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## From the Editor's Desk . . .

**COLORS** Promised for last month, but not delivered, was the story of how green and white came to be the university colors. Here it is now, as told to the Editor by Charles G. O'Bleness, '98, Athens banker and son of the late Henry O'Bleness, who was for 23 years a trustee of Ohio University.

It is an interesting story and in the history of the colors one gets the initial chapter of the history of football at Ohio University.

We will pause here only for a moment to tell you that blue and gray had been adopted as the official colors by action of the Board of Trustees in 1890. Later, you will see how a matter of prime importance and great urgency caused this action to be ignored.

Way back in '94 when "Old O.U." had but four buildings and 300 students a small group of men took up a new and rugged sport—football—which had already gained popularity in a number of other schools, particularly in the East.

Ununiformed, uncoached, and without a playing field these pioneer gridmen organized an eleven, played some formidable opponents, and ended the season with nothing but "moral victories" to their credit. The one or two home games were played at the Athens County fairgrounds.

The following year brought a few hard-earned victories, but no equipment and no coach.

At the close of the '95 season the players and their undergraduate supporters organized an "athletic association" and elected Mr. O'Bleness, fullback on the team, manager of it.

The hiring of a coach and the purchase of uniforms were authorized by the new association. There being no treasury, however, students, faculty members, and local businessmen were solicited for contributions.

With a bit of working capital Manager O'Bleness proceeded to correspond with a Sam McMillen, of Springfield, but a former resident of Marietta, who had attended Dartmouth College and played on the Dartmouth team. McMillen was enthusiastic about the football prospects as pictured by the Ohioan, and agreed to come to the campus the next fall as coach.

The manager then attempted to purchase sweaters and "stockings" for the team but was told that blue and gray were unsatisfactory

colors (to the manufacturer) and that the articles could not be obtained in that combination. So, what colors would Coach McMillen suggest. McMillen replied promptly suggesting Dartmouth's colors, olive green and white. As a sample of them he mailed a sweater which he had earned as a Dartmouth letterman.

When the students returned that fall the athletic association had a meeting in the north-west corner room, ground floor, of Cutler Hall—Kate Cranz' recitation room (German and French). It was there decided that the problem of the colors and a proposal to adopt new ones should be placed before the student body at "chapel" exercises the following morning. Chapel was a daily affair in those days.

Appearing before the students and faculty, the manager told his story and held up the handsome sweater with the olive green body and the big white "D". The late Clyde Brown, '95, then a member of the teaching staff, but later to become general counsel of the New York Central Railroad, cried out in stentorian tones, "Put it on, Charlie." Charlie put it on, a vote was taken, and olive green and white became the unanimously chosen colors for the new uniforms. And, as time and usage have since proved, they became the colors of the university, itself. No confirmatory action was ever taken, as far as is known, by the Board of Trustees or other university authorities.

But what of McMillen? Opening day of the fall term arrived and no coach. Following out the coach's written instructions Mr. O'Bleness had been putting the players through a course of preparatory exercises. Three weeks passed, and no coach. Finally, in response to a telegram, came word that McMillen's dad, a Springfield newspaperman, had violently opposed the son's desire to enter upon a coaching career, and thwarted it with an effective "No."

**COVER** The cover page subjects this month are the June commencement speaker, President Conant of Harvard University, and four members of the Class of 1947. The four seniors are: left to right—William Kuhner, Oak Hill; Helen Foster, Shawnee; Dorothy Hainer, Mansfield; and Robert Potter, Cambridge, Md. The picture was taken by the side of Fine Arts Hall.

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# President of Harvard Addresses June Grads

A TIME "within the next two decades when the first real steps will be taken toward a disarming of the divided world" was forecast by Dr. James Bryant Conant, distinguished president of Harvard University, in his address to the spring graduating class, June 9, in Alumni Memorial Auditorium.

Dr. James B. Conant, internationally recognized as a leader in modern scientific research, was absent from his post at Harvard during much of the period of World War II serving the nation in the organization and direction of some of its vitally important war projects.

He was named deputy director of the Office of Scientific Research and Development in 1941. He also served as chairman of the National Defense Committee, and headed the small group of scientists that was responsible, under the general chairmanship of Dr. Vannevar Bush, for development of the atomic bomb program.

During his absence from the famed eastern school many of President Conant's administrative duties were carried on by Dr. John C. Baker, now president of Ohio University.

President Baker, President Conant, and Dr. Donald R. Clippinger, chairman of Ohio University's chemistry department, appear in the upper picture on this page. Below are (left to right) Dr. Baker, Mrs. Conant, Dr. Conant, and Mrs. Baker in the library of the Baker home.

The 368 members of the class received their diplomas from the hands of President John Calhoun Baker, former colleague and close associate of President Conant, after they had taken the traditional "long walk" under the McGuffey Elms.

Warning his audience that he was a "temperamental optimist," Dr. Conant told the World War II veterans of the class their chances of avoiding another major war "turns on the success or failure of the United States as a 'going concern'."

A "healthy growth and continued strength" would demonstrate the United States is indeed a "going concern" and cause the dwellers in the Kremlin to change their mind," the speaker predicted.

That change, the Harvard president and scientist said, could result in international control of atomic energy, "a relatively short step toward control of other weapons of mass destruction."

"When this time comes, the armed truce will have given way to a peace more enduring than the Western world has seen for generations," he declared.

"Scientifically," said the speaker, "we are now living in the atomic age. The physicists and chemists are exploring a wonderful universe to which there seemed no access a short 10 years ago."

However, he added, "from the industrial standpoint, the 'atomic age' . . . lies over the horizon, and my crystal ball fails completely to inform me either when this age will dawn or what it will be like."

"As to the 'atomic age' from a



Dr. Baker—Dr. Conant—Dr. Clippinger

military point of view," he continued, "it is my contention that we are not living in this age in spite of the fact that atomic bombs have, since 1945, been part of the official armament of the United States. We shall only be living in the atomic age when two nations have bombs in quantity sufficient to constitute a military menace to each other."

"I hope before that grim time comes, the United Nations will have adopted and put into operation something approaching the Acheson-Lilienthal plan for the control of atomic energy."

Dr. Conant characterized the present period as an "armed truce" in which "our Russian friends" are not convinced of the desirability of international control of the atomic bomb.

This attitude of the Soviets, he analyzed as "wishful thinking and a strong belief we would be unable to remain a powerful democracy with a firm foreign policy throughout the world."

"Perhaps as long as this wishful thinking continues among our Russian allies of World War II, so long may be delayed the international control of atomic weapons," said President Conant.

The period in which the "armed truce is converted into a permanent peace" was termed difficult in which to live and the graduates were told that tough minded idealists would be the primary need.

The speaker warned that during such a time "many of the activities



President and Mrs. Baker (extreme left and right) and President and Mrs. Conant

that go with war such as vigorous secret intelligence, sabotage, and even planned disruption of the basic philosophy of a nation may well proceed."

"Nevertheless, we should be certain any steps we take to counteract such activities of a foreign power within our borders do not damage irreparably the very fabric which we seek to save."

He indicated a belief that the "existence of a strong Soviet state is not without its healthy influence on the trend of affairs here at home by providing a rivalry which will have a beneficial effect on the spread of our American ideals."

In competing with Russia "for the allegiance of the dispossessed of the world, the ill-fed underdog, and promising that our way of life is better" the United States will advance its own progress as a democracy, he explained.

Stating that differences of opinion in regard to ways of achieving "This democracy's goals are bound to divide our country into radicals and conservatives," Dr. Conant cautioned against "throwing the words 'Fascist,' and 'Communist' at those who do not like our views."

"Indeed this diversity of opinion is not only the basis for the welfare of our universities but for that of the entire nation," the speaker concluded.

The invocation and benediction for the graduating exercises were offered by Rev. Harold F. Kellogg of the First Methodist Church, Athens, while music for the occasion was provided by the University Chorus under the direction of Prof. C. C. Robinson. The choral group sang the "Hallelujah" from Beethoven's "The Mount of Olives." The accompanist was Rita Rackoff.

#### The Baccalaureate Service

Rev. Dr. James W. Clarke, minister of the Second Presbyterian Church of St. Louis, Mo., gave the address of the Baccalaureate Service in the Auditorium on Sunday morning, June 8.

Daniel Saltzberg, Athens, a senior, sang the recitative and air, "He Counteth All Your Sorrows," from Mendelssohn's "Hymn of Praise." He was accompanied by Robert Price, Logan, another senior.

Dr. Clarke told his listeners that today's youth is nervous about "the way of life that may be foisted upon it." The whole nation and the world

is gripped by "fear and a giant failure of nerve."

"As a people we are afflicted with a triple case of nerves—peace jitters, industrial jitters, and atomic jitters."

Telling the seniors that "your tomorrows will be shot with challenge, rich with opportunity, and heavy with threat," the speaker asked them, "Are you going out alone, or on an accompanied pilgrimage?"

"Nerved by God," the St. Louis clergyman declared, "You cannot fear what man can do to you."

From four to five-thirty Sunday afternoon President and Mrs. Baker held an informal reception in the garden of their home for alumni and seniors and their guests.

#### 700 Attend Outdoor Supper

More than 700 persons were served at the Commencement Supper Sunday evening "under the Elms." A threat of rain failed to discourage attendance by the large crowd and before the serving was completed

Of the 192 men awarded diplomas this month, 147—or 77 per cent—were World War II veterans; 18 of them disabled. Only one of the 176 women of the June class had a service record—Jo Ann Tompkins, Columbus, formerly of Athens. Miss Tompkins, an ex-Wave, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Tompkins (Alma Moore, '17), and a niece of F. Darrell Moore, '16, West LaFayette, Ind.

the sun broke through the clouds to further enliven the spirits of those present.

Sunday's events were concluded with a concert by seniors and graduate students of the School of Music. The program, which was an annual event before the war, included vocal and instrumental selections by six seniors, three graduate students, and one undergraduate.

#### Named To State Commission

A. David Baumhart, '31, A.M. '32, former State Senator and Congressman from northern Ohio districts, has been named by Governor Herbert to a position on the Ohio Development and Publicity Commission. His term will run until 1953.

Dr. Marion G. Fisher, '31, Oberlin health commissioner, was one of six physicians whose names were submitted to the governor by the Ohio Public Health Council for his consideration in filing the position of Ohio Director of Health. A Columbus physician, however, received the appointment.

## Special Scholarships Won By Outstanding Seniors

Awarded for the first time have been the Special Scholarships "pioneered" by President Baker in pursuit of his "aim to raise the scholarship level for all of the student body, not for just a few outstanding individuals."

Announcement of the awards to five seniors was made during Senior Day exercises on May 28 by Dr. Karl H. Krauskopf, chairman of the faculty-student Committee for Encouraging Scholarship.

The five recipients were chosen by six faculty members and five students who carefully "screened" the 18 students nominated for the awards. Pictured on page 7, the winners are, left to right: sitting—Joyce White, Parkersburg, W. Va.; Dr. Krauskopf; and Eleanor Maxwell, West Union, W. Va.; standing—Robert Bird, Athens; Ralph Exline, Hudson; and William Lee, Athens.

While good grades were regarded as of paramount importance as a basis for selection, consideration was also given to demonstrated ability to do independent thinking and study.

The scholarships are unique in character and are worth about \$100 each.

William Lee, a journalism student, will be offered a trip to meet leading newspaper, press association, and radio executives.

Majoring in speech correction, Joyce White will get to see methods used in correcting speech and hearing defects at a leading institution.

Eleanor Maxwell, a psychology major, will attend a national psychologists' meeting or a mental hygiene clinic.

A week's visit to New York for radio, opera and stage auditions will be offered Robert Bird, a baritone majoring in voice.

Ralph Exline, the department of human relations' representative who is majoring in history and psychology, already has been given a trip to Harvard University to attend an important conference on human relations.

A total of \$2,500 has been made available for the Special Scholarships, of which \$2,000 was allocated from the first contributions to the Ohio University Fund, and \$500 was given by the Class of 1946.

VOTE! VOTE! VOTE!

# Committee Presents Officer Slate

ANOTHER year without the customary Alumni Luncheon and Annual Business meeting of the Alumni Association leaves no alternative but an election of officers by mail, a procedure followed last year for the first time.

The persons whose names will be found in succeeding paragraphs and on the attached ballot were nomi-



Dr. Don D. Tullis

nated for their respective offices by the following committee: Joshua R. Morton, '05, M.S. '12, chairman; Laura B. Bailey, '20; and Fred M. McKay, '14. All are residents of Athens.

It has never been the custom to present opposition slates. A member of the Association, however, is not only privileged, but encouraged, to make additional nominations—in case of the ballot by mail, to write in other names—if there are other persons whom he prefers for the various offices.

It should be noted that the ballot card is to be returned by July 25. It will be assumed that the proposed officers have the approval of any member who does not return his ballot.

The nominees for the coming year, 1947-1948, are as follows: President, Dr. Don D. Tullis, '98, Athens, until recently of Daytona Beach, Fla.;

vice president, Frank H. Palmer, '12, Columbus; secretary, Clark E. Williams, '21, Athens; and treasurer, William H. Fenzel, '18, Athens.

For the seven-man executive committee the following names were placed in nomination: Heber McFarland, '10, 2-yr., Cleveland; Mrs. Earl O. Wright (Alice Edwards, '27), Akron; H. Dana Chase, '25, Chicago, Ill.; Mrs. Earl Mast (Hazel Rigby, '12), East Liverpool; Neil D. Thomas, '22, Athens; Mrs. H. G. Stalder (Margaret Ullom, '02x), Athens; and Robert H. Marriott, '29, Canton.

Under the present constitution members of the executive committee are elected for one-year terms only. An amendment to provide for some terms of greater length will likely be proposed during the coming year.

The Rev. Dr. Tullis, for several recent years pastor of the Tourist Church, Daytona Beach, Florida, and a former vice president of the Alumni Association, retired from active church work this spring to devote his time to writing. A recently completed book of his authorship is now in the hands of a publisher. His syndicated weekly article, "Everyday Religion," has been published in newspapers for the past eighteen years and may be found in the *Cleveland Plain Dealer*.

Dr. Tullis has served in a number of important pastorates and executive positions. He directed religious work in army camps in 16 states during World War I, and following the war was associated with the Near East Relief.

In 1924 he went to Buffalo, N. Y., as executive secretary of the Buffalo Federation of Churches. Five years later he accepted a similar position with the Federated Churches of Greater Cleveland. He resigned the Cleveland post in 1937 to become minister of the community church in Daytona Beach. Members of the Class of 1938 will remember Dr. Tullis as the baccalaureate speaker in June of that year.

Dr. and Mrs. Tullis have purchased a home near Athens so situated as to command one of the most strikingly beautiful views in the local area. They are the parents of two

sons: one, a research physician at the Harvard Medical School; the other, secretary of an insurance company in Florida. Mrs. Tullis is a musician, choir director and organist, and is a graduate of the Metropolitan School of Music.

Graduating from Ohio University in 1912, Mr. Palmer taught in high schools in Canton, Ill., and Reno,



Frank H. Palmer

Nev. In 1924 he went to San Francisco where he became associated with the credit insurance department of the National Surety Company.

Remaining on the West Coast until 1931 he held positions with R. G. Hamilton & Co., stock brokers; the San Jose Pacific Building & Loan Co.; and the Assured Estate Corporation.

Since 1935 he has been an officer of the Standard Savings & Loan Company in Columbus.

He is a former officer of the Franklin County alumni chapter and is currently serving as chairman of District 10 of the Ohio University Fund organization. He and Mrs. Palmer are residents of Columbus' suburban Berwick.

Mr. Williams, who, on June 9, completed 25 years of service as Alumni Secretary, has again been nominated for the executive post in the alumni organization.

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# Cutler Hall Ceremonies in Fall

PLANS ARE RAPIDLY shaping up for the elaborate ceremonies that will attend the rededication, October 18-19, of the newly-restored Cutler Hall, oldest college building in the Northwest Territory. Tribute will also be paid at this time to the memory of the Rev. Dr. Manasseh Cutler — Yale graduate, minister, lawyer, scientist, soldier, statesman—who is recognized, with Gen. Rufus Putnam, as a co-founder of Ohio University.

The two-day program, falling on Saturday and Sunday, will have features calculated to attract attention even beyond the borders of the state. Descendants of the university founder will be special guests on this occasion.

Reluctant to disclose any details of the program until the complete roster of events is ready for announcement, Vincent J. Jukes, '30, appointed by President Baker to head the committee in charge of the rededication ceremonies, has stated that complete details will be available for publication in the first fall issue of *The Ohio Alumnus* which will appear about September 15. Meanwhile, Ohio University alumni and friends are urged to red circle these dates on their calendars and to make plans to come to Athens at that time.

Manasseh Cutler was one of the foremost scholars of his day and was acquainted with the presidents and faculties of Harvard, Yale, New Jersey College (Princeton), and what is now the University of Pennsylvania. He was known for his studies both in America and abroad.

In 1871, he helped found the American Academy of Arts and Sciences, and in later years he was honored with membership in many learned societies. Yale University conferred upon him the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws in 1789.

Having lobbied through Congress a measure to provide for the sale of land to the Ohio Company of Associates and signed, with Winthrop Sargent, a contract on behalf of the Ohio Company with the Honorable Board of Treasury of the United States of America for the transfer of the specified tract, Dr. Cutler gave thought to a body of organic law for

the government of those lands and for the promotion of educational opportunities in them.

He knew, personally, George Washington, Thomas Jefferson Benjamin Franklin, Alexander Hamilton, and most of the other great figures of his day. Next to Jefferson, Cutler probably exerted a greater influence on the shaping up of the Ordinance of 1787—governing ordinance of the Northwest Territory—than any other man. He is credited with having drafted Article III of the famous

of the American Western University." Little was done under this act because Ohio so soon after became a state. On February 18, 1804, the General Assembly passed a law generally considered the charter of Ohio University. In this act, the name was changed from "American Western University" to "Ohio University."

Abandoned for classroom purposes in 1936 and only partially occupied by administrative offices since that time, Cutler Hall will soon have been rehabilitated and restored to its original lines at a cost of approximately \$150,000. It will thereafter stand not only as a memorial to the spirit of one of the pioneers who founded Ohio University, but also as a structure which will rank in beauty and dignity of appearance with the older university buildings of the East and South.

The erection of this early-day "shrine of higher learning" was begun in 1816 and completed in 1818. It was constructed of stone quarried near the scene, handmade brick, wrought-iron nails, and hewn timbers.

In 1882, the building went through a remodeling in which several changes of an architectural nature were made; among them the raising of the roof line some three feet. In the restoration the roof has been lowered to its first position, thus improving the proportions of the building.

In the process of strengthening the tower atop the old building this spring, workmen came upon a beam on one end of which were carved the words pictured in the accompanying cut. Placed there by a student of the time, the inscription is but one of the many interesting moments in the tower of days long gone.

James A. Garfield, Ohio-born 20th president of the United States, died Sept. 19, 1881, as the result of a gunshot wound inflicted by Charles J. Guiteau, July 2, in a Washington railroad station.

When reoccupied, Cutler Hall will house, among others, the offices of the president and assistant to the president, director of admissions, at least three of the deans, and a number of other administrative staffmen.



Inscription on Beam in Cutler Hall Bell Tower

document which opens with the sentence: "Religion, morality, and knowledge, being necessary to good government and the happiness of mankind, schools and the means of education shall forever be encouraged." He was also responsible for the provisions in the Ordinance which prohibited slavery in the new territory and called for fair treatment of the Indians.

Others, besides Jefferson and Cutler who were instrumental in writing some of the clauses of the "immortal document" were Richard Henry Lee of Virginia, Nathan Dane of Massachusetts, and Rufus King of Maryland.

After Rufus Putnam had surveyed and opened up the "Ohio country," locating the two townships to be set aside "for the purposes of an university," he called upon Dr. Cutler to provide a charter suitable for a college. Cutler's suggestions were in due time incorporated in an act passed January 9, 1802, by the General Assembly of the Northwest Territory authorizing "the establishment

# On and About the Campus

**A**N ENROLLMENT of 2,022 has been recorded for the 1947 Summer School which opened on June 16. The ratio of men to women is more than three to one, the 477 women making up only 24 per cent of the student body. Of the 1,545 men enrolled, 1,321 are World War II veterans. Dr. Rush Elliott, '25, professor of anatomy, is director of the summer school. There were 1,709 students enrolled in the 1946 summer session.

**F**IVE HUNDRED twenty-six students were recognized for scholastic achievement on Honors Day, May 14. They composed the upper ten per cent of the undergraduate classes and of the graduate group. Of the total, 68 were in the top one per cent of their respective classes. Speaking briefly at the Honors Day Convocation, President Baker said that one of the aims of his administration is "the improvement of scholarship" and that he hoped for better scholarship "for the whole student body, and not just a few outstanding individuals." Some thirty special prizes and awards were presented on this occasion. The traditional Mortar Board "calls" was another feature of the program.

**D**R. GEORGE W. STARCHER, '26, acting dean of the University College at Ohio University, attended and spoke at a conference on human relations and administration held at Harvard University last month. Sponsored by the Harvard Graduate School of Business Administration, the meeting had as its theme "The Political Problems of an Industrial Civilization." Dr. Starcher spent last year at Harvard working in the field of human relations . . . E. H. Gaylord, chairman of the department of civil engineering, was a speaker this month in Minneapolis at the annual convention of the Civil Engineering Division of the American Society for Engineering Education. His subject was "Reorganization of Structural Engineering

Courses." Dean Edwin J. Taylor and Prof. Neil D. Thomas, '22, also attended the Minneapolis meeting.

**H**IGHLIGHTS of Senior Day, May 28, were the class breakfast, presentation of the senior memorial, awarding of five special scholarships, Torch "taps," an address by President Baker "to seniors only," the



Winners of Special Scholarship Awards  
(See story on page 4)

annual tea for senior women given by the American Association of University Women, and the Men's Faculty Club smoker for senior men. Five seniors (see picture on this page and story on page 4) selected by the Committee for the Encouragement of Scholarship were given scholarships, to be financed by the Ohio University Fund, in the form of observation trips or research training in their chosen fields.

**A**RTHUR W. SHERMAN, JR., '40, acting instructor in psychology and vocational appraiser, was given a grant of \$225 from the Ohio University Fund to be used for research in the study of mental hygiene in children and adolescents. The money was a part of an "earmarked" contribution of the George Davis Bivin Foundation. Sherman was awarded the grant for his study of "Personality Factors in the Psychological Weaning of College Students," a continuation of his previous study of the "Emancipation Status of College Students." He earned his master's degree at Indiana University.

**A**TOTAL OF 195 STUDENTS enrolled in aviation courses at the Ohio University Airport received licenses at the conclusion of the spring semester early this month. Of this number, 160 received private pilot's licenses, while the remainder were issued to persons completing secondary courses. Licenses for cross-country and night flying were received by Dr. E. T. Hellebrandt, associate professor and chairman of the department of economics, and Robert C. Ellis, '41, instructor in agriculture. Within a week after receipt of his credentials Dr. Hellebrandt flew the head of his college, Dean A. H. Armbruster of the College of Commerce, to Detroit and Chicago to interview prospective faculty members for this fall.

**A**T LEAST ONE Ohio University journalism course pays off for students even before they leave the campus—in cold cash. The course is "Feature and Magazine Writing," taught by Donald W. Krimel, instructor in the School of Journalism. During the spring semester the class of 13 members sold 26 feature articles, three of them to newspaper feature sections and the others to magazines. All articles written for the class must be submitted for publication.

**T**HREE OHIO University students were accepted for summer work at the Berkshire Music Center, Lenox, Mass. They were chosen to study for six weeks at the Center, founded in 1940 by the Boston Symphony Orchestra and located on the extensive grounds of Tanglewood, an estate upon which Nathaniel Hawthorne once lived for a year. It was there that Hawthorne imagined his "Tanglewood Tales" and wrote "The House of Seven Gables." The three students accepted for the school all World War II veterans—were: David Flanagan, '46, Mingo Junction, a graduate student; William Gromko, New Haven, Conn., a sophomore; and Frank Bellino, West New York, N. J., a junior.

# Veteran Faculty Members Retire

THOMAS Nathanael Hoover, '05, M.Ped. '06, professor of history, university historian, and senior member of the faculty, and Dr. A. B. Sias, professor of education and director of teacher training, retired from the service of Ohio University at the close of the school year early this month.

Prof. Hoover, dean of the teaching staff, announced upon retirement that



Prof. T. N. Hoover

he expected to spend the rest of his life "doing exactly as I please." But the fact that he has ended 40 years with the history department does not mean that he will retire to a life of idleness. Right now, for example, he and Mrs. Hoover (Ethel Arnold, '13x) are in Dillon, Mont., where the former is teaching in the Summer School at Montana State Teachers College.

Dr. Sias, who, with Mrs. Sias, has gone to a home near Orlando, Fla., which he has long maintained for summer occupancy, plans to spend his time looking after his six acres of orange and grapefruit trees and "perhaps doing part-time teaching in the Orlando public schools."

Both Prof. Hoover and Dr. Sias were honored with dinners by their colleagues. The staff of the history department presented the former with a pen and pencil set, while the faculty of the College of Education presented the latter with a scroll

bearing the signatures of all the members. The county school superintendents of southeastern Ohio and the Athens County Teachers Association also entertained in honor of Dr. Sias.

## A Jackson County Native

The Ohio University historian was born in Jackson, Ohio, Dec. 9, 1876. He graduated from Jackson High School in 1896, taught in rural and village schools in Jackson and Pike counties for four years, and then entered Ohio University. During a one-year interval, 1903-04, he taught in the high school at Mansfield. Returning to the campus, he completed work for the Bachelor of Pedagogy degree in 1905, and in 1906 he was awarded a Master of Pedagogy degree. During the latter year he was an assistant to Dr. B. O. Higley, '92, in the department of history. The next two years, 1906-1908, were spent at Harvard University, where he was a student of Professors Albert Bushnell Hart and Edward Channing. He received the degree of Master of Arts from Harvard in 1907, and continued another year, working on a doctorate.

Well known for his tenor voice, Prof. Hoover was a member of the glee club and male quartet at Ohio University, and, in the East, was a member of the Harvard Glee Club and the choir of St. Paul's Church, Boston. He was also for many years director of the choir of the Athens Presbyterian Church.

Prof. Hoover was a contributor to the "Cyclopedia of American Government," and assisted in the preparation of Lowell's "Government of England," and Hamilton's "Itinerarium." Since 1927, he has been a regular contributor to the "American Year Book." He has written "Biographical Sketches in Ohio History," and has just completed a "History of Ohio University," which will be published soon.

He is a member of the American Historical Association; was a member of the advisory committee to the Ohio Commission for the Northwest Territory Celebration in 1938; and was chairman of the McGuffey Centennial Celebration at Ohio University in 1939.

In 1910, Prof. Hoover married Miss Ethel Arnold, '13x, of Youngstown. He is the father of two Ohio

University graduates, Thomas N., Jr., '33, Pasadena, Calif., and Mrs. Benjamin Franklin, IV, (Virginia Hoover, '36, A.M. '40), Springfield.

## Began in One-Room School

Dr. Sias first taught in a one-room school in Gates, N. Y. He earned a bachelor's and a master's degree at the University of Rochester. After teaching English in Rochester's East



Dr. A. B. Sias

High School he became head of the English department and vice principal of West High School there.

At Stanford University, where he earned his Ph.D. degree, he held the Cubberley Fellowship in School Administration.

He came to Ohio University in 1926 as professor of education, and was made director of teacher training in 1931. During summer sessions in 1926 and 1928 he taught at Ohio State University, and in 1940 at the University of Florida.

Dr. Sias has served on important committees of the National Education Association and of the Ohio Education Association. At Ohio University his service included membership on the following committees: Faculty Advisory, Honors Day, Personnel and Guidance, and the new Committee for Encouraging Scholarship, of which he was the first chairman. He is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Kappa Delta Pi, national honor societies.

# West Coast Meetings Close Alumni Season

SINCE THE LAST ISSUE of *The Ohio Alumnus* several very successful alumni meetings have been held and two more, with every likelihood of their being highly successful affairs, are being planned for the near future. Those that are now past history were held in Dayton on May 20 and 23, in Detroit on May 24, and in Youngstown on May 26. The future events are being planned in two West Coast cities, San Francisco and Los Angeles.

### Dayton Women

The May meeting of the Ohio University Women's Club of Dayton was held at the home of Mrs. C. E. Weimer, Jr. (Helen Robertson, '41) on May 20.

The club was organized last January with a membership of approximately 30 members and has held monthly meetings since that time. While the get-togethers are chiefly of a social nature, time is always devoted to a report on Ohio University affairs and interests.

At the home of Mrs. Weimer the alumnae enjoyed an evening of Culbertson rummy.

The personnel of the original officer group was made up of Mrs. Lee Eiler (Frieda Morel, '21), president; Mrs. Charles F. Irwin (Marjorie Emerick, '39), secretary; and Mrs. Louis Chamberlin (Helen Gerke, '35), treasurer.

Recently elected to succeed the above were Mrs. Weimer, president; Mrs. Edward J. Kalat (Rachel Reinicke, '43x), vice president; and Irene Schultze, '31, secretary.

### Dayton Chapter

Daytonians of the general chapter organization—some 60 of them—held a meeting, May 24, in a private dining room of the Seville Restaurant, with an Ohio University threesome—Professor A. C. Gubitz, Associate Fund Director George A. Banks, and Alumni Secretary Clark Williams—as their guests and speakers. The alumni official served as toastmaster.

A committee headed by Dean E. Baesel, '42, and including Jane Finsterwald, '45, Homer O. Hacker, '39, Ritter Collett, '42, Martha Cole, '30, Jim Lee Hart, '43, and Mrs. Hart (Betty Jean Blackman, '43), William

*The appearance in Dayton of Sammy Kaye, '32, and his "Swing and Sway" orchestra on the stage of a Dayton theater, May 8-14, was an occasion for several Ohioans to get better acquainted with the popular "maestro."*

As evidenced by the accompanying picture, Sammy gave one group a cordial greeting following one of his stage shows. Left to right, the individuals in the front row are: Mrs. Virginia Cole (sister-in-law of Martha Cole and the only non-Ohioan), Mrs. Kathleen Orr Miller, Miss Cole, Sammy Kaye, Mrs. Betty Blackman Hart, and Virginia Gaver, '43.

Back row: DeForest Murch, Dean Baesel, Jim Lee Hart, William Gray, Fred Hussey, and Ritter Collett. The picture was taken by Homer Hacker, a photographer on the staff of the "Dayton Daily News."



Band Leader Sammy Kaye (center) and Ohio U. Friends

Gray II, '41, DeForest Murch, '42, Irma Zuroweste, '46, and Mrs. Carl T. Miller (Kathleen Orr, '45), planned the party, which was the first that had been held in Dayton since before the war.

Plans for a summer picnic in conjunction with the newly-organized women's club were discussed and a committee appointed to act in the matter.

In the election of officers with which the meeting was concluded the following were chosen to head the organization for the coming year: Dean E. Baesel, president; J. D. Murch, vice president; Lois Hook, '41, secretary; Frederic M. Hussey, '39, treasurer; and Homer Hacker, publicity director.

### Detroit Chapter

Traveling on to Detroit, following the Dayton meeting, the three campus men were joined by Head Football Coach Harold E. Wise, '28, who was in the city for athletic events and meetings of the Mid-American Conference, and the four were welcomed at a dinner meeting by a group of Detroiters approximately the size of the Dayton turnout.

Through the courtesy and connections of Harold B. Tyree, '16, the dinner was held at the Engineers Club in Detroit's beautiful new Rackham Building.

Mr. Tyree, assistant to the president of the Detroit Edison Company, presided over the after-dinner program which afforded opportunities to many persons for reminiscing in addition to the reports brought from the campus by the visitors from Athens.

President John R. Horn, '22, and Secretary Warren Mason, '28, were ably assisted in preparations for the dinner by their wives, Guy Fiber, '23, Mr. Tyree, Dr. Leroy Skidmore, '24x, and other members of the group.

For the coming year Mr. Horn was re-elected president, with Mrs. Charles G. Kinnison (Betty Gullum, '36), Birmingham, Mich., named vice president, and Ralph Bidwell, '41, secretary-treasurer.

### Mahoning Valley Bobcats

Meeting May 24 on call of Gaylord Hoffmaster, '33, a group of Youngstown men organized a Bobcat Club. Because it is the intention to invite Ohioans from neighboring Trumbull County to become members of the new organization, it was given—Continued on page 12)

# The Bobcat Sports Review

By RALPH STONE SMITH

OHIO UNIVERSITY'S baseballers, with five wins and only one loss, were acclaimed winners of the Mid-American Conference in its first season of diamond competition.

Wayne University of Detroit posted three victories and two defeats to take second place, while Butler University of Indianapolis finished third.

Western Reserve of Cleveland took fourth place, and the University of Cincinnati ended up in the cellar.

Coach Don C. Peden's Bobcats trounced all four loop opponents once and won a couple from Western Reserve. Their only defeat was at the hands of Butler, which oddly enough, was the Indianapolis nine's only triumph.

Leading hurler in the circuit was Ohio U.'s big righthander, Mark Wylie of Gibsonville, who racked up three victories in three starts. He was credited with a 9-7 win over Western Reserve, a 12-4 defeat of Butler, and an 11-1 shellacking of Wayne.

Wylie was a big factor in the good showing of the Bobcats all spring, accounting for seven wins in 10 tries as the Green and White won 17 out of 24 games. He pitched 91 1/3 innings and gave up 72 hits. He fanned 76 batsmen and walked 32.

John Jurkovic of Canton notched four wins against one loss for the season. He twirled 47 2/3 frames, allowing 31 hits. The southpaw struck out 48 batters. Jurkovic shut out Akron Goodyear 1-0. He gave 15 free tickets.

Don Poling of Lancaster, who came along fast, was credited with five wins in seven starts. A righthander, he toiled 56 innings and gave up only 38 safe blows. Poling blanked Marietta 8-0. He whiffed 46 and gave 21 bases on balls.

The other two pitchers on the squad saw little service. Kenneth Willson of Cleveland Heights got credit for a victory, working in 10 innings. Jerry Kaufmann of Cleveland lost his only try.

Much of the batting punch was supplied by King Brady of Yakima, Wash., fleet centerfielder and ace backfield man on the football team. He hit for .436 in 23 games. He was at bat 78 times, hit safely 34 times

and scored 24 runs. He also was a demon on the bases, stealing 23 sacks.

Third baseman Mel Clark of New Haven, W. Va., took second among the regulars with a swatting average of .313, including a homer, seven triples, and eight doubles in his 31-hit assortment.

Leftfielder Ralph Sayre of New Haven, W. Va., and Larry Flor of Powhatan Point, rightfielder, were the only two other Bobcat regulars to hit .300 or more. Sayre's average was .303 and he stole 12 bases. Flor hit for .302.

Bill Brooks of Carbondale, first baseman, led in the runs batted in with 22. His average with the stick was .289. Clark batted in 19 runs.

Batting marks of the other regulars were: Second baseman Charley Horn of Crooksville, .288; shortstop Mike Pizzoferrato, Cleveland, .265; and catcher Gene Ruskowski, Cleveland, .245.

Poling proved to be a very good hitter for a pitcher with a mark of .318.

In the fielding department Brooks topped the first stringers with a .966. Clark fielded for a .963 average and Ruskowski .957. Brady's mark was .939 and Horn's .931. Pizzoferrato came up with a .910, Sayre .897 and Flor .882.

The Green and White registered 14 double plays, with only one combination clicking twice.

Results of late season games: Ohio 9, Dayton 6; Ohio 10, Cincinnati 1; Miami 5, Ohio 2; Ohio 3, Xavier 2; Ohio 8, Marietta 0; and Ohio 11, Wayne 1.

## Golfers Have Fair Season

Ohio University's golf team placed third in the Mid-American Conference tournament at Detroit on May 23 to climax a season marked by the winning of four matches and the loss of five.

Wayne won the tourney with a score of 608, Butler took second with 621, Ohio was third with 638, and Western Reserve posted a 677. Cincinnati did not compete.

Hubert Selz of Cincinnati fired a 151 for low medal score for the Green and White linksmen, but it was three strokes higher than posted by Wayne and Butler golfers.



Pitcher Don Poling

Other Bobcat scores for the 36-holes were Lee O'Brien, Marietta, 160; Ray Lohr, Logan, 163; and Dick Flockenzier, Mansfield, 164.

Selz, who was out in 38 and in in 39, posted a 77 as Ohio tied with Kenyon for second place in a triangular meet at Athens on May 17 which Xavier won. The score: Xavier 9, Ohio 6, and Kenyon 6.

Flockenzier carded a 77 as the Ohio U. golfers beat Marietta there, 9 1/2-5 1/2, on May 13. The Miami Redskins invaded Athens May 16 and scalped the Bobcats 17 1/2-3 1/2, but Ohio had previously beaten them, 10 1/2-9 1/2.

Scores of early season matches: Ohio U. 8 1/2, Kent State 7 1/2; Akron Goodyear 7, Ohio 5; Akron Goodyear 7 1/2, Ohio 4 1/2; Wayne 17 1/2, Ohio 9 1/2; and Ohio 8, Marietta 4.

Other members of the eight-man squad were Glenn Beers, Northfield; Ed Kocinski, Cleveland; George Schneider, Steubenville; and Bill Stiffler, Vandergrift, Pa.

## Freshman Sets Meet Record

Bill Hillyard, a freshman from Cleveland, tied for first in the pole vault and set a new All-Ohio Invitational Meet record at Delaware on June 7 as Ohio University's track team wound up its season by taking fifth place among the 13 colleges



**BOBCAT SPORTS RECORD**  
For 1946-1947

**FOOTBALL:** Won 6, Lost 3  
**BASEBALL:** Won 17, Lost 7  
(1st in M-A conference)  
**BASKETBALL:** Won 13, Lost 10  
(2nd in M-A loop)  
**TRACK:** Won 3, Lost 2  
(3rd in M-A; 5th in All-Ohio)  
**GOLF:** Won 4, Lost 5  
(3rd in M-A meet)  
**SWIMMING:** Won 3, Lost 3  
**WRESTLING:** Won 3, Lost 5

entered. Clearing the bar at 12 feet seven and a half inches, Hillyard tied with Jim Whitaker of Bowling Green.

Ohio U., in pulling up fifth, tallied 15½ points. Baldwin-Wallace, the winner, was way out in front with 68½.

The Bobcat cindermen took third with 31 points in the Mid-American Conference meet at Detroit on May 24. Wayne was an easy winner with 113, while Butler finished second with 46. Western Reserve garnered only 17 points for fourth position. Cincinnati did not compete.

On May 29 the Green and White eked out a 65-62 win over Ohio Wesleyan at Delaware. The meet was decided in the final event with the Bobcats taking the mile relay by a scant two yards. Ray Johnston of Canton, anchor man, came from behind to win.

The Ohio Wesleyan encounter was the third dual meet won by Coach Roy E. Pille's thinclads. Two dual meets were lost this spring.

Hillyard, dashman Harry Cox of Danville, Ill., and Ed Mazzocco of Cleveland, a distance runner, were the most consistent point getters during the 1947 campaign.

In the fray with the Bishops, Cox was the only winner of two events, taking the 100 and 220-yard dashes. Other first place winners were Bill Trautwein of Athens, shot put; Fred Schleicher of Cleveland, discus; Bill (Pop) Kuhner of Jackson, broad jump; and Hillyard, who tied for first in the pole vault.

Running on the Bobcats' winning mile relay team against Ohio Wesleyan were Dick Mills of Lakewood, Kenneth Coe of Steubenville, Dallas Ensmann of Austinburg, and Ray Johnston.

Two firsts were registered in the loop meet, with Mazzocco taking the two-mile run in 10:10.5 and Hillyard

copping the pole vault with the bar set at 12 feet six inches.

Ohio U. ran third in the mile relay. Cox took fourth in the 100 and 220 yard dashes. Schleicher was second in the discus. Jay Pinson of Wheelersburg was fifth in the broad jump. Gordon Cox of Cleveland came in fifth in the two-mile run.

**Varsity Letters Awarded to 29**

Ohio University's Athletic Board has awarded 14 varsity letters in baseball and 15 in track.

Pitchers awarded letters were Mark Wylie, Gibsonville; Don Poling, Lancaster; and John Jurkovic, Canton.

Infielders: Catcher Gene Ruszkowski, Cleveland; first baseman Bill Brooks, Carbondale; second baseman

**MID-AMERICAN CONFERENCE**  
1947

Final Baseball Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Ohio University	5	1	.833
Wayne	3	2	.600
Butler	1	1	.500
Western Reserve	2	4	.333
Cincinnati	1	4	.200

Charley Horn, Crooksville; shortstop Mike Pizzoferrato, Cleveland; third baseman Mel Clark, New Haven, W. Va.; and Mike Olan, Athens utility.

Outfielders: Leftfielder Ralph Sayre, New Haven, W. Va.; centerfielder King Brady, Yakima, Wash.; rightfielder Larry Flor, Powhatan Point; and utility fielders John Madden, Triltonsville, and Herb Pollock, Columbus.

Track monograms were awarded Bill Kuhner, Jackson; Fred Schleicher, Bill Hillyard, Gordon Cox, Ed Mazzocco and Ed Jirik, all of Cleveland; Harry Cox, Danville, Ill.; Bill Trautwein, Athens.

Fred Burnham, Stongsville; Kenneth Coe, Steubenville, Ray Johnston, Canton; Richard Mills, Lakewood; Jay Pinson, Wheelersburg; Lawrence Lieving,

New Haven, W. Va., and Dallas Ensmann, Austinburg.

Schleicher, recent Ohio graduate assistant in physical training at Ohio U., had previously won two letters each in track, football, and wrestling.

**Intramural Sports Popular**

Intercollegiate athletics at Ohio University hold the sports spotlight, but intramural activities are fast gaining interest.

The proof, said Intramural Director Jack Rhoads, lies in the fact that nearly 60 per cent of the 3438 men enrolled on the main campus in Athens took part in the fall and winter intramural program.

"This is twice as many men as entered the intramural program during the 1939-40 academic year, the previous high. Furthermore, every team was present for practice sessions, all voluntary," Rhoads stated proudly.

He largely attributed the enthusiastic participation to a "follow through" of the well-rounded athletic program which the men, mostly World War II veterans, took part in while in the service.

A total of 75 basketball teams entered competition the first half of the season, while 71 quintets turned out the second half. Twenty-eight touch-pass football elevens were fielded.

Rhoads was assisted in handling the big turnout by Joseph Hoy, physical welfare instructor. Edwin McPherson of Athens was senior student manager.



Track Coach Roy Pille and Protoges Kuhner and Cox

### *Service in Alumni Office Recognized by Association*

As one means of expressing appreciation to Miss Geraldine C. Hope, '22, 2-yr., for her twenty-five years of loyal and efficient service as a secretary in the Alumni Office at Ohio University, the officers and members of the executive committee of the Ohio University Alumni As-



Geraldine C. Hope

sociation voted at their June meeting to present her with a \$100 United States Savings Bond.

This well-deserved recognition came as a result of a motion by Judge Lewis H. Miller, '13, Ripley, W. Va., which was seconded by Doris M. Sponseller, '29, Athens, and unanimously approved by all present. The bond was duly purchased and presented by Association Treasurer William H. Fenzel, '18.

Miss Hope is a native of Athens and a graduate of the former John Hancock (University) High School. At Ohio University she was a member of Sigma Sigma Sigma sorority. In 1922 she accepted a stenographic position in the office of Dr. Elmer Burritt Bryan, president of the university. At the end of six months, upon the establishment of an Alumni Office with a full-time alumni secretary, Miss Hope was transferred to the latter office to give assistance in the new and important activity.

Just how indispensable this amiable and hardworking assistant has become as a result of her accumulated knowledge of alumni affairs, records,

and individuals only the Alumni Secretary and those closely associated with alumni work can fully know. It was the expressed hope of the Association officers that Miss Hope would "still be with us when the U. S. Savings Bond has reached its full maturity value—and for many years thereafter."

A modest, behind-the-scenes worker, Miss Hope provided the picture reproduced above with genuine reluctance and only "upon orders."

Miss Hope has been active for many years in the Ohio Federation of Business and Professional Women's Clubs. She is a member and former president of the local club, and was for two years, 1936-1938, treasurer of the state organization. During the past year she was editor of *The Ohio Business Woman*, quarterly publication of the state federation.

### *West Coast Meetings*

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the more inclusive name of Mahoning Valley Bobcat Club.

Tentative plans call for a fall meeting late in September at the Ohio Hotel in Youngstown.

The club's temporary officers are David Howland, '21, president; C. V. Thompson, '20, vice president; Delbert L. Kehl, '32, secretary; and Dean O. Jones, '34, treasurer.

### **West Coast Meetings**

A dinner meeting of San Francisco and Bay Area alumni will be held at the Officers' Club at the U. S. Navy Base on Treasure Island on July 14. Special arrangements for this unique and swanky meeting place were effected by William H. Keplinger, '25, a former lieutenant commander stationed at the Base and chairman of the alumni dinner committee.

Special guests of the Californians on this occasion will be the Alumni Secretary and Mrs. Williams (Marie Jewett, '22). The secretary will be in San Francisco to attend and to participate in the program of the annual conference of the American Alumni Council which will be held at the Mark Hopkins Hotel, July 11-14.

Serving with Mr. Keplinger on the arrangements committee are Dr. Stanley Dougan, '14; Paul H. Henry, '32; James Claymore, '42; Arthur E. Cameron, '26; Jack E.

### *Carving By Campus Artist Presented As Class Gift*

In addition to a contribution to the Ohio University Fund, members of the June section of the Class of 1947 presented to their alma mater a piece of wood sculpture done by Artist-in-Residence John Rood.

Presentation of the gift was made



Rood, Leonard and Class Gift

on Senior Day, May 28, by the class president, Robert D. Leonard, Lakewood. In accepting the carving on behalf of the faculty and trustees, President Baker described it as a typical American gift.

The memorial piece, a bust done in white oak, depicts a typical college youth and was called by its creator "a peace memorial which I hope portrays the heroism in us all." It was posed for by John E. Thomas, a junior from Schenectady, N. Y.

Now standing in Alumni Memorial Auditorium, the bust will ultimately be placed in Cutler Hall.

Baker, '38; and Col. Melvin L. McCreary, '17.

From San Francisco Mr. and Mrs. Williams will go down the coast to Los Angeles where an alumni gathering is being planned in their honor. The exact date and place of the meeting has not yet been announced by Fred S. Pickering, '19, president of the Los Angeles chapter.

### Former Athens Postmaster Passes Away in Columbus

Charles H. Bryson, '11, in ill health for the past two years, died at his home in Columbus, May 30, 1947, at the age of 73. His first wife



Charles H. Bryson

was the former Lucy Weethee, '98, a onetime instructor in biology at Ohio University. He is survived by a second wife; a daughter, Mrs. Bernarda Bryson Shawn, '23x, New York City; and a brother, M. M. Bryson, '32, retired Glouster school superintendent. Another daughter, Mrs. Virgil Pope (Phyllis Bryson, '22x) preceded him in death.

A native of Trimble, Athens County, Mr. Bryson engaged for several years in newspaper work, as an editor and writer, before entering Ohio University. He received his A.B. degree in 1911 while postmaster of the City of Athens. For many years he was a participant in political activities in the city and county.

Mr. Bryson served a term as a member of the State Civil Service Commission. Returning to Athens, he became active in chamber of commerce work and was secretary of the Athens County Automobile Association at its most flourishing stage. In 1922 he served briefly as chairman of the Alumni Memorial Auditorium Campaign Committee.

For the last several years he has been a resident of Columbus where he was a successful lobbyist, retained

by many of the major utilities; by the brick and clay, and coal industries; and by railroads and bus lines. At the time of his death he was public relations counselor for the Ohio Good Roads Federation.

### Committee Presents Slate For the Coming Year

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Mr. Fenzel, association treasurer, likewise came to his present office in 1922 and is nominated to succeed himself. He is associate professor of accounting and economic geography at Ohio University.

Mr. McFarland, treasurer and director of the Martindale Electric Company in Cleveland, has been president of the Cleveland Bobcat Club during the past year.

Mrs. Wright, whose husband is a coach in an Akron High school, has been active in alumni affairs in the Rubber City and served this year as secretary of the Akron alumni chapter.

Dana Chase is head of Dana Chase Publications in Chicago. He will be remembered by many alumni as the organizer and director of "Chase's Collegians," a dance orchestra, in his campus days. He is the husband of the former Jeannette Adams, '24x, and father of Dana Chase, Jr., an Ohio University sophomore.

Mrs. Hazel Rigby Mast is a science teacher in East Liverpool High School. Her record of attendance of commencement and other alumni affairs at her alma mater is excelled by but few others.

Neil D. Thomas is associate professor of civil engineering at Ohio University and a member of the faculty committee on intercollegiate athletics. Mrs. Thomas was Wenona Rees, '25, before her marriage. Of the two Thomas children, one, Betty, is now enrolled in Ohio University, while the other, "Buddy," will come to the campus this fall.

Mrs. Margaret Ullom Stalder is an Athenian who has shown a long and continuing interest in university affairs. She is the widow of the late Harry G. Stalder, '93; mother of Mary Stalder, '29, A.M., '32; and sister of Dr. J. T. Ullom, '98, Philadelphia, former president of the Alumni Association.

Robert H. Marriott, president of the Canton alumni chapter, is associated with the advertising department of The Climalene Co.

### Professor Emeritus Honored By Former Staff and Grads

Ohio University faculty members and graduates who attended the annual meeting of the Midwestern



Dr. J. P. Porter

Psychological Association in Chicago early last month held a breakfast at the Edgewater Beach Hotel, May 3, in honor of Dr. James Pertwee Porter, professor emeritus and former head of the department of psychology at

Ohio University. The party was informal and following it both Dr. and Mrs. Porter talked briefly of their experiences since leaving Athens.

Faculty members who enjoyed the reunion with their old chief were Dr. H. C. Lehman, Dr. J. R. Patrick, Dr. A. C. Anderson, Dr. Gaige B. Paulsen, Dr. T. C. Scott, James H. L. Roach, '37, M.A., '41, and Arthur W. Sherman, Jr., '40. Dr. D. A. Worcester, a former Ohio University faculty man, now of the University of Nebraska, also attended the complimentary breakfast.

Alumni present were W. Rex Snavelly, '24, with Mrs. Snavelly, Dr. Phillip Shurrager, '32, John O. Maiden, '41, and Dr. Ward C. Halstead, '31, all of Chicago; Dr. Charles C. Gibbons, '37, M.A., '38, Kalamazoo, Mich.; Chester E. Evans, '38, Detroit, Mich.; Edward E. Curtis, '38, Cleveland; Orman McDonald, A.M., '47, Athens; Marjorie Walrath, '46, Columbus; and Louis R. Shaw, '30, with Mrs. Shaw.

### McVay To Head Trustees

C. Don McVay, '15, Leroy, insurance company executive and former president of the Ohio University Alumni Association, was elected chairman of the Ohio University Board of Trustees at the board meeting on June 7.

A Ross Alkire, Sr., '11, 2 vr., Mt. Sterling banker and lumber dealer, was named vice chairman of the board. A successor to Israel M. Foster, '95, whose term expired in May, has not yet been announced by Governor Herbert.

# Here and There Among the Alumni

1850

DEWITT CLINTON LOUDEN, named probably for the Hon. DeWitt Clinton of New York who, in 1825, received the first honorary degree (LL.D.) ever conferred by Ohio University, was born in Georgetown, Ohio, the son of General James Louden and a mother who was a woman of much culture. The son served in the Mexican War, and in the Civil War commanded a regiment under General W. T. "War Is Hell" Sherman. DeWitt Louden distinguished himself as a classical scholar; a lawyer, practicing in



Belford B. Nelson  
(See Class of 1929 Notes)

state and Federal courts; and as a district judge. A brother, HENRY C. LOUDEN, was a student in Ohio University at the outbreak of the Civil War and left the campus with a company of "hundred days' men." DeWitt Clinton was an early American statesman who served in the United States Senate, was a three-time mayor of New York City, an unsuccessful candidate for the presidency of the United States in 1812, three times governor of the State of New York, and the "father" of the Erie Canal. The Ohio University degree was conferred upon him just three years before his death in 1828.

1898

The interesting story on page 2 of how Ohio University got its colors, Green and White, was told by CHARLES G. O'BLENESS, president of the Security Savings Bank in Athens and treasurer of the Athens Home Telephone Co. He was the manager-fullback of Ohio University's first football team and directed the solicitation of funds for purchasing the first gridiron equipment and hiring the first coach. A brother, RALPH O'BLENESS, was a halfback on the 1897 gridiron team. In the fall of 1898, in preparation for a game with the University of West

Virginia. Ralph was fatally injured when tackled by another member of the Ohio squad. He died 16 days after the accident.

1908

Among the 40 persons who lost their lives early this month in the crash of an Army transport near Tokyo, Japan, was Cpl. George R. Taylor, son of REV. ARTHUR H. TAYLOR, ex, Swanwick, Ill. He had enlisted in the Army following graduation from high school just a year ago. Corporal Taylor was a nephew of EUNICE L. TAYLOR, '15, and ESTHER M. TAYLOR, '30, West Ashville, N. C.

1909

HARRY Z. FOSTER and Mrs. Foster (GRACE ROWLES, '07, 2-yr.), Athens, have announced the marriage of their daughter, Grace Ellen, to George D. Hunter, New Marshfield, on May 10. The new Mrs. Hunter attended Wheaton College in Norton, Mass., and was graduated from Colorado College at Colorado Springs. Her husband, a 12th Air Force veteran and brother of LAWRENCE W. HUNTER, '40x, an Ohio University Gold Star man, is a member of the managerial staff of Logan's Book Store "at the gateway of the campus."

1914

Russell Janney, Broadway theatrical producer, librettist and author of the best seller, "The Miracle of The Bells," was met at the Columbus Airport by HERMAN H. DUBOIS, when the former arrived for a recent visit with his mother at Londonderry. Mr. DuBois is a cousin of the New Yorker. Mr. Janney produced the first showing of "The Vagabond King" and of the late Otis Skinner's "Sancho Panza."

1916

Robert F. Gatch, husband of the former ALTA COE, 2-yr., died June 9 in University Hospital, Columbus, after a period of failing health. Mr. Gatch was a mechanical engineer for Curtis-Wright before having to give up his duties.

1917

ELIZABETH MUSGRAVE, for years vice-principal of Berkeley Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., is now retired and living in Wilton, Conn. Miss Musgrave received a diploma in stenography at Ohio University in 1904 and the degree of Bachelor of Science in Education in 1917.

1918

The host of friends of "Mother" Anna White, who was for many years matron of White Cottage on Pearl Street and later a member of the Edwin Watts Chubb Library staff, will learn with regret of

Mrs. White's illness of many past months and of the fact that there are no present signs of an early recovery. Mrs. White is the mother of Mrs. E. T. Hellebrandt (MELBA WHITE). The son-in-law, Dr. Hellebrandt, is associate professor of economics at Ohio University.

1919

IVAN W. DAVIS, ex, principal of Upper Arlington High School (Columbus), has been appointed assistant commissioner of the Ohio High School Athletic Association, to serve under Commissioner H.



J. W. La France  
(See Class of 1935 Notes)

W. Enswiler. First duties of the new assistant will be to study the newly adopted pupil-athletic insurance plan for Ohio.

1920

A former army colonel, JACK M. EMDE is being "boomed" by his comrades of Akron's Joseph Wein Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars, of which he is commander, for the office of vice commander of the Department of Ohio of the FFW. Colonel Emde is a veteran of both World Wars, serving with the 37th Division in the Pacific during the most recent of the world conflicts. In the first war he received decorations from England, France, and Belgium. He is principal of the Fraunfelter School in Akron.

1921

The mother of DR. CLAUDE F. LOVE, Williamsburg physician, died at the latter's home, June 14, following an illness of several months.

1922

Janet Browning, daughter of the REV. DR. DALLAS L. BROWNING and Mrs. Browning (ELLA WEST, '25x), was recently married to Mr. George Burlingham of Perry, N. Y. On June 6 the newlyweds sailed for Europe where they

will spend a four months' honeymoon in Norway, Sweden, Denmark, Belgium, and England. The bride was an assistant instructor in chemistry at the University of Kansas at the time of her marriage. Dr. Browning is minister of the North Methodist Church in Indianapolis, Ind.

1923

RALPH F. "SID" BECKERT, professor of accounting at Ohio University, is teaching this summer at the University



Mrs. Franklyn R. Payer  
(See Class of 1937 Notes)

of Florida, Gainesville, during the two six-week terms, from June 11 to September 6.

1924

In recognition of 16 years of work in scouting, one year as scoutmaster at Crooksville and 15 years as a scoutmaster in Quaker City, Supt. ALFRED L. HUGHES of the Quaker City public schools, was this spring given a Silver Beaver Citation at a Recognition Night program in Wheeling, W. Va. The citation carried the official approval of the National Council of Boy Scouts of America. Sixty-two men were considered by the council for the award in Mr. Hughes' area this year, and only two citations were given. President Cramblett of Bethany College received the award last year. In addition to his work as a Scouter the Quaker City superintendent's wide range of civic, educational, and church activities were mentioned in the citation. Supt. and Mrs. Hughes (ELEANOR MCBURNEY, '32) have a son, Mac, who is an Eagle Scout, highest rank in scouting.

1925

The former MARY ALICE STEWART, for several years a teacher in the schools of Huntington, W. Va., her home city, is Mrs. J. Charles Nepper and still a resident of the beautiful Ohio River city. The Neppers have a son, James Charles, Jr., who observed his eighth birthday anniversary last month.

1926

TED J. WAKELY and GEORGE J. WAKELY, '31 (see picture on page 161), own and operate the Chippewa Country Club of Toledo one of the most interesting and valuable assets of which is a beautiful 18-hole golf course. George, the Chippewa "pro," was recently elected secretary of the Northwest Ohio Professional Golf Association. Ted is the course superintendent and handles administrative duties. While in California a number of years back, Ted was a private secretary to Hollywood's Barbara Stanwyck and her former husband, Frank Fay. Both of the brothers are graduates of Ohio University's College of Commerce and were once associated with the B. F. Goodrich Co. in Akron.

1927

HELEN VERA BOYD must be a very busy person at the State Teachers' College, Geneseo, N. Y. She is an instructor in the college, psychologist for the School of Practice, and supervisor of off-campus practice teaching. There are teacher cadets in numerous localities throughout the western part of New York State, all under Miss Boyd's supervision. She is also in charge of the college library which contains several thousand volumes of elementary text books and visual and auditory aids. These are loaned to schools in the Geneseo area. Miss Boyd was a psychology major at Ohio University and her department at the New York school furnishes clinical services, including psychological and educational testing, to schools in a considerable area of the western part of her state.

DR. CHARLES A. RESCH has been head of the Dental Department of the Cleveland Clinic for the past 15 years.

1928

PAUL O. FRESHWATER has given up high school teaching and coaching for agricultural pursuits and now, with Mrs. Freshwater (ELIZABETH FORTINER, '30) and their family, is engaged in farming near Delaware.

1929

BELFORD B. NELSON (see picture on page 13) is not one of the Smith Brothers, nor is he a member of the House of David, his appearance to the contrary notwithstanding. That hirsute facial adornment was acquired as a result of failure to use a razor for 110 days last winter. "Whiskers" Nelson and a companion spent the winter at Canyon Lodge in Yellowstone National Park as caretakers, and were snowed in from the first of November until the snow plows cleared the roads April 25. They came out on May 2 with their "five o'clock shadows" quite in evidence. No mail was received during the 110 days, and they spent most of their time reading and listening to the radio. There were 130 inches of snowfall during the six months. Belford previously was associated with the U. S. Engineers Corps in Canada.

1930

ELEANOR B. MAJORS, only daughter of Ohio University's English professor, C. N. Mackinnon, is principal of the R. J. Vance School, a training school for teachers, of the College of Connecticut at New Britain, Conn.

FRANK E. MADDE will be the new principal of the high school in Logan, W. Va., next year. He has held principalships in other schools in Logan County during recent years. Mr. Maddede married the former OPAL CUTLER, '30, 2-yr.

1931

Mrs. W. H. Williams (DOROTHY GARMAN) of Huntington, W. Va., reports that another Carman may be expected at Ohio University this fall. A brother, Donald, now a veteran-student at Eastern Kentucky State Teachers College, is expecting to come to Ohio U. for a pre-medical course. Besides Mrs. Williams three other sisters have attended Ohio University: MILDRED GARMAN, '37, 2-yr.; ALICE GARMAN, '32x, and JEANITA GARMAN, '38x.

1932

CHARLES B. HOLTSBERRY, ex. former Newark city solicitor, has been appointed by Governor Herbert to act as common pleas judge of Licking County as a successor to the late Judge F. N. Black. Judge Holsberry, who is president of the Newark (Moundbuilders) Chapter of the Ohio University Alumni Association, will serve in his judicial capacity until a successor is chosen at the next election in 1948.

1933

GEORGE WILLIAM SHIA, who received his law degree at the University of Pennsylvania and who entered upon the practice of his legal profession with the famed New York City firm of Cadwalader, Wickersham, & Taft, is now practicing law in Los Angeles, Calif. His offices in the west coast city are located in the Roosevelt Building, 727 W. 7th Street.

1934

DR. LAWRENCE J. GOLDBERG, A.M. '36, who has recently been released from the Army Medical Corps, has opened an office at 21 West State St., Athens, for the practice of medicine. He is a former technical assistant in zoology at Ohio



Lee Emerick in OMG Office in Bavaria  
(See Class of 1944 Notes)

University and received his M.D. degree at Ohio State University in 1944. Mrs. Goldberg (ELEANOR HECHTKOPF, '34) and their two children, David and Frances, will remain at Mrs. Goldberg's home in Youngstown until suitable living quarters can be found in Athens.

Mrs. William R. Matheny (ANN EVANS) has received word that her husband has arrived in Fairbanks, Alaska, where he will be located with the United States Geological Survey for the summer. Mrs. Matheny will spend the period of her husband's absence in Washington, D. C. "Bill," a former student at Ohio University, is a foster son of the late Dr. W. A. MATHENY, '08, for many years professor of botany at Ohio University.

### 1935

After 12½ years of association with the Owens-Illinois Glass Co., during which he served in a number of responsible capacities, J. W. "BILL" LaFRANCE (see picture), Toledo, has severed his connection with the big glass company to enter upon the practice of public accountancy in the newly organized firm of LaFrance and MacDaniels. Bill's partner holds degrees from the University of Oklahoma and Columbia University and is a certified public accountant. Their work will include bookkeeping service, systems installations, cost surveys, audits and tax work. Offices of the new firm are located at 1141 Sylvania Avenue, Toledo. Keeper of the budget on the home front is Mrs. LaFrance, the former ADDIE FRANCES BUTT, '34. Mrs. LaFrance manages to give time to AAUW activities and artcraft work, some of her pieces having been accepted for display recently in the 29th Annual Toledo Artists' Exhibit at the Toledo Museum of Art. Mrs. LaFrance's major interest, however, is a 5-year-old daughter, Christine.

### 1936

Two engineering graduates of the Class of 1936, the first a civil engineer and the second an electrical engineer, are located in neighboring states. WILLIAM O. FULLERTON is attached to the U. S. Engineers Office at Huntington, W. Va. He married ELIZABETH HARPER, '32, 2-yr., and is the father of three children. FRANCIS C. BUTCHER, who has been with the DuPont Company for more than 1½ years, is a resident of Martinsville in "Old Virginny." He is married and has two children.

### 1937

Mrs. Franklyn R. Payer (SUE HOLMAN, see picture), the birth of whose baby, Elizabeth Sue, was announced in the May *Alumnus*, is the author of an interesting and practical book, "How To Get A Husband." The book has just been published and is available at \$1 a copy through the author, Sue H. Payer,

4300 Euclid Ave., Apt. 409, Cleveland 3, Ohio. In a recent communication Mrs. Payer says that "it is more thrilling to be a mother than an 'authoress'—that's why I think every girl should know how to get a husband." Writing under the pen name of Louise Carter the Ohio University Phi Beta has penned a serious—not frivolous—treatise on the techniques of finding the "Right Man" and getting him up to the altar. The book is well written and will undoubtedly be of value to any member of the fair sex who has not yet made her catch. To the unmarried male it will reveal a lot of things of which to be wary, while to the benedict it will explain just what happened to him before the "little woman" put the gold band on his finger. Seriously, girls, the editor recommends "How To Get A Husband" as a good investment.

MARJORIE OSBORNE, now located as an American Red Cross recreation worker at the National Naval Medical Center in



Marilyn Cutts-William Heinz Wedding Party and Friends  
(See Class of 1945 Notes)

Bethesda, Md., has had experience in two of the country's leading medical centers, having been transferred to her present post from Walter Reed Hospital in Washington, D. C. She has also served at the naval hospital in Portsmouth, Va. Miss Osborne maintains her residence in the nation's capital. At Walter Reed her work was with amputee and orthopedic patients. Her brother, DEWAYNE OSBORNE, '40, has been working in the accounting department of the Youngstown Sheet Metal Products Co. at Youngstown since he returned from service in the South Pacific a year ago. He is also studying law at night at Youngstown College.

### 1938

PAUL K. HUDSON, M.S. '39, associate professor of electrical engineering at the University of Idaho, has accepted a position with the same rank and title at the University of Illinois. His transfer to the Urbana school was made on June 1.

CAPT. HAROLD T. GORHAM was a mid-June campus visitor. An aerial photographer in the ETO during the war, Captain Gorham is now teaching investigative photography at the Counter Intelli-

gence Corps Center at the Hollabird Signal Depot, Baltimore, Md.

### 1939

CAPT. HARRY W. CRAIG has been given an assignment as Chief of Personnel Branch, Office of the Chief Ordnance Headquarters, of the Ryukyu Command in the Philippines. His wife, a former Army nurse whom he married in Pisa, Italy, and their six-month-old daughter, Carol Lee, are residing at Captain Craig's parental home in Middleport.

After parting company with the Army late in 1945, WILLIAM J. COONEY associated himself with the Goodrich Tire & Rubber Company in Akron until August of the following year. He then left Akron and Goodrich for work with the Borden Dairy & Ice Cream Company on the traveling auditing staff of the company's midwest division. Bill and his wife, a former Akron girl, with their year-old daughter, Kathleen Ann, have recently bought a new home in Columbus. Their address is 604 Butler Ave.

### 1940

RONALD W. VAN ORNE, after a brief period of civilian life, has accepted appointment in the Regular Army with the rank of major. He is now on duty in the Office, Chief of Transportation, Training Division, in the Pentagon Building, Washington, D. C. During the time that he was out of service he was employed by the New Jersey Bell Telephone Co. as a traffic engineer. In the ETO he was a regimental adjutant in the 34th Division.

### 1941

WILLIAM E. HOWARD and Mrs. Howard (JEANNE DEAHL, '42x), are residents of Willoughby. The former is a salesman for the Remington Rand Company. The Howards have a son, William E., Jr., now three years of age. Mrs. Howard is a sister of BETTY DEAHL, '46, former editor of the *Ohio University Post* and now on the editorial staff, in Cleveland, of *The Sohioan*, employee's magazine of the Standard Oil Co.

After serving last year as resident surgeon at Ft. Thomas Hospital, Akron, FIRST LIEUT. WILLIAM S. JASPER, of the Army Medical Corps, is now on duty as port surgeon at Whittier, Alaska. Lieut. Jasper is a brother of SAMUEL J. JASPER, '43, an instructor in mathematics at the University of Kentucky.

### 1942

LIEUT. (j.g.) FREDERICK KITTLE, a staff physician at the Veterans Administration Hospital (Navy) in Los Angeles, attended the recent 100th anniversary meeting of the American Medical Association in Atlantic City. While at the University of Chicago Medical School Lieut. Kittle did research work in surgery and has published several articles on his findings and observations. The two latest of these articles appeared in the January 1947 *Archives of Surgery*, and

in the April 19 issue of the *Journal of the American Medical Association*.

After serving on American Red Cross staffs in India and China, JANETH DUNGAN is now with the ARC in Germany. In China the Ohio University girl served food and refreshments to thousands of U. S. service men who were about to take flight "over the hump" to Calcutta on their way home.

Mrs. M. L. Karmazin (BETTY SPINK) is a resident of New York City, where her husband is associated with the New York Yankees, professional football team. During the fall season "Mike" performs in a stellar fashion as a guard on the Yankees' line. During the rest of the year he works in the club's business



Virginia Segale  
(See Class of 1943 Notes)

office. Mr. Karmazin is a graduate of Duke University and served as an assistant line coach to Coach Wallace Wade while pursuing graduate studies at the North Carolina school.

1943

DONALD W. SPEAKS and Mrs. Speaks (KATHLEEN BATES, '45), have recently moved to Lancaster where the former has accepted a position as cost accountant for the Anchor Hocking Glass Corp. He was formerly associated, as an accountant, with the Owens-Corning Co. in Newark.

Mrs. Charles K. Signor (LOIS JANE HAINLEY) and her husband are looking for living quarters somewhere on Long Island from which to commute each day to New York City where the former will begin work on a master's degree in English literature at Columbia University and the latter will study art. Both are Navy veterans, Mrs. Signor having been an officer in the WAVES. They have been located at San Diego, Calif., and Corpus Christi, Texas, during the past year. Mrs. Signor has recently completed 40,000 words of the first draft of "the novel which I have been wanting to write for so many years."

VIRGINIA J. SEGALE (see picture on this page) received the degree of Master of Music in Violin from the Cincinnati College of Music at commencement exercises on June 5. She studied with Sig-mund Eifron, concertmaster of the Cincinnati Symphony Orchestra and director of ensembles and artist teacher on the College of Music faculty. Miss Segale also has a Bachelor of Music in Voice degree from the Cincinnati school. The degree acquired at Ohio University was Bachelor of Science in Education, with a major in piano. For the past two years she has had a music studio in Loveland, and has been employed as special instrumental instructor in the Cincinnati public schools.

1944

LEE EMLERICK, ex, who served, with the rank of captain, with the Office of Military Government for Bavaria for 17 months, was discharged last fall to accept a civilian position with the Finance Division of the OMG for Bavaria. At the present time his division is engaged in exercising control over Allied, neutral, restitution, and confiscated Nazi property. In Lee's area are 11 "Landkreise" (rural districts), including Berchtesgaden, Hitler's onetime home, and a lot of other property of former Nazi bigwigs. The picture on page 14 was taken last October in his office in Traunstein. The young American was joined by his wife, Pat, early this year. A daughter, Wendy Lee, was born to the Emlericks on May 9, 1947.

JO ANN NAUGLE is in far-away Japan where she is serving as an editorial clerk in the Historical Division, Statistics and Reports Section of the Army General Headquarters in Tokyo.

1945

As promised in the May number of *The Ohio Alumnus* a picture, see page 15, of the Cutts-Heinz wedding party (MARILYN CUTTS to WILLIAM L. HEINZ, '43) is reproduced in this issue. All members of the wedding party and their friends are Ohio University graduates or former students. They are, from left to right: PEGGY JOHNSTON, '44x, Cleveland; LILLIAN ERHARD, '45x, Cleveland; MARGORIE KNAPP, '44, Cleveland; ELLEN WOOD, '44, Cleveland; Mrs. L. E. WRIGHT (JOANN FOX, '46), Oberlin, bridesmaid, the groom; the bride; HELIN BAILEY, '45, Athens, bridesmaid; Mrs. Kenneth Keegler (BETSEY CHAPIN, '45x), Cleveland; VIRGINIA SANDS, '45, Columbus; Mrs. John Hines (MARY BROWN, '46), Berea; and PRISCILLA HODGSON, '44, Burbank, Calif. Mr. and Mrs. Heinz are at home at 1861 Cedar Ave., Apt. 2, Cincinnati.

MARGARET M. HANING gave her parents and friends a fright one day last month when, while piloting a private airplane from the Ohio University airport to Barberton, where she is a teacher, she was reported overdue and missing at Barberton. It soon developed, however, that she had been forced to land and remain overnight at Zanesville because of darkness.

ERNEST E. EVANS, JR., was one of five Ohio University graduates who received degrees at Ohio State University at the conclusion of the spring quarter on June 6. A major in zoology at Ohio University,

EVANS was awarded the Master of Sacred Music degree. His fellow Ohioans with the degrees received at OSU, were ROBERTS LAW, '35, AM. I. WAYNE HOTEL, '34, Master of Business Administration, CLINTON E. BAKER, '43, M.S. and CARROLL E. PUGH, '43, B.S. in Business Administration.

1946

FRANCIS DORSY taught English during the past year in the Campbell County High School at Alexandria, Ky.

BETTY LEE McCASKILL, a United Airlines hostess, has recently been transferred from the Portland, Ore., division to the line's Chicago headquarters. Hostess McCaskill was a recent Athens visitor, coming especially to be present for the ob-



George J. Wakely  
(See Class of 1926 Notes)

servation of the 25th wedding anniversary of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hayden McCaskill.

A major in fine arts, VIRGINIA R. DRUM is now a commercial artist with the Chester Printing Service in Newark, N. J.

1947

JOHN E. KIRNS, who played his last football game with the Bobcats last fall and who participated in the East-West game in San Francisco last December as a member of the East squad, will wear the football togs of the Buffalo Bills in the All-American Conference (Pro League) this fall, so it is said. Johnny, a 230-lb. tackle, will make things tough for any opposition he may encounter.

WISHERD GORDON will enter Indiana University this fall with a graduate assistantship in botany.

HAROLD I. ARMYER has been accepted for admission this fall to the Graduate School of Sacred Music at Union Theological Seminary, New York City, where he will work for the degree of Master of Sacred Music. Harold is a member of the American Guild of Organists.

Jenny Ann to Mr. and Mrs. William W. Till (ELEANORE PERRY, '43), 223 East Madison St., Sandusky, May 18, 1947. Mr. Till is a chemist with Aluminum & Magnesium, Inc.

Alfreda Ann to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred H. Calabres (ANN COSS, '43), 1790 1/2 S. Limestone St., Springfield, June 11, 1947. Little "Fritzie" has a brother, Alfred H., II, who will soon be two years of age.

Melody Ann to RAYMOND E. HENSHAW and Mrs. Henshaw (MARION CALL, '46), 543 Jackson St., Nelsonville, Jan. 21, 1947. The mother is employed as a clerk-typist in the Education and Training Unit of the Veterans Administration, in Athens, while the father is enrolled as a student-veteran at Ohio University.

Jack, Jr., to JACK W. DAVIS, '39, and Mrs. Davis, 4020 W. Bancroft, Apt. 5, Toledo, May 21, 1947. Jack, Sr., is personnel manager, in Toledo, for the Kroger Grocery and Baking Co.

Jefferson Davis to Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin H. Bardin (SARAH ZIEGLER, '43), 1355 Charleston Ave., Huntington, W. Va., May 2, 1947. The father, a finance officer with the Veterans Administration and a graduate of the University of North Carolina, and the mother, a loyal Ohioan, have agreed on the following educational program for little Jeff when he reaches college age: two years at N.C.U. and two years at O.U. That seems fair enough.

Charles William to WILLIAM G. McKEOWN and Mrs. McKeown (MIRIAM GARN, '44), Bon Ton Apt. #1, Bozeman, Montana, May 31, 1947. Mr. McKeown, formerly an A.S.T.P. cadet at Ohio University, is a student at Montana State College. KENNETH H. GARN, '45x, is an uncle of the baby.

Paul Douglas to LIEUT. COMDR. JOHN PAUL JONES, '39, and Mrs. Jones, 4 Lake St., Navy Heights, Groton, Conn., May 9, 1947. Commander Jones is attached to the 16th Fleet at the Submarine Base, New London, Conn.

Laura Carolyn to ROBERT E. CRAWFORD, '43, and Mrs. Crawford (EMMA HICKOX, '46), 58 Wendell St., Cambridge, Mass., March 11, 1947. The father, a former graduate student at Harvard University, is now teaching in the field of government at Suffolk University in Boston. One of the grandparents is J. G. HICKOX, '12, Warren.

Edra Shawn to EDRA L. SPILMAN, '46, and Mrs. DOROTHY WALTZ SPILMAN, '46, 209 Southern Ave., Cincinnati, May 10, 1947. Mr. Spilman, an Ohio University Phi Beta, holds a fellowship in biochemistry and is taking work at the University of Cincinnati Medical School for a Ph.D. degree in biochemistry.

Stacy Allen to ROBERT A. EVANS, '46, and Mrs. Evans (HELEN STACY, '38), R.F.D. 2, Lowell, May 26, 1947. After ten years as an officer in the U. S. Marine Corps the father is now teaching in Lowell High School.

Dennis Vaughn to JOHN E. STACY, '34, and Mrs. Stacy, 1923 Freeman St., Toledo, May 18, 1947. Mr. Stacy, a former Air Corps officer in the ETO, is now em-

## Births

ployed as controller of the Hickok Oil Co. of Toledo. The father is a brother of MRS. ROBERT EVANS (see preceding announcement) and of LT. COL. ARTHUR ROBERT STACY, '36, Columbus.

Blythe Hoyt to FRANCIS B. FULLER, '38, and Mrs. Fuller (BETTY HOYT MCCOY, '39), 117 Franklin Ave., Athens. Mr. Fuller is a co-owner of the Lamborn Studio. Mrs. Fuller, who graduated with Phi Beta Kappa honors, is a daughter of Fred ("the real McCoy") McCoy, Athens barber known to many generations of Ohio University students.



Master Paul Douglas Henry

Enviably carefree and happy is Paul Douglas (see picture), three-year-old son of PAUL H. HENRY, '32, and Mrs. Henry (ELSIE ARMSTRONG, '30), 111 Chester St., Palo Alto, Calif. The little fellow's daddy is superintendent of the Ravenswood Schools in East Palo Alto.

Charles Scott, Jr., to CHARLES "SCOTTY" MARTINDILL, '40, and Mrs. Martindill, 27 W. St. Joseph St., Indianapolis, Ind., April 2, 1947. Mr. Martindill is associated with the sales department of the Thomas & Skinner Steel Products Co. The new arrival is a nephew of Mrs. H. W. Mains (FRANCES MARTINDILL, '30), Ft. Lauderdale, Fla., and WILLIAM H. MARTINDILL, '32, Indianapolis.

Connie Lynn to JOHN LEE PICKENS, '36, and Mrs. Pickens (LORNA JANE COOPER, '38), Albany, N. Y., June 8, 1947. Mr. Pickens is a safety engineer with the Hartford Accident and Indemnity Co. Connie's aunt and uncle are Mrs. Christie E. Davis (JEAN PICKENS, '40), Columbus, and WARREN W. COOPER, '43, Athens. The maternal grandparents are Dr. Clyde E. Cooper, professor of geography and geology at Ohio University, and Mrs. Cooper.

Nancy Elizabeth to Dr. and Mrs. Charles R. Blaine (RUTH DIXON, '38),

519 East Allen St., Lancaster, May 14, 1947. Dr. Blaine is a Lancaster dentist. Maternal grandparents are Prof. J. F. Dixon, director of the Ohio University Extension Division, and Mrs. Dixon, Athens.

Judith Anice to ROGER C. QUISENBERRY, '42, and Mrs. Quisenberry, Worthington, April 29, 1947. Mr. Quisenberry is a graduate student and part-time instructor in electrical engineering at Ohio State University. JOE F. QUISENBERRY, '39, is an uncle of the new arrival.

Mark Alan to STANLEY KASS, '43, and Mrs. Kass (SHIRLEY WEISERODE, '45x), 1115 Morningside Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa., June 9, 1947. Mr. Kass is a chemist with the Westinghouse Electric Corp.

Cheryl Lee to JOHN TERLESCKI, JR., '42, and Mrs. Terlescki (CAROL KRUM-LING, '42), 69 East Mulberry St., Athens, June 8, 1947. Mr. Terlescki, a war veteran, is now enrolled in the Graduate College at Ohio University.

Gregory Joseph to PAT J. CASANOVA, '43x, and Mrs. Casanova, Elizabethtown, Pa., April 11, 1947. Mrs. Casanova was a nurse on the staff of the Ohio University Health Service during her husband's period of service in the Navy.

William Joseph to Mr. and Mrs. James L. Cassell (HELEN YODER, '31), Locust Heights, Athens, June 7, 1947. Mr. Cassell is manager of the automotive parts department of Beasley & Mathews, Inc., Ford sales & service.

Charles Raymond, Jr., to CHARLES R. LEWIS, '40, and Mrs. Lewis, Charleston, W. Va., June 1, 1947. Mr. Lewis, a newsman, is associated with the United Press in Charleston.

Richard Boyd to DR. MARVIN S. FREEMAN, '36, and Mrs. Freeman, 1745 Edgewater Dr., Lakewood, May 25, 1947. Dr. Freeman is a Cleveland physician.

Carolyn Rae to CARL E. JOHNSON, '47, and Mrs. Johnson, 5 North May Ave., Athens, May 28, 1947. Mr. Johnson is a member of the June graduating class, and will continue on at Ohio University in pursuit of graduate work.

David Lee to LEE L. ENLOW, '42, and Mrs. Enlow, R.F.D. 1, Athens, May 15, 1947. Mr. Enlow is co-owner of a feed store in Albany. David Lee is a nephew of RICHARD C. ENLOW, '28, Chillicothe; CHESTER A. ENLOW, '33, M.Ed. '41, Wayland; and KATHRYN ENLOW, '36, Athens.

Charlene Sue adopted by JOHN H. WOODBURN, '39x, and Mrs. Woodburn (RUTH BIDDISON, '37), 1226 Oakridge Ave., East Lansing, Mich., May, 1947. The young lady was ten months of age at the time of coming into the Woodburn family. Mr. Woodburn is teaching and working on a doctorate at Michigan State College.

Ruth Ellen adopted by Rev. and Mrs. Nobel M. Rompel (VELMA GEARY, '37), Mason, W. Va. Fifteen and one-half months ago the Rompels adopted another child, Paul Edward. Reverend Rompel is a Methodist minister.

Ira Steven to HAROLD RICHMAN, '39, and Mrs. Richman, Oklahoma City, Okla., Mar. 22, 1947.



# Marriages

Isabella MacLeod, Rochester, N. Y., with the advertising department, Eastman Kodak Co., to ROBERT T. BOWFER, '45, Denison, formerly with the Eastman Kodak Co., but now associated with his father in the management of "The Smart Clothes Shop," May 30, 1947. At home: 219½ Grant St., Dennison.

MYRA JEAN CARDER, Dayton, '45, secretary to the office manager, Foote, Cone & Belding (Advertising) to Dante A. Terzi, Manhasset, L. I., N. Y., assistant auditor, Bayside National Bank (Bayside, L. I., N. Y.), June 7, 1947. At home: Manhasset.

DORYCE SOLOMON, '46, Baltimore, Md., to Arthur Henoch, Baltimore, Md., June 23, 1946. During the past year Mrs. Henoch has been working on a master's degree at George Washington University and teaching modern dance in George Washington High School (Alexandria, Va.) under ALBERT A. DORAN, '27, who is supervisor of health and physical education in the Alexandria schools. At home: Idaho Bldg., Beverley Park Gardens, Alexandria, Va.

PHYLLIS J. CASS, '47, Union, N. Y., a June graduate, to FRED A. TATE, Rice Lake, Wis., a student-veteran at Ohio University, on the bride's graduation day, June 9, 1947. At home: 95½ University Terrace, Athens.

ELIZABETH A. KOLENICH, '45, Athens, former reporter and feature writer, *The Columbus Dispatch* (Columbus) and lately a secretary with the Armour Packing Co. (Philadelphia), to Eugene J. Fitzgerald, Philadelphia, with the Veterans Administration, May 31, 1947.

GEORGIANA E. BAKER, '46, Youngstown, teacher (Boardman), to JOHN P. DEMOLET, JR., '46, Athens, teacher (Amesville), June 14, 1947. At home: Mt. Healthy, Cincinnati. The bride is a sister of CHARLOTTE F. "CHARLIE" BAKER, '48x, and the groom is a brother of CHARLOTTE DEMOLET, '45. Mrs. DeMolett will teach in the public schools of Mt. Healthy, Cincinnati, this fall, while her husband will be enrolled in the University of Cincinnati Law School.

MARGARET ANN DRESSL, '44, Belpre, high school teacher (Parkersburg, W. Va.), to Lawrence M. Ronning, Miami, Fla., law student, University of West Virginia (Morgantown), June 7, 1947. At home: 502 Ann St., Parkersburg, W. Va.

Mrs. Frances Cooperrider, Newark, to HAROLD M. POTTS, '39, McArthur, June 6, 1947. At home: McArthur. Mr. Potts has recently resigned his position as superintendent of the McArthur schools to accept a similar position as head of the Fairfield School in Butler County.

ELMA E. HILL, '38, Athens, secretary, Housing Dept., Department of Veterans Administration, Ohio State University (Columbus) to John L. Montgomery, Cincinnati, engaged in an exporting business, May 23, 1947. At home: 3404 Middleton St., Cincinnati. Mrs. Montgomery is the daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Victor D. Hill, Athens.

DR. EILEEN A. PHILLIPS, '38, Athens, associate physician Ohio University Health

Service, to Dr. Stuart W. Westfall, Buffalo, N. Y., resident pathologist, Charity Hospital, New Orleans, La., June 16, 1947. At home: New Orleans, La., where Dr. Eileen Westfall expects to engage in private practice as a pediatrician. The bride is a sister of ELIZABETH PHILLIPS, '41x, who completed her degree work at Ohio State University and who graduated last month from the U. S. Army School of Nursing, Good Samaritan Hospital, Cincinnati.



Dr. and Mrs. Robert W. Young

Evelyn Cross (see picture), Redlands, Calif., music supervisor (Bakersfield, Calif.), to DR. ROBERT W. YOUNG, '30, Elkhart, Ind., physicist, U. S. Navy Electronics Laboratory (San Diego, Calif.), Feb. 2, 1947. At home: 3661 Pringle St., San Diego. Among those present for the happy event was the groom's sister, Mrs. G. H. Martin (MARGERY YOUNG, '21), Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.

MARY L. PIERCE, '47x, Athens, employed in the personnel office, Wright Field, Dayton, to William O. Johnston, Jr., Memphis, Tenn., veteran and engineering student, University of Cincinnati, Nov. 16, 1946. At home: 216 W. Monument St., Apt. 2, Dayton, Ohio.

ISABELLE FRANCIS BROWN, '46, Athens, to Charles S. Dautel, Cincinnati, Ohio University student-veteran, June 11, 1947. At home: 2 University Terrace, Athens. Mrs. Dautel is the adopted daughter of the late Louis I. Brown, and of Mrs. Brown (MILDRED FRANCIS, '04x), Athens.

GLADYS M. HOWILL, '16, 2-yr., Mc-

Arthur, auditor, Student, Georgia Inst., Ohio University (Athens) to Clarence M. Gill, Athens manager, C. M. Gill & Co. (insurance), May 13, 1947. At home: 209 E. State St., Athens. Mrs. Gill is a sister of Mrs. Alfred E. Livingston (MABEL HOWILL, '11), Wayne, Pa.

ELMA A. WILLIAMS, '31, Mansfield, vocal music instructor, Garfield Heights High School (Cleveland), to John M. Rohrbaugh, Wapakoneta, June 19, 1947, in "the Little Church Around the Corner" in New York City. The groom is a graduate of Bowling Green State University, has recently received his master's degree at Columbia University, and has now embarked upon work for a doctorate at Columbia. At home: 556 W. 140th St., Apt. 68, New York City. MARY ELIZABETH KESSINGER, '33, a former roommate of Mrs. Rohrbaugh's at Ohio University, attended the bride. A sister, ALICE WILLIAMS, '29, 2-yr., Canton, was also present for the wedding ceremony.

GLADYS PICKENS, '44, Reedsville, high school teacher (Racine), to William Meredith, Minessville, student-veteran, Ohio State University (Columbus), June 13, 1947.

GLENNA FLANDERS, '30, 2-yr., Goyvsille, teacher, to C. Leo Grim, oil and gas driller, Shade, April 27, 1947. At home: Shade, Ohio.

CARLENE ROSS, '46, Kingston, teacher, West School (Lancaster), to LESLIE CLARK, Gary, Ind., Ohio University senior, June 12, 1947. At home: 169 N. Congress St., Athens.

EDITH LEE HARPER, '43, Ironton, teacher, to Walter C. Parsley, Detroit, Mich., Rawleigh dealer in Fayette County, Ohio (Washington C. H.), Oct. 25, 1946. At home: 409 Van Deman, Washington C. H.

HELEN B. STANFORD, '46, North Lawrence, teacher, Longfellow Junior High School (Massillon), to Dan Chovan, Massillon, employed in the office of the Massillon Aluminum Co., June 16, 1946. At home: North Lawrence.

GARNET J. SWETT, '49x, Springfield, to ELI H. CHUTE, '41, R.F.D., Logan, teacher, Hocking County Schools, June 7, 1947.

MARGARET B. MILDHOAN, '47x, Middleport, high school teacher (Harrisonville), to Vernon Weber, Chester, carpenter, June 1, 1947. At home: Middleport.

MARTHA NELSON, '47x, Marietta, to JOHN R. SMITH Marietta, student veteran, Ohio University, June 15, 1947. At home: 35 Walker St., Athens.

ELIZABETH ROBINSON, '47 (Jan.), Parkersburg, W. Va., high school teacher (New Straitsville), to MAX J. LISCOLO, '47 (June), Celina, June 9, 1947, the latter's graduation day. At home: St. Marys, Ohio, where the groom is now employed by Goodyear Rubber Company as an industrial engineer. AGENES ROBINSON, '47x, former laboratory assistant at Ohio University, now in the Monsanto Chemical Laboratory in Dayton, was her sister's bridesmaid.

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