Medical School Notes

H. Glenn Gardiner, '33bs, '35med, has moved to 925 South Holman Ave., Chicago. He is associated with Sears, Roebuck and Co. as medical director.

William C. Coffin, '46med, was a recent visitor at the Medical School. Following his internship at Evangelical Hospital, Detroit, he has remained in Detroit where he engaged in general practice. The Oklahoma City Clinic recently announced the appointment of Robert P. Holt, '41bs, '44med, in orthopaedic surgery, and James G. Gable, Jr., '40bs, '42med, in internal medicine.

The following members of the class of 1947 have recently become members of the University of Oklahoma School of Medicine: Tom Sid Gafford, Jr., '47med, fellow in pathology; J. D. Cone, '47med, fellow in anatomy; Jess Miller, '47med, fellow in community and public health; and Fred Richmond, '47med, fellow in pharmacology.

Fred Dinkler, '47med, is now a resident in anesthesiology at the University Hospitals, Oklahoma City.

William L. Bond, '47med, has a residency in obstetrics at St. Anthony's, Oklahoma City.

G. Millard Delano, '47med, is now located in Enid, Oklahoma at the General Hospital.

Charles R. Cochran, '47med; Robert L. Loy, Jr., '47med, and Bruce H. Brown, '47med, are all located at Mercy Hospital, Oklahoma City, as residents.

Sooner Sports

Easterner Praises Wilkinson

Editor's note: Here at the University we think Bud Wilkinson, head football coach, is tops. Everybody knows that. Therefore, we’re sort of proud of an article appearing on the sports page of The Boston Globe in early August. Bud was in Boston to extend a charter to the Boston Alumni Club. The story of the Boston charter event will appear in the September issue of Sooner. Here’s the story by Verne Miller appearing in the Globe.

"The most sought-after young football coach in the nation is the University of Oklahoma coach today." Last winter Charles 'Bud' Wilkinson of Oklahoma was approached by Yale, Harvard and Navy. The earnest, modest young man who coached his Big Six team to a championship tie last year considered his job at Oklahoma more important than the gridiron glamour positions in the East.

"Rare in a profession where shifts are frequent and objectives opportunistic, Wilkinson said yesterday he owed a debt to Oklahoma and besides had a deep feeling for the college. That's why he refused to budge when lucrative offers popped up, he said.

"Wilkinson yesterday visited the home of an Oklahoma alumnus, Tully Nettleton, staff writer of the Christian Science Monitor, at 89 Ridge Road, Waban.

"He was returning from Springfield where he had been teaching a Y.M.C.A. course in physical culture. Wilkinson is a tall, youngish man. He played guard and quarterback for three of Minnesota's Big Ten champs back in 34, 35 and 36. Those famed powerhouse teams of Bernie Bierman ran from the single wing.

"Now Bud's eleven use the Missouri split-T, a innovation not seen on the eastern seaboard except at the University of Maryland where Jim Tatum coaches.

"Wilkinson graduated to the Missouri T in the Navy. There he coached under Don Farout for the Iowa State Hawks in 43. Faurot originated the Mis- souri T. Now Faurot, as coach of Missouri, is Wilkinson's chief conference rival.

"The Sooner coach considers eastern football different from that played north of Texas in one re- spect. The Midwest passes more than we (East) do. "There's a reason. We can count on dry, fast fields for every game. In the East, during the fall, it rains about a third of the time. That's why our football appears more open.

"The University of Oklahoma is in the small town of Norman, 18 miles from Oklahoma City. Wilkinson is noted as a coach who can handle material as it comes. He has mostly lads from his own state and a few that float up from the Texas Panhandle. This year his two outstanding players are linenmen, guard Buddy Burris and tackle Wade Walker.

Correspondence

Dear Ted:

Thanks for your nice letter in regard to my recent visit to Norman. It was seven years ago this fall since I had been on the beautiful campus of O.U. and of course had never seen the North and South Campuses, which were much nicer than I had even imagined, with the aid of pictures in Sooner Magazine.

Though you have me mixed up with another Dale Brown, I feel as though I know you anyway after several years of "Riding the Sooner Range" and alumni news pictures in papers and the Sooner Magazine. However, I don't expect you to apologize for the mistaken identity, as the Sooner and University Theaters once did the same thing when they presented me with a "pass" to both theaters thinking I was the Dale Brown in the State Legislature. Through that episode it was my pleasure to meet the Honorable Dale Brown and get it straightened out.

If you will look in the 1936 Sooner Yearbook in the business administration senior section you will see that we do not even closely resemble each other. The two or three years ago I sent a news item about myself and when I saw it in the Sooner Magazine, it had the other D. B.'s picture with it and in a few days I received a letter from an attorney in Wewoka, who thought I was the other D. B. So you see why I was asking for you last Friday at 4:25 (To get even.)

In all seriousness though, it always gives me great pleasure to visit O.U. and to read all I can about O.U. grads and students all over the world. I hope some day I will be close enough to be in an active O.U. Alumni Club, but at present Wichita is the nearest one to me. I enjoy every page of the Sooner Magazine and intend to keep up my annual dues until such time as I can become a Life Member.

I have one son nine years old that I hope to send to O.U., so the Jayhawks have not got me yet—though I hoped they would win the Orange Bowl game last year.

Thanks again, Ted, for your letter and I trust the next visit to O.U. I will see you and show you I'm not such a bad sort, though I'm not a member of the Oklahoma or Kansas Legislature! You sincerely,

Yours truly,

Dale Brown, '36

U.S.S. Columbus (CA 71)
c/o F.P.O., New York
(In the Mediterranean)

Dear Mr. Beard:

Seems like this correspondent always pops up in a different locale everytime you hear from him. After leaving San Francisco last May, I flew cross country to Norfolk, Virginia—with short stopovers at St. Louis and Washington, D. C. I was in Virginia long enough to see some of the historic towns, such as Williamsburg, then shoved off with the U.S.S. Columbus—loaded with over 500 midshipmen from 12 colleges and universities,