

# Notes From Daily Records of Missionary Journey

We arrived in Port-Au-Prince about 3 p.m. We were met by Brother Dorfeuille and about one hundred of the saints. Received a wonderful welcome and was escorted to our place of stay which was Brother Dorfeuille's home. Here, we were greeted by many more awaiting our arrival.

No services were conducted at night during the convention due to the tension of war existing. We did not go from our home into the streets at night. Two men were shot and killed during the four days we were there due to the existing situation.

In spite of this, we had a most wonderful and glorious convention. The days were very much filled with pastors and saints representing churches by special singing of choirs, quartets, duets, trios and solos.

Even though it was hard for us to understand due to the French language spoken by the natives of Haiti, there were many inspiring Holy Ghost messages, witnessed by the Holy Ghost in various languages other than French.

We were privileged on Monday, the day of our leaving, to visit the Port-Au-Prince, Grady R. Kent college. I was very amazed when Brother Dorfeuille and the directors took me to visit the college. To say...we have such a fine school just in its infancy with four wonderful teachers, a director and a professor with 108 pupils enrolled. At the hour I visited, some were absent from their classes due to the system of the school, but I made pictures and photographs of some. We have 72 other rural schools in the country of Haiti.

Approximately 12 o'clock Monday, March 2, we boarded Pan American for the country of Jamaica. We arrived in Kingston, Jamaica about 2 o'clock. We met a special friend of Brother Chad Somerville, the Overseer of World Missions, who immediately agreed to take his car and drive us across country to the city of Montego Bay. While in Kingston, we visited an old friend of mine, Bishop R. D. Smith, the Overseer for the Church of God of Prophecy. He gave us a wonderful welcome and was glad to see us. We only spent a few minutes and was on our way to the Northwest side of the country. We went looking for Brother Barrett in the mountains, who made his stand for the church. He now has the church reformed in that territory saving The Church of God in Jamaica. After our return from the mountains in Montego Bay, we did much personal work, visited members of the Church of England and some folks in the Pentecostal movement, giving out literature and copies of The Vision Speaks. All this was an effort to establish a headquarters in Montego Bay.

I would like to give another note here while sitting here on the porch at the location where we were staying and I quote, "While sitting here I only wish that Brother Chad and myself had a little more money -- Oh, what we could do in the city of Montego Bay." As I am looking at the people going up and down the street and the warm welcome that we received from them in a field where we knew no one and no one knew us, I am asking God at this moment, "Oh God, give us a church and a headquarters for the church in this great city!" At this time, I feel the very presence of God and I am also overlooking the ocean. To me, this points out the Isles of the Sea have been waiting for the glorious move which is according to the Holy Scriptures.

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Brother Somerville and myself boarded Pan American once again to come back to the U.S.A. with a glorious report from the Isles of the Sea. Across the hills and the little trails, we had been privileged to see the natives of this country as they left away from the cities, and the method of making their living, and the various little things that they did to receive a small piece of money. But yet, they love God and their devotion towards Him was great. We have had approximately 2,500 increase in membership in the three countries this year.

I want to express my appreciation to the Women's Missionary Band for their laboring efforts in raising funds and for their prayers to make this glorious and mighty work to come forth to the Isles of the Sea. I want to express my appreciation to the International Women's Missionary Band Director, Sister Louise Brownlee. She has recently been afflicted in her body and I would like to request prayer in her behalf. She is needed on the field. God bless everyone who has given their finances and prayers in the mission work.