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VICTORIA ROAD

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

(Accessions 1978/161 and 1978/210)

MINISTER

see 4

REGISTERS

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REGULAR SERVICES

1 Communion attendance register

1921-1949

DEACONS

Minute book 1881-1893 At back: register of members 1882-1894

1881-1894

Minute book At back: register of members 1895-1902 1894-1904

see also 7

CHURCH AFFAIRS

Minute books

4 Church book

1874-1921

Church history (1809-1889) c.1889; church covenant n.d., church meetings minutes 1874-1798; roll of members 1874-1921; marriage register 1878-1879; baptismal register 1874-1912; burial register 1874-1878
At front: notes on the life and ministry of Rev. H.J.L. Matson (1881-1921) n.d. c.1930

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CHURCH AFFAIRS (cont.)

	Minute books (cont.)	
5	Church meetings minute book	1898-1909
6	Church meetings minute book	1909-1918
7	Church meetings minute book Includes: deacons meetings minutes 1942-1947 At front: accounts crossed out 1910-1914 At back: accounts 1910-1913	1942-1947
8	Church meetings minute book	1958-1969
9	Church meetings minute book	1969-1977
10	Managing Committee minute book	1873-1902
11	Finance Committee minute book	1902-1930
12	Organ Committee minute book	1898-1899
	Accounts	
13	Iron church, Victoria Road account book	1875-1890
14	Church account book	1914-1926
15	Ordinance fund account book	1909-1940
16	Free will offering account book	1903-1909
17	Free will offering account book	1910-1917
18	Free will offering account book	1918-1925
19	Free will offering account book	1926-1945
20	Annual accounts (printed)	1908-1932
21/1-5	Victoria Road Congregational Magazines (bound volumes) 1911, 1913-1916	1911-1916

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PARTICULAR BUILDINGS AND PROPERTIES

Church building and site Building Committee minute book 22 1887-1889 23 Building fund account book of money 1897-1898 promised 24/1-3 Northamptonshire Union Bank Books: 1882-1906 Chapel building fund 1882-1894; 1895-1902, 1905-1906 25/1-2 1891-1903 Northamptonshire Union Bank cheque counterfoils 1891-1898, 1898-1903 26 Deposit account book counterfoils 1905 27/1-4 1882-1899 Church Building Fund counterfoils books of money received 1882-1884; 1884-1887; 1887-1889; 1889-1899 28 Agreement by Finance Committee and 1897 church officers for repayment of the loan for building chapel Balance sheets of Building Fund and 1893-1899 29 Anniversary Teas 30 Estimate for electrical installation 1904 in chapel 31 1898-1906 Building receipts etc. 32 Specification and estimate for heating 1960-1961 in church see also 44 and 45

CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS AND CHARITIES

Dependent and Asso	ociated	Chapels	
Commercial Street	Chapel	District	School
(East End)			

1869-1890 33 Minute book

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CHURCH ORGANIZATIONS AND CHARITIES (cont.)

Sunday and other schools	
Victoria Road Sunday school	
Teachers minute book	1890-1909
Teachers minute book	1909-1929
Teachers minute book	1929-1962
Infants department attendance register	1880-1882
Other societies and organizations Benevolent Society (established 1874)	
Minute book At back: list of subscribers and donations c.1874; register of visits with visitors remarks 1873-1878	1874-1890
Minute book At back: register of visits 1891-1903	1891-1915
Minute book	1916-1952
Cash book	1902-1948
Loan Tract Society (established 1874)	
Tract districts and lists of tracts issued	1874-1879
Maternal Society (reorganised 1875)	
Register of members	1875-1884
MISCELLANEOUS	
Printing block of church exterior	n.d., c.1900
Photographic plates of chapel interior and exterior	c.1929
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Deacons' Meetings Minute Book, Oct. 1958 - 1962 curr.

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4. CHURCH AFFAIRS - GE ERAL ADMINISTRATION AND FINANCE a) Church Books and Minutes of Church Meetings

Church and Deacons' Minute Book, Nov. 1947 - Oct. 1958 Church Neeting Minute Book, Oct. 1958 - 1962 curr. 1

NOTE: These records are kept at home of present Secretary, Mr. John Mest, J.P., "Hunter's Lodge", Main Road, Duston. The first Church Book, 21 April 1874 - 5 Oct. 1898, is kept at Mr. Mest's office. All records from 1898 - 1947 were destroyed after death of then Secretary.

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