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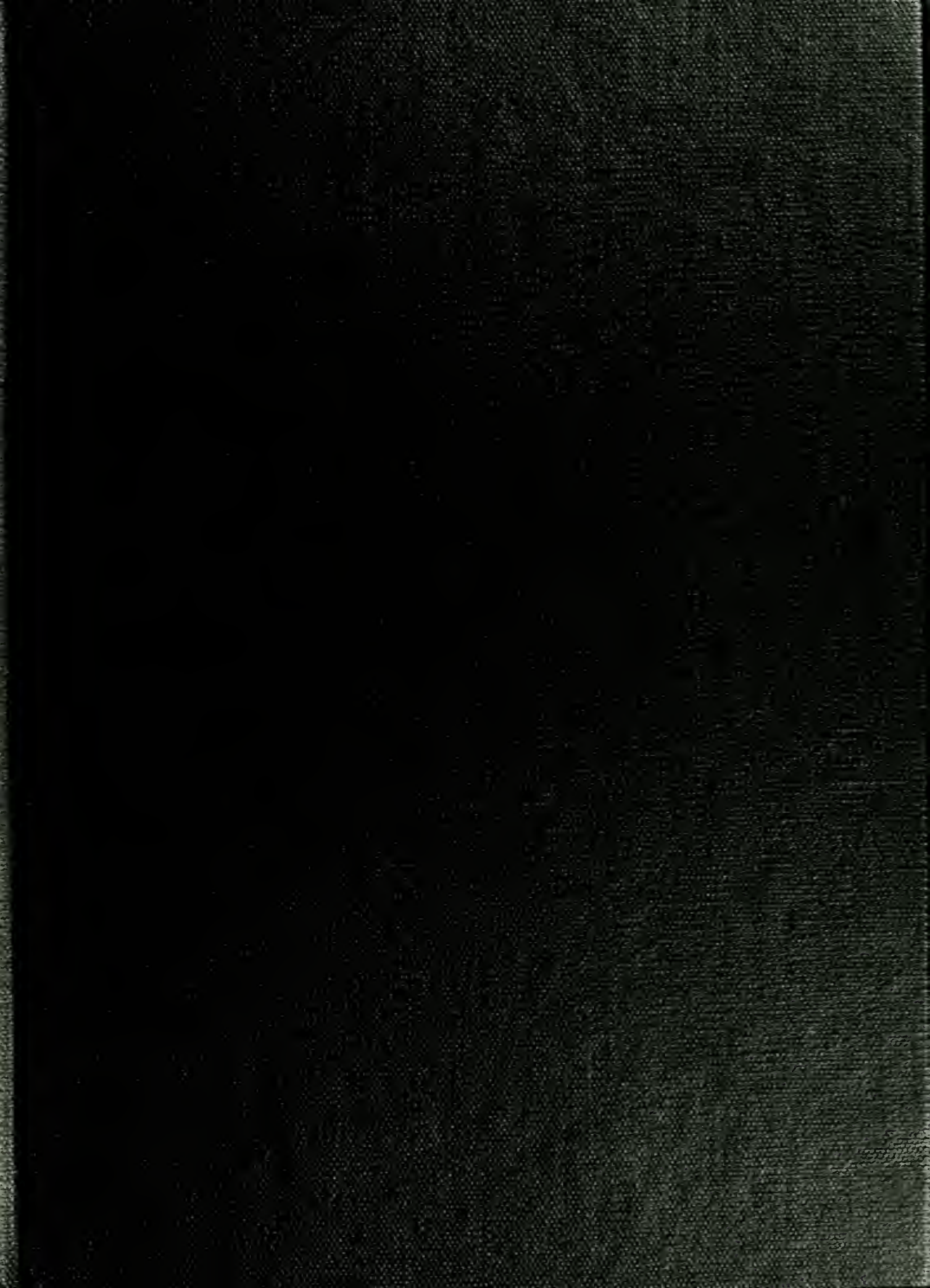
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surgeon at Mountain Sanitarium and Hospital. The Moores have three children.

CLASS OF '41

Clifford Ludington, Collegedale, Tennessee, is taking surgical residency at Erlanger Hospital in Chattanooga.

Hoyt Hendershot, 1107 W. Adair Drive, Knoxville, Tennessee, is district pastor in Knoxville.

Capt. T. J. Sheldon, MSC 0-38570, Med. Sec. Hq. IX Corps (Main), APO 264 c/o PM San Francisco, California.

CLASS OF '43

Merlyn Jane Parks Winters, 1629 N.W. 35th Street, Miami, Florida.

CLASS OF '44

Dr. James F. Ford, 622 Georgia Ave. Chattanooga, Tennessee, received his D.D.S. degree from the University of Nebraska in 1948 and is now in private practice of dentistry in Chattanooga.

CLASS OF '48

Lawrence Garnett Scales, 2105 Donnalley Avenue SE, Atlanta, Georgia, is Educational and Missionary Volunteer secretary for the Georgia-Cumberland Conference.

Ervin Benjamin Steward, 1210 Helen Avenue, Lake City, Florida, received his M.A. from Peabody College with a major in Chemistry and is now Biochemist at V. A. Hospital in Lake City.

CLASS OF '49

Ben David Wheeler, Karura Mission of S.D.A., Nairobi Kenya Colony, East Africa, is to be mission director.

Frances E. Andrews, Collegedale, Tennessee, is teaching English in the Collegedale Academy. She is working toward a Masters degree at George Washington University in Washington.

CLASS OF '50

Margaret Jo Bledsoe, Sheyenne River Academy, Harvey, North Dakota, and her husband, J. D., class of '53, are teaching at the Sheyenne River Academy.

Thomas Bullock, Collegedale, Tennessee, is in charge of Collegedale Distributors, shipping the health foods all around. He plans to study dentistry soon.

Garland C. Peterson, Pacific Union College, Angwin, California, taught at Auburn Academy three years and is now on the PUC faculty.

CLASS OF '52

Royalyn Hastings Whitley, Alhambra, California, was married to George Whitley, Jr., in October, 1953 and will continue to work as a medical secretary at the White Memorial Hospital.

Helen Hoover Burnett, 405 College Avenue, Berrien Springs, Michigan, married last August. Her husband has one more year at EMC.

Nicholas Chaij, Brookfield, Illinois, has been working for the Pacific Press as Spanish editor since graduation.

CLASS OF '53

William Hust, Box 59, Nashville, Tennessee, is doing advanced work at Peabody College. Richard Sloan, Collegedale, Tennessee, doing colporteur work.

Jack Martz, 2523 Dickinson Ave., Greenville, North Carolina, is pastor of the district where he is located.

J. J. Millet, 4115 W. 25th, Little Rock, Arkansas, is assisting Elder Stanley Harris in an effort.

Cpl. Lang Given Army Citation

Cpl. Philip Charles Lang, who graduated from CA in '45 was awarded a citation being the most outstanding medical soldier for the month of October. It was stated the citation that because of his educational background, cooperativeness, soldiery, valuable assistance in the TI&A program, because of his excellent service in the field, medical assistance as an X-ray technician, was awarded the citation.

An Honorary Member Writes

Mary Zweig writes from CME, Loma Linda, California: "It's a thrill to be connected with (even in such a minor way) the new department school. Everyone is very enthusiastic and men are putting everything they have into it. I see Harry and Doreen Danielson, Ben Jean Young, Charles Pettengill and Curtis quite often—we always kid about all the 'natural beauty' out here."

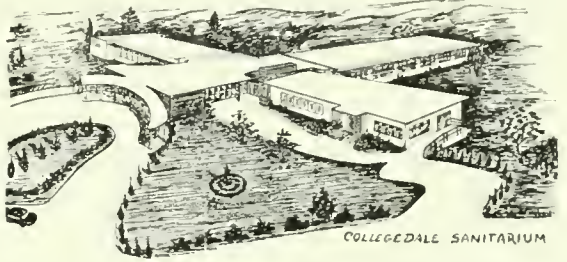
THE COLLEGEDALE ALUMNI

A number of the Alumni Association members have sent in gifts and donations on certain projects in times past. Do you have a suggestive project for our association? If so, do kindly send it in — would you like to be the first to boost the project financially also? Have you thought about some special need of the Medical Unit? Thanks for your suggestions and your financial help!

The secret of success consists not in the habit of making numerous resolutions at various faults or sins, but in one great absorbing, controlling purpose to serve God. *Helps to Happiness*, p. 127.

finish requirements for a degree in Elementary evangelist in Louisville.

COLLEGEDALE Medical Center



FROM the day when the Southern Training School moved from Graysville to Collegedale to reopen as Southern Junior College there has been incorporated in the master plan a medical center, a right arm to serve the college community and through which this community might render physical and spiritual service to surrounding areas.

The project, which was designed by the architectural firm of Bianculli and Palm, will be built in three steps, according to the present plans, and is to serve the area which includes Collegedale, Ooltewah and Apison.

The unfolding of this dream began last spring when the Collegedale Clinic opened its doors. The Clinic is now paid for and well equipped. Dr. Van Blaricum has recently located at Collegedale to become Medical Director of the Clinic. He brings with him a wealth of medical and surgical experience.

It is the hope and plan that by next spring a strong promotional program will be launched to change the name of the Collegedale Clinic to the Collegedale Hospital. Incorporated in his program will be the addition to present facilities of twenty patient beds, an operating room, diet kitchen and larger treatment room. Later it is the plan to add a sanitarium wing.

All Collegedale is behind this program believing in the many statements from the prophet of the Lord relative to colleges and sanitariums working hand in hand. We know that our alumni will rejoice with us.

CABINET SHOP PROVIDES NEW INDUSTRY

By CHARLES FLEMING, JR.

THE leadings of the Lord in mysterious ways are evident in all branches of His work including the establishment of industries on the SMC campus.

Three years ago when the new science building was under construction, the matter of tables, desks, and other furniture installations for the laboratories came up for consideration. The men in the science department of the College studied the various styles of equipment produced by the top manufacturers in this line, took the best features of each, combined these features with some ingenious ideas of their own, and drew the plans. The cabinets were made and installed by our cabinet shop.

When we were ready to order pews for the chapel in our Fine Arts building, we decided to make them in the cabinet shop. This was accomplished at a savings financially and certainly with no sacrifice of quality or design.

Since that time we have continued making both science and church furniture for other institutions. The volume of work, however, has been greatly limited due to our small space available in the engineering department.

About October 1, a friend of the College, learning of our needs for additional space to manufacture laboratory and church furniture, sent the College a gift of \$10,000 to cover the cost of constructing a new building.

The new building will be located between the present engineering building and the broom factory warehouse, and construction has already started on this new addition.

ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OFFICERS

President	Paul C. Boynton, '38, SJC
Vice-President	Merrill Croaker, '53, SMC
Secretary	Frances Andrews, '50, SMC
Treasurer	O. D. McKee, '28, SJC
Publicity Secretary	Lorene Aushermtn, '53, SMC

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Opportunities for SMC Alumni

Southern Missionary College is the youngest of our senior colleges in North America, therefore, time has not elapsed for a large and strong Alumni membership to have developed. Those who have graduated from SMC have had a comparatively short time to have become established in positions from which they might offer strong help to their Alma Mater. But as we look at the records of the thousands and thousands of dollars received annually by certain institutions from their Alumni, we look forward to the time when substantial aid in the form of grants, wills, and scholarships will be received by Southern Missionary College from its Alumni and other admirers.

About a year ago determined efforts were begun and are continuing, to establish an Alumni Scholarship Fund which would make possible the education of some of the outstanding young people here in the Southern Union who need help.

The Alumni of The Graysville Training School, Southern Junior College, and Southern Missionary College should seriously consider the many students who need some financial help. All should plan to have a part in the aid that will be extended to worthy students on a loan basis. Each should work first through his local chapter, or if there is no chapter near, write to the president or secretary of the Alumni Association here at Collegedale. Our address is P. O. Box 1115, Collegedale, Tenn.

Permit us at this time to wish for you the very best under God for the New Year as we all join in giving thanks for the blessings of the past.

PAUL C. BOYNTON,
President, Alumni Association

Elam Joins Faith for Today

Miss Mary Elam, who graduated from Southern Missionary College in 1951 with an English major, has recently joined the Faith for Today staff in New York as a member of the department of public relations. Miss Elam has been the registrar at Highland Academy for the past three years.

EXPANSION

A new dry kiln is nearing completion at the wood shop. This addition will eliminate a large amount of labor which is now necessary due to an improper location of the present kiln. It will also provide additional storage space for the finished goods in the present dry kiln.

An addition to the back of the College Store has been built to accommodate warehouse space for the Collegedale Distributors and the Southern Mercantile Agency. This addition 32' x 7' makes it possible for the Southern Mercantile to also have more display space in the area previously occupied for warehousing.

SMC Graduate Is Dean

Elder A. J. Johansen who graduated from Southern Missionary College in 1947 and who for several years has been working in Sweden, India, Ceylon, Burma and Pakistan on the conference, union, and division levels, has been appointed new dean of men at Walla Walla College.

Former Students Ordained

Southern Missionary College is on the move again. At the five camp meetings in the Southern Union this past summer ten SMC graduates were ordained. Last year at camp meetings eleven of SMC's Alumni were ordained.

Those receiving credentials were: from the Alabama-Mississippi Conference, James Edwards and Robert Chism; from the Carolina Conference, Rainey Hooper; from the Florida Conference, Thomas Mostert, Harold Flynn and Kenneth Mensing (Kenneth was president of the Student Association of SMC, 1949-50); from the Georgia-Cumberland Conference, James G. Fulfer and Douglas Bennett; and from the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference, Henry Wilmot and Phaize Salhany.

SMC Alumni Organize

A SMC Alumni Chapter has been organized at Loma Linda, California. Dean W. B. Clark led out in the election of officers after the social hour was enjoyed by about forty former SMC alums. The officers are: president, Roland Semons, '48; vice-president, Elmer Taylor, '53; secretary, Layton Sutton, '52; publicity, Ella Mae Clapp, '50.

Alumni at SMC

Twenty-one SMC graduates are on the faculty and staff of Southern Missionary College. They are as follows: Frances Andrews, '50, Irene Ausherman, '53, Henry Baasch, '53, Annith Baize, '51, Kenneth Boynton, '50, Paul Boynton, '38, Elmyra Conger, '54, James Edwards, '51, John Garner, '53, Ruth Higgins, '51, Harry Hulsey, '53, Larry Hughes, '52, Ruth Jones, '51, Roscoe Mizelle, '52, Charlotte Nelson, '53, Bruce Ringer, '53, Florence Rozelle, '51, Thyra Sloan, '42, Drew Turlington, '51, and Marie Wood, '54, and Albert Wilt, '53.

WOODSHOP MANUFACTURES NEW LINE OF FURNITURE

THE Collegedale Wood Products has for many years been the largest supplier of work opportunities on the SMC campus, according to general manager, Charles Fleming. From the time of its inception, the type of product manufactured has changed with changing market conditions; back in 1928-29 the woodshop first started volume production, at which time most of the output consisted of ten doors. Soon afterwards procedures were changed to accommodate the manufacture of dining boards, step ladders, and folding chairs; but eight years ago the line was changed in—this time to desks and chests.

During the past few months the production of the shop has undergone a reorganization to keep up with a changing economy. The shop has departed from the low-priced, competitive line of chests and desks to a smart-styled and better constructed line of two-piece bedroom furniture. This new line boasts sturdy case construction, well-liked design, and high quality four-step process finishing.

The acceptance of this new line has been very good, adds Mr. Fleming, and the shop management is happy to be giving students the manufacture of a quality product.

SMC Remembers Her Own

The following Alumni have visited our campus this fall and left these comments in our guest book:

R. W. Crawford (1953) Southwestern Junior College, Keene, Texas.—We have just completed a very enjoyable vacation at our home in Northern Indiana and could not resist the temptation of visiting our many friends at SMC. It was like coming home. There is no other place like Collegedale. Our work at Southwestern Junior College has been most enjoyable. We have enjoyed visits from many friends from Collegedale as they passed our way.

Bill Dysinger (1951) CME, 312 N. Boyle Avenue, Los Angeles 33, California — Just stopping in for my yearly visit as I look over some possible internship hospitals. All's well in California, but I'll be ready to move back East!

Mable Mitchell (1953) 107-A Ponce de Leon Court, Decatur, Georgia—It's so nice to be back at dear Ole Collegedale, even if it is only for a week end. This is the first time in five years that I've missed being here for camp—meeting the whole time. I still miss everyone.

Roland Parker (1953)—Happy to have been able to make at least a short visit to SMC. I have been studying at the Seminary, and will be there another year.

John Hiser (1952) 100 W. End Street, Fort Myers, Florida—It's very nice to be in Collegedale again; we have visited with many old friends. I am teaching in Fort Myers, Florida, and my wife will teach this year also.



Line of furniture
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Douglas Milliner

DEATH COMES TO FORMER STUDEN

Douglas Milliner, SMC graduate of 1953, was killed in an automobile head-on collision, October 31, in California.

His ambulance collided with another ambulance route to the hospital. No evidence has been given to verify if he was killed in the first or second collision.

"Doug," as he was called at SMC, finished the first school of evangelism in the summer of 1953. He was preparing then to go to the SDA Theological Seminary where he would take up studies that would aid him to become a publishing department secretary. He had started at General Conference this summer that he planned to go to the Arkansas-Louisiana conference as publishing secretary in the near future, according to Elder C. Banks.

James R. Chambers, SJC '36: "I enjoy my work in the chemistry department here very much. Reports of the steady growth of SMC reach me from time to time, and I am glad to know the Lord is blessing 'our' school." Mr. Chambers is assistant professor of chemistry at Atlantic Union College.

Carol Jean Whidden, SMC '54, who is attending C.M.E. at Loma Linda, California, writes that life can really get to be a whirlwind in medical school. She sends word of the following SMC-ites: *Mildred Whitaker* is taking a laboratory course at White Memorial Hospital; her address is 1818 New Jersey Street, Los Angeles, California. *Mae Becker* is working at the Glendale Sanitarium. *Billy Dysinger* is a senior at the White. Carol Jean recently saw Victor Stuyvesant and wife, *Billy Ingram*, *Art Butterfield*, and *Oluf Olsen* are classmates of Carol Jean's at Loma Linda.

Joyce Cobb-May, SMC '52, is attending the University of Tennessee Medical School in Memphis. She will graduate in March 1956.

W. S. Hancock (1952) 2838 Hemphill, Fort Worth 10, Texas—"Have just completed 20 months of pastoral evangelism. Now have a large building program ahead to provide for the added members. All thanks to God for the success of the efforts."

Avolt B. Just (1950) 1651 Houston Avenue, Kingsport, Tennessee—"I have enjoyed being on the campus of good old SMC again during the camp meeting season."

Ruben Lopez (1950) Box 245, Madison College, Tennessee—"At present I'm planning on working at Madison College accounting department, with the thought in mind of working on my Master's degree in Nashville."

Jennie Clark-Braddock, SJC '30, lives Penjamo 147, Col. Las Mitras, Monterey, L. Mexico. Her husband, H. A. Braddock, is studying medicine at the University of Mexico. They have two sons.

Chauncey Lauback, SMC '51, is now connected with the Sterner Special Foods, Birdsboro Pennsylvania.

Malvina Zachary-Taylor, SJC '30, and husband, who have been on the staff of Atlantic Union College for several years, have moved to Emmanuel Missionary College where Professor Taylor has joined the English Department. They have a daughter, Donna.

Billy Mack Read, SMC '54, is teaching church school and assisting the pastor at Portsmouth, Virginia.

Richard Rimmer, SMC '48, is in charge printing at Madison College.

Alfred Mitchell, SMC '53, is working in Birmingham, Alabama, with a public account.

Helen Braat-Saults, SMC '52, writes from Long Island, Alabama: "Lynn and I are teaching at Floral Crest Junior Academy for the second year. Next year we will be back at Colledale to complete our degree. We are looking forward to coming back!"

Sherman Peterson, SMC '52, 2912 Michigan Avenue, Kansas City, Missouri, is now working for the Loma Linda Food Company in this city.

Bob McMillan, SMC '52, is working as research assistant at the Institute of Science and Technology in Fayetteville, Arkansas. He also taking some class work toward his Master's degree.

SMC Remembers Her Own

GREETINGS to the alumni of SMC. Perhaps I know none of you personally, but day by day your college becomes dearer to me, and the heritage which you have left to posterity on this campus is constantly before us.

Many of you have gone to the ends of the earth in response to the challenges concerning the unfinished task which motivated your learning at your alma mater. You are the subject of our hopes and prayers—you, especially those who comprise the growing army of SMC missionaries. You are ambassadors for the Lord, representatives of a better way in the lighted, distant places of the earth. To some who do not understand, you may be viewed as "underprivileged" Christians. If this is the case, you share a presumably unhappy fight with the honored of every year.

At this Thanksgiving season our minds think of the first "underprivileged" Americans, the pilgrims. Their only homes were log cabins, their only means of transportation was their little boat or their own two legs. What little money they had would buy nothing—not even a radio or television set. Their first steps were disappointing. Their only neighbors were the natives who might at any moment choose to destroy

the invaders. Three thousand miles of ocean lay between them and the accustomed comforts of civilization.

But they were rich in three of the most precious of all human assets—courage, a will to work unceasingly, and boundless faith in God. They never breathed a word of pity for themselves. They felt an acute need only for strength to stay alive and carry on for themselves in order to satisfy the requirements of an intrinsic spiritual motivation.

We who live today, well fed, soundly protected, enjoying good environmental conditions cannot appreciate the situation under which this nation was founded. We who stay at home are equally unable to sympathize with our missionary alumni, but the world and the church is infinitely blessed because of your sacrifices, you who are building for tomorrow. As we are removed from your hardships, we are undoubtedly removed proportionately from your rich experiences.

The SMC faculty and student body who are carrying on in your place here at home base, salute you! May God richly bless you at this season, and please let us hear from you as time may permit.

THOMAS W. WALTERS
President, SMC



MEET OUR PRESIDENT

Dr. Thomas Walters, formerly educational superintendent and MV secretary of the Washington Conference, has succeeded President Kenneth A. Wright as chief administrator of Southern Missionary College. President Walters is a graduate of Walla Walla College, College Place, Washington, and received his doctor's degree from Leland Stanford University in 1955 in the field of Education Administration.

After graduation from Walla Walla, Dr. Walters spent four years as dean of boys at Laurelwood Academy, Gaston, Oregon. In 1940 he was called to administrative work at Gem State Academy, Caldwell, Idaho, where he labored for four years before answering a return call to Laurelwood as principal for six more years of academy administration.

Dr. and Mrs. Walters are the parents of two sons—Tom, aged 18, who is a freshman in the college, and 14-year-old Kenneth, an academy freshman.

May the Lord richly bless this family as they continue their service for the Lord at Southern Missionary College.

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