

Fifty-fifth

Annual Report

December twelfth, 1899.

Protestant Episcopal Church

Missionary Society for Seamen

In the City and Port of New York.

## Form of Bequest.

I give and bequeath to "THE  
PROTESTANT EPISCOPAL CHURCH MISSIONARY  
SOCIETY FOR SEAMEN IN THE CITY AND PORT  
OF NEW YORK," a corporation incorporated  
under the laws of the State of New York, the  
sum of . . . . . dollars,  
to be used by it for its corporate purposes.

Donations should be sent to  
JOHN JEWELL SMITH, Treasurer,  
77 West Houston Street.

Fifty-fifth Annual Report  
OF THE  
Board of Managers  
OF THE  
Protestant Episcopal  
Church Missionary Society  
For Seamen

In the City and Port of New York.

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PRESENTED  
AT THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE SOCIETY  
ADVENT, TUESDAY, DECEMBER 12, 1899.

# Officers of the Society

Chosen at the Annual Meeting, December 12, 1899.

## President.

Right Rev. Henry C. Potter, D. D., LL. D.

## Clerical Vice-Presidents.

Rev. Morgan Dix, D. D.,	Rev. W. R. Huntington, D. D.,
Rev. D. H. Greer, D. D.,	Rev. H. Mottet, D. D.,
Rev. D. Parker Morgan, D. D.,	Rev. E. Walpole Warren, D. D.,
Rev. John W. Brown, D. D.,	Rev. William M. Grosvenor,
Rev. Henry Lubeck, LL. D., D. C. L.,	Rev. J. Lewis Parks, D. D.

## Lay Vice-Presidents.

R. S. Holt, 1879.	Henry Rogers, 1846.	Benoni Lockwood, 1884.
A. G. Thorp, 1854.	A. T. Mahan, Capt. U. S. N., Ret'd, 1867	

## Corresponding Secretary.

Geo. B. Bonney, 49 Wall Street, 1891.

## Recording Secretary.

F. T. Warburton, 63 Wall Street, 1888.

## Treasurer.

John Jewell Smith, 77 West Houston Street, 1884.

## Lay Managers.

Henry L. Morris, 1868	J. J. Astor, 1889	Chas. F. Cummings, 1892
Henry Dexter, 1871	Chas. H. Easton, 1889	Anson R. Flower, 1892
Wm. H. Butterworth, 1873	John A. McKim, 1889	W. R. Bell, 1894
Wm. H. Wells, 1874	O. Egerton Schmidt, 1890	Robert G. Hone, 1895
J. H. Morrison, 1877	Oscar E. Morton, 1890	Percy R. Pyne, 1895
Lispenard Stewart, 1883	John V. Brower, 1890	J. W. Miller, 1897
Edmund L. Baylies, 1885	Clayton Platt, 1891	Chas. F. Hoffman, 1897
David H. Decker, 1887	Geo. B. Bonney, 1891	James May Duane, 1898
B. T. Van Nostrand, 1887	James Pott, 1892	Alfred G. Vanderbilt, 1899
Jos. M. Knap, 1888	J. Augustus Johnson, 1892	

## Honorary Members.

Geo. B. Watts, 1867	William Waldorf Astor, 1871	J. Hooker Hamersley, 1873
Edward N. Tailer, 1867	John N. Stearns, 1873	Fred S. Salisbury, 1891
Thomas Whittaker, 1868		

# Committees of the Board of Managers.

## Executive.

Composed of the Members of the Standing Committees of the Board, together with the Officers of the Society, *ex-officio*.

O. Egerton Schmidt, Chairman, 37 Liberty Street.

## Committee of the Church of Our Saviour.

Benoni Lockwood, Chairman, 53 William Street.

Geo. B. Bonney,

James May Duane.

## Committee of the Church of the Holy Comforter.

John V. Brower, Chairman, 57 West 71st Street.

W. H. Butterworth,

J. W. Miller,

Robert G. Hone,

Alfred G. Vanderbilt.

## Committee of the Coenties Slip Station.

B. T. Van Nostrand, Chairman, 139 Clinton Avenue, Brooklyn.

Jos. M. Knap,

W. R. Bell,

Edmund L. Baylies,

Chas. F. Cummings,

J. H. Morrison.

## Committee of the Sailors' Home.

A. G. Thorp, Chairman, 2 West 95th Street.

W. H. Wells,

C. H. Easton.

## Committee on Legislation.

J. Augustus Johnson, Chairman, 43 Cedar Street.

Wm. H. Butterworth,

Edmund L. Baylies.

## Committee of Ways and Means.

J. H. Morrison, Chairman, 76½ Pine Street.

Jos. M. Knap,

O. Egerton Schmidt,

J. W. Miller.

## Committee on Trust Funds.

Henry Lewis Morris, Chairman, 16 Exchange Place.

Benoni Lockwood,

John A. McKim.

## Attorney for the Society.

Edmund L. Baylies, 54 Wall Street.

## Report of the Board of Managers.

In presenting their report this year the Board of Managers are encouraged by much that has transpired looking to the advancement and opening up of the Society's work. The men are coming to us. They are realizing that we are their friends, and accordingly are showing a grateful appreciation of the efforts being made in their behalf. The more this spirit spreads the more will the Society be able to accomplish. Naturally the sailor is seriously affected by legislation, and during the past year a big stride has been made toward bettering his condition. Two acts have been passed by Congress and have gone into effect, so that now he cannot be imprisoned for desertion in home ports, and for desertion in foreign ports the duration of imprisonment cannot exceed one month, and even this is left discretionary with the courts. All forms of corporal punishment on shipboard have been prohibited under severe penalties. The law gives him enlarged space, a warm and ventilated room, and a more sanitary schedule of provisions. "Blood money" for shipment of seamen is forbidden. Moreover, all masters and mates of steam vessels and of all sailing vessels of over 700 tons burden, are required to take out a license, after examination as to capacity, character and conduct, which license is revocable on satisfactory evidence of bad conduct and violation of law. It is apparent that these new provisions should, by restraining and eliminating brutal officers, greatly reduce the cruelty and terrorism heretofore practiced upon seamen.

The co-operation of societies for aiding seamen in New York, which still continues, has been followed by a national conference held by similar societies in Boston during three days in October last. Delegates from the Atlantic seaports, from Nova Scotia to New Orleans, and from the lakes, attended. Our society was represented by two delegates, methods of work were compared, results reported, and eloquent and effective addresses were made by Bishop Lawrence, President Eliot of Harvard and Rev. Dr. Gordon of the old South Church, and other eminent men, thus greatly stimulating the interest in behalf of seamen.

The conference appointed an international committee to extend the work of seamen's aid to other ports and to promote the establishment of offices for legal aid to seamen like that promoted by our Board during the current year in New York. The result of this "legal aid" movement is so extraordinary as to call for special mention. Uniting with other societies, our Board has contributed to the support of a competent attorney who gives his entire time to investigating the complaints of common seamen and in redressing their wrongs by collecting claims for arrears of wages unlawfully

withheld, and in prosecuting in courts of law their persecutors and the land sharks who prey upon them while waiting and seeking for employment. Over seven thousand dollars of arrears of wages have been collected by this legal aid office, and hundreds of robberies and personal assaults have been prosecuted and the offenders punished by the courts. The enactment of humane laws is important, but they can only be made effective by their enforcement. To promote such enforcement, we have obtained the appointment of a special police officer whose entire time is to be given to the protection of seamen at the time and place of payment, shipment and discharge, where they are most exposed to outrage, robbery and abuse. And in order to shield seamen from acts of violence at sea, growing out of their ignorance and inefficiency, we have established schools for practical seamanship and for navigation, which have been enthusiastically recognized by the class of men whose interests we are organized to advance.

The death of Mr. Vanderbilt deprives our Society of one of its most devoted and zealous supporters. He well deserved these words of kindly appreciation contained in the resolution passed by our Board: "For twenty-six years past Mr. Vanderbilt has been a faithful friend and earnest co-worker in the care and in the management of this society for the benefit of seamen. He never lost an opportunity to give to it his personal attention with a modest, kindly Christian spirit, and in recording this slight tribute of respect and love to his memory, the Board of Managers of the Society desire to mark his connection with their work as a bright example of a true, practical American gentleman, striving always to do his duty in the service of our Lord."

For several years past our income has fallen so far short of our necessary expenses as to create a deficiency so large that it threatened very seriously to cripple our future usefulness. Fortunately this strained state of affairs has been somewhat relieved by a generous legacy under the will of Charles H. Contoit. Still the needs of our Society are pressing and our funds very inadequate, as will be seen by a glance at the Treasurer's statement.

It is hoped that the churches upon whom we mainly depend for support will realize this fact and make their contributions more liberal. The growth of our foreign trade, extending now far beyond its former limits, will naturally demand an extension of our shipping interests. If more sailors are to be ministered to and protected, we must have more money for the work.

A careful examination of the reports of our Chaplains for the past year will show how very encouraging have been the results of our efforts, and we trust will so commend the interests of our Society to the friends of the seamen as to insure us the means wherewith to go on and do very much more.

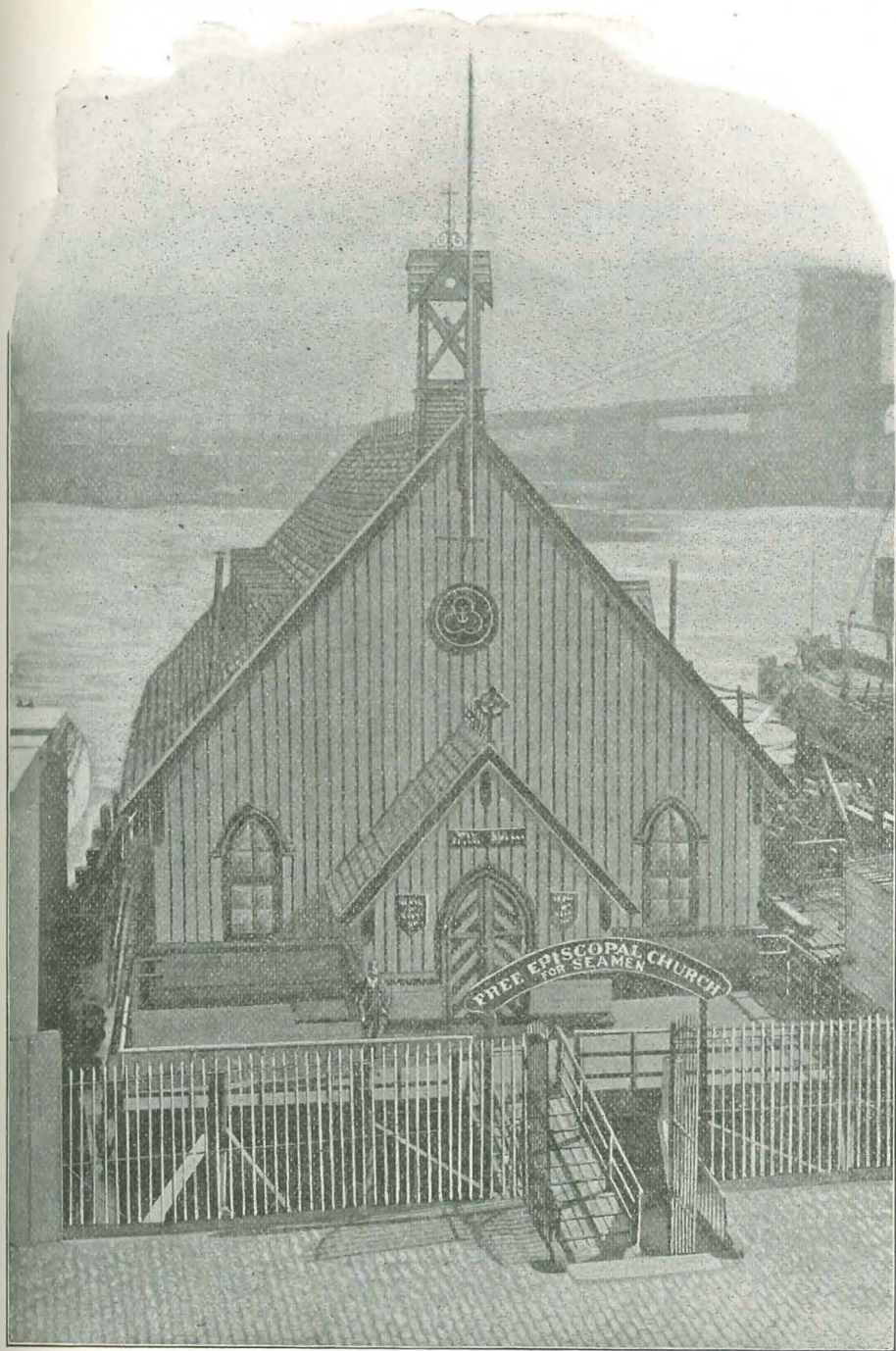
Tuesday, December 12, 1899.

## Summary of Work

From Advent, 1898, to Advent, 1899.

Total number of services,	- - - - -	742
Total attendance at services,	- - - - -	27,571
Baptisms,	- - - - -	56
Confirmations,	- - - - -	15
Communion services,	- - - - -	91
Burials,	- - - - -	56
Marriages,	- - - - -	38
Visits at the reading rooms,	- - - - -	114,439
Letters written by sailors and boatmen in the reading rooms, and received in care of the Missions,	- - -	13,144
Bibles, Testaments and Miscellaneous Books distributed,		4,736
Visits to Ships, Boats and Boarding Houses,	- -	7,256





Floating Church of our Saviour,  
Foot of Pike Street, E. R.

# Stations of the Society.

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## EAST RIVER STATION.

### Floating Church of Our Saviour,

PIER 40, EAST RIVER, BETWEEN PIKE AND MARKET STREETS.

SERVICES ON SUNDAYS, 10.30 A. M. and 8 P. M.

HOLY COMMUNION (first Sunday of the month), 10.30 A. M.

HOLY COMMUNION (third Sunday of the month), 8 A. M.

SERVICE AND LECTURE every Friday at 7.30 P. M.

### Mission House, 34 Pike Street.

WOMEN'S HOPE CLUB every Tuesday at 8 P. M.

TEMPERANCE SOCIETY every Wednesday at 8 P. M.

MEN'S HOPE CLUB AND ENTERTAINMENTS FOR SEAMEN, Saturdays, at 8 P. M.

READING ROOM open daily, 10 A. M. to 10 P. M.

REV. ARCHIBALD R. MANSFIELD, - Chaplain.

Residence, 34 Pike Street.

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## NORTH RIVER STATION.

### Church of the Holy Comforter for Sailors, and Seamen's Institute,

No. 341 WEST STREET, FOOT OF WEST HOUSTON STREET.

SERVICES ON SUNDAYS at 10.30 A. M. and 8 P. M.

SERVICE AND LECTURE every Friday at 7.30 P. M.

SUNDAY-SCHOOL, 9.30 A. M.

READING ROOMS open daily, 2 to 10 P. M.

ENTERTAINMENTS FOR SEAMEN, Tuesday and Friday evenings at 7.30.

REV. WALTER A. A. GARDNER, Chaplain.

Residence, 341 W. Houston Street.

Send Packages to 341 West Street.

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## COENTIES SLIP STATION.

21 COENTIES SLIP AND 37 FRONT STREET.

### Services on the Dock in Summer and in Mission Room in Winter,

ON SUNDAYS at 11 A. M. and 3 P. M.

READING ROOMS open daily from 8.30 A. M. to 6 P. M., at 21 Coenties Slip and 37 Front St.

MEN'S SOCIAL CLUB meets every Tuesday evening at 7 o'clock, from the middle of  
November to the middle of April.

DORCAS SOCIETY meets at 3 P. M. every Thursday, from December 1st to the end of April.

WOMEN'S SOCIAL CLUB meets every Thursday evening at 7 o'clock, from the latter end  
of November until the Canals open, about the 1st of May.

REV. ISAAC MAGUIRE, Chaplain.

At the Mission Room.

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## SAILORS' HOME.

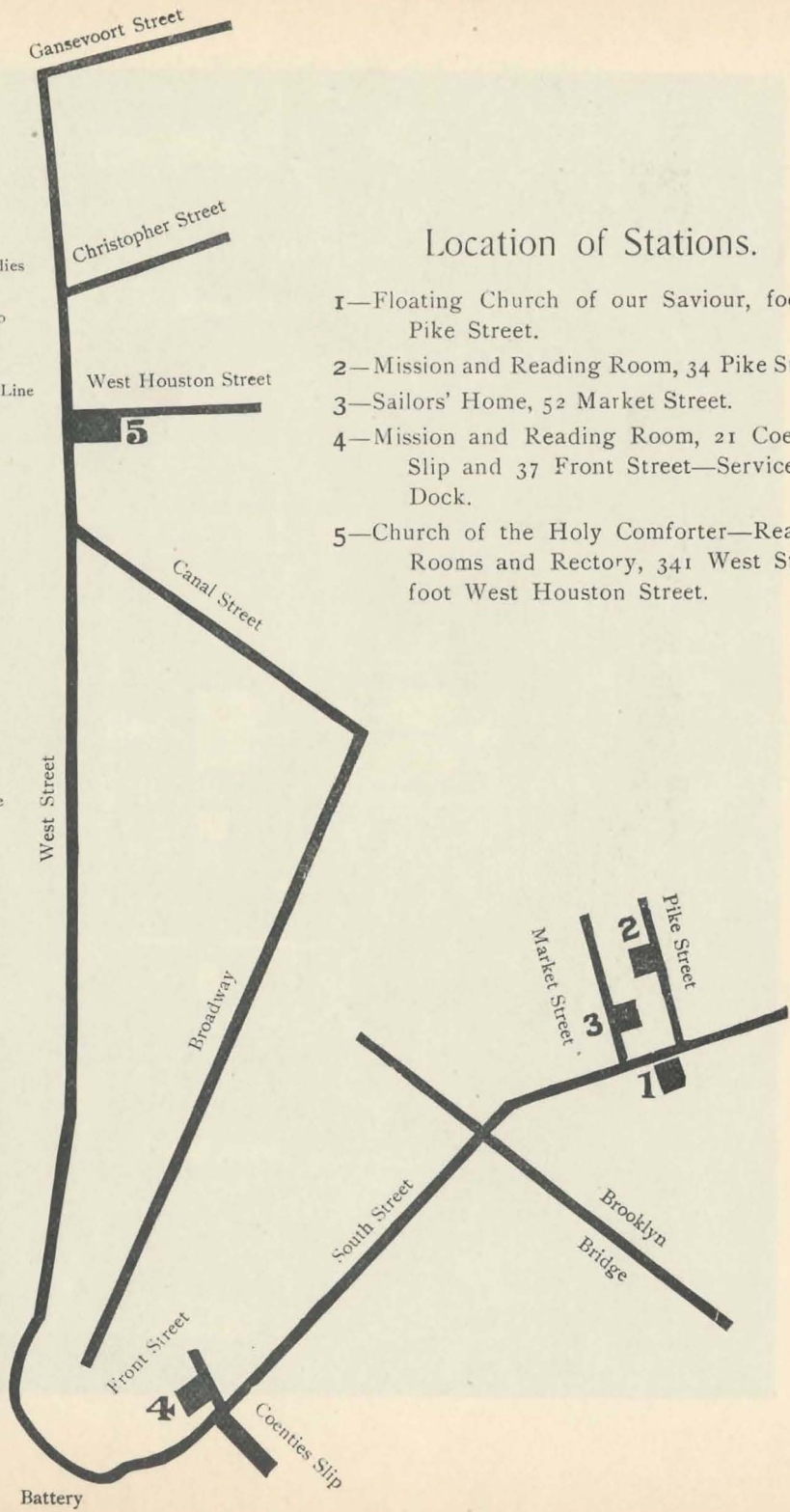
No. 52 MARKET STREET.

MR. DANIEL MONTGOMERY, - - - Superintendent.

Cunard Line  
 Wilson Line  
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 Clyde Steamship Co  
 French Line  
 Atlantic Transport Line

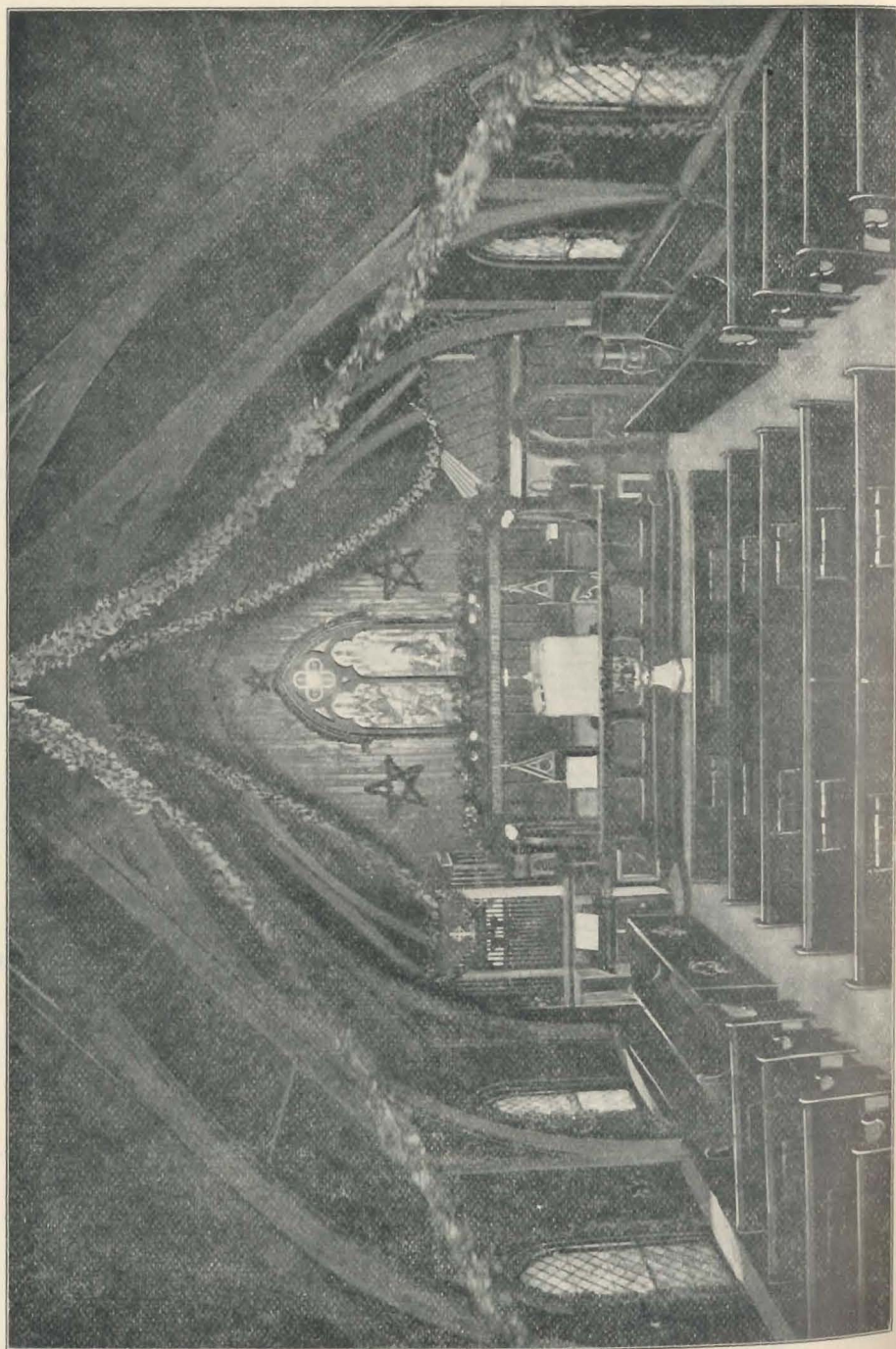
Old Dominion Line  
 Southern Pacific Line

Red Star Line  
 American Line



## Location of Stations.

- 1—Floating Church of our Saviour, foot of Pike Street.
- 2—Mission and Reading Room, 34 Pike Street.
- 3—Sailors' Home, 52 Market Street.
- 4—Mission and Reading Room, 21 Coenties Slip and 37 Front Street—Services on Dock.
- 5—Church of the Holy Comforter—Reading Rooms and Rectory, 341 West Street, foot West Houston Street.



Interior Floating Church of our Saviour, Foot of Pike Street, E. R.

## Annual Report of the Chaplain East River Station.

A short distance from Chatham Square, are located the Floating Church of our Saviour, foot of Pike Street, the Mission and Reading Room, 34 Pike Street, and the Sailors' Home, 52 Market Street, which constitute the East River Station of the Church's work to seamen. To state in a few words what has been accomplished here since the date of the last annual report, is difficult. Certainly the present status of affairs decidedly indicate healthy life and growth, and there is not wanting convincing evidence of the progress that has been made in all directions.

With the generous and ever-ready support given by members of the Board of Managers, with the zealous co-operation of our Clubs, and with the faithful assistance of friends, we have been able to stride ahead rapidly in our efforts, to meet the religious, moral, legal and social needs of seamen, working through many agencies to secure those improvements so desirable and imperative for the sailor, both on land and sea.

The services, lectures and entertainments have been carried on as usual. The Mission House has been enlarged, making our rooms more comfortable and convenient.

Very many men have been attended by our physician, and a large number sent to hospitals. "Comfort bags," clothing, vast quantities of reading matter, etc., have been distributed.

The exceptionally fine work of the Legal Aid Society, the Seamen's Branch at 34 Pike Street, is noticed elsewhere. Again I appeal to you, my Christian charitable friends, to awaken to your duty to the men of the sea, to quicken your benevolence in behalf of Sailors' Missions, and help us to change and improve the sailors' environment. We invite and want you to *come and see* what we are doing. We ask you to send to 34 Pike Street, clothing for destitute sailors, comfort bags, reading matter in *all* languages. Help us to provide entertainment on Wednesday and Saturday evenings.

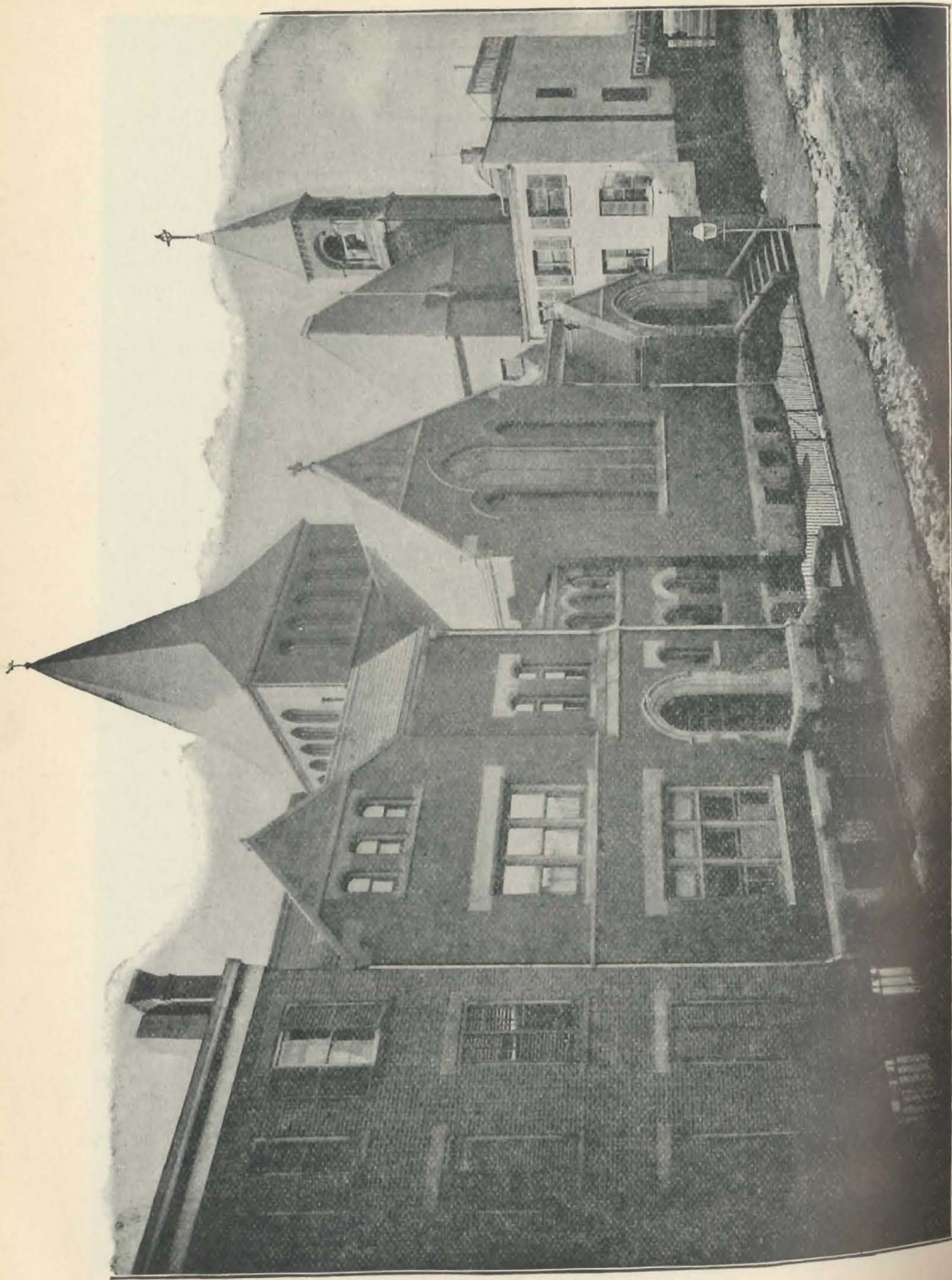
God grant that you may give your support this coming year, and lend a hand in some way to assist us in carrying forward this necessary and important work. Be assured if you do, we shall have a stronger influence over the men, and shall be able to hold out to them more and greater advantages, and have even a more prosperous year than the one just past.

I am especially grateful to Sister Eleanor of Trinity Hospital, to Dr. Wm. H. Hemingway, and am heartily thankful to all our friends for presentations and donations, and for everything they have done to make our efforts successful.

Respectfully submitted,

Advent, 1899.

A. R. MANSFIELD, CHAPLAIN.



Rectory, 341 W. Houston St.

Church of the Holy Comforter,  
Foot West Houston St. Entrance also on West St.

## Annual Report of the Chaplain North River Station.

Our Mission is to seamen, and the real good which seamen have received during the past year cannot be measured or summarized on paper to meet a narrow commercial sense of accomplishment.

It would be highly encouraging could we have a wide vision of all the uplifting manifestations of saving grace in the hearts of seamen, who are with us to day and away to-morrow, but that is denied us. We must work through the faith faculty and wait. Nevertheless, in the appreciation of our Mission, by these brave men, we have our best encouragement in the sure evidence that when they arrive in port they seek us as their friends, and our Mission as their home.

More than two hundred men have been shipped through the Free Shipping Bureau, established here for that purpose.

First aids to the injured, visits to the sick in hospitals, and relief given to destitute seamen and their families to the number of three hundred.

We have made and distributed five hundred Comfort Bags, containing medical supplies, sewing materials, delicacies, Bibles, prayer books, testaments, personal letters and miscellaneous reading matter, among our own war ships. Also a regular correspondence has been kept up this past year with all the ports where our own Navy have visited: Cuba, Porto Rico, Hawaii and the Philippine Islands. We have replied to eighty letters of inquiry from anxious wives and mothers from Great Britain.

Fifteen thousand men have attended the services and entertainments in Reading Rooms and Church.

This Protestant Episcopal Church is the only Church situated on the North River, and we have tried to sustain the Church's work of redemption amid the seething mass of our dock town iniquities. The regular work of the Sunday-school, Sewing-school, Brotherhood of St. Andrew's, relief to the poor, have been kept up.

Special thanks are due to captains and officers for courtesy and kindness in allowing us access to their vessels, at all reasonable times, and for shipping destitute seamen at our request. The Chaplain is grateful to the friends of the Mission, who have sent us more than one hundred and fifty cases of reading matter, for special contributions for the poor, for seamen's entertainments and festivals. To Mrs. John Jewell Smith and the ladies of Zion and St. Timothy's Church for a complete set of altar linen, and to the officers of the society. "Let brotherly love continue."

Respectfully submitted,

WALTER A. A. GARDNER,

CHAPLAIN.

Advent, 1899.

## Annual Report of the Chaplain of the Coenties Slip Station.

There is a certain sameness about the work carried on by your Chaplain from year to year, which makes it difficult to throw any new light on the situation of the work of the out-door station. The work is very much this year what it has been in preceding years. With a nomadic people such as we minister to there must necessarily be ebb and flow in the tide of attendance at all our gatherings, both social and religious.

The work, however, is, and always has been, encouraging ; and I find in my ministrations to these people constant cause for rejoicing. The only religious influences brought to bear upon them are such as are extended through the work of our Society. They are in a sense non-parochial—mere sojourners, who must find their Church home wherever they happen to make their rendezvous for the time ; and as that is always in a part of the harbor where Churches are inconvenient, and scant in number, it makes us realize how important it is to give our hearty support to the spiritual agencies which are under our jurisdiction.

These people seem to have a sincere appreciation of the privileges extended to them for many of them journey on Sunday and week evenings from all parts of the harbor to attend the various functions of our work here ; and the distance some of them will travel at times to attend the worship of the Church would certainly put to shame many of our more fortunately situated brethren. They enter into the worship on Sundays with reverence and zeal, and manifest a spirit of intense enjoyment at the social gatherings on week nights. These meetings are the only centre of social life they have where they can all assemble together. They also manifest a great interest in the charitable work which they do among their brethren, which is carried on through the Dorcas Society.

Respectfully submitted,

ISAAC MAGUIRE,

CHAPLAIN.

Advent, 1899.



## Report of the Committee on The Sailors' Home.

TO THE BOARD OF MANAGERS :

The scarcity of seamen in this port during the last year and a half has been greater than for many years past. Vessels have been detained for weeks for want of crews ; the government transports during the earlier part of this period, and the yachts, more recently, have employed a very large number of the able bodied seamen who generally fill our homes and boarding houses.

Therefore, the usual number of seamen have not frequented the home ; yet we are happy to state that our friends have not deserted us, as we have had more than our share of the seamen who have been in port. We have received and shipped during the year 325 men, for whom, as they do not pay any crimp money, we have saved about \$1,700.

Your committee have completed a number of improvements in the appointments of the home by repairing the wood work, by adding new plumbing, ventilating apparatus and lights, all of which will very much add to the comfort and convenience of the inmates.

Respectfully submitted,

ALBERT GALLATIN THORP,

Advent, 1899.

CHAIRMAN.

# Treasurer's Statement from April 20, 1898 to December 13, 1899.

## Current Receipts and Expenses.

Receipts.	Expenses.
<b>DONATIONS :</b>	
Patrons.....	\$1,300 00
Life Members.....	400 00
Trinity Church, N. Y., Stipend	1,000 00
Other contributions.....	900 55
	<u>\$3,600 55</u>
Offerings in Churches.....	2,340 03
Annual Subscriptions.....	422 00
<b>INCOME :</b>	
Interest on Permanent Fund, Rhineland (U. S. Bonds). \$	200 00
Interest on Permanent Fund, J. R. M.....	50 00
Interest on Permanent Fund, N. E. Baylies.....	2 50
Interest on Astor Fund.....	2,426 42
Interest on Davenport Fund.	100 00
Interest on Contoit Fund....	437 55
	<u>3,216 47</u>
Insurance, Scrip and Dividends of Atlantic Mutual Ins. Co.....	226 50
Special Contributions for Poor, Festivals, Entertainments, etc.:	
North River Station.....	\$360 00
East River Station.....	775 48
Coenties Slip Station.....	95 00
	<u>1,230 48</u>
	<u>\$11,036 03</u>
Balance, Deficiency in ordinary receipts,	3,676 77
	<u>\$14,712 80</u>
<b>NORTH RIVER STATION:</b>	
Salaries.....	\$3,376 00
Expenses.....	476 48
Repairs.....	195 26
Entertainments, etc., paid for by special contributions....	360 00
	<u>\$4,407 74</u>
<b>EAST RIVER STATION :</b>	
Salaries.....	\$3,600 00
Expenses.....	634 16
Repairs and enlargement of Mission house.....	602 47
Insurance.....	100 00
Rent of Bulkhead, foot of Clinton St., Balance.....	168 51
Assessment, Department of Public Works.....	18 13
Entertainments, etc., paid for by special contributions...	775 48
	<u>5,898 75</u>
<b>COENTIES SLIP :</b>	
Salaries.....	\$2,220 00
Expenses.....	196 35
Rent of Mission Rooms.....	906 00
Rent of Chaplain's residence.	600 00
Entertainments, etc., paid for by special contributions....	95 00
	<u>4,017 35</u>

Balance on hand, Dec. 13, 1898 :  
 In Disposable Fund..... \$2,204 70  
 In Morrill Foundation and  
 Morgan Income Fund..... 1,587 66 \$3,792 36

MORRILL FOUNDATION AND  
 MORGAN INCOMES :  
 Interest on Morrill legacy... \$794 36  
 Interest on Morgan legacy.. 43 40 837 76

RECEIVED FROM COMMITTEE OF  
 TRUST FUNDS :  
 For improvements, etc, at  
 Sailors' Home..... 205 00  
 Received legacy under the will of  
 George Alfred Brown (deceased) \$500 00  
 Received legacy under the will of  
 Susan W. Proudftt (deceased) . 75 00  
 Received legacy under the will of  
 Wm. W. L. Voorhis (deceased). 135 00  
 Received on account of legacy,  
 under the will of Charles H.  
 Contoit (deceased)..... 70,000 00 70,710 00  
 E. & O. E. \$75,545 12

JOHN JEWELL SMITH, *Treasurer.*

Audited and found correct,  
 OSCAR E. MORTON, }  
 JOHN A. McKIM, } *Auditing Committee.*

SAILORS' HOME :  
 Expenses..... \$ 35 50  
 Insurance..... 7 00 42 50

GENERAL EXPENSES :  
 Printing and Stationery..... \$211 50  
 Advertising..... 57 20  
 Miscellaneous..... 77 76 346 46  
\$14,712 80

Deficiency in ordinary receipts.... \$3,676 77

MORRILL FOUNDATION AND  
 MORGAN FUND INCOMES :  
 Paid Chaplains for purposes  
 of the Funds..... 1,020 00

SAILORS' HOME :  
 Paid for improvements, etc... 229 97

COMMITTEE OF TRUST FUNDS :  
 Paid over the legacy of Geo.  
 Alfred Brown (deceased).. \$500 00  
 Paid over from the legacy of  
 Chas. H. Contoit (deceased) 67,000 00 67,500 00  
\$72,426 74

Balance on hand :  
 In Disposable Fund..... \$1,712 96  
 In Morrill Foundation and  
 Morgan Income Fund..... 1,405 42 3,118 38  
\$75,545 12

## Report of the Committee on Trust Funds, December 12th, 1899.

ASSETS.	
United States 4% bond, par value, - - - - -	\$ 5,000.00
Chesapeake & Ohio bonds, par value, \$10,000 cost, - - - - -	8,112.50
Bonds and Mortgages, - - - - -	110,500.00
Cash on deposit New York Life Ins. & Trust Co., - - - - -	24,946.66
	<u>\$148,559.16</u>
DAVENPORT FUND.	
Income to be applied to the purchase of books for distribution among seamen,	2,000.00
MORRILL FOUNDATION.	
In memoriam of the late CAPTAIN CHARLES MONTGOMERY MORRILL.	
Income to be exclusively applied to the relief of destitute mariners and those dependent on them who may have been left destitute by their death while following the sea, - - - - -	15,000.00
HOSIER MORGAN FUND.	
Income to be used in common with that of the Morrill Foundation Fund, -	1,735.27
WILLIAM WALDORF ASTOR TRUST FUND.	
Income to be applied first to the support of missionary at East River station, afterwards to the maintenance of any missionaries employed by the Society,	50,000.00
PERMANENT FUND.	
Income to be applied for the general uses of the Society.	
In memoriam, J. R. M., - - - - -	1,000.00
Mrs. N. E. Baylies, - - - - -	50.00
Rhineland Fund, - - - - -	5,000.00
George Alfred Brown, Legacy, - - - - -	501.69
(Prin. \$500; int. \$1 69)	<u>6,551.69</u>

THE SAILORS' HOME ACCOUNT.

Amount on hand last account,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6,288.36
Interest from Trust Company,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	135.70
Interest from mortgage,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	53.14
									6,477.20
Repairs, telephone, etc., 52 Market Street, paid Treasurer,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	205.00
									6,272.20

TEMPORARY DEPOSIT.

Held subject to order of Board to be used for general purposes, Conoit Legacy,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	67,000.00
									\$148,559.16

INCOME.

Sailors' Home,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	188.84
Davenport Fund, paid Treasurer,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	100.00
Morrill Fund, " "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	794.36
H. Morgan Fund, " "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	43.40
Astor Fund, " "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	2,426.42
Permanent Fund, " "	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	52.50
Trust Company's Interest not paid,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1.69
									3,607.21

Dated, New York, December 12th, 1899.

Securities examined and found to agree with above account.

OSCAR E. MORTON, }  
JOHN A. MCKIM, } Auditing Committee.

HENRY LEWIS MORRIS, }  
BENONI LOCKWOOD, } Trust Fund Committee.

## Patrons.

Are constituted such by the payment at one time of the sum of One Hundred Dollars.

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