, 103. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 3. Parish societies, 6; number of members, 165.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$1,497.92; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$1,792.73; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$66.70; total Receipts, \$3,357.35; Sum Total, \$3,357.35.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,399.18; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,700.00; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$51.22; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$66.70; total of Expenditures, \$3,217.10; amount of Balances, \$140.25; Sum Total, \$3,357.35.

ST. AGNES'**East Orange****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd Dwight W. Graham, *Rector*; Edward O. Stanley, William A. Robertson, *Wardens*; Francis F. Fenwick, *Clerk*; Wallace B. Griffin, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 18; adults, 4; total, 22; confirmed, 23; marriages, 7; burials, 9; baptized persons, 500. Communicants: last reported, 235; present number, 250. Services: Sundays, 170; Holy Days, 32; other days, 31; total, 233. Holy Communion: Sundays, 61; Holy Days, 14; other days, 15; total, 90; private communions, 9. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 16; pupils, 151. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 15. Parish societies, 7; number of members, 148.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$598.56; total for Parish Support, \$2,743.31; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$450.41; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$570.66; total Receipts, \$4,362.94; Sum Total, \$4,362.94.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,384.91; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$162.02; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$464.15; total of Expenditures, \$3,011.08; amount of Balances, \$1,351.86; Sum Total, \$4,362.94.

ST. PAUL'S**East Orange****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd William P. Taylor, *Rector*; Walter Kerr, Frederick R. Filch, *Wardens*; Walter Hampson, *Clerk*; John Nichols, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 20; adults, 3; total, 23; confirmed, 13; marriages, 11; burials, 17; baptized persons, 760. Communicants: last reported, *395; present number, *400. Services: Sundays, 154; Holy Days, *; other days, *; total, *. Holy Communion: Sundays, *; Holy Days, *; other days, *; total, *; private communions, 8. Sunday School: officers, 6; teachers, 19; pupils, 250. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, *. Parish societies, 7; number of members, *125.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$4,318.45; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$691.32; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$49.60; total Receipts, \$5,059.37; Sum Total, \$5,059.37.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$4,093.56; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$559.77; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$42.96; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$122.65; total of Expenditures, \$4,818.94; amount of Balances, \$240.43; Sum Total, \$5,059.37.

Grace Chapel**East Rutherford****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Percy C. Bissell, *Missionary*; Joseph Jackson, *Clerk*; James Whitton, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 9; adult, 1; total, 10; confirmed, 22; marriages, 9; burials, 9; baptized persons, 200. Communicants: last reported, 254; present number, 150. Services: Sundays, 124; Holy Days, 10; other days, 15; total, 149. Holy Communion: Sundays, 27; Holy Days, 8; other days, 2; total, 37; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 16; pupils, 160. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 68.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$290.33; total for Parish Support, \$797.88; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$284.50; total Receipts, \$1,372.71; Sum Total, \$1,372.71.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$814.89; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$254.97; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$29.45; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$35.64; total of Expenditures, \$1,134.95; amount of Balances, \$237.76; Sum Total, \$1,372.71.

MEDIATOR**Edgewater****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Francis W. Kirwan, *Rector*; George A. Carleton, J. Beverley Robinson, *Wardens*; Leo E. Buckley, *Clerk*; William J. Allison, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 17; total, 17; confirmed, 9; marriages, 8; burials, 16; baptized persons, 250. Communicants: last reported, 122; present number, 131. Services: Sundays, 104; Holy Days, 6; other days, 7; total, 117. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; Holy Days, *x*; other days, *x*; total, *x*; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, *x*; teachers, 13; pupils, 127. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 18. Parish societies, *x*; number of members, *x*.

RECEIPTS—Sum Total reported, \$1,606.97.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,698.94; total of Expenditures, \$1,698.94; Sum Total, \$1,698.94.

ST. PAUL'S**Englewood****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Fleming James, Ph.D., *Rector*; William E. Tillinghast, George W. Betts, *Wardens*; Arthur Lenasen, jr., *Clerk*; John L. Vanderbilt, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 35; adults, 2; total, 37; confirmed, 19; marriages, 14; burials, 34; baptized persons, 1,300. Communicants: last reported, 605; present number, 675. Services: Sundays, 160; Holy Days, 16; other days, 70; total, 246. Holy Communion: Sundays, 65; Holy Days, 23; other days, 35; total, 123. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 31; pupils, 233. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 17; Parish societies, 9; number of members, 308.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$473.58; total for Parish Support, \$13,159.84; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$26,368.68; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$2,071.17; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$3,228.45; total Receipts, \$45,301.72; Sum Total, \$45,301.72.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$11,280.09; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$26,486.18; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,469.68; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$838.16; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$3,144.39; total of Expenditures, \$43,218.50; amount of Balances, \$2,083.22; Sum Total, \$45,301.72.

Subjoined will be found report of St. John's, Nordhoff, a Chapel of St. Paul's.

St. John's Chapel**Nordhoff****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Fleming James, Ph.D., *Rector*; Benjamin F. Coyte, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Sunday School: teachers, 7; pupils, 61. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 26.

RECEIPTS—Sum Total, \$763.57.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$512.16; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$163.11; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$51.89; total of Extra-Diocesan

Expenditures, \$34.47; total of Expenditures, \$761.63; amount of Balances, \$1.94; Sum Total, \$763.57.

REMARKS—The unreported statistics are incorporated in the parochial report of St. Paul's Church, Englewood. The financial report of last year is repeated; various items are distributed under appropriate headings in the foregoing report.

ST. PETER'S**Essex Falls****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd David N. Kirby, *Rector*; A. Lawrence Peirson, Ottomar Block, *Wardens*; A. Lawrence Peirson, *Clerk*; Ottomar Block, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 9; total, 9; confirmed, 7; marriages, 4; burials, 10; baptized persons, 250. Communicants: last reported, 145; present number, 145. Services: Sundays, 92; Holy Days, 21; other days, 43; total, 156. Holy Communion: Sundays, 67; Holy Days, 29; other days, *s*; total, 96; private communions, 3. Sunday School: officers and teachers, 7; pupils, 66. Parish societies, 5; number of members, 97.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$295.58; total for Parish Support, \$4,188.17; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$502.32; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$553.42; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$996.20; total Receipts, \$6,535.69; Sum Total, \$6,535.69.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,959.16; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,553.69; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$553.42; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$236.40; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$889.83; total of Expenditures, \$6,212.50; amount of Balances, \$323.19; Sum Total, \$6,535.69.

Nativity**Fairview****Bergen Co.**

(In charge of the Archdeacon.) John W. Bell, *Warden*; Ralph B. Williamson, *Clerk*; John Jackson, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Confirmed, 1; marriage, 1; baptized persons, *35. Communicants: last reported, *30; present number, †30. Services: Sundays, 52; Holy Days, 4; other days, 6; total, 62. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; Holy Days, 4; other days, *s*; total, 16. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 2; pupils, *30. Parish societies, 1; number of members, 14.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$390.00; total Receipts, \$390.00; Sum Total reported, \$390.00.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$400.66; total of Expenditures, \$400.66; Sum Total reported, \$400.66.

Good Shepherd**Fort Lee****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Francis W. Kirwan, *Missionary*; Carl Richter, *Warden*; Lester Lang, *Clerk*; George F. Burdett, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 5; adults, 2; total, 7; confirmed, 13; marriages, 6; burials, 6; baptized persons, 250. Communicants: last reported, 136; present number, 132. Services: Sundays, 96; Holy Days, 7; other days, 6; total, 109. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; Holy Days, *s*; other days, *s*; total, *s*; private communions, *s*. Sunday School: officers, *s*; teachers, 9; pupils, 60. Parish societies, *s*; number of members, *s*.

RECEIPTS—Sum Total reported, \$498.36.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$572.40; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$22.20; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$25.00; total of Expenditures, \$619.60; Sum Total, \$619.60.

Holy Innocents'**Garfield****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd W. Gordon Bentley, *Rector*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 1; total, 1; marriage, 1; burial, 1; baptized persons, 142. Communicants: last reported, 75; present number, 78. Services: Sundays, 90; Holy Days, 2; total, 92. Holy Communion: Sundays, 13; total, 13; private communions, 1. Sunday School: officer, 1; teachers, 3; pupils, 20. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 19.

RECEIPTS—Sum Total reported, \$230.66.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$74.98; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$36.60; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$3.02; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$11.00; total of Expenditures, \$125.60; amount of Balances, \$105.06; Sum Total, \$230.66.

All Saints'**Glen Rock****Bergen Co.**

(In charge of the Archdeacon.) James G. Orr, *Clerk*; Francis E. Boyce, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptized persons, 85. Communicants: last reported, 46; present number, 45. Services: Sundays, 40; total, 40. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; total, 12; private communions, 1. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 4; pupils, 30. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 2.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$47.23; total for Parish Support, \$320.36; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$1,292.05; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$49.32; total Receipts, \$1,708.96; Sum Total, \$1,708.96.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$256.45; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,201.95; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$39.37; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$21.51; total of Expenditures, \$1,519.28; amount of Balances, \$189.68; Sum Total, \$1,708.96.

REMARKS—On March 3, 1917, a splendid triangular plot of ground was purchased for \$1,200.00, on which it is hoped to erect a church building.

Grace**Grandview****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Marshall F. Montgomery, *Missionary*; Philip Richards, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 2; total, 2; confirmed, 3; burials, 3; baptized persons, 2. Communicants: last reported, 43; present number, 40. Services: Sundays, 42; Holy Days, 2; other days, 8; total, 50. Holy Communion: Sundays, 10; Holy Days, 2; other days, 2; total, 12. Sunday School: officer, 1; teachers, 6; pupils, 60.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$408.80; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$1,000.00; total Receipts, \$1,408.80; Sum Total, \$1,408.80.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$408.80; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,000.00; total of Expenditures, \$1,408.80; Sum Total, \$1,408.80.

Trinity

Grantwood

Bergen Co.

The Rev'd Marshall F. Montgomery, *Missionary*; S. Wood McClave, *Warden*; William S. B. Dana, *Clerk*; George W. von Osthoff, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 8; adults, 3; total, 11; confirmed, 16; marriages, 8; burials, 6; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 163; present number, 175. Services: Sundays, 87; Holy Days, 8; other days, 5; total, 100. Holy Communion: Sundays, 45; Holy Days, 8; other days, 5; total, 66; private communions, 8. Sunday School: officer, 1; teachers, 8; pupils, 75.

FINANCIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$128.32; total for Parish Support, \$1,954.93; total Receipts, \$2,083.25; Sum Total, \$2,083.25.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,675.77; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$375.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$22.80; total of Expenditures, \$2,073.57; amount of Balances, \$9.68; Sum Total, \$2,083.25.

CHRIST CHURCH

Hackensack

Bergen Co.

The Rev'd Robert Blickensderfer, *Rector*; William J. Fisher, Arthur H. Kent, *Wardens*; Arthur H. Kent, *Clerk*; Wm. J. Fisher, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 35; adults, 8; total, 43; confirmed, 47; marriages, 13; burials, 25; baptized persons, 1,400. Communicants: last reported, 730; present number, 753. Services: Sundays, 98; Holy Days, 28; other days, *s.*; total, 126. Holy Communion: Sundays, 68; Holy Days, 33; other days, *s.*; total, 101; private communions, 7. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 26; pupils, 236. Parish societies, 10; number of members, 440.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$571.04; total for Parish Support, \$9,248.56; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$510.00; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$30.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$441.80; total Receipts, \$10,801.40; Sum Total, \$10,801.40.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$6,423.59; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$3,112.70; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$30.00; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$396.70; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$340.85; total of Expenditures, \$10,303.84; amount of Balances, \$497.56; Sum Total, \$10,801.40.

Subjoined will be found report of St. Peter's, Rochelle Park, a Chapel of Christ Church.

St. Peter's Chapel

Rochelle Park

Bergen Co.

The Rev'd Robert Blickensderfer, *Rector*; W. F. Nightingale, *Clerk*; John Matthews, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptized persons, 150. Communicants: last reported, 61; present number, 62. Services: Sundays, 12; total, 12. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; total, 12. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 6; pupils, 43. Parish societies, 1; number of members, 28.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$231.28; total Receipts, \$231.28; Sum Total, \$231.28.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$98.00; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$10.00; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$3.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$5.00; total of Expenditures, \$116.00; amount of Balances, \$115.28; Sum Total, \$231.28.

St. James'**Hackettstown****Warren Co.**

The Rev'd William M. Mitcham, *Priest-in-charge*; Frank Pickel, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 1; total, 1; confirmed, 5; marriage, 1; burials, 2; baptized persons, *120. Communicants: last reported, 90; present number, 92. Services: Sundays, 204; Holy Days and other days, 307; total, 511. Holy Communion: Sundays, 104; Holy Days and other days, 302; total, 406; private communions, 14. Sunday School: teachers, 4; pupils, 45.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$757.28; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$1,180.33; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$19.26; total Receipts, \$1,956.87; amount of Deficits, \$739.02; Sum Total, \$2,695.89.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$833.89; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,841.60; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$5.19; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$15.21; total of Expenditures, \$2,695.89; Sum Total, \$2,695.89.

ST. MARY'S**Haledon****Passaic Co.**

The Rev'd William H. Watts, *Rector*; Samuel Rogers, Maximillian C. Rickert, *Wardens*; Gustave Schmitt, *Clerk*; R. J. Mayer, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 5; adult, 1; total, 6; confirmed, 11; marriages, 3; burials, 5; baptized persons, 350. Communicants: last reported, 107; present number, 101. Services: Sundays, 152; Holy Days and other days, 30; total, 182. Holy Communion: Sundays, 59; Holy Days and other days, 15; total, 74; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 11; pupils, 117. Parish societies, 5; number of members, 98.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$362.93; total for Parish Support, \$2,812.86; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$35.27; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$184.57; total Receipts, \$3,395.63; Sum Total, \$3,395.63.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,093.15; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$746.31; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$38.27; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$81.25; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$148.10; total of Expenditures, \$3,107.08; amount of Balances, \$288.55; Sum Total, \$3,395.63.

REMARKS—The financial matters of the Sunday School are not handled by the Parish treasurer, but by the treasurer of the Sunday School.

Good Shepherd**Hamburgh****Sussex Co.**

The Rev'd Edgar L. Cook, *Missionary*; G. L. Lawrence, *Warden*; Thomas D. Edsall, *Clerk*; Harry Vanderhoff, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 7; adults, 8; total, 15; confirmed, 11; marriages, 5; burials, 7; baptized persons, 150. Communicants: last reported, 76; present number, 86. Services: Sundays, 92; Holy Days, 9; other days, 33; total, 134. Holy Commu-

ion: Sundays, 48; Holy Days, 18; other days, *s*; total, 66; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 6; pupils, 50. Parish societies, 5; number of members, 101.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$25.36; total for Parish Support, \$1,261.67; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$835.00; total Receipts, \$2,122.03; Sum Total, \$2,122.03.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,113.09; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$383.61; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$4.01; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$24.50; total of Expenditures, \$1,525.21; amount of Balances, \$596.82; Sum Total, \$2,122.03.

Christ Chapel**Harrison****Hudson Co.**

(See Trinity, Newark.)

St. John Divine**Hasbrouck Heights****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Carl A. H. Stridsberg, *Missionary*; George E. Pierce, *Warden*; Isaac B. Beale, *Clerk*; S. Stanley Vansant, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 5; adults, 3; total, 8; confirmed, 12; burials, 3; baptized persons, 391. Communicants: last reported, 188; present number, *200. Services: Sundays, *s*; Holy Days, *s*; other days, *s*; total, *s*. Holy Communion: Sundays, *s*; Holy Days, *s*; other days, *s*; total, *s*; private communions, *s*. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 8; pupils, 78. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 76.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$231.96; total for Parish Support, \$1,777.53; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$5.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$120.14; total Receipts, \$2,134.63; Sum Total, \$2,134.63.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,951.81; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$34.88; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$71.16; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$34.79; total of Expenditures, \$2,092.64; amount of Balances, \$41.99; Sum Total, \$2,134.63.

St. Clement's**Hawthorne****Passaic Co.**

The Rev'd William B. Mawhinney, *Minister in charge*; Allan MacFarlan, *Warden*; James Polhemus, *Clerk*; Ernest Burr, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 5; adult, 1; total, 6; confirmed, 10; marriages, 4; burials, 10; baptized persons, 150. Communicants: last reported, 125; present number, 130. Services: Sundays, 104; Holy Days and other days, 50; total, 154. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; total, 12. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 10; pupils, 84. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 15.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$444.06; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$105.74; total Receipts, \$549.80; Sum Total, \$549.80.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$411.84; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$80.22; total of Expenditures, \$492.06; amount of Balances, \$57.74; Sum Total, \$549.80.

Holy Trinity**Hillsdale****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Alfred R. McWilliams, *Missionary*; Jenner R. East, *Warden*; Charles R. Slater, *Clerk*; Hubert Austin, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 4; total, 4; marriage, 1; burials, 2; baptized persons, 150. Communicants: last reported, 61; present number, 60. Services: Sundays, 70; Holy Days, 3; other days, 14; total, 87. Holy Communion: Sundays, 18; Holy Days, 2; other days, π ; total, 20; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 7; teachers, 7; pupils, 70. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 91.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$38.73; total for Parish Support, \$739.74; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$20.70; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$84.85; total Receipts, \$884.02; Sum Total, \$884.02.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$637.46; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$9.26; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$95.71; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$22.60; total of Expenditures, \$765.03; amount of Balances, \$118.99; Sum Total, \$884.02.

HOLY INNOCENTS'**Hoboken****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd G. Ernest Magill, *Rector*; the Rev'd Harmon C. St. Clair, *Assistant Minister*; Harry J. Stone, *Clerk*; John H. Groule, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 34; adult, 1; total, 35; confirmed, 24; marriages, 17; burials, 16; baptized persons, *1,200. Communicants last reported, 510; present number, 526. Services: Sundays, 305; Holy Days, 132; other days, 880; total, 1,317. Holy Communion: Sundays, 156; Holy Days, 42; other days, 337; total, 535. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 12; pupils, 241. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 8. Parish societies, 9; number of members, 224.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$690.53; total for Parish Support, \$8,795.72; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$2,858.61; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$23.90; total Receipts, \$12,368.76; Sum Total, \$12,368.76.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$8,730.38; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$2,196.46; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$388.76; total of Expenditures, \$11,315.60; amount of Balances, \$1,053.16; Sum Total, \$12,368.76.

ST. PAUL'S**Hoboken****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd Waldo A. Amos, *Rector*; John H. Cuntz, Robert D. P. Mount, *Wardens*; Robert D. P. Mount, *Clerk*; Samuel F. Hartzel, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 32; adults, 2; total, 34; confirmed, 19; marriages, 33; burials, 29; baptized persons, 650. Communicants: last reported, 515; present number, 450. Services: Sundays, 92; Holy Days, 12; other days, 35; total, 139. Holy Communion: Sundays, 36; Holy Days, 9; other days, 5; total, 50; private communions, 7. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 14; pupils, 160. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 18. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 94.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$267.89; total for Parish Support, \$4,160.61; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$657.48; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$110.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$423.71; total Receipts, \$5,619.69; Sum Total, \$5,619.69.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,915.37; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$657.48; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$110.00; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$278.68; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$145.03; total of Expenditures, \$5,106.56; amount of Balances, \$513.13; Sum Total, \$5,619.69.

TRINITY**Hoboken****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd Malcolm A. Shipley, Jr., *Rector*; J. W. Rufus Besson, C. Alfred Burhorn, *Wardens*; J. W. Rufus Besson, *Clerk*; C. Alfred Burhorn, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 32; adults, 10; total, 42; confirmed, 43; marriages, 45; burials, 46; baptized persons, *1,500. Communicants: last reported, 725; present number, 674. Services: Sundays, 80; Holy Days, 15; other days, 80; total, 175. Holy Communion: Sundays, 70; Holy Days, 23; other days, 39; total, 132; private communions, 19. Sunday School: officers, 7; teachers, 30; pupils, 300. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 41. Parish societies, 7; number of members, 170.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$1,869.14; total for Parish Support, \$9,283.20; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$805.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$851.67; total Receipts, \$12,809.01; Sum Total, \$12,809.01.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$7,630.02; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$2,675.73; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$892.99; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$606.94; total of Expenditures, \$11,805.68; amount of Balances, \$1,003.33; Sum Total, \$12,809.01.

ST. BARTHOLOMEWS**Hoboken****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Robert J. Thomson, *Rector*; Frederick K. Trask, C. C. Bachmann, *Wardens*; S. Willson Richards, *Clerk*; John DeVore, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 8; adults, 6; total, 14; confirmed, 11; marriages, 3; burials, 8; baptized persons, *245. Communicants: last reported, 47; present number, 58. Services: Sundays, 83; Holy Days, 7; other days, 14; total, 104. Holy Communion: Sundays, 64; Holy Days, 14; other days, 1; total, 79; private communions, 6. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 5; pupils, 48. Parish societies, 6; number of members, 63.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$1,905.09; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$3,736.43; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,319.60; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$193.14; total Receipts, \$7,154.26; amount of Deficits, \$14.65; Sum Total, \$7,168.91.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,571.13; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$883.04; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$761.61; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$29.79; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$153.73; total of Expenditures, \$3,459.30; amount of Balances, \$3,709.61; Sum Total, \$7,168.91.

REMARKS—The Rector holds two celebrations of the Holy Communion each week, and conducts Evening Prayer, with sermon, on Sundays, in St. Andrew's Rest, Woodcliff Lake, N. J. This is a Convalescents' Home, conducted by the Sisters of the Community of St. John Baptist. St. Andrew's Rest is open during the summer months. Services in 1916: Evening Prayer and Sermon, 15; Holy Communion, 35; total, 50.

ST. LUKE'S

Hope

Warren Co.

The Rev'd Franklin G. Faber, *Minister in charge*; T. A. Seals, Isaac Wildrick, *Wardens*; T. A. Seals, *Clerk*; Louis Beatty, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Burials, 2; baptized persons, 18. Communicants: last reported, *11; present number, 11. Services: Sundays, 47; total, 47. Holy Communion: Sundays, 6; total, 6.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$72.00; total Receipts, \$72.00; Sum Total, \$72.00.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$10.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$5.00; total of Expenditures, \$15.00; amount of Balances, \$57.00; Sum Total, \$72.00.

TRINITY

Irvington

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Herbert W. Hopkins, *Rector*; Joseph D. Fredericks, Theodore Aldendorff, *Wardens*; Percy D. Creswick, *Clerk*; Joseph D. Fredericks, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 25; adult, 1; total, 26; confirmed, 40; marriages, 3; burials, 5; baptized persons, *350. Communicants: last reported, 171; present number, 198. Services: Sundays, 94; Holy Days, *; other days, 16; total, 110. Holy Communion: Sundays, 54; Holy Days, 6; other days, *; total, 60; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 11; pupils, 130. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 21. Parish societies, 3; number of members, 33.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$388.63; total for Parish Support, \$1,659.23; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$1,363.22; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$177.14; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$384.22; total Receipts, \$3,972.44; Sum Total, \$3,972.44.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,673.10; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,295.49; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$215.45; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$194.42; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$194.81; total of Expenditures, \$3,573.27; amount of Balances, \$399.17; Sum Total, \$3,972.44.

ASCENSION

Jersey City

Hudson Co.

The Rev'd Edward P. Hooper, *Rector*; Wm. Cameron Robinson, Frederick J. Ficke, *Wardens*; Alonzo F. Platt, *Clerk*; Wm. Cameron Robinson, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 30; adults, 4; total, 34; confirmed, 32; marriages, 30; burials, 27; baptized persons, *900. Communicants: last reported, 387; present number, 350. Services: Sundays, 158; Holy Days, 77; other days, 48; total, 283. Holy Communion: Sundays, 71; Holy Days, 37; other days, 4; total, 112; private communions, 3. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 16; pupils, 215. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 22. Parish societies, 7; number of members, 117.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$237.65; total for Parish Support, \$4,919.21; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$150.00; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$690.79; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$35.00; total Receipts, \$6,032.65; Sum Total, \$6,032.65.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,560.06; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$2,505.47; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$365.37; total of Diocesan Expendi-

tures, \$84.31; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$38.84; total of Expenditures, \$5,554.05; amount of Balances, \$478.60; Sum Total, \$6,032.65.

REMARKS—Extensive repairs and betterments on the church property and rectory have been made. A floating debt and all bills are practically paid.

GRACE (Greenville)**Jersey City****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd Hiram R. Bennett, *Rector*; B. W. Howell, Thomas A. Renwick, *Wardens*; Thomas A. Renwick, *Clerk*; Edward W. Waldeck, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 26; adult, 1; total, 27; confirmed, 15; marriages, 16; burials, 25; baptized persons, 2,000. Communicants: last reported, 425; present number, 450. Services: Sundays, 93; Holy Days, 77; other days, *s*; total, 170. Holy Communion: Sundays, 65; Holy Days, 29; other days, *s*; total, 94; private communions, 39. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 18; pupils, 200. Bible Classes: teacher 1; members, 20. Parish societies, 10; number of members, 220.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$4,362.80; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$375.41; total Receipts, \$4,738.21; Sum Total, \$4,738.21.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,370.89; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$665.62; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$185.92; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$189.49; total of Expenditures, \$4,411.92; amount of Balances, \$326.29; Sum Total, \$4,738.21.

GRACE (Van Vorst)**Jersey City****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd Pelham St. G. Biswell, *Rector*; Frederick H. Bennett, E. Wentworth Hodsdon, *Wardens*; Anton G. Christensen, *Clerk*; Charles H. Gardner, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 22; adults, 3; total, 25; confirmed, 16; marriages, 18; burials, 33; baptized persons, 750. Communicants: last reported, 461; present number (revised list), 384. Services: Sundays, 64; Holy Days, 11; other days, 7; total, 82. Holy Communion: Sundays, 57; Holy Days, 24; other days, *s*; total, 81; private communions, 42. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 18; pupils, 125. Parish societies, 12; number of members, 270.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$189.50; total for Parish Support, \$4,528.11; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$754.39; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,539.25; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$519.20; total Receipts, \$7,530.45; amount of Deficits, \$595.43; Sum Total, \$8,125.88.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$5,123.96; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$931.99; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,243.92; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$299.98; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$176.89; total of Expenditures, \$7,776.74; amount of Balances, \$349.14; Sum Total, \$8,125.88.

HOLY CROSS**Jersey City****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd ———, *Rector*; James B. F. Ransom, George J. Pickell, *Wardens*; Arthur C. Jellard, *Clerk*; James B. F. Ransom, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 15; total, 15; confirmed, 15; marriages, 4; burials, 7; baptized persons, *s*. Communicants: last reported, 207; present number, 215. Services: Sundays, 156; Holy Days, 40; other days, 120; total, 316. Holy

Communion: Sundays, 104; Holy Days, 40; other days, 25; total, 169; private communions, *x*. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 13; pupils, 75. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 57.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$2,232.41; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$3,395.31; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$122.24; total Receipts, \$5,749.96; Sum Total, \$5,749.96.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,667.29; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,833.41; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$197.28; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$87.47; total of Expenditures, \$4,785.45; amount of Balances, \$964.51; Sum Total, \$5,749.96.

Incarnation**Jersey City****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd Robert D. Brown, *Minister in charge*; Edwin B. Holden, *Warden*; M. H. Cole, *Clerk*; Charles Marshall, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 11; adult, 1; total, 12; marriage, 1; burials, 3; baptized persons, *x*. Communicants: last reported, 37; present number, 42. Services: Sundays, 67; Holy Days, 2; other days, 7; total, 76. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; Holy Days, 1; other days, *x* total, 13. Sunday School: officer, 1; teachers, 7; pupils, 50. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 75.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$1,609.44; total for Parish Support, \$1,193.88; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$115.18; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$396.14; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$78.31; total Receipts, \$3,392.95; amount of Deficits, \$212.10; Sum Total, \$3,605.05.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$291.02; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$2,880.38; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$330.19; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$36.08; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$67.38; total of Expenditures, \$3,605.05; Sum Total, \$3,605.05.

REMARKS—The financial seems to show a deficit. This is done to make the above column balance. The fact is, there is a balance instead of a deficit in the treasury.

ST. JOHN'S**Jersey City (Heights)****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd Warren L. Rogers, *Rector*; the Rev'd Edward L. Stoddard, Ph.D., *Rector Emeritus*; the Rev'd Edgar W. Anderson and the Rev'd Ray O. Miller, *Assistant Ministers*; George T. Smith, William G. Bumsted, *Wardens*; John Headden, *Clerk*; Henry Dimse, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 34; adults, 3; total, 37; confirmed, 69; marriages, 17; burials, 47; baptized persons, 2,693. Communicants: last reported, 1,994; present number, 1,895. Services: Sundays, 186; Holy Days, 6; other days, 95; total, 287. Holy Communion: Sundays, 66; Holy Days, 6; other days, *x*; total, 72; private communions, 9. Sunday School: officers, 9; teachers, 71; pupils, 528. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 87. Parish societies, 35; number of members, 1,406.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$1,669.61; total for Parish Support, \$23,912.96; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$4,481.50; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$4,745.87; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$6,920.81; total Receipts, \$41,730.75; amount of Deficits (counted twice), \$796.28; Sum Total, \$40,934.47.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$14,910.78; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$10,776.04; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,860.35; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,031.37; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$6,518.76; total of Expenditures, \$35,097.30; amount of Balances, \$5,837.17; Sum Total, \$40,934.47.

ST. MARK'S

Jersey City

Hudson Co.

The Rev'd Frederic E. Mortimer, *Rector*; the Rev'd Henri B. B. Le Ferre (Maine), *Curate*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 36; adults, 9; total, 45; confirmed, 30; marriages, 35; burials, 10; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 265; present number, 247. Services: Sundays, 166; Holy Days, 20; other days, 105; total, 291. Holy Communion: Sundays, 108; Holy Days, 40; other days, 492; total, 640; private communions, 22. Sunday School: officers, *s*; teachers, 14; pupils, 100. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 8. Parish societies, *s*; number of members, *s*.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$2,410.46; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$1,350.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$1,035.00; total Receipts, \$4,795.46; Sum Total, \$4,795.46.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,299.03; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$961.46; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$100.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$175.00; total of Expenditures, \$3,535.49; amount of Balances, \$1,259.97; Sum Total, \$4,795.46.

St. Agnes' Chapel

(Lafayette) Jersey City

Hudson Co.

The Rev'd Frederic E. Mortimer, *Rector*.

(Included in report of St. Mark's, Jersey City.)

ST. MARY'S

Jersey City

Hudson Co.

The Rev'd Thomas A. Hyde, *Rector*; Charles H. Heywood, Thomas H. Gardner, *Wardens*; Thomas H. Baker, *Clerk*; Charles H. Heywood, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 30; adults, 7; total, 37; confirmed, 34; marriages, 30; burials, 29; baptized persons, 830. Communicants: last reported, 499; present number, 527. Services: Sundays, 154; Holy Days, 15; other days, 43; total, 212. Holy Communion: Sundays, 69; Holy Days, 8; other days, 30; total, 107; private communions, *s.* Sunday School: officers, 6; teachers, 26; pupils, 249. Parish societies, 17; number of members, 320.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$483.15; total for Parish Support, \$5,058.90; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$6,596.83; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$927.91; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$462.09; total Receipts, \$13,528.88; Sum Total, \$13,528.88.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,944.57; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$6,630.15; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$906.82; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$235.42; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$317.38; total of Expenditures, \$12,034.34; amount of Balances, \$1,494.54; Sum Total, \$13,528.88.

ST. MATTHEW'S

Jersey City

Hudson Co.

The Rev'd William Martin, *Rector*; Andrew Munce, Otto Leasendale, *Wardens*; William Schirmer, *Clerk*; Joseph M. MacGuffie, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 74; adults, 7; total, 81; confirmed, 94; marriages, 18; burials, 36; baptized persons, *x*. Communicants: last reported, 250; present number, 402. Services: Sundays, 116; Holy Days, *x*; other days, 10; total, 126. Holy Communion: Sundays, 32; Holy Days, 3; other days, 5; total, 40; private communions, 15. Sunday School: officers, 7; teachers, 33; pupils, 445. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 62. Parish societies, 10; number of members, 498.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$6,676.06; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$126.23; total Receipts, \$6,802.29; Sum Total, \$6,802.29.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,364.16; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$3,474.05; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$32.62; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$26.00; total of Expenditures, \$5,896.83; amount of Balances, \$905.46; Sum Total, \$6,802.29.

ST. PAUL'S

Jersey City

Hudson Co.

The Rev'd S. Glover Dunseath, *Rector*; the Rev'd William P. Brush, *Rector Emeritus*; Charles E. Graff, Vreeland Tompkins, *Wardens*; Morgan Decker, *Clerk*; Henry Brown, Jr., *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 6; adult, 1; total, 7; confirmed, 14; marriages, 7; burials, 9; baptized persons, *550. Communicants: last reported, 322; present number, 333. Services: Sundays, 144; Holy Days, 11; other days, 16; total, 171. Holy Communion: Sundays, 64; Holy Days, 7; other days, 1; total, 72; private communions, 1. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 23; pupils, 180. Parish societies, 9; number of members, 215.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$980.22; total for Parish Support, \$10,398.57; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$225.00; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,057.05; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$1,508.38; total Receipts, \$14,169.22; Sum Total, \$14,169.22.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$6,593.08; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$4,563.26; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$736.02; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$603.41; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,087.38; total of Expenditures, \$13,583.15; amount of Balances, \$586.07; Sum Total, \$14,169.22.

ST. STEPHEN'S

Jersey City

Hudson Co.

The Rev'd Sidney E. Sweet, *Rector*; Henry J. Russell, Melvin R. Wilkin, *Wardens*; William Williamson, *Clerk*; Melvin R. Wilkin, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 77; adults, 5; total, 82; confirmed, 54; marriages, 26; burials, 40; baptized persons, *3,000. Communicants: last reported, 856; present number, 902. Services: Sundays, 158; Holy Days, 8; other days, 40; total, 206. Holy Communion: Sundays, 64; Holy Days, 8; other days, 2; total, 74; private communions, 30. Sunday School: officers, 18; teachers, 65; pupils, 638. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 65. Parish societies, 17; number of members, 572.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$5,422.90; total for Parish Support, \$4,068.47; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$7,067.65; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,482.19; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$1,253.88; total Receipts, \$19,295.09; Sum Total, \$19,295.09.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,852.08; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$6,654.75; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,380.24; total of Diocesan Expen-

ditures, \$412.95; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,224.48; total of Expenditures, \$13,524.50; amount of Balances, \$5,770.59; Sum Total, \$19,295.09.

REMARKS—We have erected a parish house; part of which is used for Church services.

ST. JAMES' (Knowlton) Delaware Warren Co.

The Rev'd Franklin G. Faber, *Minister in charge*; Charles J. Quig, Fred A. Cool, *Wardens*; Charles J. Quig, *Clerk and Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 1; total, 1; burial, 1; baptized persons, 45. Communicants: last reported, *28; present number, 28. Services: Sundays, 50; Holy Days, 3; other days, 8; total, 61. Holy Communion: Sundays, 6; total, 6. Sunday School: officer, 1; teachers, 3; pupils, 10. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 32.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$17.94; total for Parish Support, \$303.53; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$14.40; total Receipts, \$335.87; Sum Total, \$335.87.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$252.34; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$16.02; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$14.40; total of Expenditures, \$282.76; amount of Balances, \$53.11; Sum Total, \$335.87.

All Saints' Leonia Bergen Co.

The Rev'd Aubrey H. Derby, *Missionary*; H. F. Ahrens, *Warden*; Chester M. Whitney, *Clerk*; Walter A. Pauling, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 6; adults, 2; total, 8; confirmed, 8; marriages, 6; burials, 9; baptized persons, 321. Communicants: last reported, 168; present number, 179. Services: Sundays, 60; Holy Days, 12; other days, 14; total, 86. Holy Communion: Sundays, 24; Holy Days, 4; total, 28; private communions, 11. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 16; pupils, 106. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 8. Parish societies, 3; number of members, 96.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$75.08; total for Parish Support, \$1,533.40; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,003.66; total Receipts, \$2,612.14; Sum Total, \$2,612.14.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,338.78; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$121.45; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$774.34; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$45.09; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$50.00; total of Expenditures, \$2,329.66; amount of Balances, \$282.48; Sum Total, \$2,612.14.

St. Agnes' Little Falls Passaic Co.

The Rev'd Robert B. McKay, *Missionary*; Sheldon W. Hewins, *Warden*; Robert Cross, *Clerk*; Arthur Dorrington, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 6; adults, 5; total, 11; confirmed, 19; marriages, 8; burials, 9; baptized persons, 250. Communicants: last reported, 161; present number, 166. Services: Sundays, 144; Holy Days, 2; other days, 31; total, 177. Holy Communion: Sundays, 78; Holy Days, 14; other days, 5; total, 97; private communions, 9. Sunday School: (two), officers, 3; teachers, 10; pupils, 88. Parish societies, 8; number of members, 100.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$207.29; total for Parish Support, \$1,707.86; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$29.86; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$209.50; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$121.86; total Receipts, \$2,276.37; Sum Total, \$2,276.37.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,652.70; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$88.76; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$169.50; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$52.37; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$121.86; total of Expenditures, \$2,085.19; amount of Balances, \$191.18; Sum Total, \$2,276.37.

REMARKS—In addition to above report thirteen celebrations of the Holy Communion, and other services, were held at the Essex County Hospital at Overbrook; the choir of St. Agnes' singing at seven of these services.

The above report also includes the statistics of St. David's Mission, Cedar Grove—a work under the care of the Missionary of St. Agnes'.

St. Peter's**Livingston****Essex Co.**

(See St. Mark's, Orange.)

St. Thomas'**Lyndhurst****Bergen Co.**

(In charge of the Archdeacon.) Charles H. Clayton, *Clerk*; Allan R. Williamson, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 18; adult, 1; total, 19; confirmed, 18; marriages, 3; burials, 4; baptized persons, 652. Communicants: last reported, 220; present number, 270. Services: Sundays, 121; Holy Days, 4; other days, 7; total, 132. Holy Communion: Sundays, 23; Holy Days, 2; other days, *x*; total, 25. Sunday School: officers, *x*; teachers, 11; pupils, 103. Parish societies, 5; number of members, 75.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$317.58; total for Parish Support, \$783.64; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$2.25; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$516.23; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$43.83; total Receipts, \$1,663.53; Sum Total, \$1,663.53.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$531.24; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$105.00; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$400.26; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$61.34; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$45.48; total of Expenditures, \$1,143.32; amount of Balances, \$520.21; Sum Total, \$1,663.53.

GRACE**Madison****Morris Co.**

The Rev'd Victor W. Mori, *Rector*; W. Reginald Baker, Alfred G. Evans, *Wardens*; Henry G. Pilch, *Clerk*; John M. Kopper, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 20; adult, 1; total, 21; confirmed, 19; marriages, 4; burials, 4; baptized persons, 200. Communicants: last reported, 150; present number, 150. Services: Sundays, 148; Holy Days and other days, 63; total, 211. Holy Communion: Sundays, *x*; Holy Days, *x*; other days, *x*; total, 82; private communions, *x*. Sunday School: officers and teachers, 10; pupils, 90. Parish societies, *x*; number of members, *x*.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$5,662.11; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$1,020.27; total Receipts, \$6,682.38; Sum Total, \$6,682.38.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$4,555.87; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,020.27; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$346.51; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$600.00; total of Expenditures, \$6,522.65; amount of Balances, \$159.73; Sum Total, \$6,682.38.

ST. GEORGE'S

Maplewood

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Elmer Nelson Owen, *Rector*; Albert H. Baldwin, Edgar Zabriskie, *Wardens*; Edgar Zabriskie, *Clerk*; Albert H. Baldwin, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 21; adults, 2; total, 23; confirmed, 24; marriage, 1; burials, 7; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 310; present number, 340. Services: Sundays, 144; Holy Days, 21; other days, 17; total, 182. Holy Communion: Sundays, 50; Holy Days, 46; other days, *s.*; total, 96; private communions, 52. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 24; pupils, *s.* Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 15. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 155.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$2,057.25; total for Parish Support, \$4,999.36; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$4,178.87; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,365.96; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$978.00; total Receipts, \$13,579.44; Sum Total, \$13,579.44.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$4,625.50; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$109.03; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$449.97; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$580.95; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,424.00; total of Expenditures, \$7,189.45; amount of Balances, \$6,389.99; Sum Total, \$13,579.44.

St. Mark's

Mendham

Morris Co.

The Rev'd Robert F. Lau, *Missionary*; Edwin A. Stevens, *Warden*; Wesley S. Munger, *Clerk*; M. Lee Carley, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 3; adults, 2; total, 5; confirmed, 1; baptized persons, 100. Communicants: last reported, 56; present number, 56. Services: Sundays, 102; Holy Days, 8; other days, 8; total, 118. Holy Communion: Sundays, 104; Holy Days, 30; other days, 235; total, 369. Sunday School: teacher, 1; pupils, 14. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 5. Parish societies, 1; number of members, 6.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$2,038.50; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$225.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$69.52; total Receipts, \$2,333.02; Sum Total reported, \$2,333.02.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,795.70; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$656.84; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$50.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$18.52; total of Expenditures, \$2,521.06; Sum Total reported, \$2,521.06.

REMARKS—There was a small actual cash balance on May 1, 1917.

ST. STEPHEN'S

Millburn

Essex Co.

The Rev'd James W. Van Ingen, *Rector*; Joshua P. Benedict, Wm. Rollinson Whittingham, *Wardens*; Edward B. Camp, *Clerk*; Irving F. Livingston, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 3; adult, 1; total, 4; confirmed, 4; marriages, 2; burials, 11; baptized persons, 297. Communicants: last reported, 150; present number, 150. Services: Sundays, 104; Holy Days, 10; other days, 30; total, 144. Holy Communion: Sundays, 64; Holy Days, 10; other days, 10; total, 84; private communion, 1. Sunday School: officer, 1; teachers, 3; pupils, 40. Parish societies, 3; number of members, 44.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$2,522.11; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$199.72; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$66.30; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$268.12; total Receipts, \$3,056.25; Sum Total, \$3,056.25.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,078.96; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$98.43; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$179.01; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$217.56; total of Expenditures, \$2,573.96; amount of Balances, \$482.29; Sum Total, \$3,056.25.

All Saints'

Millington

Morris Co.

The Rev'd August Ahrens, *Missionary*; James E. Bathgate, jr., *Warden*; George Howes Whittle, *Clerk*; Duane H. Nash, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM OCTOBER 16, 1916, TO APRIL 30, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 5; adults, 2; total, 7; burials, 5; baptized persons, 105. Communicants: last reported, *39; present number, 73. Services: Sundays, 75; Holy Days, 17; other days, 22; total, 114. Holy Communion: Sundays, 36; Holy Days, 13; other days, *; total, 50; private communions, 1. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 4; pupils, 38. Parish societies, 1; number of members, 15.

FINANCIAL REPORT FROM MAY 1, 1916, TO APRIL 30, 1917.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$118.58; total for Parish Support, \$1,385.43; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$200.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$50.00; total Receipts, \$1,754.01; Sum Total, \$1,754.01.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,156.01; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$369.43; total of Expenditures, \$1,525.44; amount of Balances, \$228.57; Sum Total, \$1,754.01.

REMARKS—A new organ has been purchased, and at Easter, 1917, the rectory mortgage was reduced \$200.00.

ST. JAMES'

Montclair (Upper)

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Robert W. Trenbath, *Rector*; Alexander Luchars, Charles Bull, *Wardens*; Franklin M. Elms, *Clerk*; Henry R. Kent, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 28; total, 28; confirmed, 22; marriages, 2; burials, 12; baptized persons, 825. Communicants: last reported, 415; present number, 451. Services: Sundays, 196; Holy Days, 38; other days, 97; total, 331. Holy Communion: Sundays, 67; Holy Days, 32; other days, 53; total, 152; private communions, 6. Sunday School: officers, 6; teachers, 28; pupils, 249. Bible Classes: teachers, 3; members, 18. Parish societies, 10; number of members, *.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$8,132.68; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$2,848.19; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$229.96; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$2,816.61; total Receipts, \$14,027.44; Sum Total reported, \$14,027.44.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$7,465.04; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$2,404.03; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$160.92; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$888.73; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,689.30; total of Expenditures, \$12,608.02; amount of balances, *; Sum Total reported, \$12,608.02.

REMARKS—The Treasurer is unable to submit a balanced report. The church books balance, but the books of the various Guilds, etc., are not in the care of the Treasurer, and the reports received from these Guilds are included in the above as nearly "full and accurate" as the Treasurer is able to make them.

ST. JOHN'S**Montclair****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd James T. Lodge, *Rector*; James Owen, Alfred E. Forstall, *Wardens*; Joseph W. Smith, *Clerk*; Alfred E. Forstall, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 12; adults, 2; total, 14; confirmed, 13; marriages, 10; burials, 17; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 175; present number, 200. Services: Sundays, 101; Holy Days, 7; other days, 55; total, 163. Holy Communion: Sundays, 75; Holy Days, 25; other days, 8; total, 108; private communions, 7. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 19; pupils, 170. Bible Classes: teachers, 3; members, 50. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 180.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$4,415.31; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$2,288.44; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$159.23; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$1,953.26; total Receipts, \$8,816.24; amount of Deficits, *s.*; Sum Total reported, \$8,816.24.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$4,636.36; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$2,894.70; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$124.31; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$356.77; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,677.51; total of Expenditures, \$9,689.65; Sum Total reported, \$9,689.65.

ST. LUKE'S**Montclair****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd Luke M. White, *Rector*; the Rev'd Frederick B. Carter, *Rector Emeritus*; George I. Wichman, Hosea Webster, *Wardens*; Charles L. Anderson, *Clerk*; George I. Wichman, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 32; adults, 4; total, 36; confirmed, 101; marriages, 7; burials, 18; baptized persons, *946. Communicants: last reported, 815; present number, 796. Services: Sundays, 175; Holy Days, 39; other days, 45; total, 259. Holy Communion: Sundays, 58; Holy Days, 22; other days, 9; total, 89; private communions, 18. Sunday School: officers, 8; teachers, 47; pupils, 354. Parish societies, 8; number of members, 453.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$4,750.51; total for Parish Support, \$21,890.39; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$5,814.90; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$596.44; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$3,784.07; total Receipts, \$36,836.31; Sum Total, \$36,836.31.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$16,570.18; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$8,991.83; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,354.08; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$2,432.97; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$5,782.77; total of Expenditures, \$35,131.83; amount of Balances, \$1,704.48; Sum Total, \$36,836.31.

REMARKS—The decrease in the number of communicants is due to a careful revision of the Church lists and the elimination of "dead wood," and to the formation of Trinity Mission.

Subjoined will be found report of Trinity, Montclair, a Mission of St. Luke's.

Trinity**Montclair****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd Luke M. White, *Rector*; the Rev'd George M. Plaskett, *in charge*; R. M. March, *Clerk*; George F. MacIntosh, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JUNE 18, 1916, TO APRIL 30, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 12; total, 12; marriage, 1; burial, 1; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: present number, 150. Services: Sundays, 48; Holy Days,

6; other days, 8; total, 62. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; total, 12; private communions, 1. Sunday School: officers, 7; teachers, 6; pupils, 50. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 135.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$559.82; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$781.97; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$45.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$39.00; total Receipts, \$1,425.79; Sum Total, \$1,425.79.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$275.00; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$286.16; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$52.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$46.00; total of Expenditures, \$659.16; amount of Balances, \$766.63; Sum Total, \$1,425.79.

REMARKS—Trinity Mission was started on Trinity Sunday, June 18, 1916, at Crane Hall, Montclair. At the opening service 40 persons were present; today the average attendance per Sunday is 160. The Mission is under the judicious fostering care of St. Luke's Parish, Montclair. At the first service four persons received the Holy Communion.

St. Paul's

Montvale

Bergen Co.

The Rev'd Alfred R. McWilliams, *Missionary*; Calvin R. Moulton, *Warden*; Clerk; Alfred B. Methudy, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptized persons, 125. Communicants: last reported, 53; present number, 40. Services: Sundays, 78; Holy Days, 3; other days, 14; total, 95. Holy Communion: Sundays, 7; Holy Days, 3; other days, 5; total, 10. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 5; pupils, 65. Parish societies, 3; number of members, 72.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$498.93; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$66.64; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$30.50; total Receipts, \$596.07; Sum Total, \$596.07.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$547.05; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$22.59; total of Expenditures, \$569.64; amount of Balances, \$26.43; Sum Total, \$596.07.

REDEEMER

Morristown

Morris Co.

The Rev'd Barrett P. Tyler, *Rector*; the Rev'd Harold E. Sawyer, (Connecticut), *Curate*; Francis S. Hoyt, Joseph R. Moody, *Wardens*; Charles D. M. Cole, *Clerk*; Frederick W. Ford, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 22; total, 22; confirmed, 20; marriages, 12; burials, 12; baptized persons, *900. Communicants: last reported, 674; present number, *691. Services: Sundays, 176; Holy Days, 37; other days, 93; total, 306. Holy Communion: Sundays, 5; Holy Days, 5; other days, 5; total, 5; private communions, 5. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 24; pupils, 316. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 9. Parish societies, 10; number of members, 337.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last report, \$135.63; total for Parish Support, \$14,527.27; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$83.65; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$976.63; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$7,136.11; total Receipts, \$22,859.29; Sum Total, \$22,859.29.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$11,887.35; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$511.73; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$826.72; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,106.86; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$8,217.78; total of Expenditures, \$22,550.44; amount of Balances, \$308.85; Sum Total, \$22,859.29.

REMARKS—Additional land adjoining the church property has been secured at a cost of \$18,355.76, which enabled the parish to secure a better location for the new church building.

At the present time the donations and pledges for the new church building amount to \$92,016.31.

The cornerstone of the new church was laid by Bishop Lines on Whitsunday.

ST. PETER'S**Morristown****Morris Co.**

The Rev'd Donald M. Brookman, D. D., *Rector*; the Rev'd Henry M. Kirkby, *Assistant*; Ransom H. Thomas, Eugene A. Carrell, *Wardens*; Alfred E. Mills, *Clerk*; Eugene A. Carrell, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 30; adults, 3; total, 33; confirmed, 33; marriages, 6; burials, 12; baptized persons, 1,281. Communicants: last reported, 705; present number, 710. Services: Sundays, 120; Holy Days, 29; other days, 288; total, 437. Holy Communion: Sundays, 75; Holy Days, 29; other days, 17; total, 121; private communions, 3. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 20; pupils, 151. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 25. Parish societies, 10; number of members, 495.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$31,620.07; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$2,483.54; total Receipts, \$34,103.61; Sum Total reported, \$34,103.61.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$17,948.49; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$5,135.00; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,561.61; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$2,207.06; total of Expenditures, \$26,852.16; amount of Balances, \$7,251.45; Sum Total reported, \$34,103.61.

St. Peter's**Mt. Arlington****Morris Co.**

The Rev'd Walter E. Howe, *Priest in charge*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 4; total, 4; burials, 2; baptized persons, 35. Communicants: last reported, 10; present number, 10. Services: Sundays, 47; total, 47. Holy Communion: Sundays, 5; total, 5. Sunday School: officers, *s*; teachers, *s*; pupils, *s*.

RECEIPTS—Sum Total reported, \$469.70.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$435.00; total of Expenditures, \$435.00; amount of Balances, \$34.70; Sum Total, \$469.70.

CHRIST CHURCH**Newark****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd Howard W. Gernand, *Rector*; Robert J. Bennett, Charles H. Baas, *Wardens*; Percival Chappell, *Clerk*; Charles H. Baas, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 10; total, 10; confirmed, 6; marriages, 5; burials, 3; baptized persons, 200. Communicants: last reported, 237; present number, 131. Services: Sundays, 102; Holy Days and other days, 45; total, 147. Holy Communion: Sundays, *s*; Holy Days, *s*; other days, *s*; total, 70; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 5; pupils, 60. Parish societies, 6; number of members, 132.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$770.00; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$218.32; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$387.13; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$36.48; total Receipts, \$1,411.93; amount of Deficits, \$602.01; Sum Total, \$2,013.94.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,358.51; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$338.99; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$304.80; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$11.64; total of Expenditures, \$2,013.94; Sum Total, \$2,013.94.

REMARKS—Figures showing an apparent heavy decrease in communicants are due to a careful and accurate revision of our communicant register; there is no actual shrinking of the congregation.

City Mission**Newark****Essex Co.**

Ministering in the institutions of Essex County. The Rev'd Charles L. Cooder, D.D., *Chaplain*. (*Vide*, Report, City Mission of Newark, Appendix II.)

GRACE**Newark****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd Charles L. Gomph, *Rector*; the Rev'd Percy M. Binnington, (Bethlehem), *Curate*; Charles A. Grummon, John S. Darcy, *Wardens*; Frank A. Hough, *Clerk*; J. Lawrence Boggs, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 47; adults, 11; total, 58; confirmed, 30; marriages, 23; burials, 31; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 838; present number, 852. Services: Sundays, 140; Holy Days and other days, 652; total, 792. Holy Communion: Sundays, 120; Holy Days, 60; other days, 342; total, 522; private communions, 37. Sunday School: officers, 6; teachers, 25; pupils, 225. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 100. Parish societies, 12; number of members, 381.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last report, \$755.31; total for Parish Support, \$8,932.29; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$3,441.90; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$2,026.57; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$2,236.71; total Receipts, \$17,392.78; Sum Total, \$17,392.78.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$7,449.09; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$3,354.63; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,966.92; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$896.97; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,744.54; total of Expenditures, \$13,412.15; amount of Balances, \$1,980.63; Sum Total, \$17,392.78.

HOUSE OF PRAYER**Newark****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd John S. Miller, *Rector*; the Rev'd M. Lloyd Woolsey and the Rev'd J. Gregory Mabry, *Curates*; Edward H. Wright, William E. Bowen, *Wardens*; Louis D. Hanke, *Clerk*; Claude E. Wheatley, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 38; total, 38; confirmed, 18; marriages, 34; burials, 30; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 496; present number, 520. Services: Sundays, 252; Holy Days, 137; other days, 915; total, 1,304. Holy Communion: Sundays, 138; Holy Days, 55; other days, 344; total, 537; private communions, 15. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 12; pupils, 157. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 10. Parish societies, 9; number of members, 257.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$165.45; total for Parish Support, \$2,907.84; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$2,705.30; total Receipts, \$5,778.59; Sum Total, \$5,778.59.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,551.32; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,902.99; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$10.53; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$138.82; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$26.27; total of Expenditures, \$5,629.93; amount of Balances, \$148.66; Sum Total, \$5,778.59.

The large sum paid for special parochial objects was caused by the repairs made on the church building, in honor of the 50th anniversary of the Rector's ordination to the priesthood.

St. Alban's**Newark****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd H. Landon Rice, *Missionary*; Ralph B. Ward, *Clerk*; William Perkins, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 10; total, 10; confirmed, 10; marriages, 11; burials, 8; baptized persons, 450. Communicants: last reported, 220; present number, 200. Services: Sundays, 60; Holy Days, 10; other days, *s*; total, 70. Holy Communion: Sundays, 141; Holy Days, 28; other days, 20; total, 189; private communions, 1. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 10; pupils, 100. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 65.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$21.49; total for Parish Support, \$1,374.44; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$178.40; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$257.38; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$104.19; total Receipts, \$1,935.90; Sum Total, \$1,935.90.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,162.72; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$360.65; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$94.46; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$66.98; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$57.75; total of Expenditures, \$1,742.56; amount of Balances, \$193.34; Sum Total, \$1,935.90.

ST. ANDREW'S**Newark****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd Charles H. Wells, *Rector*; Louis A. Douglass, Edward G. Quinlan, *Wardens*; Adolph J. Schenk, *Clerk*; Louis A. Douglass, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 20; adults, 2; total, 22; confirmed, 13; marriages, 9; burials, 7; baptized persons, *500. Communicants: last reported, 276; present number, 283. Services: Sundays, 165; Holy Days, 35; other days, 33; total, 233. Holy Communion: Sundays, 69; Holy Days, 18; other days, 6; total, 93. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 23; pupils, 195. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 12. Parish societies, 9; number of members, 233.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$854.80; total for Parish Support, \$5,389.22; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$93.45; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$54.67; total Receipts, \$6,392.14; Sum Total, \$6,392.14.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,925.07; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$984.18; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$192.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$188.38; total of Expenditures, \$5,289.63; amount of Balances, \$1,102.51; Sum Total, \$6,392.14.

ST. BARNABAS'**Newark****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd Henry V. B. Darlington, *Rector*; the Rev'd Stephen H. Granberry, *Rector Emeritus*; the Rev'd Rowland K. Gimson, and the Rev'd Gilbert S. B. Darlington, Chaplain U. S. N., (Harrisburg), *Curates*; James E. Bathgate, sr., James Thomson, *Wardens*; James Chittick, *Clerk*; Samuel Owen, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 45; adults, 12; total, 57; confirmed, 66; marriages, 19; burials, 16; baptized persons, *889. Communicants: last reported, 357; present number, 420. Services: Sundays, 160; Holy Days, 12; other days, 68; total, 240. Holy Communion: Sundays, 88; Holy Days and other days, 20; total, 108; private communions, 28. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 24; pupils, 191. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 20. Parish societies, 15; number of members, 712.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$2,469.69; total for Parish Support, \$24,555.82; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$2,013.32; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$510.00; total Receipts, \$29,548.83; Sum Total, \$29,548.83.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$6,918.91; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$16,920.30; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$220.66; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$510.00; total of Expenditures, \$24,569.87; amount of Balances, \$4,978.96; Sum Total, \$29,548.83.

St. George's

(Vailsburgh) Newark

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Randall W. Conklin, *Minister in charge*; Ernest Wynne, *Warden*; John W. Dobbins, *Clerk*; Robert W. McCheaney, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 11; total, 11; confirmed, 19; marriages, 2; burials, 7; baptized persons, 90. Communicants: last reported, 40; present number, 60. Services: Sundays, 103; Holy Days, 6; other days, 12; total, 121. Holy Communion: Sundays, 24; Holy Days, *x*; other days, *x*; total, 24. Sunday School: officers, 6; teachers, 12; pupils, 80. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 22.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$44.92; total for Parish Support, \$692.72; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$20.99; total Receipts, \$758.63; Sum Total, \$758.63.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$578.51; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$102.26; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$47.75; total of Expenditures, \$728.52; amount of Balances, \$30.11; Sum Total, \$758.63.

ST. JAMES'

Newark

Essex Co.

The Rev'd T. Percival Bate, *Rector*; John O. Baker, Theodore W. Corwin, *Wardens*; John O. Baker, *Clerk*; L. H. Van Sant, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 11; total, 11; confirmed, 6; marriages, 12; burials, 15; baptized persons, *x*. Communicants: last reported, 425; present number, 420. Services: Sundays, 148; Holy Days, 36; other days, 62; total, 246. Holy Communion: Sundays, 78; Holy Days, 48; other days, 63; total, 189; private communions, 10; Sunday School: officers, 14; teachers, 12; pupils, 92. Parish societies, 6; number of members, 151.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$330.24; total for Parish Support, \$6,244.28; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$381.59; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,323.35; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$538.76; total Receipts, \$8,818.22; Sum Total, \$8,818.22.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$5,698.23; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$401.34; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,398.31; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$356.16; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$398.15; total of Expenditures, \$8,252.19; amount of Balances, \$566.03; Sum Total, \$8,818.22.

ST. JOHN'S

Newark

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Albert M. Farr, *Rector*; Henry R. Linderman, Charles M. Chatfield, *Wardens*; H. W. Angevine, *Clerk*; Charles M. Chatfield, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 13; adults, 10; total, 23; confirmed, 23; marriages, 6; burials, 7; baptized persons, 553. Communicants: last reported, 290; pres-

ent number, 306. Services: Sundays, 198; Holy Days, 36; other days, 26; total, 260. Holy Communion: Sundays, 84; Holy Days, 22; other days, 14; total, 120; private communions, 8. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 13; pupils, 114. Parish societies, 9; number of members, 166.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$84.55; total for Parish Support, \$2,471.95; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$1,748.79; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$261.21; total Receipts, \$4,566.50; Sum Total, \$4,566.50.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,343.88; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,653.17; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$241.68; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$170.00; total of Expenditures, \$4,408.73; amount of Balances, \$157.77; Sum Total, \$4,566.50.

ST. MARK'S

Newark

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Albert W. H. Thompson, *Rector*; John L. Thompson, Charles E. S. Thorne, *Wardens*; William Hardham, *Clerk*; John L. Thompson, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 9; adult, 1; total, 10; confirmed, 19; marriages, 8; burials, 10; baptized persons, 450. Communicants: last reported, 260; present number, 260. Services: Sundays, 90; Holy Days *s*; other days, 65; total, 155. Holy Communion: Sundays, 59; Holy Days, 5; other days, 8; total, 72; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 19; pupils, 155. Parish societies, 10; number of members, 293.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$4,839.47; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$310.55; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,441.97; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$989.84; total Receipts, \$7,581.83; Sum Total, \$7,581.83.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$4,743.26; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$469.09; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$709.75; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$497.78; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$417.06; total of Expenditures, \$6,836.94; amount of Balances, \$744.89; Sum Total, \$7,581.83.

ST. MARY MAGDALENE

Newark

Essex Co.

The Rev'd J. Fred Hamblin, *Minister in charge*; John Leyser, Harry Hoag, *Wardens*; Harry Hoag, *Clerk*; Frank A. Morris, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 9; adults, 3; total, 12; confirmed, 10; marriages, 4; burials, 3; baptized persons, 270. Communicants: last reported, 100; present number, 120. Services: Sundays, 86; Holy Days, 5; other days, 7; total, 98. Holy Communion: Sundays, 11; Holy Days, 1; total, 12. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 7; pupils, 65. Parish societies, 3; number of members, 60.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$1,378.10; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$297.28; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$85.01; total Receipts, \$1,760.39; Sum Total, \$1,760.39.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,184.87; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$300.00; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$217.93; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$32.63; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$73.36; total of Expenditures, \$1,708.79; amount of Balances, \$51.60; Sum Total, \$1,760.39.

ST. MATTHEW'S

Newark

Essex Co.

The Rev'd John O. Ferris, *Rector*; Charles T. Koch, _____, *Wardens*; Frederick Geiger, *Clerk*; Eugene C. Willwerth, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 9; total, 9; confirmed, 11; baptized persons, 70. Communicants: last reported, 85; present number, 40. Services: Sundays, 89; Holy Days, *x*; other days, 20; total, 109. Holy Communion: Sundays, 64; Holy Days, 12; other days, *x*; total, 76. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 6; pupils, 45. Parish societies, 1; number of members, 8.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$28.33; total for Parish Support, \$1,058.72; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$92.84; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$19.08; total Receipts, \$1,198.97; Sum Total, \$1,198.97.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$999.24; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$123.28; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$26.92; total of Expenditures, \$1,149.44; amount of Balances, \$49.53; Sum Total, \$1,198.97.

ST. PAUL'S

Newark

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Roland C. Ormsbee, *Rector*; Thomas E. Sisserson, William Dixon, *Wardens*; George A. Hay, *Clerk*; William Conover, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 20; adults, 2; total, 22; confirmed, 22; marriages, 11; burials, 13; baptized persons, 1,012. Communicants: last reported, 701; present number, 692. Services: Sundays, 170; Holy Days, 16; other days, 36; total, 222. Holy Communion: Sundays, 64; Holy Days, 16; other days, *x*; total, 80; private communions, 16. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 26; pupils, 204. Parish societies, 13; number of members, 325.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$123.35; total for Parish Support, \$8,357.62; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$5,034.59; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$659.49; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$539.72; total Receipts, \$14,714.77; Sum Total, \$14,714.77.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$4,741.93; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$8,529.21; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$565.83; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$197.16; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$498.82; total of Expenditures, \$14,532.95; amount of Balances, \$181.82; Sum Total, \$14,714.77.

ST. PHILIP'S

Newark

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Robert D. Brown, *Rector*; Louis A. Sears, Mahlon H. Kennard, *Wardens*; Frederick H. Davis, *Clerk*; H. Ray de Mund, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 23; adult, 1; total, 24; confirmed, 12; marriages, 7; burials, 9; baptized persons, *x*. Communicants: last reported, 304; present number, 310. Services: Sundays, 132; Holy Days, 8; other days, 8; total, 146. Holy Communion: Sundays, 92; Holy Days, 5; other days, *x*; total, 97; private communions, 8. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 9; pupils, 85. Parish societies, 9; number of members, 180.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$146.43; total for Parish Support, \$2,099.59; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$52.00; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$806.34; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$209.69; total Receipts, \$3,314.05; Sum Total, \$3,314.05.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,634.53; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$397.75; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$711.39; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$92.50; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$117.99; total of Expenditures, \$2,954.16; amount of Balances, \$359.89; Sum Total, \$3,314.05.

ST. STEPHEN'S

Newark

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Edmund A. Wasson, Ph.D., *Rector*; Jacob Hoesly, George Linnett, *Wardens*; Frederick C. Bostock, *Clerk*; W. G. Terhinde, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 15; adults, 2; total, 17; confirmed, 26; marriages, 21; burials, 26; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 426; present number, 360. Services: Sundays, 175; Holy Days, 10; other days, *s.*; total, 185. Holy Communion: Sundays, 52; Holy Days, 6; other days, *s.*; total, 58; private communions, 12. Sunday School: officers, 6; teachers, 20; pupils, 150. Parish societies, *s.*; number of members, *s.*

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$2,062.00; total Receipts, \$2,062.00; Sum Total reported, \$2,062.00.

EXPENDITURES—Sum Total reported, \$2,062.00.

REMARKS—The communicant list has been revised for the first time in several years, and the above is correct.

ST. THOMAS'

Newark

Essex Co.

The Rev'd John C. Donnell, *Rector*; Owen M. Dawson, C. B. Lefferts, *Wardens*; Frederick B. Meaker, *Clerk*; Owen M. Dawson, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 37; adults, 6; total, 43; confirmed, 37; marriages, 10; burials, 25; baptized persons, 1,200. Communicants: last reported, 530; present number, 542. Services: Sundays, 92; Holy Days, *s.*; other days, 24; total, 116. Holy Communion: Sundays, 64; Holy Days, 3; other days, 1; total, 68; private communions, 15. Sunday School: officers, 6; teachers, 35; pupils, 340. Parish societies, 7; number of members, 294.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last report, \$2,355.54; total for Parish Support, \$4,461.58; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$6,059.14; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$2,006.41; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$1,349.11; total Receipts, \$16,231.78; Sum Total, \$16,231.78.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$5,743.64; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$6,606.62; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,672.66; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$330.32; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$331.50; total of Expenditures, \$14,684.74; amount of Balances, \$1,547.04; Sum Total, \$16,231.78.

REMARKS—The Parish paid off all of its debts on Easter Day.

TRINITY

Newark

Essex Co.

The Rev'd _____, *Rector*; the Rev'd Alden L. Bennett, Milwaukee, *in charge*; the Rev'd William J. Tilley, *Assistant Minister*; John A. Gifford, Henry M. Darcy, *Wardens*; Arthur G. Sherman, *Clerk*; John A. Gifford, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 17; adults, 3; total, 20; confirmed, 28; marriages, 16; burials, 21; baptized persons, 1,200. Communicants: last reported, 650; present number, 650. Services: Sundays, 200; Holy Days, 33; other days, 54; total, 287. Holy Communion: Sundays, 80; Holy Days, 16; other days, 8; total, 104; private communions, 4. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 16; pupils, 121. Parish societies, 6; number of members, 273.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$17,711.95; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$7,843.96; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$20.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$2,265.84; total Receipts, \$27,841.75; Sum Total, \$27,841.75.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$13,235.88; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$11,305.64; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$20.00; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,182.37; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$2,086.35; total of Expenditures, \$27,820.24; amount of Balances, \$21.51; Sum Total, \$27,841.75.

Subjoined will be found report of the Rev'd William J. Tilley, Minister in charge of Christ Church, Harrison, a Chapel of Trinity.

Christ Chapel**Harrison****Hudson Co.**

The Rev'd William J. Tilley, *Minister in charge*; Arthur E. Hafstrom, *Clerk*; William Engelhard, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 61; adult, 1; total, 62; confirmed, 13; marriages, 27; burials, 24; baptized persons, *x*. Communicants: last reported, 493; present number, 499. Services: Sundays, 125; Holy Days, *x*; other days, *x*; total, *x*. Holy Communion: Sundays, *x*; Holy Days, *x*; other days, *x*; total, 25; private communions, 7. Sunday School: officers, 12; teachers, 31; pupils, 254. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 19. Parish societies, 7; number of members, *x*.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$4.62; total for Parish Support, \$2,911.59; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$227.66; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$386.98; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$357.20; total Receipts, \$3,888.05; Sum Total, \$3,888.05.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,871.27; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$553.89; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$386.98; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$183.82; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$326.72; total of Expenditures, \$3,322.68; amount of Balances, \$565.37; Sum Total, \$3,888.05.

CHRIST CHURCH**Newton****Sussex Co.**

The Rev'd George A. Green, *Rector*; Theodore Simonson, *Rutherford Tuttle, Wardens*; William H. Nicholls, *Clerk*; ———, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 10; adults, 8; total, 18; confirmed, 9; marriages, 6; burials, 9; baptized persons, 310. Communicants: last reported, 202; present number, 205. Services: Sundays, 164; Holy Days, 18; other days, 144; total, 326. Holy Communion: Sundays, 51; Holy Days, 18; other days, *x*; total, 69; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 7; pupils, 65. Parish societies, 5; number of members, 132.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$389.41; total for Parish Support, \$2,633.88; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$10,046.91; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$752.62; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$444.57; total Receipts, \$14,267.39; Sum Total, \$14,267.39.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,485.34; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$10,213.07; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$139.49; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$177.26; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$434.57; total of Expenditures, \$13,455.73; amount of Balances, \$817.66; Sum Total, \$14,267.39.

St. John's Chapel**Nordhoff****Bergen Co.**

(See St. Paul's, Englewood.)

St. Paul's

North Arlington

Bergen Co.

The Rev'd J. Fred Hamblin, *Minister in charge*; J. W. Whitla, *Warden*; Fred H. Pieper, *Clerk*; Fred C. Hill, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 3; total, 3; burial, 1; baptized persons, *x*. Communicants: last reported, 25; present number, 20. Services: Sundays, 52; Holy Days, 1; other days, 1; total, 54. Holy Communion: Sundays, 2; Holy Days, 1; total, 3. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 5; pupils, 60. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 55.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$42.03; total for Parish Support, \$1,036.13; total Receipts, \$1,078.16; Sum Total, \$1,078.16.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$491.72; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$541.37; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$1.47; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$21.10; total of Expenditures, \$1,055.66; amount of Balances, \$22.50; Sum Total, \$1,078.16.

HOLY COMMUNION

Norwood

Bergen Co.

The Rev'd Henry P. Seymour, (New York), *in charge*; Charles Hoffman, Russell Fitch, *Wardens*; Charles Hoffman, *Clerk*; Albert Heckert, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 2; total, 2; confirmed, 3; marriage, 1; burials, 2; baptized persons, 125. Communicants: last reported, 58; present number, 69. Services: Sundays, 52; Holy Days, 5; total, 57. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; Holy Days, 5; total, 17. Sunday School: teachers, 4; pupils, 50. Parish societies, 1; number of members, 15.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$1,181.25; total Receipts, \$1,181.25; Sum Total, \$1,181.25.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,077.70; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$45.00; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$58.55; total of Expenditures, \$1,181.25; Sum Total, \$1,181.25.

GRACE

Nutley

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Douglas Matthews, *Rector*; Ernest Pulsford, Frank B. Carland, *Wardens*; Ernest Pulsford, *Clerk*; Edwin C. Sharp, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 22; adults, 3; total, 25; confirmed, 33; marriages, 9; burials, 8; baptized persons, 1,188. Communicants: last reported, 543; present number, 594. Services: Sundays, 110; Holy Days, *x*; other days, 50; total, 160. Holy Communion: Sundays, 54; Holy Days, 10; other days, *x*; total, 64; private communions, 4. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 29; pupils, 210. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 168. Parish societies, 10; number of members, 406.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$848.01; total for Parish Support, \$6,001.11; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$5,844.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$580.12; total Receipts, \$13,273.24; Sum Total, \$13,273.24.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$6,312.97; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$5,820.46; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$12.78; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$567.34; total of Expenditures, \$12,713.55; amount of Balances, \$559.69; Sum Total, \$13,273.24.

Annunciation**Oradell****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd William K. Berry, D.D., *Missionary*; Asahel Chapin, *Warden*; Charles W. Desmond, *Clerk*; Upson M. Van Varick, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 10; adult, 1; total, 11; marriages, 2; burials, 8; baptized persons, *300. Communicants: last reported, 123; present number, 108. Services: Sundays, 220; Holy Days, 26; other days, 9; total, 255. Holy Communion: Sundays, 53; Holy Days, 15; other days, *; total, 68. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 9; pupils, 64. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 18.

FINANCIAL REPORT FROM DECEMBER 1, 1915, TO NOVEMBER 30, 1916.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$75.86; total for Parish Support, \$1,987.33; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$36.30; total Receipts, \$2,099.49; Sum Total, \$2,099.49.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,947.35; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$111.00; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$13.55; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$22.75; total of Expenditures, \$2,094.65; amount of Balances, \$4.84; Sum Total, \$2,099.49.

ALL SAINTS'**Orange****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd Clarence M. Dunham, *Rector*; the Rev'd William Richmond, *Rector Honorarius*; the Rev'd George P. Christian, (Washington), *Assistant*; John B. Van Wagenen, Wm. S. Maddock, *Wardens*; Wm. S. Maddock, *Clerk*; Charles K. Farrington, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 23; adults, 6; total, 29; confirmed, 21; marriages, 3; burials, 11; baptized persons, *. Communicants: last reported, 301; present number, 325. Services: Sundays, 104; Holy Days and other days, 668; total, 772. Holy Communion: Sundays, 108; Holy Days and other days, 525; total, 633; private communions, 45. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 16; pupils, 130. Parish societies, 13; number of members, 396.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$311.88; total for Parish Support, \$6,266.78; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$497.81; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$494.24; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$1,520.64; total Receipts, \$9,091.35; amount of Deficits, \$703.02; Sum Total, \$9,794.37.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$5,213.88; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$2,574.40; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$485.45; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$290.07; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,230.57; total of Expenditures, \$9,794.37; Sum Total, \$9,794.37.

GRACE**Orange****Essex Co.**

The Rev'd Charles T. Walkley, *Rector*; the Rev'd William S. Bishop, D.D., *Assistant*; the Rev'd George M. Plaskett, *Curate*; Jay C. Young, Philip H. Patriarche, *Wardens*; Philip H. Patriarche, *Clerk*; Jay C. Young, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 72; adults, 9; total, 81; confirmed, 64; marriages, 34; burials, 57; baptized persons, *2,112. Communicants: last reported, 1,200; present number, 1,200. Services: Sundays, 94; Holy Days, 12; other days, 29; total, 135. Holy Communion: Sundays, 72; Holy Days, 30; other days, 62; total, 164; private communions, 14. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 46; pupils, 363. Bible Classes: Teachers, 4; members, 220. Parish societies, 13; number of members, 1,271.

RECEIPTS—(Balance as in last Report, \$415.15), total for Parish Support, \$19,011.35; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$7,856.16; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$4,613.00; total Receipts, \$30,880.51; Sum Total, \$30,880.51.

EXPENDITURES—Deficit as in last Report, \$1,213.34; total of Current Expenses, \$14,446.72; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$5,906.05; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$2,422.46; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$869.94; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$2,936.00; total of Expenditures, \$27,794.51; amount of Balances, \$3,086.00; Sum Total, \$30,880.51.

REMARKS—An echo organ was placed in the tower of Grace Church by Mr. and Mrs. James C. Elms as a memorial to their daughter Grace.

In addition to the above report 25 services have been held at the House of the Good Shepherd and Hospital.

Subjoined is the report of Epiphany Mission, Orange, a Chapel of Grace Church.

Epiphany

Orange

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Charles T. Walkley, *Rector*; the Rev'd George M. Plaskett, *Minister*; Dudley A. Johnson, *Clerk*; William C. Allamby, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 18; total, 18; confirmed, 24; marriages, 4; burials, 6; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 130; present number, 130. Services: Sundays, 161; Holy Days, 24; other days, 18; total, 223. Holy Communion: Sundays, 95; Holy Days, 30; other days, *s.*; total, 125; private communions, 4. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 15; pupils, 110. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 14. Parish societies, 10; number of members, 182.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$326.27; total for Parish Support, \$1,558.41; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$1,920.16; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$114.62; total Receipts, \$3,919.46; Sum Total, \$3,919.46.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,436.76; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$384.24; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$37.68; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$90.02; total of Expenditures, \$1,948.70; amount of Balances, \$1,970.76; Sum Total, \$3,919.46.

REMARKS—On June 1st, the final amount, (\$1,912.90), was paid on mortgage indebtedness, thereby cancelling the mortgage of \$5,000.00.

ST. MARK'S

Orange

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Frank B. Reazor, D.D., *Rector*; the Rev'd Ernest P. S. Spencer, *Curate*; Wm. Read Howe, Arthur P. Green, *Wardens*; Stephen W. Williams, *Clerk*; Wm. Read Howe, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 27; adults, 2; total, 29; confirmed, 16; marriages, 15; burials, 21; baptized persons, 736. Communicants: last reported, 595; present number, 613. Services: Sundays, 243; Holy Days, *s.*; other days, 718; total, 961. Holy Communion: Sundays, 106; Holy Days, *s.*; other days, 176; total, 282; private communions, 26. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 15; pupils, 98. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 15. Parish societies, 12; number of members, *s.*

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$5,338.74; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$1,180.63; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$717.60; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$1,317.14; total Receipts, \$8,554.11; Sum Total, \$8,554.11.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$5,874.43; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$354.10; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$731.37; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$569.28; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$881.38; total of Expenditures, \$8,410.56; amount of Balances, \$143.55; Sum Total, \$8,554.11.

St. Peter's, LIVINGSTON. The Rev'd Frank B. Reazor, D.D., *Rector*; the Rev'd Ernest P. S. Spencer, *Curate*. On November 30th, 1916, St. Peter's Chapel, Livingston, Essex Co., was completed and opened for regular Sunday services by the donor. The Rector of St. Mark's Church, Orange, has the spiritual oversight of the Chapel, but it has no legal relation to St. Mark's. The Services at present are: Sundays, Morning Prayer and the Eucharist at nine o'clock, and Evensong and sermon at three-thirty, preceded by a school session. Parochial statistics follow: Baptisms: children, 19; total, 19; confirmed, 4. Communicants, present number, 9. Services: Sundays, 44; total, 44. Holy Communion: Sundays, 22; Holy Days, 3; total, 25. Sunday School: officer, 1; teachers, 3; pupils, 25. Parish societies, 3.

St. George's**Passaic****Passaic Co.**

The Rev'd Hugh D. Wilson, *Missionary*; Walter Berridge, *Warden*; Albert H. Walker, *Clerk*; S. Russell Moyer, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 26; adults, 2; total, 28; confirmed, 35; marriages, 9; burials, 24; baptized persons, 476. Communicants: last reported, 235; present number, 266. Services: Sundays, 154; Holy Days, 21; other days, 10; total, 185. Holy Communion: Sundays, 63; Holy Days, 13; other days, 2; total, 78; private communions, 1. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 22; pupils, 130. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 8. Parish societies, 10; number of members, 244.

FINANCIAL REPORT FROM ADVENT, 1915, TO ADVENT, 1916.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$462.49; total for Parish Support, \$2,344.68; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$102.02; total Receipts, \$2,849.19; Sum Total, \$2,849.19.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,685.88; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$986.95; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$73.64; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$41.95; total of Expenditures, \$2,788.42; amount of Balances, \$60.77; Sum Total, \$2,849.19.

REMARKS—The foregoing financial report, as received from the Treasurer, is respectfully submitted with the explanation that it is incomplete, and not in full accord with the requirements of the new canon, for the reason that the Church accounts have hitherto been kept for the year from Advent to Advent and further that it has been the rule for the Treasurers of the various parish societies to receive and disburse the monies of their respective societies direct, furnishing the Treasurer of the Church each year with a detailed statement for submission to the members of the Church at their annual meeting held in Advent.

St. John's**Passaic****Passaic Co.**

The Rev'd W. Gordon Bentley, *Rector*; George MacLagan, Charles E. Wickers, *Wardens*; Edward H. Neary, Jr., *Clerk*; P. H. Blodgett, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 14; adult, 1; total, 15; confirmed, 12; marriages, 8; burials, 10; baptized persons, 870. Communicants: last reported, 508; present number, 495. Services: Sundays, x; Holy Days, x; other days, x; total, 311. Holy Communion: Sundays, x; Holy Days, x; other days, x; total, 145; private communions,

19. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 11; pupils, 95. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 15. Parish societies, 7; number of members, *s*.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last report, \$153.40; total for Parish Support, \$5,005.71; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$888.14; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$777.88; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$619.22; total Receipts, \$7,744.35; Sum Total, \$7,744.35.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$5,004.24; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,148.24; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$430.26; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$443.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$191.22; total of Expenditures, \$7,216.96; amount of Balances, \$527.39; Sum Total, \$7,744.35.

HOLY COMMUNION

Paterson

Passaic Co.

The Rev'd James A. McCleary, *Rector*; James H. Slater, William L. R. Wurts, *Wardens*; William W. Welch, *Clerk*; Josiah J. Bailey, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 21; adults, 2; total, 23; marriages, 8; burials, 10; baptized persons, 542. Communicants: last reported, 450; present number, 470. Services: Sundays, 174; Holy Days, 12; other days, 28; total, 214. Holy Communion: Sundays, 68; Holy Days, 12; other days, 7; total, 87; private communions, 28. Sunday School: officers, 18; teachers, 12; pupils, 152. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 40. Parish societies, 7; number of members, 199.

FINANCIAL REPORT FROM APRIL 30, 1915, TO APRIL 30, 1916.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$3,714.99; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$86.38; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$78.16; total Receipts, \$3,879.53; amount of Deficits, \$46.63; Sum Total, \$3,926.16.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,653.82; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$272.34; total of Expenditures, \$3,926.16; Sum Total, \$3,926.16.

ST. LUKE'S

Paterson

Passaic Co.

The Rev'd Albert E. Phillips, *Rector*; Robert D. Bowman, John R. Warr, *Wardens*; John R. Warr, *Clerk*; William F. Beattie, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 12; adults, 3; total, 15; confirmed, 30; marriages, 2; burials, 4; baptized persons, 525. Communicants: last reported, 225; present number, 250. Services: Sundays, 77; Holy Days, 6; other days, 11; total, 94. Holy Communion: Sundays, 37; Holy Days, 10; other days, *s*; total, 47; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 17; pupils, 148. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 94.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$2,585.87; total for Parish Support, \$1,343.75; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$485.14; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$797.75; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$41.14; total Receipts, \$5,253.65; Sum Total, \$5,253.65.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,247.15; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,915.04; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$695.19; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$91.21; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$40.50; total of Expenditures, \$3,989.09; amount of Balances, \$1,264.56; Sum Total, \$5,253.65.

REMARKS—This parish lacked the services of a Rector from June 1st to December 1st, 1916.

During the year, extensive improvements have been made to the church building, the basement having been rebuilt and a new electric lighting and plumbing system installed; the interior of the church proper entirely renovated and redecorated and new electric lights added.

In addition to the possession of a lot for the purpose, \$600 is in hand for the construction of a rectory.

ST. MARK'S**Paterson****Passaic Co.**

The Rev'd Samuel A. Weikert, *Rector*; Charles Crane, Thomas B. Shorrocks, *Wardens*; Elias J. Marsh, *Clerk*; Charles Crane, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 14; total, 14; confirmed, 9; marriages, 10; burials, 15; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 625; present number, 634. Services: Sundays, 104; Holy Days, 2; other days, 26; total, 132. Holy Communion: Sundays, 52; Holy Days, 6; other days, *s.*; total, 58; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 16; pupils, 193. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 70. Parish societies, 9; number of members, 196.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$658.63; total for Parish Support, \$3,963.59; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$830.00; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$653.12; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$341.70; total Receipts, \$6,447.04; Sum Total \$6,447.04.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,765.27; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,409.72; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$467.92; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$201.14; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$178.69; total of Expenditures, \$6,022.74; amount of Balances, \$424.30; Sum Total, \$6,447.04.

REMARKS—The floating debt was paid off during the year, and a fund started toward the liquidation of the mortgage.

ST. PAUL'S**Paterson****Passaic Co.**

The Rev'd David Stuart Hamilton, *Rector*; the Rev'd Arthur W. Kierulff, (New York), *Assistant*; James Johnston, William J. Lockwood, *Wardens*; James Wilson, jr., *Clerk*; Samuel S. Evans, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 58; adults, 6; total, 64; confirmed, 92; marriages, 63; burials, 78; baptized persons, *3,600. Communicants: last reported, 1,982; present number, 2,028. Services: Sundays, 187; Holy Days, 91; other days, 133; total, 411. Holy Communion: Sundays, 111; Holy Days, 91; other days, 6; total, 208; private communions, 27. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 108; pupils, 1,015. Parish societies, 9; number of members, 620.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$14,291.73; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$1,959.06; total Receipts reported, \$16,250.79; amount of Deficits, *s.*; Sum Total reported, \$16,250.79.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$14,325.50; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$17,767.50; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$922.29; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,708.00; total of Expenditures reported, \$34,723.29; amount of Balances, *s.*; Sum Total reported, \$34,723.29.

REMARKS—The above statement is as complete as we can furnish it, because of the fact that our fiscal year ends November 30th.

TRINITY

(Totowa) Paterson

Passaic Co.

The Rev'd Henry Baldwin Todd, *Rector*; Charles S. Humphreys, Joseph Harris, *Wardens*; Joseph Bradbury, Jr., *Clerk*; Percy G. Davies, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 25; adults, 4; total, 29; confirmed, 11; marriages, 15; burials, 21; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 450; present number, 464. Services: Sundays, 104; Holy Days, *s.*; other days, 61; total, 165. Holy Communion: Sundays, 61; Holy Days, 20; other days, 56; total, 137; private communions, 11. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 23; pupils, 350. Bible Classes: teacher, 1; members, 50. Parish societies, 6; number of members, 260.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$893.75; total for Parish Support, \$5,483.72; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$3,000.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$209.43; total Receipts, \$9,586.90; Sum Total, \$9,586.90.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,393.04; total for other Parochial Expenses, \$5,509.72; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,777.48; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$218.14; total of Expenditures, \$8,298.38; amount of Balances, \$1,288.52; Sum Total, \$9,586.90.

ST. LUKE'S

Phillipsburgh

Warren Co.

The Rev'd Gouv'r Morris Wilkins, (New York), *in charge*; James D. Smith, William Frame, *Wardens*; Samuel Forrest Frame, *Clerk and Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 15; adults, 3; total, 18; confirmed, 15; marriages, 3; burials, 14; baptized persons, *375. Communicants: last reported, 188; present number, 199. Services: Sundays, 129; Holy Days, 11; other days, 14; total, 154. Holy Communion: Sundays, 43; Holy Days, 7; total, 50; private communions, 8. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 8; pupils, 70. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 59.

FINANCIAL REPORT FROM EASTER, 1916, TO EASTER, 1917.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$141.65; total for Parish Support, \$1,436.47; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$28.15; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$131.51; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$107.61; total Receipts, \$1,845.39; Sum Total, \$1,845.39.

EXPENDITURES—Deficit as in last Report, \$174.89; total of Current Expenses, \$1,174.75; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$182.99; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$131.05; total of Expenditures, \$1,613.38; amount of Balances, \$232.01; Sum Total, \$1,845.39.

CHRIST CHURCH

Pompton

Passaic Co.

The Rev'd Theodore J. M. Van Duyne, *Rector*; B. T. Holcombe, Jr., Charles Dobbs, *Wardens*; Mitchell Dawes, Jr., *Clerk*; John Knudsen, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 24; adult, 1; total, 25; confirmed, 18; marriages, 14; burials, 6; baptized persons, 263. Communicants: last reported, 75; present number, 94. Services: Sundays, 125; Holy Days, 8; other days, 18; total, 151. Holy Communion: Sundays, 15; Holy Days, 3; other days, 3; total, 21; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 7; pupils, 85. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 69.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$143.25; total for Parish Support, \$1,730.52; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$72.95; total Receipts, \$1,946.72; Sum Total, \$1,946.72.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,644.95; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$59.95; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$34.95; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$44.00; total of Expenditures, \$1,783.85; amount of Balances, \$162.87; Sum Total, \$1,946.72.

St. John's**Ramsey****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd James W. Jackson, *Missionary*; John F. De Baun, *Warden*; Emil J. J. Schaefer, *Clerk*; John L. Edson, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 2; total, 2; confirmed, 3; marriages, 2; burials, 5; baptized persons, 153. Communicants: last reported, 85; present number, 88. Services: Sundays, 52; Holy Days, 6; other days, 6; total, 64. Holy Communion: Sundays, 15; Holy Days, 4; total, 19. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 5; pupils, 48. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 35.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last report, \$210.44; total for Parish Support, \$865.55; total Receipts, \$1,075.99; Sum Total, \$1,075.99.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$896.54; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$53.63; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$74.01; total of Expenditures, \$1,024.18; amount of Balances, \$51.81; Sum Total, \$1,075.99.

ST. JAMES'**Ridgefield****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Aubrey H. Derby, *in charge*; John R. Bedford, *Wardens*; C. D. Inman, *Clerk and Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1917, TO APRIL 30, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 2; total, 2; confirmed, 1; baptized persons, *x*. Communicants: last reported, 56; present number, 42. Services: Sundays, *x*; Holy Days, *x*; other days, *x*; total, *x*. Holy Communion: Sundays, *x*; Holy Days, *x*; other days, *x*; total, *x*; private communions, *x*. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 4; pupils, 35. Parish societies, 3; number of members, *17.

RECEIPTS—*x*.

EXPENDITURES—*x*.

St. Mary's**Ridgefield Park****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Charles E. Berghaus, *Missionary*; Nathaniel C. Phillips, *Warden*; Frank C. Morrell, *Clerk*; Charles A. Hovey, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 11; total, 11; confirmed, 19; marriage, 1; burials, 5; baptized persons, 380. Communicants: last reported, 104; present number, 159. Services: Sundays, 84; Holy Days, 8; other days, 41; total, 133. Holy Communion: Sundays, 66; Holy Days, 28; other days, 6; total, 100; private communions, 8. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 19; pupils, 127. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 66.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$213.34; total for Parish Support, \$1,695.73; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$453.46; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$948.55; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$72.96; total Receipts, \$3,384.04; Sum Total, \$3,384.04.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$1,696.07; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$583.88; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$862.21; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$109.71; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$37.69; total of Expenditures, \$3,289.56; amount of Balances, \$94.48; Sum Total, \$3,384.04.

CHRIST CHURCH**Ridgewood****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Edwin S. Carson, *Rector*; Henry S. Patten, Charles S. Chapman, *Wardens*; Lewis R. Conklin, *Clerk*; S. Lisle Hollister, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 14; adult, 1; total, 15; confirmed, 19; marriage, 1; burials, 18; baptized persons, 1,015. Communicants: last reported, 424; present number, 447. Services: Sundays, 80; Holy Days, 34; other days, 1; total, 115. Holy Communion: Sundays, 69; Holy Days, 31; other days, 2; total, 102. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 14; pupils, 148. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 46. Parish societies, 5; number of members, 157.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$2,663.62; total for Parish Support, \$9,141.98; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$5,902.86; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$2,224.28; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$1,824.23; total Receipts, \$21,756.97; Sum Total, \$21,756.97.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$6,295.16; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$8,739.53; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,030.22; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$623.10; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,651.48; total of Expenditures, \$18,339.49; amount of Balances, \$3,417.48; Sum Total, \$21,756.97.

REMARKS—During the past year, the mortgage debt on the church property has been cancelled and extensive improvements made on the rectory.

The new Rector began his duties on All Saints' Day, 1916.

Good Shepherd**Ringwood Manor****Passaic Co.**

The Rev'd Allen D. Jennings, (Long Island), *in charge*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM OCTOBER 1, 1916, TO APRIL 30, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 5; total, 5; burial, 1; baptized persons, 137. Communicants: last reported, *50; present number, 40. Services: Sundays, 58; Holy Days, *; other days, 8; total, 66. Holy Communion: Sundays, *; Holy Days, *; other days, *; total, 1. Sunday School: teachers, 4; pupils, 44. Parish societies, 1; number of members, 2.

RECEIPTS—For all purposes, \$109.82; total Receipts, \$109.82; Sum Total, \$109.82.

EXPENDITURES—For all purposes, \$109.82; total of Expenditures, \$109.82; Sum Total, \$109.82.

St. Peter's Chapel**Rochelle Park****Bergen Co.**

(See Christ Church, Hackensack.)

GRACE**Rutherford****Bergen Co.**

The Rev'd Henry M. Ladd, *Rector*; Edward A. Chastaney, Ellis G. Welch, *Wardens*; Alexander S. Jordan, *Clerk*; Edward A. Chastaney, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 28; adult, 1; total, 29; confirmed, 18; marriages, 16; burials, 21; baptized persons, 1,290. Communicants: last reported, 605; present number, 618. Services: Sundays, 144; Holy Days, 12; other days, 45; total, 201. Holy Communion: Sundays, 51; Holy Days, 17; total, 68; private communion, 1. Sunday School: officers, 10; teachers, 35; pupils, 290. Parish societies, 6; number of members, 251.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$121.21; total for Parish Support, \$5,772.03; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$999.22; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,688.76; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$2,042.23; total Receipts, \$10,623.45; Sum Total, \$10,623.45.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$5,157.17; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$298.53; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$1,130.07; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$721.93; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,608.62; total of Expenditures, \$8,916.32; amount of Balances, \$1,707.13; Sum Total, \$10,623.45.

CHRIST CHURCH

Short Hills

Essex Co.

The Rev'd C. Malcolm Douglas, *Rector*; Wm. Fellowes Morgan, James R. Strong, *Wardens*; Henry F. Twitchell, *Clerk*; James R. Strong, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 6; adults, 2; total, 8; confirmed, 1; marriage, 1; burials, 2; baptized persons, 460. Communicants: last reported, 205; present number, 222. Services: Sundays, 54; Holy Days, 10; other days, 18; total, 82. Holy Communion: Sundays, 24; Holy Days, 7; total, 31; private communions, 3. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 8; pupils, 90. Parish societies, 6; number of members, 236.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$5,236.07; total for Parish Support, \$6,880.50; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$48,219.34; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$27.36; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$5,893.45; total Receipts, \$66,256.72; Sum Total, \$66,256.72.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$6,315.42; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$51,180.60; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$41.04; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,363.94; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$4,606.88; total of Expenditures, \$63,507.88; amount of Balances, \$2,748.84; Sum Total, \$66,256.72.

HOLY COMMUNION

South Orange

Essex Co.

The Rev'd George A. Hanna, *Rector*; Thomas G. Conway, Phineas P. Chew, *Wardens*; Edwin S. Allen, *Clerk*; Harry J. Schnell, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 37; total, 37; confirmed, 17; marriages, 5; burials, 6; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 582; present number, 520. Services: Sundays, 188; Holy Days, 42; other days, 38; total, 268. Holy Communion: Sundays, 63; Holy Days, *s.*; other days, *s.*; total, 115; private communions, 12. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 19; pupils, 206. Parish societies, *s.*; number of members, *s.*

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$11,760.19; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$3,395.02; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$675.09; total Receipts reported, \$15,830.30; Sum Total reported, \$15,830.30.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$8,917.22; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$3,900.67; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$824.13; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,987.37; total of Expenditures reported, \$15,629.39; amount of Balances, \$200.91; Sum Total reported, \$15,830.30.

ST. ANDREW'S

South Orange

Essex Co.

The Rev'd F. Creswick Todd, *Rector*; Robert Y. Hebden, Henry P. Winter, *Wardens*; Robert W. Macbeth, *Clerk*; Matthew V. B. Brinckerhoff, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 12; total, 12; confirmed, 17; marriages, 6; burials, 6; baptized persons, *550. Communicants: last reported, 340; present number, 340. Services: Sundays, 65; Holy Days, 2; other days, 5; total, 70. Holy Communion: Sundays, 63; Holy Days, 10; other days, 6; total, 79; private communions, 2. Sunday School: officers, 8; teachers, 20; pupils, 140. Parish societies, 8; number of members, 266.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last report, \$1,768.32; total for Parish Support, \$15,643.11; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$250.00; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$633.51; total Receipts, \$18,294.94; Sum Total, \$18,294.94.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$7,937.06; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$8,275.82; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$498.74; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$470.13; total of Expenditures, \$17,181.75; amount of Balances, \$1,113.19; Sum Total, \$18,294.94.

Christ Mission**Stanhope****Sussex Co.**

The Rev'd William M. Mitcham, *Priest in charge*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 2; total, 2; confirmed, 6; marriages, 2; burials, 2; baptized persons, *100. Communicants: last reported, 59; present number, 63. Services: Sundays, 52; Holy Days and other days, 27; total, 79. Holy Communion: Sundays and Holy Days, 14; total, 14. Sunday School: teacher, 1; pupils, 26.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$131.76; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$20.44; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$9.68; total Receipts, \$161.88; amount of Deficits, \$26.21; Sum Total, \$188.09.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$169.75; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$7.34; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$5.55; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$5.45; total of Expenditures, \$188.09; Sum Total, \$188.09.

CALVARY**Summit****Union Co.**

The Rev'd Walter O. Kinsolving, *Rector*; the Rev'd Walker Gwynne, D.D., *Rector Emeritus*; J. Clifford Woodhull, Frank L. Crawford, *Wardens*; Henry Truslow, *Clerk*; Hermann de Selding, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 13; adult, 1; total, 14; confirmed, 26; marriages, 9; burials, 17; baptized persons, 1,170. Communicants: last reported, 715; present number, 720. Services: Sundays, 129; Holy Days, 15; other days, 86; total, 230. Holy Communion: Sundays, 64; Holy Days, 41; other days, 35; total, 131; private communions, 9. Sunday School: officers, 7; teachers, 20; pupils, 197. Parish societies, 14; number of members, 383.

FINANCIAL REPORT FROM APRIL 1, 1916, TO DECEMBER 31, 1916.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$10.92; total for Parish Support, \$11,246.28; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$3,346.45; total Receipts, \$14,603.65; Sum Total, \$14,603.65.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$9,341.48; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$1,470.20; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$1,098.20; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$2,316.24; total of Expenditures, \$14,226.12; amount of Balances, \$377.53; Sum Total, \$14,603.65.

ATONEMENT

Tenafly

Bergen Co.

The Rev'd Elwyn H. Spear, *Rector*; Herbert Coppel, *Wardens*;
George J. H. Follmer, *Clerk*; John V. Sinsabaugh, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 4; adult, 1; total, 5; burials, 3; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 173; present number, 173. Services: Sundays, 33; Holy Days, 9; other days, 9; total, 51. Holy Communion: Sundays, 38; Holy Days, 15; other days, 9; total, 62. Sunday School: officers, 3; teachers, 11; pupils, 100. Parish societies, 2; number of members, 55.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$196.31; total for Parish Support, \$3,042.13; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$528.02; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$313.79; total Receipts, \$4,080.25; Sum Total, \$4,080.25.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,065.51; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$580.02; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$185.89; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$172.45; total of Expenditures, \$4,003.87; amount of Balances, \$76.38; Sum Total, \$4,080.25.

REMARKS—The report for the number of services is from November, 1916, at which time the new Rector took charge of the Parish.

GRACE

Town of Union

Hudson Co.

The Rev'd George P. Armstrong, *Rector*; Robert C. Dixon, jr., Edward Fetterly, *Wardens*; Arnold Rippe, *Clerk*; B. N. Kimbark, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 31; total, 31; confirmed, 34; marriages, 21; burials, 26; baptized persons, *s.* Communicants: last reported, 544; present number, 560. Services: Sundays, 81; Holy Days, 11; other days, 58; total, 150. Holy Communion: Sundays, 66; Holy Days, *s.*; other days, 96; total, 162; private communions, 3. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 19; pupils, 260. Parish societies, *s.*; number of members, *s.*

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$2,961.79; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$451.19; total Receipts reported, \$3,413.70; amount of Deficits, *s.*; Sum Total reported, \$3,413.70.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,725.69; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$967.98; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$124.24; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$300.54; total of Expenditures reported, \$4,118.45; amount of Balances, *s.*; Sum Total reported, \$4,118.45.

REMARKS—The Mission of the Transfiguration, Woodcliff, has had a very promising year. The Sunday School, which has grown, continues to hold sessions at three o'clock; a Service is also held each Sunday at four o'clock. Three of the class confirmed at Grace Church were from the Mission. The money in hand from all sources, for land, is now about \$800.00.

ST. JAMES'

Montclair (Upper)

Essex Co.

(See St. James', Montclair.)

St. George's

(Vailsburgh) Newark

Essex Co.

(See St. George's, Newark.)

ST. THOMAS'

Vernon

Sussex Co.

The Rev'd Edgar L. Cook, *in charge*; Henry B. DeKay, Thomas W. DeKay, *Wardens*; Thomas W. DeKay, *Clerk*; Albert Furman, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 3; adult, 1; total, 4; confirmed, 1; marriage, 1; burial, 1; baptized persons, 30. Communicants: last reported, 25; present number, 31. Services: Sundays, 38; total, 38. Holy Communion: Sundays, 14; total, 14. Sunday School: officers, *x*; teachers, *x*; pupils, *x*. Parish societies, *x*; number of members, *x*.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last report, \$40.00; total for Parish Support, \$384.36; total Receipts, \$424.36; Sum Total, \$424.36.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$257.11; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$21.00; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$20.00; total of Expenditures, \$298.11; amount of Balances, \$126.25; Sum Total, \$424.36.

St. Peter's

Washington

Warren Co.

The Rev'd George H. Young, *Missionary*; Harvey E. Taylor, *Clerk*; William C. Christine, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 2; adult, 1; total, 3; confirmed, 2; marriages, 3; burials, 5; baptized persons, 126. Communicants: last reported, 69; present number, 78. Services: Sundays, 110; Holy Days, 14; other days, 22; total, 146. Holy Communion: Sundays, 56; Holy Days, 10; total, 66; private communions, 4. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 3; pupils, 28. Parish societies, 4; number of members, 73.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$627.27; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$14.98; total for Parish Guilds, etc., \$25.30; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$87.37; total Receipts, \$754.92; Sum Total, \$754.92.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$581.86; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$36.88; total of Parish Guilds, etc., \$4.30; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$44.48; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$40.28; total of Expenditures, \$707.80; amount of Balances, \$47.12; Sum Total, \$754.92.

Christ Mission

West Englewood

Bergen Co.

The Rev'd Carl A. H. Stridsberg, *Missionary*; Fairchild N. Ferry, *Warden*; Ronald Thorn, *Clerk*; Z. Demarest Race, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptized persons, *95. Communicants: present number, *35. Services: Sundays, 80; Holy Days, 2; other days, 5; total, 87. Holy Communion: Sundays, 1; Holy Days, 1; total, 2. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 4; pupils, 30. Parish societies, 1; number of members, 30.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$6,265.14; total Receipts, \$6,265.14; Sum Total, \$6,265.14.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$467.52; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$5,722.62; total of Expenditures, \$6,190.14; amount of Balances, \$75.00; Sum Total, \$6,265.14.

ST. JOHN'S

West Hoboken

Hudson Co.

The Rev'd Frederick B. Bartlett, *Rector*; Edward P. Schwartz, William H. Sillery, *Wardens*; B. F. Kuncken, *Clerk*; William H. Sillery, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 33; adults, 4; total, 37; confirmed, 36; marriages, 21; burials, 26; baptized persons, 1,750. Communicants: last reported, 795; present number, 822. Services: Sundays, 164; Holy Days, 11; other days, 64; total, 239. Holy Communion: Sundays, 51; Holy Days, 8; other days, *x*; total, 59; private communions, 10. Sunday School: officers, 12; teachers, 38; pupils, 500. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 32. Parish societies, 8; number of members, 293.

RECEIPTS—Total for Parish Support, \$4,430.58; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$3,011.41; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$537.46; total Receipts, \$7,979.45; Sum Total, \$7,979.45.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$3,036.35; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$3,369.91; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$305.25; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$201.56; total of Expenditures, \$6,913.07; amount of Balances, \$1,066.38; Sum Total, \$7,979.45.

Holy Innocents'

West Orange

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Alfred W. Arundel, D.D., *Missionary*; T. H. Powers Farr, *Warden and Clerk*; Douglas F. Cox, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 5; total, 5; confirmed, 8; burial, 1; baptized persons, *300. Communicants: last reported, 83; present number, 91. Services: Sundays, 52; Holy Days, 6; other days, 6; total, 64. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; Holy Days, 6; other days, 6; total, 24; private communions, 3. Sunday School: officer and teacher, 1; pupils, *50. Parish societies, 1; number of members, 25.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$195.80; total for Parish Support, \$3,301.23; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$16.59; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$207.14; total Receipts, \$3,720.76; Sum Total, \$3,720.76.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,514.76; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$185.21; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$285.76; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$100.94; total of Expenditures, \$3,086.67; amount of Balances, \$634.09; Sum Total, \$3,720.76.

ST. MARK'S

(West) Orange

Essex Co.

(See St. Mark's, Orange.)

HOLY TRINITY

West Orange

Essex Co.

The Rev'd Otho F. Humphreys, *Rector*; Alfred G. Williams, Joseph Stevens, *Wardens*; William L. Ramage, *Clerk*; Alfred G. Williams, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 42; adults, 9; total, 51; confirmed, 71; marriages, 4; burials, 8; baptized persons, 750. Communicants: last reported, 250; present number, 250. Services: Sundays, 170; Holy Days, 6; other days, 48; total, 224. Holy Communion: Sundays, 24; Holy Days, 2; other days, *x*; total, 26; private communions, 3. Sunday School: officers, 5; teachers, 22; pupils, 260. Bible Classes: teachers, 2; members, 18. Parish societies, 7; number of members, 217.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$17.09; total for Parish Support, \$2,817.77; total for Purposes outside the Parish, \$361.74; total Receipts, \$3,196.60; Sum Total, \$3,196.60.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$2,009.62; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$866.35; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$118.12; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$143.75; total of Expenditures, \$3,137.84; amount of Balances, \$58.76; Sum Total, \$3,196.60.

Grace

Westwood

Bergen Co.

(In charge of the Archdeacon); R. M. Hart, *Warden*; R. J. Wilson, *Clerk*; Robert H. Dye, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, *s*; adults, *s*; total, *s*; confirmed, *s*; marriages, *s*; burials, *s*; baptized persons, 135. Communicants: last reported, 88; present number, 60. Services: Sundays, *s*; Holy Days, *s*; other days, *s*; total, *s*. Holy Communion: Sundays, *s*; Holy Days, *s*; other days, *s*; total, *s*; private communions, *s*. Sunday School: officers, *s*; teachers, *s*; pupils, *s*. Parish societies, *s*; number of members, *s*.

RECEIPTS—Total Receipts reported, \$761.90; Sum Total reported, \$761.90.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$665.31; total of Expenditures, \$665.31; amount of Balances, \$96.59; Sum Total, \$761.90.

St. Paul's

Woodridge

Bergen Co.

The Rev'd Percy C. Bissell, *Missionary*; C. J. Gwinn, *Clerk*; Frederick Scriven, *Treasurer*.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 1; total, 1; marriage, 1; baptized persons, 50. Communicants: last reported, 30; present number, 47. Services: Sundays, 52; total, 52. Holy Communion: Sundays, 12; total, 12. Sunday School: officers, 2; teachers, 6; pupils, 45. Parish societies, 1; number of members, 15.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$43.04; total for Parish Support, \$355.09; total for Special Parochial Purposes, \$450.00; total Receipts, \$848.13; Sum Total, \$848.13.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$190.08; total of other Parochial Expenses, \$46.87; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$15.96; total of Extra-Diocesan Expenditures, \$13.80; total of Expenditures, \$266.71; amount of Balances, \$581.42; Sum Total, \$848.13.

Christ Chapel

Wortendyke

Bergen Co.

The Rev'd Denham H. Quinn, (Ohio), *in charge*; Samuel Stanford, *Clerk*; Adolph Schleicher, *Treasurer*.

PAROCHIAL REPORT FROM JANUARY 1, 1916, TO JANUARY 1, 1917.

STATISTICS—Baptisms: children, 1; total, 1; confirmed, 48; marriages, 3; burial, 1; baptized persons, 112. Communicants: last reported, 48; present number, 48. Services: Sundays, 24; other days, 9; total, 33. Holy Communion: Sundays, 5; other days, 1; total, 6. Sunday School: officers, 4; teachers, 4; pupils, *s*. Parish societies, 3; number of members, 31.

RECEIPTS—Balance as in last Report, \$269.32; total for Parish Support, \$755.19; total Receipts, \$1,024.51; Sum Total, \$1,024.51.

EXPENDITURES—Total of Current Expenses, \$797.70; total of Diocesan Expenditures, \$11.00; total of Expenditures, \$808.70; amount of Balances, \$215.81; Sum Total, \$1,024.51.

Personal Reports

As required by Canon 49, Section one, of the General Code, have been received from the following named Clergymen canonically resident in this Diocese: James F. Aitkins, Edgar W. Anderson, William S. Bishop, D.D., William D. P. Bliss, Norman T. Boggs, John J. Bridges, Edgar E. Brooks, William P. Brush, Edwin E. Butler, John F. Butterworth, D.D., Frederick B. Carter, Arthur L. Charles, Charles L. Cooder, D.D., Edward J. Cooper, John W. Craig, George G. Daland, Burnham N. Dell, George M. Dorwart, Charles C. Edmunds, D.D., Augustine Elmendorf, James H. S. Fair, John C. Fair, John G. Fawcett, Horatio K. Garnier, Rowland K. Gimson, Stephen H. Granberry, Walker Gwynne, D.D., William H. A. Hall, Walter Handley, John C. Hewlett, William A. B. Holmes, Gordon D. Hoxsey, William R. Jenvey, D.D., Levi Johnston, Mercer G. Johnston, Jesse C. Joralemon, John Keller, Henry M. Kirkby, William A. Long, William H. C. Lylburn, Henry A. McNulty, Horatio W. Maguire, Everard P. Miller, Ray O. Miller, Frank C. Morrell, Charles E. C. Oswald, George M. Plaskett, Herbert G. Purchase, William Richmond, Vernon D. Ruggles, Harmon C. St. Clair, Ernest P. S. Spencer, Nassau S. Stephens, Alonzo Cushman Stewart, Edward L. Stoddard, Ph.D., Elbert B. Taylor, William J. Tilley, Wynant Vanderpool, William G. Webb, David T. Weidner, M. Lloyd Woolsey.

Reports were not received from the following named Clergymen: Lyman J. Howes, Lawrence S. Kent, Aika Peter Tulp.

Statistics of the Diocese

MAY 1, 1916, TO APRIL 30, 1917.

[From the Bishops' Addresses, Parochial and Missionary Reports.]

Clergymen canonically belonging to the Diocese.....	165
Diocesan Clergy not residing within the Diocese.....	36
Parishes and Missions.....	139
Parishes in Union with the Convention.....	83
Parish not in Union with the Convention.....	1
Clergymen ordained in the Diocese.....	*15
Clergymen received from other Dioceses.....	16
Clergymen deceased.....	3
Clergymen transferred to other Dioceses.....	13
Candidates for Holy Orders.....	11
Postulants.....	13
Baptisms—Adults, 291; Children, 2,451.....	2,742
Confirmed (taken from Bishops' Addresses).....	2,388
Communicants.....	41,437
Marriages.....	1,116
Burials.....	2,130
Sunday-school Officers.....	522
Sunday-school Teachers.....	2,089
Sunday-school Pupils and Bible Class members.....	20,135
Current expenses in Parishes and Missions.....	\$450,809.58
(One Congregation does not report this item.)	
Receipts from all sources.....	\$1,010,138.42
(One Congregation does not report this item.)	

OFFERINGS AND CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial.....	\$831,191.92
Diocesan.....	33,051.41
Extra—Diocesan.....	73,138.56
Total	\$937,381.89

*Including one Priest for the Bishop of the Missionary District of Arizona; one Priest at the request of the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese of Colorado; one Deacon for the Bishop of West Texas; one Deacon for the Bishop of Long Island.

Appendix II

REPORTS OF HOSPITALS, HOMES, ETC.

Hospital of St. Barnabas, Newark.

[Incorporated 13 February, 1867.]

President, (ex-officio), the Rt. Rev'd Edwin S. Lines, D.D.; *Vice-President,* the Rt. Rev'd Wilson R. Stearly, D.D.; *Chairman of the Board of Trustees,* the Rev'd John S. Miller; *Secretary,* William Pennington, 800 Broad St., Newark, N. J.; *Treasurer,* Thomas W. Jackson, 107 Hamilton St., Newark, N. J. In charge of the Sisterhood of St. Margaret; *Superintendent of the Hospital,* Sister Emma Margaret; *Superintendent of Nurses,* Helen C. Howes; *Chaplain,* the Rev'd Charles H. Wells.

Inmates (full capacity), 103; nurses, 31; instructors in Training School for Nurses, 10; pupil nurses, 28; probationers, 3; annual income, \$51,452.56; endowment fund, \$225,000.00. Patients treated last year—Indoor, 1,724; Outdoor, 7,868.

FIFTY-FIRST ANNUAL REPORT.

(CONDENSED)

TRUSTEES OF THE HOSPITAL OF ST. BARNABAS.

May 1, 1917.

During the past year the work of the Hospital has been carried on as usual. It has been larger in the number of patients treated, by nearly 10%, than in any previous year of the history of the institution. As there has been no increase either in the staff or in the accommodations, this has meant constantly harder work for doctors and nurses, and a house filled to capacity most of the time. The following summary gives some idea of the amount of work done during the year.

Total number of patients treated May 1, 1916, to April 30, 1917, was as follows: Remaining May 1, 1916, 82; admitted during year, 1,642; total treated, 1,724; discharged, 1,576; died, 66; remaining May 1, 1917, 82; free patients, 754; ward, pay patients, 548; private patients, 340; total, 1,642. Out-patient Department—Total number of new patients in out-patient department, 2,921; total number of patients treated, 7,868.

In the above record 17 different religious beliefs are represented, 27 nationalities and 54 occupations; there were 518 men treated, 712 women and 412 children.

The graduates of the Training School for Nurses now number 152. There are 28 pupils in the school, and three probationers. Nine nurses graduated this year. Bishop Lines and the Rev'd Charles L. Gomph, Rector of Grace Church, Newark, made a brief address at the graduating exercises held in the Hospital Chapel on May 2nd.

The Treasurer reports that the disbursements last year were \$49,683.51, including interest on mortgages and loans of \$1,537.50. The Hospital received from board of patients, \$30,082.18; from interest on endowment, \$10,542.93; from the Guild of Saint Barnabas, \$3,041; from Churches and Sunday Schools, \$2,650.45; from the City of Newark, \$2,500.00; from general donations, \$2,636.00; making, together with the balance on hand at the beginning of the year, a total of \$54,107.00. The Endowment Fund has been increased by several bequests, and is now about \$225,000. The

mortgage of \$27,000 on the Hospital still remains, and also a note for \$9,000. The Trustees have authorized the Treasurer to borrow \$12,000 for the Pathological Laboratory, now building. A contribution of \$1,000 for this building has been received.

While the receipts for the year were \$3,000 larger than in the preceding year, the necessary expenditures for the maintenance of the Hospital have been increased proportionately on account of the higher cost of food and all supplies. The general maintenance bill was more than 20% larger than the year before. As prices seem likely to raise still more, the friends of the Hospital are urged to support its work as generously as possible by their contributions and gifts. It is especially hoped that contributions will be made for the building of the Pathological Laboratory, which will cost about \$12,000.00. It would be a splendid thing if this amount, or a large part of it, could be given outright. We could thus avoid further indebtedness at this time.

During the past year several improvements have been made in the plant; new plumbing and tiling have been put in the sterilizing room; a new incinerator and hot water heater installed in the kitchen; and various rooms painted. Most important of all, work has been started on the Pathological Laboratory, which, when completed, will make possible a very important branch of our work, and put St. Barnabas' in the first rank of modern hospitals.

Certain things are greatly needed at present, viz.: a new electric dumb waiter for carrying food from kitchen to the upper floors, a new ice chest, fresh paint, especially in the women's ward; and iron fence in front of the Nurses' Home on High Street, etc. We hope that some of our friends will be moved to supply these needs.

Once more the Trustees desire to place on record their appreciation of the faithful services of the Sisters of St. Margaret, in charge of the Hospital; the Chaplain, the Doctors and Nurses, and the Treasurer, Mr. Thomas W. Jackson, who devotes himself tirelessly to the interests of the Hospital. Also their gratitude to the Guild of the Hospital of St. Barnabas, The St. Barnabas Junior Guild, St. Catherine's Guild, and to all those who by their gifts and labors have contributed to the work and helpfulness of the Hospital.

The Trustees have offered the two large wards to the Government for use if needed during the time of war, and stand ready to do everything in their power to assist the Government in this most important department of war duty.

JOHN S. MILLER,
ALBERT W. H. THOMPSON,
CHARLES L. GOMPE.

Christ Hospital, Jersey City.

[Organized, 1873; incorporated, 1874.]

Honorary President, the Right Rev'd Edwin S. Lines, D.D.; *President*, the Rev'd Malcolm A. Shipley, jr.; *Vice-President*, Marshall Van Winkle; *Secretary*, John G. Crawford, 10 Franklin Place, Montclair; *Treasurer*, Richard Stevens, 1 Newark St., Hoboken; *Chaplain*, the Rev'd Frederic E. Mortimer; *Counsel*, William G. Bumsted, Esq., Jersey City.

Inmates (full capacity), 125; nurses, 31; instructors in Training School for Nurses, 12; pupil nurses, 24; probationers, 7; annual income, \$68,961.65; endowment fund, \$156,648.67. Patients treated in last year, Indoor, 2,406; Dispensary, 5,408; total, 7,814.

FORTY-THIRD ANNUAL REPORT.
(CONDENSED)
COUNCIL OF CHRIST HOSPITAL.

For the Year Ending December 31, 1916.

The past year of work in Christ Hospital has been notable for two things, first, for the large work it has done in the care of the sick, larger than for two years past, and secondly, for the especial strain on its finances, caused by the unusual conditions in these days of the great war. The Hospital faces some glaring needs. The first is the need of a Maternity Ward—and the second is a suitable home for the Nurses, built on the Hospital grounds; but while the present conditions prevail, it is simply impossible for the Council to consider such a proposition, its whole attention being turned toward financing the Hospital as it stands. With the drawbacks encountered through lack of room, still the high efficiency of the Hospital has been maintained, and the greatest economy consistent with the highest standard has been practiced.

There are one or two facts that stand out as somewhat remarkable. The first is that 2,406 patients were treated in the Hospital in the past year, as against 2,171 of the year before. The second fact is that the wages paid to nearly every one of the employees of the Hospital, not including those connected with the office and the nursing departments, have been increased, averaging from four to ten dollars a month. This was a matter of sheer necessity. Again, every one having to maintain a household knows that the price of foodstuffs has increased—some ten per cent., and others as much as twenty-five per cent. While this is true of foodstuffs, the price of drugs has soared—some as high as 1,000 per cent.

The number of patients treated in private rooms has increased a little over ten per cent., while the number of patients in the wards who pay in full has decreased ten per cent.; the part pay and entirely free patients are somewhat larger in number than last year. In other words, out of 2,339 patients treated, 1,322 of them could pay little or nothing. It is for this thirteen hundred that Christ Hospital must appeal to the generous and loving hearts of the people in this community, to provide the means of nursing them back to life and health. The report of the Treasurer shows a total of receipts \$68,961.65, an increase over the year before of \$2,734.63, while the expenditures amounted to \$76,350.48, an increase over the year before of \$7,366.20.

Early in October, 1916, following the epidemic of infantile paralysis, provision was quickly made for the special "after treatment" of these very unfortunate patients. Two suitable and sunny rooms in close proximity to the dispensary department were found and fitted up with the necessary equipment for the special work. The services of two trained operators to administer massage and practice muscle-training were secured. One masseuse is in attendance each week-day morning from nine until twelve. A physician is also in attendance a part of each clinic day. One hundred and thirteen of the badly crippled survivors of the epidemic have been entered for treatment. Each day an average of fifteen to twenty of these patients call at the clinic and receive advice and treatment. Many of them are being supplied and fitted with costly apparatus furnished at the expense of the fund raised by the efforts of the County Committee.

MALCOLM A. SHEPLEY, JR., *President.*
JOHN G. CRAWFORD, *Secretary.*

Widows' Home, Hoboken.

[Organized, 1860.]

Trustees, the Right Rev'd the Bishop, the Rev'd G. Ernest Magill, the Rev'd Waldo A. Amos, Messrs. John H. Cuntz, George Horwood; *Secretary*, the Rev'd Malcolm A. Shipley, Jr.; *Treasurer*, Mr. Richard Stevens; *Managers: President*, Mrs. H. Otto Wittpean; *Secretary and Treasurer*, Mrs. J. Clayton Mitchell; Mrs. Waldo A. Amos, Mrs. Thomas J. Gillespie, Mrs. Anna Schmiedeskamp, Mrs. C. Irving Simon, Mrs. Robert L. Stevens; *Warden and Chaplain*, the Rev'd G. Ernest Magill.

Inmates (full capacity), 9; annual income, \$2,000.36; endowments, \$30,000.00.

This Home was endowed in 1838 by Mrs. Rachel Stevens, to provide a home for Churchwomen who are widows not less than sixty years of age.

Alms House Missionary Society.

Executive Committee: President, Miss Emma V. Gordon; *Vice-President*, Mrs. Austen H. McGregor; *Secretary*, Mrs. Frank A. B. Page; *Treasurer*, Mrs. John Townley; Mrs. Edwin S. Lines, Mrs. Henry R. Kingsley, Mrs. H. J. F. Wallhauser, Mrs. Wallace Durand, Miss Edna Dawson; *Missionary*, the Rev'd Wynant Vanderpool.

First service held in the City Alms House, March 29, 1878.

Services are held on Sundays and Fridays and the Priest is assisted in maintaining them by a choir of boys. Members of the Society also visit the inmates, and show their sympathetic interest in the care of the poor and the aged and infirm. They provide magazines and other reading matter.

For thirty-nine years this Society has provided a Christmas feast for all the inmates of the Newark Alms House, following the usual Christmas service, conducted by the Rev'd Wynant Vanderpool, in the Chapel, at which carols are sung by the choirs of Grace Church, Newark.

This is the only organized society of Christians regularly engaged in religious and philanthropic work at the Alms House. Its annual meeting is held in the first week in Advent.

No appropriations are received from the Diocese for this Mission.

The Rev'd Wynant Vanderpool held the first service and continues to minister gratuitously and faithfully.

Churchwomen of the City of Newark and vicinity are invited to correspond with the officers of the Society; to contribute money and materials for its work; and to become active or associate members.

House of the Good Shepherd, Orange.

[Organized, 1885.]

President, the Rev'd Charles E. Hutchison; *Vice-President*, the Rev'd Dwight W. Graham; *Secretary*, Mrs. Francis E. Brockett, 185 Prospect St., East Orange; *Treasurer*, William Read Howe, Orange; *Chaplain*, the Rev'd Charles T. Walkley; *Chairman of Committee on Admissions*, Mrs. F. E. Martin, South Orange, N. J.

Inmates (full capacity), 36; endowment, \$69,300.62; annual income, about \$10,000.00.

The institution is a home for aged men and women. At present there are 29 inmates, who are supported therein by friends or parishes. The income of the institution is supplemented by gifts from the parishes in the Oranges. The cost of maintaining an inmate is \$25 a month; \$40 for a married couple, to those responsible; all extra cost being met by gifts of friends interested in the home. Old people are received from anywhere in the State of New Jersey.

MARGARET W. BROCKETT,
Secretary.

St. Katharine's Home, Jersey City.

[Organized, 1890.]

Under the charge of the Sisters of St. Margaret. *Executive Committee: Warden and Chaplain*, the Rev'd Frederic E. Mortimer; *Treasurer*, Mrs. H. Otto Wittpenn, 125 Kensington Ave., Jersey City, N. J.; *Secretary*, Mrs. J. E. Pope, 73 Prospect St., East Orange, N. J.; Mrs. H. A. Groesbeck, jr., Mrs. J. W. Howell; *Attending Physician*, William Freile, M.D.; Members of the Advisory Board, about 40.

Sisters, 3; helpers, 1; inmates (full capacity), 15; annual income, \$3,423.07.

This Home receives and cares for unmarried mothers and their babies.

City Mission of Newark, N. J.

[Organized, 1912; incorporated, 1913.]

Object: "To provide the ministrations of religion for inmates of the public institutions of Newark and its vicinity, and to undertake such other religious and charitable work as may be properly done by a City Missionary Society." *President*, the Right Rev'd the Bishop; *Chairman, Executive Committee*, the Rev'd Charles L. Gomph; *Secretary*, Mr. Percy S. Young, 80 Park Place, Newark, N. J.; *Treasurer*, Mr. Morrison C. Colyer, Firemen's Insurance Building, Newark, N. J., (to whom contributions should be sent); *Chaplain*, the Rev'd Charles L. Cosder, D.D., 49 Halsey St., Newark, N. J.; *Board of Trustees*, the Rt. Rev'd Edwin S. Lines, D.D., *ex-officio*; the Rt. Rev'd Wilson R. Stearly, D.D., *ex-officio*; the Rev'd John S. Miller, the Rev'd Albert W. H. Thompson, the Rev'd John C. Donnell, the Rev'd F. Creswick Todd, the Rev'd Edwin A. White, D.C.L., the Rev'd Dwight W. Graham, the Rev'd Charles L. Gomph, the Rev'd Henry V. B. Darlington, the Rev'd C. Malcolm Douglass, the Rev'd Luke M. White, the Rev'd Albert M. Farr, Mr. Morrison C. Colyer, Mr. Harry M. Marble, Mr. Albert H. Baldwin, Mr. Edward G. Quinlan, Mr. Cortlandt Parker, Mr. John W. Howell, Mr. Theodore D. Gottlieb, Mr. James Smith, Mr. Percy S. Young, Mr. G. Wisner Thorne, Mr. Edwin S. Allen.

REPORT TO CONVENTION.

The City Mission of Newark, N. J., has practically rounded out five years of active service in the public institutions of Essex County. It provides a pastor who makes daily visits to the inmates of institutions, and who is available day or night to meet emergency calls for the services of a minister.

Attention is especially called to the fact that the work of the City Mission is not, as the corporate title might suggest, confined to the city of Newark, but includes also the Essex County institutions, which are visited regularly at appointed hours. Some of the County institutions have very graciously made mention of the visits of the Chaplain of the City Mission in their annual reports.

During the past year the capacity of all the hospitals has been greatly taxed, the daily total population being somewhat over three thousand, and the ever changing accession list amounting to over five hundred a week the year through. This defines the opportunity open to the City Mission for pastoral work among the afflicted. The chief work of the Chaplain is that of pastor to the overlooked, the strangers and the neglected.

There are eighteen public institutions on the regular visiting list of the Chaplain, the Rev'd Charles L. Cooder, D.D., and to these visits are made at stated hours, while other institutions are visited according to circumstances and when certain cases demand attention. Regular visits to the County Jail and Penitentiary are made each week, and the inmates are seen personally. The Chaplain, Dr. Cooder, is a member of the Prisoners' Aid Society of Caldwell Penitentiary, and available for any help that can be rendered to the discharged prisoners.

The aim of the City Mission is to come in personal contact and living touch with the great company of dependents, some insane, some deserted and cast out by former friends, some condemned criminals, some fighting out a hard struggle for life on the lonely ward of a hospital, others handicapped from birth by physical or mental weakness, and to minister to these, and yet others, the religion of our blessed Lord. Many persons in the hospital have friends and clergy to visit them, but there are thousands who have no such visitors; there are also the contagious wards, the dreary tuberculosis camps, the so-called unclean wards, and many conditions under which the most kindly amateur visitor will find himself under some disadvantage.

Three times a week the Chaplain of the City Mission holds a short service for the burial of the poor who are cared for by the city. One out of every eleven burials in the city is conducted by the Chaplain of the City Mission. Formerly there was no provision whatever for such services, nor were the attendant conditions as humane as at present, when it is known that a clergyman will be on hand to conduct a service.

A daily record is kept of institutions visited, baptisms, burials, special services for the sick, and of various items which from time to time may be of statistical value. During the Diocesan year the Chaplain, the Rev'd Dr. Charles L. Cooder, has made 1,029 visits to public institutions, and has personally called upon 11,642 inmates. There have been 268 baptisms and 571 burials, of which a record is kept, which is a duplicate of the city record. The Holy Communion has been given to the sick 334 times, inclusive of frequent repetitions in the case of chronic invalids. Not a few who have been out of touch with the Church for a long time have found great comfort in these ministrations.

The City Mission desires to express its appreciation of the generous courtesy of the clergy in inviting the Chaplain to present the cause of the Mission in their parishes and in other ways endorsing the work. It may be stated that the Chaplain is available for meetings of Men's Clubs, Auxiliary meetings, and other parochial gatherings. Thus favored by the clergy, the Chaplain has made fifty-three visits to Churches during the year, preaching or making an address, and has celebrated or assisted at the Holy Communion thirty-six times, and has taken part in twenty-one week-day meetings of parochial or public nature.

The newly organized Diocesan Altar Guild has presented a small communion set to be used exclusively on the tuberculosis wards. The C. P. C. and other interested friends have contributed magazines, of which 966 have been distributed on the wards. More than a dozen babies for whom no provision had been made have been supplied with complete outfits of new material. Outside visits have been made and letters written in behalf of sick or incarcerated persons who were unable to attend to their

own affairs. The ministrations of the City Mission have been graciously and generously received both by the inmates and the officials in charge of institutions.

The financial support of the City Mission depends on the generosity of especially the people of Essex County. Twenty-five hundred dollars will cover all expenses for a year, and also meet many calls on the Mission for aid and help. There are no overhead charges. This amount necessarily limits the work and a larger sum could be put to most excellent service. The clergy have been most generous in commending the City Mission to the attention of their people, for which the Board of Trustees desires to express its thanks.

P. S. YOUNG,
Secretary.

Newark, N. J., May 22d, 1917.

The Bonnie Brae Farm for Boys.

BOARD OF MANAGERS: *Chairman*, Mr. H. V. Osborne, South Orange; *Treasurer*, Mr. Everett Colby, Essex Building, Newark; *Secretary*, the Rev'd Augustine Elmendorf, 871 De Graw Ave., Newark; the Rt. Rev'd Wilson R. Stearly, D.D., 60 Berkeley Ave., Newark; the Rev'd Charles K. Hutchison, 14 Prospect Terrace, East Orange; the Rev'd Albert W. H. Thompson, 828 De Graw Ave., Newark; the Rev'd Victor W. Mori, Madison; Mrs. Sidney Colgate, Centre St., Orange; Mr. Farley Osgood, 80 Park Place, Newark; Mr. Robert L. Flemming, 15 Exchange Place, Jersey City; Mr. Arthur Townsend, 45 Lloyd Road, Montclair; Mr. A. B. Leach, 321 Scotland Road, South Orange.

Newark Branch, Woman's Auxiliary.

Honorary President, Mrs. Edwin S. Lines; *President*, Mrs. Joseph W. Danforth, Christ Church, East Orange; *Vice-Presidents*, Mrs. Wilson R. Stearly, 60 Berkeley Avenue, Newark; Mrs. J. Hull Browning, Atonement, Tenafly; Mrs. Decatur M. Sawyer, St. Luke's, Montclair; Mrs. John W. Howell, Grace, Newark; Miss Violet Bennett (in charge of Young Woman's Auxiliary), St. Luke's, Montclair; *Treasurer*, Mrs. W. Reginald Baker, Grace, Madison; *Recording Secretary*, Miss Emma C. Clark, Calvary, Summit; *Corresponding Secretary*, Mrs. James S. Alexander, St. Luke's, Montclair; *Treasurer of the United Offering*, Mrs. Henry Gomers, Grace, Orange; *Educational Secretary*, Mrs. John S. Sloane, Christ Church, East Orange; *Secretary for "Spirit of Missions,"* Miss Charlotte Sawyer, St. Luke's, Montclair; *Librarian*, Miss Dorothy Wight, St. Luke's, Montclair; *Junior Auxiliary President*, Mrs. S. V. B. Brewster, Christ Church, East Orange. *Directors: Foreign Missions* (China, Japan and Africa), Mrs. T. H. Powers Farr, Holy Innocents', West Orange; (Mexico, Cuba and Brazil), Mrs. Decatur M. Sawyer. *Box Work: Domestic Missions*, Mrs. Francis E. Cobb, Grace, Orange; *Home Missions to Colored People*, Mrs. G. Everett Hill, St. Mark's, Orange; *Indian Missions*, Miss Rosaline Towar, St. Paul's, Jersey City; *Alaska, Philippines, Honolulu and Porto Rico*, Mrs. H. L. Gantt, St. Luke's, Montclair; *Comfort Club*, Mrs. Charles F. Clark, Grace, Newark. *DIOCESAN MISSIONS*, Mrs. Wm. Read Howe, St. Mark's, Orange.

REPORT TO CONVENTION.

The Woman's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Newark has held regular meetings in Trinity House, Newark, from October, 1916, to May, 1917. The attendance at these meetings has been large, showing growth and increasing interest each year. There are now ninety-one parish branches in the Diocese.

The forty-first anniversary meeting was held in Grace Church, Newark, on Wednesday, November 15, Bishop Lines presiding. Both morning and afternoon sessions

were well attended, and interesting addresses made by Bishop Tucker of Kyoto, Bishop Kinsolving of Southern Brazil, and Bishop Page of Spokane.

Among the speakers from the mission field at our regular meetings have been: Rev'd Shirley H. Nichols from Japan, Rev'd F. D. Lobdell from North Carolina, Bishop Tyler from North Dakota, Mrs. Wetmore from North Carolina, and Miss Parmelee from Alaska.

The Educational Department has had difficulty in supplying leaders for the increasing number of Study Classes this year, showing the growing desire throughout the Diocese for more knowledge and greater interest.

Newark's part in the "Pilgrimage of Prayer," a plan suggested at the General Convention, was observed in the various branches of the Diocese in January, and resulted in awakened interest and renewed effort in many parishes.

While complete reports have not been sent by all parish branches, those thus far received are most encouraging.

Appeals for money and clothing have met with generous response in spite of the many calls from the nations across the water.

Our United Offering Treasurer was the bearer of fourteen thousand (\$14,000) dollars as Newark's share in the offering presented at the Triennial in St. Louis. This was an increase of four thousand (\$4,000) dollars over that of 1913.

The year just closed has been one of great results, and we trust the future will show continued increase and broader vision. The Officers and Directors are always ready to respond to any call from parish branches to visit them and tell of the methods and needs of the Woman's Auxiliary.

At the suggestion of our Diocesan President, Mrs. Joseph W. Danforth, the women of the Auxiliary are ready, where necessary, to organize and co-operate for help in the crisis now facing the nation—rendering such service as may be required of Churchwomen.

Respectfully submitted,

EMMA C. CLARK,
Recording Secretary.

May, 1917.

Girls' Friendly Society:

DIOCESAN OFFICERS: *Honorary President*, Mrs. Henry J. Winsor, 14 Mt. Prospect Place, Newark; *President*, Mrs. Franklin Van Winkle, 297 Broadway, Paterson; *Vice-President*, Miss Grace E. Peters, 117 Clinton Ave., Newark; *Secretary*, Miss Caroline West Colton, 33 Johnson Ave., Newark; *Treasurer*, Mrs. Arthur D. Storey, 314 Seventh Ave., Newark. **DIOCESAN HEADS:** *Commendation*, Miss Ada C. Thomas, 148 Arlington Ave., Jersey City; *Literature*, Mrs. Coleman Kissam, 48 High St., Orange; *Holiday House*, Mrs. James F. Dumphey, 308 Godwin St., Paterson; *Missions*, Mrs. J. Austin Williams, 399 Summer Ave., Newark; *Candidates*, Miss Harriet Schultz, 491 River Road, Nutley; *Social Service*, Miss Elizabeth Clark, 258 Mt. Pleasant Ave., Newark; *Senior Members Club*, Miss Lydia H. Sparkman, 448 Ellison St., Paterson.

Number of Branches, 38; Associates, Members, Probationers, Candidates, and Married Branch Helpers, 2,393.

During the year the Branches have raised for Parochial Objects, Social Service Work, Holiday House, etc., \$3,604.38.

There have been classes and lectures during the year, and considerable work has been done for War Relief by all the Branches.

Two Annual Members' Services were held on Sunday, October 22, 1916: In St. Barnabas' Church, Newark; preacher, the Rev'd Henry V. B. Darlington; and in St. Paul's Church, Englewood; preacher, the Rev'd Dr. Fleming James.

The Annual Meeting, preceded by a service, was held in the Church of the Redeemer, Morristown, November 18, 1916; preacher, the Rev'd Barrett P. Tyler, Rector of the Parish.

Two Members' Conferences have been held: In Trinity House, Newark, April 24, 1917; in St. Paul's, Englewood, May 3, 1917.

Guild of St. Barnabas for Nurses.

The Guild of St. Barnabas for Nurses held its Thirtieth Annual Council at St. Louis, Mo., last October, 1916.

With a membership of about two thousand, it is an organization under the control of the Church, and is patterned after the English organization of the same name. The objects of the Guild as stated in its constitution are:

1. Religious. To assist its members in realizing the dignity of their calling, and in maintaining a high standard of Christian life and work in connection therewith.
2. Social. To provide for nurses some of the comforts and influences resulting from more intimate intercourse with each other and with associate members.

There are twenty-seven Branches of the Guild in as many cities in the United States, and one of them in this Diocese, at Orange, with a membership of 206, of which the Rev'd Charles T. Walkley is Chaplain.

The Guild has for some years supported, through the Board of Missions, a nurse in the mission field; Miss Frederick is at work in Alaska.

The officers for the current year are: *Honorary Chaplain-General*, the Rt. Rev'd Cortlandt Whitehead, S.T.D., Bishop of Pittsburgh; *Chaplain-General*, the Rt. Rev'd Charles Sumner Burch, D.D., Suffragan Bishop of New York; *Vice-Chaplain-General*, the Very Rev'd Carroll Melvin Davis, Dean of Christ Church Cathedral, St. Louis, Mo.; *Honorary and Advisory Secretary-General*, Mrs. William Read Howe, Llewellyn Park, Orange, N. J.; *Secretary-General (Acting)*, Mrs. E. Bowman Leaf, 2027 Walnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.; *Treasurer-General*, Miss Mary E. Stebbins, 453 N. Taylor Ave., St. Louis, Mo.; *Missions Department*, Mrs. L. Ernest Sunderland, 9908 Somerset Ave., Cleveland, Ohio; *Editor*, the Rev'd Dwight Worden Graham, 52 Eppert St., East Orange, N. J.

Brotherhood of St. Andrew, Newark Local Assembly.

President, Walter Kilde, 56 Gates Ave., Montclair; *Vice-President*, Harvey R. Halsey, 51 Prospect St., East Orange; *Secretary*, Anton G. Christensen, 2540 Boulevard, Jersey City; *Treasurer*, Lester Gibson, 21 Monticello Ave., Jersey City; *Chaplain*, the Rev'd James T. Lodge, 59 Montclair Ave., Montclair. *Vice-Presidents*, *Senior Department*, (Newark District), Arthur E. Barlow, 60 Broad St., Newark; (Jersey City District), Henry S. Wiltshire, 66 Van Reipen Ave., Jersey City; (Orange District), Thomas W. Dennison, 61 Montclair Ave., Montclair; (Paterson District), Charles Crane, 19 Randolph St., Passaic; (Bergen District), Stephen H. Smith, Tenafly; *Junior Department*, *Vice-Presidents*, (Newark District), A. Langstaff, 363 Avon Ave.,

Newark; (Jersey City), G. Webb, jr., 15 Garrison Ave., Jersey City; (Orange District), *acting Chairman*, H. R. Halsey; (Paterson District), G. Risdale, 247 Oak St., Passaic; (Bergen District), C. Pfitner, Edgewater; *Members of the National Council*, Walter Kidde, 56 Gates Ave., Montclair; Arthur E. Barlow, 60 Broad St., Newark; Anton G. Christensen, 2540 Boulevard, Jersey City; Thomas W. Dennison, 61 Montclair Ave., Montclair.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY.

The Brotherhood, with the loyal support of the Clergy, was active during the past year in the campaign in the Metropolitan District to secure 1,000 new members, and our efforts resulted in 11 new Chapters. Experienced leaders of the Brotherhood, who were trained for the work by Messrs. Finney and Shelby, Field Secretaries of the National Office, met with selected groups of men in 25 parishes, with the approval of the Rectors, for two months, holding meetings alternate weeks; outlining the spiritual work of the Brotherhood; emphasizing the prayer side of the work; and aided them in conducting Church Attendance Campaigns and Bible Classes. The increase in Church attendance, wherever given a fair trial on the Brotherhood's plans, was remarkable and most satisfactory. But these results must be followed up by the local members to get the permanent results desired.

Church Attendance Campaigns during Advent and Lent were also inaugurated with results that justified the efforts connected therewith.

It would be a splendid thing if every parish and mission in this Diocese could have its own Senior or Junior Chapter, or both. We have a plan to submit that has proven successful in the six sections of the country where special campaigns were undertaken. We should like to hear from the Clergy relative to a probationary Chapter in the Parish. The Secretary will be glad to give further details.

Our membership has, like all other lines of endeavor, responded to the nation's call in her hour of need; and we are represented in all services of the Army and Navy. Some Chapters have almost been depleted of members by the Country's calls, but efforts are on foot to have the Chapters replace their men at the front with new men, besides enlisting the younger generation in Christ's Army for that great fight that is going on all the time, to bring men and boys nearer to Christ through His Church.

We ask all to pray for us, that our efforts during these strenuous times may meet with success.

The present membership of the Assembly is 27 Senior and 16 Junior Chapters, with close to 500 members.

A. G. CHRISTENSEN,
Secretary.

The Church Club of the Diocese.

President, James R. Strong; *Vice-Presidents*, Francis H. Holmes and Horace C. Grace; *Secretary*, Theodore McCurdy Marsh, 20 E. Highland Avenue, East Orange; *Treasurer*, L. Allyn Wight, Montclair; *Executive Committee*, Edward O. Stanley, Philip H. Patriarche and Henry J. Russell.

Organized 1907, to cultivate a better acquaintance among the Churchmen of the Diocese; and to increase their interest in the religious, moral and educational work of the Church, by stated meetings at which addresses are made upon the various phases of Church activities, with more particular reference to those within the Diocese.

The annual dues are \$3.00. There are no initiation fees.

There were several meetings held during the year, the first being at Trinity Parish House, Newark, on the evening of Monday, January 29th. The subject considered was "Welfare Work Among Boys and Girls," the speakers being the Hon. Harry V. Osborne, Judge of the Essex County Common Pleas Court, whose study of the subject and experiences in the Juvenile Court made a very interesting talk, and also Mr. Robert L. Fleming, a member of the Social Service Committee and in charge of the new project of a home for friendless boys in Essex County.

The second meeting was held on March 16, 1917, at Trinity Parish House, Newark, the subject being "The Diocese and What It Is Doing." Ten Minute addresses were made by the following: Bishop Stearly, Dr. Archibald Mercer and Messrs. James R. Strong, William Read Howe, Decatur M. Sawyer, James E. Bathgate, Jr., Arthur S. Cookman, Lewis R. Conklin and Percy C. H. Papps.

On May 22, 1917, the third meeting was held at Trinity Parish House and the following subjects were briefly presented: (1) "The Work and Needs of the Church Extension Commission," by Mr. James Barber, *Chairman*. (2) "Unused Diocesan Opportunities," (a) in Cities, by Rev'd G. L. Pennock of Jersey City, and (b) in the country, by Rev'd E. L. Cook, of Hamburg, (3) "The Practical Workings in the Diocese of the Church Pension Fund," by Mr. Monell Sayre, *Secretary of the Church Pension Fund*.

The Churchmen's Association of Paterson, N. J.

[ORGANIZED, 1912.]

President, Dr. Elias J. Marsh; *Secretary and Treasurer*, Robert D. Bowman.

The objects of the organization are: (1) To promote friendship among the Churchmen of Paterson, and vicinity; (2) To take an united interest in all good works for the Church and the community; and (3) To take concerted action in the missionary work at the city and county institutions.

Owing to the War, and the consequent demands for time and effort which it has made upon our constituents, the Association has not been able to do the work which it might wish, but it hopes with the resumption of peace, to prosecute a necessary work in its neighborhood.

ROBERT D. BOWMAN,
Secretary.

War Service Commission.

(APPOINTED BY ACTION OF THE CONVENTION.)

The Rt. Rev'd Wilson R. Stearly, *Chairman*, 60 Berkeley Ave., Newark.

The Rev'd Augustine Elmendorf, *Secretary*, 871 De Graw Ave., Newark.

CHAPELAINS AND CAMPS.

Chairman, the Rev'd D. Stuart Hamilton, 452 Van Houten St., Paterson; the Rev'd Dr. Fleming James, Englewood; the Rev'd Albert W. H. Thompson, Newark; the Rev'd George A. Hanna, South Orange; the Rev'd Luke M. White, Montclair; the Rev'd Edgar L. Cook, Hamburg; Mr. Samuel S. Evans, Paterson; Mr. G. Wisner Thorne, Newark; Mr. Charles W. Parker, Jersey City; Mrs. Wallace M. Scudder, Newark; Mrs. George T. Vickers, Jersey City; Mrs. James F. Fielding, Jersey City.

SAFEGUARDING YOUNG PEOPLE.

Chairman, Mrs. Joseph W. Danforth, 172 Glenwood Ave., East Orange; the Rev'd Barrett P. Tyler, Morristown; the Rev'd Charles E. Hutchison, East Orange; the Rev'd Howard W. Gernand, Newark; the Rev'd Edgar L. Cook, Hamburg; the Rev'd Warren L. Rogers, Jersey City; the Rev'd Walter E. Howe, Dover; Mrs. Franklin Van Winkle, Paterson; Mrs. John W. Howell, Newark; Mrs. H. Otto Wittpenn, Jersey City; Mrs. Gustave W. Gehin, Newark; Mrs. Arthur H. MacKie, Newark.

INFORMATION.

Chairman, Mr. Percy S. Young, 830 Lake St., Newark; the Rev'd Samuel G. Dunseath, Jersey City; Mr. Louis H. Patterson, Maplewood; Mr. J. Clifford Woodhull, Summit; Mrs. Joseph G. Spurr, Newark.

KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH SOLDIER COMMUNICANTS OF THE EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Chairman, Mr. Walter Kidde, 56 Gates Ave., Montclair; the Rev'd Hugh D. Wilson, Passaic; the Rev'd Augustine Elmendorf, Newark; Mr. James Barber, Englewood; Mr. J. W. Rufus Besson, Hoboken; Mr. Robert C. Carey, Jersey City; Mr. James Wilson, Paterson; Mr. John G. Crawford, Montclair.

THE NEWARK CHURCHMAN.

FINANCIAL STATEMENT.

RECEIPTS.

1916.		
May	9.	Balance on hand.....\$ 44.19
	18.	St. Paul's, North Arlington..... 3.00
	18.	St. Luke's, Paterson..... .58
June	13.	Grace, Rutherford..... 9.75
	21.	Christ Church, Bloomfield and Glen Ridge..... 25.00
	22.	Francis Halpin, Montclair..... 2.00
July	6.	M. Carling, Jersey City..... 1.00
	25.	St. Mary's, Ridgefield Park..... 3.50
Sept.	4.	D. H. McGrayne, Rutherford..... .50
Oct.	9.	St. James', Upper Montclair..... 15.00
Nov.	3.	Mrs. J. Hull Browning, Tenafly..... 5.00
	3.	R. S. Lines, Newark..... 5.00
	11.	Edmund LeB. Gardner, Ridgewood..... 5.00
	13.	Elizabeth A. Pope, East Orange..... 1.00
	13.	Holy Communion, South Orange..... 25.00
	13.	St. Bartholomew's, Hohokus..... 7.50
	14.	St. John's, Nordhoff..... 7.50
	14.	Charles W. Parker, Jersey City..... 5.00
	14.	Mrs. Jessie R. Barr, West Orange..... .50
	14.	Grace, Orange..... 50.00
	15.	L. A. Wright, New York City..... 2.00
	15.	St. Paul's, Jersey City..... 15.00
	15.	Wallace M. Scudder, Newark..... .50
	15.	Henry C. Kelsey, Trenton..... 1.00
	17.	Christ Church, Pompton..... 7.50
	17.	E. A. Bradley, Montclair..... 5.00
	17.	James Barber, Englewood..... .50

Nov.	17.	R. W. Stovel, Upper Montclair.....	1.00
	17.	St. Luke's, Montclair.....	37.50
	17.	Grace, Jersey City.....	10.50
	20.	Redeemer, Morristown.....	25.00
	20.	Miss May L. Shepard, Kearny.....	.50
	20.	Caroline West Colton, Newark.....	.50
	20.	Francis Halpin, Montclair.....	1.00
	22.	St. Thomas', Lyndhurst.....	7.50
	22.	St. Stephen's, Delawanna.....	4.50
	22.	Christ Church, Hackensack.....	22.50
	25.	George Batten, Montclair.....	.50
	28.	Richard Stevens, Hoboken.....	.50
	28.	Christ Church, Ridgewood.....	15.00
Dec.	4.	St. Paul's, Paterson.....	50.00
	4.	St. John's, Jersey City.....	25.00
	4.	Good Shepherd, Hamburg.....	7.50
	4.	Hugh F. Fox, New York City.....	.50
	5.	Trinity, Paterson.....	15.00
	5.	All Saints', Millington.....	6.00
	6.	Trinity, Newark.....	37.50
	8.	Trinity, Bayonne.....	7.50
	8.	Holy Communion, Norwood.....	4.50
	11.	St. John's, Montclair.....	15.00
	14.	Hugh Hartshorne, New York City.....	.50
	14.	Stephen W. Williams, Orange.....	1.00
	14.	St. Peter's, Essex Falls.....	10.50
	14.	Zion, Belvidere.....	6.00
	18.	D. B. Brigg, Rutherford.....	15.00
	18.	Grace, Nutley.....	7.50
	20.	St. Andrew's, South Orange.....	15.00
	20.	St. Stephen's, Milburn.....	7.50
	22.	St. Stephen's, Jersey City.....	25.00
	22.	St. James', Delaware.....	3.00
	22.	Holy Communion, Paterson.....	15.00
	23.	G. Wisner Thorne, Newark.....	1.00
1917.			
Jan.	8.	St. Paul's, North Arlington.....	9.00
	16.	Abbie M. Davis, Belvidere.....	.50
	30.	Grace, Jersey City.....	12.50
	31.	St. Mary's, Haledon.....	12.00
Feb.	1.	Calvary, Bayonne.....	7.50
	8.	St. Thomas', Newark.....	15.00
	8.	Grace, Jersey City.....	12.50
	11.	St. Barnabas', Newark.....	25.00
	11.	Ascension, Bloomfield.....	7.50
	13.	Trinity, Hoboken.....	25.00
	14.	Incarnation, Jersey City.....	5.00
	15.	Edw. F. Eve, Hawthorne.....	.50
	19.	Wm. E. Tillinghast, Englewood.....	.50
Mar.	9.	Epiphany, Allendale.....	2.50
	9.	Christ Church, Short Hills.....	15.00
	16.	St. Peter's, Morristown.....	25.00
	17.	Holy Innocents', West Orange.....	7.50
	23.	John D. Wyeth, Newark.....	.50
	28.	Incarnation, East Orange.....	5.00

Diocese of Newark

Apr.	6.	St. John's, Boonton.....	7.50
	7.	Christ Church, East Orange.....	15.00
	9.	St. John's, Newark.....	6.00
	9.	St. Mark's, Orange.....	25.00
	10.	Grace, Town of Union.....	5.00
	10.	Christ Chapel, Wortendyke.....	1.00
	17.	St. George's, Newark.....	7.50
	23.	Charles Eldin, New York City.....	5.00
	23.	Holy Communion, South Orange.....	30.00
	19.	St. Luke's, Paterson.....	5.00
	25.	Albert H. Baldwin, Maplewood.....	.50
May	1.	Holy Trinity, Hillsdale.....	6.00
	1.	St. John's, Ramsey.....	2.50
	1.	St. Stephen's, Millburn.....	7.50

\$961.04

DISBURSEMENTS.

Hardham Printing Company.....	\$893.67
Stamps and Envelopes.....	10.00

\$903.67

Balance on hand.....\$ 57.37

JAMES R. BAYCATE, JR.,

Treasurer.

The Corporation for the Relief of Widows and Children of Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New Jersey.

The undersigned begs leave to offer to the Convention of the Diocese of Newark the following report of "The Corporation for the Relief of Widows and Children of Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the State of New Jersey." In this, the 111th year of its corporate existence, the Corporation has an invested fund of about \$173,000. Half of the interest of this fund, together with half of the annual contributions of its "Contributors," is each year added to the principal of the fund. The other half, after deducting expenses, is divided in the form of annuities and dividends among the widows and children of deceased contributors. The amount of the annuities and dividends paid during the past year was \$4,483.26. The number of contributing members at the present time is 67. One has died during the past year.

Clergymen of the Protestant Episcopal Church, not over 55 years of age, who have, for at least two years, been canonically connected with and actually resident in either of the Dioceses of the State of New Jersey, are eligible for membership as "Contributors." Removal from the State, after five annual contributions have been made, does not forfeit membership. The "Members of the Corporation" are those who have been elected to manage its affairs. They are not necessarily "Contributors," and some of them are laymen. Their annual meeting is held on the first Monday in June. The undersigned will be glad to furnish further information, if desired, also blank forms of application.

All which is respectfully submitted.

June 27, 1917.

74 Eaton Place, East Orange, N. J.

L. H. LIGHTHIPS,

Secretary.

Report, Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society.

The Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society respectfully reports that during the last six months it has received from gifts of individuals and churches, \$12,769.81; from dues of members, \$8,222.84; and from interest applicable to annuities, \$19,829.66. At its last distribution of annuity \$24,480.51 was disbursed among 302 annuitants.

The establishment of the Church Pension Fund will in no way conflict with the operation of the Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society nor will it supersede the desirability of the maintenance of this Society to carry on its beneficent work on its present lines, whose practical wisdom and usefulness have been abundantly demonstrated. Whatever benefit any of the clergy may secure for themselves through membership in this Society will be independent of, and in addition to, whatever provision the Church may make for them through the agency of the Pension Fund.

Those who are already in the ranks of the older clergy cannot expect much from the operation of the Church Pension Fund, as its promoters frankly admit, but to such of them as have it in their power either personally or through friends to purchase an annuity in the Clergymen's Retiring Fund Society, a rich return on their investment is procurable whatever may be their present age.

Church Missions House,
New York, N. Y., May 22, 1917.

HENRY AMSTICE,
Financial Secretary.

The Church Pension Fund System.

Mr. Monell Sayre, Secretary, 14 Wall Street, New York, N. Y., reports as follows:

"Our records show that 1,571 contributions were received from individuals and churches in the Diocese of Newark. The total amount of these contributions (including pledges partially paid) was \$218,451.12.

"The great majority of organizations have, at this writing, begun the payment of assessments, and in several dioceses, every parish and mission station is providing pension protection for its clergymen. The Diocese of Newark is not far behind those dioceses with the best records in this respect, and it has seemed to me quite safe to assume that before the end of the first fiscal year every organization within the diocese would be enrolled."

October 18, 1917.

Appendix III

Report, Board of Missions and Church Extension.

To the Convention of the Diocese of Newark:

The Board of Missions and Church Extension respectfully reports that it has held ten meetings during the past year, and that it has maintained or aided work in the following places:

IN THE ARCHDEACONRY OF JERSEY CITY.—Trinity, Grantwood; Grace, Grandview; St. James', Ridgefield; Nativity, Fairview; Good Shepherd, Fort Lee; St. Stephen's, Coytesville; St. Mary's, Ridgefield Park; St. John's, Bergenfield; All Saints', Dumont; Incarnation, Jersey City; St. Matthew's, Jersey City; St. John's, Bayonne; All Saints', Leonia.

IN THE ARCHDEACONRY OF PATERSON.—St. Peter's, Clifton; St. Stephen's, Delawanna; St. George's, Passaic; Christ Church, Pompton; St. Paul's, Montvale; Holy Trinity, Hilldale; Grace, Westwood; St. Paul's, Woodridge; Grace, East Rutherford; St. Thomas', Lyndhurst; St. John the Divine, Hasbrouck Heights; Epiphany, Allendale; St. John's, Ramsey; Cragmere; St. Paul's, North Arlington; St. Clement's, Hawthorne; Christ Chapel, Wortendyke; All Saints', Glen Rock; Annunciation, Oradell; Woodcliff.

IN THE ARCHDEACONRY OF MORRISTOWN.—St. Paul's, Chatham; St. Paul's, Butler; St. Peter's, Mt. Arlington; Zion, Belvidere; St. James', Knowlton; St. Peter's, Washington; St. Luke's, Phillipsburgh; St. Thomas', Vernon; Good Shepherd, Hamburg; Franklin Furnace; St. James', Hackettstown; Christ Mission, Stanhope.

IN THE ARCHDEACONRY OF NEWARK.—St. John's, Newark; St. Alban's, Newark; St. Philip's, Newark; Christ Church, Newark; Newark City Mission; St. George's, (Vailsburgh), Newark; Incarnation, Ampere; St. Mary Magdalene, Newark; St. Agnes', Little Falls; St. David's, Cedar Grove.

The Reports of the Archdeacons contain in detail an account of the work done at these places. The Board of Missions and Church Extension each year requests the Finance Committee to include in its Budget a stated sum for the work of the Board, to be approved by the Convention. It has asked for \$15,000 for the work of next year.

The Board also administers the Church Extension Fund, which is made up of voluntary contributions, by means of pledges ranging from one to five dollars, or more, the number of Calls being limited to five each year. There are now 395 subscribers to the Fund, and the value of a Call is \$1,089.75.

Since our last report, the Board has granted Calls to the following places:

To St. James', Hackettstown, for a parish house; to Rochelle Park, toward building a chapel; to Towaco, for the purchase of a club house to be adapted to the uses of the congregation; toward a rectory at Little Falls; and toward building a little chapel at Franklin Furnace, in Sussex County.

The Report of the Treasurer of the Church Extension Fund, Mr. Francis Halpin, is as follows:

Balance on hand, as per report of April 29, 1916.....	\$ 4,047.26
Collected on five Calls, 1916-1917, including pledges paid in advance.....	6,020.25
Interest earned on daily balances.....	76.06
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	\$10,143.57
Paid to various Missions in the Diocese.....	\$ 2,455.00
Transferred to Loaning Fund, Collection at Consecration of Bishop Stearly..	276.72
Transferred to Loaning Fund, interest earned 1914-1915.....	113.28
Printing, postage, typewriting, clerical work.....	127.50
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	\$ 2,972.50
Balance on hand April 29, 1916.....	4,047.26
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	\$ 7,019.76

Comparing this with the last annual Report, we find that the Church Extension Fund has collected on thirty-one Calls, from June 15th, 1910, to April 30th, 1917, including some advance pledges, \$30,735.00. This is sufficient to show what valuable aid it has rendered the Board, but it is constantly in need of new subscribers, not only to maintain its present usefulness, but to increase its efficiency.

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF LOANING FUND, CHURCH EXTENSION FUND.

Balance in Montclair Savings Bank, April 29, 1916.....	\$1,533.83
S. S. St. John's, Montclair.....	32.50
Interest on balances, General Fund B. C. E. F.....	72.50
Six months' interest on loan, (\$1,000.00).....	25.00
Interest from Savings Bank.....	50.88
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	\$1,714.71
July 6, 1916, loan to St. David's, Cedar Grove.....	\$ 500.00
November 27, 1916, loan to St. David's, Cedar Grove.....	400.00
Balance on hand April 30, 1917.....	814.71
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	\$1,714.71

FRANCIS HALPIN,
Treasurer.

Mr. J. Clifford Woodhull, the Financial Secretary, reports that the following Title Papers are held by the Board of Missions and Church Extension:

Ampere	Incarnation
Clifton (Rectory)	St. Peter's
Glen Rock	All Saints'
Grantwood	Trinity
Hawthorne	St. Clement's
Little Falls	St. Agnes'
Lyndhurst	St. Thomas'
Jersey City	Incarnation
Jersey City	St. Matthew's
Newark (Rectory).....	St. Philip's
Newark	St. George's

North Arlington	St. Paul's
Rochelle Park	St. Peter's
Towaco	Transfiguration
West Englewood.....	Christ Chapel
Woodridge	St. Paul's

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK B. CARTER,
Secretary.

Report of the Standing Committee.

The Standing Committee respectfully reports that eleven meetings were held in the past Convention year.

On the seventeenth of May, 1916, the Committee organized by electing the Rev'd D. Stuart Hamilton, President, and the Rev'd Frederick B. Carter, Secretary.

Permission was given to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of Christ Church, Bloomfield, to mortgage their property, not including the church and land on which it stands, for a sum not exceeding \$30,000.

On the twelfth of June, 1916, permission was given to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Stephen's Church, Jersey City, to mortgage all their land and property on Union Street for a sum not to exceed \$20,000.

Permission was given to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Mary's Church, Jersey City, to mortgage their church and rectory for \$11,900, with the understanding that the existing mortgages of \$14,900 be cancelled, and that the new mortgage be the only lien on the property.

The Rev'd Theodore John Milton Van Dwyne, Deacon, was recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Priesthood, and the proper testimonial signed.

Bishop Lines and the Secretary of the Standing Committee were requested to prepare a Minute on the death of Judge Emery.

On the third of July, 1916, the previous consent of the Standing Committee to Christ Church, Bloomfield, to mortgage to the Howard Savings Bank was revoked, and permission was granted to Christ Church, Bloomfield, to mortgage to the Franklin Savings Institution.

Mr. Franklin George Faber was recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Diaconate, when he should be transferred to the Diocese of Newark.

Messrs. Rowland K. Gimson and Frank C. Morrell were recommended to the Bishop to be admitted Candidates for Holy Orders, upon proper examination.

On the twenty-fifth of September, 1916, consent was given to the consecration of the Rev'd Irving Peake Johnson, D.D., Bishop Coadjutor-elect for the Diocese of Colorado, and the proper testimonial signed.

Permission was given to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of St. James' Church, Upper Montclair, to mortgage a lot to Manella Kohler to secure a portion of the purchase money paid to her on property for a rectory.

On the sixth of November, 1916, Rev'd Messrs. Hamilton and Walkley were appointed a committee to prepare a Minute on the death of the Rev'd William Welles Holley, D.D.

Mr. Randall W. Conklin was recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Diaconate, and the proper testimonial signed.

The Bishop having reported the receipt of a letter from the Trustees of the Park Presbyterian Church, Newark, in which they requested a release of property on which

their chapel stands, (190 and 194 Highland Avenue, Newark), from any claim that the Diocese of Newark might have on it, on motion, the request was granted, and the Bishop was advised that, so far as the Standing Committee had authority to do so, consent was given to the release of the property under seal.

The following Minute on the death of Dr. Holley was adopted:

"WHEREAS, The Father of us all has called unto Himself the soul of our beloved brother, Rev'd William Welles Holley, D.D., we, the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Newark adopt the following Minute:

"William Welles Holley, D.D., for forty years Rector of Christ Church, Hackensack, was for many years a member of the Standing Committee and for several years its honored President.

"We express to his family our appreciation of the character and ministry of our brother, and record in our minutes a sense of our personal loss and our high valuation of his services to the Diocese while a member of this Committee."

The Secretary was directed to send a copy to the family.

On the eleventh of December, 1916, consent was given to the election of the Rt. Rev'd Sheldon Munson Griswold, D.D., Bishop of the Missionary District of Salina, as Suffragan Bishop of the Diocese of Chicago.

Permission was given to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Bartholomew's Church, Hohokus, to mortgage property about to be purchased from Frank A. and Edward D. Leary at a price of \$4,350 to secure \$1,500 of such purchase price.

The Standing Committee advised that the Bishop give his consent to the petition of St. Matthew's Mission, Jersey City, to become a Parish, to be known as St. Matthew's Parish, Jersey City, and authorized the Secretary to attest the consent of the Standing Committee.

On the eighth of January, 1917, the Rev'd Mr. Hamilton and Messrs. Thorne and Howe were appointed a Committee to draw up a Minute on the death of Dr. Mabie.

Application having been made by the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of the Church of the Holy Cross, Jersey City, to mortgage the church buildings and grounds to the Trust Company of New Jersey, for the sum of \$2,500, or less, to repair the damage done to the church property by the Black Tom explosion of July 30th, 1916, on motion, the President and Messrs. Howe and MacKie were appointed a Committee to visit the Church of the Holy Cross, Jersey City, and meet the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen, and consider the situation, and report back to a meeting of the Standing Committee.

Messrs. Rowland K. Gimson and Frank C. Morrell were recommended to the Bishop for ordination as perpetual Deacons.

The Standing Committee resolved to concur in any action which might be taken by the Trustees of the Episcopal Fund in regard to the use of the bequest of Mrs. Skinner to St. Alban's, Newark, for the payment of the Franklin debt.

On the twenty-sixth of February, 1917, permission was given to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Luke's Church, Montclair, to mortgage property, (adjoining the church property), about to be purchased from Jennie Beach Gaspar at a price of \$10,000, to secure \$6,000 of such purchase price.

Consent was given to the election of a Bishop Coadjutor for the Diocese of Iowa.

Frank A. Wilson-Lawrenson was recommended to the Bishop for ordination as perpetual Deacon, and the proper testimonial signed.

Consent was given to amend the name of St. Matthew's Church, Jersey City, to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Matthew's Protestant Episcopal Church in Jersey City, in the consent given on the 11th day of December, 1916.

On motion, it was resolved that the Articles of Incorporation of the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Matthew's Protestant Episcopal Church in Jersey City, be approved.

On the fifth of March, 1917, the project of the Diocesan House Fund Committee to procure a Diocesan House was approved by the Standing Committee.

Consent was given to the consecration of the Rev'd Granville Hudson Sherwood, Bishop-elect of the Diocese of Springfield, Illinois.

Permission was given to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of the Church of the Holy Cross, Jersey City, to mortgage the church property to the Trust Company of New Jersey for \$2,500, the Committee taking this unusual action in the belief that the officers of the Church will endeavor to pay \$500 yearly toward the reduction of the mortgage.

Mr. Edward O. Stanley was elected a member of the Committee, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Hamilton W. Mable.

Permission was given to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of Christ Church, Newark, to mortgage their parish house and lot for \$7,000 to the Fidelity Trust Company, instead of the Iron Bound Trust Company.

After a detailed statement by Bishop Lines concerning the form of procedure in regard to the election of a Coadjutor Bishop, it was *Resolved*, That a committee be appointed to act with the Diocesan, to obtain the consent of the Bishops and Standing Committees of the Dioceses to the election of a Coadjutor Bishop of the Diocese of Newark.

The President, the Secretary, and Mr. Wm. Read Howe were appointed that Committee.

On the twenty-sixth of March, 1917, Archdeacon Carter and Chancellor Howe were appointed a Committee to draw up By-laws for the Standing Committee.

Consent was given to the election of a Bishop Coadjutor for the Diocese of Newark. The action of March 5, 1917, as to the execution of a mortgage by Christ Church, Newark, to the Fidelity Trust Company, was rescinded, and the previous consent of March 28, 1916, was ratified.

Mr. Charles Steel Armstrong was recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Diaconate, and the proper testimonial signed.

Permission was given to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of Calvary Church, Bayonne, to place two mortgages, one to Thomas Fletcher for \$4,000, and one to J. Alexander Bettes for \$1,500.

On the fourteenth of May, 1917, among the Rules adopted by the Standing Committee were the following:

Regular meetings of the Committee shall be held on the second Monday of the months of January, March, May, September and November of each year, at 9:15 a. m.

Special meetings shall be called on the request of the Bishop, the Bishop Coadjutor, or the President and Secretary, at any time.

All petitions must be in writing, duly executed by the proper officers and accompanied by certified copy of all resolutions authorizing the action.

All consents or other papers representing the action of the Standing Committee, as required by the canons of the Church or Diocese, must be accurately and completely drawn by the applicant, as the Committee will not prepare, while in session, any papers. Blanks will be supplied and assistance given by members of the Committee in advance of any meeting, when requested.

Mr. Edwin S. Ford was recommended to the Bishop as a Candidate for Holy Orders, and the proper testimonial signed, the Bishop being authorized to accept his papers from the date of October 1st, 1916.

The Rev'd J. Fred Hamblin, Deacon, was recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Priesthood, and the proper testimonial signed.

Consent was given to the Rector, Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Bartholomew's, Hoboken, to apply for union with the Convention.

The Committee appointed to prepare a Minute upon the death of Dr. Mable presented the following:

"The Diocese of Newark lost its most distinguished layman by the death of Hamilton Wright Mable, L.H.D., LL.D.

"As journalist, litterateur, and prominent figure on the platform of the Lyceum, he was known throughout the country and everywhere esteemed and admired. Despite the demands made upon his time by his activities in these fields, he cheerfully responded to many calls for his services from the Church, especially in the Diocese of Newark. He assisted in organizing the Church Club of the Diocese, and was its first President. For several years he was a delegate to the Diocesan Convention and also represented the Diocese in the General Convention.

"As a member of this Committee he manifested a warm zeal for the welfare of the Church, as well as sound judgment, broad-mindedness and notable freedom from a partisan spirit. Association with him was deemed a delightful privilege by his fellow-members. A man of tranquil dignity, scholarly attainments and of fellowship with able and eminent men, he was yet unassuming, friendly, and a genial companion. While busy in what is called the secular world, he exemplified in his character the refining and ennobling influences of the spiritual life.

"In thus expressing our reverence for Dr. Mable, we must add our tribute of affection for him, and our sincere regret that we shall hereafter be deprived of his gracious and helpful presence among us."

The Minute was adopted by a rising vote, and the Secretary was directed to send a copy to Mrs. Mable.

SUMMARY.

Eleven meetings were held.

Consent was given to the consecration of one Bishop.

Consent was given to the consecration of one Coadjutor Bishop.

Consent was given to the election of two Coadjutor Bishops.

Consent was given to the election of one Suffragan Bishop.

Three Postulants were recommended to the Bishop as Candidates for Holy Orders.

Three Candidates for Holy Orders were recommended to the Bishop for ordination as perpetual Deacons.

Two Candidates for Holy Orders were recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Diaconate.

Two Deacons were recommended to the Bishop for ordination to the Priesthood.

Permission was given to seven Parishes to mortgage to the amount of \$65,500.00.

Permission was given to one Parish to cancel mortgage for \$11,900.00 and make a new one for \$14,900.00.

Consent was given, so far as the Standing Committee had authority to do so, to release of property, 190 and 194 Highland Avenue, Newark, from any claim that the Diocese of Newark might have upon it.

Consent was given to one Mission to become a Parish.

Consent was given to one Parish to amend its name.

Consent was given to one Parish to apply for union with the Convention.

Consent to the election of a Coadjutor Bishop of the Diocese of Newark was asked of the Bishops and Standing Committees of the Dioceses.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK B. CARTER,
Secretary.

Report, Trustees of the Episcopal Fund.

To the Convention of the Diocese of Newark:

The Trustees of the Episcopal Fund and Diocesan Properties herewith submit their report for the year ending April 30th, 1917.

During the year the Trustees have received from the Estate of Sarah A. G. Skinner a bequest of \$5,000 for account of Christ Church, Newark, and of \$4,921.83 for account of St. Alban's, Newark; the latter, with accrued interest, has been used since April 30th to pay off a mortgage on the property of that Church, and will not in future appear in the accounts of the Trustees; also from the Estate of Martha Fitch \$1,000 for St. Luke's, Hope.

In pursuance of the policy of perfecting business methods, the report of securities held by the Trustees will in future describe the assets in fuller detail. In this connection the Trustees report that they have arranged with the National Newark Banking Company for the custody of all diocesan securities and for the collection of the income thereof. The Trustees suggest that correct business methods as to the affairs of the whole Diocese can best be attained by a similar arrangement as to the securities, deeds, etc., of all trust funds, whether diocesan, parochial or of eleemosynary institutions connected in any way with the Diocese.

The list of deeds held by the Trustees for the purpose of Missions is submitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN A. GIFFORD, *Pres't*,
EDWARD Q. KRAEZY,
E. A. STEVENS,
E. O. STANLEY,

A. H. BALDWIN,
WM. FELLOWS MORGAN,
WYNANT D. VANDERPOOL,
Trustees.

TITLE PAPERS HELD BY THE TRUSTEES OF THE EPISCOPAL FUND AND DIOCESAN PROPERTIES.

Alledale	Epiphany
Bergenfield	St. John's
Butler	St. Paul's
Cedar Grove	St. David's
Coyteville	St. Stephen's
Clifton	St. Peter's
Chatham	St. Paul's
East Orange (Ampere)	Incarnation
Fort Lee	Good Shepherd
Grandview	Grace
Grantwood	Trinity
Hilldale	Holy Trinity
Hasbrouck Heights	St. John the Divine
Hackettstown	St. James'
Hamburg	Good Shepherd
Hope	St. Luke's
Little Falls	St. Agnes'
Lake Hopatcong (Mt. Arlington)	St. Peter's
Montvale	St. Paul's
Mendham	St. Mark's

Millington	All Saints'
Norwood	Holy Communion
Newark	St. Alban's
Oradell	Annunciation
Ramsey	St. John's
Ridgefield Park.....	St. Mary the Virgin
Short Hills	Christ Church
Stanhope	Christ Mission
Tenafly	Atonement
Town of Union.....	Grace
Vernon	St. Thomas'
Vailsburgh	St. George's
Westwood	Grace
West Orange.....	Holy Innocents'
No. 65 Arlington Avenue, East Orange.	
No. 21 Washington Street, Newark (Bishop's Residence).	

This does not include title papers now in possession of the Board of Missions and Church Extension, recently organized and incorporated to take title to Mission property.

EDWIN A. S. BROWN,
Secretary.

Report, Cathedral General Chapter.

At a meeting of the Cathedral General Chapter, held November 3rd, 1916, Mr. James Barber presented a proposition in regard to the purchase of land for a cathedral site, stating that a group of laymen were prepared to contribute the money to buy a piece of ground located on Park Avenue and North Arlington Avenue, East Orange, for a cathedral site, with the understanding that the property might be disposed of, if in future it should not be considered satisfactory for a Cathedral, on condition that the proceeds be applied to the purchasing of a cathedral site.

A Committee was appointed to consider the proposition and report at a special meeting.

At a meeting of the General Cathedral Chapter, held November 16th, 1916, the Committee reported as follows:

"The offer made through Mr. James Barber of the purchase for a cathedral site of the lands at Park Avenue, between North Arlington and North Walnut Streets, in East Orange, is so generous a one and the importance of the matter so great that the deliberate and best wisdom of the Cathedral General Chapter should be given it.

"The Committee was, at the outset, met with some difficulties inherent in the proposition itself. Objections have been made to the suggested site upon the ground of inaccessibility, and it has been urged, in view of the carrying charges, that it would be unwise to purchase any site at the present time. In view of these contentions, but without expressing any judgment upon them, it seems clear to the Committee that the purchase of these lands would be unwise. Since it is the chief desire of the donors of the proposed gift to help toward the attainment by the Diocese of a Cathedral, the taking of any step which would serve in the beginning to create two opposed views would be inexpedient.

"It seems to your Committee that nothing could at this time help more toward a realization of the Cathedral than a demonstration in the Diocese of Cathedral work,

carried on by the Bishops and the Cathedral Chapter. It is understood that, if this view be taken by the General Chapter, those who have made the offer, which we are now giving consideration, are willing to pay to the Bishops and the Cathedral Chapter the yearly income upon the proposed purchase price, to be used in such Cathedral work, and to hold themselves in readiness to use the capital sum for the purchasing of a site when one is agreed upon and available.

"The Committee therefore recommends that the purchase of the lands in question be not consummated at this time, but that the Cathedral Chapter gratefully avail themselves of the generous offer of the use, for ministries in the name of the Cathedral, of the income of the proposed purchase money until such time as it shall be otherwise used in accordance with the donors' wishes and directions.

"If this recommendation is approved and adopted, the Committee further recommends that a Committee upon Cathedral Work be appointed to confer with the Bishops concerning the use of this offered income, and the nomination and election, should it be found expedient, of such Canon Missioner as are provided for in Article VI. of the Constitution of the Cathedral, together with other persons who might do such work in the name of the Cathedral.

"The Committee also recommends that a committee be appointed to take such steps, in co-operation with the Bishops, as may provide a suitable Pro-Cathedral as a home and center for Cathedral work."

The three recommendations were adopted, and the thanks of the General Chapter were given, by a rising vote, to Mr. James Barber for his most generous offer.

It was moved and carried that, in the judgment of the General Cathedral Chapter, the income upon the fund already collected, as well as the income of the proposed purchase price, may be used for furthering the plans of Cathedral work.

At a meeting of the Cathedral General Chapter, held April 25th, 1917, the Committee on Cathedral Work reported as follows:

First—To recommend to the General Chapter the election of a Canon Missioner to work in the Diocese in the name of the Cathedral as a Diocesan Missionary. His duties, as outlined in the Committee's discussion, would be to supply services and do pastoral visiting in Missions and Parishes in the Diocese which were temporarily without Clerical oversight. Also, to assist in organizing and developing new Missions of the Church. Also, as far as opportunity presented itself, to hold missions and other special services.

Second—To recommend to the General Chapter the election, upon nomination by the Diocesan, of the Rev'd Augustine Elmendorf, the Secretary of the Board of Social Service, as a Canon Missioner of the Cathedral for Social Service Work.

Third—To recommend for election, if nominated by the Diocesan, the Rev'd Charles L. Cooder, D.D., as a Canon Missioner of the Cathedral for Ministry in the Institutions of Essex County.

The report was accepted and the three recommendation adopted.

On nomination by Bishop Lines, the Rev'd Augustine Elmendorf was elected as Canon Missioner of the Cathedral for Social Service Work; the Rev'd Charles L. Cooder, D.D., was elected as Canon Missioner of the Cathedral for Ministry in the Institutions of Essex County; and the Rev'd Gilbert I. Pennock was elected as Canon Missioner of the Cathedral for Missionary Work in the Diocese.

A committee, consisting of Bishop Stearly, Dr. Reazor, and Messrs. Howe and Stanley, was appointed to confer with the Rev'd Mr. Pennock, with authority to fix his stipend as Canon Missioner at a sum not to exceed \$2,500.00.

Archdeacon Carter was elected Registrar.

The Rev'd Charles M. Douglas was elected a member of The Chapter, to fill the vacancy caused by the removal from the Diocese of the Rev'd Henry H. Hadley.

Bishop Stearly was added to the Committee on Conference with any Church as to its use as a Pro-Cathedral.

The Report of the Treasurer of the Cathedral League, Mr. William Read Howe, shows the condition of the Cathedral Funds on April 30, 1917, as follows:

PRINCIPAL.

Amount in Security Savings Bank, Newark, Book 22,722 (see JOURNAL, 1916, p. 171).....	\$109.11
Interest added for year.....	4.36
	<hr/> \$ 113.47
Amount in Half Dime Savings Bank, Orange, Books 34,168 and 35,675.....	9,179.95
Donations received during year.....	1,265.00
Interest added for year.....	385.13
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Total amount of principal.....	\$10,943.55

INCOME.

In November, 1916, the General Chapter decided not to accept a gift for the purchase of a site, and the generous donor graciously offered to give the interest on the proposed expenditure of \$50,000 for the use of the Chapter in carrying on its work in the Diocese. The Treasurer has received the sum of \$2,500 as income to be used for the Cathedral work as stated.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK B. CARTER,
Registrar.

Report of the Registrar.

To the Forty-third Annual Convention of the Diocese of Newark:

The Registrar begs leave to report that he has received copies of the Journals of several other Dioceses, miscellaneous pamphlets and sermons, which are on file at the Diocesan Rooms. Requests for copies of our own JOURNAL have been referred to the Secretary of the Diocese. Journals and other works of reference borrowed from this department should be returned within a reasonable time.

Respectfully submitted,

WILLIAM THOMAS LIPTON,
Registrar.

Report, Board of Adjustment.

The Board of Adjustment has held three meetings, and adjusted twenty-nine claims. In accordance with the request of the Finance Committee, at the last Convention, a special effort was made at the beginning of the year to bring about an agreement in regard to old arrears, and we are pleased to report that very few claims are now unsettled.

CHARLES T. WALKLEY, *Chairman.*
J. W. VAN INGEN, *Secretary.*

Report, Committee on Apportionment for General Missions.

Your Committee on Apportionment for General Missions respectfully submits the following report:

Ten monthly meetings have been held since the last Convention, with an average attendance of 92, which is a considerable improvement over previous years. This year, by agreement with the Board of Missions, the duty of personal visitations to Parishes and Missions has been divided so that the Board, while visiting the mission churches, through its sub-committees, looks after apportionment matters; and the Apportionment Committee, while visiting the parish churches, through its sub-committees, urges the payment of the diocesan assessments. This arrangement has obviated much duplication of effort and is considered to be working satisfactorily.

It is a great satisfaction to be able to report that the amount contributed by the Diocese to General Missions during the last apportionment period (thirteen months ending October 1st, 1916) exceeded the apportionment by more than two thousand dollars. For the current apportionment period (thirteen months ending November 1st, 1917) the amount apportioned to the Diocese is \$45,356.00 (a slight increase over the previous period) and on May 1st, 1917, the Diocese had paid \$25,901.00 of that amount, being 57% of the apportionment in 53% of the time. This is considered a very creditable showing, but it must be remembered that we must still raise \$19,455, or \$3,242 per month, between May 1st and November 1st, 1917.

A brief analysis of the payment of the apportionment on May 1st may be of interest: Of the 55 mission churches, 24 have paid nothing; 14 have paid less than half; 7 have paid more than half; 10 have paid in full. Of the 81 parish churches, 18 have paid nothing; 27 have paid less than half; 24 have paid more than half; 12 have paid in full.

This would indicate that some strenuous work should be undertaken at once by the Visiting Committees of both the Board of Missions and Apportionment Committee. With the object of crystalizing and encouraging the missionary activities of the Missions and Parishes, and of systematizing the missionary work of the Diocese, your Committee prepared and sent out about April 1st, 1917, a Missionary Data Blank asking the following questions:

1. Have you a Lay Missionary Committee or similar agency?
2. Do you use the Duplex Envelopes? If not, what means are adopted for raising the Diocesan Assessment and Apportionment for General Missions?
3. Do you have an annual Every Member Canvass for expenses and missions?
4. Have you a Woman's Auxiliary? Does it assist the Parish in meeting its Missionary Obligations?
5. Have you a Junior Auxiliary? Does it assist the Parish in meeting its Missionary Obligations?
6. Does the Sunday School use the Lenten Mite Boxes? If so, does the amount collected go towards Missions?

At this date 59 of the 81 Parishes and 23 of the 55 Missions have filed their blanks. The churches who have not replied are urged to do so at the earliest possible moment.

It is interesting to note that of the 59 Parishes reporting, 26 have Lay Missionary Committees and 48 use duplex envelopes; and of the 23 Missions reporting, 9 have Lay Missionary Committees and 18 use duplex envelopes.

It is also of interest to note that practically all of the Parishes and Missions who have paid the apportionment in full have a Missionary Committee and use the duplex

envelopes. We cannot too strongly urge upon this Convention, both Clergy and Laity, that they use their great influence at home to interest the men in the missionary work of the Church. We know of no better means to accomplish this end than the two agencies above mentioned.

First—That laymen of the Parish who are charged with the duty of providing funds for the support of Christ's work in the Parish should also be charged with the duty of providing funds, according to ability, for the extension of Christ's work both at home and abroad.

This is accomplished by the Laymen's Missionary Committee.

Second—The Duplex Envelope installed by a proper canvass, engineered by the above Committee, is the surest means of bringing to the members of a Parish (some of whom may not be regular in attending Church Services) the knowledge of the work of the Church and the opportunities for its extension. We believe that, with the average man, interest and support are sure to follow the proper dissemination of knowledge.

Your Committee has prepared a booklet describing the "Every Member Canvass," which can be had for the asking, in which stress is laid on proper preparation to secure results.

We are prepared to advise with and assist in every way possible any Parish or Mission wishing to undertake this valuable work.

It should be remembered also that any amounts received for General Missions should be forwarded to the General Board of Missions without waiting for the completion of the amount apportioned, as the funds are needed by the Board to meet its obligations from month to month.

The figures given above regarding the apportionment were based on the returns to May 1st. To May 19th, an additional amount of \$7,751.00 is returned, making the total receipts \$33,652.00, being 74% of the apportionment in 55% of the time.

In conclusion, let us bear in mind that the amount set as the apportionment is a minimum, and that we should not be satisfied until this amount is far exceeded. Broader giving, and giving to all objects, creates a larger interest in the Church and its work, and should be encouraged, and if encouraged, will aid in the support of the Parish itself.

A good man has said:

"Much needs to be done to make giving recognized as an essential part of religious service and to put it back upon the consciences of people that to give is as definite a part of religion as to work or to pray."

Let us bear in mind these valuable words of our beloved leader.

Respectfully submitted,

JAS. R. STRONG, *Chairman*,
CHAS. W. POPHAM, *Secretary*.

Report, Board of Religious Education, Diocese of Newark.

The Board of Religious Education asks your hearty interest and your continued support.

The United States has the best public school system in the world. The State of New Jersey ranks high among the leaders in all educational matters. System, organi-

zation, experiment, Normal Schools, Summer Schools, post-graduate courses in Universities, the State Federation of School Boards, County Associations of School Board Members, and even a two days' Summer School for School Trustees, tell of the tremendous interest taken in the secular education of our children.

New York City spends \$40,000,000 a year for less than 800,000 pupils—fifty dollars a year for each pupil. And in our Sunday Schools we are struggling along, for the most part, on the pennies given by the children. Imagine what would happen if the Vestry of the average Parish were asked to give even a dollar a year for each child in the Sunday School.

There are splendid exceptions where the Parish rises to its opportunities, and things grow better year by year. Yet in the average Parish, you can make your comparison along any line you choose, and the Sunday School makes a sorry showing beside the public school, teacher training, equipment, thoroughness. We mean well but we don't get results.

The Sunday School runs by its own power. Again, with splendid exceptions and with constant improvement, the teachers are untrained and inexperienced, conscious of their inability to use their opportunities. And the work among the children is the biggest work and the most needed work and the most promising work before the Church. We are not doing it and we ought to do it, and meanwhile we don't know how and won't give the money to learn; some don't even realize that there is any more for us to learn.

It is the work of the Board of Religious Education in the Diocese, and in the Province, and the General Board in the whole Church, to help teachers to teach, and schools to organize, and superintendents and rectors to know what better things can be done. We ask for \$1,000 for this work, five cents each for the 20,000 pupils of the Diocese.

THE DIOCESAN TEACHERS' TRAINING SCHOOL.

The School has had the most successful year since it was instituted in 1913, and the increase in attendance has been very marked.

The first year's work was started at St. Mary's Church, Jersey City, last October, on Thursday evenings, and the following Courses have been given there:

Principles and Practice of Teaching, Miss Curry, October 5 to December 21; Gospels and Life of Christ, Rev'd Mr. Carter, January 4 to March 8; Social Service, Rev'd Mr. Elmendorf, March 15 to April 12. These will be followed by Courses on Missions, Rev'd Mr. Douglass; and on Christian Year, Rev'd Mr. Hyde. Up to April 12th, 32 had been enrolled there.

In October, also, the second year's work was begun at Grace Church, Orange, on Friday evenings, and the following Courses have been given there:

Apostolic Church, Rev'd Mr. Carter, October 6 to December 8; Biblical Geography, Rev'd Mr. Walkley, December 15 to January 19; Organization and History of the Sunday School, Rev'd Mr. Stridberg, January 26 to February 23; Prayer Book and Church Worship, Rev'd Dr. Reazor, March 2 to April 27. Beginning May 4th, the last Course of the school year, which does not end till June, will be given on Catechism and Christian Doctrine, by Rev'd Mr. Matthews. Up to May 1st, 28 had been enrolled in these Courses.

In addition to these, Miss Curry gave her Course on Principles and Practice of Teaching to a class at St. George's, Passaic, which numbered 17; and the Rev'd Mr. Carter gave the Course on the Gospels to a class which numbered 11, at St. James' Church, Newark. In all, therefore, some 88 teachers have been enrolled in one or more Courses this year, as against 24 last year.

A gratifying feature has been the number of Parishes represented from different localities widely separated, 24 in all, as follows:

St. Peter's, Clifton; St. George's, St. John's, Passaic; Grace, Rutherford; Grace, Nutley; Grace, Union Hill; Trinity, Hoboken; St. Mary's, St. Paul's, St. John's, St. Stephen's, Holy Cross, Grace (Van Vorst), and Grace (Greenville), Jersey City; St. James', St. John's, St. Mark's, Newark; St. Agnes', East Orange; St. George's, Vailsburg; Holy Communion, South Orange; Holy Trinity, West Orange; St. Mark's, and Grace, Orange; and St. Luke's, Montclair.

The Board of Religious Education has also co-operated with the Board of the Diocese of New Jersey in conducting a Summer School, which was held at Gladstone, N. J., last June.

THE INSTITUTES.

Five Institutes were held by the Board in conjunction with the Junior Auxiliary on February 6th to 10th, inclusive, at Grace Church, Orange; St. Mark's Church, Newark; Church of the Mediator, Edgewater; Grace Church, Rutherford; and St. Paul's Church, Jersey City. At several of the Institutes, districts were able to arrange their local meetings and in some instances elections of district officers were held. The success attained in those districts where full co-operation with the district organizations could be effected prompts the suggestion from the Committee that, where it is possible, complete arrangement of the local Institute be placed in the hands of the officers of that district, with the offer of such assistance as the district may need from the Board.

The speakers were Miss Frances H. Withers, who with Mrs. S. V. B. Brewster in the afternoon took up "The New Junior Plan," and in the evening "Sunday School Organization;" Miss E. Curry spoke for the work among "Senior Girls;" Rev'd Douglas Matthews, "An Experience with a Men's Bible Class;" Rev'd Gilbert L. Pennock, "The Development of a Sense of Worship in Children."

About four hundred teachers and Church workers came together in the various places.

ANNUAL REPORT OF TREASURER, BOARD OF RELIGIOUS EDUCATION.

RECEIPTS.

Balance May 1, 1916.....	\$ 240.80
Apportionment (1916-17, \$763.66; from previous year, \$65.32).....	828.98
For tuition, Teachers' Training Class.....	139.50
Offertory at Convention.....	24.17
Donation, Bishop Lines.....	25.00

\$1,258.45

DISBURSEMENTS.

To G. B. R. E., 1915-16 account.....	\$ 126.51
To G. B. R. E., 1916-17 account.....	400.00
Convention (speaker, \$20; supper, etc., \$95.32).....	115.32
Printing and postage.....	76.81
Institutes.....	60.12
Instructors' fees, T. T. Class (act. 1915-16, \$140; 1916-17, \$121.50).....	261.50
Sundries.....	7.91

\$1,048.17

To balance (cash in First National Bank, Tenafly).....	210.28
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\$1,258.45

Bills payable—

To Instructors, T. T. Class.....	\$ 30.00
To G. B. R. R.....	250.00
Convention expenses (estimated).....	120.00
	\$ 400.00

Respectfully submitted,

Board of Religious Education,

STEPHEN H. SMITH,

Treasurer.

Tenafly, May 1, 1917.

During the year there have been held a Sunday School Convention on May 10, 1916, in Trinity Church, Newark; a joint meeting with the Social Service Commission and the Board of Missions, in St. Paul's Church, Newark; and the Thanksgiving Service for the Children's Lenten Offering. The Board, with honorable mention of all the instructors, desires to acknowledge in particular the painstaking labors of Archdeacon Carter as Secretary and Dean of the Training School, of Mr. Hyde in the work of the Institutes, and of Miss Curry in her most valuable instruction in both departments. Also, of Mr. Stephen H. Smith's careful service as Treasurer. Will you not lighten his task and cheer his heart by prompt remittances?

Respectfully submitted,

J. W. VAN INGEN, *Chairman.*FREDERICK B. CARTER, *Secretary.*

**Report of Canonical Committee of the Diocese of Newark, on the
Church Pension Fund, of the Diocesan Convention,
held May 22-23, 1917.**

To the Diocesan Convention of the Diocese of Newark:

The Committee appointed by the Bishop of the Diocese in accordance with the Canon 13, C, adopted at the last session of the Convention, in reference to the Church Pension Fund, respectfully report that shortly after March first, last, the Committee assembled and organized and has since held a number of meetings. The work of the Committee is still necessarily in the formative stage.

The Committee has been in close touch with the chief office of the Pension Fund in New York and, at the request of the Secretary of the Fund, has sent out cards for the collection of the vital statistics of the individual Clergy and their families, which statistics will form the basis for the future award of pensions.

So, also, where any Parishes have not formally adopted the System, by suitable resolution, or have failed to send in complete information as to their financial relations with the incumbents of the Parishes, your Committee has sent out to the treasurers of such Parishes the cards asking for additional and complete information. The responses in reference to both these sets of cards have been very prompt.

The matter of the payment of the assessments due on the salaries of the Clergy in charge of Missions seems to require some action. Until it is determined how these assessments are to be paid, your Committee is unable to set in motion the proper collection of such assessment. This might well be a serious matter for the Clergy

who are affected, since, as is well known, the payment of pensions depends upon the prompt and regular payment of the assessments.

The Committee has had before it several cases where pensions have been applied for, but where the right to receive such pensions has been questioned by the Trustees of the Pension Fund. In each of these cases the Committee has done everything possible to collect the facts and to present them fairly to the officers of the Fund. Of course, this Committee, as such, has no power of decision and can only act as an intermediary between the applicant and the officers of the Fund.

CHARLES L. GOMPE,
HENRY M. LADD,
PALMER CAMPBELL,

FRANK L. CRAWFORD,
FREDERICK HOADLEY,
Committee.

Dated, May 21, 1917.

Report of the Special Committee on Legislation.

The Committee appointed by the Convention of 1913 to confer with the Committee appointed by the Convention of the Diocese of New Jersey, regarding the proposed amendment to the statute law of New Jersey, reports that a joint meeting of the two Committees was held in the City of Newark on the 24th day of April, 1915, and that an amendment to Chapter 62 of the Laws of 1901, relating to the incorporation and government of Parishes, was proposed and duly considered, and it was agreed that an amendment should be made to paragraph 10, by inserting the words "or neglect for six months" after the word "refusal" in the third line from the end of paragraph 10. In explanation, it may be stated that paragraph 10 relates to the filling of vacancies in the office of warden and vestryman, and it is thought that the words of the statute fail to cover the case of one elected who simply stays away from Vestry meetings. Such a condition might continue for a period of three years in the case of many Parishes, making an actual, if not a legal vacancy. The amendment would permit the filling of the vacancy after six months.

Your Committee, therefore, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Committee on Legislation be continued to act in conjunction with a like Committee from the Diocese of New Jersey, in applying to the Legislature for the amendment of paragraph 10, Chapter 62, of the Laws of 1901, by providing for the filling of vacancies occasioned by neglect to serve.

For the Committee on Legislation,

EDWIN A. WHITE,
Chairman.

Report of the Commission on Church Architecture, 1916.

The Commission on Church Architecture presents its tenth annual report. In view of the increased cost of building it was not to be expected that much new work would be undertaken this past year. Nevertheless a new and attractive stone church has been begun for the Church of the Redeemer, Morristown, the plans for which were laid before the Commission and approved.

The approval of the Commission has been given to an important addition to the Parish House of St. Stephen's, Jersey City, in order to meet the rapidly growing needs of that parish for combined worship and work until such time as a church can be built.

The plans of a chapel at West Englewood were approved, and the work has been successfully completed.

A movable chapel has been erected at Livingston. The plans for this were not submitted to the Commission for the reason, as stated by the Rector of the Parish of St. Mark's, West Orange, that "the donor has not, and for a long time may not have, turned the property over to the Diocese." The Commission, therefore, cannot hold itself responsible for the character of this building.

Sketches for a simple chapel for St. Peter's, Rochelle Park, were submitted to the Commission and passed, subject to several suggestions.

Two applications from Hillsdale and Glen Rock came to the Commission in March for assistance which we have long felt the Diocese should provide, namely, a set of plans which would give a small mission a building in which to begin its work at a cost of about \$4,000.00, a building which could be used temporarily as a combination Chapel and Parish House, and which might be used exclusively for the latter purpose eventually.

The Commission for several years has urged the need of plans for this purpose on the Board of Church Extension, but it was only on March 31st that a committee of the Board agreed to recommend our proposal. Under this scheme three plans of small churches, to cost from \$3,000 to \$5,000 each, and one plan for a combination Parish House and Chapel, to cost \$4,000.00, would be prepared by the firm of Stephenson & Wheeler, in accordance with their offer to do so at the nominal cost of \$50.00 for each. This would include skeleton specifications, and the whole would become the property of the Board, to be loaned to the Missions on such terms as it might require. A similar application for such assistance has come to the Commission from outside the Diocese, witnessing to a common experience. Published books of plans do not supply this need.

We regret to be obliged to report that a plan for a Mission Church at Woodridge was of such extraordinary character that it could not receive the approval of the Commission. This case brought to a climax the need long felt and long requested of a method of co-operation with the Board of Church Extension.

In view of certain misunderstandings the Commission on March 5th was compelled to lay before the Board in a written statement the facts in regard to our methods and our mutual relationship.

This was especially needful in view of a resolution adopted by the Board, which provided for the appointment of a "Committee on Building," to which all plans for mission churches asking aid must first be submitted, and, to quote the words of the resolution, "if deemed satisfactory by the Board, be sent to the Commission on Church Architecture for its approval." The final portion of the resolution providing that "no money should be paid on the call until the Commission on Church Architecture shall have reported back to the Board its approval of the plans," taken by itself, was all that could be desired. Nevertheless it is evident that the former portion was in direct conflict with the law of the Diocese, which distinctly says that "It shall be the duty of every Mission receiving aid, etc., to lay *before this Commission* the plans," and makes no mention whatever of the Board. The Commission is fully aware of the fact that it has no right, as it has no desire, to interfere with the exclusive work of the Board. At the same time it must insist that the Board shall not usurp or hamper the exclusive authority of the Commission. For it is evident that a pronouncement by the body possessing the power to grant money that plans are "satisfactory" to them, might render wholly nugatory any decision to the contrary given by the Commission.

It is understood, therefore, by the Commission that the words "deemed satisfactory by the Board" have reference only to the financial and material character of the plans and not to the architectural.

As this is the tenth annual report of the Commission it seems fitting that a summary of what has been accomplished since the beginning should be laid before the Diocese. During the decade more than 50 buildings of various kinds, Parish Churches, Mission Chapels, Parish Houses and Rectories, have been under advisement. To the consideration of these buildings the Commission, and especially its professional member, together with his partner, have given unstinted time and thought gratuitously.

In view of the fact that this is the first attempt on the American Continent to do for the Church what municipal bodies have found it necessary to do for the State, it has naturally met with opposition and criticism of some who preferred "the good old ways" of every parish and struggling mission doing what is right in its own eyes, independently of the right and good of the Diocese at large, and even of its own good. The above summary should be a conclusive answer to such criticism. The members of the Commission do not claim infallibility, but they can with a good conscience affirm that they have always aimed to be fair and reasonable, and even lenient.

They would add that inasmuch as the Newark Canon had no precedent, being the first attempt to do this needful work, it may be that it should be modified in the light of experience. Seven other Dioceses have already followed our example, and some seem to have improved on our methods. Pennsylvania and New York have both found it desirable to enlarge the scope of the work so as to include not only Churches and Chapels, but also Parish Houses, rectories, pictured windows, furnishings, and sites. This last is perhaps the most important addition, as dealing with a matter which is usually more permanent than the building. A similar danger exists in the offer of memorial windows, which in many cases in the past have become perpetual eyesores, and because of their memorial character practically irremovable. In these two instances especially the advice and support of a representative body of the Diocese may be of great service in saving the Parish authorities from a delicate and difficult position.

While not prepared, at this time, to offer an amendment to the canon, we would suggest that the matter be referred to the Committee on Constitution and Canons for consideration. We, therefore, offer the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Committee on Constitution and Canons be requested to consider the desirability of an amendment to Canon 10, and if they so decide, to prepare such amendment and report the same to the next Convention.

(Signed) WALKER GWYNNE,
SAMUEL A. WHEELEY,
ROBERT S. STEPHENSON,
GEORGE W. HULSBY.

May 1st, 1917.

Report of the Board of Social Service.

The Board of Social Service respectfully reports that seven meetings have been held during the past year. The time of these meetings has been chiefly taken up with two problems: the temperance question, which was committed to this Board by the action of the last Convention, and the establishment of a temporary home for boys.

THE LIQUOR PROBLEM.

On the question of the duty of the Church towards the liquor problem there developed wide differences of opinion in your Board. There is no difference of opinion regarding the gross evils that surround the liquor traffic, the harm to society that is done by saloons as at present conducted and the need of wise and constant education of the youth of the Church respecting these evils. It is not to our credit that we have allowed our difference of opinion regarding total abstinence to affect assistance we ought to be giving to those who are working to suppress the evils of the liquor traffic. After careful and painstaking discussion and investigation of this question we have unanimously come to the conclusion that what is needed at the present time as a practical measure is not the passing of resolutions that can mean but little, but the lining up of the forces of our Diocese to help secure local option in New Jersey. We have, therefore, prepared the following resolution, which we will offer at the proper time:

Resolved, That the Convention urge upon the Legislature of New Jersey the passage of a local option bill, with strict provision governing the manufacture, transportation and sale of alcoholic beverages.

We do not propose to rest content if the Convention passes this resolution, but we propose forthwith to use such strength and influence as we have, in conjunction with others working for the same end, to bring it about.

The Church in New Jersey is ill equipped in institutions for the carrying on of a Social Ministry. Our two hospitals are doing excellent work in Jersey City and Newark. The Sisters of St. Margaret have done a fine work at St. Katharine's Home in Jersey City, and the Sisters of St. John the Baptist carry on St. Anna's and St. Marguerite's Home at Ralston. These institutions are all doing splendid work; they are admirably conducted and are worthy of all praise. With the exception of the two hospitals, they are not institutions of our Diocese and we are in no sense responsible for them. We are glad to have them doing such good work within the Diocesan boundaries, but it only goes to show how little we, as a Diocese, have done for those that need care in New Jersey.

The function of the Church in the care of dependent people seems to be threefold: *First*, the assisting of private organizations already in the field and doing needed work. *Second*, the assisting in the formation and stimulating of public opinion to the end that governmental agencies, the State, the County, and the Municipality may undertake such work or rightly carry it forward. *Third*, the establishment by the Church of institutions.

The field is so great that there is always abundance of work to be done by voluntary agencies, if it is to be done at all, as the State is either unable or unwilling to do it. There is as yet no clear understanding of what is the proper field of governmental agencies and what is the proper field of voluntary agencies, including under voluntary agencies, of course, the work carried on by the Church. It may be that any clear-cut defining of the field of activity is impossible and perhaps not desirable. It may be that in institutions other than penal, where the predominating thought is character building and not physical care and comfort, the work can best be done by the Church and not by the State. We must take these questions into consideration in formulating what shall be the policy of the Diocese in the development of its social work.

Besides the care of prisoners, the State has accepted the task of providing for the insane, the epileptic, the feeble-minded, the blind, the tubercular, the permanently dependent children, the widows in the care of their children, the aged poor in the almshouses. This is an enormous and ever increasing burden borne by the State or

County. And with all that is done and the millions of dollars expended annually, our hospitals for the insane are cruelly overcrowded. About one-fifth of the feeble-minded needing custodial care are provided for and the provision for the tubercular is entirely inadequate. The State and Counties will be obliged to increase enormously their expenditures of money to properly provide for the classes of people needing their care in the work already begun under governmental auspices.

In addition to this great work there are needs which are not at all met in New Jersey; for example, we have no provision for incurables, there is no provision, save in institutions requiring a considerable payment of money, for our own aged poor, who ought not be sent to almshouses, and there is no provision for that class of boys not proper candidates, as paupers under the law, for the care of the State Board of Children's Guardians, and who ought not be sent to a penal institution. This is by no means an inclusive list.

Your Board in making a choice of what should first be met by the Diocese considered that we ought to begin with children. We are therefore establishing the Bonnie Brae Home for Boys. A farm of 126 acres has been secured near Hanover, in Essex County, where there is a large and commodious house. Our plan is to establish a series of homes, having ten or fifteen boys in a home or house. We begin with one unit and we are renting the farm in order that we may determine whether the situation is suitable for a permanent work of this sort.

We are asking for ten thousand dollars for our first year's expenses. This is a large sum considering the number of boys we shall be able to accommodate, but it is necessitated because the house has to be completely furnished and the farm stocked, and it will be some time before we can expect any return from the farm.

The question of what shall be the policy of the Diocese regarding the establishment of Diocesan institutions for social work is important. Such institutions as we have at present have been founded by individuals who had a great vision of a need that might be supplied by the Church; they have organized self-perpetuating bodies of trustees and sought Diocesan recognition. There is no institution for social work which is Diocesan in character. This Convention has no authority whatever over any institution in the Diocese. There has been, further, no Diocesan policy in the past for such a ministry on the part of the Church. There has been no agency in the Diocese, until the creation of the Board of Social Service, charged with the duty of planning and carrying out a comprehensive ministry of love on the part of the Diocese. We have, therefore, considered it our duty to plan not for the present situation only, but to formulate a method of procedure for future Diocesan social work.

Our plan is that the Board of Social Service shall be incorporated, holding all property that is to be used for Diocesan social work, and that it shall elect Boards of Managers for such institutions as may hereafter be established, in the same fashion as the Board of Missions is incorporated, holds the property of the Missions and has some supervision over them. The Board of Social Service is the creature of the Convention, which has full power over it. In this way we shall have the advantage which comes from different groups of people constituting various Boards of Managers, and at the same time preserving the Diocesan unity and control through the Board of Social Service.

Carrying out this policy, we have elected a Board of Managers of the Bonnie Brae Home for Boys, constituting the Board of Social Service as the body which shall hold the property, and preserving the relationship to the Church by having the religious instruction under the supervision of the Bishop.

We have also this past year maintained as far as possible some ministry of the Church in the institutions outside of Essex County, those inside that County being

under the care of the Newark City Missioner. Owing to our limited means, it has been impossible to do all that might be done. In Morris County one of the members of the Board has pastoral supervision of the County Almshouse and the Tuberculosis Hospital, and the Diocesan Secretary of Social Service has under his care the institutions at the Colony maintained by Hudson County. In the Almshouse we have been assisted by the Clergy of the County, many of whom have gone out with their choirs on Sunday afternoons for services in the men's ward and the women's ward of the large County Almshouse.

The Secretary has gone from time to time to the Penitentiary to represent the Church at the hearings given by the Probation Officer, who is a member of this Board, to those applying for discharge. Regular visits every week have been made to the sick and dying in the Tuberculosis Hospital and the Holy Communion administered both at the hospital and in the chapel to men and women from the Almshouse. At the request of our Hudson County Committee, the Board of Freeholders of Hudson County have completely renovated the forlorn building known as the Protestant Chapel. A proper chancel with sacristies has been built and is now in process of being completely furnished with an altar and all its fittings. A new floor has been put down and new pews are to be bought. The Freeholders have done all that we asked of them and we shall now have a well-equipped chapel for our work.

The Passaic County situation as respects the County Jail remains unchanged. We have held meetings for the purpose of determining what can be done to arouse public opinion to the need of change, and plans are being formulated for a mass meeting for this purpose in Paterson. Our Clergy in the County are fully alive to the situation and are helping in this important work.

The Bergen County Committee has held regular meetings during the year and we have endeavored, by means of the discussions and sending out reports, to keep the Clergy informed of the work carried on by the County for the poor and unfortunate, and what should be done.

The Secretary has served as a member of the Executive Committee of the New Jersey Conference of Charities and Corrections, and as Chairman of the Reorganization Committee, he has acted as Chairman of the Committee to arrange the program and conferences on Child Welfare under the New Jersey Child Labor and Welfare Committee, and has presided at the conferences held in Hoboken, Newark, and Camden, and also represented the New Jersey Committee at the National Conference at Baltimore. He has acted as Chairman of the Reorganization Committee of the Goodwill Home in Newark, and has lectured at the Summer Schools held at Raleigh, N. C.; Washington, D. C.; Cambridge, Mass., and Geneva, N. Y. In addition he has addressed meetings of men at various times this past year in the Dioceses of New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Erie, Long Island, New York, Maryland, Washington, Western New York, and South Dakota. He has preached Social Missions at the Cathedral in Sioux Falls, South Dakota, and at Belvidere in Warren County, in this Diocese, and has acted as Secretary of the Provincial Social Service Commission, and served as a member of the State Commission on Old Age Pensions and Insurance.

AUGUSTINE RUMENOF,
Executive Secretary.

Report of the Trustees of the Aged and Infirm Clergy Fund.

These Trustees have control of the fund known as the Automatic Pension Fund, under Canon 14; also of the fund known as the Fund for the Relief of Clergymen and Their Dependents, under Canon 15, under which canon relief is afforded to

disabled clergymen, and widows and children of deceased clergymen. The fund is also used for defraying the funeral expenses of clergymen.

The Trustees directed the distribution of the Automatic Pension Fund among twelve beneficiaries who had filed their certificates with the Bishop. The amount of the income was \$2,818.50.

The Trustees have also paid, from the Fund for Clergymen and Their Dependents, to six beneficiaries the sum of \$2,150.00; and to seven widows the sum of \$1,700.00.

The Trustees now have invested from the Automatic Pension Fund the sum of \$52,250.00, and for the Fund for Clergymen and Their Dependents, the sum of \$17,398.00.

Respectfully submitted,

FREDERICK B. CARTER,
Secretary.

Appendix IV

THE GENERAL CONVENTION

To the Convention of the Diocese of Newark:

In compliance with the requirements of Article X. of the Constitution and Canon 48 § I. [iv.], I hereby officially make known the alterations and additions in the Book of Common Prayer, proposed and adopted in the General Convention of 1916, to wit, those comprised in the subjoined resolutions, and to be acted upon in the General Convention of 1919.

New York, March 25, A. D. 1917.

HENRY AMERICA,
Secretary of the House of Deputies.

RESOLUTIONS

Resolved: That the following changes be made in the Order for Daily Morning Prayer, and that the proposed alterations be made known to the several Dioceses in order that they may be severally adopted by the next General Convention in accordance with the provisions of Article X. of the Constitution.

- (1) In the first rubric on page 1, omit the word "*always*."
- (2) In the second rubric on page 1, omit the first six words, so that it shall read, "*He may omit*," etc.
- (3) Add at end of the third rubric on page 1, these words: "*The same order may be followed on all week days save on Days of Fasting or Abstinence*."
- (4) Substitute in place of the *Sentences* at present in the Prayer Book, printing together in one section without breaks, but indicating in the margin those appropriate for certain seasons or days, the following *Sentences*, namely:

The Lord is in his holy temple: let all the earth keep silence before him.
Hab. ii. 20.

I was glad when they said unto me, We will go into the house of the Lord.
Psaln cxlii. 1.

Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be alway acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength and my redeemer. *Psaln xix. 14, 15.*

O send out thy light and thy truth, that they may lead me, and bring me unto thy holy hill, and to thy dwelling. *Psaln xliii. 3.*

Thus saith the high and lofty One that inhabiteth eternity, whose name is Holy: I dwell in the high and holy place, with him also that is of a contrite and humble spirit, to revive the spirit of the humble, and to revive the heart of the contrite ones.
Isaiah lvii. 15.

The hour cometh, and now is, when the true worshippers shall worship the Father in spirit and in truth: for the Father seeketh such to worship him. *St. John iv. 23.*

Grace be unto you, and peace, from God our Father and from the Lord Jesus Christ. *Phil. i. 2.*

Advent Repent ye; for the Kingdom of heaven is at hand. *St. Matt. iii. 2.*

Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for our God. *Isaiah xl. 3.*

Christmas Behold, I bring you good tidings of great joy, which shall be to all people. For unto you is born this day in the city of David a Saviour, which is Christ the Lord. *St. Luke ii. 10, 11.*

Epiphany From the rising of the sun even unto the going down of the same my Name shall be great among the Gentiles; and in every place incense shall be offered unto my Name, and a pure offering: for my Name shall be great among the heathen, saith the Lord of hosts. *Mal. i. 11.*

Awake, awake; put on thy strength, O Zion; put on thy beautiful garments, O Jerusalem. *Isaiah lii. 1.*

Lent Rend your heart, and not your garments, and turn unto the Lord your God: for he is gracious and merciful, slow to anger, and of great kindness, and repenteth him of the evil. *Joel ii. 13.*

The sacrifices of God are a broken spirit: a broken and a contrite heart, O God, thou wilt not despise. *Psalms ii. 17.*

I will arise and go to my father, and will say unto him, Father, I have sinned against heaven, and before thee, and am no more worthy to be called thy son. *St. Luke xv. 18, 19.*

Good Friday Is it nothing to you, all ye that pass by? behold, and see if there be any sorrow like unto my sorrow which is done unto me, wherewith the Lord hath afflicted me. *Lam. i. 12.*

In whom we have redemption through his blood, the forgiveness of sins, according to the riches of his grace. *Eph. i. 7.*

Easter He is risen. The Lord is risen indeed. *St. Mark xvi. 6; St. Luke xxiv. 34.*

This is the day which the Lord hath made; we will rejoice and be glad in it. *Psalms cxviii. 24.*

Ascension Seeing that we have a great High Priest that is passed into the heavens, Jesus the Son of God, let us come boldly unto the throne of grace, that we may obtain mercy, and find grace to help in time of need. *Heb. iv. 14, 16.*

Whitsunday Ye shall receive power, after that the Holy Ghost is come upon you: and ye shall be witnesses unto me both in Jerusalem, and in all Judea, and in Samaria, and unto the uttermost part of the earth. *Acts i. 8.*

Because ye are sons, God hath sent forth the Spirit of his Son into your hearts, crying, Abba, Father. *Gal. iv. 6.*

Trinity Sunday Holy, holy, holy, Lord God Almighty, which was, and is, and is to come. *Rev. iv. 8.*

Thanksgiving Day Honour the Lord with thy substance, and with the first-fruits of all thine increase: so shall thy barns be filled with plenty, and thy presses shall burst out with new wine. *Prov. iii. 9, 10.*

The Lord by wisdom hath founded the earth; by understanding hath he established the heavens. By his knowledge the depths are broken up, and the clouds drop down the dew. *Prov. iii. 19, 20.*

(5) Amend the rubric before the Absolution, page 4, so as to read as follows:

¶ *To be made by the Priest alone, standing; the People still kneeling. The Priest, at his discretion, may use, instead of what follows, the Absolution from the Order for the Holy Communion.*

(6) In the Absolution on page 5, begin a new paragraph with "Wherefore."

(7) Omit the rubric ¶ *Or this*, page 5, and the alternative Absolution following.

(8) Amend the second rubric on page 5, by omitting the words "both here, and wheresoever else it is used in Divine Service."

(9) In the second rubric on page 6, omit all after the word "appointed," and insert in place thereof: "but Note, That on Ash-Wednesday and Good Friday the Venite may be omitted."

(11) Amend the first sentence of the third rubric on page 6 so as to read as follows: ¶ *Then shall follow a portion of the PSALMS, according to the Use of this Church.*

(12) Omit the first rubric on page 7.

(14) Print *Te Deum* in three portions, with large capitals for

WE praise, etc.;

THOU art the King, etc.;

O LORD, save, etc.

(15) Print *Benedicite* in four portions, with large capitals for introductory

O ALL, etc.;

and for the three portions:

O YE Heavens;

O LET the Earth, etc.;

O LET Israel, etc.

(16) Insert before *Benedicite*, as follows:

¶ Or this Cantic.

Benedictus es Domine.

Blessed art thou, O Lord God of our fathers: praised and exalted above all for ever.

Blessed art thou for the Name of thy Majesty: praised and exalted above all for ever.

Blessed art thou in the temple of thy holiness: praised and exalted above all for ever:

Blessed art thou that beholdest the depths and dwellest between the Cherubim: praised and exalted above all for ever.

Blessed art thou on the glorious throne of thy Kingdom: praised and exalted above all for ever.

Blessed art thou in the firmament of heaven: praised and exalted above all for ever.

(17) In the third rubric on page 6, before the word "*Benedicite*" insert "*Benedictus es.*"

(18) Make the second rubric on page 7 read as follows:

¶ Then shall be read the FIRST LESSON, according to the Table or Calendar. And Note, that before every Lesson, the Minister shall say, Here beginneth such a Chapter [or Verse of such a Chapter] of such a Book; and after every Lesson, Here endeth the First [or the Second] Lesson.

Make the third rubric on page 7 read as follows:

¶ Here shall be said or sung the following Hymn. But Note, that on any day when the Holy Communion is immediately to follow, the Minister at his discretion, after any one of the following Canticles of Morning Prayer has been said or sung, may pass at once to the Communion Service.

(21) Substitute for the Prayer for The President of the United States, and all in Civil Authority, pages 13, 14, the following:

O LORD our Governor, whose glory is in all the world; We commend this nation to thy merciful care, that being guided by thy Providence we may dwell secure in thy peace. Grant to THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, and to all in authority, wisdom and strength to know and to do thy will. Fill them with the love of truth and righteousness; and make them ever mindful of their calling to serve this people in thy fear; through Jesus Christ our Lord, who liveth and reigneth with thee and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. Amen.

(22) Substitute for the first rubric on page 12 the following:

¶ Or the Creed commonly called the Nicene.

Resolved: That the following change be made in the Order for Morning Prayer and in the Order for Evening Prayer, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses in order that it may be adopted by the next General Convention in accordance with the provisions of Article X. of the Constitution.

- (1) After the General Thanksgiving insert a rubric in these words:

[Note, That the General Thanksgiving may be said by the
Congregation with the Minister.

Resolved: That the following changes be made in the Order for Daily Evening Prayer, and that the proposed alterations be made known to the several Dioceses in order that they may be severally adopted by the next General Convention in accordance with the provisions of Article X. of the Constitution.

- (1) In the first rubric, page 16, omit the words, "on days other than the Lord's Day."

(2) Substitute in place of the *Sentences* at present in the Prayer Book, printing together in one section without breaks, but indicating in the margin those appropriate for certain seasons or days, the following *Sentences*, namely:

The Lord is in his holy temple: let all the earth keep silence before him. *Hab. ii. 20.*

Lord, I have loved the habitation of thy house, and the place where thine honour dwelleth. *Psalms xvi. 8.*

Let my prayer be set forth in thy sight as the incense; and let the lifting up of my hands be an evening sacrifice. *Psalms cxli. 2.*

O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness; let the whole earth stand in awe of him. *Psalms xcvi. 9.*

Let the words of my mouth, and the meditation of my heart, be alway acceptable in thy sight, O Lord, my strength and my redeemer. *Psalms xix. 14, 15.*

Advent Watch ye, for ye know not when the master of the house cometh, at even, or at midnight, or at the cock-crowing, or in the morning: lest coming suddenly he find you sleeping. *St. Mark xiii. 35, 36.*

Christmas Behold, the tabernacle of God is with men, and he will dwell with them, and they shall be his people, and God himself shall be with them, and be their God. *Rev. xxi. 3.*

Epiphany And the Gentiles shall come to thy light, and kings to the brightness of thy rising. *Isaiah lx. 3.*

Lent I acknowledge my transgressions: and my sin is ever before me. *Psalms li. 3.*

To the Lord our God belong mercies and forgivenesses, though we have rebelled against him; neither have we obeyed the voice of the Lord our God, to walk in his laws which he set before us. *Deut. ix. 9, 10.*

If we say that we have no sin, we deceive ourselves, and the truth is not in us; but if we confess our sins, God is faithful and just to forgive us our sins, and to cleanse us from all unrighteousness. *1 St. John i. 8, 9.*

Good Friday All we like sheep have gone astray; we have turned every one to his own way; and the Lord hath laid on him the iniquity of us all. *Isaiah liii. 6.*

Easter Thanks be to God, which giveth us the victory through our Lord Jesus Christ. *1 Cor. xv. 57.*

If ye then be risen with Christ, seek those things which are above, where Christ sitteth on the right hand of God. *Col. iii. 1.*

Ascension Christ is not entered into the holy places made with hands, which are the figures of the true; but into heaven itself, now to appear in the presence of God for us. *Heb. ix. 24.*

Whitsunday There is a river, the streams whereof shall make glad the city of God, the holy place of the tabernacles of the Most High. *Psalms* xli. 4.

The Spirit and the bride say, Come. And let him that heareth say, Come. And let him that is athirst come. And whosoever will, let him take the water of life freely. *Rev.* xxii. 17.

Trinity Sunday Holy, holy, holy, is the Lord of hosts: the whole earth is full of his glory. *Isaiah* vi. 3.

- (3) Substitute for the second *Absolution*, page 20, after ¶ *Or this*, the following:

The Almighty and merciful God grant you Absolution and Remission of all your sins, true repentance, amendment of life, and the grace and consolation of the Holy Spirit; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

- (4) In the third rubric on page 21, omit the words "*as they are appointed, or one of the Selections, as they are set forth by this Church;*" and insert in lieu thereof the words "*according to the Use of this Church.*"

- (6) In the third rubric on page 22, omit all after the words "*Or this Psalm.*"

- (7) In the first rubric on page 24, omit all after the words "*this Psalm.*"

- (10) Substitute for the second rubric on page 25 the following:

¶ *Or the Creed commonly called the Nicene.*

- (11) After the General Thanksgiving insert a rubric in these words:

¶ *Note, That the General Thanksgiving may be said by the Congregation with the Minister.*

Resolved: That the following changes be made in Prayers and Thanksgivings, and that the proposed alterations be made known to the several Dioceses in order that they may be severally adopted in the next General Convention in accordance with the provisions of Article X. of the Constitution.

- (1) Omit from the title on page 37 the words "Upon Several Occasions."

- (3) Insert the following Prayers under the general title PRAYERS AND THANKSGIVINGS, pages 37 ff., and in the following order:

For Courts of Justice.

Almighty God, who sittest in the throne judging right; We humbly beseech thee to bless the courts of justice and the magistrates in all this land; and give unto them the spirit of wisdom and understanding that they may discern the truth, and impartially administer the law in the fear of thee alone; through him who shall come to be our judge, thy Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ. *Amen.*

- (6) Transfer the Prayers, *For those who are to be admitted into Holy Orders*, from their present position, pages 40, 41, to a position immediately following the Prayers, *For Missions.*

- (7) Transfer the Prayers, *For Fruitful Seasons*, from their present position, page 41, to a position immediately preceding the Prayer, *For Rain.*

- (8) In the Prayer, *For Fair Weather*, page 39, omit in line 4 the words, "for our sins," and strike out all that follows "benefit," line 7, to and including "thanks and praise."

- (9) Insert the following Prayers immediately after the Prayer, *In Time of War and Tumults*, page 40.

In Time of Calamity.

O God, merciful and compassionate, who art ever ready to hear the prayers of those who put their trust in thee; Graciously hearken to us who call upon thee, and grant us thy help in this our need; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

For the Army.

O Lord God of Hosts, stretch forth, we pray thee, thine almighty arm to strengthen and protect the soldiers of our country; support them in the day of battle, and in the time of peace keep them safe from all evil; endue them with courage and loyalty; and grant that in all things they may serve without reproach; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

For the Navy.

O Eternal Lord God, who alone spreadest out the heavens, and rulest the raging of the sea; Vouchsafe to take into thy almighty and most gracious protection our country's Navy, and all who serve therein. Preserve them from the dangers of the sea, and from the violence of the enemy; that they may be a safeguard unto the United States of America, and a security for such as pass on the seas upon their lawful occasions; that the inhabitants of our land may in peace and quietness serve thee our God; to the glory of thy Name; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

Memorial Days.

O Almighty God, God of the spirits of all flesh; We give thee thanks for all those who have laid down their lives for home and country; And we commend them to thy fatherly care and protection, beseeching thee that we, with them, may have our portion in the life of the world to come; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

For Religious Education.

Almighty God, our Heavenly Father, who hast committed to thy Holy Church the care and nurture of thy children; Enlighten with thy wisdom those who teach and those who learn, that, rejoicing in the knowledge of thy truth, they may worship thee and serve thee from generation to generation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

For Children.

O Lord Jesus Christ, who dost embrace children with the arms of thy mercy, and dost make them living members of thy Church; Give them grace, we pray thee, to stand fast in thy faith, to obey thy word, and to abide in thy love; that being made strong by thy Holy Spirit they may resist temptation and overcome evil; and may rejoice in the life that now is, and dwell with thee in the life that is to come; through thy merits, O merciful Saviour, who with the Father and the Holy Ghost livest and reignest one God, world without end. *Amen.*

(12) Add after the Prayer, *For a Sick Child*, pages 42, 43, the following:

¶ *Or this*

O Almighty God and merciful Father, look down from heaven, we humbly beseech thee, upon the sick child for whom our prayers are desired. Visit *him*, O Lord, with thy salvation, deliver *him* from *his* bodily pain and grant *him* the blessing of health, that *he* may live to thee and to thy glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. *Amen.*

(13) Transfer the Prayer, *For a Person under Affliction*, from its present position to a position immediately following the Prayer, *For a Sick Child*; and amend the same by omitting the clause, "In thy wisdom . . . distress upon *him*."

(14) Omit the rubric before the Prayer, *For Malefactors*, on page 43.

(15) Insert the following after the Prayer, *For Malefactors*, page 44.

A Bidding Prayer.

*Which may be used before Sermons, or on
Special Occasions.*

Good Christian People, I bid your prayers for Christ's Holy Catholic Church, the blessed company of all faithful people; that it may please God to confirm and strengthen it in purity of faith, in holiness of life, and in perfectness of love, and to restore to it the witness of visible unity; and more especially for that branch of the same planted by God in this land, whereof we are members; that in all things it may work according to God's will, serve him faithfully, and worship him acceptably.

Ye shall pray for the President of the United States, and for the Governor of this State, and for all that are in authority; that all, and every one of them, may serve truly in their several callings to the glory of God, and the edifying and well-governing of the people, remembering the account they shall be called upon to give at the last great day.

Ye shall also pray for the ministers of God's Holy Word and Sacraments; for Bishops (and herein more especially for the Bishop of this Diocese), that they may minister faithfully and wisely the discipline of Christ; likewise for all Priests and Deacons (and herein more especially for the Clergy here residing), that they may shine as lights in the world, and in all things may adorn the doctrine of God our Saviour.

And ye shall pray for a due supply of persons fitted to serve God in the Ministry and in the State; and to that end, as well as for the good education of all the youth of this land, ye shall pray for all schools, colleges, and seminaries of sound and godly learning, and for all whose hands are open for their maintenance; that whatsoever tends to the advancement of true religion and useful learning may for ever flourish and abound.

Ye shall pray for all the people of these United States, that they may live in the true faith and fear of God, and in brotherly charity one towards another.

Ye shall pray also for all who travel by land or sea; for all prisoners and captives; for all who are in sickness or in sorrow; for all who have fallen into grievous sins; for all who, through temptation, ignorance, helplessness, grief, trouble, dread, or the near approach of death, especially need our prayers.

Ye shall also praise God for rain and sunshine; for the fruits of the earth; for the products of all honest industry; and for all his good gifts, temporal and spiritual, to us and to all men.

Finally, ye shall yield unto God most high praise and hearty thanks for the wonderful grace and virtue declared in all his saints, who have been the choice vessels of his grace and the light of the world in their several generations; and pray unto God, that we may have grace to direct our lives after their good examples; that, this life ended, we may be made partakers with them of the glorious resurrection, and the life everlasting.

And now, brethren, summing up all our petitions, and all our thanksgivings, in the words which Christ hath taught us, we make bold to say,

Our Father, etc.

[Note, That the Minister in his discretion may omit any of the clauses in the foregoing Bidding Prayer, or may add others, as occasion may require.

(18) Transfer the Prayer following the third rubric on page 320 from its present position to a position as the first of the Thanksgivings.

(20) Amend the title of the last Thanksgiving, page 47, so as to read, *For a Safe Return from a Journey*, and italicise the words "*the great deep*," and add after those words, also in italics, in parenthesis, the words "*(his way)*."

(21) At the end of the PRAYERS AND THANKSGIVINGS, preceding them by the Title, COLLECTS, insert the Collects now appearing on pages 239 and 240, together with the following, which shall appear first in order:

O Lord Jesus, Christ, who saidst unto thine Apostles, Peace I leave with you, my peace I give unto you; Regard not our sins, but the faith of thy Church; and grant to it, that peace and unity which is according to thy will: Who livest and reignest with the Father and the Holy Ghost, one God, world without end. *Amen.*

Resolved: That the following changes be made in regard to the use and form of the Psalter, or Psalms of David, and that the proposed alterations be made known to the several Dioceses in order that they may be severally adopted by the next General Convention in accordance with the provisions of Article X. of the Constitution.

(1) Prefix to the *Tables of Psalms* immediately preceding the *Psalter* the directions entitled, THE USE OF THE PSALTER, as in Resolution I.

THE USE OF THE PSALTER.

In places where it is convenient, the Psalter shall be read through once every month. The Minister shall, on the days for which they are appointed, use one or more of the Proper Psalms, as set forth in the Table of Proper Psalms.

But *Note*, That on other days, instead of reading from the Psalter, as divided for Daily Morning and Evening Prayer, he may read one or more of the Psalms for the Day, or one or more of the Psalms from the Selections set forth by this Church.

(2) In place of the Tables, now appearing on pages vii and viii of the Prayer Book, and on page 328, print the following:

TABLE OF PROPER PSALMS FOR SEASONS AND DAYS.

ADVENT-SUNDAY.	—8, 9, 36, 50, 96, 97, 98.
CHRISTMAS-DAY.	—2, 8, 19, 45, 85, 89, 110, 132, 144.
CIRCUMCISION.	—40, 65, 90, 103, 105.
EPIPHANY.	—19, 46, 47, 48, 67, 72, 87, 96, 97, 98, 117, 135.
PURIFICATION.	—20, 48, 84, 86, 87, 113, 134, 138.
ASH-WEDNESDAY.	—6, 32, 38, 102, 130, 143.
ANNUNCIATION.	—89, 113, 131, 132, 138.
PALM-SUNDAY.	—24, 97, 110.
HOLY-WEEK.	—42, 43, 51, 71, 74, 94, 116, 120, 141, 142, or any of the Psalms for Ash-Wednesday or Good Friday.
GOOD FRIDAY.	—22, 40, 54, 64, 69, 88.
EASTER-EVEN.	—4, 16, 17, 27, 30, 31.
EASTER-DAY.	—2, 57, 111, 113, 114, 118.
ASCENSION-DAY.	—8, 15, 21, 24, 47, 93, 99, 108, 110.
WHITSUNDAY.	—46, 48, 68, 104, 133, 145.
TRINITY-SUNDAY.	—29, 33, 93, 97, 148, 149, 150.
TRANSFIGURATION.	—27, 61, 84, 93, 99, 133.
ST. MICHAEL'S.	—34, 91, 103, 148.
ALL SAINTS' DAY.	—1, 15, 112, 121, 146, 149.

NOTE.—The Psalms appointed for any of the above days may be used during the Octave.

TABLE OF PSALMS FOR SPECIAL OCCASIONS.

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THE GENERAL CONVENTION

To the Convention of the Diocese of Newark:

In compliance with the requirements of Article XI. of the Constitution and Canon 48 § I. [iv.], I hereby officially make known the following alterations in the Constitution of the Church proposed and adopted in the General Convention of 1916, to wit, those comprised in the subjoined resolutions and to be acted upon in the General Convention of 1919.

New York, March 25, A. D. 1917.

HENRY ANSTICE,
Secretary of the House of Deputies.

RESOLUTIONS

Resolved, That the following changes be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted in the next General Convention in accordance with Article XI. of the Constitution:

Amend Section 2 of Article I. by inserting after the word 'infirmity' in the third line thereof the following: "or who under an election to an office created by the General Convention."

Resolved, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted in the next General Convention in accordance with Article XI. of the Constitution:

Strike out Section 3 of Article I. and insert in place thereof the following:

Section 3. Upon the expiration of the term of office of the Presiding Bishop, the General Convention shall elect the Presiding Bishop of the Church. The House of Bishops shall choose one of the Bishops having jurisdiction within the United States to be the Presiding Bishop of the Church by a vote of a majority of all the Bishops entitled to vote in the House of Bishops, such choice to be subject to confirmation by the House of Deputies. His term and tenure of office and duties shall be prescribed by the Canons of the General Convention.

But if the Presiding Bishop of the Church shall resign his office as such, or if he shall resign his episcopal jurisdiction, or if by reason of infirmity he shall become disabled, or in case of his death, the senior Bishop of this Church in the order of consecration, having jurisdiction within the United States, shall thereupon become the Presiding Bishop of the Church until an election of Presiding Bishop be held by the General Convention.

Resolved, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted in the next General Convention in accordance with Article XI. of the Constitution:

Amend Article II. by the insertion of the following as Section 5 of said Article, the present Section 5 to be renumbered as Section 6:

"Section 5. It shall be lawful for a Diocese to prescribe by the Constitution and Canons of such Diocese that upon the death of the Bishop a Suffragan Bishop of that Diocese may be placed in charge of such Diocese and become temporarily the Ecclesiastical Authority thereof until such time as a new Bishop shall be chosen and consecrated; or that during the disability or absence of the Bishop a Suffragan Bishop of that Diocese may be placed in charge of such Diocese and become temporarily the Ecclesiastical Authority thereof."

Resolved, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted in the next General Convention in accordance with Article XI. of the Constitution:

Amend Article IV. so that it shall read as follows:

"Article IV. In every Diocese a Standing Committee shall be appointed by the Convention thereof. When there is a Bishop in charge of the Diocese, the Standing

Committee shall be his Council of Advice. If there be no Bishop or Bishop Coadjutor or Suffragan Bishop canonically authorized to act, the Standing Committee shall be the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese for all purposes declared by the General Convention. The rights and duties of the Standing Committee, except as provided in the Constitution and Canons of the General Convention, may be prescribed by the Canons of the respective Dioceses."

Resolved, That the following change be made in the Constitution, and that the proposed alteration be made known to the several Dioceses, in order that the same may be adopted in the next General Convention in accordance with Article XI. of the Constitution:

Strike out the second paragraph of Article IX. of the Constitution and insert in place thereof the following:

"Presbyters and Deacons canonically resident in a Diocese shall be tried by a Court instituted by the Convention thereof; Presbyters and Deacons canonically resident in a Missionary District shall be tried according to Canons adopted by the Bishop and Convocation thereof, with the approval of the House of Bishops; *Provided*, that the General Convention in each case may prescribe by Canon for a change of venue."

OFFICIAL NOTICE FROM THE CHURCH PENSION FUND.

February 28, 1917.

MY DEAR MR. KELLER:

I have the honor to inform you that on this date, February 28, 1917, the cash subscriptions and formal legal pledges to the reserve necessary to start the pension system of the Church Pension Fund amount to Six Million Dollars.

I also have the honor to inform you that every one of the sixty-eight Dioceses of the Church has by formal legislation entered the system of the Church Pension Fund.

Therefore, the legislation of your Diocese, which was contingent upon the concurrent legislation of the other Dioceses and upon the financial ability of the Church Pension Fund to start the pension system, is able to be effective from and after this date. I am,

Very sincerely yours,

MONTELL SAYRE,
Secretary, The Church Pension Fund.

THE REVEREND JOHN KELLER,
Secretary of the Diocese of Newark.

MESSAGE FROM THE JOINT COMMISSION ON SOCIAL SERVICE.

New York, N. Y., May 22, 1917.

RT. REV. EDWIN S. LINES:

Joint Commission on Social Service at semi-annual meeting urges following resolution for presentation and action at your Diocesan Convention: That the Church immediately utilize its opportunity for endorsing and encouraging (1) the moral safeguarding of military training camps; (2) national prohibition during war times;

(3) that the Church opposes all attempts to lower present industrial and educational standards during war and calls upon diocesan commissions and Church members to use influence in various States for maintenance of these standards attained after years of great struggle; and (4) that the Church protests against a war finance system involving any direct or indirect tax on necessities of life, and urges diocesan conventions and commissions to express their opinion on this last matter to their Congressmen.

F. M. CROUCH,
Executive Secretary.

TRIENNIAL REPORT OF THE DIOCESE OF NEWARK TO THE GENERAL CONVENTION, A. D., 1913-1916.

STATISTICS.

Deacons ordained (in three years).....	18
Priests ordained (in three years).....	14
Deacons canonically resident.....	7
Priests canonically resident.....	150
Clergy without cure (of whom 4 are engaged in teaching).....	42
Whole number of Clergy (including Bishops).....	159
Candidates for Holy Orders.....	12
Postulants	14
Lay Readers	48
Parishes admitted to Union with Convention, 1913-16.....	1
Parishes in Union with Convention.....	81
Parishes not in Union with Convention.....	2
Missions, (Diocesan and Parochial).....	50
Church edifices	130
Sittings in churches.....	33,635
Free sittings	24,252
Number of churches whose sittings are wholly free.....	99
Churches consecrated, 1913-16.....	1
Rectories	74
Persons baptized, 1913-16, Children, 6,464; Adults, 1,024.....	7,488
Whole number of baptized persons, 1916.....	63,437
Persons confirmed, 1913-16.....	6,084
Communicants, 1916	40,604
Marriages, 1913-16	3,008
Burials, 1913-16	5,784
Sunday School, 1916, Officers and Teachers, 2,230; Pupils.....	19,146

FINANCIAL, EXHIBIT, 1913-16.

Parochial purposes, including salaries, charity, church improvements and expenses	\$1,734,350.42
Diocesan Convention and contingent expenses, including assessments for Bishop's salary and interest of Fund.....	77,076.66
Diocesan Missions	34,721.19
Clergy Relief (Diocesan).....	8,812.65
Other Diocesan objects, including Charitable and Educational Institutions	49,549.65
All Missions outside of the Diocese.....	140,808.87
Educational purposes, General.....	4,166.85
All other objects outside of the Diocese.....	51,559.45

Total for all purposes.....\$2,101,045.74

*Diocese of Newark***ENDOWMENTS.**

Episcopal Fund	\$ 88,140.00
Support of Parishes	397,834.13
Aged and Infirm Clergy and Widows and Orphans of Clergy	50,850.00
Hospitals, orphanages, and other objects	495,069.90
Total	\$1,031,894.03

INSTITUTIONS.

Church Hospitals	2
Homes	3
Other Institutions	1

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	1910-1913	1913-1916	Increase
Deacons ordained	14	18	4
Priests ordained	16	14	2**
Clergy	152*	159†	7
Candidates for Orders	10	12	2
Church edifices	127*	130†	3
Churches consecrated	4	1	3**
Baptisms	6,606	7,488	882
Persons confirmed	5,876	6,084	208
Communicants	36,722*	40,604†	3,882
Offerings, Contributions, etc. (1913-16)			\$2,101,045.74
“ “ “ (1910-13)			2,006,896.57
Increase			\$ 94,149.17

*For the year 1913.

†For the year 1916.

**Decrease.

JOHN KILLER,
Secretary, Diocese of Newark.

Newark, N. J., October 1, A. D. 1916.

Appendix V

COMMUNICATIONS.

*To the Rt. Rev'd Ethelbert Talbot, D.D.,
Diocesan Convention,
Church of the Good Shepherd,
Scranton, Pa.*

The Newark Diocesan Convention sends to Bishop Talbot on the thirtieth anniversary of his consecration, and to his Diocesan Convention, all good wishes.

Trinity Church, Newark, N. J., May 23, 1917.

(Signed) JOHN KELLER,
Secretary.

Bishop's House, South Bethlehem, Pa., May 29, 1917.

MY DEAR MR. KELLER:

I wish to acknowledge with grateful appreciation the kind telegram of congratulation sent me by the Diocese of Newark on the occasion of my thirtieth anniversary celebration through you as the Secretary of the Diocese.

With all good wishes, believe me,

Faithfully yours,

(Signed) ETHELBERT TALBOT.

Addendum

Ordinations by Bishop Lines since May 1, 1917:

- June 3.—Trinity Sunday. In Grace Church, Town of Union, Charles Steel Armstrong, Deacon; presented by the Rev'd George P. Armstrong; preacher, the Rev'd Charles L. Steel.
- June 22.—In St. George's Church, New York City, the Rev'd Burnham North Dell, Priest; presented by the Rev'd Karl Reiland, D.D., who also preached the sermon.
- June 24.—Nativity of St. John the Baptist. In St. Mary Magdalene Church, Newark, the Rev'd John Frederick Hamblin, Priest; presented by the Rev'd William C. Rodgers, D. D., President of St. Stephen's College; preacher, the Rev'd Prof. F. J. Hall, D. D., of the General Theological Seminary.
- July 8.—The Fifth Sunday after Trinity. In the Church of the Holy Communion, South Orange, the Rev'd Randall W. Conklin, Priest; presented by the Rev'd George A. Hanna; preacher, the Bishop of Newark.

Ordination by Bishop Stearly since May 1, 1917:

- July 2.—In Zion Church, Belvidere, the Rev'd Franklin George Faber, Priest; presented by the Rev'd Augustine Elmendorf; preacher, the Rev'd Barrett P. Tyler.

Clergy received since May 1, 1917:

- May 2.—The Rev'd John G. Mabry, from the Missionary District of Arizona; becomes Curate, House of Prayer, Newark.
- June 14.—The Rev'd Percy M. Binnington, from the Diocese of Bethlehem; becomes Curate, Grace, Newark.

Candidates admitted since May 1, 1917:

- Edwin S. Ford, admitted May 14, 1917, (Candidateship to date from October 1, 1916, on recommendation of the Standing Committee).
- C. Russell Moody, admitted June 18, 1917.
- J. Reginald Moody, admitted June 18, 1917.
- Stanley O. Dennis, jr., admitted July 7, 1917.

Wardens appointed since May 1, 1917:

- May 26.—J. S. Krause, All Saints', Dumont.
- June 30.—Hendrik Van Bredarode, Christ Chapel, Wortendyke.

Cornerstone laid since May 1, 1917:

- May 27.—New Church of the Redeemer, Morristown.

Dedication since May 1, 1917:

May 1.—New Parish House, Christ Church, Bloomfield and Glen Ridge.

Consecration of Churches since May 1, 1917:

May 6.—Christ Church, East Orange; preacher, Bishop Lines.

May 16.—St. Paul's Church, Paterson; preacher, Bishop Lines.

June 23.—Christ Church, Ridgewood; preacher, Bishop Stearly.

Anniversary of Church Consecration since May 1, 1917:

May 27.—Whitsunday. Sixtieth Anniversary of Grace Church, Madison.

Deaconesses set apart since May 1, 1917:

May 10.—In the Cathedral of St. John the Divine, New York City, by Bishop Stearly, (for the Diocese of New York), Eliza B. Mills, Eleanor S. McNulty, Belva V. Jennings.

Deaconess transferred since May 1, 1917:

June 19.—Eleanor S. McNulty, to the Diocese of West Virginia.

Lay Readers licensed since May 1, 1917:

May 3.—Jacob Hodel, W. W. Desmond, W. O. Richardson, F. H. Conklin, Annunciation, Oradell, under the Rev'd William K. Berry, D.D.

May 3.—Arthur E. Barlow, St. Paul's, Newark, under the Rev'd Roland C. Ormsbee.

May 4.—William Tyacke, jr., Grace, Madison, under the Rev'd Victor W. Mori.

May 4.—Franklin C. Lewis, Grace, (Van Vorst), Jersey City, under the Rev'd Pelham St. G. Bissell.

May 12.—George H. Mettam, St. John's, Bayonne, under the Rev'd Samuel McKibbin, or the Bishop.

May 21.—Frederic E. Chamberlin, Calvary, Bayonne, under the Bishop.

May 24.—Alexander G. R. Quelch, St. Stephen's, Newark, under the Rev'd Dr. Edmund A. Wasson.

July 9.—Wilton M. Lockwood, St. Paul's, Paterson, under the Rev'd D. Stuart Hamilton, or the Archdeacon of Paterson.

Notices of Deposition received since May 1, 1917:

May 16.—John T. Kerrin, by the Bishop of Colorado.

June 3.—William F. Kleinschmidt, by the Bishop of Duluth.

July 10.—A. Peter Tulp, by the Bishop of Newark.

July 20.—Isaac C. Perkins, Deacon, by the Bishop of Arkansas.

Notice of Restoration received since May 1, 1917:

June 5.—Sentence of Deposition pronounced upon William T. Twanley remitted and terminated by the Bishop of Harrisburg.

Confirmations

BY THE BISHOP OF THE DIOCESE.

Since May 1, 1917, have been:

Bloomfield, Ascension, (2 for Christ Church).....	18
East Orange, Christ Church.....	29
East Rutherford, Grace.....	35
Grantwood, Trinity	12
Jersey City, Ascension	17
" " Incarnation	16
Leonia, All Saints'.....	7
Madison, Grace	22
Millington, All Saints'.....	5
Montclair, Trinity	22
Morristown, St. Peter's.....	16
Newark, St. Barnabas'.....	13
Newton, Christ Church.....	11
Orange, Epiphany	13
Summit, Calvary, (1 for Redeemer, Morristown).....	23
Tenafly, Atonement	20
Town of Union, Grace.....	1

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BY THE BISHOP SUFFRAGAN.

Since May 1, 1917, have been:

Allendale, Epiphany	10
Belvidere, Zion	1
Butler, St. Paul's.....	3
Dumont, All Saints'.....	11
Edgewater, Mediator	1
Hackensack, Christ Church.....	1
Harrison, Christ Chapel.....	1
Hasbrouck Heights, St. John the Divine.....	7
Hilldale, Holy Trinity.....	9
Hoboken, Trinity	34
Hoboken, St. Bartholomew's.....	9
Jersey City, (Graenville), Grace	1
" " Holy Cross	3
" " St. Mark's	11
" " St. Katharine's Home.....	2
Montclair, (Upper), St. James'.....	11
Montvale, St. Paul's.....	5
Newark, Christ Church.....	6
" " St. Mark's	2
" " St. Thomas'	2
Oradell, Annunciation	2
Parsippany, St. George's.....	23
Paterson, St. Luke's.....	1
" " Trinity	14

Phillipsburgh, St. Luke's.....	9
Ramsey, St. John's.....	8
Ridgefield Park, St. Mary's.....	17
Ridgewood, Christ Church.....	27
Short Hills, Christ Church.....	17
Washington, St. Peter's.....	3
West Englewood, Christ Mission.....	4
Wortendyke, Christ Chapel.....	5
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OFFERINGS FOR BISHOP'S CHARITABLE FUND, ETC.

May, 1917:

St. Luke's, Montclair.....	\$ 97.96
Christ Church, Short Hills.....	73.38

June, 1917:

Incarnation, (Ampere), East Orange.....	6.24
Incarnation, Jersey City.....	8.93
Mr. A. F. R. Martin, (additional).....	4.17

May 16, 1917:

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THE FORTY-FOURTH ANNUAL CONVENTION of the Church in the Diocese of Newark will meet in May, 1918; *on such day as the Ecclesiastical Authority may appoint.* (*Vide*, Article 2 of the Constitution of the Diocese, as amended 17 May, 1905.)

The Secretary of the Convention requests the Reverend Clergy, Parish Officers, and others to forward parochial year books, parish papers, and historical pamphlets to him at 19 East Park Street, Newark, N. J.

REGISTRAR'S NOTICE.

The undersigned, appointed Registrar of the Diocese, desires to receive Journals of the General and Diocesan Conventions, and copies of all books and pamphlets bearing on the history of the American Church. Address, The Rev'd WM. T. LIPTON, Diocesan Rooms, No. 49 Halsey Street, Newark, N. J.

EXHIBIT "A"

DIOCESE OF NEWARK, NEW JERSEY.
STATEMENT OF ASSETS UNDER THE CARE OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE EPISCOPAL FUND AND DIOCESAN PROP-
ERTIES, THE TRUSTEES OF THE AGED AND INFIRM CLERGY FUND AND THE TREASURER OF
THE CONVENTION, APRIL 30, 1917.

FUNDS	Mortgages and Securities	Other Assets	Cash	Arrears	Net Funds
Episcopal Fund.....	\$ 91,645.00	†\$41,100.00	*\$1,219.54	\$1,125.11	\$132,650.57
Episcopal Special Fund.....	10,000.00	.....	.....	.....	10,000.00
Diocesan Expenses.....	.....	.....	3,594.64	1,606.89	5,201.53
Diocesan Missions.....	.....	.....	* 453.37	2,410.35	1,957.98
Permanent Missionary Fund.....	18,600.00	.....	1,521.04	.....	20,121.04
Aged or Infirm Clergy Fund.....	† 17,398.00	.....	* 961.01	.....	16,436.99
Widows and Orphans Fund.....	.....	.....	* 2,398.43	* 2,398.43	* 2,398.43
Underpaid Clergy Fund.....	.....	.....	198.85	.....	198.85
Automatic Pension Fund.....	52,201.88	.....	2,579.51	.....	54,781.39
Holy Communion, Norwood.....	10,000.00	.....	.....	.....	10,000.00
Elizabeth Kneeland Fund.....	11,500.00	.....	87.50	.....	11,587.50
Henry Hayes Fund.....	11,600.00	.....	.....	.....	11,600.00
Church Aid Society.....	4,795.00	.....	204.27	.....	4,999.27
Hamburg Church Fund.....	1,000.00	.....	.....	.....	1,000.00
Hamburg Organ Fund.....	1,000.00	.....	.....	.....	1,000.00
Hamburg Memorial Fund.....	.....	.....	400.00	.....	400.00
St. Luke's, Hope.....	3,000.00	.....	840.85	.....	3,840.85
Christ Church, Newark.....	6,000.00	.....	.....	.....	6,000.00
Grace Church (Van Vorst), Jersey City.....	31,900.00	.....	.....	.....	31,900.00
Bergenfield Mission.....	.....	.....	865.92	.....	865.92
Northfield Mission.....	.....	.....	461.37	.....	461.37
St. Alban's, Newark.....	.....	.....	\$ 4,921.83	.....	4,921.83
Totals.....	\$270,639.88	\$41,100.00	\$10,644.43	\$5,142.35	\$327,526.66

* Indicates Overdraft.

† The other Assets consist of Real Estate carried at \$41,000.00 and 4 Life Insurance Endowment policies maturing in 1922, which are entered at the nominal value of \$100.00.

‡ The Mortgages and Securities are a legacy from the late Samuel Schoch.

§ This sum has since been invested.

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E. A. STEVENS, Treasurer.

E. A. STEVENS, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE CONVENTION, DIOCESE OF NEWARK.
Receipts and Disbursements Year Ended April 30, 1917.

	Episcopal Fund	Diocesan Expenses	Diocesan Missions	Permanent Missionary Fund	RELIEF OF CLERGYMEN AND THEIR DEPENDENTS			Automatic Pension Fund	Sundry Trust Fund	TOTALS
					Aged or Infirm Clergy	Widows and Orphans	Underpaid Clergy			
RECEIPTS										
Parishes and Missions—										
Assessments	\$ 6,807.01	\$ 6,806.01	\$10,407.17		\$ 934.02	\$ 1,196.65	\$ 295.02			\$24,020.19
Voluntary Contributions	28.00		925.52							3,379.21
Total	\$ 6,835.01	\$ 6,806.01	\$11,332.69		\$ 934.02	\$ 1,196.65	\$ 295.02			\$27,399.40
Interest and Dividends	4,308.00		159.98	\$ 1,119.00	454.37			\$ 2,549.67	\$ 3,982.91	12,573.93
Rents	1,260.00									1,260.00
Transfers	1,717.15				872.84					2,589.99
Loans	2,900.00									2,900.00
Donations	10,000.00				1,883.30			4,000.00	10,921.83	22,805.13
Investments									5,600.00	9,600.00
Total Receipts	\$27,020.16	\$ 6,806.01	\$11,492.67	\$ 1,119.00	\$ 4,144.53	\$ 1,196.65	\$ 295.02	\$ 6,549.67	\$20,504.74	\$79,128.45
Balances May 1, 1916	3,588.85	3,393.32	337.81	1,294.44	* 938.88	* 1,895.06	403.83	4,018.50	2,680.14	12,827.95
Totals	\$30,609.01	\$10,144.33	\$11,830.48	\$ 2,413.44	\$ 3,205.65	*\$ 698.41	\$ 698.85	\$10,568.17	\$23,184.88	\$91,956.40
DISBURSEMENTS										
Salaries	\$10,499.99	\$ 1,530.00	\$11,870.79							\$23,900.78
Taxes, Water Rates, etc.	4,547.32	439.55	331.15							5,368.02
Sundry	1,720.62	3,380.14	30.91		\$ 16.66					5,148.33
Transfers								\$ 872.84		872.84
Loans	1,500.00									1,500.00
Investments	13,505.00				2,000.00			5,351.88	\$11,600.00	32,456.88
Interest	55.62				2,150.00			18.28	9.75	83.67
Grants		1,200.00		\$ 892.40		\$1,700.02	\$ 500.00			6,442.42
Payments on Trusts								1,745.66	3,793.39	5,539.05
Total Disbursements	\$31,828.55	\$ 6,549.69	\$12,282.85	\$ 892.40	\$ 4,166.66	\$1,700.02	\$ 500.00	\$ 7,988.66	\$15,403.14	\$81,311.92
Balances April 30, 1917	* 1,219.54	3,594.64	* 462.57	1,521.04	* 961.01	* 2,398.43	198.85	2,579.51	7,781.74	10,644.43
Totals	\$30,609.01	\$10,144.33	\$11,830.48	\$ 2,413.44	\$ 3,205.65	*\$ 698.41	\$ 698.85	\$10,568.17	\$23,184.88	\$91,956.40

* Indicates Overdraft.

The Cash is on deposit as follows:

CHECK ACCOUNTS	
National Newark Banking Co.	\$5,179.01
Hudson Trust Co.	2,293.78
	\$7,472.79

SAVINGS AND CERTIFICATE ACCOUNTS—

Hudson Trust Co.	\$ 461.37
First National Bank of Hoboken	182.27
Howard Savings Institution	762.08
Steneck Trust Co.	500.00
Trust Company of New Jersey	865.92
Hudson Trust Co., Certificate	400.00
Total	3,171.64

Accrued Interest on Savings and Certificate Accounts is not included.

NOTES:

Voluntary contributions of \$28.00 under Episcopal Fund represent amount paid by Christ Church, Belleville, in excess of Assessor's \$925.52 under Diocesan Missions includes \$700.00 from St. Luke's, Morclair, for Colored Missions.

A note of the Trustees for \$1,400.00 due July 13, 1917, with interest at 5 per cent. from March 13, 1917, is held by National Newark Banking Co. The amount was used to enable Counsel to take title for the Trustees to property covered by Mortgage of \$8,000.00 held for the Episcopal Fund. The property is assessed at \$10,700.00.

E. A. STEVENS, Treasurer.

HERBERT W. TAYLOR,

JAY C. YOUNG,

Auditors of Treasurer's Account

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SCHEDULE "1"

DIocese of Newark, New Jersey.

SCHEDULE OF MORTGAGES AND SECURITIES APRIL 30, 1917.

FUNDS AND NAMES		Location or Maturity	Rate %	Mortgages	Securities	Totals
EPISCOPAL FUND—						
Adam Gloverdane		Newark, N. J.	5	\$ 3,000.00	.....
Matilda E. Davis		Newark, N. J.	5	1,000.00	.....
Jeremiah McAuliffe		Newark, N. J.	6	1,200.00	.....
Max Levy		Newark, N. J.	6	1,600.00	.....
Hulda Bergman		Newark, N. J.	5½	2,500.00	.....
Pietro Rumfolo and wife		Newark, N. J.	5	1,000.00	.....
Matilda Kassowitz		Newark, N. J.	5	4,000.00	.....
George W. Way		Jersey City, N. J.	6	2,000.00	.....
Thomas L. Smith		Orange, N. J.	5	2,000.00	.....
Philip Koehler		Newark, N. J.	5	7,000.00	.....
Mary C. Whitty		Newark, N. J.	5	10,000.00	.....
Robert F. Dawkins and Charles Kipping		Newark, N. J.	5	5,000.00	.....
Grace Church, Orange		Orange, N. J.	5	8,000.00	.....
Benjamin Berkowitz		Newark, N. J.	5	7,000.00	.....
Vincenzo Troiani		Newark, N. J.	5	6,500.00	.....
Adolph M. Rosenberg		Newark, N. J.	5	7,000.00	.....
Charlotte M. and E. A. Lyon		Newark, N. J.	5	8,000.00	.....
Albert H. Goble		Arlington, N. J.	6	3,000.00	.....
William Cherry		Nutley, N. J.	6	2,500.00	.....
United New Jersey R. R. & Canal Co., \$7,000		Newark, N. J.	5	1,700.00	.....
Southern Pacific R. R., \$2,000.		First Mtge. Bonds, 1944	4	.....	\$ 7,840.00	
		First Ref. Mtge. Bonds, 1955	4	.....	1,805.00	\$ 91,645.00
EPISCOPAL SPECIAL FUND—						
Rose Levin		Newark, N. J.	5	\$9,000.00	.....
American Tel. & T. Co., \$1,000		Coll. Trust, 1946	5	.....	\$1,000.00	10,000.00
PERMANENT MISSIONARY FUND—						
B. Cohen		Plainfield, N. J.	5	\$6,000.00	.....
Antonio Sansiviri		Hoboken, N. J.	5	3,500.00	.....
Laura M. Whiston		East Orange, N. J.	5	3,000.00	.....
Joseph Coulter		West New York, N. J.	6	2,250.00	.....
Balthasar Schmidt		West New York, N. J.	6	2,250.00	.....
City of Newark, N. J.		1922	4	.....	\$1,500.00	
Philadelphia National Bank Stock		1 Share \$400.00	...	.....	100.00	18,600.00
AGED OR INFIRM CLERGY FUND—						
H. J. Cullingford		Maplewood, N. J.	5	\$2,000.00	.....
Plainfield St. Railway Co.		1st Mortgage 1922	5	.....	\$2,000.00	
Northern Pacific Railway Co.		Prior Lien & Land Grant 1937	4	.....	2,000.00	
Chicago & Northwestern Railway		Sinking Fund Deb. 1933	5	.....	2,000.00	
Rapid Transit St. Railway Co.		Gtd. by Nwk. Pass. R. 49 Shrs. \$100	11¾	.....	9,345.00	
Boston Mine, Cleveland, O.		17 Shares \$25.00	...	.....	53.00	17,398.00
AUTOMATIC PENSION FUND—						
Ernest Baack		Hoboken, N. J.	5	\$4,000.00	.....
R. W. Macon		Perth Amboy, N. J.	5	2,300.00	.....
Mary L. Fitzsimons		Newark, N. J.	5	1,500.00	.....
Mission Property		Washington, N. J.	5	1,850.00	.....
M. W. Talmadge		Bloomfield, N. J.	5	2,000.00	.....
E. F. Frenz		Madison, N. J.	5	1,500.00	.....
C. E. Lockner		Newark, N. J.	5	1,100.00	.....
Andrew H. Fisher		Newark, N. J.	5	2,000.00	.....
J. J. Cohn		Hoboken, N. J.	5	6,000.00	.....
Louis Goldman		Newark, N. J.	5	5,000.00	.....
Giuseppi De Nicola		West Hoboken, N. J.	5	4,500.00	.....
Helen M. DeGraw		Newark, N. J.	5	2,400.00	.....
Landon P. Smith		Newark, N. J.	5	3,500.00	.....
Virginia W. Johnson		Bloomfield, N. J.	5	4,000.00	.....
Jessie Little		Glen Ridge, N. J.	5½	2,200.00	.....
H. J. Cullingford		Maplewood, N. J.	5	4,000.00	.....
New London Gas & Electric Co., \$1,000		Mtge. 1929	5	.....	\$1,000.00	
Somerset Lighting Co., \$2,000		1st Mtge, 1939	5	.....	2,000.00	
Central Pacific R. R. Co., \$2,000		1st Ref. Mtge., 1949	4	.....	1,351.88	52,201.88
HOLY COMMUNION, NORWOOD FUND—						
William E. Burniston		New York, N. Y.	5	\$10,000.00	.....	10,000.00
ELIZABETH KNEELAND FUND—						
Mrs. Mary Guire		Long Branch, N. J.	5	\$8,000.00	.....
Landon P. Smith		Newark, N. J.	5	3,500.00	.....	11,500.00
HENRY HAYES FUND—						
May Hubsch		Hoboken, N. J.	5	\$9,000.00	.....
Mary M. Burke		West Hoboken, N. J.	6	2,600.00	.....	11,600.00
CHURCH AID SOCIETY—						
Balance of Hixon Mortgage		North Dakota	...	\$ 245.00	.....
Ellen A. Reiley		Newark, N. J.	5	1,000.00	.....
B. Staniulis		Newark, N. J.	5	1,500.00	.....
Morris & Essex R. R.		11 Shares \$50	7	.....	\$ 550.00	
Mo., Kansas & Texas Ry., \$1,000		1st Mtge., 1990	4	.....	1,000.00	
New London Gas & Elec. Co., \$500.		1st Mtge., 1927	5	.....	500.00	4,795.00
HAMBURG CHURCH FUND—						
Sussex National Bank, Newton, N. J.		20 Shares \$50	12	.....	\$1,000.00	1,000.00
HAMBURG ORGAN FUND—						
Ellen A. Reiley		Newark, N. J.	5	\$1,000.00	.....	1,000.00
ST. LUKE'S, HOPE—						
Domenico Canace		Newark, N. J.	5	\$1,000.00	.....
Catskill Illuminating & Power Co., \$1,000		1st Mtge., 1923	5	.....	\$1,000.00	
White Plains Lighting Co., \$1,000		Mtge., 1938	5	.....	1,000.00	
CHRIST CHURCH, NEWARK—						
Mary J. Brady		Newark, N. J.	5	\$ 700.00	.....
G. Magaletto		Newark, N. J.	5	3,500.00	.....
American Dock & Imp. Co., \$1,000		1st Mtge., 1921	5	.....	\$1,000.00	
American Tel. & Tel. Co., \$800		Coll. Trust, 1946	5	.....	800.00	3,000.00
GRACE CHURCH (VAN VORST) JERSEY CITY—						
Charles Peters		Hoboken, N. J.	5	\$3,500.00	.....
Angelo M. DiToro		Jersey City, N. J.	5	3,500.00	.....
St. Henry R. C. Church, Bayonne, N. J.		Bayonne, N. J.	5	5,000.00	.....
Morris Edelson		Jersey City, N. J.	5½	3,200.00	.....
D. Lowenthal		Jersey City, N. J.	6	5,500.00	.....
Vincenzo Troiani		Newark, N. J.	5	2,600.00	.....
Jeremiah Jones		Newark, N. J.	5	1,100.00	.....
Domenico Canace		Newark, N. J.	5	2,500.00	.....
Middlesex Water Co., \$1,000		1st Mtge. 1917	5	.....	\$1,000.00	6,000.00

SCHEDULE "2"

E. A. STEVENS, TREASURER, IN ACCOUNT WITH THE CONVENTION, DIOCESE OF NEWARK.

Statement of Parishes and Missions, April 30, 1917.

PARISHES AND LOCATION.		ASSESSMENTS.			VOLUNTARY CONTRIBUTIONS.			
		Due, May 1, 1916.	Assessment, 1916-1917.	Paid.	Remissions and Corrections.	Due, May 1, 1917.	Aged or Infirm Clergy.	Widows and Orphans.
							Underpaid Clergy.	Miscellaneous
								Amount
Epiphany, Allendale.....			72 44	\$ 72 44				
Trinity, Arlington.....			131 01	131 01				
Calvary, Bayonne.....			186 01	83 00		\$ 83 01		
St. John's, Bayonne.....		\$ 85 27	152 30	152 30		3 10		
Trinity, Bayonne.....		227 46	230 28	227 46		260 28		
Christ Church, Belleville.....			110 66	110 66				Episcopal Fund \$ 28 00
Zion, Belvidere.....		6 26	14 30	16 98		3 58		
St. John's, Bergenfield.....		16 54	24 69			41 23		
Ascension, Bloomfield.....			92 52	69 39		23 13		
Christ Church, Bloomfield & G. E.....		113 18	571 30	684 44		116 79		
St. John's, Boonton.....			142 84	107 13		55 71		
St. Paul's, Butler.....			16 06	12 03		4 03		
St. Paul's, Chatham.....			50 40	20 19	\$ 23 47	6 74	30 30	
St. Peter's, Clifton.....		47 47	90 59	62 64		45 42		Diocesan Missions 10 00
St. Stephen's, Coatesville.....		21 21	35 00	21 21		35 00		
St. Stephen's, Delawanna.....		10 07	51 06	61 13				
St. John's, Dover.....		202 57	131 55	98 67	202 57	32 88	6 20	
All Saints', Dumont.....			31 56			31 56		
Christ Church, E. Orange.....			597 24	597 34			15 00	
Incarnation, E. Orange.....			65 20	32 60		32 60		Diocesan Missions 25 00
St. Agnes', E. Orange.....		23 27	166 50	162 02		27 75	19 25	5 00
St. Paul's, E. Orange.....			245 80			255 80		
Grace, E. Rutherford.....			31 17	23 37		7 80		
Mediator, Edgewater.....			65 87			65 87		
St. Paul's, Englewood.....			731 68	731 66			22 55	Diocesan Missions 105 00
St. Peter's, Essex Fells.....			143 34	143 34				
Naivety, Fairview.....		17 84	45 43		3 38	59 89		
Good Shepherd, Fort Lee.....			22 65	22 20		7 40		
Holy Innocents', Garfield.....		143 15	30 30		143 15	22 65		
All Saints', Glen Rock.....			23 94	20 30		11 48		
Trinity, Grantwood.....		11 40	114 76	94 98	31 18		10 00	
Christ Church, Hackensack.....			374 20	374 20			30 00	
St. James', Hackensack.....			63 20					
St. Mary's, Haledon.....		878 92	123 30	65 75		442 12		
Good Shepherd, Hamburg.....		127 83	49 00	36 75		12 35	15 50	
Christ Chapel, Harrison.....		89 52	99 82	89 52	127 83	12 35		240 39
St. John the Divine, Hasbrouck H'gs.....		108 81	93 52	71 16	127 83	99 82		240 39
St. Clement's, Hawthorne.....		53 34	43 05		131 17	131 17	5 00	131 17
Holy Trinity, Hillsdale.....		5 22	28 24	33 43	36 67	69 72		
Holy Innocents', Hoboken.....			355 36	355 35				
St. Paul's, Hoboken.....		113 94	273 68	292 62				
Trinity, Hoboken.....			518 13	516 12			95 60	13 80
St. Bartholomew's, Hobokus.....			59 64	59 64			17 53	
St. Luke's Hope.....		15 92	20 42	36 34				
Trinity, Irvington.....		40 73	108 50	120 53		26 64		
Ascension, Jersey City.....		168 14	127 48	50 00		180 62	5 00	
Grace (Greenville), Jersey City.....			145 92	145 92				
Grace (Van Vorst), Jersey City.....			231 80	144 32	39 36	48 11	28 67	
Holy Cross, Jersey City.....		66 62	130 66	197 28			5 00	25 44
Incarnation, Jersey City.....			12 74	12 74				
St. John's, Jersey City.....			852 59	852 59				Diocesan Missions 3 24
St. Mark's, Jersey City.....		472 13	182 35	100 00	472 13	85 15		
St. Mary's, Jersey City.....			215 15	215 43				
St. Matthew's, Jersey City.....			32 66	32 61		01	5 00	
St. Paul's, Jersey City.....			203 06	203 16				
St. Stephen's, Jersey City.....			273 30	274 30				
St. James', Kew-Forest.....		9 60	18 64	16 09		10 00		
All Saints', Leonia.....			40 12	40 12		6 42		
St. Agnes', Little Falls.....		394 11	92 64	33 40	151 74	123 01		
St. Thomas', Lyndhurst.....			38 22	38 22				
Grace, Madison.....			328 67	246 51		82 16	3 31	
St. George's, Maplewood.....			303 90	309 96			87 00	
St. Mark's, Mendham.....			106 72			106 72	10 56	
St. Stephen's, Millburn.....		38 69	117 13	116 53		64 74	1 00	
All Saints', Millington.....			851 02	851 02			25 81	50 00
St. James', Montclair.....			217 44					
St. John's, Montclair.....			1,025 34	1,025 34				
St. Luke's, Montclair.....			56 06		86 40	56 06	92 10	Colored Missions 700 00
St. Paul's, Montvale.....		33 40	803 23	803 23				
Redeemer, Morrisdown.....			12 25			43 88		
St. Peter's, Morrisdown.....		31 63	1,346 78	1,346 78		116 97		
St. Peter's, Mt. Arlington.....		34 61	574 05	574 05				
Christ Church, Newark.....			154 62			154 62	7 50	
Grace, Newark.....			88 76	85 86	20 00			
House of Prayer, Newark.....		17 10	132 00					
St. Alban's, Newark.....			132 00	132 00	40			
St. Andrew's, Newark.....			205 40	153 75	51 25		235 00	
St. Barnabas', Newark.....			347 85	347 85				
St. James', Newark.....			162 80	165 84				
St. John's, Newark.....		33 04	278 74	278 74				
St. Mark's (Forest Hill), Newark.....			75 11	80 98		75 11		
St. Mary Magdalene, Newark.....		20 98	19 63			131 19		
St. Matthew's, Newark.....		111 67	369 43	369 43			10 79	3 01
St. Paul's, Newark.....			127 02	85 00	42 02	21 25	12 26	
St. Philip's, Newark.....		21 25	133 77	133 77	1,146 68			
St. Stephen's, Newark.....		1,146 58	285 74	285 74			27 42	
St. Thomas', Newark.....			988 12	988 12			27 42	11 20
Trinity, Newark.....			139 19	139 19				
Christ Church, Newton.....			11 10	11 10				
St. Paul's, Mt. Arlington.....			37 56	18 78		18 78		
St. John's, Northor.....			58 52	58 53	100 00			
Holy Communion, Norwood.....		100 00	311 82	311 82			52 54	
Grace Nutley.....			94 64			199 41		
Annunciation, Oradell.....		104 77	210 16	210 16			5 42	13 20
All Saints', Orange.....			60 62	37 68	22 38	38 28	8 26	9 71
Epiphany, Orange.....		37 67	869 74	869 74			227 00	
Grace, Orange.....			352 50	347 37	7 50	*2 17	239 24	
St. Mark's, Orange.....		20	88 12	66 09		22 03		
St. George's, Passaic.....			311 06	311 06		16 23	32 47	
St. John's, Passaic.....			198 12		68 00	391 06		
Holy Communion, Paterson.....		360 94	87 62	105 81				
St. Luke's, Paterson.....		18 19	187 12	187 12				
St. Mark's, Paterson.....			324 29	834 19			70 69	70 69
Trinity, Paterson.....			135 12	163 46			18 78	18 78
St. Luke's, Phillipsburg.....		28 74	89 55	80 55	202 18		3 40	
Christ Church, Pompton.....		202 18	30 48	15 24	145 46	15 24		3 40
St. John's, Ramsey.....		145 46	35 85	48 77			1 20	
St. James', Ridgefield.....		82 91	41 27		15 61	61 52		
St. Mary's, Ridgefield.....		85 89	109 71	83 29		20 00		
Christ Church, Ridgewood.....		138 14	386 13	386 13	138 14	27 42		
Good Shepherd & St. Luke's, Ridgwd. M.....			3 50	1 75			15 08	
St. Peter's, Rochelle Park.....			11 22	11 82		1 75		
Grace, Rutherford.....			386 06	386 06				
Christ Church, Short Hills.....			308 50	308 50		29 57	122 63	
Holy Communion, S. Orange.....			666 98	666 98		79 95	50 00	Diocesan Missions 82 28
St. Andrew's, S. Orange.....			459 74	459 74				
Christ Mission, Spahnope.....		38 53	10 38					
Calvary, Summit.....			917 39	698 04		98 96		
Atonement, Tenafly.....		490 74	239 16	81 60	490 74	239 35		
Grace, Town of Union.....			269 75	124 24	145 51	157 56		
St. George's, Valisburgh.....			28 80	44 07		38 15		
St. Thomas', Vernon.....		15 27	12 73	21 73				
St. Peter's, Washington.....		9 01	38 07	47 11				
St. John's, W. Hoboken.....		169 55	202 07	169 55		202 07	8 17	
Holy Innocents', W. Orange.....			179 56	134 67		44 89		
Holy Trinity, W. Orange.....			107 03	107 03				
Grace, Westwood.....		39 68	15 96	15 96		80 64		
St. Paul's, Woodridge.....			22 01	11 00				
Christ Chapel, Wortendyke.....		9 93				20 92		
Totals.....		\$ 6,443 48	\$36,695 04	\$24,020 19	\$ 3,975 96	\$ 5,142 35	\$ 934 11	\$ 1,96 65 \$ 205 02
								\$ 953 52

* Indicates Overpaid.

Condensed Statement of Collections, Remissions and
Balances of Arrears and Assessments.

Amounts Received After Closing Book.

Trinity, Irvington.....	\$ 98 64
Ascension, Bloomfield.....	23 13
St. John's, Bayonne.....	23 13

