1900-'09

Maj. Gen. Walter M. Robertson, '07, died in November at the Army's Letterman General Hospital in San Francisco. He was 66 years old. General Robertson commanded the 2nd Infantry Division during World War II in the Normandy landings, and later in the conquest of Brest.

10-19

Ben C. Belt, '10ba, recently was elected as president of the Houston, Texas, Chamber of Commerce. Belt is vice president in charge of production for the Houston Division of the Gulf Oil Corporation.

Charles E. Wails, '14, Okmulgee, has been appointed to the Oklahoma Tax Commission as head of the ad valorem tax division.

Ross Taylor, '11-'16, resigned in January as city manager of Oklahoma City. Taylor held the top administrative post in Oklahoma City for five years.

Dr. Charles L. Brown, '19bs, '21med, was named as dean of the newly organized Seton Hall College of Medicine in Jersey City. He formerly was dean of the Hahnemann Medical College of Philadelphia.

ADDRESS CHANGES: Chester F. Blankenship, '10pharm, 520 E. Broadway, Cushing . . . Louis S. Reed, '10ba, 644 N. Vermont Ave., Los Angeles 4, California.

'20-'29

Col. Moody R. Tidwell, '23Law, U. S. Air Force, formerly of Miami, Oklahoma, has been promoted to the temporary grade of brigadiergeneral. Tidwell is serving as staff judge advocate at headquarters, Air Materiel Command, at Wright-Patterson Air Force Base, Ohio. Mrs. Tidwell is the former Dorothy E. Thompson. '23ba, a member of Gamma Phi Beta sorority at O.U. General Tidwell was affiliated with Kappa Sigma fraternity. They have a son, Moody R. Tidwell III.

Dr. Don W. Branham, '23bs, '25med, was elected president of the Oklahoma County Medical Society recently. Dr. Branham has practiced urology in Oklahoma City since 1932, and is a professor and chairman of the department of urology at the University Medical School.

Richard Wheatley, '22Law, Vinita attorney, was elected president of the O.U. Dads Association during the Dads Day activities in November.

Elmer L. Fraker, '20ba, '38ma, recently was named secretary of the Oklahoma Historical Society.

Dr. Duane Roller, '23ba, '25ms, physicist employed by the Ramo-Wooldridge Corporation in Los Angeles and a former physics professor at O.U., and his son. Dr. Duane H. D. Roller, assistant professor of history at the University, have collaborated in publishing a scientific book. The father and son team wrote *Development of the Concept of Electric Charge*, which was recently published by the Harvard University Press, The book is aimed at teaching science to non-science students.

George R. Taylor, '22, assistant state insurance commissioner, was recently admitted to practice law before the United States Supreme Court, the U. S. Court of Military Appeals, and the U. S. Court of Claims.

Dr. Harvey A. Andruss, '24ba, recently completed his 15th year as president of the Bloomsburg State Teachers College, Pennsylvania, and is beginning his 25th year of service at that institution.

Harrington Wimberly, '24ba, Altus publisher, has been reappointed vice chairman of the board of directors of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Topeka, Kansas.

J. J. Bollinger, '25eng, Oklahoma City, was recently elected president of the Oklahoma chapter

Roll Call

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

of Associated General Contractors of America at the group's annual meeting in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. Dora Streight Popejoy, '26bfa, pioneer Anadarko music educator, celebrated her 50th anniversary of teaching in December. She was also recently chosen for the fourth time for inclusion in the sixth international "Who Is Who in Music,"

Mrs. Lucy Finnerty, '26ba, O.U. geology librarian, will serve as chairman of the Cleveland County Heart Fund campaign in February.

Victor Holt, Jr., '28bus, vice president in charge of tire sales for Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, was recently presented with a 25-year service pin by E. J. Thomas, Goodyear president. Holt was an All-American basketball player at O.U. during the 1927-28 and 1928-29 seasons.

DEATHS: Dr. B. E. Dozier, '21bs, '23med, Shidler, died in November. Doctor Dozier, 58, had practiced medicine in the Shidler area since 1924. Because he often flew to a patient's bedside in his private plane, he was known as the "Flying Doctor." He also was chairman of the Osage County election board.

Mrs. Mattie Bracken, '24ma, 71, wife of A. K. Bracken, former president of Bethany Peniel College, died December 26, during a family reunion in Bethany. Mr. and Mrs. Bracken were slated to return to their home in Nashville, Tennessee, when she suffered a heart attack. Mrs. Bracken was head of the mathematics and science departments at Trevecca Nazarene College there, and her husband is dean of the School of Religion.

ADDRESS CHANGES: Ethel A. Rice, '25ba, 702
N.W. 2nd, Bentonville, Arkansas . . . Mrs. Tracy
Schoonover Bryant, '26fa, 220 S. Cleveland, Apt. 7,
Memphis, Tennessee . . . J. Merrel Siler, '27Law,
2716 N.W. 45th, Oklahoma City . . . Glenn D.
Prather, '25pharm, P. O. Box 248, Olney, Texas
. . . Mrs. Lillie Buckholts Bullard, '28h.ec, Star
Route, Loco, Oklahoma.

'30-'34

D. Horton Grisso, '30bs, Norman banker, was recently presented with the Norman Junior Chamber of Commerce Outstanding Citizen Award.

Louise Esch, '30h.ec, formerly with the Stanford Hospital staff in San Francisco, is now a Hospital Consultant in New Rochelle, New York.

Ralph Keene Jenner, '32Law, is the new County Attorney for Choctaw County.

James Robinson, '32ba, '32Law, director of the Oklahoma Highschool-Junior College Speech Leagues and O.U. extension specialist, will serve on the discussion and debate materials committee of the National University Extension Association.

James N. Tidwell, '33ma, has rediscovered one of America's famous "lost plays" and has had it published by the Stanford University Press. "The Lion of the West" by James Kirke Paulding was originally published in 1831. The play was found by Tidwell in the British Museum.

Jack Handley, '33bs, Tulsa, was recently elected vice president and director of Midwestern Instruments, and president of the subsidiary company, Midwestern Geophysical Laboratory.

Dean Earl Sneed, Jr., '34ba, '37Law, has been named to a committee of the Association of American Law Schools. Sneed will serve on the graduate training committee.

Albert S. Gilles, '34ba, '37Law, Littleton, Colo-

rado, was recently presented with a special service emblem by Shell Oil Company on the completion of fifteen years service with the company. He has been manager of personnel and industrial relations in Shell's Denver Area office since it was opened in 1952. Gilles formerly held the same position in the Tulsa office. The Gilleses have a boy, Tommy, age 5.

Lieut, Col. P. B. Hackett, '34eng, sailed in February for assignment in the Far East for 18 months or more. Mrs. Hackett and their three children will live in Norman temporarily.

The late State Senator Joe A. Smalley '34ba, '37Law, Norman, was honored recently in a resolution passed by the Oklahoma Senate. Smalley, former floor leader of the House before he was elected to the Senate, died in 1953.

Alvin H. Lowe, '34m.ed, Civilian Personnel Training Officer at Fort Ord, California, recently received a certificate of achievement for outstanding service from Maj. Gen. E. K. Wright, Sixth Infantry Division commander.

Miss Lucy Tandy, '30ba, '32ma, director of the O.U. correspondence study department, has been named a member of the correspondence work committee of the National University Extension Association.

Dr. W. K. Haynie, '31m ed, '31bs, '33med, Durant, took over as chairman of the State Planning and Resources Board in January. Haynie's announced program is to "Sell Oklahoma to Oklahomans First."

MARRIAGES: Mrs. Betty E. Baker, '31h.ec, and Al N. Criss, both of Oklahoma City, were married in December. The couple have established a home at 1508 Redings Drive, Oklahoma City.

Miss Carlene Roberts, '34bfa, and Lothair Teetor, assistant secretary of commerce for domestic affairs, were married in Washington, D. C., in September. Mrs. Teetor is vice president of American Airlines, and in 1953 was named Aviation's Woman of the Year for her outstanding contribution for women in aviation.

BIRTHS: Rep. Carl Albert, '31ba, McAlester, and Mrs. Albert announced the birth of a son December 14. The Alberts have one other child, a 7-year-old daughter

ADDRESS CHANGES: August Schmidt, '32ma, Canton, Oklahoma . . . Orbie E. Siler, '32Law, 4521 Fairfax, Dallas, Texas . . . W. B. Morris, '34ba, '36Law, 2958 Duncan Place, Palo Alto, California . . . James R. Harms, '34ba, P. O. Box 77, Natchitoches, Louisiana . . . Ottie Flo Hall, '30ba, 1826 N. Union, Shawnee . . . Thomas J. Roach, '31pharm, 412 N.W. 34, Oklahoma City . . . John A. Reinhart, '34eng, 116 Park Ave., Oklahoma City . . . Dr. Fred D. Riddle, Jr., '34-'36, 1940 N. Beard St., Shawnee . . . Mrs. Pauline James Lurry, '32nurse, 2404 N. Creston Drive, Oklahoma City . . . Mrs. Lorelle Bernier Long, Route 2, Box 425, Firebaugh, California.

'35-'39

Lieut. Col. W. J. Hackett, '35, is at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, where he is taking additional officers training. He is commandant of the R.O.T.C. at Murray College in Kentucky.

Merle J. Nichols, '39m ed, is serving as collection officer with the Internal Revenue Service in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Edith B. Nichols, '39m.ed, is a

teacher in the Oklahoma City public schools.

The designs by Keith I. Hibner, '39arch, '39eng, Hicksville, New York, for a proposed community housing project on Long Island have won an Award Citation in the housing category of the second Design Awards Program sponsored by *Progressive Architecture*, national architectural magazine.

Rex M. Chaney, '35ba, United Press staff member in Washington, D. C., has been named administrative assistant to Representative Carl Albert, '31ba, McAlester.

Joseph Stocker, '35ba, is the author of a new book on Arizona entitled, *Arizona, A Guide to Easier Living*. The book was released by Harper Brothers January 19.

Bryce Harlow, '36ba, '42ma, who is a speech writer for President Eisenhower, has been given the additional duty of White House Liaison Officer with the government agencies. Harlow has been a presidential assistant since September, 1953.

James C. Hamill, '36Law, Madill, has been appointed as one of the three attorneys for the Oklahoma Turnpike Authority.

John F. Y. Stambaugh, '36bus, partner of Frazer and Torbet, national firm of certified public accountants, has moved his office to the National Bank of Tulsa Building, Tulsa.

D. N. Jones, '35-'37, has been promoted to branch manager of International Business Machines Corporation in Kansas City. He was formerly branch manager in Oklahoma City.

Dr. Edgar F. Hallock, Jr., '37ba, has been named director of the Baptist Publishing House in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil.

Lieut. Col. Lawrence R. Ware, '37ba, Anadarko, recently received a certificate of achievement for outstanding service with the command headquarters in Japan from Brig. Gen. Garrison B. Coverdale, commanding general, Central Command, in Tokyo. A holder of the Bronze Star Medal and Commendation Ribbon, Colonel Ware has been overseas since October, 1952.

Phil C. Bennett, '37Law, vice president and general counsel of Mid-Continent Life Insurance Co., was recently named to the Oklahoma City School Board.

John W. Barbour, '38bs, '40ms, Oklahoma City, was recently elected director of the City National Bank of Norman. Barbour is vice president of Core Laboratories, Inc., in Oklahoma City.

Miss Foy Runyan, '38ed, Norman public school elementary supervisor, has been elected president of the Norman chapter of the Oklahoma Education Association.

MARRIAGES: Miss Alta Helen MacIntosh, '38bfa, '40bfa, New York, and Leonard Charles Bearman, Angola, Indiana, were married recently in Salzburg, Austria. The Bearmans will live in Europe for the next two years.

DEATHS: Scott L. Reeburgh, '35eng, died December 18, in a Galveston, Texas, hospital of burns suffered in the explosion of an ethlyene gas storage well near Port Arthur, Texas. Reeburgh was head of the ethylene gas division of the Gulf Oil Refineries at Port Arthur. He is survived by his widow, a son and two daughters of the home at Port Arthur, his parents and two sisters. While at O.U. Reeburgh was elected to Phi Beta Kappa.

ADDRESS CHANGES: Mrs. Helen Houg Roach, '35ba, 412 N.W. 34, Oklahoma City . . . W. Elmore Landrum, '37eng, 209 Adams Building, Ardmore . . Robert Allen Ray, '38soc.wk, 214 S. 24th St., Lawton . . William Locke Rice, '38-40, 910 E. Layton, '36ba, 587 Buchanan, Norman . . Mrs. Lottie Mary Muncy, '36ed, El Reno . . John L. Peters, Jr., '38ma, 1450 Broadview, Apt. 7, Columbus, Ohio . . . Henry O. Faudree, '39m.ed, Box 564, Prague . . . John M.

Reed, '37-'40, 4506 W. 18th, Lubbock, Texas . . . Major Phil A. Watson, Jr., '38-'40, 698 E. Niles, San Bernardino, California . . . Martha Harms, '36 fa, 931 N. Market St., Wichita, Kansas.

40-44

G. D. Butterworth, '41eng, East Chicago, Indiana, in October was appointed head engineer for project engineering in the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) General Engineering Department. Butterworth formerly was assistant superintendent of the Light Oils Division of Standard at Wood River, Illinois.

Miss Lerilee Jennings, '44nurse, is new director of nurses at the North Plains Hospital in Borger, Texas.

Capt. Pleas M. McKee, '40-'43, and Mrs. McKee, Landstuhl, Germany, have selected the name Annabet Ruth McKee for their daughter born December 16, in Germany. The McKees have another daughter, Bess Marie, 15 months.

Fletcher F. Farrar, '43eng, has been elected president of Inland Petroleum Corporation, Miami, Florida. He will make his headquarters at Mount Vernon, Illinois.

Lou Sharpe, '42bus, co-owner of the Sharpe

has moved his law offices to 1405 Liberty Bank Building for law practice with the firm of Bohanon and Barefoot.

Cliff W. Trice, '42bs, is president of the newlyformed Trice Production Company, Longview, Texas. The new company is in oil and gas exploration, drilling and production.

Dr. Thurman White, '41ms, O.U. Extension Division dean, will serve for the next year on the organizational research committee of the National University Extension Association.

Lieut. Col. Thomas C. Frost, '40, has been graduated from the army's Command and General Staff College at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Colonel Frost is assigned to the office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, Department of the Army, Washington, D. C.

An article by Dr. Frank Elkouri, '43ba, '47Law, Associate Professor of Law at the University, will appear in the February issue of the *Labor Law Journal*, published in Chicago. The article, "Minimizing Production Loss from Critical Industrial Dispute" first appeared in the October issue of *The Oklahoma Quarterly*.

Doyle Burke, '43bs, and Mrs. Burke, '44, have adopted a son, Mike. Burke is a geologist in Shawnee.



Four Hugo businessmen—Claude Hanley, Robert Pritchard, A. O. "Dutch" Brewer, '17ba, '20Law, and Jack Stamper, '38-'39—take time out from busy schedules to help plan a tri-county alumni meeting involving Pushmataha, Choctaw and McCurtain counties. Brewer heads Choctaw Alumni Club.

Dry Goods Co. of Checotah, has purchased the Butler Brothers store in Norman as part of the company's twelve-store dry goods chain.

Eldon A. Davenport, '42eng, has been named division production manager for Shell Oil Company's Billings, Montana, Division. Davenport formerly was division production manager for the Illinois Division with offices in Centralia, Illinois.

Clark Hetherington, '42bus, owner of the Clark Hetherington Insurance Agency in Norman, was elected a director of the City National Bank of Norman. Hetherington was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity at O.U.

Ben T. Head, '42bus, '48Law, Oklahoma City,

MARRIAGES: Miss Mary Jane Baile, '41soc.wk, '46m.soc.wk, Tulsa, and F. Grover Fulkerson, Chicago, were married October 22 in Tulsa. The couple is making their home in Chicago where Mr. Fulkerson is executive secretary of the Church Federation of Greater Chicago.

ADDRESS CHANGES: Lieut. Col. Thomas G. Frost, '40, 817 S. Orme, Arlington, Virginia . . . Dr. Claude Williams, '40med, 1003 E. Ramsey, Ft. Worth, Texas . . . Thomas K. Pennock, Jr., '40-'41, 1 North Broadway, Box 69, Edmond . . . Mrs. Mary Smith Flick, '43ma, 607 Monterey Drive, Oceanside, California . . . Mike Alvin Travis, '43eng, 7515 Buckingham Drive, Clayton, Missouri . . . Ed Saye,

Jr., '43eng, 2210 28 St., Great Bend, Kansas . . . Mrs. Mary Murray Hoffman, '44bus, 1202 Cooley Drive, Borger, Texas . . . Paul M. Robinson, '43-'44, Golden Ox, Stockyards, Kansas City, Missouri . . . Clyde M. Robinson, Jr., '40journ, 8344 N. Regent Road, Milwaukee 17, Wisconsin . . . Mrs. Lucy Haws Abshere, '41ed, Box 1112, Hobbs, New Mexico . . . John H. Lawrence, '40m.ed, Box 325, Konawa . . . W. L. Howard, '43bs, '48ms, 103 Primrose, Lake Jackson, Texas.

1945

Leslie G. Brauer, '45eng, '47arch, has opened an architect's office in the Oklahoma National Bank Building, Chickasha

ADDRESS CHANGES: Paul Kouri, '45med, 4248 Abbott Road, Lynwood, California . . . William F. Ramseyer, Jr., '45, 705 E. Seneca, Ithaca, New York . . . Marvin A. Wikoff, '45, 5904 Ridenour, Kansas City 16, Missouri . . . Orville Henry Harsch, '45, 2321 Seabrook, Topeka, Kansas.

1946

Dr. Joseph Downing, '46med, has recently been promoted to acting director, Community Mental Health Research, New York State Department of however, where he was doing research in British archives, when the invitation was received.

ADDRESS CHANGES: Virginia M. Harrison, '46soc.wk, 210 Woodmont Circle, Nashville, Tennessee . . . Clyde Powell, '46m.ed, Ceres, California . . . Dr. John Milton Perry, Jr., '46med, 515 N.W. 11, Oklahoma City.

1947

William J. Handy, '47ba, '49ma, '54ph.d, and Mrs. Handy (the former Deirdre Cathleen Patrick, '52ba, '53ma), are living in Austin, Texas, where both are teaching at the University of Texas. Handy is a former instructor at O.U.

Robert D. Ortenburger, '47bus, has been promoted to the position of executive vice president of the Citizens State Bank of Tulsa. Ortenburger, son of Dr. and Mrs. A. I. Ortenburger, both of the O.U. zoology faculty, was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

Miss Bobbie Hopkins, '47ba, '48Lib.sci, is employed by the Special Service Section of the U. S. Army, stationed in Kassel, Germany. She is supervising three army libraries in that area.

Lieut. Col. Neal W. Harris, '47ba, '50Law, assistant professor of military science and tactics at

Dr. W. Keiller Haynie, '31bs, '31m.ed, '33med, Durant (seated) has recently been named to head the State Planning and Resources Board. He is seen in his Durant office with District Judge Sam Sullivan, '38Law. Doctor Haynie is married to the former Lena A. Meriwether, '33nurse.

Mental Hygiene. Dr. Downing is also Associate Professor of Clinical Psychiatry, New York State School of Medicine. He interned at Los Angeles General Hospital, served two years in the Army at Wiesbaden, Germany, and was connected with the Menninger Clinic, Topeka, Kansas, for four years.

Dr. Charles Ritcheson, '46ba, and Mrs. Ritcheson recently were guests of Queen Elizabeth of Britain at Buckingham Palace. Ritcheson received the invitation after his recently published book, *British Politics and the American Revolution*, came to the attention of the Queen. The Ritchesons are living in Gambier, Ohio, where he teaches at Kenyon College. They were spending some time in England,

the University, is attending a 16-week course in logistics at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. Following completion of the course in May, Colonel Harris will return to the Army R.O.T.C. detachment in Norman.

BIRTHS: Dr. Carl D. Riggs and Mrs. Riggs (the former Patricia Bynum, '47bs, '51ms) have selected the name Carl Daniel Riggs, Jr., for their son born November 21 at Norman. The Riggses have a daughter, Margaret Clare, 22 months.

Frank Douglas Skinner, '47journ, and Mrs. Skinner (the former Anna Jean Gray, '48bfa), East Lansing, Michigan, have selected the name Douglas Gray Skinner for their son born January 7.

Raymond L. Vaughn, '47m.ed, and Mrs. Vaughn (the former Ava Miles Hisel, '42ba), Oklahoma City, have chosen the name Lynn Sue Vaughn for their daughter born December 16. The Vaughns have one other child, Raymond L. Vaughn, Jr., 6.

ADDRESS CHANGES: George W. Brown, '47bus, 538 Cole St., Corpus Christi, Texas . . . Mrs. Patsy E. McGlathery Short, '47ed, 610 N. McKinney, Odessa, Texas . . . Henry Seth Wood, Jr., '47eng, 704 Davis N. St., Ardmore.

1948

Lavoice H. Carroll, '48bs, of Stanolind Oil and Gas Company, has been named district geologist in the company's Tyler, Texas, exploration office. He was formerly located in the Abilene district office.

Roland E. Nichols, '48eng, is employed by the Bariod Mud Company, Inc., at Rock Springs, Wyoming. The Nichols have two children.

Don E. Welch, '48Law, Madill, has been appointed as one of the three attorneys for the Oklahoma Turnpike Authority. Welch, who recently resigned as Madill City Attorney, plans to move to Oklahoma City with his wife and three children to establish a residence there. He will continue to be associated with the law firm of Welch and Welch with his father in Madill.

MARRIAGES: Mrs. Peggy Oakes Lee, '48ba, '52Lib.sci, Norman, and Victor M. Pettibone, Kansas City, Kansas, were married December 31 in Kansas City. The Pettibones have made their home at 1208 W. 45th St., Kansas City, Missouri.

BIRTH: Jack E. Tumilty, '48eng, and Mrs. Tumilty, Tulsa, have chosen the name Rebecca Sue Tumilty for their daughter born December 7.

DEATH: Alonzo Victor Bright, '48m ed, died August 1, 1954.

ADDRESS CHANGES: Hawley M. Kilpatrick, '48Law, 711 E. 14th St., Casper, Wyoming . . . Katherine Simmons, '48ma, Box 104, Paducah, Texas . . . Dr. Robert K. Endres, '48med, 9032 W. Swan, Brentwood, Missouri . . . Lieut, Col. A. L. Hall, '48m.ed, general del very, Fayetteville, Arkansas.

1949

Ira Dollar, '49pharm, has moved to Durant from Healdton, and is establishing a drive-in pharmacy in Durant. The Dollars have two children, Mike, 7, and Nancy, 3.

Joe S. Cline, '49Law, Oklahoma City attorney and part-time instructor at Oklahoma City University, will teach a course in principles and practices of real estate—the first time such a course has been offered at O. C. U.

Benjamin E. Bell, '49bus, has been promoted to ribbon sales manager for the Southwestern Division of Minnesota Mining & Manufacturing Company. Bell's headquarters will be in Dallas, Texas.

Wayne B. Holmes, '49bs, and Mrs. Holmes (the former Mary Louise Denham, '41journ) are living in Lexington, Massachusetts. Holmes is employed at the Instrumentation Laboratory of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and is taking some graduate work in instrumentation engineering. Mrs. Holmes is an elementary school teacher in Lexington.

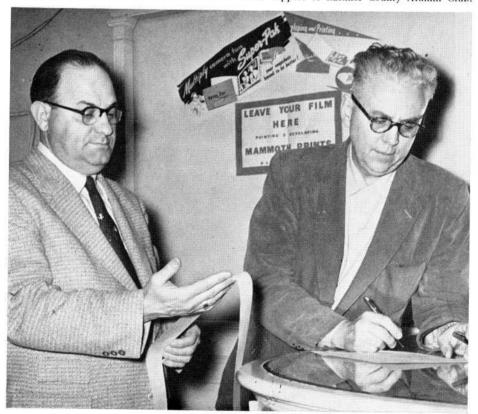
W. B. Rummell, '49eng, and Mrs. Rummell (the former Betty Laurence, '48bfa) have recently moved to Ardmore from Wichita, Kansas. In Ardmore he is associated with the Sun Drilling Company. The Rummells have a daughter, Vicki, age 3.

MARRIAGE: Miss Pat Clements, Cushing, and Lloyd L. Smith, Jr., '49bus, Bartlesville, were married October 3 in First Methodist Church of Cushing. The couple has established a home at 1830 Keeler, Bartlesville, where Smith is associated with Phillips Petroleum Co.



Mrs. John Love, the former Nadine Norton, '52ba, is pictured here with her daughter, Diane, in her Shawnee home. Love, '50bus, is owner of Love Petroleum Company. Mrs. Love was president of her graduating class and is an Executive Board member of the O.U. Alumni Association.

Sam Goldberg, '21, and E. B. Hamilton, '24-'25, both Wilburton businessmen, check a list of Latimer County alumni addresses to bring them up to date for the Alumni Office. Goldberg and Hamilton have been active in the establishment and support of Latimer County Alumni Club.



BIRTHS: Sam Norton III, '49bus, and Mrs. Norton, Shawnee, have a daughter, Carol Annette Norton, born March 16, 1954.

Earl T. Pinney, '49bs, and Mrs. Pinney, Oklahoma City, have chosen the name Julie Elizabeth for their daugther born December 2. The Pinneys have two other children, Earl, Jr., 5, and Marcia Lynne Pinney, 2½.

William J. A. Johnson, '49eng, and Mrs. Johnson, Oklahoma City, have chosen the name Daniel Jacob Johnson for their son born December 22. The Johnsons have a daughter, Laura Cecilia Johnson, 3.

Henry Burditt, '49ba, '50m.ed, and Mrs. Burditt, Carlsbad, New Mexico, have selected the name Stacy Carol Burditt for their daughter born December 16. Burditt is an elementary school principal at Carlsbad.

H. D. Woodward, Jr., and Mrs. Woodward (the former Miss Frances Ann Penfound, '49ba), Houston, Texas, have selected the name Stephen York Woodward for their son born December 1. The Woodwards have another son, David Michael Woodward, 2.

ADDRESS CHANGES: Mrs. Donna Haggard Villines, '49ba, 1425 W. Pine, El Dorado, Kansas . . . Mrs. Nyanz'a Welsh Rupp, '49m.ed, 4117 N. L'incoln, Oklahoma City . . . Robert C. Terrill, '49ba, Burlington General Hospital, Burlington, Vermont . . . William A. Seal, Jr., '49g.eng, Box 2728, Station A, Midland, Texas.

1950

John M. Fowler, '50ms, had some of his work in nuclear physics featured in ten pages of text and photographs in the October issue of *Johns Hopkins Magazine*.

Bert Howard Clampitt, '50bs, Enid, received a Ph.D. degree in physical chemistry from Iowa State College, Ames, December 17.

Robert J. Farquharm, '50bus, has entered the service of the Federal Bureau of Investigation.

Charles Otis Thompson, Jr., '50ba, is serving as sales representative for Mid-Continent Freight Lines, Inc., in Oklahoma City.

Joseph H. Nichols, '50bus, Ponca City, has been appointed Division Auditor for the Malaya-Thailand Division of the Standard-Vacuum Oil Company. Mr. Nichols will maintain his residence in Singapore, B. C. C., until October, 1955, when he will return to the United States.

Hez Bussey, '50Law, Cleveland County Attorney, was recently elected to a two-year term as president of the Oklahoma County Attorneys Association at the group's annual meeting in Norman.

Jack Mitchell, '50ba, former head football coach at Wichita University, has accepted a similar position as head coach at the University of Arkansas.

Lieut. Franklin G. Talley, '50journ, Tecumseh, is now serving with the 42nd Bomb Wing at Loring Air Force Base, Maine. He recently graduated with honors from the photo-radar-intelligence School at Lowry Field, Denver.

Melvin R. McElroy, '50eng, is now a member of the technical staff of the Advanced Electronics Division, Hughes Research and Development, Culver City, California. He was formely employed with the International Business Machines Corporation.

Elvin J. Brown, '50Law, Cleveland County judge, was recently presented with the Norman Junior Chamber of Commerce Distinguished Servise Award. Brown is currently national director of the Oklahoma Jaycees.

Gale L. Wolf, '50eng, formerly employed by Eastman Oil Well Survey Company in Houston, Texas, is now self-employed at Cyril. Mrs. Wolf is the former Marjorie McGuire, '50bfa. The Wolfs have two children, Vickie, 2, and Patricia, six months. MARRIAGES: Miss Charlene Grace Babcock, Sheridan, Wyoming, and Charles Edgar Ledbetter, '50bs, Oklahoma City, were married recently in Sheridan. The couple has established a home in Sheridan.

Miss Ann Nix, Lawton, and William H. Sullivan, '50journ, Bristow, were married at Lawton in November. The couple has made their home at Lawton.

Miss Jane Taylor, Fishkill, New York, and Cullen R. Thompson, '50bs, Denver, Colorado, were married October 23 in Denver. The Thompsons are living in Denver at 865 Dexter. Thompson is employed by Shell Oil Company in the exploration department.

Miss Martha Jane Fry and George Bolar Garrison, '50ba, both of Oklahoma City, were married December 27. Mrs. Garrison attended the State University of Iowa where she was a member of Delta Gamma sorority and Phi Beta Kappa. Mr. Garrison, a junior in the O.U. School of Medicine, is a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

BIRTHS: Cecil L. Cotton, '50eng, and Mrs. Cotton, Midwest City, have chosen the name Allan Cecil for their son born September 9 in Oklahoma City. The Cottons have another son, Leslie, 21 months.

ADDRESS CHANGES: Charles R. Richardson, '50eng, 815 Hill St., Clinton, Tennessee . . . George M. McKown, '50eng, 1527 N.W. 35, Oklahoma City 6 . . . Mrs. Peggy Cable Smith, '50bs, Box 32, Ft. Kobbe, Panama Canal Zone . . . Horace C. Allen, Jr., '50bs, 1280 Racine, Aurora, Colorado . . . Mrs. Sally Sale Hayes, '50ba, 423 11th St., Lake Charles, Louisiana . . . Mrs. Dorothy Schultz Suttmann, '50ba, 628 W. Boyd, Norman . . . Henry F. Schreiner, '50ed, Route 2, Box 45X, Midland, Texas . . . Willie Ray Swarts, '50ed, 4116 S.E. 27, Oklahoma City . . . Buford Ramey Presley, '50eng, 3205 N.W. 66, Oklahoma City . . . Charles William Offermann, Jr., '50eng, 5660 Catina, New Orleans, Louisiana . . . Kenneth Lee Spence, '50eng, Pawhuska . . . Philip Prescott Chandler, '50m.geol, 223 S. Stallard St., Silllwater.

1951

Grant Keener, Jr., '51Law, and Mrs. Keener (the former Rachael Ruark, '49ba) and their two sons have established a new residence in Rio de Janeiro, Brazil. The Keeners formerly lived in Houston,

Cecil E. Hill, '51journ, has left the Associated Press bureau in Oklahoma City to become assistant director of public information for the Oklahoma Department of Public Safety.

Earl G. Watkins, '41eng, '53ms, Oklahoma City, recently arrived at Camp Sasebo, Japan, and is now a petroleum lab technician in the 8140th Army Unit. Watkins entered the army in February, 1954, and last served at the Oakland, California, Army Base. He was research engineer for the Carter Oil Co. in Tulsa before entering the army.

Delmer D. Jones, '51eng, and Mrs. Jones, Fremont, Texas, have adopted a boy, David Lynn. Jones is employed by the Sun Oil Company in Fremont.

Lieut. Wyndell E. Brogden, '51bfa, and family are now living in Fort Worth, Texas, where he is serving with the 546th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battalion at Carswell Air Force Base. Lieutenant Brogden returned from a tour of duty in the Far East in September, and has since been attending a course at the Anti-Aircraft and Guided Missiles Branch of the Artillery School, Fort Bliss, Texas.

MARRIAGES: Miss Nene Mosrat Shahrooz, Teheran, Iran, and James J. Scampato, '51eng, Manhattan, New York, were married in December at Norman. The couple has made their home in Norman, where both are students.

What Will She Do for a Date?

As in every other U. S. community, the Formosan problem has affected campus thinking. Student author tells how.

By LARRY LEVIEUX, 55

A COLLEGE SEMESTER is a unique phenomenon. Throughout a period of about four months, the daily routine of classes, football games and studying goes on, with pressure steadily mounting. The threeweek interval after the Christmas holidays is the big push. Social doings come to a halt. Term papers are due, and the "sweating-out" of finals begins in earnest. Tension increases until suddenly the last paragraph of the last examination is finished, and all is over. Then, the grade reports come in. A fresh start is ahead.

Many students begin a new semester with resolutions of doing better. The first week, Susie makes all her classes on time, doesn't cut, studies every day to keep up with assignments, and doesn't waste time. It lasts one week. After that, the old habits of procrastination are back. A couple of weeks of character-building are about all that most of us can manaage. Now, the second semester is well underway and the pressure is on again.

The enrolment procedure was simplified this term for those of us who tire of getting writer's cramp signing our name over and over again. The old packet with blanks for all sorts of repetitious information has been replaced by a streamlined packet of eight cards. The Registrar's office promises even more simplification with a three-card system for next year. The future looks bright, indeed. The sectioning jam, however, is still with us. The lines were just as long, and the students just as disgruntled after a few hours in the "lineup."

What grades Johnny made last semester, and what courses Jeannie is enrolled in this semester are the topics of current coffee conversation. Even the critical Formosan situation takes a back seat to these issues.

And speaking of world events, it is interesting to observe student reactions to world crises. Most of us are aware of the seriousness of international tension and the complications awaiting each of us when we leave the "ivy-covered walls," but there is a light-hearted attitude toward them just the same.

One freshman girl expressed her view of the Formosan crisis this way: "I hope we don't go to war. If all the boys have to go into service, who will be here for us to date?" Her comment was made with a smile, and I know her concern is deeper than that, but the attitude is typical. We'll worry about it tomorrow.

The graduating seniors receiving commissions seem to think little about the possibility of their being in a foxhole a few months hence. It shouldn't be called superficiality, though. My name for it would be inevitability. There is a time and a place for everything, so they say, and books and football are filling the spot very nicely right now.

The between-semester skiing bug is spreading more each year. A trip to Aspen, Colorado, or one of the other Rocky Mountain winter resort areas for a week of skiing is supposed to be a tonic to shattered nerves. Judging by the number of arms and legs in casts, however, one might think more bones were shattered than nerves calmed. The ever-growing interest in the winter sports is creating a problem for the ski enthusiasts from our prairie states. Perhaps popular demand will someday bring the mountains to Oklahoma.

A new service to students is the introduction of a voluntary health insurance plan sponsored by the Student Senate. Low-cost policies could be purchased during enrolment, insuring against hospitalization, medical expenses, surgical fees and other health costs during the semester. The new plan received more interest than even the Senate had hoped for.

Fifty-nine R.O.T.C. cadets and midshipmen from all three services were commissioned at the mid-year commissioning exercises. After Rear Adm. Wendell G. Switzer had made an address, the 59 had shiny gold bars pinned to their collars by mothers, wives and sweethearts.



Don Atkins, '51bus, and John F. Y. Stambaugh, '36bus, are pictured in the National Bank of Tulsa Building offices which the firm of Frazer and Torbet recently occupied. Stambaugh is a partner and Atkins is an associate in the national firm of Certified Public Accountants.

Miss Patricia Ann Chesnut, '52ed, Miami, and T. Jack Foster, Jr., '51bus, Norman, were married December 4 at Miami. Mrs. Foster's sorority at O.U. was Kappa Kappa Gamma, and Foster was a Phi Delta Theta. The Fosters are making their home in Honolulu, Hawaii, where he is employed by Likens-Foster and Associates of Oklahoma City in their Honolulu offices.

Miss Marilyn Idema, '54bfa, and George Edward Cobb, '51bs, both of Norman, were married December 10. Mrs. Cobb was a member of Chi Omega sorority at O.U., and Cobb was affiliated with Kappa Alpha fraternity. The couple has made their home in Boston, Massachusetts, where he is completing work toward a medical degree at Harvard University.

Miss Rita Montgomery, Shawnee, and Wallace Clark Craig, '51bus, Shawnee, were married in June. Craig was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity at O.U.

BIRTHS: Charles W. Young and Mrs. Young (the former Jane Hunter, '51ba), Anaheim, California, have selected the name Paul Hunter Young for their son born December 10. The Youngs have two other children, Sue Adrienne, 7, and Mary Helen Young, 2.

George W. Price, '51eng, and Mrs. Price, '52ba, Oklahoma City, have selected the name Stephen Vance Price for their son born October 26. They have another son, Wayne, age 4. The Prices live at 1919 N.W. 15, Oklahoma City.

ADDRESS CHANGES: Ray S. Martin, '51bus, 6315 Highschool, Dallas 5, Texas . . . Dr. Nova Linda Galloway, '51med, Cherokee County Health Department, Tahlequah . . . Philip L. Zuranich, '51eng., 1221 W. 13, Casper, Wyoming . . . John A. Ryan, '51m.ed, Jenks, Oklahoma . . . Bill H. Wright, '51pharm, 1808 Harrison, Quincy, Illinois . . . Maryl L. Boyer, '51geol, Box 422, Liberal, Kansas . . . C. J. Walker, '51eng, 1024 S. Jennings, Bartlesville . . . Ima Anita Jones, '51ed. 543 Garfield, San Francisco 27, California.

1952

Lynn White, '52bus, '54Law, Shawnee, is now an assistant county attorney in Pottawatomie County.

J. L. Robertson and Mrs. Robertson (the former Mary Joy Craig, '52ed) are living in Rome, New York, where he is stationed with the Air Force. They have a girl, Nancy Ann, born in October.

Helen Harrod, '52h.ec, Shawnee, is now a Home Service Consultant for Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company.

Hal H. Wolfe, '52ba, Oklahoma City, recently was promoted to first lieutenant while serving with the First Armored Division at Fort Hood, Texas. Lieutenant Wolfe is assistant communications officer in Headquarters Battery of Division Artillery. Wolfe was a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity at O.U.

Robert L. Lattimore, '52ba, Sulphur, entered the Air Force as an officer in September.

Norman S. Davis, '52bs, '53ms, New York, was recently promoted to first lieutenant while serving with the 8th Infantry Division at Fort Carson, Colorado. Davis is assistant chemical officer at division headquarters.

MARRIAGES: Miss Patsy Ruth Bross, '52ed, Seminole, and Richard Gerald Spurlin, El Reno, were married January 16 at El Reno. Mrs. Spurlin was a member of Alpha Chi Omega sorority at O.U. The couple is living in Oklahoma City, where he is attending Oklahoma City University.

Miss Evelyn Marguerite Gimbert, Oceana, Virginia, and Lieut. (j.g.) Donald Fred Drake, '52bs, Edmond, were married November 27. The Drakes are living at Virginia Beach, Virginia. Lieutenant Drake was recently released from active duty with the navy.

Miss Billie Beryl Blue and Lieut. Paul Henry Mindeman, '52bus, '54Law, both of Tulsa, were married in December. Mrs. Mindeman attended Oklahoma A&M College, where she was affiliated with Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority. Lieutenant Mindeman was president of Delta Tau Delta, his fraternity at O.U. He was also a member of Phi Alpha Delta, legal fraternity, and was named a "Big Man on Campus." The couple will make their home at Ogden, Utah, where Lieutenant Mindeman is stationed at Hill Air Force Base.

Miss Helen Pesterfield, '52ba, Pauls Valley, and Wendel A. Scarbrough, Albuquerque, New Mexico, were married in December at Pauls Valley. The couple will establish a home in Albuquerque, where Mr. Scarbrough is teaching.

BIRTHS: Lieut. (j.g.) John P. Weldon, '52bs, and Mrs. Weldon have chosen the name Kathryn Lea Weldon for their daughter born September 5. The Weldons are residing at the Sergeant Jasper Apartments in Charleston, South Carolina, while Lieutenant Weldon is stationed with the navy.

Richard N. Steed, '52Law, and Mrs. Steed, Shawnee, have selected the name Roger Steed for their son born March 10, 1954.

ADDRESS CHANGES: John M. Kalbfleisch, '52ba, 603 Garfield, Lawton . . . Mrs. June Mitschrich Cooper, '52ba, 1050½ Parkway Drive, Columbus, Ohio . . . Norma T. Rich, '52ba, 360 Race Street, Madisonville, Kentucky . . . Walter Lee Thayer, '52bus, 302 North Spruce Street, Wichita, Kansas . . . Mrs. Elizabeth Bondurant Land, '52h.ec, Apartado 246, Caracas, Venezuela.

1953

Victor Searle, '53bfa, formerly conductor of an all-Japanese 50-piece symphony orchestra and a 100-voice chorus, has taken a position teaching music at a high school in Sendai, Japan. Searle performed before approximately 12,000 Japanese people during his tenure as symphony conductor.

Bill S. Sullins, '53journ, Lawton Morning Press sports editor, has resigned to become sports editor of the Duncan Banner.

Theodore F. Parker, Jr., '53journ, Altus, is serving as a personnel clerk with the Second Armored Division's 94th Armored Anti-Aircraft Battalion in Germany. Parker has been in Germany since November.

Richard C. Gray, '53pharm, Purcell, recently was promoted to first lieutenant while serving with the First Armored Division at Fort Hood, Texas. Lieutenant Gray is operations officer with the 123rd Medical Battalion.

Joe L. Krapf, '53pharm, Purcell, recently was promoted to first lieutenant at Fort Hood, Texas, where he is serving with the First Armored Division. Lieutenant Krapf is a platoon leader in the 123rd Maintenance Battalion's Headquarters Company.

J. V. Arcilesi, '53bfa, was released from active duty with the Army December 23, and is presently engaged in a concentrated study of drawing and painting at the Art Institute of Chicago.

Second Lieut. Preston P. Briggs, Jr., '53bs, Bartlesville, is serving with the 71st Infantry Division at Fort Lewis, Washington.

Second Lieut. Thomas T. Randell, '53bus, Amarillo, Texas, is now serving with Battery C of the 57th Field Artillery Battalion. 7th Infantry Division, in Korea. Lieutenant Randall was a member of Phi Delta Theta fraternity at O.U.

Marilyn Dean Huntress, '53ed, Oklahoma City, has completed her training as an American Airlines stewardess and has been assigned to flight duty aboard American's Flagships operating out of Buffalo, New York. Miss Huntress was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority at O.U.

George Lindsay Peters, '53, is practicing law with the firm of Miller and Peters in Shawnee.

MARRIAGES: Mary Ellen McDaniel and Lieut. (j.g.) Richard Donald Thoes, '53bus, both of Norman, were married January 14. Mrs. Thoes' soro-

rity was Alpha Phi, and Lieutenant Thoes was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity at O.U. The couple is making their home in Yorktown, Virginia, where Lieutenant Thoes is attending a mine warfare staff officers school.

Miss Patricia Lou Pitzer and Jack David Shirlev, '53bs, both of Oklahoma City, were married December 27. The couple is living in Oklahoma City, where he is a junior at the O.U. School of Medicine.

Miss Margery Anna Rubin, '53ed, and Albert A. Wolf, both of Pueblo, Colorado, were married December 26 at Fairland. The couple is living at 425 West 12th Street, Pueblo, Colorado.

Miss Dorothy Mae Delaplain, '53ed, Harden City, and the Rev. Roberto Escamilla, Monterrey, Mexico, were married December 24 at Fittstown. The couple is living in Dallas, where Escamilla is attending Perkins School of Theology of Southern Methodist University.

Miss Marydella Millsap, Henryetta, and Joseph Estes House, '53m.ed, St. Louis, Missouri, were married December 27. The Houses are living in St. Louis, where he is a high school chemistry in-

Miss Anne Warren, '53eng, Shreveport, Louisiana, and Bill Rollin Hise, '52eng, '54ms, Abilene, Texas, were married December 3 in Shreveport. The couple are living at Odessa, Texas, where Mr. Hise is employed as an engineer by the Shell Oil Company.

BIRTHS: Carroll F. Pope, '53Law, and Mrs. Pope, Wichita, Kansas, have chosen the name Margaret Ann Pope for their daughter born No-

Richard B. Martin, '53bs, and Mrs. Martin, Jackson, Mississippi, have chosen the name Richard Wright Martin for their son born January 9.

Lieut. Kenneth E. Endicott, '53bfa, and Mrs. Endicott, Lawton, have selected the name Sheryl Lyn Endicott for their daughter born December 15. Lieutenant Endicott is assigned to the Training Aids Section, the Artillery School, Fort Sill, Oklahoma.

Lieut. Albert Lyman Welsh II, '53journ, and Mrs. Welsh (the former Carol Holderby, '53ed), San Antonio, have chosen the name David Francis Welsh for their son born December 19, in Oklahoma City. Lieut. Welsh is stationed at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas.

DEATHS: Lieut. (j.g.) Peter W. Bascom, '53eng, Washington, D. C., was killed January 11 in the aerial collision of two jet training planes at Kingsville, Texas, Bascom was married only three weeks before his death to the former Martha Virginia Hamner, Norman, an O.U. senior. Lieutenant Bascom was a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity at the University.

ADDRESS CHANGES: Richard B. Martin, '53bs, 1927 Willo'wisp Lane, Jackson, Mississippi . . . Warren Keeling Jordan, 53journ, Quartermaster School, Box 487, Fort Lee, Virginia . . . B. F. Troutman, '53bus, 159 Kender, San Antonio, Texas . . . York Barrett Wilson, Jr., '53mus.ed, 1741 S.W. 19, Oklahoma City . . . Irvin Lee Brooks, '53ms, 49th Fighter-Bomber Wing, APO 919 c/o Postmaster, San Francisco, California.

1954

Three O.U. graduates who were commissioned my the Air Force have completed basic pilot training at Malden air base, Missouri, and are moving on to advanced training. Second Lieut. Charles Blankenship, '54bs, Wewoka, has been transferred to Laredo Air Force Base, Texas, for training in single-engine aircraft. Lieuts. Jerry Hildebrand, '54ed, Alfalfa, and Everett J. Dewees, Jr., '54bs, are at Goodfellow Air Force Base at San Angelo, Texas, for multiple-engine training.



James Batchelor, '28ba, '29Law, Durant attorney, Mrs. Virginia Harral Batchelor, '27, and Ralph B. Hodges, '54Law, were photographed recently in Batchelor's law offices during a visit from Guy Brown, '42ba, '48ma, assistant executive secretary of the Alumni Association.

Phil Symcox, '54bus, has been promoted to the position of Assistant Cashier at City National Bank of Norman. Symcox was a member of Kappa Alpha fraternity at O.U.

Second Lieut. Robert Lester Slagle, '54bus, Oklahoma City, has been transferred to Fort Bragg, North Carolina, after completing an officer training course at Fort Benning, Georgia.

Robert A. Hentzen, '54journ, entered the Army January 24, for a two-year tour of duty at Fort Bliss, Texas. Hentzen had been employed by The Daily Oklahoman in Oklahoma City as a sportswriter.

Edward Haley, '54bus, has been graduated from the Officers Basic Course at the Marine Corps School, Quantico, Virginia. Haley is now taking an additional training course before going to Camp Lejeune, North Carolina, and then to Viegas in the Virgin Islands. Haley was a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity at O.U.

Lieut, Troy K. Keller, '54bus, Norman, has been assigned to the 7th Field Artillery Battalion, 1st Infantry Division, in Germany. His wife, Donna, is living in Norman.

George B. Lewis, '54arch, is now employed by the Robberson Steel Company in Oklahoma City.

Mary Carolyn Blanton, '54h.ec, has won her wings as an American Airlines stewardess, having completed her four-week course of instruction at the company's training center in Chicago. She has been assigned to flight duty aboard American's Flagships operating out of Buffalo, New York. At O.U. Miss Blanton was a Sooner Yearbook beauty, R.O.T.C. Honorary Cadet Colonel, and a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority.

Wyman F. Ewing, '54bs, Purcell, is in his freshman year in the St. Louis University School of Medicine, St. Louis, Missouri.

MARRIAGES: Miss Shirley Jean Cahill and Lieut. Alvin R. Powell, Jr., '54bus, both of Guthrie, were married in September. Mrs. Powell was a member of Chi Omega sorority at O.U., and Lieutenant Powell was affiliated with Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. He is stationed at Lowry Air Force Base, Denver.

Miss Meredith Jeary, '54h.ec, Oklahoma City, and Lieut. Edward James Bell III, Washington, D. C., were married December 13 in Oklahoma

Miss Bobbie Lee Mindell, '54ba, St. Joseph, Missouri, and William Daniel Sachs, Ada, were mar-

ried in January in Wichita, Kansas. Mrs. Sachs was a member of Sigma Delta Tau sorority, and Sachs is a member of Pi Lambda Phi fraternity at O.U., where he is a junior. The couple is living at 10131/2 Pickard, Norman.

Miss Claire Reva Gruber, Memphis, Tennessee, and Alvin Louis Levine, '54eng, Oklahoma City, were married November 7. Mrs. Levine was a member of Sigma Delta Tau at the University. The Levines are living at 2541 South Harvard in Tulsa.

Miss Sally Jo Morse, Calvin, and Lieut. Jerry James Wass, '54eng, Oklahoma City, were married December 18 at Calvin. Lieutenant Wass was a member of Kappa Alpha social fraternity and Sigma Tau engineering fraternity at O.U. couple will make their home at Fort Hood, Texas, where he is stationed with the Army.

Miss Kathryn Whitehurst, '54ba, Ponca City, and William Lane Douglas, Oklahoma City, were married December 19 in Ponca City. The couple has made their home in Oklahoma City where he is a law student at Oklahoma City University. Mrs. Douglas is a teacher of the deaf at Speech and Hearing Clinic at University Hosiptal. She was a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority at O.U., and he was affiliated with Sibma Alpha Epsilon fraternity.

Miss Marjorie Rose Peterson, Ponca City, and Lewis Groves Mosburg, Jr., '54ba, Tulsa, were married December 26 in Ponca City. The couple has made their home in Norman, where both are students at O.U. Mrs. Mosburg is a past president of Alpha Chi Omega sorority, president of Mortar Board, and a member of Phi Beta Kappa. Mr. Mosburg, a law student, is a member of Sigma Chi fraternity, Pe-et, and Phi Beta Kappa.

Miss Linda Delaplain, '54h.ec, Harden City, and Alva Ray Stephens, '54ba, Elmer, were married November 28. Mrs. Stephens is continuing her studies at O.U., while Mr. Stephens is attending an army chemical school at Fort McClellan, Alabama.

Miss Jane Jo Wyatt, '54bfa, and Lieut. Charles Michael Fullerton, '54bs, both of Oklahoma City, were married December 27. Lieutenant Fullerton, a member of Alpha Tau Omega fraternity and Scabbard and Blade, was named a distinguished military student at O.U. The couple is residing near White Sands, New Mexico, where Lieutenant Fullerton is stationed.

Miss Barbara Lee Fruit and Jack Hughes Coleman, '54bus, both of Oklahoma City, were married December 27. Mrs. Coleman served her sorority, Delta Delta Delta, as president and was a BWOC at O.U. Coleman, a law student at the University, was president of Phi Delta Theta fraternity and is a member of Phi Alpha Delta honorary legal fraternity.

Miss Carolyn Sue Lamirand, '54ba, Norman, and James E. Carter, Durham, North Carolina, were married December 17 at Norman. The couple will make their home in Norman where both are employed at Central State Hospital.

ADDRESS CHANGES: Don C. Wood, '54eng, 2906 McKee, Fort Wayne 5, Indiana . . . Lieut. Clay Benton Bartrug, Jr., '54bus, 4305th ASU, Texas Military District Headquarters, Austin 14, Texas . . . Robert K. Overstreet, '54arch, 11022 Third Avenue, N.E., Seattle, Washington . . . Jon R. Withrow, '54eng, Box 75, Florey, Texas . . . Alfred Harting, '54eng, Box 507, Ulysses, Kansas . . . Lieut. L. B. Thompson, Jr., '54bus, 118 West 7th Avenue, Apt. 4, Cheyenne, Wyoming.

Conquests in Peru . . .

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Since I had climbed Pisco in 1952, the East Peak now attracted my interest. On the next day the other six started out for Pisco while Georgia and I tried the East Peak. Trying the spur which leads to the north ridge, we ran into difficulty almost immediately with the snow and ice plastered rock. After some difficult climbing, we topped the steep portion of the spur. But by now it was too late—to continue meant a bivouac for which neither of us was very eager. So we roped off the ridge and were soon back at camp. The others had already returned from Pisco.

At Base Camp two days were consumed in pre-packaging food and sorting equipment for the attempt on Chopicalqui. In 1932 the Austrians made the first and only ascent of this peak, at 20,997 feet the fifth highest in Peru, by the west ridge. He hoped to be able to repeat this climb. Our plan was to establish two camps on the way to a high camp at an 18,600 feet col from which we could reach the summit in one day.

We may have set a record that day in that all eight of us reached the 21,000 feet summit. When the mists temporarily cleared we could see nearly the entire range from Huantsan to the south to Nevado Santa Cruz to the north. In a jubilant mood we descended.

Now we had only two objectives left in the Yanganuco: the Huandoy group and the incredible Chacraraju. It was not clear in what direction our efforts should be directed inasmuch as we had not seen anything that looked much like a route on either peak. After some serious discussion the next day it was decided to split up into two groups and reconnoiter both possibilities. I was in the group that was to investigate the possibilities of Huandoy. Our unanimous decision was that there was no even moderately safe route due to avalanche danger.

We arrived back at Base Camp a day earlier than the Chacraraju reconnaissance party. The next afternoon we learned that they had even less luck than we. They found no feasible route. Chacraraju comes uncomfortably close to the "unclimbable" class. Gloom surrounded our discussions at the campfire that night. John Oberlin's vacation time had run out and he started his return trip to the U. S. the next day.

More in desperation than anything else, George, Graham, Georgia, and I decided to have at least a look at the left hand side of the east approach to the Huandoy saddle. On July 21, we left for Advance Base with our porters.

Early in the afternoon of the 27th, after some hard climbing and excellent teamwork, the saddle was reached without incident. Following a lengthy breakfast the next morning, we peered out of our tents—there was the everpresent wind together with cloud and light snow. The other two decided to wait another day before trying the peaks.

However, not wanting to waste the day, I thought I would go up and finish kicking steps to the high col in preparation for the climb the next day. As I neared the col, the snow became even worse than before, being a breakable crust with knee-deep powder beneath. Before too long I was on the col looking down 6,600 feet to the beautiful Lake Parron. Looking up at the West Peak (20,856 feet) I could see that it was a straightforward matter of chopping steps up a steep snow face. The thought then occurred to me to kick and chop steps toward the summit until I tired, thus making things easier for the next day. Somewhat to my surprise a couple of hours later, I found myself at the summit. It was almost a mathematical point of snow with a fearsome view down the sheer north face. The descent was made without difficulty.

Up the next morning at 9:30 a.m., we were astonished to see Fred, Cres, and Georgia arriving from below. They had decided to join us and climb the north peak in one day, one long day. It was quite

a feat—they climbed from 18,000 feet to 21,000 and back in one day over a very difficult route.

The next day when it became clear that no agreement could be reached as to the proper route on the south peak Dick and I descended to the 18,000-foot camp. Graham wanted to stay another day to make the third ascent of the West Peak. Late the next afternoon he joined us. By now we had all been at this camp so long we were beginning to get shell-shocked. If someone rustled a sleeping bag, the cry of "Avalanche!" would be heard and three people would try to get out of the tent door simultaneously.

We were grateful to get back to base camp the next night. The ascent of the two peaks of Huandoy completed our objectives in the Yanganuco so we sent two porters down to Yungay to get burros to bring all our food and equipment out of the mountains.

On the night of August 5 we were all back in civilization after 48 days in the Andes. We still wanted to try the two peaks of Huascaran. Although both had been climbed three times, they were still worthwhile objectives.

On August 8 the seven of us and our porters carried loads to establish the next camp which would be halfway to the great saddle between the two peaks of Huascaran.

At about this point things began to get complicated. A party of Peruvian climbers joined us and set up their camp about 100 yards from ours. This was the same group that had climbed the South Peak in 1953, using the route found by Mexicans. On descent the Mexicans had left a fixed rope over a particularly difficult ice wall and it was this that allowed the Peruvians to make the ascent four days after the Mexicans. They were opportunists of the first order.

Clearly they hoped to do the same again, only this time they were interested in the North Peak. They figured to follow our route, if we found one, and benefit from our steps and fixed ropes. Late in the morning of the 10th, three of us left, followed by the Peruvians. After some excellent ice work by George, we reached a point only a few hundred feet below the saddle. It was high enough to see that there were no further difficulties.

We pushed upwards the next day. After spending several hours in a zig-zag route in the first 1,000 feet above the saddle, we finally broke out on the broad slope leading to the summit. We were now beginning to feel the effects of the altitude. The breakable crust was exasperating. The slope seemed interminable. When I meas-