# **ALUMNI NEWS**

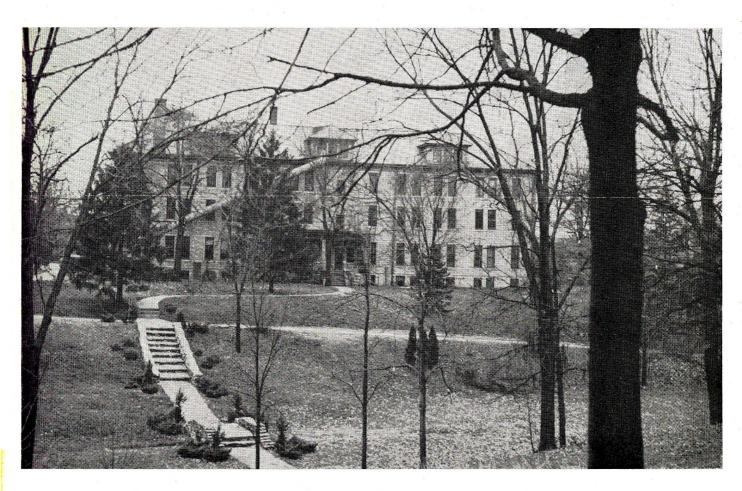
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# Merry Christmas



We thank God for all Anderson College Alumni and friends. We send you our prayers and best wishes for

Christmas and the New Year.

"There has come a new revelation of God. I am beginning to think of God's faithfulness instead of my faith and my limitation."—Mae

instead of my faith and my limitation."—Mae Johnson "The words 'Abundant Living' at last have a real meaning for me."—Beryl Stokely "Never in my past life have I received such an uplift in my own soul."—Helen McDermott "Brother Weber definitely helped me to reach a height in my Christian experience for which I have been striving for many months. I es-pecially appreciated his honesty, sincerity, and appreciation of what Anderson College is do-ing for the church."—Orson Crouch "The blessings I received in these services I would not exchange for anything. Every ser-vice answered some problem I have had."— Emma Wollert "I pray that I shall always remember the

"I pray that I shall always remember the Law of the Overflow; 'Give and it shall be given unto you,' with the emphasis on GIVE."

Law of the Overflow; 'Give and it shall be given unto you,' with the emphasis on GIVE." -H. Hudson "These thought-provoking messages have giv-en me release in the spiritual and all other areas of my life."--Fred Bird "Brother Weber not only told us that we OUGHT to live abundantly, but told us HOW to live abundantly."--Maurice Mauch "Brother Weber's great overflow has primed our pumps that we might also spread the over-flow of God's love."--Curtis Lee "These services have given me a greater desire and determination to accept nothing but the best life has to offer."--Mrs. C. A. Craig "We have felt the overflow of God's pres-ence and love in these chapel services, and it has challenged us to go forth and share it with others."--Lucena McGillen "His preaching made a synthesis of mod-ern science and the Christianity' to us, which I have thoroughly enjoyed."--Wilma Perry

which I have unroughny the Perry "These messages have been special blessings to me in my purpose and attempt to live 'out of the overflow." For this I do praise God and thank Brother Weber."—Daisy V. Maiden "'Give and it shall be given to you.' His positive approach appealed to me."—George Von Norman

New avenues have been opened in my spiri-tual horizon to fill my life anew."—Ethel Moore "Answered the problems of the Christian life in a positive and practical way."—William Ewert

Ewert "Each message gave positive proof that an abundant Christian life, based upon the giving of ourselves, is in reach of everyone."—E. C. Ogle "This has been one of my most profitable weeks spiritually."—Don Smith "I have learned better how to apply the Scriptures to my own life."—Ethan Tilton "My experience in Christian living has grown a step higher."—David Jenkins

"Many of my problems have been solved by listening to the sermons."—Toula Veikos

"Helped me to understand and live a more abundant life."—Earl Germany "The messages have helped me to learn the secret of sharing Christ with others."—Oscar Borden

"His messages have been a real inspiration to me."—C. A. Longton "Brother Weber's messages and counseling have left an impact on the student body that has changed lives and transformed personalities." —Henry Miller

-Henry Miller "He preached as if he were well informed. His messages had the sense of approval of God."-Donald Roemer



"Living for others makes the Christian's life a life of joy and happiness."—Ralph Taylor "I have received a great uplift that will stay with me the rest of my life."—LaVern Sweet "I h

Sweet "I have been taught to depend more upon God and to let his Spirit ever have control of my life."—E. R. Maddron "The services have fed my soul and helped me in the development of my prayer life."— Eunice Baxter "Have received priceless help from your mes-sages."—Idell Koehler "I have been helped spiritually and mentally." —Charles Schaffter "Have helped me to see a deeper spiritual

"Has helped me to see a deeper spiritual life through service."—Emmitt Whalen "Has opened new roads for me!"—Amber Guffey

"I now know the definite steps and ways by which I can live a more abundant life."—Arlene

"Have inspired and helped me to realize the need of the overflow in my own life."—Doris

"I have been helped to live a deeper, fuller, richer Christian life."—Miriam Weisel

"My life is on a higher plane of living."— Ellsworth Palmer. "We have learned that to live abundantly and have an overflow in our lives we must follow the higher law of living—Give, and it shall be given to you."—Bernice McCurdy "Among the few outstanding things in my spiritual life was the Weber series of messages." —Gladys Tefft "His sermons always act on my soul as hot water acts on a frozen pump."—A. J. Bruyere "I have been helped to know a new and and vital sense of the presence of God."—Lula Howard

"I now realize more fully my dependence on God."—Paul Tanner "I have received much encouragement and I have received my hich to improve my

"Have been inspired with a determination to practice the presence of God and to give my life in abundant service for others."—Marie Strong

Inter in abundant service for others. —Marie Strong "He gave thoughts and advice needed for suc-cessful everyday living."—Thomas Mineah "Have a greater desire to live a happy, abundant life."—Neloin Acheson "It has been a challenge to me to stop strain-ing in my religious experience and to give all up to God."—Norma Garner "Helped me to see how to rid myself of those troublesome conflicts which rob life of radiance and fullness."—Woodrow Starkey "Have come in closer contact with God."— Geneva Cockerham "He proved to me that I can have life and have it more abundantly."—Vivian Swanson "These services have been great for the student body and to me, personally."—Burt Cody

"Vital and timely messages."—Owen Raney "By God's help I'm going to try to live more for others and less for myself."—Iris Woolen "I have received new light on many things." —John Allen "Enriched my life."—Leona Gregory

--John Allen "Enriched my life."--Leona Gregory "I have been challenged to do greater service for God."---Carl Maines "I am more determined to live closer to God and to be of help to my brethren."---Imogene Franklin

Franklin "A great help to higher living."—W. Bebee "I have been encouraged."—Kenneth Dean "I realize now how I may have a more about me."—Jeanette Net and serve those about me."—Jeanette Sexton "Words are inadequate to express my appre-ciation."—Mary Lou Johnson

#### We have more testimonies for our next "News"

# Eastern Alumni **Have Banquet**

The annual banquet of the Eastern Alumni Association was held on October 10, 1944, at the First Church of God in Baltimore. Maryland, during the Eastern Ministers' Convention. The incumbent president, Mrs. Esther Kirkpatrick, was mistress of cere-monies. The speaker, I. K. Dawson, told of the recent events around the college that signify the growth of our Alma Mater.

A business meeting was held in connection with the banquet. Officers elected for the new year are: President, Mrs. Esther Kirkpatrick of Baltimore; vice-president, Rev. Dale Lehman, pastor of the Church of God Scranton, Pennsylvania; secretaryin treasurer, Miss Helen Hanson, of New York City.

The major item of business was the selection of a project that would challenge the Alumni of the East to do something that would entail enough sacrifice to express our true appreciation of our Alma Mater. The project chosen was the purchase of a large window for the new chapel.

H. REVERE COOK, '42

#### Quotations from Alumni Who Attended Eastern Alumni Banquet

"We are with you in this great work."-The

"We are with you in uns great and Kirkpatricks "I am back of you 100 per cent for a great offering on College Sunday."—W. B. Crowell "We'll be co-operating with you."—G. L.

"Till try to make your job a little easier."— John T. Lackey "With love in my heart for our Alma Mater, I shall do all possible to give her a boost by a better offering than last year."—Chris A. Bachman

"Count on my support."—I. K. Dawson "Agnes and I are delighted that you have taken the important job as Alumni Secretary. Best wishes for a successful regime."—Gene

Best wishes for a successful regime."--Gene Newberry "Fifteen dollars on College Sunday from Jer-sey Shore!"---Edgar Williams "Because we care, College Sunday will be a great success."--Dale Lehman "Success awaits your efforts. I am for you."--Nora Hunter "As an alumna who knows the value of ACTS to the individual student, I'll help as much as possible."--Frances Edmondson "My interests are in the college efforts and my co-operation can be depended upon."--Mary Margaret Sowers "May God give you success in your new re-sponsibility. We will plan to help you.--W. I. Plough "National Memorial Church in Washington will co-operate to its fullest ability."--The Perrys "You can count on Lansdale Pennsylvania to

"You can count on Lansdale, Pennsylvania, to back the Alumni program 100 per cent."—The Struthers

"You have taken over a big job as Secretary of our Alumni organization, but if each member will help it can be a pleasant job. My best wishes to you."—Frank A. Towers "The Church at Reading, Pennsylvania, is standing wholeheartedly behind the college." —The Handys

"The Church at Reading, Pennsylvania, is standing wholeheartedly behind the college." —The Handys "Here is wishing you success in your new field of work. I shall take an offering College Sunday. You may count on Concord, N.C."— Ivan P. Alls "You've a big job ahead, John, but you're a big man. We know you will lead us on to an ever greater success."—Steele C. Smith "Wil do what we can on College Day."— Marcel R. Desgalier "Wil do all we can to help make your job a success on College Day."—H. B. Huntsinger "As ever I am for an educational program and institution that will better qualify our young workers for their respective tasks in God's world. And I am for you in your new field as secretary of the National Alumni of Anderson College."—George E. Sample "Tm back of you 100 per cent, John."— W. C. Wood

"I'm back of you 100 per cent, John."— W. C. Wood "Best wishes to you for success in your new work. The job is great, but we are all back of you. Will do all I can to help you and Anderson College."—Daniel Schemmer.

#### Congratulations

Sharon Joy Hazen was born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hazen of Dennison, Ohio, on November 19, 1944.

Mr. and Mrs. William Currah. of Portland, Oregon, announce the birth of a son.



Pres. Geo. Blackwell presenting Pres. Morrison College Sunday gifts

Rev. D. Oldham speaking to 300 at Homecomers' Dinner

At right: Coach White meets Lt. Edgar May (former coach). Pres. Morrison looks on



Below: Dr. Eaton, with the broom, is a mighty good actress!





Rev. Lowery Quinn preaches at chapel service

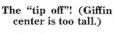


Sachem Club gives chicken to fleet faculty

At right: Bill Baxter runs up the score



The cheer leaders get ready and do a fine job



Photos by Harold Phillips and Paul Breitweiser

### 1944 College Day Gifts

Individuals

All gifts received since the last issue of the News are here listed as College Sunday gifts. At the close of our fiscal year, April 30, 1945, we will publish The Annual Roll Call of Contributors, which will include all contributors to the Alumni Fund from May 1, 1944, to April 30, 1945. Any church or indi-vidual who has not contributed to the Alumni Fund this year should do so in time to be listed on the Annual Roll Call.

Many thanks to all who have thus far responded to the College Sunday observance. We know that many such gifts will come in after this report goes to press. Corrections will be appreciated.

#### ALABAMA

Church Groups	e 10.00
Cullman, H. G. Johnson Sylacauga, W. R. Veitch	\$ 10.00
ARIZONA	10.10
Church Group	
Tucson, J. W. Denton	2.70
ARKANSAS Individual	
Helen Wiens, Batavia	5.00
CALIFORNIA	
Church Groups	
North Fairbanks Community Chapel, Redwood City, Ralph A. Benson Homeland Chapel, Sacramento,	15.00
Homeland Chapel, Sacramento,	10.00
J. G. Beecher	22.00
COLORADO Church Groups	
Church Groups North Denver, Elmer Rich	50.00
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Individual	1 00
Earl Ogle, Greeley DELAWARE	1.00
Church Group	
Willow Grove, Wyoming,	
Leonard Taylor	2.75
FLORIDA Church Groups	
South Daytona Beach, N. J. Jones West Palm Beach, W. D. Collins	6.00
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T. J. Kemp, Ocala GEORGIA	5.00
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Valdosta, H. L. Elliott	3.00
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Bedford, Melvin Miller	124.69
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Lawrence, Burt Coody	10.00
Richmond Herschell Rice	$17.12 \\ 25.00$
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0	Albany, Charles H. Clark New York, W. B. Crowell Niagara Falls, Marcel R. Desgalier	13.75
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0	NORTH CAROLINA	3.00
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0	High Point, W. C. Livingston Morganton, R. B. Conner	6.00
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0	Cleveland, Lamont Cleveland, Cecil Brown Corning, Arnold R. Cromlish Dayton, Dale Oldham Elmore, J. N. Richardson Hamilton, W. H. Hunt Lima, C. L. Quinn Marion, W. H. Shinn Middletown, R. C. Caudill Piqua, Dalph A. Poole Rittman Albert Henry Toledo, Boyd Williams Youngstown, L. L. Wonnenberg	10.00
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	Individual	
0	Herbert Peterson, Wounded Knee	1.00
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0	Greenville, Paul C. Hartzell	5.00
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•	R. E. Ball, Raymondsville	2.00
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)	Ens. H. G. Miller	5.00
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7	Last-minute mail from Norton and	
	Arkansas City, Kansas; Seibert,	
)	Arkansas City, Kansas; Seibert, Pueblo, and Stratton, Colorado; Royal Oak, Michigan; Laurel, Mis-	
	sissippi and Vincennes. Indiana,	
)	brings an added total of	316.42

The Anderson chapter of the National Alumni Association is buying furnishings for our Alumni Office. To date \$143.25 has been paid in. More will be given. This is above the regular giving of these members to the Alumni Fund.

Alumni Fund.	
George Blackwell	\$25.00
George Blackwell Mr. and Mrs. Ewald E. Wolfram Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Barnett	5.00
Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Barnett	3.00
Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon Helms	3.00
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Local Alumni	143.25

OTHER CONTRIBUTIONS TO COLLEGE

Various students at College W. L. Patterson, Ridgefield,	\$156.39
Washington	6.21
	\$162.60

GRAND	TOTAL	,	\$7,389.27

# Correction

In the October issue of the Alumni News we said that Lillian Baublet and Dean Price were married on September 20. This should have read "Lillian Baublet and Dean Young."

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# Editorial

So sorry! Homecomers' affairs and no room in this issue mean no editorial. Better luck next time.

All of us here at the college, and especially the workers in the Alumni Office, wish you a Christ-filled Christmas and a warending 1945. Let us all unite our prayers and efforts to that end.

> John H. Kane Helen Holton Wilma Ratcliff

# Homecomers' Chapel Service

By Farilla David

Wednesday morning, November 22. at 10:30, the Homecomers, Alumni of Anderson College, and the present students, went to the Park Place Church of God for chapel service. It was cold and snowing a little outside. Inside Waneta Montgomery played softly on the organ as the crowd gathered and filled the main sanctuary and the annex.

The service opened with prayer by Rev. John H. Kane, Executive Secretary of the National Alumni Association. The songs, "Our Glad Thanksgiving," and "O Worship the King," were then sung by the congregation, under the direction of George Blackwell, president of the Alumni Association.

Paul Whalen sang a solo, "Calvary," accompanied by Professor Paul Breitweiser at the piano. Paul Whalen's talent is outstanding and Anderson College justly feels proud of him.

Dr. Reardon led in the responsive reading, and Rev. Lester Crose prayed for the College, students, and faculty, that they may be a blessing in doing their work to the glory of God.

The congregation appreciated Melvin Miller's solo, "I Trust in God." Then John Kane acknowledged the gifts, mentioning each state and asking the representatives of it to stand while he read the amount of the gifts and the churches from which they were received.

George Blackwell, in behalf of the Alumni Association, presented the gifts to President Morrison for the College. The total amounted to \$6,000, with many congregations as yet unheard from, but having specified their intention of sending in their contributions.

President Morrison is never an indifferent speaker, but he spoke with more than the usual feeling on this occasion. He mentioned the growing need for more space, with the student body growing very fast, and the situation becoming more critical each year with regard to new dormitories, a science hall, and a library building. He felt that it is shocking that in some instances Alumni pastors did not send in contributions from their churches. Dr. Morrison said, in part: "We are trying to make the college a place primarily to serve the Church—a college which stands for real religion, which will be a proper place for these young people who come here. We want to serve and to have the support of the Church. We have a tremendous job to do."

Dean Olt offered the prayer of dedication of the gifts, asking with fervor that they might be used to the glory of God.

The trio, composed of Bernice McCurdy, Martha Phelps, and Gertie Miller, sang, "Thanks Be to God," after which Rev. Kane introduced the speaker, Rev. C. L. Quinn, of Lima, Ohio, who spoke on the subject, "Give God the Best," using as a text David's vow, "Neither will I offer unto the Lord that which costs me nothing."

"It is not important that we give gifts which do not cost us anything," said Mr. Quinn. "As a nation, we spend five or six billions of dollars annually for alcohol, while all the gifts for religious purposes amount to scarcely one billion dollars. To the god of war, we give tens of billions of dollars. We are bringing now the flower of humanity as a sacrifice on the altar of war. To God we offer only that which we do not need: We can never have a better world until we give God our best.

"It does not matter whether you are going to be a schoolteacher, a housewife, a doctor, a minister, or a lawyer," the speaker continued. "That is not the important thing. The thing that is important is that, in your field of activity and labor, you give God the best you have—the best of your time, the best of your talents."

Rev. Quinn spoke further of the value of higher education at this time, especially for those who will do rehabilitation work requiring foreign languages and knowledge of how to carry on relations with the peoples of other countries. Effective work requires higher education as well as that deeper spiritual experience essential to all work in God's kingdom.

The service closed with a benediction by Rev. I. K. Dawson, former Executive Secretary of the National Alumni Association.

### What Is Our Executive Secretary Doing?

I shall be glad to tell you. I worked on the September News mostly by remote control from Detroit, Michigan. I arrived at the Alumni office about the middle of September. The first thing on the docket was the October Alumni News. You should know that we are mailing approximately 6,500 News each month. It is a big job to keep our address stencils correct as there is a lot of moving going on. We send the News to all the Servicemen who have attended college here.

Daily there is much letter writing. Because a letter is mimeographed is no sign that it lacks the personal touch with us. I have looked at the addressed envelopes and felt and knew that I was writing to each one of you personally. Our Alumni family is large, and it takes thousands of letters to try to serve each one of you. Keep your letters coming our way. We not only like to get them, but we must have them in order to know how we can serve you best. And then we need news—lots of it—so as to keep an eight-page paper coming to you every month.

I have been very busy promoting College Sunday.

I have attended the following meetings: Indiana State Ministers' Meeting, Michigan State Ministers' Meeting, Indianapolis Pastors' Fellowship, Southeastern Ministers' Meeting at Jacksonville, Florida, and the West Virginia Ministers' Meeting. I was the speaker at the Northern Indiana District Youth Rally at South Bend and at the Northern Indiana Youth Convention at Marion.

I have preached about twenty-four times at the following places: Rochester, Indiana; Dayton, Ohio (two Sundays and two radio programs); two congregations in Detroit, Michigan (on two different trips); two different congregations in Indianapolis (on two trips); Harold Boyer's church in St. Louis, Missouri; twice at the Kansas City Assembly; four different Church of God congregations in Anderson, Sturgis (Michigan) Ministerial Association's Union Thanksgiving service, which was held at the First Baptist Church. O. C. Denniston was the chairman.

I aim to serve my brother pastors all I can. Call on me for the things you feel I can do to help you. I am at your service.

JOHN H. KANE

# Class Column

Junior Class: The Junior Class viewed their third Home-Coming Festival with even more pride than the previous ones. Everyone enjoyed the rooster race very much, and many Juniors told me how they liked the basketball game, the banquet, and the chapel service.

The banquet was the most satisfying, according to Ralph Starr and Ernie Owen, while Arlene Mauch thought that the entire day's events were "the grandest ever." Emery Williams declared that "the game was grand, but the Sachems carried the day with the faculty chicken race."

Many of us noticed especially the visiting Alumni and wondered how we could ever become so dignified in so short a time after leaving A.C.T.S.

The Junior Class thoroughly enjoyed all the Home-Coming events and extends a hand of thanks to those responsible for the program. PHILIP RUSTEN

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Home-Coming to a SOPHOMORE: Someone has said that anticipation is greater than realization, but speaking for the Sophomore Class, we consider this statement as a complete reversal of the facts. Our anticipation of Home-Coming events was great, but the actual realization went far beyond our fondest hopes.

The joy that came from the greeting of old friends, the fine entertainment and good food of the Alumni banquet, the exciting basketball game, and finally, the Home-Comers' beautiful chapel service made this year's "get together" a complete success. QUENTIN WITHROW \*

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FRESHMEN HIGHLIGHTS: Say, have you seen Freshmen Evelyn Meyer, Max Harringer, and John Allen flashing peculiar looking acts lately? Don't worry too much about them. They're just practicing yells. Those kids are three of the newly-elected cheer leaders.

All those swell guides at Home-Coming were from our latest Freshmen Class. Eight weeks ago we probably could not have done it quite so competently, but we're "on the beam" now. We noticed at our Home-Coming basketball game with Griffin that Freshman Ferd Thoma placed a little "jag." Nice going, Ferd!

The freshmen officers this year are: Eunice Jones, president; Ross Mitchell, vice-president; Kenneth Hall, secretary and treasurer. These persons are doing their best to make this an outstanding year for all freshmen students.

#### **College Sunday Offering to** Date Is-\$7,389.27

The Executive Committee of the National Alumni Association met at the Alumni office October 27-28 and planned for the balance of the year's work

The chapel service on October 27 was conducted by your officers. Elmer Rich and Bob Reardon spoke. George Blackwell had charge of the music, and Helen Holton read the Scripture. John H. Kane presided.

#### **Comments From and** About Our Alumni

THELMA and HAROLD BOYER, students '34-'37: "We are enjoying our work in this great city of St. Louis, Mo. We came here last August. We become more and more grateful for what Anderson College has contributed to our lives and ministry.'

EDGAR L. BUSCH, '28: "I am pastoring the Church of God in Royal Oak, Mich. This is a congregation that was transplanted from a colored section in Detroit to Royal Oak, January 1944.

"I am delighted with the growth of the College.'

KAY LEONARD, '41: Teaching Junior High English in Rensselaer city schools.

JOHN J. BOLT, '27: "Attending college at Anderson. Have been pastoring churches since 1927. Most recent was in Fort Dodge, Iowa.

ARTHUR, '43, and MONA, '40, HOFFMAN (Morrison): They are at the Missionary Home in New York City with Brother Crowell. Art goes to New York University and is studying Postwar Rehabilitation. He also assists Brother Crowell with the pastorate. Mona has charge of the music at the church. Mona and Art are planning to go to Europe after the war.

ARTHUR and MYRTLE BEBEE, '41: Assisting Rev. C. Lowrey Quinn in Lima, Ohio.

GLADYS CRABTREE SMOOT, '40: "First of all, I am a pastor's wife. I do substitute teaching in the public schools, first grade through the twelfth. I have been teaching Leadership Training classes in our church this fall. Also, I am taking six hours of college work to apply on a B.S. Degree which I hope to get sometime soon.

"I like Anderson College so well that I intend to re-enroll one of these days!"

DENVER H. SMOOT, '40: "I am pastoring at Parkersburg, West Virginia, and taking eighteen hours of study at Marietta College, Marietta, Ohio.

'I have always been sold on Anderson College. Now that I am attending another school, I can appreciate Anderson College more than ever.

"I shall remember Carl Fortner because of his cheerful personality and promising future."

WILFORD WOOD, '36: "I have been pastor of the Charlevoix, Michigan, church for a little over two years, and I enjoy the work very much.

"I really appreciate what our school has done for me and what it is doing for other young men. A number of Alumni have spoken in my church in the last year. We are happy that such a fine type of young men are coming out of our Seminary. We are looking forward to the time when we shall have more graduates working in this part of the state."

C. O. and VERNIE NEWMAN, '28: "We are pastoring the church at Alluwe, Oklahoma, where we have been for the past three years. The Lord is blessing us and we are able to see growth in numbers and spirituality.

"We appreciated the school so much when we were there, and we still see some fine products coming from the college. Glad to be counted as Anderson College Alumni."

EDGAR WILLIAMS, '35: pastor at Jersey Shore, Pennsylvania, writes that he likes the progressive outlook of the college and the Alumni program. He encourages us to keep up the good work.

Brother Williams burned his church mortgage on November 19.

## Klubs' Kolumn

"Hail Camarada!" was the lusty greeting that echoed through the halls during the days the new Camarada pledges were being initiated. The "new five" looked a bit queer carrying their books to class in buckets. There were all kinds of buckets—from scrub buckets to the "old oaken bucket."

As a climax to the initiation, the Camaradas had a slumber party at Tom and Mary Bailey's. Besides the penalties for the new members, there was a lot of good food-Russian tea, toasted cheese sandwiches, dill pickles, taffy, and in the morning bacon, pancakes, and coffee. M-m-m-mm.

Incidentally, from now on you can salute Evajoy Smith, Claudina Eller, Toula Veikos, Barbara Haas, and Jessie Tressler as fullfledged Camaradas.

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HELEN HAMLIN

Tim Karamitros, the latest addition to the Booster Club, thinks it is grand to be a Booster. Tim hails from Los Angeles, California.

Here is one for the records! Laying aside all pride and prejudice, the Boosters and Sachems had a breakfast hike-together. Bill Baxter, master chef, did a neat job of pitching up the bacon and eggs while George Van Norman concocted a rather unreasonable facsimile of Maxwell House coffee.

MAURICE MAUCH

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The Drama Club of Anderson College is doing big things this year! With a membership of seventy-two students, which includes much of the top talent of the campus, hopes are running high for the success of future productions.

On November third the club had a formal in the Mulberry Room at the Y.M.C.A. President Morrison was the after-dinner speaker, and Rev. A. O. Jenkins was the toastmaster. After the banquet the group returned to the college chapel where they enjoyed a musicale. Professor Paul Breitweiser was the guest artist.

Rehearsals are already under way for the chief fall production, which will be a threeact mystery drama. This play has a good cast and promises to have lots of thrills and chills for mystery fans when it is presented on December 8, 1944.

WILMA PERRY

#### Northwest Alumni Meet for Fellowship Dinner

The Alumni Association was represented in the cool, scenic Northwest last summer by an Alumni get-together at Edmonds, Wash., camp meeting. Under the fir trees on the shore of Puget Sound, Miss Belle M. Watson was hostess at a very pleasant fellowship dinner.

Present were George and Ruth (Eckert) Edes, '24, pastors at Kalamazoo, Mich, and evangelists at the Edmonds meeting; Luke Bennett, '24, and his wife, who are pastors at Seattle; Rev. Bennett's guest, Captain Z. Horton, chaplain in the U.S. Army, formerly head of Winchester Academy; C. W. 24, and Mildred, 25, (Sutton) Hatch, who with their son Dickie were attending the Pacific Coast camp meetings; and the hostess, Belle M. Watson, '21-'22, former missionary to China.

# The Executive Secretary's "Little Black Book" Says:

Vernon and Martha Guttenfelder are pastors at Bremen, Indiana. Their daughter, Marcia Lyn, was born May 18, 1944. Al Beyler also is in Bremen. Paul Greibel is pastor at Lapaz, Indiana. DeVon Helbling is assisting Rev. G. K. White at Elkhart, Indiana. DeVon is in charge of choir, teaches piano and voice, teaches young married people's class in Sunday school, and attends Goshen College. Reinhold Steinke attends First Church of God in Dayton, Ohio. Forest F. Carlson is pastor of South Side Church, Dayton, Ohio. Rev. A. D. Preston, 2100 Weslev Avenue, Birmingham, Alabama, is a new man among us and should be kept busy.

## K. C. Alumni Have Banquet

#### **By Eustace Johnson**

October 25 was an outstanding day for the alumni who attended the Kansas City Ministers' Convention. The annual alumni banquet was held at noon on that day. The delicious food was prepared and served by the ladies of the Kansas City church.

Victor Gritzmacher, assisted by his wife at the piano, led the group in some inspiring choruses. Herb Thompson sang a beautiful number. Dr. J. T. Wilson, founder of Anderson College, led in prayer. Joe Herrington played a magic stunt with Clarence Hatch's hat. President Morrison gave an interesting and informational talk about the college. When John H. Kane was introduced he responded with some splendid remarks about the program of the Alumni Association for the days ahead. I feel that I am voicing the sentiment of the entire association when I say, "We are fortunate to have a man of John Kane's type as the Executive Secretary of this grand group.'

#### From Alumni Pens

Perhaps you might be interested in the progress of the more important half of our family-Richard. He has been promoted to first lieutenant and has received the air medal with three oak leaf clusters. He also wears the E.T.O. ribbon with two stars. Richard has been in England since June, what time he hasn't been over Europe!

We are both anxiously awaiting the time when we shall again be permitted to join the ranks as Anderson College students.

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MINNIE EDMONSON, '40-'43

I like the personal emphasis that you are giving to your work for Anderson College through our Alumni Association. I was just wondering how many letters you wrote personally in connection with College Sunday. I feel that this personal touch is going to do a lot in encouraging a better support from the field.

I realize that our college is meaning much to our movement, and that it will continue to mean a great deal more. We at South Side are particularly indebted to the help that has come to us through the many fine students that have come and gone through the years. May God bless our college and all who are laboring so faithfully to promote its interest and usefulness. You can count on me to be a loyal booster at all times.

WILLIAM A. FLEENOR, '27



Old-timers. Guess who? Don't be too hard on the present students. You were silly, too.

In conjunction with my pastoral duties, I am enrolled at Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri, to work on the Master of Science degree. Needless to say, I am enthusiastic over my educational preparation and I greatly enjoy my work as a pastor.

Any of the Alumni and any college students passing through East St. Louis or St. Louis are invited to visit with us or to call us by telephone.

MILBURN H. MILLER, '43

I should like to report the arrival of our baby daughter, Nancy Carol. She was born October 7, 1944, and weighed six pounds and six ounces. She makes our little home very KATHERINE (SCHERER) PATRIE, '42 happy.

I appreciate the Alumni News so much. I can never put the News down when it arrives until I have read it through. It does something to me down deep inside to hear from the old classmates and to read of the progress that our college is making.

MRS. MARY (WHITTEN) CHRISTOPHER, '34

I received your letter of September 20 and was glad to receive my membership card for 1944 in the Alumni Association. I have enclosed two dollars for my back dues.

I hope you have a good Home-coming this year. I should like to be there to enjoy the fine fellowship and fun.

RUBY LeCounte, '41

Perhaps you would like to hear a word about our work here in Willmar. We have been here a little over two years now, and in that time we have seen an increase in every department of the church. The people have co-operated in every way, which has made this progress possible.

We are broadcasting every Sunday morning, 9:30 to 9:45, over the local station KWLM. The letters and cards that are received in response to this broadcast prove that much good will is being made for the church.

I am still "sawing away with my musical saw," and Mrs. Schield and I are called to speak, sing, and play the saw in the various churches in Willmar and the surrounding community. We believe this has spread the influence of the church.

We just closed a successful revival meeting with Rev. Carl Poe of Brookings, South Dakota, as the evangelist. There were new people each night in the fine crowds that attended. On several occasions the church was filled. A number sought the Lord for spiritual help.

May God's richest blessings be upon all our friends, and much success to you, John, in your new office. We desire your prayers for God's continued help here.

RUSSELL ('24-'27) and MARY SCHIELD

We appreciate the fine work you are doing. We know that it is hard at first to get your bearings and to know just how to go about your work, but you are doing a splendid job. Remember that we are behind you and will stand loyal to the school and its program.

R. C. ('28) and MARGIE ('29) HANDY

# Weddings and Engagements

MILLIE FEDOR, present student, was married recently to PFC. ISHAM (JOE) CRANE, student '41-'42, of Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

On Sunday, November 19, THELMA JONES and PAUL WHALEN, both present students, announced their engagement through a medley of love songs that was recorded, after which Eunice Jones made the formal announcement.

HELEN STONEKING, student '43, who became a WAVE in February, 1944, was married to JIM KILLGORE on October 19, 1944. Helen and Jim live in Bethesda, Maryland.

WINNIE MAE POSEY, student '40-'41, and PFC. ISAAC NACHTIGAL, student '38-'40, were married in Indianapolis, Indiana, on November 26, 1944. Isaac was in Iran (Persia) for one year and in India for one year. He returned to the United States on October 30, and is stationed at present at the Winter General Hospital, Topeka, Kansas.

The September issue of the Alumni News reached me today. It had been to Dalhart, Tex;. Ardmore, Okla.; Miami Beach, Fla.; San Antonio, Tex.; catching up with me here at Grand Island. It would seem appropriate to bring you up to date as to my address inasmuch as I really do appreciate getting the News.

After reading this issue, I'm sure things are "looking up" at Anderson College, and without doubt all of you are working overtime to assure continued success.

It seems that Park Place is sustaining more than its share of tragedy and grief in this World War II. Was so sorry to read LT. GLEN CALHOUN, '34-'36 about Mark.

# His Memory Will Cheer Us Always

#### By Gertrude Little

"We regret to inform you—," again came that dreaded message from the Adjutant General to one of our number, Betty Jayne Martin Fortner, wife of Lieutenant Carl L. Fortner ('43), U.S. Army Air Corps, killed in an accident over North Burma on October 23, 1944, while ferrying bundles of food or other supplies to ground troops stationed in that area.

I think those of you who knew Carl would know that he would want no sadness connected with his going. Of all the happy students who have smiled their way into our lives and hearts, Carl was in the front ranks. No one can remember him except in the most cheerful of moods.

Truly, all could agree with Dr. Reardon when he said that Carl was an exemplary Christian. On his frequent visits home he never failed to be in his place at church to worship God. "Carl was one of the grandest fellows I ever had the opportunity of knowing. He was a real leader, sportsman, and a sincere Christian," were the words of one of his fellow students now in service, in a letter to the writer this week.

In the last letter that came to the church from Carl, dated September 8, he said, "I'm well and getting along just fine. I have been fortunate up until now in regard to being near home so I don't feel that I have room to complain now. God has been good to me."

We shall always remember Carl, and we shall always be better persons for having had his sunny Christian life among us for a few years. He will inspire all of us to continued Christlike living.

### Our Alumni President Speaks

#### **By George Blackwell**

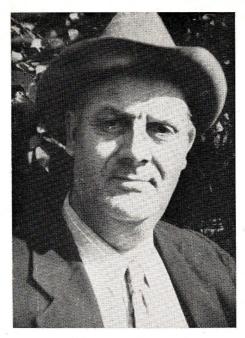
To simply say, "We thank you," falls far short of expressing our sincere gratitude to all the Alumni and friends of Anderson College for your response on College Sunday. You were wonderful! Only eternity will reveal the good done as your dollars work year after year for the education of your sons and daughters. You have gone on record by this act that you prize more highly the character of our youth than material possessions. This expression inspires our faith to undertake even greater things in the future.

The large student enrollment this year is a definite proof that American youth still strive for the better things in life and will continue to come to Anderson College in greater numbers if we have the full cooperation of the entire church to supply the physical means to take care of them when they come.

Again we say, "Thank you!"

#### In Memoriam

Sgt. Gerald E. Phillips, eldest son of Everett, '23, and Pearl Phillips, student '22-'23, and brother of Crystal Phillips, student '42, was killed in action in Italy on October 13, 1944. Gerald was nineteen years of age. He entered the service in December, 1942, on his eighteenth birthday, and had seen service in Africa and then in Italy, beginning with the battle of Cassino.



C. R. Withers. The happy college maintenance chief.

# Home-Coming Features an African Alumni Meeting

#### By Sidney P. Rogers

The value of the friendly fellowship found in the Alumni Association of Anderson College cannot be appreciated more by anyone than by the missionary Alumnus. During the ten years of service on the mission field in Africa, Mrs. Rogers and I were strengthened by the ever-constant thought that our Alumni brothers and sisters were side by side with us with their prayers and interest. May we take this opportunity of greeting all of you and expressing our sincere thanks for your expressed interest in the mission work of Africa.

The blessings we have received through the Alumni Association of Anderson College caused us to realize the value of a similar organization among the pupils of the school in Africa. Plans were accordingly carried out last year for the first home-coming of the old pupils of the school. Letters were sent to various parts of the colony inviting the graduates of the school to a happy reunion of fellowship. Of course, many of these letters had to be sent across the Indian Ocean to India, Ceylon, and other parts of the country as a number of men had been taken into the Army. These men were not able to attend the meeting, but the precious letters they wrote to the home friends expressing their sincere desire to be present have been prized very highly. All who were present were so pleased with the results and joys of the gathering that it was voted the reunion should be a permanent part of the

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**POSTMASTER:** If Addressee has removed and a new address is known, notify sender on Form 3547. Postage guaranteed. African school. The fellowship received from the reunion added new spiritual zeal and desire to carry on the work each was doing in his corner of the great colony of East Africa.

On behalf of the Alumni group of our African friends, I am requesting your prayers that a good Christian fellowship may be established there in Africa such as has been found in the Alumni group here in America.

#### Local Alumni Club By Elizabeth Pistole

It was October 16 and to the Alumni here in Anderson it meant the first meeting of the local Alumni Club for 1944-45. Came half-past six and about sixty-five Alumni were found in the College dining hall for a dinner meeting. The room was festive and gay with fall vegetable and fruit decorations of onions, potatoes, pears, and pumpkins.

The entertainment for the evening included two selections by the Ambassador Girls' Trio of the College and a very lovely solo, "Beside Still Waters," sung by Mrs. Gertie Miller. Rev. John H. Kane was the speaker of the evening and gave us a challenging message on "What Are You Doing?" in which he "advised" many of our group to take more interest in the new students and make them feel welcome, to have them as our guests, both in our homes and in the Alumni functions of the year.

Also, it was necessary to have a short business meeting in which the following officers were re-elected for the 1944-45 term: T. Franklin Miller, president; Annabelle Adcock, vice-president; Elizabeth Pistole, secretary-treasurer.

Included in the business meeting was the announcement by our president of a new project—that of helping to furnish the national Alumni office, of which Rev. Kane is executive secretary, with new furniture. The response was gratifying. This is a worthy project and should there be other local Alumni who were not at the meeting who wish to contribute to this project we will be happy to receive your contributions. You may send them to the local Club, in care of E. Pistole, or directly to John H. Kane, Anderson College. '

"In her educational program, particularly through Church-related Colleges, the Church is attacking the problem at the very point where a paralyzing secularism is fostered in the mind of America, namely in her educational system and the fundamental philosophy back of it. The Church has not awakened to the fact, and by that I mean you who sit in the pews and constitute the Church have not awakened to the fact, that unless you do something in the way of a more adequate program of Christian education, the secularistic approach to life which leaves out religious faith and worship all together, will eventually vitiate the work of -Rev. Carl W. Shanor the Church.

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