

necessarily gives a true picture of the go-up or of the subsequent meetings, although the idea that they would be ~~many~~ people of violent disposition toward one another was certainly completely false. However, there was much more disagreement than at the first meeting because at the first meeting we were simply trying to find out in general what was planned and what we were being asked to do.

Every member of the Committee was present at the first meeting except one. Dr. Culbertson/, president of Moody Bible Institute, had an appointment for t-at day and was unable to be with us at that first meeting. I believe it ;ad a rather vital effect on the certain important matters connected with the work which I'd like to mention some time but not right now.

I began this with speaking speaking about how this project could ~~has~~ have been vastly improved. We met for six years, about twice a year, meeting anywhere from two to five days/, usually nearer five than two. We discussed everything that was suggested by any member of the committee, and members of the committee were free to make any suggestion they wanted about anything that was printed in the Scofield Bible, and many of them made a tremendous number of suggestions. I personally did not make such a great number, speaking mostly of matters that seemed to me to ~~has~~ have ~~have~~ some particular importance to them as far as my recommendations were concerned. However, I took a full part in the disucssions. discussions.

When the discussions had gone on for about five years Mr. Ruggles daid to us that the Revised Standard VErSion (nc) went within another two or three years reached a point where it had published for ten years. During the first ten years the Nelson Company had exclusive rights to publish it. After ten years these rights were to be extended to other publishers and there would be several others who would begin publishing the Revised Standard Versinn. He said this means that about (he named a time which was a year or so before thepublication date to which he referred. All the companies in the country that are able to make plates for Bible\$ publication will be occupied with doing work for all these various publishers. "The result is,"he said, "we must get this work finished before that date or it will have to wait.