Stories presented in miniature provide evidence of happenings to more than 200 alumni

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24 Mrs. Elizabeth Carr, the former Elizabeth Ball, 24ba, 40masa, will teach in the department of speech at the University of California after completing the current semester at the University of Hawaii.

Charles L. Beatty, 26ba, 38med, is now superintendent of schools at Orr.

Harrelling Wimberly, 24ba, owner of the Altus Times Democrat is now living in Washington, D. C. where he is a member of the Federal Power Commission. The Wimblys have two daughters, Janis, 18, and Mary Margaret, 15. While attending the University, Wimberly was a member of Alpha Tau Omega, social fraternity, Sigma Delta Chi, journalism fraternity and was business manager of the Oklahoma Daily in 1923-24. He is now a member of the National Press Club, Washington and director of the Oklahoma Society for Crippled Children.

26 Al Steen, 26, is living in Hollywood, California. He has worked on several magazines there including the Hollywood Reporter and the Film Daily.

27 Alvin Lawrence Crable, 27ba, is special assistant to the administrator of the General Services Administration in Washington, D. C. He was a member of Phi Delta Kappa honorary fraternity while attending the University. Crable was also State Superintendent of Public Instruction from 1936 to 1947.

1. Phil Burns, 27ba, Oklahoma City security broker, has been named to manage the campaign of the Rev. W. H. Alexander for U. S. senator.

28 Rosemary Draughon, 28-30, is an instructor in the fourth grade at Los Alamos, New Mexico.

Edna F. Bell, 28masa, is now living at Pea Ridge, Arkansas.

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Harrell E. Chiles, 34eng, and Mrs. Chiles, the former Wilma Klein, 36fa, are living in Midland, Texas, where Chiles is president and owner of the Western Company. The Chiles have two children Carol Ann, 9, and Jerry Edmond, 6. While a student at the University he was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon social fraternity. Chiles is now a member of the American Association of Oil Well Drilling Contractors, vice president of the West Texas Mid-Continental Oil and Gas Association, director of IPAA, executive committee-President Basin Chapter of American Petroleum Institute and is on the Midland Chamber of Commerce board.

A Hat Was Missing

20 Years Ago

Miss Barbara Findlay, 33ba, added a laurel during her summer vacation spent in Wichita, Kansas, by winning the title of "Miss Kansas" over seventy contestants in a state-wide competition held in Wichita. Some of the results: A trip to the national beauty pageant at Galveston, Texas; a complete wardrobe; a private car for herself and mother to attend the Texas pageant; hurricane life membership in the Kansas Aeronautical Association; and possibilities of movie contracts.

Dick Pearce, 31journ, then editor of the Oklahoma Daily, opened a crusade against the queens of the undergraduates. As a result of disclosures of the loose methods permitted in selecting one queen, University administrative officers planned to approve no more beauty contests in which a prize was the reward. Pearce is now on the editorial staff of the San Francisco Examiner.

The University's lone policeman, W. L. Ball, known far and wide by his black hat of western slant, was missing from the campus. Lack of funds compelled the University to lay him off, with nine other employees. Faculty members who were prone to park their cars in the forbidden spaces in the oval, shed no tears. No policeman, much nullification.

Robert Weidman, 31ba, received the Books Abroad award for the best French translation in the modern language department. Translator Weidman was the first student to win two foreign language prizes. He won first place the year before in the German contest sponsored by Zion Evangelical Church. He now lives in Arlington, Virginia.

While a student at the University he was a member of Delta Chi, social fraternity and the University Orchestra.

Dr. Evelyn M. Rude, 35bs, 35med, left New York, December 28, 1949, for Saudi, Arabia, where she'll be employed as a physician by the Arabian-American Oil Company. A former member of the Student Health service staff at the University, she will be one of two women doctors in a territory one-third as large as the United States. Dr. Rude was with the state health department in Oklahoma City from 1942-45.

Frank D. Smith, 26-27, and Mrs. Smith, the former Mildred Frost, 35ba, are living in Pampa, Texas, where Smith is owner of Smith's Quality Shoe Stores in Pampa and Borger. They have two sons, Frank D., 11, and David L., 10. While students at the University Smith was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha social fraternity and is now a member of Alpha Phi, social sorority.

Margaret N. Vail, 35fa, 36fa, is supervisor in the accounting department of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company in Washington, D. C.

William M. Briggs, 36Law, is a member of the law firm of Culbertson, Briggs, and Pendleton in Washington, D. C. He was a member of the varsity golf team while attending the University.

Joseph J. Leon, 36fa, is an instructor of modern languages at Missouri University, University City. Mrs. C. Fafford, 36fa, 46fa, is now head resident and speech teacher in the Southern Oregon State college.

Lucile Campbell Waldrop, 36ba, is now living in Arlington, Texas, where she is teaching in the public schools.

Dr. J. R. Colvert, 36ba, 41med, and Mrs. Colvert, Oklahoma City, have chosen the name Susan Gail Colvert for their daughter born January 20.

John O'Neil, 36fa, 39na, associate professor of art at the University, won the $100 Nieman-Marcus purchase award in an exhibition of southwestern prints and drawings. His wash and ink drawing was entitled "Episode."

John D. Locke, 36bsus, now lives in Houston where he is a partner of S. B. Locke and Company, Cotton Merchants and Exporters. He and Mrs. Locke have three children, Jere S., 5, Stephen S., 4, and Martha Louise, age 2. While a student at the University he was a member of Kappa Alpha, social fraternity.

QUESENBERY-McEACHIN: Alice Quesenbery, 36med, and Wright D. McEachin, both of Tulsa were married October 8 in the Rose Chapel of the Boston Avenue Methodist Church, Tulsa. Prior to her marriage Mrs. McEachin was a partner and geologist for the Denver Sample Log Service, Denver. The couple is now living in Midland where Mr. McEachin is a geologist employed by Sinclair Oil Company.

John F. Malone, 37ba, director of the University adult study center in Oklahoma City, was installed as the new president of the Uptown Kiwanis Club as a banquet and dance in the Oklahoma Club January 21.

L. W. Calahan, 37geol, is employed by the Texas Company, New Orleans, Louisiana.

Dr. John Gittinger, 38ba, 39ms, clinical psychologist at Central State Hospital, Norman, has resigned his position there to become a member of the staff of the Central Intelligence Agency in Washington, D. C. He will begin his new duties on February 15.

Spofford G. English, 38ba, 40ms, is chief of the chemistry branch, division of research, U. S. Atomic Energy Commission in Washington, D. C.

The Oklahoma University Executive Committee announces the birth of a daughter, Martha Dell, 33, Dr. Winningham is interning at Wesley Hospital, Norman, has resigned his position as a research assistant and will become a member of the staff of the Central Intelligence Agency in Washington, D. C. He will begin his new duties on February 15.

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The Play's the Thing
15 Years Ago

Here's further proof of the power of love. In 1935 the stages became so numerous at free Saturday afternoon dance fests in the Oklahoma Union ballroom that an admission of twenty-five cents was charged. Gentlemen dancers without dates. Couples were admitted free. The number of stages immediately decreased and the number of women students escorted to the dances showed a striking increase.

An original three-act play by Robert Whitehand, '33ba, then a graduate student at the University of Iowa, was produced by the University Playhouse on that campus early in the spring of '35. Whitehand wrote the drama while he was on a fellowship to Iowa University. The play concerned Oklahoma oil fields and farmers. Whitehand was killed in action on March 27, 1945.

Weather Note. Spring's first gentle south wind arrived in Norman early in March bringing with it sand and dust from the dry Canadian River bed. While a large part of the state gasped through general dust storms, the campus got more than its share from the mile-wide river bed that accommodates the ten-foot-wide Canadian River.

A radio play, written by Ernie Hill, '38ba, then editor of the Sooner Magazine, won the third annual Oklahoma original drama contest sponsored by Phantom Mask, dramatic society at the University. The title of the play was The Moment of Truth. Ernie is now a foreign correspondent in South America.

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Byron Chew, '46na, and Mrs. Chew have both been teaching in Tucumcari, New Mexico, since 1948.

Audrey Covelle George, '44la, is graduate assistant in chemistry library at the University of Illinois, Urbana, Illinois.

Dr. David Geigerman, '46med, and Mrs. Geiger- 
man, Dallas, have selected the name Miriam Rose 
for their daughter born December 31. They have a son, Michael Geigerman.

BRAGG-JOHNSON: Ann Claire Bragg, Rochester, New York, and F. Eugene Johnson, '46na, Oklahoma City, were recently married in Rochester. The couple will establish a home in Rochester.

Carl L. Shimek, '44-45, recently accepted a civil engineer position with Forrest and Cotton, Consulting Engineers in Dallas, Texas. He and Mrs. Shimek have two sons, James Samuel, two months and John Carl, born September 15, 1949.

'45 Laurel Bonita Fitzwater, '45ba, is director of social activities and editor of Southwestern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas. While a student at the University she was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta, social sorority, Psi Chi, German Club, Phi Beta Kappa, Mortar Board and participated in intramural hockey, basketball, volleyball and baseball.

Mrs. Robert Rogers Brown, the former Bonnie Maree Knight, '45ba, is now living in Oklahoma City. Her husband, Mr. Brown is employed as director of housing at Miami University.

Wayne E. Loch, '45eng, and his wife, the former Jean Hunter, '44ba, are living in Dallas, Texas, where Loch is a senior party chief for the Texas Highway department.

R. E. Effner, '47en, is a mechanical engineer for Phillips Petroleum Company in the plains plant, Borger, Texas.

HARRIS-MAYFIELD: Lovelyn Harris, Baldford, Virginia, and Robert C. Mayfield, '46na, Norman, Oklahoma City, were recently married in Oklahoma City. The couple is at home in Oklahoma City.

Mrs. H. R. Mackey, the former Tom Burnham, '46en, was a recent houseguest, along with her husband and son, at their parents home in Oklahoma City. She is now living in Pensacola, Florida where Lt. Mackey is in the marine corps.

Jack Davis, '45na, recently returned from Paris where he worked in the secret and confidential documents division of the embassy, dealing with the administration of the Marshall plan. He returned to the United States to enter the publishing business in New York City.

Lawrence C. Keaton, '45eng, is an associate mechanical engineer for Phillips Petroleum Company in Borger, Texas. While a student at the University he was a member of Tau Omega and Pi Tau Sigma, mechanical engineering fraternity.

'46 Steve Gergeni, '46med, is a physical education instructor for the United States government in the Canal Zone.

Cora Parrish, '46na, '48na, is an instructor in the second grade at Fruitvale, Colorado.

John F. Keating and Mrs. Keating, the former Helen Jane Laughlin, '46na, Oklahoma City, have announced the birth of a son, John Robert, born December 20 in St. Anthony Hospital, Oklahoma City.

'47 GRIMES-GOOCH: Nita Lou Grimes, '47-48, Washington, D. C., and John Deign Gooch, '47-48, Oklahoma City, were married December 28 in the St. Paul's Episcopal Cathedral in Oklahoma City. The couple is at home in Oklahoma City.

Marty J. Lack, '47ed, is music teacher in Lowell, Oklahoma City.

Nolan Lackey, '47-49, is now an agent for the Prudential Insurance Company, Norman.

Ray King, '47-49, is teaching at Witchita.

William S. Harmon, '47na, is now teaching history in the Northern Oklahoma Junior College at Tonkawa.

Corinne Huckleberry, '47, is a vocal music teacher at Frederick.

Dorothy Jane Bos, '47ba, is secretary to the president of the Yellow Transit Lines at Oklahoma City.

Robert M. Dillon, '47na, is teaching in the Gravette, Arkansas, public schools.

Joe I. Myers, '47na, is now teaching choral and vocal music at Portales, New Mexico.

Pearl Armstrong, '47-49, is now teaching at Doyle.

Glenn Munger, '47na, is a public school instructor at Pawnee Rock, Kansas.

William Nolan, '47na, is a spanish instructor at Ruidoso, New Mexico.

CANNON-WOOD: Betty Jo Cannon, Oklahoma City, became the bride of H. Seth Wood, '47eng, Oklahoma City. After a wedding trip to the South the couple has established a residence in Oklahoma City.

James William Moffit, '47phd, is an associate professor of history at Furman University, Greenville, South Carolina.

A Peace Pipe Added

10 Years Ago

A new tradition was begun at the University in '40. A peace pipe was decided as the spoils for the victor of the Missouri-Oklahoma football game. Missouri won the first game. But Oklahoma had possession of the trophy for a few days. At the half, the Missouri representative, believing that O.U. would win the game, presented the pipe to Jack Marks, '40, Marks became caught in the after-game traffic jam and got away without returning the pipe to the Missouri delegation. A few days later Ted Beard, '42, returned the pipe to Missou.

"Like hitting a jackpot," was the way Mrs. Julian Holliman, the former Margaret Shaw, '24ba, described her victory in a national contest. For the ten-word slogan submitted in a contest, a shortening manufacturer awarded her the grand prize of $5,000. She and her husband used the money to complete payments on their new home in San Francisco. Entering contests had been a hobby of Mrs. Holliman for several years. She had won a number of prizes, but most of them had been small ones.

Football fans of Wewoka were so pleased with the record of their football coach, Frank Crider, '30, former Sooner football star, that they arranged to send him and Mrs. Crider to California to see the Rose Bowl game. The gesture of appreciation was described as "a recognition of a grand guy and a good workman. He's now a coach at West Central State College, Ada, Oklahoma City. Robert D. Davis, '47ba, Muskogee, formerly assigned to the American consulate at Bremen, Germany spent a 60-day leave at home and is now behind the Iron Curtain in Sofia, Bulgaria as third secretary to the United States legation there. While on leave the University at Iowa was elected to Phi Beta Kappa and was a member of Phi Gamma Delta social fraternity.

Dr. Clarence P. Taylor, '47med, and Mrs. Tay- lor, Ada have selected the name Pamela Taylor for their daughter born January 17.

EZELL-NOLAN: Grace Ann, Monroe, Louisi- ana, and Bill Nolan, '46ed, Norman, were married December 26 in Monroe. They are now at home in Ruidoso, New Mexico where Mr. Nolan is a teacher in the Ruidoso public schools.

'48 Mrs. Henry Tyler, the former Mary Jane Olney, '48na, is now living in Pampa, Texas where her husband is minister of the First Christian Church.

TEMPLETON-BINKLEY: Nelia Templeton, '43ed, and George M. Binkley, '47eng, both of Oklahoma City were married January 8 in Wesley Methodist Church in Oklahoma City. Following a wedding trip to the South the couple has established a residence in Oklahoma City.

William M. Tonkin, '47na, is now a member of the New Orleans Geological Society and the American Association of Petroleum Geologists.

BAINUM-LAChANCE: Jeanette Gayle Bainum, '48na, and Edward L. LaChance were married November 24, 1949. Mrs. LaChance is at present employed as cashier in the Wilson Center cafeteria and is working towards her masters degree in art. LaChance is a senior student at the University.

Paul Rudell, '48Law, Davis, has been named assistant chief of the new safety responsibility section of the public safety department.

LABlanc-JARRELL: Kay Thresa Le Blanc, Abbeville, Louisiana, became the bride of Lewis Jarrell, '48eng, Wewoka, on December 20.

Lex Shelley, Jr., '48pharm, and Mrs. Shelley have announced the birth of a daughter, Jo Anne, born January 1. Shelley is employed at the U.S. Center in Galveston, Texas where he is employed as a pharmacist in Holland's RX Center.

Edward R. Warr, '48Law, is employed in the land department of Shell Oil Company in Oklahoma City. He is married to the former Ruth Lilley, '48na.

RUBINs-GORDON: Esther Edith Rubins, '39-42, and Richard Gordon, '48na, both of Oklahoma City were married recently in the home of the bride's parents. The couple has established a home in Denver, Colorado.

James Clarene Peard, '48na, and Mrs. Peard, the former Mary Elizabeth Jones, '48na, are now living in Scottsbluff, Nebraska. Peard is a junior engineer with the St. Louis Pipe Line Company.
While students at the University Pearl was a member of Pi Kappa Alpha social fraternity and Mrs. Peard was a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma social sorority.

Hershel L. Carver, Jr., '48ba, is supervisor geologist in production for the Standard Oil Company of Texas, Midland, Texas.

Lyman W. Kaul, '48ba, recently completed a two-year administrative training course in industrial relations with Ford Motor Company, Dearborn, Michigan. He has now been placed in the purchasing department as a buyer of castings, forgings and machine parts. The company's training course included a year's experience in shop practices and a year of administrative staff work. While a student at the University Kaul was a member of the Sooner Hoist staff, NROTC, Independent Men's executive council and participated in the University intramural athletic program.

'49 PORTWOOD-BAILEY: Helen Joy Portwood, '49bus, Norman, and Justin Manley Bailey, senior business administration student also of Norman, were married December 28 in McFarlin Memorial Methodist Church by the pastor, Rev. Phil Deschner.

Hugh W. Treadwell, '49ba, is now attending the Institute of Touraine in Tours, France, a branch of the Faculty of Letters of the University of Poitiers. He transferred to the University the second semester from the University of Brussels, Belgium.

BURTON-HOFFMAN: Joan Burton, '49ba, Oklahoma City, and John Monroe Hoffman, '49ba, Maud, were married January 7 in the First Christian Church of Edmond. They are at home in Oklahoma City.

RIMMER-GARRETT: Elizabeth Rimmer, '48fa, Idabel, and Tom W. Garrett, Jr., '49Law, Oklahoma City, were married recently in the Presbyterian Church of Idabel. After a wedding trip to New Orleans, Louisiana the couple is at home in Oklahoma City.

F. Warren Black, '49bus, is employed on the staff of Brelsford, Gifford and Hardesty, certified public accountants, Topeka, Kansas.

Earl Preston Hale, '49geo1, is a petroleum geologist for the Gulf Refining Company in Harvey, Louisiana. His home is in New Orleans.

E. Gilmore Love, '49ms, Mrs. Love and their son, Clark Gilmore, have established a home in Oklahoma City where Mr. Love is on the faculty of Capitol Hill junior highschool.

Velda Jean Brown, '49, is employed as secretary to the superintendent of the Hobbs, New Mexico municipal schools.

COLE-REESE: Donna Mae Cole, '49h.ec, Tishomingo and Allen L. Reese, '49bus, Oklahoma City were married recently.

2nd Lt. George W. McClure, Jr., '49ba, has completed an assignment of Fort Riley, Kansas and is now stationed at Fort Bliss, El Paso, Texas.

James R. Herrington, Jr., '49eng, is now a field engineer for Otis Pressure Control Incorporated in Houston, Texas. He and Mrs. Herrington have one son, James A., III, age 4. During the war Herrington was in the army airforce training command as a 1st lieutenant, bombardier and navigator.

FOREMAN-MORRISON: Morene M. Foreman, '49pharm, and Don A. Morris, '49pharm, both of Oklahoma City, were married recently in Oklahoma City. They are at home in Oklahoma City.
Hoberecht Chosen President

Earnest Hoberecht, '41, journalist United Press manager for Japan, has been elected president of the Tokyo Correspondents Club.

Hoberecht fills the unexpired term of Allen Raymond of the New York Herald Tribune who resigned to return to the United States. Previously Hoberecht served as first vice president. He was succeeded as first vice president by Burton Crane of the New York Times.

With a Will, a Way

After running out of steam in the last two periods of the first wrestling match of his life, and losing by decision to Raymond Haynes of the Colorado Aggies, here recently, Jim Weatherall, Oklahoma's 225-pound rookie lightweight from Hooker, who plays second team left tackle on Oklahoma's football team, Sugar Bowl champions, told Wrestling Coach Port Robertson: "Coach, why don't we use the platoon system in wrestling? I'll go on the first three minutes, Bart Skaggs can take 'em the second period and Larry Cotton can work the last one."

One of the trials of student enrollment has been sectioning. For the second semester the procedure was greatly simplified by pre-enrollment and sectioning by priority in accordance with the class groupings. The small number of enrollees pictured above emphasize the change.