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COME BACK TO MADISON For Homecoming 1996

This year Homecoming will be June 14 & 15, 1996. All who have graduated or attended Madison are invited to attend. Classes to be honored are 1922, 1923, 1926, 1932, 1936, 1942, 1946, 1956, 1962, 1966, 1971 and 1976. The last three would have to be from anesthesia school.

Come early and renew old friendships and make new ones.

The first meeting will begin at 7 PM, Friday June 14th.

It will help us plan our meals if you will let us know that you are coming. **We will serve catered meals on Sabbath at noon and supper for a \$5 donation per meal. Tickets will be sold prior to sundown Friday afternoon.** We tried this last year and it was well received.

There are no on campus rooming facilities unless you are staying with friends. There are ten (10) motels within a short driving distance (6 miles) from the Campus Church where the meetings are held. For your convenience they are listed here: Budgetel: 615-851-1891, Comfort Inn: 615-859-5400, Downtown Inn: 615-859-2861,

Econo Lodge Rivergate: 615-859-4988, Economy Inn: 615-859-0190, Friendship Inn: 615-859-1416, Motel 6: 615-859-9674, Red Roof Inn: 615-859-2537, Shoney's Inn: 615-851-1067, Madison Square Inn: 615-865-4203 (ask for the new part down back) These motels are basically all at the same exit (97) on I-65 N. The last is in Madison. There are two KOA's nearby, too.

The picture above left is of the Heritage House also known as Miss DeGraw's house and in later years the Sutherland house. Last year the new roof was put on and the exterior painted. The newest development is the application of the guttering and the landscaping.

Many hearty thanks to each of you that have made this possible. We do continue to need your help for the rest of the work.

Elder Conn Arnold (formerly ASI secretary at the General Conference) is the motivator of the landscaping. He solicited the aid of horticulturist, Ron Smith, Ron's father Gale Smith, Jeff Brown (youth pastor of Campus Church), Ryan Fernando (Academy student), Bob Sutherland and himself to do the work, which was accomplished in three days. Many thanks to these individuals also. Doesn't it look nice?

The next item to be addressed is the plumbing which is old and froze and burst this winter.

From Where??

From where did the ASI come? I realize that this has been written about before but there may be some out there who may not have heard the story.

The following is extracted from an article in *Adventist Heritage* Vol. 4 No. 2, 1977 entitled *Edward A. Sutherland - Independent Reformer*, authored by Floyd O. Rittenhouse.

“The death of Ellen White on July 15, 1915 came as a sad blow to the Madison people...Before her death she rejoiced to see the program in the South well advanced along the lines she had recommended. The sanitarium increasingly prospered. In addition there were treatment rooms, a food factory and bakery, printing plant, cannery, auto repair and machine shop, a sewing and weaving plant, broom shop, shoe repair, a cafeteria in Nashville, a cabinet and furniture factory and several building trades. During the first half century the nurses' training program graduated over 500 nurses who served - and continue to serve - in all parts of the world.

During the years the original acreage was more than doubled. Old, outgrown buildings were replaced and new ones erected. The college enrollment gradually increased to nearly 450 by 1940. Madison College, the name adopted in 1937, weathered the Great Depression far better than most, thanks to its built in work-study program. Favorable publicity

spread near and far. Many influential educators visited Madison to look, marvel, and then praise the school in extravagant language. This chorus of approbation said in essence, “It really works!” “To God be the glory,” was Sutherland's characteristic reply; “the work is of Divine origin!”...Within twenty-five years over forty independent Madison subsidiaries sprang up in seven states.... known as “units.” And their origin was not forgotten.

Belatedly the Adventist church leaders began to recognize some of the values of this independent thrust. For over fifty years Madison had been a humble, albeit uncredentialed servant of the church. Certain leaders now fell under the conviction that perhaps, after all, the call to rural living and self-supporting lay evangelism had merit and ought to be officially recognized and fostered. So, in 1946, the Southern Union Conference, led by its president, Earl Hackman, in conjunction with Madison College, moved to align the self-supporting units and the conferences for better cooperation. Hackman was actuated by his own brotherly Christian spirit, by his acknowledgment of the unselfish and effective service of the Madison graduates everywhere, by the growing influence of the units, and, by no means least, by the swelling flow of tithe faithfully into denominational coffers by the self-supporting workers. The General Conference approved the idea and established the Commission on Rural Living.

In searching for appropriate leadership for this effort it was only logical to turn to the man who, for over forty years, had been preaching and practicing this doctrine and had exemplified its successful ap-

plication in his own institution and its outlying subsidiaries. So, although he was already entering his ninth decade but still vigorous and active, Sutherland in 1946 resigned the presidency of Madison College, a post he had held for forty-two years, and accepted the chairmanship of this new commission which was transformed into the Association of Self-supporting Institutions, started the next year.” (transformed into Adventist -laymen's Services and Industries International-ASI)

“From 1946 until his retirement in 1950 at age eighty-five, Sutherland continued to live on the Madison campus...Prosperity had smiled on Sutherland's efforts to establish the self-supporting work. But after his resignation of the presidency developments at the institution troubled him. His successor, Thomas W. Steen, took issue with many practices hallowed by doctrine and/or experience during the Sutherland years. Prosperity slackened, and as new perplexities arose long suppressed dissension surfaced. Thus it may be well that in 1955 death came at last to the sturdy founder while he slept.”

It has been voiced by several that the Heritage House could or should become a memorial in Adventist History to be visited as any other of our memorials. Therefore, this year, we have appealed to Madison's child, ASI, for some funding to help restore the Heritage House and preserve papers, pictures and records. We are expectantly awaiting a reply.

The answer to our request has come! *Denied!* Try again in '97.

From Here and There



Alabama: M. E. Culpepper, long time staff member and uncle of Jim Culpepper sent a check for Survey.

Arkansas: Margaret (Coffin) Meeker, Normal Course (teaching) '32-'34, sent change of address, D/S, and help for office expense.

California: Marie (Minnie Alberian) Aved, BS '43 sent dues and Survey Check.

California: Fred & Dorothy Black, BS '39, '40 wrote, "There are a few of us 'old ' Madisonities in the 1935-40 bracket that live out here in and near Loma Linda. We keep in touch with each other, passing on the news that we hear and read out of the Survey. If it weren't for our education at Madison, I don't know where we would be today."

California: Mrs. Mabel Jensen says, "Here is my check for the Survey '...'I hope to see the "new" Sutherland house some day soon. I miss all the "good old days."

California: Loretta (Brand) Jones and husband, James, were students in the late '40's. They sent dues.

California: Stanley Harris, BS '37 sent a copy of his and, his wife, Marie's newsletter. In part they said, "We rented a car at the airport. It was a Mitsubishi Mirage... We got great mileage but the ride was not much better than the tin wagon I had when I was a kid. After the week-end at Madison we rattled and rolled along in our little Mitsubishi to Greenville, TN." They visited Pigeon Forge and Gatlinburg enjoying the Smoky Mountains. They did a lot of traveling during the summer and looked forward to conducting a Revelation or

Prophecy Seminar in January 1996. "I will continue to work for God as long as I am able." (*We have received several requests for copies of the sermon he gave at Homecoming.*)

California: Lawrence R. Johnson, MCA '28 sent a change of address. (*thank you*)

California: Patricia (Liu) Lowe, BS '46 wrote, "Dear Bob, when I left Madison College you were just a youngster. My husband passed away a couple of months ago. My children are close by. I have a lot of support from them. God is with me, He has been so good to me. He led me to know the "Truth" through Madison College. I am very grateful to Him. I might go there for our reunion. I graduated in '46. Hope to see you then. My husband was Edwin O. Lowe. I am leaving for a project with Maranatha Builders in January."

California: Dr. & Mrs. Wesley G. Plinke, S '31-'33 sent dues.

California: Kenneth H. Purinton, S '31-'33 sends D/S and said, "...It was the best place in the world to learn to work."

California: Robert (Bob) Register, Student in the 40s and 50s also sent dues.

California: Harold Santini, a student in the 30s, sent a check.

California: Samuel Yoshimura, sent money for D/S, office help and Heritage House. (*Seems as though many Madisonites are in California*)

Florida: Ila A Mills, N '38 sent D/S.

Florida: Irene (Felice) Osborne, N '39 says, "Don't know what the dues are but here is \$25...."

Florida: Imogene (Lemacks) Shepard, N '59 Sent \$\$ for D/S, office and Heritage House.

Florida: Archie Weems, Lab '56 also sent \$\$ for D/S and Heritage house.

Florida: Adrian Wright, S '39-'41 sent us a boost on the Heritage House and office along with D/S.

Georgia: Eleanor Speaker, N '44-BS-'45 sent her D/S and said, "Certainly enjoyed the article by Stanley Harris in the last Survey! He mentioned he arrived at Madison 62 years ago- My first stay at Madison was in 1932-33- my first year in the Nurses course! Stanley's article brought back many memories."

Georgia: Kenneth & Nell Tilghman, students in the late 30s sent D/S \$.

Georgia: Jack Weeks, a student '40-'41 sent D/S and \$ for Heritage House.

Idaho: Ralph S. & Leah Moore, sent a note with their check. "We lived in Madison from 1952-1978. Our four children and spouses are all members of the SDA church. Our grandchildren and great grandchildren have all gone or are going to our schools. We are thankful for Madison, it means much to us. Enclosed is a check for the renewal of 'The Madison Survey' for another year. We enjoy it, and thank you!"

Kentucky: Joe Zetko and Wife, Lucy (DePas) N '49, sent office help and D/S. They said, "Wish we could send more. We missed getting to Homecoming in '95. We hope to get there in '96."

Massachusetts: Lucille Cline Tolles, N '43 sent restoration and office help along with D/S.

Maryland: Jennie Mae (Hodgins) Edwards, N '52 sent help for the office, Heritage House and D/S.

Michigan: Kay (Forrester) Collins, N '63 sends dues and writes, "I always look forward to

reading in the Madison Survey about my friends, and the godly principles that Madison College always stood for. I'm proud to have received my education at Madison.

It's always a thrill to meet a fellow Madisonite. In December, Dan and I conducted a Week of Prayer at the Battle Creek Academy. I kept musing about the name of the principal, and the more I thought about it, and the more I looked at him, I was just sure that I knew him from Madison. The next morning, I asked Mr. Douglas Hayes if he had ever attended Madison College; and, indeed, he had! We had a great time visiting together about mutual friends. He has a tender, compassionate, heart and is doing a fine job with the students.

Dan & I have had a wonderful life together. As you know, we met at Madison, married at Pine Forest Academy, and have served the Lord, as an evangelistic team, for many years. I retired from nursing, in 1973, and joined Dan on the evangelistic trail. I just love working by his side, as Health Educator, Bible Instructor, and singing evangelist! We have had the greatest joy in seeing many precious souls take their stand for the Lord and His Remnant Church. Our cup overflows, too, as we see those that we have baptized preaching the Word with power. God has blessed our ministry with over thirty young men who are now serving the Lord in full-time ministry.

May the Lord continue to bless each one of you that is endeavoring to keep the spirit of Madison alive in the hearts of the alumni. We'll soon be Home! What a grand reunion that will be. May God help each one of us to be present."

Mississippi: Ethel Overdorf, N '46 sent D/S and change of address for Jo Mattson Bengston. (*Thank you*)

Missouri: Jessie Mae (Gray) Burger, MC Academy '51 & Student in the college '50-'53 sent D/S and office help

Missouri: Amos L. Coffee, N '46 also sent D/S & office help.

Missouri: John Dodd, student '39 sent \$ for D/S.

Missouri: Gertrude Scheible, N '43 sent D/S, office, and help for the restoration.

New Mexico: Ferminio F. Perea, "I attended M. C. in the late 30s. 1936 till summer of '39. In 1989 I went to a reunion, Homecoming that is, and still saw some survivors after having been away for 50 years.

Now I am sending dues for the Survey plus extra for office help and for restoration of the Heritage House. Compared to the need it is very little but every little helps." (*How true*)

I never came in confrontation with Stanley Harris because he said, "He was a student from George Peabody College who came to Madison just to visit his friends."

I tried to interest Fred Baroudi in our message and he said, "He was not an Arab but that he was a Syrian." I think God sent those people to us so we could win them with our love. The student body, the faculty members, Miss DeGraw and Elder Welch. All that influence, to help to win outside students who came to our school! Lester Harris had a good relationship with Elder Welch.

During that time Pat O' Callahan was working in the business office and his girlfriend was our postmistress during the noon hour

at Kinne Kitchen. It was nice to get news from home while we were eating because we didn't have time to go to the post office.

Those were the good old days when we were young and healthy. Now it's better because the end is so near. This is a body for our physical disabilities and incapacities. As Elder Stan Harris says, "Jesus is coming and very soon."

North Carolina: Doris Thompson Clough, BSN '57 & husband Harry E.- S '50, was in administration at Madison Hosp. They sent D/S, office aid, restoration, and bought 'God's Beautiful Farm'. Doris wrote "...We surely enjoy the Survey and look forward to it coming. Madison memories are very precious to me."

North Carolina: Gladys M. Lowder, sent her dues and a change of address. (*Thank you*)

North Carolina: Ron Wheeler, S '39-40 D/S.

North Carolina: Everett S. & Beatrice (Davis) Lemaster, both N '35 sent in their dues.

North Carolina: Prestly Lowry, BS '61 sent financial help and bought books in November '95. He wrote, "This past June was my third time to dedicate home insurance to the cause of God's truth in the church. I have received unexpectedly back 6 or 7 times that amount. I feel much safer with Him protecting than I did when insurance was serving that purpose.

When June arrived this year (95) to make my third pledge payment, I was extremely hurt not having my pledge. I made a one sentence prayer, "God you have to help me!" Shortly after that I was in the bank and I had a little feeling to ask the teller to check my account. I had no thought that anything special had

taken place. Was overwhelmed when the teller showed me figures that I had an amount equal to my pledge and half again. The Lord is so good to me; I just want to praise His name. I love Him with all my heart.”

Ohio: Ann (Shrader) Storer, N '63 sent a note with her dues and donations. “Is there anything I can do office-wise from here? I might even be able to come down one day (or two) a month when the weather gets better.” (*her willingness to do that gives me a boost.*)

Ohio: Charles White, BS '52 wrote, “Enclosed are my dues for the year, we look forward to the Survey.”

Oklahoma: Olga (Burdick) Speer, BS '41 send dues and wrote, “Just received the December '95 number. As usual it is very interesting.

I share with Stanley Harris the belief that Jesus is coming very soon. I came to Madison 61 years ago, and remember watching the white mules making their way around the grounds to gather up the trash.

I took the 11th & 12th grades at Madison and graduated with the college class of '41. I then worked in food service for the hospital and college four years.

It was a wonderful experience to sit in Dr. Sutherland's classes. I am thankful for the years I spent at Madison.... I will be 82 years old my next birthday. God has blessed me with good health. I enjoy working in the garden and I am so thankful for all of God's blessings.”

Oregon: Henry & Pauline Knapp, BSN-'50, Pauline N '41 sent dues and wrote, “The latest Madison Survey was wonderful, especially the talk given by Elder Stanley Harris.

If you will make some extra copies of his sermon as given in the latest Madison Survey; and send them to me (5 or 6 copies) I will greatly appreciate it.

Please, please send me a bill with the copies. I will give some copies to other Madison people in the greater Portland area.”

Oregon: Frieda (Brunner) Tanner N '45 wrote in November '95, “This check may be early but I'm sure you can use it!

We keep busy and happy sending Sabbath school material all over the world.

The General Conference has requested 500 felt sets and boxes of items for China. We have waited for this day. Don't think the door is open wide- but even a crack helps! This will be a 2-3 year project for all in the U. S. and Faith Adventures.

Sharon Erickson in MN. will put it all together. We send her S.S. items and cut felt to put in the boxes.” Anyone wanting to help can contact Sharon Erickson, Rt 4 Box 161 A , Park Rapids, MN 56470.

Oregon: Kenneth B. Trussell, Acad. '49, BS '51 and wife, Iva Lorene, sent D/S and office help.

Russia: Harry & Joyce Mayden, BS '57 & '55 were in the states over the holidays and Harry spoke at the Campus Church. He sent Bernard Bowen an E-mail when he returned to Russia. “...Thanks so much for inviting me to speak at the Madison Campus Church. It was a real pleasure to do so. It was like coming home after 38 years of being gone.... Joyce and I hold Madison as a special place in our hearts.... Please thank the membership of the Madison church. They sent back \$751.05 with me for helping the baby get treatments. (The

five cents was from a little girl who came and gave it to help the baby.) It may not take all of that and I will use the remainder for helping support some worthy student at Zaokski. I was overwhelmed by the flood of support for this mother and her baby and I wish to thank the membership of the Madison Campus Church for their loving support.”

Tennessee: Darrell Chisholm, an interested reader of the Survey sent his subscription in and wrote, “I have never attended Madison College, but I enjoy reading the Survey.” (*My curiosity aroused I called him. He told me that he had been reading the Survey a long time. He had some friends that had gone to school here and his daughter, Cheryle had taught in the Academy.*)

Tennessee: Elsie Stinchfield Brownlee, N '50 and President of our Alumni Assoc. sent in her dues and some for the Heritage House.

Tennessee: Wm. Campbell, X-ray '53 and one of our board members sent in dues and some for restoration.

Tennessee: Charlyanne Holland Cantrell, says, “Here are my dues and something to use as needed. I really enjoy the Survey and pass it around to my brother, Lee, and sister, Gail. Would prefer that they subscribe (*So would I*) but since they don't, I pass it to them. They really look forward to getting it.

I heard from Betty Jo Brownlee. She was formerly at a mission hospital in Monument Valley, Utah but has now moved...to be near her children. She hopes to come in June and so do we.”

Tennessee: Sylvia Boley Daniel, S '59-60 sent in her D/S and some for the Heritage House.

Tennessee: Shirley Drury, N '46 Sent office help and D/S.

Tennessee: Dorothy Fox, N '51 also sent D/S.

Tennessee: Miss Vera Jensen, BS '46 and sister, Dorothy Moore, BS '46 sent in D/S.

Tennessee: Mary Sommerville Mansfield, S '61-'64 sent \$ for D/S.

Tennessee: Eileen Gill Manzano, S '43-'47 sent D/S and something on restoration.

Tennessee: Mary Moore McConnico, sent D/S, office help, and help on the house. She writes, "My family and I arrived at Madison when I was 11 and Ralph, my brother, was 9 years old, in 1924. We lived in Nebraska Cottage, a three family house. Had to take baths etc., across the road in Gotizan Home. Mother and dad, Edith and Everett Moore took nursing.

When we first arrived at Madison Ralph worked on the farm. I first worked in the basement of Kinnie Kitchen with other youngsters peeling potatoes and preparing all vegetables brought in from the garden. I hated cutting that sticky slimy okra!

Through the years I believe I worked in every department on campus—under the kitchen, laundry under my grandmother's supervision, (Mrs. McAdams), cleaning, dinning room, telephone -at the nurses office, cleaned patients rooms; still make my bed the way Dr. Droll's wife taught me-she was in charge of the linen room. Back then there were very strict rules.

Ralph is a retired doctor and he and his wife, Earlene Thomas Moore live in N. C. and I live in Nashville still.

So few of the Madisonites are left that I knew "back when." I en-

joy the Survey. The tales I could tell but I have pleasant memories."

Tennessee: Wm. (Mac) McKinney, S '47-'49 and wife Lillian (Gray) sent D/S."

Tennessee: Stanley McLaughlin, S '50-'51 sent \$\$ for D/S, office, and Heritage House.

Tennessee: Jon Robere, BS '39 sent D/S.

Tennessee: Retta (Wiles) Robinson, N '52 sent \$\$ for D/S.

Tennessee: Mavis (Savage) Sutherland, N '50 also a board member sent her \$ for D/S.

Tennessee: Ruth & Lloyd Trivett, N '60, Anes. '64 & N '63, Anes. '65 sent D/S and help for the house.

Tennessee: Mr. & Mrs. James Zeigler sent in their D/S.

Texas: Hazel McConnell Faudi, N '36 sent dues and address correction and wrote, "I have such fond memories of Madison. I was in the Nursing class of '36. I married Marvin Faudi who was in the same nursing class. He passed away 4/18/91. I wish I could be at Homecoming but it will not be possible this year."

Texas: Lloyd Fitch, N '64, Anes. '65 sent a donation.

Texas: Thelma Slater, N '53, Anes. '63. Thelma is a regular monthly supporter and puts nice little stickers on the envelopes.

Texas: Eugene R. Wood, Dr., Lab & X-ray '39 writes, "Just received the Madison Survey. If the good old Review, Ministry, Liberty, and Survey all came at once I think I would choose The Survey to read first.

I was sorry to read in a past Survey of the demise of Ralph Martin. I worked with Ralph and Paul Dysinger, his brother-in-law, at Fountain Head Sanitarium and School. Ralph was a good man to

work for and so talented. He could do everything but play the piano and sing.

I worked with them and then came back to Madison.... When I finished I joined Elder Frazee's Evangelistic group in New Orleans and Baton Rouge, Louisiana for a short time before called to operate the Battle Creek treatment rooms at Memphis, Tennessee. Was there until drafted into the army. That's why we have democracy today. I fought and fought but they took me anyway.

In Stanley Harris's sermon in this last Survey, he mentioned several times about being old. From what he said I guess I am old also. February 1st I will be 84. On my last birthday there were so many candles on the cake we all got sunburned. When I get up in the morning I put on my eyes, I put in my ears, I put in my teeth, I take my vitamins and about 4 o'clock in the afternoon I begin to feel pretty good.

I am sending a check for dues and the "New Madison Book." I don't ever want to be without the Madison Survey. As ever a, "Madisonite."

Virginia: Toni Leake, MR '64 bought "God's Beautiful Farm" and sent D/S, and office help.

Virginia: Paul A. Woods MD, BS '39, CME '44-B wrote, "Dear Bob, So sorry I did not get to hear Stanley Harris this past year. Enjoyed the report of his sermon. He came to Madison about two years prior to my arrival. He started the Peptimist Crier: I became Advertising Mgr. etc. later. I left all the Criers from first to my graduation in '39 with the Alumni Assoc." He also sent D/S and help for the restoration. He is in limited prac-

tice as an FFA Senior Medical Examiner.

Washington: Glen & Dorothy Wayne Bowes, both N '41 sent D/S and restoration aid.

Washington: Ellen A. Hammond, MCA '32, N '35 sent dues and bought a copy of "God's Beautiful Farm."

Washington: Robert D. Kellogg D. M. D., premed '42. Wife, Dorothy, N '43 wrote, "Enclosed please find our check for-\$. It would be nice to receive the 'New Madison Book':- the rest use as you see fit.

We have been reading with interest the "Homecoming" Sermon By Elder Stanley Harris in the Last 'Madison Survey'. Wish we could have been there to hear that powerful sermon. Glen & Dorothy Bowes have moved here from California. Their son is the pastor of the Walla Walla City church. It's nice to have them here.

We also see Gladys Trivett and Cliff Parmley now and then when we go to our cabin...in Idaho. We enjoy seeing them too. Madison friends "are forever"....

Wisconsin: Harold & Jessie Schroeder, sent \$ for office expense and Survey.

Resting Until The Resurrection

Bottsford, Grace V.(Paulson)
N '61 Wife, mother, missionary, nurse, died December 31, 1995. She is survived by husband, Dr. Elmer E. Bottsford; son, Ron Bottsford, Cleburne, TX; daughter, Donna Wheeler, Hendersonville, TN; four grandchildren; two great-grandchildren. Elder Herbert

Hewitt, Pastor Steve Rose and Joseph Malmede officiated.

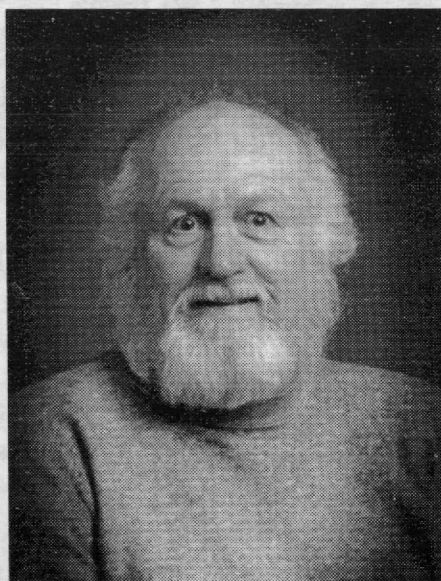
Bischoff, Joseph H., N '37, born March 27, 1912 died at home January 14, 1996. Joe met and married Esther B. Robey when they were students at Madison in 1935. He earned degrees in business and theology at AUC.

He was principal of Ozark Academy 4 years; taught in Tennessee schools 2 years and was business manager of Southwestern Junior College, Keene, Texas for four years. He founded Keene Pharmaceuticals in 1957 and operated it until 1992.

Joe served as mayor of Keene 1961-1963. He has also served as municipal court judge and city councilman. He served his church many years as an elder.

He is survived by his wife, children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

Herbert Hopps, BS-X-ray '45 was a pall bearer.



Austin Eugene Bush

Bush, Austin E. born March 7, 1924 died December 20, 1995. Austin was preceded in death by his father, Capt. Calvin D. Bush,

mother, Francesca, older brother Calvin Jr., sister, Frances (Welch, Rue).

Austin was an athletic red haired boy raised and educated on the campus. He, like others, worked at one time or the other in most of the industries on the campus. He helped many of the faculty ladies maintain their gardens.

Austin's high school years were spent at Isaac Litton where he graduated in 1943.

Some may remember him as helping his father in the Medical Cadet program.

Austin entered the Army Corp of Engineers, after graduation from high school, serving in France and Germany. He became General George Patton's personal driver.

Following the war Austin was in an auto accident that left him a paraplegic. While in rehabilitation he attended college earning a BS degree and then earned a masters degree in social work. He had a very active life working in his profession at the VA hospital in Houston, Texas.

Austin lived independently, drove his own car and was very sports minded. He won trophies in bowling, swimming and wheelchair basketball. He accomplished much in his life. Sister Helen Bush Boer survives (This is an abbreviated version of the info received and what I know personally having grown up with Austin.)

Carnahan, Ruth E., BSN '42, deceased late 1995 or early 1996. No information. Anyone know about it?

Hanna, Albert R., husband of Lillian C. May Hanna, BS '36 died October 25, 1994. He was a man of many great accomplishments. It took 2 feet of newspaper columns



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to list them all. Lillian sent a donation in his memory and wrote, "I apologize for being so slow in answering your letter. Holidays are always a busy time but they were still very hard. I know nothing can ever fill that void but I have to believe that what ever cross we are asked to carry that "He" is holding the other end. I worked at Salem City (Ohio) Hospital as the dietitian after taking an internship at Toledo Hospital.

There I met Albert and after we were married I stayed home to raise our four children.

After 25 years here Albert accepted the position of CEO of Dettmer Hospital in Miami county. When our youngest was ready for his senior year in High School I accepted a job as social worker in Miami Co. Worked there for 17 years. I did adoptions for 15 years. We were there 20 years and then he did some work for Grant Hospital in Columbus. He did consulting work for many hospitals in Ohio. It was his work and foresight that he had a wing in one



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hospital made into a long term care center. This was the means of the hospital surviving and after his death they renamed it for him. A wonderful memorial.

We moved back to our farm (50 Acres) ten years ago and it was good to get back home.

He always felt Madison was very special because of the many young people who received an education that would not have been possible otherwise.

When we returned for my 50th he wanted to help so he gave \$1500 to get Madison started again. He was extremely intelligent but very humble. He spent a great part of his life being a volunteer in dozens of agencies. I received 500 plus cards from all over the county which testify to his life of giving."

Coupon

- 1. SURVEY & dues 1 yr. (\$25.)_____.
- 2. Sending \$_____ for Office help.
- 3. New Madison Book (\$25)_____.
- 4. God's Beautiful Farm (\$10)_____.
- 5. Sending \$_____ for
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