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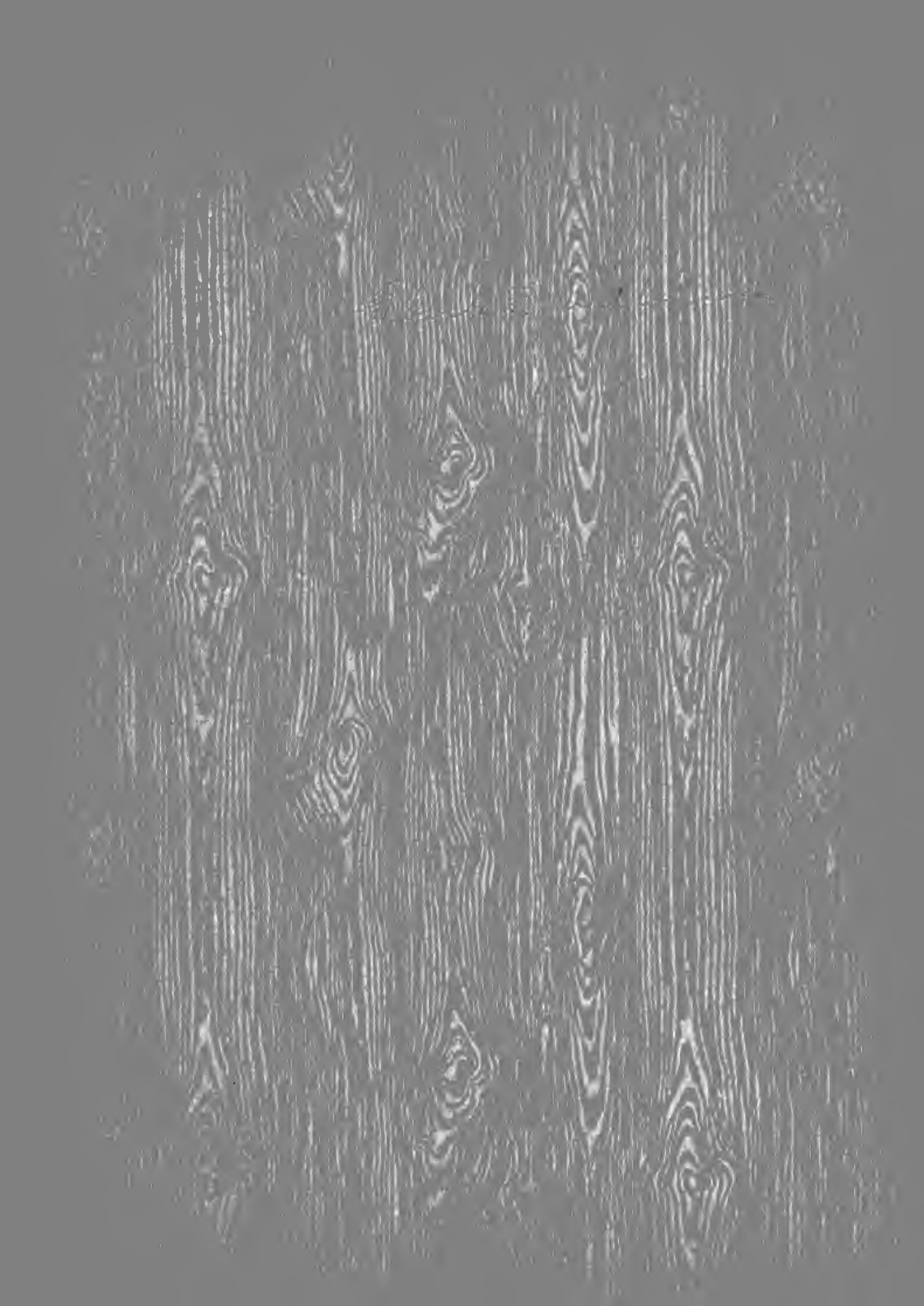
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THE FRONT COVER

The picture on the cover page is a
reproduction of the portrait of the Rev.
Dr. Manasseh Cutler that has been
painted for Ohio University by Howard
Chandler Christy, eminent contemporary
artist. The Christy picture was painted
from a Frothingham original now in the
possession of Miss Elizabeth Poole, a
Cutler descendant, of Marblehead, Mass.

From the Editor's Desk . . .

FOLLOWING the June meeting of the officers and executive
committeemen of the Ohio University Alumni Association, and
without his knowledge, members of the administrative group voted
to take some action that would express on their behalf and that of
others some appreciation of the services rendered by the Alumni
Secretary during a 25-year period ending last spring.

Letters, it seems, were sent to a number of alumni inviting
them to contribute to a fund which was to make it possible for Mrs.
Williams (Marie Jewett, '22) to accompany her husband on a trip
to California (see page 7) during the summer. The response was
most generous.

The warrant for the action of the association officers will not be
debated here, especially since some would be sure to suspect bias on
the part of the writer. He would like to believe, of course, that his
relatively long tenure of office has been the result of meritorious
achievement, but there is the chance that a long-suffering alumni
constituency and several university administrations have been lax in
keeping the dead wood pruned out of the institutional shrubbery.

The travel gift, however, was an overwhelming surprise, and
it far exceeded anything that could possibly have been merited.
The secretary, nevertheless, assures all of the unfortunate victims of
the scheme that their kind thoughts and their generous contributions
to the gift fund were deeply and genuinely appreciated. He had
thought that such things happened only in storybooks.

The trip was Mrs. Williams' first real vacation since before the
Williams twins were born some eight years ago. To her husband's
great delight and her own benefit she was able to forget home re-
sponsibilities and thoroughly enjoy the pleasures of a trip that could
not be satisfactorily described in anything short of a small book.

The reception accorded the visiting Ohioans by the two alumni
groups in California was exceedingly cordial, while the hospitality
extended them by individual alumni was so heart warming and
complete that the secretary-editor is lacking in words that will give
adequate expression to his appreciation.

From the moment they were met at the steps of their Pullman
upon an early-morning arrival in Oakland until they waved a
reluctant farewell to friends in the beautiful station in Los Angeles,
the two Athenians were exposed to a brand of hospitality that might
possibly be equalled but certainly could not be surpassed in any other
section of the country.

The demonstrations of friendliness and good will were of such a
nature as not only to defy proper acknowledgment, but also suitable
repayment. The Williamses hope, at least, that the California friends
who saw to it that every shining moment was improved by sightsee-
ing or some other interesting activity were not left entirely exhausted
by their "all out" efforts.

They are especially indebted to alumni in San Francisco, San
Jose, Santa Barbara, Los Angeles, Pasadena, South Pasadena, Van
Nuys, and Riverside. Equally appreciative are they of the many invi-
tations extended in these and other cities the acceptance of which
time would not permit.

And so, again, THANKS to all those who made it possible for the
Alumni Secretary and his wife to enjoy, together, the thrilling
experiences in California.

Directors Named for Two Schools

FACULTY ranks will be bolstered at a number of points this fall to carry the increased teaching load that will result from an anticipated record enrollment. Several newcomers, however, have been appointed as replacements in administrative and teaching staffs.

Last fall's record-breaking figure of 4,986 students on the campus at Athens is due for an early eclipse—or at least so thinks Registrar Robert E. Mahn whose "best judgment" is that there will be between 5,000 and 5,400 names on the books come September 22, the day classes begin.

This possible increase of several hundred students over a year ago will mean a further straining at the seams both as regards classroom space and housing accommodations, but working together the university and the community are determined that students shall be accepted up to the maximum capacity of all facilities.

Mrs. Sara Long Jones, '24, assistant to the dean of women, indicates that about 1,500 of the September enrollees will be women, while Dean of Men Maurel Hunkins says, "If Mr. Mahn is correct in his estimate we may have almost 4,000 men."

Registration at the three Ohio University Branches—Portsmouth, Chillicothe, and Zanesville—is expected to reach or to exceed 900, thus bringing to a grand total of more than 6,000 the number of Ohio University students who will be receiving full residence credit this fall.

Three major divisions of the university will have new heads this year—the School of Music, the School of Dramatic Art and Speech, and the Reserve Officers Training Corps.

Thomas A. Gorton (see picture), pianist and composer of Oneida, N. Y., succeeds Clarence C. Robinson as director of the School of Music. Mr. Robinson, who resigned the directorship at the end of a 25-year period of service, will continue as professor of voice and director of the university chorus.

The new director, who has headed the piano department at the University of Texas since 1938, except for a year as an instructor in a Navy Pre-Flight School, has been on leave of absence recently to continue graduate studies at the Eastman School of Music of the University of Rochester.

The 37-year-old composer has been a piano soloist with the St. Louis Symphony, and the Rochester Civic and Houston Symphony orchestras. His orchestral works have been performed by these groups and by the San Bernardino and University of Texas symphony orchestras. He was



Music Director Thomas A. Gorton

conductor of the Riverside, Calif., Community Opera Association for the 1936-37 season.

Mr. Gorton has a bachelor's and a master's degree in music from the Eastman School of Music where he held a Steinway scholarship for four years and a teaching fellowship for two years. He has also done advanced work in composition at the University of Southern California.

Professor Robinson, predecessor of the new director, began his teaching career at the University of Oklahoma in 1908. From 1912 to 1922 he was director of music at Pennsylvania State College. During World War I he was a music executive for the War Camp Community Service in San Francisco.

Dr. Claude E. Kantner, speech pathologist at the University of Oregon Medical School, has been appointed director of the School of Dramatic Art and Speech, a position vacated by Dr. Robert G. Dawes following an overseas war service. Dean Earl C. Seigfred of the College of

Fine Arts had been acting director of the school since 1942.

Dr. Kantner (picture next month) was speech pathologist in the Crippled Children's Division of the medical school at Portland from 1944 until he came to Ohio University in July. Also named professor of dramatic art and speech at his new location, he was director of the speech clinic at Louisiana State University, 1935-44. He was a member of the faculty of Stephens College for two years.

Director Kantner is a graduate of Albion College, Mich., with his two advanced degrees from the University of Wisconsin. He is associate editor of the *Journal of Speech Disorders* and of *Speech Monographs*, and was editor of the *Southern Speech Journal*, 1942-44. A member of the American Speech Association and the Western Association of Teachers of Speech, Dr. Kantner has been a fellow of the American Speech Correction Association since 1932.

Only one other person of full professorial rank has come to the campus this fall—Col. William H. Speidel, U.S.A. (Inf.), as professor of military science and tactics and commandant of the R.O.T.C. Colonel Speidel, recently detached from the Civil Affairs Division, Hdqrs., European Command, Frankfurt, Germany, succeeds Col. Ray E. Cavenee at Ohio University who retired from active duty in August after 31 years of service in the Army.

The new R.O.T.C. head enlisted in the army shortly after his graduation from Cornell University in 1916. He has seen foreign service as an officer in both World Wars and is a graduate of the Army's Tank School, Infantry School, and the Command and General Staff School.

Colonel Speidel participated in the Normandy invasion, and later was port commander at Cherbourg until U. S. authorities relinquished control to the French. For his work in the French city he was made an honorary citizen of Cherbourg.

Other faculty additions or replacements include three associate professors, 10 assistant professors, 13 instructors, eight acting instructors, and one visiting lecturer. The names and departments will appear in the November *Alumnus*.

Rededication Ceremonies in October

ALL BUT the finishing touches have been put on plans for the rededication of Ohio University's venerable Cutler Hall, October 12-19, a week to be jointly proclaimed "Cutler Hall Week" by Mayor F. L. Woodworth of the City of Athens and President Baker of the university.

Cutler Hall, oldest structure in the Northwest Territory to be used for the purposes of higher education, has recently undergone a complete rehabilitation and restoration.

The greatest concentration of events will occur on Saturday and Sunday, October 18 and 19, the period of principal interest for alumni and other visitors who expect to come to the campus for the celebration.

Highlights of the elaborate program that is expected to focus attention on the university in all areas of the state have been outlined by Vincent J. Jukes, '30 (see picture), associate professor of dramatic art and speech and general chairman of the committee for the rededication. They include:

A state-wide contest for the selection of outstanding high school students in Ohio history, Ohio government, and citizenship; an address by Governor Thomas J. Herbert of Ohio; a series of talks by some of the nation's leading educators on postwar trends in education; and a showing of works of art of the late 18th and early 19th centuries—a period contemporaneous with the establishment of Ohio University—loaned by the Metropolitan Museum of Art in New York City.

Also planned are a football game and military review, a ball, window displays tracing the history of the university, a "choral history of O. U.," and the sale and display of mementoes of the occasion.

On Thursday of Cutler Hall Week and during the two weeks preceding and two weeks following this date there will be a series of lectures and conferences by noted educators who have accepted the invitation of the university to come to Athens to participate in the rededication cere-

monies. The speakers will include the Very Rev. Mngr. Frederick G. Hochwalt, director, Department of Education, National Catholic Welfare Conference, Washington, D. C.; Dr. Earl J. McGrath, dean, College of Liberal Arts, State University of Iowa; the Very Rev. Bernard Iddings Bell, chaplain, Chicago University, and educational advisor to the Episco-

the next highest ranking in the examination regardless of their location in the state.

Arrangements for the tests have been made for the local committee by the Division of Scholarship Testing of the State Department of Education under the supervision of Dr. Ray G. Wood (see picture), director of Ohio Scholarship Tests. While any pupil in Grades 9, 10, 11, and 12 is eligible to take the test, Mr. Wood has recommended to school executives that participation be limited to students who have been enrolled or are now enrolled in American History and Government. On the basis of early applications for test forms Director Wood estimates that the number of students taking the preliminary test may reach a total of 5,000 to 6,000.

After a student has taken the examination his papers will be sent to the State Department of Education for scoring.

Each of the 108 winners will receive a certificate and an invitation to come to the campus as a guest of the university on the weekend of October 18-19. Each school producing a winner will receive an etching of Cutler Hall suitable for framing and an appropriate inscription in honor of both the student and his school.

On Saturday morning, October 18, at 11 A.M., the final examination will be held on the campus with winners to receive prizes as follows: First place, \$100; second place, \$50; third place, \$25; and fourth to tenth places, \$10 each. These winners will receive certificates showing their ranking in the competition. The final examination, of essay type, will be made up of three questions. A question has been submitted by each of the following persons: The Governor, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, and the Director of the Ohio Historical and Archaeological Society. The winners of the final contest will be announced during the formal rededication ceremonies on Sunday, October 19.



Chairman Jukes Shows Early-Day Flag to President Baker

pal bishop of Chicago; and Dr. Howard Mumford Jones, Harvard University, professor of English and former dean of the Harvard Graduate School of Arts and Sciences. It is expected that at least two other speakers will be added to the list.

Announcements of the Ohio History, Ohio Government, and Citizenship examination were sent to more than 1,800 school superintendents and high school principals. The examination was planned in an effort to "increase the awareness of Ohio students of the rich cultural heritage of their state." Any student of an accredited high school in the state is eligible to take the preliminary examination September 24, enabling him to compete for cash awards and an expense-paid trip to Ohio University for the final test.

Winners will be selected from each of Ohio's 88 counties, and in addition there will be 20 other students from the state at large. These 20 will be

Dr. Wood, who is known throughout the nation for his annual scholarship tests which he directs as a part of the activities of the State Department of Education, was a student at Ohio University in 1916-17.

Opening the Sunday program will be a dinner at Lindley Hall which will be attended by Governor Herbert, representatives of the Cutler family, and other special guests of the university.

At two o'clock the formal rededication exercises will open with the raising of the two flags presented to the university by Arthur C. Johnson, '95x, Columbus, an Ohio University trustee and president of the State Historical and Archaeological Society. One of the flags (see picture) is a replica of ensigns in use at the time of the founding of the university, having 13 stars in a circle on the blue field, while the other is the present standard with 48 stars. Each flag will have an appropriate color guard; the first in the uniform of a Colonial soldier, and the second in the latest military issue.

The raising of the flags will be accorded a rifle salute from the campus which will receive an answering salute from an artillery battery stationed on North Hill. The Ohio University Band will assist in the ceremonies.

Speaking from a platform erected in front of Cutler Hall, President Baker will extend greetings to guests and visitors and will announce the winners in the history contest. He will be followed by Governor Herbert, who will give the rededication address. The invocation and benediction of the occasion will be given by the Rev. Dr. Don D. Tullis, '98, Athens, president of the Ohio University Alumni Association. At the conclusion of the benediction the audience will be directed in the singing of "Alma Mater, Ohio."

During the preceding week Athens merchants will provide window space for 13 displays depicting in dioramic fashion the high points in the educational history of Ohio University from earliest days to the present time. Included among the episodes to be depicted will be Manasseh Cutler seated at his desk planning the "College Edifice," and Rufus Putnam surveying the university lands.

The art exhibit, which will be hung in Cutler Hall, contains one picture, a painting of General Lafayette, never

before exhibited. There will also be a rare portrait of General George Washington. Contrasting with this exhibit loaned by the Metropolitan Art Museum will be a showing of contemporary student paintings. In addition there will be an exhibit of historical significance provided by the State Historical and Archaeological Society.

On Saturday afternoon, October 18, the program will consist of a



Dr. Ray G. Wood

military review of all units of the R. O. T. C. at Ohio Stadium, to be followed by a football game between the Bobcat junior varsity team and the junior varsity eleven of the University of Cincinnati. The Ohio University Band will stage a between-the-halves musical show.

On Saturday evening at 7:30 there will be a musical program in Alumni Memorial Auditorium featuring the singing of old and modern university songs, including the two new "founders' songs" (see page 5). Both glee clubs, the university chorus, and the male quartet will join in the presentation of this program.

Concluding the Saturday festivities will be the Rededication Ball at the Men's Gymnasium for which music will be provided by three student orchestras. Dancing will start at nine o'clock.

During the evenings Cutler Tower, the most photographed landmark on the campus, and from which class changes have been signaled by a

hand-rung bell for more than a century, will be floodlighted by lights which are the gift of Grosvenor S. McKee, '16, a Meadville, Pa., manufacturing executive and former president of the Ohio University Alumni Association.

Fred Waring and his well-known "Pennsylvanians" will honor the university with a salute over a nationwide radio hookup at ten-thirty o'clock Friday night, October 17. Charles D. Giauque's "Founders Song," especially arranged by Marvin W. Long, '33, a soloist and member of Waring's musical staff, will be used on the program.

On one of the nights of Cutler Hall Week the Ohio Bell Telephone Company's entire radio program will be devoted to the story of Ohio University.

The new Recreation Center on the campus will be open to visitors on the weekend of October 18-19 and light lunches will be available.

Because of the heavy demands of students upon the dining facilities of the community it is suggested that, where possible, alumni and other visitors bring picnic lunches with them.

Available, also, in the recreation building will be the various university mementoes that are mentioned on the back cover page. Proceeds of the sale of these souvenirs will go, in their entirety, to the Ohio University Fund.

The mementoes will include a commemorative dinner plate by Wedgewood; a souvenir program; an appointment-type desk calendar with campus scenes; packages of note paper and envelopes, the paper carrying a black-and-white etching of Cutler Hall; a three-color etching of Cutler Hall suitable for framing; postcards with a view of Cutler Tower; and boxes of safety matches appropriately decorated.

With reference to the forthcoming ceremonies President Baker has pointed out that while there will be some "fanfare and noise" there will be many serious features to give emphasis to the fact that Ohio University is a source of "the highest type of education."

"Cutler Hall," the president also declared, "will be a shrine from which all of us directly concerned with the promotion of education can draw inspiration, and will be a building that alumni can always remember and revere as a thing of beauty."

COMPLETE details of the 1947 Homecoming program, November 1, cannot be announced until after the return of students for the fall semester, officers of the Men's Union, Torch, and the Women's Recreation Association being responsible for many of the events of the day.

The program, however, will follow closely the pattern of past years. The Torch-sponsored Pep Rally will be held Friday night in Alumni Memorial Auditorium with Coach Wise and his staff, members of the Bobcat squad, and the Ohio University Marching Band being featured. The varsity cheer and song leaders will be present to see that proper direction is given to the expression of vocal talents.

On Saturday the mid-morning Float Parade is expected to rival or surpass in beauty, interest, and ingenuity last year's homecoming spectacle which was viewed by the largest crowd in homecoming history and which old-timers regarded as the best ever. Floats will be entered in competition for prizes offered by the Men's Union, by the sororities, fraternities, and several independent organizations.

Only the fraternities will compete for the Union-offered award for the

1947 Homecoming

best decorated chapter house or home.

The football game with the Cincinnati Bearcats on Saturday afternoon will of course be the major attraction when another sell-out crowd is expected at Ohio Stadium. The game will start promptly at two o'clock. Bandmaster Martino has promised a between-the-halves band show that will be worth a long journey to see.

Entertainment in the evening will be provided by the Carnival and Dance to be held in the Men's Gym under the sponsorship of the Women's Recreation Association (formerly the Women's Athletic Association). A nominal fee will be charged for admission to this lively affair, with opportunities provided for parting with more shekels on the inside. Park plan dancing and a variety of carnival attractions will be featured by the women's organization.

To meet an oft-expressed and justifiable complaint of previous years that "I can't find out who is back," a Registration Headquarters will be established in the reading room of the

Student Center Building (first room to the left on the main floor) where it is hoped that ALL returning grads and former students will make an early stop for the purpose of recording their presence in the city. This action will be a favor to other visitors as well as to the registrant, himself.

Athens restaurants and hotels will do their utmost to see that the huge homecoming crowd is fed as quickly and as satisfactorily as possible. The Student Union Grill and the Snack Bar in the new Recreation Building (on the front of the campus) will provide meals and "snacks" to the extent of their capacities, but with a student enrollment expected to exceed the 5,000 of last fall the ability of these two rooms to accommodate additional patrons will be limited.

Rest rooms—a convenience not too convenient in the past—will be found in the Recreation Building.

Lodgings? Persons expecting to remain in the city over night and who haven't made arrangements for sleeping quarters should attend to that important piece of business pronto. At press time Athens hotels and tourist homes reported only a few unreserved rooms. Most of the local and nearby cabin camps refuse to make reservations in advance.

Retired Art Teacher Will Money to Ohio League Fund

Laura Belle Bailey, '20, a retired art supervisor in the Athens High School, died unexpectedly July 26, 1947, in St. Francis Hospital, Columbus, following surgery.

Miss Bailey was a native of Athens County, and was 74 years of age at the time of her death. She first entered Ohio University in 1909, securing a diploma in school music in 1913. One year later she was awarded a diploma in school drawing. The B.S. in Ed. degree was received in 1920.

She became associated with the Athens schools in 1922 and retired from the local system in 1933. Following retirement she opened her home at 7 Church Street to women students, scores of whom will be saddened by the news of her passing.

The former Athenian attended the International Congress of Art Teachers in Prague in the summer of 1928.

An only child, both of whose parents are deceased, Miss Bailey bequeathed \$1,000 to the Ohio Univers-

ity Women's League Loan and Service Fund. Majel Lawrence, '14, of Clarkburg, W. Va., a longtime



Laura Belle Bailey

friend, was named executrix of the will and was named as one of the numerous beneficiaries.

Members of Class of 1912 Hold Anniversary Reunion

The only reunion held at the time of the June commencement was the 35th anniversary reunion of the Class of 1912.

Thirteen of the 52 living members (with known addresses) of the class returned to the campus to enjoy a Sunday noon dinner at Hotel Berry, the Commencement Supper, an after-concert "at home" with Classmate and Mrs. Fred S. Wheaton, and a Monday morning breakfast at The Berry.

Those attending the reunion from out of town were: Harry L. Ridenour, Berca; C. Ray Ridenour, New Lexington; Mrs. Mary Powell Beatty, London; Anna L. Jones, Ironton; Mrs. Hazel Rigby Mast, East Liverpool; Frank H. Palmer, Columbus; Mrs. Etta Ayers Evans, Utica; and Mrs. Amy Evans Mitchell, Portsmouth.

Members of the class residing in Athens are Bessie Gorslene, Mr. Wheaton, Dr. Howard L. Dunlap, W. R. Cable, and M. D. Hughes.

Alumni Secretary Pays Visit to the West Coast

THE ANNUAL conference of the American Alumni Council and two highly successful and most enjoyable alumni meetings were attended by Alumni Secretary and Mrs. Clark E. Williams (see "From the Editor's Desk" on page 2) during a visit to California this summer.

The conference, attended by professional alumni workers from more than 300 U. S. colleges and universities, was held at the Mark Hopkins Hotel in San Francisco, July 11-14. The alumni reunions were staged in San Francisco and Los Angeles.

At the A.A.C. conference the Ohio University secretary presided over a sectional meeting and on the general program participated in a panel discussion in which his colleagues were the alumni secretaries of Columbia University, Brown University, University of Tennessee, Stephens College, and Albion College.

The opening dinner, attended by approximately 700 officers and "lay" representatives of college alumni organizations, was addressed by Governor Earl Warren of California, who is a former president of the University of California Alumni Association. At this affair William H. Keplinger, '26, of San Francisco, accompanied by Mrs. Keplinger, rep-

resented Green and White graduates and former students throughout the nation.

Conference entertainment included a tea at one of the most beautiful homes in Berkeley, a dinner at the International House, and a visit to the University of California's mammoth cyclotron. Largest in the world and in use 24 hours a day for scientific research, operations of the cyclotron were stopped for one hour to permit the inspection by the visiting alumni.

The first of the two Ohio University meetings was held, July 14, at the Officers Club at the Navy Base on Treasure Island, where 55 alumni from the San Francisco Bay area met for dinner and to organize a chapter of the Alumni Association.

All of the facilities of the club were made available to the Ohio U. guests, for whom special Navy passes were required. The club quarters were secured through the service connections of W. H. Keplinger (see picture on page 10), a former lieutenant commander who was stationed at the base.

In the receiving line, formed to



The Alumni Secretary, Mrs. Williams, and Friend
(And don't ask which is the Secretary)

greet the guests from the campus, were Dr. Stanley Dougan, '14, and Mrs. Dougan (Nelle Stokes, '16x), San Jose; Col. Melvin L. McCreary, '17, The Presidio; and Arthur E. Cameron, '26, Los Altos.

Mr. Keplinger, who chairmanned the committee on arrangements, presided at the opening of the dinner program and welcomed the group. He then presented Dr. Dougan, who introduced the guest speakers, Dr. E. A. Taylor, Ohio University professor of sociology, who, with Mrs. Taylor, was spending the summer in Berkeley, and the Alumni Secretary.

Another Athens guest was Charles E. Cameron, '97, 2-yr., who was visiting his son, Arthur E. Cameron.

The attractiveness of the dining room was enhanced by the table decorations and the flowers provided by wives of members of the committee in charge. Gardenias were given as favors to the ladies present.

Dinner music was provided by Carl Mignacco, a non-Ohioan, while Mrs. Paul H. Henry (Elsie Armstrong, '30, 2-yr.) directed the singing of both popular and university songs.

Hearty accord was given a proposal to effect an alumni chapter organization and in the ensuing election the following officers were named: President, Mr. Keplinger; vice president, Jack E. Baker, '38, San Mateo, and secretary-treasurer, James Claymore, '42, Richmond. Paul H. Henry, '32, Palo Alto, and Dr. Dougan were elected directors.

Besides the persons previously

(Continued on page 10)



The Stanley Dougans Are Hosts to the Williamses in San Jose

Individual Rights Supreme in U.S.

WHAT American wants to be told what he may eat? We insist upon and have available a wide selection of foods. Most of us choose our calories with care and discrimination. As a people we enjoy varied and palatable meals. Even they whose very lives are known to depend upon adherence to a strict diet frequently refuse to follow the advice of their physicians. Yet, in many parts of the world, black bread and a thin potato soup must be eaten regularly. In much of the Orient every day's fare consists of rice or nothing.

What American wants to be told what goods he may buy? With us the right is final to buy what we like and to decline everything else. We need state no reason for our action. No superior power can force us to purchase our assigned share of something because that something has been produced for our use. Everyone over here who makes or has goods for sale assumes the risk of loss which will surely occur if the public cannot be voluntarily persuaded to acquire those goods.

What American wants to be told where he shall live? If we like country life, we live in the country. If the city is appealing, we establish ourselves in some urban community. No one tells us where to live any longer than it takes us to find a place that suits us better. In much of the world the people must live where their respective governments allow them to live or where their economic status compels them to exist.

What American wants to be told where he can go? Occasionally, we consign our neighbors to Hades in a figurative sense, but, in fact, we regard the entire country and all of its territory as part of our back yard. We go and come in peacetime where and when we please. We answer to no one. Even our borders can be crossed with ease. As Americans, most of us believe that we have a moral right to visit any part of this globe at any reasonable time. Some even contemplate a trip in outer space. What Russian in his home land is accorded similar privileges? A single one would be a novelty!

What American wants to be told where he shall work? Forced labor is limited to penal institutions in the United States. Not even in wartime

has an American civilian ever been required by law to work anywhere if he did not wish to do so. We induce

Dr. Paul E. Belcher, '22, vice president and cashier of the First National Bank of Akron, writes the material that goes into "Business Analysis—An Interpretation of the News About Business," a four-page folder published monthly by his bank and mailed to interested persons, including, by request, many members of university and college faculties in Ohio.

Associated with the Akron bank for many years, first as trust officer and later as counsel to the board, Dr. Belcher has come



Dr. Paul E. Belcher

to be well known for his business forecasts and analyses.

A recent editorial by Dr. Belcher, "Individual Rights Are Supreme in the U. S.," has been selected for reproduction in "The Ohio Alumnus" because of its lively style and possibly greater appeal to the non-economists who comprise a large part of the magazine readership.

The Akron banker, who received the degree of Doctor of Juristic Science from the Lake Erie School of Law in 1931, graduated from Ohio University in 1922 with the highest scholastic record achieved to that time in a four-year period.

the individual to work with high pay and other emoluments. Millions of people in other parts of this world would never have the faintest dream that they could refuse to work where they were told to labor or that they could quit when they felt like it.

What American wants to be told

what his recreation shall be? We consider our free time as our own. Each can follow his own dictates. We reserve the right to accept or reject every proffered amusement. We decry censorship. We call the umpire a bum on the ground that we dislike a decision he makes. Entertainment provided by our employers may be safely passed up. But not so in many other countries!

What American wants to be told what he shall do with his money? Our money is our own and we can do with it practically what we please. We were not required by law to buy government securities before, during, or after the war. We can handle our funds in accordance with approved commercial usage or carry an accumulation of greenbacks in our pockets. We can save our earnings for tomorrow or spend them all today. We can keep our property intact or dispose of it unhampered by autocratic paternalism. The state is not our sole heir.

What American wants to be told that he has no economic future? Those would be fighting words. Every one of us has the right to better his position if he can do so. Opportunity is open to all. There are no closed contests. Whether we are laborers or merchants, professional men or anything else, is largely our own choice. Within the limits of our respective abilities we can move up or down the economic scale. This right could hardly be said to be applicable in many other nations.

What American wants to be told that he must do anything affecting his economic life? The answer is both immediate and positive: There is no such American. None exists because our heritage has been the individual economic freedom inherent in our system of free enterprise.

What other economic system anywhere, at any time, has ever provided the people within its jurisdiction with similar economic freedom? We exalt every human being. His right of selection, in the economic sense, is absolute. All must yield to his voluntary choice. He, collectively, governs every economic trend. Under what other kind of economic system has the individual, as such, ever been considered of the slightest importance?

Two Founder's Song Awards Given by Columbus Newsmen

THE RESULTS of the Ohio University Founder's Song Contest, sponsored by Arthur C. Johnson, '95x, editor and associate publisher of the *Columbus Dispatch* and a life member of the board of trustees of the university, have been announced by Prof. C. C. Robinson, chairman of the committee named to determine the winners. Although only one \$100 prize was planned, two winners were chosen and Mr. Johnson has agreed to pay duplicate prizes to the authors and composers. In offering the monetary incentive for the writing of a song Mr. Johnson requested that the composition be "appropriate for Founder's Day and suitable for general use." He further specified that it should be "lively and spirited, and not a hymn or a dirge."

Charles D. Giaque, Clarksburg, W. Va., a former member of the Ohio University faculty, will receive one of the awards for his "Founder's Song," while Carr Liggett, '16 (see picture), a Cleveland advertising firm executive, and C. N. Mackinnon, professor of English at Ohio University, will share the other award as collaborators on "Old Manassah Cutler" (see below).

Mr. Giaque, who last year completed a four-year tour of duty in the Navy with the rank of lieutenant commander, was associate professor of physical education at Ohio University, 1924-32, and wrote the words and music



Composer Carr Liggett

to "Beloved Ohio," one of the university's most popular songs. The former faculty man is now associated with Kappa Sigma Pi, the boys' auxiliary of Kappa-Ethelhurst Foundation, Inc., a unique welfare organization which maintains homes and camps for children from broken homes.

Mr. Liggett, head of Carr Liggett Advertising, Inc., is no novice at song writing, both music and verse. The Cleveland's compositions have been of a serious as well as of a lighter nature, his "Judas" having been performed by the Orpheus Male Chorus. He wrote the music for one of the annual Gridiron shows of the City Club of Cleveland, and last spring was awarded second prize in the annual Ohio Composer's Contest sponsored by Radio Station WTAM.

FOUNDER'S SONG By CHARLES D. GIAQUE

Cherished are the thoughts of Athens,
Which our book of mem'ry fills,
Girded like her classic namesake
'Round about with shelt'ring hills.
There the hallowed halls of learning
Becken youth to share they fame,
University beloved,
Thousands join to praise thy name.

Putnam carved thy site historic,
From a hostile, bleak frontier,
Names like Cutler, Ewing, Lindley,
In thy hall of fame appear.
Praise we now those honored leaders,
Lavish donors of the Light,
Pioneers, we sing thy praises,
Builders of the Green and White.

We, thy loyal sons and daughters,
Proud to bear thy name and sign;
Stand and sing our fervent praises,
Worship at thy sacred shrine.
So thro' life we'll raise thy banner,
Let it with the breeze unfold,
Then, the flaming torch of learning,
Pass to other hands to hold.

Words by C. N. Mackinnon OLD MANASSAH CUTLER Music by Carr Liggett

SNAPPY.

1. Oh, old Man -- ass, was a fightin' man, A gentle -- man
2. He found the boys just a trifle wild. And all -- so e
3. He asked V. A. for a thousand bucks To pay for
4. 'These boys need profs' than Man -- assah said. 'Some Latin and

1. and a scholar. -- The soul of honor but ver -- y
2. tri -- file woolly. -- Not good at readin' or math. --. In
3. some halle of culture. -- But all the answer he got was''
4. Greek to teach'em. A wood -- pile and a well, and a

1. good at pick -- in' up a dollar. -- He fought for Gener -- al
2. fact not ed -- u -- ca -- ted fully. -- He said, 'Whate needed is
3. No. Get out of here, you vulture. -- But our brave warrior said.
4. some 'where Athens cops cant reach'em. He hired a band for the

1. Washington, [A fact well known to Cl -- o.] And then he
2. very plain To one of my dis -- cem -- ing. It's foot -- ball.
3. look, Manass. Why let those tight vads damp us? So he stream'd
4. Junior prom. Then galloped home light headed to play -- much we

1. Joined a G. I. group And came back to O -- hi -- o.
2. dates, and maybe books: In brief, its high -- er learn -- ing.
3. a plan for Cutler Hall And put it on our cam -- pus.
4. due to Old Man -- ass Who got O -- hi -- o start -- ed.

REFRAIN

O he had so l -- rish coachman, Nor yet an Eng -- lish

butler. -- But a gentlemann ev -- ery inch of him was
Slow and hear down.

Old Man -- as -- seh Cut -- ler Our old Manass -- seh Cutler.

Alumni Secretary Pays Visit to the West Coast

(Continued from page 7)

named in connection with the dinner, special mention is due Mrs. Sylvia Keplinger who, though not an alumna of the university, gave enthusiastic and very material support to the committee in working out plans for the meeting.

In Los Angeles, the dinner meeting of the Southern California chapter



William H. Keplinger

was held in the private dining room of the Mona Lisa Restaurant on Wilshire Boulevard and was as spirited (nothing subtle intended) a party as the Alumni Secretary has ever attended. There were 67 persons present.

The meeting was called by President Fred S. Pickering, '19, Huntington Beach, who was ably supported in the making of plans by Guy E. Saylor, '34, A.M. '35, and Mrs. Saylor (Lenora Van Dyke, '21, 2-yr.), South Pasadena; James W. Wisda, '09, and Byron E. Whipple, '22, Los Angeles; and Samuel O. Welday, '12, and William J. Manning, '39, Santa Barbara.

Direction of the informal program was in the hands of the president, Mr. Pickering, who presented Mr. Williams as the speaker of the occasion. Also recognized and presented were three other Athenians: Mrs. Williams (Marie Jewett, '22); Mrs. Thomas N. Hoover (Ethel Arnold,

'13x), in the city for a visit with her son, T. N. Hoover, Jr., '33; and Doris M. Sponseller, '29, associate professor of secretarial studies at Ohio University, who was spending the summer in L.A. with her brother-in-law and sister, Robert J. Barrett, Jr., '42, and Mrs. Barrett (Jane Sponseller, '42x).

Before and after the secretary's report on affairs "back home" the group joined in the singing of the more familiar university songs.

As previously indicated, the liveliest "reunion spirit" prevailed and was manifested by conversations that frequently opened with such questions as "Do you remember when . . . ?" and "Well, for goodness sakes, how long have you been in California?" Adjournment was not taken until a late hour, with some guests having as far as 100 miles to travel on the homeward trek.

It is a matter of disappointment to the editor that the picture of the Los Angeles dinner group, taken at a considerable expense of time and effort by a friend of Mr. and Mrs. Saylor, did not turn out well.

New officers elected for the coming year were: President, Mr. Wisda; vice president, Mr. Welday; secretary, Mrs. Saylor; and treasurer, Mr. Manning.

Members of an executive committee named to assist the officers were: Dr. Gerald T. Sprague, '20, Van Nuys; Raymond A. Kennard, '21, Los Angeles; F. H. McVay, '13, La Crescenta; A. B. C. Jacobs, '11, Glendale; and Mr. Whipple.

The smaller of the two pictures on page 7 was taken in Tijuana, Mexico, which Mr. and Mrs. Williams visited on an automobile trip as the guests of friends. The larger picture was taken at the beautiful home of Dr. and Mrs. Dougan in San Jose.

New Association Officers Elected in June Balloting

Officers of the Ohio University Alumni Association elected for 1947-1948 by a mail ballot in June were:

President, Dr. Don D. Tullis, '98, Athens; vice president, Frank H. Palmer, '12, Columbus; secretary, Clark E. Williams, '21, Athens; and treasurer, William H. Fenzel, '18, Athens.

The new seven-man executive committee includes Heber McFarland, '10, 2-yr., Cleveland; Mrs. Alice Edwards Wright, '27, Akron; H. Dana Chase,

State Republican Chairman Appointed to Trusteeship

The appointment of Fred H. Johnson, '22x, Columbus, chairman of the Republican State Central and Executive Committee, as trustee of Ohio University has been announced by Governor Herbert.

Mr. Johnson, a native of Nelsonville, succeeds Israel M. Foster, '95, whose term expired this spring. Mr. Johnson will serve until May, 1954.



Fred H. Johnson

The new trustee was elected to the Republican state chairmanship early last year. He is also vice chairman of the Midwest Republican State Chairmen's Association.

Mr. Johnson was associated with an insurance business in Nelsonville at one time, later going to Zanesville to open his own insurance office. He was Republican chairman of Muskingum county for seven years.

'25, Chicago; Mrs. Hazel Rigby Mast, '12, East Liverpool; Neil D. Thomas, '22, Athens; Mrs. Margaret Ullom Stalder, '02x, Athens; and Robert H. Marriott, '29, Canton.

Dr. Tullis, as reported in the June *Alumnus*, retired recently as pastor of the Tourist Church, Daytona Beach, Fla. He is a former secretary of the Buffalo (N. Y.) Federation of Churches, and held a similar position with the Federated Churches of Greater Cleveland.

On and About the Campus . . .

WOMEN DRIVERS trained at Ohio University this summer can really drive, park their cars, and follow traffic regulations. For that you have the word of their teachers. Twenty men students, enrolled in a driver education course, gave the instruction and will vouch for the proficiency of their students. The course, a part of a nationwide effort to provide qualified teachers who can instruct high school students and others in safe, careful driving, thus helping to reduce automobile accidents, was given at only one other college in Ohio. Each student in the class was required to teach one person to drive, and the drivers ranged from Athens high school girls to Dr. Vivian Roberts, director of the Ohio University School of Home Economics. The automobile in the picture is a dual control car provided by the American Automobile Association. The driver has driven the car forward between the white lines and is now trying to back through them. His grade will go down if he touches a line or flag. Instructor in the course was Herman W. Humphrey, '27, assistant professor of industrial arts.



Dual Control Car Used in Driver Education Course

COLLEGES must produce not only leaders but also "people who can recognize leaders," Dr. Charles B. Ketcham, president of Mount Union College, told the 158 members of the 1947 Summer School graduating class on August 12. . . . "Our nation," he said, "must look to its colleges for the education of a group of leaders who will be able to lead because of their wisdom, practicality, unselfishness, and idealism." . . . "Not all of our graduates can be great leaders, of course, but the rest can recognize the leaders and help them by becoming their lieutenants, for leadership is not effective if it is not recognized." . . . At the summer commencement exercises President Baker conferred 20 master's degrees, 136 bachelor's degrees, and two special diplomas.

INTERPRETATIONS of recent world developments formed the basis for Ohio University's Fourth Annual History-Government Conference, July 14-18. Held for the first time since 1941, the conference had for its general topic, "This Political World," and was planned to aid both summer school students and the general public in interpreting events cur-

rently in the news. Faculty members having a major participation in the program, and their subjects, were: Dr. W. J. Smith, "The Far East;" Dr. Carl G. Gustavson, "Russia and Europe;" Dr. Victor Whitehouse, "Latin America;" Prof. O. D. Morrison, chairman of the conference committee, "The United States;" and Dr. E. B. Smith, "The Peace Treaties and Trends in Government."

A FIVE-DAY Conference on Elementary Education was the last of eight special conferences held on the campus during the 1947 Summer School. Approximately 100 teachers from all parts of Ohio were attracted to the sessions which were planned by a committee headed by Dr. W. A. Yauch, associate professor of education. The purpose of the conference, according to the chairman, was "to provide an intensive week of work which would give the experienced teacher an opportunity to bring herself up to date."

APPROXIMATELY 75 Southern Ohio county school superintendents and administrators attended the Second Annual Conference on Problems of School Admini-

trators held on the campus early this summer under the direction of Dr. Evan R. Collins, dean of the College of Education. The recently enacted Ohio school aid bill was one of the chief subjects discussed. The visiting consultant for the conference was C. G. Sargent, fellow in educational administration at the Harvard Graduate School of Education, who had just completed a study of New Hampshire's state educational system.

A GRAND TOTAL of \$6,857,805, the largest appropriation in the history of Ohio University, was made available for the 1947-48 biennium by the 97th General Assembly immediately prior to its adjournment late in June. The appropriation includes \$4,615,928 for operational expenses, of which \$3,421,368 was allotted for personal services, including salaries and wages, and \$1,194,560 was earmarked for maintenance. A total of \$1,200,000 was set aside for buildings, \$358,877 for capital equipment and rehabilitation, \$350,000 for heating plant expansion and tunnels, while \$330,000 was re-appropriated from unencumbered balances.

AS ONE MEANS of providing for a greater student participation and responsibility in university affairs, President Baker has approved the naming of undergraduates to a number of important administrative boards and committees. Announcement was made this summer by Dean George W. Starcher of the appointment of five students to serve with the ten faculty members on the University College committee during the 1947-48 year. This committee helps to determine University College policies. The new appointees are Kathryn Gottshall, Alliance; Norma Kodes, Warrensville Heights; Bertina Laborde, Shaker Heights; Donald Schuster, Bellevue; and Earle Steiner, Middleport. All freshmen enter University College upon matriculation where they complete basic studies.

The Bobcat Sports Review

HHEAD Football Coach Harold E. Wise issued a call for 70 Ohio University football candidates, including 16 lettermen, to report for the first practice session on September 3.

In his first year as head grid mentor for the Bobcats, Wise declared the outlook for the nine-game season to be "problematical." The loss of all but two men from last season's line is the new coach's main difficulty. Formerly assistant coach, Wise was named last February to succeed Don C. Peden who resigned as head mentor after 23 years.

"If we can build up a good line our chances will be pretty fair," the Bobcat head man said optimistically. "But none of our opponents have lost men to the extent that we have," he added. "Furthermore, we'll be using the 'T' formation for the first time."

The Green and White eleven faces a schedule of five home games and four away, including Mid-American Conference frays with Miami, Cincinnati, Western Reserve and Butler.

With little more than three weeks of practice available before the opening home game with Ohio Northern University Sept. 27, intensive two-hour morning and afternoon drills are planned until the opening of the fall semester, Sept. 16. After that date

the squad will meet for lengthy afternoon workouts only.

The 70 grid prospectives whom Wise invited back for early practice include 45 chosen from spring practice and 25 freshman World War II veterans eligible for varsity play. In accordance with a conference ruling, this is the last year that freshman veterans will be candidates for the varsity squad. Freshmen entering this fall who have not seen military duty will have to serve a year's apprenticeship before acquiring a varsity squad status. A veteran transferring from another school will also have to observe the one-year residence rule.

The only member of the 1946 line to report this year as a candidate for his last year's position is letterman Gene Ruskowski, 240-pound tackle from Cleveland. Coach Wise plans to move some of the former backfield performers to the line, including Milton Taylor, Columbus letterman and blocking back last year, to a guard position, and John S. Mitchell, Canton letterman, from blocking back to center.

Also expected to brighten the Bobcats' outlook are the following lettermen from the 1946 season in which the Green and White won six games and lost three: Duke Bitler of North Olmsted, halfback; Del Borgman, Cleveland, guard; King Brady, Yakima, Wash., halfback; Dick DiBartalo, Cleveland, guard.

Fred Hall, Lakewood, tackle; Dick Hodona, Cleveland, fullback; John Loughridge, Rushsylvania, guard; Robert Mills, Athens, quarterback; Ralph Sayre, New Haven, W. Va., halfback; Chris Stefan, Dayton, halfback; Ed Sudnick, Cleveland, halfback; and Ed Zednik, Cleveland, tackle.

Richard Pynchon, letterman from Lakewood who played in 1945, is returning to the squad this year at tackle.

Besides those previously mentioned, the

OHIO UNIVERSITY FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

1947

Sept 27	Ohio Northern	at Athens
Oct. 4	Butler	at Athens
Oct. 11	Western Reserve	at Cleveland
Oct. 18	Bowling Green	at B. G.
Oct. 25	Miami	at Oxford
Nov. 1	Cincinnati	at Athens
(Homecoming)		
Nov. 8	Ohio Wesleyan	at Delaware
Nov. 15	Dayton	at Dayton
Nov. 22	Xavier	at Athens
(Dad's Day)		

All are Saturday afternoon games and all home games start at 2:00 P. M., E. S. T.

list of men invited back for the early fall workouts included the following upper classmen who participated in the spring practice sessions: (Backs) Bill Beckley, Athens; Dan Cavanaugh, Athens; Ed Guccion, Cleveland; Carl Melzer, Lakewood; Walter Schultz, Cleveland; Marvin Spidel, Uniontown; John Stoffer, Cleveland; James Wielgos, Lorain; and Stan Zylowski, Cleveland.

(Linemen) George Dunn, Woodville; Mike Gostorowski, Cleveland; Arthur Guhde, Cleveland; Robert Hamm, Pomeroy; Floyd Hixon, Adena; Al Koran, Cleveland; Charles Koryda, Bellaire; Tony Laterza, Akron; John Marco, Lorain; Al Millsbaugh, Cleveland; John A. Mitchell, Parkersburg, W. Va.

Bruce Morehead, Bremen; Jo Neds, Linworth; Bill O'Dell, Philo; Herbert Rath, Cleveland; Pete Risser, Ashland; Frank Tartaglia, Cleveland; Kenneth Weiss, Cleveland; John White, Canton; and Gene Williams, Portsmouth.

Freshmen—war veterans, and therefore eligible for varsity play—who will be showing their wares at Ohio Stadium for the first time are: (Backs) Edward Glavac, Euclid; Stanley Katsaras, Campbell; John Lewis, Harrisville; Robert Luecke, Ft. Thomas, Ky.; James McKenna, Mingo Junction; Richard Morton, Ganley, W. Va.; James Riebel, Grove City; Andrew Savchuk, Cleveland; and Roland Schmidt, Mansfield.

(Linemen) Don Anderson, Macedonia; Richard Boyer, Copley; Robert Bires, Midland, Pa.; Wilbur Farley, Utica; Arden Fink, Akron; Karl Finnen, New Lexington; Arthur Goodman, Newark, N. J.; Jess Heil, Bellaire; Walter Kietzman, Colum-



Head Coach Harold Wise Looks into Gridiron Future

FOOTBALL TICKET INFORMATION

Through an arrangement with the Athletic Department paid-up members of the Ohio University Alumni Association and 1947 contributors to the Ohio University Fund, Inc., were given preferential treatment in the assignment of reserved seats for the home games of the 1947 football season provided their ticket orders were placed before September 15.

The seats, which were reserved before any single-game tickets were made available to non-members of the Association and the general public, are located in the center section of the West Stand (the Ohio or "home" side of the stadium) and in successive sections southward.

After September 15 all orders for football tickets are to be mailed direct to the Ohio University Athletic Department, Men's Gym, Athens, Ohio, with checks made payable to the O. U. Athletic Department. Reserved seat season tickets (all five games) are \$6.00 each, while single-game tickets for the home games are \$1.75 each. Twenty-five cents should be added to the total of each order for postage and handling, since the tickets are sent to purchasers by Registered Mail.

bus; Larry Mamone, Martins Ferry; Jack Miller, Chicago, Ill.

George Mochlman, Norwalk; Donald Morris, Martins Ferry; Jack Peck, Morgan, W. Va.; William Saint, Canton; Richard Stucker, Wooster; and Robert Vondriska, Cleveland.

Wise Starts Career As Head Coach

As reported in *The Alumnae* last March Harold Wise, '28, took up the reins laid down by Don Peden who had been in the football driver's seat since 1924.

Coach Wise was a letterman in three sports at Ohio University. His coaching background includes eight years as an assistant gridiron mentor at his alma mater and highly successful experiences in high schools in Athens, Ashtabula Harbor, and Columbus. In the latter city his West High teams won the city interscholastic gridiron championship in 1933, 1936, and 1937.

Associated with Wise in building the 1947 grid machine will be the veteran line coach, W. J. "Dutch" Trautwein; Kermit A. Blosser, '32; Jim Snyder, '41; and Frank Richey, who will handle the freshman squad.

After putting the line candidates through early paces, Trautwein will withdraw in midseason from the football staff to get his varsity basket-

ball squad off to a flying start for a tough 1948 schedule.

Assistant Coaches Blosser and Snyder, who returned to Ohio U. a year ago, will assist Wise with the varsity line and backs, respectively.

Blosser, a former Bobcat end in football and an All-Buckeye and National Intercollegiate wrestling champion, was a successful coach at South High School, Columbus, for eight years before entering the Navy.

Snyder, who starred at halfback with the Bobcats and was an All-Ohio basketball luminary, was head basketball and assistant football coach at Canton's Lehman High School before his Army service.

Richey, freshman coach, is an Ohio Wesleyan letterman and a former protegee of Coach Wise at Columbus West High.

Jimmie Johnson Joins Staff

Director of Athletics Don C. Peden has announced the appointment of James C. Johnson, '38 (see picture), as head track coach at Ohio University. Replacing Roy E. Pille, former track mentor, "Jimmie" also will be athletic ticket manager and assistant professor of physical welfare.

Coach Johnson was a member of the Bobcats' 1935 championship track team. He held the Buckeye discus championship two consecutive years and in 1938 won the district A.A.U. shot put event at Cleveland.

The new track man has coached and taught at Maple Heights High School since 1939 with the exception of four years spent in the Navy.



Track Coach James C. Johnson

Gridiron Parties Planned By Alumni for Bobcat Fans

Ohio University alumni expecting to attend the Ohio U.-Western Reserve game at League Park in Cleveland on October 11 will want to sit with other Green and White partisans in the Ohio section which has been arranged for by officers of the Cleveland Bobcat Club.

Tickets in this section may be secured by sending a check and a self-addressed stamped envelope to William R. Meykel, 305 News Building, Cleveland 14, Ohio. The football tickets are \$1.50 each.

To provide further entertainment for Ohioans in Cleveland for the game the Bobcat Club is sponsoring a dance (Saturday night, Oct. 11) at Park Lane Villa, located at Park Lane and E. 105th Street.

All alumni, undergraduates, and friends of the university are cordially invited to attend this party which promises to be a gala affair. While not yet officially designated as such, it is likely that October 11 will be selected as the annual "Migration Day" for the campus thus assuring the presence of hundreds of students in the northern Ohio city.

Tickets for the dance are \$1.50 each (\$3.00 per couple) and can be obtained from Sherman W. Peters, c/o Hughes-Burnett, Inc., 1950 E. 105th Street, Cleveland 6, Ohio. A stamped, self-addressed envelope should accompany orders by mail. Members of the Ohio University Women's Club of Cleveland will cooperate with the men's organization in the sale of tickets.

Tentative plans are being made by the Dayton alumni chapter for a "Kick-Off" dinner to be held on Friday night, Nov. 14, on the eve of the Ohio-Dayton game. Athletic Director Don Peden and Coach Harold Wise will be present.

Tickets for seats in a Bobcat rooting section will be handled by the officers of the Dayton group. More details later.

Bearcats To Be Homecoming Foe

Another "Battle of the Cats" is in prospect for November 1 when the Bobcats meet the Cincinnati Bearcats in the Homecoming Game in Ohio Stadium. Over the years an intense rivalry has grown up between the two teams, and this year the Ohioans will enter the fray with the stinging recollection of last year's 19-0 blanking in a rough-and-tumble night game in Nippert Stadium.

New Flying Program Inaugurated

PLANS, TO START with the fall semester, for an entirely new type of private pilot training, with Ohio University as one of two schools in the nation selected for the experiment, have been announced by Ralph Smeck, director of aviation at the Ohio University Airport.

The plans were outlined and discussed at the Collegiate Leader's Conference conducted July 7-10 at the University of Denver which Director Smeck attended. Ohio University was selected as one of the two schools, Smeck reported, because it has one of the best aviation programs of long standing.

The conference centered around two main topics: what colleges should offer in aeronautics and the cultural aspects of aviation and what it is doing to "shrink the world."

The new training program calls for instruction of half of one private pilot training class in the theory of using the plane for its utility, not only for "just flying," the official explained. The other half of the class will receive flying instruction as it is now taught. At the end of the training period, the whole class will be given a flight test to determine results of the experiment.

"The student under the new plan will not only learn to fly an airplane," Smeck pointed out. "He will learn also about the cultural aspects of aviation."

He will become acquainted, for instance with, the fact that diseases

might be carried into this country by airplanes from a foreign country. He will be taught how to use the airplane as a business tool and not merely as a flying machine, the director continued.



"Contact" Says Student Pilot

The Civil Aeronautics Authority and C. E. A. Brown, state director of aviation, will assist in the administration of the experiment.

The Denver conference also concerned itself with plans to introduce aviation preliminaries into elementary and high schools. Conference members advocated indoctrination flights

and simple aeronautics courses for teachers, Smeck said. Conferees found that it was not unusual for students to know more about flying than their teachers.

Smeck was accompanied to the Denver meeting by Hjalmar T. Olson, '46 (son of Head Wrestling Coach Thor Olson, '27), in charge of flight training at the Ohio University Airport; Bernard D. Osborne, '41, assistant coordinator for veterans affairs at Ohio U.; and C. E. A. Brown, state director of aviation.

During two busy days this spring trainees at the University Airport flew distances totaling 23,175 miles—equaling, approximately, a flight around the globe at the equator.

After flying 11,100 miles during one day of 148 hours of flight instruction, the airports' 22 planes used the same 15½-hour schedule to hang up another record of 12,075 miles in a total of 160 hours and 55 minutes of instruction.

Instruction is offered in seven flying classifications: controlled private flying, secondary, cross country, commercial qualifying, instructor, instrument flying, and multi-engine.

A new Link Contact Trainer, donated by the manufacturer for experimental work at the airport, is to be installed soon.

Funds for the construction of a new hangar have been appropriated and it is hoped that work on the building can begin about the middle of September.



Trainees Get Pre-Flight Briefing in Ready Room



Air View of Ohio University Airport on East State Street

Here and There Among the Alumni

1886

Low hem lines, small waists, and padded hips were not novelties and, presumably, not matters of protest when the late MRS. LIZZIE MCVAY GILLILAN, (see picture on this page and "Deaths" on page 23) was a coed on the campus. Although the admission of women to the university was so vigorously protested by the men students that the first coed, MARGARET BOYD, '73, A.M. '76, was registered as "M. Boyd" to conceal, as much as possible, her identity as a girl, Mrs. Gillilan doubtless served her sex well as an ambassador of good will. She must have been an unwitting, but pleasant, distraction to many a male contemporary as he poured over his "Natural Philosophy," Xenophon, Thucydidēs, Plain and Physical Measurement, and Evidences of Christianity.

1904

Eugene E. Woodworth, railway express agent in Athens for 48 years, died August 18 following an illness of several months. He is survived by his widow, MRS. JANETTE JOHNSON WOODWORTH, 2-yr., and a son, DR. PHILIP J. WOODWORTH, '31, Athens. During the period of Mr. Woodworth's association with the express agency he saw thousands of trunks and other pieces of baggage pass through his office to and from student addresses in Athens. His professional affiliation was successively with the Adams Express Co., the United States Express Co., the Wells Fargo Express Co., the American Railway Express Agency, Inc., and, last, with the Railway Express Agency.

1909

The many Ohio University men, one-time members of an Athens unit of the Ohio National Guard who served under MAJOR RAFAEL R. JOHNSON, ex, in World War I, will regret to learn of the former Army man's death in Athens on August 3. Major Johnson, a former Athens County Treasurer and later purchasing agent for Ohio University, was a brother of the late Major Sam Johnson, another World War I officer under whom a number of Ohioans served in France. Both men received decorations for valor. Among Rafael Johnson's survivors are a daughter, MRS. MARGARET JOHNSON FITZER, '34x, Athens.

1910

W. FENTON WOLFE, 2-yr., a prominent mining engineer, has been named vice president of the Warner Collieries Co. and general manager of all of the company's mines in West Virginia. A member of the board of directors of the Kanawha Valley Mining Institute, Mr. Wolfe has been associated with the Warner Company for many years.

1911

EDWARD N. MCWILLIAMS, ex, nationally known in the old days of vaudeville as a top-liner on the Keith-Orpheum circuit and in later years as the originator of the question and answer type of program

on the radio, was an Athens visitor late in June. While attending the university "Eddie" teamed up with the late FRANK CRUMMIT, '12x, a fraternity brother, and the two went to New York City to break into vaudeville. They met J. Hugh Fish, of Yale University, and formed a "collegians" trio, with Crummit later going into



Mrs. L. M. Gillilan in Coed Days
(See Class of 1886 Notes)

musical comedy. The three men appeared in London as well as in all of the leading vaudeville theaters of the United States. During World War II McWilliams gave his talent for entertainment to the USO, broadcasting on a coast-to-coast network from the Chicago Servicemen's Club. An owner of newspapers in the Old Dominion State, he lives in his farm home, "Hathaway," near Esmont, Va. He is a brother of Mrs. W. D. Young (DOROTHY MCWILLIAMS, '38), Cleveland, and JOHN O. MCWILLIAMS, '13x, also of Cleveland, a former Ohio University trustee. Mrs. Young received a two-year diploma in music in 1916, but did not complete her degree work until several years later.

1913

Among the most interested attendants at the San Francisco alumni meeting (see page 7) on July 14 was DR. RAYMOND J. NUTTING, a prominent Oakland ophthalmologist. Besides taking care of an extensive private practice he serves on the staffs of the University of California Infirmary and the Alameda County Hos-

pital. Because of the intervening distance Dr. Nutting's visits to Ohio University have not been numerous in late years.

1914

Returning to Northwestern University, Evanston, Ill., this summer to serve as a visiting professor of finance, DR. HOMER V. CHERRINGTON, professor of commerce at the University of Iowa since 1929, was greeted with an invitation to accept a permanent appointment on the Northwestern staff. The invitation was accepted and as a consequence Dr. and Mrs. Cherrington (MARIA GROVER, '17) are now established in a new university apartment building in Evanston which houses some 80 faculty members. The move involved the breaking of a great many university and community ties in Iowa City and the sale of the Cherrington's beautiful home there. Smaller classes and a handsome increase in salary for Dr. Cherrington, however, were factors that heavily favored the change. The Northwestern man was professor of economics at Ohio University for two years, 1927-1929, and had previously taught English at his alma mater. His post graduate work was done at the University of Michigan and Harvard University.

1915

Ann Elizabeth, daughter of PAUL M. GILLILAN and Mrs. Gillilan (MARY EVANS, '13), Erie, Pa., became the bride of Jon S. de Witt, also of Erie, on June 9. The bride is a graduate of Bryn Mawr College and for the past year has been associated with the General Electric Co. in Schenectady, N. Y. as an assistant engineer. The groom has resumed a war-interrupted program of study at Princeton University. The father of Mrs. de Witt is a locomotive sales engineer with General Electric in Erie and a son of the late Mrs. L. M. Gillilan whose death is reported on page 23.

MRS. MARIE SWAIM MARDIS, 2-yr., has reported the death, July 16, of her aunt, Mrs. Will Lloyd Jones, at the Mardis home in Lincoln, Nebr. Mrs. Jones, the former Eugenia Mae Liston, was an instructor in public school music at Ohio University from 1911 until her marriage to Dr. W. L. Jones in 1919. The husband accompanied the AEF to Russia during World War I and upon his return the couple established their home in Seattle, Wash., where they were living at the time of Dr. Jones' death three years ago. Mrs. Mardis is the wife of HAROLD C. MARDIS, '17, principal of a large high school in Lincoln.

1916

DOW S. GRONES, JR., a student-veteran at Ohio University last year who was discharged from the Army with the rank of lieutenant colonel and who recently was awarded the Legion of Merit for duty performed in the China-Burma-India Theater, has applied for and been granted a permanent rank in the Regular Army. Now Major Grones, he is serving with the Army's intelligence department in the Pentagon Building in Washington. He is

the son of the late DOW S. GRONES, and Mrs. ALBERTA CARR GRONES, '17x, Athens, and a brother of Mrs. Charles O. Lintner (HATTIE LU GRONES, '46), Louisville, Ky.

1917

CLARENCE M. POTTS, ex. and daughter, Patricia, of Philadelphia, Pa., paid Athens and Ohio University a visit early in August. Mr. Potts, a brother of CARL G. POTTS, '15, superintendent of the U. S. Agricultural Research Center at Beltsville,



Principal J. E. Brown
(See Class of 1937 Notes)

Md., was a shortstop on Bobcat baseball teams from 1915 to 1917. The brother also won his letter as an outfielder on the varsity diamond teams. Clarence Potts has been associated with the ACF-Brill Co. in Philadelphia for the past 11 years.

1919

FRANK C. RANDELL is back again at the helm of the Hardin County school system. He resigned the county superintendent's post in 1945 to accept a selling position after having been the county school executive for 14 years. His wife is the former FLOSSIE YOUNG, '16, 2-yr. The marriage of their daughter, MARTHA, and son, DWIGHT, are reported on page 18.

1920

The parental home on Morris Avenue in Athens of RUFUS C. HOPKINS and RACHAEL V. HOPKINS, '25, has recently been sold by their mother to Phi Sigma Sigma sorority to be used by the members of that organization as a chapter home. The former owner, Mr. C. D. Hopkins, for many years a trustee of Ohio University, died late this spring. Miss Hopkins is supervisor of art in South High School, Youngstown. Her brother is associated with the auditing-accounting department of the State Building and Loan Co. in Dayton.

1922

CAPT. HOMER L. SKINNER (U. S. Navy) is chief of surgical services of the United States Public Health Service with

headquarters at the U. S. Marine Hospital, Staten Island, N. Y. A son and a daughter, Homer L., Jr., and Elizabeth, are enrolled as students at Ohio University.

1923

DR. W. A. KINGAID has left the Summit, N. J. schools to accept the superintendency of the public schools at Hempstead, N. Y. at one of the top salaries in the country. The school administrator, who received his doctorate in education at Columbia University last year, had been head of the Summit school system since 1941. He was superintendent of schools in Montpelier, Vt., for ten years, 1930-1940, and prior to that was a supervisor with the New York State Department of Education.

1925

HAROLD J. PAUL, a onetime Athens High School instructor, but for many years a teacher in the schools of Pasadena, Calif., was one of the California delegates to the National Education Association meetings in Cincinnati this summer. He was accompanied on his eastern trip by Mrs. Paul, the former ROSE JEWETT, '30, and two of their children, Elaine and Geoffrey. After the Cincinnati meetings they continued eastward to Bridgeport, Conn., where they were joined by a second son, James. The entire family returned to Athens for a visit with former friends. Mrs. Paul was a secretary in the office of Dean of Women Irma E. Voigt before leaving the campus.

1926

Real "All-American" boys, sons of Ohio University faculty members, and outstanding students in Athens High School, Albert C. Gubitz, Jr., and Merrill Thomas (see pictures) were chosen by OLIVER L. WOOD, principal of Athens Senior High School, to represent Athens at Ohio's 11th Annual Buckeye Boys' State held at Delaware this summer. The boys, chosen on the basis of interest in government, scholastic record, and participation in school activities, attended the ten-day session which was conducted as a practical demonstration of governmental functions. The son of Albert C. Gubitz, professor of economics and director of Ohio University Branches, "Little Al" was elected one of 32 "state senators" at the Boys' State. Merrill, son of NEIL D. THOMAS, '22, associate professor of civil engineering, and Mrs. Thomas (WENONA REES, '25), was a "city auditor." Both boys were members of the "city delegations" to their respective "party conventions" — Nationalist and Federalist.

1927

WILLIAM G. MOLER, owner of a gasoline station on West Broad Street in Columbus, was a member of a special committee of the Columbus West Side Board of Trade that aided in the making of plans for the Franklinton Sesquicentennial celebration held on August 22-23. Franklinton was the original settlement that grew into the present city of Columbus.

In search of a room for her niece for the coming school year, MRS. MARY CLARE HILL, a teacher in Emerson School, Parkersburg, W. Va., was an Athens and Ohio University visitor this summer. Her

son, Ben, is entering Northwestern University this fall.

1928

Complimenting HEAD COACH HAROLD E. WISE and Mrs. Wise (JULIA PORTER, '25x) on their 25th wedding anniversary, PAUL H. BECKLEY, '32, and Mrs. Beckley (ELIZABETH EDMUNDSON, '32), and H. C. DORMAN, '35, and Mrs. Dorman (RUTH CONE, '33), entertained 150 guests August 17, at the North Wood Drive home of the Beckley's in Athens. The



Ralph Bidwell, Jr., (Right)
(See Class of 1941 Notes)

three families are residents of the city's new residential area on North Hill. Later in the month, Coach and Mrs. Wise were guests of H. DANA CHASE, '25, and Mrs. Chase (JEANNETTE ADAMS, '24x) in Chicago for the football game between the College All-Stars and the Chicago Bears which was played at Soldiers Field before a capacity crowd of 105,000 persons. The collegians, contrary to pre-game predictions, gave their professional brothers a bad drubbing.

1929

Two Ohioans, W. A. SMITH, superintendent of the Pomeroy Public Schools, and KATHERINE E. MCCALL, '31, a Portsmouth classroom teacher, represented the Southeastern District of the Ohio Education Association at the summer meeting of the National Education Association held in Cincinnati in July.

During a three-week vacation trip to California this summer, ANN MUMMA, secretary to the dean of the College of Education, Ohio University, paid visits en route to Genevieve Porterfield in Albuquerque, N. Mex., and Mr. and Mrs. Emile Cote in Wheeler Hot Springs, Calif. Miss Porterfield, a former member of the Edwin Watts Chubb Library staff, is now librarian at the University of New Mexico. Mrs. Cote (Arlot Olson) is a former colleague of Miss Porterfield's at the Ohio U. library.

PAULINE M. FIERCE has succeeded Ruth Giesen as instructor in home economics at Athens High School. Miss Giesen re-

signed this fall to become associate professor of home economics at Muskingum College. Miss Fierce, a sister of IRIS M. FIERCE, '28, 2-yr., has previously taught in high schools in Ashland and Nelsonville.

1931

EDWARD RUSTON, of Phoenix, Ariz., and Cedar Grove, W. Va., has written the words and music of two songs, "Arizona," and "I Love You, I Love You, I Love You," which were put on the air recently by a Phoenix radio station which is a key station in the NBC system. The songs have also been "aired" by WGKY at Charleston, W. Va., and have recently been brought to the attention of SAMMY KAYE, '32, of "Swing and Sway" fame. It is possible that the popular Sammy will soon be playing the music of an Ohioan who was a college contemporary and member of a campus dance band. Song Writer Ruston is currently assisting his father in the management of an extensive strip mining (coal) operation near Charleston. He and Mrs. Ruston, the former DOROTHY MALONE, '33, have two sons, ages 11 and 6.



Albert C. Gubitz, Jr.
(See Class of 1926 Notes)

GEORGE M. BROWN, Cleveland attorney and immediate past president of the Ohio University Alumni Association, has been elected to a three-year term as a director of the Cleveland Athletic Club.

1932

DR. PAUL F. MUSE is assuming the position this fall of chairman of the commerce department at Indiana State Teachers College, Terre Haute. He has been a member of the teaching staff at Bowling Green (Ohio) State University since 1939 and editor of the research issues of the *National Business Education Quarterly* during the past two years.

1934

A teacher in elementary schools in Hilliards and elsewhere in Central Ohio since graduation, EDNA L. HOGUE will teach in

the William L. Machan School in Phoenix, Ariz., during the coming year.

MILDRED L. GIESECKE resigned her position this summer as primary supervisor in the Portsmouth public schools to go to Phoenix, Ariz., where she will be kindergarten-primary supervisor in the city schools.

1935

LIEUT. COMDR. CLIFFORD H. SELDON, JR., now an officer of the Regular Navy and attached to Headquarters of the Western Sea Frontier in San Francisco, is on temporary assignment as a student to the Navy General Line School in Newport, R. I.

MILTON GOLL (formerly Golubchik) is chief of the micro-biological laboratories of the Nuddex Products Company, Inc., Elizabeth, N. J.

1936

MURRAY A. CHILSON, an assistant resident U. S. Engineer in the office of the New York District Engineer, in New York City, has had charge of contracts for the erection of the Cadet Mess of the U. S. Military Academy, West Point, during the past year. During the war he was in charge of construction of harbor defense at Ft. Tilden, N. Y. and commanded an engineer combat battalion in the Pacific Theater.

1937

FELIX PRZEBESZWSKI, a special teacher and coach in Washington Junior High School, Albuquerque, N. Mex., was a campus visitor on June 18. He had just attended the NEA meetings in Cincinnati and was on his way to Columbus to attend a meeting of elementary principals. Before going to Albuquerque he was for five years the director of boys at the Ganado Mission on the Navajo Reservation in Arizona.

The new principal of Lancaster High School is J. E. BROWN (see picture) who left the assistant principalship at Bedford to accept his present position. He previously served as a school administrator at Rutland and Sunbury, and holds a master's degree from Ohio State University. Mrs. Brown is the former BETTY JANE ORSTOT, '37, 2-yr. Another new member of the Lancaster High staff this year is MARY ELIZABETH KESSINGER, '33, M.Ed. '40, who taught commercial subjects in Euclid Heights High School last year.

1938

Mrs. John L. Montgomery (ELMA HILL), whose marriage was reported in the *June Alumnus*, and her husband sailed August 16 on the *Queen Elizabeth* from New York City for the British Isles. They will spend the coming year in Dublin, Ireland, where Mr. Montgomery will be engaged in looking after interests of his company, the International Export Company of Cincinnati, and acting as a manager for C.A.R.E. (Cooperative for American Remittances to Europe). Mrs. Montgomery is the daughter of Prof. and Mrs. Victor D. Hill, Athens.

The Alumni Secretary (see page 2) is not the only one who has had nice things done for him this year. Just before attending the Ohio Annual Conference of

the Methodist Church in Cincinnati late in May, REV. JOHN WISLEY STAY, minister of the Thurman Avenue Methodist Church in Columbus, got delivery on a new 1947 Pontiac sedan, a long-awaited and needed accessory in his ministry. Upon the return of Reverend and Mrs. Stay (LAURA KNOOP, '42) from conference, the members of the former's church held a reception and presented them with \$410 in cash to be applied on the cost of the



Merrill D. Thomas
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new car. Then, from an attorney friend in Columbus came a check for \$300 to be used in a like manner. The young minister reports that the gifts left them "well-nigh speechless."

1940

A former instrumental music director in the Logan schools and an overseas war veteran, RAYMOND F. MAXWELL will supervise instrumental music in the Middleport public schools this coming year.

LEONA M. PICKARD, an acting instructor in English at Ohio University, spent the summer in Madison, Wis., pursuing graduate work at the University of Wisconsin.

JOHN DUFFY, JR., who earlier this year received a Master of Science degree at Ohio State University, is superintendent of floriculture greenhouses in the Department of Floriculture at O.S.U.

1941

Five generations of one family are shown in the picture on page 18 in which Charles Douglas McAfee, III, is the not-too-much concerned center of attraction for his mother, grandmother, great-grandmother, and great-great-grandmother. The three-months-old infant is the son of CHARLES D. MCAFEE, II, an instructor and coach in Ames-Bern High School, and Mrs. McAfee (JEAN CRAWFORD, '43), Amesville. From left to right in the picture are the great-great-grandmother, age 86; the grandmother, Mrs. MARVELLA JACOBY CRAWFORD, '17x, age 47; the mo-



Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Clark
(See Class of 1947 Notes)

her, age 26, who is exercising her maternal prerogative of holding the baby; and the great-grandmother, age 66. The maternal grandfather, Theodore "Ted" Crawford, has been a member of the maintenance staff at Ohio University for many years. He was seriously injured a year and a half ago while supervising the placement of temporary housing units for veterans, and, after months of hospitalization, is still on crutches. Little Charles Douglas is remarkably blessed with progenitors, there being four living generations represented on his father's side, in addition to the five on his mother's side.

If you like a life of excitement you will envy RALPH BIDWELL, JR. (see picture) his position as police reporter for *The Detroit News*. The following is part of some biographical data provided at the editor's request: "In a metropolitan area of 2,000,000 population, like Detroit, acts of violence are bound to happen and generally do every day. My job as day police reporter for the past three years has been to report them for *The Detroit News*. It is not unusual to work on three or four murders in a week. Toss in a few hold-ups, a traffic fatal, an explosion, trouble in a picket line and a daring lunch-hour police chase downtown and you can see why I use a telephone at least 100 times every day. . . . However, I have managed to find time to manage a Class A baseball team in a suburban Detroit league the last two summers and build a modernistic brick home at 19011 Loveland Ave., Farmington, a Detroit suburb, in which my wife of 18 months, Madeline, and I live. . . . Prior to 1944, I was sports editor of the *Sturgis, Mich., Daily Journal* and city hall reporter for the *Salt Lake City, Utah, Telegram*. After graduation in June, 1941, I flew in the Navy Air Corps." In the picture Ralph is to be seen (right) talking to a father whose small daughter had been beaten to death by an aunt.

RICHARD O. LINKE, formerly associated with a New York advertising concern

handling, among other accounts, publicity for the Chesterfield "Supper Club" radio program, is now with Capitol Records, heading their promotion and publicity in the East, a position of increased responsibility. Among the 30 or more artists whose names Dick must keep in the limelight are Jo Stafford, his old friend of the "Supper Club," Benny Goodman, Johnny Mercer, Margaret Whiting, Martha Tilton, Peggy Lee, Stan Kenton, and the King Cole Trio.

DR. JOSEPH D. BOGGS, a graduate of Jefferson Medical College, Philadelphia, is now on the staff of the National Cancer Institute at Bethesda, Md.

JOHN A. LOCKARD, ex, is an assistant secretary of the Cuyahoga Savings and Loan Co. in Cleveland. In a reference to John in the company's quarterly publication, "Money Matters," he is described as "faithful, energetic, and painstaking," and it is pointed out that he has risen from a teller's position to his new position as assistant secretary. The Clevelander served in World War II from 1941 to late in 1943, most of the time as aide-de-camp to Brig. Gen. Neal C. Johnson in the South Pacific. He and Mrs. Lockard, the former BETTINELL BLANKNER, '42, are the parents of a child, John Thomas, two and one-half years of age.

JOSEPH G. RUFUS, assistant football, basketball, and baseball coach at Benedictine High School, Cleveland, for the past two years, has signed a three-year contract as head coach of these sports at Benedictine.

MARGARET A. WRIGHT, 3-yr., is engaged in private tutoring on Cat Cay, one of the Bahama Islands. Her brother, Robert, and sister, Jean, were a freshman and sophomore, respectively, at Ohio University last year.

1942

CLARENCE M. BJORK, husband of the former HELEN KUKKONEN, and himself a graduate student at Ohio University in 1941-1942, has been appointed assistant professor of mathematics at Northern Michigan College of Education in Marquette. Following discharge from the service early last year Mr. Bjork was an instructor in mathematics at Michigan College of Mining and Technology in

Houghton. He has recently been in attendance at Columbia University.

ORMSBY L. HARRY, M.S., '47, has become assistant dean of students this fall at the University of Omaha in Nebraska. During his year of graduate study at Ohio University he was resident manager of the Men's Dormitory. His wife, Mrs. HELEN BARKLOW HARRY received a master's degree from Ohio University in the same class with her husband. Her thesis was entitled "A Study of the Development of Women's Sports and Related Activities from 1850 to 1900." She received the B.S. degree from the University of Oregon in 1942.

BRUCE P. PRICE has taken up residence in Austin, Texas, where he is under appointment this year as instructor in flute at the University of Texas. Besides completing degree work at Ohio University Bruce graduated from the Conservatory of Music at Cincinnati. His brother, ROBERT W. PRICE, '47, will continue advanced studies in piano this coming year.

1943

An Ohio University campus visitor in July was RICHARD L. SHETLER who is engaged in development work in radar with the General Electric Co. at Syracuse, N. Y. He was accompanied by his wife, the former EDITH BARTLETT, '43.

ELMER E. GERDING has been named head football coach at Brecksville High School. He will continue as head basketball coach and may assume the duties next spring of baseball coach.

Among the more recent graduates of Ohio University receiving advanced degrees at Ohio State at the end of the summer quarter on August 29 were MARIE C. ELLIOTT; CATHERINE MORRIS, '44; ANNA E. NORMAN, '44; and JOHN F. HALL, '46. All were awarded master of arts degrees.

1944

ESTHER RIGGLE writes: "After reading in the *May Alumnus* about MARY KERR, '17, director of Guidance and Special Services at Garfield Heights and Mrs. FAITH WILLIAMS, '32, head of the special education department, I decided that I should report that I, too, shall be working in their de-



Four Generations Focus Attention on a Rising Fifth
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partment this year — as special education teacher in Garfield Elementary School. Previously I have been 4th grade teacher in Maple Leaf School in Garland Heights."

The ordination of FRANKLIN J. KLOHN into the Sacred Order of Deacons of the Episcopal Church was held in Sandusky late in June following his graduation from the seminary at Kenyon College. He has now begun his ministry as minister-in-charge of Grace Episcopal Church, Galion.

Lately assigned to the Radio and Radar Facilities' Watson Laboratory at Eaton



Robert D. Regula
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town, N. J., LIFUT. WILLIAM C. SCHWITZGEBEL, JR. is now electronics officer at Mather Field, Sacramento, Calif.

ROBERT F. SCHENZ, who is engaged in graduate work in business administration at the University of California in Los Angeles, expects to complete work for his master's degree next January, but will not go through the formal graduation process until the following June. He is a part-time veterans and vocational counselor in the Los Angeles city schools. Bob was an Alumni Office visitor one day this summer.

1945

MRS. SHEILA GRAHAM MORRISON, A.M. '47, and her husband, ROBERT C. MORRISON, a student-veteran at Ohio University, have gone to Gainesville, Fla., where the former will be an instructor in speech this year at the University of Florida. The latter will enroll as a student. Mrs. Morrison, daughter of MILES M. GRAHAM, '14, Logan, was a graduate assistant in dramatic art and speech at Ohio University last year.

Mrs. Burton H. Bidwell (EILEENE CDANIEL, A.M. '47) has accepted a position this fall as instructor in English at the University of New Mexico. Her husband, a student-veteran, is transferring his work from Ohio University to the university in Albuquerque where he will be enrolled in the School of Business Administration.

SARA ANNE "SALLY" DOYLE is engaged in child welfare work with the Catholic Service League in Youngstown.

1946

Top ranking graduates of Ohio University's School of Journalism have little difficulty finding positions to their liking. One of the most recent connections in the news world is that of ARTHUR W. BENNETT, who secured degrees in both 1946 and 1947 and who has become advertising manager of the West Bend News, "the largest ABC [Audit Bureau of Circulation] weekly in the state of Wisconsin." He reports that he has an opportunity to do a little writing and editing along with his advertising work, and thus manages to keep exceedingly busy.

RUTH ALICE WRIGHT has completed a year's training at Mt. Carmel Hospital, Columbus, as a medical technician, and on September 1 entered upon a position as an "MT" at Children's Hospital in Columbus.

GLORIA ANN VISCONTE, former secretary to the Committee on Endowment at Vassar College, is now associated with the Research Division of the Personnel Department of General Foods Corp. in New York City.

JOHN P. DEMOLET, JR. and Mrs. DeMolet (GEORGIANA E. BAKER, '46), whose marriage was announced in the June *Alumnus*, will be residents of Mt. Healthy, a Cincinnati suburb, during the coming year. The former will be enrolled in the University of Cincinnati School of Law, while the latter will be a teacher in the Mt. Healthy schools. Both were camp counselors at the Red Raider Camp near Cleveland this summer.

BETTY KEESECKER SKIDMORE (Mrs. William) has recently joined her husband who is stationed in Munich, Germany, as an officer in the Army's Counter Intelligence Corps.

1947

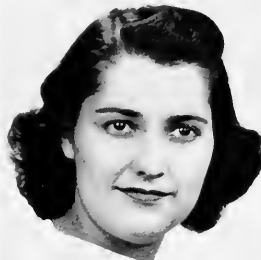
Wedding pictures cannot always be delivered to meet an editor's deadline. Such was the case of the picture (see cut) of M. LESLIE CLARK and Mrs. Clark (CARLENE ROSS, '46) who are a bride and groom of last June 12 and whose wedding announcement was a last-minute incorporation in the June *Alumnus*. The groom, an August graduate, has accepted a position as engineering draftsman with the Columbus and Southern Ohio Electric Co. and will be located in Athens. Mrs. Clark will teach in the Athens County schools during the coming year.

An appointment, as of last June 1, brought ROBERT D. REGULA (see picture), back to his alma mater as an assistant to the dean of men. Bob received his degree last February. He had been president of the Men's Union and a student member of the important Campus Affairs Committee.

MARJORIE WISSE (see picture), a two-star (with highest honor) graduate and a member of Phi Beta Kappa, has accepted a position in New York City, with E. R. Squibb & Sons, well-known manufacturing chemists, on the editorial staff of the *Squibb Memoranda*, a quarterly publication circulating among physicians. "The

work is fascinating," she writes, "with an opportunity for me to learn the trials and tribulations of magazine work from the bottom up plus delving into medical research."

DANA S. CASE and Mrs. Case (MARY LOUISE MATTHEWS, '43) are now residents of Hammond, Ind., where the former is temporarily engaged in accounting work for the Glidden Company of Cleveland at the Metals Refining Company, a Glidden subsidiary. While her husband was finishing up war-delayed



Marjorie A. Wisse
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work at Ohio University last year, Mrs. Case served as an acting instructor in mathematics at her alma mater.

Advancing in his profession, BURTON C. EASTON, formerly assistant production manager for Towse Publications, is now production manager. A graduate of the January section of his class, Manager Easton is the father of a son, Steven Kenneth, who was born last year while the parents were residents of Ohio University's Veterans Village.

One of the activities in which DOROTHY HAINER is engaged as assistant to the Rev. Dean R. Wright, minister to students of the Ohio Baptist Convention, and secretary at the Tenth Avenue Baptist Church in Columbus, is the publication of a monthly newspaper for circulation among Baptist students.

PATRICIA SHERMAN has been employed as laboratory technician and office nurse at the Mason Clinic, Mason, W. Va., across the Ohio River from her home in Middleport. Miss Sherman is the daughter of RAY "MICKY" SHERMAN, '17x, and GENEVIEVE MIDDLETON SHERMAN, '15, 2-year.

JO ANN MURPHY is secretary to the chief of communications of the Eastern Air Lines at the International Airport in Miami, Fla. Her sister, KAY MURPHY, '36, is a feature writer for the *Miami Herald*.

MARY KATHRYN DAUM, '31, Marysville, secretary to the assistant to the president, Ohio University, to RUSSELL T. BUSH, '39, Steubenville, a veteran of five years of military service and now with the Fisher Body Corp., (Cleveland), July 11, 1947. At home: 1888 Hastings Ave., East Cleveland. Previous to becoming secretary to B. T. GROVER, '19, assistant to the president, Mrs. Bush was for seven years a member of the secretarial staff in the Alumni Office.

Alvena Joan Wagstaff, Galton, graduate of Flora Stone Mather College of Western Reserve University (Cleveland), to DR. JOHN W. GROVER, JR. (see picture)



Dr. and Mrs. John W. Grover, Jr.

'44, Athens, interne, Christ Hospital, Cincinnati, June 12, 1947. At home: 2332 Auburn Ave., Cincinnati. Best man: LT. KEITH R. BRANDBERRY, '43, a Navy medical officer. Dr. Grover received his degree in medicine from Western Reserve in June. The young medico is the son of J. WATT GROVER, '20x, and Mrs. Grover, (BESSIE A. DONALDSON, '19x), Athens.

RIEHA MAE WENDELKIN, '44, Columbus, assistant, Registrar's Office, Ohio State University, Columbus, to CLAYTON E. FERRELL, Murray City, Ohio University senior and war veteran, Aug. 17, 1947. At home: 220 14th Ave., Columbus.

JANET C. POLK, '49x, East Cleveland, to ROBERT M. CHAPMAN, '46, Gaysville, accountant with Price Waterhouse & Co. (Cleveland), June 29, 1947. At home: 1747 Page Ave., East Cleveland.

Mary Kay Richards, Kenton, a 1945 graduate of Miami University, to DWIGHT E. RANSDELL, '47, Kenton, associated with the Kenton Lumber Co., June 15, 1947. At home: West Wayne St., Kenton.

JEANNE A. GWALTNEY, '46, Felicity, kindergarten teacher (Akron), to John J.

Marriages

Gruninger, Jr., war veteran, June 28, 1947. At home: 683 Gritton Ave., Akron.

MARGERY A. MILLER, '46, Cleveland Heights, to Jerome Langsam, Cleveland, veteran-student, University of California, June 23, 1946. At home: 3201 W. 133rd St., Hawthorne, Calif.

MARTHA E. CASKEY, '47, Athens to WILLIAM R. HUNT, LaCrosse, Wis., Ohio University senior, Aug. 9, 1947. The bride is the daughter of Lt. Col. J. H. Caskey, still on leave from the Ohio University faculty, and Mrs. Caskey, an acting instructor in English. At home: 29 Race St., Athens.

FRANCES L. GOODWIN, '39, Bridgeport, W. Va., teacher, to Roy E. Logan, June 27, 1947. At home: Nelson, Calif.

DORETHA J. HAND, '46, Chillicothe, teacher, junior high school, to LESTER J. RIFFLE, Chillicothe, a student-veteran at the Ohio University branch in Chillicothe and associated with the Chillicothe Paper Co., Feb. 8, 1947. At home: 419 Stacey Road, Chillicothe. Mrs. Riffle is a sister of ESTHER JANE HAND, '38, A.M., '46, Athens; Mrs. Clifford J. Hammond (RUTH HAND, '38), Bend, Oregon; and HARRY E. HAND, an Ohio University sophomore. She is also a niece of DR. ESTHER M. GREISHEIMER, '14, Philadelphia, Pa.

JEAN MURPHY, '40, Huntington, W. Va., with Market Research Dept., Proctor & Gamble Co. (Cincinnati), to Norman B. Davey, Jackson, Mich., chief accountant, Union Steel Products Corp. (Albion, Mich.), July 12, 1947. At home: 118 Austin Ave., Albion.

Jeanne Louise Olewiler, Marion, Bowling Green State University graduate and vocal music supervisor, public schools (Lancaster) to RALPH D. MCCAMBRIDGE, '43, New Lexington, coach and physical education teacher, junior high school (Lancaster), June 27, 1947. At home: 302½ Madison Ave., Lancaster.

WILDA J. "BOOTS" RAWLES, '47, Akron, to C. GRANT FERGUSON, Athens, student-veteran and senior at Ohio University, June 28, 1947. At home: 9 Church St., Athens. Mrs. Ferguson was a member of the June graduating class this year.

JEANNE H. HOLMES, '43, Franklinville, N. Y., to John Corbin, law student, Boston University, May 24, 1947. At home: 82 Belmont St., Somerville, Mass. A former teacher of crippled children in New York City and Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., Mrs. Corbin will take up work on October 1 as teacher of an experimental class for spastic children for the Crippled Children's Society of Massachusetts.

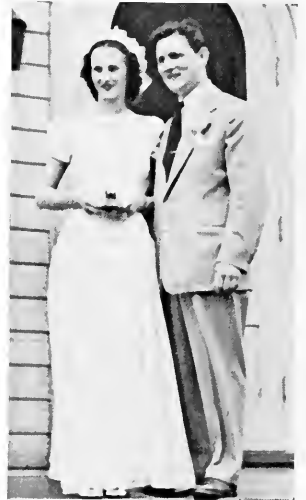
MARGARET ANN "PEGGY" WALBECK, '45x, Cuyahoga Falls, to GLENN E. MOESCHBERGER, '42, Warren, a Navy veteran now a public accountant with Arthur Andersen & Co. (Cleveland),

June 7, 1947. At home: 1877 East 75th St., Apt. 8-B, Cleveland.

MARY A. MONKS, '40, Logan, instructor, John Brown University (Siloam Springs, Ark.) to Roger F. Combs, Algenia, Iowa, student-veteran, John Brown University, Aug. 9, 1947. At home: Siloam Springs.

ADA S. BURKE, '48x, Brooklyn, N. Y., to IRWIN S. SELIN, '46, Brooklyn, N. Y., sales manager, S. Klein (14th St. & 4th Ave., New York City), July 4, 1947. At home: 134 Remson St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

JEAN L. KETTLER, '44, Steubenville,



Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Merrick

Finance Dept., Sterling Products Division of Sterling Drug, Inc. (Wheeling, W. Va.), to Joseph Merrick, Steubenville, student-veteran, Muskingum College (New Concord), June 7, 1947. Bridal attendant: Mrs. Virgil B. Wolff (EILEEN BUCHANAN, '43). Mrs. Merrick will continue in her occupational activity for the present.

JUNE WALLACE, '44, Charleston, W. Va., to RICHARD C. CLAYMORE, '47, Richmond, Calif., June 11, 1947. The groom, a student-veteran who received his degree in August, is a brother of JAMES J. CLAYMORE, '42, Richmond, Calif.

HELEN J. YARSHUK (formerly Yaroshuk), '46, Garfield Heights, medical technician, Cleveland Clinic, to DON R. CARR, '43, Orlando, Fla., chemist, duPont Company (Cleveland), June 14, 1947. Mrs. Carr is a sister of Mrs. Joseph C. Wessel (OLGA YAROSHUK, '42), Cleveland. The groom is the son of GEORGE E. CARR, '10, 2-yr., and Mrs. Carr (MERLE TEWKSBURY, '10, 2-yr.), Winter Park, Fla. At home: 1864 East 89th St., Cleveland.

Mrs. MARTHA RANSDELL LONG, '39, Kenton, former teacher (Pt. Pleasant, W. Va.), to George Fugate, Jr., Forest, June 28, 1947. At home: Long Beach, Calif.

JESSIE A. CRAWFORD, of near Athens, Ohio University sophomore, to RICHARD H. ESSEX, Cleveland, student-veteran, Ohio University, Sept. 6, 1947. The bride's matron of honor was her sister, Mrs. Charles D. McAfee, Jr. (JEAN CRAWFORD, '43—see Class of 1941 Notes). Also included in the wedding party were MARION CROSSEN, '43, and JESSIE SENTI, of the Ohio University Service Bureau, in which the bride is a part-time worker. At home: South Congress St., Athens.

JEAN MADDOX, '45, Rodney, secretary, Admissions Office, Ohio University, to John F. Bowman, Danville, W. Va., student-veteran, Ohio University, Aug. 24, 1947. At home: 113 E. Union St., Athens.

Margaret Ann Merkel, Mentor, a Northwestern University graduate and vocal music supervisor, Lake County schools, early in July, 1947. At home: Mentor. The newlyweds were attended by the groom's brother and sister-in-law, RALPH R. WALKER, '32, and Mrs. Walker (JENNIE MAE DIXON, '33, 2-yr.), Logan.

GLADYS C. PICKENS, '44, Reedsville, high school teacher (Racine) to William R. Meredith, Minersville, senior-veteran at Ohio State University, June 8, 1947. At home: 2431 Deming Ave., Columbus.

BERNICE P. RUSSELL, '35, Frost, high school teacher (Stewart) to WAYNE W. KOEHLER, '38x, Guysville, engaged in insurance business and farming, Aug. 8, 1947. At home: R.F.D., Guysville.

LOIS A. DIXON, Athens, Ohio University senior, to FREDERICK W. ROSSER, Athens, a senior-veteran at Ohio U., Sept. 12, 1947. The bride is the daughter of Prof. J. Floyd Dixon, director of the Extension Division at Ohio University, and Mrs. Dixon, and a sister of Mrs. Charles R. Blaine (RUTH DIXON, '38), Lancaster. The groom is a brother of EDWARD B. ROSSER, '32, A.M. '34, Hiram, and a nephew of WILLIAM H. FENZEL, '18, assistant to the dean, College of Commerce, and associate professor of accounting and economic geography at Ohio University. At home: Pine Place, Athens.

VERONICA J. DENNY, West Haven, Conn., a former Army nurse and a student at Ohio University, to ROBERT J. COOK, '43, Wellsville, N. Y., war veteran and now telegraph editor, *The Athens Messenger*, Sept. 6, 1947. At home: 27 S. Congress St., Athens.

BARBARA C. WOLTZ, '47x, Canton, to JOHN H. STAUFFER, '47, Eric, Pa., a war veteran now acting as the Chicago representative of the Health-Education Dept. of the McGraw-Hill Book Co., June 7, 1947, at the Athens Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Dr. H. T. Houf, professor of philosophy at Ohio University, was the officiating minister.

Alice Birnbaum, Lynbrook, N. Y., to DONALD MONTLACK, '47, Flushing, N. Y., accountant, Aug. 24, 1947.

NANCY E. JONES, '43, Cleveland Heights, former American Red Cross worker in Europe and Japan, to Calvin A. Detwiler, Jr., Tucson, Ariz., a graduate of Ball State College, Muncie, Ind., Aug. 16, 1947. At home: Tucson, Ariz.

BETTY KATHRYN HINES, '45, Cleveland, secretary, to Lieut. (jg) Edward P.

Rogers, a Navy medical officer at the Great Lakes Training Center, Aug. 28, 1947. At home: 718 Grand Ave., Waukegan, Ill.

MRS. JANETT THOMPSON BLOOM, '38, Amesville, secretary to Director of Athletics Don C. Peden, Ohio University, to WAYNE E. BUCK, '41, Guysville, high school teacher (Roseville), July 24, 1947. At home: Roseville.



Mr. and Mrs. Paul Brickman

Pictured above are PAUL BRICKMAN, '46, and Mrs. Brickman, Cornell Towers, 5346 Cornell, Chicago, Ill., who were married Dec. 24, 1946. Mrs. Brickman, the former Lois Sue Benjamin of Detroit, is a graduate of the University of Illinois and a former newspaper woman. Mr. Brickman is a member of the executive staff of Scott & Schuler, industry and public relations consultants.

LOUISE HODGSON, '43, Columbus, physical education instructor, Iowa State University (Ames, Iowa), to CLIFTON E. BAKER, '43, Harriettsville, structural designer, The H. K. Ferguson Co., engineers and builders (Cleveland), Aug. 24, 1947. At home: 7719 Force Ave., Cleveland.

BETTY M. LEIENDECKER, '47, Bexley, Columbus, bookkeeper, Bank of Athens, N.B.A., to KYLE E. McAFEE, JR., student-veteran, Ohio University, July 20, 1947. At home: 91 W. State St., Athens. Several members of the wedding party were campus friends and contemporaries of the principals.

ROSEMARY BRIMNER, '47, South Logan, to Eugene W. Garrison, Columbus, an Ohio State University alumnus now engaged in farming near Mt. Sterling, June 28, 1947. At home: Taylor Lane, Mt. Sterling.

EVA L. DELANO, '45, Marietta, Ohio University library staff, to DONALD L. FARRELL, Portsmouth, student-veteran, Ohio University, Aug. 30, 1947. At home: Athens.

Engagements

BLETH LEE McASKILL, '46, Athens, stewardess, United Air Lines (Chicago, Ill.), to Capt. William J. Smith, Gainesville, Tex., a United Air Lines pilot flying out of Chicago.

DORIS A. WILLIAMS, '47, Gainesville, Fla., clerk, International Conference Division, U. S. State Dept., Washington, D. C., to Albert R. Morejohn, Long Island, N. Y., student-veteran, University of Maryland, who expects to transfer soon to Cornell University for the completion of degree work in geology.

IONE STUART, '47, Huntington, W. Va., to LAWRENCE BOLLER, '47, Buffalo, N. Y. Miss Stewart was chosen Queen of the Military Ball at Ohio University last spring and was named Honorary Colonel of the ROTC. Mr. Bigler pursued graduate studies at his alma mater during the past summer. No definite date has been set for the wedding, although it is planned as a pre-holiday event in December.

PHYLLIS ANNE CROWE, '47, Chillocothe, to JOHN E. BROWNLEE, JR., Pittsburgh, Pa., student-veteran, Ohio University.

NORMA L. SHOEMAKER, '47, 3-yr., Chillocothe, to Earl Fisher, Jr., Lima.

MARGARET JANE SHELDON, '45, Berea, student dietitian, St. Lukes Hospital (Cleveland), to Joseph C. Hadden, Oakdale, Pa., student, Western Reserve University School of Medicine, Cleveland.

MILDRED H. TAYLOR, East Cleveland, Ohio University senior, and daughter of Z. G. TAYLOR, '11, 2-yr., and Mrs. Taylor, to ROGER L. ROWLAND, Athens, student-veteran, Ohio University, and son of ATTORNEY HAL H. ROWLAND, '20x, and Mrs. Rowland (ROSEMARY FISHER, '22x). Mr. Taylor is manager of the East Cleveland Lamp Works of the General Electric Co. The wedding will take place in December.

Hazel Getz, Hamilton, secretary at The Hill-Brown Printing Co., to ERNEST L. WILSON, '39, with Soil Conservation Service, Hamilton County Soil Conservation District, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.

MARJORIE C. McCLURE, '45, Toledo, formerly Wauseon, teacher, Laurel School (Shaker Heights), to Robert H. Seeley, Kenmore, N. Y., a graduate of Ohio Wesleyan University and of the Western Reserve School of Law. No date has been set for the wedding.

Saragrace A. Atherton, Lackawana, N. Y., to MYRON D. THOMPSON, '41, Newcomerstown, high school teacher (Pleasantville, N. Y.).

Corinne Alice Cortes, Port Arthur, Tex., receptionist, Sterling Optical Co., New York City, who expects to enroll soon in Columbia University, to JOSE CAZANAS, '44, Havana, Cuba, steel designer for Ford, Bacon & Davis (New York City); heavy construction engineers and contractors.

DORIS JEFFERS, Athens, Ohio University senior, to Harold Smith, Wellston, employed by the Morrow Mfg. Co.

Births

TWINS—Sandra and Susan to BERNARD D. OSBORNE, '41, and Mrs. Osborne (HARRIET BROWN, '44x), Schloss Apts., Athens, Aug. 1, 1947. The father is assistant coordinator of veterans affairs at Ohio University.

Roger Henderson to HENDERSON L. ADAMS, '37, and Mrs. Adams (GLADYS MITCHELL, '39), 522 Victoria Ave., Williamstown, W. Va., July 27, 1947. Mr. Adams is an instructor in mathematics at Marietta College.

Howard Ferst to HOWARD W. NEILSON, '46, and Mrs. Neilson (BETTY FERST, '42, 2-yr), 553 Evanswood Place, Cincinnati, Apr. 19, 1947. Mr. Neilson is now attending the University of Cincinnati Law School.

Paula Doreen to DORAN A. SAUERS, JR., '40, and Mrs. Sauer (AUKA MCKAY, '40), Brilliant, July 5, 1947. Mr. Sauer is associated with the Ohio Power Company at Steubenville as a power sales engineer. The new arrival is a niece of HELEN SAUERS, '39, and JAMES MCKAY, '48x.

Peter Bernhart to PAUL L. YOUNG, '31, and Mrs. Young, Chapel Hill, N. C., May 20, 1947. Mr. Young is associate professor of voice and head of the voice department in the School of Music at the University of North Carolina.

Robert Arthur to REV. ROBERT N. WESLEY, '44x, and Mrs. Wesley (ELEANOR MCJILTON, '44), 2405 Reisterstown Rd., Baltimore, Md., July 15, 1947. Reverend Wesley is pastor of the Clifton Avenue Methodist Church in Baltimore and also attending Western Maryland College at Westminster, Md. Mrs. Wesley is studying the flute at Peabody Conservatory, and playing in the Peabody Symphony Orchestra.

Carroll Virginia to DR. GUY W. BRUGLER, '29, and Mrs. Brugler, 2689 Colchester Rd., Cleveland Hts., Dec. 8, 1946. Dr. Brugler, who was a lieutenant colonel in the Army Medical Corps during the war, is assistant director of University Hospitals in Cleveland.

Vera Marie to VERA O. SMITH, '39, and Mrs. Smith (KATHLEEN SHANNON, '40x), 218 Fairlawn Ave., Mansfield, Aug. 20, 1947. Mr. Smith is associated with the Veterans Administration.

Thomas Arthur to ARTHUR G. McPHERSON, '47, and Mrs. McPherson (MARY GIBSON, '43), 19½ Arden Place, Athens, July 12, 1947. Mr. McPherson is to be a graduate assistant in botany at Ohio University during the coming year. Maternal grandmother: Mrs. Thomas E. Gibson (ADENA DANFORD, '17, 2-yr.), Athens.

Mark Lope to GEORGE F. RUTKOSKE, JR., '35, and Mrs. Rutkoskie (BETTY LOPE, '35), 166 Morris Ave., Athens, July 13, 1947. Mr. Rutkoskie is engaged in a contracting business.

Paula Frances to JOHN C. "JACK" FULTON, '42, and Mrs. Fulton, 1015 12th St., N.W. (L), Washington, D.C., June 20,

1947. Mr. Fulton is a sales representative in Washington of the McBee Company of Athens. The paternal grandparents, OSCAR FULTON and DOROTHY CAMPBELL FULTON, Athens, are former students of Ohio University, while Mrs. Russell B. Drake (BETTY FULTON, '43), Pittsburgh, and FRANK B. FULTON, '47, Athens, are an aunt and uncle, respectively, of the new baby.



Charles L. II, and Richard M. Fulks

Ah, blissful life! Without a care in the world Charles Leslie, II, and Richard Morrison (see picture), children of CHARLES H. FULKS, '43, and Mrs. Fulks (ANNA MARGARET MORRISON, '43), 186 N. Lancaster St., Athens, disport themselves on the lawn at the home of their grandparents, Prof. and Mrs. O. D. Morrison, in Athens. The grandfather is associate professor of history at Ohio University, while the father is a medical technologist at Athens' Sheltering Arms Hospital. A letterman in basketball, Pat Fulks already has begun instructing his youngest (see picture, again) in the technique of the overhead shot.

Grace Virginia to CAPT. JAMES R. GILMORE, '35, and Mrs. Gilmore (HELEN JONES, '37x), 259 Hollywood Ave., Douglaston, L.I., N.Y., June 23, 1947. Captain Gilmore is a master ocean pilot with Pan American Airways. Grace Virginia is blessed with a number of Ohio University relatives on her mother's side, the names having been indicated at the times of the births of her two sisters. The maternal grandparents, however, are: Mrs. FREDIA FINSTERWALD JONES, '11, Athens, and the late PROF. EVAN J. JONES, JR., '10.

Robert Allen to EARL W. MANTER, '41, and Mrs. Manter (EVELYN MARKS, '42), 2210 Lyme Blvd., Drexel Hill, Pa., July 4, 1947. Mr. Manter is an accountant in Philadelphia with Ernst & Ernst, a public accounting firm.

Linda Lou to HUGH K. BLACK, '40, and Mrs. Black (HELEN HALLER, '42x),

15 Orchard Terrace, Washington, Pa., July 15, 1947. Mr. Black is associated with the Burroughs Adding Machine Co. Uncle of the new arrival: CHARLES E. BLACK, JR., '33, Lincoln Park, Mich.

William Warren to WILLIAM H. BALDWIN, JR., '41, and Mrs. Baldwin (CATHERINE PERRY, '41), 10 Harrison St., Morristown, N. J., July 23, 1947. Mr. Baldwin is a sales representative in Newark, N. J., of the American Oil Co.

Sidley Marie to Mr. and Mrs. Francis J. Brown (MARGARET ONDASH, '43), San Carlos Apts. #30, Tucson, Ariz., June 12, 1947. The father is an instructor at Davis-Monthan Air Base, while the mother, a former Youngstown teacher, is now teaching in Tucson.

Susan Elizabeth to ROBERT M. DAGGETT, '40, and Mrs. Daggett, 128 Gardenas Ave., San Francisco, Calif., April 5, 1946. The information has come belatedly to the editor of *The Alumnus*. Mrs. Daggett is a former Sydney, Australia, young lady. The father, late of the Army Air Corps, is now associated, as field auditor, with the Dohrmann Commercial Company. Aunts and uncles: Mrs. LOUISE DAGGETT TRACY, '30 (deceased); Mrs. David Bollinger (RUTH DAGGETT, '35x), Pittsburgh, Pa.; RICHARD V. DAGGETT, '24, Salem, Mass.; and WILBUR L. DAGGETT, '28x, Athens.

A son to LLOYD F. McCOMAS, '40, and Mrs. McComas, Little Hocking, July 29, 1947. Mr. McComas is principal of the Little Hocking (Washington County) schools.

A daughter to ROBERT VANDEMARK, '44, and Mrs. Vandemark (JEAN CHAPMAN, '43), 1217 E. High Street, Lima, June 22, 1947. Maternal grandparents: CLARENCE O. CHAPMAN, '19, and Mrs. Chapman (ERNESTINE CARMEL, '38), Rutland.

Susan Carol to Mr. and Mrs. Bud B. Brubaker (HARRIET MUSGRAVE, '42), 4661 Duston Rd., R.D. 4, Akron, June 21, 1947. Mr. Brubaker is a draftsman for Babcock and Wilcox, Maternal grandfather: WALTER E. MUSGRAVE, '19x, Athens.

Linda Louise to FREDERICK A. DIXON, '32, and Mrs. Dixon, Hooper St., Athens, Aug. 1, 1947. Mr. Dixon is an engineer with the Columbus and Southern Ohio Electric Company.

Joyce Lynn to GOMER H. JONES, '39, and Mrs. Jones, 15 Stewart St., Athens, Aug. 25, 1947. Mr. Jones is assistant manager of the Prudential Insurance Agency in Athens.

Suzanne to CHARLES ASA BRADBURY, '44x, and Mrs. Bradbury, S. Second Ave., Middleport, May 16, 1947.

Charles Sherrick to Mr. and Mrs. Robert D. Carver (MILDRED SHERRICK, '44), Aldridge Road, Columbia Station, Aug. 19, 1947. Mr. Carver is employed in the payroll department of The Fisher Body Company (Cleveland).

LIZZIE McVAY GILLILAN

Mrs. Lewis M. Gillilan (LIZZIE McVAY, '86—see picture below and on page 15), aged 84 and at the time of her death the third oldest living alumna in point of years since graduation, died Aug. 22, 1947, at the home of her eldest daughter, Mrs. Charles T. Eakin (RUTH GILLILAN, '16x), in Forest Hills, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mrs. Gillilan was a native of Athens County and a member of a distinguished pioneer family. She was the twelfth woman to be graduated from Ohio University, receiving the Ph.B. degree in 1886 and a Ph.M. three years later.

On the campus she was a charter member of Kappa Alpha Theta, the first na-



Mrs. Lewis M. Gillilan

tional sorority organized at Ohio University, and was active as a member of the Athenian Literary Society, representing it in oratorical contests with the rival Philomathean Society. She was invited back to the campus in 1941 to serve as Honorary Mother during the Mothers' Weekend program sponsored by the Women's League.

After teaching a year in the Athens schools she married Mr. Gillilan, a member of the Class of 1891. She had been married 48 years when her husband died, in 1935, while serving as a school administrator in Salt Lake City, Utah. Following his death, Mrs. Gillilan spent a year in Tokyo with a daughter, Elizabeth, then an English teacher in the Woman's Christian College.

Of the five children born to the Gillilans, three attended Ohio University—PAUL M. GILLILAN, '15, Erie, Pa.; Mrs. Eakin, Forest Hills, Pa.; and Mrs. D. B. Welch (ANNA GILLILAN, '17), Concord, Calif. She is survived by these three and by Miss Elizabeth Gillilan now of New York City. A son, Lewis W. Gillilan, died in Summit, N. J., in 1942.

Other survivors include her sisters, Mrs. C. E. Skinner (GLADYS McVAY, '89), and ANNA PEARL McVAY, '92, both now of near Athens. She was preceded in death by a brother, HERBERT R. McVAY, '90, and a sister, BERTHA W. McVAY, '93.

Mrs. Gillilan, a great-great-great niece of the Rev. Dr. Jacob Lindley, first president of Ohio University, was buried in the McVay family plot in the cemetery

Deaths

adjoining the Alexander Presbyterian Church near Athens which was organized by Jacob Lindley in 1832 shortly after he severed his connection with the university. Title to the burial and church grounds was given to the church organization by one of Mrs. Gillilan's forebears.

LAWRENCE E. ARMSTRONG

L. E. ARMSTRONG, '94, one of the leading attorneys of the state of Wyoming, died Aug. 8, 1947, in a Rawlins hospital following an illness of several months' duration.

Mr. Armstrong was born in Jackson, Ohio, in 1869. After attending the National Normal University at Lebanon for two years he entered Ohio University, from which he received a Ph.B. degree in 1894. For the next four years he taught school in Wyoming and Tennessee. He enrolled in Columbia University in 1898, earning an A.M. degree in 1900 and an LL.B. degree one year later.

He began the practice of law in Rawlins, Wyo., in 1901. After several years of legal practice he moved to Denver, Colo., where he engaged in the investment and real estate business. A few years later, however, he returned to Rawlins where he followed the legal profession continuously from that time, in later years in association with a son, J. R. Armstrong.

The deceased was an active participant in civic affairs in his community and throughout the state. He was a 33rd degree Mason and a past president of the Rawlins Rotary Club. A survey made by him of certain Rotary activities by clubs throughout the world was given extensive publicity by Rotary International. He had traveled widely abroad, and was a man of more than usual scholarly attainments.

CHRISTINE GALLOWAY EVELAND

Mrs. James L. Eveland (CHRISTINE GALLOWAY, '37), a resident of New Lexington, died June 7, 1947 in University Hospital, Columbus, of Hodgkin's disease, an incurable ailment, one of whose characteristics is progressive anemia.

Mrs. Eveland had been a teacher in the high school at Crooksville and during the period of her husband's army service had engaged in war work in Cleveland. Mr. Eveland is employed by a furniture and hardware store in New Lexington.

Besides her husband, Mrs. Eveland's survivors include a daughter, Elaine Marie, age two, and two brothers, MAJOR JAMES V. GALLOWAY, '40, Knoxville, Tenn., and EUGENE E. GALLOWAY, '33x, Columbus.

GRACE LUCILLE SHERMAN

GRACE L. SHERMAN, '19, a teacher in the high school at Santa Cruz, Calif., for the past 19 years, died July 30, 1947, of a cerebral hemorrhage at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ralph W. Burns, Bloomington, Ind. She had been head of the commercial department in the high school for most of the period of her teaching in Santa Cruz.

Miss Sherman was born at Orrville, Ohio, in 1895.

She was a charter member of the Ohio University chapter of Zeta Tau Alpha sorority, and had taught in Ohio, Arizona, Washington, and the Panama Canal Zone.

The California teacher is survived by her mother, two sisters, and a brother. Interment was made at Pataaskala.

CALVIN B. HUMPHREY

CALVIN B. HUMPHREY (see picture), '88, retired industrial executive and electrical engineer, died July 26, 1947, at the age of 81 at his home in Westport, Conn., death following a long illness.

A native of Coolville, Ohio, he entered



Mr. and Mrs. Calvin B. Humphrey

the preparatory department of Ohio University in 1882 and remained to graduate with the Bachelor of Arts degree in 1888. The next two years were spent at Cornell University where he earned a Master of Science degree. At Cornell he was a member of Sigma Xi, national scientific society, and he later became a member of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers.

Mr. Humphrey was associated with the Westinghouse Electric Co. in Pittsburgh for a period of ten years, a part of that time as sales manager. Going to New York City he became a vice president of the White Investing Company and later an executive of the Diesel Engineering Division of the Worthington Pump and Machinery Company.

With three other members of the Class of 1888—Mrs. Anna Barton Porterfield, Spokane, Wash.; George W. Reed, Uhrichville; and the late Rev. Dr. Elmer A. Dent—he returned to the Ohio University campus in 1938 to celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of his graduation.

Surviving are Mrs. Humphrey, the former Miss Minnie Minear of Athens; a daughter, Mrs. Earle Townsend (EDITH HUMPHREY, '19x), Westport; and two brothers, HENRY H. HUMPHREY, '84, St. Louis, and LEWIS HUMPHREY, '94x, Hook-inport. Two other brothers, SHEPARD S. HUMPHREY, '92, and JOHN HUMPHREY, '80x, are now dead.

The picture was taken seven years ago on Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey's golden wedding anniversary.

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