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The SBC Executive Committee met in Nashville, Tennessee September 16-18. The agenda was jammed by referrals from the SBC annual meeting in June. Chairman of Trustees, Charles Horton, and President of the Student Council, Ben Taylor, attended along with President W. Randall Lolley.

SBC EXECUTIVE  
COMMITTEE

Preliminary projections for 1986-87 Cooperative Program budgeting were made:

Basic Budget I	\$ 126,630,000
Capital Projects	5,870,000
Basic Budget II	<u>3,500,000</u>
Total	\$ 136,000,000

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Six recently elected trustees of Southeastern Seminary were on campus for Orientation, September 2-4. Chairman Charles Horton was joined by numerous seminary personnel to provide the new trustees with a look at every facet of the seminary's life and work.

NEW TRUSTEE  
ORIENTATION

The regular meeting of the trustees is scheduled October 14-15.

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The 1984-85 seminary audit is complete and will be reviewed by the trustees in their October meeting. The year was a good one financially, and the seminary completed its 34th year well "in the black."

AUDIT

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The Faculty Club met September 10 at President Lolley's home for dinner and a report from three colleagues who were on sabbatical leave last year. Those reporting were: Dr. Tom Bland, Dr. Delos Miles and Dr. Ben Philbeck.

FACULTY CLUB

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Mr. Carson Brisson, Registrar/Director of Admissions, has released fall semester enrollment figures. There are 1125 students enrolled. Last fall, enrollment was 1246. The decrease was somewhat expected with many students completing their work. The new curriculum design began this fall adding four hours to the M.Div. degree. One off-campus center (Fruitland, NC) was terminated this fall while negotiations are completed for its re-location next year. Also, enrollment in the night classes has been less in 1985 than in 1984.

FALL ENROLLMENT

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On Thursday, September 12, eighteen students were awarded Raymond Bryan Brown Scholarships for the academic year, 1985-86. The students came from 10 different colleges and universities. The scholarships are based on academic excellence, commitment to Christian ministry, evidence of Christian character, and promise in the service of Christ. They amount to \$1200 per year.

BROWN SCHOLARS

