



# Roll Call

Brief news stories by classes of alumni of University of Oklahoma.

Wallace Perry, '07ba, Las Cruces, New Mexico, one-time University regent, recently had his first novel—*Each Purple Curtain*—published. Business manager of the New Mexico Farm and Ranch in Las Cruces, he is married to the former Lena Alice Stubblefield, '04mus.

'09 Dr. Roscoe Walker, '09bs, Pawhuska, was recently honored with a barbecue and celebration given by his home town in observance of his 41 years of medical practice there. More than 400 friends and neighbors were present.

'11 Dr. E. E. Dale, '11ba, O. U. research professor emeritus of history, has accepted an invitation to spend a year at the University of Houston as a visiting lecturer in history. Dr. and Mrs. Dale returned in January from a year of teaching at the University of Melbourne, Australia.

'12 Elizabeth Jane King, '12fa, recently retired as instructor in vocal music at Roosevelt junior high school, Oklahoma City, after 27 years of teaching.

'13 Arthur Lee Richards, '13ba, is now retired from his education work as superintendent of schools at Tecumseh, Vinita and Elk City, principal in the Tulsa school system, and instructor at Southwestern and Tulsa University. Richards is a former president of the Board of Directors of the State Education Association. Mrs. Richards is the former Laura Alexander, '23ba. They live in Tulsa.

'14 John T. Cline, '14ba, '16ma, has joined the staff of Oklahoma Military Academy as field representative, with offices in Oklahoma City.

'15 Donald E. "Dward" Walker, '15ba, is now serving as Safety and Personnel director, Noble Drilling Corp., Tulsa. Walker served on the Governor's Staff in 1952, giving "outstanding service" to the O. U. Band and Kappa Kappa Psi, band fraternity. He also is serving as Grand Praetor, Southwestern Province, Sigma Chi social fraternity.

'19 Nolen J. Fuqua, '19ba, Duncan, vice-president of the National Association of Soil Conservation Districts, was chairman of a 6-state meeting in Amarillo last June, which considered a 20-year program for prevention of dust storms and the development of another dust bowl.

Dr. Roy L. Cochran, '19med, was recently honored with a surprise birthday party at his office in Caddo. He was 64 and has practiced in Caddo for 35 years.

'21 R. W. Dozier, '21ba, Oklahoma City, has been a life underwriter affiliated with Massachusetts Mutual Life Insur-

ance Company since his graduation from the University in 1921. His son, R. William, Jr., '53Law, is also associated with the life insurance business as an underwriter. Dozier writes that both he and his son are members of the Million Dollar Round Table which is composed of representatives of life insurance companies who sell in excess of one million dollars of new business in any one year.

'22 H. Milt Phillips, '22, publisher of the *Seminole Producer*, last June made a 14-day tour of Canada by air, ship and automobile as a guest of the Ontario department of travel and publicity. He was invited to represent Oklahoma in a group of editors from selected southwestern states.

'23 Ira H. Stein, '23bs, formerly of Cherokee, has been elected a vice-president of The Chicago Corp., with headquarters at Fort Worth. Stein is in charge of land and exploration for the company.

Manford A. Cox, '23Law, prominent Chandler attorney, died recently at the age of 57. Cox is survived by his wife, Mrs. Mildred Cox, Chandler, and a son, John R. Cox, Renton, Washington.

John Wilkinson, '23ba, is vice president of the Mercantile Trust Co., St. Louis, Missouri.

'24 Dr. Coyne Herbert Campbell, '24ba, is superintendent of the Coyne Campbell Sanitarium in Oklahoma City in addition to being a professor and chairman of the Department of Neuro-Psychiatrics at the O. U. School of Medicine. Dr. and Mrs. Campbell have five daughters, Gloria, 16, Ruth Ann, 15, Carolyne, 13, Barbara, 9, and Judy, 5.

John H. Samuells, '24, is a petroleum engineer and geology consultant and lives in Abilene, Texas.

William A. Burress, '24ba, died May 12 in Oklahoma City of a heart attack. Burress had lived in Oklahoma City since 1951, and was a geologist with offices in the Braniff Building.

'25 Dr. Harry E. Wilkins, '25bs, '27med, Oklahoma City, was recently elected president of the Harvey Cushing Society when it met in Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Dixie Gilmer, Oklahoma State Safety Commissioner, '25Law, died June 9, after an illness of several weeks. The former congressman, state legislator and Democratic candidate for governor was 53. Gilmer played three years of varsity basketball for the Sooners while getting his law degree. He belonged to Sigma Nu social fraternity.

'26 Wilson L. Kygar, '26bus, is the president of Continental Pipe Line Co., Ponca City. The Kygars have two children, Dan, 3, and Sarah Jane, 6 months.

Harry B. Kniseley, '26ba, '29ma, is division personnel manager of Carter Oil Co. in Denver, Colorado. He and Mrs. Kniseley, the former Mary Jo West, '35ba, have two children, Mary Beth, 13, and John West, 10.

Dr. Rothwell Stephens, '26fa, '27ba, '29ma, chairman of the Knox College mathematics department, has been named Hitchcock Professor of Mathematics at the college. Dr. Stephens has been a member of the Knox faculty since 1931. Dr. and Mrs. Stephens reside at 763 Johnston St., Galesburg, Illinois.

The Rev. James L. Sandlin, '26ba, pastor of the Central Christian Church in Greenville, Texas, was awarded an honorary doctor of divinity degree last May at TCU. The Rev. Sandlin is also presently serving as division chaplain of the 49th Armored Division, Texas National Guard, with the rank of lieutenant colonel.

'27 Quinn Melton Dickason, '27Law, is in private law practice and is serving as a public defender of Tulsa County. He is a former assistant city prosecutor in Tulsa.

Dr. Clara Palmer Olson, '27ba, '38bs, '40med, is serving on the staff of the Mental Hygiene Clinic, in the Veteran Administration's regional office at Ft. Snelling, Minnesota. Dr. Olson was formerly with the V. A. Hospital in Minneapolis.

'28 Leo J. Brown, '28bus, lives in Alva, where he is co-owner of Brown and Brown Hardware Co. Brown's son, Jim, a 1954 graduate of Alva High School, was awarded the G. Omar Hill award as outstanding athlete of 1954.

'29 Ethel Hodgson Gay, '29ba, is a school teacher living in Kingfisher.

Noble Clarke Hood, '29, is a Clerk for the U. S. District Court, Northern District. Hood is also a lieutenant commander in the USNR.

Don L. Dickason, '29Law, is living in Albuquerque, New Mexico, and is a lawyer in the firm of Rodey, Dickason, Sloan, Mims and Akin.

Col. Merton E. Munson, '29ba, '31Law, is serving with the U. S. Army in Munich, Germany, as

land relations officer for Bavaria. He provides liaison between the Bavarian government and the Army. Colonel Munson is a former member of the Oklahoma state legislature and speaker pro tempore of the House.

'30 Emerson N. Price, '30, is a Ford dealer in Vinita. Mr. and Mrs. Price have two daughters, Sue Jane, 6, and Shirley Ann, 4.

J. Rex McGehee, '30bs, is living in Denver, Colorado, where he is area stratigrapher with Shell Oil Company. He and Mrs. McGehee have two daughters, Merrie Ann, 7, and Nancy Alice, 2.

Charles Ittner, '30eng, Seattle, Washington, was recently graduated from the American Institute for Foreign Trade at Thunderbird Field, Phoenix, Arizona. Specializing in South America, Ittner has taken the school's intensive training course in preparation for a career in American business or government abroad.

'31 James G. Harlow, '31ba, '33ms, on leave for the past year, resigned from the O. U. faculty in June to accept an associate professorship at the University of Chicago.

Dr. Charles F. Daily, '31ed, '33m.ed, '35d.ed, professor of economics at O. U., was awarded a fellowship to the Institute of Freedom and Competitive Enterprise conducted last June by Claremont Men's College, Claremont, California. Professor Daily was one of 30 specialists in economics and political science invited to the Institute.

Roy C. Williamson, '31eng, is the new president of the Southern Production Co., Fort Worth, Texas. He had been production vice president since 1947. Williamson is a former Baylor University football,

baseball and basketball star, and coached high school and junior college teams until oil lured him away. He studied petroleum engineering at O. U. while roughnecking in the Oklahoma City field.

'32 John Fischer, '32ba, was chosen Spring commencement speaker at Kenyon College this year. Fischer has been with Harper and Brothers since 1944, and was appointed editor-in-chief of *Harper's Magazine* last October. In addition to his editorial duties, Fischer is the author of *Why They Behave Like Russians*, a Book-of-the-Month Club selection in 1947, and *Master Plan USA*, 1951.

Charles B. Johnson, Jr., '32bs, formerly of Tulsa, has been elected vice president in charge of production operations of The Chicago Corp., with headquarters at Fort Worth.

Harold S. Skinner, '32Law, has been named administrative assistant to the President of Continental Oil Company's Southwestern region. Skinner was formerly assistant general manager for the same region.

Robert D. Arnett, '32eng, lives in Dallas, Texas, where he is a partner in the Seismic Engineering Company.

Anna B. Crouch, '32ed, died recently at her home in Tuttle.

'33 A. N. Griffith, '33eng, has assumed duties in Nigeria, Africa, as director manager for the Netherlands Oil Co. His wife and son, Joe, plan to join Griffith in Nigeria after the first of next year.

Howard J. Van Dyke, '33ba, Tulsa, recently received a top award for industrial publication editing. The award was presented at the annual con-



W. H. Craven, '25, Oklahoma City, was the winner of Sooner Magazine's 1953 Pick the Score contest. He's pictured with his son, Stephen, who is wearing the winner's prize, Eddie Crowder's football helmet that has been autographed by the Orange Bowl champs. Incidentally, Craven believes that he is rearing a potential O. U. football player. In a recent letter to the Sooner Magazine he wrote: "Stevie will be 12 years old the last of October and tips the scales at 160."

vention of the International Council of Industrial Editors held in Detroit, Michigan. Van Dyke is editor of the *Link*, publication of Carter Oil Co. in Tulsa.

'34 Robert F. Williams, Jr., '34bus, is president of Oklahoma Operating Company, Okopco Chemical Company, and the Eagle Uniform Manufacturing Company, and lives in Oklahoma City. Mr. and Mrs. Williams have four children, Robert F., III, 14, John C., 8, James F., 2, and Carol Sue, 1.

Earl Sneed, '34ba, '37Law, dean of the O. U. College of Law, was recently named to the state crime commission by Gov. Johnston Murray.

Harm E. Musgrave, '34bs, is vice-president of Whiet's Auto Stores, Inc., and lives in Wichita Falls, Texas. He has two children, Kay Beth, 15, and George Harm, 12.

'35 Dr. Lewis Noel Goff, '35pharm, is a dentist in Joplin, Missouri.

Dr. Clyde Kernek, '35bs, '37med, writes that he is still serving as resident in surgery at the New England Center Hospital, Boston, Massachusetts.

Lt. Col. Robert H. Slover, '35ba, has been transferred from the Korean Civil Assistance Command to the civil affairs section of the UN Far East Command in Tokyo. Before beginning his new assignment, Colonel Slover was thanked for his work as a member of an economy board in Korea by the country's Minister of National Defense. The colonel's services, said the official, accounted for a "betterment of the Korean military and economic position." Colonel Slover's hometown is Oklahoma City.

'36 Donald J. Morrison, '36ba, is editor and publisher of the *Waurika News-Democrat*. He previously worked in the industrial editing field, winning two awards for his work given by the International Council of Industrial Editors. The Morrisons have a daughter, Emily Lynne, 4.

W. Wesley Wood, '36bs, is chief electrical engineer in the gasoline department of Phillips Petroleum Company. He and Mrs. Wood have two children, Marilyn Gail, 9, and Gary, 7, and live in Bartlesville.

Lt. Col. William R. Clark, '36ba, is presently assigned to the Joint Advanced Study Committee, Joint Chiefs of Staff, in the Pentagon. Colonel and Mrs. Clark have two sons, Robert, 9, and William, 4.

'37 Clarence A. Gallagher, '37med, is a physician and surgeon in Oklahoma City.

'38 William D. Kendall, '38fa, is acting as advertising director for the Baptist Sunday School Board in Nashville, Tennessee. The Kendalls have four children, Dana Ann, 7, Martine, 5, Jane, 3, and Ellen Marie, 1.

Francis W. Ringer, '38eng, Mrs. Ringer, and their two daughters, Helen Carol, 8, and Mary Ellen, 5, live in Norberth, Pennsylvania, where he is a consulting engineer.

Max S. Lale, '38journ, is the publisher of the *Greenville Banner*, Greenville, Texas. Mrs. Lale is the former Georgiana Aspley, '38ba.

Dr. Paul B. Rice, '38med, died March 22. Dr. Rice was born in Lawton and was graduated from Oklahoma City University in 1925. Prior to studying medicine, he taught high school and was athletic coach. He had lived in Oklahoma City since 1942. He is survived by his wife, two daughters, his mother, and a sister.

Joseph F. Grant, '38ba, '40Law, Hollywood, California, was named vice-president, secretary, and treasurer when Slick Airways merged with the Flying Tiger Line in July. Grant formerly held the same offices with Slick Airways, Inc.

'39 Ethan A. Walker, Jr., '39bs, has been named Sales Engineer in Stanolind Oil and Gas Company's general office located in Tulsa.

Dr. R. J. Yeager, D.D.S., '39ba, moved his offices in June to the Medical Center, at 1980 Utica Square, Tulsa.

'40 Cmdr. John Ermo Scrivner, USN, '39ba, '40Law, is currently serving as Legal Officer, Mare Island-Vallejo area, California. Commander Scrivner has previously served as legal officer, U. S. Naval Academy, An-



napolis. He was a member of Sigma Nu social fraternity and Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity when he was on the campus.

Ralph R. McCarty, '40m.ed, is teaching American history in the public schools at Lawton.

J. C. Conner, '40eng, has been named division gas superintendent for the North Texas-New Mexico division of Stanolind Oil and Gas Company. Conner was formerly senior sales engineer for Stanolind in Ft. Worth, Texas.

Miss Freddie L. Etter, '40ba, is chief librarian at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Richmond, Virginia. Miss Etter was formerly librarian in the high school at McAlester.

James H. Stevens, '40bs, is owner of the Jim Stevens Agency, in the Oil and Gas Building, Dallas, Texas. He has one son, James F., 5.

Cooper H. Butt, '40eng, is living in Elm Creek, Nebraska, where he is president of the Elm Creek State Bank.

William H. Wheatley, '40eng, has been named mechanical engineering group leader at the Brownsville chemical plant of Stanolind Oil and Gas Company in Brownsville, Texas. Wheatley was formerly located in the company's general office in Tulsa.

'41 William Allan Richards, '41bs, is executive vice president of Piccadilly Cafeterias, with central offices in Baton Rouge, Louisiana. Richards is president of the

Junior Chamber of Commerce in Baton Rouge, and was named the Outstanding Young Man of the Year in that city in 1952. He reigned as King of the Baton Rouge Mardi Gras last spring. The Richards have three girls, Diane, 9, Carol, 7, and Kathy, 7.

Mrs. Maribelle Potts Leeper, '41bus, is a housewife in Oklahoma City. The Leepers have two children, Bob, 7, and Lyn, 4.

Donald F. Goodman, '41eng, has been named mechanical engineer, senior grade, by Stanolind Oil and Gas Company. Goodman will be located at the company's Brownsville chemical plant in Brownsville, Texas.

'42 George H. Reneau, '42eng, is now superintendent of operations, Carpenter-Trant Drilling Co., Denver. He was formerly a drilling research engineer with Stanolind Oil & Gas Co. in Fort Worth. The Reneaus have two boys, Robert, 5½, and Donald, 2½.

'43 Dr. Kenneth G. Ogg, '43bs, '48med, and Mrs. Ogg have chosen the name Charles Robert Ogg for their son born in May. The Oggss also have two daughters, Susan, 4½, and Sarah, 3. Their residence is at 2222 N. W. 57th St., Oklahoma City.

Two former Sooners have organized a new Kansas oil exploration company with offices in Wichita and Larned. C. H. Wallace, '43eng, a research geo-physicist, is president of the new company, Seis-Tech Exploration Co., and John L. Care, '47bs, is vice president in charge of field operations.

'44 William Butterworth, '44, was graduated from the American Institute for Foreign Trade at Thunderbird Field, Phoenix, Arizona, in May. Specializing in South America, Butterworth has taken the school's intensive training course in preparation for a career in American business or government abroad.

Mrs. J. H. Powell, the former Irene Akin, '44bs, is residing at Poteau.

Army Nurse (Capt.) Alice Strong, '44bs, is now stationed at the U. S. Army Hospital in La Rochelle, France. Captain Strong, a member of the Women's Medical Specialist Corps, is a dietician and mess officer at the hospital. Before entering the Army she was an institutional nutrition consultant with the Oklahoma State Health Department.

'45 Dr. Alice Gambill Hart, '45bs, '49med, and Mr. Hart are living in Ft. Worth, Texas, where she is engaged in the practice of medicine. The Harts have a son, Martin Gambill, 1.

Everette M. Leonard, '45bs, Mrs. Leonard, and their three children, Shirley June, 6, James Bruce, 4, and Susan Ann, 1, are living in Lawton where he is owner of the Leonard Laboratories.

'46 Frank B. Phillips, Jr., '46bs, is district sales manager for National Gypsum Co. in New Orleans. The Phillips have two children, Brownwyn, 5½, and Kimberly, 1½.

Maj. Edward E. McCollum, '46bus, received the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in Korea. He distinguished himself as commander of the Army's 5th Light Aviation Section.

'47 Maj. Gerald W. Shivers, '47ba, Lexington, Texas, was recently presented a Bronze Star Medal in Armed Forces Day activities at Ft. Monmouth, New Jersey. Maj. Shivers was decorated for his services as signal advisor to the 3rd Division of the Republic of Korea Army.

Bob Fenimore and Mrs. Fenimore, the former Veta Jo Cullen, '47ba, Stillwater, have chosen the

name Jo Ellen for their daughter born May 14.

Jacqueline Tracy Walpole, '47ba, is a social worker and lives in New Orleans, Louisiana.

David L. Walker, '47bus, is holding a position as crude oil buyer for Shell Oil Co. in New Orleans, Louisiana. Walker served with the 7th Infantry Division in Korea during 1951-52, winning the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service.

Dan M. Miller, '47bus, represented O. U. at the inauguration in May of Dr. Francis H. Horn as fourth president of Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, New York.

'48 Capt. Donald L. Means, '48eng, '49m.eng., is serving with the army at Ft. Sill. Captain and Mrs. Means and their son, Ronald Mark, 8, live at 1408 Snow Road, Lawton.

Dr. H. E. Groves, '38med, recently discharged from the U. S. Navy, has joined the Foster Clinic at 318 W. Commerce, Oklahoma City.

Donald R. Ellegood, '48ba, '51ma, has assumed his duties as director of the Louisiana State University Press in Baton Rouge. Ellegood served as assistant editor of the University Press in 1950-51, and since 1951 has been on the staff of Johns Hopkins University Press as production editor and editor.

Glen A. Finefrock, '48ba, Mrs. Finefrock, the former Joan Castle, '47, and their two daughters, Bebra Leigh, 5, and Chrisanne, 3, are living in Oklahoma City, where he is employed with the E. B. Jack Castle Co.

Dr. James S. Boyle, '48med, and Mrs. Boyle, Yokosuka, Japan, have chosen the name Joan Boyle for their daughter born May 6.

Kenneth Ray Stafford, '48ba, '50m.ed, '53ph.d, is an associate professor for the Ford Foundation in the teacher education program. He and Mrs. Stafford are living at 2121 S. Cedar Street, Little Rock, Arkansas.

James G. Heid, '48eng, and Mrs. Heid, the former Geneva Lee Brown, '48h.ec, are living in Long Beach, California, where he is a petroleum engineer with Monterrey Oil Company.

John B. Baumert, '43bus, '48Law, and Mrs. Baumert, the former Suzanne Loveall, '48ba, have announced the birth of a son, Charles Loveall Baumert. The Baumerts are living in McAlester.

John H. Wishnick, '48eng, is purchasing agent and salesman for the Witco Chemical Co., New York. He was formerly manager of the Chicago plant for Witco. Wishnick is vice president of the New York O. U. Alumni Club.

Manville R. Redman, '48ba, '50Law, is presently holding the position of county attorney for Comanche County. Redman is an active civic leader in Lawton, belonging to the Junior Chamber of Commerce and the Kiwanis Club. While on the campus he was a member of Phi Alpha Delta, legal fraternity, and Phi Gamma Delta, social fraternity.

James W. Rodgers Jr., '48ba, '48Law, and Mrs. Rodgers have chosen the names Beverly and Rebecca for their twin daughters born in May in Holdenville. They also have two sons, Billy and Bobby. Mrs. Rodgers is the former Sarah Jane Berry, daughter of Lieut. Gov. and Mrs. James E. Berry, Stillwater.

'49 Clifford N. Fox, '49bs, is claim supervisor for Motors Insurance Corporation in Oklahoma City. Mr. and Mrs. Fox have three daughters, Janice Kay, 9, Gail Marie, 7, and Debra Lynn, 3, and reside at 1918 N. W. 22.

R. B. Capps and Mrs. Capps, the former Carolyn Pounders, '49ba, have selected the name Thomas Sanford for their son born May 27. The Capps have another son, Robert, age 4. Capps is a geolo-

# Enrolment Zooms Up

Number of students on campus represents a near 10 percent increase over student population in 1953.

By LARRY LEVIEUX, '55

THE NUMBER of students on campus this semester is greater than any year since the postwar boom of 1945-50. Although the official enrolment figures have not yet been released, Dr. John E. Fellows, dean of admissions and records, said that a "substantial increase" is indicated over last year's total of 9,103. An early official estimate places the figure at more than 9,900. The enrolment increase is welcomed by the University, and no major problems are anticipated.

In the housing situation, despite the acquisition of the 244-unit Parkview apartments for married students in May, the start of the fall semester saw all University housing filled. Garner Collums, director of housing, said that accommodations for all classes of students, single men and women and married students, show an increase over last year. In addition, most fraternity and sorority houses are full. It appears that a housing problem will be staring University officials in the face if the present trend toward increased enrolment continues next year.

Another indication of the school boom this year is the number of new pledges of the 25 fraternities and 13 sororities. The largest number of men and women in the history of O.U., 506 women and 528 men, pledged during rush week.

The enrolment procedure, with the usual torment of sectioning, was substantially the same as in past years. The majority of new freshmen escaped the ordeal because of last summer's pre-enrolment. The larger number of students made the lines a little longer and the classes a little more crowded, but in general it ran pretty smoothly. One innovation put into effect this semester was the requirement that the newly-enrolled student pay his tuition fees in the sectioning hall. A few grumbles were heard, but most of the students shruggingly accepted the new bit of red tape.

Football games will be as large as ever (with the exception of last year's Notre Dame game). Regular season ticket sales are approximately the same as last year, but student tickets decreased slightly in total sales. The decrease can be explained by the absence of a crowd-drawer like the Notre Dame game. One bright spot, how-

ever, was the increased interest in the Texas game at Dallas. This, too, has a logical explanation; the price of Texas tickets to students has been reduced to one dollar. This was welcome news to students who felt that prices like last year's four dollars were too high.

Football is the big interest on campus this fall, as usual. Although several of the pre-season polls placed the Sooners as the number one team to beat in the nation, Bud doesn't feel quite so confident. He calls the 1954 edition of the Crimson and Cream the "most overrated" team ever produced at O. U. Even if Big Red does live up to its advance newspaper clippings, goes through the season undefeated, and cops the Big Seven Conference crown for the seventh consecutive year, no bowl trips can be made. The conference ruling on the Orange Bowl tie-up eliminated that. Most Sooners, however, would settle for another national championship.

The opening day of class found the Union fountain room the most popular spot on the campus. Practically everyone connected with the University arranged for a 10 o'clock coffee break in his schedule. All the campus politicians and socialites were present, of course, jockeying for position at the "wheels" table, and the peculiar O. U. custom of "coke dates" was in full swing.

Like the beginning of every other semester in the past was the heart-breaking session in the bookstores. There, students grudgingly parted with the fistfuls of money required to purchase those necessary evils, textbooks.

The parking problem is acute. The increased enrolment and the new ruling allowing freshmen to drive cars on the campus have strained the already overburdened parking facilities. Last year, the complaint was that the student must put a nickel into the meter to park on the campus. This year, the complaint most often heard is that there is no meter available to put the nickel into.

The latest in a long line of college fads is the wearing of Bermuda shorts on the campus. Last spring, a few courageous pioneers started the thing, and despite guffaws from classmates and scornful looks from the fac-

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J. W. Burkhart, '30-'31, Houston, Texas, was photographed at a Houston meeting of the A.P.I. last year in full Indian regalia. Burkhart has long been active in alumni affairs in Houston.

gist for Kerr-McGee Oil Company in Oklahoma City.

Kenneth A. Clem, '49bus, Norman, is state agent for Scott, Foresman and Company, Educational Publishers. Mr. and Mrs. Clem have a son, Joseph Lee, 12.

Morris Bruce Peterson, '49bus, '52Law, has been sent to Corpus Christi, Texas, as assistant district landman with Sunray Oil Corp. The Petersons have a daughter, Dathleen Ann, born February 20, 1954.

William E. Wright, '36-'40, and Mrs. Wright, the former Joyce Mann, '49journal, have chosen the name Winifred Elizabeth for their daughter born April 3. The Wrights live in St. Joseph, Missouri, where he is a district supervisor with K. C. Tractor and Implement Co.

John Edward Turnbull, '49eng, is a hydraulic engineer for the Corps of Engineers, in Tulsa. He and Mrs. Turnbull, the former Elizabeth Zimmerman, '44bus, have a daughter, Johnna Lee, 1.

Milton E. Sheid, '49journal, is assistant secretary-manager for Southwestern Lumbermen's Association, and is living in Oklahoma City.

George A. Naifeh, '49ba, is now serving as director of student orientation in Iraq, for the American Friends of the Middle East, Inc. Naifeh is working in Baghdad, helping young men and women of Iraq who are planning on studying in the United States to orient themselves on the American campus and to help students solve their readjustment problems upon their return home from the U. S. His address in Baghdad is P. O. Box 329.

Robert Steen Smith, '49bus, and Mrs. Smith have selected the name, Robin Anne Smith, for their daughter born in May in Tulsa.

Bert L. Poling, '49bus, is presently holding the position of manager, Alaska Aggregate Corp., Anchorage, Alaska. He recently completed a tour of duty as a lieutenant, U.S.N. The Polings have two daughters, Vicki Lynn, 8, and Wendy Ann, 5.

Raymond J. Schneider, '49eng, has just completed a ten-month engineering program with Hughes Tool Company in Houston, Texas. He will now be located in Casper, Wyoming, working as a field engineer. Prior to his training program in Houston, Schneider was on a two-year tour of duty with the U. S. Navy.

'50 George Copland, '50eng, '51eng, '53m.eng, and Mrs. Copland have chosen the name Virginia Sue for their daughter born May 23 in Duncan. Copland, formerly of Norman, is employed by the Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Co.

Dr. Jack P. Enos, '50med, is practicing medicine at the clinic in Yukon. Dr. and Mrs. Enos have three children, Judith Lynn, 7, David Mark, 3, and Scott Ford, 1.

Phyllis Harris Binnicker, '50h.ec, is a housewife living in Alex.

Dr. John T. Keown, Jr., '50med, is practicing medicine in Pender, Nebraska. Dr. and Mrs. Keown have two children, Mary Alice, 4, and John T. III, 2.

Alvin N. Feldzamen, '50bs, New York City, has been awarded the Albert Stanburrough Cook Prize in poetry, at Yale University. The Cook Prize is awarded for the best unpublished poem or group of poems by any student regularly enrolled at Yale.

Douglas W. Bell, '50bs, is a geologist with Sohio Petroleum Co. in Casper, Wyoming. He was formerly employed with Canadian Well Services, Calgary, Canada. The Bells have three children, Thomas, 5, Judith, 3, and Rebecca, 1.

William G. Whisnand, '50bs, is a geologist for the Texas Gulf Producing Co., in Midland, Texas. He and Mrs. Whisnand have two children, Steven, 4, and Gaye, 2.

Elvin J. Brown, '50Law, assistant Cleveland County Attorney, was elected a regional vice pres-

ident of the Oklahoma Junior Chamber of Commerce in May.

Dr. Charles W. Cathey, '50ba, '53med, lives in Oklahoma City, where he is a resident physician at University Hospital.

George T. Higginbotham, '50eng, is a petroleum engineer for Atlantic Refining Co. in Dallas. He and Mrs. Higginbotham have two children, George, Jr., 3, and Linda Louise, ten months.

B. Wayne Carmichael, '50pharm, Mrs. Carmichael, and Leroy Wayne, 7, and Melanie, 2, are living in Dallas, Texas. Carmichael is a sales representative for Merck and Co., Inc.

Kenneth Stephen Blanchard, '50bs, '51ms, is a geologist in Denver, Colorado.

Don A. Gorsline, '50ma, is a Home Office Instructor for Equitable Life Assurance Society, New York. He previously served as a district manager for Equitable. The Gorslines have two boys, Alan, 7, and Richard, 5.

Bobbie Lee Roden, '50pharm, Mrs. Roden, and their two children, David, 4, and Dana, 1, are living in Littlefield, Texas, where Roden owns a pharmacy.

SHERRY-PUCKETT: Miss Lola Lee Sherry, Oklahoma City, and George Euell Puckett, '50bus, Wayne, were married May 22 in Capitol Presbyterian church, Oklahoma City. Following a wedding trip to Biloxi and New Orleans, the couple has established a home at 3901 N. W. 17, Oklahoma City.

The Rev. Jacob F. Schulman, '50ba, was ordained a minister of the Unitarian church on May 19. Reverend Schulman is serving as assistant minister of the Unitarian church in Worcester, Massachusetts.

William W. Lampkin, '50bs, Mrs. Lampkin, and their two children, Richard, 22 months, and Terry Elaine, 9 months, live in Oklahoma City, where he is an accountant for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company.

Helen Rose Burden, '50bus, is a payroll clerk and accounting assistant for the Harper-Turner Oil Company in Oklahoma City.

Audrey M. Cook, '50eng, is district engineer for Tidewater Oil Company, Cayuga, Texas. He and Mrs. Cook have two sons, Byron, 2, and Kent, 1.

William C. Mason, '50ba, is a salesman for the Mike Bryan Office Supply Co. in Oklahoma City.

George C. Schneider, '50bs, Mrs. Schneider, and Marcia Lea, 3, are living in Duncan, where he is a geologist for the Erle P. Halliburton Co.

Jack A. Reese, '50journal, has been named city editor of the *Shawnee News-Star*. Reese had been a reporter for the paper since 1951.

William L. Richards, '50eng, has been named junior process engineer in Stanolind Oil and Gas Company's general office at Tulsa. He was formerly located at Odessa, Texas.

Jerald Lee Richardson, '50eng, is Chief Engineer and vice president of Porcelain Enamel Inc. He also is a civil defense instructor and president of the Toastmasters Club in Tulsa.

Jack R. Mills, '50arch, and Mrs. Mills, the former Earleen Simon, '49fa, are now living in Oklahoma City, where Mills is employed as an architectural draftsman. He recently served as a lieutenant in the Air Force. The Mills have a son, Jack Russell Mills Jr., age 3.

Caswell F. Neal, '50Law, and Mrs. Neal, the former Mary Gold, '48fa, are now residing in Carlsbad, New Mexico. Neal is an attorney in the firm of Neal, Neumann & Neal, and a national director of the Junior Chamber of Commerce from New Mexico. The Neals have two daughters, Judy Gene, 4, and Janet Elizabeth, 2.

Mrs. J. Thomas Via jr., the former Anne Gilbert, '50bs, is now living in Wichita, Kansas. The Vias have a daughter, Cynthia Anne, age 16

months. Mrs. Via is a former president of Alpha Delta Pi, social sorority.

Jack Springer, '50bus, is serving as manager of the Bryan Chamber of Commerce, Bryan, Texas. Prior to accepting this position Springer was manager of the Pauls Valley and Seminole Chambers of Commerce. Mrs. Springer is a former secretary to the Director of the School of Journalism. The Springers have twin daughters, age 4.

'51 James Wallace Boone, Jr., '51, and Mrs. Boone, the former Wanda Lee Cates, '48, announced the birth of a son, Stephen Wallace, born March 17, in Dallas, Texas.

Willard Francis Glover, '51eng, is a geologist and field engineer in Calgary, Alberta, Canada.

W. L. Buck, Jr., '51eng, joined Lockheed Aircraft Corp. in Marietta, Georgia, in April. He was formerly employed with the J. E. Serrine Co., Greenville, South Carolina. The Bucks have a daughter, Sharon Elizabeth, age 1.

Ralph A. Dickinson, '51bus, and Mrs. Dickinson, the former Eloise Phillips, '50ed, have chosen the name Diane Kay for their daughter born April 25. The Dickinsons are residing in Lubbock, Texas.

John Hamilton Kyle, '51ba, '43ma, and Mrs. Kyle, the former Jean Gillespie Bushner, '48ba, '50ma, are living in Baltimore, Maryland. Kyle was appointed editor of the Johns Hopkins Press in May, and Mrs. Kyle is a lecturer in English at the University of Bridgeport. The Kyles have one girl, Patty Bushner Kyle.

Charles H. Elliott, '51eng, has been named an intermediate geophysicist in the Stanolind Oil & Gas Company's Midland, Texas, office. He was formerly located in the general offices in Tulsa.

Frank A. Moore, '51bus, is a sales administrator for the Houston Technical Laboratories. He formerly served as a field representative for the Oklahoma State Accrediting Agency.

Billy West, '51bs, Norman, has been awarded the degree of master of arts at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, Tennessee. West completed his master's program in the biology department at Vanderbilt.

Evelyn McAninch Horton, '51bus, is a housewife living in Mullinsville, Kansas.

Glenn Wilson, '51ba, '52ma, and Mrs. Wilson, the former Helen O'Dell, '52journ, are living in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, where he is administrative assistant to the medical administrator for the welfare and retirement fund of the United Mine Workers. The Wilsons have twin sons, David Eric and Thomas Clay, born May 12. Mrs. Wilson is a former Roll Call editor of *Sooner Magazine* and Wilson was in charge of the *Oklahoman and Times* Norman news bureau as an undergraduate. The Wilsons recently visited the Alumni Office during a vacation trip to Oklahoma.

Henry D. Glenn, '51m.ed, is high school principal in Tishomingo. He has one daughter, Anita Louise, 11.

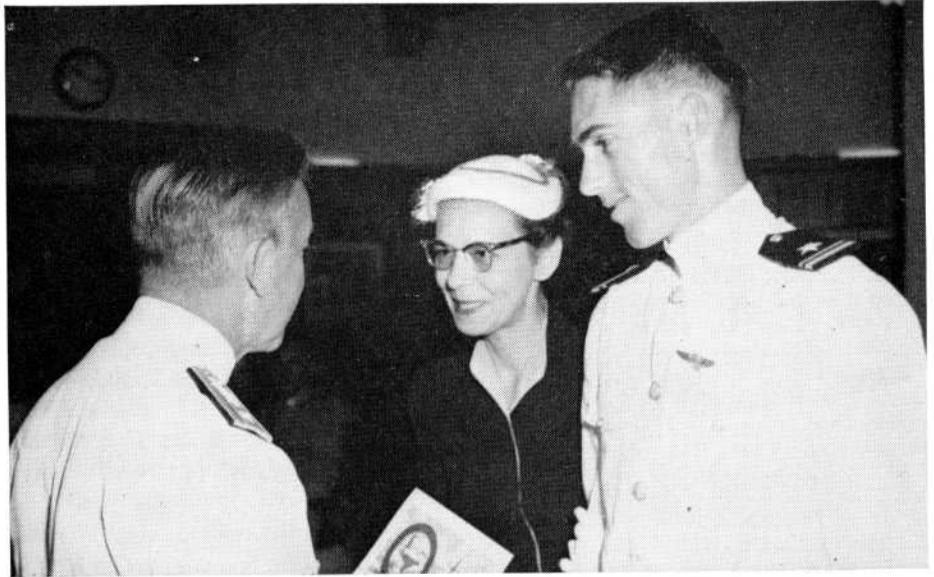
John Keith Miller, '51bus, has been employed by the Stanolind Oil & Gas Co., as an intermediate landman, exploration department, in Tyler, Texas.

Gene F. Muse, '51phys.ed, and Mrs. Muse have established a home at 831 East Drive in Oklahoma City. The couple were married last May.

'52 Robert E. Kershaw, '52bus, operates a purebred Angus farm and a war surplus business in Muskogee. The Kershaws have two children, Peggy, 3, and Robbie, 1.

Ester May Reising, '52ma, is a teacher in the elementary rural school at Beaver. Mrs. Reising has a daughter, Elsa Ferne, 10, and two sons, Roy Eugene, 7, and Lawrence Clark, 2.

Sgt. Harold G. Smith, '52bus, is serving with the army in the 47th Division at Ft. Benning, Georgia.



Navy Lt. (jg) Leslie H. Balmain, '52hs, received the "Wings of Gold" of a Naval aviator during ceremonies held recently at the U. S. Naval Air Station in Pensacola, Florida. Shown making the presentation is Rear Admiral Dale Harris, chief of Naval Air Basic Training.

Sergeant Smith, a resident of Duncan, was employed by Halliburton Oil Well Cementing Company before going into the army.

Vivian Milam Allen, '52bus, is a receptionist and secretary in the district attorney's office in Dallas, Texas.

Lt. (jg) Leslie H. Balmain, '52bs, recently received the "Wings of Gold" of a Naval Aviator at ceremonies held at the U. S. Naval Air Station, Pensacola, Florida.

Carl K. Lawwill, Jr., '52ba, is a labor market analyst, Tulsa office, of Oklahoma Employment Security Commission. He and Mrs. Lawwill have two sons, Keith, 3, and Kent, 7 months, and live in Claremore.

Clarence F. Talbot, '52bus, has recently accepted a position as junior accountant, Stanolind Oil and Gas Company, Houston, Texas.

BIRD-COX: Miss Jacqueline Ruth Bird, Boulder, Colorado, and Lt. John P. Cox, '52ba, Oklahoma City, were married February 19. Lieutenant Cox is stationed with the airforce in Oklahoma City, where he and Mrs. Cox have established a home at 2621 North Hudson.

Robert D. Reid, '52bs, has accepted a position with Cities Service Oil Co. in the company's junior engineer training school. His initial assignment is with the engineering division in Bartlesville. Previous to his acceptance of this position Reid served with the Army Ordnance Corps.

Lt. Eugene R. Sewell, '52bs, has been released from active duty with the army at Redstone Arsenal, the Army Ordnance Center of the research and development program for guided missiles and rockets.

Jack O. Duggan, '52eng, is now serving as a junior engineer in the Natural Gas department of the Magnolia Petroleum Co., Lake Charles, Louisiana. Duggan is a member of the Masonic Lodge and the Reserve Officers' Association. Mrs. Duggan is the former Mary D. Dixon, '50.

Mrs. Clarence R. Wright Jr. (Kathryn Rae Kroutil, '52ed) is now living in Columbus, Georgia, while Mr. Wright, an Army lieutenant, is stationed at Fort Benning, Georgia. The Wrights have a daughter, Carolyn, 1 year.

Shizue Oka, '52arch, has been awarded a Fulbright scholarship for study at Kyoto University, Japan. Oka, whose home is in Aiea, Oahu, Hawaii, attended the University of Hawaii two years be-

fore transferring to O. U. For the past two years, he has been an instructor at the University of Arkansas.

Lt. (jg) Bill E. Whitney, U.S.N., '52bus, is serving as a naval aviator attached to Attack Squadron 175 stationed at Jacksonville, Florida. Lieutenant Whitney received his Navy wings in April, 1954.

'53 FAULKNER-BERGER: Miss Marlene Faulkner, Oklahoma City, and Maurice Berger, '53bfa, Wewoka, were married recently in the home of the bride's parents in Oklahoma City. After a wedding trip, the couple has returned to Norman where Berger will continue work toward a master's degree.

COLBERT-ENGELS: Miss Dora Faye Colbert, Oklahoma City, and Dr. Raymond L. Engles, '53med, Durant, were married recently in Holy Cross Catholic church, Wagoner. Dr. Engles recently completed his internship at the Veterans Hospital, Oklahoma City.

Charles S. Freeman, '53ba, and Mrs. Freeman are the parents of twin daughters, Teresa Anne and Cheryl Lynn, 3, and have another daughter, Margaret Elizabeth, 1. Freeman is a geologist with Inland Producers in Evansville, Indiana.

James C. Hunt, Jr., '53, Tulsa, recently graduated from the U. S. Naval Pre-Flight School. He is now assigned to the U. S. Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Whiting Field, Milton, Florida, where he is engaged in primary flight training.

Bernard M. Roberts, '53bus, is presently serving as a 2nd Lieutenant, U.S.A.F.

Lt. Robert D. Boles, '53med, is serving with the U. S. Army Medical Corps at Fitzsimons General Hospital in Denver, Colorado. Lieutenant and Mrs. Boles have three children, Billye Gayle, 5, Robert David, 4, and Rebecca Sue, ten months.

Glenn T. Mathers, '53bs, lives in Casper, Wyoming, where he is a geologist with Sinclair Oil and Gas Co.

Richard Henry Kamp, '53ba, is a sophomore at the University of Kansas City School of Dentistry.

Joanne Griswold Buckstaff, '52ba, is a stenographer for the Tennessee Production Company, Houston, Texas. Miss Buckstaff is a Phi Beta Kappa and a former president of Kappa Alpha Theta, social sorority.

Lt. Curtis N. Floyd, '53ba, has recently finished

the Photo-Radar Intelligence course at Lowry A. F. B., Denver, Colorado, and has been transferred to Travis A. F. B., Fairfield, California.

**HARDIN-SILBERG:** Miss Beryl Hardin, Oklahoma City, and Lieut. Richard Silberg, '53pharm, Kansas City, were married May 21 in the chapel of Emanuel Synagogue, Oklahoma City. Lieutenant Silberg has been serving with the 511th Airborne Division at Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

**EASTMAN-SIMMS:** Miss Elinor Eastman, '53bus, Oklahoma City, and Henry Fry Simms, '40-'42, Honolulu, were married May 22 in the Cathedral of Our Lady of Perpetual Help, Oklahoma City. Following a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Simms are residing in Honolulu.

**ELSEA-GREEN:** Miss Yvonne Elsea, '53ed, Oklahoma City, and Phillip Edward Green, '52ba, Seminole, were married June 4 in St. Luke's Methodist church, Oklahoma City.

**RANDALL-HIXON:** Miss Margaret Ann Randall, '53h.ec, Oklahoma City, and Charles D. Hixon, '54eng, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, were married June 5 in the First Presbyterian church, Oklahoma City. Mr. and Mrs. Hixon have established a home in Boise, Idaho.

**TRAUB-WARE:** Miss Carlene Traub, Oklahoma City, and Herbert Earl Ware, Jr., '53bus, Inglewood, California, were married June 5 in the First Baptist church, Oklahoma City. Mr. and Mrs. Ware have established a home in Shreveport, Louisiana.

Cadet George E. Pratt, '51-'53, was recently graduated from the U. S. Naval Pre-Flight School, and is now assigned to the U. S. Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Whiting Field, Milton, Florida, where he is engaged in primary flight training.

Cadet William L. Wardell, Jr., '51-'53, was recently graduated from the U. S. Naval Pre-Flight School in Pensacola, Florida, and is now assigned to the U. S. Naval Auxiliary Air Station, Whiting Field, Milton, Florida, where he is engaged in primary flight training.

**'54 DELANEY-SNIDER:** Miss Patricia Carol Delaney, '54journ, Ada, and William Stephen Snider, '51journ, Mangum, were married May 22 in the First Methodist church, Ada. Following a wedding trip to Tanimul, Mexico, the couple has established a home in New York.

**LAKE-MATHIAS:** Miss Jacqueline Clyde Lake, '54bs, and Harold L. Mathias Jr., '51bus, both of Oklahoma City, were married May 22 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. Karlton Mosteller, Hidden Lakes Farm. Following a wedding trip to Sarasota, Florida, Mr. and Mrs. Mathias have established a home in Tulsa.

**GRISSE-JEFFRIES:** Miss Kelly Grisso, '54journ, Norman, and Robert Alan Jeffries, '54eng, Dallas, Texas, were married June 5 in McFarlin Memorial Methodist church, Norman. Mr. and Mrs. Jeffries have established a home in Pontiac, Michigan.

**RIEGER-STAFFORD:** Miss Marilyn Jean Stafford, Oklahoma City, and Henry A. Rieger, '54eng, Norman, were married May 15 in Corpus Christi Church, Oklahoma City.

## The Invincible Earle . . .

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tournament. After grabbing a sandwich and changing clothes he joined the baseball team to help beat Chilocco Indian School, and when they were off the field he won first in the 220 low hurdles in a track meet, final event in the Winan's competition.

In taking his second Winan's Medal, Earle racked up the awesome record of five firsts in five events for 25 points: 100- and 200-yard dashes, 220 low hurdles, broad jump and pole vault. As versatile as a shop-lifter with a gunny sack. But every event was not to be so easy.

The Sooners had traveled to Pawhuska to play an Indian team and the Indian rooters were taking it to heart—betting everything they owned, could borrow or filch on their red brothers' ability. Concerned for their investments—to state it mildly—they paraded up and down in front of the hotel where the team was staying. They shouted threats and tried, it appeared, to put a heavy dose of evil eye on the boys.

As Radcliffe describes it now, "The next day we beat them and we hurried back to the hotel, and, boy, we stayed inside." An uneasy night passed and at four in the morning the team got out of town. Those Indians were scalping mad.

Another time after a game some kids stoned the Sooner players as they rode back from the field, but no one was hurt. "There was a lot of rivalry in those days," Radcliffe commented modestly.

At the close of that semester he had won four varsity letters, a full season for a boy who was also elected editor-in-chief of the *Mistletoe* yearbook and who was serving on the Athletic Council as well as studying rigorously for an economics-sociology degree.

The year 1907-08 stacks up well, too. Football had flooded, if not his life, at least the Fall, and he played in every game. Mainly quarterbacking. He picked up a letter in basketball, but to his disappointment baseball that spring was disallowed because several players had dropped in classwork. He recouped the lost satisfaction by breaking his own Southwestern Conference pole vault record in an intercollegiate meet in Austin, Texas: 10 feet, 10 inches, touching the clouds in those days.

The next year presented him with letters in football, baseball and track, and he captained the track team. Graduation came up with his degree completed. He stuffed the sheepskin in his pocket and accepted a year's scholarship for advanced study at the University of Chicago. When the year passed and September again carried the smell of football in the air he was ready to go back to O. U. And here begins one of the most unusual situations ever to take place in University athletics.

Since conference regulations and the men who enforced them were neither so hard-shelled or so hawkeyed as they now are, Radcliffe felt he could let the word of his yearnings get around. He had worked during the summer as editor of the *Enid*

*Daily Eagle* but football most of the time is more active than newspapering.

It was not long until the word passed around enough that President Grant Evans wired him a welcome-home telegram, offering Radcliffe a fellowship that would let him resume playing for the Sooners that year. He was to teach two economics classes and one sociology course—still plenty of time for the game—a faculty member on the varsity squad!

The year was 1910 and Sooners were overjoyed at the prospect of the star's return. A headline read: "The Return of the Invincible Earle Radcliffe to the State University." A later newspaper story told of the O.U.-Aggie game that Fall:

"With two minutes to play, Rad grabbed an onside kick and made the sensational run of the day, going 80 yards through the field of pursuing Aggies only to be brought back by Umpire Davis to Stillwater because of an alleged offside . . ." O. U. still won, 12-0.

The season ended Radcliffe's stay at O.U. In addition to his spectacular sporting success, Earle did nearly as well in school life off the playing fields. As a freshman he became the first pledge and first initiate to Gamma Phi, local fraternity, and was its secretary-treasurer. When the group merged with national Beta Theta Pi, he was initiated as a charter member and became its first president, serving from October 1907 to June 1908.

He sang in the University Glee Club, was a member of the YMCA and the Forum Society. He was elected editor of the *Umpire*, bi-weekly school newspaper, in 1908, in addition to his work on the *Mistletoe* and the Athletic Council.

After leaving O. U. he was to be named an honorary member of Sigma Delta Chi, journalism fraternity, and in 1912 he was elected vice-president of the Oklahoma Alumni Association. When the original lifetime "O" Cards were issued in 1917, Earle received the first one, listing football, baseball, track, tennis and basketball letters.

Earle had left O. U., said his goodbyes and had gone. But immediately in that winter of 1912, the same curtains that would mark the finale of football would at the same time throw open the stage for another exciting career.

Radcliffe returned to the *Enid Eagle*, where he stayed until 1917, leaving after five years to become news and sports editor at the *Oklahoma City Times*, and still later to become news editor of an expanding *Daily Oklahoman*. It was from 1912 on that he experienced the adventures that newspapermen build dreams on.

Radcliffe described one of his most dan-