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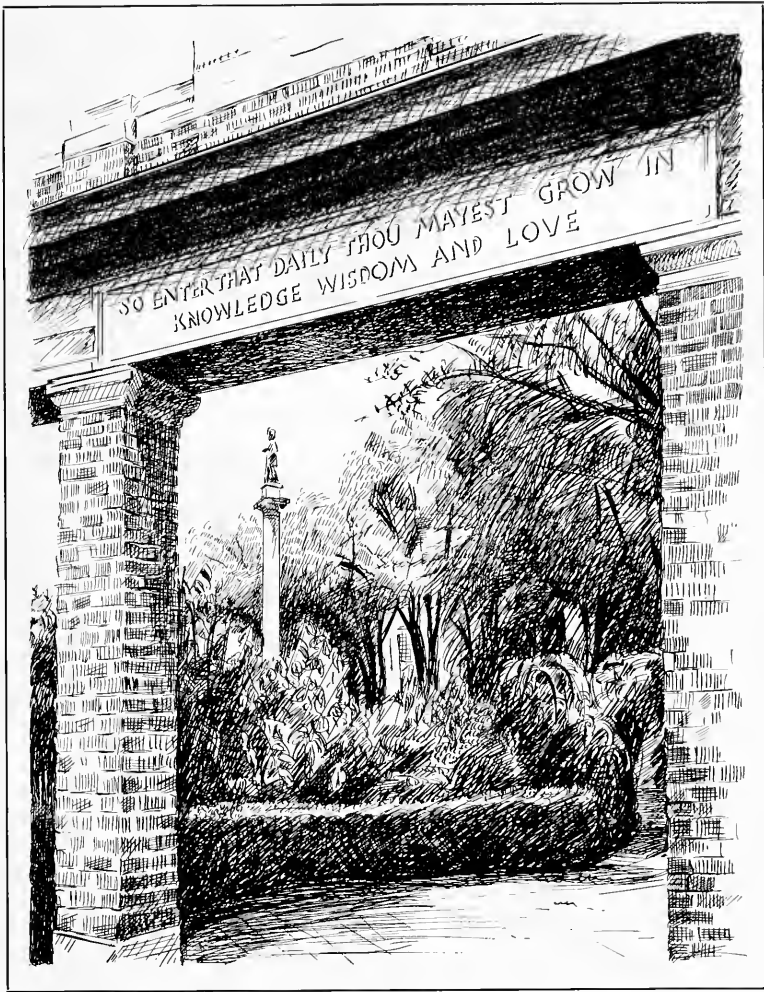
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General Rufus Putnam Could Write But Could Not Spell

Ohio University History Professor Contributes Interesting Founders' Day (February 18) Story

By PROF. T. N. HOOVER, '05

IT was in a very humble home at Sutton, Massachusetts that Rufus Putnam was born on the ninth of April, 1738. He was afflicted with an illiterate, undesirable, unsympathetic step-father when but a small boy. It was not until he was apprenticed to a millwright that he was permitted to have a candle by the light of which he might study. Under the most difficult conditions he learned to read, write, and cipher; but he never learned to spell. He studied surveying and became, later in his career, Surveyor General of the United States.

Rufus Putnam served in the French and Indian War and throughout the Revolutionary War, being one of the most prominent civil engineers in the Revolution. At the close of the Revolution, he at once took a deep interest in the settlement of the western lands. As early as 1783 he wrote to George Washington asking for his influence to secure the survey of the western lands, the settlement of the lands and the support of schools and churches. The famous Ordinance of 1785 embodied many of the recommendations of Rufus Putnam.

The formation of the Ohio Company in 1786, the activities of the company in selling stock, the contract with Congress for the purchase of land in 1787, are generally known. On the twenty-seventh of June, 1787, Congress agreed to set aside two townships of land for the support of an university. On the following October twenty-seventh the contract was signed. From this time on, the one man who dreamed of a university in the midst of the purchase of the Ohio Company was Rufus Put-



PROFESSOR HOOVER

nam. As early as May sixteenth, 1789, General Putnam and Reverend Manasseh Cutler were appointed "to make such further application [to Congress] as they shall judge expedient respecting an establishment of instructors in the University and procuring a charter for that seminary."

The directors of the company on January tenth, 1795, "Resolved, that the Committee appointed by a resolution of the ninth of November, 1790, for the purpose of ascertaining and designating the two townships reserved for the purpose of an university . . . be requested to be ready to go up the Great Hock Hocking with the directors as soon as the season will permit for the completion of the business for which they were appointed and that the superintendent [Putnam] furnish a surveyor and a suitable number of hands for the occasion, also fifteen men as a guard, and that a suitable number of canoes or boats be provided for the purpose of transporting the necessary provisions."

"Resolved that for caring [carrying] the above business into effect it will be necessary that there be provided for (by) the Ohio Company eight hundred pounds of good salt pork called middleings, also twelve hundred of flour and hard bread, three bushels of beans and forty gal- len of whiskey."

Rufus Putnam led this crew, directed the survey and reported townships eight and nine of the fourteenth range as best suited for the needs of the university. On the third of February, 1799, he wrote a letter to Reverend Manasseh Cutler concerning the college lands and suggested that someone should be authorized to erect buildings, appoint officials, and get the university going.

General Putnam, on August second, 1800, replied to Reverend Cutler with a letter of appreciation for what Cutler had done in the way of recommending a charter. Cutler thought that a very meager building program



GENERAL RUFUS PUTNAM

should be undertaken because of a possible scarcity of students. Putnam replied, "I am more apprehensive that we shall not be able in due time to erect the proper buildings and support the expense of officers than that we shall want students, although for several years the number may be small."

General Putnam turned his attention next to plans for a board of trustees. On November twentieth, 1800, he wrote to Honorable Paul Fearing as follows: "With respect to the university, in my opinion nothing local should influence our minds in naming the trustees as it respects counties. The nearer they live to the spot and one another, the more easily will they be convened and the less expensive, and for this reason I would by no means appoint more than eleven in the first instance. There can be no need of more for transacting the business until the university is opened and besides we know not what characters may come forward as promoters of the institution or what additional donations may be made. We ought, therefore, to leave a wide door open to admit such characters as partners in the trust. I think it not improbable that some worthy characters may soon settle in the university townships and is it not possible that some worthy, able, public-spirited gentlemen in Adams and Ross counties may make donations to the institution whom it might be thought proper to appoint as trustees." Then followed a list of names of possible trustees.

The territorial legislature on December eighteenth, 1799, passed a law providing that "Rufus Putnam, Benjamin Ives Gilman, and Jonathan Stone, Esquires, be requested to lay off in the most suitable place in the townships (Athens and Alexander) a town plat which would contain a section for the college."

It was Rufus Putnam who carried the law into effect and thus laid out the town of Athens, suggested the names of the streets and located the campus. The territorial legislature on the ninth of January, 1802, passed a law for establishing in the town of Athens the university to be named The American Western University. It was specified in this law that "The Honorable Rufus Putnam, Esquire, shall be and is hereby authorized and empowered to fix the time and place for holding the first meeting of the said corporation of which he is to give notice in writing to each member at least fourteen days previous to such meeting." Rufus Putnam called this meeting of the trustees to be held at the home of Stephen Pierce, innholder, on May 21, 1802. Nothing was further done under the Act of 1802.

Ohio became a state in 1803, and on February eighteenth, 1804, the state General Assembly passed an act providing for the establishing of the Ohio University in the town of Athens. By provision of this law Rufus Putnam was one of the trustees and for many years was a most active member of that board. He was chosen president of the board on April third, 1806, but refused to serve. He missed but few trustees' meeting all the years of his service. He was usually the chairman of the committee whenever any important work was to be done. It was Rufus Putnam who planned the first college edifice (Manasseh Cutler Hall) and donated \$200 for use in its construction.

It was Putnam who made possible the securing of Reverend Jacob Lindley to head the infant institution. Reverend Lindley at the time was a member of the board of trustees, and was also the Presbyterian minister at

Waterford, Ohio. General Putnam, fearing that the Presbyterian Church would not release Reverend Lindley, wrote a letter to the church at Waterford and another to the Presbytery of Ohio. This letter written in March, 1808, and never before published, is as follows:

"The Trustees of the Ohio University (by their commette appointed and authorized for that purpos) beg leave to inform your Reverend and honorable body, that they have made choise of the Rever'd Jacob Lindly of Waterford, to fill the office of Preceptor of the Athens Academy. They doubt not of your approbation of their choise, and solicit your consent that Mr. Lindly have leave to resign his charge at Waterford and take up

Ohio University) a gentleman of an established character, one acquainted with the genius and maners of the people around him, and one in whome those who have children to educate place confidence, all will admit.

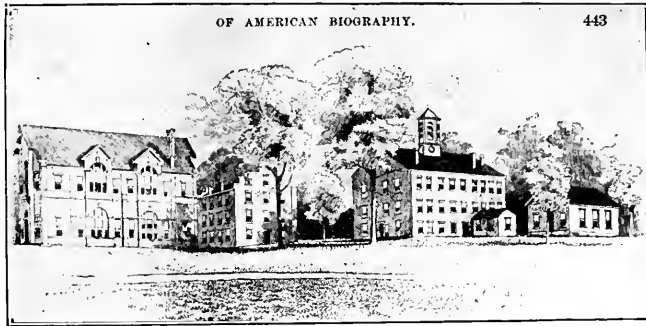
"But if the objections of Waterford be admitted as a sufficient bar, their remains no probability of obtaining such a character because if it is right that the objections of Waterford should prevale; so ought the objections of every other society who have a settled minister to bar his removal. Besides as their is no settled ministers in the County of Athens, nor are any of the settlements able (separatly) to support stated preaching, therefore it has appeared of very grate impotence to the trustees to place a minister at the head of the institution who would as time and oppertunity presented, preach to the people; it is therefore to be hoped Mr. Lindly (by the blessing of God) may serve the cause of religion by preaching in Athens and its vicinity as much as he would, should he remain at Waterford.

"Reverend and Honored Gentlemen, If the agent from Waterford appear as we expect we hope it will prevent the necessity of a delay for the purpos of citing the people of Waterford to appear as in ordinary cases.

"Again as it is not an ordinary removal of a minister from one congregation to another, may not we presume to hope that the Presbytery will consider the application as not coming within the ordinary prescribed rules of delay, as in common cases, and therefore come to a decision at their present session."

Two years before General Putnam's death, in September, 1882, he gave the university a set of Dobson's Encyclopedia. This is a work in twenty-one large volumes, handsomely bound, with General Putnam's autograph in each volume. These volumes are now in the large leading room in the Edwin Watts Chubb Library, and should be among the most sacred books at Ohio University.

General Putnam died at Marietta, May 4, 1824.



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on him the more imediate government of the Ohio University, which first opens in the Athens Academy, and will be ready for the reception of students in June next.

"The committee of Trustees have written to the Church and congregation of Waterford on the subject of Mr. Lindly's leaving them . . . We understand they mean to oppose Mr. Lindly's removal and that an agent is appointed for that purpos to attend the Presbytery. This opposition was expected, and is always to be expected from every people on a lik ocation. It has ben the general if not the uniform practice in simelar ocations to select from among the Setled Clergy a character sutable to fill such an imporentt office: the objections of their people being no sufficient bar to their removal when a more enlarged Sphier of usefulness in promoting the general good appeared to call for them. That it is of the utmost importance to place at the head of such an institution (and especially the

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Editorial Comment . . .

WHEN competition becomes keen in the business world those involved can do one of two things—either put up the shutters and quit, or intensify their efforts to survive. In the world of higher education the competition among the colleges and universities for students has become keen; in some cases it is keen almost to the point of bitterness. Those not in close touch with educational affairs do not realize the extent or the seriousness of the financial problems that face most of the colleges of Ohio and of the land. With endowment and other operating funds sadly impaired, many of these schools find their only hope of survival in an improvement of their enrollment situations. As a consequence, and quite naturally, the state is witnessing a college recruiting effort that can be pretty accurately described as a "scramble."

Until the last year or so, Ohio University has been able to stand quietly on the side-lines, welcoming those students who learned of the University's offerings through regular channels, and enrolling those who came to the campus of their own inclinations and as a result of their own unstimulated investigations. Times have now changed, however. Because of the intensive recruiting methods and activities of other schools, we must, whether we like it or not, remove the bushel from over our light, and see that prospective students learn of our outstanding advantages and merits. Passivity must give way to activity if our enrollment is not to suffer an unthinkable set-back.

The story is too long and the substantiating facts too detailed to present in this column. We can merely report that Ohio University has been forced to take cognizance of the challenging situation and to take steps to meet it. These steps call for a dignified and ethically defensible approach to high school seniors and other student prospects by means of personal representatives and appropriate printed materials. The University representatives will be carefully-chosen and well-qualified members of the faculty, while the printed matter will be in the nature of catalogs, campus newspapers, and illustrated brochures.

To carry information directly to prospective students

costs money. The cost of the promotional campaign mapped out by Ohio University, exceedingly modest though it is by comparison with the programs of most institutions, will far exceed the amount of funds available through legislative appropriation. To supply the difference, approximately \$2,500, an OHIO UNIVERSITY LOYALTY FUND has been established to which all alumni are urged to contribute. Faculty members have already given over \$700 to the fund, and other non-graduate friends of the University will be invited to contribute to it.

The Fund will be administered by a committee composed of the following members of the teaching and administrative staffs: Acting President E. W. Chubb, chairman; Registrar F. B. Dille, Treasurer George C. Parks, Dean of Men John R. Johnston, Alumni Secretary Clark E. Williams, Dr. A. B. Sias, Prof. A. H. Armbruster, Dr. Edith A. Wray, and Prof. E. H. Gaylor.

Letters explaining the nature of the fund and making an appeal for contributions to it, are being mailed from the Office of the President to a large number of alumni. When you receive yours, we hope that you will be moved to make an immediate and favorable response. You will not be assessed or dictated to in the matter of your gift to the Fund. The slogan is: "No Matter How Small or How Large . . . Something from Every Ohio Grad."

THE question is asked frequently of the Alumni Secretary, "What steps are being taken to secure a successor to Doctor Bryan as president of Ohio University."

The answer is that a committee of the Board of Trustees is diligently prosecuting a nation-wide search for an able administrator to sit in the executive's chair in Ewing Hall. The opinions and the suggestions of some of the country's foremost educators have been sought by the committee as an aid in their search. Only the best available man will do, and the committee is determined to find that man.

The committee is composed of Dr. T. R. Biddle, Athens financier; Dr. J. G. Collicott, superintendent of the Columbus public schools; and Mr. Arthur C. Johnson, editor of *The Columbus Dispatch*. Two of the members, Dr. Biddle and Mr. Johnson, served on the committee which proposed the name of the late Dr. E. B. Bryan to the university board in 1921.

It is probable that the current committee will not report upon its recommendations before June.

IF you have a faint suspicion that you have seen the picture on the cover page before, or if you seem to recall that the issues of *The Ohio Alumnus* have appeared with greater frequency in other years, you may not be altogether wrong. In fact, we feel duty bound to relieve you of all doubt in the matter. You are correct, unfortunately, in both cases.

The explanation is briefly and simply this. Last year, for the first time in the history of the organization, the Alumni Association ended its fiscal period with a deficit of more than inconsequential size. The red figure balance was something in excess of three hundred dollars. This year the task of the Alumni Secretary is to wipe out the indebtedness of last year, and to break even, or nearly so, on the current year. With the membership roster showing a continuing loss from last year, there is no alternative to cutting the pattern to fit the cloth. Any other policy would be most unwise and would lead to more serious difficulties. So, as a measure of—(Continued on page 6)

On and About the Campus . . .

THE enrollment at Ohio University for the second semester of 1934-35 shows a slight increase over the corresponding period a year ago, reports Registrar F. B. Dilley. There are now 2,185, while there were 2,129 last year.

A decrease of 100 from the first semester of the current year is accounted for in large part by the graduation of 60 students in February, health and financial difficulties, and failures.

MALE faculty members scored a clean sweep in the popularity contest conducted recently by *The Athena*, yearbook, taking all six places.

More than 900 votes were cast by the undergrads. Those receiving greatest acclaim at the ballot box were:

Ralph F. Beckert, '23, associate professor of accounting; Dr. Hiram R. Wilson, '96, professor of English; Clinton N. Mackinnon, professor of English; Dr. Isaac E. Ash, professor of sociology; Dr. Victor Whitehouse, professor of Spanish; and Dr. Louis M. Heil, assistant professor of electrical engineering and physics.

THE Studio Club, Ohio University's exponents of the modern and interpretative dance, will present a demonstration concert at Ohio Wesleyan University, March 18. On April 26, members of the club will appear in a modern dance symposium at the National Physical Education Convention in Pittsburgh.

Another bit of news from the Women's Gym discloses that the Ohio University Women's Athletic Association has recently affiliated with the National Field Hockey Association.

ALMOST 200 students who otherwise might not be financially able to attend Ohio University, are receiving \$15 per month through the FERA Student Aid Fund, earned by working fifty hours per month on administrative, classroom, or laboratory projects.

As many students as possible are being helped with the monthly quota of \$4,065, according to Miss Irene Devlin, executive secretary, who is in

charge of the program. All the money is being paid out each month, and no additional students can be employed under the present allotment.

TWO Ohio University fraternities — Beta Theta Pi and Tau Kappa Epsilon — have adopted the house mother system this year and are finding it very much to their liking. Already, it is freely admitted by members of these groups, there is a changed atmosphere about their houses. Chivalrous actions and good manners have displaced too free speech and general carelessness. Both house mothers are college-trained women of wide experience to fit them for their jobs of "second mothering."



THE NAPOLEON WILLOW

THE WEEPING WILLOW

(Near Cutler Hall and brought from Napoleon's Tomb.)

*When I have felt the press of things—
Drear heaviness of life which springs
From thoughts that will not let me be
That speak of home incessantly,
Forlorn, beside a tree I stand
Which early came from alien land.
I pause to gaze upon its downcast men
Its drooping form so bent yet green,
My cowardice to drive away
My failing fortitude to stay,
Because, near home should I be sad
When greater grief this sturdy tree has
had?*

RAYMOND M. SLUTZ

TWO performances of "Adam and Eva," a three-act comedy produced by the Men's Faculty Club, were given in Alumni Memorial Auditorium in February. The first evening's entertainment was for club members and their guests; the second performance was open to the public, the proceeds going to the Student Loan Fund.

The men were aided in the female roles by colleagues from the Women's Faculty Club.

Those taking part in the play were: Prof. T. N. Hoover, '05, Dr. J. R. Patrick, Prof. H. H. Peckham, Dr. E. T. Hellebrandt, Dr. G. B. Paulsen, Prof. E. H. Gaylord, Mrs. Margaret Gaylord, Mrs. Marie Acomb Quick, Miss Gladys Williams, and Miss Doris Buchanan.

AN important work, a revision of Reighard and Jennings' text, the "Anatomy of the Cat," has been completed by Dr. Rush Elliott, '24, associate professor of anatomy, and will soon be off the press of Henry Holt and Company, New York. The revision of the book was undertaken under the supervision of Prof. Reighard of the University of Michigan, one of the authors of the original text. Dr. Elliott has completely rewritten the section on the sympathetic nervous system.

In connection with the text, Dr. Elliott has published a manual, "The Dissection of the Cat," which is the result of eight years of careful study and preparation.

HOW girls may reduce the cost of their college education and thus be better enabled to accept the opportunities offered by Ohio University, is outlined in a bulletin recently issued by the Division of Part Time Employment from the office of Dean of Women Irma E. Voigt.

The bulletin, printed in booklet form, lists scholarships, part-time employment, dining hall and restaurant service, stenographic and clerical service, library service, piano accompaniment, and employment in stores as some of the approved ways of reducing the cost open to Ohio University girls.

Famous World's Fair Telescope Will Be Given to University

The telescope that was used at the World's Fair in Chicago to turn on the electric lights in the evening by means of light energy obtained from the star, Arcturus, will belong to Ohio University after next summer.

Arthur Howe Carpenter, '98x, associate professor of metallurgical engineering at Armour Institute of Technology in Chicago, constructed the telescope and will present it to the university in memory of his father, Franklin R. Carpenter, who, in 1888, received the first honorary doctor's degree ever given by Ohio University, and in memory of his father-in-law, Dr. D. J. Evans, '71, who was a member of the Ohio University faculty for almost half a century.

The three children of Professor and Mrs. Carpenter (Lucile Evans, ex) have all attended Ohio University, the youngest now being enrolled as a freshman.

Professor Carpenter has long pursued the hobby of making fine telescopes. The large mirror of the reflecting instrument which he plans to give to Ohio University was imported from England and was made in France of the same kind of materials as those used in the mirrors in the telescopes of the Yerkes and Mt. Wilson observatories. It is 20½ inches in diameter, making it a half-inch larger than the new reflector at the University of Cincinnati. The metal tube is 24 inches in diameter and 8 feet long.

The light, equatorial mounting is supplied with a synchronous motor, connected with a series of gears, so that the telescope can be made to follow moving bodies. With the mounting and all equipment in place the entire telescope weighs a little less than 1500 pounds.

Professor Carpenter's work on the telescope was just entering the final stages when the "Century of Progress" opened and the suggestion of the "Arcturus ceremony" caught the fancy of the fair officials. An attempt to use the Yerkes telescope was opposed, and the matter was taken to Dr. Phillip Fox, Director of the Adler Planetarium, who recommended Professor Carpenter's telescope.

The instrument was then rushed to completion and set up at the Elgin Observatory, Elgin, Ill., under auspices of the Elgin National Watch Company. Each clear night, after about June 20, 1933, light from Arc-

turus was used to operate telegraph relays to turn on the lights at the Fair. The next year it was erected in the court of the Hall of Science, and on every clear evening a lecture was given and the Arcturus ceremony gone through. At the close of the Fair the telescope was returned to Professor Carpenter.

The telescope was originally constructed as a Cassegrainian, or telescope for photographic work. Professor Carpenter plans to arrange the mechanism so that it can be used also as a Newtonian, or an instrument for visual operations.

Definite plans for the housing of the telescope after it reaches Ohio University have not been made but it is probable that it will be installed, with suitable dome, either on the top of one of the university buildings or on North Hill.

Wife of Journalism Professor Fatally Injured in the South

Prof. George Starr Lasher, head of the department of journalism, is expected to return to the campus and to resume his classroom work about March 1. A ten-weeks' absence was necessitated by near-fatal injuries suffered in an automobile collision in Florida. The accident was a tragic one, Mrs. Lasher being killed and the two young daughters slightly injured.

Professor and Mrs. Lasher were on their way to Miami, Florida, where the former was to preside over the national convention of Theta Chi fraternity and the latter was to serve as official hostess during the three-day sessions to be held at the Miami Biltmore Hotel.

While driving south the Lasher automobile was crashed by a car with a drunken driver at the wheel. The accident occurred near Cocoa, Florida. Mrs. Lasher died a few hours after the collision. Professor Lasher suffered a concussion of the brain, a broken nose, several fractured ribs, and numerous cuts and bruises. He was taken to the hospital at Daytona Beach from which he has only recently been released. The Lasher children, Mary Elizabeth, aged 12, and Dorothy, aged 6, were cared for by Dr. and Mrs. T. R. Biddle, at their winter home in Daytona Beach. Both Dr. and Mrs. Biddle are Ohio University graduates.

Mrs. Lasher was the daughter of the late Frederick L. Siddons, a justice of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia.

Seven Green and White Alumni Are Sitting in State Legislature

Among the successful contestants for offices in the last general election were:

State senator, Ninth-Fourteenth district,—Verner E. Metcalf, '17x, Marietta (R).

State representatives—Dr. H. T. Phillips, '99x, Athens County (R); William R. Phillips, '04x, Lisbon, Columbiana County, (R); Gilbert J. Shaver, '23, Cincinnati, Hamilton County (R); Delbert Nixon, '33, Stratton, Jefferson County (D); Ralph W. Wilkins, '23, Painesville, Lake County (R); and E. R. King, '15, McArthur, Vinton County (R).

In Athens County, Clyde O. Gibson, '11x, and Harold J. Rose, '25x, were elected to the offices of auditor and prosecuting attorney, respectively. In Van Wert County, Lloyd Rees, '20, of Delphos, lost to his opponent in the race for state representative.

Editorial Comment

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retrenchment and economy, the editor is delving down into his "cut morgue" for old cover cuts, and is doubling up on the issues of *The Ohio Alumnus*.

We sincerely hope that the members of the Association—those whose "names are written there" and those from whom we are still confidently, even if anxiously, awaiting a check—will have understanding hearts and minds, and that they will be generous in their support until our financial clouds are scattered by the sun of a more auspicious day.

Figures for Biology Building Placed in University Budget

Ohio University's budgetary request of the State Legislature for the 1935-36 biennium totals \$1,635,158. Of this amount, approximately three-fourths, or \$1,246,158, is sought for personal service (salaries and wages) and maintenance. The remainder, \$389,000, is for "additions and betterments."

The additions and betterments proposed, and their cost, are: The remodeling and fireproofing of the old library for use of the psychology department, \$80,000; construction of a new biology building, \$250,000; and remodeling of Ewing Hall, \$8,000.

Dean of Women and Geography Head Elected To National Presidencies in Recent Meetings

Dr. Irma E. Voigt and Dr. Clyde E. Cooper to Preside Over Organizations of Deans of Women and Teachers of Geography; Portrait of Dean To Be Painted

DR. IRMA E. VOIGT, Dean of Women at Ohio University since 1913, was inaugurated president of the National Association of Deans of Women at the organization's convention in Atlantic City, N. J., during the week of February 17-23. Dean Voigt has been an active member of the Association since the time of her coming to Ohio University.

Heretofore it has been the custom for the presidency of the Association to rotate through the various sections of the country in a definite order. In electing Dean Voigt, however, precedent was set aside this year and no regard was paid to the order of rotation. The change of practice in favor of the Ohio dean is deemed a distinct and personal honor to her.

Dean Voigt has received nationwide recognition for her work among the supervisors of women in college. Several years ago she made an extensive survey of the policies approved and desired by deans of women throughout the country, making a report of her findings in a four-hour speech in convention. Last year she was chairman of the Financial Policies Committee of the Association. She has also served as state president of the organization.

Dean Voigt is not one of those prophets, however, who is honored abroad but not in her own land. As proof of this one need only mention that friends of the Dean, including

non-graduates, alumni, faculty members, and others, have contributed to a fund totalling approximately \$600 which is being used to pay the commission of a New York artist for painting a portrait of Miss Voigt. The fund was sponsored by the Women's League of Ohio University, which is headed by Miss Dorothy Robbin, '35, of West New York, N. J. Miss Margaret Lax, secretary to Dean Voigt, is serving as treasurer of the fund.

Sittings for the picture were made during several days prior to the convening of the national convention in Atlantic City. It is expected that the portrait will be ready for shipment by March 15 and that it will be officially presented to the University during the Mothers' Week-End program of May 5-7. The portrait project is a means taken by Ohio University women of expressing their appreciation of Dean Voigt's twenty-two years of service at the University.

Dean Voigt graduated from the University of Illinois with the A. B. degree in 1910 and with the Ph. D. degree in 1913. She came to Ohio University directly after receiving the latter degree. She has been prominent not only in the field of her own profession but in state and national affairs of the American Association of University Women. She was president of the Ohio State Federation of the American Association of University Women during 1929-31, and was director of the Northeast Central section of the organization in 1933. In 1932 she was a delegate to the sessions of the International Federation of University Women held in Edinburgh, Scotland. In 1928 she was a member of the Sherwood Eddy European Seminar, and in 1932 she attended the Oxford (England) Summer School for American university women.

Miss Voigt is the author of three books.

NOT one national presidency has recently come to the Ohio University campus, but two. At the mid-winter meeting of the National Council of Geography Teachers, in Philadelphia, Dr. Clyde E. Cooper, professor of geography and geology, was elected president of the organization. The honor, a signal one, is not only a deserved recognition of the professional attainments of Professor Cooper, but it adds something to the prestige and standing of the geography department at Ohio University.



DR. C. E. COOPER

Professor Cooper was first vice-president of the Council during the past year and had held the office of treasurer for four years. The organization is composed of more than two thousand members, a majority of whom are university professors of geography in teacher-training institutions. The new president delivered a brief address of acceptance at the Philadelphia session, but the principal address of his administration will be given at the next meeting of the Council which will be held in St. Louis.

Doctor Cooper graduated from the University of Michigan with bachelor's and master's degrees. Graduate work was pursued at the University of Chicago and Clark University, a Ph. D. degree coming from the latter institution.

For three years, 1911-14, Doctor Cooper was supervisor of high schools in the Philippine Islands. In subsequent years he has taught geography in state normal colleges at Cheney, Wash., and Normal, Ill. He came to Ohio University in 1922 to be head of his department.



DEAN OF WOMEN IRMA E. VOIGT

Lima Chapter Follows Youngstown Women's Club in Establishing a Scholarship Fund

THREE alumni meetings in Youngstown, two in Lima, one in Philadelphia, and one in Erie, Pa., are on the unreported list, while the announcement of tentative or final plans for spring meetings will soon be forthcoming from a large number of alumni chapters.

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On December 7, the Lima chapter entertained twenty children of indigent families with a Christmas dinner party. Besides a bountifully spread table, there was a lighted tree with gifts for all of the guests. The committee for the Christmas party was headed by Florence Moore, '21, 2-yr.

A Founders' Day dinner and program brought twenty-seven members of the Lima group together on February 18, the birthday of their alma mater. The dinner was held at the Y. M. C. A.

The program consisted of an historical sketch of the university by Robert McVey, an original poem written by Edith Ridenour and read by Ethel Asher, two vocal solos by Mrs. Don Yant, and two piano solos by Sally Prose. In the business session which followed it was decided to establish a scholarship fund with which to aid worthy and outstanding high school graduates to attend Ohio University.

In May a "Scavenger Hunt" and buffet supper will be an occasion for inviting prospective students who will be special guests of the chapter.

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Vocal numbers by a local quartet, university songs, and short, informal talks were combined in the program that followed a Christmas holiday dinner of the Erie, Pa., chapter. The dinner held December 27 at the Marguerite Tea Room, was the second of the year, and was planned by the alumni in honor of the eleven Ohio University students from Erie who were home for the year-end vacation.

The committee in charge of the dinner was composed of John W. Ray, Sr., '14; George W. Benedict, '33; and Magdalene Pfeil, '33.

Another meeting will be held this spring, probably in April.

The Ohio University Women's Club of Youngstown is so active that the Alumni Secretary finds it difficult, with an abbreviated publishing schedule, to keep caught up with the reports of its parties.

Fifty alumnae enjoyed the bridge-tea at the Annie Laurie Tea Room on November 24. The favors and the menu were of course appropriate to the Thanksgiving season.

During tea, Margaret Fink, accompanied by Helen Engle, sang three solos: "Because I Love You," "Cuckoo Clock," and "To My Love." Mrs. G. E. Roudebush and Mrs. R. B. Poling presided at the tea table. Talisman roses, orange chrysanthemums and orange tapers were employed in the decoration of the room.

The committee: Ruth Kindler, chairman, Osa Wamsley, Mrs. Gladys Barnhill, Mary Henry, Mrs. Blodwyn Morris, Mildred Powers and Mrs. Myrtle Baker.

A luncheon and book review brought out an attendance of seventy Youngstown women on January 26, at the First Christian Church. Snowball favors and cedar sprays graced the luncheon table and provided an Ohio University color motif.

Weltha Keck opened the program with a tribute to the late President E. B. Bryan of the University. College songs were then sung, and were followed by two book reviews by Mrs. Herbert Hottel. Mrs. Hottel's selections were, "Forty-two Years in the White House," by Ike Hoover, and "Crowded Days," by Alice Longworth.

The committee: Mrs. D. E. Lehman, chairman, Helen Howenstine, Anne Morgan, Jessie Boswell, Inez Dustman, Mary Pickett and Esmá Smith.

A dessert-bridge benefit party sponsored by the Club, attracted thirty-two tables of players on February 9 at McKelvey's Tea Room. Options of contract, auction and five hundred were offered.

Home-made candy, contributed by club members, was served during the afternoon. Six door prizes were given to lucky guests. A style show, presented by the G. M. McKelvey Com-

pany, also served to further enliven a wholly delightful occasion. Approximately \$40, which will be added to the Club's scholarship fund, was cleared on the party.

The committee: Edna Lowmiller, chairman, Mrs. Walter Heller, Ann Hoffman, Blanche Long, Marian Morgan and Isabel Bacon.

The annual Guest Day Luncheon of the Club will be held on May 18. Dean Irma E. Voigt will be the speaker and a number of senior girls of Youngstown high schools will be special guests.

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Thirty-two Ohioans from Philadelphia and its environs held their annual get-together dinner February 2 at Mitten Hall of Temple University. The banquet table was decorated with green carnations and white sweet peas. Tiny Ohio University pennants were given as favors.

Following the dinner, Willis "Bid" Edmund, '28, accompanied by Mr. Ervin of Haddon Heights (N. J.) High School, sang four songs, recalling to some of his hearers midnight serenades of other years. Dr. J. T. Ullom, '98, former national president of the Ohio University Alumni Association, addressed the group in a reminiscent and highly interesting vein. Mr. Edmund is a high school instructor in Haddon Heights, while Dr. Ullom is a prominent Germantown physician. Dancing concluded the evening's fun.

For the coming year, Mr. Edmund will serve as secretary and Beulah McCray, '28, secretary, of the Philadelphia chapter. These officers succeed Helen Mason, a former Ohio U. faculty member, and Grosvenor S. McKee, '16, in their respective positions.

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A dinner and dance at the Penn-Lincoln Hotel in Wilkinsburg has been scheduled for February 23 by the members of the Pittsburgh chapter. An effort is being made to break last year's attendance record of 70.

Announcements of plans from the presidents and secretaries of a dozen or more chapters may be expected soon by the constituents of these officials.

Berens Knocks State Scoring Records for Dizzy Loops but Bobcats Fail in Pinches

By K. E. DUNN, '34

BEFORE we go into the less tasty phases of the 1934-35 basket ball season let us slip a palm to Bernard "Beanie" Berens who, in the writer's humble opinion, is the greatest basket ball player ever to ascend the staircase of athletic fame at Ohio University. True, that is a statement that touches on the bold, and it may indeed lead me to be challenged at 20 paces for letting the typewriter jump around with such a superlative, but let us look at the record of this six-foot-five-inch sliver of a man.

When the timer's gun cracks taps for the Bobcats' season at the close of the game with Miami here on Feb. 20, Berens will have set four Buckeye records and will have scored more points in three years of collegiate competition than have ever been scored in Ohio.

As a sophomore Beanie, as he is known on the Ohio University campus, was the big factor in giving Ohio a banner year on the court. That year Ohio shared the Buckeye championship with Wittenberg. For individual accomplishments Berens scored 268 points in 18 games of the entire 1933 season, and 141 in 10 games for an average of 14 points per game in Buckeye competition. The last two figures stand as conference records. Hendricks of Ohio Wesleyan had previously held both of these marks when he scored 132 points in 12 games for an average of 11 points per tilt.

In his junior year Beanie went into a comparative slump when he scored 217 points in 19 games while playing with a team that could win only five games that year. This winter, however, Berens recovered his first year gait and with one more game to be played he has accumulated 276 points. That gives him a three year total of 761 which is exactly 100 points better than the former state mark of 661 made by Eddie Wentz who played with Akron University in 1919, 1920, and 1921. In this, his last season, Berens has topped his old Buckeye figure of 27 points in a single contest, which he established at Miami in 1933, by getting 28 at Cincinnati this year. He is also on his way to bettering his record for average scoring as he has been keeping a pace of 15 points per game thus far. His mark for three years of competition in the Buckeye is 368 points which is also a record. There is not a single individual conference record that Berens does not hold. Is it still 'pistol at 20 paces?

As for the rest of the basket ball team the season just ending was not a glorious one. With only Miami remaining on the schedule Ohio has won nine and lost 10 games. In the Buckeye they have won five and lost two which places them one-half game ahead of Miami, in third place. The same thing occurred this winter as last, the Bobcats had nothing when they turned for the drive down

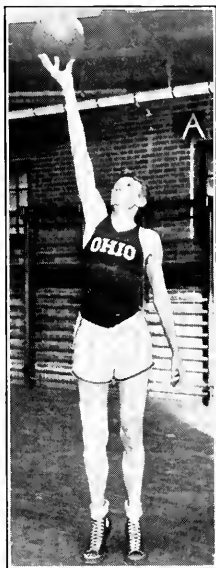
the stretch. Last season they lost seven of their last eight games and this season they have dropped five of their last six.

The biggest problem facing Coach Grover this year was how to keep the team on its collective toes through the full 40 minutes of the ball game. At some stage of every game which they have lost the Bobcats have faltered for as long as 10 minutes to let the opponent pile up a commanding lead. Lack of capable substitutes prevented Grover from adopting the usual solution when a team lets

down, and the situation has been very acute. The fact that the substitutes were not capable was the most disappointing feature about the team for in this department the Bobcats were thought to pack their greatest strength. Berens, Lancaster, and Reeves, Toledo, were the outstanding men of the campaign. Berens lived up to expectations and Reeves was even better than most surmised that he would be. Myron Burt, Pleasant City, was the most accurate shot on the squad but still he did not garner points in the fashion that was expected, and at the end of the first semester he became ineligible. Reichley played in-and-out all season, and the fifth position was held by sundry candidates. Bill Schmidt started at this post, was followed by George Doll, Portsmouth, Paul Samuel, Zanesville, "Sonny" Shafer, Nelsonville, and finally, George May, Ashtabula. May was the best of the lot and turned out to be about the best floor man on the squad. The season's results. Ohio won from: Bliss, Wilmington, Marietta, Zanesville, Ohio School of Chiropraxy, Dayton (2), Miami, Marshall; Ohio lost to: Ohio State, Coshocton, Western Reserve, Cincinnati (2), Marshall, St. Xavier, Akron Good-year, Ohio Wesleyan (2). The second game with Miami has not been played.

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Wrestling was brought back as an inter-collegiate sport this winter after a lapse of three years, and Coach Thor Olson has done wonders with a team of inexperienced men. Two matches have been grunted through thus far and though the Bobcats lost both of them they have forecast trouble for opponents who will meet them a month hence. Time for more practice and the matches with Detroit Tech and Baldwin-Wallace will give them the experience that they need for the tri-state tournament which will be held at W. & J., Washington, Pa., March 15 and 16. Ohio lost to Ohio State 17-11, and to Kent State 16½ to 7½. The wrestling team is composed of Kaufman, 118; Corwin, 126; Schercher, 135; Williams, 145; Tipton, 155; Stacy, 165; Sintic, 175; and Schlechter, heavyweight. These men are devoting many hours to mat practice and are showing great improvement in the past few weeks.



"BEANIE" BERENS

Here and There Among the Alumni

"Healthiest Girl Scout in Athens" is the rating recently credited to Martha Jones, aged 14, daughter of Prof. Evan J. Jones, '10, and Mrs. Jones (Frieda Finsterwald, '11).

Walter J. Harper, '15, Lakewood, who holds a master's degree from the University of Pittsburgh, is Assistant Technical Director and head of the Cleveland laboratories of the Glidden Co., manufacturers of paints and varnishes. Mr. Harper is also a captain in the Officers Reserve Corps, Chemical Warfare Service, of the United States Army.

Few high school coaches in the country have a more outstanding record for successful gridiron teams than Clyde R. Battin, '31, at Middleport. Coaching in a Class B school enrolling fewer than 150 boys, Coach Battin's teams have won 65 games and lost 16 in eight years. In four of the last six seasons his teams have been undefeated. During this period Middleport has won 52 games and lost 6. Middleport has also won the Southeastern Ohio high school title four times in six years. A majority of the games have been played against Class A teams. Fans in Middleport would elect this diminutive coach mayor of the village any day he would give his consent to serve.

The tradition that only twelve scientists understand Einstein was upset completely during the Christmas holidays when the session of the American Association for the Advancement of Science was held in Pittsburgh. Dr. George W. Starcher, '26, of the Ohio University faculty, was one of a limited number of men of science to get to hear Dr. Einstein in Pittsburgh. "Significant for its simplicity," was the comment frequently heard, according to Dr. Starcher, after the great German had expounded some of his theories.

Museums, art schools, and galleries in New York City were visited early in December by a group of seven "art majors" from Ohio University. The undergraduates were accompanied by Isabel Work, '24, instructor in art.

Lt. Eckford Hodgson, '34, who has been connected with the Watson Airport in Cincinnati, has returned to Gallipolis to become manager of the Holzer Airport. While in school Lt. Hodgson was pilot for Dr. C. E. Holzer, noted Gallipolis surgeon and member of the Board of Trustees of Ohio University.

Lee Stewart Roach, '29, (M. A. '31), instructor in Uhrichsville High School, who has been associated with the Bureau of Scientific Research of the Ohio Conservation Department for several years during the summer time, presented a paper before one of the sections of the A. A. S. at Pittsburgh in December.

Ruby Mercer, '27, successful contestant for the Naumberg Prize, entitling her to a debut recital in New York's Town Hall, appeared in the prize recital on Feb. 11. The Naumberg award is valued at \$1,000. On February first, Miss Mercer sang in Philadelphia as guest soloist with the Philadelphia Philharmonic Orchestra, under the direction of Fritz Reiner, guest conductor.

Cablegrams from England and Argentina were the means used by Dr. Robert E. Nye, '09, London, and Dr. Don Carlos Nye, '04x, Buenos Aires, for greeting their mother, Mrs. George Harvey Nye, Chauncey, upon the occasion of her 79th birthday recently. Both doctors are successful practitioners in the field of osteopathy.

Marian W. Coe, '29, former Athens teacher, and for two years a critic teacher in Western State College, Gunnison, Colo., has returned to the good old state of Ohio to accept a position in the Malvern School at Shaker Heights.

Seventy-five members of the recently organized Southeastern Ohio Association of Professional Engineers and Surveyors met in Athens Feb. 1 to elect officers. Among those chosen to head the group was Neil D. Thomas, '22, assistant professor of Civil Engineering at Ohio University, who will serve as secretary-treasurer.

When the ballots of the students at Case School of Applied Science had been counted in the poll to determine the undergraduates' rating of various members of the faculty, two Ohio University men, Dr. John G. Albright, '16, and Prof. Fred L. Plummer, '20, were found to have been rated among the highest twelve, out of eighty-five members of the faculty voted upon. In the general vote Doctor Albright was less than one-tenth of one per cent below the highest-rater while Professor Plummer was the first choice of the students in the civil engineering department.

Janet Goodfellow, '34, known professionally as Janet Ayres, is having a luminous career with big-name orchestras and as a singer on Columbia Network radio programs. The ink was hardly dry on her diploma last June before Janet was singing atop Hotel McAlpin in New York City with Joe Haymes' orchestra. Now she has joined Fred Waring and his famous Pennsylvanians as one of his feature singers. Miss Goodfellow hails from Columbus.

Prof. C. M. Copeland, '96, who retired from the directorship of the Ohio University School of Commerce last June, with Mrs. Copeland, is maintaining the family home in Athens where he will always welcome visits from "his boys" and the graduates and former students of other departments as well.

Carl G. Potts, '15, of the Bureau of Animal Husbandry, U. S. Department of Agriculture, was a January visitor to the campus of his alma mater.

A log cabin, erected in the early days of Southern Ohio, has been removed from its original location in Meigs county, to the rear of the home of Grace McGrath, '22, art instructor in Central High School, Columbus, where it will be used as a studio. Because her mother, as a youngster, had frequently spent many happy hours in the cabin, sentiment prompted the removal of the structure by truck, log by log, a distance of over one hundred miles. With its huge stone fireplace and iron crane, the new studio is now a place of great interest to many besides Miss McGrath and her mother.

Lewis C. Davis, '32, budget supervisor for William Taylor, Son & Co., Cleveland, has been engaged to teach a course in business statistics at Cleveland College, the business branch of Western Reserve University. Mr. Davis is a graduate of the Harvard School of Business Administration.

George M. Anderson, '06, 2-yr., for many years a division engineer at Chilli-cothe for the State Highway Department, has been named chief engineer of maintenance and transferred to Columbus.

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's highly successful film version of the Tallulah Bankhead stage hit "Forsaking All Others," was based upon a play written by Frank "Pinky" Cavett, '27-x, formerly of Jackson, and Edward Roberts. Mr. Cavett left Ohio University in 1926 to attend the Yale School of Dramatics. His flare for music soon got him a place in the Yale Collegians, the orchestra with which Rudy Vallee started. He graduated from Yale in 1928 and, because of his knowledge of the theater and of music, he was immediately signed by the Paramount company with whom he worked for some time as an assistant director at the Long Island studio. From Long Island he went to Hollywood to direct and write scenarios for Columbia. It was while in Hollywood that he collaborated with Edward Roberts, a friend, in the writing of the stage play, "Forsaking All Others." Joan Crawford, Clark Gable, and Robert Montgomery are featured in the sound picture version of the play.

Capt. Frank Geotge, of the United States Marine Corps, who attended Ohio University in 1916-17, has been asked to coach the backfield of the 1935 football team at the United States Naval Academy. Geotge, a handsome fellow towering some six feet four inches in height and weighing more than 200 pounds, has been rated as one of the greatest line-plunging fullbacks of all time. He was once described by Walter Camp as a greater backfield star than Jim Thorpe. Captain Geotge was one of the White House aides in 1932 when the Bobcat football team played Navy at Annapolis. He, with United States Court of Claims Commissioner I. M. Foster, '95, was instrumental in arranging the meeting of the football squad with President Herbert Hoover at the White House. At the present time Captain Geotge is on duty on the U. S. S. Pennsylvania in the Pacific. In June he will be transferred to Annapolis where he will be Commander of the Marine Guards.

Lt. Gov. Harold G. Mozier, Cleveland, is a son-in-law of Judge Thomas A. Jones, '81, of the Supreme Court of Ohio.

Robert Huenfeld, Jr., '34, has been appointed a district manager of eight counties in the new state set-up for the collection of the retail sales tax. The manager's salary is listed at 2,700 bucks.

William J. Davis, '32, an Athens architect, has drawn the plans for and supervised the extensive changes that have just been made in the Athens County Court-house.

Winston Riley, Jr., '26, has been named head of the emergency education program for Indiana by the state commission on unemployment relief. Mr. Riley was in charge of emergency education in Indianapolis last year.

K. Mark Cowen, '22, Director of Recreation for the city of Roanoke, Va., has recently been appointed a member of the Committee on Games and Rules of the National Recreation Association. Director Cowen will represent the southeast area of the United States. Other members of the committee are located in Boston, Baltimore, Detroit, Kansas City, Houston, and Los Angeles.

After five weeks in Cherrington Hospital, Henry D. Watson, '26, Logan, has recently been removed to his home where he is continuing to recover from serious injuries suffered in an automobile accident which cost the life of Mrs. Watson, who was Miss Mary Breene, '26 2-yr.

A collection of 15 compositions was sent by the Art Department of the College of Education to the third biennial exhibition of student work held in New York City last month under the auspices of the College Art Association. The exhibition as a whole received very favorable mention in a review in *The New York Times*, while the oil painting by Edna Kennedy, '33, entitled "Still Life in Art Form," was commented upon especially as "an example of technical proficiency and objectification of an original idea."

Gordon K. Bush, '24, editor and publisher of *The Athens Messenger*, has, in association with an Iowa publisher, purchased *The Scioto Gazette*, a Chillicothe daily newspaper. *The Gazette*, founded in 1800, is the oldest newspaper west of the Allegheny Mountains. Mr. Bush will be treasurer of the new publishing firm and will have active charge of the paper. Publisher Bush holds degrees from Ohio University, the University of Missouri's School of Journalism, and the Harvard School of Business Administration. He is a trustee of Ohio University.

Gerard C. Powell, '27, associated with Neumatics Goodyear S. A. down in Argentina, writes encouragingly that "so far as I know there it not a piece of printed matter arriving in the port of Buenos Aires that receives more of a welcome than that which Eleanor and I give *The Ohio Alumnus* . . . I was in Montevideo, Uruguay, several months ago and inquired at the office of the American Consul as to the address of Tong West [26] and was told that he has returned to the homeland." Mrs. Powell was formerly Miss Eleanor Wernert, '27. The Argentine company is a subsidiary of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company.

A recent communication from the sun-bathed Island of Hawaii discloses that Private Charles C. Colombo, '32, of Luke Field, has recently paid a visit to Accountant Shigeru Fukuda, '28, at the latter's office in Hilo. The Ohioan in the aviation field reports that his visit with the Ohioan of the sharp pencil and tabulating machines was a most interesting one.

Ezra D. Mitchell, '21, after a period of teaching, associated himself some seven years ago as an analytical chemist with the Ault & Wiborg Company, Cincinnati, with which he is still employed.

Last November Martha L. Welsh, '23, wrote to the Alumni Office telling of a catastrophe that had just visited Manila and some of the provinces in the Philippines. Said the Registrar of the Philippine Normal School: "We have had three typhoons during the last month, and last night we had an earthquake. . . . I am enclosing some views of our home taken after the first typhoon. Every plant — even our hedge fence — was razed to the ground. We won't have a single poinsettia. A huge Acacia tree fell across our front porch and caved it in, but nothing was damaged inside."



PROF. CLINTON N. MACKINNON
One of Ohio's Most Popular Instructors

Virginia Coe, '34, Athens, has been appointed to a clerkship in the office of Registrar F. B. Dilley, at Ohio University, to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Nettie Tarasuck, '32. Miss Tarasuck, who has also served in the office of the President, has left for the East with definite plans undivulged. If there is to be an occasion for "good wishes and congratulations" — well, Nettie and Fred, here they are.

Dr. Charles B. Kohl, '28x, is instructor in crown and bridge work on the faculty of the Western Reserve University Dental School. He is a member of Omicron Kappa Upsilon, national honorary dental society.

Following a series of lectures, from October 19 to 31, at the Adler Planetarium at Chicago during the Century of Progress Exposition, Dr. O. L. Dustheimer, '13, professor of astronomy and mathematics at Baldwin-Wallace College for the past twenty years, went out to California to engage in some special research problems in astronomy at the great Mount Wilson Observatory, near Pasadena. There, the mammoth 60-inch and 100-inch telescopes were made available to him. During his absence Mrs. Dustheimer (Edna Cline, '13) conducted the programs of the Star Gazers Club over Cleveland's radio station WTAM. Besides the Mount Wilson experience Doctor Dustheimer has lectured and engaged in research work during the past year at the University of Michigan and at Lick Observatory.

From Paris, France, come "best souvenirs" to every Ohioan I know" over the signature of Therese Purtschet, '33. The address of Mlle. Purtschet is 1 rue de Eaux, Paris (16) France.

Death, the ever unwelcome visitor, has entered the homes of a number of Ohio University alumni in recent weeks. The names of some of these bereaved graduates and the relationship of the deceased persons to them are as follows:

Fern Koons, '28, Athens, (mother).
Constance G. Leete, '15, Athens, (mother).
Mrs. Ruth Eberly Hall, '33, Nelsonville, and Virginia Lou Eberly, an undergraduate at Ohio University, (mother).
Mrs. Morton F. Yates (Marie Wilkes, '15, 2-yr.), Boston, Mass.; Lulu Wilkes, '11-x, Athens, and Mrs. Faith Williams, '32, 2-yr., Athens, (mother).
Mrs. Alfred J. Richardson (Jennie Mae Cooley, '24), West McHenry, Ill., (husband).
Dr. William E. Anderson, '09, Beloit, Wis.; and Mrs. W. E. Munslow (Nelle Alderman, '09, 2-yr.), Steubenville, (father).
Clifford E. Ruth, '21, Jerseyville, (father).
Margaret Davis, '17, Youngstown; Daniel Davis, '20, and Raymond C. Davis, '21, Cleveland; and William J. Davis, Jr., '32, Athens, (sister).
Dean B. Copeland, '20, Butler, Pa., (daughter).
William R. Cable, '12, and Julia C. Cable, '19, Athens, (father).
Mrs. Paul M. Gillilan (Mary Evans, '13), Schenectady, N. Y.; Edith Evans, '18, Niles; Granville H. Evans, '19-x, Boston, Mass.; Elizabeth Evans, '25, and Griffith L. Evans, '24-x, Athens, (father).

When Ercell Greenlee, '28, returned to her post in Belkofsky, Alaska, last fall, she found the going "not so good." Says she: "On account of much freight and bad weather I was on [a boat from Seward] a solid week instead of the usual five days. To top it all off it was too rough to land when we got here so I had to go on to King Cove and stay with the teacher there two days until it calmed down. Coming back in an open dory was 'bouncy' and cold, although the sun was out bright . . . Things were in rather a mess when I finally arrived. Two new stoves the government sent me had been on the beach all summer."

J. D. Alspach, '10, 2-yr., for the past two years a lubricating engineer in Indianapolis for the Pure Oil Company, has been transferred by his company to Cincinnati where he will act in the same capacity in a larger industrial territory.

Herman D. Bishop, '14, assistant principal of Mansfield Senior High School, has been elected president of the Mansfield Teachers' Association. Mr. Bishop is also president of Ohio University's Richland County Alumni Chapter.

Last fall Bill Snyder, '34x, former Ohio University football player, was called from the bench by the coach of the Pittsburgh Pirates, a professional football team, and told to don a helmet and enter the game as a guard. Although Snyder had never played guard or even worn a helmet in his college days when he was making all-this and all-that as a tackle, he smashed through the opposing line and smeared the backs so many times that the coach said he played the best defensive game of any man on the squad. As a result of this display of power, Bill signed a contract to play the entire season with the Pirates.

Announcement has come from the president's office of Kent State College that Joe Begala, '29, head football coach at the Kent school for the last two years, will be retained as line coach and wrestling coach. President Engleman has recently appointed George Starn, former Ashland high school coach, to be director of athletics and coach of football.

A letter from Mrs. Marshall (Josephine Marshall, '28) of Tokio, Japan, to a friend in the United States, tells of the success of her husband [George Marshall, '29] in introducing the popular gridiron game to the Island of Nippon. Mr. Marshall is athletic director of St. Paul's University in Tokio. About three years ago he brought the St. Paul's baseball team to the States for an extensive playing tour which included two games with the Ohio University Bobcats. Next winter he hopes to bring his basketball squad to the Pacific Coast for a series of games. A portion of Mrs. Marshall's letter is reproduced as follows:

"After several years, George has succeeded in bringing the good old game of American football into Japanese universities. This year he organized and coached a picked team from the various universities, and this team played a squad of exarsity Americans who are in business out here. The game was given much publicity, attended by ambassadors, princes, and thousands of 'just the people'; broadcasts were made; and Fox News Reels taken. So you really may see a familiar face one of these days in the News Reel at the (du Majestic (isn't that the name in Athens?)). So, truly, George has been quite busy, with all of this on his shoulders in addition to all of his regular athletic work. He is sending you in a separate letter the program of the opening football game on Thanksgiving."

Robert Milone, Uhrichsville, who attended Ohio University for two years, 1931-1933, was last fall awarded an undergraduate scholarship at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, one of the foremost scientific schools in the world.

At the request of Acting President Chubb, C. E. Van Sickle, '22, of Manila, represented Ohio University at the recent inauguration of Dr. Jorge Bocobo as president of the University of the Philippines. In acknowledging the appointment, Mr. Van Sickle, who holds a position with the International Harvester Company in Manila, wrote the following: "I attended the inauguration and it was a splendid function. A great many universities in the United States, China, and Japan, were represented. All of us joined in the academic parade. Speeches were made by Governor General Murphy, the Chinese and Japanese delegates, and several others."

In describing his experience as a guest of the Sunday Creek Coal Company at a luncheon served last month in the newly-built machine shop of the company's No. 6 mine, nearly 200 feet under ground, William F. Smiley, '27, city editor of the Athens Messenger, turned out one of the neatest bits of journalistic copy the Alumni Secretary has read in some time. "Bill," who is also editor of *The Laurel*, magazine of his national fraternity, Phi Kappa Tau, drew a most interesting word picture of the interior of what some of the experts present called "as fine a mine as there is in America."

Rev. and Mrs. William C. Munds (Catherine Chubb, '18), and their three daughters, Eve, Catherine, and Elizabeth, former residents of Cleveland, are now located in Corpus Christi, Texas, where Rev. Munds is rector of the Episcopal church. Mrs. Munds is the daughter of Acting President E. W. Chubb, of Ohio University, and Mrs. Chubb.

At the age of only 32 years, Dunbar Dyson Beck has studied at Ohio Wesleyan University and Northwestern University; has taught art at Yale and at Columbia; has won the famous Prix de Rome art scholarship; has painted a portrait of the late Ambassador Dwight Morrow, with Mrs. Morrow, which hangs at Smith College; has assisted in designing and painting an immense mural in the lobby of the Music Hall in New York's Radio City; and is now teaching in Cooper Union. Artist Beck is a nephew of Mrs. C. C. Millikan (Agnes Beck, '12, 2-yr.), and a cousin of Mrs. Allen R. Kresge (Frances Wright, '18, 2-yr.), both of Athens.

Well, well, well! It ought to be interesting. Jack Morgan, Bob Wagner, and Bill Burke, all members of the Class of 1934, together with George Cochran and Ernest Grunwald, of the '33 class, have pledged themselves to come back to the campus in 1940 to compare their "prevailing notions on economics, marriage, etc." All except Cochran are members of Phi Beta Kappa. Morgan is now studying law at Duke University. Wagner is a graduate student in mathematics at the University of Michigan. Grunwald holds a fellowship in social research at the University of Cincinnati. Cochran is working for the W. T. Grant Company at Alston, Mass. Burke is a graduate student at Ohio State University.

For the eighteenth consecutive year, Judge A. T. Holcomb, '67, Portsmouth, was named president of the Scioto County Bar Association at the annual election of officers held on Dec. 24, 1934.

Robert Warthman, '34, Elmer Jacobs, '34, and Thomas Hoover, Jr., '33, all of Athens, are enrolled in the Ohio State University Law School. Hoover is in his second year, having spent last year at the University of Michigan, while Warthman and Jacobs are first-year students in the professional school.

Martha Foster, daughter of Mr. Harry Z. Foster, '09, and Mrs. Foster (Grace Rowles, '07, 2-yr.), Athens, was a June 1934, graduate of Wellesley College. Miss Foster, who majored in art and interior decoration at the Eastern school, was a member of the College Government and the Barnswallows Dramatic Association.

Capt. Wilbur R. McReynolds, '15, of the United States Army, is now stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas. He returned last year from Paris where he was for 13 months in charge of the tours for Gold Star Mothers. Captain McReynolds has been in the army for 18 years and his "tours of duty" have taken him to all parts of the United States as well as to France and the Panama Canal Zone.

George Lockman, '31, Bobcat basketball player of a few years back, is coaching this year at the high school in Painesville. George turned out two Athens county championship court teams during his regime as coach at Rome Twp. (Stewart) High School.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hope Basom, '31, widow of the late Dr. Joseph N. Basom, '22x, former Athens dentist, has resigned a position as cafeteria supervisor in the Elyria public schools to accept a somewhat similar position as dietician and dining room supervisor at Haskell Institute, Lawrence, Kansas, a government school for Indians.

William R. Cable, '12, Athens, former Ohio University registrar, who was injured in an automobile accident over a year ago and who has since been forced to wear plaster casts and special braces, has just been permitted by his physician to discard the last of the protective appliances. Mr. Cable suffered a fractured vertebra.

Helen E. McLaughlin, '32, was awarded a master's degree at the University of Chicago last year and is now associated with the Athens County Relief Agency. She is the daughter of Prof. George E. McLaughlin, '14, and Mrs. McLaughlin, Athens.

Alvin P. Hall, '32, a third-year student in Meharry Medical College, Nashville, Tenn., was the recipient last June of a \$100 prize in pathology. Arley Dalton, '24, a Meharry graduate in 1933, is resident physician at the George W. Hubbard Hospital in Nashville.

Major and Mrs. Clifford H. Tate (Anne McNaughten, '19) are now stationed at San Antonio, Texas, where the former is Assistant Chief of Staff of the 90th Division and Unit Instructor of the 353rd and 355th Field Artillery Organized Reserves. United States Army posts at which Major Tate has served within the past few years are Fort Lewis, Washington, Fort Sill, Okla., and Fort Worth, Texas.

When the last history class of the 1934 high school year closed last June, Morris A. Henson, '92, retired from active work in the Jackson public schools with 50 years of teaching behind him. Mr. Henson's record includes forty-six years of classroom and administrative work without the missing of a single day because of personal illness. At different times Mr. Henson has served as principal of the high schools at M-Arthur, Gallipolis, and Jackson.

The extension Division of Ohio University established a new record for long-distance correspondence study this year when it forwarded text-books and other materials to Logan Fry, '31, in Monrovia, Liberia. Mr. Fry is employed in the West African city in the banking department of the United States Trading Co. He registered for a course in accounting under Prof. Ralph F. Beckert, '23. It requires six weeks for a letter to come from Monrovia to Athens. In a note to Mr. Beckert which accompanied an accounting lesson, Logan penned the following "It is just before the rainy season but the vegetation has already had enough water to make it unbelievably green, especially if you look out over the gray of the ocean in the evening and then turn to the land. This is a beautiful country, a country of many clashing colors, gray cool dawns, and stifling hot noondays. There are black natives with brilliant multi-colored cloth coverings. It would be a long stretch of the imagination to call them clothes as we know them. Allen in Anthony Adverse gives a very good description of the people and the country. The action supposedly took place down the coast about seventy miles from here."

MARRIAGES

ORTON-CLIFTON—Miss Elinore Orton, '30, 2-yr., Dayton, to Mr. Hugh M. Clifton, '30, Pomerooy, Dec. 25, 1934. Mrs. Clifton is a former Dayton teacher. Mr. Clifton is connected with the marketing division of the Pure Oil Co., in Philadelphia. At home: 64 Clifton Ave., Sharon Hill, Pa.

SPALDING-ROUSH—Miss Mary Elizabeth Spalding, Phoenix, Ariz., to Mr. Dow B. Roush, '32, Dec. 29, 1934. Mr. Roush is an instructor in the high school at Phoenix and is associated with The Little Theater as a coach.

WORMAN-WOLFE—Miss Dorothy Worman, Gallipolis, to Mr. John H. Wolfe, '32, also of Gallipolis, Jan. 21, 1934. The bride is a secretary in the office of the Probate Judge of Gallia County. The groom is employed by the Gallipolis Motor Co. At home: Gallipolis.

NELSON-CRIDER—Miss Dorothy Elizabeth Nelson, '31, 2-yr., Roseville, to Mr. Francis Peter Crider, '34, Zanesville, during the summer of 1934. Mrs. Crider has been a teacher in the Roseville schools for the past five years. Mr. Crider is associated with the Stone Shoe Co., in Cleveland. At home: Cleveland.

SHERIDAN-DOLL—Miss Doris Sheridan, Portsmouth, to Mr. Howard D. Doll, '33, also of Portsmouth, Aug. 10, 1934, at Lexington, Ky., with the brother of the bride officiating. Mr. Doll is principal of the Henry Massie School in his home city. At home: 17th and High Streets, Portsmouth.

PIERCE-OWENS—Miss Ruth Pierce, '29, Athens, to Mr. Thomas K. Owens, Oak Hill, Aug. 18, 1934. Mrs. Owens taught in the public schools of New Straitsville for five years. Mr. Owens, a graduate of Rio Grande College and of Ohio State University, is principal of the high school in Jackson. At home: Jackson.

CRANER-NELSON—Miss Ruby Craner, '30, Marion, to Mr. LeRoy Nelson, Springfield, June 17, 1934. Mrs. Nelson was a teacher of English in Harding High School, Marion, until her marriage. Mr. Nelson is a member of the staff of the Clark County Auditor's Office. At home: 500 West Columbia Street, Springfield.

FISKE-NEWELL—Miss Mary Louise Fiske, '33, 2-yr., Beaumont, to Mr. Alfred J. Newell, '34, Holyoke, Mass., May 18, 1934. Mrs. Newell is a former teacher in the Athens County schools. At home: 949 Hampden, Holyoke, Mass.

BLASIUS-SCHULTHEISS—Miss Cecelia Blasius, Logan, to Mr. Dayton E. Schultheiss, '31, Newport, July 1, 1934. Both the bride and groom have been instructors in the senior high school at Logan where the latter is continuing his instructorship. At home: Mound Street, Logan.

BROWN-WACHS—Miss Helen Faye Brown, '29, M. A. '33, Vincent, to Rev. Paul Irving Wachs, '28, Crestline, June 10, 1934. Mrs. Wachs had two years high school teaching experience before returning to Ohio University for a Master's degree in English. After graduating from the Boston University School of Theology, Rev. Mr. Wachs was for four years pastor of a church near Columbus. He is now pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church at Malta. At home: Malta.

ROCHFESTER-EVANS—Miss Betty Rochester, '32, Logan, to Mr. Thomas H. Evans, Jr., '32, Indianapolis, Nov. 20, 1933. Mr. Evans is associated with the district office of The Pure Oil Co. At home: Indianapolis.

DORSEY-BECHTEL—Miss Mabel Dorsey, '25, Athens, to Mr. Alvin Bechtel, Sandusky, June 30, 1934. Both the bride and groom are former teachers in the Alliance city schools. Mr. Bechtel, a graduate of Ohio State University, is now associated with the Kroger Grocery and Baking Co. At home: 426 McDonough Ave., Sandusky.

LAMP-FORD—Miss Pauline C. Lamp, '31, 2-yr., Parkersburg, W. Va., to Mr. Russel E. Ford, '31, Youngstown, June 30, 1934. Mrs. Ford has taught in the Parkersburg public schools. Mr. Ford is a government civil engineer at Montgomery, W. Va. At home: Montgomery.



MRS. CLARENCE P. BRYAN

CONAWAY-BRYAN—Miss Kathleen Conaway, '32, New Lexington, to Mr. Clarence P. Bryan, '32, Cleveland, Nov. 10, 1934. Mr. Bryan received the Master of Arts degree at Ohio University in 1933. At home: 8215 Clark Ave., Cleveland.

WELSH-STEPHENSON—Miss Irma Welsh, '31, Wellston, to Mr. Robert G. Stephenson, '31x, Wellston, Feb. 1, 1935. Mrs. Stephenson, a home "ec." major, has taught in the Pomeroy schools. At home: Wellston.

DIEHL-FRANKLIN—Miss Bernice Diehl, '26, Woodfield, to Mr. Clair E. Franklin, '34, Woodfield, Dec. 23, 1934. The bride is an instructor in her home high school. The groom is at present working on his master's degree at Ohio State University.

BELCHER-LAMP—Miss Mary A. Belcher, '33, 2-yr., to Mr. Chester B. Lamp, '33, both of Parkersburg, W. Va., Aug. 15, 1934. At home: Parkersburg.

MONROE-DUNN—Miss Elizabeth J. Monroe, Youngstown, to Mr. Kenneth E. Dunn, '34, also of Youngstown, July 4, 1934. Mr. Dunn is an assistant in the Ohio University News Bureau. At home: Pine Place, N. Congress St., Athens.

JOHNSTON-MALBARGER—Miss Juanita Johnson, Columbus, to Mr. Richard E. Mulbarger, '32, also of Columbus, Nov. 22, 1934. At home: 1243 South Twenty-second St., Columbus.

HACK-CHRISMAN—Miss Betty Hack, '35, Logan, to Mr. Claude Chrisman, '32, Mr. Vernon, Dec. 22, 1934. Mrs. Chrisman, a senior at Ohio University, will remain on the campus to complete her work in June. Mr. Chrisman is a coach at West Junior High School in Columbus.

FOLEY-MCKINLEY—Miss Elizabeth Foley, '31x, Athens, to Mr. Burnell McKinley, '29, Athens, Dec. 15, 1934. Mr. McKinley, a former three-sport athlete at Ohio University, is coach of athletics at Athens High School.

CARTER-RISHER—Miss Maxine Carter, '35x, Warren, to Mr. Nelson E. Risher, '33, Warren, Jan. 26, 1935. At home: 686 Trumbull Parkway, S. E., Warren.

COOKE-GRAFT—Miss Arlene Cooke, '31x, East Cleveland, to Mr. Maynard L. Graft, '25, Logan, Nov. 8, 1934. At home: Colonial Heights, Logan.

HIGGINS-SPAULDING—Miss Cleo Higgins, '25, Belle Center, to Mr. Raymond R. Spaulding, '30x, Athens, May 30, 1934, in Buffalo, N. Y. Mrs. Spaulding was a critic teacher in the Ohio University Training School at The Plains for several years. Mr. Spaulding is branch manager of the Black and Decker Co. At home: 2728 Main St., Apt. 19, Buffalo.

DONNELLY-BODEN—Miss Ernestine Donnelly, '32, Bucyrus, to Mr. James G. Boden, '31, Athens, Nov. 17, 1934. Mr. Boden is manager of the Athens Flooring Co. At home: 66 Morris Ave., Athens.

KELLY-ADDICOTT—Miss Virginia Rose Kelly, '35x, Youngstown, to Mr. Donald K. Addicott, '32, Athens, December 29, 1934. Mrs. Addicott was a senior in Ohio University at the time of her marriage. Mr. Addicott, a son of Prof. L. J. Addicott, of the Ohio University faculty, is a travelling auditor for the Goodrich Rubber Company. At home: 198 W. State Street, Akron, Ohio.

CALL-STEDMAN—Miss Ruth Eleanor Call, Nelsonville, to Mr. E. Franklin Stedman, '29 (A. B. in Com.) '30 (B. S. in Ed.), Athens, March 10, 1934, at Logan. Mr. Stedman is a member of the faculty of Nelsonville High School. At home: 170 West Columbus Street, Nelsonville.

FISHER-TABIT—Miss Eleanor Reed Fisher, '32, Frankfort, to Mr. George Tabit, Jr., '27, Gallipolis, June 6, 1934, at the Indianola Presbyterian Church, Columbus. Mrs. Tabit has been a teacher at Mowrystown, where she is continuing her work. Mr. Tabit has been associated with Lafayette Hotel in Gallipolis. At home: Mowrystown.

DONLEY-DIMEGLIO—Miss Alice Ruth Donley, '33, Firebrick, to Mr. V. D. DiMeglio, '34, Brooklyn, N. Y., early in April, 1934, at Ashland, Kt. Mrs. DiMeglio was a graduate student at Ohio University last year. She was awarded the \$100 first prize in the Emerson Poetry Contest in 1933. Mr. DiMeglio has seen service with the U. S. Marine Corps in Nicaragua. At home: Firebrick.

COLLINS-REAMER—Miss Greeba Estelle Collins, '29, 2-yr., Athens, to Mr. Charles W. Reamer, '33, Pittsburgh, July 14, 1934, in the pastoral study of the First Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh. Mrs. Reamer, who was twice included among the Silver Mirror beauties, has been a teacher in the Athens Public Schools. Mr. Reamer is now connected with the advertising department of the Athens Messenger. At home: 70 N. High Street, Athens.

BIRTHS

JONES-ROGERS — Miss Dorothy O. Jones, '32, Glouster, to Mr. Oscar K. Rogers, '33, Wooster, August 19, 1933, in Chicago. At the time of the wedding Mr. Rogers was associated with the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company at the Century of Progress Exposition. At present he is a salesman for the Rogers Auto Supply Company. At home: 363 Blessing Avenue, Wooster.

BARBOUR-SNYDER — Miss Elizabeth Barbour, Rising Sun, Ind., to Dr. Louis Snyder, '30, Loveland, June 30, 1934, at the Presbyterian Manse in Athens. Mrs. Snyder is a former supervisor of nurses at Christ Hospital, Cincinnati in which Dr. Snyder served an internship after graduating from the University of Cincinnati Medical School. Dr. and Mrs. Snyder are now at home at Blanchester, where the former is practicing his profession.

UCKER-YOUNG — Miss Rosemary Ucker, '28, Nelsonville, to Mr. Gilbert Young, '28x, also of Nelsonville, June 18, 1934, at St. Andrew's Rectory, Nelsonville. The bride was for six years a member of the Nelsonville High School faculty. She is a sister of Miss Monica Ucker, '31, and of Miss Charlotte Ucker, '34x. Mr. Young is a brother of Mrs. William White (Vema Young, '29). At home: Montgomery, W. Va.

HOWICK-SHORT — Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Howick (Mary Smith, '23, 2-yr.), Celina, to Mr. Donald Short, also of Celina, June 10, 1934, in Columbus. Mrs. Short was for several years a music supervisor in the Glouster schools. Mr. Short is prosecuting attorney of Mercer County. At home: Celina.

SWEENEY-CURRY — Miss Helen R. Sweeney, '29, Amsterdam, to Mr. August L. Curry, June 12, 1934. Mrs. Curry has been an instructor in English and physical education in Amsterdam High School since her graduation from Ohio University.

EVANS-MATHENY — Miss Ann L. Evans, '34, Athens, to Mr. William R. Matheny, '34x, also of Athens, June 8, 1934, on the lawn of the Matheny home. Mrs. Matheny was an art major at Ohio University, and was recently elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa. Mr. Matheny is a son of Dr. and Mrs. W. A. Matheny, and is employed with the F. R. Beasley Company. At home: Patton Drive, Athens.

KEEP-BERLIN — Miss Ethel Keep, '32, Bowling Green, to Mr. Carl Berlin, Toledo, Nov. 3, 1934. Mr. Berlin is associated with the LaSalle & Koch Store in Toledo. At home: 327½ Crittenden Ave., Toledo.

BUSH-WILLIAMS — Miss Emily Bush, '33, Portsmouth, to Mr. Thomas Edwards Williams, also of Portsmouth, Sept. 3, 1934, at the Broad Street Presbyterian Church in Columbus. Mr. Williams, a graduate of Lafayette College, is district manager of the Penn Mutual Life Insurance Co. At home: Portsmouth.

GIFFORD-TRACY — Mrs. Wilma Armstrong Gifford, Mansfield, to Mr. Samuel W. Tracy, '30, Delaware, June 9, 1934, in the Central Methodist Church, Mansfield. Both Mr. and Mrs. Tracy are instructors in physical education at the Simpson Junior High School, Mansfield. Honeymoon: South America and the West Indies. At home: 354 Park Avenue, West, Mansfield.

HORTON — To Mr. Raymond A. Horton, '28, and Mrs. Horton (Marie Bechtolt, '28), Woodside, L. I., N. Y., a daughter, Laura Marie, Nov. 21, 1934. Mr. Horton is assistant credit manager of Abraham and Straus, Inc., a Brooklyn department store, while Mrs. Horton is an assistant buyer for the big Wannamaker store.

WILLIAMS — To the happiest and proudest parents in the world (exceptions may be noted and filed, but they will certainly be disregarded), the Alumni Secretary and Mrs. Williams (Marie Jewett, '22), Athens, a daughter, Barbara Marie, January 23, 1935, at Grant Hospital, Columbus.

Having seriously considered devoting an entire page of *The Ohio Alumnus* to this happy disclosure, the secretary-editor feels that he has more than met the demands of modesty and has determinedly circumscribed his desire "to tell the world" when he restricts himself to a mere six inches of columnar space.



BARBARA WILLIAMS AND NURSE

From the turned down corners of the young lady's mouth — as caught by the camera in the accompanying picture — we just know the little five-day-old miss was thinking, "Gosh, Nurse Andrews, isn't it about time to eat again?"

To the many friends who have already sent good wishes, little Barbara says "hello" and "come over and see me sometime."

LOMAX — To Dr. and Mrs. Paul Lomax (Beatrice Loyer, '26), Maplewood, N. J., a son, Donald Loyer, Jan. 11, 1935. Dr. Lomax is a member of the faculty of New York University.

BROWN — To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Brown (Hazel Clark, '21, 2-yr.), Chillicothe, a son, Thomas Clark, Sept. 5, 1934. Mr. Brown is a gasoline station manager, in Chillicothe, for the Gulf Oil Co.

SADOSKY — To Mr. Bernard X. Sadosky, '33, and Mrs. Sadosky (Ferne Sargent, '31, 2-yr.), Glouster, a son, Robert Lee, Jan. 7, 1934. Mr. Sadosky is an instructor and assistant coach in Glouster High School.

HARPER — To Mr. Charles F. Harper, '32, and Mrs. Harper (Ruth Anna Kittle, '34x), Albany, N. Y., a daughter, Ruth Anna, Jan. 8, 1935. Mr. Harper is associated with the Equitable Life Assurance Society.

BROWN — To Dr. W. Lewis Brown, '26, and Mrs. Brown (Dorothy Daily, '27), Gallipolis, a daughter, Lynn, Jan. 29, 1935. Dr. Brown is practicing medicine in Gallipolis and is the coroner of Gallia County.

MACFARLAN — To Mr. Hunter M. Macfarlan, '33, and Mrs. Macfarlan (Althea Miller, '24x), Albany, Ohio, a son, Howard Miller, Feb. 5, 1935. Mr. Macfarlan is an instructor in commerce at Albany High School.

PILCHER — To Mr. James O. Pilcher, '30x, and Mrs. Pilcher (Maxine Williams, '32x), McArthur, a son, James Otto, Jr., Nov. 16, 1934. Mr. Pilcher is associated with the McArthur Building & Loan Bank.

MORRIS — To Mr. E. J. Morris, '26, and Mrs. Morris (Mary McGraher, '26), Hemlock, a daughter, Marilyn Jane, Nov. 16, 1934. Mr. Morris is coach in the Hemlock high school.

HUMPHREY — To Mr. Herman W. Humphrey, '27, and Mrs. Humphrey (Bernice O'Neil, '32x), The Plains, a son, Bruce Lee, Jan. 22, 1935. Mr. Humphrey is an instructor in The Plains Rural High School.

KRAPP — To Mr. Daniel O. Krapp, '34, and Mrs. Krapp (Ruth Hefflinger, '31, 2-yr.), Athens, a daughter, Judith Elizabeth, Feb. 1, 1935. Mr. Krapp is associated with the Ohio Barber Shop in Athens.

BUCHANAN — To Mr. and Mrs. Forest W. Buchanan (Clarice McKibben, '26), Amsterdam, a son, Clovis, December 30, 1933.

SECHLER — To Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Sechler (Mary Bourquin, '27), Hartford, a son, Lester, in June, 1934.

DUIS — To Mr. and Mrs. H. Glenn Duis (Marie Noel, '16, 2-yr.), Portsmouth, a daughter, Susanne, January 21, 1934.

SKINNER — To Mr. Raymond L. Skinner, '29, and Mrs. Skinner (Georgianna Hubbell, '33), Brilliant, a daughter, Rama Lee, July 30, 1934. Mr. Skinner is superintendent of the Brilliant schools.

LEFAVOR — To Mr. Carroll H. LeFavor, '32, (B. M.), '34, (B. S. in Ed.), and Mrs. LeFavor (Sara Ruth Linville, '34x), Belpre, a son, James Carroll, June 19, 1934. Mr. LeFavor is supervisor of music in the Belpre schools.

JONES — To Mr. and Mrs. Edwin A. Jones (Katherine McKee, '27), Jackson, a son, Brooks, Oct. 23, 1934. Mr. Jones is treasurer and general superintendent of the Globe Iron Company.

CHASE — To Mr. Vaughn H. Chase, '23, and Mrs. Chase (Mildred Riley, '23, Albany, a daughter, Martha Jane, Sept. 14, 1934. Mr. Chase is supervising appraiser for the Federal Land Bank of Louisville, Ky.

MARSHALL — To Mr. George H. Marshall, '29, and Mrs. Marshall (Josephine Marshall, '28), Tokio, Japan, a son, Richard Clark, March 21, 1934. Mr. Marshall is director of athletics at St. Paul's University, Tokio. In 1931, he brought a Japanese baseball team to the United States, meeting Ohio University in two games of a rather extended schedule.

LUCE — To Mr. George O. Luce, '29, and Mrs. Luce (Sara Davies, '27), a son, George D. Luce, II. Father Luce is principal of Springwater Union School at Springwater, N. Y.

DEATHS

MAUCK—Judge Roscoe J. Mauck, aged 64, Gallipolis, member of the Fourth Ohio District Court of Appeals, and veteran Ohio jurist, died June 10, 1934, in a Gallipolis hospital as the result of a heart attack.

After attending Ohio University, Judge Mauck studied law at the University of Virginia and at Ohio State University. He was the father of Mrs. John W. Galbreath (Helen Mauck, '19), of Columbus. He had served on the common pleas and appellate benches for more than twenty-five years. He was at one time an assistant attorney general of Ohio.

HENRY—Dr. John L. Henry, '88x, aged 68, for forty-three years an Athens' physician, died at his home in Athens, Dec. 7, 1934, after a week's illness. Surviving him are his wife; a son, Dr. John C. Henry, '25, who became associated with his father in 1931 for the practice of medicine; and a daughter, Mrs. J. W. Saltz (Ruth Henry, '22), of McArthur. Besides these there are three brothers, all of whom attended Ohio University: Francis B. Henry, Abingdon, Va.; Dr. W. H. Henry, Middletown; and Maj. Z. L. Henry, Fort Wright, Washington.

LAMB—Grace E. Lamb, '31, Jackson, died as the result of an automobile accident, Dec. 2, 1934. Miss Lamb was an instructor in the high school at Jackson, her home. The fatal accident occurred near Lancaster.

WATSON—Mrs. Henry Watson (Mary Breene, '26, 2-yr), Logan, was fatally injured when the automobile in which she was riding with her husband, Henry D. Watson, '26, left the road and turned over at a point three miles east of Logan. Mrs. Watson is survived by her husband and two sons, Harry, aged five years, and Charles Henry, aged nine months.

TEMPLETON—Ethel M. Templeton, '28, died Nov. 22, 1934, of a heart attack at her home in Woodsfield. In 1929 Miss Templeton was a teacher in her home high school. Later she attended Ohio State University where she secured the Master of Arts degree in 1932. At the time of her death she had returned to her high school position in Woodsfield.

ICKIS—Louise Ickis, '30, died in New York City early this year following an illness of a year's duration. Miss Ickis had held a position in the office of the Book of the Month Club in New York. She was a sister of Marguerite Ickis, '18.

SCOTT—Dr. Lindsey Scott, '22, a physician of Willard, Ohio, died Nov. 20, 1934. He was a graduate of the University of Cincinnati Medical School. Surviving the deceased, are a widow and one child.

MOLER—Miss Nellie Blanche Moler, '07, formerly of Athens, died June 24, 1934, in Tucson, Arizona. Miss Moler was for ten years a teacher in Athens High School and for two years a teacher in the high school at Mansfield. At Ohio University she was a charter member of Alpha Gamma Delta sorority. Miss Moler went to Arizona several years ago for her health.

Among the survivors of Miss Moler are several nieces and nephews who are graduates or former students of Ohio University. Burial was made in the Hebbardsville Cemetery, near Athens.

KERN—John Wesley Kern, '21, aged 56, superintendent of the Richland County schools from 1929 to 1934, died August 31, 1934, at his home in Mansfield, after an illness of several months duration. Mr. Kern was a native of Beaver, Ohio, and had taught school since the early age of 15 years. Because of ill health he resigned the Richland County superintendency on August the first of last year.

BULLETIN

TREUDLEY—Prof. Frederick Treudley, aged 82, emeritus professor of philosophy and ethics, Ohio University, died of injuries at Emergency Hospital, Washington, D. C., Feb. 21, 1935, after having been struck down by a hit-skip motorist at the corner of Pennsylvania Ave. and E Street, N. W., in the nation's capitol.

At the conclusion of 20 years of teaching service at Ohio University, Professor Treudley retired from active duty in 1921 and took up his residence in Washington. In his score of years upon the Ohio campus he came to be known and loved by hundreds of undergraduates who have regarded him as one of the University's



PROF. FREDERICK TREUDLEY

"grand old men." Prior to coming to Athens he had been superintendent of the Youngstown public schools.

Since his retirement, Professor Treudley has lived in Washington with Mrs. Treudley, making occasional visits to Florida, California, the Bermudas, and elsewhere. In recent years his home had been at the Hotel Clarendon, 820 Connecticut Ave., N. W.

The deceased philosopher is survived by his second wife, Mrs. Ella Treudley, and four daughters, Helen, of Washington, D. C.; Mary, a member of the faculty of Wellesley College; Mrs. Ruth A. Halliburton, Washington; and Mrs. Esther Bowman, New York City. Miss Mary Treudley and Mrs. Halliburton are graduates of Ohio University.

At the time of going to press the day and place of the funeral had not been learned in Athens.

BROWN—Mr. James D. Brown, '74x, aged 89, Athens banker, died at the home of his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Davis, in Cincinnati, October 13, 1934. He had been president of the Bank of Athens for the last sixty years and was descended from a line of men and women whose careers have been distinguished in the history of Ohio University and Southeastern Ohio. Mr. Brown had been ill for several months, suffering from a heart ailment.

The deceased was the donor of the annual Brown Prizes for Oratory, awards which have been won by a large number of Ohio University students over a period of many years. Mr. Brown was a Civil War veteran. He was buried in Athens' West Union Street Cemetery.

RIDGEWAY—Mr. Edwin N. Ridgeway, '87x, who resided near Rio Grande in Gallia County, died May 31, 1934, in his 100th year. He was a member of the "Squirrel Hunters," famous southern Ohio organization of Civil War days. Last spring Mr. Ridgeway's son, Elmer, visited him and found him plowing potatoes, using a one-horse cultivator. He had been in the saddle practically every day.

BECKWITH—Mrs. William S. Beckwith, (Verna Danford, '29), died at her home in Athens, Dec. 5, 1934, following a ten days illness of typhoid fever. The fever was contracted during a visit to Parkersburg at the time of the Ohio-West Virginia football game last fall. At the time of her death Mrs. Beckwith was a teacher in the East Side School, Athens, and had previously been principal of the West Side School. On August 8, 1932, she was married to William S. Beckwith, '27x, of Parkersburg, but the marriage had never been publicly announced.

BUSH—To Mr. Gordon K. Bush, '24, and Mrs. Bush, Athens, a son, Gordon Kenner, Jr., July 30, 1934. Mr. Bush is editor and publisher of *The Athens Messenger*.

MINISTER—To Mr. J. Edward Minister, '23, and Mrs. Minister (Margaret Pritchard, '24x), Ingram, Pittsburgh, Pa., a son, Edward Boyd, July 20, 1934. Mr. Minister is instructor in the Ingram High School.

TAYLOR—To Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Taylor (Melba Woodworth, '26), New Cumberland, W. Va., a daughter, Sue Ann, October 17, 1934. Mr. Taylor is associated with the Weirton Steel Company.

HOUSE—To Mr. Carl J. House, '32, and Mrs. House, Pomeroy, a son, August 15, 1934. Mr. House is an instructor in the Pomeroy senior high school.

FIGLEY—To Mr. Harold H. Figley, '32, and Mrs. Figley, Nelsonville, a son, James Rollin, May 23, 1934. Mr. Figley is instructor in manual arts in the high school at Nelsonville.

WILL—To Mr. Robert Will, '29x, and Mrs. Will (Helen Burson, '28), McArthur, a daughter, Sara, July 13, 1934.

PIERCE—To Mr. Durward K. Pierce, '31, and Mrs. Pierce, Shade, a son, Dec. 28, 1934. Mr. Pierce is an instructor in the high school at Shade.

CONNETT—To Mr. Raymond W. Connett, '31, and Mrs. Connett, (Irma Hill, '25), Athens, a daughter, Sarah Ellen, June 27, 1934. Mr. Connett is a music supervisor in the Athens County Schools.

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