

(new par?) You spoke of the area of inerrancy. I feel that specifically in this area and in that of the related area of the higher criticism the Lord has given me insights through the years that should be of real value to God's people if properly developed and clearly expressed. The carrying out of that task, if the Lord gives me time and strength, will, I believe, accomplish far more for the cause of inerrancy than any further conduct of ~~xxx~~ classes or giving of lectures. During the last three or four years I have noticed particularly that after each ~~part~~ administrative activity, and after each ~~xx~~ class taught I have been much more tired than before

increasing tiredness, and it has taken corresponding time to ~~xxx~~ recover my strength after each such assignment. Actually I should have retired two years ago. I hated to think of this because I did not feel at all certain two years ago of the future of the institution since I did not see ~~Dr. Murray~~ Dr. Murray was retreating withdrawing more and more from his previous activities as chairman of the board and and I did ~~xxx~~ not see anyone available in whom I would have full confidence to carry on the work of president. As a result of this I Under these circumstances I did not even stop to look reasonably at the fact that I should then have retired, but felt that I must hang on. Now, in God's good provisions, you have taken over the chairmanship of the Board and are showing remarkable insight and energy in connection with its duties

advancing the work of the seminary and God has provided marvelously provided Dr. Taylor to carry on the presidency and I can say feel happy that the administration that with the activity of the two of you and also and with the continuing work of George Clark as Vice-President and BJob Dunzweiler as dean I can feel safe that these activities will be carried forward effectively and directly in line with the purposes for which the seminary was established. Yet my ~~hanging~~ <sup>hanging</sup> on two years longer than I should have means that I am that much less able to fulfill the research and writing duties that I would to which I would so gladly have devoted my time