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HOMEcoming 1987 COMING UP AT MADISON, JUNE 19-21, 1987

Homecoming date has been set at June 19-21, 1987. All meetings will be held in the Madison Campus Church near the intersection of Neelys Bend and Larkin Springs Roads. We hope you are planning to come.

HONOR CLASSES this year are 1927, 1937, 1947, and 1962, also paramedical classes of 1967. We have received an urgent letter from Juanita (Lanham) Rea of the 1962 Nursing Class for names and address of her classmates so she can contact them, get snapshots, and make up a scrapbook to bring to Homecoming. Her address is 122 - 5th Ave., Hutchinson, Minn. 65350.

We have compiled the list of the 1962 nursing class, and are working on the other class lists, and would like for someone from the other classes to contact us and write his or her classmates. It is quite a task to get this information together, duplicates, envelopes addressed and mailed out.

MEALS AND HOUSING. Two potluck meals are provided on Sabbath. Meals on Friday and Sunday may be had at the hospital nearby. Breakfast is not served on Sabbath morning, but you can get take out items from the cafeteria, such as trail-mix, fruit, crackers, etc. Also there is a snack bar which is open continuously.

There a limited number of rooms in the Campus Lodge which we have arranged for, and will give first preference to Honor Class people and senior citizens. Write or call the alumni office for reservations, but send no money.

TELEPHONE NUMBER and ADDRESS of the Secretary Mable Towery appears on back page, and we will repeat it here: Box 6303, Madison, TN 37116. Tel. 615-865-1615, or through hospital (formerly Madison Hospital, now Tennessee Christian Medical Center - TCMC). 865-2373, ext. 4626.

• It is suggested that those coming from out of town bring food items for Sabbath dinner, or better yet give a donation.

• There are two KOA's near Madison and two motels in Madison — Madison Motel, 625 Gallatin Road, tel. 615-865-2323; and Madison Square Motel across from Madison Square

Shopping Center, 118 Emmitt Ave., tel. 1-615-865-4203. Please make your own reservations **EARLY**, but do let us know if you plan to come.

COMING EVENTS

Southern Union ASI Chapter Meeting
Hendersonville, NC, SDA Church
April 9-11, 1987

Madison Academy Homecoming
Madison, TN, April 18, 1987

Black Hills Education Center, Hermosa, SD, is having several programs and seminars (Home Schools, Wellness, Better Living), April 26 and May 10-22. Write or call them for further particulars. (Tel. 605-255-4101)

Retirees Convention, Southern College
May 7-12, 1987

Kentucky-Tennessee Campmeeting
May 29 - June 6, 1987, Portland, TN

Madison College Homecoming
June 19-21, 1987

ASI National Convention, Sept. 9-12
Gloriete Convention Center, near Santa Fe, NM

• The Laymens Extension League Convention will be held at Little Creek Academy in October. We have been unable to get the exact date.

Restoration of Sutherland House

"Brooknook" at Berrien Spring, MI

An alarming letter came from Elsie F. Buck, chairperson of the Sutherland House Restoration Committee, saying that the funds had run out and work would have to cease unless more money could be found. Work on the exterior on the house, "Brooknook," built by E. A. Sutherland in Berrien Springs, is about completed. The first floor will be a museum - library, and the second floor will be for A. U. Institute of World Mission. Please send to Development Director, Albin Grohar, Andrews University, Berrien Springs, Mich. 49104. (Tel. 616-471-3592)

MADISON MEMORY BOOK

"A School of Divine Origin"

The long awaited new historical pictorial book should be printed and ready in May, so the printers say. May will soon be here. It will have a beautiful hardback cover with 280 pages, many pictures, and much information. Much checking, re-checking, and research has been done, and doubtless more should have been done. But there had to be a stopping place somewhere. Originally it was planned to print 500 copies, and charge \$30 each. This plan could have meant we would lose on each book. At a recent meeting of the alumni board one member urged printing 1000 copies which would bring the cost down per copy — if we sell them all. He agreed to take the last 200 at the lower cost per copy. The \$30 price each postpaid remains the same. Will begin mailing out as soon as possible.

• Thank you for your patience in waiting. We will begin mailing out copies as soon as possible to those who have ordered and paid. It is not too late to order the new pictorial, historical book. "Madison College — A School of Divine Origin." (Price \$30 postpaid)

WANTED ADDRESSES - HONOR CLASS

1963 Nursing — Faye (King) Brumagin, Alicia Espinoza, Selma (Thomas) Farrell, Rebecca (Ravenell) Jackson, Esther (Kowalski) Reeves, Patricia (Mendenhall) Magnaut, Lorna (Holly) Meglemre, Charles B. MacMillian, Juanita Mercado, Dorothy (Graham) Mercer, Paul E. Nettland, Phyllis (Campbell) Stout, Mavis (Rushing) Walker

1963 B.S. — Agida L. Henderson, Roberto W. Dykes

1963 Paramedical — Elbern Connell Cross, Jere K. Owens, George A. Sullivan, D.O., Lanny Don Weaver, Duane B. Archer

1947: Nancy Jane (Dickey) Klinger, Fred Slepnikoff, Elouise (Webb) Carr

1937: Harry Lewe, Delbert Liu, Mary (Vaselenko) Carmen, Floyd E. Miller

1927: Roy Hunter, Margie Morgan, Winefred Miller, Charles Beamen, Charles Perkins

Dr. and Mrs. Arthur Pearson
Hendersonville, N.C.

(Arthur and wife Mary spoke at Homecoming in June, 1986. He was not a member of an Honor Class, but his sister Anna Simpson was. They met here and stayed together at the Campus Lodge. We did not have room for their interesting remarks in the December, 1986, SURVEY, as promised, but are including them now.)

Mary Donovan Pearson

My name is Mary Pearson, I never went to Madison as a student but Madison has had quite an influence on my life. Alice Straw was telling about when they left to start Little Creek. I don't know how they would have started Little Creek unless they had had the inspiration from the teachers the faculty, and the workers at Madison, because the first time I went to Little Creek they had a tiny house with two rooms and were keeping five students. I had no idea where they slept, ate, or did anything, because that was all they had. But they have made it grow into a wonderful place with a lot of good students.

I also had the advantage of going to another self-supporting school. I went to Fletcher, N.C. and there Dr. John Brownsberger, Marguerite Jasperson and her husband, Clara Lewis and her husband, and others who had been at Madison and had a vision of what needed to be done had a very great influence on my life. I married a Madison man, Arthur Pearson. My husband took his premed at Madison before he went to Loma Linda. Madison has had a farreaching effect on many people. Students and teachers have gone out into mission fields to other countries. . . . If it hadn't been for self-supporting schools there are a lot of students who would not have made it through the academy.

Arthur A. Pearson, M.D.

My sister, Anna Simpson, is a dietitian. We had two sisters who are nurses. I took the medical course. Our parents came from the old country. My father came when he was 18, and mother came from Norway at about the same age. They had little education but they insisted that their five children go to school. I think they did fairly well as immigrants from Europe. I was born and raised in Buchanan, Mi., about eight miles from Berrien Springs. The year I finished high school was the beginning of the great depression. The natural thing to do was to go to E.M.C., but I didn't have any money so I couldn't go there. I heard of Madison and came down unannounced and went to see Miss DeGraw. . . . Anyway it changed. . . I think all the buildings I helped build are torn down.

I learned something about medicine in my first month at Madison, I had the best mother anyone could have; she was the sweetest mother and I was perfectly happy at home. My brother brought me down and drove back to Michigan. I didn't know a soul here and in a short time I became so homesick I got nauseated and started to vomit. I just couldn't eat and I learned what a real disease homesickness was. Mr. Rocke had a treatment for that. He sent me to the hospital, and suggested they do a gastric analysis. So they put a tube down to check my

stomach to see what was wrong. Well that cured me from being homesick. . . .

I have heard over and over what Madison did for people. Without Madison I could not have had an education. I worked my entire way. At that time Madison was booming. We put up the new administration building. Mr. Standish was in charge of the building program, and I had made a remark one time that I knew something about plastering. My father was a plasterer, I learned to take the mud off the hod and put it on the wall. When it came time to plaster that demonstration building, Mr. Standish came around and said he wanted me to contract plastering that building. I said I had never contracted a thing in my life, I hadn't even finished a room completely by myself. . . . Anyway I contracted it, Donald Van Meter helped me plaster it. When I got through instead of making ten cents an hour I made twelve.

I remember a few things about going to school here. Dr. Sutherland got up in chapel and said, "You students are like a bunch of crickets. You chirp and chirp and you don't do anything." Well, the sidewalk from the chapel up to the sanitarium and hospital was all broken up and torn up so a bunch of us fellows got together and decided we would do something besides chirp. We asked Mr. Rocke if he would supply the material so we could put in a sidewalk from the chapel up to the hospital and he said he would. We got busy and we poured the concrete and we built the sidewalk. My friend, Harold Graves, who has been doing medical missionary work down in Guatamela got a piece of stone or granite or whatever and chisled some letters to read "Cricket Club, 1931". If you folks walk up that way you will see part of the sidewalk is still there with that plaque, "Cricket Club, 1931."

I came to Madison in 1929, I left in 31, I think that year we had the largest pre-med students that ever went to Loma Linda. I never graduated formally from Madison. We did not take part in a graduation program but I stayed three years and some others did also. . . . We had quite a group from Madison that year out at Loma Linda when we entered. We had a get-together and each student got up and told where he was from. Madison was called Nashville Agricultural Normal Institute then. We didn't like all that long name. One of the girls from Madison was the first one to stand up, and she said she finished at Madison College, so the rest of us followed suit and said we were from Madison College, but we really were from N.A.N.I. I tell people I went to school at Madison at the right time, during the depression. When there was no money I was fortunate to come to Madison and work my entire way. I don't think I ever paid an entrance fee. My parents did not have to pay anything for my education.

And I was fortunate at Loma Linda also. They had the Co-op system. I had no money out there either. Elder Staines was in charge of the work program. His job was to go around Southern California and find jobs for the medical students. Our class was divided down the middle — section one, section two. I worked a month, and I went to school a month. Two fellows held down one job. Medical school could not have survived on the money we paid in. They must have had a subsidy. I interned at Wilmington, N.C. just

because John Kendall had interned there and wrote to me. After interning I went to a little town and practiced country medicine in "backer country." That wasn't very profitable, but I learned a lot, home delivered babies, worked all by myself.

My parents knew the Brownsberger family, so I visited Fletcher and the Mountain Sanitarium and Hospital several times and talked to Dr. Brownsberger. . . . They asked me if I would like to work there as they needed another doctor. So I came to Fletcher and have been there 35 years. I was single when I left my country practice. At Fletcher they had a School of Nursing. Here I was a single doctor with a dormitory full of student nurses. . . . I married one of them — Mary.

I joined the Army in 1942. . . . (Here Dr. Pearson related his experiences in the Army and ended by expressing appreciation again for his opportunity to come to Madison and get an education which otherwise he could not have had.)

LETTERS

W. B. Randall, C.P.A.
Palos Verdes Peninsula, CA

I have just finished reading a copy of the SURVEY, and have found in it a number of references to persons I knew long ago. Since your paper obviously is friendly to nostalgia, it occurs to me that you might possibly be interested to know the present whereabouts of a teacher at the school in the fall of 1932. I taught a class in Economics that fall, while doing some accounting work in the business office. I am now retired and living on the coast in southern California.

Lonnie and Gayle Davis
Zephyrhills, FL

Thank you so very much for your nice letter and all the information on the new Madison. . . .

You will be in our prayers and maybe as the Lord leads we could be workers to help the place get started. I am an RN (age 34) and my husband (age 38) is a carpenter. We so much want to be involved in TRUE medical missionary work. Let's get back to the E. G. White counsels on our medical work!

We don't know what's in the future but we are open to God's leading in our lives. . . .

We want to help God's work in any way we can, but our special burden is the medical work. We long to see reform. I work at an Adventist hospital, and I cry inside because its no different from a worldly hospital. This is not God's plan for our medical work. My husband and I have prayed about going to either Hartland or Weimar to work and train.

We don't know what direction to take, but we know that if we lay all on the altar, we will be led by God. . . . May the Lord bless you all.

Date of 1987 Homecoming
June 19-21, 1987

Homer and Teresa Lynd Berwyn Heights, MD

A Christmas letter from the Lynds brought much news, some of it bad. In January, 1986 Homer had retired, and they had planned to move to Saluda, NC, where they had four acres. Their brother-in-law, Paul Remington and wife Betty had also bought four acres next to them. Paul was to build a house for each couple.

Teresa Lynd, who had been working at Washington Adventist Hospital, was within three days of retirement when she was struck down with Guillian-Barre Syndrome on Aug. 29, 1986. She was taken to the hospital where several doctors worked on her. When the Guillian-Barre peaked she was paralyzed from the neck down with the exception of her pulmonary muscles.

After five weeks at Washington Hospital Teresa was transferred to Mt. Vernon Hospital in Alexandria, VA for rehabilitation. At the time of writing she had been there three months and was having therapy five times a day. She has regained some use of her hands and arms but could not walk without braces.

The Lynds' daughter, Debbie Layton, is teaching sixth grade at the Beltsville, MD, SDA school. Her daughter Amy was in the third grade and Amanda was in preschool. The Lynds very much enjoy their grandchildren.

Homer Lynd had served as president of the Chesapeake Conference Advisory Council several years, and at the Council's Meeting in Ocean City, MD, he was honored by a "This is Your Life" program.

Later Letter from the Lynds

Teresa came home Friday, March 27. She had spent six months in the hospital. She walks with ankle braces and a walker. She still has a long way to go. By God's grace she will make it.

Mable, I think the time is here for a "New Madison." I believe it could help to prepare the world for Jesus' coming. We need desperately some place to train workers to do their part. . .

You are doing a great work, Mable. May God bless you with good health.

Homer Lynd (former academic dean M.C.) (Address of the Lynds is 8720 - 63rd Ave., Berwyn Hts, MD 20740.)

The "Gofer" Was Gone

The "Gofer" Is Back

Henry "Skip" Cowen, Jr., came Thanksgiving 1985 from Hartland Institute to help in the alumni office for a few weeks, but finally stayed a whole year. He signed a letter, "The Gofer," when asked what that meant replied, "I go for it." Thanksgiving time in 1986 he left again to visit his folks in Georgia, attended school at Hartland again, and recently came back for two weeks on his spring break. He has been a great help.

• **GERTRUDE SCHEIBLE** (N '43) of St. Louis, MO, wrote awhile back: "Now that I'm retired I reminisce over the joyous years of nurses training at Madison. Wish I could do it again. Greetings and good health to all."

Alumni News and Letters

Vesta (Pifer) Bishop (N '37)

Hinsdale, Ill.

I am interested in the establishment of another Madison type school. I spent five and one-half years at Madison working for ten cents an hour. I graduated from nursing training in 1937, and have continued nursing until April, 1985. I spent 41 years here at Hinsdale Hospital and enjoyed it very much. I'm looking forward to reading about the 1937 honor class in 1987. The September, 1986, SURVEY was loaned to me by a friend and I've enjoyed reading about the '36 class, many of whom I remember.

Elder Stan Harris '37

Ceres, CA.

The last three months have been very hard for us. My wife was in the hospital for three weeks with a deep infection. She almost died. Her weight dropped to 85 pounds. They did numerous tests. Her white count went up to 36000. . . . On top of all this she developed pneumonia and her left lung collapsed. Our church had a day of fasting and prayer, and that seemed to be the turning point. She is now at home, and I am trying to get her built up again. She doesn't have much appetite. I am not a great cook or housekeeper but am managing to get the job done. . . .

I had a call from my nephew Dr. Jim Tillman, who is an Optometrist in Georgia. He is interested in self-supporting work, and had much to do with starting a school near Americus. He told me about the school owned by Wildwood that was going out of business. I think it is called Stone Cave. He suggested that we should try to get it. . . . I noticed in the last SURVEY that the board is working on this as a possibility. The address for Jim is: Dr. James Tillman, P.O. Box 927, Americus, GA 31709. His parents were at the Homecoming, and their address is Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Tillman, Rhea Circle, Greeneville, TN 37743.

My brother Lester is very ill at this time. He has cancer of the prostate gland, and is taking radiation treatments. He also has a degenerative bone disease called Pagets Disease. He lives in Nashville with Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Eldridge.

There is no doubt in my mind that you are fully dedicated to Madison. I hope and pray that the Lord will sustain you for a long time so that you can continue to hold the Alumni Association together. I want you to know that I am willing to support the project for a new Madison in every way that I can. When the new Madison Institute is ready to function, I would be willing to work as an instructor, and as an organizer. As matters stand at the present time I could not stay there permanently without making drastic changes in our lives, but would help get it started, and would return as needed.

As far as giving money is concerned, I will give all I can, and will raise money by seeking donations. At the present time we are getting ready to build a new church. My wife and I have raised twenty-five thousand toward this project. We have also given everything possible. We hope to have the new church within this year.

Our little church is bulging at the seams. People come from everywhere because they know that the Adventist message is preached in our church. We have to put out chairs in the aisles every week. So we are in desperate need of a new church. We plan to make it large enough to take care of more than double the present seating. As soon as we get this project completed we will be able to do something for the new Madison.

I am a strong believer in desperation prayers. In my experience I have witnessed the marvelous working of God whenever our people get desperate enough to agonize in prayer. Jacob prayed a desperation prayer. So did Ruth and Hannah. The Shunamite woman got desperate when her child died. Nehemiah got desperate when he heard of the frightful desolation and reproach that had befallen Jerusalem. (Neh. 1:1-4) Daniel prayed such a prayer in Daniel 9:1-3. Even Christ did this. (Matt. 26:36-39). The old Madison could have been saved by this kind of prayer. The new Madison will become a reality when there is earnest prayer pleading for God's guidance and blessing!

(Quote from an earlier letter by Elder Harris.)

"We often think of Madison, and love to read the SURVEY. Madison is a great place, and I am sorry that it ever closed down. I believe it was the Lord's will for Madison to exist. It played an important part in my life, and should still be available as a college to those who need it.

"It was a great opportunity for me to attend Madison College. The work-study program was just what a city-slicker like me needed. When I came there I had no practical ability, but Madison taught me things that have made me a well-rounded person that no other school could have done.

"I know that our time on planet earth is short, and we are in the final days, but if we could have an extension of time — it would be great if Madison could exist again."

Melvin Behrman, Columbus, IN

(One who came to Madison with a receptive mind and spirit - two years there.)

Dear Miss Mabel, I just received the Dec. 1986, MADISON SURVEY today, and I felt it only proper that I should respond to your request for opinions on the new Madison College. When I received Mr. Sutherland's letter concerning the farm and tract of land of 600 acres along with the tremendous price I just couldn't agree that this was the way to go. The financial burden would be too great. We need to start out on a smaller scale and make it attractive for good quality students who are willing to work and see the need for learning to be self-supporting.

I think you put it real good in your last paragraph of the SURVEY, "The end is near; we need to learn how to grow our own food and preserve it, because the time will come when we must avoid dependence on the world system in order to maintain our faith." You and I have always agreed on this issue, but it's hard to convince other people.

I was so impressed with Jerusha Johnson's letter in the SURVEY because this person feels the same way I do about your life. I enjoy the

SURVEY and all the information I can find about Madison. If it wasn't for your efforts the Madison story would have probably ended when they closed the institution.

When you live and work together in a Christian atmosphere for two years as one family as I did, you just can't erase it from your mind. I don't know what they pay you for your work, but whatever it is, *it isn't enough*, for all the joy you bring us when we get the SURVEY with all your little notes of information. . . . So please accept this gift as a bonus for a good job. . . .

Keep me informed when you do come up with a plan, along with goals and objectives, and I will be willing to help.

Lillian Pauline Williams '55
Englewood, CO.

Dear Miss Mable: It was good to talk with you on the phone and to receive the information so I can get a replacement for my school nursing pin. Yes, I would like back issues of the SURVEY. Later I would like to order a copy of the new historical picture book of Madison College.

Theo and I were married over three years when we went to Madison in September 1948. We were there until January 1957. We then left Madison for the mission field in the Middle East.

When we came back to America we worked at Porter Memorial in Denver, Colo. Theo is still there. He is the administrator of the clinical lab. I worked at Porter for about 12 years and have been at Asbury Circle Living Center for 11 years where I am the director of nursing.

We have 2 sons. Chris was born while we were still at Madison (1954). He and his wife graduated with Music degrees at Union College. They are at Bismarck, N.D., where Chris is vice principal and dean of men for Dakota Adventist Academy. When he has the time he assists his wife with the Music Department.

Larry, our other son, was born in 1958, while we were in Baghdad, Iraq. When he was five months old the Iraqi Army revolted and killed their king. I then had to take the boys and flee to Europe. We went back seven months later and stayed for four months. The hospital was taken over by the government. Then we moved to Benghazi, Lybia. Larry graduated from P.U.C. with a degree in Public Relations. He and his wife live in San Francisco, where he is assistant vice president in public relations and strategic marketing for the Bank of America.

CHARLES A. TETZ '55 has moved from Fresno, CA., where he had been teaching, to Barston, CA., where he is associated with Ronald Weiner (lab '61) in laboratory work.

Marlowe & Margot Coppage Honored

A certificate of appreciation from the Kansas-Nebraska Conference, Office of Education was presented to Mr. and Mrs. Marlowe Coppage on Oct. 11, 1986. . . . The Coppages have been strong supporters of Adventist education. He has been chairman of the Wichita Adventist School operating committee and a member of the conference K-12 Board of Education.

Coppage finished Nursing at M.C. in 1963

and Anesthesia in 1964. He has worked as a nurse-anesthetist in several places. While practicing in Wichita he started his own School of Anesthesia in 1973. A picture story of Dwight Mayberry (superintendent of schools, Kansas-Nebraska Conference) presented the plaque to Mr. and Mrs. Coppage appeared in *Mid-America Outlook*, February, 1987.)

Maxine Keplinger
Siloam Springs, AK

My husband Harold is not principal here at Ozark Adventist Academy, but a teacher of Industrial Arts and Driver Education.

We enjoy the beauties of the Ozarks. Harold keeps busy with his teaching and the past two summers he has helped build two homes. I enjoy the home making part in the home he built four years ago.

Our three children are so scattered that we don't get to see them and the grandchildren as often as we'd like. Linda, Jim and two children live in New Hampshire. Steve, Cheryl, and son are in Washington state. Shiela Jean, Billy and two children are in Texas.

A few weeks ago we had Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Moore of Emmitt, Idaho, visit us along with their daughter Charlotte and son of Denver.

May God bless you Mabel as you continue editing the Madison Survey. We really enjoy and appreciate this paper.

Vivian Littell, Dayton, TN

(Mrs. L. F. Littell sent a color picture and wrote an interesting letter about her family.)

Our youngest daughter, Dana Marie Littell Page, R.N. has been working as head nurse in a 60 bed nursing home. Her husband, Bryan, teaches electronics at Trenton, GA, high school and works for the Trenton Telephone Co.

Teresa works for the Rhea County Juvenile Court part time. David is in the house building business. He built a log cabin on the lake by our house. It is good to have them living so close by.

Our eldest daughter Margie taught in our academies for several years and found a lot of her students were hearing impaired. She attended the James Madison University in Virginia and received her Master's degree as an audiologist and speech pathologist. She teaches a class of deaf children in Rhea County. After school she checks people's hearing and dispenses hearing aids at the Rhea County Speech and Hearing Center. Her husband attends Chattanooga State Technical College. They live next door. What a joy to have them nearby.

Next is Sherry and daughter Lisa and our oldest son Lester III, M.D. and his son Les IV. Sherry is in the interior decorating business with her friend. Lisa rides horseback at a Chattanooga Classical Riding School. Les IV rode in a classical riding event in LaGrange, GA in December. They live on Lookout Mountain. Lester III, M.D. is an orthopedic surgeon in Chattanooga. He comes to Dayton on Tuesday afternoons and sees patients in Dad's clinic. He is a very busy man. He learned to fly at age 16 and taught instrument flying in Chattanooga when he was a freshman at Collegedale. Lester brought his mother a brand new Cadillac for

Mother's Day. It is such a comfort to drive.

Dr. Dad is still in the business of taking care of the sick. He makes house calls to see a lot of old people and is responsible for the care of three nursing homes. Wish you could see his flower gardens in the summer. He is the head elder in church and teaches a Sabbath School class.

As for me, I am still having a battle with diabetes, but am doing all right. I monitor my own blood sugar and adjust my own insulin. I keep busy writing two county newspapers and the *Chattanooga News-Free Press*. My editor taught me photo journalism and Dad bought me a good 35mm camera. I find it hard work but lots of fun. I am in the process of writing some of our experiences as Pathfinder leaders. Several essays have already been published. The last one was published last summer in OUR LITTLE FRIEND. I am working on more stories and essays to try and encourage Pathfinder and youth leaders. You might say I am a pioneer pathfinder leader of 36 years. What fun! I love the youth. It took the Pathfinders many years to out-hike me, out-swim, our-backpack, out-horseback ride, out-walk me; but this old diabetes has taken a lot of "wind-out-of-my-sails." You will find me wherever the Pathfinders are having an event.

A Visit To Sand Mountain

This Editor had often seen the name "Sand Mountain" in connection with people in Madison History. On the way back from the L.E.L. Convention at Wildwood, in September, 1986, I had a chance to go there. Riding with Lois Clark, we went to Trenton, GA, and Bryant, AK and looked up Dr. and Mrs. Roscoe Ownbey and Lucian Scott. The Ownbeyes are in bad health, unable to care for themselves. Their daughter Carlene was there giving them loving care. Her husband, Dr. Judson Fuller has taken over Dr. Ownbey's practice.

Next we visited Lucian Scott, who is perhaps the oldest living former student of Madison. He takes care of himself at home and walks to the nearby Floral Crest Church every Sabbath. Lucian attended the first Self-Supporting Convention at Madison in 1908.

He and his wife Cora (Fuller) moved to Sand Mountain in 1910. She was the teacher and he was the country preacher and funeral director. Later he went into truck gardening with Dr. Ownbey. In the early days there he even had to make caskets for the dead. Lucian Scott was born on July 10, 1887, and will soon be one hundred years old.

CORRECTION: In the December 1986, SURVEY, p. 2, Susan Ard's age was given as 78, but it should have been 88. We knew better but somehow it slipped through.

In the same number "Zippy" Franklin's tour was given as LaLiente, CA., but it is LaPuenta, CA.

• • We take a little comfort that in scanning many papers who have much more proofreading and editorial help than we do we frequently see corrections listed.

CAMPUS VISITORS

Among the campus visitors were Carol and Larry Kurtz of Golden, Colorado. Carol (formerly Bridger) was a student here 1945-6, and her roommate was Camille (Kendall) McNeilus. Both young ladies were taking nursing and went to Portland, OR, to finish. Camille is now assistant editor of the *Self-Supporting Worker* newspaper in Dodge Center, Minn. Carol's husband, Larry Kurtz, has been in ministerial work. They were just about to move to Georgia where he will be connected with Christian Record work.

● One day Margaret Brown, now retired in San Diego received an impression that she should come to Madison to see about the little house that she used to own by the Laymen's Foundation buildings. She arrived by plane and stayed a few days.

After she retired in California she decided to give the house to the Layman Foundation as a guest house. (She had thought of giving it to the M.C.A.A.)

When the Layman Foundation moved its headquarters to Ooltewah, TN. in 1985, the cluster of buildings was sold to the KY-TN Conference who owned the land. Later the conference sold the buildings to Madison Hospital. When she came and saw her little house, she was shocked to see the condition it was in. We would like to lease it from the hospital and fix it up for a guest house.

New Program Needed

(Under title "New Program Needed," Dale Green of Spokane, WA, wrote the following letter to the North Pacific *Gleaner* of August 19, 1985. We heartily agree with the writer, and believe you will, too.)

Our biggest mistake, I believe, has been in making the liberal arts college the basis of our educational system. This has forced us into an intensive intellectual training program. This may be excellent for the elite, the gifted, and those above average I.Q. But we should have a balance of the mental, the spiritual, and the physical. In most of our colleges and academies, about 70 percent is mental, 20 percent is spiritual, and 10 percent is physical — and most of the physical is in physical education, games, jogging and gymnastics.

Provision should be made for training students with mechanical aptitudes and skills — where skills like auto mechanics, welding, body and fender, machine shops, lathe, carpentry, printing, cabinet making, diesel and heavy equipment can be learned.

We need shops where these skills cannot only be learned, but where light manufacturing can be done to pay for the operating expenses of the school. And where parents will not be burdened with the cost of education.

Is education strictly a classroom experience? Or must there be a balance between study and work? Work is not only good for those with mechanical skills, but it is also good for those with high IQs. Too many have had the idea that education is the route to take to avoid physical work. The real roadblock and sacred cow in the road to educational reform has been the educator who is helpless out in the real world

where people have to work to earn a living. *Education*, p. 215, 6, *Testimonies*, p. 178

A well-equipped farm with shops for maintenance and light manufacturing, with fruit trees and gardens, and a cannery, and other industries could provide food and income.

Work should be given equal time with study. Too much of the teacher's and student's time is spent in the classroom. A work-study program with the teachers and students working together has been recommended. We have been advised that agriculture should be the ABC education. We have also been told that if such a school program were successfully operated, the need for P.E., gymnastics, and games would disappear. 6 *Testimonies*, p. 179, *Counsels to Teachers*, p. 312.

To make such a plan work, successful leadership is needed in areas of business, finance, supervision, marketing, etc.

Is it asking too much to start such a program? We have a medical school and more than 150 hospitals and colleges, costing millions each, but there is not a trade school in the denomination or a good well-equipped farm school. Will the real Adventists please stand up?

We need to realize that the system we now have has placed our institutions in the cities, and it has trained our youth to seek employment and live there. Little provision has been made for the education of students who have mostly manual skills. And our system is pricing itself out of the educational market. This is because it is almost entirely a consumer system and not a producer system.

Because of these facts, we are losing many of our youth and we are rapidly coming to the end of an educational era. Thoughtful observers can see the handwriting on the wall. But changes can be made by people who see the need for making changes. 2 *Selected Messages*, p. 357; *Fundamentals of Education*, p. 326; *Daniel 5:27*, 28.

Dale Green, Spokane, Wash.

From The Editor

We received a number of Christmas cards and letters, and several sent family pictures which we shared for others to see. Sorry we can't make a full report on these and other items at this time.

Regular work, preparing SURVEY copy and work on the new Madison book and on the new Madison School, and compiling lists of names and addresses for the Honor Classes, has all taken much time.

● We hardly know what to say about the proposed new Madison school, and wish there was more progress to report. We are asking you, our readers, to pray earnestly that we may get the right location and the right personnel. Surely there is a crying need for a school with emphasis on Agriculture and Vocational training. If you have any information on suggestions, please write or call us. (See also coupon on page 5.)

● "Press with determination in the right direction, and circumstances will be your helper not your hindrances." C.O.L. P 332

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ALBERT E. KÉPHART, of Yountville, CA., sends donations regularly and writes. He asked for the address of Philip Faudi. Albert wrote Philip and learned from Philip's wife Muriel that he had been stricken with Parkinson's disease and was in the Ledge View Memorial Home, West Paris, Maine. We appreciate that Brother Kephart took the time to write us and give this information. Philip was one of several Faudi children who came to Madison for their education.

NEWS FROM FLETCHER, N.C.

We are indebted to Dr. Dale Putnam of Hendersonville, NC, for sending information on addresses and news from the Fletcher, NC area.

The new 103-bed Park Ridge Hospital was built by Sunbelt in 1984-6. Robert Burchard, son of Orphia Burchard, is now the administrator. The old Mountain Sanitarium and Hospital was converted into a retirement home called Fletcher Living Center, with Connie (Zanes) Hayward (X-Ray '64) as administrator.

• **DR. DALE PUTNAM** wrote from Hendersonville, N.C., that he and his wife Dorothy were doing very well. She was in the hospital at Christmas time with a fractured hip, but was up and around, walking with a walker or cane.

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OBITUARIES

Joanne Love and Daughter Killed in Auto Accident

Dr. Dale Putnam sent newspaper clippings telling of the tragic news of the death of Joanne Foster Love (N '60), age 52 and her daughter Renee, age 15, on March 7, 1987. Joanne and Renee and two young friends had just pulled onto Howard Gap Road about a mile south of Park Ridge Hospital when it was struck head-on by a Dodge pickup truck. It is believed that Joanne and Renee died instantly.

Survivors were two other daughters, Rebecca Lee of Virginia Beach, VA, and Ramona Love of Asheville, NC, also her mother Vivian Foster, a brother, Marshall Foster who is a dietitian at Madison Hospital and two other brothers.

ALFRED ROCKE

(Laura Rocke Winn sent her renewal for the **SURVEY** and the following obituary of her brother, Alfred Rocke.)

"It is with sadness that I report the death of my brother, Alfred Rocke, a graduate of the nursing class of 1929. He died Feb. 16, 1987, at the age of 83, after a heart attack followed by a stroke. He was living near two of his brothers at Riverdale, CA., and is survived by three brothers and four sisters. Two sisters, Irma Rocke and Laura Winn were at Madison when Alfred was in school. Irma is a resident in Ventura Estates, Newbury Park, CA., and Laura lives in Keene, TX."

Sometime ago Laura wrote: "I enclose my renewal for the **MADISON SURVEY**. I always look forward eagerly to getting the **SURVEY**."

WARREN D. AEH

Warren D. Aeh died Jan. 11, 1987, in Anchorage, KY, at age 66. Services were held at the Pewee Valley SDA Church with Elder E. H. Ray and Elder Don Jonsson officiating. He was buried in the Floydsburg Cemetery.

He is survived by his wife Evelyn (Thompson) Aeh (N '45) who served with him at Pewee Valley Sanitarium and Harding Sanitarium, at Worthington, Ohio, where he was a lab worker.

Nina (Thomas) Bogar

Nina Faye Bogar was born in November, 1899, and died on Nov. 26, 1986, at the age of

87, at Gallatin, TN, Nursing Home. Nina graduated from Madison College in 1939 as Mrs. Thomas, with her son J. L. After marrying Harold Bogar, she became food director at Kinne Kitchen at M.C.

The Bogars were workers at Glen Alpine, NC, for a number of years. She was also food director at Mt. Vernon Academy in Ohio before returning to Highland Academy, Portland, Tenn. Here she served as Home Ec. and food director until her retirement.

She is survived by her husband, Harold Bogar, and two stepdaughters — Roberta Payne, Portland, TN and Teresa Brady, Arkansas, WI.

ELIZABETH (Lahm) THOMAS

Elizabeth Thomas died Nov. 28, 1986, at St. Thomas Medical Center in Monroe, LA. She was a member of the Adventist church in Monroe. Her husband, Erwin A. Thomas, is a graduate of the L.P.N. course at Madison in 1950.

DOROTHY DORLAND CARR

Mrs. Dorothy Carr died Feb. 29, 1987, at T.C.M.C. (Madison Hospital).

She was a registered dietitian and had worked at New England Adventist Hospital in Massachusetts. Later she and her husband James Arthur Carr moved to Madison where she was the dietitian for several years before retirement. She was active in church work, serving as deaconess, Sabbath School teacher and Dorcas leader. Surviving are her husband, a sister, Selma Shultz of Colorado, a stepson Robert Carr, and step grandchild, Sue Carr.

ELIZABETH HARP BOWEN

Mrs. Elizabeth Bowen died Jan. 19, 1987 in Town Hall Estates nursing home in Keene, TX at age 96. She and her husband, L. V. Bowen, both graduated from Nursing at Madison in 1919. He died in 1948.

While at Madison in the early days she worked in the laundry and garden, picked strawberries, churned butter, baked bread, and cooked.

In 1924 Elizabeth and Victor Bowen moved near Jefferson, TX., where they lived for many years. Mrs. Bowen practiced nursing in the area and helped many a family. She was known as an enthusiastic and energetic person.

Surviving are Mother Bowen's two children, Bernard Bowen of Madison, TN, and Delayne Corich of Irving, TX, and six grandchildren.

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