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Rowheath Lido, Bourneville, was chosen for the mass baptism of about 100 Jehovah Witnesses. In nearby Birmingham the Witnesses were holding their Peace Pursuing Convention. Their ceremony of baptism requires total immersion.

If this seems a lot to be baptised at one time, it's nothing to the World Assembly in New York two years ago. Then, more than seven thousand came forward to affirm their faith.