

Alumni in the News

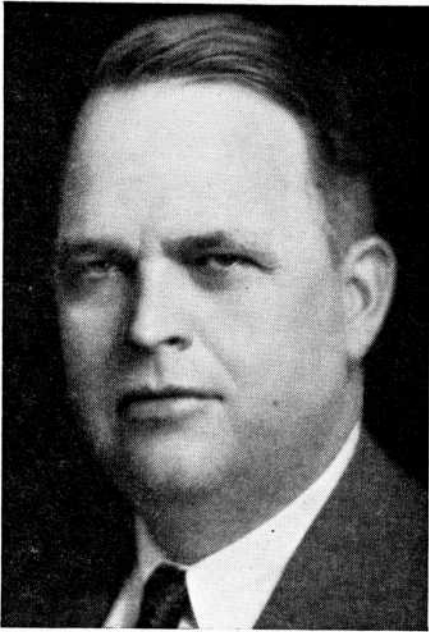
For the second consecutive time, Oklahoma voters last month gave the Democratic nomination for governor to a University of Oklahoma alumnus. Robert S. Kerr, '16, Oklahoma City oil man, attorney and Democratic party leader, was nominated to succeed Gov. Leon C. Phillips, '16law, who was the first O. U. alumnus to serve as governor of Oklahoma.

Mr. Kerr, a life member of the University of Oklahoma Association, expressed a friendly attitude toward the state's institu-

ished, was defeated by veteran office-holder Frank Carter in the race for secretary of state.

Three O. U. alumni re-nominated for state offices are A. L. Crable, '27ma, state superintendent of public instruction; Mac Q. Williamson, '10, attorney general; and Joe C. Scott, '28, president of the State Board of Agriculture.

In Oklahoma County, George Miskovsky, '36law, won a hot election for the Democratic nomination for county attorney



WINNERS IN MAJOR RACES

Oklahoma voters in the July primary nominated Robert S. Kerr, '16 (left) for governor and renominated Josh Lee, '17ba, for United States Senator. Returns showed that Senator Lee carried every county in Oklahoma

tions of higher education in his pre-election statements and he received a large plurality in the voting in Norman precincts.

In the other principal race of the July primary, United States Senator Josh Lee, '17ba, former University faculty member, was re-nominated for another term in the Senate.

Mike Monroney, '24ba, was re-nominated for fifth district congressman by an overwhelming majority. Editor of the *Oklahoma Daily* while a student in the University, he later became a newspaperman in Oklahoma City, then operated a furniture store for a time, and went from there to Congress.

Jed Johnson, '15, was re-nominated for Congress in the Sixth District.

Wilburn Cartwright, '20law, a veteran of eight consecutive terms in Congress as Third District representative, was defeated for re-nomination by Paul Stewart.

Will Rogers, '30ms.ed, representative-at-large in Congress whose position was abol-

—a position to be vacated by Lewis R. Morris, '21law, who moves up to a district judgeship.

A. P. Van Meter, '27law, won nomination for district judge No. 2 in Oklahoma County, and Clarence Mills, '23law, was re-nominated for No. 3.

In the University's State Senate district, James C. Nance, Purcell newspaper publisher, was renominated.

Harold Freeman, '25, Garvin County representative, was chosen in late July for speaker of the House in the Nineteenth Legislature, with approval of Robert S. Kerr, the Democratic nominee for governor. Seven potential candidates for speaker met with Mr. Kerr and when he made known his choice, all agreed to support Mr. Freeman for speaker. Mr. Freeman, an attorney at Pauls Valley, was nominated in Garvin County to serve his fifth term in the House. He was floor leader in the last session.



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