Mrs. Margaret Breese 8 W. Main Street Macedon, New York

Dear Mrs. Breese:

I thank you for your letter of July 11th enclosing the check in behalf of the Macedon Church for \$400.00 to be added to our capital Pension Fund in memory of Rev. John O. Bennett. This amount has been received by the Convention and so recorded on its books.

Over the past years I have done considerable work and some research regarding the Macedon Church property. I had thought that this property would eventually be deeded to the Convention, in the event that your church dissolved. While I notice that Rev. Gilman [of the Convention] did not ask you about this I am taking the liberty of doing so because our executive board will most surely want to know what the situation is. I would appreciate it very much if you would advise me fully as to what the plans are regarding the Church property.

> Yours very truly, Donald W. Beebe Treasurer

Mr. Donald Beebe Kenmore, N.Y. 8 W. Main St. Macedon, N.Y. July 23, 1960

Dear Mr. Beebe,

This letter will explain the disposition of the Macedon Universalist church property.

At a parish meeting last fall it was voted not to deed the property to the [NY State] Convention [of Universalists].

It is now the property of the town and is to be used as a town hall. I have been told that the officials have spent approximately ten thousand dollars to put the building in excellent condition.

The church proper is to remain as it was and [the building] can be used by the Universalist Society or any other organization.

Sincerely,

Margaret A. Breese Sec'y and Treas., Universalist Society

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