

Calling the Roll of Sooner Classes

~1916~

Gov. Robert S. Kerr, '16, attended the southern governors' conference which was held in December in New Orleans, Louisiana. Governor Kerr addressed the group on the economic forces of the South.

~1918~

Lt. Col. Walter H. Miles, '18med, for 21 years health officer for Oklahoma City, and more recently chief of the Public Health Branch, United States Forces Allied Commission, in Vienna, Austria, has been transferred to a reinforcement depot at Vilsack, Germany, to await redeployment to the States.

Prior to his assignment with the occupation forces, Colonel Miles participated in the assault landings in Sicily and in the Italian fighting with the 45th Infantry Division. He entered the service in September, 1940, and was assigned overseas in June, 1942.

~1919~

Dr. Julia Steele Eley, '19ba, '20bs, '21ms, '44m.d, resident of Oklahoma City for 20 years has given up her home and moved to Houston, Texas, where she will establish a home and be associated with Dr. L. A. Meyers at Memorial Hospital.

~1922~

Lawrence E. "Jap" Haskell, '22geol, University athletic director who has been on leave of absence for almost four years of Navy service, has returned to the campus and his former job. He will handle the University baseball squad this season.

~1923~

The son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Irby, '23law, Ponca City, was killed while on a weekend in New Hampshire with friends tobagganing. He was thrown from the tobaggan and a car ran over him.

Neal Evans Maurer, '23law, Oklahoma City, died enroute to the Polyclinic Hospital, Oklahoma City, December 12 following a five-day illness. Mr. Maurer had been confined to his home several days with the flu, but his death was attributed to a heart attack.

A native Oklahoman, Mr. Maurer had been an attorney in Oklahoma City since 1923. He was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Phi Alpha Delta fraternities.

~1926~

Orville S. H. Allard, '26, specialist 32, former editor of the *Drumright Daily Derrick*, is on duty at the Navy fleet home town news center in Chicago, Illinois.

~1927~

Lt. Col. Charles S. Standley, '24-'27, '34-'35, Noble, was stationed with regimental headquarters on Mindanao Island, P. I. Colonel Standley has some 10,000 troops under his command, which extends over Zamboanga, the Sulu Archipelago and Palawan.

~1928~

Eva Thomas, '28ba, '32law, has resumed practicing law at Albuquerque, New Mexico, after receiving her discharge from the WAC at Ft. Belvoir.

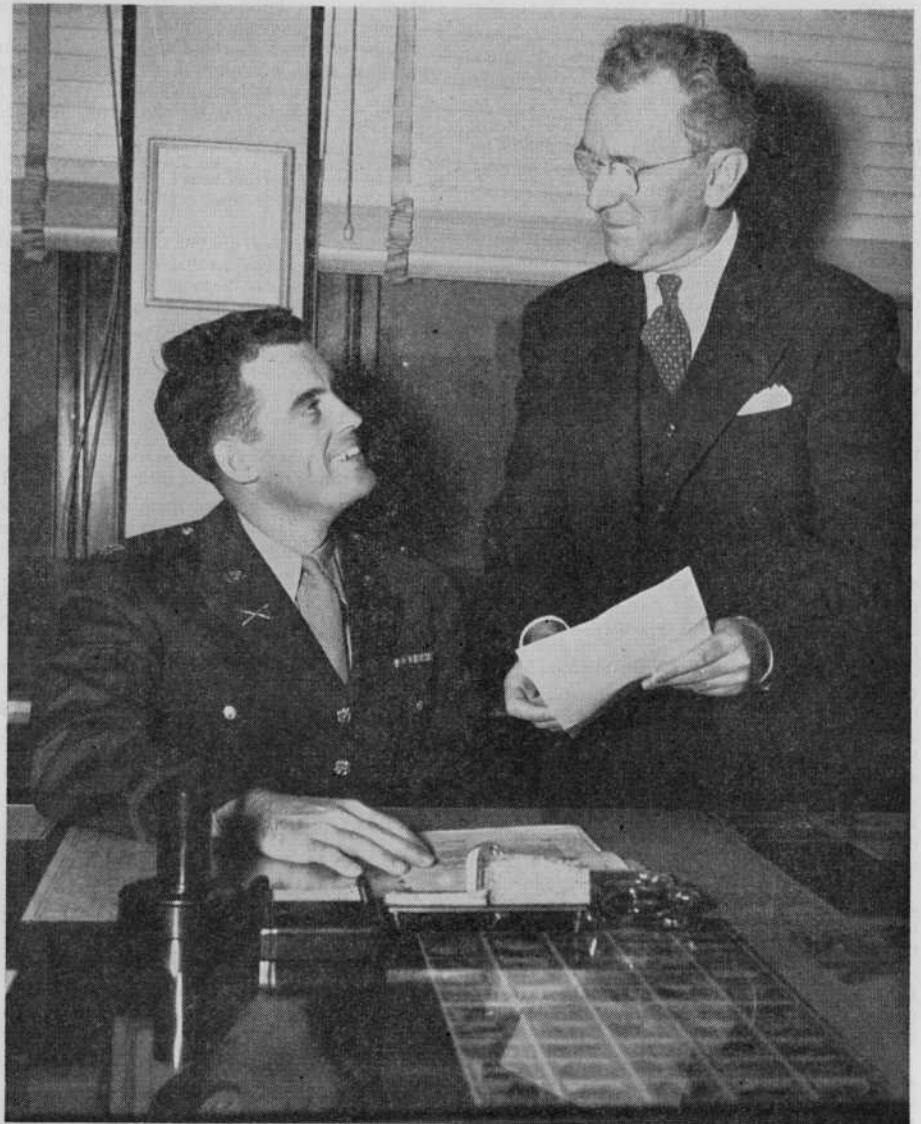
~1929~

Lt. Robert McFarlane, USNR, '28-'29, Oklahoma City, was on duty at the Naval Air Base, Norman. He returned recently from duty in the Pacific.

~1930~

Bethene Henry, '30he, now a staff aid in the American Red Cross, is stationed at Great Lakes Naval Hospital.

Col. Gordon Bulla, '30med, is stationed in Washington, D. C., in the U. S. Surgeon-General's office.



Capt. Menter Baker, Jr. '43bus, returns from his overseas tour of duty to receive new orders of the day from World War I veteran former Lt. Glenn W. Farris. In these civilian orders, however, the World War II captain is really checking the progress and growth of the life membership list of the University of Oklahoma as it has peaked in the course of the last four years while he was away on his tour of active duty. Both Farris and Baker have been life members of the Association for a number of years, and now they are enjoying their work together (Baker is chief assistant to Farris) as administrative officials of the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce.

~1931~

Dr. A. C. Little, '31med, who has been with the Marines in Okinawa and other Pacific Islands, has established a medical practice in Minco. He was a lieutenant in the Naval Reserve.

Lt. Neal Boyd, '29-'31, Oklahoma City, has reported to the Navy's contract termination office at Houston, Texas.

~1932~

Herbert L. Branan, '32ba, '38llb, and Mrs. Branan (Elizabeth Trumbo, '29bs) have named their daughter Elizabeth Anne. She was born November 11 in Oklahoma City.

Second Lt. Robert R. Harrington, '32ba, Norman, recently arrived at Base K on Leyte, P. I. He has been assigned to the Administrative Section. Before entering the Army, he was employed at the Army Ordnance Depot, Ogden, Utah, as civilian administrative officer.

~1933~

JOHNSTON-SMITH: Mary Jo Johnston, '33ba, Oklahoma City, and Gilbert Lyle Smith, also of Oklahoma City, were married November 3 in the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Smith was a member of Alpha Phi sorority. Mr. Smith attended Oklahoma A. and M. college, Stillwater. He is a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity.

"Where Revolution Waits on Rain" is the title of the article by Ernie Hill, '33ba, reprinted recently in *Done In A Day*, magazine put out by the *Chicago Daily News*.

~1935~

FISCHER-HACKNEY: Stella Louis Fischer, '35, El Reno, became the bride of Dr. Victor Charles Hackney, lieutenant junior grade in the United States Naval Reserve Medical Corps. Vows were read October 25 in El Reno. Mrs. Hackney

was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority. For several years she was employed by government agencies and at present is employed by the Retail Merchants Association. Lieutenant Hackney attended Colgate University, Hamilton, New York, and Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut.

Appointment of Reberta Lee Adams, '35, Tulsa, as a general field representative of the midwestern area offices of the American Red Cross was made recently in St. Louis, Missouri.

Lt. and Mrs. W. J. Monroe, '35law, are the parents of a son, William J., Jr., born January 5, 1944.

JENNINGS-HURRY: Helen Marie Jennings, '37ba, Oklahoma City, and Lt. Comdr. Floyd Phillip Hurry, '35geol, were married November 20 in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Hurry is a lieutenant junior grade in the United States Naval Reserve.

Warrant Officer Wynn York, '35fa, Claremore, and Mrs. York (Betty Copmann Lynn, '38drama, Stillwater, are the parents of a daughter, Judith Lyle, born May 9 in La Jolla, California.

Major Harold J. Sullivan, '35, Mineral Wells, Texas, landed with the first air units in Tokyo. He is a member of the Far East Air Force occupational unit.

~1936~

Paul T. Powell, '36bs, '39med, '41M.D., and Mrs. Powell (Lucille Hinshaw, '38drama, '39m. drama) Ponca City, are the parents of a son, Paul Hinshaw, born September 2 in Oklahoma City.

Donald Castleberry, '36ma, Takoma Park, Maryland, has been appointed director of American Red Cross civilian relief in Poland.

Lt. Col. Earle E. Garrison, '36bus, Ardmore, and Mrs. Garrison (Mary Tappan, '34ba, '35ma) are the parents of a son, Charles Michael, born October 18 at the Army hospital at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Maj. Lenor Goerke, '36med, Van Nuys, California, has been appointed division surgeon of the 89th Infantry Division.

Mildred Shears, '36h.ec, Norman, for seven years dietitian at the Western Oklahoma Hospital at Clinton, has accepted a position as dietitian at the Black hotel in Oklahoma City.

~1937~

James V. Frederick, '37ph.d., is chairman of the history department at Park College, Parkville, Missouri.

Charles L. Rogers, '37bs, '38chem.eng, and Mrs. Rogers (Pauline Rogers, '38ed) are the parents of a daughter, Carol Ann, born June 29, 1945. They are making their home in Phillips, Texas.

Lt. Lucille Turner, '37fa, had the responsibility of assigning priorities for air cargo from the Navy overseas air cargo terminal to the various battle fronts. Lieutenant Turner has been in the WAVES for about two and one-half years.

First Lt. William H. Bradshaw, '37bus, Tulsa, was a student at the Army educational center, Shrivensham American University, in England. Lieutenant Bradshaw was studying courses in business administration, psychology and French.

N. G. "Bill" Henthorne, Jr., '37, Tulsa, was serving as storekeeper first class aboard an attack transport in the Pacific.

Dr. John Y. Battenfield, '37med, director of the Student Health Service at the University, has announced the arrival of a daughter who was born in Cannes, France on October 20. She has been named Myriam Elizabeth.

Dr. and Mrs. Battenfield were married while he was serving with the paratroops in France. Mrs. Battenfield has as yet been unable to come to the United States because of the difficulties of transportation.

~1938~

Olen C. Jeffries, '38ba, '40lib.sci., and Mrs. Jeffries (Anna Mae Smith, '41ed), Chickasha, are the parents of a son, Charles Forrest, who is now two years old.

J. Mort Loomis, '38eng, is in the lumber business with his father in Texas since being discharged from the Army. He formerly held the rank of a major.

Woodrow Crumbo, '36-'38, Indian artist, has been awarded a fellowship and will be artist in

residence at the Gilcrease Foundation for Indian Art in Tulsa. Mr. Crumbo, who is now working on paintings for an invitation exhibition at the Museum of Modern Art, New York, recently completed two drawings to be submitted at the request of the *Saturday Evening Post* for cover designs.

Sue Rainbolt, '38journal, Norman, left recently by plane for Germany to be an Army hostess in an enlisted men's camp. She has been with the State Department in an information job until this fall when she entered training for the War Department job at Fort Belvoir, Virginia.

~1939~

Lt. M. Lorene Pounds, '39nurse, has returned from four months in Hawaii, and is on terminal leave before returning to the University Medical School as a technician.

Lt. Eugene C. Stevens, '39bus, and Mrs. Stevens announce the birth of a daughter born recently in New York City. Lieutenant Stevens is overseas with the Navy.

Major Max E. Johnson, '39med, is now stationed at Borden General hospital, Chickasha.

Susann Dinkler, '39pharm, Hennessey, took charge of the Dinkler Drug Store in 1942 and has



JESSIE BLOODWORTH

She Counsels Personnel

Miss Jessie Bloodworth, '20ba, has been engaged as employee relations counselor of the Association of Stock Exchange Firms in New York City. She assists member firms of this association throughout the country with their specific personnel problems and gives counsel on ways for improving employment policies and practices.

Miss Bloodworth is a former employee of the National War Labor Board. She first became associated with the War Labor Board in October, 1942, in the Dallas regional office, and later accepted a position in the national office in Washington as senior economist. From October, 1943, until July, 1945, she was with the Second Regional War Labor Board in New York as chief of the section responsible for handling the wage problems of the financial district. In July, Miss Bloodworth assumed her present position with the Association of Stock Exchange Firms. This, incidentally, marked the first time the financial district had designated a special employee relations counselor.

After her graduation from the University in 1920; Miss Bloodworth became a graduate fellow in social and industrial research at Bryn Mawr College. She has also done pioneer work in the field of personnel at the University of Minnesota and has had long experience in occupational analysis and training in various divisions of the federal government.

been serving during the war emergency. The store was founded by her father in 1892 and has been run by members of the family continuously.

Capt. Fred S. Ball, '39ed, Norman, was aboard ship at the time the typhoon on Okinawa struck. He was with the 198th Field Artillery and was uninjured.

Maj. Jerry J. Nolan, '39bus, Norman, is the school commandant of the new American school with the First Airborne Army occupying Berlin. A former member of the R.O.T.C. faculty at the University, Major Nolan is chief of the operations section.

Lt. Col. Silas Gasset, '39eng, Tulsa, a veteran of five major European campaigns, has been assigned to the officers' radar course in the observation department of the Field Artillery School at Fort Sill. He holds the Legion of Merit and the Bronze Star.

Lt. Col. William B. Oldfield, '39ba, Oklahoma City, served 32 months with the Second Marines on Guadalcanal, Tarawa, Saipan and Tinian. He has been stationed at Quantico, Virginia.

~1940~

Mrs. W. A. F. Shamblin (Rosalyne Smiser, '40lib. sci), is employed as circulation librarian of the U. S. Army Medical library, Washington, D. C.

BYRD-PHELPS: Rebecca Ann Byrd, Elizabeth, New Jersey, and Capt. Charles W. Phelps, '40bs, Oklahoma City, were married October 18 in Elizabeth. Captain Phelps is on terminal leave until next February when he plans to return to the Sun Oil Company in Dallas, where he was employed prior to his army duty.

Lt. Ira Monroe, '40law, Marietta, is now in Osaka, Japan, with the Allied Military Government Forces.

Sgt. Harry Ford, '40journal, Altus, observed V-J day at the new Belgian base of the 305th bomb group at St. Trond. He holds the Presidential Unit Citation.

T-5 Lareta Morse, '40ed, is stationed with the WAC Physical Therapy class at Camp O'Reilly, Springfield, Missouri, after serving with various war units in Georgia, Arkansas, and California.

~1941~

Maj. Hillard Denyer, '41med, was with the U. S. Surgeon-General's office in Washington until recently, when he expected to return to Wesley hospital in Oklahoma City.

Newcomers to Washington, D. C., are Lt. Lincoln Battenfield, '36-'41, and Mrs. Battenfield (O'Rhaitia Cunningham, '38ba, '40he). He is with the U. S. Judge Advocate and she is a statistician in the Department of Agriculture.

Geraldine Smith, '41ba, '42m.ed, who taught at Ponca Military Academy last year, is now employed by the Oklahoma City school system.

Capt. William H. Reiff, '41med, is now doing resident work in medicine at the University of Michigan hospital, Ann Arbor. He was recently discharged from the Army.

THORBERGDOTTER-HAM: The marriage of Svana T. Thorbergdotter, Reykjavik, Iceland, and Capt. Edward H. Ham, '37-'41, Guthrie, was an event of October 22 in El Paso, Texas. Mrs. Ham who was educated in Iceland has spent the past year and a half with his parents in Guthrie. Captain Ham recently returned from 42 months overseas duty serving in Iceland, England, France, Belgium, Holland, Luxembourg, Germany and Czechoslovakia. He was awarded the Bronze Star Medal, five battle stars and other awards after a total of 53 months service.

Jack Lucas, '41eng, Henryetta, has purchased the Highway Garage in Henryetta. Mr. Lucas, who is still on terminal leave with the Army, has served with the Quartermaster Corps since November, 1940, with the rank of captain.

Richard Adin Hall is the name chosen by Major Adin H. Hall, '41eng, and Mrs. Hall (Betty Bailey, '42) for their son born August 31 in Texarkana, Texas.

Erwin C. Bleckley, '41ba, recently discharged from the Army, has accepted the position as principal of Ponca Military Academy. He was an instructor there before entering the service. Mr. Bleckley held the rank of sergeant at the time of his discharge.

Warren J. McGonnagle, '42ms, Norman, and Mrs. McGonnagle (June Cleveland, '42ba), have returned to their home in Norman after spending 15 months at the atomic bomb project, Oak Ridge, Tennessee.

Leighton L. Harrison, '42pharm, and Mrs. Harrison (Florine Davis, '42he), have purchased the Escondido Drug Store in Escondido, California, and is now in full charge of its management. Mrs. Harrison was librarian of the Escondido Public Library until December 1.

LERNER-GELFAND: Ravina Ethel Lerner, Minneapolis, Minnesota, became the bride of Cpl. Lou Gelfand, '42journ, Oklahoma City, in rites October 28 in Minneapolis. Previous to his Army service, Corporal Gelfand was with the Associated Press in Oklahoma City. During the past summer he was in an Army Japanese language school at the University of Michigan.

Joseph W. Cushman, '42m.ed, Hendrix, has arrived in Hawaii to serve the armed forces as an American Red Cross assistant field director. Until his Red Cross appointment, Cushman was an instructor at Amarillo, Texas, Army Air Field, and previously taught in Roosevelt School, Oklahoma City. He is a graduate of the College of the Ozarks, A.B. 1938; and attended Kirksville State Teachers, Kirksville, Missouri; Central Wesleyan College, Warrenton, Missouri, and the University of Arkansas.

Dorothy L. Lockett, '37-'42, Washington, D. C., is now working at Selma's Gowns, Inc., a Connecticut Avenue shop for women. During the war she was employed by the War Department.

DRAKE-McDANNOLD: The wedding of Mary Jane Drake, Portland, Oregon, and Capt. George R. McDannold, AUS, '42eng, Tulsa, was performed recently in Portland. Captain McDannold is a member of Phi Gamma Delta social fraternity, Tau Beta Pi and Sigma Tau, honorary engineering fraternities. Mrs. McDannold attended the University of Oregon and was pledged to Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

FULKERSON-SELVIDGE: Fern Louise Fulker-son, College of Education senior, Norman, and Lt. George Pendleton Selvidge, Jr., USNR, '42ba, Ardmore, were married October 14 in Norman. Lieutenant Selvidge is a member of Sigma Chi and spent 24 months on sea duty.

KURY-WILLIAMS: Leota Kury, Houston, Texas, and Lt. Edward L. Williams, '42, Oklahoma City, were married September 29 in Oklahoma City. Lieutenant Williams was a member of Alpha Chi Sigma honorary chemists' fraternity, and the Engineers' Club. He was a war prisoner in Germany over four months and wears four battle stars on his ETO ribbon, the Air Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters and the Presidential Unit Citation.

Second Lt. Jack Jacobs, '38-'42, and EM 2/c Ralph Schilling, '39-'40, were two former University students that participated in a football game at Pearl Harbor recently. Among O. U. students witnessing the event were Daniel L. Palmer, AMM 2/c, '41-'43.

First Lt. Edna A. Kroeker, ANC, '42nurse, Coloney, was on duty in Japan with the 231st General Hospital. Recently deployed from the ETO, where she served in England and France, Miss Kroeker has been in service since January, 1943.

Sgt. Charles E. McKinney, '42ed, is stationed overseas with the Headquarters Company of the Allied Intelligence Bureau in Brisbane, Australia.

Eugene P. Burtner, '43, recently completed a training course at La Guardia field in New York, with American Airlines, and is employed by that company in Dallas.

AMOS-GRANZOW: Jacqueline Amos and Lt. (jg) Gordon Granzow, '43bus, USNR, were married October 14 in Edmond. Mrs. Granzow was formerly of Miami, Florida. Lieutenant Granzow also attended Central State College, Edmond, and is a member of Sigma Chi fraternity at the University.

Elaine Hughes, '43ba, Quinton, has accepted an appointment in the State Department.

Amy Lee Hill Thomas, '43journ, Bartlesville,

has been elected the new president of the Bartlesville Junior American Association of University Women.

WILKIE-LOVELESS: Helen Louise Wilkie, Dallas, Texas, recently became the bride of Pfc. Sam G. Loveless, '43, Verden, in the home of the bride's parents. Mr. Loveless also attended Baylor University College of Dentistry, Dallas.

T/5 Richard Edward King, '41-'43, Tahlequah, entered the army in March, 1943; and was sent overseas in January, 1945. He was transferred to the famous Rainbow Division at Camp Gruber. He was a member of the Sigma Nu social fraternity at the University.

Pfc. James Bishop, '40-'43, who completed two years in the School of Architecture, has been chosen as one of 25 students to attend a special four months' course in the French school of architecture, L'Ecole des Beaux Arts, Paris.

Sgt. Phillip Roy Becker, '43, Chickasha, has been in Yokohama, Japan, on duty guarding Japanese prisoners awaiting trial.

Lt. Vergil A. Shipley, '40-'43, has assumed duties as assistant professor of military science and tactics at the University Reserve Officers Training Corps.

Lt. John H. Murphy, '43ed, Tyrone, has been selected to attend the Officer's refresher course of the Field Artillery School at Fort Sill. Lieutenant Murphy is a veteran of overseas service in the European theater and wears one battle star.

Second Lt. Glenn P. Bradley, '39-'43, has joined the *Daily Oklahoman* sports staff and enrolled in the School of Journalism. He recently received his discharge after a year overseas where he was a forward observer for Field Artillery.

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Julia Louise Herrmann, '44music, has enrolled for the year as a harp major in the diploma course at the Juilliard Institute of Musical Art.

HELM-JONES: Louise Helm, '44soc.wk, Muskogee, became the bride of Lt. William Arthur Jones, Marine Corps, also of Muskogee, in rites September 21 in the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Jones also attended Christian College, Columbia, Missouri. She was a member of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority at the University. Lieutenant Jones attended Oklahoma A. and M. college, Stillwater, and is a member of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

Two former University students, Mabel Morgan, '45he, Healdton, and Glenn Dale, '44chem, are now employed by the Phillips Petroleum Company in Bartlesville in the research laboratory.

BREWER-BOURNE: The marriage of Jacqueline Jean Brewer, Oklahoma City, and Benjamin William Bourne, '43-'44, Georgetown, South Carolina, took place October 21 in Oklahoma City. The couple is at home in Norman and he is attending the University.

CHRISTIAN-EVANS: Lynn Adele Christian, '44journ, Oklahoma City, and Capt. Richard N. Evans, Oklahoma City, were married September 15

in Oklahoma City. They will live in Las Vegas, Nevada, where Captain Evans is stationed.

ADAMS-JARRATT: Nancy Adams, '44soc.wk., Norman, became the bride of Ensign Pat Jarratt, Jr., '44, USNR, Oklahoma City, November 4 in rites performed in Norman. Mrs. Jarratt, a member of the Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, is the daughter of Dean and Mrs. Arthur B. Adams.

Lt. (jg) Dan Teis, '42-'44, Tulsa, was stationed aboard the destroyer *USS Lansdowne*, and aided in the transporting of Japanese emissaries to the surrender ceremonies on the *USS Missouri*. He also aided with the evacuation of Japanese prisoners of war to hospital ships. Lieutenant Teis has been on sea duty in the Pacific for a year and a half.

Pfc. James M. Clark, Jr., '44eng, is now stationed in Manila where he is on duty as an aerial photographer.

Second Lt. Alice Strong, '44he, is the dietitian at McCloskey General Hospital, Temple, Texas.

Marilyn Hoffman, '45journ, has accepted a position as reporter on the *El Reno Tribune*.

GREEN-EBEL: Mary Marguerite Green, '45mus. ed, Norman, and Sterling Fisher Ebel, Glendale, California, were married November 18 in Norman. Mrs. Ebel was a member of Mu Phi Epsilon, honorary music society for women; Cadettes; Kappa Phi, honorary society for Methodist women and the women's choral club. Mr. Ebel, now in the Navy, has studied voice and concert work for the last five years. He plans to complete work toward a degree at the University.

SPINKS-ABEL: The marriage of Betty Janice Spinks, '45he, Norman, and Ensign William Lowell Abel, '45mech. eng, Wichita, Kansas, was an event of November. Mrs. Abel was a teacher of home economics at Cromwell before her marriage. Ensign Abel has been in midshipman's school at Cornell University, Ithaca, New York, since graduation from the University.

DAVIS-MARSHALL: Eleanor Mae Davis, '45 drama, and Lt. William L. Marshall, both of El Reno, were married November 25. Mrs. Marshall attended Monticello College, Godfrey, Illinois. She is a member of Delta Gamma sorority and served as president her senior year at the University. She was a member of the Phantom Mask and secretary-treasurer of the University Players. Lieutenant Marshall attended Texas A. and M. college.

CHERRY-BRAKEBILL: Mary Ruth Cherry, Shawnee, and S 2/c Cecil Amos Brakebill, '45, also of Shawnee, were married September 19 in Shawnee. Mrs. Brakebill spent one year at Oklahoma Baptist University, Shawnee, and is now a junior at the University. Mr. Brakebill was studying civil engineering in the V-12 program at the University until July, 1945. He was then sent to Notre Dame University, South Bend, Indiana, and is now stationed at the Great Lakes Training station, Illinois. At the University he was a member of the Civil Engineers club.

Jean Dishman, '45ba, Oklahoma City, has received her wings and is now a stewardess with the American Airlines. Her permanent base assignment is in Fort Worth, Texas.

ERICKSON-SIMPSON: Margaret Louise Erickson, senior from Ponca City and Norman, and Ensign Frank Vern Simpson, Rapid City, South Dakota, were married September 29 in Norman. The couple have established a home in Norman where Ensign Simpson is stationed. She will continue her studies at the University.

ROBERTS-EDWARDS: Mary Nell Roberts, senior in the School of Journalism from Blackwell, and Robert M. Edwards, San Marino, California, were married Christmas Day in Blackwell. Mrs. Edwards was formerly president of Alpha Chi Omega sorority and also served on the *Oklahoma Daily* staff for several semesters.

McPHEETERS-SHARP: The marriage of Norma Jeanne McPheeters, University sophomore from Bartlesville, and Basil Sharp, sophomore from Pawnee, was solemnized May 19 in Pauls Valley. Mrs. Sharp previously attended Stephens college, Columbia, Missouri. Mr. Sharp is vice-president of the "O" club, organization of University lettermen. The couple have established a home in Norman.

WILMUTH-HOWARD: Mary Elizabeth Wil-
muth, '45bus, Norman, and Pfc. Thomas D. How-
ard, '40-'43, Norman, were married October 27 in
Norman. The couple have established a home in
Oklahoma City where Mr. Howard is a student in
the Medical School.

John H. Lattimore, senior from Lawton in the
School of Architecture, has won the highest num-
ber of awards in the Beaux Arts Institute of Design,
New York sketch competitions. Mr. Lattimore won
two first and four second place awards. This is the
third time in five years that a University student
has won the honor. William H. Wilson, '37-'41,
won in 1940-41 and Dale C. Byrd, '44bs, in 1942-
43.

Riding the Range

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LEE EMENHISER, '31med, and their Secretary-
Treasurer, Dr. JOHN LAMB counseled far into the
day with ROSCOE CATE, '26ba, on Endowment
Corporation details and your Range Rider on ex-
tension of Alumni benefits. A day well spent! Yes,
a day well spent because it was little realized in
that series of hours in pleasant association and
work that it was to be the last contributions on the
part of Doctor TOM. Less than sixty hours later,
as your Range Rider was entering the O. U.
Alumni Meeting of the COMANCHE COUNTY
(LAWTON) group, a priority L.D. call from
Oklahoma City stated simply, "The Dean has just
passed away. True to tradition, up to the hour of
his sudden passing, he continued working in the
interest of humanity." Thus, another fine son of
O. U., an eminent physician and gentleman,
dropped from the ranks.

And—this is another of those December Sun-
day afternoons. "Flivverin'" this time over routes
to the South—WALTERS, the destination for late
night arrival. Via, CHICKASHA, DUNCAN AND
COMANCHE.

In CHICKASHA it's a pause to "session" briefly.
A hasty check-up on pending alumni business. Lt.
RALPH BRAND, '33ba, '38ma, the county prexie,
has a series of standing committees perfecting de-
tails. Old cronies of Past President (Alumni)
ELMER FRAKER, '20ba, '38ma, long since out of
the Community, asks about his welfare. PREXIE
DAN PROCTOR, '36ms, '43edd, of OCW in the
CHICKASHA Community is spoken "of and
about" quite highly. Expressions of sorrow are
voiced over the loss recently of BRUCE MEYERS,
'22as, '34ms, young son. Thus, another O. U. com-
munity passes in review—and it's on down the
highway to the East and South.

In WALTERS it's a distinct pleasure to visit
with that "journalist Jim" (JIM COCANOUR)
'40, who is now, and has been in recent years, doing
a "bang-up" job on the local paper. Yes, Jim joined
in that early morning work at checking on mailing
lists and locating temporarily "lost" Sooner alums.
Work over, reminiscing was in store for Jim and
"yours truly." We ventured guesses on the O. U.
football coach. We rehashed the *very active* tour
of duty with the U. S. Army of "Brother" BOB,
'42, who, just a few days before, had returned
from the ETO. JOE MCBRIDE, '28bus, was "re-
membered" as an old-time native of WALTERS.
The brothers of the old Boardin' Table at our
mutual Frat Barn on the O. U. campus were re-
classified down through a series of years. It was
agreed that soon the Ole Boardin' gang should
assemble at an easily accessible point and "forget
the worries, the wear and tear, and hustle and
bustle" for a week-end. Then Jim "jotted" down
an array of names to list on the call to the colors.
Among those on that scratch pad were—CAPTAIN
J. F. MALONE, '37ba, now en route to the states
from MANILA; CAPTAIN BOB COCANOUR,
'42, recently returned from ROME, ITALY. LT.
COMMANDER HERB SCOTT, '26as, '26ma, re-
cently reporting back to O. U. civilian duties on
the O. U. campus from the PANAMA CANAL
ZONE. CAPTAIN BOYD GUNNING, '37as,
'37law, who, after those four, long years in the
South Pacific, is again "extending" O. U. service
and education. Lt. (Marine) THURMAN WHITE
'41ms, en route from the Pacific to wife and
daughter in LONE WOLF. Lt. (Navy) FRED

HARBER, '40ba, back from many advanced Pacific
landings and searching for a "home" for wife and
babies in Norman, "so I may go on through with
that law". W. B. "Tommy" THOMPSON, '26ba,
the big soft drink bottling magnet of PONCA
CITY. MAJOR DALE VLIET, '38law, en route
home from his MANILA duties as Provost Marshal
General. Major WALTER "HEALTHY" SNELL,
'24bus, now back "CPA-ing" in OKLAHOMA
CITY after a long tour of Army duty. Captain C.
O. HUNT, '38ed, '40law, the new "Insurance
Czar" at the capitol building in OKLAHOMA
CITY. All these plus dozens of others went down
on Jim's mailing list AND there *will* be a day
when that "gang" is called together!

From WALTERS it's down the trail again to
WAURIKA, LAWTON, DUNCAN, RINGLING,
SULPHUR, ARDMORE, PAULS VALLEY AND
WILSON. In each center it's an O. U. assembly.
Would that space might allow the pointing out
and naming of dozens of your former associates
and friends! BUT it's back to the O. U. office from
this "tour of the south."

The parade at the office is on! In steps FRANCES
HUNT, '29ba, from her WASHINGTON D. C.
Headquarters to say "hello" and visit briefly. Cap-
tain "BILL" THOMAS, '41ba, in to announce,
"have just bought a home. Will be in O. U. next
semester." Then COLONEL LEE B. THOMPSON
'25ba, '27law, and brother-in-law Lt. Col. SANG-
STER BIZZELL drop by to rehash old times and
check on events of the past four years while they
have been on Army missions in the Pacific!

Thus, they come—thus they go, ever on the
march, these rovin', movin', alert O. U. Sooners—
as together (in this Christmas period of PEACE)
we continue Riding the Sooner Range.

O. U. Foundation

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to honor the memory of William Bennett Bizzell,
president of the University for 16 years, who died
in May, 1944. Dr. Bizzell secured from the state
legislature the appropriation to build the present
Library building, which was erected in 1929.

Plans have been drawn for extending the pres-
ent building toward the back of the University
Administration building so that the two structures,
although not joined, would form a distinguished
architectural unit.

"All state funds appropriated to the University
for capital purposes in the immediate postwar years
will have to be used to build unadorned classroom,
laboratory, and service buildings, at the lowest
possible cost, in order to meet urgent space re-
quirements of the fast growing enrolment," Presi-
dent Cross said. "Benefactions therefore provide
the only feasible means of financing the construc-
tion of a great library center in the collegiate
Gothic style of architecture already adopted in the
design of the Administration building and the
Library."

The building is to contain large reading rooms,
seminar rooms, graduate study cubicles, special
collection rooms, additional book stacks, and a
Bizzell Memorial Room. The plan calls for air-
conditioning the reading rooms, since Oklahoma
school teachers and administrators do most of
their graduate research work in the Library in hot
summer months.

While a gift of \$2,000,000 would permit com-
pletion of the entire project in the name of a
single donor, President Cross pointed out that the
plan is divided into segments appropriate for
smaller contributions. Gifts of \$10 to \$100 will
pay for units of book stacks, \$1,000 will pay con-
struction cost of a graduate study cubicle bear-
ing the name of the donor, and \$50,000 to \$100,-
000 will pay for large reading and study rooms
suitable for identification as memorials to donors
or their families.

Hal Muldrow, Jr.

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