12 T. L. Blakemore, ’12, is an attorney at law in Sapulpa.

15 Robert B. Keenan, ’15ba, has a general civil practice of law in Glade-
water, Texas.

16 Loren Billingsley, ’16, is engaged in the general practice of civil law, specializing in title and estate businesses in Fort Worth, Texas.

17 Mrs. Pete Ray Ogden, the former Florence Keller, ’17ba, Phi Beta Kappa and Kappa Delta Pi, now lives in Meno. Her son, Ray, is a freshman at the University.

18 Allan Falkenstine, ’17, is engaged in a general practice of law in Watonga.

19 Walter L. Ditzler, ’17Law, is owner of the Pension Analysis Bureau in Dallas, Texas.

18 Ned Shephard, ’18, publisher of the Law-
son Constitution was honored by the members of the Oklahoma Press Asso-
ciation at their second annual meeting held at the University May 7. He was commended for his service on the University Board of Regents.

20 G. F. McCain, ’18ba, is manager and operator of the Orlando Solarium in Orlando, Florida.

21 Rex Belisle, ’21Law, ’49-year-old Oklahoma City attorney, died recently in Methodist Hospital, Hartbeek, Missis-
sippi, of a heart attack. Belisle was returning to Oklahoma City when he was stricken at a Houston hospital.

22 Frantz C. Conrad, ’22Law, has an-
ounced that his son, Frantz C. Con-
rad, Jr., ’28ba, ’50Law, will be asso-
ciated with him in the general practice of law with offices at suite 440, Oklahoma Natural Building, Oklahoma City.

23 James Roy Seitz, ’23, is engaged in a private practice of law in Highland Park, Illinois.

24 Gentry Lee, ’24Law, is engaged in a
general civil practice of law in Tulsa.

Several Changes Made

25 Years Ago

S ooners everywhere were sending in con-
tributions to help build the Memorial
Stadium and Union Building. One of these was May E. Wilson, ’17ba, serving as an educational missionary with Colegio More-
los Aquasalientes, Mexico. She is still em-
ployed in that position.

S. Deborah Haines, ’13ba, ’49m.f.a., was teaching English at the Peking University in China. She wrote back, “I have one class of 18 freshmen and another of 13 sopho-
ores. These boys are extremely polite, bright and attentive. They rise and bow in Chinese fashion when I enter.” She now lives in Norman.

The year 1925 saw several changes in the administrative lineup. Dr. W. B. Bizzell, former president of Texas A&M. College was chosen as president of the University.

Dr. James S. Buchanan was named vice president of the University and professor of history. He was given a year’s leave of absence to study at the Congressional Li-
brary, Washington, D. C.

Another milestone in the Stadium pro-
mogram was reached in June of 1925. The contract was let to Campbell and Price, contractors of Oklahoma City, calling for the completion of 15,000 concrete seats by October 1. The present stadium seats well over 50,000.
Guy Elected Vice President

Charles H. Guy, 32journ, publisher of the Lubbock (Texas) Avalanche-Journal, has been elected vice president of the Texas Associated Press Managing Editors Association.

Guy was elected by the organization at its annual convention in Galveston. He was a reporter for the El Reno American and sports editor of the Bristow Record before leaving the state in 1924 to join the Lubbock papers.

A Spectacular Political Race

20 Years Ago

One of the most spectacular political races of 1930 was one made by Huey Long. '12, then governor of Louisiana. Faced by almost united opposition of Louisiana newspapers and the party leaders of New Orleans, he was elected to the United States Senate. He became the first University alumnus to be elected to that position.

By a simple majority of one, the ladies demonstrated they were intellectual superiors. There were 32 intellectual women compared to 33 intellectual men who made "A" averages during the semester. The Sooner Magazine contributor Jack Fischer, 32journ, was one of the all "A" group.

Earl Sparling, '19, was Washington correspondent for the Scripps-Howard newspapers. His book Mystery Men of Wall Street was a best seller. His book of short stories "Under the Levee" was a first edition collector's item.

Aldrich Blake, Oklahoma City capitalist, endowed Books Abroad, international quarterly of comment on foreign books edited by Dr. Roy Temple House and published by the University Press, with $10,000. This was the third endowment the magazine had received, but the first by any individual.

Open Sesame. A fine eye for detail and a vivid imagination helped Mrs. Erich Eichholz see the beauty and artistry inherent in the south door of the administration building.
May 12. Maj. Hackett will be stationed in Germany for a 3-year tour of duty.

Dr. Jess Nathan, ’35ed, ’41Law, is western administrator for the Zionist Organization of America with offices in Los Angeles, California.

William L. Brodersen, ’38ba, ’35Law, is practicing law in Chickasha.

H. Richard Wilson, ’35, is manager of the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company, Houston, Texas.

Walter M. Morrison, ’35Law, is vice president of the First National Bank, Prague.

Joseph T. Martin, Jr., ’35-38, is practicing law in Oklahoma City.

F. Allen Calvert, Jr., ’36ba, ’36Law, is a member of the firm of Calvert and Brockham, oil producers and contractors in Olney, Illinois.

Tom L. Blakemore, ’36ba, ’38Law, Sapulpa, became the first foreigner granted an unlimited license to practice law in Japan, according to a recent Associated Press dispatch from Tokyo. Only 11 other Americans ever had been licensed to practice law in Japan. All were restricted to the practice of American or British law. Blakemore took the Japanese bar examination in the Japanese language. He is admitted to full practice on the same basis as Japanese lawyers. His address is 512-B Fukoku Building, 2-Chome Ushiai-cho, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, Japan.

Fred V. Shirley, ’36ba, ’38Law, is an attorney at law in Watonga.

Ray C. Snodgrass, ’36ba, ’38Law, is a special agent for Crum and Forster, western department, Freeport, Illinois.

Milton W. Hardy, ’33Law, ’37ba, is an instructor in law at the University of Tulsa. He also has a general practice of law in Tulsa.

Alber F. Bond, ’37ba, ’40Law, is an attorney at law in Chicago, Illinois.

Capt. C. V. Edwards, ’37ba, ’39Law, is now stationed at headquarters 5th Arm Corps, Chicago, Illinois.

Will Rogers, Jr., was praised by Sally Rogers McSpadden, Will’s sister. She said, “I feel that it is the best in the state.”

John G. Mitchell, ’19ma, superintendent of Seminole city schools, had 34 University alumni working on his teaching staff. His staff included 82 teachers. Thus, exactly 40 percent of the Seminole teaching staff was comprised of former Sooner students. The ‘35 Sooner commented, “This, perhaps, is one of the reasons why the Seminole school system is regarded as one of the best in the state.”

David R. Milsten, ’25ba, ’28Law, Tulsa attorney, was the author of An Appreciation of Will Rogers, released by Naylor Publishing Company. Milsten’s biography was praised by Sally Rogers McSpadden, Will’s sister. She said, “I feel that it is the only authentic review of the life of my brother that has been written.”

Graduates of the law school in 1932 held most of the county attorneyships in the vicinity of Altus in ’35. Roy Steele was assistant Jackson county attorney; Lester Clay was assistant Kiowa county attorney; Mack Townsend was Tillman county attorney; and Victor Waters was Greer county attorney.
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'45 Dr. W. H. Dersch, Jr., '45 med, and Mrs. Dersch, Norman, have selected the name David James Dersch for their son born May 2 in University Hospital.

'46 Talbert B. Westmoreland, '46ba, is an attorney and counselor at law in Salina.

Huffman Walker, '46, and his wife are now living in Kansas City, Missouri, where Walker is office manager and car distributor for the Pontiac Motor Division of General Motors. Before accepting his present position he was assistant office manager for the division. While attending the University, Walker was a member of the Accounting Club, participated in intramural sports and was social chairman and treasurer of Phi Kappa Sigma, social fraternity. During the war, he was stationed at the University; Wellesley College, Boston.

'HUFFMAN WALKER

'Sooner Clears Censor 10 Years Ago

Soon Magzine heard from Christine Squire, '38, 3ba, 40ma, first girl editor of the Oklahoma Daily. She reported she had left the University of Minnesota Press to take a position with the Farm Security Administration at Milwaukee. Now she is a radio and freelance writer in Chicago.

Professors' right to the championship title in forgetfulness was challenged by a law school grad. Upon being invited to come back to the class reunion in June, he wrote the alumni office inquiring, "What class do I belong to, if any?"

Both romance and a career came during the summer to Annete Burford, '38, of Oklahoma City. In July she won first place in the annual nation-wide contest conducted by the Chicago Opera Company to select new talent for the company. A few weeks later she was married to William Gordon Stuart, '39, eng.

Midge Pyle, '38, had the distinction of being the first red-haired hostess for the Braniff Air Lines. She was a member of Delta Gamma Sorority while attending the University.

Sooner Magazine was relieved in '40 to find that censors did not consider the Sooner guilty of trying to conduct espionage through its Engineer Alumni Directory. A request for a copy was received from Abbas S. Stahpooosh, '36, eng, '37, geol, Teheran, Iran. The envelope bore a label "Opened by Censor" and was stamped "Passed — Censor."
The wistful looking young man is none other than Bud Wilkinson, headman for Sooner athletics and football coach. The empty stands will have a different look when Wilkinson fields his charges this fall.

Massachusetts: Naval Training Base, Sampson, New York: Quartermaster Training School, Gulfport, Mississippi; Naval Operations Base, Norfolk, Virginia and aboard the USS Gosselin in the Atlantic, Pacific and Asiatic theaters.

Robert W. Sullivan, '47, Law, is an attorney for the western division of the California Company with headquarters in Denver, Colorado.

Charles J. "Joe" Conkling, '47, Geol, and Mrs. Patricia Haney Conkling, '47, Midland, Texas, have announced the birth of a son, Stephen Russell, born April 1st.

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James D. Hill, '49pharm, and his wife, Irene Cottrell Hill, '49pharm, are now at home in Oklahoma City, where Hill is a pharmacist in the Richard Drug Store.

James H. Nease, '49Law, Ithiel, has been appointed county judge of McCurtain County. He succeeds the late Judge Carl Prewitt. Prior to becoming county judge, Nease was assistant county attorney.

James B. Samolin, '49Law, and W. H. Cooper have established a law partnership in Anadarko.

Maj. Phillip A. Fitter, '49gcol, is now stationed with the air forces in Fairbanks, Alaska. He and Mrs. Fitter have three children, James, 5, Mary Jane, 3, and John, 2. While attending the University as a special student with the air forces, Maj. Fitter was a member of the Pick and Hammer Club and Sigma Gamma Epsilon, geology fraternity.

Richard E. Hanna, '49eng, is now residing in Tulsa, where he is working for the Par-Ex Machine Company.

James William Brown, '49ba, '50Law, is employed by U. S. Fidelity and Guaranty Company, Oklahoma City, in the legal department.

J. L. Nichols, '49gcol, is now employed by Gulf Oil Corporation in Shreveport, Louisiana. He and Mrs. Nichols have a daughter, Suzanne, 1.

Hoyt O. Burckhalter, '49 gcol, and Mrs. Burckhalter, the former Betty Ruth Cook, '49ba, are residing in Wichita Falls, Texas, where Burckhalter is a geologist for S. D. Johnson Oil Producer. While attending the University he was a member of Pick and Hammer Club.

Kenneth E. Oglesby, '49gcol, is now an assistant geologist in the firm of William H. Rozetter, Consulting Petroleum Engineer in Wichita Falls, Texas. He and Mrs. Oglesby have a daughter, Sherry Lain, ten months. During the war years he served 27 months in the navy radio-gunnery training program. Oglesby is now a member of the North Texas Geological Society, Committee on Secondary Recovery for North Texas Oil and Gas Association. He lists as his hobbies hunting, fishing, rocks and minerals.

Jayne Nishi Mendenhall, '49Law, is engaged in the general practice of law in Edmond.

Robert J. Nichols, '49Law, is engaged in a private practice of law in Duncan.

Wilson B. Pickett, '50bus, Willow Run, Michigan, plans to receive his master of business administration from the University of Michigan this month. He has accepted a position for September as assistant professor of marketing at Marshall College, Huntington, West Virginia.

Cecil Bahnert, and his wife, the former Jane McCrory, '49ed, Sulphur, have chosen the name Richard Ray for their son who was born recently at DeLay Hospital in Sulphur.

Roy Angel, '49ba, sports editor of the Shawnee News-Star discussed tips on how to cover local sports with a small staff at the second annual Oklahoma Press Association news clinic held at the University May 7.

Ted Matson, '49gcol, Clinton, is teaching and coaching in the Binger Public School system. While a student at the University, he was a member of the Sigma Gamma Epsilon and Sigma Delta Chi, social fraternities and played in the University band for two years.

John Terry, '49bus, and his wife, now of Oklahoma City, became the parents of a daughter recently at the Norman Municipal Hospital. The child was named Diane Dean.

Darrell Royal, '50bus, University football great and now freshman coach at North Carolina State College, will be athletic director this summer of the first annual Indian Trails Camp for boys at Craterville Park dude ranch in the Wichita Mountains.

PENWRIGHT-BLAND: Vivian Leota Penwright, '49Libsc., '50bus, El Reno, became the bride of Robert Eugene Bland, '49gcol, Piedmont, Kansas, in a ceremony recently in First Christian Church at El Reno. The couple is at home in Russell, Kansas.

Helen Elliott, '50journ, has joined the staff of station KVOR, Colorado Springs, as a continuity writer.

Manville Redman, Jr., '50Law, is engaged in the general practice of law in Lawton.

**Alumnus Helps in Europe**

European rehabilitation is one step closer to being a reality due to the efforts of one University alumnus.

He is F. Grover Fulkerson, '41ba, '46ms, Episcopalian representative in the Church World Service in Munich, Germany. He is on a two year leave from the University social work faculty.

Representing the United States, he has been a resettlement officer dealing with numerous cultural and religious groups. The Church World Service seeks to save starving students, merchants without goods, families separated and old and young seeking work to begin again.

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