ATTORNEY, oil man, soldier, civic leader and sincere friend of the University of Oklahoma is Lowrey H. Harrell, of Ada, the 1938 appointee to the Board of Regents.

He graduated from the University School of Law in 1916, and so can view the institution's problems from the viewpoint both of an alumnus and as a citizen of Oklahoma.

Although a successful oil man and soldier, he now devotes his time to general law practice as a member of the Ada law firm, Busby, Harrell and Trice. The firm's business is largely for oil and gas companies and Mr. Harrell's specialty is Indian land titles.

The road to success in law and business was no easy one. Like Joe McBride, '28, who was the 1937 appointee to the Board of Regents, Mr. Harrell worked his way through the University. He was forced to rely on his own work to pay all his expenses and he ran a laundry agency, got himself elected treasurer of the student association for three years, and was treasurer of the athletic association. Those jobs were elective and paid fairly good salaries, so it may be deduced that he acquired a practical knowledge of politics at an early age.

During the summer terms he worked in the University treasurer's office, and he spent twelve months in the year on the campus during his college years.

He was a member of Kappa Sigma social fraternity and was a charter member of Phi Alpha Delta, law fraternity.

After his graduation from the Law School in 1916, he practiced law for a time in Yale, Oklahoma, but the following April he entered the first Officers Training Camp at Fort Roots, Little Rock, Arkansas. He was commissioned a first lieutenant in the Field Artillery at the close of the training course, and was assigned to the 87th Division. He was instructor in field artillery and equitation in the third Officers Training Camp for a time, but later was released from that duty and served overseas for eight months. During his service he was promoted to the rank of captain in the Field Artillery.

When discharged from the army in April, 1919, Mr. Harrell returned to his home town, Ada, and began practice of law with Orel Busby, '14law. This partnership continued until Mr. Busby was elected district judge.

Only last August, the firm was reformed following the resignation of Mr. Busby as member of the State Supreme Court. Al-