

# The Golden Jubilee

Property of Hamilton Square Baptist Church San Francisco, California

1881 - 1931

Hamilton Square Baptist Church  
San Francisco

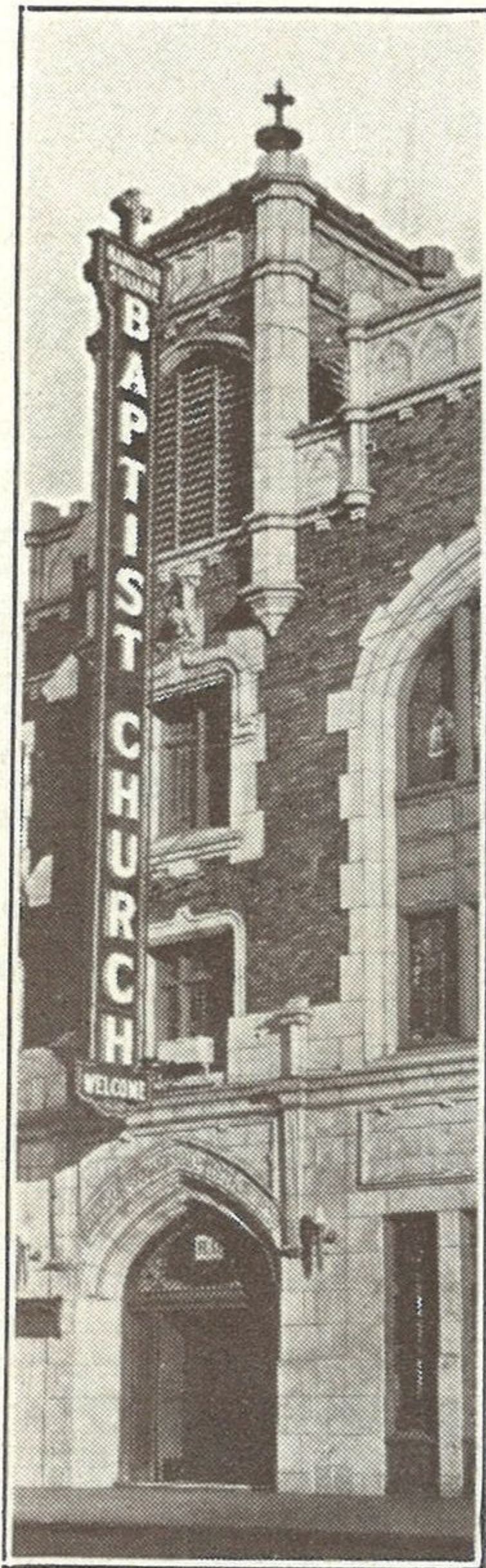
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**“He it is that doth go before thee;  
He will be with thee,  
He will not fail thee.”**

Property of H. Wilson, Bay View Church, San Francisco, California

**Deuteronomy 31:8**

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## FOR FIFTY YEARS

The Hamilton Square Baptist Church of San Francisco  
Has Experienced the Mercy and Goodness of God.



During the half-century 2242 persons have been affiliated as members,  
of whom 669 came through the waters of baptism on profession of their  
faith. Three buildings have been erected to the glory of God. Eight pastors  
have devotedly served in its pulpit.



In tribute of thanksgiving for the loving favor of our Heavenly Father,  
this publication is gratefully issued.

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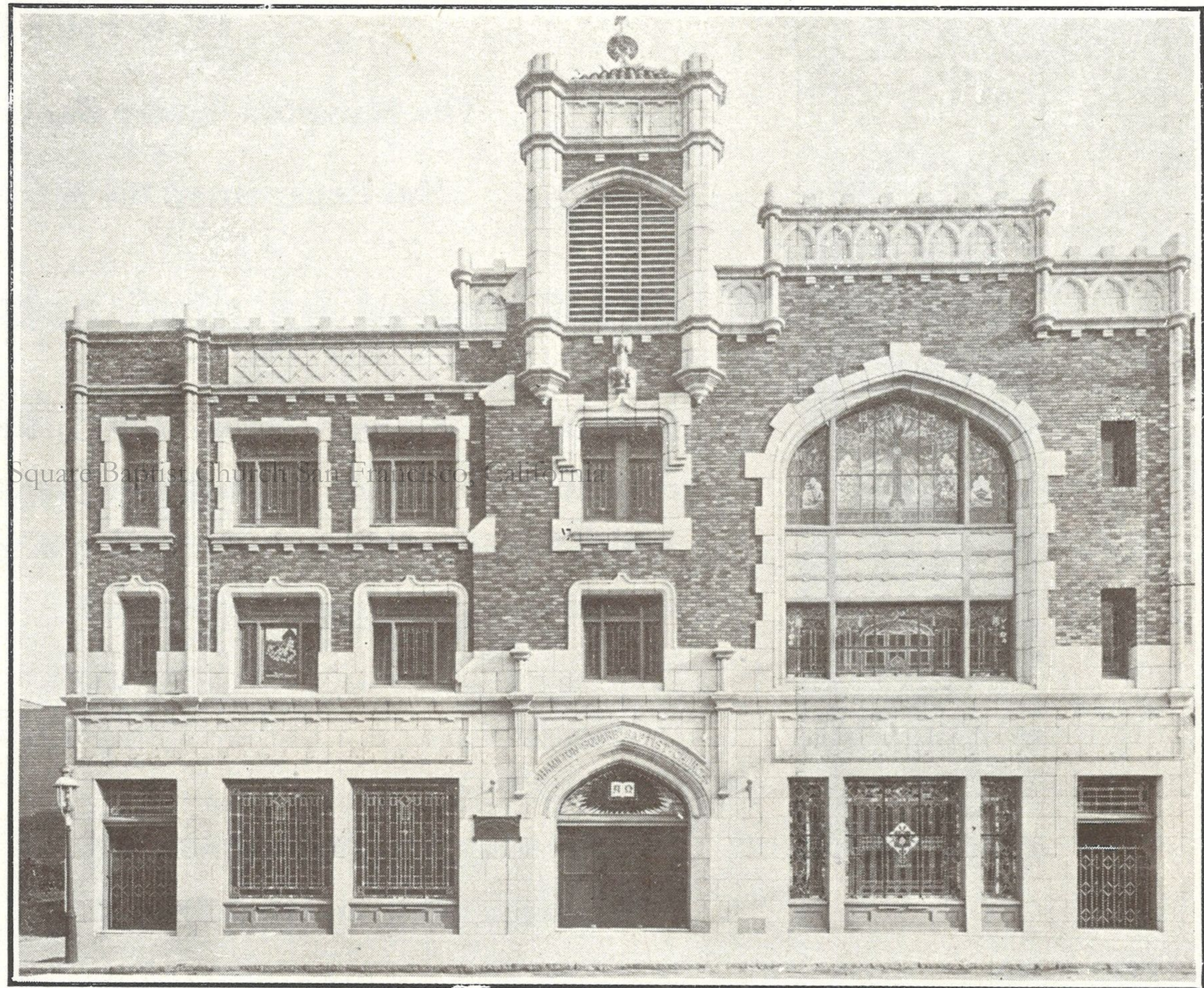
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## ORGANIZATION

On February seventh, 1881, inspired by Captain Gustavus W. Schroeder, one of the pioneers in Baptist history in Sweden, author of "The Story of Early Swedish Baptists," six persons gathered in his home at 1812 Geary Street and organized the Zion Baptist Church. These persons were: Captain Schroeder, Mrs. Margaret A. Clay, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Bennett, Miss M. I. Lever and J. B. Whidden. Later, Pastor J. S. Bromley was added as a constituent member.

### THE FAMOUS "CALL"

In "The Watchman," published in Boston on November 25, 1880, there had appeared the following appeal: "Is there not in all the Eastern states, a man of God, a Baptist minister, with necessary qualifications to preach the Gospel of the Son of God to the people of San Francisco,—one willing to trust God and his people for his support, without waiting for any particular call from any particular church for any specified salary? If there is for such a field and for such a work, such a man as the situation demands, he may come at once and have his hands full and be received with open arms. Should any sterling Baptist minister feel disposed to take up his cross and follow the example of the apostles of Christ, he may address Captain G. W. Schroeder, 1812 Geary Street, San Francisco.



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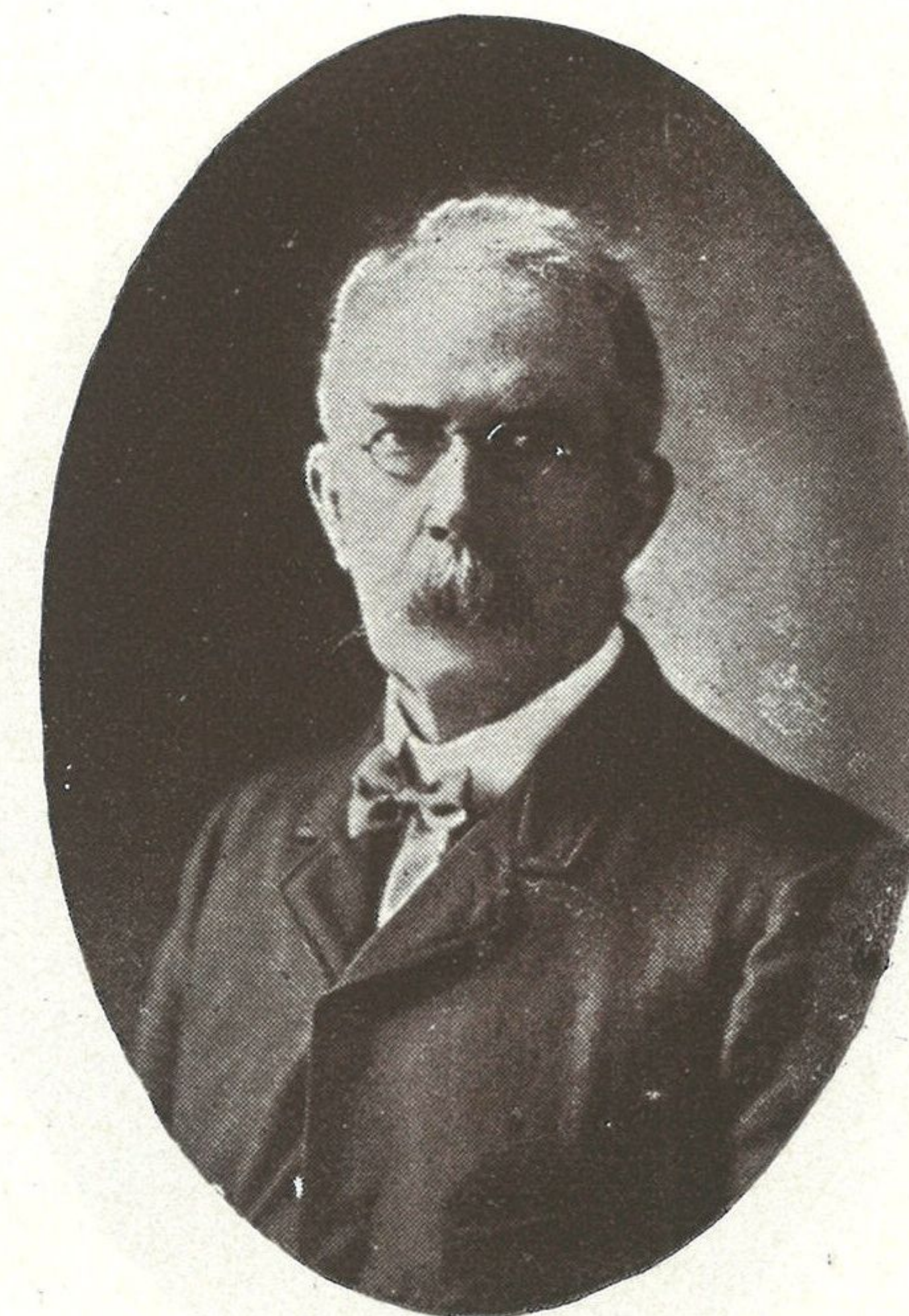
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The first services were held in Hamilton Hall, on the corner of Steiner and Geary Streets, where for four months the church worshipped. Meetings were then transferred for one month to the Western Addition Music Hall. In July the church moved to the Seventh Day Advent Church on Laguna Street near Golden Gate Avenue, where it continued until November first, 1884, when it occupied Mowry's south hall on Laguna and Grove Streets.

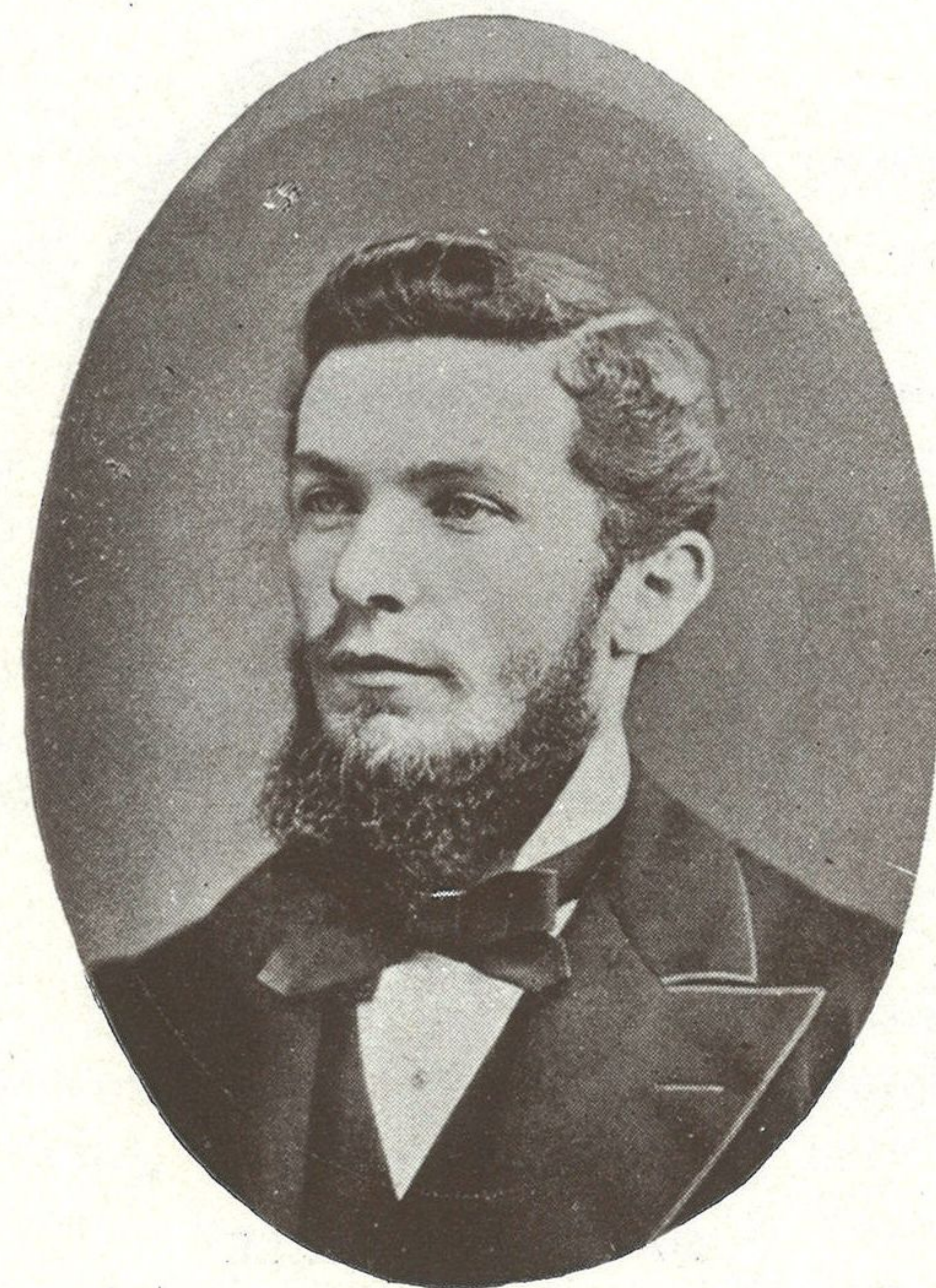
Sunday School was begun on July seventh, 1881, with David Sawtelle as Superintendent. The Church was recognized by Council on October thirteenth, 1881.

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DAVID SAWTELLE  
First Sunday School Superintendent



JOSEPH S. BROMLEY, D. D.  
Feb. 7, 1881—Sept. 20, 1883

Meanwhile Rev. Joseph S. Bromley had heard the call and after correspondence had come with his bride to assume his first pastorate. For nearly two and one-half years he labored in Hamilton Square. One of the rewards was the little daughter born to the manse. Another, of which Dr. Bromley, himself, speaks when he says, "Many ministers are what their first pastorate made them. That, I believe, is largely true of the writer. I have never been able to get away from the helpful influences which surrounded me while I lived and labored in the city at the Golden Gate." On September twentieth, 1883, Pastor Bromley resigned to become pastor at St. Helena.

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HENRY A. SAWTELLE, D. D.  
Jan. 1, 1884—Feb. 26, 1885

Henry A. Sawtelle, D. D., had for fourteen years been pastor of the Second and Union Square, Free Baptist Churches of San Francisco, beginning in 1862. He afterward spent several years in an eastern pastorate, returning on January first, 1884, as pastor of the Zion Baptist Church. His brief pastorate of fourteen months was one of the most fruitful in the history of the church. With great regret the church, because of his ill health, released him from service on February twenty-sixth, 1885, and sincerely mourned his death on November twenty-second of that year.

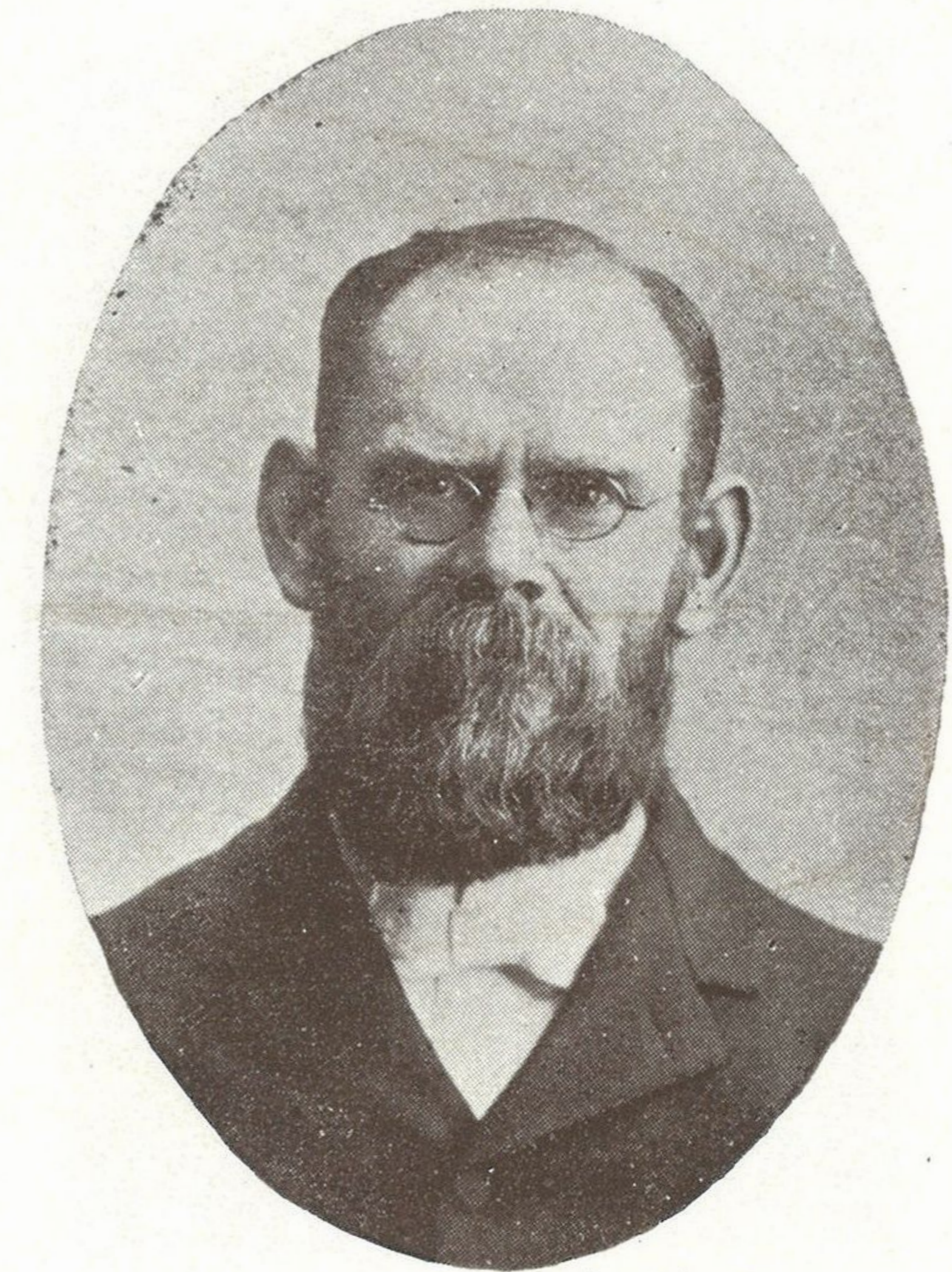
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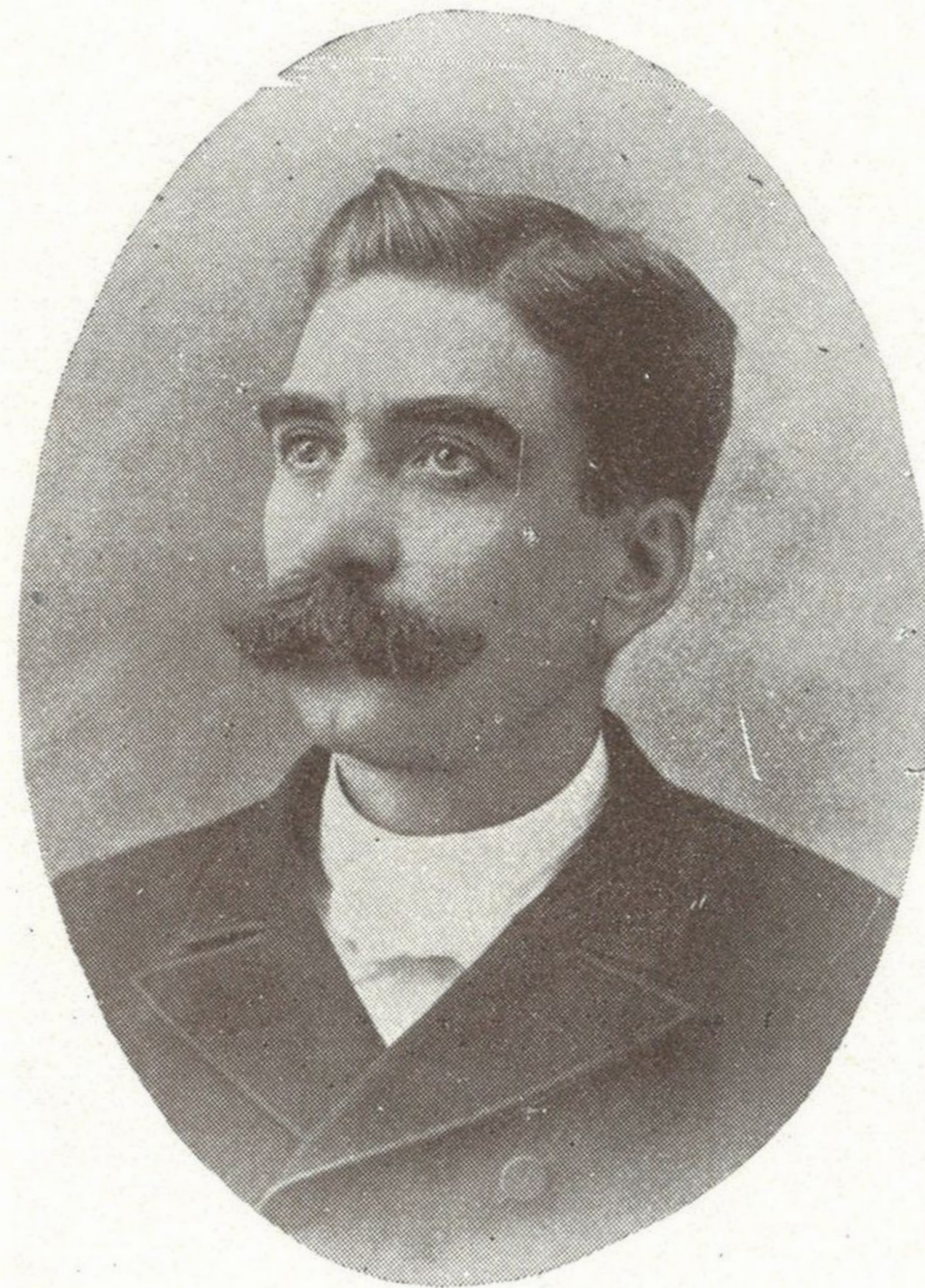
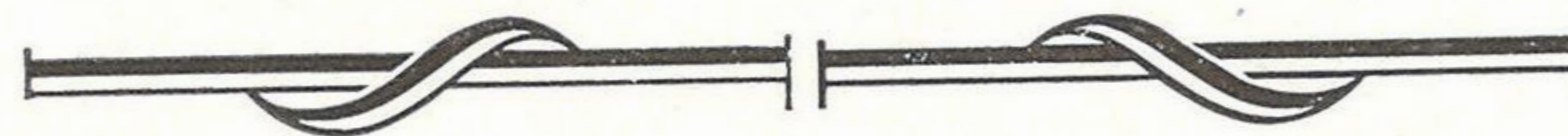
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The homeless Zion Church asked Bunyan Spencer to be its pastor. He accepted and began his ministry on May tenth, 1885. He was ordained by the church in the edifice of the First Church, on June twenty-fifth of that year. During his pastorate two lots 55 x 75, on Post Street near Steiner, were purchased for \$1500. Upon these lots a house was erected at a cost of \$2606 in which the first service was held on April fourth, 1886. For nearly fifteen years the church struggled with its indebtedness, finally succeeding in wiping it out after paying more than the original investment in interest. On February eleventh, 1886, the name of the church was changed to "The Hamilton Square Baptist Church of San Francisco." Pastor Spencer resigned on September fifth, 1888.



REV. BUNYAN SPENCER  
May 10, 1885—Sept. 5, 1888

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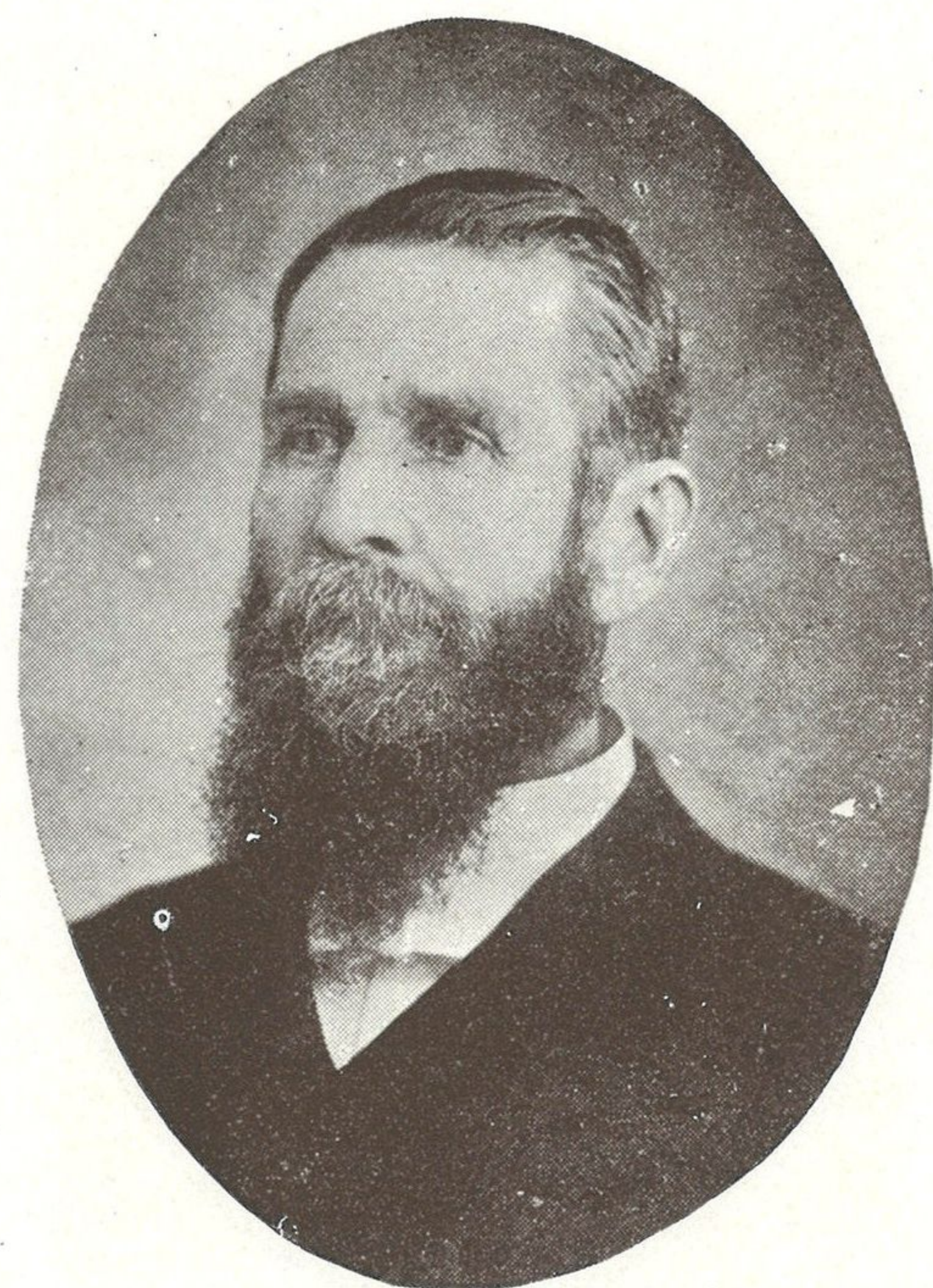


REV. A. W. RUNYAN  
Nov. 21, 1888—Sept. 30, 1892

After an interim of fourteen months Rev. A. W. Runyan became pastor on November twenty-first, 1888. For nearly four years he labored with abundant energy and fruitfulness building faithfully on the foundations already laid and preparing excellently for the work of his successors. On September thirtieth, 1892, he resigned.

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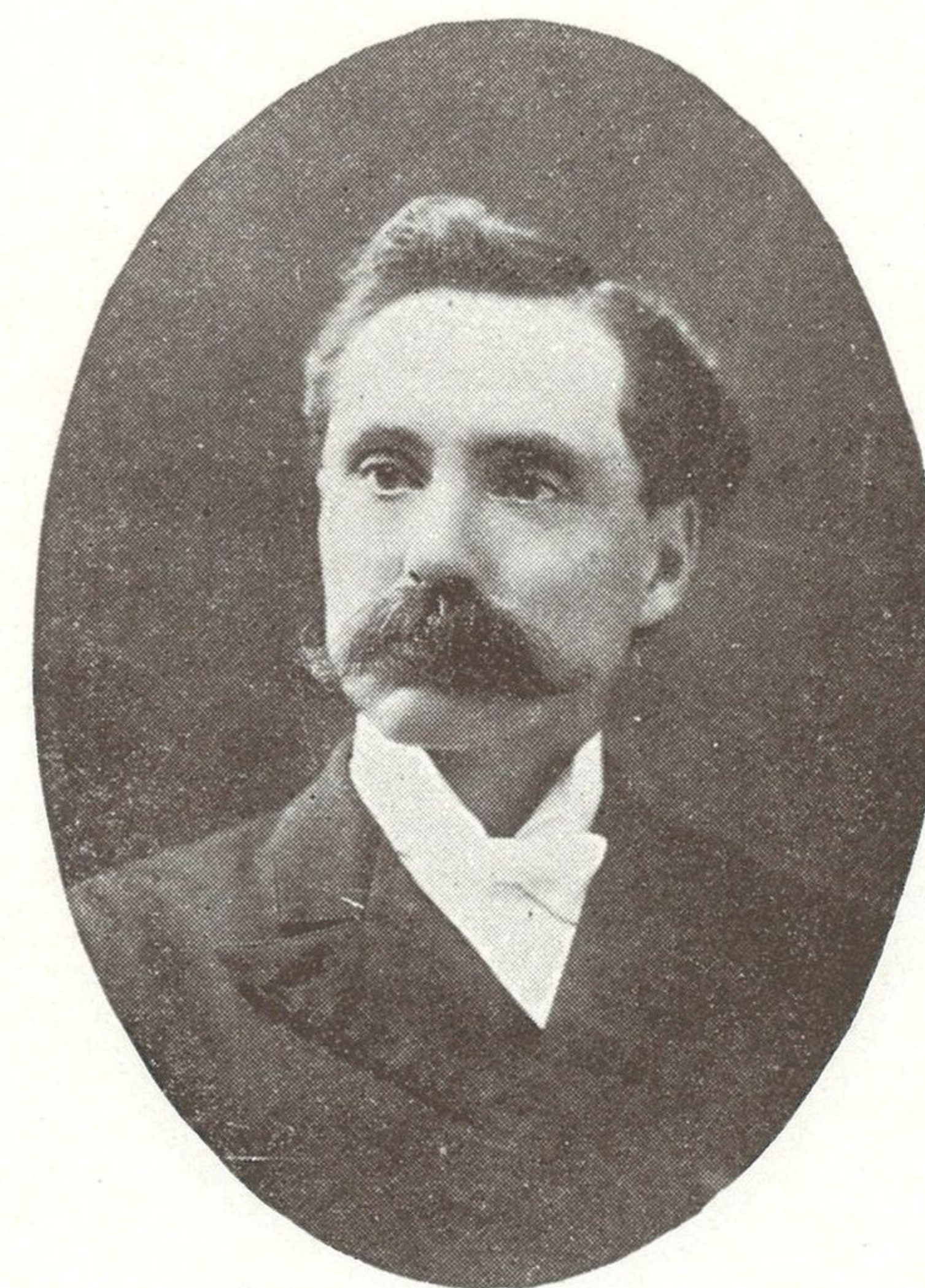
REV. A. M. RUSSELL  
Oct. 1, 1893—Nov. 1, 1897

Exactly one year intervened before the coming of Rev. A. M. Russell on October first, 1893. He was successful in bringing the church through periods of financial depression and welcomed a number of members who were for notable years the strong support of the organization. After his pastorate of four years and one month, concluded on November first, 1897, Pastor Russell continued his great interest in the church while ministering to neighboring congregations.

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For three and one-half years Pastor William C. Jenkins labored earnestly and acceptably, beginning April twenty-seventh, 1898, and concluding October thirty-first, 1901. During this period the original debt was paid and the church prepared for a material advance. During every pastorate there has been evidence of the presence of the Holy Spirit in converting power, and no pastorate was concluded without abundant testimony of spiritual progress.



REV. WILLIAM C. JENKINS  
Apr. 27, 1898—Oct. 31, 1901

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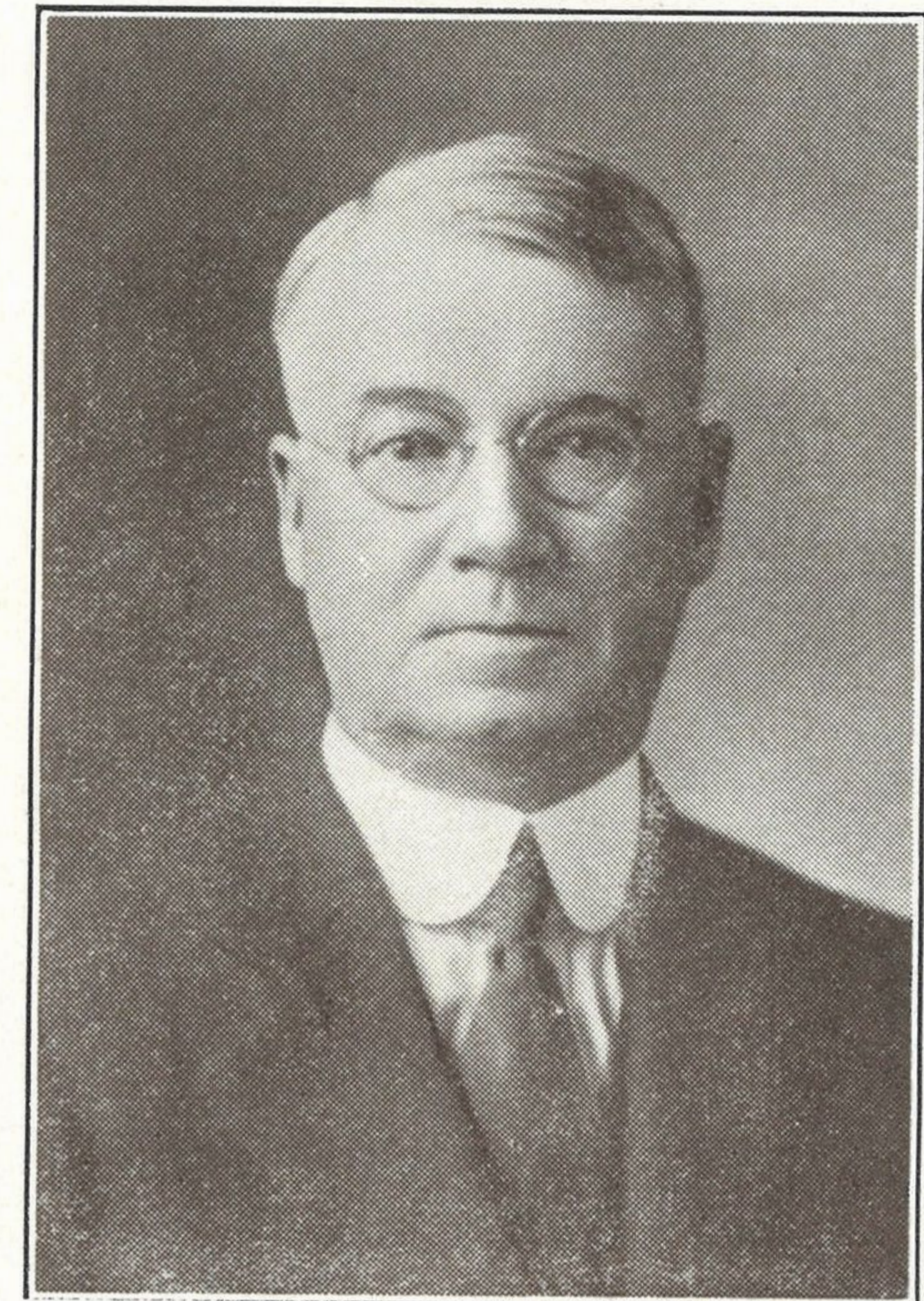
After eleven months of meditation Louis J. Sawyer was called from the North Church of Seattle and began a ministry of thirteen years on September first, 1902. During this period the original building was remodeled and underbuilt, and later entirely removed to make room for the present building. Resigning on August thirty-first, 1915, to assume the pastorate of the First Baptist Church of Yakima, Washington, he was within a month recalled to Hamilton Square. He, however, remained with the Yakima Church for seven years, but heeded the further call of Hamilton Square and reassumed the pastorate on September first, 1922, retiring on February sixth, 1931.



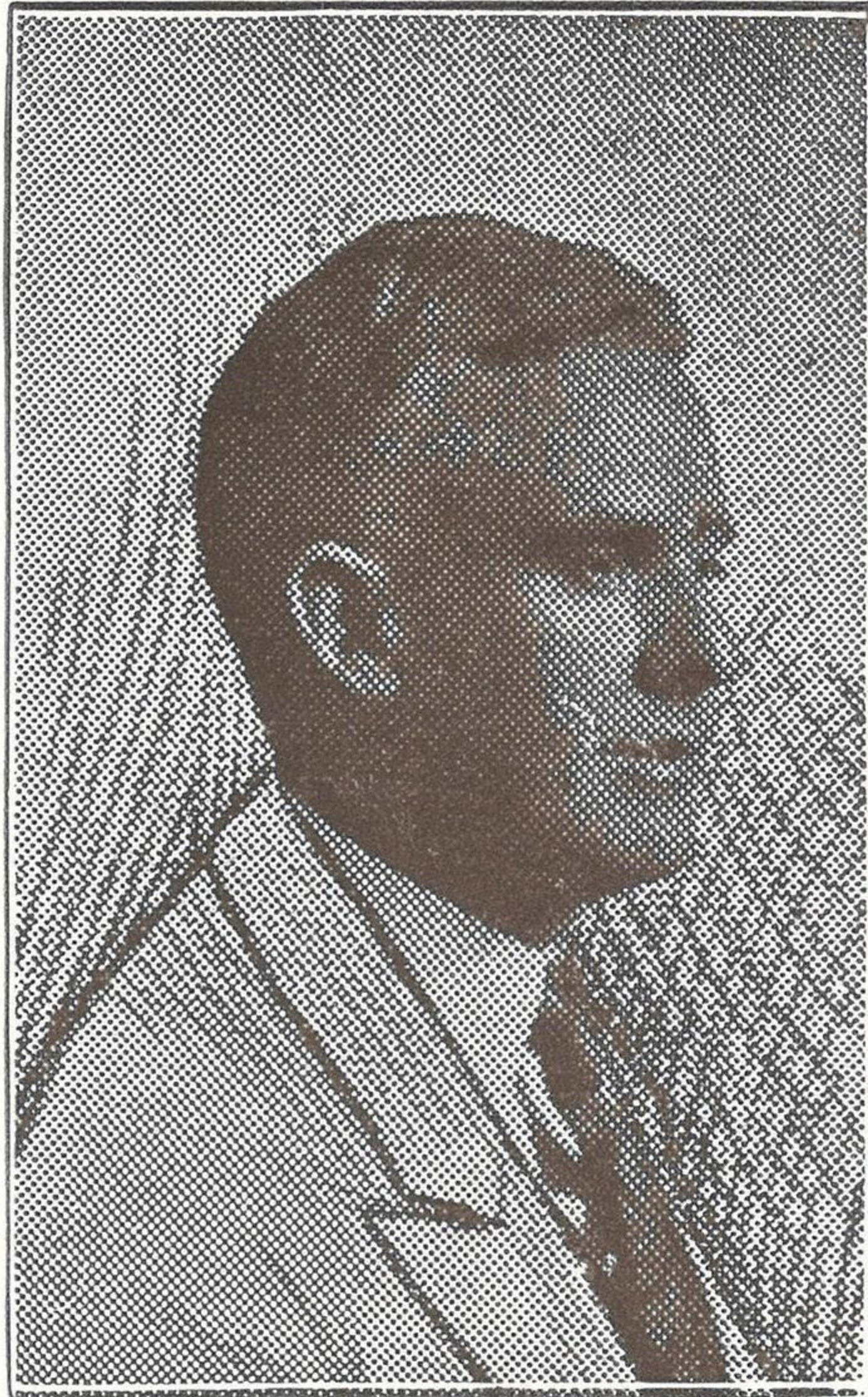
REV. CREED W. GAWTHROP

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Creed W. Gawthrop was called from Indiana and assumed the pastorate in May, 1916. This was the period of the world war which tried men's souls and imposed problems with which no other of the eight pastors of the half-century had to deal. Pastor Gawthrop brought the church valiantly through this disturbing experience, building up the membership and sustaining interest in the spiritual welfare of all. Since retiring from the pastorate in September, 1921, and becoming Superintendent of the Anti-Saloon League of Northern California, Pastor Gawthrop has continued his interest in the church, contributing influence and loyalty of great value.



LOUIS J. SAWYER, D. D.  
Sept. 1, 1902—Aug. 31, 1915  
Sept. 1, 1922—Feb. 6, 1931



RICHARD ELLSWORTH DAY, D. D.

The ninth pastor of the Hamilton Square Baptist Church is to be Richard E. Day, D. D., who comes from a seven-year pastorate of the First Baptist Church of Phoenix, Arizona. Dr. Day began his ministry in our vicinity, preaching in Sunnyvale from 1906 to 1909. After spending a year (1909-1910) in the Napa Church, which was highly profitable, he was afterwards called to the city of San Diego where eight happy and prosperous years were spent. Then to the First Baptist Church of Property of Hamilton Square Baptist Church San Francisco, California Riverside for a service of four years, 1919-1923. Called to the pulpit of the First Baptist Church of Phoenix, Dr. Day has for seven years exercised an outstanding ministry of nation-wide import. In addition to increasing the membership there also stands the superbly beautiful new edifice dedicated a year ago and which is a surpassing testimony to the wisdom and energy of our pastor-elect. The prayer of the church is for an abiding ministry of great progress and uplift.



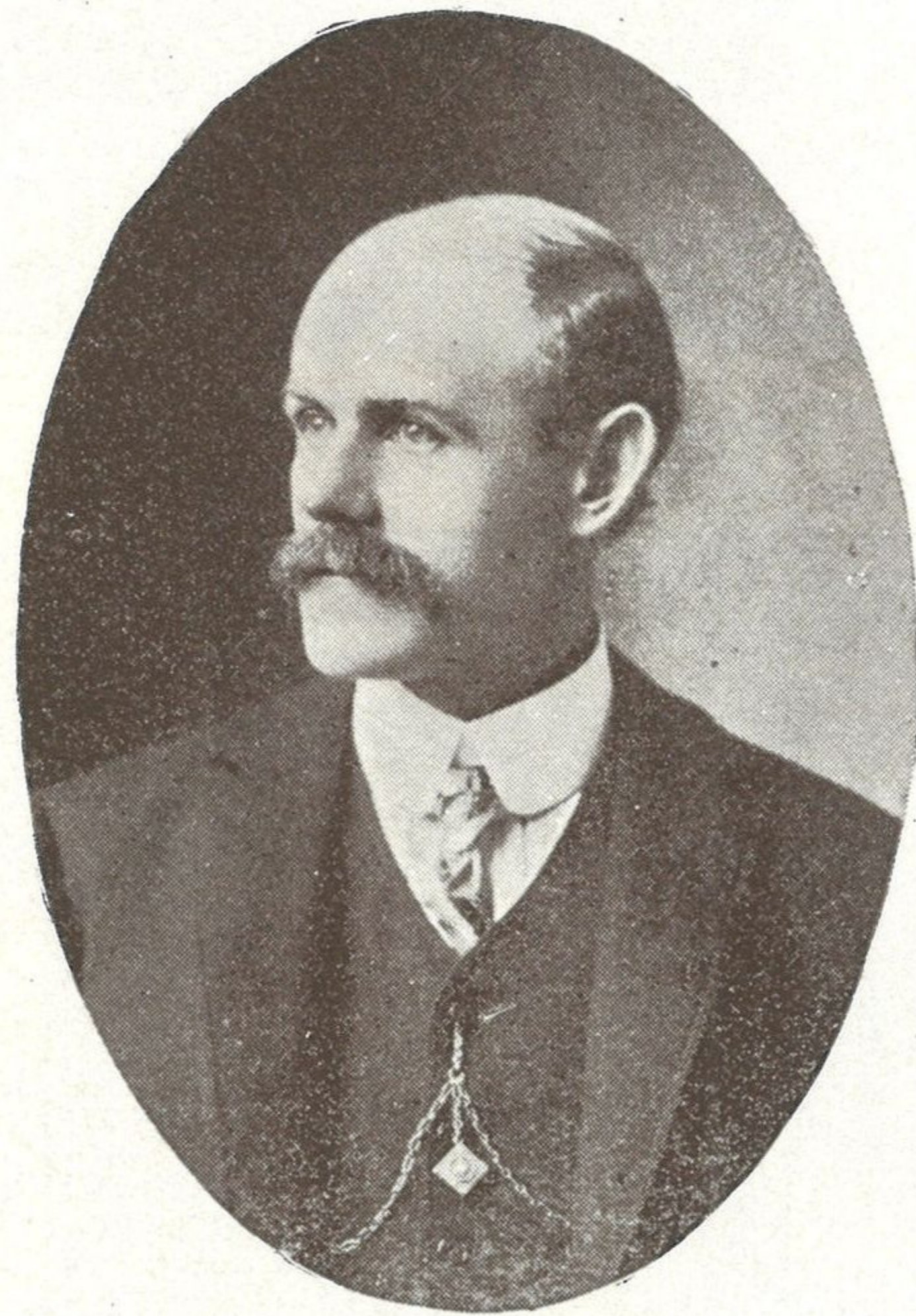
MRS. RICHARD E. DAY

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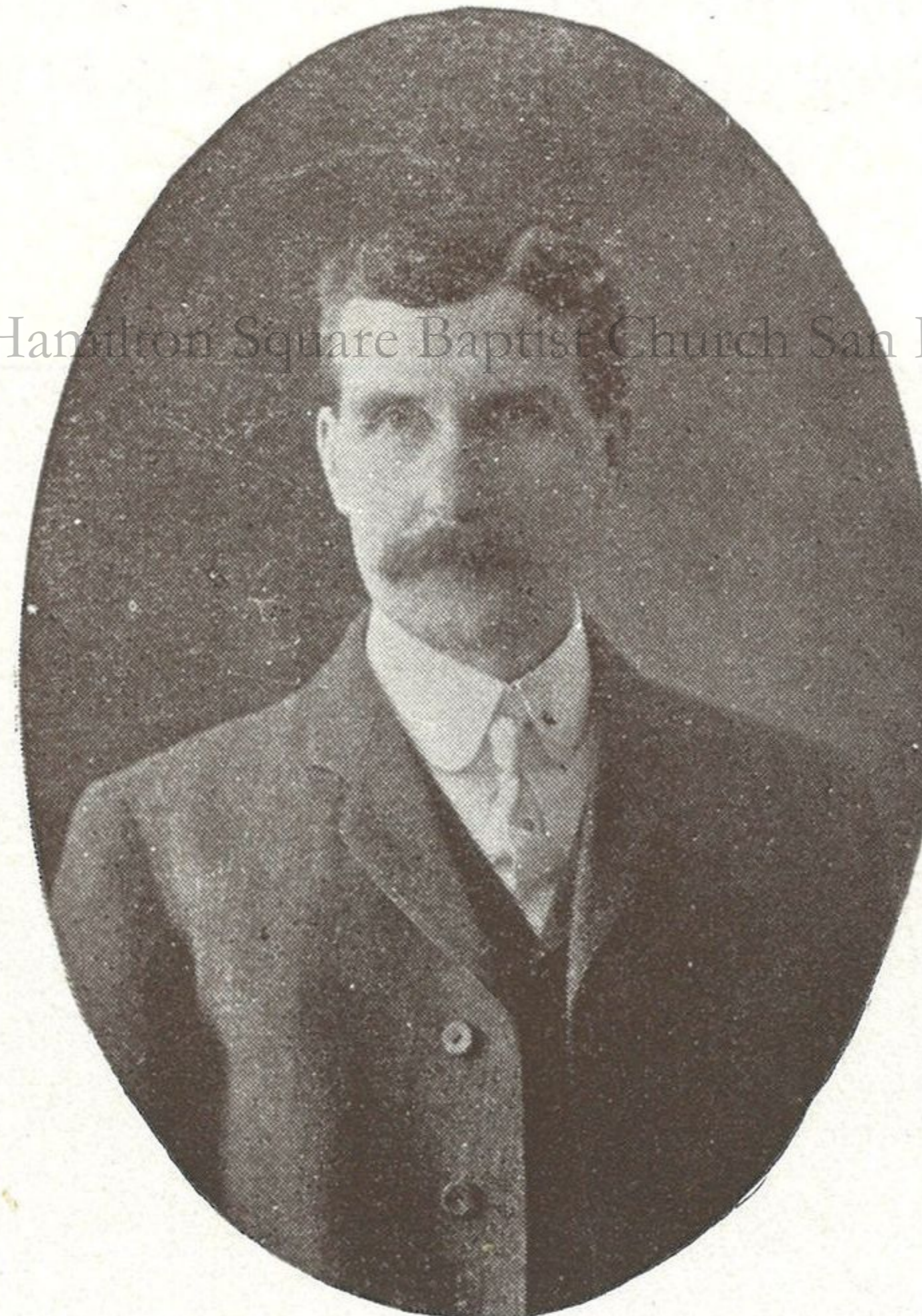
## HELPERS ALONG THE WAY

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Efficient Treasurer and Chairman of  
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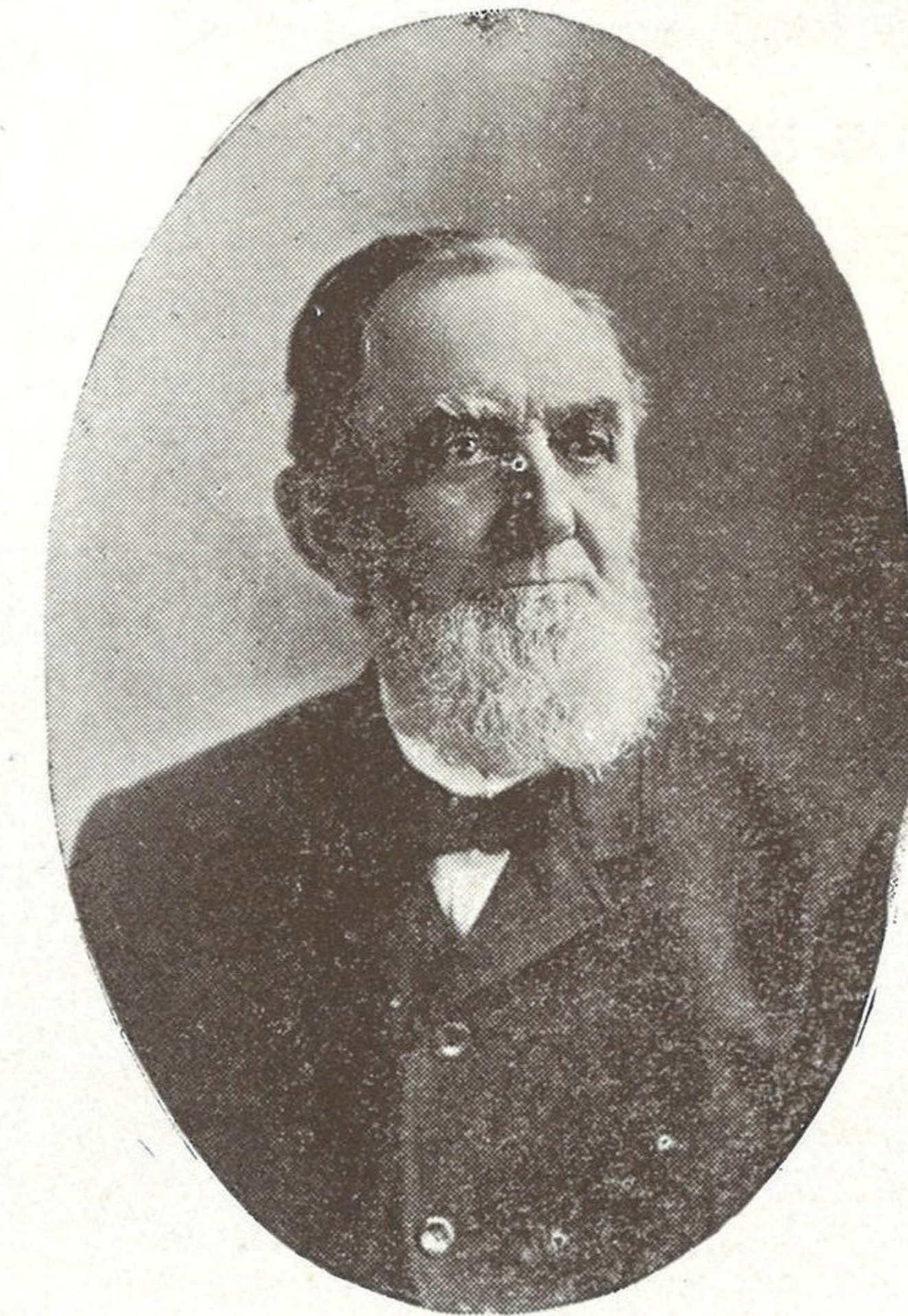


W. FRED GENTLE  
Deacon and Friend

In whose memory and that of his  
beloved wife, Clara E. Gentle, are  
dedicated the Memorial Chimes.



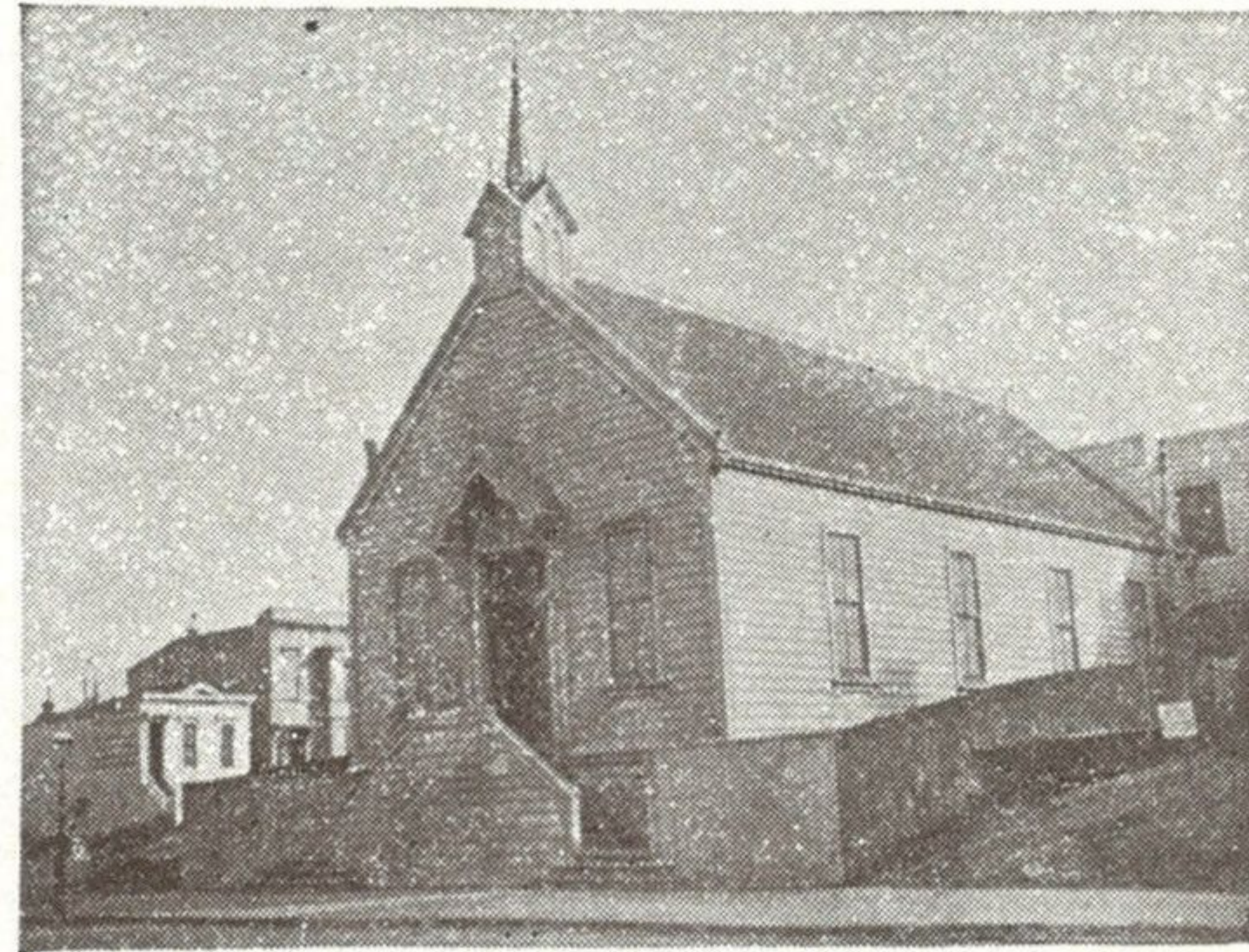
JOHN SEMPEY  
For many years Senior Deacon and  
Chorister.



GEORGE A. CASE  
Deacon

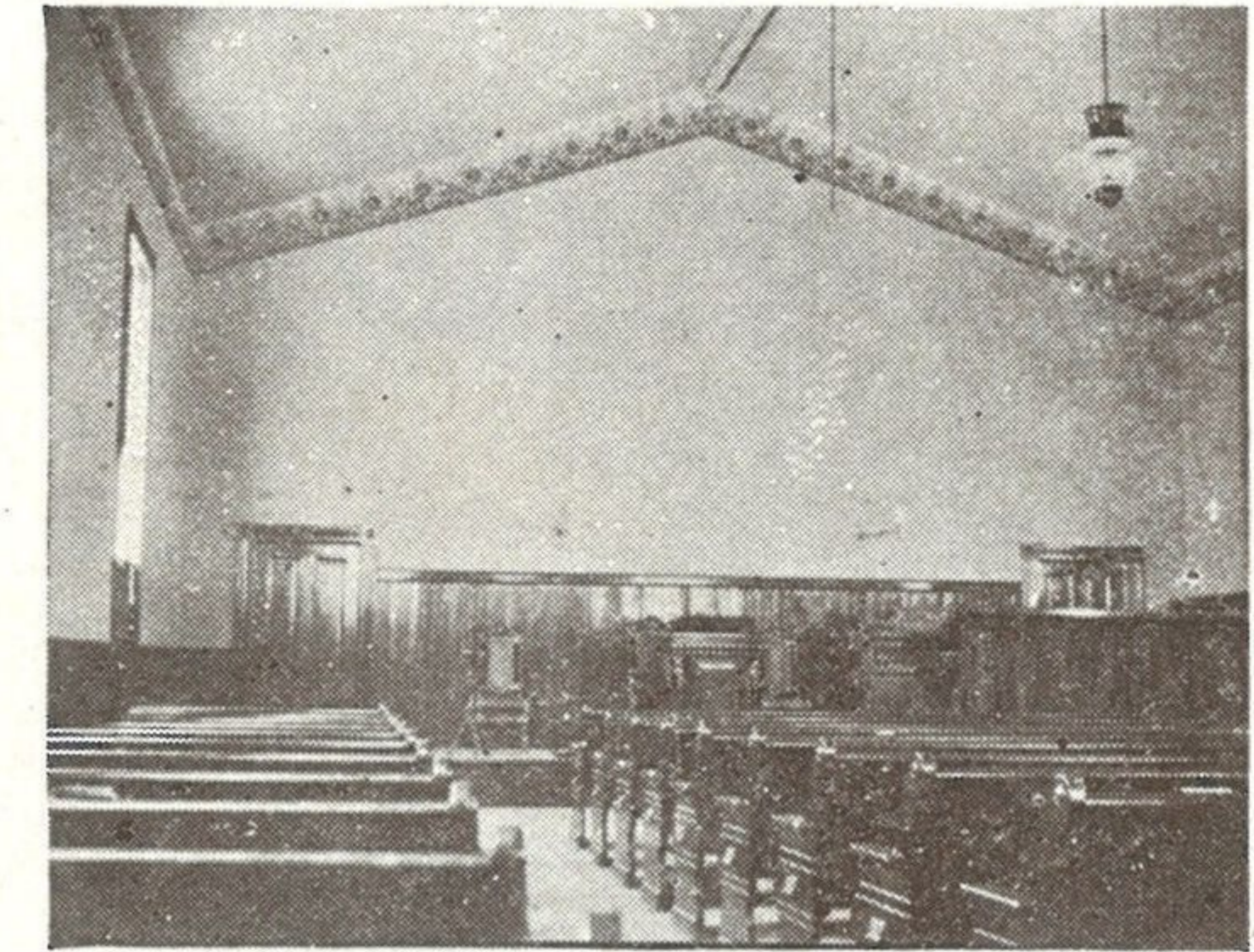
In his home at 228 Second Ave-  
nue the Richmond Baptist Mission  
met for several years.

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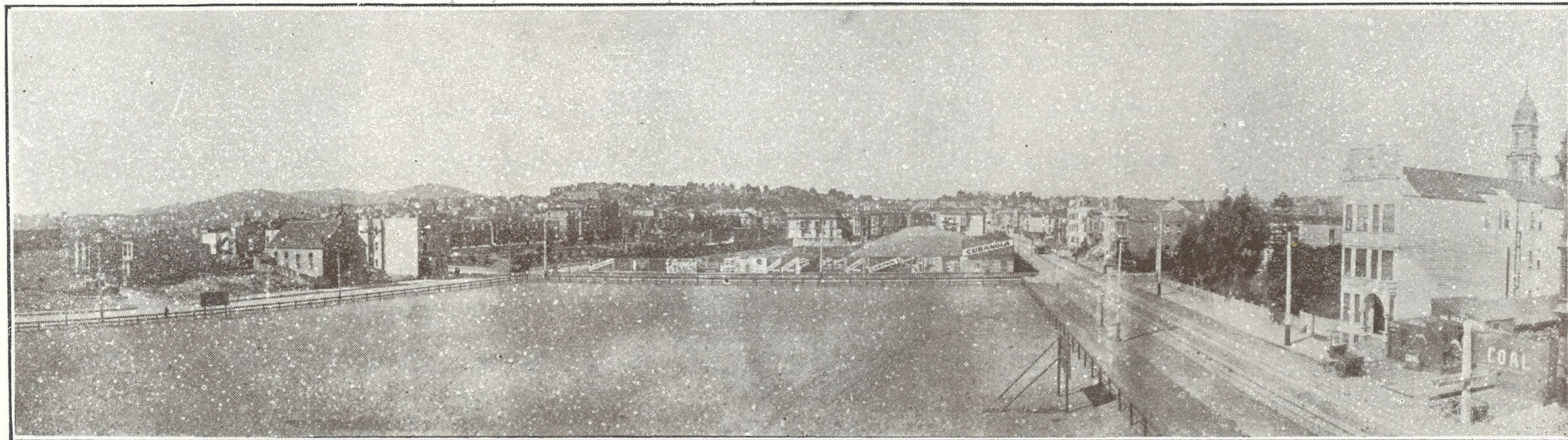
THE FIRST BUILDING  
1886—1904

Upon the two lots purchased in 1885 a plain two-room building was erected which served the church for eighteen years. Prayer meetings were held in the rear room off which were built a kitchen and lavatory. The pulpit platform by an ingenious arrangement could be drawn back into the rear room with its freight of pulpit and chairs, thus exposing the baptistery. The present pastor's chair in the Prayer Room and the pews in the auditorium gallery are part of the original equipment. The cost of the lots and building was \$4100.



1886—1904

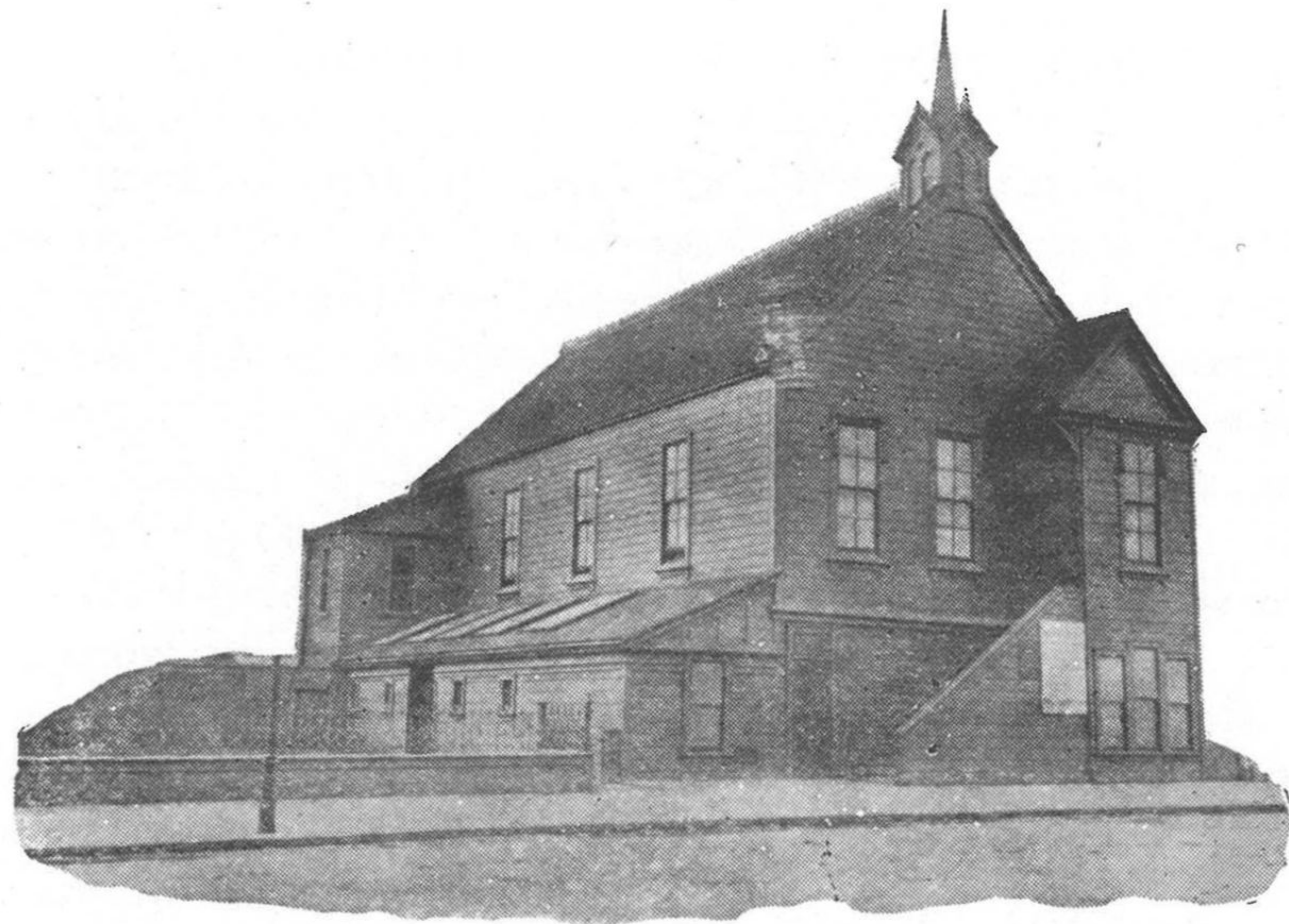
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HAMILTON SQUARE, FROM FILLMORE AND STEINER STREETS, 1902

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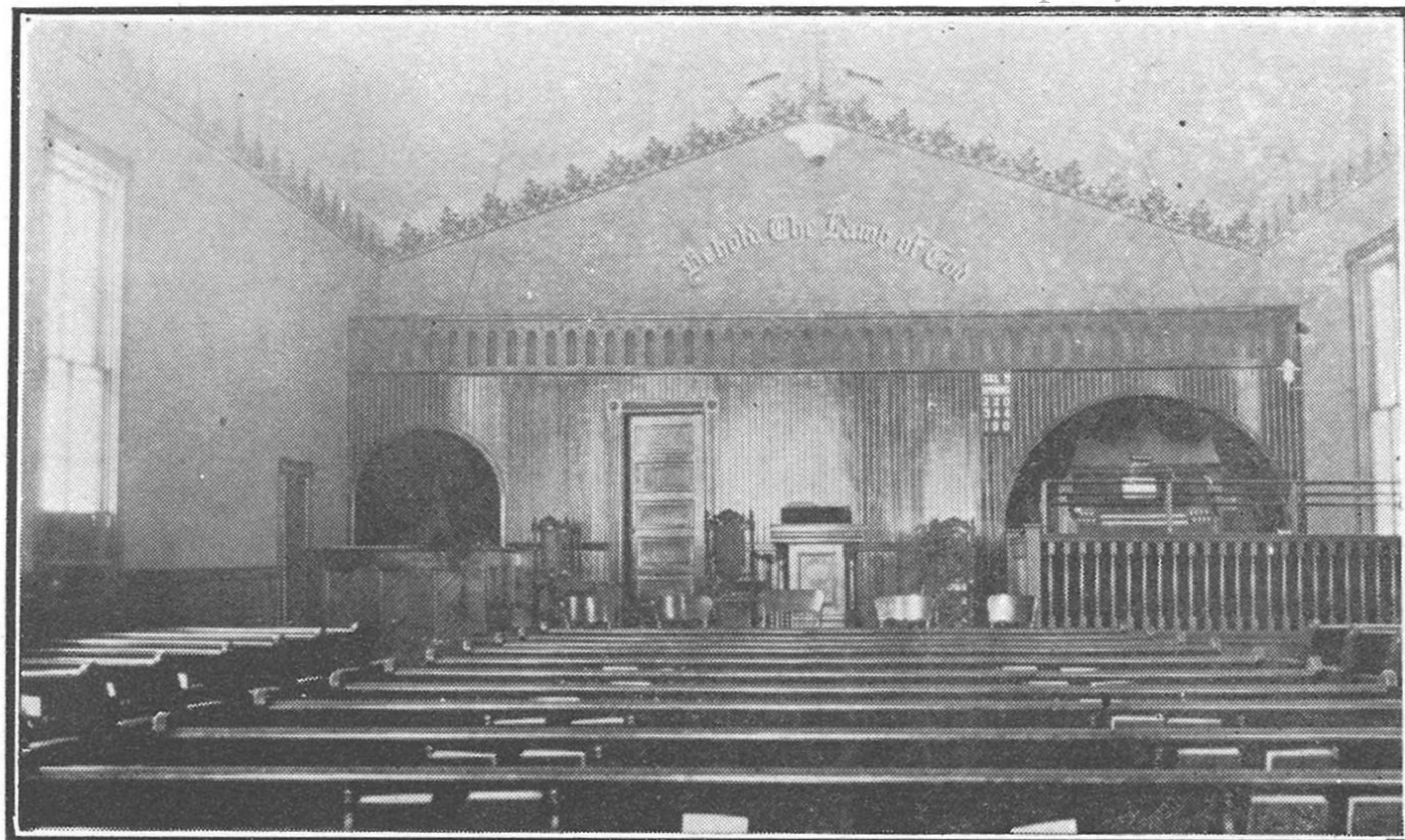
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THE SECOND BUILDING  
1904—1912

In 1904 an additional lot, 27 x 75, adjoining the two previously purchased was secured, making a ground area of 81 x 75. The original building was moved to the new lot, the sand hill was eradicated and a lower study was underbuilt. On the upper floor the partition was removed, a pastor's study built and an attractive auditorium provided. The lower story contained ten rooms conveniently arranged for Bible School and social purposes. The cost of the additional lot and the improvements was \$6011, the payment of which was completed just before the disaster of 1906. After the earthquake a furniture firm rented the vacant east lot, erected a temporary building which later was used by the church for a reading and recreation room for the community and was called "The Annex." Behind the Annex a dwelling was provided for the residence of the pastor. This was known as "The Castle."

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THOMAS A. DETHLEFSEN  
Chairman Board of Trustees

## THE PRESENT BUILDING

The earthquake and fire of April, 1906, destroyed five Baptist church buildings and rendered thousands of people homeless. The Hamilton Square building was badly damaged but was still usable and became the center of community relief and of the Baptist rehabilitation. Thousands of lodgings and tons of clothing, together with aid of every possible sort, were given by the church during its months of twenty-four-hour-a-day service. After the other churches of the city were rebuilt and cared for, Hamilton Square considered its own condition. An offer of \$20,000 from the American Baptist Home Mission Society crystallized the endeavor of the church; and on June ninth, 1912, it entered the superb new building which has for nineteen years testified the excellence of the plans which were formulated in the pastor's study, and of the construction which has most gratifyingly endured.

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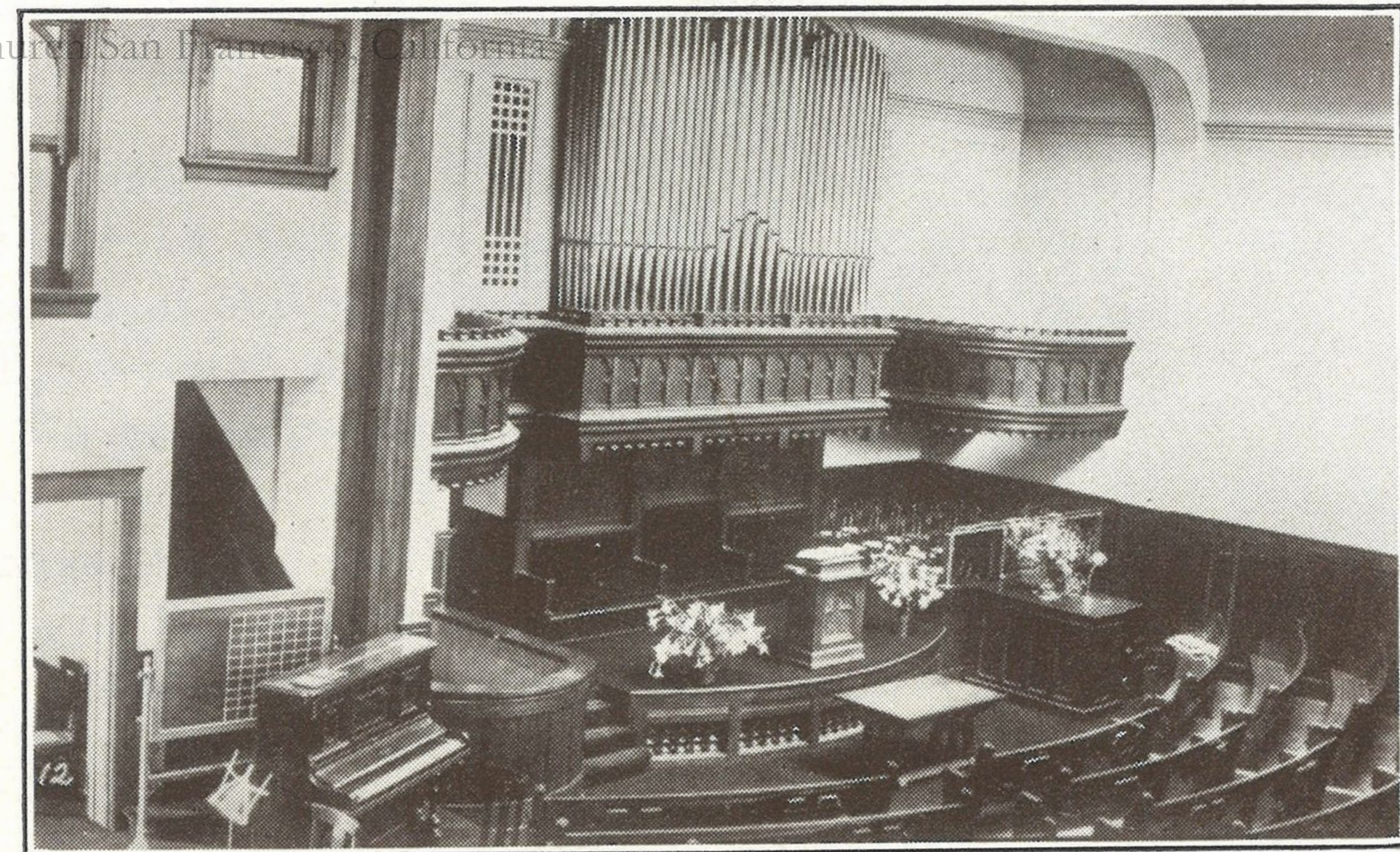
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The building consists of twenty-two rooms which include a beautiful auditorium opening by great doors into an ample Bible School hall with a combined seating capacity of eight hundred. The facade is of tapestry brick with terra cotta trimmings made possible by a special gift of one thousand dollars from Miss Lora Cook in order that wood might not be used. On the ground floor is the ladies' parlor with its beamed ceiling and its fireplace. Behind is the quiet prayer room, 40 x 40, the scene of many spiritual blessings. An ample kitchen and pantry are in the rear. Adjacent is a banquet hall used also for the Beginners of the Bible School. The gymnasium has in front a "Neighborhood Room" used for many purposes and housing the Primary Department on Sundays.

The second story contains the church auditorium and Bible School assembly hall. The pastor's study is on the third floor and the sexton's apartment on the fourth. Special attention has been paid to the lighting which is ample and restful.

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## MEMORIALS



MRS. SUSAN W. BAYNE

Mrs. Bayne was for many years the soloist of the church. Her gracious personality and her charming voice were her devoted gifts to the service of her Lord.

Front Auditorium Window, by the Amomas in memory of Deacon David and Mrs. Annie M. Sawtelle, first Superintendent of the Bible School.

Art glass dome of Bible School Hall by the Philatheas in memory of their teacher, Mrs. Helena Nicoll.

The Communion Table, gift of Richard and Susan W. Bayne.

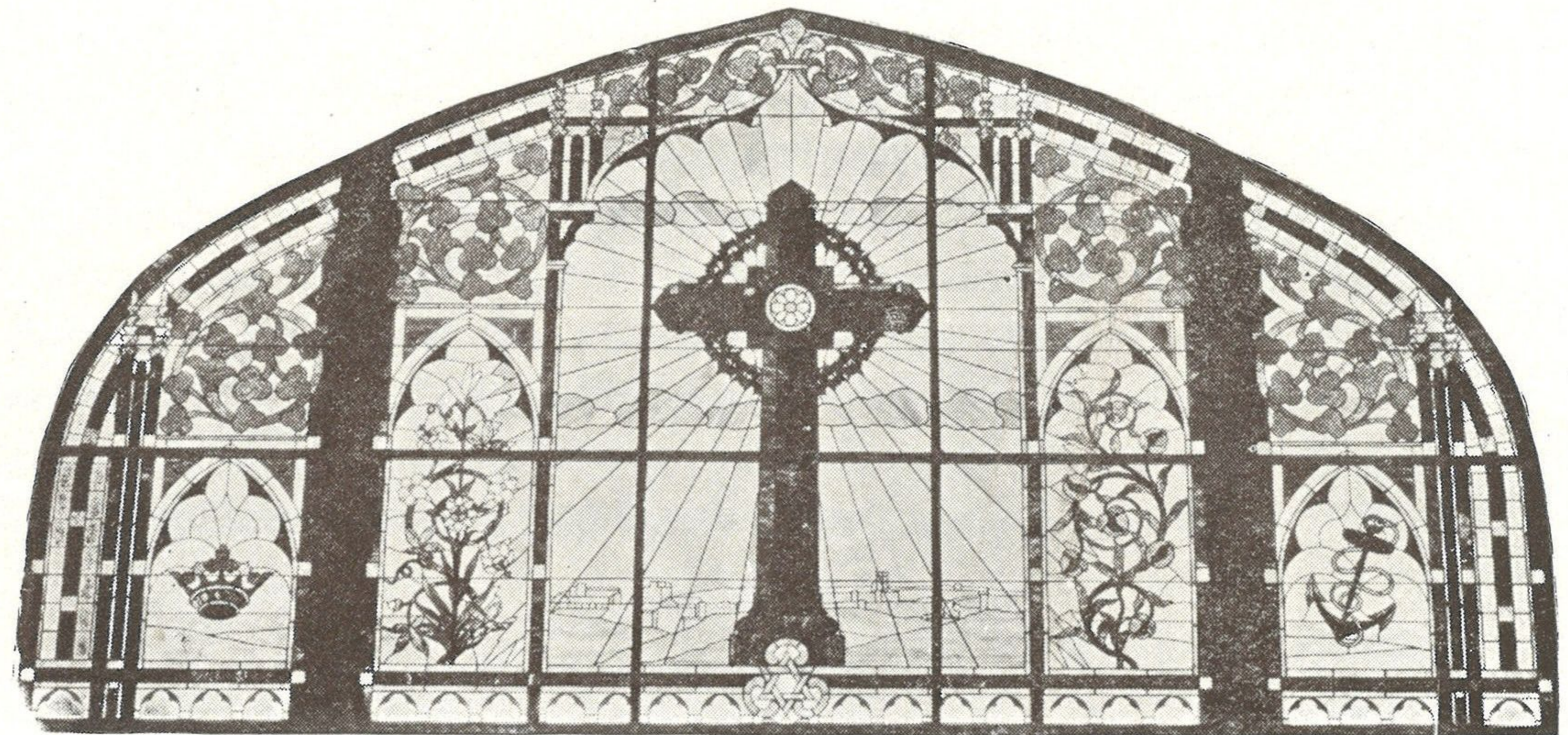
Vox Humana Organ Stop, memorial to Mr. and Mrs. William H. Barnes.

Organ Chimes, memorial to Deacon and Deaconess W. Fred Gentle.

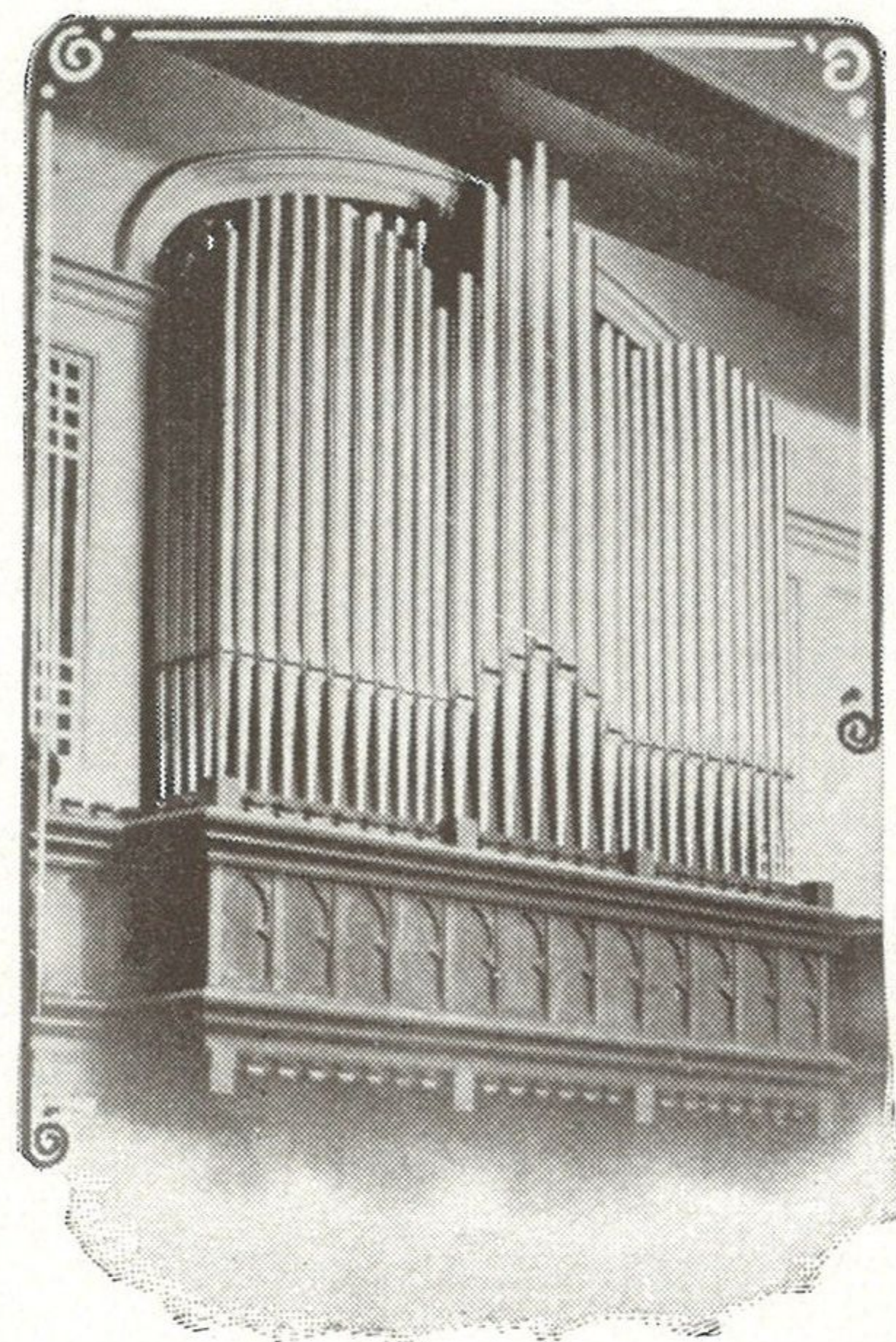
Art Glass Window in Ladies' Parlor, gift of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Storey.

Pulpit and Corner Stone, gifts of the Korner Klass.

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## MUSIC

Hamilton Square has always been fortunate in its ministry of Music. The first organ was the gift of Mrs. Margaret A. Clay. The present Harris organ of surpassingly beautiful tone was installed by The Women of the Church under the valued inspiration of their president, Mrs. Richard Bayne. A legacy from the estate of Mrs. William H. Barnes provided the delightful Vox Humana stop and a similar gift from Mrs. Clara E. Gentle prompted the memorial Chimes, heard for the first time this Jubilee Week.

Our organists have regarded their instrument as a pulpit from which the Word is borne on wings of Melody. William Nuttall, Benjamin Nicoll and Grace Hendricks preceded Miss Orrie E. Young, of the American Guild of Organists, who, for nearly twenty-five years has marvelously inspired both choir and congregation. A grateful church pays tribute to the superior skill, artistic ability and loyal co-operation displayed by Miss Young.



ORRIE E. YOUNG, A. G. O.  
Organist and Director

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### THE HAMILTON SQUARE BAPTIST CHURCH

1975 Post St., between Fillmore and Steiner, San Francisco, Calif. WEst 7917.

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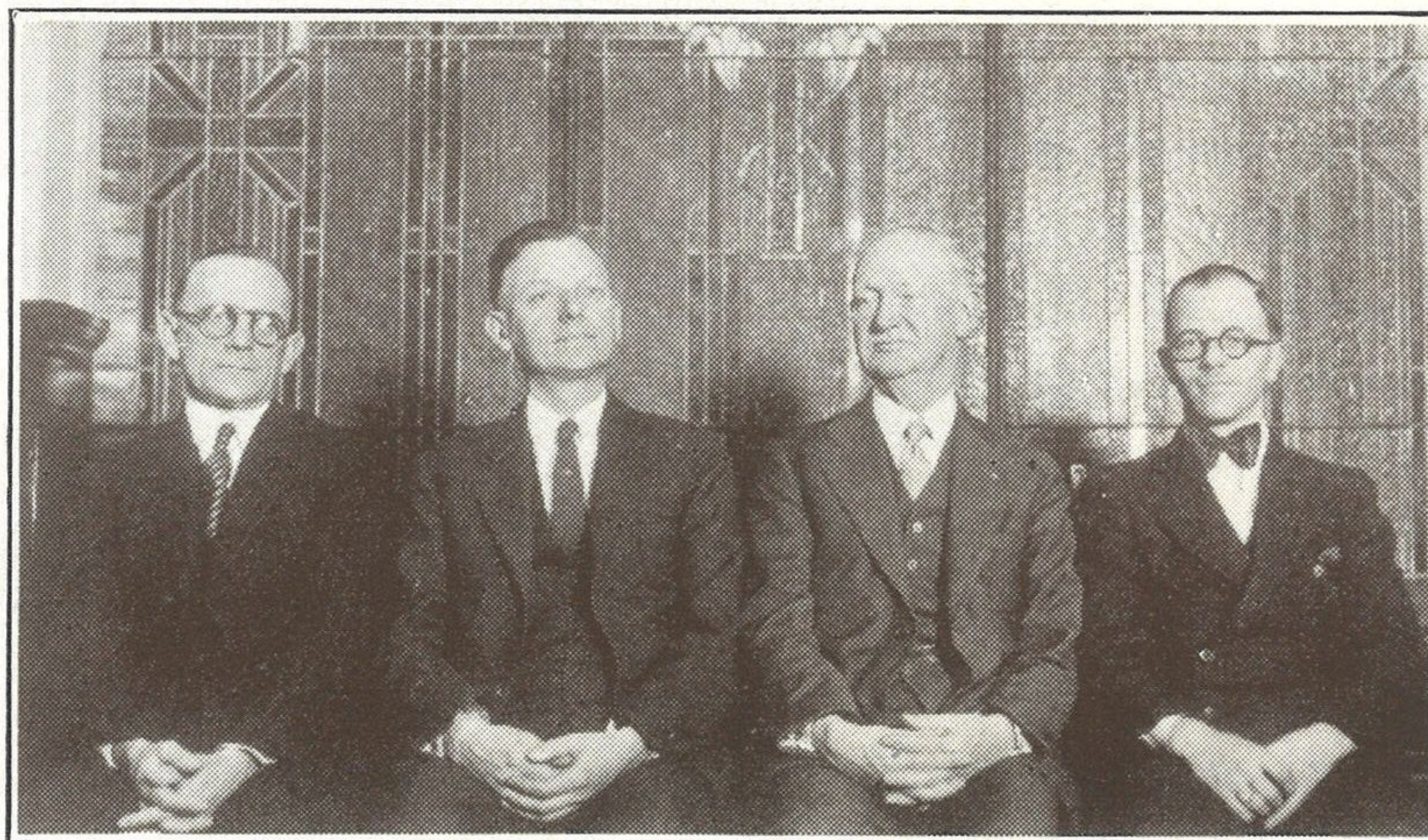
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SEXTON, WALTER BELL, 1975 Post St., WEst 7917

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One, two and three room furnished apartments at 1995-7-9 Post St. FILLmore 0871.  
Owned by the Church. Members are requested to cooperate in sending tenants  
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President, The Women of the Church



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## PROGRAM—JUBILEE WEEK

1881 GOLDEN JUBILEE ANNIVERSARY 1931

Sunday, February 1, to Sunday, February 8th, 1931

### ADMINISTRATIVE COMMITTEE

Rev. C. W. Gawthrop, Chairman, Thomas A. Dethlefsen, Carl M. Johnson  
Mrs. Wolfe Mitchell, Miss Orrie E. Young

### PROGRAM & COMMITTEES

Sunday, February 1, 1931

11.00, Jubilee Home-Coming Communion Service.

Sermon by Rev. J. S. Bromley, D. D., First Pastor, 1881-1883

8.00, Grand Musical Service with Dedication of the Gentle Memorial Chimes

Rev. C. W. Gawthrop, 1916-1922, presiding

Monday, February 2, 1931

8.00, City-Wide Church Fellowship. Robert Newton Lynch, presiding.

H. H. Truelsen, C. A. Anderson, Mrs. A. M. Downing, M. G. Greenly

Greetings from Rev. H. P. Shaw, D. D., and Rev. E. A. Van Nuys, D. D.

Address by Hon. John L. McNab

"Fifty Years in Retrospect and Prospect."

Tuesday, February 3, 1931

8.00, S. F. Bay Baptist Fellowship, Mr. Laurel I. Sweitzer presiding

F. W. Johnson, Mrs. W. B. Wessells, Mrs. L. C. Turner, Mabel F. Lewis.

Greetings from President C. M. Hill, D. D., Rev. C. W. Brinstad, D. D.

Rev. W. Earle Smith, Rev. Joseph B. Travis

Historic Presentation:—"The Pageant of Hamilton Square."

Bertha I. Pyle, Reader, Thomas A. Dethlefsen, Marshal.

Wednesday, February 4, 1931

7.45, Jubilee Midweek Service, Senior Deacon L. C. Osteyee presiding  
C. A. Anderson, Rev. Albert Biggs, Rev. F. C. Krautz, Wm. D. White,  
Mrs. J. J. Friedrichs, Mrs. M. A. Hamilton, Mrs. Hannah Jacobson, Mrs.  
C. M. Johnson, Catharine A. McColl, Mrs. E. D. McKericher, Mrs. A. M.  
Ward.

Testimony, oral or written, "What Hamilton Square Has Meant To Me."

Friday, February 6, 1931

6.30, Golden Jubilee Roll-Call of the Membership of the Church.

Thomas A. Dethlefsen presiding.

Address by Pastor-Elect Richard E. Day, D. D.

COMMITTEES: Invitation: F. H. Dethlefsen, Mrs. Marvin Jenkins, Mrs.  
Lydia E. Steves.

Souvenir Program: J. O. Ernsberger, Jessie P. Hunsinger, Cora A. King,  
W. W. Raisner.

Music: Orrie E. Young, Mrs. A. M. Nelson, Mrs. Roy W. MacDonald.

Ushers: Clayton T. Morrow, Emery Jenkins, R. J. Simmons, Reynold John-  
son, Clara Hamilton, Edna Hallgren, Helen Pistey.

Decorations: Mrs. John Lalka, Mrs. R. I. Harkness, Mrs. L. I. Sweitzer,  
Clyde A. Nelson.

Dinner: Mrs. Wolfe Mitchell, Mrs. A. M. Downing, Mrs. H. A. Pitmann,  
Mrs. C. M. Johnson, Mrs. P. H. Rempel, Mrs. W. E. Cole, Mrs. H. P.  
O'Bryne, Mrs. M. H. Myers.

Table: Mrs. W. J. Richards, Mrs. F. H. Dethlefsen, Mrs. J. D. Brown,  
Mrs. N. L. Shanks; Waiters, Hi-B-Ys.

Reception: Deacons and their wives, Trustees and their wives, Helen C.  
Lillis, Rev. and Mrs. R. N. Lynch, Mrs. Maud Scovel, Mrs. A. M. Ward,  
Rev. C. W. Gawthrop, Mrs. Jennie Schalike, Mrs. A. M. Ward, Mrs. Emma  
L. Moss, F. L. Moss, Mrs. Walter Storey, Jeanette Gedalius, Mrs. J. M. Gear.

Sunday, February 8, 1931

Pastor-Elect Richard E. Day, D. D., will preach morning and evening.

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# THE PAGEANT OF HAMILTON SQUARE

Presented Tuesday Evening, February 3, 1931

BERTHA I. PYLE, Reader

THOMAS A. DETHLEFSEN, Marshal

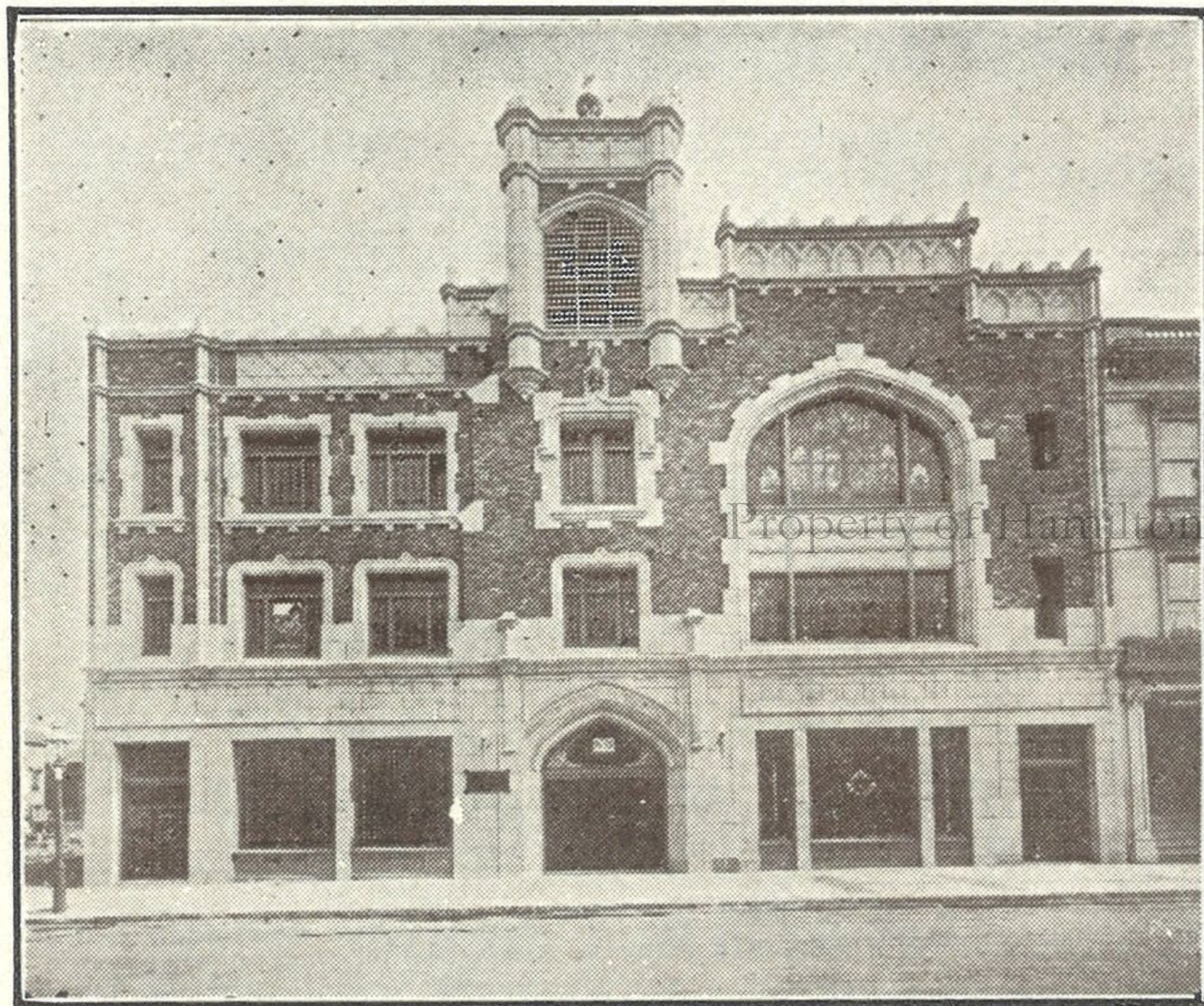
CLAYTON T. MORROW, Stage Superintendent

- Prologue—The Purpose of the Pageant.....MRS. W. B. WESSELLS
1. The Organization of the Church and Call of Pastor Bromley.....  
.....L. C. OSTEYEE
2. Declination of Letters by Sister Church, "Too Hopeless".....  
.....YOUNG PEOPLE'S FORUM
3. Building of First Edifice.....JOHN SEMPEY, Presiding
4. Rebuilding and Presentation of the Second House.....THE AMOMAS
5. Call of Pastor Sawyer.....
6. Earthquake Scenes.....THE PHILATHEAS
7. The Music of the Church.....THE CHOIR
8. The "Lend-a-Hand Press".....SENIOR YOUNG MEN
9. "War Time Experiences".....PASTOR GAWTHROP & RECRUITS
10. Dedication of the New Church.....C. M. JOHNSON & OFFICERS
11. "A Brand New Day".....THE HI-B-YS
- Apologue—What of the Future?.....MRS. W. B. WESSELLS
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# "The Welcome"

## Hamilton Square Baptist Church

Post Street  
Bet. Fillmore and Steiner Sts., San Francisco



Divine Worship, 11:00 a. m. and 7:45 p. m.  
Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.      Young People's Meeting, 6:45 p. m.  
Mid-week Service, Wednesday, 7:45 p. m.

Strangers are invited to register  
upon the cards in the pews.

A Christian Welcome for All

Hamilton Square has always used the printed page. Pastor Sawtelle for several years in the '90s, published "The Spare Hour" for the Union Square Baptist Church and later in Hamilton Square issued "The Witness." Pastor Runyan carried "The Weekly Gleaner" through several volumes. In 1902 began the publication of "The Welcome" which has continued through twenty-nine volumes and some half million copies. "The Lend-A-Hand Press," whose outfit was the possession of pastor and church, has served every affiliated organization in innumerable publications of every sort during the terms of Pastors Sawyer and Gawthrop. Literally millions of cards and folders have been its product, all of which have been freely produced without charge.

The service has been of inestimable value to the church and its organizations.

**The Hamilton Square Baptist Church**

Louis J. Sawyer, Pastor  
6 Lyon Terrace Fillmore 913

**SUNDAY**

**WEDNESDAY**

Sunday School	9:45 A.M.	Mid-week Social Service	7:45 P.M.
Preaching Service	11:00 A.M.		
Young People's Service	6:45 P.M.	This House is for the Glory of God	
Choral Service and Sermon	7:45 P.M.	and the Service of Humanity	

**A CHRISTIAN WELCOME FOR ALL**