

Through March 17 "educational" meetings have been held to tell the Southeastern story, with well over 50 average attendance. During April, additional meetings are scheduled in North Carolina and Virginia.

DEVELOPMENT PROGRESS

The Development Council met on campus March 13. Attendance was excellent. So was the spirit of the persons discussing development programs. The Council presented a specific recommendation to the Trustees regarding a campaign for Southeastern Seminary to be launched later this year, hopefully in concert with the SBC United Campaign for Seminaries.

March 14 was Founders' Day. Dr. Olin T. Binkley, President Emeritus, brought the address. During the festivities a Schulmerich Carillon was accepted and dedicated. The Carillon, located in Binkley Chapel, was given to the Seminary by Mr. A. J. Fletcher, Raleigh lawyer and businessman, in memory of his parents, the Reverend and Mrs. James Floyd Fletcher, and in honor of his esteemed friend, Dr. A. C. Reid of Wake Forest.

FOUNDERS' DAY

The beautiful bells chime a "hymn concert" each evening at 5:00 p.m. and on Sunday at 12:15 p.m.

The Carver-Barnes Lectures were delivered March 29-30 by Dr. Pope A. Duncan, former Southeastern Seminary faculty member. Dr. Duncan was inaugurated earlier this month as President of Stetson University, Deland, Florida.

CARVER- BARNES LECTURES

The semi-annual meeting of the seminary Trustees was held on campus March 13-14. The Trustees took the following actions:

TRUSTEE MEETING

1. Appointed John M. Rich seminary attorney.
2. Approved a \$2,810,004 fiscal budget for 1978-79.
3. Approved the Town of Wake Forest's efforts to revitalize the community business and historic districts.
4. Approved an M. Div. degree program with Church Music.
5. Received the Program Evaluation of the Urban Studies Center in Washington, D. C.
6. Elected Dr. G. Thomas Halbrooks Assistant Professor of Church History.
7. Elected Dr. James West Good Professor of Church Music.
8. Granted sabbatical leave to Dr. John W. Eddins, Jr. during the academic year 1978-79.

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9. Conferred academic tenure upon Dr. Richard L. Hester.
10. Authorized four capital projects:
 - a. Residential sites for administration and faculty
 - b. Student apartments
 - c. Straightening Stadium Road
 - d. Electrical distribution system
11. Authorized the Seminary to deed the Town of Wake Forest approximately 2.24 acres to build an electrical substation.
12. Established the following endowments:
 - a. An endowment for programs for student wives.
 - b. The David Finley Memorial Fund for student aid.
 - c. The Howard Fund Scholarship endowment.
 - d. The Pamplico Baptist Church Student Aid Fund.
 - e. The I. N. Patterson endowment for student aid.
 - f. The Ruth M. Wilson Memorial Fund for faculty endowment.
13. Accepted the gift of a Schulmerich Carillon in Binkley Chapel from Mr. A. J. Fletcher.
14. Adopted plans for a seminary campaign to raise capital and endowment funds beginning the fall, 1978.

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