SHARON JAMES  After teaching history in this country and Malawi, she trained at Toronto Baptist Seminary. She now cares for a young family, and continues writing at home in Leamington Spa.

Just before Christmas the Society learned of the sudden death of Dr Ian Sellers, a long-standing friend of the Society. An appreciation will appear in the Society's newsletter.


104 H.B. Bulteel, *An address delivered at the opening of a Free Episcopal Church, in the city* of London, although he was in and out of favour with Irving and the Apostles; for details of his career, see Grass, *Taming of the Prophets*, 58-61.

105 Taplin was an influential figure among the London ‘gifted persons’. although he was in and out of favour with Irving and the Apostles; for details of his career, see Grass, *Taming of the Prophets*, 58-61.

106 Fry MS’, 234.


TIM GRASS  Previously in pastoral ministry among Grace Baptist churches for thirteen years, now writing, teaching church history and editing a hymnbook. In membership with Brighton Road Baptist Church, Horsham

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Attwater family of Bodenham and Bratton, Wilts: family correspondence and diaries 1767-1799

George Street Baptist Church, Plymouth: transcript of Church Book [the original no longer survives] 1648-1778

Hertfordshire Baptist Association: committee minutes and associated papers of HBA Women’s organizations 1942-1994

Kent Baptist Association: minutes and associated correspondence 1975-1989

Robinson, Dr Theodore: missionary reminiscences and photograph album of Serampore, Calcutta, 1911

Steane, Revd James of Bletchingley, Surrey: diary and family photographs 1852-1856

Strode Crescent Baptist Church, Sheerness, Kent: church records 1897-1940

Tottlebank Baptist Church, Cumbria: additional records (meeting house licences, receipts, etc.) 1711-1789

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The Association of Denominational Historical Societies and Cognate Libraries will hold its annual meeting on 29 October 1998, 2 p.m., at Dr Williams’s Library, when J.E. Wynne Davies will present a paper on the Welsh Presbyterian mission to Brittany. All interested persons are cordially invited. The Association’s second conference, ‘Protestant Nonconformity in England and Wales in the Twentieth Century: A Retrospect’, will be held at Westhill College, Birmingham, 26-29 July 2000. Information from Howard F. Gregg, 44 Seymour Road, London SW18 5JA
67, should be noted; a consistent ecumenist, he became President of the World Council of Churches in 1960. Under the Secretariatship of the Revd Dr M.E. Aubrey CH (1925-51), the British Council of Churches was formed in the Council Chamber of the Baptist Church House, Southampton Row, London, in September 1942. The Archbishop of Canterbury, Dr William Temple, was present and appointed President.

MICHAEL TOWNSEND Member of St Mary Magdalene Church (Church of England), West Lavington, West Sussex, and son of the Revd J.W. Townsend, former minister of Union Church, Oxford Road, Manchester; member of British Council of Churches Advisory Committee on the Middle East 1981-86; UNESCO Secretariat, Paris, 1963-81.

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BENJAMIN HENTON LECTURE 1998

‘H. Howard Williams: Preacher; Pastor - Prophet without honour?’
Lecturer: Faith Bowers BA MPhil
at Cleveleys Baptist Church, St George’s Avenue, Blackpool, on Saturday, 2 May 1998 at 3.45 p.m., and at Bloomsbury Central Baptist Church, 235 Shaftesbury Avenue, London WC2H 8EL on Wednesday, 27 May 1998 at 7.30 p.m.

BAPTIST HISTORICAL SOCIETY SUMMER SCHOOL

This will take place 16-19 July 1998 at Westminster College, Cambridge. Booking forms from the Secretary (address inside front cover, including new e-mail address).

INTERNATIONAL JOHN BUNYAN SOCIETY

Second Triennial Conference: ‘The Holy War: Ideology, Culture and Dissent in Bunyan’s England’, at the University of Stirling, Scotland, 31 August to 4 September 1998. Details from Professor N.H. Keeble, Department of English Studies, University of Stirling, Stirling FK9 4LA, Scotland, tel. +44 (0)1786 467506, fax +44 (0)1786 466210, e-mail nhk1@stir.ac.uk.

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