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ing shorthand in night school in Venezuela, became Spanish-English stenographer with the Gulf Oil Company in Maracaibo, in their legal department. It was this job that got him interested in the study of law.

## Regents Appoint Med Chairmen

Appointment of nine chairmen in the University School of Medicine has been approved by the Board of Regents.

Dr. A. N. Taylor was appointed acting chairman of the department of physiology from July 1 to June 30, 1949. Chairmen, whose appointments are effective from July 1 to June 30, 1950, are Dr. C. P. Bondurant, '22bs, '24med, dermatology and syphilology; Dr. J. B. Eskridge, Jr., '19bs, '21med, obstetrics; Dr. Clark H. Hall, pediatrics; Dr. Basil A. Hayes, urology; Dr. James P. McGee, ophthalmology, and Dr. Grider Penick, gynecology.

Dr. Howard A. Bennett was named chairman of the department of anesthesiology, retroactive to March 15, 1948, until June 30, 1950, and Dr. H. E. Doudna, vice-chairman of anesthesiology, retroactive March 15, 1948, to June 30, 1950.

Dr. Byron Fremont Smith, '43ba, '45med, was appointed director of health service, assistant director of the out-patient department and clinical assistant of the department of medicine.

Mrs. Mary R. Caron, director of the school of nursing, was given the title of professor of nursing, retroactive to February 19, the date of her original appointment.

## Medical School Is Accredited

"Unqualified accreditation" was awarded the University School of Medicine in Oklahoma City last July by the Council of Medical Education.

According to the report given to the Board of Regents by Dr. Mark R. Everett, medical school dean, the school for 12 years had been placed on "confidential probation" by the North Central Association of Colleges and Universities.

Representatives of the Council of Medical Education inspected the school and its hospitals last March to determine improvements made since the previous survey and to recommend changes, George L. Cross, president of the University, said.

Everett stated that the recent reorganization of the school as recommended by Cross had received support from all interested agencies and from alumni. He said the University regents and the state regents for higher education have approved of Cross' proposals for modernizing the school and its hospitals.

Additional changes to be made before the fall term begins include opening of new wards in the hospitals; establishment of teacher relationships with other hospitals, and revision of the school's curriculum.

## Medical School Notes

H. Glenn Gardiner, '33bs, '35med, has moved to 925 South Holman Ave., Chicago. He is associated with Sears, Roebuck and Co. as medical director.

William P. Curtiss, '46med, was a recent visitor at the Medical School. Following his internship at Evangelical Hospital, Detroit, he has remained in Detroit where he is engaged in general practice.

The Oklahoma City Clinic recently announced the association of Robert P. Holt, '41ba, '44med, in orthopaedic surgery, and James G. Gable, Jr., '40bs, '42med, in internal medicine.

The following members of the class of 1947 have recently become associated with the University of Oklahoma School of Medicine: Tom Sid Gafford, Jr., '47med, fellow in pathology; J. D. Cone, '47med, fellow in anatomy; Jess Miller, '47med, fellow in anatomy, and Robert F. Redmond, '47med, fellow in pharmacology.

Fred Dinkler, '47med, is now a resident in anaesthesiology at the University Hospitals, Oklahoma City.

William L. Bond, '47med, has a residency in obstetrics at St. Anthony's, Oklahoma City.

Donald Clements, '47med, is now located in Enid, Oklahoma at the General Hospital.

Charles R. Cochrane, '47med; Robert L. Loy, Jr., '47med, and Bruce H. Brown, '47med, are all located at Mercy Hospital, Oklahoma City, as residents.

## Sooner Sports

### Easterner Praises Wilkinson

*Editor's note: Here at the University we think Bud Wilkinson, head football coach, is tops. Everybody knows that. Therefore, we're sort of proud of an article appearing on the sports page of The Boston Sunday Globe in early August. Bud was in Boston to extend a charter to the Boston Alumni Club. The story of the Boston charter event will appear in the September issue of Sooner. Here's the story by Vern Miller appearing in the Globe.*

"The most sought-after young football coach in the nation dropped in on Boston yesterday.

"Last winter Charles 'Bud' Wilkinson of Oklahoma was approached by Yale, Harvard and Navy. The earnest, modest young man who coached his Big Six team to a championship tie last year considered his job at Oklahoma more important than the gridiron glamour positions in the East.

"Rare in a profession where shifts are frequent and objectives opportunistic, Wilkinson said yesterday he owed a debt to Oklahoma and besides had a deep feeling for the college. That's why he refused to budge when lucrative offers popped up, he said.

"Wilkinson yesterday visited the home of an Oklahoma alumnus, Tully Nettleton, staff writer of the *Christian Science Monitor*, at 89 Ridge Road, Waban.

"He was returning from Springfield where he had been teaching a Y.M.C.A. course in physical culture.

"Wilkinson is a tall, youngish man. He played guard and quarterback for three of Minnesota's Big Ten champs back in '34, '35, and '36. Those famed powerhouse teams of Bernie Bierman ran from the single wing.

"Now Bud's eleven use the Missouri split-T, an innovation not seen on the eastern seaboard except at the University of Maryland where Jim Tatum coaches.

"Wilkinson gravitated to the Missouri T in the Navy. There he coached under Don Farout for the Iowa Sea Hawks in '43. Faurot originated the Missouri T. Now Faurot, as coach of Missouri, is Wilkinson's chief conference rival.

"The Sooner coach considers eastern football different from that played north of Texas in one re-

spect. The Midwest passes more than we (East) do.

"There's a reason. We can count on dry, fast fields for every game. In the East, during the fall, it rains about a third of the time. That's why our football appears more open."

"The University of Oklahoma is in the small town of Norman, 18 miles from Oklahoma City. Wilkinson is noted as a coach who can handle material as it comes. He has mostly lads from his own state and a few that float up from the Texas Panhandle. This year his two outstanding players are linemen, guard Buddy Burris and tackle Wade Walker."

## Correspondence . . .

Delphos, Kansas

Dear Ted:

Thanks for your nice letter in regard to my recent visit to Norman. It was seven years ago this fall since I had been on the beautiful campus of O.U. and of course had never seen the North and South Campuses, which were much nicer than I had even imagined, with the aid of pictures in *Sooner Magazine*.

Though you have me mixed up with another Dale Brown, I feel as though I know you anyway after several years of "Riding The Sooner" and alumni news pictures in papers and the *Sooner Magazine*. However, I don't expect you to apologize for the mistaken identity, as the Sooner and University Theaters once did the same thing when they presented me with a "pass" to both theaters thinking I was the Dale Brown in the State Legislature. Through that episode it was my pleasure to meet the Honorable Dale Brown and get it straightened out.

If you will look in the 1936 *Sooner Yearbook* in the business administration senior section you will see that we do not even closely resemble each other. Some two or three years ago I sent a news item about myself and when I saw it in the *Sooner Magazine*, it had the other D. B.'s picture with it and in a few days I received a letter from an attorney in Wewoka, who thought I was the other D. B. So you see why I was asking for you last Friday at 4:25 (To get even.)

In all seriousness though, it always gives me great pleasure to visit O.U. and to read all I can about O.U. grads and students all over the world. I hope some day I will be close enough to be in an active O.U. Alumni Club, but at present Wichita is the nearest one to me. I enjoy every page of the *Sooner Magazine* and intend to keep up my annual dues until such time as I can become a Life Member.

I have one son nine years old that I hope to send to O.U., so the Jayhawks have not got me yet—though I hoped they would win the Orange Bowl game last year.

Thanks again, Ted, for your letter and I trust the next visit to O.U. I will see you and show you I'm not such a bad sort, though I'm not a member of the Oklahoma or Kansas Legislature!

Yours sincerely, Dale Brown, '36bus  
*Editor's note: Apologies to both Dale Browns. After carefully checking our files, we think we have them straightened out so that the two will not be confused in Sooner print again.*

U.S.S. Columbus (CA 74)  
c/o F.P.O., New York  
(In the Mediterranean)

Dear Mr. Beard,

Seems like this correspondent always pops up in a different locale everytime you hear from him. After leaving San Francisco last May, I flew cross country to Norfolk, Virginia—with short stopovers at St. Louis and Washington, D. C.

I was in Virginia long enough to see some of the historic towns, such as Williamsburg, then shoved off with the U.S.S. Columbus—loaded with over 500 midshipmen from 12 colleges and universities,

including our Sooner Alma Mater, Texas and Missouri.

Our first stop was Lisbon, Portugal, where we spent six days visiting Moorish castles, Portuguese palaces and several fortresses, the most interesting being the Torre de Belem, from which Vasco de Gama set sail in 1497 to round the Cape of Good Hope. At Estoril—the Portuguese "Riviera"—I ran into at least ten N.R.O.T.C. friends from O.U. It was like old home week.

It's the same way aboard the Columbus, too. Sooners aboard include Harry Feldman, Bob Preson, Carson Rackley, John Bierman, Hugh Bumpas, Bill Coleman, Don Crawley, Dwain Dunn, Tom Denton, Jerry Hamman, Tom Graves, Floyd Hentschel, Carol Jones, Max Isley, Bill Lawrence, Jim Marshall, Louis Ludwick, Bill Laney, Malcom Morris, Jim Phillips, Glenn Reagan, John Ross, John Rieger, James Tillotson, William Ulmark, Harold Hoffner, Ralph Houghton, William Grimm, Alfred Hammock, Charles Casey, Neil Cleaver, Donald Drake, Gerald Bridges, Milton Bridges and Harvey Bryant.

We passed Gibraltar this afternoon, our next stop being Genoa, Italy. During our six days there, many of us will take a three-day sightseeing trip to Rome. From Italy we proceed to Gibraltar, then back to the States, where it'll be the end of a pleasant midshipman cruise.

Our next tour of duty will extend from the Azores to India. The Columbus has already been designated the flagship of Admiral Richard L. Conolly, whose headquarters are in England.

Met my pal and classmate, Ensign Roy Bell, '47 ba, in Norfolk just before we started our summer cruise. He's serving on the carrier *Coral Sea*. Another O. U. Sooner, Ensign O. F. Dennis, '43-'44, is now attached to the Columbus.

"Nuff Sooner news from this side; how about a little news from the Norman office? Haven't received any *Sooner Magazines* from the March issue to the present. I've enclosed a \$5 check toward my Life Membership.

Sincerely, Ensign George A. Souris, U.S.N.

Friends University  
Wichita, Kansas

Dear Mr. Beard,

I am enclosing a check for \$3 for membership dues. I think I have always meant to do this, but just neglected it. You were so cordial to us at Kingfisher College Reunion that I feel much closer in interest to the University than ever before. It was such a wonderful gathering and a deeply emotional experience for all of us.

My husband, LeRoy Greenfield, '03ba, graduated from O.U. the same year I graduated from Kingfisher. During his lifetime I was of course in closer touch with you. Let me thank you again for your presence at our Kingfisher Reunion and all your efforts with the pictures. I shall await the *Sooner Magazine* with much interest.

Very Sincerely, Mary Rice Greenfield, '03ba (Kingfisher)

Seoul, Korea

Dear Ted,

After completing two years in the Far East Command, we have received orders for return to the States.

I have received my assignment in the States. I will be stationed in Washington, D. C., office of the Chief of Staff, Legislative and Liaison Division.

I will get some leave and plan to be in Oklahoma a few days. I would like to get the addresses of a few of my classmates and former O.U. students who are in Washington, so they can help me locate a place to stay. Understand it is very hard to get a place to stay in or near Washington.

My children, Mary E., age 9, and Merton, Jr., age 5, are certainly looking forward to getting back to the States. They have missed ice cream, water melons, etc. (They have had very little ice cream over here and no water melon.)

Sincerely, Lt. Col. Merton E. Munson, '29ba, '31law

## Bryan Spends Travel Award

With a \$250 check in his pocket, Lyman Bryan, '48ba, and his wife and baby took a fast train headed for Baltimore, early in August.

The occasion was the second annual Kayser Memorial Travel Award study. Lyman won the award presented by J. W. Kayser, publisher of the *Chickasha Star*, and Mrs. Kayser, as the outstanding senior man in the School of Journalism.

He planned to spend the award studying trade journals and house organs, a phase of journalism that has attracted his interest for several months. His first stop was to be Baltimore, but many other cities figured in his proposed tour.

The award is a memorial to the Kayser's son, John Winston Kayser, '38journal, who was killed in action in France in 1944. Winners of the award are selected by a committee from the University and the state newspaper field on the basis of achievement in journalism and Christian leadership.

During the past several months, Lyman has been Associated Press correspondent for Norman and the University. He has also served as sports editor and issue editor of the *Oklahoma Daily*, student publication.

At the presentation of the award at a Sigma Delta Chi dinner, Robert V. Peterson, former visiting professor of journalism and now associate publisher of the *Norman Transcript*, addressed the group.

He told of the success of newspapermen who have attended or graduated from the University School of Journalism. While, as he pointed out, it is impossible to name them all, he named "a few that I think of offhand." They are:

Merle Woods, '17ba, *El Reno American*; Ray W. Gierhart, '24, *Sapulpa Democrat News*; Charles E. Engleman, '33ba, *Edinburg (Texas) Valley Review*; Bob Lee Kidd, Jr., '36ba, *LeFlore County Sun*, Poteau; I. L. Cook, '26ba, *Bristow Record-Citizen*; Ned Shepler, '18, *Lauton Constitution*; Hiram Impson, '15ba, *McAlester Democrat*; Clarence Frost, '31ba, *Kiowa County Star-Review*, Hobart; Harrington Wimberly, '24ba, *Altus Times-Democrat*; O. B. Campbell, '24ba, *Vinita Journal*; Bob Breeden, '29ba, *Cleveland American*; E. M. DeWeese, '21ba, *Southeast Oklahoman*, Hugo; Paul John, '31ba, *Sulphur Times-Democrat*; Ralph Sewell, '42ba, city editor, *Daily Oklahoman*; Ray

Parr, '32ba, and Otis Sullivant, '24, byline writers for the *Daily Oklahoman* and *Times*; Mary Kimbrough, '36, women's editor of *St. Louis Star-Times*; Tully Nettleton, '23ba, American news editor, *Christian Science Monitor*; Max K. Gilstrap, '37ba, assistant to managing editor, *Christian Science Monitor*; Lee Bond, '32bs, division news editor, United Press, Dallas; Jack Fischer, '32ba, editor of Harper Brothers, publishers, New York; Glen Bayless, '38ba, Washington coverage for *Nation's Business*, and Ernie Hill, '33ba, chief of London Bureau of the *Chicago Daily News*.

## No Homesickness This Fall!

Freshman women students at the University this fall won't need to worry about that homesick feeling. They'll easily get acquainted with campus life through the help of upperclass coed counselors.

New campus arrivals will be introduced to scholastic, social and activity standards by approximately 150 coed counselors appointed by the Associated Women Students group. Girls coming from high schools and other colleges will be welcomed by upperclass Sooner women, who will point the way to good grades, club and association membership and campus friends.

## Lunsford to Assume Command

Robert L. Lunsford, III, '43ba, is to take over command of the campus American Legion Post 303 in September. Lunsford, who is now a senior in the law school, has been active in campus affairs since entering the University in the fall of 1938.

His record for leadership is both impressive and long. A native of Cleveland, Oklahoma, Lunsford lettered both in football and track and became state champion in the high hurdles. At Cleveland High School, he served as president of the Student Council and the student body. He belonged to such organizations as the debate club, the band, the glee club, and was a member of the yearbook staff. Other high school honors accorded him were membership in the honor society and the position of Master Counselor for both the local and district Demolay chapter.

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Lyman Bryan, right, Norman senior in journalism, receives a \$250 check from J. W. Kayser, Chickasha newspaper publisher. The check is a travel award presented annually by Mr. and Mrs. Kayser to the outstanding senior in journalism at O.U. It is a memorial to their son, John Winston Kayser, '38journal, who was killed in action during World War II.