

THE  
FIFTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE



Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes.

OFFICE, at 9 West 18th Street,  
MISSION HOUSE, at 220 East 13th Street.

THE APPENDIX CONTAINS INFORMATION RESPECTING  
OTHER DEPARTMENTS OF WORK AMONG DEAF-MUTES.

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# ANNUAL REPORT

OF  
TREASURER OF THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES.

For year ending October 26th, 1887.

RECEIPTS.		PAYMENTS.	
Bal. from last year...	\$ 14 04	For Printing and Adver-	
In November, 1886.....	828 84	tising .....	\$ 494 60
December, " .....	720 41	Rent of House in 13th	
January, 1887.....	696 24	Street .....	1,100 00
February, " .....	493 35	Salary Account.....	4,262 62
March, " .....	421 61	Traveling Expenses..	504 62
April, " .....	498 84	Deaf - Mutes.....	124 25
May, " .....	645 41	Board of Rhoda Wor-	
June, " .....	530 80	den .....	168 00
July, " .....	684 93	Sundries.....	310 14
August, " .....	508 75	Bal. to next year.....	208 25
September, " .....	803 10		
October, " .....	326 16		
	<u>\$7,172 48</u>		<u>\$7,172 48</u>

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## REPORT OF TREASURER OF "GALLAUDET HOME"

For year ending October 26th, 1887.

RECEIPTS.		PAYMENTS.	
Bal. from last year.....	\$ 107 63	Farmer's Bills.....	\$1,804 54
November.....	945 69	Repairs and Fixtures..	1,362 97
December.....	568 00	Supplies.....	707 86
January.....	747 04	Salaries .. ..	160 00
Feb'y (788 52 I.L.P.)..	907 12	Taxes .....	135 39
March (2,000 C.R.T)..	2,088 00	Interest on Mortgage..	775 00
April.....	555 66	Payments on Mortgage.	7,000 00
May.....	407 50	Pd. bal. to C. R. Thom-	
June (5,000 R.J.L.)..	5,050 00	son.....	1,812 56
July.....	581 00		
Since .....	331 50		
Proceeds of note....	1,469 18		
	<u>\$13,758 32</u>		<u>\$13,758 32</u>

WM. JEWETT, TREASURER,

## GALLAUDET HOME FOR DEAF-MUTES IN ACCOUNT WITH C. R. THOMSON, MANAGER.

RECEIPTS.		PAYMENTS.	
1887.		1887.	
June, Farm & Donations	\$1,108 54	June, Farmer's bills..	\$ 506 51
July, " "	694 20	Home bills. ....	311 88
August, " "	421 16	July, Farmer's bills..	560 40
Sept., " "	121 81	Home bills. ....	303 36
October, " "	2,325 25	August, Farmer's bills..	136 30
		Home bills. ....	249 86
		Sept. Farmer's bills..	98 98
		Home bills. ....	81 86
		Oct. Farmer's bills..	545 95
		Home bills. ....	406 77
			<u>\$3,201 87</u>
		Oct. 31st, bal. on hand...	1,469 09
	<u>\$4,670 96</u>		<u>\$4,670 96</u>

## THE FIFTEENTH ANNIVERSARY

Was held in the Church of the Intercession, Washington Heights, Rev. H. Morton Reed, Rector, on Sunday evening, November 13th, 1887. A few facts from the Fifteenth Annual Report having been stated, addresses were made by Dr. Peet and the Rector.

## SPECIAL NOTICES.

Mr. James Lewis is authorized to act as Collector, and is commended to those on whom he calls.

The donation of \$100 or upwards at one time makes the donor eligible for election as a Life Member.

Twelfth Sunday after Trinity offerings are requested from churches and individuals in the Dioceses of New York, Long Island, Albany, Northern New Jersey, Connecticut, Rhode Island, Massachusetts, Vermont, New Hampshire and Maine, the field to which the Society is now limited, and in which its missionaries are holding *sign services* at upwards of twenty-five different places.

Bible Classes for deaf-mutes meet in St. Ann's Guild Rooms on Sundays, at 4 P. M., immediately after the 2:45 P. M. service for deaf-mutes in St. Ann's Church.

The Guild of Silent Workers meets on the last Tuesday of the month, at 8 P. M. This Society, through its officers and committees, has been instrumental in extending aid to many deaf-mutes and their families in times of trouble. The Secretary is Mr. Solomon P. Cornelius, and the Treasurer, Mr. Isaac N. Soper.



One great object of "The Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes" is to bring deaf-mutes, after they leave school, into pastoral relations. Among the so-called Protestant bodies, the Church with its Book of Common Prayer, with its lessons from Holy Scripture systematically arranged, with the special teachings of the changing seasons of the ecclesiastical year, and with so much that speaks to the eye in its ritual, offers so many advantages that it has drawn within its fold large numbers of our silent brethren. It is hoped that the Rectors will search out the deaf-mutes who are near them and invite them to attend service, seeing that persons are appointed to show them the places in the Prayer Books and Bibles.

#### MINUTES OF THE TRUSTEES IN RELATION TO THE REV. DR. WESTON.

Dr. Peet, in behalf of the Committee appointed to frame a minute expressive of the feelings of the Trustees with regard to the death of their late associate, Rev. Sullivan H. Weston, D.D., presented the following, which was unanimously adopted:

"The Board of Trustees of the Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes desire to place upon record their deep sense of the loss the Mission has sustained in the death of Rev. Sullivan H. Weston, D.D., who had for several years been associated with them in their labor of love.

"For eleven years an active and most devoted member of the Board of Directors of the New York Institution for the Instruction of the Deaf and Dumb, he had made himself thoroughly familiar with the wonderful transformation which education can effect in their condition, and also with the limitations imposed by their calamity, so that when he also associated himself with us he was able to sympathize,

as few can sympathize, with an effort to completion, in a wider sphere, the work of preparation previously performed.

"A man of power, of large experience in benevolent enterprises, tender in feeling and thoroughly appreciative of the usefulness of the work in which we are engaged, he placed his rare gifts at the service of the Mission.

"Wise in counsel, apt in discernment, exact in discrimination, and withal courteous, cheerful, and warm-hearted, his presence enhanced the value of our deliberations and gave an added glow to our meetings, while the influence he brought to bear upon the Christian public, and the interest he excited in behalf of church work among deaf-mutes, added greatly to the favor which has been bestowed upon our cause.

"From the day when, as a teacher, he inspired in the minds of generous youth the desire for mental exaltation and for the attainment of Christian manliness, till, at the summons of his Divine Master, he laid down the service he had so long rendered as one of the most useful as well as honored Ministers of the Gospel in this Diocese and in this country, his whole life was one stream of beneficence, bringing consolation and hope, joy and blessing to the young and the old, to the rich and the poor, and making the world better for his having lived in it.

"Many are now mourning the dissolution of ties which have bound him to them, as to us, with hooks of steel, but none will miss him more than those whose silence became eloquence when it touched his heart, and, through his responsive lips, touched the hearts of many whom he made their friends. We rejoice that his life was so prolonged as to enable him to do so much. We grieve, as all who knew him must grieve, that we may see his face no more on earth."



# THE FIFTEENTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE TRUSTEES OF

## The Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes.

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The representatives of our Society have continued the work entrusted to them for another year, and we have reason to be thankful that much has been accomplished to promote the temporal and spiritual welfare of the deaf-mutes who have been reached in the Dioceses of New York, Long Island, Albany, Newark and the six Dioceses of New England. *Sign services* have been held in twenty-five or thirty different places; some weekly, some fortnightly, some monthly and some quarterly. With God's blessing these services are leading an increasing number of deaf-mutes into pastoral relations in connection with the Church whose liturgical worship is of such great advantage to them. This work also interests their hearing relatives and friends. During the year quite a number of deaf-mutes and their relatives have received Baptism, Confirmation, and the Holy Communion.

The experience of each advancing year shows the importance of the sign-language as a means of throwing a flood of light and knowledge into the minds and hearts of our deaf-mute brethren and of leading them to the acceptance of the truths revealed by God to men through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. Signs are to the deaf what sounds are to the hearing. We need this silent language, therefore, in order to *preach* the Gospel to the 35,000 deaf-

mutes of our country. The ministers of Christ to whom this language has become perfectly familiar lose all consciousness of the English language and think directly in signs when addressing congregations of deaf-mutes. While the flow of thoughts and feelings goes on in this language which has a peculiar construction of its own, many proper names have to be spelled out by using the single-handed alphabet. A sign-service is full of deep interest, even to those who do not understand it. While watching the earnest motions of the minister and the wrapt attention of the congregation, purifying and elevating influences from the Holy Spirit will touch the inner life and lead the possessors of all their faculties to be more thankful for their blessings and more sincere in the consecration of themselves to the service of the Master. We trust that the readers of this report will improve their first opportunity of being present at a sign-service. One is held in St. Ann's Free Church for Deaf-mutes and their Friends, West 18th street near Fifth avenue, New York, every Sunday afternoon at 2:45.

In addition to providing as many Sunday and week-night services as possible in the Dioceses mentioned above, our Society has continued to find situations for the unemployed, to minister to the sick and needy, to counsel the perplexed, and to extend sympathy to all the people who are silently fighting the mysterious battle of life.

The details of our own field and the relations which we have with the other departments of Church work among the deaf-mutes of our country call for a large correspondence on the part of our General Manager and his associates. Our representatives occasionally mingle with their brethren in the sign-service of these departments. We all feel that the work is one and is done for the loving Saviour, who said Ephphatha to the deaf and dumb man after he had so touchingly attracted His attention.

Our Mission-House, at 220 East 13th street, has been continued for another year. The missionary in charge has



devoted much time to the pastoral care of deaf-mutes in New York and vicinity. Several of them have boarded there at moderate rates. One of the inmates, having been severely injured, was kindly treated at the New York Hospital. The Gallaudet Home, on the Hudson River, between New Hamburg and Poughkeepsie, has ministered to eighteen inmates who, for various reasons incident to old age and other infirmities, are unable to earn their own living. One of the women is deaf-mute and blind. We have established this Home for the Deaf-mutes of the State of New York, and trust that before long we can keep all who need its fostering care from the alms-houses. Sign-services have been held every Sunday in the Chapel of the Home, with several celebrations of the Holy Communion. Most of the inmates are communicants.\* In the latter part of June a change was made at the Home, and Mr. C. R. Thomson appointed Manager.

When this property was purchased in December, 1885, we left upon it a mortgage of \$15,000. Owing to the exertions of Mr. Thomson, \$2,000 were paid on the 1st of April, 1887. Since then, by the generous donation of \$5,000 from Mr. Robert J. Livingston, this mortgage has been reduced to \$8,000. We trust that other kind-hearted persons will aid us to cancel this indebtedness as speedily as possible.

Many of the details which have characterized the history of our Mission for another year will be found in the following reports from various officers of our Society. We hope they will be carefully read, for we are sure they will lead to a more general support of the increasing work which we have in charge.

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\*On behalf of all the friends of the Home, we offer heartfelt thanks to Mrs. Wm. A. Freeborn for her most acceptable gifts to the Chapel—a communion set of four pieces on Easter-day, and altar-linen, bible, prayer-book and hymnal, with a surplice and stole, on Whitsunday. They were presented in memory of her grandson, George Cornell Freeborn, Jr., and “others who have gone before.”

We hope to see new names added every year to our list of Life Members and annual subscribers, and to receive from a larger number of churches and individuals, Twelfth Sunday after Trinity offerings so appropriately made on the day when the Gospel recites the miracle of our Lord's curing the deaf and dumb man. May we not also look for legacies?

In the deaths of the Rt. Rev. Horatio Potter, D.D., LL.D., D.C.L., the late venerable Bishop of New York and for fourteen years the President of our Society, and of the Rev. Sullivan H. Weston, D.D., one of our Trustees, we have parted with sympathetic friends and co-workers. May their places be filled by those who will encourage our efforts to cheer the children of silence.

NEW YORK, October 26, 1887.



# GENERAL MANAGER'S REPORT

FOR THE

QUARTER ENDING WEDNESDAY EVENING, JAN. 26, 1887.

During the past three months I have conducted most of the sign-services on Sunday afternoons in St. Ann's Church. On the 28th of November, after I had finished the service, my brother, Dr. Gallaudet, President of the National College for Deaf-Mutes in Washington, gave some account of his recent visit to England. He had only arrived here on the forenoon of that day. On the 14th, in the evening, I interpreted at the 14th Anniversary of the Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes, held in St. Ann's Church. Bishop Whipple preached. I interpreted in St. Ann's at the Thanksgiving and Christmas Day services. On the 31st of Oct. I conducted a service in St. Paul's, Albany, and Nov. 14th in the Chapel of Trinity Church, Newark. At the latter I administered the Holy Communion to quite a large company of deaf-mutes. On the evening of Dec. 5th I spoke of our work at St. Timothy's, N. Y. On Sunday, Dec. 12th, I preached in three churches of Philadelphia in aid of the work under the pastoral care of Rev. H. W. Syle. On Saturday evening, Oct. 30th, I lectured to the Troy Deaf-Mute Society. On Tuesday evening, Nov. 9th, in the Guild Room of St. Ann's, Dr. Peet, Mr. A. A. Barnes and I organized the Gallaudet Home for Deaf-Mutes Society. Members will pay one dollar a year, and ask their friends and relatives to do the same, for the support of the Home. The Society will extend its operations through the State of New York. Friday, Nov. 12th, I visited the Home. On Wednesday, Nov. 24th, I married Mr. Halsey and Miss Durbrow at Brick Church, N. J. At an Advent service, Wednesday evening, Dec. 1st, in St. Ann's, I interpreted the pastoral letter of the Bishop, as read by Rev. Mr. Krans. Tuesday evening, Dec. 7th, Rev. Mr. Chamberlain's birthday, I attended a Picnic under Gaslight in St. Ann's Guild Room, given by Deaf-Mutes for the benefit of the Home. Friday evening, Dec. 10th, the 99th anniversary of my father's birth, I attended a ball given by the Gallaudet Club in honor of the event, at Lyric Hall. Dec. 20th I visited the New York Institution, and on the 28th I went to Poughkeepsie to see about the taxes on the Home. It was too late to get them off this year. Dec. 30th I had a pleasant visit from Rev. A. W. Mann, consulting with him as to

work at the West. From Jan. 3d to 13th I was unwell at home. On Wednesday, the 12th, I married Mr. Knapp, deaf-mute, and Miss McGovern, from Mt. Moor, Rockland Co. I have visited the Mission House, helped deaf-mutes, written many letters, and asked many for the means we need for our work. I have taken much interest in calling attention to *The Silent Missionary*, a monthly paper under the direction of Revs. Messrs. Syle & Koehler.

THOMAS GALLAUDET.

## QUARTERLY REPORT OF THE GENERAL MANAGER.

NEW YORK, April 27th, 188..

Since the last meeting of the Trustees, I have held services for deaf-mutes in St. Ann's Church, New York, on seven Sundays, and in Waterbury, Providence, Boston, Cambridgeport, Beverly, Worcester, and Norfolk on the other Sundays. I have also held week-night services in the interest of our mission in Durham, Guilford, Worcester, Stafford, Hartford, Lynn, Fall River, New Bedford, Lowell, and Salem. On four evenings I lectured to deaf-mutes on my trip to California last summer.

On Tuesday forenoon, Feb. 15th, I visited a deaf-mute couple in Lynn. The husband was rapidly failing with consumption. After a conversation, in which he expressed his faith in the Saviour, I offered prayer. I also baptized his little boy. After reaching home, I heard that this deaf-mute man died the day after my visit.

On the afternoons of Ash Wednesday and Good Friday I conducted services for deaf-mutes in St. Ann's Church. At other Lenten services I interpreted for deaf-mutes. At 2:45 P. M. on Easter Day we had a special celebration of the Holy Communion for deaf-mutes. There was a very large congregation. About fifty received.

At 8 P. M., April 11th, I attended a meeting of our Executive Committee on the Gallaudet Home.

At 3 P. M., April 12th, in St. Ann's Church, the Rev. Dr. Rainsford married the Rev. Mr. Colt and Miss Bovay. I interpreted for deaf-mutes.

At 3:30 P. M., April 21st, at the residence of Col. William Lamb, Norfolk, Virginia, I married by our sign-language Mr. John Donnell, of Washington, and Miss Mary Content Lamb.

Before going to Norfolk, I had the great pleasure of visiting several times the sale which was progressing in the Guild Rooms of St. Ann's Church, in aid of the Gallaudet Home.

During the quarter I have attended one meeting of the Guild of Silent Workers, found situations for several deaf-mutes, written many letters, and collected some money for our Mission.

On Sunday P. M., April 17th, the Rev. Job Turner, of the Southern dioceses, preached to the deaf-mute congregation at St. Ann's.



Mrs. Wm. A. Freeborn has recently made valuable and acceptable gifts to the Chapel of our Home—a Communion service, books, and linen for the altar, and a surplice and stole. The Communion service was a memorial of her grandson, George Cornell Freeborn, Jr. Rev. Mr. Chamberlain and family have left the Mission House, and Rev. Mr. Colt and wife are now in charge.

Respectfully submitted,  
THOMAS GALLAUDET.

## REPORT OF THE GENERAL MANAGER TO THE TRUSTEES.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, *July 27th, 1887.*

For the quarter just passed I have been busy in the work entrusted to me. On seven of the thirteen Sundays I held the sign-services at St. Ann's Church.

On Sunday P. M., May 1st, the Bishop confirmed 53 persons in St. Ann's, of whom four were deaf-mutes.

On Sunday, May 8th, I spoke in the morning at Grace Church, Brooklyn Heights, in relation to our Mission, and at 7.30 P. M. in the Church of the Redeemer. At 3 P. M. I conducted a sign-service at St. Ann's Chapel.

On Sunday morning, June 12th, I spoke of our Mission at Christ Church, Staten Island.

On June 26th I made an appeal at Zion Church, Wappinger's Falls, at the morning service, and in the afternoon held the Holy Communion in the Chapel of the Gallaudet Home.

On July 3d I assisted in the morning service at Trinity Church, Branford, Conn., and in the afternoon conducted a service at the Gallaudet Family Re-Union, held at the residence of Dr. E. M. Gallaudet, in Indian Neck.

On July 17th I held the Holy Communion service in the Chapel of the Gallaudet Home, and in the evening made an address in relation to our Mission in the Chapel of the State Hospital for the Insane in Poughkeepsie.

On July 24th I made addresses in Christ Church, Greenwich, Conn., and in the Chapel at Byram.

On May 19, Ascension Day, I interpreted for deaf-mutes at the services in St. Ann's.

On June 20th I was greatly encouraged at the receipt of \$5,000 from Mr. Robert J. Livingston towards paying the mortgage on the Home.

During the first week in May I held services in the interests of our Mission in Grace Church, Baltimore, and the Church of the Ascension, Washington.

On Wednesday, May 4th, I was present at the Presentation Day exercises of the National College for Deaf-Mutes in Washington.

During the quarter I baptized a child of deaf-mutes, married three couples of deaf-mutes (one in New Haven, Conn.,) and officiated at the funeral of a deaf-mute communicant of St. Ann's Church, New York. The latter was Mrs. Williamson, one of my pupils when I was teaching at the New York Institution in my early life. I had presented her for confirmation in the Church of the Epiphany, before St. Ann's was founded. I performed the marriage service for her and her deaf-mute husband at St. Ann's Church in October, 1859. God gave them a daughter, and after a while sent His angels to bear the child to Paradise. I said the burial service. Now mother and daughter are together again in the joys of the life beyond the veil. The growth of Mrs. Williamson's spiritual life testified to the fact that the Gospel system in all its richness and fulness can be received by our deaf-mute brethren. My ministrations to this follower of the Saviour, in her declining days, were a great comfort and encouragement to me. During the three months ending this evening, I have attended meetings of the Ex. Committee of the Gallaudet Home, those of the Vestry of St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes, and those of the Directors of the New York Institution for Deaf-Mutes. I have given lessons in signs and the manual alphabet at meetings of St. Ann's Guild. I have been present at meetings of the Guild of Silent Workers. I have lectured on my trip to California, to a company of deaf-mutes gathered in St. Ann's Sunday-School Room for the benefit of the Gallaudet Home. I have written a large number of letters to help on our work, and have called from time to time at our Mission House. I have procured employment for quite a number of deaf-mutes.

On the 25th of June Mr. James R. Graham, having ceased to be the farmer of the Gallaudet Home, I ventured to take the responsibility of asking Mr. Clement R. Thomson to take the position of Manager. I was thankful that this arrangement afterwards met the approval of the Executive Committee and the Trustees.

On that day we had a successful lawn-party at the Home.

On the 26th of July I enjoyed the memorable excursion which a large company of deaf-mutes and their friends made to the Home in the steamboat Long Branch. We left New York at 9 A. M. and returned at 10 P. M., having about two hours on the beautiful grounds of the Home.

As time moves on, I see clearly the great results of our Mission to Deaf-Mutes.

THOMAS GALLAUDET,  
*General Manager.*

## REPORT OF THE GENERAL MANAGER TO THE TRUSTEES.

WEDNESDAY EVENING, *Oct. 26th, 1887.*

I will first call attention to the Sundays of the quarter just passed:

On the 31st of July I spoke of our work at St. James's Church, Long Branch, and in the evening held services at the Scarboro House.



On the 7th of Aug. I held services for deaf-mutes in Providence, R. I., and Randolph, Mass., and on the 14th in Boston, Cambridgeport and Worcester. At Cambridgeport I baptized a child of deaf-mutes.

On the 21st at Trinity Church, Lime Rock, Conn., and on the 28th in Bethesda Church, Saratoga Springs, I spoke of our work. The latter day was the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity.

On Sept. 4th I conducted the services at St. Ann's, New York.

On the 11th I made an address in St. James's Church, Goshen, N. Y., after which a liberal offering was made to support our Mission.

On the 18th I was at St. Ann's, New York, and in the evening made an address at St. Augustine's Chapel.

On the 25th I was at St. Ann's, and in the evening addressed the congregation of St. Thomas's Church, Mamaroneck.

On Oct. 2d I preached the 35th anniversary sermon in St. Ann's at 11 A. M., and repeated it at the afternoon service for deaf-mutes.

On the 9th I was at St. Ann's, holding an evening combined service in St. Mark's, Tarrytown, at which I baptized a child of deaf-mutes.

On the 16th I held services for deaf-mutes in Troy and Albany. In the evening I spoke of our work in Grace Church, Albany.

On the 23d I held two services in the Gallaudet Home, and in the evening made an address in St. Luke's Church, Matteawan.

During the week intervening between the first and second Sundays in August I held service for deaf-mutes in Natick, Nashua, Lowell, Beverly and Lynn. In Beverly I baptized a child of deaf-mutes.

I was prevented from attending the Convention of the Empire Deaf-Mute Association in Syracuse, Aug. 31st, and the one of the Granite State Deaf-Mute Mission, in Henniker, Sept. 3d, by the illness and death of Sister Ellen, at the House of the Good Shepherd, Asbury Park, New Jersey. She entered into rest on the 5th of Sept. Our church work among deaf-mutes always had her sympathy and prayers.

I have attended meetings of the Ex. Committee on the Home, a Trustee meeting, meetings of the Directors of the New York Institution for Deaf-Mutes, and those of the Guild of Silent Workers. I have done considerable general work among deaf-mutes and visited the Mission House more often than usual, owing to the severe illness of Rev. Mr. Colt. On Saturday evening, Oct. 15th, in Troy, and Monday evening, Oct. 17th, in Albany, I lectured to deaf-mutes. On Tuesday, Oct. 18th, in Troy, I married Mr. C. A. Smith and Miss Annie L. Gould. On the 19th and 20th I held services in Schenectady and Newburgh.

THOMAS GALLAUDET,  
General Manager.

## TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES.

NEW YORK, *January 26th*, 1887.

GENTLEMEN—At the date of my last quarterly report I had just been confined almost three weeks at South Framingham, Mass., with typhoid pneumonia.

*Monday, October 25th*, 1886, I went from there to Boston, and thence the next day to my brother's home in Vermont, where I remained until *Friday, November 19th*, when I felt my strength sufficiently recovered to begin work again.

*Sunday, November 21st*, I officiated for deaf-mutes in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston, Mass., the Rev. G. J. Prescott, Rector, and in St. Peter's Church, Cambridgeport, Mass., the Rev. E. M. Gushee, Rector.

*Sunday, November 28th*, I held a sign-service in the Chapel of Trinity Church, Newark, N. J., the Rev. J. S. Reed, Rector.

*Tuesday, November 30th*, in the evening I presided at the meeting of the Guild of Silent Workers at St. Ann's Church, New York.

*Sunday, December 5th*, in the morning, I interpreted, and in the afternoon held a sign service, in St. Peter's Church, Portchester, N. Y., the Rev. S. W. Young, Rector.

*Tuesday, December 7th*, I served, in the evening, as General Director at an entertainment given in the basement of St. Ann's Church, by deaf-mutes, in aid of the Gallaudet Home.

*Wednesday, December 8th*, in the evening, at St. Ann's, I assisted the Rev. Dr. Gallaudet in a service and interpreted his address.

*Friday, December 10th*, in the evening, I was a guest of the Gallaudet Club (a society of Deaf-mute gentlemen) at an annual reception given by them. At their invitation I made a brief address.

*Sunday, December 12th*, I celebrated the Holy Communion in sign-language in the Chapel of Trinity Church, Newark, N. J., and conducted the sign-service in St. Ann's, N. Y.

*Sunday, December 19th*, I celebrated the Holy Communion and also held a second service with the inmates of the Gallaudet Home in their Chapel.

*Saturday, December 25th*, I assisted the Rev. Dr. Gallaudet at the early Christmas celebration of Holy Communion at St. Ann's, New York.

*Sunday, December 26th*, I held a sign-service in Newark, N. J.

*Wednesday, December 29th*, I presided at a meeting of the Guild of Silent Workers.

*Sunday, January 2d*, 1887, at All Saints' Church, Providence, R. I., the Rev. D. Henshaw, S.T.D., Rector, I interpreted Morning Prayer and Holy Communion, and in the afternoon held a sign-service.

*Monday, January 3d*, in the evening, I held a sign-service in the Chapel of All Saints' Church, Worcester, Mass., the Rev. A. H. Vinton, Rector.

*Tuesday, January 4th*, in the evening I held a sign-service in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Nashua, N. H., the Rev. W. H. Moreland, Rector.



*Wednesday, January 5th*, I held a combined service in the evening in Grace Church, Manchester, N. H., the Rev. H. E. Cooke, Rector.

*Friday, January 7th*, evening, I held a sign-service in the Chapel of St. Stephen's Church, Lynn, Mass., the Rev. F. L. Norton, D. D., Rector.

*Sunday, January 9th*, in the morning, at the Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston, Mass., I interpreted Holy Communion, and in the evening held a sign-service in the Sunday School room of St. Peter's Church, Cambridgeport, Mass.

*Sunday, January 16th*, I held two services and celebrated Holy Communion in the Chapel of the Gallaudet Home.

*Wednesday, January 19th*, evening, I was a guest at the annual reception of the Catholic Literary and Benevolent Union, an association of Deaf-mutes in this city.

*Sunday, January 23d*, I held a combined service in St. Mark's Church, Tarrytown, N. Y., the Rev. M. K. Schermerhorn, Rector.

*Tuesday, January 25th*, evening, I presided at a meeting of the Guild of Silent Workers.

I have been also occupied much with correspondence, in visiting deaf-mutes at their homes both in this city and the other towns to which my duties have called me, and in efforts to secure employment for those out of work.

In each of the past two months I have spent several days at the Gallaudet Home endeavoring to mould affairs there to greater regularity and efficiency.

I have also continued in charge of our Mission House in this city. I beg leave to declare again my conviction that this is an important feature of our work which, if continued, is destined to increase in value as a beneficent agency, and which ought to be continued if possible. Yet, while I say this, I am also convinced that at the end of the next quarter year I must, for the sake of my own domestic economies, ask to be relieved of the immediate charge of the House. I trust, however, that my proposed retirement will not incline any of you to favor the closing of present efforts in that direction.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CHAMBERLAIN,

*Assistant General Manager.*

## TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES.

NEW YORK, *April 27th*, 1887.

GENTLEMEN—Since your last regular meeting I have officiated for deaf-mutes at church services in St. Ann's Church, New York, five times; in the Chapel of the Gallaudet Home, six times; in All Saint's Church, Providence, R. I., twice; in St. Peter's Church, Portchester, N. Y., three

times; and once each in the Chapel of St. Andrew's Church, Harlem, N. Y.; Calvary Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.; St. Stephen's Church, Lynn, Mass.; St. Peter's Church, Beverly, Mass.; Chapel of St. Peter's Church, Salem, Mass.; Room of Silent Society, Lowell, Mass.; Church of the Good Shepherd, Nashua, N. H.; Chapel of All Saint's Church, Worcester, Mass.; Church of the Redeemer, Providence, R. I.; St. Luke's Church, Matteawan, N. Y.; St. George's Church, Newburgh, N. Y. St. John's Church, Cohoes, N. Y.; St. Paul's Church, Troy, N. Y.; Parish House of St. Paul's Church, Albany, N. Y., and St. Mark's Church, Tarrytown, N. Y.

At three of these services I addressed hearing congregations regarding our Mission.

I attended three meetings of your Executive Committee on the Gallaudet Home.

I attended two meetings of the Guild of Silent Workers at St. Ann's Church, New York, at one of which I presided.

The evening of Feb. 1st I served as interpreter at an entertainment given by the Guild of Silent Workers.

The evening of Feb. 21st I interpreted at a reception given by a Society of Deaf-Mutes in Brooklyn, N. Y.

In the early morning of Monday, April 11th, an inmate of the Gallaudet Home wandered down to the railroad and was struck by a train and severely injured. As he needed care which could not be given him at the Home, I, being there, had him at once taken to St. Barnabas's Hospital, in Poughkeepsie, where he was kindly received and cared for until his recovery.

April 18th-21st, I assisted the Deaf-Mutes of New York at a fair given by them in aid of the Gallaudet Home.

I have spent considerable time at the Home; have interpreted on numerous occasions not mentioned above, and ministered in the usual variety of more private matters.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CHAMBERLAIN,

*Assistant General Manager.*

## TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES.

NEW YORK, *July 27th*, 1887.

GENTLEMEN—During the past three months I have officiated for deaf-mutes three times in St. Ann's Church, New York; once in St. Mark's Church, Tarrytown, N. Y.; twice at the Gallaudet Home; once in St. Paul's Church, Albany, N. Y.; once in St. John's Church, Troy, N. Y.; once in St. Peter's Church, Portchester, N. Y.; six times in All Saints' Church, Providence, R. I.; twice in Church of the Redeemer, Providence; twice in the Chapel of All Saints' Church, Worcester, Mass.;



once in Lowell, Mass.; twice in St. Peter's Church, Beverly, Mass.; once at the School for Deaf-Mutes in Beverly; three times in the Guild room of St. Stephen's Church, Lynn, Mass.; three times in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston, Mass.; three times in St. Peter's Church, Cambridge, Mass.; twice in Randolph, Mass.; once in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Nashua, N. H.; once in Grace Church, Manchester, N. H.; once in the Cathedral, Portland, Me.; and once in Trinity Church, Saco, Me. I also baptized two children of deaf-mute parents in St. Matthew's Church, South Boston, Mass.

I attended three meetings of the Executive Committee of the Gallaudet Home.

I spent several days at the Home endeavoring to attend to various of its business concerns.

The usual variety of more personal and individual ministries have also had my attention.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CHAMBERLAIN,

*Assistant General Manager.*

## TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES.

CRAFTSBURY, VT., Oct. 24th, 1887.

GENTLEMEN—During the past three months I have officiated for deaf-mutes at church services six times in St. Ann's Church, New York; twice in All Saints' Church, Providence, R. I.; and once each in Calvary Church, Brooklyn, N. Y.; in the Chapel of Trinity Church, Newark, N. J.; in St. John's Church, Lawrence, Mass.; in the Chapel of All Saints' Church, Worcester, Mass.; in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston, Mass.; in St. Peter's Church, Cambridge, Mass.; in Randolph, Mass., and in South Framingham, Mass. I baptized a child of deaf-mute parents in St. Peter's Church, Cambridge, Mass. Saturday and Sunday, Sept. 3d and 4th, I served as interpreter at a meeting of the Granite State Deaf-Mute Mission, Henniker, N. H. I lectured before the Silent Society, in Lowell, Mass. I assisted the Rector, the Rev. W. H. Collins, at a combined service in St. Michael's Church, Brattleboro, Vt., and spoke on behalf of our Mission. I attended a meeting of the Guild of Silent Workers in the Sunday-School room of St. Ann's Church, New York. I administered the Holy Communion to a sick deaf-mute.

I also interpreted parts of the service on various other occasions, and gave attention to the usual variety of individual ministries for the benefit of the deaf.

Respectfully submitted,

JOHN CHAMBERLAIN,

*Assistant General Manager.*

## TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES.

GENTLEMEN—On *Wednesday, October 27th*, I attended your quarterly meeting and interpreted part of the proceedings.

*Sunday, October 31st*, I officiated in the sign language in St. Ann's Church, New York.

*November 7th*, A. M., interpreted the service in All Saints' Church, Providence, R. I.; P. M., conducted service there.

*November 14th*, conducted service in St. Paul's Parish House, Albany, N. Y.; P. M., officiated in St. Paul's Church, Troy, N. Y.

*November 21st*, A. M., officiated in St. Andrew's Chapel, Harlem, N. Y.; P. M., in Calvary Church, Brooklyn, E. D.

*November 25th*, held services in the Chapel of the Gallaudet Home, at Wappinger's Falls, N. Y.

*November 28th*, A. M., conducted service in the Guild room of St. Paul's Church, New Haven, Conn.; P. M., interpreted service in St. Paul's Church, East Bridgeport.

*December 5th*, A. M., interpreted in All Saints' Church, Providence, R. I.; P. M., conducted service there.

*December 12th*, officiated in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston; P. M., interpreted the service at St. Peter's Church, Cambridge, Mass., the Rev. E. M. Gushee, rector.

*December 19*, at 8 A. M., I assisted the Rev. Dr. Gallaudet in the Holy Communion, and interpreted; 11 A. M., celebrated the Holy Communion in St. Andrew's Chapel, Harlem, N. Y.; P. M., officiated in Calvary Church, Brooklyn, E. D.

*December 25th*, at 8 A. M., I interpreted the Holy Communion in Calvary Church, Brooklyn, E. D.; 11 A. M., interpreted a part of the service in St. Ann's Church, N. Y.

*December 26th*, A. M., conducted service in the Guild room of St. Paul's Church, New Haven, Conn.; P. M., held service in the Parish House of St. Paul's, East Bridgeport.

*January 2d*, I assisted the Rev. Dr. Gallaudet in the signs, at St. Ann's Church, N. Y.

*January 9th*, officiated in Trinity Chapel, Newark, N. J.; P. M., conducted the sign service in St. Ann's Church, N. Y.

*January 16th*, conducted service in St. Andrew's Chapel, Harlem, N. Y.; P. M., officiated in Calvary Church, Brooklyn, E. D.

*January 23d*, A. M., conducted service at Trinity Chapel, Newark, N. J.; P. M., assisted the Rev. Dr. Gallaudet, in St. Ann's Church, N. Y.

Respectfully submitted,

ANSON TRUMAN COLT.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26, 1887.



## TO THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES.

GENTLEMEN—Since your last quarterly meeting I have performed the following official acts in connection with the Mission :

*Tuesday, January 24th*, attended a meeting of the Guild of Silent Workers.

*Sunday, January 30th*, A. M., service in Guild room of St. Paul's Church, New Haven, Conn.; P. M., officiated at St. Paul's Church, East Bridgeport, Conn.

*Sunday, February 6th*, A. M., interpreted the service at St. Ann's Church, New York; P. M., officiated there in the sign language.

*Sunday, February 13th*, A. M., celebrated the Holy Communion in Trinity Chapel, Newark; P. M., assisted the Rev. Mr. Chamberlain at St. Ann's Church, New York.

*February 20th*, A. M., officiated at St. Andrew's Chapel, Harlem, N. Y.; P. M., held service at Calvary Church, Brooklyn, E. D.

*Ash Wednesday, February 23d*, at 6.30 A. M., interpreted service at St. Ann's Church, New York; at 11 A. M., interpreted part of the service at St. Ann's Church, New York; 7.45 P. M., interpreted at St. Ann's.

*Sunday, February 27th*, A. M., officiated in Trinity Chapel, Newark; P. M., assisted the Rev. Dr. Gallaudet in St. Ann's Church.

*Tuesday, March 1st*, attended a meeting of the Guild of Silent Workers.

*Sunday, March 6th*, A. M., interpreted the service at St. Paul's Church, New Haven, Conn.; P. M., held service in the Parish House at St. Paul's Church, Bridgeport.

*Sunday, March 13th*, officiated in Trinity Chapel, Newark, N. J.

*Sunday, March 20th*, celebrated the Holy Communion in St. Andrew's Chapel, Harlem; baptized three children in combined service, and officiated in Calvary Church, Brooklyn, E. D.

*Sunday, March 25th*, A. M., officiated in Trinity Chapel, Newark; P. M., assisted the Rev. Dr. Gallaudet at St. Ann's.

*Sunday, April 3d*, A. M., interpreted Confirmation in Trinity Church, Newark, presenting three deaf-mute candidates; P. M., assisted the Rev. Dr. Gallaudet, and addressed the deaf-mute Bible Class.

*Easter-Day, April 10th*, 8 A. M., interpreted the Holy Communion at St. Ann's; 11 A. M., celebrated in Trinity Chapel, Newark; P. M., assisted Rev. Dr. Gallaudet.

*Sunday, April 17th*, at 12 M., interpreted the Holy Communion in the Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston; P. M., officiated at St. Peter's, Cambridgeport.

*Sunday, April 24th*, officiated in Trinity Chapel, Newark.

Respectfully submitted,

ANSON TRUMAN COLT.

NEW YORK CITY, April 27, 1887.

## TO THE TRUSTEES OF THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES.

GENTLEMEN—Since your last meeting I have performed the following public acts in the sign language :

*Sunday, May 1st*, at 8 and 11 A. M., interpreted the services in St. Ann's, New York; and at 3.30 P. M., interpreted the Order of Confirmation there.

*Sunday, May 8th*, A. M., officiated at Trinity Chapel, Newark; P. M., at St. Ann's, New York.

*Sunday, May 15th*, A. M., officiated at St. Andrew's Chapel, Harlem; P. M., at Calvary Church, Brooklyn, E. D.

*Sunday, May 22d*, officiated at Trinity Chapel, Newark, N. J.

*Sunday, May 29th*, assisted in the service at St. Ann's, New York.

*Sunday, June 5th*, A. M., officiated in the Guild room of St. Paul's Church, Bridgeport, Conn.; P. M., interpreted the service at Christ Church, Bridgeport, the Rev. B. E. Warner, rector, and made an address about our work.

*Monday, June 6th*, officiated in the Guild room of St. Paul's Church, New Haven.

*Sunday, June 12th*, A. M., officiated at Trinity Chapel, Newark; P. M., at St. Ann's, New York.

*Sunday, June 19th*, A. M., officiated at St. Andrew's Chapel, Harlem; P. M., in Calvary Church, Brooklyn, E. D.

*Sunday, June 26th*, officiated in Trinity Chapel, Newark, N. J.

*Sunday, July 3d*, at 8 and 11 A. M., interpreted the service at St. Ann's, New York; 3.30 P. M., officiated there.

*Sunday, July 10th*, officiated in Trinity Chapel, Newark.

*Sunday, July 17th*, A. M., officiated in the Guild room of St. Paul's Church, Troy, N. Y.; P. M., at St. Paul's, Albany, N. Y.

*Sunday, July 24th*, officiated in Trinity Chapel, Newark, N. J.

I have also interpreted about one-half of the daily services held at St. Ann's, and have attended each day to the work of the mission, and continued in charge of the Mission House.

Respectfully submitted,

ANSON TRUMAN COLT.

NEW YORK, July 27th, 1887.

During most of the three months ending with October, 1887, the Rev. A. T. Colt was so unwell that he could not attempt any work with the exception of a few services in the Catskills, and in Providence, R. I. Earnest prayers have been offered that he may be restored to health, and in due time be able to resume his ministrations in connection with this Society.



## Report of Mr. Samuel M. Brown.

The following is the report of services held by me for the year ending Oct. 31st, 1887, under the direction of the Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes:

St. Mark's Church, Tarrytown, N. Y.....	1
Trinity Church, Newark, N. J.....	5
Calvary Church, Williamsburg, E. D.....	1
St. Andrew's Church, Harlem, N. Y.....	1

Eight pastoral visits made in such places where there were the poor, sick and distressed relieved.

Confirmation, St. Ann's Church, New York City.....	1
Burial, Flushing, Long Island.....	1

Money receipts, collections from the deaf in eight churches, \$4.35.

Money expenses for traveling and stationery, \$3.02.

My work appears to have done good to our brethren. Wherever I have been permitted to hold services I have been met with the greatest kindness on the part of the Rectors and the people. My thanks are due *The Deaf-Mutes' Journal*, for publishing notices for the Deaf. I have tried to do missionary work to the deaf as often as I could, but it has met with difficulties. If I could be supported, I should like to give myself to missionary work among my brethren.

The Bible Class has been continued under my direction, Mr. A. A. Barnes being Assistant Superintendent. I have been often called away to take sign-services for the deaf. It meets in the Sunday-School room of St. Ann's Church on Sunday, at 4 o'clock P.M. The collections amount to \$11.36; balance on Oct. 1, 1886, \$20.43; expenses to \$29.12; balance in the treasury to Oct. 31, 1887, \$2.67; Prayer Book Fund, \$1.00. Mite chests were distributed among friends in aid of the Gallaudet Home on the Hudson. Collections amounting to \$40.00 were received. The class paid \$5.00 for the re-union and sale for St. Ann's Church; \$5.00 for fair held in the aid of the Gallaudet Home; \$3.12 in full for surplice; \$1.00 for mite chests, and \$10 for Easter offerings.

The Confirmation Class was pretty well attended and received one candidate. The candidate was confirmed by the Bishop in St. Ann's Church on the third Sunday after Easter, 1887, when Dr. Gallaudet presented three other mutes to the Bishop.

Respectfully submitted,

S. M. BROWN,

*Lay-Reader of the Church Mission.*

NEW YORK, Oct. 31, 1887.

## Report of Mr. James Lewis.

Mr. Lewis has continued for another year his faithful and persevering labors as collector for our Society, and has met with encouraging success.

He has secured several valuable gifts for the Gallaudet Home, and has led in the responsive portions of the sign-services in St. Ann's Church.

### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, ALBANY.

THE REV. DR. REESE, RECTOR.

The services for deaf-mutes have been continued during the year.

### ST. PAUL'S CHURCH, TROY.

THE REV. EDGAR A. ENOS, RECTOR.

The services for deaf-mutes have gone on as usual. The Bible Class and the Society have held their meetings in the Guild room.

### TRINITY CHURCH, NEWARK.

THE REV. J. SAUNDERS REED, RECTOR.

Sign-services on the second and fourth Sundays of each month have been held in the Chapel. On the fourth Sunday the Holy Communion is celebrated.

### ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, HARLEM.

THE REV. DR. LOBDELL, RECTOR.

Services have been held in the Chapel in the forenoon of the third Sunday of each month.

### CALVARY CHURCH, BROOKLYN, N. Y.

THE REV. C. L. TWING, RECTOR.

Sign-services have been held in the afternoon of the third Sunday of each month.

### TRINITY CHURCH, MT. VERNON.

THE REV. STEPHEN F. HOLMES, RECTOR.

Several services have been held, at which Rev. Dr. Gallaudet has acted as interpreter for the deaf-mutes in the congregation.

Occasional services have been held in St. Peter's Church, Portchester; St. Mark's Church, Tarrytown; and Zion Church, Wappinger's Falls.



## THE MISSION HOUSE

has been sustained for another year at 220 East Thirteenth street. Much good has been accomplished there, though the long and very serious sickness of the resident missionary, Rev. Mr. Colt, has prevented the carrying out of some plans which had been formed to increase the efficiency of this center of our work. Should the way open for the continuance of a Mission House, it will be desirable to obtain a building in some other part of the city.

### Report of Mr. George W. Schutt.

Mr. Schutt has devoted most of his time as Lay-reader to the religious services of the Gallaudet Home for Deaf-Mutes, but he has ministered to his brethren in Newburg, Poughkeepsie, and some other places.

### SERVICES FOR DEAF-MUTES IN NEW ENGLAND

have been held in St. Paul's Church, New Haven, Rev. Mr. Lines, Rector; St. Paul's Church, Bridgeport, Rev. Mr. Walker, Rector; Christ Church, Hartford, Rev. Mr. Nichols, Rector; All Saints' Memorial Church, Providence, Rev. Dr. Henshaw, Rector; Church of Good Shepherd, Boston, Rev. Mr. Prescott, Rector; St. Peter's Church, Cambridgeport, Rev. Mr. Gushee, Rector; All Saints' Church, Worcester, Rev. Mr. Vinton, Rector; Grace Church, Nashua, Rev. Mr. Moreland, Rector; St. Peter's Church, Beverly, Rev. Mr. Smith, Rector; St. Stephen's Church, Lynn, Rev. Dr. Norton, Rector; Church of the Ascension, Fall River, Rev. Mr. Smith, Rector; Christ, Biddeford; St. Luke's Cathedral, Portland, Rt. Rev. Bishop Neely; the Room of the "Silent Society," Lowell; N. E. Industrial School for Deaf-Mutes, Beverly, St. John's, Waterbury, Rev. Dr. Rowland, Rector; Grace Church, New Bedford, Rev. Mr. Strong, Rector; Redeemer, Providence, Rev. Mr. Bassett, Rector; and St. Paul's, Pawtucket, Rev. Mr. Porter, Rector.

### Report of Mr. William Bailey.

BEVERLY, MASSACHUSETTS.

Mr. Bailey reports work among deaf-mutes in various places. Could the means for his support be furnished, he would be glad to devote himself to missionary work among his brethren.

## The Gallaudet Home for Deaf-Mutes.

On the Hudson River, between New Hamburg and Poughkeepsie.  
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G. W. SCHUTT, *House Superintendent and Chaplain*.

In the latter part of June, 1887, a change was made in the administration of affairs at the Home, and Mr. C. R. Thomson was placed in charge as manager. He has resided there and devoted himself to constant efforts for the success of the Home. He has won the confidence and good will of all who have had dealings with him. He is the local Treasurer, so that donations may be sent directly to him. His post-office address is Wappinger's Falls, N. Y.

For a part of the year Miss Hattie Foland has acted as Matron, and Miss Libbie Foland as Housekeeper. They have striven to make comfortable the aged and disabled deaf-mutes whom our Society has received as inmates. These silent people had reached a point in their lives when they could no longer support themselves. Had not our Home opened its hospitable doors to them life would have become a burden to them, and some would have found their way to the isolation of alms-houses. Most of them, however, can do something to help on the work, the women in household duties, and the men in the farm, the garden, or the orchard.

Religious services have been frequently held on Sundays and other days in the Chapel. Our Chaplain is one of the lay-readers of the Diocese of New York. The Holy Communion has been celebrated monthly.

The Building Fund, referred to in former reports, was used in the purchase of the property (See description on the inside page of the back cover of this Report), the repairs, the furniture and incidentals specially con-



nected with the opening of the Home, involving the cash expenditure of upwards of \$17,000, and leaving a mortgage of \$15,000.

By the exertions of Mr. C. R. Thomson, contributions were received from kind and appreciative friends to the amount of \$2,000, which was paid on account of this indebtedness, April 1st, 1887. A few weeks later Mr. Robert J. Livingston sent his check for \$5,000 to encourage us, so that the mortgage now stands at \$8,000. We shall be grateful for special contributions towards relieving the Home from this burden.

As the names of those who have given money for the support of the Home appear on the other pages of this Report, we will only mention at the close of this statement the names of those who have sent various useful and most acceptable articles.

It has been gratifying and encouraging to see the interest which has been shown by deaf-mutes themselves in efforts to sustain the Home by excursions, lectures, amusements, a fair, and membership of the Gallaudet Home for Deaf-Mutes Society.

One of the inmates, having been badly hurt, was received into St. Barnabas Hospital, Poughkeepsie, and gratuitously treated for several weeks. The Trustees are grateful for this kindly act.

Dr. J. M. Cornell and Dr. W. Baxter, of Wappinger's Falls, have kindly treated several of the inmates, and we hereby tender them our sincere thanks for their services.

## DONATIONS OF ARTICLES

### TO THE GALLAUDET HOME.

Miss Julia L. Cooke, Mrs. August Doughty, 15 pillow cases, 1 pillow, 1 pair of blankets, 10 sheets, 1 spread.  
S. M. Brown, 5 shirts.  
Through Mrs. M. Schoenfeld, a bundle of clothing.  
A bundle of new clothing, for Miss E. Levy.  
Through Rev. H. Chamberlaine and Ladies' Society of All Angels' Church, New York, a bundle of clothing.  
Mr. J. Carlin, a bundle of clothing and Christmas presents.  
Christmas presents, from Mrs. Sip, Mr. Archer, Mr. Tobin, Miss Cobane, Mr. Fitzgerald and Mrs. Schutt.  
A. A. Barnes, a large basket of strawberries and a bundle of clothing.  
W. J. Nelson, a bundle of clothing.  
Mrs. Nelson, magazines and illustrated papers.  
Through Rev. A. T. Colb, 1 dozen ladies' chemises, half dozen ladies' drawers.  
W. O. Fitzgerald, magazines and illustrated papers, 3 neckties and two summer drawers.  
Mrs. A. C. Bettner, a bundle of clothing.  
Mrs. A. C. Bettner, a piece of muslin, 2 table cloths, 1 doz. towels.  
C. S. Newell, magazines.  
Clothes, Mrs. Haisted, Poughkeepsie.  
Books, Mrs. Varick, "  
Clothes, Mrs. J. Nelson, "  
Clothes, Peter Witschief, New York.  
Clothes, curtains, &c., Mrs. S. M. Brown.  
Blankets, Merritt Ostrander.  
Comfortables, blankets, Mrs. Mason Thomson.  
Two chests tea, Houghtaling & Co., New York.  
Clothes, Mrs. W. A. Freeborn, "

Papers, *Silent World*, Philadelphia, *Deaf-Mutes' Journal*, New York, *Tablet*, Romny, West Virginia, *Deaf-Mutes' Mirror*, Flint, Mich., *Mutes' Companion*, Faribault, Minn.  
Books, Mrs. Hampton, Poughkeepsie.  
B. P. Wayne, repairing dock free.  
Mrs. W. A. Freeborn, altar linen, surplice and stole, Communion set, Bible, prayer book and hymnal for the Chapel. In memoriam  
G. Fersenheim, bed furniture.  
Miss C. Vandervoort, a bundle of clothing.  
Frank Merritt, boots.  
Mr. Laing, clothing.  
From a friend, a rug.  
Mrs. Bettner, muslin and towels.  
R. Easterbrook & Co., a box of steel pens.  
Catherwood & Co., a box of tea.  
E. J. Gillies & Co., 25 pounds of coffee.  
Portrait of Rev. Thomas H. Gallaudet, LL.D., from the German Deaf-Mute Society, through Mr. Lowenstein.  
For the Mission House in 18th Street, a box of clothing, from Mrs. Hirst.  
Slumber socks, Miss Thomson.  
Suit clothes and bed spread, from "a dear friend of Dr. Gallaudet."  
Clothes, Mrs. W. Skinner.  
" Mrs. S. V. Spinar.  
" Mrs. G. H. Witschief.  
" Mrs. E. Roberts.  
" Mrs. Laing.  
" and books, W. O. Fitzgerald.  
" Mrs. Juhring.  
Oil painting, Cattle scene, Miss L. A. Nichols, Poughkeepsie.

## The Gallaudet Home for Deaf-Mutes Society.

### FIRST REPORT OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

In conformity with the provisions of the organization of the Gallaudet Home for Deaf-mutes Society, we hereby present our annual report of its proceedings during the first year of its existence. Appended is a detailed statement. The executive committee desires to express its most heartfelt thanks for all the favors which the friends of the Home have so liberally shown for the welfare of the aged and infirm inmates, and also highly appreciate the generosity of our contributors and donors, as well as the labor of our collectors. The committee sincerely values the service of those ladies and gentlemen who have so successfully managed fairs and excursion trips; and last, but not the least, gratefully remembers all the indulgencies and courtesies of the publisher of the popular *Journal* for continued use of space in the paper as well as printing materials, such as circulars or certificates, at very low rates, in behalf of the blessed refuge of our brethren in distress. Likewise, the committee most earnestly solicits the friends and patrons of the Home to prosecute the good work with more vigor and perseverance than they have for the past year.

### FINANCIAL STATEMENT FROM NOVEMBER, 1886, TO NOVEMBER, 1887.

	COLLECTORS.	MEMBERS.	AMOUNT.
A. A. Barnes, Sec'y and Treas. G.H.D.M.S. (estimated).		150	\$196.25
S. M. Brown, N. Y.		7	7.00
Mrs. W. Buhle, N. Y.		4	4.00
G. H. Schutt, Wappinger's Falls.		13	21.55
Miss Lizzie Noble, N. Y.		6	7.00
W. O. Fitzgerald, "		6	7.50
Geo. E. August, "		36	36.00
Geo. H. Witschief, "		2	2.00
Miss Gussie Berley, "		11	11.75
W. T. Collins, Troy, "		13	25.00
J. B. Hermann, Buffalo, N. Y.		3	3.00
Mrs. Mary E. Totten, "		18	23.00
Jas. E. Doran, Syracuse, "		11	12.75
August Kowald, Buffalo, "		10	13.00
H. Ward Smith, Albion, "		5	9.00
W. L. Butcher, Utica, "		4	7.15
Ephraim Jewell, North Java, "		1	1.00
Mrs. Hattie Bailey, "		24	32.00
J. C. Aker, Rochester, "		7	7.50
Geo. R. Mowry, Triangle, "		4	8.50
Miss Mira Warren, Albany, "		5	6.00
Jacob Alexander, "		7	7.00
		347	\$447.95



## DONATIONS.

John Emerson, Howland, Me.....	\$ 10.00
The Bible Class (D.M.), Troy, N. Y.....	2.00
Mr. and Mrs. Z. F. Westervelt, Rochester.....	50.00
Miss H. E. Hamilton, ".....	10.00
L. B. Saxton, Troy.....	10.00
Mrs. L. B. Saxton, ".....	5.00
J. G. Saxton, ".....	5.00
Mrs. J. G. Saxton, ".....	5.00
Mrs. D. F. Thompson, ".....	5.00
John I. Thompson, ".....	25.00
C. R. Thomson, New York.....	100.00
Miss Mary A. Edson, ".....	100.00
Douglas W. Burnham, Fishkill on the Hudson.....	5.00
Mrs. C. M. Goodridge, New York.....	100.00
Mrs. A. C. Alden.....	25.00
Mrs. Rutherford.....	100.00

\$602.00

## BRICK PLAN COLLECTIONS.

Wm. Hutton, N. Y.....	\$30.85
W. H. Terbush, Danbury, Ct.....	10.00
Miss Gussie Berley, N. Y.....	3.20
R. M. Patterson, Brooklyn, N. Y.....	13.95
Miss Strong, Washington, D. C.....	2.20
Mrs. Julia Atkins, Troy, N. Y.....	4.50
Chas. E. Van Tassel, New York.....	5.00
Miss Mary Toole, Albany, N. Y.....	17.75
Miss Georgie Loomis, New York.....	2.00
Rev. Job Turner, Staunton, Va.....	10.00

99.45

## LECTURES.

Dr. I. L. Peet.....	\$16.50
Thomas Godfrey.....	8.55
Student Neesau, (Persia Turkey).....	5.10
Frank B. Thompson.....	3.00
Dr. Thomas Gallaudet.....	3.00
W. G. Jones.....	9.90
E. A. Hodgson.....	4.05

50.10

## ENTERTAINMENTS.

" Picnic under gas light ".....	32.25
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## SALES OF PHOTOGRAPHS OF THE HOME.

G. W. Schutt, Wappinger's Falls.....	\$1.60
Jas. T. Witbeck, Troy, N. Y.....	9.70
C. R. Thomson.....	1.00

12.30

## FAIR SALES.

The 2d Galludet Home Fair at St. Ann's Church S.S.....	\$365.16
The 2d Gallaudet Home Lawn Party at the G. H.....	162.06

527.22

## EXCURSIONS.

The New York " Gallaudet Home " Excursion.....	\$371.98
The Troy " Gallaudet Home " Excursion.....	32.00

403.98

Total Receipts.....\$2,175.25

## EXPENDITURE FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE GALLAUDET HOME.

Dec., 1886, Paid Wm. Jewett, Treas. C. M. D. M....	\$ 30.00
Jan., 1887, Paid W. Jewett.....	35.00
" " " ".....	36.00
Feb., " " " ".....	100.00
March, " " " ".....	30.00
April, " " " ".....	25.00
" " " ".....	25.00
" " " ".....	365.16
May, " " " ".....	45.00
June, " " " ".....	55.00
July, " " Dr. Gallaudet.....	127.00
Sept., " " " ".....	60.00
" " " C. R. Thomson.....	30.00
Oct., " " " ".....	40.00
	<u>\$1,003.16</u>

## REPORTED BY C. R. THOMSON, MANAGER OF THE HOME.

Sales at the Lawn Party Fair.....	\$162.06
Proceeds from the Gallaudet Home Excursions.....	403.98
Brick Plan Collections.....	29.75
Donation from himself.....	100.00
Donation through Dr. Gallaudet.....	375.00
	<u>1,070.79</u>

## EXPENSES OF THE SEC'Y AND TREAS.

Stationery.....	\$ 5.79
Postage.....	12.77
Printing.....	6.50
Sundries.....	8.25
	<u>33.31</u>

Total Expenditure.....\$2,107.26

Cash Receipts.....\$2,175.25

Expenditure.....2,107.26

Balance on hand.....\$67.99

## SOURCE OF INCOME.

New York City, (estimated).....	\$1,735.00
Troy, N. Y.....	121.20
Rochester.....	65.50
Albany.....	23.75
Wappingers' Falls.....	23.15
Buffalo.....	16.00
Syracuse.....	12.75
Triangle.....	8.50
Utica.....	7.15
Other small towns (estimated).....	160.00

THOMAS GALLAUDET,

No. 9 West 18th Street, N. Y.

ISAAC LEWIS PEET,

Station M., N. Y.

ALBERT A. BARNES, Sec'y and Treas.,

Money Order Department, P.O., N.Y.

NEW YORK, Nov. 11, 1887.



## SUBSCRIPTIONS.

TOWARDS PAYING THE MORTGAGE OF \$15,000 ON THE GALLAUDET HOME, COLLECTED BY MR. C. R. THOMSON.

Messrs. Arnold, Constable & Co....	\$100 00	Mr. J. B. Bloomingdale .....	\$10 00
Messrs. Brewster & Co.....	100 00	Through Mr. S. E. Brewer.....	8 00
Messrs. R. Dunlap & Co.....	200 00	Cash.....	1 50
Mr. William H. Dunlap.....	100 00	Mr. Thomas Godfrey.....	1 50
Mr. & Mrs. William Alexander Smith.	20 00	Mr. L. Nelson.....	11 10
Hon. Hamilton Fish.....	100 00	Mr. J. B. Ireland.....	10 00
Mrs. W. S. Van Beuren.....	800 00	Mrs. Cornelia A. Atwill.....	100 00
Mr. Charles H. Contoit.....	100 00	Miss Fanny Cotheal.....	5 00
Mr. E. McIntyre.....	10 00	Mr. Elijah Coffin.....	10 00
Mr. G. S. Schuyler.....	25 00	Manhattan Cloak & Suit Co....	10 00
A Friend.....	150 00	Mr. Christopher Meyer.....	100 00
Mr. J. H. Schiff.....	50 00	Mr. Thomas McMullen.....	50 00
Mr. J. T. Farish.....	100 00	Rev. C. F. Hoffman, D.D.....	100 00
Mrs. S. Bacon.....	20 00	Mr. Seth E. Thomas.....	25 00
Mrs. Nelson.....	9 00	Mr. Charles W. Ogden.....	25 00
Mr. S. P. Nash.....	50 00	Miss C. A. Hedges.....	300 00
Mr. S. H. Martin.....	1 00	Mr. Robert J. Livingston.....	5000 00
Mr. T. Dean.....	100 00		

## List of Special Gifts.

SINCE THE INCORPORATION OF "THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES" IN OCTOBER, 1872, THE SOCIETY HAS BEEN SPECIALLY REMEMBERED AS FOLLOWS:

LEGACIES.			
Niss Susan Swift.....	\$300 00	Mr. George H. Watson.....	\$250 00
Mrs. Emma Strecker.....	7,688 74	Mrs. C. L. Spencer.....	200 00
Mr. William P. Low.....	500 00	A. F. Sterling, M.D.....	500 00
Mrs. Marianne Dahmple.....	1,000 00	From the Estate of Tracy R. Edson	
Mr. John McGill.....	900 00	through the Misses Edson.....	500 00
DONATIONS.		Mrs. Lafayette S. Foster.....	500 00
Mr. & Mrs. B. St. John Ackers....	\$250 00	The Ferguson Memorial Fund.....	1,000 00
Mrs. H. D. Wyman.....	1,200 00	Miss Sarah Ferguson.....	2,000 00
Mrs. A. T. Stewart.....	2,250 00	Mr. Edward Ferguson.....	2,000 00
Mrs. A. C. Fargis.....	1,015 00	Mrs. William A. Freeborn.....	250 00
		Mrs. Warren Newcomb.....	500 00
		Mrs. M. L. Vanderbilt.....	250 00
		Mrs. W. D. Sloane.....	250 00

## LIFE MEMBERS.

By the Donation of One Hundred Dollars and Upwards.

Mr. B. St. JOHN ACKERS, Mrs. B. St. JOHN ACKERS, Mr. R. J. LIVINGSTON, Mrs. G. P. CLAPP,*	1873. Mr. WILLIAM O. FITZGERALD, Miss CATHARINE BLAUVELT, Mr. D. COLDEN MURRAY,* Mr. E. B. WESLEY, Mr. J. C. TRACY.
Miss SUSAN SWIFT,* Mr. D. H. HAIGHT,* Mr. GEORGE P. CLAPP,* Mr. CHARLES LULING,* Mrs. CHARLES LULING,	1874. Mr. J. H. CASWELL,* Mr. H. F. PELLEW, Mr. A. F. HIGGINS, Mrs. C. L. SPENCER,* Mrs. ELIZABETH LIBBEY.
Mr. EDWARD S. DEWING,* Mr. MOSES TAYLOR,*	1875. ALEXANDER M. STERLING, M.D.,* Mrs. ELIZABETH J. STERLING,* Miss LAVINIA CLARKSON.*
Mrs. H. D. WYMAN, Mrs. A. T. STEWART,*	1876. Mr. WILLIAM LIBBEY, I. L. PEET, LL.D., HONORARY, Mr. WILLIAM J. NELSON, HONORARY.
Mr. FREDERICK A. LIBBEY, Mrs. A. T. SLOSSON,	1877. Mr. WILLIAM NIBLO,* Mrs. A. C. FARGIS.
Mr. CHARLES H. CONTOIT, Hon. HAMILTON FISH, Mr. STEWART BROWN,*	1878. Mr. MARSHALL O. ROBERTS,* Mr. CORNELIUS VANDERBILT, Rev. THOMAS GALLAUDET, D.D.
Mr. WILSON G. HUNT, Mr. FRANK WORK, Mr. JOHN KNOWER, Mr. C. W. FIELD, Mr. GEORGE H. WATSON, Mr. C. E. BEEBE,	1879. Mr. S. V. HOFFMAN,* Mr. H. F. SPAULDING, Mr. CHRISTOPHER MEYER, Mr. W. H. BREEDEN,* Mr. P. W. GALLAUDET, Mr. WILLIAM LIBBEY, Jr.
Mrs. JOSEPHINE L. NEWCOMB, Mr. THURLOW WEED,* Mr. JONAS M. LIBBEY,	1880. Miss JULIA RHINELANDER, Mrs. E. T. GERRY, Mrs. C. A. ASTOR.*
Rev. J. LIVINGSTONE REESE, D.D., Mrs. JASPER GROSVENOR,*	1881. Mrs. WILLIAM LIBBEY, Jr., Mrs. M. STERLING POSTLEY, Mr. WILLIAM F. COCHRAN.
Mrs. G. R. HOFFMAN,	1882. Miss ELIZABETH T. LIBBEY, Mr. J. H. SHOENBERGER.
Mr. ROYAL PHELPS,* Mr. S. B. SEXTON,	1883. Mr. GEORGE D. MORGAN, Mr. JAMES J. GOODWIN, Mrs. ELIZABETH H. COLT.
Mrs. L. F. S. FOSTER, Mr. JEREMIAH MILLBANK,*	1884. Mr. ISAAC N. SELIGMAN, Mrs. JANE E. WILLIAMS, Rev. JOHN LEE WATSON, D.D.*
THE RT. REV. HORATIO POTTER, D.D., LL.D., D.C.L.*	1885. Hon. S. B. CHITTENDEN.
Mr. J. S. BENNET,	1886. Mr. J. S. MORGAN.
Miss ELIZABETH C. MORRIS, Mrs. W. D. SLOANE, Mr. CHARLES E. BREEDEN, Mrs. E. A. PANCOAST, Mr. R. B. HITCHCOCK, U.S.N., Miss MARY A. EDSON,	1887. Mrs. C. M. GOODRIDGE, Miss MARY COOKE, Mrs. W. H. VANDERBILT, Mr. O. B. POTTER, Dr. MARK H. WILLIAMS, Mr. C. R. THOMSON, Mrs. RUTHERFORD.

\* Deceased.



# DONATIONS.

## MEMBERS OF THE GALLAUDET HOME FOR DEAF-MUTES SOCIETY.

Rev. Thomas Gallaudet....New York, \$1 00	Meyer Hellman.....New York, \$1 00
Mrs. Thomas Gallaudet....." 1 00	Mrs. J. Binge....." 1 00
Clement R. Thomson....." 5 00	M. J. Binge....." 1 00
John Carlin....." 1 00	Mrs. L. Wallam....." 1 00
Mrs. John Carlin....." 1 00	Mrs. K. Kahnweiler....." 1 00
W. O. Fitzgerald....." 1 00	F. Ehrman....." 1 00
Mrs. W. O. Fitzgerald....." 1 00	Miss J. Hauser....." 1 00
James Lewis....." 1 00	A. Simonson....." 1 00
Mrs. James Lewis....." 1 00	Mrs. A. Simonson....." 1 00
Samuel M. Brown....." 1 00	Master Felix Simonson....." 1 00
Mrs. Sam. M. Brown....." 1 00	Mrs. D. Muzesheimer....." 1 00
E. A. Hodgson....." 1 00	Mrs. H. Bernheim....." 1 00
J. W. Parker.....Brooklyn, 1 00	H. Bernheim....." 1 00
Gilbert Hicks.....Old Westbury, L. I., 4 00	Miss B. Bernheim....." 1 00
Albert A. Barnes.....New York, 12 00	Mrs. S. Meyer....." 1 00
Mrs. Sarah E. Sip.....Jersey City, N. J., 1 00	Chas. L. Bernheim....." 1 00
Mrs. Thomson.....New York, 5 00	A. C. Bernheim....." 1 00
Mrs. Mary A. Kinsella....." 1 00	J. C. Bernheim....." 1 00
Miss Eliz. J. Kinsella....." 1 00	H. C. Bernheim....." 1 00
Miss Mary Frahill....." 1 00	Clarence Gans....." 1 00
Isaac N. Soper....." 1 00	Isaac J. Bernheim....." 1 00
W. L. Waters.....Brooklyn, 1 00	J. Bernheim....." 1 00
Franklin Campbell.....New York, 2 00	Mrs. J. Bernheim....." 1 00
Miss Mary Bothner....." 1 00	Mrs. M. Gutman....." 1 00
Mrs. H. J. Haight....." 1 00	M. J. Lissauer....." 1 00
Rev. Anson T. Colt....." 1 00	E. Rosenwald....." 1 00
Julien O. Wilken, College Point, L. I., 1 00	Mrs. Albert Verth....." 1 00
Miss C. Felver.....New York, 1 00	S. Hyma....." 1 00
Miss L. M. Price....." 1 00	Mrs. D. West....." 1 00
Miss Margaret C. Ryer....." 1 00	Philip Gomprecht....." 1 00
William Hutton....." 1 00	Seymour Gomprecht....." 1 00
Geo. L. Reynolds.....Brooklyn, 1 00	Mrs. W. Elias....." 1 00
John Kruss.....New York, 1 00	Wm. J. Nelson.....Poughkeepsie, 2 00
Mrs. S. V. Spencer....." 1 00	Miss K. Blauvelt.....Nyack, 1 00
Mrs. Wilhelmine Buhle....." 1 00	John J. Knowlton.....Dutch Flats, 1 00
Patrick Fanning....." 1 00	Miss Addie Gustel.....New York, 1 00
Geo. H. Witschief.....Brooklyn, 1 00	Mrs. Maggie Hogan....." 1 00
Mrs. G. H. Witschief....." 1 00	Peter Witschief....." 1 00
Mrs. E. A. Prentis.....New York, 1 00	Wm. Genet....." 2 00
Miss Lucy Gilbert.....North Chocton, 2 00	S. Werner....." 1 00
G. P. Archer.....Tarrytown, 2 00	Edwd. F. Taylor....." 1 00
Miss T. Hericht.....New York, 2 00	H. F. Montgomery....." 1 00
Mrs. Jane E. Williams.....Levanna, 1 00	M. E. Ryan....." 1 00
John Benedict....." 1 00	Bella Fisher.....Dunkirk, 1 00
Mrs. Susie W. Benedict....." 1 00	Michael McLaughlin.....East Albany, 3 00
Ephraim Jewell.....North Java, 1 00	Mrs. Michael McLaughlin....." 5 00
G. T. Weller.....Pine Bush, 1 00	L. W. Van Zandt.....Grafton, 1 00
Jas. T. Witbeck.....Troy, 4 00	Mrs. L. W. Van Zandt....." 1 00
Mrs. C. Schutt.....Wappingers Falls, 1 00	Thos. Collins.....Troy, 3 00
G. W. Schutt....." 1 00	Mrs. Thos. Collins....." 1 00
Mrs. I. Schutt....." 1 00	Wm. T. Collins....." 1 00
Alexander Thurston, Greenville, N. J., 2 00	J. B. Herman.....Buffalo, 1 00
S. M. Newkirk.....Goshen, 1 00	Geo. T. Fisher.....Dunkirk, 2 00
Wm. J. Noble.....St. Paul, Minn., 2 00	Miss Gertrude C. Walter.....New York, 1 00
Mrs. Wm. J. Noble....." 1 00	Mrs. John Chamberlain....." 2 00
G. Z. Snider.....Nyack, 1 00	Mrs. S. E. Mills....." 2 00
Mrs. G. Z. Snider....." 1 00	Schuyler Chamberlain....." 1 00
Miss Lizzie Noble.....New York, 1 00	Will. H. Johnson....." 1 00
Mrs. F. Roberts....." 1 00	Mrs. James Cruikshank....." 1 00
Thos. W. Roane....." 1 50	E. H. Muller....." 1 00
Simon August....." 1 00	C. S. Muller....." 1 00
George August....." 1 00	D. N. McAlpine....." 2 50
Henry E. August....." 1 00	Mrs. D. N. McAlpine....." 2 50
Miss Bertha August....." 1 00	Cash....." 1 00

Cash.....New York, \$1 00	Mrs. J. B. Davenport.....New York, \$1 00
John W. Ackley....." 1 00	Mrs. S. Seaman....." 1 00
Mrs. Hattie W. Ackley....." 1 00	Mrs. W. B. Parson....." 1 00
E. H. S....." 4 00	Mrs. Herman Dressler....." 1 00
C. S....." 5 00	Mrs. Fred. Muller....." 5 00
Jas. E. Doran.....Syracuse, 1 00	Mrs. Saml. Weeks....." 1 00
Chas. S. Doane....." 1 00	Miss Mary Freeborn Davenport, " 1 00
Jas. B. Doane....." 1 00	Theodore Davenport....." 1 00
David Kelly.....Fulton, 1 00	Mrs. Henry L. Satterlee....." 1 00
E. J. Halliey.....Syracuse, 1 00	Mrs. Malcolm McLean....." 1 00
Mrs. E. J. Halliey....." 1 00	Miss Helen McLean....." 1 00
Geo. D. Connor....." 1 00	Mrs. Geo. W. Jewett....." 1 00
Mrs. Geo. D. Connor....." 1 00	Mrs. Chas. MacEvoy....." 1 00
Thomas Abbe....." 1 00	Chas. Meyer....." 1 00
Mrs. Anna Kelly.....Fulton, 1 00	S. C. Barnum....." 2 00
E. P. Wood.....Syracuse, 1 00	Mrs. Thomas Morton....." 1 00
Mrs. Annie E. Brown....." 1 00	Mrs. S. C. Barnum....." 2 00
Daniel Stretch.....New York, 1 00	Mrs. J. W. Allen....." 3 00
Miss A. A. Morex....." 1 00	J. Briggs.....Troy, 2 00
Jas. M. Van Orden....." 1 00	Hiram B. Brown....." 2 00
Miss E. Dillingham.....Brooklyn, 1 00	J. C. Acker.....Rochester, 1 00
Mattie Maxwell.....Troy, 1 00	Mrs. J. C. Acker....." 1 00
Gertie N. Whittle....." 1 00	E. P. Hart....." 1 00
Charlotte Bradford.....Crown Point, 1 00	Calvin H. Mills....." 1 00
Harrison A. Burt.....Troy, 1 00	Jas. G. Comfort....." 1 00
Hiram L. Ball.....Mexico, 1 00	Chas. Cooper....." 1 00
Edward Deiling.....New York, 1 00	Miss Hedges....." 1 50
August Neiser....." 2 00	Mrs. H. A. Davis.....Triangle, 1 00
Henry C. Rider.....Malone, 10 00	Cash....." 7 50
Mrs. H. C. Rider....." 2 00	Wm. O'Connor.....New York, 1 00
Miss Grace A. Rider....." 1 00	Miss Sarah Edmonston....." 1 00
Edwd. C. Rider....." 1 00	Chas. D. Edmonston....." 1 00
Lewis C. Rider....." 1 00	Peter W. Edmonston....." 1 00
Mrs. H. E. Edwards....." 1 00	Mrs. P. W. Edmonston....." 1 00
Miss Mary Semple....." 1 00	Mrs. Mary A. Riley....." 1 00
H. W. Nutting....." 5 00	Mrs. Sanford.....Albany, 1 00
Alphonse Johnson....." 1 00	Miss Maria Warren....." 1 00
Elanath Rundle.....Whitney's Point, 5 00	Mrs. Lillie Warren....." 1 00
Walter McDougal.....Jersey City, N. J., 1 00	Wm. Abrams.....New York, 1 00
Mrs. W. McDougal....." 1 00	Amelia Antusch....." 1 00
Frank Merritt.....New York, 1 00	Miss Henrietta Anderson....." 1 00
Mrs. Hannah Flohn....." 1 00	Wm. B. Boyd....." 1 00
Cash....." 1 00	Archibald M. Baxter....." 1 00
Mary Batz....." 2 00	Frederick Backhaus....." 1 00
Wm. G. Gilbert.....Brooklyn, 1 00	James Britt....." 1 00
Jas. S. Wells.....Baltimore, Md., 5 00	Fredk. W. Baars....." 1 00
Chas. K. W. Strong, Washington, D. C., 1 00	Chas. F. Blake....." 1 00
Mr. Eaves.....New York, 1 00	Miss Emma Bamman....." 1 00
Taylor J. Getsinger.....Buffalo, 1 00	Miss Katie Bopp....." 1 00
August Kowald....." 1 00	Miss Charlotte A. Barnett....." 1 00
Lizzie Vollrath....." 1 00	Miss Katie Blackman....." 1 00
Charles Freund....." 1 00	Richard T. Clinton....." 1 00
Wm. Briel....." 1 00	Miss Ellen Derrick....." 1 00
Joseph Schlageter....." 1 00	Miss Margaret A. Donohoe....." 1 00
Cash....." 7 00	Miss Florence Gable....." 1 00
Rev. F. S. Dunham.....Albion, 2 00	Robert C. Harth....." 1 00
H. Ward Smith....." 1 00	Tilson W. Haight....." 1 00
J. E. Sutton....." 1 00	Herbert H. Henriques....." 1 00
S. R. Cochrane....." 1 00	Mrs. S. C. Haight....." 1 00
Cash....." 4 00	Miss Sarah Jane Hoag....." 1 00
James E. Ritter.....Troy, 2 00	John Ingebrand....." 1 00
A. Friend....." 1 00	Miss Martha Jaycox....." 1 00
Miss Mary Overton.....Albany, 1 00	Miss Cornelia Kaiser....." 1 00
Louis C. Schuler.....New York, 1 00	Miss Eliza Knorr....." 1 00
Mrs. C. Schuler....." 1 00	Miss Annie Kugeler....." 1 00
W. L. Butcher.....Utica, 1 00	George W. Loos....." 1 00
Joseph Lever....." 1 00	Theodor Lorcer....." 1 00
Cash....." 5 15	Miss Emma Larson....." 1 00
E. K. Field....." 1 00	Miss Nellie Long....." 1 00
Sarah E. Tallman, Heightstown, N. J., 2 00	John Moore....." 1 00
Geo. Cornell Freeborn.....New York, 1 00	Miss Ellen McCatty....." 1 00
Mrs. G. C. Freeborn....." 1 00	Miss Mary Nicholson....." 1 00
Mrs. Thomas Freeborn....." 1 00	Miss Katie Ottmer....." 1 00
Mrs. W. A. Freeborn....." 1 00	James Powers....." 1 00
Mrs. Chas. Meyers....." 1 00	Miss Annie Palmer....." 1 00
	Miss Carrie M. Peters....." 1 00



Miss Bessie Poblinski.....	New York,	\$1 00
Miss Sarah A. Porter.....	"	1 00
Wesley Resue.....	"	1 00
Wm. Arthur Ryckman.....	"	1 00
Miss Annie M. Rosenberg.....	"	1 00
Albert Sarters.....	"	2 00
John Stauch.....	"	1 00
Miss Catharine Schaefer.....	"	1 00
Miss Katie Snedden.....	"	1 00
Henry Thies.....	"	1 00
Jas. A. Thompson.....	"	1 00
Richd. R. Tweed.....	"	1 00
Miss Margt. Tiedemann.....	"	1 00
George Walters.....	"	1 00
Miss Theresa Wilson.....	"	1 00
Miss Johanna Zettel.....	"	1 00
Miss Emily Zwink.....	"	1 00
Unknown.....	"	2 00
Miss M. G. Berwick.....	"	1 00
Thomas Godfrey.....	Brooklyn,	2 00

Chas. Weiffenbach.....	New York,	\$1 00
Cash.....	"	1 00
Miss Jessie L. Hardy.....	"	1 00
Saml. A. Taber.....	Auburn,	1 00
Mrs. Saml. A. Taber.....	"	1 00
Albert H. Kohlmetz.....	New York,	1 00
Solomon Cornelius.....	"	1 00
Willard P. Smith.....	Passaic, N. J.,	1 00
Mrs. Willard P. Smith.....	"	1 00
Herman Eschert.....	"	1 00
Adam Singer.....	"	1 00
John Coth.....	"	1 00
Josias D. Mendez.....	"	1 00
John Golland.....	"	1 00
Lee W. Bailey.....	"	1 00
Jacob Alexander.....	"	1 00
Mrs. W. T. Collins.....	Troy,	1 00
Cash.....	"	3 00
".....	Albany,	3 00

## Offerings.

### TWELFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY, 1887.

Miss Elizabeth Wynkoop.....	\$5 00
Miss Mary C. Elmendorf, in memory of her sister in Paradise.....	5 00
St. Mark's Sunday School, Islip, N. Y., Rev. R. Riley.....	3 00
Bethesda Church, Saratoga Springs, (J. H. Shoenberger \$100 00).....	142 68
Mrs. A. C. Bettner.....	10 00
Miss Eliza Morehouse, Michigan.....	2 00
Mrs. E. C. Hall.....	2 00
M. E. B., In Memoriam.....	2 00
St. Michael's Church, N. Y.....	13 34
Christ Church, Stratford, Conn.....	29 59
St. Paul's, Buffalo.....	73 50
W. S. Macomb, Philadelphia.....	1 00
St. Peter's Church, Lewes, Del.....	7 88
St. Andrew's, Meriden, Conn.....	10 00
In memory of Mr. and Mrs. Cyrus Curtis, from Mrs. Cyrus S. Curtis.....	25 00
St. Andrew's, Brewsters, N. Y.....	\$5.00
Christ Church, Patterson, N. Y.....	7 00
All Saints, N. Y. C.....	4 68
Christ Church, Sheffield, Mass.....	5 00
St. Luke's Hospital, N. Y.....	11 00
Miss Strong, Washington, D. C.....	1 00
Elsie C. Barker, for a little deaf-mute.....	5 00
Trinity Church, Lime Rock, Conn.....	14 00
Miss La Borde, St. Augustine, Fla.....	5 00
A. K. Kyle, Fayetteville, N. C.....	1 50
St. Paul's, Greenwich, N. Y.....	\$1.13
St. Stephen's, Schuylerville, N.Y.....	2 88
St. Luke's, Catskill, N. Y.....	6 52
Rev. Dr. Coit, St. Paul's School, Concord.....	25 00
St. Paul's Sunday School, Peoria, Ill.....	2 00
Grace Church, Orange, N. J.....	66 01
Church of the Holy Innocents, Hobo- ken.....	2 50
St. John's Church, Nemaha City, Ne- braska.....	3 00
Church of the Incarnation, N. Y.....	12 98
Sisterhood of the Good Shepherd.....	50

St. James Church, Birmingham, Conn.....	\$15 00
Trinity Church, Claremont, N. H.....	12 65
St. Mary's, South Portsmouth, R. I.....	13 85
Trinity Church, Southport, Conn.....	5 00
Christ Church, Gardiner, Maine.....	20 00
Church of the Good Shepherd, Clinton, Mass.....	3 30
St. John's Church, Dover, N. J.....	4 00
Grace Cathedral, Topeka, Kansas.....	20 00
St. Peter's, Drewsville, N. H.....	4 59
All Saints, De Soto, La.....	3 85
St. Mark's, Lapon's Cross Roads, Washington Co., Maryland.....	4 16
St. Paul's, Pleasant Valley, Dutchess Co., N. Y.....	4 50
St. John's, Phelps, N. Y.....	3 78
A. B. C. D., Dover, N. H.....	12
St. James, Goshen, N. Y.....	133 43
Canaan, Conn.....	1 00
Grace Church, Rutherford, N. J.....	3 00
St. John's S. S., Cohoes, N. Y.....	2 20
Trinity Chapel, N. Y.....	26 66
Christ Church, Fitchburg, Mass.....	9 00
Grace Church, Cherry Valley.....	6 72
St. Luke's, Matteawan.....	48 55
St. John's, Waterbury, Conn.....	30 68
St. Paul's, Poughkeepsie, an indi- vidual offering, especially designated for the G. Home.....	10 00
St. John's Church, Troy, N. Y.....	15 00
St. John's, Hartford, Conn.....	12 00
St. Thomas' Church, Mamaroneck, N. Y.....	18 48
St. John's, East Line, N. Y.....	3 60
St. Cornelius Chapel, Governor's Is- land.....	10 54
St. Matthew's, Worcester.....	2 00
St. John's Mission, Saugus, Mass.....	\$3.91
St. Luke's, Linden.....	1.34
St. Mark's, Ashland, N. H.....	5 65
St. Luke's, Rochester.....	31 50
St. Thomas' Church, Bethel, Conn.....	19 05

### 15TH YEAR.

## THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES.

### SUBSCRIPTIONS AND DONATIONS.

NOVEMBER, 1886.

Troy Deaf-Mute Society.....	\$1 62
Bible Class of Deaf-Mutes, Troy, for the Gallaudet Home.....	5 00
Offerings at services for Deaf-Mutes.....	2 87
C. R. Thomson.....	2 00
H.....	50 00
Reader of the Churchman, Lancaster. "Tithe," St. Paul's, Waco, Texas.....	10 00
George Wood.....	5 00
Cash.....	20 00
Miss S. B. Lockwood, for the Gallau- det Home.....	50 00
Mrs. Lispenard Stewart, for the Gal- laudet Home.....	50 00
A. A. Barnes.....	2 00
Mrs. Wm. Alexander Smith.....	5 00
Joseph L. R. Wood.....	25 00
Wm. W. L. Voorhis.....	20 00
Samuel B. Schieffelin.....	10 00
Miss Julia Rhineland, for the Gal- laudet Home.....	100 00
Miss Elizabeth C. Morris, for the Gal- laudet Home.....	100 00
Madame Camille de Lacy.....	25 00
Offerings at services for deaf-mutes.....	12 15
Offerings at St. Ann's, at the 14th Anniversary, for the Gallaudet Home.....	78 68
Cash.....	15 00
Wm. M. Kingsland, for the Gallaudet Home.....	25 00
Christ Church, Brooklyn, E. D.....	1 00
Christ Church, Stratford, Conn.....	12 85
J. S. Tuttle, for Gallaudet Home.....	25 00
Mrs. E. S. Auchmuty.....	20 00
A Friend, for Gallaudet Home.....	20 00
A Friend, through the Rev. H. Chet- wood, Oakland, Cal.....	5 00
Mrs. C. B. Waring, for water supply of Home.....	25 00
T. B. C. & Co.....	5 00
Anson Phelps Stoke.....	20 00
H. & Bros.....	25 00
Miss Julia A. Low, for G. H.....	20 00
Mrs. M. L. Parsons, ".....	5 00
Miss Mary Cooke, ".....	100 00
Mrs. H. H. Garner.....	10 00

COLLECTED BY JAMES LEWIS.

Warren G. Abbott.....	\$2 00
E. Ochs.....	1 00
Metropolitan Brewing Co.....	1 00
I. Burger.....	1 00
G. Lieberman.....	5 00
G. Malcom.....	2 00
Ernest Gabler & Bro.....	2 50
Moller & Schumann.....	2 00
Fred. Munch.....	1 00
C. A. & Co.....	2 00
J. H. J.....	1 00
Wm. Peter.....	3 00
J. D. Mogg.....	1 00

Daniel Bennes.....	\$1 00
Lembach & Betz.....	2 00
Andrew C. Zabriskie.....	10 00
George A. Clark & Brother.....	30 00
L. Von Hoffmann.....	10 00
Oelrichs & Co.....	10 00
D. Clarkson.....	10 00
R. P. Flower.....	10 00
F. M. Shepard.....	10 00
C. G. Gunther's Sons.....	10 00
Carlisle Norwood.....	10 00
Hawk & Wetherbee.....	5 00
Mrs. E. D. Herbeck.....	2 00
5th Ave. Hotel.....	10 00
Cash.....	2 00
John B. Ireland.....	10 00
W. Swayne.....	5 00
F. A. & Sons.....	10 00
Wm. P. Clyde.....	5 00
A. B. & Co.....	5 00
Geo. Winter.....	5 00
I. Ruzsics.....	5 00
Geo. H. Byrd.....	5 00
Deering, Milliken & Co.....	5 00
W. H. Tailer.....	5 00
I. Wm. Entz.....	5 00
W. I. Ives.....	2 00
Geo. E. Sterry.....	5 00
R. S. Reel.....	5 00
L. Sonn & Bro.....	1 00
Wm. G. Davies.....	5 00
C. Wyllys Betts.....	10 00
A. M. Hoyt.....	5 00
G. G. De Witt.....	1 00
J. K. L.....	2 00
E. E. A.....	2 00
E. Ridley & Sons.....	10 00
Mrs. R. Sage.....	5 00
M. K. Jesup.....	10 00
A. A. Raven.....	2 00
R. O.....	2 00
E. M. B.....	2 00
L. H. Biglow.....	5 00
O. R. Eldredge.....	2 00
Francis Pott.....	5 00
G. S.....	5 00
J. A. A.....	2 00
R. F. Cutting.....	5 00
Geo. W. Davis.....	5 00
Bruce & Cook.....	5 00
H. B.....	1 00
H. I. W.....	1 00
J. H. Bates.....	1 00
D. O. Mills.....	5 00
D. W. B.....	5 00
H. Stern.....	5 00
J. W. F.....	5 00
Randall & Wierum.....	2 00
Wm. Woodward, Jr.....	5 00
Geo. F. Peabody.....	5 00
G. S. Moulton.....	5 00
C. F. Stone.....	1 00



W. H. Marston	\$2 00
W. B. Wheeler	5 00
Thomas Storm	10 00
Chrome Steel Works	5 00
S. H. Kohn	5 00
Mrs. E. A. Stevens	5 00
P. Harmony's Nephews & Co.	2 00
A. I. Clinton	1 00
Charles Muns	1 00
E. H. Dougherty	10 00
A. R. Gray	5 00
Mrs. J. Sturges	5 00
Mrs. Stevens	5 00
Mrs. Kearney Rodgers	2 00
Miss E. B. Hosack	3 00
C. Coddington	1 00
Robt. W. Tailer	5 00
L. Delmonte	1 00
Mrs. V. B. Gibbs	5 00
W. H. G.	2 00
F. S. R.	2 00
E. L. Bolles	2 00
F. B. A.	2 00
Y. & P.	1 00
W. H. B.	1 00
S. A. W.	2 00
I. C. S.	2 00
Cash & Anonymous	57 85

## DECEMBER, 1886.

Gallaudet Home for D. M. Soc., through A. A. Barnes	\$30 00
Samuel D. Babcock	50 00
Caswell, Hazard & Co.	10 00
A Friend, through W. J. Nelson, for Gallaudet Home	2 00
St. Paul's Church, Muskegon	4 07
Cash	5 00
Cash	5 00
Cash	10 00
Mrs. W. D. Sloane, for G. Home	100 00
Mrs. Susan J. Hargous	10 00
Mrs. J. L. Newcomb, for Thanksgiving at the Mission House	5 00
Mrs. E. C. Hall, Christmas at Gallaudet Home	5 00
Miss C. S. Rathbone, for deaf-mutes	5 00
Mrs. M. E. Haight	50 00
Mr. and Mrs. Haven	20 00
P. P. Dickenson, for Gallaudet Home	25 00
Albert R. Gallatin	25 00
Mrs. M. L. Vanderbilt	250 00
Charles M. Houghton	3 00
Charles E. Breeden	100 00
Ellen Morehouse, Burton, Michigan	1 00
Mrs. W. E. Stiger	25 00
Mrs. Roberts, Poughkeepsie, for Gallaudet Home	1 00
Offerings at services for deaf-mutes	7 84
Miss Stanley, Phelps, N. Y.	5 00
From G. H. D. M. Society, for G. H. A. C. K.	85 00
R. Sidenberg	5 00
F. F. Ayer	10 00
John Sinclair	10 00
W. C. Schermerhorn	10 00
Amos R. Eno	10 00
The I. L. Mott Co.	5 00
Van Santvoord & Hauff	5 00
Mrs. W. A. Cauldwell	5 00
S. P. Maghee	5 00
Mrs. W. S. Gurnee	5 00
H. M. S.	3 00
John T. Metcalfe, M. D.	10 00
A. Dubols	10 00
Mrs. M. S. Whitney	5 00

Francis H. Slade	\$5 00
E. R. Dillingham	5 00
Coffin, Altemus & Co.	10 00
Forstmann & Co.	5 00
Os. Ott.	5 00
A. P. Man	5 00
R. Battell	3 00
S. & Co.	5 00
W. Remsen	5 00
E. G. Remsen	5 00
Mrs. W. J. Fitzgerald	25 00
E. Cooper	10 00
Geo. D. F. Barton	5 00
L. L. Phipps & Co.	5 00
Eugene Kelly & Co.	5 00
Samuel H. Seaman	5 00
Miss de Rhane	5 00
Mrs. I. L. Riker	5 00
P.	5 00
Mrs. E. Walter	5 00
Mrs. A. Koffman	5 00
Mrs. E. R. Peaslee	5 00
H. C. H.	5 00
Miss Inglis	2 00
S. H. Witherbee	3 00
A. C. C.	5 00
A. L. Robbins	5 00
Bawo & Dotter	2 00
Bartholomew & Co.	2 00
F. W. Stevens	2 00
Mrs. N. E. Baylies	5 00
Miss Sophia Brookes	5 00
E. A.	2 00
Dreyfus, Kohn & Co.	2 00
Bradley Martin	10 00
Mrs. S. W.	1 00
Bechstein & Co.	1 00
T. H. H.	5 00
Prescott H. Butler	5 00
W. S. D.	5 00
C. H.	1 00
Thos. J. Pope & Bro	5 00
F. R. Rives	5 00
H. F. Taintor	1 00
W. H. Reese	2 00
H. G. M.	5 00
A. B. C.	3 00
Koch Sons & Co.	5 00
F. Beck	5 00
Warren, Fuller & Lange	10 00
Homer A. Nelson	5 00
L. A. G.	2 00
I. C. Holden	1 00
George Ehret	5 00
Geo. Ringler & Co.	2 00
T. Stewart	2 00
Miss Southmayd	1 00
Mrs. I. M. T.	2 00
Frank Miller & Sons	2 00
The Stamford M'Pg Co.	5 00
Samuel K. Satterlee	5 00
Mrs. C. S. Brice	5 00
N. Greenfield	2 00
O. I. & P.	2 00
The Frank Brothers Co.	2 00
Cash and Anonymous	108 00

## JANUARY, 1887.

Charles H. Contoit	\$100 00
O. B. Potter, for G. Home	100 00
Miss M. A. Pitt, for G. Home	50 00
Miss Carrie Park, for G. Home	5 00
Mrs. Mary L. Parsons	10 00
Miss Alden, Dixmont, Minn., for Miss Levy at the Home	1 00
A Friend, for the Gallaudet Home	1 00

Mrs. J. S. Bennet	\$25 00
Christ Church, Norwich, Conn., Rev. Richard H. Nelson	15 95
Alms-Boxes at Gallaudet Home	4 04
Mrs. Wm. K. Thorn	20 00
The Misses Wilkes	10 00
Dr. Henry O. Mayo, for Home	50 00
Miss Sarah Ferguson	50 00
E. Ferguson	50 00
The G. H. D. M. Society, through G. E. August	36 00
Mrs. W. B. Ogden	50 00
Offerings at Services for Deaf-Mutes	7 29
Mrs. Warren Newcomb, for Gallaudet Home	500 00

## COLLECTED BY JAMES LEWIS.

Wm. Eward & Son	5 00
James T. Swift & Co.	5 00
Sawyer, Wallace & Co.	5 00
Perkins & Welsh	5 00
G. G. King	25 00
W. H. Schieffelin	5 00
Mrs. W. B. Williams	10 00
Mrs. Lanier	10 00
Mrs. E. A. Duyckinck	5 00
T. W. Underhill	5 00
D. A. & Co.	5 00
H. Mansfield	2 00
B. W. How	5 00
S. T. Gordon	2 00
James McCreery & Co.	5 00
Mrs. M. A. Easton	5 00
M. Knapp	5 00
John R. P. Woodruff	5 00
Lewis Brothers & Co.	5 00
Muller, Schall & Co.	5 00
A. P. S.	10 00
Simon Borg & Co.	5 00
Alexander J. Coheal	10 00
W. M. Massey	2 00
Mrs. C. P. Huntington	10 00
Davis Collamore	5 00
H. H. Cook	5 00
Mrs. K. Meissner	5 00
John L. Hamilton	5 00
R. H. M. & Co.	10 00
Elliott & Shepard	10 00
Watson & Gibson	2 00
J. F. P. & Co.	2 00
J. Renwick	5 00
S. & F. Uhlmann	2 00
Alfred R. Pick	3 00
Elmenhorst & Co.	1 00
L. C. Gillespie	1 00
Paul Babcock, Jr.	5 00
The Misses Babcock	10 00
T. M. Markoe	5 00
Egerton Winthrop	5 00
George W. Crossman	2 00
Mrs. Corbin	5 00
J. H. Anderson	2 00
L. J. Carpenter	2 00
P. N.	1 00
A. S.	2 00
Wm. Alexander Smith	10 00
Wayne Griswold	5 00
J. R. Maurice	10 00
H. P. Brown, Brothers & Co.	10 00
Cash and Anonymous	67 00

## FEBRUARY, 1887.

J. J. Knox	\$2 00
Mrs. S. V. Hoffman	100 00
St. John's Church, Waterbury, Conn.	34 81
Church of the Epiphany, Durham	3 11
Services for Deaf-Mutes	18 29

Christ Church, Guilford, Conn.	\$9 81
Trinity Church	50 00
Mrs. Julia Merritt	50 00
Grace Church, Stafford, Conn.	3 32
A Friend, Christ Church, Hartford	5 00
E. G. Angell, Providence	20 00
A Friend, St. James' Church, Goshen, N. Y.	10 00
A. L. Willis, for Home Water Supply	5 00
S. M. S., South Orange, N. J., for Home	3 00
Mrs. S. V. Fleming, Washington, D. C.	2 00
Miss M. J. Stafford, for Home	5 00
Miss Martha Wisner, Goshen, for Home	50 00
Church of the Redeemer, Providence. (\$6 03 from the Sunday-school.)	8 76
From the Gallaudet Home for Deaf-Mutes Society	30 00
S. W. Carey	10 00
S. Inslee	5 00
M. H. Beers	5 00
J. M. Whitney	5 00
Einstein & Co.	5 00
Iselin, Neeser & Co.	5 00
Mrs. E. Keteltas	10 00
Annie C. Haeger	5 00
Mrs. A. J. Vanderpool	5 00
George Kemp	5 00
Mrs. Wm. Alsop	5 00
M. T. C.	5 00
Mrs. Gerry	10 00
W. K. Lothrop	2 00
H. T.	2 00
F. G. & I. N. Van Vleet	2 00
H. A. Bogert	1 00
H. S. T.	5 00
Mrs. Aug. I. Brown	2 00
Mrs. Peckham	5 00
P. Geddes	2 00
W. A.	5 00
Holmes & Coutts	2 00
Thomas B. Langdon	10 00
C. D. Bulkley	5 00
A. B. Storer	1 00
E. H. Stroud	2 00
W. C. S.	1 00
W. C. Hodgkins	1 00
I. D. S.	5 00
L. C. Warner	2 00
H. H. Hayden	2 00
Fred. Wolfe	1 00
W. A. R.	5 00
F. E. J.	1 00
Cash and Anonymous	37 75

## MARCH, 1887.

Church of the Good Shepherd, Boston.	\$6 35
Elihu Chauncey	20 00
Offerings at Services for Deaf-Mutes	6 90
Grace Church, New Bedford	23 84
Three Deaf-Mute Friends in Lowell, for Home	2 50
Albert C. Hargrave, E. Boston, for Home	1 00
"In Memory of Henrietta Haight"	25 00
Lord & Taylor	10 00
Cash per H. L. Morris	25 00
Miss Julia Low	25 00
All Saints' Parish, Dorchester, Mass.	10 13
Christ Church, Manhasset, L. I.	7 60
From Friends, for the Mission House	27 80
Edward Schell	5 00
Eugene O'Sullivan	5 00
William H. Wisner, for Gallaudet Home	50 00



From a Friend for Mission House....	\$5 00
St. Paul's Church, New Haven.....	4 00
A Friend, for Mission House.....	5 00

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H. W. B.....	\$10 00
I. M. C.....	2 00
A. C. V. S.....	1 00
L. & M. Williams.....	2 00
I. W. N.....	1 00
H. H. Rogers.....	5 00
John Mc. E. Wetmore.....	5 00
Mrs. Henry Rose.....	10 00
W. S. Webb.....	10 00
W. S. L.....	1 00
John H. Hinton, M. D.....	5 00
Mrs. P. B. Wyckoff.....	5 00
W. N. Guernsey.....	2 00
Mrs. R. H. Keene.....	2 00
Mrs. I. A. Robinson.....	5 00
Mrs. A. E. Breese.....	2 00
Mrs. A. B. L.....	1 00
Hermann Boker & Co.....	1 00
G. G. C.....	5 00
G. W. F.....	2 00
Hoyt Bros.....	5 00
A. W. Whipple.....	1 00
M. B. Edson.....	5 00
P. Lorillard & Co.....	5 00
I. S. E.....	5 00
Thos. Keck.....	3 00
O. D. M.....	2 00
I. S. Martin & Co.....	1 00
G. G. W.....	5 00
M. A. Ruland.....	1 00
P.....	1 00
Asa L. S. Sons.....	1 00
The Barbour Brothers' Company.....	3 00
Geo. E. Weed.....	2 00
D. W. McWilliams.....	5 00
I. I.....	5 00
D. H. G.....	1 00
I. M. & Co.....	1 00
F. E. & Co.....	5 00
S. H.....	1 00
C. W. Dayton.....	5 00
H. B. T.....	2 00
W. P. D.....	2 00
H. C. Tallman.....	1 00
Wolf & Reesing.....	2 00
A. B. Shepperson.....	2 00
Cash and Anonymous.....	61 49

## APRIL, 1887.

Mrs. E. T. Bryson.....	\$50 00
Gouverneur Morris.....	25 00
Mrs. E. A. Pancoast.....	100 00
G. H. Deaf-Mute Society, for Home.....	25 00
J. H. Schoenberger, for Home.....	100 00
St. Paul's Church, Poughkeepsie, for Home, Rev. Mr. Heartfield.....	6 00
Mrs. J. R. Swords, for G. Home.....	10 00
Mrs. Samuel Lawrence, for G. Home.....	10 00
Miss E. Cothel, for G. Home.....	5 00
Christ Church, Brooklyn, E. D., Rev. Dr. Darlington.....	10 87
Offerings at Services for Deaf-Mutes.....	2 53
St. George's Church, Newburg, Rev. Dr. Applegate.....	10 22
Offerings at St. Paul's Church, Boston.....	88 17
G. H. D. M. Society.....	25 00
G. H. D. M. Society, Proceeds of Fair.....	380 16
G. H. D. M. Society (through G. W. Schutt).....	11 00

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Woodward, Baldwin & Co.....	\$5 00
Robert Harris.....	5 00
I. H. Hamersley.....	10 00
Ryall & Becker.....	2 00
D. M. Sawyer.....	2 00
Albert Haager & Walburger.....	2 00
Miss M. L. Bryce.....	3 00
Mrs. Bunce.....	1 00
Mrs. Rogers.....	1 00
Eugene Dutilh.....	5 00
G. F. Bushnell.....	2 00
I. D. R.....	5 00
I. O. Brown.....	1 00
Gerard Beekman.....	10 00
John M. Ferris.....	2 00
G. H. H.....	2 00
Huyler.....	5 00
Mrs. J. H. Abeel.....	5 00
B. C. C.....	2 00
C. Schumacher & Co.....	1 00
E. P. Wheeler.....	5 00
T. W. B.....	1 00
C. S. Brice.....	2 00
Alfred Benjamin.....	2 00
N. Y. & B. D.....	2 00
Tietjin & Mitchell.....	5 00
F. B. & Co.....	1 00
O. W. Buckingham.....	1 00
R. L. Cole.....	1 00
Case & Herbert.....	5 00
Edward H. Hobbs.....	1 00
The A. H. Hart Co.....	1 00
Isidore Straus.....	5 00
Reformed Episcopalian.....	1 00
C. W. L. Bucke & Co.....	2 00
Chas. Judge.....	2 00
E. A. Calahan.....	1 00
C. G.....	5 00
J. E. S.....	2 00
E. N. Tailor.....	5 00
W. Gribbon.....	1 00
Mrs. J. Jay White.....	5 00
J. R. P.....	2 00
H. W. Johns M'g Co.....	5 00
Cash and Anonymous.....	78 05

## MAY, 1887.

Wm. Carroll.....	\$25 00
Harding, Colly & Co.....	10 00
C. H. L.....	5 00
Offerings at Services for Deaf-Mutes.....	11 76
F. E. Draper.....	25 00
The Bradstreet Company.....	5 00
Cash.....	10 00
W. H. Duncan.....	5 00
C. G. Lathrop.....	5 00
Cash.....	1 00
S. M. Cruger.....	5 00
A Friend.....	10 00
N. J. W.....	5 00
C. N. Kent.....	10 00
A. McNulty.....	10 00
Charles Scribner's Sons.....	10 00
Cash.....	2 00
C. N. Clinton.....	5 00
Trinity Church, Newport, R. I., Rev. G. J. Magill.....	35 59
Archer V. Pancoast.....	10 00
Friends in Grace Church, Brooklyn Heights.....	6 25
Kessler & Co.....	5 00
Robert J. Livingston.....	100 00
Daniel A. Moran.....	3 00
G. H. D. M. Society, for Home.....	45 00

St. Thomas, N. Y., Ascension Day..	\$32 75	Miss Caroline Lloyd, Hartford, Conn.	\$2 00
M. K. Jesup, for Gallaudet Home.....	25 00	Cash.....	10 00
Cash.....	5 00	J. D. Vermilye.....	10 00
E. P. Dutton.....	5 00	G. H. D. M. Society, for Home.....	65 00
Dr. Mark H. Williams, for Home.....	100 00	Lyman Rhoades.....	25 00
St. Anne's Parish, Annapolis, Md.....	4 45	Christ Church, New Brighton, Rev. George D. Johnson.....	58 84
Hewlett Scudder.....	25 00	Offerings at Services for deaf-mutes.....	9 90
W. H. Lee.....	5 00	Robert J. Livingston, for mortgage of Gallaudet Home.....	5,000 00
Francis Pott, for Gallaudet Home.....	25 00	A. B. Crane.....	10 00
Isaac N. Phelps.....	10 00	G. Norril.....	20 00
Francis R. Rives, for Gallaudet Home.....	20 00	Jos. Imogen.....	25 00
E. B. Hitchcock, U. S. N., ".....	100 00	John Toel.....	10 00
Henry A. Hurlbut.....	10 00	W. Toel.....	10 00
Edwin Hayward, for Gallaudet Home.....	2 50	Cash.....	10 00

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I. Stephenson.....	\$5 00	J. A. McIntyre.....	10 00
I. I. C. Co.....	2 00	C. J. Lawrence.....	5 00
Gust. L. Jaeger.....	3 00	Miss L. A. Nichols, Poughkeepsie, for Home.....	50 00
W. H. Ramsay.....	5 00	Frank Work.....	50 00
I. H. Labaree & Co.....	5 00	Wm. Jewett, for Gallaudet Home.....	4 00
Richard S. Ely.....	5 00	Cash, Hartford, Conn.....	10 00
A. L. Loomis.....	5 00		
Mrs. William Watson.....	5 00		
W. H. Webb.....	10 00		
Valentine & Co.....	5 00		
R. G. Rolston.....	5 00		
Mrs. R. Hoe, Jr.....	5 00		
Sam'l Wilde's Son.....	2 00		
Edwin I. Gillies.....	1 00		
James H. Schmelzel.....	1 00		
William R. Schmelzel.....	1 00		
W. H. Irwin.....	1 00		
F. Blumenthal.....	2 00		
Iron Clad Manufacturing Co.....	2 00		
Pettit & Reed.....	2 00		
F. A. Ward.....	1 00		
John Downey.....	5 00		
Mrs. George Shea.....	1 00		
Benedict & Brothers.....	5 00		
Heroy & Marrener.....	2 00		
Wm. C. Sheldon.....	5 00		
Scherling & Glatz.....	1 00		
F. C. Linde.....	1 00		
I. Baiz.....	2 00		
I. Macy's Sons.....	5 00		
I. M. Hare.....	3 00		
W. A. B.....	3 00		
Jacob Henkell.....	1 00		
Gregory & Jennings.....	2 00		
Glen Cove Manufacturing Co.....	2 00		
G. V. H. & Co.....	1 00		
A. I. D.....	2 00		
Uncle Jack.....	2 00		
John Robinson.....	2 00		
T. Platten.....	3 00		
E. B. Keeler.....	1 00		
N. B.....	1 00		
Coal Tar Chemical Co.....	1 00		
Mrs. M. P. Dodge.....	2 00		
A. Hooper.....	2 00		
M. F. K.....	1 00		
Jos. P. Lloyd.....	5 00		
William Strauss.....	2 00		
G. B. R.....	5 00		
G. A. Robbins.....	5 00		
N. Y. O. R. Model Baking Co.....	2 00		
S. V. White.....	5 00		
I. W. Pirsson.....	1 00		
W. G. D.....	1 00		
Dr. W. Parker.....	5 00		
Francis H. Weeks.....	10 00		
Cash and Anonymous.....	88 61		

## JUNE, 1887.

Arnold, Constable & Co.....	\$20 00	Cash and Anonymous.....	94 06
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## JULY, 1887.

From sale of fifty shares of stock, a legacy from Mr. John McGill, one-half for General Fund, and one-half for G. Home	\$900 00
W. G. Rolston	10 00
Offerings at services for deaf-mutes	8 84
Mrs. C. E. Wilmarth, New Rochelle	5 00
Cash	5 00
Cash	5 00
W. C. S.	15 00
Robert Shaw	2 00
Lloyd Aspinwall	5 00
Christ Church, Greenwich, Conn.	
Rev. Mr. Yarrington	55 88
Cash	10 00

## COLLECTED BY JAMES LEWIS.

Harding, Colby & Co.	\$10 00
Holbrook Brothers	5 00
Ferd. Viotor & Achells	3 00
H. & Co.	2 00
De F.	5 00
Lawrence & Co.	5 00
A. G. Bogert & Bro.	1 00
E. A. Bradley	2 00
Herbert B. Turner	5 00
Devlin & Co.	5 00
S. O. Howe	1 00
Burt & Mears	2 00
H. L.	2 00
Henry H. Ross	2 00
Asiels & Co.	5 00
H. Bros.	1 00
J. L. & Co.	5 00
Thomas Potts	1 00
W. K. H.	2 00
J. H. Work	10 00
H. L. Horton & Co.	1 00
Charles D. Dickey	10 00
A. Prentice	1 00
Cash and Anonymous	19 00

## AUGUST, 1887.

Mr. & Mrs. W. P. Jaffray	\$10 00
Mrs. S. B. Brayne, for G. Home	5 00
All Saints' Memorial Church, Providence	6 65
Rev. Mr. Hunter, of Denver	1 00
Offerings at services for deaf-mutes	6 22
John Knowler	50 00

## SEPTEMBER, 1887.

Offerings at services for deaf-mutes	\$1 52
Mrs. Sarah M. Wood	10 00
Wm. Alex. Smith	10 00
R. T. Bellchambers, for G. Home	10 00
A. C. & Co., for G. Home	50 00
Cornelius Vanderbilt, for Home	250 00
Dr. G. Treskatis, for his children of St. Augustine Chapel, N. Y.	5 00

## COLLECTED BY JAMES LEWIS.

H. L. Howland, Sherwood, N. Y.	\$1 00
Miss Howland	1 00
Mrs. E. V. Groens	1 00
Mrs. Jane E. Williams, Levanna, N. Y.	1 00
Susie W. Benedict	1 00
John Benedict	1 00
Gertrude A. Taber, Auburn, N. Y.	2 00
D. M. Osborn & Co.	5 00
D. McCarthy & Co., Syracuse, N. Y.	2 00
Dey Bros. & Co.	2 00
James E. Baker	1 00
W. D. Dunning	1 00
J. W. Barker	1 00

John P. Hies, Syracuse, N. Y.	\$1 00
M. Frims & Sons	1 00
E. C. Stearns & Co.	1 00
W. H. S. & Neal	1 00
Jacob Amos	1 00
I. W. Yale	1 00
C. G. Brown	1 00
Bacon, Baldwin & Co.	5 00
D. H. & Co.	5 00
D. G. Barton	5 00
Passavant & Co.	5 00
Megrog, Portier, Grose & Co.	10 00
M. & G.	5 00
Fred. Butterfield Co.	5 00
Willimantic Linen Co.	5 00
A. Roe	5 00
Rand Drill Co.	5 00
I. R. P.	5 00
Mulford, Cary & Conklin	2 00
Chas. Hauselt	2 00
Ralli Bros.	2 00
I. M. T.	1 00
Henry Hoe	3 00
Eaton, Cole & Burnham	2 00
D. De Castro & Co.	2 00
I. D. Crary	5 00
H. C. Dilworth	1 00
Gordon & Dilworth	2 00
Office of Gordon & Dilworth	2 44
Iden & Co.	1 00
Charles Gulder	1 00
S. B. Reed	2 00
De Witt Wire Cloth Co.	2 00
I. L. Arcularius	2 00
G. B. Patterson	2 00
W. S. Jarvis	8 00
M. Grossman	1 00
Atterbury Bros.	2 00
Herman Behr	2 00
C. Tissot	1 00
Geo. Fox & Son	1 00
Street & Smith	2 00
148 William St.	1 00
Keuffel & Esser	1 00
C. E. Hill	1 00
R. Kalb	1 00
F. C. White	5 00
S. Oppenheimer	2 00
R. C. Brown & Co.	5 00
Interest for Gallaudet Home	31 50
R. Lawson	1 00
C. F. A. H.	1 00
H. & R.	1 00
L. W. Serrell	1 00
Weld, Colburn & Wilckens	1 00
Fred. Hollender & Co.	2 00
Geo. H. Frost	1 00
R. N. Perlee	2 00
B. L. & Co.	2 00
W. L. Leaman	2 00
I. D. Probst & Co.	1 00
E. Schuberth & Co.	1 00
M. H. H.	1 00
A. S. Sullivan	2 00
Wm. McCarroll & Co.	2 00
Cash and Anonymous	66 60
Mrs. A. Hamilton, Poughkeepsie, for Gallaudet Home	50 00
C. R. Thomson, for Gallaudet Home	100 00

## OCTOBER, 1887.

N. Clark	\$5 00
I. Wall & Son	5 00
Miss Mary A. Edson, for G. Home	100 00
Mrs. Rutherford, for G. Home	100 00
Mrs. A. C. Alden	25 00

William A. Wheelock	\$5 00	Frederick Coudert	\$5 00
Traveller National Deaf-mute College, Washington, D. C.	4 50	A. Knight	2 00
W. H. H. M.	25 00	W. Baxter, Jr.	1 00
Cash	25 00	A. M. Sweet	1 00
Trinity Church, Newark, N. J.	25 00	Francis C. Reed	1 00
A. Rumrill	25 00	Earle & Co.	1 00
From deaf-mutes in Troy and Albany	2 92	S. R. Hawley	1 00
Douglas W. Burnham, Fishkill-on-Hudson, for Gallaudet Home	50 00	Sacks & Bro.	2 00
Offerings from deaf-mutes	2 16	R. M. Haar	2 00
St. John the Evangelist, Saint John, Rockland Co.	1 08	Peter Doelger	5 00
Mrs. C. M. Goodridge, for G. Home	100 00	Philip Schuyler	5 00
		Fleischmann & Co.	5 00
		R. M. H.	1 00
		Geo. E. Belcher	5 00
		Belt, Butler & Co.	1 00
		S. Rawitser & Co.	1 00
		J. A. Hyland	1 00
		Benhaven & Boyesen	2 00
		J. H. Lane & Co.	2 00
		Jonathan Marshall	1 00
		C. S.	1 00
		Ernest Gabler & Bro.	1 00
		A. I. Clinton	1 00
		H. B.	1 00
		Samuel Thorne	5 00
		W. A. Ogden Hegeman	5 00
		T. B. Kerr	2 00
		A. S. B.	1 00
		W. I. I.	2 00
		H. & D.	1 00
		Jarvis & Co.	5 00
		J. F. R.	3 00
		John Rheinfrank & Co.	1 00
		U. H. Dudley	1 00
		Chas. Cohn & Baeder	2 00
		Cash and Anonymous	42 00

## COLLECTED BY JAMES LEWIS.

Chas. W. Ogden	\$5 00
David Stewart	25 00
M. & H. C.	5 00
Eben Peek	5 00
Theodore Conrow	2 00
R. S. Barnes	2 00
G. G. De Witt, Jr.	2 00
C. S. Brice	2 00
C. B.	2 00
Hugh Sieberg	2 00
James G. Johnson	2 00
A. D. & Co.	1 00
E. Faber	2 00
H. Herde	1 00
Ely & Williams	1 00
John B. Dash	5 00
J. A. E.	5 00
H. H. Brookway	2 00
Yates & Porterfield	1 00
Heidelbach, Ickelheimer & Co.	1 00
Schulz & Ruckgaber	2 00



# CERTIFICATE OF INCORPORATION

OF

## THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES

In conformity with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act for the Incorporation of Benevolent, Charitable, Scientific and Missionary Societies," passed the 12th day of April, 1848, and the several Acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, the subscribers, of full age, citizens of the United States and of the State of New York, and residents within the City of New York, in said State, being desirous to associate themselves together for the purpose of promoting the temporal and spiritual welfare of adult deaf-mutes, and to be a body politic and corporate for that purpose, do hereby make and sign this certificate:

1. The name or title by which said Society shall be known in law shall be "THE CHURCH MISSION TO DEAF-MUTES."

2. The particular business and objects of said Society shall be the promoting of the temporal and spiritual welfare of adult deaf-mutes.

3. The number of Trustees to manage the said Society shall be twenty-five.

4. The names of the Trustees of the said Society for the first year of its existence are: Horatio Potter, John T. Hoffman, D. Colden Murray, Orlando L. Stewart, Isaac H. Holmes, John Carlin, Henry J. Haight, S. R. Comstock, William O. Fitzgerald, Robert Gracie, I. L. Peet, John H. Pool, F. A. Rising, James Ruggles, James McCarter, Charles S. Newell, F. Campbell, James Lewis, Louis F. Therasson, James M. Austin, William Niblo, Frederick DePeyster, Samuel V. Hoffman, Edward M. Curtis, and G. Fersenheim.

In testimony whereof, we have herewith subscribed our names.

ISAAC H. HOLMES,  
WM. O. FITZGERALD,  
JAMES LEWIS,  
GUSTAVE FERSENHEIM,  
HENRY J. HAIGHT,  
ORLANDO L. STEWART,  
D. COLDEN MURRAY.

STATE OF NEW YORK,  
CITY AND COUNTY OF NEW YORK. } ss.

On this fourteenth day of June, in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-two, personally came before me Isaac H. Holmes, William O. Fitzgerald, James Lewis, Gustave Fersenheim, Henry J. Haight, Orlando L. Stewart, and D. Colden Murray, to me known to be the same persons who are by these names described in, and who executed the foregoing instrument, and severally acknowledged that they executed the same.

F. C. REED,

*A Notary Public in and for said County.*

### INDORSEMENT.

I consent and approve of the filing of the within certificate of incorporation of the Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes.

GEO. C. BARRETT,

*Justice of the Supreme Court in the First Department.*

NEW YORK, October 15, 1872.

Filed in the Clerk's office, October 21, 1872, and also in the Secretary of State's office at Albany.



# CONSTITUTION.

## ARTICLE I.

The Church Mission to Deaf-Mutes is a Society designed to promote the temporal and spiritual welfare of adult deaf-mutes. Its central office shall be in the City of New York.

## ARTICLE II.

Its members shall consist of those persons paying two dollars and upwards a year towards its support, who shall be elected at any regular meeting of the Trustees. Any person paying one hundred dollars at one time shall be eligible to life membership.

## ARTICLE III.

The affairs of the Society shall be under the direction and management of a Board of twenty-five Trustees, to be elected annually, as hereafter provided. The officers of the Society shall be a President, two Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer, and a Secretary, who shall be elected annually by the said Board from their own number, and shall also be officers of the said Board.

## ARTICLE IV.

The Board of Trustees shall hold stated meetings at least once in three months, and may hold adjourned meetings when necessary. Seven Trustees shall form a quorum for the transaction of business, except that no purchase, lease, or sale of real estate shall be made, unless two-thirds of the whole number shall be present at the meeting at which it is ordered. The Board shall have power to make By-Laws for its own government and for the government of the officers, and to alter and amend the same, and may fill any vacancy which may occur in the Board or among its officers.

Special meetings of the Board and of the Society may be called by the President or one of the Vice-Presidents, or on requisition of five of the Trustees; but when special meetings are called, the time and place of meeting and the subject proposed to be considered shall be previously notified to the members, and no other subject shall be discussed or acted upon at such meetings.

## ARTICLE V.

The annual meeting of the Society shall be held in St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes, in the City of New York, on the last Wednesday evening of October. At this meeting the Society shall elect by ballot twenty-five Trustees, who shall hold office for the ensuing year, and until their successors are appointed.

At the first stated meeting of the Board after the annual meeting of the Society, the officers specified in Article III shall be chosen by ballot from

among the members of said Board, and shall continue in office until their successors are appointed.

The Trustees shall present to the Society, at its annual meeting, a report of their proceedings during the previous year, a full statement in relation to the funds and property of the Society, and information relative to the objects of the Society which may be of interest to its members.

## ARTICLE VI.

The Constitution shall not be altered unless it be at an annual meeting of the members of the Society, and two-thirds of the members then present consenting thereto, on previous recommendation of the Board of Trustees.

# BY-LAWS.

1. The President, First and Second Vice-Presidents, Secretary and Treasurer shall faithfully perform the duties usually intrusted to such officers.

2. The Trustees shall have power to appoint, by resolution, from time to time, such Special Committees as may be necessary to accomplish most effectually the objects of the Society.

3. The Trustees shall appoint a General Manager, whose duty it shall be to take the general oversight of the various departments of work which shall be adopted to improve the temporal and spiritual welfare of adult deaf-mutes. They shall also have power to appoint assistants to the General Manager, and to fix the salaries which shall be paid to the General Manager and assistants.

4. The General Manager shall be subject to such regulations as the Trustees may adopt for his guidance, and shall present a written report of his work at every stated meeting of the Trustees.

5. With the consent of "The Rector, Church-Wardens and Vestrymen of St. Ann's Church for Deaf-Mutes, in the City of New York," the meetings of the Trustees shall be held in the said church.

6. At the meetings of the Trustees, the following shall be the order of proceedings, viz:

1. Devotions.
2. Reading of the minutes.
3. Communication from the officers.
4. Report of the General Manager.
5. Report of Committees.
6. Miscellaneous business.
7. Adjournment.

7. Alteration of these By-laws proposed at one meeting can be adopted at the next by a two-thirds vote of the Trustees present, but by unanimous consent at a regular meeting without previous notice.



# APPENDIX.

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## INFORMATION

RESPECTING

OTHER DEPARTMENTS OF CHURCH WORK

AMONG

### DEAF-MUTES

HAVING NO OFFICIAL CONNECTION WITH OUR SOCIETY.

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*Offerings for the support of the work in each Department  
should be sent to its Missionary.*

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*For additional information, please send for a copy of "THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE FOURTH CONFERENCE ON CHURCH WORK AMONG DEAF-MUTES," to the Rev. J. M. Koehler, Secretary, Reading, Penn.; or the Annual Reports which are published under the direction of the Missionaries in the various Departments.*



## The Rev. Francis J. Clerc, D.D.,

Rector of St. Paul's Church, Philipsburg, Pennsylvania, and Vice-Chairman of the Commission on Church Work among Deaf-Mutes in the Diocese of Central Pennsylvania, officiates occasionally at services for deaf-mutes.

## The Rev. Henry Winter Syle,

Diocesan Missionary and Minister of All Souls' Church, 2142 Mount Vernon Street, Philadelphia, holds services in the Dioceses of Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland. Mr. James S. Wells, Lay-reader, 649 West Saratoga Street, Baltimore, holds Sunday afternoon services in the Chapel of Grace Church. There is a Bible Class connected with the Church of the Ascension, Washington, D. C.

## The Rev. A. W. Mann,

whose address is Gambier, Ohio, itinerates as a Missionary among deaf-mutes in thirteen of the Centralwestern and Northwestern Dioceses.

## The Rev. Job Turner,

whose address is Staunton, Virginia, itinerates as a Missionary among deaf-mutes in the Southern Dioceses.

## The Rev. J. M. Koehler,

whose address is 520 Spring Street, Reading, Pennsylvania, is itinerating through Central Pennsylvania, under the direction of a special Commission of that Diocese.

## The Rev. Thomas B. Berry,

Rector of Christ Church, Guilford, New York, holds occasional services for deaf-mutes in the Dioceses of Central and Western New York. Mr. John C. Acker, Lay-reader, holds services in St. Luke's Church, Rochester.



## PRAYER FOR THE DEAF.

O GOD, our Heavenly Father, Whose dearly beloved Son Jesus Christ, when He dwelt on earth, went about doing good; unstopping the ears of the deaf, and loosening the tongues of the dumb; look down with loving eyes upon all Thy deaf and mute children, and give them the special blessing of Thy mercy and grace. Let Thy fatherly hand ever be over them, let Thy Holy Spirit ever be with them; so that they may learn the truth as it is in Jesus, and believe in and rest upon Him as the Saviour of their souls, and find in Him that joy and peace which the Holy Ghost alone can bestow. Be with them, we beseech Thee, in all the trials and duties and dangers of this life, and may they so live in Thy fear and love here, that in the world to come they may ever, with open ears, and loving tongues, show forth Thy praise in Thy heavenly kingdom.

Hear us, O Lord God, through Thy Son Jesus Christ, to Whom, with Thee, O Father, and Thee, O Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, now and forever. Amen.

Written and set forth by Bishop Stevens of Pennsylvania, Feb. 6th, 1881, and authorized in various Dioceses. Also suggested for private intercession, on Thursdays; on which day a similar Prayer, written by Bishop Alexander of Derry, is used in Great Britain and Ireland.

Copies, in large or small type, may be had of Rev. Henry W. Syle, Office, 2142 Mt. Vernon Street, Philadelphia.

## THE GALLAUDET HOME

FOR DEAF MUTES.

POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.

P. O., WAPPINGER'S FALLS.

R. R. STATION, NEW HAMBURGH.

**THIS HOME** which was founded December, 1885, by  
**The Church Mission to Deaf Mutes,**

is admirably situated in the centre of a fine farm of one hundred and fifty-six acres, extending from the turnpike between New Hamburg and Poughkeepsie, to the banks of the Hudson river.

The Farm is enclosed by a substantial stone wall, and is in a high state of cultivation—its products finding a ready sale in Wappinger's Falls and Poughkeepsie.

On entering the gate from the road, and crossing a creek of never failing pure water, there is seen on a high knoll, the farm-house with its surrounding barns, stables, carriage-house, cattle yard, etc. A broad macadamised avenue, bordered with pines and other trees, forming a shady arch, winds through the farm to the circle at the Mansion. (*See Photograph.*)

This is a commodious edifice substantially built of stone and brick, with a chapel, library, dining-room, and ample accommodations for fifty people. This handsome building covered with vines, and surrounded by trees, is situated on a high bluff, overlooking the Hudson. The view from the front, over the lawn, and down the river towards Newburgh, the Storm King and Anthony's Nose, is romantic in the extreme, and breathes of peace and rest, from the trials, tribulations, and cares of this world.

The bluff on the river, with its valuable limestone quarries, is covered by several acres of woodland. Across the railroad track is an eligible waterfront, with a convenient dock, where supplies can be delivered by boat; and the Railroad Company contemplate establishing a station, within five minutes' walk of the mansion, at Clinton Point.

In this Retreat, a "St. Johnland" for deaf mutes, it is proposed to gather the aged and infirm, and such others as may need fostering care after they leave school. It is expected that most of the inmates will be able to work on the farm, or in shops at various trades, thus contributing to the support of the Home. There will be frequent sign services in the chapel, and constant efforts put forth to lead these "children of silence" to believe in Him who said "ΕΡΗΦΑΘΑ" to the man that was deaf and had an impediment in his speech.

The object of this Home should be borne in mind, by all who desire that the Deaf Mutes should be made as happy and useful as may be consistent with their great deprivation. It is a Charity that appeals to the generous sympathy of all Christian people. Donations will be gratefully acknowledged by the General Manager.

REV. THOMAS GALLAUDET, D. D.,

No. 9 West 18th Street,

NEW YORK CITY.





THE GALLAUDET HOME FOR DEAF MUTES, POUGHKEEPSIE, N. Y.

## FORM OF BEQUEST.

I give and bequeath to "The Church Mission  
to Deaf-Mutes," incorporated in the year 1872,  
under the general laws of the State of  
New York, the sum of.....