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## **SMC ALUMNI ASSOCIATION**

Treasurer's Report

The alumni officers and the administration of the College wish to thank the alumni for their wonderful support of the building program, especially the new Library Fund project at Southern Missionary College.

Total alumni giving for various projects on the campus reached \$13,238.12 during the calendar year 1968. This does not include pledges. This figure represents 6% of the total alumni and a per capita giving of \$96.62 for the members who have donated. The average gift for all the alumni now stands at \$6.16.

It was voted at the regular annual meeting that each member do his best to give a minimum of \$5 a year, If you have not availed yourself of this opportunity, your Alumni Association requests that you be active in this particular campaign to build the new \$625,000 library on the SMC campus.

The alumni members of the Ambassador Club, the Honor Club and the Committee of 100 are listed below. Others than those listed in these three categories are listed as donors to the Library Fund project.

#### THOSE WHO CONTRIBUTED SINCE THE LAST PUBLISHED LIST ARE AS FOLLOWS:

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#### COMMITTEE OF 100-ALUMNI WHO GAVE A TOTAL OF \$5,925 IN 1968

Andrew Chastain, '49 Chalmer Chastain, M.D., '44 Joseph Cruise, M.D., '36 A. N. Hall, '35 William J. Hulsey, '55

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Milton D. Norrell, M.D., '42 John Pifer, O.D., '55 Wayne Rimmer, D.O., Louis C. Waller, M.D., '39

### College Builds **New Structures**



President W. M. Schneider and College Manager Charles Fleming look over library plans and site.

Two main buildings are now under construction on the SMC campus, As the alumni know, the new library structure is under way, and Mr. Francis Costerisan, plant engineer, reports some progress in spite of the bad weather over the last few weeks.

The foundation walls are done, and it is hoped that construction on the upper walls will be started shortly. The library, which will cost \$625,000, will be two stories above the basement with the necessary reference rooms, reading rooms and offices for a library for more than 1500 college students.

Of the total cost of \$625,000, approximately \$175,000 has been received in cash to date with the alumni, faculty, constituents, students, businessmen in the area, and foundations supporting the drive.

Also under construction is the new college broom shop. (See picture on page 3).

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J. Mabel Wood, '20 .... Editor

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#### **ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OFFICERS**

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## Largest Class Graduates



(Photo by Curtis Carlson)

President W. M. Schneider presents diploma to Steven Wayne Thompson and congratulates him at commencement ceremonies.

## SMC Alumni Get Together At West Coast PR Meeting

A group of Southern Missionary College graduates and former students in attendance at the Public Relations Quadrennial Council at Pine Springs, Calif., got together for lunch and to have their picture made.

A large number of former students and graduates are serving in the public relations field across the North American Division, and they who were in attendance at SMC, are listed as follows:

Hugh V. Leggett, '52, Charlotte, N.C., public relations and ministerial secretary, Carolina Conference; Clyde O. Franz, '32, Washington, D.C., associate secretary, General Conference; Lois Mae Franz, '34, Washington, D.C., secretary to E. W. Tarr, secretary, public relations department, General Conference; Alfred C. McClure, '54, Atlanta, Ga., public relations and stewardship secretary, Georgia-Cumber-

land Conference; W. E. Kuester, '29, Oshawa, Ontario, Canada, public relations, radio-television, Sabbath school, and lay activities secretary, Canadian Union Conference; D. W. Bradley, Orlando, Fla., public relations director. Florida Sanitarium and Hospital; Jack Martz, '53, Trenton, N.J., lay activities, Sabbath school, public relations secretary, New Jersey Conference; John M. Howard, '56, Oshawa, Ontario, Canada, public relations, lay activities, radio and television, and Sabbath school secretary, Ontario-Quebec Conference; Ralph S. Watts, '24, Takoma Park, Md., vice-president, General Conference; J. N. Morgan, '49, Dallas, Texas, public relations and medical secretary, Southwestern Union Conference; T. M. Ashlock, '50, Portland, Oregon, public relations and Sabbath school secretary, Northern Pacific Union Conference.

## 133 Four-Year and 30 Two-Year Grads

The senior class this year was the largest on record with 133 four-year graduates and 30 two-year graduates.

Since SMC was raised from junior college to senior college level, 1621 four-year seniors have completed their work. The first four-year class was in 1946, with 6 graduates.

The first junior college graduates were in 1920 with 2 graduating. This year there were 30, which was the next to largest number of junior college graduates, being surpassed only by the class of 1938 when there were 32 junior college graduates. The total number of two-year graduates is 690.

Speakers for commencement weekend, May 30-June 1, were Dr. J. W. Cassell, Jr., academic dean at PUC and former SMC academic dean, who spoke at the Friday night consecration service; Elder Robert Pierson, general conference president, and whose alma mater is SMC, delivered the baccalaureate sermon, titled, "Greater Horizons"; Elder Kenneth H. Wood, editor of the Review and Herald, gave the commencement address Sunday morning; Carl Miller, associate professor of nursing at SMC, now on leave at Boston University obtaining his doctorate, was speaker at the senior nurses pinning service on Sabbath afternoon.

The following is a list of the 1969 graduates and their placements for next fall. We are most happy to welcome these new graduates into membership in the SMC Alumni Association:

#### FOUR-YEAR GRADUATES

Virginia Holmes Anderson—
Connie Rhea Arnold—
Jan Karl Artress—summer school at Middle
Tennessee State University
Carolyn Martin Barringham—
Genevieve Brannan Bata—
Rudolph Andrew Bata, Jr.—Emory University, law school
David Bruce Beardsley—asst. business manager, San Pasqual Academy

Ioyanne Berkey-nurse, Florida Sanitarium (Continued on page 5)

## Those Who Walked These Halls

1934

Mary Lucas Turner and husband, Felix, were Collegedale visitors from Elmer, Mo. After leaving SMC, Mary earned a B.S. in nutrition from LLU in 1936, following which she was a dietition at Hinsdale Sanitarium for 4 years. She then taught home economics in high school in Missouri for 13 years. Presently she is working on an M.S. in nutrition at the University of Missouri, on a National Institute of Public Health grant. The Turner's son is a graduate in engineering from Walla Walla College and is employed by the G. E. Company in Syracuse, N.Y.

1939

Mrs. Irva Nottingham Baessler has been visiting her daughter, Doris Baessler Payne, '38, for nearly a month here in Collegedale. Mrs. Baessler retired from church school teaching this spring, after 43 years. Doris teaches in the Nursing Division at SMC.

1943

Eileen Conger Seeley has recently moved to Richmond, Va., where her husband, Jimmy, was transferred to the Ashland, Va., plant of the Lewis Business Forms. Eileen teaches kindergarten and their two children have been in college at SMC. Elita was a spring graduate from the 4-year nursing program.

1948

Harold Norman Sheffield, M.D., of Santa Ana, Calif., is going with his family, in August, to Benghazi Adventist Hospital, in Benghazi, Libya, to serve a term in mission service.

1950

Garland Peterson is employed by Atlantic Union College to direct the work of the music majors in their practice teaching in South Lancaster Academy. Betty is secretary to the business manager at AUC.

1951

Fred Sanburn is assistant treasurer of the Ontario-Quebec Conference. He says the job includes going out to the churches at least 3 weekends a month and also he has other duties that keep him from heing "desk bound." Fred was at Andrews University, April 19, and had dinner with Harold, '50, and Betty Cummings Phillips, '50, and Floyd Matula, '53, and his son were there too. Harold is associate professor of business at Andrews University.

1955

John F. Pifer, D.O., visited the campus to attend a Committee of 100 meeting. He is a physician in St. Louis, Mo., and has been lecturing in high schools on hallucinatory drugs, sex education, and smoking. The Pifers have 13 year old twins, Sandy and Suzie, Sharon, 6, and John 3 years old.

1956

Herbert Dean, '56, and Martha Schmidt Kinsey. '53, are moving to Gentry, Ark., where Dean will be principal of Ozark Academy. He has been director of public relations at AUC.

1957

Elsie E. Peterson is employed at Morvat Junior High School in Lynn Haven, Fla. Since leaving SMC she received an M.S. degree from the University of Kentucky.

1960

Wilfred F. Reyna has been teaching at Orangewood Academy this past year. His wife, the former Gloria Herring, has been teaching grades 1 and 2 in Long Beach.

Joan McIntyre Young recently moved from Orlando, Fla., to Mobile, Ala., where husband, Bob, is official court reporter for Mobile County Circuit Court. They have a daughter, Randalyn Renee, born June 29, 1968.

1963

Connie Bryant Hickman lives in Raytown, Mo., a suburb of Kansas City. Terry is now out of the Army after spending 18 months in Okinawa, and works for Western Electric in the Life and Design Department. Connie is employed by SS Plastics, Inc., which makes polyethylene bags for hospitals. Their plant is located at Sunnydale Academy and another one at Blue Mountain Academy.

1964

William E. Tyndall, M.D., and his wife Gloria McComb Tyndall, '64, will be going to Tokyo, Japan, in August, where Bill will be on the staff of the Tokyo Sanitarium-Hospital. Gloria acquired an M.A. in nutrition from LLU while Bill was studying medicine at LLU. The Tyndalls have a son, William Edward, Jr., who is about 7 months old.

1965

Marsha Watson teaches grades 5-7 in the elementary school of Far Eastern

Academy in Singapore. Marsha taught in Arizona and later was a social worker in California before going to the Far East. She is on a two-year term of service.

1966

Ruth R. Bolton is working for Life and Casualty Insurance Co. in Nashville, Tenn. Her brother, Bob, '67, is a teacher at Ozark Academy.

LuWana Lyle Kumalae is working for Elder Scully in the Religious Department of the General Conference. Her husband, Jonah, also works for the GC, in the Insurance Department. They both belong to the National Adventist Choral Society and toured with them in Georgia and Florida, in April.

Richard McKee is pastor of the Greenville, N.C., District. Before this he was associate publishing secretary of the Carolina Conference. His wife is the former Linda Stefansen, '66, and a church school teacher.

1967

James K. and Ellen Mauldin Herman, after spending a year at Andrews University, are now in Baton Rouge, La., where Jim is associate pastor.

1968

Rodney and Marlene Carlson are moving to Memphis, Tenn., where Rodney will be studying optometry and Marlene will be receptionist for Dr. McLarty.

Walter Hickok and his wife, the former Judy Williams, were visitors on campus. Walter teaches grades 7 and 8, and math classes in 9 and 10, in Kalamazoo, Mich. He plans to attend Andrews University this summer to begin work on a master's in math.

Ramona K. Reiber is a nurse at Monument Valley Mission Hospital for Indians, in Utah, near the Arizona border. She finds her work interesting. Ramona was in Collegedale not long

1969

The following have been accepted for study at Loma Linda University School of Medicine: Thomas E. Hamilton, David L. Holland, '68, R. Malcolm Schmehl, and Leslie L. Weaver.

#### Louisville Alumni

Robert G. Adams, '62, Charles W. Witter, '68, Norma Ake Witter, '64, Ethelyn Taylor Mayes, '63, Alta Philo, '60, and Daryl Anderson Mayberry, '66, were all teachers in Louisville, Ky., this past year, and George Steiger, '67, is assistant pastor.

McCombs have 2 children, Daniel, age 3, and David, 1. Terry, at present, along with Jerry Gladson are dark county evangelists.



Jerry Gladson

James King



Terry McComb

#### FOUR-YEAR GRADUATES

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Linda Roll Bernal-P.E. teacher in Orlando,

Gayle Thornton Boehm-elementary school teacher, Shenandoah Valley Academy

Roy Richard Boehm-dean of boys and social studies teacher, Shenandoah Valley Academy. Philip Brian Brooks-self employed

Douglas Wilford Brown-graduate work at

Andrews University Candace Cummings Burke-

Wesley James Burke-Emory University, School of Dentistry

Linda Jo Burris-nurse, Florida Sanitarium Jimmie Marian Cain-housewife

Otho Richard Caldwell—accountant

Cheerie Lou Capman-dean of girls, Bass Memorial Academy Richard Gwynn Carey-th and 8th grade

teacher, Louisville Church School

Esther M. Carr—teacher, grades 1-4, Win-chester, Va., Church School

David Lee Castleberg-

Glenn Louis Cavanaugh-ministerial intern in St. Petersburg, Fla.

Barbara Ann Chalker-nurse

Byron LeRov Chalker-teach Bible and his-

tory, grades 7-10 in Calif.

Gary Rowe Councell-has been accepted at Andrews U. into Army's seminarian program as a second lieutenant-chaplain candidate.

Cynthia Beth Davis-work in Orlando with a CPA firm

James Wayland Davis-graduate school Margaret Buck Davis—teach grades 2 and 3, Boynton, Ga., Elementary School

Frances Linda Dittes-church school teacher Mary Elizabeth Dreos-hostess at Madison Hospital in Chaplain's Office

John Marthinus Dry-Andrews University or teach

Elizabeth Lnuise Dunlap-head nurse in recovery room, Kettering Hospital

Robert Karl DuPuy-asst. pastor. Baltimore District

Doris Faye Dyer-

Harvey Wayne English teach in Nashville Tenn

Judith Ann Fessler- nurse, Walker Memorul Hospital

George Stephen Fuller - teach and attend law school.

Janice Elaine Gammenthaler- home economics teacher, Forest Lake Academy Lenetta Paddock Gee

Anita Louise Giebell-teach

Mary Beard Guthrie-Public Health Nurse. Bradley County Health Center

Dora Pons Hallock—nurse in Berrien Springs area

Lloyd Edwin Hallock-study at Andrews University

Thomas Edward Hamilton LLU School of Medicine

Charles Franklin Hindman-literature min-

Nancy Ruth Hopwood-teacher in Marietta Junior Academy

James Roy Hughes-

Sharryn Rose Hughes-teacher in Cohutta, Ga. Elementary School

Marion Thomas Jackson--assoc, pastor in Chattanooga

Vicki Ann Jasperson –graduate study

Mary Kathleen Johnson-church school teacher, Lubbock, Texas

William Hasson Jolinston-teach math at Shenandoah Valley Academy

Ethelwyn Carcy Kennedy—housewife Carol Schneider Knight-church school teacher

Edson Andrew Knight-graduate work at Andrews University

Steve Edward Knight-

Eugene Lee Kuvkendall-law school Louise Constance Lee-work at Polk County

Health Center, Tenn.

Gerald Arnold Linderman-teach math and biology, Pioneer Valley Academy

Ioan Mayer Linebaugh-teach Janet Fay Lockhart

James Edward MacAlpine-

Janet McCandless-teach grades 1-4. Co-Jumbia, S.C.

Suzanne Mizelle McClellan-nurse, Bradley Memorial Hospital

Willis Theophilus McGhinnis, Jr -work for American National Bank

Deanie Smith McLeod-teach grades 2 and 3 in Detroit, Mich.

Lonnie Frederick Melton—teach grade 6 in Forest Lake Elementary School

Anna Ruth Mercer-nurse, Dalton, Ga., Hospital

Sylvia Dianne Mizelle-nurse, Bradley Memorial Hospital

Maria Carmen Morejon—nurse Ellen Seasly Mullis—home et teacher. Thunderbird Academy

Lynn Nielsen-University of Florida Law School

William Garrett Nutt-work for CPA firm Joans Swie Kie Ong-graduate study at LLL Floyd Wayne Owens-teach grades 5-8, Gamesville, Fla

Charlene Gail Paden teach grades 1-4. Raleigh, N.C.

Harry Alexander Pawly-

Tola Christine Payne--dean of girls and school nurse, Highland View Academy Ellen Kristin Peterson teach elementary

Carolyn Lucinda Pettengill nurse Virginia Lee Platt nurse, Hamilton Memorial Hospital

James Glenn Purdham-literature evangelist in Florida Betty Jean Ramsey-teach grades 4-6 and

music, Staunton, Va. John Dean Ramsey-teach music at Jeffer-

n Academy Getald Ray Rickaby-pastor-teacher, Mocksville, N.C.

Wilbur L. Rilea teach grades 1 and 2 in Charleston, S.C.

Ina Miller Ring housewife

Joseph Walter Ring ministerial intern in Fla Conference

Ralph Leonard Ringer--pastor, Wavcross District

Gerald Roy Rivers-

John Witey Robinson-

Carmen Julia Rodriguez-

Teresa Ann Rogers--graduate study

Joseph Oquendo Saladino—teach Bible and P.F. in Bangkok, Thailand

Jackie Cheryl Salvers-teach 4th grade, Redlands Ir. Academy, Calif.

Mcredith Ruth Sammer -- teach grades 1-3, Avon Park, Fla.

Elizabeth Ann Schermerhorn-

Kathryn Sue Schneider-work in neurosurgical unit in hospital

Betty Harris Schoonard-nurse

Karl Heinz Schroeder-graduate study

Flita Carolyn Seeley--nurse, Fla. Sanitarium Robert David Self-

Albert Ramez Sewbaluck-graduate study. University of Fla

Marian Anita Shelton— Donald Thomas Shelton—ministry

Sandra Christine Simmons-

Doris Kathleen Sloan teach at Riverside SDA Elementary School

Carl Elwin Smith-teach at East Ridge High School

Alton Marshall Steen-chaplain and teacher, Pewee Valley, Ky.

Carolyn Marie Swain-teach home ec in Calif

Gloria Jean Tarte-work for welfare Dept in Georgia

Steven Wavne Thompson—graduate study Verle Burton Thompson, Ir -teach P.E. at

Forest Lake Academy Donald Wayne Thurber—teach music and French at Valley Grande Academy

Bill Tol-assoc pastor, Apison and Standifer Gap

Lickie Hiser Tucker-nurse

Judith Anne Vining—teach grades 5 and 6. Fletcher Academy Grade School

Linda Marie Wagner-teach grade 5, Orangewood Academy Flementary School

David Lee Waller-teach Avon Park Junior Academy

Betty Sue Watkins -work in S.S. Dept. of G C.

Leslie LaMont Weaver-LLU School of Medicine

Linda Carol White-teach in Mobile, Ala William Henry Wiist-study for MA at

Patricia Mariz Wilcox—teach grade 2, Westside Elementary School, Ga

Jerry Wayne Willis-asst pastor Ky.-Tenn. Conf

Carole Diane Wilson-teach shorthand and typing at Fletcher Academy

William Quentin Wolcott-teach P.E. at Bright School, Chattanooga

Judith Leitner Wood-

Maurice Alexander Wyckoff-teach in Cadillac, Mich

Linda Ann Youngs-work in interior design-Newton Harrison Zanes, III—teach grades

5.8 Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. Ellen Yvonne Zollinger-graduate school

#### TWO-YEAR GRADUATES

lacque Lee Adams-nurse, Madison Hospital

IoAnn Ballington-study at SMC

Cecile Iov Beltz-nurse, New England Memorial Hospital Rebecca Susan Bottone-John Pierce Brownlee, Jr -study at LT in

Knoxville

Linda Kave King Clark-nurse

## **Eleven SMC Alumni Ordained**

Eleven SMC Alumni were ordained to the gospel ministry this spring at camp meetings in the Southern Union. Only the two who were ordained in the Carolina Conference were not SMC Alumni.

The newly ordained ministers are listed below, according to their conferences, with brief sketches about each.

#### Alabama-Mississippi Conference

Walter E. Brown, '64, was born in Glendale, Calif. He received his secondary education at Stonecave Institute, Daus, Tenn. He received a master's degree from Andrews University in 1965 and has since served as pastor in the Alabama-Mississippi Conference, currently pastoring the Meridian District. He and his wife, Diane, have one child, Beth, age 3.

Gerald N. Kovalski, '63, was born in Perth Amboy, N.J. He graduated from Forest Lake Academy and received a master's degree from Andrews University in 1964. He has served in the Florida Conference and the Middle East Division, assisting in the evangelistic center in Teheran, Iran. He is currently serving in the Dothan, Alabama, district. His wife is the former Sandra Collier, '62. They have two children, Gerald, Jr., age 6, and Karen,

#### Florida Conference

Robert E. DuBose, '64, was born in Frostproof, Fla. After graduating at SMC he completed one year of study at Andrews University and then interned in Florida. He has served as pastor of the Tampa First Church and is presently pastor at Winter Haven, Fla. The DuBoses have four children the oldest, Bob, completed his freshman year at SMC this spring.

Dwight L. Hilderbrandt, Jr., '63, was born in Mobile, Ala., and completed his secondary education at Collegedale Academy. Dwight is married to the former Dolores Crittendon, '62, and they have two children. After receiving a master's from Andrews University he has been pastor in Tupelo, Miss., and Clanton, Ala. More recently he has been Bible teacher at Greater Miami Academy.

David D. Osborne, '64, was born in Palisade, Colo. Before coming to Collegedale he graduated from Highland







Gerald Kovalski







**Owight Hilderbrandt** 



David Osborne



Arthur Swinson



LaVoy Garner



Smuts van Rooyen

Academy. He now has completed the major portion of his B.D. degree at Andrews University. David is married to Judy Edwards, '64, who has a degree in home economics from SMC. David teaches Bible at Forest Lake Academy.

H. Arthur Swinson, '66, was born in Tampa, Fla. He is a graduate of Col-

legedale Academy as well as SMC. Art is pastor in the Orlando area at present. The Swinsons have three children, the oldest a daughter, Sharon, who finished her sophomore year at SMC this

#### Georgia-Cumberland Conference

LaVoy Thomas Wesley Garner, '64, was born in Lawrence County, Tennessee. He received a master's from Andrews University in August, 1965. He interned in Chattanooga and has been pastor of the Thomasville, Tifton, Moultrie, Dunlap, Walden's Ridge, and Laurelbrook churches. For the past three years he has been pastor of the Waycross, Ga., church.

LaVoy is married to the former Donna Jean Faltin, '62. They have three children, Brett, 4 years old, Grant, age 2, and an infant daughter, Delane Janeen.

Smuts van Rooyen, '64, was born in South Africa and began his ministerial training at Helderberg College. It was there that he met his wife, Arlene Moore, '65, the daughter of a missionary family. She was one good reason for Smuts coming to this country.

He has done pastoral work in the Kentucky-Tennessee Conference for a year and has taught at SMC for two years. Smuts has a master's degree from Andrews University and plans to complete a bachelor of divinity degree in August, before returning to teach at SMC.

#### Kentucky-Tennessee Conference

Jerry Allen Gladson, '65, was born in Dalton, Ga., and graduated from nearby North Whitfield High School. He is married to Laura Hayes, '65, a theology major from SMC. Jerry has served in the following churches: Madison, Tenn., Louisville, Ashland, Rush and Williamsburg, Ky.

James H. King, '64, was born in Hendersonville, Tenn., and is a graduate of Highland Academy. His wife, Judy, is a graduate of Fletcher Sanitarium School of Nursing. James is presently pastor of the Tullahoma-Woodbury District. Before that he was in Elizabethtown, Ky. The Kings have a son and daughter.

Terry Gene McComb, '63, was born in Adrian, Mich., and finished his secondary education at Highland Academy. After graduating from SMC he spent one year at Andrews University, then interned in Louisville, Ky. His wife is Jean Smith, from Canada. The

#### WEDDINGS

Glenda Mae Jansen, '67, and Ronald Clifford Brown, March 9, Nashville, Tenn.

Linda Kaye King, '69, and Aaron Gary Clark, March 21, Lexington, Tenn.

Martha Judon Whitley and Eugene Lee Kuykendall, Jr., '69, March 22, Ft. Smith, Ark.

Virginia Ashby Holmes, '69, and James Cauley Anderson, March 30, Memphis, Tenn.

Marlene Caren Mayhew and Rodney Lyle Carlson, '68, April 2, Orlando, Fla.

Jimmie Marian Cain, '69, and Joseph Lee Story, June 1, Collegedale, Tenn.

Evelyn Janice Erickson, '68, and David Lee Castleberg, '69, June 1, Apison, Tenn.

Evelyn Earlene Hedrick, '67, and John Allen Swafford, June 1, Wilmington, N.C.

Cora Ann Marina, '68, and William Hart Waters, Jr., June 1, Collegedale, Tenn.

Donna Sue Mobley, '65, and Leif Hansen, June 1, Cleveland, Tenn.

Diana Lee James and Leslie LaMont Weaver, '69, June 2, Gainesville, Fla.

L. Faye Melendy and Alton Marshall Steen, '69, June 2, Madison, Tenn.

Dixie Lee Halvorsen, '69, and William Luke Strong, '69, June 5, Avon Park, Fla,

Carol Madeline Chatterton, '68, and Jerry Don Harrison, June 8, Madison, Tenn.

Donna Jean Dickson and Donald Wayne Thurber, '69, June 8, Silver Spring, Md.

Maria Carmen Morejon, '69, and David Henry Weiss, June 8, New Jersey.

Connie Lee Storie, '69, and Martin Walter Durkin, June 8, Dayton, Ohio.

Sharryn Rose Hughes, '69, and Barry Mitchell Mahorney, June 8, Asheville, N.C.

Molly Vigil, '65, and Jerry Lynn Evans, '65, June 8, Albuquerque, N.M. Carol Evelyn Johnson and Bill Tol, '69, June 15, Takoma Park, Md.

JoAnn Johnson and Ronald Bruce Bentzinger, '68, June 15, Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

Faye Marie Devroy, '69, and Robert Chilson, June 15, Green Bay, Wis.

Sandra Christine Simmons and Francis Joseph Costerisan, Jr., '68, June 15, Charleston, S.C. Judith Anne Vining, '69, and Kirk Campbell, June 15, Collegedale, Tenn.

Blanche Elizabeth Williams, '69, and Robert Ford, June 22, Asheville, N.C.

Betty Carolyn McKee, '69, and Dwight E. Waterhouse, June 29, Collegedale, Tenn.

Beverly Jeanne Swanson and James Glenn Purdham, '69, June 29, Brooksville, Fla.

Norma Jean Young and Curtis Keith Carlson, '68, June 29, Orlando, Fla.

Barbra Ann Suggs, '67, and L. Alton Whidden II, Dec. 29, in Altamonte Springs, Fla.

Sharon Sue Sweede and John Earle Leitner, '66, Dec. 29, Miami Springs, Fla.

Norma E. Ake, '64, and Charles W. Witter, '68, Dec. 30, Pasadena, Texas. Ethelyn Taylor, '63, and Kenneth R.

Ethelyn Taylor, '63, and Kenneth R. Mayes, June 3, 1968, Louisville, Ky. They plan to be in Collegedale this fall while Kenneth continues his college work.

#### BIRTHS

Tiffany Lee, born Aug. 16, to Charles H., '64, and Donna Wilson, in Chattanooga, Tenn, Charles is employed by McKee Baking Co. in Collegedale.

Michael Edward, born Dec. 21, to Percy E., '60, and Betty Thomas Dunagin, Jr., Balboa Heights, Canal Zone. The Dunagins have two other children, Danny, 6 and Chucky, 5. Percy finishes his internship and begins a traineeship in endocrinology at the University of Alabama Medical Center in July.

Carmen Rochelle, born Dec. 29, to Rex Michael, '66, and Arlene Ward, in McMinnville, Tenn. Rex is district pastor.

Kelley Michelle, born Feb. 27, to M chael, '66, and Daisy Welch Clark, '66, in Portland, Tenn. Michael is dean of boys at Highland Academy.

Jason Christopher, born April 10, to James Dean, '68, and JoAnn Campbell Woods, in Anderson, Indiana.

Rebecca Ann, born April 15, to Allen W., '68, and Damaris Crittenden Robinson, '63, in Greeneville, Tenn Allen is in charge of the laboratory at Takoma Hospital and Sanitarium.

Danny Bruce, born April 29, to David M., '62, and Betty Bentzinger Villemain, '63 in McCook, Nebr. David is pastor of the McCook District.

Charles Robert, born May 16, to Don Gilbert, '64, and Betty Jane Fail Mills, 64, in Memphis, Tenn., where Don is interning at Memphis Methodist Hospital.

Debora Rence, born May 23, to Lamar, '67, and Betty Sinclair, '67, in Japan, where Lamar is stationed as a second lieutenant in an army hospital.

### California Chapter Meets, 56 Attend

The Southern California Chapter of the SMC Alumni Association met on Sunday evening, April 6, at the LLU cafeteria where they had a smorgasbord supper.

Dr. W. M. Schneider gave a progress report from the College which was illustrated with color slides.

Mr. Charles Fleming then gave a report dealing with finance and plans for the future. His talk was followed by a question and answer period.

A feeling of genuine fellowship prevailed at the meeting which was dismissed with prayer by Elder Walter F. Wright, '54, local chapter president.

Fifty-six were present at the meeting including a former president of SMC, Dr. Lynn H. Wood and Mrs. Wood, and two of Mr. John Talge's grandsons.

Others present who signed attendance cards were: Wallace Boddy Harmon and Margaret Brownlow, '53 & '52, Mary Ellen Carden Byrd, '52, Charles L. Cannon, '49, Richard Lowell Clapp, '50, Ella Mae Sanderford Clapp, '50, Mary Lou and Des Cummings, '65, Sharon Ann De Rosia, '68, Virginia Veach Dortch, Rheba Goggins Dortch, '55, James W. L. Evans, '47, Dale and Betty Fisher, '51, Darleen S. Gadbois, '68, C. David Henriksen, '51, Walter and Jonna Hughes, Vivian Fay Lester, '68, Luane S. Logan, '65, Richard A. Martin, '63, Marolyn Pond Peters, Robert A. Roach, '48, Harold N. and Mildred Sheffield, '48, H. Raymond Shelden, '31, Thomas W. and Margaret Steen, Kenneth Cloyd Vance, '56, W. Freeman Ward, '64, Walter F. and Ruth Wright, '54.

Plan now to attend the

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Marilyn Donise Daly-nurse Shirley Y. Devine-Faye Marie Devroy-Joy Lynn Hemberger-nurse DeLinda Lea Hess-nurse in Calif. Patricia Hickman-attend UT, spring quar-Pamela Rose Johnson-nurse, Madison Hospital Janice Irene Keller-nurse in hospital in Kentucky Rebecca Gwendolyn Knight—nurse in High Point Memorial Hospital, N.C.

Carlyn Olivia Laster-

Patricia Jane McIntyre—
Betty Carolyn McKee—medical secretary, Memorial Hospital, Chattanooga Frances Elaine Montgomery-medical records, New England Sanitarium

Claudia Rene Mountain—nurse, White Me-morial Hospital, Calif.

Mary Frances Nix-staff nurse, Kettering Hospital Joyce Dee Piercy-nurse, New England Me-

morial Hospital D. James Ramsey-nurse, Madison Hospital

Sherrie Lynn Storie-staff nurse, Kettering Hospital Linda Joy Stringer-nurse, Michigan City.

Ind.

Mary Irene Turner-nurse, Madison Hos-

Marlene Rojas Walsson-

Mildred Faye Weigley-study at Boston University

Blanche Elizabeth Williams-office nurse, Silver Spring, Md. Caroline Louise Jones Willis-housewife

## Elder Ben Wheeler **Appeals for Books**

In a letter from Elder Ben D. Wheeler, '49, we quote, "We would appreciate an appeal for books for our school library. It is an eight-grade school located on the side of the Ruwenzori Mountains, the Mountains of the Moon, which feed the Nile River. The school was destroyed by tribal fighting and an earthquake a couple years ago, and last year we reopened from scratch."

Another excerpt from his letter, "Within the past few weeks I have received letters from more than a dozen of our workers pleading earnestly for Spirit of Prophecy books."

Why not answer both calls at the same time and as Elder Wheeler said, "If you have any old books to throw out, if you will throw them our way we will be very grateful."

The appeal is for second-hand books, but no one will object to new ones. The Collegedale post office quoted the following rates: by boat, 1 lb. 19¢, 2 lb. 31¢, 3 lb. 43¢, etc. Air mail has no special rate for books. These rates are from anywhere in the U.S. The address is: Elder Ben D. Wheeler, Ruwenzori Station, P.O. Box 22, Fort Portal, Uganda, East Africa.



John E. Robinson, '68, of Camden, Mich., was promoted recently to Army first lieutenant during ceremonies at Ft. Sam Hous-ton at Army Medical School. Congratulating him is Lieutenant Colonel Rosemarie P. Mahoney, class advisor. Lt. Robinson is regularly assigned to Walson Army Hospital at Ft. Dix.

## Library Gets \$2800

So far in 1969, Alumni have given in cash, \$2,839.50 for the new library. The work on the library is progressing nicely as they are now doing the brick

The following persons have sent donations since we last reported:

Charles E. Aebersold, '38 Alton Glenn Anderson, '62 J. F. and Marcella Ashlock, '25 & '46 Roy Battle, '53 Dorothy Ray Burger, '37 Joe & Lula Ann Crews, '46 & '44 Glenn A. Fuller, '62 Sarah Jane King Groger, '65 Charles Harris, '52 Rosalind Hendren, '64 Addie Mae Kalar James H. King, '64 Gunter Warner Koch, '45 Glenn McColpin, '57 Nellie Jane Smith MacDonald, '40 Lorraine Meyer Massey, '67 William C. and Susi Mundy, '62 & '66 Phil Neal, '65 Sandra Swain Peterson, '61 Michael Petricko Barbara Clemens Ponce, '64 Edward A. Pumphrey, '68 Peter Read, '55 James L. and Lana Roberts, '66 & '67 F. S. Sanburn, '51 Andrew W. Saphiloff, '51 John Seimens, '62 Hazel Snide, '42 Ruth Jones Sorrell, '51 John F. Speyer, '29 Mary Lucas Turner, '34 William Tyndall, '64 Paul M. Watson, '50 Clarence D. Wellman, '46 Wayne and Martha Benson, '65 & '65 William O. Reynolds, '37 Leo and Martha Odom, '24 Robert Bowers, '57 D. W. Hunter, '24 & '25 Frances I. Carroll, '66

## Ala. - Miss. Chapter Meet at Campmeeting

The Alabama-Mississippi Chapter of the SMC Alumni Association held its annual meeting at Bass Memorial Academy, Saturday night, May 31, in the cafeteria. Host to the group was William H. Taylor of the Alumni Office, who showed up-to-date pictures of the campus and told of some of the progress at SMC. Host and hostess at the punch bowl were James and Norma Jean Pervis Roddy, '66, of Oakwood College.

Walter E. Brown, '64, is continuing as president of the Chapter, and Gerald N. Kovalski, '63, as vice president and public relations secretary.

Those in attendance were as follows: Clark and Ester Acker; T. H. Bledsoe, '55; Lewis Bush, '62; Teresa D, Butler; Roy Albert Dunn; George, '56, and Lois Gager; Clarence E. Giles; James, '67, and Ellen Herman, '67; Sherman and Helen Holland; Linda Holland; Gerald N., '63 and Sandra Collier Kovalski, '62; K. M. Mathews, '48; Ferrell McMahen Mathieu, '42; Milton G. Norrell, Jr., M.D., '42; Arthur Stephen, '68, and Linda Campbell Patrick; Wilford Hadden Patsel, '52; George Allen, '68, and Maureen Sykes Powell, '68; Milton T., '38, and Eunice Bell Reiber, '38; James A., '66, and Norma Jean Pervis Roddy, '66; George Charles Stimpf; W. D., '51, and Betty Grounds Wampler; Charles E. Wheeling, '65, Phillip Wayne, '66, and Judy Woodruff Wilson, '66; and Audrey Price Woolley.

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# Plans Set for Homecoming



Elder Paul Gates



Elder Don Hunter

# SMC Enrollment Sets New High As 1303 Register

A new enrollment record was set for Southern Missionary College as classes opened on September 10.

SMC's beginning enrollment of 1303 surpasses last year's by 55, according to Dr. C. F. W. Futcher, director of admissions and records — a 44 percent gain over last year's opening figure.

This is the highest fall semester registration in SMC's history, representing 151 percent of 1963's record of 861 and 274 percent of 1957's final semester figure of 475.

SMC's 4.4 percent gain in students tops the predicted national rise of 2.9 percent made in August by the U. S. Office of Education for enrollment of degree-credit students in colleges and universities in 1969-70.

Student resident accommodation facilities are overloaded according to Delmar Lovejoy, dean of student affairs.

Thatcher Hall, women's residence, is housing 20 in temporary rooms including guest and recreation rooms, reports Miss Grieta DeWind, dean of women.

Talge Hall, men's residence, has 18 in temporary quarters including guest rooms and infirmary. "We expect the crowded conditions to be relieved soon," said Lyle Botimer, dean of men, "with several students possibly transferring to community residences."

Registration breakdown figures show 463 freshmen, 356 sophomores, 262 juniors, 181 seniors and 41 special students.

Of the 1303 total number, 787 are former students, and 516 are new registrants.

These figures do not include College-(Continued on page 5)

# Gates, Hunter Are Weekend Speakers

Guest speakers for Alumni Home-coming weekend are Elder Donald W. Hunter, '24 and '25, of Washington, D.C., and Elder Paul D. Gates, '59, of Flint, Mich.

Elder Hunter will speak at the 8:15 and 11:05 church services on Sabbath morning, Oct. 18. He is an associate secretary of the General Conference and represents the North American Division in matters of recruitment and transfer of workers. Elder Hunter has a B.A. and a B.Th. from Andrews University and an L.L.B. from LaSalle University. He was ordained to the ministry in 1929 in Holly, Michigan, and has served in various capacities as: singing evangelist, pastor-evangelist, pastor-chaplain, MV secretary, president of Georgia-Cumberland, Ohio and Pennsylvania Conferences, and missionary to India for 12 years. Elder Hunter was born in Hickory, N.C., is married to the former Mary Katherine Neaeus, and has two married daugh-

Elder Paul D. Gates was born in New York, but was reared mostly in Miami, Fla., where his folks now live and which he considers his hometown. Elder Gates spent two years in the Army Medical Corps., one of which was in Korea during the Korean War. His wife is the former Evelyn Killen, and they are the parents of Marla Kay, 15; Clayton Paul, 12; and Carolyn, 5. Elder Gates taught school for four years and has been a pastor in Georgia-Cumberland and Michigan Conferences. He is now pastor of the Flint, Michigan, church.

Homecoming activities include:

Friday Evening Vespers, Collegedale church, 7:45 p.m. with Elder Gates, '59, the guest speaker.

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