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HERITAGE ROOM

No. 2

1981 Homecoming, June 19-21

we hope you will be here

The time is near for the 1981 Homecoming, starting Friday night, June 19, at the Madison Campus Church across from Madison Hospital.

Well-known enthusiastic speaker for Friday night is Mrs. Marion Simmons of Hendersonville, N.C. Stewart Crook, president of the M.C.A.A., of the Kentucky-Tennessee Trust Services Department, will give the welcome. Sabbath morning's guest speaker at the worship service is Dr. Herbert Coolidge, president of the Fletcher institution in North Carolina. Prof. James Zeigler of Collegedale, favorite teacher at M.C. for many years, will teach the general Sabbath School lesson.

HONOR CLASSES. A letter and lists have been sent out to the Honor Classes of 1931, 1941, 1956, and paramedical classes of 1971. Replies are coming in. Unfortunately some of the letters are being returned for lack of correct address from those who have not kept in touch. See list of Wanted Addresses.

The first meeting starts Friday evening June 19, at 7:45. Try to arrive Friday afternoon in time to register at the alumni office and Heritage House--the small rock house across from Madison Hospital. You will enjoy looking around at the many interesting items on display.

ROOMS: There is a large empty house on campus that could be used by those who bring sleeping bags or cots, also the bathrooms could be used by those in campers. We are trying to arrange for rooms on campus or nearby, and have a few places listed. We wish people in the area who can keep guests would call in.

TELEPHONES for the Alumni office and secretary, Mable Towery, 615-865-1615, or 615-865-2373, ext. 4626. Other numbers: Dorothy Mathews, 865-5350; Edith Johnson, 865-6076; Katherine Marshall, 868-2133).

COMING EVENTS

Madison College Homecoming June 19-21

Work Experience Educational Seminar Weimar College, Ca., July 5-24, 1981

4th Annual Conference on Soy Foods
July 8-12, 1981
Colorado State University, Ft. Collins, CO.

ASI Convention, Sept. 23-26, 1981 Four Seasons Motor Inn Colorado Springs, CO.

Laymen's Extension League Oct. 15-17, 1981 Laurelbrook School, Dayton, TN.

SMC Homecoming Collegedale, TN., Oct. 23-26, 1981

Addresses and/or Information Wanted

HONOR CLASSES

1931: Nana (Hinata) Imori, Stella (Hardy) Nester, Bertha (Selbert) Ward, Mrs. Julia Zollner.

1941, B.S.: Moses Arthur Batchelder, Charles W. Kantzer, John Kaynor, Wilma Steinman, Esther (Hornoi) Stillwell, Philip Wang.

1941, Nursing: Doris (Smith) Bain, La Verna (Tenfert) Beiswinger, Dr. Robert Jacobson, Zelia Laurell, Stella (Pajakowski) Ryerson, Doris (Page) Sprague.

1956, B.S.: Donald Fisher, Catherine (Mrs. Leon) Gray, Lydia (Fast) Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Mino, Noble (Yates) Russell.

1956, Medical Records: Alice (Haviland) Lang (Mrs. Philip), Elizabeth Milliner, Phyllis Whalley, Mary Louise Wisener.

1956, Anesthesia: Betty Jo Daniel, Ray E. Weeks, Leland Knight.

1956, Lab.: Mary Donesky.

1956, Teacher Training: Mervin W. Ernst. 1971, Paramedical: Mary Edwards, John Spruill, Ann Nunnery, Gary Wayne Walters. News From the Poinsettia
Groveland, Florida

The May, 1981, Poinsettia from Groveland Academy gives some front-page news of interest to our readers. For several reasons Dr. Lee Otto decided not to try to locate a Madison-type college at Groveland.

The folk at Groveland Academy have not given up the idea, however, and plan "to go straight ahead." Their land is paid for. They have a number of good buildings, constructed at low cost by hard labor of dismantling old buildings, and by donations from their readers. They plan a non-accredited college-level school, in addition to their academy. They are already taking gifts for "the new college." Their telephone number and address: Groveland Academy, Rt. 2, Box 454, Groveland, FL. 32736. Tel. 904-429-2718.

Bernie Sheffield is editor of the Poinsettia, and founder of the school. We wish Bernie and his staff success.

Zeiglers' 50th Anniversary

(The year 1981 is a special year for James and Freda Zeigler, for it marks their 50th wedding anniversary. Their children, Howard and Mary Zeigler, are giving them a reception at Wright Hall cafeteria in Collegedale on July 23, 1981, from 4:30 till 9:00 p.m. They cordially invite all their friends and former students to attend. They wrote:)

We have found the past year of work with the Health Screening Van very encouraging. Jim's schedule has been three or four weeks out each month since March, Freda's somewhat less. The people who come to the van are so gracious and appreciative, and we alert many to their need of seeking medical help as well as encouraging them how they may improve their health by changing their lifestyle. We have developed some interesting friendships as a result.

We are so glad that our son Howard and Mary and their Debbie, who is eleven, still live within a couple of miles from us. We appreciate the progress Debbie is making with her plano and flute. Having children around the hearth helps to keep us young in heart.

We are grateful to God for the good degree of health we still have and so happy to be of some use to others in this troubled world. God bless you, Mable, and give you a double portion. What a wonderful person you are. We are definitely planning on Homecoming.

Dr. & Mrs. L. A. Bascom's 50th Wedding Anniversary

Lewis and Beatrice (Brown) Bascom, of Keene, Texas, both of the Class of 1931, sent their picture and announcement of their 50th Wedding Anniversary. Their children are giving them a "Come and Go" reception on June 7, at the Keene Community Center between the hours of 3-5 p.m. The children, who all live in the Keene vicinity, are Mrs. Audrey Henry, Mrs. Irene Chitwood, and Winston L. Bascom.

Dr. Lewis A. Bascom took one and a half years of premed at Madison College, after which he finished his premed course in 1930 at SMC. Beatrice Brown Bascom also studied nursing at Madison and graduated with the class of 1931.

He and Beatrice Brown were married June 6, 1931, and immediately moved to Loma Linda where he graduated from the Loma Linda School of Medicine in 1938. Dr. Bascom practiced medicine in Nora Springs, Iowa, where he was in general practice until he retired on July 1, 1974. The Bascoms moved to 109 E. 4th Street, Keene, TX, where they have lived since that time.

New Year and Christmas Letters

Marie Comstock '36, Grant's Pass, OR

In her New Year's letter, Marie Comstock (N'36) wrote of a thrilling all-expense 12-day trip to Mexico at the invitation of a lawyer friend, Juan Najora. She, her husband, Ray, her brother Willard Graham and his wife Fern flew to Mexico City on Christmas Day, Dec. 25, 1980. Many hours were spent discussing our faith. Here are extracts from Marie's letter:

"On Jan. 5, 1980, we flew back to Oregon - the end of our most unusual experience, or is it only the beginning? As we look to the future we wonder, where did 1980 go? We are one year nearer the Kingdom and anticipating a great future, spending an eternity with Jesus, our Elder Brother. God has given each of us a work to do as long as we have breath and strength

"There were some long months from Nov. 2, 1979, until April, 1980, while Ray was flat on his back in a brace and Marie was caring for him. The spinal fusion was successful and Ray is for the first time in 20 years free from pain in his back. April 2 found us out on the desert soaking in the hot water, which was healing to Ray's back and knees, both of which are now synthetic."

Another highlight of the year was a visit with daughter Anita and her husband Roland. They attended the high school graduation in lowa, where the Comstocks attended the

high school graduation of their grandson Ruben (son of the late Burton Comstock). Their granddaughter Nancy graduated from Milo Academy on May 31.

(Marie wrote a personal note at the end of the duplicated letter.)

"The Madison Survey means much to me; and I shall ever be grateful for your faithful work in getting the SURVEY to us who were once students. Of all the hundreds of former Madison students you would think there would be at least one who could help you in your undertaking. And to think you do it for all of us with no financial reward! My deepest respect for you. Ray and I treasure your friendship."

Bertha and Kasser King, Clarksdale, Ariz.

It has been 20 years since we left Madison after our four years there as hospital employees. In July, 1961, we came back to Grand Canyon National Park in Arizona, where Kasser had been hired for the rest of the summer. Our son Arnold and his bride, Donna, were working on a fire tower at the Canyon. . . .

We left in September to go to Walla Walla, where Kasser had obtained work. The next February we returned to Grand Canyon and lived there until 1976. We retired to a small town, Clarksdale, Ariz.... I enclose a copy of our Christmas letter. It will give you more news. It would be wonderful to visit Madison again. Our last visit was in 1970.

(Following is more news gleaned from Mrs. King's Christmas letter and other letters.)

This has been a bad year healthwise for Kasser. In March he had surgery.... Thankfully, no cancer. In December on his 70th birthday he came home from a week and a day in the local hospital. The doctors said he had Parkinson's disease....

On our annual trip to Idaho this year it was good to see son Arnold and family, and other relatives and friends, too. Arnold has a dental lab in Farmington, N.M. Our daughter Carole and Richard Mitzelfelt were divorced in 1976.... Our only grandson, Monte, lives with his dad near Albuquerque. Carole lives in San Diego and works as a secretary at Scripps Hospital. Her daughter Darla is married and has a baby, so Carole is a grandmother and Kasser and I are great grandparents.

Harry and Carleyn Hartgrove, Portland, TN.

Carleyn Hartgrove, a valued worker in the alumni office when husband Harry was a student in the Madison Campus, SMC, nursing program, writes in her Christmas letter:

"Harry keeps very busy with nursing, having to work double shifts sometimes (Highland Hospital). He has worked in X-ray some, too. I am still working part time in Medical Records.

"Both our girls, Judy and Jana, worked all their way through academy, for which we are thankful. Jana is a senior this year.

"Grandma Lola Mock is still with us. She just celebrated her 80th birthday."

Marie (Wilson) Logan '58 Farmington Hills, MI.

How exciting this year has been! Our one and only Hershel Lee married Anna Marie Krall on August 3 in Collegedale, TN. We are indeed proud of our new daughter. Currently they are happy and well and teaching church school in Cumberland, Maryland.

Studying at the University of Michigan keeps me quite occupied. But more rewarding perhaps is the experience I receive teaching for Western Michigan's University's training program for substance abuse counselors. Many of my students work in various agencies, hospitals, clinics, prisons, courts, and the like. The educational level of my "students" varies from very little up to Ph.D. equivalent and yours truly finds many situations both frustrating and amusing. I love it! Teaching for me has become a priceless blessing.

Louise F. Eirich, Hinsdale, III.

Paul and Louise (Felt) Eirich, former students of Madison, are new in Hinsdale, IL., where Paul is enrolled in the Lake Union Soulwinning Institute. Elder Mark Finley is the director. The Eirich's have two children-Paul III and Esther.

Elsie Pietz, Turtletown, TN.

In her Christmas letter Elsie Pietz wrote that she and husband Otto live in the Tri-State area of western North Carolina, near both the Tennessee and the Georgia borders. She lives in Tennessee, and works two days a week in Ellijay, GA. She and Otto attended a National Wildlife Federation meeting at Black Mountains, near Asheville, last year.

Elsie wrote this personal note on her card: "We appreciate your dedication to an inspiring cause. Even though Otto and I are not graduates of M.C., activities there had a big impact on our lives. For me it was nursing and physical therapy."

ALUMNI NEWS

1940. Opal Hoyt (N'40) wrote from Loma Linda, giving a resume of her work in various capacities and places--Pine Forest, Washington S-H, St. Helena S-H, Glendale S-H, and Loma Linda. She took additional school work and earned her B.S. in Nursing in 1960. She wrote: "In 1968 I broke my left hip. Since then I have had a number of surgeries; have been in and out of the hospital, and in bed quite a bit at home. . . . Thank you for all your work for Madison and its graduates."

1948. Carlos McDonald (BS '48) sent dues and a change of street address in Takoma Park, MD., where he is head of the lab at Washington Adventist Hospital. He wrote, "I really enjoy reading the SURVEY and keeping track of many names of the people I knew at M.C."

1950. Ned Littell and family have their home in Lebanon, TN, but he has his dental practice in Hendersonville. His wife, Kay (Fisher),

works in his office. Of their children, Larry is in Loma Linda. Micky married Rhonda Webster, and after working at Hinsdale, they are back in Tennessee, where he is working at Madison Hospital lab. Ned, Jr., is taking medicine at Loma Linda. Glenn is taking ministerial at SMC. Bonita, the only girl, has just finished her junior year at Madison Academy.

1952. Edna (Atkin). Pepper, '52, sent dues from Janesville, WI., and wrote: "Too sick to chat but I love you and all you represent."

Ruby S. Eaton, Cortez. Co.

1959. Dear Faithful Friends at Madison: So happy you didn't mark us off your list! Glad to get the SURVEY. Thank you.

Our children are growing and leaving for school. Our oldest, Rhonda, is attending Union College. Velda finished at Castle Valley Institute, and is taking nursing course now. The other two children are growing fast.

My husband, Robert is an Emergency Medical Technician and serves in the small hospital here in Cortez, Colo. He drives an ambulance and helps in the emergency room. Its quite a busy program. I'm teaching the conference elementary school here. I have a fine group of 27 children, in most all grades.

God has been good to our family. We praise His name for the blessings bestowed.

1961. The Feb. 1981 Tell (organ of G.C. Communications Department) carried an article "Opening of HCH's Parcourse Grabs Media's Attention." (The HCH stands for Hackettstown Community Hospital, where HENRY SCOGGINS (X-ray '61) is administrator. Henry is mentioned in connection with the plans for the grand opening of the new Parcourse exercise circuit. He said, "Let's make it big." Parcourse is a scientifically structured outdoor fitness course. It is self-explanatory, benefiting the whole body.

From the Editor

Occasionally I have heard it said that Dr. E. A. Sutherland made a big mistake in not training a successor. I feel that was a very unfair criticism of a great leader. He tried, but somehow it just didn't work out.

I came to Madison at the end of 1960 to be executive secretary of the M.C.A.A., and editor of THE MADISON SURVEY. After the college closed in 1964 it might have seemed that the alumni association activities would close and the SURVEY would be discontinued. But I was determined to keep on (without salary), and have kept on with my dual appointment for over 20 years.

It seemed tragic to me that the MADISON SURVEY, now in its 63rd year of publication, should cease publication for lack of an editor. Our loyal readers have kept us supplied with funds, although at times we have "scraped the barrel." Due to my age and health I have longed for an assistant, particularly in writing and research, or a successor. Through the past several years I have tried to alert the

alumni executive committee regarding the matter, and have personally contacted a half dozen or more people. But no takers! I pray daily about the matter, and ask SURVEY readers for their help.

- By cutting down this June SURVEY to only four pages, we save time and money.
 There was much more that we would like to include, but time and energy are running out.
- Please notice date of expiration on the back page by your name, and if you are behind, use the coupon inside the back page. There may be some confusion as to the date. When we went to computer on our mailing list, the hyphen was left out in most names. For instance AL appeared for life alumni members, instead of A-L; also A81 was used for an alumnus whose dues were paid through 1981, instead of A-81. We are trying to get the hyphen back in, but it will take time.
- We ask you again to write both your name and address on the envelope corner, or use a label, when you write. Also would be helpful to indicate your year of graduation and course, if a graduate, or years you attended the college or academy, on the inside of the envelope.

LETTERS

Homer Lynd, Waldorf, Md.

(Homer Lynd, former dean of M.C., sent life dues and wrote as follows:)

I really do appreciate the work that you have done in keeping the Madison spirit alive. I believe there are few people who could have done the work as you have done it. Even though I have not kept in close touch, I do want you to know that I and many more appreciate it very much.

It does not seem that it was twenty plus years ago that Dr. Sandborn called a number of us together in Michigan and told us that you were willing to come to Madison and head up the alumni association. I am very happy today that we voted for you because of the outstanding job you have done. I do hope that you will be able to find someone to help and take over for you.

I do miss old Madison. It just does not seem like Madison any more when I visit. It

was a hard fact to swallow when the college closed in 1964, even though the board was assured that it would be kept open. I can never forget what Madison gave me, and I will be ever thankful for that. I do hope that the spirit is kept alive and that in the near future a Madison will be reborn.

Keep up the good work. I know that there are bound to be times when you feel discouraged, but there are many of us praying that God will give you the strength to carry on and complete your work.

Albert E. Kephart, Lompoc, CA.

Dear Sister Towery: Although I know that you had been experiencing physical difficulties, yet I know that your faith is strong. Your ministry to us Madisonites has been such a spiritual help. I think the recent SURVEY (Sept. 1980) was the most inspiring one I have read, and I have been reading them for 53 years.

While attending a seminar conducted by the Public Health Association of SDA at Loma Linda, in October, I had the good fortune to renew acquaintance with Dr. Wayne MacFarland, whom I hadn't seen for 34 years. Dr. U. D. Register and his wife were there also. . . . The renewed emphasis on disease prevention and rehabilitation of the whole man is most encouraging. . . .

We send our love to everyone who knew us there in the garden, the tailor shop, the dry cleaning shop, and the sanitarium, and wishes for God's richest blessings. Rachel and I have been surprisingly comfortable and active.

VIRGINIA DENLER (student 1946-7) Clearwater Lake, Wis. I appreciate the Madison Survey greatly and cannot understand why Satan was permitted to bring to naught this college that God directed the pioneers to build.

Clyde Franz, Berkeley Springs, W. Va.

I'm honored to be asked to serve as one of the speakers at the Homecoming program. Madison has always meant a great deal to the Franz family. My wife, Lois Mae, and I would love to be there if it were possible. Unfortunately, we can't make it this time. As one of my friends used to say, "We have too much hay on our fork just now!" I can't imagine how I ever found time to go to the office ten to 12 hours a day before we retired!

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I am sending \$	for THE MADISON SURVEY for year(s)
(at \$2 a year)	(New? Renewal?
I am sending \$	for alumni dues (\$5 annual; \$50 life)
(Alumni	dues include SURVEY sub. price)
(You may have a to	x-deductible receipt if you send \$2 or more)
Other	

(We asked "Wally" Welch to be one of our speakers at Homecoming, but he was director at Florida Youth Camp at that time, and unable to come. But to our delight the sent a life membership, and wrote a lovely letter, from which we quote. His father is

Elder Howard Welch, former dean of M.C. His brother is Don Welch, president of the AHS-Sunbelt.)

My wife Jo Anne (Ronk) and I have lived in Florida for 8½ years. I am youth director of the Florida Conference. Jo Anne works in Florida Hospital as patient relations director. Our son Steve teaches at Greater Miami Academy, and our daughter Sherrie is a nurse

at Florida Hospital.

I was happy to hear of the restoration of the Droll house. We lived just three or so houses down from there. As a child I remember on several occasions going to his house for medical needs. He was credited with saving my life on one occasion when I was about six years old. I had a severe case of pneumonia (before penicillin!).

We'll look forward to getting the SURVEY.

("Wally" Welch was a student at Madison all the way from fourth grade through the academy. He was here from 1935-1948. He finished college at SMC, taught two years in Florida. He has been in the ministry 27 years, 17 of which were in youth work in Arkansas-Louisiana, Ohio, and Florida Conference.)

Coress King, Glendale, Calif.

I am sending renewal for the SURVEY which I enjoy very much. Sorry I missed you in Dallas. I was there five days. Met my sister, Doris Clapp of Takoma Park, Md.... I am still in Glendale and working part time as relief dean of girls for P.U.C. on Glendale Nursing Campus. My daughter, Nancy King English (M.C.A. 1957) is working on her doctorate, and very busy being a wife and mother.

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Alvin Scheresky, Glen Ewen, Sask.

(Alvin Scheresky came to Madison after two years in the Army. He is a regular subscriber to the SURVEY. He said Madison changed his thinking and outlook on life.)

Greetings from Canada--Land of the Free, so far, but we are losing our freedom every day.... We are still organically farming; ... developed a flour that acts like white but has nutrition of 100%. Demand is so great we can hardly make enough.

Our self-supporting units are doing wonderfully well in Canada. We are thinking of starting one here in Saskatchewan. Saskatchewan is a very socialistic province.... It's so good to get the SURVEY.

C. E. Bull, Calvert City, KY.

(C. E. Bull sent his subscription to the SURVEY, and wrote as follows:)

Would you please send us the MADISON SURVEY? I am a brother to Dr. L. J. Bull. My sister, Margaret, who married Forrest Pride, also went to school there. Dorothy, and Jimmy Jones are my niece and nephew who went to school there. I was in school there two years and had a barber shop.

Soon after we received this letter Dr. L. J.
 Bull and his wife Lois (McCurry) stopped at
 Madison and the Heritage House. They were on their way back to Plainview Academy from a reunion in Greeneville, TN.

ISABEL F. WILSON

Isabel Wilson (N'31) died of a heart attack January 7, 1980 after five years of blindness from glaucoma. She lived in Great Falls, MT., for many years and did private duty until retired in the early 70's. After ill health and poor eyesight became a problem, she was cared for by her younger sister, Lillian McDonald.

Among Isabel's survivors are sisters, Lillian McDonald and Sarah Wilson, both of Great Falls, MT. Her brother, Harry Wilson, died ten months later. (See his obituary).

Miss Wilson graduated from nursing at Madison in 1931, and was listed this year in the Honor Class of 50 years ago. Checks came regularly for dues and SURVEY, and we did not know she had died until her sister sent word in reply to our Honor Class letter and lists.

HARRY RIDLEY WILSON

Harry R. Wilson of Dunlap, TN., a retired R.N. and M.T., died Nov. 7, 1980, at the Sequatchie Health Care Center at age 87. He was a veteran of World War I. Among the survivors are his wife, Edna (Ward) Wilson; two daughters, Jacqueline (Mrs. L. A. Davidson), Lila (Mrs. Bob Russell); and two sisters, Miss Sarah Wilson, and Mrs. Lillian McDonald, both of Great Falls, MT. His sister, Isabel Wilson, preceded him in death by ten months.

ROLAND C. E. ZIMMERMAN

Roland Zimmerman was born in Maryville, Wl., in 1908, and died in St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 16, 1980, at age 73. Survivors include his wife Geraldine (Wisdom) and three children--Dr. Roland Zimmerman, Jr., Rosemary Baugher, and Susan.

Mrs. Sarah Chandler

Mrs. Sarah Chandler died in Madison Hospital May 13, 1981. She and her husband Joe had been working at Madison Hospital for some years, she in nursing service, and he in maintenance until he retired a few years ago.

Survivors are her husband and their three children--Debbie McNutt (Medical Records '64) of Calhoun, GA.; Joe Chandler of Greeneville, TN.; and Zonda Arthur of the Nashville area.

LUELLA (Flauds) DOUB

(From information sent us by Geraldine Dickman, director of nursing at Harbert Hills Nursing Home, Savannah, TN, and from records in the alumni office, the following obituary was written.)

Luella Flauds was born in 1896 in Des Moines, Iowa, and died at Harbert Hills Academy Nursing Home May 31, 1981, at age 85. She married Charles Doub in 1916. He died in 1964. They had two children--Ruth Elizabeth Derard, who died in 1973; and a son Terence. She was a devoted Christian and mother.

Mrs. Doub earned her B.S. at Madison College in 1936. She also took work in several universities, at Peabody College, and C.M.E. She was a graduate dietitian, a licensed nurse, and had a diploma in Business Administration and CPA accounting from La Salle University. She wrote a hydrotherapy manual which had wide circulation.

A few years after she graduated from Madison in 1936 Mrs. Doub operated the Faulkner Springs Sanitarium near McMinnville, TN. She also operated the Atlanta-Battle Creek Treatment Rooms. After her treatment rooms in Atlanta were closed she was connected with Georgian Villa Nursing Home in Douglasville, GA, for a short time, and then joined a group of doctors in Fresno, CA. After the Doctors Calvin and Agatha Thrash started Yuchi Pines Institute in Seale, AL, she went there in 1972 to help establish a center to train young people to go out and do health evangelism. She designed a treatment room facility for the Thrashes' office in Columbus, GA. After her health failed, she went to Harbert Hills Nursing Home, where she was a patient for several

Mrs. Doub was well known as a teacher, author, dietitian, and physical therapist. Survivors are son Terrence of Bogalusa, LA, and a grandson, Arthur Berard, of Memphis.