

Alumni Association Progress

BALLOTS for election of members of the Alumni Executive Board were mailed out in April and should be returned to the Alumni Office before May 15.

One-third of the members of the Executive Board are elected each year by mail ballot of the members of the Association whose dues are paid. The Executive Board selects the officers of the Association, determines its policies and directs its activities.

In the election this year, two members-at-large are to be elected, and one member each for Districts 2, 4 and 7.

The six candidates for member-at-large, two of whom will be elected, are:

Wendell Hagood, '35law, attorney, Durant. Has practiced law at Durant since 1935, and has been in partnership with Judge A. H. Ferguson at Durant since February, 1936. University Activities Sigma Chi; pledged to Phi Delta Phi. Chairman, Bryan County Advisory Council, Alumni Association.

Frank Cleckler, '21, Muskogee. Phi Beta Kappa '31. University Activities: Phi Gamma Delta, Alpha Kappa Psi, Entra Nous, Business Opportunity Club. Life Member University of Oklahoma Association, 2-5-0 subscriber, alumni secretary 1928-36; manager of Oklahoma Union 1928-36; secretary of Student Union Memorial Fund, field supervisor Veterans Administration, 1921 to 1928; manager Veterans Administration facilities at Muskogee, 1936 to date.

Norman Brillhart, '17, Madill. University activities: baseball letter '15, '16 and '17; Phi Gamma Delta. Chairman, Marshall County Advisory Council.

Moody Tidwell, Jr., '23law, attorney, Miami. University Activities: Kappa Sigma, Phi Delta Phi, Scabbard and Blade, Mystic Keys, Ruf Necks, Clip, Junior Burlesque '22, Ottawa County Club, president of County Club Union, Sooner Staff '23. Chairman Ottawa County Advisory Council.

Ed Fleming, '14ex, Enid. 2-5-0 subscriber. Member Garfield County Advisory Council.

Ruben Sparks, '32law, Woodward. University Activities: Kappa Sigma, Order of Coif, president of Phi Delta Phi, Toga, president of Checkmate, president of Junior Law Class '31, president of Senate Forensic '30, secretary of Y.M.C.A. '30. Member Woodward County Advisory Council.

District 2 Candidates:
Max Chambers, '21, '29ms, Okmulgee. University activities: Y.M.C.A. cabinet, Entre Nous, Phi Delta Kappa, Phi Alpha Delta. Admitted to State Bar in June, 1923; superintendent of schools at Perry five years, Newkirk four years, Sapulpa three years, and Okmulgee seven years; vice president of State Parent-Teacher Association Congress, president of Okmulgee Rotary Club, state chairman of National Curriculum Society, chairman Okmulgee County Advisory council.

Mrs. Jewel Risinger Ditmar, '19, homemaker, Muskogee. Charter member and treasurer of American Association of University Women in Muskogee; first vice president of Oklahoma Division of U.D.C.
Walter Van Noy, '13ex, Wagoner. University activities: Kappa Sigma, former member of Board of Regents, Miami Junior College, managing officer of First National Bank, Wagoner; school teacher; county superintendent of schools. Member Wagoner County Advisory Council.

District 4 Candidates:
A. B. Carpenter, '27law, Shawnee. Pi Kappa Alpha, Phi Alpha Delta, Chairman Pottawatomie County Advisory Council.

Hicks Epton, '32law, attorney, Wewoka. University Activities, Congress Club, oratory. Life Member University of Oklahoma Association. Chairman Seminole County Advisory Council.

Dr. Ned Burleson, '26, '29med, Prague. University activities; Alpha Pi Mu, Lambda Nu, Y.M.C.A. Cabinet, Phi Chi. Chairman, Lincoln County Advisory Council.

District 7 Candidates:
George D. Hann, '36ed.m, superintendent of schools at Clinton. President Oklahoma Education Association in 1934, member State Textbook Commission 1927-30, chairman Custer County Advisory Council.

Miles Tolbert, '21, '23law, attorney at Hobart, Chairman Kiowa County Advisory Council.

George Metzler, '34, '34ma, teacher at Hollis. University Activities: Oratorical Council; Athenian Literary Society, Kappa Kappa Psi, Phi Delta Kappa, Band, Y.M.C.A. Cabinet. Chairman Harmon County Advisory Council.

The new members of the Executive Board will assume their positions at the June meeting.

Members whose terms expire are J. M. Gentry, Oklahoma City; R. W. Hutto, Norman; and Earl Foster, Oklahoma City, members-at-large, and Dave Logan, District 2; Lowrey H. Harrell, District 4; and Buff B. Burtis, District 7.

Hold-over members of the Board are: Graham Johnson, Norman; William L. Eagleton, Tulsa; Harry L. S. Halley, Tulsa; and Mrs. Florence Monnet McKown,

Oklahoma City, all members - a-t-large; John R. Pearson, Pawhuska, District 1; Freeman Galt, Oklahoma City, District 3; Coleman Hayes, Oklahoma City, District 5; H. Merle Woods, El Reno, District 6; Charles B. Duffy, Ponca City, District 8, and Elton B. Hunt, Tulsa, District 9.

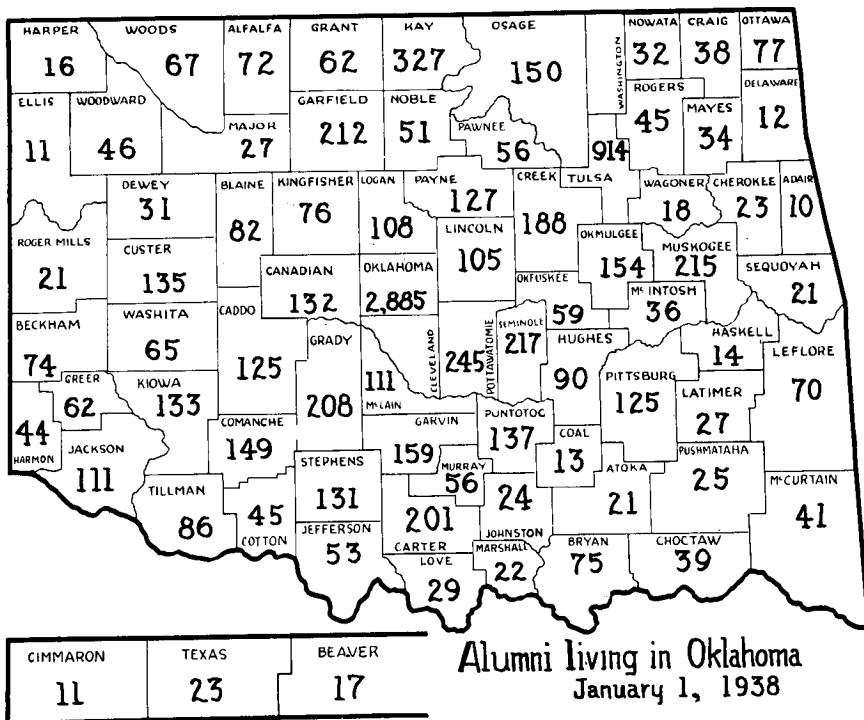
National awards to magazine

The Sooner Magazine was one of three alumni magazines west of Ohio that received awards in the annual magazine competition conducted by the American Alumni Council. The awards were presented at the annual meeting of the council held in April at Columbus, Ohio.

The Sooner Magazine received two awards—third place for best portrayal of student life and fourth place for best editorial—and honorable mention in the contest for best general balance.

Only four alumni magazines in the entire United States received more than one award, these being the alumni magazines published at the University of Oklahoma, University of California, Northwestern University and Case School of Applied Science.

Statistics presented at the Alumni Council Meeting revealed that the Sooner Magazine publishes about twice as many pages per year as the average alumni magazine in the nation.



This map shows the distribution of University graduates in the various counties of Oklahoma, as shown in a recent survey made by the alumni office. Approximately 10,000 graduates, not counting former students, now live in Oklahoma