

The Long-Range Planning Committee of the Board of Trustees held a preliminary planning meeting on campus, January 13-15, 1975. The agenda included a general over-view of the long-range planning process and

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LONG-RANGE
PLANNING

an entire day for reviewing thirteen (13) areas of the life of the Seminary to be involved in long-range planning. These areas included: Purpose, Faculty, Curriculum, Instruction, Library, Relationship to other Schools, Student Services, Organization/Administration, Finances, Physical Plant, Advanced Degree Programs, Community Relations, Denominational Relations, Continuing Education, and Certificate Education.

The Committee moved to establish a steering committee of nine (9) persons from the Trustees, Administration, and Faculty to develop the network for planning. The planning process itself will include alumni and students as well as trustees, administration, and faculty. The steering committee will have its first meeting in March during the annual meeting of the Trustees.

On Thursday, January 16, members of the Trustee Long-Range Planning Committee joined Professors Bland and Copeland, along with President Lolley, for a trip to Washington D. C. to review a proposed Urban

URBAN STUDIES
PROJECT

Studies Project. For some years such a project has been in the minds of many Southern Baptist leaders. The Long-Range Planning Committee voted to include the prospective "Center of

Urban Studies" as a part of the long-range planning process for the seminary.

The Buildings and Grounds Committee of the Board of Trustees met on campus, January 17, 1975, and let the bid for six (6) units of student housing to be built by September, 1975. These units

STUDENT
HOUSING

will consist of twelve (12) three-bedroom duplexes and will relieve considerably our housing squeeze.

The contract was awarded to Mr. Wallace E. Looper of Wake Forest, N. C. for a total bid of \$194,994.00. The seminary will negotiate with Mr. Looper for construction of sewage connections, driveways, etc.

The Trustee Buildings and Grounds Committee voted to instruct Mr. Bailey, architect on the Library project, to complete the plans

LIBRARY
PROJECT

and specifications and to submit these to four (4) selected builders. He is to secure their bids in time for the meeting of the Trustees on March 12, 1975. The

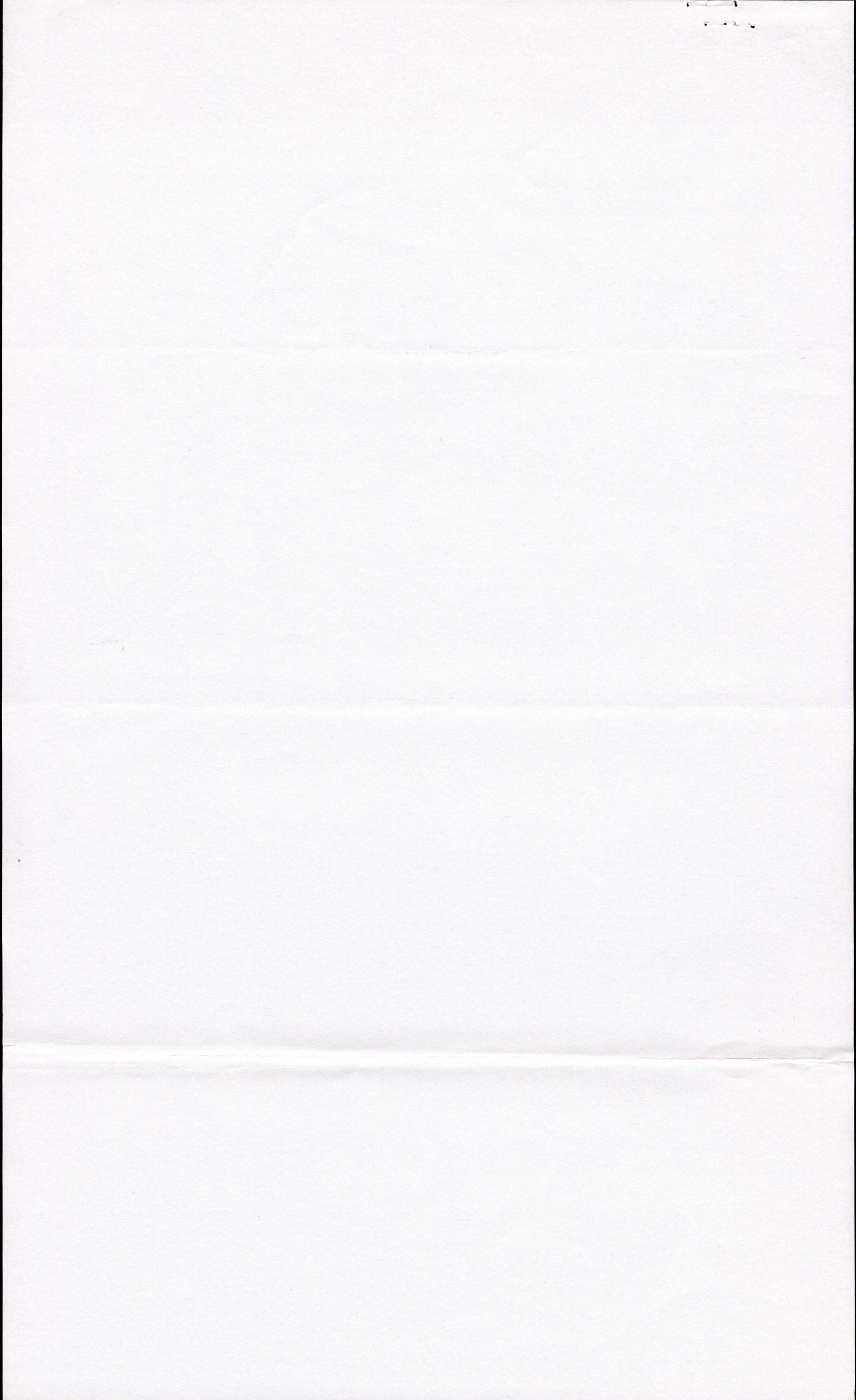
architect is to have a pre-bid conference with all the builders who are invited to submit a bid.

The Buildings and Grounds Committee reviewed the progress on the President's house and affirmed the general direction the project has taken especially in view of the unforeseen serious termite damage and reg-

PRESIDENT'S
HOUSE

ulatory heating, wiring, and plumbing codes. The committee urged that the project be brought to the earliest possible completion including the family room and carport.

This project was originally intended to be a redecorating one, but has now, by necessity, become a project for renovating the house of the President. The house was built in 1928, and has not had any major renovation since.



Plans have been completed for a non-credit, seven week, night course, regarding "The Minister's Personal Finances." The course will be tailored for pastors, their wives, and families in the region, and will cover such areas as budgeting, taxes, housing, social security, retirement, and insurance. The course will be taught by Billy Griffin, a Southeastern alumnus, who serves as a financial counselor to ministers. He will be assisted at certain points by Sam O'Neal of the North Carolina Baptist State Convention staff. The course will meet on Tuesday evenings from 7:00 - 9:00 p.m. A registration fee of \$10.00 will be charged.

MINISTER'S
PERSONAL
FINANCE

Congratulations are in order to our Seminary Physician, Dr. Jim Moseley. He has been recently designated a Diplomate of the American Board of Family Practice. This prestigious new professional recognition results from two full days of rigorous examinations last October covering every area of medical practice.

DR. JIM
MOSELEY

Preliminary reports indicate that we will have the largest spring enrollment in many years. In fact, it may set a record! The M.Div./MRE enrollment is up 120 students over last spring semester. Although the records are not complete in every detail, we do know that the two Old Testament Survey evening classes continue to go strong with over 100 registered.

SPRING
ENROLLMENT

Here are the FTE comparisons: Fall semester, 1974 -- 695; Spring semester, 1975 -- 687.

