

Calling the Roll of Sooner Classes

~1905~

Leonard Runbeck, '05, has retired and is living in Lindsborg, Kansas.

~1908~

Edgar L. Harris, '08ba, who for a number of years has worked in the postal division of civil service in Norman, had "all six" of his children at home for Homecoming this year. As he explains it, "All six are mine. Three actually mine and three spouses. And too, they are all either now in O. U. or are former students or graduates of O. U."

~1911~

Mrs. Wynn Ledbetter Pulley, Oklahoma City, renewed friendships with hundreds of her former friends and associates on the O. U. campus during Homecoming of 1947. Mrs. Pulley received her B. A. degree from the University in 1911.

~1912~

Lloyd W. Maxwell, '12ba, New York City, has accepted appointment in Korea, as financial adviser to the government. Mr. Maxwell sailed from the west coast on November 30 as a civilian but will work under Army auspices.

Paul A. Walker, '12law, was recently named by President Truman as acting chairman of the Federal Communications Commission.

~1913~

Earl Christmas, '13ba, is in St. Paul, Minnesota, where he is the publicity director of the Harold Stassen campaign.

~1914~

Raymond O. Courtright, '14ba, is a special agent for the New York Life Insurance company in Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Robert A. Stewart, '14ma, died suddenly October 17 at his home in Tulsa.

Howard Holt, '14ba, '29ma, '33m.ed, Oklahoma City, is an instructor in the Comanche public schools.

~1915~

Judge Glen O. Morris, '15, Judge of the Common Pleas Court, Oklahoma City, and Mrs. Morris, attended the entire Homecoming Day's activities on the campus in November.

~1916~

Harvey T. Collins, '16ba, is making his home in San Diego, California, and is owner and manager of several citrus groves near Escondido, California.

~1917~

Wesley I. Nunn, '17, Chicago, Illinois, advertising manager of the Standard Oil Company, spoke at a special forum before the Wholesalers and Manufacturers Division of the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce. "The Man Who Built A Better Mousetrap" was his subject.

Mrs. Audrie Cooney Robertson, '17, and her husband, Dean Robertson, are attending Oklahoma A. and M. College, Stillwater, where he is studying agronomy and she is in hotel administration.

Isabel Unzner, '17ba, is making her home in Los Angeles, California, where she is employed by the Southern Pacific Railway Company.

~1918~

Anna E. Boyce, '18ba, is making her home in Carmen where she is active in church work and civic clubs.

Dr. John Flack Burton, '18ba, '21med, has moved his offices from the Osler Building to Northwest 13th Street in Oklahoma City. His practice is limited to plastic surgery.

Albert M. Williams, '18bs, '19ms, has been teaching chemistry at Fullerton Junior College, Fullerton, California, for the last 23 years.

~1919~

Dr. M. L. Wardell, '19ba, Boyd professor of history at the University, was one of six new directors elected recently by the Oklahoma Social Welfare Council in Oklahoma City. Dr. Wardell is chairman of the Cleveland County Child Welfare Council.

Reedy V. Jennings, '19ba, '26ma, is the branch manager of Confidential Reports, Inc., in Oklahoma City.

Alfred J. Douglas, '19ba, is teaching physical education in the San Diego, California, public schools. He also manages his citrus grove near San Diego.

~1920~

Ralph Wallace, '20, is presently engaged in the general practice of law in downtown San Diego, California.

Jeweldeen Brodie, '20ba, '20fa, '27ma, and her sister, Willa B. Brodie, '23ba, '23fa, are employed as instructors at the Point Loma High School in San Diego, California.

~1921~

Mrs. Marian Grant Patrick, '21ba, recently returned to Shawnee to make her home after spending some time in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Robert N. Ross, '21pharm, is in special medical service in Oklahoma City.

Dr. Dixie Young, '21ba, '22ma, who for a number of years was on the staff of the University of Oklahoma, is now director of the Department of Biology at the Texas State College for Women in Denton.

Stanley J. Bryant, '21ba, '24ms, has been elected state president of the Oklahoma State Underwriter's Association. He is the special agent for New York Life Insurance Company at Lawton.

Herman T. Price, '21ba, is principal of the Lowell school in Bisbee, Arizona, and serves that city as mayor.

~1922~

Wallace L. Boyce, '22ba, is a Methodist minister in Dewey.

Dewey Rowland, '22ba, is the co-ordinator for the Veteran's Educational Counseling Service at Los Angeles City College, California.

George H. Bowen, '22, is in the general practice of law in Tulsa.

Don Brunskill, '22ba, is teaching business education at Fullerton Junior College, Fullerton, California.

Mabel Looney Park, '22ba, is an instructor at Classen High School, Oklahoma City.

~1923~

Helen Ann Carr, '23ba, is director of the Crippled Children's Division of the Georgia State Welfare Department in Atlanta, Georgia.

John S. Barurck, '23eng, is now associated with an oil firm in Wichita, Kansas, after serving three years in the Army Air Corps.

Genevieve Courtright, '22ed, '35fa, '41m.mus.ed, is instructor of vocal music in the junior high school at Holdenville.

J. O. Beach, '23ba, '32ma, recently was named administrative assistant of the Oklahoma Geological Survey. His former title was that of secretary-editor.

Glady's Carman Grandin, '23ba, is living in Bristow where she teaches piano.

Jess Larson, '22-'23, Chickasha, former secretary of the state school land commission, has been appointed associate director of the War Assets Administration by President Truman. He has been serving as general counsel of the agency.

Loy Horn, '23eng, is associated with the California Research Corporation, El Segundo, California, as petroleum engineer.

Lucille Lawrence Sullivan, '23, is teaching in the public school system of Norman.

Louis C. Gossett, '23law, is practicing law in Durant.

Tran L. Collier, '23ms, Topeka, Kans, instructor in psychology at Washburn University, died at Iowa City, Iowa, on June 15. He was teaching in the University of Iowa during the summer session.

Lucile C. Paschal, '23fa, is head of the voice department of the Musical Arts Conservatory in Amarillo, Texas.

Chalmer L. Cooper, '23bs, '26ms, is employed with the U. S. Geological Survey in the office of the director in Washington, D. C.

Harry Collins, '23phar, and Mrs. Collins are making their home in Walters where Mr. Collins is the owner and manager of the City Drug Company.

Hubert A. Paton, '23eng, of the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, is stationed on the ship *Pathfinder*, now famous for discovering the "Disappearing Islands" in Bristol Bay, Alaska.

~1924~

Maury Marion Travis, '24, is a geologist covering Mid-Continent and Rocky Mountain oil exploration.

Esther Courtright Garver, '24h.ec, '38ms, is teaching home economics in the junior high school at Tustin, California. She is making her home in Orange.

Chester J. Duncan, '24ba, '32ma, is head of the mathematics department of Hardin College, Wichita Falls, Texas. For several years he was superintendent of schools at Burkburnett, Texas.

~1925~

Lucile Huntington Wilkinson, '25ba, '35lib.sci, is librarian in the School of Geology at the University of Texas, Austin, where her husband, J. Henry Wilkinson is attending law school.

E. M. Couch, '25ba, is teaching in the public schools of Tuttle.

Allan Heard, '25pharm, is in the retail drug business in Tulia, Texas.

Mrs. Blanche Oliver Gatlin, '25fa, is making her home in Amarillo, Texas, where her husband is assistant to the pastor of the Pierce Street Baptist Church.

~1926~

R. L. Downing, '25-'26, has returned to his position as vice president of the Rosewell (New Mexico) State Bank after being discharged from the Army with the rank of major. Mr. Downing was formerly president and manager of the City National Bank in Norman.

Theodore Z. Starr, '26bus, is the registration officer of the Veterans Administration in Oklahoma City.

John F. Amos, '26ba, '28law, is practicing law in Oswego, Kansas, where he is the assistant county attorney for that county. Mrs. Amos is the former Elizabeth Devenport Morris, '26.

~1927~

Fitzhugh L. Hambrick, '27ba, Greeley, Colorado, is a new staff member of the U. S. Office of Education in Washington, D. C.

DeForrest E. Grahame, '27pharm, Tulsa pharmacist, is commander of the American Veterans of World War II in Tulsa.

Frederick H. Brigham, '27ba, '30law, has moved from Oklahoma City and is now owner of the Guaranty Abstract Company in Sinton, Texas.

Joe W. Bird, '27ma, Haddonfield, New Jersey, is employed in the recruiting, employment and training division for R.C.A.-Victor Company.

~1928~

Dr. John Lamb, '28ba, '32bs, '32med, Oklahoma City physician, is associated with his father-in-law in the Lain-Lamb Clinic in the Medical Arts Building, Oklahoma City. Dr. Lamb was born in Manila, Philippine Islands, and he came to the United States when he was 12. After high school, Dr. Lamb attended College of Emporia in Kansas for two years before entering the University of Oklahoma. For the last ten years he has been an associate professor of dermatology at the University Medical School. Dr. Lamb is secretary of the Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation and is actively promoting the campaign to raise the necessary funds.

Harold J. Berd, '28ph.g., is the owner of the B & M Sporting Goods Store in Newton, Iowa.

George Christmas, '28ba, has been with Brown and Bigelow, Remembrance Advertising, for the last five years. Until July he was in St. Paul, Minnesota, and at that time was transferred to Los Angeles, California.

Benjamin C. Barron, '28ma, formerly of Manchester, is making his home in Corydon, Iowa, where he is county superintendent of schools. He has held this position since 1945.

William H. Burden, '28ba, is an attorney at law with the firm of Burden and Shortridge in Joplin, Missouri.

Heston Heald, '28phys.ed., is a librarian in the Library of Congress, Washington, D. C. He has moved his family to Arlington, Virginia.

Graduates and former students of the University now on the staff of Northern Oklahoma Junior College, Tonkawa, include: Loren N. Brown, '28ma, '37ph.d.; Byron Chew, '44ma; Mrs. Lulu S. Dvengs, '34ba; H. W. Houghton, '20ba, '38ms; Dorothy Long, '26ba; Robert Murphy, '40ma; and Larry B. Young, '46ma.

Otis K. Smith, '19-'28, is working as a certified public accountant with offices in the First State Bank building in Mission, Texas.

Judge John Brett, '28law, is chairman of the state employes' membership committee of the American Legion.

Darall Hawk, '28law, is in the legal division of the Phillips Petroleum Company in Bartlesville.

Dan O. Howard, '28geol., is employed as a gas engineer with the Warren Petroleum Corporation in Oklahoma City. For the last 15 years he has been working as a geologist and petroleum engineer for the Oil and Gas Conservation Department of the Oklahoma Corporation Commission.

Dr. Robert H. Akin, '28med., is practicing medicine in Oklahoma City. He is a member of F.A.C.S. and American Specialty Board of Urology. Mrs. Akin is the former Bessie Brown, '26ba.

William L. Broadhurst, '28geol., has been appointed district geologist in Texas with the Geological Survey, U. S. Department of Interior. Mr. Broadhurst makes his home in Austin.

~1929~

Charles du Tant, '25-'29, Taos, New Mexico, is exhibiting his painting, "Wooded Area," at the Guadalupe Gallery in Old Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Savoie Lottinville, '29ba, director of the University Press, addressed the southwest regional conference on humanities and social sciences November 8 in Dallas, Texas.

Elmer L. Kirkpatrick, '29ma, is employed as a contact representative with the Veterans Administration in Oklahoma City.

Warren B. Weeks, '29eng., is employed as an as-

sistant chief geologist with the Phillips Petroleum Company in Bartlesville.

~1930~

Foster C. Windham, '30law, is practicing law in Carlsbad, New Mexico.

Lowe Runkle, '30ba, long-time advertising executive in Oklahoma City and head of the firm bearing his name, was elected president of the Southwestern Association of Advertising Agencies at its annual meeting in El Paso, Texas. Mr. Runkle was formerly associated with Ray K. Glenn, Advertising, in Oklahoma City. He was vice president when he purchased the agency outright in 1946 after more than a decade of service with this firm.

Alta Emily Charlotte Thomas, '30ba, '46m.ed., Oklahoma City, is principal of the Wilson Elementary School. She has held this position for the last four years. At the University she was a member of Alpha Phi Sorority, Mortar Board, and president of the Y.W.C.A.

Joe Basolo, '29-'30, Muskogee, and Mrs. Basolo, the former Mary Snyder, '45bus, announce the birth of a daughter whom they have named Mary Susan. The little girl was born November 10 in St. Anthony Hospital, Oklahoma City.

Roscoe Lee Roberts, '30bus, '35ed., is commandant and instructor of the R.O.T.C. at Forrest Avenue High School, Dallas, Texas. Mr. Roberts was discharged from the Army in July, 1947, and holds the reserve rank of lieutenant colonel.

~1931~

Manual Moubert, '31ba, was elected vice president of Stern Brothers Investment Company in Kansas City, Missouri, recently.

Neal Byrd Prichard, '31eng., is employed with the Anderson-Prichard Oil Corporation in Oklahoma City.

Charles G. Stuard, '31bus, is a practicing oculist with offices in Tulsa. Mr. Stuard served with the Army Air Forces Medical Corps and was discharged with the rank of Major. At the University he was a member of Kappa Sigma Fraternity.

Henry M. "Hank" Schweer, '31geol., former Oklahoma City geologist and recognized as an authority on Mid-Continent geology, was killed when his plane caught fire, crashed and burned near Electra, Texas, recently. Mr. Schweer was a partner in the oil firm of Hardison and Schweer, Inc., in Wichita Falls, Texas.

~1932~

Mrs. Leota Shoellhorn, '32ba, is employed as an instructor in the Aurora (Illinois) High School.

William H. Barlow, '32eng, Findley, Ohio, attended the inauguration of Harry Clifford Fox, president of the Findley College and Winebrenner Graduate School of Divinity, November 19 as an official representative of the University of Oklahoma. Mr. Barlow is employed as senior petroleum engineer with the Ohio Oil Company.

Capt. John S. Davis, '24-'32, Fort Huachuca, Arizona, and Mrs. Davis announce the birth of a son, Theodore King, II, October 20.

Maxine Turner, '32h.ec., is a nutrition consultant with the Millers' National Federation in Chicago, Illinois. Miss Turner travels over the greater part of the United States in the interests of a universal enrichment program.

~1933~

Larry Cotton, '33, returned to the campus November 25 to appear as the second artist in the current Celebrity Series programs. Fourteen years ago Mr. Cotton left the University School of Law to vacation in California and never returned to his studies.

For the last seven years Mary Ella Reid, '33phys.ed., has been teaching the second grade in Osawatomie, Kansas.

Charles H. Brown, '33ba, '34ma, former member of the University School of Journalism faculty, is now assistant professor of journalism at Pennsylvania State College, State College, Pennsylvania.

Homer B. Courtright, '33fa, '42m.ed., is the director of the Hemet (California) High School band.

Alan G. Skelton, '33lib.sci, '34ma, has been appointed head of the library for the Waterways Experiment Station, Vicksburg, Mississippi. He formerly was librarian for the Geological Library at the University and the Oklahoma Geological Survey. For the last few years he has been the research librarian of the Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association.

~1934~

John C. Blackshire, '33-'34, is the assistant manager of a paper mill for the Crossett Lumber Company, Crossett, Arkansas.

Dot Jeannette Gifford, '34ba, '36ma, who for several years was a member of the mathematics faculty at Northwestern State College, Alva, is now teaching at Oklahoma College for Women, Chickasha.

WARNER-BENDER: Dorothy Olive Warner, Wichita, Kansas, became the bride of John B. Bender, '34eng, Norman, in a ceremony performed November 2 in Wichita. Mrs. Bender attended the University of Wichita. Mr. Bender is the son of Dr. John F. Bender, David Ross Boyd professor of education at the University. The couple has established a home in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mrs. Jane Wilder Poynter, '34ba, is making her home in Burlington where she is teaching the fifth and sixth grades in the public schools. Her husband, Herbert F. Poynter is employed with the Champlin Service in Cherokee.

Alfred R. Brenholts, Columbus, Ohio, and Mrs. Brenholts, the former Heloise Smartt, '34ba, formerly of Oklahoma City and Muskogee, are the parents of a son born October 1. They have chosen the name Alfred Roy, Jr. for the little boy.

Charles William Mooney, '34bs, is the general agent for the Minnesota Mutual Life Insurance Company in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Mooney is the former Mary Jane Jones, '31ba. They are the parents of a son, Charles William Jr., born August 13.

Mrs. Inez Miller Welsh, '33-'34, died at her home in Friona, Texas, November 16.

Robert M. Scott, Jr., '34ba, Oklahoma City, is a life insurance agent in Oklahoma City. He was discharged from the Army with the rank of first lieutenant in 1946.

~1935~

Burnie Merson, '35ba, and Mrs. Merson are making their home in Washington, D. C., where Mr. Merson is associated with the United States Employment Service.

Vincent Frederick Igoe, '35, has been owner and operator of the Igoe's Cafe in Odessa, Missouri, for the last two years.

Lt. Harold Swindler, '35, is stationed with the Army Air Forces in San Antonio, Texas.

Mrs. Yukola Randolph, '35nurse, is living in Ada where she is employed as County Health Nurse.

Stanley T. Tyler, '35bus, resigned his position as secretary-manager of the Guymon Chamber of Commerce to enter cattle ranching business with his brother, Oliver S. Tyler, Jr., '36. Their ranch is located 50 miles south of Guymon in Hansford County, Texas. Stanley Tyler will continue to make his home in Guymon.

Jerome E. Mooney, '35bus, Norman, is owner of the Mooney's General Merchandise Company in Norman. Mr. Mooney was discharged from the Army Air Corps in 1946 with the rank of first lieutenant. He was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon Fraternity at the University.

Lt. Col. W. J. Kennedy, '34-'35, San Antonio, Texas, and Mrs. Kennedy announce the birth of a son, William Bryan, November 19.

~1936~

Ralph Shackelford, Oklahoma City, and Mrs. Shackelford, the former Melba Cates, '36fa, Tahina, have selected the name Robert Cates Shackelford, for their son born November 17 in Wesley Hospital.

Julian J. Rothbaum, '36ba, '38law, was recently appointed district director of the Federal Housing

Administration in Tulsa. Mr. Rothbaum has been in charge of the Tulsa office since it opened in July, 1946. His first position with the F.H.A. was in 1939 as executive assistant. He served in the Field Artillery for the three years during World War II.

Dahl M. Duff, '36journ, writer for the *Oil and Gas Journal*, has been transferred from Tulsa to Houston, Texas, where he will be news editor of the Gulf coast area, with a beat extending from Florida to Brownsville, Texas.

Stewart Harral, '36ma, director of press relations at the University, addressed the Norman chapter of the American Association of University Professors recently. "Public Relations: Your Job and Mine" was the topic of his discussion.

Mrs. Juanita Miller Simpson, '36lib.sci, is making her home in Oklahoma City where her husband, John Henry Simpson, is a grocery store owner. Mrs. Simpson was the library assistant at the Carnegie Library in Oklahoma City for four years following her graduation from the University. Mr. and Mrs. Simpson are the parents of two children, Kathleen, 6, and John Bruce, 3. At the University Mrs. Simpson was a member of Pi Zeta Kappa, religious sorority, vice-president of the Y. W. C. A. and a member of the girls choral club.



MRS. JUANITA SIMPSON

Earle Edgar Garrison, '36bus, is the sales manager of the Muskogee district for the Oklahoma Natural Gas Company. Mrs. Garrison is the former Mary Oella Tappan, '35.

Earl Eugene Ridgway, '36ba, Wichita, Kansas, is the planner in aircraft industry for the Beech Aircraft Corporation in Wichita.

Stewart Harral, '36ma, director of press relations, has been named chairman of two committees and a member of another in the American College Public Relations Association.

~1937~

Mrs. Doris Hanks Tousley, '37ba, is making her home in Santa Rosa, California, where her husband, Harry B. Tousley, is in business.

William J. Koenigsdorf, '37law, is associated with his brother, Richard Koenigsdorf, in law practice in Kansas City, Missouri.

Howard Derrickson, St. Louis, Missouri, and Mrs. Derrickson, the former Winifred Cox, '37lib.sci, are the parents of a son, Fred Cox, born July 12 in St. Louis.

Edwin P. Horner, '37bus, is employed in the trust department of the Mercantile National Bank, Dallas, Texas. He expects to receive his law degree from Southern Methodist University next June.

O. U. is as noted for its flyers as is Oklahoma for its flying farmers. The University has close to 1,000 student pilots, a flying botanist, Dr. Norman H. Boke, and a flying educator, Dr. S. E. Torsten Lund. The latest addition to this list is a flying journalist, C. Joe Holland, '37ba, '47ma, supervisor of student publications.

James Alva Embry, Jr., '37ba, is employed as branch manager of the Power, Incorporated, in Jackson, Mississippi. Mr. Embry resigned from the Marine Corps in July.

Roy E. Vinyard, '37eng, was recently transferred from night superintendent at the Kansas City, Kansas, Phillips Petroleum refinery to still foreman at the Phillips, Texas, plant. Mr. Vinyard has been with the Phillips company since his graduation.

Maxine McAdams, '37fa, is employed as a secretary with the Stanolind Oil and Gas Company in Tulsa.

Mrs. Walleah Jones McArthur, '37ba, '39ma, is the assistant director for the married veterans service office at the University of Illinois, Urbana.

Since his discharge from the Navy in 1946, Benjamin W. Nicholas, '37bus, has been sales representative in nine mid-western states for the Kenwood Blanket Company of Albany, New York.

John F. Malone, '37ba, Oklahoma City, and Mrs. Malone are the parents of a daughter, Barbara Louise, born November 26 at Mercy Hospital.

~1938~

Robert L. Grady, '38ba, '38law, Nowata, and Mrs. Grady; the former Ruth Ann McSpadden, '38ba, have selected the name James Robert for their son born November 22 in Nowata.

Mrs. Betty Copmann York, '38fa, is director of dramatics in The Barstow School for Girls, Kansas City Missouri. She also is a book reviewer for the *Kansas City Star*. Her husband, Walter W. York, '36fa, is professor of music at the University of

Kansas City. A chorus under his direction will be featured with the Kansas City Philharmonic Orchestra on January 21.

Capt. Velma Lee Richardson, '38h.ec, Oklahoma City, was among the first five officer-dietitians in the United States to be sworn into the women's medical specialist corps, dietitians section of the regular Army. The ceremony was held at the 13th annual convention of the American Dietitians Association in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. Captain Richardson served for 20 months in the European theater during World War II.

Drewsilla Beams, '38h.ec, until recently head dietitian of Baylor University Hospital, Dallas, Texas, is now business manager of that institution.

Millard S. Purdy, '38journ, has resigned as political reporter for the *Honolulu (Hawaii) Star-Bulletin*, to accept a position with the San Francisco California office of the *Wall Street Journal*. Mr. Purdy was a reporter for the *Oklahoma News* and the *Oklahoma City Times*.

Dorothy Gregg Allmon, '38ed, is living in Norman where she is employed as secretary in the office of director of field relations at the University of Oklahoma. Her husband, Ozro O. Allmon, '39bus, is employed as estimator for Barbour and Short in Norman.

Clyde V. Kern, '38med, is a physician at the McCloskey Veterans Administration hospital in Temple, Texas.

C. O. Hunt, '38ed, '40law, recently opened a law office in Ada.

Ira Eppler, '38fa, '43m.f.a, former instructor in the College of Fine Arts, has been employed by the U. S. Treasury Department for the last five years as a special agent in the intelligence unit for the states of Oregon, Idaho, Montana, Washington and Alaska with headquarters in Seattle, Washington.

Mrs. Leota Davis Horne, '38ba, is making her home in Chicago, Illinois, where her husband, L. W. Horne, is employed as a chemist for the Kraft Cheese Company.

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~1939~

Howard C. Koch, '39bus, is assistant to a tax accountant in Dallas, Texas.

Thomas F. Wyatt, '39m.ed, is employed as coordinator of diversified occupations in the Ponca City High School.

~1940~

Ben Trilin, '40bus, is the office manager of the Paper Supply Company in Kansas City, Missouri.

Mrs. Helen Genevieve Boyce, '40bm, is making her home in Cherokee. She served with the WAC during the war and was stationed in New Guinea and Manila.

Ruth Mae Roberts, '40m.ed, for the last two years has been an instructor at the Northeast Junior High School in Kansas City, Missouri.

Verble Otis Self, '40pharm, was killed November 28 in an automobile accident in San Diego, California. Mr. Self, while attending the University, was a member of Phi Delta Chi, Galen, the Indian club, and was awarded the "Scientific Award" by the American Druggist publication in 1940.

Clifton Carmen Wilhite, '40ma, is the assistant manager for the Red Fox Manufacturing Company in Dallas, Texas. Mrs. Wilhite is the former Wyema Adams, '38fa, '38psm, '40m.mus.ed.

Herbert A. Turk, '40ba, '47law, Blackwell, is associated with Peyton Brown in the general practice of law in Blackwell.

Dr. George E. Meador, '40med, Chicago, Illinois, and Mrs. Meador announce the birth of a daughter, Barbara Ann, October 20 in Chicago. Dr. Meador, who is a commander in the Navy, is senior doctor on the *USS Iowa*.

Richard C. Findeiss, '40eng, has been named winner of the aircraft classification award of \$2,200 given by the James F. Lincoln arc welding foundation. Mr. Findeiss, who designed an aircraft landing gear support, lives in Plainville, Kansas, where he recently purchased an interest in a machine shop. He was previously employed for six years as an engineer with the Cessna Aircraft Company, Wichita.

Wayne M. Muse, '37-'40, Oklahoma City, and Mrs. Muse became the parents of a daughter, Marilyn, on November 12 in Norman.

Ben L. Burdick, '40ba, has graduated from the School of Law at Yale University and will be associated with the law firm of Embry, Johnson, Crowe, Tolbert, and Shelton in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Burdick is the former Tracey June Spencer, '43. Mr. and Mrs. Burdick are the parents of a daughter, Tracey Ann, born April 19, in New Haven, Connecticut.

Mrs. Margaret Davis Van Dusen, '40h.ec, is making her home in Evanston, Illinois, where her husband, A. C. Van Dusen, is head of the vocational guidance at Northwestern University.

~1941~

CLAY-DODSON: The marriage of Mary Virginia Clay, Oklahoma City, to Melvin H. Dodson, '39-'41, '47, Mangum, was an event of November 26 in the home of the bride's parents. The couple has established a home in Norman where Mr. Dod-

son is a senior student in the School of Geological Engineering.

Kathryn L. Beck, '41bs, is employad as secretary with the Charles Pfizer and Company, Brooklyn, New York.

Robert Koenigsdorf, '41law, is associated with his father in the Koenigsdorf Insurance Agency, Kansas City, Missouri. Mrs. Koenigsdorf is the former Madeline Kligman, '40soc.wk.

George B. Brown, Jr., '38-'41, and Mrs. Brown, the former Barbara Fee Camp, '42phys.ed, are living in Champaign, Illinois, where Mr. Brown is a student at the University of Illinois.

William G. Smith, '40-'41, Oklahoma City, is practicing law with his father, W. F. Smith, in Oklahoma City. He is a member of the Oklahoma City Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Harold Huneke, '41ma, formerly on the mathematics faculty at the University, is now head of the mathematics department at Northwestern State College, Alva.

Myron L. Johnson, '41m.mus, is an instructor of instrumental music at Southwest High School in Kansas City, Missouri.

Philip M. Rubins, '41eng, Oklahoma City, is working toward a masters degree at the University. Mr. and Mrs. Rubins are making their home in Norman.

G. D. Butterworth, '41eng, is employed as assistant foreman of continuous pressure stills for the Stanolind Oil Company in Sugar Creek, Missouri.

John W. Mayes, '41geol, '47ms, and Mrs. Mayes, the former Lucille Ogle, '41ed, are making their home in Ardmore. They are the parents of two children, John, five and one-half years old, and Joan, born October 23.

Mrs. Clarabeth Holt Koerner, '41ba, is making her home in Glenview, Illinois, where her husband, Eldon Koerner, is a Methodist minister. Mr. and Mrs. Koerner are the parents of a daughter, Donabeth, born last July.

Vernon Courtney, '39-'41, Blackwell, and Mrs. Courtney are the parents of a son, Michael Louis, born November 1 in Blackwell.

James R. Collins, '41law, is practicing law in Amarillo, Texas.

Lorraine Muratet Simmons, '41h.ec, recently returned to Oklahoma City. She had been in Washington, D. C., where she was in the home service

department of the Washington Gas and Light Company. Her husband, John W. Simmons, who attended the University in 1938, is attending Oklahoma City University.

Donald W. Smith, '41ba, '43law, recently opened his law office in San Antonio, Texas.

Sidney Noland Broaddus is the name Elbridge Sidney Broaddus, '41, and Mrs. Broaddus have chosen for their son, who was born October 27 in Oklahoma City.

~1942~

Helen Cooper, '42, recently returned from library service in the South Pacific and has accepted a position as Bookmobile librarian with the Missouri State Library, Jefferson City, Missouri.

Charles A. Neal, Jr., '39-'42, is making his home in Miami where he is associated with his father in the oil and mining business.

Raymond Lake Bacon, '42bus, and Mrs. Bacon are the parents of a son, William Raymond, born June 24 in Wichita, Kansas. Mr. Bacon is employed in Wichita as an accountant.

John A. Blaschke, '42, Oklahoma City, and Mrs. Blaschke have chosen the name Don Alvin for their son born October 28 in Oklahoma City. Mr. Blaschke is a sophomore student at the University School of Medicine.

Homer V. Lale, '42bus, Oklahoma City, is the Oklahoma field supervisor for the Great American Indemnity Company of New York. Mrs. Lale is the former Mary Fair, '40ba, '46m.ed. She is teaching eighth grade English in the Putnam City schools.

A selection of published commercial art by Lowell Hess, '38-'42, Anadarko, was on display in the upstairs lobby of the Art Building from November 26 to December 6. Mr. Hess is now doing free lance art work through an agent in Brooklyn, New York.

Edward W. Hayes, '42eng, has accepted employment as an engineer for the city of Seattle, Washington, since his discharge from the Navy.

~1943~

Raymond O. Courtright, Jr., '43eng, is a field engineer for the Stanolind Oil Company in Odessa, Texas. His wife is the former Mary Swanda, '42ed.

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Mrs. Julian Riddle Dugger, '43h.ec, is employed in the dietetics department of the new Georgetown Hospital, Washington, D. C. She is in charge of clinic dietetics. Mrs. Dugger was previously at the Jefferson Davis Hospital, Houston, Texas.

Dr. Harry Singleton, '43ba, '46med, recently left the Naval Hospital at Bethesda, Maryland, for Guam where he will be on duty at the Navy dispensary.

William O. Soderstrum, '43bus, has returned to Germany to resume his duties in the finance and accounting activities of the American zone military government.

C. Jack Murphy, '40-'43, has been employed in the advertising department of Durnil's department store, Muskogee. He assumed his duties November 24.

William Jack Anderson, '43eng, is making his home in Sugar Creek, Missouri, where he is employed as design engineer for the Stanolind Oil Company of Indiana.

Jack H. Marsee, '43eng, and Mrs. Marsee, the former Marie Butler, '43soc.wk, are the parents of a son born October 19. The little boy has been named James David. Mr. and Mrs. Marsee have one other son.

TORRENCE-FRERKING: In a ceremony in Weslaco, Texas, Jessie Ida Torrence, '43m.ed, Quinton, and Ernest M. Frerking, Weslaco, exchanged nuptial vows. Mrs. Frerking did her undergraduate work at Southeastern State College, Durant.

David North Newby, '43eng, and Mrs. Newby, the former Ruth Ann Hummer, '43ba, recently moved from Oklahoma City to Hobbs, New Mexico, where Mr. Newby is associated with an oil firm. Mr. and Mrs. Newby are the parents of two children, Melinda and Meredith.

Dr. Cleve Beller, '43med, resident physician at the University Hospital, returned recently from New York where he spoke at the dedication of the new \$10 millions research laboratory at Brookhaven.

Jack A. Rhodes, '43ba, was appointed principal research assistant for the state legislative council recently. Mr. Rhodes resigned as teaching fellow and tutor in the department of government of Harvard University and also resigned a proffered fellowship in Sweden to study political science.

Clarence B. Taylor, '43arch, is employed as an architect for the firm of Stuart and Durham, Seattle, Washington.

~1944~

STEPHENS-FRAKES: In a ceremony performed November 15 Eno Alice Stephens, '43-'44, became the bride of Sherman Fayne Frakes, both of Lawton. Mr. and Mrs. Frakes have established a home in Lawton.

Georgia Lynn Belew is the name selected by George B. Belew, '44, Norman, and Mrs. Belew for their daughter born November 15 at Wesley Hospital.

Wendell J. White, '44, senior in the University of Arkansas Medical School at Little Rock, has been named one of 164 in the nation to receive one year of internship at Brooke General Hospital, San Antonio, Texas.

Dr. R. F. Shriner, Jr., '44med, Hobart, and Mrs. Shriner announce the birth of a son, Richard Floyd Shriner, III, on November 13 in Hobart.

Eugene Ira Potes, '44ba, is the information assistant in the public relations department of the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Gordon H. Branham, the former Marilyn Ruth Steen, '44fa, lyric soprano and well-known artist, was presented in a concert by the Hooten-Dean Bible class of the First Methodist church of Plainview, Texas. The concert was a benefit for the Student Loan Fund. Mrs. Branham was a voice student of Barre Hill, former Metropolitan Opera Star, and of Wilda Griffin. During her years in the University, she was a member of the Opera Club and of the Choral Club. She also was a member of Sigma Alpha Iota, national professional music fraternity.

John R. Seikel, Crescent, and Mrs. Seikel, the former Ernestine Graham, '44journ, are the par-

ents of a son, Stephen Joseph, born June 12 in Crescent.

Ira E. Sanditen, '44bus, is working as an accountant in Tulsa.

NAIFEH-BAYOUTH: Julia M. Naifeh, '44ba, Norman, became the bride of James Bayouth, Wichita, Kansas, in a ceremony performed September 21. Mrs. Bayouth has been employed as a case worker with the Traveler's Aid society in Oklahoma City. They have established a home in Wichita.

~1945~

Mrs. Virginia Schubert, '45bus, is making her home in Long Island City, New York, where she is an accountant with the Trojam Export and Import Corporation. Her husband is attending New York University.

Leo E. Thompson, Jr., '45ba, '47law, is associated with the law firm, Washington and Thompson, in Oklahoma City. Mr. Thompson has been practicing law since last June. He is a member of the Oklahoma City Junior Chamber of Commerce.

DENISON-COPENHAVER: Claudine Denison, Lodi, Texas, and William G. Copenhaver, '45eng, Alamogordo, New Mexico, were married recently in Phillips, Texas. They are now at home in Borger, Texas.

Bonne Maree Knight, '45ba, Dallas, Texas, is working toward a master's degree in educational personnel at Columbia University, New York.

Helen Huntington Jennings, '45fa, is living at the Villa Margherita, Charleston, South Carolina, where her husband is manager of a resort hotel.

Wallace Stark, Cairo, Illinois, and Mrs. Stark, the former Marjorie Munger, '44lib.sci, '45ba, are the parents of a daughter, Linda May, born September 4 in Oklahoma City. Mr. Stark is pastor of the Cairo Baptist Church.

Nigel Stoutz Barnhill, '45ba, is a graduate teaching assistant in the department of modern languages at the University of Oklahoma. Her husband, Jarrell Lyle Barnhill, is a senior in general engineering.

COLVERT-WARREN: Mary Rebecca Colvert, '45bus, Wichita Falls, Texas, and formerly of Oklahoma City, became the bride of Lucius Osmond Warren November 13 in the home of the bride's parents. Mrs. Warren was a member of Pi Beta Phi Sorority at the University.

Clayton M. Harrell, '46ba, is a drilling contractor and producer in Houston, Texas.

~1946~

Dr. John Capehart, '46med, and Lt. James A. Dugger, '43chem, '44ba, '46med, are now at the Navy Medical School, Bethesda, Maryland, attending a six-month basic refresher course.

James R. Lamar, '46eng, and Mrs. Lamar, the former Martha J. Mayfield, '46fa, are making their home in Stafford, Kansas, where Mr. Lamar is employed by the Stanolind Oil Company.

Howard Henry Hobrock, '46, Princeton, Kansas, is a student at the University of Kansas, Lawrence. Mr. Hobrock was discharged from the Naval

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Reserve in June, 1947, with the rank of ensign.

Madeline Brown, '46ba, is now employed as an instructor in Walters High School.

~1947~

Doris Jane Hendriks, '47m.mus, Garnett, Kansas, began work this fall as professor of piano at the Detroit (Michigan) Institute of Musical Art. While attending the University Miss Hendricks worked as a graduate assistant in piano at the time she was completing work on her master's degree. She is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota, national professional music fraternity.



DORIS JANE HENDRICKS

Miss Hendricks worked as music fraternity. Miss Hendricks is a graduate of the Garnett (Kansas) High School and received her bachelor of music degree from the Conservatory of Music, Kansas City, Missouri.

MORE-MILLER: Rosalind Rebecca Moore, '47 art, and Herbert Dell Miller, '41 eng, both of Oklahoma City, were married November 23 in the Crown Heights Methodist Church. Mrs. Miller attended Southern Methodist University, Dallas,

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Texas, before entering O.U. She is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority and is associated with the American Association of University Women. Mr. Moore is affiliated with Phi Delta Theta Fraternity. They are temporarily at home in San Angelo, Texas.

Lyle W. Nichols, '47 eng, and Mrs. Nichols, the former Jody Kilpatrick, '40ba, are living in Cayuga, Texas, where Mr. Nichols is district engineer for the Tide Water Seaboard Oil Company.

Melvin Bennett, '47lib.sci, Anadarko, is employed as assistant librarian of the Southeast Missouri State Teachers College Library, Cape Girardeau, Missouri.

Vera Jane Godown, '47lib.sci, is the assistant children's librarian of the southeast branch of the Kansas City Public Library, Kansas City, Missouri.

Mrs. Della Wiley Calvert, '47lib.sci, is librarian of the Ray County Library, Richmond, Missouri. Her husband, Marvin E. Calvert, is attending Central Missouri State College, Warrensburg, Missouri.

Esther Mae Hanke, '47lib.sci, is assistant librarian of the Ray County Library, Richmond, Missouri.

Harry Milton Peek, '47ba, is attending the University of Rochester, Rochester, New York, where he is a graduate student in chemistry.

James R. Cox, '47 eng, is an engineer for the Gates Rubber Company in Oklahoma City. Mr. Cox is a member of the Oklahoma City Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Dixie McDonald, '47journ, has been appointed editor of the *Shell Roar*, monthly publication of the Shell Oil Company, Incorporated, at Tulsa. She succeeds Margaret Broome, '44journ, who had been editor for the last year.

John Andrew Standridge, University freshman from Lexington, was killed instantly November 3 when a cub plane which he was flying crashed into the Canadian river near Purcell.

M. Day Fezler, Jr., '47eng, and Mrs. Fezler are the parents of a son, M. Day III, born October 24

in Kansas City, Missouri. Mr. Fezler is employed as a tour boss with the U. S. Gypsum Company in Kansas City.

Jack W. Blanton, '47eng, Oklahoma City, has received one of three honorable mention awards in the national A. Mac Laren White contest in chemical engineering. Entrants in the contest solved an assigned chemical engineering problem.

ESTILL-BATES: Wedding vows were read for Patricia Lee Estill, '47fa, Tulsa, and William Colcord Bates, Albuquerque, New Mexico, October 25 in the Wheeling Avenue Christian Church of Tulsa. Mrs. Bates graduated from Gulf Park Junior College, Gulfport, Mississippi, and from the University where she is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta Sorority.

YOUNG-KETNER: In a ceremony performed October 8 in Oklahoma City Janie Young became the bride of William D. Ketner, '47. Both are from Norman. The couple is at home in Norman where Mr. Ketner is a student in the University.

LODES-CHOENS: A home has been established in Norman by R. C. Choens, Jr., '47, Elgin, and Mrs. Choens, the former Lucille Lodes of Sterling. Mr. Choens is a student in geological engineering at the University. Their marriage was an event of October 12 in Sterling.

RIESEN-DILLARD: Betty Maurine Riesen, Ardmore, and Douglas C. Dillard, '47, also of Ardmore, were married recently in Gainesville, Texas. Mr. Dillard is a junior in the School of Geology.

LOONEY-INGRAM: The marriage of Joan Looney, '47, Wewoka, to Tom Leslie Ingram, '47 eng, Fort Worth, Texas, was an event of October 26 in the First Methodist Church of Wewoka. Mrs. Ingram twice represented her sorority, Delta Gamma, in the Sooner yearbook beauty section and served as columnist and society editor of the *Oklahoma Daily*. She is a member of P.E.O. sisterhood. Mr. Ingram served as president of Delta Tau Delta Fraternity. He won a Brillhart award and was in-

cluded in the list of ten most outstanding seniors in his class. He was mentioned in "Who's Who" section of the Sooner yearbook. Mr. Ingram was also affiliated with Checkmate, Engineers club, Pe-ct, Phi Eta Sigma, Scabbard and Blade, Sigma Gamma Epsilon, Sigma Tau and Tau Beta Phi. At present he is a geological engineer with an oil company with headquarters in Midland, Texas.

BELL-MAIDT: Mary Jane Bell, '47ba, Lindsay, became the bride of Robert Louis Maidt, '42-'43, Oklahoma City, in a ceremony performed October 25 in Lindsay. Mrs. Maidt attended St. Mary's College, Notre Dame, Indiana. At the University she was a member of Pi Beta Phi Sorority, Theta Sigma Phi and Gamma Alpha Chi. She also served on the staff of the *Oklahoma Daily* and *Covered Wagon*. Mr. Maidt was a member of Kappa Alpha Fraternity.

Dorothy Ewing, '47fa, Eldorado, Kansas, is director of Women's Activities for radio station KFBI in Wichita. She has charge of The Women's Program broadcast Monday through Friday of each week.

M. Day Fezler, Jr., '47 eng, and Mrs. Fezler have chosen the name Madara Day Fezler, III, for their son born October 24 in Kansas City, Missouri. Mr. Fezler is employed with the United States Gypsum Company.

Kathryn Lee Hart, '47bus, Kansas City, Missouri, has been secretary to the district manager of the Eli Lilly and Company for the past year.

Members of the University of Oklahoma American Legion auxiliary are offering veterans in the state hospital at Norman weekly programs of entertainment. Varied programs are offered each week in the hospital theater.

The University of Oklahoma was founded upon authority of an act of the first legislature of the Territory of Oklahoma, approved December 19, 1890.



The deed to the land for the Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation is presented to J. G. Puterbaugh, McAlester, president of the Research Foundation, by W. R. Borgmann, chairman of the state board of affairs. Looking a little wind-blown at the left is Governor Roy J. Turner. (See story on page 7.)