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## ROLL CALL of alumni newsmakers

### *Conversation Piece*

Much of the progress of the businesses and professions of Oklahoma and surrounding states depends on the calibre of the graduates of the colleges and universities. This month's question, *Do you feel that O.U. is producing the type graduate needed in your field?* was asked of five Sooners who are in a position to know. Their answers, taken from taped telephone interviews, appear on the following pages of the Roll Call section.

## Roll Call:

# news events in the lives of Sooner alumni

### 1908-23

Dr. P. L. Hays, '14med, retired superintendent of Eastern State Hospital, Vinita, has established a private practice of psychiatry in Vinita. Dr. Hays, who retired in September, joined Eastern State Hospital in 1915 as assistant medical superintendent and became superintendent in 1955.

Paul Campbell, '21ba, '25ma, and Mrs. Campbell (Alma Douthit, '20) are living in Gaffney, South Carolina, where Campbell is teaching history at Limestone College. Mrs. Campbell has recently retired after 17 years with the Michigan social welfare service.

R. W. "Chuck" Dozier, '21ba, and R. William Dozier, Jr., '53Law, recently announced the formation of the Dozier Company, Oklahoma City. They specialize in life insurance audits, analysis of estate plans, business life insurance and pension and profit sharing plans.

Dr. W. O. Armstrong, '22bs, '24med, Ponca City, retired September 30 as medical director for Continental Oil Company. Dr. Armstrong, organizer and developer of Continental's medical program, had been Conoco medical director for 32 years. He is presently engaged in private practice at Ponca City.

DEATHS: William Leach, '08ba, '15ma, a retired Oklahoma educator, died November 10 in Norman Municipal Hospital. Leach had taught in Willow View School near Lexington, and served as principal in several Norman and Oklahoma City schools. He was one of the founders of the church school at St. Mark's Church for the children of Washington School and South Town, Oklahoma City. Survivors include three sisters, Elsie and

Naomi Leach of the home, and Mrs. James B. Whister, McAllen, Texas, and a brother, Garfield Leach, Norman.

Bradley F. Thompson, '23eng, industrial sales supervisor for Public Service Company, Tulsa, died September 20 in Mobile, Alabama. Thompson had been with the Public Service Company since 1924. He was president of the Petroleum Electric Power Association and an officer in the petroleum section of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. Surviving are his wife, May, a daughter, Mrs. Jack Rader, and a brother, Roy Thompson, both of Oklahoma City, and his parents, Tulsa.

### 1924-28

Harold S. Cooksey, '24ba, Norman, was the principal speaker at the autumn meeting of the Oklahoma Outdoor Writers Association in Wilburton. Cooksey was chosen by the *Oklahoman* and *Times* as the 1961 Outdoorsman of the Year. He is a member of the Oklahoma Wildlife Conservation Commission.

Herbert F. Beardmore, '25eng, vice president of Gulf Oil Corporation, Houston, has been elected the 1962 vice president of the American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical, and Petroleum Engineers. He will take office February 20 during the 91st annual meeting of the Institute to be held in New York City.

A. L. Solliday, '25geol, Tulsa, president of Pan American Petroleum Corporation, was one of two to receive the Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association's Distinguished Service Award for 1961. This is one of the petroleum industry's top awards and is presented annually to an independent pro-

ducer and a major company executive in recognition of services to the oil and gas industry over the years.

John Embry, '27Law, has recently joined the firm of Miskovsky and Sullivan in the general practice of law in Oklahoma City. Embry was engaged in the practice of law in the State of Oklahoma from 1927 to 1940 and served as county attorney of Lincoln County and city attorney of Chandler. In 1940 he entered the Army and retired as a colonel in August, 1960.

DEATH: Heston Leroy Singletary, '28, independent Tulsa oil operator, died September 11 in a Tulsa hospital. Singletary was active in both the quarterback clubs of the University of Oklahoma and University of Tulsa, having played college football at O.C.U. and O.U. Survivors include his wife, Margaret, two sons and three daughters.

### 1929-31

Howard F. Van Zandt, '29bus, '37ma, with the International Standard Electric Corporation, Tokyo, Japan, was listed in the 12th edition of *World Who's Who in Commerce and Industry*.

Charlotte Meeting Phillips, '30ba, has become editor-in-chief for International Teaching Systems, a teaching machine-programmed learning company in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Fred M. Mock, '31Law, was the general chairman of the seventh reunion of the 1931 O.U. law class October 20 in Oklahoma City. This year the class was observing its 30th anniversary.

Gordon Richards, '31pharm, has been appointed to the state highway commission by Governor Edmondson. Richards, Shawnee drug store owner, resigned as president of the state board of pharmacy to accept the position. He had been a member of that board for 12 years.

### 1933-37

A. N. Griffith, '33eng, left November 1 for Tunisia, where he is manager for the Drilling and Exploration Company.

Jack Miskell, '33ed, '49m.ed, with the Department of Commerce in Washington, D. C., recently visited Oklahoma City when his brother, Bill Miskell, was guest soloist for an Oklahoma City symphony concert. Jack Miskell is also secretary of the Washington, D. C., Alumni Club.

Harry Peeler, '34m.ed, teacher at Pelham High School, Pelham, New York, recently attended a "Regional Conference on Instruction" in Washington, D. C. The conference was called by the National Education Association and considered all aspects of the problems relating to upgrading the quality of instruction in schools from elementary through the college level. Peeler, who also has been on the staff of the Harvard University summer school program for "Training Master Teachers" came to Pelham High School in 1938.

Carl E. Cloud, '35bs, has resigned his position as president of the MidSouth Gas Company to become president of Michigan Gas Company, with general headquarters in Monroe, Michigan. Cloud is married to the former Ruth Cooper, '33ed.

Dr. W. Wynn York, '36fa, has been named professor of music at Southern Connecticut State College. He was formerly associate professor of music at Northern Montana College, Havre. Besides being an educator, he is also a composer and conductor. His latest completed work is a ballet.

## Conversation Piece

Do you feel that O.U. is producing the type graduate needed in your field?

EARL H. HOLDEN, '39bus  
vice president  
Republic National Bank of Dallas



HOLDEN—My answer would be in the affirmative based upon the last two years. We have taken three recent graduates from O.U. to come with us here in our training program. The results with them have been exceedingly gratifying. They have all turned out to be, so far, very high calibre young men. I'm a little bit more removed from the situation than most of the people there nearer the school, and that is the only direct contact I've had with any of these recent graduates within the last seven or eight years. But from talking with the three that we have taken on in the last two years, the progress that they've made, the attitude that they have, the background that they've reflected, we've been extremely satisfied with them . . . These three men [are] in two training classes which total 19 and represent six or seven schools all together. All of the others were Southwest Conference school [graduates] except for one—there was a boy from Kansas . . . The three from Oklahoma are better than average . . . at the top of this group of 19. Now that just may be an unusual circumstance, I don't know, but for that reason we have been very well pleased with them. They were all business majors.

"Chrysis," based on Pierre Louys' "Aphrodite."

Dan R. Dunnett, '37eng, native of Tulsa, has been named state oil and gas conservation director. Dunnett, formerly assistant director, has been a member of the corporation commission's conservation department staff since 1946.

J. Pat Henry, '37pharm, has resigned as general sales manager for Southwestern Drug Corporation, Dallas, Texas, to become general manager of Modern Packagings of Dallas.

DEATH: Mrs. Jewel C. Chapman, '37, retired Oklahoma City school administrator, died October 26 in Deaconess Hospital, Oklahoma City. Mrs. Chapman had spent 38 years in the teaching profession. At the time of her retirement in 1947 she was principal of Hawthorne Elementary School, a post she had held for 13 years. She is past president of Kappa Kappa Iota, professional education fraternity, and of the Oklahoma City Council of School Administrators. She received her bachelor's degree from Oklahoma City University and had worked on her master's degree at O.U.

#### 1938-40

David P. Johnson, '38ma, editor and publisher of the *Nowata Daily Star* since 1946, has purchased an interest in the *Grant County Journal*, an afternoon paper published in Ephrata, Washington. He will be editor and publisher. He also owns an interest in a newspaper at Shafter, California.

Jack U. LaMonte, '38, has completed eight years as executive vice president and manager of Mistletoe Express. LaMonte, who joined the company in 1939 as a loader on a night dock, became assistant manager in 1952 and manager in 1953.

W. W. Littlefield, '38-'39, will head the newly-formed Arlington, Texas, district for Air Reduction Sales Company, a division of Air Reduction Company, a major producer and supplier of industrial gases and welding products. The new district is a consolidation of two former districts covering northwest Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and part of Arizona.

Jack B. Eley, '40geol, has been promoted to vice president of the land and geological department of the Oklahoma Natural Gas Company. He was formerly superintendent.

C. C. Ingram, '40eng, has been promoted to executive vice president of the Oklahoma Natural Gas Company. He was formerly vice president of Oklahoma Natural's land and geological department.

MARRIAGE: Estelle Blonar, St. Joseph, Missouri, and Felix B. Gordon, '38eng, Oklahoma City, were married September 17 in Dallas, Texas. The couple now resides in Dallas.

DEATH: Newell J. Barefoot, '37-'39, Purcell, was killed October 11 in an automobile accident in Oklahoma City.

#### 1941-42

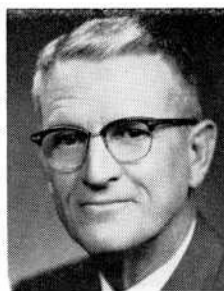
Robert E. Lee, '41bus, vice president and trust officer of the First National Bank and Trust Company, Oklahoma City, spoke to the O.U. law school October 13 as part of a lecture series sponsored by the O.U. Student Bar Association. His address was titled "The World Is Your Oyster." Lee is married to the former Jane Strother, '42ba.

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### Conversation Piece

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ate needed in your field?



GILBERT L. ROBINSON, '28ba, '38ma  
director of personnel  
Oklahoma City school system

ROBINSON—I attended summer sessions continuously from '26 to '31 and received a bachelor's and a master's degree in history and also . . . took some education courses and observed the people who were majoring in education in those days. Of course, they were turning out a good product then, but as I see it today, the product is so superior to what we turned out 20 and 30 years ago down there that there isn't any comparison . . . I interview each year, conservatively, no fewer than 2,000 new people, and we employ about 300 of them. We talk to some very bright young and middle aged people who apply here from all parts of the country, and it's my firm belief that we're doing as good a job, not only at O.U. but also at other schools in this state, as you'll find in any other state in the union. I'm not posing as an expert, please remember that. I have just had a good deal of experience in this field in the last 10½ years, and I've been in this school game for 35 years . . . The thing that pleases me is this: I see many young people now who have a pretty good cultural background. They're not just steeped in the academic fields, but they have broad interests in the arts and things of that sort, and you can sense that they come from the kind of home backgrounds that [produce the kind of person] we'd like to entrust our youngsters to. It's true at O.U., and it's true at a lot of the other schools in the state too . . . Oh, naturally, I'd like to see a time come when all of our schools could be a little more selective than they are at the present time and thus raise the quality of the enrollees in the school of education. I'm not implying that the quality is low now, but I think it could be upgraded. Of course I'm awfully glad that they didn't have such restrictions in the days they let me get into public education.

William R. Scott, '40-'41, author of the best-seller, *Onionhead*, recently completed another novel, *The Long Summer of George Adams*. Scott, who writes under the pen name of Weldon Hill, now lives in Ventura, California.

Lt. Col. Willis F. Gausman, '42bus, Oklahoma City, is attending the Army War College at Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania. Colonel Gausman entered the Army in 1942.

M. Stanley Lee, '42, native of Clinton, has been promoted to executive vice-president of Lee Way Motor Freight, Incorporated, Oklahoma City.

Lamar McLennan, '42geol, has been appointed assistant manager of the domestic producing department, Houston division, of Texaco Incorporated. Since 1959 he has been assistant chief geologist for Texaco. His wife is the former Zetta Brown, '37ba.

DEATH: Eugene Reeves, Sr., '41bs, died November 9 in Kansas City, Missouri. He was chief chemist and bacteriologist for the Kansas City water department. Reeves formerly worked for the

U. S. Public Health Service and the Clay County health department. His family includes his wife, Wanda, two daughters, Patricia and Connie, and two sons, Eugene, Jr., and Donnie.

#### 1944-47

Dr. C. B. Dawson, '44med, is associate editor of Oklahoma State Medical Journal which took the sweepstakes award in competition with the journals of the 50 states at an American Medical Association judging session in Chicago.

Guy Nelson Keith, '44eng, has been named manager of the Water Development Foundation of Oklahoma, Incorporated. Formerly, he was vice president of Treat Engineering Company, Oklahoma City, and for the past two years associate professor of civil engineering at O.U.

Robert B. Oesch, '46eng, an engineer for Henderson Clay Products, Incorporated, Henderson, Texas, for five years, is the author of an article which appeared in the December, 1961, American Ceramic Society Bulletin. It was entitled "Blend-

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## Conversation Piece

Do you feel that O.U. is producing the type graduate needed in your field?

MRS. INEZ PRICE, '24ed, '52soc.wk  
district child welfare supervisor  
Norman



MRS. PRICE—The School of Social Work is comparatively young among the professional schools on the campus, so the school itself really hasn't had the history that a lot of other schools [have had]. But I feel definitely that the graduates of the School of Social Work have been very important to the State of Oklahoma, because we do need graduates and trained personnel in the profession so much. To have this school available to people here in the state is very important; it enables many people to get training in social work while it would be impossible for them if they had to go to New York City or Chicago or some place farther away. I feel that the school here is very good and compares very favorably with the schools that are much older . . . I got all my training and my master's degree on the O.U. campus, and someone might say that I'm not in a position to say, but in my professional work I have met graduates of all schools in the United States, and I think our graduates compare very favorably. From what I hear about other schools, I think the standards here are good . . . The opportunities in Oklahoma [for practical experience] are very good. The students in the O.U. school can work with Central State Hospital and the medical school in Oklahoma City and the department of public welfare . . . The school is small in number, which gives the faculty an opportunity to know every student individually, and I think he does get individual help that he might not have in a larger school where the enrolment was larger or in a large city where the different fields were not so definitely defined as they are here in Oklahoma . . . When you have your field work in a setting where you are going to work as a professional person, this is an advantage . . . I think it would be beneficial if we could have more trained personnel to supervise in all areas . . . It would make more field work placements possible for the students . . . that would help the school. But of course . . . it doesn't help much to say we ought to have this and we ought to have that when everything you suggest just takes more money.

ing of Materials for Structural Clay Products by Continuous Weighing." The American Ceramic Society is the ceramic industry's technical association.

Mrs. Celia Mae Bryant, '47fa, '48m.fa, O.U. associate professor of music, was featured with her piano workshop at the northwest district convention of the Oklahoma Music Teachers' Association held at Southwestern State College, Weatherford.

Sidney P. Upsher, '47ba, '48Law, former general counsel for Lee Way Motor Freight, Incorporated, has been named vice-president of the Oklahoma City firm. He has been associated with Lee Way since 1952.

### 1948-49

LeRoy E. Erwin, '48eng, '54ms, a project design engineer for General Dynamics, Fort Worth, Texas, has been working for the past eight years on the environmental control system for the Air Force's B-58 Hustler. Erwin has a daughter who is a freshman at O.U. He is vice-chairman of the west Texas section of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers. He is also a member of the Fort Worth O.U. Alumni Club.

Jack Black, '49geol, president of the Oklahoma Consumer Finance Association and manager of

Black Finance in Norman, recently attended the 47th National Convention of the National Consumer Finance Association, New York City. The more than 1,000 representatives to the convention were executives of state-regulated consumer finance companies.

B. Lee Boyce, '49eng, Vestal, New York, was recently promoted to manager, diagnostic programming, at the International Business Machines Corporation, general products division, in Endicott, New York.

Jim Ed Douglas, '49Law, attorney with the state planning and resources board of Oklahoma, spoke October 6 at the Town Talk Forum of the Oklahoma City Northeast Fourth Street YMCA. The forum is open to citizens interested in knowing what part they can take in making governmental agencies function better.

Carl Douglass, '49ms, '52ph.d, is assistant chief of the training branch of extramural programs with the National Institute of Arthritis and Metabolic Disease of the Public Health Service at the Department of Health, Education & Welfare, in Bethesda, Maryland.

Mrs. Kenneth McCall, '49pharm, is the owner of a new drugstore, the Star Discount Pharmacy, Norman. Mrs. McCall, a registered pharmacist,

previously had headed the pharmacy department of an Oklahoma City firm.

John R. Puckett, '49journ, has been promoted to news editor of the *Dallas Morning News*. He joined their staff in 1951.

### 1950-51

Col. E. G. Schoggen, '50ba, senior Air Force advisor to the Oklahoma Air National Guard, has been awarded the Air Force Commendation Medal in recognition of service as base commander, Little Rock Air Force Base, Arkansas. Colonel Schoggen served as base commander at Little Rock from September, 1959, to April, 1961.

Billy G. Wells, '50pharm, has been named pharmacy officer for Indian health in the Oklahoma City area. He is a former assistant area officer at Phoenix, Arizona. Wells joined the U. S. Public Health Service in 1956 at the Indian hospital in Lawton. His home is now in Del City.

Virginia Anderson, '51fa, '56m.ed, a music teacher in the Tulsa schools, recently appeared in Tulsa Opera's production of "Rigoletto." Miss Anderson received a grant in 1960 to study in Florence, Italy, and another to study with Carlos Moresco, director of "Rigoletto" and four preceding Tulsa Opera productions.

Daniel W. Fox, '51ms, '53ph.d, is manager of product development, chemical development operation, for the General Electric Company in Pittsfield, Massachusetts.

John R. Willoughby, '51journ, is now owner of the public relations and advertising firm, Willoughby and Associates, Houston, Texas. Before organizing his company a year ago, Willoughby was director of public relations for the Ritchie Advertising Agency.

BIRTH: Robert E. Lee, '50ba, '52Law, and Mrs. Lee have announced the birth of a son, Charles Champlain, on October 19 in Oklahoma City. They have an older son, Robert E. II.

DEATH: V. Conley Higdon, '50journ, died November 26 in a Manhattan, New York, hospital. He was editor of Shell Oil Company publications in New York. He joined the company in 1954 as editor of the Shell magazine *Rocky Mountain Echo*. Survivors are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Higdon, Walters, and a brother, Thomas, of Los Angeles, California.

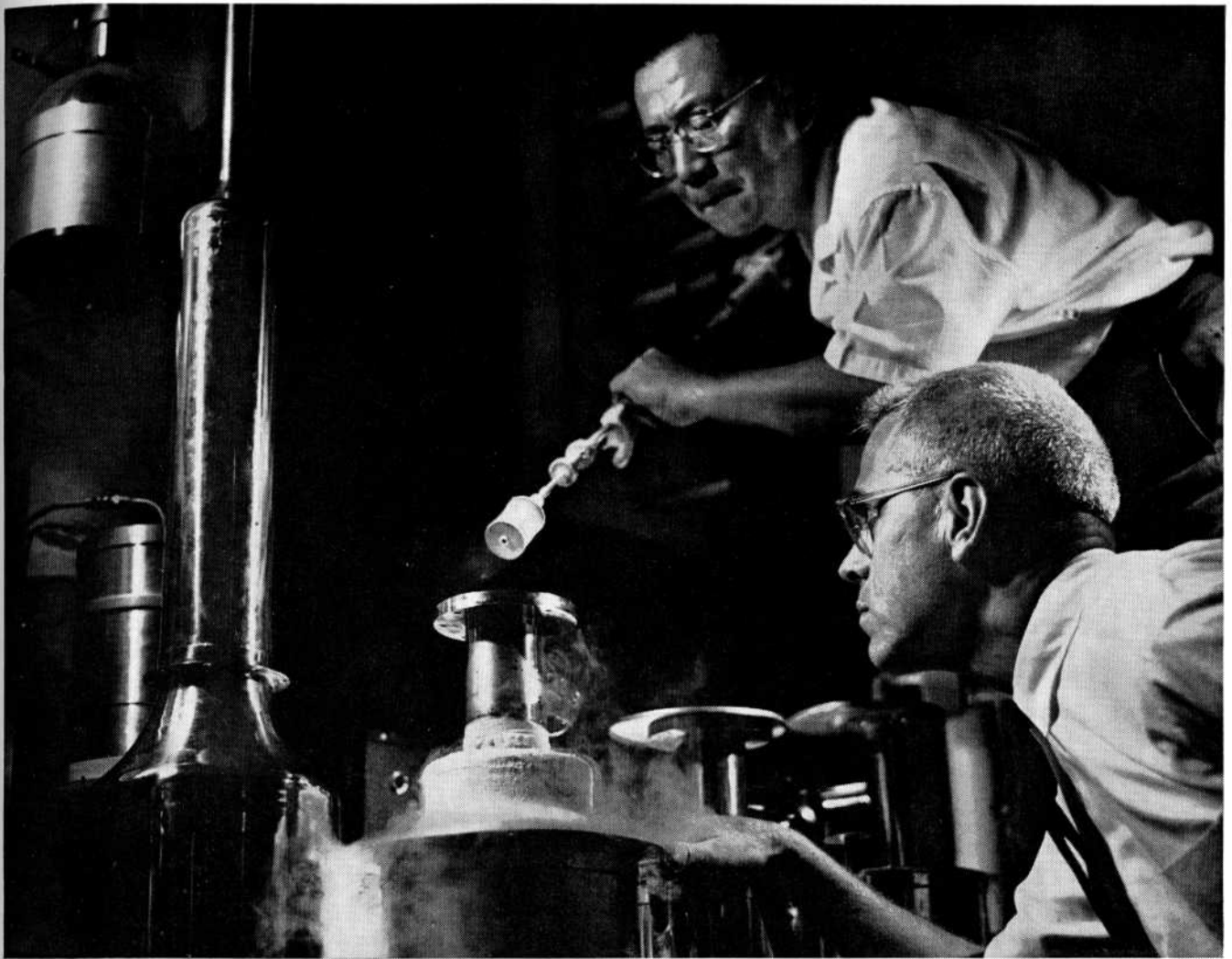
### 1952-53

Capt. Richard D. Green, '53bus, is assistant professor of military science at Iowa State University, Ames. Captain Green entered the Army in 1953 and was last stationed at Fort Sill.

MARRIAGES: Morton Y. Loar, '52eng, '61Law, and Mrs. Loar (Sue Dutton, '53ed) have established

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**The Making of a Magnet.** Bell scientists test new superconducting magnet. It's the small cylindrical object being removed from helium bath at 450° F below zero.

## **DISCOVERY!**

### *NEW SUPERCONDUCTING MAGNET CREATED BY BELL SYSTEM RESEARCH*

A new way to make electromagnets that are far more powerful for their size than any ever known before has been discovered by Bell Telephone Laboratories.

The future possibilities are exciting: for satellite communications, research work of many kinds, thermonuclear power, and uses and devices still to be created.

Just as with the transistor and Bell solar battery, also invented at Bell Laboratories, the eventual significance of the new electromagnet is hard to grasp in the early stages.

Here's how it works: At temperatures near absolute zero, certain

kinds of wire (suited for electromagnets) become superconducting—that is, they offer no resistance to electric current. This is fine, and cuts down on power needs. The trouble is, a strong magnet itself destroys superconductivity.

Bell scientists, however, discovered a new superconducting wire compound of niobium and tin, and then found it would remain superconducting at low temperatures, even in strong magnetic fields. This will permit future magnets operating at low cost and using a fraction of the space taken by conventional electromagnets.

The Bell System is advancing scientific progress by publishing its findings and sharing its knowledge of superconducting materials with others. This is in accordance with our established policy on a wide variety of inventions and product designs.

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a home in Oklahoma City following their recent marriage. Mrs. Loar is teaching a first grade class at Belle Isle School in Oklahoma City.

Linda Erickson Morgan, '52, Tulsa, and Gene Kenneth Bouse, '47, Oklahoma City, were married September 21 in the Brookside Baptist Church, Tulsa. They have made their home in Oklahoma City where Bouse is associated with his father in the Amos K. Bouse Construction Company.

**BIRTHS:** Harlan D. Holiner, '52bus, and Mrs. Holiner have chosen the name Sherry Rose for their daughter born October 5 in Dallas, Texas. Their other children are Joel, 6, and Joanie Sue, 4.

Robert W. Schafer and Mrs. Schafer (Helene Hurd, '52soc.wk, have chosen the name Roberta Alice for their daughter born November 3 at Carlisle, Pennsylvania.

Lt. Clyde Wyant, Jr., '52eng, and Mrs. Wyant (Carol Shoemaker) have announced the birth of a son, John Russell, on November 6 in Ireland Hospital, Fort Knox, Kentucky.

### 1954

C. Richard Andes, '54bus, '57m.bus, has been promoted to supervisor of cost analysis with the Sandia Corporation, Albuquerque, New Mexico. Sandia is a subsidiary of Western Electric.

Edward N. Brandt, Jr., '54bs, '60med, is a senior research fellow in biostatistics and a resident physician in internal medicine at the University of Oklahoma Medical Center in Oklahoma City. Brandt is married and has two children, Patrick, 6, and Edward, III, 1.

Ray Claiborne, '41m.ed, and Mrs. Claiborne, '54m.ed, are at Eastern Oklahoma A&M College, Wilburton, where Mrs. Claiborne was chosen this fall to serve as assistant dean of students and Claiborne is the new director of adult education.

Charles M. Fullerton, '54bs, graduate research assistant at the New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology, Socorro, was one of the authors of the article "Coronal Emission in the Vicinity of Quiescent Prominences" which appeared in the May, 1961, edition of *The Astrophysical Journal*. The article was based on a study sponsored by the National Science Foundation under the research participation program for college teachers. Fullerton is on leave of absence from the College of St. Joseph on the Rio Grande, Albuquerque.

Capt. M. R. Sandlin, '54ba, has joined the staff of the University of Oklahoma's Army R.O.T.C. unit. Captain Sandlin was formerly assigned to the engineer officers advanced course at Fort Belvoir, Virginia.

### 1955-56

David O. Cordell, '55Law, Tulsa attorney, has been named director of the 1962 New March of Dimes drive in Tulsa County. Cordell is married to the former Sally Kellam, '55ed.

Herbert K. Hyde, Jr., '55ba, was sworn in as a practicing attorney October 3 by the state supreme court. Hyde, a graduate of the George Washington University Law School in September, is now practicing law in association with his father in Oklahoma City.

Army Colonel Wallace C. Wardner, '55ba, is attending the Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania, which prepares selected officers for future assignments to top staff and command positions in the armed forces and other key government positions. Colonel Wardner was previously professor of military science at Westminster College, Fulton, Missouri.

Jerry R. Bergeson, '56eng, '61ms, and his family have moved to Huntington Beach, California,

where Bergeson is employed by the Standard Oil Company of California.

Pat O'Neal Cox, '56ed, received his doctor of dental surgery degree September 24 at the University of Tennessee Medical Units, Memphis. Cox is married to the former Camilla Bohreer. They have a son, Scott, 3.

**BIRTH:** Sterling B. Jones, '55geol, and Mrs. Jones (RaeDonna Moore, '55) are the parents of a daughter, Kelly Beth, born October 25. Their home is in Tyler, Texas, where Jones is a geologist with Amerada Petroleum Corporation. The couple has two other children, Dick Sterling, 5, and Kimberly Bless, 3.

**DEATH:** Capt. Joe G. Remaklus, '55fa, was one of four U. S. airmen who died December 3 when a C-47 cargo plane crashed into a mountain near Udine, Italy. Captain Remaklus, formerly a flight check pilot at Tinker Air Force Base, was stationed in Germany. He is survived by his wife, Norma, of Oakland, California, and a 3-month-old daughter.

### 1957

Army Specialist Four Robert D. Check, '57bus, was recently assigned to the 356th Transportation Company at Fort Rucker, Alabama. Specialist Check, a supply clerk in the company, entered the Army in 1957.

Don F. Duffield, '57bus, executive trainee with the First National Bank and Trust Company of Oklahoma City, recently completed a two-month assignment as a "loaned executive" with the finance division of the United Appeal of Greater Oklahoma City.

Metz Tranbarger Górdley, '57fa, has been appointed associate professor in the art department of East Carolina College, Greenville, North Caro-

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lina. Gordley joined the East Carolina faculty in 1960.

Thomas L. Webb, '57ba, has been promoted to manager of advertising and marketing research for Jones and Laughlin Supply Division in Tulsa. Webb joined Jones and Laughlin's sales training program in 1959 and has since worked in the company's general products and tabular products sections in Tulsa. He has a master's degree from Harvard Business School.

**MARRIAGE:** Estalene Runyon, Monahans, Texas, and John Andrew Bates, '57bus, Norman, were married September 15 in the Church of Christ, Monahans. Bates is employed at office manager at a Monahans firm.

**BIRTHS:** Fallis A. Beall, '55eng, and Mrs. Beall (Nola Sue Stokes, '57ed) have announced the birth of a daughter, Leigh Ann, on September 20 in Duncan.

Robert G. Case, '57bs, and Mrs. Case (Betty Gale Hooper, '57bs) have chosen the name Barbara Ann for their daughter born September 10 in Oak Harbor, Washington. Mr. and Mrs. Case have an older daughter, Debra, 2.

Stephen J. Zeligson, '57ba, '59Law, and Mrs. Zeligson announce the birth of a daughter, Wendy Sue, on September 17 in New York.

## 1958

Lt. Holley D. Bradley, '58ba, Tulsa, recently completed a police administration course conducted by the military police department at the Army school in Oberammergau, Germany.

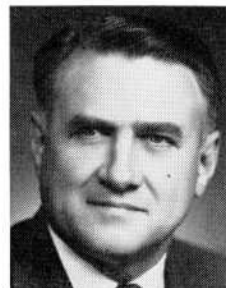
Lt. Phil Frazier, '58bus, and Mrs. Frazier (Carolyn Kitchen, '61ed) have announced the birth of a daughter, Debbie Anne, on October 12 in Ada. Frazier was recently recalled to active duty with Tulsa's Air National Guard Unit. Formerly he

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E. T. HARRISON, '24  
Southwestern Bell Telephone Company  
Oklahoma City

**HARRISON**—Yes, definitely. We recruit there at the University about three times each year in the engineering school and school of business and liberal arts, and we find very well qualified people for our business . . . The University is supplying the basics . . . of course, actually after you hire them, they again start going to school to absorb your own ways of doing business in that particular organization and their particular part of it . . . The [O.U.] graduates compare very favorably with graduates of other universities.

was in the production department of the Dewey Portland Cement Company, Tulsa.

Robert Percy, '58pharm, has joined Eli Lilly and Company as a medical service representative. His headquarters are in Lubbock, Texas. He was formerly pharmacist-manager of the Bayless Drug Store, Konawa, for three years.

C. R. Smith, '58bus, has been elected first vice-president of the Oklahoma City International Trade Club. The club's purpose is to keep Oklahoma in the forefront of world trade.

Bob Webber, '58ba, and Mrs. Webber (Sunya Sanger, '59ba) have their home in New Haven, Connecticut, where Webber is studying at Yale Divinity School and Mrs. Webber is teaching at the Wallingford Junior High School. Webber recently graduated from Perkins Theological School at Southern Methodist University.

**BIRTHS:** Lt. Larry R. Ferguson, '60ba, and Mrs. Ferguson (Nina Gay Flanagan, '58) have selected the name Larry Rustin for their son born September 28 in Lawton. Their daughter, Lori Gay, is two years old.

## 1959

Mary Alice Baker, '59ed, has been named the state's outstanding young speech teacher of the year by the Oklahoma Speech Association. Miss Baker teaches at Southeast High School, Oklahoma City.

Marilyn R. Cole, '59ba, has returned to the University of Oklahoma as a member of the home economics faculty. She formerly was a kindergarten teacher in Montgomery County, Maryland, for two years.

Lt. Warren H. Dunnington, '59ba, recently completed a seven-week transportation officer familiarization course at the Transportation School, Fort Eustis, Virginia. During the course he was trained in the organization, operational functions, duties and responsibilities of a transportation corps officer.

Dolores Ann Hill, '59ba, '61m.ed, is a dormitory counselor at Dreux American High School in France.

Sidney James, '59ba, recently joined the staff of Gettysburg College, Pennsylvania, as an instructor in English.

Roger Louis, '59ba, is presently completing research on his doctor's thesis in Nairobi, Kenya, Africa. Louis, who is studying under a Woodrow Wilson Scholarship, will return to Oxford, Eng-

land, for further study and will join his wife (Patricia Leonard, '59ba) and their son, Andy.

Billy Pricer, '59ed, has been signed by the Dallas Texans of the American Football League after being released last season by the Baltimore Colts because of an injury. Pricer is married to the former Sally Jo Smith, '58bus.

M. E. Thompson, Jr., and Mrs. Thompson (Ann Eichor, '59ba) have established a home in Calumet where Thompson is employed in the First National Bank and Mrs. Thompson is a secretary at the General Mills plant.

**MARRIAGE:** Beth Chalmers, Bridgton, Maine, and Lt. James D. Cossey, '59bs, were married October 28 in David Adams Memorial Chapel, Naval Operations Base, Norfolk, Virginia. They have established a home in Norfolk while Lieutenant Cossey is serving as senior engineering officer aboard the U.S.S. *Basilone*, a destroyer escort.

**BIRTHS:** Joel Carson, '59ba, '61Law, and Mrs. Carson, Norman, have chosen the name Melanie Joan for their daughter born September 27 in Norman.

Paul Fronterhouse, '59eng, and Mrs. Fronterhouse have announced the birth of a son, David Alan, on October 1 in Roswell, New Mexico. Fronterhouse is employed by the Atlantic Refining Company in Roswell.

Walter S. Yager, '59eng, and his wife Elizabeth have announced the birth of a son, Douglas Lee, on October 23. Yager was recently awarded a regular commission in the Air Force and is now stationed at Offutt Air Force Base, Nebraska. The Yagers also have a daughter, Ellen Denise, 1½.

## 1960

Capt. Harold R. Belknap, Jr., '60bs, recently began three years of residency training at Fitzsimons General Hospital, Denver, Colorado. Captain Belknap, who entered the Army last July, received his medical degree in 1960 from Tulane University Medical School in New Orleans, Louisiana.

King D. Calvert, '60ed, was recently promoted to first lieutenant in Germany, where he is a member of the 87th Ordnance Battalion.

Lt. Archie Dunham, '60eng, is presently with the Marine air control squadron, 1st Marine Brigade, Oahu, Hawaii. He was formerly at the Landing Force Development Center, Quantico, Virginia, and the Air Controller School, Glynco, Georgia. He and Mrs. Dunham have a son, Steven Wayne, who was born March 14.

## Conversation Piece

Do you feel that O.U. is producing the type graduate needed in your field?



**HATTIE MAE LACHENMEYER, '22**  
publisher  
The Cushing Daily Citizen

**MRS. LACHENMEYER**—Yes, I do, only there doesn't seem to be enough of them . . . Some of the more glamorous positions are grabbing them off so fast—I mean television and radio. Many of them are going directly into public relations before they know enough about the news media; whereas most of the people in public relations spent some time on newspapers before going into public relations . . . As a whole the record shows O.U. journalism students are outstanding and in demand in other [parts of the country], Washington, D. C., for example. Maybe that's why there doesn't seem to be enough of them around . . . But the problem is that they don't want to start with the small salary offered on a small newspaper, yet it's possible they may some day be owners or publishers of the paper.

Al Fuller, '60ed, is teaching economics and business courses at El Reno High School.

John O. Jones, '60bus, has been elected to serve as treasurer of the American Law Student Association. He was elected to the post during the organization's annual convention in St. Louis.

Patrick E. McHenry, '60ba, is enrolled in Northwestern University's Graduate School of Business Administration, Chicago, Ill.

Claud Allen Mullins, '60eng, after having completed a training program with Continental Oil Company, has been transferred to Plainsville, Kansas, where he is a petroleum engineer.

Second Lt. Robert L. Murphy, '60bus, Hobbs, New Mexico, recently completed the airborne course at the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia, and received his paratrooper wings after completing the four weeks of intensive ground and aerial training. Before entering the Army, he was employed by New Mexico Bank and Trust.

Anita Wonn, '60ed, '61m.ed, is teaching mentally retarded children at the George Eiber School in Lakewood, Colorado.

**MARRIAGES:** Lin Gates and Ross Porter, Jr., '60journ, both of Shawnee, were married June 17. Their home is now in Edmond. Porter is sports director of WKY television, Oklahoma City, and a member of the WKY radio staff.

Judith Link, '60ma, and Thomas F. Peak, '59ba, were married in June in Beverly Hills, California. The couple has a home in Knoxville, Tennessee, where Peak is employed as a senior planner and Mrs. Peak is a Spanish instructor at the University of Tennessee.

**BIRTHS:** Fred Blaylock and Mrs. Blaylock (Kaye Finkenbinder, '60pharm) have announced the birth of a son, Mikel Fred, born October 5 in Norman. Mrs. Blaylock is chief pharmacist at Norman Municipal Hospital.

Robert W. Carson, '60bs, and Mrs. Carson are the parents of a son, David Russell, born October 26 in Oklahoma City. They have an older son, Ricky, 1.

Frank H. Robertson, '61eng, and Mrs. Robertson (Patricia Shubert, '60ba) have chosen the name Mark Stewart for their son born October 26 in Marblehead, Massachusetts.

John Sandford and Mrs. Sandford (Ildiko Ka-

rikas, '60pharm) are the parents of a daughter, Erika Susan, born October 6 in Norman.

Dr. James W. Zeiders, '60med, and Mrs. Zeiders have chosen the name John Martin for their son born September 30. The couple has three other children, David Michael, 4, Linda Kay, 3, and Carol Ann, 1.

### 1961

Merrily Adams, '61fa, sang the soprano solos in Handel's "Messiah" with the Denver Civic Musicians' Association on December 10 in Denver. Miss Adams is teaching elementary music at Lakewood School in Denver.

Elvis M. Baker, '61bs, is now an industrial engineer with General Electric Company at Pittsfield, Massachusetts.

Myron H. Bond, '61eng, and Mrs. Bond (Janice Wooten, '61) have their home in Washington, D. C., where Bond is employed as a petroleum engineer for the Navy. Mr. and Mrs. Bond were married in July.

John E. Dotson, '61ba, and his wife, Sharon, '61, have moved to Lincoln, Nebraska, where Dotson is working toward his master's degree and serving as a teaching assistant in the history department at the University of Nebraska. The Dotsons have one son, Jonathan, 2.

Second Lt. Nathaniel H. Duffield, '61bus, recently was assigned to the Army recruiting main station in Oakland, California.

Neil Blaise Ginsterblum, '61m.ed, has accepted a teaching position in the elementary education department at Creighton University, Omaha, Nebraska.

Anthony F. Steinkruger, II, '61, has joined the research and development division of the Du Pont Polychemical Department's Wilmington, Delaware, experimental station. His wife is the former Norma Hachmuth, Bartlesville, and the couple lives in Wilmington.

**MARRIAGES:** Mary Margaret Ward, '61bus, and Irby Roy Taylor, '55ba, '60Law, both of Norman, were married September 23 in the First Christian Church, Norman. Mr. and Mrs. Taylor have established their home in Hobart.

Flavio De Marta, '61, Puerto La Cruz, Venezuela, and Mrs. De Marta (Janna Hubbard, '61) Norman, are living in Italy where they are continuing their educations. The couple was married in August.

**BIRTHS:** Edward A. Williford, '61bus, and Mrs. Williford are the parents of twins, Jeffrey Allen and Jennifer Ann, born August 28. Williford was recently transferred from Oklahoma City to Cedar Rapids, Iowa, where he is district sales supervisor of Champlin Oil and Refining Company.

Glenn Howard Sears, '61ed, and Mrs. Sears (Kaye Bennett, '61ed) have chosen the name Susan Diane for their daughter born November 29 in Oklahoma City. Sears is teaching at Casady School in Oklahoma City.

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