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Porter Routh To Be
On CBS Television

NASHVILLE--(BP)--Porter Routh, executive secretary of the Southern Baptist Executive Committee here, will appear on the CBS-TV program "Lamp Unto My Feet" telecast Sept. 1.

He will be interviewed by Lyman Bryson, Columbia University professor. Their interview will follow presentation of a short drama and will concern the opportunities a layman has for spiritual witness.

The interview was set up through cooperation of the Southern Baptist Radio and Television Commission.

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Mississippi Gets Davis
To Direct Negro Work

JACKSON, Miss.--(BP)--William P. Davis, pastor of Flora, Miss., Baptist Church, has been called to serve as secretary of the department of Negro work for Mississippi Baptist Convention here.

He succeeds William A. Keel, who resigned to accept a teaching position. Davis is a former associate secretary of the Mississippi convention.

He has already begun his new work.

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BP folks & facts

.....Wayne Dehoney, pastor of Central Park Baptist Church, Birmingham, Ala., has accepted the call to be pastor of First Baptist Church, Jackson, Tenn.

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.....R. L. O'Brien will become pastor of First Baptist Church, Graniteville, S. C., on Sept. 1. He comes to the Carolina church from pastorate of Capitol Ave. Baptist Church, Atlanta.

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.....Retired Baptist minister and educator, David M. Ramsay, died in Greenville, S. C., recently only two months short of his 100th birthday. He once was president of the trustees of Furman University.

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.....Roy F. Williams resigned as pastor of First Baptist Church, Peculiar, Mo., to join the faculty of Clear Creek Baptist School, Pineville, Ky.

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Gospel Spreads: The
Tale of Two Dollars

NASHVILLE--(BP)--A check for \$2 arrived in Nashville the other day.

From a financier's standpoint, it would have been "chicken feed." From a Christian point of view, however, it was more like the "widow's mite" Jesus commented on.

The \$2 came from Korea, still bearing the scars of recent conflict. The donors were a group of children who attended a Vacation Bible School conducted by John A. Abernathy and other Southern Baptist missionaries.

Like Vacation Bible Schools in the United States, they wanted to give an offering to help other people. Their \$2 was sent to the office of Porter Routh, treasurer of the Southern Baptist Convention, here for use in the Cooperative Program.

The Korean children said they wanted to help send the Gospel around the world.