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rather confused text could be found in the country. The Falashas had been a freedom-loving, warlike people, who for many centuries had to undergo terrible trials in their fight for independence against the kings of Ethiopia; as a result, they were reduced to a comparative-ly small, economically weak, and spiritually not very much developed community (although Dr. Leslau praises their zeal for the education
of their children). Nevertheless, despite its
rather confused arrangement, the Book of the
Sabbath displays a genuine and most original
religious attitude.
The other books presented in translation
in this anthology are mostly adaptatirs2wh559 502.6 Tm (in) is

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standard gripe about the constant tension of the factory and the pot shots sent his way by labor on one side and top management on the other, Sid feels impelled to confess that "no-body has to be a superintendent of a garment plant unless he wants to. So far I can't say I had been having a very bad time. Having a pretty good time as a matter of fact."

IF SID is having a pretty good time, some