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ON THE
16th and 17th of May, 1861.

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FORM OF A PAROCHIAL REPORT.

Church, _____ Parish, _____ County.

	REV. _____	RECTOR.	POST OFFICE, _____		
BAPTISMS:	{	Adults, {	White.....	_____	} Total _____
		Colored.....	_____		
	{	Infants, {	White.....	_____	} Total _____
		Colored.....	_____		
COMMUNICANTS:	{	Formerly reported.....	_____	} Total _____	
		Added, {	White.....		_____
		Colored.....	_____		
		Removed.....	_____		} Total _____
		Withdrawn.....	_____		
Suspended.....	_____	} Present number _____			
Died.....	_____				
CONFIRMED:	{	White.....	_____	} Total _____	
		Colored.....	_____		
MARRIAGES:	{	White.....	_____	} Total _____	
		Colored.....	_____		
FUNERALS:	{	White.....	_____	} Total _____	
		Colored.....	_____		
SUNDAY SCHOOLS:	{	Teachers.....	_____	} Total _____	
		Scholars, {	White.....		_____
CONTRIBUTIONS:	{	Colored.....	_____	} Total.... _____	
		1st. Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses.....	_____		
		2d. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church....	_____		
		3d. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church,	_____		

REMARKS.

FORM OF A REPORT FOR THE TREASURER OF THE CONVENTION.*

Number of white Communicants in _____ Church, _____ Parish, _____ County.
 Rev. A _____ B _____, Rector.

FORM OF A CERTIFICATE OF THE APPOINTMENT OF A LAY DELEGATE TO THE CONVENTION.

This is to certify, that at a meeting of the Vestry (or Trustees, as the case may be,) of _____ Parish (or Church) in _____ County, held on the _____ day of _____, A _____ B _____, who is a communicant in said Parish or Church, was appointed a Lay Delegate to represent the same in the Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, to be holden on the _____ day of _____, in the year of our Lord _____.

_____, Rector,
 _____, Register,
 or Church Warden.

* Parish assessed in proportion to number of white communicants.

DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

OFFICERS, COMMITTEES, ETC., FOR 1861.

RT. REV. WILLIAM MEADE, D. D., BISHOP.
RT. REV. JOHN JOHNS, D. D., ASSISTANT BISHOP.

Standing Committee of the Diocese of Virginia.

Rev. C. WALKER, D. D.,	Mr. C. F. LEE,
Rev. WM. SPARROW, D. D.,	Dr. ORLANDO FAIRFAX,
Rev. D. F. SPRIGG,	Mr. ARTHUR HERBERT.

Secretary of the Convention.

Mr. JOHN WILDER ATKINSON, *Richmond.*

Treasurer of the Convention.

Mr. JOHN STEWART, *Richmond.*

Board of Trustees of the Theological Seminary of Virginia, and of the High School.

Rt. Rev. WILLIAM MEADE, D. D., *President.*

Rt. Rev. JOHN JOHNS, D. D., *Vice-President.*

Rev. C. B. DANA, *Secretary.*

Mr. WILLIAM POLLOCK, *Treasurer.*

Rev. GEO. WOODBRIDGE, D. D.,	Dr. THOMAS H. CLAGGETT,
Rev. JOHN GRAMMER,	Mr. RICH'D H. CUNNINGHAM,
Rev. CHARLES B. DANA,	Mr. JEREMIAH MORTON,
Rev. C. W. ANDREWS, D. D.,	Mr. SAMUEL W. SHELTON,
Rev. JOHN P. MCGUIRE,	Mr. CASSIUS F. LEE,
Rev. C. WALKER, D. D.,	Mr. D. H. CONRAD.

LIST OF THE CLERGY
OF THE
DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA,

MAY, 1861.

- Rt. Rev. WILLIAM MEADE, D. D., Bishop; Post Office, Mill-wood, Clarke county.
- Rt. Rev. JOHN JOHNS, D. D., Assistant Bishop; Post Office, Theological Seminary, Fairfax county.
- Rev. Charles E. Ambler, Zion Church, Charlestown, Jefferson county.
- Rev. Thomas M. Ambler, Bruton Parish, Williamsburg.
- Rev. C. W. Andrews, D. D., Trinity Church, Shepherdstown.
- Rev. Francis M. Baker, Grace Church, Richmond.
- Rev. O. Sievers Barten, Hamilton Parish, St. James' Church, Warrenton, Fauquier county.
- Rev. P. F. Berkley, Raleigh and Genito Parishes; Post Office, Winterham, Amelia county.
- Rev. E. Boyden, Grace Church, Walker's Parish, Albemarle, and St. John's Church, Green Spring Parish, Louisa.
- Rev. R. T. Brown, Zion and Falls Churches, Truro Parish; Post Office, Fairfax C. H.
- Rev. William C. Butler, St. John's Church, Richmond.
- Rev. G. S. Carraway, Immanuel and St. Paul's Churches, St. Paul's Parish; Post Office, Old Church, Hanover county.
- Rev. Robert A. Castleman, St. Andrew's and Trinity Churches, St. Andrew's Parish, Brunswick county.
- Rev. M. L. Chevers, Chaplain in the United States Army and Rector of Centurion Church, Old Point Comfort.

- Rev. John T. Clarke, Roanoke Parish; Post Office, Talcott, Charlotte county.
- Rev. James M. Cofer; Post Office, Forest Depot, Bedford county.
- Rev. John Cole, St. Stephen's and St. Paul's Churches, St. Mark's Parish; Post Office, Culpeper C. H.
- Rev. John Cooke, officiating in Trinity Parish, Louisa, and Allen's Creek Church, Hanover county; Post Office, Ætna, Hanover county.
- Rev. Chauncy Colton, D. D., Christ and Hungar's Churches, Hungar's Parish; Post Office, Eastville, Northampton county.
- Rev. J. Cosby, St. James' Parish; Post Office, Boydton, Mecklenburg county.
- Rev. G. W. Dame, Camden Parish, Pittsylvania county; Post Office, Danville.
- Rev. T. Grayson Dashiell, Assistant Minister St. James' Church, Richmond.
- Rev. Dabney C. T. Davis, Albemarle county; Post Office, Charlottesvile.
- Rev. Richard T. Davis, St. Thomas' Church, St. Thomas' Parish; Post Office, Orange C. H.
- Rev. James Doughen; Post Office, Lynchburg.
- Rev. Thos. Duncan, Leeds' Parish, Fauquier county; Post Office, Markham Station.
- Rev. Andrew Fisher, Farnham Church, North Farnham Parish, and Lunenburg Parish, Richmond county; Post Office, Durrettsville.
- Rev. William Friend, St. Peter's, Grace and Trinity Churches, Caroline county; Post Office, Port Poyal.
- Rev. M. H. Galusha, Christ and Grace Churches, Meherrin Parish; Post Office, Poplar Mount.
- Rev. R. Gatewood, St. Paul's Chapel, Richmond.
- Rev. C. J. Gibson, Grace Church, Petersburg.
- Rev. F. D. Goodwin, St. John's Church, Wythe Parish; Post Office, Wytheville.
- Rev. John Grammer; Post Office, Halifax C. H.
- Rev. W. W. Greene, Spottsylvania county.
- Rev. John Griffin, Ascension, St. Mark's, St. Matthew's and St. Luke's Churches, Lexington Parish, Amherst county.

- Rev. C. R. Hains, Trinity Church, Kingston Parish, Matthews county, and Christ Church, Christ Church Parish, Middlesex county.
- Rev. John S. Hansborough, Merchant's Hope Church, Martin's Brandon Parish, Prince George county; Post Office, Garysville.
- Rev. John H. Hill, D. D., Missionary, Athens, Greece.
- Rev. W. L. Hyland, Parkersburg.
- Rev. A. J. M. Hudson, St. Mark's, Coalsmouth, Kanawha county.
- Rev. Wm. F. M. Jacobs, St. John's Church, Hampton Parish, Elizabeth City county; Post Office, Hampton.
- Rev. James T. Johnston, residing in Alexandria.
- Rev. Jos. R. Jones, Frederick Parish; Post Office, Millwood, Clarke county.
- Rev. H. S. Keppler, Missionary at large to supply vacant Parishes and Churches; Post Office, Richmond.
- Rev. Wm. H. Kinckle, St. Paul's Church, Lynchburg.
- Rev. O. A. Kinsolving, Meade Parish, Loudoun county; Post Office, Middleburg.
- Rev. J. A. Latané, Trinity Church, Staunton.
- Rev. Wm. T. Leavell, Kabletown, Wickliffe Parish, Jefferson county.
- Rev. J. R. Lee, Christ Church, Patrick Parish, Henry county; Post Office, Martinsville.
- Rev. E. R. Lippitt, Principal of a School for boys, near Alexandria.
- Rev. Thos. E. Locke, St. Peter's Church, Washington Parish, Westmoreland county; Post Office, Oak Grove.
- Rev. Charles Mann, Abingdon and Ware Parishes; Post Office, Gloucester Court House.
- Rev. Geo. L. Mackenheimer, Lamb's Creek Church, Brunswick Parish, King George county.
- Rev. G. W. Mayer.
- Rev. Wm. McGuire, Trinity and St. Mark's Churches, Botetourt; Post Office, Pattonsburg.
- Rev. T. F. Martin, Christ and Trinity Churches, Nelson Parish, Nelson county; Post Office, Tye River Warehouse.
- Rev. Richard R. Mason, St. John's Church, Rivanna Parish, Fluvanna county; Post Office, Columbia.

- Rev. James May, D. D., Professor of Ecclesiastical History, and Pastoral Theology, Theological Seminary.
- Rev. F. H. McGuire, Boydton, Mecklenburg county.
- Rev. R. K. Meade, Christ Church, Charlottesville.
- Rev. J. P. McGuire, Rector of the Winchester High School; Post Office, Theological Seminary.
- Rev. Charles Minnigerode, D. D., St. Paul's Church, Richmond.
- Rev. Edmund C. Murdaugh, Brandon and Cabin Point Churches, Martin's Brandon and Southwark Parishes; Post Office, Cabin Point, Surry county.
- Rev. E. B. McGuire, Vawter's Church, St. Ann's Parish, Essex county; Post Office, Loretto.
- Rev. James Moore, St. John's Church, Wheeling.
- Rev. Wm. Meade Nelson, Assistant Minister of Christ Church, Charlottesville, and Rector of St. Paul's Church, Buck Mountain.
- Rev. Geo. H. Norton, St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.
- Rev. N. A. Okeson, St. Paul's Church, Norfolk.
- Rev. Jos. Packard, D. D., Professor of Biblical Literature, Theological Seminary.
- Rev. Wm. H. Pendleton, St. Stephen's and Trinity Churches, Bedford county; Post Office, Forest Depot.
- Rev. Wm. N. Pendleton, D. D., Grace Church, Latimer Parish, Lexington.
- Rev. E. T. Perkins, St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling.
- Rev. Joshua Peterkin, D. D., St. James' Church, Richmond.
- Rev. R. H. Phillips, Principal of the Virginia Female Institute and Assistant Minister of Trinity Church, Staunton.
- Rev. Wm. H. Platt, St. Paul's Church, Petersburg.
- Rev. John D. Powell, St. James' Church, Southam Parish, Powhatan county; Post Office, Jefferson.
- Rev. A. M. Randolph, St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.
- Rev. S. Ridout, Christ Church, St. Ann's Parish, Albemarle county.
- Rev. P. G. Robert, Newport Parish, Smithfield, Isle of Wight.
- Rev. Erskine M. Rodman, Christ Church, Norfolk.
- Rev. H. Roy Scott, St. Paul's Parish, King George county.
- Rev. Philip Slaughter, Agent of the Virginia Colonization Society; Post Office, Mitchell's Station, Culpeper county.

- Rev. Aristides Smith, Principal of the Norfolk Female Seminary.
- Rev. Geo. A. Smith, Agent of the Virginia Bible Society; Post Office, Alexandria.
- Rev. Thompson L. Smith, Missionary at large; Post Office, Kanawha C. H.
- Rev. Thomas H. Smyth, St. Paul's Church, St. Paul's Parish, Lewis county; Post Office, Weston.
- Rev. Wm. Sparrow, D. D., Professor of Systematic Divinity, Theological Seminary.
- Rev. D. Francis Sprigg, Grace Church, Alexandria, and Editor of Southern Churchman.
- Rev. H. Stringfellow, St. Martin's Parish, Hanover county; Post Office, Verdon.
- Rev. Henderson Suter, Grace Church, Berryville, Clarke county.
- Rev. H. W. L. Temple, St. Paul's and St. John's Churches, South Farnham Parish, Essex county; Post Office, Miller's Tavern.
- Rev. A. B. Tizzard, Dale Parish, Chesterfield and King William Parish, Powhatan; Post Office, Winterpock, Chesterfield county.
- Rev. John Towles, Dettingen and Leed's Parishes, Prince William county; Post Office, Brentsville.
- Rev. Anderson Wade, Massico and Westover Churches, Westover Parish, Charles City county; Post Office, Charles City C. H.
- Rev. Lewis Walke, St. Luke's Church, Powhatan Parish, Powhatan county; Post Office, Sublett's Tavern.
- Rev. Cornelius Walker, D. D., Christ Church, Alexandria.
- Rev. Henry Wall, Portsmouth.
- Rev. William N. Ward, Tappahannock.
- Rev. John A. Wharton, St. John's Church, Heber Parish, Bedford county; Post Office, Liberty.
- Rev. D. M. Wharton, Westmoreland C. H.
- Rev. Lyman Wharton, Roanoke Church, Cornwall Parish, Charlotte county; Post Office, Drake's Branch Depot.
- Rev. J. C. Wheat, Vice-Principal of the Virginia Female Institute, and Rector of Rockingham Parish; Post Office, Staunton.
- Rev. Walter W. Williams, St. James' Church, Leesburg.

- Rev. George T. Williams, St. Paul's Church, Suffolk.
- Rev. George T. Wilmer, Emmanuel Church, Banister Parish,
Pittsylvania C. H.
- Rev. Richard H. Wilmer, D. D., Emmanuel Church, Henrico
Parish, Henrico county; Post Office, Richmond.
- Rev. John H. Wingfield, Trinity Church, Portsmouth Parish,
Portsmouth.
- Rev. John H. Wingfield, Jr., Assistant Minister of Trinity
Church, Portsmouth.
- Rev. Edmund Withers, White Chapel, Grace, and Christ Churches,
Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county; Post Office,
Lancaster C. H.
- Rev. George Woodbridge, D. D., Monumental Church, Richmond.
- Rev. James Saul, Assistant, St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

LIST OF LAY DELEGATES

IN ATTENDANCE UPON THIS CONVENTION, WITH THE PARISHES
REPRESENTED BY THEM.

Jesse Adkisson, Church of the Epiphany, Danville, Pittsylvania county.

Dr. R. C. Ambler, Leeds Church, Leeds Parish, Fauquier county.

B. M. Atkinson, Cumberland Parish, Lunenburg county.

G. W. Bassett, Immanuel Church, Hanover county.

Dr. John R. Baylor, Trinity Church, Caroline county.

L. A. Boggs, St. John's and Christ Churches, Berkeley Parish, Spottsylvania county.

R. D. Buford, St. John's Church, Bedford county.

A. L. Carter, Christ Church, Lancaster county.

Dr. Charles Carter, Christ Church, Charlottesville.

John Cole, Meherrin Parish, Greensville county.

H. R. Conway, Acquia Church, Stafford county.

R. H. Cunningham, St. James Church, Culpeper county.

John B. Dabney, Moore Parish, Campbell county.

Thomas H. Ellis, St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

George D. Fisher, Monumental Church, Richmond.

David Funsten, St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.

James Galt, St. John's Church, Rivanna Parish, Fluvanna county.

Charles A. Grice, St. John's Church, Portsmouth.

Thomas S. Gholson, St. Paul's Church, Petersburg.

J. M. Harris, Grace Church, Genito Parish, Powhatan county.

William B. Hubbard, St. Peter's Church, Tilloston Parish, Buckingham county.

James M. McCargo, Roanoke Church, Cornwall Parish, Charlotte county.

Samuel P. Mitchell, Grace Church, Henrico county.

William H. Mosby, Lexington Parish, Amherst county.

Richard W. N. Noland, St. Paul's Church, Fredericksville Parish, Albemarle county.

Dr. N. M. Osborne, Brandon and Grace Churches, Prince George and Surry counties.

Francis W. Pendleton, Lunenburg Parish, Richmond county.

William Pollock, St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.

D. Lee Powell, St. James' Church, Richmond.

Thomas R. Price, St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

Daniel R. Stewart, Emmanuel Church, Henrico county.

John O. Steger, St. James' Church, Richmond.

Samuel W. Shelton, St. Paul's Church, Lynchburg.

Dr. P. F. Southall, Trinity Church, Dale Parish, Chesterfield.

A. L. Seabury, St. Paul's Church, Norfolk city.

Dr. Powhatan B. Starke, Westover Parish, Charles City county.

Dr. Thomas P. Shields, Leighton Parish, Cumberland county.

Lewis B. Williams, St. Thomas' Church, Orange county.

William C. Winston, St. Martin's Church, Hanover county.

RULES OF ORDER.

1st. The Convention shall be opened every day with prayer.

2d. When the President takes the chair, no member shall continue standing, nor shall afterwards stand up, except to address the Chair.

3d. When any member is about to speak in debate, or deliver any matter to the Convention, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address himself to the President, and shall confine himself to the question under debate, and avoid personality.

4th. If any member, in speaking, or otherwise, transgress the rules of the Convention, the President shall, or any member may, call him to order; in which case, the member so called to order *shall* immediately take his seat, unless permitted to explain, and the Convention shall, if appealed to, decide on the case, but without debate; and, if there be no appeal, the decision of the Chair shall be submitted to. If the decision be in favor of the member called to order, he shall be at liberty to proceed; if otherwise, and the case require it, he shall be liable to the censure of the Convention.

5th. When two or more members happen to rise at once, the President shall name the member who is first to speak.

6th. No member shall speak more than twice to the same question, without leave of the Convention, nor more than once, until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

7th. While the President is putting any question, or addressing the Convention, none shall walk out of, or across the house; nor in such case, nor when a member is speaking, shall entertain private discourse; nor, whilst a member is speaking, shall pass between him and the Chair.

8th. No member shall vote on any question in the event of which he is immediately and particularly interested, nor in any case where he was not present when the question was put.

9th. Upon a division and count of the Convention on any question, no member without the limits allotted as seats of the members shall be counted.

10th. Every member, who shall be in the house when the question is put, shall give his vote, unless the Convention, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

11th. When a motion is made and seconded, it shall be stated by the President, or, being in writing, it shall be handed to the Chair, and read aloud by the Secretary before debate.

12th. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President or any member shall require it.

13th. After a motion is stated by the President, or read by the Secretary, it shall be deemed to be in possession of the Convention, but may be withdrawn at any time before decision or amendment.

14th. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but to adjourn, to lay on the table, for the previous question, to postpone indefinitely or to a certain day, to commit to a committee, or to amend; which several motions shall have precedence in the order they stand arranged.

15th. A motion to adjourn shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

16th. The previous question shall be in this form: "Shall the main question be now put?" It shall be admitted only when demanded by a majority of the members present; and, until it is decided, shall preclude all amendments and farther debate on the main question.

17th. On the previous question there shall be no debate.

18th. When a question is decided by the Convention, or is postponed indefinitely, the same shall not be acted upon again during the session, without the consent of two-thirds of the members present.

19th. Any member may call for the division of a question, where the sense will admit of it, but a question to strike out and insert shall be deemed indivisible.

20th. No new motion or proposition shall be admitted, under color of amendment, as a substitute for the motion or proposition under debate.

21st. When a motion has been once made and carried in the affirmative or negative, it shall be in order for any member of the majority to move a reconsideration thereof, on the same or next day.

22d. No member shall absent himself from the service of the Convention, unless he has leave, or be sick and unable to attend.

23d. The President shall, at his discretion, select suitable seats without the limits of those pews allotted for the use of members, which shall be appropriated to the exclusive accommodation of visiting clergymen and candidates for orders, who may be invited by the rector or wardens of the Church in which the meetings of the Convention are held, under the direction of the President of the Convention; it being

expected that those to whom such seats are appropriated will confine themselves to the same.

24th. No spectator shall, during the daily sessions of the Convention, be admitted above or within the pews allotted to the members of the Convention; and it is expected and hoped that not only the spectators will attend to this regulation, but that the rector and wardens of the church in which the sessions of the Convention are held will see that this rule of order is not violated.

25th. There shall, on the *second* day of the Convention, be appointed by the President, unless otherwise directed by the Convention, the following standing committees, to consist of an equal number of each order.

A committee on the State of the Church, to whom shall be referred the Addresses of the Bishop and Assistant Bishop, on the opening of the Convention.

A committee on the Fund for the Support of Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergymen.

A committee on the Episcopal Fund.

A committee on the Accounts of the Treasurer of the Missionary Society.

A committee on Parochial Reports.

A committee on the Admission of New Parishes.

A committee of Elections.

A committee of Finance, consisting of laymen.

26th. The credentials of the Lay Delegates shall be handed in to the Secretary, and be referred to a committee of one clerical and two lay members, which shall report who are entitled to seats in the Convention; and if there is any doubt as to the right of any delegate to his seat, the same shall be referred to the Committee of Elections, to be by the said committee forthwith examined into and reported upon to the Convention.

27th. When three members require it, the vote on all questions shall be by ayes and noes.

28th. None of the Rules of Order shall be suspended without the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

29th. The business first in order, after the organization of the Convention, shall be the appointment of a Treasurer *pro tem.*, when the Treasurer is not a member of the Convention; reading the Pastoral Addresses; the Proceedings of the Standing Committees, and the reception of the Parochial Reports by the Bishop from the clergy, who shall be called upon in alphabetical order for their reports and (if required) the reading of the Parochial Reports, or such parts of them as the Bishop may think fit.

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RICHMOND, May 16th, 1861, }
Wednesday Morning. }

This being the day and place appointed by the Bishop for the meeting of the Annual Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, the Clergy and Laity attended Divine Service in St. Paul's Church, at 11 o'clock, A. M.

Morning Prayer was read to the Creed by the Right Rev. JOHN JOHNS, D. D., and the residue by the Right Rev. THOMAS ATKINSON, D. D., Bishop of North Carolina.

The Convention Sermon was preached by the Right Rev. WILLIAM MEADE, D. D., from the text: "And Pharaoh said unto Jacob, How old art thou? And Jacob said unto Pharaoh, The days of the years of my pilgrimage are an hundred and thirty years; few and evil have the days of the years of my life been."—Gen. xlvii. 8, 9.

Divine Service being ended, the Convention was called to order by the Right Rev. the Assistant Bishop, and the following Clergy answered to their names:

Rt. Rev. WILLIAM MEADE, D. D., Bishop.

Rt. Rev. JOHN JOHNS, D. D., Assistant Bishop.

Rev. Francis M. Baker,

Rev. Wm. C. Butler,

Rev. R. T. Brown,

Rev. G. S. Carraway,

Rev. Robt. A. Castleman,
 Rev. John T. Clarke,
 Rev. G. W. Dame,
 Rev. T. Grayson Dashiell,
 Rev. Andrew Fisher,
 Rev. Wm. Friend,
 Rev. R. Gatewood,
 Rev. C. J. Gibson,
 Rev. F. D. Goodwin,
 Rev. John Grammer,
 Rev. W. W. Green,
 Rev. W. F. M. Jacobs,
 Rev. H. S. Keppler,
 Rev. William McGuire,
 Rev. T. F. Martin,

Rev. Richard R. Mason,
 Rev. C. Minnigerode, D. D.,
 Rev. E. B. McGuire,
 Rev. Joshua Peterkin, D. D.,
 Rev. John D. Powell,
 Rev. A. M. Randolph,
 Rev. S. Ridout,
 Rev. E. M. Rodman,
 Rev. Philip Slaughter,
 Rev. James Saul,
 Rev. A. B. Tizzard,
 Rev. Anderson Wade,
 Rev. Cornelius Walker, D. D.,
 Rev. Richard H. Wilmer, D. D.,
 Rev. George Woodbridge, D. D.

The President appointed Dr. R. C. Ambler and Mr. S. W. Shelton, a committee to examine the credentials of the Lay Delegates to this Convention.

The committee having performed the duty assigned them, reported the following gentlemen as duly elected and canonically entitled to seats as Delegates to this Convention:

Jesse Adkisson, Church of the Epiphany, Danville, Pittsylvania county.

Dr. R. C. Ambler, Leeds Church, Leeds Parish, Fauquier county.

G. W. Bassett, Immanuel Church, Hanover county.

Dr. John R. Baylor, Trinity Church, Caroline county.

John B. Dabney, Moore Parish, Campbell county.

Thomas H. Ellis, St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

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John O. Steger, St. James' Church, Richmond.

Daniel K. Stewart, Emmanuel Church, Henrico county.

Lewis B. Williams, St. Thomas Church, Orange county.
 Wm. C. Winston, St. Martin's Church, Hanover.

The Rev. Dr. Minnigerode offered the following resolutions, which were unanimously adopted :

Resolved, That the thanks of this Convention be tendered to our beloved Bishop, the Right Rev. William Meade, D. D., for the touching, affectionate and instructive sermon with which he has opened the services of this Convention, and that a copy of the same be respectfully requested for publication.

Resolved, That 1,500 copies of the sermon be printed with as little delay as possible, for general distribution.

On motion of the Rev. R. H. Wilmer, D. D., it was

Resolved, That payment of the expenses attending the trial of Rev. Mr. Mayer, also payment of those incurred by Committee of Investigation in the case of Rev. Mr. Cofer, is hereby sanctioned and approved.

The following Standing Committees were announced by the Chair :

State of the Church.

Rev. Cornelius Walker, D. D.,	Mr. J. B. Dabney,
Rev. Wm. Friend,	Mr. D. K. Stewart,
Rev. John T. Clarke,	Mr. J. M. Harris,
Rev. Richard R. Mason,	Dr. R. C. Ambler.

Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergymen.

Rev. P. F. Berkeley,	Mr. L. B. Williams,
Rev. G. S. Carraway,	Mr. W. C. Winston.

Episcopal Fund.

Rev. George Woodbridge, D. D.,	Dr. F. W. Pendleton.
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Accounts of the Treasurer of the Missionary Society.

Rev. G. W. Dame,	Mr. George D. Fisher,
Rev. E. C. Murdaugh,	Mr. D. L. Powell.

Parochial Reports.

Rev. R. H. Wilmer, D. D.,	Mr. J. B. Dabney,
Rev. P. Slaughter,	Mr. W. C. Winston.
Rev. H. S. Keppler,	

New Parishes.

Rev. W. Friend,
Rev. S. Ridout,

Mr. Samuel W. Shelton,
Mr. George W. Bassett.

Elections.

Rev. C. Minnigerode, D. D.,
Rev. R. T. Brown,

Mr. John O. Steger,
Mr. Jesse Adkisson.

Finance.

Mr. Thomas R. Price,
Mr. Thomas S. Gholson,
Mr. James Galt,

Mr. Samuel P. Mitchell,
Mr. Thomas H. Ellis.

On motion of Rev. Dr. Minnigerode, the Convention agreed to meet daily, at 9 o'clock A. M.

On motion of the same, it was

Resolved, That all visiting Clergymen be, and they are hereby invited to take seats with the members of the Convention.

Right Rev. Bishop Atkinson, of North Carolina, and Revs. J. C. McCabe, D. D., and C. K. Nelson, D. D., of Maryland, were assigned seats in the Convention, under the foregoing resolution.

On motion, the Convention adjourned to meet on Thursday morning, at 9 o'clock.

THURSDAY, 9 O'CLOCK, A. M.

The Convention assembled pursuant to adjournment; the Rt. Rev. Bishop JOHNS in the Chair.

Prayer having been offered, the minutes of yesterday's proceedings were read and approved.

The following Clergymen, entitled to seats in the Convention, not present yesterday, appeared in their places :

Rev. R. A. Castleman,
Rev. M. H. Galusha,
Rev. J. A. Latané,

Rev. P. G. Robert,
Rev. William S. _____, D. D.,
Rev. D. P. _____

Rev. John R. Lee,
 Rev. Thomas E. Locke,
 Rev. J. P. McGuire,
 Rev. William M. Nelson,
 Rev. W. H. Pendleton,
 Rev. William H. Platt,

Rev. H. W. L. Temple,
 Rev. Henry Wall,
 Rev. L. B. Wharton,
 Rev. G. T. Wilmer,
 Rev. J. H. Wingfield, jr.,
 Rev. Edmund Withers.

Visiting Clergy, present to-day, were—

Rev. A. Marbury, of Maryland.
 Rev. Robert Nelson, Missionary to China.

The Committee on the Certificates of Lay Delegates reported the following gentlemen, not present yesterday, to have been canonically elected Delegates to this Convention, and they accordingly took their seats :

- B. M. Atkinson, Cumberland Parish, Lunenburg county.
- L. A. Boggs, St. John's and Christ Churches, Berkeley Parish, Spottsylvania county.
- A. L. Carter, Christ Church, Lancaster county.
- Dr. Charles Carter, Christ Church, Charlottesville.
- John Cole, Meherrin Parish, Greensville county.
- R. H. Cunningham, St. James' Church, Culpeper county.
- David Funsten, St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.
- Charles A. Grice, St. John's Church, Portsmouth.
- William B. Hubbard, St. Peter's Church, Tilloston Parish, Buckingham county.
- James M. McCargo, Roanoke Church, Cornwall Parish, Charlotte county.
- William H. Mosby, Lexington Parish, Amherst county.
- Richard W. N. Noland, St. Paul's Church, Fredericksville Parish, Albemarle county.
- William Pollock, St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.
- Dr. P. F. Southall, Trinity Church, Dale Parish, Chesterfield county.
- A. L. Seabury, St. Paul's Church, Norfolk city.
- Dr. Powhatan B. Starke, Westover Parish, Charles City county.
- Dr. Thomas P. Shields, Leighton Parish, Cumberland county.

On motion, Mr. D. C. RANDOLPH was appointed Assistant Secretary, and Mr. A. L. SEABURY, Assistant Secretary, of this Convention.

The Rt. Rev. Bishop JOHNS presented his annual report, as follows:

BISHOP JOHN'S REPORT.

[The Assistant Bishop's report not having been received in time, will be inserted in the Appendix.]

The report of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society was presented and read by the Rev. Dr. Minnigerode. (See Appendix B.)

The report of the Committee on the Episcopal Fund was presented and read by the Rev. Dr. Woodbridge.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE EPISCOPAL FUND.

The Committee on the Episcopal Fund have received from Edward Fletcher, Esq., one of the Trustees of the Fund and the Treasurer thereof, the following statement of its present amount and condition, which they beg leave to present, as their report, to the Convention.

The Committee have examined this statement and found it to be correct. They believe the fund to be as safely invested as, under present circumstances, it can be, and to be very judiciously managed.

The fund now consists of \$23,400. Last year it was \$21,741 83. It increases at the rate of \$1,600 a year.

GEO. WOODBRIDGE,
R. F. PENDLETON.

The Treasurer of the Episcopal Fund reports that, since the last Convention, he has purchased eight shares Exchange Bank stock and nine hundred dollars Virginia State stock, leaving a balance in his hands of forty-nine dollars and forty-seven cents.

CREDITS.

Balance on hand May, 1860.....	\$41 88
Dividends received from Farmers Bank of Virginia.....	725 00
“ “ “ Exchange Bank of Virginia.....	628 00
“ “ “ Bank of Old Dominion.....	115 00
“ “ “ Bank of the Valley.....	75 00
“ “ “ Virginia State stock.....	42 00
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	<u>\$1,626 88</u>

CHARGES.

Cash paid for 8 shares Exchange Bank stock.....	\$ 844 96
“ “ \$900 Virginia State stock.....	781 90
Balance on hand.....	49 47
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	<u>\$ 1,626 88</u>

The fund consists now of—

100 shares Farmers Bank of Virginia stock.....	\$ 10,600 00
88 " Exchange Bank stock.....	8,800 00
20 " Old Dominion Bank stock.....	2,000 00
10 " Bank of the Valley stock.....	1,000 00
16 " Virginia State stock.....	1,600 00
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	\$ 28,400 00
Amount of fund last year.....	21,741 88
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Increase since last year.....	\$ 1,658 67
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Respectfully submitted.

EDWARD C. FLETCHER, *Treasurer.*

Alexandria, May 18, 1861.

The account current of the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Society was presented, and referred to the Committee upon this Fund.

The Rt. Rev. THOMAS ATKINSON, Bishop of the Diocese of North Carolina, being present, was invited to a seat at the right of the Chairman, and introduced to the Convention.

The Chair appointed Messrs. William Pollock and A. L. Seabury a Committee to examine the account of the Treasurer of the Convention.

The Chair appointed Mr. L. A. Boggs to receive subscriptions for the Education Society, and Mr. C. A. Grice those for the Fund for Disabled Clergymen.

The Bishop of the Diocese, the Rt. Rev. WM. MEADE, D. D., presented and read his annual report, as follows :

BISHOP MEADE'S REPORT.

DEAR BRETHREN AND FRIENDS: Between the close of our last Convention in Charlottesville, and the annual exercises of the Theological Seminary, I visited all the congregations in Western Virginia. As they have also been visited by our Diocesan Missionary, Mr. Keppler, and by Dr. Minnigerode, at the request of the Bishops, and more recently by Bishop Johns, all of whom will have more or less to communicate concerning them, I will only state that my confirmations in the different places amounted to seventy-nine in all.

The last week in June was spent at the Seminary and High School, whose examinations I attended with satisfaction, finding both of these Institutions in a prosperous condition. You have been in other ways

informed that both of the wings of our main building have been completed, and will be ready this fall for the accommodation of students.

At the close of our exercises at the Seminary, I admitted to the order of Deacons four persons, while Bishop Johns admitted the same number to the Priesthood.

After spending more than two months at home during the heat of summer, only preaching occasionally in the nearest churches, I entered on a visitation in the month of September. I preached first at Walker's Church to a very small congregation, and confirmed two persons—promising another visit, as a heavy rain was falling. On the 22d, I confirmed three persons at St. Paul's, Albemarle. On the 23d, I preached at Charlottesville. The appointments at the Green Mountain and Howardsville were not fulfilled, in consequence of some mistake as to the notices. I then visited three places in Nelson, confirming six persons at New Market, three at Trinity, and one at Jonesville. Being overtaken by sickness at the latter place, I was only able to reach New Glasgow, where I was confined for four days at the hospitable house of Dr. Jones, receiving the best medical and nursing care of Dr. and Mrs. Jones. On my recovery I proceeded to appointments at Orange and Madison Court Houses. The latter I was unable to fulfil, in consequence of the weather, roads, and continued debility. At the former, I confirmed two persons. A heavy rain prevented my fulfilling the next appointment at St. Paul's, Culpeper county. That at the Court House I was able to attend; preaching and confirming. Proceeding to the North, I attended the meeting of our Evangelical Knowledge Society in the city of New York, and then the annual meeting of our General Missionary Society in New Haven. The proceedings and results of each of these meetings were satisfactory. On the 17th of October I reached St. James' Church, Culpeper, where I preached and confirmed three persons. Proceeding through Richmond, I reached City Point on so stormy a day that no congregation could attend. On the following day I was at Merchant's Hope Church—the Rev. Mr. Gibson preaching. I also preached at Brandon Church, confirming three, and at Cabin Point, confirming five. At Surry Church I confirmed five persons, and at Smithfield three, preaching at each place. Crossing James river, I preached at the Lower Church in Charles City county; confirmed eight. Going into New Kent, I preached on thanksgiving day at St. James', and on the next exhorted, after a sermon by the Rev. Mr. Hanson at St. Peter's. The prospects of the Church in this county are improving. An acceptable and faithful minister is much needed. For a minister with a family, I am assured that a rectory would soon be built. The next appointment was at the Old Church, Hanover county, where I preached and confirmed five persons; exhorting the next day at the

Court House, after a sermon by the Rev. Mr. Berkeley, of Amelia. My concluding duty was at the Seminary, where I delivered my lectures to the Senior class, it having been considered more advisable to have them at the opening of the Senior year than toward the close. The winter having now arrived, I returned home, reaching there the first of December. My only services of a public nature, during the winter, have been at Millwood, Winchester and Berryville, at each of which places I have preached once. At Berryville, on the Sunday before Easter, I admitted Mr. Reed, of Winchester, to the order of Deacon, and confirmed seven persons. On Good Friday and Easter Sunday, I assisted the Rev. Mr. Jones, at Millwood. On Easter Monday, I visited Leeds Church, in Fauquier county, and exhorted, after a sermon from the Rev. Mr. Towles. On the following day confirmed seven persons at a new church in the same county. On Wednesday I preached at the Salem church. On the following Sunday I held two confirmations in Richmond, in St. Paul's and St. James' churches, admitting twenty-four in the former and twenty-nine in the latter, to that rite. On Tuesday morning, before breakfast, I confirmed eleven persons at Grace Church. On the same day I left Richmond with the Rev. Mr. Keppler, to visit the congregations in Goochland. The heavy rains and freshets of that week frustrated all our efforts at collecting congregations in that county during that week, though there were four different appointments. On one of these I preached to six persons, and at another Mr. Keppler to three, and at a third, the Rev. Mr. Mason officiated to a mere handful. On the second Sunday in April, I preached at St. Paul's, Goochland, and confirmed three persons. My three appointments in Cumberland and Buckingham failed entirely, by reason of the freshets, which made it impracticable to pass over James river. I held a service at Columbia on the Saturday of that week, preaching and confirming six persons. On Sunday I confirmed two persons at the Brick Church in Fluvanna, the Rev. Mr. Mason preaching. My next appointments were at the Green Mountain, Howardsville and North Garden, but was prevented by sickness from fulfilling either of them. My next appointment was at Charlottesville, when eleven were confirmed, the Rev. Dr. Ridout preaching the sermon. At St. Paul's, Albemarle, I confirmed three, my son, R. K. Meade, preaching. I also visited Buckmountain Church, and exhorted, after a sermon by my son. At Walker's Church I confirmed two, and at the Church in Louisa three, also preaching. At Orange C. H. I confirmed four, after a sermon by the Rev. Mr. Earnest. The following Sunday I spent at Madison Court House, where one person was confirmed, and the Supper of the Lord administered—the Rev. Richard Davis preaching twice. Through some mistake as to a conveyance, I did not reach Rappahannock county, and therefore failed in

meeting my engagements there. At Warrenton, I confirmed twelve persons, after a sermon by Rev. Mr. Barton. I am happy to say that nine of these were colored persons. At Stephen's Church I also confirmed one, after a sermon by the Rev. Mr. Barton, who has charge of this congregation. On the following day (Sunday) I preached at Brentsville, and Mr. Barton did the same in the evening.

It now becomes my painful duty to record the deaths of some of our brethren in the ministry, during the last year.

The Rev. Mr. Zimmer, while acceptably performing his duties at City Point, was visited by a dispensation of Providence, which disabled him, both in body and mind, from any further service. After much suffering, he died in the midst of the kindest nursing care, in the Asylum at Williamsburg.

The Rev. Mr. Points, who was, for some years, our Missionary Teacher in China, and ever longed to return to that country, and purposed the same, if Providence permitted, was cut off in the midst of his days, and at a time of most acceptable service in St. John's Church, Richmond, much lamented by a sorrowing congregation and bereaved relatives.

The Rev. Dr. Empie also, who for some years has resided in another Diocese, though canonically connected with our own, has also died, being full of years and of wisdom. For integrity, conscientiousness, soundness in the faith, and every domestic, as well as ministerial excellency, few have ever equalled Dr. Empie. He is remembered with affection and esteem by all who knew and now survive him.

To this enumeration of deaths among the ministers in connexion with our own Diocese, I only do justice to my own feelings, and to those of many others, by alluding to that of one who was born among us, and was for a long time a most laborious and acceptable minister in Virginia, as he was afterwards a most zealous and beloved Bishop in the Diocese of Alabama. From his first entrance on the ministry, I was intimately acquainted with Bishop Cobb, and loved him dearly for some of the most interesting qualities which belong to human nature. His disinterested devotion to the work of the ministry, and constant readiness to promote the comfort of all within his reach, were mere striking traits in his character, and endeared him to all who knew him. The most uninterrupted friendship existed between us during his residence in Virginia, and continued to the close of his life. I look forward with holy delight to the renewal of the same in that world where parting will be no more.

Having thus presented a statement of those things pertaining to our Diocese which the canon requires of me, I now ask your attention to

a few remarks concerning the present unhappy condition of our State and Country.

My brethren and friends will bear me witness how carefully I have ever avoided, in all my communications, the least reference to anything partaking of a political character, and how I have earnestly warned my younger brethren against the danger of injuring the effect of their sacred ministry, by engaging in discussions which are so apt to disturb the peace of society. But in the present circumstances of our country the cause of religion is so deeply involved, that I feel not only justified, but constrained to offer a few remarks for your consideration.

It has pleased God to permit a great calamity to come upon us. Our whole country is preparing for war. Our own State, after failing in her earnest effort for the promotion of peace, is, perhaps, more actively engaged in all needful measures for maintaining the position which she has, after much consideration, deliberately assumed, than any portion of the land.

A deeper and more honest conviction that if war should actually come upon us, it will be on our part one of self-defence, and, therefore, justifiable before God, seldom, if ever, animated the breasts of those who appealed to arms. From this consideration, and from my knowledge of the character of our people, I believe that the object sought for will be most perseveringly pursued, whatever sacrifice of life and comfort and treasure may be required. Nor do I entertain any doubt as to the final result, though I shudder at the thought of what may intervene before that result is secured. May God, in great mercy and with His mighty power, interpose and grant us speedy peace, instead of protracted war! But can it be, that at this period of the world, when so many prayers are offered up for the establishment of Christ's kingdom in all the earth, and such high hopes are entertained that the zealous efforts put forth will be successful, and our country be one of the most effective and honored instruments for producing the same, that the great work shall be arrested by such a fratricidal war as that which is now so seriously threatened? Is there not room enough for us all to dwell together in peace in this widely extended country, so large a portion of which is yet unsettled, and may not be until the world that now is shall be no more? The families or nations which sprung from two venerable patriarchs of old, could find room enough in the little pent-up land of Judea to live in peace, by going the one to one hand and the other to the opposite. At a later period, when Israel and Judah separated, and the latter having the city and temple in possession, and the supremacy, according to prophecy, was preparing to go up against the former and reduce the people to submission, and bring them back to union, the Lord himself came down and forbade it, saying: "*Thou shalt not go up, nor fight*

against your brethren, the children of Israel. Return every man to his house, for this thing is of me." And they hearkened unto the Lord, and ever after the history of the two kingdoms is written in the same sacred volume, in which are also recorded the evidences of God's favor to both, and though sometimes at controversy, yet how often were they found side by side defending the ancient boundaries of Judea against surrounding nations. God grant that our country may learn a lesson from this sacred narrative. Let none think that I am unmindful of law and order, and of the blessings of Union. I was trained in a different school. I have clung with tenacity to the hope of preserving the Union to the last moment. If I know my own heart, could the sacrifice of the poor remnant of my life have contributed in any degree to its maintenance, such sacrifice would have been cheerfully made. But the developments of public feeling and the course of our rulers have brought me slowly, reluctantly, sorrowfully, yet most decidedly, to the painful conviction, that notwithstanding attendant dangers and evils, we shall consult the welfare and happiness of the whole land by separation. And who can desire to retain a Union which has now become so hateful, and by the application of armed force, which, if successful, would make it ten times more hateful, and soon lead to the repetition of the same bloody contests?

I trust, therefore, that the present actual separation of so many and such important portions of our country may take place without further collision, which might greatly hinder the establishment of the most friendly and intimate relations which can consist with separate establishments. I trust that our friends at a distance, and now in opposition to us, will most seriously review their judgment, and inquire whether the evils resulting from a war to sustain their wishes and opinions as to a single Confederacy, will not far exceed those apprehended from the establishment of a second—an event far more certain than the result of the American Revolution at the time of its occurrence.

In connection with this civil and geographical separation in our country, and almost necessarily resulting from it, the subject of some change of the ecclesiastical relations of our Diocese must come under consideration. There is a general and strong desire, I believe, to retain as much as possible of our past and present happy intercourse with those from whom we shall be, in other matters, more divided. A meeting is already proposed for this purpose in one of the seceded States, whose plans, so far as developed, I will submit to the consideration of this body at its present session.

I cannot conclude without expressing the earnest desire that the ministers and members of our Church, and all the citizens of our State, who are so deeply interested in the present contest, may conduct it in

the most elevated and Christian spirit, rising above uncharitable and indiscriminate imputations on all who are opposed. Many there are equally sincere on both sides, as there ever have been in all the wars and controversies that have been waged upon earth; though it does not follow that all have the same grounds of justice and truth on which to base their warfare.

It was the maxim of an ancient sage that we should always treat our friends as those who might one day be our enemies, and to treat our enemies as those who may one day be our friends. While abhorring, as I am sure we all do, the former part of this cold-hearted maxim, let us cherish and adopt the latter, so congenial with the spirit of our holy religion. The thought of even a partial separation from those who have long been so dear to me is anguish to my soul. But there is a union of heart in our common faith and hope which can never be broken. The Church in Virginia has more dear friends and generous patrons amongst those who are on the opposite side of this painful controversy than any other, and feels most deeply the unhappy position in which we are placed.

As our State has, to its high praise, endeavored to avert the evils now threatened, so may our Church, and all the others in Virginia, by prayer and the exercise of true charity, endeavor to diminish that large amount of prejudice and ill-will which so unhappily abounds in our land.

Let me, in conclusion, commend to your special prayers all those who have now devoted themselves to the defence of our State. From personal knowledge of many of them, and from the information of others, there is already, I believe, a large portion of religious principle and genuine piety to be found among them. I rejoice to learn that in many companies not only are the services of chaplains and other ministers earnestly sought for, but social prayer meetings held among themselves. Our own Church has a very large proportion of communicants among the officers of our army, and not a few among the soldiers. Let us pray that grace may be given them to be faithful soldiers of the Cross, as well as valiant and successful defenders of the State.

If all of us do our part faithfully and according to the principles of our holy religion, we may confidently leave the issue to God, who will overrule all for good.

The following resolution was offered by Judge Thomas S. Gholson, and adopted :

Resolved, That so much of the Bishop's address as refers to the present condition of our political and ecclesiastical affairs, be referred to

a Special Committee of three Clergymen and three Laymen, with instructions to report as soon as practicable to the Convention some plan of action.

The Chair appointed the following gentlemen such committee :

Rt. Rev. John Johns, D. D.,	Judge Thomas S. Gholson,
Rev. J. Grammer,	Mr. James Galt,
Rev. William Sparrow, D. D.,	Mr. R. H. Cunningham.

The Committee to whom was referred, by the last Convention, the subject of Parochial Reports, asked further indulgence, and were continued, with instructions to report to the next Diocesan Convention.

A statement of the condition of the Chisholm Fund was received from the Treasurer and accepted.

STATEMENT OF CHISHOLM FUND.

May, 1860. To balance due Wm. H. Macfarland, as per report.....	\$ 79 83
Aug. 1860. To investment in State bond for \$ 150.....	187 69
	<u>\$ 217 52</u>

July, 1860, and Jan., 1861. By interest on \$ 2,431 08 investments...	\$ 145 86
By January interest on \$ 150.....	4 60
Balance due Wm. H. Macfarland.....	67 16
	<u>\$ 217 52</u>

Investments:

Bonds of Virginia Central Railroad Company, endorsed by State.....	\$ 600 00
State bond.....	200 00
Do. do.	181 08
Do. do.	150 00
Bond of Richmond and Danville Railroad Company.....	1,000 00
Do. of Manassas Railroad Company.....	500 00
	<u>\$ 2,581 08</u>

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WM. H. MACFARLAND.

May 16, 1861.

The Rt. Rev. the Assistant Bishop read to the Convention that portion of the Proceedings of the Diocesan Convention of Texas which had reference to the ecclesiastical and political con-

dition of the country, which, on motion of Rev. Dr. Wilmer, was referred to the Special Committee upon the Bishop's address.

The report of the Committee to whom was referred the subject of Baptism among the colored children in our Church, was presented, and referred back to the Committee to report to the next Convention.

The change in the Constitution, proposed by the Rev. Mr. Latané, at our last Convention, with regard to the admission of the Rector of the Virginia Female Institute to a seat as a member of this Convention, was taken up and adopted, as follows :

Resolved, That Article II. of the Constitution be so altered that the clause which now reads, "and the Rector of the Episcopal High School," shall be made to read, "and the Rectors of the Episcopal High School, and the Virginia Female Institute."

The report of the Special Committee, raised for the purpose of considering that portion of the Bishop's address which referred to the present political and ecclesiastical condition of the State, was presented, as follows :

The Special Committee to whom so much of the Bishop's Address as relates "to the present political and ecclesiastical condition of our affairs" was referred, unanimously report the following resolutions for adoption by the Convention :

1. *Resolved*, That this Convention, having heard with deep interest the true and timely statements of our Venerable Diocesan, in reference to the present political and ecclesiastical condition of our affairs, cordially concur in the views presented and sympathize fully in the kind and Christian spirit in which they are so wisely declared.

2. *Resolved*, That a Committee, consisting of the two Bishops, three other Clergymen and three Laymen, be appointed, as a Provisional Committee, to act during the recess of the Convention in all matters connected with our relations to other Dioceses, and that the Clerical and Lay Members of the Committee shall serve as Delegates in any Convention which may be agreed upon by other similarly situated Dioceses. All the proceedings of this Committee to be reported for the approval of the Convention of the Diocese of Virginia.

J. JOHNS,
WILLIAM SPARROW,
J. GRAMMER,
THOS. S. GHOLSON,
JAMES GALT,
R. H. CUNNINGHAM.

The report was unanimously adopted.

On motion of the Rev. John Grammer, the following resolution was adopted :

Resolved, That the Convention now proceed to elect three Clerical and three Lay Members, who, together with the two Bishops, shall constitute the above Committee.

The following gentlemen were duly elected :

Rev. Dr. Wilmer,	Judge Thos. S. Gholson,
Rev. Dr. Sparrow,	Mr. Philip Williams,
Rev. J. Peterkin,	Mr. Richard H. Cunningham.

The Committee upon the account of the Treasurer of the Diocese reported as follows :

The Committee appointed to examine the account of the Treasurer of the Diocese beg leave to report, that they find the account supported by proper vouchers and judiciously managed.

WILLIAM POLLOCK, *Chairman.*

(See Appendix C.)

The Committee upon the account of the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Society presented their report, as follows :

The Committee appointed to examine the accounts of the Treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Society report, that they have performed the duty assigned them, and find the same to be correct and sustained by proper vouchers.

G. W. DAME, *Chairman.*

(See Appendix D.)

On motion, the following gentlemen were elected the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society :

Rt. Rev. Wm. Meade, D. D.,	Rev. Joshua Peterkin, D. D.,
Rt. Rev. John Johns, D. D.,	Rev. C. Minnigerode, D. D.,
Rev. Geo. Woodbridge, D. D.,	Rev. F. M. Baker,
	John O. Steger, Esq., Secretary,
	John L. Bacon, Esq., Treasurer.

The following gentlemen were elected the Standing Committee of the Diocese for the ensuing year :

Rev. William Sparrow, D. D.,	C. F. Lee, Esq.,
Rev. D. F. Sprigg,	Dr. Orlando Fairfax,
Rev. C. Walker, D. D.,	Arthur Herbert, Esq.

On motion, the Bishop was requested to appoint, at suitable time, the place for the meeting of the next Convention.

On motion, the Convention took a recess until 5½ o'clock, P. M.

THURSDAY, 5½ P. M.

The Convention re-assembled.

The following Clergymen, entitled to seats in the Convention, not present this morning, appeared and took their seats :

Rev. O. A. Kinsolving,	Rev. John Cosby,
Rev. W. H. Kinckle,	Rev. Lewis Walke.

The following Laymen, not present this morning, appeared this evening, and were reported by the Committee on the Certificates of Lay Delegates as having been duly elected to seats in this Convention :

H. R. Conway, Esq., Acquia Church, Stafford county.
 R. D. Buford, Esq., St. John's Church, Bedford county.

On motion,

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Convention be directed to have 1000 copies of the Journal printed, whenever the means to defray the necessary expenses have been raised by joint subscription.

The report of the Committee on the Fund for the Relief of Disabled Clergymen, was presented and read, as follows :

The Committee on the "Fund for the Relief of Disabled Clergymen," present their fifth annual report, as follows :

Cash on hand at the close of the Convention at Charlottesville, in May, 1860.....		\$ 299 84
Collections from that time until July 1, 1860.....		28 50
In July, received dividend of State scrip.....	\$ 206 62	
“ “ “ on Valley Bank stock.....	8 00	
“ “ “ on Wheeling Bank stock.....	12 00	
		<u>226 62</u>
Collections in October, 1860, as acknowledged in detail in “Southern Churchman,”.....		191 90
Collections in November.....		194 52
“ in December.....		26 80
“ in January, 1861.....		17 84
Dividends and interest in January, 1861, vis:		
On State scrip.....	\$ 221 62	
On Valley Bank stock.....	7 00	
On Wheeling Bank stock.....	10 50	
On Bank of Winchester stock.....	18 00	
		<u>257 12</u>
Collections in February, 1861.....		51 86
“ in March, from St. Luke’s Church, Powhatan, per Rev. L. Walke.....	\$ 15 00	
From a member of Leed’s Church, Fauquier county, per Rev. Mr. Duncan.....	3 00	
		<u>18 00</u>
Convention at Richmond, 1861, from St. John’s Church, Portsmouth, per Charles A. Grice.....		35 00
		<u>\$ 1,847 50</u>
Disbursed or invested, as follows:		
Bought, in August, 1860, 12 shares of stock of the Bank of Winchester.....	\$ 540 00	
Bought, November, 1860, \$ 500 of Virginia 6 per cent. scrip.....	440 00	
Paid taxes on the Fund.....	20 00	
Cash on hand re-invested.....	847 50	
		<u>\$ 1,847 50</u>

D. W. BARTON, *Chairman.*

May, 1861.

The Board of Managers of the Fund for the Relief of the Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergymen made the following report:

The Board of Managers of the Fund for the Relief of the Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergymen respectfully report, that, in compliance with the requirement of the last Convention, they proceeded to organize on the 5th of July, 1860, and appointed the Rev. C. J. Gibson their Secretary. No applications for relief from the Fund having been

made to the Board, and no case requiring their assistance having arisen, the Treasurer has been authorized to make the investment of the semi-annual dividends as usual.

CHURCHILL J. GIBSON, *Secretary*.

On motion, the Committee on Parochial Reports were granted leave to present their report to a committee of two, Rev. Messrs. Wilmer and Keppler, after the adjournment of the Convention, to be prepared for publication in the Journal. (See Appendix E.)

The Committee on the State of the Church presented their report. (See Appendix F.)

On motion, the Committee on Finance were granted leave to make up their report and hand it in to the Secretary, after the adjournment of the Convention, to be duly published in the Journal. (See Appendix G.)

On motion, the thanks of the Convention were tendered to the citizens of Richmond for their hospitality to the members of this Convention.

On motion, the Treasurer was ordered to pay the expenses of the Secretary and Assistant Secretary of this Convention.

On motion, the Treasurer was ordered to pay ten dollars to the doorkeeper of the Convention.

The Convention, after suitable religious exercises, adjourned.

WILLIAM MEADE.

A. L. SEABURY, *Assistant Secretary*.

APPENDIX.

[A.]

BISHOP JOHN'S REPORT.*

The several services in which I engaged at Charlottesville during the Convention week and on the ensuing Sunday, it is not necessary to report.

My first visitation, after the adjournment of the Convention, was in the Valley.

June 2, I preached in Christ Church, Millwood; 3, I preached in Christ Church, Winchester, and confirmed 4; 4, I preached in St. Thomas', Middletown; 5, I preached at Bunker Hill; 6, I preached in Trinity, Martinsburg; 7, I preached in Mt. Zion Church, Hedgesville, and confirmed 1; 8, I preached in Trinity Church, Shepherdstown; 9, I preached in Grace Church, Middleway; 10, I preached in Zion Church, Charlestown, and confirmed 12. In the evening, after a sermon by the Rev. Mr. Suter, I addressed the same congregation; 11, I preached in Wickliffe Church, and confirmed 1; 12, I preached in Grace Church, Berryville, and confirmed 3; 17, I preached in the Chapel of the Seminary, and confirmed 10. In the afternoon I preached at Olivet, one of the Missionary Stations in the neighborhood of the Seminary, and confirmed 10. The building was too small for the congregation, and the services were conducted in the grove; 20, I consecrated Cavalry Church, Culpeper county. Services were read by the Rev. Messrs. Cole and R. T. Davis. Sentence of consecration by the Rev. Mr. Slaughter, through whose exertions the funds for erecting the building were collected, and who generously officiates, when he can, for those who assemble there for worship. On this occasion I preached, and again in the afternoon; 21, I preached in St. Thomas', Orange, and

*See Journal, page 22.

confirmed 20; 24, I preached in Grace Church, Lexington, and confirmed 4. In the afternoon I preached in the same church; 25, I visited Staunton, to be present at the Commencement exercises of the Female Institute, which continues to merit the confidence and patronage of the Church, which I am happy to say it largely enjoys; 26-9, engaged in the examination at the Seminary and High School; 29, in the Seminary Chapel I admitted the Rev. J. Casby to Priest's Orders.

July 1, I preached in St. Paul's, King George, and confirmed 26; 2, consecrated Immanuel Church, Port Conway, King George county. The Sentence of Consecration was read by the Rev. T. E. Locke. Service by the Rev. H. R. Scott. Sermon by myself; 4, I attended the Annual meeting of the Board of Visitors of William and Mary College, and was much gratified to find the condition and prosperity of that venerable Institution so encouraging; 6, I consecrated Immanuel Church, Henrico county. The Sentence of Consecration was read by the rector, the Rev. R. H. Wilmer, D. D. Service by the Rev. Drs. Geo. Woodbridge, J. Peterkin and C. Minnigerode. Sermon by myself. For the complete and improved ground on which this beautiful and commodious church stands, and for the building itself, we are much indebted to the liberality of Messrs. J. and D. Stewart. In the afternoon, after a sermon by the Rev. J. Peterkin, I addressed the congregation and confirmed 4; 7, I preached at Woodville, Rappahannock county; 8, I preached at Washington, in the same county; at night I preached in St. James' Church, Warrenton, and confirmed 5; 15, in Leeds Parish, Fauquier, I preached, and confirmed 27; in the afternoon I officiated at the Clifton Preparatory School, under the care of Mr. R. J. Ambler, the pupils of which formed a large portion of those confirmed in the morning; 22, I preached in St. Paul's, Alexandria; 25, accompanied by the Rev. R. B. Mason, I entered on a visitation and missionary tour in the counties of Bath, Greenbrier and Monroe; 28, I preached in the church at the Warm Springs; Mr. Mason preached in the afternoon; 29, I preached in the same church, and, assisted by Rev. Mr. Mason, administered the Lord's Supper, of which many visitors, besides the communicants belonging to the congregation, partook. Mr. Mason preached in the same church in the afternoon, and at night I preached at the Hot Springs.

August 1, I preached at the White Sulphur, and baptized an infant; 4, at Union, I preached in the Methodist Church in the morning, and Mr. Mason in the afternoon; 5, morning and afternoon we alternated in the same place; 6, in the Presbyterian Church I preached in the morning and confirmed 3, after which, assisted by Mr. Mason, I administered the Lord's Supper. In the afternoon Mr. Mason baptized three colored children, and I preached to the servants.

Through the indefatigable exertions of Miss Caperton, a suitable lot has been secured, and the means obtained to erect a church in Union. If I am not mistaken, the building is under contract, and soon the friends who have been so devoted in this enterprise will have the satisfaction of occupying their own house of worship. At night I preached at the Salt Sulphur Springs; 12, I preached in the Seminary Chapel; 19, I preached in Falls Church and confirmed 2; 26, I preached in Seminary Chapel.

September 2, I preached in Seminary Chapel.

October 1, my appointment at Brentsville was interfered with by heavy rain; 2, I preached at Haymarket; 8, I preached at the Plains; 4, I preached at Middleburg; 5, I preached morning and night at Upperville, and confirmed —; 7, I consecrated Grace Church, Alexandria. I must indulge myself in the expression of cordial congratulation with the Rector and the congregation which he has gathered around him, on the occupancy of a building so commodious and so appropriate for the sacred services to which it is dedicated, and which has been erected by the self-denying liberality of those immediately concerned, aided by the contributions of many others, who regarded the undertaking with lively interest. May the blessing which has attended this Church from the beginning, be and abound with it, until it is filled to its utmost capacity with faithful members of the mystical body of our Lord and Saviour.

During this week I attended the Annual Meeting of the Evangelical Knowledge Society in New York, and of the Board of Missions in New Haven.

Oct. 17, I preached at Danville, and confirmed 10; 19, my appointment was at Henry Court House. The congregation was prevented by rain from assembling at the church during the day. At night, though the rain continued, a number of persons met at the residence of Mr. Dupuy, where I lectured and confirmed 2; 21, at Franklin C. H., I preached in the Methodist Church, morning and night, and confirmed 1; 23, at Pittsylvania C. H. I preached, and confirmed 9; 24, at Halifax C. H. I preached, and confirmed 5; 25, in Roanoke Parish, Christ Church, I preached, and confirmed 1 white and 20 colored; 27, at Clarksville I preached in the morning; 28, I preached in St. Luke's, Mecklenburg; 29, I preached at St. Andrew's, and confirmed 5; 30, I preached at Boydton, and confirmed 6, 31, I preached at Christiansville, and confirmed 1.

November 1, I preached in St. John's, Lunenburg, and confirmed 1; 2, I preached in St. Paul's, Lunenburg, and confirmed 2; 8, I preached at Charlotte C. H. in the Methodist Church. The new building for our

use was not quite finished; 18, in St. George's Church, Fredericksburg, I admitted the Rev. A. M. Randolph to the order of Priests. The Service was read by the Rev. Mr. Friend. Sermon by the Rev. Dr. Sparrow, who both united in the imposition of hands; 28, I lectured at the High School.

December 2, I preached in Immanuel Church, Baltimore, in the morning, and at night in the Chapel under the care of the Rev. C. R. Howard.

1861, January 27th, I attended service in Christ Church, Alexandria, and assisted in the administration of the Lord's Supper.

February 8, I read the Service and preached in Christ Church, Alexandria; 10, united in the Services in St. Paul's Church, Alexandria; 17, I preached in St. Paul's Church, Alexandria; 24, I preached in the Seminary Chapel.

March 8, I preached in Christ Church, at the Navy Yard, Washington; 4 and 5, I preached in Grace Church, Alexandria; 6, I preached in the Seminary Chapel; 10, I preached in Grace Church, Alexandria; 31, I preached in Seminary Chapel; 17, I conducted the services connected with the opening of Holecombe Chapel, at Olivet Station. This simple building is a memorial of the excellent brother whose name it bears, who, when he was a student at the Theological Seminary, began those religious services at this place which have been blessed to the neighborhood, and which have resulted in the erection of this appropriate Chapel. 22, in St. Paul's Church, Petersburg, I admitted to the order of Priests the Rev. John S. Hansborough and the Rev. George Y. Williams. Service by the Rector. Sermon by the Rev. George Woodbridge. At night in Grace Church, I preached and confirmed 22; 23, I preached in St. Paul's, Petersburg, and confirmed 14; 24, in the morning, I preached in the Monumental Church, Richmond, and confirmed 17; at night, I preached in St. John's, and confirmed 8; 25, I addressed the morning meeting in St. Paul's Richmond; 26-7-8, I preached each night in St. George's, Fredericksburg; 29, I preached in the same Church, both morning and night; 30, in the same Church I admitted the Rev. W. W. Greene to Priest's orders. Service by the Rev. Messrs. Friend and Randolph. Sermon by myself. At night, I preached again, and the next day (31) I preached morning and night, and confirmed 18.

April 1, I preached at Acquia Church, and confirmed 6; 12, I preached at Fairmont at night, and also the next morning, confirming 6; 14, I preached in St. John's, Wheeling, and confirmed 9; at night in St. Matthew's, and confirmed 17; 15, I preached in Christ Church, Wellsburg; 16, I preached in St. John's, Brooke county. Though the

roads were scarcely passable, and the snow was falling fast, the congregation was there in goodly numbers; and though without a minister for now more than two years, yet I had the satisfaction of confirming 11 persons presented by the Rev. Mr. Perkins, who had kindly visited this parish, and conversed with those who desired to renew their baptismal promise and vow. This congregation, so steadfast, and growing under most unfavorable circumstances, will deserve the generous consideration and aid of the Diocesan Missionary Society. In addition to the other gratifications of this visit, I must mention the presence of my venerable friend, the Rev. Dr. Morse, of Steubenville, Ohio, accompanied by the Rev. B. Christian and the Rev. S. W. McCarty of the same Diocese, who, notwithstanding the inclemency of the day, came over on horseback to unite in the services at St. John's. We returned with the good doctor to his hospitable home, and were kindly refreshed on our way to Wheeling. 17, I preached at Moundville in the morning, and at night in St. Matthew's, Wheeling, when I confirmed 6 persons belonging to St. John's, Wheeling; 20, I preached at Cow Creek, and confirmed 8; 21, I preached in Trinity, Parkersburg, and confirmed 7; at night, I preached again in the same Church; 23, I preached at Ravenswood; 24, my appointment was at Point Pleasant at night. Owing to a strong head wind, the progress of the boat was so impeded that we did not reach the Point till about 9 o'clock. We went immediately to the Church, where services had been conducted by the Rev. Messrs. Smith and Sturges. The congregation were singing the last hymn as I reached the chancel. At the close, in compliance with my request, they resumed their seats, and afforded me an opportunity to account for my late arrival and to speak to them a word of exhortation.

At Wheeling, the painful intelligence which reached us from the East, strongly inclined me to return. This feeling was increased at Parkersburg, but, as we received no letter mail, and I could obtain no reply to a telegram which I sent to Alexandria, I resolved to keep on till I was overtaken by some positive and decided information. This was not long in coming. It was brought down the river by the boat on which I left Ravenswood, but too late to change my direction. I therefore kept on to Point Pleasant, sixty miles—officiated there, as related—took passage up the river at 2 A. M. on Thursday, April 25, and by traveling day and night, reached the Seminary Hill by 10 P. M. the next day; though the usual route through Washington being obstructed, I was obliged to diverge at the Point of Rocks, and return by the way of Leesburg. On arriving at home, I found that some of the students of the Seminary, whose residence was in the North, had

thought it expedient, under existing circumstances, to return to their homes. The parting from the professors and their fellow-students was with many tears and mutual prayers. May God in mercy direct and prosper them in their preparatory studies elsewhere, and make them able and successful ministers of His glorious Gospel.

Since my return, the excitement inseparable from the occurrences in our vicinity has so interfered with the pursuits in which the students of the Seminary and pupils of the High School were engaged, that the exercises in both institutions have been suspended for the present. But it is unnecessary for me to notice more particularly what will be given in full in the Annual Reports of the proper officers. I will only add, that three members of the Senior Class, who were candidates in this Diocese, and had been so for the period prescribed by the Canons, were recommended for Deacon's orders by the Standing Committee, with the expression of the opinion that it was very desirable that I should ordain them before they returned to their homes. In conformity with this advice, I held a special ordination in the Seminary Chapel on the 7th of May, and admitted to the Diaconate, Gustavus C. Bird, George D. E. Mortimer and A. Y. Steele.

May, 12. In the same place the Rev. Dr. Sparrow read the Service, and I addressed the congregation. In closing this enumeration of official services, I must express my great regret at having had to forego a few of the appointments of my recent visitation of the Western portion of the Diocese, particularly those at Weston and Clarksburg, which, on my former visitation, I had been providentially prevented from reaching, and where there are a number of persons who desire to be confirmed. I can only say, that it will be my pleasure to avail myself of the earliest opportunity to visit those Churches, and render such services as may be required.

Every visit in that section of the Diocese impresses me more and more with the importance of making it the field of prompt, earnest and strong missionary labor. It peculiarly needs this, and, under God's blessing, will in due time recompense for any liberal outlay which may be made. I trust the door will soon be opened for this Christian enterprise, and men and means be furnished to prosecute it as it deserves.

The standing advertisement in the "Southern Churchman" has indicated the line of visitation which I propose to pursue after the adjournment of this Convention. I take this opportunity to invite the Clergy of the Parishes on that line to communicate with me on the subject, that I may so arrange my appointments as will be most convenient for them and their respective congregations.

May He "to whom all power is given in Heaven and on earth," and "in whose hand are the hearts of all men," graciously effect a safe and speedy adjustment of the existing political disturbances, that this Church may joyfully serve Him in all godly quietness," and "the Word of the Lord have free course and be glorified."

J. JOHNS.

[B.]

REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

OF THE

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

THE Diocesan Missionary Society have aided, during the last year, in the support of the following Missionaries: Rev. R. T. Brown, W. L. Hyland, Thompson L. Smith, (part of the time as Missionary at Charleston, and part as Missionary at large in Western Virginia,) Wm. F. M. Jacobs, Geo. B. Sturges, Wm. McGuire, (removed to an independent parish), A. J. M. Hudson, (discontinued), W. W. Greene, Thomas H. Smyth, Wm. N. Pendleton, D. D., (who resigned his stipend voluntarily last September), F. D. Goodwin, J. R. Lee, D. T. C. Davis, Wm. Mowbray, Wm. Friend, D. J. Lee, (discontinued), F. M. Baker, (supported by the churches in Richmond), and the Missionary at large, Rev. H. S. Keppler.

The appropriations, including travelling expenses in the service of the Committee, amount to \$4,023 17, inclusive of the \$1,500 for the Missionary at large. The receipts have been \$5,433 40, leaving in the hands of the Treasurer \$1,183 82; and the Committee acknowledge with pleasure the readiness with which the Diocese came to their assistance, upon their circular appeal, and the recommendation of the Assistant Bishop.

[The state of the country not making it advisable, at this time, to send the Missionary at large through the different counties, the Committee have appointed him provisionally to the charge of St. Philip's, the African Episcopal Church recently erected in the city of Richmond.]

In view of the unsettled state of the country, and the disorganization of our Missions outside of our own Diocese, whether Domestic or Foreign—the Committee feel it their duty to remind their brethren that the Diocesan Missionary Society remains unchanged in all its features,

and presents the same claims as ever; yes, greater claims, when we consider the difficulties which our Missionaries may meet with in their special fields, as far as their support is concerned. They therefore beg leave to conclude with the following resolution:

Resolved, That it is the duty of the Clergy and Congregations in Virginia, to consider the wants of our own Missions and Missionaries in this, our time of trial; and that it is recommended to them to meet their wants and shield them from suffering, by making collections in their behalf at as early a day as they deem it advisable.

Respectfully submitted.

CHAS. MINNIGERODE,

In behalf of the Exec. Comm. D. M. S.

[C.]

TREASURER'S ACCOUNT FOR

Contingent Fund P. E. Church, Diocese of Virginia,

RECEIPTS BY TREASURER.

1860.			
May 10.	Balance on hand, brought forward from page 12, viz:		
	In City Savings Bank.....	\$2,800 00	
	Exchange Bank.....	129 59	
	Cash	6 56	
			\$2,436 15
	N. B.—The vouchers and account showing balance as above, were received and approved by Finance Committee at Convention Charlottesville, 20th May.		
19.	Received at Convention held in Charlottesville, and deposited in Monticello Bank, in bills, specie and checks.....	\$6,865 89	
	Received at do. do. in do. do. and deposited in Exchange Bank, Richmond.....	200 18	
	Received of A. L. Seabury, Norfolk, draft on himself, favor St. Paul's Church, dated 18th and due 17-20 July, 1860, at 60 days.....	126 00	
26.	Received from D. H. Conrad for Trinity Church, Norborne Parish, Berkeley county.....	8 00	
June 2.	Received from Rev. Dr. Woodbridge for St. John's and St. Luke's, Kanawha, remitted by Alexander T. Laidley.....	5 00	
	Received in Charlottesville uncurrent money, and not deposited in bank....	71 98	
			7,272 00
14.	Received from D. H. Conrad, per mail contribution to this fund, from Mt. Zion Church, Hedgesville, Berkeley county		1 00
28.	Received from Rev. John Towles for St. Paul's Church, Hay Market, Prince William county, being part of a check for \$80 50, remitted through Entwisle & Son, Alexandria, the remainder to go to Diocesan Missions and Bible Society.....		26 00
30.	Received through John L. Bacon from Rev. A. J. M. Hudson, Rector St. Mark's, Coalsmouth, Kanawha county, amount due for 1859.....		15 00
	Amount carried forward		\$ 9,760 15

YEAR ENDING MAY, 1861.

In account with JOHN STEWART, Treasurer.

PAYMENTS BY TREASURER.

1860.

May 18.	(Voucher No. 1.) Paid Bishop Meade, at his request, by certificate of deposit (check on bank) favor of—	
	James H. Clark.....	\$1,000 00
	Rev. R. K. Meade.....	200 00
	Rev. Wm. N. Pendleton.....	160 00
	Right Rev. Wm. Meade.....	440 00
	In bank notes to Bishop Meade.....	200 00
		\$2,000 00
	(No. 2.) Paid Bishop Meade's order in favor of E. B. McGuire.....	50 00
	(No. 3.) Paid Rev. H. S. Keppler, Secretary, order for his expenses, &c., to Convention.....	12 00
June 14.	(No. 4.) Paid Herman Cope, Treasurer General Convention, Philadelphia.....	\$78 45
	Premium.....	28
		78 78
18.	(No. 5.) Paid Bishop Johns per check to order, for salary, \$600; travelling expenses, \$17.....	617 00
	(No. 6.) Paid James Young, printer, Baltimore, by order of Bishop Johns, for printing 2,000 reports.....	29 00
	(No. 7.) Paid Charles H. Wynne, printer, Richmond, by draft of John W. Atkinson, Secretary, for postages on Convention Reports.....	50 00
30.	(No. 8.) Paid Charles H. Wynne, printer, on 18th and 30th July, \$300 and \$281 18, in full of his bill for printing Journal, &c., &c.....	581 18
Aug. 21.	(No. 9.) Paid by remitting to Bishop Johns check to order for salary, \$600; travelling expenses, \$67 87.....	667 87
25.	(No. 10.) Paid Rev. Philip Slaughter's order favor of J. H. Lee Sangster, Secretary, on trial Rev. G. W. Mayer	48 00
25.	(No. 11.) Paid Rev. Wm. N. Pendleton, expenses on trial Rev. G. W. Mayer, (in part).....	75 00
Sept. 3.	(No. 12.) Paid Bishop Meade, by remitting per mail check to order, being for his expenses attending trial of the Rev. Mr. Mayer, in Petersburg.....	28 00
5.	(No. 13.) Paid Rev. P. Slaughter, by placing at his credit in Farmers Bank, for his expenses at trial in Petersburg	33 75
8.	Paid David Funsten, counsel in trial in Petersburg, by order of Rev. Wm. N. Pendleton, chairman.....	250 00
8.	(No. 15.) Paid Rev. C. Walker's draft in favor of J. H. Sherrard, cashier, for his expenses at trial in Petersburg.....	72 85
	Amount carried forward.....	\$4,578 88

Convention Fund Protestant Episcopal Church, Virginia,

RECEIPTS BY TREASURER.

1860.	Amount brought forward.....	\$ 9,750 15
Aug. 3.	Received from Wm. J. Wier in payment for St. James' Church, Dettingen Parish, Prince William county, check on Farmer's Bank of Alexandria, to order.....	18 07
21.	Received from Savings Bank, interest from 14th June, to date, accrued on \$1,500, which is now withdrawn.....	11 88
Oct. 4.	Received from City Savings Bank, interest on deposit of \$500, from 25th June to date, inclusive, 102 days, which sum of \$500 is withdrawn.....	6 94
1861.		
May 10.	Received from City Savings Bank, one year's interest on \$2,300, due this day, viz: from 10th May, 1860, to date	188 00

\$ 9,925 04

To balance brought down in Treasurer's hands.....	\$ 2,823 87
Thus deposited—	
City Savings Bank, Richmond, bearing interest at 6 p. ct....	\$2,300 00
Exchange Bank, \$420, and \$97 01.....	517 01
Cash.....	6 86
	<u>\$ 2,823 87</u>

Richmond, May 11, 1861.

JOHN STEWART, *Treasurer.*

In account current with JOHN STEWART—continued.

PAYMENTS BY TREASURER.

1860.	Amount brought forward.....	\$ 4,578 38
	(No. 11½.) Paid 27th Aug. Wm. N. Pendleton's, D. D. order in favor of C. F. Fisher, cashier, for expenses in trial, dated Petersburg, 24th August.....	125 00
Sept. 14.	(No. 16.) Paid Bishop Meade's draft in favor of James H. Clark, viz: postage for two years, \$85; and travelling expenses, \$80.....	115 00
20.	(No. 17.) Paid Rev. G. S. Carraway by check to order, for expenses in attending on trial of Rev. Mr. Mayer...	86 88
20.	(No. 18.) Paid Rev. G. H. Norton, remitting check to order, for his expenses attending trial as above.....	20 17
25.	(No. 19.) Paid Rev. Churchill J. Gibson, remitting him check to order for expenses attending trial as above.....	18 50
27.	(No. 20.) Paid Rev. G. H. Norton (second payment) for expenses attending trial as above, remitted him check to order.....	9 70
Oct'r 3.	(No. 21.) Paid Charles H. Wynne for printing 2,000 copies of Canons and Constitution, as ordered by Convention, and vouched for by John W. Atkinson, Secretary.....	498 00
Oct'r 24.	(No. 22.) Paid Rev. W. C. Meredith per check to order, his expenses attending trial of Rev. Mr. Mayer.....	45 00
Nov. 1.	(No. 23.) Paid Charles H. Wynne, printer, for freight, postage, and sundry charges in forwarding Canons printed by him.....	70 12
14.	(No. 24.) Paid Bishop Johns, per check to order, for salary, \$600; expenses, \$126 82.....	726 82
25.	(No. 25.) Paid John Wilder Atkinson for sundries expended.....	24 10
1861.		
Feb. 8.	(No. 26.) Paid Bishop Johns remitted check to order....	700 00
April 24.	(No. 27.) Paid for travelling expenses of committee investigating Rev. Mr. Cofer's case in Bedford: Rev. R. H. Wilmer..... \$14 80 Rev. Mr. Keppler..... 18 80 Rev. Mr. Dashiell... .. 14 80	42 90
May 2.	(No. 28.) Paid Bishop Johns, remitted him check travelling expenses and year's postages.....	66 10
7.	(No. 29.) Paid Bishop Meade while in Richmond.....	25 00
	Balance carried down	2,828 37
		<u>\$ 9,925 04</u>

[D.]

*The Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia—In account current with
JOHN L. BACON, Treasurer.*

DEBITS.

1860 and 1861, To cash paid Rev. R. T. Brown, Missionary at Fairfax Courthouse, &c. for twelve months.....	\$200 00
To cash paid Rev. William L. Hyland, for eighteen months' Missionary at Parkersburg.....	150 00
To cash paid Rev. H. S. Keppler, Missionary at large, for one year.....	1,500 00
To cash paid Rev. Thompson L. Smith, Missionary in Kanawha county, for six months.....	89 13
To cash paid ditto, as Missionary at large for South-Western Virginia.....	400 00
To cash paid Rev. W. F. M. Jacobs, Missionary at Hampton, Virginia, for eighteen months.....	150 00
To cash paid Rev. G. B. Sturges, Missionary at Point Pleasant and Mercer's Bottom, for nine months....	150 00
To cash paid Rev. Wm. McGuire, for the last quarter of year at Middleway, Jefferson county.....	50 00
To cash paid Rev. F. M. Baker, Grace Church, Richmond, for six months.....	300 00
To cash paid Rev. A. J. M. Hudson, for two last quarters as Missionary at Coalsmouth, Virginia.....	100 00
To cash paid Rev. William W. Greene, Missionary in Spottsylvania and Caroline counties, for nine mos.	150 00
To cash paid Rev. T. H. Smyth, Missionary at Weston, for twelve months.....	200 00
To cash paid Rev. Wm. N. Pendleton, Missionary at Lexington, for last quarter.....	50 00
To cash paid Rev. B. R. Mason's traveling expenses on Missionary tour in Western Virginia, with Bishop Johns.....	27 90
To cash paid Rev. F. D. Goodwin, Missionary at Wytheville, &c. for one year.....	300 00
To cash paid traveling expenses of Rev. F. D. Goodwin.....	83 98
To cash paid Rev. J. R. Lee, Missionary in Henry and Franklin counties, for one year.....	150 00
To cash paid traveling expenses of Rev. Dr. Minnigerode on Missionary tour through Western Virginia last summer.....	74 05
To cash paid traveling expenses of Rev. D. C. T. Davis on a Missionary tour in South-Western Virginia, in June last.....	80 25
Amount carried forward.....	<u>\$4,105 81</u>

APPENDIX.

	Amount brought forward.....	\$4,106 81
1861 and 1861,	To cash paid Rev. D. C. T. Davis, Missionary in Albemarle county, for one year, ending in August next.....	200 00
	To cash paid Rev. William Mowbray, Missionary at Abingdon, for six months.....	100 00
	To cash paid discount on uncurrent moneys.....	2 02
	To cash paid Chas. H. Wynne, for printing circulars.....	5 00
	To cash paid Rev. William Friend, Missionary at Port Royal, &c., for twelve months.....	100 00
	To cash paid Rev. D. J. Lee, Missionary at Fairmont, &c., three quarters of year, at rate of \$275, including traveling expenses.....	206 25
	To cash paid traveling expenses of Rev. H. S. Keppler, Missionary at large, from 1st July, 1859, to 7th January, 1861.....	204 59
	To balance to new account.....	1,188 82
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		\$6,106 99
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JOHN L. BACON, *Treasurer.*

The Diocesan Missionary Society of Virginia—In account current with
JOHN L. BACON, Treasurer.

CREDITS.

1860.			
May	14,	By balance on hand, reported to last Convention.....	\$678 59
		By cash from Raleigh Parish, per Rev. P. F. Berkeley....	2 50
		By cash from Vawter's Church, St. Anne's Parish, per Rev. E. B. McGuire.....	84 60
		By cash from Miss S. Oliver, Roanoke county, per Rev. H. S. Keppler.....	5 00
		By cash from South Farnham Parish, thro' J. A. Latané..	50 00
		By cash from Christ Church, Alexandria, per Rev. Mr. Dana.....	60 00
		By cash from Ladies' Sewing Society of said Church, per ditto.....	60 00
		By cash from Westover Parish, thro' Ro. Douthat, Esq....	19 50
		By cash from Robert Douthat, Esq.....	10 00
		By cash from Edward Tarry, Esq., thro' Geo. Tarry, Esq.	8 00
		By cash from Cornwall Parish, Charlotte county, by Rev. Mr. Wharton.....	7 50
		By cash from little girls of Charleston, Kanawha, by Rev. Mr. Smith.....	1 00
		By cash from R. H. Cunningham, Esq., of Culpeper.....	10 00
		By cash from Antrim Parish, Halifax, per Rev. Mr. Butler,	84 50
		By cash from Mrs. Dr. M. St. Peters, New Kent, per Rev. Mr. Carraway.....	5 00
		By cash from St. Paul's, Hanover, per ditto.....	14 55
		By cash from Miss L. N., per ditto.....	1 00
		By cash from Wellington Gordon, Esq., of Louisa county,	10 00
		By cash from Ladies, Sewing Society of St. Stephen's Church, Culpeper, per Rev. John Cole.....	85 00
	24,	By cash from Mrs. C. M. Read, thro' Rev. T. M. Ambler,	5 00
		By cash from Mr. Leroy Brown, St. Paul's Church, Alex- andria, per Rev. Wm. Nelson.....	5 00
	25,	By cash from Banister Parish, Pittsylvania, per Rev. G. T. Wilmer.....	6 50
		By cash from Mrs. Emily Sclater, Goochland, by ditto....	5 00
		By cash from W. W. Gilmer, Esq., by Rev. R. H. Wilmer,	50
	28,	By cash from Mrs. M. B. May, of Petersburg, by Bishop Johns.....	80 00
		By cash from St. James' Church, Richmond, through Rev. J. Peterkin, viz: contributed by Mrs. Wills, \$10; Mrs. Johnston, \$20.....	80 00
June	2,	By cash from J. B. Minor, Esq., through Rev. Mr. Davis,	10 00
	4,	By cash from Jas. T. Ball, Esq., Christ Church Parish, Lancaster, per Rev. E. Withers.....	5 00

Amount carried forward..... \$1,188 74

		Amount brought forward.....	\$1,188 74
June	9,	By cash from D. H. Conrad, Esq., for Bishop Johns' collections, as follows, viz: Trinity Church, Berkeley co., \$10.25; Mount Zion Church, Hedgesville, \$8.41...	18 66
	18,	By cash from J. M. G., Greenwood P. O., Virginia.....	5 00
		By cash from Christ Church, Winchester, amount of Bishop Johns' collections.....	51 55
	15,	By cash from Bishop Johns, for his collections, as follows, viz: Charlestown, Jefferson county, \$100.50; Berryville, \$67.56; Millwood, \$29; Wickliffe, \$22; Shepherdstown, \$15; Bunker Hill, 7; Middleway, 5.....	246 06
	16,	By cash from Christ Church, Halifax county.....	20 00
		By cash from Mr. James Saul of Theological Seminary...	100 00
	28,	By cash from "Thank Offering," anonymous, for Tase-well county, if practicable, or point nearest to it.....	2 50
	28,	By cash from Miss Sally Tyler, Haymarket, by John Stewart, Esq.....	1 50
		By cash from Mrs. Dr. Harrison, Haymarket, by John Stewart, Esq.....	2 00
July	9,	By cash from Mrs. James Sheppard, through Rev. J. Peterkin, contents of her children's missionary box....	2 41
		By cash from Mrs. Wills, through Rev. Mr. Peterkin.....	10 00
		By cash from St. James' Church, Richmond, thro' ditto...	50 00
	10,	By cash from Immanuel Church, Henrico, thro' Rev. B. H. Wilmer, proceeds of Bishop Johns' collection.....	161 00
	18,	By cash from pupils of Female Institute, Staunton, thro' Bishop Johns.....	70 00
		By cash from St. Thomas' Church, Orange, thro' ditto....	27 90
		By cash from St. Paul's Church, King George, thro' ditto,	16 09
		By cash from Washington, Rappahannock, thro' ditto....	7 78
		By cash from "Thank Offering," from a gentleman, thro' H. P. Lefebvre, Esq.....	2 00
	30,	By cash from St. Paul's Church, Alexandria, thro' Rev. E. H. Norton and Rev. Charles Minnigerode.....	20 00
		By cash from St. Paul's Church, Richmond, through Rev. C. Minnigerode.....	180 00
	31,	By cash from St. George's Church, Fredericksburg, thro' Rev. A. M. Randolph.....	81 00
August	2,	By cash from Centurion Church, Old Point Comfort, thro' John Stewart, Esq., of Richmond.....	26 70
	10,	By cash from Col. E. W. Ashlin.....	6 00
		By cash from Church at Warm Springs, by Bishop Johns,	50 00
		By cash from Church at Union, by Bishop Johns.....	27 00
	11,	By cash from Trinity Church, Shepherdstown, remnant of Bishop Johns' last collection there, through Rev. C. W. Andrews.....	6 58
	16,	By cash from Grace Church, Richmond, by Rev. Mr. Baker.....	48 14
		By cash from anonymous, through Editor of "Southern Churchman".....	5 00
	18,	By cash from Mrs. A. J. McGavock, Wytheville, by Rev. F. D. Goodwin.....	7 44
	28,	By cash from Wm. Yates Downman, Esq.....	50 00
Sept.	2,	By cash from Trinity Church, Middlesex, by Rev. C. R. Hains.....	16 00
	29,	By cash from St. James' Church, Richmond, by Rev. J. Peterkin.....	80 00
		By cash from St. James' Church, Richmond, from Mrs. Wills, by ditto.....	40 00
		Amount carried forward	\$2,556 00.

		Amount brought forward.....	\$2,556 00
		By cash from St. James' Church, Richmond, from Mrs. F. P. Hobson, by ditto.....	5 00
		By cash from Morgantown, by Mr. John Rogers, through Rev. C. Minnigerode.....	20 00
		By cash from Moundsville, collection at communion, by Rev. C. Minnigerode.....	10 00
		By cash from St. John's, Brooke county, through Rev. C. Minnigerode.....	10 01
		By cash from Wellsburg, Brooke county, thro' ditto.....	7 85
		By cash from Ravenswood, by Mrs. Henrietta Fitzhugh and daughters, through Rev. C. Minnigerode.....	5 00
Oct.	17,	By cash from Mrs. S. F. Wauhop, Halifax Courthouse, through Rev. W. C. Butler.....	5 00
		By cash from Church at Hampton, per Rev. W. F. M. Jacobs.....	12 00
		By cash from Emanuel Church, Middleburg, by Bishop Johns.....	80 00
		By cash from Trinity Church, Upperville by ditto.....	15 00
	20,	By cash from Church at Weston, by Rev. T. H. Smyth....	8 00
	27,	By cash from St. Paul's Church, Richmond, by Rev. Dr. Minnigerode.....	195 00
		By cash from Banister Parish, by Rev. G. T. Wilmer.....	20 00
Nov.	1,	By cash from Society of Ladies of St. Paul's Church, Hanover, by Rev. G. S. Carraway.....	25 00
	5,	By cash from A. P. Giles, Esq., of Scottsville, Virginia...	10 00
	6,	By cash from Church at Charlestown, Jefferson county, Rev. Mr. Ambler, through Bishop Johns.....	10 00
		By cash from Mrs. Mary G. Watson, Fairmont, through T. G. Watson and Bishop Johns.....	10 00
	12,	By cash from St. James' Church, Richmond, through J. H. Claiborne, Esq.....	100 00
	14.	By cash from Bishop Johns, for the following collections, viz: Epiphany Church, Danville, \$20.70; Antrim Parish, Halifax, \$38.47; Christ Church, ditto, \$27.80; Dr. Foster, \$10; Cash, \$1; St. Luke's Church, Mecklenburg, \$22.41; St. Andrew's Church, ditto, \$12.85; St. James', ditto, \$26.15; Christiansville, \$10.70; St. John's, Lunenburg, \$4.56; St. Paul's, ditto, \$7.91.....	182 06
		By cash from Anonymous, through Bishop Johns, "half-yearly subscription,".....	2 50
Dec.	8,	By cash from Monumental Church, Richmond, through G. D. Fisher, Esq.....	180 00
	27,	By cash from Mrs. Wills, St. James' Church, Richmond, by Rev. J. Peterkin.....	20 00
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Jan'y	5,	By cash from Anonymous, Washington city, thro' Bishop Johns.....	2 50
	14,	By cash from St. James' Church, Richmond, thro' J. H. Claiborne, Esq.....	100 00
	17,	By cash from Leesburg, Rev. W. W. Williams and Bishop Johns.....	80 55
	21,	By cash from "Friend," through Editor of "Southern Churchman,".....	2 50
		By cash from "A Friend," in Northampton county.....	5 00
		By cash from Trinity Church, Russell Parish, Bedford, by Rev. W. H. Pendleton.....	10 00
	28,	By cash from Rev. J. Peterkin, "a donation which he is enabled to make through the liberality of a Parishioner,"	100 00
		Amount carried forward.....	\$3,688 46

		Amount brought forward.....	\$8,688 46
Jan.	25,	By cash from Christ Church, Alexandria, through Rev. C. Walker.....	12 00
	26,	By cash from St. Luke's Church, Powhatan, per Rev. Lewis Waikes.....	45 00
		By cash from H. S. Keppler, Missionary at large, for his collections since May last, viz: Madison Courthouse, \$7.60; Rev. C. J. Gibson, \$84; Saint Margarette's Church, Caroline, \$4; Clarksburg, \$8.05; Christ Church, Fairmount, \$9.10; St. John's, Brooke county, \$3.25; Miss Mooney, \$1; Parkersburg, \$10.50; St. John's Church, Charleston, \$12; Sunday school, \$8; St. Mark's, Coalsmouth, \$5; Point Pleasant, \$5.20; Grace Church, Ravenswood, \$7.06.....	104 65
	28,	By cash from Immanuel Church, Henrico, Rev. R. H. Wilmer.....	25 00
Feb'y	6,	By cash from Christ Church, Norfolk, by Tasewell Taylor, Esq., and Rev. C. Minnigerode.....	250 00
		By cash from St. Paul's Church, Richmond, by Rev. C. Minnigerode.....	100 00
		By cash from Christ Church, Charlottesville, by Rev. R. K. Meade.....	8 00
	12,	By Grace Church, Richmond.....	50 00
		By cash from Meherrin Parish, Greensville, by Rev. M. H. Galusha.....	14 17
	13,	By cash from St. George's Church, Fredericksburg, per Rev. A. M. Randolph.....	140 87
	15,	By cash from Mr. E. Scott, through Rev. A. B. Tizzard...	15 00
	18,	By cash from Emanuel Church, Powhatan, per Rev. J. D. Powell.....	20 22
		By cash from a Presbyter of the Church, through same...	16 86
		By cash from Trinity Church, Buchanan, Rev. T. M. Ambler and Mr. J. Woodhouse.....	15 00
		By cash from "C. D.," Richmond.....	80 00
	20,	By cash from A. K. Phillips, Esq., of Fredericksburg, through Rev. J. Peterkin.....	50 00
	22,	By cash from Rt. Rev. John Johns, for himself.....	25 00
	26,	By cash from Abingdon Parish, Gloucester, by Rev. Chas. Mann, viz: From Mrs. C., \$5; Mr. F. L. T., \$5.....	10 00
	27,	By cash from St. James' Church, Leesburg, per Dr. T. H. Clagett, viz: From himself, \$5; M. Harrison, \$5; James Weldman, \$4; Mrs. E. Bronaugh, \$1; T. W. Edwards, \$1.....	16 00
	28,	By cash from South Farnham Parish, Essex county, by Rev. H. W. L. Temple.....	32 00
		By cash from "A Friend," through Bishop Johns.....	20 00
		By cash from D. H. Conrad, Esq., through same.....	5 00
		By cash from Rivanna Parish, thro' Rev. R. R. Mason....	25 23
March	2,	By cash from "A. B.," Richmond, thro' Bishop Johns ...	50 00
	4,	By cash from Grace Church, Petersburg, through Rev. C. Minnigerode.....	16 00
		By cash from "A Lady" of Bath Parish, through Rev. C. J. Gibson.....	5 00
		By "Cash," through same.....	5 00
		By cash from a Member of Grace Church Congregation, by same.....	2 50
	7,	By cash from St. Paul's Church, Alexandria, per D. Funsten, Esq.....	185 00
		Amount carried forward.....	\$4,881 26

	Amount brought forward.....	\$4,881 26
March 7,	By cash from "Anon.," through Editor of "Southern Churchman,".....	10 00
12,	By cash from St. Matthew's Church, Wheeling, Sunday school, by Rev. E. T. Perkins.....	50 00
	By cash from St. James' Church, Warrenton, through the Rector.....	29 10
	By cash from Millwood, Clarke co., by Rev. J. R. Jones...	19 48
18,	By cash from Dr. Thos. M. Boyle, Aldie, Loudoun county, by Rev. J. Peterkin.....	10 00
	By cash from Trinity Church, Matthews county, \$18; Christ Church, Middlesex, \$27.25; through Rev. C. B. Haines and Rev. J. Peterkin.....	40 25
18,	By cash from a Friend of Missions, Washington Parish, by Rev. T. E. Locke.....	2 50
	By cash from St. Peter's Church, Washington Parish, by same.....	18 30
19,	By cash from Grace Church, Lexington, through C. M. Figgat, Esq.....	15 00
23,	By cash from Churches in Caroline, under the charge of Rev. Wm. Friend.....	58 50
25,	By cash from St. John's Church, Richmond, per Rev. Mr. Butler.....	40 88
	By cash from Fork Church, Hanover, per Rev. Mr. Stringfellow.....	85 47
	By cash from Ladies of the Meade Working Society of said Church, by ditto.....	25 00
28,	By cash from Monumental Church, Richmond, proceeds of Bishop Johns' collection.....	72 18
	By cash from Calvary Church, Front Royall, \$7; A Lady of said Church, \$2; thro' Rev. Thomas Duncan.....	9 00
April 1,	By cash from Christ Church Parish, Lancaster, per Rev. E. Withers.....	15 00
3,	By cash from Christ Church, Alexandria, per Rev. C. Walker.....	58 00
	By cash from Dr. N. M. Osborne, Prince George, by Rev. E. C. Murdaugh.....	10 00
6,	By cash from Mrs. May, of Petersburg, through Bishop Johns.....	20 00
	By cash from Acquia Church, by same.....	11 18
	By cash from Miss Emma S. Downman, by same.....	29 60
	By cash from a Lady of Hungar's Parish, by Bishop Meade and Editor of "Southern Churchman,".....	5 00
9,	By cash from a Member of Grace Church, Petersburg, by Rev. C. J. Gibson.....	5 00
12,	By St. Paul's Church, Petersburg, by Rev. W. H. Platt...	86 25
18,	By cash from Grace Church, Alexandria, per Rev. D. Francis Sprigg.....	28 20
	By cash from a Friend in Eastville, Va., by same.....	5 00
	By cash from a Friend in Bath Parish, by same.....	20 00
	By cash from Trinity Church, Martinsburg, per Rev. W. D. Hanson.....	20 44
15,	By cash from St. George's Church, Fredericksburg, proceeds of Bishop Johns' collection.....	144 54
	By cash from St. James' Church, Richmond, per J. H. Claiborne, Esq.....	100 00
23,	By cash from Christ Church, Smithfield, and St. Andrew's Church, Southwark Parish, by Rev. P. G. Robert and Rev. J. Peterkin.....	55 84
	Amount carried forward.....	\$5,915 87

	Amount brought forward.....	\$5,915 87
	By cash from Miss Landonia Randolph, through Rev. J. Peterkin.....	22 00
25,	By cash from Bruton Parish, (of which \$10 was contributed by the Williamsburg Sunday school,) through Rev. T. M. Ambler.....	45 08
	By cash from Church of the Epiphany, thro' Rev. G. W. Dame, say from Ladies' Sewing Society, \$20, and J. R. Fontaine, Esq., \$5.....	25 00
	By cash from Church at Hampton, by Rev. W. F. M. Jacobs.....	12 40
May 1,	By cash from Christ Church, Fairmont, \$4.55; St. John's, Wheeling, \$24.85; Trinity do., Parkersburg, \$15.88; Grace Church, Ravenswood, \$8.28; thro' Bishop Johns, By cash from St. Mark's Church, Botetourt, \$15; Trinity Church, ditto, \$18.68; through Rev. William McGuire and Rev. J. Peterkin.....	88 01
6,	By cash from Boyden Chapel, Augusta county, per Rev. J. C. Wheat.....	5 00
		<u>\$6,106 99</u>
1861.	May 15, By balance on hand deposited in Bank of Virginia.....	<u>\$1,188 82</u>

JOHN L. BACON, *Treasurer.**Richmond, May 15, 1861.*

[E.]

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE
ON
PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

The Committee on Parochial Reports present the following summary of all the reports referred to them by the Convention of 1861 :

Baptisms.

ADULTS—White.....	155	
Colored	81	
	—	Total, 186
INFANTS—White.....	785	
Colored.....	219	
	—	Total, 1,004

Communicants.

Formerly reported (as per reports of present year),	4,260	
Added—White	743	
Colored.....	68	
	—	Total, 5,071
Removed.....	472	
Withdrawn.....	40	
Suspended.....	13	
Died.....	135	
	—	Total, 660
Present number.....		6,398

Confirmations.

White	421	
Colored.....	46	
	—	Total, 467

Marriages.

White	280		
Colored.....	118	—	
			Total, 898

Funerals.

White.....	618		
Colored.....	128	—	
			Total, 741

Sunday Schools.

TEACHERS.....			884
SCHOLARS—White.....	4,398		
Colored.....	695	—	
			Total, 5,088

Contributions.

No. 1. Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses		\$46,036	21
No. 2. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church.....		27,068	23
No. 3. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church.....		3,800	26
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Total contributions.....		\$76,899	70
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The above summary presents a very imperfect view of the actual condition of the Church, as will appear from the following statement, viz :

The number of Parochial Reports which make no entry of "*moneys contributed*," is 16.

The number of Parochial Reports which make no entry of "*confirmations*," is 67.

The number of Parochial Reports which make no entry of "*Sunday Schools*," is 58.

The number of Parochial Reports which make no entry of "*present number of Communicants*," is 3.

The number of Parochial Reports which make no entry of "*number formerly reported*," is 50.

The number of Parochial Reports which make no entry of "*Communicants added*," is 19.

The number of Reports which did not follow printed form is 40.

The present number of Communicants, as given in the above summary, is 6,898.

The number of Communicants, as reported to the Convention of 1860, was 7,876.

All of which is submitted.

RICHARD H. WILMER,
Chairman of Committee on Parochial Reports.

[F.]

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE

ON THE

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

The smaller attendance than usual of our Delegates, Lay and Clerical, taken in connection with the disturbances of the country, will, of course, preclude anything like a full and satisfactory report of the state of the Church as during the last twelve months, or at the present moment. There would seem to have been, at least, an average of effort and of results, until about the first of November. Since then, the absorbing facts of the present moment, and the still more absorbing anticipations of evils and calamities to come, have seriously interfered with the progress of the Church, as they have with all other movements for the benefit of human society.

Those troubles are upon us still, and, in all probability, will exert a like paralyzing influence upon our ministers and people during the coming year, if not for a longer period. To pronounce upon the character of the various causes bringing about this state of things, and to award to all parties a due share of blame and commendation, does not lie within the sphere of this Committee, even if they possessed the elevation and repose of spirit qualifying them for such undertaking. No less is it beyond our ken to foresee the ultimate results of the existing disturbances. Of one thing we may rest fully assured: that "all things shall work together for good to them that love God;" that the highest interests of Christ's real people, collectively and individually, cannot suffer; can and will be advanced, as effectually through the sharp trial and discipline of calamity, as through the less painful probation of peace and prosperity. It should, however, be distinctly kept before our minds, that we are thus upon trial, and in many cases, for our very Christian character. The revelations of the next twelve months, under this new form of probation to which our ministers and people are subjected, will,

it is to be feared, in many instances, be most startling and painful. And it should be now the special effort of each and all to see, not merely that we pass through the trial safely, but in such manner as to glorify God. The great interests of eternity are no less supreme now, than during times of profound quiet and abundant prosperity. And whatever may be our duties as citizens of an earthly commonwealth, it is still true, and needs ever to be remembered, that "our citizenship is in Heaven;" that our most sacred and paramount duties have regard to that commonwealth or kingdom, which "is not of this world."

And, as one mode of providing for these highest interests, under present circumstances, may be mentioned that of special effort in our parishes, to keep up their organization, and, as far as possible, their usual services, even though it should be with diminished congregations. The prevalent tendency, during such a state of things as now exists, is to disorganization. Where such tendency is not guarded, there will be a great deal of disorganization, that is altogether unnecessary and mischievous. Many of our Clergy, unless special effort be made in their parishes, will be deprived of the ordinary means of subsistence. The difficulty in this respect should be remembered by those who have the means of preventing it. Of course the existing pressure will and must be felt by all, both Clergy and Laity; and both must be prepared to undergo self-denial and make sacrifice for the general good. At the same time, a degree of effort proportioned to the means and opportunities of our Laity, in their contributions and faithful attendance upon the services of the sanctuary, will be productive of results most salutary, will aid in arresting the prevalent disorganizing tendency, and save much unnecessary privation and suffering.

In connection with this point, may be mentioned the importance, just now, of liberal contributions to our Diocesan Missionary Society. Its operations during the last two or three years have been greatly enlarged; and it is not at all improbable that parishes, hitherto self-supporting, will need assistance during the coming year. There is some danger that in anticipation of the conflict that may be waged for our altars and fire-sides, economy may begin, as it is too apt to begin, with our charities; that men will first deny themselves the luxury of doing good, and only after that fails, consent to give up others, of an inferior character. This will operate, and has, in fact, already operated, in reference to all forms of contribution for benevolent purposes. It will be liable thus to operate, with reference to the object we have specified. And we would earnestly and affectionately urge its claims upon the regards of our brethren, Lay and Clerical. We would not have other objects of commanding interest receive less, but this more. There will be for this object, if there is not already, a special necessity; and special good

will come, if for that necessity there be made prompt and adequate provision.

Trusting that He who rules not only among the armies of Heaven, but among the inhabitants of the earth, and who causes even the wrath of man to show forth His praise, will overrule all the existing commotions and elements of disturbance to His own glory, and the hastened coming of His promised kingdom, we would prayerfully and hopefully leave all to His supreme disposal. The Lord reigneth—the righteous of the earth may rejoice. “The Lord reigneth”—the sinful inhabitants of the world may tremble.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

C. WALKER, *Chairman.*

PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

ALBEMARLE COUNTY.

St. Paul's and Buck Mountain Churches, Frederickville Parish.

REV. WM. M. NELSON, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white, 2; infants, white, 2. Communicants—formerly reported 30; added, white, 2; withdrawn 3; died 1; present number 27. Confirmed, white 5, colored 1; total 6. Marriages, white 1, colored 1; total 2. Funerals, white 4. Contributions—1st. Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$500. 2d. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$78 85. 3d. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$10. Total contributions, \$588 85. Post Office, Charlottesville.

Christ's Church, St. Ann's Parish.

Rev. S. RIDOUT, Rector.

Baptisms—white, infant 1. Communicants—removed 3; died 3; withdrawn 2; added 1; present number 35. Marriages, white 1. Funerals, white 3. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: China, \$40; Education Society, \$53 15; Infirm Clergymen, \$26. Objects in connection with the Church, not including Parish expenses, \$231 48. Total, \$112 33. Post Office, Scottsville.

Howardsville.

Baptisms—infants, white 2. Communicants—added 3; present number, 9.

Grace Church, Walker's Parish.

Rev. E. BOYDEN, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 2. Communicants—formerly reported 46; added 1; removed 2; present number 44. Confirmed—white 1, colored 1; total 2. Marriage, colored 1. Funeral, colored 1. Sunday Schools—teachers 12; scholars, white 25, colored 50; total 87. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$48 10. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$28 20. Total contributions, \$71 30. Post Office, Cobham Depot.

Christ Church, Charlottesville.

Rev. R. K. MEADE, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 7. Communicants—added, white 9; removed 9; died 3; present number 142. Confirmed, white 8. Marriages, white 5, colored 2; total 7. Funerals, white 9, colored 2; total 11. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$280 85. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$1,067 59. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$510 25. Post Office, Charlottesville.

ALEXANDRIA.

Christ Church, Fairfax Parish.

Rev. C. WALKER, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 3; infants, white 3; total 6. Communicants—added, white 3, colored 1; died 1; present number 142. Marriages, white 2. Funerals, white 3. Sunday Schools—teachers 17; scholars, white 150, colored 15; total 175. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$1,012. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$702 35. Total contributions, \$1,714 35. Post Office, Alexandria.

Remarks.—The above is only a report of the Parish since the 1st of December, 1860, when I came in charge, and is, of course, therefore, exceedingly imperfect as a record of the past year.

Grace Church, Alexandria.

Rev. D. FRANCIS SPRIGG, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 2; infants, white 26, colored 7; total 35. Communicants—added, white 14 (9 from other Parishes); removed 2; withdrawn 1; present number, white, 56. Marriage, white 1. Funerals, white 16, colored 3; total 19. Sunday school 1. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, about \$1,000. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$132. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, about \$800. Total, \$1,932. Post Office, Alexandria.

Remarks.—The Church, since the last report, has been finished and consecrated.

St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.

Rev. GEORGE H. NORTON, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 2; infants, white 22; total 24. Communicants—formerly reported 176; added 10; removed 16, withdrawn 6, died 3; present number 161. Marriages, white 1. Funerals, white 14. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: Lecture room, \$450; Communion alms, \$250; Female Benevolent Society, \$385 58. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Domestic Missions, \$6; Foreign Missions, \$136 77; Diocesan Missions, \$155; Education Society, \$71 16; Meade Hall, \$300; other objects, \$10 50. Total contributions, \$1,765 01. Post Office, Alexandria.

 AMELIA COUNTY.
Grubb Hill Church, Raleigh Parish.

Rev. P. F. BERKELEY, Rector.

Baptism—infant, white 1. Communicants—formerly reported 40; removed 5; present number 35. Marriages, white 1, colored 5; total 6. Funerals, white 2, colored 1; total 3. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$50. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$121 50. Post Office, Chula.

Remarks.—The Rector has to lament that no additions have been made to the number of Communicants in the Parishes under his care, whilst several removals have occurred during the past year. He is unable to assign the true cause. Many changes, unfavorable to the Church, have taken place among us in the two years last past. The character of the weather and the condition of the roads during the winter, have lessened the number of attendants upon religious services; but perhaps, more than all others, the present truly sad state of our afflicted country hinders the truth. Principles and dispositions, far different from those taught in the Gospel, are the more popular, whilst many, particularly the young, are taken from the sacred influences of the home circle and the sanctuary, and placed under those of the camp and the field. Whilst we cannot control events, in view of the condition of our changes as herein represented, and of the circumstances of our country, we seem to be called to deeper humiliation before God and to more earnest and frequent prayer. May He grant us His salvation, which we so much need.

AMHERST COUNTY.

St. Mark's, Ascension, St. Matthew's and St. Luke's Churches, Lexington Parish.

Rev. J. W. GRIFFIN, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 4; infants, white 2, colored 12, total 18. Communicants—added, white 3; removed 2; died 2; present number 82. Marriages, white 3. Funerals, white 5. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: To repairing Ascension Church, \$156. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: To Meade Hall, \$50. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: To home charities, \$68 50. Total contributions, \$274 50. Post Office, Amherst Courthouse.

Remarks.—The Sunday schools in connection with the Parish, being conducted on the Union basis, are not reported.

AUGUSTA COUNTY.

Trinity Church, Augusta Parish.

Rev. J. A. LATANE, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 11. Communicants—formerly reported 106; added, white 8; removed 6, withdrawn 1, suspended 1, died 1,

present number 105. Marriages, white 1, colored 2; total 3. Funerals, white 4, colored 3; total 7. Sunday Schools—teachers 16; scholars, white 75; total 91. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: Communion alms, \$86 08; other purposes, \$38. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Meade Hall, \$229 85; Education Society, \$10; Fund for Disabled Clergymen, \$32; Domestic Missions, \$21 50; Diocesan Missions, \$100; Foreign Missions, \$60; for Church at Point Pleasant, \$180; Convention Fund, \$103; Convocation purposes, \$24 50. Total contributions, \$829 88. Post Office, Staunton.

BEDFORD COUNTY.

St. Stephen's Church, Hamner Parish.

Rev. W. H. PENDLETON, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 4. Communicants—formerly reported 88; added, white 1; removed 3; died 1; present number 85. Marriages, white 1. Funerals, white 5. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$84 83. Post Office, Forest Depot.

Remarks.—The Rector would remark, that a payment of several hundred dollars toward a parsonage about to be made, or already made, has had an influence in lessening the amount of contributions to other objects.

Trinity Church, Russell Parish.

Rev. W. H. PENDLETON, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 4. Communicants—formerly reported 27, added, white 4; removed 2, died 1; present number 28. Funerals, white 1. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$24 10. Post Office, Forest Depot.

St. John's Church, Heber Parish.

Rev. W. H. KINCKLE, Rector—Rev. JOHN A. WHARTON, assistant.

Baptisms—infants, white 11. Communicants—formerly reported 68, added, white 5, total 68; removed 3, died 1, total 4; present number 64. Marriages, white 3, colored 1; total 4. Funerals, white 4. Sunday

schools—teachers 15; scholars, white 50, colored 40; total 90. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$50. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$250. Total contributions, \$300. Post Office, Lynchburg.

BERKELEY COUNTY.

Mount Zion Church, Norborne Parish.

Rev. WM. D. HANSON, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 6. Communicants—suspended 2, died 1; present number 73. Funerals, white 2. Sunday schools—teachers 8, scholars 45; total 53. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$3 99. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$32 77. Total contributions, \$36 76. Post Office, Martinsburg.

Trinity Church, Norborne Parish.

Rev. WM. D. HANSON, Rector.

Communicants—added 4, removed 1, died 1; present number 48. Marriage, white 1. Funerals, white 3. Sunday schools—teachers 9, scholars 35; total 44. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$3 67. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$75 60. Total contributions, \$79 27. Post Office, Martinsburg.

BOTETOURT COUNTY.

Woodville Parish.

Rev. WILLIAM McGUIRE, Rector.

Baptism—white 1. Communicants—white 37; added 2, removed 1. Funerals, white 6, colored 1; total 7. Sunday schools—teachers 8, scholars 40; total 48. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Diocesan Missions, \$20. Post Office, Pattonsburg.

Botetourt Parish.

Rev. WILLIAM MCGUIRE, Rector.

Communicants—white 42, colored 2; present number 44. Sunday school 1—superintendent 1, teachers 7, scholars 80; total 38. Contributions: Episcopal Foreign Missions, \$15; Episcopal Diocesan Missions, \$33 67. Post Office, Pattonsburg.

Remarks.—I took charge of this Parish and Woodville Parish in November last, and deem them both in a flourishing condition.

BRUNSWICK COUNTY.

St. Andrew's and Trinity Churches, St. Andrew's Parish.

Rev. R. A. CASTLEMAN, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 3, colored 1, total 4; infants, white 11, colored 9, total 20. Communicants—formerly reported 102; added, white 8, colored 1; removed 2; died 1; present number 108. Funerals, white 6, colored 6; total 12. Sunday schools—teachers 4; scholars, white 15; total 19. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: For Sunday school at Trinity, \$21; purchasing and improving land for Parsonage, \$1,000. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Meade Hall, \$50; support of a Student at the Seminary, \$30; Diocesan Missions, \$20; Foreign Missions, \$5. Total contributions, \$1,126. Post Office, Sturgeonville.

CAMPBELL COUNTY.

St. Paul's Church, Lynchburg.

Rev. W. H. KINCKLE, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 2; infants, white 26, colored 1; total 29. Communicants—died 1; removed 9; withdrawn 2; added 8; present number 185—of whom 2 are colored. Marriages 12. Funerals 16. Contributions: Foreign Missions, \$306; Domestic Missions, \$155; Fund for Disabled Clergymen, \$75 59; Theological Seminary, \$50 53; St. Paul's Church Sunday school, \$55; collection for Parish school,

\$178; Alms for the poor, \$495 83; Education Society, \$36. Total, \$1,351 45. Post Office, Lynchburg.

Moore Parish.

Communicants—adult, white 25, colored 1; removed, white 5; present number 26. Marriage 1. Contributions—No contributions within the Parish, except a small amount of Communion alms and for the purpose of paying the sexton. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$25. Post Office, Marysville.

Remarks.—The preceding report exhibits rather an unfavorable view of the state of the Church in this Parish. This is due mainly to the want of regular ministerial services. This Parish has been without a Rector for the last two years; and, in the absence of a regular Pastor, whose place can be very imperfectly supplied by a Lay Reader, it was to be expected that the interests of the Church would suffer. When, in the providence of God, this essential want will be supplied, it is not in human foresight to anticipate. We can only pray for it.

JOHN B. DABNEY, *Lay Reader.*

CAROLINE COUNTY.

Trinity Church, St. Asaph's Parish.

Rev. WILLIAM FRIEND, Rector.

Baptism—infant, white 1. Communicants—added, white 1; removed 3; present number 7. Sunday schools—teachers 10, scholars 46. Post Office, Bowling Green.

Remarks.—The condition of this Missionary Church is much the same that it was when the report for 1860 was given in. The attendance during the year has been good; but the congregation has been diminished by removals, and the enlistment of fifty or more of our young men in the army of the State, and are engaged in active duty. Our Sunday school has been largely diminished from the same cause.

St. Margaret's Church, St. Margaret's Parish.

Rev. WM. W. GREENE, Rector.

Communicants—died 1; present number, white 24. Marriages, white 2, colored 1; total 3. Funerals, white 2. Sunday schools, white 1;

teachers 3, scholars 28. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Contingent Fund, \$21.

Remarks.—Efforts have been made, with some success, by the ladies of St. Margaret's to raise funds for repairing the Church. The Sunday school here is carried on altogether by the ladies. The congregations are very good. I regret that there is a small deficiency in the contribution to the Contingent Fund—the amount reported is all that, after the most strenuous exertions, could be raised. I hold services occasionally at a very neat Methodist Church in this county, known as Rehoboth, which promise to be very well attended.

Grace Church, St. Mary's Parish.

Rev. W. FRIEND, Rector.

Communicants—added, white 3; present number 25. Marriages, white 1. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$300. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$48. Total contributions, \$348. Post Office, Port Royal.

St. Peter's Church, Port Royal.

Rev. WM. FRIEND, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 4. Communicants—removed 4; present number 28. Marriages, white 2, colored 1; total 3. Funerals, white 3, colored 1; total 4. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$450. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$171. Total contributions, \$621. Post Office, Port Royal.

CHARLOTTE COUNTY.

Roanoke Church, Cornwall Parish.

Rev. L. B. WHARTON, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 2; infants, white 12; total 14. Communicants—formerly reported, 19; added, white 6; removed, 1; present number 24. Confirmed, white 6. Marriages, colored 2. Funerals, colored 2. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$385. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Education Society, \$2 50; Foreign Missions, \$5; Domestic Missions, \$5; Contingent Fund, \$8. Post Office, Drake's Branch Depot.

CHARLES CITY COUNTY.

Westover and Mapsico Churches, Westover Parish.

Rev. ANDERSON WADE, M. D., Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 2; infants, white 5, colored 4; total 11. Communicants—Formerly reported 65; added, white 7; removed 4; present number 68. Confirmed, white 8. Funerals, white 4, colored 1; total 5. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: Communion alms, \$47 54; Repairing Westover Church, about \$1,650. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Contingent Fund, \$62 50; Education Society, \$15; Foreign Missions, \$11. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Virginia Bible Society, \$5. Total, \$1,791 04. Post Office, Charles City C. H.

Remarks.—The building of two churches for colored persons in this Parish, for which quite a large sum had been subscribed, has been arrested for the time by the embarrassed state of the country. The Rector has had much to encourage him in this interesting field of labor, and he trusts, with God's blessing, soon to have two large organized congregations, with their lay instructors, and a goodly number of communicants.

CHESTERFIELD COUNTY.

Trinity Church, Dale Parish.

Rev. A. B. TIZZARD, Rector.

Baptisms—Infants, white 2, colored 2; total 4. Communicants—present number 24. Confirmed 0—several ready, and awaiting the Bishop's visit. Marriages, white 3. Funerals, white 3, colored 2; total 5. Contributions for objects connected with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$130. Post Office, Winterpock.

CLARKE COUNTY.

Grace Church, Clarke Parish.

Rev. HENDERSON SUTER, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 9, colored 5; total 15. Communicants—Formerly reported, 111; added, white 10; removed 4; withdrawn 1; died 1; present number 115. Confirmed, white 7. Marriages, white 5. Funerals, white 8, colored 4; total 12. Sunday Schools, teachers 9; scholars, white 30; total 39. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$343. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$126 59. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$47 22. Total \$516 81. Post Office, Berryville.

Wickliffe Church, Wickliffe Parish.

Rev. W. T. LEAVELL, Rector.

Baptisms—Infants, colored 7. Communicants, present number 20. Marriage, 1. Funerals, white 3, colored 1; total 4. Sunday schools, teachers 8; scholars, white 30, colored 30; total 60. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: Contingent fund, \$20; Enclosure of church, \$120. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Foreign Missions, \$20; American Missionary Society, \$20; Diocesan Missionary Society, \$20; Domestic Missions, \$20; Meade Hall, \$50. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: American Bible Society, \$20. Total, \$290. Post Office, Kabletown, Jefferson county.

CULPEPER COUNTY.

St. James' Church, St. Mark's Parish.

Rev. GEORGE D. E. MORTIMER, Rector.

Baptism—adult, white 1. Communicants—added, 2 white and 2 colored; removed, white 1; present number, 26 white and 2 colored; total 28. Funerals, white 2. One Sunday school, about 8 teachers, 1 superintendent, about 25 scholars. Contributions within the Parish to

the erection of a parsonage, about \$3,000; to other objects without the Parish, but connected with the P. E. Church, about \$50. Post Office, Brandy Station.

Remarks.—Mr. Mortimer, from the Seminary, has regularly supplied the church as lay-reader since the 1st of July, until within the last few days. Having been ordained then, he has become the Rector of this Church.

St. Stephen's Church, St. Mark's Parish.

Rev. JOHN COLE, Rector. ●●

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 7; total 8. Communicants—Formerly reported, 54; added, white 5; removed, 3; died, 2; present number, 54. Confirmed, white 6. Marriages, white 4. Funerals, white 8. Sunday schools, teachers 8; scholars, white 50; total 60. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, about \$2,500. Post Office, Culpeper C. H.

Remarks.—During the past year the congregation has taken in hand the enlargement, as well as improvement of our church edifice. Besides the increased accommodation for our large and increasing congregations, the church has been greatly improved by the addition of a steeple of fine proportions, and in fine taste. This, with a fine toned bell, which we had long needed, contributes greatly to convenience, as well as beauty of the edifice. The whole improvement, when finished, will cost about \$2,500; and it is with pleasure that we say, nearly the entire amount has been raised in the congregation itself. We now ask, as we ever have, the blessing of God upon us as a people, that the spiritual building may, in a far larger and more beautiful form, go on to grow up in our midst.

St. Paul's Church, St. Paul's Parish.

Rev. JOHN COLE, Rector.

Baptisms—Infants, white 2. Communicants—Formerly reported 27; added, white 3; present number 30. Sunday schools—Teachers, 8; scholars, white 20; total 23. Post Office, Culpeper C. H.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

St. James Church, Leighton Parish.

Rev. JOHN D. POWELL, Rector.

Baptisms—Infants, white 4. Communicants—Formerly reported, 20; added, white 1; removed 2; suspended 1; present number 18. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$71; Communion alms, \$6 58; Contingent fund, \$1. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Diocesan Missions, \$1; Education Society, \$25. Total, \$104 58. Post Office, Belmead Mills, Powhatan county.

Remarks.—The prospect for the church of any progress, or even of maintaining its present condition, seems very discouraging. War, with its attendant calamities, has cast a deep shadow, even over our Zion. Little can be done towards raising funds, even to keep up the ordinary expenses of religion.

DINWIDDIE COUNTY.

Calvary and So pony Churches, Bath Parish.

Communicants, 27. Died, 1. Funerals, 8. Marriage, colored 1. Contributions—Domestic Missions, \$10; Diocesan Missions, \$5; Widows and Orphans, \$5; Contingent fund, \$3; total, \$23. Post Office, ——— Dinwiddie.

Grace Church, Petersburg.

Rev. CHURCHILL J. GIBSON, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 17; infants, white 81, colored 6; total 104. Communicants—formerly reported, 260; added, white 49, colored 1; removed, 11; suspended, 1; died, 7; present number, 291. Confirmed, white 22. Marriages, white 23½, colored 25; total 48½. Funerals, white 80, colored 5; total 85. Sunday schools—teachers 30; scholars, white 180; total 210. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: Petersburg Orphan Asylum, \$116 50; Communion Alms, \$133; New Parish Church, \$2,595. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Contingent fund, \$85; Foreign Missions, \$125; Domestic Missions, \$95; Diocesan Missions and Missionary, \$62 50. Objects not in connection

with the Protestant Episcopal Church : Bible Society of Virginia, \$89. Total, \$3,251. Post Office, Petersburg.

Remarks.—Besides the above funerals, I have attended five in other Parishes, in the absence of their Rectors, and administered baptism six times—to 2 adults and 4 infants—not in my own Parish.

The work upon our new church is not entirely suspended. We hope to be able in a few weeks to hold our services in the basement story. The Parish, I am thankful to report, continues still to prosper.

ELIZABETH CITY COUNTY.

St. John's Church, Elizabeth City Parish.

Rev. WM. F. M. JACOBS, Rector.

Baptisms—Infants, white 4. Communicants—Formerly reported, 62; added, white 7; removed, 6; died, 1; present number, 62. Marriages, white 2. Funerals, white 6. Sunday schools, teachers 9; scholars, white 50; total 59. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: For building Rectory, \$1,600; for Sunday school purposes, \$18; for Communion Alms, \$98 26. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Diocesan Missionary Society, \$24 40; African Missions, \$10 70; Evangelical Knowledge Society, \$7. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Virginia Bible Society, \$16. Post Office, Hampton.

Remarks.—We have, during the last year, erected a parsonage, at a cost of \$2,000. On this building we have paid about \$1,600; and had it not been for the political troubles which now afflict our country, we would have been able to report it free from debt. Owing to its proximity to Fortress Monroe, this point must suffer severely. The congregation is already entirely broken up; and some of the families have gone, we fear, to return no more.

ESSEX COUNTY.

Vawter's Church, St. Anne's Parish.

Rev. E. B. MCGUIRE, Rector.

Baptism—Infant, white 1. Communicants—Formerly reported, 25; added, white 2; died, 1; present number, 26. Marriages, white 1,

colored 1. Funerals, white 1. Sunday schools, 1. Contributions within the Parish, not including regular expenses: Repairs of Parsonage, \$200. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: To Diocesan Missions, \$150; Missionary at large, \$159; Meade Hall, \$500. Total, \$1,009. Post Office, Loretto.

Remarks.—The new church in progress of erection during the last year, will soon be completed.

St. Paul's and St. John's Churches, S. Farnham Parish.

Rev. H. W. L. TEMPLE, Rector.

Communicants—added, white 1; removed, 3; present number, 53. Marriages, white 5. Funerals, white 4. Sunday schools—teachers, 9; scholars, white 44; total 53. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Missions, \$109 00; Education Society, \$40; Dis. Clergy, \$30; Conting. fund, \$53. Total, \$232 09. Post Office, Miller's Tavern.

FAUQUIER COUNTY.

St. Stephen's Church, Cedar Run Parish.

Rev. V. S. BARTEN, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 8, colored 8; total 16. Communicants—formerly reported 21; added, white 4; removed 3; present number 22. Confirmed, white 1. Contributions \$50. Post Office, Warrenton.

St. James' Church, Hamilton Parish.

Rev. V. S. BARTEN, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, colored 15; infants, white 4, colored 5; total 24. Communicants—formerly reported 85; added, white 7, colored 15; removed 8; withdrawn 4; died 1; present number 94. Confirmed, white 4, colored 13; total 17. Marriages, white 1, colored 6; total 7. Funerals, white 10, colored 5; total 15. Sunday Schools—teachers 14; scholars, white 52, colored about 90; total about 140. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: for enclosing the Church, \$148; for Sunday School, \$14 13; for Charities, etc., Parish expenses \$44 50; for Communion collections, \$150. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: for Oregon, from

S. S., \$23 17; for Diocesan Missions, \$29 10; for Domestic Missions in Oregon, \$5; for Contingent Fund, \$34. Total contributions, \$447 90. Post Office, Warrenton.

Remarks.—This Parish, much enfeebled by the death and removal of many of her active members, suffers much from a debt of \$2,200—incurred by building the Rectory. Nothing has been done since our last report towards liquidating it. The effect of it is seriously felt in all our Parish matters.

An interesting revival among the colored people took place early in spring, and 15 were added to our communion, while many others are preparing for this step under the teaching of the Rector.

Leeds Church, Leeds Parish.

Rev. THOMAS DUNCAN, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 13; total 14. Communicants—formerly reported 32; added, white 34; removed 16; present number 50. Confirmed, white 34. Funerals, white 4. Sunday Schools—teachers 12; scholars, white 50, colored 20; total 82. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Foreign Missions, \$36; Domestic Missions, \$25; Diocesan Missions, \$27; Meade Hall, \$8; Mission of Leeds Church, \$200; Poor of the Parish, \$25; Disabled Clergy, \$20. Total contributions, \$341. Post Office, Markham Station.

Remarks.—Only 43 of the 50 communicants in this Parish are reported to the Treasurer, because the remaining 7 are connected with Leeds Church Mission, and are not able to pay. Leeds Parish is largely taxed to support the mission, and ought not to be expected to pay for its members the amount usually assessed for the expenses of the Diocese.

The mission is in a prosperous condition; the interest which is manifested by many of the people, leads to the belief that another addition will soon be made to its members; and the Sunday School, which was suspended during the winter, is about to be re-opened.

Trinity Church, Meade Parish.

Rev. O. A. KINSOLVING, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infant, white 1; total 2. Communicants—formerly reported 25; added, white 2; removed 5; died 1; present number 21. Confirmed, white 3. Funerals, white 2. Contri-

butions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church : Foreign Missions, \$11; Domestic Missions, \$18 75; Diocesan Missions, \$15. Total contributions, \$44 75. Post Office, Middleburg.

The several Churches (3) of Piedmont Parish.

Rector removed to Maryland in December.

Communicants—added, white 3; removed 5; withdrawn 6; died 1; present number, 32. Marriage 1. Funerals 3. Post Office, Piedmont Station.

Remarks.—Our late Pastor kept his register so negligently, that I can make out nothing more. The above is from my own knowledge.

ROBERT E. PEYTON, *Register.*

FLUVANNA COUNTY.

St. John's Church, Rivanna Parish.

Rev. R. R. MASON, Rector.

Baptism—infant, white 1. Communicants—formerly reported 23; added, white 4; removed 2; present number 24. Confirmed, white 4. Funerals, white 3, colored 2; total 5. Sunday Schools—teachers 9; scholars, white 55; total 64. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$20 64; Parish Library, \$19 51. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Theological Seminary Fund, \$5; Foreign Missions, \$16 06; Evangelical Knowledge Society, \$10; Disabled Clergymen, \$1; Education Society, \$37 18; American Church Missionary Society, \$10; Diocesan Missions, \$18 27. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Colonization Society, \$10; American Tract Society, \$5. Total contributions, \$152 66. Post Office, Columbia.

Congregation at "Fork Union."

Rev. R. R. MASON, Rector.

Communicants—formerly reported 2; added, white 2; total 4. Confirmed, white 2, colored 1. Contributions—Education So-

FRANKLIN COUNTY.

Trinity Church, Franklin Parish.

Rev. JOHN R. LEE, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infant, white 1; total 2. Communicants—formerly reported 9; added, white 1; present number 10. Confirmed, white 1. Funerals, white 2. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: To Contingent Fund, \$10. Post Office, Martinsville, Henry county.

FREDERICK COUNTY.

Christ Church, Frederick Parish.

Rev. W. C. MEREDITH, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 4, colored 1; total 6. Communicants—added, white 23; removed 10; suspended 1; died 3; present number, white 157, colored 5; total 162. Confirmed, white 4. Marriages, white 5, colored 2; total 7. Funerals, white 7, colored 2; total 9. Sunday Schools—teachers 27, scholars 110; total 137. Post Office, Winchester.

Remarks.—The present Rector took charge in February last. No report of contributions to various objects is given, as an accurate one could not be made out.

GREENSVILLE COUNTY.

Grace and Christ Churches, Meherrin Parish.

Rev. M. H. GALUSHA, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 2, colored 40; total 42. Communicants—formerly reported, white 28, colored 53; added, white 7; removed 7; died, white 1, colored 3; present number, white 27, colored 50; total 77. Marriages, colored 2. Funerals, white 4, colored 17; total 21. Sunday School 1. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: Rectory, \$2,250. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Domestic Missions, \$16 50; Foreign

Missions, \$15; Diocesan Missions, \$14 15; Widows and Orphans, \$11 86; Contingent Fund, \$27; Communion Alms, \$23 48. Total contributions, \$2,357 94. Post Office, Poplar Mount.

GLOUCESTER COUNTY.

Abingdon and Ware Parishes.

Rev. CHAS. MANN, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 8. Communicants—formerly reported 51; added, white 8; removed 2; withdrawn 2; present number 50. Marriage 1. Funeral, infant 1. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, about \$100. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$100. Total contributions, \$200. Post Office, Gloucester C. H.

Remarks.—The Rector has to say, that the congregations were never so large or regular in their attendance, nor seemingly so attentive.

HALIFAX COUNTY.

St. John's Church, Antrim Parish.

Rev. JOHN GRAMMER, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, colored 1; infants, white 7. Communicants—Formerly reported, 115, (should have been 114); added, white 5, colored 1; removed, 8; died, 1; present number, white 97, colored 14; total 111. Confirmed, white 4, colored 1. Marriages, white 7. Funerals, white 5. Contributions—

Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :	
Foreign Missions.....	\$ 74 00
Diocesan Missions.....	108 75
Theological Seminary.....	50 00
Education Society.....	119 00
Evangelical Knowledge Society.....	10 00
	\$ 361 75
Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :	
Virginia Bible Society.....	50 00
Virginia Colonization Society	72 00
	122 00
Total contributions.....	\$ 488 75

Post Office, Halifax C. H.

Christ's Church, Roanoke Parish.

Rev. JOHN T. CLARK, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, colored 15. Communicants—Formerly reported, 35; added, colored 15; present number, white 17, colored 88; total 50. Confirmed—white 1, colored 21. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$5. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$97. Total, \$102. Post Office, Talcott, Charlotte county.

HANOVER COUNTY.

Fork and Trinity Churches, St. Martin's Parish.

Rev. H. STRINGFELLOW, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 2; total 3. Communicants—Formerly reported, 56; added, white 6; removed 6; present number, 56. Funerals, white 2. Sunday schools, teachers 10; scholars, white 30; total 40. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, about \$200. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, about \$150. Total \$350. Post Office, Verdon.

Immanuel Church, St. Paul's Parish.

Rev. G. T. CARRAWAY, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 5, colored 2; total 8. Communicants—Formerly reported 25; added, white 4; removed 1; died 1; present number 27. Confirmed, white 5. Marriages, white 3, colored 2; total 5. Funerals, white 3, colored 3; total 6. Sunday schools, teachers 3; scholars, white 20; total 23. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$42. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$115 50. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$2. Total, \$159 50. Post Office, Old Church.

St. Paul's Church, St. Paul's Parish.

Rev. G. S. CARRAWAY, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 1; total 2. Communicants—Formerly reported 9; added, white 1; present number 10. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$145. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$318 32. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$1 25. Total, \$464 57. Post Office, Old Church.

HARRISON COUNTY.
Christ Church, Bethel Parish.

Rev. THOMAS H. SMYTH, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 4; infants, white 3; total 7. Communicants—added, white 4; removed 1; died 1; present number 14. Confirmed, white 4. Marriages, white 2. Funeral, white 1. Sunday school 1, teachers 6, scholars, white 30. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: For Melodeon \$100; Church lamp \$20; Sunday school library \$15. Objects in connection with Protestant Episcopal Church: Diocesan Missions \$3 50; Convention fund \$14. Total \$152 50. Post Office, Weston, Lewis county.

Remarks.—I have been officiating in this Parish, on alternate Sundays, for more than a year, in which time I have baptized 5 adults. The interest manifested in the church, and the attendance at worship, were quite encouraging the first part of the year; but the gloom resting upon the nation has settled upon the minds of the people, and paralyzed their energies in religious matters, as in every thing else. The prospect at present is dark for doing the Lord's work; but our trust is in Him who hath put in His own power all times and seasons.

HENRICO COUNTY.

Emmanuel Church, Henrico Parish.

Rev. RICHARD H. WILMER, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 4; infants, white 4, colored 1; total 9. Communicants—Formerly reported 32; added, white 8; died 2; present number 38. Confirmed, white 4. Marriages, white 1, colored 1; total 2. Funerals, white 11, colored 1; total 12. Sunday schools—teachers 12; scholars, white 70. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$672 58. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$1,204 11. Total \$1,876 66. Post Office, Richmond.

Grace Church, Richmond, Henrico Parish.

Rev. F. M. BAKER, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 8; infants, white 27; total 30. Communicants—added, white 27; removed 8; died 2; present number 104. Confirmed, white 11. Marriages, white 2, colored 1; total 3. Funerals, white 19. Contributions—

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses:

Communion alms.....	\$184 08	
Church debt.....	916 56	
Monthly afternoon collections.....	107 22	
Contingent fund.....	104 00	
	—————	\$1,311 86
Sunday school Missionary collections.....		89 05

Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church:

Foreign Missions.....	75 00	
Domestic Missions.....	55 00	
Diocesan Missions.....	93 14	
Disabled Clergy fund.....	50 00	
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Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church:

Virginia Bible Society.....		15 00
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Total contributions.....		\$1,689 05
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Post Office, Richmond.

Remarks.—This church has, during the past year, lost some of its most valuable members by deaths and removals. It has also been, in common with every good work, greatly retarded in its progress by the state of the country.

The Parochial School has been regularly and faithfully continued, and some of the scholars have become communicants of the church. The Sunday school is in a flourishing condition.

Monumental Church, Richmond, Henrico Parish.

Rev. GEORGE WOODBRIDGE, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 5; infants, white 24, colored 3; total 32. Communicants—Formerly reported 207; added, white 35; removed 24; withdrawn 2; died 1; present number 215. Confirmed, white 17. Marriages, white 8, colored 3; total 11. Funerals, white 21, colored 2; total 23. Sunday schools 3; teachers 43; scholars, white 183, colored 100; total 326. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$1,281. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$2,394. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$280. Total, \$3,955. Post Office, Richmond.

Remarks.—There are three Sunday schools connected with the church, two white and one colored. A part of the colored has just been transferred to St. Philip's (the African) Church just erected in the city.

St. James' Church, Richmond, Henrico Parish.

Rev. J. PETERKIN, Rector.

Rev. T. G. DASHIELL, Assistant Minister.

Baptisms—adults, white 12; infants, white 38, colored 1; total 51. Communicants—formerly reported 326; added, white 46, colored 4; removed 46; died 5; present number 325. Confirmed, white 25, colored 4; total 29. Marriages, white 8, colored 4; total 12. Funerals, white 33, colored 3; total 36. Sunday Schools—teachers 27; scholars, white 150. Contributions:

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses:	
Contingent Fund, Communion Alms, and other Offerings...	\$850 00
Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church:	
Missions—Foreign, Domestic and Diocesan.....	\$1,215 00
Church Building, \$1,160; Theological Seminary, Disabled Clergy, Evangelical Knowledge Society, &c., \$525; Meade Hall, \$600,	2,285 00
St. Paul's Church Home.....	50 00
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	3,550 00

Amount brought forward.....	\$4,400 00
Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :	
Virginia Bible Society.....	110 00
Total contributions.....	\$4,510 00
Post Office, Richmond.	

Remarks.—This congregation has lost a large number of communicants by removal; but these changes have, in some instances, strengthened the more recently organised Parishes in this city; so that there is no actual loss to the Church.

Within a few weeks, the large and flourishing Sunday School for servants has been transferred to St. Philip's, the new Church just erected for the colored people.

St. John's Church, Richmond, Henrico Parish.

Rev. WM C. BUTLER, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 3; infants, white 17; total 20. Communicants—added, white 20; removed 10; present number 116. Confirmed, white 10. Marriages, white 2, colored 2; total 4. Funerals, white 7. Sunday Schools—teachers 20; scholars, white 140; total 160. Contributions :

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses :	
Communion Alms, \$146 11; Contingent Fund, \$116; Repairs of Church and Parsonage, \$1,849 67; Sunday School collections, \$64 45.....	\$2,176 23
Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :	
Diocesan Missions, \$40; Foreign Missions, \$47; Education Society \$30.....	117 00
Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :	
Virginia Bible Society... ..	25 15
Total contributions.....	\$2,319 38
Post Office, Richmond.	

St. Paul's Church, Richmond, Henrico Parish.

Rev. CHARLES MINNIGERODE, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 8; infants, white 36; total 44. Communicants—added, white 49; removed 80; died 10; present number 314.

Confirmed, white 24 (2 from other Parishes). Marriages, white 9, colored 1; total 10. Funerals, white 19. Sunday Schools—superintendents 2, male teachers 12, female teachers 31, scholars 214; total 259. Contributions:

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses:	
Offertory, \$963 98; Sewing Society, \$500; Donations for Church Home, \$252; Donations for other purposes, \$200; Sunday School about \$200; Convention Fund, \$314.....	\$2,429 98
Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church:	
Missions—Diocesan, Western and Foreign, \$1,840; Church Building (as far as ascertained), \$565; Education Society, \$109; Evangelical Knowledge Society, \$75.....	\$2,589 00
Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church:	
Virginia Bible Society.....	100 00
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	\$5,318 98

Post Office, Richmond.

Remarks.—There is perceptible a great falling off in the amount of contributions, as compared with last year's, and even years preceding. This is owing, in a great measure, to the extraordinary calls for Church building funds last year, but also to the state of the country; in consequence of which the contributions to Missions, outside of Virginia, have been reduced within the last six months to nothing.

In connection with the Church there is a school and asylum for destitute children, which is now incorporated under the name of "St. Paul's Church Home." At present its operations are confined to girls, of whom 12 are maintained at the Home, with a day school of 30 children. The expenses are borne by the Sewing Society, special donations and part of the Offertory.

"St. Paul's Chapel" has been fully organized, and is in successful operation, as seen from the report of the Rector, with night school, day schools and Sunday school. Some of the most efficient members of St. Paul's Church have engaged in this enterprise, and connected themselves with the Chapel. It is maintained at the expense of about \$1,500—about \$800 of which is still contributed by St. Paul's Church, \$400 from the public collections, and about as much privately by such of its patrons as have not connected themselves ecclesiastically with its communion.

The Rev. James Saul has been acting as assistant to the Rector since last October, and his services in the Sunday school, the Church Home, the Branch Mission school, in the desk, and occasionally in the pulpit, have been invaluable; and whenever his assistance was needed by the

Rector, it has been given with a kindness and a degree of unselfishness which he cannot appreciate too highly.

St. Paul's Chapel, Richmond.

Rev. R. GATEWOOD, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 4; infants, white 28; total 32. Communicants—present number 25. Confirmed, white 8. Marriages, white 4. Funerals, white 10. Sunday Schools—teachers 14; scholars, white 88. Contributions.—The treasurer of the Chapel is now away from the city, having been called off for the defence of the State. We are unable, therefore, to give any list of contributions. Post Office, Richmond.

Remarks.—The undersigned has had charge of St. Paul's Chapel since September 1st, 1860. This Chapel is on 5th street, below Canal, near the Armory. It was built by the liberality of noble Christian friends in this city and vicinity—the principal movers in its erection being the present earnest Rector of St. Paul's and some of the members of his congregation. In grateful acknowledgment, the building is called St. Paul's Chapel. The edifice was completed early in July, 1860, and by the liberality of various members of our Church was furnished with Bibles and Prayer Books for the desks and communion table, with a neat font, a good set of communion plate, and with all other things needful for the conduct of Christian worship, according to our Ritual. A Sunday school was immediately commenced, which, from small beginnings, now numbers, as reported, 88 scholars and 14 teachers. This school is on the increase, though the present troubles have checked its growth. Six of our male teachers are now absent on account of the war. The Sunday school library numbers about 250 volumes.

Divine service, with the preaching of God's Word, was commenced in July, and, by the kindness of the ministers of our Church in Richmond, was kept up on the afternoons of the Lord's day until September. Since then there have been regular services—twice on Sunday and once in the week—without intermission. The regular congregation has, by God's blessing, increased between four and five fold.

On the 81st day of October, 1860, the building was solemnly consecrated by the Rt. Rev. Wm. Meade, D. D., to the worship of Almighty God, according to the forms of the Protestant Episcopal Church. During the fall and winter months and the month of March there was a night school for men and boys at the Chapel. It numbered about 80 scholars and 12 teachers—several of the scholars being men of 21 years and upward. The average attendance at this school, which was held on

Monday and Friday evenings of each week, was about 55. Instruction was given in spelling, reading, writing, arithmetic and other branches. The teachers were all volunteers, and they worked steadily and faithfully. The secular library connected with this school numbers a little over 300 volumes.

In the afternoons of two days in the week during the past winter and spring there has also been at the Chapel a school for girls. This school numbers about 80 scholars and 15 teachers. Instruction is given in the English branches. The scholars in both schools have progressed well, and do credit to their faithful teachers. There is also held, on one afternoon of every week, a school of instruction for sewing, in which girls are taught plain sewing and cutting and fitting garments. This school numbers about 35 scholars and 4 teachers. The money necessary to carry on these schools has been liberally furnished by our own members and by kind friends. We have met with much kindness and fostering care from the pastors and members of the various Episcopal Churches in the city. First and foremost in exertions for our welfare has been the Rector of St. Paul's. He is really the father of this undertaking, and his efforts have been untiring for its success. May the Great Head of the Church reward him here and hereafter.

The undersigned gives thanks to Almighty God for His great goodness in sending such a band of noble Christian men and women to work in this Missionary Chapel. Our labors are already much blessed. May the Lord of the Vineyard send us more laborers, and give us a much greater harvest for the glory of His Holy name. Amen.

Respectfully submitted,

R. GATEWOOD.

St. Philip's Church, Richmond.

The erection of this beautiful and commodious Church is the fruit of the generous offerings and earnest wish of sundry devoted Churchmen of this city, to provide for the congregational instruction and training of the colored population of our city in the principles of our most Holy Religion, according to the doctrines and worship of our Church. The Church will accommodate from six to seven hundred persons. It was ready for consecration at Easter; but the difficulty in securing a suitable Rector caused a delay in opening it. My work as missionary at large having been interrupted by the unhappy state of public affairs, the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, to whom the selection of a Rector for this Church had been committed, requested me to take it under my charge, and to devote myself to the work of organizing the congregation. It has been opened for Divine service the last

three Sundays, morning and afternoon, and the congregations in attendance so far have been even larger than was expected. Our object, however, is more to train a few well, than to collect a large mass. Our Sunday school, formed under as auspicious circumstances as the times authorized us to expect—the most of the young men of the Church being called away to another service—already numbers nearly one hundred scholars. We have ten teachers, mostly females. For the present we can do but little more than to report the work begun. It is hoped, that at the next Convention the Rector will be able to report it as fully organized, and prospering in its work under the plentiful outpouring of the Divine blessing.

H. S. KEPLER.

HENRY COUNTY.

Christ Church, Patrick Parish.

Rev. JOHN R. LEE, Rector.

Communicants—formerly reported 15; removed 1; present number 14. Confirmed, white 2. Marriages, white 2. Funerals, white 2. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Foreign Missions, \$21; American Church Missionary Society, \$20; Contingent Fund, \$14. Total contributions, \$55. Post Office, Martinsville.

ISLE OF WIGHT COUNTY.

Christ Church, Newport Parish.

Baptisms—adults, white 2; infants, white 3, colored 3; total 8. Communicants—added, white 10, colored 1; removed 5; died 3; present number 59. Confirmed, white 3. Marriages, white 3. Funerals, white 5, colored 4; total 9. Sunday Schools—teachers 12; scholars, white 40; total 52. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, inclusive of an organ, \$375 65. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Contingent Fund, \$86 99. Post Office, Smithfield.

Remarks.—This Parish is now vacant; the Rev. P. G. Robert having resigned on the 1st May, 1861.

JACKSON COUNTY.

Grace Church, Ravenswood Parish.

Rev. W. L. HYLAND, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 2. Communicants—formerly reported 16; added, white 2; present number 18. Confirmed, white 2. Post Office, Parkersburg.

Remarks.—I am unable to state the sums collected, either for objects connected with the Parish, or those in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church. A collection was taken up for the Education Society by Bishop Meade and by Bishop Johns for the Diocesan Missionary Society. Dr. Minnigerode and Mr. Kepler also received contributions, if I mistake not, for the Missionary Society of Virginia. The Communion Alms were placed in the hands of a member of the Vestry—the amount of which, together with the contributions for repairs on the Church, I do not recollect. The Sunday School is still kept up by some zealous ladies and contains about forty scholars. I commenced officiating for this congregation some time last summer, and have visited it once in each month since. The time of my appointment is the Wednesday on or preceding the full moon. I have reported the whole number of Communicants, although some eight or nine of them never attend the services, in consequence of their remoteness from the Church.

JAMES CITY COUNTY.

Bruton Parish, Williamsburg.

Rev. T. M. AMBLEB, Rector.

Baptisms—infant, white 1, colored 2; total 3. Communicants—added 2; removed 2; died 2; present number, white 84, colored 2; total 86. Marriages, white 2, colored 2; total 4. Funerals, white 7. Sunday Schools—teachers 15, scholars 75; total 90. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: Repairing Church, about \$300; Carpeting Church, \$150; Communion Alms, \$54 80. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Education Society, \$17 66; Diocesan Missions, \$19 82; Sunday School Easter Offerings, \$47 08. Objects not in connection with the Protestant

Episcopal Church : Virginia Bible Society, about \$25. Total contributions, \$614 86. Post Office, Williamsburg.

Remarks.—The Rector entered upon the duties of the Parish, October 1st, 1860.

JEFFERSON COUNTY.

Trinity Church, St. Andrew's Parish.

Rev. C. W. ANDREWS, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 4, colored 3; total 8. Communicants—added 19; removed 2; died 3; present number, white 82, colored 5; total 87. Marriages, white 3; colored 5; total 8. Sunday School 1, superintendent 1, teachers 16, scholars 90. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$118. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$187. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$86. Total contributions, \$391. Post Office, Shepherdstown.

Zion Church, St. Andrew's Parish.

Rev. C. E. AMBLER, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 6. Communicants—added, white 5, colored 1; removed 5; present number 107, colored 2; total 109. Confirmed 12. Marriages, white 1, colored 1; total 2. Funerals 3. Sunday Schools—teachers 18, scholars 140; total 158. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$405 82. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$50. Total contributions, \$455 82. Post Office, Charlestown.

KANAWHA COUNTY.

St. John's Church, Kanawha Parish.

Baptisms—adults, white 4; infants, white 5; total 9. Communicants—removed 1; died 1; present number, white 60. Confirmed—white 8. Marriages, white 2. Funerals, white 3. Sunday Schools—

superintendent 1, teachers 14, scholars 55. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$12. Post Office, Kanawha C. H.

St. Luke's Church, Kanawha Parish.

Baptisms—infants, white 1, colored 1; total 2. Communicants—removed 1; died 2; present number, white 19. Post Office, Kanawha Courthouse.

Remarks.—Since the 2d of December last, these Churches have been without a Rector. The Vestry of St. John's has made arrangements for the support of a Minister, and as soon as the services of one can be had, he will be called.

The disturbed condition of the country precludes the probability of procuring one for the present. The late Rector still resides in Charleston, and in his vocation as Missionary at large for this part of Western Virginia, gives us an occasional service. It is a deplorable state of things for us; but we hope, when the events through which we are now passing shall have subsided, and under the blessing of Divine Providence peace to our distracted country shall be restored, we may revive. There is no part of our State where the Church can do so much good as in this valley; and we pray that our Eastern Brethren may extend to us a helping hand.

We intend to keep up our Church organization—having, at the usual period, on Easter Monday last, elected a new Vestry; and afterwards the Vestry met, organized and appointed the usual officers for the ensuing year.

ALEX. T. LAIDLAY,

Secretary and Junior Warden St. John's Church.

KING GEORGE COUNTY.

Lamb's Creek Church, Brunswick Parish.

REV. GEO. L. MACKENHEIMER, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 9. Communicants—added, white 2; present number 16. Marriages, white 2, colored 1; total 3. Funeral, colored 1. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Diocesan Missions, \$9; Bishop's Fund, \$13. Post Office, Fredericksburg.

St. John's and Emanuel Churches, Hanover Parish.

Rev. ALEXANDER SHIRAS, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 4. Communicants—formerly reported 28; added, white 9; died 1; present number 36. Marriages, white 8. Funeral—white 1. Contributions:

For improvements at the Rectory a considerable sum has been expended—the precise amount not known to the Rector—and the Parish has now an exceedingly pleasant and attractive home for its Minister, with every needful outbuilding and ample grounds.

For objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church there have been collected and remitted: Education Society of the Diocese, \$45; Fund for Disabled Clergy, \$7 50; Foreign Missionary Com., \$93. Total, \$145 50. Post Office, King George C. H.

Remarks.—The Rector has been in charge of the Parish only about eight months. The additions to the communion reported by him are only those which present some prospect of permanency. Mere sojourners are not included.

St. Paul's Church, St. Paul's Parish.

Rev. HUGH ROY SCOTT, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 2, colored 3; infants, white 1; colored 15; total 21. Communicants—formerly reported 61; added, white 11, colored 7; removed 10; suspended 1; died 2; present number 66. Confirmed, white 25, colored 1; total 26. Marriages, white 3, colored 1; total 4. Funerals, white 5, colored 1; total 6. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$375. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$100. Total, \$475. Post Office, Hampstead.

Remarks.—The work among the colored people increases in interest. Besides preaching regularly to them, the Rector of the Parish catechises them every Sunday afternoon.

A service is held in the week at a school house (about three miles from the Church) for the benefit of a good number of families denied other opportunities of regularly attending religious services. A Sunday school has recently been established by some of our communicants at the same place.

LANCASTER COUNTY.

White Chapel, Grace and Christ Churches, Christ Parish.

Rev. EDMUND WITHERS, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 13. Communicants—formerly reported 49; removed 2; died 2; present number 45. Marriages, white 3, free colored 2; total 5. Funerals, white 7. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$200. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$168 50. Total contributions, \$368 50. Post Office, Lancaster C. H.

LEWIS COUNTY.

St. Paul's Church, St. Paul's Parish.

Rev. THOMAS H. SMYTH, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 5; infants, white 11; total 16. Communicants—formerly reported 31; added, white 4; removed 3; present number, white 32. Confirmed, white 6. Marriages, white 4, colored 1; total 5. Funerals, white 6, colored 2; total 8. Sunday School 1; teachers 9; scholars, white 60. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: Contribution from the Sewing Society to the Parsonage, \$100; To purchase a Library for the Sunday School, \$35. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: To Diocesan Missions, \$8; Convention Fund, \$15. Total contributions, \$158. Post Office, Weston.

Remarks.—There was a larger class than usual here, and also several Candidates at Clarksburg awaiting Confirmation, but, owing to the troubled state of the country, Bishop Johns could not visit us. This second disappointment has discouraged me not a little, and I am afraid materially injured the Churches under my care.

There is a great deficiency in the Convention Fund, although I have done my best for this and every other year to collect it, both by notice from the pulpit and personal application, but there are some who *cannot* and others who *will* not pay.

LOUISA COUNTY.

St. John's Church, Green Spring Parish.

Rev. E. BOYDEN, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 4, colored 15; total 19. Communicants—removed 1; present number 15. Confirmed, white 3. Marriage, white 1. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$68 20. Post Office, Cobham Depot.

Court House, Trinity Parish.

Rev. JOHN COOK officiating.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 3; total 4. Communicants—Formerly reported 5; added, white 2; removed 1; died 1; present number 5. Funerals, white 1, colored 2; total 3. Post Office, *Aetna*, Hanover.

Remarks.—Sickness and other causes have again greatly interrupted my labors during the past year. I have, however, as far as opportunities offered, officiated at Louisa C. H.; Allen's Creek, Hanover; Beaver Dam Church, Goochland, and St. Margaret's Church, Caroline, until they procured the services of a regular minister. The same causes have prevented me from pushing on the building of two churches, in Hanover—one for the colored people, and one for the whites, in the neighborhood of Allen's Creek—which will probably be suspended for the present, in consequence of these troublesome times.

LOUDOUN COUNTY.

Emanuel Church, St. John's Parish.

Rev. O. A. KINSOLVING, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 9; colored 10. Communicants—Formerly reported 30; added, white 1; removed 6; died 1; present number 24. Confirmed, white 1. Marriages, white 8; colored 4; total 12. Funerals, white 5. Sunday schools—teachers 10; scholars, white 20; colored 30; total 50. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$250. Objects in connection

with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Foreign Missions \$50; Domestic Missions \$70; Diocesan Missions \$30; Contingent fund \$24; Disabled Clergymen fund \$20; total \$194. Total contributions \$444. Post Office, Middleburg.

St. James' Church, Shelbourne Parish.

Rev. WALTER W. WILLIAMS, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 11, colored 1; infants, white 14, colored 3; total 29. Communicants—Formerly reported 120; added, white 20, colored 1; removed 3; died 5; present number 133. Confirmed, white 17. Marriages, white 3; colored 4; total 7. Funerals, white 11, colored 2; total 13. Sunday schools—teachers 35; scholars, white about 140; total 175. Contributions—

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses: .

Debt on Rectory.....	\$ 960 00
Poor Fund.....	62 00
Incidental expenses.....	21 34
Communion Alms.....	171 46

Objects in connection with Protestant Episcopal Church:

Foreign Missions.....	176 06
Domestic Missions.....	83 89
Diocesan Missions.....	30 35
Fund for Disabled Clergymen.....	41 28
Meade Hall.....	140 00

Objects not in connection with Protestant Episcopal Church:

American Tract Society..	35 71
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Post Office, Leesburg.

LUNENBURG COUNTY.

Cumberland Parish.

Baptisms—Infants, white 10. Communicants—added 2, removed 1. Confirmations 2.

Remarks.—This Parish has been vacant since the first of the present year, when my resignation took place. I understand the Parish is now likely to be soon supplied with the services of a minister.

HENRY WALL.

MARSHALL COUNTY.

Trinity Church Parish.

Rev. DAVID J. LEE, M. D., Rector.

Baptisms—Infants, white 3. Communicants—Formerly reported, unknown; suspended 1; present number 22. Marriages, white 2. Funeral, white 1. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$11; lot for new Church and Rectory, \$400. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Diocesan Missions \$13 90; Foreign Missions \$3 75. Total \$428 65.

Remarks.—The Rector has had charge of this Parish but nine months, having resigned April 22d, 1861; during which time the congregations have been much increased, and much interest awakened in the interests of the church. With a view to more extended efforts, several of the Vestrymen have purchased a fine location for a new Church, Rectory and Seminary, which will be begun as soon as peace shall be restored to our unhappy country, and the financial pressure removed.

MECKLENBURG COUNTY.

St. James' and St. Andrew's Churches, St. James' Parish.

Rev. JOHN COSBY, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infant, white 1; total 2. Communicants—Formerly reported 27; added, white 9; removed 3; present number 33. Confirmed, white 11. Marriages, white 8. Funerals, white 4. Contributions—

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses:

Bible and divan for St. James' Church.....	\$24 00
Coal stoves for St. James' Church.....	30 00
Painting roof of St. James' Church.....	20 00
Re-painting pews of St. James' Church.....	30 00
Plank walk to St. James' Church.....	8 00
	————— \$ 112 00

Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church:

Missions and other objects, about.....	60 00
Total contributions.....	\$ 172 00

Post Office, Boynton.

Old Church, St. Luke's and St. Timothy's Churches, St. Luke's Parish.

Baptisms—infants, colored 15. Communicants—Formerly reported 25; added, white 4; removed 1; present number 28. Marriage, white 1. Funeral, white 1. Contributions: \$28. Post Office, Boydton.

Remarks.—St. Luke's Parish is destitute of a Rector, but not entirely of ministerial services. Rev. F. H. McGuire, of St. James' Parish, officiates twice a month in St. Luke's Church; Rev. Mr. Wharton once a month at Old Church, and Rev. John Cosby occasionally in St. Timothy's.

EDWARD TARRY,
Church Warden.

Old Church, St. Luke's Parish.

Rev. L. B. WHARTON officiating.

Communicants—Last reported, white 10; present number, white 10. Marriage, colored 1. Funeral, white 1. Contributions—Diocesan Missions \$5. Post Office, Drake's Branch Depot, Charlotte.

MONTGOMERY COUNTY.

Montgomery Parish.

Rev. F. D. GOODWIN, Missionary.

Communicants—Formerly reported 9; removed 1; present number 8. Post Office, Wytheville, Wythe county.

[For further reports of this Mission, see Wythe, Smythe and Tazewell counties.]

NANSEMOND COUNTY.

St. John's and Old Glebe Churches, Lower Suffolk Parish.

Rev. GEO. T. WILLIAMS, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 1. Communicants—Formerly reported 7; died 1; present number 6. Confirmed, (no visitation). Funeral, white

1. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$44 15. Post Office, Suffolk.

Remarks.—This Parish was reported last year in connection with the Upper Parish. It is deemed advisable to make the reports distinct hereafter. No Lay Delegate appointed.

St. Paul's Church, Upper Suffolk Parish.

Rev. GEO. T. WILLIAMS, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 8, colored 3; total 11. Communicants—Formerly reported 25; added, white 1; removed 2; present number 24. Confirmed, (no visitation). Marriages, white 2, colored 1. Funerals, white 5. Sunday school 1, teachers 6, scholars, white 16; total 22. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$440 78. Post Office, Suffolk.

Remarks.—This Parish was reported last year in connection with the Lower Parish. It is deemed advisable to distinguish between them hereafter.

NELSON COUNTY.

Christ and Trinity Churches, Nelson Parish.

Rev. T. F. MARTIN, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 5; infants, white 7; total 12. Communicants—Formerly reported 63; added, white 13; withdrawn 3; died 3; present number 70. Confirmed, white 10. Marriages, white 3. Funerals, white 2, colored 1. Sunday school 1, teachers 6, scholars, white 35; total 41. Contributions—

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses:

By congregation at Trinity Church, for purchasing Bible and Prayer-book for that Church.....	\$11 00
By a member of Christ Church for altering lamps, &c.	16 00
	\$ 27 00
Contingent fund.....	50 50
Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church:	
By sundry individuals to Meade Hall fund.....	28 50
Diocesan Missions.....	11 50
	40 00
Carried forward.....	\$117 50

Brought forward.....	\$ 117 50
Foreign Missions.....	12 41
Communion Alms.....	26 02
	<u>38 48</u>
Total contributions.....	\$ 155 98
Post Office, Tye River Ware House.	

NORFOLK COUNTY.

Christ Church, Elizabeth River Parish.

Rev. ERSKINE M. RODMAN, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 21, colored 6; total 28. Communicants—formerly reported 402; added, white 11; removed 30; died 9; present number, white 352, colored 22; total 374. Marriages, white 8, colored 1; total 9. Funerals, white 25. Sunday Schools—teachers 60; scholars, white 225, colored 120; total 405. Contributions—

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses :	
Communion Alms.....	\$611 48
Church Bell.....	407 50
Sunday School Library.....	62 81
Ladies' Sewing Society.....	138 00
For Education of a Young Man at the Virginia Military Institute.....	300 00
Other objects.....	130 00
Communion set for Colored Congregation, given by Colored Sunday School.....	15 08
	<u>\$1,664 87</u>
Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :	
Missions, (Foreign, Domestic and Diocesan),...	\$1,062 60
Contingent Fund of the Diocese.....	200 00
Meade Hall.....	462 00
Education Society.....	271 00
	<u>1,995 60</u>
Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :	
Virginia Bible Society.....	\$ 45 00
Norfolk Orphan Asylum.....	528 17
	<u>573 17</u>
Total contributions.....	\$4,238 64
Post Office, Norfolk.	

Remarks.—In making this, his fourth annual report of the condition of Christ Church, Norfolk, the Rector rejoices that the record shows at least a small increase of contributions to the cause of Christ and His Church.

All of the benevolent operations of the congregation have been well sustained, and new plans have been devised.

The two Sunday Schools continue to prosper under the Divine blessing. Three of the teachers have kept up a sewing school for poor children.

Of our contributions to Missions, \$96 30 were given by "The Virginia Hoffman Society," in the form of clothing and other things, for women at the Cavalla Station of the African Mission; \$180 were raised by the Rector's Bible class for two valuable presents for the Rev. Mr. Smith and the Rector.

St. Paul's Church, Norfolk City, Elizabeth River Parish.

Rev. N. A. OKESON, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 3; infants, white 25, colored 6; total 34. Communicants—formerly reported 280; added, white 7, colored 1; removed 22; died 6; present number 260. Marriages, white 6, colored 1; total 7. Funerals, white 24. Sunday Schools—teachers 50; scholars, white 300; total 350. Parish School 1; teacher 1, scholars 50; total 51. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$650 11. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$500 50. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$35 19. Total contributions, \$1,185 80. Post Office, Norfolk City.

Report of Rev. A. S. Smith.

NORFOLK, VA., May 14, 1861.

To the Right Rev. WM. MEADE., D. D., Bishop of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia.

Rt. Rev. and Dear Sir,—In accordance with the requirements of the 15th Canon, I would report to you, that since the meeting of the last Convention, I have preached here and at nine other places thirty-nine (39) times, have administered the Communion six (6) times, and have officiated at four funerals. When not elsewhere engaged, I have read the service at least once every Sunday in one of the Churches in this city, have assisted the Rectors thereof on the first and last Sundays in

every month, and on every Sunday afternoon have instructed the boarding pupils of the Norfolk Female Institute in the Sacred Scriptures.

A. S. SMITH,

Principal of Norfolk Female Institute.

St. John's Church, Portsmouth Parish.

Rev. HENRY WALL, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 3; total 4. Communicants, added, white 4; removed 3; withdrawn 2; died 3; present number 38. Funerals, white 3. Sunday School 1; teachers 11; scholars 85. Contributions—

Contingent Fund.....	\$16 00
Communion Alms.....	32 13
Other objects.....	102 04
Total.....	\$150 17

Post Office, Portsmouth.

Remarks.—The Rector entered upon the duties of this Church the first of the present year. He is gratified to report an encouraging state of things so far, although it must be expected that, like other Churches, we shall be more or less sufferers from the present condition of public affairs.

Trinity Church, Portsmouth Parish.

Rev. J. H. WINGFIELD, Rector.

Rev. J. H. D. WINGFIELD, Assistant Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infants, white 27, colored 1; total 29. Communicants—formerly reported, 101; added, white 9; removed 20; withdrawn 3; died 2; present number 85. Marriages, white 1, colored 3; total 4. Funerals, white 13, colored 1; total 14. Sunday Schools—teachers 20; scholars, white 139; total 159. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$715 59. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$128 97. Total contributions, \$844 56. Post Office, Portsmouth.

Remarks.—The prosperity of this Parish, in every respect, has been seriously injured by the present sad state of the country. It has been greatly diminished in numbers and the means of support; and what the end will be is known only to Him who is Omniscient. May He avert

the gloomy prospect, and cause our troubles to work for our eternal welfare. The debt of the Parish has been reduced some since last report though there has been some additional expense for repairs on the parsonage.

ORANGE COUNTY.

St. Thomas' Church, St. Thomas' Parish.

Rev. RICHARD T. DAVIS, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 2, colored 1; infants, white 6, colored 2; total 11. Communicants—added, white 17, colored 1; removed 5; suspended 1; died 4; present number 98. Confirmed, white 24, colored 1; total 25. Marriages, white 7, colored 2; total 9. Funerals, white 10, colored 3; total 13. Sunday Schools—teachers 9; scholars, white 42; total 51. Contributions—

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses :

Sundries.....	\$ 107 05	
Parsonage	1,000 00	
		<u>\$1,107 05</u>

Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :

Foreign Missions.....	\$25 50	
Education Society.....	10 00	
Diocesan Missions.....	28 20	
Meade Hall Fund.....	70 00	
		<u>133 70</u>

Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :

Syrian Fund.....	\$10 00	
Tract Society.....	20 00	
		<u>30 00</u>

Total contributions..... \$1,270 75

Post Office, Orange C. H.

PITTSYLVANIA COUNTY.

Emmanuel Church, Banister Parish.

Rev. GEORGE T. WILMER, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, colored 1; infants, white 8; total 4. Communicants—formerly reported 21; added, white 6; present number 27. Confirmed, white 9. Marriages, white 2, colored 1; total 3. Funerals, white 1, colored 5; total 6. Contributions—

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses:		
Melodeon	\$130 00	
Towards purchase of Communion Plate.....	109 76	
Towards purchase of a Bell.....	71 00	
		\$310 76
Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church:		
Diocesan Missions.....	\$20 00	
Foreign Missions.....	10 00	
Disabled Clergymen.....	10 00	
Domestic Missions.....	25 00	
		65 00

Total contributions.....		\$375 76
Post Office, Chatham, Pittsylvania county.		

The Church of the Epiphany, Camden Parish.

Rev. GEORGE W. DAME, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 2; infants, white 9; total 11. Communicants—formerly reported 60; added, white 15; removed 4; died 1; present number 70. Confirmed, white 10. Marriages, white 3, colored 1; total 4. Funerals, white 1, colored 4; total 5. Sunday Schools—teachers 8; scholars, white 53. Contributions—

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses,		\$352 94
Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church:		
Disabled Clergyman's Fund.....	\$14 15	
Domestic Missionary Society.....	12 26	
Foreign Missionary Society.....	29 50	
Diocesan Missionary Society.....	46 70	
Education Society.....	18 80	
		121 41

Total contributions.....		\$474 35
Post Office, Danville.		

Remarks.—During the past year, a very handsome service of Communion Plate has been presented to this Church by Major Geo. Wilson, and a neat Marble Font by Miss E. D. Coles.

PLEASANTS COUNTY.

St. John's Church, St. John's Parish.

Rev. W. L. HYLAND, Rector.

Communicants—formerly reported 12; added, white 6; removed 1; died 1; present number 16. Confirmed, white 3. Marriage, white 1. Contributions—Communion Alms, \$3 25. Post Office, Parkersburg.

Remarks.—The services in this Parish have been once in each month, as reported to the Convention last year. The congregations in the Church on Cow Creek and in St. Mary's have been remarkably large and attentive; and, although little fruit has thus far been developed, I am, nevertheless, persuaded that there is in both places good ground for hope and encouragement. More frequent services would, doubtless, be productive of much good. But, alas! while the harvest is great, the laborers are but few. We have no house of worship in St. Mary's, but our Methodist friends have generously accommodated us with the use of their Church; and for their kindness, the Rector returns, for himself and people, their grateful acknowledgments.

POWHATAN COUNTY.

Grace Church, Genito Parish.

Rev. P. F. BEBKLEY, Rector.

Baptism—infant, white 1. Communicants—Formerly reported 35; removed 1; died, colored 1; present number 33. Funeral, colored 1. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$57 50. Objects not in connection with P. E. Church, \$1. Post Office, Chula.

Manakintown Church, King William Parish.

Rev. A. B. TIZZARD, Rector.

Communicants—added, white 1; died 1; present number 10. Confirmed, none; several awaiting a visit from the Bishop. Marriages, white 3. Funerals, white 3 colored 2; total 5. Contributions—See report from Dale Parish. Post Office, Winterpock, Chesterfield.

Remarks.—The old Manakin Church, through the energy and liberality of its devout and devoted worshippers, has undergone an entire change; and it now presents a most cheerful and attractive appearance, both within and without; evidencing the truth that meet worshippers are seldom found in a neglected temple. Services are held regularly in the afternoon, for the benefit of the servants, who are beginning to manifest considerable interest in them. May they all be “endued with the grace of God’s Holy Spirit to amend their lives according to his holy Word.”

St. Luke’s Church, Powhatan Parish.

Rev. LEWIS WALKE, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 3. Communicants—added 2; present number 34. Funerals, white 5. Contributions—

Diocesan Missions.....	\$ 45 00
Domestic Missions.....	40 00
Education Society.....	15 00
Disabled Clergymen.....	15 00
Communion Alms.....	24 70
New Melodeon for St. Luke’s Church.....	150 00
Contingent Fund.....	34 00
	\$ 323 70

Emmanuel Church, St. James’—Southam Parish.

Rev. J. D. POWELL, Rector.

Baptisms—infant, white 1, colored 1; total 2. Communicants—Formerly reported 24; added, white 2; removed 3; died 2; present number 21. Marriage, white 1. Funerals, white 1, colored 1. Contributions—

Objects within Parish	\$ 100 00
Objects in connection with Protestant Episcopal Church :	
Communion Alms.....	11 06
Meade Hall	80 58
Objects not in connection with Protestant Episcopal Church :	
Money to supply Powhatan Troop with lives of Havelock and Vickers	15 50
Contingent Fund	10 00
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Total.....	\$ 217 14

Post Office, Belmead Mills.

Remarks.—The distressing condition of our national affairs has removed many of the active supporters of the church from their homes, reduced the contributions to religious objects, and in every way cast a blight over the spiritual interests of the Parish.

PRINCE GEORGE COUNTY.

Merchant's Hope Church, Martin Brandon Parish.

Rev. JOHN S. HANSBROUGH, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 1, colored 15; total 16. Communicants—Formerly reported 26; added, white 4; removed 1; died 1; present number 28. Marriages, colored 3. Funerals, white 1, colored 13; total 14. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$83 55. Objects in connection with the P. E. Church: Foreign Missions \$11 50. Total \$95 05. Post Office, Gareysville.

PRINCE GEORGE AND SURRY COUNTIES.

Brandon and Grace Churches.

Rev. E. C. MURDAUGH, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 2, colored 1; infants, white 4, colored 3; total 10. Communicants—added, white 6, colored 3; removed 5; died 3; present number 51. Confirmed, white 5, colored 3; total 8. Marriages, white 1, colored 6; total 7. Funerals, white 10, colored 10;

total 20. Parochial schools—teachers 2; scholars, white 39. Contributions—

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses :

Communion offerings.....	\$ 95 34
Purchase of Organ for Brandon Church.....	225 00
Parochial Schools, about.....	600 00

Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :

For Grace Church, Petersburg.....	250 00
For support of a candidate for Holy Orders.....	60 00
For Bishop Lay of Southwest.....	60 10
Education Society.....	26 10
Diocesan Missions.....	30 00

Total contributions.....\$1,346 54

Post Office, Cabin Point, Surry.

Remarks.—One of the Parochial schools has just been suspended. The teacher, a most energetic and devoted young Christian, has taken his place among the defenders of the liberties of our Commonwealth.

The new organ in Brandon Church is a gift from two young ladies, who thereby give additional proof of their Christian zeal and liberality.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

St. John's Church, Lunenburg Parish.

Rev. ANDREW FISHER, Rector.

Baptisms—adult, white 1; infant, white 1; total 2. Communicants—Formerly reported 24; added, white 4; removed 2; died 2; present number 24. Marriages, white 3. Funerals, white 2. Sunday schools—teachers 8, scholars, white 25; total 33.

Post Office, Durrettsville.

Farnham Church, North Farnham Parish.

Rev. ANDREW FISHER, Rector.

Communicants—Formerly reported 13; added, white 1; present number 14. Marriages, white 1, colored 1; total 2. Post Office, Durrettsville.

ROANOKE COUNTY.

St. John's Church, Salem Parish.

Rev. PETER TINSLEY, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 3; infants, white 5; total 8. Communicants—added, white 4; removed 1; present number 24. Confirmed—(no visitation). Marriages, white 1. Sunday schools—teachers 5; scholars, white 30. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$160. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$162 50. Total \$322 50. Post Office, Big Lick.

Remarks.—The amount of contribution embraces only the sum given during the last eight and a half months, the time during which I have been officiating in the Parish.

SMYTHE COUNTY.

Rev. F. D. GOODWIN, Missionary.

Communicants 8. Post Office, Wytheville, Wythe county.

Remarks.—This is an entirely new field of Missionary labor, where a monthly service has been commenced this year, with very encouraging prospects of success.

SPOTTSYLVANIA COUNTY.

Christ Church.

Rev. WILLIAM W. GREENE, Rector.

Communicants—added, white 1; died 1; present number, white 14. Funeral, white 1. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Contingent Fund, \$16 25. Post Office, Lewis' Store.

Remarks.—Through the exertions of the ladies, some funds have been raised to repair this Church, which is located at the Courthouse. The congregations here are quite good.

St. John's Church, Berkeley Parish.

Rev. WM. W. GREENE, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 2. Communicants—present number, white 14. Marriage, white 1. Funerals, colored 2. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Contingent Fund, \$14. Post Office, Lewis' Store.

Remarks.—I took charge of this Church, in connection with Christ Church in this county and St. Margaret's Church in Caroline, in August last. There has been an encouraging increase in the size of the congregations at St. John's. I hold services here once a month for the colored people.

St. George's Church, St. George's Parish, Fredericksburg.

Rev. A. M. RANDOLPH, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 4; infants, white 11; total 15. Communicants—formerly reported 288; added, white, C. T. 14, confirmed 18; removed 9; withdrawn 1; suspended 2; died 3; present number, white 300, colored 1; total 301. Confirmed, white 18. Marriages, white 9. Funerals, white 15. Sunday Schools—teachers 66; scholars, white 170, mission school 60; colored 166, infant school 40; total 430. Contributions—

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses :	
Rectory.....	\$825 00
Female Charity School and town charities.....	819 00
Communion Alms.....	176 80
Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :	
Diocesan Missions.....	511 67
Domestic Missions.....	100 00
Foreign Missions.....	155 00
Education Society and Scholarships in Theological Seminary.....	290 00
Diocesan Fund.....	300 00
Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :	
American Tract Society.....	100 00
Virginia Bible Society.....	120 00
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Total contributions.....	\$3,897 47

Post Office, Fredericksburg.

STAFFORD COUNTY.

Aquia Church, Overharton Parish.

Rev. GEORGE L. MACKENHEIMER, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 10. Communicants—added 1; removed 1; present number, white 16, colored 1; total 17. Confirmed 6. Marriages, white 2, colored 1; total 3. Funeral, white 1. Sunday schools 2; superintendents 2; scholars about 50. Contributions—Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Diocesan Missions, \$10 59; Bishop's Fund, \$16; Meade Hall, \$6. Post Office, Fredericksburg.

SURRY COUNTY.

St. Andrew's Church, Southwark Parish.

Baptisms—adults, white 2; infants, white 3; total 5. Communicants—added, white 7; removed 1; died 1; present number 32. Confirmed, white 5. Funerals, white 2, colored 1; total 3. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$42 58. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church: Contingent Fund, \$81 08.

Remarks.—This Parish is now vacant; the Rev. P. G. Robert having resigned 1st May, 1861.

TAZEWELL COUNTY.

Rev. F. D. GOODWIN, Missionary.

Baptisms—Infants, white 6. Communicants 3. Post Office, Wytheville, Wythe county.

Remarks.—Our Church service was never performed in this county until the past year, and there was but one communicant of our Church there. But this one having been joined by two others, they are encouraged to hope for better things at no very distant day—even the

establishment of the Church of their affections in their midst, and the frequent enjoyment of that form of worship which they so much love.

WASHINGTON COUNTY.

St. Thomas' Church, Holston Parish.

Rev. WILLIAM MOWBRAY, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 2. Communicants—formerly reported 10; added, white 4; present number 14. Funeral, white 1. Sunday Schools—teachers 6; scholars, white 20. Post Office, Abingdon.

WESTMORELAND COUNTY.

St. Peter's Church, Washington Parish.

Rev. THOMAS E. LOCKE, Rector.

Baptisms—infants, white 2, colored 7; total 9. Communicants—formerly reported 27; added, white 5; present number 32. Marriages, white 6, colored 4; total 10. Funerals, white 1, colored 2; total 3. Sunday Schools—teachers 6; scholars, white 40; total 46. Contributions—Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses, \$500. Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$195 81. Objects not in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church, \$2. Total contributions, \$777 81. Post Office, Oak Grove.

Remarks.—Within the past year a vestry room has been built and some other improvements to the Church commenced, but not yet completed. I continue to preach to the colored people, and hold services twice a month at Grace Chapel, a missionary station, on the borders of King George and Westmoreland counties.

WOOD COUNTY.

Trinity Church, Trinity Parish.

Rev. W. L. HYLAND, Rector.

Baptisms—adults, white 1; infants, white 2; total 3. Communicants—formerly reported 45; not reported 6; added, white 13; removed 7; present number 57. Confirmed, white 10. Marriages, white 3. Funerals, white 2. Sunday Schools—teachers 8; scholars, white 49. Contributions—

Objects within the Parish, not including regular expenses :

Communion Alms.....	\$ 37 61	
Repairs on Church.....	167 05	
Parsonage Fund.....	1,140 92	
Other purposes.....	37 09	
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		\$1,382 67

Objects in connection with the Protestant Episcopal Church :

Diocesan Missionary Society.....	\$25 83	
Education Society.....	6 00	
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		31 83

Total contributions..... \$1,414 50

Post Office, Parkersburg.

Remarks.—The six communicants named above as not reported were actually residing within the bounds of this Parish at the last Convention, and had, most likely, been reported to the Convention by the first two Rectors of the Parish: They have never attended the services at the Church in this place since I became the Rector of it, and are not likely to do so in the future, in consequence of the remoteness of their residence from Parkersburg. One of them attends occasionally at the Church on Cow Creek, in Pleasants county, and was reported last year as a communicant of St. John's Parish in that county.

One thousand dollars of the sum above reported as contributed to the Parsonage Fund was given by Judge Rathbone, one of the oldest communicants of the Parish, as a thank offering for the abundance of wealth of which he has become possessed, in consequence of the recent discovery of large quantities of coal oil on his farm near this town. This generous donation has greatly stimulated the ladies in their efforts to procure a suitable house for their minister, and it is expected that their

work will be accomplished this season. It will be done, God favoring the undertaking, unless the unsettled condition of our distracted and unhappy country should prevent it.

WYTHE COUNTY.

St. John's Church, Wythe Parish.

Rev. F. D. GOODWIN, Missionary.

Baptisms—infants, white 7. Communicants—formerly reported 23; added, white 1; removed 5; withdrawn 1; present number 18. Funeral, white 1. Sunday Schools—teachers 8; scholars, white 45; total 53. Post Office, Wytheville.

Remarks.—For further reports of this Mission, see Montgomery, Smythe and Tazewell counties.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF FINANCE—DIOCESAN OR CONTINGENT FUND.

COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount paid.	Delinquency, 1861.	Arrears due 1860.	Amount paid for former years.	Total now due.
Accomac	St. James'	St. James'	* 24	\$ 0 00	\$ 24 00	\$ 48 00	\$ 0 00	\$ 72 00
Accomac	St. George's	St. George's						
Accomac	St. George's	St. Michael's	26	18 50	7 50	...	...	7 50
Albemarle	Fredericksville	Buck Mountain						
Albemarle	Fredericksville	St. Paul's	141	141 00	...	...	...	...
Albemarle	Fredericksville	Christ, Charlottesville						
Albemarle	St. Anne's	Trinity, North Garden	*52	...	52 00	71 00	...	123 00
Albemarle	St. Anne's	Christ	35	35 00	...	47 00	...	47 00
Albemarle	St. Anne's	Howardsville	9	9 00	...	...	...	...
Albemarle	Walker's	Grace	*46	35 00	11 00	...	...	...
Albemarle	New Parish	Rev. D. C. T. Davis	6	6 00	...	...	...	...
Amelia	Raleigh	Grab Hill	35	31 00	4 00	...	...	4 00
Amherst	Lexington	St. Luke's, New Glasgow	32	35 50	46 50	31 00	...	77 50
Amherst	Lexington	Ascension						
Augusta	Augusta	Trinity, Staunton	108	108 00	...	...	...	...
Augusta	Augusta	Boyden Chapel	*9	...	...	...	...	9 00
Alexandria	Fairfax	Christ, Alexandria	140	140 00	...	...	...	...
Alexandria	Fairfax	St. Paul's, Alexandria	164	89 00	65 00	...	...	65 00
Alexandria	Fairfax	Grace	56	25 00	31 00	...	...	31 00
Bedford	Russell	Trinity	28	20 00	8 00	...	...	8 00
Bedford	West Russell	St. Thomas'	*15	7 00	8 00	24 50	...	32 50
Bedford	Heber	St. John's, Liberty	62	37 25	24 75	4 00	...	28 75
Bedford	Hamner	St. Stephen's	35	23 00	9 00	...	...	9 00
Berkeley	Norborne	Mount Zion, Hedgesville	78	29 50	48 50	180 50	...	174 00
Berkeley	Norborne	Trinity, Martinsburg	48	30 00	18 00	24 00	...	42 00

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Report of Committee of Finance—Diocesan or Contingent Fund—continued.

COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount paid.	Delinquency, 1861.	Arrears due 1860.	Amount paid for former years.	Total now due.
Botetourt	Botetourt	St. Mark's	42	\$ 82 00	\$ 10 00	\$ 0 00	\$ 0 00	\$ 10 00
Botetourt	Woodville	Trinity, Buchanan	38	86 00	2 00	...	...	2 00
Brooke	Christ Church	Christ	* 8	...	...	24 00	...	82 00
Brooke	St. John's	St. John's	* 29	12 00	17 00	87 00	...	104 00
Brunswick	St. Andrew's	St. Andrew's and Trinity	51	23 00	28 00	...	...	28 00
Buckingham	Tillotson	St. Peter's	* 41	85 00	6 00	...	...	6 00
Campbell	Moore	St. John's	25	26 00	...	5 00	1 00	4 00
Campbell	Lynchburg	St. Paul's, Lynchburg	182	125 00	57 00	...	...	57 00
Caroline	St. Margaret's	St. Margaret's	24	21 00	8 00	...	...	8 00
Caroline	St. Mary's and	St. Peter's, Port Royal	58	53 00	...	...	...	...
Caroline	St. Mary's	Grace	* 28	...	28 00	...	...	28 00
Caroline	Trinity	Bowling Green	7	7 00	...	...	...	...
Charles City	Westover	Mapaico and Westover	68	64 50	8 50	...	...	8 50
Charlotte	Cornwall	Roanoke	24	8 00	16 00	8 00	...	19 00
Chesterfield	Dale	Trinity	19	19 00	...	...	...	...
Clarke	Frederick	Christ, Millwood	68	52 75	10 25	...	...	10 25
Clarke	Clarke	Grace, Berryville	111	90 50	20 50	...	...	20 50
Clarke	Wickliffe	Wickliffe	20	20 00	...	...	...	...
Culpeper	St. Mark's	St. Stephen's	54	25 00	29 00	8 00	...	87 00
Culpeper	St. Mark's	St. James'	26	26 00	...	...	...	...
Culpeper	St. Mark's	St. Paul's	* 29	29 00	...	...	...	...
Cumberland	Lyttleton	Grace	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cumberland	Leighton	St. James'	18	8 00	10 00	...	...	10 00
Dinwiddie	Bath	Sapony	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dinwiddie	Bath	Calvary	28	5 00	23 00	20 00	...	48 00

Elizabeth City.....	Elizabeth City	St. John's, Hampton.....	* 62	...	62 00	...	...	62 00
Elizabeth City.....	Elizabeth City	Centurion, Old Point.....	* 20	...	20 00	...	...	20 00
Essex.....	St. Anne's.....	Vauter's	26	26 00				
Essex.....	South Farnham.....	St. Paul's.....	} 58	58 00				
Essex.....	South Farnham.....	St. John's						
Fairfax	Truro.....	Zion	* 15	...	15 00	5 00	...	20 00
Fairfax	Truro.....	St. John's	* 10	...	10 00	5 00	...	15 00
Fairfax	Fairfax	Falls	* 22	...	22 00	24 00	...	46 00
Fauquier.....	Hamilton	St. James', Warrenton	78	85 00	48 00	24 00	...	67 00
Fauquier.....	Cedar Run.....	St. Stephen's	* 21	...	21 00	...	...	21 00
Fauquier.....	Leed's	Leed's	* 48	48 00				
Fauquier.....	Meade	Trinity.....	21	17 00	4 00	...	...	4 00
Fauquier.....	Piedmont.....	Trinity	} 82	17 00	15 00	45 00	...	81 00
Fauquier	Piedmont	Grace						
Fluvanna	Rivanna.....	St. John's.....	24	24 00				
Fluvanna	Rivanna.....	Fork Union.	4	5 00				
Franklin	Franklin	At Court House.	10	10 00				
Frederick	Frederick	Christ, Winchester	157	157 00				
Frederick	Frederick	St. Thomas', Middletown.....	10	10 00				
Gloucester	Abingdon	Abingdon	} 50	19 50	80 50	9 00	...	89 50
Gloucester	Ware	Ware						
Goochland	St. James', Northam...	St. Paul's and Trinity.....	* 80	...	80 00	15 00	...	45 00
Goochland.....	St. James', Northam...	Beaver Dam	* 9	...	9 00	...	...	9 00
Greensville.....	Meherrin.....	Grace.....	} 27	27 00				
Greensville.....	Meherrin.....	Christ						
Halifax	Antrim.....	St. John's.....	97	97 00				
Halifax	Roanoke	Christ.....	17	17 00				
Hanover	St. Martin's	Fork	} 56	47 00	9 00	...	...	9 00
Hanover	St. Martin's	Trinity.....						
Hanover	St. Paul's	Immanuel.....	26	26 00				
Hanover	St. Paul's	St. Paul's	10	10 00				
Hampshire	Hampshire	St. Paul's	} No	data.				
Hampshire	Hampshire	Frankfort						
Hampshire	Hampshire	Zion						
Harrison	Bethel	Christ.....	14	14 00				

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Henrico	Henrico	St. John's	116	\$ 116 00				
Henrico	Richmond City	Monumental	218	218 00				
Henrico	Richmond City	St. Paul's	314	314 00				
Henrico	Richmond City	St. James'	320	320 00				
Henrico	Richmond City	Christ, (burnt)						
Henrico	Richmond City	Grace	104	104 00				
Henrico	Richmond City	St. Paul's Chapel	25	25 00				
Henrico	Henrico	Emmanuel	38	38 00				
Henry	Patrick	Christ	14	14 00				
Iale of Wight	Newport	Christ	54	54 00				
Jackson	Ravenswood	Grace	11	14 60				
James City	Bruton	Williamsburg	84	61 00	28 00	...	...	28 00
Jefferson	St. Andrew's	Zion, Charlestown	107	82 00	25 00	...	...	25 00
Jefferson	St. Andrew's	Trinity, Sheperdstown	82	37 00	45 00	59 00	...	104 00
Jefferson	St. Andrew's	St. John's, Harper's Ferry	* 88	...	38 00	18 00	...	51 00
Jefferson	St. Andrew's	St. Bartholomew's, Leetown						
Jefferson	St. Andrew's	Grace						
Kanawha	Kanawha	St. John's, Charleston	* 58	...	58 00	...	...	58 00
Kanawha	Kanawha	St. Luke's, Salines	* 21	...	21 00	45 00	...	66 00
Kanawha	Kanawha	St. Mark's, Coalsmouth	* 10	...	10 00	10 00	...	20 00
King George	St. Paul's	St. Paul's						
King George	Hanover	St. John's and Emmanuel	86	37 50				
King George	Brunswick	Lamb's Creek	16	18 00	8 00	16 00	...	19 00
King William	St. David's	St. David's						

Lancaster.....	Christ Church.....	Christ and Grace.....	45	28 00	} 17 00	...	...	17 00
Lancaster.....	Christ Church.....	White Chapel.....		5 00				
Lewis.....	.....	St. Paul's, Weston.....	82	15 00	17 00	18 00	...	85 00
Loudoun.....	Shelbourne.....	St. James'.....	128	94 25	88 75	...	...	88 75
Loudoun.....	John's.....	Emanuel.....	24	24 00				
Louisa.....	Green Spring.....	St. John's.....	* 15	10 00	5 00	...	...	5 00
o Louisa.....	Trinity.....	Trinity.....	* 8	...	8 00	...	...	8 00
Lunenburg.....	Cumberland.....	St. John's.....	} 41	14 00	27 00	...	...	27 00
Lunenburg.....	Cumberland.....	St. Paul's.....						
Madison.....	Bloomfield.....	Piedmont.....	} * 7	8 00	4 00	...	...	4 00
Madison.....	Bloomfield.....	Trinity.....						
Marshall.....	Trinity.....	.....	22	20 00	2 00	59 00	...	61 00
Mason.....	.....	Bruce Chapel.....	No	data.				
Mason.....	.....	Point Pleasant.....	No	data.				
Matthews.....	Kingston.....	Christ.....	} * 19	...	19 00	17 00	...	86 00
Matthews.....	Kingston.....	Trinity.....						
Mecklenburg.....	St. Luke's.....	Old Church.....	} * 27	...	27 00	...	...	27 00
Mecklenburg.....	St. James'.....	St. James'.....						
Mecklenburg.....	St. James'.....	St. Andrew's.....						
Mecklenburg.....	St. Luke's.....	St. Luke's.....						
Mecklenburg.....	St. Luke's.....	St. Timothy.....	28	28 00				
Mecklenburg.....	St. Luke's.....	Old.....						
Middlesex.....	Christ Church.....	Christ.....	18	...	18 00	10 00	...	28 00
Montgomery.....	Montgomery.....	Mission Station.....	8	...	...	...	...	8 00
Nansemond.....	Upper Suffolk.....	St. Paul's.....	* 28	28 00				
Nansemond.....	Lower Suffolk.....	St. John's and Old Glebe.....	* 7	...	7 00	9 00	...	16 00
Nelson.....	Nelson.....	Trinity.....	} 70	50 50	19 50	...	...	19 50
Nelson.....	Nelson.....	Christ.....						
New Kent.....	St. Peter's.....	St. Peter's and St. James'.....	* 19	4 00	15 00	27 00	...	42 00
Norfolk.....	Elizabeth River.....	Christ, Norfolk city.....	* 878	...	878 00	...	...	878 00
Norfolk.....	Elizabeth River.....	St. Paul's.....	* 255	125 00	180 00	...	...	180 00
Norfolk.....	Portsmouth.....	Trinity, Portsmouth.....	85	85 00				
Norfolk.....	Portsmouth.....	St. John's, Portsmouth.....	88	16 00	22 00	22 00
Northampton.....	Hungar's.....	Hungar's.....	} 62	...	62 00	62 00
Northampton.....	Hungar's.....	Christ.....						

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Ohio, Wheeling.....		St. Matthew's.....	192	\$148 25	\$48 75	\$0 00	\$0 00	\$48 75
Ohio, Wheeling.....	St. John's.....	St. John's.....	* 62	...	62 00	124 00	...	186 00
Orange.....	St. Thomas'.....	St. Thomas'.....	97	72 00	25 00	...	...	25 00
Petersburg.....	Bristol.....	St. Paul's.....	240	240 00	...	...	...	...
Petersburg.....	Bristol.....	Grace.....	279	87 00	192 00	400 00	...	592 00
Pittsylvania.....	Camden.....	Epiphany.....	67	67 00	...	...	...	...
Pittsylvania.....	Bannister.....	Emanuel.....	27	27 00	...	...	...	...
Powhatan.....	Genito.....	Grace.....	85	80 00	5 00	...	...	5 00
Powhatan.....	Powhatan.....	St. Luke's.....	84	20 00	14 00	...	...	14 00
Powhatan.....	St. James' Southam.....	Immanuel.....	21	15 00	6 00	...	...	6 00
Powhatan.....	King William.....	.....	10	10 00	...	...	...	...
Princess Anne.....	Lynnhaven.....	Chapel.....	* 19	...	19 00	1 00	...	20 00
Princess Anne.....	Lynnhaven.....	Emanuel.....			...	...	...	...
Prince George.....	City Point.....	St. John's.....	No	data.	...	...	...	...
Prince George.....	Martin's Brandon.....	Merchant's Hope.....	28	24 00	4 00	...	...	4 00
Prince George.....	Martin's Brandon.....	Old Brandon.....	* 41	...	41 00	...	...	41 00
Prince William.....	Dettingen.....	St. James'.....	* 82	2 00	80 00	48 98	...	78 98
Prince William.....	Leeds.....	St. Paul's.....	* 28	...	28 00	84 50	...	62 50
Putnam.....	St. Paul's.....	Winfield.....	No	data.	...	...	...	...
Putnam.....	St. Paul's.....	St. John's.....			...	...	...	...
Putnam.....	St. Paul's.....	Tye's Valley.....			...	...	...	...
Rappahannock.....	Bloomfield.....	.....	* 8	...	8 00	18 00	...	21 00
Richmond.....	Lunenburg.....	.....	24	10 00	14 00	9 00	...	28 00
Richmond.....	Faraham.....	.....	* 18	...	18 00	6 00	...	19 00
Roanoke.....	Salem.....	St. John's, Big Lick.....	24	24 00	...	8 50	...	8 50

Rockbridge.....Latimer.....Grace, Lexington.....	* 54	40 00	14 00	...	...	14 00
Rockingham.....Rockingham.....Port Republic.....	* 17	...	17 00	...	...	17 00
Spottsylvania.....St. George's.....St. George's, Fredericksburg.....	800	800 00				
Spottsylvania.....Berkeley.....Christ.....	14	16 25	...	4 00	2 25	1 75
Spottsylvania.....Berkeley.....St. John's.....	14	14 00				
Stafford.....Overwharton.....Aquia.....	16	16 00	...	4 50	...	4 50
Surry.....Southwark.....St. Andrew's.....	81	81 00				
Sussex.....Albemarle.....Immanuel.....	No	data.				
Warren.....	...	...	...	58 00	...	58 00
Washington.....Holston.....St. Thomas', Abingdon.....	14	5 00	9 00	...	...	9 00
Westmoreland.....Washington.....St. Peter's.....	82	28 00	4 00	...	...	4 00
Westmoreland.....Cople.....Nominy and Yeocomico.....	* 86	...	86 00	36 00	...	72 00
Westmoreland.....Montross.....St. James'.....	* 18	...	18 00	2 00	...	15 00
Wood .. .....Trinity.....Parkersburg.....	50	50 00				
Wythe .. .....Wythe.....St. John's.....	18	...	18 00	51 00	...	69 00
Wetzel.....Wetzel.....St. Paul's.....	No	data.				
York.....York, Hampton.....Grace.....	No	data.				
		\$5,487 75		\$1775 48		
Southampton, through Bishop Meade, from Fanny E. Urquart.....		5 00				
Total up to 5th July.....		\$5,492 75				

APPENDIX.

MEMORANDA.

Rev. W. L. Hyland, Parkersburg, has paid for Trinity Church \$94, viz: \$44 for 1860 and \$50 for 1861; and \$14 for Grace Church, Jackson county—\$6 for 1860 and \$8 for 1861. Total, \$108.

Parishes marked * not having furnished the number of Communicants, that is assumed from former reports.

Owing to the hurried adjournment of the Convention, there was not time for the Committee of Finance to examine or report on this list of receipts, which comprises all received, not only at the Convention, but also subsequently up to this date.

JOHN STEWART, *Treasurer.*

Richmond, 5th July, 1861.

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NOTICES.

The Sixty-Seventh Annual Convention of the Protestant Episcopal Church, in the Diocese of Virginia, will be held in Christ Church, Alexandria, on the third Wednesday in May, 1861.

THE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

Session commences the last Wednesday in September, and terminates the first Thursday after the fourth Wednesday in June.

THE EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL OF VIRGINIA, AT HOWARD, FAIRFAX COUNTY.

Rev. JOHN P. MCGUIRE, Rector.—The Session commences and terminates about the same time with that of the Theological Seminary.

Post Office, Theological Seminary, Fairfax County, Va.

THE VIRGINIA FEMALE INSTITUTE.

THE DIOCESAN FEMALE SCHOOL, Rev. R. H. PHILLIPS, A. M., Principal; Rev. J. C. WHEAT, Vice-Principal. The Session of this Institution opens on the last Wednesday in September. For Registers, &c., address the Principal, Staunton, Virginia.