

CIL LUNCHFIELD CHURCH

Augusta-Macon

Presbytery

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HISTORY OF THE CLINCHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Fall 1926. Rev. J. W. Smith, Supt. of Home Missions of Macon Presbytery secured permission from the superintendent of the Clinchfield Portland Cement C., Inc., to begin religious work at Clinchfield, Ga. A cottage was given and prepared so that the work might be carried on. A Sunday School was organized and a revival held by Rev. J. W. Smith.

January 1927. Elizabeth Smith, a Synodical Sunday School Extension worker, was sent to carry on the work.

March 1931. Rev. Ralph Gillam, D.D., Synodical Evangelist, came to build a church.

May 10, 1931. The Clinchfield Presbyterian Church was dedicated. The ministers present were:

Rev. C. F. Allen, Macon, Ga.
Rev. W. R. Mackay, Macon, Ga.
Rev. Grimshaw, Fort Valley, Ga.
Rev. J. W. Smith, Fort Valley, Ga.
Rev. Ralph Gillam, D.D., Atlanta, Ga.

May 18, 1931. Rev. J. W. Smith conducted a revival service for five days. On the evening of May 22, 1931 the church was organized. Rev. J. B. Fricklen, D.D., Decatur, Ga., Executive Sec. of Synod's Work, and Rev. C. J. Allen of Macon, Ga. were present. Rev. Fricklen preached the sermon. There were ten charter members received into the church.

The Synodical Workers in this field have been as follows:

January 1927-February 1928 - Elizabeth Smith, McDonough, Ga.
February 1928-November 1928 - Lena Jackson, Atlanta, Ga.
January 1929-November 1933 - Elizabeth Smith

May 1932. Rev. E. P. Moyer, a graduate of Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky., came to take over the pastoral work of the church in connection with several other churches. Miss Elizabeth L. Smith continued to serve as Synodical Worker until November 1, 1933, at which time she was transferred after several years of faithful pioneer work in establishing the religious life of the community. After her departure, in order to organize the work better, a plan of work was agreed upon by the Cement Company officials, the pastor, the people, and the Home Mission Committee of Macon Presbytery whereby the church would become a community church. The plan proved workable and with the assistance of Sunday School teachers from Perry the work continued to go forward.

Rev. Moyer resigned from the work September 8, 1935 in order to take graduate work in Theology at Union Theological Seminary, New York City. He returned at the call of the church and began work again on May 22, 1936. Rev. Moyer served until December 1, 1937 at which time he resigned to accept the pastorate of the Watts Mill and Todd Memorial Churches in Laurens, S. C.

Rev. W. C. Sistar, pastor of the Fort Valley Presbyterian Church served until May 1939. At that time, Rev. Robert F. Boyd, a graduate of Columbia Seminary, Decatur, Ga., became pastor.

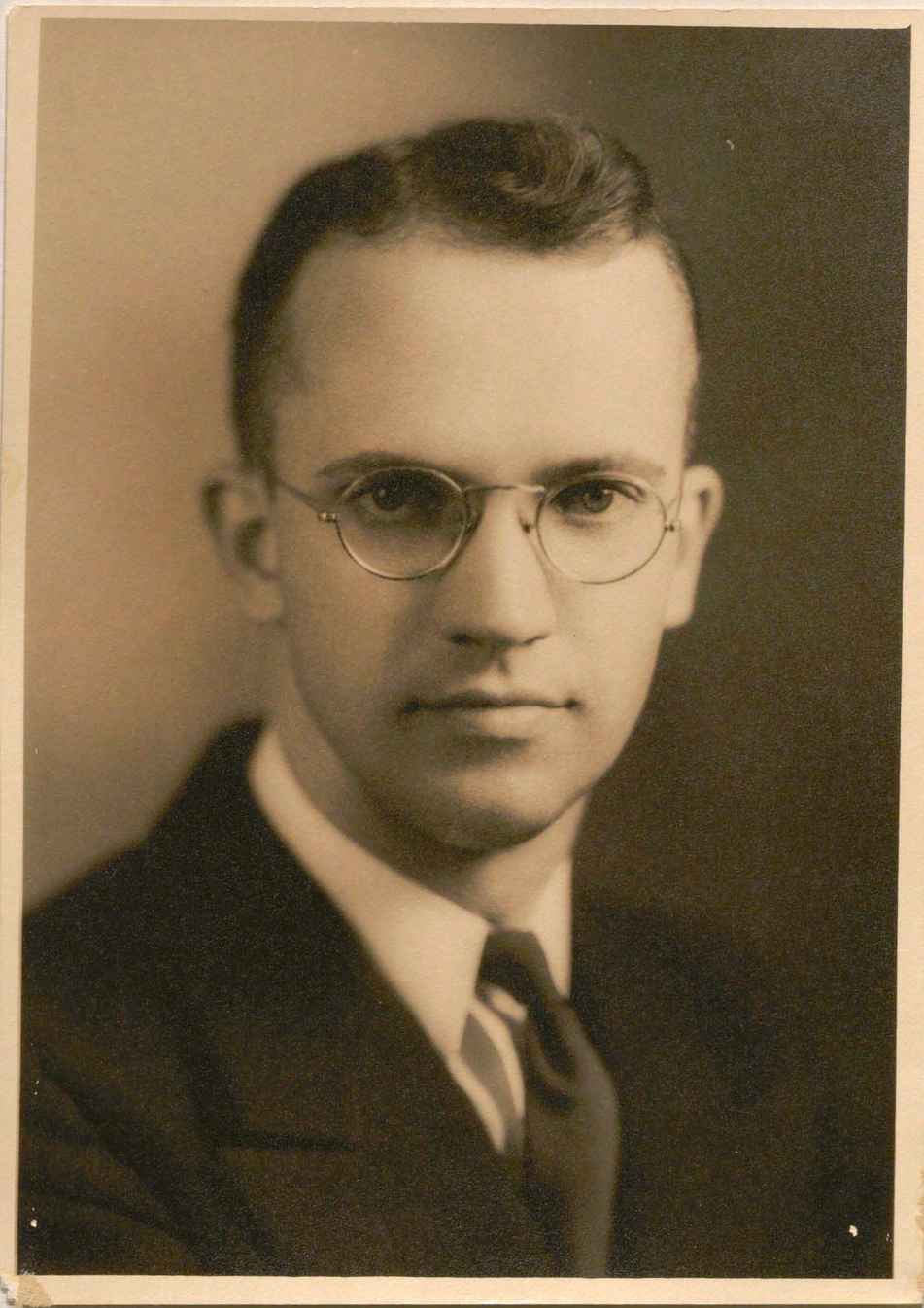


Mrs. Elizabeth Smith Riley

Miss Elizabeth Smith was the Sunday School Extension Worker for the Synod of Central Georgia in the Macon Presbytery. She served one year 1927 - 1928; Miss Smith was replaced by Miss Lena Jackson (Mrs. Joseph B. Rudolph) for one year. Miss Smith returned in 1930. This was the beginning of the Clinchfield Presbyterian Church.

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Rev. E. P. Moye

In May 1932 Rev. E. P. Moye, a graduate of Louisville, Kentucky Presbyterian Theological Seminary, served as the first regular pastor at Clinchfield. Rev. Moye resigned September 1935 to take post graduate work at Union Theological Seminary, New York, N. Y. In May 1936 Rev. Moye returned as pastor until December 1, 1937.

HISTORY of the WOMEN'S AUXILIARY
CLINCHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
CLINCHFIELD, GEORGIA

Macon Presbytery,
Synod of Georgia.

Rev. Frank H. Noll, Pastor.

The Women's Auxiliary of the Clinchfield Presbyterian Church of Clinchfield, Georgia, was organized May 25, 1948. Mrs. Roland Hitchcock, President of The Women's Auxiliary, Macon Presbytery, came to Clinchfield and helped us organize. She was assisted by Mrs. Davis, Secretary of Literature, Wayside, Georgia, and Mrs. E. B. Ellison, District Chairman, Wayside, Georgia. The following officers were elected:

President-Mrs. Harry Thompson, Perry, Ga.
Vice-Pres.-Mrs. C. E. Davis, Jr., Clinchfield, Ga.
Secretary-Mrs. James Gregory, Clinchfield, Ga.
Treasurer-Mrs. Cecil Armstrong, Clinchfield, Ga.
Historian-Mrs. C. E. Davis, Jr., Clinchfield, Ga.

Chairman of Missions-Mrs. Cecil McCraven, Clinchfield, Ga.
Chairman of Spiritual Life-Mrs. James Taylor, Clinchfield, Ga.
Chairman of Religious
Education-Mrs. Worth Bryant, Perry, Ga.
Chairman of Christian
Relations-Mrs. Glea Gray, Perry, Ga.
Pastor's Aid-Mrs. Cecil Armstrong, Clinchfield, Ga.

Two meetings are held each month, one on the first Monday night of the month, which is our business meeting, and the second on the second Monday night of the month, at which time we study our Bible Literature.

The President, Mrs. Harry Thompson, attended the Auxiliary Training School at Wesleyan College, Macon, Ga., June 29, 1948. The information obtained by Mrs. Thompson at this School was of great help to us. At our next meeting, July 5, 1948, she gave a complete report on the work of the School, at which she specialized in "Program Building" and "How to Study the Bible". Mrs. Thompson gave an outline on "How to Study the Bible", which has been a wonderful help to each member.

On July 20, 1948, The Women's Auxiliary entertained the members of the Macon Presbytery, which held its summer meeting at the Clinchfield Presbyterian Church, with a fried chicken luncheon.

Our Organization instituted cottage prayermeetings on July 23, 1948. It is the duty of each member to lead the prayermeeting when it is held at her home. We have received many blessings from these meetings, and we feel that we can truthfully say that we are a prayerful group.

The month of August was a very busy one for us. Rev. David Martin conducted a week's revival service, and Rev. Martin and the revival were of great help to our Church and the community. The week following the revival services we held a very successful Daily Vacation Bible School.

In the month of September we contributed to the White Cross. Also in this month we were notified that the name of the organization had been changed from "The Women's Auxiliary" to "The Women of the Church".

"The Women of the Church" contributed to Thornwell Orphanage along with our Church and Sunday School in November. Our Special Home Mission Program, "On Our Own Door Step", was also given in November by Mrs. Jeff Smith, and was read by each member individually. Mrs. Roland Hitchcock was our honor guest. A special offering of \$15.00 was contributed by the eleven members present.

Those attending the District Conference in Perry Nov. 14, 1948 were Mrs. Harry Thompson, Mrs. Cecil McCraven, Mrs. R. F. Brantley and Mrs. Harold Huff. Mrs. Thompson reported on Stewardship.

We were very busy in December preparing baskets, trays and other things for the needy families in our community. We also took part in the Christmas Program and the Love Supper, in both of which our Church joined with the neighboring Churches.

At the January business meeting we re-elected some officers. It was felt that this would be best, since we had only been organized for a few months. Due to illness Mrs. Glea Gray was unable to continue the duties of Chairman of Christian Relations, and Miss Betty Smith was elected to serve in her place.

Our Foreign Mission Program was held in January and February, the subject being "High Lights on Mission Works" in the Far East (China, Japan and Korea), and also conditions in Africa. Our special offering at this time was \$14.00. We met with The Women of the Church of Perry, Georgia, for the same program.

Mrs. James Taylor, Chairman of Spiritual Life, gave us part of the Book of Exodus, a work which we hope to complete.

The most interesting and outstanding work of the year were our gifts, donations and social service work. The last included gifts, trays, sending cards, and other little attentions to shut-in of our Church and the community.

At present our membership consists of fifteen enrolled,
eleven active. We hope to increase our membership during the
ensuing year.

Respectfully submitted,

Blanche Davis
Mrs. C. E. Davis, Jr.
Mrs. C. E. Davis, Jr., Historian.

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HISTORY of the WOMEN OF THE CHURCH

CLINCHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

CLINCHFIELD, GEORGIA

1949-50

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

Rev. Frank H. Noll, Pastor

The following officers have been elected to serve for 1949-1950:

President - Mrs Harry Thompson, Perry, Georgia
Vice-President - Mrs C. E. Davis, Jr. Clinchfield, Georgia
Secretary - Mrs James Gregory, Clinchfield, Georgia
Treasurer - Mrs Cecil Armstrong, Clinchfield, Georgia

Chairman of Missions - Mrs Cecil McCraven, Clinchfield, Georgia
Chairman of Spiritual Life - Mrs James Taylor, Clinchfield, Ga.
Chairman of Religious
Education - Mrs Worth Bryant, Clinchfield, Georgia
Chairman of Christian
Relations - Miss Betty Smith, Clinchfield, Georgia
Pastor's Aid - Mrs Willie Bryant, Clinchfield, Georgia

Two meetings are held each month, one on the first Monday of the month, which is our business meeting, and the second meeting on the second Monday of the month, at which time we study our Bible Literature.

Our weekly prayer meetings are held regularly on Thursday night with most of the members present. We continue to receive many blessings from these meetings and a deep desire to "Witness for Christ".

In May of 1949 Mrs Thompson resigned as president because she had accepted a job and could not attend the meetings. The Vice-president took over the work with the help of Mrs Thompson. During this month we observed the Special Birthday offering.

During June 1949 we held a very successful Daily Vacation Bible School. Our registration fee was sent to Mrs Hitchcock for the training school, and Miss Betty Smith was selected to attend but at the last minute she was unable to go.

At our October 1949 meeting the Chairman of the Missions, Mrs McCraven gave a very interesting program on Home Missions, all members taking part and offering taken up. All during the year we were busy fixing trays, baskets and clothes for the needy of our community as well as the sick, especially at Thanksgiving, Easter and Christmas. "The Women of the Church" contributed to Thornwell Orphanage along with our Church and Sunday School in November. Our Foreign Missions program was given this month and a special offering was contributed by the members present.

During December we had the Joy Gift program and special collection.

For our church work our project was to improve our church buildings on the inside. The floor of the annex to the church was sanded and waxed. We also contributed a portion of the cost of installation of gas heat in the church.

At present our membership is twelve enrolled and nine active.

We regret the loss of Mrs Bryant who moved to Perry and is now working in the Perry church. Also Miss Smith who has accepted work in Macon.

The most interesting and outstanding work of the year were our gifts, donations and social work. The last included gifts, trays, sending cards and other little attentions to shut-in of our church and community.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs Harry Thompson *ry H*
Mrs Harry Thompson, Historian

We also contributed to Quitman Home a small box of bed and table linens, a quilt made by the members of the organization and money. We also met our White Cross quota.

Clinchfield Women of The Church. Historian, Mrs. J. M. Taylor

History ---- 1950---- 1951

April. Same Officers in charge due to small group.
Plans for the year.

May. Birthday Program. Gifts presented for Mexico, and Student work.

June. Program on our community and what we as christians should do for our church and community.

July. A continuation of, "Our christianity at work".

August. Study on our Young Peoples need in our church and community and also elderly Peoples need.

September. Program, "Home religion". All members read "The Hearth-stone".

October. Church Extension.

November. Home Mission Program. Study, "The Presbyterian Church and the changing South". Home Mission Gifts.

December. Annuities and Relief. Joy Gift. Program and a Love supper for Church and community families. Trays and baskets distributed to sick and shut-ins.

January. World Mission Program, on what we have and need in our Mission fields. Chose Missionary family to remember during year.

February. Stewardship.

March. Evangelism,- Met our White Cross quota. Collected Blessing boxes, Officers filed reports, Officers installed. (Same officers)

Meetings are held twice a month, General Meeting on first Monday, and Circle meeting on second Monday. Study was "Great Bible Prayers".
It is interesting to note the way in which the meetings were carried out with only eight active members, the way the sick and needy was cared for, in visiting, with trays and baskets and gifts.

We had a very successful Bible School, in which all members took part as Teachers and helpers.

The Women of the Church have begun digging a well at the church, which we hope to complete within year.

Women of the Presbyterian Church at Clinchfield Ga.

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CLINCHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

CLINCHFIELD, GEORGIA

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

Rev. Frank H. Noll, Pastor
Rev. Lamar Wainwright, Supply Paster

The following officers were elected for 1951-1952:

President- Mrs. C.E. Davis, Jr.
Vice-President- Mrs. J.M. Taylor
Secretary- Mrs. W.B. Phillips
Treasurer- Mrs. H.C. Armstrong

Chairman of Missions- Mrs. C.A. McCraven
Chairman of Spiritual-Growth- Mrs. J.A. Grubb
Chairman of Religious Education- Mrs. R.F. Brantley
Chairman of Christian Relations- Mrs. R.F. Brantley
Pastor's Aid- Mrs. W. M. Bryant
General Fund- Mrs. C.E. Davis, Jr.
Stewardship- Mrs. H.C. Armstrong

Number of Members 9

Continuing to held two meetings each month. First Monday
in each month the General Meeting. Second, the Bible Study.

We changed the time of our meetings from the afternoons to
evenings for the convenience of those who work on public
jobs.

An important study was the biographies of early religious
leaders or founders. To name a few: Martin Luther, John Calvin,
John Knox, John Wesley, William Carey and David Baker.

World Missions program given and collection was \$22.70.

Home Missions program brought with collection \$19.00,
Birthday Gift in May \$12.75 and General Fund Agency \$13.63.

Assembly Training School in June brought \$2.50; December
Annuities and Relief \$7.52; Blessing Box, entire year \$10.00;
Mission Haven Court \$5.00; Benevolence \$38.59.

Contributed \$65.00 to digging well for Church.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C.A. McCraven
Mrs. C.A. McCraven

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CLINCHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

CLINCHFIELD, GEORGIA

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

Rev. Howard Cameron and Rev. Vernon A. Crawford, Supply Pastors

Officers for 1952-1953 as follows:

President-Mrs. C. E. Davis, Jr.
Vice-President-Mrs. J. M. Taylor
Secretary- Mrs. C.A. McCraven
Treasurer- Mrs. H.C. Armstrong

Chairman of Missions- Mrs. C.A. McCraven
Chairman of Spiritual Growth- Mrs. J.A. Grubb
Chairman of Religious Education- Mrs. R.F. Brantley
Chairman of Christian Relations- Mrs. R.F. Brantley
Pastor's Aid- Mrs. W.M. Bryant
General Fund- Mrs. C.E. Davis, Jr.
Stewardship- Mrs. H.C. Armstrong

Mrs. W. B. Phillips resigned as Secretary, due to illness, and Mrs. C.A. McCraven was elected to the office. All others remained as they were in the previous year.

A list of improvements for the interior of the Church was furnished the Session, for their approval, each project to be done as the Treasury of the Women of the Church could afford.

In May the pulpit and pulpit chairs were painted, and the chairs were re-upholstered. In September two new gas heaters were installed, with two bottle gas tanks to supply gas. The Women of the Church contributed \$50.00 toward the expense of these improvements.

A World Mission program was given, and an offering of \$34.00 taken and mailed in to the World Mission Board. Also the following amounts were contributed to various other causes; Church Extension and program with offering \$10.50; Birthday Gift \$12.53; Stillman College \$8.25; Quitman Home and Thornwell Orphanage \$15.00. Church Schools \$5.00; Christian Social Service \$68.49 and Benevolence \$19.73.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mrs. C.A. McCraven
Mrs. C.A. McCraven.

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CLINCHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

CLINCHFIELD, GEORGIA

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

From April 1, 1953 to December 31, 1953, Inclusive.

Rev. Howard Cameron and Rev. Vernon A. Crawford, Supply Pastors

Number of Members 10

The officers elected for the Church year April 1, 1952
to March 31, 1953 continued to serve for the short year.

Contributions: Birthday Gift \$29.00, Quitman Home \$34.21

Daily Vacation Bible School held this year, as in previous
years, with children from neighboring Churches attending.
The Women of the Church served soft drinks and cookies
each day during intermission.

Again in December the usual Christmas Fellowship Supper
was held, followed by a Christmas program and exchanging
gifts from the Christmas tree. This occasion always
includes the entire community, and all who will are
invited to attend and take part.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C.A. McCraven
Mrs. C.A. McCraven.

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HISTORY OF THE WOMEN OF THE CHURCH
CLINCHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
CLINCHFIELD, GEORGIA.

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

Rev. Vernon A. Crawford, Pastor and J. S. Harvard,
Student Pastor

Officers for 1954 as follows:

President-Mrs. C. E. Davis, Jr.
Vice-President-Mrs. J. M. Taylor
Secretary-Mrs. C. A. McCraven
Treasurer-Mrs. H. C. Armstrong

Cause Secretaries

Chairman of World Missions-Mrs. W. M. Bryant
Chairman of Spiritual Growth-Mrs. J. A. Grubb
Chairman of Religious Education
& Stewardship-Mrs. J. T. Overton
Chairman of Church Extension-Mrs. H. A. Thompson
Chairman of Assembly's Special Causes-Mrs. C. E. Davis, Jr.
Chairman of Annuities & Relief-Mrs. J. L. Gregory

Meetings were held each month as usual, General Meeting the first Monday evening and Bible Study the second Monday evening. Circle Bible Study "Words About Deeds" taken from the Book of Acts, and the Special Bible Study "The Glory of the Church", was given each second Monday evening by Mrs. J. A. Grubb, with members taking part as directed.

Major project for the community, remembering those who were sick and shut in with flowers, Trays and gifts, always helping where help was needed.

For World Missions our collection of \$43.50 was sent in. A program for this purpose was given at this time. White Cross quota of 12 hand towels was sent to Mrs. G. M. Heydeger, Chairman of White Cross General Fund Agency, \$7.00 being taken from the treasury. The Blessing Box contribution was \$5.00. Birthday offering, program given at this time \$27.25. A program for Church Extension was also given at which the offering was \$12.20.

A new carpet was laid in the Church costing \$300.00, of which the Women of the Church contributed half, or \$150.00.

A Daily Vacation Bible School was held for a period on five days during the month of July. Children from neighboring Churches attended also. Christian fellowship and influence prevailed, with good Bible teaching. Handcraft and sewing were taught during the course of study.

Five of our members attended Presbyterial, which was held in Thomson, Georgia.

During the month of October members of our group participated in Bible Mastery Month, reading the book of Ephesians each day throughout the entire month.

Mrs. H. C. Armstrong, Treasurer, departed this life October 6, 1954, making it necessary to appoint some one to fill the unexpired term of office of Treasurer, and Mrs. H. A. Thompson was appointed by the President to fill the remainder of the term.

The usual Christmas fellowship supper was held the night of December 21st. A program was given and gifts from the Christmas tree were exchanged. The whole community was invited to take part.

Respectfully Submitted,

Mrs. C. A. McGraven

Mrs. C. A. McGraven

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CLINCHFIELD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

CLINCHFIELD, GEORGIA

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

Rev. J. S. Harvard was Pastor through the month of May, and the first of June Rev. B. W. Stewart became Pastor. Both served in a supply capacity.

Number of Members 8. Associate Members 7. Total 15.

Officers for 1955 as follows:

President-Mrs. J. M. Taylor
Vice-President-Mrs. C. A. McCraven
Secretary-Mrs. C. E. Davis, Jr.
Treasurer-Mrs. H. A. Thompson

Cause Secretaries

Chairman of Spiritual Growth-Mrs. J. A. Grubb
Chairman of World Missions-Mrs. C. A. McCraven
Chairman of Church Extension-Mrs. H. A. Thompson
Chairman of Christian Education-Mrs. J. T. Overton
Chairman of Annuities & Relief-Mrs. C. E. Davis, Jr.
Chairman of General Fund Agency-Mrs. A. E. Harris, Jr.
Chairman of Stewardship-Mrs. James L. Gregory
Pastor's Aid-Mrs. C. A. McCraven

(Mrs. J. T. Overton

Committee on Trays, Flowers and Visiting(Mrs. C. A. McCraven
The year's study and work began in much the same manner as in the preceding years. Two meetings each month, General Meeting and the Bible Study. Mrs. J. A. Grubb, Spiritual Growth Chairman, a very capable and inspirational Bible teacher, having been our Spiritual leader for six years, and also the Adult Bible Class teacher in our Sunday School for five years.

World Mission season was observed with a program covering the eight foreign mission fields. Offering taken for foreign missions and sent in to World Mission Board \$26.00

White Cross quota met. 10 hand towels and the necessary cash for shipping were sent at the stated time Mrs. Ben L. Jones, Augusta, Ga., White Cross Chairman.

The fee of \$1.25 was sent to Synodical Training School.

An interesting program was presented for the Birthday Objective and the offering was \$16.50.
Blessing Box yielded \$6.00 which was mailed in at the proper time. For Church Extension \$3.00 mailed in. Total amount for Christian Social Service was \$31.75. A gift of \$26.00 was sent to Quitman Home. Donations from different members to buy five of a group much needed chairs for the Home was also given at Christmas time.

A small gift of \$5.59 was sent to Thornwell Orphanage.

Mrs. J. S. Harvard attended the District Conference held in the Tattnall Square Presbyterian Church, Macon, Georgia. She gave an interesting report from this conference upon her return.

Several members of our group took one dollar and made it grow both by investing and working. Others of the group gave of their daily earnings to purchase three gas heaters and a 200 gallon tank. The heaters were installed in the church annex. The total expense of the heaters and tank was \$200.00, and of this amount the Women of the Church gave \$150.00.

Venitian Blinds were also installed ^{the} on eleven windows of the church annex at a cost of \$27.50. This fund was slowly raised by small donations from time to time and put in the "Blind Jar" until we had raised the full amount.

The Church financed the expense of two large burlap curtains to cut off Sunday School Classrooms in the annex. These were made by one of our members, and with the help of her husband were hung.

Five new additions to the Church resulted from a five days revival held in March.

J. Marvin Taylor, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Taylor, dedicated himself to full time service for the Lord, and began preparing himself for the ministry at Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, Georgia.

Daily Vacation Bible School was held through June 13th-June 17th, from one O'clock to four O'clock each day. Children from the neighboring churches were invited and many attended. Maximum attendance was 74 for one day and the average daily attendance was 67. Good fellowship, co-operation and Christian influence prevailed. Women of the Church served lemonade and cookies at 3:30 each afternoon.

A Choir was organized in the late summer by the Young People and their leader, Mrs. C. E. Davis, Jr. Rev. and Mrs. Stewart donated material for choir robes, and the Women of the Church cut and made them.

Those attending Presbyterial October 14th in the Presbyterian Church in Fort Valley were Mrs. J. M. Taylor, Mrs. C. E. Davis, Jr. and Mrs. C. A. McCraven.

October was Bible Mastery month and the Book of Titus was read a total of 76 times by the members of the group.

A Special Mission Service held in Perry Presbyterian Church was attended by several of the ladies. The speaker was Rev. A. Rodriguez, former missionary, and now from Ybor City, (Tampa) Florida. He gave a very interesting talk.

A clothes hamper of food and small

A clothes hamper of food and supplies was made up and carried to an elderly couple for Thanksgiving.

Throughout the year visits, trays and gifts to the sick were not neglected.

Christmas was observed with a fellowship supper as usual, the entire community being invited to come and take part. Everyone was requested to bring food sufficient for their families and a bit over in case of possible visitors. After supper gifts from the Christmas Tree were exchanged.

Donations were brought and a box of food, fruits, candies, toys and used clothing was made up and taken to a large, needy colored family.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. A. Mc Craven

Mrs. C.A. McCraven--Historian

History Of The Women Of The Church
Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
January 1956 thru December 1956

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

Rev. B. W. Stewart, Pastor

General Officers:

President---Mrs. J. M. Taylor
Vice President--- Mrs. C. A. McGraven
Secretary--- Mrs. C. E. Davis Jr.
Treasures--- Mrs. H. A. Thompson
Historian--- Mrs. C. A. McGraven

Committee--- Chairman

Spiritual Growth--- Mrs. J. A. Grubb
World Missions (
Overseas Relief (--- Mrs. C. A. McGraven
White Cross (
Church Extension --- Mrs. H. A. Thompson
Christian Education--- Mrs. J. W. Hasty
Annuities and Relief--- Mrs. C. E. Davis Jr.
Stewardship --- Mrs. J. A. Coffman
General Fund Agencies--- Mrs. A. E. Harris Jr.
Pastors Aid --- Mrs. C. A. McGraven
Christian Social Service--- Mrs. C. E. Davis Jr.
Flower Chairman--- Mrs. C. A. McGraven
Pianist--- Mrs. J. A. Grubb

Bible Teacher--- Mrs. J. A. Grubb

Meetings held each month as in preceeding years, First Monday General Meeting, Second Monday Circle meeting, Meetings held in Church and homes, with President presiding. The average attendance 7.

Annuities and Relief
Joy Gift --- - (\$5.55

Vacation Bible School held June 11 thru June 25, W. O. T. C. members served refreshments each day.
Sent to Synodical Training School \$1.25

General Fund Agencies, - Program given, collection \$7.00
Sent to Georgia Home - Montreat, \$5.00

Weekly bible study and prayer service held in church.

Stewardship program given by the chairman at general meeting in November.

World Mission Program given with offering \$35.62
Birthday offering \$18.50
Missionary Speaker, offering \$11.00

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White Cross ^{quota}met 100%, total \$6.73

Church Extension--- \$5.00

Treasurer's report--- \$159.62

Christmas was observed with a fellowship supper after which a program was presented by the young people, followed by exchanging of gifts from the tree.

Respectfully submitted,

Mrs. C. A. Mc Craven

Mrs. C. A. McCraven

History of the Women of the Church.
Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
January 1957----December 1957

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

Students' from Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, Georgia
supplied January thru May.

June: Regular pastor called, Loren Watson (Student).

General Officers

President	Mrs. Ruth Taylor
Vice President	Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
Secretary	Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
Treasurer	Mrs. Jewell E. Thompson
Historian	Mrs. Leila A. McCraven

Committee Chairmen

Spiritual Growth	Mrs. Margaret B. Barrett
World Missions)	
Overseas Relief)	Mrs. Harriet T. Huff
White Cross)	
Church Extension)	Mrs. Jewell E. Thompson
General Fund Agencies)	
Stewardship	Mrs. Anna H. Coffman
Flower Chairman	
Christian Education)	Mrs. Evelyn P. Gregory
Pianist)	
Annuities and Relief	Mrs. Hilda Overton

General Meeting first Monday evening of each month in the Church.
President presiding.

Devotional
Roll Call
Reading of the Minutes
Business
Program by committee chairman of the month

Circle Meeting second Monday evening of each month in the Church.
President presiding.

Devotional
Roll Call
Reading of the minutes
Study from Presbyterian Women's Work Book accompanied by Christian
Citizenship
Taught each month by a different member.

Average attendance: 5

Annuities and Relief)	Program emphasizing cause. Collection \$9.01
Joy Gift)	Collection \$14.00

Christian Education: Vacation Bible School--June 24--29
Daily 2:00 P.M.
to 5:00 P. M.

Average Attendance: 45 (Including children from neighboring churches
(Women of the Church served refreshments
daily.

Presbyterian Home: \$10.00

College Students: \$500.00 given to a Simenary Student from
Clinchfield Church--Presbyterian

Synodical Training School: \$1.25

General-Fund Agencies:

American Bible Society: \$2.00

Spiritual Growth: Prayer service and Bible study each Wednesday
evening in church by adults with Young People's
meeting in annex for prayer service and Bible
study with two adults leading.

Week of Prayer and Self Denial observed in October

Stewardship program in November

Tithe: 6 members

World Missions: Program, Offering \$33.20. Gifts to Missionary
on furlough \$5.00. Program brought from Mission
Study Books. Two Missions Sermons brought from
pulpit.

White Cross: Quota met 100%. Total Cost: \$10.75

Church Extension: Program. Offering \$7.00

Birthday: Objective. Program. Offering \$10.50

Christian Social Service: Visiting sick in homes and hospitals by
individuals. Trays, flowers, cards and
letters to sick and shut-ins.

Miscellaneous: Donations to building fund for church rest-rooms.

Treasurers Report: \$602.71

Negro Work: Literature.

Distributed Used and unused literature to several negro families
with children.

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Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
January 1958----- December 1958

AUGUSTA*-MACON PRESBYTERY
SYNOD OF GEORGIA

PASTOR: Mr. Loren Watson, Seminary Student, continued through May, when he accepted a call to another church.
The Clinchfield church called Mr. Gordon Lyle, Columbia Seminary Student who accepted the call and served as pastor June thru December.

General Officers

President:	Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor
Vice President:	Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
Secretary:	Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
Treasurer:	Mrs. Jewell E. Thompson
Historian:	Mrs. Leila A. McCraven

Committee Chairmen

Spiritual Growth:	Mrs. Margaret B. Barrett
World Missions)	
Overseas Relief)	Mrs. Harriett T. Huff
White Cross)	
Church Extension)	
General Fund Agencies)	Mrs. Jewell T. Thompson
Annuities and Relief:	Mrs. Hilda B. Overton
Stewardship)	
Social Chairman)	Mrs. Anna H. Coffman
Christian Education)	
Pianist)	Mrs. Evelyn P. Gregory

General Meetings held in church first Monday evening of each Month

Circle Meetings in church second Monday evening of each month, with study from Presbyterian Womens Work Book, the Leaders Guide and "Meet Dr. Luke", brought by a different member each month.

Average Attendance: 6

World Missions: Program----- Offering--\$58.57

Spiritual Growth: Prayer service with bible study each Wednesday evening thru October.
Served refreshments to Young People meeting on Sunday evenings.
Week of Prayer observed.

Birthday Objective: Program by committee chairman-----Offering---\$5.57
White Cross: 11 Garments made, plus overseas postage, value \$5.00

Christian Education: Vacation Bible School-- June 23 ---- 27
5:00 P.M. ---8:00 P.M. Daily
Women of the Church Directed and taught, aided by the
Pastor, Pastors wife and some of the Young people of
the church.
Average Attendance: 51 including children from other
churches in the community.

Church Extension: Program--- Offering ---\$6.00

Stewardship: Program by Stewardship chairman

Christian Social Service: Table cloths bought for church annex-- \$25.36
Trays and Flowers \$9.10
Visits, letters and cards to Shutins.

Thornwell Orphanage: ---- \$5.00

Columbia Fellowship Circle:---\$10.00

Snodical Training School:---- \$1.25

College Student: \$800.00 to Student from Clinchfield Church in his senior year
at Columbia Theological Seminary.

Annuities and Relief: Program by chairman----- Offering -- \$10.50

Joy Gift: ----- \$10.50

Miscellaneous: Building Fund for Rest Rooms has been raised by the Women of
the Church by selling products and donations by each member, the ammount of
\$300.00 which the women hope the Church Session will match, and men of the
Church and community have promised to do the work, which is to begin soon now
that funds have been raised.

Treasurers Report: \$356.38-----Including building fund

Negro Work: Literature distributed to some famlies and some time spent trying
to help with organizing a church in Ft. Valley with little
progress.

Respectfully Submitted,

Ruth B. Taylor

Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor

(J.M.) R. O. Taylor

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January 1959 --- thru---- December 1959

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

Pastor: Rev. Gordon Lyle, continued to serve the church after his graduation from the Seminary in June, He was ordained in July.

General Officers

President-----	Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
Vice President-	Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor
Secretary----	Mrs. Anna H. Coffman
Treasurer----	Mrs. Evelyn P. Gregory
Historian----	Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor

Committee Chairmen

Spiritual Growth-- Mrs. Jewel E. Thompson

World Missions	} -- Mrs. Anna H. Coffman
Over-Seas Relief	
White Cross	

Church Extension--- Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor

Christian Education- Mrs. Margaret B. Barrett

Annuities and Relief- Mrs. Harriett T. Huff

Stewardship ----- Mrs. Evelyn P. Gregory

General-Fund Agencies-Mrs. Hilda B. Overton

General Meetings held in the church the first Monday of each month.
Circle Meetings, second Monday of each month.

World Missions: The Pastor brought a message on Missions.
Chairman presented program at General Meeting, offering \$30.00

Christian Education: Program by Chairman, Vacation Bible School.

Church Extension: Program-- Offering \$9.10

Birthday Objective: Program and offering \$9.00

General Fund: Program, Offering \$6.50

Joy Gift: Program, Offering \$11.57

Synodical Training School:-- \$1.50

Presbyterial Assement:--- \$2.80

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Ruth B. Taylor
Ruth B. Taylor-----Historian

History of the Women of the Church
Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
January 1960 --- thru----September 1960

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

Pastor; Rev. Gordon Lyle continued.

General Officers

President----- Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
Vice President---- Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor
Secretary -----Mrs. Anna H. Coffman
Treasurer ----- Mrs. Evelyn P. Gregory
Historian ----- Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor

Committee Chairmen

Spiritual Growth ----- Mrs. Jewel E. Thompson
Christian Education---- Mrs. Margaret B. Barrett
World Missions ----- Mrs. Anna H. Coffman
Church Extension----- Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor
Annuities and Relief--- Mrs. Harriett T. Huff
Stewardship ----- Mrs. Evelyn P. Gregory
General Fund Agencies-- Mrs. Hilda B. Overton

Meetings

General Meeting held in church the first Monday of each Month

Circle Meeting second Monday of each Month

Christian Education: Programs presented and Vocational Bible School two weeks.

World Missions: Program, Sermon by the pastor, White-Cross quota met, Box of clothing sent to Thornwell Orphanage, offering \$28.00

Stewardship: Program, Sermon by the pastor, offering \$8.00

Church Extension: Programs by the chairman, two sermons by the pastor on Evangelizing and visitation programs.

General-Fund: Program by chairman, offering \$8.50

Synodical Training School: \$1.50

Presbyterial Assesment: \$2.50

Ruth B. Taylor
Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor
Historian

History of the Women of the Church
Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
October 1960-- Thru-- December 1961

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

Rev. Gordon Lyle continued to serve as Pastor thru May 1961 when he, with his wife Joy, and son Gregg, left for the Mission Field in Mexico.

Mr. Robert Griffin, College student, served as supply, June thru August.

Mr. Joe Holt, Columbia Theological Seminary student was called as supply pastor in September, thru December, and will continue in January 1962.

General Officers

President-----	Mrs. Harriett T. Huff
Vice President---	Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor
Secretary-----	Mrs. Anna H. Coffman
Treasurer-----	Mrs. Evelyn P. Gregory
Historian-----	Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor

Committee Chairmen

Spiritual Growth---	Ruth B. Taylor
World Missions-----	Evelyn P. Gregory
Church Extension---	Leila A. McCraven
Christian Education--	Jewel E. Thompson
Annuities and Relief-	Margaret B. Barrett
Stewardship-----	Evelyn P. Gregory
General Fund Agencies	Jewel E. Thompson

General Meeting: First Monday of each month, Program by Committee chairman of month.
Circle Meeting: Second Monday, Bible Lesson taught by members as scheduled.

Rev. McElroy, Quitman Home, presented program in May, Invited by chairman of Homes, Ruth B. Taylor. (Gift of \$50.00 to Home)

Week of Prayer and Self-Denial observed in March.

Week of Vacation Bible School in June, Sponsored by WOC

Program and Love Supper in Church each Christmas, 1960 and 1961

All quotas met: Paid out--\$206.33
Building Fund: on hand---- \$130.52
Building -fund: paid out-- \$108.14

Gift of \$35.00 to Thornwell --November 1960

Gift of \$52.00 to Thornwell-- November 1961

Ruth B. Taylor
Ruth B. Taylor
Historian

History of the Women of the Church,
Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
January 1962--Thru December 1962

Augusta- Macon Presbytery
Synod Of Georgia

Rev. Joe Holt continued to serve as Pastor thru May 1962.
Mr. Glenn Nagel, Columbia Theological Seminary student, was called as
supply pastor in June 1962.

General Officers:

President	Mrs. Harriett Huff
Vice-President	Mrs. Ruth Taylor
Secretary	Mrs. Ann Coffman
Treasurer	Mrs. Evelyn Gregory
Historian	Mrs. Ruth Taylor

Committee Chairmen:

Spiritual Growth	Mrs. Ruth Taylor
World Missions	Mrs. Evelyn Gregory
Christian Education	Mrs. Jewell Thompson
Church Extension	Mrs. Leila McCraven
Stewardship	Mrs. Ann Coffman
Annuities and Relief	Mrs. Margaret Barrett
General Fund	Mrs. Leila McCraven
Chairman of Flowers	Mrs. Evelyn Gregory
Chairman of Homes	Mrs. Jewell Thompson

General Meeting: First Monday of each month. Program by committee
Chairman for each month.

Circle: "Helen Grubb Circle" met second Monday of each month.
Study for the year--Book of James, each member
served as moderator.

World Missions Emphasis--World Mission Today and Tomorrow.
Religion and Monday Morning.
Offering \$28.00
White Cross Quato--Each member made receiving
blankets.
Gifts were sent to Mission Haven for missionaries
returning home.

Birthday Objective- Offering \$7.00

General Funds Offerring \$5.00

Thornwell Orphanage The Church joined the Women of the Church
on this Offerring.

Annuities and Relief Subject "My Joy Gift"
Offerring \$5.50

Church Extension Program
Offerring \$6.00

Week of Vacation Bible School held in June. Theme "My Bible and
I" sponsored by the Women of the Church.

Social Church Work Easter egg hunt for the children sponored by
the Women of The Church.
Refreshments for Youth Choir practice each
Saturday night.
Choir robes were made for the Youth Choir.

Work was started on the rest rooms for the
church. Women of the Church financing this
project.

Program and family supper at the church
during Christmas.

Rev. Mario Rivera conducted a revival July 25th thru July 30th.
Eighteen joined our Church.

Mrs. Ruth Taylor
Historian

Evelyn Gregory
Written by Evelyn Gregory

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History of the Women of the Church
Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
January 1963- Thru -December 1963

Augusta- Macon Presbytery
Synod of Georgia

Mr. Glenn Nagel, Columbia Theological Seminary student, supply pastor until February 3, 1963.

Rev. Charles Castle, supply pastor from February 10, 1963 until called as pastor April 7, 1963.

Officers:

President	Mrs. Harriett Huff
Vice-President	Mrs. Ruth Taylor
Secretary	Mrs. Ann Coffman
Treasurer	Mrs. Evelyn Gregory
Historian	Mrs. Evelyn Gregory

Committee Chairman:

Spiritual Growth	Mrs. Jewell Thompson
World Missions	Mrs. Evelyn Gregory
Christian Education	Mrs. Jewell Thompson
Church Extension	Mrs. Leila McCraven
Stewardship	Mrs. Frances Shipps
Annuities and Relief	Mrs. Harriett Huff
General Funds	Mrs. Ann Coffman
Chairman of Flowers	Mrs. Evelyn Gregory
Chairman of Homes	Mrs. Jewell Thompson

General Meetings Meetings were held first Monday of each month.
Committee Chairman in charge of program.

Circle Meetings "Helen Grub Circle" held second Monday night of each month. Study of Matthew "The Gospel of the Kingdom of God" each member served as moderate.

Annuities and Relief Program Joy Gift offering \$5.50

Stewardship Program "Along new roads in Latin American"
Birthday Objective offering \$15.00

World Missions

Program "The Rim of East Asia"

Offering \$28.75

White Cross \$5.00 for gauge squares

Easter Offering \$5.00 Food for overseas
Relief.

General Funds

Program Offering \$3.00

Church Extension

Program "Family Week"

Offering \$6.00

Friendship Circle Offering \$4.00

Quitman Home

Mother's Day a offering was combined with
the Church.

Thornwell Orphanage

Joined the church with a offering at
Thanksgiving.

Christmas each member of the Adult Sunday
School class bought a gift for a child, instead
of exchanging gifts with one another.

One of our projects this year was collecting cancelled postage stamps
for missions.

Joined the Haynesville Baptist Church and the Clinchfield Assembly of
God Church, helping two families. Homes were destroyed by fire.
(L.D. Hamsley's and J.C. Shipes')

Remembered several elderly people at the Christmas fellowship supper.

Refreshments furnished by The Women of the Church for the Youth Choir.
Entertained young people from East Macon Church and First Presbyterian
Church of Lakeland, Fla.

Purchased Communion tray set for the Church.

Week of Vacation Bible School held in June. Sponsored by the Women of
the Church. Picnic at the Church June 14th for the children and their
families.

Evelyn Gregory
Evelyn Gregory
Historian

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History of Women of The Church
Mrs. Leila McCraven---Historian
Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
Clinchfield, Georgia
January 1964--December 1964

Rev. Charles W. Castles pastor, rendered his resignation effective, as of August 1, 1964 to devote full time to East Macon Presbyterian Church, Macon, Georgia.

Students from Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, Ga. filled the pulpit each Sunday morning until Mr. Bert Carmichael, student Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, was called to serve the pulpit two Sunday's each month. (First and Third) Second and Fourth, various other students were sent to fill in, until a regular pastor is to be called.

Officers:

President:	Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor
Vice President:	Mrs. Anna H. Coffman
Secretary:	Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
Treasurer:	Mrs. Evelyn P. Gregory
Historian:	Mrs. Harriett T. Huff

Committee Chairman:

Spiritual Growth:	Mrs. Harriett T. Huff
World Missions:	Mrs. Evelyn P. Gregory
Christian Education:	Mrs. Jewell E. Thompson
Church Extension:	Mrs. Anna H. Coffman
Stewardship:	Mrs. Anna H. Coffman
General Funds:	Mrs. Margaret B. Barrett
Homes:	Mrs. Jewell E. Thompson
Fellowship Circle:	Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
Flowers:	Mrs. Evelyn P. Gregory
Plans and Promotions of	
Moderstors:	Miss Jane Barrett

General Meetings: Changed from first Monday evenings to first Tuesday evening for the convenience of those who could not attend first Monday evenings.

Special Emphasis: Brought each month by the chairman for that cause.

Circle: The Helen Grubb Circle held each second Tuesday evening of the month, instead of second Monday for reason stated above in General Meetings.

Bible Study: The Psalms, by Albert Curry Winn
Theme: "Christian Worship"
Moderators, whos names come up each month alphabetically, bringing the study.

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Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
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January 1964--December 1964

World Missions: Program brought by Chairman, Offering \$27.50
Family night supper held during February, Rev. Bill Mitzell on
furlough from Congo, was the speaker.

February 9th and 10th Mrs. Charles E. Riley, McDonough, Ga. gave a
preview of the New Revised Plan Organization and Program of the
Women of The Church.

White Cross quota met---- Ten receiving blankets

Evangelism: Program given. Church doors open for the
week 22nd--29th preceeding Easter, for any one who desired to offer
prayers. Sunrise Service, all churches coming together for this.
(Haynesville Baptist, The Assembly of God, and Clinchfield Presbyterian)

Second preview of Revised Plan Organization and Program of the Women
of The Church brought by Mrs. Ruby M. Whorter, Warner Robins, Ga.,
District Chairman.

Friendship Circle: Membership fee of \$10.00 mailed in.

Birthday Objective: Offering \$11.50

Church Extension: Offering \$7.50

General Funds; Program brought by President in absence
Of Chairman.

Stewardship: Offering \$10.00

Annties and Relief: Offering \$21.00

Homes: Thanksgiving offering for Thornwell Orphanage
combined with Church \$30.00. Quitman Home Offering combined with
church in observance of Mother's Day \$20.00. Remembered an aged
friend at Rest Home on Hi-Way 41 with Birthday gifts. Also gifts
sent from Adults Sunday School class to children at Thornwell Orphanage
for Christmas.

Vacation Bible School held week of June 22-27. Average attendance
(including teachers and helpers) forty five. Collection of \$21.50
was used to buy two Braille Bibles to be sent to those less fortunate.
A cook out and social was held for the children and their families
at the close of Vaction Bible School.

Christmas play and Fellowship supper was held on the evening of
December 19th. Giving of gifts at this time also, with special
remembrance to five aged friends of the Church and Community.

Mrs. Leila M. Craven
Augusta-Macon Presbytery

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 History of Women of The Church
 Mrs. Leila A. McCraven--Historian
 Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
 Clinchfield, Georgia
 January 1965---December 1965

Students, from Columbia Theological Seminary, Decatur, Ga., continue to fill the pulpit, with Mr. Bert Carmichael serving until March 7, 1965. The next three Sundays different ones served, and on June 6th Mr. Richard (Dick) Stone was called to preach first and third Sunday of each month, with Students filling in each second Sunday.

Rev. Marvin Taylor was called to preach regularly the fourth Sunday until, such time that he would be unable to do so.

Mr. Stone served until December 21st.

Officers:

President:	Mrs. Anna H. Coffman
Vice President:	Mrs. Evelyn P. Gregory
Secretary:	Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
Treasurer:	Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor
Historian:	Mrs. Harriett T. Huff

Committee Chairman:

Personal Faith and Family Life	Mrs. Jewell E. Thompson
Leadership and Resources	Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
	Mrs. Jewell E. Thompson
Christian Community Action	Mrs. Harriett T. Huff
Ecumenical Mission and Relations	Mrs. Lilli Ann Barrett

Members 10
 Active ----6 Inactive---4

Both, General meetings and The Helen Grubb Circle, continue to assemble each first and second Tuesday evening of each month. Special Emphasis, brought by the Chairman or someone whom the Chairman ask to do the program for her.

The Helen Grubb Circle: Bible Study Ephesians: "Glory in The Church", by Sherrord Rice. Annual Emphasis for 1964- 1965. "The Living Word and Our Life Today"

Moderators: Name of members coming up alphabetically bringing study each month.

District meeting Jan 28th, Henry Memorial Church, Dublin, Ga. attended by four or five of our members.

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Clinchfield, Georgia
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The New Revised Plan and Organization Program was explained and discussed at length along with other causes of importance.

World Missions Program given by Chairman. Offering \$27.50

White Cross Quota met 100% 10 Pair children under panties.

Used clothing collected and sent to Clothes Closet, East Macon Presbyterian Church.

Also a cash collection of Thirty dollars (\$30.00) was sent to The Rev. Charles Castles, Pastor, East Macon Presbyterian Church to be used in his teaching program.

March Evangelism: Program presented by the Chairman using the usual program material. Presbyterian Journal, The Survey, and The Presbyterian Women.

The Easter Sunrise Worship Service was combined with the other two neighboring churches. The Assembly of God, and The Hayneville Baptist Church.

Young people continue to have weekly Bible study. (Special study with all taking part.) Conducted by three members of Women of The Church.

Revival "Operation Cross Roads" conducted by Ray Harvey March 12th, 13th, and 14th. Spiritually uplifting but no new additions to the Church.

Friendship Circle: Special mention with pamphlets handed to members, explaining use of contributions.

Birthday Objective: Offering \$23.00

General Fund Offering \$5.00

Vacation Bible School held, Registration June 5th, School began Monday June 7th ending Saturday June 12th. Good attendance, including immediate neighboring children. (those of other churches included) Social held with families of children attending.

Mother's Day offering and Thanksgiving offering combined with the Church. Mother's Day \$20.00 Thanksgiving \$30.00

Joy Gift: Program presented Offering \$22.75

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Annual Fellowship Supper changed to refreshments; Cakes, cookies, candy, coffee, and punch were served. Christmas Program presented by the Young People. Tree with gifts for children. Adults contributing to a fund to be sent to Rabun Gap-Nacoochee School, instead of exchanging gifts. Amount given \$17.00

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Mrs. C. A. McGraven

March 7, 1966

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
 History of Women of The Church
 Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
 Clinchfield, Georgia
 Mrs. Anna Coffman-Historian
 January 1967-December 1967

Reverend Hugh Burns continued to fill the Pastorate through October. After Reverend Burns' resignation, Reverend David W. Schulherr of Atlanta, Georgia, was called. Reverend Schulherr preaches three Sundays each month and Reverend Marvin Taylor, also of Atlanta, continues to preach on the Sundays he's away.

The 1966-67 officers presided through September. Officers for 1967-68 were installed at last meeting in September and became active at first General Meeting in October.

Officers:

President:	Mrs. Evelyn Gregory Keys
Vice President:	Mrs. Jewell Thompson
Secretary:	Mrs. Harriett Huff
Treasurer:	Mrs. Anna Coffman
Historian:	Mrs. Anna Coffman

Committee Chairman:

Personal Faith and Family Life:	Mrs. Ruth Taylor
Christian Community Action:	Mrs. Jewell Thompson
Ecumenical Missions and Relations:	Mrs. Leila McCraven
Leadership and Resources:	Mrs. Evelyn G. Keys
	Mrs. Harriett Huff

Members:	Ten	(10)
Active:	Six	(6)
Inactive:	Four	(4)
Silent:	One	(1)

The General Meetings were held in the Sanctuary the first Tuesday evening each month.

"Special Emphasis of the Month" were presented by the Chairman of her Committee each month. The Presbyterian Women, Presbyterian Survey, and special kits from the Board of Women's Work aided each Chairman.

Correspondence, Special dates, and Special reports were given under "Committees Report."

February 4th Mrs. Robert Hudgins, District III Chairman, of Macon, Georgia visited with the Women to explain the New Organized Women's Work. She also previewed a film on "Synodical Training School."

White Cross Quota:	Medical items.	Quota met.
World Mission Offering:	\$28.00	
Birthday Objective Offering:	\$25.00	
Mother's Day and Thanksgiving Offerings combined with Church.		

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Augusta-Macon Presbytery
History of Women of The Church
Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
Clinchfield, Georgia
Mrs. Anna Coffman-Historian
January 1967-December 1967

Homecoming Day was observed April 30th. The "Welcome" was given by Rev. Marvin Taylor. "Reminiscences and Memories" by Mrs. C. E. Riley. The sermon by Reverend Everett P. Moye. After the Service, lunch was served in the Annex.

Vacation Bible School: Held for one week. (June 23rd-28th)
Attendance: 16. Departments: 3. Workers: 5. A blessing box made up of small, but useful items, were sent to Thornwall Orphanage by the children in Bible School, instead of taking the usual offering. Closing exercises were held.

Used clothing, 50 pounds, were sent to Church World Service Center in September.

Five members attended District Conference October 8th in the Greenbrier Church, Macon, Georgia.

Joy Gift: \$36.00

The Helen Grubb Circle for Bible Study was held in the Sanctuary the second Tuesday night of each month. "Jesus and Persons" from the Presbyterian Woman's Workbook, and Dr. Manford G. Gutzke's Supplementary Circle Bible Study from the Presbyterian Journal were used as references from January through September. In October studies of the "Holy Spirit at Work" began, using the same references. Moderator: Each member brought the Study twice during the year.

Christmas Program: The Beginners and Primaries brought the "Christmas Story" in Pantomime, December 16th. Following the program, a family night supper was served. Gifts were also given to the children from the Sunday School department.

February 27, 1968

Mrs. Anna Coffman

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
History of Women of The Church
Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
Clinchfield, Georgia
Mrs. Anna Coffman-Historian
January 1968-December 1968

Reverend David W. Schulherr of Atlanta, Georgia served as Pastor for the entire year. Reverend Marvin Taylor, also of Atlanta, Georgia assisted Reverend Schulherr on the Sundays he was away.

Serving as Elders are: Cecil A. Armstrong, Cecil A. McCraven, Harold L. Huff and Harry Thompson. Mr. Thompson also serves as the Clerk of Sessions. Cecil A. Armstrong is Treasurer.

Total Church Members: 16
Sunday School Teachers: 3
Sunday School Departments: 3

The 1967-68 officers presided through September. Officers for 1968-69 were installed at last meeting in September and became active at the first General Meeting in October.

Officers:

President:	Mrs. Evelyn G. Keys	2 yrs.
Vice President:	Mrs. Jewell Thompson	1 yr
Secretary:	Mrs. Harriett Huff	1 yr.
Treasurer:	Mrs. Anna H. Coffman	2 yrs.
Historian:	Mrs. Anna H. Coffman	2 yrs.

Committee Chairman:

Personal Faith and Family life:	Mrs. Harriett Huff	2 yrs.
Christian Community Action:	Mrs. Jewell Thompson	1 yr.
Ecumenical Missions and Relations:	Mrs. Leila McCraven	1 yr.
Leadership and Resources:	Mrs. Ruth Taylor	
	Mrs. Leila McCraven	2 yrs.

Members: 10
Active: 6
Inactive: 4
Silent: 1

The General Meetings were held in the Sanctuary the first Tuesday evening each month.

"Special Emphasis of the Month" were presented by the Chairman of her Committee each month. Literature most usefull were "The Presbyterian Women" and the "Presbyterian Woman's program kit." Correspondence, Special dates, and Special reports were given under "Committee Reports."

Bible School: Was held June 10-15. Reverend David Schulherr directed. Theme "God's Word-Today's Hope". Departments: 3. Closing exercises were held with each department participating. Workers: 5.

One member, Mrs. Ruth Taylor attended Synodical Training School at Columbia Seminary in Decater, Georgia June 17-23.

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Augusta-Macon Presbytery
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Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
Clinchfield, Georgia
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January 1968-December 1968

Four members attended the Presbyterial Meeting at the Vineville Presbyterian Church, Macon, Georgia April 3rd.

Four members attended the District Meeting October 20th. in Eastman, Georgia.

Special Offerings:

World Mission:	\$43.00	
Birthday Gift:	\$25.00	
Thornwall Orphanage:	\$90.00	
Columbia Friendship:	\$ 5.00	
Least Coin Fellowship:	\$ 1.00	
Joy Gift:	\$95.00	
White Cross Quota:	Medical Supplies.	Quota met. (\$16.08)

The Helen Grubb Circle for Bible Study was held in the Sanctuary the second Tuesday night of each month. "The Holy Spirit At Work" and "The Gosple of Saint Luke" were the topics of study. Also, "Good news by a man named Luke".
Moderator: Members rotated alphabetically.

March 5th, 1969

Anna Coffman

Augusta-Macon Presbytery
Clinchfield Presbyterian Church
Clinchfield, Georgia
Mrs. Anna Coffman-Historian
Reverend Hal Keller-Stated Supply Pastor

History of Women of The Church
January 1969-December 1969

Reverend Hal Keller, Stated Supply Pastor, served the Clinchfield Ministry for the entire year.

Serving as Elders are: Cecil A. McCraven, Harold L. Huff, Cecil A. Armstrong and Harry A. Thompson.
Clerk of Sessions: Harry A. Thompson
Treasurer: Cecil A. Armstrong
Sunday School Superintendant: Harry A. Thompson

Church Members: 18
Sunday School Teachers: 3
Departments: 3

Officers of The Women of The Church:

President:	Mrs. Evelyn Keys
Vice President:	Mrs. Ruth Taylor
Secretary:	Mrs. Leila McCraven
Treasurer:	Mrs. Anna Coffman
Historian:	Mrs. Anna Coffman

Committee Chairman:

Personal Faith and Family Life:	Mrs. Harriett Huff
Christian Community Action:	Mrs. Leila McCraven
Ecumenical Missions and Relations:	Mrs. Jewell Thompson
Leadership and Resources:	Mrs. Ruth Taylor

Members: 11
Active: 7
Inactive: 4

The General Meetings were held in the Sanctuary the first Tuesday night each month.

"Special Emphasis" of the month presented by the Committee Chairman. References used: The Presbyterian Women and "Fences are Falling" from the Presbyterian Woman's Kit.

Presbyterial: Attended by one member, Mrs. Ruth Taylor.

Special Offerings:

World Missions:	\$21.00
Columbia Friendship:	\$ 6.00
Birthday Gift:	\$38.00
Quitman Home:	\$ 5.00
Least Coin Fellowship:	\$ 2.00

Joy Gift: Combined with the Church Offering. Amount: \$100.00.
White Cross Quota: Twenty-one little dresses were hand-made and sent to the White Cross Chairman. Sixteen Dollars (\$16.00) was sent also, for Medical Supplies.
Offering to Biafria through World Relief Commission, Inc. \$20.00.

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Good used clothing were sent in April to Church World Service.
One box of used clothing was given to the Macon Rescue Mission
in November. (Macon, Georgia)

Family night suppers were held once a month in the Church Annex.

The Helen Grubb Circle for Bible Study was held in the Sanctuary
the second Tuesday night of each month.

Moderator: Members rotated alphabetically throughout the year.

Literature: The Presbyterian Woman's Workbook and Dr. George M.
Gutzke's commentaries from the Presbyterian Journal.

Date February 26, 1970

Historian Mrs. Anna Coffman

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 Clinchfield, Georgia 31013
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Reverend Hal Keller, Stated Supply Pastor served this church the entire year, along with his work in the Clinchfield Ministry as Chaplain to the new Pabst's Brewery.

Church Officers:

Serving as Elders: H. Cecil Armstrong, Cecil A. McCraven, Harry A. Thompson, and L. Harold Huff.
 Clerk of Sessions: Harry A. Thompson
 Treasurer: H. Cecil Armstrong

Officers Women of the Church:

President: Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor
 Vice President: Mrs. Jewell E. Thompson
 Secretary: Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
 Treasurer: Mrs. Evelyn G. Keys
 Historian: Mrs. Evelyn G. Keys

Committee Chairman:

Personal Faith and Family Life: Mrs. Harriett T. Huff
 Christian Community Action: Mrs. Leila A. McCraven
 Ecumenical Missions and Relations: Mrs. Jewell E. Thompson
 Leadership and Resources: Mrs. Harriett T. Huff

Members: 11
 Active 7
 Inactive 4
 Silent 1

The General meetings were held in the Sanctuary the first Tuesday night of each month until October, at which time the meetings were changed and held the first Monday night of each month. Each month special emphasis was presented by the Committee Chairman using the Presbyterian Woman and some of the programs from the Presbyterian Woman's program kit.

Presbyterial meeting in Milledgeville, Ga. was attended by one member, Mrs. Ruth B. Taylor.

One circle-- "The Helen Grubb Circle" met in the Sanctuary the second Tuesday night of each month thru September. Starting October 1st the circle meetings were held the second Monday night of each month. Serving as moderators, members rotated alphabetically, used the Presbyterian Woman's Workbook as a guide for our Bible study on Corinthians. Several moderators used Dr. George M. Gutzke's study found in The Presbyterian Journal.

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Special Offerings:

Columbia Friendship:	\$5.00
Least Coin Fellowship:	.48
Presbyterian Assessment Fee	1.50
Contingent Fee:	2.64
Synodical Training School	1.50
White Cross Quato:	

One pair blue jeans, seven ditty bags were made and filled with small items, sent for medical students overseas.

Joy Gift:

A program was presented at a fellowship supper, with a Christmas tree and gifts for the children. Joy Gift was combined with the church offering. Amount \$100.56.

Fellowship suppers or cook-outs were held once a month at the church annex. Films were shown along with a study on the Presbyterian doctrine lead by Rev. Hal Keller. In February, Rev. Bass, returning missionary from Mexico City was guest speaker. At Christmas three elderly people in the community were remembered with Christmas gifts.

Vacation Bible school, with Mrs. Dot Pfast as director, was held July 11th thru 18th. Refreshments were donated by members of the Women of the Church each day. Closing on Saturday with a program and social hour.

Projects- at last the pews in the church were painted by members donating work and money. New venetin blinds were purchased and installed in the Church annex. New carpet for the church was bought, members of the Women of the Church donated what they could each month. In a few months \$250.00 was paid on the carpet as their share of this project.

We continue to pray for several of the young people in our church that were married during the year. Starting a new life together may their homes be built on a spiritual foundation.

Evelyn G. Keys
Evelyn G. Keys- Historian

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