

THE most elaborate radio broadcasting program ever sponsored directly by the University of Oklahoma Association will go out over the eight stations of the Oklahoma Network from 8:30 to 9:30 p.m. Wednesday night, February 9.

The program will be broadcast from the University Auditorium in the Fine Arts Building, with an audience of students and faculty members looking on. In a great many of the counties over the state, alumni and former students will meet for dinners or informal gatherings to receive the program from the campus. By late January, the Alumni Office had received reports from many Advisory Councils that they already had made arrangements for local meetings the night of February 9.

The program will be chiefly entertainment, interspersed with a few brief and informal discussions of University affairs of current interest, alumni affairs, and University sports.

Dr. W. B. Bizzell, president of the University, and his assistant Dr. M. L. Wardell, will discuss in conversational style certain problems the University is now working on. Alumni affairs will be covered in a brief talk between Secretary Ted Baird and Lowrey H. Harrell, of Ada, president of the Alumni Association. Sports will be discussed by Athletic Director Tom Stidham and other representatives of the Athletic Department.

Tentative plans call for entertainment numbers by Barre Hill, head of the voice department of the University, vocal soloist; the Choral club, the University band, the University Symphony orchestra, a student dance band, and student talent from the Men's Glee club and the Choral club.

The program also is to include a brief interview with a faculty member concerning a certain student who is attending the University with a minimum of financial resources.

"Every effort is being made to arrange a balanced program, including some popular music as well as classical numbers," explained H. H. Leake, production manager of radio station WNAD at the University, who is in charge of program arrangements.

The stations that will carry the broadcast, and their kilocycle numbers, are as follows: KTOK, Oklahoma City, 1370; KCRC, Enid, 1360; KGFF, Shawnee, 1420; KBIX, Muskogee, 1500; KVSQ, Ardmore, 1210; KADA, Ada, 1200; WBBZ, Ponca City, 1200; and KASA, Elk City, 1210.

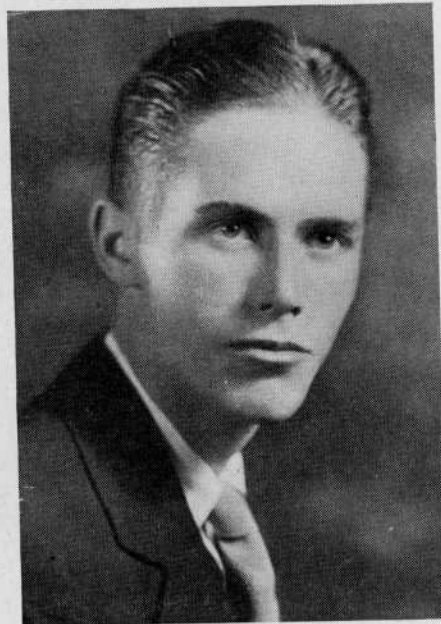
These stations cover all except a few remote areas of the state, according to Joseph W. Lee, Sooner alumnus and executive secretary of the Oklahoma Network. Mr. Lee is to be master of ceremonies for the broadcast.



Union lounge dedication

Formal opening of the elaborate new

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Joseph W. Lee, '31, Oklahoma City radio executive who will be master of ceremonies for the Alumni Broadcast February 9.

lounge room in the Union will be held Saturday, February 5, according to an announcement by T. M. Baird, alumni executive secretary and manager of the Union.

Both the Union Board of Trustees and the Executive Board of the University of Oklahoma Association have scheduled meetings for that day. The public also will be invited to inspect the recent improvements in the Union and student guides will be provided to escort visitors over the building.

Dinner at Enid

O.U. alumni of Garfield County entertained the entire Enid High School football squad, graduating senior football boys from Garber, and other boys from surrounding towns of the county, at a dinner shortly after the close of the football season.

Present from Norman were Coach Tom Stidham, Assistant Coaches Jap Haskell, Dewey Luster and Doc Erskine; Bill Crows, athletic department secretary, and Harold Keith, sports publicity director.

The program included a humorous talk by Carl Thompson of Oklahoma A. and M. College, and moving pictures of two Sooner football games.

Ed Fleming, '14ex, was toastmaster. Arrangements for the dinner, which was open to anyone who wished to come, were made by the Alumni Advisory Council of Garfield County which consists of Ralph Miller, chairman; Ed Fleming and Robert Frisen, of Enid; Hugh Southwick, Garber, and Mrs. Maude Mitchell Perry, Waukomis. The council also was assisted by Paul Edwards, Max Minton, Newton Weatherly and C. W. Horstmeier.

Total attendance was 150 persons.



Ponca City dinner

Sooner alumni of Ponca City and half a dozen nearby towns held a football banquet in the grillroom of the Jens Marie Hotel in Ponca City following the close of the football season.

Honor guests were Tom Stidham, Sooner football coach; Doc Erskine, freshman coach; and Waddy Young and Ralph Stephenson, Ponca City boys who were members of the 1937 Sooner football team.

Outstanding high school football players from the northern part of the state were also special guests. They were brought from Perry, Blackwell, Billings, Pawhuska, Braman, Fairfax, Pond Creek and Ponca City.

Charles B. Duffy, '22law, state senator and chairman of the Alumni Advisory Council for Kay County, presided at the dinner. Talks were made by the guests from O.U. and by Cliff Maple, '22, and

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Garfield County Alumni hold an elaborate football dinner

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'35ed, was married November 24 to Barkley McElroy, '37, in Norman. Mrs. McElroy will continue teaching at Corn school, and Mr. McElroy will teach at Byars.

RUSSELL-BRADY: Miss Wanda Russell, '35 ex, and Stanley J. Brady, Dallas, were married in October in Oklahoma City.

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Eugene Gibson, '36ma, previously teacher of Spanish at Idabel High School, is teaching French and Spanish in the Hobart Junior College.

Harold C. Frantzen, '36bus, and Mrs. Frantzen (Mildred Beeler, '35he), are the parents of a daughter, Margann, born December 17. Their home is in Buffalo, New York.

Frank Hedges, '36ms, with Mrs. Hedges and their son, visited the University recently. Mr. Hedges, while on furlough from the Biological Survey, is teaching temporarily in New Mexico.

Since June, 1936, Curtis Mayes, '36eng, has been employed by the National Supply Company and resides at 1942 Talbot Street, Toledo, Ohio.

Thurman L. (Dodo) Walters, '36ex, a familiar figure on Oklahoma baseball sandlots, was killed recently in an oil field accident. A falling pulley block struck him on the head. Mr. Walters, who played centerfield for the Crescent Indians, had planned to complete his work at the University the second semester. He earned a baseball letter while attending O.U.

At a recent meeting of members of Phi Kappa Psi Alumni Association of Western Oklahoma, James D. Fellers, '36law, Oklahoma City, was named president of the organization for 1938.

Dr. Harold B. Witten, '36med, is practicing medicine at Hobart.

Residing at Snyder, John F. Taylor, '36, is second lieutenant in the regular army, First Field Artillery, Fort Sill.



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Oron Ellifrit, '24law, Ponca City. Erskine showed movies of O.U. games of the last season.

Speakers emphasized the advantages gained by a youth attending school in his own home state.

Banquet arrangements were made by a committee consisting of Glenn Clark, Kelly Johnson, Cliff Maple, Oron Ellifrit, George Abbott, Bob Fields, Bill Chisholm and Fritz Aurin, all of Ponca City. Alumni from nearby towns who assisted are Roy Cox, Blackwell; Roy Johnson, Luther Miller, and Frank McGraw, of Newkirk; Dan Neal, Billings; Glen Caskey and Coach Early, Braman; Shelby Ray, Pond Creek; John Pearson and Bill Whiteside, Pawhuska; and Al Singletary and Dr. Crowder, Perry.



Ardmore gridmen entertain

Sooner alumni took an active part in a football banquet held at Ardmore in late December for the Ardmore High School football squad. Attendance included seventy-three business and professional men of Ardmore.

Fisher Muldrow, '22ex, presided at the dinner program. Special guests included Tom Stidham, University athletic director and football coach, and Assistant Coaches Dewey Luster, Jap Haskell and Doc Erskine. Moving pictures of the Sooner foot-

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ball games with the Kansas Aggies and Missouri were shown.

California Sooners

A meeting of O.U. alumni in the Los Angeles vicinity in California was scheduled January 24. Approximately fifty attended the last previous meeting, which was held October 25. At that time Renato Laras, Mexican consul, was honor guest and the program included Mexican songs and moving pictures of the International Highway. A. C. Cooley, '17ex, is president of the club at Los Angeles, and Oliver Leeper, '11, is secretary.

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backwards, forwards, and sideways and is simple without being repetitious, is a pretty neat accomplishment in itself. But we don't dwell upon it. As a matter of fact, it isn't our creation but that of the Washington office of the project. We are indebted to Washington for a great many other things, although we often acknowledge the debt grudgingly.

At the end of the first six months of our project we had a guide book written, and we sent it into Washington. The criticism that came back with it was thicker than the manuscript.

"Oklahoma has few folk tunes," we had written glibly. And Washington snarled "You have almost a thousand."

We had begun our Industry section with a discussion of the oil business. Said Washington: "How about the ship-yards of Auguste Chouteau, established near the town of Okay in the early 1800's?"

Our essay on education was inadequate; statements in our architecture treatise were "doubted"; we had ignored this and overstressed that. Slowly, it dawned on us that we were not writing a guide-book, but *the* guide book. And with this nice distinction before us we began work anew.

Now, after two years, we have some 4,000,000 words in our files, probably the largest collection of Oklahoma manuscripts in existence. Our guide-book manuscript of 180,000 words is the concentrated essence of the file material.

Junior Honors Plan

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In addition to being interested in the constructive service they can perform for the University, the students see the program as one that will give them valuable opportunities to get acquainted with leading students and faculty members of other schools and colleges in the University.

When the first luncheons were held, the student committees selected popular faculty members to come as guests, two or three faculty members sitting at each table of students, and the chance to meet

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