# Calling the roll of Sooner classes

# 1907

Mary Alice Boyd, '07, and her mother, Mrs. D. R. Boyd, of Glendale, Calif., planned to leave in June for a tour of Alaskan waters.

# 1910

Jessie D. Newby, '10, has completed work for a Ph. D. degree in Latin at the University of Iowa and has returned to Edmond to resume work on the faculty of Central State Teachers College.

## 1911

Verne E. Alden, '11, is now power engineer for the Stone & Webster engineering corporation at Winnetka, Ill.

#### 1914

Joe Love, '14ex, Purcell, former employe of the Planning Survey of the State Highway Department, has been named assistant to John Shaw, head of the registration division of the newlycreated Department of Public Safety.

## 1917

Dr. Charles A. Brake, '17med, member of the Central State Hospital staff at Norman, has been made a member of the American Psychiatric Association.

Gordon White, '17, heads the Gordon White Lumber Company which has general offices at Chandler and yards located at Chandler, Edmond, Wellston and Coyle. The yards at the latter two places were opened only recently. Mr. White moved from Chandler to Oklahoma City about a year ago. Associated with him in the business are a brother, Clifford L. White, '28, who is in charge of the Chandler and Wellston yards, and a nephew, H. Otto Walker, '31, who lives in Guthrie and is in charge of the yards at Coyle and Edmond.

# 1919

Graham Johnson, '19, has been named chairman of the Norman Park Board. Glenn Couch, '31, instructor in botany in the University, is a member of the board.

#### 1920

John C. Milliken, '20, is engineer for the State Board of Affairs, Oklahoma City.

# 1921

Harold W. Hoots, '21geol, former assistant geologist of the Union Oil Company, has joined Richfield Oil Company as chief geologist. He had been with the Union Oil since 1928, and is past president of the Pacific Coast section of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists. He lives in Los Angeles.

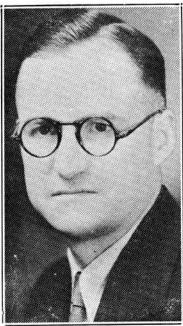
Boyd F. Koepke, '21, is now located at Tulsa, Okla., as refinery sales engineer for the Frick-Reid Supply Corporation.

Mrs. Mary Gray Thompson, '21fa, has resigned as head of the speech department at Central High School, Oklahoma City, in order to enter private teaching work. Mrs. Thompson had a fine record in the position, which she had filled since 1922. She sponsored many of the outstanding student organizations in the school, and her students won five national champion-ships in oratory and extemporaneous speaking. Ten teachers now giving speech instruction in Oklahoma City received her training.

# 1922

John Props, '22, '27ma, professor of biological science at Southeastern State Teachers College,

# Heads College



E. E. Emerson

E. E. Emerson, 19ex, superintendent of schools at Cromwell, has been appointed president of Northeastern Oklahoma Junior College, Miami. He replaces John E. Holcomb.

Mr. Emerson's experience includes five years as elementary school principal at Ada; four years at Beggs, one year as principal and three as superintendent; nine years at Cromwell, eight of them as superintendent and one year on leave as state high school inspector; seven summers as graduate special instructor at East Central State Teachers College; and two summers as graduate assistant at Oklahoma A. and M. college.

He is a member of Phi Kappa Phi, Kappa Delta Pi, and Phi Alpha Theta.

Another Sooner given a position at the Miami school is E. L. Dobbins, '26ex, superintendent of schools at Marietta. He was appointed dean, succeeding J. B. Steed, '28ms

Durant, has been designated dean of men at the college.

Frank Overman, '22, '25ed.m, has been appointed a high school principal at Oklahoma City. He formerly was assistant to Jim Warram, county superintendent there.

#### 1923

Raymond R. Mahnken, '23, is a druggist at Hooker. He formerly lived at Jet, Okla.

Edna Blanchard, '23, formerly of Chicago, is now living in Norman.

Dr. Emma Estill Harbour, '23ma, '33ph.d, was honored at a banquet during commencement events at Central State Teachers College, Edmond, in recognition of her completion of 25 years of teaching work at the college.

# 1924

Charles W. Conner, '24ex, common pleas judge at Oklahoma City, has been chosen by officials of Cumberland University, Lebanon, Tenn., as the outstanding young graduate of the school in Oklahoma and received an honorary Doctor of Law degree at the school's spring commencement exercises. Mr. Conner received a degree from Cumberland in 1925. He was elected common pleas judge in 1934 and previously had served as temporary county judge, was a member of the Board of Bar Governors for two terms, and also has served as treasurer of the State Bar Association.

Dr. J. T. Wade, '24, '25ma, principal of Grover Cleveland Junior High School at Tulsa, was appointed on the education faculty for the University summer term.

Harvey A. Andruss, '24, has been named dean of instruction at the Bloomsburg State Teachers college, Bloomsburg, Pa. He has been head of the school's Department of Commerce for the last seven years. He has written several books on commercial subjects and has written for a number of national magazines.

Berniece Gaylord, '24, junior high school teacher at Mangum, was appointed music counselor for Camp Parthenia, near Tulsa, during a series of outings in June.

# 1925

An extensive year's work has been completed by the Little Theatre of Balboa High School, C. Z., which is directed by Subert Turbyfill, '25, '26, '32ma. A total of 109 students took part as actors and workers, and total audience attendance was 4,617. Productions included six full evening plays, and two one-act plays.

Dave Phillips, '25, '35ms, has been appointed superintendent of schools at Waurika.

Howard M. Boyer, '25ex, was elected president of the 1937 spring class of Scottish Rite Masons of the Guthrie Consistory.

#### 1926

Harold Van Turner, '26, is now assistant superintendent of the Gasoline Division of the Empire Oil and Refining Company.

Mildred Riling, '26ma, associate professor of English at Southeastern State Teachers College, Durant, has been granted a sabbatical leave of absence beginning September 1, 1937, to work for a doctor's degree at the University of Illinois.

Mrs. Frances Smith Catron, '26, Ponca City, was elected to the National Board of the National Music Educators Conference for a four year term at the recent Southwestern conference of music educators held in Tulsa.

#### 1927

S. John Smith, '27, formerly at Sapulpa, is now living at Oklahoma City where he is manager of the Miller Sand Pump Company.

Reid Brazell, '27, was recently made general manager of Leonard Refinerics, Inc., at Alma, Mich.

Dan Welch, '27ex, Oklahoma City attorney, has been appointed east side title examiner for the State School Land Commission.

Earl Pruet, '27, has resigned as assistant United States District Attorney at Oklahoma City in order to go into private practice. He is now