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The New Library

Ida Jean Owen

As you will remember, one of the goals set by our Alumni Association several years ago was North Central Accreditation, and one of our drawbacks has been that we have not had sufficient volumes in the library to meet the requirements. Some two thousand books were donated to the College a couple of years ago through the efforts of the Lions Club here in Anderson, but our number of volumes was still short.

Last spring Professor W. S. Haldeman, Librarian, got the idea that if the people of Anderson knew our need they would be willing to donate money towards buying books for the library. Professor Haldeman broached the subject first to Dean Olt, who thought that he perhaps "had something there." Professor Haldeman then went to President Morrison, who happened to be home ill. President Morrison said later that the Professor rushed in so nearly out of breath that he could hardly say what he wanted to say. President Morrison suggested that perhaps he should feel out Mr. Zoll, secretary of the local Y.M.C.A., on the subject and see if he would be willing to promote the project.

Mr. Zoll responded:

"You know, I have been thinking about you folks at the College and wondered why you never ask the city for any contributions. The idea looks O. K. to me."

Mr. Zoll said he would mention the matter to a number of businessmen here in Anderson and see how they felt. They all were enthusiastic.

As a result about \$4,500 in cash was raised and a number of volumes donated to the library.

Then the problem arose as to where we would put the additional books since the library space was so limited.

Again Professor Haldeman started to work. He made a tour of the entire building from basement to attic—the attic—that was an idea! He scouted around in the dark, stumbling over this and that, making measurements from floor to ceiling, etc.

One day he persuaded President Morrison to take a trip to the attic with him on an inspection tour. Two weeks later Dean Olt was escorted

Approximately ten thousand volumes catalogued in Dewey Decimal System are housed in the stacks, which have sufficient space to house twenty thousand volumes.

One hundred and sixty-four students may be seated at one time at the study tables, with four at each table.

What They Say about the New Library

"I thought it never could be done."

"I have heard the saying that you cannot make a silk purse out of a sow's ear, but I think you have done it here."

"I never dreamed it would look like this."

"I have read about this and heard about it, but it is a lot better than I thought it would be."

"Whose portrait is that on the wall there? Why, it is Brother Monk."



A section of the new library with Nina Smith Ratzlaff on duty and Myrtle Bebee and Thelma Clark at the counter.

on such a tour. In the meantime Professor Haldeman had made plans and drawings to present to the Executive Committee. The Committee met, and all went to the attic. They said that the idea of remodeling the attic was O. K., and gave their consent to go ahead with the work. A local contractor was secured to oversee, and one of his men, with the aid of some student help, did the work.

The new library is now a finished product, with lovely hardwood floors, celotex walls which serve not only as insulation but to muffle sound. Its stripes in the wainscoting also add height to the room. The library is adequately lighted with a light over each study table.

A few days ago a splendid gift of books for the library was received from Streeter Stuart. The gift included more than three hundred books. That certainly is a fine help in building up the number of volumes in the library.

Miriam Olt, Class of '39, is also a student in Purdue University this year.

Several Anderson graduates of the Class of '40 are doing graduate work this year in other schools. Bob Reardon and Warren Edmondson are studying at Oberlin. Charles Young is working toward his Master's degree at Indiana University.

President Morrison, at this writing, is holding a short revival for O. Lee Stephenson, at Drexel, N. C.

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Letter after letter has come to the College office expressing appreciation for the fine work Brother Monk has been doing in the churches, and the messages he has brought them about the College. He has been a real blessing to those to whom he has gone. And letter after letter has come enclosing payments on pledges made to the College through Brother Monk's work. Only those who are closely associated with the College realize just how much this financial help has meant. And the College is deeply appreciative of the many new friends who have been contacted for the College by Brother Monk. Their interest, their prayers, and their financial support mean much.

Vivienne Ratliff, who attended Anderson College for several years, is happy in her work among the Spanish people. She joined the Maciels in their work in Los Angeles this summer. Grace Van Gundy, also a former student of Anderson College, has been working with the Maciels for more than a year, and enjoys her work there greatly.

Melvin Wampler, former student, and Denver Smoot, Class of '40, are working together in Richmond, Va., attempting to build up the church there.

Emilia Blaskowsky, Class of '40, is busy in a pastorate at Benedict, N. D.

Leslie Ratzlaff and Nina Smith, Class of '40, were married at Miss Smith's home in Oklahoma this summer. They are both in school again this year.

Dr. Frederick Schminke, Professor of History at the College, took some summer work in the University of Wisconsin this summer.

Dean Olt spent several weeks studying at Columbia University during the summer.

YOUR WELCOME

THE BOARD OF CHURCH EXTENSION WELCOMES YOU

From the office of the Board of Church Extension we have a view of the College campus which at the present time is beautiful with autumn colors. We wish we could preserve this until you arrive in Anderson for the home-coming.

We welcome you to the Harvest Festival and also invite you to visit and chat with us in the office of the Board of Church Extension. There will be a free souvenir here for you and when you come to get it, please leave your name and address for the Pioneer, a home missions magazine.

We will see you on November 19.

E. F. Adcock

OPEN HOUSE IN THE EDITORIAL DEPARTMENT

Harold L. Phillips

Members of the staff of the editorial department of the Gospel Trumpet Company wish to extend to all visitors to the Harvest Festival and Home-Coming a cordial welcome to visit the editorial department during their stay.

The members of the editorial department have been enthusiastic in their support of the work of the Alumni group and have contributed many hours to the "Alumni News," the Harvest Festivals, and other endeavors of the Alumni group.

We are looking forward to this coming Harvest Festival with the hope that it will be the greatest ever. This is the type of gathering that can grow year after year until it represents an annual feature of the school year—a feature significant for everyone—the faculty, the students, and those who come.

We are looking forward to seeing you at the Harvest Festival and Home-Coming, November 19.

SYRIA AND INDIA WILL WELCOME YOU

When Anderson College Alumni, pastors, and friends arrive at the College on November 19, the Missionary Board will have two representatives there to welcome you—Mona Moors from India, and Lester Crose from Syria. Your fellowship with these two people will help to make your stay in Anderson a very enjoyable one. The Missionary Board takes pleasure in welcoming you to the Harvest Festival and Home-Coming at Anderson College on November 19.

A. W. Miller

GREETINGS FROM YOUR PUBLISHING HOUSE

Your publishing house, the Gospel Trumpet Company, the home of Christian literature, salutes you. And while we are at it we invite you to visit our plant while you are here at the home-coming Harvest Festival.

There is a free souvenir here for everyone who visits our office or plant, and while you are here we would like to take you through and show you the new addition to our publishing building. We have added 12,000 square feet of floor space in a new brick, steel, and concrete building, and this entire plant is operating to full capacity and indications are that it will continue to do so for a long time to come.

While you are here maybe you will want to visit our Dealer Department and take out some of these fine Christmas cards and sell them to your neighbors, thus doing a good turn for them and making a little Christmas money for yourself. Maybe you will want to subscribe or renew your subscription to the Gospel Trumpet, the best religious paper published. Maybe you will want to talk with the editor in chief, Doctor C. E. Brown, the book editor, and editor of your Sunday-school quarterlies, the editor of your young people's papers, and you may want to stop in and visit for a moment with the general manager.

We will be looking for you.

A. T. Rowe

DO YOU REMEMBER GRACE?

Do you know Grace Alexander Satow, 1922? Then you will be interested in a "shower" that is being planned for her. These are troublesome days in some countries, and some of Grace's classmates and friends have thought they would like to share in a "shower" for her and her family in Tokyo, Japan. Send your gifts, whether money or personal articles (do not send articles that are too heavy), in care of the Gospel Trumpet Company, Anderson, Ind. Amy C. Phillips
Grace C. Miller

W. S. Haldeman, Professor of Religious Education, did further work in his field during the summer at Northwestern University.

THE ALUMNI NEWS

How Are You Coming November 19?

Adam W. Miller

In a recent issue of the *Reader's Digest* the story is told of a man who invited his friend to his wedding anniversary. He explained to him how to find him in the apartment house where he lived.

"Come to the seventh floor," he said, "and when you see the letter *D* on the door, push the button with your elbow and when the door opens put your foot against it."

"Why do I have to use my elbow and my foot?" asked the friend.

"Well," replied the man who was extending the invitation, "you're not coming empty-handed, are you?"

We Invite You

The Alumni Association of Anderson College and Theological Seminary invites you to the Third Annual Harvest Festival Celebration, at Anderson College, on November 19. It will not be necessary for us to give you instructions how to reach us, for the road that leads from your home to Anderson College is well known to you. And when you arrive you will not have to use your elbow and your foot, even though you come loaded down with flour, sugar, ham, apples, potatoes, or other things as your harvest gift. A warm welcome will be waiting you at whatever entrance you may choose, and students and local alumni will be ready to assist you in carrying your donations to the proper place.

You Will Want to Come

Deep down in the heart of every former student of Anderson College there will be a longing to get back for this celebration. For, in addition to this time being a harvest festival celebration, it is also a home-coming time. Mona Moors from India, away from America and in India for nine years, will have her first opportunity to celebrate with you this Harvest Festival and Home-Coming. She has made her plans especially so she can be in Anderson at this time and meet her friends. On account of recent developments in the Far East she is thinking seriously of cutting short her stay in America and going back to India as early as possible. Edith Young, home from Jamaica for a furlough, is also planning to be here. Then there will be pastors, evangelists, Sunday-school



leaders, and others from many sections of the country. You will not want to miss this reunion.

"You're Not Coming Empty-Handed"

I know you are not coming empty-handed. Already there have come to our ears reports of what various groups are planning to do to surprise the administration and students of Anderson College. Just the other day I heard of a congregation that last year gave more than a hundred dollars in cash at the Harvest Festival, and which is planning to double that amount for this year's celebration. I think the attitude on the part of this congregation is typical of the interest that is developing in Anderson College.

It is suggested that this year instead of endeavoring to purchase food supplies and bring them in to the College, each group select one or more of the following items needed and use it as a basis to work on for your Festival project in your congregation or state Alumni group, endeavoring to raise the amount in cash. It seems so much more personal and interesting to give, feeling that instead of giving a dollar in

cold figures you are giving fifteen pounds of sugar, or five pounds of ham, or two cans of apricots, or whatever you are aiming at. Therefore, we herewith submit a list of items that the dining hall uses and the per year amounts, with approximate costs. Will not each functioning Alumni group select one of these items as a project, and notify all members now of what you are going to work toward in your group? This word is particularly for the officers. Look the list over carefully, and if you cannot raise all of a certain item needed, raise the amount needed for a certain percentage.

2,000 pounds of flour	\$120.00
2,000 pounds of sugar	120.00
2,000 pounds of butter	30c a pound
500 pounds of bacon	18c a pound
500 pounds of ham	20c a pound
2,000 pounds of beef	22c a pound
1,000 pounds of pork	15c a pound
4,000 loaves of bread	8½c a loaf
75 bushels of apples	
400 bushels of potatoes	

Number 10 cans of the following are wanted badly: peaches, pears, apricots, prunes, plums, apples, carrots, peas, beans, corn, tomatoes, spinach
3-foot wide table linens in bolts; apron material from sacking

The dairy bill is about \$2,000, if some philanthropic group would care to undertake that trifling item.

Fellowship and Memories

November 19 is going to be a time for fellowship and memories. All of you remember those chapel services at Anderson College—services that led you into deeper thoughts of life and its meaning, times when you came very close to God and to each other. One of these very fine chapel services is being planned just for you.

The Alumni Committee, in co-operation with the School administration, have been working for some time perfecting plans for this year's celebration. There will be a faculty reception, open-house program, recreational activities in the gymnasium, and other features that will bring back memories, create deeper fellowship, and send you back to your congregation and to your work with renewed inspiration and enthusiasm.

We shall look to see you on November 19.



*Today is your day and mine,
The only day we have,
The day in which to play our part.
What our part may signify in the great
world
We may not understand,
But we are here to play it and now is
our time.*

—David Starr Jordan

Anderson College Fall Enrollment

Mary Husted, Registrar

During the opening days of the fall term the upperclassmen felt rather lost among the newcomers. There were at least two reasons for such feeling. More Freshmen than usual are with us this year, for eighty full-time Freshmen enrolled, besides several new students who are taking only a few classes. And a number of the upperclassmen returned on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday, while the Freshmen gathered in on Monday. So when everyone settled down we found that we had a goodly number of both Freshmen and upperclassmen. The Freshmen this year show every indication of being one of the best classes we have ever welcomed to the School. The graduating class this year should number between thirty-five and forty, if one may judge this early in the school year.

This year students registered from thirty-one states, the District of Columbia, and Syria. A total of two hundred and eighty students have registered, and a number more are expected to enroll in night classes within the next few days. Of this number of registrations more than usual are taking a full schedule of classes. To the College this increase in the enrollment of full-time students means more than any other figure. Registration figures often rise because of the large number of special students taking only one or two courses or because of a heavy registration in night classes. This year the special student figures are lower and the total of classified students higher than it has been in some years. This is a very encouraging sign to those who watch the records of enrollment year after year.

Indiana, of course, leads all other states with about one hundred young people attending Anderson College and Theological Seminary this fall. Of this number more than sixty are from the city of Anderson. Ohio is next, with thirty on the student lists. Perhaps you would be interested in seeing just who is here from your home state.

Student List by States and Countries

Alabama	Arkansas
Doyce Butler	Agnes Adams
Eloise Butler	Curtis White
Robert Gray	California
Esther McEwen Hall	Esther Barrus
Henry Johnson	Colorado
Margaret Vines	Gladys Wolever
Ada Welborn	Florida
Holley Weldon	Robert McDonald
Norma Wallace Weldon	Mintie Swann

Illinois
Joy Baird
Mae Crooker Baldwin
James Chitty
Mildred Edens
Grace Edwards
Lillian Post
Owen Post
Lydia Rawie
Margaret Runion

Indiana

(Outside Anderson)
Lillian Baublelt
Robert Bodenhorn
Dorothy Bryant
Forrest Byrd
Karl Cameron
Imogene Clock
Russell Clock
Doris Collins
Albert Crim
Lois Denton
Carl Fortner
Hal Freeman
Carol Helvey
Robert Humfleet
Geraldine Hurst
Franklin Jones
Geoffrey Kenyon
Earl Kunkle
William Livingston
Doris Martin
Raymond Matson
Alice Metzler
Anna Reno
Jean Reynolds
Katherine Scherer
Irvin Shrout
Beryl Stokeley
Floyd Tunnell
Edwin Upshaw
Vernice Upshaw
Vertice Upshaw

Indiana—Anderson

Helen Martin Achor
Robert Anderson
Thomas Bailey
Cecil Baldwin
Homer Beckett
Francis Bright
Wendell Byrd
Thelma Clausen
Mildred Clayton
Pearl Cockerham
Ralph Collins
Clifford Corns
Dale Crist
Roy Davis
William Davis
Betty Eberle
Walter Evans
Opal Franks
Edna Gothard
Julia Haldeman
Roberta Hardacre
Arthur Hargett
Nathan Hargett
Norman Harris
Clifford Heard
Harold Heard
Daniel Herron
Charles Jones
Charles Kissell
Roy LaShure
Florence Lyons
Herbert McGillen
Florence Madison
Phyllis Matzikeit
Betty Martin



Franz Merrick
Dorothy Morrison
Ida Jean Owen
Letha Pletcher
Almeda Rawlings
Edna Rawlings
Gladys Rawlings
Elmer Rich
Ruth Rich
Fred Richardson
Katheryn Rider
Walter Schemmer
William Schlegelmilch
Mary Shaw
Harold Shoemaker
Charles Snideman
Sam Sobel
Normen Spohr
Otis Toombs
Jack VanDyke
Ada Waddell
Paul Wallace
Harold White
Bertha Wiley
Abbott Williams
Evangeline Williams

Iowa

Coila Bohn
June Cima
Henry Hall
Norma Smith Hall
Thomas Hall
Dale Lehman
Shirley Pollard

Kansas

Catherine Bergquist
Maurice Bergquist
Eleanora Bogart
Sada Kinch
Gladys Manthei
Elmer Powell
Maryeva Runsey
Virginia Stage

Kentucky

Mertie Avery
Elizabeth Miller Jones
Milburn Miller
Roscoe Snowden
Curtis Watkins
Zuda Wells

Massachusetts

Florence Harvey

Michigan

Arthur Bebee
Daisie Bruckart
Elsie Buller
Lois Butgereit
Val Clear
Guy Collins
Hazel Comer
Alvin Doty
Caroline Glassman
Kathryn Headings
Arthur Hoffmann
Thelma Little
George Majors
Samuel Mercer
Wilma Miller
John Nemire
Marjorie Palmer
Thelma Palmer
Charles Struthers
Richard Struthers
Mayme Taylor
Obed Thrasher

Minnesota

Gerald Erickson
Genevieve May

Mary May
Vivian May
Robert Miller
Robert Nicholson
Ole Nuland
Charles Solid
Mississippi
Claud Adcock
Joseph Benson
Maude Germany
Ethel Jeffcoat

Missouri

Juanita Bridwell
Charlotte Brooks
Amy Dudeck
Carl Olson
Tanner Powell

Nebraska

Clarence Underhill

New Jersey

Frances Merrill

New York

Myrtle Keefer Bebee
Theda Churchill
Evelyn Clark
Robert Clark
Belva Dodds
Mildred Kaefar
David Knight
Pierison VanNorman

North Carolina

Cauthian Boyd
Fanellia Leonard

North Dakota

Edna Brodehl
Ethel Ortmann
Herbert Ortmann
Wesley Ortmann
Leander Wonnemberg
Tillie Brodehl
Wonnemberg

Ohio

Lloyd Adams
Margaurette Allen
William Baxter
Robert Carpenter
Evelyn Childers
Lester Clum
Vivian Clum
Charles Daugherty
Hazel Dodge
Adolph Dreger
Marie Esper
Mabel Fedor
Walter Gatton
Lester Hartwell
Jack Hutchinson
Miriam Kennedy
Margie Lawson
Maxine Miller
Waneta Montgomery
William Myers
Coryn Neff
Tom Newberry
Dorothy Pitchford
Marvin Proctor
Laura Raak
Elizabeth Ramsay
Eileen Smith
Margaret Sutton

James Trimble
Leona Tussey
Martin Williams

Oklahoma

Catherine Casto
Roscoe Casto
Kenneth Jones
Gloria Klemme
Ruby LaCounte
Richard Meeks
Elaine Norton
Thelma Perry
Gerald Pirkey
Guy Perry
Nina Smith Ratzlaff
Herschell Rice
Hillery Rice
Betty Jo Schwieger
Eileen Thomason

Oregon

Crystal Phillips

Pennsylvania

Nora Angus
Adda Bachelder
Alfred Brown
Alan Hancock
Sophia Hebon
Arlene Hone
Naomi Hunter
Ambrose LaVelle
Bernard Rupert
Leonard Sterner
Charles Stoughton
Minnie Stoughton

South Carolina

Douglas Boan
Jessie Lewis
Ernlene McElveen

South Dakota

Arthur Eikamp
Isaac Nachtigall
Joe Nachtigall
Bertha Boese Ratzlaff
Leslie Ratzlaff
Lloyd Ratzlaff

Tennessee

Benjamin Stewart

Texas

Shirley Brett

Virginia

Jeann Royer

West Virginia

Lawrence Adkins
Eugene Davis
Lee Tracy
Quentin Withrow

Wisconsin

Doris Baribeau
Verna Carter
Marie Furell
Mary Jean Malott
Alvin Shackleton

District of Columbia

Duane Windemiller

China

Juanita Hunnax
Syria
Lester A. Crose

Loren Rohr and Neila Windemiller, both former students of Anderson College, were married this summer in Washington, D. C. Miss Esther Boyer, Class of '30, pastor of the church in Washington, performed the ceremony. Loren and Neila are now in Lafayette, Ind., where Loren is studying in Purdue University.

*Cease from anger, and forsake wrath:
Fret not thyself, it tendeth only to
evil-doing.
For evil-doers shall be cut off;
But those that wait for Jehovah, they
shall inherit the land. —Ps. 37:8-9*

Dr. Monk Makes a Few Remarks

It has been less than a quarter of a century since I became identified with this movement, and as I look back it seems but a short time. Yet there have been wonderful changes in every department of our work.

Our College began about the time I came with the work, and it has been my privilege to be identified with our educational program almost from the very beginning. Well do I remember the small group during the early years of our School, and then to see the great body of young men and women who gather here now, it makes us realize that we have made great progress.

At various times I have had the privilege of acting as Field Secretary for the College, and in this manner I have contacted the Church in a large section of our country in its behalf.

More and more the Church is realizing the necessity of giving financial support to our College, for the Church must maintain an institution of learning for her youth. One thing that always impresses me as I travel from place to place is the fine group of young people that we now have in our various congregations, for whom the Church must provide educational fa-

cilities. They must have opportunity to attend a Christian institution of higher learning to prepare for efficient service in the Church and in the world.

Again this summer I had the privilege of visiting eight or ten states in the interest of the College. Many of the places visited were pastored by former students. It would be difficult for me to give an accurate account of my impressions of these fine young preachers. Many of them labor under great handicaps and under difficult situations. Then to see the enthusiasm and determination with which these fine young preachers carry on makes one appreciate not only the preachers but the institution of learning from which they came, before entering their field of labor.

The summer's work was hard; it required driving many thousands of miles, but meeting with these fine young preachers and seeing the fine people with whom they labor just gave new work at Mansfield, Ohio—a fine wish for another half century of active service in the great work of carrying information concerning the great work our College is doing to every congregation in every state.

The other morning I spoke in chapel. Before me were many new faces, but as in years gone by I saw written on their fine faces a real desire for better things. What possibilities are before the Church when we have such a fine group of young people, living clean Christian lives, and preparing for their lifework!

I made a trip to the new library. It made me feel that we owe the College management a debt we shall not be able to pay. How they ever conceived the idea of transforming the attic in the College building into such a fine library is beyond me. I think Professor Haldeman was the moving spirit in bringing this to pass. What a fine place for study, and the increased number of books in the library, all in all it is just wonderful!

In conclusion let me urge the Church to support this institution loyally, not only with your prayers but with your means. Our youth of the Church are our hope. We must maintain this wonderful institution, with a Christian faculty, the place where everything is being done to have every graduate a good Christian on the day of his graduation.



NEWS NOTES

John Kane

Robert Morgan and Dorothy Hersher Morgan, former students at Anderson, have accepted the pastorate at Bemidji, Minn.

Edgar and Ruth Barnett are coaching a new member of the College basketball squad for the College team of 1960—Mark Elliott, who arrived August 14.

Mr. and Mrs. Luke Bennett have announced the arrival of a little daughter in their home on August 23. Congratulations!

Loren A. Owen, Class of '37, has been enjoying his work as Dealer Sales Manager in the Gospel Trumpet Company for about a year.

Wedding bells rang on September 22 for Violet Marsh and Oliver Auckerman. Theirs was a very colorful wedding, in Park Place Church, with Reverend E. A. Reardon officiating. Violet was in the Class of '25; Mr. Auckerman is a graduate of Indiana University. They will make their home in Union City, Ind., where Mr. Auckerman is an official in a local bank.

Richard Allen Hatch, Class of '60, arrived on August 18 to stay at the home of C. W. and Mildred Hatch.

I ran across Earl H. Dean at 812 North Grant, Norton, Kansas. He is active in the church there and for expenses runs a feed mill, a hatchery, and a taxi business.

Sophia Fluke is the new pastor of the new work at Mansfield, Ohio—a fine addition to the working force in Ohio.

W. B. Crowell has recently taken the pastorate at Norfolk, Va.

Have you paid your dues?

Word has reached us that B. C. C. Fansler has left Ames, Iowa to go to Norton, Virginia.

Martha Mitschelen, class of '40, and Kenneth Igney, former student, were married this summer. They are living in Anderson.

We are told that in South America when an exceptionally beautiful orchid is found, the natives plant it on the church roof, or somewhere about the church. It is their way of saying, "God deserves the best." What do you do

with the most perfect orchid from your garden? Is the best you have of strength and time and effort planted in or about the church of Christ?

OF GREATEST IMPORTANCE

In the home—not the furnishings, but the things that money cannot buy.

In religion—not the doctrines, but the things a person experiences for himself.

In the church—not its sectarian peculiarities, but the inner lives of its members.

In school—not the textbooks, but the ideals of its teachers.

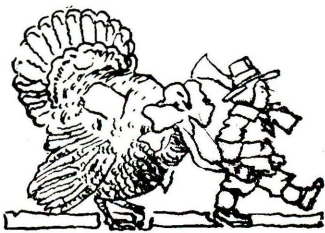
In a newspaper—not the report under big headlines, but the items given scant mention.

In books—not the ideas expressed, but the thoughts inspired.

In politics—not the present promises, but past performances.

In any man's success—not his financial assets, but the things that he cannot bequeath to his children.

The love we feel for our friends can be measured by the sincerity of our appreciation of their best and the completeness with which we forgive their worst.



Harvest Festival Time Is Thanksgiving Time

Thelma Clark

Another year has passed, a year in which the history of most of the world must be told in tales of war with all of its horror and suffering. Although we feel keenly for the hundreds of thousands in Europe and in Asia who have been victims of this war—sharing in its bloodshed, in its sorrow, in its deprivation—may we not at the same time be profoundly thankful to God that this year at least our nation has not been actively engaged in war? Yes, let us be thankful.

Another year has passed, a year of sowing and harvesting of fruit and grain. Has the Lord prospered your harvests? Let us thank Him at this season.

Another year has passed, a year in which many who have been deprived of employment over a period of time have found places again in the business and industrial world. They have found a certain measure of economic security. Surely that is reason to thank God heartily.

And what further of this year that has passed? Have we not enjoyed health? Have we not had the pleasure of rich friendships? Has not God met our needs in answer to prayer time after time? Let us, then, thank God.

Another year has passed, too, in the history of Anderson College. And it has been a good year. Yes, it is a year since the Alumni and friends of Anderson College last gathered here at Harvest Festival time, bringing their gifts.

A new year for Anderson College—does that mean anything to you? Have you a son, a daughter, a friend who is now enrolled in the College? Does his education in an environment of true Christian fellowship mean anything to you? Do you have a pastor who graduated from Anderson College, or one who spent several years in school here? Or do you have a Christian worker in your church whose work has been made effective through some years of study in Anderson College? Let us thank God sincerely for the young people which Anderson College sends out each year to labor in His harvest field. Let us not forget those who have gone out from these halls to the great frontiers of Christian service in lands across the sea—to India, to Africa, to Syria,

as well as to several European countries and various islands of the sea. And let us thank God for them.

How well it is that one of the great traditions of our nation is that of a day set aside each year for thanksgiving to God. Let us this year earnestly thank God for his blessings to us as individuals; for the onward march of truth and the spread of the Kingdom of God which is effectively furthered through the leadership of devoted and well-trained Christian people. Let us thank God for a Church which provides a School to train her young people for places of leadership and responsibility in the work of God. And let us not fail to thank God that this year our nation has remained at peace.

From week to week in our local churches we give to the Lord our tithe, as a concrete expression of the thankfulness which is in our hearts for His care and guidance. At this Thanksgiving time we have opportunity to give a special offering to the Lord, through the College. This offering will be used in the larger work of the Church—in the development of Christian leadership among our young men and women who are students in Anderson College. Whatever the gift may be, large or small, money or produce, it will express for you the thanksgiving which you feel and will serve the Church effectively.

Harvest Festival at Anderson College is fast becoming a tradition. It is a day of real rejoicing at the College when Alumni and friends come in, bearing their gifts. It is a time of rich fellowship for all who gather here. Plan to be among the guests at the Harvest Festival this year on Tuesday, November 19. If you find it impossible to come, join with us in spirit and send your gift in time that it may be here by the nineteenth of November. We are anticipating a splendid day together.

SOUNDS RIGHT

And it is right. It's an idea too long overlooked. We must get into high gear to catch up, for we are years late getting back of a plan so simple and yet so helpful. We dare not sleep longer. Every Alumnus—to your feet! Now go to the pantry—pull out your purse—

grab your checkbook—where's the offering plate?

Yes—it's time for another Harvest Festival—for the most needed institution among us today. Let's go! Everybody do something! Last year the Festival was great—but so many forgot, or neglected, or turned thumbs down, or something. Please don't anyone lag this year. Let's make this Harvest Festival the outstanding event of this college year. You come along with your supplies if you can. We'll camp on the old campus and show the smart Freshmen that we're not old fogies. Pardon me—that's another subject. What I'm supposed to do is get you to send produce to the college. Why not include a carload of sugar? Let's make it a sweet time spiritually too.

Get the date straight—**November 19**. Get the needed supplies straight. Plan far ahead. Here's a chance for everybody to do something.

I'll be seein' you.

John Henry Kane

P. S.—May God give you a lot of joy as you plan and work for this Festival.

Coming?

William A. Fleenor, First Vice-President, Alumni Association

We do hope that you will be among the number who are making plans to attend the annual Midwest Ministerial Assembly, which will convene October 28-31, in Kansas City, Mo. The merits of this ministerial assembly go without mentioning, and we are happy that so many of our Alumni have been given an active and responsible part. We want that each one of us shall make such a contribution to this great meeting as will lead to its highest success.

Will we be selfish if we take advantage of this occasion to get together with all our fellow Alumni present for a time of fellowship and for the renewal of old-time acquaintances? Surely not! So, let us look expectantly to an informal noon luncheon on Wednesday October 30 when again, through the kindly providence of a good God, glad voices and warm hearts will be reunited in the family ties of our own dear Alma Mater. Yes, we are expecting wholesome fun and the finest fellowship. We are also looking for some of the more serious phases of Kingdom advancement through our associations, well-defined plans for the betterment of our church college and seminary.

This will be a great time, and we are expecting to see you there. You just cannot afford to miss it.

What's New at the College?

Thelma Clark

As Alumni, former students, students, and friends of Anderson College return to the campus from year to year they invariably look about them for changes.

This summer a staff of students was kept busy all through the hot months, making the planned changes. And they really had to keep exceedingly busy in order to complete the work by the time school opened. In fact, a few finishing touches had to be put on after the students arrived.

In the dormitory of the main building the usual program of painting and paper hanging was carried through. But this year six of the rooms also received new hardwood floors. The lucky students who live in those rooms are certainly proud of the appearance of them. Gradually hardwood floors will be laid throughout all the rooms.

The south second floor hall has been freshly covered with new battleship linoleum.

Since a great deal of painting and redecorating was done during last school year in the lobbies, chapel, dining hall, and bathrooms, these are still fresh and clean. Many have commented upon the fine appearance of the main building this year.

If you were to go into the chapel you would see a great improvement in the way of pulpit furniture. The pulpit and three chairs which are sturdy and of fine workmanship are the gift of some generous persons in Louisville, Ky., in the church where Lawrence Brooks has been pastor until very recently. The folks in the church supplied the materials for the furniture, and Mr. Thomas E. Allis built it. Mr. Allis' wife, Mary Hunter Allis, graduated from Anderson in 1929. Well, I just hope you can be with us at Harvest Festival time to see this fine furniture.

By that time there will be something else new in the chapel which is well worth mentioning. I remember well the time a few years ago when some members of the missionary society saw the need in the College chapel of a curtain for the platform. That was during depression days when none of us could afford to buy them. These women conceived the plan of making "crazy quilt" curtains, out of pieces of silk and velvet. And a splendid job they did! Those curtains have served for several years, but have become quite worn and un-

attractive. Last year the Booster Club on the campus bought material for really fine curtains. At this writing they are being made, and within a short time they will be hanging in the chapel.

Without any doubt, of course, the greatest new improvement this year is the new library. That is something each one who knew our old library will really want to see. It is a tremendous improvement from every point of view.

What of the space where the library used to be? You will want to see that,



too, for it has been transformed into four splendid classrooms.

Not quite so new, but still not old, are the lighted stone pillars at either side of the south entrance to the campus, which were completed just before camp-meeting time in June.

During these Indian summer days we particularly enjoy the ice-cold water which issues from the refrigerated fountain which is the gift of the graduating class of 1940, and which was installed just at the close of the spring term.

NEWS ITEMS

Max Gaulke, Class of '33, has recently accepted the pastorate of the South Side Church of God, in Chicago, Ill. Max is the Harvest Festival Chairman this year.

Clair W. Shultz, Class of '36, succeeded Max Gaulke as pastor in St. Paul Park, Minn. We hear fine reports of Clair's work.

Everett Riley, Class of '40, and Evelyn Warren were married this summer. They are assisting Melvin Miller in the work at Cornell, Wis.

We are happy to have Lester Crose, missionary on furlough from Syria, as a student at Anderson this year.

Have you paid your Alumni Association dues this year?

Religious Activities

Geraldine Hurst, Student

A fresh surge of spiritual life is felt around the halls and on the campus of our dear college. The common heart of the student body throbs with the desire to place a new spiritual emphasis on school life.

The religious activities of the first two weeks of school began with a vesper service conducted by Brother E. A. Reardon on



the college lawn. Just as the sun was setting a group of us gathered under a large elm tree and sang hymns of praise and thanksgiving to the mighty God whom we serve. Brother Reardon read a Psalm, and in his fatherly way instructed us to rely upon God as our guide and source of courage in every problem of school life. Each of us then repeated a favorite Bible verse, after which the service closed with a prayer that God's will be done in our lives this year.

All who attended the first midweek prayer meeting at the Park Place Church of God have pleasant memories of that service. The soft musical drawl of students from the Southland mingled with the sophisticated brogue of those from the New England states in an inspiring, old-fashioned testimony meeting. Our hearts were challenged as we realized that we worked not alone, but were units of an adventurous group of youth, pushing toward new frontiers in Christian service. After the service the ladies of the church had planned a social hour in honor of the new students. Here we introduced ourselves to each other, and our new brothers and sisters were welcomed into our "one big family." Several readings and musical numbers furnished the entertainment. As a pleasant climax to the evening, punch and cookies were

The highlights in the religious activities of the beginning of school were the two nights of services conducted by President Morrison in our college chapel. His theme was "The Church." He urged us to be true to the Church, to love the Church in spite of the imperfections of the people who compose it. He challenged us to guard our influence and make ourselves worthy of the name the Church of God.

We feel confident that this year in Anderson College will be one of outstanding opportunity and achievement.

Items of Interest about Alumni, Students, Former Students, and College Friends



Reverend John Kane, vice-president of the Alumni Association and pastor at Cleveland, Ohio, has recently held a successful revival for Dean Olt, in Cincinnati.

Miss Thelma Clark, who received her Master's Degree from Northwestern University last summer, is helping out during the rush in the College office.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie E. Adcock, Class of '29, are living on a farm near Union City, Ind. They are very active in church work at Praise Chapel.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrl Ahrendt live in LaPorte, Ind., where Mr. Ahrendt is teacher of English in the LaPorte High School.

Reverend W. C. Gray, former member of the Board of Trustees, pastor at Birmingham, Ala., was a recent visitor at the College. Mrs. Gray was with him. They brought their son Robert, who is a Junior this year.

A recent and appreciated speaker at the College chapel was Reverend Albert Duke, former student at Anderson and now for eight years pastor at Warsaw, Ind.

Reverend W. D. Crowell, for twelve years pastor at St. Louis, Mo., has recently accepted the pastorate of the First Church of God, at Norfolk, Va. Reverend and Mrs. Crowell graduated from Anderson in the early twenties.

Reverend Lawrence E. Brooks, also a graduate of Anderson, succeeded the Crowells in St. Louis. He and Mrs. Brooks were recently in Anderson, bringing their daughter Charlotte who is a Freshman this year.

Miss Mary Husted, Class of '39, Registrar at the College, has moved her office across the hall to the room formerly occupied by Dr. Kardatzke. Dr. Kardatzke's office is now on the second floor.

Reverend Bert James, Class of '31, recently resigned the pastorate at Robertsdale, Pa., and will take up pastoral work elsewhere.

Reverend and Mrs. Harold Boyer, pastors of the South Side Church of God in Indianapolis, visited on the campus recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Byrd have moved from Anderson to Bloomington, where Mr. Byrd is doing work toward the Doctor of Philosophy degree.

Reverend H. C. Carpenter, pastor at Lakeview, Ohio, whose son is a Freshman in Anderson College, recently visited the campus. Mrs. Carpenter accompanied him.

The College Ladies' Trio, composed of Geraldine Hurst, Lois Denton, and Jean Reynolds, closed a very successful revival meeting at St. James, Mo., just before the college year began. Large crowds attended the services, and many were turned away, unable to gain entrance to the building. Reverend Eustace Johnson is pastor at St. James.

Miss Lottie Franklin, Class of '40, is now engaged in teaching at the Pacific Bible College.

Reverend I. K. Goodrick, Class of '20, formerly of Phillipsburg, Kan., has recently assumed the pastorate at Pueblo, Colo.

Mr. Earl Wyer, who was a student in Anderson College several years ago, has returned this year for further work.

Word has reached Anderson of the marriage last August of Miss Betty Jackson, graduate and former instructor in music in Anderson College, to Mr. Percy Campbell, Ontario, Canada.

Charles Struthers, of Charlevoix, Mich., entered Anderson College again this fall, after spending a couple of years in school in Chicago. He was formerly a student here.

Mrs. Morrison, wife of President Morrison, has been appointed sponsor of the student group in Park Place Sunday school.

All visitors to the College, including Alumni, former students, and friends immediately go straight to the fourth floor where they inspect the new library quarters. They are unanimous in their verdict that they are surprised to

find that such attractive and commodious quarters could be provided on the fourth floor.

Mr. Rolla Shultz, a graduate of Anderson College, is one of Anderson's leading electrical contractors. He was in charge of the wiring of the new quarters for the library.

Many students made visits to the publishing plant across the street. Much interest has been shown in the new addition to the building.

Much credit is due to Mr. O. E. Howard, general contractor, who supervised the building of the new library without charge to the College. We all say, "Thank you, Mr. Howard."

Anderson College has no more loyal Alumnus than Mr. Edward Marti, of Donahue, Iowa. On his road home from the Washington Convention he stopped to pay a short visit to the College. While he was here he left a substantial donation in the College office.

Miss Mona Moors, Class of '22, long-time missionary to India, is in America this year on furlough. She is visiting many churches in the homeland and is expected to spend some time this winter in Anderson.

Reverend Elmer Rich, Class of '31, is again a student in Anderson College. He is also pastor of North Anderson Church of God.

Reverend and Mrs. J. G. Beecher, of Wichita, Kan., were recent visitors in Anderson. Their son Orvall Beecher is a former student here, and their daughter Esther now lives in Anderson.

Mrs. Bessie L. Byrum, fourteen years instructor in Anderson College, visited chapel for the purpose of urging the co-operation of students in attending the Park Place Sunday School, of which she is the efficient and long-time superintendent.

Most of the work in connection with keeping the physical plant at Anderson College in shape is done by students themselves. Leslie Ratzlaff, a Senior, is in charge of the outside force. Alfred Brown, a Senior, is the efficient manager of the dining hall. Miss Gladys Wolever, a student, is matron.

At this time of year the campus in Anderson is exceedingly beautiful. There are scores of trees, native to Indiana, dotting the landscape. They are clothed in all the many colors characteristic of "October's bright blue weather."