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**Bamford Family - Miscellaneous Notes by Russ Haines from the book
Jubilee of the Box Hill Methodist Church 1883-1933**

Notes from this book. Original copy of book not available.

“Mr P. Bamford” photo from the book

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Some text was found on page 45 that read, “Mr P. Bamford concluded a life-time of generous support by donating a memorial window at the south-east entrance to the new Oxford Street Church.”

Page 77 mentions that P. Bamford was the first local preacher on 9th October, 1902 to 9th April, 1903, after the 1st April, 1902 Church union. Of course there were also local ministers; Rev. Henry James Lavers was the minister from Church union to 1905.

Page 78, Miss V. Bamford was in the 1921 church choir.

Page 80, under “Married Ladies”, Vera Bamford was listed as having a married name of Mrs W. Martin living in Adelaide, attending the Methodist church.

Page 83, under “Circuit Stewards”, W. Bamford was a junior steward in 1911 and senior steward in 1912 and 1913.

Page 84, W. Bamford was church trustee appointed in October, 1900. P. Bamford was a church trustee, appointed on 20th March, 1911.

Page 85, W. Bamford was church secretary, appointed 12th March, 1904 and, following that and not at the same time, church treasurer from 2nd September, 1905. His treasurer term ceased on 13th May, 1921 and secretary on 27th January, 1905.

Page 85, Mrs Bamford was a class leader from September, 1901 to March, 1902 for 6 months.

Page 86, W. Bamford was assistant superintendent of the Sunday School from 1991 to 1893, and general superintendent from 14th November, 1889 to 11th November, 1890.

Page 87, Miss V Bamford Sunday School Organist from 1917 to 1920. Sunday School Librarian was P Bamford in 1901 and Sunday School secretary from 2nd November, 1891 to 13th June, 1892.

Page 90, Scholar's Examinations, certificates gained 1907 pass Frank Bamford, 1922 pass Alan Bamford (division 4), 1924 (division 6) Alan Bamford.