At the formal military ceremony somewhere in China observing the first anniversary of the Chinese-American Wing of the 14th Air Force, Maj. Garner G. Collums, '19ba, Chickasha, read the order of the day from the commanding general. Those present at the ceremony included General Chow-Chi-Jou, commander of the Chinese Air Force, General Chennault, 14th Air Force commander, and other high-ranking American and Chinese officers.

Major Collums, who has served part of the time during his assignment in China as wing commander of an Air Base, was previously in similar service in India. Before entering the Air Force, he was business manager of Oklahoma College for Women at Chickasha, a position he held for 20 years. He went overseas in the summer of 1943 as executive officer of a fighter squadron.

Deaths in Service

Lt. Edward R. Bowlby, '35-'37, Oklahoma City, was killed in an accident at Camp Chaffee, Arkansas, on November 24. The nature of the accident was not disclosed. He was attached to an Air Division at Camp Chaffee. Before entering the Army, Lieutenant Bowlby was an employee of the federal government in Washington, D.C. He was a member of Phi Delta Phi honorary law fraternity. Survivors include his wife, the former Rosemary Spears, '38ba, three children, Edward R., Jr., William and David, and his mother, Mrs. Dorothy Thompson, all of Oklahoma City.

Lt. G. Don Hille, '41-'43, Tulsa, was killed in action on November 8 in France, where he was pilot of a P-47 fighter plane. Lieutenant Hille enlisted in the Air Force in April, 1943. A student in the College of Engineering at the University, Lieutenant Hille was a member of Sigma Chi fraternity. Survivors include his mother, Mrs. H. L. Hille, Tulsa, and three brothers, Lt. Col. H. L. Hille, '30-'31, New Guinea, Lt. C. D. Hille, '41ba, with the Air Force in England, and J. W. Hille, member of the Seabees in the Pacific.

Pfc. Sidney F. Dimars, Jr., '42-'43, Muskogee, was killed in the recent Leyte fighting in the Philippines. He was with an Infantry company attached to the 53rd Division. At the University Private Dimars was a student in the Engineering College. Survivors include his parents, S. F. Dimars, '17, and Mrs. Dimars (Jewell Rissing, '19ba), Muskogee.

Capt. Robert M. Kersey, '38eng, Oklahoma City, Civilian, was in the Army Ferrying Service, was killed in the crash of an Army transport plane at the Omaha, Nebraska, municipal airport on December 7. Seventeen pilots were killed in the crash, which occurred when the plane apparently had engine trouble after reaching an altitude of 700 feet after takeoff. Destination of the transport was Cimarron Field, Oklahoma, where most of the pilots were stationed. Mr. Kersey joined the Ferrying Service in 1942. Previously he was associated with the Otis Elevator Company in Oklahoma City. Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kersey, and his wife, Mrs. Ruth Jarrett Kersey, all of Oklahoma City.

Pfc. Robert W. Lessert, '36, Ponca City, was killed in action with the Seventh Army in France on November 4. He was earlier reported missing in action. Private Lessert entered the Infantry in December, 1942. Before that he was employed at the Darr School of Aeronautics in Ponca City. Survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Lessert, Ponca City, and his wife, Mrs. Dorothy June Lessert, Bartlesville.

Capt. John W. Kayser, '38journ, Chickasha, was killed on November 14 while fighting near Metz with the 95th Division of the Third Army. Captain Kayser was associated with his father in the publication of the Chickasha Star. In 1938 he was one of a group who sailed to Point Barrow, Alaska, to erect a monument at the scene of the crash in which Will Rogers and Wiley Post were killed. He was a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. Captain Kayser’s survivors include his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Kayser, Chickasha; his wife, Mrs. Sarah Askew Kayser, and their daughter, who live in Amarillo, Texas; two sisters, Mrs. Helen Gilbert, '32ba, Duncan, and Mrs. Louise Fortson, '38ba, Chickasha, and a brother, Pvt. Robert Kayser, '42, in England.

H. Mark Spomeller, '40-'41, North Canton, Ohio, was killed in action in France on August 6. He was an Infantryman attached to the 86th Division. Mr. Spomeller entered service in November, 1942, and trained at Camp Atterbury, Indiana, and Camp Breckenridge, Kentucky, before going overseas last April. At the University he was a student in the College of Arts and Sciences. Survivors include his mother, Mr. and Mrs. Mary Spomeller, North Canton.

Lt. George V. Rollow, '39-'41, Wynnewood, was killed November 17 in a plane crash south of Wynnewood while on a routine flight from Oklahoma City to Point Barrow, Alaska, to erect a monument at the scene of the crash in which Will Rogers and Wiley Post were killed. He was a skilled athlete, specializing in football, basketball and track.

Missing in Action

Lt. Jack S. Callaway, Jr., '40-'43, Oklahoma City, has been listed as missing in action since his failure to return from a bombing mission over Yap Island in the Pacific on July 15. Lieutenant Callaway was killed in action in Europe on September 28. Before entering the Army he was head of the cost accounting system at the Colt Firearms Company in Hartford. In addition to O. J. Tinker, a student in the University of New Hampshire in Durham. He was graduated from high school in Hawaii, Sergeant Willis was a skilled athlete, specializing in football, basketball and track.

Injured in Service

Capt. Nicholas A. Tinker, Jr., '40eng, Hobart, was included in a list of wounded in action released December 1. Captain Tinker is with the Armored Field Artillery in the European theater. No details were made known as to the extent or nature of his injury.
Meet on LST
Lt. (jg) Mack Hiatt, '42ba, (left) and Lt. (jg) Carlton McKinney, '42 eng, lived across the alley from each other in their senior year at O. U. but didn't get acquainted until they were assigned to the same LST. They are shown aboard the ship of which Hiatt is executive officer and McKinney engineering officer.

Prisoners of War
A message from Maj. Ralph W. Hubbard, '32 med, former Oklahoma City physician now a prisoner of the Japanese government, which was sent out on a Japanese propaganda radio program, was intercepted by government monitors and sent to his wife by the provost marshal. The message stated that Major Hubbard has received some letters and packages from his family, and that he was all right.

Lt. E. Louis Miller, '38, Norman, para- trooper who was reported missing in action as of September 17, is a prisoner of war of the German government. Lieutenant Miller was captured after the invasion of Holland and earlier participated in the Normandy invasion, returning to England to take a pathfinder’s course before going into Holland.

Lt. Carl W. Reep, '40-41, Oklahoma City, is a prisoner of the German government, having been captured September 28. He had been overseas since August as an Air Force bombardier.

Lt. Marshall Hanrahan, '40-41, Oklahoma City, is a prisoner of war in Germany. Pilot of a P-39, he was captured on September 17. Lieutenant Hanrahan was on foreign duty with the Ninth Air Force last May.

Back From Battlefronts
Maj. Edgar Baxter, '33eng, former Oklahoma City engineer, returned from foreign service and was assigned to the Field Artillery School at Fort Sill for advanced training. He was overseas for two and a half years, serving in Ireland, England and France.

Lt. Col. Jay Sherman, '23-29, Lexington, returned to the United States last fall after spending three years in Africa, Italy and France. Colonel Sherman was with the Field Artillery.

James Jackson, '40-42, Chickasha, has been promoted to chief yeoman in the Navy. He recently was home on leave after completing eight round trips across the Atlantic as secretary to the commander of a division of destroyer escorts.

Sgt. E. Wayne Hartpence, '40, Sayre, has returned to the United States after 14 months overseas. He is the holder of the French Croix de Guerre, an Air Medal with six Oak Leaf Clusters, the Order of the Purple Heart and two Presidential Unit Citations. Sergeant Hartpence completed 279 hours, comprising 62 missions, in combat operational flying in the Mediterranean theater. He was gunner and photographer aboard a B-26 Marauder. Upon his return to this country, Sergeant Hartpence was sent to the Air Force Redistribution Station at Miami Beach, Florida.

Capt. J. E. Powers, Jr., '38, Tulsa, has returned to this country after flying 89 combat missions as pilot of a P-47 based in England. Holder of the Silver Star, the Distinguished Flying Cross, and three Oak Leaf Clusters, Captain Powers was stationed at Abilene, Texas, upon his return. He shot down 15 German planes while he was on foreign duty.

Maj. James L. Lain, '37bus, Oklahoma City, has returned to this country from the Southwest Pacific, where he was stationed for 20 months with the Field Artillery. Holder of the Bronze Star, Major Lain reported to Miami Beach, Florida, for reassignment.

Lt. Warren Myers, '40, Norman, was in the United States last fall on a 30-day leave from his duties with the 45th Division in France. An officer in the battalion commanded by Lt. Col. Hal Muldrow, '28bus, also of Norman, Lieutenant Myers saw action in Italy and Sicily before going to France.

Lt. Field Duskin, '37-41, Oklahoma City, spent a leave at home recently, having returned to the United States after nearly three years of service in England, Africa and Italy.

Lt. Col. Evert E. Stong, '34eng, Oklahoma City, veteran of action in Tunisia, Sicily, France, Belgium and Germany, and holder of the Silver Star, is back in the United States on duty in the operations division of the War Department in Washington, D.C.

Maj. Francis Mills, '32-37, Oklahoma City, spent a 30-day leave at home upon his return to the United States from France, where he was a Field Artillery officer with the First Army under General Bradley. Major Mills was on foreign duty for a year and wears three major campaign stars. He was to report to Washington, D.C., for duty.

Sgt. Earl F. Perry, '42, Tulsa, was back in the United States after serving with the Marines in the Southwest Pacific since March, 1943. He was on Guadalcanal for five months, and has also seen action at New Georgia and in the Bismarck Islands.

Maj. Edwin R. Page, '38eng, '40m.eng, Norman, has returned to the United States following serving 12 months as an Ordinance officer with the Eighth Air Force in England. He was sent to Camp Chaffee, Arkansas, upon his arrival in this country.

Capt. Mark H. Donovan, '32-34, spent an emergency furlough at his home in Oklahoma City last fall due to the death of his father, D. E. Donovan. Captain Donovan reported back to his post in a Station Hospital on the island of Trinidad at the end of his leave. He has been in Trinidad nearly two years, doing work mainly in the field of tropical medicine. He received his degrees from St. Louis University and Notre Dame.

Lt. Louis Gresham, '42, Guthrie, was a patient in Brooke General Hospital at Fort Sam Houston, Texas, after being wounded in action in the European theater.

Cpl. Otis Schellstedte, '41, Blackwell, wounded in combat in the European theater, was a patient in Brooke General Hospital, Fort Sam Houston, Texas. Before entering O. U., Corporal Schellstedt was a member of the 1941 all-state high school football team.

Lt. Jack G. Barker, '37-'40, Norman, has been ordered back to duty inside the continental United States by the War Department under the policy of returning men when their families have already had losses in the war. One of Lieutenant Barker’s brothers, Maj. Forrest H. Barker, '34-40, has been missing in action with the Air Force in Italy since last April, and another, Lt. Norman M. Barker, '40, is prisoner of war in Germany. Lieutenant Jack Barker was attached to an Infantry unit overseas.

Decorations
Lt. Col. Wendell J. Kelley, '37-'40, Lexington, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross for extraordianry achievement in aerial flight over enemy-occupied European Continent. Col- nel Kelley also holds the Air Medal with four Oak Leaf Clusters, is pilot of a P-51 Mustang attached to a fighter group which recently shot down 100 German planes in a ten-day period. Earlier, the same group set a distance record for British-based fighters by escorting heavy bombers on a 1,600-mile round trip to targets in Poland.

An Air Medal with nine Oak Leaf Clusters has been awarded to Capt. Thomas N. Kelner, '39-42, Tishomingo, who has flown 64 combat missions as a P-51 Mustang pilot. According to Col. Carl E. Rinaldi, of the 14th Air Force, Lt. Kelner has been awarded the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious conduct and heroic achievement in connection with military operations against the enemy in the Middle East last May. The presentation of the medal was made following retreat at an Army post near Cairo, Egypt, where Lieutenant Kelner was stationed with the Naval Strategic Air Service. Since receiving the medal, Lieutenant Kelner has returned to the United States, having been overseas for more than a year.

Edward G. Snow, '42, Willow, Oklahoma, has been awarded an Air Medal with three Oak Leaf Clusters for his work as co-pilot of a Liberator bomber in the Mediterranean area. He has participated in more than 40 missions since going overseas last July.

Lt. Charles L. Smith, '42bus, Fairview, has been awarded the Air Medal for meritorious achievement in aerial action against the enemy in the Mediterranean Sea, since 1st of August last August he has taken part in 15 missions.

Tech. Sgt. Harry J. Hendricks, '41bus, Oklahoma City, home last fall after a tour of duty with the Air Force. He has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross, an Air Medal with four Oak Leaf Clusters and a Presidential Unit Citation. Sergeant Hendricks participated in the invasion of Normandy.

Presentation of a Continental Air Force citation has been awarded to the Eighth Air Force Fighter group to which Capt. Victor H. Croxton, '29law, Norman, is attached as intelligence officer. The citation was given for the extraordinary heroism, gallantry, determination and esprit de corps exhibited by the Fighter group during the period from March 5 to April 24, 1944, when its P-51 Mustang pilots destroyed 325 German planes, 189 in aerial combat and 134 by strafing.

Lt. Leroy G. Lewis, '33-39, Tulsa, has been
awarded the Order of the Purple Heart for shrapnel wounds he received during the landing on Hollandia, New Guinea. He has recovered from his injuries and has returned to active duty. Lieutenant Keen has been overseas since September, 1943.

Maj. Oscar Stegall, Jr., '41eng, Seminole, has been awarded a Bronze Star for meritorious service in action. The citation accompanying the medal stated that Major Stegall was responsible for the supply of all ammunition for the Fourth Armored Division during the Normandy and Brittany campaigns and the division's present combat. "During the fighting south of Avranches," the citation said, "Major Stegall traveled with the ammunition trucks to insure their safe arrival at their destination. He led the columns through strafing and bombing at the Avranches bridge and over the little-used roads skirting Avranches, rather than direct that the Truck company make the trips without division representation." While Major Stegall is overseas, Mrs. Stegall and their daughter Becky are living in Sallisaw.

Lt. Sidney P. Uphler, '41-'42, Oklahoma City, has received the Air Medal for his work as a navigator aboard a Flying Fortress attached to a B-17 with the 15th Air Force in Italy. He flew his first mission last September over Belgradre. Maj. Isaac N. Taylor, '45eng, Oklahoma City, has been awarded an Air Medal for participation in combat against German installations in Europe. A command pilot, he was promoted to major last spring.

Capt. J. C. Grimes, '39journ, Oklahom City, who was formerly a Junior Staff officer for the 3rd Armored Division in Sicily. Lieutenant Standerfer is now fighting with the 3rd in France.

Maj. William H. James, Jr., '38geo1, Kansas City, Missouri, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross with a Oak Leaf Cluster for meritorious service in action, as officer in charge of the Beachhead News, a GI newspaper started at Anzio and subsequently published on the front lines in Italy and France. The paper serves the Sixth Corps, composed of the Third, 36th and 45th Divisions. Before entering the Army Captain Grimes was Boy Scout executive for a West Texas Council.

Lt. Robert J. Standerfer, '39, Norman, has been decorated with the Bronze Star for valorous conduct in action with the Third Infantry Division in Sicily. Lieutenant Standerfer is now fighting with the Third in France.

Maj. William H. Johnson, Jr., '38geo1, Kansas City, Missouri, has been awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross with a Oak Leaf Cluster for meritorious service in action, as officer in charge of the Beachhead News, a GI newspaper started at Anzio and subsequently published on the front lines in Italy and France. The paper serves the Sixth Corps, composed of the Third, 36th and 45th Divisions. Before entering the Army Captain Grimes was Boy Scout executive for a West Texas Council.

Lt. Lester W. Morris, '35-'36, Norman, has been awarded an Air Medal for his work as a navigator aboard a Flying Fortress attached to the 15th Air Force in Italy. He has been overseas nearly a year.

Capt. Charles W. Cleverdon, '33bus, Oklahoma City, has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action as a member of the Navy Medical Corps in the Southwest Pacific. He recently returned to the United States after serving for 20 months overseas, seeing action in the Solomon and New Guinea Islands. He was the last man left before he came back to this country. He was attached to a Marine battalion on Guam.

An Oak Leaf Cluster has been added to the Air Medal held by Lt. John W. Paul, '41-'42, Tuls, for courage, coolness and skill during bombing attacks on Germany. Lieutenant Paul is pilot of a Flying Fortress attached to the Eighth Air Force.

Lt. Robert B. Clink, '42-'43, Nowata, has been awarded a Bronze Star for meritorious service as commander of a Field Artillery unit during the period from July 22 to October 27, 1944, in England and France. The award was given for Colonel Taylor's leadership during the training period preparatory to combat as well as during the actual fighting. His unit has made an impressive record as part of the Third Army in France. Colonel Taylor has been on duty since late in 1940.

The third Oak Leaf Cluster has been added to the Air Medal held by Lt. John W. Paul, '41-'42, Tulsa, for courage, coolness and skill during bombing attacks on Germany. Lieutenant Paul is pilot of a Flying Fortress attached to the Eighth Air Force.

Lt. Col. Vanley H. Taylor, '32law, Tulsa, has been awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious service as commander of a Field Artillery unit during the period from July 22 to October 27, 1944, in England and France. The award was given for Colonel Taylor's leadership during the training period preparatory to combat as well as during the actual fighting. His unit has made an impressive record as part of the Third Army in France. Colonel Taylor has been on duty since late in 1940.

The third Oak Leaf Cluster has been added to the Air Medal held by Lt. John W. Paul, '41-'42, Tulsa, for courage, coolness and skill during bombing attacks on Germany. Lieutenant Paul is pilot of a Flying Fortress attached to the Eighth Air Force.

Lt. Robert B. Clink, '42-'43, Nowata, has been awarded an Air Medal for meritorious achievement while participating in bombing attacks on German military and industrial targets. He is co-pilot of an Eighth Air Force Flying Fortress.

Lt. John W. Coyle, Jr., '41-'43, Oklahoma City, has received an Oak Leaf Cluster to add to the Air Medal he was previously awarded. Lieutenant Coyle is co-pilot of a Flying Fortress attached to the Eighth Air Force.

Capt. W. B. Armstrong, '40geo1, Tulsa, was awarded a Bronze Star for his part in the battle of Rome. A Field Artillery officer, Captain Armstrong was formerly a geologist with the Mid-Continent Petroleum Company in Tulsa.

Lt. William V. Atkins, '39, has been awarded the Air Medal for his work as a fighter pilot during the invasion of the Marianas Islands. He took part in strafing and dive-bombing attacks on Japanese forces on Tinian.

On Longest Round Trip

Lt. Col. Wendell J. Kelley, '40, Mustang pilot, helped set a distance record for British-based fighters escorting heavy bombers on a 1,600-mile round trip to targets in Poland.

Maj. Jack H. Ray, '35eng, Lubbock, Texas, has been awarded the Silver Star for gallantry in action in France as an air observer with the Field Artillery. On September 27, Major Ray directed fire and maneuvers against enemy tanks with an Evacuation Hospital. He was awarded the Air Medal for distinguished service as an officer. He left his regular duties as executive officer of an Artillery battalion to become an air observer.

Lt. Col. Vanley H. Taylor, '32law, Tulsa, has been awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious service as commander of a Field Artillery unit during the period from July 22 to October 27, 1944, in England and France. The award was given for Colonel Taylor's leadership during the training period preparatory to combat as well as during the actual fighting. His unit has made an impressive record as part of the Third Army in France. Colonel Taylor has been on duty since late in 1940.

The third Oak Leaf Cluster has been added to the Air Medal held by Lt. John W. Paul, '41-'42, Tulsa, for courage, coolness and skill during bombing attacks on Germany. Lieutenant Paul is pilot of a Flying Fortress attached to the Eighth Air Force.

Lt. Robert B. Clink, '42-'43, Nowata, has been awarded an Air Medal for meritorious achievement while participating in bombing attacks on German military and industrial targets. He is co-pilot of an Eighth Air Force Flying Fortress.

Lt. John W. Coyle, Jr., '41-'43, Oklahoma City, has received an Oak Leaf Cluster to add to the Air Medal he was previously awarded. Lieutenant Coyle is co-pilot of a Flying Fortress attached to the Eighth Air Force.

Capt. W. B. Armstrong, '40geo1, Tulsa, was awarded a Bronze Star for his part in the battle of Rome. A Field Artillery officer, Captain Armstrong was formerly a geologist with the Mid-Continent Petroleum Company in Tulsa.

Lt. William V. Atkins, '39, has been awarded the Air Medal for his work as a fighter pilot during the invasion of the Marianas Islands. He took part in strafing and dive-bombing attacks on Japanese forces on Tinian.

Guam, Pagan and Rota as a member of the Vampires squadron of the Seventh Air Force.

Maj. Andrew Dee Pickard, '37-'41, Norman, has been awarded a Silver Star with the Legion of Merit for the excellence of his work as an Armed Field Artillery officer with the Third Army in France. He also holds the Purple Heart. Major Pickard has been overseas for more than a year.

Lt. Col. George S. Bozalis, '35med, Oklahoma City, has been awarded the Bronze Star and recommended for the Legion of Merit for his work with the 95th Bombardment Group of the Eighth Air Force. The citation particularly mentioned Colonel Bozalis' superior professional ability and untiring devotion to duty during the period from August 1 through September 30, 1943.

Lt. Col. Charles W. Cleverdon, '33bus, Oklahoma City, has been awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious service as a Field Artillery liaison officer with the 95th Bombardment Group of the Eighth Air Force.

Capt. Thomas M. Miller, '42, Oklahoma City, has been decorated with the Bronze Star for meritorious service as a Field Artillery liaison officer with the 95th Bombardment Group of the Eighth Air Force.

The Silver Star has been awarded to Capt. John J. (Jack) McFerrin, Jr., Mustang pilot, for gallantry in saving a fellow officer's life in France at the risk of his own life. Captain McFerrin was one of an advance group entering a Patton with one of the American tanks was hit by a shell. He saw a wounded man fall from the tank and run to drag him out of the way although the area was under fire from German fighters. He cared for the officer's wounds until the medics arrived, Captain McFerrin holds the Purple Heart. He has been at the head of an Armored column driving through France since last summer.

Lt. Victor F. Farris, '43, Oklahoma City, has been awarded an Air Medal for his work as navigator aboard a Flying Fortress Over Europe. Lieutenant Farris received his commission at the Army Air Field at Hondotexa.

Maj. Joseph H. Kennedy, '29law, Oklahoma City, has been awarded the Bronze Star for meritorious achievement in the European theater of war. Overseas for more than a year, Major Kennedy has seen action in Belgium, France and Holland. Before entering the Army he practiced law in Muskogee, Oklahoma, and Oklahoma City, for gallantry in saving a fellow officer's life in France at the risk of his own life. Captain McFerrin was one of an advance group entering a Patton with one of the American tanks was hit by a shell. He saw a wounded man fall from the tank and run to drag him out of the way although the area was under fire from German fighters. He cared for the officer's wounds until the medics arrived, Captain McFerrin holds the Purple Heart. He has been at the head of an Armored column driving through France since last summer.

Lt. Warren J. Bale, '46eng, Lodge Pole, Nebraska, is a member of a Liberator bomber squadron of the 15th Air Force which has been given a Presidential Unit Citation for "outstanding performance of duty in armed conflict with the enemy." Lieutenant Bale is a navigator.

An Oak Leaf Cluster has been added to the Air Medal held by Lt. Lester W. Morris, '35-'36, Norman, co-pilot of a Flying Fortress attached to the 95th Bombardment Group of the Eighth Air Force.

Lt. Col. Wendell J. Kelley, '40, Mustang pilot, helped set a distance record for British-based fighters escorting heavy bombers on a 1,600-mile round trip to targets in Poland.
A Happy New Year to you Sooners everywhere. We will work continually during the coming year toward the end to the war and the establishment of world peace.

Frank A. Sewell  
President, Liberty Natl. Bank  
President, O. U. Dads Assn.

APCO Tower  
Walter J. Stark, Mgr.  
Oklahoma City

Broadway Pawn Shop  
Established 1917 — Most Dependable  
Money Loaned on Anything of Value  
Unredeemed Pledges for Sale  
32 W. Grand  
4 S. Broadway  
Oklahoma City

Western Bank & Office Supply Company  
School and Office Supplies  
205 N. W. First  
3-5353

Peoples Packing Co.  
103 S. E. 7th  
Oklahoma City

B. C. Clark  
Oklahoma's Oldest Jeweler  
113 N. Harvey  
Oklahoma City

Allied Materials Corp.  
C. Wayne Barbour  
T. A. Nicholson  
Braniff Building

Randell S. Cobb  
Oklahoma Attorney General

Reford Bond  
Chairman Corporation Commission

Raymond A. Tolbert  
Past President  
O. U. Alumni Association

W. J. Armstrong  
Corporation Commission

Earl Pruett

Bishop's Restaurants  
113 N. Broadway  
Oklahoma City

Fred Jones  
Ford Dealer  
200 S. Harvey  
2-7171

A. D. Engle Co.  
Well Servicing  
Box 1992

Always Welcome at Eddie's  
Football Returns by Direct Wire  
325 W. Grand  
2-9514

Ray F. Fischer Co.  
Plumbing-Heating  
323 N. W. 10th  
7-4661

Bond Lithographing & Printing Co.  
Euclid H. Alexander, Pres.-Mgr.  
418 N. W. 3rd  
2-2224

Chicago Pneumatic Tool Co.  
1 N. W. 16th  
Oklahoma City

Melrose Courts  
Comfortable — Moderate Prices  
44th and Robinson on Norman Road  
Mr. and Mrs. Speegle, Mgrs.

Downtown Chevrolet Company  
604 W. Main  
Oklahoma City

Eureka Tool Co.  
ELLAND TOWNE  
1930 S. E. 29th  
Oklahoma City

Mideke Supply Co.  
100 E. Main  
Oklahoma City

Big Four Ice & Cold Storage  
822 S. Walker  
3-4444

The Coyne Campbell Sanitarium  
Dr. Coyne H. Campbell  
Fourth at Walnut  
3-0433

Britling Cafeteria  
Fine Food — Always  
22 N. W. 1st  
Oklahoma City

American Iron & Machine Works Co.  
518 N. Indiana  
2-5252

Acme Gold Leaf Potato Chips  
For Lunches and Parties

Van Dyke Fur Co.  
Main at Hudson  
Exclusive Furriers Since 1900

B.C. Clark  
3-5253

Diago  
729 W. No.

Ozmu  
202 S. E. 22nd

Carson  
3011 Paseo

Drill  
First Nation
New Year

We pledge ourselves to coming year for an early establishment of an enduring

Road Equipment & Supply Company
Carl A. Tangner, Mgr.
1801 N. E. 9th
7-5679

Dobry Flour Mills
Yukon, Oklahoma

Collins-Dietz-Morris Co.
Del Monte — New State — Belle Isle
Food Products
Oklahoma City — Tulsa — Lawton

Byrd Sales Co.
Gene Byrd
936 W. First
Okla. City

Manhattan
Construction Co.
General Contractors
808 First Natl. Bldg.
Okla. City

Crescent Market
Fine Foods
Plaza Court
2-5121

National Aid Life Insurance Co.
Corner 3rd and Brady
Okla. City

The Classen Company
"Oklahoma's Oldest Real Estate Institution"
Mrs. Anton H. Classen, President

Blakeney Insurance Agency
Why Take Unnecessary Risks?
Let Us Assume Them For You
615 Mercantile Bldg.
3-9335

Local Federal Savings and Loan Association
201 N. Robinson
3-5444

The Griffith Theaters
L. C. Griffith, President
B. J. McKenna, General Manager

State Theater
Better Pictures Always

Oklahoma National Bank
In Capitol Hill

Veazey Drug Co.
"A Home Institution"
20 Conveniently Located Stores
Oklahoma City, Okla.

Hartwell Jewelry Company
Oldest Established Fine Jewelers
In Oklahoma
130 West Main
Oklahoma City

Marquis Studio
Oklahoma City
Telephone 3-2363
119 1/2 W. Main
Phone 3-0636
Fieldin March, 1932, receiving his commission

Dunken, '31, Dallas, were graduated from the
commissioned a second lieutenant direct from

Cobb, Jr., '44, Norman, at the Bombardier

Hermanstorfer, '41-'42, Drumright, both at Luke

Don F. Welch, Jr., '40-'41, Madill, and Jack B.

in the Army Air Force were Clifton M. Speegle,

seaduty. Lt. Fred Quattlebaum was pilot of a

planeto his credit. He was home on leave in

The Alumni Office urgently re
tends or promul
gates on the extent of

The following have been promoted to

Frank, Jr., commander of an Infantry

company with the 45th Division. No details

were released as to the extent of his injury.

in action over Sardinia on August 9. Lieutenant

[...]

 Lt. John R. Naheer, '39-'40, Oklahoma City,

has been awarded the Order of the Purple Heart

for wounds received in action in France. Lieu-

tenant Naeher is commander of an Infantry

company.
gave the dedication speech when a new swimming pool was opened recently at the station. A water carnival was held in connection with the dedication, with exhibitions of swimming and diving.

Commander Morris poured water from both the Atlantic and the Pacific, symbolizing the strength of our two-ocean Navy, into the swimming pool and made a few remarks on its construction and purpose. He was formerly a member of the O. U. faculty.

In Leyte Action
Lt. Col. James Mills, '36eng, Norman, was taking part in the fighting on Leyte Island, according to a letter home recently by Lt. George E. Summers, Jr., '40-'41, Tulsa. Lieutenant Summers was piloting his ship back to base after an all-day flight, when he got lost in a dense storm and ran out of oxygen at the same time.

Searching desperately for a hole in the clouds and a level space in the mountains to land on before the crew passed out from lack of oxygen, and a levelspace in the mountains to land on, Lieutenant Summers finally picked out a place. "I told the crew chief to check all emergency equipment, asked the radio operator to send out a SOS, told the co-pilot to say a prayer and come in," he wrote.

The landing was a good one, and soon the plane was surrounded by friendly natives. Upon being disentangled, one of the officers volunteered to go for help, and took a note to an Australian outpost some distance away. The next morning a rescue party headed by an Australian sergeant came, helped the crew strip the plane of everything they could carry off, and they all made it back to base after an all-day flight, when he got lost in a dense storm and ran out of oxygen at the same time.

Among the plane's crew were two O. U. alumni, Lt. Sidney R. Davis, '35-'36, and Lt. Fred F. Danielson, '36-'37, both of Norman, who were recounting their experiences to base after an all-day flight, when he got lost in a dense storm and ran out of oxygen at the same time.

Adventures in the Indies
His adventures in a crash landing in a remote mountainous section of the Dutch East Indies and rescue by natives and a group of Australians were recounted in a letter home recently by Lt. George E. Summers, Jr., '40-'41, Tulsa. Lieutenant Summers was piloting his ship back to base after an all-day flight, when he got lost in a dense storm and ran out of oxygen at the same time.

Searching desperately for a hole in the clouds and a level space in the mountains to land on before the crew passed out from lack of oxygen, and a levelspace in the mountains to land on, Lieutenant Summers finally picked out a place. "I told the crew chief to check all emergency equipment, asked the radio operator to send out a SOS, told the co-pilot to say a prayer and come in," he wrote.

The landing was a good one, and soon the plane was surrounded by friendly natives. Upon being disentangled, one of the officers volunteered to go for help, and took a note to an Australian outpost some distance away. The next morning a rescue party headed by an Australian sergeant came, helped the crew strip the plane of everything they could carry off, and they all made it back to base after an all-day flight, when he got lost in a dense storm and ran out of oxygen at the same time.

Among the plane's crew were two O. U. alumni, Lt. Sidney R. Davis, '35-'36, and Lt. Fred F. Danielson, '36-'37, both of Norman, who were recounting their experiences to base after an all-day flight, when he got lost in a dense storm and ran out of oxygen at the same time.

Calling the Roll
By Elizabeth Lees

1912~

The responsibilities of the radio in a democracy and the relationship between the radio industry and the federal government were discussed by Paul A. Walker, '12law, member of the Federal Communications Commission, in an address before the third annual radio conference sponsored by Stephens Club, Columbia, Missouri, in November. Mr. Walker said he believed broadcasters have a growing social consciousness and sense of their responsibility, evidenced by the increasing number of educational programs, particularly forum discussions of problems of current public interest. "If democracy is to achieve its maximum effectiveness," Mr. Walker said, "we must have more of this type of broadcasting... Networks and local stations can contribute much by providing plenty of time on the air for the broadcast of facts and varying points of view on matters of public concern."

1925~

Mobley Lushanya, '25, soprano with the San Carlo Opera Company, sang the title role in Ada when the company presented the opera in Oklahoma City last month. Formerly a member of the Chicago Opera Company, Miss Lushanya is touring the country this season as member of the San Carlo Company. She has studied in Berlin and Rome, and appeared with acclaim in Florence, Alexandria, Cairo, Gothenburg, Sweden, and London.

1927~

Jann M. Dickason, '27law, has been placed on inactive duty by the Army and has returned to his law practice in Tulsa. Mr. Dickason, a former lieutenant in the Judge Advocate General's Department, served two and one-half years in the Army. He has resumed practice in his old office at 904 Atlas Life Building.

1930~

SMALL-CROSTON: Mrs. Dorothy Bert Small, Neodesha, Kansas, and Maj. George C. Croston, Jr., '25-'30, Sapulpa, were married October 22 at Brunswick, Mississippi. Major Croston, a member of Beta Theta Pi fraternity, recently returned to the United States after serving for 18 months with the Air Force in Africa. He was assigned to the Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company in Oklahoma City, where the couple are at home.

Dorothy J. Dustin, '30, Oklahoma City, is in Australia as an American Red Cross staff assistant with the armed forces. Before joining the Red Cross, Miss Dustin was employed with the Oklahoma Gas and Electric Company in Oklahoma City.

1933~

COWLEY-CULWELL: Miss Virginia Cowley, Atlanta, Georgia, and Lt. Frank M. Culwell, '33, Norman, were married November 12 in Atlanta. Former Oklahoma newspaperman in Seminole and Oklahoma City, Lieutenant Culwell was recently transferred to Fort Bragg, North Carolina, preparatory to overseas service. He returned to the States last spring after serving a long stretch of duty in the Aleutians with the Field Artillery. Mrs. Culwell, who is employed in Atlanta will remain in Oklahoma City after her husband goes overseas.

Mrs. Elizabeth Willis, '33lib, former public librarian at Ada, has been appointed head librarian at Bethany College Library. Successor pending. She left Ada at Mrs. Verna B. Riddle, '33ed, '34lib, who helped organize and open the public library there in 1936.

January, 1945
-1934-

SULLIVAN-DALE: Miss Barbara Louise Sullivan, Quincy, Massachusetts, and Lt. (jg) Vincent Dale, Los Angeles, were married on September 1 in Quincy. Mrs. Dale, formerly employed with the First National Bank in Boston, is living in Quincy while Lieutenant Dale is on sea duty at Annapolis. The University of Kansas Law School, he was associated with the Federal Bureau of Investigation before entering the Navy.

Lt. William J. Wallace, Jr., '31-'34, and Mrs. Wallace have selected the name William Jones Wallace, III, for their baby son born recently in Oklahoma City. Lieutenant Wallace is on foreign duty.

-1936-

Mrs. Mary V. Burns, '36journ, has been promoted to editor of the Woodward Daily Press. She first went on the Press as a reporter and society editor in 1936, quitting in 1939. Several months ago she rejoined the staff as news editor.

John D. Upham, '36ed, and Mrs. Upham (Marine Corps, '37wvck), have chosen the name John Burnett for their baby son born October 21 in Washington, D. C. The Uphams, formerly of Bartsville, now live in Arlington, Virginia.

WILLIAMS-CONWAY: Miss Mildred Williams, '36h, Hobart, and C. James Conway, Elk City, were married November 6 at Coldwater, Kansas. Mr. and Mrs. Conway are living temporarily in Elk City, where Mr. Conway is employed on a federal construction project.

-1937-

SMITH-BLACK: Mrs. Evelyn M. Smith, Providence, Rhode Island, and Lt. Fred M. Black, '37law, Oklahoma City, were married on October 28 in a chapel at Fort Ord, California. Mrs. Black, a graduate of Oklahoma State College in Providence and the University of Chicago, is a representative of the Red Cross at Fort Ord. Lieutenant Black, stationed there as assistant staff judge advocate of the 40th Ground Forces Headquarters, is a member of the Order of the Cod, Phi Eta Sigma scholastic fraternity for freshman men and Phi Delta Kappa education fraternity. Before entering the service he was an attorney in Oklahoma City. Lieutenant and Mrs. Black made their home at Carmel-by-the-Sea, California.

HEROD-BOWERSOCK: Miss Virginia Herod, and Lt. David Bowersock, '35-'37, Clinton, were married recently in Oklahoma City. Mr. Bowersock is a graduate of Northwestern Institute of Technology at Weatherford and has worked on her master's degree at the University of Southern Colorado. Mr. Bowersock is at Fort Ord, California, and the couple are temporarily at home in Hutchinson, Kansas, where Lieutenant Bowersock was stationed.

CLANCY: Mrs. Marion L. Clancy, '37bus, has been appointed a South American field representative for Wyeth International, the ethical drug division of American Home Products Corporation, with which he has been associated in New York City for the last five years. During this month Mr. Clancy will visit company plants in Pennsylvania and Canada, after which he and Mrs. Clancy (Lucy MacKenzie, '37journ) will go to South America, probably Peru.

MRS. Alece E. Gibson, '37ba, Kingsfishe, has accepted a Civil Service position involving higher mathematics at Langley Field, Hampton, Virginia.

Lt. Col. Ralph L. Reece, '396us, and Mrs. Reece (Elma Burnett, '38a), are the parents of a baby son born recently in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Reece was an officer candidate in training with the Infantry at Fort Benning, Georgia.

SHELTER-SELVIDGE: Miss Frances George Shafer, '39letters, '40libsci, Oklahoma City and Denison, Texas, and Maj. William M. Selvidge, '42law, Ardmore, were married on November 17 in Denison. Before her marriage Mrs. Selvidge was law librarian at the state capitol in Oklahoma City. She is a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority, Phi Beta Kappa, and Chi Delta Phi literary fraternity. Major Selvidge, a member of Sigma Chi fraternity and Phi Eta Sigma scholastic fraternity, returned shortly before his wedding from the European theater of war, where he was in action for 16 months as pilot of a Liberators. He is a member of the Episcopal Church in Disrunglished Flying Cross. Before entering the Air Force, Major Selvidge was state representative from Carter County.

Lt. Col. James R. Williams, Jr, '39law, and Mrs. Williams are the parents of a baby son born November 4 in Oklahoma City. Colonel Williams is stationed at San Luis Obispo, California.
Field at Altus, where the couple established a home.


McDERMITT-JENNINGS: Miss Billie Ruth McDermitt and Ensign Ernest W. Jennings, '44, both of Oklahoma City, were married on October 29. Ensign Jennings received his commission from the Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps at the University on October 27. He was assigned to the submarine base at New London, Connecticut, where the couple are living.

MONROE-LANG: Miss Mary Ann Monroe, Pauls Valley, and A. Warden Lang, Jr., '44eng, East St. Louis, Illinois, were married October 27 in Pauls Valley. Mrs. Lang is a senior in the College of Fine Arts at the University. Mr. Lang expects to enter service soon. The couple have established a home in Norman.

MCMURRAY-KAUFFMANN: Miss Suzanne McMurray, '42-'44, Oklahoma City, and Ensign Howard C. Kauffmann, Jr., '44eng, Tulsa, were married November 5 in Oklahoma City. Mrs. Kauffmann, who also attended Randolph-Macon College at Lynchburg, Virginia, is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority. Ensign Kauffmann, a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity, recently returned from an eight-month tour of duty in the Pacific war zone. He was stationed in Long Beach, California, where he and Mrs. Kauffmann established a home.

PARTLOW-LLOYD: Miss Ida Margaret Partlow, '44ed, Skiatook, and Sgt. John R. Lloyd, Jenks, were married October 22 in Riverside, California. Mrs. Lloyd is teaching school in Oceanside, California, near Camp Pendleton, where Sergeant Lloyd is stationed. He has been in the Marine Corps for eight years.

Juanita E. Prentice, '44ba, Oklahoma City, is employed as a geographic aid in the Army Map Service in Washington, D. C. In order to interpret scales, dates and titles appearing on Oriental maps, Miss Prentice is studying Chinese and Japanese.

RIDDLE-HALL: Miss Virginia Riddle, '44he, McAlester, and Ensign M. Trufant Hall, '43bs, Norman, were married on November 9 in Jacksonville, Florida. Mrs. Hall was employed with the Public Service Company in McAlester before her marriage. Ensign Hall was on duty at the Naval Air Station at Jacksonville, where the couple established a home.

BLANTON-SEIKEL: Miss Fern Blanton and Ensign Roy L. Seikel, '44eng, both of Oklahoma City, were married there on October 28. Ensign Seikel is a member of Alpha Chi Sigma honorary chemistry fraternity and Tau Beta Pi and Sigma Tau honorary engineering fraternities. He was ordered to report to the submarine base at New London, Connecticut, after receiving his commission from the N.R.O.T.C. unit at the University this fall.

SLOAN-LAUBHAN: Miss Eilena Sloan, '44ed, and Sgt. Victor Laubhan, both of Ames, Oklahoma, were married there on October 14. Mrs. Laubhan is continuing in her position as teacher and superintendent at the Cimarron Valley School near Enid. Sergeant Laubhan is on duty at the Army Air Field at Mission, Texas.

YOUNG-MUELLER: Miss Elaine Young, '44bs, Oklahoma City, and Pfc. Bernard W. Mueller, Rockford, Illinois, were married October 22 in Oklahoma City. Private Mueller, a member of the American Society of Tool Engineers, was stationed at Will Rogers Field near Oklahoma City, where he and Mrs. Mueller established a home.

ZOBISCH-SLONECKI: Miss Maxine Zobisch, '44ed, Greazy, and Thaddeus G. Slonecki, New York City, were married recently in Clifton, New Jersey. Mrs. Slonecki, who received her B. A. degree from Oklahoma City University, is teaching music in the Junior High School at Pampa, Texas. Mr. Slonecki was associated with the Interboro Rapid Transit System in New York before entering service with the Air Force.