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OLD OREGON

Grads Relive College Days

THE alumni association's luncheon May 29 produced more than its share of good stories and witty speeches, for which representatives of the classes of 1893—the peppy half-century group; 1913, 1933, and 1943 were responsible. The usually smart class of 1923 must have been away winning the war. Anyhow, the big 1923 label stood in front of one solitary woman representative, who offered no oratory.

Carey F. Martin, Salem lawyer, representing '93, was about the spryest 73-year-old seen around these parts in some time. He didn't label his quips, and sometimes he'd be on his way to the next one before the audience discovered a good one had just been turned out. He told of John Wesley Johnson, first president of the institution, who, like several of his colleagues,

used to carry his lunch to the campus in those pre-Anchorage, pre-College Side, and pre-transportation nineties. He told of George H. Collier, "ideal college professor," who taught chemistry and physics; of Dr. Thomas Condon, geology professor who used to stroke his long chin beard as he talked and who stroked it longer and farther one day when a pupil asked him to harmonize the creation story of Genesis with the millions of years involved in the record of the rocks. "The Bible," Mr. Martin quotes him as saying while he pulled those memorable white whiskers, "is not a scientific book."

Then there was the time when young Martin and Lawrence T. Harris, with the mill-race frozen over and their ice-skates parked just outside the door, won a con-

cession from the chin-whiskered (in those days) John Straub, who was stricter than in later years. Professor Straub had been lengthening the Latin lessons unmercifully, and the lads stood it until the skating conditions approached perfection. Then Martin and Harris went to him and protested plausibly, without once mentioning skating—and to their great surprise the strict instructor cut the lessons in two. The overjoyed youngsters dashed right down to the mill-race.

MR. MARTIN referred slyly to the age of one of the beautiful girls who were his college-mates of the 90's, saying that "at that time" she was of the same age as himself.

He told the story of a premature M.A. degree awarded him and some others when the B.A. should have been given. The boys called the attention of a faculty member, Dr. B. J. Hawthorne, early psychology professor, to the error.

"Just don't say anything," the diplomatic doctor was quoted as advising, "and no one will ever bother you about it." The record shows an M.A. for Mr. Martin in 1896—which no doubt was granted for sufficient scholarly effort.

Edward F. Bailey amused the luncheon group with his "4-B" military classification of his fellow-thirteeners—"baldheaded, bifocaled, bay-windowed, and broken-arched."

Ethan Newman, representing the class of 1933, after kidding Mr. Bailey on the modest thirteeners' plight, made light reference to those two noted Irishmen, Mr. Zorn and Mr. MacPherson, who conceived the idea of moving the University over to Corvallis—this being one of the memories of the '33 group of grads, who went out bravely and weathered the depression of the early 30's.

AL LARSEN, silver-tongued representative of the graduating class, got through a happy speech without getting off on the obvious war tangent. Toastmaster Fred G. Stickels, '16, who was enjoying himself more or less at the expense of the class speakers, put two strikes on Al by telling on him the story of how the other day he demonstrated a regular college professor's memory by forgetting to appear for the preliminaries in the Failing-Beekman-Jewett oratorical contest, thus losing a chance for all the way from \$50 to \$150 as a prize. But his luncheon speech was scored as a hit.

Noticed among those present were such well-known old-timers as Dean H. Walker, '13, state senator from Polk and Benton counties, who once coached Oregon basketballers into the coast championship, later serving as graduate manager and as dean of men; Lieutenant Colonel Carlton E. Spencer, another 13-er, law professor on leave, now moving upward in the army; Clifford R. M. ("Skeet") Manerud, '22, who with Bill Steers almost won that Rose Bowl game from Harvard on the first day of 1920; Lynn McCready, '20, bank official, who used to be campus newspaper correspondent for a Portland paper, and Mrs. Lynn (Gladys Wilkins), '18, a star Emerald reporter who later became a successful newspaper woman; James H. Gilbert, '03, liberal arts dean, referred to by a speaker as one of the men who will be recalled in after years as the outstanding faculty men of the 90's are today.—G.T.



TWO OF THE REUNION CLASSES that met on the campus Alumni day, May 29. The Class of '93, above, celebrated its 50-year reunion with five class members present. They were, left to right, K. K. Kubli, Charles H. Worrel (guest), Myra Norris Johnson, L. H. Johnson (guest), Arthur P. McKinlay, Carey F. Martin, and Ethel Simpson Worrel. The Class of '18, below, counted the following class members present: left to right, first row, Jeannette Kletzing Simpson, Vera Olmstead Hall, Gladys Wilkins McCready, Lura Jerard Bowler; second row, Dr. Edward E. Gray, Dr. Dorothy Collier, Gladys Conklin John, Walter Myers, and Kenneth A. Moores. Helen Downing Spliid and Sarah Barker Waller, both '18, were also present, though not photographed.

Champs Again

By JOE MILLER, '43

Ducks Capture Bat Gonfalon

"The greatest record of any Northern Division team in modern history." This is how retiring *Old Oregon* Co-editor Joe Miller, '43, classifies the chronicle of Oregon's three-year reign as baseball champions of the Northwest. Although forced to share the gonfalon with the Oregon State Beavers this year, the Ducks had the clearly superior record and rank as one of the most well-rounded aggregations in Oregon athletic history. Their excellence was attested by outside observers when rival college sportswriters picked six Hobsoners on their all-star nine.

"HALF a loaf is better than none," but when you should have had the whole loaf, it's permissible to mutter a little over the missing half—especially when it's being eaten over in Corvallis!

Oregon actually won their third straight championship in baseball this spring, although they were forced to share the gonfalon with the pesky Oregon State Beavers. There is plenty of weighty evidence to support Oregon's unequivocal claim to the championship, but it would serve no purpose to cite that evidence here. Ergo, it is buried.

Again the road was long and uphill for the Webfoots of Howard Hobson. After O.S.C. swept 5 out of 6 on their road trip, the Ducks dropped the first two to Washington State at Pullman, and these 14-5 and 13-12 games contained the largest amount of runs scored against the Hobsoners in the last three years.

The Muscovites of Idaho fell to the slugging Oregons 23-1 and 12-3, but the big test was still: Could we take Washington at Seattle twice? We had already beaten the Huskies twice at Eugene, but Washington rates at least 40 per cent more effective on their home field. Besides that, Nick Begleries, premier hurler, had been struck by a long drive in the second game at Pullman, and many of the squad were suffering minor disablements.

BUT the Ducks refused to be stopped by anything like this. Nick gave the baffled boys of Tubby Graves too much of his "slider" ball, and the kids from tepee-town couldn't bring a run across the platter. Meanwhile, the Ducks were racking up a respectable "4" in their corner of the scoreboard to easily win.

The Huskies gave up the ghost the next day. Billed as a "pitching" battle between Doug Ford and Johnny Bubalo, the contest turned into an Oregon platter parade, and the final compilation was something like 13-4 for the Hobson Hurricanes. With two games left with Oregon State, the league standings read:

	Won	Lost
Oregon	11	3
O.S.C.	11	3



OREGON'S THREE-YEAR BASEBALL CHAMPIONS rank as the greatest diamond aggregation in Webfoot history. Here are the members of that squad, photographed by University Photographer J. Warren Teter. From left to right: First row—Frank Peterson, Barney Koch, Don Kirsch, Bill Hamel, Nick Begleries, Whitey Lokan, and Art Murphy. Second row—Johnny Gitzen, Bob Farrow, Dick Burns, Fred Kuhl. Third row—Coach Howard Hobson, Bob Santee, Bob Caviness, Roy Carlson, Captain John Bubalo, and Hal Saltzman.

The first game was at Corvallis on May 15. The hustling men of Ralph Coleman ran up their lead to 6-2 helped by a timely miscue in the Oregon outer garden. Oregon chased home two more in the ninth, the tying runs were on the sacks, but Don Cecil and Spec Burke quelled the uprising. There it was: 6-4.

"LaRevanche!" shouted the enraged Ducks, and they got it on the following Monday on Howe field. The knuckle-ball of Johnny, the Boob, was breaking up, down, in-out, and over the plate, and State couldn't get a thing until their token run in the ninth. The Ducks were content with their total of nine runs and 15 solid base hits.

OREGON immediately suggested a playoff game to determine a clearcut conference champion, and though there were still other conference games and events taking place, the Staters refused to tangle with the Ducks again—not even at Corvallis!

IN RETROSPECT, this three-year reign of Oregon marks the greatest record of any Northern Division team in modern history. The last regime to come near this feat was during the years of Joe Gordon in 1934-35. In the ten-year period that the Northern Division has existed, Oregon has won seven championships; Oregon State has triumphed once with two ties; Washington State, one and one tie; and a big, fat gratifying goose-egg for Washington and Idaho.

The records compiled by the 1943 Web-foot championship edition reveal their high standard of play. The entire squad of 22 men batted .289 and fielded .943 (highly respectable for college ball). The pitchers, Nick, Boob, Hal, et al, allowed only two earned runs per game, which is mighty fine chucking. Again an "Oregon" won the ND

batting title; Johnny Bubalo, by far "the most outstanding ballplayer" of the conference, slugged a heavy .443 to eclipse his closest competitor by thirty points.

"Black Jon" has to share the accolades with "Fisherman Nick" when laurels for '43 are passed out. Begleries, who has never hurled a lousy game in three steady years of righthand elbowing for Howard Hobson, comes close to Boob in always having the stuff when the chips were down. Nick's earned run average of the last three years tells the succinct story: 1.87 for 25 conference games.

A RECENT all-division team picked by a rival college sportswriters placed these Ducks on it: Johnny Bubalo, first; Don Kirsch, second; Bob Farrow, short; Barney Koch, centerfield; Art Murphy, utility infielder; and Nick Begleries, pitcher. Or to quote Royal Brougham, Seattle Times sports editor: "Oregon had by far the best all-around nine . . . and the mystery is why they are not complete champs."

ADD TRIVIA . . . Of 22 Oregon squadmen, 20 are going into the armed services immediately. The two deferred, Barney Koch and Bob Caviness, were in the navy, but suffered knee and face injuries that put them on the inactive list. Centerfielder-First Baseman Dick Burns has been elected captain for 1944; told the boys at the baseball banquet he would wouldn't be able to take the kind offer, "because of previous plans." The 14-5 debacle at Pullman was the first time in 26 games that any conference team had scored over five runs against the Webfoots.

Ralph Coleman, Oregon State coach, gave the key to this year's Oregon team when he muttered (out of the breath of Howard Hobson): "Well, they didn't fall apart like we did last year."

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News of the Classes

1881

Perm. Class Sec'y: Rev. Claiborne M. Hill, 2509 Hillgass Ave., Berkeley, Calif.

Claiborne M. Hill, '81, is now living in Berkeley, California, at 2509 Hillgass Avenue. Dr. Hill, founder and first president of the Berkeley Baptist Divinity school, retired after 33 years as president of the school, to the position of president emeritus. Although well on the way to his 86th birthday, Dr. Hill writes that he's still active.

1883

Mary Dorris Condon, '83, sole surviving member of the class of 1883, lives at 2281 East Mountain street in Pasadena, California. May 29 marked the 60th anniversary of Mrs. Condon's graduation from the University and although she was not able to be on the campus during Commencement weekend to commemorate the occasion, she sent her best wishes by letter.

1905

Perm. Class Sec'y: Albert R. Tiffany, 2045 Potter St., Eugene, Oregon.

Commander John A. Beckwith, LL.B. '05, has been transferred from duty at the U. S. Naval Training station at Newport, R. I., to duty as executive officer of the U. S. Navy Personnel center at Pleasanton, California.

1913

Col. Carlton E. Spencer, Assistant Director, State Selective Service, Salem, Oregon.

Russell Dean Calkins, '13, is a Commander in the Navy with the Amphibious Force Atlantic Fleet. Other members of the class of '13 in the service include Lt. Col. **Walter R. McClure, '13**, who is stationed at Kansas State College, Manhattan, Kansas as Professor of Military Science and Lt. Col. **Claude B. Washburne, '13**, who is Assistant Chief of Staff, Civil Affairs Division, Western Defense Command and Fourth Army, with headquarters at the Presidio of San Francisco, Calif. His wife is the former **Emo Hendershott, '15**.

Verena Black Rutherford, '13, is now teaching in Pasadena, Calif. and **Lucile Abrams Thurber, '13**, is an artist with a studio in Colorado Springs, Colorado. She has a daughter, **Diana, 13**.

Raymond J. Caro, '13, is the superintendent of the Phosphate Plant of Anaconda Copper Mining Co. of Anaconda, Montana. He has a daughter, **Mary, 8**. **Aline Noren Ehlinger, '13**, of Dover, Delaware, reports that she has two sons at Dartmouth and a third at Michigan.

1917

Mrs. Martha Beer Roscoe (Mrs. Stanley R. Roscoe), 1236 J. Street, Eureka, California.

At home in Victor, New York, **Margaret Spangler Higinbotham, '17**, finds that the gas restricted East is no "tea party." Her son, Paul, is about to enter the army and her daughter will enter high school. Assisting in the community war effort, Mrs. Higinbotham is a Red Cross supervisor and works twice a week for the air raid warning system.

1926

Perm. Class Sec'y: Mrs. Anna DeWitt Crawford, (Mrs. Wm. J. Crawford), Yeon Building, Portland, Oregon.

Maurice John Warnock, '26, has been elected treasurer of the Armstrong Cork

company in Lancaster, Pa. He joined the organization in 1926 and since 1941 has served as director of the company's advertising and promotion department.

1927

Perm. Class Sec'y: Anne Runes, 3203 E. Burnside, Portland, Oregon.

Charles A. Kilgore, '27, has recently been promoted to the rank of captain in the ground forces of the army air corps. Captain Kilgore is assigned as adjutant of an anti-submarine squadron. His wife is the former **Helen Coplan, '27**.

1928

Mrs. Alice Douglas Burns (Mrs. E. Murray Burns), 3215 NE U.S. Grant Pl., Portland, Oregon.

Lt. Raymond K. Thompson, '28, is on active duty at Navy headquarters, Third Naval district, N.Y.C.

1930

Mrs. Eleanor Poorman Hamilton (Mrs. Alfred E. Hamilton), 6 E. 82nd St., New York City.

Ernest Leroy Hall, '30, assistant controller of the Northern Trust company of Chicago, has recently been named a second vice president of that organization. After graduating from Oregon, Hall attended the Harvard business school and obtained a graduate degree there in 1932.

Miss Alice L. Spurgin, '30, has been ac-

cepted for officers' training in the WAVES. For the past few years, Miss Spurgin has been English teacher and counselor at Medford high school. For several years she was director of the Girl Scouts in Eugene.

1932

Mrs. Hope Shelley Miller (Mrs. Robert T. Miller), Logansport, Indiana.

A note from **Charles M. Hoag, '32**, states that he is a machinist mate first class (first class petty officer) and not an ensign as we reported in last month's *Old Oregon*. He is still stationed in Dutch Harbor, Alaska.

Lt. Grant Van Doren, '32, is attached to an air depot group of the air service command for the maintenance and repair of aircraft and the training of air depot groups at Tinker field, Oklahoma.

Thomas F. Johnson, '32, is coaching in the John Day high school at John Day, Oregon. He formerly taught in the schools at Hood River and Enterprise, and was principal of the McKenzie schools at Vida.

Holding a rating of Aviation Radio Man 3/c is **Eugene V. Burt, '32**, who graduated recently from the naval training school at the University of Wisconsin. He had been a musician, traveling with Sterling Young's orchestra before going into the navy.

Donna Elizabeth Gill, 32, was recently sworn in as a cadet in the United States coast guard reserve and has been assigned to the coast guard academy at New London, Cnn. for further training.

1933

Mrs. Jessie Steele Robertson (Mrs. George H. Robertson), 6425 SE 40th, Portland, Oregon.

Dr. and Mrs. Irving H. Anderson, '32, M.S. '33 (**Josephine Potts, '33**) of Ann Arbor, Michigan are the parents of a daughter, **Marylon**, born March 26, 1943. They also have five-year-old twin daughters, **Judith** and **Nancy**. Dr. Anderson is on the faculty of the University of Michigan.

The assignment of 2nd Lt. **Barton G. Siegfried, Jr., '33**, to the war department office of Dependency Benefits in Newark, New Jersey, was announced recently by Brig. Gen. H. N. Gilbert. Lt. Siegfried is in the collection and adjustment branch of the fiscal division. He was assigned to the ODB from the Adjutant General's Officers Candidate school at Fort Washington, Md.

Lt. Fred F. Sears, '33, instructs physical education at the flying school, Brainbridge, Georgia. He was formerly physical education director in the Silverton high school and at the Ontario, California air base.

Word reaches us again from **Lt. Robert Foster Burnett, '33**, who states, "Have been on duty in Southwest Pacific area since last August. At present am attached to Naval Advance Base Hospital No. 3. December issue of *Old Oregon* arrived today. Lots of news about old grads. U. of O. has been in there pitching on Guadalcanal. Hope to be back in good old USA before another homecoming."

1934

Mrs. Frances Johnston Dick (Mrs. William G. Dick), Apt. 11, 2185 Bay St., San Francisco, California.

Bernard B. Hughes, '34, one of the University of Oregon's football immortals, left Medford recently for active duty with the Naval Construction battalion, following enlistment six months ago. Hughes played pro ball with the Chicago Cardinals and the Los

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DEAN RICHARD B. DILLEHUNT, M.D. . . . overseer of Marquam hill for 32 years.

Veteran Dean Resigns As Medical School Head

Dr. David W. E. Baird, '21, M.D. '26, will act as dean of the University of Oregon medical school beginning June 30. On that date the resignation tendered because of ill health by **Dr. R. B. Dillehunt** will become effective. Head of the school since 1920, Dr. Dillehunt will become dean emeritus.

Named associate dean in 1937, Dr. Baird was assistant professor of medicine at the school beginning in 1932. Since 1941 he has been acting dean.

New Directors Fill County Posts

By DORIS HACK, '41

OREGON'S alumni association president has joined the navy. **Tom Stoddard**, '30, left recently for Tucson, Arizona, to accept a commission as lieutenant (jg).

Stoddard ably headed the alumni association for five of his twelve months' term before answering the call to the colors. Former Oregon student body president and graduate manager of athletics, Stoddard has for seven years headed the residential sales department of Commonwealth, Inc. of Portland and was elected vice-president before leaving. He also holds the first vice-presidency of the Portland Realty board.

Before putting aside his active participation in alumni affairs for the duration, he appointed six new county alumni directors. They are: **William Haggerty**, '29, Harney county; **Ray Harlan**, '24, Lake; **Basil Williams**, '19, Lane; **Bertrand S. Jerard**, '15, Umatilla; **Glen S. Macy**, '20, Yamhill, and **John F. Putnam**, '31, Wheeler county.

Re-appointed to serve three-year terms are: **John N. Mohr**, '28, Hood River county; **Otto Frohnmayer**, '29, J.D. '33, Jackson; **Mrs. Boyd Overhulse**, '31, Jefferson; **Dr. Clairel L. Ogle**, '16, Josephine; **John H. Houston**, '21, Klamath; **Lawrence Hull**, '23, Lincoln; **Ralph Cronise**, '11, Linn; **Earl Blackaby**, '15, Malheur; **Dr. Clarence W. Keene**, '96, M.D. '01, Marion county. Administrative duties for the remainder of the term will be assumed by **George Stadelman**, '30, vice-president.

THE semi-annual meeting of the alumni association convened Saturday, May 29, in Guild theater, Johnson hall. Reunioning members of the Class of 1913 for the third time in history reaffirmed their resolution that the class of '13 is the best class yet to have been graduated from the University. Despite vigorous objections and counter-proposals from representatives of other classes, the resolution was passed by sheer force of greater numbers (more 13'ers present).

The resolution reads as follows—"To the members of the good old Class of 1913: "Whereas, at some time in the life of every great University there is graduated

a class which stands out preeminently above all others, and

"Whereas, such a class is recognized as superior by all prior classes and is looked up to as the shining, though, unattainable, example by all subsequent classes, and

"Whereas, when a university is so fortunate as to have produced such a class, it is fitting that due recognition be taken thereof, and

"Whereas, the Class of 1913 holds this enviable position in the University of Oregon, therefore

"Be it resolved: that this association go on record as paying homage to the Class of 1913 in recognition of the fact that it is the best class yet graduated from the University of Oregon and in recognition of the further fact that no future class can hope to attain more than a mere semblance of its high degree of perfection."

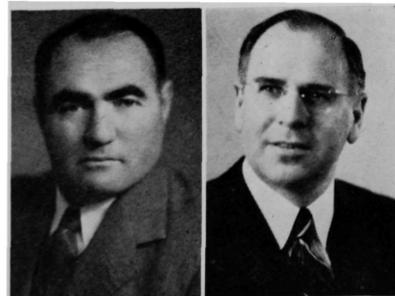
In a serious vein, the group adopted the proposal that one of the new victory ships from the Portland yards bear the name of Prince L. Campbell, president of the University of Oregon from 1902 to 1925.



N. TOM STODDARD, '30, former alumni director who recently joined the navy as a lieutenant (jg), will leave his post to **George Stadelman**, '30



TO REPRESENT Lake and Umatilla counties, respectively—**Ray E. Harlan**, '24 (left), and **Bertrand S. Jerard**, '15. They will serve a three-year term.



NEWLY-APPOINTED county alumni directors are **Basil T. Williams**, '19 (left), and **Glen S. Macy**, '20. Williams will represent Lane county and Macy, Yamhill county.

Webfoots Reunite At Fort Benning

Webfoots might as well be holding down the fort at Benning, according to a letter just received from **Lt. Paul McCarty**, '42, who lists a number of Oregon officers and their wives stationed there.

Among them are **Captain Maurice Hunter**, '41 and **Lt. and Mrs. Tiger Payne**, '45, (Connie Wallbridge, '42), **Lt. and Mrs. Bill MacGibbon**, '42, (Isolde Eichenlaub, '42), **Lt. and Mrs. Walker Treece**, '42 (Jean Schuyler, '45) **Lt. and Mrs. Charles Tripp**, '41, (Florence Gordon, '42), and **Lieutenants Paul Bocci**, '42, **Lou Torgeson**, '42, **Ernie Williams**, '42, **Earl Walters**, '46, **Herb Anderson**, '40, **Dave Knox**, '42, **Cullen Murphy**, '42, **Gene Cobb**, '44, **Harry Lucas**, '35, **Frank Rome**, '42, **Jim Coleman**, '44, **Ralph Currier**, '42, **Robert Hancock**, '42, **Don Younger**, '43, and **Cecil Wright**, '42.

Our Cover in Words

Marching feet on "Hello" walk—and they belong to study-minded pre-meteorology students of the army air corps, settled on the campus for a year's training. The "flight" leader who bawls out orders to these men as they file to classes is rotated among the students to give them practice in developing lung power. Ranging in age from 18 through 21, most of the soldiers stationed at the University of Oregon are from the Middle West, although a very few of them ("lucky" is the word) live in this state, even in Eugene and Portland. The building in the background is Fenton hall.

Alums Fill State-Wide Posts

Three Oregon alums were elected officers of the League of Oregon Cities at the league's annual convention in Portland May 12-13. President for 1943-44 will be **John Houston**, '22, mayor of Klamath Falls; treasurer, **J. W. McArthur**, '08, for his eighth term in office. **George Stadelman**, '30, mayor of The Dalles, was named to the executive committee.

A staff of University grads manages the league's Eugene office—**Virgil H. Langtry**, L.L.B. '34, consultant; **Orval Etter**, '37, legal consultant; **Mary Sorenson**, '38, secretary; **Dorothy Rowland**, '39, librarian.

"Manny" Lauer, '93, Dead

Emanuel H. Lauer, '93, died at his home in Los Angeles, May 1 after a long illness. He was born in Eugene, attended the public schools here and the University of Oregon. He obtained B.A. and M.A. degrees at the University and later his Ph.D. degree at the Philadelphia College of Pharmacy. Surviving him are his wife, two daughters and three grandchildren.

Column From Camp

WAYNE HARBERT, '39

Greetings from Georgia:

Please change the address of my *Old Oregon* to the one below. I thank you, as wartime brings double enjoyment from your little mag.

I shall give you a few facts about people of Oregon I know. . . . **Grace Babbitt**, '44, is working on the swing shift building bomber engines at Hartford, Conn. She may be addressed at 52 Joy street, Boston, Mass.

Maj. William Fowler, '31, is at Fort Benning, Ga. receiving advanced instruction for infantry officers. He had been at Camp Roberts, Cal., for two years previously.

Lt. Col. Roy K. Terry, '10, recently returned from North Africa, is attending the command and general staff school at Ft. Leavenworth, Kans.

Charles Eaton, '39, U S marines, and **Caro Cogan**, '38, were married in Santa Ana, Cal. during May. (He was a Sigma Chi and she a D.G.)

Capt. Robert Booth, '39, is attending infantry school at Fort Benning, Ga.

Norman Angell, '42, has been reported missing in action over Naples, Italy. The plane in which he was riding was seen to go down in flames, but several parachutists had jumped from it.

Very truly yours,
Sgt. Wayne Harbert
Box 1451
Ft. Benning, Ga.

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"PAT" KELLER, '42

Dear Editor—

This is to inform you of my new address. I enjoy reading about all of the old gang in *Old Oregon*, but have missed my last few issues. Would it be at all possible to send along some of the back copies?

I've been a cadet for a little better than three months now—just completed the first half of my course at Boca Raton, Florida and am on the final stretch now with only 16 more weeks to go.

I've only run into two Oregon men since being on the east coast—**Bob Stuhr**, D.U., '41, and **Harold Hartzell**, SAE, '42. Both are in Florida, and it's a good sight to see some one from the old school.

Sincerely,
Walter L. Keller, Cl. 24L
Gp. 1, Squ. A
TS, AAFTTC Yale Univ.
New Haven, Conn.

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NORMA JOHNSON, '41

Old Oregon Editor—

To those of us who are in the Waves,



Joe Miller, '43, co-editor of *Old Oregon* for the May and June issues, left the campus early in June to accept a city-editor's position on the Lewiston (Ida.) *Morning Tribune*. He expects to enter specialized army training within three months.

farther away from home than we've been before in nearly every case, *Old Oregon* is a welcome sight to see. I completed indoctrination at New York City (we had just two eight-hour liberties from noon until 8:30 p.m. while we were there) and now find myself in the exciting city of Cedar Falls, Iowa, going through a brush-up yeoman course. I might add Junction City is the height of sophistication compared to Cedar Falls!

Mary Montag Calef, '41, is living at Norman, Oklahoma. Her husband, **Lt. Ernest Calef**, is also an Oregon grad. Their address is 323½ White Street. **Harriet Minturn**, '41, is about to complete yeoman training at Stillwater, Oklahoma. **Eloise Rockwell**, '42, will soon complete training as a link trainer. She is in Atlanta, Georgia.

Norma Johnson S 2/c
Billet 105B, Section 224
USNTS (WR)
Cedar Falls, Iowa

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FRANK B. PRICE, '39

Hello, you lucky Oregonians:

Once in awhile that "old spirit" comes to the top in me and I think about beating out a note to *Old Oregon*. As usual, though, I forget about it and go on my merry way in the usual manner. The news is so good now that I can't put it off any longer. After two years in the army I have finally come in contact with someone I went to school with.

The other day a guy dropped in to see me after having seen my name in the registration book at the Red Cross. It was **Bud Brown**, '42, or somewhere around there. He is in a transport group over here and is seeing a lot of country. Bud was a Fiji at school and worked in DeNeff's where he had a touch of selling you the "latest thing

out." I know—he took a lot of money off me.

My second surprise was a WAAC from Oregon. One nice Sunday afternoon that I had off I strolled down the street and I saw a very pretty WAAC, but being the staid individual that I am, I merely smiled and said hello. After a second thought, two blocks later, I decided to go back and see if she too had the afternoon off, and maybe we could have it off together. It must have been fate because she had unexpectedly been given the afternoon off.

During the course of our conversation I found out that she went to Oregon in '38 and '39, living at Hen hall. The name is **Virginia Stacy**, '42, perhaps I should be military and say Pfc. Stacy. I don't think they call them Pfc's, but they have one stripe. Boy, they must really teach those WAAC's to march, as she walked the feet off me that afternoon, 'way out to the edge of town where some guy is putting Lease-Lend milk into ice cream. The first ice cream I've had since leaving the states last June!

This Africa is some place and a good one to make up for the summer we got gypped out of in England. With the coming of the hot season also comes the mosquito, so we have embarked on a campaign against them which includes taking little yellow pills called "Atebrin." The malaria is pretty bad here and has been known to hit as high as 100 per cent of the population in some districts.

My life is pretty quiet here. I work in the Office of the Ordnance Officer, period. We have an 8:30 p.m. curfew when we have to be off the streets, the bars close at 7:30 p.m., having just opened at 5 p.m., so you can see it is a dull life. Once in a while "Cousin Otto" pays us a visit to liven things up. He and I have different views on what kind of fun that is.

Almost forgot to mention that I have received about four *Old Oregons*, one from Mortar Board, and the rest from a friend. The little enclosed card for news items inspired this letter. Sure enough, the *Old Oregon* is just like a 16-page letter from home, and I hope that I get some more of them.

In my best French
Aw reservoir,
T/Sgt. Frank B. Price
APO 650
c/o Postmaster
New York, N. Y.

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JIM ROBERTS, '43

Hi Webfoots!

Enclosed you'll find a personal check for a year's subscription to *Old Oregon*. I certainly enjoy its contents. It's an ideal tie with the past.

... Incidentally, I read where you are hunting the whereabouts of **Roy Kramer**, '44. Guess I'll just have to reassume my old role of Burlingame's Oregon correspondent and give you that information along with a little other. Roy was recently commissioned a second lieutenant in the army air corps as a fighter pilot and is now stationed somewhere in Texas. Upon graduating he married Miss Jeanne Rones of Burlingame.

George Drach, Delt '41, is now an ensign, having completed an extensive course in identification of aerial and surface craft at one of the navy's Spotter's schools. He

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Charter Member Recalls Founding Of State Alumnae Association

Three women's organizations—Associated Women Students, Women's Athletic Association, and YWCA—now keep Oregon coeds on the go nearly every waking hour. These represent a substantial jump from 1876, when the Eutaxian literary society became the first group to voice feminine policies on the campus. The story of how University women banded to form the "three F's" society, the State Alumnae association, and other instrumental groups was obtained from a sketch carefully written by Mrs. Frank L. Chambers, '95.

By RUTH DOZIER, '44

IT seems a long way from the extensively organized women students of the University of Oregon today to the small group that 68 years ago formed the first organization for women on the campus. But traditions that were started then have persisted through the years to become firmly established in the life of the University.

One of these customs is re-enacted every year at commencement time when the alumnae of the University welcome the graduating seniors into their ranks. It all started back in 1894 with a secret society called the F. F. F., or the "Fern, Flower Fanatics." Dr. Luella Carson, '09, popular dean of women at that time, repeatedly expressed a longing for a bed of ferns under her class room window on the east side of Villard hall and two junior girls, Edith Veazie, '97 (Mrs. E. R. Bryson) and Willa Hanna, '95, (Mrs. W. G. Beattie), set out to gratify this wish. They hired a horse and buggy, went to the McKenzie foothills and brought back many roots of maidenhair fern which they cajoled the gardener into planting under Dr. Carson's window.

The F. F. F. society announced its name in 1900 with a flower procession on the campus at twilight. This first procession was led by two juniors—Susie Bannard, '01, (Mrs. J. O. Holt) and Mary Straub, '01, (Mrs. O. F. Stafford) followed by not only the graduating women and alumnae but also by any member of the student body who cared to join. The group started with their bouquets of fern and flowers at the Condon oaks and wound around the building on the old campus, arriving on the grass slope on the west side of Villard just at sunset to complete the ceremony.

TODAY the tradition still lives but is enacted in front of the Pioneer Mother between Hendricks and Susan Campbell halls. The alumnae approach from one side, the seniors in their caps and gowns from another, all carrying small bouquets. The alumnae group together before the Pioneer Mother and then part, letting the graduating girls be welcomed in their center. Both groups then circle around the statue and lay their flowers down to form a giant "O."

But the F. F. F. was the third society to be formed on the campus, for the first 25 years of the University saw three organizations for women. The first, in keeping with the times, was a literary society known as "The Eutaxian," which merged the year after its formation, in 1876, with the Laurican society in giving joint entertainments to raise money for a library. In December, 1897, they purchased the town library for \$220. The Eutaxians continued as an active part of student life until 1924.

The second women's organization came in 1894 when Dr. Luella Carsons urged the women students to form a Young

Women's Christian Association. March 19 of that year saw the organization completed with representatives from all the classes and Willa Hanna the president. The meetings saw the organization completed with the basement of Deady hall, often jointly with the YMCA. The spring of 1900 brought the state convention of the YWCA to Eugene and among the prominent women attending was Miss Mary F. Farnham, for many years a member of the faculty of Pacific university.

In 1903 the YWC. was provided a permanent home—a building erected by the women of the faculty and of the town. It became the well-known "bungalow" on Kinkaid street.

THE fourth women's organization came in 1907 when Dr. Carson called the alumnae together in her room at commencement time to form a society that would ally more closely the women of the University so that they might work for the good of their alma mater throughout the state. There were two other reasons for this State Alumnae association, as it was called. The dean of women and many others were anxious to have an association that would admit Oregon women to the Association of Collegiate Alumnae and they also desired a parent association for local alumnae societies. This was the first successful attempt to form an organization that would insure the alumnae of a lasting part in the life of their university.

Following the first general meeting, a Eugene local alumnae organization was formed with the following officers:

President: Miss Ida Patterson, '86

Vice-President: Mrs. Myra Norris

Johnson, '93

Secretary: Mrs. Mary Straub Stafford, '01

Treasurer: Mrs. Louise Yorán Whitton, '96.

Soon after its formation, the State Alumnae association established the scholarship known as the Mary Putnam Spiller scholarship, which was to be awarded to some worthy woman of Oregon living outside Lane county. It was given for eleven years to eight different girls at a total expenditure of \$2,020. 37.

The scholarship was named after Mary Putnam Boise who was born in Massachusetts and graduated from Mount Holyoke college. While teaching in Louisiana, she met and married Levi Spiller, a wealthy planter, but after her husband's death, she



DR. LUELLE CLAY CARSON, dean of women from 1895 to 1909, who instigated the establishment of the State Association of University Women and left a generous scholarship fund for worthy students.

and her children moved to Oregon. She was called to the University of Oregon and became principal of the preparatory department and professor of elocution, staying until 1887.

THE money for this scholarship was to be raised by creating a permanent fund of \$5,000 to be administered by a board of directors with only the interest to be used for the scholarship.

Admission to membership in the State Alumnae association was changed in 1922 from those holding A.B. degrees to include any woman who was an ex-student or a friend to education. Dues were set at \$1 a year. A change in name was proposed the same year and was finally adopted in 1926 making the organization the "State Association of University of Oregon Women."

All these developments and changes meant that the constitution must be revised. Newly drawn up in 1936, it provided for the perpetuation of the Fern and Flower procession and for the lending or assistance to the Carson Friendship fund, which is a sum of money raised each year to provide Dr. Carson with a home. Dr. Carson in turn offered her property consisting of acreage adjoining Eugene with the request that a portion of any returns from it be used for some worthy woman of the University. When she died in 1938, the \$1,700 from the sale of her property was combined with the investment fund from the Spiller surplus to create the Luella Clay Carson scholarship fund.

A total of 487 loans amounting to \$16,550.09 have been made from this combined fund.

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Film Expert Aids Army

By MARGIE ROBINSON, '44

It would take a long time to count the students who have carried on the absorbing experiments in "Psy 208, 209, 210" (general psychology lab) under the watchful eye of Dr. Lester F. Beck, '30, M.A. '31 . . . or those who have listened, entranced, to his lectures on genetic, adolescent, and abnormal "psych." Nevertheless, these students know how expert was the quiet-voiced associate professor on the subject of instruction by films. Dr. Beck (below, with camera), faculty member since 1934, is now lending this same expertness to the war department,

FILMS on nearly 900 subjects ranging from the activities of a louse to the operation of electrically controlled guns have been produced to familiarize the American soldier with every aspect of modern warfare. Truly, the educators of our fighting men are becoming "motion picture minded."

This information, surprising to many citizens who regard the cinema as chiefly an entertainment medium, was disclosed by Dr. Lester F. Beck, '30, when he stopped in Eugene from Washington, D. C. for a brief 48 hours last month. On leave of absence from the University of Oregon and an associate professor's activities in the psychology department, Dr. Beck now fills an important niche in a nation-wide educational program. His official title is "research analyst for the film distribution and utilization branch of the Army pictorial division."

Dr. Beck explained the value of the motion picture to the army as an instructional device with these words:

"Film is a universal language. It can be shown to all troops, irrespective of their abilities to read, write, or even to understand the English language."

Almost every mechanical or tactical operation in the army is explained by "movies," he said. The Army pictorial division, which controls all still and motion pictures, both those taken in combat and those used for training, has attained a value to the war department undreamed of in the first World war.

THE excellence of army films may partially be explained by the fact that the division has a center in Hollywood. Dr. Beck said. Facilities, also actors and actresses, from the top-flight studios are used in the production of military pictures. Many of the films on "basic" subjects such as military customs and courtesy were made in the cinema capital.

"Guy Kibbee starred in a recent air force film entitled 'Learn and Live,'" he said. When asked the object of the film, Dr. Beck replied, "It brought out this lesson—if a man doesn't follow the rules, no matter how little and apparently trivial they seem, he may not come through alive." Many of the pictures drive home a practical moral with shocking clarity.

Dr. Beck disclosed that the most popular films in the army are the "fighting men" series. These represent an innovation in training, for they deal with the intimate feelings and thoughts of men in combat. Portraying critical situations soldiers are likely to meet, the pictures show how men will probably react. Thus the research analyst explained, this series is intended to condition men psychologically for combat, or to instill into them the right "scrapping spirit."

While some of the "fighting men" pictures are gory enough to be described by Dr. Beck as gruesome (for example, "Kill or Be Killed," which recommends that all



is fair in hand-to-hand combat), most of them concern common events such as the men's responses to stress and strain.

THESE films show a soldier's tendencies to "project" his shortcomings when he is in a tough spot—to blame others for faults which lie within himself. They show the difficulties and traps the men fall into, explaining why such things happen. Others deal with the results of negligence or with failure to follow orders.

"It's the beginning of a new series of films not conceived of by the motion picture industry heretofore," Dr. Beck stated. "These psychological pictures seem to indicate that the war has progressed far enough to make us realize that men, as well as a machines, are vitally important."

The pictorial division is now trying to establish how soldiers "identify" themselves with the pictures; i.e., do they regard themselves as experiencing the same emotions and thoughts as the soldiers portrayed?

"The films may turn out to be one of the best personality tests ever developed," the Oregon grad predicted.

What do the service men think of the instruction program? By and large, Dr. Beck said, they prefer instructional films to other modes of education. This is not universal, however, he continued. It depends on the instructor. If a teacher is able, he will be liked better than impersonal films, he said, for after all:

"You can't stop the film and ask questions!"

THE motion pictures are designed primarily as training aids," Dr. Beck explained. "Their purpose is, not to take the place of the instructor but to help him, especially if he doesn't have the

natural gifts to make him a superior teacher."

When asked if the films increase the soldiers' retentive powers, he answered:

"There is very little difference in the length of time the men will remember the 'lesson' if they have a capable instructor." The principal superiority of films, he said, is that they have the peculiar merit of making things very clear. To that extent they are better than are many individuals as a means of conveying information.

The length of time any material will be retained depends on how well the material is organized, Dr. Beck said. Since so much careful planning and research is behind each motion picture, this method obviously is less likely to give rise to confusion or misunderstanding.

On the other hand, if a teacher of army men has a good, simple working vocabulary and organizes his information successfully, he can be equally competent in instructing them.

"If the pictures are used by a poor instructor, they will raise the value of his teaching. Unfortunately, the men who need to use the films frequently don't know pictures are available on the very subjects they're teaching," he divulged.

A SAMPLE process of how a film is made and finally sent to various camps was described by Dr. Beck as follows: A certain army division, such as the engineers, may write the script and scenario for a picture. This script is submitted to their immediate training division. If approved, it is taken over by the Army pictorial division and produced. After the photography is complete, the pictorial division distributes the film to the correct posts.

Representatives (this means Dr. Beck) go to the various army camps to offer advice or explanations on how to use the films effectively. These men, however, don't insist that their services be utilized. They merely let the commanding officer know they are "available," and he decides whether or not they are needed.

These pictorial men follow much the same policy in selling advice as does a house-to-house canvasser in selling merchandise, Dr. Beck said smilingly.

"It would be bad business practice if some person elbowed his way into a house to demonstrate the use of a refrigerator," he pointed out.

The Army pictorial division's representatives must determine these factors among others: how frequently the films should be used, at what stage in training they are most appropriate, whether they should be shown in their entirety or in parts, and whether supplementary materials are needed to bring out the salient points in the films.

RESearch with which Dr. Beck is occupied is divided into two parts, which he explained as follows:

"The first part involves the compilation and analysis of statistics on the use of training films in all branches of the army throughout the United States. The second is an advisory service rendered to the training divisions of the army service forces and the army ground forces. Advice is given on the most efficient use and merit of the films."

One of the jobs which brought the psychologist to Oregon was the appraisal of a popular film on map reading. The University psychology department is cooperating
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Battling Ducks Blast Axis By Land and Air

By ROSALIE MILLER, '44

The roll call of honor for University of Oregon alums is rapidly growing as the war tempo on all fronts increases. First it was Lt. Ken Boyle, '42, who won the honor of being the first Oregonian to reach the shores of North Africa. Then Captain Johnny Harding, '43, flew into prominence with his 57 flights over Europe. More fliers to attain prominence were Major Bob Speer, '39; Lt. Brian Flavelle, '39; and Lt. Don Byars, '43. Rosalie Miller, '43, tells here the colorful story of these fighting men from Duck-ville.



LT. KENNETH ROMAINE BOYLE, '42—the first Oregon soldier to reach the North African shores.

FIRST Lt. Ken Boyle, '42, is bound for "destination unknown" again, and this new development for the irrepressible Webfoot recalls the hitherto untold story of Boyle's experiences in North Africa last August.

Boyle must have been the first Duck, maybe even the first Yank soldier, to reach the African shores last year before the November invasion. Boyle was there on a diplomatic mission carrying a state document handcuffed to his wrist from Town X in Algeria to Casablanca. Guarding him and the document were two burly sergeants of the American military police.

As Lt. Ken tells the story—"We were leaving the lobby of a hotel in a small Mediterranean port when we heard a whistling noise coming from two directions. I dived toward the door but was struck in the hip by a large piece of shrapnel. The two other men were badly injured, but luckily we were able to maintain consciousness until the gendarmie arrived. I guess the Germans wanted what was strapped to my arm pretty badly, but they didn't dare interfere with the French police, who escorted me all the

way to Casablanca, where I directly contacted Admiral Darlan."

Boyle—who speaks 11 languages and was an outstanding scholar on the campus—spent some time in a military hospital before visiting the campus in February. Since then he has been stationed at Camp Robinson, Arkansas, but three weeks ago he was awakened in the middle of the night with new orders calling him to "immediate active duty."

Nothing has been heard since from this fighting Webfoot. But if it's in keeping with his previous "active duty" in North Africa, he is probably some place where the action is thickest.

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THE Distinguished Flying cross and the Air medal (with three oak leaf clusters) are conclusive evidence of the amazing air corps career of **Capt. John Barlow Harding, '43**, who in seven months took part in 57 combat flights over Europe and in North Africa.

Captain Harding saw enough action piloting "Jarrin' Jenny" and later "Taboo"—both B-17 fortresses—to write a book, but instead he's been telling friends in Portland, where he's spending a well-earned 15-day furlough, of the highlights of the past year.

"The most exciting raid I made was the first time I was shot down," he said. "It was over Bizerte. Two engines were badly hit and another wasn't much good. I made a crash landing in friendly territory." That was the end of "Jenny."

"I lost 'Taboo' over Sicily—shot up badly by flak and fighters. I got back to Africa all right before I set her down wheels up; several men were injured."

Harding had a severe course in Arctic flying before going to England and Africa. He spent May, June, and part of July, '42, around Greenland and Iceland. His was the first all-American-crewed B-17 squadron to report overseas for combat duty.

Harding was a member of Phi Gamma Delta at Oregon, and is married to Margaret Horton, of Klamath Falls.

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QUICK thinking by his engineer did much to save the ten-man crew of a four-engined bomber piloted by **Major Robert E. Speer, '39**, on its return from a reconnaissance mission over Attu.

Gasoline tanks in the bomb bay failed to drain into the main tanks because the electrical pump refused to function. Fuses blew out due to an unexplained short circuit, leaving the plane with 800 gallons of

gasoline and not one drop for the motors! As members of the crew manually lifted the 300-pound bombs and dropped them into the deep to lighten the ship, the engineer spotted the gold shoulder bars of the second lieutenant bombardier, inserted one of them as a fuse—and miraculously the pump began working.

Pilot Speer helped himself to three large breaths of relief and landed his ship miles down the chain of islands.

This story contained the first news of Speer's advancement to major. He was cited in news of bombing Japanese on Attu late last fall, but was then a captain.

His wife, the former Susan Campbell, and infant son live in Portland.

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PRESS dispatches from Cairo, Egypt tell of the heroism of **Lt. Brian W. Flavelle, '39**, who piloted one of three Liberator bombers in virtual zero altitude attacks on enemy ferry terminals in the Mediterranean. His ship, with a volunteer crew, blasted the base of Messina April 2, successfully carrying out the dawn attack.

"They told us it was a suicide mission," Lt. Flavelle said, "but it turned out to be murder for the enemy . . . we plowed right through ground machine-gun fire to the target."

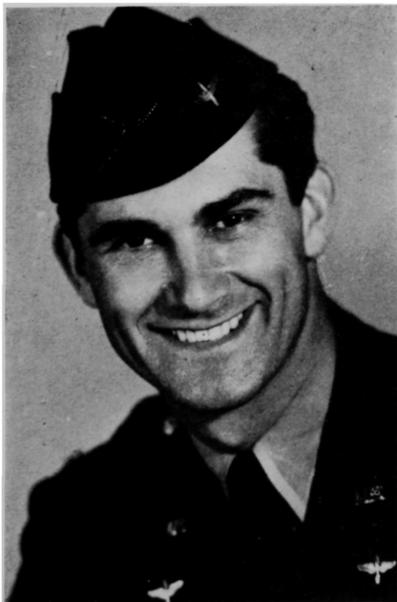
Flavelle's wife, the former Miss Dortha Richards of Portland, is living with his parents in Caldwell, N. J. where their son was born April 19.

Following his graduation from Oregon, Flavelle was engaged in research work in landscape architecture at the University. He enlisted in January, 1941.

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LT. DON BYARS, '43, pilot of a P-38 somewhere in New Guinea, is one of 14 American airmen credited with shooting down 23 Japanese bombers and fighters in a fierce daylight fight over the allied base at Oro bay recently.

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LT. BRIAN FLAVELLE, '39—one of the first to send the Axis a Yank calling-card.

Oregon Hails Recent Grads

From all corners of the country came Oregon alums last month—"trekking the Oregon trail" back to Eugene. Many were in uniform, although women made up half the returning contingent, made up mainly of the recent class of 1942.

From New York came **Helen Angell**, '42, on a month's vacation from the *Reader's Digest*. She announced her engagement to **Jeff Kitchen**, '43, at the Tri-Delt house, Syracuse, N. Y., in the vale of the Onandaga, gave up **Elizabeth Steed**, '42, and **Betty Plankinton**, '42, to the Webfoot campus. Both have been studying for their master's degree at Syracuse university. . . . **Earl Holmer**, '42, chose the same time to return from his work at the Union Theological seminary in Gotham. Earl will preach in Eugene this summer and expects to be appointed to Navy Chaplain's school in the fall.

Guadalcanal was the previous address of the next returning Duck—Ex-Phi Delt President **Al Hunt**, '42, who stopped in Webfoot-ville for a few days before heading for O.C.S. in Georgia. . . . **Lt. Pat Holder**, '42, was the only gal in khaki to lend a military touch to the returning women alums. . . . Corporal **Hal Olney**, '44, former Emerald associate editor, and his brother **Wes**, '44, spent several days en campii. Hal informed the school of journalism about press relations in the army; he is in the public relations branch of the air corps at Colorado Springs, Colorado, while **Wes** is stationed at Long Beach, Cal., with the ferry command.

Ruth Hall, '42, visited her father, Prof. Bob Hall, after completing a special course in personnel work at Radcliffe college. She is returning east to do personnel work at Boston hospital. . . . At the same time, **Emerson Page**, '42 Oregon business manager, was lightly dusting off his newly-won captain's bars at the Theta Chi house.

And conversation. . . . At the University Luncheon with **Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stickels**, '16-'14, revealed that their son, **Capt. Emerson Stickels**, '38, has been in the Aleutian islands war theater for over two years. Their other son, **Lt. Fred Stickels, Jr.**, '42, is now "somewhere in India."

Another traveler to the West from the East was **Dorothy Durkee**, '42. Now working in towering Rockefeller Center, New York City, for the guest relations department, Dorothy was prominent in dramatics on the campus, appearing in such Guild Hall productions as "George Washington Slept Here," and "Wingless Victory." She came as far as Cheyenne, Wyo. by plane, then finished the trip to Eugene by "milk train," according to her report.

Now a staff member for the *Reader's Digest* in Pleasantville, N. Y., **Helen Angell**, '42, titian-haired editor of the *Emerald* last year, visited the campus in May. She was a member of Mortar Board; Theta Sigma Phi, women's journalism honorary, and was a Tri-Delt at the University.



Column From Camp

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is now on active duty with naval units at sea.

Jack Ingold, Phi Delt, '44, is now serving with a contingent of the Pacific fleet as an ensign in a fighter squadron.

Miss Peggy Kemp, Delta Gamma, '44, became the bride of **Lt. Henry Wagner**, '41, in the early part of April. This couple is now living in the South, where Henry is stationed with the army air force.

Annabelle Dow, Theta, '42, and **Lt. Al Silvernail**, Chi Psi, '44, are now Mr. and Mrs. They are residing at Fort Benning, Ga.

Miss Barbara Hannum, Gamma Phi, '45, recently announced her engagement to Tom Ohliger, Stanford Chi Psi of '43.

Warren Clark, '44, is an advanced engineering cadet in the U.S. merchant marine plying the world's supply routes for the United Nations.

Lloyd Campbell, Sigma Phi Epsilon, '42, is one of my buddies in Btry "K." Lloyd hails from Eugene, Oregon.

Sincerely,
Jim Roberts
APO 939
Seattle, Wash.

Activity man **James Frost**, '42, an army lieutenant, stopped at Oregon on his way from Georgia to California recently. Formerly business manager of the *Emerald*, he was also vice president of A.S.U.O. and a member of Friars, Alpha Delta Sigma, and Theta Chi.



Jim Frost, '42, now an army lieutenant, stopped off en route to Camp Roberts, Cal. from Fort Benning, Ga. He was seen haunting the journalism "shack," where he was business manager of the Oregon Daily Emerald during his junior year.

Other May visitors to the University were **Mr. and Mrs. George Warner**, '42, (**Barbara Stallcup**, '42). She was a member of Alpha Xi Delta and Mortar Board during her undergraduate days, while he wore a Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity pin. They now live in Montagu, Cal.

Prominent Eugene Alumna Dies

Mrs. Jennie Beatie Harris, '96, died at her home in Eugene, June 3 following a prolonged illness. A charter member of the State Association of University Women, Mrs. Harris devoted much time to the interests of the University. The Mary Spiller loan fund which has opened opportunity for self-help to hundreds of ambitious young people was just one of the constructive agencies which she helped to create.

A native Oregonian, Mrs. Harris was born December 15, 1874, at Beaver Creek, Clackamas county. After her graduation, she taught school in Lane county, Pendleton and Portland. She married **Lawrence T. Harris**, '93 on April 28, 1904. They lived in Eugene since then with the exception of nine years in Salem while Judge Harris served on the Oregon supreme court bench.

Ida Ruth Scofield's Book Acclaimed

"Brown Leaves Burning," a volume of poetry written by **Ida Ruth Scofield Fargo** (Mrs. William Fordyce Fargo), '92, was received with praise this spring by Oregon literati. Published by Mathis, Van Nort and company, Dallas, Texas, the 101-page book deals with a variety of homey and familiar topics treated with a touching naivete. It is divided into nine sections which carry intriguing titles such as "The Little Blind God," "With the Calendar," and "So Runs the Story."

Salem, where Mrs. Fargo now lives, at 1085 North Church street, applauded this latest work of one of its best-known residents. Part of an editorial in the Oregon Statesman (Charles A. Sprague, editor and publisher) reads as follows:

"Brown Leaves Burning" carries the scent of autumn, and many of the poems seem pitched in a minor key. But others sing of different seasons: "Summer," and "Spring Fever." They are all intimate and personal, a reflection of moods, an appreciation of nature in its quieter moments; yet they pulse with poetic feeling.

"How far this little book of Mrs. Fargo's will float we cannot say, but it does reach deep into the hearts of her friends because they know and love her."

Known throughout America, Mrs. Fargo has written for many magazines and newspapers. She is the author of "Lessons in Nature Study," "Boarding 'Round" and many short stories. She is prominent in Oregon as a teacher and clubwoman, as well as a writer. She attended the Oregon College of Education at Monmouth and The University of Chicago, in addition to the University of Oregon.

Charter Member Recalls Founding

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The eleven charter members of the State Alumnae association, organized June 1907 are:

- Laura Beatie Carter, '95
- Jennie Beatie Harris, '96
- Mary E. McCornack, '82
- Anne Whiteaker, '81
- Nettie McCornack Collier, '80
- Katherine Patterson Bean, '97
- Edith Kerns Chambers, '95
- Emma Dorris Hardy, '89
- Ellen Condon McCornack, '78
- Theresa Friendly Wachemeimer, '98
- Myra Norris Johnson, '93

Champs Again

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And that recrudescence and resilient spirit was the most outstanding part of Oregon baseball, 1943—perhaps the last major sport played for the duration.

Alum Gets Medal

For his participation in Doolittle's raid on Tokyo last April, **Lt. Robert Emmens**, '35, was awarded the distinguished flying cross. Lt. Emmens is still somewhere overseas. His wife, the former **Justine Miller**, '38, resides in Medford at 346 South Holly Street.

Current Events of the Campus

Black-gowned and solemn, 486 seniors shifted the tassels of their mortar boards to the proper angle May 30 in McArthur court as they heard their names called for graduation. Most striking realization of the occasion—that the 1943 commencement would be the largest until after World War II.

Five honorary degrees were conferred: doctor of laws—to Mrs. Lila Bell Acheson Wallace, '17, (in absentia), co-founder of the Reader's Digest; doctor of science—to Ralph A. Fenton, '03, for his vital contributions to medical science; doctor of science—to Dr. Rosalind Wulzen, for her outstanding work in the field of experimental biology; master of arts in public service—to Nellie Bowden Pipes, for her contributions to the literature of Oregon history; master of arts—to Ben Hur Lampman (Portland Oregonian), for his distinctive literary expression.

With the arrival of 109 army pre-engineering students to the campus on June 9, the total of "guest" military personnel at the University reaches 352. Classes for 243 pre-meteorology men, army air corps insignia gleaming brightly on their sleeves, began March 31.

By June 14, when pre-engineering classes are to begin, about 650 soldiers will be studying in Oregon's halls. The University is shouldering an increasingly important part in army education.

Three campus organizations have donated a total of \$1,025 to Oregon for a suitable memorial to all students killed in the second World War. Groups contributing were the Class of '43; Scabbard and Blade, military science honorary, and the interfraternity council.

Fire damaged the Beta Theta Pi fraternity house to the tune of \$1,500 Sunday, May 23. The cause: sparks from a chimney flue. Eugene firemen confined the blaze to the roof and sleeping porch, fortunately, and gaudy Beta pajamas decorated the lawn for several warm nights afterward. The damage was covered by insurance.

In possibly the last ROTC review for the duration at the University, 557 cadets and student officers proudly paraded before Governor Earl Snell on Hayward field May 20. Second lieutenants' bars in the army will be the lot of senior officers, who, with advanced junior ROTC men, will be called to active duty early this summer.

Said Governor Snell: "You men have courage, faith, and determination. These things are deeply imbedded in the hearts of all free men and all Americans. May the day of victory, final and complete, be hastened and be made secure, and may God watch over all of you, gentlemen."

Airfield Named for Alum

Eugene has named its splendid new airport, one of the finest on the coast, Mahlon Sweet Field, in honor of Mahlon Sweet, '13. Sweet has led Eugene activities in the air transport field for many years and has worked tirelessly toward establishing a first-class airport here.

Jamestown's Hero

GREAT SMITH by Edison Marshall; New York, Farrar & Rinehart; 1943; \$2.75.

When Edison Marshall, '17, was in Eugene a year ago, to receive the degree of honorary master of arts, he read to me several thousand words of the manuscript on which he was working at that time. Its hero was Captain John Smith, whom every schoolboy will at once associate with Pocahontas and the Virginia Colony. In answer to my query as to why he selected that figure, he said:

"Well, I've long been fascinated by the period in English history known as the Elizabethan, and I chose John Smith as my protagonist for one reason at least—because so little is known about him. That gave me a fairly free rein to create a character and build a story to suit my own purposes without being too tightly bound to intractable historical facts."

Marshall's "Great Smith" is the second of his books written for publication as novels without previous serialization in magazines. The first, "Benjamin Blake," was a popular success, and was called by *Time* magazine the best novel of the year in the classification of adventure against a definite historical background.

"Great Smith" follows the same general pattern. It is primarily a story of high enterprise, of deeds of derring-do, of the wars in Flanders, fighting against the Dons, in Africa, Southern Europe, Turkey, and even Russia. The action is swift, tense, tumultuous, with hand-to-hand combats, personal feuds, imprisonments and escapes crowding against each other in the dynamic development of the story.

Finally, now a seasoned veteran, Smith is able to realize a youthful ambition to search for the fabulous Northwest passage, and thus is brought to the New World. The only apparent defect in the story occurs at this point, as the valiant Captain's adventures with the American aborigines seem tame in contrast to those he experienced in the Far East. Perhaps the novelist suffered from the restraint inherent in the known facts themselves. But the narrative picks up pace again and achieves a highly satisfactory conclusion.

John Smith was not only a doughty swordsman and soldier, but a lover of fair women as well, and the novelist takes full advantage of whatever license existed in the Seventeenth century to give the amours of his hero the fullest degree of explicit description. The affair with Pocahontas was little more than an aftermath to the one great passion—ending tragically—of Smith's amorous life.

"Great Smith" is a better book than "Benjamin Blake." It is more mature, richer, with a wider sweep and sharper emphasis. It possesses, too, a significance that must not be neglected. For John Smith becomes not only a roystering adventurer and an ardent lover, but is distinctly an Englishman of his times, and in him is foreshadowed the American of ours.

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Lt. Chandler in Iraq

From "somewhere in Iraq" comes word from 2nd Lt. Raymond Chandler Conroy, '42, who states that he is "movements officer in transportation corps" and that is "all that can be disclosed". Lt. Conroy's address is APO 816, c/o Postmaster, NYC.



SALLY ALLEN . . . "She served and heartened us all"—President Erb

Campus Mourns Sally Allen

An integral part of the University was lost when beloved Sally Allen, wife of Dean Eric W. Allen of the school of journalism, died April 23 after several months' illness. Mrs. Allen was a prominent author, and "Not Hers Alone," her latest novel, exhibited the potentialities of a best-seller.

In addition to displaying literary talent, Mrs. Allen became part of the journalism school that her husband created. For several years she was adviser to Theta Sigma Phi, women's honorary journalism organization, and students eagerly welcomed her advice. She will always represent a great name in the rolls of the University of Oregon—although she was never connected with the University in an official capacity.

'39 Grad Gets Medals

Captain Franklin S. Allen, Jr., '39, is the recipient of two medals for heroic action in the south Pacific theater of war. He received the soldiers' medal for helping rescue a fellow airman from a crashed and burning plane. He was also decorated for participating in a mission which resulted in the destruction of a Japanese airplane assembly plant on an island.

Japanese War Prisoner

Capt. Weldon H. Kirk, '37, who was on Bataan at the time of surrender has been reported a prisoner of the Japanese by the war department according to word received by his wife, Frances Kirk. This is the first news of Captain Kirk since March 9, 1942 just before the fall of Bataan. He was supply officer for the Philippine air corps stationed at Nichols field when the war broke out.

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News of the Classes

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Angeles Bulldogs before returning to Medford, where he has been employed for the last four years as a driver of heavy equipment by the California-Oregon Power company.

It's now **Captain Herbert H. Anderson**, '40, according to word received from his father, **Odin A. Anderson**, '34, Claims Deputy for the state Unemployment Compensation commission at Marshfield. Capt. Anderson is being retained at Ft. Benning, Ga., as instructor in the small arms infantry school. A sister **Florence Anderson**, '43, was married March 21 to **Sgt. Wendell C. Jensen**, '43, in Eugene. They reside at Blythe, California, where he is personnel manager of the air base.

1935

Perm. Class Sec'y: Pearl L. Base, 5732 North Interstate, Portland, Oregon.

Scott H. Waters, '35, enlisted in the army air corps in December, 1942 and is now on active duty. His wife (**Patricia Campbell**, '36) is manager of the personnel payroll department of a Portland war plant.

Mrs. E. C. Westergren, (**Betty Bardwell**, '35) is recovering from an attack of spinal meningitis at Emanuel hospital, Portland, according to a note received from **Joan Cox Remsen**, '34.

Recently commissioned a second lieutenant in the army, **John B. Wade**, '35, is stationed in the department of the adjutant general in New York City. His address is 464 Lexington Ave.

Captain Charles J. Kleinegger, '35, is a classification officer for the 104th division at Camp Adair, Oregon. Before entering the service, Captain Kleinegger was with the U. S. Employment service in Portland.

1936

Perm. Class Sec'y: Ann-Reed Burns, 2566 S. W. Vista, Portland, Oregon.

Lt. Irene A. Van Houten, '36, a member of the women's army auxiliary corps, has been stationed at San Antonio district army recruiting service, San Antonio, Texas. Before joining the WAAC's on December 7, 1942, she was executive secretary of the Metropolitan Life Insurance company at Olympia, Washington. Lt. Van Houten took a specialized motor transport course, and now has a license to drive anything up to and including one and one-half ton trucks. She took her officer training at Fort Des Moines, Iowa and was commissioned March 30.

The new cruiser, Astoria, launched recently at a Portland shipyard, was christened by **Peggy Chessman Lucas**, '36, of Astoria.

With the Navy supply corps in Alaska is **Lt. (j.g.) Orville A. Lee**, '36. Before entering the service, Lt. Lee was a wholesale distributor for General Petroleum corporation in Pendleton, Oregon.

Pvt. Lester L. Van Lydegraf, '36, is stationed with the E.R.T.C., Fort Belvoir, Va. Mrs. Van Lydegraf is the former **Mary-Ellen Williams**, '39. They have one child, **Robert Eugene**, born March 9, 1940.

1937

David B. Lowry, Highcroft Orchard, Anderson Rd., Ashland, Oregon.

Edward William Abrams, M.D. '37, is a captain in the Medical Corps stationed at Barnes U.S. General Hospital, Vancouver, Washington.

Lt. George Louis Scharpf, Phi Delta Theta '37, is now stationed with the 124th Infantry at Fort Benning, Ga., as assistant supply officer. He received his commission March 9.

The by-line of **George E. Jones**, '37, appears frequently in newspapers throughout the country, over stories date-lined, "A South Pacific Base," or "Somewhere in Australia." Jones, who is serving with U.S. forces, is a resident of Eugene and an outstanding Emerald and Register-Guard reporter.

1938

Mrs. Gayle Buchanan Karshner (Mrs. Don W. Karshner), Box 76, Arcata, California.

Recipient of the army air force medal for "meritorious achievements while participating in aerial flights" in the South Pacific is **Captain Noel S. Benson**, '38. His brother, **Lt. Gordon Benson**, '40, also an army fier, was on Bataan when it fell to the Japs.

A member of the famous "Short Snorter" club, **Lt. Frank Nombalais, Jr.** '38, has a string of paper money with 25 bills of all denominations. A pilot in the ferry command, U. S. army air forces, Lt. Nombalais has collected autographed bills from the Arctic region, several countries on the African continent, South America, England, France, and several island countries.

Recently commissioned an ensign in the navy is **Robin A. Drews**, '38. He was previously research assistant in anthropology at the University and also taught at the Peking American school in China.

1939

Perm. Class Officers: President Harriet Sarazin Peterson, 1123 S. W. Whitaker, Portland, Oregon; Jean Holmes, Harry Weston, Mary Elizabeth Norville, Wally Johansen, Zane Kemler, Elizabeth Stetson, Hal Haener, Ruth Ketchum.

Dr. and Mrs. **Clare G. Peterson**, '39, M.D. '43, (**Harriet Sarazin**, '39) are the parents of

twin girls born April 23, 1943. The little girls have been named Sue Ethelwyn and Mabel Christine. Mr. Peterson received his medical degree March 19 in Portland and is now interning at San Bernardino county hospital.

A daughter, **Rosalie Irene**, was born February 17 to **Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wasser**, '39, (**Rosemary Geneste**, '39) of Rainier, Oregon. Mr. Wasser is manager of the Rainier Mill company.

Mortimer A. Heinrich, '39, was inducted into the army in Berkeley, California on April 14. His wife (**Betty Onthank**, '39) and son, **Allen**, will make their home in Eugene with Mrs. Heinrich's parents, **Dean and Mrs. Karl W. Onthank**, '13, '14.

First **Lt. Edwin Joseph Welsh**, '39, former Portland lawyer, has a Seattle address now—APO 937, c/o Postmaster. Mrs. Welsh, (**Margaret C. Johnson**, '38,) is in Portland for the duration.

Recent news from **Miss Eleanor Anderson**, '39, states that she is employed as a clerk for selective service board No. 10, Multnomah county, Portland, Oregon. Miss Anderson was active in journalism activities while on the campus.

1940

Perm. Class Officers: President **Phil Lowry**, Medford, Ore.; Secretary **Roy Vernstrom**, Rita Wright Stackhouse, **Margo Van Matre**, **Alyce Rogers Sheetz**, **Leonard Jermain**, **Ann Fredriksen**, **Scott Corbett**.

Clarence J. Zurcher, '40, was recently commissioned a lieutenant (sg) in the navy and is now on submarine duty on the east coast. **Jack Gendron**, '40, also received his commission as a lieutenant, (sg) and

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is serving on a destroyer in the Pacific. **Dick Clark**, '42, is a naval ensign stationed at the Naval Section base, Astoria, Oregon. All three were members of Delta Upsilon fraternity while on the campus.

Returning to the United States after a year of foreign service, **Lt. George Lane Simmons**, '40, not only received promotion to captain in the army air corps, but was appointed pilot instructor for the 7th Bomb. Sq., 34th Bomb Gp., A.A. Base, at Blythe, Calif. While serving overseas, Capt. Simmons was a member of the famed 19th bombardment squadron.

Commissioned an ensign in the United States naval reserve on April 28 was **Kenneth Charles McCubbins**, '40. He received his commission upon graduation from the Naval Air Training center at Corpus Christi, Texas. Ensign McCubbins is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

Attending the naval academy at Annapolis is **James K. Buell**, '40. His wife is the former **Winifred Wilhelm**, '41.

According to recent information, **Lt. Ben L. Graves**, '40, is serving as an army pilot overseas.

Word has been received that **Henry (Hank) Nilsen**, Sigma Nu '40, is now a lieutenant in the infantry stationed at Camp Gruber, Oklahoma. Lt. Nilsen coached athletics at Bend high school for a year before being called into the service.

Mr. and Mrs. John H. Sheetz (**Alyce Rogers**, '40) announce the birth of a son, John Rogers Sheetz, March 20, 1943 in Glendale, California.

1941

President **Bob Keen**, 3143 NE 18th, Portland, Oregon; Secretary **Majeane Glover**, Lloyd Sullivan, John Cavanagh, Bill Ehrman, Tiger Payne, Grace Irvin, Barbara Pierce, and Betty Buchanan.

Don Walker, '41, former U. of O. Federation director, is attending Officer Candidate school at Fort Washington, Maryland. Formerly stationed at Camp Roberts, California, Don crossed the continent via New Orleans. His new address is Co. C (22) Building 117, Fort Washington, Md.

Philip Rea Gould, '41, graduated from the Naval Air technical training center at Ward island, Corpus Christi, and was qualified as a staff sergeant in the U. S. marine corps reserve.

A son, Patrick Arlo, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Taylor, (**Lois Gay**, '41) on May 7, 1943. Their home is at Silverton, Oregon.

Bruce B. Hammond, '41, has been advanced to the rank of captain and is stationed at the Marine Barracks, Norfolk Navy Yard, Portsmouth, Virginia. Captain Hammond was an honor graduate in military when he left the University in 1941.

Ensign Lloyd W. Cummings, '41, who was sent to New Orleans for further training following his graduation and commission early in May, has completed his course and returned to the naval station at Pasco, Washington, where he will be stationed as a flying instructor. Ensign Cummings took his basic work at Bloomsbury, Pennsylvania and at Randolph field, Texas.

Warren (Teeny) Smith, '41, has been promoted from first lieutenant to captain in the marine corps and is stationed "somewhere in the South Pacific." Captain Smith related that he and other American marines have been initiating the South Sea islanders into the old American game of

baseball. Teams have been organized and games played.

Promotion from lieutenant to captain of **Robert M. Mitchell**, '41, former University of Oregon track standout was learned recently. Captain Mitchell is commanding officer of an air-borne unit in North Carolina. He received his commission in reserve ranks upon his graduation in June, 1941, when he was called to active duty.

Oceanside, California was the scene September 26 of the wedding of Miss Patricia Anne Daley to **Lt. Francis H. Bergtholdt**, '41. Lt. Bergtholdt is in the South Pacific and may be addressed at Unit 1305, Fleet Post Office, San Francisco.

Lt. Jack Cosley, '41 recipient of the navy cross for heroism in action at the Battle of Midway can be reached at USMC c/o Fleet Post Office, San Francisco, Calif.

Pvt. Robert C. Belloni is now stationed at Ft. Sam Houston, Texas, with the 12th Medical Supply Depot.

Galen C. Morey, '41, is now attending Officer Candidates' school at Ft. Benning.

S/Sgt. Robert R. Wilson, '41, is stationed at the army air base, Great Falls, Montana.

P. F. C. Lucius R. Gallaway, '41, is chief pharmacist at an army dispensary in Kansas City, Mo. His home is in Hood River.

Martin J. Hoffman, '41, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Hoffman of Redmond, has been commissioned an ensign in the naval reserve and left in February for indoctrination at Princeton, N. J. The former third class yeoman had been stationed at the Pendleton recruiting substation from April, 1942 until last January. In civilian life Ensign Hoffman was secretary to S. Murray, Portland resident engineer of Union Pacific.

S/Sgt. William D. DeCew, Jr., '41, is now stationed at Avon Park, Fla. **Lincoln A. DeCew**, '39, is credit manager for Sears Roebuck in Walla Walla, Wn.

1942

Former student body president, **Louis Torgeson**, '42, was promoted recently to the rank of first lieutenant, stationed at Fort Benning.

A card from **Lt. Fred Ziegler**, '42, reports that he has been a pilot in the transports in India for over 14 months and is ready to leave any time. He states that he can't put much on a postcard about his experiences in India and China, but he does look forward to coming back to his alma mater some day and sleeping by the old mill race.

Lt. and Mrs. Warren Byron Phillips, '42, (**Carol Bird**, '42) are the parents of a son, **Warren Byron Phillips, Jr.**, born May 10, 1943. Mr. and Mrs. Phillips are living at 301 S.E. 7th avenue, Mineral Wells, Texas where he is stationed at Camp Wolters.

Word has been received that **Sgt. Glenn F. Sweeney**, '42, is stationed at Mt. McKinley Recreation Camp, McKinley, Alaska, at which point the U. S. soldiers furlough in Alaska. Sergeant Sweeney has been stationed outside the United States a year, having sailed May 12, 1942.

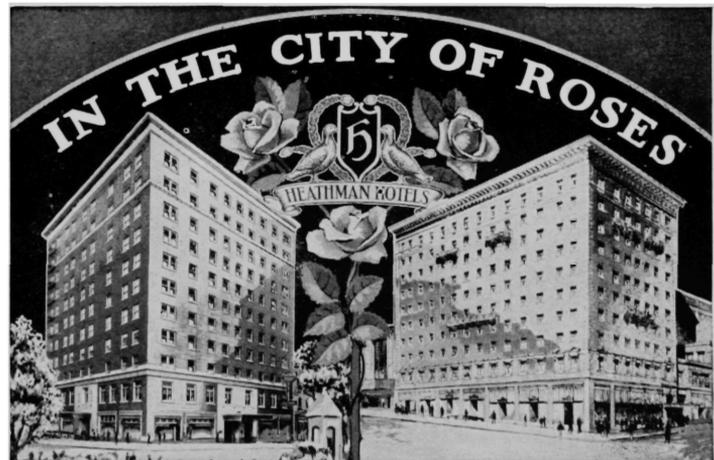
Jackson Toll Christensen, '42, was commissioned a second lieutenant in the United States marine corps reserve on April 28 at the Naval Air Training center, Corpus Christi.

A daughter, Janet Ann, was born February 22 to **Capt. and Mrs. James J. Coleman**, '39 (**Evalyn B. Kirchofer**, '42) of Eugene. Capt. Coleman is serving with the marines overseas and Mrs. Coleman is living at 800 W. Mill Race drive in Eugene.

Lt. Howard Loren Jenks, '42, is a bomber pilot in the army air corps stationed at Barksdale field, Shreveport, La. He received his commission last February 6, at Roswell, New Mexico.

Temporary navy address for **Ensign Kirman O. Storli**, '42, is Sub Chaser School, Miami, Florida. A son, Peyton Allison, was

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Honor Roll --- Alums in the Service

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ARMY

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 LEONARD DUDLEY BAILEY, '43, Pvt., Atlantic City, New Jersey.
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 PAUL DAVENPORT, '45, Pvt., University of Tulsa, Tulsa, Okla.
 WILLIAM DALE DEAN, '46, Pvt., Army Air Force Service Center, Leesburg, Fla.
 WILLIAM D. DeCEW, Jr., '41, S/Sgt., Avon Park, Fla.
 FLOYD WILLIAM DEEDS, '35, Sgt., Vancouver Barracks, Wn.
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 ALFRED CHRISTIAN FRIES, '28, Army Signal Corps School, Oregon City, Ore.
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 WILLIAM GANONG, '44, Pvt., Camp White, Ore.
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 HOWARD F. NACHTMAN, MD37, Capt., Modesto, Calif.
 LOUIS H. NEALE, '33, S/Sgt., APO 302, Postmaster, New York City.
 MORRIS K. NOREN, '43, Pvt., Camp Wolters, Texas.
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 CARL C. OATES, '42, Lt., Avon Park, Fla.
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 RALPH PARKER, '41, Sgt., APO 957, Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.
 CLAYTON A. PEARSON, '39, Lt., Brooksville Air Base, Brooksville, Fla.
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 JOHN K. PRATT, '43, 2nd Lt., APO 41, Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.
 FRED A. RAUTKE, '32, Lowry Field, Colo.
 JOHN RAFFETTO, Jr., '42, 2nd Lt., APO 90, Postmaster, Seattle, Wn.
 EVERT REAM, '33, Capt., Camp Croft, South Carolina.
 MAHR G. REYMERS, '34, Flight Chief, King City, Calif.
 HOWARD LEF ROBERTSON, '44, Lt., Army Air Base, Casper, Wyo.
 WALTER R. ROBINSON, '42, Lt., Camp Adair, Ore.

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News of the Classes

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Aviation Cadet Edward A. Boydell, '42, has completed his flight training course at Pasco, Wn., and has been transferred to the naval air station at Corpus Christi, Texas. He was formerly of Nyssa.

Following his graduation from the University in June, 1942, **Robert Hall Bach** enlisted in the navy. He attended boot school at the Bremerton navy yard, then went to Stillwater, Oklahoma for Radar training. He is continuing this training at Corpus Christi, Texas where he expects to be stationed another two months.

1943

President, Ray Packouz; Secretary, Nancy Lewis; Board: Al Larsen, Marge Dibble, John Buserud, Wes Sullivan, Don Treadgold.

The marriage of 2nd Lt. **Richard Kelly Johnson**, '43, and **Betty Virginia Oldham**, '43, was solemnized in the East recently. Lt. Johnson has just completed officers' training school. Their address is APO 85, Shreveport, La.

From **Ensign Homer E. Townsend**, '43, somewhere in the Pacific come "greetings!" He says: "Alumni magazine received—thanks a million. The USS Maryland is still afloat and I'm still fighting!"

Another Webfoot serving overseas is **Bradford A. Evans**, '43, captain in the air corps. His job is piloting a flying fortress, the "Wolfpack."

Thomas Kennan Beard, '43, is a second lieutenant in the Transportation corps, stationed at Ft. Hamilton, N. Y.

Cadet William T. Hodson, '43, was recently transferred from Ft. Stevens, Oregon to Camp Lee, Virginia where he is training for officer rating in the quartermaster school.

Second Lieutenant Mack Dietrich, '43, was commissioned March 21 from Randolph Field, Texas, a member of the largest class to graduate from the Gulf Coast Training Center. His temporary address is Sgdn. 6, Class 43c, A.C.T.D., Randolph Field.

First Lt. John B. Harding, '43, is piloting flying fortresses overseas, but can be reached by writing A.P.O. 520, c/o Postmaster, New York City.

Frances A. Abraham, '43, is an apprentice seaman in the WAVES and is undergoing training at Stillwater, Okla. Miss Abraham's home is in Portland.

Charles N. Baker, '43, has been transferred from the cavalry force to the army air corps and is undergoing training at the Santa Ana army air base. Cadet Baker's home is in San Carlos, Calif.

1944

Among Oregon men graduating from the Naval Air Training Center, Corpus Christi, Texas on April 30 was **Ehrman Giustina**,



"ONE OF THE BEST CLASSES ever to attend the University" is the proud title of the class of 1913. Here they are at the scene of their 30th reunion. From left to right: Row 1—Arthur Stillman, Mrs. Ira Manville, Lt. Col. Carlton E. Spencer, Jack Luckey, Irwin Rolfe, Florence Throll Stickels, Emma Job Adams. Row 2—Dr. Ira Manville, Dean H. Walker, Helen Van Duyn Quackenbush, Ida Warnock Jenks, Rachel Applegate Swan, J. G. Swan, and Andrew M. Collier. Row 3—Roy C. Andrews, Karl W. Onthank, Judge Howard K. Zimmerman, Wayne Elliott, Lyda Garrett, Walter T. McGuirk, Grace Hartley Stewart, Mrs. McGuirk, and Edward F. Bailey.

'44, who was commissioned an ensign in the naval reserve. On May 2 Ensign Giustina was married to **Marion Lee Barlow**, '43, at the Church of the Good Shepherd in Corpus Christi. The couple are now residing in Sanfield, Florida where Ensign Giustina is stationed.

1945

Ward Lee Christensen, '45, graduated April 28 from the Naval Air Training center at Corpus Christi, Texas, and was commissioned an ensign in the U. S. naval reserve.

Frances M. Piestrak, '45, who majored in home economics while attending the University, has entered Mess Sergeants' school in the branch army Bakers' and Cooks' school at the Third WAAC training center at Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia. She is taking special work in mess hall management.

Private Bryce Sidesinger, '45, is stationed at Camp Wolters, Texas. "Si" was a prominent Fiji on the campus, chairman of the Sophomore Whiskerino and member of Skull and Dagger. His address is Company D, 54th Inf. Tng. Bt.

Private Frank Calise, '45, reports that he is holding down Fort Knox, Ky., where he is a member of the reconnaissance division of the tank forces.

The marriage of **Miss Elizabeth Ellin Guenther**, '45, to **Robert Stephenson Parker**, '44, was an event of March 19 in Portland.

P. F. C. Robert G. Biederman, '45, is stationed with an army division at Camp White, Oregon. His home is in Portland.

Aviation cadet Derrell P. Thompson, '45, is stationed at the naval air station at Los

Alamitos, Calif. After about three months at this station, he will be sent to Corpus Christi, Texas. Cadet Thompson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Thompson of Exeter, Calif.

1946

Jack Dixon Frost, '46, is a seaman second class at Camp Farragut, Idaho where he is attending quartermaster school.

Stationed at Fort Sill, Okla., is **Pvt. Thorvald Johnson**, '46, Btry. C., 27th Bn., 7th Regt., Section 4.

Recent recruits to the marines are **Pvt. William Malcolm Scrivner**, '46, Plat. 268, and **Pvt. Mallory Franklin German**, '46, Plat. 322, R.D. Marine Corps Base, San Diego, Calif.

Across country to Atlantic City, New Jersey went **Pvt. Joe Max Goenberg**, '46, and **Pvt. Augie Edward Johnson**, '46, to attend the Army Air Forces Technical Training School there.

In training at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo. is **Pvt. Raymond Kay Ferguson**, '46, who is in the Anti-Tank Corps.

Pvt. Robert William Muhr, '46, is at Ft. Custer, Michigan and **Pvt. Jimmie Wilde McMullen**, '46, is in the 527th Armored Infantry at Fort Knox, Kentucky.

Stationed on the campus of the University of Minnesota is **Pvt. William Hudson Geil, Jr.**, '46. His address is 88th CTD (air-crew), Memorial Stadium, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn.

Another air corps student is **Pvt. Gregory Ellis James**, '46, who is with the 318th CTD (air-crew), at Logan, Utah.

Richard Owen Ward, '46, is in the naval air corps. He is now waiting for assignment to a special school for training.