PROGRAM AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

of the

THIRTY-FIRST ANNUAL MEETING

of

The National Association of Biblical Instructors

December 27 and 28, 1940

UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY
Room 205
NEW YORK CITY

Entrance to the Seminary is at 606 West 122nd Street.
Follow the cloisters.

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27
9:45 A. M.

Business Meeting

President's Address

"The Dramatic Instinct of Early Christianity"
Professor Harvie Branscomb, *Duke University*

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27
2:30 P. M.

Symposium

BIBLICAL RELIGION AND SYNCRETISM

1. "Syncretism in the Old Testament"
   Professor Millar Burrows, *Yale University*

2. "Syncretism and New Testament Religion"
   Professor Donald W. Riddle,
   University of Chicago

3. "Religious Syncretism and Undergraduate Biblical Courses"
   Professor Florence B. Lovell, *Vassar College*

4. "Method in the Study of Religious Syncretism"
   Professor Carl Kraeling, *Yale University*

Dinner in the Grill Room in John Jay Hall at 6:30

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 27
8:00 P. M.

"Glyptic Art as Evidence for the Religion of Ancient Mesopotamia" (Illustrated)

Dr. Cyrus H. Gordon, *Smith College*

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 28
9:45 A. M.

"Significant Modern Trends in Bible Influence"

Dr. Arthur Robert Siebens,
Bowling Green, Ohio

"The Universities and Courses in Religion"

Professor Herman A. Brautigam,
Colgate University

Professor George F. Thomas,
Princeton University

Business Meeting

Adjournment

ACCOMMODATIONS

A few rooms for men may be available at Union Theological Seminary. If reservations are sent to Professor Harold J. Tryon, Union Theological Seminary, 3041 Broadway, assignments will be made as far as space is available.

The Residence Bureau of Columbia University has recommended the following places which accommodate transients:

Miss Jane Irwin, 523 West 121st Street, $1.00-$1.25 per night (ladies preferred).

The King's Crown Hotel, 420 West 116th Street, single room with connecting bath, $2.00 per day; double room (twin beds) with bath, $3.50 per day.

The Regent Hotel, Broadway and 104th Street, room with private bath, one person, $2.50 per day; two persons, $3.00-$3.50 per day; suite, three persons, $5.00 per day.

Mrs. Caroline Midgley, 620 West 116th Street (for women).

The Misses Stowe, 460 Riverside Drive.

Reservations should be made in advance.

Meals may be obtained in the Grill of John Jay Hall at cafeteria prices.