

Calling the Roll of Sooner Classes

By EDITH WALKER

1898 C. Ross Hume, '98ba, '00ma, Anadarko attorney, was elected commissioner to the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church which met May 21-28 at Milwaukee.

Mrs. Hannah Clapham Alkire, '98pharm, former Norman resident, died last month in a hospital in Fremont, Missouri. She was 64 years old. Mrs. Alkire was one of the first two women to receive pharmacy degrees at the University. She moved several months ago from Cedar Bluffs, Nebraska, to make her home in Marysville, Missouri. Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Brogan, teacher in New York City, and a brother, J. O. Clapham, of Norman.

1903 Willard L. Gorton, '03ba, retired engineer, died in March at Boise, Idaho, after a short illness. He was 61 years old. Before his retirement about a year ago, he was consultant for the Boise Water Corporation. Mr. Gorton was widely known as an irrigation engineer. After graduation from O. U. he entered the U. S. Reclamation Service. In 1906 he went to Idaho as chief engineer of the Idaho Irrigation Company, and in 1911 he went to Manila as chief irrigation and design engineer for the Philippine department of public works. Four years later he returned to the Idaho Irrigation Company as chief of a project at Richfield, and was there until commissioned a captain in the Army Engineers Corps in 1918. Returning to professional work after the war, he became chief engineer of the Idaho Public Utilities Commission. After private practice as an engineer from 1922 to 1925, he was retained as consulting engineer for northern Mexico irrigation projects. In 1930 he was engineer for irrigation works at Turkestan, Russia. From 1933 to 1941 he was employed by the Boise Water Corporation and the Kellogg Water and Power Company. Survivors include Mrs. Gorton (Catherine Sarchet, '40ba), of Boise; a brother, Newton E. Gorton, '30ba, of Galveston, Texas; and two sons, Willard L. Gorton, Jr., Bridgeport, Connecticut, and Marquand S. Gorton, Seattle, Washington.

1910 Frank Buttram, '10ba, '12ma, president of the Independent Petroleum Association of America, said last month in a speech before the I.P.A.A. executive committee that construction of a 24-inch pipeline from Texas to Philadelphia is the only solution to the acute gasoline problem in eastern states. Mr. Buttram urged immediate action on the project by the War Production Board and the Office of Petroleum Co-ordinator.

1911 Judge Earl Welch, '11, Oklahoma City, last month was elected president of the Oklahoma Baseball Federation. He has been active in semipro and amateur baseball circles since 1931.

1912 Members of the Medical School class of 1912 still in active practice include Roy K. Goddard, Skiatook; C. P. Murphy, Hines, Illinois; E. P. Davis, Norman; H. W. Finley, McLean, Texas; O. O. Dawson, Wayne, Oklahoma; W. E. Stewart, Terre Haute, Indiana; Leslie Brownlee, Montgomery, Alabama, and Pauline Barker, Guthrie.

1917 Bouquets aplenty are heaped on the head of Arizona's freshman senator, Ernest W. McFarland, '17ba, in a highly complimentary personality sketch appearing in the June issue of *Esquire* magazine. Calling him "an independent thinker, blessed with personality and a Will Rogers dry sense of humor," *Esquire* describes the former Superior Court judge as no respecter of political persiflage, for he is university-bred, widely traveled,



CALVIN T. SMITH, '40m.ed

Calvin T. Smith, '40m.ed, of Wewoka, superintendent of schools for Seminole County, was elected president of the Oklahoma Education Association at the semi-annual meeting of the board of directors last month.

He will take office July 1, succeeding J. R. Holmes, school superintendent at Muskogee.

Now serving his third term as Seminole county superintendent, Mr. Smith has been head of the east central district of the O. E. A., and has served as president of the county superintendents group.

well-informed and imbued with the same long-view pioneering spirit of his Scotch-Irish ancestors who wagoned West. The article, entitled "Ambassador from Arizona," also tells how Judge Mack back in 1940 defeated the incumbent Senator Ashurst, who was considered "unbeatable," nearly two to one.

Senator Josh Lee, '17ba, was scheduled to deliver the annual commencement address May 29 at Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee. Senator Lee was a student there in 1911 before enrolling in the University of Oklahoma.

E. Floyd Miller, '15-'17, chief geologist of the Oliphant Oil Company, has moved from Shreveport, Louisiana, to San Antonio, Texas, where the company is concentrating operations at this time.

Mrs. Edith Ross Ditzler, '17ba, former Oklahoma City teacher, died April 28 at her home in Tulsa following a long illness. She was 48 years old. As a student at the University, Mrs. Ditzler was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, Zetaethian and the Women's Council, treasurer of the Oratorical Council and president of the Y.W.C.A. She was awarded a Letzeiser medal for scholarship and leadership. Before her marriage, she taught at Central High School, Oklahoma City. Survivors include her husband, Walter L. Ditzler, '17law, and five children, Tulsa, and her parents, Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Ross, of Oklahoma City.

1918 Angie Debo, '18ba, '33ph.d, Marshall, Oklahoma author and historian, has been awarded a \$500 grant-in-aid by the Social Science research Council of New York City to further her

research on American Indian policy. Miss Debo's study, when completed, will be published by the University of Oklahoma Press.

1920 John Joseph Mathews, '20ba, Osage Indian author and member of the tribal council, was injured in an automobile accident in late April while en route to attend a dedication program for the Osage Indian Agency's new record building in Pawhuska.

1921 Major E. W. Henderson, '21, represented the University of Oklahoma at the formal inauguration of Dr. LeRoy Eugene Cowles as president of the University of Utah April 11. Major Henderson, who was appointed by President Joseph A. Brandt to be official delegate to the ceremonies, reported that the inauguration was "colorful and impressive." The University of Utah is 10 years older than the University of California, 19 years older than the University of Nebraska, and 26 years older than the University of Colorado. It was established in 1850. Major Henderson is on duty at the headquarters of the Utah Selective Service System, Salt Lake City.

MAYS-BRISCOE: Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Madelyn Mays to Glenn O. Briscoe, '21geol, March 7 in Dallas, Texas. The bride is a graduate of Lon Morris College, Jacksonville, Texas, and Southern Methodist University, Dallas. The couple plan to make their home in St. Louis, Missouri.

1922 Travis I. Milsten, '22ba, Tulsa attorney and president of the Law School Alumni Association, has been given a service award by the Young Men's Christian Association of Tulsa for five years of service to the youth of Tulsa.

Mrs. J. R. Holland, a resident of Norman since 1904 and the mother of five University alumni, died last month in Norman at the age of 79 years. Her husband, who died several years ago, was a Norman merchant. Survivors include three daughters, Blanche Holland, '22ba, '32ma, and Mildred Holland, '24ba, both teachers at Classen High School, Oklahoma City, and Mrs. E. F. Sherman (Ora Beth Holland, '07-'08), Norman; four sons, O. B. Holland and J. D. Holland, '13law, both of Norman; M. J. Holland, Muskogee, and Roy W. Holland, '16-'17, Anthony, Kansas. Another daughter, Eunice Holland Wallace, '26ba, died in 1933.

1923 Joe W. Hicks, '23ba, has resigned as director of public relations for the National Confectioners' Association, Chicago, to accept a position with the Institute of Public Relations in New York City, a large public relations consulting firm. His business address in New York is the Graybar Building, 420 Lexington Avenue.

1924 G. S. Sanders, '19-'24, will become president of the Southwestern Institute of Technology at Weatherford July 1, succeeding James B. Boren, '36m.ed, who has resigned. Mr. Boren, who has served as head of the college since 1939, resigned to accept a position as president of Hardin Junior College at Wichita Falls, Texas. He was president of Mangum Junior College before taking the Weatherford position, and has served as superintendent of schools at Mangum, Bradley and Cement. In 1940 he was elected president of the Oklahoma Aviation Association. Superintendent of Schools at Wewoka since 1939, Mr. Sanders has devoted special attention there to the development of a trades and industry school which now has 150 students, and is well acquainted with the type of program that has been inaugurated at the Weatherford college under the Boren administration. Mr. Sanders resigned from the Board of Regents of Oklahoma Colleges, of which

he was chairman, in order to accept the appointment made by the board.

More national recognition came last month to Rep. Mike Monroney, '24ba, of Oklahoma City, when *Time* magazine printed his picture and an article reporting his speech to Congress in which he severely criticized Congress' war record. The article said in part, "A onetime newsman, friendly as an Airedale pup, furniture merchant Monroney arrived in congress four years ago from Oklahoma City. To grow up as a good congressman he listened, kept his mouth shut, studied hard, said nothing until he had something to say. What he said then usually made sense. This week earnest Mike Monroney stood up in congress, brushed back his mop of hair, peered at his colleagues, and let them have it." Specifically, Representative Monroney declared that Congress had produced "a weak and ineffective bill" on price control; had failed on conversion of the government plant to war by leaving virtually intact the "gangling, duplicating bureaus of nondefense agencies"; had failed to slash nondefense appropriations; had failed to adopt an adequate tax program that would prevent inflation and capture excessive war profits; and had failed to crack down on high union initiation fees, eliminate labor bottlenecks, and prevent "jurisdictional and inter-union disputes." The *Time* article further quoted the Oklahoma congressman as saying "The people are ahead of Congress in their willingness to do anything and everything to win the war."

A mystery novel, *The Cat Screams*, written by Todd Downing, '24ba, '28ma, has been dramatized for production on Broadway. Play rehearsals already have begun under the supervision of Martha Hodge, well known American actress, who is producing the play. Mr. Downing, former language professor in the University, is considered one of the most popular authors on the Crime Club's fiction list, having written a notable list of murder and mystery novels.

The death of Gleason C. McDonald, '24law, assistant county attorney of Tulsa County who was shot April 10 at his home in Tulsa was described as suicide by the investigating official. The attorney had been ill and was believed to have been despondent because his physical condition kept him out of the Army. Mr. McDonald was former counsel for the Peters Petroleum Corporation and joined the county attorney's staff in 1937. He attended high school in Pawhuska and was an outstanding athlete, winning all-state football honors in his senior year there. He served overseas during the first World War and enrolled in the University after his return.

Jay C. Huffman, '24ba, Konawa attorney, has been nominated by the Konawa Lions Club for the post of district governor.

O. W. Shumate, '22-'24, manager of the Insurance Building in Oklahoma City, has also been appointed manager of the Hightower Building, succeeding Ross W. Morrison, '28eng, recently called to duty in the Navy.

Harry D. Simmons, '24ba, for 13 years superintendent of schools at Wewoka, has resigned to accept a similar position at Stillwater. Mr. Simmons has been active in Oklahoma Education Association work and was a member of the State Board of Education for several years. By coincidence, he was elected superintendent of Stillwater school at a night meeting May 4, at almost exactly the same hour he was being re-elected superintendent at Wewoka for the fourteenth time.

1925 Grace Browning, '25ba, assistant professor of social service administration at the University of Chicago, is receiving a Ph.D. degree at that institution this spring. Miss Browning received her master's degree in social service administration at the University of Chicago in 1934 and has been a member of the faculty there since 1937 when she resigned as assistant state supervisor of the Oklahoma State Welfare Service to accept the position. Before joining the Oklahoma Social Welfare staff Miss Browning was a member of the faculty of Tulane University, New Orleans. Her latest book, *Rural Public Welfare*, University of Chicago Press, 1941, has been awarded



NENA RUTH SMITH, '36bus

"A gas mask adds little to a gal's glamour but a lot to her peace of mind" writes Mrs. Nena Ruth Gibbins Smith, '36bus, from Honolulu.

"It is strange how we have learned to listen to the sound of the siren. Our last alert, I was pounding a typewriter in a room with three other typewriters, and at the first wail all our heads popped up and we grabbed our gas masks, and purses and rushed off to the shelter. No other sound in the world would have been heard."

Mrs. Smith, who works in the army quartermaster's office, reports that slacks have been generally adopted for women office workers. A few articles are scarce—notably candy bars, flashlights and new magazines—but there are no shortages serious enough to cause any suffering, she writes.

Mr. Smith is employed in the office of the U. S. Army Engineers in Honolulu.

the honor of "book of the month" by *The Family, Journal of Social Case Work*. Other books by Miss Browning include *The Historical Development of Poor Relief Legislation in Kansas*, and *Social Case Records: Family Welfare*, with Elizabeth S. Dixon. She was a junior Phi Beta Kappa at O. U.

1926 Harry B. Kniseley, '26ba, '29ma, dean of Sapulpa Junior College since 1935, has resigned to accept a position in the publicity and ground school divisions of the Spartan School of Aeronautics, Tulsa.

C. A. Stoldt, '26eng, former engineer with the State Board of Affairs, has joined a construction firm in Shawnee as engineer.

Virginia K. Sage, '26ba, has completed her 22nd term as school teacher. She is primary teacher in LaCrosse School, Caddo County, and is a life member of the University of Oklahoma Association.

Vanita Lee, '26ba, English and journalism instructor at Lawton High School, has been elected president of the Lawton chapter of the American Association of University Women.

T. L. Hoisington and Mrs. Hoisington (Virginia Fern Moore, '26ba), of Oklahoma City, have selected the name Patricia Jo for their baby daughter born April 2.

1927 J. Phil Burns, '27ba, president of the United Securities Agency at Fairview, was elected last month to the Fairview city council.

Mrs. Dick Jones (Idabel Seitz, '27phys.ed) has been elected president of the Oklahoma City alumnae chapter of Alpha Chi Omega sorority.

LAWS-HARRIS: Miss Alpha Louise Laws, Houston, Texas, and Maj. Robert J. Harris, '27ba, Camp Wallace, were married May 1 in the camp's main chapel. Major Harris, former Oklahoma City newspaperman, was captain of the polo team while attending the University. He was public relations officer at Camp Wallace before his latest assignment as a battalion executive officer.

Hugh M. Eley, '27ba, '36geol, '38ms, who three years ago was an instructor in geology at the University, died last month in Dallas, Texas, of typhoid fever after an illness of about ten weeks. He was 39 years old. Mr. Eley apparently contracted the disease from drinking contaminated water while working as a geologist in an oil field near Midland, Texas, for the Magnolia Oil Company. He taught school for ten years in Jackson County before joining the faculty at the University. Survivors include his wife, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Eley, Elmer, and five brothers and two sisters. Two brothers are Jack Burt Eley, '40geol, Tulsa, and James P. Eley, '39ed, Blair.

1928 George Bryan Carnes, '27-'28, Oklahoma City oil field worker, died May 13 in an Oklahoma City hospital of a skull fracture sustained when a piece of heavy oak tubing board fell on his head while he was working. He was 35 years old. Mr. Carnes attended the University after graduation from Webb City High School. He had worked in the oil fields more than 10 years. Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Carnes, Oklahoma City, and a brother and sister.

W. P. Gage, '28eng, '29m.eng, employed by the Shell Chemical Company, has been transferred from San Francisco to Oakland, California.

J. D. Hoover, '28ed, '39m.ed, has resigned as speech instructor at Britton High School in order to serve as speech instructor in the Aviation Corps at Chanute Field, Illinois. He has produced a speech manual and organized several classes in speech for the men and officers at Chanute Field.

LATIMER-GANNAWAY: Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Mary Janice Latimer, '27-'28, Pauls Valley, to Robert P. Gannaway, Phoenix, Arizona, on April 5. The couple will make their home in Phoenix.

1929 Capt. Merton E. Munson, '29ba, '31law, is assigned to a Field Artillery unit at Camp Berkeley, Texas. Mrs. Munson and daughter Mary Elizabeth are with him in Abilene where they have established a home.

McNALLY-COTTON: Miss Bertha McNally, Wewoka, and Robert J. Cotton, '28-'29, Holdenville, were married April 8. The couple have established a home in Wewoka.

Mrs. Wendell Smith (Helen Burwell, '29ba) and son Michael have been making their home in Oklahoma City while Dr. Smith, '33med, takes a course in surgery in Chicago, Illinois.

TAYLOR-KENNEDY: Miss Mary Jo Taylor, Oklahoma City, and J. D. Kennedy, '27-'29, Mount Vernon, Illinois, were married April 18 in Norman. Mrs. Kennedy is a graduate of Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater, and a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. The couple will make their home in Mount Vernon, where Mr. Kennedy is in the oil business.

Mrs. Nellie Alice Bourne, '22-'29, an employee in the University Library since 1927, died last month in Norman following an illness of several months. She was 65 years old. Before joining the library staff, Mrs. Bourne taught in Jefferson Grade School in Norman.

1930 A. C. Meixner, '30eng, has been appointed manager of the generator section of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company, East Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania. Mr. Meixner, who came to the University from Alva High School, joined Westinghouse as a graduate student immediately after completing work at O. U. In 1934 he was transferred to a distribution transformer sales position in the Westinghouse

transformer division at Sharon, Pennsylvania, returning to East Pittsburgh in 1939 where he was assigned to a generator sales position.

1931 ADAIR-SHAW: Miss Martha Nell Adair, Denison, Texas, became the bride of Ralph G. Shaw, '31eng, manager of the Caddo County Electric Co-operative, in a ceremony April 4 at Binger. Mrs. Shaw was employed at Orange, Texas before her marriage. The couple have established a home in Binger.

Frank W. Ewing, '31ba, former Oklahoma newspaperman, has resigned as staff member of the *Associated Press* at Washington, D. C., because of illness and returned to his home at Higgins, Texas. Mr. Ewing worked on the *Daily Oklahoman* before joining the AP in 1935.

Roy C. Jenkins, '31ba, and Mrs. Jenkins, of Detroit, Michigan, announce the birth of a daughter, Patricia Anne.

Sam Schwiager, '31journal, secretary-manager of the Arkansas Press Association and director of press relations for the University of Arkansas, has been elected governor of District 7-A of the Lions International in the northern half of Arkansas.

WILSON-KELSO: Miss Lois Wilson, Blackwell, became the bride of Morris R. Kelso, '31pharm, Pharr, Texas, in a ceremony April 11 at McAllen, Texas. Mrs. Kelso, a teacher, was graduated from the College of Arts and Industries at Kingsville, Texas. Her husband is employed with the Park Front Pharmacy at Pharr where the couple have established a home.

1932 William H. Barlow, '32eng, has resigned as engineer at the Bureau of Mines experiment station, Bartlesville, to join the Ohio Oil Company in Tulsa.

George Coleman, Jr., '29-'32, Miami, Oklahoma business man and sportsman, has been appointed director of the Muskogee branch of the Spartan School of Aeronautics, Tulsa.

D'ARMAND-JONES: Dorothy Douglass D'Armand, '32ba, and Preston West Jones, '32law, were married April 16 at the bride's home in Muskogee. Mrs. Jones is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority. Her husband is a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity and Phi Beta Kappa national honor society. The couple have established a home in Muskogee where Mr. Jones is an attorney.

Kenneth R. Draper, '32ba, and Mrs. Draper, Oklahoma City, have selected the name Patricia Clay Draper for their baby daughter born April 16.

HODGE-BLACK: Announcement has been made of the wedding February 21 of Miss Mary Frances Hodge, '31-'32, to Charles V. Black in Guthrie. The bride is employed by Black, Sivalls and Bryson, Inc., in Oklahoma City. Mr. Black, now stationed at Camp Wolters, Texas, was employed by the same company before going into active military service.

Capt. Walter J. Lampton, '32bus, and Mrs. Lampton (Dorothy Holland, '33ba) of Lawton, announce the birth of a son, David Holland, in April. Captain Lampton is on duty in the Field Artillery at Fort Sill.

LITTLE-BOWMAN: Miss Wylda Little, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and Harmon Bowman, '31-'32, Perry, were married April 16 in Tampa, Florida. The couple have established a home in Tampa.

Jim Robinson, '32law, formerly head of the speech department at Northeastern State College, Tahlequah, is employed as civilian supervisor of speech training for certain army units at Scott Field, Illinois.

Victor Waters, '32law, former county attorney of Greer County, has been appointed director of the new Department of Justice field office handling anti-trust prosecutions in Oklahoma and seven other states in the newly created Louisiana region. Mr. Waters has served with the anti-trust division for the last four years, having participated in the government's prosecution of radio, music and copyright cases and cases involving the automobile industry and car financing. The new regional office will have headquarters in New Orleans, Louisiana.

1933 **BLANKS-BARB:** Miss Kay Blanks and Dr. John Thomas Barb, '33med, Oklahoma City physician, were married April 4. The

bride is a graduate of Southeastern State College, Durant, and has been associated with the Cities Service Oil Company. Doctor Barb is connected with the Harper Wright Clinic in Oklahoma City where the couple have established a home.

G. Scott Hammonds, '33eng, is an oil producer in Marshall, Texas.

Thurston D. Nicklas, '33bus, '38law, and Mrs. Nicklas (Georgia Mae Beasley, '34bus), Norman, are the parents of a baby son born last month at the American Legion Hospital.

Harrison Roe, '33law, Frederick attorney, made the rounds of judicial jobs one day last month, holding during that brief time the titles of city attorney, Tillman County judge, and county attorney. He started the day as "Mr. Harrison Roe," next tried a case as county judge, temporarily took over his duties as city attorney, only to progress to the position of county attorney. Mr. Roe, Frederick city attorney for several years, was pinching for county officials whose departures for Army service had left the county shorthanded for a time.

Charles Stogner, '33ba, former football coach at Norman High School, has been employed as a personnel director with the DuPont Company's smokeless powder plant at Pryor.

A 15-minute radio play *Derrick's on a Hill* by Robert Whitehand, '33ba, University drama professor, has been published in a new book of 100 non-royalty plays.

E. V. Winningham, '33ba, and Mrs. Winningham (Lottie Belle Shanks, '33nurse), have a son, Elbert Vance Winningham, Jr., born April 23 at Wesley Hospital in Oklahoma City.

1934 Dudley H. Culp, '34law, has resigned as assistant attorney of Seminole County and left for Washington, D. C. to begin training for a federal position.

Harrell E. Chiles, '34eng, is general manager of The Western Company, Seagraves, Texas.

John L. Fortson, '34ba, public relations director for the Federal Council of Churches of Christ in America, addressed the Society of Newspaper Editors convention held last month in New York City.

Rev. Luther J. Holcomb, '30-'34, has resigned as pastor of the First Baptist Church, Durant, to accept the pastorate of the Temple Baptist Church in Washington, D. C., one of the capital's largest churches.

MILLIGAN-TURNER: Miss Elaine Milligan, '32-'34, Hobart, became the bride of Barry Turner, Holdenville, in a wedding ceremony April 26 in Hobart. Mrs. Turner has been secretary in the office of Dr. J. P. Braun for the last eight years. The couple have established a home in Hobart where Mr. Turner is employed by the Seismograph Service Corporation.

1935 Funeral services were held April 2 in Chickasha for Harry Jay Brownson, Jr., '35eng, who died following a short illness at the home of his parents in Chickasha. Mr. Brownson received a degree in architectural engineering from the University and was employed by the Turnbock Company in Cincinnati, Ohio. He was 28 years old. At O. U., he was a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity, Delta Beta Chi and Derby Club. Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Virginia Brownson, a 3-year-old son Richmon J., and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Brownson, of Chickasha.

W. A. Greene, '35m.ed, has resigned as superintendent of schools at Guthrie after serving in the city's school system for 24 years, first as a teacher and then as principal before his promotion to superintendent.

HUGHES-SICKLES: Miss Hester Hughes, '35ed, Norman, and Frank Sickles, New York City, were married April 11 in Baltimore, Maryland. The bride has been employed as a stenographer in Washington, D. C. Mr. Sickles is in civil service work with the Navy Department in New York City where the couple will live.

WILMOTH-PAIN: Miss Roberta Wilmoth, vocational home economics instructor in Okeene High School, and Capt. Leslie Pain, '35ba, '35law, were married March 27 in Chickasha. The bride is a graduate of Oklahoma College for Women,

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Chickasha. Captain Pain was an attorney for the Southwestern Light and Power Company at Chickasha before going into active service. He has been assigned as an instructor in the Field Artillery School, Fort Sill.

1936 BARROWMAN-BARNETT: Miss Elisabeth Weir Barrowman, '36phys.ed, Norman, and Lt. Emmett Keller Barnett, '33-'35, Lexington, were married April 22 in Norman. The bride received a master's degree from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. She was for four years head of the physical education department at Southwestern Institute of Technology, Weatherford, and at the time of her marriage was director of the statewide WPA recreational project. Lieutenant Barnett, a member of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity, has been stationed at Camp Roberts, California.

HENINGER-MILLER: The wedding of Miss Virginia Anne Heninger, '36ba, Oklahoma City, to Tom O. Miller, '35ba, Sand Springs, was an event of April 4 in Oklahoma City. A member of Phi Beta Kappa honor society, the bride has been supervisor of the school library in Sand Springs for the last three years. Mr. Miller is a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity. The couple will make their home temporarily with the bridegroom's parents.

Suzanne Arnote Holloway, '36ba, reporter on the *Daily Oklahoman* until her marriage last fall, wrote a humorous account of her hectic culinary experiences as a bride which was published recently in the *Oklahoman* under her byline. Offering advice to brides-to-be, Mrs. Holloway suggests that a good deal of wear and tear on the kitchen can be eliminated by following label directions when opening pre-heated cans of hot tamales. "I can't stress too much the importance of removing food from the oven before it becomes overdone . . . generally referred to by literal husbands as 'burned,'" Mrs. Holloway further counseled.

McCORKLE-TAYLOR: Miss Geraldine McCorkle, Elk City, and Capt. John Frank Taylor, '36ba, '39law, Snyder, were married April 26 in the Old Post Chapel at Fort Sill. The bride attended Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater, and at the time of her marriage was employed in the Civil Service employment office at Fort Sill. Captain Taylor is an instructor in the fort's Officer Candidate School. The couple are at home at 1713 Ferris Street in Lawton.

Alice Quesenbery, '36geol, is employed by the Phillips Petroleum Company in Bartlesville.

STEELE-CALDWELL: Word has been received of the marriage last December 25 in Honolulu, Hawaii, of Miss Julia Juanita Steele, '36nurse, to Charles Adams Caldwell, formerly of Swarthmore, Pennsylvania. The bride attended Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater, before enrolling in the University School of Nursing. Mr. Caldwell is a construction engineer in Honolulu where the couple have established a home.

J. A. Mull, '32-'36, Wichita, Kansas, has resigned from the Republic Natural Gas Company to accept a position as district geologist with the Superior Oil Company of California which recently opened an office in Wichita.

1937 Rankin Blankenship, '37ed, and Mrs. Blankenship (Dorothy Davenport, '36ed), Oklahoma City, are the parents of a baby daughter whom they have named Martha Jane.

Edward R. Bowlby, '37ba, with the Department of Internal Revenue, has been transferred from Washington, D. C. to Kansas City, Missouri.

Edgar F. Hallock, Jr., '37ba, recently ordained a Baptist minister, was graduated last month from the Baptist Seminary at Fort Worth, Texas, with a doctor's degree in religious education. He and Mrs. Hallock (Zelma Curnutt, '37ba, '38m.soc.wk) will make their home temporarily with Mr. Hallock's parents in Norman while awaiting clearance for a trip to Brazil where they will be missionaries.

Calen Herod, '34-'37, Woodward, has been employed as manager of the Long-Bell Lumber Company in Grandfield.

W. B. Hurst, '35-'37, Walters, has been reappoint-



Fritz L. Aurin, '14ba, '15ma

Another O. U. alumnus has been chosen by the American Association of Petroleum Geologists to serve as president of the association.

F. L. (Fritz) Aurin, '14ba, '15ma, president of the Southland Royalty Company at Fort Worth, Texas, was elected president at the annual convention held last month at Denver, Colorado.

Active in the geology profession since 1914, Mr. Aurin has served at various times as a member of the Oklahoma Geological Survey, resident geologist for the Empire Gas and Fuel Company, chief geologist of the Maryland Oil Company, and chief geologist and director of the Southland Royalty Company. He has been president of the royalty company since 1938.

He has been active in state and national geological associations and related groups and served as secretary of the American Association of Petroleum Geologists in 1924.

ed a member of the State Board of Education for a two-year term which began April 1.

PHILLIPS-OZMUN: Miss Bethel Phillips, Texas City, Texas, became the bride of Lt. Irwin Ross Ozmun, '37bus, in a ceremony March 26 in Jacksonsville, Texas. Mrs. Ozmun before her marriage was secretary in the Quartermasters Office at Fort Sam Houston where her husband was stationed. Lieutenant Ozmun, a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity, graduated from Kemper Military Academy, Boonville, Missouri, before enrolling in the University. He has been transferred to Baltimore, Maryland, to attend officers training school.

B. M. Richardson, '37bus, and Mrs. Richardson, of Dallas, Texas, have named their baby daughter born April 13 Lorelei Richardson.

1938 Leo L. Baker, '38eng, is chief division engineer with Core Laboratories, Inc., Houston, Texas.

Lowell Barrett, '37-'38, has been employed as a tool maker at the Boeing factory in Wichita, Kansas.

BENEDICT-BARTON: Announcement has been made of the recent marriage of Miss Dorothy King Benedict, New York City, to Jackson M. Barton, '38bs, Oklahoma City. The bride is a graduate of Columbia University, New York City, and of Bryn Mawr College in Pennsylvania. She has also taken graduate work toward a doctorate at Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut. He is employed as a geologist with the Magnolia Petroleum Company, Oklahoma City, where the couple have established a home.

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CALLAHAN-GILLUM: Announcement has been made of the marriage March 21 of Miss Ruth Callahan and Leon Gillum, '38bus, both of Houma, Louisiana. Formerly of Erick, Oklahoma, Mr. Gillum is employed as an accountant by the Texas Company in Houma.

CROZIER-LEA: Announcement has been made of the wedding April 12 of Miss Martha Crozier, '37-'38, formerly of Oklahoma City, to John C. Lea, Eugene, Oregon, in Portland. Mr. Lea is a graduate of the University of Washington. He is an attorney in Eugene where the couple will establish a home.

GARRETT-PRATT: Miss Lorene Garrett, Oklahoma City, became the bride of Lt. Floyd Dean Pratt, '38bus, Fort Monmouth, New Jersey, in a ceremony April 16. Mrs. Pratt was employed in the accounting department of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company before her marriage. The couple will live in Red Bank, New Jersey, while Lieutenant Pratt is stationed at Fort Monmouth.

T. S. Gerald, '37-'38, employe of the Noble Drilling Company, has been transferred from Madill to Mount Vernon, Indiana.

Mrs. Boyd Gunning (Eleonore Aderhold, '38fa) and two children left their home in Norman in late April to join Lieutenant Gunning, '37ba, '37law, at Camp Roberts, California, where he is stationed.

HALLUM-HANCOCK: The marriage of Miss Marjorie Hallum, '38ba, and John Thomas Hancock, Muskogee, was an event of April 18 in Fort Smith, Arkansas. Both Mr. and Mrs. Hancock are graduates of Muskogee Junior College and the bride is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority.

Frances Lucille Hodgson, '38bus, is an accountant and cashier for R. E. Crummer & Company with offices in the First National Bank Building, Chicago, Illinois.

Hester K. Horn, '38, has moved from Stilwell to Ardmore.

JOHNSON-BODDY: Announcement has been made of the marriage March 22 in Greenwich, Connecticut, of Miss Vivian Lee Johnson to Lt. James Edgar Boddy, '38bus. The bride is a graduate of St. John's School of Nursing in Tulsa. She will make her home in Tulsa with Lieutenant Boddy's parents while he is in active service. He is a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity.

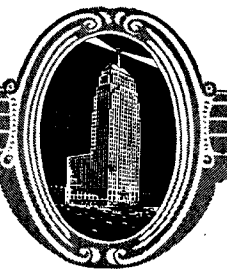
JONES-GREEN: Miss Mary Kathryn Jones, '38ba, Okemah, became the bride of Thomas Henning Green, Tulsa, in a ceremony April 17 at Siloam Springs, Arkansas. Mrs. Green, a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority, has taught at Okemah for several years. Mr. Green attended the University of Colorado and is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. He is employed as a geophysicist with the Shell Oil Company in Tulsa where the couple have established a home.

Capt. John D. Prendergast, '38eng, and Mrs. Prendergast (Helen Rose Whitbeck, '36-'39), of Pedricktown, New Jersey, have a baby daughter, Marilynne Sue, born April 1. Captain Prendergast is stationed at the Delaware Ordnance Department, Pedricktown.

Myrtle Pribyl, '37-'38, Oklahoma City, has been employed in the War Department, Washington, D. C.

SELBY-FULLER: Now at home in Oklahoma City are Martin H. (Mack) Fuller, '38fa, and Mrs. Fuller, the former Miss Mary Blanche Selby, who were married April 1 in El Reno. The bride is publicity director for the Theater Guild and Mr. Fuller has taken leading roles in several guild productions. He is employed as production manager for radio station KOMA. While attending the University, Mr. Fuller was twice president of the University Players, had roles in 18 Playhouse productions and was winner in 1938 of the Holmberg Memorial Award.

Lt. Fred F. White, '38bus, and Mrs. White (Kathleen Wilson, '37ba), Lawton, have selected the name Suzanne Elizabeth for their baby daughter born February 4. Lieutenant White is stationed at Fort Sill.



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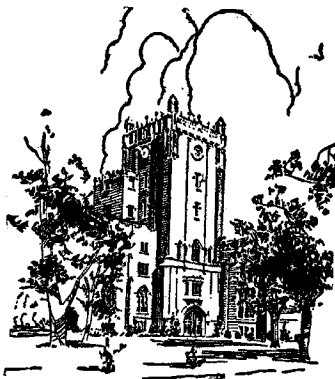
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1939 James Lamont Baxter, '39bus, has been employed as an auditor in the War Department assigned to the Office of the District Engineer, Galveston, Texas.

BEARD-HUNT: Miss Georgia Fay Beard, '39fa, Norman, and Cpl. W. Nolan Hunt, Pauls Valley, were married April 4 in Chanute, Kansas. Since graduating from the University, the bride has taught at Pauls Valley and Mulberry, Kansas. Mrs. Hunt will remain temporarily at Chanute while her husband is stationed at Fort Sill.

Ernestine Brown, '39journ, former Duncan newspaperwoman, has accepted a civil service position in the offices of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D. C.

CORDELL-SKINNER: Miss Helen Marie Cordell, '39ba, and Harold Stanfield Skinner, '32law, both of Holdenville, were married April 4 in the Post Chapel at Harlingen, Texas. The bride is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority. Her father, Capt. Clark R. Cordell, is stationed at Harlingen. Mr. Skinner is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity, Phi Beta Kappa honor society and various honorary organizations. The couple will make their home in Holdenville where Mr. Skinner is an attorney.

COURSON-VANDRUFF: Miss Veta Courson, Dewar, and Shannon Vandruff, '39bus, Tulsa, were married April 19 in Okmulgee. The bride attended Okmulgee Business College and has been employed by the J. C. Penney Company. Mr. Vandruff, a member of Delta Chi fraternity, is employed as assistant purchasing agent for the Spartan School of Aeronautics, Tulsa.

Corwin V. Edwards, '39law, a second lieutenant in the Field Artillery, is on foreign duty.

HINSON-MORRIS: Miss Ruth Hinson, Marion, South Carolina, and Lt. Earl C. Morris, Jr., '36-'39, Waurika, were married March 7 at Marion. Mrs. Morris attended the Conservatory of Music at Boston, Massachusetts, studying piano. Lieutenant Morris, a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity, was assigned for a short time to an air base at Meridian, Mississippi, before going into foreign service.

Allen W. Hubbard, '38-'39, band director at Rush Springs High School for the last four years, has been appointed band director for Chickasha High School for the coming school year.

Hattie Lee, '39he, Eldorado, has been employed in the office of the Harlan Deupree law firm located in the Ramsey Tower, Oklahoma City.

Durward B. Jones, '39eng, is a mining and petroleum engineer with the Superior Oil Company at Shafter, California.

Millard Neptune, '34eng, '37law, and Mrs. Neptune (Helen Blythe, '39ba,) formerly of Bartlesville, are now living in Four Corners, Maryland.

Harry Nunn, '39ba, '41ma, has accepted a position on the faculty of New York University. He has been working toward a doctor's degree at that university during the past year.

Sonny Pries and Mrs. Pries (Maud Mead Martin, '38-'39) are living in Sundown, Texas, where Mr. Pries is employed by the Hughes Tool Company.

SUMMERS-McBRIDE: Miss Rosemary Vina Summers, Houston, Texas, and Lt. Estil Owen McBride, '39eng, Mountain View, were married April 10 in Houston. The bride is a senior in the University of Houston and expects to receive her degree in June. Lieutenant McBride has been stationed at Pine Camp, New York.

Eunice White, '39ba, Clinton, has a civil service position at Duncan Field, Texas.

WILSON-CRAVEN: Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Jean Elizabeth Wilson, '39ba, Norman, to Diehl Craven, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri. The bride is a teacher at Washington, Oklahoma, and will continue her work there. Mr. Craven, a graduate of Central State College, Edmond, is stationed with the Engineers Training Corps at Fort Leonard Wood.

Funeral services for Faith Brown, '39m.ed, supervisor of the NYA center in Mangum, were conducted April 23 in Frederick. She was 37 years old. Death was believed to have occurred the night of April 20 and was described by the attending physician as due to a heart attack. Her passing away was not discovered until the morning of

April 21 when her students became alarmed over her failure to appear for breakfast. Miss Brown was a graduate of Oklahoma College for Women, Chickasha, and had taught at Laing, Hollister, Hollis and Frederick, Oklahoma, before accepting the NYA position. She was a member of the Order of Eastern Star and the American Association of University Women.

1940 Philip S. Bailey, '40ms, graduate student at the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, has been awarded a DuPont senior scholarship in research work to be used for financing his research during the coming year at that university. Formerly of Shawnee, Mr. Bailey has been working toward a doctor's degree while employed as a laboratory teacher at the University of Virginia.

BARNETT-JOHNSON: Miss Ida Barnett, Ponca City, and Lt. J. Paul Johnson, '40law, were married April 18 in Tulsa. The bride has been employed by the Ponca City Retailers Credit Association as assistant secretary. Lieutenant Johnson, formerly associated with Charles B. Duffy in practicing law in Ponca City, was called into active service in August, 1941. While he is stationed with an observation squadron at Daniel Field, Georgia, the couple will make their home in Augusta.

BARNEY-ELLISON: Miss Mabel Barney, Clearville, Pennsylvania, and Capt. Gayfree Ellison, '40med, Camp Bowie, Texas, were married April 21 in Norman. The bride was graduated from Cumberland Memorial Hospital in Cumberland, Pennsylvania. Captain Ellison, now stationed at Camp Bowie, is a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity. His father was the late Dr. Gayfree Ellison who founded and directed Ellison Infirmary on the O. U. campus for many years.

BATES-HALBACH: Miss Mary Marie Bates, '39-'40, and Lt. Edward R. Halbach, '40geol, both of Ardmore, were married April 18. The bride attended Texas State College for Women, Denton. At the University, she was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and was elected band queen one year. Lieutenant Halbach, an instructor in gunnery at Fort Sill, is a member of Sigma Chi fraternity, Kappa Kappa Psi band fraternity and several honorary organizations. The couple have established a home in Lawton.

BRAZIL-TROTTER: Announcement has been made of the wedding March 28 of Miss Jimmy Ruth Brazil to James Jordan Trotter, '36-'40, at the bride's home in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Trotter is a graduate of Draughtons Business College and is connected with Kobe, Inc. Mr. Trotter is employed by the Petty Geophysical Engineering Company, Pauls Valley. The couple plan to establish a home in Oklahoma City.

BUTTS-ELEY: At home in Norman are Joe B. Eley, arts and sciences senior, and Mrs. Eley, the former Miss Thelma Butts, '40ba, who were married January 3 in Britton. Mrs. Eley has been employed as secretary to Roy Gittinger, dean of admission in the University.

CASE-WILSON: Miss Bobby Lark Case, '39-'40, Frederick, and Lt. Harris Ward Wilson, Fort Huachuca, Arizona, were married April 22. The bride, a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, has been employed by the New York Life Insurance Company in Oklahoma City. Lieutenant Wilson is a graduate of the University of Missouri, Columbia, and a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity. Mrs. Wilson will continue her work in Oklahoma City until her husband is assigned to a permanent military station.

CHRISMAN-SLOAN: Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Louise Chrisman, '37-'40, Sayre, to Fred Sloan, '34-'39, Norman. The wedding has been set for June 7 in Sayre. Miss Chrisman has been employed as stenographer in government offices in Oklahoma City and Washington, D. C. Mr. Sloan is associated with the *Norman Transcript*.

Lt. M. G. Crossley, '40bus, and Mrs. Crossley (Mildred McCracken, '39m.ed, announced the birth of twin daughters, who have been named Mary Elizabeth and Norma Lou. Lieutenant Crossley is battery commander in a Field Artillery Battalion at Fort Sam Houston. They live in San Antonio.

Adelle Dillingham, '40hc, Oklahoma City, former *Sooner Yearbook* beauty queen, has a federal position in Dallas, Texas.

EASTLAND-JOHNSON: Miss Jean Marie Eastland and Jesse T. Johnson, Jr., '37-'40, Shawnee, were married April 4 in Oklahoma City. The bride is a graduate of Classen High School, Oklahoma City. Mr. Johnson is in active service stationed at Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

Vyron Ferguson, '39-'40, Lawton, has accepted a position as bookkeeper at the Tradesmens Nation Bank in Oklahoma City.

FINKE-SHINN: At home in Wichita, Kansas, are Joe W. Shinn, '38-'40, and Mrs. Shinn, the former Miss Elizabeth Finke, who were married April 5 in Newton, Kansas. The bride was a student in Oklahoma College for Women, Chickasha. Mr. Shinn is employed by the Boeing Aircraft Corporation in Wichita.

FLEMING-SNIDER: An event of April 18 in Enid was the wedding of Miss Phyllis Fleming, '40he, to Maj. Robert Lee Snider, '33m.ed. The bride is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority and has taken graduate work at Phillips University, Enid. Major Snider is a squadron commander stationed at the Enid Army Flying School.

Mary Esther Frenzel, '40ba, who has been employed in the Carnegie Library at Cordell, Oklahoma, has accepted a position as librarian of the Bonne Terre Memorial Library at Bonne Terre, Missouri, effective May 4.

Richard L. Gilley, '40law, Oklahoma City attorney, has gone to Houston, Texas, where he will be employed in the legal department of a large oil company.

GLAZE-LAWS: Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Mona Glaze and W. J. Laws, Jr., '40, both of Oklahoma City. The couple have established a home in Oklahoma City where Mr. Laws is employed with the Associated Architects and Engineers.

HASKINS-HULL: Miss Dathel Haskins, Oklahoma City, senior student in the College of Education, and Lt. Joseph L. Hull, Jr., '40ba, Tulsa, were married April 16 in San Francisco, California. The bride, a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority, returned to the University to complete work for a bachelor's degree. Lieutenant Hull, a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, completed work for a law degree and was admitted to the Oklahoma Bar in March shortly before going into active service. He was first assigned to Camp Roberts, California, and recently was reported in Honolulu, Hawaii, with American armed forces.

Frederick H. Heierding, '39-'40, Oklahoma City, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Quartermasters Corps at Camp Lee, Virginia.

HIRSCHI-ALLEN: Announcement has been made of the marriage in Guthrie of Miss Edna Hirschi, '40he, and Charles W. Allen, Jr., '42law. The bride is a member of Chi Omega sorority and attended Mary Mount College in Terrytown, New York, before enrolling in the University. Mr. Allen expected to be inducted into the Army in May. He is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, and president of the O. U. chapter.

JOHNSON-SUGGS: Miss Kathleen MacBeth Cable Johnson, Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, and Pvt. Charles C. Suggs, '40fa, were married April 11 in Oklahoma City. The bride is a graduate of Skidmore College, Saratoga Springs, New York, and the Yale University Graduate School of Drama in New Haven, Connecticut. She has appeared professionally in theatrical productions in the east. Private Suggs, a student in Yale University before his induction into the Army, is a member of Sigma Chi fraternity and a winner of the Holmberg award in drama given at O. U. He is co-author with James Emery of the musical comedy *Eligible and Eager* which won the ASCAP fellowship award at O. U. in 1940 and was shown this spring at state army camps as the University War Council's Road Show No. 1.

Claire M. Leake, '40ba, Norman, has been awarded a fellowship in agriculture, amounting to \$400 cash and free tuition, to do graduate work at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

LONG-RUFFIN: Announcement has been made of the wedding April 8 of Miss Opal Jean Long,

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Tulsa, to Everett E. Ruffin, '39-'40, of the U. S. Navy. Mr. Ruffin is a petty officer now stationed at Norfolk, Virginia.

MIDDLETON-BUTCHER: Miss Dora Deane Middleton, '40bs, Norman, and Walter William Butcher, '37geol, Maracaibo, Venezuela, were married April 11 in Norman. The bride has been employed in the home service department of the Oklahoma Gas & Electric Company in Shawnee and Oklahoma City. Mr. Butcher has been connected with the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey in Venezuela for the last five years. The couple will make their home in Maracaibo.

Howard Pack and Mrs. Park (Armilda Carr, '40 lib.sci) announce the birth of a son, Howard, Jr., on April 11. Mr. Pack is with the Army Air Corps in Australia and Mrs. Pack is making her home in Blanchard.

PORTER-KENNEDY: Announcement has been made of the marriage in Tulsa of Miss Margaret Porter, 40bs, and Cpl. Tom E. Kennedy, '40ba, both of Oklahoma City. Mrs. Kennedy has been employed as secretary in the department of government at the University and will continue her work. Corporal Kennedy, a member of Phi Beta Kappa scholastic society, has taken graduate work in law at the University. He is stationed at Camp Crowder, Missouri.

ROBINSON-HOWELL: Nuptial vows for Miss Jane Cable Robinson, '40bs, and Martin L. Howell, both teachers at Vanoss, Oklahoma, were read May 2 in Oklahoma City. Mr. Howell has a degree in agriculture from Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater. The couple have established a home at Vanoss where Mrs. Howell is vocational home economics instructor and her husband teaches vocational agriculture.

Betty Lee Shumate, '39-'40, has a civil service position in the Air Depot in Oklahoma City.

Paul A. Smith, '40bus, and Mrs. Smith (Vivian Howell, '34nurse), of Helena, Arkansas, announce the birth of a son April 26.

SPARKS-STEUERT: Miss Geraldine J. Sparks, '40ba, Oklahoma City, became the bride of Lt. Douglas A. Steuert, Fort Mason, California, in a ceremony April 25 in San Francisco. Mrs. Steuert attended Oklahoma City University before enrolling in O. U. Her husband, formerly of Hackensack, New Jersey, has been stationed at Fort Mason.

STEWART-GIHON: Announcement has been made of the marriage March 29 in Denver, Colorado, of Miss Velma Stewart, '38-'40, formerly of Chickasha, to John Lawrence Gihon, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. The bride taught school at Amber, Oklahoma, for several years. Mr. Gihon attended LaSalle College and Temple University in Philadelphia. The couple will make their home in Denver.

STRAYER-CALVERT: Miss Sarah Blanche Strayer became the bride of Lt. Leland Neil Calvert, '40bus, Gotebo, in a ceremony April 9 in San Antonio, Texas. Mrs. Calvert attended Texas State College for Women, Denton. While Lieutenant Calvert is stationed at Midland, Texas, the couple will make their home in Odessa.

Paul D. Thomas, '40ma, is a senior engineering aid with the Coast and Geodetic Survey at Lucedale, Mississippi.

TURNER-EMERICK: Miss Neva Turner, '38-'40, Duncan, became the bride of Harold A. Emerick, Britton, in a wedding ceremony April 12 in El Reno. Mr. Emerick attended Central State College, Edmond. The couple have established a home in Oklahoma City where Mrs. Emerick is employed by the Magnolia Petroleum Company and her by the Remington Typewriter Company.

Leland W. West, '38-'40, Norman, is employed by the Boeing Aircraft Corporation in Wichita, Kansas. He lives at 2800 East Douglas Street in Wichita.

Dick Winn, '40m.ed, has resigned as principal at Prairie View, Oklahoma, to accept a teaching position at Murray State School of Agriculture, Tishomingo. Mr. Winn's successor at Prairie View is Herman Moore, '40m.ed.

Gilbert Wood, Jr., '40eng, has been employed as a junior engineer in plant design in the gasoline department of Phillips Petroleum Company, Bartlesville.

1941 John W. Albright, '41pharm, and Mrs. Albright (Rae Throckmorton, '40pharm), of Corpus Christi, Texas, are the parents of a baby son, John Lawrence Rex Albright, born April 17.

ALDERSON-CAMPBELL: Miss Alpha Ann Alderson, '40-'41, Ada, became the bride of Clayton Lamont Campbell, '40-'41, El Reno, in a ceremony April 6 at the home of her parents. Mrs. Campbell attended East Central State College, Ada, and is a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority. Her husband, a member of Pi Kappa Alpha fraternity, is employed in Wichita, Kansas, where the couple have established a home.

ARNOLD-ROSS: Word has been received of the marriage April 5 of Miss Beatrice Eileen Arnold to David Ross, '41law, Newkirk, in Denver, Colorado. The bride is a graduate of Denver University and a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority. Mr. Ross, a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, has been assigned to the Army personnel department at Fort Logan, Colorado. The couple have established a home at 1050 Pennsylvania Street in Denver.

BRYAN - QUISENBERRY: Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Betty Lou Bryan, '39-'41, former Tulsa resident, to Lt. Richard S. Quisenberry, instructor in the Air Corps at Randolph Field, Texas. The bride-elect is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority. Lieutenant Quisenberry is a graduate of the University of the South, Sewanee, Tennessee, and a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

The career of Joe Callaway, '41fa, as director of the San Diego community theater was cut short last month with word from the Navy Department that the Globe Theater building and Balboa Park on which it is located were needed for defense purposes. Although Mr. Callaway and company were in the middle of rehearsals of the play *Night Must Fall*, they immediately evacuated the site, stored equipment and ceased rehearsals. Later Mr. Callaway joined the Blue Network staff of station KFSD in San Diego.

COLLINS-WEST: Miss Margaret Ann Collins and Lt. Hugh N. West, Jr., '38-'41, former Oklahoma City residents, were married May 2. Lieutenant West has been assigned to duty in Boston, Massachusetts.

GARNETT-SHARPE: Miss Ruth Garnett, '41 phys.ed, Altus, and Lt. Louis K. Sharpe III, '42, Checotah, were married April 27 in the bride's home. The bride is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority and while attending the University was active in several women's athletic organizations. During her senior year she was designated honorary colonel of the Reserve Officers Training Corps. Since graduation, she has been resident director of recreation at the Marlborough School for Girls, Los Angeles, California. Lieutenant Sharpe, a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity and Scabbard and Blade, played on the Sooner football team for three years. He recently was assigned to active service at Fort Lewis, Washington, and the couple make their home in Tacoma.

GRIFFIN-HURLEY: Announcement has been made of the engagement and approaching marriage of Miss Joyle Marie Griffin, '41ed, Oklahoma City, to Lt. Edmond E. Hurley, '41eng, formerly of Shawnee. During the past year, the bride-elect was head of the commercial department at Heavener High School and formerly was employed as secretary in the Graduate Placement and Records Bureau at the University. Lieutenant Hurley, stationed for a time at Chanute Field, Illinois, has been assigned a government position in Harlingen, Texas, where the couple plan to make their home.

JENKINS-LOVETT: Miss Arlene Jenkins, '40-'41, Snyder, and Sgt. Lindon L. Lovett, formerly of Anadarko, were married April 11. Sergeant Lovett is stationed at Luke Field, Arizona.

JOHNSON-WYATT: Miss Beverley Johnson, Ada, and Charles L. Wyatt, '39-'41, were married April 13 in Inglewood, California. Mr. Wyatt attended Southeastern State College, Durant, before enrolling in the University. He is employed by the North American Aircraft Company in Los Angeles, California, where the couple have established a home.

LEGG-SULLIVAN: Miss Helen Legg, '41ba, Orrick, Missouri, and Lt. Paul D. Sullivan, Jr., '41, Oklahoma City, were married recently in the Alpha Chi Omega sorority house at Norman. The bride is a member of the Alpha Chi Omega sorority and attended Christian College, Columbia, Missouri, before enrolling in the University. Lieutenant Sullivan is a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity. While he is stationed at Fort Sill, the couple will make their home in Lawton.

GREY-QUONG: Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Jennie Lou Grey, senior art student in the University, Oklahoma City, and Sgt. James L. Quong, '39-'40, formerly of Norman now stationed at Camp Barkeley, Texas. The bride was a member of the 1941 Junior Women's Honor Class at the University and of several honorary fine arts organizations. For the last two years she has had charge of art work for the Oklahoma Memorial Union Building at O. U., designing and painting posters and dance decorations. Sergeant Quong is a former student in the O. U. School of Architecture.

Marjory Lee Hollis, '40-'42, Durant, has accepted a civil service appointment as senior typist in Washington, D. C.

John D. Mathews, Jr., '42eng, is employed as electrical engineer in the motor department of the General Electric Company River Works, Lynn, Massachusetts.

MURPHEY-SPRADLIN: Miss Gayle Murphey, Ardmore, and Virgil E. Spradlin, '41-'42, were married March 28 in Las Vegas, Nevada. Mr. Spradlin is employed in the Lockheed airplane factory in Los Angeles, California. The couple have established a home at Sherman Oaks near Los Angeles.

NEAL-COLLINS: Announcement has been made of the marriage March 26 in Chickasha of Miss Kathryn Neal, senior journalism student, to Cadet Robert L. Collins, '38-'42, Sheppard Field, Texas. The bride is a member of Theta Sigma Phi women's journalistic fraternity and Delta Delta Delta sorority. She expected to receive a bachelor's degree this June. Cadet Collins, former student in the College of Education, has been stationed at Sheppard Field.

SCHNEITER-BLACK: Miss Jean Schneider, '42, Shawnee, and William A. Black, '42, Marietta, were married recently in Denver, Colorado. The bride was a junior in the College of Business Administration at the University and a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority. Mr. Black, a senior in the College of Education at the time he entered the Army Air Corps, is a member of Sigma Chi fraternity. He has been stationed at Lowry Field, Colorado.

SIMMONS-PETTY: Announcement has been made of the marriage March 28 in Mangum of Miss Frances Simmons, Hollis, to W. J. Petty, Jr., '40-'42. The bride was a senior student in Hollis High School. Mr. Petty has completed a mechanics training course in Dallas, Texas, and expects to go into a defense industry.

VEITH-SHELL: Announcement has been made of the wedding April 4 of Miss Lois Veith, Tonkawa, to Roy Shell, '40-'42, of Apache. The bride is a graduate of Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater, and has been teaching in Apache High School. Mr. Shell, a member of Sigma Chi fraternity, was a student in the O. U. School of Pharmacy. The couple will make their home in Lawton.

LEIBY-DRENNAN: Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Aloha Vivian Leiby, Los Angeles, California, to Dr. Stanley Lewis Drennan, '41med, Oklahoma City. The wedding was scheduled May 18 in Riverside, California. The bride-elect is a graduate nurse, having completed work last fall at the Orange County Hospital School of Nursing. Dr. Drennan will finish his internship at Orange County Hospital this summer. He is a lieutenant, junior grade, in the Naval Reserve and expects to go into active service in July.

John G. Lew, '41eng, employed with the Gulf Oil Corporation, has been transferred from the Kansas district office to the head office of the company's Gypsy Division in Tulsa.

LINDSEY-BESON: Miss Mary Virginia Lindsey, '41fa, Norman, and Lt. Clyde William Beson, '41eng, Claremore, were married April 26 in Norman. Mrs. Beson, a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority, is the daughter of J. L. Lindsey, comptroller for the University, and Mrs. Lindsey. Lieutenant Beson is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity. While he is stationed at Turner Field, the couple will make their home in Albany, Georgia.

Quentin Maule, '41ba, now doing graduate work at the University of Chicago, was to be initiated last month by that university's chapter of Phi Beta Kappa on behalf of the University of Oklahoma chapter. Mr. Maule left O. U. before being initiated.

MIDDLETON-PRUETT: Miss Naomi Middleton, '41bus, Norman, and W. Jackson Pruett, '41bus, Dallas, Texas, were married May 2 in Norman. The bride is the sister of Mrs. Walter W. Butcher (Dora Deane Middleton, '40bs) who was married April 11. Formerly employed as accountant with General Mills, Inc., Oklahoma City, she is now secretary to the counselor of women at the University and will continue her work there. Mr. Pruett, a member of the golf team while attending O. U., is employed as auditor by the Sears Roebuck Company in Dallas.

Marjorie Moody, '41ba, former librarian at the downtown Carnegie Library in Oklahoma City, has a new position as school librarian at the city's Harding Junior High School.

MORSE-YORK: Miss Agnes Morse, '41ba, Oklahoma City, and Lauren York, Des Moines, Iowa, were married May 2 in a ceremony at the bride's home. Mrs. York is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority. Mr. York, a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, is a graduate of the University of Iowa, Iowa City. He is employed at an ordnance plant in Des Moines where the couple have established a home.

MORTON-DINES: Announcement has been made of the wedding last December 24 of Miss Evelyn Louise Morton, senior student in the University, to Lt. Donald H. Dines, '41ba, stationed at Miami Beach, Florida. The ceremony took place in Yukon. The bride plans to join her husband in June after completing work for a bachelor's degree in education at the University. Lieutenant Dines has been assigned to the Air Corps Officers Training School at Miami Beach.

NEWER-JOHNSON: Miss Patricia K. Newer and Daniel Collins Johnson, '40-'41, were married April 18 in Oklahoma City. The bride attended Our Lady of the Lake College, San Antonio, Texas, and Oklahoma City University. Mr. Johnson is employed by the National Cylinder and Gas Company in Oklahoma City where the couple have made their home.

NORRIS-DAVISON: Miss Susan Josephine Norris, '41ba, Ada, became the bride of Lt. Denver B. Davison, '36-'41, Oklahoma City, in a ceremony April 4 at Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Mrs. Davison, a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority, attended Ward Belmont College, Nashville, Tennessee, before enrolling in the University. Lieutenant Davison, a member of Sigma Nu fraternity, has been stationed at Harding Field near Baton Rouge. He is the son of Supreme Court Justice Denver N. Davison, '15law, and Mrs. Davison, of Oklahoma City.

PARSONS-FROST: Miss Mary Emily Parsons, '39-'41, and Lt. Thomas G. Frost, '40, were married May 3 in Norman. The bride is a former student in the University School of Home Economics. Lieutenant Frost, former engineering student, is an instructor in infantry at Camp Robinson, Arkansas, where the couple will make their home.

Helen Patterson, '41nurse, now on the staff of Methodist Deaconess Hospital, Louisville, Kentucky, will become instructor at Atlantic City Hospital, Atlantic City, New Jersey, July 1.

POKORNEY-TUTOR: Miss Cecelia Pokorney, Lawton, and Lt. Ralph C. Tutor, '41ba, Oklahoma City, were married April 5 in Lawton. Lieutenant Tutor, a member of Sigma Chi fraternity, has been stationed at Will Rogers Field near Oklahoma City.

PURVIANCE-WAY: Miss Mary Ruth Purviance,

'40-'41, Norman, became the bride of Jack Way, Waurika, in a wedding ceremony April 20 in Everett, Washington. Mr. Way is a graduate of Connor State School of Agriculture, Warner, where he took part in athletic activities. He is now stationed with the Army Air Corps at Everett.

SHEA-JOHNSON: The wedding of Miss Grace Marie Shea, '39-'41, Oklahoma City, and Lt. Walton P. Johnson, '41eng, Norman, was an event of April 5 in the bride's home. Mrs. Johnson attended Blackwood-Davis Business College in Oklahoma City and before her marriage was employed by the Oklahoma Natural Gas Company, Norman. Lieutenant Johnson is stationed at Pine Camp, New York.

SIMPSON-STEPHENSON: Miss Jo Alyne Simpson, Hominy, and Morris Stephenson, '37-'41, Pawhuska, were married April 17. The bride has been employed for the last three years as bookkeeper in the county treasurer's office. Mr. Stephenson, a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, is employed with Skelly Oil Company in Pawhuska.

SMITH-JARBOE: Miss Dayle Josephine Smith and Pvt. Willis N. Jarboe, '41fa, were married April 17 in Norman. The bride is a graduate of Blanchard High School. Private Jarboe, who graduated from the University with a degree in drama, was a member of El Modjii and the University Playhouse. He has been stationed with the 45th Division, first at Camp Barkeley, Texas, and at the present time at Fort Devens, Massachusetts, where the division was recently transferred.

Bascom C. Swinney, '41, has been re-elected superintendent of Lawton schools. He has been connected with the city's school system since 1921 when he was employed as Junior High School principal, and has been superintendent 13 years.

Clarence B. Taylor, '34-'41, has been working as draftsman in the architectural drafting section of the U. S. Engineers Office in Galveston, Texas. His wife, Junita Maxwell Taylor, '41fa, works in the same office as junior draftsman in the construction control section.

THOMASON-COLLINS: Miss Vera Thomason, Kiowa, and Vernon Collins, '41law, Cherokee, were married April 3 in Tulsa. Mrs. Collins is a graduate of Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater, and has been employed as vocational home economics instructor at Alva High School. Mr. Collins began law practice last fall in Cherokee in partnership with W. A. Dillon.

Robert S. Trippet, '41law, who has been doing graduate work at Columbia University, will become associated with a New York City law firm in August. The firm is Donovan, Leisure, Newton and Lumbard.

Mrs. Kate Wadsley, '41m.ed, is commercial instructor in Arkansas State College, Jonesboro.

WEBSTER-WEEKS: Announcement has been made of the wedding of Miss Patricia Webster, Oklahoma City, to Bertram Allen Weeks, '41med, in the chapel at Fort Sam Houston, Texas. The couple will make their home in San Antonio.

WHITTEN-RIDDLE: Miss Christina Whitten, '40-'41, Enid, and O. D. Riddle, Jr., Charlotte, North Carolina, were married April 10 in Oklahoma City. The bride has been proofreader for the *Enid Morning News*. Mr. Riddle attended the University of Georgia and was employed by the Coca-Cola Company before entering the Army. He has been stationed at Fort Bliss, Texas, and expects to enter officers training school in Washington, D. C.

1942 ARNETT-ANDERSON: Announcement has been made of the marriage April 4 of Miss Marjorie Arnett, Mangum, and William Anderson, '40-'42, Granite, in Mount Pleasant, Texas. The bride is a former student in Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater. Mr. Anderson is employed as draftsman by a firm of engineering contractors at Texarkana, Texas. The couple plan to establish a home in Mount Pleasant.

Roy Calvin, '42, staff member of the *United Press* bureau in Oklahoma City, spent a strenuous 36 hours last month covering first-hand the story of the tornado which wrought terrific damage at Pryor.