Decorations

Editor's note: The following news items are part of the overstory material from past months. As in the "Call of the Roll of Sooner Classes," many of the news items on decorations and discharges have taken place several months ago. Sooner Magazine is printing the following pages of news of alumni in the armed forces to inform its readers of their University friends.

Capt. Dale D. Desper, '39ba, former professor of military science and tactics at the University, was presented the Bronze Star Medal for meritorious achievement while serving as liaison officer between the American and Chinese forces during the Salween River campaign. In addition Captain Desper is holder of the D. F. C., and the Air Medal with one Oak Leaf Cluster.

Mr. Clyde Fleming, '30ba, Norman, was awarded the Silver Star posthumously at Norman, April 22. Lieutenant Fleming, who was a supply officer for the 30th Bombardment squadron, was killed September 7, 1944, off the coast of Mindanao. He was on call duty and action beyond the call of duty during the attack. Lieutenant Fleming formerly taught in the Norman High School.

First Lt. Charles R. Inglis, '33eng, Norman, who is now serving in the Philippines, in recognition of outstanding service in the course of the operations for the liberation of France.

Lt. Richard M. McCool, Jr., '41ba, Norman, was awarded the Bronze Star medal for meritorious service in connection with military operations. The award was made for service rendered by Lieutenant Llwyd while serving as adjutant of the First Quartermaster Group in the Cotentin and Brittany peninsulas of the Normandy base section.

Lt. Richard M. McCool, Jr., '41ba, Norman, winner of the Congressional Medal of Honor, has been made a member of the Army and Navy Legion of Valor of the United States of America. Organized in 1890, the Legion's members are limited to men who have won either the Congressional Medal of Honor. Col. Smith is now stationed at Marine Corps headquarters, at Quantico, Virginia.

Joe Elbert Thompson, now a student in the University from Henryetta, and a former aviation radio man second class in the Navy, was presented the Air Medal for heroism in the Second Battle of the Philippine sea on October 24, 1944.

The citation was presented by Vice Admiral Frederick C. Sherman, Commander of the First Carrier Task Force, U.S. Pacific Fleet, in a ceremony at the Navy Pearl Harbor depot. The award was made for exceptional heroism in the course of operations for the liberation of France.

Dr. Cecil Miller, '36ba, recently received a commendation citation from the Army Air Forces overseas, was promoted to the rank of lieutenant commander and is attached to the 25th Infantry Division and was sent overseas the following March with this unit. In September, 1944, he was commissioned to the 25th Infantry Division and was sent overseas the following March with this unit.

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Promotions

Bobby D. Center, '45, Norman, has been promoted to the rank of major in the Medical Corps at a Pacific island base.

Edith Roberts, '29, has been promoted to the rank of lieutenant commander and is attached to the Navy port director's office, Corpus Christi, Texas. Commander Roberts will be on active duty until July 1, 1947.

William H. Schleyer, '43, Oklahoma City, has been commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army, having completed his officer candidate school at the Fort Benning, Georgia, infantry school.

Promotion of Capt. Lester E. Simon, '28-'31, to major, Quartermaster Corps, has been announced by headquarters, Army Forces, Middle Pacific.

Major Simon attended El Paso High School for two years before entering the Oklahoma Military Academy, Claremore, where he graduated in 1928. He then attended the University from 1928 till 1931.

Prior to entering the Army at Fort Bliss, Texas, on January 20, 1941, Major Simon was a petroleum inspector for the Standard Oil Company of Texas in El Paso. He received his basic training with the 16th Q. M. Squad of the First Cavalry Division. January 15, 1942, Major Simon was assigned to the 25th Infantry Division and was sent overseas the following March with this unit.

In June, 1942, he was assigned to the post headquarters motor pool, Schofield Barracks, Oahu, and is now the officer in charge of transportation for this headquarters.

First Lt. Duane E. Taylor, '42ba, was promoted from his former rank of second lieutenant at a formal ceremony recently in the United States Forces at Subic Bay, Philippines. He is serving in the allied commission for this section.

Before entering the Army in March, 1943, Lieutenant Taylor was engaged in wheat farming and livestock raising. He received his commission at Fort Sill in September, 1943, and was assigned overseas in December, 1944. He is entitled to wear the European and American Theater ribbons and the Victory Medal.
Correspondence

No Snack Bar, Grows Barefoot

"Down-in-the-Pacific"

Dear Bo:

I'm still working hard—too damn hard for this climate, I think. I have, of not wanting any possibility of an over-loaded office to hold me up if I should get some kind of a break about going home, keeps me going—but, however, under the present set-up, I don't figure to get out before the first of August—that is, get away from here until then, anyway—and not then providing Col. Shaw can go through with his plan to hold all JAGS until first of August—that is, get away from here until going home, keeps me going—however, under the any possibility of an over-loaded office to hold climate, but the incentive I have, of not wanting— who is trying all the cases, a Captain (Claims reduced from 37 to 13 and 5 or 6 of those will go away with it, but haven't yet had any definite word to back up our hopes. If he has his way, he'll keep us here.

The office is in much better shape now and in a few more weeks will be in current condition. The back-log of general court martial cases has been reduced from 37 to 13 and 5 or 6 of those will go out of the office next week. Also, I've managed to pick up a little more personnel, which is a help. My office now consists of a Lt. L.T., JAGD, now in the hospital with malaria, which he picked up since he's been here, Ist Lt. (Staff JA)—who is trying all the cases, a Captain (Claims Officer—who is also Defense Counsel) a 1st Lt. (Asst. Claims Officer), four Assistant (only one Filipino boy who is a pretty good stenographer, and one one is a court reporter, unfortunately), one Filipino boy who is the former Dorothy Mosiman, of Washington, D.C. We were married February 25, 1945, in Seattle.

Very truly yours,
Glenn R. Watson, '39law.

Sooner Keeps Copmann Posted

Dear Mr. Beard:

I was discharged from the Army on April 16, 1946, at Ft. Leavenworth, Kansas, after serving 35 months, 19 of these overseas. During combat operations I served with the 405th Infantry Regiment of the 102nd Division. Subsequently I was assigned to the Third U.S. Army Headquarters as message center chief of that unit's engineering section.

Prior to disembarkation for the States, I attended a two month language and music course at the University of Basel, Switzerland.

I trust this resume has been of help to you. Throughout the war the intrinsic and accurate information pertaining to former students published in The Sooner Magazine was the sole medium I had in locating friends of mine who for a long period were lost in the maze of the Army's millions of personnel.

I shall offer my thanks in person when I enroll for the fall semester.

Sincerely,
Lyle D. Copmann, '41-'43
Oxford, Kansas.

Back to Law School for Goodwin

Gentlemen:

It has been quite some time since I have received a copy of the Sooner Magazine, so, thinking that perhaps my change of address card had not reached you, I wish to advise of a change of address (see above).

Occupation duty at base is very dull, and news of what is happening and being planned for the future of the University would be very welcome.

At present I have the job of battery commander of a unit engaged in rail security. We guard the equipment and supply coming into the American zone of occupation, and do our best to see that trains are not interfered with. The conditions to which you could give me that might make the transition easier would be deeply appreciated.

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Sooner Magazine has been rather sketchy for the past 4 years, I presume you will be interested in a bit of personal history.

After graduation with the class of '39, Law, I practiced in Okemah until April 15, 1942, when I went on active duty with the Navy. I was discharged with rank of lieutenant on January 9, 1946, having served on two destroyers, in the North and South Atlantic, Caribbean, Mediterranean, and Pacific. I had 32 months sea duty, served through the so-called "Battle of the Atlantic" participated in invasions of North Africa (Anzio Operation), France, and occupation of Japan.

Upon separation from the service I visited Oklahoma, and returned to California to live. I reviewed my law here, and recently completed the California bar examination. I am opening my law office in the suburbs of Los Angeles, at 8611 Crenshaw Boulevard, Inglewood, California, telephone Oce-fo 8-1601.

My wife and I purchased a home in Santa Monica, 2277 24th Street, telephone 63811. We would certainly be delighted for any wandering "Sooners" out this way to give us a ring. My wife is the former Dorothy Mosiman, of Washington, D.C. We were married February 25, 1945, in Seattle.

Very truly yours,
Glenn R. Watson, '39law.

V Me Day Puzzles Skinner

Gentlemen:

Just received Sooner Magazine for November, December and January and enjoyed them very much. Surely makes me yearn for another look at O. U. Suppose I'll hardly know the place when I get back.

Am at the largest engineers depot on the continent, E514 at Liege, Belgium. Feel like a Belgique civilian now, been at this one place 16 months, through in the Bulge, V-E Day and V-J Day—what I want now is V-Me Day. Are the vet alumni getting jobs ok? That's what I'm sweating out now.

Good luck and keep up the good work.
Bill Skinner, '43eng.

Miller Heads Military Courts

Dear Ted:

I am working here in the Legal Division of the Office of Military Government for Bavaria and fortunate to be side by side with some other Sooners. Worth B. McCauley, '31law, from Oklahoma City, is acting now as Chief Legal Officer for all Bavaria, and Major Al B. Sims, also from Oklahoma City, is chief of the Security Review Boards. My responsibility is to supervise the Military Government Courts in Bavaria. All of our writers are being trained as military judges.

This is very interesting work over here and some of the German lawyers, especially in Munich and the other larger cities, are pretty sharp and are of all professions.

There are many Sooners over here and if I run into them I will try to remember to let you know.

Yours sincerely,
George Miller, Jr., '31law,
1st Lt., F. A.

News by Neale

Ensign Merritt A. Neale, '44eng, sends in news of a few of the Naval students who have graduated from O. U.:

Ensign C. M. Roscoe, C.E.C., U.S.N.R., '44eng, served with the 8th Naval Construction Battalion on Iwo Jima from April through October '45, spent November '45 through January '46 with the "Fightin' 8th" at Hiroshima and then back to Guam where he is now with the 103rd N.C.B., beautifying the island for its post-war status. Hopes to be wearing a polka-dot tie again by May or June '46.

Ensign J. R. Davidson, C.E.C., U.S.N.R., '44eng, served 8 months—April through November '45 with the 112th N.C.B. on Okinawa. He experienced 5 typhoons while there and lost all his gear in the last and most severe. He is now with the 14th Naval District Public Works Department at Pearl Harbor. Expects a discharge in June '46.

Had a letter recently from Ensign E. O. Beegholm, C.E.C., U.S.N.R., '44eng, now serving with the 96th N.C.B. at Tsingtao, China. Says that one can see about all of China that is presently interesting, in three liberties on the beach. Very cold and living conditions very inadequate—quite a contrast from his home in Vitalia, California.

Ensign Walter "Ben" Flanigin is at present, the Welfare and Recreation Officer at the Fleet Radar Center at Pearl Harbor. He wonders, with amazement, why he is doing what he is—after 9 months of highly technical radar training which he underwent at M.I.T. in '45. Has designs upon a very long career. He met in Boston, Massachusetts while at M.I.T.

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August, 1946
Lieut. Comdr. Edith Roberts, USNR, '29, has been transferred from Corpus Christi, Texas, to New Orleans, Louisiana, where she will command the Eighth Headquarters Operations.

Lt. Col. L. Trauman, '38a, returned from 30 months duty in England and France recently. He expects to be in the service for one year more. Colonel Trauman has his home in the Pacific.

Capt. M. McColl, '41a, is one of two Cleveland County men holding the Congressional Medal of Honor, the nation's highest award for outstanding heroism in battle. Lieutenant McColl was a 2nd lieutenant in World War II, when he was on temporary duty with the University N. R. O. T. C. Unit and the Norman Naval Air Technical Training Center for approximately eight months. He will assume command of an LCS at San Diego.

Capt. Murray F. Gibbons, '41b, has been transferred from Camp Roberts, California, to Santa Fe, New Mexico, where he commands the 2nd Agrochemical Detachment. Mrs. Gibbons, with his wife and daughter, Carol Ann, have been visiting relatives in Oklahoma City en route to his new station.

Lt. Woodrow H. McConnell, USNR, '38b, has been transferred from Fort Benning, Georgia, to Hickam Field, Hawaii. He was formerly in the cryptographic office in the station since August, 1944, to Hickman Field, Arkansas, where he has been transferred from Guam, where he has been stationed since the fall.

Lt. James H. McCullough, '43a, has been stationed in the Pacific theater 18 months with an airborn division, arrived at his home in Oklahoma City from Japan, for a short visit, called home by illness in the family. Basil D. McCampbell, '41b, returned to duty at Fort Benning, Ga., after a 45-day leave. Capt. McCampbell and Lieutenant McCampbell are brothers.

Robert Webster Berry, '43-'44, has served in San Diego, California, has been promoted to the rank of second lieutenant.

Capt. Leonard B. Storm, '29-'32, '34-'37, has been chosen one of four Navy men who will set up radar equipment for the atomic bomb "Operation Crossroads," a top-secret Navy experiment to be carried out by July in the Pacific. Wadland expects to continue his studies in the University at the fall semester.

Capt. A. W. Connolly, '31, is now stationed in Germany, where he is assistant director of athletics for the European Theater Army Air Forces. He will be joined in July or August by his wife, Mrs. A. W. Connolly, and sons Craig and Ron, who are making plans for the trip. Capt. Connolly sailed for Germany in February.

Col. Leonard B. Storm, '29-'32, '34-'37, has recently been assigned as chief of the maintenance division, Detachment Special Troops, First Army Technical Service Command, Kelly Field, Texas.

Maj. Otto D. Hess, Jr., '41a, Reno, has recently been assigned operations officer for headquarter, 40th Air Support Division, Operations Office in New York City, Major Hess entered the Army in 1941 and is a veteran of over 17 months duty in India as commander of a quartermaster supply company. He graduated from the Army's ROTC at the University of Florida.

Lt. (j.g.) Margaret Tomberlin Galloway, '39, lornu, has been moved from the Naval Air Station, Key West, Florida, to Washington, D. C.

Lt. Lavern A. Yarbrough, '38-'41, left recently for Eniwetok atoll in the Pacific where he will operate television and radar equipment in the most important mission of the "Doolittle" raid. The drone ship will be controlled by the mother ship which controls the "drone ship" by radio, In the area in which he is stationed, the unit can be up to 20 miles from the mother ship. His present tour of duty has been "quite pleasant."

Capt. Frank A. LaBone, '40-'42, Chickasha, is now serving with the American occupation forces in Germany. Captain LaBone was assigned to the 39th Headquarters and Headquarters Battalion, 1st Armored Division, arrived at Le Harve, France, to serve with the Field Artillery.

Capt. Victor Croxton, '29a, Shaw, is now serving as a liaison officer of war crimes in England.

Capt. Neil Keller, '33a, is now stationed in Washington, D. C., on duty with the War Department.

Lt. Col. Thomas C. Kelly, '39, Oklahoma City, was stationed in New Mexico awaiting the atomic bomb tests at the Bikini atoll in May and July. Colonel Kelly previously had served in Italy where he earned the Distinguished Flying Cross and the Air Medal with four Oak Leaf Clusters.

Ens. William R. Kincheloe, Jr., '43-'45, Oklahoma City, is one of 40 Navy V-12 graduates, officers and junior officers in the United States to be selected for the study of electronics at Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Boston.

Lt. Frank A. LaBoone, '40-'42, Chickasha, is serving his first foreign duty on Luzon in the Philippines.

Merrill McDonald, '42-'43, Covington, was recently admitted to Borden General Hospital, Chickasha, for medical treatment. Mr. McDonald saw action in France and Germany with the 1st Infantry Division, returning home February 28, 1946.

Ensign Kenneth Miller, '40a, Norman, served in Greece and India and was assigned to the chief of naval operations in Washington last December upon returning to the States.

Ensign Louis Wendell Miller, '43, Norman, is now assigned communications officer aboard the Los Angeles.

Maj. Joe M. Mills, '37a, Norman, has been assigned assistant director in charge of enlisted affairs, Mechanic Special Troops of the department of material at the Field Artillery school, Fort Sill.

Maj. Gordon G. Murphy, '32-'36, Norman, after a tour of duty in the European theater of operations, has been assigned to the 575th Field Artillery Battalion, Washington, D. C.

Mr. Robert A. Norman, '37-'40, Oklahoma City, is now serving with the Army of Occupation in Germany.

Maj. Edmondson was taken prisoner by the Japs in the Philippine Islands prior to the fall of Bataan, where he was serving as an assistant major in the 39th Division, and in Oklahoma City.

Sen. D. Floyd, Jr., lieutenant commander, '39b, Wewoka, is stationed at Kansas City, Mo., as a supply officer.

Second Lt. Denzel "Denny" Garrison, '45, has arrived at Le Harve, France, to serve with the Field Artillery.
Col. Stuart M. Porter, '38mus, Muskogee, has received an assignment at the National Naval Medical Center, Bethesda, Maryland.

Lt. Col. Frank G. Rainfield, '36la, Okla- homa City, is employed by the office chief of staff, Officer's Training Group in Washington, D. C.

Maj. Orin Richardson, '31law, veteran of five European campaigns, is employed with the Office of the Collector of Internal Revenue in Denver, Colorado.

Mrs. Wilder, the former Sally Wilbanks, '34fa, is stationed at Headquarters, U. S. F. A.

Pvt. Cran H. Wilbanks, Jr., '411aw, Holdenville, recently received his discharge from the Army.

Lt. Col. Robert A. Warner, Jr., '34, Tulsa, who is assigned to Fort Sill, has been re-enlisted in the regular Army for a period of three years.

Col. Webster Wilder, Jr., '33lb, Cherokee, is stationed at the Field Artillery School at Fort Sill, Okla. He has been released from activeduty in the U. S. Naval Air Forces.

Lt. Col. George Taylor, '22, has gone to Germany.


Charles Groenendyke, '32eng, has been discharged and will resume work with the Magnolia company in Dallas, Texas. He has been in the service for over four years, and served as a B-29 radarman and instructor. Groenendyke was discharged at Salt Lake Utah.

Lt. (j.g.) Anthony R. Kane, Oklahoma City, 40lb, has been placed on terminal leave by the Navy, after a total of 34 months on duty. During that time he served in the Pacific area, and received the Purple Heart, participant in the Philippine liberation, Okinawa invasion and the Japanese occupation.

Ranger George Deary, Jr., '36, has been discharged from the Army and is now residing in Amarillo, Texas.

Pfc. William W. Jamar, Jr., '43, Tulsa, has been discharged from military service.

First Lt. Orin Richardson, '31pharm, Norman, was assigned to the University of Minnesota, where he will assume duties as Army physician.

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Charles Fox Wood, III, '42geo, has been placed on terminal leave after almost five years duty in the Pacific Theater. He has served with the 11th Airborne Division in the Western Carolines (Palau Islands), and the Southern Philippines. He was discharged with rank of first lieutenant. He was awarded an Air Medal.

Toland Dwight Mitchell, Jr., '43ba, who has been in the Field Artillery of the Army for the past three years, is now on terminal leave and at home in Hotel in Oklahoma City. He was discharged as a first lieutenant.

Sgt. Richard T. Wyche, '38ba, has recently been discharged from the Army.


Ensign Harold George Powell, '42244, Norman, has been discharged from the Marine Corps and placed in inactive duty as a captain.

Major Lester Simon, '28231, El Paso, Texas, was discharged with rank of captain. He was discharged with T/4 rating, at the Separa-

The following men have been discharged from military service: Capt. Joe M. Barnhill, '34-'41, both of Pauls Valley, have been discharged from the service following four years of duty.

Maj. Lester Simon, '28-'31, El Paso, Texas, was discharged on terminal leave from the Army until May 5, when he reported to the quartermaster depot at Kansas City, Missouri.

More University students who have been discharged are Clyde G. Smallwood, '35-'38, Norman; William D. Cotton, '37-'38, Norman; Randell D. Davis, '43, Norman, and Frank J. Newkumet, '32-'37, Norman.

Ensign Edgar Louis Isbell, '41ba, Cloud Chief, has recently been released from inactive duty from the Army.

Lt. Homer B. Simmons, '43ed, Seminole, received his discharge from the Marine Corps on April 9th.

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Capt. Harold Kirkpatrick, '43bus, was recently discharged from the Army at Camp Claiborne, Arkansas.

Bernard C. Keul, '41pharm, Canute, recently received his discharge from service and is now making plans for the future in Tulsa, Oklahoma.

First Lt. Edward O. Brennan, '38-'41, Oklahoma City was demobilized from the Army, February 1946. He was with the 1387th Engineer Base Depot company, Manila, Philippine Islands. He is now with the Bell Telephone Company, Oklahoma City.

Capt. Wheeler N. Burkett, '37-'38, Oklahoma City has been released to inactive duty from the Army Air Force.

Lt. Earl Fuller Dosch, '28geo, recently received his discharge from service and is now with the S. D. Company, Soil Conservation Service, Columbus, Ohio.

John B. Young, '41hs, has recently been discharged from the Army Air Corps as a captain. He is now doing weather research for the University of Chicago at Orlando, Florida.

Capt. Gail R. Palmer, '41arch, has been discharged from the Army and is now making plans for the future in Oklahoma City.

Pvt. Theda Boyle Wiese, '39, recently was discharged from service. He and Mrs. Wiese are making plans for the future.

Dorman W. Sims, '40, Oklahoma City has been discharged from the Army with the rank of captain.

Capt. Floyd A. Sooy, '35-'38, recently discharged from Army, is now living in Washington, D.C.

Capt. Burdette C. Smith, '38-'39, has been placed on inactive duty from the Quartermaster Corps of the Army. He is making his home in Tulsa.

Capt. Donald H. Palmer, '41law, Oklahoma City has been discharged from the Navy. He is now employed as Auditor, Oklahoma Tax Commission, Income Division.

T/Sgt. Frederick E. Pleeman, '32, recently was released from the Navy. He is now residing in New York City.

Capt. Howard A. Smith, '38-'39, recently was demobilized from service and is now residing in El Paso, Texas. He retains the rank of captain in the Reserve.

Capt. Herbert L. Wineland, '37-'38, has received his discharge from service and is now residing in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Capt. Roy Bailey, '36-'38, Oklahoma City, has recently been discharged from service in the Army.

Justin T. Crane, '34, has been discharged after serving 39 months in the Coast Guard. He is now employed by Fire Companies Adjustment Bureau, Oklahoma City.

Ensign Jacob C. Holmes, Jr., '41hs, Woodward, has received his discharge from the Navy.

Sgt. John C. Davidson, '42, recently released from service, is now residing in Tulsa.

Maj. Malcolm B. Wauka, '36-'37, Waukau, received his discharge from the Navy on October 22.

T/5 Luther A. Mueller, '41ma, has been released from the Army and now is residing in Kent, Ohio.

2nd Lt. Gynoe H. Beese, '35-'36, Oklahoma City, received his discharge from the Army on December 7, 1945.

Lt. Cecil Quentin Copps, '42bus, upon receiving his release from service has returned to his pre-war position as Petroleum Engineer with the Bureau of Mines, Laramie, Wyoming.

Weldon Parks, '39-'41, Chickasha, began work in March 15 as radio dispatcher for the state highway department in Waco, Texas, on June 1, 1946, as a student attending Oklahoma State University in the School of Journalism, and was discharged from the army at Camp Claiborne, Arkansas.

Capt. Leslie Robinson, '41-'43, has received his discharge from service in Oklahoma City, after being in the Army three years. He was stationed at Waikiki beach, Oahu, and eight months on Saipan.

Robert C. Harper, '41ba, has received his discharge from the service and is now living in Ponce, Puerto Rico.

Lt. Col. Vern R. James, '37, Norman, has been discharged from Europe for the United States.

James B. Drobot, '37238, has moved from Waco, Texas, to Oklahoma City. He was a lieutenant before being released from the Army.

Peyton Ford, '34law, left recently for Wash- ington, D.C. to accept the position of special, D.O.E. consultant to Attorney General Tom Clark. Ford was discharged from the Navy as a lieutenant after serving as a member of the group of weather observers behind the Japanese lines, in operations which extended all the way from Indo-China to the Gobi Desert.

Capt. Robert W. Bradley, USNR, '35, '39, Norman, has been placed on active duty at the Navy Personnel separation center in Washington, D.C.

Lt. Lunsford P. Livingston, '37238, Seminole, received his discharge from service and is now residing in Oklahoma City.

Capt. Wheeler N. Burkett, '37-'38, has recently been discharged from the Army Air Corps as major after serving since 1940, has made announcement of his candidacy for congressman from the fourth district of Arkansas. He was a field officer in the Pacific Theatre and was a member of the 9th Air Force. He is now doing weather research for the University of Chicago at Orlando, Florida.

Capt. Richard L. Disney, Jr., '35239, received his discharge from the Army March 8, 1946. He is now connected with the NHA, Information Division in Washington.

Lt. Jennie Floyd Fleming, '41eng, recently discharged from military service is now employed by the Department of Agriculture, Soil Conservation Service.

Capt. Maj. James R. Ricks, Jr., '38-'41, has recently honorably discharged from the service and is now at his home in Guthrie.

Arnold Court, '34, has been discharged from the military service and has accepted a position to return to civilian work as a federal meteorologist and climatologist in Washington, D.C. Court, with his wife, has been visiting relatives in Norman.

Lt. John R. Mooney, '41-'43, was recently separated from the Army at the Camp Claiborne, Arkansas, Separation Center.

Miss Mary J. Matthews, '36, was discharged from the WAC in Europe and has elected to continue working in Europe with the UNRRA in Posingen, suburb of Munich, as a child welfare worker. So far her duties have included convoying displaced persons. Her latest convoy was of 690 Jewish children whom she took from Marseilles, France, to Palestine.

Capt. Robert E. Farr, '43-'44, has arrived home with a discharge after serving in the Army for three years, 19 months of which was overseas duty. Farr was transferred immediately after V-E Day to the First Armored in the Army of Occupation.

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Capt. Walter E. Fisher, '41-'42, has been discharged from the Navy and is now at home in Oklahoma City.

Benjamin T. Head, '42, until his discharge a major in the Quartermaster Corps, has been re- placed by the Depthograph Company, Great Bend, Kansas.

William Raymond Akins, '42-'43, was recently discharged as a corporal from the service. He is now living in Holdenville.

Capt. Louis Kamrath, '40, has been discharged from the infantry and is now at his home in Guthrie.

Arnold Court, '34, has been discharged from the armed services and has accepted a position to return to civilian work as a federal meteorologist and climatologist in Washington, D.C. Court, with his wife, has been visiting relatives in Norman.

Capt. John R. Mooney, '41-'43, was recently separated from the Army at the Camp Claiborne, Arkansas, Separation Center.

Miss Mary J. Matthews, '36, was discharged from the WAC in Europe and has elected to continue working in Europe with the UNRRA in Posingen, suburb of Munich, as a child welfare worker. So far her duties have included convoying displaced persons. Her latest convoy was of 690 Jewish children whom she took from Marseilles, France, to Palestine.

Capt. Robert E. Farr, '43-'44, has arrived home with a discharge after serving in the Army for three years, 19 months of which was overseas duty. Farr was transferred immediately after V-E Day to the First Armored in the Army of Occupation.

2nd Lt. Gerald L. Decker, '39-'41, now on terminal leave from the Army.
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Former University students who have recently been discharged from the armed forces include:
- Capt. Walter B. Blevins, Jr., '35 bus, Oklahoma City; Lt. George A. Bootwright, '33, Drumheller; Lt. (jg) Glenn Terrance Bodman, Jr., Chicago, Ill.; Lt. Sam Bookman, '43 bus, Tulsa; Maj. John William Borelli, '34 eng, Oklahoma City; Jf/O Bill DuVearp, '36-39, Tulsa.
- Corporal Max Dillingham, '32, was separated after a long tour of Army duty, in May, 1946 at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas.
- Lt. (jg) W. R. Baker, '43 bus, is now on terminal leave from the Navy, and is visiting his parents in Norman.
- S. Morton Rutherford III, '44, now at Yale Law School, has been placed on inactive status in the Army Air Corps.
- Capt. Dooley E. Mallory, '36-37, recently received a redi of duty in the Army and is present in residence in Long Beach, California.
- Lt. Robert A. Anderson, '40-41, formerly with a heavy bomber group in the Army Air Corps, has received his discharge and is now living in San Antonio, Texas.
- Pfc. Edmund John Armstrong, '31 eng, has been discharged from the service and is now living in Fort Worth, Texas.
- Sgt. E. S. Banta, '42, has been demobilized from the service and is now living in Norman.
- 1st Lt. Jack W. Ritcheson, '42-44, now on terminal leave after having been discharged as an ensign, has returned to his home in Maysville, Oklahoma.
- Charles Jack Young, Jr., '43, Norman, has been discharged from the Army in September, 1945, and is now back in the University.

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Conrad L. Cook, '43, '45-'46, has been released from military service and is now enrolled as a student at the University.
- Lt. Milton E. McWilliams, Jr., back in the United States after 18 months service in the European theater of operations, has been placed on terminal leave from the Army, and will return to the University for the beginning of the fall semester.
- Reginald C. Towers, '19-'30, Norman, was discharged from the Army in September, 1945, and is now back in the University.
- Pfc. Edmund John Armstrong, '31 eng, has been discharged from the service and is now living in Fort Worth, Texas.
- Maj. James A. George, '30-36, was discharged and is now attending the University School of Medicine.
- Pfc. Charles Rotlihanuuer, '42-'43, Norman, has been discharged and is now attending the University.
- Maj. James R. Cowles, '36-'39, Tulsa, has been discharged and is now attending the University.
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