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Nashville, Tennessee

JAMES L. SULLIVAN ELECTED  
SUNDAY SCHOOL BOARD HEAD

NASHVILLE, Tenn.--(BP)--Dr. James L. Sullivan, pastor, First Baptist Church, Abilene, Tex., since 1950, was today elected executive secretary-treasurer of the Baptist Sunday School Board, Southern Baptist Convention. He succeeds Dr. T. L. Holcomb, who has been secretary of the Board for eighteen years.

Before going to Abilene, Dr. Sullivan was pastor of Belmont Heights Baptist Church, Nashville, Tenn., from 1946 to 1950. He has held other pastorates in Brookhaven and Clinton, Miss., Ripley, Tenn., Beaver Dam, and Boston, Ky.

Dr. Sullivan is a graduate of Mississippi College and the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary, where he received his Th. M. degree in 1935. Mississippi College conferred the degree of D. D. in 1948.

He is the author of Your Life and Your Church and has been a contributing editor to numerous magazines, religious journals, Sunday school quarterlies and tracts.

Dr. Sullivan was born at Silver Creek, Miss., March 12, 1910. He married Velma Scott, Tylertown, Miss., Oct. 22, 1935. They have three children.

Dr. Sullivan will assume his new duties in June upon the retirement of Dr. Holcomb. At that time Dr. Holcomb will become secretary of the Southern Baptist Foundation, having been elected to this position at its January meeting.

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## HOMES FOR HOUSTON

HOUSTON, Tex.--(BP)--To assure your request for accommodations in a private home at the Southern Baptist Convention, you are asked to heed the following suggestions: (1) Write as soon as you know definitely that you will be coming to the Convention, (2) State how many in your party, for with children it is much more difficult to find suitable accommodations. (3) Inclose with your request a two dollar deposit for each room. The charge will be two dollars per person per night in a private home, (This change in price was made by the General Committee this week.) (4) Address your request to Carroll Ray, Homes Committee, 2420 Milam Street, Houston, Tex.

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