

*Program*

THE NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF  
BIBLICAL INSTRUCTORS  
(NABI)

FORTY-FIFTH ANNUAL MEETING

DECEMBER 27 - 28, 1954

UNION THEOLOGICAL SEMINARY

3041 BROADWAY

NEW YORK, NEW YORK



# Program

MONDAY, DECEMBER 27, 1954

## 2:00 P.M. PRESIDENTIAL ADDRESS

*"Thesaurus in Crackable Pottery"*

W. Gordon Ross, Berea College  
President, The National Association of  
Biblical Instructors

Arthur C. Wickenden, Miami University,  
Presiding

## 3:00 P.M. Presiding, W. GORDON ROSS

*"Teaching the Bible in Christian Perspective"*

Robert S. Eccles, DePauw University

*"The Bible in Melancthon's Philosophy of  
Education"*

Clyde L. Manschreck, Duke University

*"The Biblical Orientation for Social Action"*

Hugo W. Thompson, Macalester College

*"Security and Freedom in Personal Relations"*

John von Rohr, Pomona College

## 5:00 P.M. COUNCIL MEETING

## 7:30 P.M. Presiding, RUSSELL J. COMPTON, Depauw Univ.

*"Changing Emphases in Biblical Scholarship and  
Their Relevance to Undergraduate Courses in  
Religion"*

Bernhard Anderson, Dean of Drew  
Theological Seminary

*"Changing Emphases in Theological Scholarship  
and Their Relevance to Undergraduate Courses  
in Religion"*

L. Harold DeWolf, Boston University School  
of Theology

*Steps, Biblical*

1. Read whole Bk.
2. Discover social setting
3. Social facts - political, cultural, etc.
4. Study in detail var. topics or portions e.g. arkans judged etc
5. State prin. implied in these specific steps
5. apply prin. to pres. problems.

*100-150 for jacket  
800 mss. per yr  
50 printed " "  
5000 is good sale*

*yet cost of an. ble requires sale of 5000*

*10% is devoted to advts. 1st sale expected e.g. of 5000 sale*

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800*

*5000 actions on Harper list*

*150 free copies for review etc*



TUESDAY, DECEMBER 28, 1954

9:00 A.M. ANNUAL BUSINESS MEETING

Wichenden  
Eckardt  
Burkhardt  
Whiston  
55-58 Easley  
55- W. King

10:15 A.M. Presiding, A. ROY ECKARDT, Lehigh University

"Freshman and the Eschaton"

Winston L. King, Grinnell College

"Changing Perspectives in Courses in World Religions" <sup>Buddhism</sup> <sup>never be unchased; Buddha had only one begging bowl</sup>

John B. Noss, Franklin and Marshall College

"Changing Perspectives in Courses in Ethics"

Clyde A. Holbrook, Oberlin College

V.B. - is story  
of how I was  
floating down  
Jordan in basket -  
now not believed -  
J. + Mary traveling  
9th storm - took refuge  
in barn + there they  
gave birth to Jesus.

2:00 P.M. Presiding, DWIGHT M. BECK, Syracuse University

"Opportunities for the Publication of Satisfactory Manuscripts in the Field of Religion"

John B. Chambers, Harper, and Brothers

Assoc. Dir. of Releg Bk Dept -

3:30 P.M. Presiding, W. GORDON ROSS

"Changing Perspectives in Courses in Philosophy"

J. Edward Dirks, Lake Forest College

"Logical Treatment of Religious Propositions"

Emerson W. Shideler, Iowa State College

"Communicating Theology to the Laity"

William Hordern, Swarthmore College

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Sales -

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3:10

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Today  
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seminars

5:00 P.M. COUNCIL MEETING WITH NEW OFFICERS

7:30 P.M. JOINT MEETINGS:

The Society of Biblical Literature and Exegesis  
The American Schools of Oriental Research  
The National Association of Biblical  
Instructors



Union Theological Seminary is at Broadway and 120th Street. I.R.T. Subway Station at 116th Street and Broadway is within easy walking distance of the Seminary.

There are a few rooms available in the Seminary Dormitory. Reservations should be made by writing to MRS. ROBERT BEACH at Union Theological Seminary. Nearby hotels include King's Crown, 116th Street and Morningside; Hotel Whitehall, Broadway at 100th Street.

Members of NABI are reminded to send in the names of teachers and pastors who should be members to Dr. H. Neil Richardson, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York.

*This is your program for the meeting—  
bring it with you.*