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## EDITORIAL

**T**HE second Summer School of the Society was held at Bristol Baptist College from July 2nd to 4th. All who attended thought it very successful and there is no doubt that this idea is meeting a real need. The standard of the papers given was high, as our readers will be able to prove when they read some of them in print in this and the next one or two issues. It was obviously most useful and pleasurable for keen students of Baptist history to have this opportunity of getting together. The hospitality was of the high standard one would expect and we were most grateful to Dr. Champion and the members of his staff for the way in which they made us feel so much at home.

One of the persons present at the School was Dr. Edward C. Starr, editor of the unique *Baptist Bibliography*. This is a good opportunity therefore to welcome the two latest parts which have appeared, volumes 14 and 15. These contain the most complete lists of and about G. W. and J. Lehmann, the German pioneers, John and Robert Lilburne, Joseph Livesey, F. Townley Lord, A. McCaig, and John Macbeath, (vol. 14) and Alexander Maclaren, Archibald Maclean, Newton Marshall, Joshua and J. C. Marshman, and Hugh Martin (vol. 15) and many other Baptist worthies besides those mentioned. All students of Baptist history are deeply in Dr. Starr's debt for making this valuable tool available and we gladly take this opportunity of expressing our gratitude.