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Dear Dr. Dayton:

I have your letter and will give you an answer to your several suggestions .

Our bookstore has been handling the Wesleyan Theological Journal and has had good sales. Dr. Climenhaga gave a good sales pitch for the Journal last night at the Oregon Yearly Meeting of Friends and our bookstore manager is taking the orders for the Journal at the Friends Conference. He will be sending in an order above his present stock very shortly.

I have in hand a letter from Larry Shelton who has requested to be moved from the student relationship to that of full membership. I have accordingly moved him into full membership and have given him this information.

As to John Prater we will be glad to do so, however, I have not as yet received his request.

I also have in hand a request for membership by Dr. Harold Kuhn and, of course, we follow the normal routine and have duly recorded him as a full member of the society.

I see no reason why we can't handle the Dr. Earle matter as you suggested. I am sure the committee would be in full agreement so we will just consider this an oversight and put him on the charter membership basis.

I think this cares for the matters you indicated in your letter. We trust that you have had a good summer and that this will be another good year for the seminary.

It looks as if we will have our best year this year of any year thus far. Our new students in the junior class are the largest in number thus far. It just seems that everything is coming along well for the seminary and that



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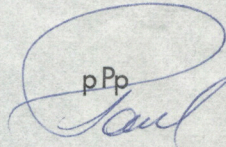
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the future looks real bright. We, of course, rattle around in our buildings since they are built for two hundred students and this past year we had 73. I do not anticipate to large an increase in the student body since there are a limited number of students available to us from the holiness churches on the West Coast, however, it is nice to have plenty of room. It is also nice to have the buildings paid for!

If you are ever out this way be sure and let us know for we would love to have you at the seminary.

Yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "Paul", with the letters "pPp" written above it.

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