

for 3 hrs., and I'd go on working, and then he'd get up and help. He was a great help in those final stages. A tremendous help. In the last year there he was librarian and he was taking graduate work with me-- took his STM, I believe, at the end of that year.

When we planned to start a new seminary, a funny thing happened. One day we were to get together ---McIntire, Harris, and I. I think it was on a Sat. afternoon. I went for a walk Sat. a.m. I walked way up on the Reading Railroad into the country a ways and got some nice hilly country, and I walked through the day. I told them, I'll meet you on the train that comes in at 4 o'clock in the afternoon at the Reading station. Coming back I fell asleep in the car. I woke up as they arrived in the Reading station, and the result was Harris and McIntire stood at the entrance of the train shed at the station waiting for me. They saw the whole crowd come out and didn't see me, and after everyone else had gotten off, I got off the train and walked out.

I had a cap on. They had never seen me with a cap on before. I'd always worn a hat ordinarily. At any rate they didn't even notice it was I until I came up and tapped them on the shoulder! I thought that was very funny. We talked about the plans. We'd already discussed a good bit the founding of the seminary. We had Harris teach, and we got Eppard and he taught. We three were really the faculty. After a little we got Dr. Saville.== Francis Schaeffer's father-in-law.

Those 3 taught during all those years. Taught up until '56 in fact. Otherwise we had only part-time teachers for a year or two. Then we gradually got a few extra men. We never had as many during those years as we have here. During the first year we had (as we've already mentioned) some outstanding people. There were 5 seniors from Westminster who came to us. I believe all 5 were married men. They thought that had something to do with their not being so indoctrinated as the others.

Of those 5, three have really made an outstanding record. Then we had two middlers only. That is of the first year people had been so well indoctrinated, that only two of them came with us. Then there was another man who was a student at Biblical Seminary in NY who was a good friend of F. Schaeffer and who switched in the middle of the year. So he was the third. Then we had 15 first-year men, of whom 8 or 10 were from Wheaton.

It included many very outstanding people. Quite a number who are missionaries now and active in various theological fields. Another very outstanding man that year was Vernon Grounds. It was Dr. Stams brother who knew him well up in NJ. He was ready to go to seminary, and he talked to him about our new seminary we were starting and he would come down and spend the 5 days with us. And then go back to his church where he'd been already preaching a couple of years. A very able fellow.

The new fellows included Dr. Murray, John Sanderson. O yes, Grounds was a new one, of ~~xxxxx~~ course--a junior. They were with us the next three years. The second yr. we had a smaller no. of