

Calling Mr. Brandt

[Association Progress]

ALUMNI groups last month were already requesting visits from Joseph A. Brandt, '21, who will leave his position as director of the Princeton University Press to become president of the University of Oklahoma next August 1.

New York alumni, headed by Hughes B. Davis, '17ba, chairman of the O. U. Advisory Council in New York tentatively scheduled a dinner meeting February 12 with the principal address to be given by Mr. Brandt. Arrangements are in charge of Jerry Nolan, Julietta B. Kahn and Dr. Lloyd N. Morrisett.

Paul Walker, '12law, chairman of the O. U. Council at Washington, D. C. last month was working on plans for a dinner of Washington alumni to be held February 15 in honor of Mr. Brandt and President W. B. Bizzell.

More Life Members

Four new life members were announced last month, bringing the total of living life members to 436. The class of 1924 advanced from twentieth to nineteenth position in the ranking of classes on a basis of percentage of life members.

The two new members from the class of 1924 are Gladys M. Thompson, '24ba, and Helen Hamill, who received both bachelor and master's degree in home economics in 1924.

Miss Thompson is employed in the offices of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company in New York City. She taught school at Amarillo, Texas, and Peckskill, New York, before going to New York City eleven years ago. Miss Thompson was a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority at the University. She has attended Southern Methodist University, Syracuse University and Columbia University, as well as O. U. Miss Thompson makes her home with her sister, Mabel Thompson, '26ba, at Little Silver, New Jersey. Miss Mabel Thompson was a member of Alpha Xi Delta at the University, was a member of Phi Beta Kappa, Publication Board, Panhellenic Council, Glee Club, Women's Council, Sooner staff, and was a Letzeiser medal winner.

Miss Gladys Thompson wrote the alumni office that "my sister and I enjoy *Sooner Magazine* very much, as it has been our only contact with the University throughout the years. We rarely get out that way and when we do it is usually a hurried visit home during our vacations in the summer with no time left for a visit to the University. As we are now located with a permanent address we have de-

Life Membership Ranking

CLASS	RANK	NUMBER OF LIFE MEMBERS	PER CENT OF LIFE MEMBERS
1904	1	2	14.39
1912	2	16	13.01
1910	3	9	11.54
1914	4	19	11.45
1908	5	6	11.32
1913	6	14	10.85
1909	7	4	9.52
1911	8	7	8.43
1915	9	16	8.38
1906	10	3	8.11
1907	11	3	7.14
1916	12	13	5.96
1917	13	15	5.70
1905	14	1	5.21
1920	15	19	4.91
1919	16	12	4.72
1922	17	20	3.88
1923	18	18	3.14
1924	19	21	2.86
1921	20	13	2.82
1918	21	6	2.63
1926	22	17	2.40
1928	23	17	2.00
1925	24	14	1.88
1930	25	18	1.74
1934	26	18	1.69
1937	27	19	1.56
1927	28	10	1.43
1938	29	18	1.41
1929	30	13	1.26
1932	31	13	1.15
1933	32	11	1.00
1931	33	10	0.92
1935	34	6	0.57
1936	35	6	0.50
1939	36	4	0.28
Undergraduate		3	
Honorary		2	
Total Living Life Members		436	

cid to subscribe for the life membership."

The other new life member from the class of '24, Helen Hamill, is assistant professor of home economics in the University. Miss Hamill has been an annual member of the Alumni Association for many years.

Miss Hamill taught in Panhandle Agricultural College at Goodwell and in Tulsa High School before joining the University faculty. She is a graduate of the Stout Institute, Menomonie, Wisconsin, and has attended summer sessions at Columbia University, University of Chicago, University of California, and Hungarian University.

She is a member of numerous organizations on the O.U. campus including Kappa Delta Pi, Phi Beta Sigma, Omicron Nu, Iota Sigma Pi and Oikonomia. Her professional organizations include A.A.U.W., A.A.U.P., State Home Economics Association and National Home Economics Association. She is past president of the State Home Economics Association and holds the

longest continuous membership in this association of anyone in the state.

Another new life member is Charles H. Fawks, Jr., 19ba, who is president of the First National Bank at Snyder. Mr. Fawk's student activities included Kappa Alpha social fraternity, Alpha Kappa Psi, chairman Junior Prom, Ruf Necks, Pe-et, Letzeiser medal and junior class football. He has served as president of Chamber of Commerce, vice president of Rotary Club, member of Masonic Lodge, Shriner, Chairman of Group One, Oklahoma Bankers Association member of executive council of American Bankers Association for three years, member of State Legislature in 1925, World War veteran and member of American Legion. Mr. Fawks is now a member-at-large of the executive board of the University of Oklahoma Association.

The fourth new life member added to the roster last month is John D. Hadsell, '38ba, who is now instructor in English at the Ponca City Military Academy, Ponca City. Mr. Hadsell, who is the son of Dr. R. S. Hadsell, '04ba, of the University English faculty, is the eighteenth life member from the class of 1938. His student activities included: Membership in Beta Theta Pi social fraternity, Phi Beta Kappa, President's Honor Class, Phi Mu Alpha, Men's Quartet, Glee Club, Phi Delta Kappa, Kappa Tau Pi, French Club and English Club.

Changes in Advisory Council chairmen and members made recently by Alumni Executive Secretary Ted Beard are as follows:

Carl Edward Sibert, '38geol, has been appointed chairman of the Council at Effingham, Illinois. He succeeds Clarence E. Brehm, who has moved to Mount Vernon, Illinois.

Marjorie Harriet Hays, '25ba, has been appointed chairman of the Council at New Haven, Connecticut.

Two new members added to the O. U. Advisory Council at Minneapolis, Minnesota, are Benton Ferguson, '31ba, and Ralph Campbell, '06.

Dr. V. H. Jeffress, '30med, formerly a member of the Council at San Francisco, is now living in the Canal Zone.

John Wesley Kitchens, '36ba, '37ma, has resigned as chairman of the Council at Iowa City, Iowa because of moving away. He had been succeeded by Doak Stowe, '39law.

I. F. Bingham, '32ed, '34eng, is chairman of a new council set up at Waco, Texas.

A new council has been appointed at Beaumont, Texas, with James E. Hawk, '35fa, as chairman.

Another new council in Texas is that at Cleburne, where Margaret G. McKinney, '29ba, is chairman.

Helen Morris, '36ed, is the new chairman at Kansas City, Kansas, succeeding Paul N. Campbell, '21ba, '25ma, who has moved away from Kansas City.

New members appointed to the New

York City Advisory Council are Julietta Kahn, '20ba, Jerry Nolan, '39bus, and Dr. Lloyd N. Morrisett, '17ba.

Two new members appointed to the Atlanta, Georgia, Advisory Council are Mrs. Tom C. Allen (Dorothy Mills, '29ba, '30ma) and Dr. Willard H. Smith, '40 med.

At Salt Lake City, Utah, Mrs. George Boggs (Grace Greer, '25h.ec), has been appointed a council member.

Ross Taylor, '30ba, '33ma, has been appointed a member of the Council at Wichita, Kansas.

Mrs. Sol Blonstein has been appointed to the Council at Shamrock.

Mrs. H. C. Frantzen (Mildred Beeler, '35h.ec) is chairman of a new council being set up in Buffalo, New York.

Reuben K. Sparks, '32law, has been appointed chairman of the Woodward County Council.

Horace D. Ballaine, '31law, has been appointed member of the Pawnee County Advisory Council.

R. K. McIntosh, '22ba, '30ma, of Tahlequah, is a new member of the Cherokee County Advisory Council.

Two new members of the Ellis County Advisory Council are Vance Suffield, '40ba, of Gage, and Elsie L. McConnell, '40ed, of Arnett.

Four new members of the Pushmataha County Advisory Council are Dr. P. B. Rice, '38med, Pat Westmoreland, '35, Mrs. Catherine Skinner, '32ba, and Oleta Bailey, '39h.ec, all of Antlers.

George Spraberry, '24ed, '27ms.ed, of Perry, has been appointed a new member of the Noble County Advisory Council.

Floyd Croxton, '35law, has succeeded Webster Wilder, Jr., as chairman of the Alfalfa County Council. Mr. Wilder is on army duty at Fort Sill.

Convention Reception

Chief event for O. U. alumni during the annual convention of the Oklahoma Education Association at Tulsa in February will be a general reception from 9:30 to 11 o'clock Friday night, February 7, in Room 101 of Tulsa Central High School.

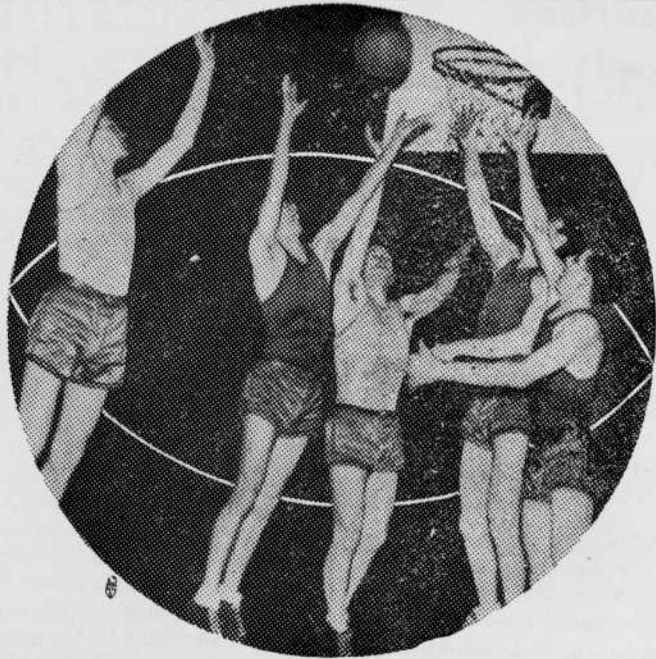
The reception will be sponsored by the Alumni Association and Tulsa County alumni. All Sooners in the vicinity are invited, as well as teacher alumni attending the convention, according to Ted Beard, alumni executive secretary.



Thelma Butts, '40ba, has accepted a position as secretary to Roy Gittinger, dean of administration at the University of Oklahoma.

CAMPBELL-STACY: Miss Katheryn Campbell and Stroud Phillip Stacy, '40, were married in December in Mangum. She attended Texas State College for Women, and for six months has been employed by the Mangum National Bank. They live in Lansing, Michigan, where he is special agent for the Aetna Casualty and Surety Company.

Rev. and Mrs. Herbert Cockerill (Meribel Hernandez, '40) announce the birth of a daughter, Evelyn Ann, born December 25. They live in Lawton.



Basketball Climax

- February 5 Oklahoma Aggies at Norman
- February 8 Iowa State at Norman
- February 22 Nebraska at Norman

University of Oklahoma Athletic Council

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For Alumni Groups

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It is advisable, however, to make a reservation well in advance of the date of the meeting, since the Union's facilities are constantly in demand.

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