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Susan (Walen) Ard Laid to Rest

Susan Ard was born April 9, 1898 in Gloucester, MA and died quietly in her home at Chestnut Hill, Oak Grove, TN January 13, 1990, at age 91.

Susan moved with her family; dad Herman, mother Harriet and brother Earnest Walen, from St. Helena, CA to Madison College, in 1908. After three months training along with their friends the George Wallaces, they bought a 112 acre farm and moved to Oak Grove, TN. There they founded the second Madison "Unit", Chestnut Hill Farm School.

Susan began teaching when she was 12 years of age, under the supervision of her mother, and then had her lessons after school.

During these early years Herschel Ard came to Chestnut Hill to help teach school. He and Susan were married on Susan's 17th birthday, April 9, 1915.

In 1933, Susan graduated from Madison High School. In 1937, she graduated with a B.S. from Madison College.

Sometimes, when there were special cases of need with small children, the Walens and Ards would take them in. One such child was Sandra (Dorris) Davis, who lived at Chestnut Hill until she was five years old. After leaving Chestnut Hill, Sandra was in the care of

Yvonne (Rumley) Danner MR'63, who had been a teacher at Chestnut Hill. Sandra received her training at Madison and graduated from Medical Records in 1965.

At age 87, Susan reluctantly gave up driving. She will be genuinely missed.

(At the funeral, Dona Frazee assured the people, that she and her family would make sure that the work at Chestnut Hill would be continued in the Oak Grove community.)

President Billy Burks, D.D.S.

Addresses the Alumni

Greetings for the new year!

It seems as though Homecoming, 1989, was yesterday, and it is hard to believe Homecoming 1990 is only three months away. Preparation for Homecoming 1990 began in June of 1989. Your alumni board has been active in this preparation. It was voted, in January, to honor more class years than have been honored at one time, in the past. This year the honor classes will be 1930 & 1931, 1940 & 1941, 1950 & 1951, 1960 & 1961 and 1970 & 1971. We feel this is a good decision, because every class will be honored every five years instead of every 10 years, and also we think it will be nice to have

people acquainted from both years get together and renew their friendship. At every Homecoming we want to especially honor anyone from the earliest school years, when we were known as NANI, through 1929. We want to see as much of the earliest students as possible.

Although Madison College is not in operation, you would never know it from the activity in the alumni

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COMING EVENTS

ASI, Southern Union Convention
Cohutta Springs, GA
April 4-8, 1990

KY-TN Campmeeting
Highland Academy
Portland, TN
June 1-9, 1990

N.A. Retired Workers
La Sierra Campus
Riverside, CA
June 20-25, 1990

Madison College Homecoming
Madison, TN
June 22-24, 1990

General Conference
Indianapolis, IN
July 5-14, 1990

ASI Convention
Gatlinburg, TN
August 11, 1990

ADVENTIST
HERITAGE CENTER

James White Library
ANDREWS UNIVERSITY

Presidents Address Cont.

office. We are happy to be able to help you when you call or write to get the address of a friend.

Putting out the SURVEY is almost an endless job. Adventists, as you know, are the nomad tribe, and it is true with our alumni, as address changes are constantly coming into the office. Help us save money, by sending us your new address before the next SURVEY comes out.

We appreciate the help you gave financially in 1989 to keep our alumni office running, and I would like to remind you that it is a yearly contribution which we need from YOU. If everyone would help, then the burden would be less on those few who send in money. Only about 150 people responded to the plea for office help monies, through the letter we mailed out, and we did not make our goal. So, I ask everyone to please send in a donation. We ask for \$120 a year in one payment or monthly payments of \$10, and those of you who helped last year, if possible, please repeat your contribution this year.

The response to the SURVEY this year has been fantastic as you sent in your \$5 subscription fee for 1990. Please remember your dues of \$10 a year when you send in your SURVEY subscription. The dues are what we need to buy office supplies, and the subscription fee is to pay for printing and mailing the SURVEY. I suggest, that when you send in your dues, you ask for the total amount you have donated to the alumni over the years. You can have an accounting printed for you. You might be surprised at how much or how little you have given. We will know when to cease to exist as an alumni, and stop having a paper, because you will stop sending in your donations. In other words we need your help. This is your alumni and we need you to keep it going. Send us an update on you and your family. This helps to keep the SURVEY interesting.

MADISON SURVEY MARCH 1990

For sometime, we have relied on Bob Wiggins, Bio Med engineer, at TCMC, for technical support on the computer. Bob is extremely smart and has taken time out of his very busy schedule, to help, at no cost to us. The Madison College Alumni thank you for your help, Bob.

Bob asked Tom Brent, computer programming genius, to come and help us, by writing a program for our alumni records. We and Tom feel it was divine inspiration which led him to agree to help us, free of charge. When Tom has finished we will be able to put in a date and the computer will not only tell us who needs to pay for the SURVEY, but will also write a letter automatically to that person. This is only one of the many, many things his program will be able to do. The only way we can repay Tom is, for you, the readers, if you need any computer programs written or other computer help, to contact Tom at 615-548-9425, Custom Software Resources.

Because of the easier access we have to the people who owe for a subscription to the SURVEY we are now, perhaps for the first time, solvent with our readers. We appreciate Tom's work and hope that anyone out there who needs computer support, will call for his help. God has sent two extremely smart young men to help us, and for this we are grateful.

As you know, from reading the SURVEY, the library is to be torn down. Tell us your thoughts, to save or not to save the library. Let us know, how much you want to pledge.

See you at Homecoming.

Is 3/90 on your
mailing label?
Send \$5 for the
SURVEY

HOMECOMING

June 22-24, 1990

At Madison

Madison College Homecoming is anticipated year-round at your alumni office.

The first meeting, for homecoming, will be Friday evening, June 22. Jerry Moon, a teacher, at Andrews University, will be the speaker. He has a great interest in Dr. E. A. Sutherland and his Madison years.

Conn Arnold from the General Conference ASI division will be the worship hour speaker Sabbath morning, June 23.

Charles Morton will speak Sunday morning, June 24. He has done much research on the use of herbs and natural remedies. Charles became interested in the book Back to Eden by the late Jethro Kloss. Did you know that Jethro Kloss had a food factory in Amqui, TN near Madison? After the N.A.N.I. leaders were told by Ellen White that they should start a food factory, they bought the equipment from Jethro Kloss. Thus began the story of Madison Foods.

Sabbath, for lunch and supper there will be a potluck. Those coming from a distance may wish to send in money rather than bring food, (suggested, at least \$5 per person, per meal). Tell us if you are coming so we will know how many potatoes to put in the pot.

Sabbath afternoon we will have the Honor Class Reports. Vespers will be headed by MCAA President Billy Burks. If you have never heard Billy play the vibraharp or the accordion you are in for a real treat.

Wish we could put you all up, but we cannot get rooms through TCMC anymore. We may be able to get a few rooms in nearby private homes. If you tell the people in the Madison Motel you are here for the Madison College Homecoming they will give you a \$7 a day discount: Phone Toll Free 1-800-227-8760. If you tell the people at Madison Square Motel, they will give you a

\$5 a day discount: Phone Toll Free 1-800-821-4148. The manager of this motel said, "to make advance reservations", it seems this time of year is very busy on the weekend. Opryland Hotel, no discount: Phone 615-883-2211.

HELP!

ADDRESSES WANTED 1931

Violet (Sprague) Dirkson, Irene (Pena) Griffin, Nana (Hinati) Imori, Stella (Handy) Nester, Bertha (Seibert) Ward, Violet (Truby) Acuff, Vivian Baird, Arthur Bascom, Raymond Broderson, Calvin Brown, Ariel (Arnold) Brown, Mrs. Ivan Crowder, Nettie Gilbert, Harriette Glendening, Ruby Gordon, William Gregorius, Ralph Haugstead, Floyd Herrick, Edith Hirst, Norma Hooper, Cecil Jackson, George Lowery, Murlin Nester, Ovid Nivison, Kenneth Plinke, Ila (Sleighter) Quackenbunch, Thurman Ratcliff, Susan Reese, William Rosentreter, Glenna Sharp, Delmar Smith, Charles Spencer, Charles Steuart, Edward Trimmier, Jack Wilburn, Mary Wright.

1941

Moses Batchelder, Esther (Hornoi) Stillwell, Philip Wang, June (Wilson) Aebersold, Robert Alden, Donald Anderson, Carleton Ash, Ethel Banta, Charlyne Bickham, Milton Borg, Eliz. Brewer, Robert Briggs, Ray Brown, Loise Bruce, Vera Brumley, Kathleen Budde, Worthie Burdick, Mildred Burgess, Paul Burkett, Albert Burns, Lucile Burnwell, Ladonna Burt, Hallie Bynum, Lynn Callender, Andrew Carey, Jack Carey, Lila Carroll, Nellie Carter, Ardath Casardy, Marguerite (Brown) Case, Mary (Carter) Champion, Arthur Chatfield, Henrietta Clay, Andrew Cmelko, Lyle Coe, Margaret (Perkins) Cone,

Larry Creighton, Neta (Hanna) Daffern, Austin Davis, Roscoe Davis, Doris (Scotland) Dawson, Alexander Delk, Earl Drew, Edith Dudney, Willie Ellis, Annie Epp, Bette Evers, Bessie Eversole, Maribelle Fox, Gordon Frederick, Sara Frederick, Dorothy (Masters) Fuller, Joe Gardner, Ann Garner, Arnold Gass, Miriam Glenn, Mildred Goode, Albert Goodwin, Mildred Green, Francis Grimm, Gilbert Gustafson, Eugene Haas, Margie Haas, Wayne Hamilton, Francis Hammer, Lucille Hawkins, Mary (Shizuko) Higuma, Bessie Hill, Sue Hillen, Elree Hillin, Earl Hoppell, Rosalie Hunt, Sylvan Jacques, Viola Jacques, Doris Jenkins, Anita Johnson, Frances Johnson, Johnny Jones, Fred Kerby, Donovan Kinser, Dorothy (Lall) Kirkwood, Harold Knight, William Knight, Robert Koo, Dorothea Krause, Stephanie Kudla, Leon Larson, Dorothy Leffler, Ruth (Hunt) Legg, Newton Lemmon, Barbara Leyland, John Lucas, Louis Lutzky, Minita Lyman, James Maeda, Miriam Marguardt, Chester Martin, Luther Martin, Frances Martin, Marion McCollum, Bonnie McLanty, Irene McNett, Grace McPeak, Kenneth Mensing, George Mills, Mildred (Onstad) Mitchell, Carmen (Guglielmo) Montemayor, Lorena (Dickson) Murray, Louise Murray, Granville Newlon, Victor Onstad, Doris Page, Viola (Crawford Parkhurst, Kathleen Perkins, Gladys (Schumann) Phillips, Joseph Polach, Yandle Radcliff, Carmen Ramirez, Glenn Razor, Merwin Ray, Lillian (Fleming) Reid, Royal Reid, Lottie Reis, Edward Reynolds, Dorothy Rideout, Richard Rideout, Eliz. Roberts, Eleanor (Teel) Ross, Mary Ross, Robert Ross, Paul Ryals, Florence Sage, Algar L. Sandefur, Kenneth Sanders, Elmer Santisteban, Glen Sataley, Warren Sawyer, Evan Scalzie, Ernest Schroeder, Lee Schultsmeier, Gladys Schumann, Florence Scott, Bessie Seaton, Lela Shander, Earl Shepard, Walter Shilstone, John Smelcher, Doris Smith, Joan

Smith, Adelbert Stagg, Glenn Staley, Paul Stanley, Beverly Stark, Margaret Steeves, Ruth Stewart, Margaret Storba, Irene Story, William Story, Albert Streifling, Bill Sullivan, Jacqueline Sutherland, Mildred Thacker, Alwilna Thiry, Elsie Thomas, Daisy Touchberry, Denzil Truitt, Lola (Diehl) Truitt, Abraham Twobulls, Nellie Underwood, George Uselman, Eugene Van Sickle, Clyde Vancee, Lu Vadie Wells, Gerald Wheeler, Marjorie White, Bill Whitney, Ruth Williams, Elder Wilson, Lansing Wilson, Amy Winkle, Everett Womack, Louise Womack.

1951

Clifford Bennett, Bernice LaVallee, Anna Yun, Vernon Ahlberg, Edith Allen, Oscar Arlt, Lois Ballweber, Blair Bankston, Ileen Bassford, Ruth Behner, Minnie Blankenhorn, Eugene Bowman, James Breedlove, Cecil Brown, Michael Burger, Geneva Byram, Maudie Carter James Buster, James O. Collins, Ernest Connell, Harry Crofoot, Howard Davis, Charlotte Day, Dora DeArk, Philip Edgar, D.T. Edgmon, Alton Elliott, Ruel Eytcheson, Verda Field, Wilbur Field, Rose Folstead, Beryl Gall, Clement Genoway, Beverly Ann Goodge, Benjamin Greening, William Harris, LaSina Harrison, Josie Harvey, Irene Heacox, Pearl Hecox, Dick Huang, Howard Huenergardt, Leota (Bishop) Johnson, Orley Johnson, Perry Jones, Clarence Jorgensen, Carol Keeton, Lois Killer, Ruth King, Joseph Kohout, Donald Lampe, Josephine Leadly, Dorothy Lewis, Minnie Lowder, Harold Malbon, Helen Martin, Rosa Martinez, Joe Mascarenas, Ruth Maucher, Thelma McCalla, Clara Meador, Norma Medford, Edwin Miller, Patricia (Tooley) Moore, LeRoy Moore, Charles Morgan, Ruth Nelson, Wilburn Oakes, Muriel Oast, Marian Packard, Jean Pearson, Sanford Peck, Mae Pierce,

1951 Addresses Wanted *Cont.*

Versal Post, Gerald Prater, James Prunty, Billy Mack Read, Bobby Reagin, Rodney Reed, Bendel Register, Nydia Reyes, Glenna Richard, Jimmy Riddle, Horace Riffel, Yuves Risler, Erma Robinson, Faye Robinson, Harry Rubens, Epifanio Ruiz, Roy Ruiz, Ronald Sackett, Paul Sanchez, Myron Schlenker, Bertha Schnabel, Charlotte (Abbott) Semmens, Everett Siewert, Charles Simmons, Delores Smith, Wallace Spurgeon, Virginia Stevens, Jesse Titus, Zaila Valcarcel, Nancy Vest, Dolores Vestal, Wilbur Vreeland, Eula Watts, Betty (Estey) Webster, David West, Shirley Wetmore, Doris (Haight) Wilson, Elizabeth Williams, Georgiana Williams, Jean Winslow, Mary (Keller) Withers, Doris Woods.

1956

Elizabeth (Page) McKee.

1961

Glen Ferguson, Robert Kohler, Adil Moosa, Ricardo Morales, Gordon Roberts, Sue Backy, Angel Jimenez, Joys Deiden, Margaret (Lewis) Crawford, Isabelle Hendricks, Gypsy Lawson, Geneva (Bowman) Lundviet, Margarita (Casillas) Sponebarger, Tedd Snyder, Neva Kay Milliman, Carmen Olivencia, Emily Sue (Cuthbert) Eversol, Patricia (Felder) White, Ed Acheson, Martha Acheson, Esther Augue, Weston Babbitt, John Baker, Evelyn (Barham) Brown, Bruce Barrows, Ava Blackburn, David Blankenhorn, Andrea Burkitt, Eufemio Cabalo, Lucille (Hunter) Crowder, Sondra Cuthbert, Larry Daggs, Minda DeJesus, Daniel Dorchuck, Harry Dorn, William Driver, William Durant, Harold Durr, W.H. Ferguson, Verne Ferris, Gwen Fountaine, Mary & Vito Fragola, Carole Franklin, Lester

Goetzinger, Ramey Good, Jewel Greenwood, Pauline Gunter, Andrew Hanse, Marcia Harold, James Haynes, Clarice Head, Fred Hooberry, David Hopey, Jo Ann Houser, Lois Howel, Shirley Howell, Sarah Hudson, Frank Huelsenbeck, Colin Hyde, Rita Johnson, Larry Kaylor, Judy King, Richard Kohler, Lynda Laffin, Cheryle Lee, Chung Lee, Young Lee, David Lewis, Loraye Long, Victor Lovett, Margaret Lowe, Malcolm Lowry, Harold Maas, Arthur Mabaquiao, Duane McConnell, Rena Meintzer, Mary Moorehead, Melba Morgan, Annette Neuenheim, Gladys Ocampo, Duwayne Olson, Barbara Pace, Margaret Patterson, Ruth Perez, James Phillips, Anna Pierce, Fred Pitcher, Fay (Goodwin) Pons, George Post, Wanda Powell, Kenneth Randall, Mervin Riggerback, Jerry Reibow, Wilma (Keller) Rasmussen, Gary Richmond, Sandra Roadman, Elton Roberts, Larry Schunemeyer, David Schutz, Mark Shin, Tyrus Small, Carol Smith, Paul Steen, Marilyn Stevens, Paul Sullivan, Wynn Sullivan, Eunice Taylor, William Trinkner, Larry VanUnen, Rebecca Whitlock.

TCMC

by

James Culpepper,

Senior Vice-President, TCMC

Since returning to Madison, I have had the opportunity to spend some time walking around the campus and the farm, observing first hand the many changes that have taken place since the Culpepper family first arrived from South Georgia in the mid 40's. Some of you may have made this same journey as you have come back to Madison from time to time.

There is little left of the original buildings on the medical center campus. A portion of North Hall is still standing and is used by Environmental Services at TCMC. This building has deteriorated

significantly and is scheduled to be taken down as soon as a replacement building can be budgeted. Parkview is now used for financial, personnel, education, marketing and data processing services. This building has been rebuilt and changed through the years. Hanks Cottage still stands, but its deteriorated condition will mean it will come down soon. Otherwise, there are some original sidewalks and trees so with enough imagination you can place some of the original Sanitarium buildings.

One concern that is often expressed to me here, as well as other Adventist hospitals where I have worked, has to do with the number of Adventist staff members. At TCMC, we have 27 Adventist physicians on the Active or Courtesy staff. The majority of our Department Managers are Seventh-day Adventists as well as a large percentage of our employees, larger than most Adventist hospitals. We also have a number of non-Adventist Christian physicians, department managers and employees who are committed to our mission and objectives as an Adventist hospital.

We have a growing Rehabilitation program directed by Dr. Trevor Paris, who is a physiatrist trained at Loma Linda and who is committed to Adventist health care. The administrative director of our Rehabilitation program is Larry Crissup, an SDA from Reading Rehab Hospital in Pennsylvania. We have a busy physical therapy department as well as speech therapy and occupational therapy who offer support services to our 30-bed inpatient rehabilitation unit and active outpatient program.

While many things have changed and just a few buildings remain, our mission of Christian health care ministry continues amid very challenging times for Adventist hospitals everywhere.

MEMORIES

Myrtle M. (West) Fuller '25

Ooltewah, TN

You may know my sister, Lila Lundquist, at Portland, TN. Our parents, Forrest and Lulu (Mulford) West, and Uncle Braden and Aunt Pearl Mulford started the Fountain Head school, (now Highland Academy), in 1906. I was six years old at the time. My dad chartered a freight car loaded with all our house hold and farm possessions, including stock and chickens. He rode in the train car, fed and watered the animals, then hitched the horses to the wagons, and took everything to the farm and unloaded them.

One of my jobs at Fountain Head was to clean lamp chimnies, as it was over 21 years before electricity.

I came to Madison when I was 18 years of age, in 1918. My first job was in the milk house, caring for the milk as it came to me in tall cans. I strained it, and put it in other large milk cans for the Sanitarium dining room. It was put in a large water tank for cooling. Everything in the creamery had to be kept spotlessly clean, morning and night. I was happy as long as there was something to do.

I just had my 89th birthday. I am so glad Dr. Sutherland stressed the practical side of life as doing our very best and learn all we could about the work in all lines of duty. I have loved work all my life, but as soon as the Madison Sanitarium was opened I learned that was one place I could not work. The patient swere young, some 11 and 12 years old. Tears came to my eyes every time I entered the building. I could not be near the sick and suffering so, I worked outside pulling weeds, hoeing, and splitting wood for the kitchen range.

The flu of 1918 took many lives. That was during the war. The powder plant across the river called for nurses, as there were too many sick at the plant to be cared for, and many bodies were taken in wagons to undertakers. They had no cas-

kets for them toward the last. When two of our students died from the flu and I had a fever, my parents came and took me home.

One of the things I learned at Madison was how to mend clothes, and I was very good at it. Many people over the years have brought clothes for me to mend.

I have wanted to attend the conventions (Homecoming) but only got to two of them.

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Elsie (Sonnell) Pietz '39

Turtletown, TN

Mrs. E.R. Moore, Supt. of nurses at Madison S-H, was an inspiration as well as a friend. In August 1938 she taught a dozen of us women "Battle Creek treatments" on condition we work in Hydro from seven a.m. until noon, six days a week, for the following year. This was a wonderful experience, and led me to acquiring my RN at Wm. Mason Mem. Hospital in 1944, and my RPTT at Loma Linda in 1945. Also, it helped lead to marrying Otto Pietz at Madison, March 20, 1948.

Alumni News

Bernard Bowen, BS'56

Madison, TN

January, 1989 found us in Harlingen, TX enjoying the nice weather and Texas hospitality. "Winter Texans" they call us.

January 29 we started home across the southern part of the U.S., to the "Heart of Dixie", Mobile, AL, then north to Alexander City, AL to see Rita and family.

February 1, we were in Kentucky, and in March we went to visit Dollie's family in Morristown and Greeneville, TN. From April through the summer we redecorated the house, including a new roof. In April we also went to Columbia, TN for Mule Day. Nothing like getting back to our early life and times! About once a month we go to Chattanooga, TN to see the family.

June found us back visiting with Dollie's folks, where a long lost cemetery was located and some of Dollies folks are buried.

We have had two nice trips on the General Jackson, a large cruise boat that goes up and down the river in front of our house.

In October it was good to get away from all the chatter here in Madison, to our camp at Deer Lodge, TN.

For Thanksgiving we were in San Diego, CA with all the Corich children and grandchildren.

January, 1990 we were back in Harlingen again.

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Vesta (Dunn) Bryant BS'42

Woodbury, TN

Woodbury has been Bill and Vesta's home for over 30 years. Bill is practicing medicine with his son, Rodney. Gary, another son, is practicing medicine at Memphis, TN. Nancy, their daughter, is an RN and MPH and is a nurse consultant for middle Tennessee, and lives at Madison. Vesta is teaching in public elementary school after retiring from 25 years in Pathfinders.

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Lucy (Courter) Butcher, BS'61

Crystal Beach, FL

In 1988, Lucy graduated with a M.A. in guidance counseling, from the University of South Florida. She has worked for the same attorney since 1962.

Viola Carleton N'37

Mead, WA

I am forever thankful to Madison for the education I received there. My mother was a widow and could not send us to college. My sister and I received nurses training and my brother premed. My sister, Gertrude Rudd, and I are retired and living in Spokane. My brother, Art, practiced in Lindsay, CA. Madison will always have a soft spot in my heart. Please find my check enclosed.

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Gladys Custer N'31

Highland, CA

Dear Mable,

Hope your happiness this New Year hits a new high.

You are a person to be admired, cherished and dearly loved. You are truly a child of God. Have always wanted to send you some candy and during the holidays was too sick. Now I'm trying to catch up. (Gladys sent Mable a 2lb. box of See's delicious old time candies.) MHT

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Stanley C. Harris, JR, BS'37

Ceres, CA

We seem to be busier than ever. We are reaching the point where we will have to retire from retirement.

We have a ranchette with over 20 trees. Almost every kind of fruit and nuts. There are so many peaches and apricots we dry them, can them, make nectar and fruit leather from them, and give the rest away in abundance. We have lemons, ruby-red grapefruit, nectarines, plums, apples, pears, peaches, apricots, grapes, almonds, walnuts, and pecans. We are thankful for the blessings the Lord has bestowed upon us.

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Robert Knapp'47

Riverside, CA

Thank You! Sending \$50 for the SURVEY. Keep up the good work. Read the SURVEY again and again, each one is better than the last one.

Doris (Iles) Lee N'51

Altamonte Springs, FL

Winters in Florida can be delightful with the northern friends and relatives dropping in. My brother Harold, and his wife, Rosemary, seem to be spending more and more time in Florida, making Ft. Pierce their winter home.

I resigned as Director of Nurses at Florida Living Nursing Center February 1989. This past summer I took a "Critical Care Nursing" class

and getting the clinicals and am now employed in PCU at Seminole Community Hospital. My husband, Roland, is as busy as ever in his work in sales with Filbert corp.

My daughter, Judy, gave birth in August, to a daughter, Jessica Nicole. Judy and her husband, Loren, are proud parents and just wonder why they waited so long. My daughter, Joy, was married in December to Bruce Bradley. It is quite interesting to plan a wedding when the bride is in California, the mother of the bride lives in Orlando, FL, and the ceremony is in Avon Park, FL.

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Richard Mitzelfelt'61

Placitas, NM

In September Richard was named the new director of the Environmental Improvement Division. He serves at the pleasure of the Governor of New Mexico, and has been a New Mexico state employee for 18 years. From 1986-1988 Richard was chief of the EID's Ground Water Bureau.

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Sara Tennessee Nelson

Humboldt, TN

Sara is 84, and says her health has failed her. She is handicapped and disabled. Sara still lives alone, with help. She says, "I wish I could go back to the dear old Madison days."

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Lois (Sharpe) Northcutt'57 MR

Altamonte Springs, FL

We always enjoy getting the SURVEY. Thanks for the good work. Jack graduated from Trinity University San Antonio and has been in administration since 1969. Currently he administers three head injury units for Rebound Inc. in metro Orlando. Lois is director with Florida Hospital in Altamonte Springs. Their two children; Heather Brownlow, and David, both live nearby.

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Elsie (Sonnell) Pietz'39

Turtletown, TN

Thanks for the SURVEY. There is always something in it which interests Otto and me.

Otto, my husband, had eye problems including Lazy Eye, all through school. He never passed a test in grade school, he got social promotions. Otto took nursing at MC from 1945-48. In 1968 "Aunt Nellie" Green, BSN'56, of Cave Springs school noticed that Otto had lazy eye. We are beholden to her for helping him get special treatment. Now Otto is active in music, crafts, and restoring antiques in his home workshop.

Dorothy Rudisaile, BS'47

Keene, TX

Dorothy is semi-retired, teaching Pre-kindergarten at Keene Adventist Elementary School.

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Bernice Schueler'33

Madison, TN

I spent 11 days in TCMC, Christmas season, 1988. All three of our children appeared on the scene, and I know that helped in my recovery from double pneumonia.

In February, 1989, we flew to California, for three weeks, to be with our son, Martin, and his family. Then on a bus tour we went down to the deep South, the Heart of Dixie, Mobile, AL to see Bellin-grath Gardens when the azaleas were gorgeously at their peak of bloom.

May saw us in Battle Creek to attend Ray and Bea's 50th anniversary.

We went west for two months this summer, and saw our three kids and their spouses, all seven grandkids, and all four great-grandkids. Before leaving Madison, we traded our trailer for a mini-motorhome, and surely did enjoy it.

Our first stop, West, was Arlington, TX, to visit grandson, Brent. Then to Phoenix, where Martin has

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moved. Next, Weimar, California, where Carolyn's daughter was married. From Weimar we went to Oregon where Mt. Shasta was one of our favorite sights.

Starting back, we stopped in Michigan to see Nancy and family.

October we went on a bus tour to Williamsburg, VA, and in November we had Thanksgiving with my sister, Glenna, in North Carolina.

In Arizona we thoroughly enjoyed a half-day tour through Canyon de Chelly with its Indian ruins and pictographs and fabulous scenery. In Walnut Canyon we descended 240 steps--and what goes down must come up--puff, puff.

In Soda Springs, ID, we saw the only "man-made" geyser in the world. It was discovered in an attempt to find a hot-water source for a swimming pool. The drill went down 315 feet and unleashed the geyser. The extreme pressure is caused by carbon dioxide gas mixing with water in a subterranean chamber. Also in Soda Springs, the "Dinkey Engine" is on display. It was recovered from its "burial" place in a river bed.

Back at Madison, we returned to our duties as volunteers at TCMC. Gary is vice-president of the Volunteer Auxiliary and I am still assistant treasurer.

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LETTERS

Lanta (Scoggins) Dawaf
Greenbelt, MD

Enclosed please find \$120 for office help, \$20 for dues and \$10 for the SURVEY for my brother, L.E. Scoggins, and me. I read every word of the SURVEY and save them and sometime pass them on to my brother and sister.

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Frances Laswell
Woodbury, TN

"The December issue of the SURVEY was tremendous!"

CORRECTION

Marvin Midkiff passed away. His mind was clear up to the very last and he did not have Alzheimer's disease. He had ALS.

OBITUARIES

ZELMA BREWER

Mary McConnico told us that Zelma Brewer, who went to M.C. from 1927-29, died on Thanksgiving day 1989. She lived in Medford, OR. Zelma's sister is Vera Brewer.

ROBERT EDWARD CHAPMAN, SR.

Robert Chapman, Sr. was born October 31, 1930 and died July 13, 1988. He attended Madison college from 1948-49 and made many fine friends. He served in the U.S. Army during the Korean War. He was graduated from the University of Florida in 1956. Robert was the owner of Chapman Roofing Co. in Orlando, FL, where he was a life-long resident.

Survivors include his wife, Rose Marie; two sons; Robert, Jr., and W. Gregory; and granddaughter, Rebecca.

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EDNA (RENTFRO) COLLINS

Edna Collins died in 1989. She graduated from Madison Academy and received her R.N. from M.C. in 1935. Edna worked, for awhile, at the Lawrenceburg hospital. Later she worked at Madison Hospital for 13 years.

Edna's husband, James, Sr., preceded her in death.

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BOBBY LEE GLASS

Bobby Glass was killed in a truck accident Jan. 10, 1990 near Paris, KY.

He is survived by wife, Donna, three children, and his mother Dorothy Glass, who has worked at TCMC for 29 years. Bobby graduated 1967 from MCA. MHT

Dr. MAURICE GUEST

Dr. Maurice Guest died Feb. 5, 1990, in Tampa, FL. Dr. Guest went to M.C. from 1939-42 graduating with a B.S. He graduated from C.M.E. in 1947. His wife is Uriel (VanCampen), who went to M.C. from 1947-50. They had four children.

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LENORE (WASS) MC DONALD

Carlos McDonald B.S. Lab'48 wrote that his mother, Lenore, passed away October 11, 1989, after a brief illness.

Lenore and Karl P. McDonald had two children; Carlos, and Delores. They arrived on Madison campus May, 1937. Lenore worked at Madison for 28 years. She taught elementary school, high school and preschool. Lenore graduated, from Madison College, with a B.S. in 1947.

She was very sad about the Madison campus buildings being destroyed. In 1978 she wrote a letter which said that the first generation scrounges, scrapes, and works their fingers to the bone, trying to build up and get along. The second generation comes along and enjoys the work of the first generation. Then the third generation comes along and tears down and wrecks the foundation laid down by the first.

Karl and Lenore were married in 1926. He worked at Madison for 26 years before they retired to Spirit Lake, Iowa. Karl preceded Lenore in death by six years.

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JAMES B. MEDLIN

James Medlin was born April 21, 1923 and died Jan. 26, 1990. He went to Madison College in 1946.

He is survived by wife, Judith Medlin'50; sisters, Evelyn Medlin B.S.'45, Madison, TN, and Dorothy Kellogg'43, Washington;

FRIEDA SOSSONG

Frieda Sossong was born Jan. 11,

1919, at Yakima, WA, and died Oct. 29, 1989, at El Toro, CA.

Frieda went to Madison College four years between the years 1957 and 1964.

Survivors include: husband, Verle; son, Norman; daughter, Juanita Lesco; five brothers, three sisters.

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GRACE OWNBEY

Grace Marie (Cecil) Ownbey was born Jan. 27, 1898 at Williams-town, MO and died Dec. 15, 1989, at age 91, in Trenton, GA.

When Grace was 19 years old she married Dr. Roscoe Ownbey. After Idris their only son, was born in 1919, they moved to Madison College. She thought she could be more help to her doctor husband if she had some training. She enrolled in the nurses course at Madison College in 1921, and graduated in 1928. Dr. Ownbey was a teacher at M.C. and taught her Ethics in 1926.

Dr. Ownbey set up his practice in the North Sand Mt. Community, in AL. He found a great need there, and in the surrounding communities, for his services. In 1932, daughter Carlene, was born.

Grace, serving as her husband's nurse, accompanied him on horse back to visit his patients. Between them they delivered between 3-5,000 babies.

Dr. & Mrs. Ownbey were so well respected that the Adventist church on Sand Mt. was named in their honor.

Grace is described as a live wire, lots of fun, a sport and a big tease. She was truly loved by the people she served for 50 years.

Dr. Ownbey and Idris, who was handicapped, preceded her in death.

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Survivors include; daughter, Carlene O. Filler, one grandson and three granddaughters.

(More Ownbey stories in the column entitled Memories, in future issues of the SURVEY.)

PLANS FOR CORRESPONDENCE COURSES WITH HEADQUARTERS AT MADISON

(Submitted by Mable H. Towery)

Charles E. Morton, an electrical engineer, has done much research on the use of herbs and natural remedies of healing. He became interested in the book Back to Eden by the late Jethro Kloss.

Jethro's granddaughter, Doris Gardiner, and son Stephen in Loma Linda have been handling the sale of the book which has been distributed by many thousands. (Box 1439 Loma Linda, CA 92354)

Mr. Morton has just written a correspondence course on the Jethro Kloss book and is also writing another correspondence course on Medical Missionary work, based on several eminent authorities.

Charles Morton attended the National Health Federation convention Pasadena, CA in January, 1990, and spoke to a large audience. In 1988 they gave the President's award posthumously to Ellen G. White, and this year it was given to Jethro Kloss.

* Charles Morton has put on a Medical Missionary Campmeeting at Pacific Union College, Angwin, CA for three years and is planning another Convention at the same place July 20-29, 1990, which he will call a Back to Eden Seminar.

* Charles Morton has been writing a correspondence course on herbs and natural remedies based on the

"Back to Eden" book.

* Also he is working on a more advanced correspondence course using a number of eminent authors on various topics. For more information write: Charles Morton % Mable Towery, P.O. Box 6303 Madison, TN 37116.

HAPPY 90th BIRTHDAY "MISS MABLE"

For 29 years, "Miss Mable" has given of herself to the Madison College Alumni. March, 23, 1990 will be her 90th birthday. One of her favorite things to receive, is mail from the students who went to Madison College. One such note recently came from Gladys Custer. "Miss Mable" liked it so much she made sure it would be written up in this SURVEY. Look for the initials MHT, after the articles "Miss Mable" contributes.

Help celebrate "Miss Mable's" birthday by sending her a birthday card. Her address is: Mrs. Mable Towery, P.O. Box 6303, Madison, TN 37116. Remember the SURVEY and alumni address is: P.O. Box 6294, Madison, TN 37116

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