

Master of ceremonies Clee Fitzgerald, Law junior, Caddo, chats with Mrs. Preston Moore and the honored guest, Preston Moore, '49Law, Stillwater, at the recent Commander's banquet.

## **Everidge Awarded Prize**

J. G. Lee Everidge, '43-'48, Oklahoma City, fifth year student in architecture in the School of Design at North Carolina State College, Raleigh, North Carolina, has been awarded a \$750.00 prize in the "hidden talent" architectural competition sponsored jointly by the *Museum of Modern Art* of New York City and *The Architectural Record*, Dean Henry L. Kamphoefner of the North Carolina College announced recently.

Dean Kamphoefner also said that the competition submission of David Webb George of Cleveland, Oklahoma, another State College student, was selected for exhibition by the museum and publication by the magazine,

Out of 550 private architects, students and draftsmen from all parts of the United States who competed, Elderidge placed second. The purpose of the competition was to discover and encourage latent architectural talent by rewarding the successful competitors with cash awards and national publicity. Everidge's second prize winning design will be placed on exhibition at the *Museum of Modern Art* in New York and will be given national publicity through publication in The Architectural Record.

Any architect, designer, draftsman, engineer or student residing in the continental United States of America was eligible to compete providing that no building or architectural design of his has been published with his name as architect or designer in any national magazine.

Everidge began his architectural training at the University of Oklahoma before the war, and after 14 months in the Army Air Corps, he returned to that school. He left last summer with a group of Oklahoma students when several members of the University of Oklahoma factulty came to North Carolina to establish the new School of Design at State College. He is now in his fifth year in architecture and will receive his degree in June.

The jury of award in the competition consisted of five nationally recognized architects chosen by the *Museum of Modern Art* and *The Architectural Record*. A designer in the office of Mies Van Der Rohe, internationally known architect of Chicago, won the first prize of \$1,000.00, and a young architect who **sr** duated with a Master's Degree at Harvard placed third. Everidge was the only student to win one of the top prizes in the competition.



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## Alumni

Everidge has also been named one of the 25 students selected from all parts of the country for the second preliminary exercise to the 36th Paris Prize in Architecture.

The competition which is open to graduates of American schools of architecture, or to students who will graduate in June, will be worth a cash prize of \$5,000 to the ultimate winner.

The competition problem for the first preliminary exercise was the design of a Kitty Hawk Memorial to house the famous Wright Brothers' airplane, to be located on the mall between the nation's capitol and the Washington Monument.

The exercise was executed in 24 consecutive hours and the second preliminary, for which Everidge is now eligible, will be another exercise of greater complexity to be done in 48 consecutive hours. This exercise will be held March 5-7.

Ten students will be picked from the present group of 25 for the finals of the competition to be held in New York City.

## Lt. Ralph H. Boyd Killed in Airlift Crash

During World War II Lt. Ralph H. Boyd, '34-'37, was shot down in 1944 while on a bombing raid over France. He survived the crash and was captured by the Germans, but managed to escape, living with a French family for several months as a "deaf and dumb" relative, until he got passage to England. He was discharged in 1945.

On January 12 Lt. Boyd was killed in a Berlin airlift plane crash near Rheim Main airport in Germany. He re-entered the air force in October, 1948.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Wanda Boyd, Fort Worth, Texas and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Boyd, Henrietta, Texas.

While at the University Boyd was a member of the band, playing trombone, and was firstbaseman on the varsity baseball team.

From the time of his discharge in 1945 to October, 1948, Boyd was employed by American Airlines in Dallas and New York.

He was first pilot of the C-54 cargo plane which crashed near Frankfurt, Germany. His co-pilot and engineer were also killed in the crash.

## Scholarships Are Established

Memorial scholarships have been established in memory of two alumni airmen who were victims of World War II, according to a recent announcement by R. Boyd Gunning, executive secretary of the University Foundation.

A student aid fund has been set up in the Foundation as a memorial to Edward B. Setliff, '40-'43, Madill, who died in 1945 in a B-29 raid on Japan. He is survived by his mother, Mrs. Walter Setliff, Madill.

Setliff was a mmber of Phi Gamma Delta social fraternity and was an honor student in geology at the University.

The purpose of the fund is to provide emergency awards to graduate geology students. It was established anonomously by a friend of Edward Setliff.

Memorial scholarships have been established in the memory of Lt. Warrne H. Finley, '39bus, by his mother, Mrs. B. E. Finley, Pampa, Texas.

Lt. Finley died in a plane crash in 1943. The scholarships are general in nature.