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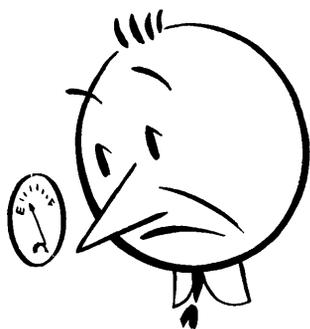
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## Williams Heads Lane County Alumni

CARROLL P. WILLIAMS, '28, Eugene, was elected president of the Lane County Alumni association of the University at the group's annual winter meeting in February. Also named to alumni offices with Williams for the coming year were Homer Dickson, '31, Junction City, vice-president, and Roselind Gray, '35, Eugene, secretary.

Williams will succeed Dr. E. E. Gray, '18, who has served the association as president since August, 1939. The long term was the result of temporary inactivity of the association during 1940.

Preceding the election Dr. Gray called for the report of the nominating committee composed of Edward F. Bailey, '13; Bill Bartle, '30, LL.B. '32, and Robert Lemon, '30. The report listed two candidates for each office. For president nominated were—Mrs. Mary Roche Miles, '13, and Carroll P. Williams, '28; for vice-president, Homer Dickson and Herbert Lombard, '15, Cottage Grove, and for secretary, Roselind Gray, '35, and Mrs. Maybelle Beakley Rietman, '29. Mrs. Rietman declined the nomination because of the pressure of other activities. There were no other nominations from the floor.

Immediately following the election the group heard plans for the coming year and discussed ways in which the association could be of assistance to the University. A program to interest all Lane County alumni in the activities of the association also was brought up. Williams indicated that he

would make immediate plans for an active organization.

## Our Cover in Words

The girl with the pigtails in her hair gracing the cover of this month's OLD OREGON is the University's official valentine girl, chosen by the Dads' Day committee to help welcome fathers of students visiting the campus. She is Dorothy Walthers, freshman from La Jolla, California, and a member of Kappa Kappa Gamma sorority.

The picture is by Ken Christianson, '42, OLD OREGON staff photographer.

## Hinman at Corpus Christi

Robert S. Hinman, '41, a member of the varsity football team, is an aviation cadet now in the intermediate stage of flight training at the U. S. naval air station, Corpus Christi, Texas, according to a report from there.

Hinman enlisted in the navy in May, 1941, and received preliminary flight training at the naval reserve aviation base, Seattle, Wash., where he received approximately twelve hours of flying including his first solo. After completion of his preliminary training at Seattle, he was sent to Corpus Christi, Texas, and received his appointment as an aviation cadet on October 16.

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# From the Inside--County Alumni Directors Hear, Discuss Problems

Throughout the better part of two days, February 13-14, county directors of the Alumni Association were shown an inside picture of the University. Throughout those two days they heard the facts from authorities and discussed, criticized and moved for action so that they, and the alumni in their counties, could better aid the institution's program, throughout the year.

**O**FFICERS and county directors of the Alumni Association were presented with an inside picture of the University of Oregon, some of its accomplishments, problems, and aspirations, when they met with various officials of the institution in the annual winter directors' conference on the campus. Present were 16 officers and directors representing counties in all parts of the state.

Those who answered the roll call for all or part of the conference were—**Hollis Johnston**, '21, retiring president of the association; **Clarence C. Coddling**, '35, new Multnomah county director and former president of the Portland Alumni group; **Paulen W. Kaseberg**, '37, new Sherman county director; **Dr. Asa B. Starbuck**, '06, Polk county; **Raymond O. Williams**, '14, Union; **George Stadelman**, '30, Wasco; **Robert Pollock**, '38, Columbia; **Elton A. Schroeder**, '27, Coos; **Ben F. Dorris**, '15, Lane; **Lawrence Hull**, '23, Lincoln; **Ralph Cronise**, '11, Linn; **Earl Blackaby**, '15, Malheur; **Dr. Clarence W. Keene**, '96, Marion; **James T. Donald**, '15, Baker; and **Walter T. Durgan**, '28, Benton.

President **Harris Ellsworth**, '22, was not able to attend the meeting because of a recent illness. In his place **Hollis Johnston**,



**DISCUSSED ATHLETICS**—Professor Orlando J. Hollis, '26, pictured the athletic program from the standpoint of the faculty representative to the Pacific Coast Conference.

'21, retiring president, served as chairman. Discussions began Friday afternoon and lasted through all day Saturday.

**A**THLETICS occupied much of the conference with **Professor Orlando J. Hollis**, '26, faculty representative to the Pacific Coast conference, discussing new rules and regulations of the conference and also proposed changes which are expected to come up before the group at the coming meeting in March and **Coaches Tex Oliver, Hobby Hobson and John Warren** pointing out problems facing their departments in the coming season.

Other discussions brought **Cecil C. Snyder**, '31, acting director of the news bureau, on progress in getting University news in state papers and **Dr. A. E. Caswell**, head of the physics department, on certain problems of science development.

Topping the two-day meet was the annual report on the University by **Dr. Donald M. Erb**, president. Dr. Erb met with the directors Saturday afternoon and discussed the University in the war. He outlined the basic policy which the administration is following and presented some of the problems with which the school is faced.

Directors were guests of the University at the annual Dads' day luncheon Saturday noon and at the Oregon-Oregon State basketball game Saturday night. Individual pictures of each director were taken by the news bureau for **OLD OREGON**.

## Terry Goes to Maryland

Lieutenant Colonel **Roy K. Terry**, '10, has left the Field Artillery Replacement Center, Camp Roberts, California, for Fort George G. Meade, Maryland, where he will serve on the staff and faculty of the War Department's new Special Services School.

The school was established to train commissioned officers in Army activities now handled by the Special Services Branch.

Colonel Terry, after graduating from Oregon, obtained his law degree from Harvard Law School. He was in France with the first A.E.F. as a field artillery lieutenant.

## Recognition for Alum

A study guide prepared by **Ensign Paul Stewart**, '41, now is in use by the navy training office at Northwestern university, according to information reaching here. Ensign Stewart, who received his B.S. degree in education, was ranked as one of the foremost students in his class at Northwestern.

He had the opportunity to become an instructor in navigation at the midshipman's school at Northwestern, but preferred to seek adventures at sea. At present he is serving with the navy's Atlantic fleet.



**REPORTED ON UNIVERSITY**—Dr. Donald M. Erb outlined policies and problems of the University in his talk to alumni directors.

## Hall at Kodiak Island

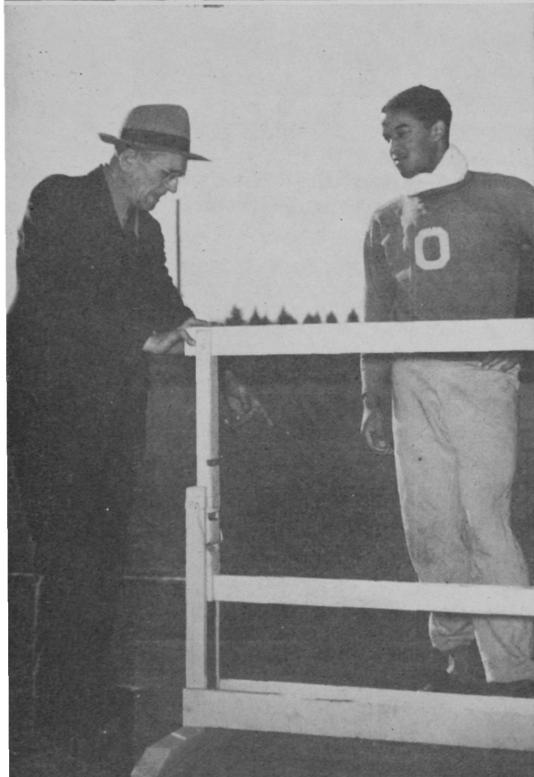
An information bulletin from Fort Greely, Kodiak Island, Alaska, has been received by **Virgil D. Earl**, '06, dean of men, from **Lt. George L. Hall**, '39, morale officer at the Fort. The bulletin is one of the regular army reports with provisions for striking out all but the necessary words.

According to the report the men are getting along very well at Fort Greely. It is cold, says the letter, but the men are well clothed and food is good.

"Every week's menu includes steak, chicken, turkey, celery, milk, butter, strawberries, lettuce, fresh vegetables, pies, and cake," it states.



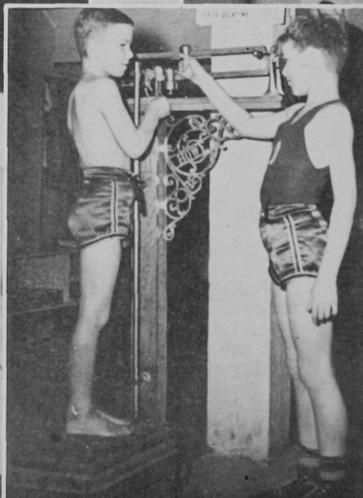
**PROGRESS IN NEWS**—Cecil C. Snyder, '31, related progress of the University news bureau in getting stories in state of Oregon papers.



## Emphasis on Athletics

With the war emergency placing added emphasis on physical education and physical training the University of Oregon athletic department is preparing to go "all out" in an effort to promote keener and more widespread interest in sports, particularly in strenuous sports. This picture series by Photographer Buck Buchwach, '42, depicts a few of the "behind the scenes" acts as Oregon's sports department prepares to build up its athletic program.

At the left Coaches "Tex" Oliver and Vaughn Corley look over some of the football equipment just before starting spring football practice. Top right, Anse Cornell dictates another letter to his secretary; center, Colonel Bill Hayward, veteran Oregon track coach, gives Zerus Butler a few pointers on the hurdles and Sports Publicist Bruce Hamby bangs out another report of an Oregon victory; bottom, Ed Walker, ticket manager, sells another ticket to an Oregon sports event and right, Freshman Coach John Warren poses with his powerful champion frosh squad. In the center are Howard "Hobby" Hobson's two mainstays in case the military forces cut too heavily into his basketball squad. Already veterans at the game of basketball are his sons, Howard, Jr., and David.



# Athletics and Atherton

By BRUCE HAMBY, '34

Since the adoption of the Pacific Coast (Atherton) Conference Code, writes Sports Editor Bruce Hamby, '34, right, there has been a great deal of misinformation and exaggeration concerning its provisions. Only recently Commissioner Atherton in an attempt to clear up this situation issued a new and more clearly defined set of rules. Here are the new regulations as affecting alumni, explained by Mr. Hamby.



SINCE the advent of the Pacific Coast conference code governing the recruiting and subsidization of athletes, there has been a tremendous amount of misinformation, misconception and exaggeration among interested parties—mainly alumni.

The Pacific Coast conference code, more often but incorrectly called the Atherton code, has imposed limitations on the recruiting of prospective college athletes by member institutions—but it really isn't as some would have you believe.

For example, suppose you, as an alumnus of the University of Oregon, are invited to dinner by friends. Upon arriving, you find among those present their son, a star high school athlete ready to enter college. Naturally, you would like to see him wearing an Oregon uniform but you have heard of the dreaded "code."

So what do you do? Slink out of the room? Or completely ignore the lad to make sure you aren't violating some rule?

Not a bit of it. You have a perfect right not only to talk to him but to talk of athletics and of the University of Oregon. The same applies if you are a student.

For the benefit of interested Oregon alumni, following are excerpts from the conference code explaining what you may do in talking with prospective students; but first, here is the definition of an "interview":

"For the purpose of this section (of the code), an interview is any conversation in which information regarding a member institution is given to a prospective college student, or in which an attempt is made directly or indirectly to persuade such student to attend a particular member institution."

Here are exceptions to the rule prohibiting interviews:

"An alumnus of a member institution may interview a high school or junior college athlete when normal social or business contacts with the athlete or members of his family provide the occasion for such an interview."

"An alumnus of a member institution who has been appointed by his institution on alumni association to participate in an established institutional program of recruiting students of high scholastic ability, may in the pursuit of his assigned duties interview high school or junior college students who possess the requisite scholastic ability, whether athletes or not."

"A student of a member institution may interview prospective students when such interviewing is not at the request of, on behalf of, or in cooperation with any athletic official of his institution."

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HIGH spot of the University of Oregon's winter athletic program has been the brilliant record posted by Coach Mike Hoyman's varsity swimming team. At press time the Webfoot swimmers had

completed their strenuous dual meet schedule without a defeat and were favored in the annual northern division championships to be held February 28 in Eugene.

The Webfoot mermen twice swamped Oregon State, 63 to 12 and 56 to 19, trounced the defending champion University of Washington team, 56 to 19, and on an invasion of California defeated San Jose State college, 52 to 23; the San Francisco Olympic club, 38 to 37, and Stanford, 49 to 25. The victory over the Olympic club was notable in that it was the first defeat in five years for the clubmen.

Too much credit for the fine showing of the Oregon team cannot be given to Coach Hoyman, who already has a brilliant coaching record. Hoyman lost two of his outstanding stars before the season started but through diligent coaching and shrewd placing of his scant man-power developed his squad of three lettermen and seven sophomores into a championship aggregation.

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A DISASTROUS midseason slump that resulted in seven straight defeats scuttled Oregon's hopes in the northern division basketball race. Coach Howard Hobson's proteges, not given a chance in pre-season prognosticating, made a strong start but were unable to keep up the pace and with three games left to play were in fourth place.

## Athletics More Than Usual

By BUCK A. BUCHWACH, '42  
(See pictures on facing page)

MOST assuredly it's not "sports as usual" at the University of Oregon. Since December 7, when the United States re-dedicated itself to the principles of life, liberty and the pursuit of the Japanese, a great change has taken place in the entire athletic setup at the University of Oregon.

Physical education instructors no longer restrict themselves to concocting methods of diversion for mentally over-trained students. The job of the physical education instructor, whether he be teaching the fundamentals of handball or the fine points of tumbling, is to get his charges into condition... for war... in a hurry.

More rigorous calisthenics each day, more emphasis on a faster tempo for the game, more insistence on top physical condition as a requisite for all athletic competition... that is the change.

The physical education school is not only preparing its students for coaching positions; it is teaching them to be ready to condition soldiers and sailors. Already many University of Oregon P. E. school graduates are among Gene Tunney's chief petty officers at Norfolk, Va., learning how

to get the gobs of the United States fleet into condition—Gil Hodgen, Bill Borchert, Rollie Rourke, George Colosuanno and Al Sander, to mention a few.

The new "stepped-up production" in the competitive sports program is clearly evident. Coaches are renewing their efforts to provide the highest type of athletics to sustain the morale of the American spectator.

Like Yale university, which has installed a compulsory athletic program, Oregon has decided sports competition is invaluable to participants. Before Oregon's spring football practice started February 25 this year, Coach Tex Oliver posted signs on the campus and sent letters to every living organization asking everyone capable of turning out to do so—whether or not they had ever played high school or any other kind of football before. The large turnout was an encouraging answer.

Spectators are mighty glad to hear that sports for their enjoyment will continue throughout the emergency. Participants are getting the benefit of superb conditioning methods.

No, it's not "sports as usual" at the University of Oregon, but sports more than usual... for a reason.

# MEET OUR ALUMS

By RAY SCHRICK, '43

The rise to national prominence in the field of physical education has been rapid for Oregon's alum of the month, Del Oberteuffer, '23. An athlete, student, and activity man, he mixed recreation with business and only a few years after graduating in 1923 became state supervisor of physical education for Ohio. He is nationally recognized as an authority and is author of several books in his field.

**D**ELBERT OBERTUEFFER, '23, is a track man whose favorite sport is handball, a physical education major who is a member of an education honorary, and an excellent student who was activity-minded to the extent that he made Friars, senior men's honorary, while at the University.

Oregon's alum of the month is another of the "lost generation," class of 1923, which produced such outstanding men as **E. Palmer Hoyt**, present publisher of the Oregonian, and **Jay Allen**, international war correspondent.

A long-legged athlete, he mixed athletic pleasures with business to receive his B.A. in '23, his M.A. in '24, and to become a Ph.D. at the still early age of 28.

It wasn't many years after Oberteuffer left the University that he became state supervisor of physical education for the state of Ohio. And it was just another short step until he became professor of physical education and chairman of the division of physical education for men at Ohio State.

The name Oberteuffer is a familiar one to Oregon residents and especially to those of the Portland district. Actually, it is a different person, a brother, **Herman**, '14, who is outstanding in Boy Scout work and executive for the Rose City area, but something outstanding seems to run in the Oberteuffer family.

**D**EL OBERTUEFFER is a prominent author. His works have included books on "Personal Hygiene for College Students," "Health and Physical Educa-

tion for Secondary Schools," "Industrial Hygiene for Schools," and "Health Instruction for High Schools."

It's quite easy to trace Oberteuffer's interests from these title words. His specialty is the school and physical education, a subject which will undoubtedly draw concerted attention, especially after the war is over. It is the problem of building an able-bodied younger population in spite of civilization, a question to which such men as Hitler have given perhaps too much attention and therefore hold a temporary advantage over the democratic nations.

Del Oberteuffer was born November 19, 1901, in Portland. He prepared for college at Lincoln high school in the Rose City and also took some work at Reed college. As a student at the University he was a varsity track man for three years and a

member of the Order of the O and Beta Theta Pi. He was for a short time an instructor at the University while working for a masters degree.

## Medical School Gets 27

Twenty-seven pre-medical students, the largest number in the history of the University, will enter medical schools this season, it was revealed here last month by Clinton S. McGill, vice-president of the Asklepiad, pre-med society.

Of this number 25 will enter the University medical school in Portland, one will enter Washington university in St. Louis and one George Washington university in Washington, D. C. The number entering the University medical school will represent one-third of the class there.



# News of the Classes With ROSELIND GRAY, '35

## 1906

Perm. Class Sec'y: Mrs. Camille Carroll Bovard (Mrs. John F. Bovard), 10457 Ashton Ave., Los Angeles, California.

Though an error in identification a Clarence Stout, reported deceased in a Portland newspaper story, was identified as Clarence C. Stout, '06 in the February issue of OLD OREGON.

We are happy to learn that Oregon's Mr. Stout is definitely still living in Portland where he is a leading attorney. We regret the error which caused the report.

## 1912

Perm. Class Sec'y: Mrs. Mildred Bagley Graham, 1157 High St., Eugene, Oregon.

Chester A. Moores, '12, LL.B. '17, vice-president of Commonwealth, Inc., was named to the governing council of the Institute of Real Estate Management which is an affiliate of the National Association of Real Estate Boards.

## 1917

Perm. Class Sec'y: Dr. Ralph M. Dodson, 222 N. W. Maywood Drive, Portland, Oregon.

Dr. F. Floyd South, '17, M.D. '24, has been called into active duty with the Army Medical corps. He holds the rank of major and is stationed at the Recruiting & Induction Service office in San Francisco, Calif.

## 1918

Perm. Class Sec'y: Dr. Edward Gray, Miner Bldg., Eugene, Oregon.

A recent visitor in Eugene was Homer Kellems, '18, who spent a few days here visiting his mother before leaving for an expedition to northern Canadian waters where he will collect data for the U. S. Navy relating to the establishment of a northwest passage.

## 1924

Perm. Class Sec'y: Frank G. Carter, 1530 Willard St., San Francisco, California.

Mrs. Anne Hill Donnelly, '24, returned to the campus last spring to do graduate work and this year is teaching in the Medford high school.

A card from Major Don Z. Zimmerman, '24, M.A. '29, contains the information that he is now director for the weather research center of the Army Air Force at Bolling Field., D. C.

## 1925

Perm. Class Sec'y: Mrs. Marie Myers Bosworth (Mrs. Harlan P. Bosworth), 544 Conger Ave., Klamath Falls, Oregon.

Teaching in the Parkdale high school is Mrs. Mary McCullagh Stewart, '25.

A marriage of the early summer was that of Miss Dorothy La Roche, '25, to Collin C. Camplan. They are making their home at 2850 S. E. 61st Ave., Portland. Mrs. Camplan is a legal stenographer in the district attorney's office for Multnomah county.

## 1926

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

Mrs. Oleta Sullivan Stewart, '26, is assistant employment officer in the WPA office in San Francisco, Calif. Her home address is 2719 Regent St., Berkeley, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland A. Robe, '26, are the parents of a son, Laurance Alan, born September 17. Mr. Robe is manager of the men's department at Miller's, a department store in Eugene.



**WITH MARINES**—Captain James S. Blais, '36, former president of the student body and until a short time ago stationed with Marine forces in China, now is an aide to Major General Philip Torrey, stationed on the East coast.

## 1927

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

C. Laird McKenna, Jr., '27, assistant U. S. attorney since July, 1939, was called to active duty recently as a lieutenant in the legal department of the Naval Reserve. His destination is as yet unannounced.

Boyd C. Hammond, '27, is a major in the Army and is stationed at Gowen Field, Boise, Idaho.

Francis L. Rieder, '27, makes his home at 608 S. First St., San Jose, Calif. He is married and has two sons, Peter Francis, five, and John Moffatt, one and a half. Mr. Rieder is owner of the San Jose Maintenance Co.

Theodore C. Ruch, '27, professor of physiology at Yale university school of medicine, has just published a bibliography on primates, according to information received by Dr. H. R. Taylor, head of the psychology department at the University. Professor Ruch received his M.A. from Stanford after graduating here in 1927 and after that was a Rhodes scholar in England.

## 1928

Perm. Class Sec'y: Mrs. Alice Douglas Burns (Mrs. E. Murray Burns), 122 Maple Park, Olympia, Wn.

A daughter, Marianne, was born to Mr. and Mrs. J. Rodney Keating, '28, of 3040

S. W. Perlander, Portland. The Keatings have two other children, Timothy Edmund, three, and Anne, sixteen months.

Active in Lane County Alumni affairs is T. Burton Nelson, '28, who is manager of the Nelson Construction Co. in Eugene. His business address is the Miner building.

Mrs. Annie-Ellen Lamoree Marbut, '28, may be addressed c/o Barnes General hospital, Vancouver, Wash. Her husband, Dr. William M. Marbut, is associated with the hospital.

## 1929

The marriage of Mrs. Anne Maler Boesen, '29, to Elden I. Jenne was read November 19. The couple are making their home at 847 N. E. Floral Ave., Portland.

Herman J. Kramer, '29, is principal of the senior high school in Hood River.

Maurice Reavis, '29, is now living at 747 S. W. Green, Portland. He and his wife are now the parents of a small daughter, Mollie A., born last October. Mr. Reavis is employed by the E. A. Pierce Co., stock brokers.

## 1930

Perm. Class Sec'y: Mrs. Eleanor Poorman Hamilton (Mrs. Alfred E. Hamilton), 6 E. 82nd St., New York City.

Miss Mary J. Bugar is teaching in the Condon high school this year. Previous to this position Miss Bugar taught in Talent.

Mrs. Elva Balsiger Kathan, '30, is teaching in the high school at Gold Hill.

Harold L. Kelley, '30, is now living at 2039 Commonwealth Ave., Brighton, Boston, Mass. He is a representative for the Jantzen knitting mills.

Miss Bertha Alm, '30, writes that for three years she has been director of music in the Girls Polytechnic school in Portland. Her home address is 3333 N. E. 27th Ave.

## 1931

Perm. Class Sec'y: William B. Pittman, Jr., Box 187, Exeter, California.

Wade A. Rutherford, '31, is field director for the American Red Cross. His headquarters are at March Field, Calif., and he covers 19 air corps stations. He is the proud father of a son, Thomas Allen, born December 29.

A. Ray Martin, '31, southwestern Oregon district supervisor for the U. S. employment service, was nominated recently by President Roosevelt for state director of the office of government reports. This office, formerly located in Portland, was closed last October 1, but is to be re-opened soon, although the exact date has not been announced.

Miss Virginia Lois Vaughn, '31, of Vancouver, Wash., was married November 15 in Seattle to Robert G. Heily. After a flying trip to the East where they spent a fortnight in New York, the couple returned to Seattle and are now at home at 300 Lakeside.

Miss Julia Wilson, '31, was married to John Errol Hurrst of Honolulu, T. H., on January 9. Mrs. Hurrst formerly made her home in Portland but left last February for Honolulu, where she has been employed in the Hawaiian Quartermaster depot at Ft. Armstrong. The couple will continue to make their home in Honolulu.

. . . LETTERS . . .

E. R. Abbett, '06

Dear Sergeant Vernstrom:

After chatting with you this evening on the Sandy bus, it occurred to me after I reached home that I had seen your picture in OLD OREGON. Accordingly I looked through the December issue of OLD OREGON and came upon the picture of you which I was sure I had seen there previously. I also reread your interesting article telling of Oregon alumni who are helping to write Leatherneck history.

In addition to being Oregon alumni, you and I have something else in common—we have both been editors of campus publications. I am a member of the class of 1906 and in my junior year was editor of the then weekly college paper, known as The Oregon Weekly, and editor of our class annual.

It might be interesting to you to know that I received my preliminary training in college journalism under none other than Dr. James Henry Gilbert, to whom I served as an assistant editor while he was editor in chief of the weekly paper.

Several years back I edited a local dental journal for a couple of years and for a good many years have served as the press representative of the Oregon State Dental association. Also served in the same capacity for the big Pacific Coast Dental conference held here last July.

E. R. Abbett, '06.

(Ed.: The above letter, written to Roy N. Venstrom, publicity sergeant with the Portland office of the Marine corps and former OLD OREGON editor, was sent on to the editor of OLD OREGON, who secured permission from Mr. Abbett to run it. Abbett



**NAVY MEN**—Among the Oregon alumni now doing active duty with the navy are the above three men. From the left are—Norm Holt, '40; Woodrow Everitt, '39, and James Pickett, '40.

has done a striking job as press representative for the dental association and for the Pacific Coast conference, causing several Portland newspaper reporters to express their amazement at a dentist who could translate terms they couldn't even pronounce into common newspaper language and who apparently knew a good news story when he saw one.)

Aulis Anderson Calloway, '23

As I have just read with interest the last issue of Old Oregon and been duly impressed by the pictures and accomplishments of Ep Hoyt, '23, and Harris Ellsworth, '22,—I thought that it might be of interest to others to read of the whereabouts of several other alumni . . .

Bernice Allstock Nelson, '23, is now living at 2111 Hyde street in San Francisco.

Len, '23, and Grace Edgington Jordan, '16, and their three children have recently built and moved into their new home in Grangeville, Idaho.

Eugenia Page Metzger, '25, Alpha Phi, is living in Highland Park, Illinois at 802 South Sheridan road.

We see her quite often—and recently had a very pleasant visit with Del Oberbauer, '23, who was in Chicago at a conference.

Owen met Frank Spears, '36, in Washington, D.C. Frank is an attorney in the rubber division of the O.P.A.

Sincerely,

Aulis Anderson Calloway, '23  
188 Park Avenue,  
Glencoe, Illinois

**C. Angerman Promoted**

Clyde Angerman, '39, of Freewater, Oregon, has been promoted to corporal, the Field Artillery Replacement Center, Camp Roberts, Cal., has announced. He is on duty in the Field Artillery's morale office.

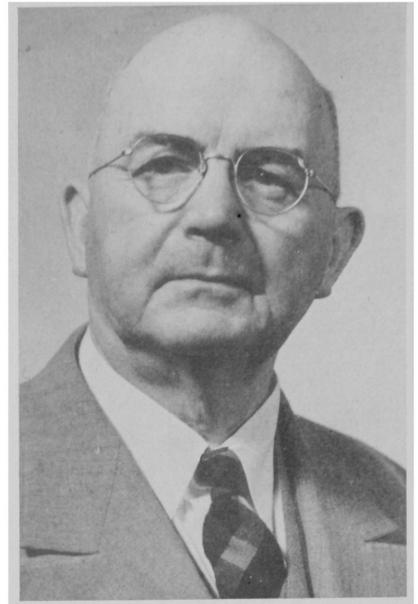
Corporal Angerman graduated from the University of Oregon in 1939 and from the Oregon Law School in 1941. He has been in Camp Roberts since last September.



**AIRMEN FOR THE ARMY**—Now flying for the army air corps are these nine University alumni, from left—Wayne Kelty, '42; Ernie Robertson, '39; Bill Cummings, '39; Harry Adams, '39; Don Root, '40; Gale Ferris, '40; Lee Withrow, '41; Hugh Hoffman, '41; and Bond Whitmore, '40. The picture was taken while they were flying cadets at Hancock College of Aeronautics, Santa Maria, Cal., last year.

# With Our Alumni Directors

Second in the series of visits to county alumni directors is a journey over to Polk county and the Dallas headquarters of Director Asa B. Starbuck, '06. Although busy with the alumni directors' meeting, Dr. Starbuck has taken the time to look over his county list and come up with an excellent story of activities of Polk county Oregon men. Malheur county also was planned for this issue, but the information was not received by the deadline.



**POLK COUNTY REPORTER—**Dr. Asa B. Starbuck, Alumni Director for Polk county, relates a few of the activities of that district's many Oregon alumni.

## Polk County

By Dr. Asa B. Starbuck, '06

**I**T WAS downright slender pickin' for the University of Oregon in Polk county back in 1885-86. In fact, out of a student body of some 150, there were only two of our "natives" going to and from their Eugene campus classes.

Today, one of these men, J. C. Ellis, '86, still likes to reminisce of the high board fence which surrounded Deady hall, of the ultra-stern John Wesley Johnson, first University president, and of the "big four" who comprised the entire graduating class of 1885. Eugene was a town of 1500 to 2000—smaller than the entire student body of today—and the first electric light system and a new water supply were just added to the local "facilities." This was the college town of the pre-nineties.

The turn of the century saw also the turn of a new leaf, and the story of Polk county alumni becomes a more prolific tale from that date on.

Dean H. Walker, '13, is only one of a long line of local residents. Mr. Walker was

at one time dean of men at the University which somewhat complicated his full name to "Dean Dean H. Walker." Since that time, he has served as state senator from Polk and Benton counties and was president of the senate at its 1941 session in Salem. He is also an extensive hop grower in Independence.

Back in 1932, Oregon produced one of its most famous football players of all time—the "Flying Dutchman," he was called—Johnny Kitzmiller. Mr. and Mrs. Kitzmiller (Augusta Gerlinger, '30) now live in Dallas, and the former star has turned salesman for lumber carriers in the Dallas Machine and Locomotive Works, which is owned by his father-in-law, Carl Gerlinger, Sr. Mrs. Kitzmiller is spending the winter in Palm Springs with her sister, Madeline Gerlinger Williams, '27.

A short shuffle of notes shows the following list of Oregon alums who are also back in our home county working after their days of education in Eugene:

**D**R. and Mrs. Ector Bossatti, '30, (Edith Green, '33), live in Dallas, where the doctor has an extensive practice. Ralf Paul Finseth, '37, is associated with his

father and grandfather in a general merchandise store, this, too, in Dallas. . . Howard Hall, '26, is in charge of the Shell Oil depot, Dallas. . . and Elbert Hawkins, '40, is now in newspaper work, but in Washington county, at Hillsboro.

The air corps has called Dean Cadle, '41, and he is daily engaged in the dangers of long flights over the northern wastelands of Alaska.

The professions of law, journalism, and medicine seem to have a particularly strong hold on the Polk area. Here are just a few of the University alums who are working in these fields:

Mr. and Mrs. John Holloway, '36 (June Ritter, '39), associated with Oscar Hayter, prominent attorney.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip Hayter, '35 (Norma Kolstad, '39). Mr. Hayter is also associated with Oscar Hayter, this latter being his father.

Fred W. Calef, '31, practicing law at Independence.

Dr. Wayne Jackson Page, '31, Ph.D. '35. Dr. Page is a successful physician out of Dallas.

And finally, Earl Richardson, '20, editor of the Itemizer Observer at Dallas, and one of the outstanding editors of the state.

Other alumni are in government work and this list includes such names as Mary

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**DOCTORS IN THE MAKING**—Typical of Oregon's top ranking work in the field of Pre-Medics is this scene from a Zoology lab. Dr. H. B. Yocum explains the workings of a sea urchin to several interested students. By studying the structure and activities of animal organisms the student develops a foundation for a proper understanding of the human body.

## Union County

Correction:

Through a typographical error Fred J. Patton, '35, was listed as superintendent of schools, Elgin, and the name of Iver Masterson, '38, was left entirely out of the Union county list in February OLD OREGON. The report should have read: "Fred J. Patton, '35, superintendent of La Grande city schools, and Iver Masterson, '38, superintendent of schools, Elgin."

NEWS OF THE CLASSES

1932

Perm. Class Sec'y: Mrs. Hope Shelley Miller (Mrs. Robert T. Miller), 206 4th St., Logansport, Indiana.

Another doctor called to active duty with the Army is **Lieut. Edward C. Wall, '32**, M.D. '36, who is now stationed at 155th Station hospital, Camp Roberts, Calif.

1933

Perm. Class Sec'y: Mrs. Jessie Steele Robertson (Mrs. George H. Robertson), 4039 N.E. 40th Ave., Portland, Oregon.

**Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Holmquist, '32** (Thelma Nelson, '33) are living in Seattle at 2824 E. 54th St., They have a six-months' old daughter, Julie Christina, born last August 24. Mr. Holmquist is employed by the Boeing Aircraft Co., in their research department.

**Lt. Roy D. Craft** is now stationed in Kodiak, Alaska, where he is aide to Brigadier General Charles H. Corlett.

One person from whom no news has been received in a long time is **Mrs. Marjorie E. Haas Hopkins, '33**, who is now living at No. 3 Fairview Ave., Arlington, N. J.

A wedding taking place in McMinnville was that of **Miss Regina Saxon Brooks, '33**, M.A. '36, and **Victor DeMattei, '43**. The ceremony was read December 17. The couple will make their home in McMinnville, where Mrs. DeMattei is an instructor in Romance Languages at Linfield college. Mr. DeMattei is attending the medical school in Portland.

The marriage of **Miss Winifred Rhoda Gollehur, '33**, and **Charles Bryan Ryan, '39**, was read in Portland on New Year's Day. The couple are making their home in Eugene and are both working in the office of Dr. Sam Tyler, optometrist. Mr. Ryan is a laboratory technician and Mrs. Ryan the receptionist.

A wedding of the fall was that of **Miss Margaret Georgiana Helser, '33**, to **Rudolph de Hapsburg ver Mehr, Jr.** The couple are making their home at 1329 Clay St., San Francisco, Calif.

**Mr. and Mrs. Robert J. Otto, '32** (Margaret H. Cook, '33) are now living in Portland at 3145 N. E. 49th. Mr. Otto is employed on the architectural staff of the Bonneville Power administration.

1934

Perm. Class Sec'y: Mrs. Frances R. Johnston Dick (Mrs. William G. Dick), Vogt Bldg., The Dalles, Oregon.

**Lieut. Ray (Butch) Morse, '34**, is now stationed at Moffett Field, Calif., where he is a first lieutenant in the Army.

**Lt. and Mrs. Robert Y. Thornton, '36** (Dorothy M. Haberlach, '34) are now in California where Lt. Thornton is stationed with the 30th Field Artillery at Camp Roberts, Calif. He is special officer in charge of morale.

**Harriette E. Saeltzer, '34**, is a medical case worker for the Social Service department of the Presbyterian hospital in New York City. Her address is 231 W. 13th St.

A wedding performed in the East December 15 was that of **Miss Betty Dahl** to **Lieut. James W. Brooke, '34**, M.D. '38. Lieut. Brooke is flight surgeon with the observation corps at Ft. Dix, N. J. Prior to his being called to active service he was practicing medicine in North Dakota.

**John E. Caswell, '34**, M.A. '37, is now living in San Francisco, Calif., at 3250 Divisadero St. He was married November 8 to **Miss Alberta Baxter** of Lebanon, Tenn. Before coming to San Francisco to live Mr. Caswell was in Washington, D. C., where



**HIGH ARMY MEDICO—Dr. D. C. Stanard, '14**, former president of the Alumni Association, has recently been promoted to the rank of lieutenant-colonel in the medical corps of the army.

he was on the staff of the census bureau. Now he is a rating examiner for the 12th district office of the Civil Service commission.

**Virgil H. Langtry, LL.B. '34**, field consultant for the League of Oregon Cities, has been transferred from the Portland office to the Eugene office of the organization, which is housed in Fenton hall on the campus. Before his appointment to the staff of the League Mr. Langtry was a practicing attorney in Redmond and Bend. **Anselmo L. (Bud) Posso, '34**, in engaged in the business of building construction and is secretary for the Pozzo Construction Co., Ltd. His address is 2358 N. Vermont Ave., Los Angeles, Calif.

1935

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

**First Lieut. Keith G. Powers, '35**, is now commandant of cadets at the Air Corps primary training school at Kings City, Calif.

**Capt. Watt H. Piercy, M.D. '35**, is now stationed at Ft. Lewis, Wash. Before being called to active duty Dr. Pierce was practicing medicine in Hillsboro.

**Virgil Esteb, '35**, is now living in Salem at 275 N. Twentieth. He was married October 18 to **Miss Ruth Shimondle**.

**Miss Mildred E. Thorpe** and **Dr. John E. Tuhy, '35**, M.D. '38, were married December 26. They are making their home in Portland.

1936

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

Relatives of **Dr. Paul R. Vogt, M.D. '36**, of The Dalles, recently learned that he had been promoted from first lieutenant to captain in the medical corps at Ft. Lewis, Wash. Before entering the service last year, Dr. Vogt was a member of the clinic of The Dalles hospital.



**RETURNS TO UNIVERSITY WORK—Warren D. Smith, Oregon's well-known geological expert, returns to his teaching duties at the University spring term following a term of absence during which time he was conducting research at the California Institute of Technology at Pasadena. He is head of the geology and geology departments.**

# Of Football in 1900--How 'Men of Mud' Beat U of W

By C. E. WAGNER, '01

ALL'S WELL that ends well, but it surely wasn't a heartening beginning that greeted the Mighty Oregon in football of 1900. The first two contests of the season, with Salem Athletic club and Multnomah club, saw Oregon on the short end of 5 to 0 scores. After the first of these, played in mud, the players waded waist deep in Eugene's mill race to "wash up," highlight of the second was a kangaroo leap, which Fullback Clyde Payne made over the center of both lines, net gain five yards.

On a Wednesday, November 7, of 1900 the Oregon squad left Eugene for California. Arriving in San Francisco about dark Thursday, we went down to Palo Alto the next morning. Ralph Fisher, a former Oregon man, now a Portland physician, was unable to play on account of an injured shoulder, and he cut his classes to show us around. Otherwise we received no attention at all.

This was the year that Fielding Yost coached Stanford, just before going to Michigan . . . and what a golden opportunity this would have been for Mr. Atherton. Fully half of the men on the team had been openly persuaded to come to Stanford, but it did produce a team which, I am convinced from later events, was the strongest in the United States.

The game, played November 10, was fought in a boiling hot sun on a fast field. We had but two substitutes; Stanford had three full teams. Their average weight was 21 pounds heavier than ours, and most of their gains were made through the line by a force of sheer weight and momentum, which produced an action similar to a modern tank, only faster. As the runner hit the line at full speed, the quarterback shoved the ball into his stomach, and the rest of the team lined up behind, and pushed.

San Francisco writers stated that Stanford could make no gains around little Fred Ziegler's end, and after a few attempts let him alone. Dick Smith was our greatest ground gainer, and running low, he hit the line with terrific force. He nearly always gained his length and twice broke through for distance. Near the end of the game I was so tired that I simply could not run. All I could do was walk. California writers gave Oregon players considerable credit for their game and sportsmanlike fight. Stanford won, however, 34 to 0.

WHAT a contrast and relief it was to get over to Berkeley the next week, where the students treated us just the same as they did their own team. A scheduled mid-week contest with Nevada was cancelled, and California played the game instead, winning 22 to 0. On Saturday, November 17, we played California and Nevada played Stanford.

It rained before the game, and both fields were muddy. The California teams could not play in the mud, and their punting was very poor. According to the San Francisco sports writers, California lost the ball seven times on downs and three times on fumbles, and there were numerous delays for injury and exhaustion. They stated that

Oregon did not fumble once and at no time during the game did Oregon surrender the ball except on a kick. Each time, we kicked on third down, even if there was only a fraction of a yard to go. California actually made more yardage by running, but superior and frequent punting gave Oregon a 2 to 0 win.

Stanford had beaten Oregon, and now that Oregon had beaten California, the Californians were so down-hearted that they would not talk to us or to one another. They didn't feel better, either, until word came in via telephone that "Nevada beat Stanford, 6 to 0." Stanford enjoyed a similar balm to their rooters' disappointment when they heard of the Oregon triumph.

On the way home, Pat McArthur again put on one of the player's suits and helped us win the Ashland game, 21 to 0. After the game, some of his friends sent the following telegram to a Eugene young lady: "Played a star game. Uninjured. Be home tonight. Pat."

Oregon's real rival at this time was Multnomah Athletic club, with whom we had played a tie game, but never had beaten. The agricultural college at Corvallis didn't count for much. In fact, their Board of Regents would not permit them to have a team in 1900.

WHEN, after outplaying Multnomah in our next game, the contest ended in a tie, we were so sorely disappointed at not winning that all training restrictions were abandoned. Relations with Multnomah club were friendly, however, and both teams ate Thanksgiving dinner together at tables set in the Portland hotel parlors. Both teams attended the Marquam theater in a body, occupying the loges. After the show, we went out to take in the town, and most of us got back around midnight.

After the Multnomah game our suits were so filled with clay mud that they weighed nearly as much as we did. This was especially true of those who wore a loose-knit sweater as I did. The suits were tied up in bundles and placed in a large trunk. When we assembled before the game, the trunk was opened and each player put on his cold, wet, heavy suit which was just as he had taken it off in Portland.

Thus equipped we went out on Kincaid field to meet our fate with Washington, which was rated superior to Oregon. According to the account in the Oregon Weekly of that date, "Oregon made 71 running plays, advancing the ball for a total of 728½ yards. Washington made 27 plays, advancing the ball 43½ yards." Geary (Washington) punted three times and had two of them blocked. Oregon's average weight was 157 pounds, Washington's 161 pounds. The score was Oregon 43, Washington 0.

The game was a heavy financial loss. Before we left the field, the Washington players said: "Well, you beat us in football, but we are going to beat you in track next spring." The story of that track meet, however, is good material for another article.



FOOTBALL MEN OF 1900—Members of the 1900 Oregon football team with their coach were—standing, from the left: C. A. Redmond, '02, assistant manager; Dave Waddell, '04, guard; L. L. Goodrich, '01, manager; R. S. Smith, '01, halfback; L. Kaarsberg, coach; Ralph G. Starr, '04, halfback; Ray Goodrich, '04, halfback; kneeling, A. C. Stubling, '02, guard; B. C. Jake-way, '01, tackle; C. E. Wagner, '01, center; Theron Bush, '04, end; reclining, Oscar Gorrell, '02, end; Master Otto Bradley, mascot; C. A. Payne, '04, fullback; W. B. Scott, '03, quarterback; and H. I. Watts, '03, guard.

# Oregon's Twentieth-Century Magellans See the World

By ROBERT SAEETS, '42 and MAURIE BINFORD, '41



(The following letter describing the travels of two Oregon alumni, Maurie Binford, '41, and Robert Sheets, '42, was written to the editor of the Emerald in October. Because it contains news which should be of interest to Oregon Alumni, since most of the places mentioned are overrun by the Japs, OLD OREGON has secured permission to use it here.)

**F**OLLOWING is a narration in natural sequence of a year's trip taken by the two of us, Maurie Binford, '41, and Robert Sheets, '42. We think perhaps a few of our friends will be interested in our wanderings.

We left San Francisco on a Dutch motorship the early part of October bound for Manila and points west. In our grip we carried one suit and one tooth-brush, no passport (not required in U. S. possessions) but we did have a lot of jokers up our sleeve.

Our second day in Manila we met Gordon Lawry, '39 (Sigma Chi and Mr. Dudley's protege) and with his help we took our choice of five different jobs. Maurice was sent south of Manila about 350 miles to a little town called Iloilo located on the island of Panay. He represented the American Biscuit company as their branch manager; however, we both feel the job was merely a subterfuge because he spent the greater part of each day panning gold and swimming.

I was fortunate to work as secretary for the largest gold mining company in the Philippines and my hardest job was teaching the natives how to play soft ball. The mine was situated a mile high in the northern sector of Luzon and the cool breezes from the tall pines made me feel right at home.

Well, we stuck with it for five months, flew over the island in a friend's plane and learned a great deal about the Filipino's way of living. In North Luzon we traveled over 300 miles by automobile to view the famous Ifugao rice terraces and managed to take pictures of the Igorot head hunters who still carry crude spears and head axes. In the southern Philippines on the island of Mindinao we visited the Mohammedan Moro tribes reputed the wildest in the Philippines.

Their colorful dress along with their strange ceremonial rituals seemed fantastic and hardly did it seem possible that people

like these could be found under the American flag.

In April we managed to obtain our passports (the passport director happened to be a Beta fraternity brother) and left immediately on a Japanese ship for Japan in order to catch another Japanese ship bound for Buenos Aires via India and South Africa.

In order to obtain British visas for travel in the Orient you have to have a definite reason for traveling to a British port and here we had an ace up our sleeve. With us we carried a personal letter from Gaston Willoquet, Free French consul in Manila, stating our desire to join the Free French movement in Duella, French Cameroons, Africa.

We stopped in Hong Kong on our way north, drove around the island and with intense curiosity we viewed the beaches flanked with barbed wire, cement gun emplacements and the camouflaged pill boxes. Leaving the harbor for Shanghai we noticed a double net strung across to protect it from enemy craft and on either side of the harbor entrance huge guns were visible to the naked eye.

Once in Shanghai we discovered our ship to South America would not sail for another month and to pass the time away we looked for jobs. Lucky for us, Mr. Howes, secretary of the chamber of commerce, considered Portland his home town and after talking shop he offered to help us out. The jobs started pouring in and Maurice ended up as a reporter for the China Press and I tried the unthinkable—selling advertising to the Chinese.

It will really take a book to narrate the wonders of China, but to cut it short we will merely call it terrific. The dates we had seemed no different than Americans (except they were yellow) and it is surprising how many Chinese speak English. Due to the war Shanghai's population has jumped from 2,000,000 to 4,000,000 and at nights the streets are so crowded, with crying children, men and women, the only way to walk is in the middle of the street.

**T**HIRTY-SIX hours on a Japanese express liner is the time we spent crossing from Shanghai to Nagasaki, Japan. We landed there at night in the rain and not a soul could understand our English. We did manage to find a little hotel and the next morning we saw the town escorted by a little policeman whose arm band read: "Hotel Guide." At the American consulate we met Bruce Rodgers, '38, and to our mutual surprise he went to Oregon, Canard club and graduated in 1938.

From Nagasaki north to Tokyo is 2600 miles and on a fast express train it takes only 30 hours to make the trip. However, a Japanese train is a nightmare whether express or otherwise. We sat up all night (all berths are taken three days in advance) and sleep was impossible for in back of us two crying children could not be stopped, under us were two dogs fighting and the man across from us figured our laps made perfect foot stools for his bare feet.

Once in Tokyo, though, we were worse off than on the train. Getting lost in a subway is nothing out of the ordinary, but to find 7,000,000 people speaking a strange language seemed out of the ordinary to us and as a result we spent three hours getting out. We met, at the American embassy, a former University of Washington girl and a former University of Texas boy who delighted in showing us the town. They fed us Manchurian food, got us dates with two Japanese girls and arranged for our meeting with Joseph Grew, U. S. ambassador.

On the fifth day we returned south to Kobe only to discover our ship, instead of going to South America, was called into government service. To save face at the American consulate we left on the last ship to leave Japan for a foreign port and ten days later arrived in Hong Kong on our way to Singapore.

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## NEWS OF THE CLASSES

### 1936

**George R. Hail, '36**, is a member of the Royal Canadian Air Force and may be addressed at R.C.A.F., R-137, 224, Trenton, Ontario, Canada.

### 1937

Perm. Class Sec'y: **David B. Lowry**, Bear Creek Orchards, Rt. 4, Medford, Oregon.

**Mr. and Mrs. Paulen W. Kaseberg, '37**, (**Margilee Morse, '37**) are the parents of a son, **Terry Dale**, born February 7. Mr. and Mrs. Kaseberg live near Wasco where they have a large wheat ranch. Mr. Kaseberg is newly appointed alumni director from Sherman county.

After his marriage on October 18 to **Miss Lois Charlotte Johnson, Robert C. Brad-dock, '37**, is now making his home at 4911 N. Missouri, Portland. He is in the service department of the Columbia Steel Co.

**Dr. Beatrice Aitchison, M.A. '37**, instructor in the economics department, resigned her position at the end of fall term to accept a civil service appointment in the Interstate Commerce commission in Washington, D. C. Dr. Aitchison is doing econometric work. Her address is 1929 S St., N. W.

**Miss Edith Claire Bryson, '37**, was married December 6, to **Richard C. Ganong**. She and her husband are making their home at 6601 14th, N. W., Washington, D. C.

**Miss Virginia Chase, '37**, was married December 13 in Rockville, Md., to **Henry L. Lowry**. For the past 15 months she has been in government service in Washington, D. C. The couple will make their home in Arlington, Va.

At a wedding service read October 25 **Miss Nadine Emmrich** was married to **Al Raymond Koch, '37**. They are living at 1704 S. W. Dolph St., Portland.

**Miss Lydia Margaret Reichen, '37**, and **Harry H. Capon** were married November 9. Prior to her marriage Mrs. Capon taught in the Cayonville high school. She and her husband are living in Kimberly.

**Lieut. and Mrs. Robert E. Goodfellow, '38**, (**Carmen Lucile Curry, '37**) are the parents of a daughter, **Joeine Lucile**, born February 4. Their address is Rt. 1, Box 584, Monterey, Calif.

A wedding interesting a large number of friends was that of **Miss Alberta Rose Roberts, '37**, and **Fred Tobey**, both of Eugene. The ceremony was read January 3. The couple are making their home in Seattle, Wash., at Rt. 8, Box 839-A. Mr. Tobey is employed by the Boeing Aircraft Co.

### 1938

Perm. Class Sec'y: **Mrs. Gayle Buchanan Karshner**, (Mrs. Don W. Karshner), 465 Princeton, Palo Alto, California.

**Mr. and Mrs. John A. P. Beckett, '39** (**Elizabeth Ann DeBusk, '38**) are now making their home in Eugene at 1011 Mill St. Mr. Beckett is a graduate assistant in the School of Business Administration.

**Miss Beryl H. Cornish, '38**, was married at an October ceremony to **Robert Julius Needham** of Los Angeles. The couple are making their home in that city at 915½ S. Wilton Pl.

**Mr. and Mrs. Grant M. Eade, '36** (**Edna May Smith, '38**) are living at 1419½ South M. St., Tacoma, Wash. Mr. Eade is an accountant for the Weyerhaeuser Timber Co.

Another November wedding was that of **Miss Dorothy M. Jackson** and **Sgt. Ellsworth L. Huffman, '38**, which was read the eighth of the month. Sgt. Huffman is stationed at Camp Murray where he is a member of the 162nd Inf. band.

**Vernon P. Nelson, '38**, who was married October 4 to **Miss Lillian Johannesen**, is now living at 543 Evans Drive, Lebanon. He works in the accounting department of the plywood division of Evans Products Co.

**Robert C. Millard, '38**, is now an assistant dental surgeon in the Navy, with the rank of a junior grade lieutenant. He is stationed aboard the U. S. S. Charleston.

### 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**.

**Capt. Earl C. Williams, '39**, was killed in action January 20, while serving with General MacArthur's army in the Philippines. Captain Williams had been in the Army for seven months.



**HARD HIT BY FREEZE**—Oregon's famed Condon oaks, well known landmarks on the campus, were among the trees hardest hit by the "Silver Thaw" which struck the campus early in January, causing extremely heavy damage. After the thaw, which caused cancellation of classes for nearly two days, the campus was littered with branches, limbs and uprooted trees.

NEWS OF THE CLASSES

1939

According to a recent story printed in the Emerald, **Kenneth E. Leatherman**, '39, volunteered as an ambulance driver for the American field service. He will leave soon for Egypt where he is assigned to duty. During the summer and fall of 1939 Leatherman took an extended bicycle trip through Europe.

**Miss Claudia May Sevier**, '39, and **Forrest W. Landeen**, '40, were married November 22. Immediately following the wedding Mr. and Mrs. Landeen left for Colfax, Calif., where Mr. Landeen is working.

The marriage of **Miss Molly Cunningham**, '39, and **William Harrow**, '40, was solemnized January 3. The couple left on a flying trip east, following the ceremony, but are now at home at 8506 Columbia Bottoms Rd., Portland. Mr. Harrow is employed by the J. C. Penney Co.

**Miss Katherine E. Cannon**, '39, and **Paul D. Christerson**, '40, were married at the home of the bride's parents in Seaside on December 27. They are making their home in Corvallis where Mr. Christerson is attending college and is a part time instructor in the department of engineering.

**Miss Harriet E. Sarazin**, '39, and **Clare Gray Peterson**, '39, were married September 17, 1941. They are making their home at 1123 S. W. Whitaker, Portland. Mr. Peterson is attending the Medical School.

**Leland E. Terry**, recently commissioned an ensign in the U. S. Navy air corps, paid a visit this month to his parents in Netarts, prior to being assigned to active scouting plane duty.

1940

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

**Richard H. Olcott**, '40, is a pilot with the Royal Canadian Air Force and at present is stationed at Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada.

**Clyde W. Everton**, '40, is employed in the personnel office of the Columbia Aircraft industries in Portland. His address is 1816 S. E. 24th Ave.

**Wilfred L. Roadman**, '40, is with United Air Lines in San Francisco, Calif.

**Miss Virginia Helen Elliott**, '40, was married November 8, 1941, to C. S. Gustine, an Iowa State man. They are making their home at 313½ Main St., Lebanon.

**Miss Cleo Hazel Flint**, '38, and **William R. McKenzie**, '37, were married November 23, 1941. They are making their home in Eugene at 330½ W. Sixth. Mr. McKenzie is a warehouseman for the McDonald Candy Co.

**Rev. and Mrs. G. Marvel Chapman**, '38, (Doris Elaine Dunberg, '40) are the parents of a son, Douglas G., born December 9. The Rev. and Mrs. Chapman are living in Etna, Calif.

Another wedding of the holiday season was that of **Miss Margaret T. Dick**, '40 and **Lieut. Erwin Laurance**, '37, who were married December 13 in McMinnville. The couple are making their home at 740 16th N., Seattle, Wash. Lieut. Laurance is stationed at Ft. Lewis and Mrs. Laurance is working as a filing clerk at the Port of Embarkation in Seattle.

**Miss June Ellen Elliott**, '40, is now a social case worker in the Marion county Public Welfare department in Salem. Her address is 745 N. Church St.

**Mr. and Mrs. Donald C. Johnson**, '38 (Jean Rawson, '40) are the parents of a



**GETS DEFENSE POST —** Announcement of the appointment of **Dean R. W. Leighton** to the position of state director of physical fitness under the Office of Civilian Defense was made in February.

daughter, **Judith Ashley**, born November 19. Mr. Johnson is assistant manager of the interior department of the First National bank of Portland.

**Mr. and Mrs. E. Hale Judkins**, '33 (Lucile Longworth, '40) are living in Joliet, Ill., at 418 N. Summit St. Mr. Judkins is acid supervisor for the Kankakee Ordnance works in Joliet.

**Mr. and Mrs. Archie C. Pasmore** (Alice Emily Kirkpatrick, '40) are making their home at 3536 S.E. Stark St., Portland, following their marriage on October 17. Mr. Pasmore is employed by the Pennsylvania Salt Co.

After their marriage early in the summer, **Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Davis, III** (Anna Marie McCrea, '40) took up residence at 1609 S.W. 10th Ave., Portland. Mrs. Davis is employed by the U. S. National bank.

The marriage of **Miss Zelpha Bevere** and **Howard W. McFadgen**, '40, was solemnized December 5. The couple are living in Eugene at 2410 Columbia. Mr. McFadgen is employed in the advertising department of the Eugene Morning News.

**Mr. and Mrs. Mason D. McQuiston**, '41, (Phyllis Paine, '40) are now living in Seattle at 4722 Fifteenth, N. E., following their marriage in Eugene, October 12. Mr. McQuiston is a junior inspector at the Boeing Aircraft Co. His work is connected with the Rockwell test department.

Having been called to active duty with the Army, the following men did not return to Law School this term. They are **Irving L. Mann**, '40, **Robert B. Carmichael**, '41, **Paul J. Jolman**, '41, and **Norman E. Anderson**, '42.

**Mr. and Mrs. Roy T. Lindley** (Patricia Elizabeth Taylor, '40) are living at 421 Fifth St., Springfield. They were married the first part of the summer. Mrs. Lindley is teaching in the Springfield high school and Mr. Lindley is attending the University.

**Miss Catherine Murdock**, '40, was married December 14 to **Charles F. Skinner**, '40. The couple are making their home in Eugene and may be addressed at Box 1003. Mr. Skinner is a salesman for the Spool Cotton Co.

**Mr. and Mrs. Keith E. Osborne**, '39, (Dois June DeYoung, '40) are living at 1830 Peach Tree Road, N.W., Atlanta, Ga. Mr. Osborne is employed by the Lynch, Pierce & Cassatt brokerage company.

**Knox Parker**, '40, is now an Army instructor of flying at Mather Field, Calif.

A wedding ceremony read on Christmas day was that of **Miss Ruth Anderson** and **Ralph M. Severson**, '40. Mr. Severson is auditor for General Electric Contracts Corps. The couple are at home at 329 S.E. Twentieth Ave., Portland.

**Mr. and Mrs. Don O. Tower**, '40 (Alice Marilyn Hoffman, '40) may be addressed at 854 Bridge St., Vernonia, where Mrs. Tower is now living. Mr. Tower is a lieutenant in the Army Air Corps assigned to foreign duty.

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**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.

Following his graduation from the Army's quartermaster school in Philadelphia **Lt. Charles N. Tripp**, '41, was married in Eugene to **Miss Florence Gordon** on October 9. The couple are making their home in Santa Maria, Calif., where Lt. Tripp is a constructing quartermaster. His office is in the Rabel building there.

**Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Coate**, '41, (Nancy Cooper, '41) are living at 544 N. Monroe St., Portland. They were married in September.

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# Current Events of the Campus

## DRAFT AGE...

While several hundred University students filed solemnly through McArthur court February 16 to add their names to selective service lists, faculty members between the ages of 20 and 44 had their own registration tables in Friendly hall. High on this latter list was the name of Dr. Donald M. Erb, one of the youngest university presidents in the United States, who will soon be classified with thousands of other men across the nation.

## HAPPIER HOPES...

Good news reached the war-time University February 18, when State Chancellor Frederick M. Hunter announced that students taking essential defense courses soon may receive cash assistance if Congress passes an appropriation bill recommended by the federal office of education to accelerate the schooling of men vital to the nation in all-out attack.

## VALENTINES AND DADS' DAY...

"Roses are Red; Four Girls are Blue; Miss Walthers Is It; Dads are Due" read Emerald headlines January 30, announcing the choice of Dorothy Walthers, sophomore woman, as Valentine Girl to greet dads for their stay on the campus February 13 to 16. And it was a more somber weekend than is the usual dads' fare, with students and parents alike feeling the pressure of war and tire rations.

## WORK VS. EDUCATION...

The University will have two five-week summer sessions this year in an attempt to handle all students who want to speed up possible graduation before they join armed forces. Complete courses will be offered in all subjects which show the necessary enrollment, and present indications are that a number of men will forego their usual summer work to remain "campus faithful" the full year round.

## BODY BUILDER...

Gov. Charles A. Sprague last month appointed Dr. R. W. Leighton, dean of Oregon's physical education department, as director of the state's physical fitness program. This, too, is part of the war speed-up plan.

## MISS JULIA BURGESS...

For 35 years a member of the English department faculty and professor emeritus since June, 1941, Miss Julia Burgess, beloved University instructor, died February 12. Miss Burgess was well known throughout the state for her writing as well as teaching and leaves behind a contribution which will last as long as the University itself. Besides pledging the majority of her life to the furtherance of education at Oregon, she was instrumental in bringing the Burgess collection of rare books and manuscripts to this campus.

## IN THE MOOD...

Canoe fete or not, Oregon's Junior Weekend will go on. A substantial "contribution" to the weekend activities was assured late last month when it was learned that Glenn Miller, popular orchestra leader, will salute the University Junior Prom on his nation-wide program May 5.



**RETIREES**—Dr. Edward Gray, '18, who turned his position as Lane County alumni head over to Carroll P. Williams, '28, in February.

## NEWS OF THE CLASSES 1941

A New Year's day wedding was that of Miss Marcia Kathleen Wright, '41, and A. Freeman Holmer. The ceremony was read at the home of the bride's grandparents in Aumsville. Mrs. Holmer is teaching this year at Dufur.

Miss Thelma Buley and Glenn F. Sweeney, '41, were married December 31. They are making their home at 833 W. 7th. Mr.

Sweeney is taking graduate work at the University.

A wedding of January 4 was that of Miss Marjorie Theda, '41, and Sam M. Cox, '41, which was read in the First Congregational church in Eugene. Mr. and Mrs. Cox are at home at 1028 Park Ave., Eugene. Mr. Cox is in the insurance, loan and real estate business.

Gilbert N. Hodgen, '41, was married December 24, 1941, to Estelle Stadig. At present Mr. Hodgen is stationed at the Naval training station in Norfolk, Va., where he is in the athletic office. Mrs. Hodgen is remaining in Eugene.

Miss Suzanne Cunningham, '41, and Lieut. Robert G. Hochuli, '40, were married in Portland January 16. They flew south following their wedding to be at home in Palo Alto, Calif. Lieut. Hochuli is stationed at Moffet field.

Mr. and Mrs. Frederick C. Fisher, '40 (Mary Jane Shaw, '41) who were married last September 28, are living at 2717 S.E. Washington St., Portland. Mr. Fisher is a salesman for Underwood, Elliott & Fisher Co.

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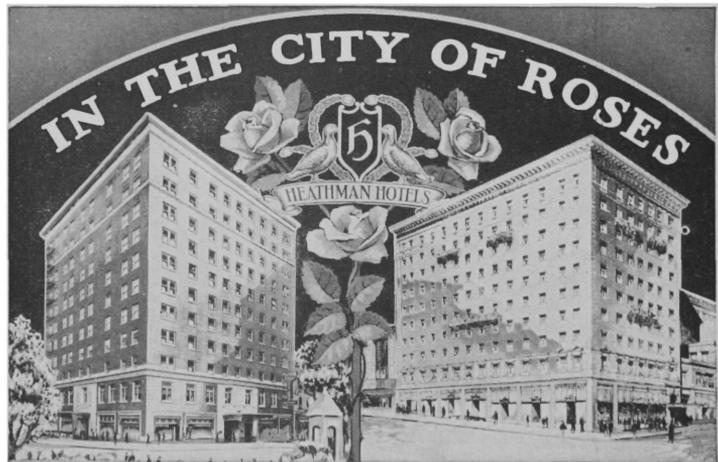
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and Myra Starbuck, '36 and '39, who are employed in the state house, Salem (their brother, Thomas Starbuck, '40, is a student at the North Pacific Dental college in Portland), and Mrs. Doris Young Leth, '27, wife of County Agent W. C. Leth of Polk county.

Mrs. Josephine Albert Spaulding, '31, is the wife of Bruce Spaulding, energetic district attorney of Polk county.

Mr. and Mrs. William Swindells, '26 (Irene Gerlinger, '28), are also residents of Dallas. Mr. Swindells is in charge of operations of the logging camp of the Willamette Valley Lumber company.

The former University of Oregon students who are connected with the State College of Education at Monmouth are so numerous that they would furnish a long article in themselves.



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