

## BAPTIST CHAPLAINS BULLETIN

April 1, 1953

### RESERVISTS

Evangelistic Conference, San Antonio, Texas, had BOOTH representing Chaplains' work - L. D. Wood (A.Res.) is on beam. Chaplain James H. Dickinson, Lackland A.F.B., took more than 100 on tour of Base. Cobb, Herman, pastor, First Baptist Church, Elizabethton, Tenn., continues a constructive ministry to their members in service. This is Bill Taggart's (A) last pastorate. King, Wm. E. (A), pastor, Central Church, Clovis, N. M., completed commodious church auditorium. Malone, Henry O. (A), Poteet, Texas - active in Reserve leadership. Myers, L. A. (A), BAPTIST NEW MEXICAN, Albuquerque, N. M., places timely and heavy plugs in his paper pertaining to Chaplaincy. Manning, Jack W. (A), Registrar and Prof. of Evangelism, Golden Gate Seminary, Berkeley, Calif., starts courses in Military Chaplaincy next school year. This makes our Southern Baptist seminaries 100% on course pertaining to Chaplaincy. Chief Army Chaplains, Ivan L. Bennett, recently made itinerary of all Baptist seminaries. Good reports from same. Ackiss, Ernest L. (N. Ret.) visited Southeastern Seminary, Wake Forest, N.C., in interest of Chaplaincy and the new program he is launching for Home Mission Board. Hinson, Arthur (A), elected Director, Promotion for Georgia Baptist State Convention. Ga. Reserve Chaplains conducted 3 day training conference at Ft. McPherson.

NOTICE - Your Commission expects Reserve Chaplains to report annually only, unless there is change of address. Report only your military activity, as active duty, training classes, correspondence credits, etc. We keep your record on a 10-year card. Report blanks enclosed for your convenience, but especially as a reminder.

### SEPARATION - RELOCATION:

Willets, Robert H. (N), First Baptist Church, Sylvania, Ga.  
Neal, John T. (A), to Little River Baptist Church, Rt. 1, Primrose, N.C.  
Richardson, Lynn T. (A), assigned to 327th Combat Engr. Bn., pastor, Slater, Mo.  
Davis, Wm. P. (A), pastor, Flora Baptist Church, Mississippi, expresses appreciation for Chaplains Commission.  
Hopkins, Wade S. (A), with 36th Div. 141st Inf., Texas, N.G., pastor, Waskom, Texas  
Mines, Marshall G. (A) Supt. City Missions, Tampa, Fla., Florida Reserves on beam - Larry Fagan (A) is Director of unit.  
Whitsitt, Earl C. (A), First Baptist Church, Bastrop, La.  
Edwards, M. T. (AF) First Baptist Church, Vivian, La., available for preaching missions in military.  
Walker, Wm. E. (A.F.), terminates military career. Now located 1901 Monroe St., Wichita Falls, Texas. Available for pastorate. Expresses appreciation for Commission.  
Jones, Atwood J., Jr. (A) to 3725 Mansfield Highway, Ft. Worth 5, Texas active in Reserve program.  
Dawson, L. H. (N) pastor, Deep Creek Baptist Church, Portsmouth, Va., sends in excellent report of Reserve activity.  
Rodgers, F. G. (A), 410 N. Bradley St., McKinney, Texas, recovering from long illness.  
Shepherd, S. G. (N), 200 Richmond Ave. Nicholasville, Ky., elected Chaplain local American Legion Post.  
Herrin, W. W. (N), to First Baptist Church, Eupora, Miss.  
Daniel, E. A. (A), The Rock, Ga., terminates military connection.  
Woodson, J. F. (A), 714 Commonwealth Ave., Boston 15, Mass. student Boston University - reaching for Ph.D.  
Cole, Solon L. (AF) 733 Allston St., Houston 7, Texas, in evangelistic work.  
Davis, N. F. (A), to Mendenhall Baptist Church, Mendenhall, Miss.  
Day, Howard C. (A), First Baptist Church, San Francisco, Calif., as Minister of Education.  
Willhoite, Fred (A.F.) 2113 N. Warren St., Oklahoma City, Okla., available for pastorate.

Dorris, R. H. (A), 110 Louise, North Little Rock, Ark.  
Cherry, Bert I. (AF), Walnut St. Baptist Church, Carbondale, Ill.,  
after April 15.  
Rumney, George, (AF) from Larson AF Base, Moses Lake, Wash., to civil-  
ian life - 3503 Plymouth Pl., Lynchburg, Va., available for pastorate.  
Hunter, Thomas M. (A) Tallaweka Baptist Church, Tallassee, Ala.  
Deese, Frank E. (A) to First Baptist Church, Ellerbe, N.C.  
Backus, Aaron (A), West Side Baptist Church, Wichita Falls, Texas.  
Active also at Shepherd Air Force Base.  
Beasley, D. B., (AF) 719 E. Block, El Dorado, Ark.  
Hunter, Uriah H., Jr., (A) Box 415, Coushatta, La., available for  
pastorate.  
Garner, Maurice P. (AF), Box 25, Panhandle, Texas, available for  
pastorate.  
Bazzell, Robert S. (A), Minister of Education, First Baptist Church,  
Tulsa, Okla.  
Mann, Aaron D. (A), Box 1, Rotan, Texas  
Combs, Kermit S. (A), on short tours at Fort Bragg, N. C.  
White, Caloway O. (A) on tour at Camp Polk, La.  
Kelly, Francis L., (A.F.) returning to First Baptist Church, Guthrie,  
Okla.  
McGowen, L. E. (N) to First Baptist Church, Liberty, N. C.

DIRECTOR'S NOTES:

First week in March given to promotion of Annie Armstrong Home Mission Offering. Second week at O.B.U., Shawnee, Okla., speaking to ministerial group 297, at chapel 790 - to associational Ministers' Conference 32. Professor James S. Timberlake (A) has accomplished swell job in keeping ministerial students alert to Chaplaincy. Your director seeks to cultivate ministerial students in senior colleges. At Southwestern Seminary interviewed 10 candidates up for endorsement and about 20 others in this and next year's graduating classes. Professor Othal Feather continues to keep Chaplaincy a live issue. At Little Rock attended State T.U. Convention and interviewed 2 candidates up for endorsement. Chaplain Glenn Harbin at V.A. in N. Little Rock, arranged meeting. Third week, 15-22, stopped at Brinkley, Ark., for revival with First Church and Pastor H. L. Lipford. One of best revivals I have been in for some time. The Spirit plowed a deep and wide furrow. Interviewed 3 prospective chaplains there. Chaplains Maurice Garner and David Cooper and family stopped by Brinkley for brief fellowship. Fourth week in office. Leaving for Sampson Air Force Base, N.Y., for Preaching Mission, closing Easter Sunday.

Houston Convention - Chaplains Commission report Friday night, 7:30, Associational Meeting and breakfast 7:30 that morning at L and C Cafeteria.

REQUEST - Mrs. Geo. Martin, President, Woman's Missionary Union, requests all chaplains, Duty and Reserve, in uniform and on platform when Chief of Army Chaplains, Ivan L. Bennett, speaks to that Convention, Monday night, May 4th, 7:15.

Glorieta Assembly - Home Mission Week, June 22-28. Chaplains' Retreat and conferences in conjunction. Bring the family. For reservations write E. A. Herron, Mgr., Glorieta, N. M.

S.O.S. - Write me that you will attend - Send in your suggestions as to the program. This is YOUR conference - I can't spell YOUR without Y-O-U. All our Chaplains West of Mississippi are expected to attend.

EXPENSES - Home Mission Board proposes to pay 1 cent per mile to and from Glorieta for each duty Chaplain attending the sessions.

This month, your Commission endorsed 20 candidates to Army - 10 to Navy - 9 to Air Force, or total of 39. Endorsement was declined 3 candidates.

BAPTIST NEWS:

Study your Baptist Program, March - Contains Convention program for Houston Convention, May 6-10, in Coliseum - Pastors' Conference 4-5, in Music Hall - W.M.U. meets in Music Hall Sunday night and Monday. Elected Ex-Secretary Sunday School Board is Jas. L. Sullivan, pastor First Baptist Church, Abilene, Texas

Resigned - as pastor Gaston Ave. Church, Dallas, Texas, W. Marshall Craig, after 26 years.

Newton, Louie D., pastor Druid Hills Church, Atlanta, awarded National Honor as outstanding minister of year 1952.

Resigned - Dr. E. D. Head, president, Southwestern Baptist Theological

Seminary, Fort Worth, Texas, after 11 years - Due to ill health.  
Also, W. W. Barnes, Professor of History, Southwestern Baptist Seminary, for 40 years, as of June 1st.

Woman's Missionary Training School (Louisville, Ky.) changes name to Carver School of Missions and Social Work.

Sailing, H. Guy Moore, Broadway Church, Fort Worth, and Frank Means of Foreign Mission Board to Europe and Africa to visit mission fields. Roland Q. Leavell, president, New Orleans Seminary, on tour of mission fields in So. America - Will be speaker at opening service International Seminary, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

Dr. Dick H. Hall, Jr., member, Chaplains Commission, reports on first stop of his trip to Holy Land, which was England. Has high praise for Chaplains LeRoy Priest, E. V. Flowers, V. H. Tollett, Paul L. Morgan, Chester L. Smith, and the other Baptist Chaplains in area.

ITEMS OF INTEREST:

Religious Book sales increased 12% in 1952.

Pres. Eisenhower bans liquor drinking by White House staff while on duty or in their offices.

Trans Atlantic air line travel is heavier than that on ship.

Accidents kill more children and young people than disease.

Marion J. Creeger elected director, General Commission on Chaplains to succeed Dr. Rymer.

CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY:

NAVY:

Willis L. Saunders, U.S. Naval School, Newport, R. I.

Gareth B. Miller, U.S. Naval School, Newport, R. I.

V.A.

Carl P. Daw, V.A. Hospital, Nashville, Tenn.

W. W. Izard, V.A. Hospital, Montgomery, Ala.

PROMOTIONS:

To Major - Joseph C. Solomon, Hq. 322d Sig. Bn., APO 79, New York.

COMMENDATIONS:

John G. Burkhalter, Andrews A.F.B., Washington, D.C., by Commanding General for outstanding spiritual leadership.

AMONG THE CHAPLAINS:

Married - Albert B. Parsons, Jr., P.O. Box 1, McChord AFB, Wash., to Miss Dorothy Long of Greenwood, S.C., at McChord Base Chapel, Feb. 14. Youman, George L., Hq. 53rd Abn. Inf. Regt., Camp Breckinridge, Ky., "Received notice of alert for shipment to EUCOM in May. This has been a very happy tour of duty."

Waterhouse, Sidney L., 6621st Air Base Sq., APO 121, New York - Baptist Hour is broadcast over radio station there at 1:30 PM every Sunday.

Jerome Deyo Williams, 9 lbs, 10 ozs., has come to live with Chaplain and Mrs. D. J. Williams, 187th F.A. Group, Camp Polk, La.

Schnick, Homer Lee, Post Chapel, Marine Barracks, Camp Pendleton, Calif., preached in Protestant Evangelistic service, Post Chapel, Feb. 8-13. Rev. J.E. Musgrave, Jr. missionary to Brazil, on furlough, led the singing. 3 professions, 14 rededications, and 9 indicated interest in full time Christian service.

Sheffield, Lexington O., Ft. Benning, Ga., Protestant Preaching Mission February 15-20, Dr. John S. Land, St. Charles Presbyterial Church, speaker.

Prewitt, Louis L., New Orleans Port of Emb., New Orleans, La., February 2nd the New Orleans Ministerial Union met in their chapel for regular monthly meeting and were guest of the Chaplain Section for lunch on the Post - a fine piece of public relations work.

Partin, Delbert C., Hq. 2370th Air Base Sq., Long Beach Mun. Airport, Long Beach, Calif., "In my contacts with Southern Baptists in Calif., my observation is that I have never known a more optimistic group than the Pastors. Theirs is the enthusiasm of great achievement in a conquest against great odds, a conquest they are winning."

Ogilvie, Frederick H., Camp Roberts, Calif., Protestant Preaching Mission Feb. 22-27 - 4 services conducted by Rev. Alexander Fleming, Presbyterian, of San Francisco. 12 professions and 26 rededications.

McKnight, Alvie L., 45th Inf. Div., APO 86, San Francisco, "Response to my request for relief clothing most gratifying. Over 200 packages have been received.

Mayfield, Robert B., Fort Lee, Va., A Tri-Faith Preaching Mission, February 22-27. Rev. J. H. Cruickshank, Washington, Penn., Protestant Minister. 243 decisions for dedication to Christ.

Mozingo, Bransom L., V.A. Hospital, Roanoke, Va. - Attended Statewide Evangelistic Conference, Roanoke, Va.

Kirkpatrick, William D., Camp Polk, La., - Religious Emphasis Program very successful - 37 conversions, 146 rededications.

Israel, Kenneth R., Laredo Air Force Base, Texas - Attended Wintergarden Baptist Associational meeting at First Church, Laredo. Enjoyed fellowship of other Baptist ministers.

Hill, Ralph A., Randolph Air Force Base, Texas. Sunday School continue to grow. "We think we have the largest Sunday School in the Air Force in USA. Record attendance to date is 418. Goal of 500 set for Easter Sunday."

Hitt, Clark O., V.A. Hospital, Big Spring, Texas. "Took part in dedication and corner stone laying in connection with opening of new house of worship of the Baptist Temple here. Bro. James Parke, a former Army Chaplain, is pastor. Beautiful and useful building."

Hammon, Wilson C., 3860th Air Base Group, Gunter Air Force Base, Ala., "This month Dr. Blount C. Davidson, City Missionary Montgomery Baptist Association, spoke to the men of this Base. Was well received and Character Guidance lecture appreciated."

Hayes, Jack W., U.S. Naval Station, New Orleans, La. "During month acted as host to New Orleans Baptist Seminary Chaplains' class. Over 50 prospective Chaplains taken on tour of the Naval Station. This was outgrowth of my lecture to the class."

CHANGE OF ADDRESS:

John E. Bell, U.S. Receiving Station, Navy #128, FPO, San Francisco.

R. T. Blalock, 912 Yaupon, Pasadena, Texas

Robert K. Bamberg, Hq. MFSS, Chapel #3, 1400 Area, Ft. Sam Houston, Tex.

William D. Cooper, 3rd Mar. Div., Camp Pendleton, Calif.

James O. Cansler, USS CADMUS (AR-14), c/o FPO New York.

William E. Gamble, 1980 Linden Ave., Memphis 4, Tenn.

Harry C. Hand, Hq. 92nd AAA Bn., APO 147, c/o P.M., New York.

Carl R. Hudson, 6012th ASU, Camp Stoneman, Calif.

Ivan M. Herring, Sedalia Air Force Base, Knob Noster, Missouri.

F. D. Hewitt, Force Chaplain, Cruiser Destroyer Force, Pacific, c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Wilson C. Hammon, 3860th Air Base Group, Gunter Air Force Base, Ala.

Donn E. Hill, Hq. & Hq. Co., 102d Inf. Regt., 43rd Div., APO 112, c/o P.M., New York.

William L. S. Keen, Officers Mail Unit, Sampson Air Force Base, N. Y.

Farrell W. Kempson, H&S Co., 2nd Bn., 8th Marines (Reinf), c/o FPO, New York.

James W. Kelly, Chaplains Division, Navy Dept., Washington 25, D. C.

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Ben S. Price, US Army Stockade, 8044th AU., APO 500, P.M., San Francisco.

A. D. Prickett, Commander, Mine Craft Forces, Atlantic, Charleston, S.C.

Jack C. Randles, Hq. 68th AAA Bn., APO 301, P.M., San Francisco, Calif.

Robert W. Smith, FMF, 1st Marine Division, c/o FPO, San Francisco.

Curry O. Simpson, Casual Proc. Sec., APO 959, San Francisco, Calif.

Robert E. Rockwell, 6th Armd. Division, Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

William F. Shearin, USAREUR Medical Trg. Center, APO 108, PM, New York.

Robert N. Trapnell, 14th Field Hosp., APO 59, PM San Francisco, Calif.

Alexander J. Turner, Hq. 7th Inf. Div., APO 7, P.M., San Francisco.

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