Matriculation Day Address

Well Known Preacher Gives Stirring Message

God Gives Taylor Revival

Dr. Turbeville Preaches With Power

Dr. H. C. Morrison

Great Man", Dr. Morrison showed how God called Abraham to become a great man, and how each one of these passages refers to a great crisis in the history of Abraham, testing his obedience, faith, and consecration.

Dr. Morrison, charming and attractive, was exceedingly happy in his presentation of the great truths of full salvation, and found an immediate response in our hearts to his message. He declared, "there is no group that charms me like a group of youth."

At the close of Dr. Morrison's tremendous message President Stuart pledged him that Taylor University would continue to ring true to full salvation.

Taylor's leadership and student body are burdened for personal victory for every student on the campus. Pray for Taylor in her God-given task.
A friend from Ohio writes us as follows:

"The Bulletin comes every now and then and we are glad for it. Trust this year will be a great year in the Lord. 'A mighty fortress is our God', and if ever we needed one it is these days. "Yours in the Blessed Hope."

This friend encloses her $10.00 membership pledge to the William Taylor Foundation. Twenty-five hundred such friends would solve Taylor's financial problem.

A letter received from another alumnus this morning reads:

"I am enclosing a money order of ten dollars for my annual membership in the William Taylor Foundation. "It is a pleasure to receive the Taylor Bulletin at regular intervals and to hear the splendid reports regarding the forward progress of the school. In as much as I have not been back to the campus at old T. U. since the 1932 Commencement season I should like very much to get back and walk those familiar paths again."

These fine letters came to the President's desk this morning. A steady stream like these would lighten the load here at the home base.

If you have not sent your membership, sign the pledge below and return it immediately to Taylor University. If you cannot pay it all at once send whatever amount is possible and pay the balance at your earliest convenience.

TAYLOR UNIVERSITY

Owned and Operated by
The William Taylor Foundation

Upland, Ind. 194...

Because of my interest in the type of Christian education Taylor University is rendering and in consideration of others subscribing to said school for operating purposes, I hereby agree to pay to The William Taylor Foundation

The sum of Dollars, on the following terms:

$ cash; the remainder to be paid in equal payments, beginning

194..., until fully paid. Five per cent interest on deferred payments.

1 ( ) $10.00 of this represents membership in The William Taylor Foundation, and I expect to continue same until I give notice of cancelation.

2 ( ) $50, five year membership payable annually.

3 ( ) $100 a year special sustaining membership.

4 ( ) $500 Life membership.

Name

Witness

Address

PLEASE SIGN --- RETURN
A few days ago I sent out over my signature several hundred letters written especially to Taylor friends, almost exclusively alumni and former students who have never taken membership in The William Taylor Foundation. I called attention to the charter provision for this method of financial support for Taylor University. Since the actual existence of the Foundation can be only by having present time members from year to year, it seems that unless there is an acceptance of this responsibility by a heavy percentage of those who really care whether Taylor lives or dies the Foundation can never be the strong and vigorous organization that it should be; but is likely to dwindle down to a weak organization becoming little more than a fiction, or paper organization. Are those who are interested in Taylor going to let this be like some churches who have a great majority of their members so thoroughly believing and singing, “I’m glad salvation’s free”, that they leave the financial support to just a few members who love the church enough to make sacrifices for its support?

We hope you who have received that letter will do your best to respond. If it is not possible to take membership now, perhaps you can sign the pledge which was enclosed, filling in amounts and payment dates to suit your best convenience. If this still is beyond your reasonable expectancy of ability to pay, please send some gift in cash or in pledge as an earnest of your loyalty and your desire to help those who are carrying the heavy burdens.

May I now appeal to those who have been members for one or more of the seven years of the existence of the Foundation to send in their membership gifts or payments on pledges as early as possible. This membership year began July 1. Too many put off payment till June. This money is for operating expenses and should come in to help carry the expenses for the year covered by the membership.

Pardon this “theme song” in my Bulletin messages. I am intensely interested in this as a very sane method of financial help for a great constructive work for the Kingdom—Taylor University.

—Dr. Burt W. Ayres

Taylor Friend Sends Gifts From Self and Neighbors

In this morning’s mail comes a letter from a consecrated man of God in a neighboring state, enclosing a list of friends to whom he has presented the work of Taylor University. Each of these people has made a gift. With them this friend sent his own membership in the William Taylor Foundation, along with his blessings and prayers for the success of an Effective Christian College. Taylor could not carry on were it not for friends like this who believe in Taylor’s task enough to make sacrifices for its success.

Modern requirements must be met. Taylor must advance. Gifts, whether large or small, will help her do this. We thank God from the depths of our hearts because He is laying it on the hearts of our friends to help carry on this great work.

“Thanks to You”

There are pleasures in life you never can have
Unless you are laid on the shelf for awhile;
And some of these are the “Get Well” cards
That are made in every conceivable style.

They have come to me in booklet form,
With helpful messages all aglow,
And a package of seeds from a very dear friend,
To say to my heart that “Flowers still grow.”

They arrived in my room with train loads of love,
And by carrier pigeons in rapid flight,
With a little package under the wing
That contained a message of hope and light.

They were sent to me from distant states
By loved ones of mine who seldom write,
And neighbors and friends across the way,
Just to make my path seem a bit more bright.

And now to my friends both far and near
This message in turn I send to you;
I thank you for all of your earnest prayers,
And your “Get Well” cards, sincere and true.

—Mrs. Burt W. Ayres

NOTE: In recent severe illness Mrs. Ayres has received manifold tokens of kindness from friends everywhere. She wishes to express her heartfelt gratitude through the Bulletin, in hopes that among its many readers, those who remembered her would in turn receive her “Thanks To You.”
Praises His Alma Mater

Mr. Devee Brown, of Boise, Idaho, who traveled with a Taylor quartet for three years, recently wrote this fine letter of appreciation to President Stuart:

"Often I have thanked the Lord for the three of my happiest years at Taylor but again may I express to you, Dr. Stuart, my appreciation for your kind personal interest in my stay at Upland. I am especially grateful for the quartet experiences. Only Heaven will reveal the great benefit to my own soul that these trips around the country have brought. I trust we were able to do some permanent good for Christ's cause and the welfare of the school.

"Taylor's spirit, ideals, Christian enthusiasm, and ways of doing things appeal to me more than ever."

Great Bible Teacher Visits Taylor

Dr. Rollin H. Walker came from the Indiana Conference and spent a day on Taylor's campus. Dr. Walker has had a great and glorious record as a Bible teacher through these years.

What a wonderful message he gave in the chapel Monday morning. He told the students how he received the anointing of the Holy Spirit under the ministry of Bishop Thoburn. He also visited with the President and in several of the classes and was unique in the brief messages that he had for each class that he met.

Following Dr. Walker's visit on September 28th he sent the following letter to President Stuart:

"I want to express the exceedingly favorable impression made upon me by Taylor University. I was impressed by the refinement of it. It was interesting to talk to Professor ___________. Her Doctor's thesis at Johns Hopkins on "The Use of the Bible by Tennyson," is one of the few Doctor's dissertations that I feel a desire to read through. I was also struck by the fine appearance of your young faculty.

"And particularly was I pleased to know that it was not the order of the day at Taylor to trust in itself that it was righteous, and set all others at naught. And I was glad to make my little gift without any solicitation from you, to show that my appreciation was sincere.

"If Providence should permit me to toward the end of the year to come for a little time to Taylor, I will be happy to do so, although I doubt whether Taylor stands very much in need of the thing which I might be able to bring."

Panama Misses Her

Taylor alumni circle the globe. They have the soul fibre and effective training to urge them out into a life of sacrifice to wherever they are called of God. A letter received late this summer from Panama tells of the fine work of Miss Marguerite Deyo, of the class of '31, while she was with them there. From the letter:

"We had a fine T. U. worker a few years ago. Our loss was Africa's gain, when Marguerite Deyo decided to seek new opportunities in Africa. How we have missed her in our home and in our work. She had real heartfelt religion plus an unusual amount of common sense, in addition to her training for the teaching job which she occupied. We are praying that God will send us someone to take her place. Our ex-students tell us that the school needs another Miss Deyo — and I think they know."

LATE FLASH FROM

PRESIDENT STUART

I have just come from the chapel where a hundred youth are on their knees under old-time conviction, pleading with God for conversion or reclamation and many of them for entire sanctification. It is a scene, I am sure, that would make angels rejoice. Thank God that he answers the prayers of an Effective Christian College.

Heads African School

J. Elwood Hershey, of the class of 1936 writes of marvelous work in Africa. He says:

"Our work is very encouraging. Within the last year we have had more than twenty-five baptisms of young men within the school. We have had a large number of professions and a large number in the probation class.

"Within our three schools we have thirty-four (boarders) in the Teacher Training Department, one hundred and twenty (boarders) in the Central Primary, and one hundred and fifty-six (non-boarders) in the primary school, making a total of over three hundred in our daily roll. This year we have eight missionaries on the staff, five of whom give their time in the schools, one is the nurse and the superintendent and matron have general charge. Also we have eleven native teachers on the station."

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Are you thinking, planning, and praying in terms of Taylor's Centennial? One alumnus writes that she will send her gift soon and wants the Ayres-Alumni Library to be completed as soon as possible, and that she would like to be Assistant Librarian in the new building.

To put this program across will demand the cooperation of every alumnus and friend of Taylor University.

PRAYER LEAGUE

Join Taylor's Twenty-four Hour Prayer League. Tell us the time of day you desire to meet us before the Throne.