

The Madison Survey

HERITAGE ROOM

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Madisonites, BE THERE!

Homecoming June 22-24

Come and help us celebrate the 80th anniversary of the Madison school started in 1904. Letters and phone calls are coming in from Honor Classes and others regarding Homecoming at the Madison Campus Church starting Friday night, June 22.

PROGRAM. Elder Gordon Creighton '44 is the speaker Friday evening. Petra Sukau '58 is slated to speak at the Sabbath morning church service, and will conduct a one-day Stress Control Seminar on Sunday. We are living in stressful times, and all need to learn how to cope with stress. It was hoped that many will plan to stay over for the Sunday seminar.

On Sabbath afternoon time is allotted for visiting for a tour of Heritage House. Honor and class reports (1934, 1944, 1959).

Dr. Ira Gish, author of the book, *Madison — God's Beautiful Farm*, is the Vespers Speaker Sabbath afternoon.

MEALS. Two potluck meals will be served on Sabbath (dinner and supper.) The hospital cafeteria is not open for breakfast, but does have a snack bar located back of the gift shop.

ROOMS. We are fortunate this year to have arrangements with Madison Hospital to use the two floors of Campus Lodge (the former nurses dormitory), which is very near the Campus Church. The rates are very reasonable compared with motel prices these days — \$15 single a night; \$18 double; \$25 two double rooms.

Send reservation to M.C. Alumni Office, Box 1303, Madison, TN 37116, but **SEND NO MONEY.** There are two motels in Madison. A mistake was made in the telephone number for the Madison Motel in the March SURVEY, giving the number for Madison Hospital instead. The covered number is 615-865-2323. The two numbers are very similar.

• For the telephones and address of the alumni office and secretary, Mable Towery, see back page. Other numbers: Dorothy Mathews 615-865-5350; Velma Jeffus 865-8786.

COMING EVENTS

MADISON COLLEGE HOMECOMING
June 22-24, 1984

2nd National Conference of Association
of Adventist Women (A.A.W.)
Andrews University, July 12-16, 1984

S.D.A. Retirees Convention, A.U., Aug. 10-13

ASI Convention, Sept. 5-8, 1984
Andrews University, Berrien Springs, MI.

Southern College Homecoming
Nov. 2-4, 1984

ADDRESSES WANTED

Honor Classes

1934: Alice Yaeger, Naomi George

1944: Ichiro Tabuchi

1959: Joyce Bowe, Aaron Dennis, Marion Fielding, Pedro & Rose Ramos, Leah (Sepulveda) Rodriguez, Margaret (Newbold) Sledge, Robert Williams, Maureen (Drake) Watson

1959, Misc.: Anna Bogachoff, Helen (Twombly) Oliver, Glenda Nell Brantley, Humberto Lopez, Gilbert Rodriguez, Alice Wataba, Elizabeth Guerra, Kathryn Martin, Annie Shelton, Hazel (Gill) White, Betty (Bullock) Ables.

BIRTHDAYS AND ANNIVERSARIES

This year of 1984 marks the 80th birthday of the founding of Madison. The Nashville Agriculture and Normal Institute was chartered in 1904. (Three decades later the name was changed to Madison College.)

The 50th (golden) Anniversary of Madison was celebrated at Madison on Oct. 7, 1954. The late H. K. Christman was guest speaker. His address was on "Pioneers of Great Vision." In the evening a pageant in three parts, "Fifty Golden Years," was presented.

The 75th (Diamond) anniversary of Madison S-H was observed in 1983 by a gala celebration planned by Madison Hospital Volunteers (Mary Claire Bradshaw, director).

The "Plantation Room" was filled with many pictures, clippings, etc., on display, and several "birthday cakes," of various original design. A supper was served to the hundreds of hospital employees and their families.

And now we arrive at the date for the 1984 Homecoming, and time to celebrate the 80th birthday of Madison College. That little band of people/or the Morning Star 80 years ago knew not what a great thing they were starting. The humble school they had come to start was not to remain obscure. It was not "born to blush unseen." Its glorious story would be told by newspapers and magazines and prominent people around the world.

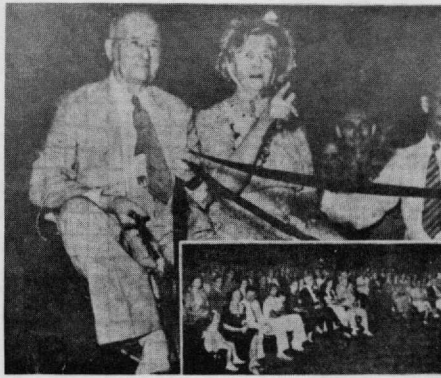
• The Madison Hospital Mental Health unit arranged a party in the Plantation Room to honor Dr. Joe Sutherland on his 80th birthday. He came to Madison as Baby Joe in his mother's arms 80 years ago.

50th Anniversary of E. A. & Sally Newspaper Picture and Story Found

During the past year or so we have had many reports of 50th anniversaries among Madisonite couples. On a trip to Madison last year to see his son Hampton, Ed Bisalchi '46 came to the Heritage House to do a bit of research. He was keenly interested in finding a picture and writeup on the golden anniversary of Edward and Sally Sutherland.

In our *Madison Survey* index we helped him find the date of the marriage — Aug. 13, 1940. The anniversary was reported in the Aug. 21, 1940, SURVEY but no picture could be found. Bisalski told this editor he was drafted to be program chairman for the 50th celebration and described the festive occasion held near the Druillard Library on the lawn in front. A big crowd came. Telephone connection was set up and people called in all over the U.S.

Ed and I began a search for a picture. He called the Nashville *Banner* before he went back to his home in Bancroft, MI., and was referred to the Nashville Public Library. Elizabeth Cowdrick and I continued to call one place after another, and finally ended up at the Tennessee State Library and Archives



in Nashville where at the end of the trail we were able to get reproduction of the picture of E. A. holding the reins of the horse-drawn carriage with Sally by his side wearing her "old gray bonnet," as the song "Put On Your Old Gray Bonnet" was sung.

If any of our readers happen to have a photo of this memorable occasion or a program, please let us know. We had a photographer take a print of the Newspaper clipping, which was not very good. It would be very interesting to have names of some of those who were there on the lawn on that day.

50th Wedding Anniversary

Eugene and Winnie Peek

On May 13 the children, friends, and Little Creek faculty celebrated the 50th Anniversary of Eugene and Winnie Peek. Their son Norman and daughter Mary Kurzinski and families were present. Son Leon was in Korea, and unable to come. Mr. Peek has been purchasing agent at Little Creek and Winnie has been head of food service.

Birthday Party for Naomi Gowan

A surprise birthday party was held for Miss Naomi Gowan on May 31, 1984, at the lovely home of Marcie and Lynn Jones in Greenbrier, TN. Miss Gowan was director of nursing at Madison Hospital from 1966 to 1974. Before coming to Madison she worked at several hospitals — Florida, Washington, St. Helena, Portland, and White Memorial in various capacities. After "retiring" at Madison Hospital she was drafted for several years as director of nurses at Imperial Manor Nursing Home in Madison. After "retiring" the second time she helps in Community Services, also helps in matters pertaining to the alumni office, all of which is greatly appreciated.

1936. ANNA SIMPSON '36, designed and supervised the production of a 90-layer chocolate prune cake which was served at the 90th Anniversary celebration of Southwestern Adventist College. As food supervisor for S.A.C. she oversees the preparation of 31,300 meals each month in the largest vegetarian food establishment in Texas.

Madison Oriented Literature

From time to time we get requests for books and literature pertaining to Madison and self-supporting work. More recently we have had some inquiries re *Living Fountains and Broken Cisterns* by E. A. Sutherland. We contacted Mrs. Larry Hawkins who heads up "The Lamplighters" in Walla Walla, WA. They have a long list of tapes and out of print books. We ordered *Living Fountains*, also Dr. Sandborn's *History of Madison College*. You may order either or both of these books from *The Madison Survey* (\$10 each postpaid), or from The Lamplighters, P.O. Box 6, College Place, Wash. 99324. (You may wish to send for their catalog of books, and/or list of tapes in their lending library.)

Three Valuable Booklets

• For a long time we have been planning to see about having three booklets on Madison reprinted, and asked Mrs. Hawkins if Lamplighters could do this. She said yes, and so we have ordered copies of "Ownership and Control of the Madison School" (20 pages); "The Value of Organization" by C. C. Crisler (47 pages); and *The Nashville Agriculture and Normal Institute* (64 pages). These also may be ordered from The Madison Survey or The Lamplighters. (At this writing we do not yet have the prices.)

• If you want a copy of Dr. Sutherland's book, *Studies in Christian Education*, and a copy of *The Madison School* (quotes from E. G. White), send \$2 to the MADISON SURVEY, Box 1303, Madison, TN 37116. If you wish a quantity of the Sutherland book write the Eusey Press, Box 149, Leominster, Mass. 01453 for prices. The Madison School in quantity may be ordered from The Layman Foundation, Box 1276, Madison, TN 37116.

• The Madison School, a 37 page booklet, was first printed by the Pacific Press away back in 1908, and has been reprinted at least 5 times. It is a compilation of quotes from Ellen White on Madison as Special Testimonies, Series B. No. 11.

• David Lee has many pages of reprints, compilations, and copies of correspondence. Write him for a list and prices. (Box 324, Country life Farm, Lake Hughes, Calif. 93532.)

• Leaves of Autumn Books, Box 440, Payson, Ariz. 85541, has reprinted many books on many subjects. If you want a certain book or books and cannot find it at Lamplighters, write "Leaves".

Acquisitions for Heritage House

• Another scrapbook has come for the Heritage House. This new book loaned by Betty Johnson of Pine Forest Academy. It consists of clippings, pictures, programs, etc. saved by Olive Wheeler, early pioneer at Madison, also a few later items put in by Betty. While Dorothy Mathews was visiting at P.F.A. she took the collection and put it all together in this interesting scrapbook.

• Dr. & Mrs. L. J. Bull of Ola, Ark., sent a copy of the book, *The Invincible Irishman*, which is an abridged edition of *For God and C.M.E.*, by Merlin L. Neff — a most interesting biography of Percy T. Magan, one of the founders of the Madison institution.

Nellie (Campbell) Killion Olympic Torch Bearer

From the LLU Medical Center Newsbreak (April, 1984) we learned that Nellie (Campbell) Killion was selected as one of the torchbearers to carry the flame in the cross-country Olympic Torch Relay held prior to the Olympic games to open in Los Angeles on July 28. She is sponsored by the LLU, MC.

Nellie is a graduate of Madison Academy (1964), and worked in the alumni office while a student here. She finished the Secretarial Course at SMC, and is a C.P.S. (Certified Professional Secretary). She worked at Shawnee Mission Hospital before going to Loma Linda where she has been working ten years. She is presently executive secretary to Medical Center's vice-president Ronald Anderson. She belongs to the Loma Linda Lopers Club, and has been running 45 to 60 miles each week.

HEALTH HINTS - NO. 2

Lenore McDonald, Spirit Lake, IA.

You asked for a Health Hint. I am enclosing one on the use of potassium in cancer control. . . . I am still active in our church. I am a deaconess, the church clerk, junior leader and teacher, also pianist for Sabbath School and church when needed.

Cancer and Potassium

Potassium is death to cancer cells; therefore eat foods containing potassium. Potassium is found in all citrus fruit and bananas, blackstrap molasses, green lima beans, mint leaves (make mint tea and place some fresh mint in it), honey, fresh parsley, figs (both black and white), chicory, green peppers.

Bananas helped Darrell Waltrip, a racer, win the NASCAR-Winston Cup Award for two seasons. He ate two pounds of bananas each of two days before he raced. Bananas raised the body level of potassium, an essential nutrient which prevented muscle cramps when driving for hours under pressure.

• JAMES VAN BLARICUM and wife Simonne live in Winchester, TN. He practices medicine and works for the church in a county where there was no Adventist church. A new church was recently established in this area. (This newsnote was gleaned from A.U. Focus, Winter, 1984, p. 33.) Dr. VanBlaricum graduated from Madison College in 1937 and from EMC in 1943.)

Two Madison Reunions

Two different groups of Madisonites got together in April. The first was at Collegedale for a potluck, sparked by Patsy Rushing. Thirty-two people were present. The Zeiglers were thoughtful in passing around a sheet for people to register.

The second gathering was at the Florida campmeeting on the last Sabbath, when 66 loyal Madisonites had a potluck dinner. Billy Wilson was Master of Ceremonies. Miriam Kerr took a clipboard and passed it around to get names, addresses and telephone numbers.

Outpost Centers, Inc.

From the Outpost Centers Report (Spring, 1984) we learn of some major changes made in administrative areas at the time of the annual Wildwood Board Meeting. There has been rapid expansion in self-supporting work all over the world by the Wildwood organization which now includes over 80 "units" in sixteen countries — schools, restaurants, clinics, missions, and hospitals.

It became apparent to the board that Wildwood could no longer oversee such a vast work, so a new corporation was set up — Outpost Centers, Inc. Warren C. Wilson was appointed president of O.C.I. Dr. Richard Hansen was asked to serve as president of the work at Wildwood, Georgia. The new O.C.I. board is made up of 20 leaders along with Elder R. H. Pierson and Attorney Harold Vance, former president of the ASI.

(For an interesting report on Wildwood's Country Life restaurants see *Adventist Review*, May 31, 1984, pp. 2 & 13).

New President at Little Creek

Dr. Roger VanArsdell, chairman of the Little Creek School and Sanitarium board, announced in the April, 1984, newsletter that Kenneth Straw would assume all the administrative duties of his father Leland Straw in September, 1984. This action came on the advice of Leland's physician who was concerned about his health.

ADVENTIST EMPLOYMENT SERVICE (AES) helps Adventist employees and employers get together. For a small processing fee AES will present your qualifications to employers. Write for an application. AES, Box 8475, Riverside, CA. 92515-8475. Tel. 714-359-5388.

ADVENTIST CONTACT

ADVENTIST CONTACT is an organization for unmarried SDA's, recommended and approved by the General Conference. It is a computerized service to help locate other SDA "singles" likely to be compatible.

If you are interested, write for circular to **Adventist Contact**, P.O. Box 5419, Takoma Park, Md. 20912-0419.

Campus Visitors

Clifford S. Tonsberg '52, wife Mari and two children visited Madison this spring from Linda Vista Academy, Chiapas, Mexico. Long time self-supporting worker in Mexico. Cliff has been teaching in the Union Conference Academy for several years. While at Madison he conducted a slide program at vespers, telling about his work at the Sabanilla project in Mexico where he was all things to all men for 13 years. He was teacher, nurse, dentist, pastor, builder, sanitary engineer, single-handedly — all before marriage. Those who attended the vesper program marveled at how much Cliff had done with so little, figuring how to "make-do" in the mission field. He appreciates the education and training he received here and is often called on to tell how things were done at Madison.

● Dr. George Knight, professor of Educational Foundations at A.U., visited Dr. Norman Peek, executive secretary of the Layman Foundation, in quest of historical material in May and called on Mable Towery for a chat. He is editor of a new book, *Early Adventist Educators*, printed by Andrews University Press, which contains 12 biographical essays on outstanding Adventist educators. One chapter, we understand, is on Dr. E. A. Sutherland. We were promised a copy of the book for the Heritage House.

Elder Paul Cannon, director of The Bridge Fellowship, Bowling Green, KY., was a campus visitor recently. He and his wife Carol have been conducting a special ministry for young people who have smoking, drinking, and drug problems. After a long search, evaluating 50 locations in eight States, moving three times, they finally settled on eighty acres near Bowling Green, KY. They are in a fund raising campaign for additional building. They have a good start on their farm this year, with a counseling assist from Frank Judson who lives nearby at Scottsville, Ky. Frank is recovering from a freak accident while he and his son-in-law, Dr. Lee Carter, were taking down a tree. Frank and Velda's daughter, Marilyn is on the Bridge Fellowship board.

● **GERTRUD SCHRAMM** (N '57; Anes. '59), of Paducah, Ky., and her sister Hertha of Glendale, CA., attended the Campus Church at Madison on a Sabbath in May. They visited with this editor and with Elizabeth Cowdrick, their former English teacher.

"From City to Country Living"

Reprinted by Popular Request

This little book of 64 pages, first printed in 1950, as a companion volume to *Country Living* (a compilation of statements by E. G. White, has been expanded and updated and

reprinted. It was written by Arthur L. White and E. A. Sutherland. (Both books now on sale at A.B.C.'s. \$2.95)

The appendix in the back quoted the actions of the Annual Council of 1978, one of the recommendations being to republish the pamphlet *From City to Country Living*.

Observations by this editor: It was more than a pamphlet — really a small book. Why did it take so long? — 5 years. Little attention has been paid to our leaders to getting our people out of the cities since 1950 when Dr. Sutherland retired from the G.C. as secretary of the Commission on Rural Living. Unfortunately there has been a trend toward colonization, around institutional centers, and by retired SDA's to settle in pleasant places, forming clubs for social enjoyment. Ellen White says, "It is not the purpose of God that His people should colonize or settle together in large communities . . . God designs that they should be scattered all over the country." 8 T 244

STROUT REALTY COMPANY has a huge catalog (266 pages) of selected listings of farmers, homes, ranches, acreages all over America. National headquarters is in Springfield, MO. They have many branch offices. Dr. Sutherland used to recommend this company. Toll free numbers is 1-800-641-4266.

MADISON ACADEMY GRADUATION

Sixteen Madison Academy seniors received diplomas on May 20, 1984. Speakers for the several meetings were Dean Hunt, M.A. principal, Friday night consecration; Elder Jim Pleasants gave the Baccalaureate address; and Tom Osborne, former teacher, the Commencement address.

Elementary School Graduation

Twenty-one eighth-graders graduated from the Campus Elementary School on May 17, 1984. Dean Hunt gave the address.

HOSPITAL NEWS

● Ron Grange is the new director of Nutrition Services at Madison Hospital, coming from Branson Hospital, Toronto, Canada. His wife Linda works in Medical Records. The Granges have three children — Shannon, who works in Admitting, Jeffery in the 4th grade and Rona Lee in the 10th grade at Madison Academy.

● Elder Erling Odell is the new chaplain at M.H. He comes from Parkview Memorial Hospital, Brunswick, ME., where he served in similar capacity. In addition he has served as a pastor, and has taught in hospitals, communities, and both church and public schools. His wife Leona works in the diet office.

**Woodman, Spare That Tree (Building)
or
Don't Remove The Old Landmarks**

A letter in *Southern Columns* (2nd qtr, 1983) struck a sympathetic chord in our heart. The letter by Dolly Darbo Fillman was titled with this pitiful plea — "Tear Down Lynn Wood Hall?"

Tear Down Lynn Wood Hall?

"Dear Alumni Office: I have been told that Lynn Wood Hall, our dear old ad building, is going to be destroyed. It would be a shame for our college to have a new name and all new buildings. It wouldn't be ours anymore.

"Many of us laughed, married, attended church and cried in the chapel. We courted and gossiped on the front steps (and I don't think that's changed much). Some of us even bought groceries, stamps and got our shots in the basement. Also most of our classes were in Lynn Wood Hall. May it live forever!

"Big universities know the importance of keeping a part of their heritage on the campus. Alumni and current students both profit and gain a sense of their roots when such things are preserved. If our alumni gave funds for the restoration of Lynn Wood Hall, including the chapel, would Southern College spare it for us? How much would it cost?"

In the next issue of *Southern Columns* Dr. Merrill Dart chimed in with Dolly Fillman's sentiments. He wrote:

"I just received the last issue of SOUTHERN COLUMNS. I wish to second, and add to something Dolly Fillman said in her letter regarding Lynn Wood Hall. . . . I helped dig the trenches for the foundation, and helped pour the cement for Lynn Wood Hall. When it was completed it was the center of all campus activities — president's office, classrooms, chapel, piano studios, recitals, marches on Saturday nights, and church services, as well as the activities Dolly Fillman mentioned.

"Long Live Lynn Wood Hall!"

Right on Dolly and Dr. Dart! Your concern for your college building is shared by Madisonites all over. Here at Madison we have seen three of the four college buildings demolished one by one (Assembly Hall, Williams Hall, and the "Dem" building). Only Druillard Library remains. The ruthless removal of these buildings was a real trauma to loyal Madisonites here who stood helplessly by, and later to others who visited the campus trying to get their bearings. Some just drove on through with heavy hurt and didn't get out of their car.

**Southern University of Health Sciences
College of Osteopathic Medicine**

Fortunately help came, at least temporarily, for saving Lynn Wood Hall at Collegedale, when the building was rented by Southern University of Health Sciences where a College of Osteopathic Medicine is

aborning. It was chartered as a national institution a free standing, non-profit organization in July, 1980.

The College of Medical Evangelists, started in 1909 was the first Adventist medical institution established (later named Loma Linda University School of Medicine). Later the Dental School and other schools came, and now the Osteopathic School is having its opportunity.

Among the courses listed are Anesthesiology, Nutrition, OB-Gyn, Pathology, Pharmacy, Preventive Medicine, Psychiatry, and Surgery. A goodly number of Madison students graduated from the Kansas City College of Osteopathy and earned their D.O.

Clayton E. Whetmore, D.O., chairman of the board of S.U.H.S., was a recent campus visitor, conferring with Jim Boyle, administrator of Madison Hospital regarding using this hospital for clinical training. He is looking for students and for contributions to help in his work (tax deductible). Address is Box 1104, Collegedale, TN 37315. (Tel. 615-892-9733 or 2529)

Another Landmark Gone

The following article appeared in the Sept. 1983, *Madisonian*, which we reprint here in a continuing effort to chronicle the events that pertain to the history of Madison.

Old Steam Plant Bites the Dust

Recently, one of the old landmarks of the former Madison College was torn down. According to Mr. George Child, business manager of Madison Academy, the building was destroyed to provide room for a soon-to-come addition to the Madison Academy laundry. The state would not issue a building permit to the school for the laundry expansion until the old building was removed.

The central heating plant had actually been vacant for two years, ever since Madison Hospital had its steam operation moved to a new modernized building closer to their complex. The old building had been here so long that no one seemed to know exactly how old it was. Mr. Child estimated that it was at least half a century old. According to Vice-principal Greg Coryell, the hospital gave the Academy some heavy machinery in exchange for razing and removing the building.

The only plan for the area where the building used to stand is to fill in the space with dirt.



CENTRAL HEAT

**Story of Madison in Verse
by George Brashears**

Gone But Not Forgotten

We are indebted to George Brashears for the pictures on pages 4 and 5.

George has written a story of Madison College in a poem of 48 stanzas and put it together with five pages of a dozen snapshots and clippings, also a copy of the school song, "Madison," in a small book, titled, "Gone With the Wind." His title refers to buildings which were razed one by one by a ruthless administration after the college closed in 1964. (Only the Druillard Library and the old food factory remains. The latter is used for industrial arts. We heard it was slated to come down a few years ago, but it was built so strong that "they" gave up the idea.)

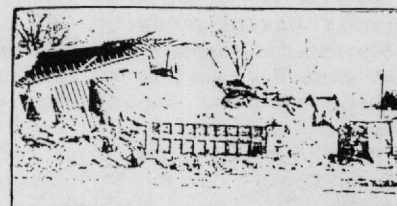
Brashears has copies of his very interesting "book" for sale in two sizes. The 8 1/2 x 11 is \$3 postpaid, and a smaller edition is \$2. Order through the Madison Survey, Box 1303, Madison, TN 37116, and renew dues and SURVEY if behind.

Williams Hall Demolished (1976)

The basement rumbles
The plaster crumbles
The ceiling tumbles through.
The wood we bought
That cost a lot
Is gone — for a parking lot.

Glenn Littell

Written by a
MADISON ACADEMY
STUDENT



COMPLETE DEVASTATION
(of the Demonstration Building in 1977)

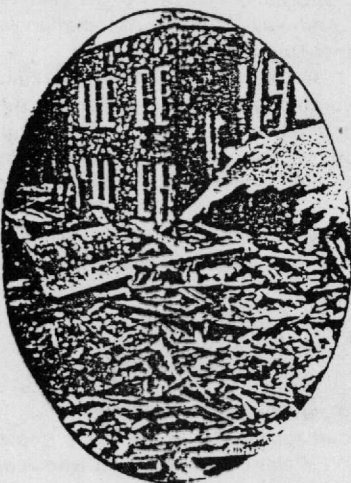
LETTERS

Sarah (Stearns) Ashbaugh
Elmira, Ore.

Greetings, my name is Sarah (Stearns) Ashbaugh, age 85. I am not an alumnus, but I feel like I should be. I attended Madison when it was a self-supporting school. The head staff were Doctors Sutherland and Magan, Nellie Druillard and Miss DeGraw. Mrs. Gotzian of California gave her financial help often. I attended in 1913 to 1915, along with my step sister Stella (Robison) Borg. Our first room was in the old plantation house. My brother Erman Stearns and his wife Laurel (Robison) Stearns were also there. He managed the dairy. Erman attended in 1911 to 1912. I have some precious pictures of those days.



DUST,



AND RUBBLE

"GONE WITH THE WIND",
LIKE A PIN IN A BUBBLE.

Lolita Townsend Puterbaugh
Orlando, FL.

I just finished reading the December Survey and enjoyed every word. . . . I finally finished my B.S. in Business Administration this past August at Rollins College in Winter Park, Fla., and began working on my Master's in November. (It is a wearing chore!).

Our son Chip is a sophomore at Fletcher. We miss him and look forward to vacations probably more than he does. We are keeping busy, but yet find time for an occasional jaunt to the beach (one of my favorite places to relax). We are thankful for the health our family has been blessed with.

Thanks so much for your dedication and perseverance in keeping the Alumni work going. I know it is a tremendous task to maintain all the files and keep up with all the folk. You do an outstanding job and I for one appreciate your work. I really do not know how you keep up with all the changes not only of addresses but of people and their line of work, activities, etc. You have a real talent for what you are doing and it certainly keeps us Madisonites current with our past. Again, thank you for what you are doing and the inspiration you are to me.

Maurice Prusia, Lingwood, FL.

Dear Editor: I have been hearing from at least a half dozen people that the SURVEY was trying to find out my whereabouts.

My wife Marie and I are working at Florida Hospital in Orlando. Our daughter Valerie also works there as a nurse in the Family Practice Residency, where she does patient teaching. Marie is the administrative director of the Family Health Center, a large physician's office for the Family Practice Residents to use as their office. Our son, Rick, is finishing his Junior year of Dentistry at Emory University in Atlanta, Georgia. I am the director of Pharmacy/I.V. Therapy/Metabolic Support. We have been here over 15 years.

I have appreciated hearing about Madison and the people who were there when

I went to school there. Many of my former classmates live and work here in Orlando. I am not an alumnus of Madison but I did attend two years (1949-1951). At that time I was preparing to study Medical Technology. One of the jobs I had there was working with Miss Windhorst in the pharmacy. I learned a lot about hard work at Madison. I would not have been able to attend college at all if Madison had not had a program that would allow a student to work his way through school.

Toni (Walden) Leake (M.R. '64)
Richmond, Virginia

(Toni Leake wrote for a transcript, not having read the notice in the SURVEY that requests for transcripts should be sent to Collegedale. However, we sent the request on to Collegedale with \$2.00 charge and wrote her what we had done.)

I never expected to be going back to college; so didn't read instructions in the SURVEY. I'm just taking one night class, Informative Systems, which is an introduction to Computer Programming and Data Processing. We now have a word processor in my office and I'm really excited about it. I still work at the V.A. Medical Center, but have recently transferred from the Personnel office to Medical Service.

My sister Rosy is married. They have two children — Wendy, 15, and David, 12. They are very active in the church. I had drifted away from the church but have been attending regularly about a year or so. The road back is very difficult. . . . We don't have any children (We have three cats that we treat like children.) I hope some day to get back to visit Madison. I have so many fond memories and love getting the SURVEY.

Connie K. Throckmorton '43
Rupert, Idaho

I noticed in the last SURVEY about the Golden Anniversary album perhaps being reprinted. I would be very interested in getting a copy if it should ever be done.

I would like to add my thanks to those of the many who write expressing their appreciation for your work so many years on the SURVEY. Hasn't the Lord answered your prayers yet, and sent someone to relieve you of the burden? I hope so soon.

You weren't referring to the book - "Madison-God's Beautiful Farm," were you, where you said "God's Beautiful Dream"? I have a copy of "Farms" I would be happy to send you.

(Oops, Connie, you caught us! Yes it was Farm, not Dream. Nevertheless the word Dream does fit in a way. We have a small supply of this out-of-print book, but be glad if you will send it in.)

● Let us hear from others on the idea of reprinting the Golden Anniversary Album. If your picture does not appear in this unique, historical "50th Album," please write and/or send us one or more photos or snapshots.

Mary E. Knight, Takoma Park, MD

Dear Mable: Your latest MADISON SURVEY is a gem. I am excited that the Madison College people hold together so well . . . I got so worked up over people so dedicated, so Christlike, continuing to give the dear Lord more and more of themselves, that I felt inspired.

This brings back to me the pleasure I had whenever you brought over the *Ministry* magazine copy to the Review & Herald delightfully and accurately prepared, ready for setting and proofreading. Later *Life and Health* concerned me. Both of these magazines contributed richly to the flow of fine writing for the church members. . . .

As a farmer girl myself, hoeing on a farm throughout my childhood, I respond with great joy to the reports Frank Judson presents of the development of the farm there. On all counts Madison is fulfilling its destiny yet, and will grow even stronger.

With all our radio and television work, plus Madison way, many people will be attracted to the mighty God.

It's late by the clock, but I was inspired to tell you how much the SURVEY does for me, never a student there. How I wish I had known about it! . . . Much, much love

(Note by Editor: This encouraging letter by a former worker at the Review and Herald in the proof room, and later on the editorial staff of *Life and Health* brings back memories of when I was office editor of *The Ministry Magazine* at the G.C. in the building right next to the Review. Later after I was one of the staff working in the 3-volume Index to E. G. White writings, under the supervision of Elder Leo Odom, Mary and I were in a group who took a night course in Indexing at a school in Washington, D.C. M.H.T.)

Ruby (Wade) Jensen '27
Christiansburg, VA.

Dear Friends: We want you to know what became of us quite suddenly, and why we are no longer at home on Brooks Avenue, in Madison, TN.

In addition to much incapability from rheumatoid arthritis, I fell and fractured my shoulder. Walter was so unstable on his feet when helping me. . . . We had planned to move to be near our son Don in Virginia when school was out in June, but I was concerned that we would not be able to make it until then. Ken and Becky were stopping to see us on their return from spring vacation in Florida; so while they were there, Don came and they moved us to his home. We are looking forward to hearing from our friends, and hope you will stop by for a visit if you are in our area.

(Note to Mable: We will miss Homecoming again. Enjoy it for us. We love you for keeping the SURVEY going. Our address is: Rt. 1, Box 92, Christiansburg, VA. 24073.)

• RUBY and WALTER JENSEN, both in poor health, have moved to Christiansburg, VA. to be near their son Donald and his wife,

the former Edith Durocher (N '62). Ruby (N '27) was in the first class that had a formal graduation at M.C.

Jane (Wolfe) Douthit '56
Loma Linda, CA

Please sign me up for the MADISON SURVEY. I've been here in Loma Linda, CA., 12 years working at LLU Medical Center in Diabetes Education, and love it. I've procrastinated too long to send for the SURVEY. . . . My three children, Mike, Glynis, and Debbie are all married.

Mrs. James Herman '47
Roan Mountain, TN.

We enjoy the MADISON SURVEY. Wish we could arrange to come to Homecoming, but our weekends are always busy since Jim has been a pastor. . . . He will be ordained this year at Ga.-Cumb. campmeeting.

We have a few more years before retirement. We are both well and active. We do enjoy our eleven grandchildren. Eight of them are close by. Jim and family are at Collegedale; Ronnie has his own nursing home at Columbus, N.C. Gary is a C.P.A. in Ft. Worth, Texas, and our daughter, Jeannie (Mrs. Ron Smith) and family are in Florida.

We will always be grateful to Madison for our education, our marriage, and the good it has done so many like us who would not have been able to go to college without the work program it provided. May God continue to bless its influence.

Shannon Mary Biggs
McDonald, TN

In March 1982 we moved to a two-and-half acre rural home, about six miles from our former home at Collegedale.

Yes, the SURVEY is coming to our new address. (I surely get my money's worth from this paper.)

Like everyone else we seem to get busier all the time — even though my husband, Dr. Thomas Biggs, retired in April, 1983. We are committed to bonding (binding) all our children and their children to us and to God, in His love. . . . Several of our children are self-supporting work oriented and interested in that type of work.

(Shannon wrote of her three sons, Bob, John, and David, and their wives and told of their present work, their qualifications and locations. She also spoke of a friend, an R.N. and her husband in Indianapolis. This information has been passed on to Norman Peek, executive secretary of the Layman Foundation.)

Please keep on keeping on. Love, joy, and peace to all in Christ.

• In case any are interested to contact Mrs. T. H. Biggs, her address is Rt. 2, Box 432, McDonald, TN 37353.

At the end of her letter, Shannon wrote: "The end of all things is at hand. . . . Please keep on keeping on. Love, joy, and peace to all in Christ.

Charlotte Mathis, Farmington, Ky.

I don't know why it is, but as soon as the SURVEY comes, I have to drop whatever I am doing and read it from beginning to end. As you know, I'm not really an alumnus as I did not graduate from Madison. However, I feel as if I "belong." I'm so glad you are still carrying on. Please keep sending me the MADISON SURVEY.

New Pastor at Campus Church

After Elder Bob Hunter accepted a call to pastor the Stone Mountain Church in Atlanta, a search was made for a replacement. Elder Gary Rustad is the new pastor. His wife Margaret Rose is one of the three daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Pierce of Portland, TN. The Rustads have two small children — Gary and Cherise.

• Youth Pastor Mark Dalton carried on admirably in the interim between the two pastors.

Three New Madisonite ASI Members

Listed as new members of the ASI are Victoria Hines of Jackson, TN. Vickie took Anesthesia at Madison and has four Nurse-Anesthetists in her group. Dick and Sheila Frezza, of Memphis, TN., are listed as a member in a diet program.

A letter from Fay Dunn said he and his wife Helen had joined the ASI and Maranatha Mission Builders. They had helped build a church in Mexico and a school in another location in Mexico. Next they planned to go to Cottonwood, AZ. to build a church.

Warren Ashworth Honored

Warren Ashworth, assistant professor at A.U., was named teacher of the year 1983 by the Andrews Student Association at the Awards Day assembly.

Elder Ashworth has been working on a doctoral degree in Education at A.U. for several years. He chose to write his dissertation on the great educational reformer, Edward A. Sutherland, and has been here on campus twice doing research. He has recently accepted a call to teach in the Religion Department at Pacific Union College.

From the Editor

There is much more that had to be omitted for lack of space. The September SURVEY will be a special on Homecoming, giving reports of the Honor Classes. I have one request. Each year as I look over the names of those who register at Homecoming I see a few that seem to come only for the Sabbath morning service — and the dinner. Some of these are people whose names I know, but have never met. Won't you please try to contact me and tell me who you are? Thank you.

STEPHEN DJANG, Ph.D.

(Information for this part of the obituary furnished by the pastor of the Sacramento church. Dr. Djang was a member of the class of 1934 to be honored at the Homecoming this year.)

Stephen Djang was born in Wuhan, China, May 3, 1904 and given the name Song Tsin Chang. At the age of 17 he became a teacher at the SDA mission in Nanking. After four years he became the mission treasurer living in Nanking and then in Shanghai for the next three years. It was during those seven eventful years that he married, had a daughter When-Shin Chang Lin, and his wife died.

When he came to the U.S. in 1928 he took the Christian name Stephen, and began studies during the depression at Madison College, earning expenses by cutting hair. He graduated in 1934 and moved to Chicago where he learned to be a printer, and in 1937 met Mabel Prause whom he married in 1942. He attended Ohio State and then Michigan State to complete his education, receiving a Ph.D. in Biochemistry. After working as a chemist at Motor Wheel Corp. and as a lab biochemist at Edward Sparrow Hospital. He moved to Sacramento in 1955 to become a biochemist at Edward Sparrow Hospital, he AFD hospital and with the California Disaster Office until his retirement.

Dr. Djang became an active member of the Central S.D.A. Church, serving as a deacon for many years. After his first stroke 20 years ago he worked diligently to recover by copying from devotional books and from his Chinese Bible that he brought with him from China. To correct his slurred speech he would buy religious records and sheet music and sing along.

During these many years he attempted to keep in touch with his daughter in China. First the depression, then World War II made it impossible to return, but he kept active correspondence. Then with the Communist take-over even correspondence was cut off. A friend traveling to China in 1977, after several days of constant pressure on the authorities, finally located his daughter and after much correspondence Stephen saw his daughter for the first time in 51 years on October 14, 1979. During her visit she had two cataract surgeries and was able to return to China seeing again. In May of 1980 his granddaughter Hong came to live with him and begin school at Sacramento City College.

Stephen passed to his rest, March 29, 1984, leaving his wife, Mabel, his daughter Wau-Shin, one grandson and 3 great grandsons all in Shanghai, and one granddaughter, Hong, presently studying at Sacramento City College.

Letter from Mrs. Mabel Djang

(Mrs. Djang also sent us the obituary of Dr. Djang. We have chosen items from her letter to add to the pastor's obituary.)

In 1952 Dr. Djang received his U.S. citizenship. He was very proud to be a citizen

and voted at every opportunity. . . . He was advised to come to the U.S. to attend Madison, where as part of the program he tended grapes, tomatoes, beans, etc. He also learned bookbinding. He rebound his Chinese Bible several times. His major hobby was building things. At Madison he built a hanging lantern, with slide photos of Madison. For our home he built a sunporch which is a solar energy unit in winter. Photography was another area of interest.

I myself never attended Madison. I met Dr. Djang in Chicago after he had graduated from Madison. I did visit one Madison alumnus in Los Angeles — Dr. Jonathan Woo. He was best man at our wedding. . . . Stephen was not able to read, write, talk, or walk (without help) for four years. Now I can finally get to visit my family in Virginia.

NORVAL E. GREEN, M.D.

(The following obituary appeared in *Alumni Journal S.M.*, Jan.-Feb. 1984. Dr.

Green graduated from premed at M.C. in 1934 and got his M.D. at C.M.E. in 1938. He did not join the MCAA, so we were out of touch with him. We are sorry to hear of his death. His brother, Dr. Robert Green, also took premed here in 1943.)

Norval E. Green was born on August 16, 1911, in Berrien Springs, Michigan, and died at his home in South Bend, Indiana, on Sept. 24, 1983, after a lengthy illness.

Married on July 16, 1933, to the former Fern H. Robertson, the couple have lived in South Bend for 33 years.

After serving his internship at Washington S-H, he completed his urological residency at Wishard Memorial Hospital in Indianapolis in 1948. He joined the army in 1942, and became a captain in the Medical Corps, serving in the European Theatre for two years.

He is survived by his wife, Fern; one daughter, Norvella; one son, Dr. Jan Calvert Green; eight grandchildren; a brother Robert Lee Green of Mesa, Ariz.

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DELPHIN S. WEINBERG

Elder D. S. Weinberg was born in 1908 and died Feb. 9, 1984, at Carthage, Ill. He and his wife Alice were long time friends of this editor, and had recently subscribed to the MADISON SURVEY. They were always interested in Christian education, and have been regular contributors to Groveland Academy in Florida.

GEORGE BOYD, M.D.

(An obituary of Dr. George Boyd appeared in the Jan.-Feb. 1984, Alumni Journal, S.M. which gave information which we quote. Dr. Boyd did not join the M.C.A.A., although we tried, so we were unaware of some of the interesting story of his life. He took pre-medical at Madison in 1926.)

George Boyd was born in New Zealand in 1897, and died at Brisbane, Queensland August 17, 1983. His main ambition was to become a missionary doctor. He came to Madison in the 30's to take his pre-medical course. Before coming here he worked hard to get enough money to pay his fare. When he arrived at Madison he had only one English penny in his pocket.

Encouraged by Drs. Percy T. Magan and E. A. Sutherland, George earned money in work on farm, dairy, and orchards at Madison, eventually completing his course work which enabled him to enter C.M.E. For the next eleven years George worked and studied, graduating with the class of '32. Shortly before his graduation, George was forced to spend a year in a sanatorium to recover from tuberculosis. Before leaving California George married Esther Miller, a superintendent at the White Memorial Hospital. This marriage was blessed by a daughter, Loann.

Upon completing his work at Loma Linda, George went to Edinburgh to become certified to practice medicine in British countries. Upon completion of his course of study he was appointed to Watford and sent

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for his wife and daughter. Mrs. Boyd, newly arrived from America... stepped into the path of a bus and was killed instantly. The doctor rushed from the Sanitarium to attend an accident and found the victim was his wife.

Dispirited and exhausted, he left England for Australia. In 1936 he was appointed superintendent of the Canberra Hospital, A.C.T., eventually setting up a private practice in Conimal, south of Sydney.

In 1939 Boyd married Jeanette Fraser, a graduate of the Sydney Sanitarium. To this second marriage were born two sons and two daughters. Still desirous of establishing a missionary outpost, Boyd bought a seven-bed hospital in Wellington Point, enlarged it to 18 beds and named it "Loma Linda," where he practiced the use of natural remedies with a minimum use of drug therapy.

Failing health caused him to retire early... During the past 18 months he was a patient in a private hospital, where his wife visited him daily. He is survived by his wife, Jeannette; two sons, Lan and Gordon; three daughters, Margaret Loann, Merrilyn, and Noladell.

OPIE OLAN CANTRELL

Opie Cantrell was born April 3, 1910, in Vian, Okla. His mother was part Indian. She had 12 children. He attended eight grades at a little country school near Vian. Jennie Ellis attended the same school.

Opie married Jennie on Nov. 22, 1930, at the courthouse in Sallisaw, OK. Opie and Jennie were baptized through the efforts of his brother Walter at Alma, Ark., just across the Oklahoma border, in a river.

The family moved several times to keep the children in church school. They moved to Madison in April, 1953, where he worked on the farm, in the heating plant, and the hospital. The Cantrells celebrated their 50th anniversary of marriage on Nov. 23, 1980 in the Fellowship Room of the Highland Church, Portland, TN.

In 1973 they retired and moved next door to their son, Kenneth, at Portland, TN. Opie thrived on contemplating the word of God. His favorite text was John 14:1-3. He died of fibrosis of the lung at Wildwood S-H in Wildwood, GA., March 1, 1984, at the age of nearly 74.

Among the survivors are his wife Jennie of Portland, TN., and their four children, Dorothy Randall of Nashville, TN., Carole Skaggs of Hagerstown, MD., Juanita Turner of Pleasant View, TN., and Kenneth Cantrell of Portland, TN.; and Opie's brother Lawrence Cantrell of Madison, TN.

MRS. ILA DUNN

Mrs. Ila Dunn, 98, died Dec. 3, 1983 at Pine Forest Sanitarium, Chunky, MS. Mrs. Dunn was born Nov. 1, 1885, in Fairfield, TX. She was married to Al Speaker in Little Rock, Ark. on Dec. 7, 1903. To this union were born four daughters and one son. Mr. Speaker died in 1919 during the flu epidemic of World War I. In 1928 she married Mr. Fay Dunn, becoming the stepmother of two daughters and five sons. Mr. and Mrs. Dunn spent most of the 30's and 40's and early 50's in the Trails Creek area of Gilmer County, GA.

Mrs. Dunn was affectionately known to many as "Ma" Dunn. She was active as a mid-wife in this area and delivered many babies. Mr. and Mrs. Dunn were charter members of the Ellijay S.D.A. Church.

For the last 30 years Mrs. Dunn and her oldest daughter, Ila Mary Speaker, R.N., have been connected with the Pine Forest school and sanitarium at Chunky, MS. Her husband, Fay Dunn, preceded her in death in 1970.

Survivors include three daughters — Ila Mary Speaker, Chunky, MS., Mrs. Georgia A. Sullivan, Rutherford, TN., Catherine Dunn, Dallas, TX.; a son, Dr. O. F. Speaker, Ellijay, GA., and a stepson, Fay J. Dunn, Exeter, CA. Interment was in Pine Forest Cemetery in Chunky, MS.

HARRIETT E. SHUTT

Harriett Shutt was born in 1896 in Canado, TX., and died in Colton, CA., on April 6, 1984, at age 87. Harriett's friend Ruth Carnahan, of Loma Linda, notified us of the date of death and wrote that Harriett had been in a nursing home the last five years of her life.

Miss Shutt graduated from the nurses course at Madison in 1925.

She appreciated the education she received at Madison. She wrote that Dr. Sutherland taught her to do little things well. "Now I have a new vision on life and the work God has for me to do."

Before graduation in 1925 she went to Lawrenceburg, TN., to teach the church school. She also worked as a nurse at Fletcher, as well as at Madison, altogether spending ten years in self-supporting work. She worked 28 years in denominational hospitals on the West Coast, before retiring in Loma Linda in 1963.

• Word has been received of the recent death of Elder Howard Welch, former dean of M.C., in Orlando, FL., and of Blanche (Mrs. John) Ackerman on June 1, in Hendersonville, TN.

If obituaries are not included in this SURVEY, we plan to have them in next number.

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