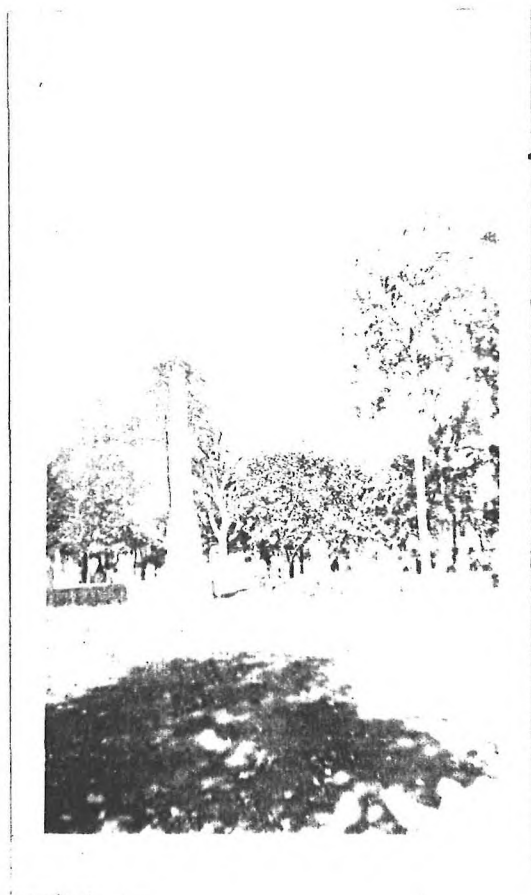


would close the school for a term or more. By 1844, there were about one hundred children registered but only a few came to school. The children were taught Reading, Arithmetic, Alphabet, Spelling, Writing, and Grammar.

This first school was used until 1871, when the land was needed for the new Baptist Church. The Building was finally auctioned off in 1873 for \$85.00 and moved to Stout Avenue where it is still used for a home. It is now the Isen Neal residence.



The site of our very first school in
Scotch Plains