DREAD THE WINTER?
To Seventh Day Baptists
Going South:

Perhaps the editor will not care to have me use the columns of the Recorder for "old stuff," but if he is willing I would like to make my annual appeal to all Seventh Day Baptists who come south for the winter to come to Daytona Beach where they can enjoy the worship services and the exceptionally pleasant social life of our little group.

There are never many of us at most, and death and old age have reduced the number who come, so we are especially keen to have newcomers as well as our old friends of former years. It always disappoints us when we hear of any of "our folks" going elsewhere, especially to places where privileges of worship with us are not enjoyed.

As Moses said to Hobab, "Come thou with us, and we will do thee good."

Yours cordially,

J. W. Crofoot.

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Albert N. Rogers,
Alfred Station, N. Y. President.

MID-CONTINENT ASSOCIATION
Denver, Colo.

October 5, 6, and 7, 1951
General Theme: "Light A Candle"
The opening session of the Mid-Continent Association will be an observance of the Lord's Supper to be held on Friday evening, October 5, at eight o'clock, with Rev. Ero E. Sutton in charge.

PACIFIC COAST ASSOCIATION
According to the Riverside, Calif., Seventh Day Baptist Church bulletin the Pacific Coast Association will be held with the Los Angeles Seventh Day Baptist Church in their new building, 4976 N. Figueroa, on Sabbath day, October 13.

OUR SERVICEMEN
Where They Are
(The Church should keep in touch with those who have entered the armed services and alternate services of our country. As an aid in carrying out this privilege, the Sabbath Recorder will publish from time to time the names and most recent addresses of our servicemen. Please keep us informed. Correct information is most essential.)

Lost Creek, W. Va.
Pvt. Alois F. Randolph, US32122125
Love Co., 502nd ABN Inf. Regt.
101st Airborne Div.
Camp Breckinridge, Ky.

Mariboro, N. J.
ETSN Charles W. Cobb, 4166696
ASS C. T. O'Brien (DE-421)
c-o FPO, New York, N. Y.

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION
FALL MEETING
Place—Adams Center, N. Y.
Date—October 13, 1951.
Hour—11 a.m. and 2 p.m.
Theme—Revival in Spirit.
Lunch—Picnic.

Bernice D. Rogers,
Corresponding Secretary.

YEARLY MEETING
Eastern New York and New Jersey Churches
The Yearly Meeting of the Eastern New York and New Jersey Churches will be held with the Seventh Day Baptist Church, Shiloh, N. J., Sabbath eve, October 19, and Sabbath day, October 20.
The principal feature of the occasion will be the ordination of Pastor Robert P. Lippincott to the Christian ministry.

SEPTEMBER 30 — A DECISIVE DAY
Let us remember in prayer the first planning meeting under the new reorganization plan. It will be an all-day meeting to be held at the Seventh Day Baptist Building, Plainfield, N. J., September 30.

Here have we seen Thy face,
As felt Thy presence here;
So may the savor of Thy grace
In word and life appear.

A parting hymn we sing
Around Thy table, Lord;
Again our grateful tribute bring,
Our solemn vows record.

The purchase of Thy blood,
By sin no longer led,
The path our dear Redeemer trod
May we rejoicing tread.

In self-forgetting love
Be our communion shown,
Until we join the Church above,
And know as we are known.

—Aaron R. Wolfe.
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Denominational Budget Remittances

PROFESSOR D. Nelson Inglis, acting treasurer of the Denominational Budget, announced at General Conference meeting held at Battle Creek, Mich., September 16, 1951, that the Board of Directors of the Women's Society of the Seventh Day Baptist General Conference was elected at the organization meeting of the new board held in Battle Creek, Mich., September 16, 1951. (The Women's Board was moved from Salem, W. Va., to Battle Creek, Mich., at the urgent request of the retiring board, by the action of the Lord, the General Conference at Alfred, N. Y., August 14-19, 1951.)

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President—MRS. R. T. Fetherston, 476 N. Washington Street; Vice-President—Mrs. Herbert L. Polan, 31 Buckeye Street; Recording Secretary—MRS. Elton L. Wheeler, 619 North Avenue; Corresponding Secretary—MRS. Ernest E. Thorngate, 51 Blanch Street; Treasurer—MRS. Lloyd Lukens, 86 E. Grand Circle; Editor of Sabbath Recorder Page—MRS. A. Russell Maxson, Route 1, Box 384, all of Battle Creek, Mich.

Other Members of the Board
MRS. John Hudson; MRS. W. B. Lewis; MRS. Herbert Lippincott; MRS. Gladys Hemminger; MRS. T. J. Morley; MRS. Ellis C. Johnson; MRS. Claire Merchant, MRS. John Cornish; MRS. John Langworthy, all of Battle Creek, Mich.; MRS. LeRoy DeLand, Bellevue, Mich.; MRS. Ernest E. Thorngate, Corresponding Secretary.

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AS WE GATHER AROUND THE LORD'S TABLE

October 6 is Worldwide Communion Sabbath. Sabbathkeeping Christians occupy a unique position in being privileged to begin the present season of this annual fellowship around the table of our Lord. Fellow Protestants who meet on the first day of the week will continue the observance on October 7.

It is well for us to remember our unique position through having the benefit of our Saviour's sacrifice. This is a blessed privilege held in common with all who name His name in surrendered life and loyalty. His salvation is for all who will accept Him. This we truly need to keep in mind and dwell upon.

It is well for us to remember our unique position as Seventh Day Baptists as we share in common with other Sabbathkeeping Christians the conviction of the Sabbath truth. There is little doubt in the minds of many that the world will come out more nearly right when the commandments of God and the law are taught by our Lord, including the Sabbath, are observed by men everywhere. How significant and far-reaching our witness to the Sabbath may become is as a result of the conviction of the Sabbath truth.

It is well for us to remember our unique position as Christians, saved and kept in the grace of God, along with all Christians everywhere, of serving and living Christ-filled lives. Our Worldwide Communion observance will become hollow and meaningless if it does not issue in greater sacrificial service: This we truly need to keep in mind and dwell upon.

Salvation in Christ, witness to the Sabbath truth, sacrificial service in Him. We can better appreciate these needs to keep in mind and dwell upon them as we gather around the table of our Lord.

ORGANIZATION MEETING OF THE NEW COMMISSION

(Information through courtesy of the Commission.)

At a meeting of the newly elected Commission called by the chairman, Rev. Elmo F. Randolph, which adjourned at 10:55 p.m., Sunday night, August 19, 1951, Mr. Randolph was re-elected chairman of the Commission.

Rev. Lester G. Osborn and Alfred L. Davis were named as the Auditing Committee.

Mr. Osborn and Mr. Randolph were appointed to the Committee of the Official List of Ministers.

Elmo F. Randolph was authorized to counter-sign the checks of the treasurer of the Denominational Budget, and D. Nelson Inglis the checks of the treasurer of General Conference.

The president of Conference, O. B. Bond, was directed to lead the Commission in preparing the program for the next session of Conference.

The schedule of Conference meetings for the year is as follows: Midyear meeting, Plainfield, N. J., Wednesday, December 26, at 2 p.m., through Sunday, December 30; Pre-Conference meeting in Colorado beginning at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, August 12, 1952.

As readers of the Sabbath Recorder know, the planning meeting of the Commission and the board and agency representatives is scheduled to be held in Plainfield, N. J., all day, September 30.

The General Conference at Alfred placed the responsibility for the promotion of the Denominational Budget with the Commission. In turn, at its organization meeting the Commission chose to appoint a special committee to carry out the function of promoting the Denominational Budget, providing for reports to be made by the committee to the Commission in September, December, August, and at such other times as the Commission may require. The name of the chairman of the committee is to be announced.

Readers of the Sabbath Recorder will follow these actions of the Commission with great interest and will make the scheduled meetings mentioned an object of intercession and prayer.

Members present at the organization meeting were: Elmo F. Randolph, Alfred L. Davis, Lester G. Osborn, and Orville B. Bond. Courtland V. Davis served as secretary.
FROM THE EDITOR'S MAIL BOX

Dear Sir:

I am what I guess you call a lone Sabbathkeeper as I am eighty miles from my home Church in Daytona Beach, and wouldn't know much about our denominational "doings" if it weren't for the Recorder — our good old "family" magazine.

May God bless everyone who is helping make it what it is.  

Lena S. Finch.

1140 S. Pine Street,  
Ocala, Fla.

Dear Sabbath Recorder:

I am sending $5 to renew my subscription to the Recorder. . . . It is such a good religious paper. We have three different religious papers coming into our home — the Recorder: our good old Seventh Day Baptist hears a burden rests for the betterment and uplift of juvenile delinquency and men and women who are to be released again into normal living from behind the bars of jails and houses of correction. These look to me like definite challenges to the Christians — to use time, money, and planning for the betterment of these very unfortunate people. Do Seventh Day Baptists have a little of "the better way" feeling since very few of their families have ever had these things close home? I hope not. But there is so little even mentioned that would indicate that we care as deeply as we should. It seems to me that such a feature would be one of the definite turns we could incorporate into the changing scene of denominational endeavor. Why not discuss it definitely?

Why should the baseball heroes think of definite steps to bring better living habits to boys in the New York slums, as is on foot by inspiration of baseball players at Baseball Academy, 151 East 40th Street, New York City? This is a film that shows the extent of the city think of their welfare to the extent of actually doing something about it.

We are all so busy figuring out finances, paying expenses of efficiency of our Church setups, that the gangs on the city streets, and what they are up to, impress our planning minds very little. . . . I am working at the brickyard. I assure you I have use imagination when I say the seamy side of life cannot be glossed over. It can only be changed and patiently from the root of these terrible troubles — getting farther and farther away from God. I really feel the Sabbath Recorder is a very great factor in helping families keep higher religious and moral standards of living — to those who read it carefully. Many who need it most read it little, I feel.

In reorganizing our family life and attitudes toward His laws, our denomination would very easily slip into the type of Church organization recommended by Jesus and His disciples when thousands came to their new organization. It must have seemed just a little emotional to the great company. But now, any emotion in our Churches is as taboo as a plague. The planning for this project is on foot by inspiration of the City Moody Bible Institute's preceding films "God's Creatures," "Flowers of the Atom," "Release." The film represents eighteen months of tedious camera work in out-of-the-way places to find the small but perfect treasures of God's creation. Delving into the infinitesimal things of God's creation, the film contains a featured sequence on diatoms — a one-cell plant that builds and lives in its own glass, one-inch plants which it would take 15 million to fill an ordinary thimble. With the lens of the 200-inch Mt. Palomar telescope — the world's largest — "Hidden Treasures" reveals some of the hundred million island universes around the billion light-year radius which have recently been opened by the fabulous instrument.

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Hammond, La.  
July 23, 1951.

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We all need power daily. In a humble frame of heart, I submit my thoughts: feeling deeply many of the topics being discussed, these keep coming to the surface and will not be stilled.

With love toward those who are endeavoring the healthy growth of our corner of the True Church, I am

Mrs. Clarence Beebe.

5 Ninth Avenue,  
Bunkwood,  
Warwick, R. I.

Dear Brother Warren:  

Just a line to tell you about a project we had at our Church. The Church gave out 10 new one-dollar bills and told people to invest the money in some way and at the end of two months bring back what they had. We enacted Matthew 25: 14-30 both when we gave out the ten dollars and when we recalled the talents.

Though we only gave out ten dollars, many took part in the program by investing a dollar of their own. When the two months were up we had $80.80. Some people made pastry and sold it; some did crocheting, others made popsicles to sell, some sold books, some sold scrap paper, and some only added interest and brought that in. Considering the fact that our treasury was almost empty, to get over $80 dollars back made the project a great success.

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P. S. — I enjoy the history of the Seventh Day Baptists running in the Recorder and the bits of news are excellent.

Dear Editor of the Sabbath Recorder:

We read all we can of the discussion of the proposed reorganization of our denomination. We pray as sincerely as we are humanly able that only those led by the Holy Spirit will become active in making the new plans. And we feel that no one should suggest or propose, unless he feels inspired to offer constructive suggestions.

I do not know, of course, on how many occasions the people of the Holy Spirit spoke as one, Conference gathering, I am sure such an occasion would come forth that would go forward with power.

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TRIBUTE TO ASA F. RANDOLPH

By the Board of Trustees of the American Sabbath Tract Society

Asa F. Randolph, a beloved member of the American Sabbath Tract Society, departed this life on Sabbath afternoon, September 15, 1951. By his death the Tract Board has lost an active and interested member.

Mr. Randolph was named to the Tract Board as a trustee in September, 1913. He was the assistant recording secretary from 1914 to 1934. He served on the following committees: Committee on Distribution of Literature from 1913 to 1918; on the Budget Committee as chairman from 1914 to 1918 and as a member of this committee from 1925 to 1926 and from 1929 to 1928, and as chairman from 1942 to 1951; on the Advisory Committee from 1918 to 1924, again from 1927 to 1931, as chairman of this committee from 1932 to 1941, and as a member from 1924 to 1951; as chairman of the Auditing Committee from 1913 to 1918, as chairman from 1923 to 1926, as a member from 1927 to 1929, and from 1942 to 1951; also as a member of the Committee on Denominational Building from 1927 to 1929; and as a member of the Committee on Files of Denominational Literature from 1929 to 1951.

Mr. Randolph was an active and capable member of the board and attended regularly as long as he was able.

During the controversy with the taxing authorities of the City of Plainfield which imposed taxes on the print shop and the office building, Mr. Randolph gave valuable time and professional skill in conference with the authorities and ultimately he presented an able legal brief to the Union County Board of Tax Appeals. Because of his efforts the Seventh Day Baptist Building (the office building) was declared exempt from taxation.

The fall meeting of the Northern Association will be held early this month with the Seventh Day Baptist Church, White Cloud, Mich., on October 12-14, 1951.

Mabel Babcock, Secretary.
Report of the Committee on Credentials

The Committee on Credentials would report the following delegates who were officially reported by the churches in the continental United States:

- David, George S. Still
- Mrs. William L. Burdick
- Mrs. Ronald Gordon
- Paul B. Osborn
- Walter Cocker, Mrs. Walter Cocker.
- Dickinson
- Donald A. Sanford
- Emerson, Mrs. Willard
- Clinton Burdick, Donald
- Marian Sutton
- Evert P. Spaine, Philip
- Willard Sutton, Jr., Miss Roberta Glover, Miss Mary Ann Bailey.
- Fritzjof
- John Jacox, A. Prentice Stillman, Fred W. Turck, Gordon Ogden, A. Turwood, Howard Jackson, Mrs. Howard Jackson, Berwyn Reid, Everett Peary, Mrs. Dora R. Degen, Mrs. E. Friziof Hildebrand, Miss Fucia P. Randolph, Mrs. Lloyd Watson, George Potter, Miss Adeline Armstrong, Willard Sutton, Jr., Mrs. Roberta Glover, Mrs. Mary Ann Bailey.
- Alternates - Mrs. Everett T. Harris, Mrs. Alva J. C. Bond, Mrs. H. W. Davis, Mrs. E. F. Roos, Mrs. Alfred E. Whitford, Mrs. L. Ray Polan, Mrs. Ben R. Crandall, Mrs. Crandall, Mrs. B. E. Harris, Mrs. Patricia Crofoot, Mrs. Wilbur Maltby, Mrs. Margaret Garrelt F. Bakker, Harold Whitford, Mrs. Harold Whitford, Beatrice

(Continued on next page)
AN EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION

God's love truly has been made manifest in the answered prayers of the members of the Seventh Day Baptist Church of New Zealand. We would like to send to the Recorder an outpouring of deeply grateful hearts for the fellowship and friendly association we are enjoying in the company of Rev. and Mrs. Emmett Bottoms. Their arrival in our midst has been an inspiration and uplift to one and all. Indeed they not only immediately found a place in our hearts, but their kindly understanding and sympathetic attitude toward our efforts here have greatly encouraged us. We no longer feel as though leagues of ocean and vast lands, but the happy family. Already we feel quite familiar with our American and other brethren, and help Mrs. Bottoms frequently gives the address, and we feel we want to hear them amongst us.

We pray that God will richly bless the Sunday evening mission which they are conducting. The mission is opened with rousing and cheerful choruses, vocal items, and prayer, and the uplifting message is enjoyed by all.

Rev. and Mrs. Emmett Bottoms are now planning their visit to the South Island where in Christchurch they will see something special in the shape of a lovely little Church built by Pastor Barrar. (We sincerely hope we will have a Church building too, in the North Island, in the not too distant future — all our own very own where God's Spirit may work — and that it will grow like a green bay tree in a barren land. Then we will say that the Seventh Day Baptist Church is well and truly established in New Zealand.)

The Emmett Bottoms hope to visit Australia also later.

May we express ourselves in the words of the dear, old, familiar hymn?

Blest be the tie that binds Our hearts in Christian love; The fellowship of kindred minds Is like to God's own love.

Before our Father's throne We pour our ardent prayers; Our fears, our hopes, our aims, are one, Our comforts and our cares.

We share our mutual woes; Our mutual burdens bear; And thus our love is ever new As once in Eden was.

We are deeply grateful for the "Christ in Song" hymnbooks so kindly given.

TRAVEL IN NEW ZEALAND

In a recent letter from Rev. Emmett H. Bottoms, he tells of driving with Mr. Mason, the assistant lay leader of the Auckland Church, to Pahia, one hundred seventy miles west of Auckland. They were cordially received by the people whom they went to visit. Mr. Bottoms says, "We found the highway good and traveling enjoyable until we reached the river, approximately a mile from our destination. There we parked the Morris and were met by a man who brought a boat as far as a sand bar, forty or fifty feet from the shore. It became our privilege to take off our shoes, roll our trousers above the knees, and wade the river which was sixteen or eighteen inches in depth. Was the water cold!"

Mr. Bottoms reports the addition of a new member to the Auckland Church in the person of F. Tonge, secretary of the South Seas Leper's, Hospitals and Medical Relief Board. He also says that there are prospects of other accessions soon. Mr. and Mrs. Bottoms plan to go to South Island late in October. There their headquarters will be at Christchurch where Rev. Edward Barrar is pastor, with whom Mr. Bottoms will co-operate in advancing the work of Seventh Day Baptists and the kingdom of God in that part of New Zealand.

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Children's Page

Dear Recorder Children:

Since not a single one of you has written to me this week, I'll have to send you a story instead, hoping many of you will write very, very soon. Now for my story, entitled "The Gift of Love"

One bright, cool afternoon in September, two little girls were trudging home from school along a pleasant country road, chatting merrily, as only two happy little girls can.

"Oh, dear!" said Eleanor Bently, the smaller of the two, "Isn't it funny that your birthday's tomorrow and mine's just as many days as I am and she is!"

"Yes, it is funny," said Jean Carol, with a little skip of pure joy, "and ever so nice, too. Just think of the good times we can have, planning and making birthday gifts together!"

Jean was an only child. Until the Bentlys came to live on the adjoining farm less than a year ago, she had had very few playmates in her rather lonely life. The two children almost at once had become the greatest of friends, and a very happy child was little Jean. Eleanor was happy, too. Although she was blessed with two brothers, they were quite a bit older and of course not much company for her.

"Oh, yes," answered Eleanor. "It will be great fun to talk about our gifts for our mothers, but I know just what I am going to get for my mother. I don't have to plan one single bit. I am going to ask my daddy for a nice, new five-dollar bill, and I'll go to town tomorrow and buy the very finest poketothe book in the whole store. I love my mother so well that nothing is too good for her. I never could make anything fine enough. But I'd love to have you come over to my house after supper to tell me what you are going to make for your mother."

The Auckland Church suffered the loss of Mr. F. Tonge, secretary of the South Seas Leper's, Hospitals and Medical Relief Board. He also says that there are prospects of other accessions soon. Mr. and Mrs. Bottoms plan to go to South Island late in October. Their headquarters will be at Christchurch where Rev. Edward Barrar is pastor, with whom Mr. Bottoms will co-operate in advancing the work of Seventh Day Baptists and the kingdom of God in that part of New Zealand.
Jean’s face grew sober as she bade Eleanor good-by at the Bently gate and went alone to her own home, a few steps farther on. Her father had been sick all summer and she knew there was very little money to spare for birthday gifts.

As she entered the house she heard the rattle of dishes in the kitchen where her mother was preparing the evening meal, humming softly a favorite hymn.

“I know I love my mother as much as Eleanor does hers,” said the little girl to herself with a tremble in her voice, “even if I cannot give her such a lovely gift for her birthday. I’m afraid I cannot make anything half good enough to show her how much I love her.”

Then a tired, unhappy little girl threw herself down on her dainty white bed and cried herself to sleep.

Suddenly she thought she heard a soft little voice beside her singing:

“Oh, Jean! Oh, Jean! Come sit with me
Across the fields and o’er the brook,
The dearest present there you’ll see,
When I have shown you how to look
For common things, appropriate for crowns of kings.
Jean rubbed her eyes in surprise and looked quickly around. Balanced lightly on the edge of her bed was a dainty little fairy, dressed in shining gold, who beckoned to her toward the window. She found herself floating like a thistledown, over the grassy meadow, where the golden fairy danced with the golden fairy on the edge of the little babbling brook in the east meadow.

Graciously the shining fairy waved her tiny golden wand and sang:

“Oh, see, goldenrod,
How could you seek for fairer blooms?
And note each little milkweed pod,
And other weeds with feathery plumes.
Then gather care
each tiny spray of beauty there.
Now if with gilt or silver sheen
You touch each one so tenderly,
A present fit for any queen.
You’ll have before you, don’t you see?
‘Twill please your mother, never fear.
Ho! Ha! Ha! my pretty dear.
(To be continued)

With love, M'zap S. Greene.

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CHURCH NEWS

ASHAWAY, R. I. — Sabbath day, June 2, a service for dedication of babies was held. Candace Ann, four-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Riley, and Joy Vivilene, three-month-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kenyon, were dedicated by the pastor, Rev. Lester G. Osborn.

At a recent business meeting of the Church, it was voted to purchase a new microscope and a typewriter for the pastor’s study. Contributions have already swelled the fund past the halfway mark.

The hobby show, sponsored by the Sabbath school and held on June 6, netted nearly $50 for the treasury. Over 30 hobbyists participated and there were many beautiful and valued displays, from a Biblical quilt over one hundred years old to rare and expensive silver.

A successful Vacation Bible School was held June 25 - July 9, with an average attendance of ninety-one. Eighty-six had perfect attendance. Children from the Western, Second Hopkinson, and Rockville Churches and their chapel also were enrolled. Closing exercises and an exhibit of the handwork were presented by the last evening. Rev. Kenneth A. Stickney was general chairman with teaching assistance from each Church. Miss Marilyn Osborn was registrar.

The Ladies’ Aid Society has recently held a cafeteria supper, a food sale and auction combined, and an art show. Together, they swelled the treasury well over $250.

At the July meeting of the Kum Dubble Klub, formerly the Young Married Couples Club, plans were made to organize a nursery for the small tots during Sabbath morning worship service. A winner roast was held following devotions and a business meeting.

The teenagers of the Church, including also several from the Second Hopkinson Church, are meeting every Sabbath night at the parsonage for Bible study and a social time. Much interest is being shown and a meeting will be held soon to organize as a social unit. attendance at the Church services and

THE SABBATH RECORDER

Sabbath evening prayer meetings are on the increase. Mrs. Raymond M. Kenyon, Jr., Correspondent.

NEW AUBURN, WIS. — When last I wrote you were looking forward to the arrival of our new pastor, Rev. David S. Clarke. A member drove a truck down and brought their goods back for them, to the newly redecorated parsonage.

They have now been with us three months and have accomplished a great deal. Mr. Clarke has ways of his own of getting around and becoming acquainted with the people of the community, both Church members and non-members, and has won friends readily. Mrs. Clarke has proved an asset, in addition to having the care of four small, well-behaved children.

The Church decided in April to have Vacation Bible School, but left the organization details until our pastor should arrive. From July 9 to 20, with a demonstration program and social hour at its close. Fifty pupils were enrolled with an average attendance of 42, and perfect attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Clarke, Mary Pederson, and Lois North conducted the school and were assisted by Faye Nelson who acted as secretary and the fourteen Junior Christian Endeavorers, both of whom assisted with recreation and in other ways. That the school was popular is attested by the fact that Catholics, Lutherans, United Brethren, Seventh Day Baptists, and those with no affiliation served during some part of it and at the program and social hour that followed.

Sabbath, July 21, was Children’s Day and the fourteen Junior Christian Endeavorers had full charge of the worship service.

The church picnic was held July 25 when getting wet and visiting were as much in order as good food and ice cream, out in Chippewa Park on Long Lake.

August 25 has been set as the tentative date for a baptismal service. There are several candidates.

The pastor drove several passengers to Conference at Alfred, through Upper Michigan and Ontario, to Niagara, thence to Alford where he was the guest of, and presented the forward looking views of the Missionary Board.

We are praying for a successful Conference. With the Churches among us, this Church is happier and looks to a greater promise into the future. A. G. Churchward, Correspondent.

BATTLE CREEK, MICH. — Vacation Bible School was held from June 11-22 with a total attendance of 140, of which 70 were new pupils. Due to the serious illness of Mrs. W. B. Lewis who planned to serve as director, the intermediate class was cancelled to enable Pastor Wheeler to direct, and the intermediate girls were organized into a Christian Service Class, assisting in other departments where needed. At the closing service on Friday night, a dramatization entitled "A Story to Tell," commemorating the 50th anniversary of Bible schools, was presented, directed by Mrs. R. T. Fetherston. Teachers were: Mrs. Edgar Kirsch, Jr., Mrs. Don Casler, Mrs. Melbourne Spills, Mrs. Arthur Dowell, Mrs. D. Millar, Mrs. Ben Crandall, Mrs. Lloyd Lunger, and the assistant pastor, Duane Davis. Mrs. Fetherston was the music director and Miss Dorothy Stiede was school secretary.

Our Church property on Cotton Lake named Holston Camp in memory of the former pastor, was in almost continuous use during July. On the Fourth of July an all church picnic was held there; July 12, the Mothers’ Council of the Church held their annual family picnic; July 10 saw the opening of the summer camping season for our Church with a one-day session for children ages 6 through 8. Twelve children attended and their camp theme was John 5: 16. Counselors were Pastor Wheeler, Assistant Pastor Davis, Miss Alice Hemminger, and Miss Roberta Putnam. July 13-22, senior camp for ages 12-16 was held for 23 campers.

Rev. Orville Babcock of White Cloud, Mich., was the director of the camp with Pastors Wheeler and Davis on the staff. Junior camp followed, July 22. For 22 campers, ages 9-11, with Assistant Pastor Davis as director. The staff included Rev. Trevah Sutton of Jackson Center, Ohio, and Pastor Wheeler. We are always glad to have the White Cloud
and Jackson Center young people join in our camps, and especially appreciate the capable leadership of their pastors. Our fees are kept as low as possible, approximately $1 per day, including campers' insurance.

Following camp this year four young people were baptized by Pastor Wheeler, Ruth Johanson, Velma Rowe, Ervin Davis, and Billy Parrott. Another made the decision, but was out of town on that summer, and returned to Alfred. He has done great work in our parish—the past ministry. — Mrs. George (Madeline) Parrott, Correspondent.

Duane Davis has now finished his work in Battle Creek as assistant pastor for the summer, and returned to Alfred. He has done great work in our parish the past few months and we wish him Godspeed as he continues his preparation for the ministry. — Mrs. George (Madeline) Parriott, Correspondent.

NILE, N. Y. — The Community Religious Day School was held July 2-3. Classes were held each day from 8:45 to 11:30 a.m. except on July 4. The school enrollment was 60, of which number 34 had perfect attendance.

Pastor Paul Osborne is teacher of the school supervisor and also taught the junior class; Rev. Gerald Hertzog, pastor of the Nile E. U. B. Church was teacher of the intermediate class; the beginning class was taught by Mrs. Gerald Crane; and the primary by Mrs. Paul Osborn. Mrs. William Davidson was secretary-treasurer and helped with the work when needed.

A picnic was held on the closing day and the Friday night prayer meeting time was given over to the school, when a program of music and Bible verses learned, was presented.

Our Ladies' Aid Society meets once each month, usually in the Church parlors. We have recently tied two quilts and collected cloth, furniture, and household furnishings for a family whose home burned.

We have our weekly prayer meeting and Bible study at the Church on Sabbath eve. Although there is a small group who do attend feel that God is with us in the meeting and we wish that more of our people would attend. — Mrs. Wm. Davidson, Correspondent.

THE SABBATH READER

P. Howard. A quilt was tied and other sewing for the fall sale was done.

Miss Agnes Smith has returned to her school in Huntington, Long Island. Miss Leora Shoetz and Miss Cora Bakeman are working for a position in library work at Duaneberg Central School at Delanson, and Miss Murdock is working in Cicerio. Miss Louise Hyde is employed in a pharmaceutical plant in Syracuse. Misses Jean Stone and Twila Sholtz have returned to Green and the old, Teachers' College. Warner Thayer, Jr., has entered Syracuse College of Liberal Arts.

Duane Davis, a student in Alfred School of Theology, gave a very interesting sermon on Sabbath morning, September 8, and consented to preach for us the following Sabbath.

Rev. Victor W. Skaggs, pastor of the Seventh Day Baptist Church at Little Genesee, has accepted the call of our Church to become its pastor. Mr. Skaggs and family are expected to arrive here about January 1.

The Young People's Social Club met with Miss Louise Hyde on the evening of September 8. Duane Davis gave an interesting account of his work as assistant pastor of the Battle Creek, Mich., Church during the past summer. The business meeting was conducted by the president, W. J. Keen. The club voted to give $30 for relief work on the island of Jamaica where our mission buildings were damaged in the recent hurricane, and $20 toward maintenance of the local parsonage. — Press Committee.

Obituaries

F. Randolph. — Aa Burt, son of Nathan H., and Elias Burt, F. Randolph, was born in Plainfield, N. J., on July 18, 1870, and died at his home in Plainfield, September 15, 1951.

He was married in marriage with Luella A. Clason of Plainfield, N. J., on June 9, 1904.

Mr. Randolph was respected as an outstanding layman in the church, and was for more than twenty years a distinguished member of the American Bar Association. In a citation by the Plainfield Association he was honored as "a legal practitioner of impeccable character, noted for his deep knowledge of clients' interests, of sound and cool judgment; successful, yet ever considerate, modest, and gracious."

Mr. Randolph was baptized and united with the Plainfield Seventh Day Baptist Church on May 12, 1893, and was united in marriage. He served the Church for thirty-seven years as clerk and during the time of his death was its senior deacon. His devotion covered denominational responsibilities of a wide scope. He was for many years a trustee of the General Conference and had been a member of the Tract Board since 1930.

He is survived by his widow, Luella Clawson Randolph, and his sister, Mrs. Hobart B. Ayers of Westfield, R. I.

Services were conducted at his late home by his pastor, Rev. Wendell Stephen. Interment was in Hillside Cemetery in Plainfield, E. W. S. Bonham.

— Clarkson S., son of Winfield and ~ Eva Bonham, was born October 14, 1891, in Shiloh, N. J., and passed away at his home in Shiloh on Wednesday, September 12, 1951, at the age of 59.

He is survived by his wife, the former Elizabeth Harris; one daughter, Mrs. Jean Lewis of Riverside, Calif., and a son, Winfield S. Bonham, stationed with the U. S. Army in Korea; one brother, John, of Shiloh; four sisters, Mrs. Julia Ewing, Shiloh; Mrs. Ada Lyon, Bradford, Pa.; Mrs. Fannie Milard, Burt, N. Y.; and Mrs. Edna Banks, of Rochester, N. Y.

On February 25, 1908, he was baptized and became a member of the Shiloh Seventh Day Baptist Church.

Funeral services were held on Sunday, September 16, 1951, at Florence Garrison Freighting and Plainfield Post Office Cemetery, conducted by Pastor Robert P. Lippincott. Burial was in the Shiloh Seventh Day Baptist Cemetery.

Jamaica Rehabilitation

All who wish to contribute to the rehabilitation of damaged Seventh Day Baptist property in Jamaica will please send their contributions to Karl G. Stillman, treasurer, Seventh Day Baptist Missionary Society, Post Office Drawer 315, Westfield, R. I., and we will see that they are used for that purpose.

RECORER WANT ADS

For sale, help wanted, and similar advertisements, will be run in this column at 25c per line of seven words or less, or $1.50 per line. Cash should accompany each advertisement.

WANTED — Used pulpit chairs. State price and condition. Mrs. John Kagazie, New Enterprise, N. Y.

MID-CONTINENT ASSOCIATION
Denver, Colo.
October 5, 6, and 7, 1951
General Theme: "Light A' Candle"

The opening session of the Mid-Continent Association will be an observance of
the Lord's Supper to be held on Friday evening, October 5, at eight o'clock, with
Rev. Erlo E. Sutton in charge.

NORTH CENTRAL ASSOCIATION
The North Central Association will convene with the Milton, Wis., Church
October 12-14, 1951, beginning with the
Friday night session and ending
Sunday night. Names of delegates expecting to
attend should be sent to the secretary.
(Mrs.) Mabel C. Sayre, Secretary.

CENTRAL ASSOCIATION
FALL MEETING
Place—Adams Center, N. Y.
Date—October 13, 1951.
Hour—11 a.m. and 2 p.m.
Theme—Revival in Spirit.
Lunch—Picnic. Bernice D. Rogers,
Corresponding Secretary.

PACIFIC COAST ASSOCIATION
According to the Riverside, Calif., Seventh Day Baptist Church bulletin the Pacifc
Coast Association will be held with the
Los Angeles Seventh Day Baptist
Church in their new building, 4976 N.
Figueroa, on Sabbath day, October 13.

YEARLY MEETING
Eastern New York
and New Jersey Churches
The Yearly Meeting of the Eastern New
York and New Jersey Churches will be
held with the Seventh Day Baptist Church,
Shiloh, N. J., Sabbath eve, October 19,
and Sabbath day, October 20.
The principal feature of the occasion
will be the ordination of Pastor Robert P.
Lippincott to the Christian ministry.

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Formula for Living

President K. Duane Hurley
Salem College, Salem, W. Va.

His formula included four main points: "Start a fire; make yourself and
your talents known in whatever profession you choose; build a bridge from
your life to the lives of others; build good foundations through education,
health, moral and spiritual development.

"After you have equipped yourself with the necessary tools and have
started on your professional course," President Hurley concluded, "then you must
land the knockout blow and make your contribution to society." — Release.

(See "Salem College Gets Under Way," page 199.)