



The Seamen's Church Institute Archives Digital Collection

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Extent: 63 bound volumes (8 minutes books, 7 photo scrapbooks, 15 journals, 177 Annual Reports, 332 issues of "The Lookout") and 187 files of photographs (approximately 2,500 images)

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Historical Note: The first meeting of the Young Men's Church Missionary Society, an auxiliary to the City Mission Society and a predecessor of the Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey, was held on March 6, 1834. Prominent members of the Society included Pierre E. F. McDonald, J. Rutsen Van Rensselaer, Hamilton Fish and Thomas P. Cummings. The Society was initially involved in sponsoring missionaries to Africa, rural New York State and the Tennessee frontier, but in March of 1842, the board, in a resolution led by Charles Tomes, resolved to appoint a task force towards the development of a maritime mission in the Port of New York. The newly formed

“Sailor’s Mission” set its focus on the welfare of seafarers of all kinds, who in mid-nineteenth century Manhattan were faced with the pitfalls such as liquor, prostitutes, high interest loans easily obtained from boarding house keepers, and crimps.

The Society hired the Rev. Benjamin C. C. Parker as its first seamen’s chaplain on July 3, 1843, a position he would hold until his death in 1859. Parker held his first services above a grog shop until February 1844, when construction on the Society’s Floating Church of Our Saviour was completed. The Floating Church was towed and consecrated at the foot of Pike Street where it remained in use until 1866. The Society, having officially changed its name to the Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in 1844, commissioned the construction of two more floating chapels: the Floating Church of the Holy Comforter, docked at the foot of Dey Street on the Hudson River (then called the North River) with the Rev. Daniel Van Mater Johnson serving as chaplain, and the second Floating Church of Our Saviour in 1870. During this time the Society continued to expand inland as well, establishing the Sailor’s Home, an outpost that provided affordable lodging, a Seamen’s Bank for Savings and a free library and reading room. Similar outposts were established along the North and East Rivers, in addition to the mission at Coenties Slip, which had been in operation since 1852. Services at Coenties Slip were conducted outdoors by the Rev. E. F. Remington, later replaced by the Rev. Robert J. Walker and the Rev. Isaac Maguire. The congregation there consisted of seamen in port, truckmen, longshoremen and the “canallers” who would dock at the slip for months at a time, living on board their vessels along with their families.

In 1896, the Society appointed the Rev. Archibald R. Mansfield chaplain of the second Floating Church of Our Saviour and the East River Station. Mansfield quickly took a leading role in lobbying for legal reform for seamen’s rights through the Society’s committee on legislation and the Joint Conference of Seamen’s Societies. The White Bill passed in the Senate and the House in late 1898, with President McKinley signing it into law on December 21, establishing a variety of rights for seamen from the abolishment of flogging and corporal punishment to the right to collect half of their pay immediately upon reaching port.

In 1906, the Society changed its name to the Seamen’s Church Institute of New York (SCI). Mansfield, having been appointed Superintendent of the Institute, consolidated all of its stations and operations under one headquarters at One State Street in 1910. Also in that year the first issue of “The Lookout”, SCI’s institutional publication, appeared in print. On April 15, 1912, the cornerstone of SCI’s new headquarters was laid at 25 South Street, property purchased by the building committee in 1906. 25 South Street officially opened on May 28, 1913, with twelve stories capable of housing 580 seamen in its dormitory style rooms. The headquarters also housed a shipping bureau, a restaurant, a postal service and a chapel, all for the benefit of the seamen in the Port of New York.

The new building at 25 South Street would also serve as the central location for SCI’s involvement in the war effort during World War I. British apprentices, some as young as

14 and who had stayed at the Institute, were forced to leave in August 1914 to find positions in the army overseas. In 1916, the Institute appointed Capt. Robert Huntington principal of the recently established Navigation and Marine Engineering School with classes conducted on the newly constructed "ship's bridge" on the roof of 25 South Street. Over the course of World War I, the school would train more than 15,000 men. On June 3, 1918, German submarines torpedoed nine ships in American coastal waters. Over the course of the coming days, SCI, having converted its auditorium into an improvised dormitory lined with cots, provided lodging to most of the surviving crews from the sunken vessels. In 1919 shortly after the War's end, House Mother Janet Roper and the Religious and Social Work Department established the Missing Seamen Bureau, which circulated a weekly bulletin that printed the names of seamen who had people searching for them through 25 South Street. Seamen from all over the world would respond to the bulletin and be put back in touch with family members or friends who were trying to communicate with them.

During the postwar years of the 1920s, the shipping industry fell into a sustained period of decline, leaving thousands of seamen stranded in New York port without any income. SCI responded by converting the 39th Street Ferry House into a temporary relief headquarters capable of sheltering 500 men a night. Despite this effort, approximately 27,000 out-of-work seamen were denied lodging in 1922 because SCI's facilities had reached capacity. The market crash of 1929 thinned economic opportunity for seamen even more severely. In 1931 it was reported that 8,000 to 12,000 merchant seamen visited the Institute daily, most of them seeking shelter, food and the services of the Institute's Employment Bureau. During this time the Institute came under scrutiny from several seamen's union groups as well as many individuals demanding free services at the Institute's headquarters. The tension erupted in 1932 when 25 unemployed members of the Marine Workers Industrial Union stormed the lobby at 25 South Street, inciting a melee in which several shots were fired, but with no injuries sustained.

In 1934, Mansfield died of a heart attack. It was reported that some 2,000 seamen attended his funeral service. In his absence, the Rev. Harold H. Kelley took over as superintendent, and it was he who would see the Institute through the years of the Second World War. SCI began lodging the crews of the first torpedoed ships of World War II in October 1939, just weeks after Britain and France had declared war on Germany. Kelley commandeered large rooms within 25 South Street for the establishment of the British Merchant Navy Club, the Belgian Seamen's Home and the Home for Netherland Seamen, all of which provided a temporary home for merchant seamen from overseas. The Merchant Marine School (formerly the Navigation and Marine Engineering School) trained approximately 25,000 men for service. The practice of sending comfort bags to seamen at war, a service begun by Augusta Morris de Peyster and the Seamen's Benefit Society at SCI in 1898 during the Spanish-American War, reached an all-time high by 1942; some 2,000 volunteers offered their services at SCI's knitting room with the aid of dozens of women's auxiliaries of churches from around the country.

The Rev. Dr. Raymond S. Hall took over as director of SCI in 1948 and began a push to redesign the nature of the Institute's presence in the Port of New York. In 1961, under the leadership of newly appointed director the Rev. John M. Mulligan, SCI's Port Newark Station opened to address the shift in the shipping industry away from downtown Manhattan and towards New Jersey. The Station, later rechristened the Seamen's Church Institute Mariners Center Newark, included a soccer field, snack bar, lounge and gymnasium. Also during this time, SCI's board began to research the task of relocating the Institute's headquarters, which by that time would have required an estimated \$3,000,000 in renovations to remain operational. In 1968, SCI officially relocated to a twenty-three story building at 15 State Street that offered 295 rooms for seamen.

The 1970s were highlighted by a major financial reorganization of the Institute headed by the Rev. Dr. James R. Whittemore, who took on the role of director in 1977. Whittemore saw the Institute through the shipping industry's tough economic years of the mid-1980s, which saw investors abandoning ships as a result of plunging freight rates. In 1978, the Institute formally changed its name to the Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey. Many other changes would follow over the next two decades. On May 29, 1980, SCI's first female chaplain, Victoria B. M. Sanborn, was ordained at Trinity Church. SCI opened the Center for Seafarers' Rights (CSR) in early 1982 to address the increasing number of cases involving worker's abuse and violation of worker's rights that were being communicated to chaplains by seafarers during ship visits and at the Institute itself. In 1985, SCI sold its headquarters at 15 State Street and moved into smaller, temporary offices at 50 Broadway. Five years later, construction was complete at 241 Water Street on the Institute's new headquarters adjacent to the South Street Seaport in downtown Manhattan. The new headquarters was home to the Institute's Christmas-At-Sea knitting program and its Maritime Education program, which included classroom instruction and simulator training exercises housed on the building's third floor. Simulators were subsequently built in Paducah, Kentucky and Houston, Texas that provide instruction in inland river navigation. The Rev. Jean R. Smith took over as SCI's first female Executive Director in 2002, a position she would hold until 2007 when the Rev. David M. Rider succeeded her. In 2011, SCI announced the sale of its headquarters at 241 Water Street and its planned relocation to the renovated 18,000 square foot International Seafarers' Center in Port Newark, New Jersey.

Scope and Content: The collection consists of the minutes, writings, publications and photographs of the Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey (SCI) from 1834-2010. The minutes document meetings held from 1834-1843 by the Institute's founding members, meetings of the Committee of the Floating Church of Our Saviour from 1843-1874, and minutes from the Board of Managers from 1854-1950, of which Franklin D. Roosevelt and J. Pierpont Morgan were members. Of particular note are discussions detailing the initial formation of a mission for seamen in the port of New York, construction of SCI's headquarters at 25 South Street beginning in 1911, SCI's response to the Great Depression, the development of the Merchant Marine School and Women's Council, and SCI's involvement in the American war effort during both World Wars.

Also included are the Chaplain's journals and Visitors' Books from SCI's early missionary outposts at Coenties Slip, 34 Pike Street and the Floating Church of Our Saviour from 1843-1897. These materials detail the daily missionary activity of SCI's early Reverends: Rev. Benjamin C. C. Parker, Rev. E. F. Remington, Rev. Robert J. Walker, Rev. Isaac Maguire and Rev. Archibald R. Mansfield. Of particular note are entries detailing the 1844 construction of SCI's first floating chapel, the Floating Church of Our Saviour, on the waterfront at Pike Street, the weekly open-air services held for seafarers at Coenties Slip, and the efforts of SCI's Reverends to draw seamen away from the grog shops and toward Christian services and reading rooms.

Publications include Annual Reports from 1845 to 2010 and issues of "The Lookout", SCI's institutional publication, from May 1910 to December 1937. SCI's Annual Reports include annual statements from its Directors, Board of Managers, Reverends, Missionaries and various Committees and Committee heads. "The Lookout" issues contain articles on a wide range of topics related to SCI and the maritime world in general.

Photographs include images related to the history of SCI, downtown New York City and New York Harbor that date as far back as the late 19th century. Of particular note are exterior and interior shots of SCI's headquarters at 25 South Street (1913-1967) and of the navigational exercises held on its roof as part of the Merchant Marine School. Also of note are shots of SCI's three floating chapels which operated as docked vessels on the downtown New York City waterfront. Shots of SCI's missionary outposts, Port Newark, the Women's Council, arts and artifacts, Board members, employees, ships, seafarers, and New York City scenes are also included.

Arrangement note: Organized into six series: (1) Annual Reports, (2) Minutes, (3) Photo Scrapbooks, (4) Photographs, (5) Reverend's Journals, (6) The Lookout

Description of Series

Series I : Annual Reports, 1845-2010

Creator(s): Board of Managers of the Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York; Board of Managers of the Seamen's Church Institute of New York; Seamen's Church Institute of New York; Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey.

Extent: 17 bound volumes (177 issues)

Scope and Content: Contains one-hundred seventy-seven issues of the Annual Report for Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York (1845-1905), Seamen's Church Institute of New York (1905-1977), and Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey (1978-2010).

Arrangement note: Arranged in chronological order.

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Inventory:

Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York – Annual Report 1-10 1845-1854

Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York – Annual Report 11-20 1855-1864

Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York – Annual Report 21-30 1865-1874

Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York – Annual Report 31-47 1875-1891

Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York – Annual Report 48-59 1892-1903

Seamen's Church Institute of New York – Annual Report 60-70 1904-1914

Seamen's Church Institute of New York – Annual Report 71-81 1915-1925

Seamen's Church Institute of New York – Annual Report 82-101 1926-1935

Seamen's Church Institute of New York – Annual Report 102-112 1936-1945

Seamen's Church Institute of New York – Annual Report 113-121 1946-1955

Seamen's Church Institute of New York – Annual Report 122-130 1956-1963

Seamen's Church Institute of New York – Annual Report 131-140 1964-1973

Seamen's Church Institute of New York – Annual Report 141-144 1974-1977

Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey – Annual Report 145-154
1978-1987

Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey – Annual Report 155-164
1988-1997

Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey – Annual Report 165-174
1998-2007

Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey – Annual Report 175-177
2008-2010

Series 2 : Minutes, 1834-1950

Creator(s): Board of Managers of the Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York; Board of Managers of the Seamen's Church Institute of New York; Young Men's Education and Missionary Society

Extent: 9 bound volumes

Scope and Content: Includes minutes documenting meetings held from 1834-1843 by the Institute's founding members, meetings of the Committee of the Floating Church of Our Saviour from 1843-1874, and minutes from the Board of Managers from 1854-1950, of which Franklin D. Roosevelt and J. Pierpont Morgan were members. Of particular note are discussions detailing the construction of SCI's headquarters at 25 South Street beginning in 1911, SCI's response to the Great Depression, the development of the Merchant Marine School and Women's Council, and SCI's involvement in the American war effort during both World Wars.

Arrangement note: Arranged in chronological order.

Inventory:

Constitution & By-Laws Minutes 1834-1843

Superintending Committee of the Floating Church of Our Saviour Minutes 1843-1874

Board of Managers Minutes 1854-1867

Board of Managers Minutes 1867-1880

Board of Managers Minutes 1880-1893

Board of Managers Minutes 1893-1902

Board of Managers Minutes 1903-1930

Board of Managers Minutes 1931-1940

Board of Managers Minutes 1941-1950

Series 3 : Photo Scrapbooks, 1918-1930**Creator(s):** Edith Baxter**Extent:** 8 photo scrapbooks**Scope and Content:** Includes eight scrapbooks containing photographs of seafarers, ships and port scenes from around the world. The scrapbooks were most likely compiled by Mrs. Edith Baxter, Supervisor of the Apprentice Room at 25 South Street, SCI's headquarters from 1913-1967.**Arrangement note:** Arranged in chronological order.**Inventory:**

Photo Scrapbook 1918-1924

Photo Scrapbook 1921-1922

Photo Scrapbook 1923

Photo Scrapbook 1924-1925

Photo Scrapbook 1924-1928

Photo Scrapbook 1925-1926

Photo Scrapbook 1927-1929

Photo Scrapbook 1930 October 2

Series 4 : Photographs

Creator(s): Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York (1845-1905); Seamen's Church Institute of New York (1905-1977); Seamen's Church Institute of New York and New Jersey (1978-2010).

Extent: 187 subject files

Scope and Content: Includes black and white and color photographs of people, places and scenes documenting the history of SCI and development of downtown New York City, including the interiors and exteriors of SCI's headquarters at 25 South Street, 15 State Street, and 241 Water Street; SCI's missionary outposts in downtown New York; SCI's chapels; Port Newark; the Merchant Marine School; the Women's Council; art and artifacts; Board members; employees; ships; seafarers; and New York City scenes.

Arrangement note: Arranged alphabetically by subject file.

Inventory:

15 State Street Construction

15 State Street Cornerstone

15 State Street Exterior

241 Water Street

25 South Street

25 South Street – Doors

25 South Street – Exterior (1 of 2)

25 South Street – Interior (2 of 2)

39th Street Ferry House – Men's Shelter

Alcoholics Assistance Bureau – 25 South Street

American Legion

ANGYRA – International Society for the Aid of Greek Seamen

Annex – 25 South Street

Annex Cornerstone Service – 25 South Street

Apprentice Room – 25 South Street

Atlantic Bell

Auditorium – 25 South Street

Baggage Room – 25 South Street

Barber Shop – 25 South Street

Basement – 15 State Street

Battery Station – 1 State Street

Bauer, Rev. Richard J.

Baylies, Edmund L.

Benefits

Bennett, Marie Louise

Board Members

Board Room – 25 South Street

Boats

Book of Remembrance

Breakwater (Brooklyn, N.Y.)

Brooklyn Station

Cafeteria – 15 State Street

Cafeteria – 25 South Street

Canals and Bridges

Cemeteries

Centennial Celebration

Chapel Events

Chapel of Our Saviour – 25 South Street (1 of 3)

Chapel of Our Saviour – 25 South Street (2 of 3)

Chapel of Our Saviour – 25 South Street (3 of 3)

Chapel of Our Saviour – 15 State Street

Churches

Coenties Slip

Conferencing, Department of

Credit Bureau

Cross – 25 South Street

Daley, Rev. Francis

Damaged Boats

Danish Seamen's Club – 25 South Street

Devens, David W.

Dining Rooms – 25 South Street

Dutch Seamen's Club – 25 South Street

East River Station

Employees

Employment Bureau – 25 South Street

Engine Room – 25 South Street

Exhibits

Fir Grove (Ship)

Floating Chapels

Franklin D. Roosevelt Institute of Maritime and General Studies – 15 State Street

Front Street

Game Room – 25 South Street

Gargoyles – 25 South Street

Gifts

Great Depression

Gymnasium – 15 State Street

Hall, Rev. Raymond S.

Hotel Desk – 15 State Street

Hotel Desk – 25 South Street

Hotel Rooms – 15 State Street

Hotel Rooms and Dormitory – 25 South Street

Huntley, Rev. Joseph D.

Hyland, Rev. Thomas A.

International Club – 15 State Street (1 of 2)

International Club – 15 State Street (2 of 2)

International Seamen's Club – 25 South Street

International Sportsweek for Seamen

J. Hooker Hamersley (Boat)

James Slip Gospel Mission

Janet Roper Club

Jeanette Park

Johnson, J. Augustus

Joseph Conrad Library

July 4th in Old New York

Kelley, Rev. Harold H.

Kitchen – 15 State Street

Kitchen – 25 South Street

Laundry – 25 South Street

Lawrence, Rev. Dr.

Lobby – 15 State Street

Lobby – 25 South Street

Lobby – Information Booth – 25 South Street

Lobby – Mural – 25 South Street

Magazine Room – 15 State Street

Mansfield, Rev. Archibald R.

Mansfield, Richard H.

Marine Museum – 25 South Street

Mariner 15 Bar & Lounge – 15 State Street

Masfield, John

Medical Clinic – 25 South Street

Memorial Day

Memorial Tablets

Merchant Marine School (1 of 4)

Merchant Marine School (2 of 4)

Merchant Marine School (3 of 4)

Merchant Marine School (4 of 4)

Michalis, Clarence G.

Missing Seamen Bureau

Modernization Fund, 1944

Mulligan, Rev. John M.

National Council of Seamen's Agencies – Meetings

New York (N.Y.), Aerial photographs

New York (N.Y.), Cityscapes

New York Port Society

North River Station

Officers Room – 25 South Street

Operation Sail

Parker, Rev. Benjamin C. C.

Pell, John H. G.

Port Newark Station (1 of 3)

Port Newark Station (2 of 3)

Port Newark Station (3 of 3)

Port of Friendship Day

Post Office

Printing Shop – 25 South Street

Propeller Club

Pyne, Rev. Smythe

Radio Station – KDKF

Reading Room – 25 South Street

Refugee Children

Restaurant – 15 State Street

Roof – 25 South Street

Roosevelt, Franklin D.

Roper, Janet L.

Rudder Club

SS Janet Lord Roper (Ship)

Sailors' Home – 52 Market Street

Sailors' Snug Harbor

Savings Department – 25 South Street

Seafarers Center – New York Passenger Ship Terminal

Seal

Seamen

Seamen's Club of Mobile

Seamen's Lounge – 25 South Street

Sentinel

Ship Christening

Ship Models

Ship Visitors

Shipcraft Guild

Sir Galahad Figurehead

Sir Galahad Memorial

Sloppe Chest

Society for Seamen's Children

Soda Fountain – 25 South Street

Special Events – Flower Show

Special Events – Luncheons

Special Events – National Maritime Day

Special Events – Soccer

Special Events (1 of 2)

Special Events (2 of 2)

Special Services, Department of

Swedish Seamen's Club – 25 South Street

Tailor – 25 South Street

Tattoos

Taylor, Edward Thompson

Tent Services

Time Balls

Titanic Memorial Lighthouse

Trucks

United States Coast Guard

United States Public Health Service Hospital

Visitors

Wagner, Edmund F.

Walker, Rev. Robert J.

Water Street Galleries – 241 Water Street

Ways and Means, Department of

Whitehouse, Rev. Henry J.

Whittaker, Thomas P.

William D. Tracy Dental Clinic – 25 South Street

Wilson, Orme

Woldemar Neufeld Exhibit

Women's Council (1 of 4)

Women's Council (2 of 4)

Women's Council (3 of 4)

Women's Council (4 of 4)

Writing Room – 25 South Street

Series 5 : Reverend's Journals, 1843-1897

Creator(s): Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York; Rev. E. F. Remington; Rev. Robert J. Walker; Rev. Isaac Maguire; Rev. Benjamin C. C. Parker; Rev. Archibald R. Mansfield.

Extent: 15 bound volumes

Scope and Content: Includes fifteen MSS. of journals written by Reverends of the Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York, documenting the missionary work done on the New York City waterfront during the years 1843-1897. Includes seven bound volumes from 1843-1853 written by Benjamin C. C. Parker, Reverend at the Floating Church of Our Saviour on the waterfront at Pike Street; seven bound volumes of Visitors' Books from SCI's outpost at Coenties Slip, including entries from the Board of Managers of the Protestant Episcopal Church Missionary Society for Seamen in the City and Port of New York, Rev. E.F. Remington, Rev. Robert J. Walker and Rev. Isaac Maguire; and one bound volume documenting the year 1897 in review for the missionary outpost at the East River Station written by Rev. Archibald R. Mansfield.

Arrangement note: Arranged in chronological order according to creator.

Inventory:

Coenties Slip 1858-1882

Coenties Slip – Visitors' Book 1858-1859

Coenties Slip – Visitors' Book 1860-1861

Coenties Slip – Visitors' Book 1861-1864

Coenties Slip – Visitors' Book 1864-1866

Coenties Slip – Visitors' Book 1871-1875

Coenties Slip – Visitors' Book 1875-1878

Coenties Slip – Visitors' Book 1878-1882

Rev. Archibald R. Mansfield 1897 April 6

Rev. Archibald R. Mansfield – Report of the East River Station 1897 April 6

Rev. Benjamin C. C. Parker 1843 July 17-1853 November 20

Rev. Benjamin C. C. Parker – Journal of the Floating Church of Our Saviour – I
1843 July 17 – 1844 June 30

Rev. Benjamin C. C. Parker – Journal of the Floating Church of Our Saviour – II
1844 July 7 – 1845 November 9

Rev. Benjamin C. C. Parker – Journal of the Floating Church of Our Saviour – III
1845 November 16 – 1846 November 23

Rev. Benjamin C. C. Parker – Journal of the Floating Church of Our Saviour – IV
1846 November 23 – 1848 June 16

Rev. Benjamin C. C. Parker – Journal of the Floating Church of Our Saviour – V
1848 June 16 – 1850 August 12

Rev. Benjamin C. C. Parker – Journal of the Floating Church of Our Saviour – VI
1850 August 18 – 1853 November 20

Series 6 : The Lookout, 1910-1937

Creator(s): Seamen's Church Institute of New York

Extent: 14 bound volumes (332 issues)

Scope and Content: Contains three-hundred and thirty-two issues of "The Lookout", the Seamen's Church Institute's institutional publication, from its first issue of May 1910 to December of 1937.

Arrangement note: Arranged in chronological order.

Inventory:

The Lookout 1910 May – 1911 December

The Lookout 1912-1913

The Lookout 1914-1915

The Lookout 1916-1917

The Lookout 1918-1919

The Lookout 1920-1921

The Lookout 1922-1923

The Lookout 1924-1925

The Lookout 1926-1927

The Lookout 1928-1929

The Lookout 1930-1931

The Lookout 1932-1933

The Lookout 1934-1935

The Lookout 1936-1937