Calling the Roll of Sooner Classes

By ELIZABETH LEES

~1922~

Jesse Henry Long, '22ba, '22law, died in his home at Carrizo Springs, Texas, in September following a three-months illness. Survivors include his wife Mrs. Lida Ports Long, '22ba, and six children.

Mabel Vandiver, '22ba, Norman, is head of the art department at Fort Hays Liberal Arts College, Hays, Kansas.

~1923~

Mrs. Bertha Downing, '23ed, '29ma, Norman, has been appointed English and journalism teacher at Visalia High School, Visalia, California.

Lynn Riggs, '23, who wrote the play from which the hit show Oklahoma! was adapted, is working for the Office of War Information in New York City. Mr. Riggs, a former soldier in the Army, was discharged because he was over 38.

~1926~

Announcement was made that D. Marsden Austin, '26, Chickasha, led the entire New York life insurance company force in public policies for July of this year. He also leads all Oklahoma New York life agents in paid volume for the first nine months of 1931.

Harry Kinsley, Jr., '28ba, '29ma, Norman, has resigned as director of publications of the Spartan School of Aeronautics, Tulsa, to become editor of The Link, monthly house organ of the Carter Oil Company. He succeeds Willard Bassman, '29ba, who entered the Army.

McDANIEL-SYNNOTT: Miss Agnes Odessa McDannel, '25-'26, and William Edward Synnott, '29-'30, Okmulgee, were married October 10 at Norman. Mrs. Synnott was a member of the WAAC as a recruiting officer but did not reenlist when the Women's Army Corps became a part of the Army.

HOWARD-CRAMER: Miss Anita Howard, '29ma, Oklahoma City, to Vernon B. Stansell, '27-'29, petty officer first class in the Navy, Tipton. Miss Howard attended Blackwood-Davis Business College. Mr. Stansell, a member of Pi Kappa Phi fraternity, was employed by Commercial Investment Trust Corporation, Dallas. He is stationed as an instructor at the Gulfport, Mississippi, Naval Base.

KIRK-BOYER: Miss Betty Kirk, '29ba, Bartlesville, and Francis Boyer, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, were married October 18 in Plymouth Meeting, Pennsylvania. Mrs. Boyer, a member of Kappa Alpha Theta sorority, has been engaged in free-lance newspaper work in Mexico City, where she was correspondent for the Christian Science Monitor and the London Daily Times. Last year her book Covering the Mexican Front was published, and she is now working on a second book. The couple will live in Plymouth Meeting, where Mr. Boyer is vice president of a drug firm.

HOWARD-STANSELL: Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Eleanor Howard, '30ba, and John B. Stansell, '27-'29, petty officer first class in the Navy, Tipton. Miss Howard attended Blackwood-Davis Business College. Mr. Stansell, a member of Pi Kappa Phi fraternity, was employed by Commercial Investment Trust Corporation, Dallas. He is stationed as an instructor at the Gulfport, Mississippi, Naval Base.

~1930~

Mrs. Hermione Bjoroe, '30ba, '39ma, has resigned as editor of the Hollis Weekly News.

E. L. DeGolyer, '11ba, Dallas, will serve in an advisory capacity in a search for oil in new fields opened in the Los Angeles area. Mr. DeGolyer, assistant federal petroleum administrator in the conservation program under Harold L. Ickes, was one of several North American geologists who attended a meeting in October in Mexico City to discuss oil exploration. He is an independent producer and consulting geologist operating in Dallas, Texas.

~1935~

Charlotte V. Meeting, '30ba, Seminole, is science editor of the Silver Burdett Publishing Company, New York City.

J. E. Keen, Oklahoma pioneer and father of two alumni, died October 24 at Elk City. Survivors include Paul V. Keen, '27-'30, '39-'42, assistant director of intramural athletics at O. U., and Mrs. Thedna Keen Darby, '30ed, San Antonio, Texas.

Dr. James G. Phillips, '30ba, '38ma, and Mrs. Phillips (Edna Hardin, '31ba) are the parents of a baby daughter Constance Jane born October 7 in Oklahoma City. Dr. Phillips is serving his surgical residency in St. Anthony's Hospital, Oklahoma City.

~1931~

Schuyler Allman, '31ba, Dacona, Oklahoma, former state editor of the Oklahoma City bureau of the Associated Press, has been transferred to the feature staff of the New York AP office. Mr. Allman was at one time news editor of the Abilene Reporter-News, where he covered the Armistice and the First World War, and also reported from Mexico and Central America. He is now stationed in Colombo, Ceylon, India.

Dr. Thomas S. Schwegler, '31ba, Fairview, has resigned as secretary-manager of the Arkansas Press Association to become editor of the Northwest Ar-
Returns to Banking

CHARLES H. FAWKS

Charles H. Fawks, Jr., '19b, Snyder, has been resigned as secretary of the State School Land Commission to accept a position as executive vice president of the Rogers County Bank at Claremore. Mr. Fawks was formerly director for Oklahoma of the United States Employment Service. He was in the banking business before entering government work. He is second vice president of the Alumni Association.

WOLFPRAK: Miss Hannah Ruth Wolf, '37, Davis, Oklahoma, and Capt. Simon M. Frank, Washington, D. C., were married October 2 in Washington. Mrs. Frank has been employed as a dietitian in hospitals in New York and Virginia. The couple will live in Arlington, Virginia.

June Appleman, '36-'38, Oklahoma City, has been appointed concert master of the Philadelphia Opera Company, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. She attended the Julliard School of Music in New York City and formerly was a member of the Oklahoma State Symphony.

Bart Ward, '37a, '38a, '39m,fa, Weatherford, is employed as production illustrator by the Douglas Aircraft Company, Inc., Oklahoma City. Mr. Ward, a member of the Ramblers track team in the early '30s, won the Big Six conference 400-yard dash five times. An artist and sculptor of note, he has been honored by having one of his carved wood pieces chosen for exhibit at the National Exhibit of American Art in Rockefeller Center.

VICKERY-MILLER: Miss Elizabeth Vickery, Arlington, Texas, and James Nicholas Miller, Jr., '35-'38, petty officer second class, Duncan, who attended the Julliard School of Music in New York City and formerly was a member of the Oklahoma State Symphony, were married September 15 at Great Bend. Mrs. Marshall, who attended Chillicothe Business College, Chillicothe, Missouri, was a secretary at the Great Bend Army Air Base. Sergeant Marshall is an instructor at Chilnualna Field, Illinois.

VICKERY-MILLER: Miss Elizabeth Vickery, Arlington, Texas, and James Nicholas Miller, Jr., '35-'38, petty officer second class, Duncan, were married August 15 at Corpus Christi, Texas. Mrs. Miller, a graduate of North Texas Cultural College, Arlington, has been employed at the B. B. McCormick Construction Company, Jacksonville, Florida, where she was employed by the Gulf Oil Company, Odessa, Texas, as a radio operator in the Naval Air Service. She has been chosen as a new employee at the United States Naval Training Center, Corpus Christi, Texas.

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1939

Max Barrett, ’38-39, Wynnewood, has received the degree of doctor of dental surgery and bache-
lor of science in dentistry from the University of Kansas City School of Dentistry. Dr. Barrett
holds a reserve commission in the Dental Corps of the Army and soon will be called to active duty.

Harold Castor, ’39fa, Oklahoma City, has
several sculptured portraits on exhibition last month in the “Portraits of Oklahomans” art show
at the Oklahoma Art Center, Oklahoma City.

Ensign M. T. Cochran, ’39ba, and Mrs. Cochran
(Maryman, ’39ba) are the parents of a baby son M. T. Cochran III born October 12 in

The infant son of Henry M. Black, ’40eng, and Mrs. Black (Virginia Sutherland, ’39u wk)
died last summer in Memphis, Tennessee. Mr. Black is assistant service superintendent of the
DuPont Company and at the Chikaskaw Ordnance Works, Memphis.

GARRETT-WORD: Announcement has been made
of the marriage of Miss Martha Ann Gar-
et, ’40ba, Waukegan, Illinois, to William Garret,
fall, Texas, August 14 in Columbus, South Caro-
la. Mrs. Word is a WAC stationed at Colum-
bia. Mr. Word was employed by the Oklahoma
State Planning Board and later by the Oklahoma City, until he accepted a position with the post
engineer at Sheppard Field, Texas.

HOCH-WALKER: Announcement has been made
of the marriage of Miss Marie Grace Hoch,
’40chem, ’41ms, Bartlesville, to Captain John Walker,
Minneapolis, Minnesota. Miss Hoch, a member of Sigma Xi national honorary scientific
research fraternity, has been employed as an analyst at Beech Aircraft Company, Wichita,
Kansas.

HOFMANN-KITCHINGS: Miss Helen Hoff-
mann, ’40bs, Norman, and William Kichings,
chandler, were married September 23 in Nor-
man. Mrs. Kichings is deputy court clerk in
the Court House at Norman. Mr. Kitchings is
deputycourtclerk in

ELLIS-KIRBY: Miss Donna Ellis, Cushing, and
Gordon Kirby, ’35-’39, Blanchard, were married
September 18 in Oklahoma City. Mr. Kirby, a graduate of Tulsa Business College, has been
employed by the Cushing Refining Company.
Mr. Kirby was a geologist employed by the Petty
Geophysical Engineering Company in Odessa,
Texas.

RISNER-YOUNG: Miss Ruth Risner, ’39, and
Geraldine Kirk, ’39ba, Blanchard, were married
September 18 in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Kir-

BROWN: Miss Miriam Watson, ’40cs, Ardmore, and Dudley Brown, Blackwell,
were married October 1 at Tulsa. Mrs. Brown has been teaching school in Ardmore for several
years. Mr. Brown is a student in the Divinity School at
attending the University of Kansas, Law-
rence. He is associated with the Northern Or-

tle of Okl-

1940

Oscar Ameringer, veteran publisher, author
and labor leader, and grandfather of two alumni, died
November 5 in Oklahoma City. Mr. Ameringer,
who came to Oklahoma City in 1907, was author of
’You Don’t Weaken’, his autobiography pub-
ished in 1940. Survivors include Mrs. James
H. Hopper (Dorothy Ameringer, ’40ba), Flora,
Illinois, and Eugene Oscar Ameringer, ’42-43,
who was stationed at an ASP unit at Hunts-

Murray F. Gibbons, Jr., ’41uw, and Mrs. Gibbons have chosen the name Carol Ann for
their baby daughter born September 15 in Mineral
Wells, Texas.

BARTON-FENDER: Miss Mildred Barton,
Bowling Green, Kentucky, and Lt. Alan T.
Fender, ’38-41, Stroud, were married October 1 at
Bowling Green. Mrs. Fender attended Bowling Green State Teachers College. Lt. Fender, a student
member of Delta Upsilon fraternity, was on maneuvers in

WOOLSEY-BECHTOLD: Miss Betty Jean
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both of Newkirk, were married October 8 in
Tuscaloosa, Alabama. Lt. Bechtold attended
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ACKERS-CAMPBELL: Miss Joyce Ackers
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Lt. John N. Singletary, '41law, and Mrs. Singletary (Lois Virginia Southwell, '41ba) are the parents of a baby daughter Anita Jo born October 5 in Oklahoma City. Lieutenant Singletary was stationed at Bowman Field, Kentucky.

Lt. Edward Fritch and Mrs. Fritch (Peggy Thompson, '37-'41) are the parents of a baby son James Edward born recently in Enid. Lieutenant Fritch has recently returned from overseas duty with the Air Force.

SANDERS-YARBROUGH: Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Evelyn Sanders to Pvt. Laverne A. Yarbrough, '38-'41, both of Norman. Miss Sanders is a graduate of Norman High School. Private Yarbrough was assigned with an ASTP unit at Corvallis, Oregon.

1942

John T. Black, '42eng, Las Cruces, New Mexico, has received his master's degree from the University of Harvard where he received a scholarship after graduation. He is teaching physics at Knox College, Galesburg, Illinois, until a permanent appointment with the Federal Public Housing Authority in Washington, D. C., is approved.

Charlene Bock, '42ed, Cawker City, Kansas, is teaching art in the Wichita High School, Wichita, Kansas.

Katherine Clark, '42bus, Bartlesville, is working as an accountant in Salt Lake City, Utah.

CRANE-RAINWATER: Miss Edith Mae Crane, '42bus, Chandler, and Sgt. Roy L. Rainwater, Sapulpa, were married October 14 at Bristow. Mrs. Rainwater, a member of Chi Omega sorority, has been employed by the Ford Motor Plant in Oklahoma City. Sergeant Rainwater is an engineer gunner in the Army Air Force.

Ellis H. Denning, '42geo, Oklahoma City, is geologist with the Continental Oil Company, Wichita Falls, Texas.

Lou Cele Fry, '42biol, Frederick, is a medical technician in Detroit, Michigan.

Bill J. Graheck, '42arch, '42eng, Coffeyville, Kansas, will soon receive his master's degree from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology where he has been studying on a graduate scholarship given in recognition of outstanding work at O. U. Recently commissioned an ensign in the United States Naval Reserve, he was stationed at Fort Schuyler, New York.

Lt. Teddy B. Nelson, and Mrs. Nelson (Norma Griffeth, '42he) are the parents of a baby daughter Nancy Elaine born recently in Syracuse, New York. Lieutenant Nelson is on overseas duty.

HOLT-KERR: Miss Marcia Holt, LaGrange, Illinois, and Ensign Charles R. Kerr, '42law, Pawnee, were married September 28 in San Francisco. Mrs. Kerr was formerly employed in Chicago. Ensign Kerr, a member of Delta Tau Delta fraternity, has just returned from nine-months service in the South Pacific.

Newton S. Liddell, '42eng, Harlingen, Texas, is an aero-service engineer with the Sperry Gyroscope Company, Inc., in New Orleans, Louisiana.

Leonard M. Logan III, '42, McAlester, who received a medical discharge from the Air Corps in October, has been employed at the Naval Aviation Technical Training Center in Norman.

LOGGIE-PARHAM: Miss Margaret Loggie, '41-'42, Wichita Falls, and Lt. Melvin Lewis Parham, '36-'39, '41, Norman, were married October 12 at Wichita Falls. Mrs. Parham also attended the University of Colorado, Boulder. Lieutenant Parham, a member of Phi Kappa Psi fraternity, has been assigned to Salt Lake City, where the couple will make their home.

Martha Lou Miller, '40-'42, Norman, has completed training as hostess for the American Airways and has been assigned to a run that includes El Paso, Texas, Los Angeles and Memphis, Tennessee.

Gene Potes, '37-'42, Sulphur, has been employed as copy reader on the Tulsa World. He is former telegraph editor of the Muskogee Phoenix.

Ensign Dee A. Replogle, '42, and Mrs. Replogle (Betty Boyle, '41-'42) are the parents of a baby son Dee A. Replogle, Jr., born October 1

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in Oklahoma City. Ensign Replogle is on sea duty.

Mrs. Ben Allen Robinson (Dorothy Lee Robinson, '42) is employed by the American Crystal Sugar Company, Rocky Ford, Colorado. Mr. Robinson, who is a private first class in the Army, is stationed at the Army Air Base, La Junta, Colorado.

CREEKMORE-TRUMBO: Miss Betty Creekmore and Lt. Charles E. Trumbo, '42, both of Wewoka, were married October 1 at St. Petersburg, Florida. Mrs. Trumbo is a graduate of Hill's Business College, Oklahoma City. Lieutenant Trumbo, former sports editor on the Wewoka Times-Democrat and Seminole Producer, was stationed at the Army Air Base, St. Petersburg, Florida, where the couple will live.

YOST-PITTS: Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Elsie Yost, '42, ed., and Ted Pitts, both of Oklahoma City, in August in Reno, Nevada. Mrs. Pitts formerly taught in Lincoln School, Ponca City. Mr. Pitts is an engineer on a government project in Hanford, Washington, where the couple will live.

1943

CONRAD-ALEXANDER: Miss Shirley Conrad, Reydon, Oklahoma, and Aviation Cadet Allen J. Alexander, '42-'43, Stafford, were married October 16 at Pine Bluff, Arkansas. Mrs. Alexander attended Southwestern Institute of Technology, Weatherford. Mr. Alexander received his pre-flight training at San Antonio, Texas.

Carlysle Jack Baker, Jr., '43, arch., '43, eng., Norman, is doing architectural work on war housing projects in Tucson, Arizona. He is waiting to be called in the Navy V-7 program.

Mary Ann Batchelor, '43, fa, Bennington, is employed by the Durant National Bank.

JOHNSON-BOWLES: Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Enid Ruth Johnson, Oklahoma City, to Eldred L. Bowles, '43, eng., Fairview. Miss Johnson, a graduate of St. Anthony Hospital School of Nursing, has been on the staff at St. Anthony Hospital in Oklahoma City. Mr. Bowles is employed by the North American Aircraft Company, Kansas City. James Marcus Carmichael, '42-'43, Tulsa, is an engineer with the Cessna Aircraft Company, Wichita, Kansas.

DAY-DODSON: Miss Charlotte Day, O. U. freshman student, and Pvt. Joe A. Dodson, '42-'43, both of Cordell, were married in September in Oklahoma City. Private Dodson was stationed with the ASTP unit at A. and M. College, Stillwater.

CARSON-FLOYD: Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Juanita Carson to Lt. Max R. Floyd, '39-'43, both of Wewoka. Miss Carson is a graduate of Wewoka High School. Lieutenant Floyd, who graduated from the Armed Force Officer Candidate School, Fort Knox, Kentucky, was taking a course in battle maneuvers, after which he will be assigned as a battle training instructor in the Armored Replacement Training Center at Fort Knox.

Mrs. Wayne Goodall (Joan Foster, '33a), Oklahoma City, is employed in the office of the dean of the College of Engineering at the University of Missouri, Columbia. Mr. Goodall, '41-'43, was assigned for ASTP training at the University of Missouri.

Dorothy Gartung, '43, he, Miami, is an intern in dietetics at the University Hospital at Oklahoma City.

Sue Green, '43, fa, who had charge of art work for the Oklahoma Memorial Union while a student in the University, has gone to New York City, where she plans to enter the advertising and promotion field in connection with a publishing firm.

R. M. Hutchins, Jr., '43, geoL, Tyler, Texas, has been employed by the Stanolind Oil and Gas Company, Houston, Texas.

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