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## CLAY HUDSON DIES

NASHVILLE, Tenn.--(BP)--Dr. Clay I. Hudson, 70, retired director of Adult Training Union work, Baptist Sunday School Board, Nashville, Tenn., died September 10, 1953, after a long illness at his home here.

Funeral services were held September 12, 1953, at Inglewood Baptist Church. Burial followed in Nashville.

He served as first director of the Adult Training Union from 1936 until his retirement in 1951.

In 1927 he and P. E. Burroughs organized the Department of Church Administration of the Sunday School Board, where he worked until 1936.

Hudson, a native of Alabama, attended Alabama Polytechnic Institute, Auburn, Ala., Howard College, Birmingham, Ala., and Union University, Jackson, Tenn.

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NEW ORLEANS SEMINARY  
DEDICATES NEW CAMPUS

NEW ORLEANS, La.--(BP)--New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary dedicated its new \$4,000,000 buildings and grounds last week.

The 75-acre campus, located in one of the finer residential districts, is on the Gulf highway to Mobile.

Seven major buildings in the academic quadrangle are of French Colonial or early Louisiana architecture but no two are alike. The library, located in the quadrangle, has a capacity of 100,000 volumes and can accommodate 400 students.

The purchase of the campus in 1947 for \$247,752 was made possible by the 1946 Cooperative Program capital funds allocation of \$209,189.44, plus some designations. Approximately \$3,000,000 has been invested in buildings. About four out of every five dollars of this has been from Cooperative Program capital funds.

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SOUTHERN BAPTIST HOSPITAL  
MADE BENEFICIARY IN WILL

NEW ORLEANS, La.--(BP)--Southern Baptist Hospital was made one of the beneficiaries in the will of Theodore G. Bruning and a check for \$50,000 was presented to the hospital.

The money is to be applied on the cost of air conditioning of the seventh and eighth floors of the old building.

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WORKSHOP GROUP VOTES  
TO MEET NEXT YEAR

NASHVILLE, Tenn.--(BP)--At the first Southern Baptist Family Life Workshop held in Nashville, Tenn., September 4 and 5, the group voted to conduct another workshop next year. The Christian Life Commission, Education Commission, and the Home Curriculum Department of the Baptist Sunday School Board sponsored the workshop.

The three agencies were instructed by the group to conduct "a survey of the objectives, the current activities, and the possible resources for family life education among Southern Baptists." The Baptist World Alliance program committee was requested by the workshop to appoint a commission on Christian family life to report at the next Baptist World Congress in London in 1955.

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"HUMBLE LAYMAN" GIVES TO  
SEMINARY WORK GRANT FUND

LOUISVILLE, Ky.--(BP)--A Tennessee layman who desires to be known to the public as a "humble layman of a small town Baptist church" gave Southern Baptist Theological Seminary 100 shares of common stock of the United States Steel Corporation, the income of which he designated to be used for Work Grant funds.

Funds received for Work Grants are used to enable Seminary students to work at jobs around the campus and earn money to help pay expenses.

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HOSPITAL BREAKS ALL  
RECORDS IN JULY BIRTHS

NEW ORLEANS, La.--(BP)--More babies were born in Southern Baptist Hospital in July than in any previous month in the history of the institution, according to Mrs. Evelyn Stumborg of the obstetrics department.

Every two hours, day and night, every day and night in the month one baby was born, making a total of 391 born, including seven sets of twins.

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