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Homecoming, June 18-20

For Madison College and Academy

Calling all alumni, former students and staff, and other friends of Madison! It's about that time again . . . for Homecoming 1976, starting Friday night, June 18, at the Madison Campus Church and continuing all day Sabbath and Sunday morning. A few years ago we started having a rural living workshop on Sunday morning, but the program has been flexible and has been used for Wilderness Living and discussions regarding the future of Madison, as well as gardening.

MADISON ACADEMY JOINING.

We have received word through Mrs. Jansen, academy registrar and Phil Brooks, president of M.A. Alumni Association, that the academy is joining with the college again this year, so all M.A. graduates are invited and urged to come.

As to housing, we have some unexpected good news. Rooms in the new nursing education dormitory are available free of charge to our alumni. This word has come from SMC through the dormitory dean, Mrs. Garner. There are 20 rooms, twin beds in each room, air-conditioned, with connecting bath between each two rooms. You must bring your bedding and towels. (If coming by plane, we will have to provide.) Other than alumni must pay the very low fee of \$5 to \$7, and bring bedding and towels. If rooms are available in Williams Hall at that time, they provide bedding, and their rates are very reasonable. We predict all rooms may be taken, and if you plan to come, you should reserve early through the alumni office.

Do not send money now, but write or call M.C. Alumni Office, Mable H. Towery, Secretary, M.C.A.A. Box 1303, Madison College, TN. 37115. Telephones: 615-865-1615 (res.);

615-868-9979 (office). Other numbers: Dorothy Mathews, 865-5350; Edith Johnson, 865-6076; Beverly Wint, 868-5931.

Meals may be obtained at Madison Hospital cafeteria for Friday evening supper and all day Sunday. A potluck dinner and supper will be provided on Sabbath for out-of-town guests by local alumni. (The hospital does not serve breakfast Sabbath morning.) Since it is difficult to provide enough food for all, it would be appreciated if those coming from out of town would either bring some food or make a donation to be used for this.

Madison is ten miles northeast of Nashville, just off Interstate 65. There are several motels and campgrounds near Madison and Opryland, and two K.O.A. (Kampgrounds of America). Make your own reservation.

Please do notify us if you plan to come, even if you plan to stay with relatives or friends, as it will help in preparing for the two potluck meals on Sabbath.

If you arrive Friday afternoon, come to the alumni office to register. The alumni office is now on the ground floor of Williams Hall on Academy Road (Entrance from parking lot in rear. Our name is on the door.)

Honor Classes

It takes much time and effort to compile lists of names and addresses in the Honor Classes, but we have been doing it each year. This year we sent letters and lists to the classes of 1926 (50 years ago); 1936 (40 years ago); 1951 (25 years ago); and the paramedical class of 1966 (10 years ago).

* Now that Madison Academy is joining us at Homecoming, academy graduates of those same years may be considered as Honor Classes (1936, 1951, 1966). We hope to contact the academy honor classes in a direct way, but if time does not permit, please consider this a cordial invitation to come.

* In preparing the lists of college Honor Classes, we came across several puzzling questions and also happened to find a few

names that were not included, so there were some errors in the lists first sent out. We have endeavored to correct our list. One example was the name, Anna Pearson, in 1936, and the name, Annie Pearson, in 1951. Another example was that there seems to be three different Bernices who each married a Jones. Another observation is that the men who took premed are not all listed.

Addresses Wanted — Honor Classes

Several wanted addresses have come in, but we still need information on Lillian May '36; Maudie Carter '51; Bernice LaVallee '51; Preston Rettig '51; Anna Yun '51.

Other addresses wanted: Dr. and Mrs. A. L. Wright (Evelyn Marley); A. W. Saphiloff (last address, Grenada Hills, CA. 91344); Robert Ammundsen '50 (last address, Gresham, Ore.); Nicholas B. Parrot, M.D. '35 (last address, Memphis, TN.); Walter Hass '35 (last address, Marathon Shores, Fla.)

Southern Missionary College Graduation

At the SMC graduation on May 2, 1976, 220 received Bachelor's degrees, 157 earned two-year Associate degrees. (Part of the A.D. Nursing Course is conducted on Madison Campus.) Of the class officers, Jan Wentworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wentworth ('50 and '51), of Ridgetop, was treasurer; Janet Kramer, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Lee Kramer of Madison, was secretary; class pastor was Jim Clarke, son of Elder and Mrs. Jack Clarke of Madison. Elder Clarke is a former pastor of the Campus Church and a departmental secretary of Kentucky-Tennessee Conference. Mrs. Clarke is head surgical nurse at Madison Hospital.

Graduation At Madison Academy

Twenty-six seniors graduated at Madison Academy on May 22. Speakers for the weekend were Paul Priest of Bass Memorial Academy, Elder Preston Wallace of Madison Hospital, and Dr. C. B. Rock, president of Oakwood College.

COMING EVENTS

- * Madison College and Academy Homecoming June 18-20, 1976.
- * ASI Convention, Portland, Ore., and Alaska, Sept. 14-18, 1976.
- * Laymen's Extension League, Fletcher Academy and Hospital, Fletcher, N.C., (near Asheville) Oct. 14-17, 1976. This will be the 66th time the self-supporting workers will assemble for their annual convention.

ALUMNI NEWS

1932. Dr. WESLEY PLINKE '32 is in general practice with Dr. John O. Jones at Simi Valley, Calif. He and his wife, Lillian Ruth, have three sons. Robert, the eldest, is an M.D.

1932. VIDA (Low) SQUIRES (M.C.A. '32) wrote to say she enjoyed the SURVEY very much and was interested in plans for another Madison College.

1934. RUTH A. NESTELL (N '34), Hinsdale S-H, says that she still has no plans to retire, and wrote: "Thank you so much for all the good news in the SURVEY."

1935. EVERETT S. and BEATRICE LEMASTER both graduated from nursing at Madison in 1935. They sent a life membership from Bakersfield, CA.

1942. GLENN and DOROTHY BOWES ('41 & '42) of Claremont, CA., two intrepid travelers, sent a beautiful colored card from Moscow. The three stamps were also beautiful, and will be placed in our (foreign) stamp album. The Bowes were with a group studying health care and services and sightseeing in Russia, in March.

* Richard Bowes, pastor of Newbury Park Academy Church, participated in the "fun run" marathon co-sponsored by the academy and the church at Newbury Park, Calif. His picture appeared with the article, "Marathon Stresses Physical Fitness" in the Review of 4-15-75. Richard is a son of Dr. and Mrs. Glenn Bowes '42.

1946. BILL RABUCHA received recognition at the annual Florida Rehabilitation Association Conference held in Clearwater, Fla. He was presented a plaque which stated: "First Annual Award in Appreciation of William Rabucha for outstanding contributions to the field of Vocational Evaluation and Adjustment." In a letter the president of the association stated there would be an annual William M. Rabucha Award to be presented to a person or group of persons achieving meritorious service on behalf of the handicapped and disadvantaged.

Bill Rabucha graduated from the nursing course at M.C. in 1939, and got his B.S. in 1946. He has been director of Vocational Rehabilitation in the State of Florida and in charge of 45 facilities since 1968. He is a brother of Mike Rabuka, but they spell their last name slightly differently.

1947. RUTH (Bogar) MAEHRE (N '47) has moved from Hinsdale, Illinois, to Orlando, where she is working at Florida Hospital.

1949. WILLIAM B. DODGE attended M.C. 1946-9, and was editor of the first annual, CUMBERLAND ECHOES, in 1948. His wife, Edna, died in 1957. They had two children--William, Jr. and Mary Alice. Bill married again and lives in Waynesboro, Va., where he is a chemist for DuPont.

1950. WALLACE ("Scotty") SLATER (MCA '50), is director of Barnes Hospital Pharmacy in St. Louis, Mo. He pioneered the development of the unit-dose system of medication distribution. He graduated from elementary school and the academy at Madison and took one year of college. He earned his B.S. at Samford University in

Birmingham, and graduated from Pharmacy at Howard University, D.C. He was pharmacist at hospitals in Memphis; Madison; Fort Hood, Texas; Hialeah, Fla.; and Kettering, Ohio.

His wife, Thelma, graduated from Anesthesia at M.C. in 1963, and has been doing Anesthesia at Mercy Hospital, Mamilton, Ohio. The Slaters have one daughter, Linda.

1952. DAVID and ELVA HARROLD '52 are on the staff of New England Memorial Hospital. Elva is supervisor and rehabilitation clinical specialist and David is working on the evening shift in X-ray. Their son David, an offset printer, is married; daughter Jean, an R.N., is also married; Mary Beth was a student missionary to Korea 15 months, teaching English in Seoul; and is back at A.U.C. studying to be a Bible Worker.

1952. JAMES C. CULPEPPER (MCA '52) is assistant administrator at Walker Memorial Hospital, Avon Park, Fla. Formerly he served in administrative capacity at Porter S-H in Denver and at Ardmore S-H in Oklahoma.

1958. On their vacation trip, PAUL and DAHAN BLANKENSHIP '58 visited SUC at Keene, where she graduated from the academy and took pre-nursing. They saw several Madisonsites on their trip. Among them was DELIAH (Jordon) WHEELER '55, an R.N. at the 28-bed hospital in Jay, Okla.

Paul is presently night supervisor at M.H. Dahan is not working at present at the hospital due to injuries in an auto accident. Of the three Blankenship children, Paula (Glover) graduated from the 4-yr. Nursing Course at SMC, and is presently working at M.H. Karen is taking X-ray at Madison Hospital. Kevin married Allison Mustow, and works at the S.P.A.

* Dahan did not see her friend, KEO ROSE WEEGAR (N '54) on the trip, but gave us her correct address in St. Louis, where she is an anesthetist at a hospital, and said Keo took a trip to Spain this spring.

1959. BEVERLY (Hegstad) BOTTSFORD (El. Ed. '59) conducted a nutrition and cooking class on the island of Kauai as part of the Kapaa Church's continuing outreach. Her husband, Elder Ronald Bottsford, is a district pastor in Hawaii. Ronald's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Elmer Bottsford, spent a month in Hawaii in late 1975, visiting their children, and while there, Dr. Bottsford helped with a free blood pressure clinic.

After PAT ROSENTHAL (N '60) saw a news note in the SURVEY about her classmate, Maureen Drake Watson (N '60), she called long distance from Anchorage, Ky., to get her address. She had lost track of her dear friend and was happy when we could give Maureen's address in Odessa, Texas. Pat is director of nursing at Pleasant Grove Hospital, near Louisville. Lucy (Depas) Zetko (N '49) is also on the staff.

1962. GEORGE STILWELL took the printing course at M.C. and is manager of the Madison branch of Print Quick. His wife, DEANNA West (M.R. '62) is working part time in Medical Records at M.H. The Stilwells have three girls.

1965. STEVE WEESNER (X-ray '65) is working in X-ray at LLU Hospital, and his wife (Eva Campbell) works part time in a doctor's office. The Weesners have two sons, Jeffrey and Timmie.

1967. VERA BERGMANN finished Anesthesia at Madison in 1967. She sent a copy of her Christmas letter to Bernard Bowen from Orem, Utah. She spoke of an auto accident, and surgery on her right elbow. She had a large garden and a "fantastic crop" of Golden Delicious apples.

She wrote also of her efforts to put a hobby room in the attic. "What was supposed to have been a couple of weeks work ended up being about a half a year. . . . One day I came home from work and what a sight met my eyes! One half of the living room ceiling was on the floor and furniture Obviously we had to take the rest of the ceiling down and put new ceiling up. . . . The upstairs is finally taking shape, . . . so maybe soon I can start using my hobby room. It's nice. Come to see me sometime. . . ."

* The Music City Chapter of the Philosofa Club, of which TERRY BROWN '58 is president, spent an April weekend at Callaway Gardens, Pine Mountain, Georgia. The group attended Sabbath services at nearby Pine Mountain Valley church.

Elder Howard Welch, former pastor of the church, and wife were there for the church's homecoming and he preached the sermon. The Welches have been at Florida Living Nursing Center for a few years. After serving ten years as dean of M.C., Elder Welch accepted a call to Africa, where he served as president and departmental secretary of the West African Union and principal of Adventist Seminary of West Africa.

* Incidentally, Dr. Julius Korgan of Keene, TX., was recently appointed president of that college, A.S.W.A. Dr. Korgan is a brother of Wilma Gill '53.

FOR SALE

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THE MODERN WORLD

A companion book to THE ANCIENT WORLD, by Dr. Carl Anderson, has been published by Leaves of Autumn, Payson, Ariz. Both of these books correlate history with the Bible and the Spirit of Prophecy. THE MODERN WORLD is \$14.95. Dr. Anderson has a supply left of THE ANCIENT WORLD, and you can obtain one by sending \$5 to him at Laurelbrook School, Rt. 3, Dayton, TN.

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**Madisonites, Come Home
Be Here for Homecoming
June 18-20, 1976**

CORRECTION. We are sorry for errors in the news note about the Forrest Prides of Greeneville, TN. in the March SURVEY. Their son lives at Cedar Lake, Mich., but is not connected with the academy there. He works for a builder supplier. Until recently Mrs. Pride served as house supervisor at Takoma Hospital on the 7-3 shift.

LETTERS

* HANNAH (Pomeranz) KELLY (MCA '33) of Alhambra, Calif., wrote: "I love Madison and its principles. I am retired, but very active as Dorcas leader in the El Monte Adventist Church, Meals-on-Wheels program, and washing dishes for a blind group. My stay at Madison was during 1929 to 1938."

Stella C. Peterson, Loma Linda, CA.

Stella Peterson (N '23) moved from her apartment on Prospect Street in Loma Linda to Heritage Gardens Retirement Center in 1975. She has been in cardiac care since 1970. Stella has had a long period of service, particularly in teaching Physical Therapy. After she took the course at Loma Linda, she was an instructor at Hinsdale S-H 1935-57, and at Loma Linda 1957-68, clocking up 32 years.

Physical therapy was a fledgling paramedical field when Miss Peterson took the course at Loma Linda. She had the privilege as a student of meeting Sister Elizabeth Kenny, originator of the hot pack treatment for polio, when she visited White Memorial Hospital and taught her technique.

Stella didn't know then how important this would be in her life. She went to Hinsdale to teach physical therapy, and the polio epidemic struck in 1949. They had room for only 30 patients at Hinsdale. She was the only physical therapist who knew the Kenny treatment, so she worked day and night giving treatments and teaching others. Over 370 polio patients were treated.

Women in the community realized the need for larger quarters, and under the leadership of Mrs. Eugene Kettering, who lived in Hinsdale at that time, three million dollars were raised for a new hospital building at Hinsdale. Later the philanthropic Ketterings gave generously to build another hospital just out of Dayton, Ohio--Kettering Memorial Hospital. Truly, Stella's outstanding contribution in physical therapy and combatting polio had much influence in the building of those two hospitals.

Miss Peterson started preparation for her Medical Career at Madison by taking the Nursing Course, becoming an R.N. in 1923. She authored a series of articles on hydrotherapy in *Life and Health*, and these articles were published in a book. After it was out of print, it was republished and is on sale by Professional Health Media Services, Loma Linda; under title "Hydrotherapy for the Home Made Easy."

Stella wrote: "Some think we should add information regarding P.T. department methods and procedures for the basic Hydrotherapy text, and I agree. There is need for information on fomentation tanks. In some hospitals they are using Hydrocolator packs instead of fomentations. I for one do not like them because they are too heavy and they are left on for 30 minutes, without a change because they hold the heat so long. Less work, of course."

Russell Herman, M.D. '39, Yountville, CA.

"I was happy to get the September, 1975, SURVEY and news of the Homecoming and to hear that something definite is being started. Up to now it has mostly been talk. I for one would be very much interested in the proposal that has been outlined.

"I'm of course concerned about the attitude of the conference brethren and SMC to this reactivation of two years of college at Madison, remembering some of the facts about its closure 1964. Please fill me in on current developments.

"We have four married daughters now, with six grandchildren. Chuck, our one and only boy, is planning on getting married next June. . . . We have one daughter in second year of college, and one in first year academy at P.U.C. I guess that adds up to seven."

Ruth Lingham, Inverness, Fla.

(Ruth Lingham already had her R.N. before she came to Madison from New England in 1924, as a non-Adventist, to join her sister, Gertrude, who was later to become director of nursing education. They lived in the little cottage near The Layman Foundation. Since Gertrude's death in 1959, Ruth and Margaret Brown '43 have lived there.)

For the past several years Ruth has been at Eden Gardens, Inverness, Fla., caring for Miss Julia Payne, who was housekeeper for Mrs. Lida Scott, and more recently for Elder and Mrs. C. E. Weak. Julia is 92 years old and has been ill. Ruth wrote:

"The last SURVEY, which I enjoyed very much as usual, brought back memories of the classwork taken at Madison, which was indeed a post-graduate course, preparing me to fit into the environment of an Adventist medical institution, and subsequently to join the church; for, added to such classes as Practical and Theoretical Hydrotherapy, Bible Hygiene, and Dietetics, was a Bible Doctrines class. Then I think of the illustrious teachers--Florence Dittes, Elder N. C. Wilson, Mrs. Sallie Sutherland, Mrs. Hankins (of Hankins' Cottage).

"On top of that, I attended regular refresher classes with the graduating class of 1927, and with them took the State Board exams, in order to obtain Tennessee reciprocity. The 'frosting' came when I was invited to sit with the class at their graduation, which was a 'first' in having a formal exercise. In the chapel we sat at the left on the front seats, facing the rostrum, and were not on the platform.

"It was a pleasure indeed, and even the taking of State Boards, as I felt the Lord was with us, for we had prayed together. The atmosphere of Madison appealed to me very

much! I give credit to my sister, Gertrude, for promoting my taking this classwork, and thank the Lord for having led us to Madison."

Mrs. Larry Hawkins, Walla Walla, WA.

(Gwen Wells Hawkins, wife of Dr. Larry Hawkins, Academy and M.C. student 1947-51, wrote from Walla Walla. She ordered 100 "Madison School" booklets and 100 STUDIES IN CHRISTIAN EDUCATION by Sutherland.)

Recently we were privileged to have Bill Dull in our area to speak in several of the churches. On Sunday he presented an educational seminar on true education. He quoted quite extensively from the pamphlet, "The Madison School." Several of the folks wanted to have their own copy, so I said I would write you and order copies. . . .

We have started our own little private, self-supporting school here in Walla Walla. We have ten students and two teachers. Our teachers are Mrs. Betty Nuefeld Nick from Wildwood and Bill Pellow from Castle Valley Institute in Utah.

We have had a very successful year. We rented the basement of a church in the city; we are now stepping out on faith that the Lord will open up an area where we can build our own school and develop our agricultural program. To demonstrate our faith in this direction, we have already hired a farm manager, who will be moving to this area in June.

Please pray for us that our little school will be a true witness for education in the Northwest. Self-supporting work is unknown in this area, and we are meeting some prejudice, but, on the other hand, we are thrilled when we come in contact with those who have been studying as we have, and we are able to share these wonderful truths.

May the Lord continue to bless you in your work in the alumni office. We always gain so much inspiration from the MADISON SURVEY, and we thank you for the great job you are doing.

Maranatha Flights at Laurelbrook

* Forty some Maranatha Flights people came to Laurelbrook School, Dayton, Tenn., the last two weeks in April and constructed a much needed Educational Center building for the post-high school program. They were joined part of the time by groups from the self-supporting academies.

* We would like to include more news from the self-supporting institutions each time, also news of Madisonites' children and other items, but it seems impossible to accomplish all we would like to do. As we've said before, we are overworked and understaffed. We do the best we can.

Do you plan to attend Homecoming, June 18-20? _____

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Other _____

NAME AND ADDRESS _____

News Notes or Remarks:

Campus Visitors

* Dr. and Mrs. LAWRENCE HEWITT visited the campus in May. Lawrence is in general practice at Cave Springs, Georgia, near Atlanta.

* Mr. and Mrs. MARVIN MIDKIFF of Silver Spring, Md., stopped over Sabbath at Madison on a trip to Atlanta to see their daughter, Vickie, and friends. Vicki was on the Madison campus for the last semester of SMC's two-year nursing course. Mr. Midkiff was a student at M.C. in the late thirties. He has been in administrative work in nursing homes and hospitals and presently is employed with the Stuart Bainum chain of homes.

* Dr. and Mrs. NORMAN GULLEY stopped briefly on campus in March. Elder Gulley, former head of the Bible Department at M.C., is now dean of the Far Eastern Theological Seminary in Manila, P.I. He had been at Andrews University for a year's study.

* MICKEY RABUKA '59 called at the alumni office in April while on a business trip from Orlando, where he is senior vice-president of Florida Hospital, the largest hospital in the South, with over 800 beds. Mickey is one of the most graduated persons from Madison, as he started in grade school here, went through the academy, then took X-ray and lab, and got his B.S. in 1959. Since Mickey graduated from MCA in 1951 (25 years ago) and the academy is joining with the college in Homecoming this year, he brought a list of his classmates, and we hope some of them will come as members of this year's '51 Honor Class.

* Mickey's father, M. M. Rabuka, of Armstrong, B.C., Canada, also visited on campus in May.

* Mr. & Mrs. Marvin McColpin stopped at Madison for a few hours on their way back to Collegedale from Guatemala, where they had been helping in the relief program after the earthquake. They are very much interested in self-supporting work, and asked for a copy of "The Madison School" booklet which we were glad to supply. Mr. McColpin was a student at M.C. in 1959-61, and asked if we had some annuals for those years to sell. We were able to supply several. They would like to find qualified leaders to head up a self-supporting college on some land in eastern Tennessee.

* Dr. EDWARD TARPLEY, former M.C. student, visited the Campus Church one Sabbath. His violin solo was the special music for the worship service. He got his M.D. at Vanderbilt, and practices medicine in Nashville. He is a first violinist in the Nashville Symphony orchestra.

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Hospital News

After Chaplain Robert Laue accepted a call to Hinsdale S-H, Elder Preston Wallace was appointed as chaplain of Madison Hospital in addition to his duties as health education director. Wallace has performed outstanding service in the latter capacity, keeping Five-Day No Smoking Plans going regularly, also cooking classes, weight and stress control classes, and "Heartbeat" screenings.

* Several Madisonites were honored at a service awards dinner. JOHN ACKERMAN '58, E. E. SCHLENKER '42, and GEORGE BRASHEARS each had clocked up 15 years at Madison Hospital.

* BERNARD BOWEN '56 had accumulated 25 years. Bowen started the School of Anesthesia at M.C. in 1950, and it has been in operation ever since. Until LLU started its School of Nurse-Anesthetists recently, Madison had the only such Adventist training school.

Madison Missionaries

* Marion S. Simmons '43 was pressed back into service from retirement at Hendersonville, N.C., to serve one year as teacher at Lakpaha Adventist Seminary in Sri Lanka (Ceylon), leaving D.C. Feb. 9, 1976.

* Dr. Charles E. Michaelis has transferred from Hinsdale S-H to Bella Vista Hospital, Puerto Rico, where he is an anesthesiologist on the staff. Both Charles and his brother, Bryan Michaelis, finished premed at Madison in 1942. Bryan died in 1974. His wife, Myrtrude, is director of nursing service at Highland Hospital, Portland, TN.

* Dr. Howard D. Huenergardt (Lab. '52) has returned from Bangkok S-H in Thailand after a term of two years, and is in the practice of orthopedic surgery at Modesto, Calif.

* Dr. Alfred B. Webber (Premed '41), son of the late Dr. Perry A. Webber and Ella Mae Verney Webber, left Lodi, Calif., for Japan in early 1976 to serve again at Tokyo S-H. His wife, Edna Mae (Granlund) accompanied him. Alfred and his brother Harry, also a medical doctor (in Modesto, CA.), were brought up on the Madison campus, and took their premed here. They lived for a number of years in Japan, where their parents were missionaries. After receiving his medical degree from Loma Linda, Alfred served as a captain in the Army of Occupation in Japan. In the fifties he was connected with Japan Union Mission, and was a busy doctor at the Tokyo S-H for six years. For the past few years he was in orthopedic surgery practice in Lodi, Calif.

* Alfred's mother, Ella Webber, received a letter from him and quoted him as saying, "Oh, what a strange and changed Japan!" Mrs. Webber remarked: "Eighteen years made the difference. The unusual thing is that they are to live in the same house that we lived in when he was born, only we had the whole house. Now, the upstairs has been made into an apartment where they are to live. That is where I used to put him to bed."

GEORGE ALDEN TAYLOR, SR.

George A. Taylor, Sr. died at a nursing home in Franklin, N.C., April 18, 1976, at the age of 90. He had been in poor health for some time. He and his wife had moved from Madison a few years ago to Franklin, N.C., where their only child, George, Jr., lives.

The Taylor family came to Madison from Texas as students in the summer of 1933. After a term as student and worker at Madison, he opened a shop at Madison and was in the watch repair business for 25 years. He is survived by his wife, Florence, and son George, who graduated from Madison Academy in 1934.

Mrs. Taylor graduated from Madison with a B.S. in Education in 1936.

BETTY NELSON LEATHERWOOD

Betty Nelson Leatherwood died April 5, 1976, at the age of 42 at her home in Hendersonville, Tenn., after a lengthy illness. She was born in Natchez, Miss., where she lived until she came to Madison to take the nurses' course. She earned her R.N. in 1956, and completed the nurse-anesthetist course in 1961. For a time she worked at hospitals in Palestine, Texas; Franklin, Kentucky; and Hialeah, Florida. The Leatherwoods moved to the Nashville area in Gallatin, Tenn., in 1973 where they connected with a group of Adventist anesthetists. Their son Rex is a senior at Madison Academy.

Survivors are her husband, Rexford R. Leatherwood (Anes. '64); son, Rex Edward; mother, two sisters, and a brother, Hamilton B. Nelson, Jr. (MCA '48). Elder Harley Schander, pastor of the Madison Campus Church, officiated at the funeral in Natchez, Miss.

EDITH M. WINQUIST

Miss Edith Winquist came to Madison from Massachusetts in 1924. In 1927 she finished the nurses' course, was night supervisor at Madison S-H one year and supervisor of hydrotherapy for two years. She and her mother owned and operated the Battle Creek Treatment Rooms in Nashville for 21 years. She also served in several other places--Children's Hospital, Chattanooga, TN.; on Sand Mountain in Alabama; Highland Hospital, Portland, TN.; and Walker Memorial Hospital, Avon Park, Fla.

She had been in ill health for some time in Avon Park, and wanted to go to Florida Living home, but they had a long waiting list, so in 1974 she entered the Ozark Health Center, a retirement home in Harrison, Ark., and there she died on April 7, 1976.

She was brought by plane to Madison and buried beside her mother, Mrs. Elin Winquist in Spring Hill Cemetery on April 13, 1976. Elder Harley Schander, pastor of the Madison Campus Church, officiated at the graveside service.

(Miss Winquist was a life member of the M.C.A.A. and two times since she moved from Nashville, planned to attend Homecoming. The first time she decided to give it up so she could go to the wedding of her grand nephew in Massachusetts. The second time it was her desire to attend Homecoming this year, but her death prevented.

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