# Sooner roll call

### DIRECTORY CHANGES

Mrs Laura Cannon Bell, '32as, Laredo, Texas. John Conrad, '32ph, 108 Northwest Twenty-eighth, Oklahoma City.

James A. Culbertson, '31geol, 213 West Twenty-

third, New York City. Carlton Cunningham, '25geol, 1416 Craig street, Corpus Christi, Texas.

Mrs Leah Dougherty Putty, '18as, 2548 University avenue, Fort Worth, Texas.
Mrs Mary Eaton Bagby, '25ex, care Carbide & Carbon Chemical Company, South Charleston,

West Virginia. Mrs Aubrey Floyd Hesler, '24as, 3719 McKinley,

El Paso, Texas. Mrs Eleanor Holmes Floyd, '26ex, Land Depart-

ment, Pure Oil Company, Chicago, Illinois. John E. Floyd, '27ex, Land Department, Pure

Oil Company, Chicago, Illinois, Vernon Fox, '32bus, 402 West Randolph, Enid. Joseph C. Gordon, '15sc, 2622 Eagle, Houston, Texas.

Ross H. House, '05as (Kingfisher), 1646 Galena, Aurora, Colorado.

Roy C. Jenkins, '31bus, 209 Commercial Building, San Jose, California.
Jets Ray Jones, '29geol, Lookeba.
Gentry Kidd, '25geol, Midland, Texas.
Mrs Dorothy Norris Eubank, '27as, Coleman,

Texas.

Patti Ann Owens, '23nurse, Route 4, Box 12,

Oklahoma City. Dr. John C. Pickard, '28med, 115 Stuyvesant Place, St. George, Staten Island.

Mrs Cleo Kerley Pitts, '30he, Box 454, Fairfax. Edwin H. Reeves, '18sc, 283 Willow avenue,

New Haven, Connecticut. Mis Lyda Robertson Caldwell, '14as, Apartment 206, Russo Building, Fredonia, New York. John Settinere, '30sc, 2211 Green street, Phila-

delphia, Pennsylvania.

Mrs Laura Springer Ford, '28as, 84 Main street, Mineola, Long Island, New York.

Mrs Grace Swain Cassidy, '27as, Chandler. Rual B. Swiger, '25M.A., Beevile, Texas. W G. Talbott, '29geol, 1810 North Ash, Hutch-

inson, Kansas. Joseph F. Trigg, '28as, 1 Bruntsfield terrace, Edinburgh, Scotland.

Ludwig Albert Webber, '32eng, 1105 South Fifth.

Ponca City. John Eugene Weiler, '32eng, Box 1078, Duncan. William J. Zeman, 1321/2 West Commerce, Oklahoma City.

George Milburn, '30ex, Triuna Island, Bolton Landing P. O., on Lake George, New York.

### MARRIAGES

Brittain-Leney: Dr. Fannie Lou Brittain, '27 med, and Herber Carlton Leney, April 8. Alpha Phi. Home, 2726 West Fifteenth, Oklahoma City. CATE-BUTT: Miss Alice Elizabeth Cate, '30bus,

and Clyde Butt, April 15 at Ft. Smith, Arkansas. Aipha Chi Omega. Home, San Francisco, Cali-

Dorsey-Childers: Miss Helen Dorsey, '33, and Etnest W. Childers, '33, April 8. Home, Oklahoma City.

Banks-Ferguson: Miss Anita Banks, '33, and Carlos M. Ferguson, '30eng, April 8. Home,

COLLIER-WEST: Miss Gertrude Sally Collier,

'Cleng, and Ray West, '31ex, April 16 in Shawnee. Phi Mu-Sigma Nu. Home, Pond Creek.

LAUX-ANDERSON: Miss Louise Laux, '32ex, and J. Steve Anderson, jr., March 28 in Oklahoma City. Gamma Phi Beta. Home, Regent apartments, Boston, Massachusetts.

FOUSHEE-WAITE: Miss Mildred Foushee, '29ex,

end Edson R. Waite, jr., March 21 in Stroud. Pi Beta Phi. Home, Shawnee.

CARDWELL-WARREN: Miss Florence Adams Cardwell, '30ex, and Rayford Warren, '33ex, April 27. Pi Beta Phi-Kappa Alpha. Home, 925 Bullitt avenue, Holdenville.

SUDIK-TURNER: Miss Helen Sudik and Raymond Turner, '31geol, April 23. Sigma Gamma Epsilon. Home, 526 Southwest Eleventh street, Oklahoma City.

FRITCH-JORDAN: Miss Fay Fritch, '30sc, and Marshall Jordan, April 28 in Erick, Home, Erick, ETHERIGE-WRIGHT: Miss Eunice Etherige, '29 ex, and Ted Wright, '31pharm, Home, Guymon.

WATFORD-SPERRY: Miss Helen Watford, '31ed, ard Wesley Sperry, '30as, May 1 in Norman. Address, Box 720, Lincoln, Arkansas.

### BIRTHS

Mrs Laurita McMillan Motley, '30fa, and C. F. Motley, '30bus, a son, Ray Franklin, November 19. 1932. Home, Norman.

Mrs Marie Keniston Williams, '24ex, and Dr. Gordon D. Williams, '27med, a son, Gordon D. II, January 13, 1933. Home, 401 North Custer, Weatherford.

### DEATHS

MRS VERA SHIDLER CONNELL

Mrs Vera Shidler Connell, '29ex, died April 26 in Sheridan, Wyoming, following a mastoid operation. While attending the university, Mrs Connell was women's editor of the Oklahoma Daily.

Mrs Blanche Ruedy Bryner Mrs Blanche Ruedy Bryner, '10as, died April 5, 1933, at her home in Akron, Ohio. Mrs Bryrer was a charter member of Theta Gamma chapter of Delta Delta Delta. She was a very active member of her class, having served as class president, secretary and literary editor of The Sooner in 1908-09.

R. E. CONNOR R. E. Connor, '28ex, Oklahoma City attorney, was drowned in the city lake at Woodward, May 5, when a motor boat capsized. Mr Connor was a member of the Pierce, McClelland, Kneeland and Baily law firm. His home was at 1219 West Sixteenth, Oklahoma City.

## YEAR BY YEAR

### 1914

Wade H. Shumate, '14as, was elected president of Southeastern State Teachers college at Durant recently by the state board of education. Mr Shumate began his career as a teacher in the Mangum high school in 1905 where later he became principal and then superintendent. From there he went to Northeastern Teachers college at Tahlequah as head of the education department and director of the training school. In 1926 he was recalled to Mangum as superintendent of schools and has continued in that position until the present time.

### 1916

W. C. Kite, '16as, of Oklahoma City, has been named receiver of the Oklahoma City field properties of the Eason Oil Co. and eight other firms by District Judge R. P. Hill.

More than a hundred species of cactus is contained in the garden of Kenneth C. Kaufman, '16as, '19M.A., of Norman. Mr Kaufman finds one delightful advantage of a cactus garden in that only one or two varieties require watering—a useful point for gardners living in the drought belt of Oklahoma.

Mrs Minnaletha Jone Popejoy, '17piano, '23 voice, has resigned her position as assistant professor of voice in the university to become music arranger for the Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer motion picture producers, Hollywood, California. She took up her work June 1 on arrangements for The Cossacks starring Lawrence Tibbett. Mrs Popejoy was accompanied by a trio composed of Aubrey Popejoy, '31voice, Zane Mentzer, '28as, '30voice, and Lou Fullerton, Garden City, Kansas, which will sing regularly over broadcasting stations KFSD, San Diego, and KFI, Los Angeles.

Leslie E. Salter, '21as, '22law, special assistant United States attorney for the past five years, has been appointed to handle the income tax investigations in Chicago.

'21as, superintendent of John L. Coffey, schools at Stroud, Oklahoma, visited the campus June 7 and paid a call at the Alumni office. If any other alumnus has a better record for having attended Oklahoma colleges, The Sooner Magazine would like to hear about it. Mr Coffey's list includes the Haskell State School of Agriculture and Panhandle Junior College, Goodwell, of which his father was president some years ago; the State Teachers College, Weatherford; the University of Oklahoma, from which he received a B. A. degree; and the Oklahoma A. & M., where he received an M. S. degree and where he taught history for four years. Mr Coffey's father was George A. Coffey, pioneer teacher in Oklahoma, who taught first in a dugout in Washita county and helped organize there the school which is now one of the largest in the state called Port Consolidated School. Mr Coffey has two children. Maxine, his daughter, finishes Tulsa high school next year at fifteen, and is interested in studying medicine at the university.

Lieutenant J. V. Collier, '21as, of Norman, has been assigned for the summer civilian conservation duty at Fort Sill.

### 1922

W. Dow Hamm, '22as, and Mrs Helen Berry Hamm, '22ex, sailed May 5 on the Franconia for l'iymouth, England, enroute to The Hague, Holland. Mr Hamm is geologist for the Dutch Shell Petroleum Company and will remain in the general offices of the company at The Hague until September 1.

### 1924

Scott P. Squyres, '24law, of Oklahoma City, elected judge advocate general of the Veterans of Foreign Wars at the last national meeting, has been elected state commander of the organization. Mr Squyres announces that state headquarters will be opened in the Oklahoma Historical Society building.

Mrs Merle Montgomery, '24music, of Oklahoma City, was recently awarded a summer scholarship in music by an institute in Paris.

### 1926

Miss Lydia Haag, '26as, instructor in English and journalism at Chickasha high school, plans to visit the World's Fair in Chicago this sum-

### 1927

O. E. Hatcher, '27M.A., has recently been elected president of Northwestern State Teachers college at Alva. Mr Hatcher has been teaching history in Oklahoma A. and M. college, Still-

water, for the last two years. Before going to A. and M. conesciples schools at Putnam City. A. and M. college he was superintendent of

Dr. P. Richard Auriemma, '28med, is taking postgraduate work in the medical school in Columbia university. His address is 18 Parnell place, Jersey City, New Jersey. 1929

C. C. Beaird, '29M.S., has been elected for his 16th consecutive year as superintendent of schools at Poteau. Two new projects are under way there, a school building project and a school ground improvement project, which when completed will give Poteau one of the best and most modern schools in eastern Oklahoma.

Miss Lucy Tandy, '29as, '32M.A., who has been the house-guest of Ernesto Giménez Caballero, famous Spanish author, for a year, will return to Norman the first week in September. She has studied while there in the Centro de Estudios, annex of the University of Madrid, Madrid, Spain.

1931

William Edwin Wallace, jr., '31geol, sailed January 7, 1933, on the Mainetania from New York for the Port of Spain. He is micropaleon-tologist for the Standard Oil Company at Caripito, Venezuela.

Ben T. Williams, '31as, '33law, has been ap-pointed city attorney at Stratford, and has been uniformly successful in all prosecutions thus far.

1932

Olive Nuhfer, '32art, has completed an in-irational painting, "Triumphant Christ," spirational painting, "Triumphant Christ," which was unveiled at special services Sunday night, May 28, at St. John's Episcopal church. Larger than life size, the painting is beneath a Gothic arch at the extreme east end of the church, behind the altar. Praised by members of the university art department as a remarkable piece of work in design and feeling, the painting shows Christ, St. John, St. Mark and two angels. Christ, his arms outstretched embracing all humanity, is in the center in heroic size. To the left is St. John, the oldest of the disciples. He is clad in a blue robe. St. Mark, the youngest of the apostles, is to the right in The instruments of Holy Coma red robe. munion, the patin and the chalice, are in their hands. On either side of them are two angels reading scrolls. The coat of arms of the four biographers of Christ decorate the top and bottom of the painting. They are the Winged Bull of St. Matthews, the Lion of St. Mark, the Griffin of St. Luke, and the Eagle of St.

Joe Hudson, '32eng., is Texas state cattle in-spector at San Antonio, Texas.

1933

Hugo Goetz, '33fa, of Pryor, has been selected as drum major of the Rock Island Railroad band for the opening of the Century of Progress exposition at Chicago. Herman Ziemer, '33fa, of Yale, has been selected as manager of the official Rock Irland band. Both have been active in the university band for the last four years.

Miss Helen Barbour, '33he, of Norman, has

been awarded a fellowship for a year by Grass-land hospital at Valhalla, New York. Miss Barbour who was voted the outstanding senior in home economics, will work in hospital di-

etetics.

### THE RETURN OF THE NATIVES

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well as he did in school. "Deke" Parker said that Frank's work with the Y. M. C. A. in South America is coming along so well that he will soon be able to return to America and let it run by itself. Someone else volunteered the information that Frank had accompanied Will Rogers, as an interpreter, on his trip through South America.

George Smith said that he had seen Charlie Marsh some time ago in Austin and had enjoyed a visit with him. Mr Marsh is directing twenty or thirty newspapers throughout the Southwest. According to "Deke" Parker, Mr Marsh is one of the most successful newspaper men he has ever known. He said that "he's the same old Charley; going a mile a minute and dreaming dreams as big as ever."

There are those who remember a botany trip and the freshman from Michigan to whom they introduced the fine art of eating Oklahoma persimmons without explaining their drawing qualities. I never heard such laugh all evening as came from that gang of men when they recalled the face of that freshman.

Clint Port, successful farmer of Edmond, Oklahoma, read a proclamation which he and a group of freshmen had printed. Not being satisfied with distributing it on the campus, they had glued it on all the coaches of a train going south. President Boyd received telephone calls from Texas people and the boys were reproached for the stunt in no quiet tones.

It was interesting to find that the Easter holidays so enjoyed my eds and coeds today at the university would never have come into being had it not been for the concentrated efforts of the class of '08. They were determined to have Easter holidays observed on the campus even if they had to break up a chapel program to express their feelings. Doctor Boyd wisely found a good excuse for being out of town that morning; the class organized a hayride, and kidnaping Vice-president DeBarr, they took him along with them. The following week they submitted a formal petition and the faculty, acting upon it, decided to make the Easter holidays an annual

Many and wild were the tales mellowed with age which they all told on "Deke" Parker. The one which caused most merriment was George Smith's about "Deke's" wedding. He and a group of the boys planned to get Mr Parker tipsy and keep him from the ceremony if possible. They could not find him anywhere although they looked every conceivable place. But not once did they think to look for him at Adelaide Loomis' home. It was considered improper for a young man to call on his bride-to-be just before the wedding and they had at least expected "Deke" to do the proper thing one time in his life!

Another tale was about one of the times Doctor Boyd tried to expel "Deke" from school. He had a date instead of

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