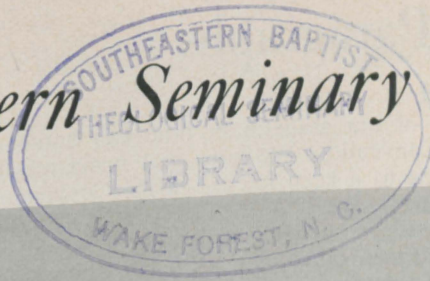


Southeastern Seminary Bulletin



Personal Paragraphs

(This issue: President S. L. Stealey)

We are getting out this first issue of our Bulletin in time (we hope) for the meeting of the Southern Baptist Convention. We hope that many messengers will see it in Miami and get, or renew, a keen interest in the Convention's newest "baby," the Southeastern Seminary. We hope that each one who reads this first "Personal Paragraph" will pause immediately and offer a prayer that God will guide this school with its unlimited potentialities for His service. And pray, please, that all of us who carry responsibilities in the Seminary will follow God's guidance at any cost. Then on through the years ahead, please remember to pray often for us.

We Are Grateful

Surely we can now, after our first full session, raise our Ebenezer. "Hitherto hath the Lord helped us." Most of the time He has used our brethren and sisters of our great Convention as channels of His grace. Literally hundreds of letters have poured in to me as President and thousands have spoken concerning the Seminary. All, save one, have been messages of great encouragement and helpfulness, and that one was criticism in kindly spirit. In my greatest dreams as the Seminary was started, I did not picture such unanimous support. The faculties and staffs of all our sister seminaries, the staffs of all our agencies, state secretaries of the various departments of our work, editors, pastors, deacons, simple Christians—all such and many more have given free and valuable help. This constant inflow of encouragement has contributed immeasurably to the warm and enthusiastic spirit which has characterized our Seminary family every single day so far. We are deeply grateful to God and very proud of our Southern Baptist people.

Our Students

I am, I believe, prouder of our first student body than of any other aspect of our Seminary life. The men are not scholastic geniuses. Their work has been good, but not in the least astonishing. It is their spirit that pleases me. They have taken seriously their part of the responsibility for getting the Seminary started right. They measure high on the standards of consecration, studiousness and manliness which were set in the beginning. They have been patient as we waited for church work to open for them. In our territory, new as far as a Baptist Seminary is concerned, the churches were not acquainted with the high type of service that mature seminary students can render. Gradually our men have been convincing a highly satisfactory number of them. Over fifty of our students now have student pastorates. They have been economical in their living habits. When they have borrowed from our Student Aid Fund, they have lived up to their agreements. They have helped each other. They have set

up student activities such as a Student Council, a radio program, a religious drama production, and a choral group. They have maintained high morale. How many students? One hundred two have enrolled. Seven had to drop out for physical or financial reasons. Ninety-five finished the year. We can now see a possibility of facilities for not more than about 250 until the time Wake Forest College moves to Winston-Salem. We must save some place for third year students when we put in the full three-year curriculum. In 1952-53 we anticipate between 180 and 200 students. Applications are already in for almost all we can accommodate. Our limitations of classroom space and housing were known from the start. We can build internal strength these first years and be ready for the anticipated rapid growth when we come into possession of all the facilities now used by Wake Forest College.

Our Library

Next to a competent faculty, a well chosen and well organized library is probably the greatest asset for sound instruction. Ours is, of course, not large yet nor anywhere near adequate, but we have sought the best available advice in the selection of books purchased, and I am convinced that we have spent our money wisely. Our more than four thousand volumes are immediately usable. By a careful comparison of prices we have saved often more than half the usual cost of books. About ten friends have presented books to the Library and many of these are rare and valuable additions.

What Can You Do?

You can think about us, tell people about us, pray for us, ask your whole church membership to pray for us. You can support earnestly the Co-operative Program. It is the absolutely indispensable support of Southeastern and all of our other seminaries. You can send us books, especially books on Baptist history; also records and minutes of historical significance. You can help a worthy preacher boy come to and stay in the Seminary by contributing to our Student Work Grant and Aid Fund, as more than thirty



SECRETARY TO PRESIDENT — Miss Earline Cooper of Laurens, S. C., has been named secretary to President S. L. Stealey. Miss Cooper, a graduate of Furman University, has served as acting registrar and secretary to the president, at North Greenville Junior College, Tigerville, S. C. She is also a graduate of Greenwood, S. C., College of Commerce, receiving the private secretarial diploma.

friends have already done. You can visit us to see for yourself our possibilities and our needs. Again, and finally, you can pray for us. Only as the Seminary is founded upon the hearts and prayers of our people, will it be founded right.

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COVER STORY

Photographer James Rittenhouse snapped a picture which shows that all is not work and study at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. There is time for conversation and the cementing of friendships which will last long after graduation days.

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Southeastern Seminary Offers Students Instruction of Highest Quality

Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary, which will open its second session September 10, 1952, has been blessed with an outstanding faculty.

The addition this fall of six professors of recognized ability and experience should give Southeastern the distinction of offering the highest quality of seminary instruction.

New faculty members, who were unanimously elected by the board of trustees, are: Dr. Olin Trivette Binkley, who comes to Southeastern Seminary from Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, Louisville, Ky.; Dr. Robert T. Daniel, who comes to Southeastern Seminary from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas; Dr. Edward Allison McDowell, Jr., who comes to Southeastern from Southern Seminary, Louisville; Dr. Stewart A. Newman, who comes to Southeastern from Southwestern Seminary, Fort Worth; Dr. Marc H. Lovelace, who comes to Southeastern Seminary from the School of Religion faculty at Wake Forest College, and Dr. M. Ray McKay, who comes to Southeastern from the Second Baptist Church in Little Rock, Ark.

Dr. S. L. Stealey, Southeastern Seminary president, said he was delighted that the Seminary was able to obtain the services of six such men, each of whom is outstanding in his field of study.

Brief biographies of all faculty members follow:

DR. SYDNOR L. STEALEY
President and Professor
of Church History

Dr. Stealey, the first president of the Convention's youngest Seminary,



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came to his present office in 1951 from Southern Seminary in Louisville where he had served as professor of Church history since 1942. Before joining the faculty of Southern Seminary, he served as pastor of some of the most strategic churches in the South and was a member of several southwide committees, including the Executive Committee of the Southern Baptist Convention (1938-1943). In 1950 he taught for four months at the new Baptist Seminary in Zurich, Switzerland.

Dr. Stealey is a graduate of Oklahoma Baptist University and received his Th.M. and his Ph.D. degrees from Southern Seminary in Louisville.

DR. OLIN TRIVETTE BINKLEY
Professor of Christian Sociology
and Ethics

Dr. Binkley comes to Southeastern Seminary from Southern in Louisville



where he has served on the faculty since 1944. Dr. Binkley is a former head of the Department of Religion at Wake Forest College. He is the author of *Frontiers for Christian Youth* and *The Churches and the Social Conscience*. Dr. Binkley is a member of the American Sociological Society, the Social Service Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, and is religious consultant to the editor of *Marriage and Family Living*.

He received his B.A. degree from Wake Forest College, the Th.B. from Southern Seminary, B.D. from Yale Divinity School, Ph.D. from Yale University, and was awarded a D.D. by Wake Forest College in 1951.

DR. ROBERT T. DANIEL
Professor of
Old Testament Interpretation

Dr. Daniel, who is beginning his first term at Southeastern this fall, has

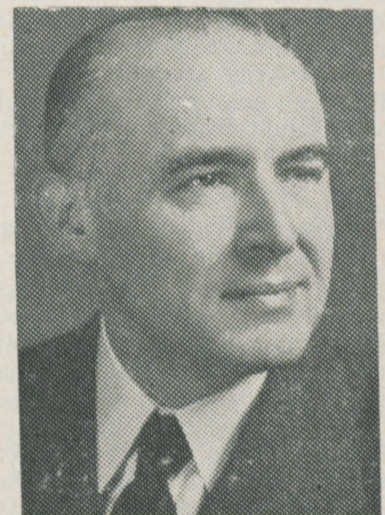


been a teacher in the department of Old Testament at Southwestern Seminary in Fort Worth since 1935. In 1950 he was president of the National Association of Bible Instructors and now holds membership in various other societies and organizations.

He is a graduate of Mercer University where he received his A.B. degree. He holds the M.A. degree from Texas Christian University and completed graduate work for his doctorate at the University of North Carolina and Garrett Bible Institute in Evanston, Ill.

DR. EDWARD A. McDOWELL, JR.
Professor of
New Testament Interpretation

Dr. McDowell comes to Southeastern Seminary from Southern Seminary



in Louisville where he has served on the faculty since 1935. At Southern Seminary he began as instructor of New Testament Interpretation and later served as assistant professor, associate professor, professor, and became head of the department in 1951.

He is the author of *Son of Man and Suffering Servant, The Meaning and Message of the Book of Revelation*, and co-editor with W. H. Davis of *A Source Book of Interbiblical History*.

Dr. McDowell, a graduate of Furman University, received the Th.M. and Ph.D. degrees from Southern Seminary.

DR. STEWART A. NEWMAN
Professor of Theology
and Philosophy of Religion

Dr. Newman comes to Southeastern Seminary from Southwestern Baptist



Theological Seminary in Fort Worth, Texas. He is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University and received his Th.M. and Th.D. degrees from Southwestern where he began teaching 17 years ago.

While serving at Southwestern as professor and registrar, he led that Seminary to full accreditation by the highest standardizing agencies.

He was a guest professor at Garrett Bible Institute, Evanston, Ill., in 1947.

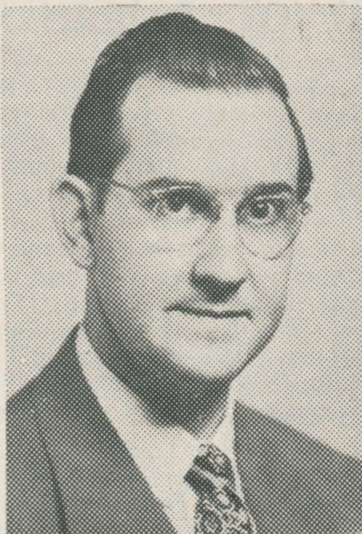
DR. MARC H. LOVELACE
Professor of Biblical Archaeology

Dr. Lovelace, who served during the 1951-52 school year as associate professor of religion at Wake Forest College and as professor of Biblical Archaeology at Southeastern Seminary, has been elected to serve full-time at the Seminary beginning this fall.

He has been on the faculty at Wake Forest College since 1946. A graduate of High Point College, he received his

Th.M. and Th.D. degrees from Southern Baptist Seminary.

Dr. Lovelace is a member of various societies, including the American Ori-



ental Society, the American Academy of Political Science, and the National Geographic Society. The recipient of his fourth Carnegie Foundation Grant, Dr. Lovelace traveled in the summer of 1951 in Palestine and other parts of the Near East to study pottery chronology and the revival of Biblical Hebrew as official language of Israel.

DR. M. RAY MCKAY
Professor of Christian Preaching
and Religious Education

Dr. McKay comes to Southeastern Seminary from Little Rock, Ark. where he served as pastor of the Second Baptist Church in that city. Other pastorates held by Dr. McKay include: First Baptist Church, Aurora, Ill., and First Baptist Church, Topeka, Kansas. In 1951 he was a member of the



Preaching Mission to Japan and completed a trip around the world.

He has taught in the Pastors' Summer School at Kalamazoo, Mich. and

has been a speaker on many college campuses for religious emphasis and focus weeks.

Dr. McKay is a graduate of Shurtleff College, Alton, Ill. and holds the Th.M. and Th.D. degrees from Southern Seminary.

DR. JOHN BURDER HIPPS
Professor of Missions

A former missionary to China, Dr. Hipps has had wide experience in the field of missions. From 1915 until 1935 he served as professor of Old Testament Interpretation at Shanghai Baptist College and Seminary and became dean of the Seminary in 1923.

In 1935 he was chosen chairman of the Division of Religious Studies in the University of Shanghai, in which capacity he served until 1941 when he was forced to vacate China due to war between United States and Japan. After the war, he returned to Univer-



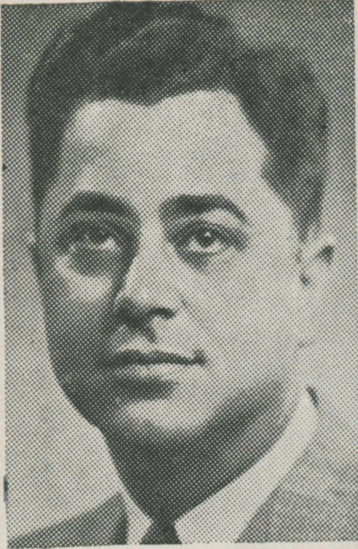
sity of Shanghai where he served as professor of Philosophy and Religion from 1945 until 1949 when he was again forced out of China by the encroachment of communistic influences. Before his election as professor of Missions at Southeastern in the spring of 1951, he filled many speaking engagements and assisted in some of the administrative affairs of the Foreign Mission Board office in Richmond.

Wake Forest College, where he received his A.B. degree, conferred upon him the D.D. degree in 1935. He holds the Th.M. degree from Southern Seminary, the S.T.M. degree from Union Theological Seminary, and the M.A. degree from Columbia University.

DR. J. LEO GREEN
Professor of
Old Testament Interpretation

Dr. Green was acting head of the department and taught Old Testament and Hebrew at Southern Baptist Seminary from 1939-48. From 1948-1951 he served as pastor of the First Baptist Church of Pensacola, Fla. and

Southeastern Seminary Students Come From 14 States, 33 Colleges



the First Baptist Church of Gainesville, Fla.

He was among the first men elected to the faculty of Southeastern Baptist Seminary in 1951.

Dr. Green is a graduate of Mississippi College and holds the Th.M. degree and the Ph.D. degree from Southern Seminary.

MR. WILLIAM C. STRICKLAND Instructor in New Testament Interpretation

Professor Strickland received his A.B. degree from Stetson University



and also completed his work for a Master's degree there. He received the B.D. degree from Southern Seminary and has completed all requirements except the dissertation for his doctorate.

He was elected as an instructor in Southeastern Seminary in 1951.

MR. JOSEPH R. ROBINSON Bursar

Mr. Robinson was elected to his present office in 1951 when Southeastern Seminary began operation.

From a geographic standpoint, Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary has already enjoyed far-reaching influences in its brief history of operation.

During the first two semesters the Convention's youngest Seminary reached into 14 states, one foreign country, and 33 colleges for the 102 members of the student body registered in the Fall and Winter terms.

Seminary enrollment listed graduates from: Augusta Junior College, Bridgewater College, John Brown University, Carson-Newman College, Catawba College, Columbia Bible College, Cumberland University, Duke University, Emory University, Furman University, Gardner-Webb College, Guilford College, Hardin Simmons University, Morris Harvey College, Bob Jones University, Lynchburg College, Madison College, Mercer University, Mississippi College, North Carolina State College, North Greenville Junior College, Oklahoma Baptist University, Colegio Rabello, Rio de Janeiro, Rice Institute, Salem College, John B. Stetson University, Union University, University of Florida, University of North Carolina, University of Richmond, University of South Carolina, Wake Forest College, and Mary Washington College.

He is a graduate of the University of Richmond and holds the B.D. degree from Union Theological Seminary in Richmond and the Th.M. degree from Southern Seminary. He has completed all requirements for the Th.D. degree except the dissertation. He



taught a class in Homiletics in 1951-52 and will assist Dr. Stealey in Church History in 1952-53.

The names of all students and their respective states are as follows:

North Carolina: Robert L. Beal, Fred Carroll Crisp, Wm. Marvin Dameron, Edward Hudson Daniel, Victor S. Dowd, William R. Eaton, Clyde C. Edinger, Jack L. Falls, Elijah D. Flowers, William C. Francis, Charles T. Fulbright, Loyd W. Garner, Alfred Franklin Gibson, Colon L. Godwin, Wiley C. Guthrie, James O. Hagwood, John D. Hales, Rome C. Hall, Earl L. Harden, Robert S. Harrell, Russell L. Hinton, Ray K. Hodge, Clifford L. Holland, Donald R. Jackson, Howard C. Knight, T. Alfred Lineberger, Daniel R. Lowe, Bennett A. Mitchell, Julian R. Morton, Baxter C. Phillips, John W. Phillips, John Alexander Poe, Robert A. Propst, Aubrey T. Quakenbush, John H. Scalf, Matthew O. Sears, Truman S. Smith, Daniel M. Spell, Melvin W. Stallings, Sherrill G. Stevens, Alfred J. Stuart, James C. Thomas, Leonard M. Thomas, George Scott Turner, Margaret H. Tyndall, William D. Tyndall, David L. Wadford, Charles H. Wellons, and John W. Woody.

South Carolina: Luther F. Adams, William F. Askins, Cecil H. Beard, Claude D. Boling, Alvin F. Boone, Jack H. Hatchell, Leon H. Hollingsworth, Catherine W. Jenkins, Charles O. Jenkins, Eugene E. Johns, Louis E. McCall, Clyde G. Moody, Bomar L. Raines, Finley H. Sizemore, Everette J. Smith, Donald J. Stoner, and Thomas L. Wilson.

Georgia: Charles C. Bettis, James L. Clegg, James N. Griffith, Lawrence P. Hardy, James W. Howard, Herman A. Howell, James C. Rittenhouse, and William Chester Smith, III.

Virginia: Richard T. Bray, Jr., Tearle P. Brown, Cecil E. Carder, Martha O. Cockerill, Alfred J. Duncan, Paul R. Garber, Richard W. McKay, Colie E. Rock, Aubrey J. Rosser, James E. Singleton, Lewis W. Turner and Wanda S. Turner.

New York: Robert H. Bruhn and Walter T. Oman.

Tennessee: Clyde H. Farnsworth.

Alabama: John O. Jeffcoat.

Maryland: Cyrus W. Kraemer.

Rio, Brazil: Laiz F. Lessa.

Florida: Earle E. Peoples and Johnie L. Perry.

Mississippi: John D. Smith.

Oklahoma: Tracy H. Streater.

West Virginia: Jack Wilson, Jr.

Pennsylvania: Paul Wonders, Jr.

Ohio: Gerald H. Kirby and Alvin A. Loiry, Jr.



Aerial View of Campus. The building indicated by the arrow houses the Seminary offices, classrooms, and library. Other buildings shown are being used by the college until move is made to Winston-Salem.

Housing Shortage Is Problem At Southeastern

No Dormitory Facilities for Single Men; Accommodations Scarce for Married Students

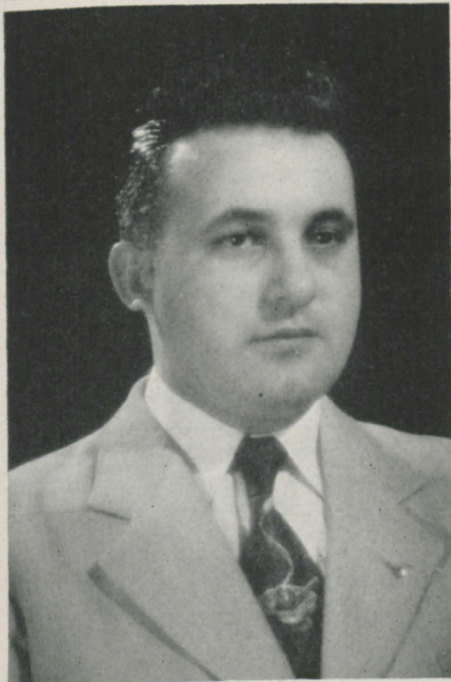
The housing situation, a source of worry and bother all over the nation for the past several years, is no less a problem at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary.

With both the Seminary and Wake Forest College on the campus, all space is at a premium. No housing facilities for married students or single men are available on the campus and Seminary officials see little chance of improving the situation until Wake Forest College moves to Winston-Salem.

Single students or those coming without their families have little difficulty securing comfortable quarters in town, but the few apartments, trailers, cottages and other accommodations for married students are normally filled or reserved weeks in advance.

Barracks Apartments

A check with the College Bursar's office, which handles all requests for Seminary housing, reveals the fact that the College owns 57 government surplus three and four-room barracks apartments. Twelve Seminary families now live in these apartments and the



FIRST FOREIGN STUDENT—Laiz Lessa of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil, is the first foreign student to enroll at Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. He says he is impressed by two things at Southeastern Seminary: the Southern hospitality and the friendly Christian atmosphere. Laiz is preparing himself to organize Royal Ambassador societies in Brazil. His father, 75, is the oldest Baptist preacher in Brazil.

remaining 45 units are occupied by College faculty members and students.

Nine Seminary students have their own houses located on College property and four other students live in trailers on one of the two college trailer camps. A survey shows that there is space for only eight more trailers.

The housing problem has been solved by a number of married Seminary students who live in surrounding areas and commute daily to classes. Students now reside in both the cities of Raleigh and Durham where they are able to find considerably more accommodations for their families.

Future Plan

The long-range plan, after the college is moved to Winston-Salem, is to provide comfortable and adequate housing for both married and single students, but present overcrowded conditions make it necessary to urge all married students to make housing arrangements before moving their families.

Women students who plan to attend the Seminary, must make reservations well in advance since the two Wake Forest College dormitories for women are usually filled to capacity and have long waiting lists.

The one bright side of the picture is that single students or married men, coming without their families, may readily find rooms in the town at approximately \$50 to \$60 per semester. Single women students can be accommodated in the dormitories at \$100 per year or in homes at \$50 to \$60 per semester.

Seminary officials have emphasized the fact that they are willing to cooperate in any possible way during the housing shortage, but as long as the current problem exists, students or prospective students must remember "first come, first served," and act accordingly.

Students Praise New Seminary

RAY K. HODGE, Kenly, N. C.—"Southeastern Seminary for me was an answer to prayer. I hope its future will always be in harmony with the spirit of prayer."

JAMES L. CLEGG, Dalton, Ga.—"The influence of the great men on



SEMINARY PUBLICITY—Jim Griffith of Macon, Ga., a student at Southeastern Seminary, has assumed his duties in the Seminary publicity office. Before entering the ministry he was managing editor of the Morganton, N. C., "News-Herald" and was formerly under contract as daily humor columnist for General Features Corp. in New York. After graduating from Mercer University he worked as news editor of the Spartanburg, S. C., "Herald" and prior to this he served as sports editor and editorial page columnist for the Macon, Ga., "Telegraph & News."

the faculty and the close fellowship of the students make Southeastern a place for ideal study, devotion, and dedication to the Christian ministry."

Highlights of 1951-52 Term at Southeastern

1951

September 10—Matriculation for first classes at new Seminary.

September 12—History in the making as classes begin.

September 18-19—First public addresses in connection with the opening of Southeastern Baptist Theological Seminary. Speakers: Dr. W. Perry Crouch, Dr. Louie D. Newton, Dr. M. A. Huggins, and Dr. M. Theron Rankin.

1952

January 10—Second semester classes began.

January 15—Convocation and Founder's Day Address by Dr. Ralph Herring, First Baptist Church, Winston-Salem.

February 14—Seminary Board of Trustees met and unanimously elected six new professors to the faculty. (See story on page 3.)

May 2—First session in history of school ends. Classes dismissed for Summer.

Seminary Making Every Effort To Place Students In Pastorates

The great need for placing more Southeastern Seminary students in pastorates has not escaped the eye of President S. L. Stealey and other officials of the institution.

"Realizing that most of our students are mature, experienced preachers who have indicated their progressiveness by coming to the Seminary with a desire to improve themselves, we are mature experienced preachers church work for these men," Dr. Stealey declared.

"Placing a Seminary student in a pastorate is not only to the student's advantage," he continued, "but it is to the advantage of the smaller churches that want good pastors and yet cannot afford full-time men."

Many Advantages

In addition to the fact that many of the Seminary students are well-seasoned, experienced preachers, there are many other advantages for the church that calls a Seminary man. The Seminary Spring term ends at the first of May and all classes are dismissed for the summer, allowing student ministers four months in which to devote full time, energy, and effort to their pastorates.

In order to give all students more time for effective ministries, the Seminary is inaugurating a new policy in the Fall term. Beginning in September, 1952, the Seminary will operate on a four-day week, permitting students to spend three days each week on their church fields. Classes will meet on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, with Saturday, Sunday, and Monday left free for church work.

"Right now," Dr. Stealey stated, "we have men in our student body with pastoral experience ranging from 12 to 15 years. I am distressed to say that some of these men are without church work.

Outstanding Ability

"I have letters from at least 10 men of outstanding ability, all pastors of successful churches, and they all wish to attend Southeastern Seminary if they can obtain church work," Dr. Stealey continued.

"I pray that many of the churches will be led to call worthy Seminary

students who are preachers of recognized ability and experience," Dr. Stealey added.

Seminary students now holding pastorates are carrying on energetic, fruitful church programs.

Student Pastors

Fifty Seminary students hold full or part-time pastorates, most of which are located in North Carolina.

From Our Mail

L. T. DANIEL, First Baptist Church, Palestine, Texas—"I noticed by the papers that you are getting McDowell and Binkley. Boy, you are really going after the best."

B. E. MORRIS, Grey Stone Baptist Church, Durham, N. C.—"The announcement of the selection of new members of your faculty is a thriller. You are to be congratulated on the choice of men you have made. These, with the fine men you already have, will attract a high type of student and build a great Seminary."

JAMES T. BURRELL, First Baptist Church, Forsyth, Ga. "I knew that you possessed persuasive powers, but you have exceeded my expectations in gaining the acceptance of these recent additions."

M. THERON RANKIN, executive secretary Foreign Mission Board, "I have been rejoicing with you in the tremendous achievement you have accomplished in building your faculty."

JOSEPH NORDENHAUG, president Baptist Theological Seminary, Ruschlikon-Zurich, Switzerland—"I hear and read good things about your Seminary."

JOHN CAYLOR, secretary of education, Home Mission Board, Atlanta, Ga., "The announcement of new professors for Southeastern Seminary confirms my conviction that you are assembling the best faculty that can be got together for the Seminary."

CARROLL TROTTER, Eutaw Baptist Church, Eutaw, Ala.—"I know

Closing Lines

Many thanks to Dr. Charles B. Althoff, retired Baptist minister of Tallahassee, Fla., who made the first contribution to the Southeastern Seminary endowment fund. Dr. Althoff says: "I know God approves of theological seminaries, for the School of Prophets was one of the guiding forces for the Israel of old."

"Every man who is called to preach should have the opportunity to avail himself of a theological education," he concluded.

The first gift to the Seminary general fund was \$1,000 received from Mr. John Crawford of Goldsboro, N. C., before the Seminary opened in September, 1951. Since that time, however, numerous other gifts have been received from individuals and groups in various states.

The Seminary library is rapidly expanding. From its start in June, 1951, the library has, in this short period of time, grown by gifts and purchases to 3,000 volumes with at least 1,000 more volumes on order.

Students, faculty, and officials of the Seminary are grateful for the many useful and valuable books which have been contributed to the library.

Officers have been elected for the Men's Choir of Southeastern Seminary and plans for 1952-53 school year include a number of singing engagements at churches in the surrounding territory. The Seminary hopes to acquire a station wagon which would provide transportation for the chorus and be available at all times for Seminary business and off-campus activities.

Dr. McDowell, Dr. Binkley, and the other additions to the faculty will really help. We follow your doings with much interest and prayer."

J. ROY ROBINSON, pastor First Baptist Church, Greer, S. C., "I already have one of my boys coming that way and there will be hundreds more in this section of the South. Wish I could take six months off and enlist a few hundred for you."

W. ROSS EDWARDS, Swope Park Baptist Church, Kansas City, Mo.—"With the faculty that you are bringing together, Southeastern will soon be at the top of our theological seminaries in every respect."