

Roll Call of alumni newsmakers



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Conversation Piece

With the current popularity of adult education, more and more alumni are returning to school either by correspondence or in residence. This month we asked five alumni, chosen at random from our files, if they had ever had the desire to return to school. The answers are on the following Roll Call pages.

news events in the lives of Sooner alumni

1913-29

Thomas L. Sorey, '20ba, of Sorey, Hill and Sorey, was recently installed as president of the Downtown Oklahoma City Sertoma Club.

Earl Gilliam, '23ph.c, of Gilliam Prescription Shops, Oklahoma City, has been awarded a plaque by Squibb and Company for having filled one million new prescriptions since opening his first of three shops in 1941.

Coleman H. Hayes, '24ba, '26Law, Oklahoma City; Tom Hieronymus, '33Law, Woodward; John M. Luttrell, '38ba, '41Law, Norman, and Denver W. Meacham, '33bs, '35Law, Clinton, were inducted as fellows in the American College of Trial Lawyers in July. Membership in the group, considered one of the highest honors in American jurisprudence, is limited to one per cent of the attorneys in a state.

Maury M. Travis, '22-'24, is Rocky Mountain vice president of Kornfeld International with offices in Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. Ruth Updegraff, '28ba, '40ma, '60journ, Norman, has been elected secretary of the Great Rivers Outdoor Writers, an organization of outdoor writers from a four-state area, Kansas, Oklahoma, Missouri and Arkansas. Mrs. Updegraff is also executive secretary of the Oklahoma Outdoor Council.

Milton Asfahl, '29ba, '30ma, a member of the

general agents and managers conference of the National Association of Life Underwriters board, was given special recognition at the conference's last meeting in Chicago for his outstanding contributions to the life insurance field management.

DEATHS: C. E. Haas, '13ph.c, died September 5 in the Methodist Hospital at Rochester, Minnesota. He had been a pharmacist in Frederick and served as Tillman County court clerk for 36 years.

Ralph A. Myers Sr., '22ba, '34m.ed, superintendent of Yukon Public Schools, died September 29 at a football game at Dunjee. Myers, Yukon superintendent since 1922, was active in Yukon civic organizations. He is survived by his wife, Josephine, of the home; a daughter, Mrs. Merrilee Brookshire, El Reno; two sons, Joe L., Redlands, California, and Ralph A. Jr., El Reno; a sister and a brother.

J. Russell Reeves, '26ma, a consulting geophysicist at Fort Worth, Texas, died there September 18.

B. H. Carey, '29Law, Oklahoma City attorney, died September 6 in Wesley Hospital, Oklahoma City. He is a former international president of Sertoma International, a civic service club, and was a member of the county, state and American bar associations. Survivors include his wife, Ruth, of the home, and a sister, Mrs. Toy Opal Thornton, Ontario, California.

1931-39

Dorothy Tulloss, '31fa, has joined the faculty of Southern Illinois University, Carbondale. She is an associate professor of music in the school's new "commuters' university." Miss Tulloss has taught at the Oklahoma College for Women, Chickasha, and is a former member of the Oklahoma City Symphony. She received her doctor of musical arts degree from Boston University.

James L. Robinson, '32ba, '32Law, coordinator and legal consultant for the Southwest Center for Law Enforcement Education at O.U., has been elected a member-at-large of the Legislative Assembly of the Speech Association of America. Robinson is also director of Oklahoma speech and drama services at O.U.

Eugene B. Dodson, '33journ, and Mrs. Dodson (Grace B. Beaulieu, '33bs) have their home in Tampa, Florida, where Dodson is vice president and manager of the television station WTVT, which is owned by the Oklahoma Publishing Company. Mrs. Dodson was recently elected to the board of directors of the Tampa Red Cross Chapter. Dodson is also active in various Tampa civic organizations.

Army Reserve Lt. Cols. Irving J. Strickland, '31-'35, Eugene T. White Jr., '35ba, and Adolph J. Foral Jr., '57eng, recently completed the reserve associate command general staff course at the Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Lawrence E. Brock, '36eng, has been elected a vice president and director of Amax Petroleum Company. His headquarters are now in Tulsa, where he directs production and engineering activities for the company. He was formerly a petroleum consultant in Farmington, New Mexico.

Reserve Col. James E. Byers, '36eng, Oklahoma City has completed the reserve associate command and general staff course at the Command and General Staff College, Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.

Judge Allen E. Barrow, '37, has been sworn in as the third presiding judge of the Northern Oklahoma Federal Judicial District at Tulsa. Judge Barrow was formerly an attorney in Tulsa for 20 years. He and Mrs. Barrow have three children, Allen Jr., 17, Karla Elaine, 11, and Mary Celeste, 7.

Merrill Ellis, '39fa, '40m.fa, has joined the faculty of North Texas State University, Denton, Texas, as an assistant professor in music composition. He formerly taught at the Joplin (Missouri) Junior College. He is a native of Cleburne, Texas.

Col. Herman H. Heuer, '39ba, Bertha, Minnesota, has been named chaplain for the United States Forces in Korea. He was formerly chaplain for the 6th Army at San Francisco, California.

DEATHS: Dr. Tom L. Wainwright, '31ba, '33med, former associate professor of surgery at the O.U. Medical School, died September 13 at Mangum. Dr. Wainwright was associate professor from 1937 to 1949. Survivors include his wife, Mary Ella; his father, Arthur Wainwright, Mangum, and his son, Tommy, a student at Vanderbilt.

Olive V. Hawes, '33ba, '35ma, died September 25 in the Norman Municipal Hospital. She is survived by her mother, Mrs. James Hawes, of the home, and a brother, Dr. Dick Hawes, Littleton, Colorado.

Dr. A. M. Young III, '35bs, '37med, died October 2 at his home in Pineville, Louisiana. Dr. Young is survived by his wife, Olga, of the home, his mother, two sisters and a brother.

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Since leaving O.U., have you ever had any desire to go back to college?



WILLIAM D. OWSLEY, '32eng
senior vice president, Halliburton Company
Duncan

OWSLEY—I've had the desire to go back to college many, many times, but I'm afraid that I would feel horribly lost if I ever did it . . . If I ever did—which I will not now—I think that my first desire would be to review some of the basic considerations and catch up with some of the more far-flung technology of today which we did not have when I was in school some 30-odd years ago . . . I graduated as a petroleum engineer. I started out as a chemical engineer. I still think that the field of applied chemistry is the most advancing technology, and of course, electronics has entered the picture. And now we are in the space age, and so you get into all kinds of things. In our company we are trying to apply certain knowledge from all of these various disciplines to the everyday course of business—without getting into the more exotic fields of space technology and that sort of thing . . . After all, I'm only possessed of a four-year B.S. degree, and I think that the four-year B.S. degree is going out of the picture at the present time . . . Adult education is, in the strict sense of the word today, perhaps not pointed toward advanced degrees, but more definitely pointed toward the advanced knowledge that the man did not have a chance to get in his earlier years of formal education . . . I've done quite a little study along non-technical lines. Today one must have a good concept of certain parts of the law and economics and other social studies that perhaps at one time he didn't need . . . Adult education in the manner in which the University is attempting to offer it is something definitely needed.

1940-45

S. R. Denton, '41eng, has been appointed district engineer for Pan American Petroleum Corporation's Liberal, Kansas, district. He was formerly division unitization superintendent at Oklahoma City.

J. S. Peerson, '41eng, has been named exploitation coordinator for Sunray DX Oil's exploration department in Oklahoma City. Peerson, native of Bixby, formerly served as division geologist in Sunray's western division at Denver, Colorado.

Lt. Col. Willis F. Gausman, '42bus, has graduated from the 10-month course at the Army War College, Carlisle Barracks, Pennsylvania.

Estal Hart, '43bus, has been named assistant to executive vice president of Associated Industries of Oklahoma, Incorporated.

Helen Hawn Weaver, '44ba, is the speech and hearing consultant for the crippled children's unit of the Oklahoma State Department of Public Welfare. She has a son, George, who is a freshman in the O.U. School of Medicine.

Dr. John Price McCullough, '45eng, Bartlesville received the 1963 American Chemical Society award in petroleum chemistry. This award was established in 1948 by the Precision Scientific Company and is among 25 awards administered by the society to honor outstanding achievement in chemistry or chemical technology. Dr. McCullough, native of Dallas, Texas, is with the U.S. Bureau of Mines in Bartlesville.

DEATHS: Charles Young, '40Law, legal assistant to the State Supreme Court chief justice and court marshal for 13 years, died September 25 at Mercy Hospital, Oklahoma City. He was the chief legal assistant to Ben T. Williams, current chief justice. He is survived by three sisters and two brothers.

Platho P. Scott Jr., '41eng, died October 4 in a Tulsa hospital. He was a senior research engineer for Pan American Petroleum Corporation at Tulsa. Scott joined Pan American in 1946 and joined the Tulsa research center in 1948. He had since been engaged in research on drilling problems and drilling fluids. He is survived by his wife, Elizabeth; a daughter, four sons, his parents, and a step-sister.

1946-49

Mrs. Mary Alice Fisher, '46h.ec, '61m.h.ec, recently became an instructor in home economics at Central State College, Edmond. She formerly taught vocational home economics at Noble High School and Edmond High School.

John Gossett, '46ba, has been assigned as United States consul in Paris, France. Mrs. Gossett, their son, John Jr., and Gossett's mother are also in Paris with him. He has been in the diplomatic service since the close of World War II.

Ralph Ingalls, '47eng, has been transferred to Public Service Company's Northeastern power station, Oologah, as chief engineer. He was formerly chief engineer at the company's Southwestern power station near Washita. He and his wife have made their home in Oologah.

Standifer Keas, '47m.ed, formerly assistant superintendent of Midwest City schools, has been

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JOHN ALLEN, '31-'35
vice president, Lintz Department Store
Dallas, Texas

ALLEN—Yes, I think I can truthfully say I have had a desire to go back to college. The problem is trying to find time and the where-with-all. Once you get involved in a business career, it is pretty hard to work it into your schedule. At least it is in the business I'm in . . . In my case, if it were practical, I would probably go back and do some more work in business law and possibly take some of the more up-to-date courses in management—retail management. I'm in the department store business. I think also that within that category I would be thinking in terms of courses in finance and advanced accounting . . . For the time that I was in school and the time I was able to give to it, I was pretty well satisfied with what I got out of it. Of course, I feel this way: a person never stops learning. The day that a man admits to himself that he has stopped learning, you may as well bury him. I try to keep up a regular program of study in my own business, and that is the reason for my answer in response to the original question. These are the things that I would be interested in pursuing further. From what little I know being able to check back with the school since I got out, I understand they've expanded the field . . . I was very appreciative of the invitation to attend the Alumni Institute, and wanted to make it, but it was again just a question of schedule. I couldn't get it in. I was barely able to get up there and get my daughter graduated . . . I don't know whether adults make better students than teenagers; that would be a difficult question for me to answer. I think, being of an earlier vintage, I would be keenly interested. But as to whether or not I could make a fair comparison between your teenage student today and adults—that would be rather difficult. I found this, however, in the case of my own daughter, who was a sociology major—she was very interested in her work, not only in her own major, but in all of the other subject areas that she was required to study . . . I think from the standpoint of perspective, older persons have an advantage.

named executive secretary of the Teachers Retirement System in Oklahoma.

Charles Libbert and Mrs. Libbert (Betty Lynn, '47fa) have moved to Norman from Iran. Libbert is now studying engineering at O.U. In Iran, the couple taught in an oil company school.

Dr. James B. Silman, '47bs, has been appointed Cleveland County's first medical examiner. Dr. Frank H. Cooper, '54pharm, '58med, was appointed as his assistant.

Richard H. Clements, '48bus, Oklahoma City, was elected first vice president of the Mayonnaise and Salad Dressing Manufacturers Association at the group's annual convention in Chicago.

Claire Swanda, daughter of Dr. David E. Swanda, '48med, and Mrs. Swanda (Virginia Hoops, '39journ) has been named one of the top 100 students of 1800 enrolled in grades 8 through 12 in La Habra, California. This is the third con-

secutive year she has been selected.

Glen D. Brown, '49bs, has been appointed senior materials inspector in the Atomic Energy Commission's Region IV division of compliance office in Denver, Colorado.

J. O. Lynn, '49ba, has been promoted to assistant director of public affairs in the advertising and public relations department of the Phillips Petroleum Company in Bartlesville. Lynn, former president of the Oklahoma state Junior Chamber of Commerce and of the Bartlesville Junior Chamber, was formerly personnel assistant in the company's natural gas department.

Ned Hockman, '49ed, O.U. director of motion picture production, was a judge in the Centennial Film Festival of Agriculture recently held at Washington, D.C. The festival was sponsored by the Department of Agriculture. Hockman is also director and treasurer of the University Film Founda-

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tion, Washington, D.C. and is a past president of the University Film Producers Association.

George C. Littlejohn, '49eng, has been appointed vice president of Williams Brothers, worldwide engineering and construction firm. He is now in charge of South American operations for Williams Brothers in Bogota, Columbia.

1950-51

Charles L. Boggs, '50eng, Ponca City, has been promoted to district engineer with Continental Pipe Line Company, a subsidiary of Continental Oil Company. He was formerly a staff engineer.

John F. Heckinger, '50bus, '58m.bus, recently became business manager of Rockford College, Rockford, Illinois. He was formerly director of university services at the University of Omaha, Nebraska. He and his family now have their home at Rockford.

Robert E. Lee, '50ba, '52Law, Oklahoma City, has been elected a vice-president to head Fidelity National Bank's business development department. He was formerly trust counselor for the First National Bank, Oklahoma City.

Dr. Ralph W. Widener Jr., '50ma, has joined the faculty of the University of Houston, Texas, as an assistant professor of speech. Dr. Widener received his Ph.D. degree in August from Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, Illinois.

Douglas Duke, '51m.ed, has joined the faculty of Southeastern State College, Durant, as debate coach.

Jess A. Elliott, '51geol, has left Sinclair Oil and Gas Company to become a geophysical consultant at Oklahoma City. He had been with Sinclair for over nine years and was a district geophysicist at the time of his resignation.

Manford R. Haxton, '51eng, a patent advisor in American Oil Company's research and development department in Texas City, Texas, was recently sworn in as an attorney by the Texas State Supreme Court, Austin. He and Mrs. Haxton have four children.

Emmett Johnson, '51geol, has been transferred to Denver, Colorado, where he is a geologist for Sunray DX Oil Company. He was formerly at Salt Lake City, Utah.

Stanley Strong, '51ms, Los Angeles, California, has been appointed a systems engineering director for a military space program of the Aerospace Corporation. He was formerly a department manager for the corporation.

DEATH: George Truman Bennett, '50m.ed, executive secretary of the State Teachers' Retirement System, died September 18 in Oklahoma City. Bennett, 58, was an administrative assistant to former Governor Gary when he was appointed to his current post in 1958. He had served as assistant state superintendent of public instruction and was a former Pittsburgh County superintendent of schools. He is survived by his wife and a daughter, Lunetta Jane, 14, both of the home.

1952-53

W. L. Dabney, '52eng, senior transmission engineer for Southwestern Bell Telephone Company, Oklahoma City, is presently attending a 19-week communications engineering school at Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri. The course is sponsored by Southwestern Bell.

Ben E. Stockwell, '52ba, '56Law, was recently elected president of the Cleveland County Bar Association. Other O.U. graduates elected as officers were Dr. Maurice Merrill, '19ba, '22Law, Person Woodall, '27Law, and John M. Luttrell, '38ba, '41Law.

Lloyd Charles Beveridge, '53bus, '61Law, is vice-president of the Wake-up Coffee Company, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

Joe E. Burke, '53ed, served as technical adviser to the National Guard Bureau on a movie about the 45th Infantry Division.

R. Douglas Coffin, '53ba, has entered the private practice of Law in Dallas, Texas. Coffin, a graduate of the Southern Methodist University School of Law, was formerly director of the Dallas Legal Aid Society, Incorporated.

Angelo C. Cross, '53eng, has joined the production and exploration department of Monsanto Chemical Company's hydrocarbons division at Houston, Texas. He was formerly with the Carter Oil Company at Great Bend, Kansas.

R. William Dozier Jr., '53Law, has been elected to a 3-year term as southern region director of the American Society of Chartered Life Underwriters.

Dr. William T. Gordon Jr., '53ba, '58med, Tulsa, who recently came to active duty in the Air Force in the rank of captain, has completed the orientation course for officers of the medical service at Gunter Air Force Base, Alabama. He has been reassigned to Barksdale Air Force Base, Louisiana. He and his wife have two children.

Lee Rand Smith, '53ba, '59m.ed, recently completed his sixth year as counselor at Charles Page High School, Sand Springs. He has also been promoted to rank of captain in the Army Reserve. He and his wife, Wanda, have two children, Shelley and Scott.

DEATH: Mrs. Jewell Powell Valla, '53m.ed, died October 4 in Wesley Hospital, Oklahoma City. Mrs. Valla, wife of Roy K. Valla, who is professor of chemistry at Central State College, was principal of Edmond schools at the time of her death. She is survived by her husband, a daughter, Mrs. Lois Burrus, Tulsa, a son, Roy Kendall Valla, Portland, Texas, and two brothers.

1954-55

Dean Baker, '54pharm, has been appointed manager of Eli Lilly and Company's San Antonio, Texas, district.

David Henry Clark, '54ba, an analyst with the Social Security Administration, Baltimore, Maryland, has been awarded the doctor of philosophy degree in economics from the University of Wisconsin. Dr. Clark also serves as a lecturer at McCoy College of Johns Hopkins University, Baltimore.

Henry L. Cullins, '54geol, '60ms, has joined the U.S. Geological Survey in its minerals classification branch, Lakewood, Colorado. He is presently engaged in field mapping of phosphate deposits in the Teton Mountains.

Charles M. Fullerton, '54bs, and Mrs. Fullerton (Jane Jo Wyatt, '54fa) are living in Socorro, New Mexico, where Fullerton is enrolled as a graduate student at the New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology.

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Capt. Carl D. McGee Jr., '54bus, and Mrs. McGee are living in Leavenworth, Kansas, where McGee is stationed with the Army. The couple has three children, Marci Ann 6, Carl D. III, 4, and Patti Jann 2.

Kenneth E. Dick, '55m.ed, '62ph.d, is presently engaged in a post-doctoral fellowship in clinical psychology at the Greater Kansas City (Missouri) Mental Health Foundation, where he is specializing in child psychiatry.

J. P. Timmons, '55bus, assistant administrator of the Bexar County Hospital District, San Antonio, Texas, was recently installed into the American College of Hospital Administrators.

Jim Wade, '55m.ed, has been named domestic sales manager for Aero Commander, Incorporated, Bethany. He was formerly general sales manager for Aircraftsman, Incorporated, Oklahoma City.

Kuyk Logan, '55journ, assistant city editor of the *Daily Oklahoman*, Oklahoma City, is teaching a course in beginning reporting at the O.U. School of Journalism.

MARRIAGE: Judith Marilyn Lewis, Park Ridge, Illinois, and Dr. W. Charles Kennedy, '54ba, '57med, Oklahoma City, were married September 29 in the St. Mary Seat of Wisdom Church, Park Ridge. Dr. Kennedy recently completed a fellowship in neurological surgery at the Mayo Foundation, Rochester, Illinois, is now on active duty with the Army.

BIRTH: William J. Kennedy, '55eng, and Mrs. Kennedy, Oklahoma City have announced the birth of a daughter, Elizabeth Benson. She was born September 10.

1956

J. Michael Coman, '56eng, graduated from the University of Houston Law College on August 25.

Ronald Howland, '56bus, has joined the staff of the U.S. probation office in Oklahoma City. Howland, a probation officer, was formerly a deputy clerk in the county court in Oklahoma City.

LeRoy "Boney" Matthews, '56m.ed, was recently selected "Teacher of the Year" for McClain County. Matthews, Purcell basketball coach, was honored at a banquet sponsored by the Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce and the Oklahoma Education Association.

Capt. James L. Maxwell, '56ba, Sand Springs, who was graduated from the Air Force Squadron Officer School at the Air University, Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama, in August, has been reassigned to Grand Forks, Air Force Base, North Dakota.

Jon Palmer, '56geol, has resigned as a geologist for the Kerr-McGee Oil Industries, Incorporated, to enter the O.U. College of Law.

Tom Lee Rowland, '56geol, '59ms, has been appointed a staff geologist with the Oklahoma Geological Survey. He was formerly doing exploration work for the St. Clair Lime Company, Sallisaw.

Don Sawatzky, '56eng, of Oklahoma City, has been awarded the Gulf Research and Development Company Fellowship for 1962-63 at the Colorado School of Mines, Golden, Colorado. He is a master of science degree candidate in geological engineering at the school.

Ronald L. Butterfield, '56journ, former public relations representative for Sunray DX Oil Company, has been transferred to the company's southern marketing division, Tulsa.

Robert J. Turner, '56ba, '60Law, has been named an assistant on the staff of County Attorney James H. Harrod in Oklahoma City. Turner was formerly an assistant Oklahoma City attorney.

1957

Lt. Thomas R. Briscoe, '57bus, who was grad-

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MRS. DOLLIE RADLER HALL, '20ba, '21ma
retired administrative geologist
Broken Arrow

HALL—Two years after I left college, I seriously considered going back for my doctor's degree, but something came up at the company where I was working at the time. It was a matter of promotion and advancement, so I dropped the idea. I have no desire to fulfill that goal at this late date in life . . . I received a bachelor's and a master's degree. If I had gone back to college, I would have been strictly in research instead of staying in the oil industry. I was working for the Amerada Petroleum Corporation at the time, and the promotion probably led me into more things than if I had quit and gone back to college . . . Under the circumstances I got out of college all that I could. I was working my way through, earning all my expenses; I carried 18 hours and worked about 40 hours a week . . . Recently I have considered some of these adult education programs that are coming out—the study of great books and things of that sort—because they might fit into something that is more in my age group . . . just for my own enjoyment, mixing with people and discussing various problems . . . I think I would be interested more in literature—some of the great writings of the past—along the more cultural lines. It would bring you in contact with people who are interested in the same things that you are interested in . . . I was certainly pleased to see the University take the part in adult education that they have. I was reading in the *Sooner Magazine* about it, and the news reports that come out. I am definitely very much in favor of it . . . I think the greater part of the people could find time for one or two nights a week for something of that sort. In fact, in our little town here, I was talking to some of the teachers. They have such a program—I've forgotten exactly what it is—but one of the teachers was telling me that she would be busy two nights a week because she was taking advantage of an adult education course.

uated from the Air Force Squadron Officer School at the Air University, Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama, in August, has been reassigned to James Connally Air Force Base, Texas.

Bob B. Hunt, '57eng, Oklahoma City, has been promoted from senior production engineer to senior engineer in Continental Oil Company's production department.

Delford L. Santee, '57ba, has received a \$2,800 fellowship to study for a doctor's degree at Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia. Santee has also studied at the University of Grenoble, France.

Dr. Vernon E. Scholes, '57ms, joined the faculty of North Texas State University at the beginning of its fall semester as an assistant professor in the biology department. He was formerly a research bacteriologist at the Missouri State Sanatorium, Mt. Vernon.

Sherwin D. Yoelin, '57eng, has been selected by the Colorado School of Mines to share a Pan American Petroleum Foundation fellowship in petroleum engineering for the 1962-1963 academic year. He will share the fellowship with another master of science degree candidate at the school. Yoelin, a native of Denver, was formerly associated with an oil company research laboratory as a research engineer.

MARRIAGE: Jane Harrell, '57ba, Ada, and Roy Baker Moran, Tulsa, were married September 28 in St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Ada. Moran is a graduate of Tulsa University.

BIRTH: Dr. Charles Bosworth, '57ba, '60med, and Mrs. Bosworth, Galveston, Texas, recently became the parents of a son.

1958

Mrs. Paula Evans Baker, '58journ, was the author of an article which appeared in the August 15 issue of *Presbyterian Life*, a national magazine published by the United Presbyterian Church. The article concerned the Summer Institute of Linguistics which is held annually at O.U.

William E. Cullison, '58bus, '61ma, has joined the faculty of Western Maryland College, Westminster, as an instructor in economics.

John H. George, '58geol, '61ms, is working as a geologist for the Continental Oil Company at Hobbs, New Mexico.

Lt. John N. Hardy Jr., '58ba, and Mrs. Hardy (Patsy Lawrence, '58bus) are now living in Las Cruces, New Mexico, where Hardy is stationed with the Air Force. The couple has two children, Elizabeth Anne and Jeffrey Lawrence.

W. R. Howell, '58bus, has been promoted to assistant manager of J.C. Penney's downtown Oklahoma City store. Howell, a native of Claremore, has been a department manager in that store, in Tulsa, and in Norman.

Robert L. McCormick Jr., '58bus, recently completed a special school in the home office of the Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company, Hartford, Connecticut, as part of the company's

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F. Lovell McMillin, '58bus, '60Law, is a partner in the law firm of Fischl, Culp and McMillin in Ardmore. He is married to the former Ann Synos and they have two children, Michael Shawn, 5-months-old, and Kellie Ann, 2.

Giles R. Mitchell, '58ma, has been named an instructor in the English department at North Texas State University, Denton, Texas. He had been an instructor at O.U. since 1956.

Frank W. Moore II, '58bus, has joined the brokerage firm of Merrill, Lynch, Pierce, Fenner and Smith in its Tulsa office. He has been made an account executive after having completed a six months training program in New York City.

MARRIAGES: Richard Michael Lindsay, '58 bus, Ventura, California, and Mrs. Lindsay (Helen Sue Geier), Akron, Ohio, have established a home in Los Angeles. The couple was married August 18 in the Church of the Reccessional, Forest Lawn, Glendale, California.

Ruth Eugene Johnson and Richard Volker Armstrong, '58ba, both of Tulsa, were married October 13 in the Trinity Episcopal Church, Tulsa. Mr. and Mrs. Armstrong have established a home in Tulsa where Armstrong is an attorney.

1959

Arthur R. Atkinson, '59eng, has been transferred to the southern production and exploration region of Monsanto Chemical Company's hydrocarbons division at Houston, Texas. He is a petroleum engineer for Monsanto.

Jack Bache Jr., '59journ, has been named advertising manager for Quiberson Corporation, Dallas, Texas. Bache is a native of Oklahoma City.

William M. Capps, '59ms, has been named district geologist and head of the new office of the Teichman Company in Wichita, Kansas. He is also manager of Teichman's subsidiary company, Petroleum Operating Company.

Donald W. Ellis, '59ms, formerly assistant professor of history at Arkansas Polytechnic College, Russellville, has joined the faculty of National College, Kansas City, Missouri as head of the history department.

J. Scott Morrison, '59bs, '62med, is serving his internship at the Kansas University Medical Center, Kansas City, Kansas.

James W. White, '59ba, was ordained to the ministry September 8 in the First Christian Church, Oklahoma City. He is now the associate pastor of the Fort Collins, Colorado, First Christian Church. He received his B.D. degree from the Yale School of Divinity.

James R. Winnie, '59bus, '62Law, is a tax attorney for the Cities Service Petroleum Company at Bartlesville.

1960

John William Ashcraft, '60eng, '61m.eng, is with the Black and Veatch Consultant Engineering Company in Kansas City.

Capt. William L. Anderson, '60ma, Elkhart, Indiana, has been named a distinguished graduate in his class of more than 850 Air Force officers at the Squadron Officer School, Maxwell Air Force Base, Alabama. He has been reassigned to the Air Force Academy as assistant professor of English.

Janet Elias, '60ed, of Tulsa, is a new American Airlines stewardess. She is based at O'Hare Field, Chicago, Illinois.

1st Lt. Larry R. Ferguson, '60ba, after having completed two years in the Army, is now the copublisher and editor of the *Cleveland American*, Cleveland, Oklahoma. He is married to the former Nina Gay, '56, and the couple has two children, Lou Gay, 2½, and Rusty, 1.

Lt. Col. Guy H. Foster, '60bus, Stewart Air

Force Base, New York, was a recent guest initiate at Beta Gamma Sigma ceremonies conducted by Syracuse (New York) University.

Lt. James H. Gamble, '60eng, has been awarded Air Force pilot wings following graduation from pilot training at Vance Air Force Base. He has been reassigned to England for aircrew duty on B-50 aircraft.

Lt. (jg) James W. Hayes, '60geol, is presently serving with patrol squadron 44 at the Naval Air Test Center, Patuxent River, Maryland.

Florence Baggett Jones, '60ba, '62ma, is teaching geography at Kansas State Teachers College, Emporia, Kansas.

Marquis A. Murdock, '60bs, is presently employed at the Cleveland (Ohio) Clinic and Hospital in its Hartford Foundation plastic kidney research.

2nd Lt. Gary Thompson, '60ba, '62ma, has begun his active duty with Army in Friedburg, Germany. His wife (Joanne Defriend, '61ba) and son, Gregory, have joined him there.

BIRTH: Donald W. Crosby, '60geol, and Mrs. Crosby (LaNita Pacey, '60) have announced the birth of a son, Carl Wynn, on July 27 in Caro, Michigan.

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David W. Camp, '61eng, his wife, and daughter, Lynda Rene, have their home in Pasadena, Texas, where Camp is an aerospace engineer for the National Aeronautical Space Administration.

Paul H. Davis, '61eng, is employed by Texaco, Incorporated, at Pampa, Texas. Davis is married and the father of a son, Mark, 8 months.

Halene Lipe, '61ed, is a secretary in the Controller's department of the southwest region for Humble Oil and Refining Company, Houston.

Joe E. Maldonado II, '61bus, is presently enrolled in a management training program with the John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

2d Lt. William H. Reed, '61eng, Picher, has been awarded Air Force pilot wings following graduation from pilot training at Vance Air Force Base. He has been reassigned to Will Rogers Field, Oklahoma City.

Conversation Piece

Since leaving O.U., have you ever had any desire to go back to college?



WILLIAM H. McDONALD, '32bus
president, First National Bank and Trust
Oklahoma City

McDONALD—No, sir, I've never had any desire to go back to college. It took me about six years to get through a four-year course down there, working most of the time. I've just had enough . . . Adult education is an excellent program, but everyone to his own taste. That just doesn't quite suit my taste . . . If I hadn't finished my degree, I would give more consideration to it than I would now . . . I'm very familiar with adult education at O.U. . . . I think it is worthwhile; it's good in principle; the program is fine . . . I think adult education should be promoted.

John D. Slach, '61Law, is an attorney with the Securities and Exchange Commission of Fort Worth, Texas. His home is in Arlington, Texas.

Charles E. Smith, '61m.ed, recently retired from the Air Force after more than 20 years of active duty. He is presently employed in the office of admissions and records at the University of Oklahoma.

2d Lt. Donald W. Thurman, '61eng, has been awarded Air Force pilot wings following graduation from pilot training at Williams Air Force Base, Arizona. He has been reassigned to Robins Air Force Base, Georgia. Thurman and his wife have one son, Donald Jr.

Allen Weinberg, '61fa, has been appointed art director of McCutcheon Advertising in Phoenix, Arizona.

Dan M. Wilson, '61eng, has been named district sales manager for General Electric Company's receiving tube department in Chicago, Illinois. He

was formerly application engineer for GE's tube department headquarters in Owensboro, Kentucky.

J. Frank Wolfe, '61bs, '62ms, has joined the technical staff of Humble Oil and Refining Company's production research division in Houston, Texas. Wolfe, a research engineer, has been assigned to the gas separation area.

MARRIAGES: Heidi Charles Harper, Taos, New Mexico, and Ensign Robert Fairchild Brandenburg Jr., '61ba, Norman, were married September 29 in the Saint James Episcopal Church, Taos. They are living in Pensacola, Florida, where Ensign Brandenburg is assigned to the *USS Lexington*.

Clara Lane Barbee, Fayetteville, North Carolina, and Lt. Lawrence B. Wells, '61eng, Oklahoma City, were married September 15 in Conway, South Carolina. The couple has established a home in Kentucky where Lieutenant Wells is stationed at Fort Campbell.

Marsha Lu Hoenig, '61ed, and Dr. James A. Seeley, both of Oklahoma City, were married September 15 in Christ the King Catholic Church, Oklahoma City. The couple has established a home in Oklahoma City where Dr. Seeley is in the orthopedic resident training program of the Oklahoma University Medical Center.

Dorothy Louise Mayhew, '61bus, and Charles Walter Ellis, '57bus, '62Law, both of Oklahoma City, were married September 8 in the Crown Heights Christian Church, Oklahoma City. Mr. and Mrs. Ellis now have their home in Oklahoma City.

A. D. Ming and Mrs. Ming (Mary Beth Opitz, '61ed) are living in Norman where Ming is with the State Game and Fish Department and Mrs. Ming is teaching at Noble High School. The couple was married June 23 at Binger, Oklahoma.

Lois Elizabeth Thompson, '61ba, Oklahoma City, and James Franklin Carney, Dallas, Texas, were married September 1 in the Nichols Hills Methodist Church, Dallas. They have established their home in Dallas where Carney is a student at Southern Methodist University.

BIRTHS: Thomas P. Harrison, '61fa, and Mrs. Harrison (Janice Sue Alden, '59bs) are the parents of a son, Thomas Bradley, born September 6 in New Orleans, Louisiana.

T. J. Johnson III, '61eng, and Mrs. Johnson, Wichita, Kansas, have chosen the name Sherry Lynn for their daughter born October 9.

2nd Lt. Patrick L. Shehan, '61bus, and Mrs.

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Shehan have chosen the name Joseph William for their son born August 31 in Hoppstaden, Germany. Lieutenant Shehan is on a tour of duty with the 3rd Army aviation company.

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Margaret E. Allen, '62bs, Cannondale, Connecticut, is employed in the Norwalk Hospital research laboratory, Norwalk, Connecticut.

Harlan D. Anderson, '62bus, Houston, Texas, is an accountant for the Standard Oil Company of Texas.

Ronald C. Brenner, '62m.ed, recently joined the Tecumseh Public School System as a band instructor.

John C. Engelson, '62bus, is an internal auditor for the Skelly Oil Company in Tulsa.

Mrs. Helen Cromer Ervin, '62ba, has received a grant from the Florida Council on Research and Training in Mental Health to do graduate work in the School of Social Welfare at Florida State University, Tallahassee.

Louise Farmer, '62ba, has been awarded a Ford Foundation scholarship to work for a master of arts degree in teaching at Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut.

Cmdr. John A. Gommengenger, '62ma, executive officer of the O.U. Naval reserve officers' corps unit since 1958, has retired from the Navy. Commander Gommengenger, graduate of the Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland, served 20 years and 8 months in the Navy.

Richard L. Gwinn, '62bus, is presently with the faculty of Tulsa Central High School, Tulsa, where he is a football and wrestling coach and teaches history.

Glenda Hamilton, '62ba, Guymon, is in Caen, France, where she will study for a year at the

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Conversation Piece

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to go back to college?



BILL STURM, '58ba
student engineer, Detolyer-MacNaughton
Richardson, Texas

STURM—I am currently in college—at S.M.U. I will finish up with a B.S. degree in electrical engineering. I went from O.U. to a year and a half at Perkins, which is a seminary, then transferred out . . . I'll finish here next September . . . I had a B.A. in history at O.U. with a philosophy minor. . . Later I hope to go ahead and get a master's—but not for a few years . . . I'm not completely satisfied with the education I have received. I think the business of getting an education is never-ending. I don't recommend that everyone do what I have done, however—nine straight years of college . . . I feel a person should go back to school whenever the opportunity presents itself. I intend to go on with my work in engineering after a little rest.

University of Caen. Miss Hamilton is the recipient of a Fullbright grant.

Marcia Hopping, '62ed, Oklahoma City, is teaching speech therapy in the Midwest City school system.

David C. Horn, '62ba, is employed by the Bank of America at San Francisco, California, in its international finance training program.

James A. Horn, '62ms, Aurora, Colorado, has accepted a position as associate public health engineer with the Colorado State Public Health Department. He is a special consultant on control of domestic sewage collection and treatment.

Bennett Hornstein, '62ba, has entered the School of Law at the University of California, Berkeley, California.

Charles Dwayne Kelley, '62med, is an intern at St. Anthony Hospital, Oklahoma City. He and his wife have four children.

Robert L. Kerr, '62pharm, is a pharmacist for the Steele Drug Store in Ardmore.

Amy Ruth Killingsworth, '62m.lib.sci, presently is assistant librarian at Northeastern State College, Tahlequah.

Bill Kinder, '62bus, recently moved to Dallas, Texas, where he has joined Anderson Clayton and Company. His home was formerly in Sherman, Texas.

Robert A. Kingsbury, '62bus, is employed by the Phillips Petroleum Company at Kansas City, Missouri. He is married to the former Beverly Woodruff and the couple has a daughter, Kathy Sue, 7 months.

Dick H. Lambertz, '62bus, has entered the O.U. College of Law.

Ronald C. McDaniel, '62bus, received a \$1,500 fellowship from the United States Steel Foundation to work on his master's degree at the University of California, Berkeley.

Lucy F. McFadyen, '62ba, is with the public relations department of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company in New York City.

Marceillia Meyer, '62bus, is a legal secretary for the law firm of Fenton, Fenton, Smith and McCaleb in Oklahoma City.

Ralph L. Morrison Jr., '62journal, has been named public relations representative for Sunray DX Oil Company, Tulsa.

William Wylie Rice Jr., '62ms, was recently presented the 1962 student award of the American

Institute of Planners in Norman. The award is presented annually to the outstanding student in each of the major schools of planning in the country. Rice has been employed as a planner for the Oklahoma Center of Urban and Regional Studies.

John Charles Roberts, '62ba, is presently doing graduate work at the Yale School of Drama, New Haven, Connecticut.

Martin Sanborn, '62bus, has joined McCutcheon-Lane Advertising of Phoenix, Arizona, as an assistant account executive. He, his wife, and their 4-month-old daughter are making their home in Phoenix.

Timothy K. Seo, '62eng, is a mechanical engineer with Coston, Frankfurt and Short Architects, Engineers, Incorporated, Oklahoma City.

William H. Smith II, '62pharm, was recently awarded a \$500 scholarship from the O.U. Medical Center where he is a freshman.

Diane Steele, '62journal, is the new editor of the American General Journal, publication of the American General Life Insurance Company, Houston. It is distributed to agents and home office personnel.

Floyd Dean Thompson, '62eng, New Orleans, Louisiana, is employed as an engineer for Texaco Oil Company.

MARRIAGES: Roger Chapman, '62eng, and Mrs. Chapman (Madalynne Holt, '62ba) are living in Norman where both are doing graduate work at O.U. The couple was married May 26.

Carol Jean Cummings, '62bs, and George Orie Webb, both of Oklahoma City, were married September 8 in the Draper Park Christian Church, Oklahoma City. Mr. and Mrs. Webb have established a home in Dallas where Webb is attending Southern Methodist University.

James Luther Murphy and Mrs. Murphy (Charlotte Ann Fogg, '62ed) presently have their home in Bryan, Texas, where Mrs. Murphy teaches in elementary school and Mr. Murphy attends Texas A&M College. The couple was married August 3.

Vickey Morrison, '62ed, Lindsay, and Kenneth K. Dunham II, '62ba, Denver, Colorado, were married August 17. They have established a home in Lawton.

Jerry D. Sokolosky, '62Law, and Mrs. Sokolosky (M. Carole Bartlett) have established a home in Oklahoma City where Sokolosky is an associate attorney with the firm of Lampkin, Wolfe and Blankenship. They were married August 10.