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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

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MINISTER

1/1-3	Rev. Frank Burnett: recognition service	1903
2(a)	Rev. J.R. Ackroyd: notes on his life and work (Harrow Observer and Gazette)	1944
2(b)	Rev. E. White: induction service	1944
3	Rev. J. Howard Handley M.Sc: induction service	1966
4/1-5	Rev. A.C. Clifford, B.A.: ordination and induction service; articles concerning his beliefs (Chronicle and Echo) correspondence about induction	1969-1970

For details of ministers 1903-1926 see 30

REGISTERS

5	Church book Includes: roll of members 1903-1959; register of marriages 1908-1910; register of baptisms 1908-1950; register of burials 1908-1946 (5 entries)	1903-1959
6	Register of marriages	1904-1915
7	Register of marriages	1915-1924
8	Register of marriages	1924-1935
9	Register of marriages	1936-1946
10	Register of marriages	1946-1958
11	Marriage certificate counterfoils 1908-1912, 1914, 1924-1925, 1947, 1947-1949, 1962-1965, 1965-1967	1908-1967
12	Bundle containing: receipts for marriage registers 1915, 1924; forms of appointment for authorized persons 1912-1924; miscellaneous correspondence relating to the Marriage Act 1908-1920	1908-1924

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REGISTERS
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13	Roll of members	1903-1929
14	Roll of members	1903-1947
15(a)	Index of members names and addresses Includes: list of members n.d.; list of members 1974; transfer of membership 1965	n.d. c.20th.cent.
15(b)	Forms of commendation counterfoils	1928-1964

REGULAR SERVICES

16	Communion register	1965
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SPECIAL SERVICES

17/1-3	Order of service: foundation stone laying	1901
18	Dedication service memorial to the Great War	1921
19/1-2	Diamond Jubilee celebration week services	1963
20	Diamond Jubilee celebrations of the Girls Brigade	1969
21	Order of service: Easter service	1970

DEACONS AND OTHER CHURCH OFFICERS

22	Deacons minute book 1903-1914 At back: committee minutes 1901-1903	1901-1914
23	Deacons minute book	1914-1924
24	Deacons minute book	1924-1932
25	Deacons minute book	1932-1950
26	Deacons minute book At front: list of church members 1950	1950-1962
27	Deacons minute book	1962-1964
28	Folder of deacons minutes	1964-1972

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DEACONS AND OTHER CHURCH OFFICERS

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| 29 | British Weekly article about long service of church officers | 1964 |
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CHURCH AFFAIRS

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| 30 | Church meetings minute book
Includes: article about opening services 1903; Rev. Frank Burnett: article about recognition service 1903 and articles about his resignation 1907; Rev. Jabez R. Ackroyd: recognition service 1908; order of service for funeral of Mr. S. Facer 1913; Rev. W.R. Harvey: articles about his work and resignation 1915; Rev. S.J. Hooper: article about welcoming services 1916; article about opening of new lecture hall 1922; Rev. R.H. Samuel: article about his appointment 1925 and recognition service 1926 | 1903-1926 |
| 31 | Church meetings minute book | 1926-1938 |
| 32 | Church meetings minute book | 1938-1952 |
| 33 | Church meetings minute book | 1952-1964 |
| 34(a) | Folder of church meetings minutes | 1964-1972 |
| 34(b) | Folder of church meetings minutes and Steering Committee minutes | 1970-1973 |
| 35 | Bundle of miscellaneous correspondence | 1944-1952 |
| 36 | Finance Committee minute book | 1914-1916 |
| 37 | Collection account counterfoils | 1949-1951 |
| 38 | Collection account counterfoils | 1953-1955 |
| 39 | Collection account counterfoils | 1955-1956 |
| 40 | Collection account counterfoils | 1958-1960 |
| 41 | Collection account counterfoils | 1964-1966 |
| 42 | Collection account counterfoils | 1966-1968 |
| 43 | Collection account counterfoils | 1968-1970 |
| 44 | Collection account counterfoils | 1972-1973 |

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45	Collection account counterfoils	1973-1975
46	Bundle containing: balance sheet 1903; receipts 1903-1911	1903-1911
47	Bundle of receipts for loans and agreement for signing cheques	1904-1927
48	Envelope containing: bazaar balance sheet	1966
49	Bundle of secretary's correspondence	1964-1971
50	Bundle of secretary's correspondence	1972
51	Bundle of secretary's correspondence	1973
52	Bundle of secretary's correspondence	1974-1975
53	Bundle of secretary's correspondence	1975
54	Bundle of correspondence with Northamptonshire and North Bedfordshire Association of Congre- gational Churches	1952-1971
55	Bundle of circulars and details about United Reformed Church	1966
56	Bundle of correspondence with the Congre- gational Union of England and Wales	1966-1971
57	Bundle of correspondence with Northampton and District Council of Churches	1970
58/1-4	Church engagements diaries	1971-1974
59/1-2	The Story of Primrose Hill Church 1865-1945	1946

PARTICULAR BUILDINGS AND PROPERTIES

Church

60	Certificate of worship	1903
61	Certificate of solemnization of marriages and covering letter	1904
62	Specification of work and bill of quantities for the chapel 1901; balance sheets of building fund n.d.; financial statement 1903	1901-1903

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63(a)	Building receipts	1902-1904
63(b)	Envelope containing: estimate of work 1911; proposed heating alterations 1907	1907-1911
64	Bundle of correspondence with the Congregational Insurance Co. 1968; insurance policy 1908; and cover history 1925-1963	1908-1968
65	Agreement with council about erecting of ambulance shed	1923
66	Agreement with Electric Co.	1929
67	Agreement with Mid Northamptonshire Water Board	1965
68	Agreement 1. Abraham John Chown 2. Edward Scholfield Trenery Premises: land in Kingsthorpe Hollow Consideration: £10 p.a.	1912
69	Folder containing: organ specification, design and plan; receipts; estimates; correspondence; balance; balance sheets of organ fund	1912-1915
70	Correspondence about organist 1919; report of Organ Fund Sub-committee n.d. 1916	1916-1919
71	Correspondence about boiler house and approval of plans 1922; plan of heating arrangements n.d.	1922

Manse

72	Correspondence about purchase of manse, 103 Queens Park Parade; receipt for deeds 1950	1945-1950
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School buildings

73	Bundle of receipts	1903-1910
74	Letter about lease of schoolroom	1907
75	Agreement with Borough Police Force	1926
76	Envelope containing: article about opening of club 1906; agreement between deacons and	1906-1926

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School buildings (cont.)

- 76 (cont.) Compton Institute for use of rooms 1926; insurance policy 1926; balance sheet for Compton Institute 1926
- 77 Agreement with Northampton Co-operative Educational Department for use of schoolroom 1939

Lecture Hall

- 78 Bundle containing: receipts 1905-1911; approval of plans for lecture hall 1922; details of opening ceremony 1922; details of valuation 1933; Borough council extension under 1936 Public Health Act 1964; notice of opening of hall 1905-1964

CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS AND CHARITIES

Charities

- 79 Correspondence about legacy of Mr. F.A. Facer 1966

Sunday School

- 80 Teachers meetings minute book 1876-1895
- 81 Account sheet for rent paid 1866; with explanatory correspondence 1910 1866-1910
- 82 Notice of lecture 1945
- 83/1-2 Centenary Anniversary programme and notice advertising bazaar 1965
- 84 Notes on the history of the school 1965
- 85 Article about Bible Quiz 1970

Ladies Tea Committee

- 86 Minutes 1906

Primrose Hill Loan and Dividend Society

- 87 Minute book 1936-1963

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Primrose Hill Cricket Club

88 Fixture card 1949

Forward Movement

89 Envelope containing miscellaneous correspondence and circulars 1952

Choir

90 Secretary's report c.1960

The Sisterhood

91 Annual report 1972

Girls Brigade

92 Annual report 1972-1973

CHURCH AND WIDER ORGANIZATIONS

Local Associations

93 Envelope containing rules and regulations of Bethany Homestead 1922

MISCELLANEOUS

94/1-2 Notices of foundation stone laying 1901

95/1-4 Notices of bazaars 1951, 1967, 1968, 1970 1951-1970

96 Notice of organ recital 1966

97 Envelope containing miscellaneous correspondence 1945-1963

98 Envelope containing: report about Danesholme ecumenical experiment 1968; leaflet about Congregationalism in Corby 1968

99 Rev. P.V. Wickenden: induction services Union Church, Putney 1943

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MISCELLANEOUS

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100 Envelope containing: National Services leaflets c.1940-1949
c.1940's; leaflet about gambling 1949

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