REGISTRATION for a greatly expanded summer school at the University will be held June 1 and 2. Dr. V. E. Monnett, director of the summer session, announced. Classes will start June 4.

Courses in all departments of the Colleges of Education, Fine Arts and Business Administration will be offered, while work will be given in almost every department in Arts and Sciences and in two departments of the College of Engineering. This is a much broader program than was offered in the 1944 summer season, Dr. Monnett said.

The regular eight-week session will be followed by the four-weeks August session.

In addition, seven workshops will be held, Dr. Monnett said. These include workshops on audio-visual aids, curriculum, childhood education, two sessions for emergency teachers, school administrators, social recreation and a state P-T-A training institute.

Workshops will be held in the afternoons in order that enrollees may take other courses as well. Several courses that were offered as workshops last year will be included in the regular curriculum this summer.

Recent high school graduates will find that all beginning courses are offered, and a special appeal has been made to men who expect to be inducted soon.

"Men about to enter the armed services will find that the University will greatly enhance their opportunities for promotion," Dr. Monnett stated.

Summer school housing information may be obtained from L. L. Adams, director of University housing. Robertson Hall will be available to undergraduate women, including entering freshman women who are required to live in a University-operated hall.

Hester Hall will be open to teachers and graduate women, and also to married couples for whom a limited number of rooms will be reserved on the first floor. Franklin House, 564 South University Boulevard, will provide room and board for men. Jefferson Hall, 1251 South Jenkins Street, will be available for men wanting rooms only.

Persons interested in making room reservations in University-operated dormitories for the summer school session should secure an application blank from Mrs. Ede L. Turney, supervisor of civilian student housing.

Building Legislation Passed

The way was opened for a large dormitory building program at the University when the Legislature last month completed action on Senate bill 41, and Governor Robert S. Kerr signed it. The bill authorizes the financing of dormitory projects on a self-liquidating basis.

Any possible doubt as to the legality of self-liquidating dormitory bonds, under terms of the "budget balancing amendment" to the state constitution, was removed by a ruling of the State Supreme Court that revenue bonds do not create any indebtedness against the state.

Architects are at work on plans for a large dormitory unit for women students, and it is hoped that construction can be started as soon as materials and labor become available for such projects. The University has had a major dormitory construction project since the Women's Residential Halls were built in 1926—nearly twenty years ago.

The Legislature also passed, last month, an act, Senate bill 42, authorizing the University Board of Regents to lease additional land to the Board of Governors of the Oklahoma Student Union in order to provide a site for an addition to the present building.

Action by the joint House and Senate Appropriations Committee on the amount to be recommended for the state's institutions of higher education for the next biennium was being delayed in late March by the uncertainty over general revenue funds available for the 1945-47 biennium. Several bills proposing new sources of state revenue were being considered by the Legislature.

The Regents

E. C. Hopper, Eufaula attorney, was elected president of the University of Oklahoma Board of Regents at the March meeting to succeed Dr. Claude S. Chambers, Seminole. Mr. Hopper was appointed to the board in 1939 and his term expires March 29, 1946.

The regents also elected W. R. Wallace, '10, Oklahoma City, vice president; and Emil R. Kraettli, '18, secretary of the University, was re-elected secretary of the board.

On the same day as the regents' election of officers, Gov. Robert S. Kerr announced the appointment to the Board of Regents of Harrington Wimberly, '21ba, publisher of the Altus Times-Democrat, effective March 28 when the term of Dr. Chambers expires.

Mr. Wimberly has previously served on the board and was president of the regents when his term expired.

Mr. Hopper, who was born in Sulphur Springs, Texas, on January 31, 1885, attended the public schools and later received the B.S. and A.B. degrees from Northeast Texas College (now North- east Texas Teachers College, Commerce). He taught school for three years and then entered the Law School of the University of Texas, where he was graduated in 1909.

In 1911 he opened a law office in Eufaula, and has been there since that time. In 1917 he was married to Miss Ina Green. Their daughter is Mrs. Joe J. Allton (Betty Hopper, '41ba).

Always active in civic enterprises, Mr. Hopper has served as chairman of the McIntosh County Boy Scout committee of the Choctaw council for 25 years. He is a charter member of the Eufaula Lions Club and has served as president three different terms.

One year he served as deputy governor of Lions International when R. W. Hutto, '10ba, of Norman, was district governor. For 11 years he served on the Board of Education of the Eufaula public schools and was chairman of that board when he was appointed to the University Board of Regents in 1939.

Mr. Hopper is a member of the Oklahoma Bar Association, the American Bar Association and the McIntosh County Democratic Committee. The new member of the Board of Regents, whose term is for seven years, went to Altus as advertising manager of the Times-Democrat after graduating from the University in 1924. In 1928 he became publisher and in 1936 purchased the newspaper.

For many years, Mr. Wimberly has been active in Altus civic affairs, the Oklahoma Society for Crippled Children and the Oklahoma Press Association. He was a driving force in securing better roads, Lake Altus and Altus Junior College for southwestern Oklahoma.

In 1942 Mr. Wimberly was appointed director of the Office of War Information for Oklahoma, organized the work of that office and later resigned in order to devote more time to his newspaper. Last year he served as state Democratic chairman in the 1944 election and made several trips to Washington, D. C., in connection with the duties of that post. In June of 1944 he was appointed public interest director of the Federal Home Loan Bank of Topeka, Kansas.

He and Mrs. Wimberly, the former Myrth McCurley, have two daughters, Janis and Mary Margaret.

Mr. Wimberly was previously appointed to the Board of Regents in June, 1940, to fill the unexpired term of C. C. Hatchett, Durant, who resigned.

Among other business matters handled at the March meeting, the regents reappointed Dale Ar- buckle acting director of athletics for the duration or until such time as Lawrence E. Haskell, director on leave for navy service, is released from active duty.

Dewey (Smorter) Luster, '27ba, was reappointed head football coach for the duration.

Harry Phillips, at present at the University of Arizona, was appointed football line coach and assistant professor of physical education, effective March 15. Mr. Phillips will assist with the spring football practice.

He comes to the University on a land-lease basis.
from Arizona where he was assistant coach during 1942. Arizona abandoned football at the close of the season that year and Phillips had been in the school's intramural and physical education department since then.

His contract covers the period until January 1, 1946, with the understanding that he can be returned to the University of Arizona at such time as he may be needed. He fills the line coach post held by Capt. Orville Tuttle, now on duty with the Marines in California. Provisions are made in the contract that in the event Tuttle should be recalled to the Marines within the year, he will have an opportunity to return to his post at the University.

Mr. Phillips played guard at the University of Texas during his student days. He has also coached at the University of El Paso and at the Pampa High School in Texas.

Resignations were accepted from Dorothy White, secretary in the department of plant science; Mrs. Ruby Cox, secretary in the office of the dean of admissions, and Miss Theodore Hall, laboratory technician at Ellison Infirmary.

The regents approved the appointments of Mrs. Julia Walker, secretary in the department of plant science; Miss Helen L. Leppert, laboratory technician in Ellison Infirmary.

Leaves of absence were approved for four members of the University faculty.

Included are Mildred Andrews, '37fa, who was granted a leave for the school year 1945-46 to take advanced study in organ; W. S. Campbell, professor of English, who was granted a leave for the first semester of next year to work on a study of the literature of the Southwest; Paul S. Carpenter, professor of music and conductor of the University Symphony Orchestra, granted a leave for the first semester of next year to study music in America; and E. M. Edmondson, director of University laboratories and assistant professor of secondary education, granted leave for the school year 1945-46 to work on doctorate at New York University.

The studies of Mr. Campbell and Mr. Carpenter are part of the work which will be done under a grant from the Rockefeller Foundation allocated to the University.

New Athletic Council Policy

Re-definition of the functions of the University Athletic Council, diverting a stronger centralization of its power into the hands of the president of the Board of Regents, was approved at the March meeting of the regents.

The change in policy was agreed upon after sessions attended by President George L. Cross and representatives from both the Board of Regents and the Athletic Council.

Membership on the council was reduced from 13 to 9 members, five from the faculty, three from the alumni and one a member of the varsity athletics "O" Club. President Cross appointed John Harley, Jr., Tulsa, Oklahoma's all-Big Six tackle, as the student representative.

Council members reappointed under the new policy are Walter Kraft, president; Dean John Hervey, Big Six faculty representative; Capt. J. F. Donelson, L. N. Morgan and J. Ray Matlock, from the faculty; Granville Norris, Muskogee; Norman Brillhart, Madill, and Neil Johnson, Norman, from the alumni.

Determining eligibility in varsity athletics was made a function of the Athletic Council. It was also decided that the council could make recommendations to the president concerning the appointment of a director of intercollegiate athletics. However, actual appointment of a director will be by the Board of Regents upon the recommendation of the president.

Similarly, recommended appointments of all coaches and other staff will be made by the athletic director to the president, who in turn transmits the recommendations to the regents. The statement of new policy as approved by the regents is as follows:

THE ATHLETIC COUNCIL:

1. The Athletic Council shall consist of nine members appointed by the President of the University. Five members shall be selected from the faculty, three from the alumni, and one undergraduate from the "O" club.

2. The Athletic Council shall, if the President so requests, make recommendations to the President concerning the general policies relating to eligibility; and in like manner the five members of the Council selected from the University faculty shall constitute the University Eligibility Committee and this committee shall make recommendations with respect to the eligibility of athletes competing in intercollegiate athletics.

3. The Athletic Council shall make recommendations to the President concerning general policies of scheduling intercollegiate contests.

4. The Athletic Council shall nominate the recipients of all intercollegiate athletic awards after considering the recommendations of the coaches involved.

5. The Athletic Council shall consider the annual budget request prepared by the Director of Athletics, and it shall make recommendations to the President, through the Athletic Director, concerning any matters of policy in the budget.

6. The Athletic Council shall hold regular meetings, the frequency to be determined by the Council. A copy of the minutes of each meeting shall be filed with the President of the University.

7. The Athletic Council shall continue to be incorporated under the laws of the state of Oklahoma.

DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS:

1. The Director of Athletics shall be appointed by the Board of Regents upon recommendation of the President of the University.

2. The Director of Athletics shall recommend to the President, for transmission to the Board of Regents, the appointments of all members of the coaching staff connected with the Athletic Department.

3. The Director of Athletics shall prepare the schedule in all intercollegiate sports subject to the approval of the President.

4. The Director of Athletics shall administer the budget under the supervision of the President of the University.

B-29 Campaign Under Way

A war bond campaign to "buy" a B-29 Super Flying Fortress costing $600,000 got under way last month at the University with students, faculty members and friends of O. U. taking part.

This project to present a piece of war equipment to the armed forces is the largest of its kind undertaken by any University in the country.

Letters announcing the project and asking for all-out alumni participation in helping the University reach its goal went out last month to 26,000 alumni. The campaign, which began officially March 2 and will continue for 90 days, is being carried on through the Schools at War program of the War Finance Division of the Treasury Department.

Directing the activities of the campaign through headquarters of the Alumni Office is a B-29 committee composed of faculty and staff members. Chairman of the committee is Margaret Ann Hamilton, alumni field representative.

Members include Dr. Alice Sowers, director of the Family Life Institute who first had the idea for the project; Roscoe Cate, financial assistant to the president; M. L. Wardell, acting director of the Extension Division; W. H. Butterfield, professor of business communications; T. M. Beird, alumni secretary; Edith Walker, editor of Sooner Magazine; Barbara Salter, secretary of the O. U. Schools at War committee, and Jack Coe, Navy V-12 trainee from Yuba City, California, and president of the senior class.

Mail with the letters to alumni were bond receipts which can be filled out and returned to the Alumni Office, indicating that the bond purchase is to be earmarked for the University's goal. Purchases of E, F and G bonds are applicable. Bonds purchased on the payroll deduction plan do not apply. Only extra bonds can be counted.

Engineers Celebrate

Arahmte Sullivan, sophomore co-ed from Norman, was crowned engineers' queen in coronation ceremonies last month which climaxed the annual engineering celebration held on the campus.

Chosen as St. Pat, to preside at the ceremonies with the queen, was Lester Roberts, V-12 trainee from Watonga, and a senior in petroleum engineering.

Jack Coe, V-12 trainee from Yuba City, California, president of the senior class and president of the Engineers Club, was elected the outstanding engineering student.

Included in the traditional engineering festivities were a stage show held in downtown Norman at the Dinner Theater, a dance and coronation in the Fieldhouse and a banquet in the Union Ballroom.

Gov. Robert S. Kerr spoke to engineers at the banquet and Dean W. H. Carson, of the College of Engineering, served as toastmaster.

Architects Win More Honors

Nine students in the University School of Architecture received awards in the winter group of competitions for all classes in a national architectural competition sponsored by the Beaux Arts Institute of Design, New York.

Tying with the University of Pennsylvania for the highest number of drawings entered in the competition which were selected for publication in the bulletin of the institute, five drawings by University students will be included among the 14 chosen for publication.

In the junior class competition, University students took all the top awards.

Students who took high honors in the competition included Leslie G. Brauer, V-12 trainee from Indiana; Nancy Kendall Barber, Norman; Julian Ferris, Jr., Caracas, Venezuela; Thomas B. Emerson, Naval ROTC student from Oklahoma City; John H. Lattimore, Lawton; Bruce Miller, Naval ROTC student from Oklahoma City; Juan A. Amador, Harillo, Puerto Rico; Betty Jo Kerr,  

APPOINTED TO BOARD

Harrington Wimberly, '24fa, Altus publisher and state Democratic chairman for Oklahoma during the 1944 campaign, was appointed by Governor Kerr to the O. U. Board of Regents.
Norman, and George D. Kneppe, V-12 trainee from Ohio.

All of the five drawings that will be published by the Institute were done under the direction of James W. Fitzgibbon, assistant professor of architecture.

Henry L. Kamphoefner, professor of architecture, served as a judge on the national jury which met at the Beaux Arts Institute in New York to select the prize drawings and sketches.

V-12 Trainees Transferred

More than 40 Navy V-12 trainees already attached to the University V-12 unit were transferred last month to the Naval R.O.T.C. curriculum.

This action was in accordance with the provisions of the bill recently passed by Congress and signed by President Roosevelt, for the transition of men from the V-12 program to an expanded reserve officers training plan.

Under the original plan, a large proportion of V-12 students were to be transferred to the Naval R.O.T.C. by July 1. However, under a recent revision announced by the Bureau of Naval Personnel, the transfer was advanced in part to March 1.

From now on, all men for the Naval R.O.T.C. will be drawn from the ranks of those already in the V-12 program. Eventually midshipmen's schools which have been functioning over the country for the last several years will be closed down and officer candidates will be commissioned directly on the college campuses after completing Naval R.O.T.C. training.

Legion Post Chartered

The Thomas C. Reynolds post No. 303 of the American Legion was formally chartered March 2 as the first veterans organization of this war established on a college campus.

In ceremonies held in the Union ballroom, J. B. Koch, state commander of the Legion, presented the charter to Bob Wilson, Muskogee, commander of the Thomas C. Reynolds post. Guests of honor who were introduced at the ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Reynolds, Valliant, Oklahoma, parents of Ensign Reynolds, the first O. U. alumnus to lose his life in this war, after whom the post is named.

As guests of the student Legionnaires and the Alumni Association, the Reynoldses spent two days on the campus visiting with President and Mrs. Cross and other members of the faculty. Dean W. H. Carson, of the College of Engineering, who has previously visited in the Reynolds's home in Valliant, took them on a tour of the Engineering Building. Ensign Reynolds was an engineering student in the University.

Speakers on the dedication program were Ted Beaird, alumni secretary; H. V. Thornton, government professor and mayor of Norman; State Commander Koch, and Maurice Ogden, member of the Thomas C. Reynolds post, who gave a brief biography of Ensign Reynolds.

Following the dedication, formal initiation ceremony in which new veterans were inducted into the American Legion was held. The initiation was conducted by members of an initiation team from Post No. 35 in Oklahoma City.

15 Commissioned Ensigns

Twenty-five persons were awarded degrees from the University at a modified commencement program held February 24 in the Union Ballroom at the end of the Navy semester.

At the same time 15 graduates of the Naval R.O.T.C. unit were commissioned as ensigns in the Naval Reserve and 41 men were given certificates of completion of the V-12 Training Program.

A luncheon was held in honor of the graduates with President George L. Cross and Ted Beaird, alumni secretary, in charge. Thomas R. Benedum, Norman, president of the Alumni Association, welcomed the guests into the association, and Rob Roy Minister, Glendale, California, made the response on behalf of the graduating class.

Degrees were granted by President Cross.

Those who received commissions were Thomas B. Albright, Elton H. Bell, James A. Douglas, Doy Fezler, Chester Robert Gates, George C. Grogan, Earl Eugene James, Jr., Morris K. King, Victor Thomas Lyon, Robert C. Mayfield, John Perrell Meacham, Richard C. McKiddy, Gene Virgil Pruitt, Steve Richard Sawyer and Emmett Huley Tidd.

Career Conference

O. U. alumni and other state women interested in learning about various fields open to women are invited to join with O. U. co-eds in attending the fourth annual Career Conference to be held on the campus April 17 and 18.

Speakers who will take part in the program have announced by Virginia Reinecke, counselor of women, who originated the conference at the University four years ago to give co-eds, particularly graduating seniors, information about vocations in which they might be interested.

They include Forrest H. Kirkpatrick, manager of personnel administration for RCA in Camden, New Jersey, and advisor to the State Department on personnel; Julia Johnson, counselor of women employees at the Federal Reserve Bank in Chicago; W. M. Morgan, '26, special representative for Braniff Airways; Judith C. Waller, director of public

service with the National Broadcasting Company; Virginia Gibson, stewardess with United Airlines; Ensign Grace E. Marck, laboratory technician at the Norman Naval Hospital; Maurice D. Wolf, counselor at the University of Minnesota; Henry Reining, Jr., educational director of the National Institute of Public Affairs, Washington, D. C.; Nell Snead, of the Kansas City Star, Kansas City, Missouri, and Dean Donald M. Swarthout, of the College of Fine Arts at the University of Kansas.

In addition to the speeches, discussions and personal interviews, a banquet and a Mortar Board reception are scheduled for the Career Conference, Mrs Reinecke said. At the banquet, co-eds in the fashion design class of Edith Mahler will present a style show of clothes of original design.

Fund Honors Pioneers

Two state pioneers, William Perry Leeper and his wife, Minerva Ann Ward Leeper, are memorialized in a gift of $300 made by their three children to establish a loan fund at the University, Emil R. Kraeisli, secretary of the University, announced.

In making the gift, the three children, Grace Olive Leeper, '11ba, Mrs. Myrtle Leeper Greason,
and Roy Davis Leeper, stated that "this tribute to their memory is made in loving remembrance by their three children."

Mr. Leeper died in 1892, while Mrs. Leeper died in 1899, and both are buried in the Norman cemetery. The Leepers established a home shortly after their marriage in Indian Territory. The post office of Leeper, L.T., was founded under the supervision of Mr. Leeper, who continued as postmaster until his death.

In 1922 Miss Hamill joined the home economics faculty of the University of Oklahoma. She was elected secretary of the Association of American Home Economists in 1932.

Miss Hamill was born in Des Moines, Iowa, and attended school in Oklahoma City. She attended Stout Institute in Wisconsin, and later Macalester College. Miss Hamill is the author of numerous articles in Home Economics, and is the editor of the Monthly Review of American Home Economics. She is the author of several books on home economics, including "A Basic Vocabulary of Elementary School Children." This book was reviewed in the March 5 issue of Time magazine.

The book, "A Basic Vocabulary of Elementary School Children," was published in 1932 and became a best-seller. It was the first book to provide a comprehensive list of words that are taught in elementary school. The book was used in home economics classes throughout the United States and became a standard text for home economics teachers.

Miss Hamill received many honors and awards for her work in home economics, including the American Home Economics Association's Distinguished Service Award in 1939. She is remembered for her contributions to the field of home economics and for her tireless efforts to improve home economics education.