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JOURNAL

OF

THE 105TH ANNUAL COUNCIL

OF THE

Protestant Episcopal Church

IN

VIRGINIA,

HELD IN

CHRIST CHURCH, CHARLOTTESVILLE,

ON THE

16TH, 17TH AND 18TH OF MAY, 1900. - 1902

Diocese Reorganized in 1785.

RICHMOND:

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1900.

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ALEXANDRIA, - - - - -	1901
FREDERICKSBURG, - - - - -	1902
WINCHESTER, - - - - -	1903
RICHMOND, - - - - -	1904
CHARLOTTESVILLE, - - - - -	1905

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LIST OF THE CLERGY
OF THE
DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA,
WITH THEIR CURES AND POST-OFFICES,
MAY, 1900.

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D., LL.D., *Richmond.*

Rt. Rev. R. A. GIBSON, D. D., *Richmond.*

Rev. Thomas M. Ambler. †

Rev. Clarence E. Ball, Grace Church, *Alexandria.*

Rev. W. A. Barr, Monumental Church, *Richmond.*

Rev. E. B. Burwell, † Assistant of Rivanna and St. James Northam Parishes, *Columbia.*

Rev. Hartley Carmichael, † D. D., *Canada.*

Rev. W. P. Chrisman, Epiphany Church, *Barton Heights.*

Rev. William M. Clark, St. James' Church, *Richmond.*

Rev. W. N. Claybrook, Broomfield Parish, Rappahannock county, *Washington.*

Rev. J. J. Clopton, Cedar Run and Emmanuel Parishes, Fauquier county, *Casanova.*

Rev. John C. Cornick, Westover Parish, *Westover.*

Rev. R. C. Cowling, The work in Greene county, Piedmont Church, Madison county, *Stanardsville.*

Rev. Angus Crawford, D. D., Professor, *Theological Seminary,* Fairfax county.

† Absent.

List of Clergy.

Rev. Parnell LeB. Cross, Slaughter Parish, Culpeper county, *Rapidan.*

Rev. Nelson P. Dame, † Christ Church, *Winchester.*

Rev. D. C. T. Davis, Beckford Parish, Shenandoah county, *Mount Jackson.*

Rev. John Y. Downman, All Saints' Church, *Richmond.*

Rev. J. R. Ellis, St. James', Louisa and Christ Churches, *Gordonsville.*

Rev. W. B. Everett,* *Middletown.*

Rev. J. H. Gibbons, Overwharton Parish, Stafford county, Christ Church, Spotsylvania county, Quantico Church, Prince William county, *Garrisonville.*

Rev. Robert A. Goodwin, St. John's Church, *Richmond.*

Rev. E. L. Goodwin,* St. Mark's Church, *Richmond.*

Rev. James Grammar,* D. D., *Houston,* Halifax county.

Rev. John J. Gravatt, Church of the Holy Trinity, *Richmond.*

Rev. Berryman Green, Christ Church, *Alexandria.*

Rev. E. H. Green.*

Rev. John S. Hansbrough, St. Thomas' Church, *Orange.*

Rev. Charles S. Harrison, † *Newport News.*

Rev. S. S. Hepburn, † St. Paul's and St. Martin's Parishes, Hanover county, *Oliver.*

Rev. Edwin S. Hinks, St. James' Church, *Leesburg.*

Rev. J. H. Hundley, † D. D., St. Luke's Church, Essex county, and Christ Church, Middlesex, *Montague.*

Rev. E. Valentine Jones, Walker's Parish, Albemarle county, *Cis-mont.*

Rev. J. C. Jones, Cunningham Chapel Parish, Clarke county, *Millwood.*

Rev. H. F. Kloman,* Haymarket Parish, Prince William county, *Haymarket.*

Rev. W. H. Laird, Christ and St. John's Churches, St. Anne's Parish, Albemarle county, *Keane.*

* No seat. † Absent.

List of Clergy.

- Rev. John D. LaMothe, churches at Goresville, Round Hill and *Hamilton*, Loudoun county.
- Rev. William C. Latané, Washington Parish, Westmoreland county, *Oak Grove*.
- Rev. H. B. Lee, Christ Church, *Charlottesville*.
- Rev. Wm. B. Lee, † Abingdon and Ware Parishes, *Gloucester C. H.*
- Rev. C. E. A. Marshall, Grace Church, Lynwood Parish, Rockingham county, Calvary and Christ Churches, Luray Parish, Page county, *Luray*.
- Rev. Hugh M. Martin, St. David's and St. John's Churches, King William county, *West Point*.
- Rev. Landon R. Mason, Grace Church, *Richmond*.
- Rev. Robert K. Massie, Professor, *Theological Seminary*.
- Rev. John McGill,* *The Plains*.
- Rev. Geo. Alex. McGuire, † St. Philip's Church, *Richmond*.
- Rev. John McNabb, † Upper Truro Parish, Fairfax county, *Herndon*.
- Rev. Everard Meade, Pohick and Olivet Churches, Fairfax county, *Springman*.
- Rev. J. M. Meredith,* *Rectory*.
- Rev. R. W. Micou, D. D., Professor, *Theological Seminary*.
- Rev. W. J. Morton, South Farnham Parish, Essex county, *Tappahannock*.
- Rev. Preston Nash, Christ Church, *Richmond*.
- Rev. George W. Nelson, St. James' Church, *Warrenton*.
- Rev. Frederick W. Neve, St. Paul's and Emmanuel Churches, Albemarle county, *Ivy Depot*.
- Rev. J. J. Norwood, † Whittle Parish, Fauquier county, *The Plains*.
- Rev. P. R. Nugent, † Missionary, *Richmond*.
- Rev. Joseph Packard, † D. D., Professor, *Theological Seminary*, Fairfax county.
- Rev. Carter Page, Ridley Parish, Culpeper county, *Brandy Station*.
- Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton, Trinity Church, *Manassas*.
- Rev. P. P. Phillips, † St. Paul's Church, *Alexandria*.

*No seat. †Absent.

List of Clergy.

- Rev. B. M. Randolph, Emmanuel Church, Henrico county, *Brook Hill*.
- Rev. F. G. Ribble, St. Stephen's and Little Fork Churches, *Culpeper*.
- Rev. Thomas Semmes, St. Andrew's Church, *Richmond*.
- Rev. C. F. Smith, Meade and Johns Parishes, *Upperville*.
- Rev. W. D. Smith, St. George's Church, *Fredericksburg*.
- Rev. Edwin B. Snead, † Assistant Minister, St. John's Church, *Richmond*.
- Rev. George S. Somerville, Falls Church, Fairfax county, *West End*.
- Rev. D. F. Sprigg, † D. D., *Washington, D. C.*
- Rev. J. R. Taylor, Leeds and Emmanuel Churches, and Bethel Mission, Fauquier county, *Hume*.
- Rev. E. A. Temple, Meade Memorial Church, White Post, and Calvary Church, *Front Royal*.
- Rev. B. T. Turner,* Hanover and St. Paul's Parishes, King George county, *King George*.
- Rev. Albert R. Walker, Cople Parish, Westmoreland county, *Hague*.
- Rev. Cornelius Walker, † D. D., *Hamilton*.
- Rev. Edward Wall, Grace Church, *Berryville*.
- Rev. S. A. Wallis, D. D., Professor, *Theological Seminary*, Fairfax county.
- Rev. J. W. Ware, St. James' Church, *Ashland*.
- Rev. S. S. Ware, St. Mary's Parish, Caroline county, *Port Royal*.
- Rev. J. C. Wheat, † D. D., *Lynwood*.
- Rev. W. B. Williams, † Missionary, *Richmond*.
- Rev. Henry Wingate, Assistant, Christ Church, *Charlottesville*.
- Rev. O. M. Yerger, † Kingston Parish, Mathews county, *Mathews*.

*No seat. †Absent.

LIST OF LAY DELEGATES

ELECTED TO THE COUNCIL IN MAY, 1900.

Baughman, C. C., Christ Church, Richmond.
 Berkeley, H. R., St. Thomas' Church, Orange.
 Blackford, L. M., Christ Church, Alexandria.
 Brown, Chas. A., Calvary Church, Front Royal.
 Brown, L. P., Trinity Church, Fauquier county.
 Cary, C. E., † Ware Parish, Gloucester county.
 Castleman, J. R., † Wickliffe, Clarke county.
 Clagett, H. O., St. James' Church, Loudoun county.
 Clarkson, Dr. H. M., St. Paul's Church, Haymarket.
 Coles, Peyton S., † Christ Church, St. Anns' Parish, Albemarle county.
 Crabbe, Walter R., Cople Parish, Westmoreland county.
 Currie, Geo. L., St. John's Church, Richmond.
 Doswell, Stonewall J., St. James' Church, Ashland.
 Duvall, J. M., † Immanuel Church, Hanover county.
 Fairbank, S. G., St. Mark's Church, Richmond.
 Fitzhugh, Oscar, Episcopal Church, Stanardsville, Greene county.
 Griffith, D. H., † Washington Parish, Westmoreland county.
 Harrison, Robt. V., St. Andrew's Church, Richmond.
 Hilleary, R. W., St. James' Church, Warrenton.
 Hodgkin, Dr. Jas. B., Fairfax Parish, Fairfax county.
 Hopkins, C. A. S., † Trinity Church, Manassas.
 Jackson, George, † Christ Church, Shelburne Parish, Loudoun county.

†Absent.

List of Laity.

Jones, Wm. Ellis, Emmanuel Church, Henrico county.
 King, Chas., Grace Church, Alexandria.
 Lamb, Judge Jas. C., St. James Church, Richmond.
 Lane, Dr. Thos. B., † Kingston Parish, Mathews county.
 Mackreth, Robt., St. Paul's Church, Fredericksville Parish, Albemarle county.
 Marchant, H. C., Christ Church, Charlottesville.
 Massie, E. C., † Grace Church, Richmond.
 Mayo, P. H., All Saint's Church, Richmond.
 McCaw, Dr. Jas. B., St. Paul's Church, Richmond.
 McClanahan, Dr. S., † Christ Church, Ridley Parish, Culpeper county.
 McCray, Edgar, † St. Paul's and Mt. Calvary Churches, Shelburne Parish, Loudoun county.
 McCormick, Thomas, Grace Church, Clarke county.
 Meade, David, Meade Memorial Church, Clarke county.
 Meade, D. G., Whittle Parish, Fauquier county.
 Minor, Jno. B., The Church of the Holy Trinity, Richmond.
 Moncure, Dr. W. P., Zion Church, Fairfax county.
 Nourse, C. J., Immanuel Parish, Fauquier county.
 Nelson, P. W., Grace Church, Albemarle county.
 Nelson, Dr. R. W., Christ Church, Charlottesville.
 Page, R. M., † Abingdon Parish, Gloucester county.
 Page, R. P., Christ Church, Clarke county.
 Page, Rosewell, St. Martin's Parish, Hanover county.
 Pratt, Wm. T., St. Peter's Church, Caroline county.
 Purcell, Samuel, † Emmanuel Church, Albemarle county.
 Rixey, Eppa, St. Mark's Parish, Culpeper county.
 Ruffin, J. A., Westover Parish, Charles City county.
 Ruffin, Thos. C., The Church of the Epiphany, Barton Heights.

†Absent.

List of Laity.

Shackleford, S. H., † St. Philip's Church, Richmond.
 Smith, A. M., Christ Church, Winchester.
 Snead, Wm. T., † Christ Church Parish, Lancaster county.
 Stearns, W. W., † Cedar Run Parish, Fauquier county.
 Stoneman, P. N., † St. John's Church, Columbia.

Taylor, John M., Monumental Church, Richmond.
 Temple, John, South Farnham Parish, Essex county.
 Turner, L. A., Church of Our Redeemer, Loudon county.

Wallace, Judge A. W., St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.
 Ward, W. R., Pohick and Olivet Churches, Fairfax county.
 Wellford, R. C., † St. John's Church, Richmond county.
 Wickham, John, St. Mary's Church, Goochland county.
 Williams, Dr. T. E., † St. Paul's Church, Hanover county.
 Wilmer, Joseph, Slaughter Parish, Culpeper county.
 Wilton, J., Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg.

Zimmerman, John R., St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.

† Absent.

ORGANIZATION.

"The Secretary shall make out a roll and call the names of all certified to him as duly and canonically elected. The President of the Council shall then appoint a committee, to be composed of one clerical and two lay delegates, to whom shall be referred the credentials of the lay delegates, and who shall report the names of those entitled to seats to the Secretary, and of those claiming but not entitled to seats, to the Council.

"Should doubt arise as to the right of any lay delegate to his seat, the matter shall be referred to the Committee on Elections for examination and report."

RULES OF ORDER.

- 1st. The Council shall be opened each day with prayer.
- 2d. After the call to order no member shall remain standing, nor afterward stand, except to address the chair.

ORDER OF BUSINESS.

1st. After the organization of the Council, the following order of business shall be observed :

The appointment of a Treasurer *pro tempore* when the Treasurer is absent.

The adoption of rules of order.

The reading of the journal of the preceding day.

The reading of pastoral address.

The appointment of committees.

Report of standing committees.

Report of special committees.

Unfinished business.

2d. There shall be appointed by the President, not later than the *second* day of the Council, unless otherwise directed, the follow-

Rules of Order.

ing 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 address of the Bishop on the opening of the Council.

A Committee on the Fund for the Support of Widows and Orphans of Deceased Clergyman.

A Committee on the Episcopal Fund.

A Committee on the Brotherhood.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Disabled Clergy Fund.

A Committee on the Accounts of the Bruce 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 on Elections.

A Committee on Finance, consisting of laymen.

A Committee on Clerical Support, consisting of *ten* laymen.

A Committee on Sunday-Schools.

A Committee on Prayer Book Distribution Society.

3d. Immediately after the reading of the Bishops' Addresses the Council shall proceed to elect the Standing Committee of the Diocese, the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, and such other committees as are necessary for the transaction of the business of the Diocese until the next annual meeting of the Council.

ORDER OF DEBATE.

1st. When a motion is made and seconded, it shall be stated by the President, and if in writing, be read by the Secretary before debate.

2d. After a motion is stated by the President, or read by the Secretary, it shall be deemed in possession of the Council, but may be withdrawn by the mover at any time before amendment or decision, with the consent of the second.

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3d. Every motion shall be reduced to writing, if the President or any member require it.

4th. No new motion or proposition shall be admitted under color of amendment as a substitute for the motion or proposition under debate.

5th. 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, to postpone to a certain day, to commit or to amend ; which several motions shall have precedence in the order enumerated.

6th. The previous question shall be admitted only when demanded by a majority of the members present ; it shall be in this form :

“ Shall the main question now be put ? ” and until decided all debate and amendment are precluded.

7th. A motion to adjourn, or to lay on the table, shall always be in order, and shall be decided without debate.

8th. When a member desires to speak in debate, or present any matter to the Council, he shall rise from his seat and respectfully address himself to the President, and shall confine himself to the question under debate, avoiding all personality.

9th. If any member transgresses the rules of the Council 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. If the ruling of the President be appealed from, the Council shall decide the appeal without debate.

10th. When two or more members rise at once, the President shall decide who is entitled to the floor.

11th. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question without leave of the Council.

12th. The vote on all questions shall be taken by ayes and noes, whenever five members require it.

13th. Any member may call for the division of the question where

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the sense will admit of it, but a motion to strike out and insert shall be deemed indivisible.

14th. Every member who may be in the house when the question is put shall give his vote, unless the Council, for special reasons, shall excuse him.

15th. No member shall vote upon a question in the decision of which he is immediately and personally interested.

16th. Upon a division and count of the Council on any question, no member shall be counted who is not within the limits assigned as seats to the members.

17th. When a question has been decided by the Council or postponed indefinitely, it may be reconsidered upon motion made by a member voting in the majority; *provided*, such motion be made on the same or next succeeding day of the session.

18th. No motion or resolution appropriating any of the funds of the Diocese shall be adopted until it has been reported upon by the Finance Committee.

GENERAL REGULATIONS.

1st. No member shall absent himself from the meetings of the Council without leave, unless he be sick or unable to attend.

2d. The President shall, at his discretion, select suitable seats without the limits of those allotted to the use of the members, which shall be appropriated to the 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 Council are held, under the direction of the President and Council.

3d. No spectators shall, during the daily sessions of the Council, be admitted above or within the pews allotted to the members, and the rector and wardens of the church in which the sessions of the Council are held are directed to see that this rule is enforced.

4th. No rule of order shall be suspended except with the concurrence of two-thirds of the members present.

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ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTH ANNUAL COUNCIL

OF THE

Protestant Episcopal Church,

IN VIRGINIA.

 CHRIST CHURCH, CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.,
 WEDNESDAY, MAY 16, 1900.

The One Hundred and Fifth Annual Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, met this day in Christ Church, Charlottesville, Virginia, at 10 A. M., for Divine service.

The sermon was preached by the Rev. George S. Somerville, from St. John, xvi, 2.

The Holy Communion was administered by Bishop Whittle and Bishop Gibson.

After Divine service the members of the Council were called to order by the Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, D. D., LL. D., Bishop of the Diocese.

The roll was called and a quorum of both orders (thirty-three clergymen and twenty-five laymen) being found present, the Council was declared organized and ready for business.

The President appointed the following Committee on Credentials: Rev. J. W. Ware, Dr. R. W. Nelson and Mr. H. C. Marchant.

Order of Day.

Revs. J. J. Gravatt, E. S. Hinks, Carter Page, O. H. Gibbons and J. Y. Downman reported and took their seats.

The Rev. H. B. Lee moved that the rules of order of the last Council be adopted for the government of this.

Carried.

On motion of same, it was

Resolved, That after to-day the Council meet each morning at 9.30 o'clock; that it take a recess at 11 o'clock for Divine service; that it proceed to business immediately after service, until 2 o'clock P. M., and that it reassemble for business at 4 o'clock P. M., and continue in session until 6 P. M.

An invitation from The Men's Reading Room and Library Association was read by the Rev. H. B. Lee.

On motion of Rev. W. C. Latané, the thanks of the Council were returned for the invitation.

The Committee on Credentials made the following report:

The Committee on Credentials find the roll as called by the Secretary of the Council, correct.

J. W. WARE,
R. W. NELSON,
H. C. MARCHANT.

The President appointed the following Standing Committees.

STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Rev. Edward Wall,	Mr. R. W. Hilleary,
" John McNabb,	" J. R. Zimmerman,
" J. D. La Mothe,	" John Temple.

WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

Rev. C. F. Smith,	Mr. S. G. Fairbank.
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EPISCOPAL FUND.

Rev. Henry Wingate,	Mr. W. R. Ward.
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Standing Committees.

BROTHERHOOD.

Rev. R. K. Massie,	Mr. J. M. Taylor.
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DISABLED CLERGY.

Rev. J. R. Taylor,	Mr. J. M. Duvall.
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BRUCE FUND.

Rev. S. S. Ware,	Mr. Robert Mackreth.
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DIOCESAN MISSIONS.

Rev. E. A. Temple,	Mr. Chas. A. Brown.
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PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

Rev. W. D. Smith,	Mr. Wm. Ellis Jones,
" F. W. Neve,	" T. C. Ruffin,
" Thomas Semmes,	" Geo. L. Currie,
" F. G. Ribble,	" Chas. E. Cary.

NEW PARISHES.

Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton,	Dr. W. P. Moncure.
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ELECTIONS.

Rev. W. J. Morton,	Mr. Eppa Rixey.
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FINANCE.

Mr. L. M. Blackford,	Judge J. C. Lamb,
	Mr. R. C. Wellford.

CLERICAL SUPPORT.

Mr. C. C. Baughman,	Mr. R. P. Page,
" John G. Williams,	" Thomas McCormick,
" Charles King,	Dr. H. M. Clarkson,
Judge A. W. Wallace,	Mr. H. O. Clagett,
Mr. Joseph Wilmer,	Dr. J. B. McCaw.

SUNDAY-SCHOOLS.

Rev. Landon R. Mason,	Mr. Edgar McCray,
" C. E. A. Marshall,	Dr. J. B. Hodgkin.

 Invested Funds and P. E. Church Home.

PRAYER BOOK DISTRIBUTION SOCIETY.

Rev. J. J. Gravatt, Mr. P. H. Mayo.

Bishop Gibson presented the papers of the various funds of the Diocese of Virginia, and moved that the same be referred to the proper committees.

Carried.

Bishop Gibson announced that there was a vacancy in the Board of Trustees of the Funds of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, and asked that the Council make nominations of persons to the Board from whom the Board may choose one to fill the vacancy.

The Rev. H. B. Lee moved that Judge James C. Lamb's name be presented to the said Board to fill the vacancy.

Carried.

The Rev. H. B. Lee moved that when the Council adjourns this morning, it adjourn to meet at 8 P. M.

Adopted.

The Secretary then read the report of the Principal of the Virginia Female Institute, at Staunton, Va. (See appendix.)

A communication was then read by Rev. H. B. Lee from the officers of the Protestant Episcopal Church Home stating, that being now financially independent it can dispense with the offerings of the Church, and that they return grateful thanks to the Council for their liberal aid to the Home in the past.

The Rev. J. Y. Downman moved that the Parochial Report be amended so as not to include the Protestant Episcopal Church Home amongst the objects for which contributions are asked, and that it be also dropped from the list, in the Journal, of objects for which collections have been recommended by the Council.

Carried.

 Report of Committee on Diocesan Missionary Society.

The Council took recess until 8 P. M.

WEDNESDAY, 8 P. M.

The Council assembled in the interest of Diocesan Missions, Bishop Gibson presiding.

After Divine service, the Rev. Preston Nash read the report of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE
DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Executive Committee of your Diocesan Missionary Society begs to make its annual report.

This report will contain :

An exhibit of all money received and distributed by your Society since May 16, 1899.

It will give a synopsis of the mission work done under the auspices of your Society within the said period.

It will summarize the conditions and needs of the mission field in your Diocese.

And it will suggest means by which your Society may be encouraged, and your missionary field increased.

FINANCIAL EXHIBIT.

Received from May 16, 1899, to May, 1900 :

From Churches.....	\$ 4,655 85
From Sunday-schools	1,817 73
Balance from last year.....	3,194 00

\$ 9,667 58

Disbursed from May 16, 1899, to May, 1900.....

6,697 25

Balance on hand May, 1900.....

\$2,970 33

SYNOPSIS OF MISSIONARY WORK.

Your missionary fund has been used to supplement the salaries of 52 per cent. of all the clergymen engaged in active parish work ; it has aided 87 per cent. of all the parishes, and given help to 97 per cent. of all the counties in the Diocese.

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Larger appropriations have been made this year, because of combinations of parishes into new cures, and because of prospective advantages of church extension at local points.

In several instances applications for renewal of missionary stipends have asked for an increase over the amounts granted last year ; in few cases has there been a voluntary reduction in the former annual appropriation. When you consider the small sums given to your missionaries, and the inadequate salaries received by them from the parishes, this statement will not reflect upon them unfavorably.

The committee note with satisfaction the adoption of a resolution by the last Council (see Journal 1899, p. 46), calling upon each convocation to nominate one of its members to a place on the Executive Committee, and providing for reports to the committee of certain convocation statistics. It foresees from such membership, and from such information, a more general knowledge of the missionary work, and a more cordial interest in the administration of missionary affairs.

In the beginning of the Advent season the committee made an appeal, by letter, to all the churches for a special collection for the missionary fund, which appeal met with very general and fairly liberal response.

The committee provided and transmitted to the parishes 5,190 mite boxes, each accompanied by an enveloped letter from the Bishop to the children of the church, asking for their Lenten offerings toward the missionary fund. As there are reported in the Diocese 1,041 Sunday-school teachers, and 8,216 Sunday-school scholars, making a total of 9,257 in our Sunday-schools, we see that of this number 4,067 never received these boxes, and consequently never responded to the Bishop's appeal. These figures are not given as criticism, but rather to call the attention of the clergy, and the Sunday-school superintendents, to the importance of personal and zealous interest in the distribution of the letters and boxes, the returns from which are so great help to your Society.

THE CONDITION AND NEEDS OF THE MISSION FIELD.

Under this head the committee will call your attention to the following :

The Diocese of Virginia embraces an area of 14,000 square miles, with a population of 500,000 souls. Our Church has 83 clergymen to minister to this half million people. Of these 83 clergymen, 61 are engaged in parish work, and of these 61, 24 are located within the corporate limits of towns and cities. This leaves only 37 clergymen to represent the Church among more than 350,000 people who are outside the towns, and in this service to travel over a territory of 14,000 square miles. Each of 37 clergymen has a parish of about 10,000 souls, and an area of nearly 400 square miles.

What one man on the face of the earth is equal to this ! Our young men volunteer for the mission work in foreign lands ; they are induced to enter

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the broad Dioceses of the West ; they are tempted by heroic conceptions of the self-abnegation in the slums of great cities. Have they considered the 10,000 souls, patiently served ; have they contemplated the splendid perspective of the 400 square miles uncomplainingly travelled by each missionary within this their own Diocese ? The mission field is here ; the people are here ; the call for the Church is here ; the opportunity for self-sacrifice is here ; the labor without applause is here ; and the grand privilege of winning men to Christ is here. The need of this Diocese is for consecrated men—not for men whose priesthood is a profession, whose service is for gain, whose Christianity is circumscribed by a knowledge of forms and ceremonies, and limited by a nice observance of ecclesiastical proprieties ; but for men whose religion is the product of personal conviction, the triumph of a personal faith in Christ Jesus ; who are able to say with St. Paul, " I could wish that myself were accursed from Christ for my brethren, my kinsmen according to the flesh."

ANNUAL CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE MISSIONARY FUND.

Beside the regular voluntary contributions from the churches to the missionary fund, there are two special appeals made annually—namely, " The Bishop's Appeal to the Children during Lent," and " The Advent Appeal." The former of these special appeals has held its place as an efficient aid to your Society because of its personal relation to the Bishop of the Diocese who introduced it, and whose interest yearly vitalizes it. The offering made by a child is the pioneer of his interest, the beginning of a special education. Hence there is a tendency among some to divert the children's Lenten offerings from the one object of aiding the Diocesan Missionary Society, that by a diversion to worthy purposes in the foreign or domestic mission fields, or to some of the great charities in the Church at large, the interest of the children may be stimulated and their intelligence broadened. Have we an inalienable right to the Lenten offerings of the children, or have we assurance of their continued enthusiastic response to the Lenten appeal ?

" The Advent Appeal " is of more recent introduction in our economy. It has become a necessity because the regular contributions of the churches have proved insufficient to meet the demands made upon the Missionary Fund. Its introduction is significant.

These thoughts are grave and suggestive ; they unite in warning us against the presumption that the future prosperity of our Diocesan Missionary Society is an assured condition—a stereotyped fact ; and they declare to us that, if we would see our Society meet the demands now made, and to be made upon it, we must realize that its success is not a matter of periodic interest, or of temporary expedients ; but of dominant, persistent purpose, of concerted intelligent effort.

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The committee would pray that no word of this report be interpreted as a criticism upon men or measures, but rather, as honestly intended, to awaken serious consideration of the stability of our methods, and of the assurance of our future support.

The committee would urge upon your attention this suggestion: That in every church and chapel in the Diocese, there be made quarterly or semi-annually, an address or sermon exclusively upon the subject of Diocesan missions. Taking this vital factor of church existence from its dumb companionship with tabulated objects for special collections, and giving it the place and dignity its superior claims demand.

We know that no plans can be effective if dependent upon human interest—they will provide a feast to-day, they will serve a famine to-morrow. But, we believe, if our people are informed, if they have stated and definite instruction upon the living issues of our mission work, if they are made to see the need for the elevating, educating, Christianizing influence of the Church upon the thousands in our Diocese in whose lives Christianity is empty of meaning, and who must remain alien and ignorant unless more men are equipped for the mission field—that then, under the blessing of almighty God, will the support of our Society be assured, and the means for increased usefulness be promptly provided.

May God stir up the hearts and minds of all our people to a renewed interest in this Society, until through it the Church shall have an abiding place in every section of our Diocese.

PRESTON NASH, *Secretary*.

Addresses were then made by the Rev. Messrs. R. A. Goodwin and E. S. Hinks.

An offering taken for Diocesan Missions, the congregation was dismissed by Bishop Gibson with the benediction.

CHRIST CHURCH, CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.,

THURSDAY, MAY 17, 1900.

The Council met at 9.30 A. M., and was called to order by Bishop Whittle, and opened with prayer by the Rev. Wm. C. Latané.

The minutes of the proceedings on yesterday were read and approved.

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Rev. H. B. Lee named Mr. G. G. Minor along with the name of Judge James C. Lamb, to be presented to the Board of Trustees of the invested funds of the Diocese, to fill a vacancy on said Board.

Approved.

Bishop Whittle then read his annual address.

BISHOP WHITTLE'S ADDRESS,

REV. AND DEAR BRETHREN:

I proceed to report such information in regard to the Diocese as I am required by canon to lay before you.

The first three days of May, 1899 were spent in duties at the Theological Seminary.

May 6—Visited Mapsico Church, Charles City county, and confirmed one.

May 7—Preached in Westover and Grace churches, same county, and in former confirmed one.

May 14—Emmanuel, Henrico, confirmed six; and at night, in St. Philip's, Richmond, preached and confirmed fifteen.

May 27—Preached in Trinity Church, Hanover.

May 28—Visited the Church of Our Saviour, and Fork Church, in the same county, confirming two in each church.

May 29—Preached in St. Martin's, Hanover.

June 4—Confirmed one in Emmanuel and one in St. Paul's, Hanover. These last six churches are in charge of Rev. S. S. Hepburn.

July 23—Buck Mountain Church, Albemarle, confirmed four; Rev. R. C. Cowling, rector.

July 27—Preached in Stanardsville, Greene county, where most of the week was spent.

July 30—I was prevented by sickness from filling appointment at Madison Courthouse.

July 13—Presided at the consecration, in Trinity Church, Portsmouth, of Rev. James Bowen Funsten, elected by the General Convention Bishop of the missionary jurisdiction of Boise. This service afforded me great pleasure, not only because of Bishop Funsten's

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qualifications and fitness for his work, but also because he had been confirmed and twice ordained by me.

August 13—In St. James' Church, Richmond, admitted Rev. James J. Chapman to Priest's orders. Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton preached the sermon, and Rev. Wm. M. Clark presented the candidate.

September 24—Preached morning and night in the Chapel of the University of Virginia.

October 1—Visited St. Thomas' Church, Madison Courthouse, preaching morning and night.

October 8—Preached in Pohick Church, Fairfax county, and was prevented by rain from filling an appointment in the afternoon at Olivet Church.

October 14—Grace Church, Goochland Courthouse, confirmed eight.

October 15—Preached morning and afternoon in St. Paul's, Goochland, and confirmed one.

October 16—St. John's, Columbia, confirmed one.

October 22—Christ Church, Albemarle county, confirmed one.

October 22—At night, preached in St. John's, Scottsville.

October 23—Preached in Grace Church, Fluvanna, and baptized an infant. Kindly accompanied by Rev. E. Meade, I next made a visitation of ten days of the churches on the south side of the Rappahannock river, preaching October 29 in Grace Church, Caroline, and on 30th in Emmanuel, Port Conway. This last church, which was then vacant, now enjoys, with the other churches in King George county, the services of Rev. B. T. Turner.

October 30—A great rain storm prevented service from being held in St. Peter's, Port Royal.

November 1 and 2—Preached in Vawter's and St. Matthew's Churches, Essex, which were then vacant, but which, I am glad to be able to say, now have Rev. E. W. Cowling for their rector.

November 3—Preached in St. John's, Tappahannock, and confirmed two.

November 4—Preached in Emmanuel, King and Queen Courthouse.

November 5—St. Paul's, Essex, preached and confirmed two.

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November 6—Preached in St. Luke's, Essex, and the next day in Christ Church, Middlesex, and confirmed three. The faithful and beloved rector of these churches, Rev. J. H. Hundley, D. D., has recently been paralyzed and disabled, for the present at least, from performing any service. He is affectionately commended to the prayers of his brethren.

November 10—I had the pleasure to preside at the consecration of Rev. Wm. Loyall Gravatt, D. D., as Bishop Coadjutor of West Virginia. Bishop Gravatt, a brother beloved, I had confirmed and ordained to the diaconate and priesthood.

December 3—In St. James' Church, Richmond, ordained Edwin B. Snead, deacon; Rev. Wm. M. Clark, rector of the church, preaching the sermon and presenting the candidate.

1900, March 18—Preached in Weddell Memorial Chapel, Richmond, and confirmed eleven.

March 25—Epiphany, Barton Heights, Henrico, confirmed one. At night of the same day in St. Philips (colored) Richmond, confirmed twelve. This was the second confirmation in this church during the year. The rector, Rev. Geo. Alex. McGuire, is greatly prospered and encouraged in his work.

April 1—St. James, Richmond, confirmed twenty-seven.

April 4—St. Thomas' Church, Orange Courthouse, confirmed twenty-one, of whom nineteen were boys of Woodberry Forest School, presented by Rev. Frank Stringfellow, Chaplain.

April 5—Preached in Emmanuel Church, Rapidan, Culpeper county, and in the afternoon in All Saint's Chapel.

April 6—Preached in Calvary, and the next day in St. Paul's Church, Culpeper.

April 8—In the morning preached in Christ Church, Culpeper, confirming one; and in the afternoon drove nine miles and preached in St. Mark's Chapel, Rixeyville.

April 10—Visited Trinity Church, Rappahannock county, and confirmed three, and the next day preached in St. Paul's Church.

April 13—Good Friday in St. Stephen's, Culpeper Courthouse, preached and confirmed three.

April 15—Easter Sunday, confirmed seventeen in Grace, and ten in All Saint's Church, Richmond.

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April 22—In the morning confirmed ten in St. Paul's Church, Richmond, and in the afternoon twenty-six in the Monumental, one being from All Saints.

My health had been unusually good all the winter and until 17th April, when, on my way to New York to attend a meeting of the House of Bishops, I was taken with the prevailing influenza, from which I am still suffering and which compels me to make this address as brief as possible. I was obliged by this sickness, and much to my regret, to recall a number of appointments at the Theological Seminary and in the counties of Prince William and Fauquier.

The general visitation of the Diocese is faithfully and efficiently done by Bishop Gibson, I only attempting to respond to special calls, and to visit different churches, as I may be able, to meet with dear friends and enjoy the inestimable privilege of preaching to them the gospel.

As I made an appeal to the Diocese for contributions to help build a church at Stanardsville, Greene county, I think I ought to report the result to the Council. The appeal did not meet with any thing like a general response. Indeed, I was mortified that so few, especially of persons and churches that had themselves been assisted in like circumstances, manifested any interest in the matter. Contributions passed through my hands from five ministers, seventeen other individuals and eight churches and societies, amounting to over \$1,200, more than one-half of which was given by one person and the Virginia Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. But the church, said to be a beautiful one, has been built and I hope to consecrate it during the summer. It is a great satisfaction that we now have a church building in every county of the Diocese, and I return my sincere thanks to all who have aided in the good work.

POSTULANTS.

The following persons have been received as Postulants: Wiley Roy Mason, Lorenzo D. Vaughan, Robb White, Jr., John Matthias Hamilton, H. B. Lee, Jr., Henry Horton Williams, F. L. Robinson, George Everett Knollmeyer and Morton Apollos Barnes, by transfer from Connecticut.

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CANDIDATE FOR DEACON'S ORDERS.

Henry H. Williams of Charlottesville.

CANDIDATES FOR PRIEST'S ORDERS ADMITTED.

Morris S. Eagle, William H. Watts, William P. Dame, George E. Knollmeyer, Morton A. Barnes, George P. Mayo, John M. Hamilton, John H. Chapman, Robb White, Jr., and Frank L. Robinson.

LETTERS DIMISSORY GIVEN.

Rev. George B. Griffith to Pennsylvania; Benj. J. Darneille to Salt Lake; James J. Chapman to Japan; Benjamin L. Ancell and Cameron F. McRae to Shanghai; C. C. Penick and John S. Douglas to West Virginia; Everett H. Brosius to Maryland; Howard G. England to Kentucky; William L. Reaney to Georgia.

LETTERS DIMISSORY ACCEPTED.

Rev. Byrd T. Turner and Henry F. Kloman from Maryland; Edward L. Goodwin from South Carolina.

LAY READERS LICENSED.

P. A. Arthur, St. Mark's, Richmond; Charles E. Cary, Ware Parish, Gloucester; Eppa Rixey, St. Mark's Parish, Culpeper; G. G. Minor, William S. Blankenship, James T. Estes, F. J. Cragie, St. John's Church, Richmond; Edward S. Willett (colored), Meade Chapel, Alexandria; Robert E. Lee, Jr., Truro Parish, Fairfax; E. J. Carruthers, Robert Davis, C. W. Hulfish, H. H. Williams, J. W. Anderson and H. L. Lyman, Christ Church, Charlottesville; Dr. C. B. Morton, Grace Church, Caroline; Alex. S. Gibson and Henry C. Riley, St. Peter's Church, New Kent; Frank A. Christian, St. John's Church, Richmond.

DEACONS ORDAINED.

June 23, 1899. In the Chapel of the Theological Seminary: Cameron F. McRae, Everett H. Brosuis, James J. Chapman, Benjamin L. Ancell, Benjamin J. Darneille, and James H. Cox for the Bishop of Salt Lake.

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December 3, 1899—In St. James' Church, Richmond, Edwin B. Snead.

ORDAINED PRIEST.

August 13, 1899—In St. James' Church, Richmond, Rev. James J. Chapman.

It is with sincere sorrow that I report the death of Rev. Thomas W. Vaughan, colored deacon, which occurred at his home in Gordonsville, March 11th, 1900, of pneumonia. He was a good and faithful man and had the respect and confidence of all who knew him in and around Gordonsville, where he had labored, preaching and teaching, since his ordination in June, 1889. Rev. J. R. Ellis, rector of Christ Church, Gordonsville, said in a letter informing me of Mr. Vaughan's death: "There is universal sorrow with white and black, and the one opinion is, that he was a good man. His walk and conversation were exemplary: he went in and out among the people as God's minister and got the praise of all sorts and conditions of men. His place will be hard to fill; but God knows best." And so He does, and we can only say of this as of many other of His doings, "Not my will, but Thine be done."

I present the following

SUMMARY.

Visitations.....	50
Confirmed, (white 164; colored 27).....	191
Postulants received.....	9
Candidate for Deacon's Orders admitted.....	1
Present number.....	1
Candidates for Priest's Orders admitted.....	10
Present number.....	16
Deacons ordained.....	7
Priest ordained.....	1
Letters Dimissory given.....	10
Letters Dimissory accepted.....	3
Minister deceased.....	1
Lay Readers licensed.....	19
Present number of ministers.....	81
Engaged in parochial work.....	62

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I am required to report the following changes of ministers within the Diocese.

Rev. E. B. Burwell has resigned Christ Church Parish, Lancaster, and become assistant to the rector of the parishes in Fluvanna and Goochland counties; Rev. John McGill, D. D., has resigned Fairfax Parish, Fairfax county; Rev. John McNabb has exchanged St. Paul's and Hanover Parishes, King George county, for Upper Truro, Fairfax county; Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton has resigned Zion and The Good Shepherd Churches, Fairfax, and confines his labors to Trinity Church, Manassas, and other points in Prince William county; Rev. George S. Somerville has resigned Haymarket Parish and become rector of Falls Church, Fairfax; Rev. Henry Wingate has resigned Kingston Parish, Mathews, and become assistant to the rector of Christ Church, Charlottesville; Rev. O. M. Yerger has exchanged Emmanuel Church, Harrisonburg, for Kingston Parish, Mathews; Rev. E. L. Goodwin is rector of St. Mark's Church, Richmond; Rev. B. T. Turner of Hanover and St. Paul's Parishes, King George; Rev. Henry F. Kloman, of Haymarket Parish, Prince William, and Rev. Edwin B. Snead, assistant St. John's Church, Richmond.

I think the various reports to be presented to the Council will show the Diocese to be in, at least, an encouraging condition.

Commending you all to the guidance and blessing of our heavenly Father, indisposition compels me to bring this address to an abrupt conclusion.

After which Bishop Gibson read his address.

BISHOP COADJUTOR GIBSON'S ADDRESS.

TO THE COUNCIL OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA:

Grace, mercy and peace be with you, Amen.

In presenting my report, brethren, of the visitations made by me during the past year, I think it best before reading the record in detail, to give you a summary from which a general view of the Bishop Coadjutor's work may be obtained.

There are sixty-five clergymen serving the parishes and missions

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of the Diocese. Of these, I have in the past year visited forty-seven; four, for one reason or another, twice.

My visits have been made to one hundred and sixteen places of worship. Confirmation has been administered eighty-four times, Holy Communion twelve times, and the number of sermons preached has been one hundred and forty-three.

Two churches have been consecrated, one in the Diocese, and by request of Bishop Randolph, one in the Diocese of Southern Virginia. I have officiated at three marriages and one funeral, baptized four persons and confirmed four hundred and thirty-two. Of the persons confirmed, one was in West Virginia, by request of Bishop Peterkin, and eight were in Southern Virginia, by request of Bishop Randolph. The number therefore confirmed for our own Diocese was four hundred and twenty-three.

In addition to these routine duties, I have attended the Missionary Council, and House of Bishops at St. Louis, a called meeting of the House of Bishops in New York, the Conference for Foreign Missions in New York, meetings of the Trustees of the Seminary of Virginia and of the Divinity School in Petersburg, and have made special visits to three parishes for the purpose of aiding them to fill vacancies in their rectorates.

Strange as it would sound to those unacquainted with our methods of travel and the situations of our churches, the journeys here indicated have involved absence from home more than half the days in the year, sometimes for several weeks together.

The record of visitations and services is as follows:

- May 1, 1899—St. Luke's, Essex, confirmed one.
- May 2—Emmanuel, King and Queen, confirmed one.
- May 3—St. Paul's, Essex, confirmed one.
- May 4—St. John's, Tappahannock, confirmed four.
- May 5—St. Mathew's, Essex, confirmed one.
- May 7—Vawter's church, Essex, confirmed one.
- May 14—Christ church, Charlottesville, after sermon to the Brotherhood of St. Andrew of the three Dioceses in Virginia and West Virginia by Rev. R. J. McBryde, D. D., confirmed thirteen.
- May 15—Made an address to the Brotherhood of St. Andrew assembled in their Tri-Diocesan council.

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May 17-19—Attended the Council of the Diocese in Richmond.

May 28—Preached twice at West Point, Va.

June 4th—Preached twice at West Point, in the morning administered Holy Communion and in the evening confirmed two.

June 11—In the morning preached the sermon to the graduating class of Hampden Sidney College, and in the evening delivered the annual address to the College Y. M. C. A.

June 14—Visited St. Luke's, Albemarle county, in the morning, and Edgehill Memorial in the afternoon. In the latter church confirmed five.

June 15—Albemarle county. In the morning confirmed one at St. James's Mission and in the afternoon six at St. Paul's Church, Ivy Depot.

June 16—A. M.—Confirmed one at Emmanuel, Albemarle. P. M. Confirmed eight at the Mission of St. John the Baptist.

June 18—Confirmed four at Orange Courthouse, and six at Rapidan.

June 19—Confirmed eight at All Saint's Church, Culpeper.

June 20—Attended meetings of the Education Society of Virginia and the Board of Trustees of the Theological Seminary.

June 22—Addressed the graduating class at the Seminary, attended the Commencement exercises, and confirmed one at Bailey's Cross Roads.

June 23—A. M.—In Seminary Chapel ordained to the Priesthood W. N. Claybrook, Alex. S. Griffith and C. E. A. Marshall. In the evening confirmed two at Glen Carlyn.

June 24-25—Visited St. Stephen's, St. Luke's and Grace Churches, Fauquier county. Rev. J. J. Clopton had recently taken charge of these Churches and his opportunities for thoroughly knowing the people were then limited. There were no confirmations.

June 27—At Leeds, confirmed one.

June 28—At Trinity, Rappahannock county, confirmed five.

June 29—Woodville, Rappahannock, confirmed two.

July 1—At Little Fork Church, Culpeper, confirmed two, and at St. Mark's, same county, confirmed one.

July 2—Preached twice in St. Stephen's, Town of Culpeper, and in the morning confirmed five.

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July 9—Preached twice in St. Peter's, New Kent, administered Holy Communion to a large number of devout worshippers and confirmed one person.

This historic and time-honored Church still has the services of two lay-readers—young gentlemen who go down from Richmond on Saturday afternoon and return on Monday morning. Divine service is held twice a month, on the second and fourth Sundays. The lay-readers report that it becomes more and more evident to them they cannot do the full work the parish requires, and they recommend that a rector be secured with as little delay as possible. Mr. Henry C. Riely has taken the place of Mr. Churchill G. Chamberlayne, now at the University of Virginia, and with Mr. Alex. Stuart Gibson, who was one of the original appointees for the place, holds up the standard of the Church on this ancient and honored fortress.

On Thursday, the 13th of July, I took part in the consecration of Rev. J. B. Funsten as Missionary Bishop of Boise. Service held in Portsmouth, Va.

July 16—I preached in Ware Church, Gloucester, and Sunday, 23rd, in Abingdon Church, same county.

July 28—Confirmed three persons in Ashland.

July 30—Confirmed six persons in Whittle Chapel, Fauquier, and Monday, 31st, one in Church of our Saviour, same county.

August 1—Confirmed three persons at the Plains.

August 2—Preached at Marshall, but confirmed none.

August 4—Held special confirmation in the Church of the Epiphany, Richmond, confirmed one.

August 5—Confirmed eleven persons in the Church at Brandy Station in the morning, and in the afternoon one in private.

August 6—Confirmed three in St. Paul's, Culpeper county, in the morning, and preached in the Church at Mitchell's Station in the afternoon.

August 20—Preached at Berkeley Springs, West Virginia, and took Bishop Peterkin's visitation for him, confirming one person.

August 27—Preached twice in Berryville, and in the morning confirmed three.

September 3—Preached twice in Harrisonburg, and in the morn-

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ing confirmed eight. On Monday administered the Holy Communion in private.

September 10—Preached at the Church for the colored people in Richmond, St. Philip's, to Rev. Mr. McGuire's usual night congregation and confirmed six. Church full to overflowing.

September 24—Consecrated Emmanuel Church, Staunton, in the Diocese of Southern Virginia, and at night preached in the same church.

October 1—Held service for the congregation of St. Paul's Church, Richmond, and administered Holy Communion.

October 8—Confirmed one in St. Mary's Church, Goochland, and administered Holy Communion.

October 15—Preached twice in Grace Church, Albemarle, and in the morning confirmed six.

October 16—Preached in St. John's, Louisa, and Tuesday, the 17th, consecrated St. John's Chapel. Besides the Rev. E. V. Jones, rector, there were present of the clergy, Rev. Josiah Ellis and Rev. Everard Meade.

October 20—Confirmed five in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Fairfax, Saturday, 21st, attended a reception at Manassas, given to the rector and myself by the Church people; and on Sunday, the 22nd, preached at Manassas in the morning, and at Fairfax Courthouse at night. At the Sunday morning service confirmed seven.

From Fairfax I went to Cincinnati and thence to St. Louis where I attended the Missionary Council and House of Bishops. Returning, reached Louisa Courthouse Saturday, and Sunday, October 29th, confirmed three persons in the morning at St. James's and three persons at night in the Chapel at Mineral City. Monday I confirmed one person in private.

November 5—At Barbour Memorial Church, confirmed six, of whom two in private, just before service; at Christ Church, Gordonsville, in the afternoon, three; and at St. Paul's, Gordonsville, the Church for the colored people at night, six. Monday morning I went over to the school, under charge of Rev. T. W. Vaughan, since deceased, and as well as my time would admit examined its classes. The school is under good discipline and I should say its moral influence is decidedly good. Vaughan was a true-hearted

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man, simply and earnestly devoted to his work and the school under his charge, without pretence and without self-laudation, did its part for the uplifting of the colored race quietly, persistently and well. It is to be hoped that a worthy successor will be found for our brother departed, and that the progress of the school will be unchecked.

November 10—I took part in the consecration of Rev. W. L. Gravatt as Bishop Coadjutor of the Diocese of West Virginia.

November 12—Preached at Haymarket and Ewell Chapel, and at the former church confirmed seventeen persons.

November 15—Baptized an infant in St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

November 16—Officiated at a marriage in Richmond.

November 17—Preached at Mount Jackson, and on Saturday, 18th, at Woodstock and Middletown. There were no persons presented for confirmation at either of these places. At Mount Jackson and Woodstock Rev. D. C. T. Davis had only recently taken charge, and at Middletown Rev. Nelson P. Dame was in the process of gathering the congregation into the system of missions he has inaugurated in the neighborhood of Winchester.

November 19—Preached at Winchester, Minnie Wood Chapel and Burnt Church, confirming six at Winchester and three at the Chapel.

November 20—Preached at night in a church at Stephens City, kindly lent Mr. Dame by the Methodists. The outlook for Mr. Dame's four missions around Winchester is most encouraging. The congregations filled their places of assembly. The attention paid to the service and the progress in its use promise well for the future. And the evident desire of the people for a continuance of Mr. Dame's administrations awaken the hope that the church may, in a few years, be as widely spread in Frederick as in some of the adjoining counties.

November 22—I visited White Post and confirmed four. Thursday, Front Royal, and confirmed five; Friday night preached in Luray, but confirmed none.

Saturday night I went with Rev. Mr. Marshall and Miss Eleanor Wheat to Brown's Gap, near Port Republic, where a new mission has been opened. Here I preached to a congregation of sixty-five.

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None were confirmed, but it was evident that the way was prepared for the school which has since been established there.

On Sunday I preached at Lynnwood and confirmed three.

Miss Eleanor Wheat, living at Lynnwood, devotes her time largely to the mountain people. She has had Sunday-schools for them for several years, and by visiting them in trouble and advising them in perplexity does for these ignorant, but sturdy population, almost every thing that a deaconess could do. With the cordial assent and co-operation of the rector, Rev. C. E. A. Marshall, she has this spring opened two schools—mission day schools—which I am satisfied will give a good account of themselves here and hereafter.

November 27—Visited Shenandoah, but confirmed none, and Tuesday, 28th, made my second visit during the year to Rappahannock county, confirming one at Washington and four at Woodville.

December 3—Baptized two children at St. Paul's Church, Richmond.

December 5—Conducted service in St. John's Church, Warsaw, the lay-reader being absent. Confirmed two persons and met the vestry with a view to supplying the parish, vacant by the resignation of the Rev. Mr. Douglas.

Wednesday, preached at Emmerton, met the vestry in consultation, and in the afternoon administered Holy Communion to an invalid in Warsaw.

December 7—Preached at St. Paul's, Nominy Grove, and in the afternoon confirmed two at Boycetown, Cople Parish. The little chapel at the latter place has been much improved by the addition of a recess for the chancel and a robing-room. Rev. Albert R. Walker has taken great interest in the changes in the building, as in every thing else about the mission, and I thought it better to go to the people than to have the candidates brought to one of the parish churches. Hence this new name on the list of places visited.

Friday, I preached at Yeocomico and Hague, at Hague confirming one.

Saturday, preached at Nominy Church; Sunday, confirmed four at Montross, and Monday, six at St. Peter's, Oak Grove.

Monday night I confirmed one at Colonial Beach. This is a comparatively new point. It has never been visited by the Bishops of

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the Diocese until the last two years. In these two years I have visited the church twice with the Rev. Mr. Latané, who has it in charge, and confirmed four persons. I regard it as an important, and under the present management, promising point. On Friday morning preached at Maple Grove where Bishop Payne built a chapel after his return from Africa. Rev. B. T. Turner had just taken charge in King George and hence I passed by his churches for that time merely stopping a night with him at his rectory.

On Saturday, the 16th of December, drove out to Lewiston with Rev. J. H. Gibbons and that night held a most interesting service in a public hall. Our people are coming back there, as they always come back sooner or later, to the vicinity of our old churches, and it becomes our duty to look to the rebuilding of old St. John's, Spotsylvania. Mr. Gibbons has the books of the parish.

Sunday I preached at Spotsylvania Courthouse in the morning and administered the Holy Communion; confirmed three in the afternoon at St. George's Chapel, and at night two in Trinity Church, Fredericksburg.

December 18—Preached at Murtleville, and Wednesday, 20th, at Old Aquia where I confirmed two.

Thursday morning preached at Clifton, Stafford county, and Thursday night confirmed two persons at Dumfries.

December 24—Preached in the afternoon at Monumental Church, Richmond, and confirmed nine.

December 25—I filled the pulpit of St. Mark's Church, Richmond, because the church had no rector, and Sunday, 31st, preached for the rector of Holy Trinity, Richmond, who was called away on pastoral duty.

January 7—Preached at St. Paul's Church, Albemarle, and in the afternoon confirmed three persons at St. John the Baptist. Second visit during the year to these churches and well worth while. The growth of St. John the Baptist, which had almost doubled its accommodations since I was last there, and the work which this church does among the mountain people put it in the lead of all our mountain missions at this time.

January 10—Officiated at a wedding in St. James's Church, Richmond. Mr. Clark kindly assisting.

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January 14—At night preached for Rev. Mr. Nash, in Christ Church, Richmond.

January 17—Assisted Rev. W. N. Claybrook in a wedding at the Governor's Mansion in Richmond.

January 21—Preached twice in St. George's Church, Fredericksburg, the rector absent on general church business.

January 28—Preached in St. Margaret's, Caroline county.

February 4—Administered the Holy Communion in St. Luke's, Richmond.

February 8—Baptized an adult in private.

February 11—Preached in St. Mark's, Richmond.

February 18—By request of the Faculty of the University of Virginia, preached twice in the University Chapel.

February 25—Confirmed eight persons in the Church at Millwood. In the afternoon preached to the colored people in the Bishop's Chapel, and at night in the Church at Boyce.

February 28—Held an Ash-Wednesday service in the church at Wickliffe.

March 4—Confirmed eight persons for Bishop Randolph in Manchester.

March 12—Officiated at a funeral in St. Paul's, Richmond.

March 18—Administered Holy Communion in St. Paul's, Richmond.

March 25—Confirmed one in White Chapel Church, Lancaster county. In the evening preached in Trinity Church, same county.

Monday, met the vestry of the parish in Trinity Church, Lancaster Courthouse, and decided on a plan for filling vacancy in their rectorship.

Tuesday, preached in Grace Church, Lancaster.

April 1—In the absence of the rector on urgent pastoral duty, preached in Grace Church, Richmond, and administered Holy Communion. At night confirmed eleven persons in St. Andrew's.

April 8—Preached in the morning in St. John's, Richmond, and confirmed thirty-four. At night confirmed twenty in Holy Trinity.

Monday night, confirmed five in Trinity Church, Fredericksburg, and Tuesday night ten in St. George's. Thursday night assisted

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the rector in the Holy Communion in the Church of the Holy Trinity, Richmond.

Friday night, Good Friday, I confirmed fourteen persons in St. James's, Leesburg.

April 15—Easter Day, confirmed seventeen, and administered Holy Communion at Emmanuel, Henrico county, and at night in Christ Church, Richmond, confirmed fourteen.

April 19—Attended meeting of the House of Bishops in New York, and from Saturday, 21st, to Monday, the 23rd, was present at as many meetings as possible of the great Conference for Foreign Missions. The pleasure given by these meetings to one who believes in active, aggressive, loving, Christian work on the masses of self-satisfied heathenism was great, and their power of inspiring faith and hope marked. That they made many converts to Christ's view of the mission of His Church, I have no doubt, nor have I any doubt that so far as the masses of Christians are concerned they left many a dull hearth blazing finely.

April 25—Preached at St. John's, King George Courthouse; Thursday, 26th, confirmed seven at St. Paul's, King George county, and Friday, 27th, preached at Port Conway.

April 29—I confirmed nine at St. Paul's, Alexandria, and fourteen at Christ Church; and Monday, 30th, confirmed eight at Grace Church, same city. With the last date the diary for the year ends.

To recur to a matter mentioned last year. In my last report to the Council I spoke of the necessity of an Emergency Fund to be used at the discretion of the Bishop. Every rector can understand this. How sadly would the work of any vigorous parish be hampered if there were no Communion Alms! The Bishop has no such fund unless it be in some way specially provided. Yet the Bishop's opportunities for seeing the need of immediate help are not less than a rector's. He is called to face the necessities, not only of individuals, but of parishes. Sometimes the appeal is to his individual sympathies; sometimes he is made aware of danger to a portion of his own Diocese; sometimes he feels that the credit of the church itself is involved. A little money here will prevent a catastrophe, a little there will stop a leak which threatens an inundation. Since last year I have received for my Emergency Fund, \$625. Of this I

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have disbursed \$230; part of the amount having been given in such a way that it cannot be distributed all at once. I have the promise of still further and regular gifts, and an interest has been awakened in warm, sympathetic, Christian hearts, which will bear fruit increasingly. I want the Diocese to know of this view of mine of the requirements of my position, and hence I speak of the matter in this place. No legislation is needed.

As Trustee of the Funds of the Diocese I have received an impression of the importance of two of our charitable agencies which I desire, if possible, to communicate to you. The Fund for the Widows' and Orphans of Deceased Clergymen and the Fund for Disabled Clergy need your constant and thoughtful attention.

These funds are most carefully handled. Their condition is reported to you by the committees which manage them. Their needs are greater this year than for a long time. I am happy to say the contributions of the parishes are greater also. But the increase of income is not quite equal to the increase of expenditure. These funds do much but they ought to do a little more. I trust that every congregation to which our clergy minister will send a contribution to each of them this year.

The amount of that contribution is not the point to be chiefly considered. The main point is that each of the clergy tell his people about the widows and orphans and disabled clergy, and give the people a chance to contribute to these two most deserving classes what they will.

And still another matter of practical every day prose. Next to the spiritual declension of his people there is nothing that gives a Bishop so much concern as to see his parishes fall off in their business management. Plain living and high thinking is a good rule, but plain living does not mean sordid or careless living. And as high thinking in the pulpit will result in sermons increasingly heedful of the literary form, so high thinking in the pews will result in a more and orderly management and presentation of the affairs of the parish. Reflecting on certain cases which have come under my observation, I have naturally reverted to my own experience—a tolerably varied one—and out of that experience would make one or two suggestions.

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Next to the rector in a parish is the treasurer—next in value as a factor in its success.

The rector must look after business himself, of course. If necessary he must laboriously teach himself to do so. He must take himself in hand. He must lecture himself severely. He must make himself very, very sorry when he has entered the items of his parochial report on the wrong lines, or sent in a report which looks as if it was written on a railroad train running over a bad road and at a high rate of speed. But the treasurer can be the rector's chief assistant in most of the business of the parish, and in many departments must take the whole work off his hands. The treasurer, therefore, must combine many qualities. It is hard to get a man who really fills the place. When, therefore, a vestry has secured such a man they ought to hold on to him, and to do that they ought to help him out. They ought to see that the burden does not fall too heavily upon him, and that he is neither crushed by his labors nor worried out of his place. The man in the vestry fitted for treasurer should be made treasurer. Excuses and evasions should not serve his turn. It is the Lord's talent he possesses and for the Lord he ought to use it.

But now the treasurer is secured. How can the vestry help him? They can divide the congregation and themselves collect under his direction; they can give him a collector and pay that collector a commission; they can pay the commission under the form of salary to the treasurer himself. One of these plans may be best in one case and one in another. The main thing is to get the people to pay what they promise and to shield the treasurer from having differences with them.

The support of the parish is a debt—a debt to the rector, to the congregation, to the Church at large and to the Lord of the Church, and I believe the people can always be made to feel it so.

Bishop Whittle vacated the Chair to Bishop Gibson.

Rev. Angus Crawford, D. D., read the report of Miss Sallie Stuart, Diocesan Officer of the Virginia Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary. (See appendix.)

Report of Treasurer of P. E. Brotherhood.

Mr. Geo. L. Currie presented the report on the Brotherhood for Mr. Cyrus Bossieux:

REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF THE P. E. BROTHERHOOD.

RICHMOND, VA., May 15th, 1900.

To the Episcopal Council of the Diocese of Virginia:

GENTLEMEN:—With pleasure I announce that this is the second year in succession that we have been blessed in having no death of any Clerical member of the P. E. Brotherhood. Statement of funds on hand, two \$500 five per cent. city of Manchester bonds, and \$900.46 in City Bank of Richmond, bearing four per cent. interest.

Respectfully submitted,

CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
Treasurer P. E. Brotherhood.

This report was referred to the proper Committee.

On motion of Rev. E. Meade, the following persons were nominated for the Standing Committee of the Diocese of Virginia for the ensuing year:

Rev. Joseph Packard, D. D.,	Colonel Arthur Herbert,
“ P. P. Phillips,	Mr. L. M. Blackford,
“ Berryman Green,	“ John R. Zimmerman.

On motion of Rev. Wm. C. Latané, the Secretary was authorized to cast the ballot for the above nominees. Which being done, they were declared elected.

Mr. H. C. Marchant moved that the election of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society be the order of the day for this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Carried.

Rev. R. K. Massie moved that immediately after the election of said committee, the report of the Special Committee on the Brotherhood be the order of the day.

Adopted.

Sundry Resolutions Adopted

On motion of Rev. R. A. Goodwin, it was

Resolved, That the Rev. Preston Nash, Secretary of the Diocesan Missionary Society, be instructed to prepare from records in his hands and from other reliable sources, a history of the Diocesan Missionary Society from its organization in 1829 to the present time.

Carried.

The following was offered by the Rev. Angus Crawford, D. D. :

Resolved, That the Rev. Preston Nash be asked to prepare an outline of the history of the Diocesan Missionary Society, the missionary events of the Diocese and the obligations of our people in this matter, and insert said article in our Diocesan work and in *The Southern Churchman* for the benefit of the clergy, who are earnestly requested to enlighten their people from time to time on this work, so vital to the interest and growth of the Diocese.

Carried.

Council took recess for Divine service.

The service was conducted by Rev. John D. LaMothe and the Rev. Claudius F. Smith.

The sermon was preached by the Rev. W. D. Smith from Acts, xix : 21.

After Divine service the Council was called to order by Bishop Gibson.

Bishop Gibson then offered the prayer for the sick for the Rev. J. H. Hundley, D. D., which had been desired of the Council.

On motion of Rev. J. R. Taylor it was

Resolved, That the Diocesan Committee be authorized to allow any necessary clerical help to the Rev. Preston Nash in his preparation of the history of the Diocesan Missionary Society.

Rev. J. R. Ellis offered the following, which was adopted :

Report of Committee on the Bruce Fund.

WHEREAS, By order of the Council at its session on yesterday, the Secretary thereof was directed to drop from its list of objects, for which special collections have been recommended by the Council, the Protestant Episcopal Church Home, forasmuch as there were sufficient funds now in its treasury to sustain that institution ; and

WHEREAS, There is now confronting us a crying need for help among the negroes in this Diocese—a cry for help which should have been sooner heard ; therefore,

Resolved, That the Secretary of this Council be directed to substitute in the place of the words so omitted from such list of objects for which collections are asked, the words "Colored Work in this Diocese." That such substitution be made in its proper place in the parochial reports and Journal of the Diocese, and that the treasurer of the Diocesan Missionary Society be requested to receive such fund, which is to be appropriated and expended under the supervision of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society, and that the said treasurer be requested to take charge of all funds that may be sent to him marked for any special work among the colored people in the Diocese, and send the same to its proper destination.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

The Rev. Claudius F. Smith read report of Committee on Widows' and Orphans' Fund, as follows :

Your Committee beg leave to report that they have examined the accounts of the treasurer as per vouchers, and find that they are correct.

CLAUDIUS F. SMITH,
S. G. FAIRBANK.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE BRUCE FUND.

The Report of the Bruce Fund was then presented by Mr. S. S. Ware:

CHARLOTTESVILLE, May 17th, 1900.

The Committee to whom the accounts of the Bruce Fund were submitted respectfully submits that they have examined the accounts and find them correct and sustained by proper vouchers.

S. S. WARE,
ROBERT MACKRETH.

The Rev. H. B. Lee moved that a committee of three clergymen

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and two laymen be appointed to prepare and report at the next meeting of the Council a constitution and by-laws for the Diocesan Missionary Society.

Judge Wallace proposed the following amendment:

"But if said committee deem it unnecessary to report such new constitution and by-laws, said committee is authorized to report any amendment to the present constitution and by-laws, if there be any, and to report full information as to the legal status of the Diocesan Missionary Society."

The motion, as amended, was then adopted.

On motion of Rev. G. W. Nelson, the following committee was nominated and elected:

Rt. Rev. R. A. Gibson, Rev. L. R. Mason,
Rev. H. B. Lee, Judge J. C. Lamb,
 Judge A. W. Wallace.

REPORT OF THE FINANCE COMMITTEE.

The Finance Committee respectfully report that they have examined the accounts of Mr. Robert S. Chamberlayne, Treasurer, and find them stated with admirable precision and clearness, and his disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

The receipts from the parishes on account of the Contingent Fund for the year ending April 30, 1900, when the treasurer closed his accounts, amounted to \$7,681.76, an increase of \$97.51 over the total receipts from the same source last year.

The comparative statements of receipts and disbursements for the year just closed and for that preceding, are as follows:

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF THE CONTINGENT FUND FOR THE YEARS
1899—1900.

	RECEIPTS.	
	1899.	1900.
From Contingent Fund	\$7,584 25	\$7,681 76
Interest on bank balances	79 36	90 67
Total receipts	\$7,663 61	\$7,772 43
Dividend on So. Ry. preferred stock	58 00	72 50
Contributed by Bishop Whittle	500 00	500 00
Brought forward from previous year	994 53	647 24
Total receipts	\$9,216 14	\$8,992 17

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DISBURSEMENTS (ordinary).

Salaries two Bishops	\$6,000 00	\$6,000 00
Traveling expenses two Bishops	331 61	273 54
Rent residence Bishop Coadjutor	600 00	600 00
Salary and expenses Secretary	210 00	210 00
Assistant Secretary	25 00	25 00
Salary and expenses of Treasurer	113 45	100 00
Salary and expenses of Examining Chaplains	340 48	216 55
Printing and distributing Journals	421 00	423 00
Other printing	5 46	3 75
Stationary and stamps (Sec. and Treas)	10 72	12 21
Paid sextons	15 00	15 00
Total ordinary expenses	\$8,072 72	\$7,879 05

EXPENSES (extraordinary).

Repairs to Bishop's residence	5 25	5 25
Expenses Deputies to General Convention	232 93	
Assessment on Diocese for expenses of General Convention—\$3.00 on 86 clergymen	258 00	
D. N. Walker & Co., 5 years' insurance on Bishop's residence		56 25
	8,568 90	7,940 55
Balance in bank	647 24	1,051 62
	\$9,216 14	\$8,992 17

From these statements it appears that the ordinary expenses of the Diocese, to-wit: \$7,879 05, exceeded the ordinary receipts, viz: \$7,772.43, by \$106.62; while the extraordinary expenses for the year were less than those for the preceding year by \$434.68.

It will be seen that we carried forward last year a balance of \$647.24 and this year the credit balance is \$1,051.62, an apparent gain of \$404.38. It is, however, to be remembered that the Bishop has again contributed \$500.00 out of his salary, without which there would have been a loss of \$95.62, as compared with last year, and that, too, in a year in which the total extraordinary expenses were only \$61.50.

The Financial Committee last year, when (without counting the Bishop's gift of \$500.00) there was a credit balance of \$147.24, called attention so pointedly to the fact that the margin was perilously small, and that more diligence in collecting the Contingent Fund was imperatively needed, that your present Committee can do little but report and enforce what was then said.

Report of the Standing Committee.

It was hoped that with the increased prosperity of the country, payments would be better, but they have not been, and a serious deficiency seems imminent. The ordinary dictates of business propriety require that the evil day should be averted, and we can suggest no better way of doing so than systematic effort on the part of minister and vestry in every Parish, instituted not later than January each year, to bring the people to a just appreciation and performance of the duty of meeting their proper share, as prescribed by canon, of the expenses of the Diocese.

Your Committee recommend the payment of rent for a residence of the Bishop Coadjutor, not exceeding \$600.00 per annum; and provision, as by standing order of the Council in 1898, for the distribution of 1,000 copies of the Journal, and for the payment of \$15 00 to the sexton of Christ Church, Charlottesville; and also the printing of 1,500 copies of the constitution and canons of the Diocese.

Respectfully submitted,

L. M. BLACKFORD,
JAMES C. LAMB.

May 17, 1900.

REPORT OF THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF THE DIOCESE.

The Rev. Berryman Green read the report of the Standing Committee of the Diocese:

The Standing Committee of Virginia respectfully report that since the last annual Council (1899), they have recommended the following persons as candidates for Holy Orders—viz:

John H. Chapman,	G. E. Knollmeyer,
Morton A. Barnes,	John M. Hamilton,
George P. Mayo,	Robb White, Jr.,
F. L. Robinson,	Henry Horton Williams,
H. B. Lee, Jr.	

The following for ordination to the Diaconate—viz:

James J. Chapman,	Benjamin L. Ancell,
Everett H. Brosius,	Cameron F. McRae,
Benj. J. Darneille,	Edwin B. Snead.

The following for ordination to the Priesthood—viz:

Rev. W. N. Claybrooke,	Rev. C. E. A. Marshall,
Rev. G. Berkeley Griffith,	Rev. James J. Chapman.

Report of Committee on Parochial Reports.

Consent was given to the consecration of the Rev. Arthur L. Williams, as Bishop Coadjutor of Nebraska; the Rev. W. L. Gravatt, as Bishop Coadjutor of West Virginia; the Rev. S. C. Partridge, as Missionary Bishop of Kyoto, Japan; the Rev. Charles Palmerston Anderson, as Bishop Coadjutor of Chicago, and the Rev. Robert Codman, Jr., as Bishop of Maine.

P. P. PHILIPS, *Secretary*.

JOSEPH PACKARD, *President*.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PAROCHIAL REPORTS.

The Report of Committee on Parochial Reports was then presented by Rev. W. D. Smith:

Your Committee on Parochial Reports presents the following—

From the 160 or more churches and chapels, as reported to be the number last year, your Committee has received 110 reports.

The Journal of last year has 131 reports, showing that many have failed to report thus far.

Many reports were handed in on Thursday, thus delaying the work of this Committee. The canons require that the reports shall be handed in on or before the first day of Council.

There is much confusion in the items of Sunday-school offerings. The total of Sunday-school offerings should be put under the head Sunday-school Contributions; and the amount for Diocesan Missions, through missionary boxes, under item of Diocesan Missions.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

Baptisms—Adults, white, 154; colored, 4. Total.....	158
Infants, white, 393; colored, 9. Total.....	402
Grand Total.....	560
Confirmations—White, 520; colored, 33. Total.....	553
Communicants—White, 10,096; colored, 118. Total.....	10,214
Marriages—White, 201; colored, 13. Total.....	214
Funerals—White, 444; colored, 9. Total.....	453
Sunday schools—White, teachers, 951; scholars, 7,298.....	8,249
Colored, teachers, 27; scholars, 479.....	506
Grand Total.....	8,755

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Sunday schools—Contributions.....	\$3,676.59
Sunday schools—Number of catechisings.....	459
Sunday schools—Number of scholars confirmed.....	183
Parochial schools—Paid teachers, 24; scholars, 570. Total....	594
Members of the Brotherhood.....	88
Members of the Brotherhood of St. Andrew.....	324
Members of Woman's Auxiliary.....	1,564
Total contributions.....	\$163,264.73

Respectfully submitted,

WM. D. SMITH, *Chairman*.
 F. G. RIBBLE,
 W. ELLIS JONES,
 GEO. L. CURRIE.

The Council then took recess till 4 P. M.

THURSDAY, 4 P. M.

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

ELECTION OF EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The order of the day being the election of the Executive Committee of the Diocesan Missionary Society.

The following persons were elected:

Rt. Rev. F. M. Whittle, D. D., LL. D.,	
Rt. Rev. R. A. Gibson, D. D.	
Rev. R. A. Goodwin,	Rev. J. W. Ware, for Richmond Convocation.
“ L. R. Mason,	“ Everard Meade, for Piedmont Convocation.
“ Wm. M. Clark,	
“ B. M. Randolph,	Mr. Joseph Bryan,
“ J. Y. Downman,	“ Wm. F. Gray,
“ J. J. Gravatt,	“ G. G. Minor,
“ W. D. Smith,	

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“ Preston Nash,	Dr. J. R. Wheat,
“ W. A. Barr,	Mr. B. Rand Wellford,
“ S. S. Hepburn,	“ William C. Bentley,
“ E. Valentine Jones, for Al- bemarle Convocation.	“ Rutherford Rose, “ John L. Williams.
“ J. C. Jones, for Valley Convocation.	

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE BROTHERHOOD.

Rev. R. K. Massie read the following report:

CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA., *May 17th, 1900.*

To the Council of the Diocese of Virginia:

The Committee appointed to report on the state of the Brotherhood, beg to submit the following:

The Committee notes with regret the present small number of members, but learns with pleasure from the treasurer's report that there has been no death among the clerical members of the Brotherhood during the last year, and that the amount now in hand in invested funds is \$1,900.00, (nineteen hundred dollars.)

In view of the fact that an extended report will be made by a special committee, this committee does not deem any further report necessary at this time.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT K. MASSIE,
 JOHN M. TAYLOR.

REPORT OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE ON THE BROTHERHOOD APPOINTED LAST YEAR.

Mr. Rosewell Page read the following report:

The Special Committee on the Brotherhood, appointed at the last Council, submit the following report:

After careful consideration of the matter, they have come to the conclusion that if the Brotherhood is to do in the future any of the good work it has done in the past, and which they believe it is still capable of doing, there must be some decided changes.

A study of the reports, made to the Council in the past years, has shown that the cause of the languishing condition of the Brotherhood is largely due to the natural irregularities of the demands dependent upon the death of the

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clergy, and upon the fact that effort has been made from time to time to raise funds for beneficiaries who were not left really dependent. And this has prejudiced the interests of the Brotherhood in the minds of many of those from whom its support must come.

Your Committee, however, cannot believe that the people of this Diocese are unwilling to make suitable provision for the families of deceased clergymen, which are left dependent and needy. They, therefore, make the following recommendations:

1. The Beneficiaries shall be the family of any clergyman canonically settled in the Diocese at the time of his death who shall have signified his intention to become a member of the Brotherhood by making at least one payment as hereinafter provided.
2. The Brotherhood fee shall be one dollar, to be paid annually January 1st.
3. The amount paid to the beneficiaries in case of the death, as above mentioned, shall be one dollar, less cost of collecting same for each member contributing in the current year in which such death occurs. But should more than one death occur during the same year, the amount so collected shall be *pro rated*, and in case of need, supplemented from the invested funds and from the collections to be made in years in which no death occurs, until each share *pro rated* shall be made equal to a full share.
4. The Trustees of the Brotherhood shall be empowered and directed to withhold a part or all of such payment, if in their judgment such beneficiaries are not left dependent and needy.
5. The Trustees of the Brotherhood may appoint a general agent—a layman if possible—to present the work of the Brotherhood and secure members, and the said trustees by such general agent shall appoint in each parish, with the advice and consent of the rector or wardens, in case of there being no rector, a local agent, who shall solicit membership, keep a list of the members in his parish, and collect and forward the annual contributions to the Treasurer of the Brotherhood. And the general agent so employed shall be paid out of the invested funds of the Brotherhood, a sum to be determined by the Trustees of the Brotherhood, not to exceed, for salary and all other expenses, the sum of \$400.00.

ROBERT K. MASSIE,
W. H. K. PENDLETON,
GEO. L. CURRIE,
ROSEWELL PAGE,
JOHN M. TAYLOR.

The recommendations therein were first separately considered, amended and passed.

The report, as a whole, was then adopted.

Report of Prayer Book Distribution Society.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON PRAYER BOOK DISTRIBUTION SOCIETY.

Rev. J. J. Gravatt read the following report:

The Committee on the Virginia Prayer Book Distribution Society begs leave to report that there is no statement of the treasurer before them. From the report of the Secretary we learn there is a balance on hand, May 15 1900, of \$48.00.

We earnestly commend the work of this Society to the clergy and laity of the Diocese. The Prayer-Book is a great missionary agent and should, together with the Hymnal, be distributed, as far as practicable, throughout the Diocese.

Since the Prayer-Book Distribution Society is an institution in the Diocese and is dependent upon the Diocese for support; therefore, be it

Resolved, That it be placed on the list of objects for which offerings are asked by the Council.

Respectfully submitted,

J. J. GRAVATT,
P. H. MAYO,
Committee.

This report, with its recommendations, was adopted.

REPORT OF THE VIRGINIA PRAYER BOOK DISTRIBUTION SOCIETY.

The report of the Secretary of the Prayer Book Distribution Society was then read by the Secretary of the Council.

Since its organization the Virginia Prayer Book Distribution Society has been an important agent in the missionary work in this Diocese.

It has quietly discharged the duty with which it was commissioned; and while having no sensational statements to make, can report to you that at no time in its history has it declined to send its messengers of the Church to those who asked, nor has it ever lacked the means to meet promptly its incurred obligations.

During the year ending May 15, 1900, there have been distributed free of all cost:

Prayer Books	155	
Hymnals	185	
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Total	340	
With a balance in bank of		\$48 00

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By authority of a resolution adopted by the Council of 1899, the Society was empowered to add to its original prerogative the right to include the Hymnal of the Church in its free distribution, and it has availed itself of this privilege to the extent of its ability.

The applications for Prayer Books and Hymnals have come largely from "Mission Points" and "Sunday-schools in the country," and from points where protracted mission services were being conducted. In every application there has been expressed or implied the desire of the people to use the liturgy of the Church; and in many instances has been declared the good result following such use.

In one case, a student of the University of Virginia, superintending a school four miles out in the mountains, has introduced through your Society the Prayer Book in his school, and has enrolled his work as among the Church institutions.

In another case a Sunday-school in the farthest back country, among unlearned people, has united a congregation through the use of our liturgy, in an orderly, reverential and intelligent worship.

In one other case a mission in the very heart of a city's slums, has by use of the Prayer Book, educated a people to know and to love the Church, and to render such a service as would put to shame many an organized church.

The Prayer Book and the Hymnal should not be separated. Both are essential to the reverent, intelligent public worship of God. The Hymnal of the Church, no less than the Prayer Book, is a compendium of wholesome doctrine, and an aid to instruction in Divine truth. In many missions and Sunday-schools of the Diocese, one or the other of these accredited messengers of the Church, gives place to some popular and questionable substitute. It should be the duty of rectors and superintendents of Sunday-schools, acting with prayerful discretion, to abolish all other forms of worship, and use only such service and such hymns as in our liturgy are known to be unquestionable.

Besides the recognized institutions of the Church in which the Prayer Book and Hymnal should be regarded as essential, there are many places where these would be welcomed, and their use would prove a perpetual good. In the prisons and jails, in the reformatories and houses of refuge, in the factories and workshops, in the hotels and on the railroad trains, wherever there are minds to be enlightened and souls to be saved, is a place for these twin missionaries of the gospel. To them, as to no living missionary, will be given opportunity, and their silent sermons may reach men's souls when the spoken exhortation might be inopportune, or fall on heedless ears.

The Society must confine its distribution within the limits of recognized church institutions, because it has not the means to place its missionaries elsewhere. It prays for your interest and for your help, that it may be en-

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abled to meet the demands of the Church, and yet have enough to send its gospel messengers to those who need, and who through them may learn and heed the truth.

PRESTON NASH, *Secretary*.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON NEW PARISHES.

Rev. W. H. K. Pendleton presented the following report:

The Committee on New Parishes respectfully report that no application for the erection of new parishes has been referred to it.

Respectfully,

W. H. K. PENDLETON,
W. P. MONCURE.

Rev. Mr. Pendleton was, on motion, excused from further attendance on the Council.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON REVISION OF CONSTITUTION.

Rev. Berryman Green, Chairman of the Special Committee, appointed at the last Council on Amendments to the Constitution of the Church, read the following report:

Your Committee, appointed at the last Council, to consider the Constitution of the Church as amended in General Convention of 1898, beg leave to report:

We find that the changes in the Constitution may be classified under three heads, viz: First, rearranged matter; second, new matter added, third, old matter omitted.

1. Under the first head of rearranged matter, we report Article I, Section 1, lines 1-3, Section 4, lines 14-24; Section 6, lines 1-2; Article II, Section 3, lines 1-4; Article III in toto; Article V, Section 1, lines 1-15; Article X, lines 1-9; Article XI, lines 5-11. The changes in rearrangement are generally desirable, having the advantage of clearness of statement over the old Constitution.

2. The second head introduces the class of new matter added to the old Constitution. The changes of this class are found in Article I, Section 1, lines 4-6; Section 2, lines 3-4; taken from canons, Section 3, lines 1-10, taken also from canons, Section 4, lines 5-9; Section 5, lines 1-4; Section 6, line 7; Article II, Section 2, lines 1-10, taken from canons, Section 3, lines 5-9, from canons, Section 4, from canons; Article IV, lines 1-9; Article V, Section 1, line 16, Section 3, Section 4, from canons, Section 6, lines 1-2 and 7-9; Article VI, Section 1, from canons, Section 2, Section 3; Article VII,

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Article VIII, lines 3-5 and 13-14; Article IX, lines 1-4, from canons partly and 14-16 from canons; Article X, lines 11-15-17 and 24-27; Article XI, lines 5-10. The important changes of this class to which your committee would suggest to the Council, for its consideration on Article VII, in regard to the provincial system, and certain portions of Article IX which relate to Courts of Review and a Court of Appeal for the trial of a Presbyter.

3. Under the head of changes of the class of omitted matter from the old Constitution, we call attention to Article I, Section 6, line 5. Article VIII, line 10, which drops the plural form and substitutes doctrine for doctrines.

Your Committee has carefully compared the old and the new Constitutions with the results above stated. We have merely tried to indicate the changes as a guide for the discussions and deliberations of the Council, refraining from comment except where it seemed necessary to call special attention to some very important alteration. We recommend the adoption of all the changes and additions proposed, except Article VII, which relates to the provincial system, and that portion of Article IX which refers to Courts of Review and a Court of Appeal. As to these last, your committee are not prepared to make recommendation.

Respectfully submitted,

BERRYMAN GREEN,
ROBT. K. MASSIE,
L. M. BLACKFORD,
W. P. MONCURE.

On motion of the Rev. G. W. Nelson it was made the order of the day for to-morrow after the Divine service.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CLERICAL SUPPORT.

The following report was read by Mr. C. C. Baughman:

The Committee on Clerical Support have had submitted to them the Treasurer's reports from eighty-five churches, of which eighty report having paid the amounts promised their rectors in full, four having paid more than promised, the amount overpaid being \$80.72.

Five churches are in arrears to their rectors, the total amount being \$85.27.

Forty-five churches report having rectories, and one that steps have been taken to provide a rectory.

We note with pleasure that Christ Church, Winchester, reports having insured the life of its rector for \$7,500.00, and would recommend similar action to the other churches of the Diocese.

While your committee thinks the reports gratifying, so far as the fulfilment of promises is concerned, yet they note with regret the large number of ex-

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ceedingly small salaries paid the clergy, and am persuaded that with proper effort on the part of the vestries a great change for the better might be made.

C. C. BAUGHMAN,
H. M. CLARKSON,
CHAS. KING,
A. W. WALLACE,
R. POWEL PAGE,
H. O. CLAGETT.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE ACCOUNTS OF THE TREASURER
OF THE DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

The Committee on the Diocesan Missionary Society beg to report that they have examined the treasurer's report and find it correct, and the disbursements sustained by proper vouchers.

EDWARD A. TEMPLE,
CHARLES A. BROWN.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON DISABLED CLERGY FUND.

Rev. J. R. Taylor read the following:

We, the committee, appointed to examine the report of W. H. Palmer, treasurer of the fund for the relief of Disabled Clergymen of the Diocese of Virginia, respectfully report that we have examined said report and compared the vouchers for the disbursements and found it correct.

JEFFERSON R. TAYLOR,
Chairman.

Charlottesville, Va., May 17th, 1900.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY AND
EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL.

Report of Trustees of the Theological Seminary and Episcopal High School was read by Mr. Jos. Wilmer for Rev. P. P. Phillips, the secretary:

The Trustees are glad to report that the two institutions show a material gain above last year. The High School has a larger number of students, as has also the Seminary, and is more than holding its own under the good management of Mr. Blackford, and his able corps of assistants. The Seminary is more and more extending its influence beyond the borders of the Virginia, both in drawing men to its walls, and in sending them out to the

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Church at large. It is still, as it has been in the past, the great source from which the missionary forces of the Church are drawn.

Appended are the reports of the Professors of the Seminary, and the Principal of the High School.

Respectfully submitted,

P. P. PHILLIPS,
For the Trustees.

REPORT OF THE CHAIRMAN OF FACULTY OF THE THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.

To the Trustees of the Theological Seminary in Virginia:

GENTLEMEN,—I have the honor to present the following report for the year 1899-1900:

In the improved form of the catalogue, more especially the pages that refer to the instruction in the English Bible, Christian Missions, our valuable library and the beautiful engravings of the Seminary buildings, there will be noticed a marked improvement in the Seminary.

We have at present forty-four students, whose average standing is fully equal to the past, and the work in the several departments has, in general, we believe, been faithfully and conscientiously performed. The fine record of the large junior class, only two of which have dispensations from Hebrew, is worthy of mention, and should encourage in the future the full requirements of the course.

The resolution of the Board, requesting that the entrance examinations be held during the first week of the session, the Faculty has cheerfully complied with. I have found it a great relief, both to themselves and the students to get rid of this task before the regular work begins. It is a decided improvement and the Faculty hope that they will not be asked to make any exceptions to this rule, which must be rigidly enforced, if it is to be effectual.

We desire to call special attention to the English Bible course that has been under the charge of Mr. Hilloker. It will be understood by the Board that this course, being of necessity, at the outset largely tentative, could scarcely hope to realize at once our expectations. Apart from the necessity of adjusting the other departments, so as to give adequate time for this important subject, and the overlapping of instruction, incident to the introduction of a new subject, there was the difficulty felt of defining the subject itself. The phrase "Instruction in the English Bible" has a variety of interpretation. In the report of the travelling Secretary of the Theological Section of the Y. M. C. A. of the United States and Canada, there is given no less than seven interpretations to this subject, by the institutions that pretend to teach it. We believe that to promote familiarity with the contents of the Bible, and the Chapters of its several Books, expository work and memorizing, especially the topical, devotional and practical exposition,

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as outlined on page 21, of the Catalogue, is what is designed by this course. The object is, in a word, to teach the student how to handle with facility the English Bible, and use it to win souls. The peculiar difficulties of the chair, with no previous course mapped out for the Instructor, demands considerable experience before assured success can be attained. With a little patience, and a fair chance, we feel confident that the benefit resulting will justify the effort made. It must be remembered also here that the provision made for this course has enabled the Faculty to add a special department on Christian Missions, which has been by common consent, most helpful. We are thus enabled to have in our Seminary, through the generous gift of Mr. Houston, instruction in two departments that the churches have, for some years, been loudly calling for. To teach the English Bible, in the way desired, so as to inspire the respect and confidence of the students, and to keep the subject on the high plane of learning that such an Institution as this demands, in its several departments, requires a man of large scholarship. No consideration of familiarity with the English version or ability to handle it before a popular audience, would justify us in overlooking this essential requisite of a competent instructor. It is my own personal judgment, with which the Faculty unanimously coincide, that Mr. Hilloker should be appointed again for another year, at the same salary, and we ask the Board to do so.

We urge again, as we did last year, the appointment of a musical instructor at \$250, (the balance of the 1,000) for the session. The addition of the new organ to our Chapel will furnish further facilities for this. Mr. Reade, the Instructor in Elocution, is willing, and we think, able to undertake this. There can be no harm in trying him for a year at least. There is a demand for it. Our ministry, who are made responsible by the Church for this part of the service, should know something at least of the *theory* of music, and not be left entirely at the mercy of their choirs, we believe that this and much more would be accomplished by the appointment of a musical instructor. It would also remedy difficulties that are likely to arise at any time, in connection with our Chapel services, from a want of musical talent among our students. The instructor would have charge of the music at the Sunday morning service, which would result in great improvement. If the Board is unwilling to assume the responsibility of making this appointment at once, we ask that it empower its Executive Committee, in company with myself, to take such action as they deem best. A knowledge of the theory of music, the culture of the vocal and instrumental talent of the students, a material improvement in our Chapel services, and a better equipment for the responsibilities of the ministry, would be the natural outcome of such an appointment.

The missionary interest, which has been such a marked feature of our Institution, is in a healthy condition. It is recognized that the man who remains in the home field may be as true a missionary as the one that goes

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abroad, and the latter will take precedence of the former only in proportion as the home Dioceses fail to come here and plead their cause. The interest in the great cause of Missions is illustrated by the beautiful cases of photographs of many of our missionary heroes, placed in April on the walls of Prayer Hall, to which the attention of the Board is invited, and the disposition of our students to regard the field as the world and to go wherever required by the Church. And the growing interest of the Church at large in our Institution is manifest from the increasing appeals which come for our men.

As the result of the generous gift of \$1,500 from Mrs. Horace A. Beale, of Parkersburg, Pa., the daughter of the Rev. Edwin Mendenhall (class 1844), an old alumnus of the Seminary, we hope to have a new organ in our Chapel by June 1st. The work is being done by Mr. Adam Stein of Baltimore. It will be a beautiful instrument and will meet a long felt want in the Chapel. The presentation of this organ, accompanied by an organ recital, by prominent organists; among others, Mr. Ralph Kimber, of Holy Trinity Church, Philadelphia, who has promised his services gratuitously, will be a feature of our Commencement Exercises. Another feature will be the presentation to the Alumni Association of a handsome oil portrait of the venerable Dr. Packard, by Mrs. Andrews of Washington.

We may add that the gift of Mrs. Beale, and the old organ, will fully pay for the new instrument, and we have on hand an additional sum of about \$300, which in due time will be turned over to the Board to serve as the basis of a repair and music fund. Mrs. Beale has also made provision for a scholarship of \$6,000; and her late husband was for many years a generous benefactor of our Education Society. She and her family are entitled to the grateful recognition of the Board.

We desire to call attention to the importance of our Education Society to the Institution, and the difficulties during the past year of sustaining it. There is a growing prejudice against the generous policy of supporting students in preparation for the ministry, and even the churches within the circle of our regular and normal constituency have not shown the usual disposition to help us. Unusual efforts in consequence had to be made, which another year may not find so fruitful. We are disposed to think a change of policy will not only have to be pursued, but will be desirable in the way of reducing appropriations, and encouraging the men to a larger extent to help themselves. The whole matter is of the gravest importance and demands the most careful and prayerful consideration.

We are grateful in being able to witness to the healthy and promising life of the Seminary. There has been harmonious action, without friction, all along the lines. There has been a steady development. We have a growing constituency, sympathetic and helpful, by their cheering words and prayers, and they never fail us in our hour of need.

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There is room of course for improvement, a new and more commodious library building is at present one of our most urgent needs, both to provide for our increasing number of books and our growing Biblical museum. *Vide*, pages 26, 27 of the catalogue.

I herewith append a statement, as the result of my appeals since last report, which I do by advice, and which may be of interest to the Board, as indicating the sources whence we receive help.

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From Messrs. Roderick & Tyler, table linen, etc., valuation...	\$ 90 00
Mrs. Sge. W. C. Drexel	100 00
Mr. P. H. Mayo	50 00
Rev. Hazlett McKim	50 00
Mrs. H. A. Beale	200 00
Mary E. Blodgett	200 00
Sam. K. Wilson	250 00
Anna Blanchard	100 00
Mrs. F. H. Wyett	100 00
Rev. F. W. Tompkins	100 00
Holy Trinity Memorial Chapel	15 52
A. Crawford	179 81
Rev. Theo. S. Rumney	250 00
Dr. Mackay Smith and St. John's Church, Washington..	50 00
Epiphany Church, Washington	72 91
Dr. E. Walpole Warren	100 00
Mrs. H. A. Beale	1,500 00
Rev. Arthur H. Mellen	5 00
Rev. G. W. Ribble	50 00
W. De F. Johnson	15 00
Holy Trinity Memorial Chapel, Philadelphia	16 53
Rev. Henry L. Jones	100 00
Christ Church, Georgetown	50 00
Rev. Dr. Orrick	40 00
Ogantz	100 00
Dr. Eccleston, Baltimore	50 00
Total	\$3,834 77

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Paid, table linen	\$ 90 00
To <i>P. E. Review</i>	380 00
Self for expenses	40 00
Education Society	1,464 96

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Bath room fixtures and other repairs at Wilderness	164 46
Bibles for Seminary	2 00
Bible for Chapel	3 60
Commodities for Seminary	9 75
On hand for organ	1,500 00
Balance on hand	180 00
	<u>\$3,834 77</u>

It will be understood from this that we have been able to remove the old debt from the *P. E. Review*, which was such a burden on us at our last commencement. And it will be noticed that we have handed over to our Educational Society \$1,464.96.

The \$1,500.00 for the new organ is bearing interest in the American Security and Trust Co., Washington.

The above statement does not include the \$1,000 paid annually and directly to the Treasurer of the Board for the instructor in the English Bible, etc.

I would call attention to the fact that Mr. S. F. Houston, who contributed the \$5,000, has been lying in a critical condition, together with his oldest child, for some weeks. A word of sympathy would be appreciated. His address is Chestnut Hill, Philadelphia, Pa.

Respectfully submitted,

A. CRAWFORD,
Chairman of the Faculty.

April 30, 1900.

REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF SYSTEMATIC DIVINITY, APOLO-
GETICS AND CHRISTIAN ETHICS.

*To the Board of Trustees of the Theological Seminary
in the Diocese of Virginia:*

GENTLEMEN,—I would respectfully report that I have met the three classes throughout the year without interruption. I gave the Juniors a brief course of lectures on theology in general, its great ideas and principles, main divisions in systematic relation, and chief authorities and works. This was followed by the outline study of the Creeds and of the XXXIX Articles.

I lectured to the Middle class on Apologetics, the defense of the Christian faith against hostile assault and misconception. This work was along the same general lines as last year, with some modification in text-books and details of lectures. With my syllabus, I have used Fisher's "Natural Theology," Grant's "Religions of the World," Dale's "Living Christ and the Four Gospels," etc., with reference to Bishop Butler and to modern works in Theism and Christian Evidences.

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The Seniors have covered, somewhat more fully than the last class, the wide field of Christian theology. The text-books are supplemented by full lectures on special topics and assigned readings of essays. The men have shown a most encouraging interest in their work, as also in Christian Ethics, a noble subject to which I find it difficult to do full justice, covering as it does the application of Christian truth and duty to every side of human life, civic and economic, as well as personal and family.

The work of reclassifying the library and completing the card catalogue, which you requested me to supervise, was carried out by the librarian with my assistance, during the summer months, and more slowly, but steadily, through the academic year. The catalogue cards, under the two heads of authors and subjects, have been completed for the books on the main floor. The books upstairs and in the Annex, remain to be done, together with the third section of the catalogue by titles, for the whole library. To this must be added the difficult but most useful indexing of all essays and of our pamphlets, many of value, but useless without a card index with cross references. A notice, calling attention to the valuable features of our library, was inserted in the last Seminary catalogue. I cannot refer to the library without expressing my deep sense of the value of the services of Miss Worthington, and the expression of the hope that it may be possible to allow the same compensation for the extra work next year as was allowed in the year now closing.

R. W. MICOU.

REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF ECCLESIASTICAL HISTORY, CANON
LAW AND CHRISTIAN MISSIONS.

To the Board of Trustees of the Theological Seminary of Virginia:

The courses in Church History and Canon Law have been largely the same as in former years, but the course in Christian Missions being new will require a few more words of explanation.

The Junior class has studied the history of Israel down to the founding of the Christian Church, and is at present reading the book of Acts in Greek and studying the history of the Apostolic Church contained therein.

The Middle class has studied the history of the Medieval Church and will soon begin the study of the Reformation Movement on the Continent. In the Middle and Junior classes each member reads two essays in the course of the session.

The Middle class has also studied the subject of Christian Missions, and I have been gratified at the sustained interest shown. It was originally intended to have one lecture a week throughout the session, but I found it better to have two lectures a week for half the session. So that the course was finished and a satisfactory examination was held last February. I am

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persuaded that this course is a distinct gain for the Seminary, and I trust that nothing may ever interfere with its continuance.

The Senior class has studied the history of the Church of England and the usual course in Canon Law, and is at present engaged in studying the history of our Church in America, and in reading essays, supplemented by notes on Movements of Religious Thought in the Eighteenth and Nineteenth Centuries.

In bringing this report to a close it may not be out of place to say that my work this session has been done with more ease to myself, and I trust with more profit to the classes than was possible last session, when everything was done for the first time.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT K. MASSIE.

Theological Seminary, May 1, 1900.

REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF GREEK LANGUAGE, ETC.

*To the Board of Trustees of the Theological Seminary
in the Diocese of Virginia:*

The usual work has been done by the Senior class in the department of Greek Testament and Exegesis. During the first three months of the session, St. Paul's Epistles to the Ephesians, Philippians, Colossians and Philemon, were carefully studied. After Christmas the class took up the Gospel of St. John using Steven's Johannine Theology as the basis of work. One essay is required from each member of this class, the subject being chosen from the Johannine writings. The class is now studying the Catholic Epistles in order to be followed by the Apocalypse which will complete the work of the session, of course closing with the final examination.

In Church Polity the Senior class studies Hooker, supplemented by lectures, with references to the standard works of recent date in this department, such as Gore on the Christian Ministry, Hatch's (Hatch's) Lectures, Moberley's Ministerial Priesthood, and Hort's Ecclesia. This subject was completed the first week in April, when the class stood an examination resulting in a fair average mark.

The time given to Polity during the first two-thirds of the session is devoted during the last third to Pastoral Theology. This department is supplemented by practical work on the part of the students at the Seminary Mission Stations, which are placed under my charge and direction by Bishop Whittle.

The Middle class gives two hours a week to New Testament Greek. During the first half of the session St. Paul's Epistles to the Corinthians and Galatians were read and carefully exegeted. The last half of the session is given to the Epistles to the Romans and Hebrews. One essay is required weekly during the session from the students in order.

Report of the Professor of Hebrew, &c.

The Junior class has already studied the Gospel of St. Luke, and is now at work on the Gospel of St. Matthew. References are made to the Gospels of St. Mark and St. John through the use of Gardiner's Harmony or Andrew's Life of Christ, either of which the students are required to have. The last six weeks of the session are given to St. Paul's Epistles to the Thessalonians. Essays are read weekly in this class also. In addition to the two hours given to Greek each week, one hour is devoted to the study of the history of the manuscripts and printed Greek text and the canon, using as text-books Schaff's Companion to the Greek Testament and Westcott's Bible in the Church.

The work in all the classes has been satisfactory.

SAMUEL A. WALLIS,

Professor of the Greek Testament and Exegesis,

Church Polity and Pastoral Theology.

May 1, 1900.

REPORT OF THE PROFESSOR OF HEBREW AND ORIENTAL
LANGUAGES AND LITERATURE AND HOMILETICS.

To the Board of Trustees of the Theological Seminary in Virginia:

The Senior class has read critically in Hebrew selected portions from all the prophets, analyzing the several books and studying carefully the history of their ministries. Careful attention has been given to all critical questions involved, to the development of Messianic prophecy, and the study of Hebrew syntax has been completed and constantly applied.

The Middle class has read critically twenty Psalms, including the most important Messianic Psalms; also selected portions of Proverbs, Ecclesiastes, Song of Songs, and Job. Special attention has been paid to the principles of Hebrew poetry and their application. The study of Hebrew syntax has been continued from the Junior year.

The Juniors have read in Hebrew portions of Genesis, Exodus and Leviticus, and have been drilled in the elements of Hebrew grammar and syntax. A Hebrew vocabulary of one thousand words is required, and for the final examination they are required to read at sight any historical portion of Genesis or Deuteronomy. Parts of the other historical books are read and studied and lessons in Exegesis are given during the last three months of the session.

It will thus be seen that in the three years course the Hebrew Bible is practically covered. This, we consider provides a better preparation for the ministry and foundation for future study than concentration of effort on two or three books. The students become familiar with the Hebrew and style of the different books, their contents and literary features, and all funda-

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mental questions are mastered. The principles of the higher criticism are also carefully explained, together with their most important applications.

In Homiletics the Senior men have studied Broadus, and have had training in reading the services and preaching every week in the Chapel. Both reading and preaching are criticized weekly by the professor.

Respectfully submitted,

A. CRAWFORD.

ABSTRACT OF THE REPORT TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE PRINCIPAL
OF THE EPISCOPAL HIGH SCHOOL, MAY 1, 1900.

The whole number of pupils, including twelve day scholars, entered this session, is one hundred and five, as against eighty-seven last year. The maximum attendance has been ninety-eight. Of the one hundred and five, fifty-nine are from the Dioceses of Virginia and Southern Virginia, and eight from West Virginia.

The blessing of health has been accorded us in an unusual degree, there having been but one case of sickness at all serious.

My excellent corps of assistants have continued efficiently to co-operate in every effort for the good of our common charge, and merit your as well as my grateful appreciation. Mr. Wm. Page Dame, of the Seminary Middle class, has again had charge of the Friday night devotional meetings for the boys, and has been untiring in exertions for their welfare. To the Rev. Robert K. Massie, of the Seminary, our thanks are due for faithful and tender pastoral care. He has preached one Sunday night and held one week night communicants' meeting every month in the School Chapel, with weekly Lent services and special instruction for confirmation candidates, besides exercising a generous spiritual oversight of the boys which they and all of us gratefully value. The number of communicants among the boys, including two lately confirmed at home, is thirty. Several besides are now awaiting confirmation here.

On motion of Judge James C. Lamb, it was—

Resolved, That the report of the Special Committee on the Brotherhood, which has just been adopted by the Council, be, and it is hereby referred to the said Corporation for its consideration; and if the plan proposed by the said report shall be approved by it, the said Corporation is requested to take such action as may be necessary to carry the said plan into effect.

Rev. B. M. Randolph moved that the changes in the constitution

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and canons requiring that wherever the words "Assistant Bishop" occur, the words "Bishop Coadjutor" be substituted.

Carried.

The Council adjourned to meet at 8 P. M.

THURSDAY, 8 P. M.

The Council reassembled for service in the interest of Foreign Missions, Bishop Gibson presiding and conducting the service.

Addresses were made by the Rev. R. K. Massie, the Rev. J. A. Ingle on the work in China and the Rev. Dr. Dudley Powers, Secretary of Church Missionary Society. An offering was taken for Foreign Missions.

Adjourned to meet Friday, at 9.30 A. M.

CHRIST CHURCH, CHARLOTTESVILLE, VA.,
FRIDAY, MAY 18, 1900.

The Council met at 9.30, and was called to order by Bishop Whittle.

Prayer was offered by Rev. J. J. Clopton.

The minutes of yesterday were read and approved.

A communication from Rev. W. S. Campbell, Secretary of the Virginia Bible Society, was read by the Rev. L. R. Mason, and the attention of the Council was called to the good work of that Society.

The following resolution, offered by Mr. L. M. Blackford, was adopted:

Resolved, That the chair be requested to appoint a committee of three clergymen and two laymen to consider that portion of the Bishop's report of 1899, relating to the falling off in the number of candidates for Holy Orders, and report to the next Council.

Amendments to the Constitution of the Church.

The Bishop appointed the following: Revs. H. B. Lee, L. R. Mason, R. A. Goodwin and Messrs. H. C. Marchant and Joseph Wilmer.

An invitation was read from the Chaplain of the Miller School by Rev. H. B. Lee, and on motion of the Rev. E. Valentine Jones, the thanks of the Council were returned for the same.

Rev. J. J. Clopton moved that the discussion of the Amendments to the Constitution of the Church, being the order of the day for 12 M., be taken up at once.

Lost.

The Council then adjourned for Divine service.

The service was conducted by Rev. J. R. Ellis, Rev. Preston Nash and Rev. H. B. Lee. The sermon by Rev. Edward Wall, was preached from Acts v: 42.

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

The order of the day, being the Amendments to the Constitution of the Church, was then taken up.

On motion of Rev. G. W. Nelson, the following was adopted:

Resolved, That the Council of the Diocese of Virginia does not concur in the adoption of Article VII, of the proposed New Constitution, as sent down to the Dioceses by the last General Convention for their action.

The following resolution was offered by Mr. Rosewell Page:

Resolved, That the Council of the Diocese of Virginia does not concur in the adoption of Article IX, of the proposed new constitution as sent down to the Dioceses by the last General Convention for their action.

Carried.

Report of the Committee on the State of the Church.

Rev. H. B. Lee moved that the proposed addition to Article X, of the Constitution, be not adopted.

The Rev. R. K. Massie offered as a substitute:

Resolved, That this Council concurs in the proposed change to Article X.

Carried.

VOTE OF THANKS.

The Rev. W. M. Clark offered the following vote of thanks which was adopted by a rising vote:

Resolved, That the Council extend its cordial thanks to the good people of Charlottesville for their hospitality; to the rector, and to the vestry of Christ Church; to its choir for their excellent music and faithful attendance on the meetings and services of the Council; to the Committee of Arrangements for their careful attention to the delegates; to the pages for their ready assistance in transacting the business of the Council; and to the several managers of the railroads for their kindness and liberality in giving reduced rates on their several routes to the delegates in attendance on the Council and to the press for faithful reports.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE STATE OF THE CHURCH.

Report of the Committee on the State of the Church was read by the Secretary for the Rev. Edward Wall:

The time, at the disposal of your committee, in consequence of the delay in getting the reports of other committees upon which this committee must necessarily base its report, has been too limited to admit of a very full report. We find, however, from what has transpired since the meeting of this Council, and from the reports of committees presented, on the one hand much to encourage, on the other, things which should lead us to earnest reflection.

Among the first, we notice with pleasure the earnest work done by the Virginia Branch of the Woman's Auxiliary, which, from the report presented, shows a most encouraging state of affairs, and we heartily commend it as a most efficient agency for both doing missionary work and stirring up among the ever faithful women of the Diocese, a real missionary knowledge and interest.

We have noted also with pleasure the interest and zeal manifested by this

 Report of the Committee on the Episcopal Fund.

Council and congregation on the subject of missionary work. There seems to be a reawakening in regard to Diocesan work, as well as work among the colored people, and the general work of the foreign field. It is a hopeful sign too, that there has been a renewed effort on behalf of the Brotherhood. In this we but recognize a solemn duty and responsibility in making provision for those who are helpless and dependent. For all this we have deep cause to be thankful, because we believe it indicates a healthy spiritual tone in the Diocese at large.

We are, however, much hampered in drawing just conclusions of the progress of the Diocese, because of the incompleteness of the reports from parishes; and would reiterate the recommendation so often made that ministers and wardens would more faithfully fulfill this duty.

Again we notice that while there is much room for improvement in the finances of the Diocese, as indicated by the Finance Committee's report, they show a rather better condition than usual.

The decrease in the number of the clergy of the Diocese we trust is only a temporary one, which the filling of vacant parishes will remedy. And while your committee again notes, with regret, the falling off of young men offering themselves for the work of the sacred ministry, we feel it best to leave to your special committee the consideration of its causes.

After all is said, however, we are more than ever convinced that God is with us, and that the state of the Church seems, upon the whole, to be such as to fill our hearts with thankfulness to God for his past goodness, and to warrant us in cherishing the hope that she will continue to be in the future, what she has been in the past, a blessed influence for the uplifting and ennobling of men and women in our beloved Diocese, and for bringing them into the everlasting Kingdom of our Lord and Master Jesus Christ.

EDWARD WALL, *Chairman*
 JOHN D. LAMOTHE,
 R. W. HILLEARY,
 J. R. ZIMMERMAN,
 JOHN TEMPLE.

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON EPISCOPAL FUND.

Report of Committee on the Episcopal Fund was presented by the Secretary:

I have examined the accounts of the treasurer of Episcopal Fund, and find them correct.

HENRY WINGATE.

 Adjourned *sine die*.

On motion of Rev. J. D. LaMothe, it was

Resolved, That after the reading of the minutes and appropriate religious exercises, the Council adjourn *sine die*.

After reading the minutes and singing the hymn "Blest be the Tie that Binds," and prayer by Bishop Whittle, the Council adjourned *sine die*.

F. M. WHITTLE, *President*.

EVERARD MEADE, *Secretary*.

IN MEMORIAM.

THE REVEREND

Thomas William Vaughan,

(COLORED.)

Born in Brunswick county, Va., March 20, 1854.

Educated in Lawrenceville under the Rev. James S. Russell, and
at the Colored Divinity School in Petersburg.

Ordained Deacon by Bishop Whittle in St. Philip's Church,
Richmond, June 30, 1889.

He took charge immediately afterwards of St. Paul's Church, Gordonsville, and St. Paul's School connected with it. In both of these he served with faithfulness.

DIED MARCH 12, 1900.

"Well done good and faithful servant,"

APPENDIX.

Treasurers' and Parochial Reports, &c.,
for 1900.

Treasurer's Account,

DIOCESAN MISSIONARY SOCIETY,

in account with JOHN L. WILLIAMS, Treasurer.

1899	RECEIPTS.	S. SCHOOLS.	
May	16—Balance on hand this date.....		\$3,194 00
	St. Andrew's Church, Beckford parish....	5 00	5 00
	Woman's Aux., Barton Heights, Henrico,		2 50
	17—Monumental Church, Richmond.....	83 10	83 10
	Grace Church, Richmond.....	80 75	80 75
	Aquia Church, Overwharton parish.....		1 00
	Church of Our Saviour, Fauquier.....		6 00
	Church of Our Saviour, Fauquier.....	2 00	2 00
	Trinity Church, Fauquier.....		4 00
	St. Anne's parish, Essex.....		10 32
	St. Anne's parish, Essex.....	1 00	1 00
	18—Emmanuel, Hanover.....	20 00	20 00
	Fork, Hanover.....	6 07	6 07
	St. Martin's, Hanover.....	2 57	2 57
	St. Luke's, Remington.....		7 83
	St. Luke's Sunday-school, Remington....	1 80	1 80
	Grace, Casanova.....		1 25
	Grace Sunday-school, Casanova.....	22	22
	Ware parish Sunday-school, Gloucester..	2 50	2 50
	Abingdon Sunday-school, Gloucester....	1 00	1 00
	20—Leeds parish, Fauquier.....		15 37
	Piedmont, Fauquier.....		3 08
	St. Andrew's, Richmond.....		50 00
	25—Christ Church, Richmond.....		30 53
	29—Quantico Church, Dettingen.....		1 30
June	5—Trinity Church, Hanover.....		3 00
	Immanuel Ch. Sunday-school, Hanover..	3 00	3 00
	9—St. James', West Point.....		5 75
	Theological Seminary, Alexandria.....		30 00
	Immanuel Church, King and Queen.....		7 42
	Woman's Aux., Grace Church, Albemarle,		3 75
	19—St. Paul's, Goochland.....		25 00
	23—Churches in King George county.....		6 00
	26—St. Margaret's Church, Caroline.....		2 72
	29—Grace Church, Casanova.....		1 28
	St. Stephen's, Cedar Run parish.....		3 54

Diocesan Missions

July	4—St. Paul's, Burley's Cross Roads.....		1 20
	Glen Carlyn.....		5 25
	7—Trinity, Upperville.....		15 56
	All Saints' Chapel, Culpeper.....		4 25
	St. Thomas', Orange.....		16 75
	10—Pohick and Olivet.....		6 70
	Churches in St. Martin's parish.....		10 00
	Grace Memorial, Lynnwood.....		19 05
	Leeds Parish, Fauquier.....		3 40
	13—St. Anne's parish, Albemarle.....		4 00
	St. Mark's parish, Culpeper.....		13 25
	17—Member St. Paul's, Alexandria.....		20 00
	20—St. Anne's parish, Essex.....		2 00
	24—White Chapel, Essex.....		2 00
	Grace, Essex.....		4 00
	Trinity, Essex.....		50
	Va. Babies' Branch through Bp. Whittle..		25 00
	25—Emmanuel Church Sunday-school, Theo-	9 00	9 00
	logical Seminary.....		
	31—St. Paul's, Goochland.....		25 00
	St. James', Montross.....		1 22
	Washington parish.....		5 78
Aug'st	7—Whittle parish, Fauquier.....		30 00
	10—Christ Church, Brandy Station.....		5 96
	Calvary, Mitchells.....		1 22
	31—St. Luke's, Remington.....		4 20
Sept.	13—Christ Church, Culpeper.....		6 00
	18—Clifton, Widewater.....		2 00
	Aquia.....		1 75
	21—Christ, Gordonsville.....		20 00
	23—Washington parish, Oak Grove.....		5 00
	29—Quantico Church, Dumfries.....		83
Oct.	2—St. Stephen's, Fauquier.....		6 59
	5—St. Luke's, Remington.....		3 50
	9—St. Mary's, Goochland.....		3 23
	Pohick and Olivet Churches, Fairfax....		11 80
	Whittle Parish, The Plains.....		12 00
	20—St. James, Montross.....		4 12
	23—Christ, Ridley parish.....		5 00
	24—St. Luke's, Essex.....		5 00
	Trinity, Manassas.....		3 35
	25—St. George's, Fredericksburg.....		50 00
Nov'r	9—Member of Christ Church, Alexandria..		20 00

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Nov'r 9—St. Paul's Gordonsville.....	1 00
16—Zion Church, Fairfax.....	5 07
18—Miss Eliza Ruffin, Edge Hill Memorial Chapel.....	5 00
21—Overwharton parish, Clifton Chapel and Aquia Church.....	3 55
Grace, Richmond.....	30 23
23—St. Paul's, Haymarket.....	15 25
28—Beckford parish, Shenandoah.....	3 30
29—Meade Memorial, White Post.....	6 50
Dec'r 1—Christ Church, Gordonsville.....	1 27
St. John's, Tappahannock.....	2 76
Lynnwood parish, Luray.....	3 59
St. Paul's, Richmond, through Rev. Pres- ton Nash.....	25 00
4—Monumental, Richmond.....	17 39
Monumental Auxiliary, Richmond.....	15 00
6—Hamilton.....	5 00
Round Hill.....	1 52
11—St. Margaret's, Caroline.....	2 41
North Farnham parish, Emmerton.....	2 93
Piedmont, Madison.....	2 50
Trinity and St. Paul's, Rappahannock....	10 00
18—St. David's, Aylett's.....	5 00
St. James', Montross.....	2 60
Christ Church, Ridley parish.....	7 00
19—St. Peter's, Washington parish.....	5 15
Colonial Beach, Washington parish.....	1 95
Payne Chapel, Washington parish.....	1 90
Grace Church, Casanova.....	5 10
Grace Church Sunday school, Casanova..	32
St. Stephen's, Cedar Run parish.....	1 75
St. Paul's, Alexandria.....	41 62
20—Mrs. J. P. Gayle, Spotsylvania Courthouse,	2 63
22—Meade Memorial Church, White Post....	1 52
26—Aquia Church and Clifton Chapel, Over- wharton parish.....	3 36
St. Anne's parish, Albemarle.....	3 55
Monumental Church, Richmond.....	37 19
29—Christ, Ridley parish.....	5 00
Trinity and St. Paul's, Rappahannock....	10 65
Quantico, Dumfries.....	80
St. James', Hamilton parish.....	8 90

Diocesan Missions.

Dec. 30—Emmanuel, Rapidan.....	10 81
1900. Cople parish, Hague.....	9 98
Jan'y 2—St. Paul's, Hamilton.....	17 00
St. Paul's Sunday school, Hamilton.....	1 79
Grace, Casanova.....	1 34
5—Whittle parish, The Plains.....	12 00
Zion, Fairfax.....	8 04
6—St. Paul's, Essex.....	3 69
8—Beckford parish, Shenandoah.....	1 50
9—Trinity, Manassas.....	9 52
Woman's Missionary Society, St. Paul's Alexandria.....	72 00
10—Leeds parish.....	6 50
Piedmont parish.....	3 00
Episcopal Church, Vienna, Fairfax.....	3 62
12—All Saints Chapel, Slaughter parish.....	4 97
St. Paul's Church, Richmond.....	144 67
15—St. Stephen's, Culpeper.....	16 35
Abingdon, Gloucester.....	5 78
Ware, Gloucester.....	4 03
Ware parish Sunday school.....	5 19
19—St. Martain's parish, Hanover....	20 02
20—Pohick and Olivet, Fairfax.....	5 31
26—Ladies Sewing Society, Theological Semi- nary.....	20 01
Children's Missionary Society, Washington parish.....	4 35
St. Peter's Church, Washington parish....	65
29—St. Margaret's, Caroline.....	2 57
30—St. John's, Richmond.....	75 00
Feb'y 1—St. Jame's, Montross.....	7 00
5—Lynwood parish, Page.....	5 00
9—A. M. S., Mitchells.....	2 00
Thank Offering, Berryville.....	2 00
14—St. Paul's, Culpeper.....	10 00
Nomini, Westmoreland.....	1 42
19—Christ Church, Mathews county.....	7 13
Trinity, Mathews county.....	1 60
24—Member of St. Paul's, Alexandria.....	3 00
Grace, Albemarle.....	16 42
St. John's, Louisa.....	8 64
March 2—John Greaves, Ivy Depot.....	5 00
3—Emmanuel, Henrico.....	412 76

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March 8—Aquia, Overwharton parish.....		1 00	
Clifton Chapel, Overwharton parish.....		3 50	
21—Whittle parish, Plains		12 00	
April 4—St. John's, King George.....		2 74	
Emmanuel, King George		1 80	
Emmanuel Branch Womens Aux., Green-			
wood		10 00	
9—Fork Church, St. Martain's parish..		10 00	
St. Paul's, Goochland Courthouse.....		25 00	
St. Stephen's, Cedar Run parish.....		15 00	
11—Madison		2 00	
13—Christ Church, Winchester.....		24 11	
17—St. Paul's, Hanover.....	1 95	1 95	
Grace, Berryville.....		13 88	
Grace Sunday school, Berryville.....	46 12	46 12	
St. Paul's, Hamilton.....		13 00	
St. Paul's Sunday school, Hamilton	42 00	42 00	
Christ, Goresville.....		2 50	
Christ Sunday school, Goresville	11 50	11 50	
St. Peter's, Port Royal.....		33 20	
St. George's Sunday school, Fredericks-			
burg.....	105 00	105 00	
Quantico, Dumfries		1 77	
Episcopal Church, Vienna		3 14	
A member of St. Paul's, Alexandria.....		20 00	
St. John's Sunday school, West Point.....	13 14	13 14	
18—St. James', Montross.....		6 21	
St. James', Sunday school Montross.....	6 19	6 19	
Whittle parish Sunday school, Fauquier..	23 00	23 00	
19—Christ Church, Fairfax.....		7 44	
St. Timothy, Fairfax.....		13 08	
St. Timothy Sunday school, Fairfax.....	18 37	18 37	
20—Christ Church, Alexandria		45 00	
Christ Church Sunday school, Alexandria,	84 00	84 00	
21—St. Paul's Church, Raccoon Ford.....		20 00	
Grace Church, Casanova.....		11 68	
Grace Sunday school, Casanova.....	12 14	12 14	
St. Stephen's, Cedar Run		6 84	
Leeds parish, Fauquier		1 89	
Piedmont parish.....		90	
Leeds parish, Easter Offering		5 95	
Leeds parish, Sunday school	3 60	3 60	
Trinity Church, Lancaster.....		1 00	

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April 21—St. George's, Fredericksburg		95 00	
Edgehill Memorial Chapel.....		11 19	
23—St. James' Church, Warrenton.....		8 17	
St. David's Sunday school, King William,	24 00	21 00	
Monumental Branch Women's Auxiliary,			
Richmond		10 00	
St. James' Church, Louisa		5 76	
Mineral City Mission, Louisa.....		4 41	
Barbour Memorial, Orange		2 73	
St. John's Sunday school, Tappahannock..	24 39	24 39	
St. Paul's Sunday school, Essex.....	9 06	9 06	
Immanuel, King and Queen.....		4 14	
24—Trinity Sunday school, Manassas.....	10 83	10 83	
Children of J. H. C. Beverley, Chance ...	4 00	4 00	
Children of Mrs. Mary S. Sale.....	2 00	2 00	
Emmanuel, Albemarle.....		9 38	
St. Anne's parish, Albemarle.....		15 60	
25—Zion Episcopal Church Sunday school,			
Fairfax	12 35	12 35	
St. Paul's Church, Woodville		15 25	
Trinity Church, Washington.....		22 14	
Trinity Church, Fauquier		24 43	
Trinity Sunday school, Fauquier.....	22 05	22 05	
Christ Church Sunday school, Charlottes-			
ville	48 20	48 20	
St. Andrew's Mt. Jackson		1 12	
St. Andrew's Sunday school, Mt. Jackson,	7 15	7 15	
Immanuel Church, Woodstock.....		1 25	
Sons of H. B. Chapman, Woodstock	7 50	7 50	
St. Luke's Sunday school, Richmond.....	27 33	27 33	
26—Christ Church, Mathews county.....		22 81	
Christ Church Sunday school, Mathews			
county ..	7 79	7 79	
Trinity, Mathews county		4 72	
Trinity Sunday school, Mathews county...	3 36	3 36	
St. John's, Mathews county.....		1 32	
Christ Church, Culpeper		22 22	
Calvary, Culpeper		4 45	
St. James' Church Branch Women's Aux-			
iliary, Warrenton.....		19 00	
St. John's Church, Rivanna parish.....		14 13	
St. James'. Ashland.....		20 00	
St. James' Sunday school, Ashland.....	12 30	12 30	

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April 26—St. James', Richmond	514	89
Epiphany, Richmond	57	12
27—Christ Church, Culpeper, Additional	5	50
Grace Sunday school, Goochland Court- house	2	75
Abingdon, Gloucester	1	28
Abingdon Sunday school, Gloucester	10	98
Ware Church, Gloucester	14	09
Ware Sunday school, Gloucester	17	87
Wickliffe Branch Women's Auxiliary, Wick- liffe	15	00
St. Peter's, Washington parish	1	00
Payne's Chapel Sunday school, Washing- ton parish	6	26
28—Grace, Alexandria	8	76
Grace, Alexandria	2	64
St. Peter's, Oak Grove	15	56
St. Peter's Sunday school, Oak Grove	26	01
Children's Missionary Society	1	85
Ladies' Aid Society	20	00
Colonial Beach Sunday school	5	10
Pohick and Olivet, Fairfax	12	71
Pohick and Olivet Sunday schools, Fairfax	41	65
30—Emmanuel, Henrico	519	03
Church of Our Redeemer, Aldie	1	55
Monumental Sunday school, Richmond	112	72
St. Paul's Sunday school, Alexandria	85	00
Monumental Sunday school, Richmond, Additional	13	57
May 1—Emmanuel, Middleburg	11	10
St. Thomas', Orange	27	00
St. Thomas' Sunday school, Orange	31	61
Meade Memorial, White Post	7	15
2—Grace, Berryville	19	15
Mt. Calvary, Round Hill	4	09
Christ Church, Goresville	52	52
St. Luke's Mission Sunday school, Char- lottesville	12	06
Church of Our Redeemer Sunday school, Aldie	14	82
St. Paul's Chapel Sunday school, Nomini Grove	2	05
St. Stephen's, Culpeper	15	00

Diocesan Missions.

May 2—St. Mark's, Rixeyville	19	67
Highlands Home School, Mitchells	4	00
St. Luke's Mission Church, Essex	11	00
4—St. James' Sunday school, Richmond	168	35
St. Paul's, Haymarket	15	63
5—St. Paul's Church Sunday school, Rich- mond	172	48
Trinity Sunday school, Hanover	7	54
Fork Sunday school, Hanover	16	81
8—Grace, Berryville, additional	75	
Pohick Sunday school, Fairfax, additional	4	00
Calvary, Luray	13	61
Christ Church, Luray	4	04
Cople parish Sunday school, Westmoreland	37	43
Cople parish, Westmoreland	7	97
Grace Church, Albemarle	16	23
Grace Church Sunday school, Albemarle	14	26
St. John's Chapel, Louisa	4	51
All Saints', Richmond	304	53
All Saints' Sunday school, Richmond	97	48
Aquia and Clifton Sunday schools, Stafford	4	75
Quantico Sunday school, Dumfries	1	00
St. John's, Richmond	114	14
Grace, Richmond	43	99
Woman's Auxiliary, Church of Epiphany, Barton Heights	2	50
9—St. John's, Lunenburg parish	16	29
St. John's Sunday sch'l, Lunenburg parish	35	07
Cople parish Sunday school, Westmoreland	1	31
St. Luke's, Remington	2	60
Grace, Casinova	1	30
St. Stephen's Sunday school, Cedar Run parish	8	45
Westover parish, Charles City	41	07
William L. and George B. Wickham, mite boxes	5	00
Fork Church, Hanover	50	
Woman's Missionary Society, St. Paul's Church, Alexandria	54	57
St. Mark's, Richmond	2	21
St. John's Richmond	50	00
11—Church of Our Saviour Sunday school, Hanover	2	70

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May 11—Christ Church, Charlottesville.....		64 25
Emmanuel, Henrico.....		71 36
12—Edgehill Memorial Chapel Sunday school, additional.....	2 00	2 00
St. Paul's Sunday school, Gordonsville ..	3 30	3 30
St. Peter's, Port Royal, additional.....		1 50
St. Paul's Sunday school, Westmoreland..	1 55	1 55
Christ Church Sunday school, Winchester, Overwharton parish, Stafford.....	36 65	36 65
		2 50
14—St. Martin's Church Sunday school, Han- over.....	3 00	3 00
Holy Trinity, Richmond.....		229 69
St. Andrew's Church, Richmond.....		60 00
St. Andrew's Sunday school, Richmond..	100 00	100 00
	\$1,920 73	\$10,060 27
Disbursements.....		6,697 25
		3,363 02
15—St. Paul's Sunday school, Richmond.....		190 31
St. James', Ashland.....		5 15
Balance.....		\$3,558 48

DISBURSEMENTS.

1899.		
May 22—W. B. Williams, Assistant Treasurer.....		37 50
29—Rev. Preston Nash.....		75 00
Rev. J. R. Ellis, special services, three years at Mineral City.....		50 00
Rev. Hugh Martin.....		50 00
June 2—Rev. Carter Page.....		25 00
Rev. W. N. Claybrooke.....		37 50
17—Rev. A. R. Walker.....		50 00
Rev. D. C. T. Davis.....		37 50
Rev. R. C. Cowling.....		31 25
26—Rev. Wm. B. Lee.....		37 50
Rev. Preston Nash, bill of expenses.....		15 00
29—Rev. J. H. Hundley.....		37 50
July 4—Rev. Martin Johnson.....		50 00
5—Baughman Stationery Co.....		1 25
Rev. J. W. Ware.....		50 00
Rev. John McNabb.....		37 50
7—Rev. John McGill.....		62 50

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July 7—Rev. E. Valentine Jones.....		35 00
Rev. C. E. A. Marshall.....		50 00
Rev. W. J. Morton.....		50 00
Rev. E. Meade.....		50 00
Rev. J. Howard Gibbons.....		75 00
10—Rev. J. J. Clopton.....		62 50
Rev. John S. Douglas.....		50 00
12—Revenue stamps.....		1 00
Rev. J. R. Taylor.....		37 50
11—Rev. W. C. Latané.....		68 75
Rev. W. H. Laird.....		31 25
13—Rev. John D. LaMothe.....		62 50
Rev. S. S. Ware.....		50 00
19—Rev. W. H. Laird, additional due him....		6 25
20—Rev. Job Turner.....		50 00
21—Rev. S. S. Hepburn, Miss Webb's legacy..		30 00
24—Rev. S. S. Hepburn.....		62 50
Rev. E. B. Burwell.....		50 00
Aug. 1—Rev. W. B. Williams.....		25 00
Rev. W. B. Williams.....		37 50
2—Rev. Preston Nash.....		75 00
Rev. Preston Nash.....		75 00
9—Rev. Henry Wingate.....		75 00
3—Rev. Wm. B. Lee.....		37 50
24—Rev. Hugh Martin.....		50 00
Sept. 9—Rev. E. A. Temple.....		75 00
Rev. W. N. Claybrooke.....		37 50
18—Rev. J. R. Ellis.....		87 50
Rev. Albert R. Walker.....		50 00
21—Rev. J. W. Ware.....		50 00
27—Rev. E. B. Burwell.....		50 00
Octob. 2—Rev. J. J. Clopton.....		62 50
Rev. John McNabb.....		37 50
Rev. J. Howard Gibbons.....		75 00
Rev. Preston Nash, travelling expenses...		15 00
3—Rev. Carter Page.....		37 50
Rev. John McGill.....		62 50
Postage.....		3 58
Baughman Stationery Company.....		1 00
4—Rev. E. Meade.....		50 00
Rev. John S. Douglas.....		50 00
Rev. Wm. H. Laird.....		37 50
Rev. Edward Valentine Jones.....		35 00

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Oct.	5—Rev. Wm. C. Latané	68 75
	Rev. D. C. T. Davis	62 50
	6—Rev. J. R. Taylor	37 50
	7—Rev. W. J. Morton	50 00
	Rev. J. H. Hundley	37 50
	Rev. Wm. B. Lee	37 50
	Rev. C. E. A. Marshall	50 00
	14—Rev. S. S. Ware	50 00
	17—Rev. Henry Wingate	75 00
	20—Rev. J. R. Ellis	12 50
	30—Rev. Preston Nash	150 00
Nov.	2—Rev. W. B. Williams	25 00
	9—Rev. S. S. Hepburn	62 50
	14—Rev. W. B. Williams, Ass't Treas.	37 50
	15—Rev. Hugh Martin	50 00
Dec.	5—Rev. W. N. Claybrooke	37 50
	6—Rev. D. C. T. Davis	62 50
	8—Rev. Carter Page	37 50
	15—Rev. Preston Nash, stamps, env'ps, &c. ...	14 00
	18—Rev. J. W. Ware	50 00
	Rev. E. A. Temple	37 50
	20—Revenue stamps	93
	22—Rev. Martin Johnson	50 00
	26—Rev. W. H. Laird	37 50
1900.		
Jan'y	2—Rev. J. J. Clopton	62 50
	Rev. John McNabb	37 50
	3—Rev. J. R. Ellis	50 00
	Sexton St. Paul's Church	5 00
	4—Rev. W. B. Williams, Ass't Treas.	62 50
	5—Rev. J. Howard Gibbons	75 00
	Rev. C. E. A. Marshall	50 00
	10—Rev. J. H. Hundley	50 00
	Rev. Wm. J. Morton	50 00
	Rev. Henry Wingate	75 00
	11—Rev. E. Meade	50 00
	15—Rev. Wm. B. Lee	37 50
	16—Rev. S. S. Ware	50 00
	Rev. A. R. Walker	50 00
	17—Rev. R. C. Cowling	62 50
	18—Rev. John D. LaMothe	31 25
	19—Rev. S. S. Hepburn	62 50
	21—Rev. J. R. Taylor	37 50
	30—Rev. Preston Nash	150 00

Diocesan Missions.

Feb'y	5—Rev. B. T. Turner	37 50
	Rev. W. C. Latané	50 00
	9—Rev. W. C. Latané	18 75
	19—Rev. Hugh Martin	50 00
	28—Baughman Sta. Co.	6 25
March	2—Rev. W. N. Claybrooke	37 50
	Rev. D. C. T. Davis	62 50
	5—Rev. Carter Page	37 50
	Rev. Edw. A. Temple	37 50
	9—Rev. G. S. Somerville	50 00
	Wm. Ellis Jones	25 75
	17—Rev. A. R. Walker	50 00
	24—Rev. J. W. Ware	50 00
	31—Rev. J. R. Ellis	50 00
	Rev. Edw. Valentine Jones	35 00
April	2—Rev. Preston Nash	75 00
	4—Rev. J. J. Clopton	62 50
	Rev. W. J. Morton	50 00
	Rev. C. E. A. Marshall	50 00
	Rev. J. Howard Gibbons	75 00
	Revenue stamps	1 00
	5—Rev. John McNabb	37 50
	9—Rev. Henry Wingate	75 00
	Rev. O. M. Yerger	62 50
	Rev. S. S. Hepburn	62 50
	Rev. J. H. Hundley	50 00
	10—Rev. E. Meade	50 00
	11—Rev. R. C. Cowling	50 00
	14—Rev. S. S. Ware	50 00
	17—Rev. W. C. Latané	68 75
	Rev. John D. LaMothe	31 25
	20—Wilson Paper Box Co.	118 74
	21—Rev. J. R. Taylor	37 50
May	2—Rev. W. B. Williams	37 50
	Rev. B. T. Turner	37 50
	Rev. Edward Valentine Jones	35 00
	Rev. W. B. Williams	25 00
	11—Rev. Preston Nash, (check still out)	75 00
		<u>\$6,697 25</u>

We, the Committee appointed by the Executive Committee of the D. M. S., have examined the above account and find the same correct and sustained by proper vouchers.

G. G. MINOR,
JOHN R. WHEAT.

Treasurer's Account,

*The Society for the relief of Disabled Clergymen of the
Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia,
In account with WILLIAM H. PALMER, Treasurer.*

1899.
May 5—Cash in City Bank to the credit of the So-
ciety, by last report at this date \$1,494 37

RECEIPTS FROM THE CHURCHES.

1899.
May 16—Pohick Church, Fairfax county 2 14
18—St. Andrew's Church, Richmond 25 00
Grace Church, Goochland 1 00
June 1—St. Paul's Church, Farnham parish, Essex, 4 00
Emmanuel Church, St. Stephen's parish... 4 00
Rev. James Grammer, Winchester 10 00
Nov'r 9—A member of St. Paul's Ch., Alexandria.. 10 00
Dec. 26—St. James' Church, Warrenton 15 30
28—E. F. C. A., Williamsburg, Va. 5 00
29—Seminary Chapel 28 51
Ware Church, Ware parish, Gloucester... 4 00
30—St. Peter's Church, Washington parish... 4 00
Payne Chapel 1 00
1900.
Jan'y 1—Grace Church, Richmond 24 48
Christ Church, Winchester 32 01
2—St. James' Church, Richmond 69 22
Grace Church, Berryville 22 50
3—St. John's Church, Richmond 20 43
Whittle parish 10 00
5—St. Timothy's Church, Upper Truro p'sh, 2 25
Zion Episcopal Church, Fairfax county... 5 00
8—Trinity Church, Meade parish 18 20
9—Trinity Church, Manassas 1 61
Leeds parish 4 00
11—St. Paul's Church, Richmond 121 43
14—St. Paul's Church, Alexandria 127 30
Christ Church, Millwood 10 75
17—Christ Church, Ridley parish, Culpeper... 4 00
St. Thomas' Church, Orange 9 53

Disabled Clergy.

Jan'y 20—Holy Trinity Church, Richmond 73 77
Piedmont parish 25
22—Westover parish 12 69
Wickliffe parish 2 00
29—St. John's Church, Fluvanna parish 2 52
31—St. John's Church, Hanover parish, King
George 4 13
Feb'y 2—Lynnwood parish—C. E. A. Marshall.... 4 81
P. P. Nalle, Raccoon Ford 5 00
6—Grace Church, Casanova 1 42
March 2—Emmanuel Church, Greenwood 1 50
St. Paul's Church, Ivy Depot 3 35
3—Emmanuel Church, Henrico county 356 03
27—St. Peter's Church, Front Royal 4 00
Grace Church, Caroline 2 30
31—Grace Church, Albemarle 16 29
April 11—Mrs. S. E. Early, Madison 3 00
12—St. Luke's Church, Essex 2 00
17—A member of St. Paul's Church, Alexan-
dria 10 00
21—St. George's Church, Fredericksburg 25 00
23—Christ Church, Gordonsville 5 23
28—Grace Church, Rivanna parish 1 00

Amount received from the churches, 1,132 95

\$2,627 32

DEBTOR.

1899.
Aug'st 7—To cash sent Rev. Edwin H. Green, Drakes
Branch, Charlotte county 75 00
10—To cash sent Col. Arthur Herbert, Treas.,
Seminary, Alexandria, Virginia, for Dr.
Packard to July 1, 1900 180 00
For Dr. Walker to July 1, 1900 144 00
Oct'r 5—To cash sent Dr. Edwin H. Green, Drakes
Branch, Charlotte county 30 00
Nov'r 4—To cash sent Dr. Edwin H. Green, Drakes
Branch, Charlotte county 75 00
Dec'r 19—To cash sent Dr. Edwin H. Green, Drakes
Branch, Charlotte county 50 00
20—To cash sent Thomas W. Willcox, com-
mittee, Rev. T. M. Ambler, Norfolk 100 00
Cash sent Rev. J. C. Wheat, Lynwood,
Rockingham county 100 00

Treasurer's Account,

Dec. 20—To cash sent Dr. Joseph Packard, Christmas offering	10 00	
To cash sent Dr. C. Walker, Christmas offering	10 00	
1900.		
Jan'y 30—To cash sent Rev. Edwin H. Green, to Louisburg, N. C.....	50 00	
Feb'y 6—To cash sent Dr. H. B. Carmichael, 515 Wellington street, Montreal, Canada (committee appointed by Chancery Court, city of Richmond, Sept., 1899), for Rev. Dr. Hartley Carmichael, of St. Paul's Church, Richmond.....	200 00	
M'ch 3—To cash sent Thomas H. Willcox, committee, Rev. T. M. Ambler	300 00	
To cash sent Rev. J. C. Wheat, Lynnwood, Rockingham county	300 00	
31—To cash sent Rev. Edwin H. Green, to Drakes Branch.....	30 00	
Total amt. paid out to disabled clergy,		1,654 00
		<u>\$973 32</u>

INVESTED FUNDS—RECEIPTS.

1900.		
May 4—By this amount received from J. M. Ball, Treasurer, collections from securities in possession of the Virginia Trust Co.:		
Int. on Georgia Pacific R. R. Co. bonds..	60 00	
Int. on Petersburg R. R. "B" bonds.....	60 00	
Int. on Va. 3 per cent. bonds.....	60 00	
Int. on Va. 2-3 per cent bonds	60 00	
Int. on Richmond city bonds.....	30 00	
Int. on Petersburg R. R., A 5's.....	200 00	
Int. on Georgia Midland Ry. bonds.....	300 00	
	770 00	
Int. from Virginia Trust Company.....	14 67	
	784 67	
Less amount apportioned to the Disabled Clergy Fund of the charge of the Virginia Trust Company for taking care of the securities of the Diocese of Virginia,	26 00	
	758 67	

Disabled Clergy.

By int. on balances from the City Bank:		
1899. June 30, 1899.....	\$15 03	
1899. Dec'r 31, 1899.....	12 32	
		27 35
Total receipts from invested funds ..		<u>\$786 02</u>
Balance cash on deposit in the City Bank of Richmond, Va.....		<u>\$1,759 34</u>

ASSETS OF THE SOCIETY, MAY 5, 1900.

1,000 Georgia Pacific 1st bond, 6's.....	\$1,000 00
1,000 Petersburg R. R. "B" bond, 6's.....	1,090 00
2,000 Virginia 3's bond	1,350 00
3,000 Virginia 2's-3's bond, 2's	1,773 75
500 Richmond city bond, 6's.....	550 00
4,000 Petersburg R. R. bonds, 5's "A".....	4,240 00
10,000 Georgia Midland, 3's	5,725 00
<u>\$21,500</u>	<u>\$15,728 75</u>

Cash balance to the credit of the Society in the City Bank of Richmond, Virginia.....	1,759 34
	<u>\$17,488 09</u>

Respectfully submitted,

E. & O. E.

WILLIAM H. PALMER,
Treasurer.

We have examined the within account and the vouchers, and find the same correct.

JAMES N. BOYD,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
Auditing Committee.

RICHMOND VA., May 7, 1900.

Treasurer's Account,

*The Society for the Relief of the Widows and Orphans
of Deceased Clergymen of the Diocese of Virginia,
In account with E. B. ADDISON, Treasurer.*

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1899.		
May	3—By balance on hand	\$1,541 04
	By cash collections from the following sources:	
	18—Westover parish.....	9 32
	St. Luke's Church, Essex county.....	3 00
	Grace Church, Albemarle county.....	2 56
	St. John's Church, Warsaw.....	2 00
	Whittle parish.....	10 00
	Emmanuel Church, Henrico county.....	195 04
	Monumental Church, Richmond.....	21 06
	St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.....	3 50
	Christ Church, Lancaster county.....	1 50
	25—Grace Church, Goochland county.....	2 00
	St. Andrew's Church, Richmond.....	25 00
July	25—St. Mark's parish, Culpeper county.....	11 35
	A member of St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.....	10 00
Octo.	19—Immanuel Church, King and Queen county.....	4 00
	St. Paul's Church, Essex county.....	3 34
	Holy Trinity Church, Richmond.....	23 00
Nov.	10—St. Paul's Church, Alexandria, from a member.....	10 00
	St. Paul's Church, Alexandria.....	13 39
Dec.	18—Grace Church, Berryville.....	22 50
	St. John's Church, Richmond.....	24 69
	St. Peter's Church, Port Royal.....	3 38
	Grace Church, Caroline county.....	1 25
	27—Ware Church, Gloucester county.....	2 50
	28—St. James Church, Ashland.....	10 16
	30—Cople parish.....	5 25
1900.		
Jan'y	3—Christ Church, Winchester.....	32 01
	St. James' Church, Leesburg.....	25 00
	6—St. Andrew's Church, Mt. Jackson.....	3 20
	St. Paul's Church, Richmond.....	101 43
	St. Thomas' Church, Orange.....	9 53
	Wickliffe parish, Clarke county.....	2 00
	Christ Church, Millwood, Va.....	15 36

Widows' and Orphans' Fund.

Jan'y	6—Christ Church, Chantilly.....	1 71
	St. Timothy Church, Upper Truro parish.....	3 65
	St. Stephen's Church, King & Queen county.....	3 97
	Emmanuel Church, Greenwood.....	1 50
	St. Paul's Church, Ivey Depot.....	3 35
	Trinity Church, Upperville.....	6 90
	Westover parish, Charles City county.....	12 21
April	10—St. Paul's Church, Culpeper county.....	5 00
	11—Mrs. S. E. Early, Madison.....	3 00
	13—St. Luke's Church, Essex county.....	2 00
	18—St. Paul's Church, Haymarket.....	3 68
	Whittle parish.....	12 00
	19—Seminary Chapel, Easter offering.....	57 42
	27—St. David's Church, King William county.....	2 50
	Grace Church, Caroline county.....	1 25
	St. George's Church, Fredericksburg.....	25 00
	28—Grace Church, Rivanna parish.....	1 50
	St. James' Church, Richmond.....	30 78
May	2—Emmanuel Church, Henrico county.....	260 14
	Washington parish, Westmoreland county.....	2 00
	3—Interest per J. M. Ball, Treasurer, from securities in his charge.....	660 67
	Less Trust Company charges, &c.....	26 00
		<u>634 67</u>
	4—Interest on Deposits in Bank.....	24 90
	Total.....	<u>\$3,248 49</u>

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1899.		
May	26—To cash paid first half of appropriation:	
	Mrs. A. J. W. Hobson.....	75 00
	Mrs. A. W. Weddell.....	50 00
	Mrs. C. Y. Steptoe.....	37 50
	Mrs. E. C. Murdaugh.....	37 50
	Mrs. M. B. Ward.....	25 00
	Mrs. E. B. McGuire.....	30 00
	Mrs. W. C. Meredith.....	50 00
	Mrs. Kinloch Nelson.....	87 50
	Mrs. H. Suter.....	62 50
	Mrs. Roberta P. Newton.....	100 00
	Mrs. Mina D. Fisher, Guardian.....	87 50
	Mrs. Harriet R. Hynes.....	25 00
	Miss Bell Minnigerode.....	100 00

Treasurer's Account,

Dec. 9—To second half of appropriation:

Mrs. A. J. W. Hobson.....	75 00
Mrs. A. W. Weddell.....	50 00
Mrs. C. Y. Steptoe.....	37 50
Mrs. E. C. Murdaugh.....	37 50
Mrs. E. B. McGuire.....	30 00
Mrs. W. C. Meredith.....	50 00
Mrs. Kinloch Nelson.....	87 50
Mrs. H. Suter.....	62 50
Mrs. Roberta P. Newton.....	100 00
Mrs. Mina D. Fisher, Guardian.....	87 50
Mrs. Harriet R. Hynes.....	25 00
Miss Belle Minnigerode.....	100 00
Balance in City Bank as per bank deposit book.....	1,738 49
Total.....	<u>\$3,248 49</u>

Respectfully submitted,

E. B. ADDISON, *Treasurer.*

E. & O. E.

Richmond, Va., May 4, 1900.

We have examined the account and vouchers and find the same correct.

WM. H. PALMER,
JAMES N. BOYD,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
Auditing Committee.

Richmond, Va., May 7, 1900.

Bruce Fund.

THE BRUCE FUND *in account with* JAMES M. BALL, *Treasurer.*

1899.	
May 1—By balance in Virginia Trust Company...	\$211 63
July 1—By City Bank dividend.....	7 50
By City of Richmond interest.....	10 00
By Virginia interest.....	5 00
Aug. 1—By R. M. College interest.....	55 00
Oct. 1—By Georgia Midland R. R. interest.....	75 00
By Petersburg R. R. coupon.....	60 00
By Atlanta & Charlotte R. interest.....	15 00
1900.	
Jan'y 2—By City of Richmond interest ..	10 00
By City Bank dividend	7 50
By Virginia Century interest.....	5 00
Feb'y 1—By R. M. College interest.....	55 00
April 1—By Atlanta & Charlotte R. R. interest....	15 00
By Atlanta & Charlotte R. R. Bond.....	500 00
By Petersburg R. R. coupon.....	60 00
By Georgia Midland R. R. interest.....	75 00
By interest on deposits.....	14 67
	<u>\$1,181 30</u>
1899.	
July 7—To draft Bishop Whittle, Chr. Stanardsville,	211 63
Aug. 8—To ¼ Va. Trust Co., for care of securities,	25 00
1900.	
Jan'y 2—To draft Bishop Whittle, Chr. Stanardsville,	225 00
Feb'y 1—To ¼ bill C. W. Saunders for printing....	1 00
To balance in Virginia Trust Company...	718 67
	<u>\$1,181 30</u>

Securities deposited with the Virginia Trust Company:

Par value.	Market value.
\$ 2,000 00 Petersburg R. R., Class "B" 6%.....	\$ 2,400 00
2,000 00 Randolph Macon College 5½%.....	2,000 00
400 00 City of Richmond 5% bonds.....	448 00
250 00 City Bank of Richmond stock 6%.....	300 00
5,000 00 Georgia Midland R. R. 3%.....	3,000 00

Treasurer's Account,	
500 00 Virginia Century 2%	465 00
Balance in Virginia Trust Company	718 67
<u>\$10,150 00</u>	<u>\$9,331 67</u>

Respectfully submitted,

JAS. M. BALL, *Treasurer.*

We have examined the within account and find the same correct.

WM. H. PALMER,
JAMES N. BOYD,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
Auditing Committee.

Richmond, Va., May 7, 1900.

Episcopal Fund.	
THE EPISCOPAL FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA, <i>In account with C. C. BAUGHMAN, Treasurer.</i>	

1899.	
May 1—Balance in Virginia Trust Company	\$623 49
July 1—C. and R. coupons	45 00
Virginia coupons	15 00
Virginia coupons	13 00
Alexandria coupons	29 21
Sept. 1—Va. Midland R. coupons	34 00
Oct. 1—Geo. Midland R. coupons	15 00
C. and R. coupons	45 00
Virginia coupons	28 00
Alexandria coupons	29 19
1900.	
March 1—Va. Midland R. coupons	34 00
April 1—Geo. Midland R. coupons	15 00
30—Interest on deposits	14 69
1899.	
Aug. 8— $\frac{1}{4}$ Va. Trust Co. for care of funds	\$ 25 00
1900.	
Feb. 2— $\frac{1}{4}$ Bill C. W. Saunders, printing	1 00
Balance in Va. Trust Co.	914 58
	<u>\$940 58</u>
	<u>\$940 58</u>

SECURITIES DEPOSITED WITH VIRGINIA TRUST COMPANY.

Par Value.		Market Value.
\$ 300	Virginia Midland R. R. bond 6%	\$ 300 00
1,500	Char. and Rapidan 1st mortgage bond 6%	1,500 00
1,000	Virginia Midland R. R. bond 5%	1,000 00
1,600	City of Alexandria bond 3.65%	1,600 00
1,000	Virginia bond 3%	934 00
1,300	Virginia century bond $\frac{2}{3}$ %	1,196 00
1,000	Geo. Midland R., 1st mortgage bond 3%	600 00
	Balance in Virginia Trust Co.	914 58
<u>\$7,700</u>		<u>\$8,044 58</u>

Respectfully submitted,

C. C. BAUGHMAN, *Treasurer,*

April 30, 1900.

Treasurer's Account,

We have examined the above account and find it correct.

WM. H. PALMER,
JAMES N. BOYD,
CYRUS BOSSIEUX,
Auditing Committee.

Richmond, Va., May 7, 1900.

REPORT OF ROSEWELL PAGE, TREASURER OF BETHANY INSTITUTE.

TO THE BISHOP:

Dear Sir,—In the City Bank, Richmond, Va., is the fund belonging to the Bethany Institute amounting to (\$816.79) eight hundred and sixteen dollars and seventy-nine cents, as shown by my report last year.

This sum bears 3% interest from May 19th 1899.

Respectfully submitted,

ROSEWELL PAGE, *Treasurer.*

Contingent Fund.

THE CONTINGENT FUND OF THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA,

In account with R. S. CHAMBERLAYNE, Treasurer.

1899.			
May	1—	By balance on hand in City Bank.....	\$ 647 24
June	15—	Amount received from May 1st to June 15th	\$7,550 76
	17—	Gloucester, Ware, Ware.....	9 00
		Clarke, Cunningham Chapel, Christ...	4 00
	19—	Goochland, St. James Northam, St. Mary's.....	2 00
	20—	Gloucester, Abingdon, Abingdon.....	2 00
	22—	Orange, St. Thomas, St. Thomas.....	26 00
	26—	Albemarle, Walkers, Grace.....	3 00
	27—	Fairfax, Truro, Zion.....	12 50
		Fairfax, Truro, Good Shepherd.....	2 00
	28—	Richmond, North Farnham, Emmanuel Fairfax, Upper Truro, Christ.....	20 00
July	3—	Fairfax, Fairfax, Theo. Seminary.....	5 00
		Fairfax, Fairfax, St. John's.....	23 00
	5—	Fairfax, Fairfax, Vienna Mission.....	2 00
	11—	Prince William, Haymarket, St. Paul's,	3 00
	31—	Westmoreland, Washington, St. Peter's; Westmoreland, Washington, Payne's Chapel.....	4 50
Nov'r	23—	Fauquier, John's parish, Our Redeemer, Fauquier, Meade, Trinity.....	1 00
			5 00
			7 00
Oct'r	5—	Dividend 1% on 29 shares So. R'y pref. stock	7,681 76
			29 00
1900.			
April	7—	Dividend 1½% on 29 shares So. R'y pref. stock	43 50
			72 50
1899.			
Aug'st	9—	Amount returned by Bishop Whittle...	125 00
Nov.	15—	" " " " ..	125 00
1900.			
Feb'y	5—	" " " " ..	125 00

Treasurer's Account,

April 30—	“ “ “ “ ..	125 00	
	Three per cent. on deposits in City B'k,		500 00
			90 67
			<u>8,992 17</u>
1899.			
May 5—	To Rev. Everard Meade, expenses to Council	\$10 00	
15—	Rev. W. C. Latané, Ass't Secretary at Council	25 00	
	Charles Belton, sexton at Council.....	15 00	
	Rev. Everard Meade, on acc't salary...	75 00	
23—	Geo. M. West & Co., stationery.....	1 90	
31—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for May.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for May	50 00	
			300 00
June 19—	W. E. Jones, on account of Journals ..		200 00
July 5—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for June.....	250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for June	50 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, expenses to date.....	41 00	
			341 00
14—	W. E. Jones, balance on Journals	\$173 00	
	W. E. Jones, mailing and express	50 00	
	W. E. Jones, Treasurer's reports.....	3 75	
			226 75
Aug. 8—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for July	\$250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for July	50 00	
			300 00
9—	Rev. Everard Meade, on account of salary.....	25 00	
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary 1st quarter	\$750 00	
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses 1st quarter	15 00	
			<u>765 00</u>

Contingent Fund.

Sept'r 6—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for August.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for August	50 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, expenses to date.	40 54	
			<u>340 54</u>
19—	Rev. E. Meade, on account salary.....		50 00
28—	R. S. Chamberlayne, in full of salary as Treasurer		100 00
Oct'r 2—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for September.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for September.....	50 00	
			300 00
Nov'r 1—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for October.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for October	50 00	
			300 00
13—	Rev. W. M. Clark, on account of salary.....	\$50 00	
	Rev. W. M. Clark, expenses to date	10 00	
			60 00
15—	Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary 2d quarter	\$750 00	
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses to date	35 00	
			785 00
Dec'r 1—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for November	\$250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for November	50 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, expenses to date	56 00	
			356 00
	12— Rev E. Meade, in full of salary		50 00
1900.			
Jan. 2—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for December	\$250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for December	50 00	

Treasurer's Account,

	Bishop R. A. Gibson, expenses for December.....	18 50	
			318 50
Feb'y 1—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for January.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for January.....	50 00	
			300 00
	5— Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary 3d quarter,		750 00
March 3—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for February.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for February.....	50 00	
			300 00
	8— City culvert tax Bishop's residence.....		5 25
	28— Hunter & Co., stationery for Sec'ty....		9 30
April 2—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for March.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for March.....	50 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, expenses to date ..	32 50	
			332 50
	16— D. N. Walker & Co., five years' insur- ance on the Bishop's residence.....		56 25
	20— Rev. R. A. Goodwin, salary for the year.....	\$100 00	
	Rev. R. A. Goodwin, expenses for the year.....	6 55	
			106 55
	21— Rev. W. M. Clark, balance salary due,		50 00
30—	Bishop R. A. Gibson, salary for April.....	\$250 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, rent for April.....	50 00	
	Bishop R. A. Gibson, expenses to date.....	25 00	
			325 00
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, salary 4th quarter.....	\$750 00	
	Bishop F. M. Whittle, expenses to date.....	10 00	
			760 00

Contingent Fund.

	R. S. Chamberlayne, post. and revenue stamps.....	1 01	
			7,940 55
May 1—	By balance on hand in City Bank,		\$1,051 62

MEMORANDUM.

Twenty-nine (29) shares Southern Railway preferred stock, par value \$100 per share.

R. S. CHAMBERLAYNE,
Treasurer.

E. & O. E.

RICHMOND, VA., *May 1, 1900.*

RECEIPTS OF THE TREASURER OF THE CONTINGENT FUND TO JUNE 15, 1900.

COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Treasurer's Account,		Delinquency this year.
				Amount Paid.		
Albemarle	Fredericksville.	Buck Mountain	34	\$ 6 00	28 00	
"	"	St. Paul's	72	26 50	45 50	
"	"	St. John the Baptist Chapel	30		30 00	
"	"	Christ	388	321 00	77 00	
"	"	St. James	19		19 00	
"	"	St. Luke's	17		17 00	
"	"	Edge Hill	32	12 00	20 00	
"	Greenwood	Emmanuel	33	33 00		
"	Walker's	Grace	113	69 00	44 00	
"	St. Anne's	Christ	26	26 00		
"	"	St. John's	42	37 00	5 00	
Alexandria	Fairfax	Christ	280	280 00		
"	"	St. Paul's	259	259 00		
"	"	Grace	50 00			
Caroline	Drysdale	Meade Chapel (colored)				
"	St. Mary's	St. Margaret's Chapel	27	10 00	17 00	
Charles City	Westover	St. Peter's	46	33 00	13 00	
"	"	Grace	38	17 00	21 00	
Clarke	Westover	Mapisco	65	41 00	24 00	
"	"	Westover				
"	Cunningham Chapel.	Grace				
"	"	Christ	180	82 00	98 00	
"	"	Emmanuel Chapel				
"	Clarke.	Old Chapel				
		Grace	192	121 00	71 00	

COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Contingent Fund.		Delinquency this year.
				Amount Paid.		
Clarke	Wickliffe	Wickliffe	33	22 00	11 00	
"	Greenway Court	Meade Memorial	58	40 00	18 00	
Culpeper	St. Mark's	St. Stephen's	157	150 00	7 00	
"	Ridley	Christ	77	66 00	11 00	
"	"	St. Paul's	38	31 00	7 00	
"	"	Calvary	8	8 00		
"	Slaughter	Emmanuel	55	53 00	2 00	
"	"	All Saints' Chapel	28	14 25	13 75	
Essex	St. Anne's	Vauter's				
"	"	St. Matthew's		18 00		
"	South Farnham	St. Paul's	35	20 00	15 00	
"	"	St. John's	57	20 50	36 50	
"	"	St. Luke's		19 00		
Fairfax	Truro	Zion	65	50 25	14 75	
"	"	The Good Shepherd	29	12 50	16 50	
"	"	Pohick				
"	"	Olivet	80	33 00	47 00	
"	Upper Truro	Christ				
"	"	St. Timothy's	61	32 00	29 00	
"	Fairfax	Falls	74	33 00	41 00	
"	"	Vienna Mission	21	18 50	2 50	
"	"	St. John's	27	61 00	27 00	
"	"	Theo. Seminary Chapel	61	7 50	27 50	
"	"	Trinity Chapel	35	4 00	2 00	
"	"	Groveton	23		23 00	
"	"	St. Paul's Chapel				
"	"	The Good Shepherd (colored)				
"	"	St. John's, West End	36	10 55	25 45	
"	"	Sharon	17	2 00	15 00	
"	Centreville	St. John's	32	16 50	15 50	
"	"	Chantilly				
Fauquier	Hamilton	St. James	153	153 00		
"	"	Chapel (Baldwin's Ridge)				
"	Cedar Run	St. Stephen's	27	19 00	8 00	
"	Leed's	Leed's	66	50 00	16 00	

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COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount paid.	Delinquency this year.
Fauquier	Leed's	Bethel Mission	74	38 00	36 00
"	Meade	Trinity	27	16 00	11 00
"	Whittle	Church of Our Saviour	106	106 00	
"	"	Grace	20	19 72	28
"	"	Whittle Chapel	49	31 00	18 00
"	Piedmont	Emmanuel	45	19 00	26 00
"	Emmanuel	Grace	53	32 00	21 00
Fluvanna	"	St. Luke's	12	7 00	5 00
"	"	St. John's	168	168 00	
Frederick	Rivanna	Grace	17	26 00	17 00
"	Frederick	St. Thomas	64	48 00	29 00
Gloucester	Abingdon	Abingdon	11	11 00	8 00
"	Ware	Holy Innocents' Chapel	8	17 00	36 00
"	St. James' Northam.	St. Paul's	53	16 00	5 00
Goochland	"	All Saints	21		
"	"	Grace	5		
Greene	"	St. Mary's	83	41 25	41 75
Hanover	St. Martin's	Grace			
"	"	Fork			
"	"	St. Martin's			
"	"	Trinity			
"	"	Church of Our Saviour			

COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Communicants reported.	Amount paid.	Delinquency this year.
Hanover	St. Paul's	Emmanuel	45	23 81	21 19
"	"	St. Paul's	29	27 00	2 00
"	Ashland	St. James'	48	24 00	24 00
Henrico	Henrico	St. John's	539	234 51	304 49
"	"	Weddell Memorial Chapel			
"	"	Chapel of Good Shepherd (col'd)			
"	"	Monumental	485	260 00	225 00
"	"	St. Paul's	502	502 00	
"	"	St. Andrew's	151	109 39	41 61
"	"	St. James'	501	501 00	
"	"	Christ	239	66 15	163 85
"	"	Grace	305	395 00	
"	"	St. Mark's	257	39 25	217 75
"	"	Holy Trinity	440	440 00	
"	"	All Saints'	340	340 00	
"	"	Emmanuel	117	117 00	
"	"	St. Philip's (colored)			
"	"	St. Luke's			
"	"	Epiphany, Barton Heights	90	42 00	48 00
King	St. Paul's	St. Paul's	73	42 00	31 00
"	Hanover	St. John's	64	21 00	26 00
"	"	Emmanuel		17 00	
"	Brunswick	Lamb's Creek			
King & Queen	St. Stephen's	Immanuel Chapel	9	9 00	
King William	St. David's	St. David's	25	25 00	
"	St. John's	St. John's	30	18 00	12 00
Lancaster	Christ Church	Christ			
"	"	White Chapel			
"	"	Grace		29 60	
"	"	Trinity			
Loudoun	Shelbourne	St. Paul's	68	40 00	28 00
"	"	Mt. Calvary	21	2 00	19 00
"	"	Christ	20	16 00	4 00
"	"	St. James'			
"	"	Belmont Chapel		141 00	111 00
"	"	Church of Our Saviour	252		

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COUNTIES.	PARISHES.	CHURCHES.	Treasurer's Account,		Delinquency this year.
			Communicants reported.	Amount Paid.	
Loudoun	John's	Emmanuel	.....	19 00	.....
"	"	Church of The Redeemer	.....	36 00	.....
Louisa	Green Spring	St. John's and Chapel	22	6 00	16 00
Madison	Trinity	St. James	68	32 00	36 00
Mathews	Bromfield	Piedmont	14	8 00	6 00
"	Kingston's	Christ	64	33 00	12 75
Middlesex	"	Trinity	.....	18 25	.....
New Kent	Christ Church	Christ	37	.....	37 00
Northumberland	St. Peter's	St. Peter's	19	4 00	15 00
"	Wicomico	Wicomico	.....	1 00	.....
Orange	St. Stephen's	St. Stephen's	12	.....	12 00
"	St. Thomas	St. Thomas	97	97 00	.....
"	"	Christ	85	54 00	31 00
"	"	Barbour Memorial	28	16 00	12 00
Page	"	St. Paul's Chapel (colored)	.....	.....	.....
"	Luray	Christ	16	8 00	8 00
Prince William	"	Calvary	17	.....	17 00
"	Dettingen	St. James	.....	48 00	61 00
"	"	Trinity	109	.....	.....
"	"	Quantico	21	7 50	13 50
"	Haymarket	St. Paul's	174	90 00	84 00
Rappahannock	"	Grace Chapel	.....	.....	.....
"	Bloomfield	St. Paul's	80	52 00	28 00
"	"	Trinity	.....	.....	.....
Richmond	Lunenburg	St. John's	71	34 00	37 00
"	North Farnham	Emmanuel	82	65 00	17 00
Rockingham	Rockingham	Grace Memorial	30	15 25	14 75
Shenandoah	Beckford	St. Andrew's	75	19 00	56 00
"	"	Emmanuel	250	250 00	.....
Spotsylvania	St. George's	St. George's	93	19 50	73 55
"	"	Trinity	.....	.....	.....
"	"	St. George's Chapel	.....	.....	.....
Stafford	Berkeley	Christ	20	6 00	14 00
"	Overwharton	Aquia	.....	33 00	44 00
Warren	St. Thomas	Clifton Chapel	77	42 00	28 00
Westmoreland	Washington	Calvary	74	46 00	28 00
"	"	St. Peter's	.....	.....	.....
"	Cople	Payne's Chapel	109	58 50	50 50
"	"	Nomini	27	16 00	11 00
"	Montross	Yeocomico	.....	.....	.....
"	"	Cople Chapel	.....	.....	.....
"	"	St. James
"	"	St. Paul's Chapel
				\$7,498 73	

R. S. CHAMBERLAYNE,
Treasurer Contingent Fund.

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ALBEMARLE COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. H. B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

Jno. T. Antrim, Treasurer—P. O. Charlottesville.

Baptisms: adults white 7, infants white 14, total 21. Confirmations: white 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 407, added white 21 (of which by transfer 8), total 428; removed 37, died 3, total 40; present number 388. Marriages: white 12, colored 3, total 15. Funerals: white 11. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 13, scholars 123, total 136. Contributions \$135.86. Number of scholars confirmed, 1. Members of the Brotherhood, 27. Members of Brotherhood St. Andrew, 20. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 79.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$2,100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	4,072 75
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$48.20 from mite boxes), . . .	112 45
Education Society, . . .	17 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	27 32
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	25 03
Contingent Fund, paid last year, . . .	300 03
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	25 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	123 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	48 20
Other general objects, . . .	243 15
Total, . . .	\$7,091 93

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EDGE HILL MEMORIAL CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. HENRY WINGATE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

Miss Eliza Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Shadwell.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 26, added white 6, total 32, present number 32. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 89, total 97. Contributions: \$5.65. Number of scholars confirmed 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$141 83
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$13.19 from mite boxes), . . .	13 19
Contingent fund, paid last year, . . .	10 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	5 00
Total, . . .	\$170 02

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. HENRY WINGATE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

Miss J. R. Macon, Treasurer—P. O., Simeon.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 19; removed 2, present number 17. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 50, total 55.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$25 11
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	61 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	12 08
General—Other general objects, . . .	46 43
Total, . . .	\$144 62

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ST. JAMES' CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. HENRY WINGATE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville, Va.

Mrs. Colthurst, Treasurer—P. O., Garth, Va.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 18, added white 1; total 19; present number 19.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$38 25
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	25 56
	<u>\$63 81</u>

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.

Post-Office—Ivy Depot.

Mr. R. Mackreth, Treasurer—P. O., Ivy Depot.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 6, total 7. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 72, present number 72. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 8. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 32, total 35. Contributions \$10.77. Number of catechisings, several. Number of scholars confirmed 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$317 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	42 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, (\$15.95 from mite boxes),	12 08
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 35
Disabled Clergy,	3 35
Contingent Fund paid last year,	40 50
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	16 00
General—Foreign Missions,	3 59
Domestic Missions,	3 59
Other general objects,	6 00
Total,	<u>\$461 83</u>

Parochial Reports, Albemarle.

EMMANUEL CHURCH, GREENWOOD PARISH.

Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.

Post-office—Ivy Depot.

Mr. Wm. B. Harrison, Treasurer—P. O., Greenwood.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 33, present number 33. Funerals: white 1. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 10.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$210 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	70 84
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$4.00 from mite boxes),	21 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 50
Disabled Clergy,	1 50
Contingent Fund paid last year,	31 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	30 00
General—Foreign Missions,	4 00
Domestic Missions,	4 00
Other general objects,	9 00
	<u>\$382 84</u>

ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST'S CHAPEL, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. FREDERICK W. NEVE, Rector.

Post-office—Ivy Depot.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 2, total 4. Funerals 4. Confirmations 11. Communicants: formerly reported 22; present number 30. Sunday-school teachers 2, scholars 35, total 37.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$12 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	180 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	1 50
General—Foreign Missions,	2 00
Total,	<u>\$195 50</u>

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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. WM. H. LAIRD, Rector.

Post-office—Keene.

T. G. Griffin, Treasurer—P. O., Scottsville.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 42; present number 42. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$150 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	60 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$7.00 from mite boxes),	13 11
Education Society,	3 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	42 00
General—Foreign Missions,	2 05
Other general objects,	5 00
Total,	\$275 16

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. ANNE'S PARISH.

Rev. WM. H. LAIRD, Rector.

Post-office—Keene.

Lieut. C. P. Shaw, Treasurer—P. O., Alberene.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 25, added white 1, aggregate 26; present number 26. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$520 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	150 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, (\$9.60 from mite boxes),	17 15
Education Society,	7 28
Disabled Clergy,	10 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	26 00
General—Foreign Missions,	16 41
Total,	\$746 84

Parochial Reports, Albemarle.

BUCK MOUNTAIN CHURCH, FREDERICKSVILLE PARISH.

Rev. HENRY WINGATE, Rector.

Post-office—Charlottesville.

Mr. J. W. Huff, Treasurer—Earlsville.

Communicants: formerly reported white 34; present number 34.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$112 00
Disabled Clergy,	1 20
Total,	\$113 20

GRACE CHURCH, WALKER'S PARISH.

Rev. EDW. VALENTINE JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Cismont.

W. E. Money, Treasurer—P. O., Cismont.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 6, aggregate 9. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 109, colored 1, total 110, added white 6, aggregate 116; removed 1, withdrawn 1, died 1, total 3; present number 113. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 15, scholars 150, total 165; colored, teachers 1, scholars 35, total 36. Contributions \$25.00. Number of catechisings, 24. Number of scholars confirmed, 5. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 6. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$680 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	85 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, (\$14.26 from mite boxes),	53 00
Education Society,	15 44
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	5 46
Disabled Clergy,	16 29
Contingent Fund paid last year,	74 25
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	33 00

Parochial Reports, Alexandria.

General—Foreign Missions,	61	41
Prayer Book Distribution Society,	7	56
Other general objects,	41	50
Total,	\$1,080	91

ALEXANDRIA COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. BERRYMAN GREEN, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

G. Wm. Ramsay, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 10, total 11. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 268, added white 23 (of which by transfer 9), total 291; removed 6, died 5, total 11; present number 280. Marriages: white 7. Funerals: white 26. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 23, scholars 225, total 248. Contributions \$168. Number of scholars confirmed 3. Members of Brotherhood St. Andrew, 14. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 58.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$3,415	00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	1,400	00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	152	18
Education Society,	55	00
Disabled Clergy,	34	27
Contingent fund, paid last year,	268	00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	186	13
General—Foreign Missions,	273	21
Domestic Missions,	208	12
Other general objects,	809	00
Total,	\$6,800	91

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. P. P. PHILLIPS, Rector.

Post-office—Alexandria.

Parochial Reports, Caroline.

J. R. Zimmerman, Treasurer—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 22, total 24. Confirmations: white 9. Communicants: formerly reported white 261, colored 1, total 262; added white 19 (of which by transfer 3), aggregate 281; removed 14, withdrawn 3, died 4, total 21; present number 260. Marriages: white 14. Funerals: white 16. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 34, scholars 291, total 325. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of the Brotherhood, 16. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 14.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,413	68
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	1,683	98
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$85 from mite boxes),	316	19
Education Society,	106	22
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	36	89
Disabled Clergy,	120	71
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	261	00
General—Foreign Missions,	98	48
Domestic Missions,	63	00
Other general objects,	446	25
Total,	\$5,546	40

CAROLINE COUNTY.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, ST. MARY'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. WARE, Rector.

Post-office—Port Royal.

Wm. T. Pratt, Treasurer—P. O., Port Royal.

Communicants: formerly reported white 48, added white 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 49; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number, 46. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: White 4, colored 1, total 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$274	82
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	113	92

Parochial Reports, Caroline.

Diocesan—Missionary Society,	34 20
Education Society,	3 32
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 38
Disabled Clergy,	4 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	34 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	14 75
General—Foreign Missions,	12 28
Total,	\$494 67

GRACE CHURCH, ST. MARY'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. WARE, Rector.

Post-office—Port Royal.

Dr. C. B. Morton, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Communicants: formerly reported white 39; died 1, present number 38. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$162 52
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	5 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$2.25 from mite boxes),	7 25
Education Society,	2 55
Widows' and Orphan's Fund,	2 50
Disabled Clergy,	3 87
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	18 50
Total,	\$202 19

ST. MARGARET'S CHURCH, DRSYDALE PARISH.

Rev. W. B. WILLIAMS, Minister in charge.

Post-office—Richmond.

James Hunter, Jr., Treasurer—P. O., Ruther Glen.

Communicants: formerly reported white 26, died 1; present number 25. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	7 70
Total,	\$107 70

CHARLES CITY COUNTY.

WESTOVER, MAPSICO AND GRACE CHURCHES, WESTOVER PARISH.

Rev. JOHN C. CORNICK, Rector.

Post-office—Westover.

John A. Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Westover.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 66, added white 2, total 68; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number 65. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 15, total 18. Contributions \$10 28. Members of the Brotherhood 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$528 25
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	110 06
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$19.88 from mite boxes)	41 07
Education Society,	11 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	12 21
Disabled Clergy,	12 69
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	5 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	51 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	11 46
General—Foreign Missions,	27 00
Domestic Missions,	9 27
Virginia Bible Society,	12 41
Other general objects,	25 00
Total,	\$856 42

Parochial Reports, Clarke.

CLARKE COUNTY.

GRACE CHURCH, CLARKE PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD WALL, Rector.

Post-office—Berryville.

R. R. Smith, Treasurer—P. O., Berryville.

Baptisms: infants white 4, colored 2, total 6. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 193, colored 4, total 197; added white 6, aggregate 203; removed 6, died 5, total 11; present number 192. Marriages: white 11. Funerals: white 9; colored 2, total 11. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 50, total 56; colored, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Contributions: \$19.19. Number of Catechisings, weekly. Number of scholars confirmed, 2. Members of the Brotherhood, 4. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 6. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,254 67
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	482 58
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$46.12 from mite boxes),	81 90
Education Society,	17 30
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	22 50
Disabled Clergy,	22 50
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	128 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	46 67
General—Foreign Missions,	14 00
Domestic Missions,	12 50
Total,	\$2,082 62

CHRIST CHURCH, CUNNINGHAM CHAPEL PARISH.

Rev. J. COURTNEY JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Millwood.

Thomas M. Nelson, Treasurer—P. O., Millwood.

Baptisms: infants white 8. Confirmations: white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 168, colored 7, total 175; added

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white 10 (of which by transfer 2), aggregate 185; removed 2, died 3, total 5; present number 180. Funerals: white 11. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 28, scholars 160, total 188; colored, scholars 65. Contributions, \$30. Number of Catechisings, 15. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 4. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 35.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,048 35
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	176 37
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$19.10 from mite boxes),	19 10
Education Society,	12 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	15 36
Disabled Clergy,	10 75
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	80 75
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	65 50
General—Foreign Missions,	106 05
Total,	\$1,534 23

MEADE MEMORIAL CHURCH, GREENWAY COURT PARISH.

Rev. E. A. TEMPLE, Rector.

Post-office—Front Royal.

Captain David Meade, Treasurer—P. O., White Post.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 2, total 5. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 52, added white 6 (of which by transfer 2); present number 58. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 40, total 45. Contributions \$7.15. Number of catechisings 1. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 18.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$242 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	37 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, (\$7.15 from mite boxes)	16 21
Education Society,	4 19
Contingent Fund paid last year,	34 00
Total,	\$333 40

Parochial Reports, Culpeper.

WICKLIFFE CHURCH, WICKLIFFE PARISH.

(Vacant.)

J. R. Castleman, Treasurer—P. O., Gaylord.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 10, total 13. Communicants: formerly reported white 39; removed 4, died 2, total 6; present number 33. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 35, total 41. Contributions \$4.00. Number of catechisings 24. Members of the Brotherhood 5. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$311 62
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	25 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 00
Disabled Clergy,	2 01
Contingent Fund paid last year,	26 00
General—Foreign Missions,	31 00
Domestic Missions,	34 00
Other general objects,	15 00
Total,	\$446 63

CULPEPER COUNTY.

ST. STEPHEN'S AND ST. MARK'S CHAPEL, ST. MARK'S PARISH.

Rev. F. G. RIBBLE, Rector.

Post-office—Culpeper.

R. C. Vass, Treasurer—P. O., Culpeper.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 4, total 9. Confirmations: white 11. Communicants: formerly reported white 150, colored 1, total 151; added white 16, aggregate 167; removed 4, withdrawn 1, dropped 3, died 2, total 10, present number 157. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 3. Sundry-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 125, total 133. Contributions, \$44.67. Number of Catechisings, 20. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 4. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 44.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,075 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	442 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$34.67 from mite boxes)	64 29
Education Society,	22 39
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	151 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	30 00
General—Foreign Missions,	17 00
Total,	\$1,801 68

CHRIST CHURCH, RIDLEY PARISH.

Rev. CARTER PAGE, Rector.

Post-office—Brandy Station.

C. W. Spindle, Treasurer—P. O., Brandy Station.

Baptisms: adults white 4. Confirmations: white 12. Communicants: formerly reported white 66, added white 12, total 78; died 1; present number 77. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 45, total 51. Contributions, \$15. Number of Catechisings, several. Number of scholars confirmed, 6. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 40.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$277 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	90 35
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$15 from mite boxes),	58 08
Education Society,	8 65
Disabled Clergy,	4 00
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	53 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	3 15
General—Foreign Missions,	46 17
Domestic Missions,	28 50
Total,	\$569 25

EMMANUEL CHURCH, SLAUGHTER PARISH.

Rev. P. LEBAS CROSS, Rector.

Postoffice—Rapidan.

Parochial Reports, Culpeper.

Dr. Charles C. Conway, Treasurer—P. O., Rapidan.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 2, aggregate 6. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 59, added white 6, total 65; removed 7, died 3, total 10; present number 55. Marriages: white 2, colored 1, total 3. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 2, scholars 20, total 22. Number of catechisings 12. Number of scholars confirmed 1. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 3. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 18.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$627 29
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	216 72
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	26 91
Education Society,	14 76
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	16 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	59 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	45 00
Virginia Bible Society,	2 00
Total,	\$1,007 68

ST. PAUL'S AND CALVALRY CHURCHES, RIDLEY PARISH.

Rev. CARTER PAGE, Rector.

Post-office—Brandy Station.

Martin S. Stringfellow, Treasurer—P. O., Raccoon Ford,

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 45, added white 4, total 49; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number 46. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 15, total 18. Number of scholars confirmed, 3. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew, 2. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 9.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$300 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	10 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$10 from mite boxes),	49 00
Education Society,	10 63
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	5 00
Disabled Clergy,	5 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	35 00

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General—Foreign Missions,	10 00
Domestic Missions,	9 50
Other general objects,	10 00
Total,	\$444 13

ALL SAINTS CHAPEL, SLAUGHTER PARISH.

Rev. P. LEBAS CROSS, Rector.

Post-office—Rapidan.

Dr. F. S. Hall, Treasurer—P. O., Mitchell's.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 3, total 5. Confirmations: white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 27, added white 8, total 35; removed 7; present number 28. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 18, total 22. Contributions, \$4. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	44 40
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$3 from mite boxes),	23 22
Education Society,	6 24
Contingent Fund paid last year,	15 50
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	13 52
General—Foreign Missions,	26 96
Domestic Missions,	11 50
Other general objects,	2 20
Total,	\$243 54

ESSEX COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. WM. J. MORTON, Rector.

Post-office—Tappahannock.

Robt. B. Whitlock, Treasurer—P. O., Dunnbrooke.

Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 37, added white 2, total 39; removed 3, died 1, total 4; present num-

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ber 35. Funerals: white 3; Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 15, total 19. Contributions \$11.06. Number of scholars confirmed 1. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$135 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	6 92
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$9.06 from mite boxes), . . .	14 06
Education Society, . . .	7 31
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	3 34
Disabled Clergy, . . .	4 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	22 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	3 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	89
Total, . . .	\$196 52

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. WM. J. MORTON, Rector.

Post-office—Tappahannock.

Robert E. Wynn, Treasurer—P. O., Tappahannock.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 68, added white 3 (of which by transfer 1), aggregate 71; removed 12, died 2, total 14; present number 57. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 39, total 45. Contributions \$40.27. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 38.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$323 10
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	134 48
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$24.39 from mite boxes), . . .	30 84
Education Society, . . .	4 23
Disabled Clergy, . . .	7 25
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	27 50
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	14 27
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	60 94
Domestic Missions, . . .	62 59
Total, . . .	\$665 20

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ST. LUKES' CHURCH, SOUTH FARNHAM PARISH.

Rev. J. H. HUNDLEY, Rector.

Post-office—Montague's.

C. B. Hundley, Treasurer—P. O., Montague's.

Communicants: formerly reported white 23; removed 4, present number 19. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 15, total 19.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	127 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	17 00
Education Society, . . .	2 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	2 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	2 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	27 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	2 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	5 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	3 00
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	1 00
Other general objects, . . .	6 00
Total, . . .	\$294 00

FAIRFAX COUNTY.

THE FALLS CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. G. S. SOMERVILLE, Rector.

Post-office—Falls Church.

Wm. E. Parker, Treasurer—P. O., West End.

Baptisms: adults white 6, infants white 10, total 16. Communicants: formerly reported white 72, added white 5 (of which by transfer 5), total 77; removed 3, present number 74. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 53, total 58. Contributions, \$31.92. Members of Woman's Auxiliary, 30.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$601 07
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	390 45
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$16.45 from mite boxes),	16 45
Contingent fund, paid last year,	50 00
General—Foreign Missions,	24 57
Domestic Missions,	10 70
Virginia Bible Society,	3 25
Other general objects,	2 50
Total,	\$1,088 99

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. G. S. SOMERVILLE, Rector.

Post-office—Falls Church.

Douglas Mackall, Treasurer—P. O., Langley.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 33; removed 5, died 1, total 6; present number 27. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 17, total 21. Contributions \$2.19. Number of catechisings 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$150 59
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	18 01
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$2.19 from mite boxes),	2 19
Contingent Fund paid last year,	9 00
Total,	\$179 79

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. G. S. SOMERVILLE, Rector.

Post-office—Falls Church.

Thomas Truitt, Jr., Treasurer—P. O., Bailey's Cross Roads.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 21, added white 2, total 23; present

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number 23. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 20, total 23. Contributions \$6.48. Number of catechisings 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$66 27
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	18 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$3.44 from mite boxes),	3 44
Disabled Clergy,	1 59
General—Foreign Missions,	4 51
Total,	\$93 81

UN-NAMED CHURCH, FAIRFAX PARISH.

Rev. W. H. K. PENDLETON, Minister in charge.

Post-office—Manassas.

Mr. Geo. E. King, Treasurer—P. O., Vienna.

Communicants: formerly reported white 24; removed 2, died 1, total 3, present number 21. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 14, total 17.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$166 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	159 57
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	3 62
Disabled Clergy,	4 26
Contingent Fund, paid last year,	12 00
General—Foreign and Domestic Missions,	5 50
Total,	\$351 45

GOOD SHEPHERD CHURCH, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. W. H. K. PENDLETON, Minister in charge.

Post-office—Manassas.

Upton H. Herbert, Treasurer—P. O., Burke's Station.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 2, total 6. Confirma-

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tions: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 24, added white 5, total 29; present number 29. Marriages: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 50; total 56. Contributions \$6.00. Number of catechisings 2. Number of scholars confirmed 5.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses,	\$15 37
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	28 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	3 44
Contingent Fund paid last year,	13 00
General—Foreign and Domestic Missions,	4 24
Total,	\$64 05

ZION CHURCH, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. W. H. K. PENDLETON, Minister in charge.

Post-office—Manassas.

A. C. Bleight, Treasurer—P. O., Fairfax.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 62, added white 5 (of which by transfer 3), total 67; removed 1, died 1, total 2; present number 65. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 18, total 23. Contributions \$37.35. Number of catechisings 8. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 11.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$475 72
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	150 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$12.35 from mite boxes),	26 46
Disabled Clergy,	7 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	62 00
General—Foreign Missions,	44 56
Domestic Missions,	25 16
Other general objects,	13 07
Total,	\$803 97

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ST. JOHN'S, CENTREVILLE, AND CHRIST, CHANTILLY, CHURCHES,
UPPER TRURO PARISH.

Rev. JOHN McNABB, Rector.

Post-office—Herndon.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 33; removed 1; present number 32. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$107 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	7 44
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 71
Brotherhood,	1 89
General—Foreign Missions,	2 54
Total,	\$120 58

ST. TIMOTHY'S CHURCH, UPPER TRURO PARISH.

Rev. JOHN McNABB, Rector.

Post-office—Herndon.

Dr. E. L. Detwiler, Treasurer—P. O., Herndon.

Baptisms: infants white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 60, added white 2, total 62; removed 1, present number 61. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 50, total 56. Number of catechisings, 8.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$262 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	32 95
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$18.34 from mite boxes),	31 42
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 65
Disabled Clergy,	2 25
Contingent Fund paid last year,	23 75
General—Foreign Missions,	4 29
Domestic Missions,	3 88
Other general objects,	223 00
Total,	\$587 19

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POHICK AND OLIVET CHURCHES, TRURO PARISH.

Rev. EVERARD MEADE, Rector.

Post-office—Springman.

Dr. N. B. Nevitt, Treasurer of Pohick—P. O., Accotink.

R. W. Gaillard, Treasurer of Olivet—P. O., Alexandria.

Baptisms: infants white 4. Communicants: present number 80. Marriages: white 2, colored 2, total 4. Funerals: white 8, colored 1, total 9. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 13, scholars 88, total 101. Contributions, \$65.65. Number of catechisings, 24.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$515 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	150 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$41.65 from mite boxes), . . .	75 16
Education Society, . . .	6 68
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	2 14
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	37 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	25 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	2 00
Total, . . .	\$813 28

FAUQUIER COUNTY.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, HAMILTON PARISH.

Rev. GEO. W. NELSON, Rector.

Post-office—Warrenton.

Geo. B. Stone, Treasurer—P. O., Warrenton.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 150, added white 7 (of which by transfer 4), total 157; died 4; present number 153. Marriages: white 2, colored 1, total 3. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 10, scholars 35, total 45. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 40.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$1,348 37
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	11 40

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Diocesan—Missionary Society,	43 24
Disabled Clergy,	15 30
Contingent Fund paid last year,	150 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	25 00
General—Foreign Missions,	10 00
Domestic Missions,	11 46
Other general objects,	137 00
Total,	\$1,751 77

TRINITY AND GRACE CHURCHES AND WHITTLE CHAPEL, WHITTLE PARISH.

Rev. J. J. NORWOOD, Rector.

Post-office—The Plains.

J. R. Foster, Treasurer—P. O., The Plains.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 3, total 6. Confirmations: white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 104, added white 8, total 112; removed 3, withdrawn 1, died 2, total 6; present number 106. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 18, scholars 74, total 92. Contributions \$17. Number of catechisings 7. Number of scholars confirmed 3. Members of the Brotherhood 5. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 36.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$651 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	85 01
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$34 from mite boxes),	100 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	12 00
Disabled Clergy,	10 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	104 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	68 00
General—Foreign Missions,	120 00
Other general objects,	138 00
Total,	\$1,288 01

GRACE CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

Rev. J. J. CLOPTON, Rector.

Post-office—Casanova.

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W. B. Tompkins, Treasurer—P. O., Casanova.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 58; removed 8, died 1, total 9; present number 49. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 24, total 28. Contributions \$20.09. Member of Woman's Auxiliary 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$215 08
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	88 98
Diocesan—Missionary Society, (\$12.14 from mite boxes),	37 08
Disabled Clergy,	1 42
Contingent Fund paid last year,	42 50
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	5 41
General—Foreign Missions,	8 22
Domestic Missions,	28 22
Other general objects,	1 04
Total.	\$428 95

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

Rev. J. J. CLOPTON, Rector.

Post-office—Casanova.

C. B. Chilton, Treasurer—P. O., Lakota.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 51; removed 6; present number 45. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 33, total 37. Contributions \$3.37. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$169 45
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	20 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$2.85 from mite boxes),	14 39
Contingent Fund paid last year,	26 00
General—Foreign Missions,	2 35
Domestic Missions,	2 35
Other general objects,	46
Total.	\$235 00.

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CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR, WHITTLE PARISH.

Rev. HENRY F. KLOMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Haymarket.

Wm. Beverly, Treasurer—P. O., Broadrun.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 27, present number 27. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 30, total 34.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$149 94
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	36 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	25 00
General—Foreign Missions,	1 00
Total.	\$211 94

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, CEDAR RUN PARISH.

Rev. J. J. CLOPTON, Rector.

Post-office—Casanova.

Howson Hooe, Treasurer—P. O., Catlett.

Communicants: formerly reported white 31, added white 4 (of which by transfer 4), total 35; removed 8; present number 27. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 40, total 44. Contributions \$14.45.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$116 44
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	60 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, (\$8.45 from mite boxes),	38 16
Contingent Fund paid last year,	16 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	3 01
General—Foreign Missions,	3 20
Domestic Missions,	3 21
Other general objects,	15 00
Total.	\$235 12

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LEEDS AND MARKHAM CHURCHES, LEEDS PARISH.

Rev. JEFFERSON R. TAYLOR, Minister in charge.

Postoffice—Hume.

H. C. Stribling, Treasurer—P. O., Hume.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 67, added white 3, total 70; removed 2, died 2, total 4; present number 66. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 5. Number of catechisings 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$400 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$3.60 from mite boxes), . . .	35 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	4 00
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	5 81
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	58 00
Total, . . .	\$502 81

EMMANUEL CHURCH, PIEDMONT PARISH.

Rev. JEFFERSON R. TAYLOR, Minister in charge.

Post-office—Hume.

H. C. Pfeifer, Treasurer—P. O., Delaplane.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 19, added white 1, total 20; present number 20. Funerals: white 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$125 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	6 98
Disabled Clergy, . . .	25
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	61
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	19 00
Total, . . .	\$151 84

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FLUVANNA COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, RIVANNA PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector. P. O., Subletts.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Assistant Rector. P. O., Columbia.

Tucker C. Leigh, Treasurer—P. O., Columbia.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 6, total 7. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 53, added white 1, total 54; died 1; present number 53. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 45, total 51. Contributions \$15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$165 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	217 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$10 from mite boxes), . . .	10 00
Education Society, . . .	2 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	1 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	2 52
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	1 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	2 00
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	1 00
Other general objects, . . .	1 00
Total, . . .	\$402 52

GRACE CHURCH, RIVANNA PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector.

Post-office—Subletts.

John H. Cocke, Treasurer—P. O., Bremo Bluff.

Communicants: formerly reported white 12; present number 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$75 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	10 72

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Diocesan—Education Society,	1 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 55
Disabled Clergy,	1 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	12 00
Total,	\$102 27

FREDERICK COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, FREDERICK PARISH.

Rev. NELSON P. DAME, Rector.

Post-office—Winchester.

Albert Baker, Treasurer—P. O., Winchester.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 5, total 7. Confirmations: white 10. Communicants: formerly reported white 160, colored 3, total 163, added white 13, aggregate 176; removed 1, withdrawn 3, died 4, total 8; present number 168. Marriages: white 5. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 18, scholars 125, total 143. Contributions \$106.65. Number of scholars confirmed 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$1,936 34
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	475 15
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	60 11
Education Society,	37 40
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	32 01
Disabled Clergy,	32 01
Contingent Fund paid last year,	168 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	95 60
General—Foreign Missions,	325 77
Domestic Missions,	59 00
Virginia Bible Society,	22 00
Other general objects,	45 55
Total,	\$3,288 94

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. N. P. DAME, Rector.

Post-office—Winchester.

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E. U. Owings, Treasurer—P. O., Middletown.

Communicants: present number 17.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$40 00
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GLOUCESTER COUNTY.

ABINGDON CHURCH AND HOLY INNOCENT CHAPEL, ABINGDON PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Gloucester.

Joshua B. Bray, Treasurer—P. O., Hay's Store.

Communicants: formerly reported white 70; removed 3, died 3, total 6; present number 64. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 24, total 29. Contributions \$2.83. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$257 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	126 23
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$10.98 from mite boxes),	18 02
Contingent Fund paid last year,	18 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	10 95
General—Foreign Missions,	3 25
Domestic Missions,	3 25
Other general objects,	1 00
Total,	\$437 70

WARE CHURCH, WARE PARISH.

Rev. WILLIAM B. LEE, Rector.

Post-office—Gloucester.

Charles E. Cary, Treasurer—P. O., Gloucester.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: formerly reported

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white 82, added white 1, total 83; removed 2, died 4, total 6; present number 77. Marriages: white 1, colored 1, total 2. Funerals: white 7. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 11, scholars 65, total 76. Contributions \$10. Number of catechisings 6. Members of the Brotherhood 1. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 40.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$372 83
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	117 50
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$17.87 from mite boxes), . . .	41 18
Education Society, . . .	10 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	2 50
Disabled Clergy, . . .	4 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	65 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	13 66
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	8 66
Domestic Missions, . . .	8 66
Other general objects, . . .	2 16
Total, . . .	\$646 15

GOOCHLAND COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector. P. O., Subletts.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Assistant Rector. P. O., Columbia.

Jno. Rutherford, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 12, added white 1, total 13; removed 2; present number 11. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 20, total 23.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$150 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	50 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	10 00
Total, . . .	\$210 00

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ALL SAINT'S CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSTON, Rector. P. O., Subletts.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Assistant Rector. P. O., Columbia.

James Goodman, Treasurer—P. O., Sabot Islands.

Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 6, added white 2; present number 8.

GRACE CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector. P. O., Subletts.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Assistant Rector. P. O., Columbia.

Harvey Allen, Treasurer—P. O., Goochland C. H.

Baptisms: adults white 2. Confirmations: white 5. Communicants: formerly reported white 54, added white 5, total 59; removed 2, withdrawn 2; died 2, total 6; present number 53. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$260 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	80 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	5 00
Education Society, . . .	1 75
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	1 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	26 00
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	1 00
Other general objects, . . .	2 00
Total, . . .	\$376 75

ST. MARY'S CHURCH, ST. JAMES-NORTHAM PARISH.

Rev. MARTIN JOHNSON, Rector. P. O., Subletts.

Rev. E. B. BURWELL, Assistant Rector. P. O., Columbia.

Maj. Jno. Wickham, Treasurer—P. O., Loraine.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white

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15, added white 6, total 21; present number 21. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 20, total 23.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$145 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	6 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	11 00
Virginia Bible Society,	3 06
Total,	\$165 06

GREENE COUNTY.

GRACE CHURCH.

Rev. R. C. COWLING, Rector.

Post-office—Stanardsville.

Communicants: formerly reported white 6, removed 1; present number 5. Marriages: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$30 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	1,600 00
Total,	\$1,630 00

HANOVER COUNTY.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, ASHLAND PARISH.

Rev. J. W. WARE, Rector.

Post-office—Ashland.

Wm. Meade Addison, Treasurer—P. O., Ashland.

Baptisms: infants white 6. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 46, added white 6 (of which by transfer 3), total 52; removed 4, present number 48. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 30, total 34. Contributions \$25. Number of catechisings 8. Number of scholars confirmed 2. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 10.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$710 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	52 55
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$17.45 from mite boxes)	37 45
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	10 16
Contingent Fund paid last year,	32 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	11 00
Other general objects,	2 00
Total,	\$865 16

IMMANUEL CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

J. M. Ruffin, Treasurer—P. O., Old Church.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 44, added white 1, total 45; present number 45. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 50, total 56. Contributions \$48.20. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$100 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	19 53
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$29.40 from mite boxes),	32 40
Education Society,	4 60
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	25 50
General—Foreign Missions,	9 25
Domestic Missions,	14 45
Virginia Bible Society,	3 00
Other general objects,	2 00
Total,	\$232 83

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

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Dr. T. E. Williams, Treasurer—P. O., Peaks.

Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 28, added white 1, total 29; present number 29. Marriages white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 20, total 25. Contributions \$6.70. Number of scholars confirmed 1. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 10.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$310 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$5 from mite boxes),	19 00
Education Society,	5 22
General—Foreign Missions,	5 00
Domestic Missions,	1 70
Total,	\$340 92

OUR SAVIOUR CHURCH, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

F. Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Offley.

Baptisms: adults white 2, infants white 1, total 3. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 22, added white 2, colored 2, aggregate 26; removed 2, withdrawn 1, total 3; present number 23. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 68, total 72. Contributions \$6.78. Number of scholars confirmed 2. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$56 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	65
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$2.80 from mite boxes),	12 80
Education Society,	1 67
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	2 50
Contingent Fund paid last year,	7 00
General—Foreign Missions,	2 00
Domestic Missions,	3 75
Total,	\$86 37

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ST. MARTIN'S CHURCH, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

F. Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Offley.

Communicants: formerly reported white 15; died 1; present number 14. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 40, total 45. Contributions \$22. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 45.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$56 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	17 50
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$3.00 from mite boxes),	13 00
Education Society,	1 50
Contingent Fund paid last year,	12 00
General—Foreign Missions,	2 00
Domestic Missions,	15 00
Total,	\$117 00

TRINITY CHURCH, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

F. Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Offley.

Communicants: formerly reported white 17; present number 17. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 20, total 23. Contributions \$7.54.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$56 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	75 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, (\$7.54 from mite boxes),	20 54
Education Society,	1 26
Contingent Fund paid last year,	7 00
Total,	\$159 80

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FORK CHURCH, ST. MARTIN'S PARISH.

Rev. S. S. HEPBURN, Rector.

Post-office—Oliver.

Fenton Noland, Treasurer—P. O., Offley.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 1, total 5. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 30, added white 2, total 32; removed 1; present number 31. Marriages, white 5. Funerals: white 1, colored 1, total 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 8, scholars 70, total 78. Contributions \$82.30. Number of scholars confirmed 2. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 20. Junior Branch 70.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$108 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	95 75
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$17.30 from mite boxes), . . .	27 30
Education Society, . . .	14 75
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	1 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	23 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	4 50
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	20 25
Domestic Missions, . . .	70 60
Total, . . .	\$365 15

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ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. R. A. GOODWIN, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Capt. John F. Mayer, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 14, infants white 28, total 42. Confirmations: white 45. Communicants: formerly reported white 509, colored 2, total 511; added white 65 (of which by transfer 10), aggregate 576; removed 16, withdrawn 9, died 12, total 37; present number 539. Marriages: white 8. Funerals: white 29. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 57, scholars 436, total 493; colored, teachers 8,

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scholars 69, total 77; grand total 570. Contributions \$399.02. Number of catechisings 150. Number of scholars confirmed 21. Members of the Brotherhood 14. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 30. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 120.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$2,550 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	2,203 52
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$114.14 from mite boxes), . . .	239 14
Education Society, . . .	22 54
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	24 69
Disabled Clergy, . . .	20 43
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	262 71
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	121 11
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	305 84
Domestic Missions, . . .	149 41
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	8 92
Other general objects, . . .	12 00
Total, . . .	\$5,920 31

MONUMENTAL CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. WM. ALEXR. BARR, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Jno. M. Taylor, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: white 8, infants white 10, total 18. Confirmations: white 34. Communicants: formerly reported white 492, added white 63 (of which by transfer 29), total 555; removed 45, withdrawn 6, dropped 13, died 6, total 70; present number 485. Marriages: white 7. Funerals: white 18. Sunday-schools: white, officers and teachers 28, scholars 221, total 249. Contributions \$325.72. Number of catechisings 8. Number of scholars confirmed 8. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 44. Members of Junior Brotherhood of St. Andrew 11. Daughters of the King 20. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 69. Members of Junior Auxiliary 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$3,550 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	4,200 57

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Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$112.72 from mite boxes),	180 57
Education Society,	44 04
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	21 06
Contingent Fund paid last year,	260 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	284 50
General—Foreign Missions,	76 69
Domestic Missions,	160 65
Virginia Bible Society,	51 00
Total,	\$8,829 08

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Jno. K. Branch, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: infants white 6. Confirmations: white 10. Communicants: present number 502. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 40, scholars 300, total 340. Contributions \$217.31. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 50.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$8,578 97
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	9,266 89
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$172.48 from mite boxes),	507 46
Education Society,	79 69
Widows' and Orphan's Fund,	101 43
Disabled Clergy,	121 43
Contingent Fund paid last year,	502 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	164 87
General—Foreign Missions,	167 00
Domestic Missions,	311 17
Total,	\$19,800 91

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. W. M. CLARK, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Jas. R. Gordon, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

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Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 16, total 20. Confirmations: white 27. Communicants: formerly reported white 475, colored 1, total 476; added white 47 (of which by transfer 20), aggregate 523; removed 11, died 11, total 22; present number 501. Marriages: white 8. Funerals: white 19. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 21, scholars 215, total 236. Contributions \$325.38. Number of scholars confirmed 14. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 73. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 103.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular Expenses, including salary,	\$4,545 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	3,324 80
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$168.35 from mite boxes),	688 24
Education Society,	71 04
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	30 78
Disabled Clergy,	69 22
Prayer Book Society,	29 31
Contingent Fund paid last year,	475 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	207 30
General—Foreign Missions,	166 00
Domestic Missions,	175 00
Other general objects,	200 00
Total,	\$9,981 69

GRACE CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. L. R. MASON, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Lewis D. Aylett, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 19, total 20. Confirmations: white 17. Communicants: formerly reported white 292, added white 25 (of which by transfer 10), total 317; removed 6, died 6, total 12, present number 305. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 31. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 16, scholars 116, officers 7, total 139. Contributions \$188.25. Number of catechisings 12. Number of scholars confirmed 10. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 15. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 60.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$3,913 09
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	607 13
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$125.00 from mite boxes), . . .	175 58
Education Society, . . .	13 41
Disabled Clergy, . . .	24 48
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	40 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	192 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	41 75
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	140 38
Domestic Missions, . . .	186 88
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	6 54
Total, . . .	\$5,341 24

ST. MARK'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD L. GOODWIN, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

F. D. Beveridge, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: infants white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 290, added white 4 (of which by transfer 4), total 294; removed 9, withdrawn 24, died 4, total 37; present number 257. Marriages: white 4. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 11, scholars 75, total 86. Contributions \$121.33. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 14. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 22.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$1,612 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	924 73
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	19 19
Education Society, . . .	2 48
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	6 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	9 10
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	92
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	60 66
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	48 13
Domestic Missions, . . .	71 67
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	2 35
Total, . . .	\$2,758 23

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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. J. J. GRAVATT, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

James M. Ball, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 11, total 15. Confirmations: white 20. Communicants: formerly reported white 413, added white 42 (of which by transfer 22), total 455; removed 11, died 4, total 15; present number 440. Marriages: white 7. Funerals: white 16. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 63, scholars 426, total 489. Contributions \$460.68. Number of catechisings 24. Number of scholars confirmed 10. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 28. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 48.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$5,095 18
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	3,816 42
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	229 69
Education Society, . . .	23 31
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	23 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	73 77
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	413 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	90 48
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	87 76
Domestic Missions, . . .	289 43
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	17 50
Total, . . .	\$10,159 54

CHRIST CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. PRESTON NASH, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

C. C. Baughman, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 8, infants white 11, total 19. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 229, added white 15 (of which by transfer 1), total 244; removed 11, died 3, total 14; present number 230. Marriages: white 6. Funerals: white 12. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 39, scholars 339, total 378. Con-

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tributions \$163.88. Number of catechisings, weekly. Number of scholars confirmed 8.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$1,301 90
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	356 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$45.35 from mite boxes), . . .	66 20
Education Society, . . .	1 90
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	50 15
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	6 70
Total, . . .	\$1,782 85

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. J. Y. DOWNMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

John R. Cary, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 5, infants white 12, total 17. Confirmations: white 11. Communicants: formerly reported white 335, added white 20 (of which by transfer 10), colored 20, aggregate 355; removed 12, died 3, total 15; present number 340. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 8. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 30, scholars 158, total 188. Contributions \$189.95. Number of scholars confirmed 3. Parochial schools: number of teachers 5, scholars 20. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 9. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$4,676 75
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	1,493 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$95.47) from mite boxes), . . .	402 53
Education Society, . . .	8 17
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	41 35
Disabled Clergy, . . .	41 35
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	335 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	235 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	137 42
Domestic Missions, . . .	208 41
Other general objects, . . .	834 83
Total, . . .	\$8,413 81

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ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. THOMAS SEMMES, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

David Edwards, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 28, total 31. Confirmations: white 11. Communicants: formerly reported white 180, added white 14 (of which by transfer 3), total 194; removed 9, withdrawn 20, suspended 12, died 2, total 43; present number 151. Marriages: white 3. Funerals: white 10. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 50, scholars 505, total 555. Contributions \$200. Number of scholars confirmed 5. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers 12, scholars 475. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 13. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 28.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$1,481 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	5,245 94
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$100 from mite boxes), . . .	160 00
Education Society, . . .	50 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	25 00
Disabled Clergy, . . .	25 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	76 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	154 79
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	96 58
Domestic Missions, . . .	60 50
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	15 00
Other general objects, . . .	68 00
Total, . . .	\$7,457 81

ST. LUKE'S MISSION CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. W. T. SNEAD, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Richard H. Mead, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: infants white 12. Communicants: formerly reported white 49, added white 4, total 53; deaths 2, present number 51. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: morning, teachers 7, scholars

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75, total 82; afternoon, teachers 5, scholars 40, total 45; grand total 127. Contributions, morning school \$27.72, afternoon school \$20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$116 66
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	278 42
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$27.33 from mite boxes), . . .	27 33
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	30 00
General—Foreign and Domestic Missions, . . .	1 02
Total,	\$453 43

EMMANUEL CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. B. M. RANDOLPH, Rector.

Post-office—Brook Hill.

Jos. Bryan, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 8, infants white 8, total 16. Confirmations: white 23. Communicants: formerly reported white 113, added white 24 (of which by transfer 1), total 137; removed 1, withdrawn 4, died 1, total 6, present number 131. Marriages: white 1, colored 1, total 2. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 9, scholars 86, total 95; colored, teachers 2, scholars 68, total 70. Number of catechisings 12. Number of scholars confirmed 12. Members of the Brotherhood 12. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 36.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$1,491 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	1,260 88
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$71.36 from mite boxes), . . .	1,003 15
Education Society,	179 01
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	260 14
Disabled Clergy,	356 03
Contingent Fund paid last year,	113 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	146 46
General—Foreign Missions,	330 00
Domestic Missions,	120 00
Other general objects,	53 00
Total,	\$5,313 17

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CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. W. P. CHRISMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Barton Heights.

W. P. Redd, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 9, total 12. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 84, added white 7 (of which by transfer 5), total 91; withdrawn 1; present number 90. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 10, scholars 80, total 90. Contributions \$100.98. Number of scholars confirmed 1. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 13. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 17.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$824 72
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	400 35
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$57.12 from mite boxes), . . .	59 62
Education Society,	14 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	55 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	17 00
General—Foreign Missions,	19 50
Domestic Missions,	7 50
Other general objects,	1 00
Total,	\$1,398 69

ST. PHILIP'S CHURCH, HENRICO PARISH.

Rev. G. ALEX. MCGUIRE, Rector.

Post-office—Richmond.

Cornelius Robinson, Treasurer—P. O., Richmond.

Baptisms: adults colored 4, infants colored 17, total 21. Confirmations: colored 33. Communicants: formerly reported colored 83, added colored 35 (of which by transfer 2), total 118; present number 118. Marriages: colored 2. Funerals: colored 4. Sunday-schools: white teachers 6, colored teachers 6, total 12; colored scholars 100, total 112. Contributions \$35. Number of catechisings 52. Number of scholars confirmed 5. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 5. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 36.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$500 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	100 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	5 00
Other general objects, . . .	5 00
Total, . . .	\$610 00

KING GEORGE COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ST. PAUL'S PARISH.

Rev. B. T. TURNER, Rector.

Post-office—King George.

S. W. Tennent, Treasurer—P. O., Mathias Point.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 68, added white 6, total 74; died 1; present number 73. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 24, total 28.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$115 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	141 29
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$1.21 from mite boxes), . . .	26 80
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	43 00
Total, . . .	\$331 09

ST. JOHN'S AND EMMANUEL CHURCHES, HANOVER PARISH.

Rev. B. T. TURNER, Rector.

Post-office—King George.

William Tayloe, Treasurer—P. O., Comorn.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 67, added white 1, total 68; removed 4; present number 64. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 40, total 47. Number of scholars confirmed 1.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$208 22
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	474 88
Diocesan—Missionary Society, (\$13.50 from mite boxes), . . .	29 40
Disabled Clergy, . . .	4 13
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	40 00
Total, . . .	\$756 63

KING AND QUEEN COUNTY.

IMMANUEL CHURCH, ST. STEPHEN'S PARISH.

Rev. WM. J. MORTON, Rector.

Post-office—Tappahannock.

Col. S. F. Harwood, Treasurer—P. O., King and Queen C. H.

Communicants: formerly reported white 9; present number 9. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$103 50
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	6 55
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	11 56
Education Society, . . .	2 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	7 97
Disabled Clergy, . . .	4 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	6 00
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	2 00
Total, . . .	\$143 58

KING WILLIAM COUNTY.

SL. JOHN'S CHURCH, WEST POINT PARISH.

Rev. HUGH MARTIN, Rector.

Post-office—West Point.

Parochial Reports, King William.

Dr. W. K. Gatewood, Treasurer—P. O., West Point.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 29, colored 1, total 30; added white 2, aggregate 32; present number 32. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 23, total 27. Number of catechisings 20. Number of scholars confirmed 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$320 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses. . .	85 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	13 10
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Total, . . .	\$418 10

ST. DAVID'S CHURCH, ST. DAVID'S PARISH.

Rev. HUGH MARTIN, Rector.

Post-office—West Point.

Mrs. Evelyn C. Taylor, Treasurer—P. O., Aylett.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 25, added white 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 26; died 1; present number 25. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 29, total 33. Contributions \$28. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$114 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	89 20
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$23 from mite boxes)	28 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	2 50
Disabled Clergy, . . .	2 50
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	25 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	2 50
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	2 00
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Total, . . .	\$265 70

Parochial Reports, Loudoun.

LOUDOUN COUNTY.

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, CHAPEL OF OUR SAVIOUR AND BELMONT
CHAPEL, SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. EDWIN S. HINKS, Rector.

Post-office—Leesburg.

Capt. H. O. Clagett, Treasurer—P. O., Leesburg.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 17, total 18. Confirmations: white 14. Communicants: formerly reported white 245, colored 3, total 248; added white 14, aggregate 262; removed 5, died 5, total 10; present number 252. Marriages: white 7. Funerals: white 23. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 20, scholars 125, total 145; colored, teachers 5, scholars 25, total 30. Contributions \$115. Number of catechisings 4. Number of scholars confirmed 11. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 13. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$1,538 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	1,659 95
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$67.12 from mite boxes),	100 00
Education Society, . . .	68 92
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	25 10
Disabled Clergy, . . .	25 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	136 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	40 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	90 00
Domestic Missions, . . .	15 61
Virginia Bible Society, . . .	10 00
Other general objects, . . .	207 50
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Total, . . .	\$3,916 08

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. JNO. D. LAMOTHE, Rector.

Post-office—Hamilton.

G. Oscar Tavenner, Treasurer—P. O., Hamilton.

Communicants: formerly reported white 64, colored 1, total 65;

Parochial Reports, Loudoun.

added white 9 (of which by transfer 9), aggregate 74; removed 5, withdrawn 1, total 6; present number 68. Marriages: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 33, total 39. Contributions \$50.27. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 30.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$423 65
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	219 22
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$42.03 from mite boxes), . . .	78 85
Education Society, . . .	2 25
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	11 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	46 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	59 42
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	45 00
Other general objects, . . .	55 00
Total, . . .	\$940 39

MT. CALVARY CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. JNO. D. LAMOTHE, Rector.

Post-office—Hamilton.

Lee M. Dade, Treasurer—P. O., Airmont.

Communicants: formerly reported white 24, added white 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 25; removed 3, withdrawn 1, total 4; present number 21. Marriages: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$86 50
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	5 61
Education Society, . . .	1 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	1 36
Total, . . .	\$94 47

CHRIST CHURCH, SHELBURNE PARISH.

Rev. JNO. D. LAMOTHE, Rector.

Post-office—Hamilton.

George Jackson, Treasurer—P. O., Luckets.

Parochial Reports, Louisa.

Communicants: formerly reported white 20, added white 1, total 21; removed 1; present number 20. Marriages: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Contributions \$12.02.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$208 99
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	12 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$12.02 from mite boxes), . . .	14 52
Protestant Episcopal Church Home, . . .	6 00
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	15 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	3 64
Total, . . .	\$260 15

LOUISA COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH AND CHAPEL, GREENSPRINGS PARISH.

Rev. EDW. VALENTINE JONES, Rector.

Post-office—Cismont.

Robert C. Perkins, Treasurer—P. O., Poindexter.

Communicants: formerly reported white 22; present number 22. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$125 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	13 15
Education Society, . . .	6 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	1 68
Total, . . .	\$145 83

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, TRINITY PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Leon Levy, Treasurer—P. O., Louisa.

Parochial Reports, Madison.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 3, total 4. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 57, added white 11 (of which by transfer 4), total 68; present number 68. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 70, total 76. Number of scholars confirmed 3.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$163 52
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	247 05
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$9.71 from mite boxes),	21 03
Contingent Fund paid last year,	28 50
General—Foreign Missions,	17 09
Other general objects,	14 53
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Total,	\$491 72

MADISON COUNTY.

PIEDMONT CHURCH, BROMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. R. C. COWLING, Rector.

Post-office—Stanardsville.

Jas. W. Banks, Treasurer—P. O., Madison C. H.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 13, added white 1 (of which by transfer 1), total 14; present number 14. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35. Number of catechisings 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$120 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	25 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	8 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	7 00
General—Domestic Missions,	8 00
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Total,	\$168 00

Parochial Reports, Mathews—Middlesex.

MATHEWS COUNTY.

CHRIST, TRINITY AND ST. JOHN'S CHURCHES, KINGSTON PARISH.

Rev. O. M. YERGER, Rector.

Post-office—Mathews.

Dr. Thos. B. Lane, Treasurer—P. O., Port Haywood.

Communicants: formerly reported white 68; removed 2, died 2, total 4; present number 64. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 30, total 36.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$216 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	11 96
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	48 73
Contingent Fund paid last year,	43 50
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Total,	\$320 19

MIDDLESEX COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, CHRIST PARISH.

Rev. J. H. HUNDLEY, Rector.

Post-office—Montagues.

C. T. Marston, Treasurer—P. O., Harmony Village.

Baptisms: infants white 2. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 34, added white 3, total 37; present number 37. Funerals: white 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$173 38
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	2 27
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$9.03 from mite boxes),	15 03
Education Society,	6 36
Contingent Fund paid last year,	34 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	2 00
General—Foreign Missions,	5 00
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Total,	\$238 04

Parochial Reports, New Kent—Northumberland.

NEW KENT COUNTY.

ST. PETER'S CHURCH, ST. PETER'S PARISH.

(Vacant.)

W. K. Lipscomb, Treasurer—P. O., Tunstalls.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 18, added white 1, total 19; present number 19. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 32, total 36.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses,	\$29 25
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	10 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	18 00
Total,	\$57 25

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY.

ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH, ST. STEPHEN'S PARISH.

(Vacant.)

Miss L. S. Deshield, Treasurer—P. O., Heathsville.

Communicants: formerly reported white 12; present number 12. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 37, total 41.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$50 00
Education Society,	2 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	9 00
Total,	\$61 00

Parochial Reports, Orange.

ORANGE COUNTY.

ST. THOMAS' CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JNO. S. HANSBROUGH, Rector.

Post-office—Orange.

Jno. G. Williams, Treasurer—P. O., Orange.

Baptisms: infants white 3. Confirmations: white 21. Communicants: formerly reported white 100, added white 8 (of which by transfer 4), total 108; removed 2, withdrawn 8, died 1, total 11; present number 97. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 6. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 20, total 23. Contributions \$5.00. Number of scholars confirmed 1.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$701 02
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	54 22
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$33.61 from mite boxes),	77 36
Education Society,	17 76
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	9 53
Disabled Clergy,	9 53
Contingent Fund paid last year,	101 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	20 00
General—Foreign Missions,	27 00
Total,	\$1,017 42

CHRIST CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

Jno. T. Davenport, Treasurer—P. O., Gordonsville.

Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 83, added white 3, total 86; died 1; present number 85. Funerals: white 1, colored 1, total 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 20, total 24. Number of catechisings 2.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$297 85
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	51 47
Disabled Clergy,	1 23
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	3 57
Contingent Fund paid last year,	51 50
General—Foreign Missions,	17 36
Virginia Bible Society,	1 00
Total,	\$423 98

BARBOUR MEMORIAL CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. JOSIAH R. ELLIS, Rector.

Post-office—Gordonsville.

George W. Barbour, Treasurer—P. O., Somerset.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 6. Communicants: formerly reported white 25, added white 6, total 31; removed 2; died 1, total 3; present number 28. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 23, total 27. Contributions \$4.35. Number of catechisings 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$217 23
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	57 05
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$2.42 from mite boxes),	10 77
Contingent Fund paid last year,	13 00
General—Foreign Missions,	2 78
Total,	\$300 83

PAGE COUNTY.

CHRIST CHURCH, LURAY PARISH.

Rev. C. E. A. MARSHALL, Rector.

Post-office—Luray.

R. T. Morrison, Treasurer—P. O., Luray.

Parochial Reports, Prince William.

Communicants: formerly reported white 20, added white 1 (or which by transfer 1), total 21; removed 1, withdrawn 4, total 5; present number 16. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 30, total 35. Contributions \$13.00. Number of catechisings 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$150 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	24 69
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$4.04 from mite boxes),	4 04
Education Society,	56
Contingent Fund paid last year,	5 00
Other general objects,	1 75
Total,	\$186 04

CALVARY CHURCH, LURAY PARISH.

Rev. C. E. A. MARSHALL, Rector.

Post-office—Luray.

G. E. Gleaves, Treasurer—P. O., Shenandoah.

Baptisms: infants white 1. Communicants: formerly reported white 13, added white 4 (of which by transfer 4), total 17; present number 17. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 70, total 77. Contributions \$17.00. Number of catechisings 4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$66 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	23 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$13.61 from mite boxes),	13 61
Total,	\$102 61

PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY.

TRINITY CHURCH, DETTINGEN PARISH.

Rev. W. H. K. PENDLETON, Rector.

Post-office—Manassas.

C. A. S. Hopkins, Treasurer—P. O., Manassas.

Parochial Reports, Prince William.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 7, total 11. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 102, added white 11 (of which by transfer 4), total 113, removed 3, withdrawn 1, total 4; present number 109. Marriages: white 2, colored 1, total 3. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 79, total 84. Contributions \$50. Number of scholars confirmed 2. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 12.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$350 45
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	195 87
Diocesan—Missionary Society, (\$10.83 from mite boxes),	29 20
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	4 56
Disabled Clergy,	1 61
Contingent Fund paid last year,	39 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	44 17
General—Foreign Missions,	7 28
Domestic Missions,	8 84
Other general objects,	286
Total,	\$683 84

QUANTICO CHURCH, DETTINGEN PARISH.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, Rector.

Post-office—Garrisonville.

H. R. HAINES, Treasurer—P. O., Dumfries.

Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 20, added white 2, total 22; removed 1; present number 21. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 31, total 34. Contributions \$1.85.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$45 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	15 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$1.00 from mite boxes),	5 70
Education Society,	1 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	8 00
General—Foreign Missions,	2 00
Total,	\$76 70

Parochial Reports, Rappahannock.

ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, HAYMARKET PARISH.

Rev. HENRY F. KLOMAN, Rector.

Post-office—Haymarket.

A. St. E. Thorp, Treasurer—P. O. Gainesville.

Baptisms: infants white 6. Confirmations: white 17. Communicants: formerly reported white 163, added white 17 (of which by transfer 2), total 180; removed 4, died 2, total 6; present number 174. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 6, scholars 40, total 46. Contributions \$21.02. Number of catechisings 10. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 17.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$894 21
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	725 63
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$15.63 from mite boxes),	29 91
Education Society,	85
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 68
Contingent Fund paid last year,	97 75
General—Foreign and Domestic Missions,	6 50
Other general objects,	22 72
Total,	\$1,781 25

RAPPAHANNOCK COUNTY.

ST. PAUL'S AND TRINITY CHURCHES, BLOOMFIELD PARISH.

Rev. W. N. CLAYBROOK, Rector.

Post-office—Washington.

Ed. M. Green, Treasurer—P. O., Gaines Cross Roads.

Confirmations: white 15. Communicants: formerly reported white 56, colored 1, total 57, added white 24, aggregate 81; died 1; present number 80. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 2.

Parochial Reports, Richmond.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$375 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	260 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society, . . .	63 04
Education Society, . . .	10 57
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	35 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	21 86
Other general objects, . . .	130 00
Total, . . .	\$895 47

RICHMOND COUNTY.

ST. JOHN'S CHURCH, LUNENBURG PARISH.

(Vacant.)

G. Milton Sydnor, Treasurer—P. O., Warsaw.

Baptisms: infants white 4. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 71; present number 71. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 44, total 51. Contributions \$42.47. Number of scholars confirmed 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$209 02
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	661 76
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$35.07 from mite boxes), . . .	51 36
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	50 00
General—Foreign Missions, . . .	1 00
Total, . . .	\$973 14

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY.

EMMANUEL CHURCH, EMMANUEL PARISH.

Rev. O. M. YERGER, Rector.

Post-office—Harrisonburg.

John P. Burke, Treasurer—P. O., Harrisonburg.

Parochial Reports, Rockingham.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 6, total 7. Confirmations: white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 84, added white 8, total 92; died 2, removed 8, present number 82. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 2. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 56, total 63. Contributions \$12.59.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$867 40
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	46 30
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	65 00
Total, . . .	\$978 70

GRACE MEMORIAL CHURCH, LYNNWOOD PARISH.

Rev. C. E. A. MARSHALL, Rector.

Post-office—Luray.

Mrs. S. H. Lewis, Treasurer—P. O., Lynnwood.

Baptisms: adults white 4, infants white 6, total 10. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 33, added white 3, total 36; removed 4, withdrawn 1, total 5; present number 31. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 7, scholars 123, total 130. Number of catechisings 12. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers 3, scholars 66. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 10. Members of Junior Auxiliary 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary, . . .	\$120 25
Other objects, including incidental expenses, . . .	16 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$15.00 from mite boxes), . . .	20 00
Education Society, . . .	5 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund, . . .	3 50
Disabled Clergy, . . .	4 81
Contingent Fund paid last year, . . .	13 75
Other objects in connection with Diocese, . . .	5 00
Total, . . .	\$178 30

Parochial Reports, Shenandoah.

SHENANDOAH COUNTY.

ST. ANDREWS' AND EMMANUEL CHURCHES, BECKFORD PARISH.

Rev. D. C. T. DAVIS, Rector.

Post-office—Mt. Jackson.

Gen. Jas H. Williams, Treasurer—P. O., Woodstock.

Communicants: formerly reported white 68, added white 8, total 76; withdrawn 1; present number 75. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 50, total 55. Contributions \$4.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$269 31
Other objects, including incidental expenses.	219 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (14.65 from mite boxes),	21 82
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	3 20
General—Foreign Missions,	3 45
Other general objects,	1 00
Total,	\$517 78

SPOTSYLVANIA COUNTY.

ST. GEORGE'S CHURCH, ST. GEORGE'S PARISH.

Rev. W. D. SMITH, Rector.

Post-office—Fredericksburg.

E. M. Young, Jr., Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: infants white 8. Confirmations: white 10. Communicants: formerly reported white 254, colored 2, total 256; added white 13 (of which by transfer 3), aggregate 269; removed 8, withdrawn 1, died 8, total 17; present number 252. Marriages: white 7. Funerals: white 15. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 22, scholars 175, total 197. Contributions \$150.40. Number of scholars confirmed 9. Parochial schools: number of paid teachers 2, scholars 9. Members of Brotherhood of St. Andrew 8. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 34.

Parochial Reports, Spotsylvania.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$2,433 45
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	787 35
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$106.40 from mite boxes),	251 40
Education Society,	100 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	25 00
Disabled Clergy,	25 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	255 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	45 00
General—Foreign Missions,	172 00
Domestic Missions,	55 00
Total,	\$4,149 20

TRINITY CHURCH, ST. GEORGE'S PARISH.

Rev. Wm. L. REANEY, Rector.

Post-office—Fredericksburg.

George Pearson, Treasurer—P. O., Fredericksburg.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 6, total 9. Confirmations: white 8. Communicants: formerly reported white 88, added white 8, total 96; removed 1, died 2, total 3; present number 93. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 3. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 5, scholars 50, total 55. Number of catechisings 12. Number of scholars confirmed 1. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 15.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$894 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	204 24
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	22 32
Education Society,	1 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	1 00
Disabled Clergy,	6 83
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	1 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	45 00
General—Foreign Missions,	50
Domestic Missions,	7 52
Virginia Bible Society,	1 00
Other general objects,	3 00
Total,	\$1,187 41

Parochial Reports, Stafford.

CHRIST CHURCH, BERKELEY PARISH.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, Rector.

Post-office—Garrisonville.

Mrs. J. P. Gayle, Treasurer—P. O., Spotsylvania C. H.

Communicants: formerly reported white 20; present number 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$29 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society,	2 63
Contingent Fund paid last year,	6 75
Total,	\$38 38

STAFFORD COUNTY.

AQUIA AND CLIFTON CHURCHES, OVERWHARTON PARISH.

Rev. J. HOWARD GIBBONS, Rector.

Post-office—Garrisonville.

W. R. Bozzell, Treasurer—P. O., Wide Water.

Baptisms: adults, white 2; infants white 4, colored 1, total 5; aggregate 7. Confirmations: white 2. Communicants: formerly reported white 81; added white 2, total 83; removed 2, withdrawn 1, died 3, total 6; present number 77. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 32, total 36; colored, teachers 1, scholars 97, total 98. Contributions, \$2.29. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 20.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular Expenses, including salary,	\$250 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	1,150 59
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$4.75 from mite boxes),	16 26
Education Society,	4 75
Protestant Episcopal Church Home,	1 57
Contingent Fund paid last year,	31 00
General—Foreign Missions,	7 95
Total,	\$1,462 12

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CALVARY CHURCH, ST. THOMAS' PARISH.

Rev. EDWARD A. TEMPLE, Rector.

Post-office—Front Royal.

J. H. O. Kemp, Treasurer—P. O., Front Royal.

Baptisms: adults white 1, infants white 1, total 2. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 75; added white 7, total 82; removed 5, died 7, total 12; present number 70. Marriages: white 1. Funerals: white 5. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 25, total 29.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$273 35
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	55 59
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$15.77 from mite boxes),	20 58
Disabled Clergy,	10 63
Contingent Fund paid last year,	40 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	4 56
Total,	\$404 71

WESTMORELAND COUNTY.

PAYNE'S CHAPEL AND ST. PETER'S CHURCH, WASHINGTON PARISH.

Rev. WM. C. LATANÉ, Rector.

Post-office—Oak Grove.

Dr. Walker Washington, Treasurer—P. O., Oak Grove.

Baptisms: adults white 3, infants white 1, total 4. Confirmations: white 7. Communicants: formerly reported white 71, added white 9 (of which by transfer 1), total 80; removed 5, died 1, total 6; present number 74. Marriages: white 5, colored 1, total 6. Funerals: white 6. Sunday schools: white, teachers 4, scholars 30, total 34. Members of the Brotherhood 5. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 20.

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CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$380 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	105 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$37.37 from mite boxes),	109 66
Education Society,	10 00
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	2 00
Disabled Clergy,	5 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	50 00
Other objects in connection with Diocese,	5 00
General—Foreign Missions,	14 50
Domestic Missions,	11 50
Other general objects,	2 00
Total,	\$694 66

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, MONTROSS PARISH.

Rev. WM. C. LATANÉ, Rector.

Post-office—Oak Grove.

John Goodridge, Treasurer—P. O., Montross.

Baptisms: adults white 1. Confirmations: white 4. Communicants: formerly reported white 25, added white 3, total 28; withdrawn 1, present number 27. Marriages: white 1. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 3, scholars 15, total 18. Number of catechisings 8. Number of scholars confirmed 2.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$90 00
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$6.19 from mite boxes),	27 34
Contingent Fund paid last year,	18 00
General—Foreign Missions,	1 00
Total,	\$136 34

YEOCOMICO AND NOMINI CHURCHES, COPLE CHAPEL AND
EDGEWATER MISSION, COPLE PARISH.

Rev. ALBERT R. WALKER, Rector.

Post-office—Hague.

Parochial Reports, Westmoreland.

Frederick Griffith, Treasurer—P. O., Hague.

Baptisms: infants white 5. Confirmations: white 3. Communicants: formerly reported white 107; added white 5 (of which by transfer 2), total 112; removed 2, died 1, total 3; present number 109. Marriages: white 2. Funerals: white 4. Sunday-schools: white, teachers 17, scholars 95, total 112. Contributions, \$13.55. Members of Woman's Auxiliary 6.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Parochial—Regular expenses, including salary,	\$477 00
Other objects, including incidental expenses,	516 21
Diocesan—Missionary Society (\$38.74 from mite boxes),	59 13
Widows' and Orphan's Fund,	5 25
Disabled Clergy,	2 00
Contingent Fund paid last year,	58 25
General—Domestic Missions,	7 75
Other general objects,	4 09
Total,	\$1,127 68

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REPORT OF REV. D. F. SPRIGG, D. D.

Washington, May, 1900.

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D.,

My Dear Bishop:—I continue in this city, preaching and administering the sacraments at St. Andrew's Chapel and in other places.

Very truly yours,

D. F. SPRIGG.

REPORT OF REV. W. B. EVERETT.

Middletown, Va., May 11, 1900.

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D.,

My Dear Bishop:—During the past year I had three monthly appointments at certain school houses, preached several times for brethren, and baptized two children.

Most respectfully,

W. B. EVERETT.

REPORT OF REV. JAMES GRAMMER, D. D.

Houston, Va., May 1, 1900.

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D.,

Dear Bishop:—Since December 1st, 1899, I have been officiating for the rector of St. John's Church, Halifax, Diocese of Southern Virginia, by an agreement with him for six months. For the time preceding that date I have officiated by preaching and reading whenever and wherever opportunity offered.

Yours respectfully,

JAMES GRAMMER.

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REPORT OF REV. JOHN MCGILL, D. D.

The Plains, Va., May 14, 1900.

Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, D. D., LL. D.,

My Dear Bishop:—Since resigning my work in Fairfax county last October, I have been exercising my ministry as God's providence has given me opportunity. I have conducted one funeral, married one couple, administered the Lord's supper three or four times and conducted forty or fifty other services.

Affectionately yours,

JOHN MCGILL.

REPORT OF IMMANUEL CHAPEL, THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY.

Communicants: white 61. Baptisms: white 2. Woman's Auxiliary 22. Junior Auxiliary 10.

CONTRIBUTIONS.

Chapel Expenses,	\$404 44
Missions—General,	52 00
Diocesan,	50 00
Brazil,	500 00
Education Society (from Woman's Auxiliary),	25 00
Disabled Clergy Fund,	28 51
Widows' and Orphans' Fund,	57 42
Contingent Fund,	84 00
Jews,	20 00
Alexandria Infirmary,	35 54
Endowment Fund of Seminary,	50 00
Fresh Air Fund, New York (from Junior Auxiliary),	10 00
Indian Famine Fund (from Woman's Auxiliary),	30 00
Total,	\$1,346 91

A new organ, the gift of Mrs. Horace A. Beale, will be in the Chapel by June.

A. CRAWFORD.

REPORT OF SEMINARY MISSIONS FOR YEAR ENDING APRIL 30, 1900.

NAME OF MISSION.	Communicants.	Baptisms.	Confirmations.	Funerals.	S. S. Teachers.	S. S. Scholars.	Services.	General Contributions.	Contingent Fund.	STUDENTS IN CHARGE.
Alexandria, S. R. R.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	49	\$104 90	\$5 50	Mess. Powell, Lewis, Chapman and Robinson.
Arlington, Trinity	34	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	33	.....	.....	Mess. Covington, Owens, Eagle and Hamilton.
Bailey's X Roads S. S. (col'd)	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	26	26	1 92	.....	Mess. Matthews and Belsey.
Emmanuel S. S. (white)	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	50	27	85 85	.....	Mr. M. A. Barnes.
Good Shepherd Chapel (col'd)	10	1	.....	.....	6	63	21	21 03	.....	Mess. Sams, Meredith and Cross.
Glen Carlyn	9	2	2	.....	4	20	33	46 33	.....	Mess. Cocks, Watts, Dysart and Mayo.
Groveton	6	1	.....	.....	4	21	34	40 23	1 00	Mess. Mayers, Miner, Jenkins and Lee.
Howardsville (communicants reported at Seminary Chapel)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	5 22	.....	Mess. Matthews and Meade.
Lincolnia, St. Paul's	3	.....	.....	.....	4	42	.....	5 31	.....	Mess. Williams, Boogher, Dickerson and Hinin.
Sharon	15	2	.....	1	5	25	31	17 91	2 00	Mess. Mitchell, Brown, Robeson & White.
West End, St. John's	34	.....	.....	2	6	60	82	60 04	11 05	Mess. Walker, Tyndell, Claiborne, Darsh and Crook.
Total	111	6	2	6	38	307	.....	\$394 76	\$19 35	

St. Paul's Church, Bailey's Cross Roads, was formally connected with Falls Church, Fairfax parish, on the Sunday before Christmas, 1899, when the Rev. George Somerville's acceptance of that work took effect. By permission of Bishop Whittle two students are still connected with that church for services on alternate Sundays and for the Sunday-school. The mission at the Southern Railway in Alexandria is worked in connection with a committee from the various churches of that city, but is under the Seminary. The attendance at the services is very good. The St. Paul's Mission in the southeast part of the city is worked by the students. It needs a mission church building, and has about \$150 collected for that object. Trinity Mission, Arlington, has secured a fine lot in a central location in the village and will build thereon as soon as it can raise sufficient funds. The Glen Carlyn Mission has had a lot donated to it in that growing town, for building a church. Groveton Mission has \$56 in bank as the nucleus of a fund for church buildings, and St. John's, West End, has collected a fund of \$225 for repairing its church. I have performed one marriage ceremony for a couple not connected with the mission stations.

SAMUEL A. WALLIS, Rector Seminary Missions.

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TENTH ANNUAL REPORT OF THE WOMAN'S AUXILIARY TO THE BOARD OF MISSIONS IN THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA.

Rt. Revs. F. M. WHITTLE and R. A. GIBSON,
Presidents ex-officio:

Standing on the threshold of the new century, with the serious thought its coming brings to the Church in the possibilities it offers to the missionary endeavor, and the more serious thought the passing of the old century brings of neglected opportunities for the progress of the Kingdom, we pause for a moment to look backward, as we present this tenth annual report, which marks the first decade of the Virginia Branch, which was organized by Bishop Whittle, 1890. For these ten years the work of the Auxiliary has been spreading slowly, quietly, but *steadily*, through the parishes in the old Diocese, growing from a tiny streamlet of earnest prayer and faithful service, until it has become a strong current of loving sympathy and active helpfulness, wherever its ministering spirit is needed, whether in Virginia, for missions or missionaries, its women, ever true and loyal to her interests, as first in their hearts, they organize and sustain mission work in destitute and almost heathen neighborhoods, till they have become moral and law-abiding. Yet not in selfish effort alone; but recognizing the claims of the world, and going out and beyond, in obedience to their "marching orders," the Virginia Branch has rendered valuable aid, in money and boxes, to the Domestic field, including the colored work, and to every foreign field, most largely Brazil. The gain, therefore, through organized and systematic effort seems to represent the work of our first decade (from careful reference to the annual reports), in figures, to the amount of \$67,583.18 in boxes and money, the larger proportion, being distributed in Virginia, all of which, has been annually reported. Such the figures, but who can estimate the self-denying love and prayer, which makes this statement possible, these are known only to Him, to "whom all hearts are open."

Turning to the record of the past year, separately, the Virginia Branch, loyal to Diocesan needs, has given in money, within her borders, \$2,059.44 and in boxes, \$1,225.97, to her various missions

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and missionaries. To Domestic Missions, including colored work, in boxes and money, \$1,461.95. To Foreign Missions, \$1,674.85. United offering, \$435.83. Total, \$6,857.04, of which amount, \$1,375.00 were specials; through the Virginia Branch, for work in Virginia, \$375.00. Indian lace-workers, \$500.00, and for the salary of Dr. Mary Ginton, China, \$500.00. The Junior Auxiliary, under its devoted leader Mrs. Robert Barton, has grown in numbers and zeal, training the young girls in systematic giving and self-denying work, which, to a degree, proves an antidote to the spirit of worldliness that absorbs much time and thought of the young of all our parishes, while the Babies Branch, under the loving guardianship of Mrs. Grace Shields, is teaching the little ones, their place, by baptism, in the great missionary society—the Church. Mrs. F. J. Craigie, is doing excellent work, as Secretary for the Church Periodical Club. Miss R. D. Stuart is custodian for the United Offering of 1901. Mission Study Classes are being formed in parishes, and several new branches organized, aggregating in all about 2,000 women. Of the spiritual side, of what the Auxiliary is doing, we may not speak, save, that it is quickening and strengthening the hearts of the women to do better work for Christ and His Church in every parish, for the “light that shines farthest away, must needs shine brightest at home.” We most cordially thank our Bishops, for their ever ready encouragement and interest in this work, as well as each Rector, in whose parish the Auxiliary has a place. We pledge anew, another year of service, ready at all times to be guided by the judgment of those “set over us in the Lord,” as to any plans or pledges, that together we may hasten the coming of the King, to reign o’er all the earth.

SUMMARY.

<i>Woman's Auxiliary—</i>			
Diocesan Missions,	-	-	\$2,059 44
Foreign Missions,	-	-	1,674 85
Domestic Missions,	-	-	516 70
Value of Boxes in Diocese,	-	-	1,225 97

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Value of Boxes outside,	-	-	945 25
United Offering,	-	-	435 83
Total,	-	-	\$6,857 04
<i>Junior Auxiliary—</i>			
Foreign Missions,	-	-	\$177 25
Domestic Missions,	-	-	21 75
Diocesan Missions,	-	-	23 18
Boxes (valued),	-	-	329 08
United Offering,	-	-	13 10
Total,	-	-	564 36
Babies' Branch,	-	-	117 25
Grand Total,	-	-	\$7,538 65

Respectfully submitted,

S. STUART,

President and Secretary Virginia Branch.

REPORT OF THE VIRGINIA FEMALE INSTITUTE.

*Staunton, Va., May 15, 1900.**Rt. Rev. F. M. WHITTLE, and Council of Virginia:*

It has become my duty to present a report of the Virginia Female Institute for this session now drawing to a close.

The year has been full of blessings, and I thank my friends and the Church throughout Virginia for their cordial support.

Among the seventy boarders, I number thirty-two from the Diocese of Virginia, and fourteen from Southern Virginia, to which I would add the fifty-six day pupils, total, one hundred and twenty-six. These all come from representative homes, and the quality of this patronage has never been better, while the scholarship is exceptionally good.

We have been blessed with health, except an epidemic of roseola and grip, which has caused some backset to work during the spring. The faithful faculty have stood by me in my efforts to keep the man-

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agement in the same excellent lines pursued by Mrs. Stuart, and the pupils too have generally responded to this call, making a household of one spirit, and in Christian harmony.

A large number of the school are church members, and four were confirmed on April 8th.

The Missionary Society has done excellent work during the year. A large box of clothing, the work of pupils during Lent, is ready to be sent to Rev. James Russell, at Lawrenceville, for his Industrial School.

The buildings are most comfortable and in good condition, except for one or two serious needs known to the Directors.

With the sympathy of the Trustees and Church, I shall endeavor to do faithfully my part for the three remaining years of my lease, earnestly hoping for the prosperity of the school. I ask your co-operation and your prayers.

Respectfully,

MISS MARIA P. DUVAL.

GENERAL SUMMARY.

Bishops,	.	.	.	.	.	.	2
Clergy,	.	.	.	.	.	.	79
Adult baptisms,	.	.	.	.	.	159	
Infant baptisms,	.	.	.	.	.	437	
							596
Communicants,	.	.	.	.	.	10,513	
Sunday school teachers,	.	.	.	.	.	980	
Sunday school scholars,	7,726	
Confirmations,	579	
Contributions,	\$168,431	46

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REVISED CONSTITUTION

OF THE

PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH

IN THE DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA

As adopted in 1836, and amended in 1840, 1850, 1860, 1864, 1867, 1872, 1881, 1890 and 1900.

ARTICLE I.

There shall be a Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia on the third Wednesday in May every year; but the Council which meets in the year previous to the meeting of the General Convention may have power to appoint the time and place of meeting for the next annual session, and in the event of the existence of an epidemic disease, or any other good cause, rendering it necessary or expedient to alter the place fixed on for any meeting of the Council, the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese may change the place, or the time, or both.

ARTICLE II.

SECTION I. The Council shall be composed of the Bishop and the Bishop Coadjutor (if there be one), and of the Ministers, except as hereinafter provided, who now are or may hereafter be canonically settled in Parishes or churches within this Diocese; Professors of the Theological Seminary of Virginia, Missionaries within this Diocese and under its ecclesiastical authority, being Clergymen of this Church and canonically connected with this Diocese: *Provided*, that any such Ministers who may have been so canonically settled up to the time of disability, but whom age or infirmity prevents from exer-

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cising their clerical functions, shall be members *ex officio*: *Provided further*, that only such Colored Ministers shall be members as are specified in Section 3 of this Article: *Provided further*, that no Minister under ecclesiastical censure or process shall be entitled to a seat in the Council, and no Minister shall be entitled to a seat unless he has been canonically connected with the Diocese for the six calendar months preceding.

SEC. 2. The Council shall also be composed of lay members, consisting of one delegate for each Parish or church entitled to representation, chosen by the vestry thereof, except as hereinafter provided. Every such Parish or church having more than one officiating Minister canonically settled, shall be entitled to send as many lay delegates as it has Ministers, and in every case the delegate or delegates shall be communicants in the Church: *Provided*, that only such colored delegates shall be members as are specified in Section 3 of this Article.

SEC. 3. The Council shall also be composed of the Colored Ministers having a seat and voice in the Council on the 17th day of May, 1889, and of two clerical and two lay delegates from the Colored Missionary Jurisdiction of the Diocese, as the same is now or may hereafter be constituted by Canon.

ARTICLE III.

Twenty members of the clerical and twenty of the lay order shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business, but a smaller number may adjourn.

ARTICLE IV.

In all matters that shall come before Council, the clergy and laity shall deliberate in one body, and the concurrence of a majority shall give validity to any measure; but when five members require it there shall be a vote by orders, and a majority of each order shall be necessary to a decision.

ARTICLE V.

The election of a Bishop or Bishop Coadjutor in this Diocese shall be made in Council in the following manner: The vote shall be by

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ballot and by orders, a concurrent majority of the votes cast by each order, being necessary to a choice.

ARTICLE VI.

The Bishop shall be President of the Council, in which character it shall be his duty to give to the Council annually a general view of the state of the church; to call special Councils at whatever time and place he shall think necessary, or when required by the Standing Committee; to preserve order during the time of session; to put the question, collect the votes, and declare the decision; and he may deliver his sentiments on any subject after it has been discussed before a vote thereon. The Bishop Coadjutor, if there be one, shall preside in the Council in the absence of the Bishop.

ARTICLE VII.

In case of a vacancy in the Episcopal Office, the Council, immediately upon their assembling, shall choose by joint ballot a President from among the order of Priests, who shall remain in office until the next annual Council, or until the next election of a President. He shall perform all duties, and possess all the privileges above specified; but he shall not call special meetings of the Council unless applied to for that purpose by a majority of the Standing Committee; and if the Bishop of the Diocese be not present at any meeting of the Council, they shall elect, in the manner aforesaid, a President *pro tempore*.

ARTICLE VIII.

A Secretary shall be appointed by the Council, who shall continue in office during good behavior. His duty shall be to make minutes of their proceedings, to preserve their journals and records, to attest the public acts of the body, and to faithfully deliver into the hands of his successor all books and papers relative to the concerns of the Council which may be in his possession. It shall be his duty to notify through the channel of the public papers, as he may think proper, the time and place for the meeting of the succeeding Council. The Secretary shall annex to the journal of every succeeding Council a list of the clergy, with all alterations therein produced in

the preceding year by ordinations, deaths, removals, suspensions and degradations.

ARTICLE IX.

A Treasurer shall be appointed by the Council, who shall continue in office for one year, or until his successor shall be appointed. It shall be his duty to receive and keep safely all money and other property confided to his custody; and he shall disburse and dispose of the same as may be ordered by the Council. He shall annually report to the Council an account showing all money and other property received by him, and the manner in which he has disbursed or disposed of the same.

In case of a vacancy in the office by the death or resignation of the Treasurer, or in case of his misconduct, incapacity, refusal or failure to discharge the duties of his office during the recess of the Council, the Ecclesiastical Authority of the Diocese may fill the said vacancy, or remove the said Treasurer and appoint a Treasurer *pro tempore*, who shall take into his custody all the money and other property, and all the books and papers belonging to the said office, and discharge the duties thereof until the election of a Treasurer by the Council.

ARTICLE X.

Each Annual Council shall elect by ballot a Standing Committee, consisting of six members, three clerical and three of the lay order, who shall be communicants of the Church in the Diocese, and who shall continue in office until their successors shall be appointed.

ARTICLE XI.

Every Parish within this Diocese shall be entitled to the entire benefit of this Constitution as soon as it shall have signified its ratification thereof, either in writing or by sending a lay delegate to the Council; and such Parish shall thereafter be benefited and bound equally with the other Parishes in this Diocese by every rule and Canon which shall be framed by any Council acting under this Constitution for the government of this church in ecclesiastical concerns.

ARTICLE XII.

This Constitution shall be unalterable, except in the following manner: A proposition for any change shall be introduced in writing and considered in Council, and if approved of, the same shall be transmitted to the several vestries of the Parishes which shall have ratified this Constitution; and if again approved of in the next ensuing Council by a majority, the change shall then take place, and the Constitution so altered shall be valid and obligatory.

CANONS
OF THE
PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH
OF THE
DIOCESE OF VIRGINIA

Adopted 1849, and amended in 1850, 1860, 1867, 1872, 1882, 1887, 1890,
1894 and 1900.

CANON I.

Of the trial of a Clergyman, not being a Bishop.

SECTION I. The trial of a clergyman, not being a Bishop, shall be on a presentment in writing, specifying with reasonable clearness and certainty as to time, place and circumstance, the crime or misdemeanor, by violation of the canons or otherwise, charged; the said presentment to be made to the Bishop, either by the Council, or by the vestry of the Parish to which the accused belongs, or by any three presbyters of the Diocese, entitled to seats in the Council; the said vestry, or presbyters, pledging themselves to act as a committee of prosecution. If, however, the presentment be made by the Council, then the Council shall appoint the committee of prosecution and furnish them with such instructions as may be deemed necessary.

SEC. 2. Such presentment being made to the Bishop, and being accompanied by a further statement in writing of the names of the witnesses, and of the purport of their evidence, and by such docu-

mentary evidence as may be in their possession, the Bishop shall immediately proceed to the trial, according to the following provisions: He shall nominate from among the clergy entitled to seats in the Council, other than the members of the Standing Committee, eight presbyters, and cause a list of their names and a copy of the presentment to be furnished to the accused, or left at his place of residence. Of the eight presbyters nominated as aforesaid, the accused may choose five, or in case of his refusal or neglect for twenty days so to do, the Bishop shall select five, and the presbyters so chosen shall constitute a court for the trial of the accused. The Bishop shall also, at the same time, cause at least thirty days' notice of the time and place of the trial to be given, both to the accused and to the parties presenting him, and also to the presbyters nominated as before provided.

SEC. 3. The court shall appoint a President and Secretary—the first always from their own body.

SEC. 4. If the accused appear before proceeding to trial, he shall be called on by the court to say whether he is guilty of the offence, or offences, charged against him, and on his neglect or refusal to answer, the plea of *not guilty* shall be entered for him, and the trial shall proceed: *Provided*, that for sufficient cause the court may adjourn, from time to time, and place to place: *And provided also*, that the accused shall, at all times during the trial, have liberty to be present, to produce his testimony, and to make his defense.

SEC. 5. On the request of the accused, or the committee of prosecution, witnesses may be summoned—if before the meeting of the court—by the Bishop; if during the session of the court then by its President. All testimony shall be given under oath or affirmation, administered by some officer, authorized by law. In case the testimony of any witness—whose attendance on the trial cannot be obtained—is desired, it shall be lawful for either party, at any time after notice of the presentment is served on the accused, to apply to the court, if in session, or if not, to the Bishop, who shall thereupon appoint a commissioner to take the deposition of such witness; and such party so desiring to take the deposition shall give to the other party, or some one of them, reasonable notice of the time and place of taking the deposition, accompanying such notice with the inter-

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rogatories to be propounded to the witness; whereupon, it shall be lawful for the other party, within six days after such notice, to propound cross-interrogatories, and such interrogatories and cross-interrogatories, if any be propounded, shall be sent to the commissioner, who shall thereupon proceed to take the testimony of such witness, and transmit it under seal to the court. But no deposition shall be read at the trial unless the court have reasonable assurance that the attendance of the witness cannot be procured, or unless both parties shall consent that it may be read.

SEC. 6. The court having deliberately considered the evidence, shall, within ten days after closing the same, declare in a written judgment signed by them, or a majority of them, that the accused is guilty, or not guilty, of the charge or charges, or any of them, laid in the presentment, in the order therein set forth, and also, if guilty, what punishment shall be awarded, which judgment, with all the evidence received, shall be delivered forthwith to the Bishop; whereupon, unless the Bishop see cause to mitigate or remit the punishment, or to grant a new trial, he shall pronounce sentence according to the judgment of the court, and such sentence shall be final. In case a new trial is granted, a new court shall be constituted according to the provisions of this Canon.

SEC. 7. If the accused shall neglect or refuse to appear before the court, when summoned according to section second of this Canon, and no defence be there made under his authority, the court shall declare him to be in contumacy, and report the same to the Bishop, and sentence of suspension from the ministry shall pass against him for contumacy; but the said sentence shall be reversed by the Bishop, if—within three calendar months—the accused shall tender himself ready, and accordingly appear to take his trial on the presentment; but if he shall not so tender himself before the expiration of the said three months, the sentence of degradation from the ministry for contumacy shall forthwith be pronounced by the Bishop, who shall cause such sentence to be publicly read to the congregations of the Diocese by the respective ministers thereof.

SEC. 8. If at any time the accused shall confess himself guilty of the matters charged in the presentment, or any of them, the court shall proceed to award the punishment, and certify the same, as

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hereinbefore provided, to the Bishop, who shall, unless he see cause to remit or mitigate the punishment, pronounce the sentence according to the Canons.

SEC. 9. All notices and papers contemplated by this Canon may be served by a summoner, or summoners, appointed by the Bishop, or by the court when the same is in session, and the certificate of any such summoner shall be evidence of the due service of a notice or paper. The delivery of a written notice or paper to a party, or the leaving it at his last place of residence, shall be deemed a sufficient service of such notice or paper.

SEC. 10. The accused party may have the privilege of appearing by counsel, in number not more than two, and, in case of the exercise of such privilege, but not otherwise, those presenting shall have the like privilege. If the party accused desire it, the trial shall be in public, and said party shall be entitled to a copy of the evidence if he require it.

SEC. 11. In case of a presentment occurring during a vacancy in the Episcopal Office, such presentment shall be made to the Standing Committee, who shall thereon take such steps as are by this Canon enjoined on the Bishop: *Provided*, that on receiving the proceedings and judgments of the court, they shall transmit the same to the Bishop of some other Diocese, who shall be requested, and is hereby authorized to act thereon, as if he were the Bishop of the Diocese, and, if he shall concur in opinion with the court, he shall proceed to pronounce sentence accordingly.

SEC. 12. The expenses of such trial, as also those of the investigating committee, preliminary to a presentment, shall be defrayed by the Treasurer out of the contingent fund by order of the Council.

CANON II.

Of the Proceedings in the Trial of a Layman, after Expulsion by the Minister from the Holy Communion.

If any person repelled from the Holy Communion shall allege to the Bishop that injustice has been done, or if, notwithstanding he shall have professed himself ready and willing, in truth and sincerity, to comply with the requisitions expressed in the Rubric, in order to

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be restored to the Holy Communion, his repulsion shall be continued, he may present his complaint in writing to the Bishop, setting forth the grounds thereof, and desiring that he may be restored to the Communion, and then the Bishop, unless he think fit to restore the communicant from the insufficiency of the cause assigned by the minister, shall nominate two of the clergy and two of the laity, of whom the minister repelling shall select one of the clergymen, and the communicant one of the laymen; and it shall be the duty of the two thus chosen to take without delay the evidence in the case, under oath and in writing, of such witnesses as may be produced by either of the parties, and to certify the same to the Bishop, who, thereupon, unless for his own satisfaction, or for good cause shown by either of the parties interested, he shall desire further evidence, shall proceed to adjudge the case. If further evidence be required, it shall be obtained and certified, either by the same commission, or another appointed in the manner above prescribed, as the Bishop may direct. And when the evidence is thus procured, the Bishop shall adjudge the case, and shall communicate his judgment whenever made to the minister repelling, and to the communicant repelled, which judgment shall be final and conclusive: *Provided*, that in case his judgment shall direct a further continuance of the repulsion, it shall nevertheless be subject to all the conditions and provisions of the Rubric.

CANON III.

Of the Transfer of Communicants from one Parish or Church to Another.

Every communicant removing from one Parish or church to another within this Diocese, and desiring to be enrolled as a communicant thereof, shall present to the minister a certificate of regular standing from the minister, or, if there be no minister, from the vestry of the Parish or church from which the communicant desires to be transferred.

CANON IV.

Ministers to be Careful in Admitting to Holy Communion.

No minister shall enroll any persons as communicants in the Parish or congregation under his charge until he has conversed with them

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on the subject, or unless he shall be satisfied that they have been regular communicants in some other Parish or congregation; nor shall he enroll any one who is known to deny the doctrines of the gospel as generally set forth in the authorized standards of the Church; nor shall he report to the Diocesan Council, as a communicant, any one who has not (without satisfactory reason) communed within the year immediately preceding the annual meeting of the Council.

CANON V.

Communicants to have Family Worship.

It shall be the duty of every communicant in this Church, who is at the head of a family, to live in the daily exercise of family worship.

CANON VI.

The members of this Church to Instruct their Families in the Principles of Religion.

The members of this Church shall instruct their families, as far as they are able, in the principles of the Christian religion. Parents and sponsors shall be careful to teach their children the solemnity and obligation of their baptismal vow, to cause them to attend the catechetical and other instructions of their minister; and, as soon as they are sufficiently instructed and impressed with the importance and sacredness of their baptismal promise, shall take care that they come to the Bishop to be confirmed by him.

CANON VII.

Of the Due Celebration of Sunday.

All persons within this Church shall celebrate and keep the Lord's day, commonly called Sunday, in hearing the word of God read and taught, in private and public prayer, and in acts of charity, using all sober and godly conversation.

CANON VIII.

Election and Duties of Vestries and Wardens, &c.

SEC. I. All persons who have attained the age of twenty-one

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years, have resided in the Parish in which they offer to vote for six months next preceding the election, and are communicants of the Protestant Episcopal Church, or regular contributors to the charges of the Parish, shall be entitled to vote at the the election of vestrymen for such Parish.

SEC. 2. The election of vestrymen shall be held on Easter Monday; or, in case no election be held on that day, on such other day as shall be designated in the manner hereinafter prescribed. The election shall be held at the Parish church, or some place of worship, if there be one; if not, at such other place within the Parish as shall be designated in the manner hereinafter provided. The voting shall be by ballot. The number of persons to be voted for by each elector shall not be less than three nor more than twelve, and shall be fixed—where the election is the first in a new Parish—by the Council on its admission into the Diocese, or, before the election commences, by a majority of the qualified electors who shall have assembled to vote at such election; or, in case the election be in an organized Parish, the number to be voted for shall be the same that constituted the former vestry, unless such number be changed in like manner by a majority of the qualified electors so assembled. Only male persons shall be eligible to the office of vestryman; in other respects the qualifications of vestrymen shall be the same as those prescribed for voters. The persons chosen by a majority of the votes cast at such election, together with the minister in charge of the Parish, if there be one, shall constitute the vestry of the Parish, and they shall continue in office until their successors are elected, and qualify as hereinafter prescribed.

SEC. 3. In case there be in a Parish congregations not exceeding four in number, apart from each other, but not constituting independent cures, a separate election shall be held for each congregation at its usual place of worship, or, if there be none, at such other place as shall be designated in the manner hereinafter prescribed. The qualified electors of such congregation shall, in the manner prescribed by this Canon, elect three persons, who shall be vestrymen of the Parish. The vestrymen chosen for such congregation shall, together with the minister in charge thereof, be the constituted authorities of such congregation, and shall manage and control the

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affairs of the same, so far as they pertain alone to the congregation, and not to the Parish at large. The vestrymen chosen by such congregations in the same Parish shall, together with the minister in charge thereof, be the constituted authorities of the Parish, as its vestry, and shall manage and control the affairs of the Parish, either in general meeting, a majority of the whole number of vestrymen in the Parish being present, or in case such meeting be impracticable, or in the opinion of the minister in charge too inconvenient, any matter concurred in by a majority of the vestrymen of the respective congregations, and duly recorded by the register of the Parish, shall be deemed to be the act of the vestry of the Parish. But in no event shall the aggregate number of such vestrymen exceed twelve.

SEC. 4. If there be no Parish church or place of regular worship for the Parish or congregation, as the case may be, the minister in charge of the same, or other person or persons named in the next succeeding section, shall have authority to appoint the place within the Parish at which such election shall be held. If such place of voting be so fixed before Easter Monday, the same notice of the time and place of election shall be required as in the next succeeding election.

SEC. 5. If no such election be held on Easter Monday, the same may be held on any day thereafter (except Sunday), to be fixed by the minister in charge, or, if there be none, by one of the wardens, or by two vestrymen, or, if there be none, by three members of the congregation. Of the time and place of such special election, due notice shall be given during the services held at the Parish church or place of worship on the two Sundays next preceding such special election; or in case no such services be held by posting copies of such notice for two weeks next preceding such special election at the front door of the Parish church or place of worship; or, in case there be none, at two or more public places in the Parish.

SEC. 6. The vestry shall appoint three persons, of whom not more than two members shall be of their own body, to act as judges to conduct and superintend such elections. In case no such judges be appointed, the members of the vestry present shall act as judges of election; and in case none of the vestry be present, or if present, fail to act, the electors may choose three of their number to act as

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such judges. The judges of election shall judge of the qualification of the voters, and of those elected as vestrymen.

SEC. 7. As soon as may be after such election, the persons chosen to act as vestrymen shall, at such time and place as the minister shall appoint, or as shall otherwise be designated, assemble and proceed to organize the vestry. The register and treasurer of the former vestry shall attend. The proceedings shall be opened with one or more collects and the Lord's prayer by the minister in charge, or in his absence by one of the wardens, or any other member who may be requested to preside over the meeting.

SEC. 8. Every person chosen a vestryman, shall, before he acts as such, subscribe the following declaration and promise: "I do believe the Holy Scriptures of the Old and New Testament to be the Word of God, and to contain all things necessary to salvation; and I do yield my hearty assent and approbation to the doctrines, worship and discipline of the Protestant Episcopal Church in these United States; and I promise that I will faithfully execute the office of vestryman of ——— Parish, or church, in ——— county, according to my best knowledge and skill." No person shall act or vote as vestryman until he has subscribed this declaration and promise.

SEC. 9. The vestry shall proceed to elect two wardens, a register and a treasurer, who shall continue in office until their successors are elected. The wardens must be communicants and members of the vestry.

SEC. 10. Vacancies occurring in the vestry shall be filled by a vote of the remaining members, and a majority of those who have qualified shall constitute a quorum. The rector shall preside at all meetings when present, and be entitled to give the casting vote in case of a tie, when he is not personally interested. All vestry meetings shall be subject to his call, and in case he fails, at the request of two vestrymen, to call a meeting; such vestrymen, if they deem it necessary, may themselves call a meeting.

Duties.

SEC. 1. It shall be the duty of the vestry to determine upon and elect a Rector; to co-operate with him in gathering souls into the fold of Christ; to see that he be properly supported; that his salary

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be paid with regularity and punctuality; to make and execute all contracts for the erection, furnishing and preserving the church edifice and other church property; to regulate the use of the Parish graveyard; to employ an organist, and otherwise provide for sacred music, subject to the control of the Rector, and generally as the constituted agent of the Parish or congregation to transact all its temporal business.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the wardens to keep watch over the church property; to see that it is duly prepared for every occasion of public worship; to see that the sexton and other employees properly discharge their duties; to collect the offerings of the people; to take charge of the font and communion plate; to provide out of the Parish funds, under the direction of the vestry, a sufficient supply of vestments and books to be used in public worship; and also the elements for each celebration of the Holy Communion; to attend to the accommodation of the congregation with seats, and to maintain order and decorum in the time of public worship.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the register of the vestry to take charge of all Parish records; to keep correct entries of all proceedings of the vestry, and when there shall be no Rector, to enter upon the Church register usually kept by the rector, all baptisms, specifying the Christian and surnames of the parents, with the name and date of birth and baptism of the person baptized; also all marriages, deaths and funerals, with dates and names of parties, and in like manner all confirmations administered in, and communicants lost or gained by the Parish, and furnish a report of the same to the annual Councils of the Diocese.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the Treasurer to take charge of all moneys, except communion alms and other special offerings, and to disburse the same under the direction of the vestry, and to make such reports to the Council as are required by its orders. The term "Parish," wherever it occurs in this Canon, shall be interpreted also to mean church or congregation, wherever such a church or congregation is entitled to a separate vestry, unless where the context requires a more restricted construction.

CANON IX.

Concerning Exceptions to the Foregoing Canon.

Whereas the preceding Canon, which directs the manner of choosing vestrymen in the several Parishes, is not applicable to the case of churches built and supported by voluntary associations of individuals; and it is proper that those who hold the sole property of a particular church—as in the case of the Monumental Church, Richmond, and in all similar cases—should provide for its care and management, the choice of vestrymen shall be made by the pew-holders of the respective churches, conforming, as to the time of appointment and manner of qualifying the vestrymen, to the regulations prescribed by the eighth Canon.

CANON X.

Of the Division of Parishes.

SEC. 1. Whenever the members of the church, residing in a particular portion of a Parish, shall desire to separate from the Parish of which they form a part, it shall be lawful for them to assemble, after public notice given in the church or place of public worship, or posted upon the door of the same, and appoint a committee to take such measures as may be necessary.

SEC. 2. The committee thus appointed shall give to the Bishop and to the majority of the vestry (if there be one) of the Parish from which they desire to be separated, a formal notice of their intention to apply for such purpose, which notice shall contain a description of the proposed line or lines of division, and shall be sent to the Bishop and said vestry at least three months before the meeting of the Council to which the application shall be made.

SEC. 3. Said application shall be made in the form of a petition to the Council, and shall set forth the considerations which are supposed to render the division desirable; whereupon the Council may, if they deem it expedient, proceed to divide said Parish, and to constitute the portion thereof applying for separation a new Parish, with all the rights and privileges of other Parishes of this Diocese.

SEC. 4. As soon after the adjournment of the Council as may be practicable, the committee aforesaid shall give at least two weeks' notice to the members of the church, residing in the new Parish, to assemble for the election of a vestry, which elections shall be conducted according to the directions contained in Canon VIII.

SEC. 5. The committee aforesaid, or a majority of those who may attend, shall judge of the qualification of voters, and of the qualification of persons proposed to be elected, and of the election of vestrymen; and those persons whom said committee shall declare to be duly elected, shall be the vestry of said Parish until the election and qualification of the succeeding vestry.

CANON XI.

Of the Formation of New Congregations.

When any number of persons belonging to any Parish or congregation, sufficient to build a house of worship and provide for the support of a minister, shall choose to separate from the Parish or congregation of which they have hitherto been a part, they may proceed according to the directions given in Canon X, except that in this case the direction as to a line or lines of division is inapplicable. The Council may, on such petition, constitute the applicants a separate congregation, and authorize, by special enactment, such peculiar provisions as to the right of suffrage, the employment of a minister or ministers, and the manner of holding and managing the property of such congregation, as they may propose, and the Council deem expedient: *Provided*, That the time of electing and the manner of qualifying vestrymen shall always be conformed to the regulation prescribed in Canon VIII.

CANON XII.

Of Mission Churches.

SEC. 1. When any number of persons belonging to any Parish or congregation desire a separate and independent organization, but cannot comply with the requirements of the Canon in regard to the formation of new congregations, they may, until they are so able, proceed to organize a Mission Church upon the following conditions:

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They must obtain the approval of the vestry of the Parish to which they belonged, and if there be two or more vestries in the Parish they must have the consent of a majority of the same.

They must have the approval of the ecclesiastical authority of the Diocese.

They may have their own vestry and officers, whose manner of election, and whose duties shall be according to the provisions of these Canons in regard to the election and duties of other vestries, except that they shall have no representation in the Council of the Diocese, and shall not call a minister without the approval of the ecclesiastical authority.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of the vestry of a church organized under this Canon to give notice of the same to the Secretary and Treasurer of the Diocese, and a list of mission Churches so organized shall be published annually in the JOURNAL.

CANON XIII.

Of Colored Mission Churches.

SEC. 1. The colored people of Virginia who are, or may hereafter be, connected with the Protestant Episcopal Church, shall constitute a Missionary jurisdiction of the Diocese.

SEC. 2. It shall be lawful to organize Mission Churches or congregations composed exclusively of colored persons within the limits of any already existing Parish, subject to the same conditions and regulations as are other Mission Churches (see Canon XII), and specially those of this Canon, except that consent of the Vestry or Vestries need not be obtained.

SEC. 3. There may be appointed, by the Bishop, one or more Presbyters who shall have general supervision of such colored churches and congregations as the Bishop may designate, and perform such duties as he may prescribe.

SEC. 4. A Convocation shall be held annually at such time and place as may be designated by the Bishop as to the first meeting, and afterwards by the Convocation itself. The colored ministers of the Diocese, in good standing, shall be members of the Convocation, and it shall be the duty of every such minister to attend its meetings. The Vestry of every Colored Mission Church or congregation shall

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elect one male lay delegate annually, who, upon the presentation of a certificate signed by the minister (or warden, if there be no minister), and Register of the Vestry, stating that the delegate is not less than twenty-one years of age, and is a communicant of the Protestant Episcopal Church, shall be entitled to a seat in the Convocation.

The Bishop, the Bishop Coadjutor (if there be one), and the Presbyters mentioned in Section 3, shall be *ex-officio* members of the Convocation. The Bishop (or in his absence the Bishop Coadjutor) shall be President of the Convocation.

SEC. 5. The Convocation shall have power to consult and devise measures for their common welfare, which measures shall take effect when approved by the Council of the Diocese.

SEC. 6. The Convocation shall elect annually two clergymen and two laymen to represent them in the Council of the Diocese.

SEC. 7. Colored congregations, constituted as above provided, may acquire and hold property of their own, as by law provided, but cannot come into possession of the property of any white congregation, except by transfer, under the laws of the State of Virginia; nor shall any white congregation come into possession of the property of any colored congregation, except by like transfer.

CANON XIV.

Of the Evidence of the Appointment of Lay Delegates to the Council.

The appointment of lay delegates to the Council of this Diocese shall be certified by the rector, register, or warden of the proper Parish or Church, in duplicate, and said certificate shall be in form as follows:

This is to certify, That at a meeting of the vestry of _____ in _____ county, held on the _____ day of _____, 19____, the following named communicants of said _____, viz: Mr. _____ as lay delegate, and Mr. _____, as alternate, were duly appointed to represent the same in the Council of the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, to be holden in the city of _____, on the _____ day of _____, in the year of our Lord _____,

_____, Rector,
Register or Warden.

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[Return original to Secretary of Council and give duplicate to delegate attending.]

The Secretary shall make out a roll and call the names of all certified to him as duly and canonically elected. The President of the Council shall then appoint a committee, to be composed of one clerical and two lay delegates, to whom shall be referred the credentials of the lay delegates, and who shall report the names of those entitled to seats to the Secretary, and of those claiming but not entitled to seats, to the Council.

Should doubt arise as to the right of any lay delegate to his seat, the matter shall be referred to the Committee on Elections for examination and report.

CANON XV.

Of the Standing Committee.

SEC. 1. Any vacancy occurring by death, or otherwise, in the Standing Committee, shall be supplied by the concurrent vote of the remaining clerical members and lay members of the Committee.

SEC. 2. In case of a vacancy in the Episcopate, the powers and duties to be performed by the Bishop, as regards discipline, except the pronouncing sentence of suspension, deposition, or degradation from the ministry, shall belong to, and be performed by, the Standing Committee.

SEC. 3. The record of all the proceedings, on a presentment of a clergyman or layman, shall be preserved by the Standing Committee, and for that purpose shall, after a final decision, be delivered to their Secretary.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the Standing Committee, before every stated meeting of the General Convention, to draft, with the advice and approbation of the Bishop, a report of the state of the Church in this Diocese, to be presented to the General Convention.

SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of the Standing Committee, at every meeting of the Council, to submit, in addition to the report of their proceedings, the documents also which have been laid before them during the year.

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CANON XVI.

A List to be Made of Ministers in this Diocese.

SEC. 1. Within one week before every stated meeting of the Council of this Diocese, the Bishop, or, if there be no Bishop, the Standing Committee, shall prepare, or cause to be prepared, a list of all the ministers of the Protestant Episcopal Church, canonically resident in this Diocese, annexing the names of their respective cures, or of their stations as missionaries, or of the colleges, academies, or other seminaries of learning in which they are engaged, or in regard to those who have no cure, or are not engaged in missions or institutions of learning, as above, their places of residence only. And such list, corrected as hereinafter mentioned, shall be laid before the Council on the first day of meeting, and the names of the clerical members called therefrom, and appended to the journal, and shall be transmitted to the Secretary of the General Convention.

SEC. 2. The list of the clergy of this Diocese, so prepared by the Bishop or Standing Committee, and annexed according to the changes which may occur, whether by death, ordination, discipline, or canonical removals from or admission into this Diocese, shall be evidence of a clergyman's having a cure or mission, or engagement in a seminary of learning, and no clergyman, while suspended from the ministry, shall have a place on said list.

SEC. 3. The right of any clergyman to a seat in the Council, shall, if disputed, be determined according to the provisions of the Constitution and Canons by the Council itself, whether his name be inserted in the list aforesaid or omitted.

SEC. 4. It shall be the duty of the clergy to attend regularly at the meeting of every Council. At the opening of the Council their names shall be called over and absentees noted, and at the ensuing stated Council they shall be required to give excuses for their absence.

CANON XVII.

Respecting the Property of the Church.

The vestries respectively shall hold all glebes, lands, parsonage, houses, churches, books, plate or other property now belonging or

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hereafter accruing to the Protestant Episcopal Church of the Diocese of Virginia, as trustees for the benefit of the Parish or Church, for whose use the same were or shall hereafter be purchased or otherwise obtained; and may improve, demise, or otherwise dispose of the lands or houses allowed for the minister's habitation or use with the minister's consent; and if there be no minister, with the consent of the Bishop; or in case there be no minister, and the Episcopal Office be vacant, then not without the consent of the Standing Committee. The vestry may also use, improve, or dispose of all personal property, and the produce, rents and profits of lands and houses (not appropriated for the occupancy and use of the minister) belonging to the church, in repairing the church and parsonage house for the benefit of the respective Parishes or churches, and may make such rules and orders for managing the affairs and temporal concerns of their respective churches and Parishes as they shall think most conducive to their interest and prosperity. They shall have the sole power of directing the payment of money belonging to the respective churches and Parishes, and appoint a clerk, treasurer and collector when necessary; all which proceedings shall be entered in a well-bound book to be kept for that purpose. But when there are trustees under the act of the Legislature, passed February 3d, 1842, authorized to hold real property, such real property shall not be subject to the provisions of this Canon.

CANON XVIII.

Of Church Property for which there are no Trustees.

The Council shall annually elect a Standing Committee, to consist of two clergymen and three laymen, whose duty it shall be to claim for and on behalf the Protestant Episcopal Church in the Diocese of Virginia, all property, real and personal, belonging to said church or any Parish or congregation thereof, whether said Parish or congregation has been disbanded or not, as to which there are no duly constituted trustees in whom is vested the legal title thereto.

The said Committee shall use all due diligence, by proper legal steps or otherwise, to secure such property to the use and benefit of the said Church, or of the proper Parish or Congregation thereof, and to that end the members of said Committee, or the persons

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designated by them, are hereby nominated without further action of the Council, to the respective courts to which said committee may apply, as the trustees for any such property so to be claimed by said Committee.

When any such property shall be recovered by said Committee, it shall be held by the trustees appointed for the use and benefit of this Church, or the Parish or Congregation properly entitled thereto.

CANON XIX.

Offenders to be Admonished or Repelled from the Lord's Table.

Any member of the Church, being a communicant thereof, conducting himself or herself in a manner unworthy of a Christian, ought to be admonished or repelled from the Lord's Table by the minister of the Parish or Church, according to the Rubric. Gaming, attendance on horse-racing and theatrical amusements, witnessing immodest and licentious exhibitions or shows, attending public balls, habitual neglect of public worship, a neglect of the Holy Communion, or a denial of the doctrines of the Gospel, as generally set forth in the authorized standards of the Church, are practices from which all Christians should abstain. This enumeration, however, shall not be construed to include all the subjects of discipline or admonition in the Church. In cases where it may be deemed expedient by the minister, or may be requested by the accused, the Church wardens, or either of them, shall be summoned to assist the minister in ascertaining the facts of the case: *Provided*, that if such warden or wardens shall fail or refuse to act within ten days, the minister shall proceed to act under the Rubrics of this Church.

CANON XX.

Proceedings for the Expenses of the Diocese.

The Vestries of the several Parishes or churches shall, quarterly, or at every annual Council, as each Vestry shall determine for itself, pay to the Treasurer such sums as may be apportioned to them, respectively, for the purpose of defraying such expenses as may be authorized by the Council.

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CANON XXI.

Concerning Altering or Adding to the Canons of the Church.

No proposed alteration or addition to the Canons shall hereafter be considered by the Council, unless at least one day's previous notice be given in open Council, nor until such alteration or addition shall have been referred to and reported upon by a committee of at least two presbyters and two laymen. Nor shall such alteration or addition be adopted during the same Council if two-thirds of the members shall not concur therein; but if the majority be less than two-thirds, it shall lie over for consideration until the next Annual Council.

CANON XXII.

All the former Canons of this Diocese, not included in these Canons, are hereby repealed.

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