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### Clinton Raises Funds for PC

Cutting the victory cake as Clinton completed its announced whirlwind campaign to raise another \$162,-180 for Presbyterian College are, left to right: Mrs. Robert M. Vance, wife of the PC trustee chairman; and Mrs. Tom Addison, whose husband was one of the leaders in this campaign. The drive was conducted over the past several weeks after Presbyterian College received a challenge grant of \$150,000 from a large foundation which must remain anonymous. Claiming these fund is dependent upon the college's raising \$600,000 over the next three years, and the Clinton report launched this effort.—Yarborough Photo.

# Negro Is Held In Assault Case

Laurens - Negro James Esther Thomas, 35, Monday was charged with rape, burglary, and assault and battery with intent to kill in connection with the pre-dawn rapebeating of a 64-year-old Laurens County white woman Saturday.

had continued through the

vestigation continued in the case own home.

The elderly woman was listed fled afoot from her car. her assailant's fists. He ordered rest, Sheriff Johnson said. sation.

light offense occurred Saturday et also was in the car. tify the victim of a rape.

these details: The woman was awakened by

a Negro man standing at her bed. He threatened her with a tire tool, although he apparently never used it to strike her. He told her he had a gun, although she did not see one, and threatened to kill her.

said officers determined he en- o'clock. tered the house through a win-

forced into her own car in a history of the historic church.

Church, where he parked it and In addition, she loaned the colleft afoot. The woman managed to drive displayed in the library buildthe to the home of one of her ing. Two paintings of particular

neighbors and it was from there interest in the group are: that Sheriff Johnson's office was "Storm at Newport," the only called at 4:20 a.m.

holding a 35-year-old Negro man Esther Thomas was arrested at Walter Scott family of Scotland, field. in an undisclosed jail while in- the home of a relative, near his passed down through her moth- Mr. Sloan was connected with Hunt Memorial Baptist Church,

lived alone, then beaten, robbed made three rainy miles from Rise and Fall of the Confeder- lege, B. A. degree, Mr. Sloan evening. where the woman's assailant acy." Other additions to the has an M. A. degree from Tu- Rev. C. E. Russell is pastor

in "fair" condition at Self Memo- Officers recovered cash which rial Hospital in Greenwood and was suspected of being taken \$754,000 for Year Sheriff Johnson said she was from the victim's home at the \$754,000 for Year beaten brutally, apparently with home of the Negro man's ar-

tests to confirm the rape accu- A tire tool was found in the woman's car, under the front The Laurens County communi- seat on the driver's side, the ty where the alleged pre-day- sheriff said, and a man's jack-

is small. South Carolina law In vestigating officers included prohibits publication of infor- SLED Lt. Harold Fortson, Lt. mation that might tend to iden- Jim Wilson and Agent Jimmy Gantt; Laurens County Deputies cent pay raise for municipal em- Guard Armory. From the elderly victim, C. D. Benjamin Wilbur Trayn-ployees. Sheriff Johnson reconstructed ham and Cross Hill Police Chief

### **Presentation Service** At Hurricane Sunday

The Girls' Auxiliary of the Hurricane Baptist Church will hold a Presentation service Sunday The Negro — Sheriff Johnson evening, September 27, at 7:30

Taking the forward step and dow - took two \$10 bills and one participating in the program will \$5 bill from the woman's purse be Branda and Diane Watts, Kay and removed 27 pennies from a and Vickie Caldwall, Carol Ann and Charleen Young, Gail Har-The woman was forced to den and Susan Harmon. This is over by Mayor J. J. Cornwall walk from the house, then was the first service of its kind in the with all aldermen present: Boyd

garage. The car was driven The leaders, Mrs. Frank Harsouth, finally on Island Ford mon and Mrs. Allen Young state Road to the Lake Greenwood the public is invited to attend this service.

# **Clinton Goes To Chester** Friday; Downs Abbeville

belts, the Clintonians have with Clinton leading, 6-0. their work cut out for them to-

day. After a scoreless first quarter man ran the extra point. Both area was presented to council ter Joe Fuller recovered an Abpunt returns featured excellent beville fumble on the Clinton 43-blocking by the Clinton team.

The caboose had been given to the Cub Scouts of Clinton by the and halfback Joel Whitsel led at a yards for a score. Loy Seaboard Alexan Railroad to use the offense as the Cliston drive Steward ran 25 yards for the for Scouting activities.

The caboose had been given to the Cub Scouts of Clinton by the Seaboard Alexan Railroad to use for Scouting activities.

Council at its last mosting at the request of Morris Seymour,

The Clinton High Red Devils extra point attempt by Shealy will journey over to Chester failed. Late in the second quar- from Centennial to the city limits Friday night for their fourth ter Clinton held Abbeville on the and Elm Street from Chestnut Red Devil seven-yard line to pre- Street to Cedar Street. With three games under their vent a score. The first half ended

Clinton took the second half members to serve two-year morrow. Apparently, the local kickoff and drove 65 yards for terms on the Clinton-Newberry boys will be facing a tough a touchdown. Carroll Shealy ran Natural Gas Authority. They are fee, since Chester put on a the final 21/2 yards, and the Holtzclaw and Cooper. running and passing show last run for extra point by Whitsel Council also re-appointed all rens, 27-12.

Quarter Mike Sanders took an offices.

Abbeville punt and raced 75 A petition with signatures of yards for the touchdown. The ex
Clinton 26 - Abbeville 6 tra point attempt failed. Whitsel and College Heights section protection to the third victim of the another Abbeville punt 65 yards Council granting permission to Red Devils of Clinton last Fri. in the fourth quarter For All place a police of reduction of the process. Red Devils of Clinton last Fri- in the fourth quarter. Ken All- place a railroad caboose in the day. After a scoreless first quar- man ran the extra point. Both area was presented to council

Initial Gifts Establish Scholarships at College

lishment of three memorial are to be made in the future. scholarships have been present- The three scholarships were tificates for voting in the Gened to Presbyterian College by a presented to Presbyterian Col- eral Election on Nov. 3. donor who wishes to remain lege at a special memorial ser-

Ware, Mass., and Washington, S. C.; and the donor. land architect; and Mr. Craig, a Sallie Dowling Bowers. 1941 graduate of Presbyterian.

Dr. Weersing said the three grants are being established by a native of Hampton County, S. C., who has been associated with education in South Carolina, Florida and Virginia for many years. They will be endowed four-year scholarships.

The donor recently returned to Clinton for a visit, renewed an earlier interest in Presbyteian College and Thornwell Orphanage, and decided to set up the scholaship grants. She also presented PC with a valuable work of art, "The Adoration of the Magi," from the Pitti Pal-The man later drove the car ace in Italy and which formerly to a Soul Chapel Methodist hung in the Louvre in Paris. lege several other paintings now painting by Harriet Beecher Stowe: and "The Mother and

totals \$754,000.

The principal item in the bud- R. W. Ulrich.

year. The increase, it was stat-

The meeting was presided

ed, reflects the city's growth.

cent contained in the budget. In other action, council ap-

to Elizabeth Street, Gary Street

Pitts was reelected mayor pro-

tem. Council elected two new

Initial gifts toward the estab- of art at Presbyterian College

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President Marc C. Weersing Belk Auditorium last Monday. names certified at least 30 days today announced these scholars- The service, honoring persons prior to an election. ship designations as: 1—the being memorialized by the More than 1300 new voters Rosa Ella Ruth Davis Scholar- grants, included these partici- have been registered by the ship in memory of Sallie Dowl- pants: President Weersing, Pow- board in recent weeks, it was ing Bowers of Varnville, S. C., ell A. Fraser, PC development stated. for a qualified woman student; director; Dr. M. A. Macdonald, 2-the Dr. Joseph A. LeClerc president of Thornwell; PC Dean Scholarship in chemistry, hon- Joseph M. Gettys; Mrs. Merrill oring the late noted chemist of Bennett Nickels of Holly Hill,

D. C.; and the Burtis Scott Among the special out of town Brown Scholarship in memory guests in attendance were Mrs. The annual Laurens County



## Sloan Teaches At Charleston College

prounced the formal charges Law Enforcement Division Child," a gift of Pope Leo X to rector of industrial relations for worship at 7:30. The church will Monday after investigation that (SLED) were called even as of- a member of the donor's family Joanna Cotton Mills, is now an furnish the coffee and tea but ficers began working with a President Weersing said the asisstant professor at the Col-members and guests are asked complete description furnished anonymous donor made Presby- lege of Charleston. He heads the to bring a basket lunch. by the elderly attack victim. terian College a gift of some of Political Science Department, Conducting the services during Sheriff R. Eugene Johnson is At 7:40 a.m., Negro James the original letters of the Sir teaching several courses in this the week will be Evangelist

er who was the grand-daugh- Joanna Cotton Mills for 22 years. Newberry. He is also chairman ing Lot. of a 64-year-old White woman Sheriff Johnson said the sus- ter of the writer. She also pre- Prior to this, he had taught at of Evangelism for the Reedy who said she was awakened pect was changing from wet sented a two-volume set of Georgia Military Academy and River Association, sometime after 2 a.m. Saturday clothing at the time of his ar- the only two books written by Clinton High School.

library and to the collections lane University.

Council Adopts Budget

City Council at its September Cub scoutmaster, granted per- caboose on the ground would

The budget shows an increase petition to council in behalf of of the Clinton Chamber of Com-

year, approved the 1964-65 bud- placed at the rear of city-owned the section."

get increase was that allocated The Cub Scouts already have lation.

figure of \$190,000 for the coming action, since the placing of the

### **Board To Register** Voters Sept. 28-30

The Laurens County Registration Board will be in session on Sept. 28, 29 and 30. It is announ-

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These will be the last days eligible voters can obtain cer-

The law requires that the regisvice held in Wyatt Chapel of tration books be closed and the

# **County Civic Club Barbecue Tonight**

of Morgan Jones Craig, late P. Alex Craig of Chester, mother Civic Club barbecue is slated for C. alumnus of Chester, S. C. Mr. of Morgan Craig; and Mrs. Elise tonight (Thursday), with a din-Brown was a noted New Eng- Warr of Union, daughter of Mrs. ner meeting planned at the county fairgrounds, stated Marshall Pressley of Laurens, one of the leaders making arrangements for the affair.

It was stated that Senator Strom Thurmond is scheduled to be the speaker. However, if the Senator cannot be present, Dr. Marc C. Weersing president of Presbyterian College, will be the speaker.

The barbecue is being prepared by Walter Lynch of Mount-

#### Revival, Homecoming At Hurricane Church

Revival services will begin Sunday, October 4 at the Hurricane Baptist Church and continue through October 11, with the homecoming services and dinner starting the series on the fourth.

10:00, worship services at 11 a. during the above mentioned will be used as follows: m., lunch at 12:30. Training Un- hours: ion will be at 6:30 and evening

Rev. Charles Lucado, pastor of

Ed Perry of this city will have in the rural home where she rest. He said the arrest was Jefferson Davis, entitled "The A graduate of Erskine Col- charge of the song service each Parking Lot, South Harper St.;

petition.

membership drive Tuesday, Sep- sociation for Mental Health, tember 22 and will continue USO Fund, Fairview Alcoholic through October 2. Parents of Rehabilitation Center at Ridge- year. meeting, the first of the fiscal mission for the caboose to be "detract from the appearance of School are being urged to join Home at Charleston, American the association this year and Hearing Society, National Trav. get which included a five per property behind the National Council delayed action on the Ben Hay Hammett read the Don Creighton, vice president

It has been announced the of \$39,000 in both revenue and the signers. The petition said merce, requested that council grade getting the most members expenses over last year and there was deep concern over the consider replacing the concrete during the drive will be given an dangers to young children which street markers with metal ice cream treat by the associa-The tax levy, it is pointed out, use this particular area as a markers. He said a most estition with the classroom obtainwill remain at 53 mills, the same playground. Hammett was join- mate shows that metal markers ing the largest number of mem- will meet Tuesday, September precinct campaign work. each, excluding labor for instal- Broadway Theatre.

for purchase of power from Duke a meeting place, the petition "This is just another step we P-TA meeting, the membership psychologest, will give the volun- Clinton. Power Co., the figure going from said. The petitioners requested need to make in the beautifica- chairman stated, however it will teers some information on the Hostesses for the occasion will \$176,800 last yea to an estimated council to rescind its previous tion of our city," Creighton said. not count in the membership needs of Whitten Village, after be Mrs. B. W. Crouch of Mount-(Continued on page 4)



Clinton, S. C., Thursday, September 24, 1964

CALVIN COOPER **Industrial Division** 



BUZZ TEDARDS Industrial Division



HARROD MARTIN **Commercial Division** 

# **Community Chest Drive** To Begin Next Tuesday

### Lite-A-Bike Drive In County Sunday

The Veterans of Foreign Wars, at 8:30 a. m. with the cooperation of the local and county police and sheriff's ers in the Clinton campaign Calvin Cooper and Ralph (Buzz) department is sponsoring the which runs through October 13. Tedards, while Harrod Martin is "Lite-A-Bike" county-wide campaign Sunday, September 27, from 2:00 to 5:00 p. m.

factured and donated by the visional chairmen will consult eral days and is expected to Minnesota Mining and Manu- with their workers. be used in a safety campaign for the current drive. for the youth of the nation.

Cross Hill-Pinson's Store. Waterloo-Bill's Grocery. Gray Court-Nabors Sevice. Owings-Tucker's Service. Greenpond-Wham's Store. Princeton-Gregory's Store Lanford-Kennedy's Store. Joanna-Philips 66 Station. Lydia Mill-Main Gate Park-

Wattsville-Ford High School. Fountain Inn-Post Office. Laurens-High School, Pigg's A&P Shopping Center.

Hickory Tavern-High School. Clinton-Community Cash.

#### Hampton Avenue PTA Membership Drive On

Hampton Avenue Parent-Teacher Association began its children at Hampton Avenue way, the Florence Crittenden may send their names to school elers Aid Association, National by their children.

The general campaign of the al Social Welfare Assembly, Na-Clinton Community Chest will tional Council on Crime and Deget underway next Tuesday linquency International Social Sept. 29, with a kickoff break- Services. fast at Hotel Mary Musgrove Administrative Expense-\$1,

by solicitors and other work- the Industrial Division are chairman, will preside at the Division. instructional meeting. Mate- The Advance Gifts Division, rials will be distributed to under chairman Don G. Creigh-

facturing Company to VFW or- A record \$23,688.94 budget meeting. ganizations over the country, to has been adopted as the goal

The Clinton Community Chest All children desiring to have directs its funds to assist 24 Services for Sunday, the 4th, their bikes decorated may come services in 13 major agencies. will begin with Sunday school at to the following stations Sunday The funds raised this year Participating Agencies

-\$4,916.61. Blue Ridge Council of Boy Scouts-\$3,175.

ciety-\$3,650. Crippled Children and Adults The Salvation Army-\$750.

Laurens County Cancer So-

American Red Cross-\$3,225. Local Relief-\$3,050. National Cystic Fibrosis Research Foundation \$400.

Laurens County Mental Health cal. Association \$433.

embraces 11 charitable and Dr. J. Sherrard Rice, pastor of service agencies, as follows: the First Presbyterian Church, American Social Hygiene As- Columbia. Dr. Rice is author of sociation, South Carolina As-Recreation Association, Nation-

### Whitten Village Volunteers To Meet

which he will direct a tour of one wille and Mrs. Dot Taylor of this of the schools.

276.20.

The event will be attended Serving as co-chairmen of Reese Young, campaign chairman of the Commercial

Flourescent bands were manu- workers at that time and di- ton, has been at work for sevmake a report at Tuesday's

## Women of S. C. **Presbytery To Meet** In Abbeville Oct. 1

The 65th annual meeting of the Women of the Church, South Carolina Presbytery, will be held October 1 at the First Presbyterian Church in Abbeville. The meeting will open at 10:00 a. m.. with Mrs. J. K. Waits, Presbyterial president, presiding.

Delegates and visitors from all the churches in the presbytery are expected to attend and lunch will be served by the Ab-United Health and Medical beville church. A special guest Research for South Carolina- for the occasion will be Mrs. Walter Moore of Walhalla, presi-United Cerebral Palsy-\$100. dent of South Carolina Synodi-

One of the highlights of the Carolinas United Organiza- meeting will be the presentation tion-\$1,163.13. This one group of the Bible study for 1964-65 by the Bible Study book to be used by the women for the coming

### Women's Republican Club To Meet Tonight

The Laurens County Women's Republican's Club will meet this evening (Thursday, Sept. 24) at 7:30 o'clock at the Clinton Mill Community House.

The program will include a as for the past several years. ed in the discussion by Lt. Col. could be bought for about \$16 bers receiving free passes to 29, at 10 a.m. in the new schoool At this meeting plans will be

auditorium. William B. Timmer- made for staffing "Goldwater" Members may join at the first man, director of training and headquarters in Laurens and

> Anyone interested in joining the Mrs. Randall Smith, club Volunteers in their work is cor- president, has extended an open dially invited to attend this meet- invitation to any interested member wishing to attend.

# **Laurens Electric Co-Op Holds Annual Meeting**

for the cooperative.

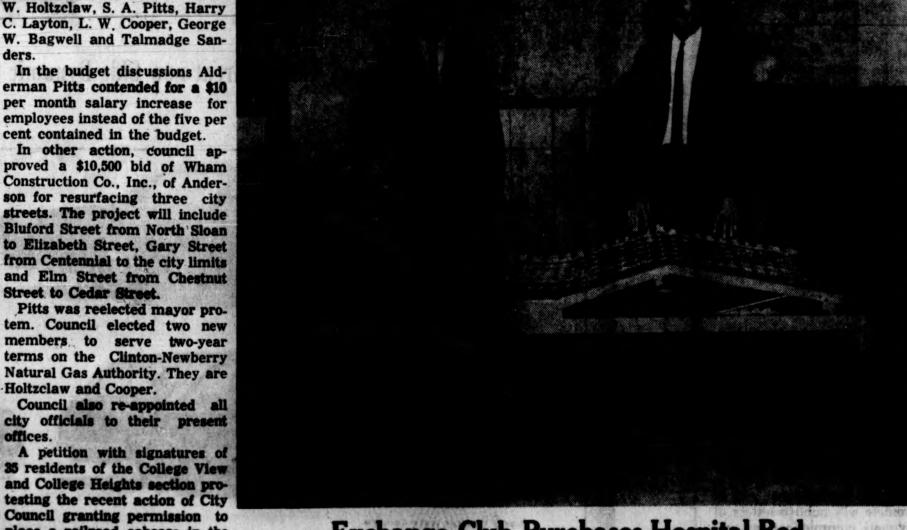
meeting; a large number of Co- bers.' the rendition of a medley of of continued progress. popular songs by a local barber Thee Directors Re-Elected shop quartet, the "Dixie Ram- L. F. Davis of Clinton, C. P. blers."

soin by making advantageous were being served by the Coopeuse of electricity in your homes. rative in 1965. Our cooperative has been built. At the conclusion of the a on a solid foundation and we ing numerous grizes were as look eagerly forward to another ed to lucky ticket holders.

The annual meeting of the twenty-five years of progress. Laurens Electric Cooperative, Manager Henry M. Faris em-Inc., was held Saturday under phasized that "Cooperatives have demonstrated an ability to a mammoth tent at the Laurens survive changes during the past County fair grounds. The event, twenty-five years. Public underheld in spite of a drizzilng rain, standing of the electric cooperaclimaxed 25 years of operation tives is esential if they are to continue performing the impor-A crowd of 1500 braved the tant business of delivering lowdamp weather to attend the cost electricity to their mem'-

op consumers attended the meet- Statewide Manager R. D. Bening to hear reports, elect direc- nett addressed the group briefly, tors and see the always-popular and congratulated the manager. beauty contest. The meeting got board of directors, employees underway at 10:00 a. m. with and consumes for another year

Roper of Laurens, and M. L. In his report Cop-Op President Workman of Woodruff, were re-W. M. Gersham remarked that elected to the board of directors "We are proud of the progress during the business session. Conwe have made at our coopera- sumers were told that in two tive. You members have played weeks capital checks would be a prominent part in our expan- mailed to all consumers that



### **Exchange Club Purchases Hospital Bed**

President Olin C. Johnson and Wyman M. Shealy, chairman of the Hospital Bed Committee of the Exchange Club, are shown with one of the beds recently purchased with funds derived from the sale of electric light bulbs.

The beds are available to the public, free of charge, for the use of patients confined to their homes. Five beds are in use and three more are available. Anyone needing a bed may contact Mr. Shealy, telephone .. 833-1862 Yarbon ough Photo.