

I have often told about Wyman's remark about the Bible so I will not repeat it at this point. [tape becomes indistinct at 120 and a little before] [to new tape]

I remember a young man who had told me later that his life had been wasted and accomplished little or nothing until he was about 18 when he was gloriously converted. Then he went to the Bible Inst. of LA and took the pastor's course which occupied two years, a x three-year course, one year beyond the ordinary Bible Institute course. He said--I don't believe he had been in high school before, but he had some high school credit for this work. He got a fair amount of high school credit for this work and got a high school diploma. Then when he applied for entrance to the Christian college they gave him 6 credits toward his graduation from the Bible Institute. Then when he went to San Francisco Seminary they gave him a whole year's credit for his 3 years in the Bible Inst. so he said he did not waste any time by going there. When he came to college he knew just about everything, at least thought he did. He was very earnest in preaching on the street and very active in serving the Lord. He got into a class in theology and immediately was going to convince the professor that evolution was wrong. They would go on field trips and as they went he would present all sorts of arguments against evolution to the professor. Of course the professor knew 20 times as much about science as he did and the professor had quite an astute mind and he would lead him on in his discussion, ask him questions that led him on to make stronger and stronger statements and then when he would get him to make a statement that was definitely contrary to scientific fact he would bring out the evidence and show that he was wrong. I heard this happen once or twice and I feared for his continuance in his understanding and beliefs. When he graduated from the college I had just completed my college work, a graduate year and a year at the Bible Inst. Incidentally, when I went to the Bible Inst. I came back for a visit at the college and one of the newer professors, a professor of English talked with me. Incidentally, more people lost their faith through the teaching of literature than almost anything else. In this teaching of supposedly simply literature it seems one can present any views he wants and students take it as simply studying the views